

# ENMAP SYNERGIES WITH HYPERSPECTRAL MISSIONS AND INTERNATIONAL CAMPAIGNS

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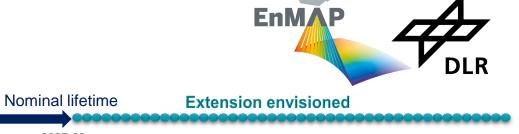
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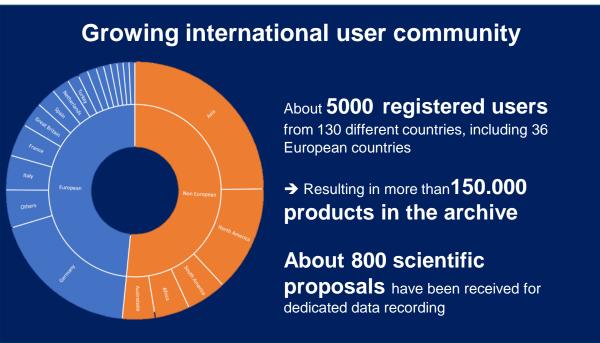


## EnMAP – 3 years operational









EnMAP transitioned from a **pioneering science mission** to a mature operational platform

- → Sophisticated tasking mission
- → strong user support
- → excellent science program

- → international campaign support
- **→** growing worldwide user community
- → operational services

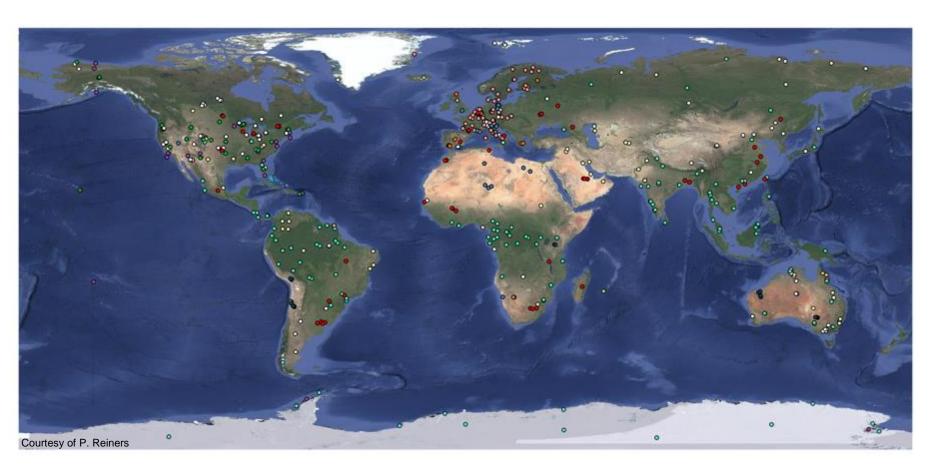
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# More than 600 International Cal/Val covered by the Background Mission



- RadCalNet
- NEON
- JECAM
- MARS
- ICOS
- Hypersense
- Geotrees
- GEOLOGY
- FLUXNET
- Coral Reef
- Volcanoes
- US-LTER
- SOILS
- SNOW

Google Satellite

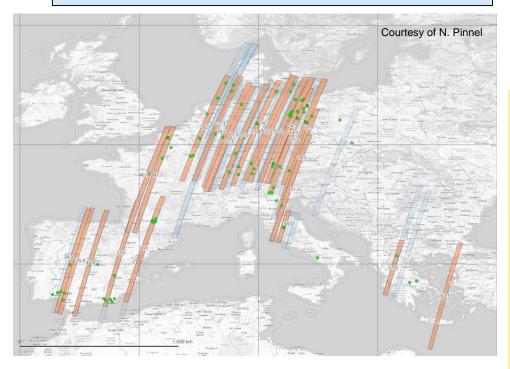


See Poster by **Emiliano Carmona** Three years of EnMAP Ground Segment Operations

## **Foreground Mission**

#### Goals

- optimizing acquisition rate
- generating time series covering EU



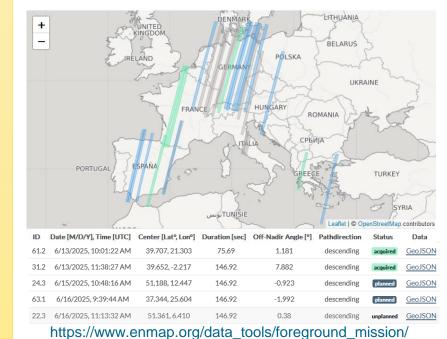
- Started as program in 03/2024
- Stripes ~1000 km long
- Defined with users (workshops, survey)
- Updated to take seasons into account
- Assigned max. priority
- Flexible (campaigns, weather)

#### Supported campaigns

- Methane Experiment (USGS)
- Greenland (GFZ)
- Artic (AWI)
- Soil Sites/Demmin (GFZ)
- Oil detection (Mexico) (NASA)
- Aquatic/Agriculture (Uni Valencia)
- Sardegna, Largo di Garda (CNR)
- Jolanda di Savoia (ITC, CNR)
- Namibia (HU Berlin, GFZ)
- Deception Island, Antarctica (GFZ)
- PUCH-Agri-Rose-L/CARMA campaign

Coordination by GFZ supported by the Ground Segment Application Support

User input is very welcome!



See Poster by Nicole Pinnel

## International campaign support



#### **ESA AGRIROSE-L Campaign - Potential for matchups**

- ESA campaign in support of ROSE-L and CHIME missions
- Agricultural area Northwest of Munich, Germany
- Observed between 22 April 21 July 2025
- With several instrumentations:
  - Laboratory + Field (soil + vegetation traits)
  - UAV (fractional vegetation cover)
  - Airborne (F-SAR + HySPEX)
  - Spaceborne (DESIS, EnMAP, PRISMA)
    - (1) Time series
    - (2) Sensor matchups

**Contact: Tobias Hank (LMU)** 

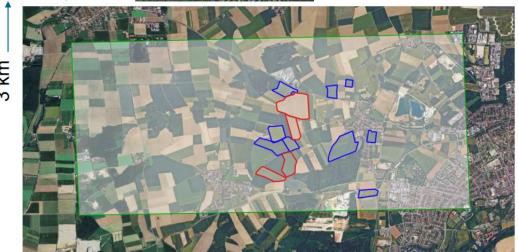












## International campaign support

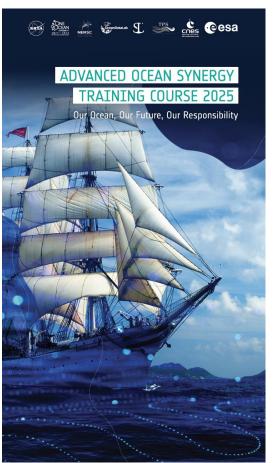
#### ESA Advanced Ocean Training Course 2025 A unique co-located satellite and in situ data set

- 50 students, 21 lecturers, 22 countries
- ~4500 nautical miles
- 46 days at sea
- 1 marine heatwave, 1 marine cold spell
- Amazing biological succession/biodiversity
- 30 Oceanographic stations
- 63 CTD profiles
- 61 Phytoplankton nets
- 43 Zooplankton nets
- 157 ocean current drone flights
- 2 BGC-ARGO deployments
- 55 drifting buoys (35 wave drifters) deployed
- 38 lectures at sea.
- Continuous sampling underway
- >15 Tb data acquired on the ship
- satellite imagery/data from Sentinel-1, -2, -3, -6,

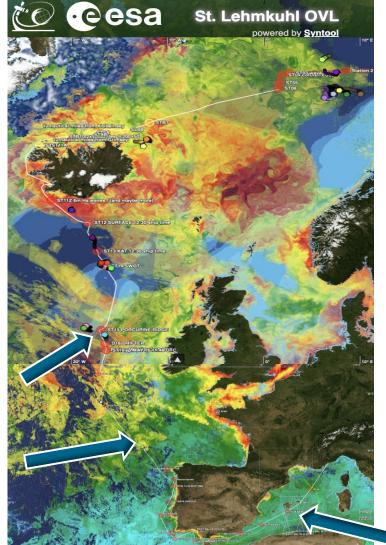
#### → EnMAP (16.05., 19.05. and 28.05.2025)

- First test of Sentinel-1C AIS with in-situ application
- >8 Journal articles in preparation

Slide courtesy: Craig Donlon and Vannesa Keuck, ESA







#### **Collaboration with USGS**



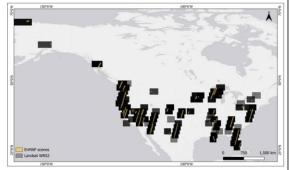
#### EnMAP as a pathfinder for Landsat Next Science product development



#### **Coincident imaging Acquisition Tool (CAT)**

- Coincident acquisition tool (CAT 2.0) finds past spatial/temporal coincidence for (same day within 24 hours):
- Landsat 8/9
- EnMAPSentinel-2
- Sentine
   EMIT
- Future projections available for Landsat 8/9 and target instruments
  - Based on past acquisition times at ROI
- · Built on top of STAC APIs
- Supports tasking requests for EnMAP and PRISMA





578 coincident (± 1 hour) acquisitions between Landsat 8/9 and EnMAP for January 2023 – August 2024

2<sup>nd</sup> EnMAP User Workshop 2025; Munich, Germany, April 2-4, 2025

Slide courtesy: Christopher J. Crawford, USGS

#### Planned datatakes over Nevada 06-08/2025



Contact: Akpona Okujeni (GFZ)

## **EnMAP** as a pathfinder for **ESA-CHIME** mission

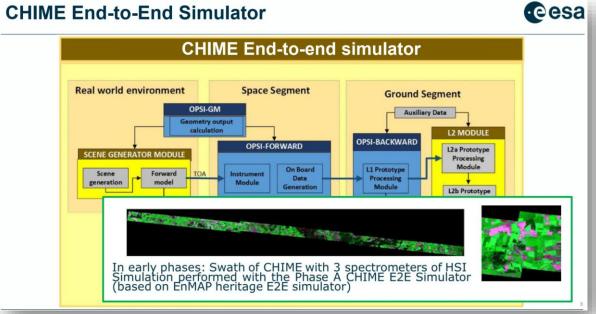
# EnM/P DLR

#### **CHIME - Copernicus Hyperspectral Imaging Mission**

- EnMAP heritage instrumental to define CHIME mission requirements in early phase
- EnMAP heritage at the core of the CHIME Level-2 prototyping activities



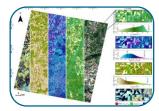




## **EnMAP Community: Expanding into New Frontiers**



#### From applied scientific research ....



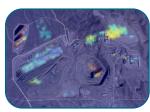
Agricultural practice and crop forecasts



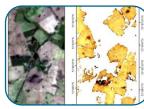
Crop type classification



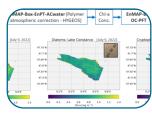
Forest monitoring



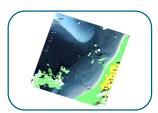
Raw material detection



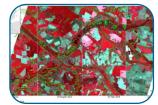
Soil quality - soil degradation, numerical estimation of soil organic carbon (SOC)



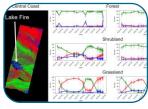
Water quality



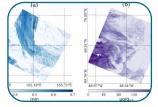
Algae classification



Rewetting of peatlands



Fire ecosystems: Fire risk assessment, fire consequences, regeneration processes



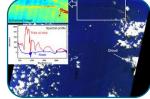
Snow and ice characterization, glacier monitoring



Methane plumes



Methane leakage: detection and quantification



Oil spills



Detection of illegal waste dumps



Agricultural nformation products as a service



Mangroves monitoring (blue carbon market)



Seagrass monitoring

## ... to applications as commercial services

Support for commercial sector:
Companies in German consortia have been able to task EnMAP data since Feb 2025

EnMAP data ©DLR

<u>Courtesy images</u>: GFZ, LMU, AWI,
Universität Bremen, Universität
Heidelberg, Brockmann Consult,
Universität Greifswald, HU Berlin,
OHB, EOMAP

## **Summary and outlook**

Hyperspectral national mission synergies: EnMAP – DESIS – PRISMA

→ Continued coordination of acquistions

**Upcoming ESA CHIME Mission** 

→ Support on agency, science and ground segment level

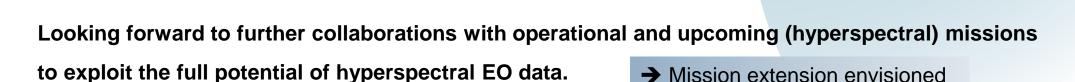
PACE and EMIT and upcoming FLEX Mission

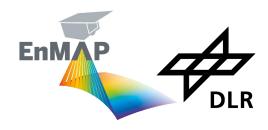
→ Started conversations (ESA WICSIS Workshop 2024/11)

International campaigns

- → Ongoing support
- → Remote Sensing of Environment Special Issue in preparation















### The EnMAP session at LPS25

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#### C.05.05 The German EnMAP Mission

3 Years of hyperspectral data – From Science to Environmental Applications

Oral Session
Wednesday, Jun 25, 2025
16:15 – 17:45
Hall N1/N2

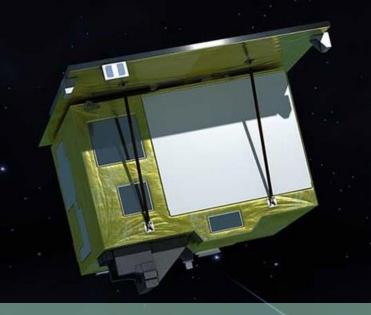
Poster Session
Wednesday, Jun 25, 2025
17:45 - 19:00
X5 - Poster Area





# Follow all our conference activities at enmap.org





## Thank you!

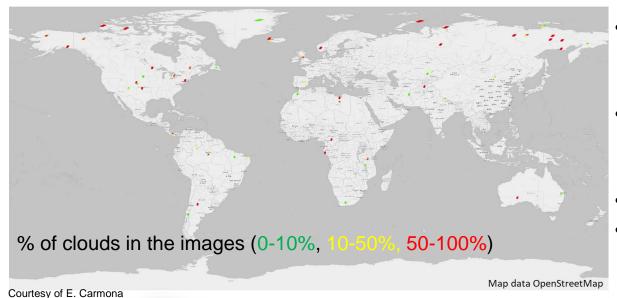
In view of an envisioned EnMAP Mission Extension beyond 2027:

- For how long would continued EnMAP data acquisition benefit your application or research?
- From which perspective do you see the greatest value in a mission extension?

  e.g. scientific research, commercial use, public sector benefit, or

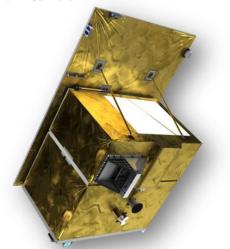
  institutional/space agency priorities)

## **EnMAP & PRISMA match-ups**



- Goal: development of L1/L2 transfer functions for multi-sensor time-series analyses and/or cross-calibrations
- > 165 common acquisitions globally distributed (including science or network sites in the frame of cal/val or thematic campaigns)
- Regular meeting to identify/select match-ups
- Schedule prepared 1x month

Workflow well established → ongoing work!











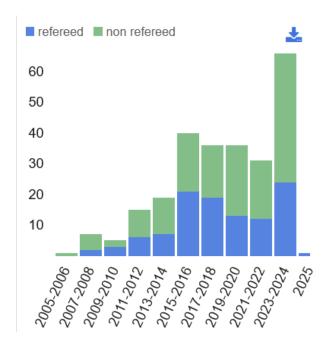
EnMAP L2A PRISMA L1

PRISMA L2D

Courtesy of K. Segl

Preliminary results show good agreement!

#### **Publications**

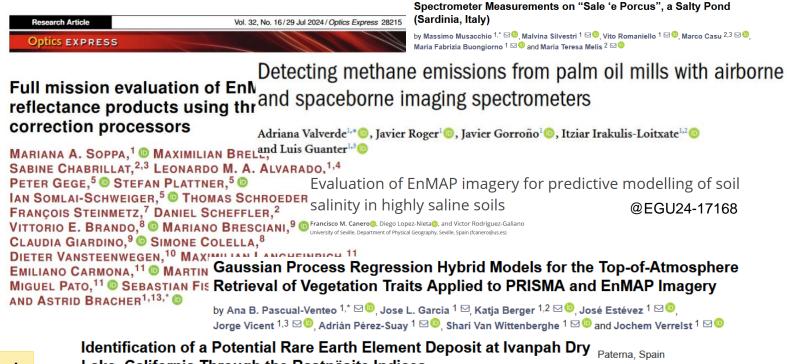


Source: NASA ADS

Special Issue on RSE in preparation! Submission of papers end 2025/beginning 2026 Get ready!

Asadzadeh, S., Koellner, N., Chabrillat, S. (2024), Detecting rare earth elements using EnMAP hyperspectral satellite data: a case study from Mountain Pass, California. Scientific Reports, 14, 20766.

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Remote Sens. 2024, 16(23), 4540; https:// Hajaj, S., Harti, A.E., Pour, A.B. et al. Recurrent-spectral convolutional neural networks (RecSpecCNN) architecture for hyperspectral lithological classification optimization. Earth Sci Inform 18, 125 (2025). https://doi.org/10.1007/s12145-024-01534-w

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#### **Moon calibrations**

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- Moon observations for calibration & cal/val studies
- Along-track scanning strategy
- 8 acquisitions since launch
- 2-monthly acquisitions, close in time to Sun calibrations
- Data not publicly available
- Collaborations with external partners for Moon data exploitation (e.g. CNES)



10.04.2025



## **Background Mission targets**



