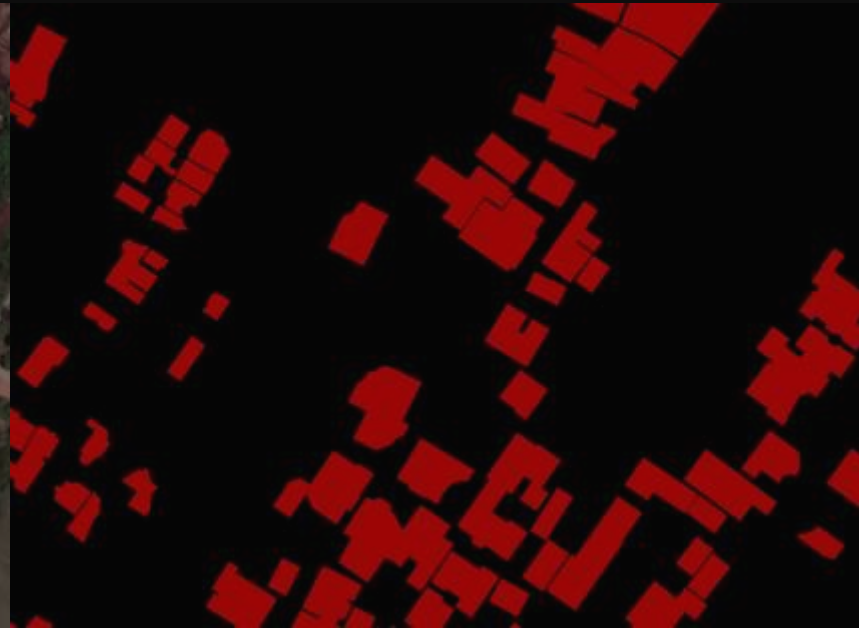




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Developing Property and Tax Registration Using AI Algorithms: Automated Mapping of The Municipality of Kendal, Indonesia



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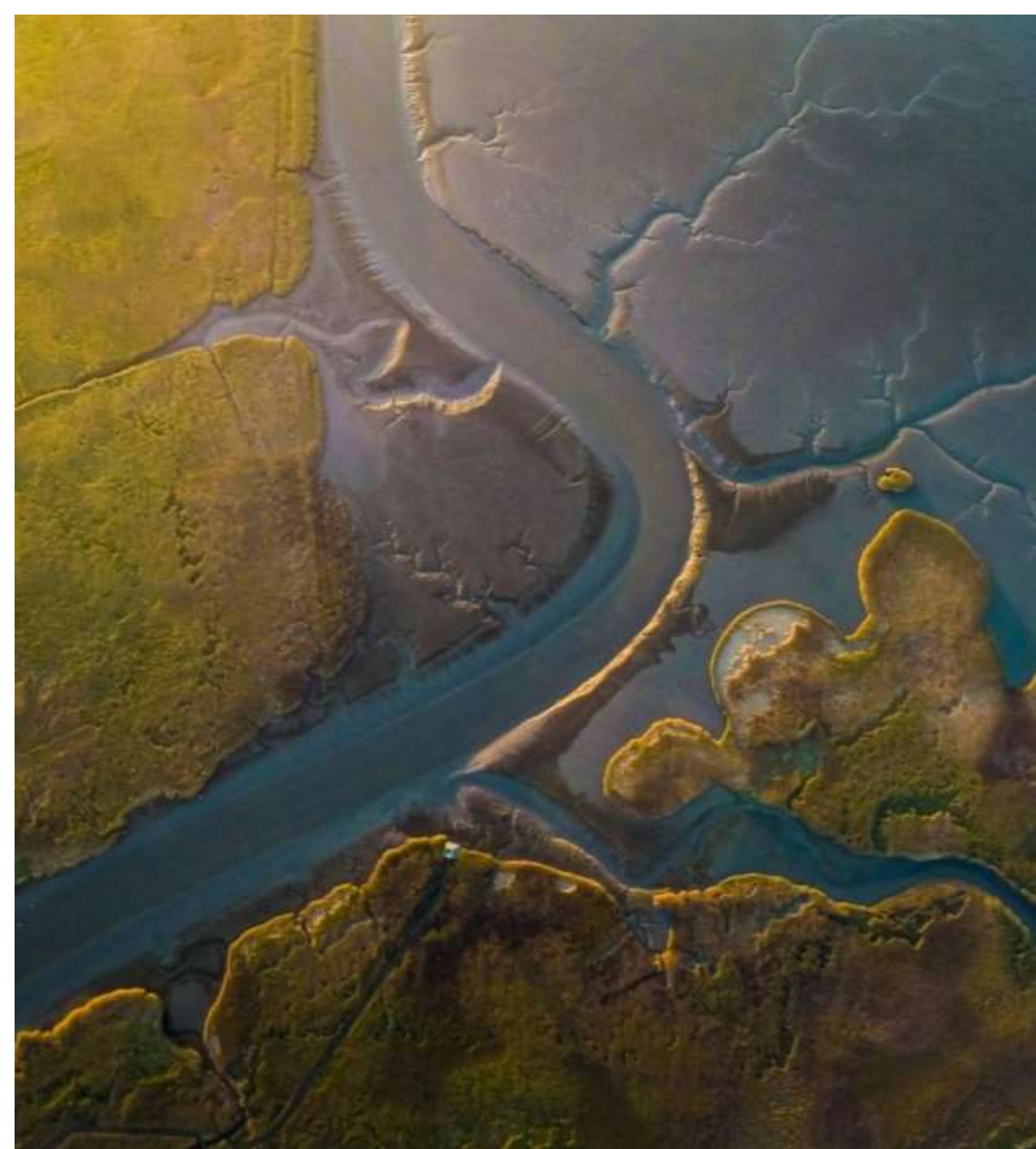
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Background

Context: Property Tax in Indonesia

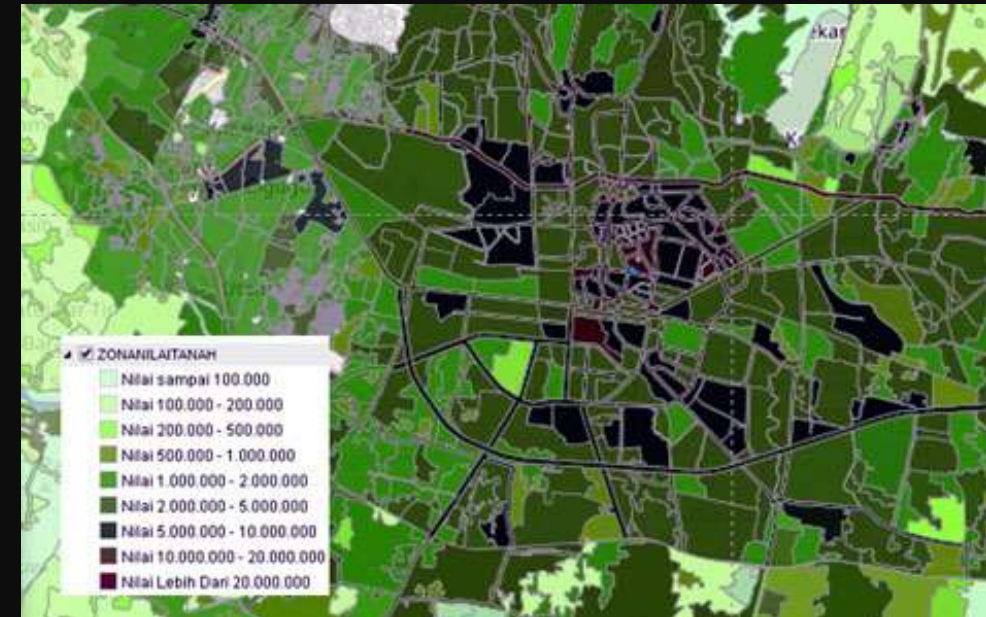
- **How be property tax calculated?**

$(\text{Size of the land} * \text{ZNT} * \text{tax rate}) + (\text{size of building} * \text{ZNT} * \text{tax rate})$

- Self assessment – no geometric accuracy and actual size is questionable
- Not really relate to the land parcel ownership → 1 tax object can have various land ownership, vice versa
- Self assessment – no geometric accuracy and actual size is questionable
- Not always updated if there is new building or if they are extended (inc. extra floor)

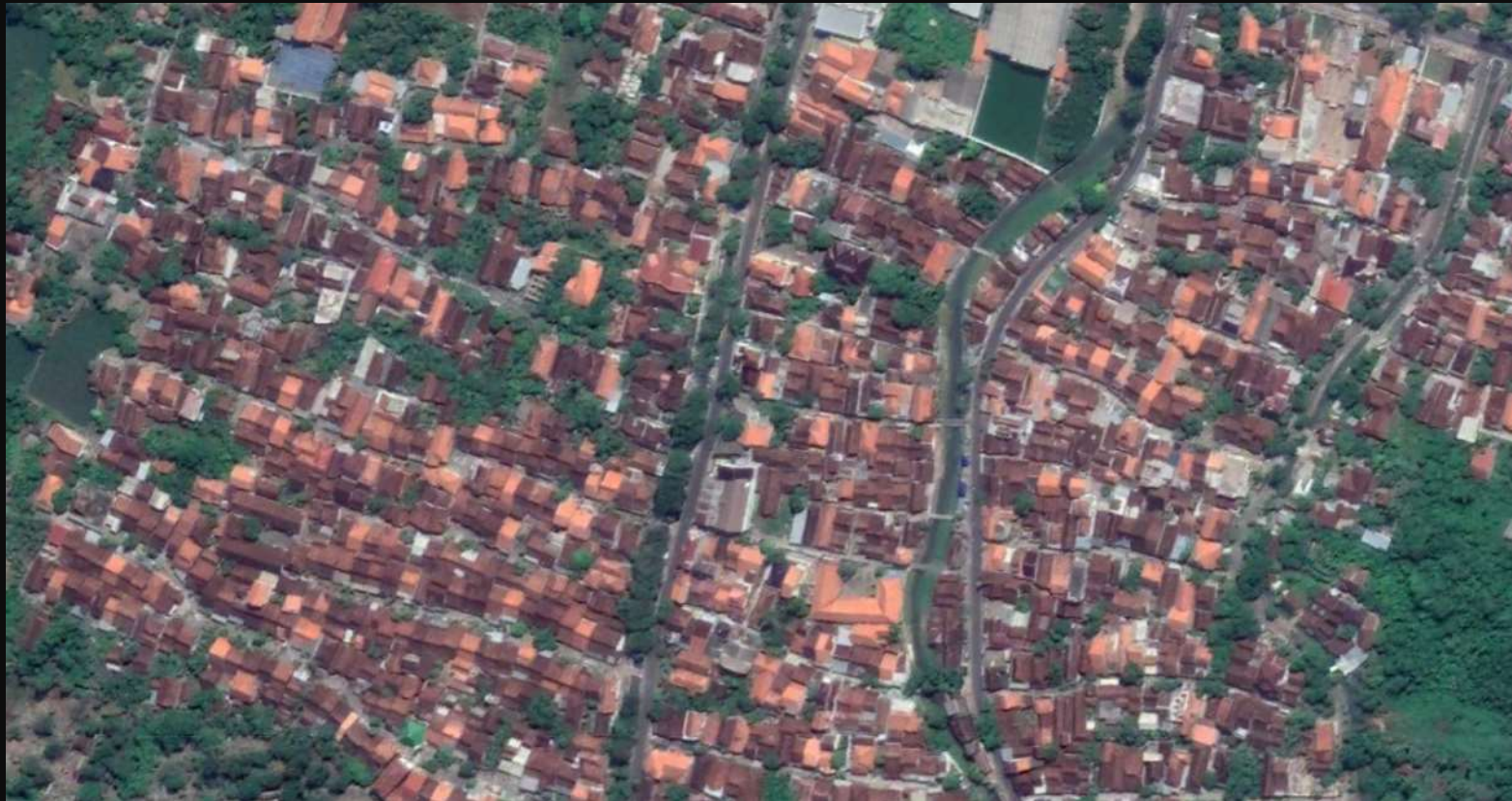
Aims of the project:

1. How to update the tax data without doing all manual building drawing?
2. How to integrate the current tax data – where it is built based on self assessment and has very low accuracy on the geometry?



ZNT – Land Price Zone

Challenge: Information Extractions



Typical Settlement in Kendal region

- Built-up area is built naturally and often difficult to extract building as a single object.
- Manual building delineations require times and may resulted in a bias on the boundary based on the operators' perceptions

Case Study

Municipality of Kendal, Central Java Province, Indonesia



Land Area: Approx. 1,000 sq. km

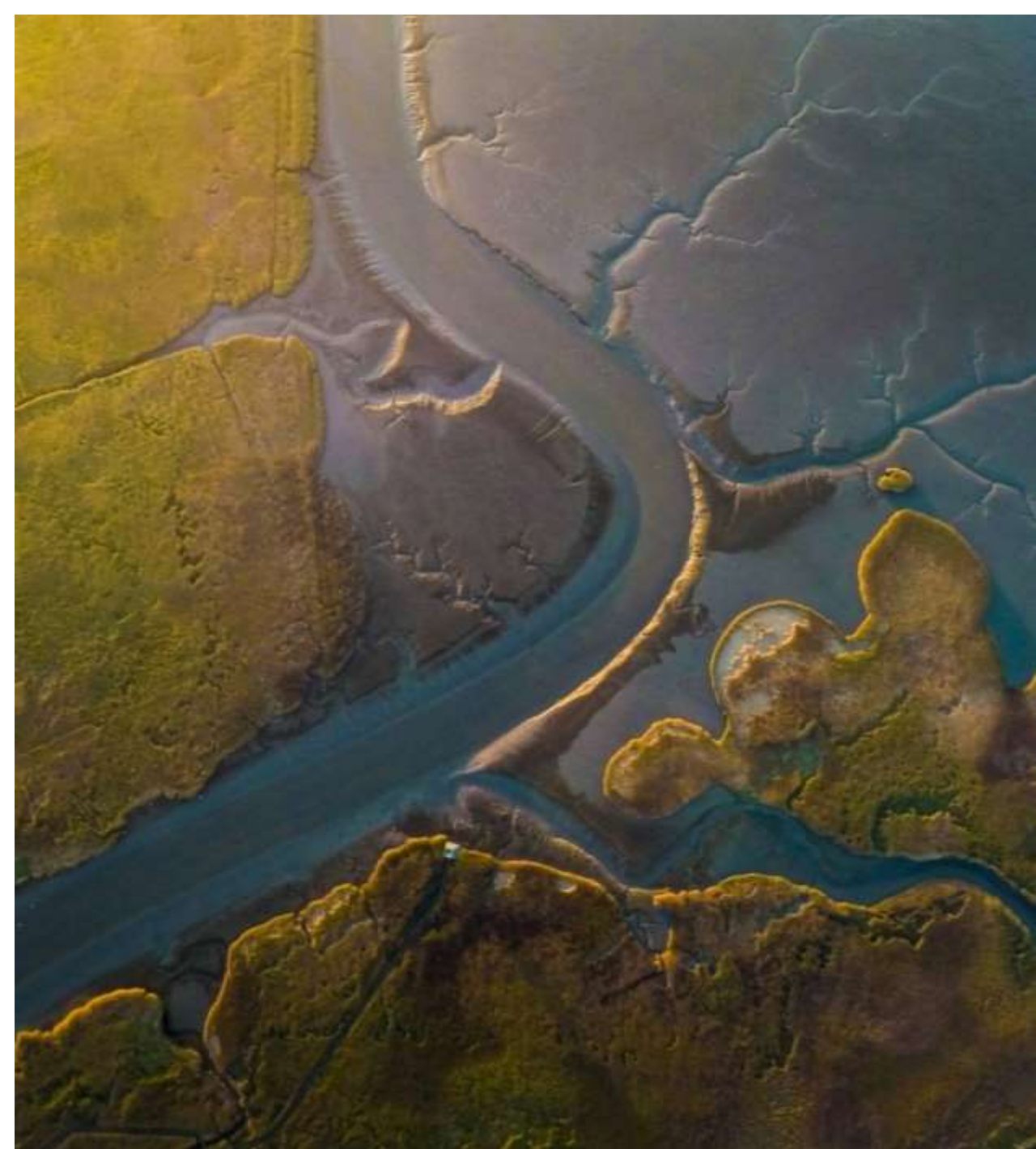
Population: 1.01 million (Statistic Bureau - 2020)

Built-up ratio approx. 10%

Image used: Worldview-3 (0.3 m resolution)

Characteristics:

- Predominately by agriculture
- Located nearby the provincial capital (Semarang)
Industrial activity has arose in the northern part
- Passed by trans-java highway which create a lot of local economic activity
- Built-up area growth rapidly but the availability of the spatial data cannot cope with its fast changes

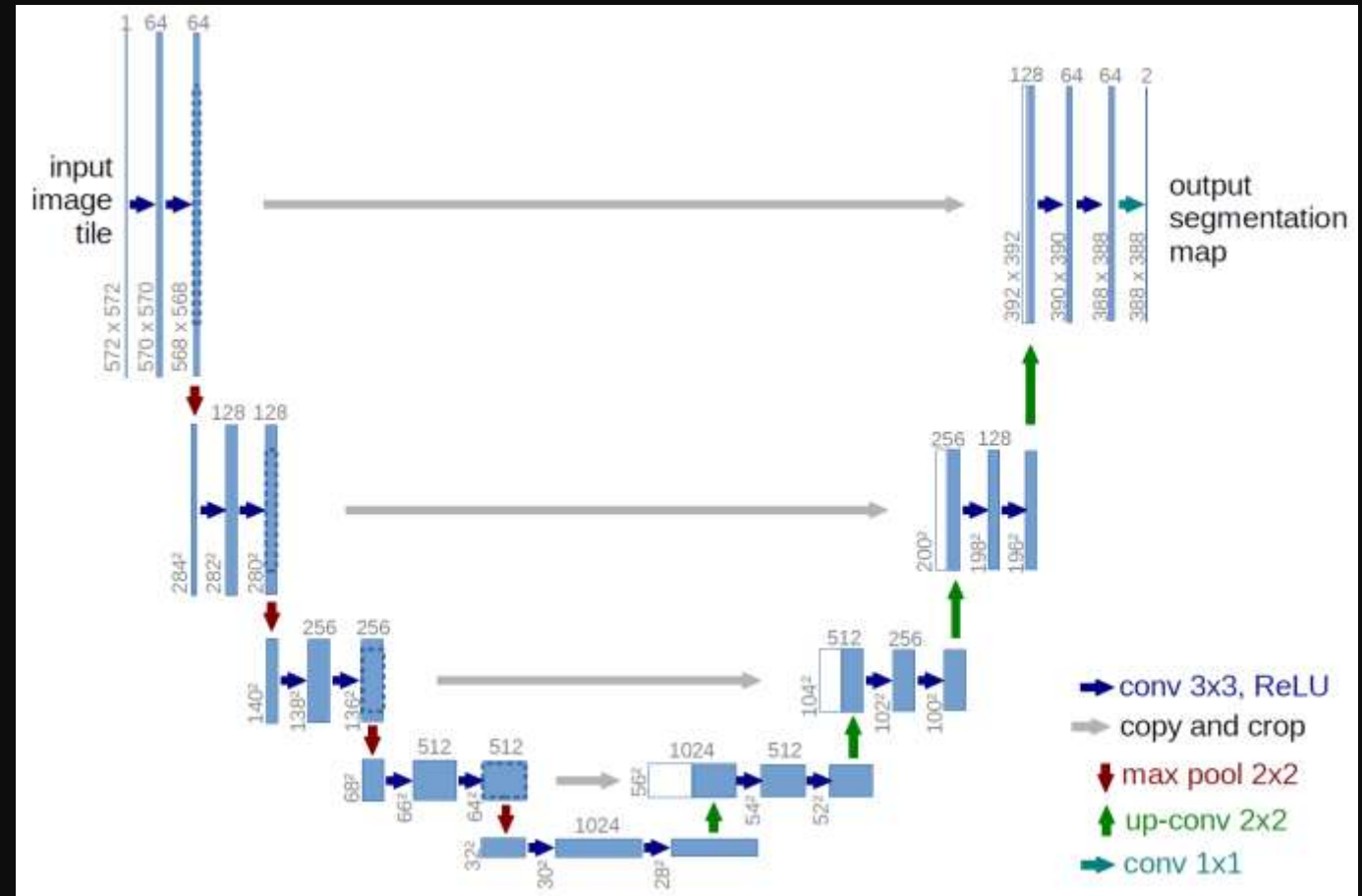


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Methods

Method Research

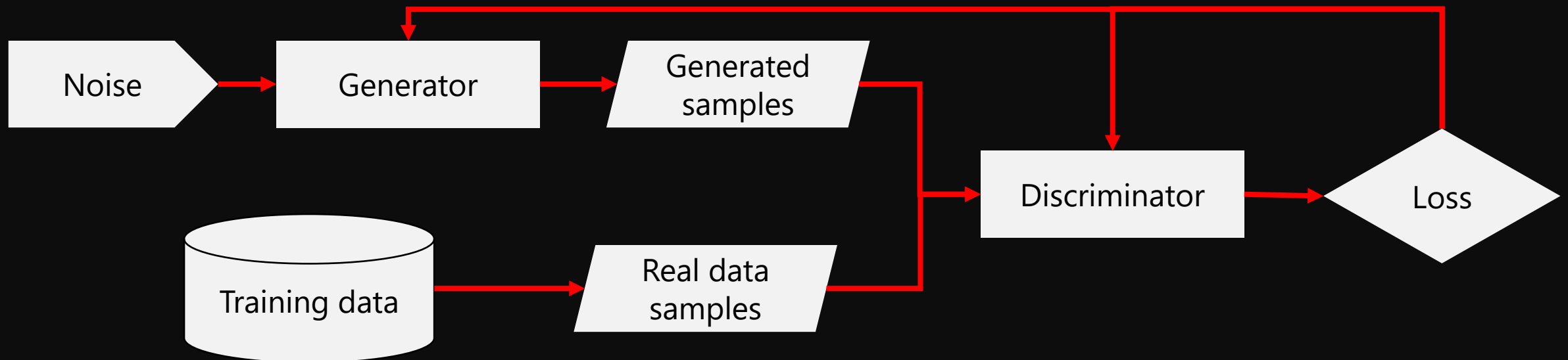
- Mask R-CNN
- U-Net
- GAN



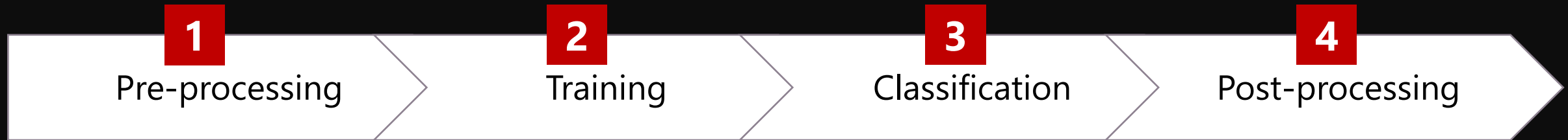
Source: **U-Net: Convolutional Networks for Biomedical Image Segmentation, 2015** (Ronneberger, O.; Fischer, P.; Brox, T.)

Proposed Methods: GANs

- Generative Adversarial Networks (GANs)
- Yann Le Cun described GANs as “the most interesting idea in the last 10 years in Machine Learning”.



Workflow

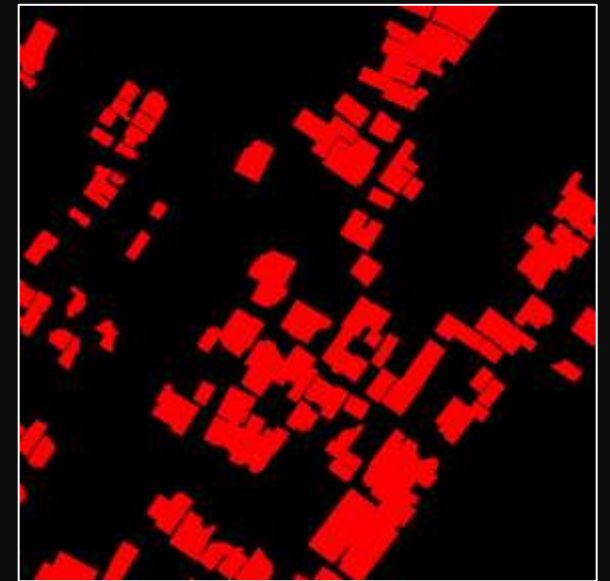


Pre-processing

- Select training area
- Digitize '*Building*' / '*Non-Building*' classes



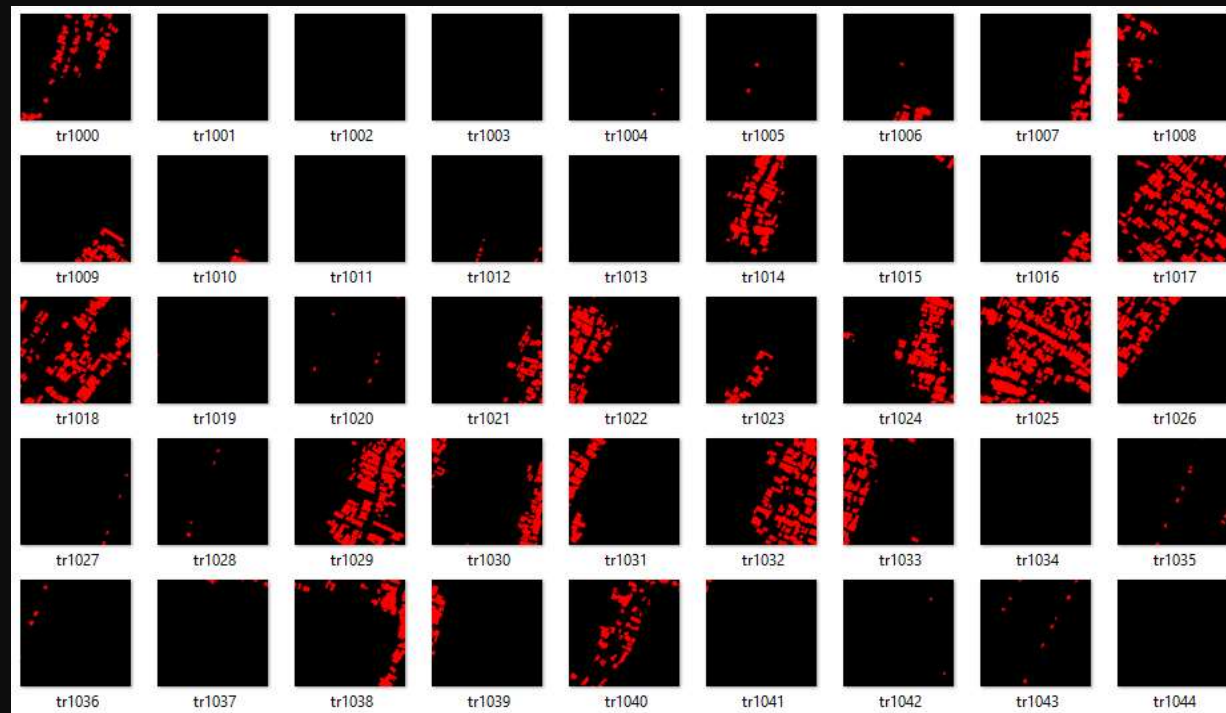
Satellite Image



Label

Pre-processing

- Rasterize training data (image + label tiles)
- Attach a colour table to the one-band TIFF
- Convert to RGB .jpeg file



Pre-processing & Training

- Resize the satellite image and the label image to 1024 x 1024 pixels tiles
- All the processes are automated by Common geospatial libraries **GDAL** and **OGR**
- **50** training sample tiles in total
- Train model – **150** epochs used

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def rasterizeBGT(fn_vec, raster_folder, ref_folder, label_folder):
    i = 0
    files_to_process = glob.glob(os.path.join(raster_folder, '*.tif'))
    for data_path in files_to_process:
        ras_ds = gdal.Open(data_path, gdal.GA_ReadOnly)
        vec_ds = ogr.Open(fn_vec)
        lyr = vec_ds.GetLayer()
        geot = ras_ds.GetGeoTransform()
        sr = ras_ds.GetProjection()

        ref = ref_folder + '/ref' + str(i) + '.tif'
        drv_tiff = gdal.GetDriverByName("GTiff")
        chn_ras_ds = drv_tiff.Create(ref, ras_ds.RasterXSize, ras_ds.RasterYSize, ras_ds.RasterBands[0].DataType)
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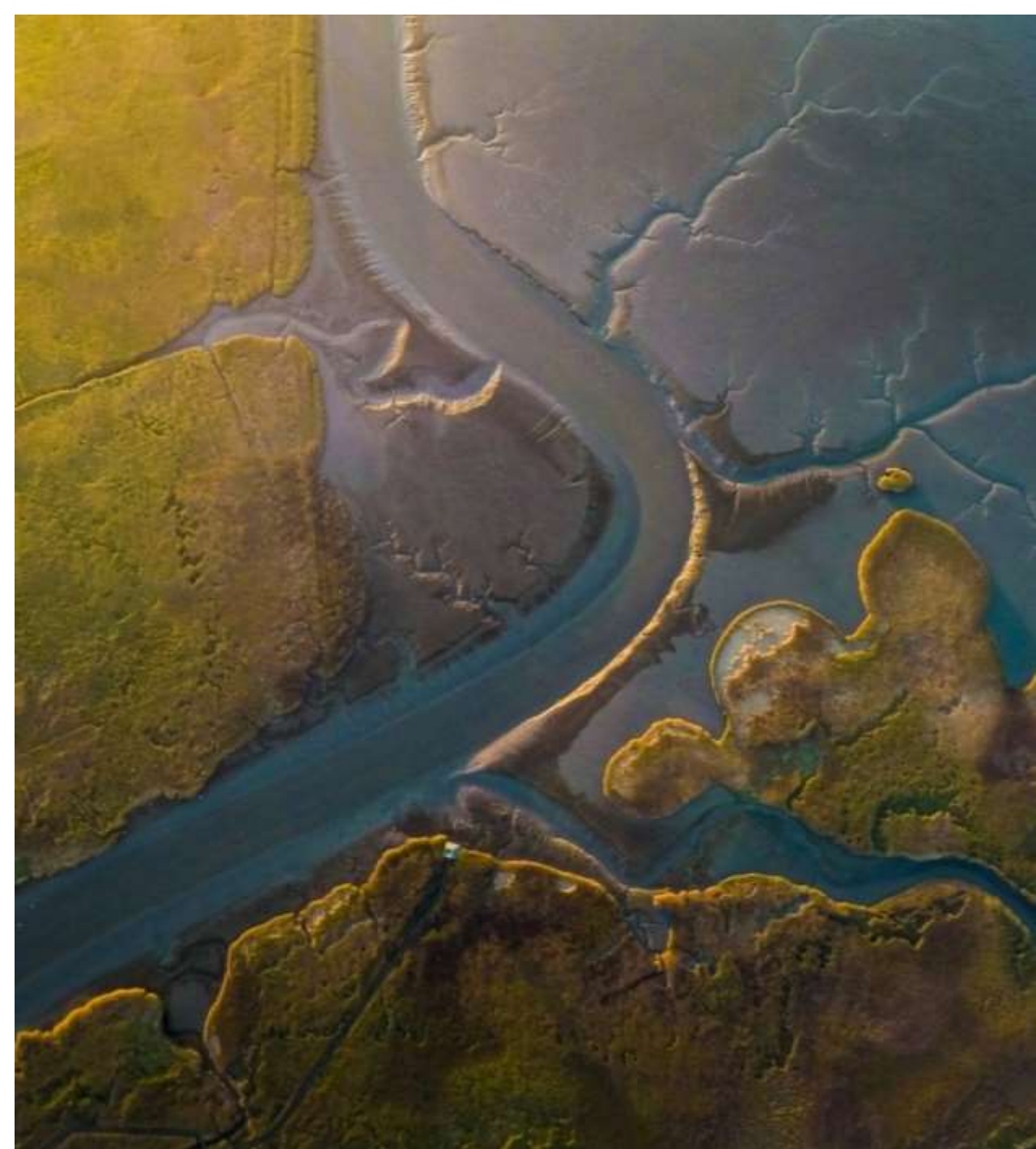
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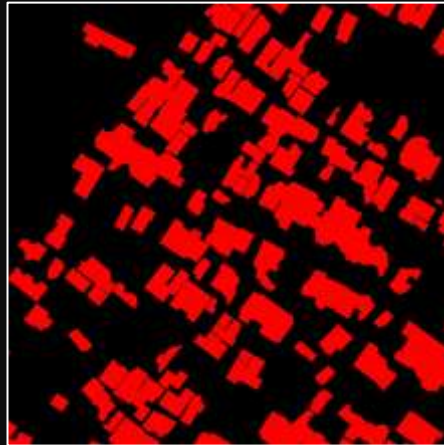


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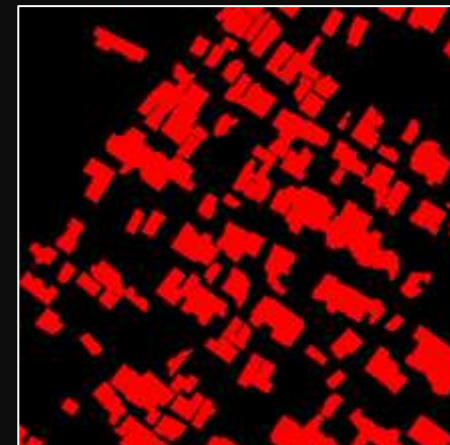
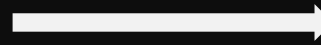
Result & Future Development

Preliminary Output

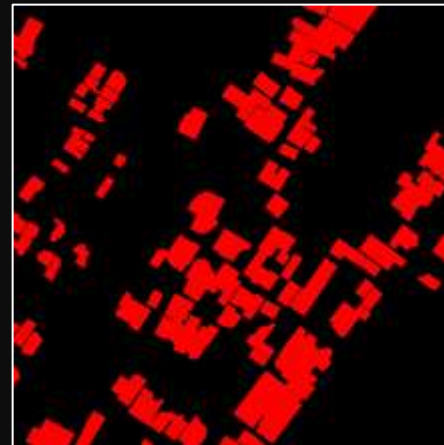
- Classification of same area



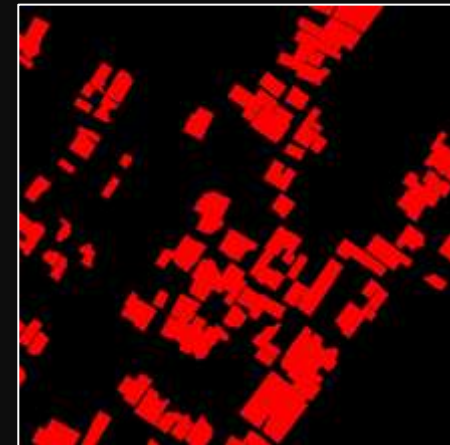
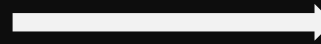
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GANs output



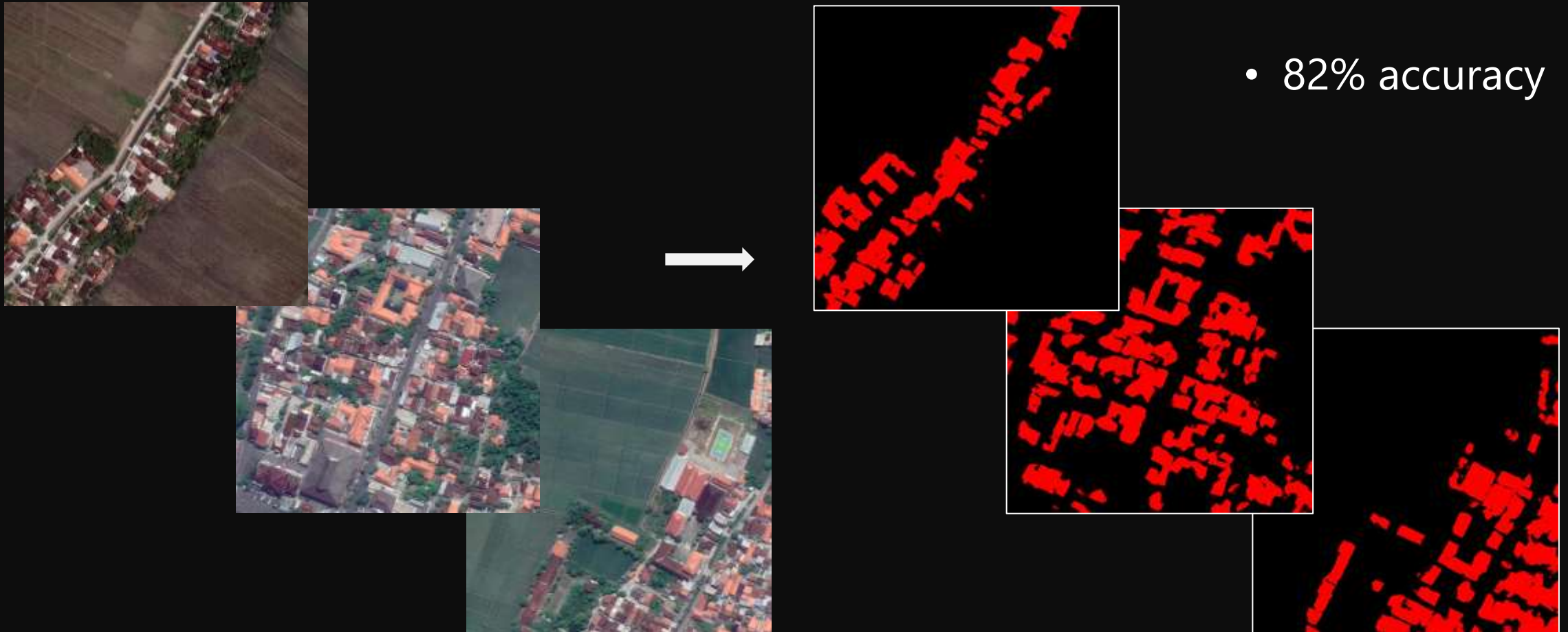
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GANs output

Preliminary Output

- Classification of *different* area



Further Steps

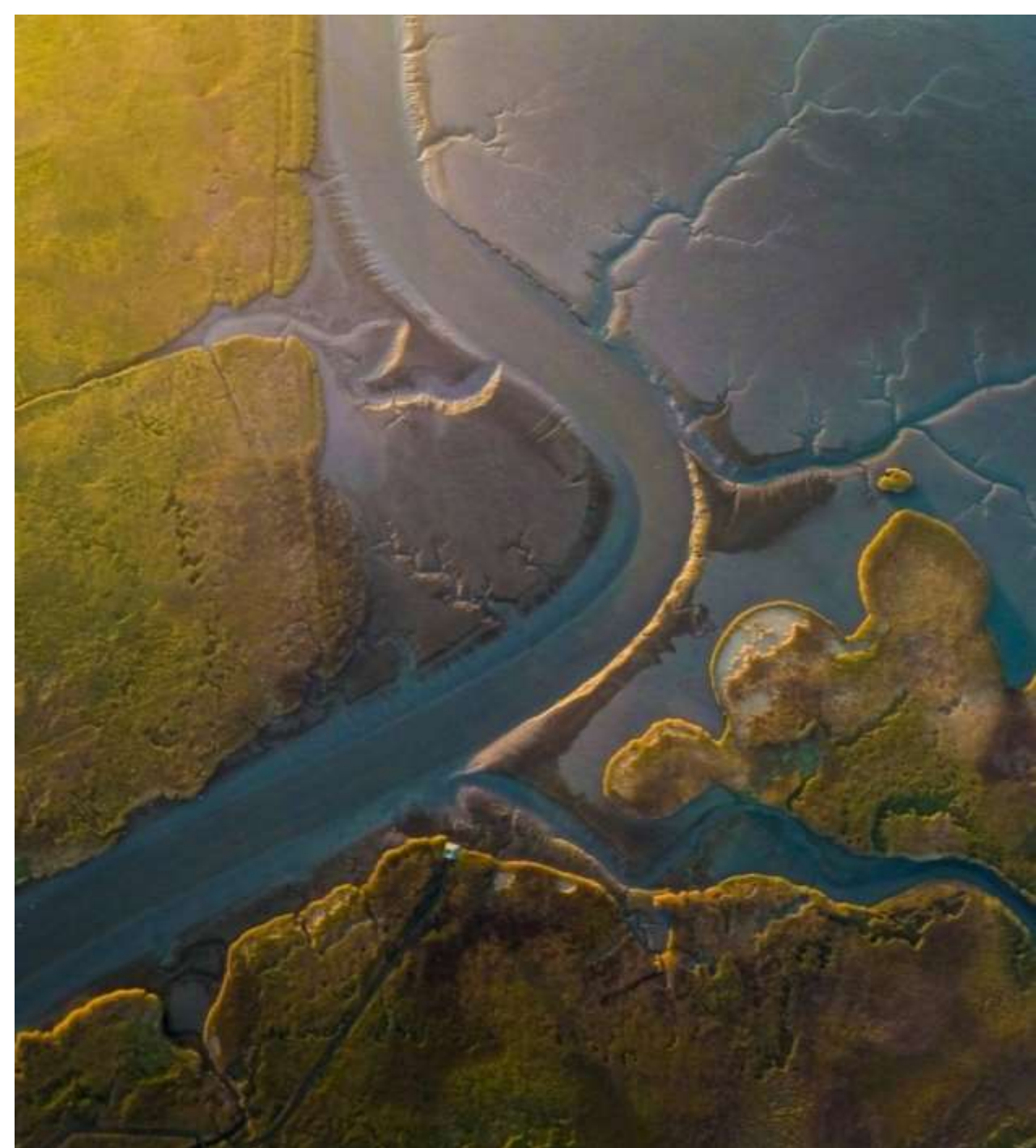
- Accuracy assessment
- Data post-processing (cleaning, correct geometry)
- Multi-signalering
- Quality control
- Implement to Taxation Process



Conclusions



- Tax objects need to be updated annually; nonetheless manual detection is costly.
- GANs performs very well in a region such as Kendal. Using more training data, we expect to increase the accuracy and better building shape.
- GANs is 2x cheaper and 4x faster than manual detection, which can improve budget efficiency as well as tax object data collection.
- By using GANS, Municipality can save approx. 30,000 EUR/year cost for updating the data.
- Having an updated data may increase up to 26% of property tax in our study area.



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