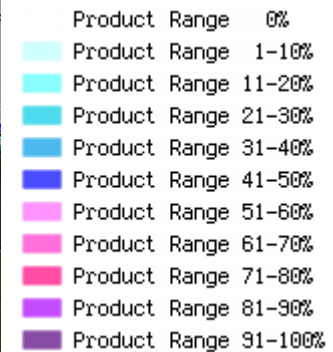
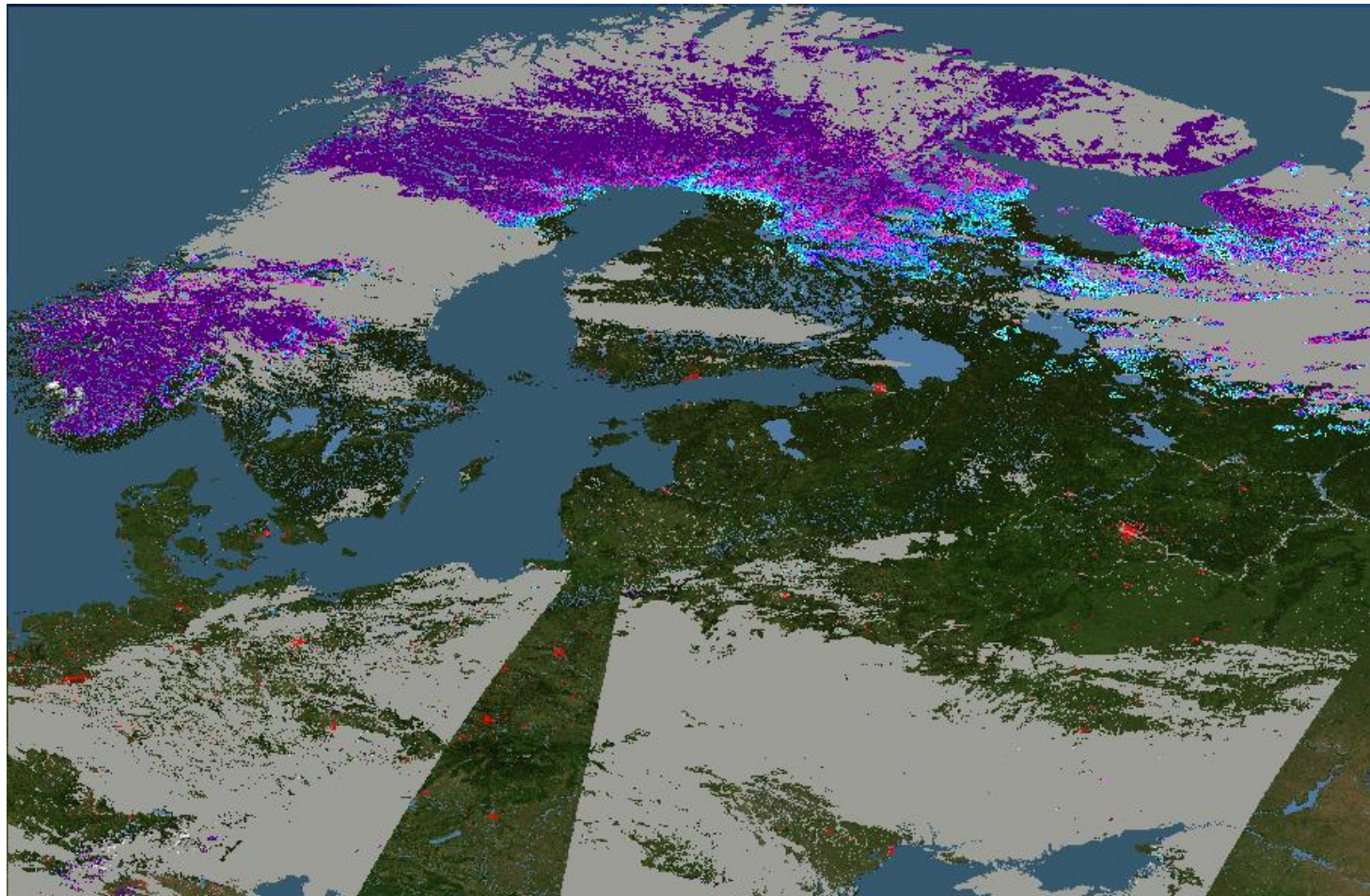


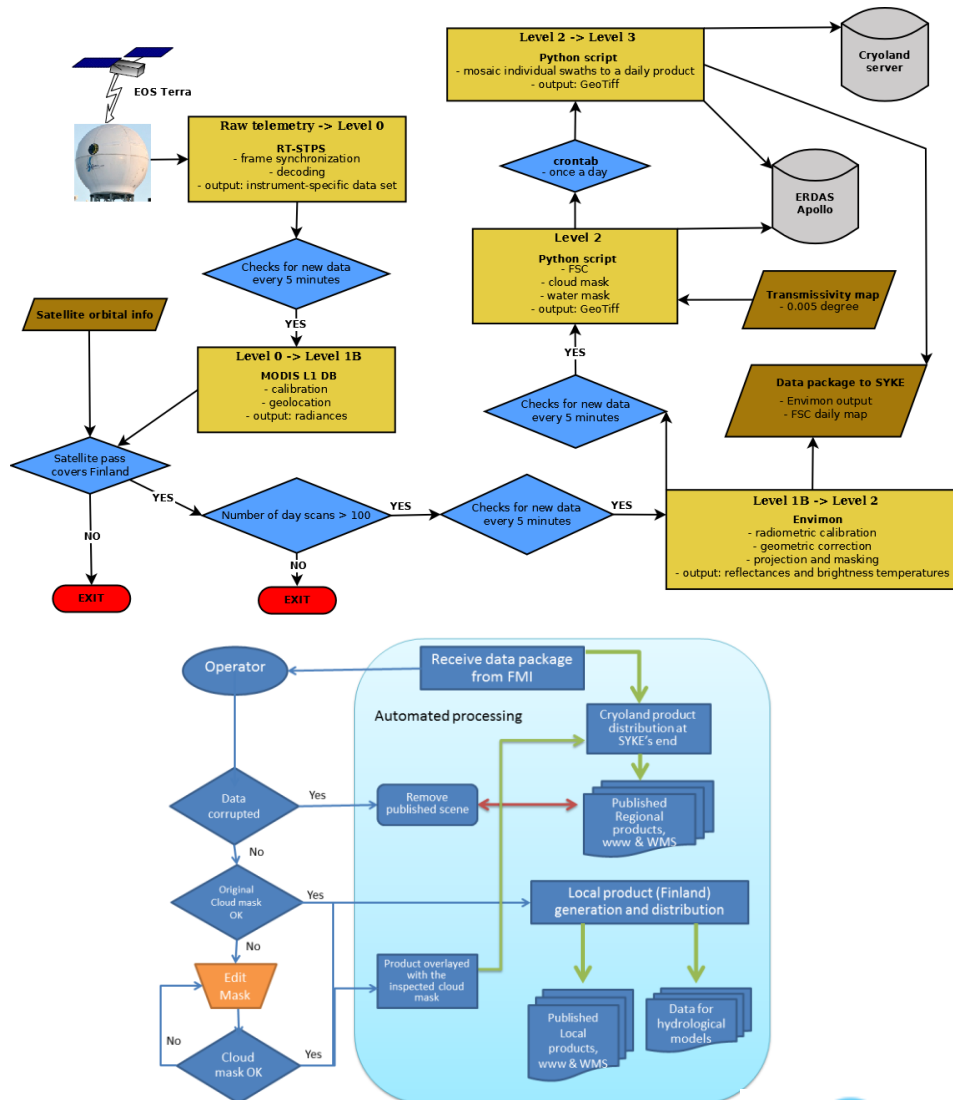
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Regional FSC product for the Baltic Sea area



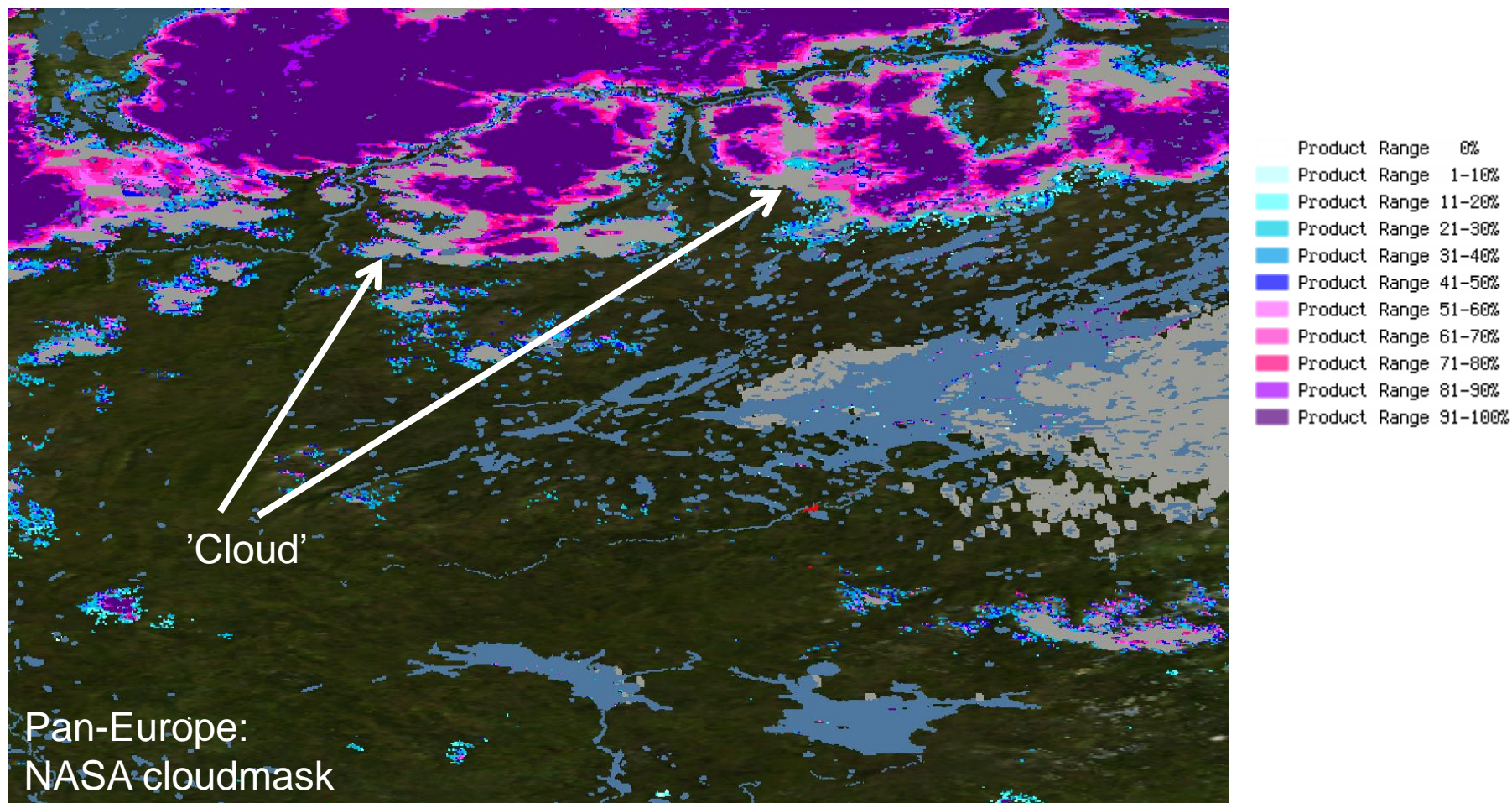
- Automated receiving, processing and delivery at Sodankylä, FMI&SYKE co-operation, published in Cryoland Server
- Daily service, automatic
- At SYKE, value-added (visual cloud-checkings, drainage basin statistics) products generated, published as SYKE-service
- SCAmo^d-method by SYKE applied to terra/MODIS, 0.005 deg (~500m) resolution, dedicated to forested areas
- New improved cloud screening method by SYKE
- Service successfully in use starting in 2013 (Service active February-May, i.e. melting period)



Importance of snow/cloud discrimination

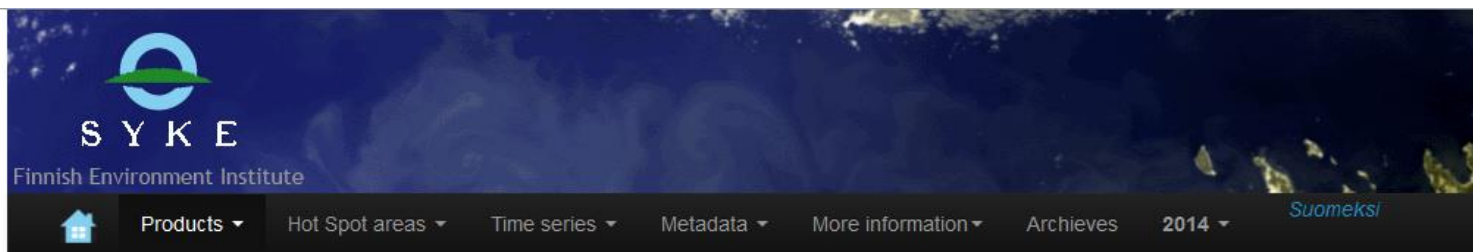


- NASA MODIS cloud mask often confuses between clouds and fractional snow
- SYKE cloud mask does a better job in this respect
- A proper cloud masking method is crucial!



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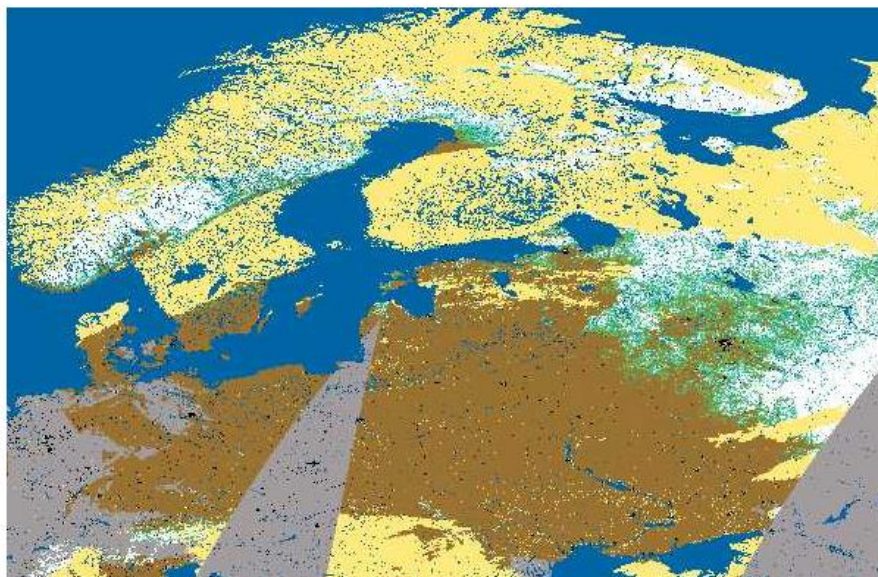
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Fractional snow cover (FSC) in the Baltic sea region 2014, satellite

Instrument: Terra MODIS

You can browse the maps by moving mouse pointer on top of the days in the calendar marked in blue. Click on the map to enlarge.



Lataa lumikartta GeoTiff-muodossa/ Load Snow Map GeoTiff (zip)

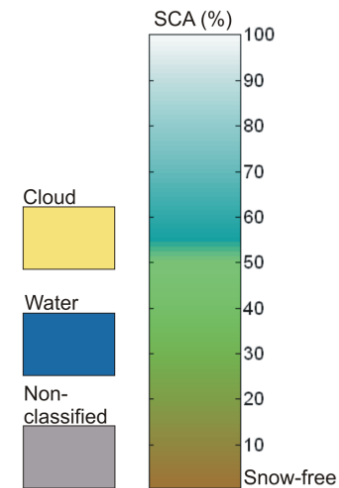
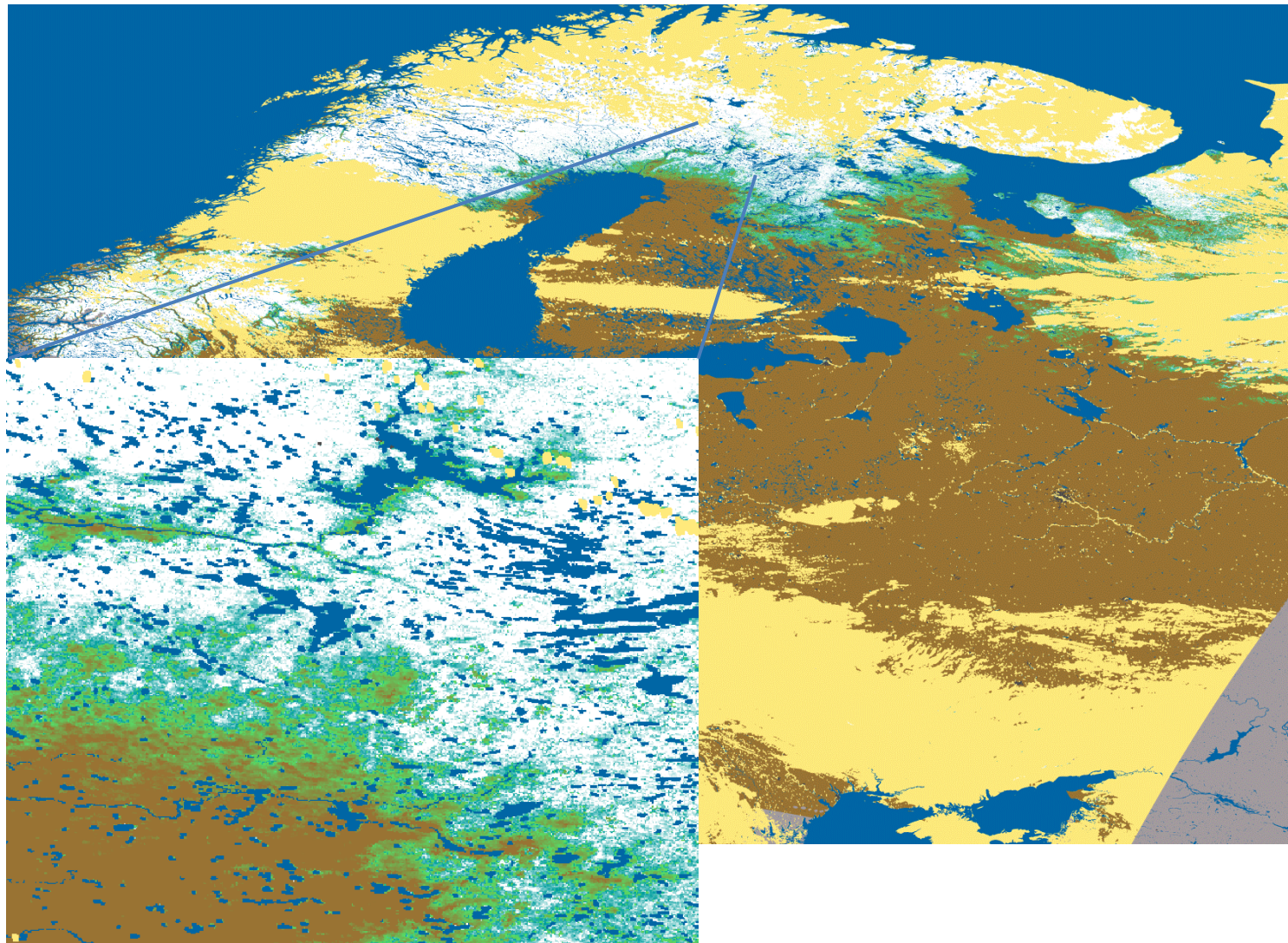
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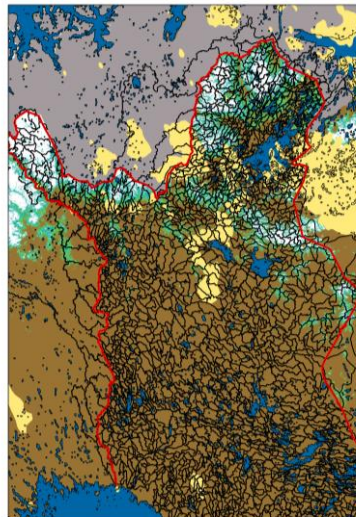
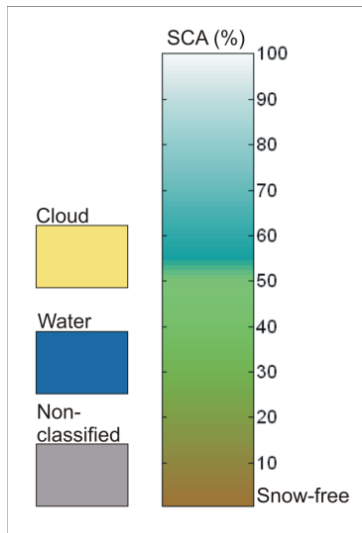
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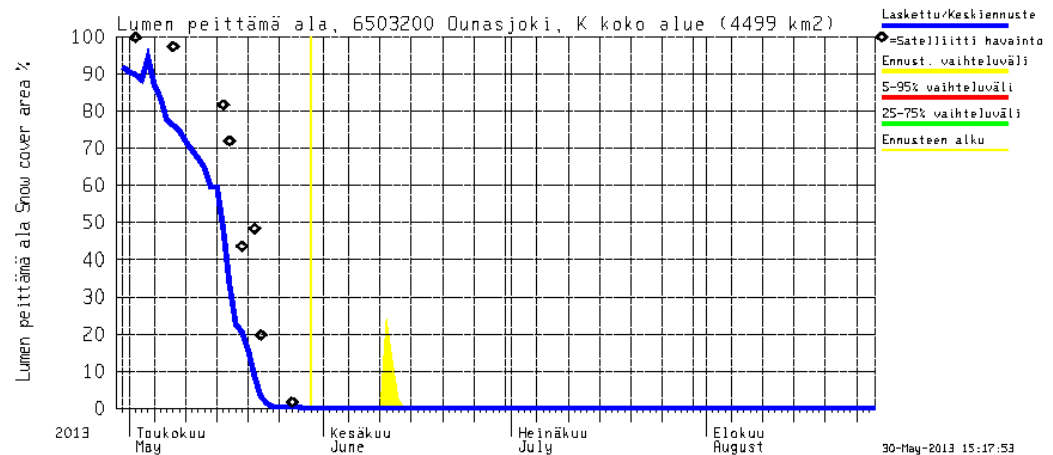
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SYKE value added product: drainage basin statistics



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- SYKE in collaboration with FMI will continue the Baltic Sea regional service at least for next 4-5 years
- National satellite data processing Centre at Sodankylä will operate the production chains