

## THEIA LAND DATA CENTRE

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#### **OBJECTIVES**

#### THEIA is a national structure funded jointly by 9 public institutions. Its objectives are

- → to address the needs of the national scientific community in terms of products, methods and training linked to the observation from space of land surfaces
- → to facilitate access and use of space data for a large user community (national) public actors and beyond)
- ◆ to make national efforts visible at European and international level

#### THEIA relies on:

- a Space Data Infrastructure distributed on several sites whose components are developed at CNES, IGN and in the framework of GEOSUD
- a network of Scientific Expertise Centers
- → a programmatic, scientific and technical organisation
- a Web site giving access to THEIA products and services (www.ptsc.fr)







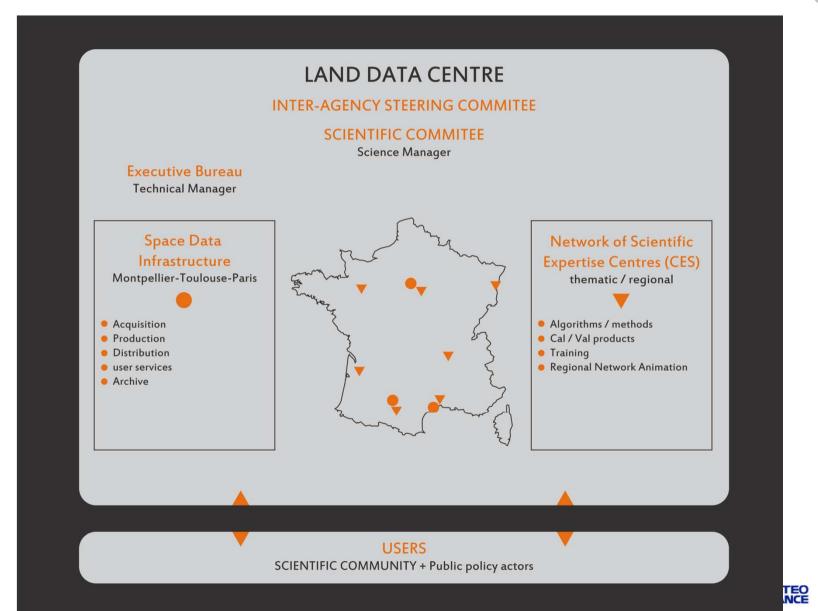








## **STRUCTURE**





## **PRODUCTS 2013 - 2016**

Туре	Products	Free access to	Processing
Images Very High Spatial Resolution	Pléiades images on ~100 cities France 2012-2015	National Public actors	Orthorectification
	Direct Reception images type Spot 6/7 after 2015	National Public actors	Programming capacity + real time
	Yearly cover France 5m res. 2009-2015	National Public actors	Orthorectification + mosaics (+ direct recept. Landsat 8)
Images High Spatial Resolution	Series 2000-2012 Spot images and others on 4 sites	National Public actors	Orthorectification + Atmospheric correction
	Take 5 : Spot 4 images every 5 days, Feb - June 2013, 45 sites	All users	Orthorectification + Atmospheric correction
	Spot World Heritage Program : 400 000 images over the world 1986-2008	All users for a non- commercial use	Orthorectification
	S-2 France + other areas (10 times France) + Landsat 8 France	All users	Atmospheric corrections + monthly composites
Bioheophysical products, global	Global LAI, fAPAR, albedo : 30 years AVHRR & VGT	All users	Biogeophysical processing
	Water level, lakes and rivers : Jason and others	All users	Biogeophysical processing









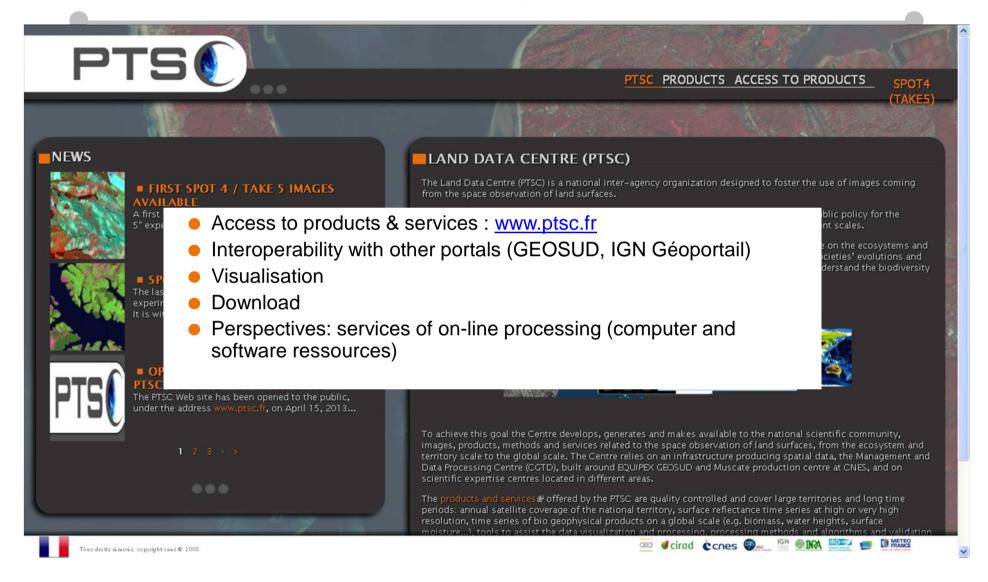








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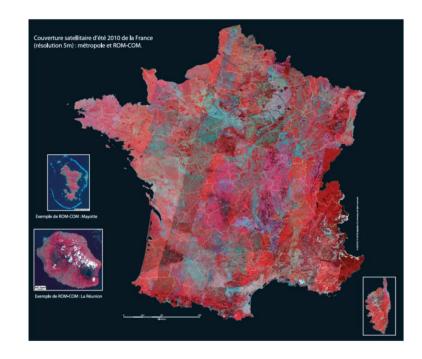


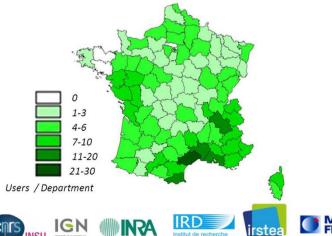


## **PRODUCT EXAMPLE:** YEARLY NATIONAL COVER 5M RESOLUTION

#### A user oriented product line:

- 256 registered users (Public authorities) (July 2013)
  - ♦ 65 laboratories
  - ♦ 88 governmental entities
  - ♦ 62 local and regional entities
  - ♦ 41 « other » actors (public interest associations, education entities, ...)
- distributed all over France
  - with some particularly dynamic regions
  - ♦ more than 10 users from overseas. department and regions





















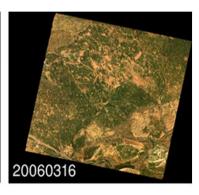
## PRODUCT EXAMPLE: **SENTINEL-2**

To fully exploit the S-2 potential we intend to operate systematically

- atmospheric corrections and cloud screening (level 2A)
  - » With MACCS multi temporal and multi spectral method
- monthly time compositing (level 3A)
- coverage: 10 times France area
- industrial development to be started in 2014
- framework: ESA Collaborative Ground Segment







Niveau 1C:

Niveau 2A:

Niveau 3A:











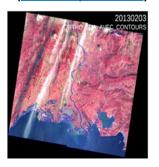


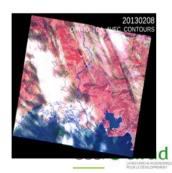




# PRODUCT EXAMPLE: TAKE 5 EXPERIMENT

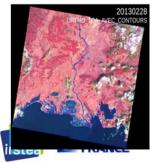
- Need for Sentinel-2 simulated time series
  - → To help users prepare their methods and applications
  - → Learn to use dense time series of HR images
  - → Learn to handle large areas, with data gaps due to clouds
- SPOT4's orbit was lowered by 2 km, for 5 months (February-June 2013)
  - → To put it on a 5 days repeat cycle orbit, to simulate S2
  - → To observe 45 large sites every 5 days
- Data processed to Level 1C and 2A (with MACCS)
- Data set freely available from THEIA website (www.ptsc.fr)















### **CHALLENGES & PERSPECTIVES**

- Provide controlled quality data covering large areas and long periods
- Contribute to important science and social challenges :
  - → Environment, agriculture, climate hazards / global change, biodiversity, fires, pollution
- Offer a platform of concertation to elaborate jointly national strategies
  - → Use of Sentinel data (in particular Sentinel-2)
  - → Use of Pléiades and Spot 6/7 data
  - Promotion of Spot heritage
- Get involved in European and international initiatives
  - → Copernicus, Horizon 2020
  - → Geoglam, Jecam ...











