

➤ **WGDis access to Charter data**

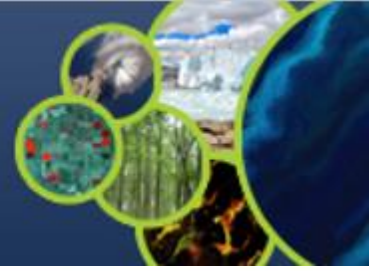
- July 2014: Following the request from CEOS to obtain access to data from the Charter for the purposes the DRM activities, the Charter Board contacted the Chair of the CEOS WG Disaster.
- July 2015: Steps to implement this agreement shared with the Chair of the CEOS WG Disaster.

➤ **WGDis to share value-added products with the Charter Project Manager during an activation** (initiated by the CEOS Seismic Pilot and the Geohazards Supersites (GSNL))

- July 2015: the Charter Board sent an official letter to the CEOS Seismic Pilot Leads following the request to obtain support concerning the dissemination of CEOS Seismic Pilot results for the 2015 Nepal earthquake to appropriate users.



# WGDis accessing Charter data - Steps



*The steps for accessing Charter data that was agreed by formal letter sent by the Charter to the CEOS WG Disasters on 8 July 2015 is described here below:*

- 1. **CEOS** will submit a request for data access to the ES of the Charter **within 10 days of the Charter activation** ([executivesecretariat@disasterscharter.org](mailto:executivesecretariat@disasterscharter.org) ).*
- 2. Upon receipt of the request, the ES will verify the location of the pilot AOI with respect to the Charter AOI and report back to the ES on overlap between the 2 AOIs.*
- 3. Each agency will then have up to 2 weeks to determine whether or not they can support the request and will report this decision back to the Lead ES member.*
- 4. Each agency will determine who has access to their imagery and document that decision in the data access procedure document. This document will also provide instructions for system registrations, any required signatures, and access procedures for the data.*
- 5. **The Lead will send then an email to the CEOS WGD pilot lead**, who requested data access, listing the agencies that have agreed to support the request, along with the data access procedures.*
- 6. The data will be made available to the pilots after the Charter activation has been closed.*
- 7. The pilot lead will provide an exploitation report back to the Charter within 2 months after the data provision begins.*

Note: WGDis activity leads are **granted access to the Charter COS-2 system** with the Observer status and are **notified by email** (sent by USGS) **for every new Charter activation**



## Comments on the steps to access Charter data

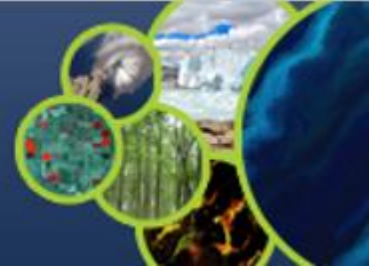


### Comments:

- Clarify that the person to submit the request to the Charter is a CEOS WGDis activity lead
  - Increase the data request submission window to more than 10 days
  - Mention clearly in that the response from the Charter lead should be received within 2 weeks after the submission request.
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- Need to **define the steps for the VA product provision to the Charter PM** as well?
    - WGDis activity leads can provide VA products to the Charter Project Manager by contacting them by email (copying the Charter Executive Secretariat). The Charter Project Manager email for a given activation is available on COS-2.



## WGDis Open Actions (M15/2)

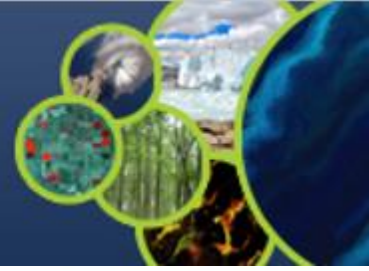


**M15/2:** Determine which WGDisasters activities are willing and capable of providing value added products to the International Charter. Collect all relevant example products.

- Need to figure out who is really interested in getting data from the Charter or provide value added (VA) products to the Charter.



# Feedback on interest for Charter data access & WGDIs VA products provision



**M15/2:** Here is the current status, per the received answers:

<u>Entities</u>	<u>Provision of VA data to the Charter</u>	<u>Expecting data from the Charter</u>
• GEO-GNSL supersites:	will not provide VA data	no
• Recovery Observatory:	will not provide VA data	yes, observer status in place
• Wildfire pilot:	will not provide VA data	yes, interested (in the future)
• GEO/LEO/SAR Flood Pilot:	will not provide VA data	yes, interested
• Landslide Demonstrator:	will not provide VA data	yes, observer status in place
• Volcano Demonstrator:	will not provide VA data	yes, observer status in place
• Seismic Demonstrator:	yes, on a best-effort basis	yes, observer status in place
• Geohazards lab	yes, on a best-effort basis	yes, observer status in place

Way forward:

- **Proposal: to call M15/2 as is and open M15/2b which goal is to provide relevant example products, (Afraid this is going to take a while ...)**



## WGDis Open Actions (M12/5)



**M12/5:** WGDisasters to address and confirm cooperation and data/product sharing procedures proposed by the International Charter. A dedicated meeting between the two groups should be arranged to allow discussion and confirmation of details.

### Way forward:

- **Resume M12/5 and contact the Charter ES, with robust inputs:**
    - **All but one player interested to expect data from the Charter**
    - **Only 2 players interested to provide VA data to the Charter**
- => will simplify the discussion, a formal document is to be written**