



# Copernicus Emergency Management Service for Risk planning and Recovery

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## Mapping

### RAPID MAPPING

- On demand
- Standardised
- Hours-days

REFERENCE MAPS  
DELINEATION MAPS  
GRADING MAPS

VALIDATION

### RISK AND RECOVERY MAPPING

- On demand
- Tailored to user needs
- Weeks-months

REFERENCE MAPS  
PRE-DISASTER SITUATION MAPS

REFERENCE MAPS  
POST-DISASTER SITUATION MAPS

VALIDATION

RESILIENCE

RECOVERY

EMERGENCY RESPONSE

PREPAREDNESS

### EARLY WARNING

- Floods: EFAS
- Forest Fires: EFFIS

CONTINUOUS ALERTS



- Not constrained by the need for rapid delivery
- Serves prevention, preparedness, disaster risk reduction, reconstruction, recovery
- Service is customised to suit the user requirements specific to each activation
- Product delivery in weeks/month
- Is more dependent on the integration of relevant ancillary layers



Flood



Storm



Landslide



Industrial accident



Fire



Volcanic eruption



Earthquake



Other

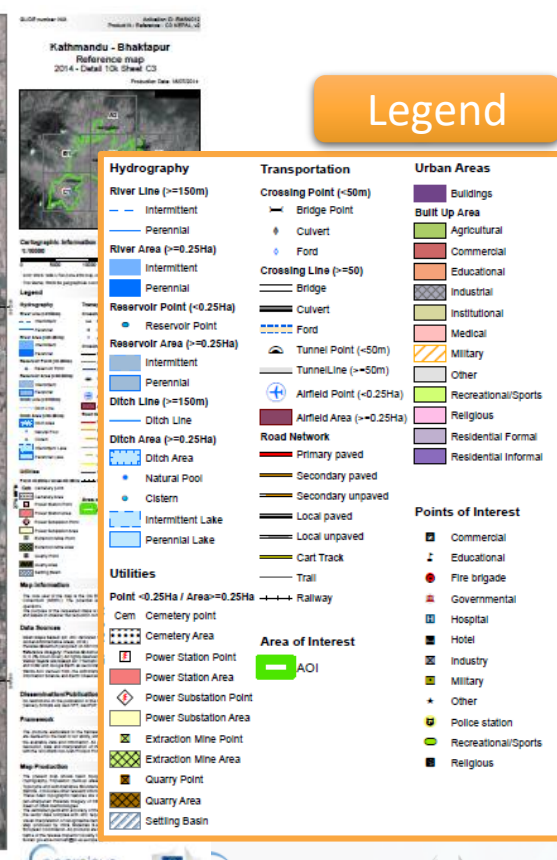


- **Reference maps** comprehensive and updated knowledge of the territory and relevant assets in a disaster risk reduction context
- **Pre-disaster situation maps** thematic information supporting planning for contingencies on vulnerable areas. Examples include hazard exposure, vulnerability, resilience, risk status, evacuation plans and modelling scenarios
- **Post-disaster situation maps** thematic information in support of post-disaster activities such as reconstruction planning and progress monitoring. Examples include post-disaster needs assessment, recovery plans, reconstruction/rehabilitation monitoring, including Internally Displaced Persons (IDP) and refugee camps monitoring





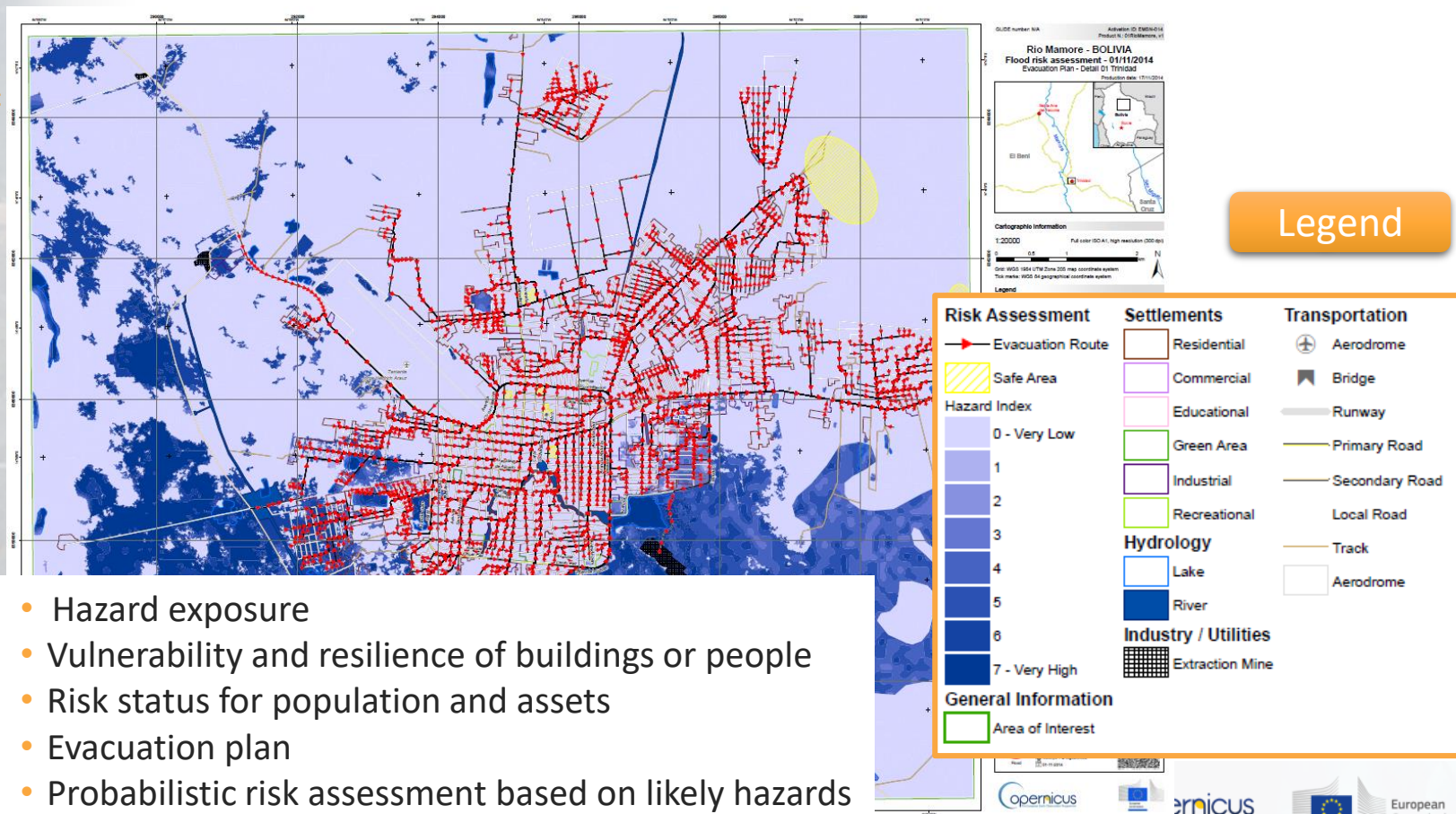
## Typical key features





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# Pre-Disaster Situation Map

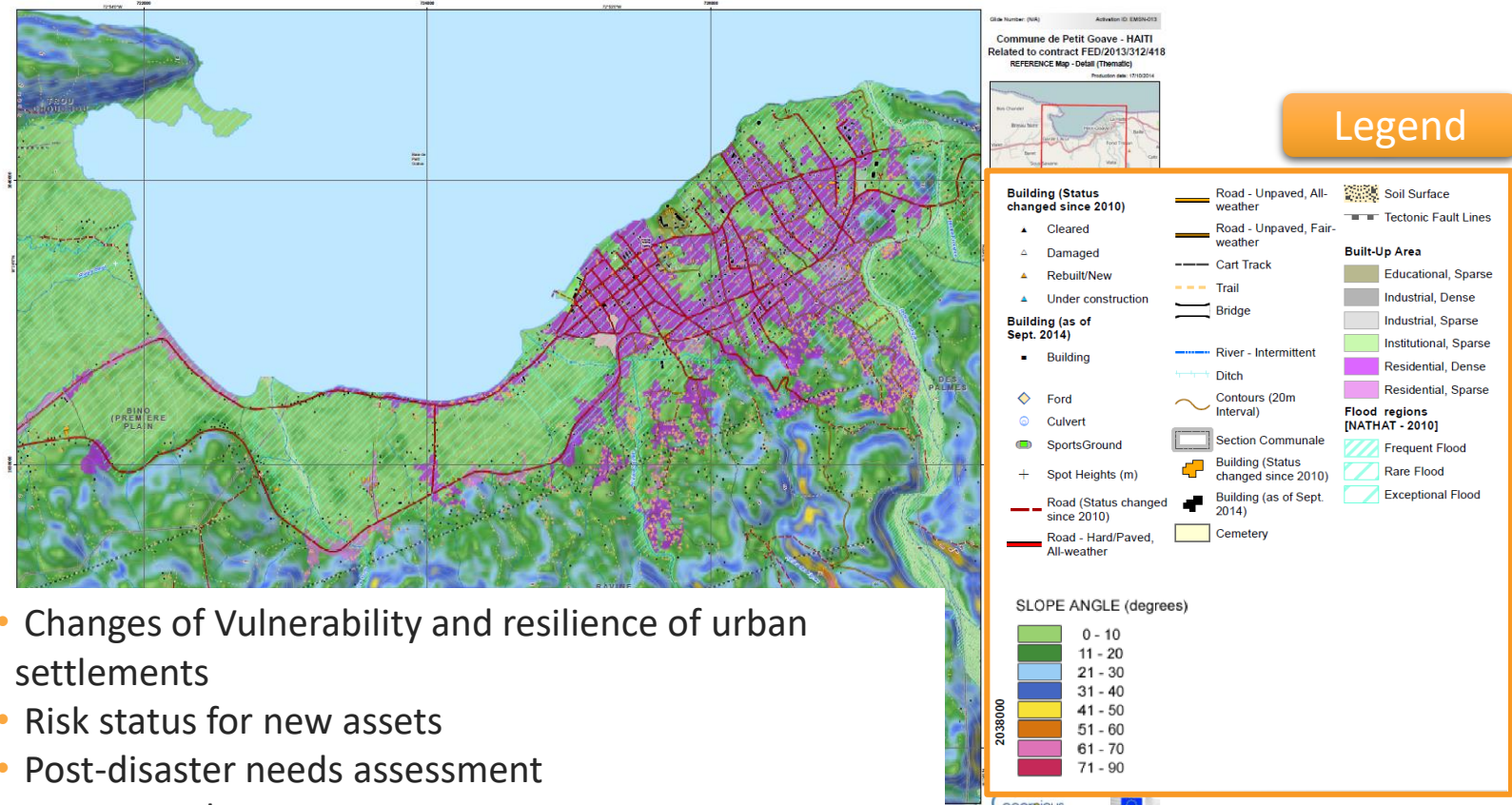


Application examples





# Post-Disaster Situation Map



- Changes of Vulnerability and resilience of urban settlements
- Risk status for new assets
- Post-disaster needs assessment
- Recovery plans
- Reconstruction/rehabilitation monitoring



After receipt of Technical Annex the Service Providers (SP) have the following deadlines:

- 7 working days for questions
- 10 working days for sending an offer
- JRC: evaluation(3days), preparation of contract (5days)
- SP: 20working days from contract signature



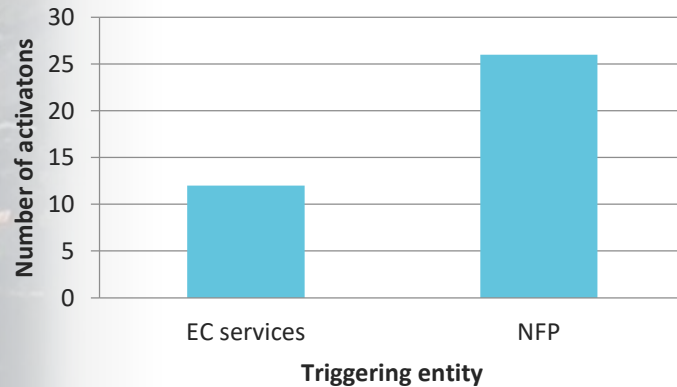
a technical report is issued to summarize the results explain the workflow and techniques used to derive map products



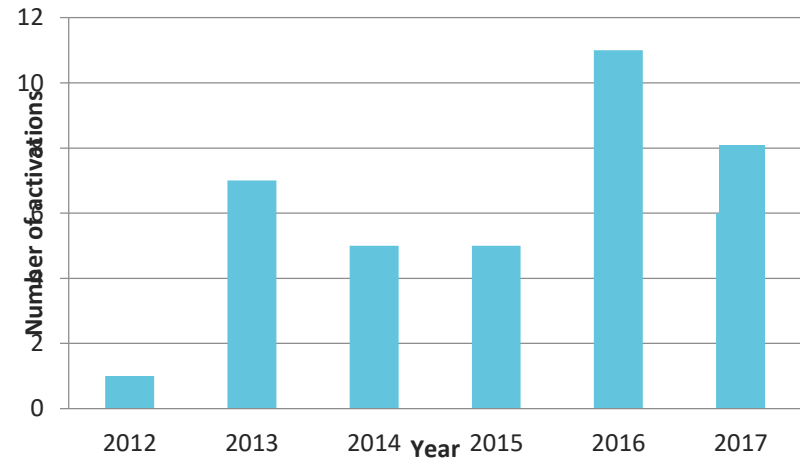


The Risk and Recovery Mapping service has been activated **43 times** since the beginning of the service

**Who triggered the EMSN activations (2012-2017)**

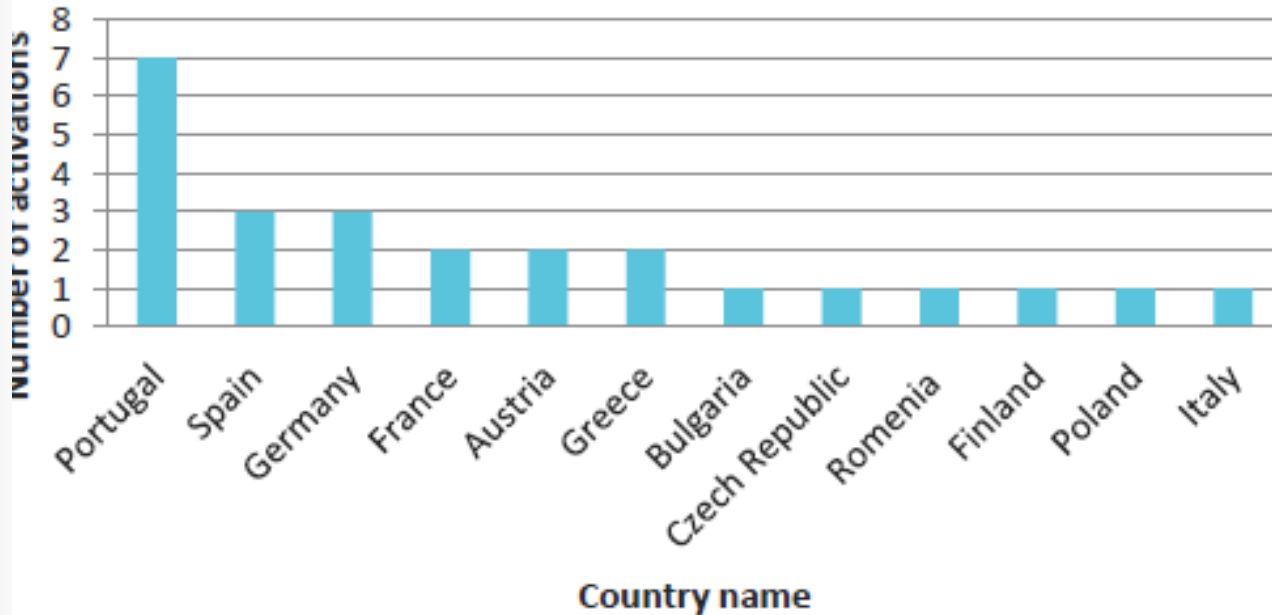


**EMSN activations**



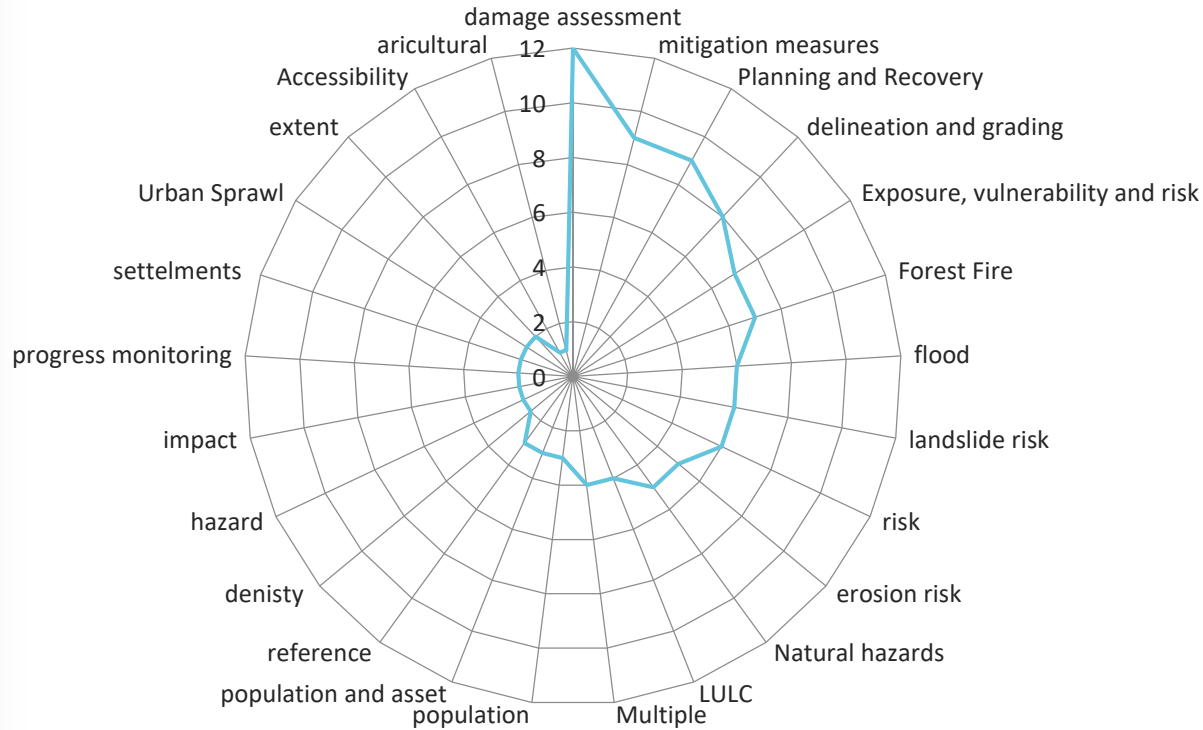


## Number of EMSN activation per EU country (2012-2017)





# R R M subjects of interest





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# How to access the RRM Service

- The Service can be directly activated by nominated Authorised Users (AU)
- Entities which are not Authorised Users and who wish to become one must contact the AU in Ireland is the National Directorate for Fire and Emergency Management  
Department of Environment, Heritage and Local Government
- All Commission External Action's Situation room are Authorized Users
- The AU must fill the Services Request Form (SRF) available on the EMS portal [www.emergency.copernicus.eu](http://www.emergency.copernicus.eu)

The screenshot shows the 'Service Request Form (SRF)' for 'Copernicus EMS Risk and Recovery Mapping'. The form is titled 'Service Request Form (SRF)' and 'Copernicus EMS Risk and Recovery Mapping'. It includes the European Commission logo and contact information for the ERCC (Mon-Fri 9-17h): Email: echo-ercc@ec.europa.eu, Tel: +32-2-29-21112. The form contains several sections: 'Please provide the information requested in the areas marked in blue', 'Region/district, country:', 'Brief description of the activation: (event type, affected population, etc.)', 'Intended use of the maps to be produced:', 'Product Details', 'Map types', and a table for selecting map types. The 'Map types' section includes a brief description of the product type and a table with columns 'Type' and 'Short description/name'. The table lists three map types: Reference map, Pre-disaster situation map, and Post-disaster situation map, each with a checkbox.

Type	Short description/name
<input type="checkbox"/> Reference map	
<input type="checkbox"/> Pre-disaster situation map	
<input type="checkbox"/> Post-disaster situation map	





- Typical example of product delivery (forest fire in Portugal)

Product name	Scale	No of maps
Rference	1:10.000	11
LULC	1:15.000	11
Forest fire delineation and grading		11
Erosion risk		11
Landslide risk		11
Loss assessment	1:10.000 1:20.000	9

- Csv and metadata
- Geodatabase (gdb)
- Final Report
- Field work results




# EMSR034 - Coastal flood risk analysis PT

**Event Type:** Flood (Tsunami and storm surges hazard)

**Activation Time (UTC):** 2017-04-21 00:00

**Activation Status:** Closed

**Affected Countries/Territories:**

 Portuguese Republic

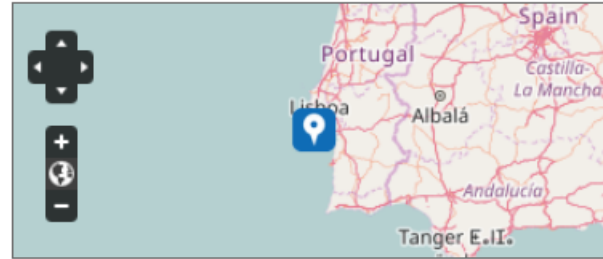
**Area Descriptor:** Costa da Caparica, Setúbal, Portugal

**Authorized User:**

Autoridade Nacional Protecção Civil (ANPC)

**Activation Reason:**

The scope of the service request EMSN034 is to generate: Pre-disaster situation analyses and maps to provide thematic information supporting planning for contingencies on vulnerable coastal areas along with a European framework directive on the assessment and management of the flood risk. Risk assessment products: exposure, vulnerability and risk maps and modeling scenarios for population and assets concerning the following hazards: 1) Tsunami and storm surges hazard, 2) Coastal erosion hazard.



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Coverage map:  GeoRSS: 

## Products

- Flood risk maps considering hazard, exposure and vulnerability (physical, social, economic, environmental) with respect to assets and population. Two methodologies used (the one provided and one alternative considering physical and socio-economic vulnerability)
- Coastal erosion hazard maps
- Maps with mitigation measures, plans for disaster preparedness and response mechanisms
- UAV orthophotos and DSM

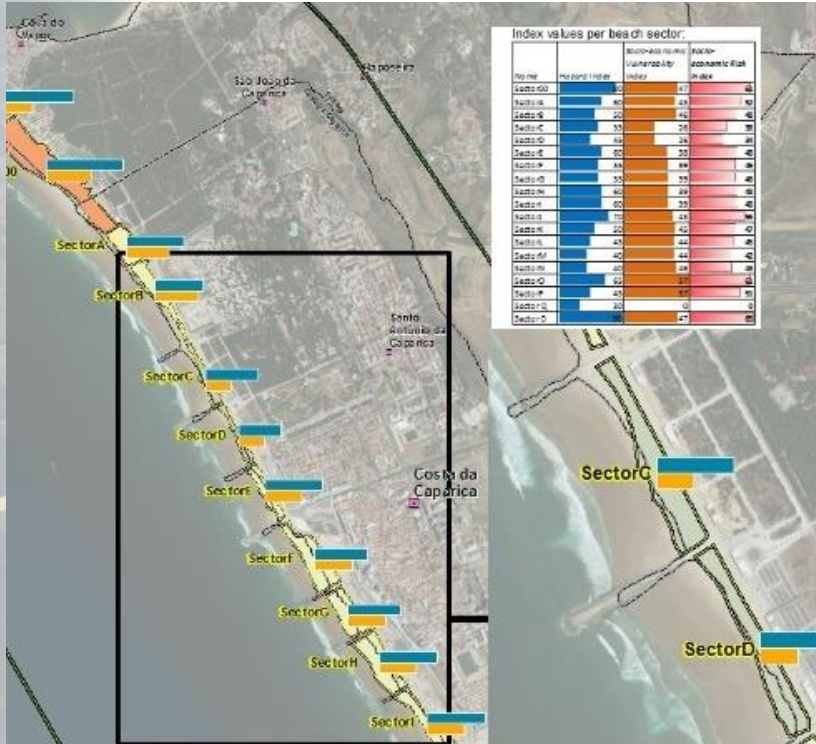


## Coastal flood risk map: methodology 1:

Modelling the different components that contribute to total water level during a storm: barometric setup, wind, waves, tide, plus a component of sea level rise to account for future climate change.

The input data were provided for five different probability scenarios, from frequent (5 years return period) to improbable (100 years return period).

The slope of the beach and the artificial protection structures °(input to the model) was extracted from the DSM



## Coastal flood risk map: methodology 2

Creation of a Flood Hazard Index (FHI) composed of four variables:

- the alongshore variability of breaking wave height
- beach and nearshore slope
- presence or absence of artificial structure

The final value of the FHI was combined with socioeconomic indicators.

A risk matrix combined the vulnerability dimensions on specific risk measures. Each of the census units and coastal sections can be characterized by a risk value and its contributing factors.





# An EMS success story: Seine River May 2016

## Emergency Management

### 2016.05.30 EFAS early warning for potential rapid mapping activation for France

EW

Heavy rains are affecting central and northern parts especially during Monday 30 May until Wednesday 1 June. EFAS predicts a high risk of flooding from Tuesday 31 May onward for the Seine and Loire river basins.

- Affected region(s): Indre-et-Loire, Seine-et-Marne, Essonne, Loir-et-Cher, Loiret
- Predicted start of the event: Tuesday 31 May
- Next situation update: 31 May 2016

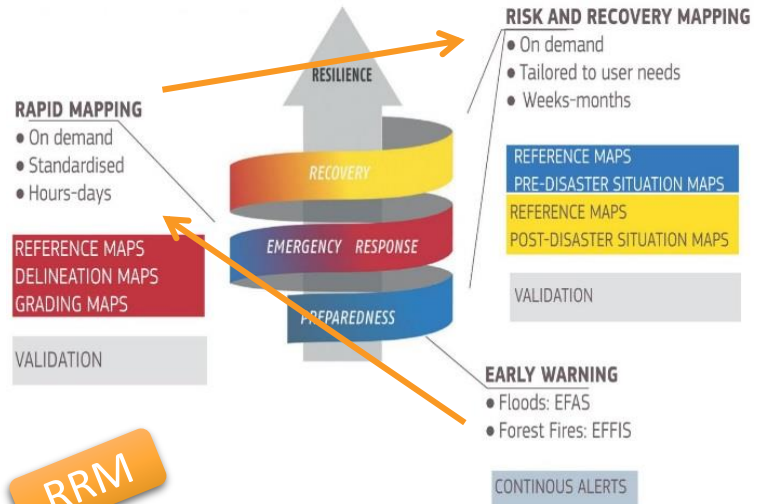
RM

2016.05.30 13:03 the Rapid Mapping service is proactively activated on the basis of the EFAS Early Warning

- A potential affected Areas of Interest was proactively defined
- Satellite data were promptly tasked

2016.06.01 16:45 the Rapid Mapping is activated by the COGIC (EMSR165)

- Definitive AOIs are defined by the users
- Satellite data acquired are used to generate 16 delineation and 5 grading maps



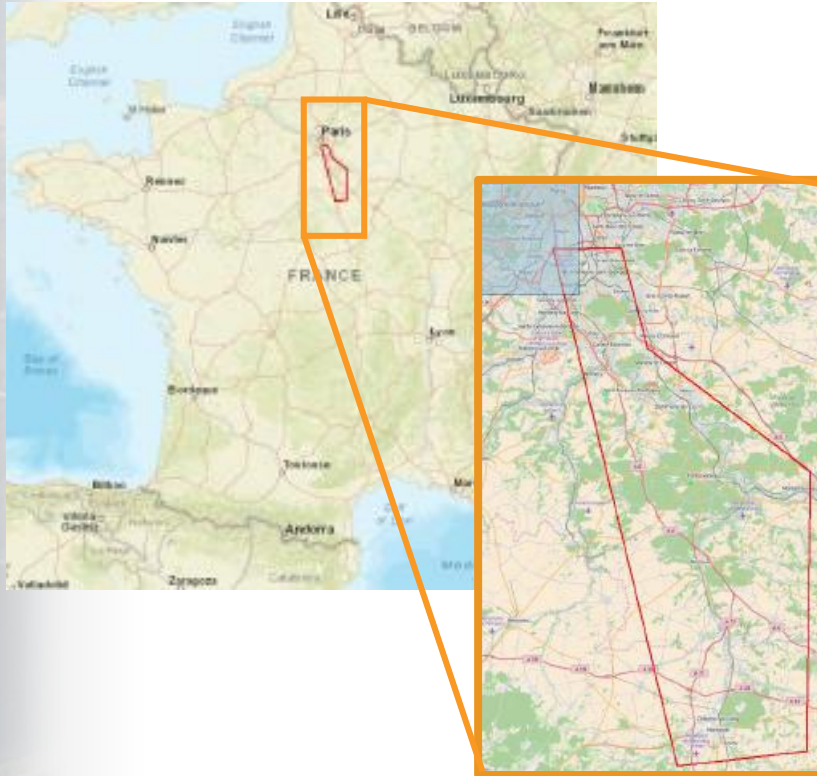
RRM

July 2016: the RRM is activated by the COGIC on behalf of Ministère de l'Environnement (EMSR028)

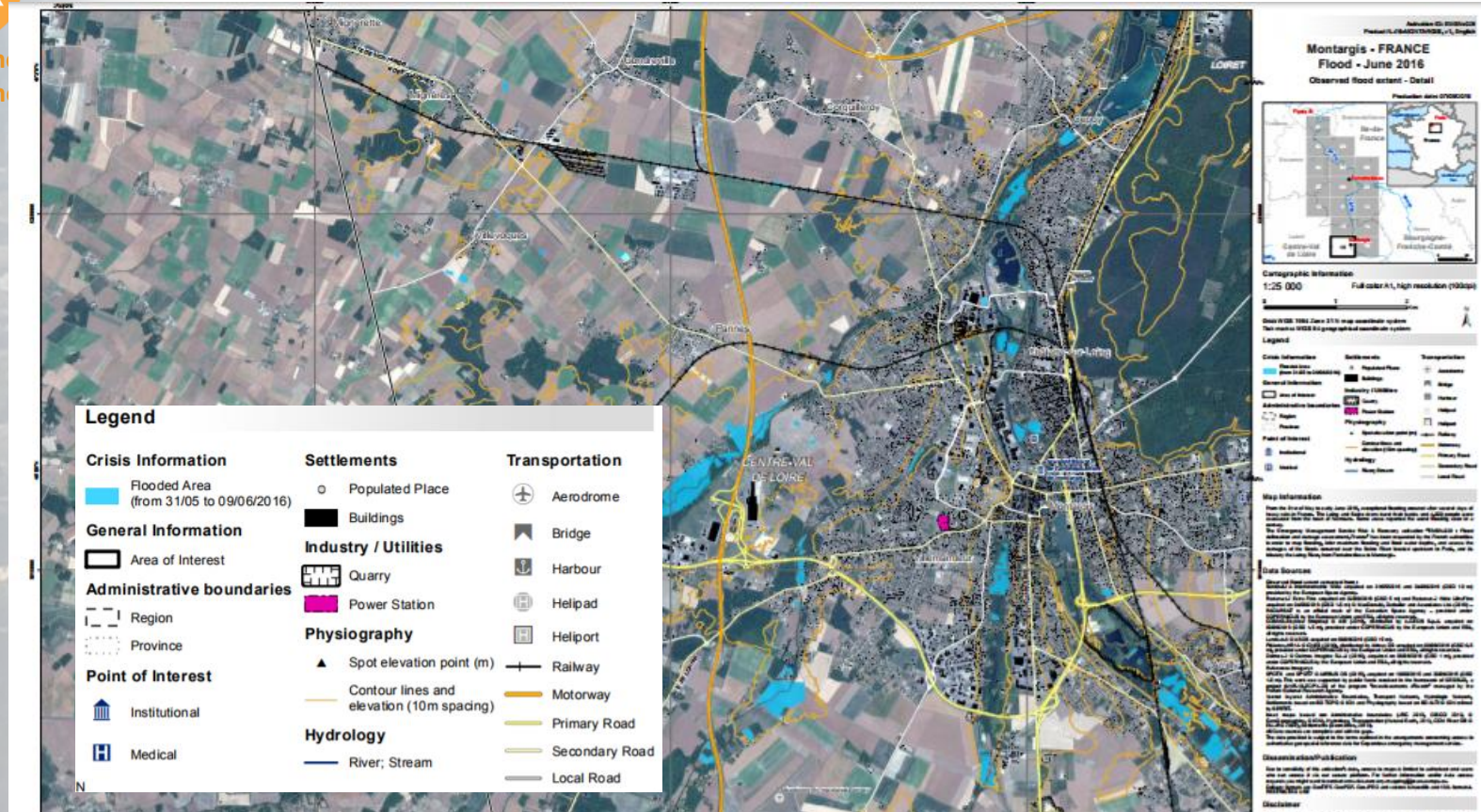
- ✓ Definition of the potential affected Areas of Interest and the satellite acquisition type
- ✓ Submission of SPERF to ESA-REACT
- ✓ Confirmation of the satellite imagery order



# EMS N028 Flood delineation and damage assessment FR



- 2.200 sqkm surface
- 1 overview portrait 1:150.000
- 16 detail maps 1:25.000
- 4 thematic products
  - Observed flood extent and traces mapping;
  - Maximum flood extent and estimated water depth mapping;
  - Impact assessment on land use mapping and associated statistics;
  - Statistics related to the impact assessment on population.











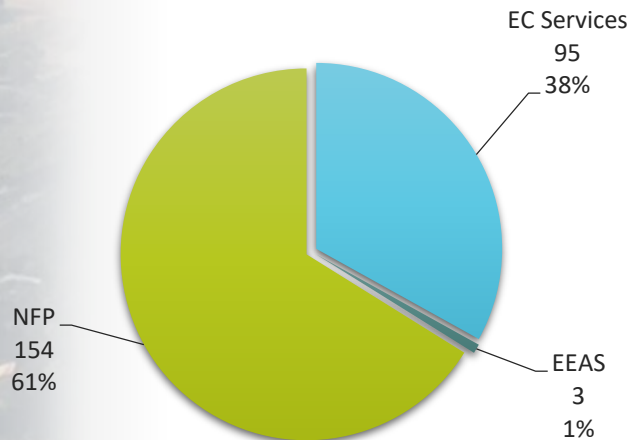


- 24/7 on-demand and fast provision of geospatial information
- On-demand
- Standardised workflow & products
- Uses dedicated mechanisms for rapid tasking & delivery of satellite images
- Delivery of products in hours/days
- Delivery on SFTP, EMS Mapping Portal

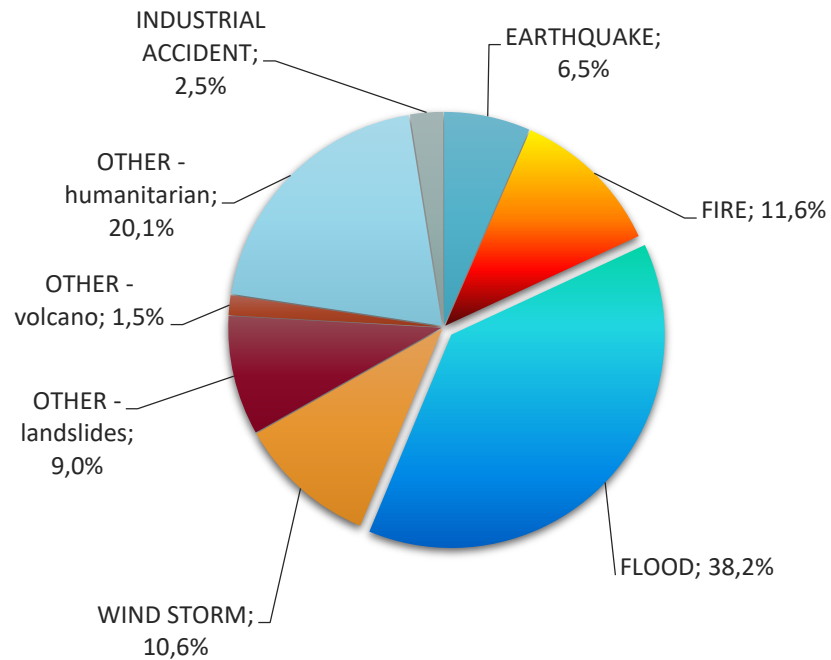
Map type	Content	Service Level 1	Service Level 5
Reference	Pre-event situation	9h	5 days
Delineation	Impact area	12h (3h)**	5 days
Grading	Damage assessment	12h (3h)**	5 days



## Triggering entity group



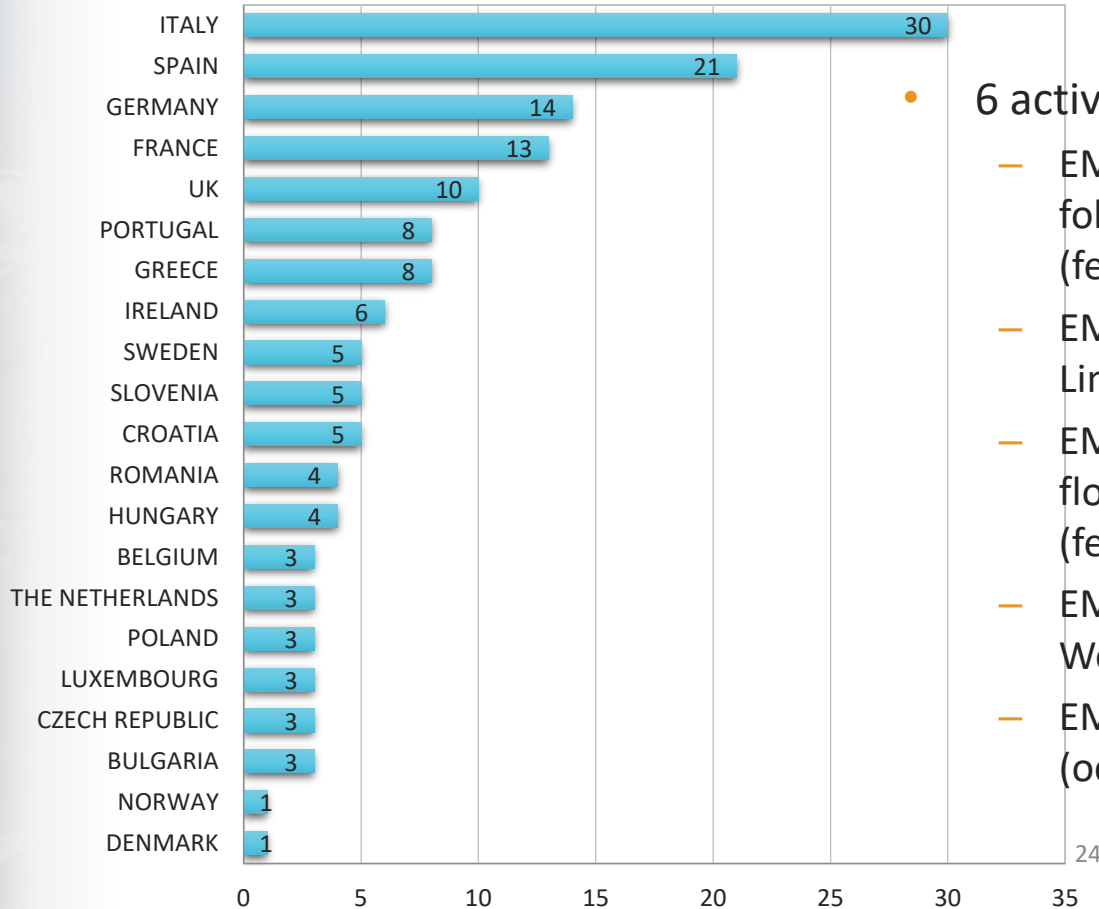
## Type of disaster





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- 6 activations in Ireland
  - EMSR077 – forest damages following violent storms (feb2014)
  - EMSR149 – floods in Limerick/Athlone (apr2015)
  - EMSR154 and EMSR156 – flood in Roscommon (feb/mar2016)
  - EMSR231 – floods in North Western (aug2018)
  - EMSR249 – Hurricane Ophelia (oct2017)





To access the Copernicus EMS Risk & Recovery Mapping Portal go to  
<http://emergency.copernicus.eu/mapping>

To navigate and view the RRM products  
<http://emergency.copernicus.eu/mapping/list-of-activations-risk-and-recovery>

To get support in accessing the EMS mapping please contact ERCC  
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