

Documentation – Enhanced land use classification 2015 of the Rur catchment

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files:	<p>data</p> <p>lu15_.tif</p> <p>lu15_.tfw</p> <p>lu15_.txt [land use dataset as ascii file]</p> <p>lu15_.prj</p> <p>documentation</p> <p>this file</p> <p>Read_Me.txt</p> <p>Legend_LU15.txt</p>
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Description	
description:	<p>This data set contains the final land use classification of 2015 for the study area of the CRC/Transregio 32: "Patterns in Soil-Vegetation-Atmosphere Systems: monitoring, modelling and data assimilation", which corresponds to the catchment of the river Rur. The study area is mainly situated in the western part of North Rhine-Westphalia (Germany) and parts of the Netherlands and Belgium, covering an area of approximately 2365 square kilometers.</p> <p>The land use classification is derived from supervised, multi temporal remote sensing data analysis using Landsat 8 (L8) and RapidEye (RE). For the final land use analysis datasets of the following acquisition dates were</p>

employed: April 15 (RE), April 23 (RE), May 15 (L8), June 04 (RE), July 07 (RE), August 01 (RE), August 20 (RE), September 29 (L8), and October 01 (RE).

Full coverage of the study area was not available for all acquisition dates and thus the crop classification is partly affected in its depth of information. For the assessment of the crop classification accuracy refer to the error matrix on the last page.

To enhance the information content of the land use data product, the Multi-Data Approach (MDA) was applied to combine the remote sensing derived land use information with additional data sets like the 'Authoritative Topographic-Cartographic Information System' (ATKIS Basic-DLM, AAA schema) and 'Physical Block' information. Furthermore, OpenStreetMap (OSM) data were integrated to update the information on the road network, settlement areas in the Netherlands where CorineLandCover data were outdated, and the course of the river Rur in the Netherlands. Additionally information on cropping areas in the Netherlands were acquired and implemented. Thus, a more disaggregated land use was obtained, especially for the regions in Belgium and the Netherlands.

The methodology of the MDA is described in more detail in Waldhoff & Bareth (2008), Waldhoff et al. (2012) and Waldhoff 2014).

The classification is provided in GeoTIFF and in ASCII format. Spatial resolution: 15 m; Projection: WGS84, UTM Zone 32N.

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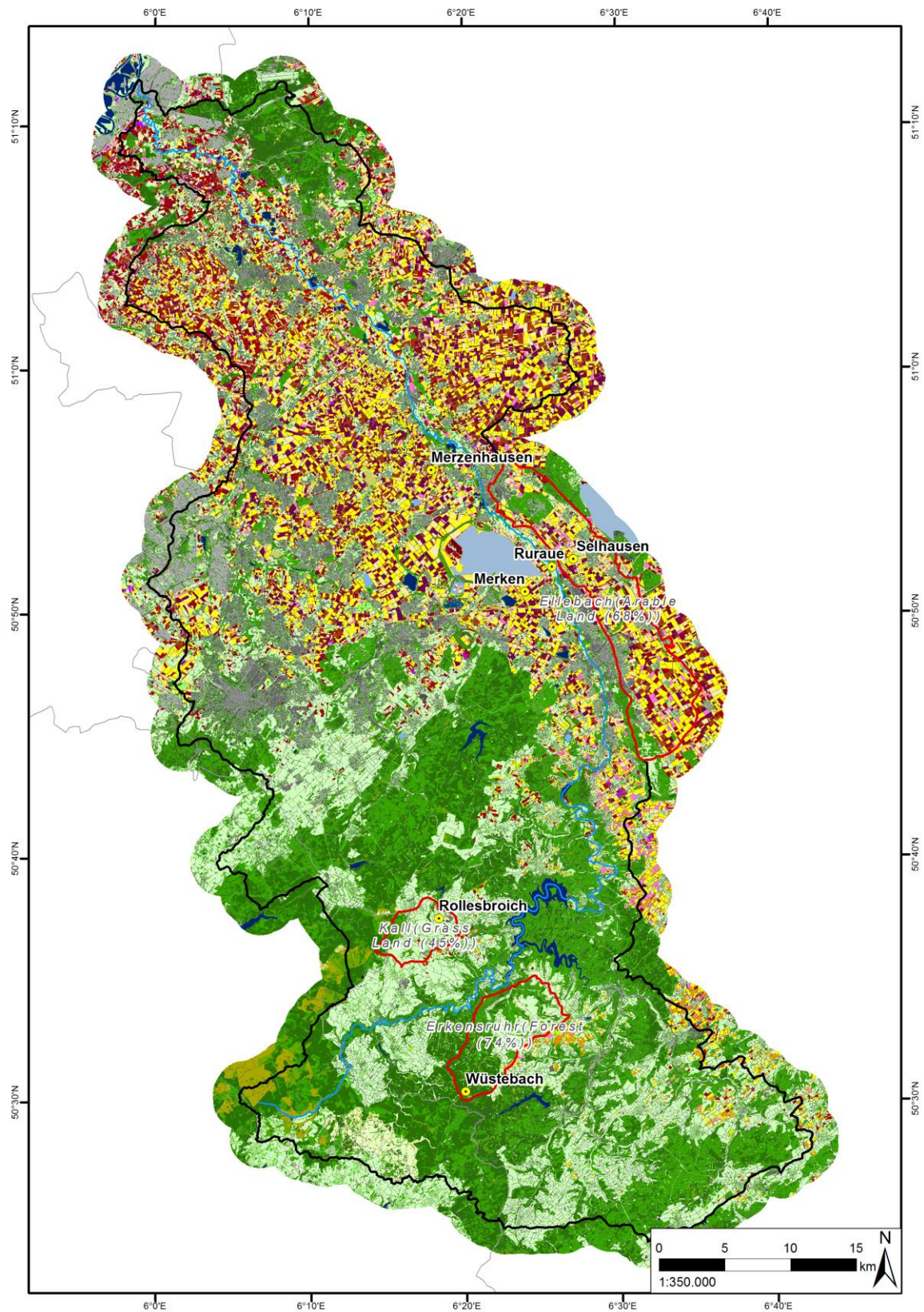
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abbreviations used in data:	/
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Example

Coverage of the land use classification 2015



Error-Matrix of the land use classification 2015

		Referenzdaten (Pixel)											
Klassifikation (Pixel)	Klasse	WR	KT	M	ZR	WW	WG	SG	NW	LW	Total	CE (%)	UA (%)
	WR	4583	0	0	0	0	0	17	0	0	4600	0.37	99.63
	KT	0	3499	30	730	0	3	0	0	0	4262	17.90	82.10
	M	0	0	3077	32	0	0	3	0	0	3112	1.12	98.88
	ZR	0	11	0	4688	0	0	0	0	0	4699	0.23	99.77
	WW	0	0	0	0	10204	221	256	0	0	10681	4.47	95.53
	WG	0	0	0	10	329	3985	103	0	0	4427	9.98	90.02
	SG	4	0	0	0	4	0	3442	0	0	3450	0.23	99.77
	NW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	726	0	726	0.00	100.00
	LW	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1089	1089	0.00	100.00
	Total	4587	3510	3107	5460	10537	4209	3821	726	1089		100.00	
OE (%)		0.09	0.31	0.97	14.14	3.16	5.32	9.92	0.00	0.00		OA (%) : 95.268	
PA (%)		99.91	99.69	99.03	85.86	96.84	94.68	90.08	100.00	100.00		Kappa : 0.9438	

WR = Rapeseed; KT = Potatoes; M = Maize; ZR = Sugar Beet; WW = Winter Wheat; WG = Winter Barley; SG = Summer Barley; NW = Coniferous Trees; LW = Deciduous Trees

OE = Omission Error; CE = Commission Error; PA = Producer's Accuracy; UA = User's Accuracy; OA = Overall Accuracy

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