Integrating urban ecosystem and condition accounts using a flexible spatial concept. Examples from OSLO

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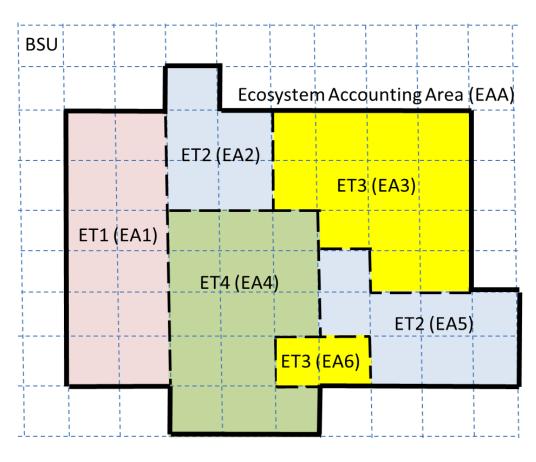


Agenda

- 1. Pro and con about spatial units
- 2. The potential for ecosystem services
- 3. Land use statistics and sattellite data
- 4. Selecting case study areas
- 5. Presention of maps and stastistics
- 6. Conclusions- the usefulness of the method.

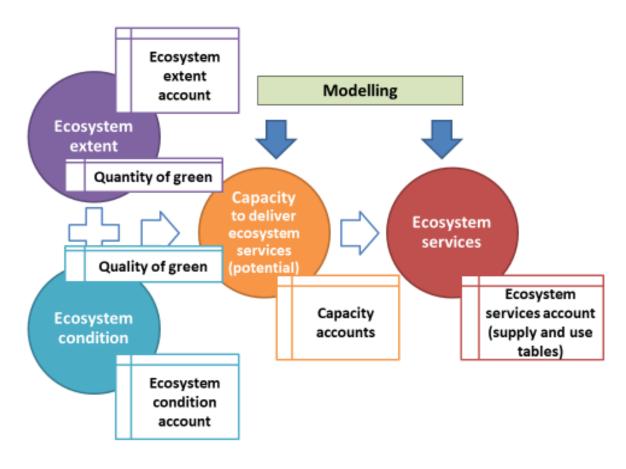


Relationships between spatial units for ecosystem accounting in ecosystem extent accounting





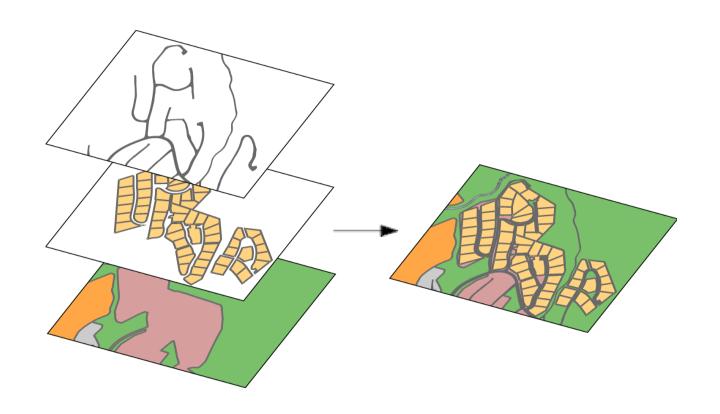
The extent and condition account can form a basis to analyze the capacity (potential) for different ecosystem services





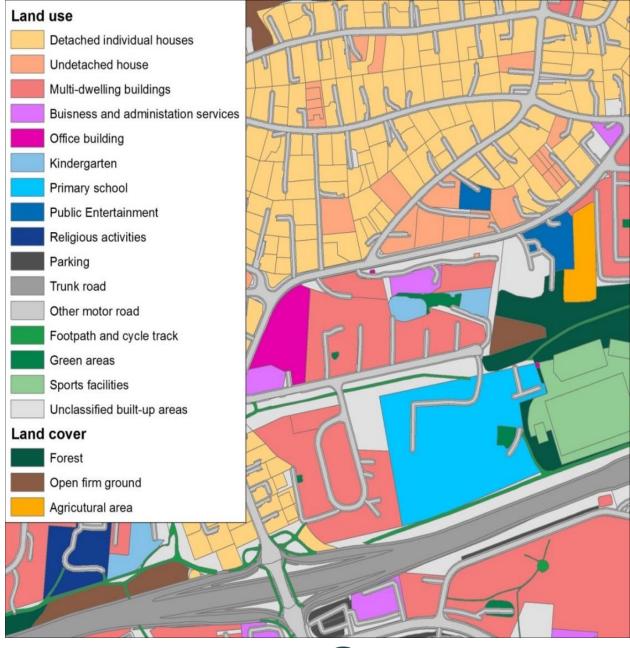
Statistics Norways land use map

 Principle of overlaying different maps





 The result of combining maps from different sources, an example of a land use/land cover map from Statistics Norway





Intersection of SSB land use maps and Sentinel-2 land cover classification. Example





Built-up, buildings

Built-up, infrastructure

Grass

Developed, known land use, unknown land cover

In the area with a red circle there is an asphalted school yard and a back yard used for parking space.

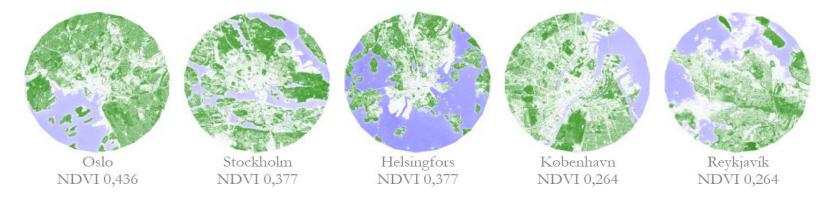
The green circle is an area for housing with a back yard with trees.

The blue circle is a play ground which is asphalted, but with trees around



Comparing the capitals of the Nordic countries

• Comparing the capitals of the Nordic countries in terms of green areas available to their citizens. Greenness measures by normalized vegetation index (NDVI)



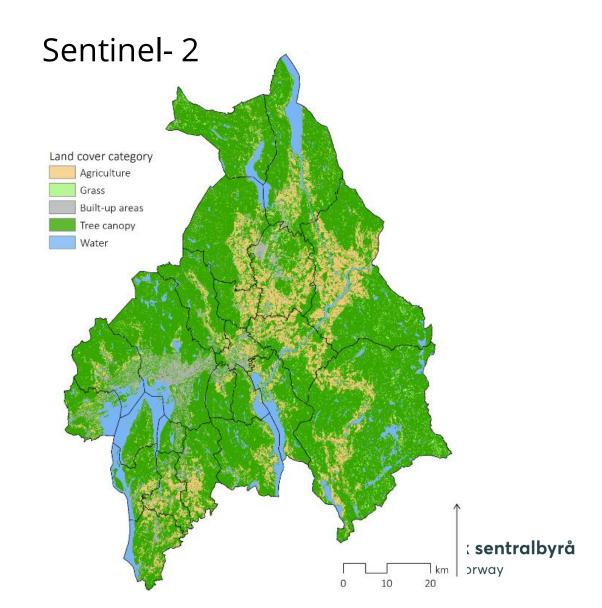
Figur 1: For å finne ut hvilken europeisk hovedstad som tilbyr mest grøntareal for sine innbyggere har forskere i Tyskland brukt satellittdata til å måle planteliv ved en normalisert vegetasjonsindeks (NDVI). Oslo er rangert som Nordens grønneste hovedstad og blant de grønneste i hele Europa.

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Land use/land cover and Sentinel-2 land cover classification in the Oslo region in 2017





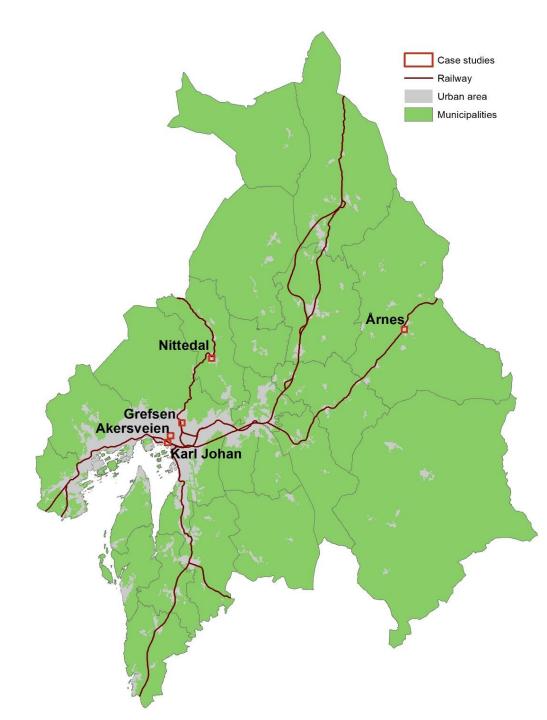
Selected case study areas in the Oslo region

Name, Municipality		Population per km2	Jobs per km2	Characterization
Old city center, Oslo	0	6 674	62 419	Central, railway station
Akersvegen, Oslo	1	16 374	11 181	Urbanized
Grefsen, Oslo	8	6 296	4 078	Dense single-housing
Nittedal	16	2 223	245	Commuter distance, 30 minutes by train
Årnes	80	1 404	2 365	Rural, 50 minutes by train

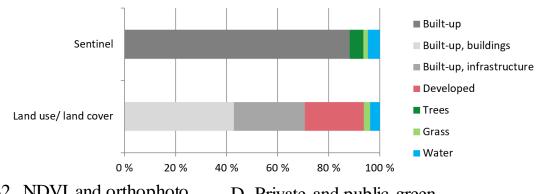


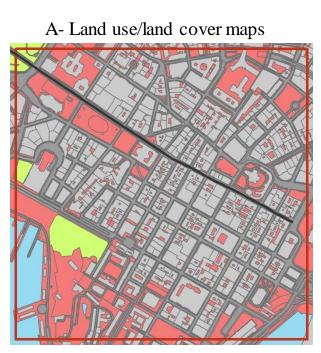
Case studies in the Oslo-region

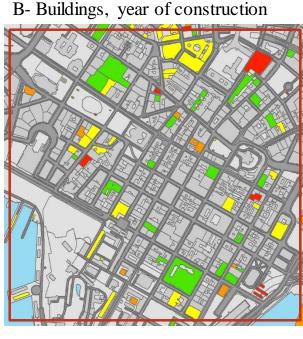
 Comparing areas from the city center and northeastwards. Map of the Oslo region



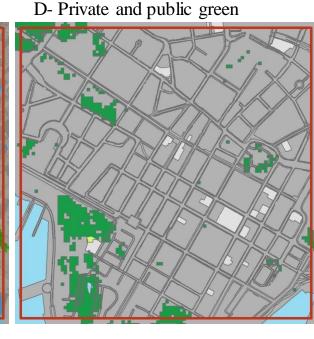
Case study: The old city center











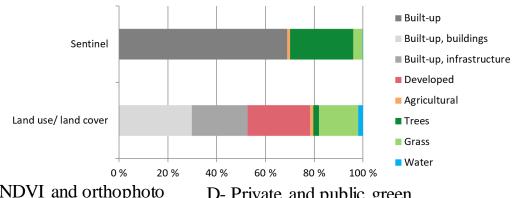




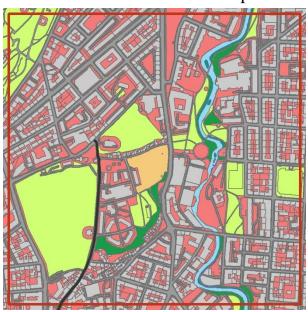




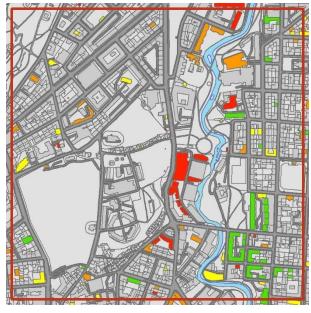
Case study: Akersveien



A- Land use/land cover maps



B- Buildings, year of construction



C- Sentinel-2, NDVI and orthophoto

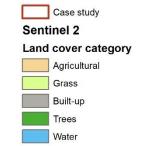


D- Private and public green



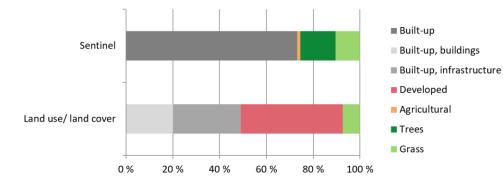
Akersveien Case study Built-up, buildings Built-up, infrastructure Developed, known land use. unknown land cover Agricultural Grass Water

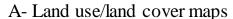


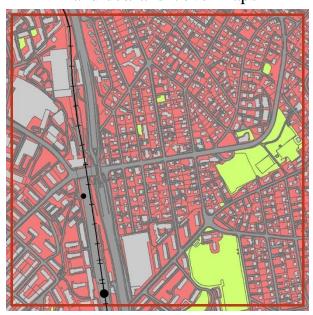




Case study: Grefsen







B- Buildings, year of construction



Case study

Year of construction

1976 or earlier

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1987 - 1996

1997 - 2006

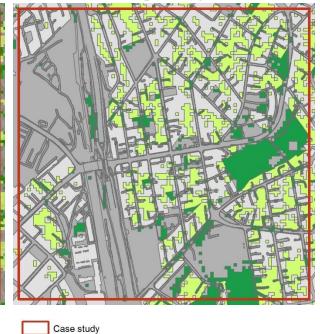
2007 - 2016

Buildings

Densification zone

Case study Sentinel 2 Land cover category Agricultural Grass Built-up

D- Private and public green



Metro station

Railway station

Case study

Built-up, buildings

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unknown land cover

Grass Water



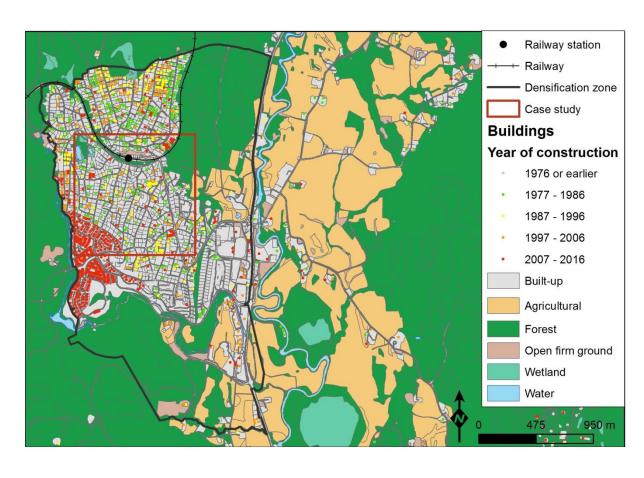
Trees

Water

C- Sentinel-2, NDVI and orthophoto

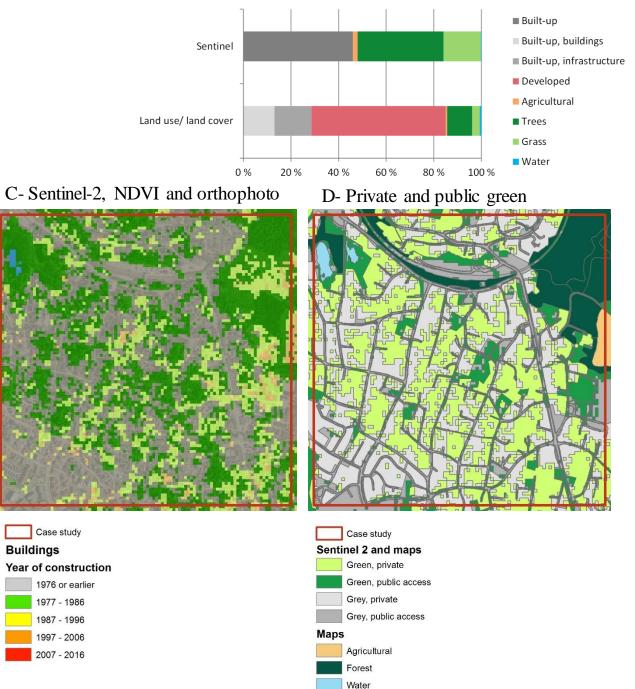
Sentinel 2 and maps Green, private Green, public access Grey, private Grey, public access

Densification area in the central area of Nittedal





Case study: Nittedal



A- Land use/land cover maps



Case study

Agricultural

Forest

Grass

Water

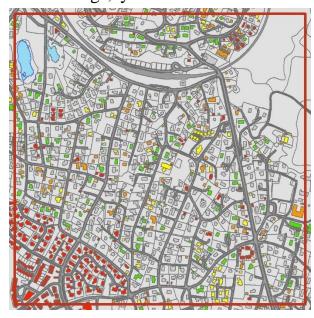
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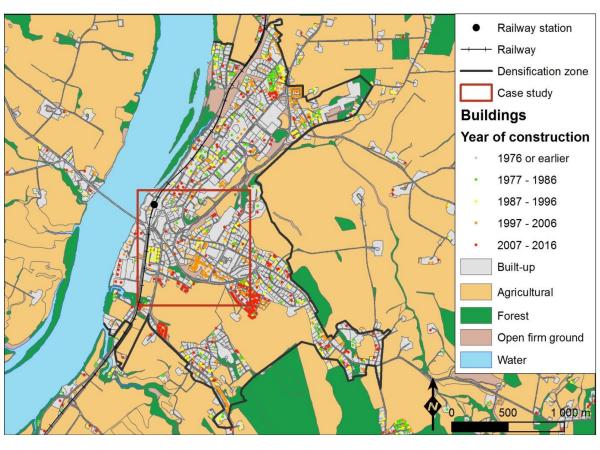
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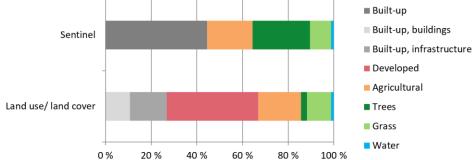
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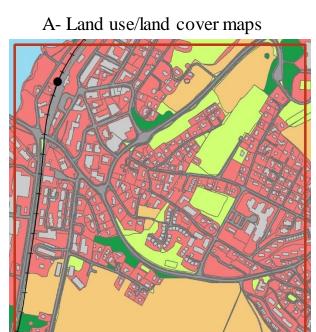
Årnes. Densification zone and recent development





Case study: Årnes





B- Buildings, year of construction













Decision rules based on the case studies

Case Study	Land use/land cover	Sentinel-2
City Center	Streets, public places, markets and buildings, Some large	Trees and green Shadows as water. The data sources allow us
	plots of grasslands as public parks	to separate private green from public. Here it is no private
		green areas.
Akersveien	Public parks and graveyards, Water,	Lot of trees and green, No Water
	Allotments	Agriculture misclassified
Grefsen	No green except sports areas and public institutions	No streets, Lots of trees and green space in private gardens.
		Misclassification of agriculture
Nittedal	Buildings and infrastructure	Private green and trees, Not so much green in the new
	Forest, water and agriculture as map based land use.	developed area,
		Agriculture misclassified
Årnes	Little green in the old part of the city.	Private green dominates in the villa-areas,
	Some new expansion on agricultural land	Large public green areas which could be developed.



Land use and public and private green areas in the case study areas, ha and %

Sentinel-2. Corresponds to map C

	Karl Johan	Akersveien	Grefsen	Nittedal	Årnes
Built-up	88,3	68,9	73,2	46,0	44,5
Agricultural		1,1	1,3	2,0	19,9
Trees	5,4	25,9	15,1	36,1	25,3
Grass	1,7	3,9	10,4	15,7	9,1
Water	4,6	0,1		0,2	1,2

Land use/land cover Corresponds to map A

	Karl Johan	Akersveien	Grefsen	Nittedal	årnes
Built-up	70,7	52,7	49,0	28,5	26,8
Developed	23,0	25,6	43,5	56,5	40,1
Agricultural		1,4		0,6	18,8
Trees	0,0	2,4		10,5	2,6
Grass	2,5	16,1	7,4	3,2	10,5
Water	3,7	1,9		0,7	1,2



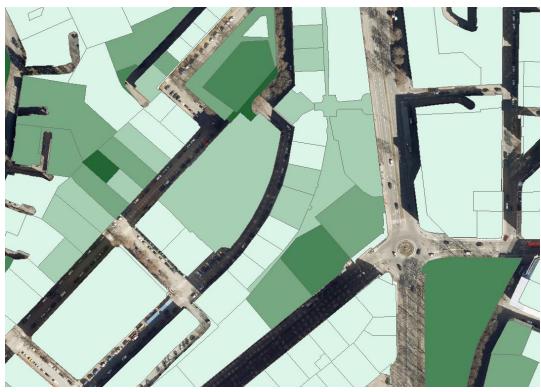
Land use and public and private green areas in the case study areas, ha

Combination, maps and Sentinel. Corresponds to map D

	Karl Johan	Akersveien	Grefsen	Nittedal	Årnes
Green, private	0,0	3,5	15,7	30,7	15,8
Green, public access	7,0	23,2	11,1	12,7	20,1
Grey, private	2,1	25,4	28,3	29,7	12,1
Grey, public access	87,1	42,3	44,9	15,2	29,4
Agricultural		1,4		0,6	18,8
Forest	0,0	2,4		10,5	2,6
Water	3,7	1,9		0,7	1,2



intersection of Sentinel-2 landcover classification and Statistics Norways land use map



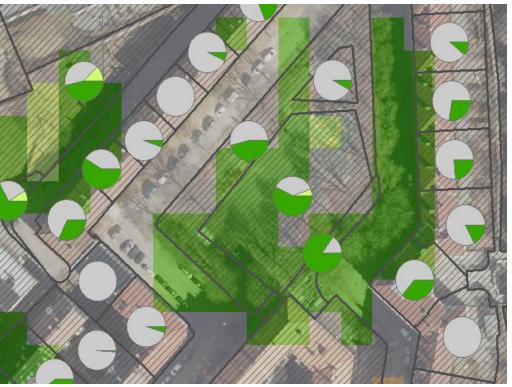
Landuse maps and Sentinel 2

Share of green 0 - 20 %

21 - 40 %

41 - 60 %

81 - 100 %



Landuse maps and Sentinel 2







Thank You!

