



# Satellite remote sensing of the Baltic ecosystem

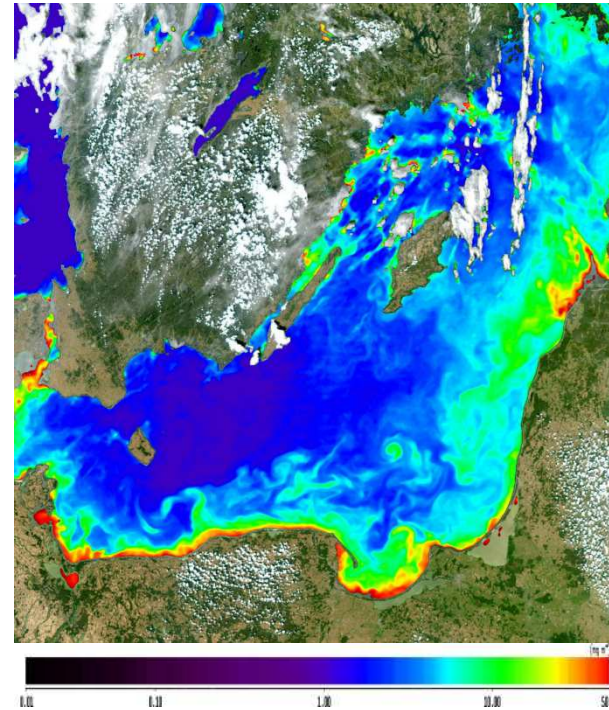
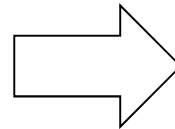
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# Observing and measuring ocean colour from space

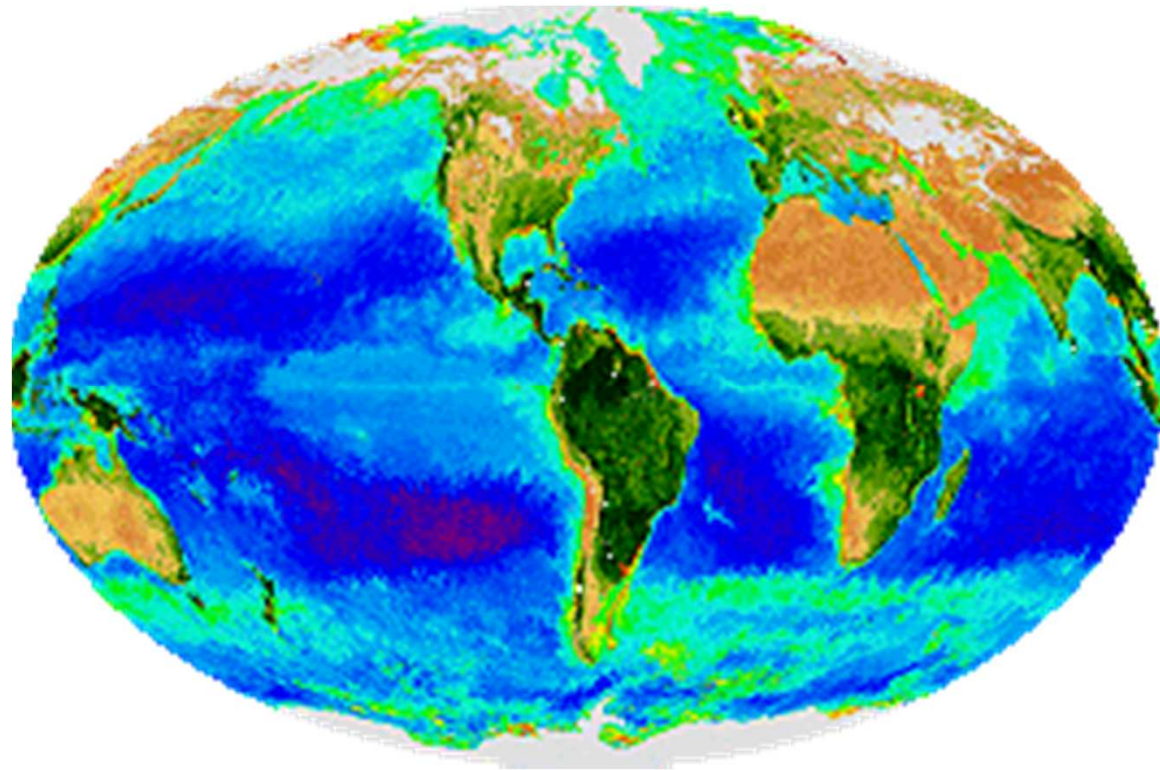


Satellite true color image

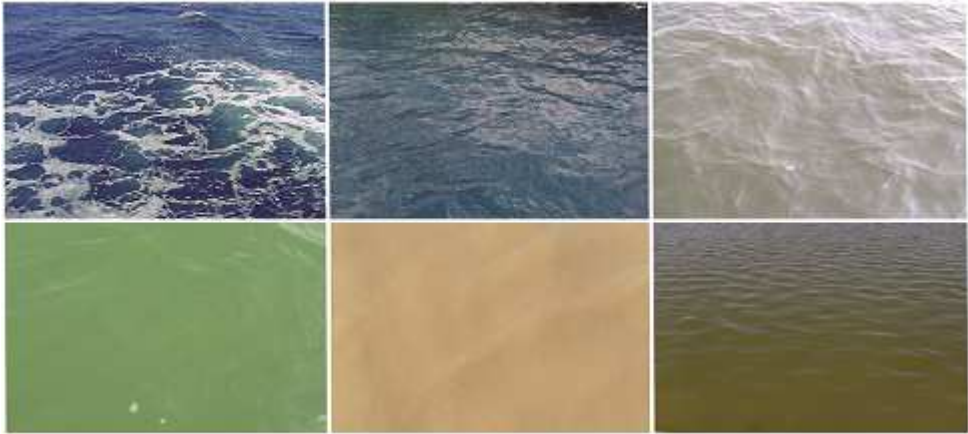
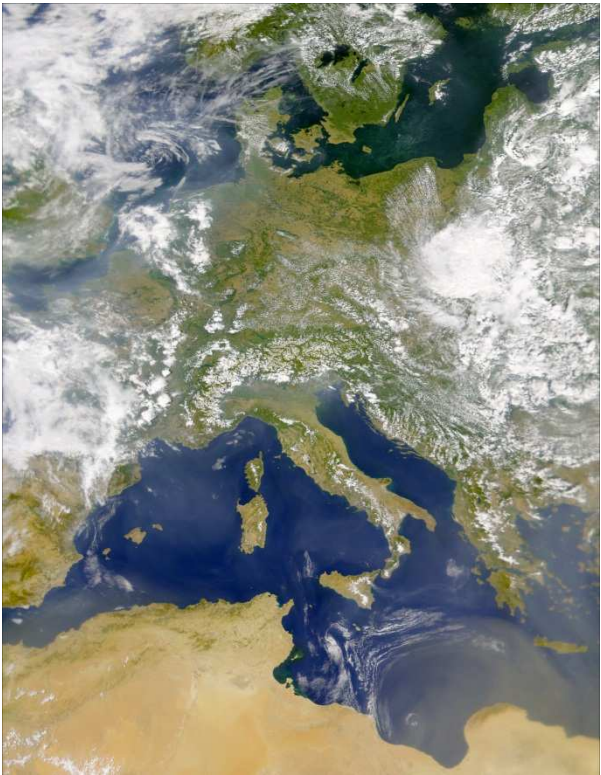


Chlorophyll a spatial variability

## Measuring ocean colour from space

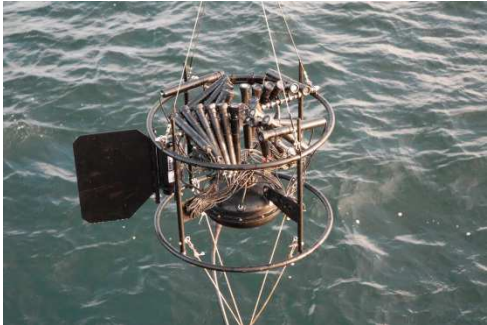
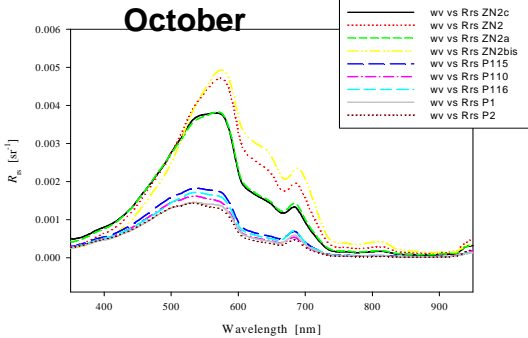
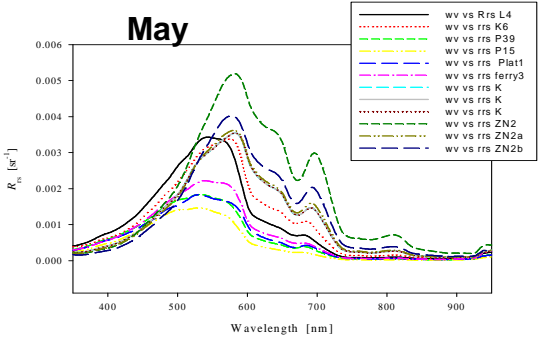
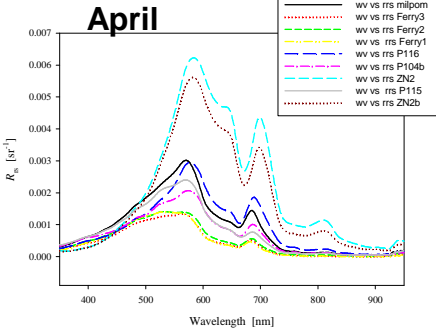
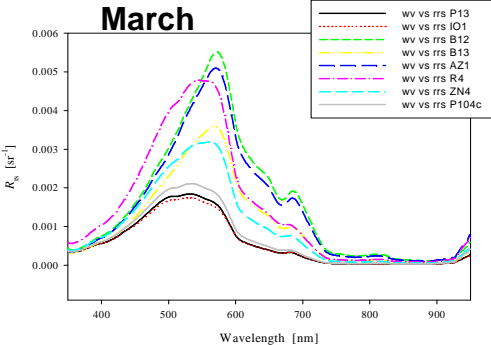


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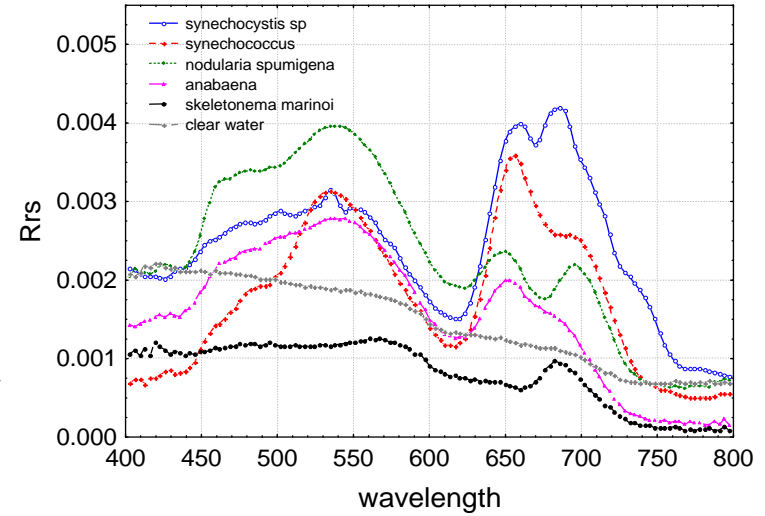
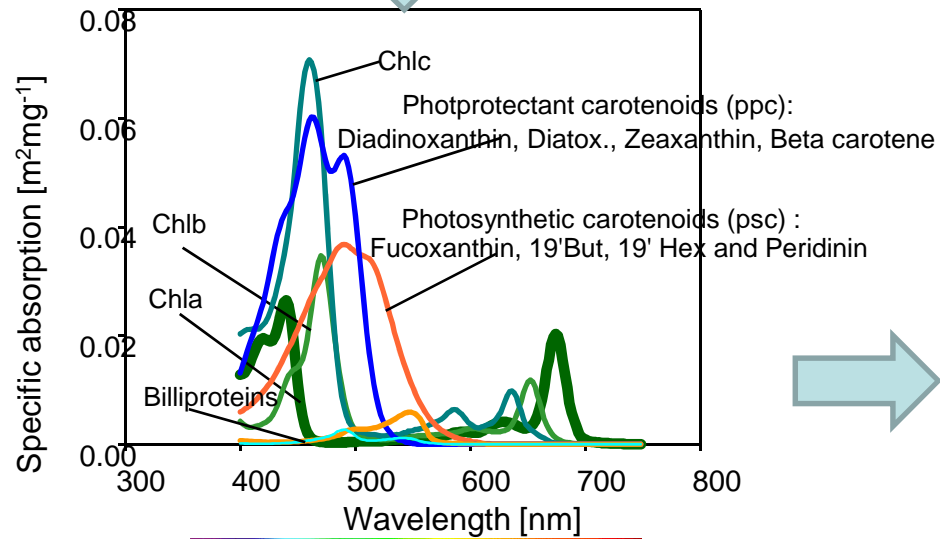
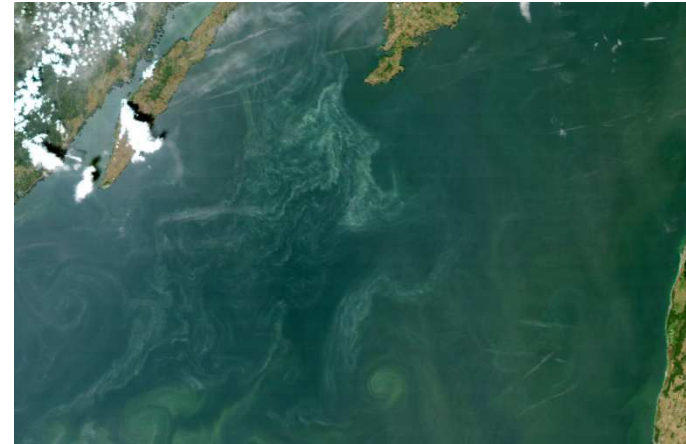
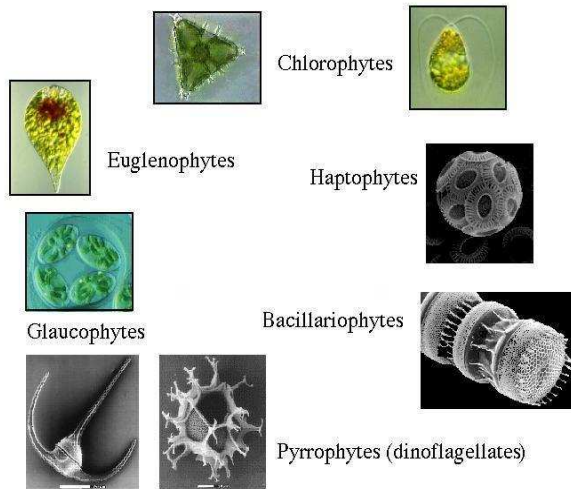


# Ocean colour –spectral characteristics of the upwelling radiance

## Radiometry

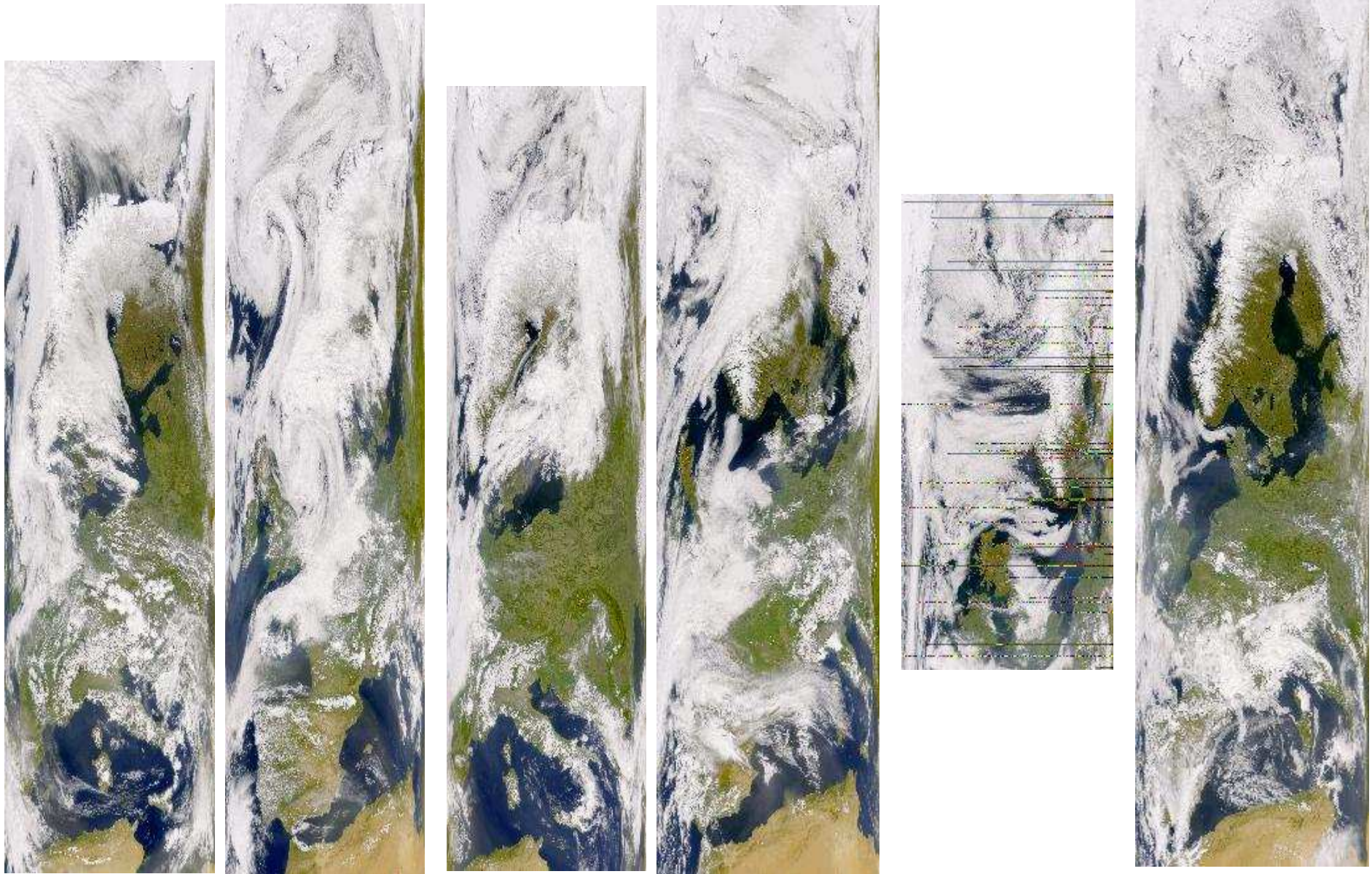


# Ocean colour



Bidigare et al.(1990)

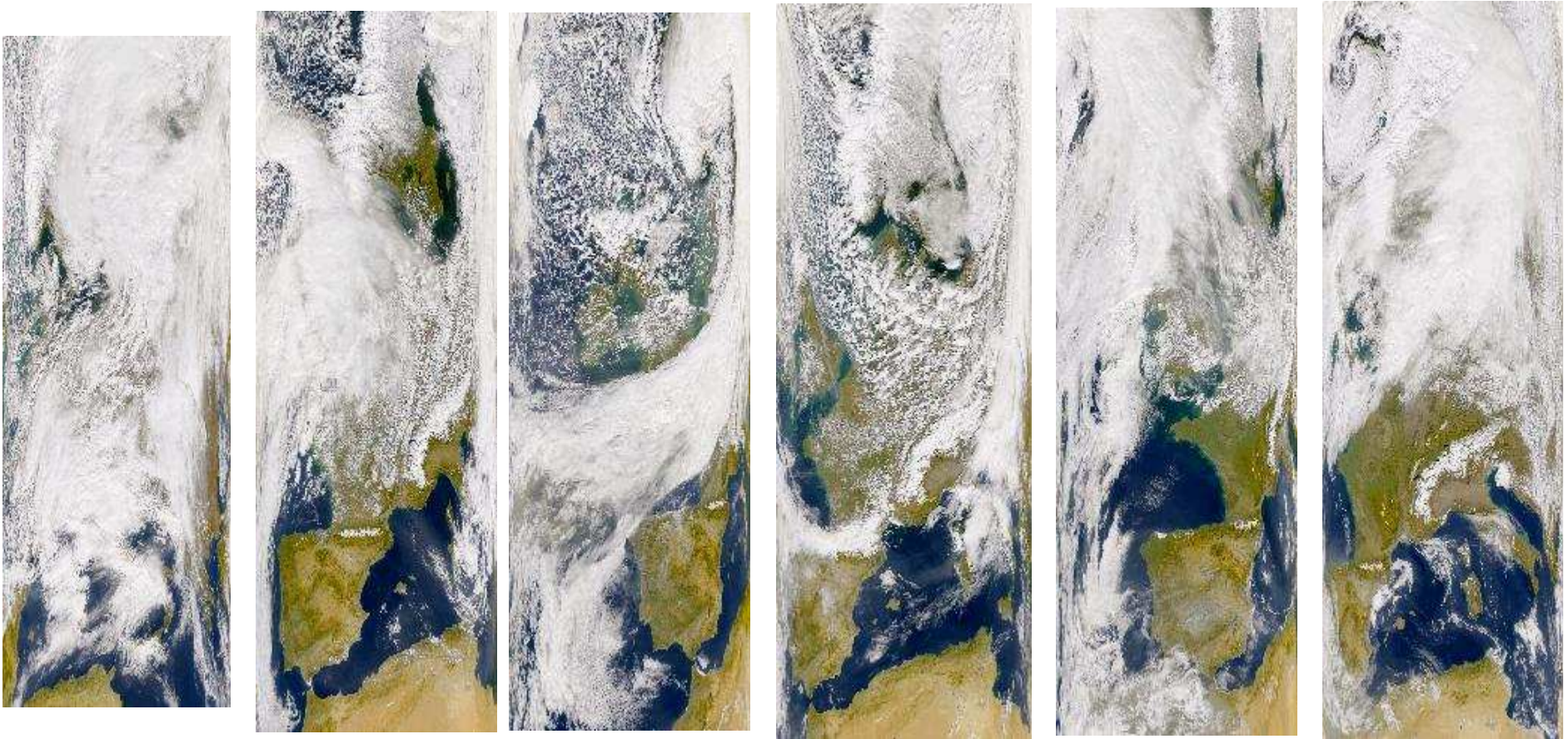
# Baltic, one week in May



**'One' week in March**



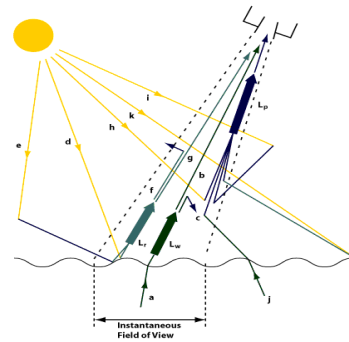
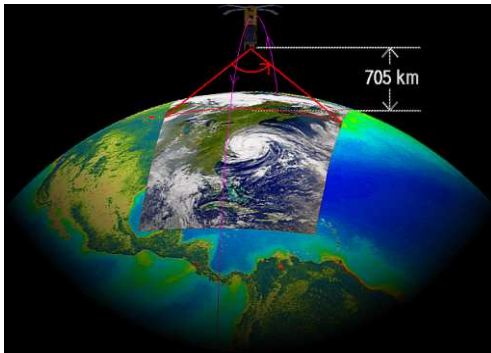
**Baltic Sea –  
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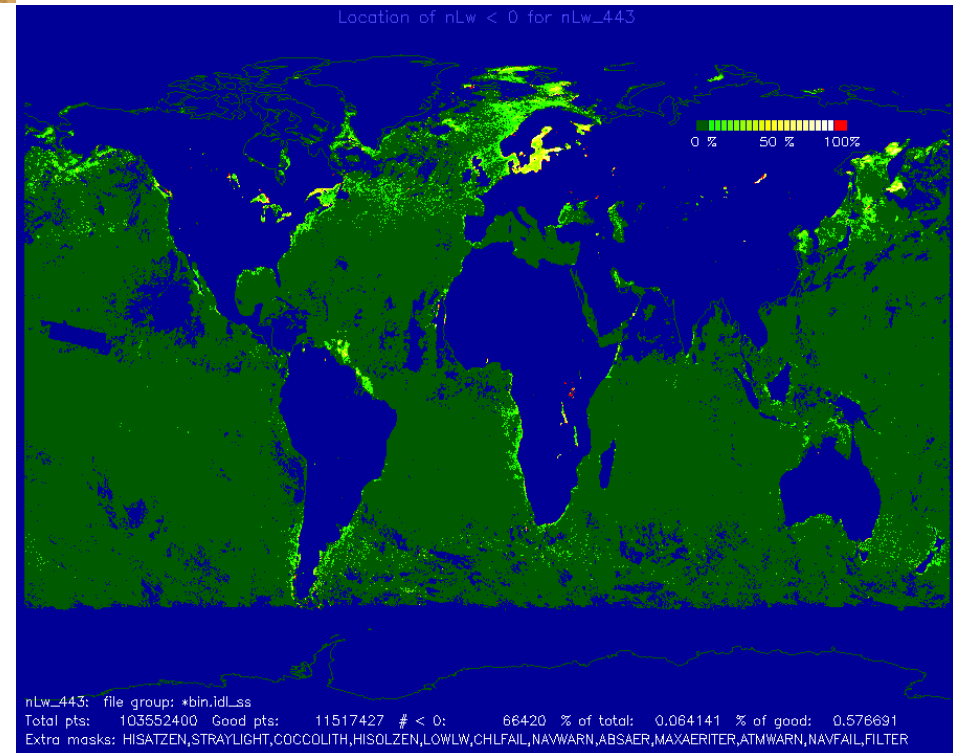




# Baltic Sea – difficult target for ocean color remote sensing



**Problems with atmospheric  
correction  
e.g. % of nLw(443nm) < 0  
after last reprocessing**



Project *POIG.01010222011*

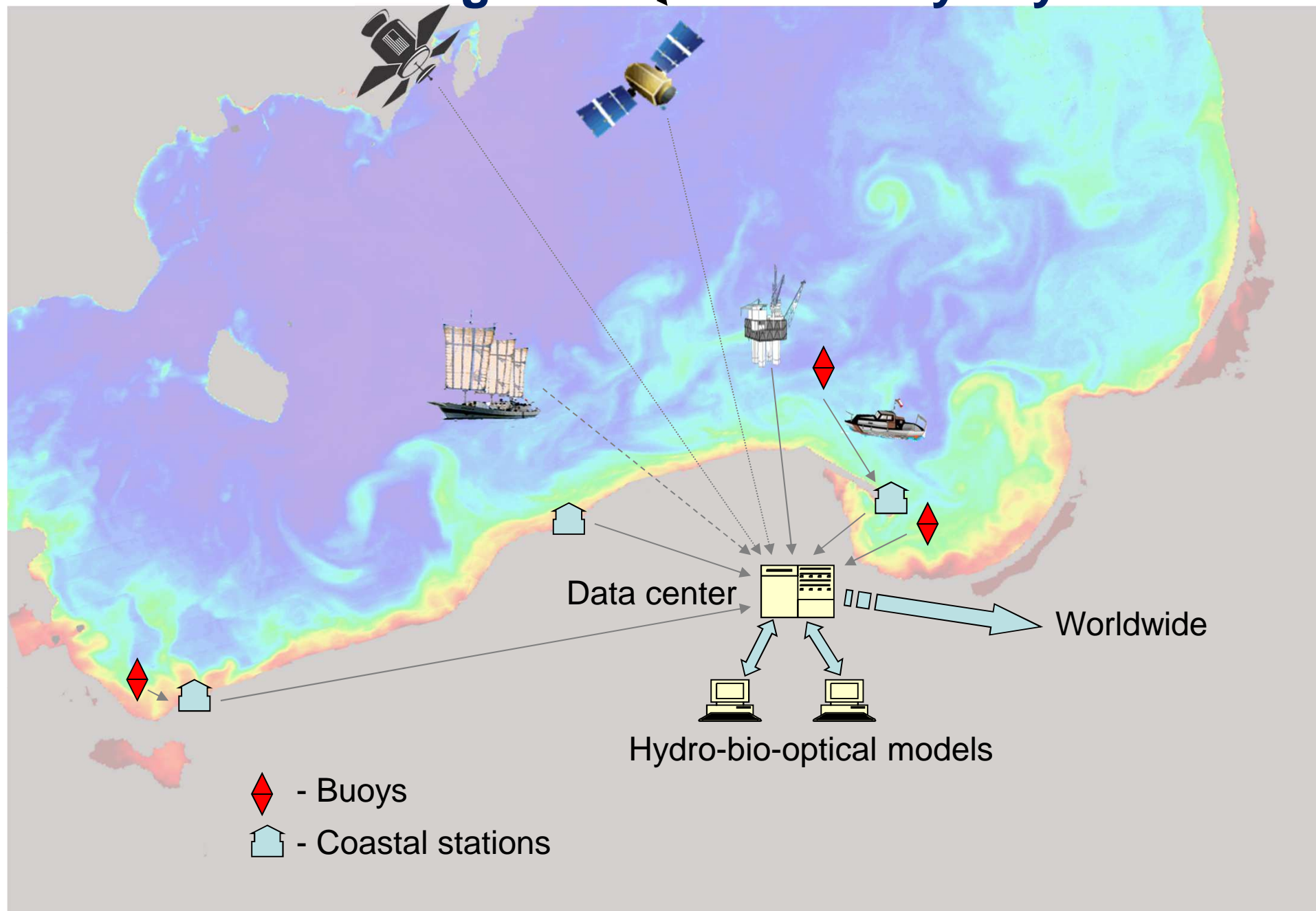
# **SatBaltic: – A BALTIC ENVIRONMENTAL SATELLITE REMOTE SENSING SYSTEM**



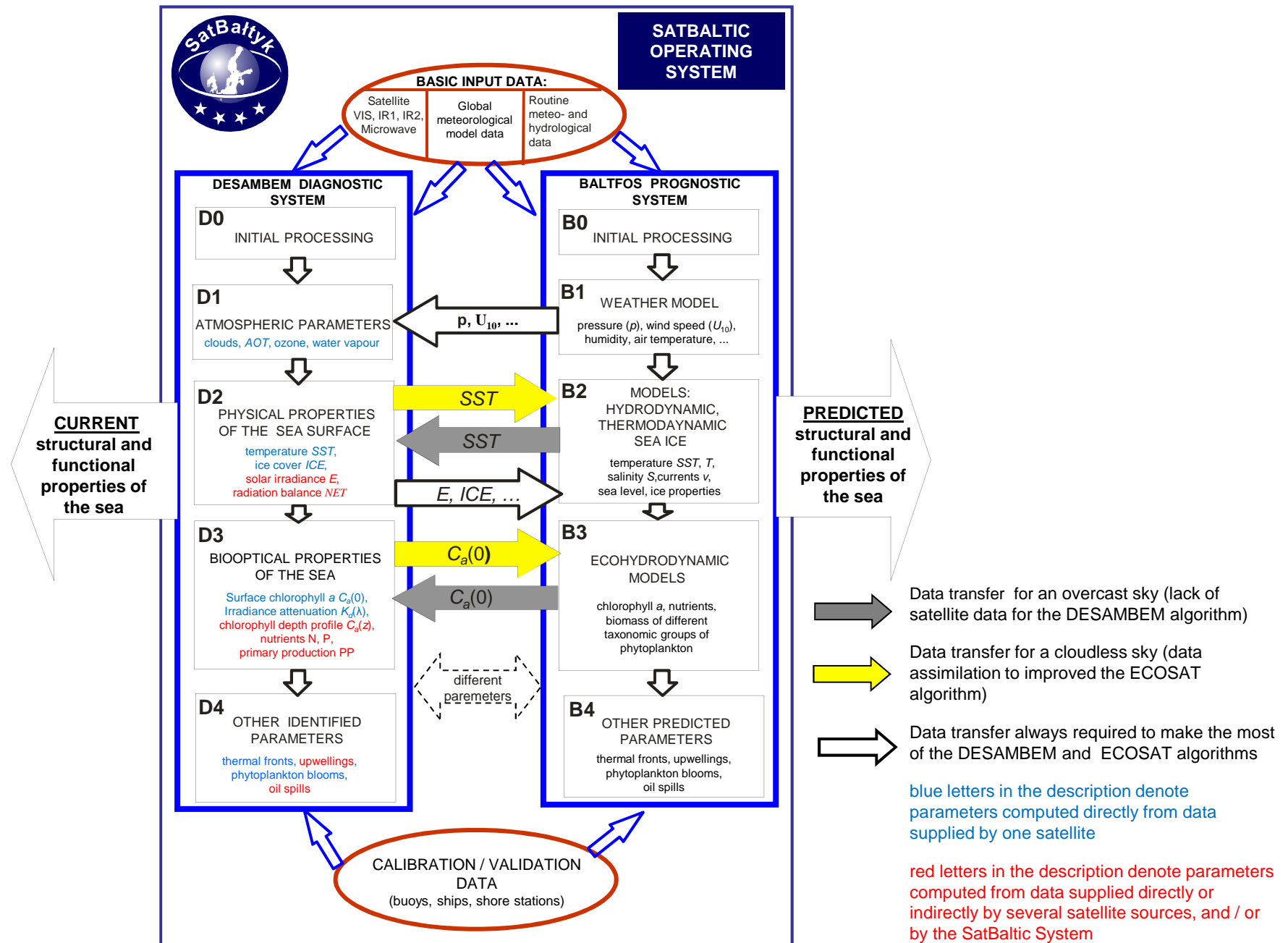
The aim of project:

Establish monitoring system for the Baltic Sea, based on the satellite remote sensing data and eco-hydrodynamical models

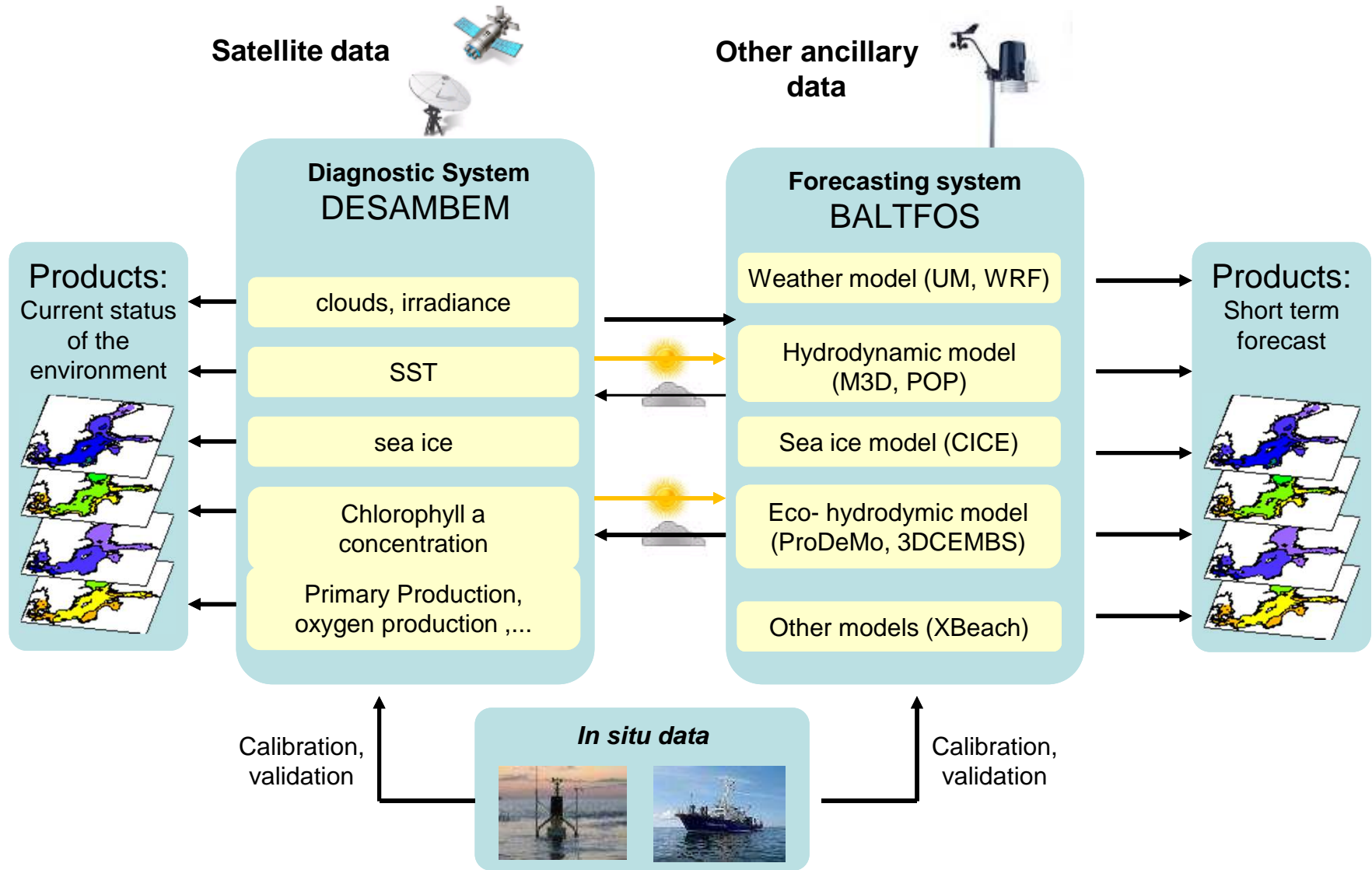
# Schematic diagram of the SatBałtyk systemu



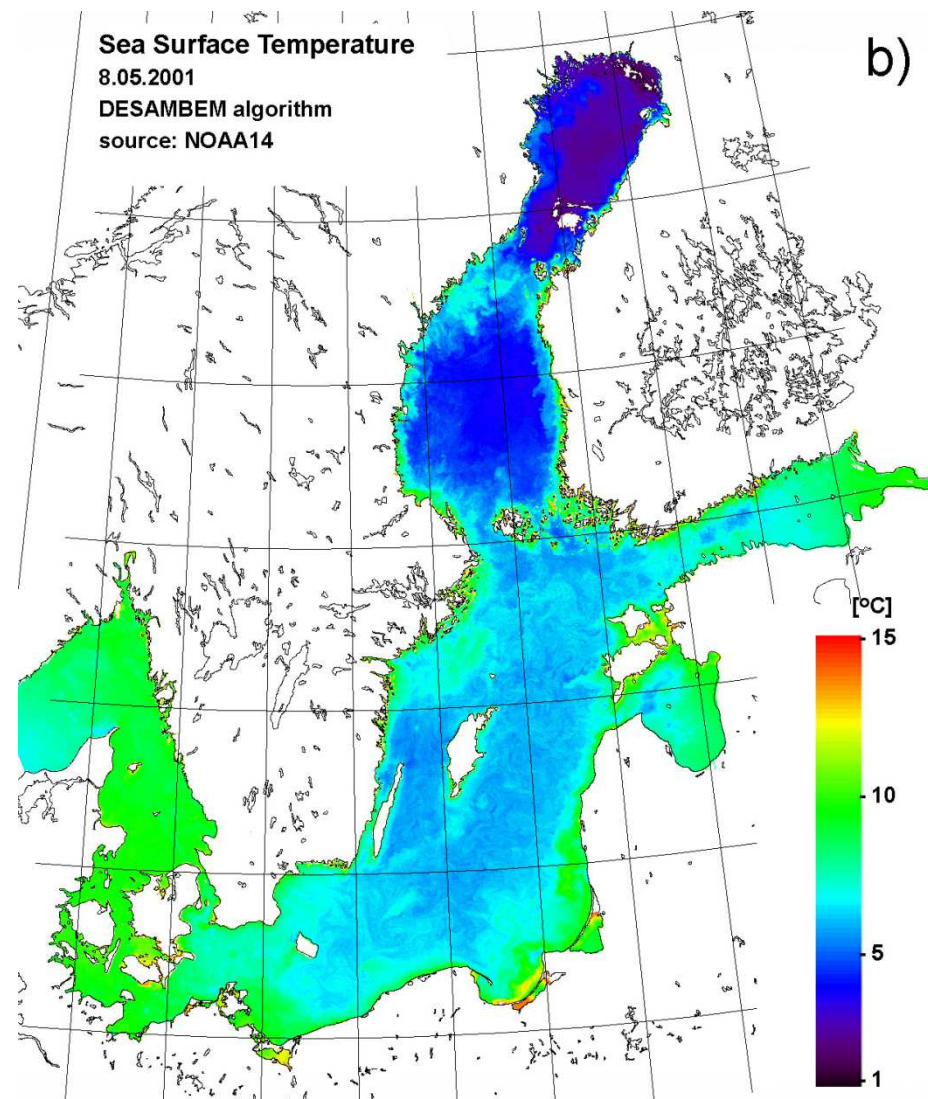
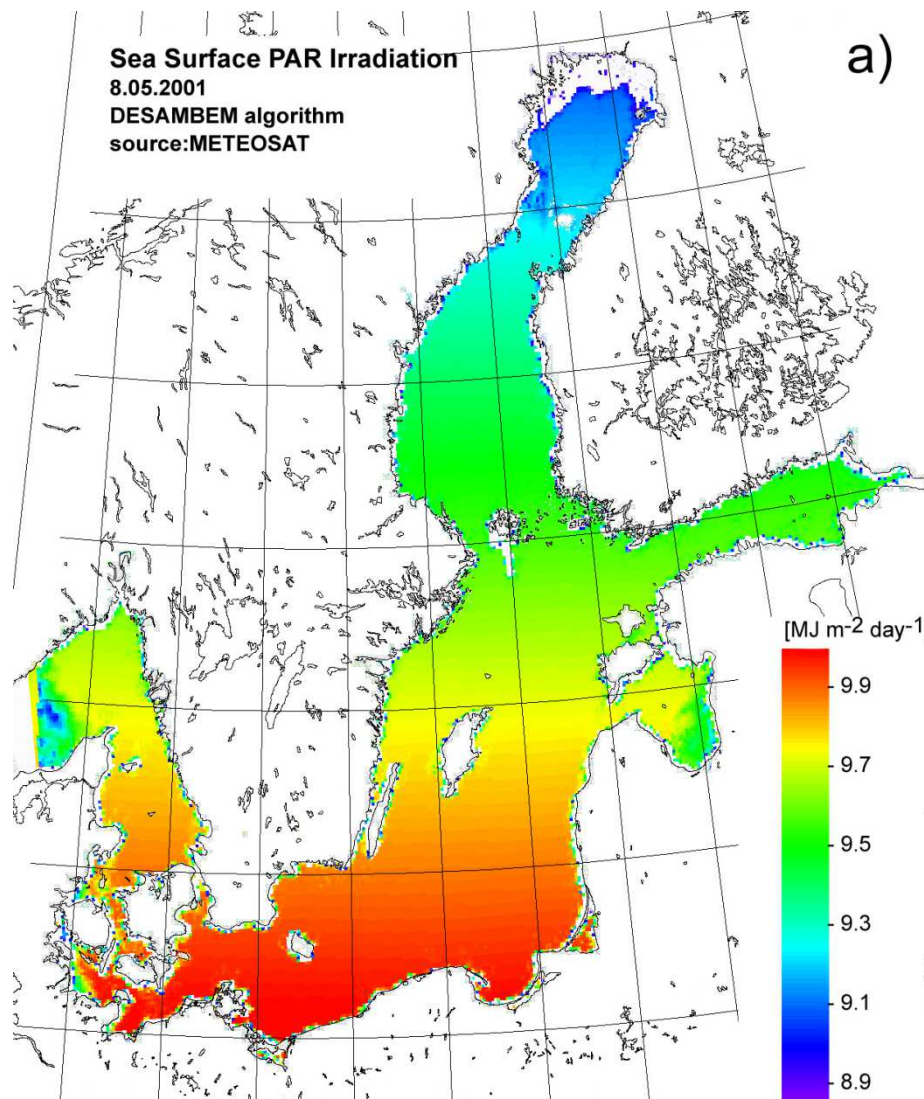
# Block diagram of the SatBaltic Operating System



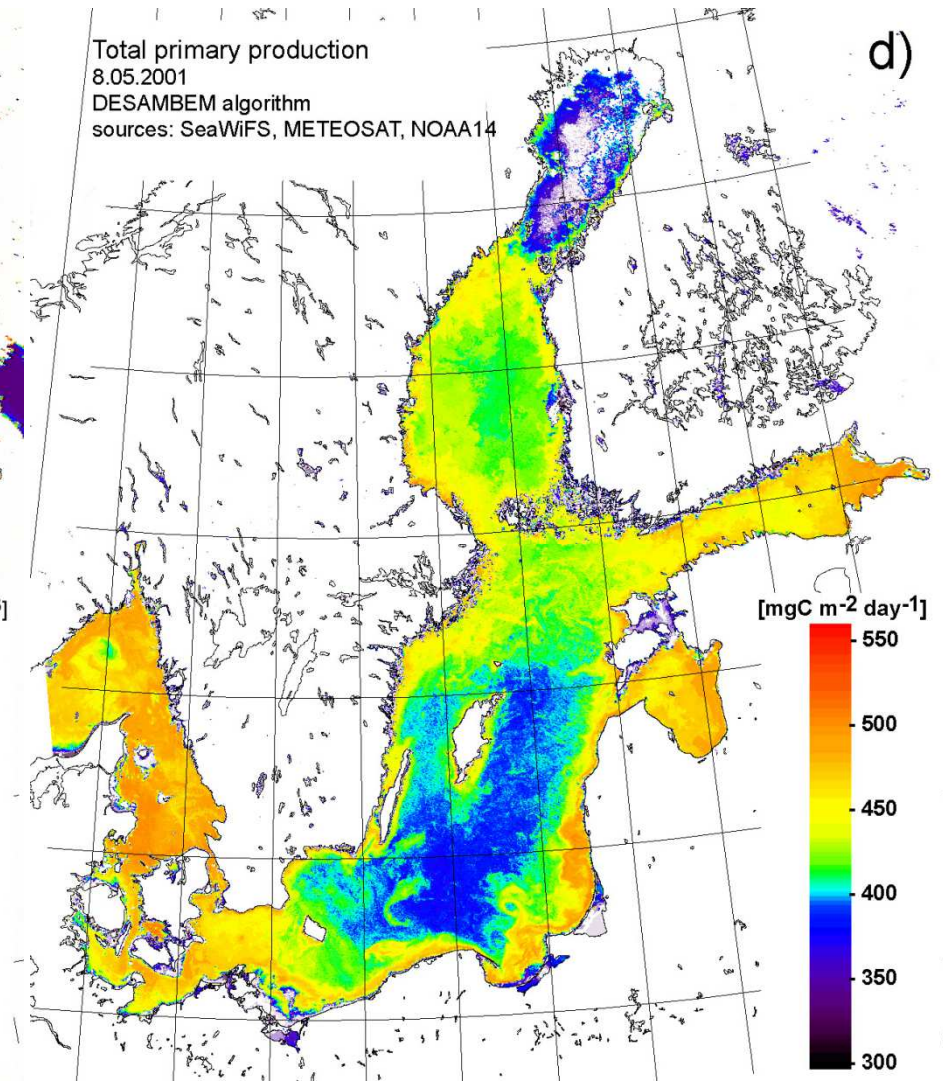
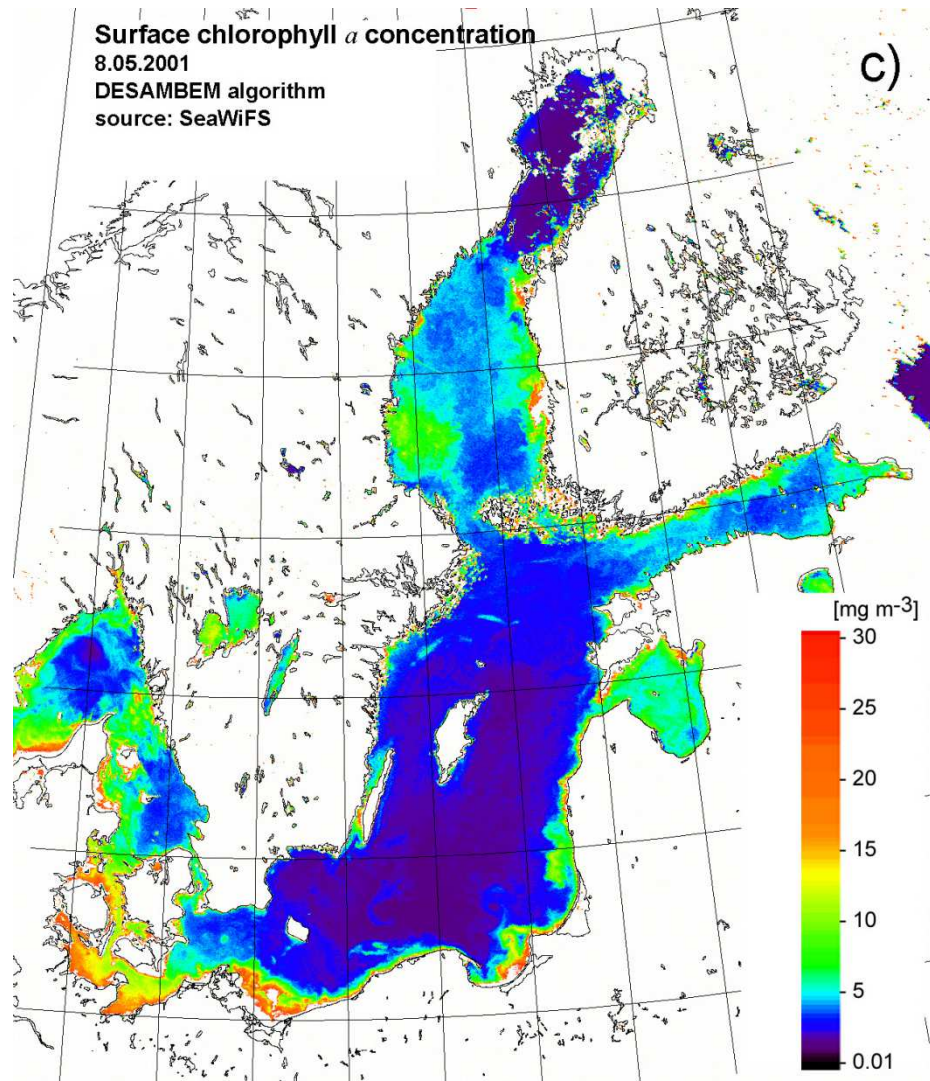
# SatBałtyk - data streams



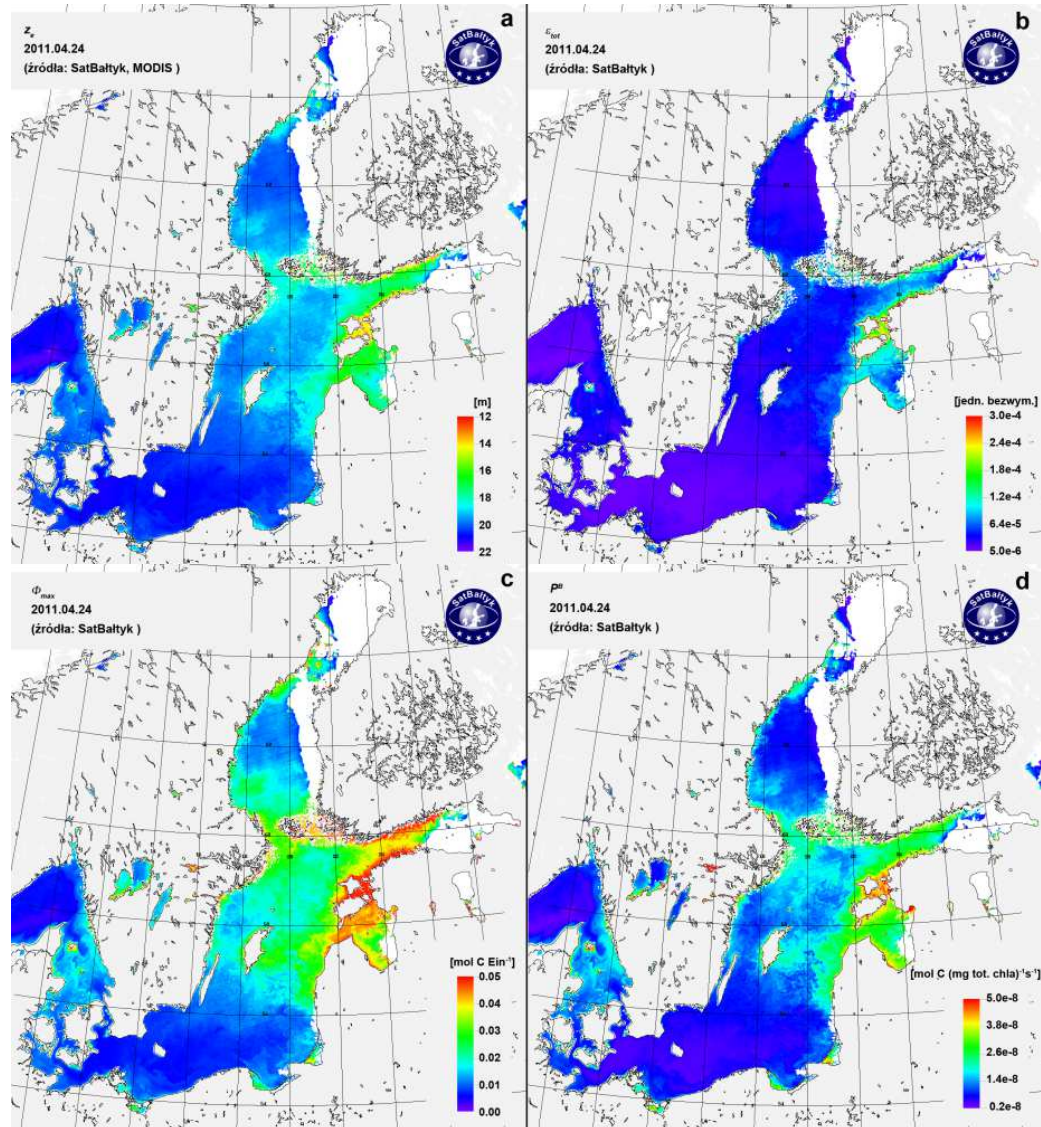
# PAR and SST



# Chla and PP

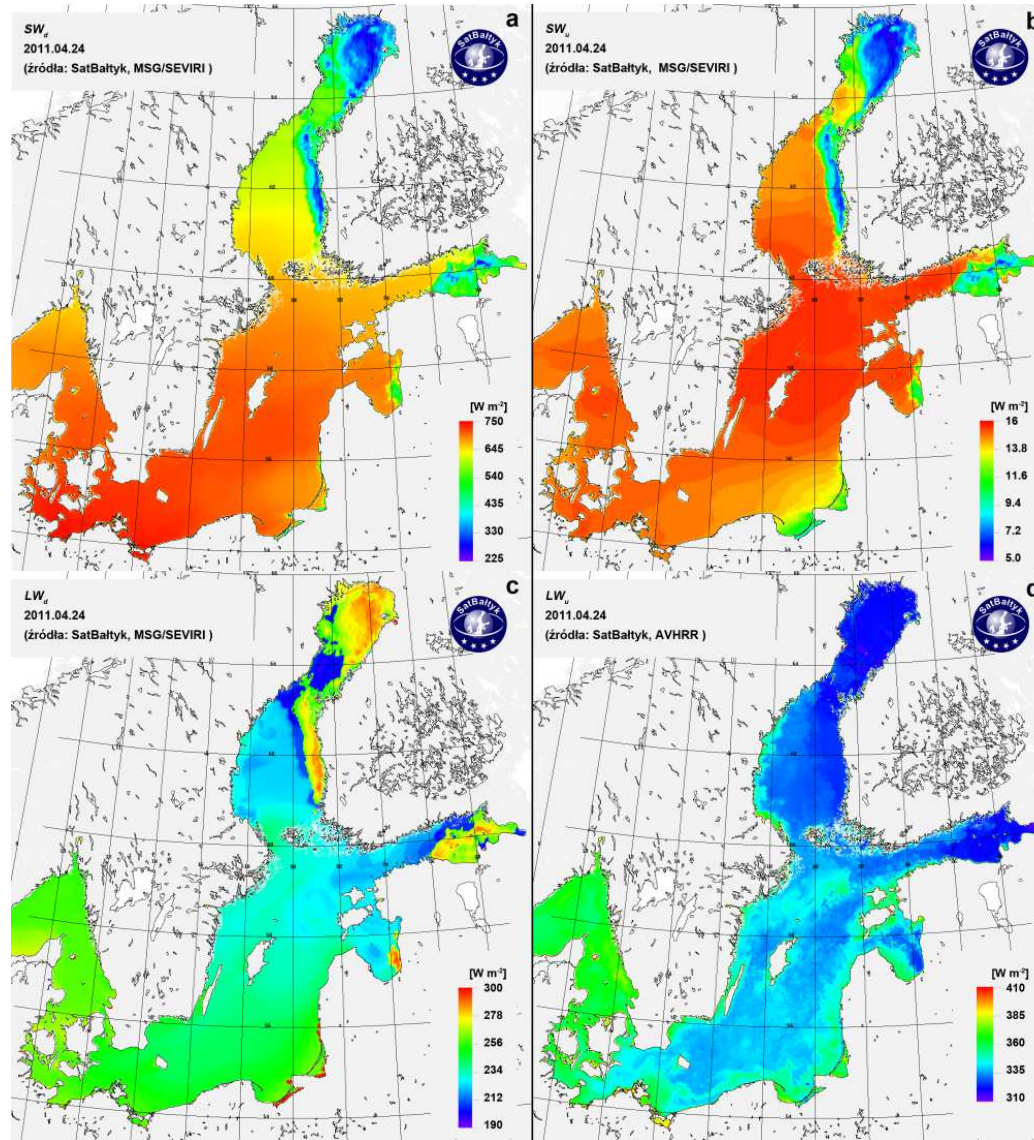


# Some optical conditions of photosynthesis of organic matter and condition of marine plant communities



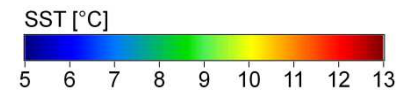
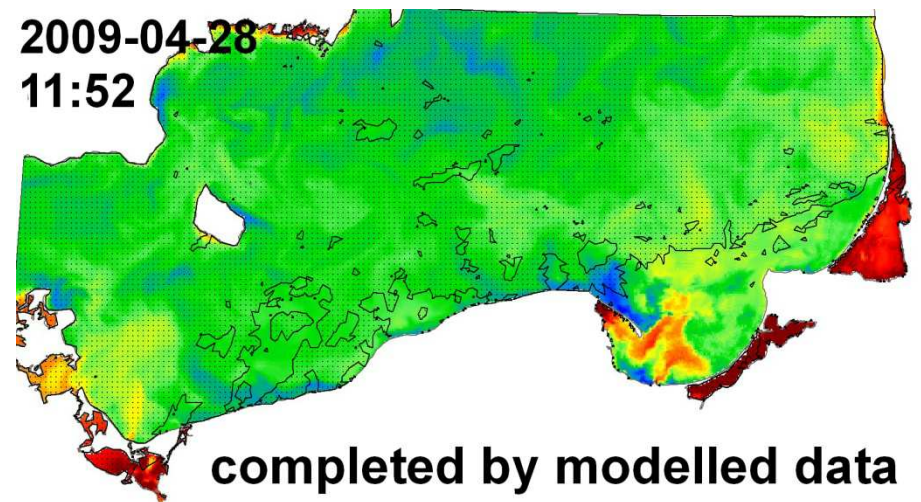
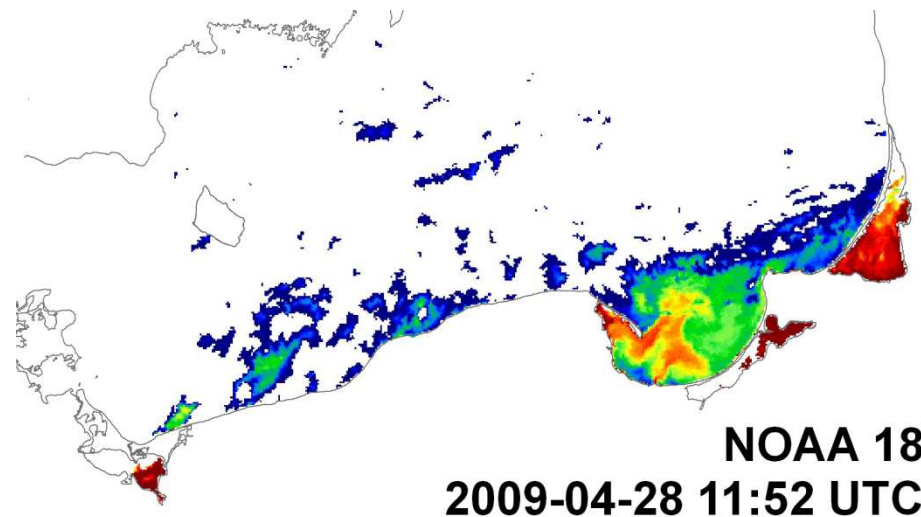


# The radiation balance of the sea surface

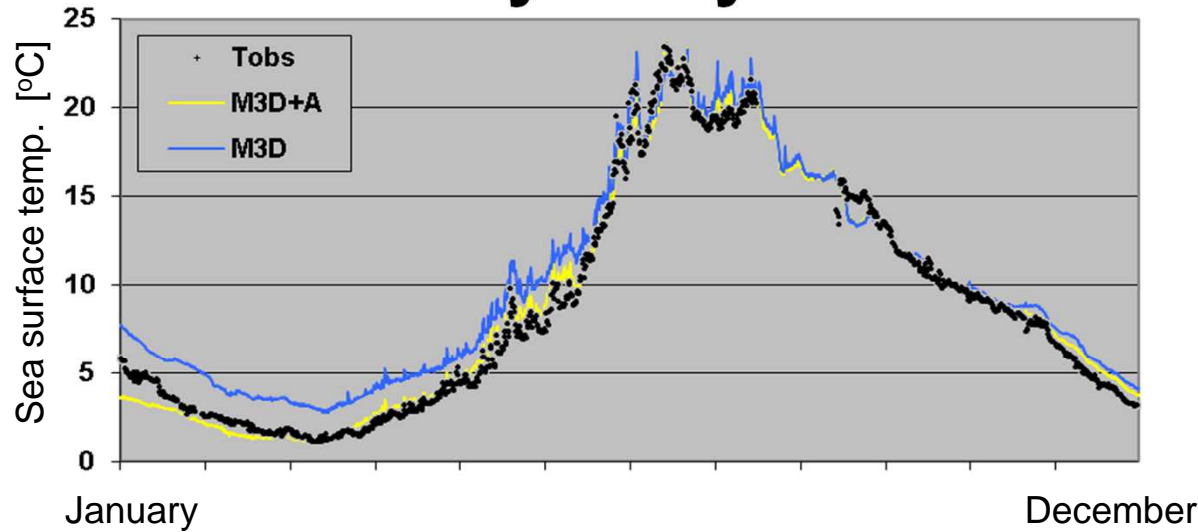


# Merged Sea Surface Temperature Map

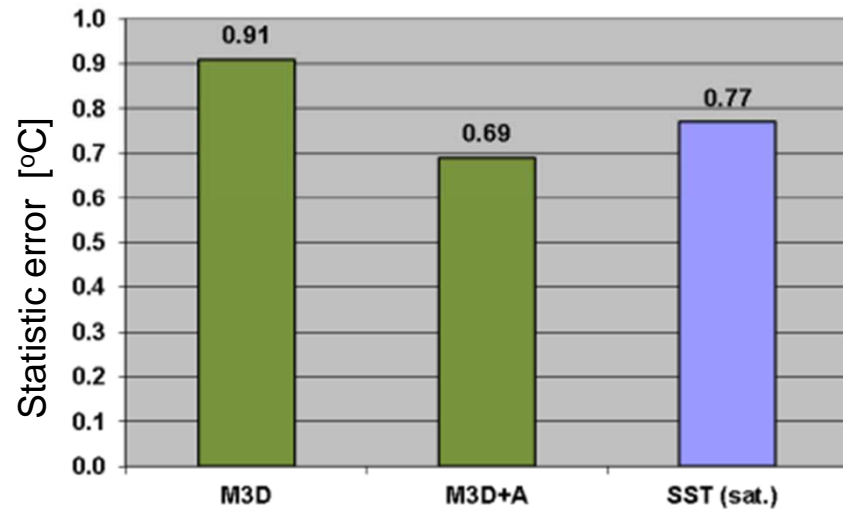
Sea surface temperature determined on the basis of remotely sensed data and the M3D hydrodynamic model (grid resolution 0.5 NM) when a large part of the sky over the sea is overcast



# Assimilation of the satellite data in the hydrodynamic model



Comparison of sea surface temperatures observed in the southern part of the Baltic Sea and modeled with assimilation of satellite SST maps (M3D + A) and without assimilation (M3D)

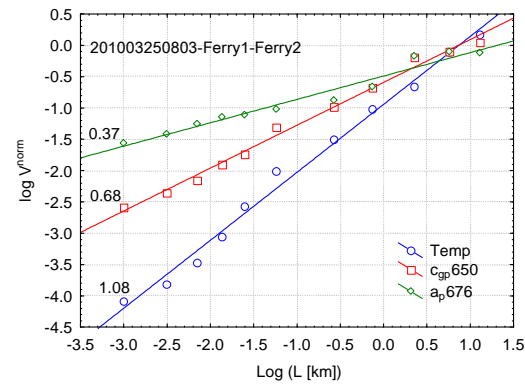
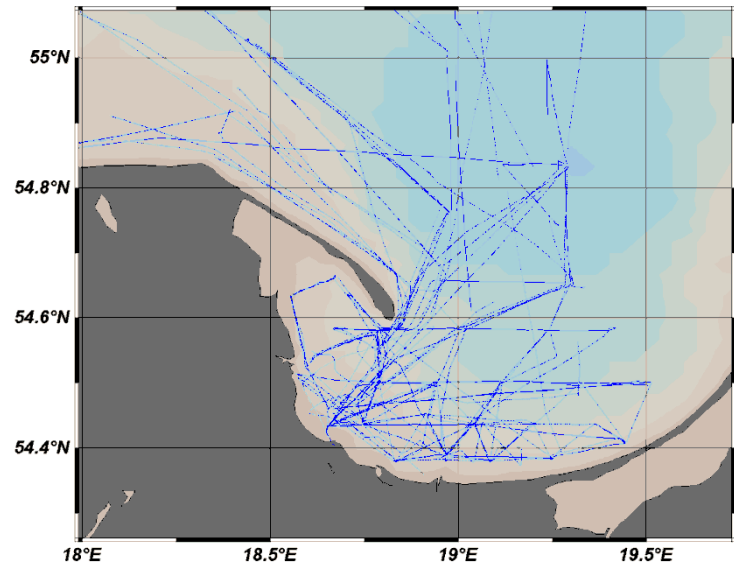
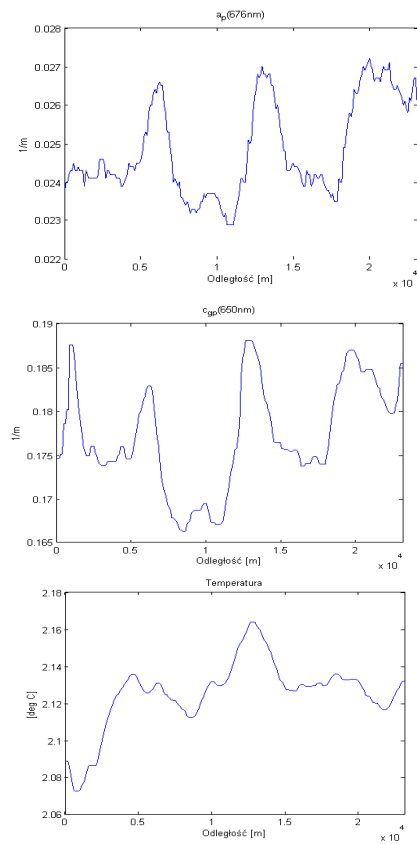


# System components, calibration and validation



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## Sub pixel variability of IOPs and AOPs

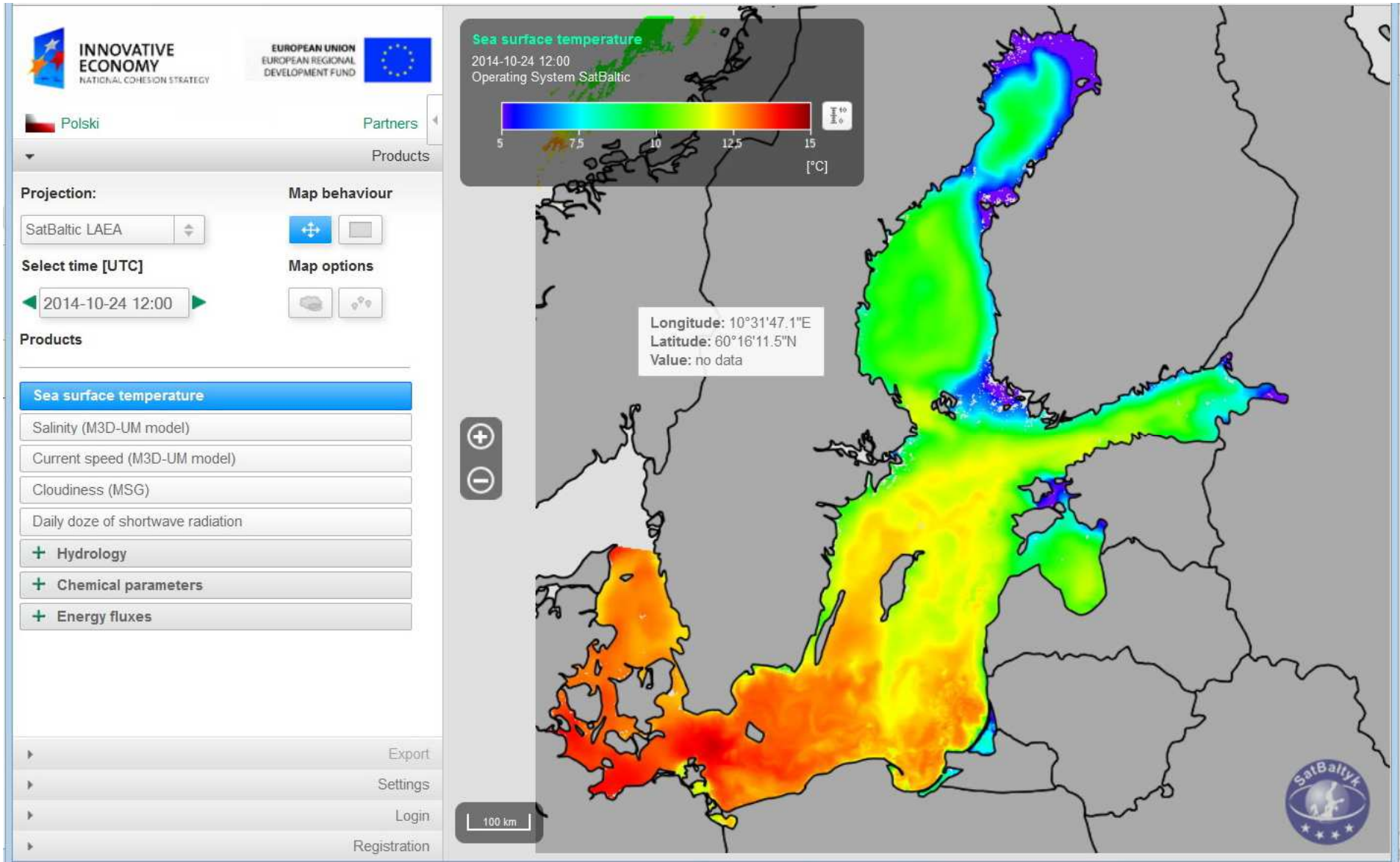


# Validation

	Arithmetic statistics		Logarithmic statistics		
	Systematic error	Statistical error	Systematic error	Standard error factor	Statistical error
Quantity	Relative $\langle \varepsilon \rangle$	Relative $\sigma_{\varepsilon}$	$\langle \varepsilon \rangle_g$ [%]	x	$\sigma_{\varepsilon}$ [%]
Chl a ( $C_a$ )	9.9 [%]	$\pm 56.6$ [%]	-3.2	1.68	-40.5
Dose PAR	2.44 [%]	$\pm 23.3$ [%]	0.24	1.22	-18.3
Daily $O_2$	2.00 [%]	$\pm 60.6$ [%]	-14.6	1.72	-41.7
	Absolute $\langle \varepsilon' \rangle$	Absolute $\sigma_{\varepsilon}'$			
SST	$\Delta t = 0.37$ [°C]	$\sigma = \pm 1.05$ [°C]			
Net radiation: LW SW	1 [Wm <sup>-2</sup> ] 14 [Wm <sup>-2</sup> ]	$\pm 29.7$ [Wm <sup>-2</sup> ] $\pm 38.7$ [Wm <sup>-2</sup> ]			

Errors in the remotely sensed estimation of selected quantities with SatBaltic System at its present stage.

# SatBaltyk product portal



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The screenshot displays the SatBaltyk product portal interface. At the top left, there are logos for 'INNOVATIVE ECONOMY NATIONAL COHESION STRATEGY' and 'EUROPEAN UNION EUROPEAN REGIONAL DEVELOPMENT FUND'. Below these, the user is logged in as 'darecki@iopan.gda.pl' with 'Panel' and 'Logout' buttons. A 'Products' dropdown menu is open, showing a list of product categories: 'Daily doze of shortwave radiation', 'Beach flooding', '+ Hydrology', '+ Biophysical parameters', '+ Chemical parameters', '+ Meteorology', '+ Energy fluxes', '+ Optics', and '+ Test products'. The main map area shows a color-coded sea surface temperature (SST) map of the Baltic Sea for October 24, 2014, at 12:00 UTC. A color scale legend indicates temperatures from 5°C (blue) to 15°C (red). A tooltip over the map provides coordinates: Longitude: 19°06'36.4"E, Latitude: 61°10'55.6"N, and Value: 10.1. The map includes zoom controls, a 100 km scale bar, and the SatBaltyk logo in the bottom right corner.

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Panel Logout

Products

**Projection:**  
SatBaltic LAEA

**Map behaviour**  
+ -

**Select time [UTC]**  
2014-10-24 12:00

**Map options**  
+ -

**Products**

- Daily doze of shortwave radiation
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Export Settings

**Sea surface temperature**  
2014-10-24 12:00  
Operating System SatBaltic

5 7.5 10 12.5 15 [°C]

Longitude: 19°06'36.4"E  
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Value: 10.1

100 km

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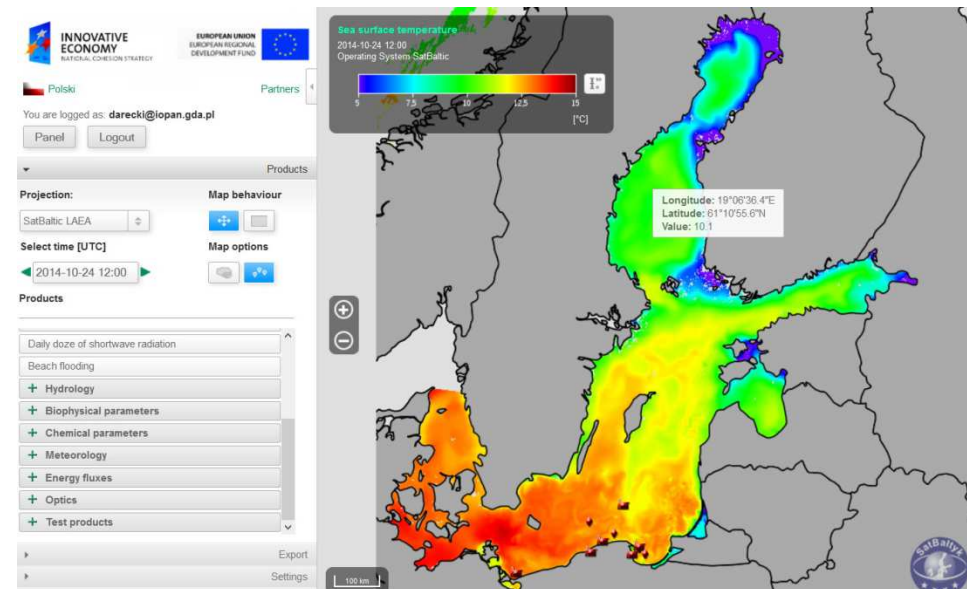
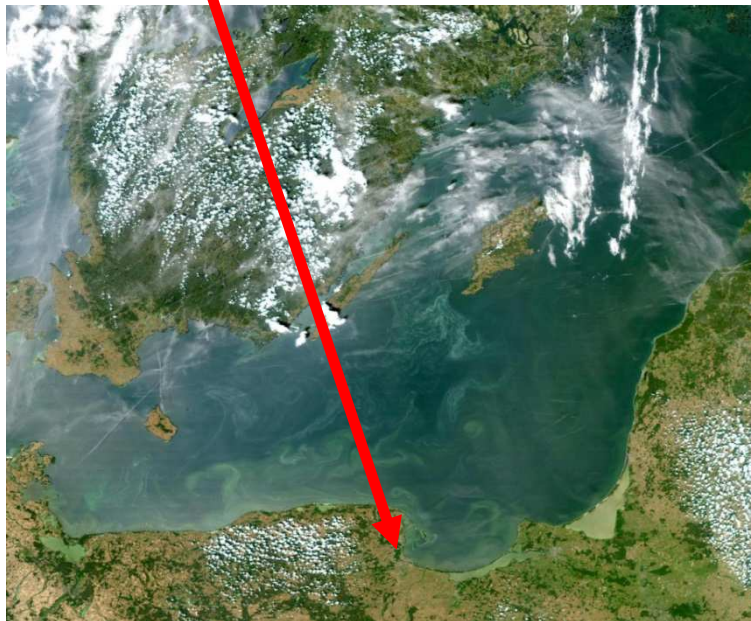


# Some products (*at the moment*)

- Sea surface temperature and related products
  - surface currents
  - upwelling events
  - the range and immediate spread of riverine waters
- water transparency
- radiant energy balance between the sea surface and the upper layers of the atmosphere
- intensity of UV radiation over the sea and in coastal areas
- distributions of PAR irradiance useful for photosynthesis
- concentration of chlorophyll *a*
- concentration of other pigments
- efficiency of photosynthesis
- primary production of organic matter
- release of oxygen in the sea
- distribution of phytoplankton blooms

# SatBaltyk – final phase

- Conference:  
**Current status and trends and modern methods of the monitoring of the Baltic Sea**
- SatBaltyk will be officially launched for public
- October 2015
- Sopot

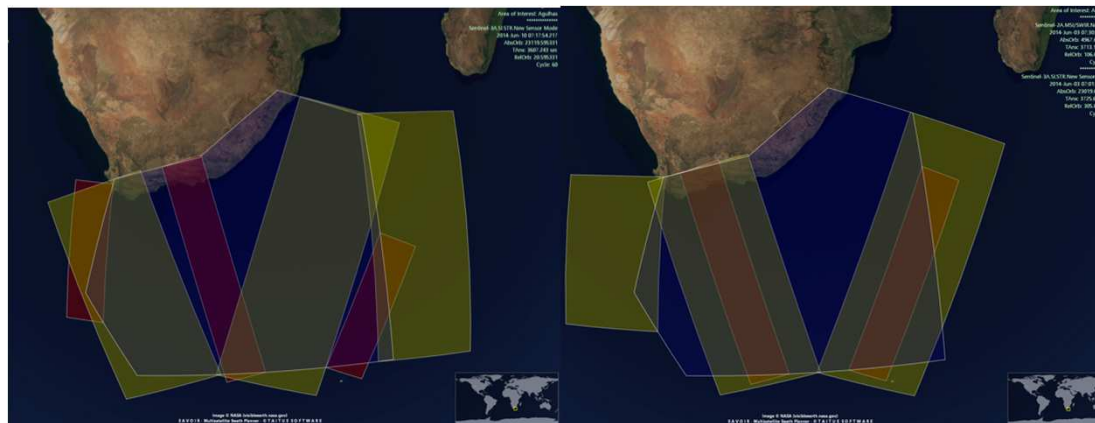




# ESA SEOM – SY4Sci Synergy Study : Ocean Virtual Laboratory



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Sentinel3A (SLSTR) and Sentinel2A (MSI)  
: daily acquisitions for two different dates



*Thank you !*

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