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Vizsgálatok

Retrospective analysis of long-term landscape evolution

BASED ON ARCHIVE SATELLITE IMAGERY AND HISTORICAL MAPS

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Context

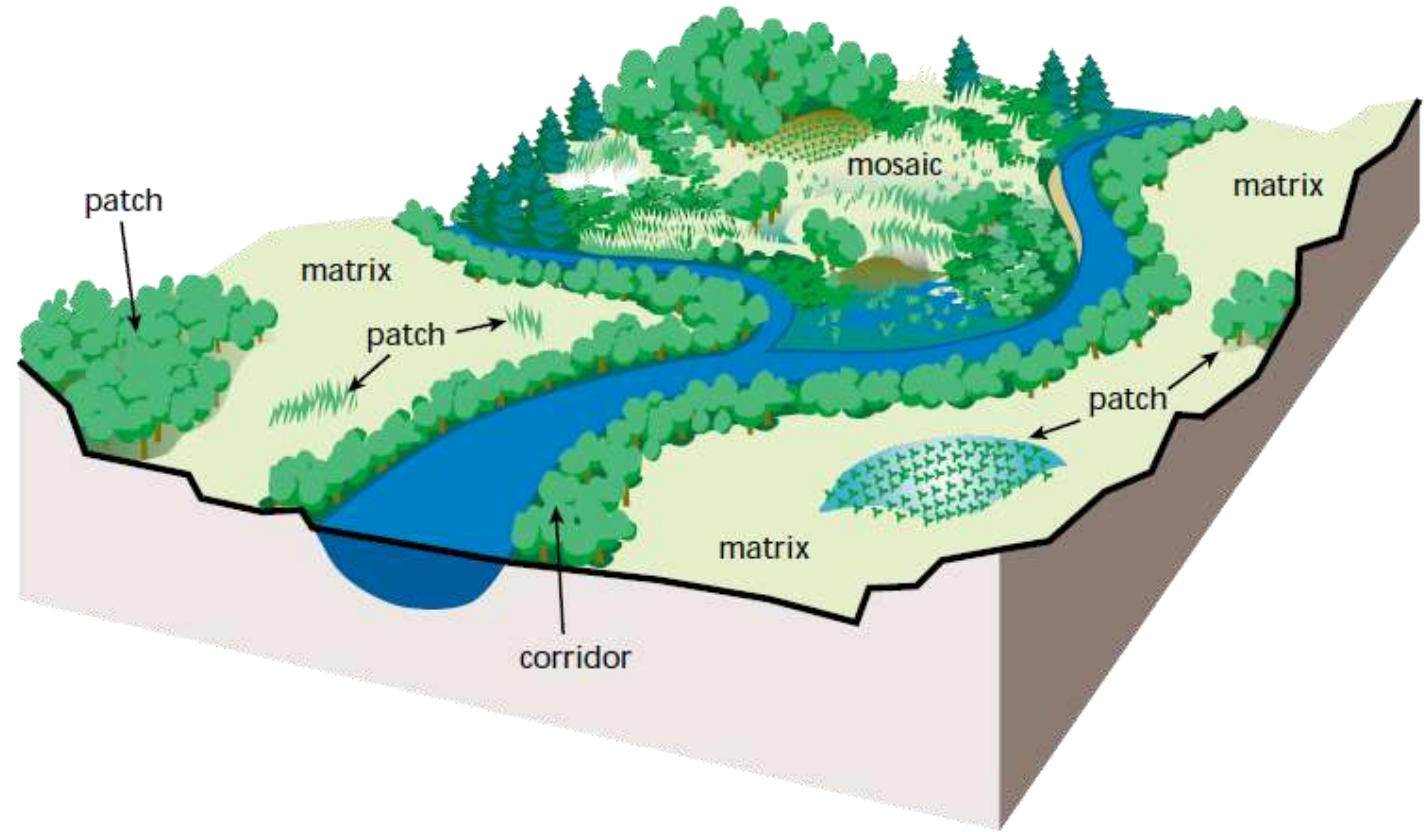
- EU-funded national project for the strategic planning of long-term nature conservation and the implementation of the European Biodiversity Strategy 2020
- Country-wide ecosystem mapping and status assessment, now in preparatory phase
- Input for:
 - assessment of ecosystem services
 - green infrastructure planning
 - landscape characterization

Objectives

- Project:
 - Produce a country-wide detailed ecosystem map for the base year 2015
 - Integration of existing data sets related to land cover (GIS)
 - Remote sensing
 - Modeling based on environmental conditions if needed
- Remote sensing work package:
 - Help mapping
 - Provide data for ecosystem status assessment

Goals of this study

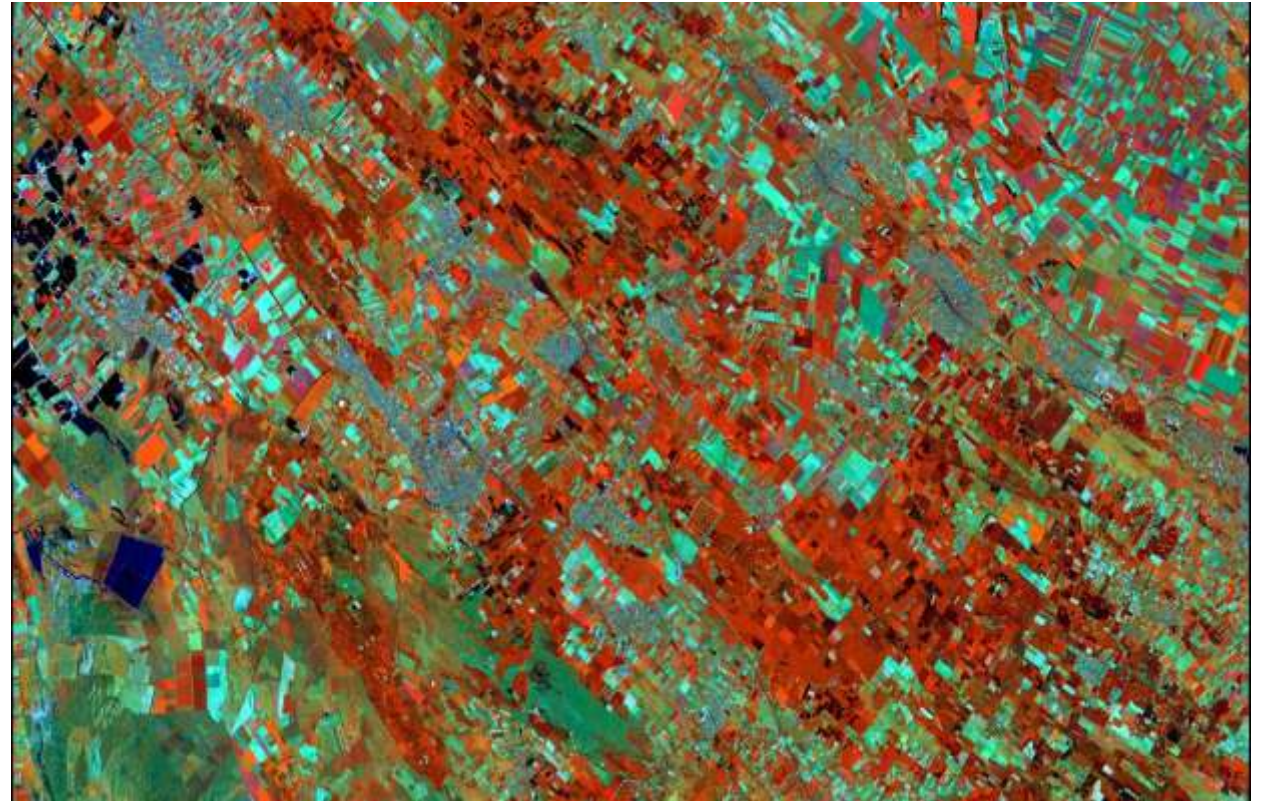
- Extract and analyse landscape changes recorded in EO data sets
- Reveal the past and assess the stability of landscape objects of multiple types
- Provide processed data for subsequent analysis and methodology for follow-up monitoring



Source: <https://www.intechopen.com/books/advances-in-landscape-architecture/understanding-landscape-structure-using-landscape-metrics>

Study area

- 50 x 50 km in Hungary
- To be extended to the whole country in the next phase
- Key dates behind land use processes:
 - 1989: fall of the socialist regime
 - 1990-1999: changes in land ownership – privatisation process
 - 2004: EU membership, agricultural subsidies accessible



Data

- Imagery
 - Currently: 37 Landsat TM/ETM+/OLI scenes from 1984 to 2016
 - can be complemented with MSS at the beginning
 - Sentinel-2 and Landsat-8 OLI for monitoring in the future
- GIS data
 - CORINE Land Cover (1990, 2000, 2006, 2012)
 - Land Parcel Identification System / MePAR Land Cover (2015)
 - Detailed ecosystem maps (ÁNÉR)



Preprocessing: Reflectance series

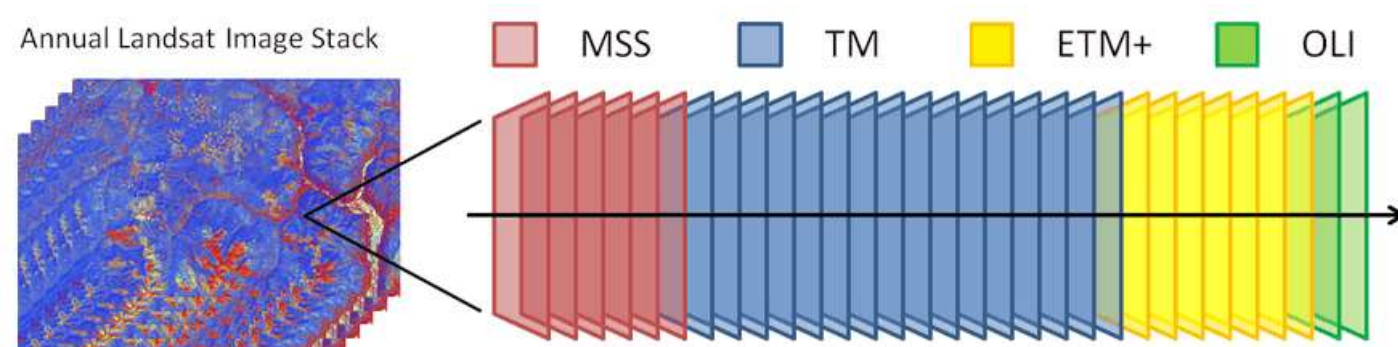
- Landsat Collection 1 Surface Reflectance products downloaded from USGS
- Data gap from 1994 to 2002 – migration from international archives in process
- ➡ Complemented with ESA EarthNet Level 1 scenes
- Successfully calculated SR and cloud mask with LEDAPS and Cfmask for the ESA scenes – good fit with the NASA series
 - <https://github.com/USGS-EROS/espa-surface-reflectance/tree/master/ledaps>
 - <https://github.com/USGS-EROS/espa-cloud-masking>

Preprocessing: LandsatLinkr

- LandsatLinkr was used for preprocessing images prior to running LandTrendr

- Justin Braaten, <http://landsatlinkr.jdbcode.com/>

decompresses & resamples & reprojects & stacks & creates cloud masks & improves georegistration accuracy & applies atmospheric correction and data transformations & spectrally calibrates MSS data to TM data & spectrally calibrates OLI data to ETM+ data & creates annual cloud-free image composites and stacks

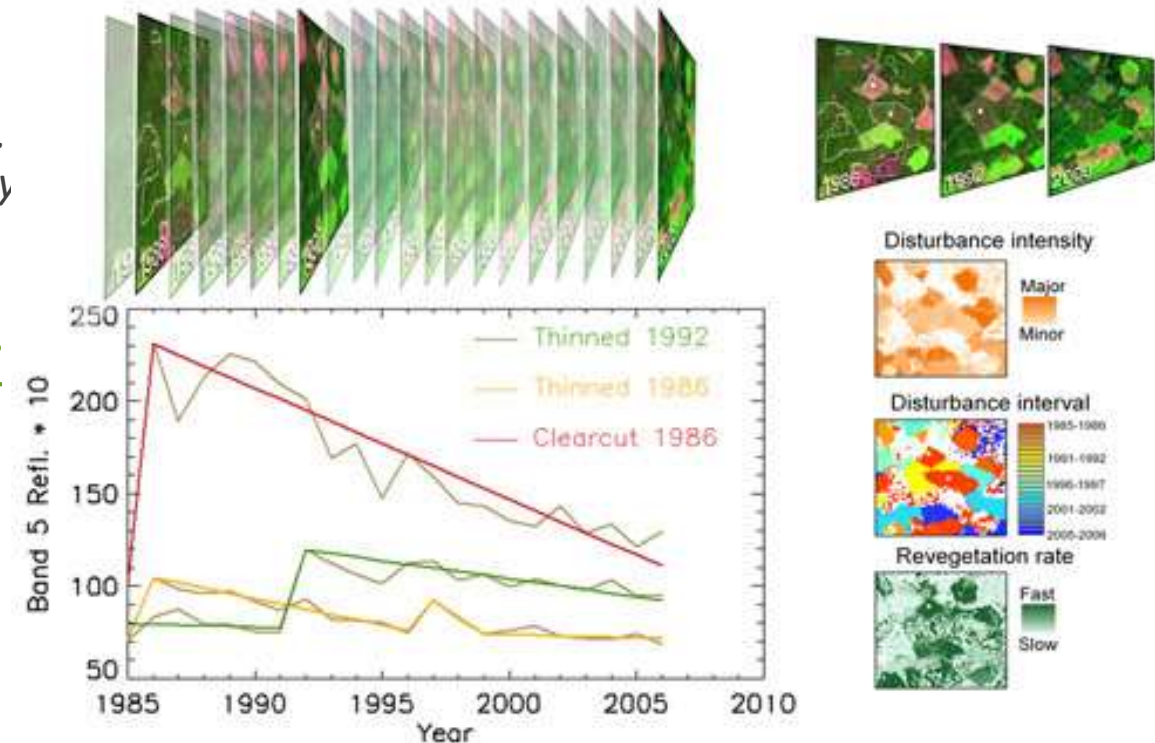


Processing: Overview

- Spectral characteristics:
 - LandTrendr
 - temporal segmentation and trend analysis
 - based on Tasselled Cap indices (brightness, greenness, wetness, angle)
 - creation of thematic change maps
 - Bi-temporal PCA invariant detection
 - serial execution over the whole series
 - for independent spectral stability assessment
- Spatial characteristics:
 - High-pass filtering, summarized in time
 - to detect changes / assess stability in the spatial domain

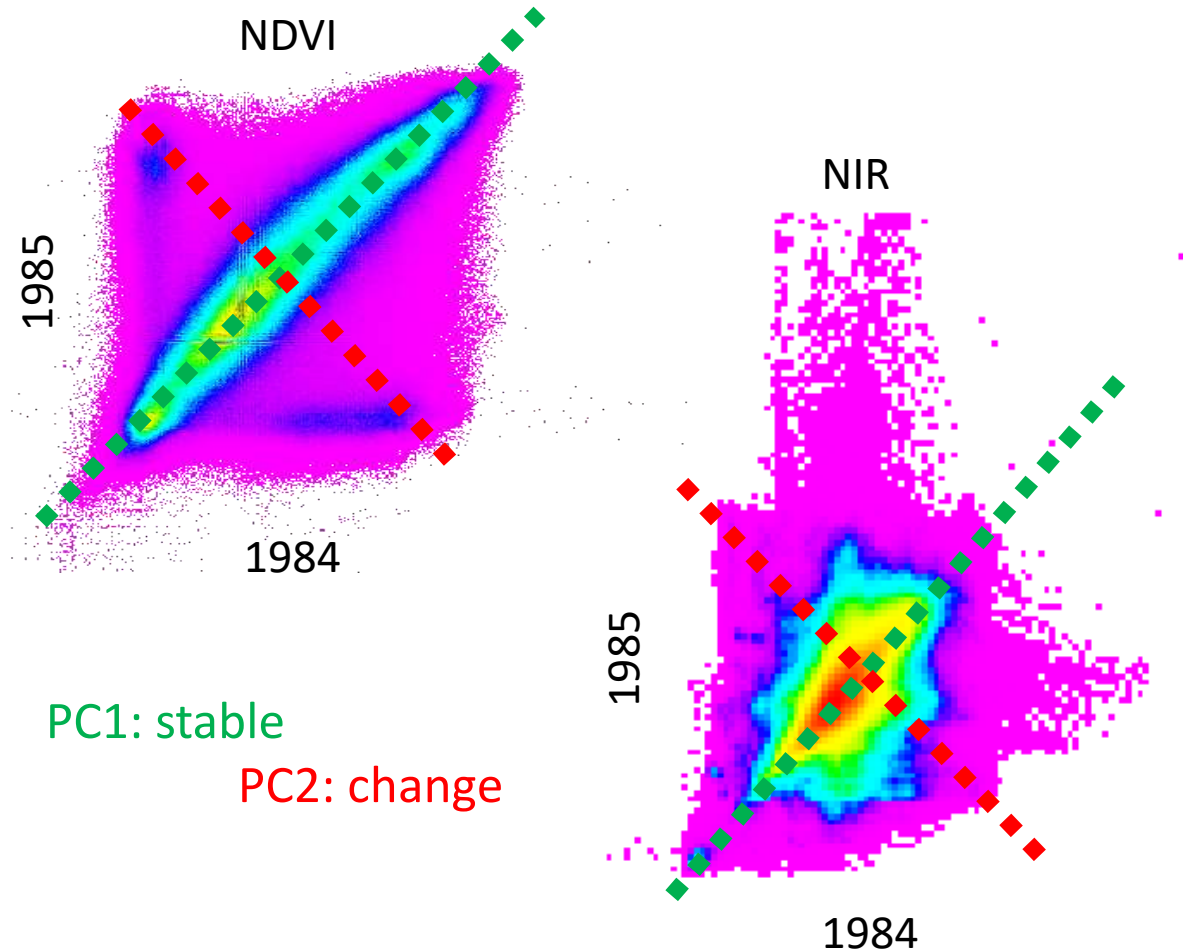
Processing: Trend analysis with LandTrendr

- LLR-LandTrendr, a special variety of LandTrendr for LandsatLinkr input
 - Kennedy, Robert E., Yang, Zhiqiang, & Cohen, Warren B. (2010). Detecting trends in forest disturbance and recovery using yearly Landsat time series: 1. LandTrendr - Temporal segmentation algorithms. *Remote Sensing of Environment*, 114, 2897-2910
 - <https://github.com/jdbcode/LLR-LandTrendr>
- Outputs:
 - fitted time series
 - thematic maps
 - vertex years and values, greatest disturbance, revegetation rate, and many others



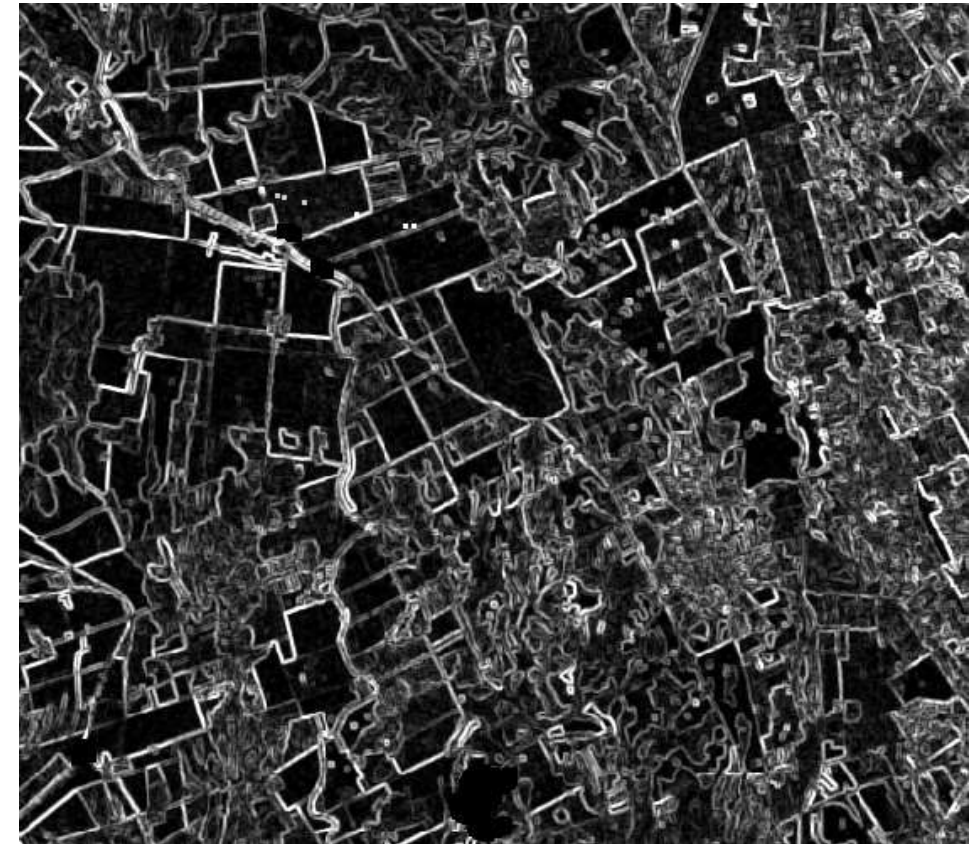
Processing: Bi-temporal PCA

- Bi-temporal PCA invariant detection
 - Executed on pairs of matching spectral band or indices over the same area
 - Output: change/no change map per band or index for consecutive dates
 - Summarized over periods to create stability maps

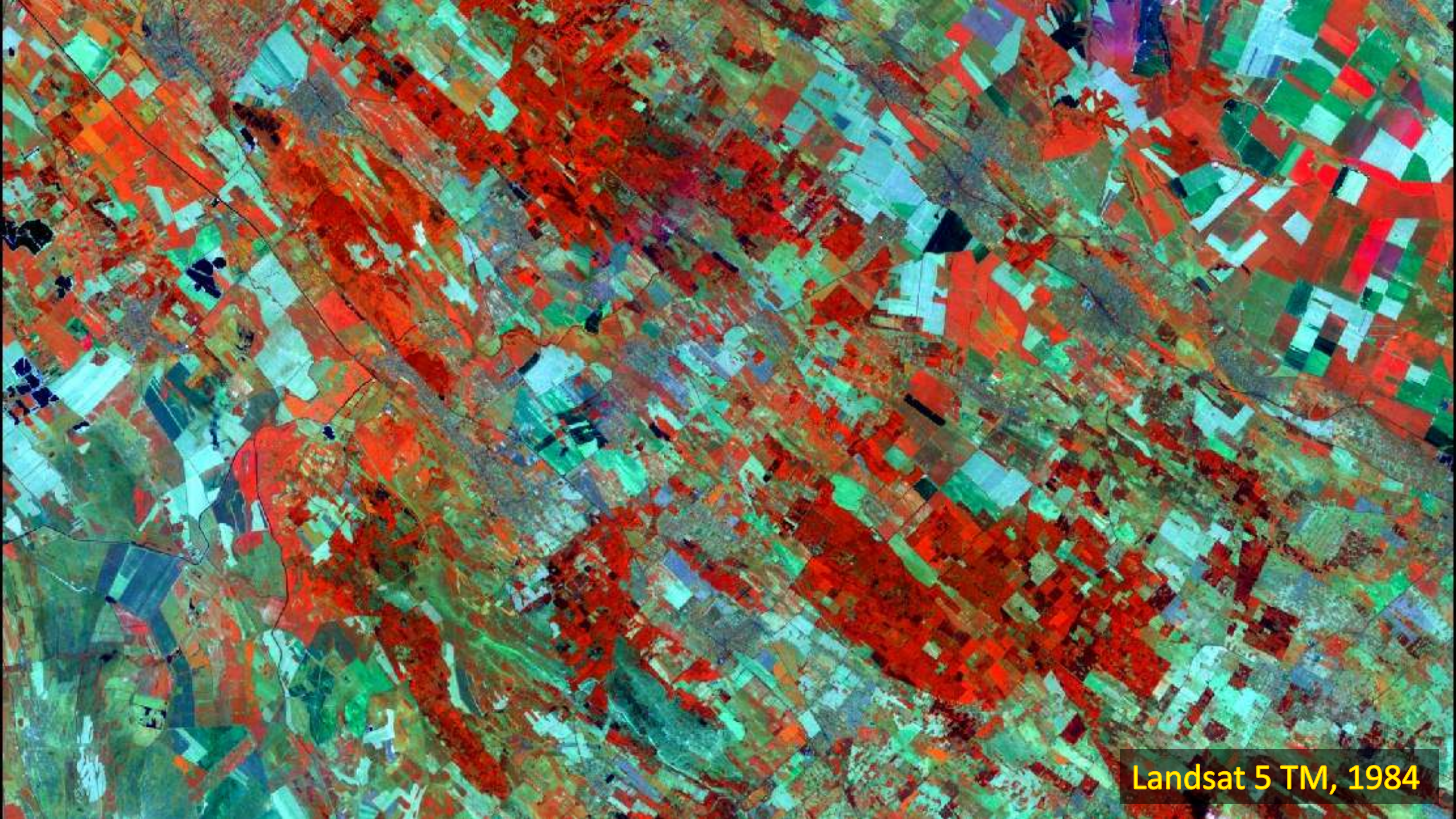


Processing: High-pass filter

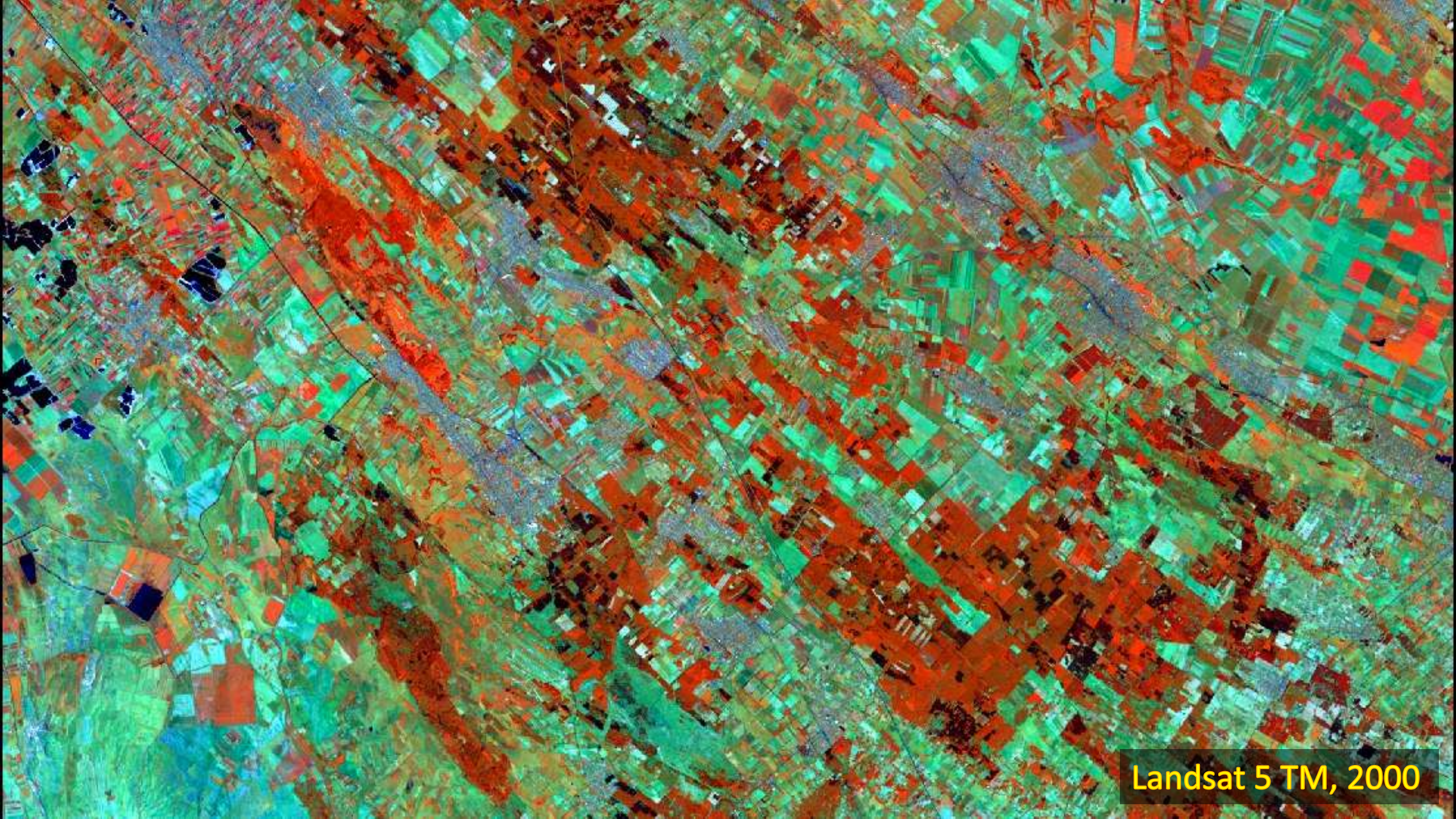
- Emphasizes spatial characteristics and linear structures (borders, barriers, corridors)
- Spectral characteristics are less important: lower sensitivity to spectral variability
- Well suited to detect and track changes in spatial structure, e.g. agricultural land use, constructions, human interventions
- NDVI was used as a basis to emphasize vegetation structure (~ contrast metric)



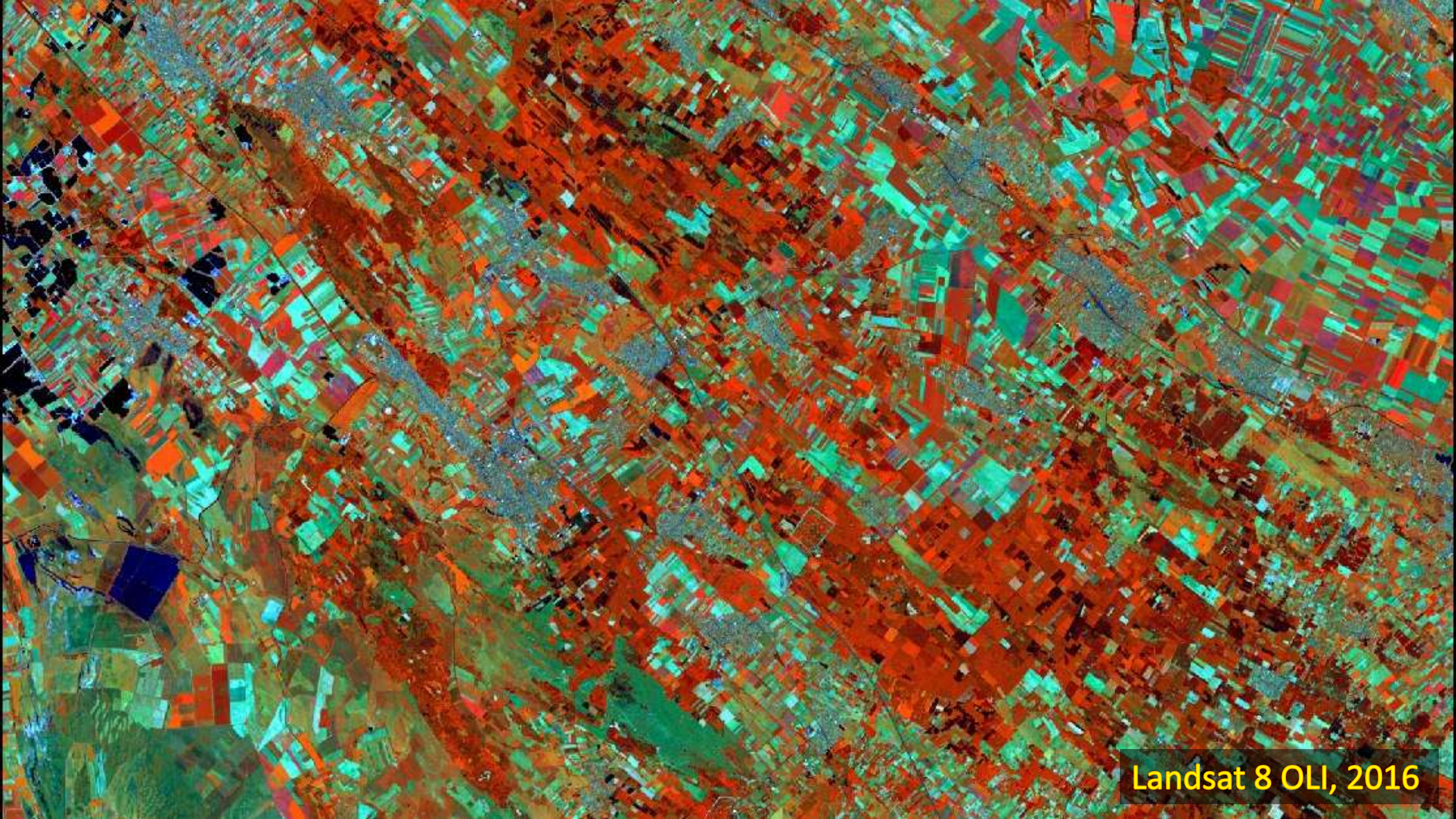
Results



Landsat 5 TM, 1984

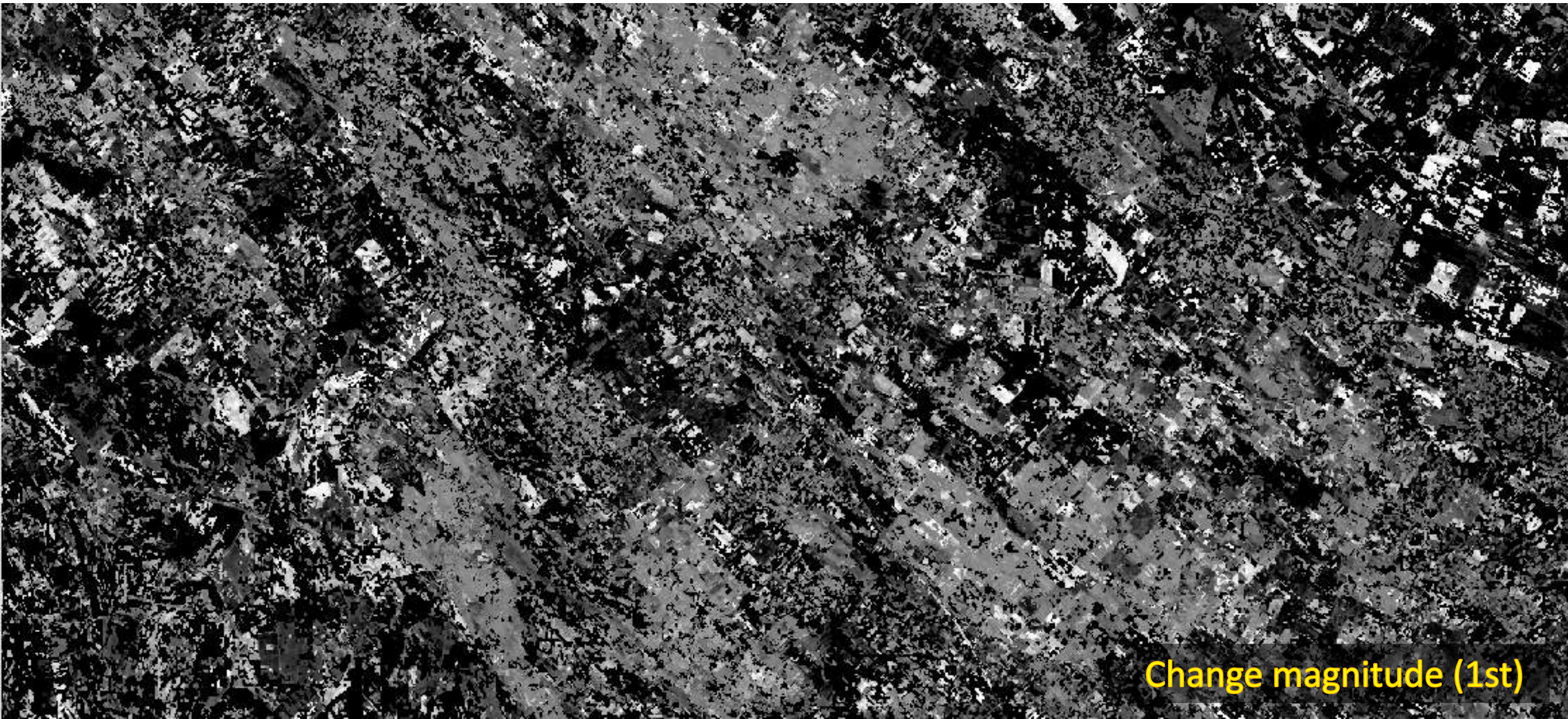


Landsat 5 TM, 2000

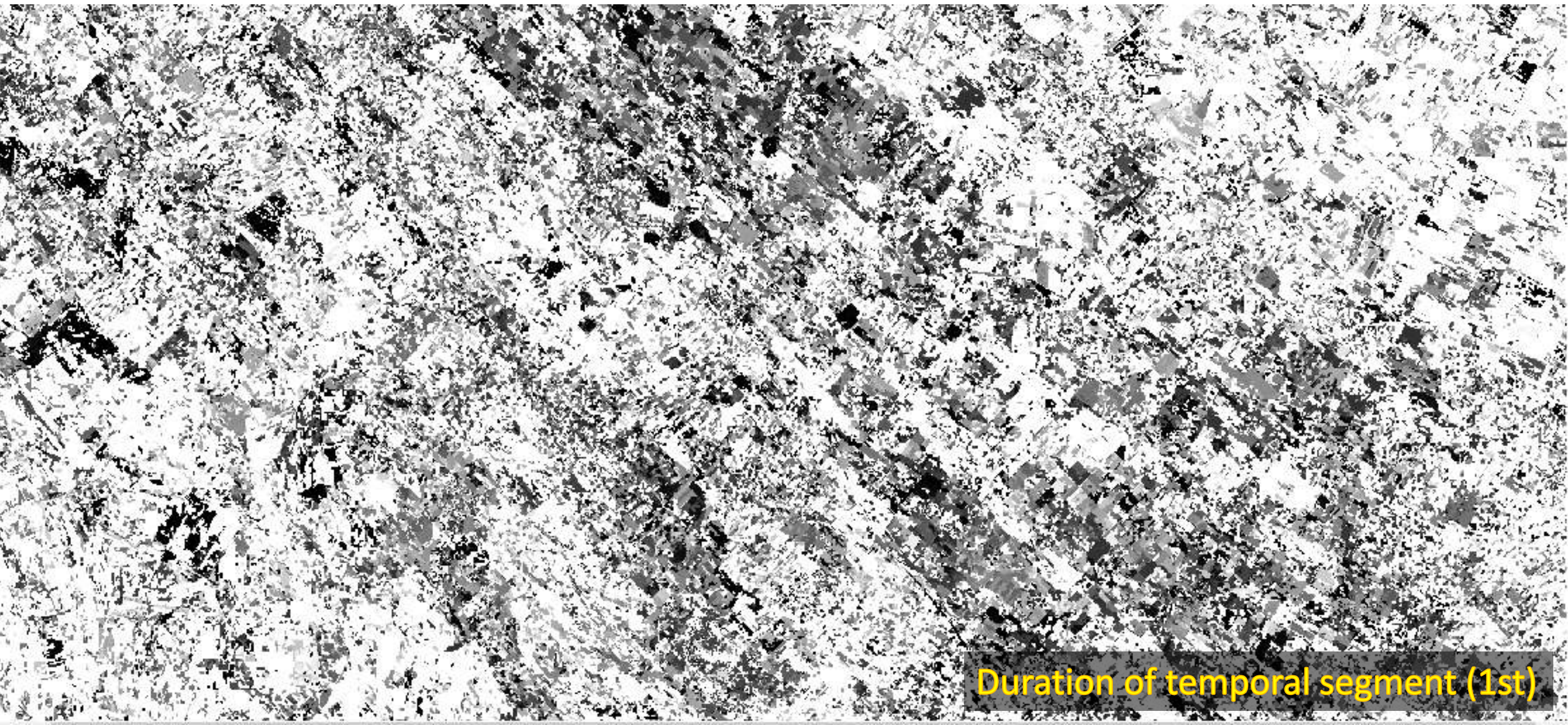


Landsat 8 OLI, 2016

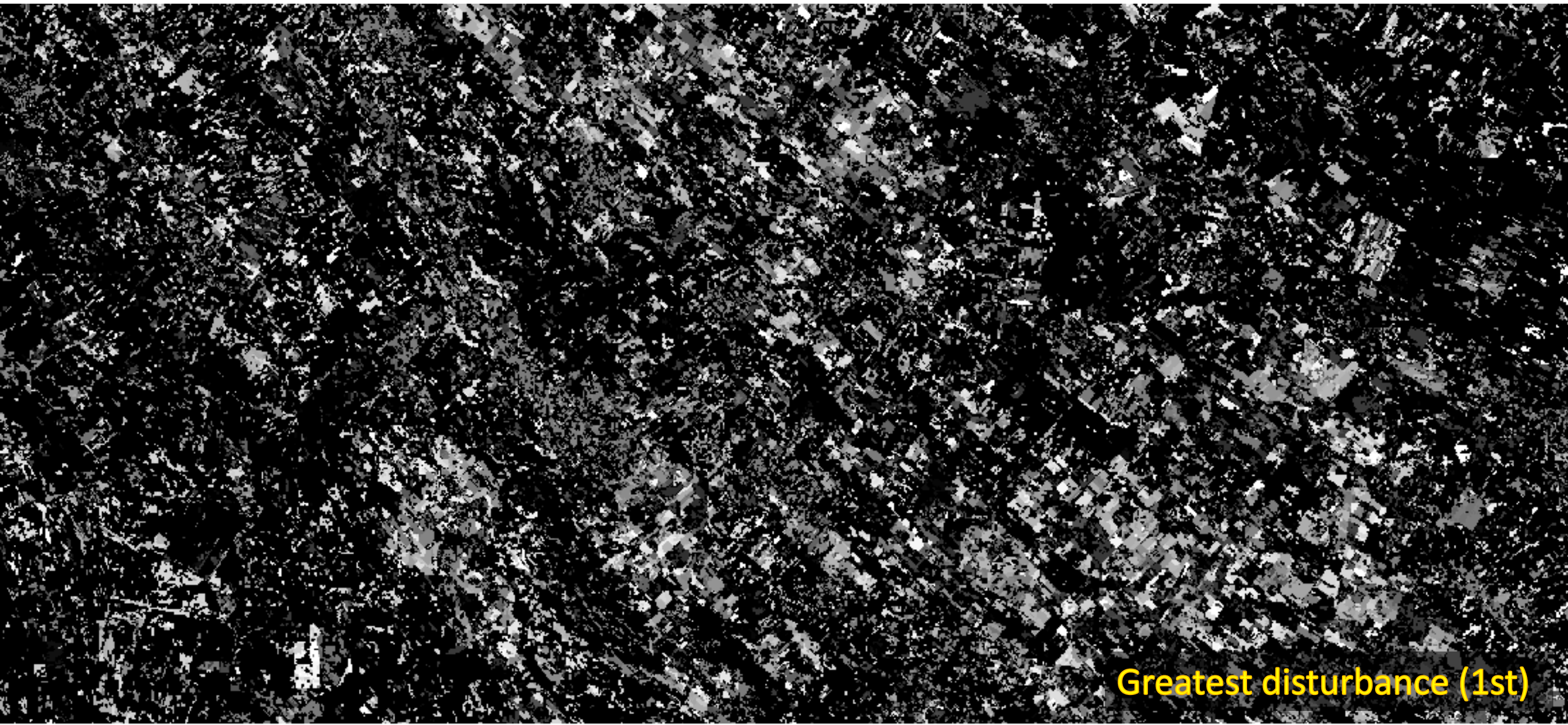
Results: LandTrendr



Change magnitude (1st)

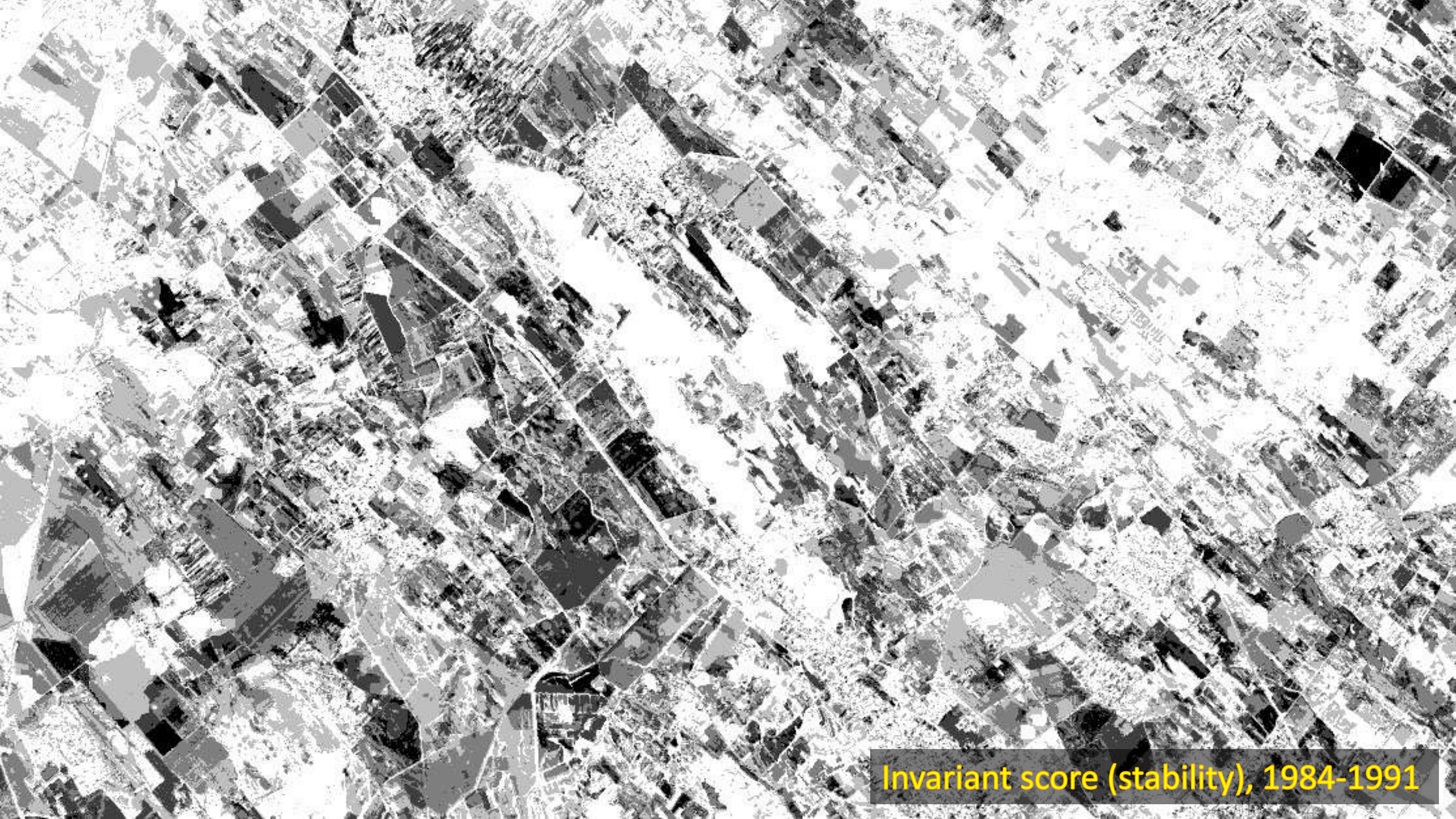


Duration of temporal segment (1st)



Greatest disturbance (1st)

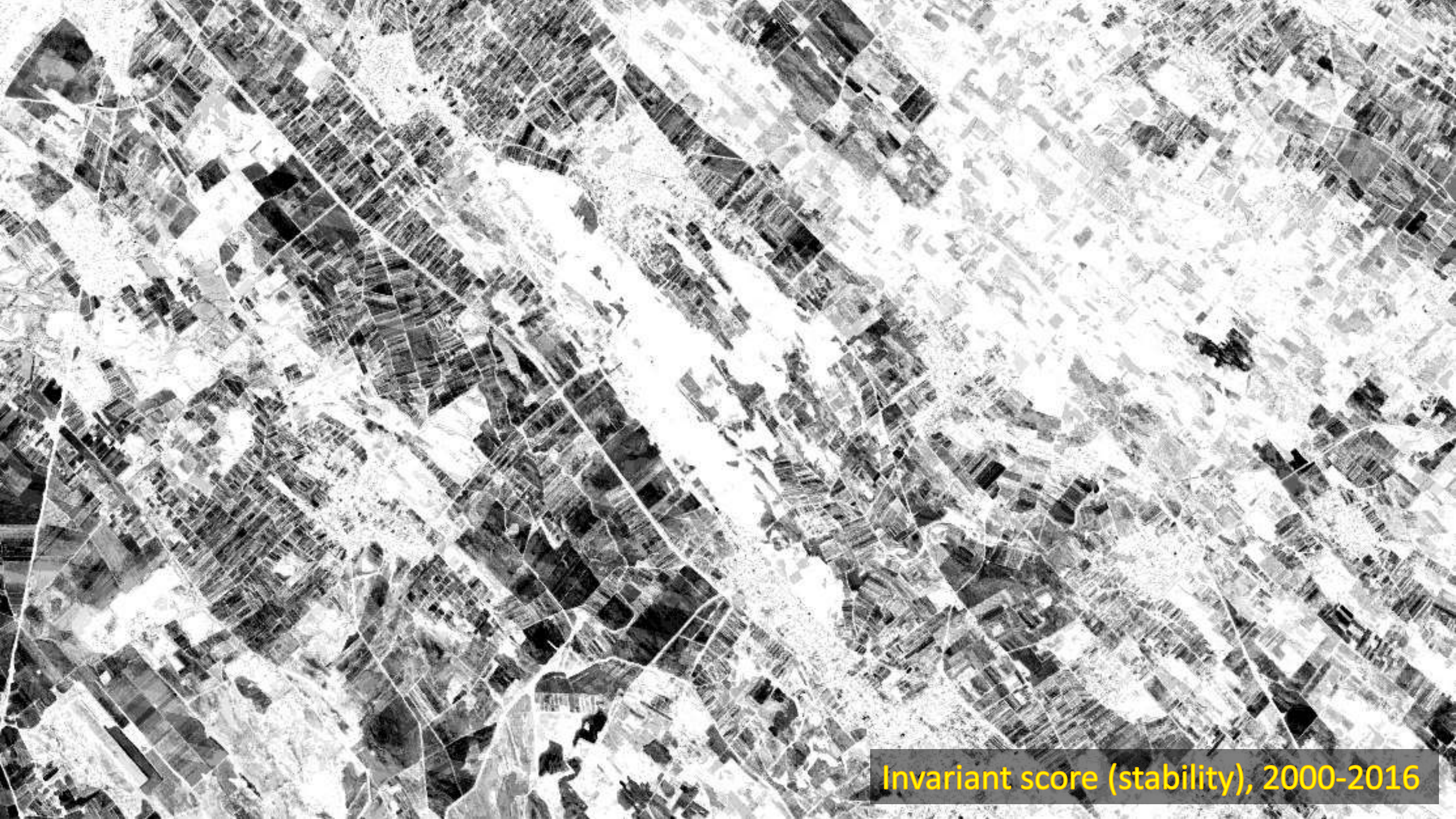
Results: Stability



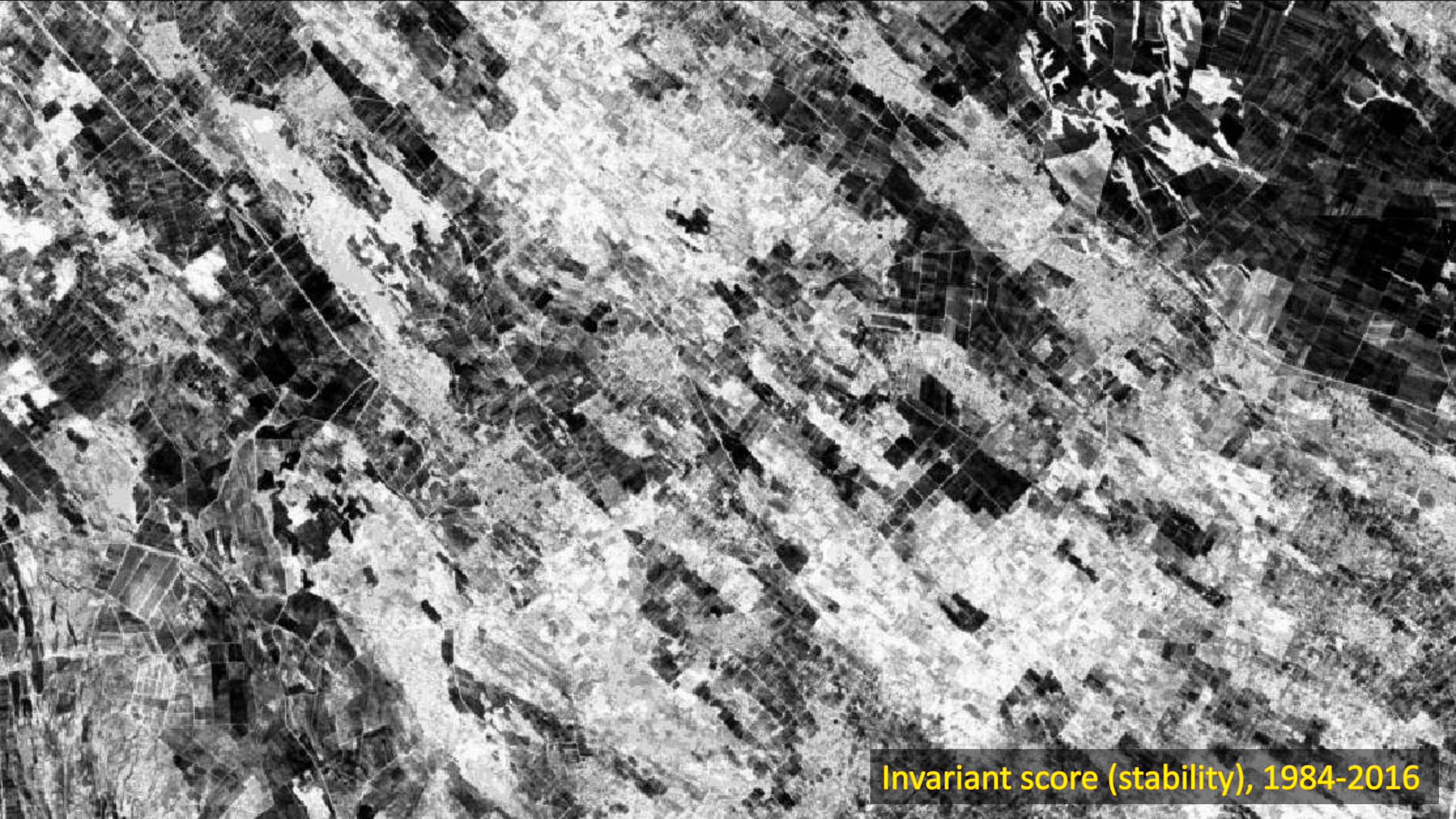
Invariant score (stability), 1984-1991



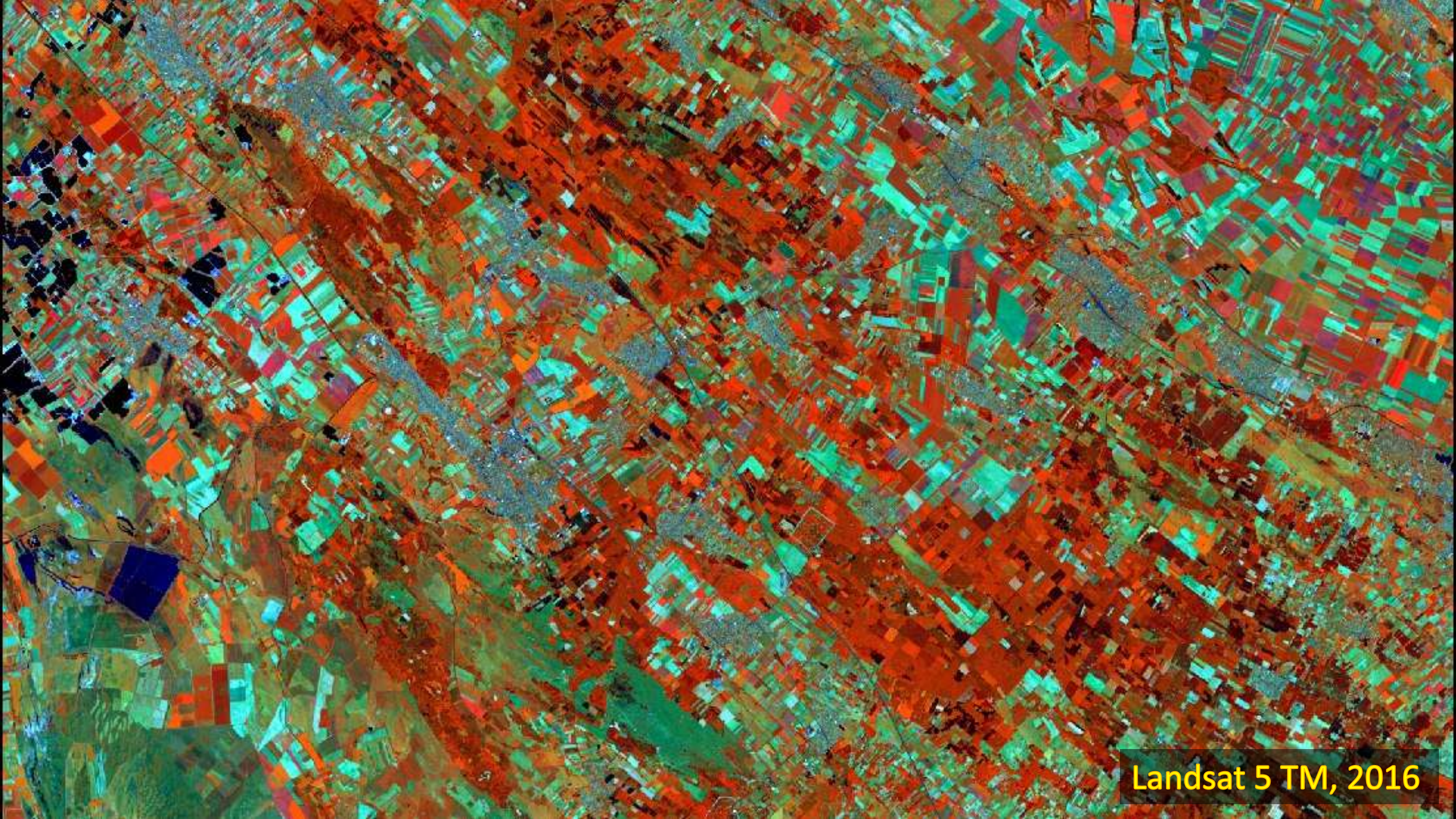
Invariant score (stability), 1991-2000



Invariant score (stability), 2000-2016



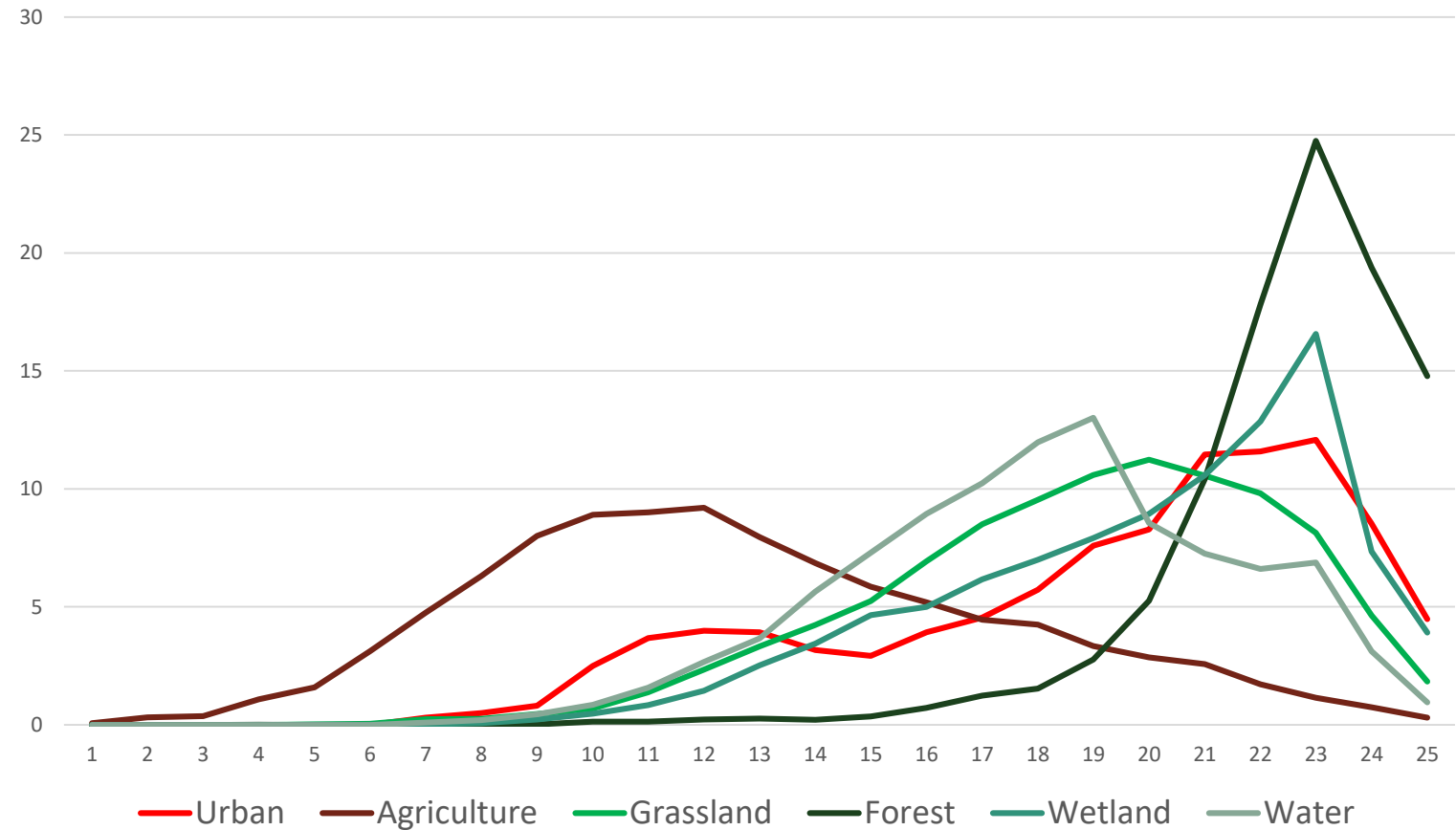
Invariant score (stability), 1984-2016



Landsat 5 TM, 2016

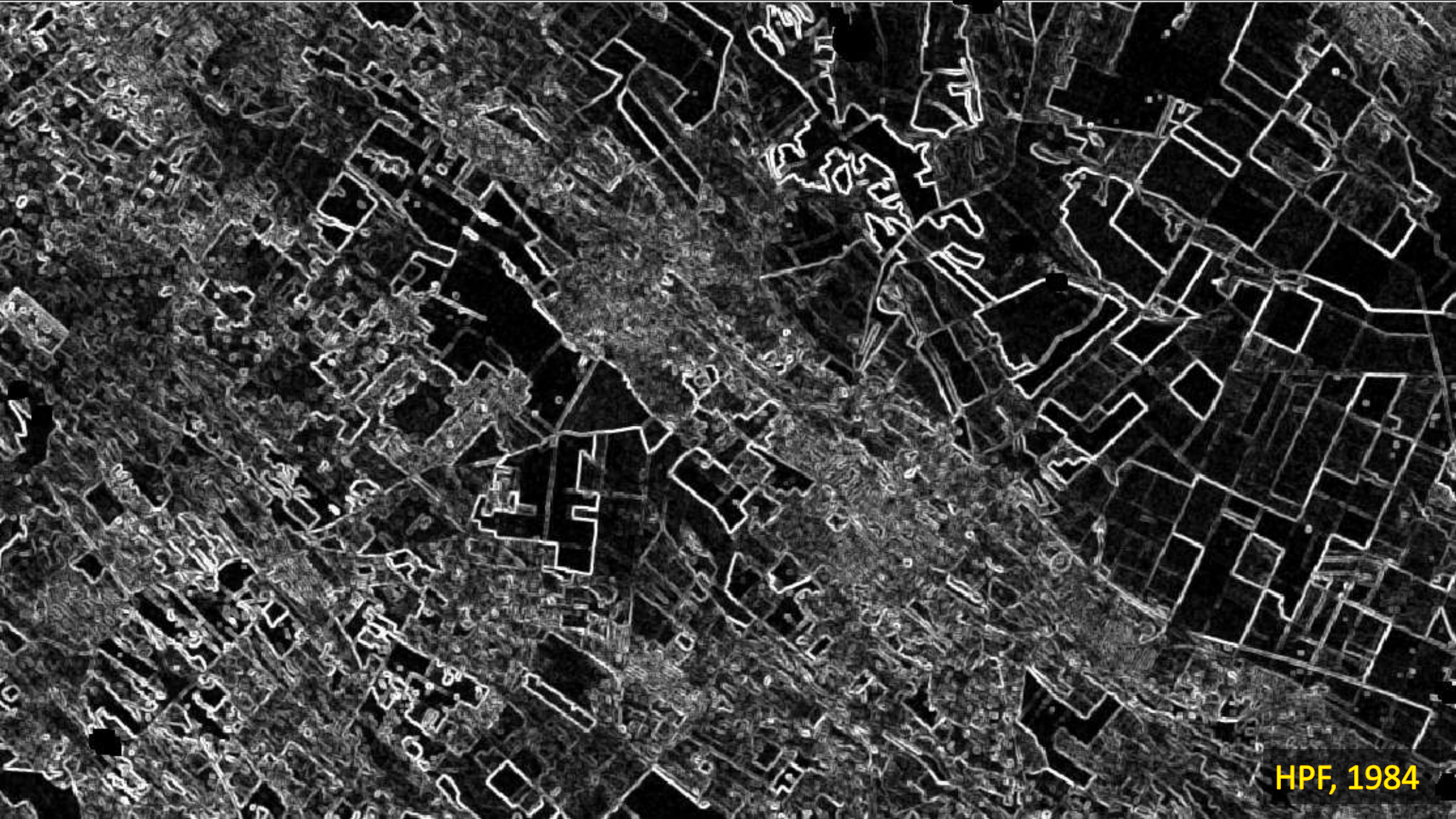
Results

- Distribution of invariant score (number of times selectes as invariant) among land cover categories

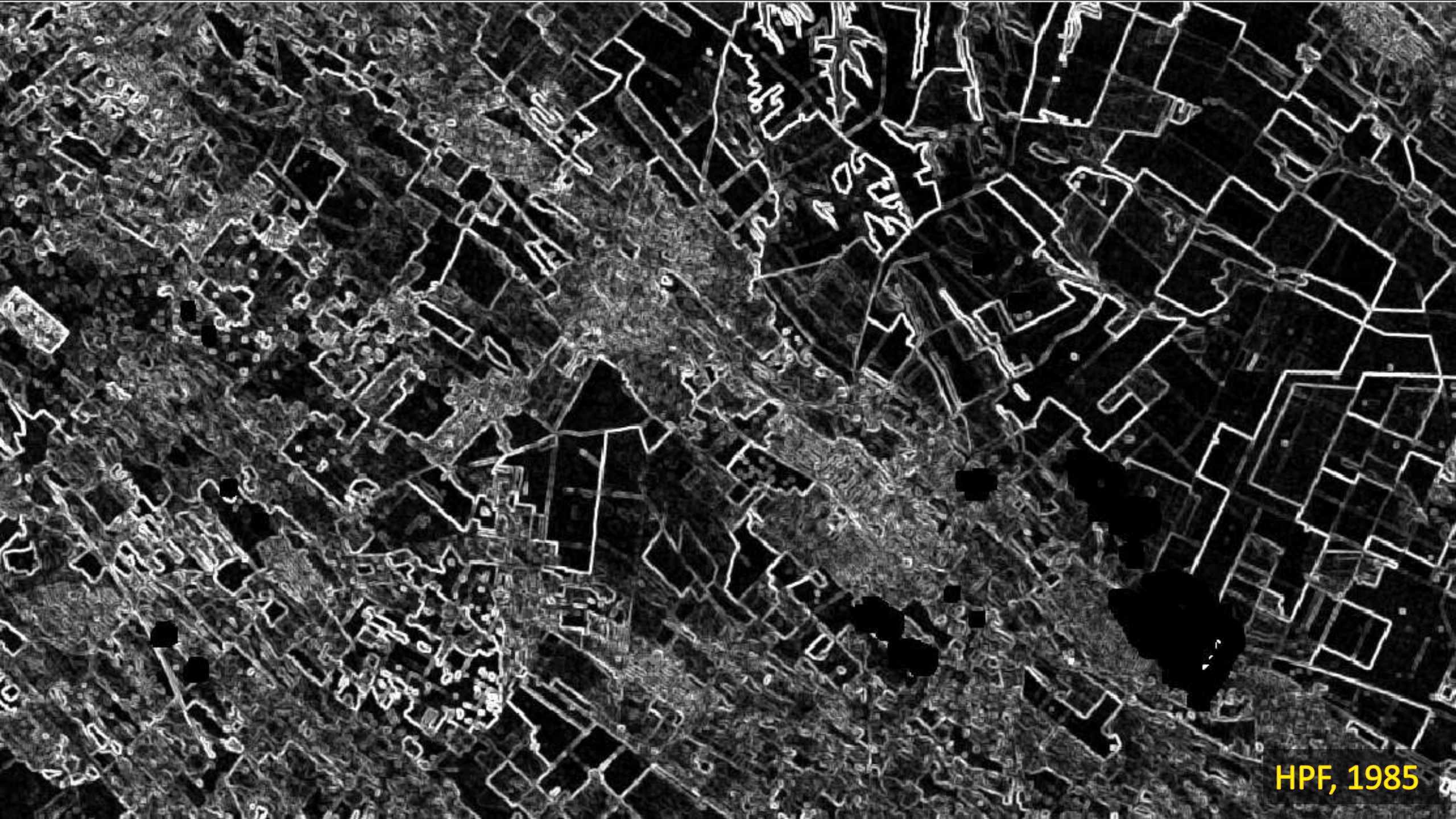


Results: Spatial structure

HPF: Time series



HPF, 1984



HPF, 1985



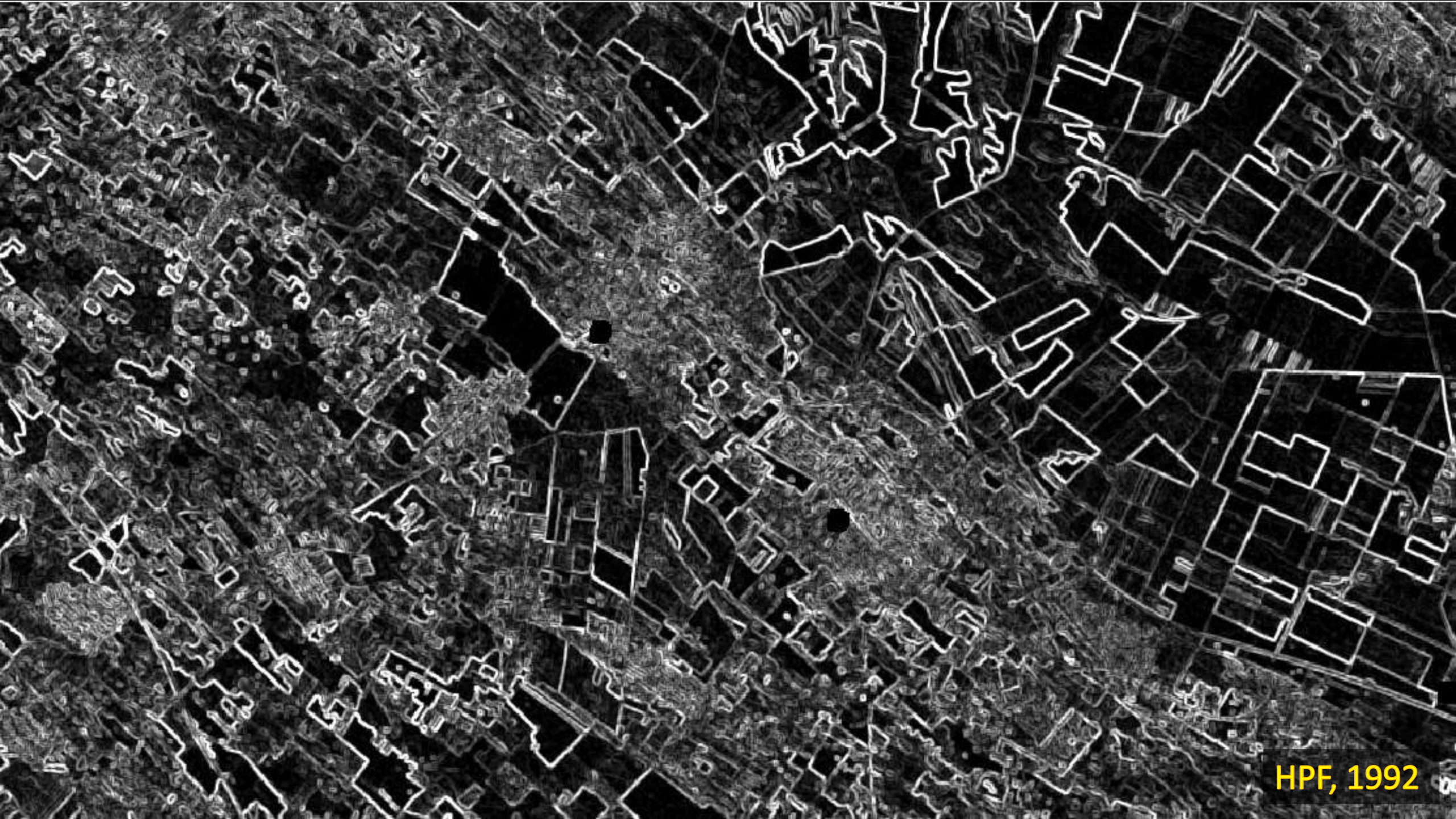
HPF, 1986



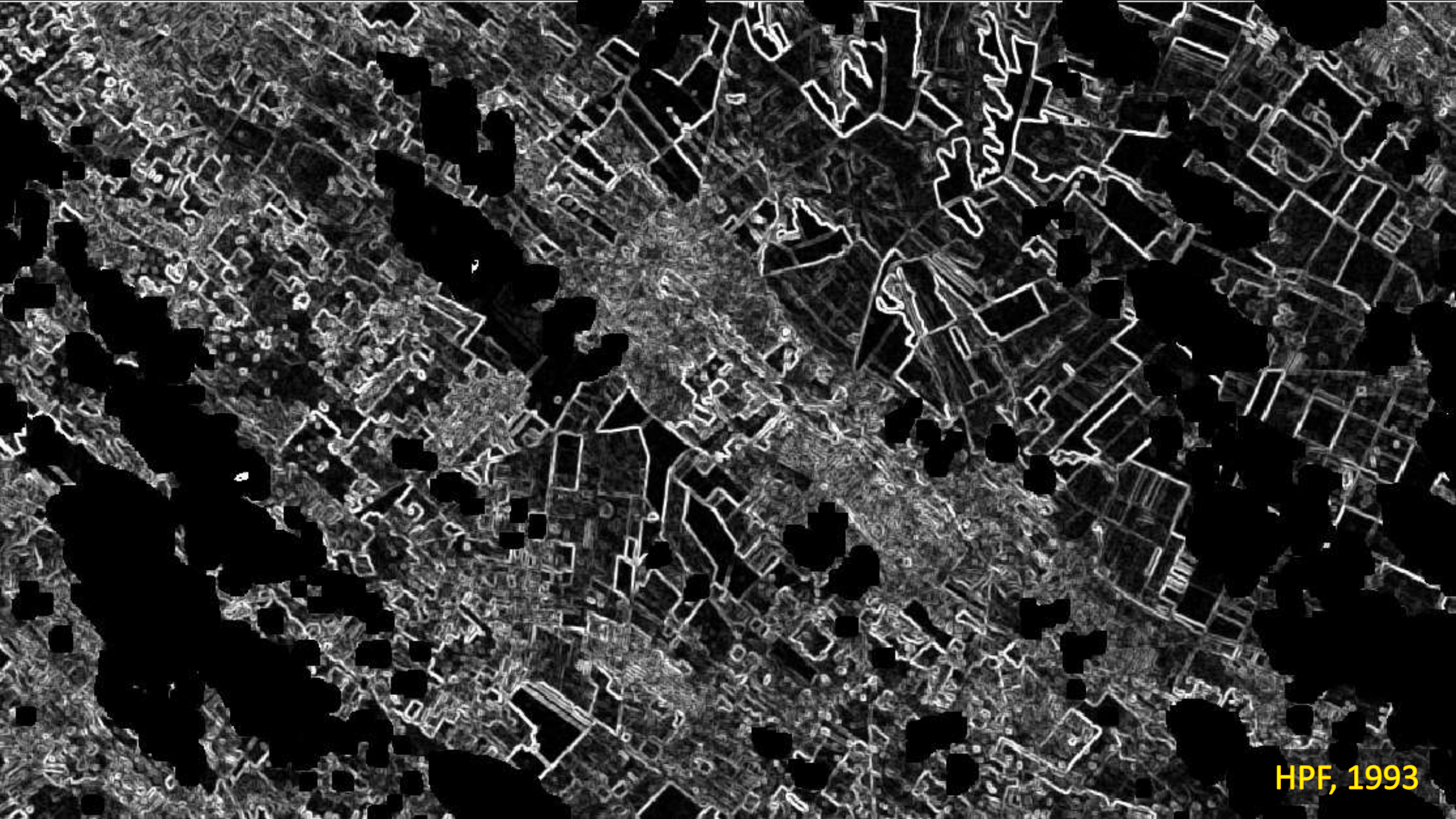
HPF, 1987



HPF, 1991



HPF, 1992



HPF, 1993



HPF, 1994



HPF, 1995



HPF, 1996



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HPF, 2007

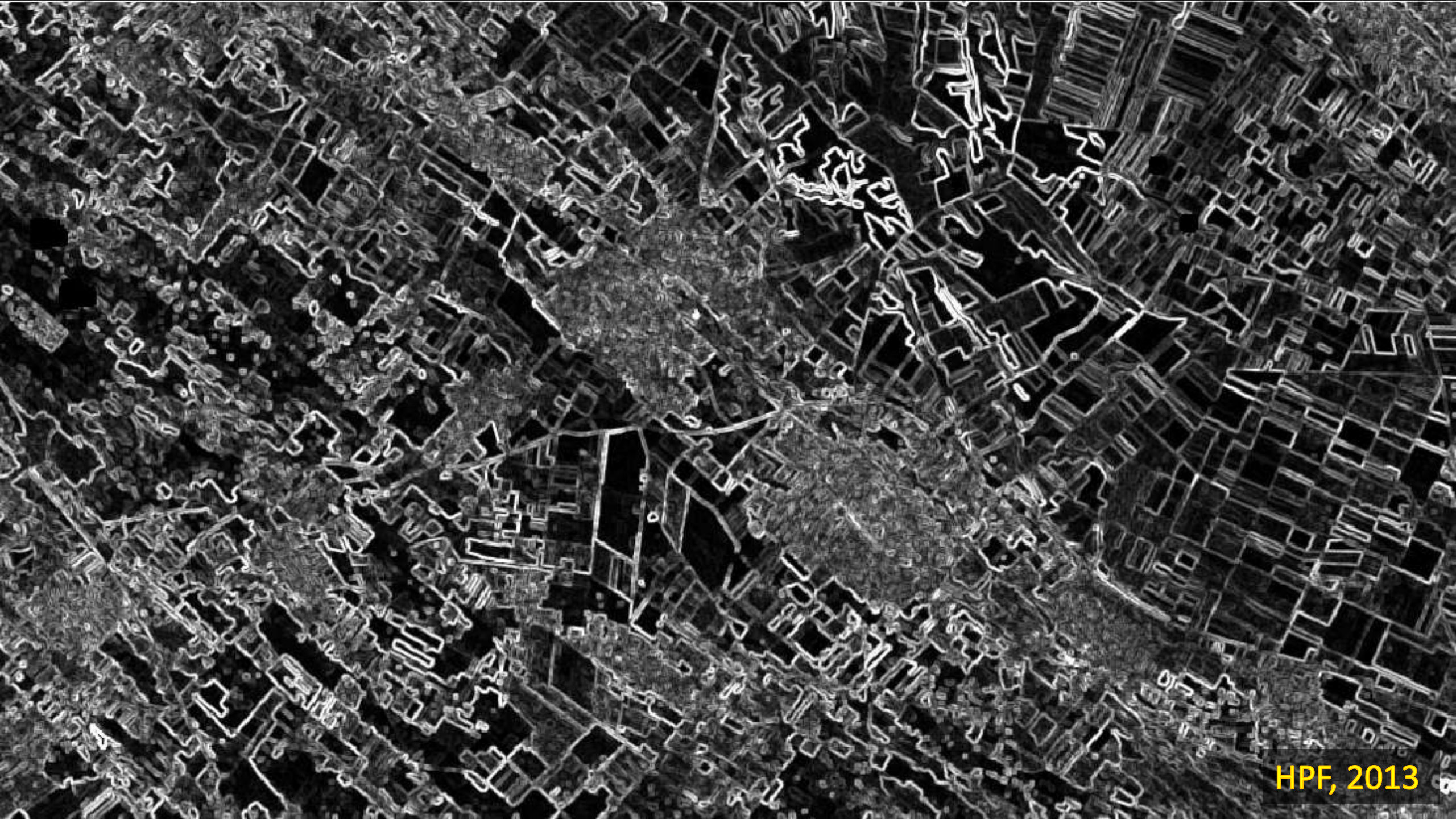


HPF, 2009



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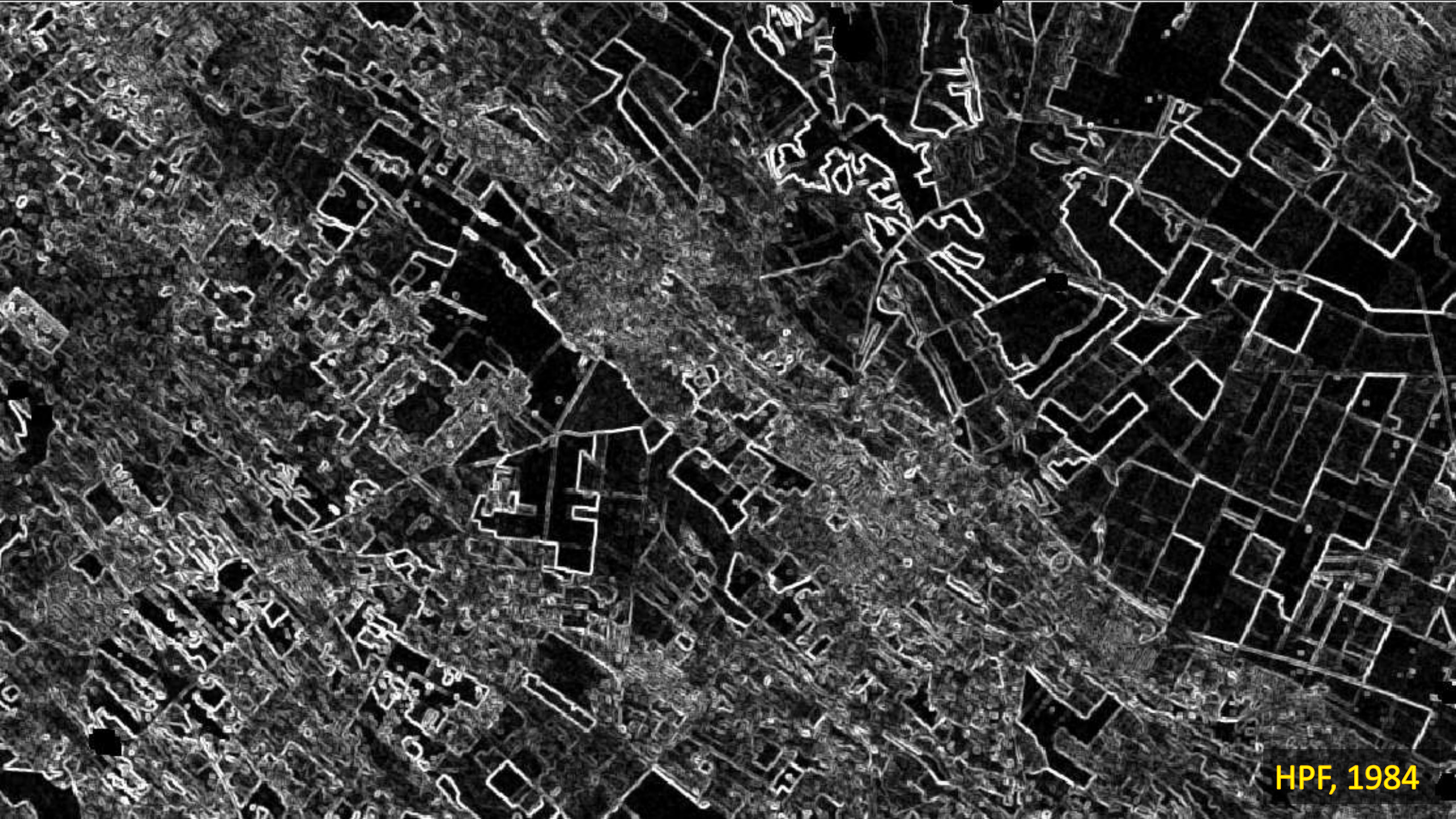
HPF, 2013



HPF, 2014



HPF, 2015



HPF, 1984

HPF: Temporal aggregation



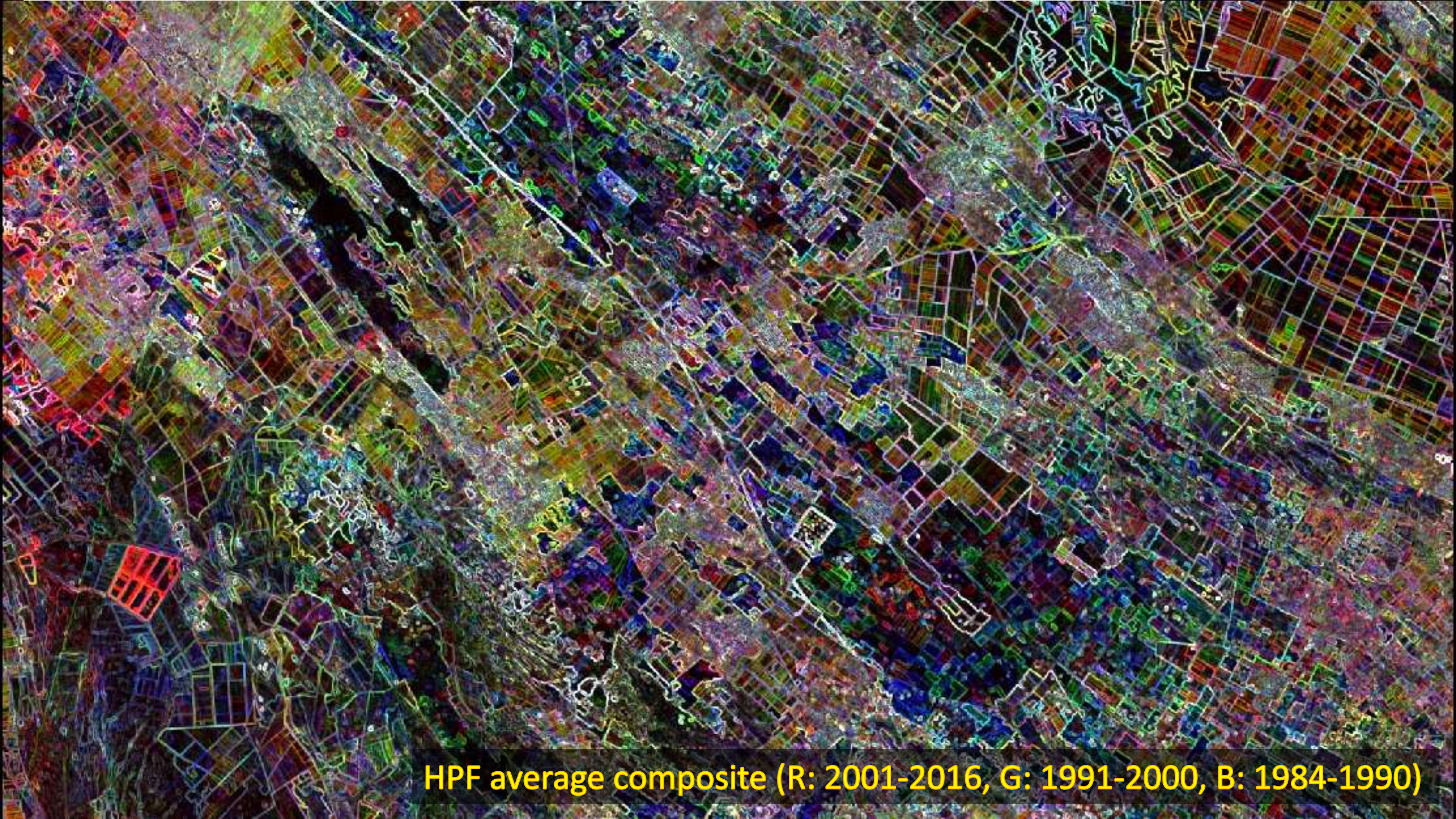
HPF average , 1984-1991



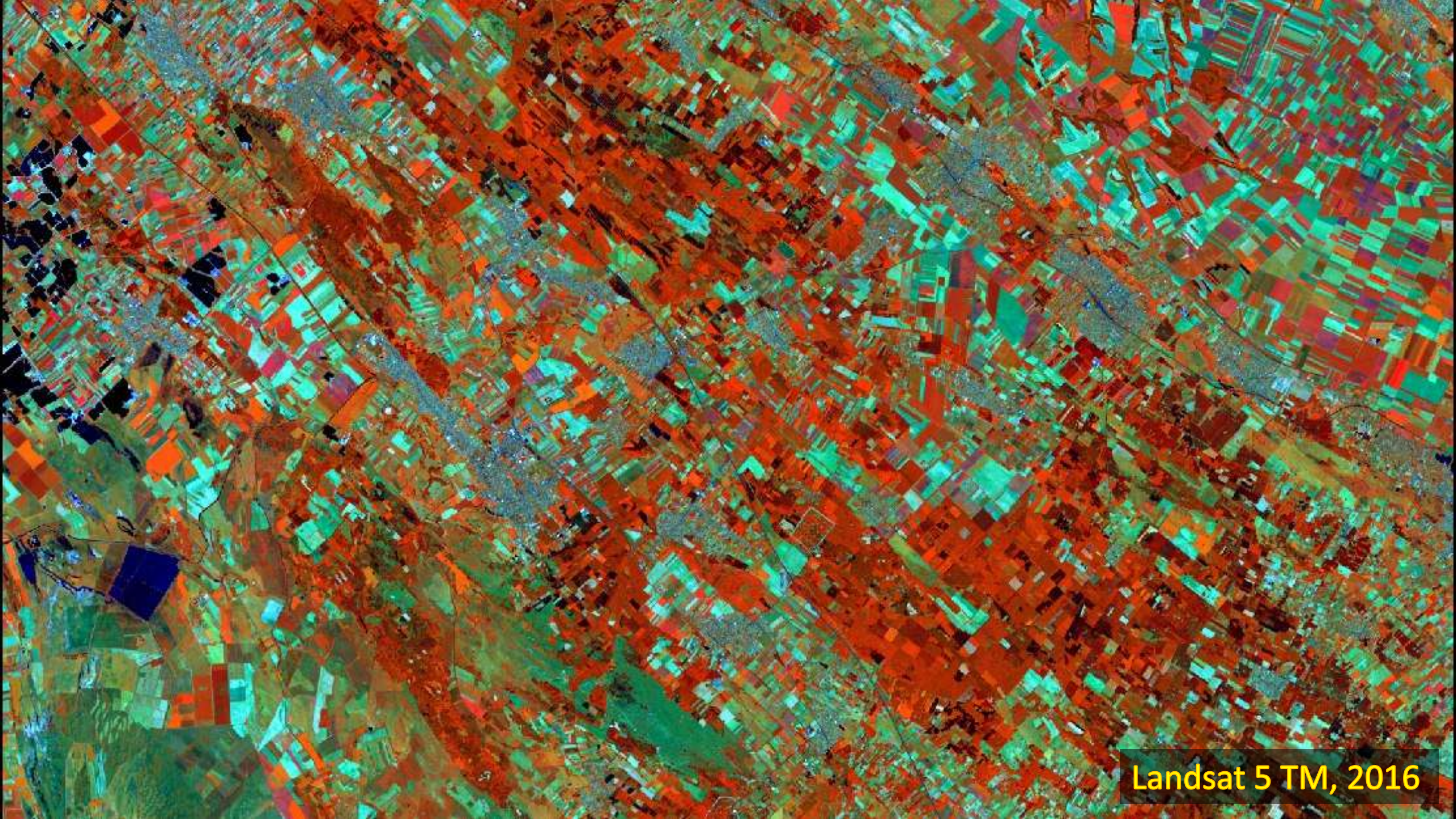
HPF average , 1992-2000



HPF average , 2001-2016



HPF average composite (R: 2001-2016, G: 1991-2000, B: 1984-1990)



Landsat 5 TM, 2016

Conclusions and outlook

Conclusions

- It was possible to construct long-term Landsat surface reflectance annual time series by the combination of NASA/USGS and ESA archives
- Preprocessing supported by LEDAPS, data preparation by LandsatLinkr
- LandTrendr provides a tremendous amount of information, very useful for forested areas, but less suitable for grasslands, no trends in agriculture. Also, optimization of parameter settings is needed.
- Bitemporal PCA-based invariant mapping executed over the time series provided tangible stability scores
- Changes in spatial structure of land use and linear landscape elements were successfully emphasized and tracked by HPF filtering and its temporal aggregation

Outlook

- MAJA / MACCS (<https://logiciels.cnes.fr/en/content/maja>) to remove residual clouds from the time series
- Cross-validate detected changes with reference data (forest inventory database, CORINE change maps, extensive visual inspection)
- Investigate the relationship between land cover stability and ecosystem services
- Extend processing over Hungary
- Involve MSS data and historical maps to dig deeper into the past
- Adapt the methods for Sentinel-2 to prepare future monitoring activities



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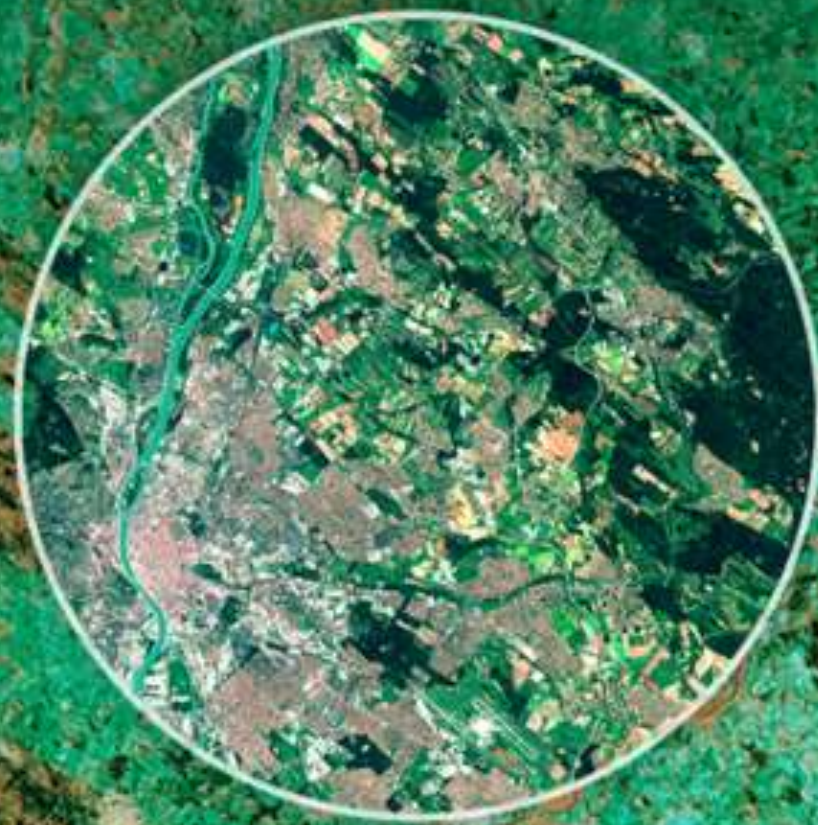
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