



The relationship between species composition, fractional cover and Land Surface Temperature in a Mediterranean ecosystem

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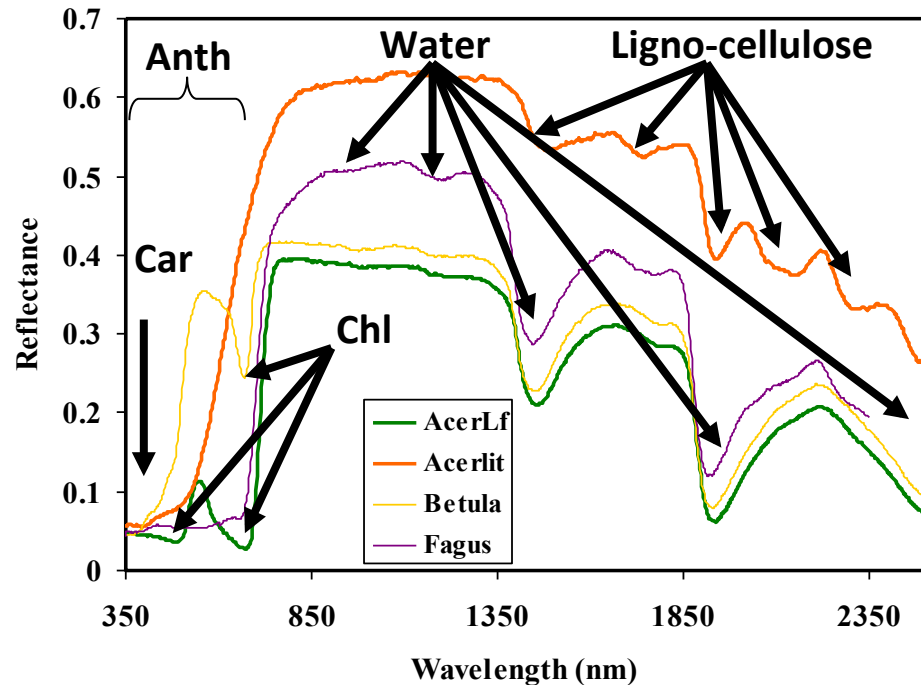
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Introduction

- Numerous Synergies exist between the VSWIR and TIR
- VSWIR
 - Species composition
 - Fractional cover
 - Canopy structure (LAI)
 - Canopy chemistry
 - Photosynthetic function
- TIR
 - Temperature
 - Stress measure
 - Evapotranspiration
 - Emissivity
 - Species composition
 - Canopy chemistry
- HypsIRI will enable those synergies to be fully explored and utilized

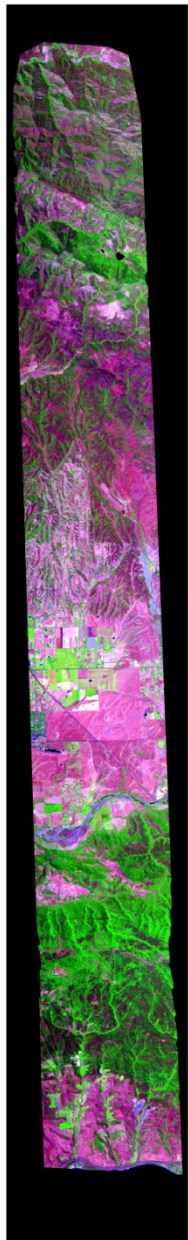


Research Objectives

- **Explore synergies between the VSWIR and TIR using AVIRIS-MASTER pairs**
- **Research Questions**
 - **What is the relationship between species composition and land surface temperature (LST)?**
 - **What is the relationship between fractional cover and LST?**

Run 19: July 19, 2011

Study Site (1)



AVIRIS:
1650, 831, 656 nm RGB

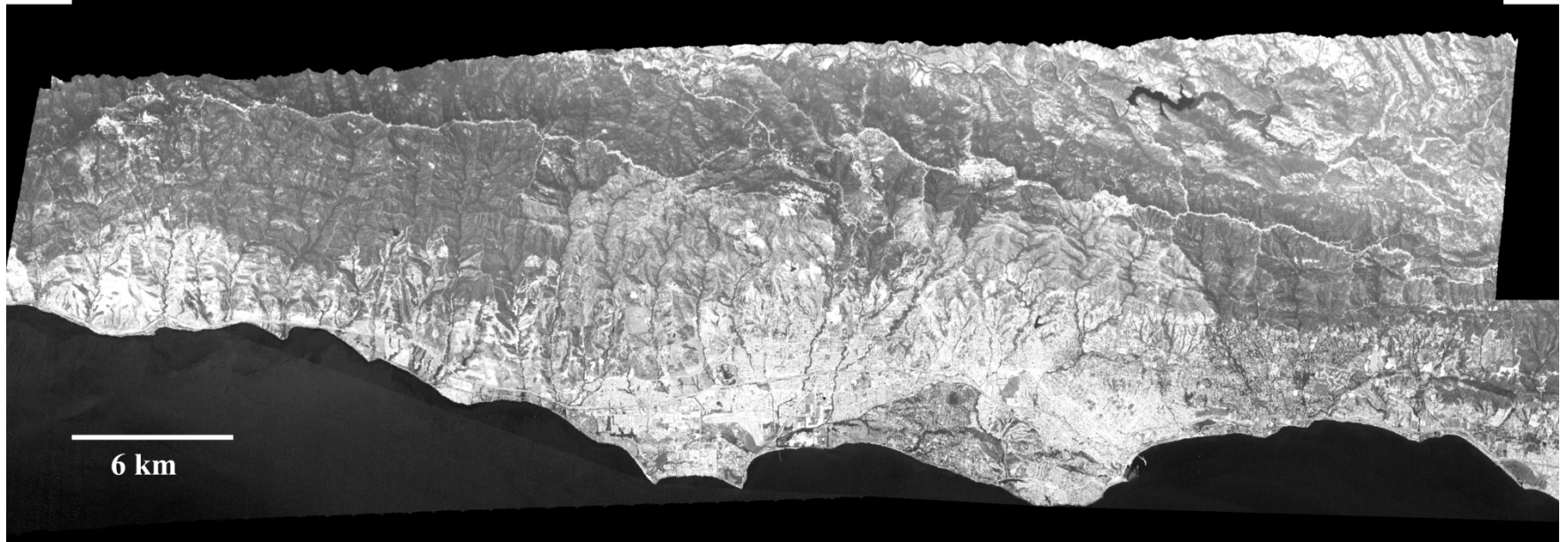


MASTER:
Temperature



Study Site (2)

SB Runs 21 to 22



MASTER:
Temperature

295K  329K

Methods: Pre-Processing

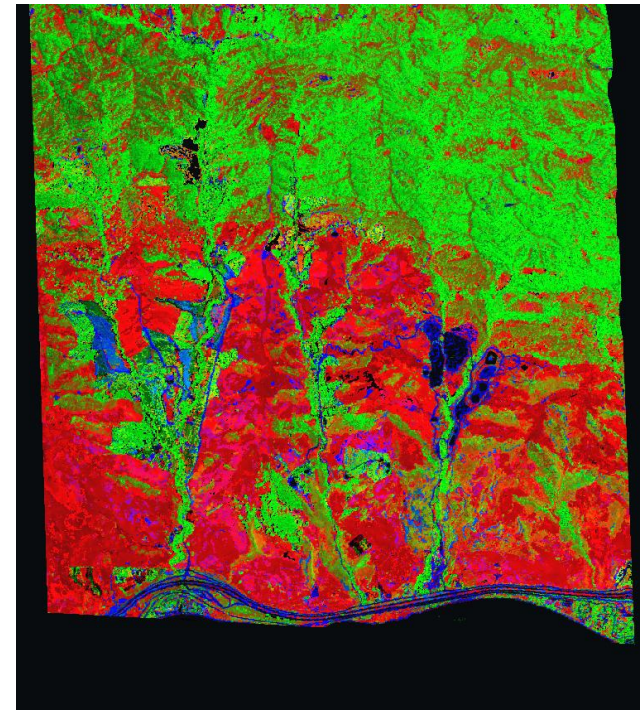
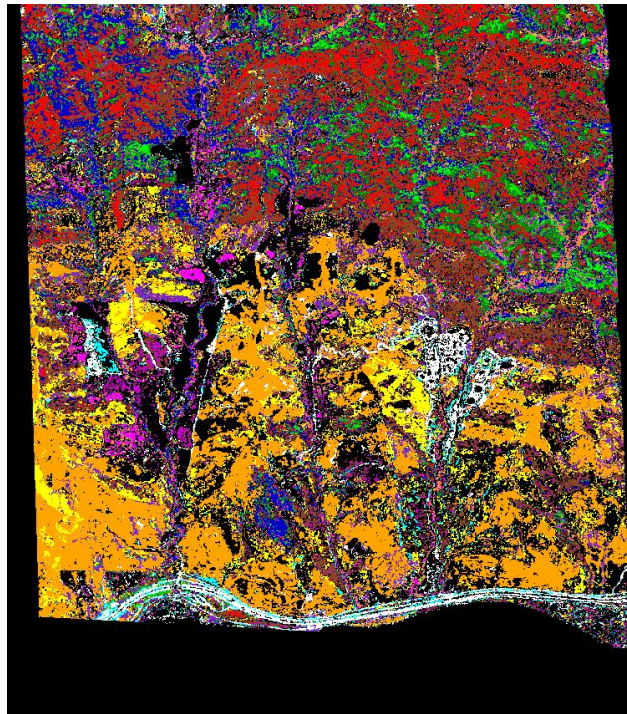
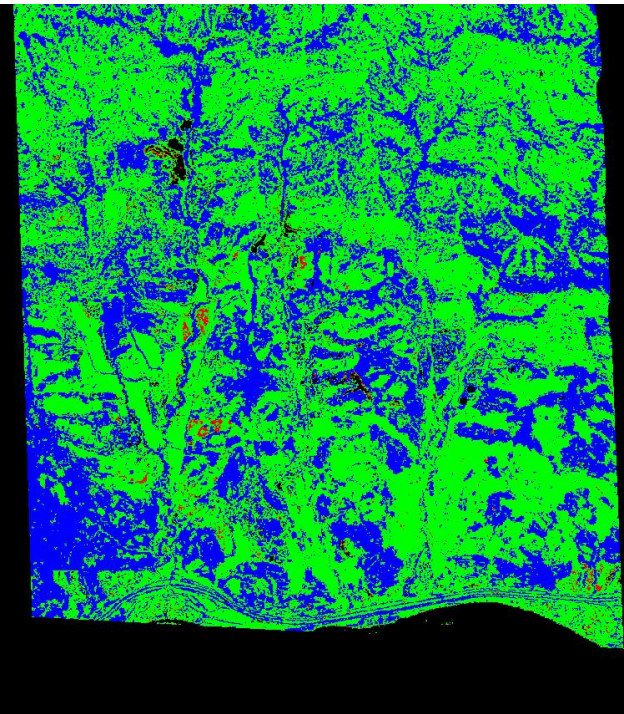
- **AVIRIS: ATCOR Surface Reflectance**
 - Scene parameters (sensor height, location, time)
 - ATCOR parameters
 - rural, 940&1130 nm water vapor
 - Scan angle from GLT
 - Visibility 80km (default), minor adjacency correction
- **MASTER**
 - JPL MASTER TES online tool
 - Varied CO₂, Ozone, Water vapor
 - Tuned using emissivity from Lake Lagunita
 - Ozone: 0.5, CO₂: 370 ppm: Water vapor: 0.8 g (cm)
 - Temperature (K), Emissivity (5 bands)
- **Both: Georectified (7.5m AVIRIS or 15 m. MASTER) to a spatially degraded DOQQ (2010)**
 - Resampled nearest neighbor using Delaney Triangulation

Training/Validation Spectra

Type	Code	r19		r20		r21		r22		Training	
		Npolys	10/50	Npolys	10/50	Npolys	10/50	Npolys	10/50	Npolys	10/50
<i>Adenostoma fasciculatum</i>	adfa	2	20	0		1	10	25	250	28	280
<i>Artemisia Cal/Salvia leucophylla</i>	arcasale	13	130	0						13	130
<i>Arctostaphylos glauca/gland</i>	argl	1	10	0				6	60	7	70
<i>Bacharis pilularis</i>	bapi	1	10	8	77	11	107			20	194
<i>Brassica nigra</i>	brni	0	0	5	50	9	90	1	10	15	150
<i>Ceanothus cuneatus</i>	cecu	5	50	0				1	10	6	60
<i>Ceanothus megacarpus</i>	ceme	0	0	0	0	0	0	13	130	13	130
<i>Ceanothus spinosus</i>	cesp	6	60	0		1	10	3	30	10	100
<i>Citrus species</i>	cisp	2	20	0		11	106	2	20	15	146
<i>Eriogonum fasciculatum</i>	erfa	8	80	0						8	80
<i>Eucalyptus species</i>	eusp			7	70	9	90			16	160
Irrigated grass	irgr			1	10	16	160			17	170
Mediterranean Annual Grass/Forb	magf	1	10	3	30	5	50	6	60	15	150
Marsh	Marsh			8	80	10	100			18	180
<i>Persea americana</i>	peam					18	180			18	180
<i>Pinus sabiniana</i>	pisa	7	70	0						7	70
<i>Platanus racemosa</i>	plra	1	10	0				3	30	4	40
<i>Quercus agrifolia</i>	quag	1	10	0		6	60	13	130	20	200
<i>Quercus douglasii</i>	qudo	17	170	0						17	170
Rock	rock	2	20	0		3	30	1	10	6	60
Soil	soil	4	32	1	6	1	10	3	30	9	78
<i>Umbellularia californica</i>	umca	1	10	0				3	30	4	40
Urban	urban			6	60	15	150			21	210
Totals		72	712	39	383	116	1153	80	800	307	3048
								Minimum		4	40
								Maximum		28	280
								Mean		13.3	132.5
								Stdev		6.3	63

- Sampled 23 land-cover/species from 307 polygons
- Random training/validation (10 max, or 50%)
- Three pulls, first pull acceptable (Roth et al., 2012)

Multiple Endmember Spectral Mixture Analysis (MESMA)



Complexity: 3,2,1 RGB

Class

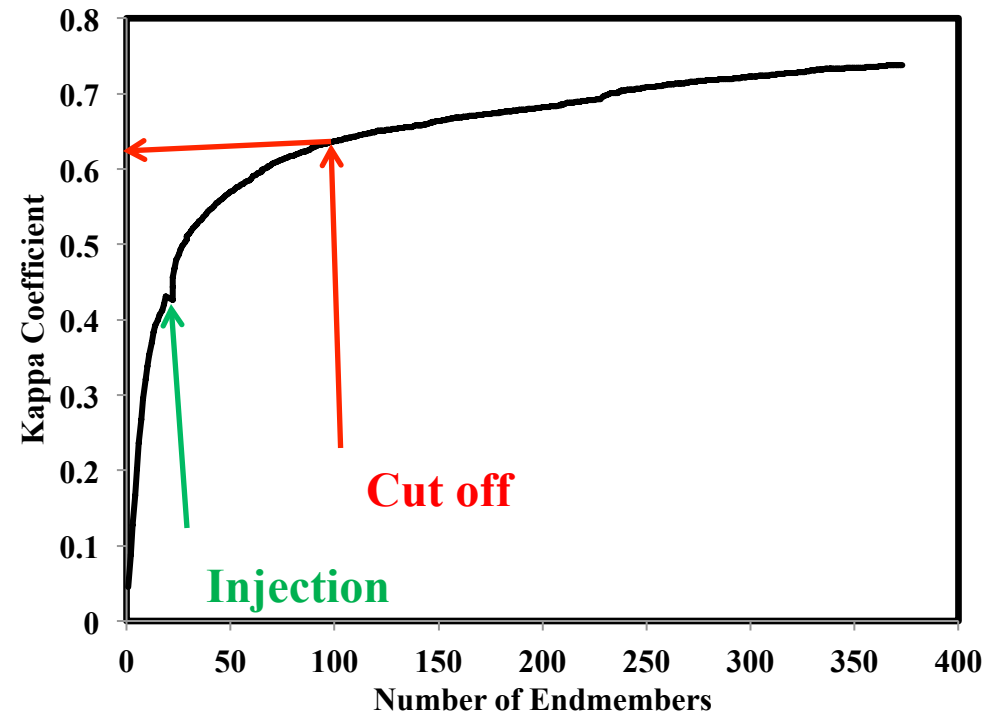
**Composition: NPV-GV-Soil
RGB**

- Number and types of em varies per pixel
- Optimum model and complexity level based on RMS
 - 2 em =classified map
- Complexity level selected using RMS change threshold
 - 0.007

Endmember Selection: Forced Iterative

Endmember Selection

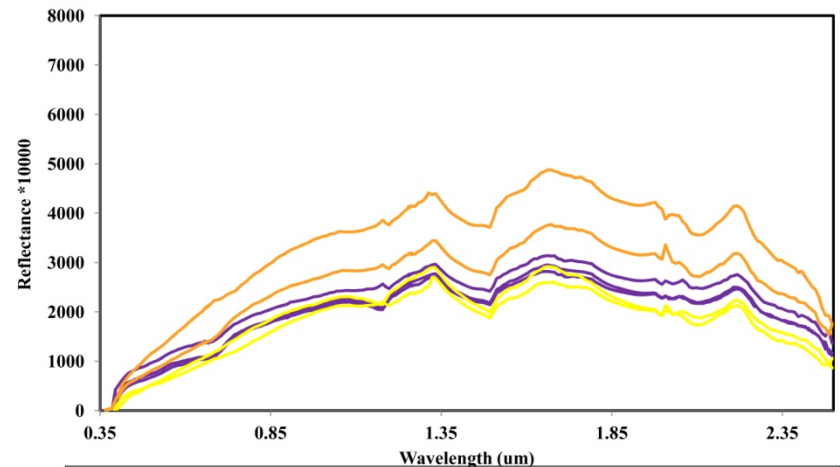
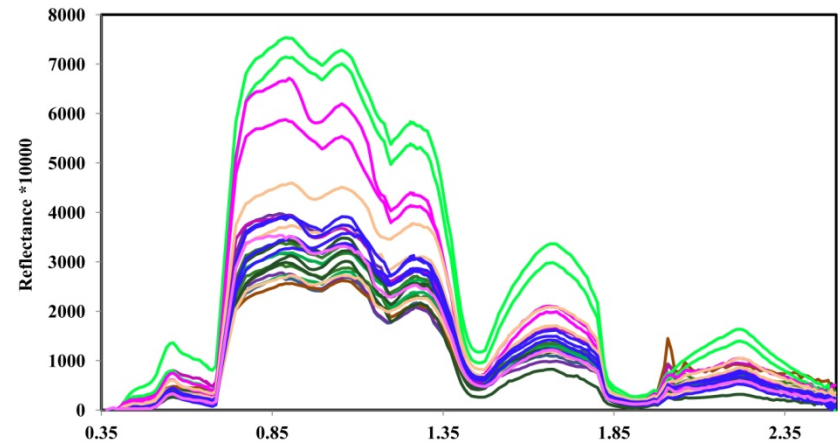
- **Traditional: EAR/MASA/COB**
- **Automated: Iterative Endmember Selection (IES) (Schaaf/Roth)**
- **Forced IES**
 - Injects EMC optimal ems into IES for weak or missing classes
 - Continues until Kappa does not improve
 - Final library can be cut off at any number
 - 101



See Roth et al., 2012

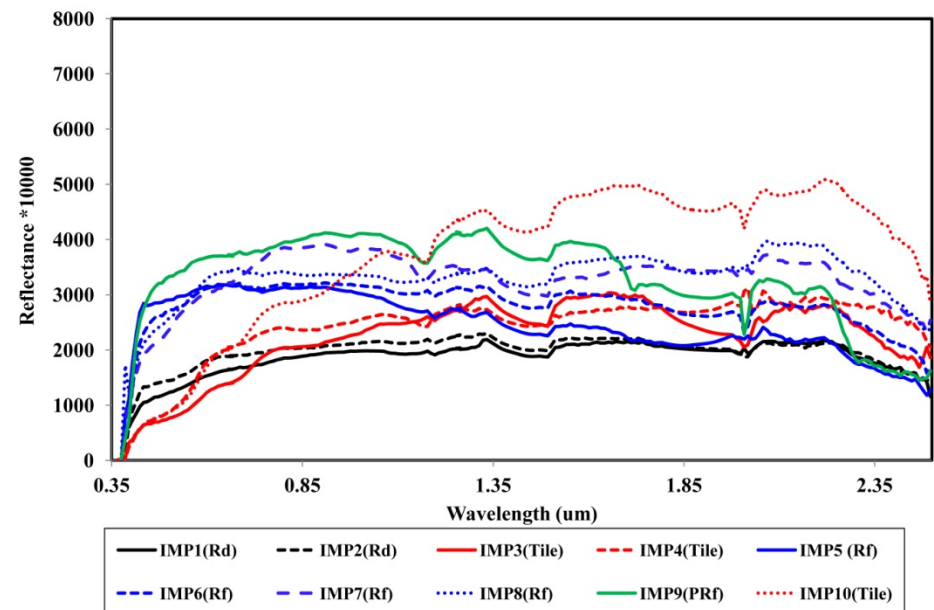
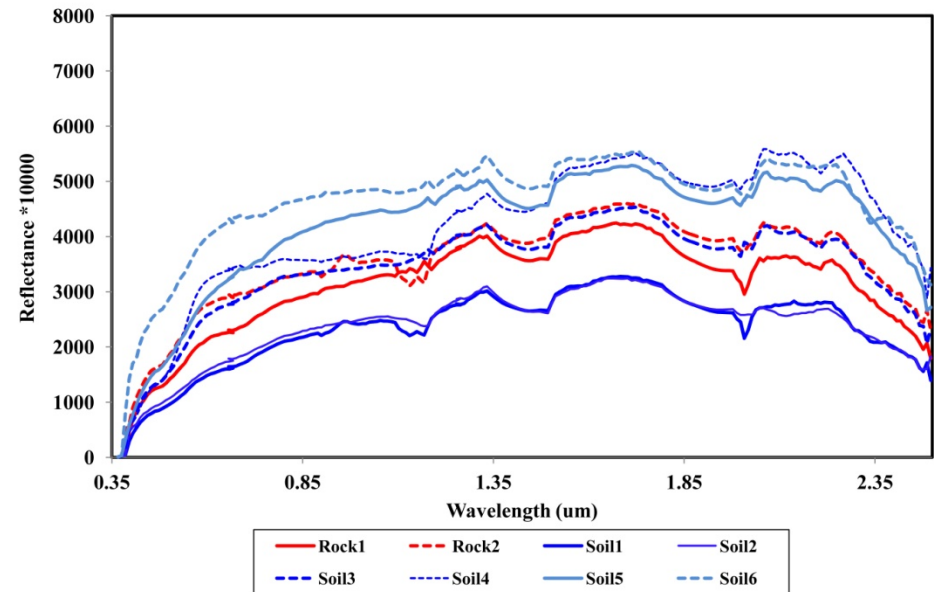
Endmember Spectra

- **2em classification**
 - 101 endmembers
 - 67 GV
 - 11 GV-NPV (can be either)
 - 3 Rock
 - 7 Soil
 - 13 urban
- **GV**
 - No mixtures, reduced redundancy
 - 25 endmembers
 - 1 to 3 per species
- **NPV**
 - 7 endmembers
 - 3 Arcasale, 2 brni, 2 magf



Endmember Spectra

- **Soil/Rock**
 - 8 endmembers
 - 2 rocks
 - 6 soils
- **Impervious/urban**
 - 10 endmembers
 - 2 roads
 - 3 tile roofs
 - 4 composite roofs
 - 1 painted roof



Results: Classification

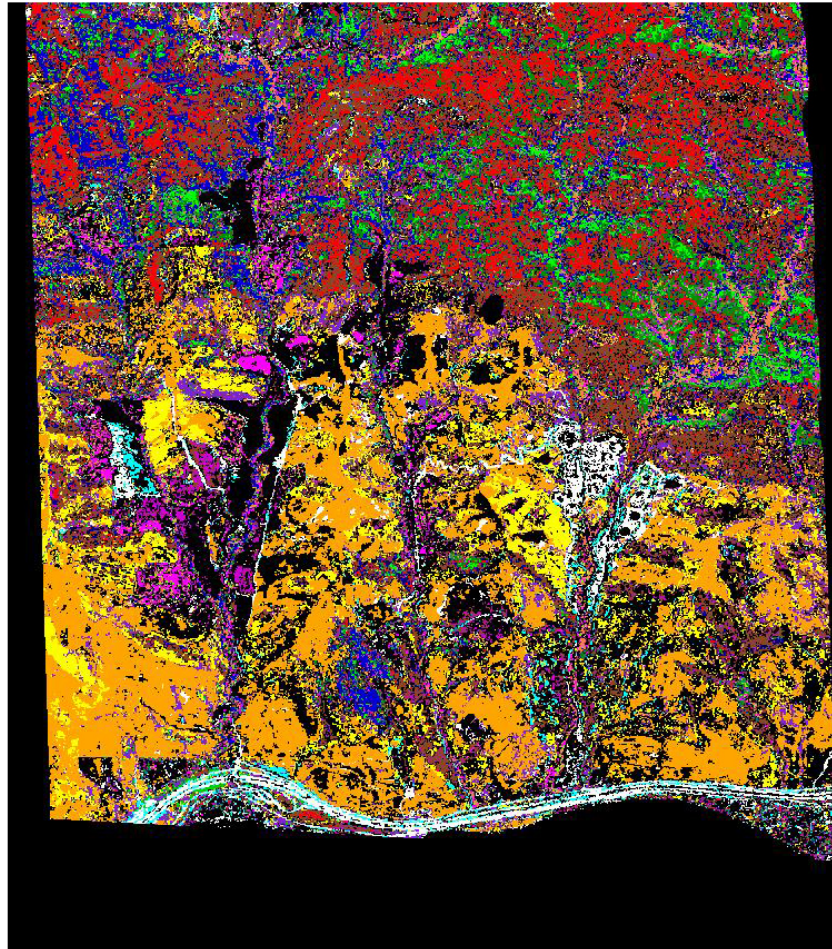
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ADFA	3239	5	781	23	3	76	386	93	0	10	308	0	1	76	2	417	19	165	643	0	0	6	11	51.71
ARCA-SALE	122	3606	0	21	202	57	2	4	0	267	2	0	42	10	0	18	0	11	128	4	20	0	6	79.74
ARGL	54	0	628	0	0	16	129	44	0	0	185	5	0	0	28	1	18	33	1	0	0	10	4	54.33
BAPI	287	151	30	661	161	32	88	107	49	129	521	6	27	751	49	405	28	245	1334	0	5	6	32	12.95
BRNI	64	81	2	69	2973	7	1	1	5	107	108	67	114	83	46	111	0	14	367	0	34	0	6	69.79
CECU	54	130	2	5	0	187	6	0	0	0	18	0	0	327	0	12	0	0	38	0	2	0	4	23.82
CEME	451	0	256	7	0	42	1549	434	1	0	145	0	0	2	12	223	146	302	120	0	0	9	4	41.83
CESP	33	0	5	0	0	0	14	734	0	0	27	0	0	0	1	76	34	215	39	0	0	13	1	61.58
CISP	73	1	27	42	299	4	41	34	1053	136	159	29	2	2190	234	94	32	29	69	0	0	0	202	22.17
ERFA	104	113	6	5	24	3	8	10	8	2416	25	0	21	476	24	14	13	3	25	5	15	0	193	68.81
EUSP	15	0	20	3	1	0	76	84	0	0	3430	6	0	40	2	8	3	44	1	0	0	3	11	91.54
IRGR	0	0	0	1	350	0	1	5	46	0	20	1239	0	2	542	0	92	11	0	0	0	2	12	53.34
MAGF	12	134	2	22	958	5	0	0	2	48	47	88	2045	2	15	15	0	2	121	5	180	0	5	55.15
MARSH	78	4	11	11	2	29	33	16	36	0	121	0	1	4086	7	68	15	13	57	0	0	0	147	86.29
PEAM	22	0	38	1	48	5	40	74	1	2	332	41	0	0	5078	52	99	95	88	0	0	26	11	83.89
PISA	16	0	1	2	0	61	0	0	0	0	60	0	0	0	0	37	0	0	28	0	0	0	4	17.7
PLRA	17	0	15	1	4	0	22	36	64	0	24	11	0	0	508	5	775	110	2	0	0	19	3	47.96
QUAG	141	0	75	1	0	0	105	682	0	0	787	10	0	8	73	145	317	2641	259	0	0	319	1	47.47
QUDO	148	5	19	62	2	1	49	110	2	0	414	3	0	284	10	418	16	179	1930	0	2	8	10	52.56
ROCK	12	7	0	0	23	0	0	0	1	25	0	0	29	8	0	0	0	2	0	24	83	0	26	10
SOIL	11	39	0	0	2	0	0	13	2	37	1	0	15	78	12	0	2	0	1	22	979	0	451	58.8
UMCA	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	6	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	108	0	0	0	59	0	33.15
urban	25	5	5	0	2	2	19	22	9	2	27	1	24	437	16	7	15	1	11	1	205	0	4279	83.66
Unmodeled	8	1	0	25	817	0	0	4	141	3	134	1138	7	65	455	8	11	5	17	12	24	0	1037	0
Producers	64.96	84.21	32.62	68.71	50.64	35.48	60.3	29.21	74.15	75.93	49.75	46.86	87.84	45.78	71.37	1.73	47.34	62.46	36.56	32.88	63.2	12.29	66.24	

Overall Accuracy 0.5597
kappa 0.53515









- **Model 101: Kappa 0.555, Overall 56%**
- **Excellent (> 85%: Green): ARCA-SALE, CISP, ERFA, MAGF, PEAM**
- **Very good(> 60%: Orange): ADFA, BAPI, CEME, QUAG, SOIL, Urban**
- **Poor (< 30%: Red): CESP, PISA, UMCA**

Results: Classification

R19: South



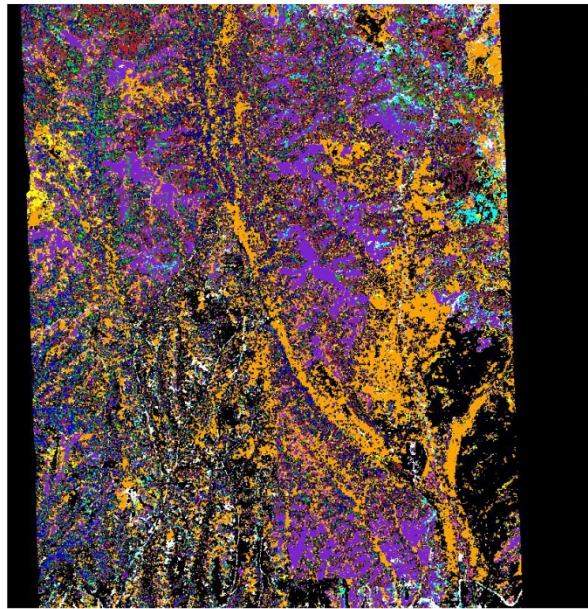
Legend

	ADFA
	ARCA-SALE
	ARGL
	BAPI
	BRNI
	CECU
	CEME
	CESP
	CISP
	ERFA
	EUSP
	IRGR
	MAGF
	MARSH
	PEAM
	PISA
	PLRA
	QUAG
	QUDO
	UMCA
	Rock/Soil/Impervious

- The map is better than the validation suggests
- All but a few classes (PISA, UMCA) are generally correct, BAPI is overmapped
- Polygon Accuracy based on most abundant: 84.7%

Class vs Composition: North

R19: North



Legend

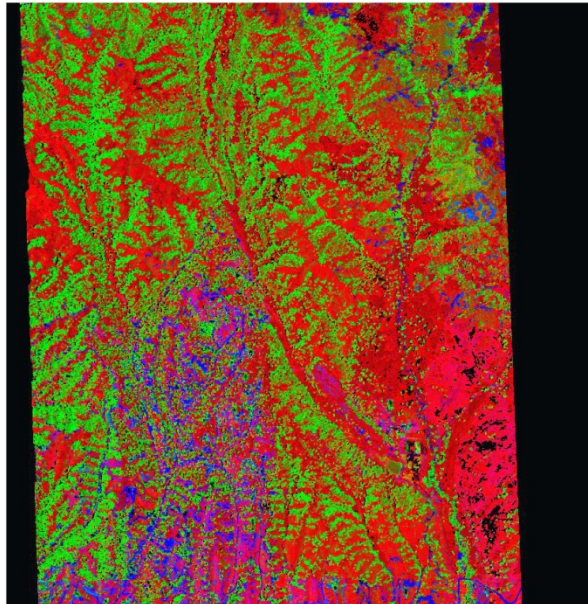
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PISA
PLRA
QUAG
QUDO
UMCA
Rock/Soil/Impervious

Class

- ARCASALE
- MAGF
- ERFA
- Lesser ADFA, QUDO/QUAG
- Unclassified (bright MAGF, SOILS)

Composition

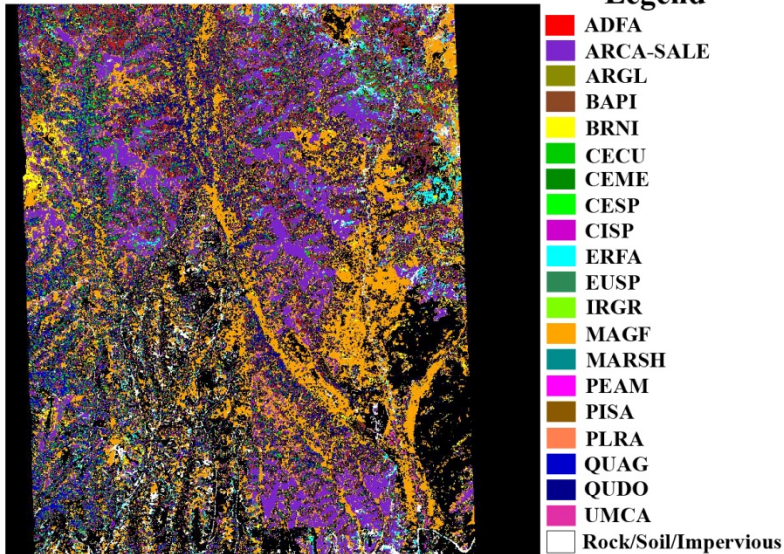
- High GV: QUDO/QUAG (in valleys)
- Mixed GV/NPV: ARCASALE/ERFA
- High NPV: MAGF/BRNI?



NPV, GV, Soil
RGB

Class vs Temperature: North

R19: North



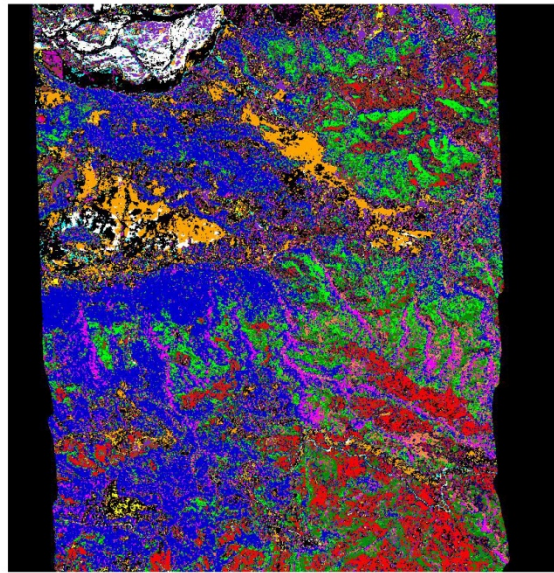
- **Class**
 - ARCASALE
 - MAGF
 - ERFA
 - Lesser ADFA, QUDO/QUAG
 - Unclassified (bright MAGF, SOILS)
- **Temperature**
 - Cool: QUDO/QUAG (in valleys)
 - Warm ARCASALE/ERFA
 - Hot: MAGF, Soils



Temperature

Class vs Composition: Central

R19: Central



Legend

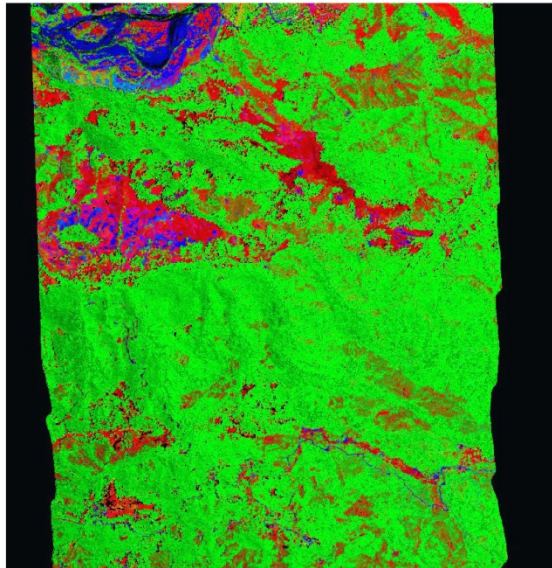
Red	ADFA
Purple	ARCA-SALE
Brown	ARGL
Yellow	BAPI
Light Green	BRNI
Dark Green	CECU
Light Green	CEME
Light Green	CESP
Pink	CISP
Cyan	ERFA
Dark Green	EUSP
Light Green	IRGR
Orange	MAGF
Teal	MARSH
Pink	PEAM
Brown	PISA
Orange	PLRA
Blue	QUAG
Dark Blue	QUDO
Pink	UMCA
White	Rock/Soil/Impervious

- **Class**

- ADFA
- QUDO
- QUAG
- CEME, CECU, CESP
- Rock/Soil
- MAGF

- **Composition**

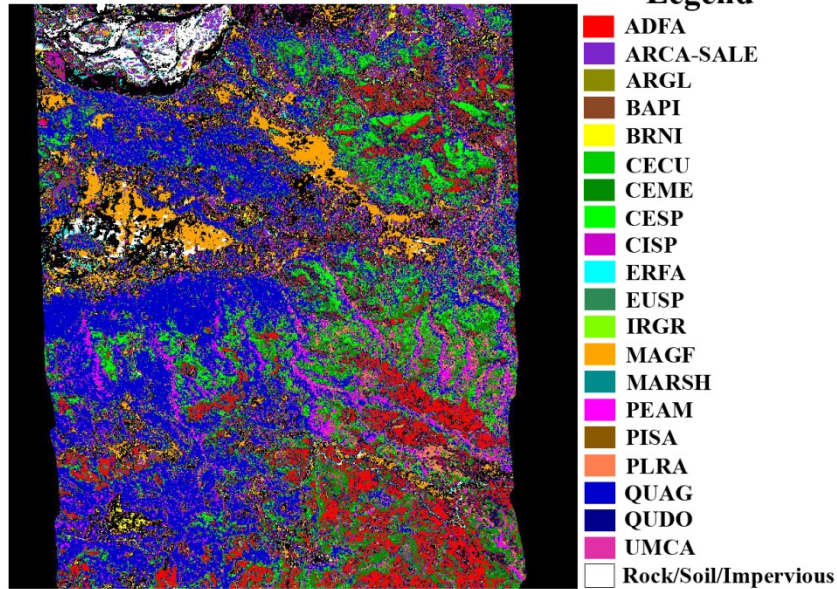
- High GV: All but MAGF and River channel
- Mixed GV/NPV: ADFA, BAPI (higher NPV- probably something else)
- High NPV: MAGF
- High Rock/Soil; River channel



NPV, GV, Soil
RGB

Class vs Temperature: Central

R19: Central

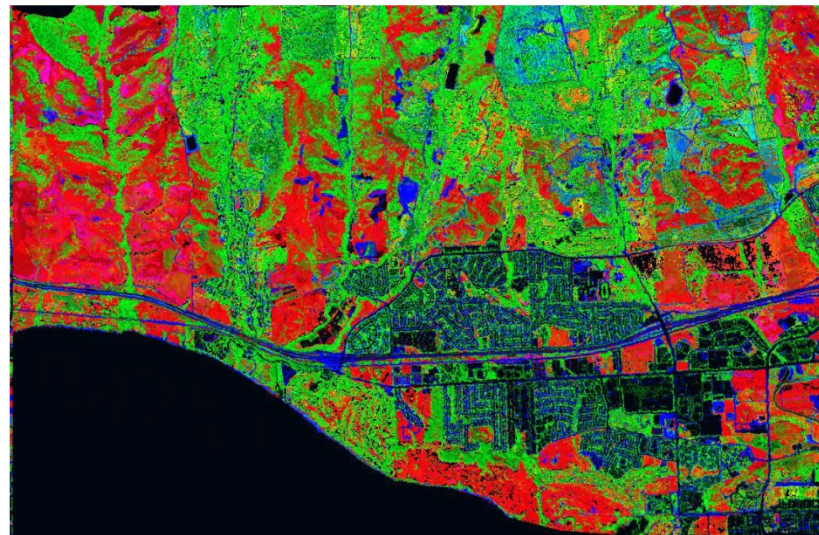
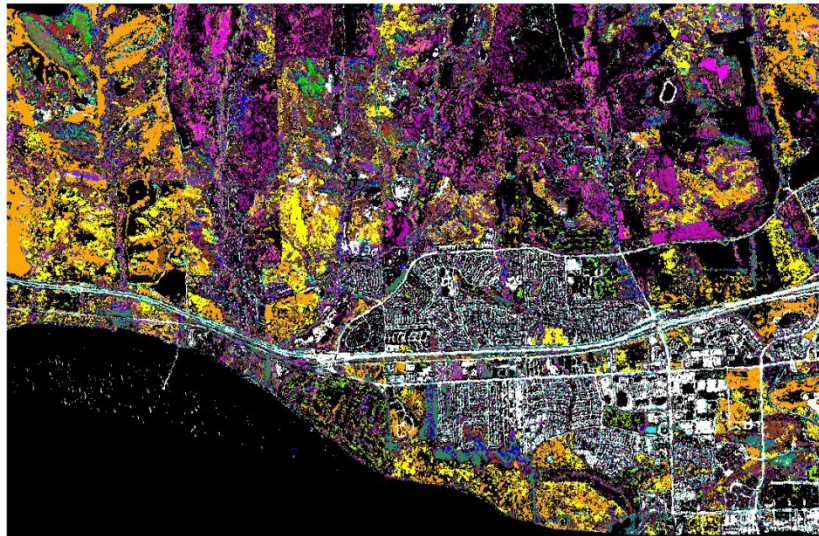


Temperature

- **Class**
 - ADFA
 - QUAG, some QUDO
 - CEME, CECU, CESP
 - Rock/Soil
 - MAGF
- **Composition**
 - Cold: North facing slope, dominated by trees (QUAG)
 - Cool: South facing slopes, flat terrain dominated by shrubs (ADFA, Ceanothus)
 - Hot: Bare rock on ridges, river channels, MAGF

Class vs Composition: South

R21 west

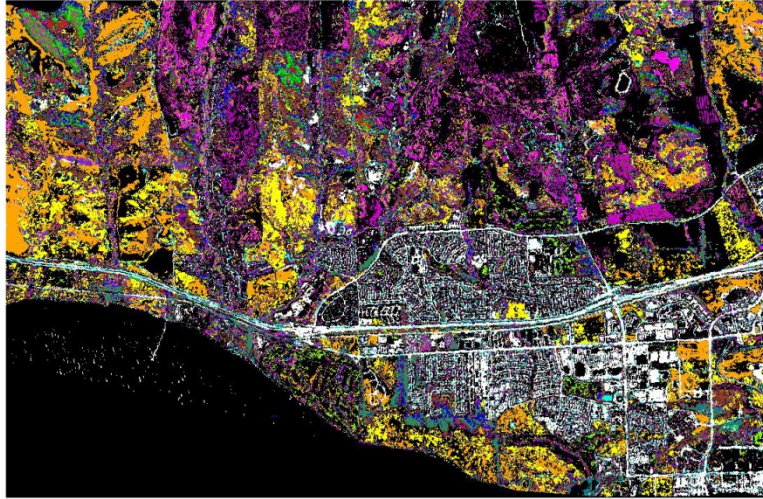


NPV, GV, Soil
RGB

- **Class**
 - MAGF
 - BRNI
 - EUSP
 - PEAM
 - CISP
 - BAPI
 - Urban/Soil
 - Minor Marsh
- **Composition**
 - High GV: PEAM, CISP, EUSP
 - Mixed NPV-GV: BAPI
 - High NPV: MAGF, BRNI
 - High soils/Impervious: Urban

Class vs Temperature: South

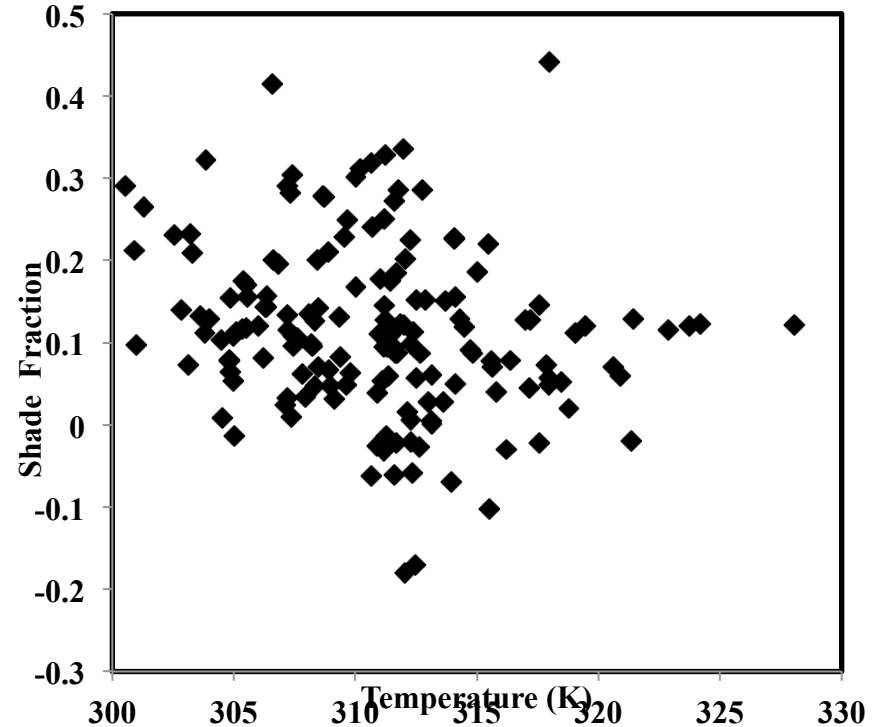
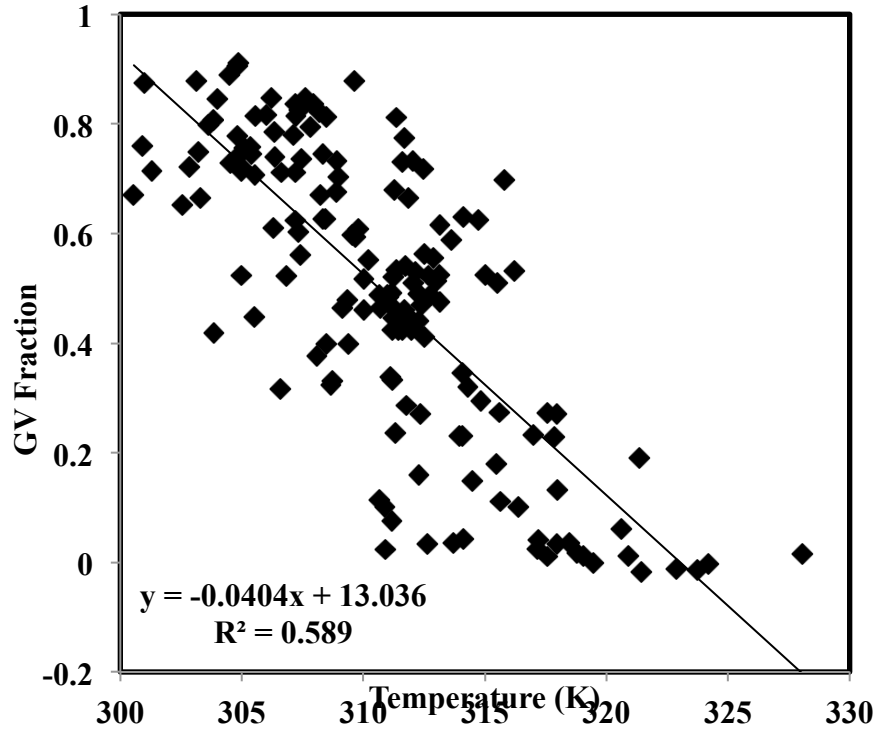
R21 west



Temperature

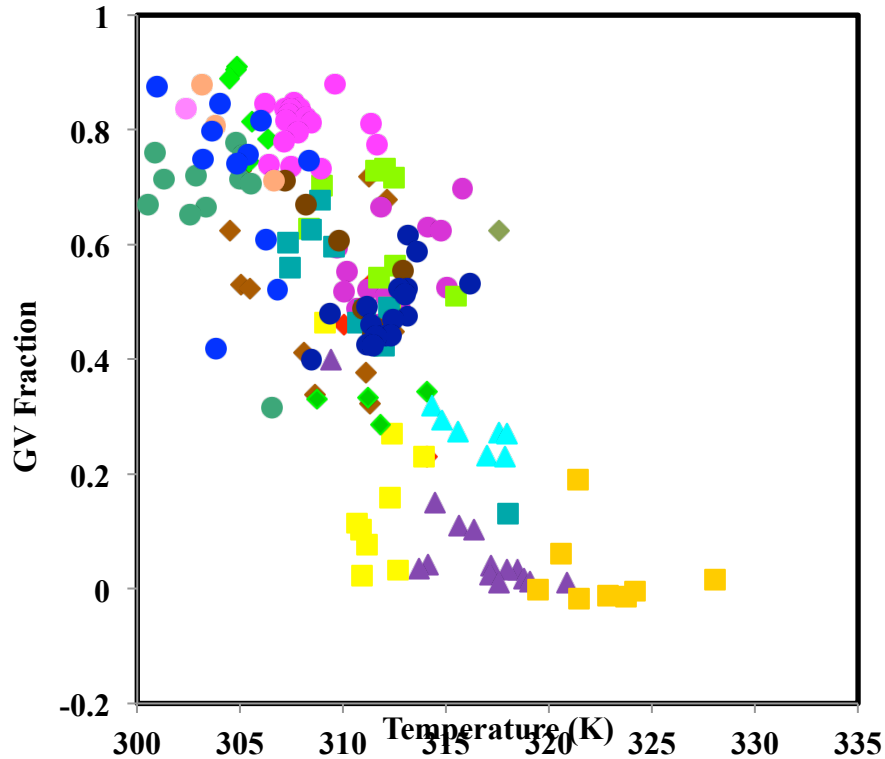
- **Class**
 - MAGF
 - BRNI
 - EUSP
 - PEAM
 - CISP
 - BAPI
 - Urban/Soil
 - Minor Marsh
- **Temperature**
 - Cold: EUSP
 - Cool: PEAM, CISP
 - Warm: BAPI, BRNI
 - Hot: MAGF, Urban

Temperature Compositional Relationships



- **GV fraction strongly inversely correlated with temperature for vegetated targets**
- **Shade fraction poorly correlated (high shade, cooler, $r^2=0.04$)**
 - Shade is not just shadows, but also varies with albedo and local zenith

Temperature Species Relationships



- Species composition strongly impacts temperature, significant clustering
- Trees (circles)
 - Coolest, high to moderate GV
- Evergreen shrubs (diamonds)
 - Warmer, high to moderate GV
- Deciduous shrubs (triangles)
 - Warm, moderate to low GV
- Forbs/grasses (squares)
 - High to low GV, warm to hot



Conclusions

- **MESMA was capable of mapping 23 species/landcover classes at reasonable accuracies**
 - Other classifiers can do better (i.e., LDA/CDA)
- **Plant species map out correctly in geographic space**
- **GV and temperature are inversely correlated**
- **Plant species cluster uniquely in compositional temperature space, likely resulting from functional differences**
 - (e.g., deeply rooted, evapotranspiring cool trees vs shallow rooted partially senesced shrubs)
- **More is coming**
 - LDA species maps
 - EWT – emissivity
 - Water vapor TES
 - Full range spectroscopy
 - And HypsIRI!