

**** February 2018 News from Sentinel Asia Project Office ****

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1. [News] Emergency Observation of Disaster Occurred in February 2018

Satellite Data: provided by ISRO.

Value added products: provided by JAXA.

(1) Taiwan, Earthquake occurred in Hualien (7 February 2018)

https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/thumbnailEmob.jsp?emobRequestDetailAction.requestId=ERNARL000021&subset_name=Emergency+Observation&submit.countryIdx=&submit.disasterTypeIdx=

(2) Korea, Earthquake occurred in Pohang (13 February 2018)

https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/thumbnailEmob.jsp?emobRequestDetailAction.requestId=ERKRDM000002&subset_name=Emergency+Observation&submit.countryIdx=&submit.disasterTypeIdx=

(3) Tonga, Tropical Cyclone occurred in the whole country (12 February 2018)

https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/thumbnailEmob.jsp?emobRequestDetailAction.requestId=ERSPCA000001&subset_name=Emergency+Observation&submit.countryIdx=&submit.disasterTypeIdx=

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2. [Announcement] Questionnaire on Web-GIS service for Sentinel Asia Members

Sentinel Asia has demonstrated new service, Web-GIS, for requesters since last June. This application must be

useful and helpful for DMO users to make their relief operation, estimate damage assessment and others.

To provide better service, we would like to have your comments through the following questionnaire page.

<https://goo.gl/forms/O9qQeB7nUnQn1KyJ3>

The demonstration of the Web-GIS

https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/MB_HTML/Links/ArcGIS_online/index.html

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3. [Announcement] Using Cloud System on Sentinel Asia Web Portal for the NEXT STEP

Data Provision test results had been reported to the test participants.

JAXA has been preparing the Next Sentinel Asia prototype website. This prototype website will be launched in April, we would like to ask your comments to make the website to be useful for Sentinel Asia JPT members.

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4. [Announcement] End of the Old E-mail Accounts

Since 1st January 2017, following e-mail addresses have been used between the Sentinel Asia members.

Present E-mail Addresses of Sentinel Asia;

z-sa_jpt@ml.jaxa.jp

z-sa_dan@ml.jaxa.jp

z-sa_dpn@ml.jaxa.jp

z-sentinel.asia@ml.jaxa.jp

Please note that following old e-mail addresses will be unavailable from 2nd April 2018. If you are still using old e-mail addresses, we strongly ask you to use above present e-mail addresses.

Old E-mail Addresses (unavailable from 2nd April 2018);

z-sa_jpt@jaxa.jp

z-sa_dan@jaxa.jp

z-sa_dpn@jaxa.jp

z-sentinel.asia@jaxa.jp

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5. [Announcement] Enhanced Security of Sentinel Asia Central Server

We have enhanced security of Sentinel Asia Central Server.

In case you have any problem using the Central Server (ex. cannot download satellite data, etc), please contact us at z-sentinel.asia@ml.jaxa.jp.

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6. [Announcement] Emergency Observation Request (EOR)

JPT member organizations are able to request the emergency observation by ALOS-2 (JAXA), IRS, Resourcesat-2, CARTOSAT-2, RISAT-1 (ISRO), THEOS (GISTDA), VNREDSat-1(VAST), X-Sat (CRISP), KOMPSAT (KARI) and DubaiSat-2 (UAE) for major disasters in the Asia-Pacific region.

There are two ways to make an EOR;

- Send EOR by Sentinel Asia website (ID and Password are required):

<https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/iccEmobRequest.jsp>

- Send EOR to the Order Desk by e-mail:

Please download the following request form and send a request to the order desk.

<https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/webresources/library/download?dataId=SECRisis0001201803020001>

*When you send EOR,

-please make sure to fill out all the information listed on the form, especially contact information of the disaster prevention organization.

-please cooperate with the local disaster prevention organization so that disaster response activities can be made quickly and effectively.

EOR Order Desk:

Asian Disaster Reduction Center (ADRC)

HP: <http://www.adrc.asia/>

E-mail: sarequest@adrc.asia

FAX: +81-78-262-5546,

TEL: +81-78-262-5540

NOTE

-After making an EOR, please send the feedback to the order desk (ADRC) through the following online questionnaire page;

<https://creativesurvey.com/ng/reply/6c488da3c3ca2aca6a4feb1417058c/>

*Request to the DPN members:

When making an observation plan for EOR, please inform the Requesting Organization (RO), DAN and ADRC for the observation area / time / mode, data provision time and the other related information.

*Request to the DAN members;

Based on the information from DPN, please start analyzing data and informing RO and ADRC what time the analyzed product can be provided.

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7. [Announcement] Revision of Documents (TOR for JPT, TOR for SC, and EOR format)

Revised versions of the following documents are uploaded on the Sentinel Asia website;

TOR for JPT (Terms of Reference [02 mar 2018])

<https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/webresources/library/download?dataId=SECRisis0001201803020002>

TOR for SC

https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/announce/2012/07/26/SECRisis0001201207260001/SA3JPTM5/agenda/Day1/Session1/1.7_SC_TOR_January_2018_Final.pdf

EOR format (Request form [16 Jan 2018])

<https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/sentinel2/webresources/library/download?dataId=SECRisis0001201803020001>

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8. [Announcement] Requests to JPT Members

-Visit the Central Server before a Disaster Happen

Sentinel Asia Project Office recommends you to visit the central server of Sentinel Asia before a disaster happens in your region. In order to log-in to the server, you will need user ID and password. Once you log-in, you can easily access to the server the next time and even at the time of a disaster.

Central Server of Sentinel Asia;

<https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/>

-Update Information

We welcome your update information in space related activities and also your comments, suggestions to Sentinel Asia Project Office (E-mail: Z-SENTINEL.ASIA@ml.jaxa.jp).

-Transmission and Receipt Acknowledgment

In order to understand delivering status of newsletter, we send the newsletter with the setting of transmission and receipt acknowledgment. We ask for your kind cooperation.

-Management of E-mail Box

In order to receive the newsletter regularly, please check the capacity of your mail box and the filter function constantly.

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9. [Events]

Past Events:

- The Joint Project Team Meeting for Sentinel Asia STEP-3 (JPTM2018) at Taipei, Taiwan, January 22-24, 2018
<https://sentinel.tksc.jaxa.jp/announce/2012/07/26/SECRis0001201207260001/SA3JPTM5/index.html>
- The 24th Session of the Asia-Pacific Regional Space Agency Forum (APRSAF-24), Bengaluru, India, November 14-17, 2017
https://aprsaf.org/annual_meetings/aprsaf24/meeting_details.php

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