

CLIMATE & DISASTER RISK FINANCING ONLINE TRAINING

SESSION 3: ***FINANCIAL RISK MANAGEMENT AND DATA***

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FOR PEOPLE EXPOSED TO RISKS



Outline

Part I:

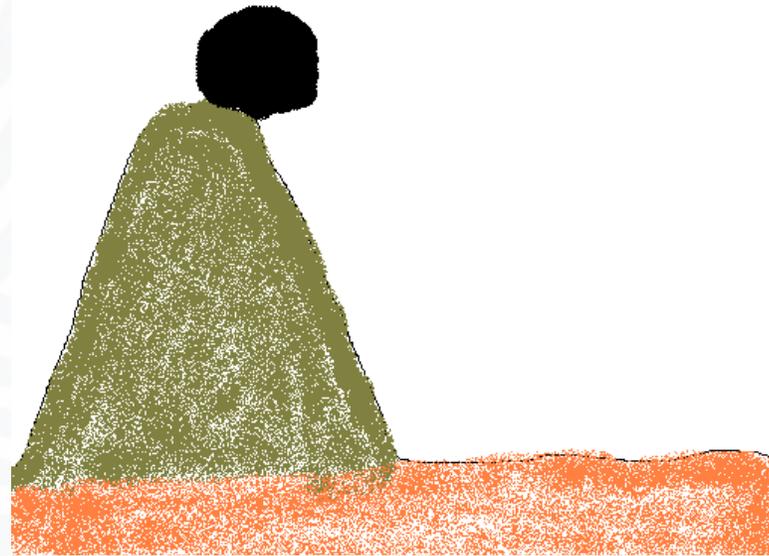
1. Key concepts in financial risk management of crises
2. When to implement a CDRF Policy
3. Internal and external stakeholders

Part II:

1. Data

Hazard

A process, phenomenon or human activity that may cause loss of life injury or other health impacts, property damage, socio-economic or environmental disruption



Vulnerability & Exposure

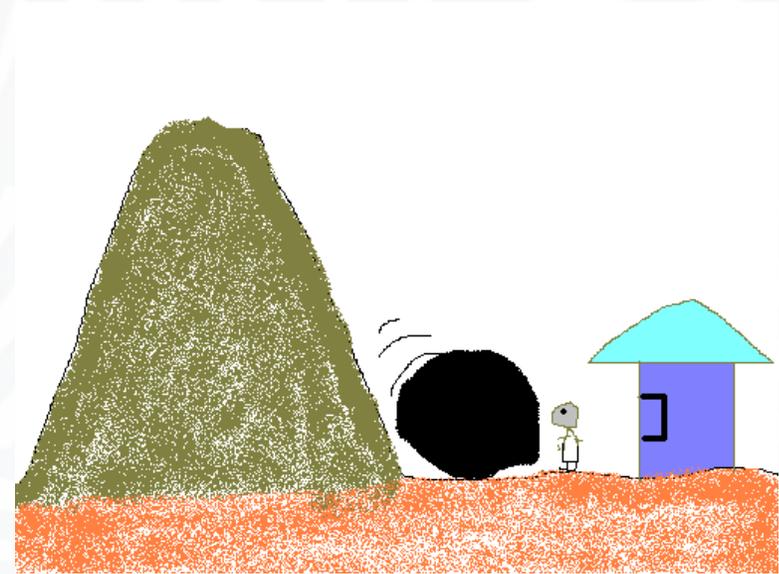
Set of characteristics and circumstances of a community, system or asset that make it susceptible to the damaging effects of a hazard.

Degree of exposure to various types of hazards



Disaster

“ serious disruption of the functioning of a community or society involving widespread human, material, economic or environmental losses and impacts, which exceeds the ability of the affected community or society (UNDRR)



Resilience

Ability of a system, community or society exposed to hazards to resist, absorb, accommodate and recover from the effects of a hazard in a timely and efficient manner.



Financial Risk Management of crises

- Protect the economy by managing exposure to risk associated with disasters (before and after the disaster)
 - Risk assessment
 - Risk awareness
 - Risk prevention
- Develop a Disaster Risk Financing Strategy (see [OECD guidelines](#))

Financial Risk Management

- **[Cost] Risk Profile** - threats to which individuals/regions are exposed. A risk profile is a useful way to mitigate potential risks and threats.
- **Relief Cost** - per person/per region – emergency or immediate expense
- **Average annual cost** per disaster – helps in planning or securing extra finance
- **Annual average loss** - absolute US\$ or % of GFCF or % of GDP – assets exposed to disasters
- **Exceedance probability** of disasters - the probability that a certain value will be exceeded in a predefined future time period. The exceedance probability can be used to predict extreme events floods, droughts, etc. (Lambert et al., 1994; Kunreuther, 2002)
- **Threshold & Trigger**
- **Cost estimates** of actions – relief, scaling up interventions, etc

Risk profile

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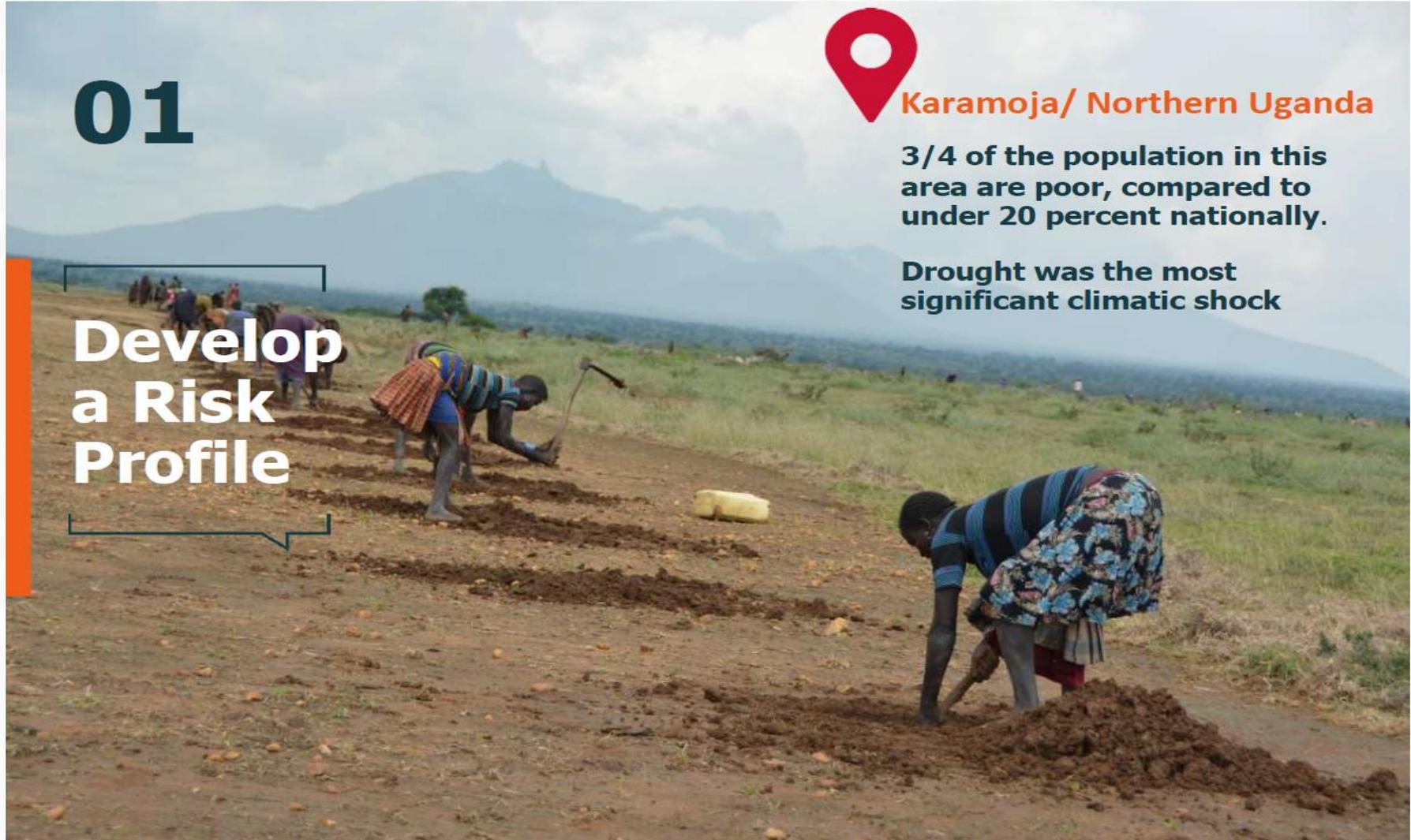
**Develop
a Risk
Profile**



Karamoja/ Northern Uganda

3/4 of the population in this area are poor, compared to under 20 percent nationally.

Drought was the most significant climatic shock



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Policy priorities

02

The **policy objective** was to prevent household consumption from dropping after climatic disasters and to protect livelihoods and assets leading to a more rapid post-crisis recovery. The goal was to facilitate the shift away from food aid in Northern Uganda and toward public works programs and cash transfers

Decide
On
Policy
Priorities



Trigger

03

Design the scalability mechanism

Type of data and threshold to use in devising the trigger for the DRF mechanism

How scale-up process will unfold once triggered.

Type of monitoring to conduct

Geographical area scale-up is intended to cover & through what administrative unit

Number of Beneficiaries



Cost estimates

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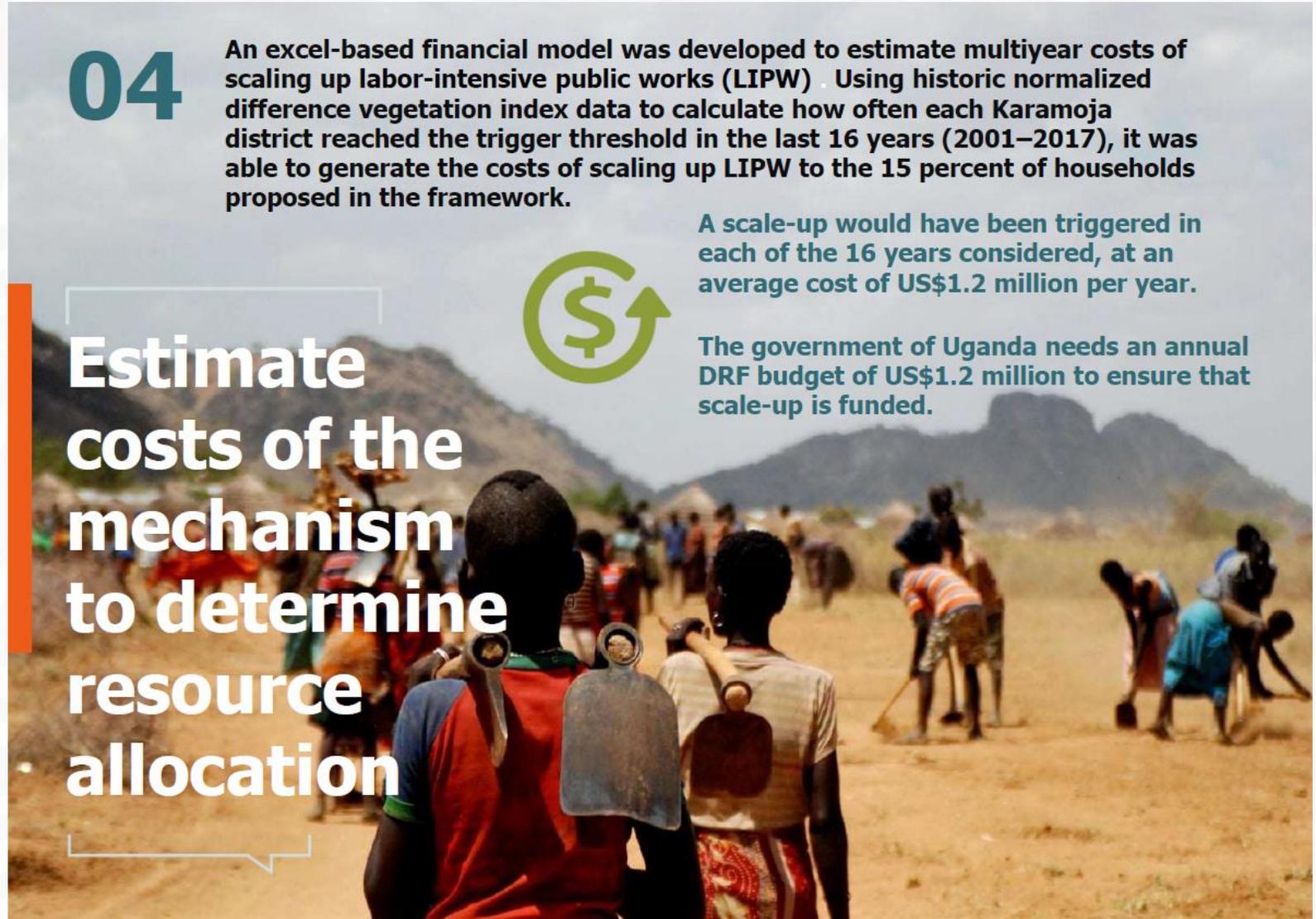
An excel-based financial model was developed to estimate multiyear costs of scaling up labor-intensive public works (LIPW). Using historic normalized difference vegetation index data to calculate how often each Karamoja district reached the trigger threshold in the last 16 years (2001–2017), it was able to generate the costs of scaling up LIPW to the 15 percent of households proposed in the framework.

A scale-up would have been triggered in each of the 16 years considered, at an average cost of US\$1.2 million per year.

The government of Uganda needs an annual DRF budget of US\$1.2 million to ensure that scale-up is funded.



Estimate
costs of the
mechanism
to determine
resource
allocation



5 steps towards financial resilience

- Objective: Towards Strengthening Financial Resilience

Take Stock of how disaster response is currently financed



Gather risk information/carry out risk assessments



Decide on policy priorities



Build financial protection strategy



Work with and improve existing processes for DRF



WHEN TO IMPLEMENT A CDRF POLICY

When the Decision Scenario or threshold is triggered.

i. Who/what do we want to protect?

- Which perils?
- What sort of protection – rebuilding, food security, recovery, etc?

ii. What are our options?

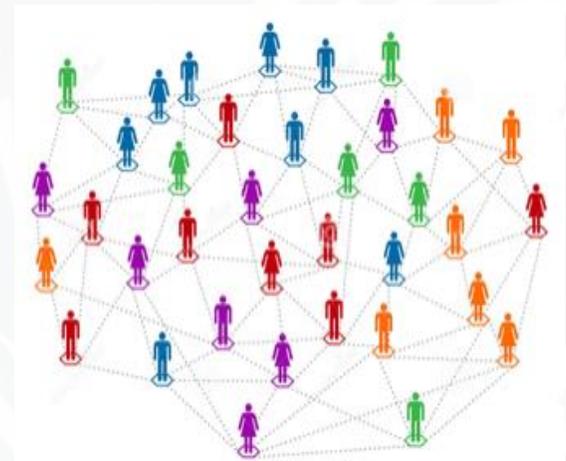
- Do nothing (now)
- Quantify risk and allocate resources internally
- Quantify risk and allocate resources across financing options

iii. Establish amount to be met from own budget, from financing options, left unprotected

iv. Develop contingency plans for each option

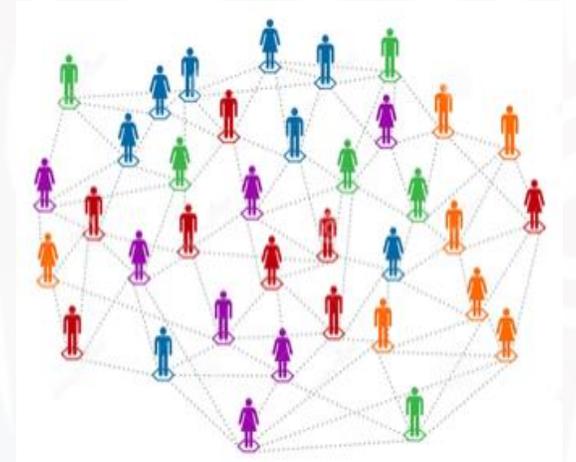
INTERNAL & EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS

- To develop a DRF policy, you need to exploit stakeholders, their interests in the DRF policy & the trade-offs you will have to make.
- People or groups with the power to respond to, negotiate with, and change the strategic future of DRF in the country
- NOT those who are affected by the presence or absence of DRF schemes, but who don't have any power to negotiate with those in positions of power
- NOT those who might provide services to support the creation of DRF instruments.
- Map them according to their Interest vs Influence



INTERNAL & EXTERNAL STAKEHOLDERS

- Stakeholder mapping:
 - By interest – identify your top 10
 - By influence – identify your top 10



Mapping External Stakeholders

	Development organizations	Donors	Modelling companies	Market parties
Interest	Sovereign prosperity; Financial and physical resilience	Accountable and appropriate use of disaster relief funds	Access to quality data; Proprietary knowledge	Market penetration & growth at a risk-reflexive price
Influence	Provide resources, DRF know-how, experience on structure/organizing and legitimacy	Raising awareness; Start-up & operational funds	Risk identification; Measuring exposure; Pricing	Provide capital (payout); Risk transfer and risk management expertise

Mapping Internal Stakeholders

	Regional trade/ policy bodies	Politicians	Finance ministry	Other ministries & DRM functions
Interest	Sovereign prosperity; Regional stability	Remaining in power; Benefiting citizens	Appropriate/ cost- efficient use of funds/ budgets	Reconstruction; Resilience
Influence	Provide resources, Regional engagement, and legitimacy	Legitimacy; accountability; Decision-making power	Financial commitment; effective use of resources	Trust; Decision-making expertise; On the ground knowledge

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Any Questions?

DATA USE IN CDRF: INTRODUCTION

3 questions to ask about data



What type of data do you need?



Where can you find the data?



Is the data **fit** for purpose?



THE VALUE OF ANALYTICS IS ONLY AS GOOD AS THE DATA THAT FEEDS INTO IT

I. WHAT TYPE OF DATA DO YOU NEED



Macro-
economic data



Fiscal /
financial data



Risk / loss
data



**BIG DATA SETS DOES NOT ALWAYS
EQUATE TO USABLE INFORMATION**

II. WHERE CAN YOU FIND THE DATA



Government
agencies



Public
sources



Humanitarian
Organisations



Insurance
companies



Risk Modelling
Firms

III. IS THE DATA FIT FOR PURPOSE



Scaling data to
current time period



De-trending data to remove
trends in historical data



Removing unreliable
data points



Adjustments to combine data
from multiple sources

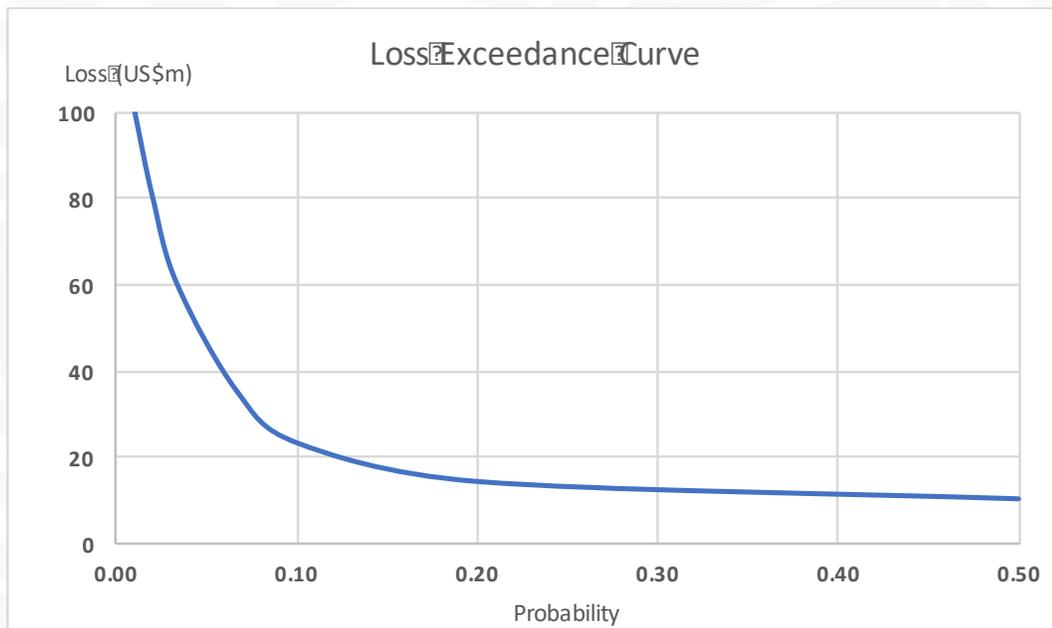


**LIMITATIONS OF THE ANALYSIS GIVEN DATA
FITNESS AND APPROPRIATENESS**

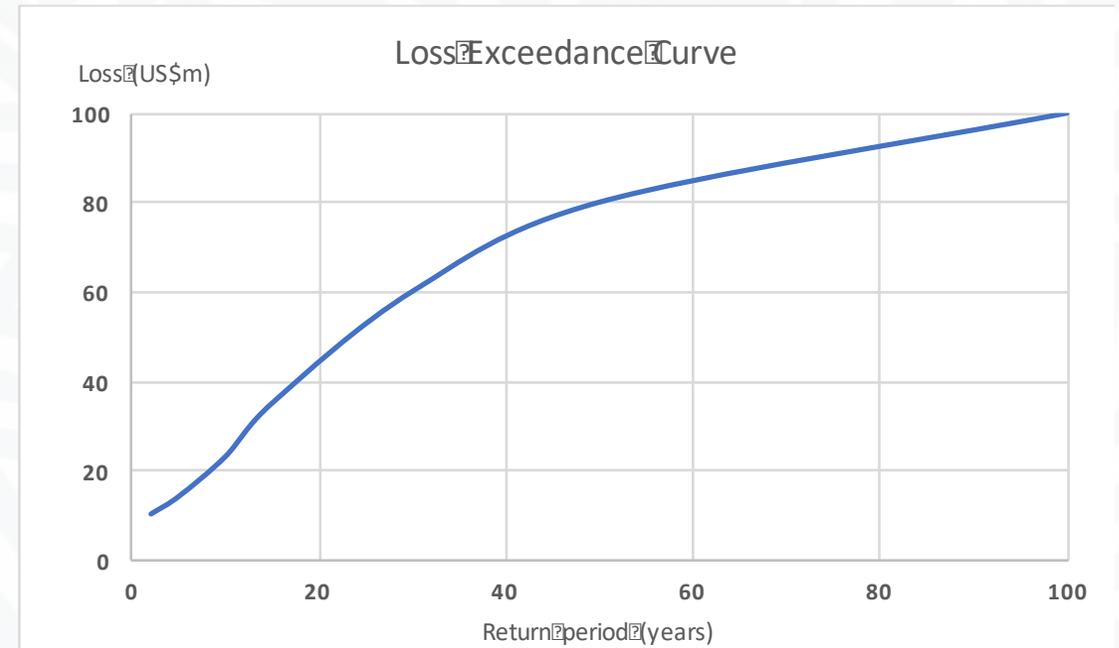
ANALYTICS = FROM DATA TO INFORMATION

Data	Analytics	Information
Macro-economic	Financial capacity building tools	For decision making
Fiscal / Financial	Financial impact analysis	For monitoring & evaluation
Risk/Loss	Economic, fiscal evaluation	For capacity building

Potential Disaster Losses = A Loss Exceedance Curve (LEC)



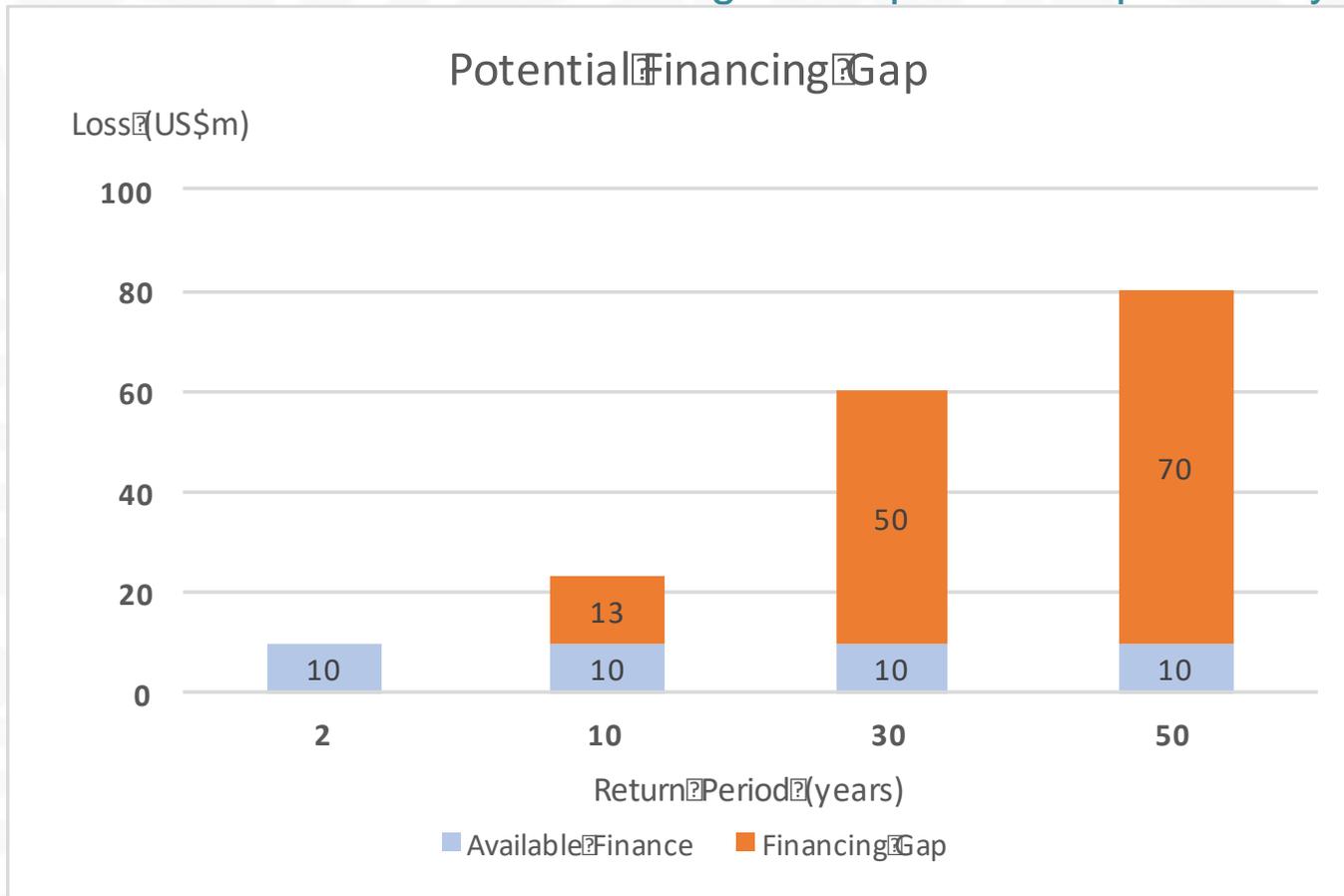
Type 1: x-axis showing probability



Type 2: x-axis showing return period = 1/probability

From Potential Disaster Losses to Financing Requirement

The **Financing Gap** = Potential Loss from Disaster *minus* Available Finance
showing return period = 1/probability



III. WHICH DATA IS NEEDED & WHEN

- Trends and comparisons:
 - public/historical data, fiscal data from government sources
- Probabilistic Risk Assessment:
 - Hazard data - Degree of exposure data
- Empirical disaster risk Assessment:
 - Number and extent of damaged infrastructure
 - Amount of damage by sector

What data you need & when.....

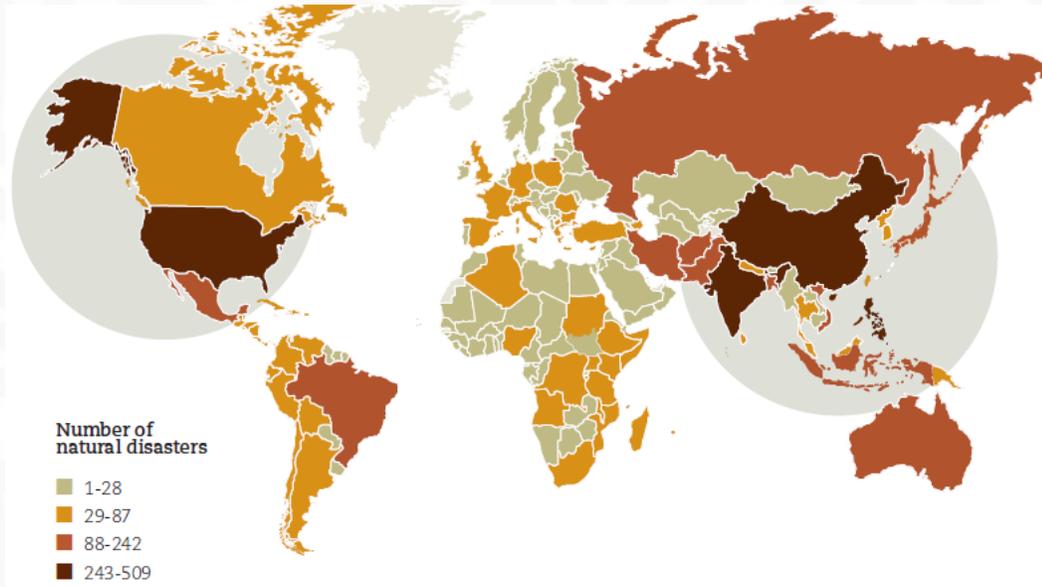
- **HAZARD Data:** intensity/magnitude, frequency/occurrence/return period
 - Source: <https://www.emdat.be/> <https://www.undrr.org/>
- **VULNERABILITY Data:** Degree of exposure to various types of hazards
 - Detailed information on buildings in various categories – commercial, industrial, residential, education/training institutions
 - Sources: www.worldbank.org/data/world
 - Data on vulnerabilities & exposures: www.cepii.fr/DATA
www.fao.org/faostat/en/#data/TM



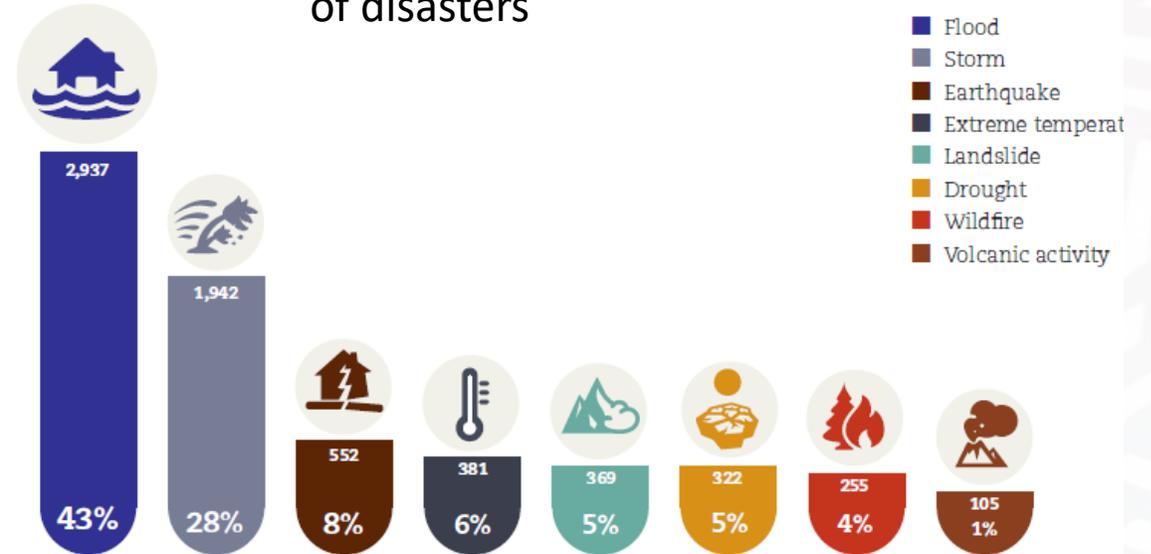
**OPEN ACCESS DATA IS CHEAP BUT OFTEN
STANDARDISED**

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Exposure to different types of disasters



IV. OVERVIEW OF SATELITE TECHNOLOGIES & DATA

Guest video:

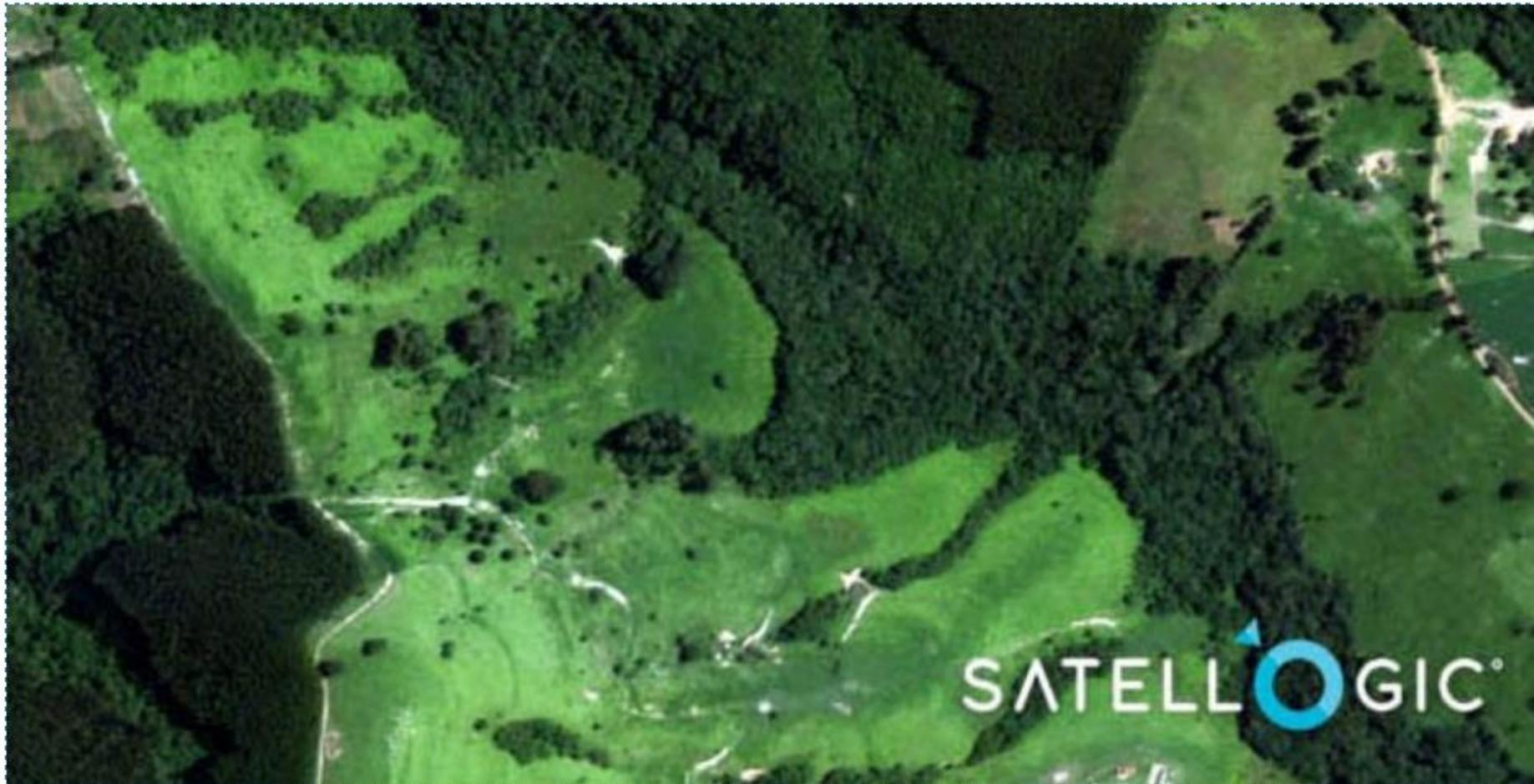
<https://youtu.be/agZ-gEx3AOo>

SATELITE TECHNOLOGIES

Satellite imagery, remote sensing and big data allow us to collect vast amounts of information

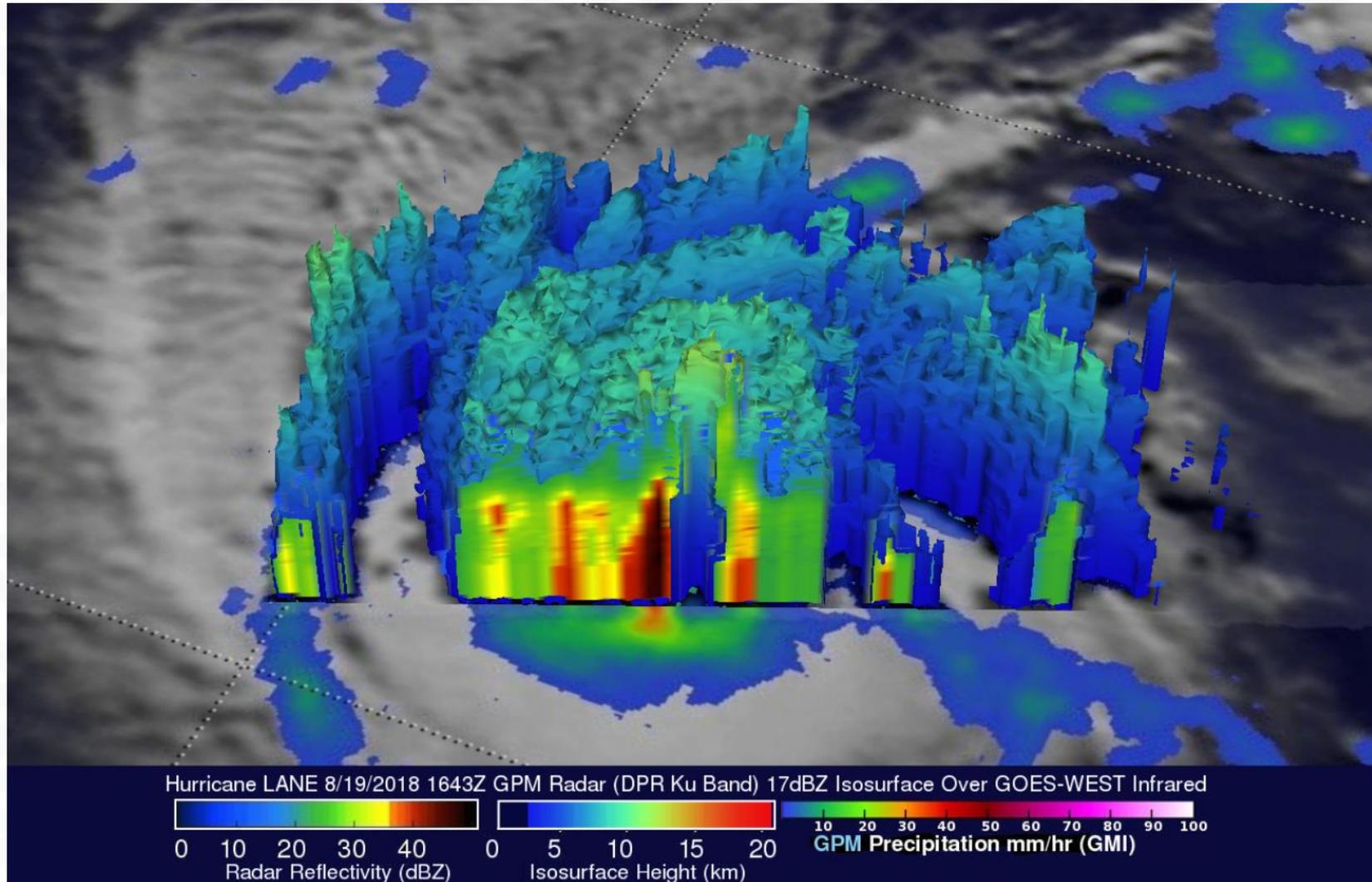
- **Anticipating droughts:** Next Generation Drought index (NGDI)
 - satellite-drought risk indicators are proxies for severity of a drought event before it happens
 - Data measurements of soil moisture, temperature, precipitation and vegetation greenness

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- **Modelling exposure to climate risk:**
 - Satellite imagery provides information on asset-level exposure
 - Provides insights into the actual vulnerabilities
 - Two-thirds of the 50 essential climate variables (see Global Climate Observation System – GCOS) can only be observed from space, i.e. Earth observation is crucial
 - Simultaneous mapping of buildings, crops, assets, as well as droughts and flood-prone areas
- Visual: https://youtu.be/D_TS-V6xAKQ

SATELLITE TECHNOLOGIES

- Supporting the **development of risk Financing Products**:
 - Satellite imagery data currently used in advanced AI-training algorithms to develop satellite-based risk finance products in Morocco & Tunisia
- **Global precipitation measurement (GPM)**:
 - satellite data used to improve forecasting, preparation, response, recovery, mitigation and insurance of natural hazards, including tropical cyclones, floods, droughts, wildfires, landslides, etc.
 - Study the internal structure of storms and changes over time, to make predictions that governments can use in decision making
 - <https://gpm.nasa.gov/applications/disasters>



SATELLITE DATA IS VERY EXPENSIVE

DISCUSSION (15 min)

- Perspectives on accessibility and reliability of data in selected regions
 - What is your country-specific experience on the data that you use?