

LUCI toolbox for SEEA

LAND UTILISATION & CAPABILITY INDICATOR

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Capital thinking. Globally minded.

Intent of LUCI for SEEA tool



Supporting countries and other users to bring out “Tier 1 and 2” accounts with global and/or local data sources. Partially funded by the NCAVES project.



Multiple versions for users depending on software access and needs: web tool, associated geoprocessing service, and equivalent ArcMap toolbox



Freely available and accessible, open source code at http://github.com/lucitools/LUCI_SEEA



All tools can be run with freely available global datasets



Have negotiated rights to hold many of these on our server and distribute derived datasets to users.

Functionality of first version:

Create aggregation grid

Aggregate habitat metrics (Shannon's index, mean patch size, inverse Simpson's index and habitat richness)

Land extent accounts tool

Revised Universal Soil Loss Equation tool (stand alone and open/close accounts version)

Species richness tool for presence/absence data such as the IUCN red list species data

Alpha versions now live at model.lucitools.org, tutorials and test datasets included



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Calculate land extent accounts

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Shapefiles

- ☐ One shapefile with multiple fields
- ☒ Two separate shapefiles

Opening year land cover shapefile

Shapefile showing land cover (zip all the shapefile files up and upload as one zip file)

RioGrande_uso2000.zip

Closing year land cover shapefile

Shapefile showing land cover (zip all the shapefile files up and upload as one zip file)

RioGrande_uso2016.zip

Shapefile column containing opening year land extent data

uso2000

Shapefile column containing closing year land extent data

uso2016

Land cover table with labels

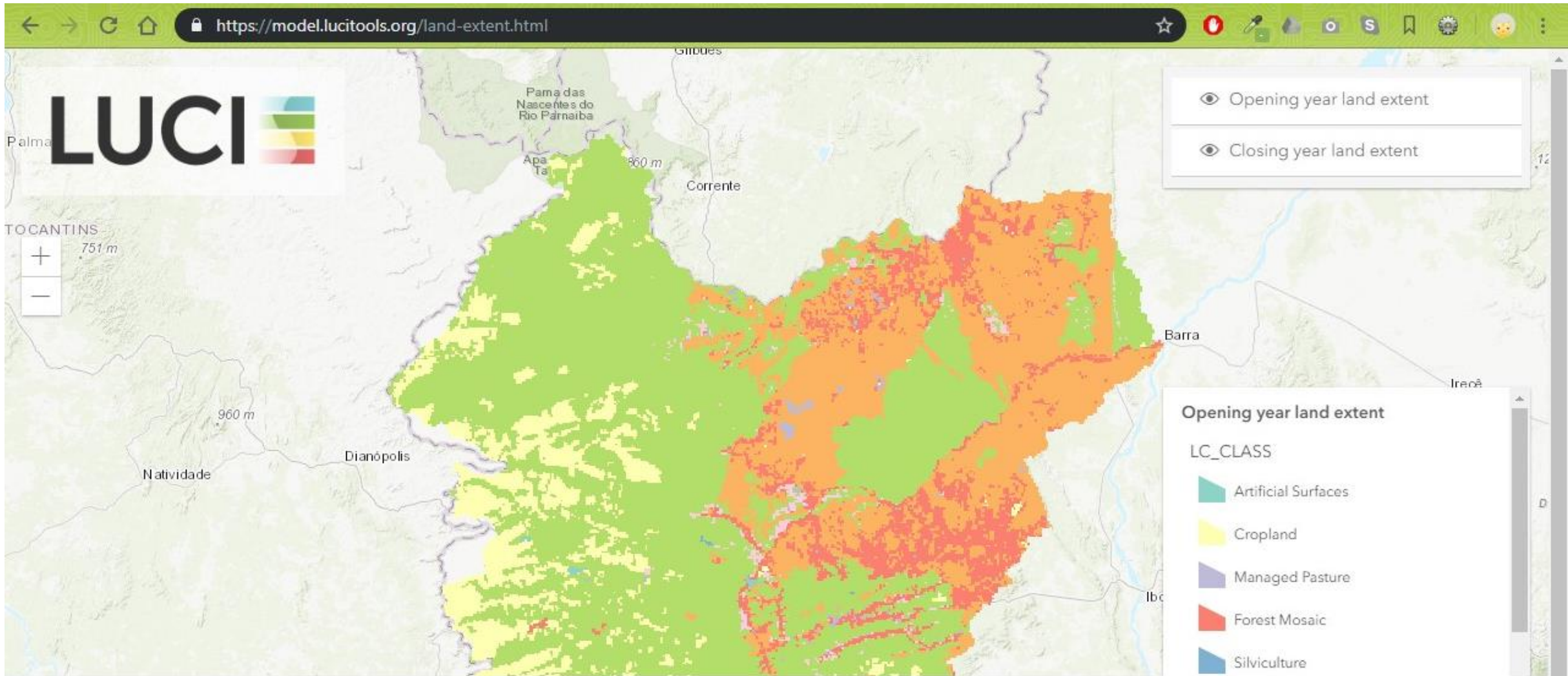
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Land cover code column

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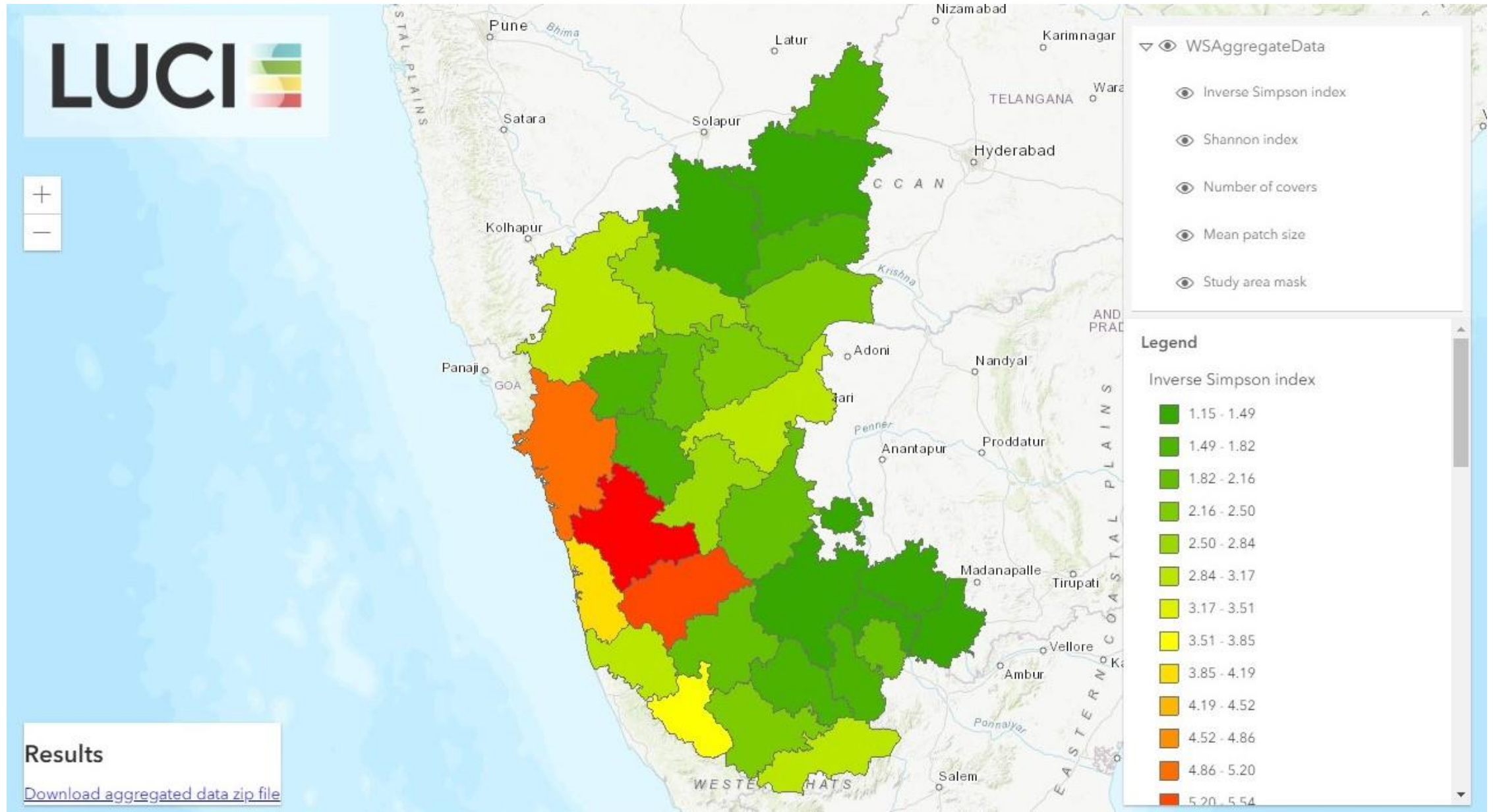
Land cover name column

LC_CLASS



LC_CLASS	area1_km2	area2_km2	AbsDiff	RelDiff
Artificial Surfaces	89	126	37	29.3651
Cropland	10488	18786	8298	44.1712
Managed Pasture	304	1160	856	73.7931
Forest Mosaic	6294	6752	458	6.78318
Silviculture	14	205	191	93.1707

Habitat metrics: Karnataka districts





Create aggregation grid

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Shapefile

Shapefile showing extent of aggregation grid (zip all the shapefile files up and upload as one zip file)

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Width of each cell in aggregation grid (km)

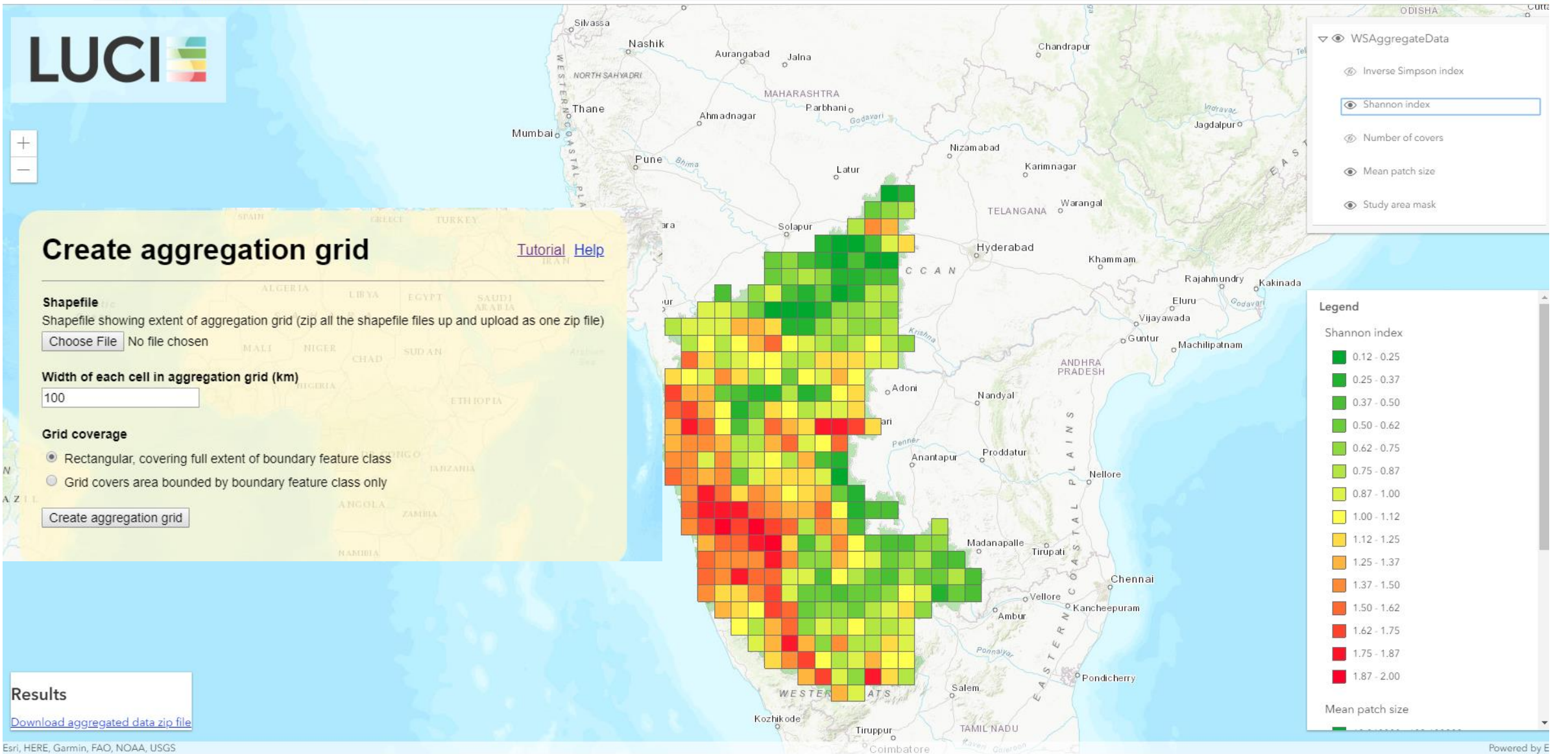
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Grid coverage

- ☒ Rectangular, covering full extent of boundary feature class
- ☐ Grid covers area bounded by boundary feature class only

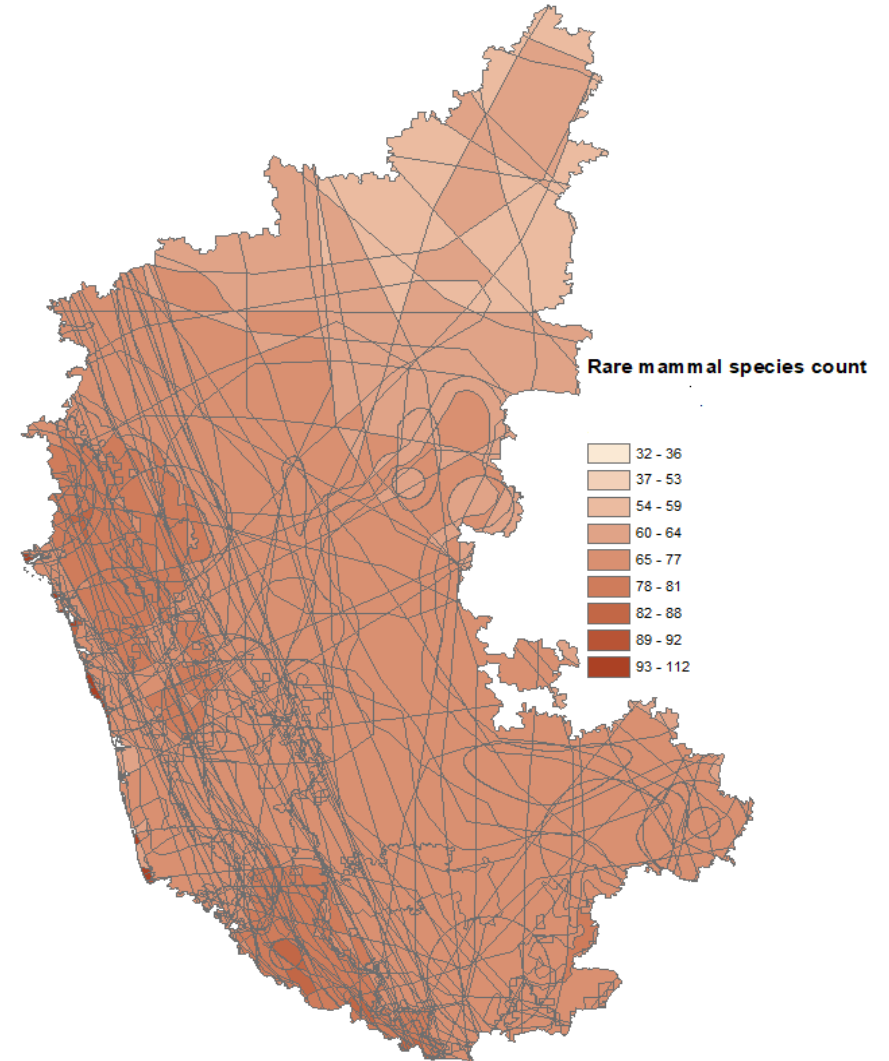
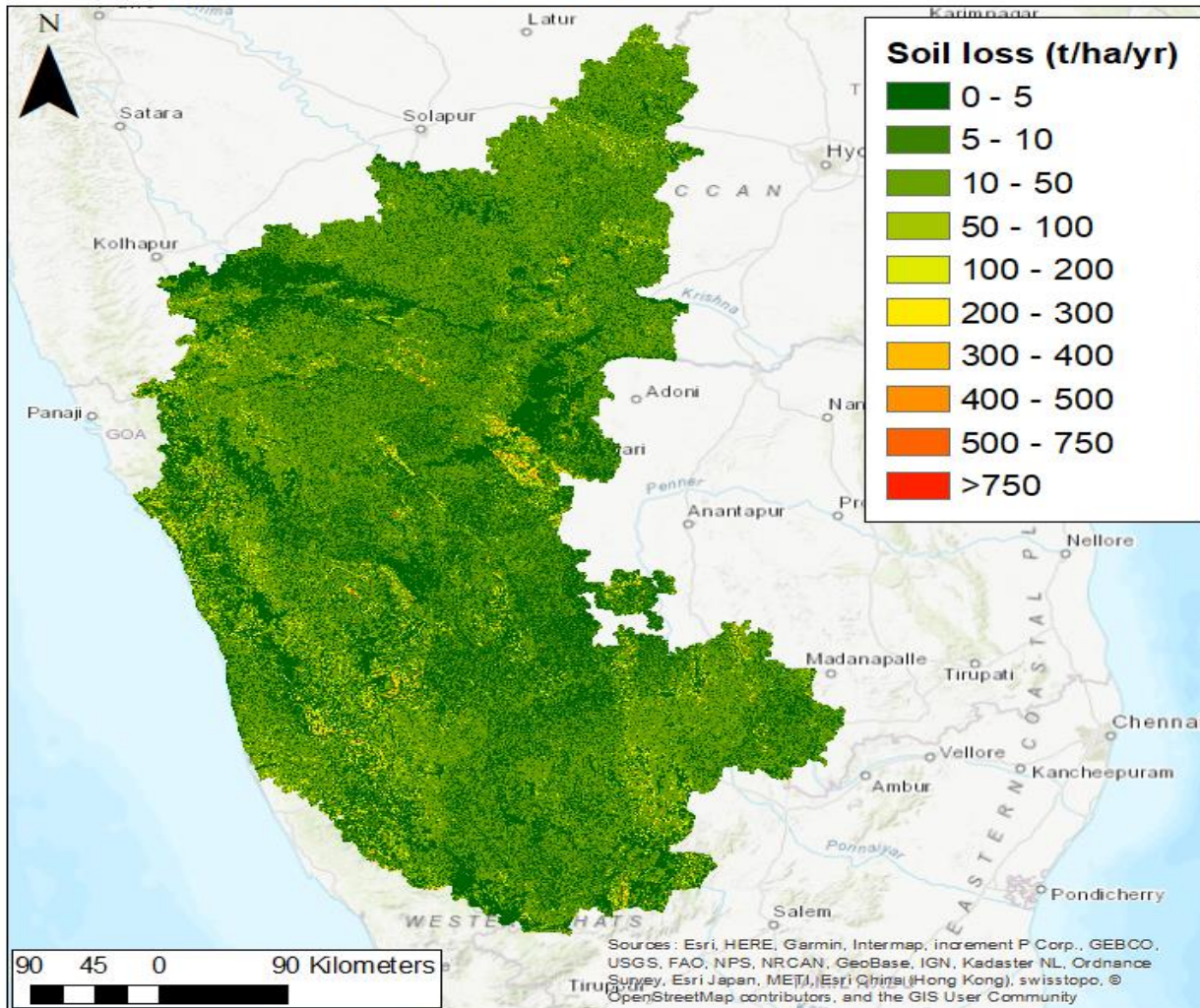
Results

[Download aggregated data zip file](#)



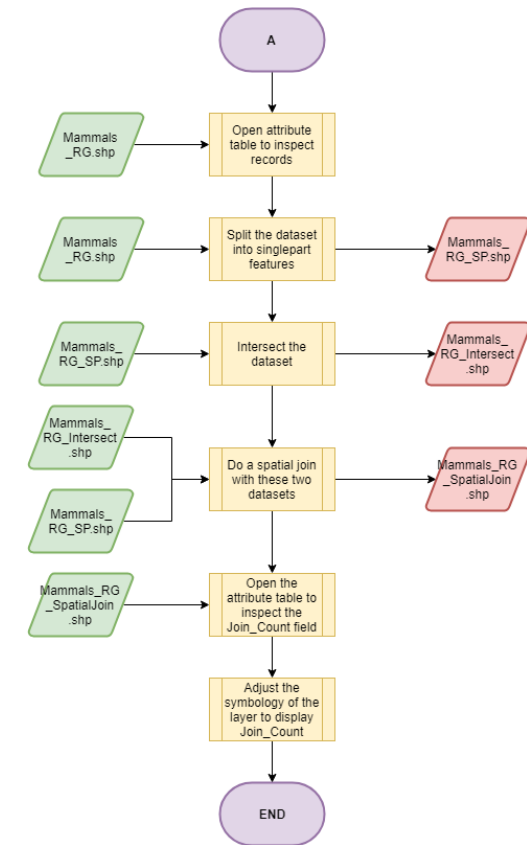
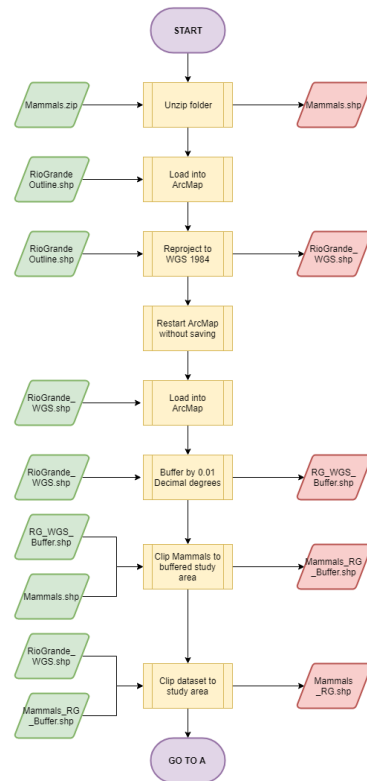
RUSLE and species richness tool example output

Karnataka: Annual soil loss



Guidance provided to process “tricky” datasets as well as replicate functions

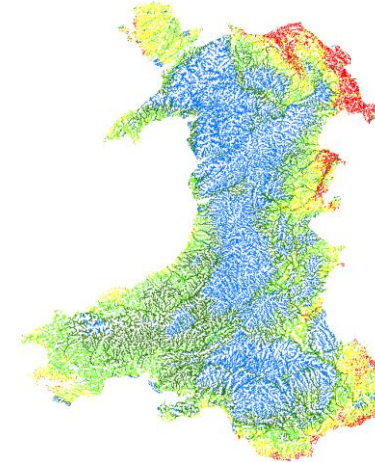
Processing the Mammals Dataset of the IUCN Red List Threatened Species



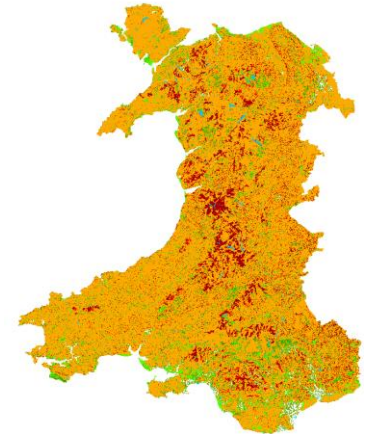
Future plans include more from “standard”

Service	Method
Production	Based on slope, fertility, drainage, aspect, climate
C stock/emissions	IPCC Tier 1 compatible – based on soil & vegetation
CH ₄ /N ₂ O emissions	IPCC Tier 1 compatible– soils, veg, stocking rate, fertiliser
Water supply and floods/ droughts	Topographical routing of water accounting for storage and infiltration capacity as function of soil & land use.
Erosion	Slope, curvature, contributing area, land use, soil type
Sediment delivery	Erosion combined with detailed topographical routing
Water quality	Export coefficients (land cover, farm type, regional fertiliser, stocking rate) combined with water and sediment delivery models
Habitat Approaches	<ol style="list-style-type: none">1) Cost-distance approach: dispersal, fragmentation, connectivity.2) Identification of priority habitat by biophysical requirements e.g. wet grassland3) Measures of habitat richness, evenness, patch size etc
Coast/ floodplain inundation risk	Based on topography and input height of storm surge/long term rise etc: surface and groundwater impacts estimated
Tradeoffs/synergy identification	Various layering options with categorised service maps; e.g. Boolean, conservative, weighted arithmetic, distribution plots

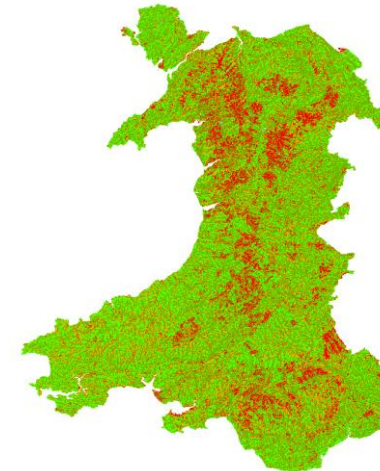
Nitrate in rivers



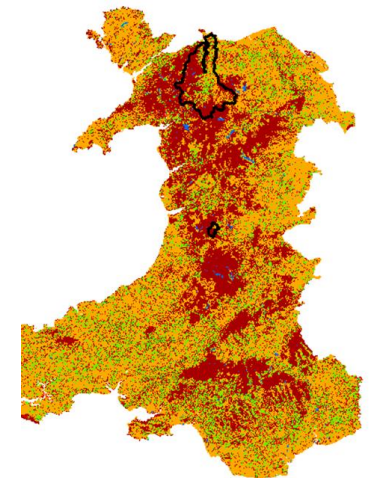
Agricultural use



Flood mitigation



Woodland priorities



Thank you!

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