

# Sentinel Asia System Operation WINDS / Regional Server and Concept of Sentinel Asia Step3 System

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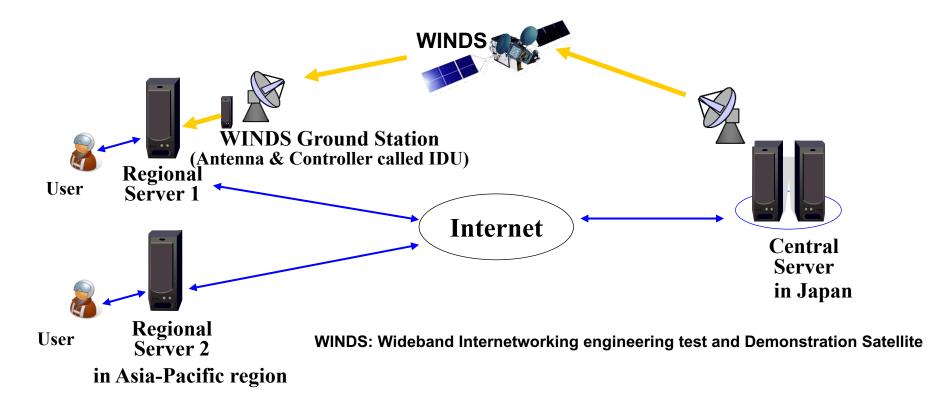
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## **Overview of Sentinel Asia System**



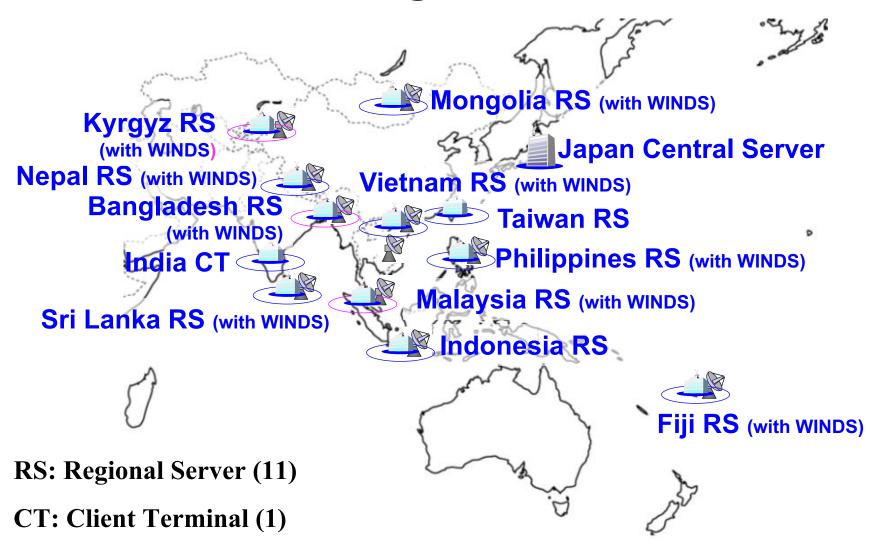
SA System was installed for sharing the information of disaster management in Asia-Pacific region. The controlled data by Central Server are transferred to each Regional Server so that RS can get the same data. It is necessary that data are physically near the user, to increase the data accessibility in the SA Step2 system.



## Data Transfer Way in Sentinel Asia System



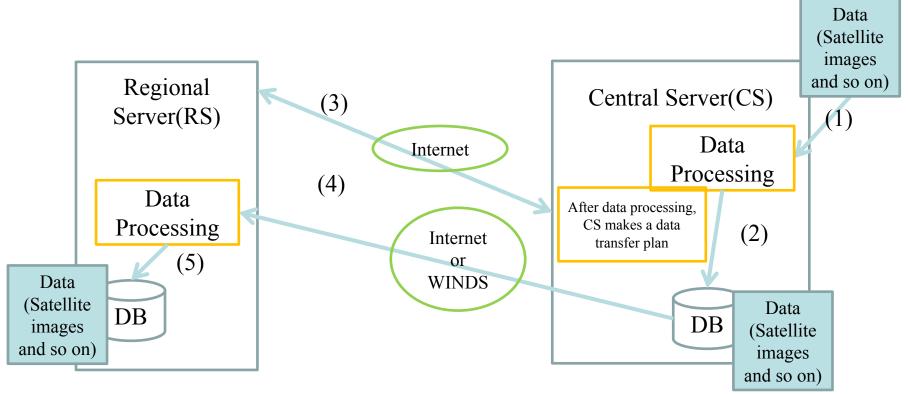
## **Current location of Regional Server/WINDS**



## Data Transfer Flow in Sentinel Asia System



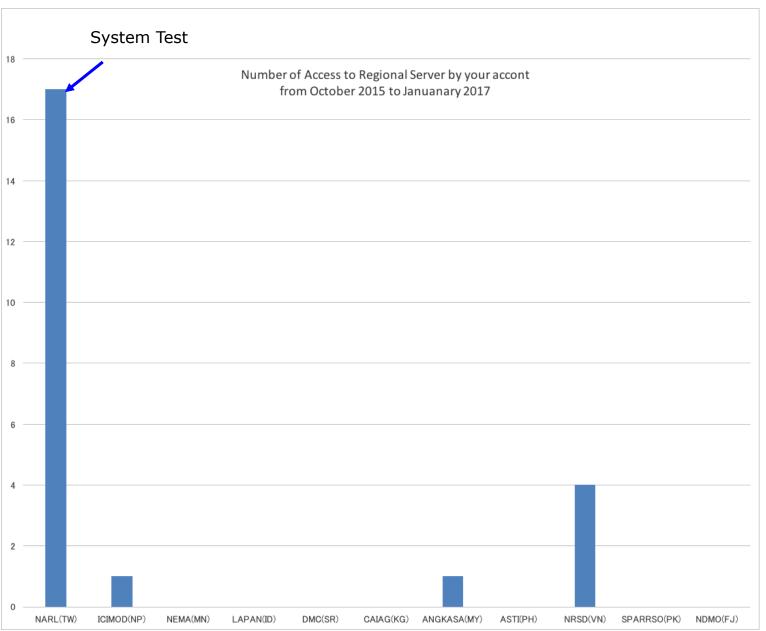
## Data flow from CS to RS



- (1) Upload Satellite Image.
- (2) Uploaded Satellite image is managed in CS's DB and transfer plan is scheduled.
- (3) RS asks CS a data transfer plan every 3 min.
- (4) CS transfers the data to RS via Internet or WINDS. (Internet is also used for a data control.)
- (5) Transferred data is managed in RS's DB.

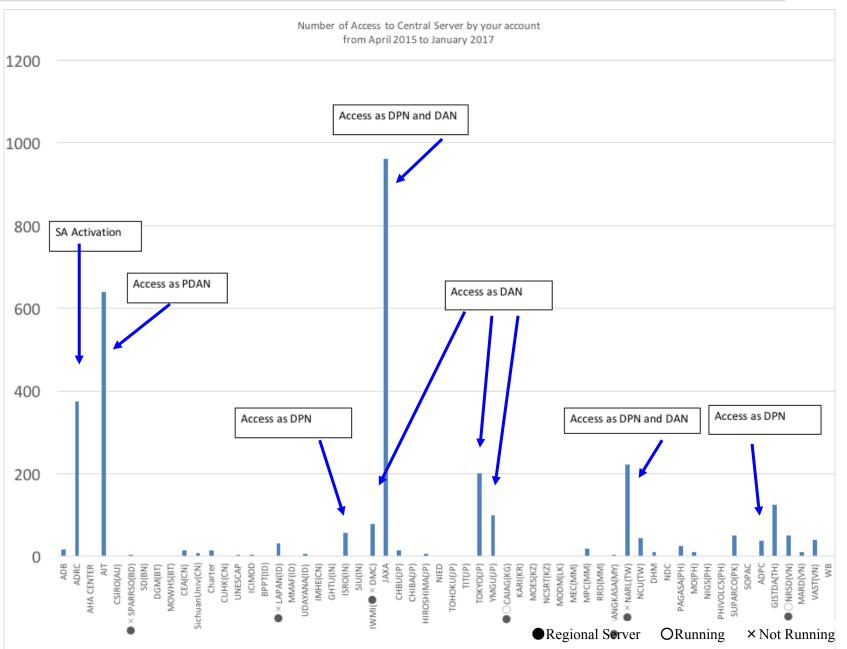
## The number of access to Regional Server by users





#### The number of access to Central Server by users





#### Internet speed from central server to each regional server

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Country	Organization	Internet Speed (Mbps)	Regional Server	WINDS Speed in usual operation (Mbps)	Transportation speed to regional server through cloud service (Mbps)
Thailand	GISTDA	-	N/A	Terminated	TEST not yet.
Philippines	ASTI	24.0	Running	6.5	60
Taiwan	NARL	12.0	Stopping	-	90
Mongolia	NEMA/NRSC	1.0	Running	6.5	TEST not yet.
Indonesia	LAPAN	0.3	Stopping	Terminated	TEST not yet.
Vietnam	NRSC	8.1	Running	6.5	27
Sri Lanka	DMC	0.4	Running	6.5 (Stopping)	1.4
	IWMI (DAN)	8.0	-	-	TEST not yet.
Nepal	ICIMOD	2.2	Running	6.5	TEST not yet.
Bangladish	SPARRSO	3.0	Stopping	6.5	TEST not yet.
Fiji	NDMO/SOPAC	-	Stopping	6.5 (Stopping)	TEST not yet.
Kyrgyzstan	CAIAG	4.2	Running	6.5	7.5
Malaysia	ANGKAS	1.6	Running	6.5	2.2

#### **Data Provision to Users**



#### **Issue**

The orbit control of WINDS has stopped since May in 2016. An additional equipment for continuous communication is needed.

An unauthorized access was detected on one of the regional servers on May 2016. This requires us to update security system to solve the problem for continuous operation.

The SA step3 system requires a function to handle a large size of data observed by future satellites.

#### Data provision service is needed to change.

#### **Proposal**

A cloud server is one of the candidates. It is available to provide the data to users with high speed.

(The letter, "Termination of the operation of the regional servers and the utilization of WINDS satellite", was sent to relating agencies.)

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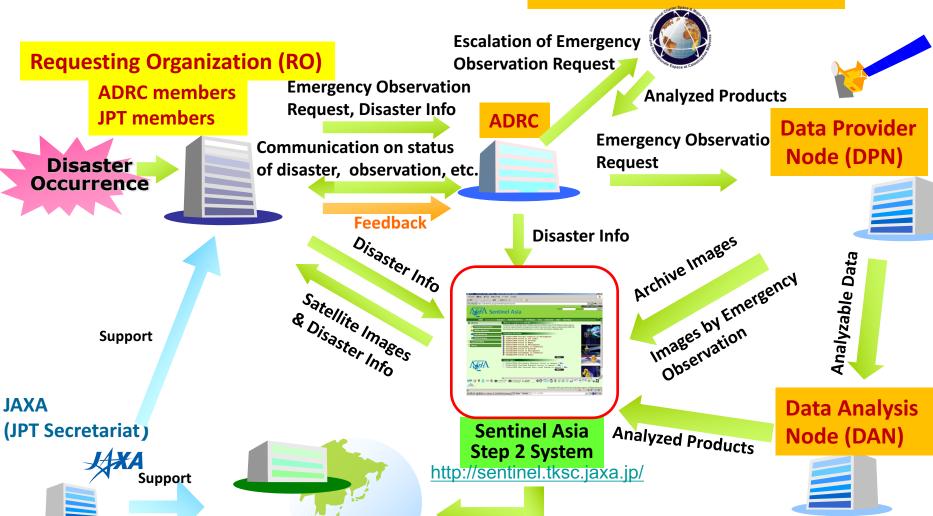
# **Emergency Observation Flow**

**Disaster Management Agencies** 

in Asia



#### **International Disaster Charter**



**Own Data** 

## **Emergency Observation Flow**



#### **International Disaster Charter**

**Requesting Organization (RO)** 

**ADRC** members JPT members

Disaster Occurrence **Emergency Observation** Request, Disaster Info

**Communication on status** of disaster, observation, etc.

**Escalation of Emergency Observation Request** 

**ADRC** 

**Request** 

**Analyzed Products** 

**Data Provider Emergency Observatio** Node (DPN)

**Feedback** 

Disaster Info

Satellite Images & Disaster Info

**Disaster Info** 

New Sentinel Asia

Cloud System

- Semi automatically making a plan of emergency observation request
- Quick analysis of satellite imagery
- Transport the data to DANs.
- Provide the data and VAPs to users
- Archives of previous data

Archive Images Images by Emergency

Observation

Analyzed Produc

**Data Analysis** Node (DAN)

Analyzable Data

Own Data

Support

(JPT Secretariat)

**JAXA** 

Support



**Disaster Management Agencies** in Asia



## **Quick Analysis of ALOS-2 Data**



JAXA is able to produce the quick analysis data (water standing, land slide) of ALOS-2 on the same day of observation day. It can automatically detect the affected area. This is still experimental attempt, but in the near future JAXA will be able to deliver the quick analysis data to the emergency observation requesters on the same day of

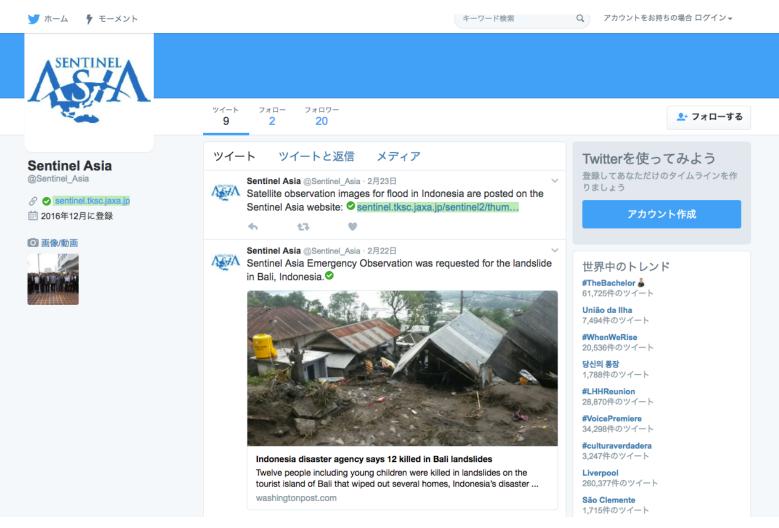


Quick Analysis Data



## SNS Services...

## Twitter account: @Sentinel\_Asia



#### **Conclusion**



1) The orbit control of WINDS has stopped since May in 2016. And, an unauthorized access was detected on one of the regional servers on May 2016. They require us to update security system to solve the problem for continuous operation.

Therefore, we decided the termination of the operation of the regional servers and the utilization of WINDS satellite. The current data transfer service to the regional servers will be terminated in 2017.

JAXA continues to run the Central server until the new system starts. Users or DANs can download the data from the central server after the termination of the regional servers.

2) We would like to shift to the discussion on development of new system suitable for the SA Step 3. The system requires a function to handle a large size of data observed for future satellites (including ALOS-2, Advanced Optical Satellite, Advanced Rader Satellite, etc.) or and analyze the data automatically.



## Data Transfer Way in Sentinel Asia System



#### **Utilization of WINDS**

In order to solve narrow-band problem in Asia-Pacific region, 'Regional Server' can equip WINDS ground station and transfer data via WINDS. In case of board-band internet, data can be transferred via the internet.

via the internet. WINDS high speed communication ~155Mbps[Max] (shared by users) Currently restricted to 6.5Mbps max for each RS to share speed Central among users. Server

## Data Transfer Way in Sentinel Asia System



## **Utilization of WINDS in Emergency**

When disaster occurred and emergency observation was requested by users, Sentinel Asia will coordinate and assign the maximum WINDS resources (155Mbps). Then, the satellite data, imagery, the results of analysis, etc are transferred to users via WINDS.

