

Storm Surge Bathymetric Modeling and Risk Assessment in the United States Caribbean Territories - Appendix

Appendix A - Elevation Imagery

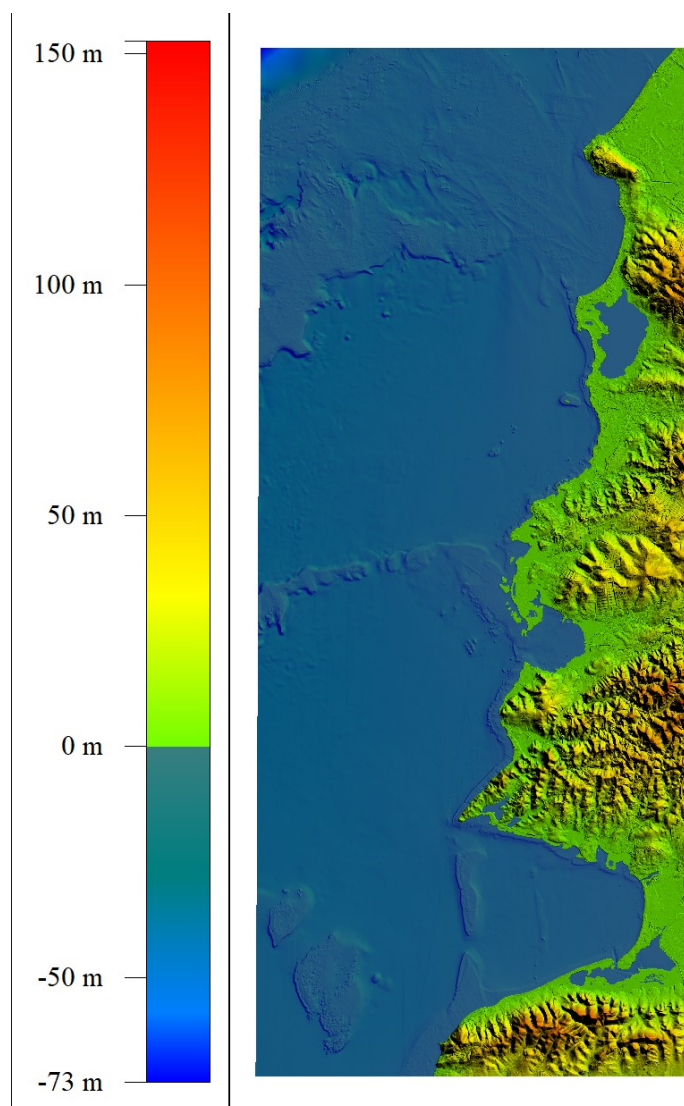


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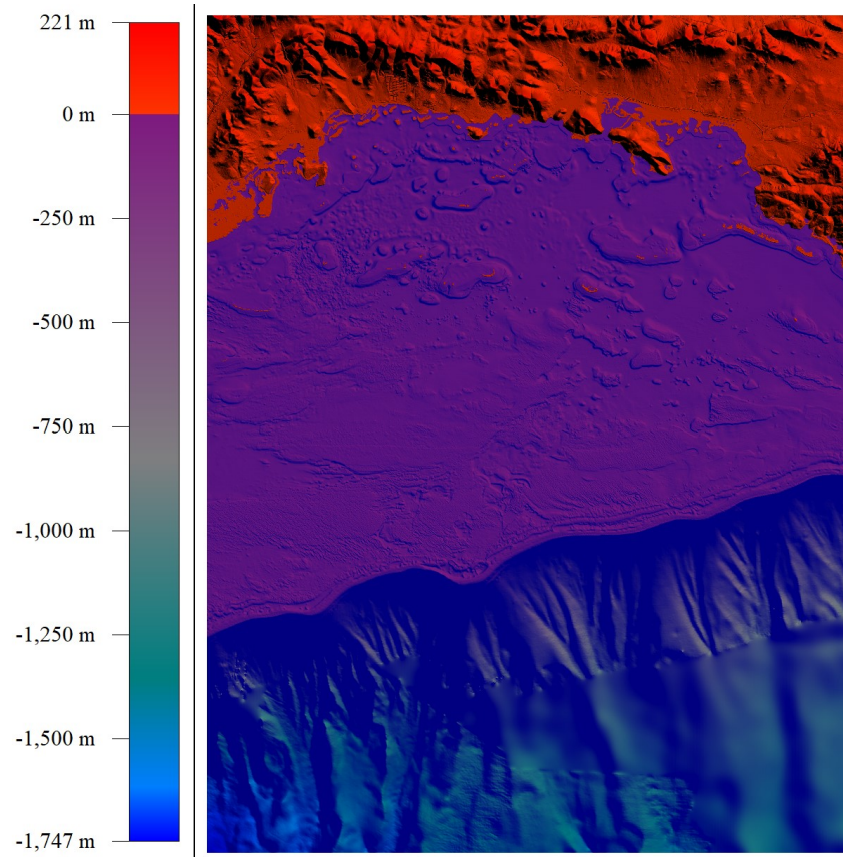


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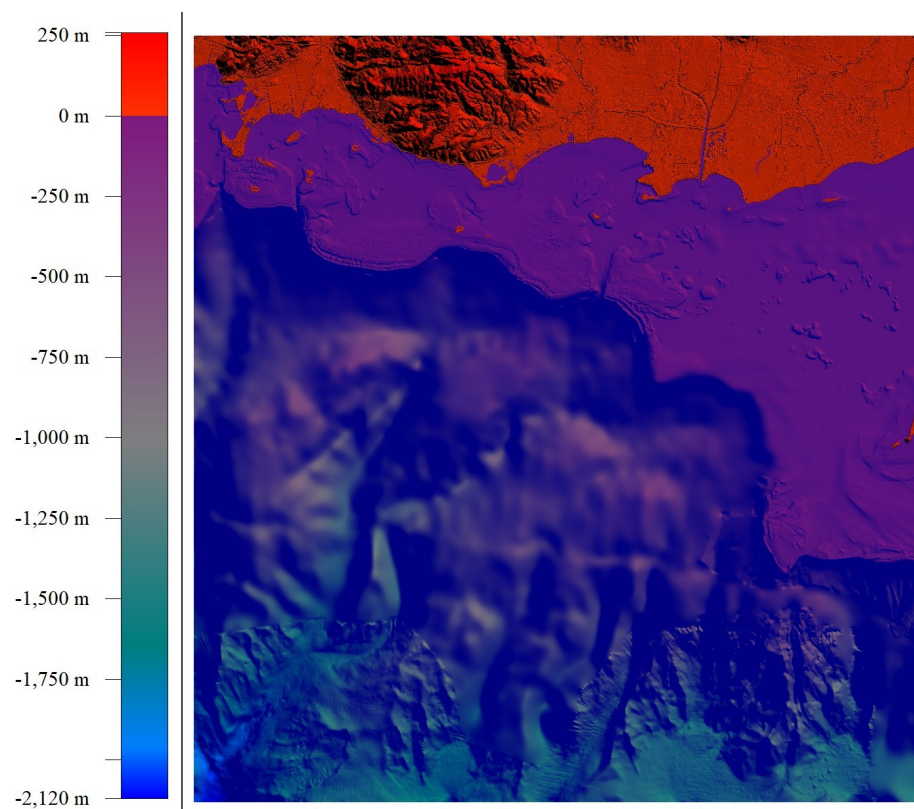


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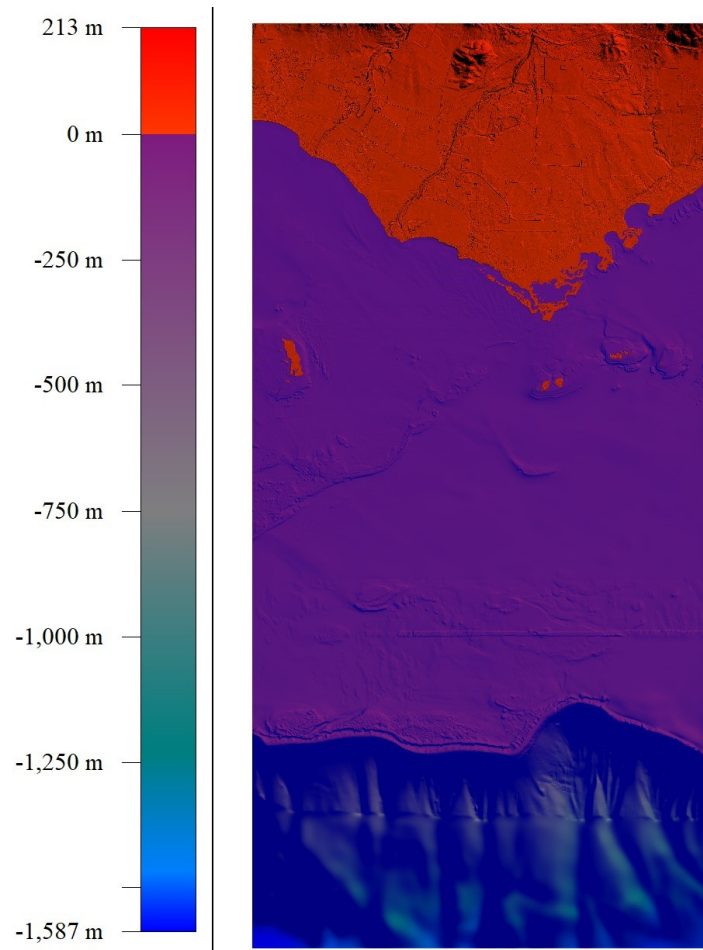


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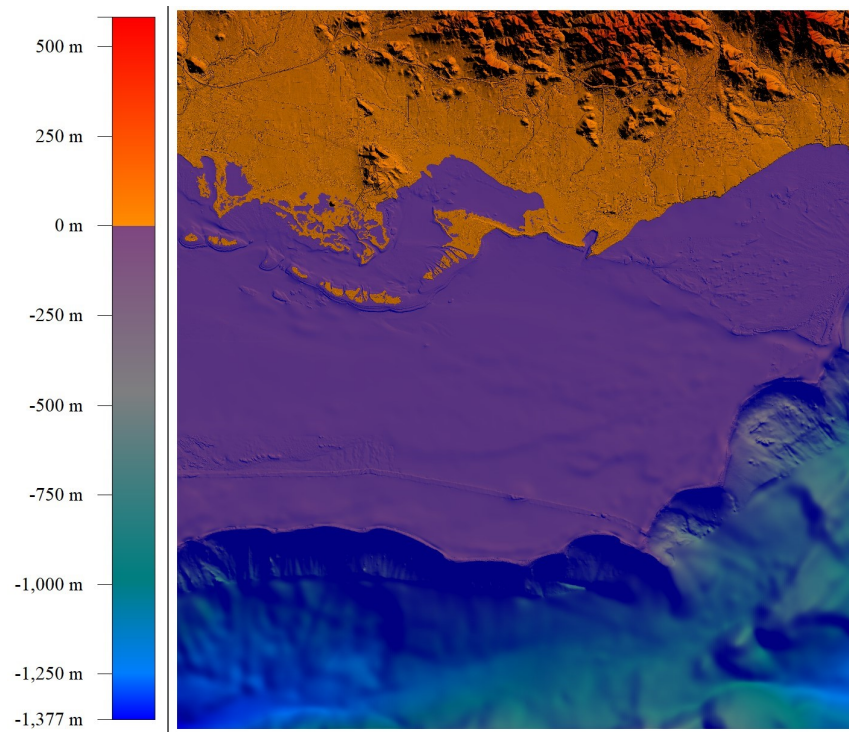


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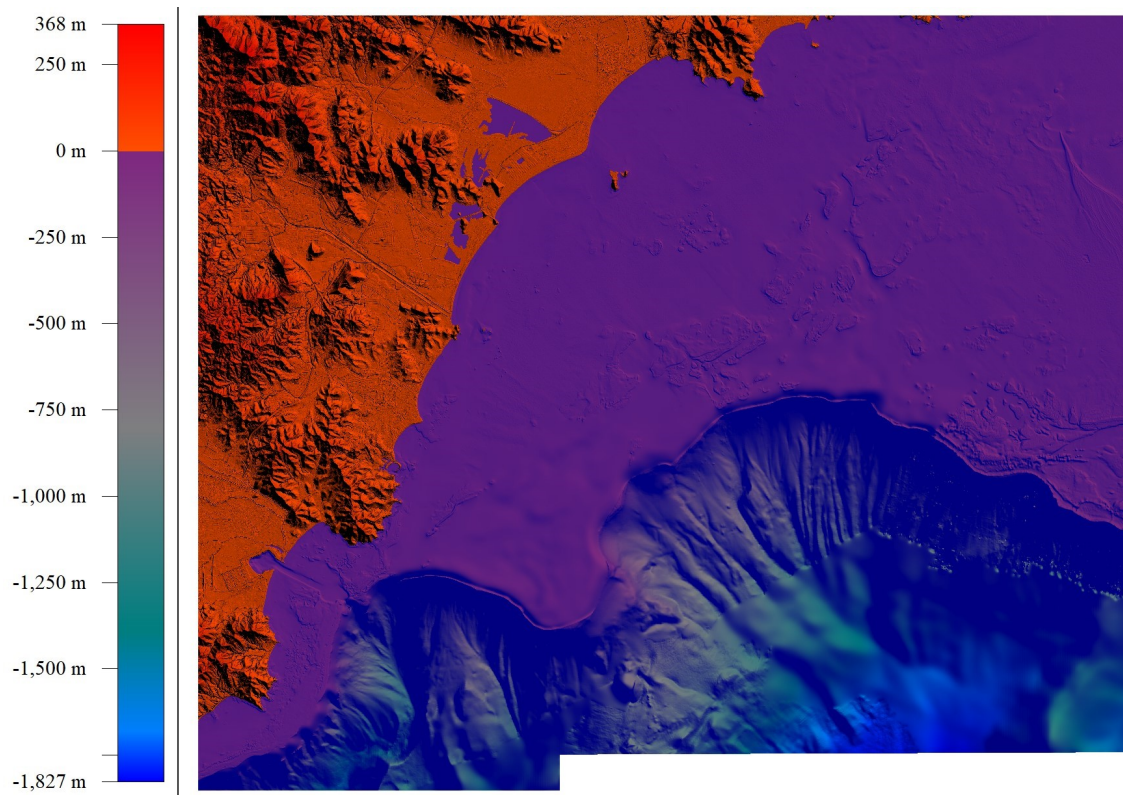


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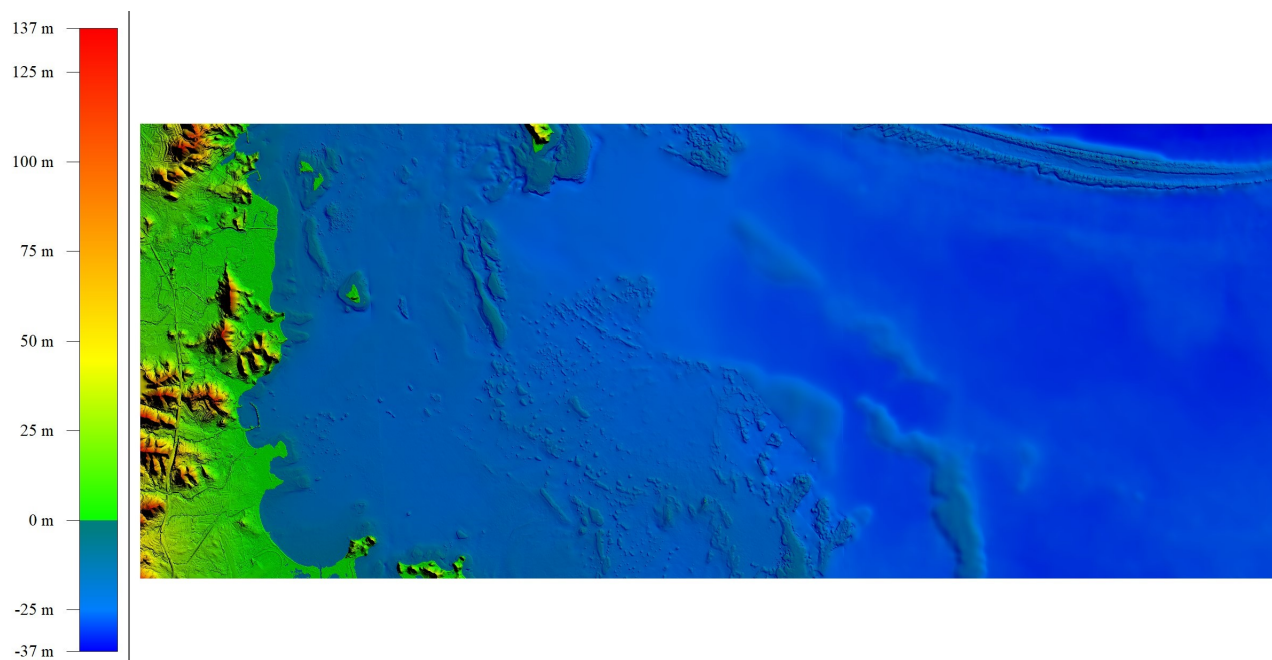


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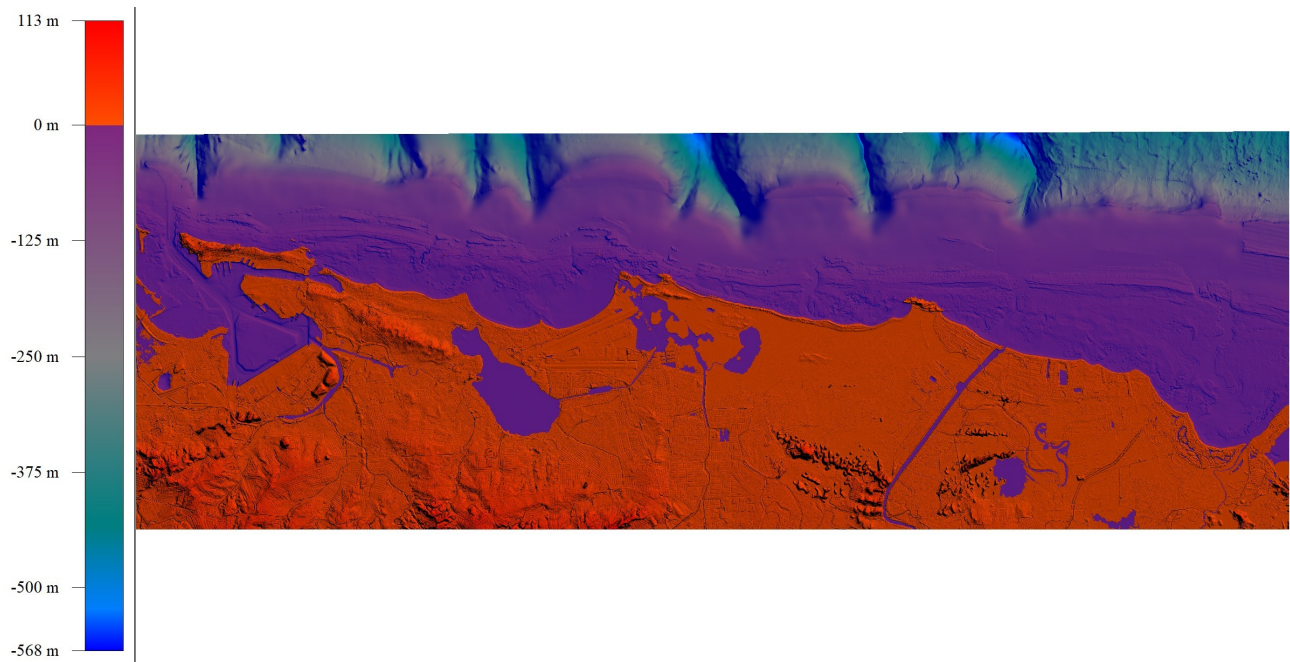


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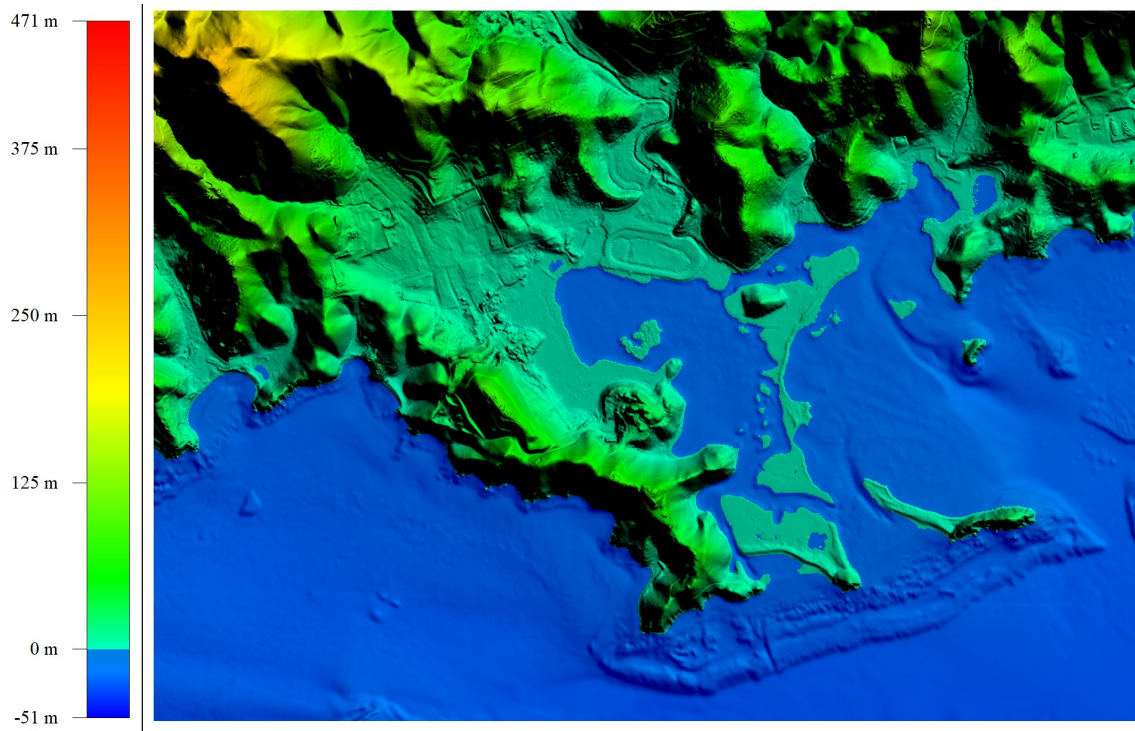


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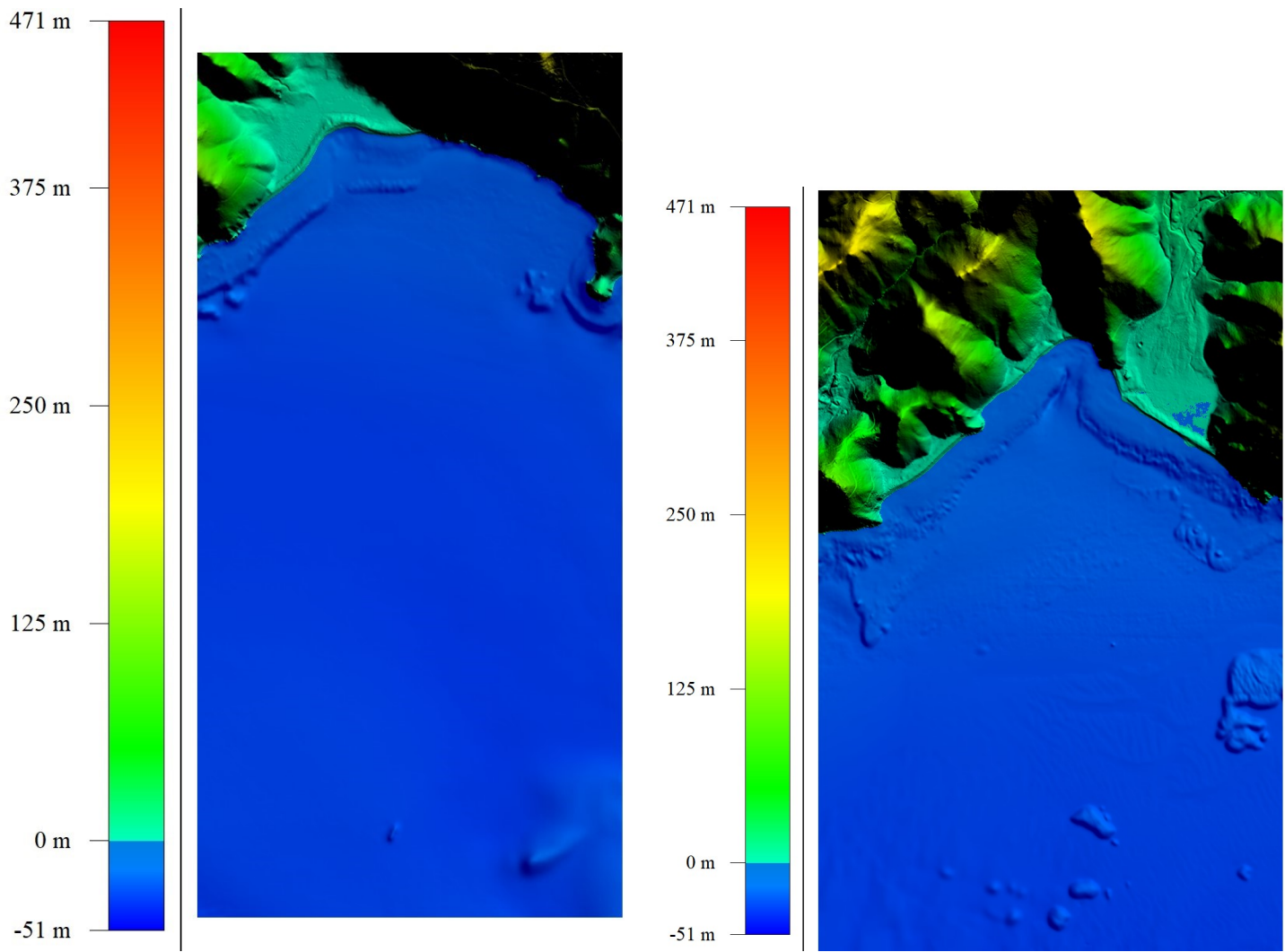


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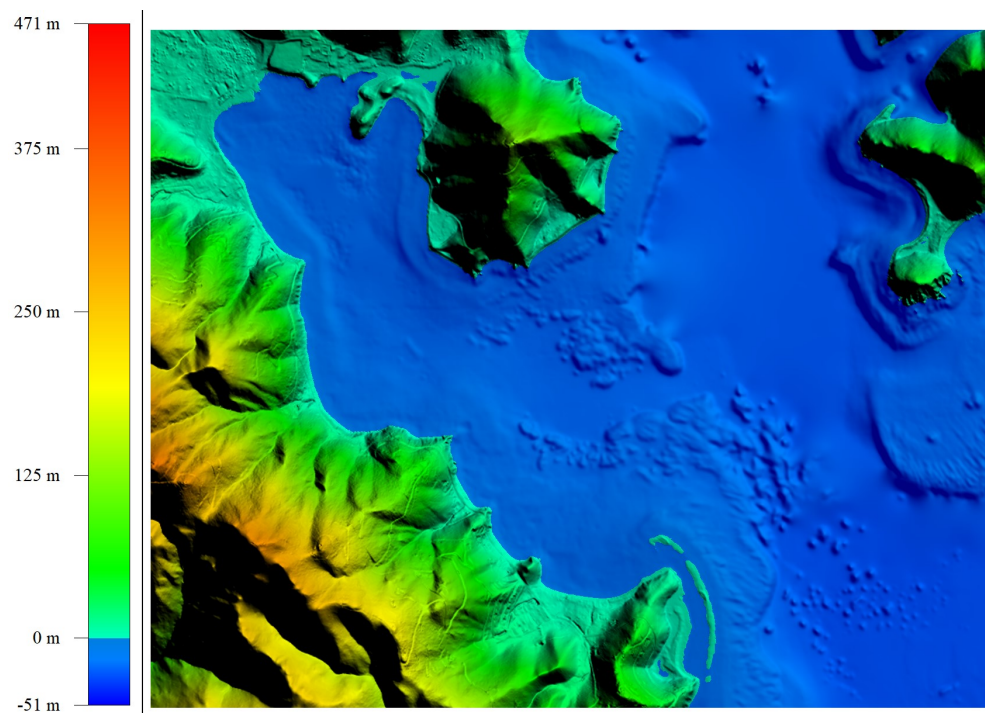


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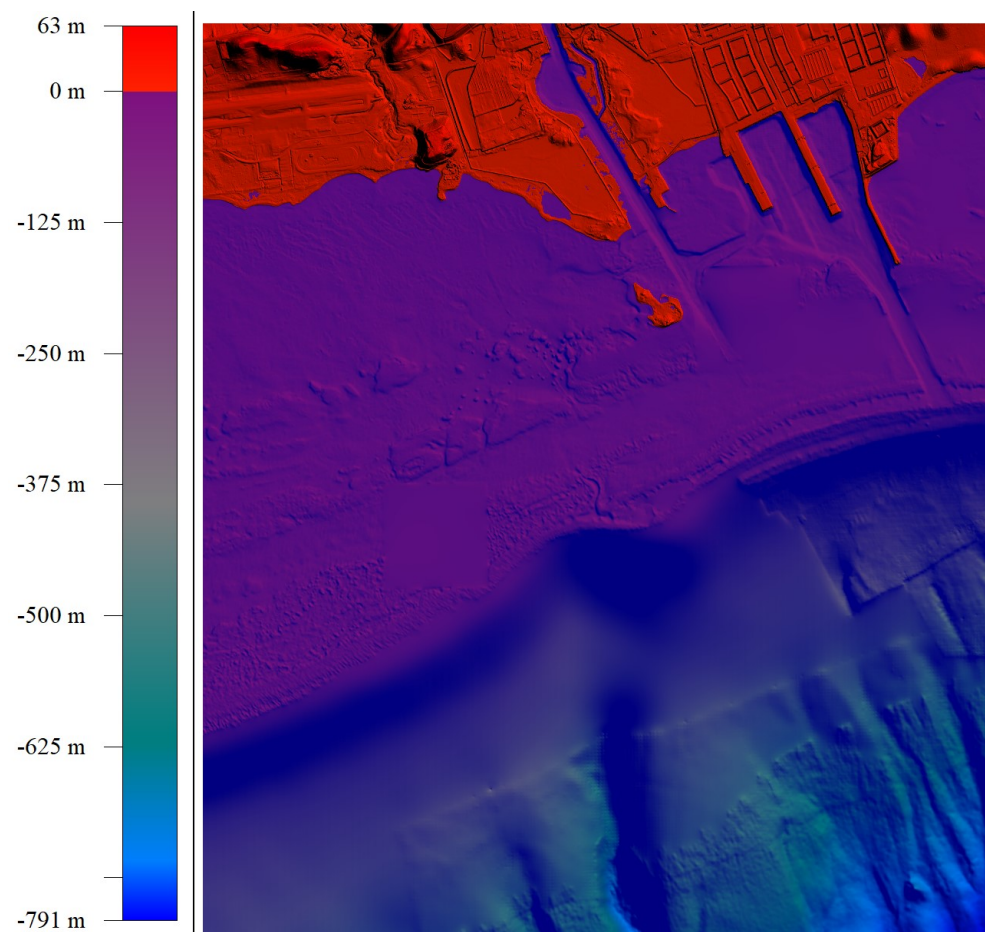


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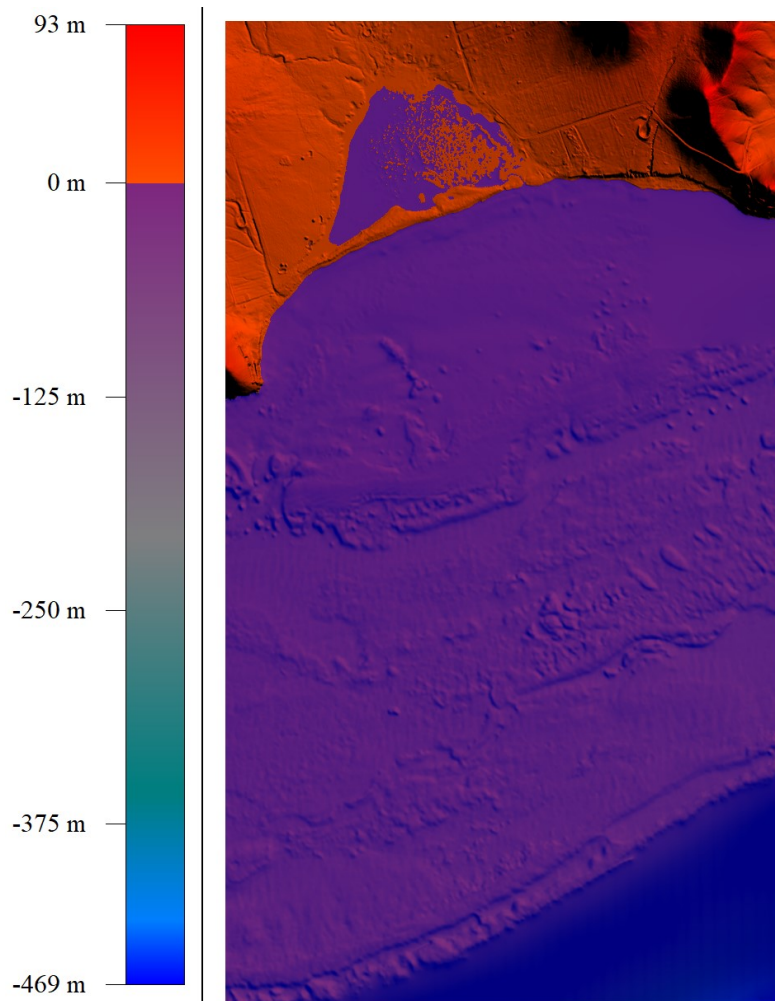


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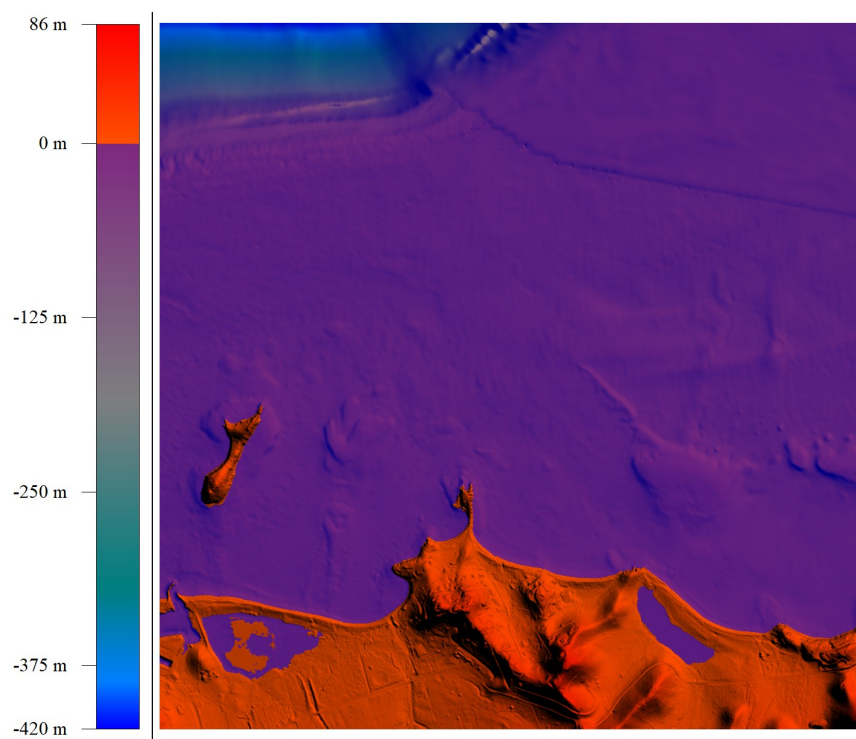


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Appendix B - Slope Imagery

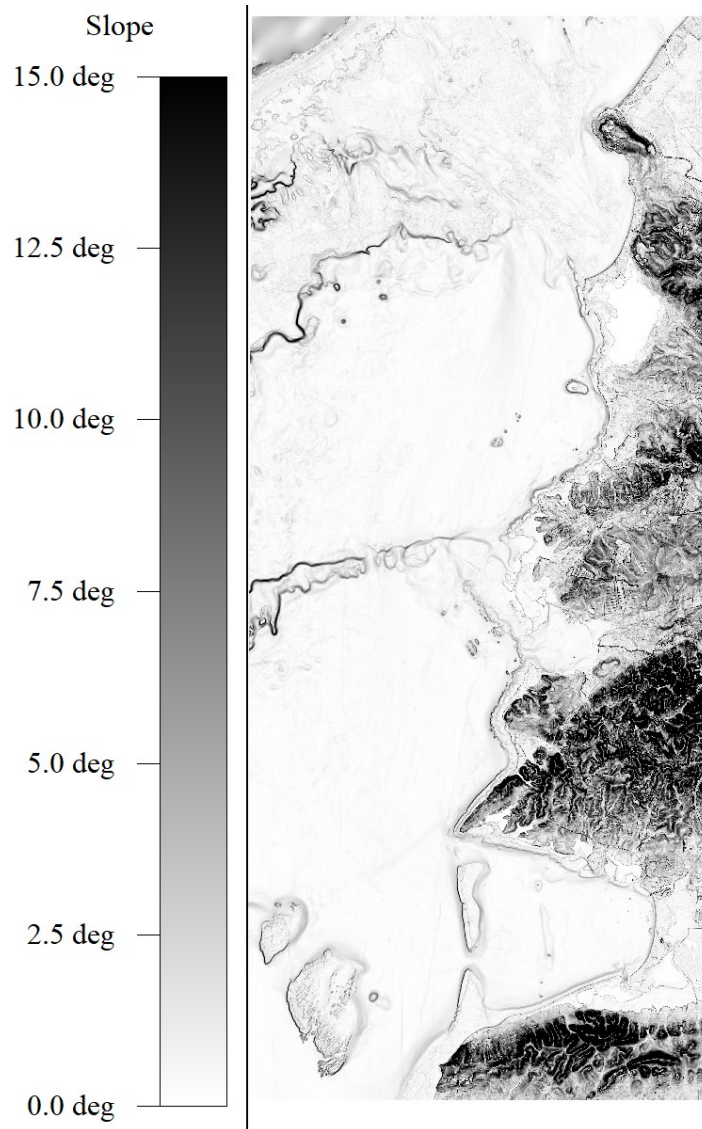


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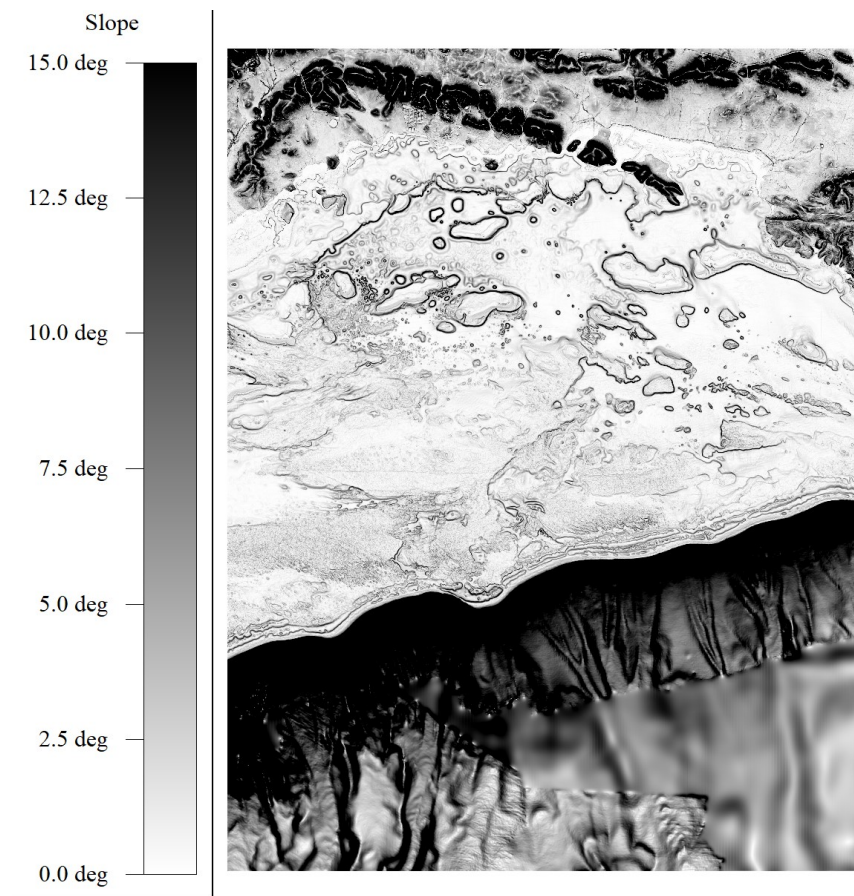


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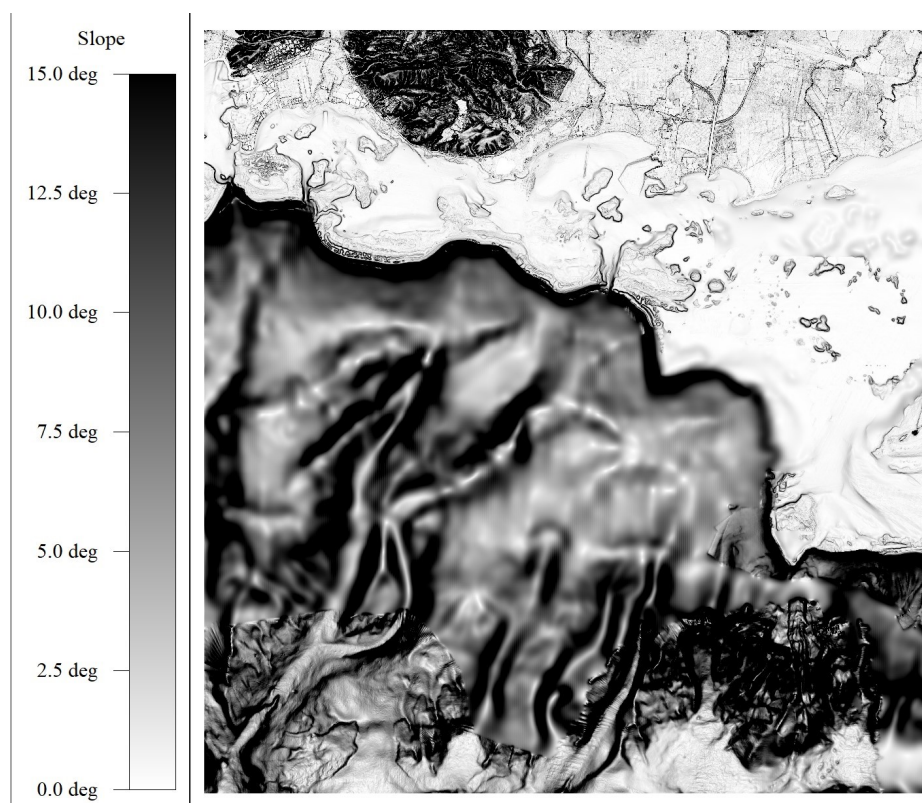


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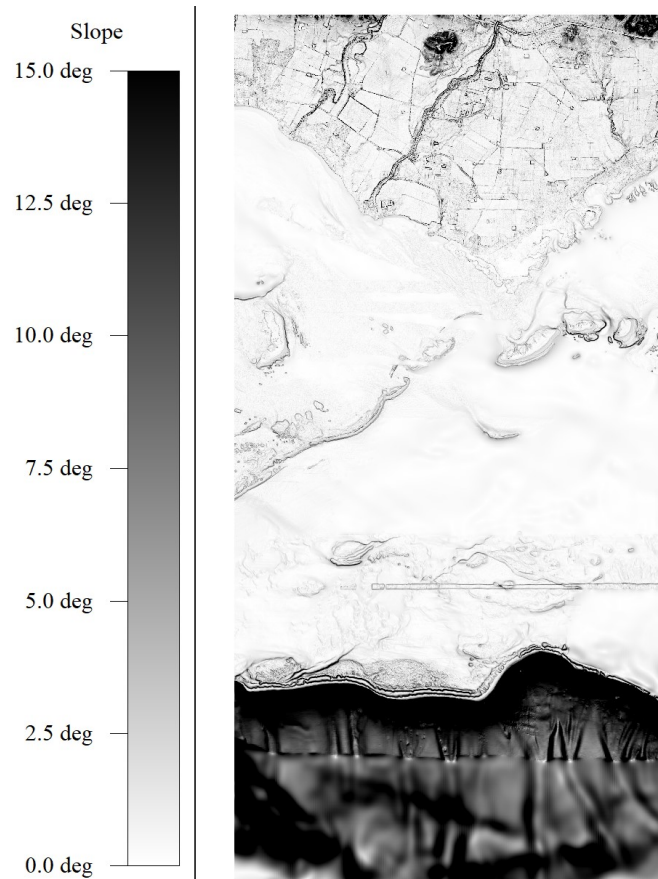


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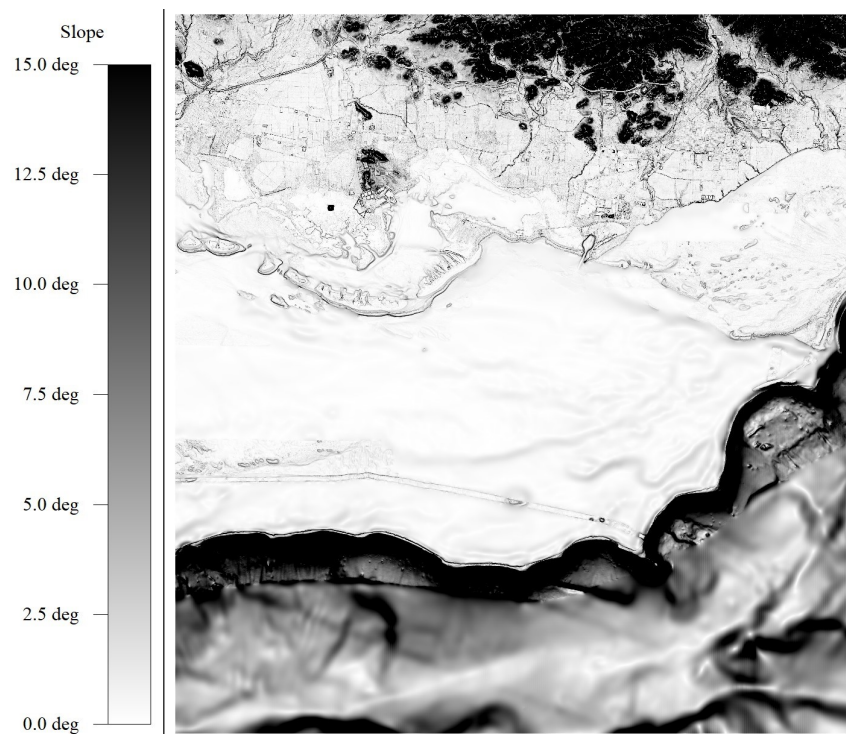


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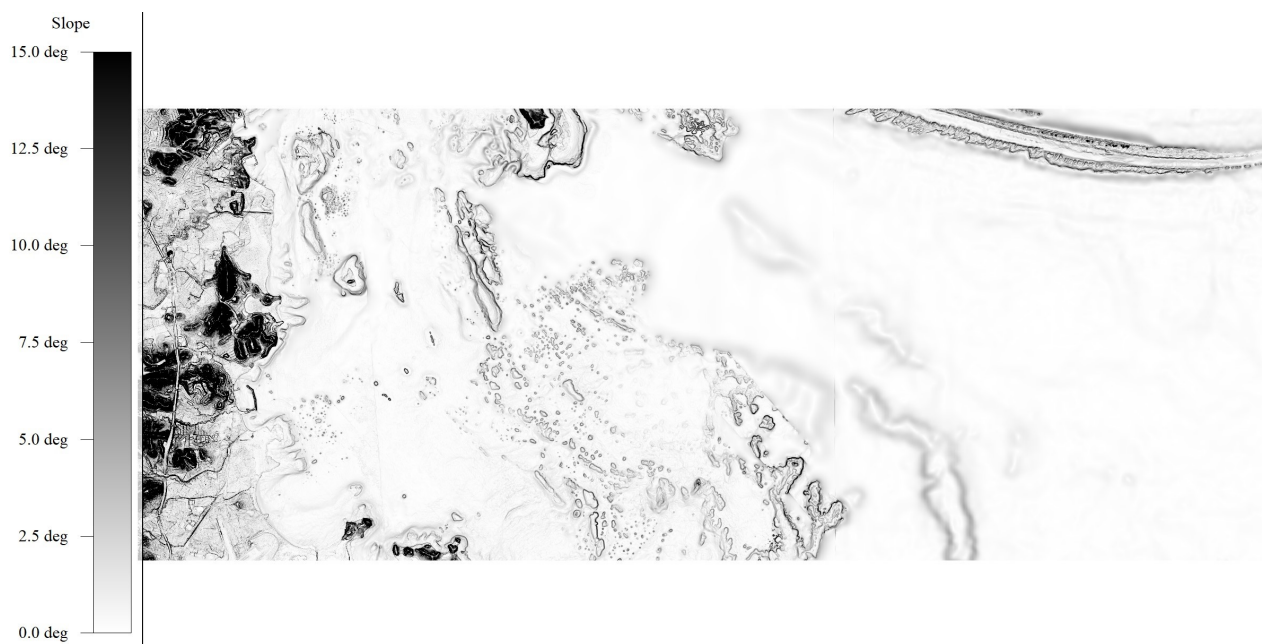


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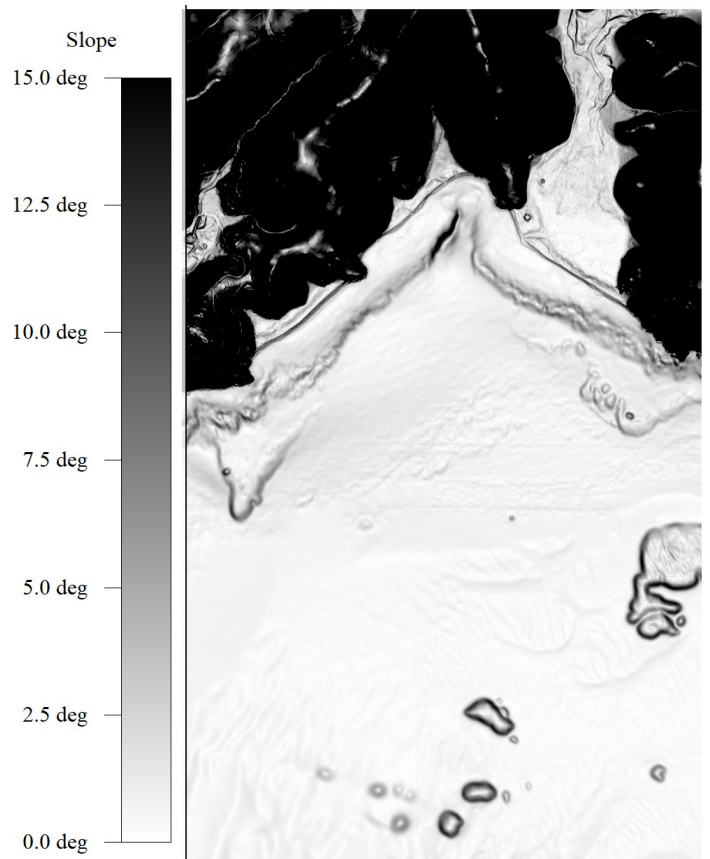
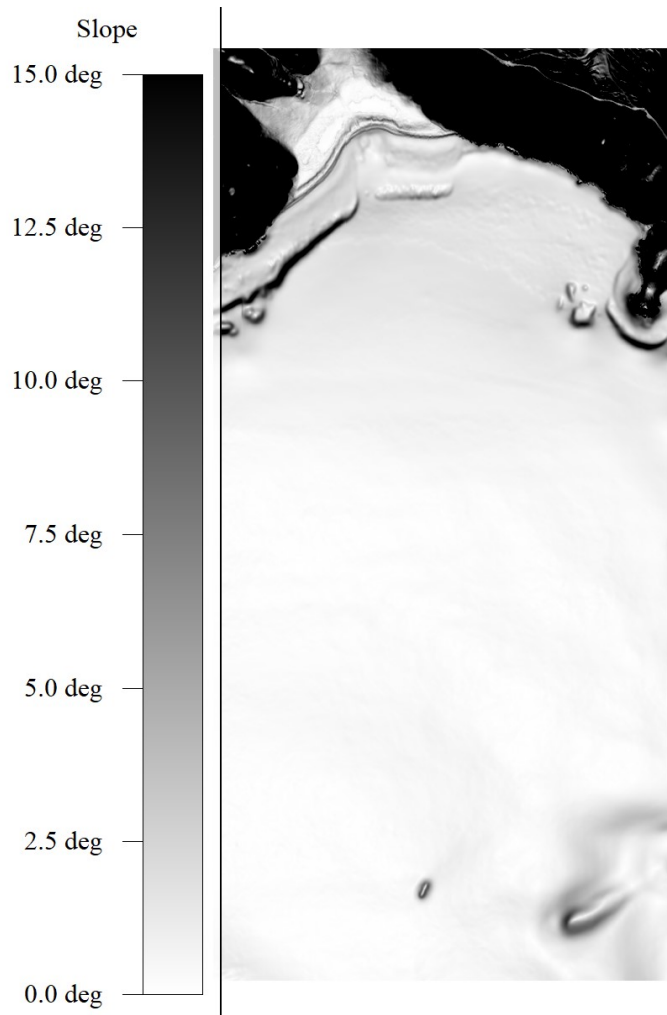


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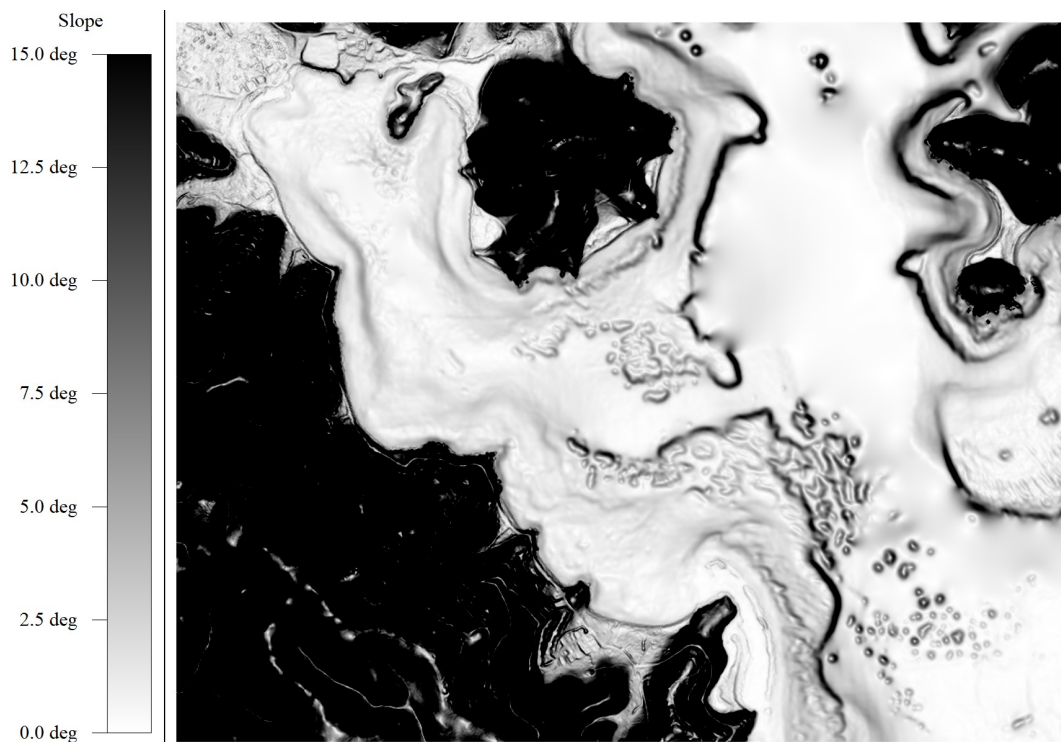


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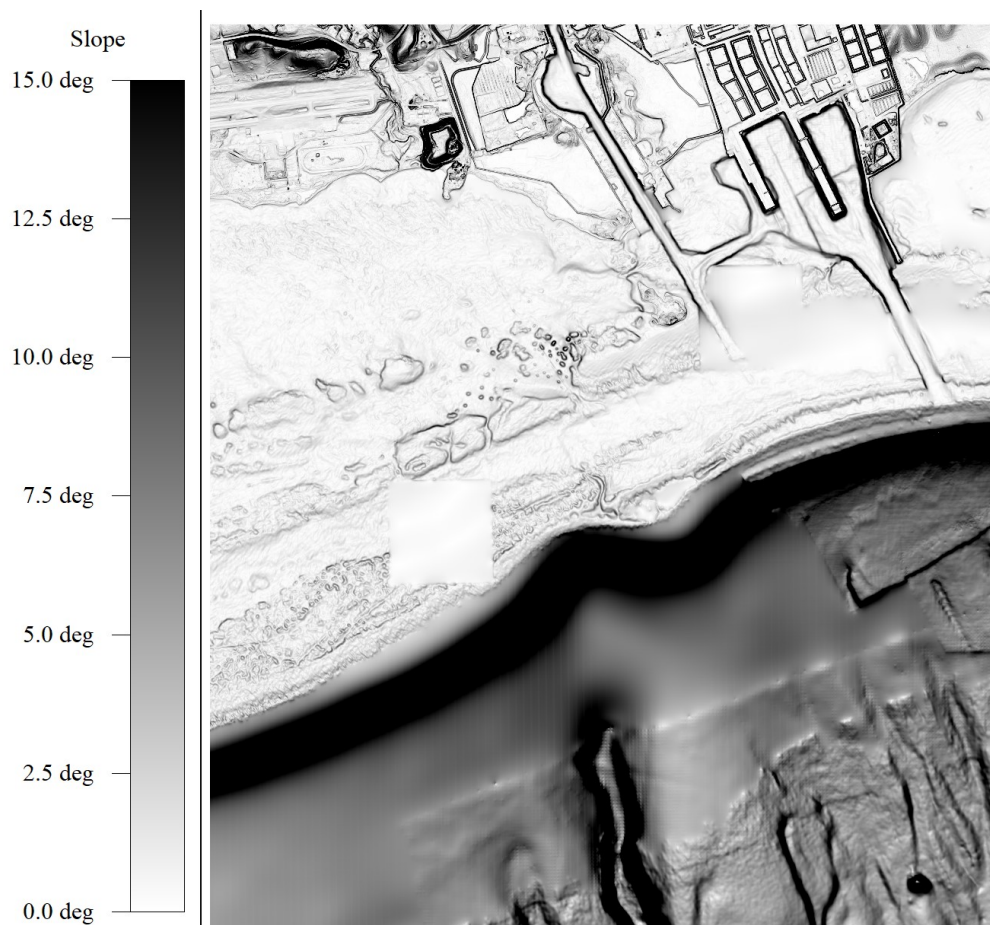


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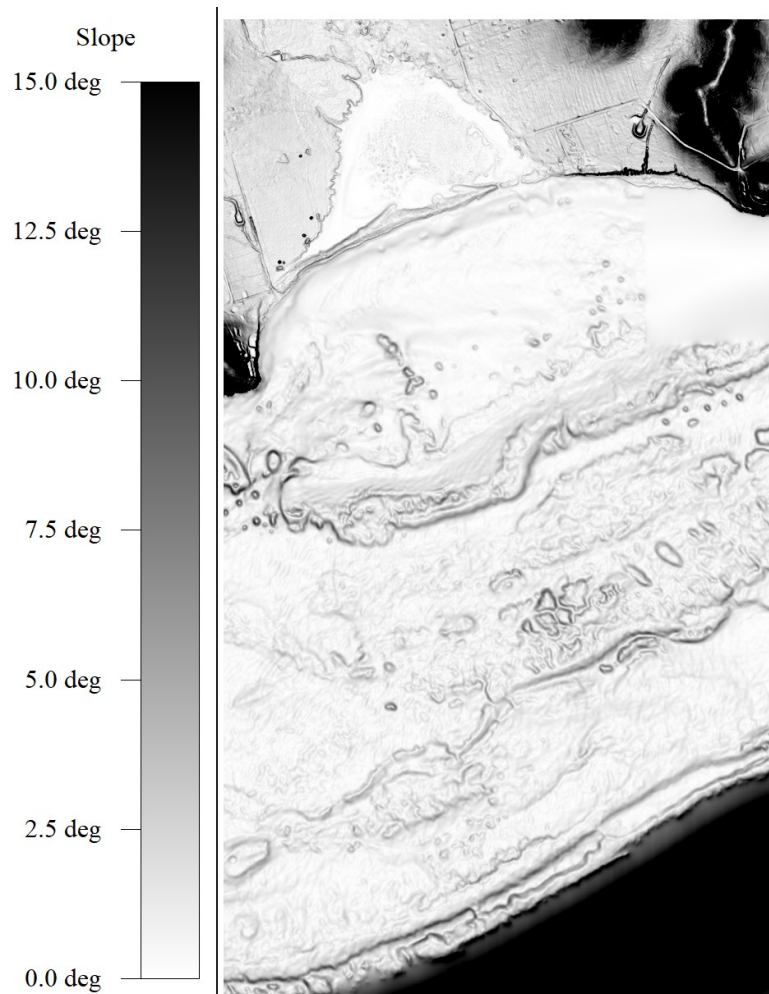


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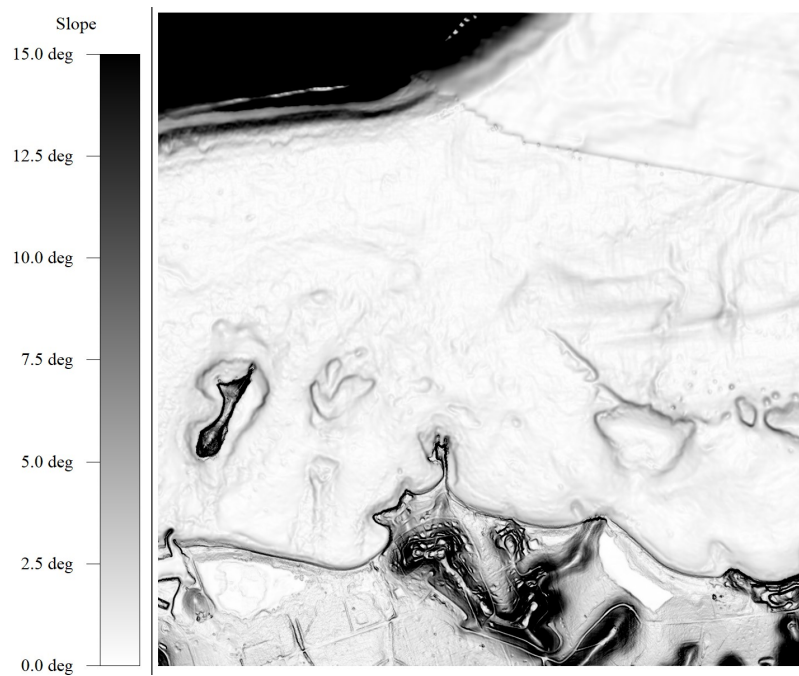


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Appendix C - Contour Imagery



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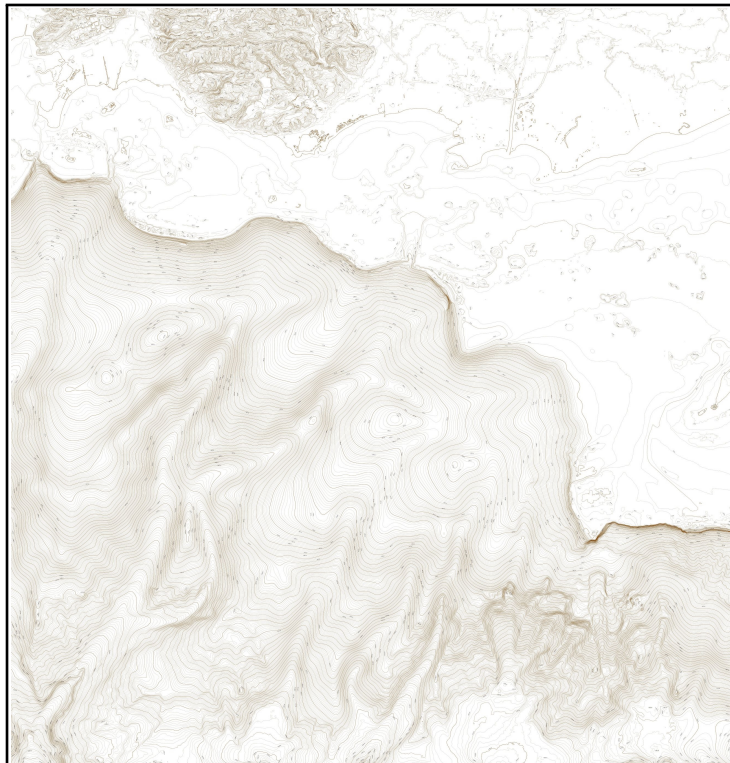


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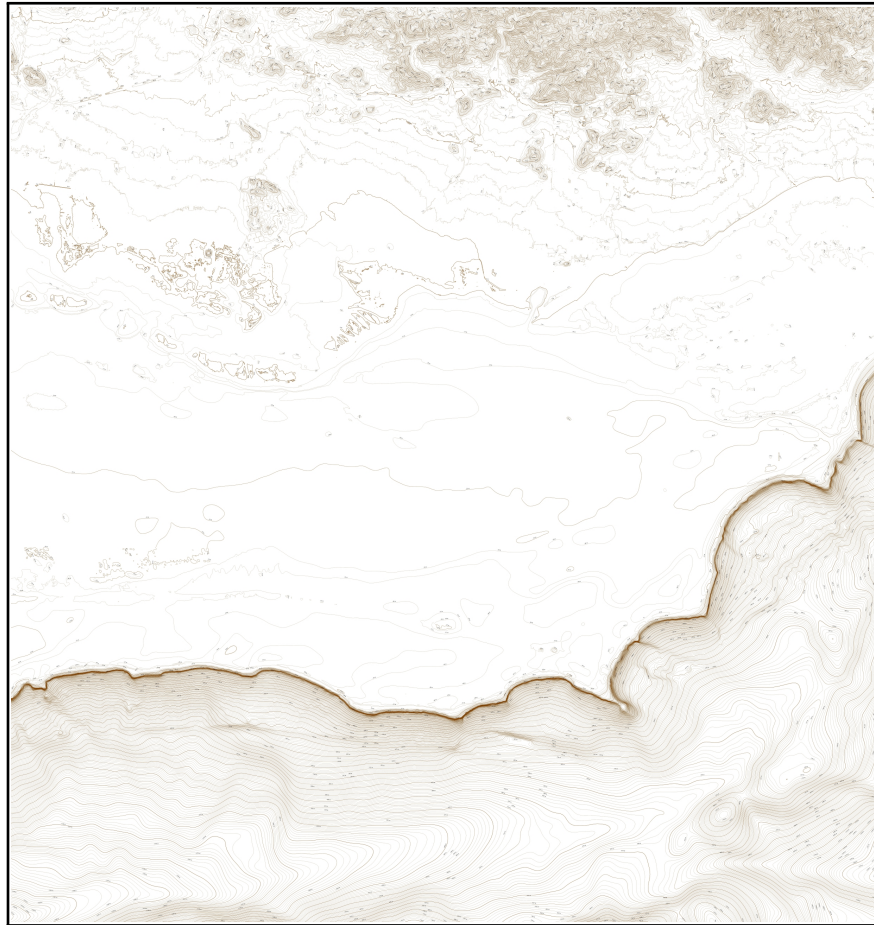


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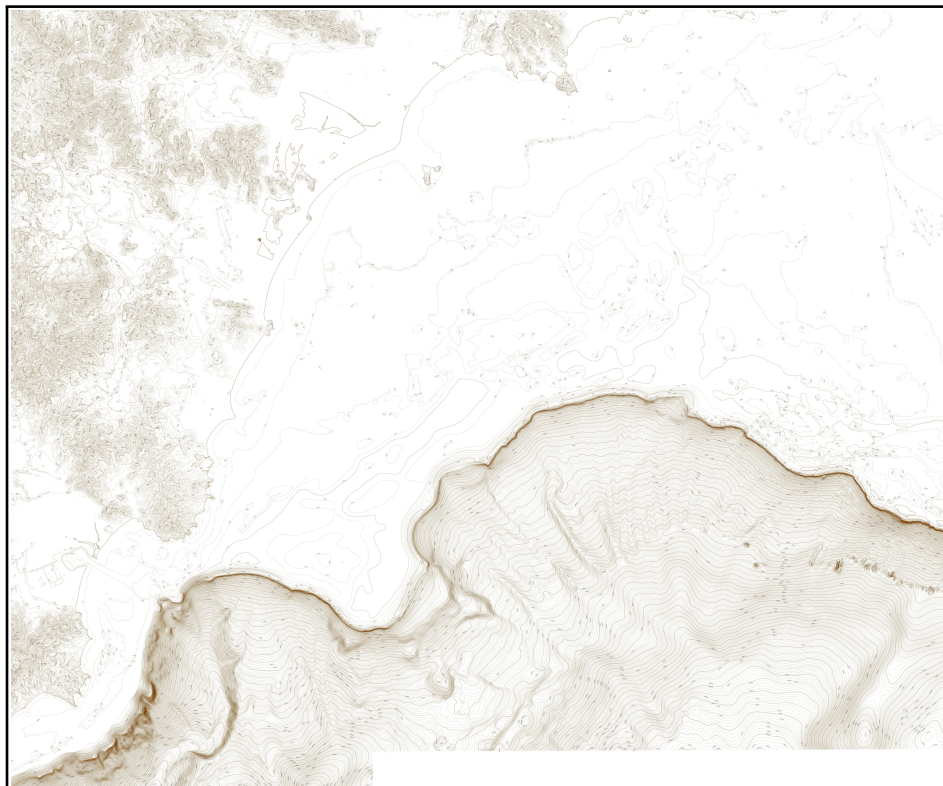


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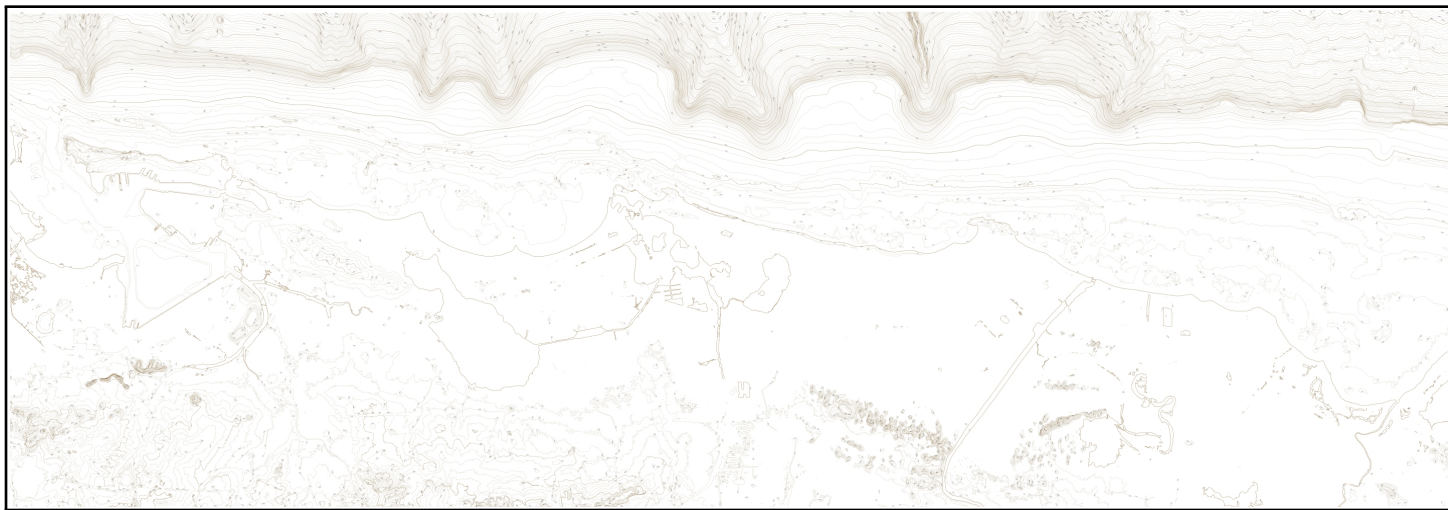


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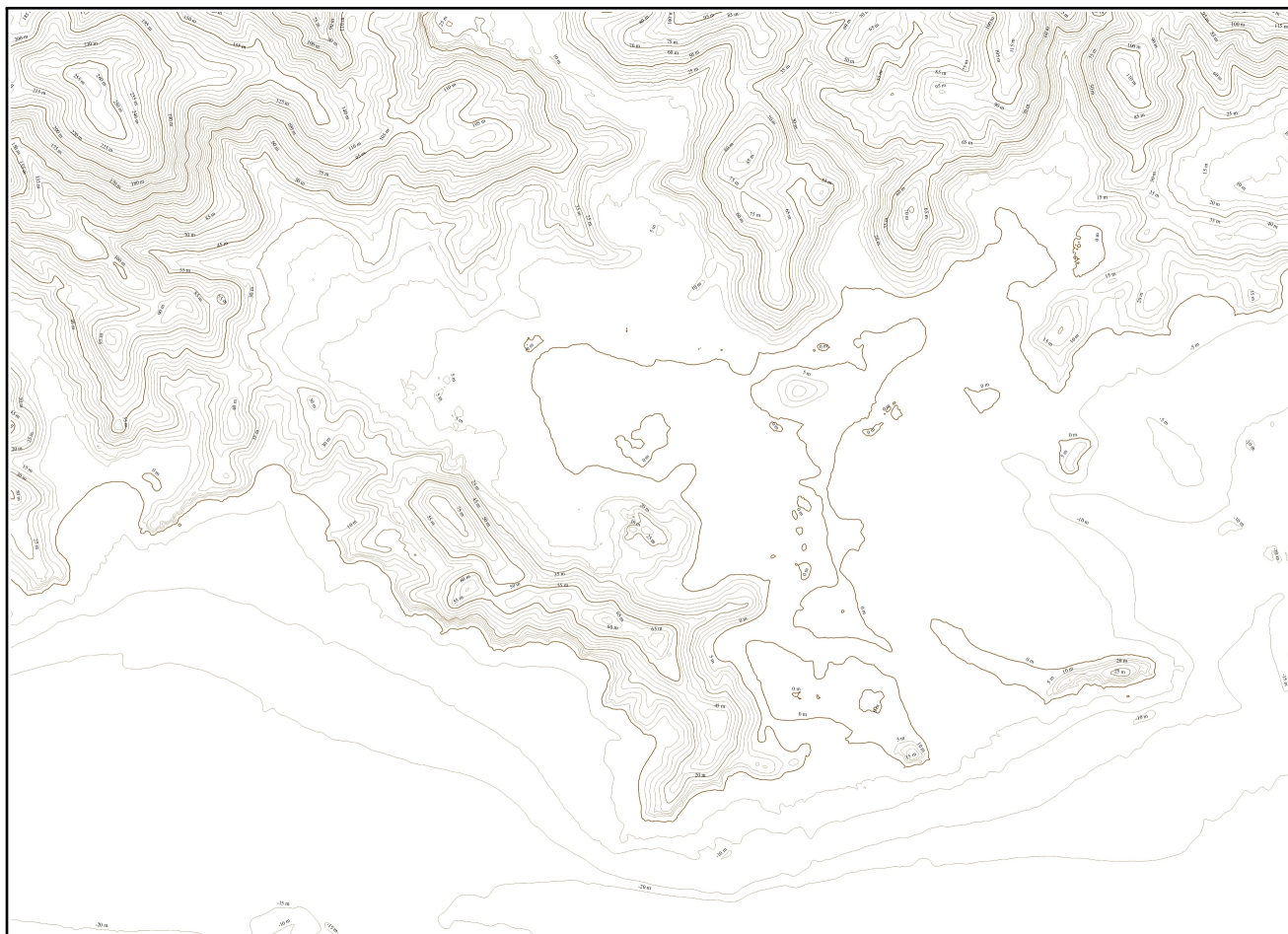
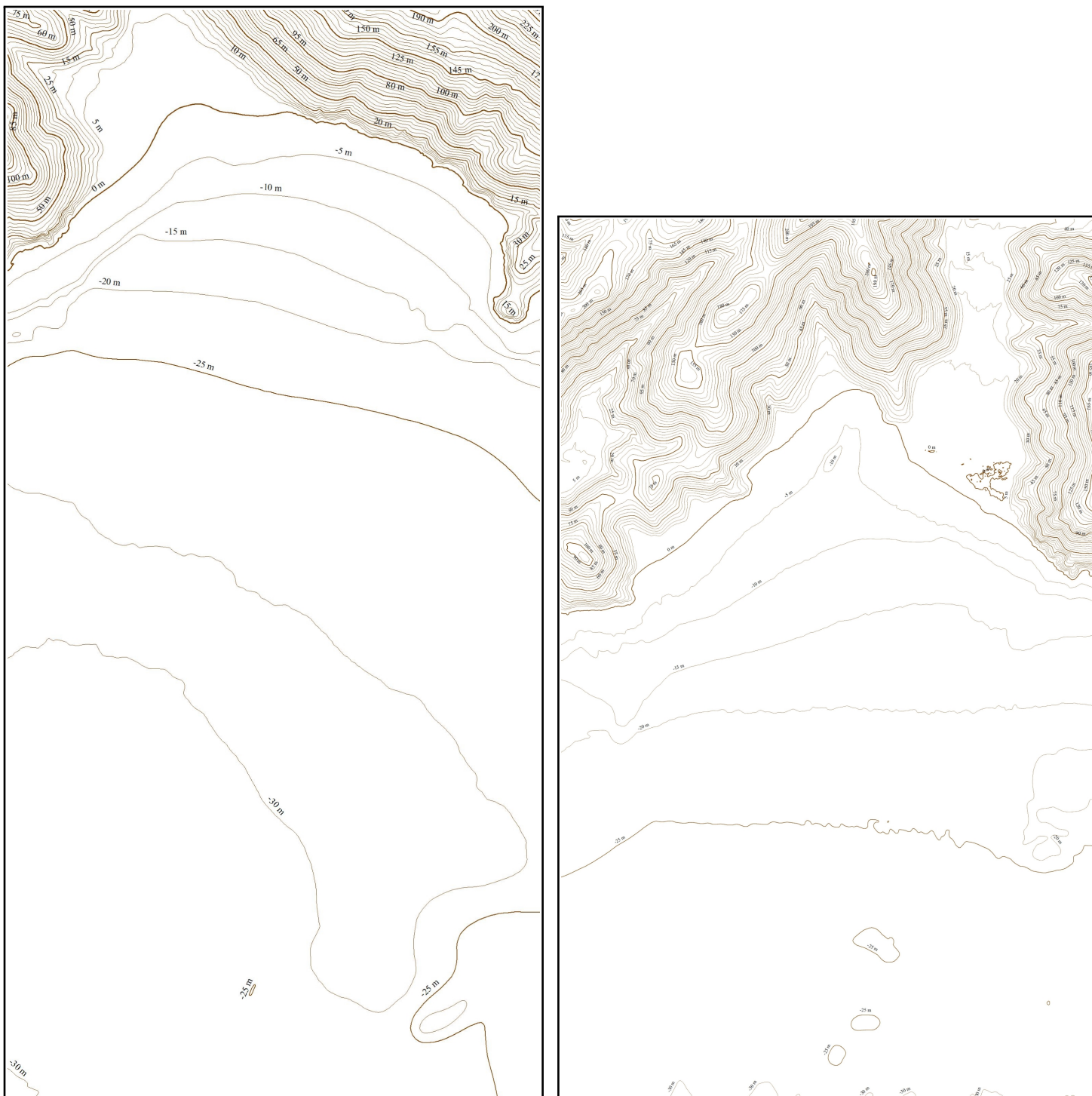


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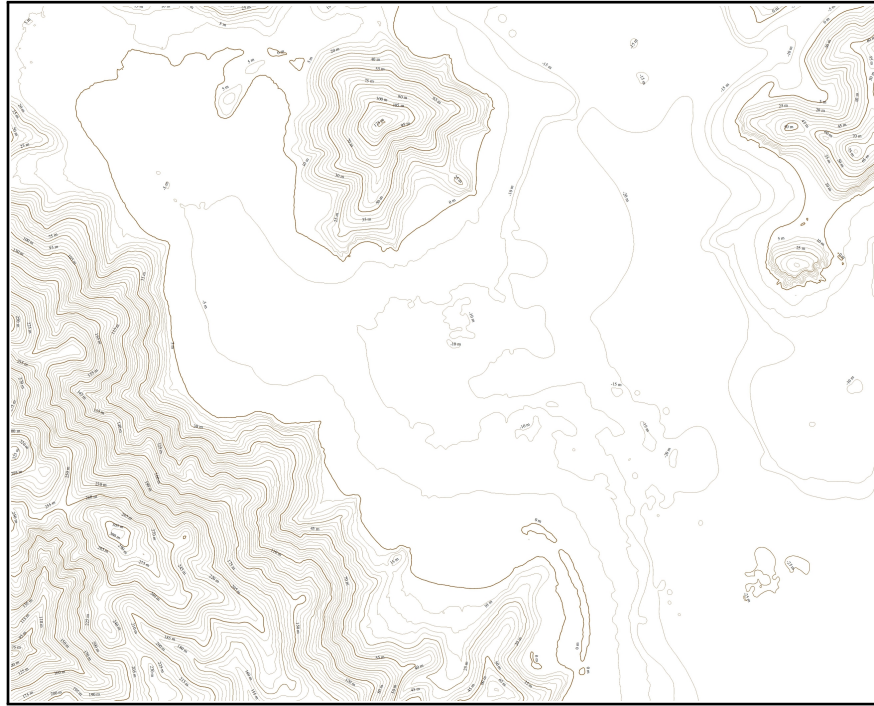


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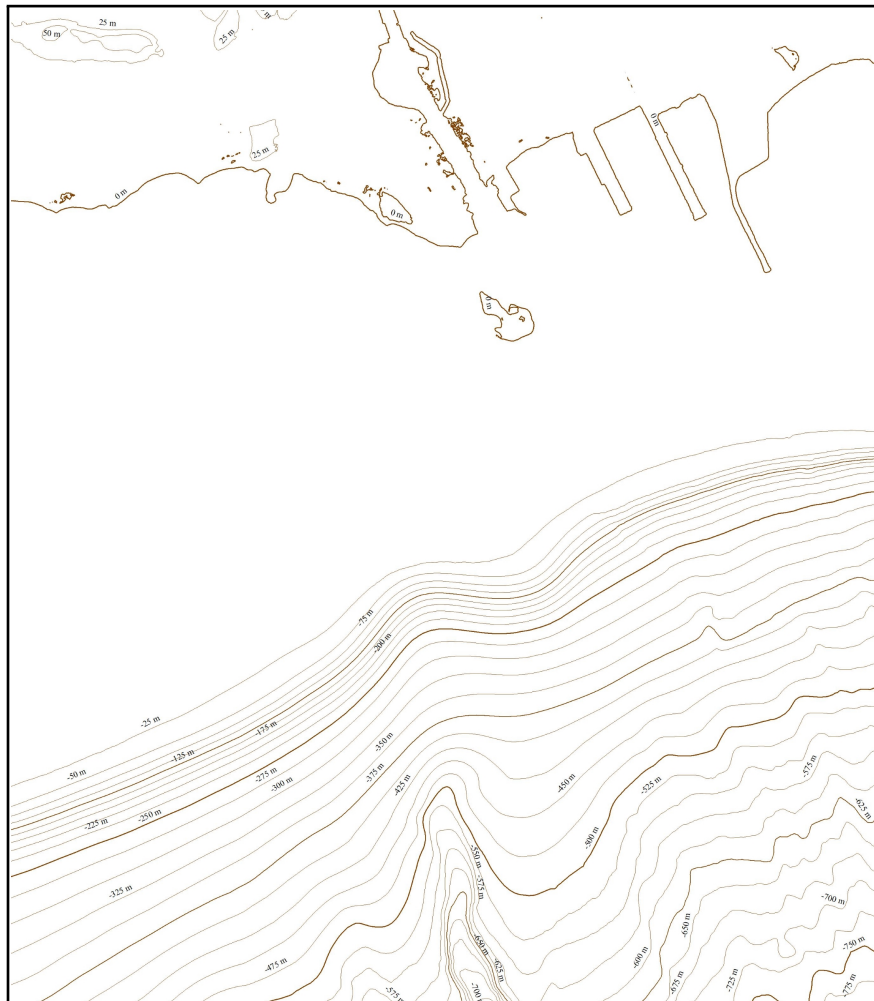


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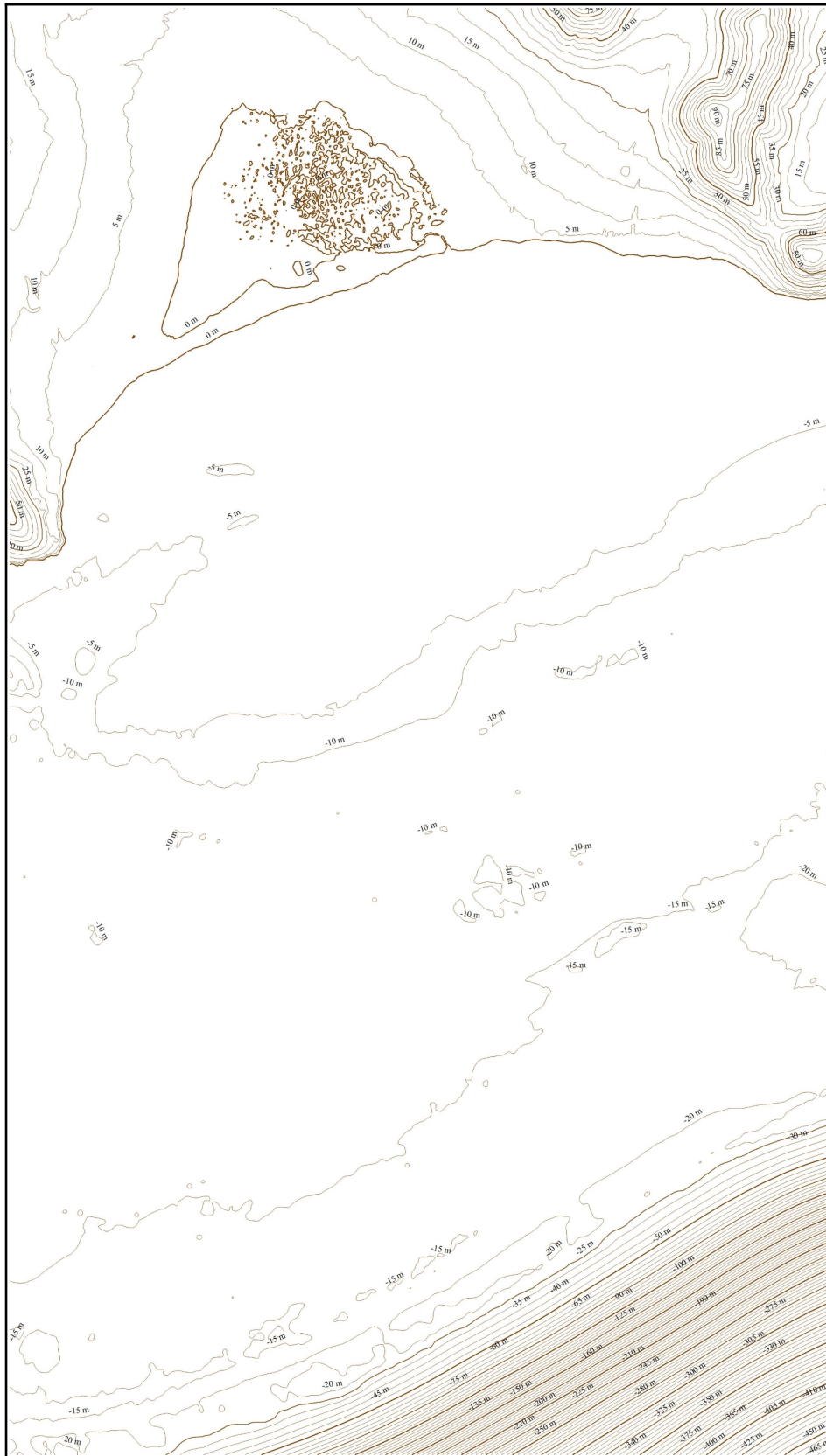


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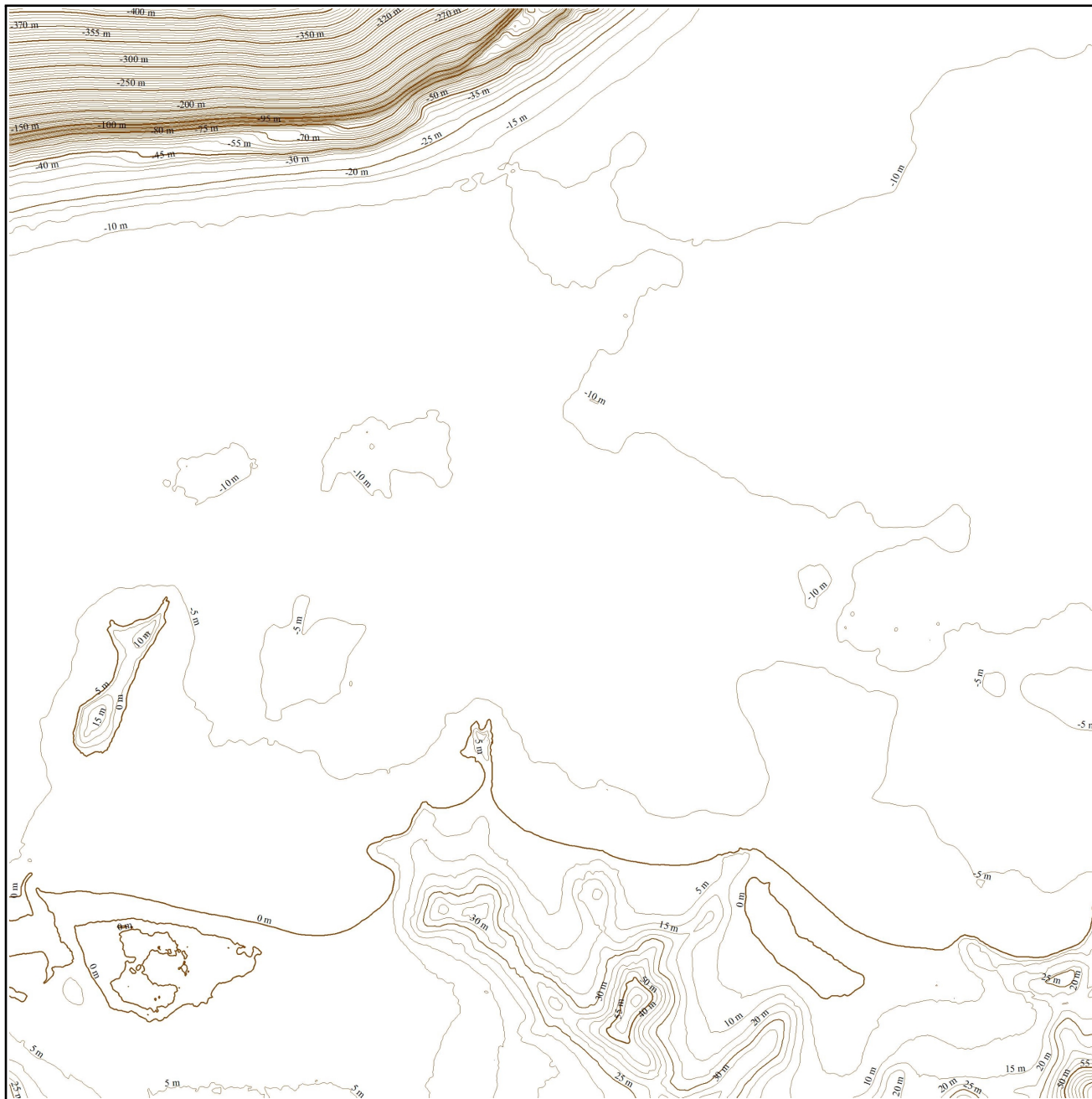


Figure 42: Site 15 Contour Imagery

Appendix D - Raster Reclassifications

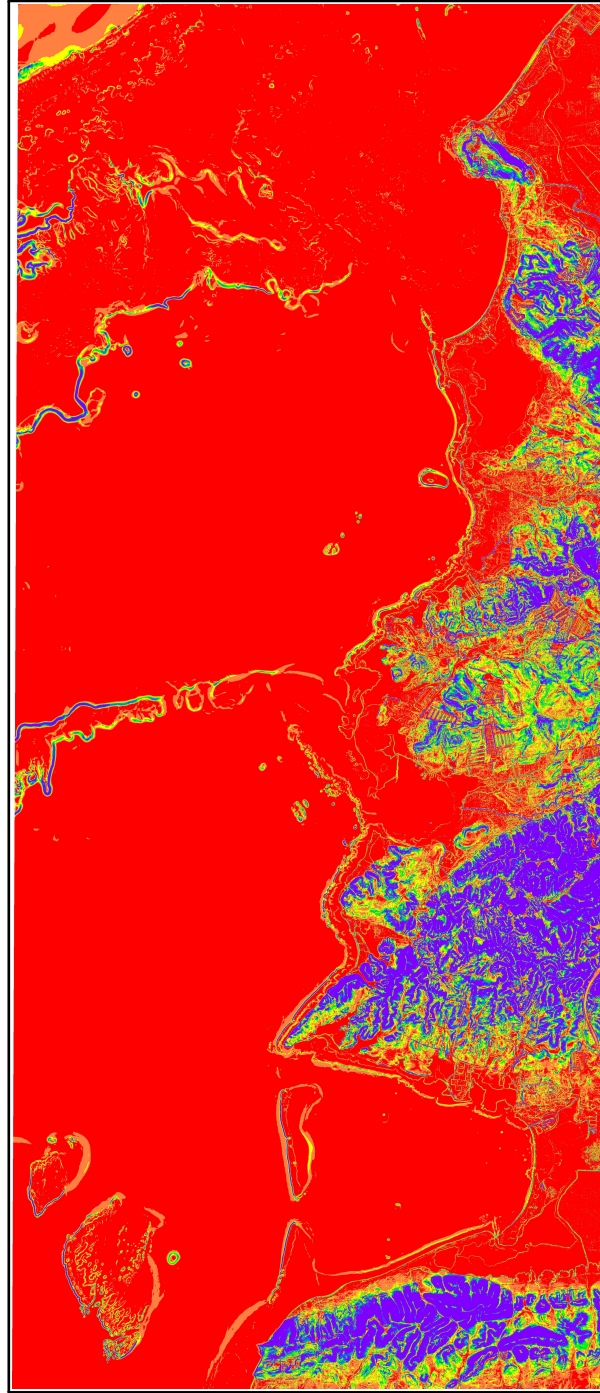


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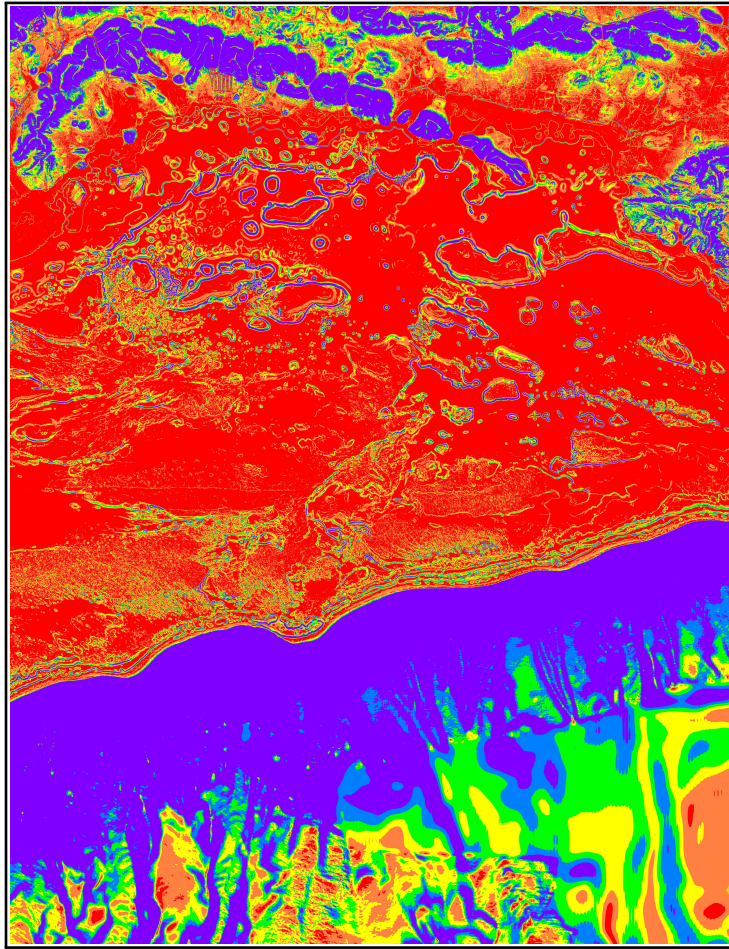


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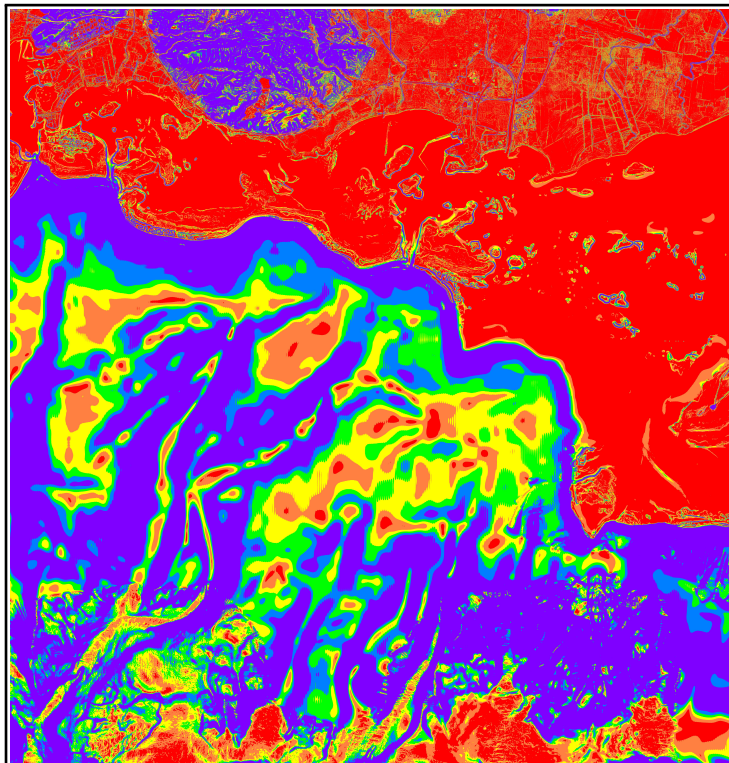


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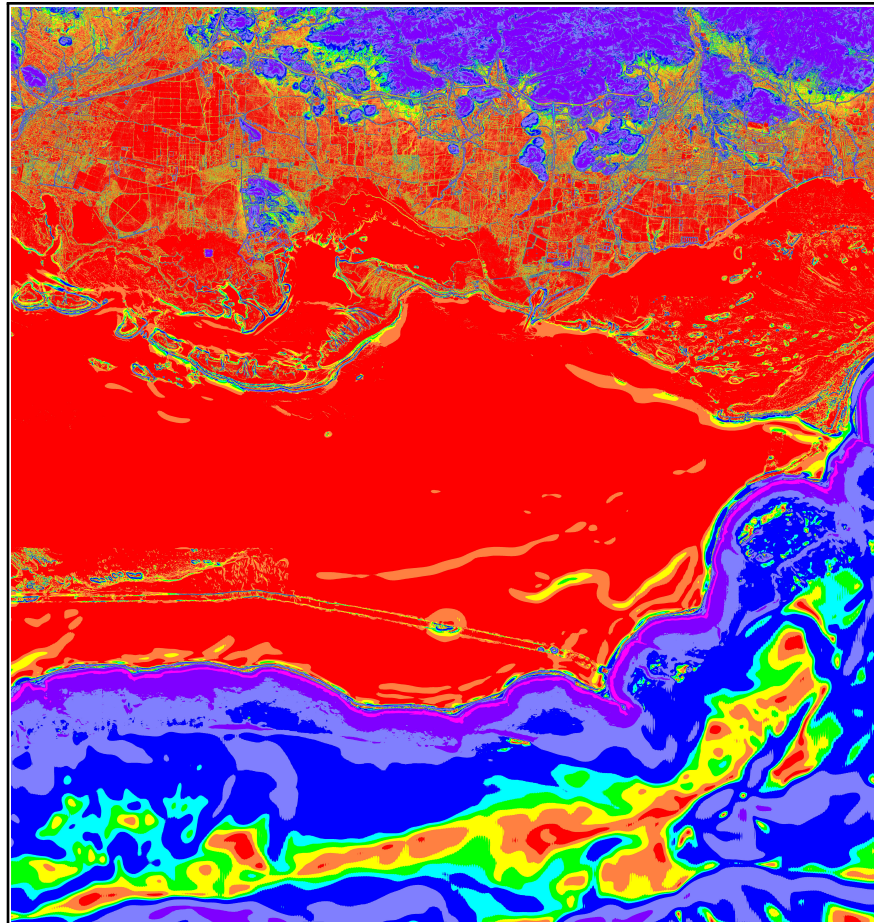


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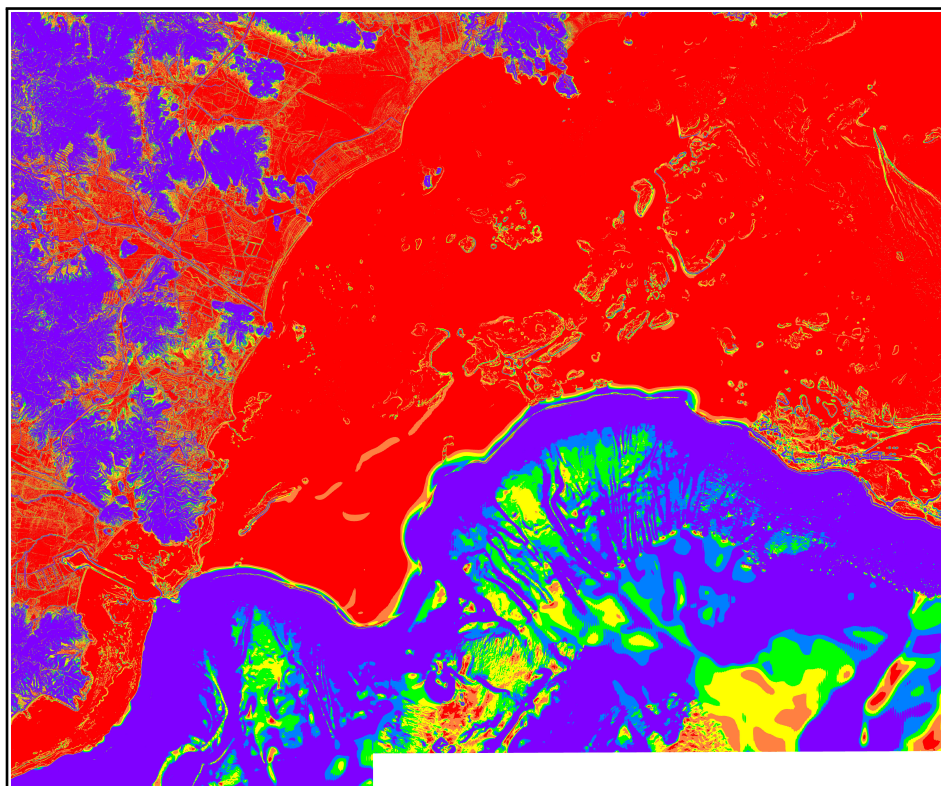


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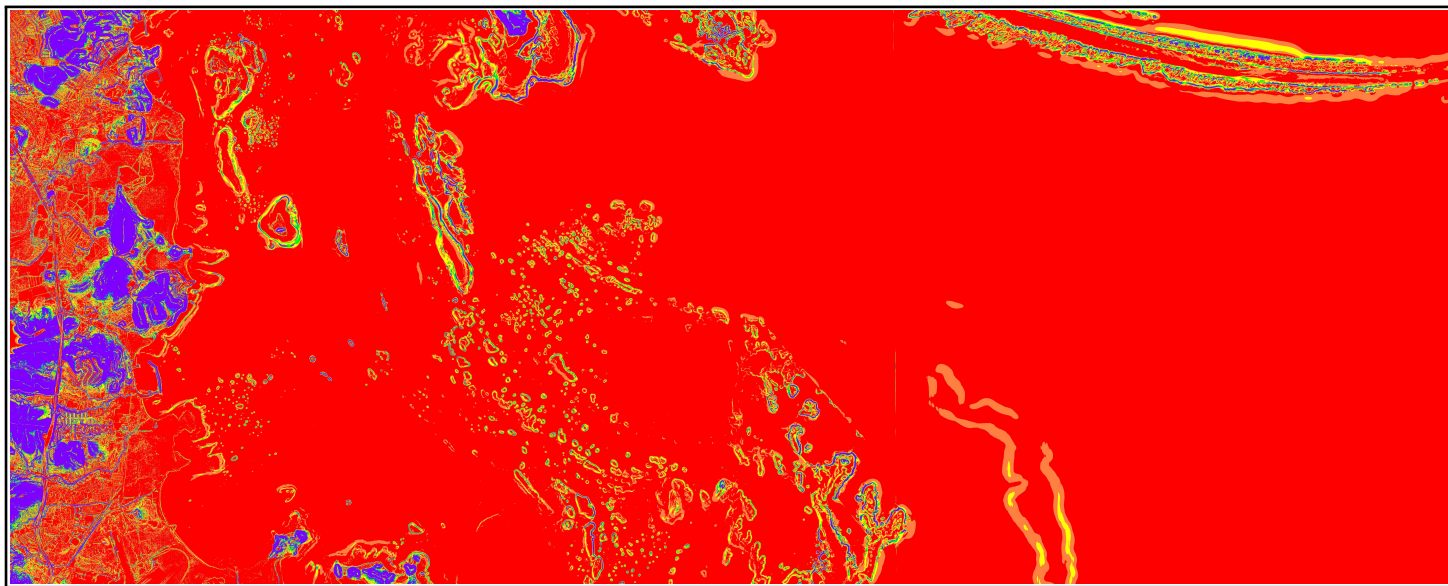


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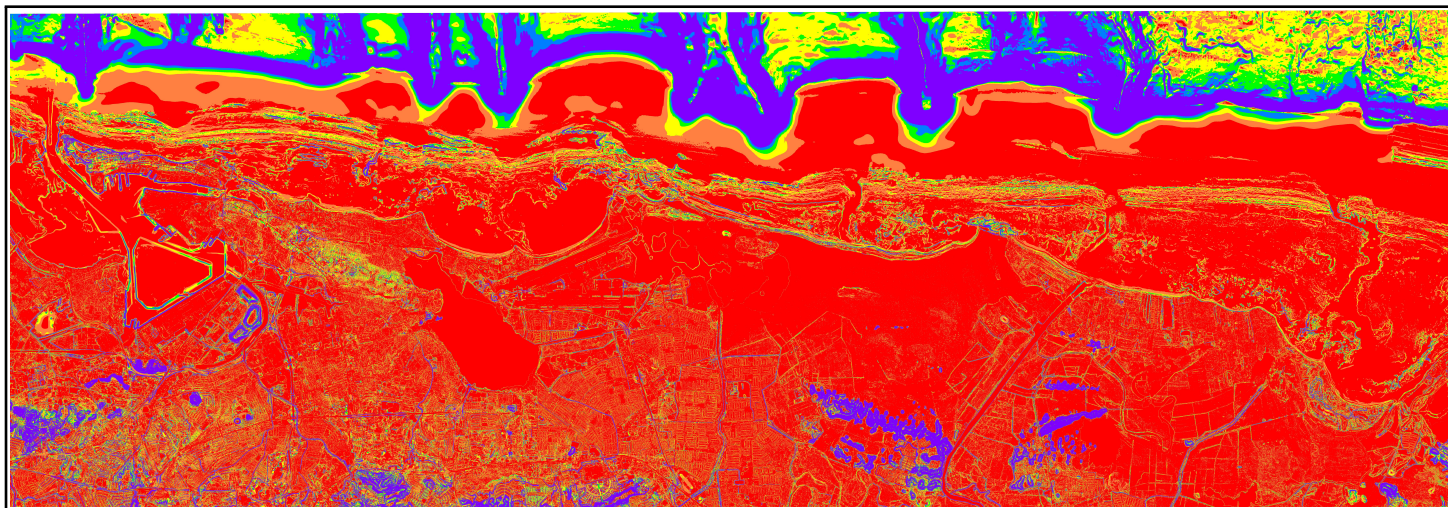


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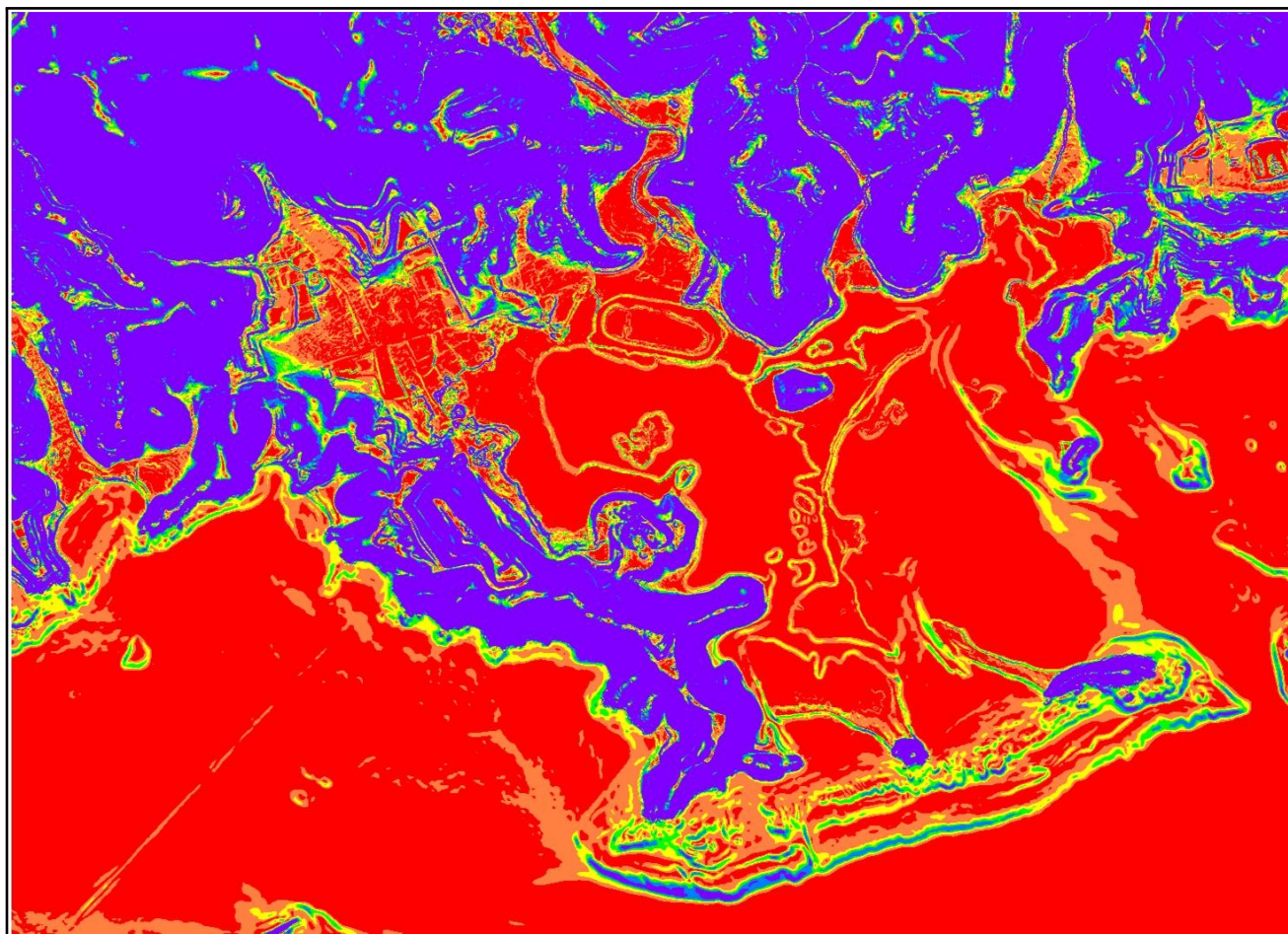


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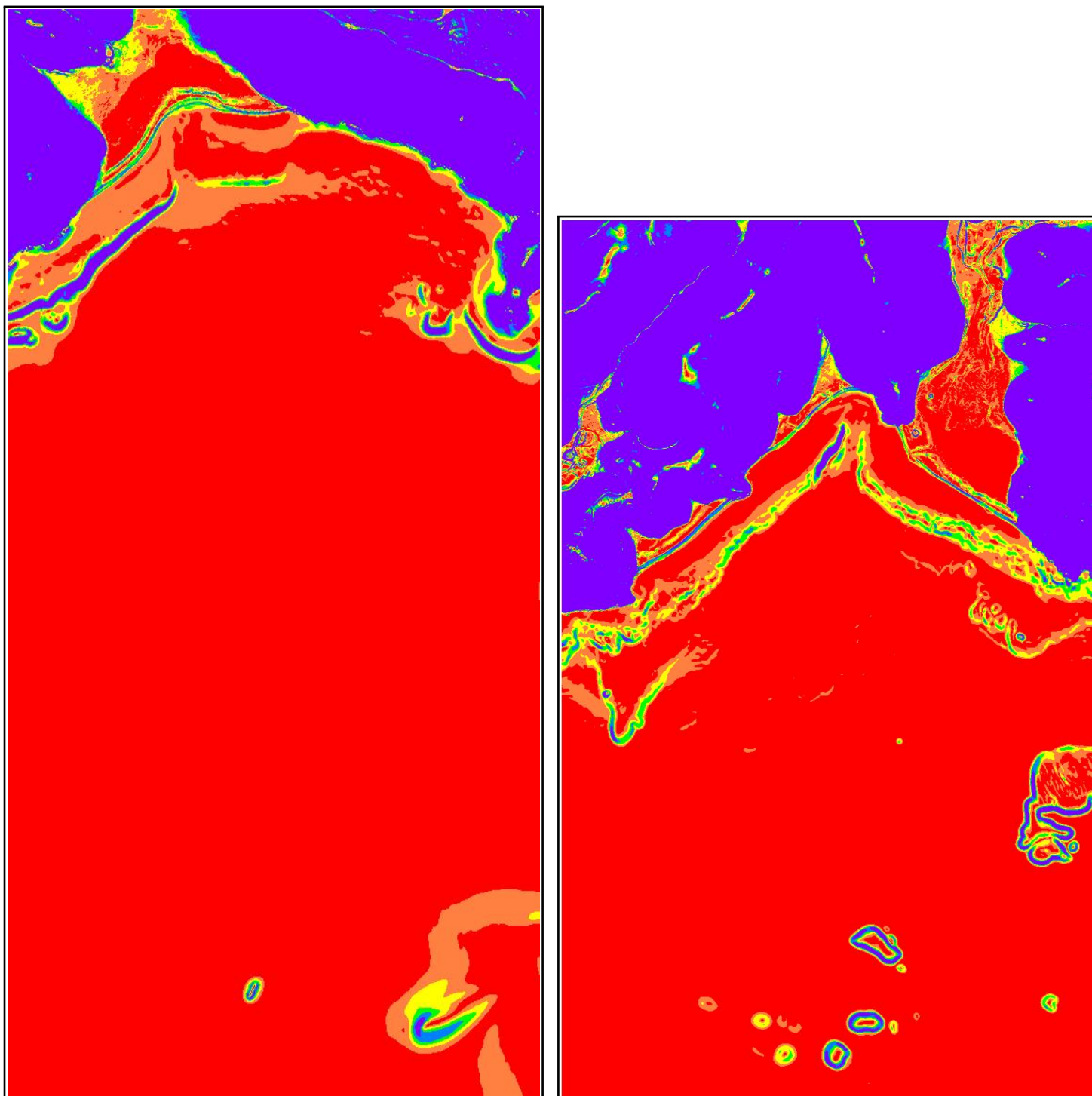


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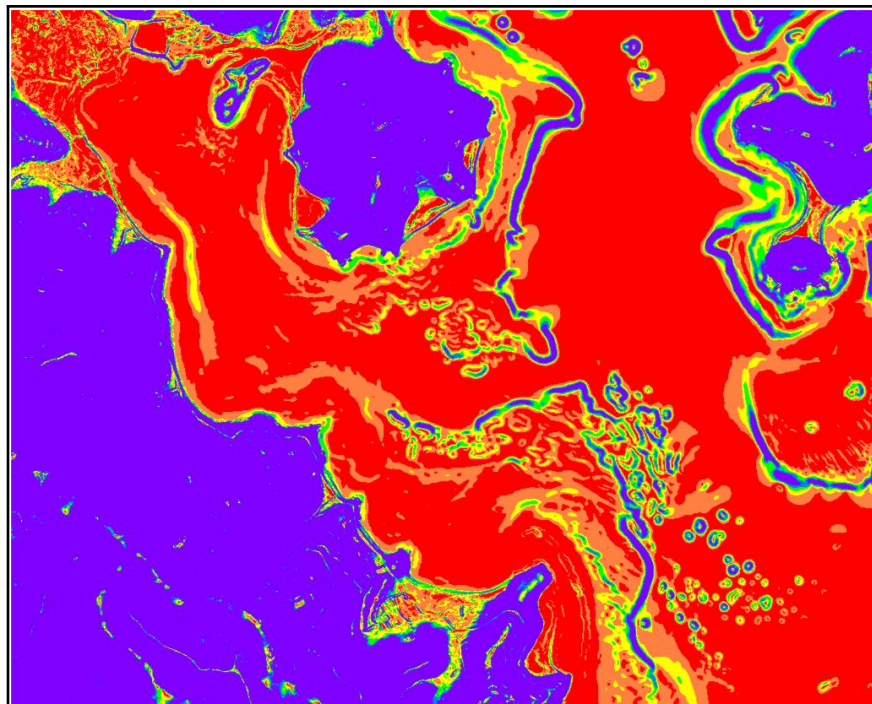


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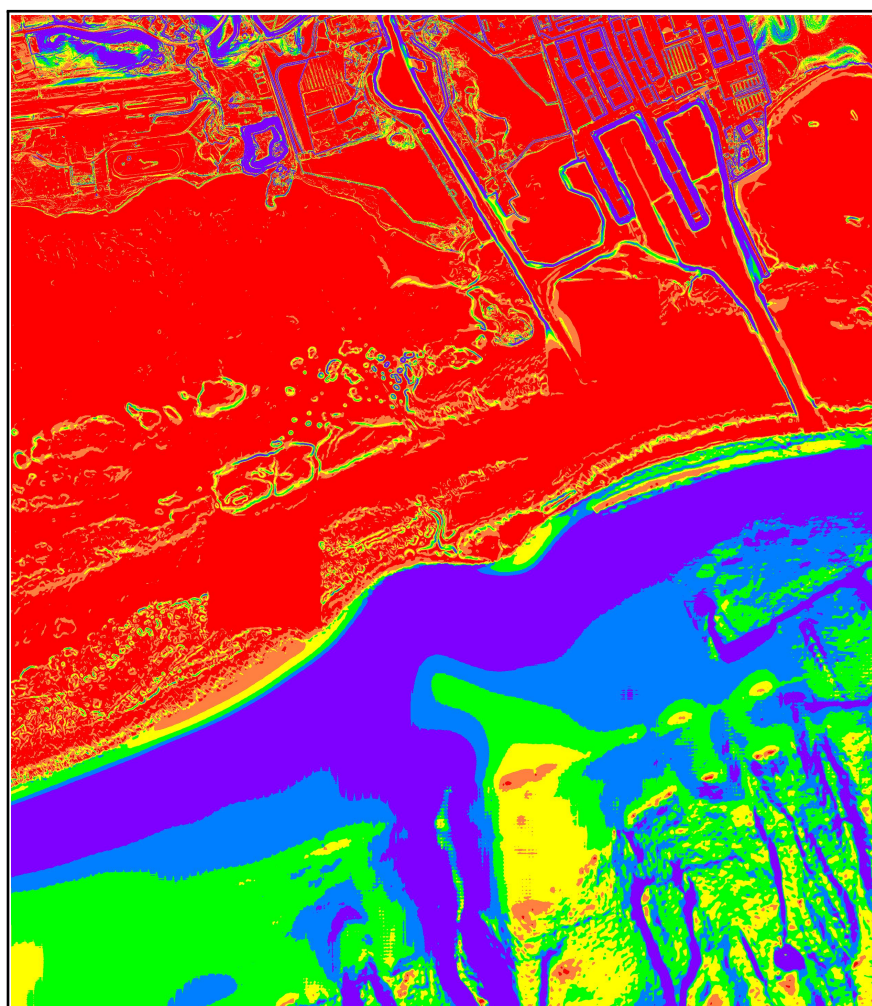


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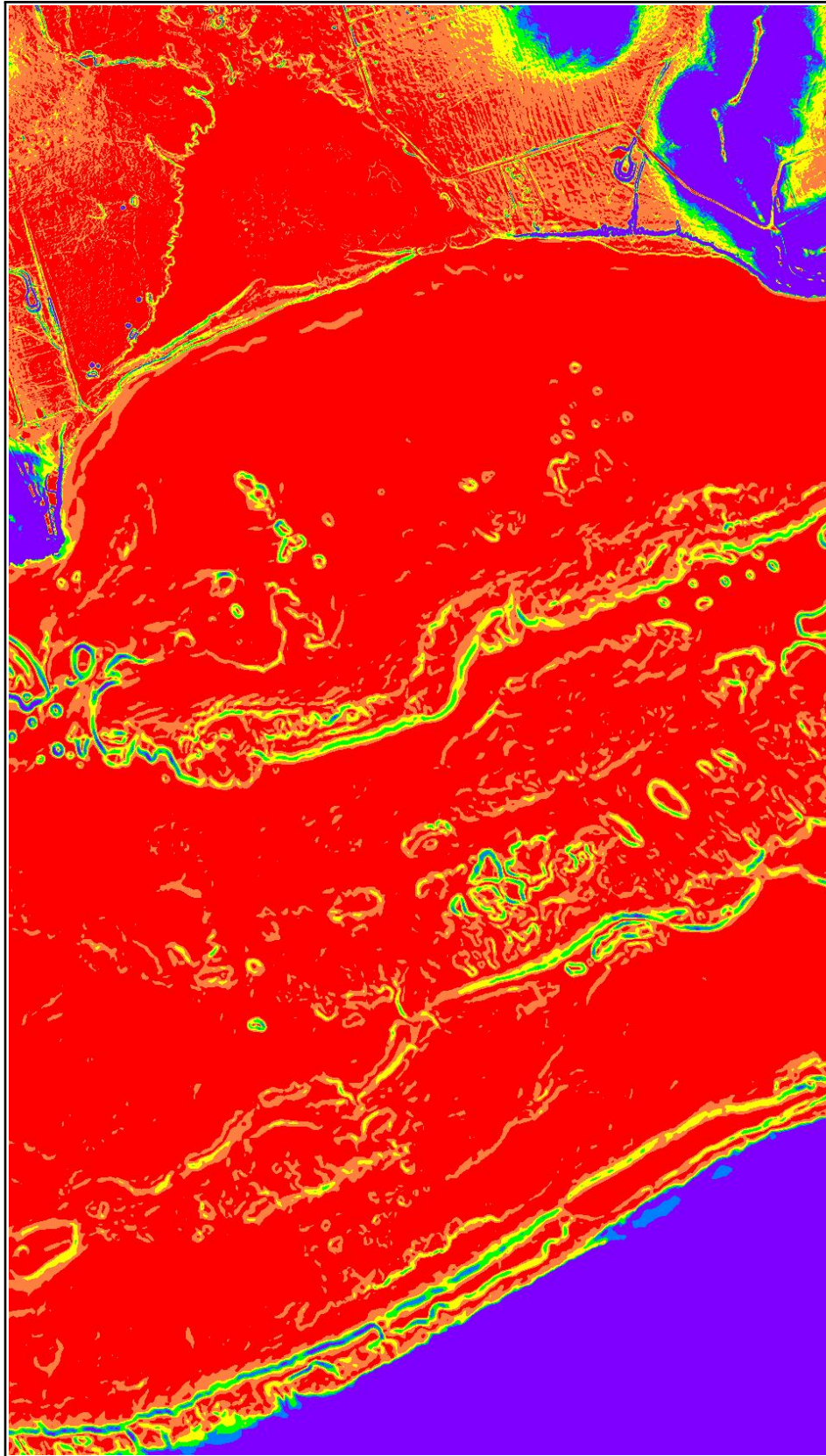


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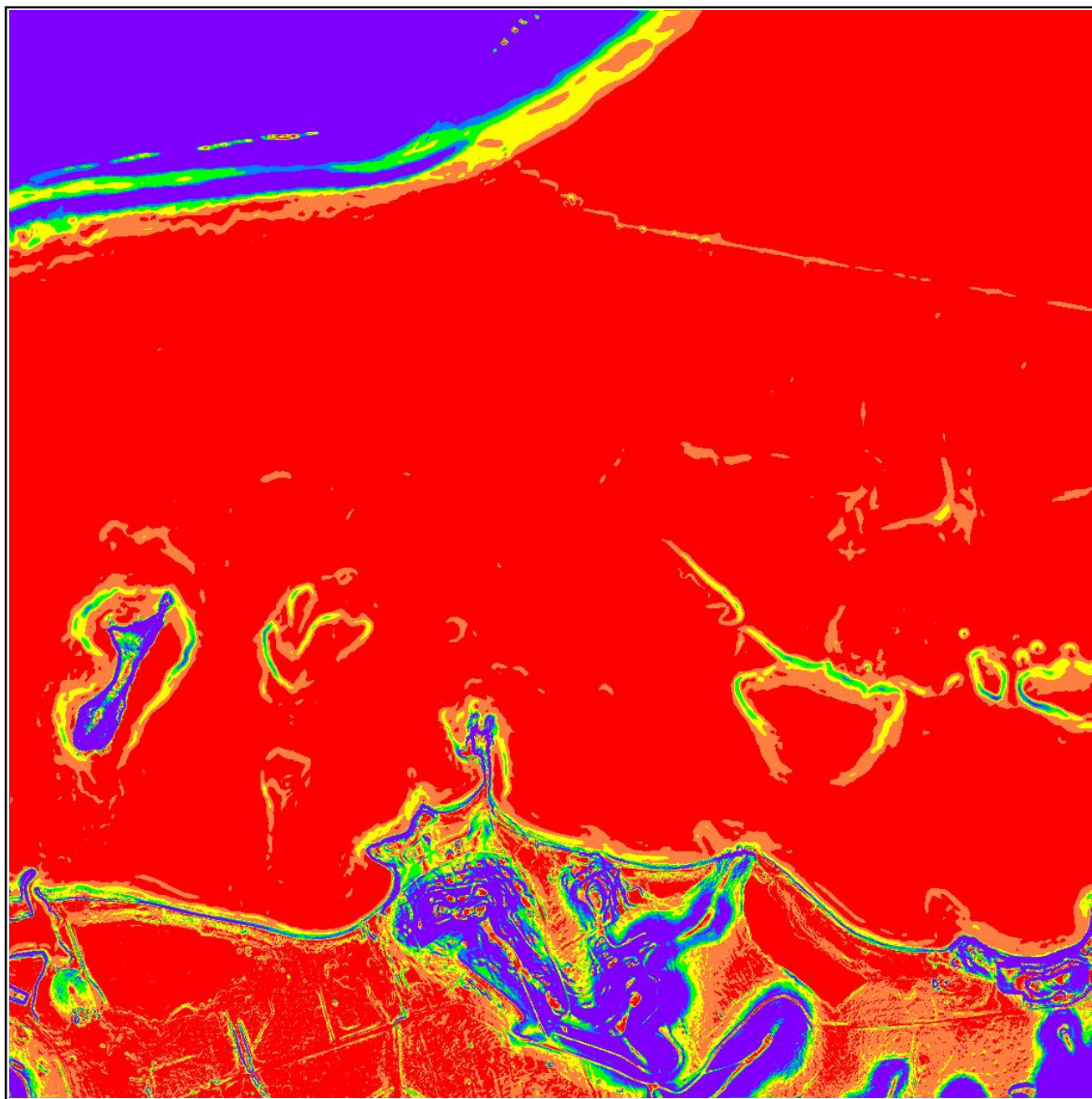
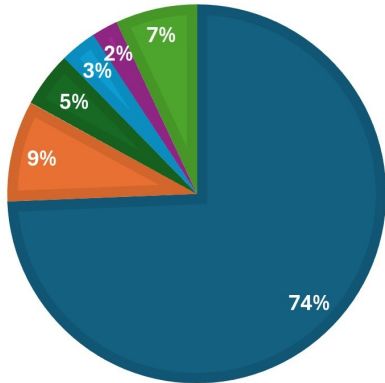


Figure 56: Site 15 Raster Reclassification Imagery

Appendix E - Slope Distributions

SITE 1 TOPOGRAPHIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

0-2° 2-4° 4-6° 6-8° 8-10° >10°



SITE 1 BATHYMETRIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

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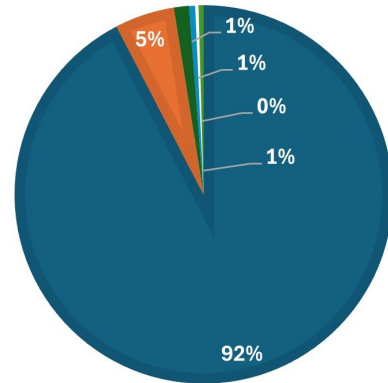
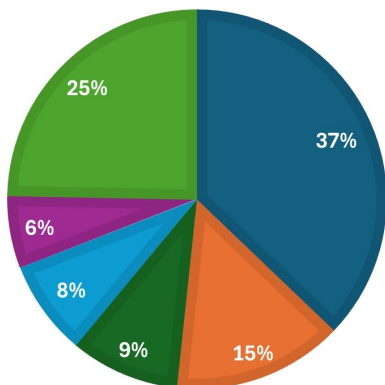


Figure 57: Site 1 Slope Distributions

SITE 2 TOPOGRAPHIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

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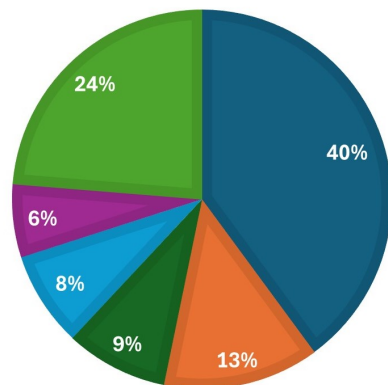
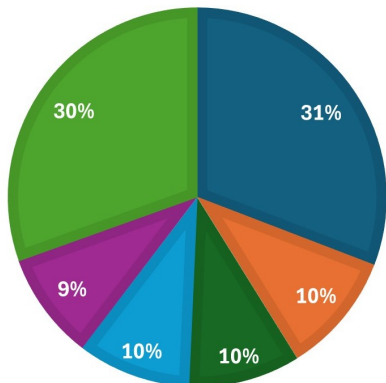


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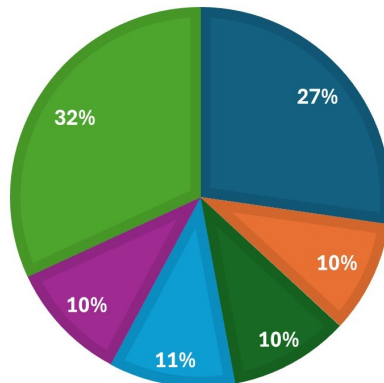
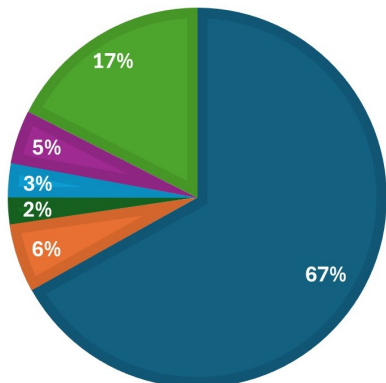


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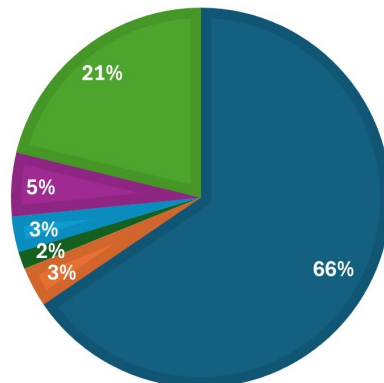
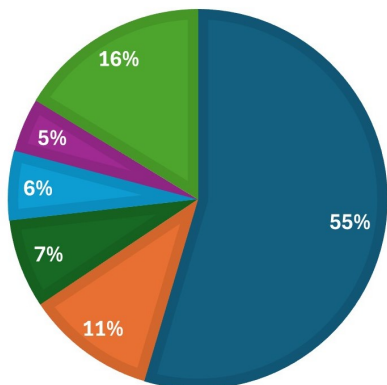


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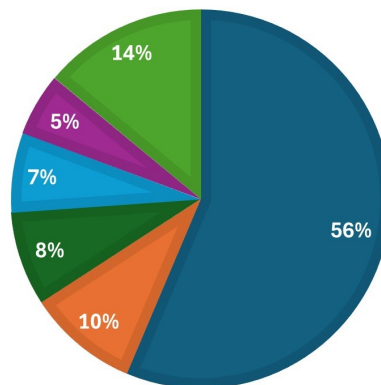
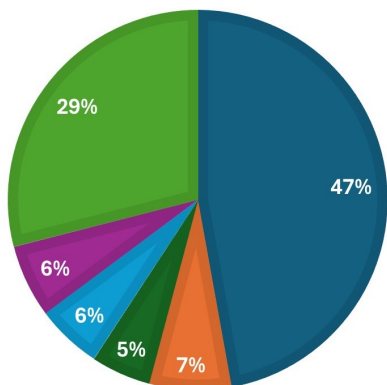


Figure 61: Site 5 Slope Distributions

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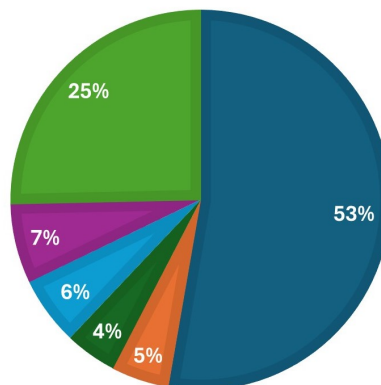
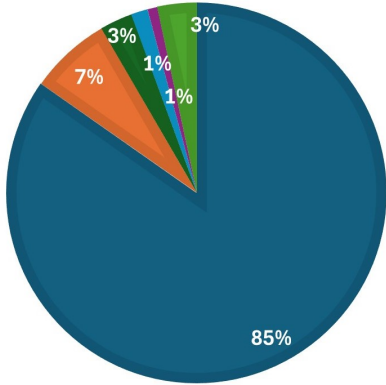


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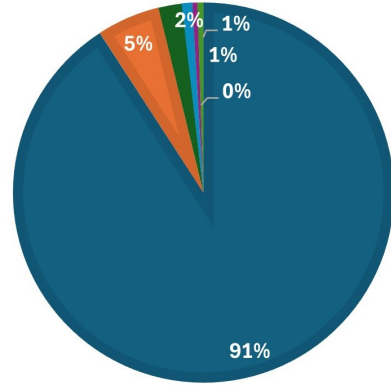
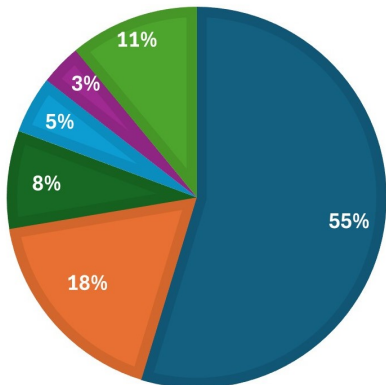


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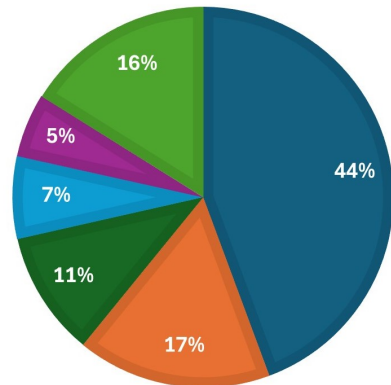
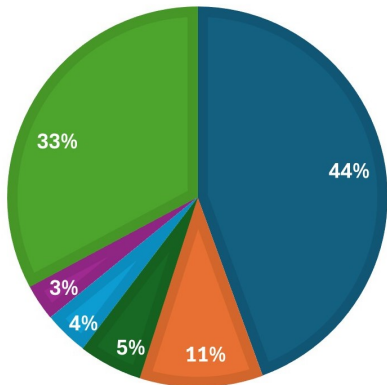


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SITE 9 TOPOGRAPHIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

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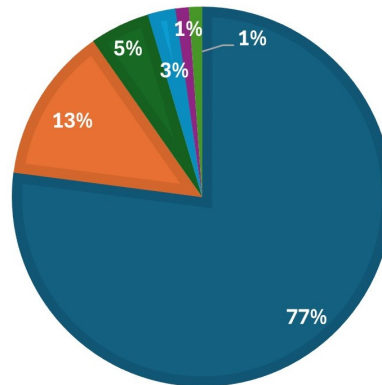
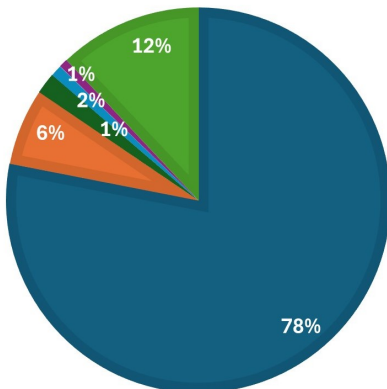


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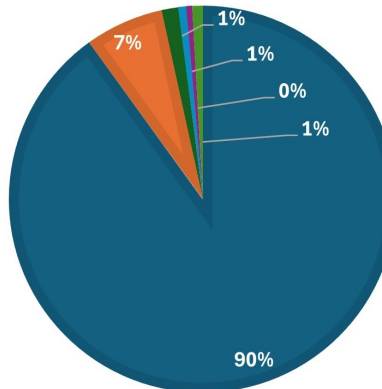
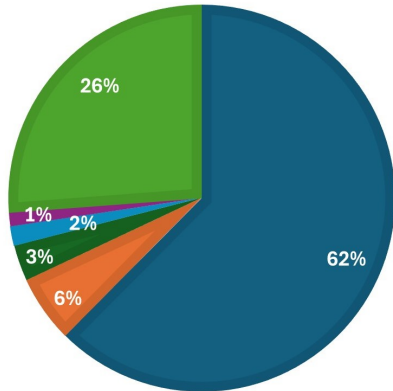


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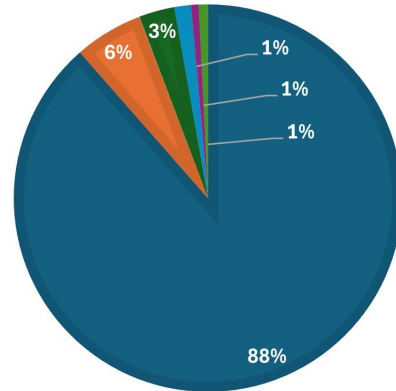
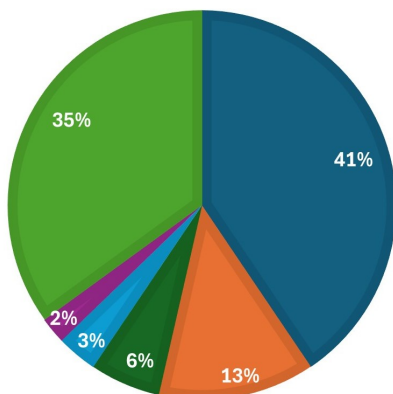


Figure 67: Site 11 Slope Distributions

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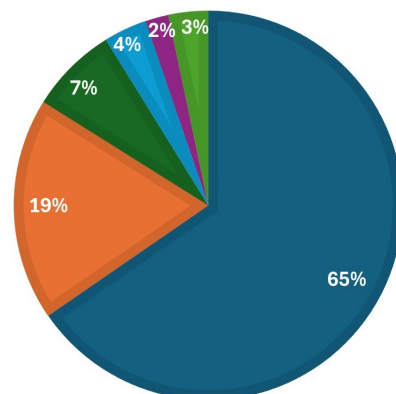
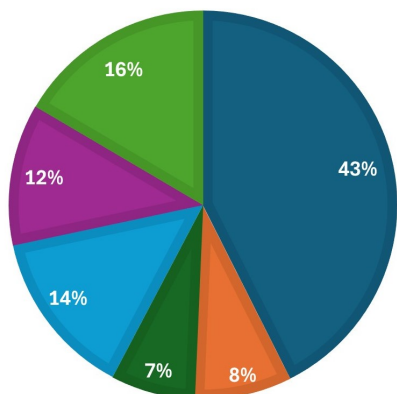


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0-2° 2-4° 4-6° 6-8° 8-10° >10°

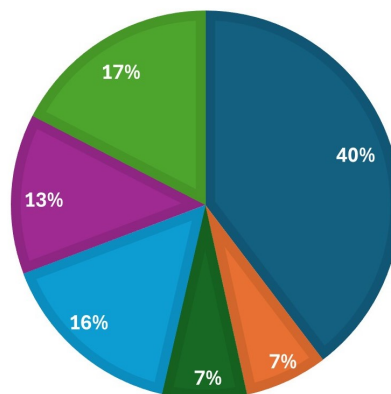
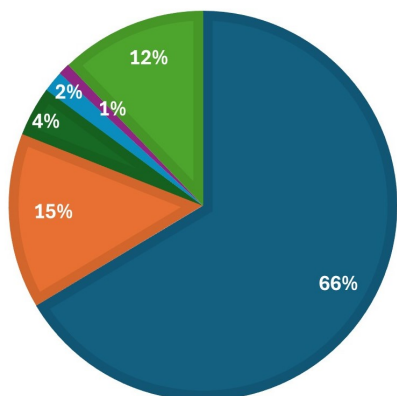


Figure 69: Site 13 Slope Distributions

SITE 14 TOPOGRAPHIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

0-2° 2-4° 4-6° 6-8° 8-10° >10°



SITE 14 BATHYMETRIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

0-2° 2-4° 4-6° 6-8° 8-10° >10°

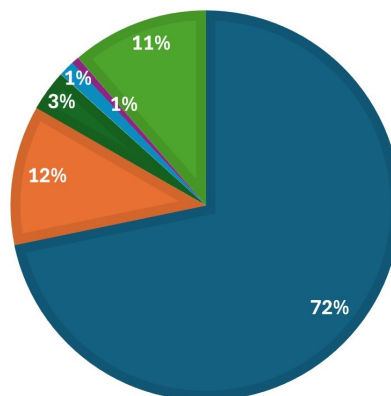
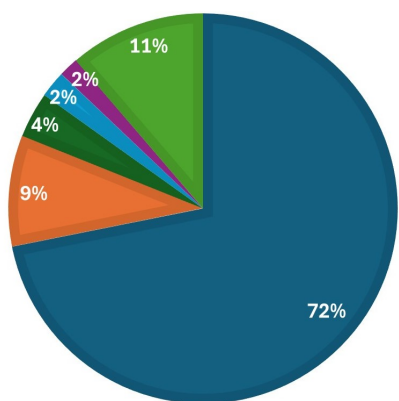


Figure 70: Site 14 Slope Distributions

SITE 15 TOPOGRAPHIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

■ 0-2° ■ 2-4° ■ 4-6° ■ 6-8° ■ 8-10° ■ >10°



SITE 15 BATHYMETRIC SLOPE DISTRIBUTION

■ 0-2° ■ 2-4° ■ 4-6° ■ 6-8° ■ 8-10° ■ >10°

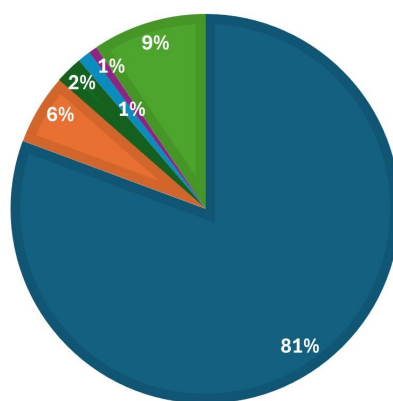


Figure 71: Site 15 Slope Distributions

Appendix F - Miscellaneous

Table 1: Buoy Locations and IDs

Site	Buoy Location	ID
1. Cabo Rojo	Mayaguez	MGZP4
2. Lajas	Lajas	MGIP4
3. Ponce & 4. Santa Isabel	Southeast of Ponce	42085
5. Salinas	Jobos Bay Reserve	JOQP4
6. Humacao	Yabucoa Harbor	YABP4
7. Fajardo	Fajardo	FRDP4
8. Carolina	San Juan	41053
9. Bovoni Lagoon	Charlotte Amalie	CHAV3
10. Perseverance Bay & 11. Reef Bay	10 km south of St. Thomas	41051
12. Coral Bay	Lameshur Bay	LAMV3
13. Canegarden	Limetree Bay	LTBV3
14. Great Pond Bay	Fareham	41141
15. Chenay & Coakley	Christiansted Harbor	CHSV3

Table 2: Median Household Income Comparisons

Location	Site	Median Household Income by Tract	Average	Percent Difference from Island Average	Average Percent Difference per Site
Puerto Real	1	18,796; 13,666; 17,385	16,616	-30.8%	-35.9%
Boquerón	1	17,385; 17,692; 9,776	14,951	-41.0%	
La Parguera	2	13,549	13,549	-50.4%	-50.4%
South Ponce	3	35,650; 13,637; 17,422; 9,006; 27,778; 25,869; 11,504	20,124	-11.9%	-7.5%
Potala Pastillo	3	14,935; 29,520; 21,550	22,002	-3.0%	
Playita Cortada	4	13,778	13,778	-48.8%	-11.7%
South Santa Isabel	4	17,744; 19,722	18,733	-19.0%	
Jauca	4	31,542	31,542	32.7%	
Coastal Salinas	5	11,996; 16,525	14,261	-45.5%	-24.5%
San Felipe	5	16,578	16,578	-31.0%	
Punta Pozuelo	5	23,370	23,370	3.0%	
Punta Santiago	6	21,506	21,506	-5.3%	-5.3%
Puerto Real	7	19,154; 19,688	19,421	-15.4%	-15.4%
Loíza y Mediana Alta	8	10,269; 16,690; 15,399; 22,375; 10,679; 11,250; 16,689	14,764	-42.2%	-38.1%
Piñones	8	17,037	17,037	-28.4%	
Cataño Pueblo	8	18,145; 10,938; 15,636; 14,717; 4,560; 12,341; 25,436	14,539	-43.7%	

Table 3: Vulnerable Population Percentage Comparisons

Location	Site	Vulnerable Population Percentage	Average	Percent Difference from Total Average	Average per Site
Puerto Real	1	42.6; 34.5; 40.8	39.3	0.4%	-0.9%
Boquerón	1	40.8; 44.7; 25.0	36.8	-2.1%	
La Parguera	2	41.6	41.6	2.7%	2.7%
South Ponce	3	33.0; 37.8; 37.5; 49.6; 46.8; 40.6; 44.2	41.4	2.5%	0.8%
Potala Pastillo	3	38.0; 39.6; 36.0	37.9	-1.0%	-4.2%
Playita Cortada	4	32.5	32.5	-6.4%	
South Santa Isabel	4	41.4; 41.2	41.3	2.4%	-2.0%
Jauca	4	30.2	30.2	-8.7%	
Coastal Salinas	5	38.4; 38.1	38.3	-0.6%	-3.3%
San Felipe	5	35.2	35.2	-3.7%	
Punta Pozuelo	5	37.2	37.2	-1.7%	5.5%
Punta Santiago	6	35.6	35.6	-3.3%	
Puerto Real	7	45.1; 43.7	44.4	5.45%	-1.5%
Loíza y Mediana Alta	8	36.4; 42.5; 38.7; 33.0; 44.6; 46.6; 43.4	40.7	1.8%	
Piñones	8	31.9	31.9	-7.0%	0.8%
Cataño Pueblo	8	32.8; 38.2; 42.0; 47.1; 39.4; 40.6; 37.6	39.7	0.8%	

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1  import numpy as np
2
3  def process_data_file(file_path):
4      # Initialize lists to hold the data for specific columns (7, 9, 13)
5      selected_columns = {6: [], 8: [], 12: []} # Columns are 0-based indexed (6 -> 7th, 8 -> 9th, 12 -> 13th)
6      # Mapping of column indices to descriptive names and units
7      column_info = {
8          6: {"name": "Wind Speed", "unit": "m/s"},
9          8: {"name": "Wave Height", "unit": "m"},
10         12: {"name": "Pressure", "unit": "hPa"}
11     }
12
13     # Define a set of irregular values to ignore
14     irregular_values = {99, 99.0, 99.00, 999, 999.0, 9999, 9999.0}
15
16     # Read the file and process the data
17     with open(file_path, 'r') as file:
18         lines = file.readlines()
19
20         # Skip the first two rows (column names and units)
21         data_lines = lines[2:]
22
23         # Split each line into columns and convert to floats
24         for line in data_lines:
25             values = line.strip().split() # Split by whitespace
26
27             # Iterate through specific columns (7, 9, 13)
28             for i in selected_columns.keys():
29                 if i < len(values): # Ensure the column index exists in the current row
30                     try:
31                         # Convert value to float
32                         num_value = float(values[i])
33                         # Check if the value is an irregular value
34                         if num_value not in irregular_values:
35                             selected_columns[i].append(num_value)
36                     except ValueError:
37                         # Handle any value that cannot be converted to float (e.g., missing or invalid data)
38                         continue

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39
40     # Calculate statistics for the selected columns
41     statistics = {}
42     for idx, col_data in selected_columns.items():
43         column_name = column_info[idx]["name"] # Get the human-readable column name
44         unit = column_info[idx]["unit"] # Get the unit for the column
45         if col_data: # Check if the column has any valid data
46             col_array = np.array(col_data)
47             statistics[column_name] = {
48                 'Average': f"{np.mean(col_array):.2f} {unit}",
49                 'Maximum': f"{np.max(col_array):.2f} {unit}",
50                 'Minimum': f"{np.min(col_array):.2f} {unit}"
51             }
52         else:
53             # Handle the case where there is no valid data in the column
54             statistics[column_name] = None
55
56     # Display results with custom messages for unavailable data
57     for column_name, stats in statistics.items():
58         if stats is None:
59             print(f"{column_name} data is unavailable.")
60         else:
61             print(f"{column_name} Statistics:")
62             print(f"    Average: {stats['Average']}")
63             print(f"    Maximum: {stats['Maximum']}")
64             print(f"    Minimum: {stats['Minimum']}")
65     print()

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Figure 72: Python Buoy Data Analysis Program

Number	Row Type	Group	Wind Speed (m/s)	Wave Height (m)	Pressure (hPa)	(°C)	Group	Wind Speed (m/s)	Wave Height (m)	Pressure (hPa)	(°C)
1	Average		2.22	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	28.98		3.56	Data Unavailable	1008.49	Data Unavailable
	Maximum		10.6			32		26.6		1014.9	
	Minimum		0			26.6		0.1		977.1	
2	Average		1.85	Data Unavailable	1014.88	28.03		3.21	Data Unavailable	1011.06	29.53
	Maximum		12.7		1022.4	30.9		19.7		1015.8	30.8
	Minimum		0		1006.6	25.1		0		993.4	27.2
3 & 4	Average		6.14	1.05	1014.51	27.97		6.14	1.21	1009.36	29.32
	Maximum		16.8	2.5	1020.9	30.8		25.5	2.1	1013.7	30.1
	Minimum		0.3	0.3	1006.4	25.9		2.3	0.6	983	28.4
6	Average		2.31	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	28.25		3.97	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable
	Maximum		12.3			33.8		36.4			
	Minimum		0			25.2		0			
7	Average		4.18	Data Unavailable	1017.6	26		8.41	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable
	Maximum		13.7		1023.3	29.8		32.2			
	Minimum		0		1009.2	23.4		1.1			
8	Average		5.36	1.33	1014.9	27.64		7.57	1.36	1008.02	27.9
	Maximum		14.1	3.5	1021.9	30.4		25.5	5.6	1014.4	29.8
	Minimum		0.4	0	1006.7	24.6		0.5	0.6	981.5	24.8
9	Average		1.95	Data Unavailable	1015.75	27.5		2.93	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	30.19
	Maximum		7.9		1022.6	33.1		28.5			30.5
	Minimum		0		1007.1	27.5		0.2			29.1
10	Average		6.32	0.91	1015.67	28.13		6.42	0.92	1015.15	28.08
	Maximum		24.7	1.9	1021.1	30.5		20	3	1021.1	30
	Minimum		0	0.3	1007.5	25.9		0.1	0.3	1006.8	26.4
11 & 12	Average		Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	1015.51	28.08		Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	29.52
	Maximum				1022.8	31.7					31.3
	Minimum				1006.8	25.3					27.9
13	Average		3.48	Data Unavailable	1014.95	28.15		5.3	Data Unavailable	1011.17	29.73
	Maximum		13.4		1021.3	31		21.4		1016.7	30.9
	Minimum		0		1006.4	24.7		0		996.4	28.6
14	Average		Data Unavailable	1.27	Data Unavailable	26.35		Data Unavailable	1.14	Data Unavailable	28.92
	Maximum			2.26		27.2			3.64		32.1
	Minimum			0.57		25.6			0.4		26.1
15	Average		2.39	Data Unavailable	1014.84	28.56		4.78	Data Unavailable	1010.25	29.6
	Maximum		11.6		1020.2	31.1		16.9		1015.9	30.7
	Minimum		0		1006.6	25.8		0.2		995	28.7

Figure 73: Sites 1-15 Buoy Data Analysis

Percent Change: Wind Speed	Percent Change: Wave Height	Percent Change: Pressure	Percent Change: Sea Surface Temp
60.36036036	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable
150.9433962			
N/A			
73.51351351	Data Unavailable	-0.37639918	5.351409204
55.11811024		-0.645539906	-0.323624595
N/A		-1.311345122	8.366533865
0	15.23809524	-0.507634227	4.826599928
51.78571429	-16	-0.705260065	-2.272727273
666.6666667	100	-2.325119237	9.652509653
71.86147186	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable
195.9349593			
N/A			
101.1961722	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable
135.0364964			
N/A			
41.23134328	2.255639098	-6.88	0.26
80.85106383	60	-7.5	-0.6
25	N/A	-25.2	0.2
50.25641026	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	2.69
260.7594937			-2.6
N/A			1.6
1.582278481	1.098901099	-0.051197732	-0.177746178
-19.02834008	57.89473684	0	-1.639344262
N/A	0	-0.069478908	1.930501931
Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	Data Unavailable	5.128205128
			-1.261829653
			10.27667984
52.29885057	Data Unavailable	-0.37243214	5.612788632
59.70149254		-0.450406345	-0.322580645
N/A		-0.9936407	15.78947368
Data Unavailable	-10.23622047	Data Unavailable	9.753320683
	61.0619469		18.01470588
	-29.8245614		1.953125
100	Data Unavailable	-0.452288045	3.641456583
45.68965517		-0.421485983	-1.286173633
N/A		-1.152394198	11.24031008

Figure 74: Sites 1-15 Measurement Percent Difference