



UN-GGIM:Americas Regional Report 2017-2018

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2017-2021 UN-GGIM Strategic Framework

- Geospatial Information for Sustainable Development: 2030 Agenda, Sendai Framework, etc.
- Integration of Geospatial & Statistical Information: Implement the Global Statistical Geospatial Framework

- Geospatial Information & Services for Disasters: Implement Strategic Framework

- Determination of global fundamental data themes
- Land administration and management
- Legal and policy frameworks
- National institutional arrangements
- Implementation and adoption of standards for the global geospatial Information community
- National geospatial data and information systems

2017-2021 Working Groups UN-GGIM: Americas

1 Integration of Statistical & Geospatial Information

2 Disasters

3 Geospatial Data Infrastructure in the Region

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Integration of Statistical &
Geospatial Information

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Disasters

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Geospatial Data
Infrastructure in the Region

Work Lines

- Academic Network Americas
- Geodetic Reference Framework
- Joint Action Plan
- Private Sector Network in the Americas
- Regional Cooperation and Collaboration

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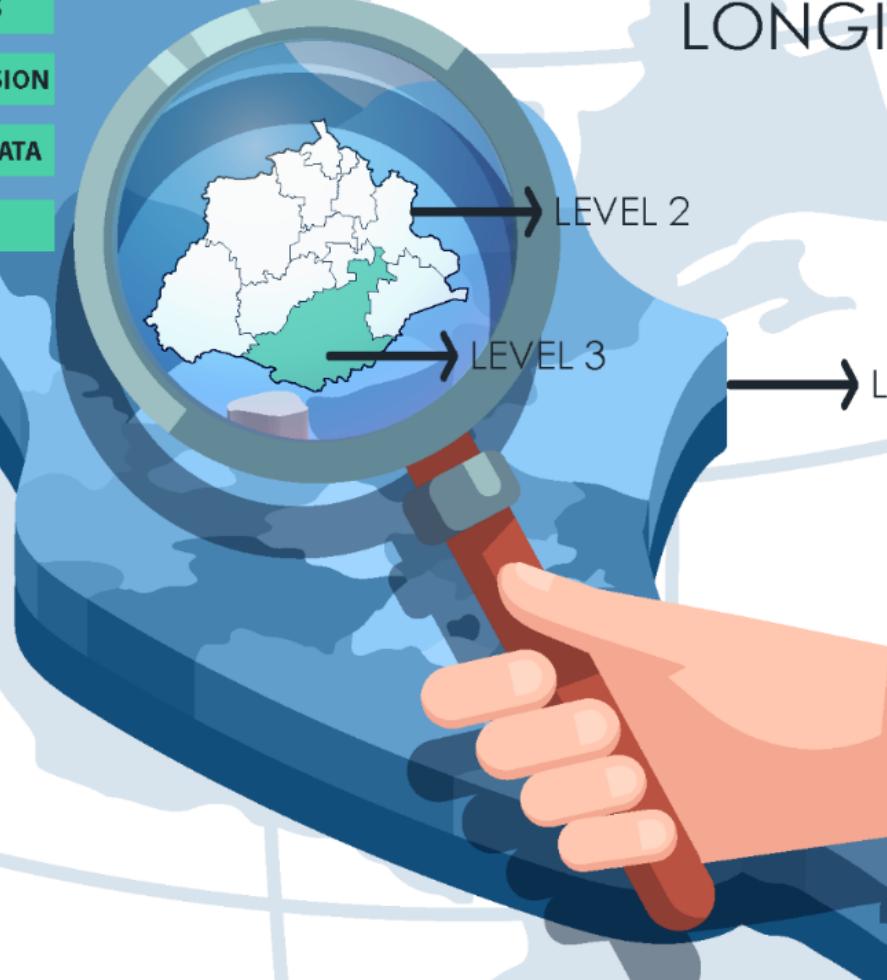
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GEOGRAPHICAL COORDINATES: SIRGAS

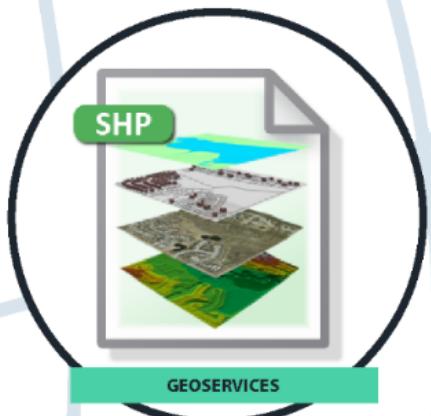
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INTEROPERABLE STANDARDS AND METADATA

STATISTICAL INFORMATION



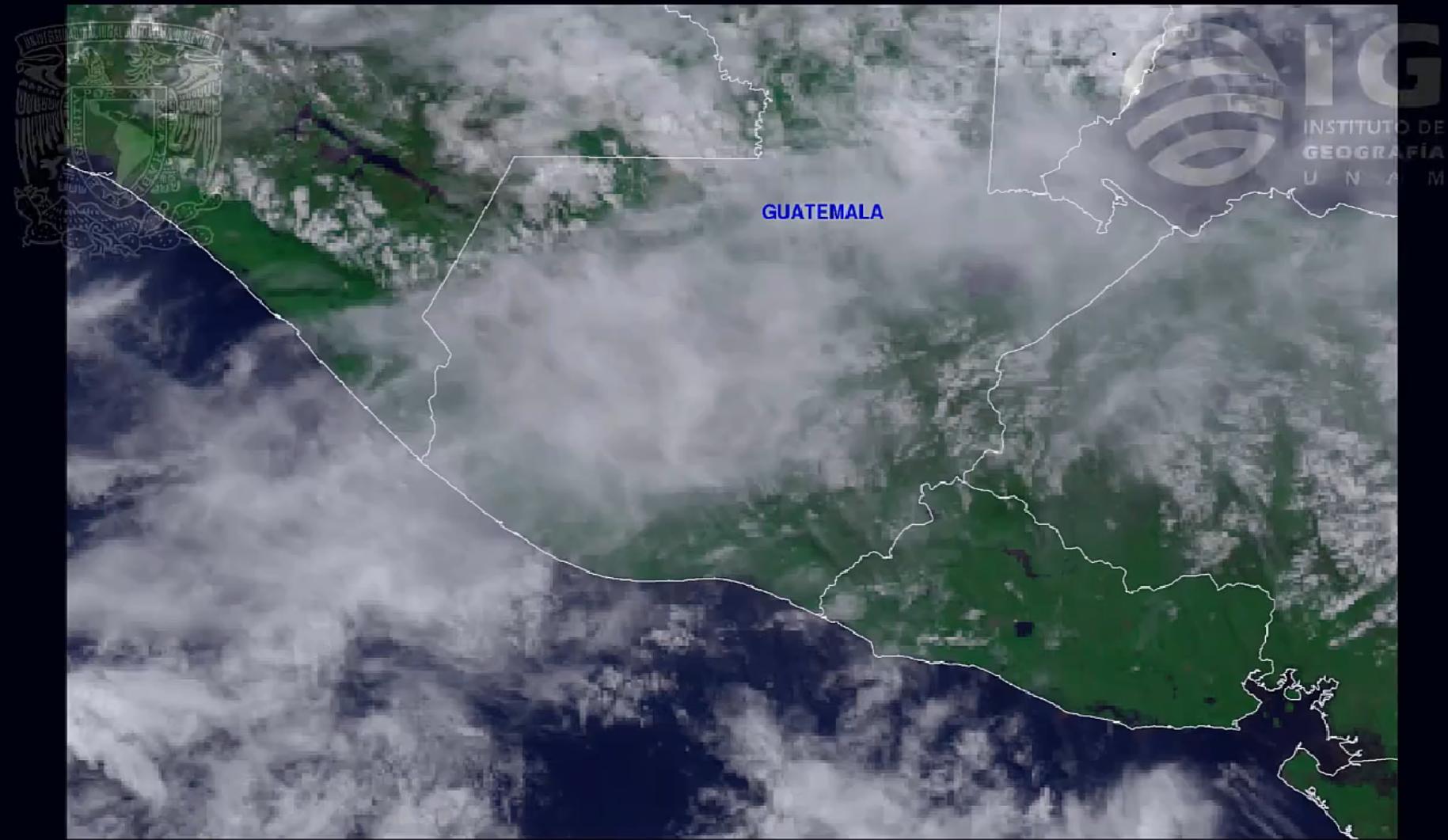
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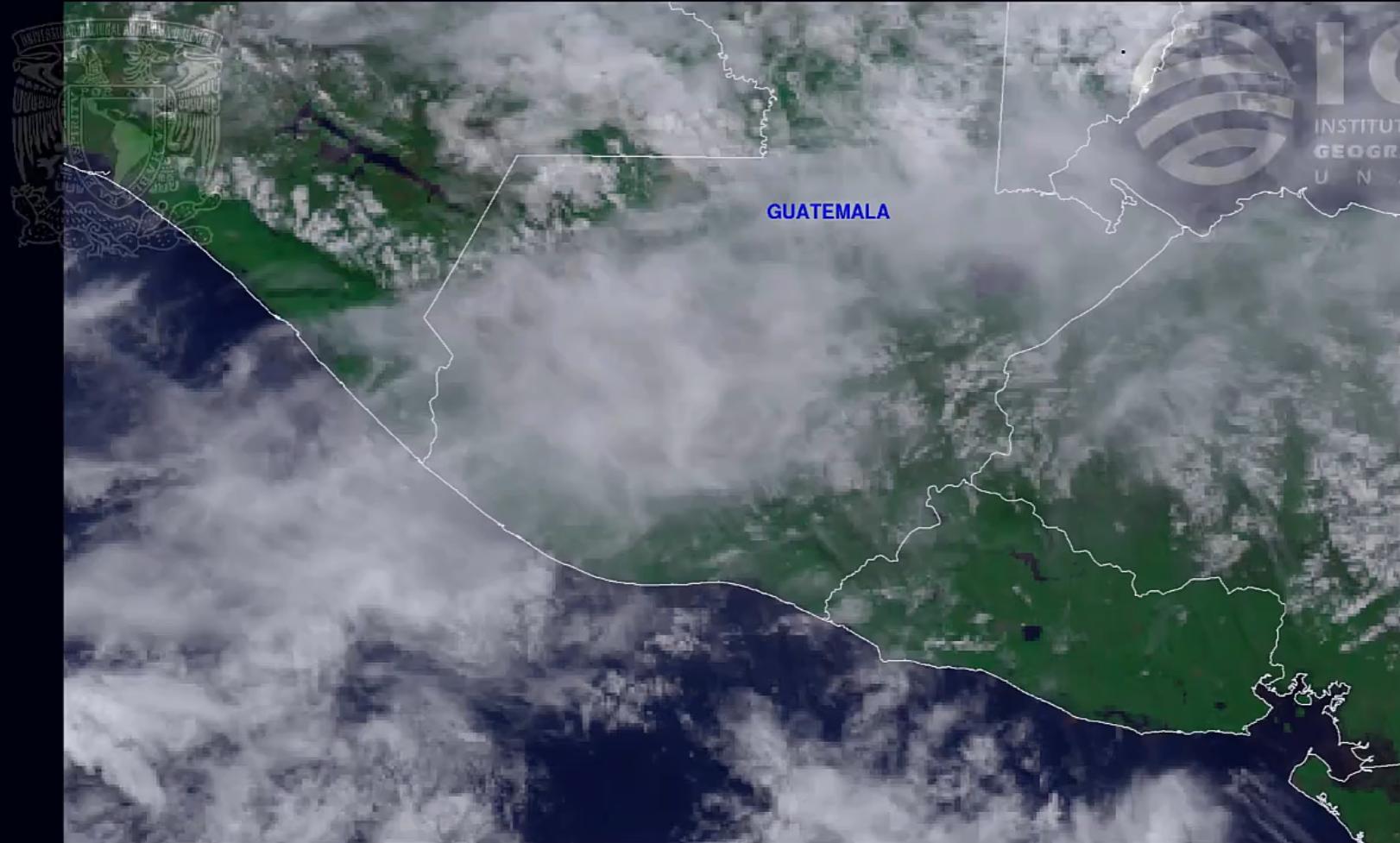




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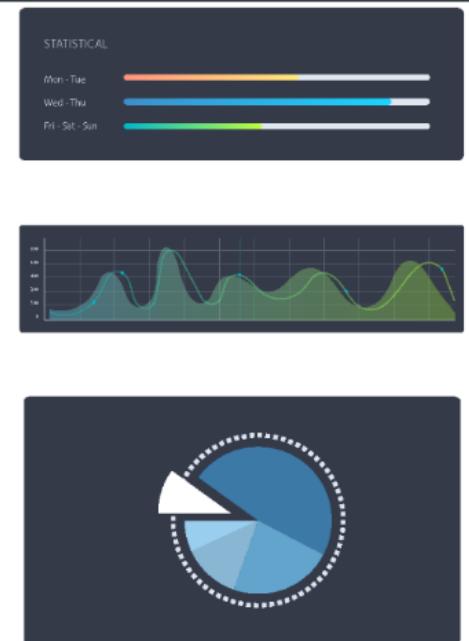
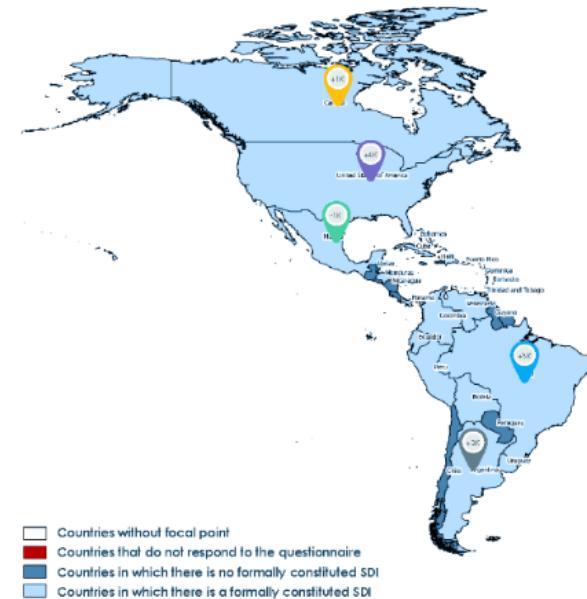
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Geospatial Data Infrastructure in the Region

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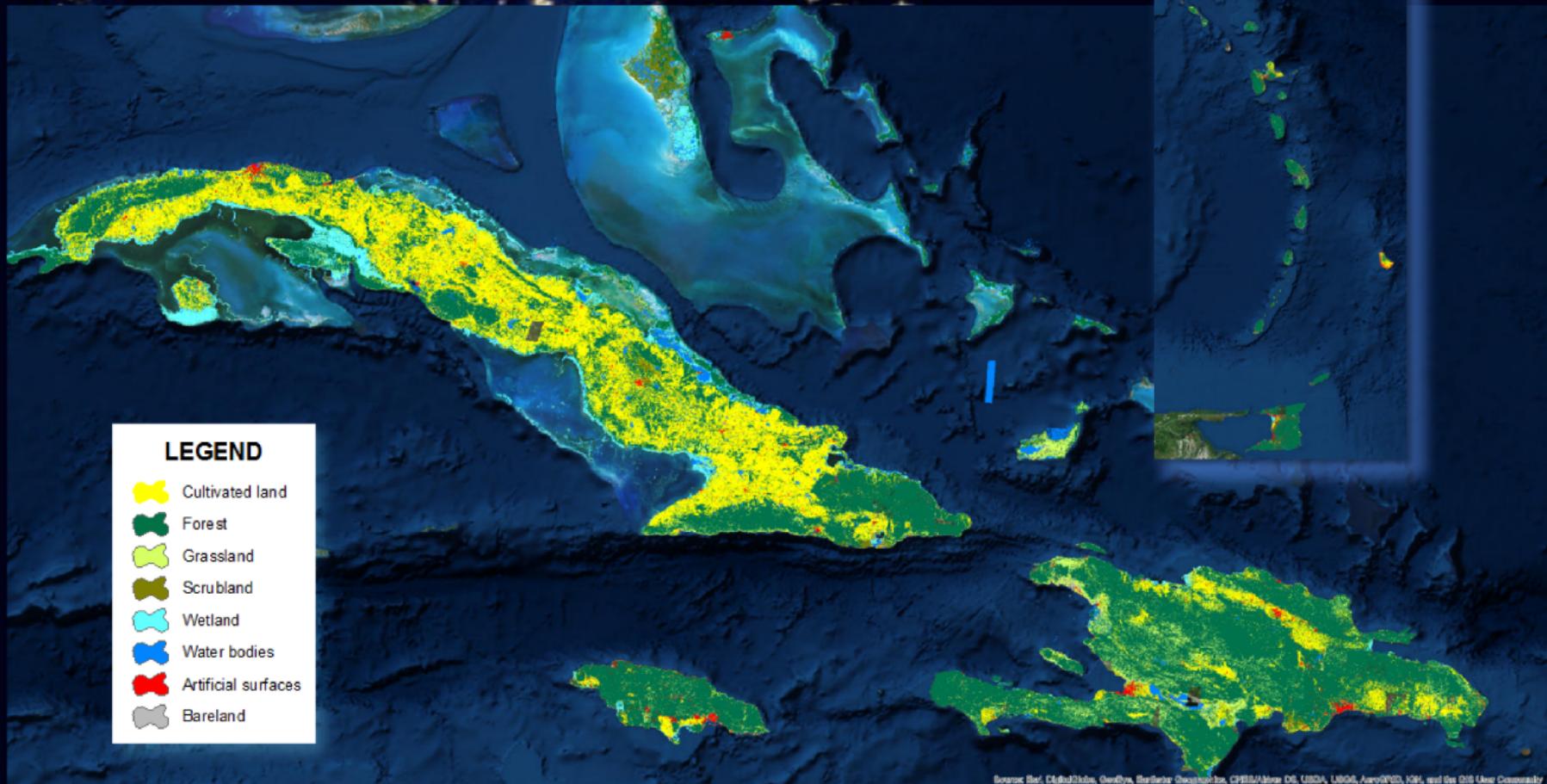
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Questionnaire



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Land cover map of the Caribbean





Collaboration



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Perspectives and future plans

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the framework of Latin America Geospatial
Forum – November 6 to 8, 2018



The Regional Committee of UN-GGIM: Americas is truly committed to strengthening geospatial information in the region and thanks the Member States and regional bodies for their participation in the activities of such high responsibility.





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