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Using FOSS to estimate and predict the Land Surface Temperature



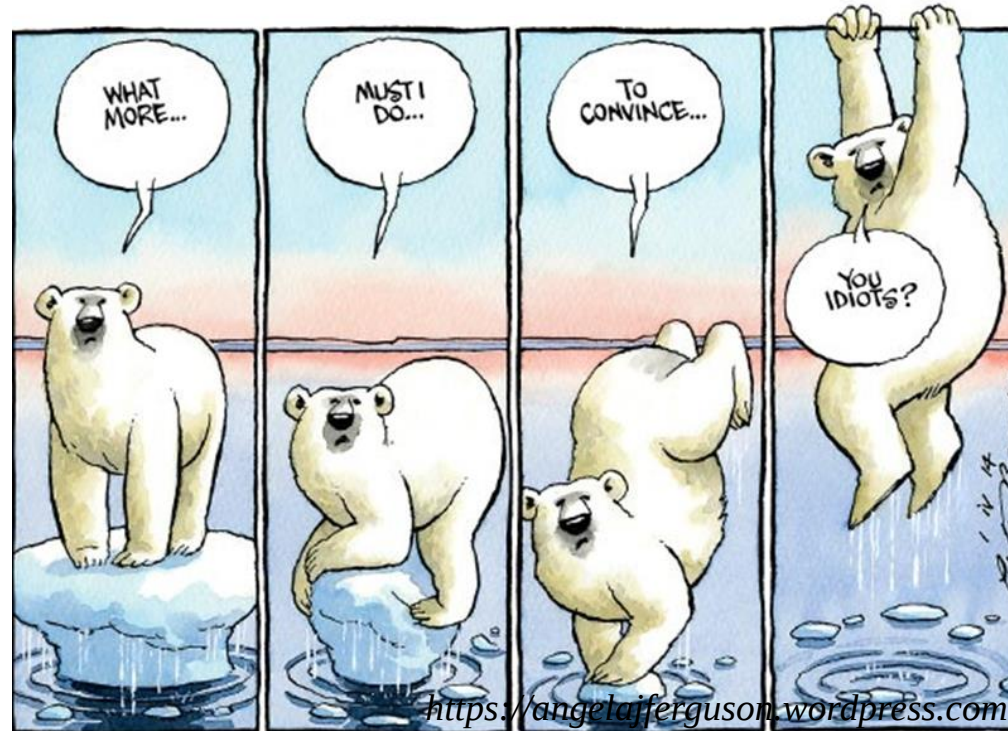
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Climate Change

- **Weather** → state of atmosphere at any given instant
- **Climate** → statistical description of weather over a period of time
- **Unplanned urbanization** → one of the major reasons of climate change



Global temperature rise



Warming oceans



Sea level rise



Ocean acidification



Increased extreme events

• Evidences •

Global temperature rise

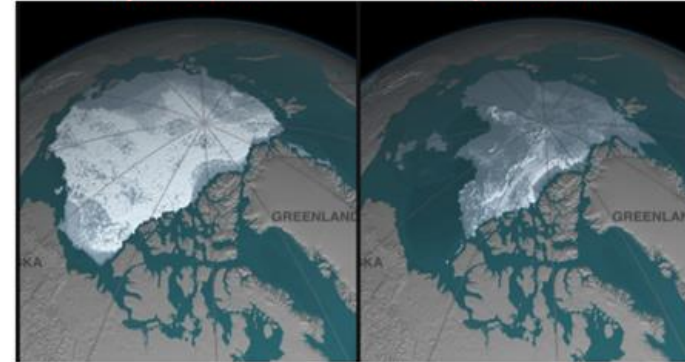


Warming oceans



Shrinking ice sheets

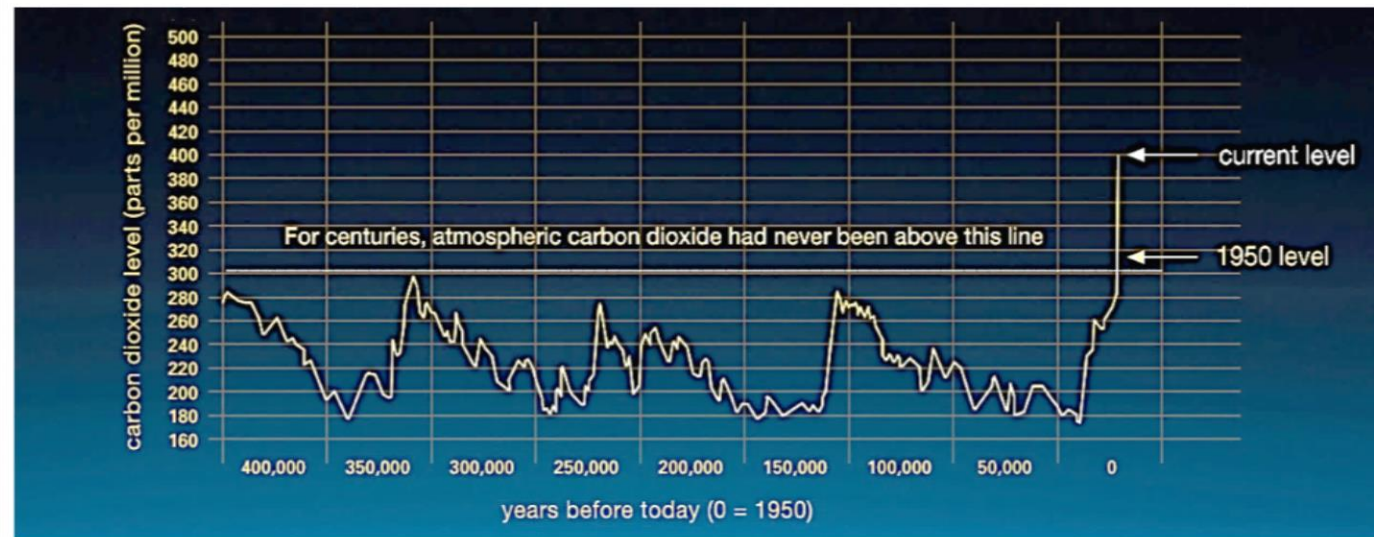
September, 1984 September, 2016



Sea level rise



Extreme events



Historical representation of carbon dioxide levels

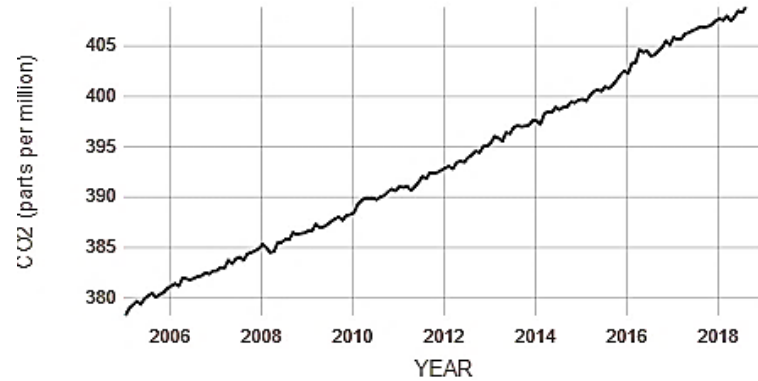


Ocean acidification

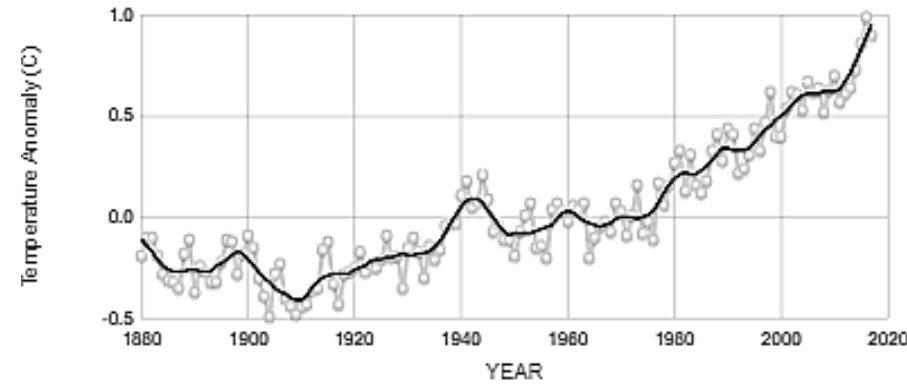
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• Vital Signs •

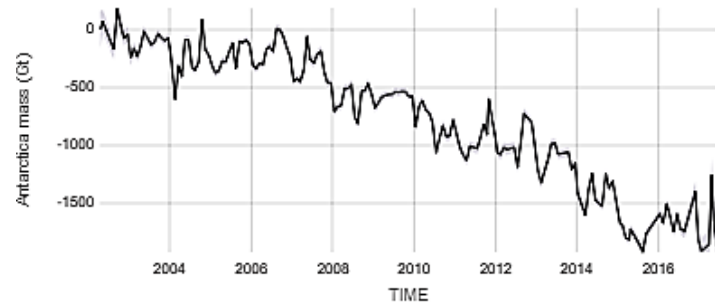
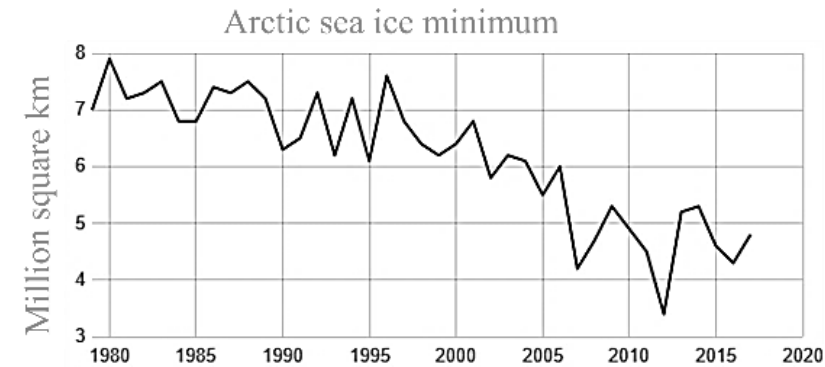
Carbon Dioxide



Global Temperature

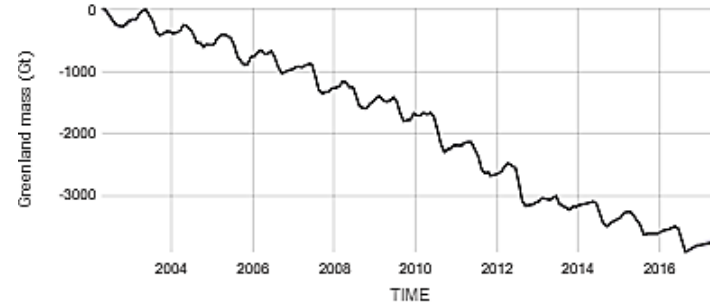


Arctic Sea Ice



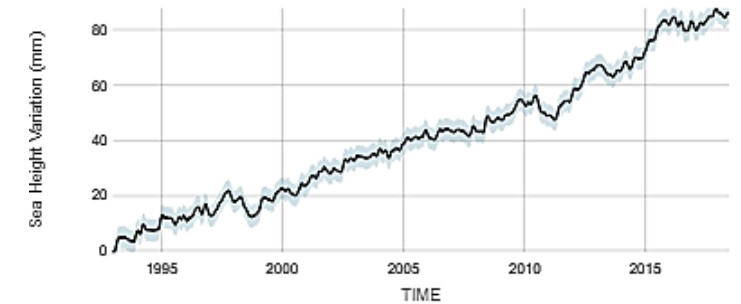
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Antarctica Ice Sheets



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Greenland Ice Sheets



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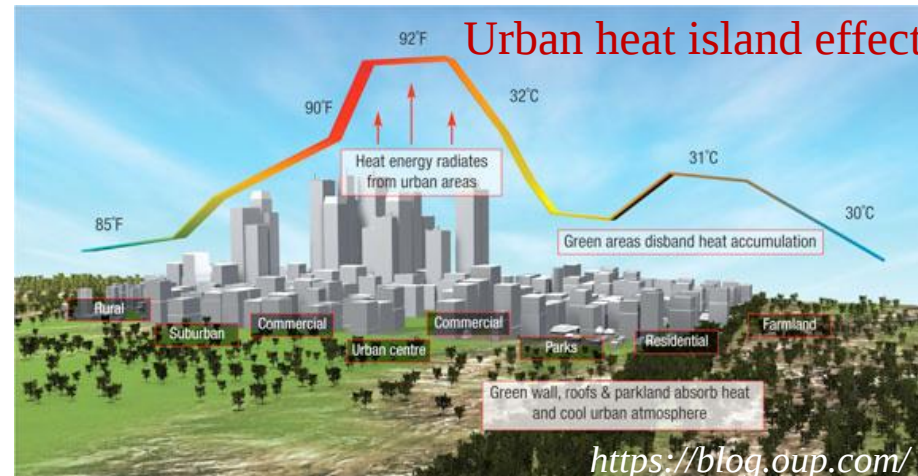
Sea Level

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Urbanization

“Escalation in concrete area of towns or cities as a result of augmented demographic pressure”

- Urban population → 55% (2016) and 68% (by 2050) (UN DESA, 2018)
- Crucial as it defines GDP per capita and defines how much economically sustainable a city is
- Impacts → Urban sprawl, Environmental impacts, poor quality of water, climate change, increased pollution levels, indecorous waste management, global warming, urban heat island, etc.



Land use / Land cover

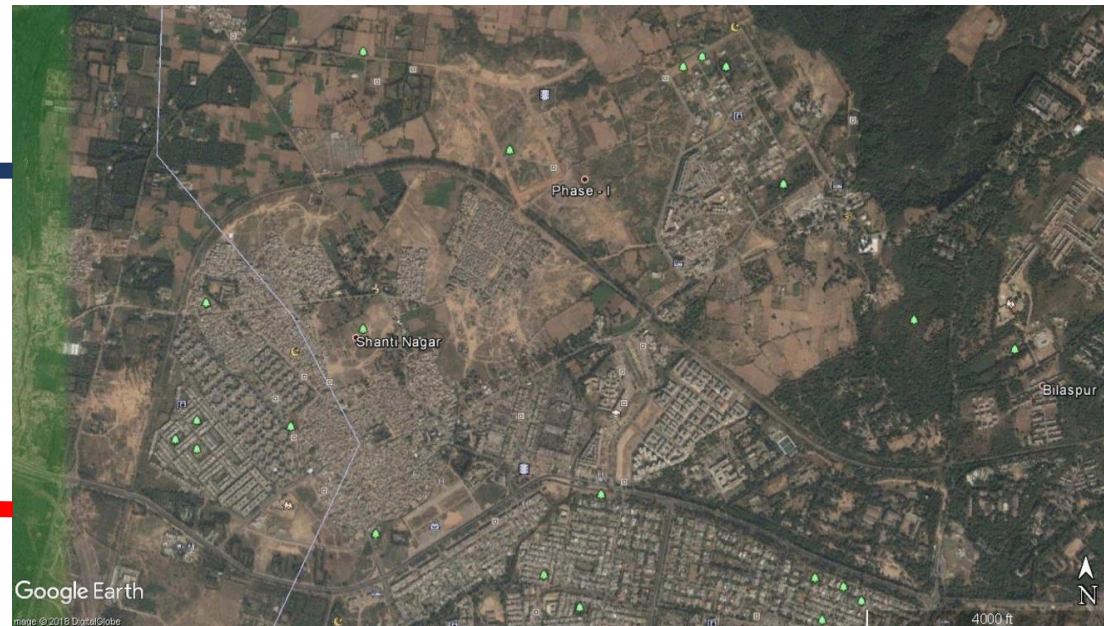
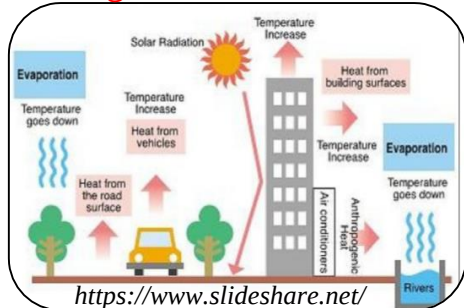


- Land Use/ Land Cover (LULC) changes affects rate of evaporation, surface albedo, storage of heat, moisture content of soil, wind turbulence, solar radiation and surface temperature

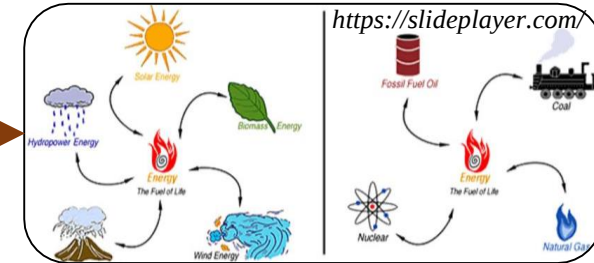
Affects health of residents



Instigates urban heat island



Alters natural flow of resources



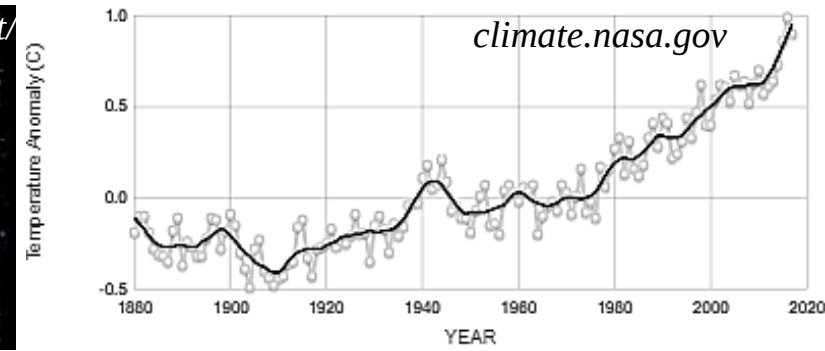
Degraded air quality



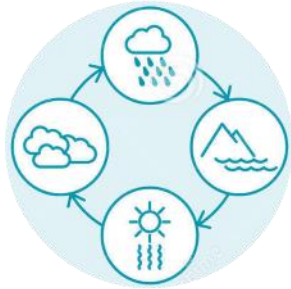
Land Surface Temperature (LST)

“Radiative skin temperature of earth as viewed from sensors”

- Basic element of thermal behavior of earth
- Basic parameter to comprehend environment and climate change



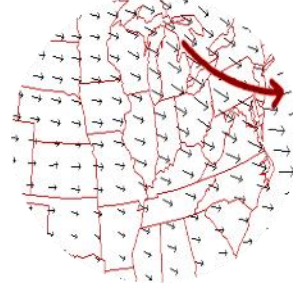
- Alters



Water Cycle



Crop Pattern



Wind Pattern



Rainfall



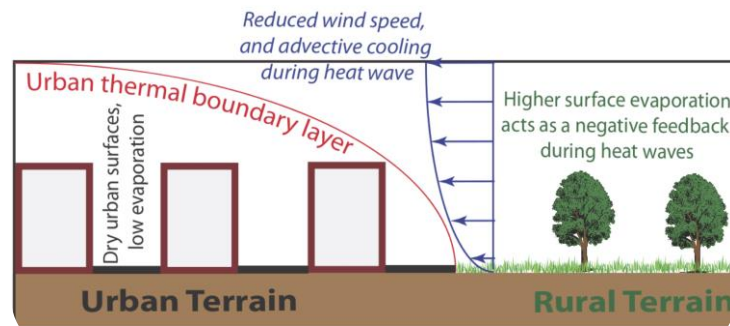
Ecology



Biodiversity

- Useful for variety of applications

Urban climatology



<http://sites.bu.edu/efm/uc/>

Estimation of GHGs



<http://www.screamingpower.ca/>

Vegetation Monitoring



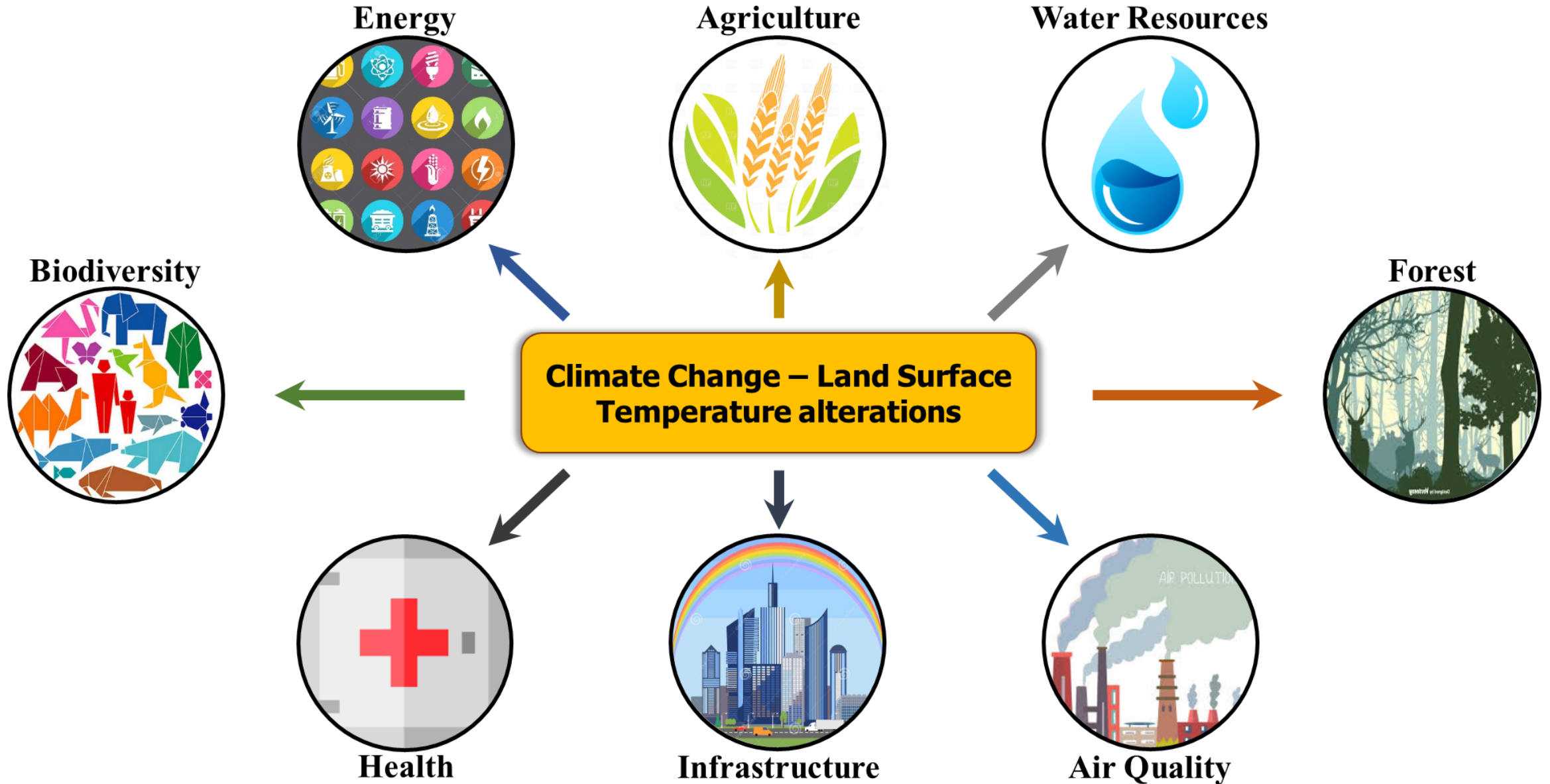
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Urban heat island study



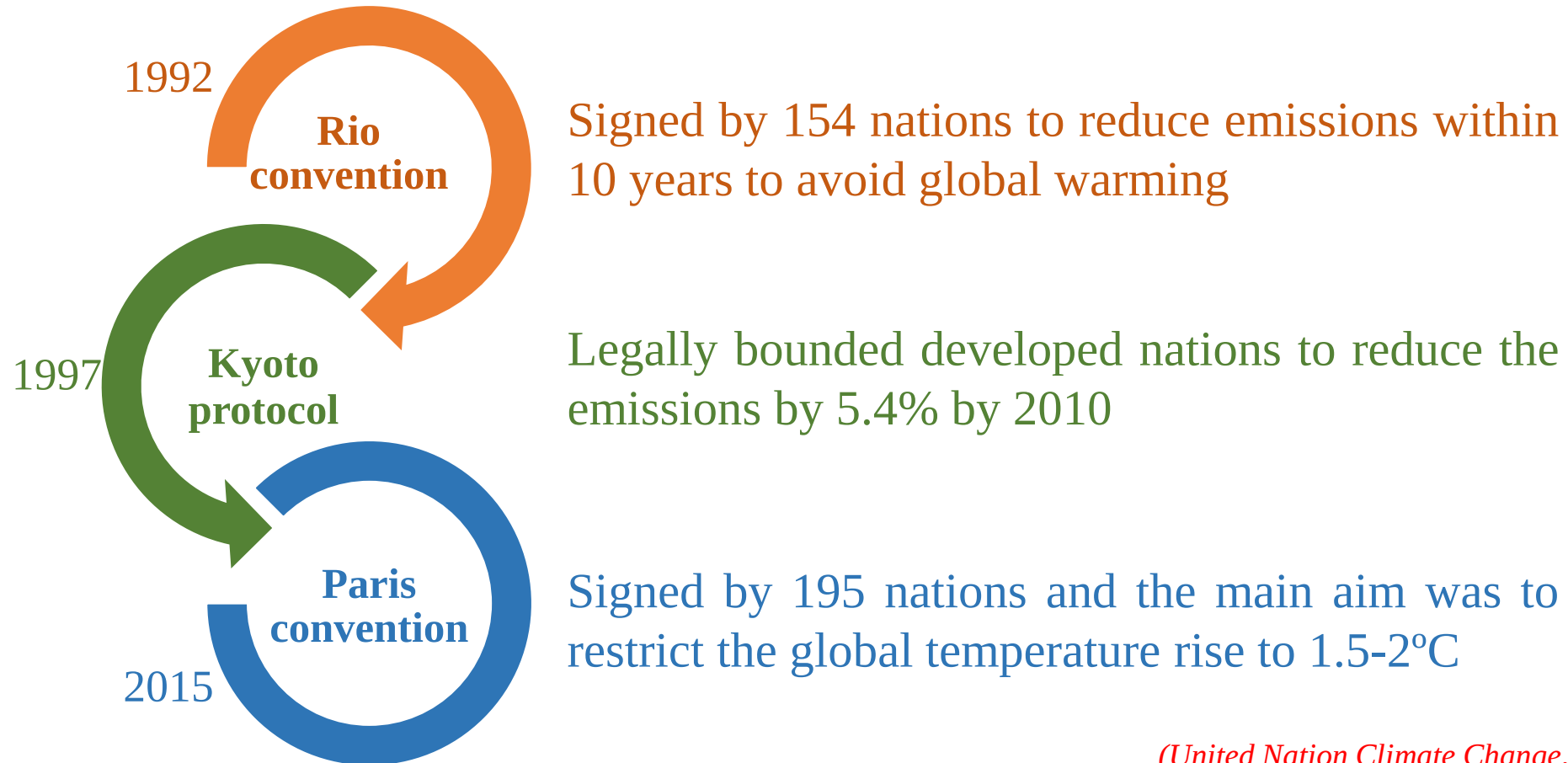
https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=jHXw_eZLhII

Motivation



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- UNFCCC (United Nation Framework Convention for Climate Change), since 1992, tries to tackle these issues by organizing various International conventions



(United Nation Climate Change, 2018; Marshall, 2009)



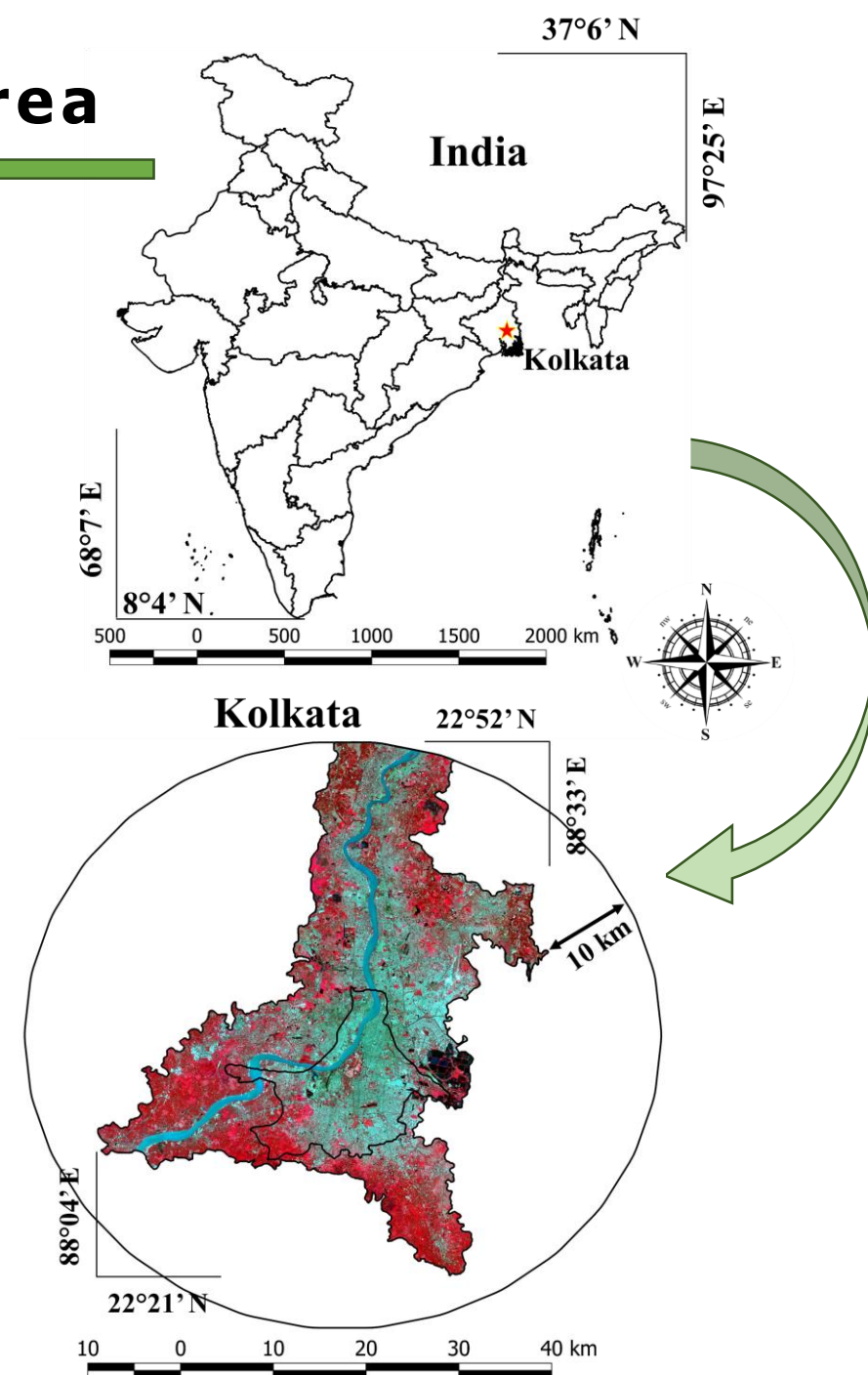
The main objective of this study is to showcase the performance of FOSS in analysis of and forecasting LST over urban areas. Following sub objective needs to be performed for achieving this.

- 1 Analysis of Land Use/ Land Cover (LULC) using Gaussian maximum likelihood algorithm
- 2 Quantification of Land Surface Temperature (LST) using Radiative Transfer Equation algorithm
- 3 Understanding the relationship between changes in LST with alterations in LULC
- 4 Developing a relationship to forecast Land Surface Temperature using regression analysis

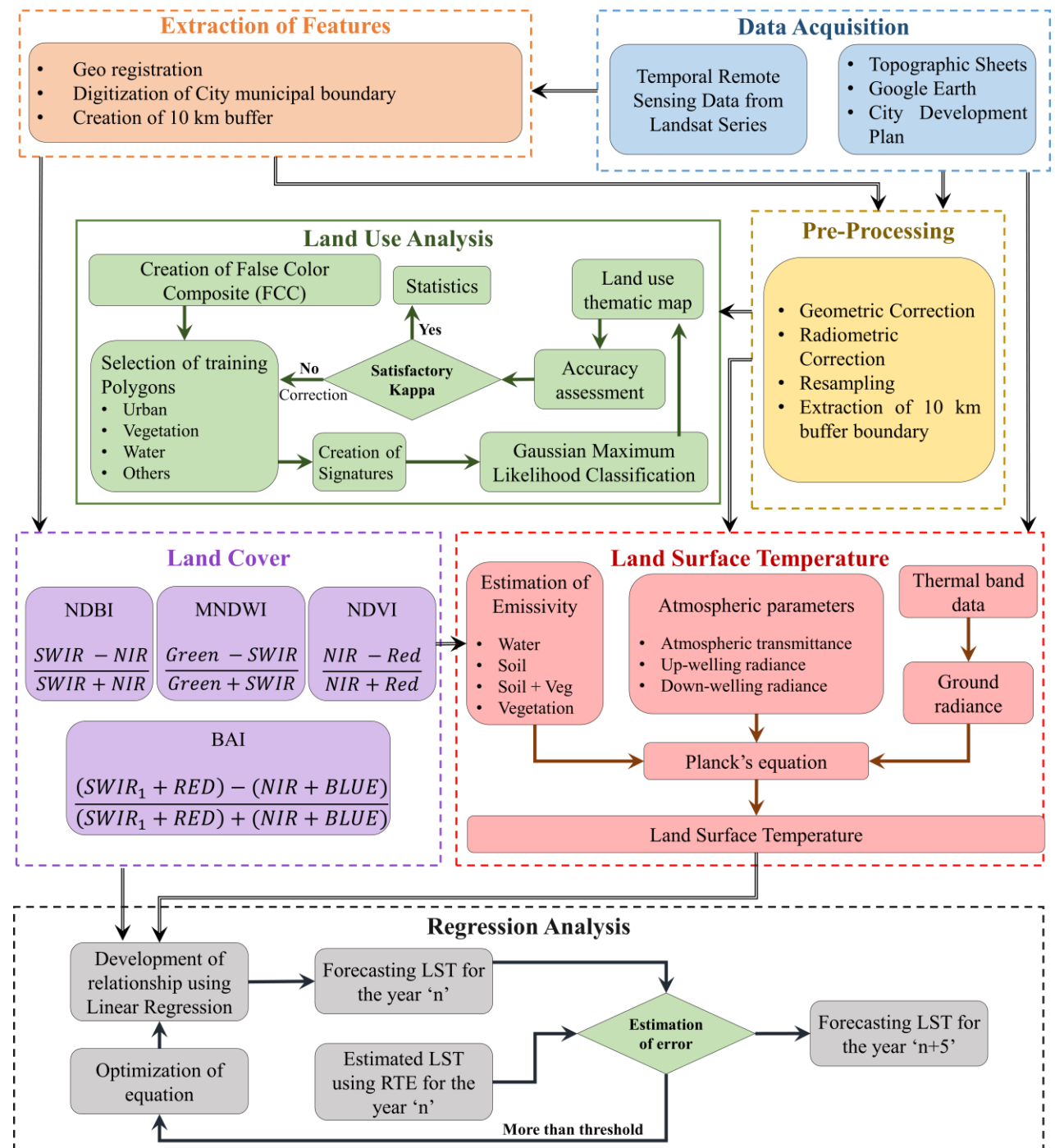
STUDY AREA: Kolkata Metropolitan Area

- Also known as Greater Kolkata and is one of the oldest metropolitan cities in India
- Incorporates 5 municipalities – North 24 parganas, South 24 parganas, Nadia, Howrah, Hooghly
- Serves as home to 14.11 million (Census, 2011)
- Third most populous city in India and eighth largest urban agglomeration globally

Area	1886.67 km ² (Population density: 7480/km ²)
Temperature	Winters minimum (Dec – Jan): 9°C – 11°C Summer maximum (May – June): > 40°C Annual mean: 24.8°C
Annual Rainfall	1582 mm/year (Monsoon: June – Sep)
Elevation	1.5m – 9m



Data & Method



Free and Open Source Software/Data Used



Google Earth

- Virtual earth system formed by satellite imagery, maps, terrain, 3D buildings, etc
- Used for
 - Creation of GCPs
 - Geo-referencing the satellite data
 - Validation of Landuse maps



Bhuvan

- Web mapping service application developed with the help of open layers and embedded map data
- Used for
 - Creation of GCPs
 - Geo-referencing the satellite data



GRASS GIS and Quantum GIS

- GRASS GIS: Mainly used for image processing, raster and vector data management, visualization, spatial modelling etc.
- QGIS: Helps in visual interpretation, manage, edit, analyze data, and compose geospatial maps
- Used for
 - Creation of Landuse/Landcover maps and LST estimation
 - Extraction of output maps



RStudio

- RStudio is an integrated development environment for R, a programming language for statistical computing and graphics
- Used for
 - Statistical analysis
 - Graphical representations



- Provides topographic and open series maps that contains natural and anthropogenic geographic features since 1767
- Used for
 - Geo-referencing the satellite data

Survey of India Toposheets

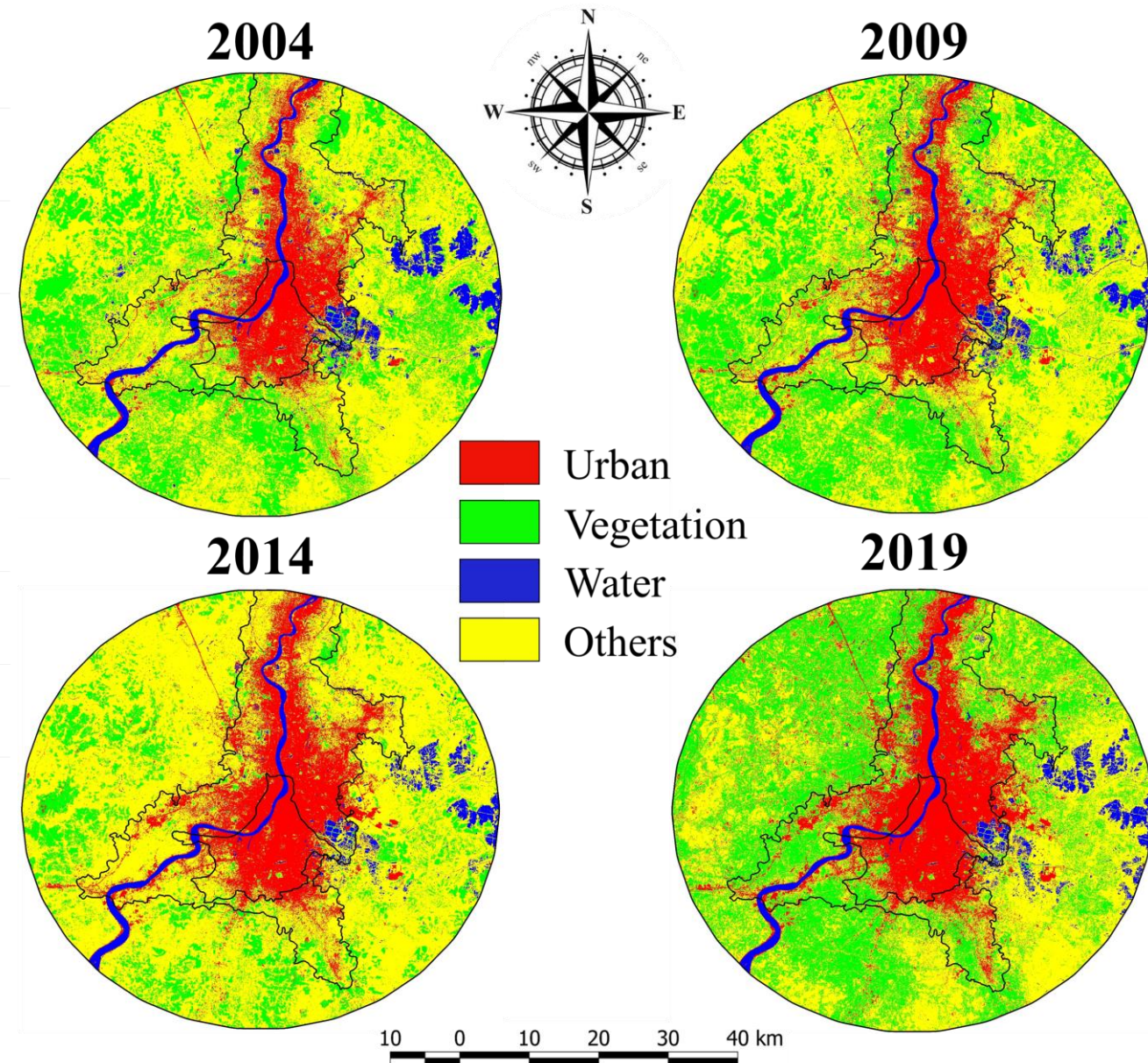
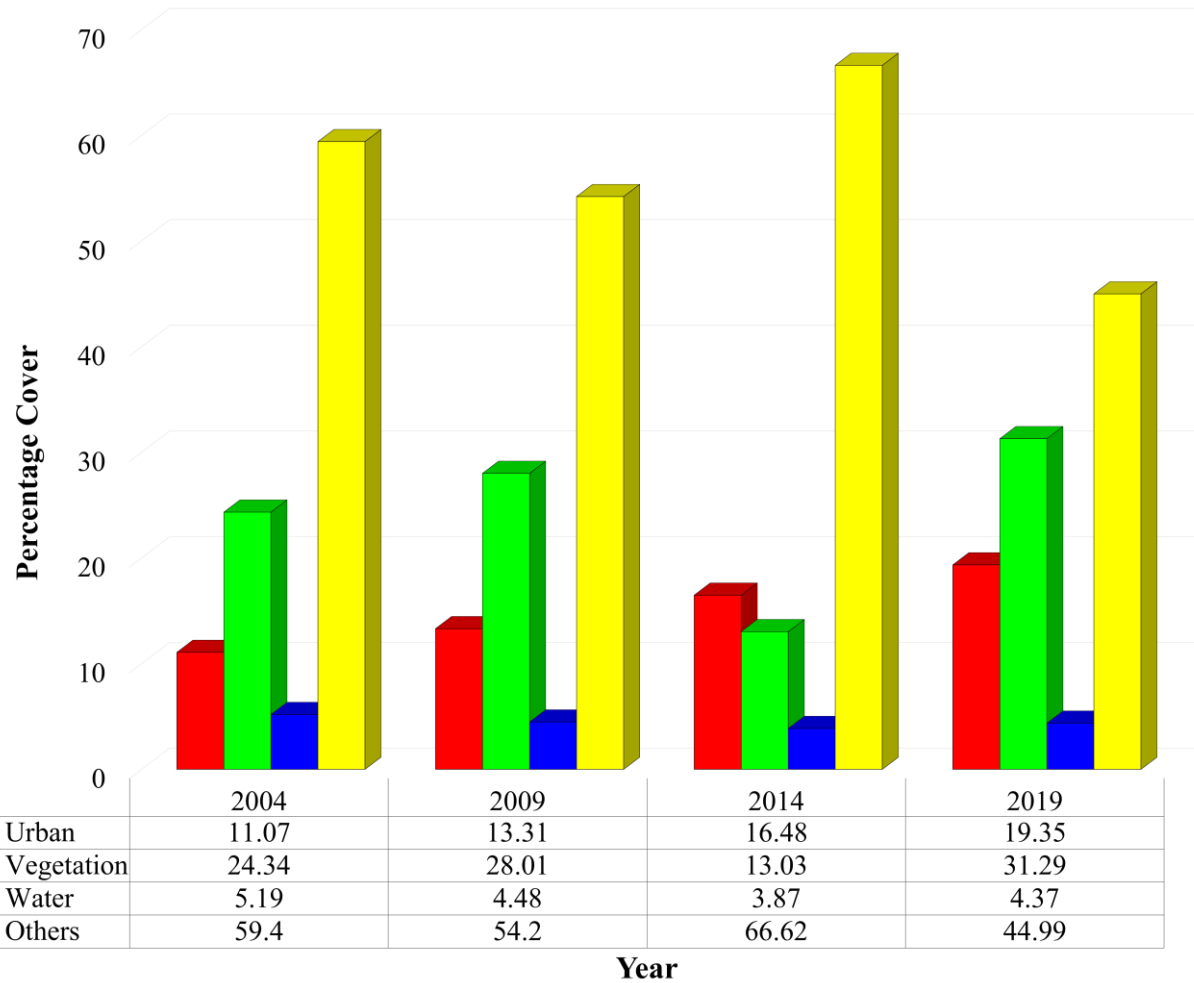


- It is longest running program for acquisition of satellite imagery of earth.
- Provides data with good resolution (spatial, spectral and temporal) at no cost.
- Used for
 - Obtaining raw satellite data for 2004, 2009, 2014 and 2019 over the study area

Satellite Data

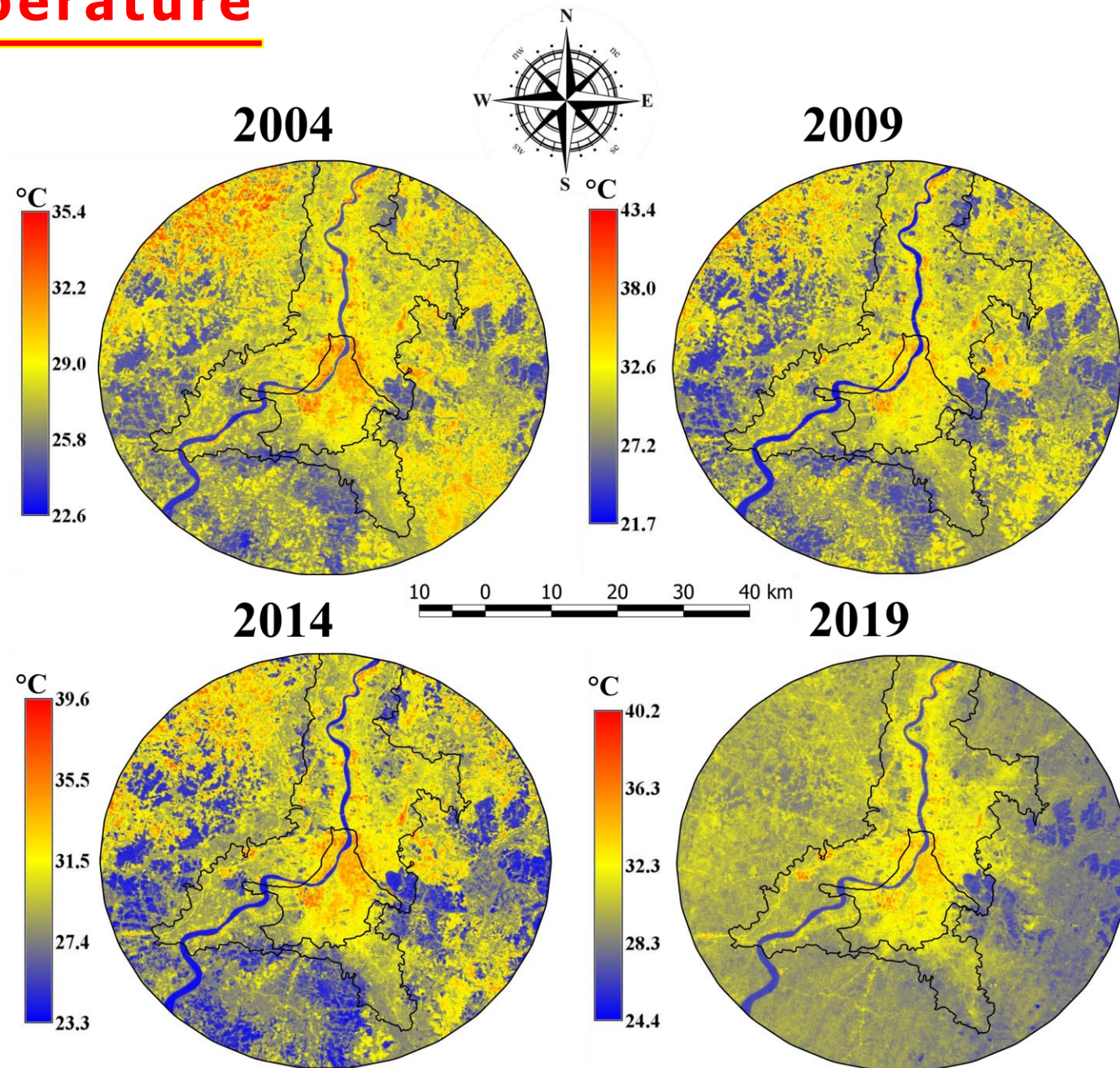


Results: Land use analysis

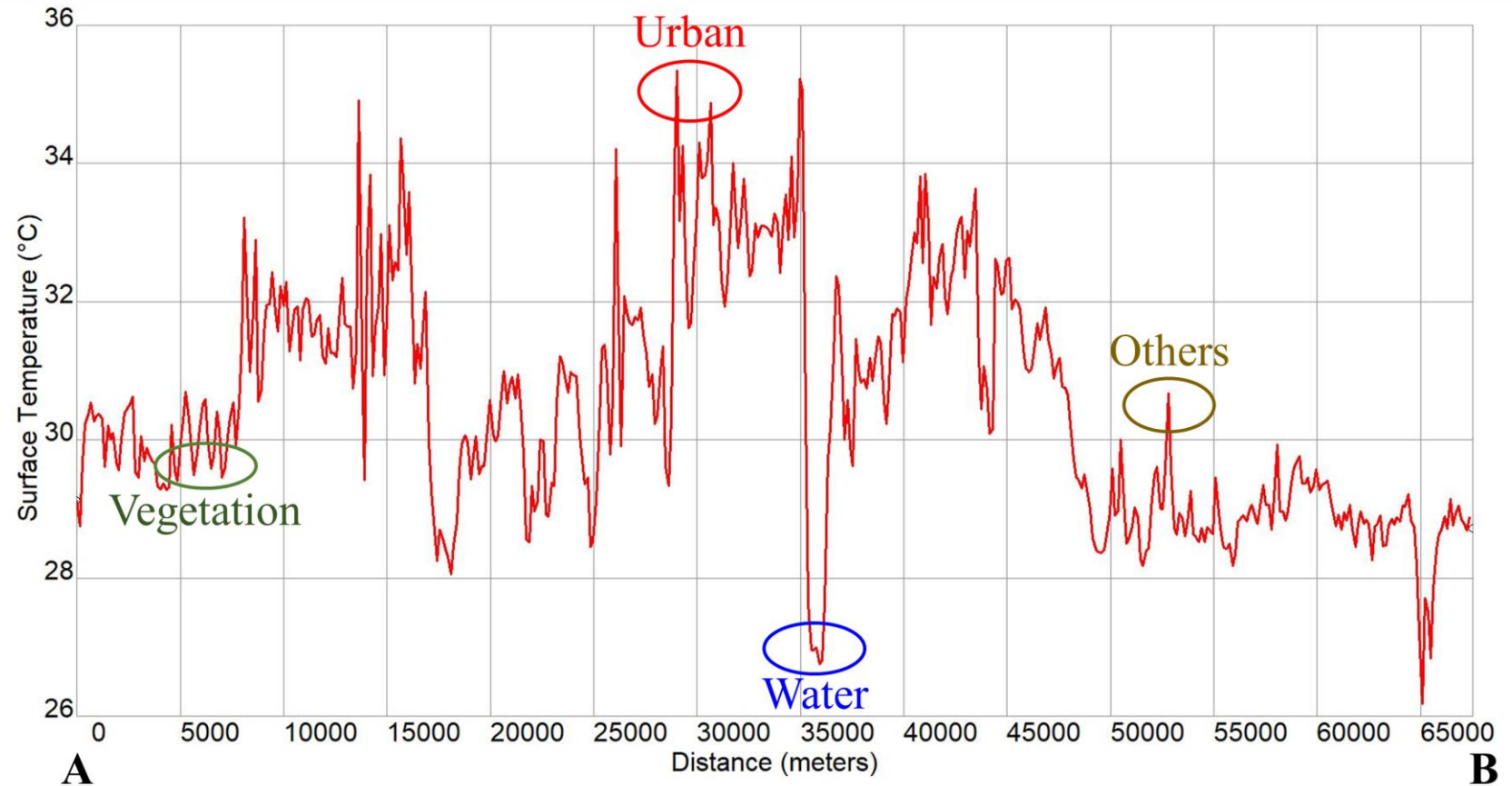
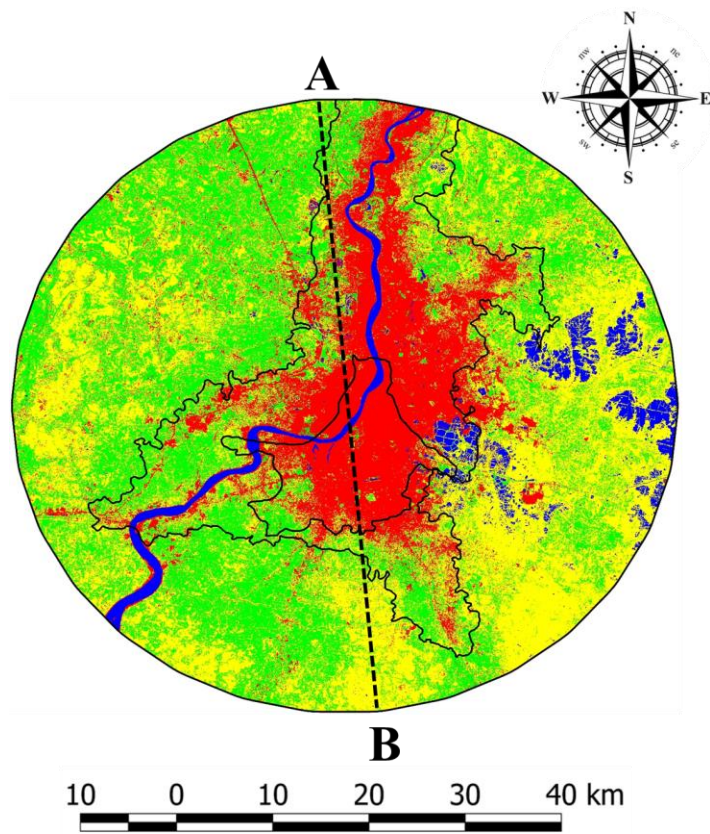


Results: Land surface temperature

Year	Land use class	Min. Temp. (°C)	Max. Temp. (°C)	Mean Temp. (°C)	Standard Deviation	Coefficient of variation (%)
2004	Urban	23.89	35.38	29.23	1.39	4.74
	Veg.	23.03	32.60	26.35	1.07	4.06
	Water	23.03	34.99	25.50	1.37	5.36
	Others	22.60	34.59	28.22	1.48	5.23
2009	Urban	22.17	43.41	31.91	2.27	7.12
	Veg.	23.03	37.72	27.37	1.79	6.54
	Water	21.73	40.40	25.67	2.25	8.77
	Others	23.03	40.78	30.56	2.17	7.10
2014	Urban	23.54	39.61	31.17	1.93	6.20
	Veg.	23.46	34.70	26.19	1.40	5.36
	Water	23.29	36.29	25.32	1.35	5.34
	Others	23.50	37.78	29.25	2.02	6.90
2019	Urban	25.79	40.24	31.53	1.46	4.63
	Veg.	26.42	35.99	29.43	0.73	2.50
	Water	25.87	34.43	27.20	0.80	2.95
	Others	24.35	36.18	29.44	0.98	3.32



Results: Temperature profile graph



Presence of urban and others category → higher temperature
Presence of water bodies and vegetation → lower temperature

Results: Regression Analysis

Equations obtained from test data

$$\text{LST(2004)} = 29.43 + 1.32 \cdot \text{NDBI(2004)} - 9.10 \cdot \text{NDVI(2004)} - 14.73 \cdot \text{MNDWI(2004)} + 10.48 \cdot \text{BSI(2004)}$$

$$\text{LST(2009)} = 31.92 + 3.69 \cdot \text{NDBI(2009)} - 11.21 \cdot \text{NDVI(2009)} - 16.96 \cdot \text{MNDWI(2009)} + 15.38 \cdot \text{BSI(2009)}$$

$$\text{LST(2014)} = 31.90 + 21.13 \cdot \text{NDBI(2014)} - 14.81 \cdot \text{NDVI(2014)} - 32.25 \cdot \text{MNDWI(2014)} + 30.82 \cdot \text{BSI(2014)}$$

$$\text{LST(2019)} = 32.07 + 9.39 \cdot \text{NDBI(2019)} - 7.19 \cdot \text{NDVI(2019)} - 24.46 \cdot \text{MNDWI(2019)} + 20.75 \cdot \text{BSI(2019)}$$

Model estimated vs calculated

LST	Error parameters	
	MAE	MPE
2004	0.86	3.10%
2009	1.23	4.14%
2014	1.02	3.50%
2019	0.78	2.61%

Predicted using regression equation

LST	Using equation of	Error parameters	
		MAE	MPE
2009	2004	2.16	6.99%
2014	2009	1.74	6.23%
2019	2014	1.92	6.43%

The equation obtained for 2019 can be used to predict LST for 2024

MAE: Mean Absolute Error

MPE: Mean Percentage Error

Conclusion

- There exist a **relationship** between **LULC** changes and climate change in terms of **LST**
- LULC dynamics demonstrated rapid change in **core** as well as **buffer** area
- Urban area has increased by **74.75%** during the study period
- City experienced growth in **center, south-west, north-east and east** direction
- Major concentration → **Banamalipur, Newtown, Rajarhat, Andul and Howrah**
- Quantification of LST illustrated a rise in mean LST by **2°C**
- **Urban** area and **others** category shows **high** surface temperature while **vegetation** shows **moderate** and **water body** shows **minimum**
- **Water body** and **vegetation** helps in regulating the **microclimate**
- **Regression analysis** was tested and validated to **forecast Land Surface Temperature**
- It was observed that **linear regression** is providing **promising** relationship for forecasting LST
- Whole analysis was performed using **free and open source software**
- Formulation of strict policies → **Sustainable development**

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And time is running out to deal with
climate change

Thank you!!!