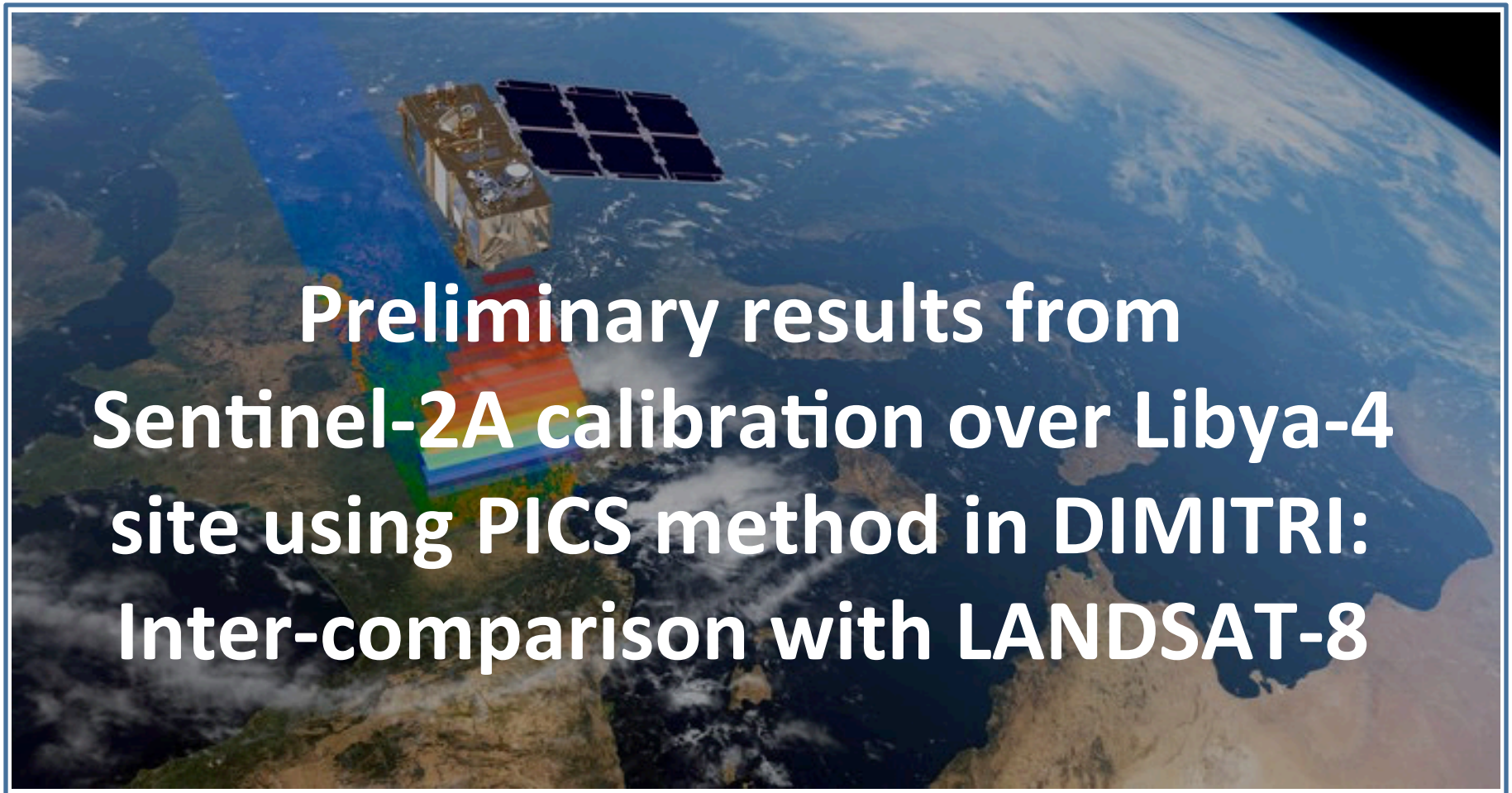

Preliminary results from Sentinel-2A calibration over Libya-4 site using PICS method in DIMITRI: Inter-comparison with LANDSAT-8

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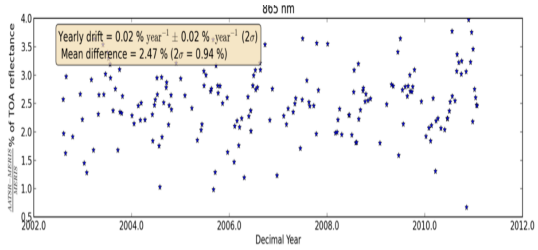

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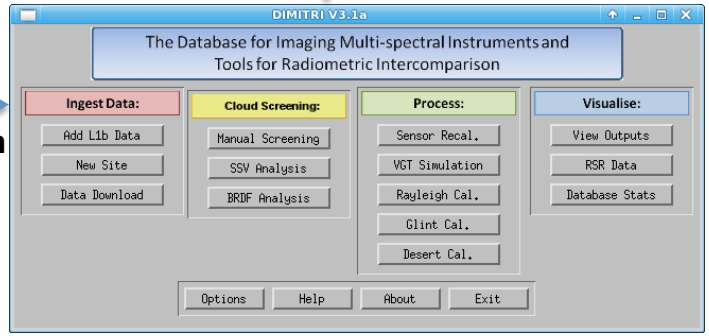

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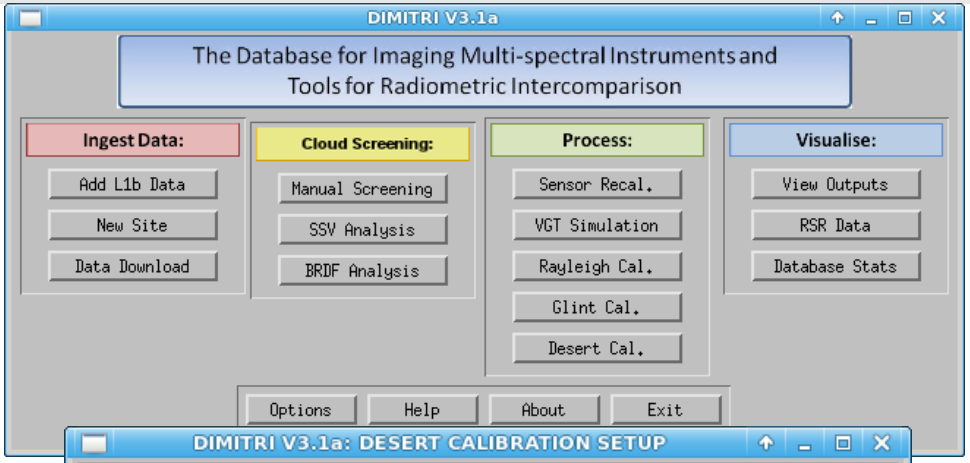

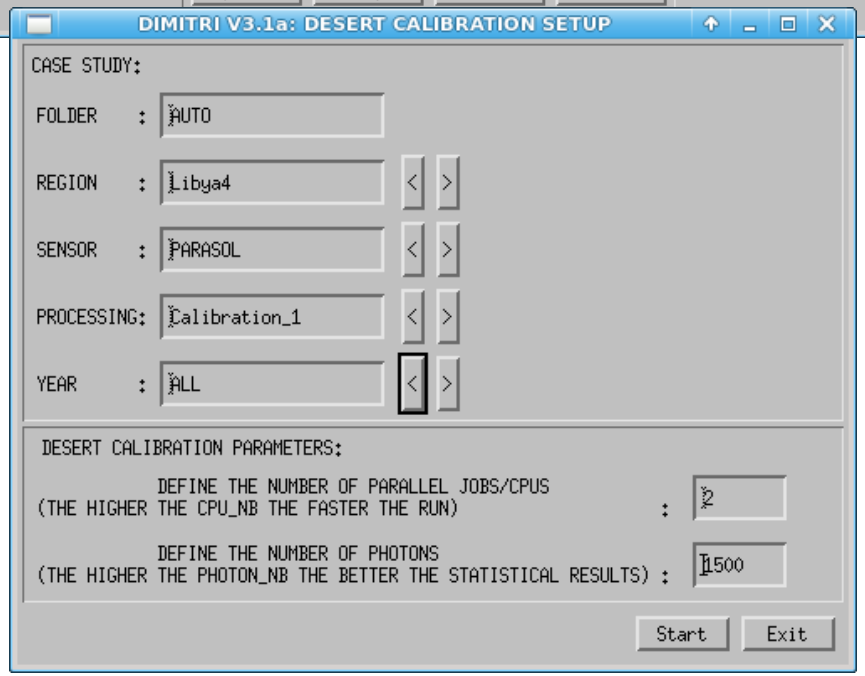

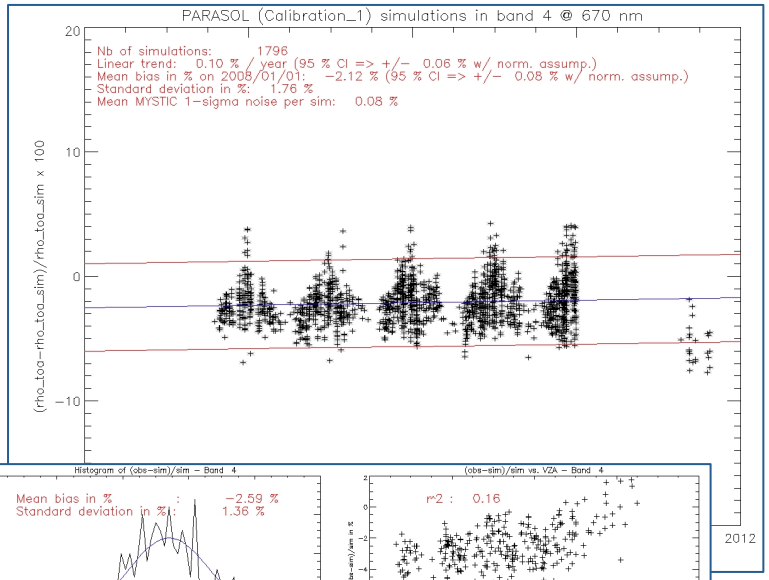

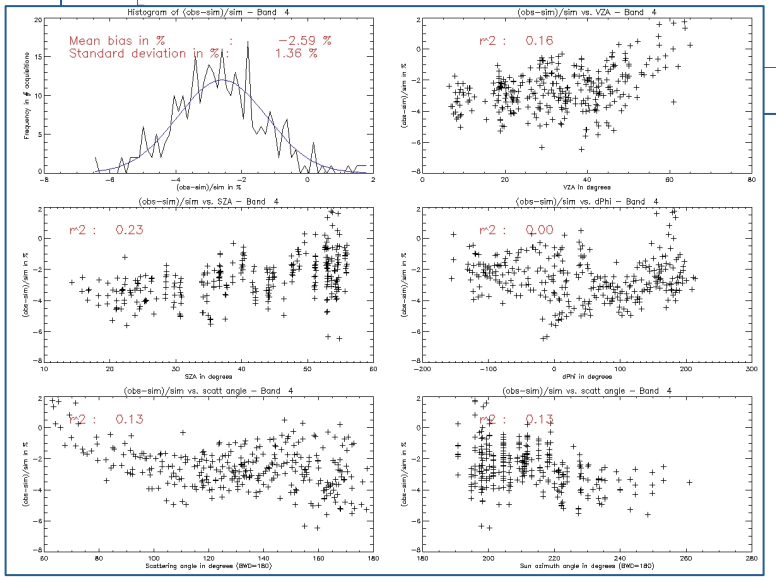

S2A/MSI over Libya-4

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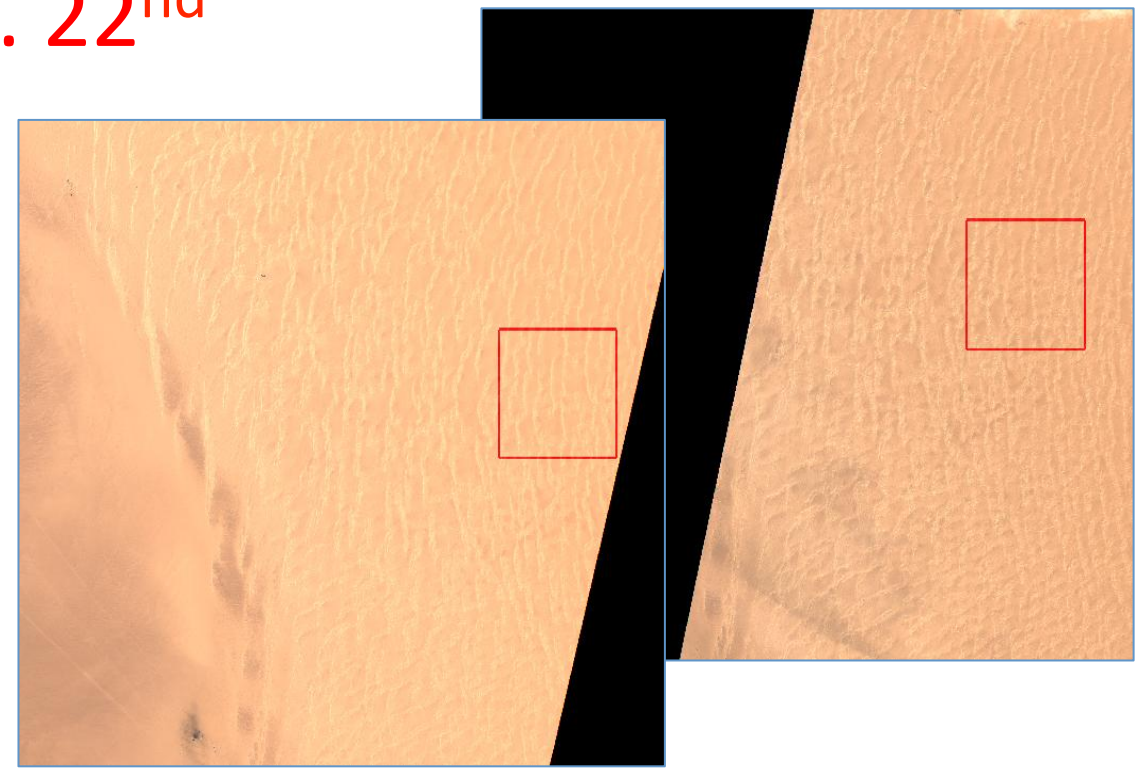

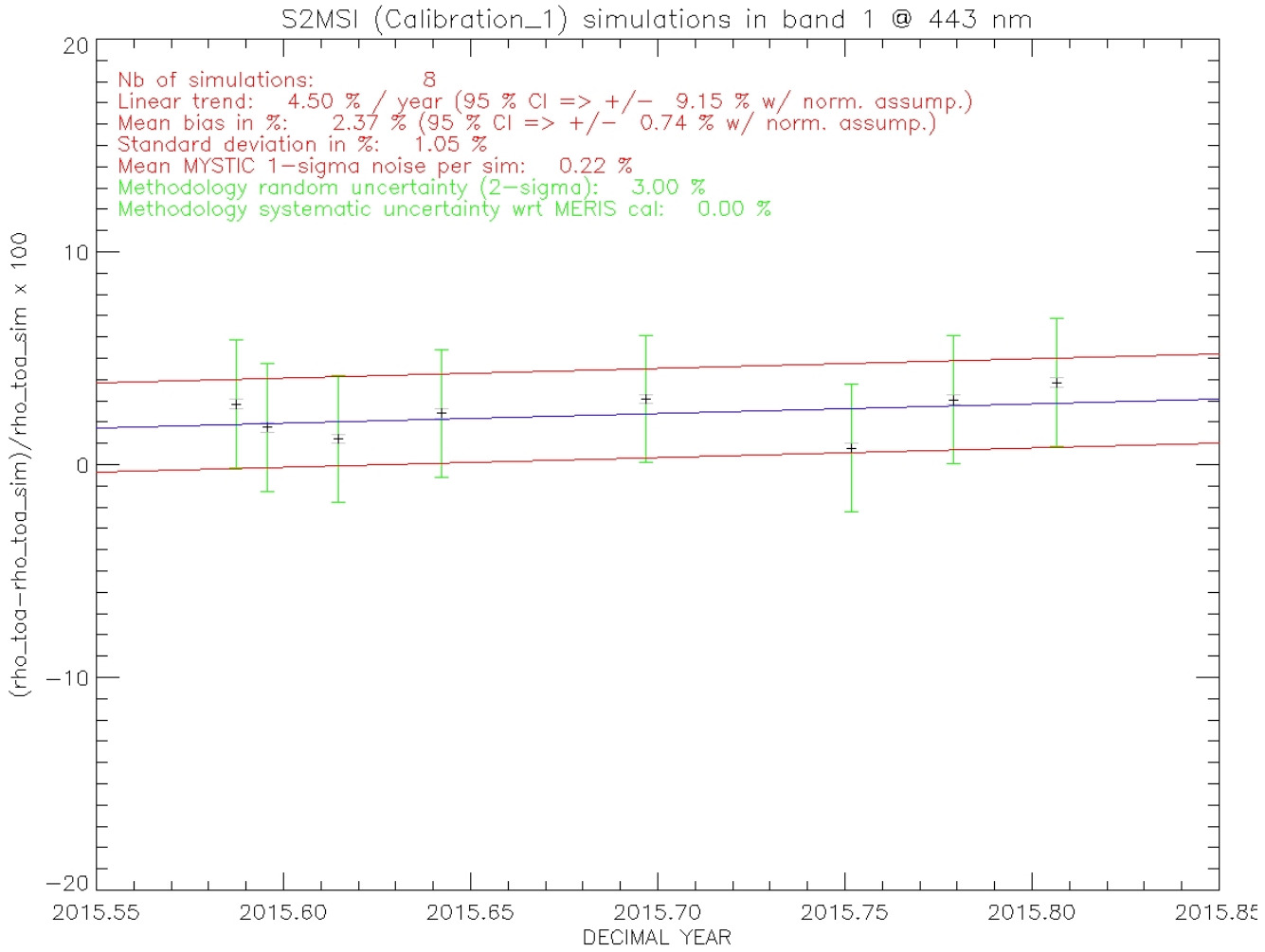
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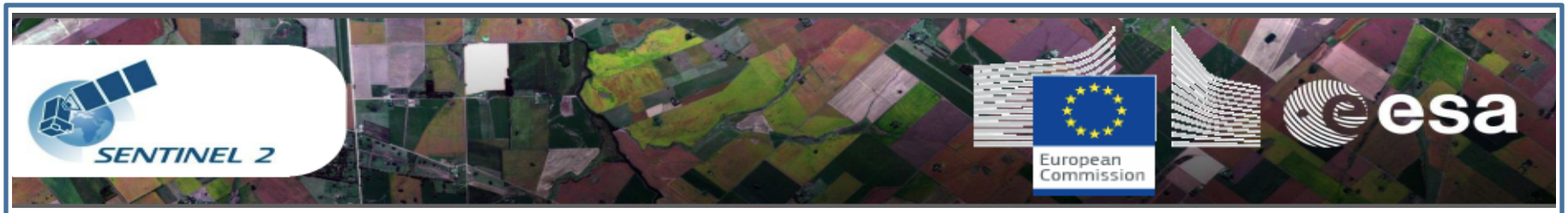
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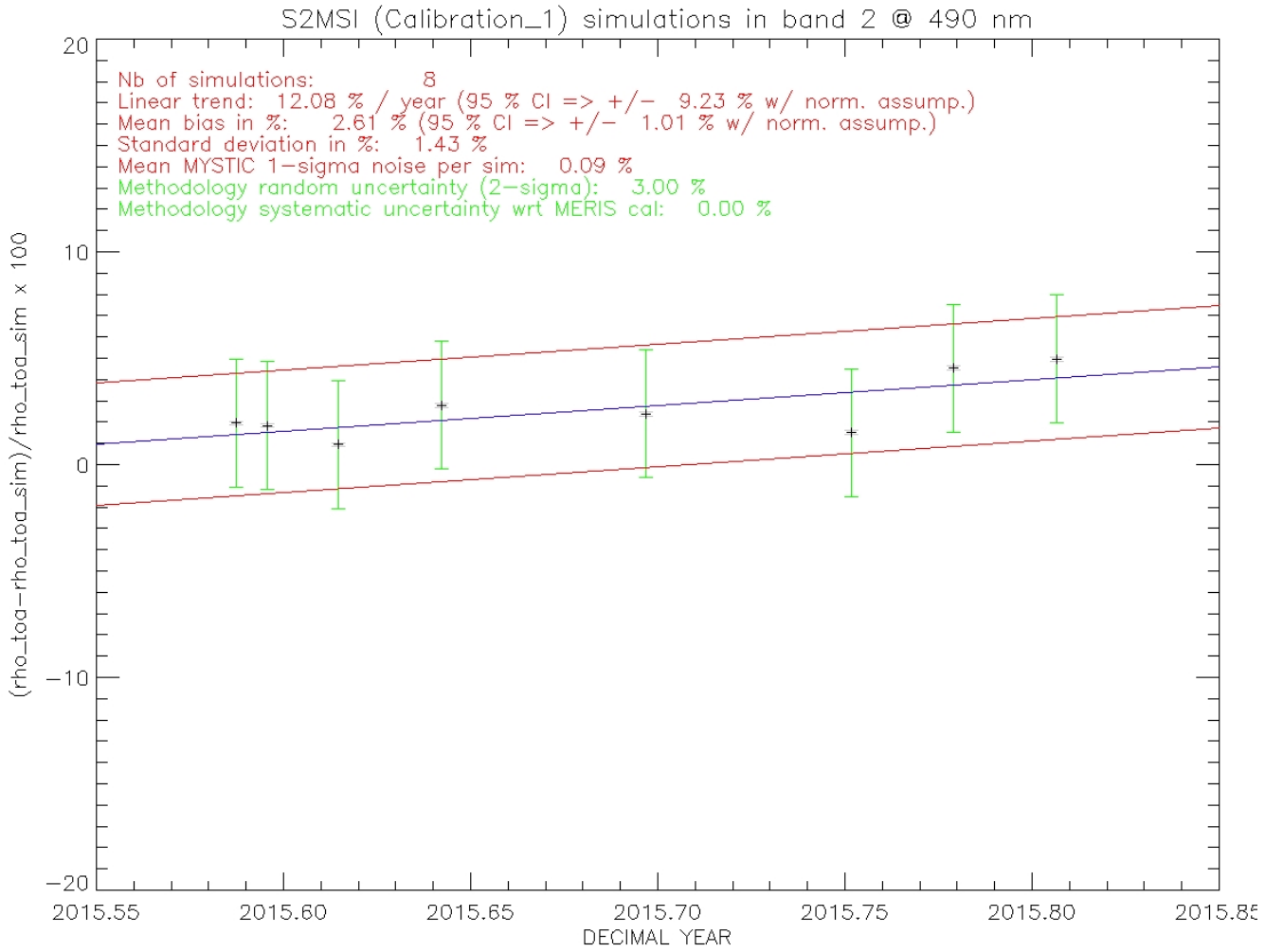
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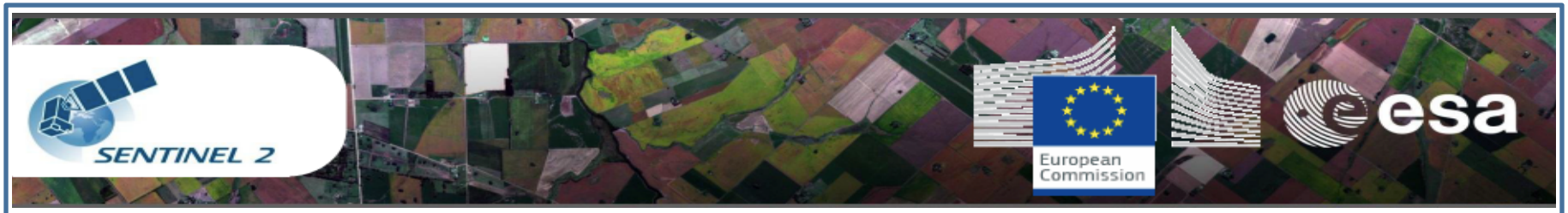
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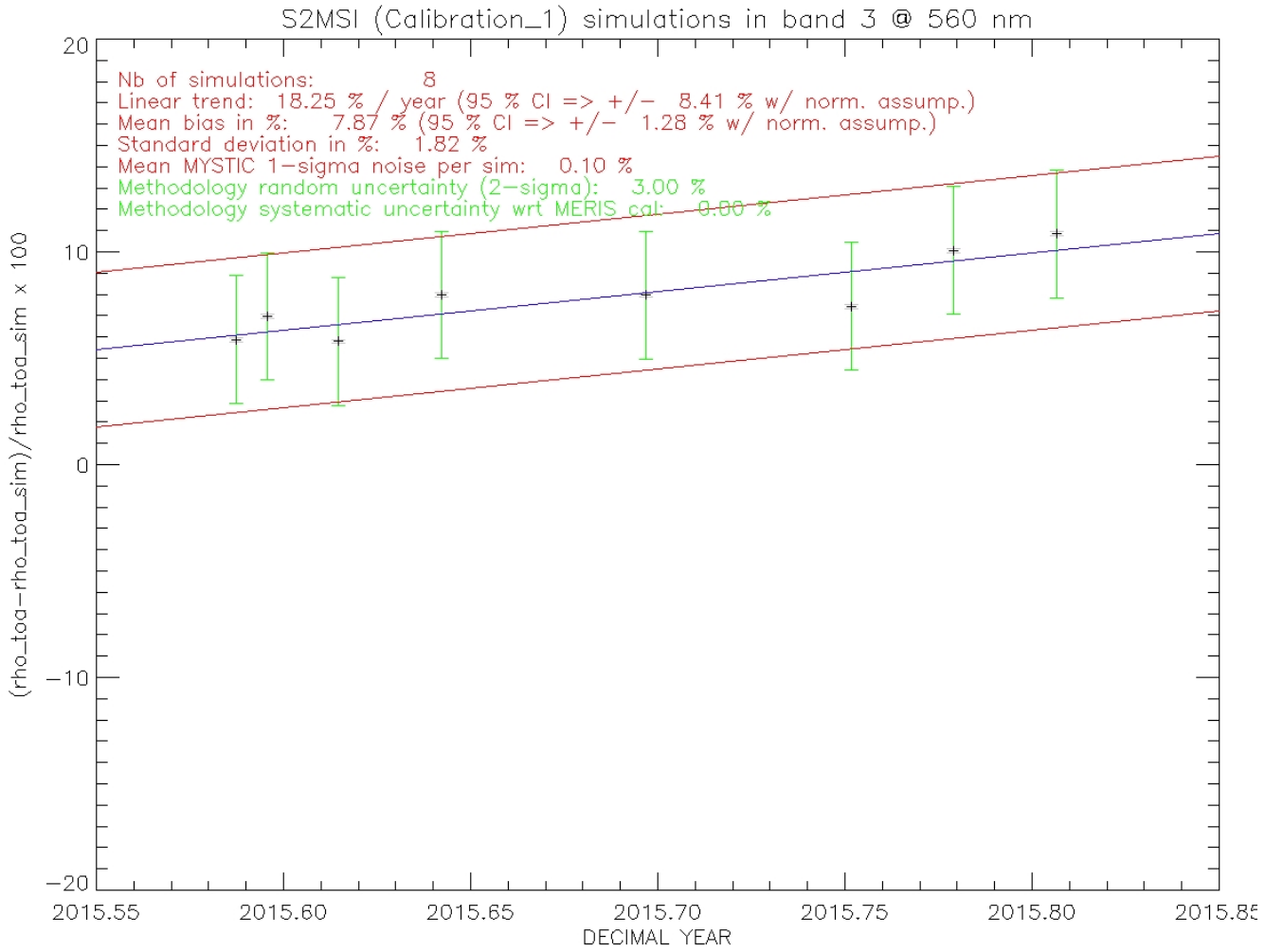
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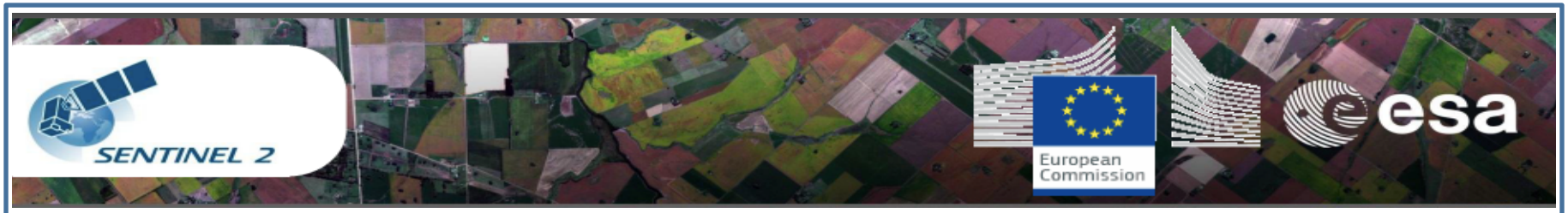
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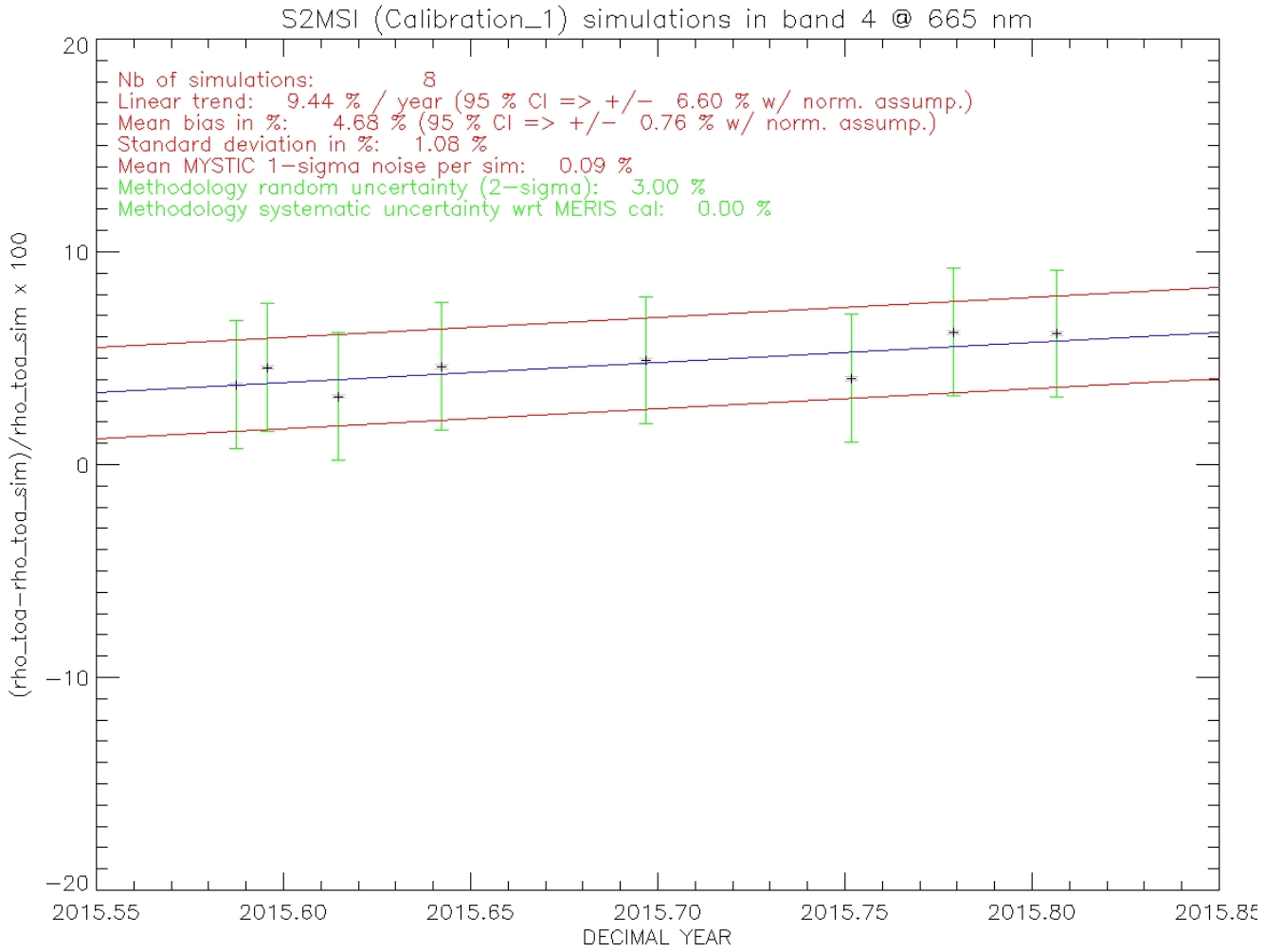
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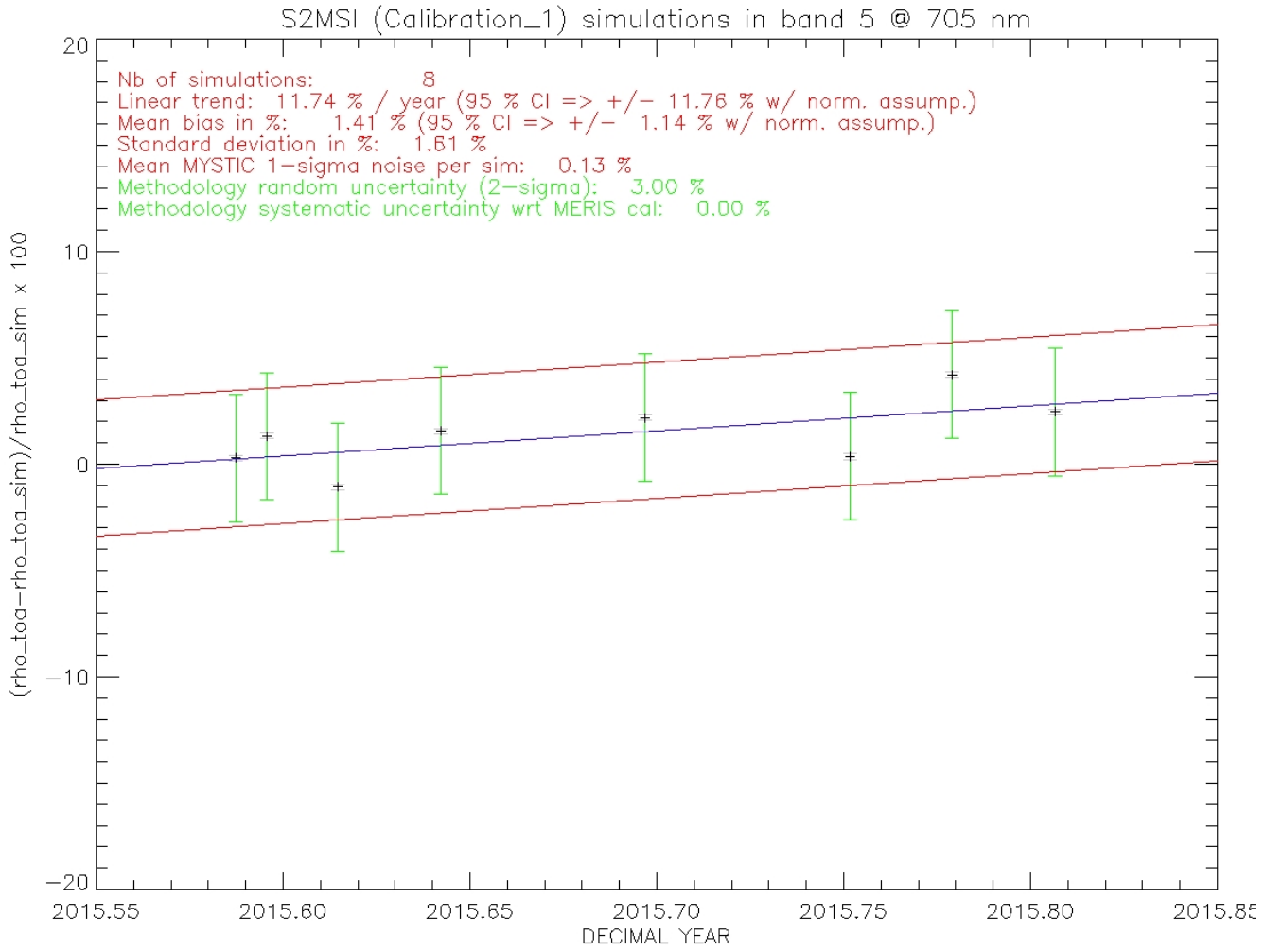
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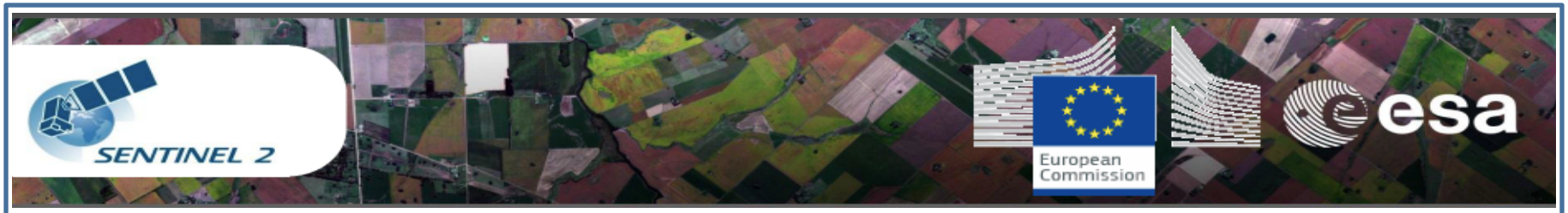
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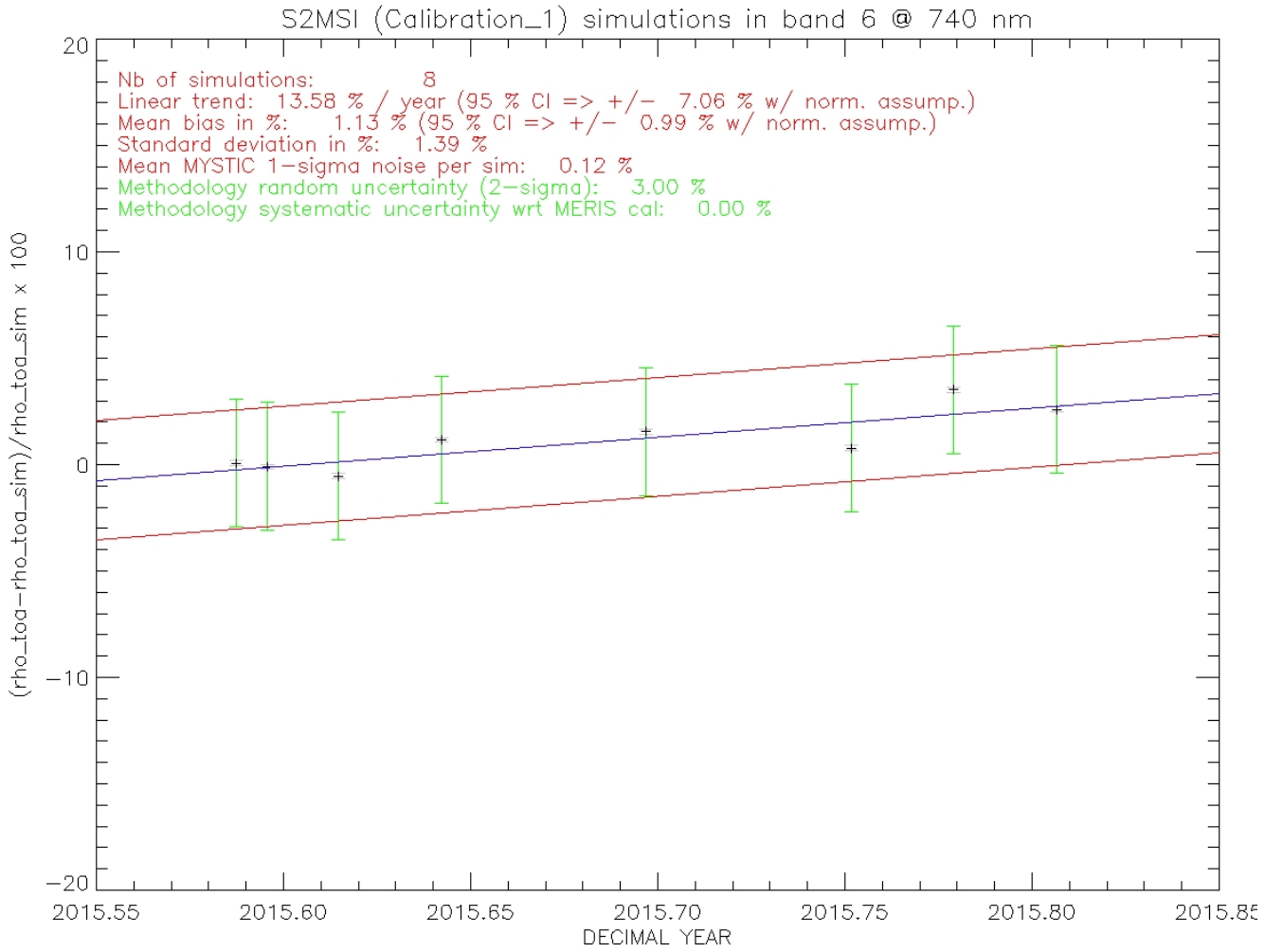
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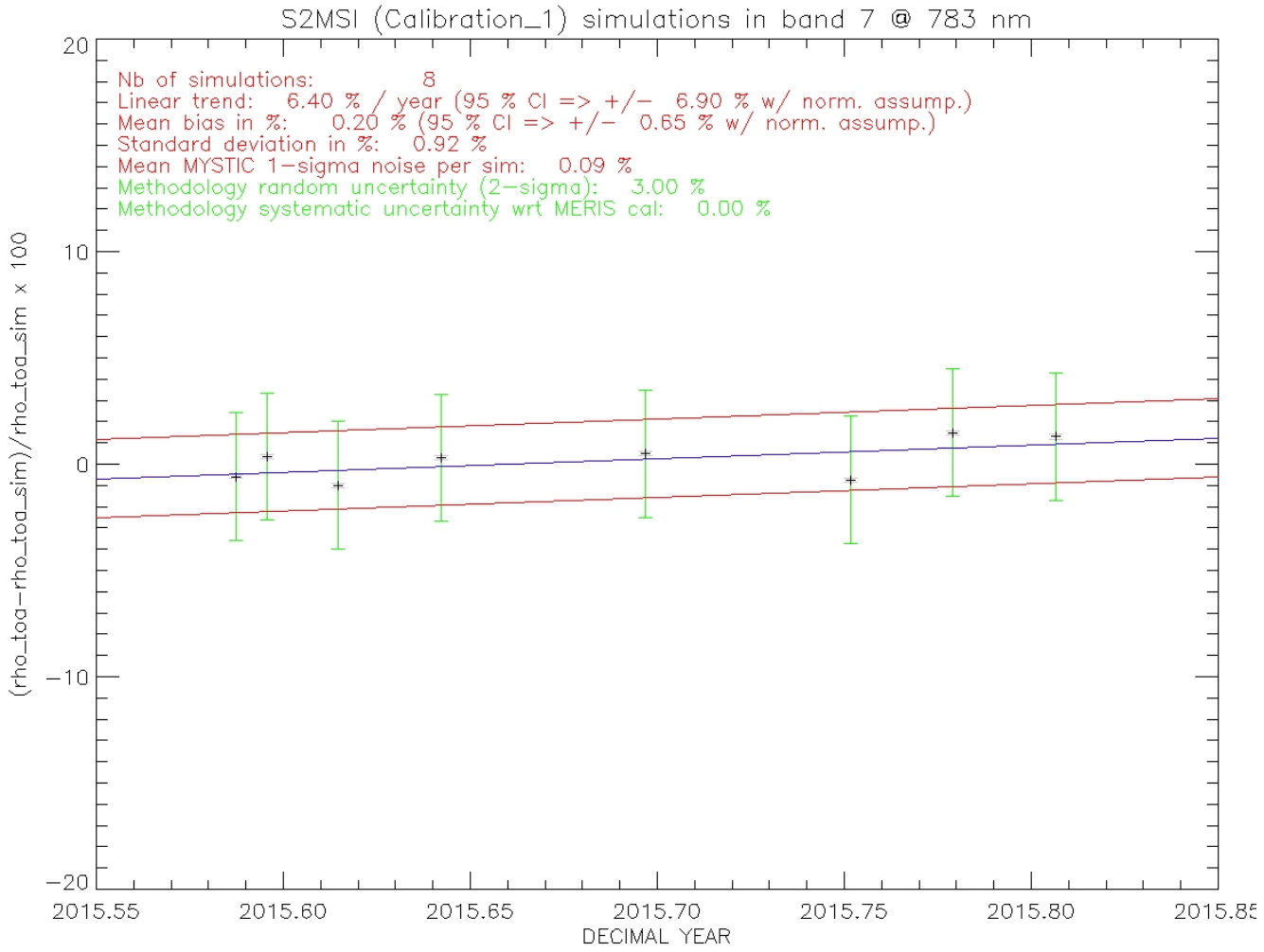
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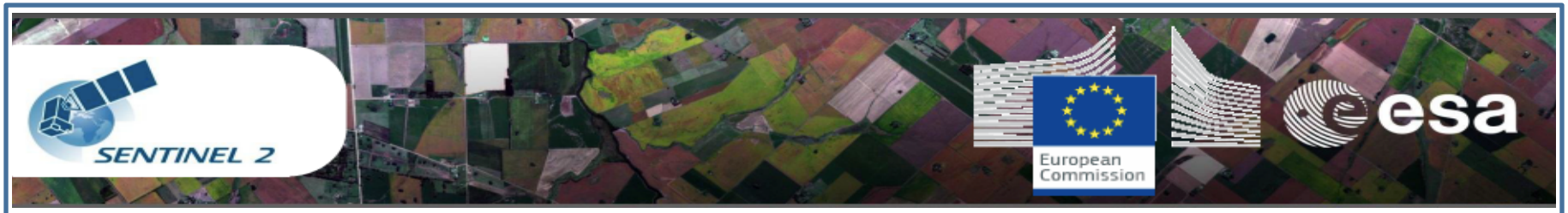
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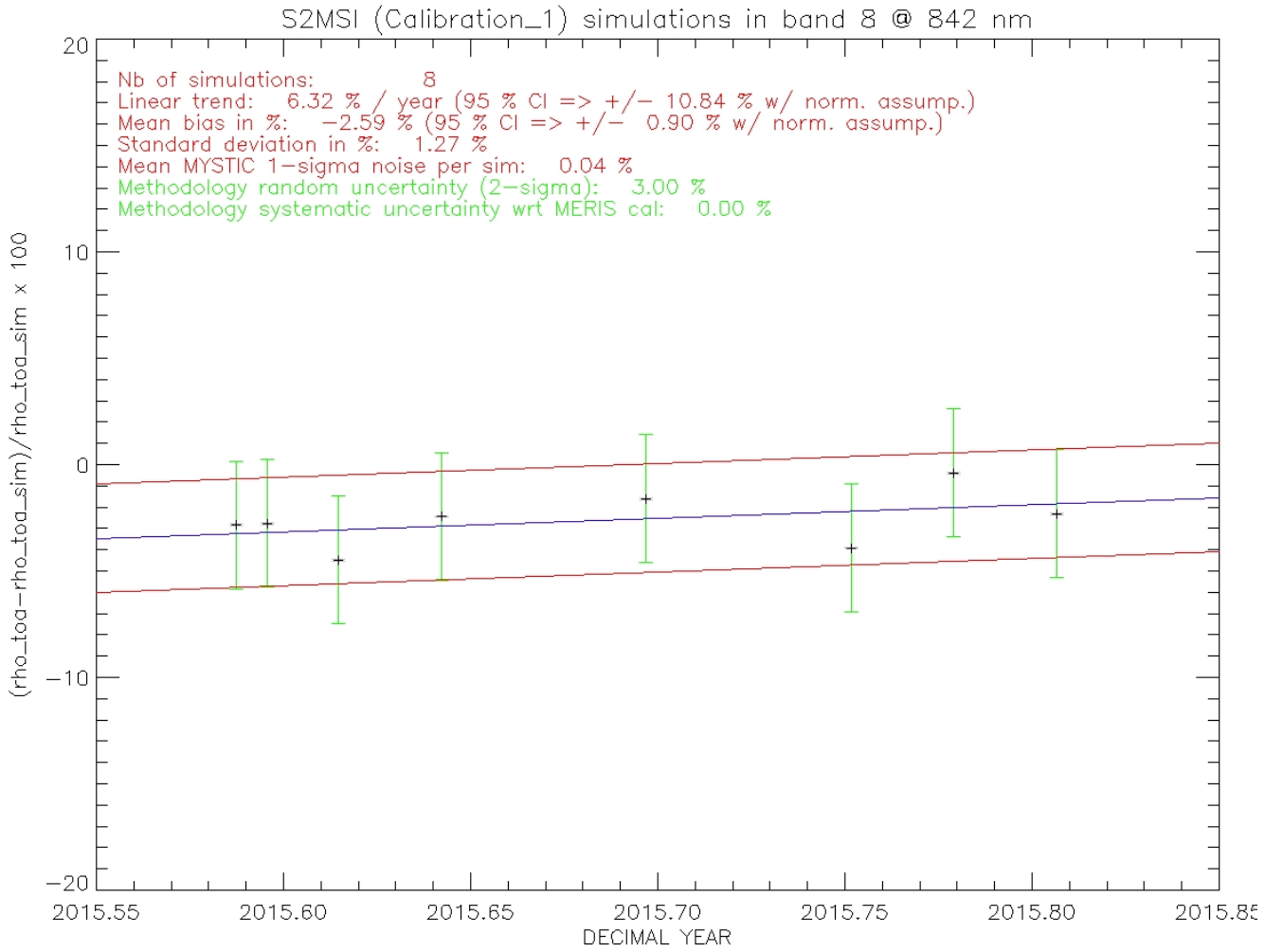
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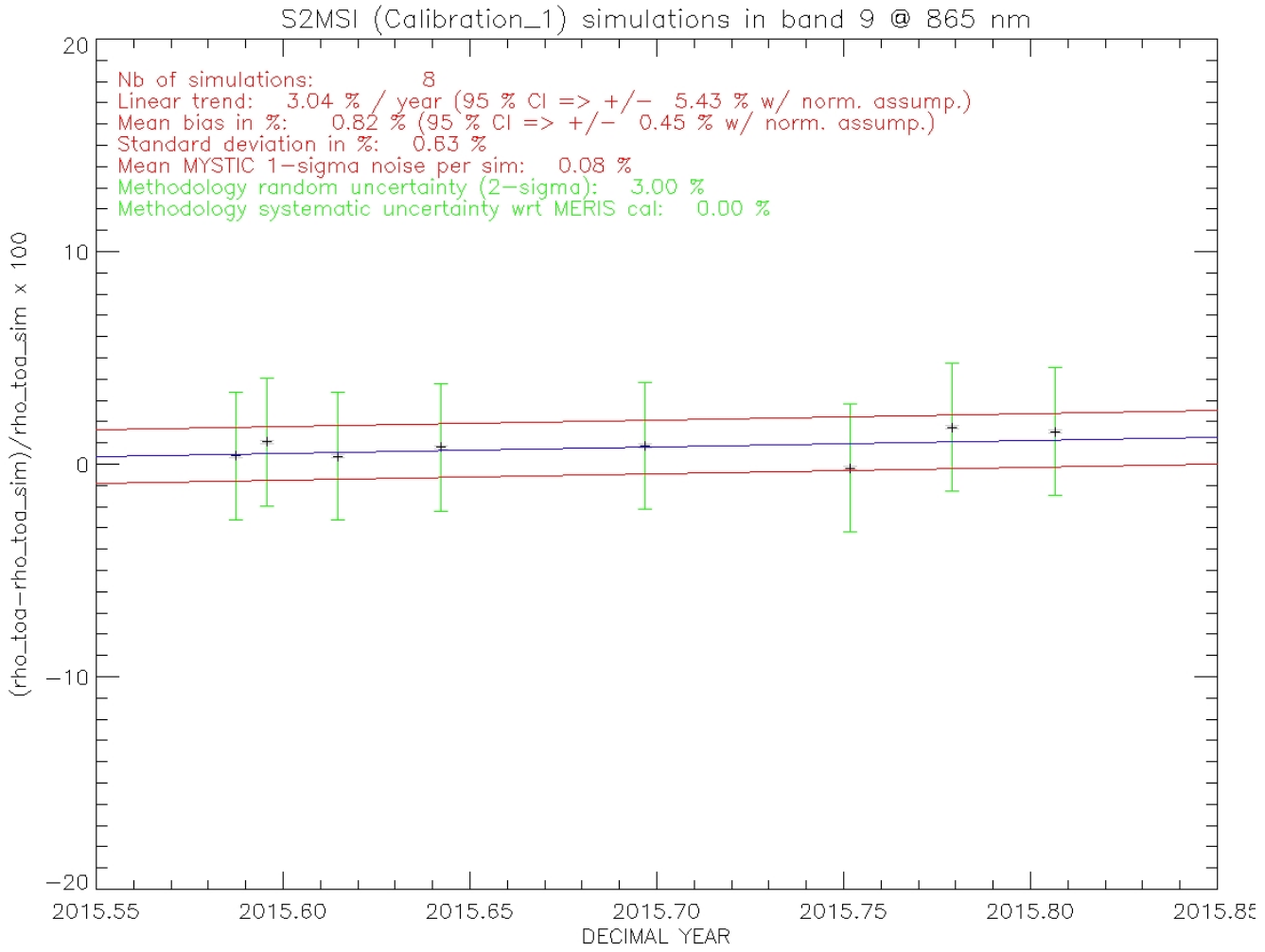
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Mean Bias S2A/MSI over Libya-4

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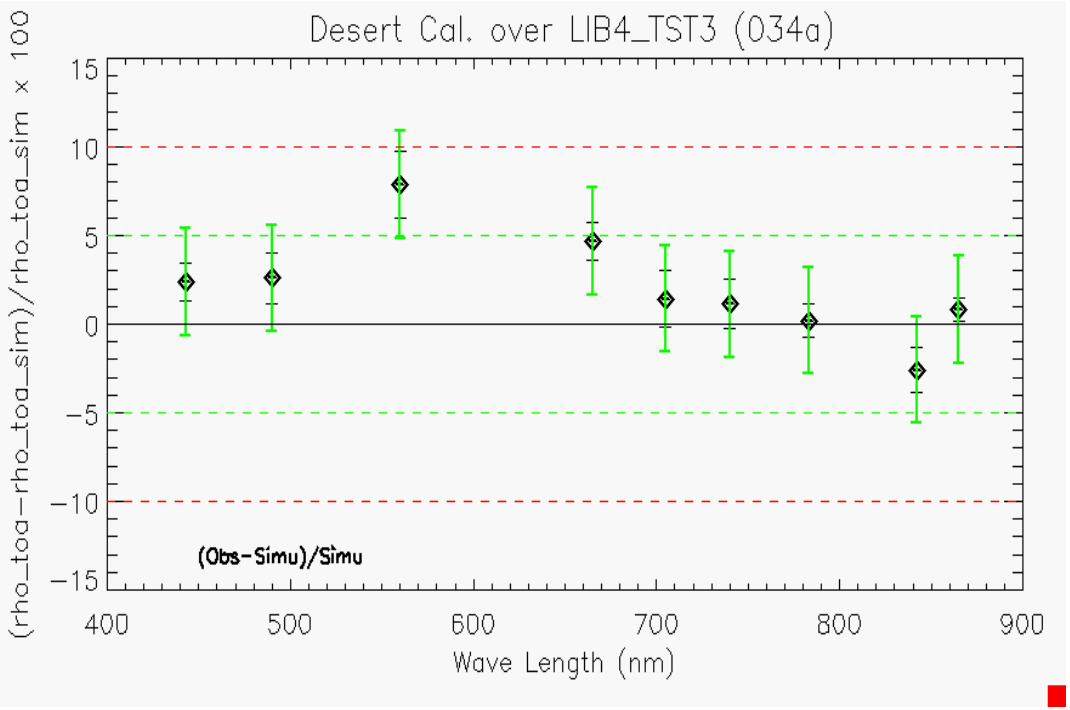
S2A MSI	Wave length (nm)	Trend (%)	Mean bias (%)	STDV (%)
B01	443	+4.5	+2.37	1.05
B02	490	+12.8	+2.61	1.43
B03	560	+18.25	**+7.87**	1.87
B04	665	+9.44	+4.68	1.08
B05	705	+11.74	+1.41	1.61
B06	740	+13.58	+1.13	1.39
B07	783	+6.40	+0.20	0.92
B08	842	+6.32	-2.59	1.27
B8A	865	+3.04	+0.82	0.63



S2A vs. LS8
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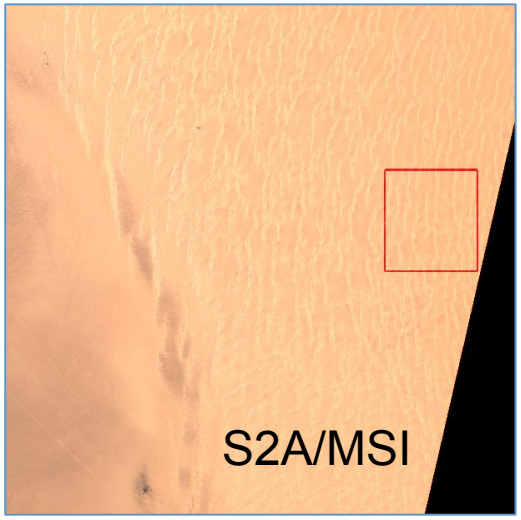

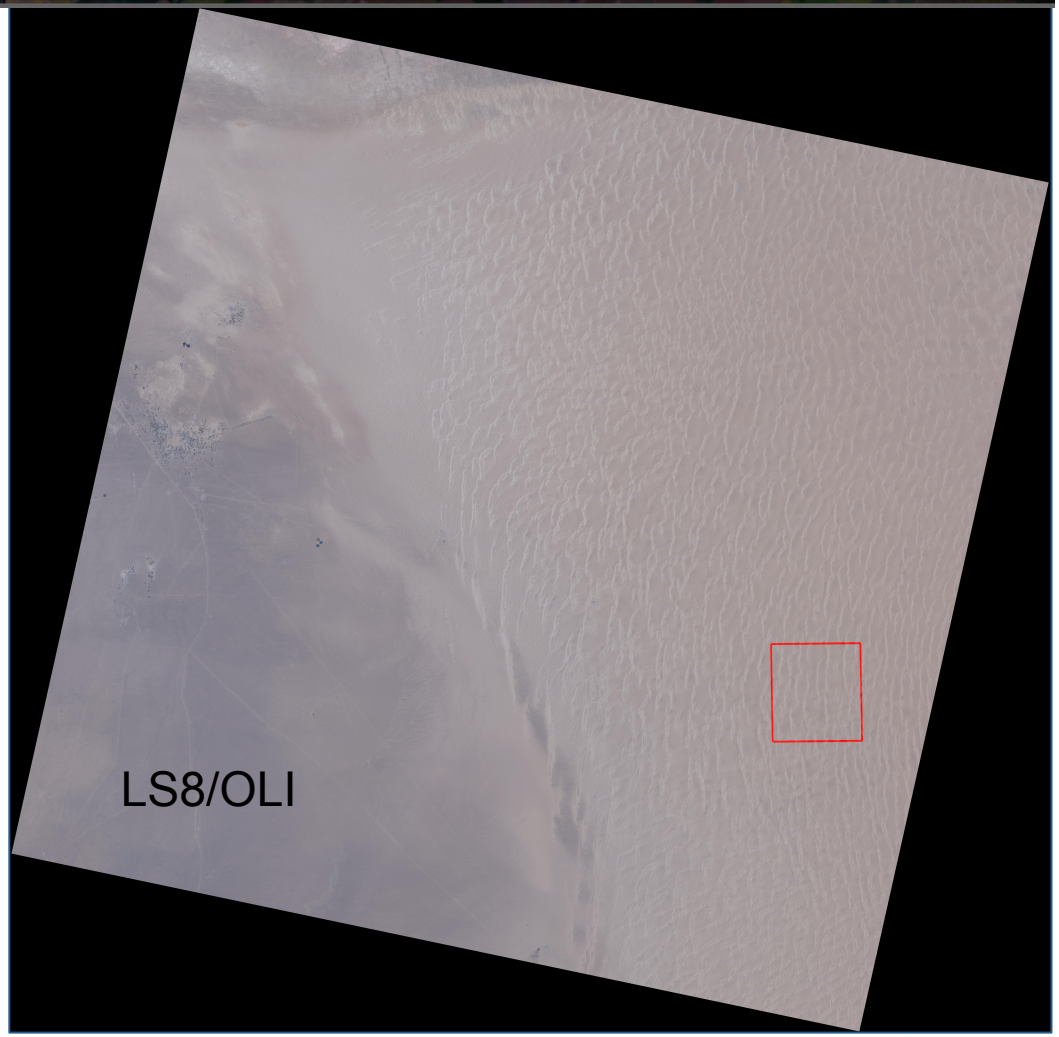

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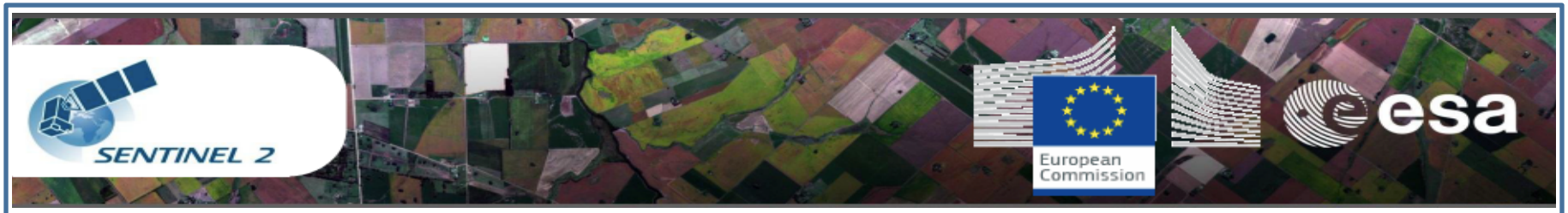

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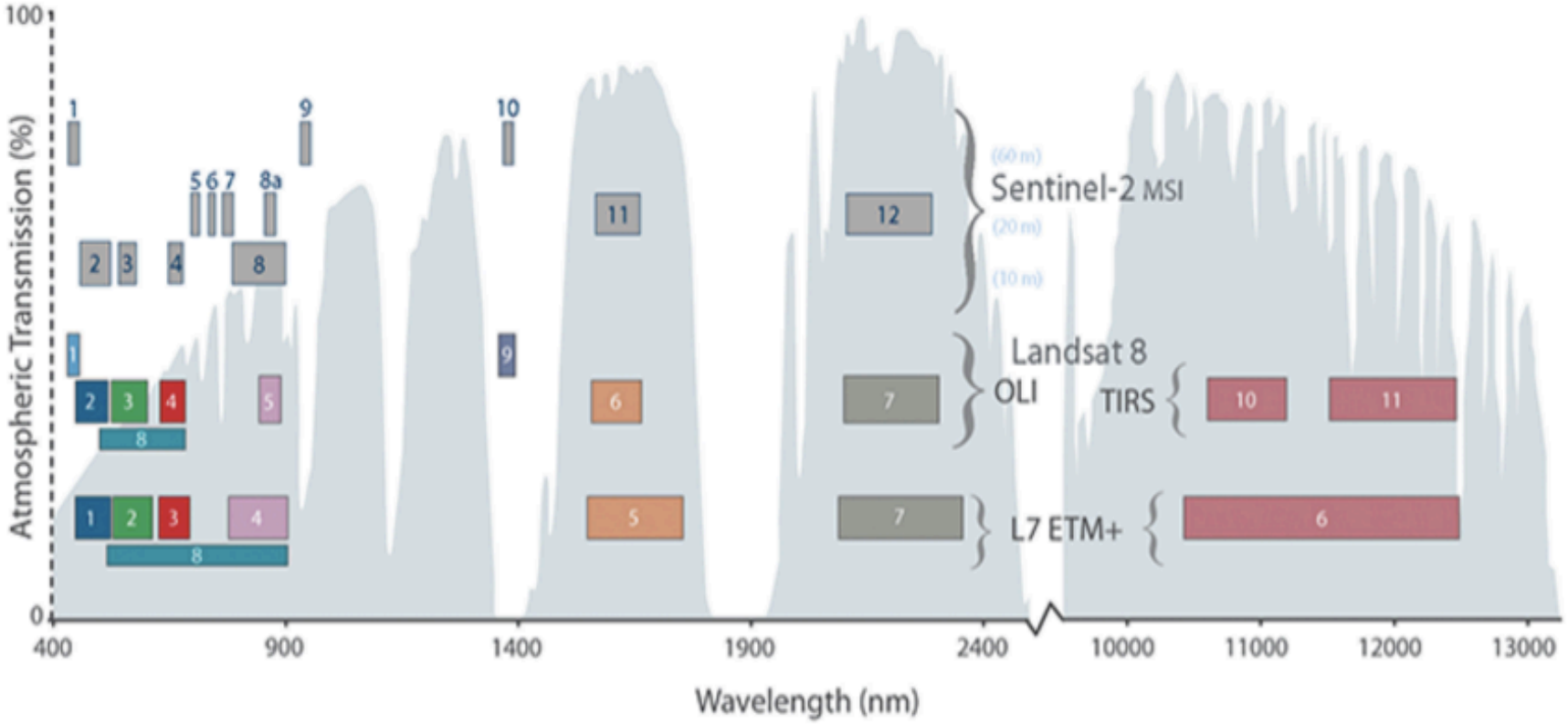

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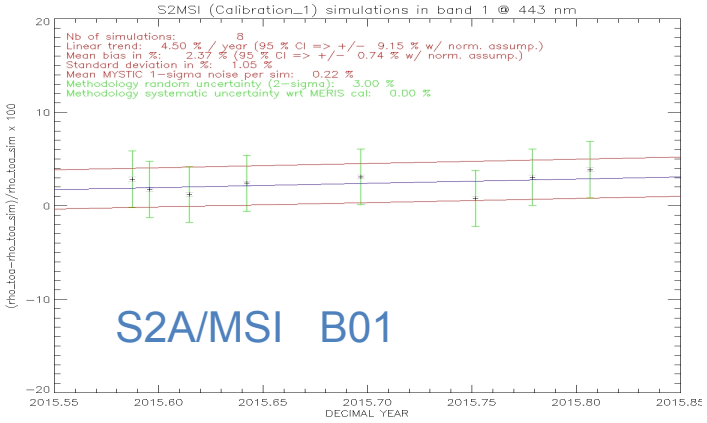
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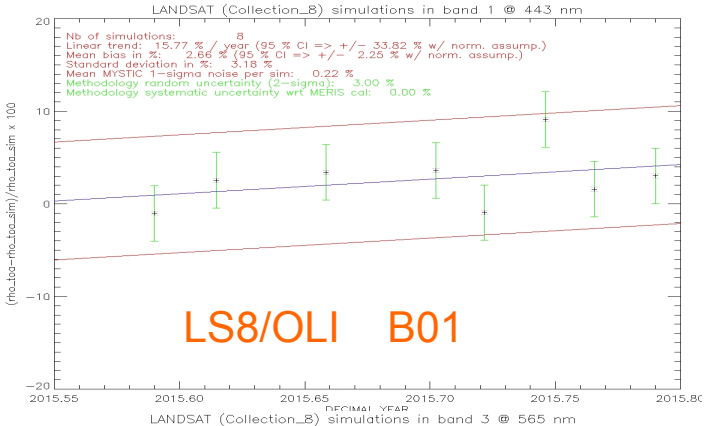
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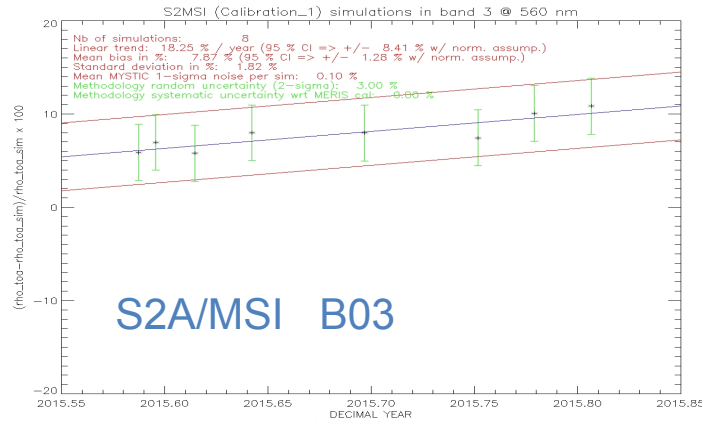
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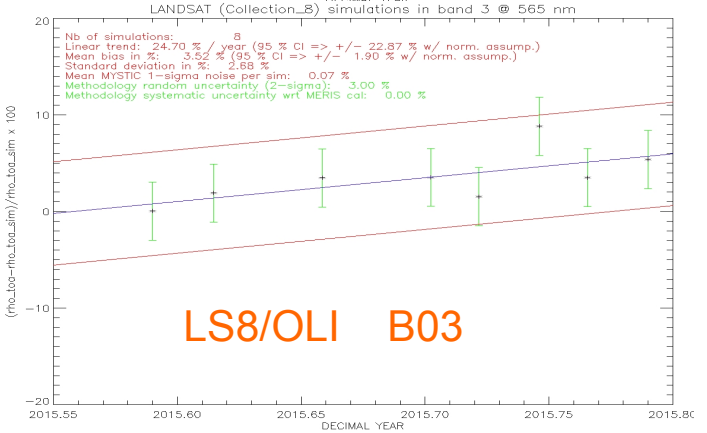
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Standard deviation in %: 2.68 %
Mean MYSTIC 1-sigma noise per sim: 0.07 %
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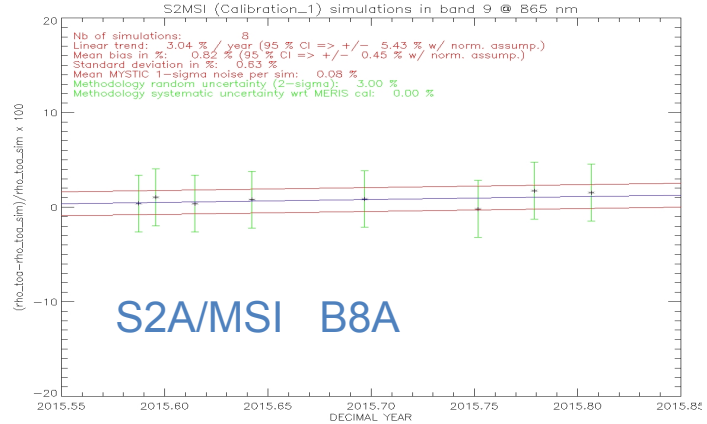
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Linear trend: 3.04 % / year (95 % CI => +/- 5.43 % w/ norm. assump.)
Mean bias in %: 0.82 % (95 % CI => +/- 0.45 % w/ norm. assump.)
Standard deviation in %: 0.63 %
Mean MYSTIC 1-sigma noise per sim: 0.08 %
Methodology random uncertainty (2-sigma): 3.00 %
Methodology systematic uncertainty wrt MERIS cal: 0.00 %
(rho_toa-rho_toa_sim)/rho_toa_sim x 100
DECIMAL YEAR
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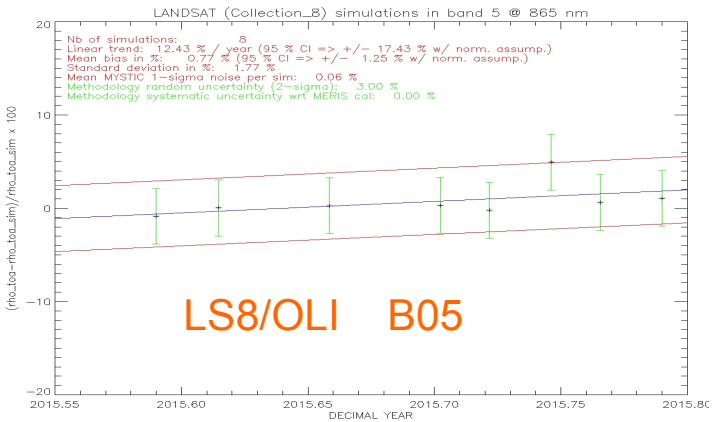
LANDSAT (Collection_8) simulations in band 5 @ 865 nm
Nb of simulations: 8
Linear trend: 12.43 % / year (95 % CI => +/- 17.43 % w/ norm. assump.)
Mean bias in %: 0.77 % (95 % CI => +/- 1.25 % w/ norm. assump.)
Standard deviation in %: 1.77 %
Mean MYSTIC 1-sigma noise per sim: 0.06 %
Methodology random uncertainty (2-sigma): 3.00 %
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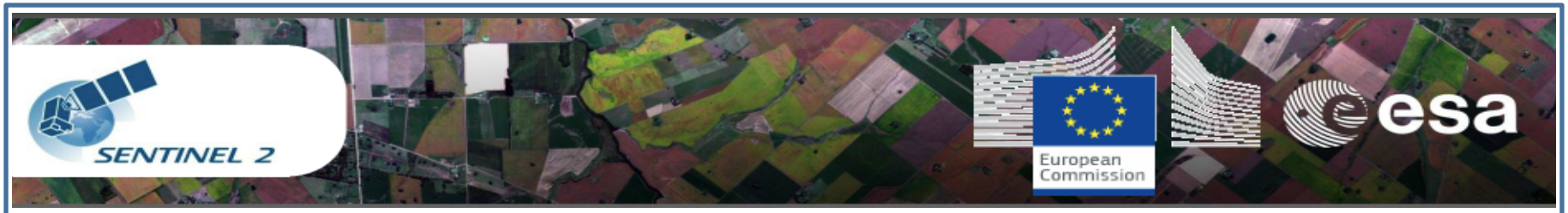

S2A/MSI & LS8/OLI over Libya-4 Aug. 2nd – Oct. 22nd

S2A MSI	Wave length (nm)	Trend (%)	Mean bias (%)	STDV (%)
B01	443	+4.5	+2.37	1.05
B02	490	+12.8	+2.61	1.43
B03	560	+18.25	**+7.87**	1.87
B04	665	+9.44	+4.68	1.08
B05	705	+11.74	+1.41	1.61
B06	740	+13.58	+1.13	1.39
B07	783	+6.40	+0.20	0.92
B08	842	+6.32	-2.59	1.27
B8A	865	+3.04	+0.82	0.63

LS8 OLI	Wave length (nm)	Trend (%)	Mean bias (%)	STDV (%)
B01	443	+15.77	+2.66	3.18
B02	483	+21.25	+5.28	3.34
B03	565	+24.70	+3.52	2.68
B04	665	+19.99	+1.79	2.14
NA				
B08	590	+22.57	+3.19	2.45
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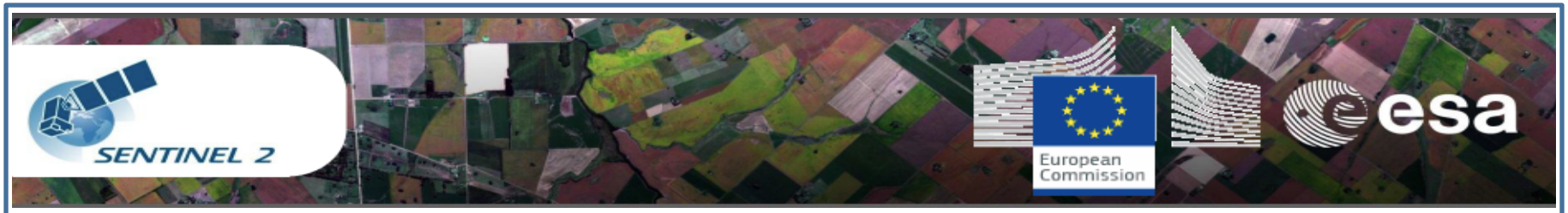
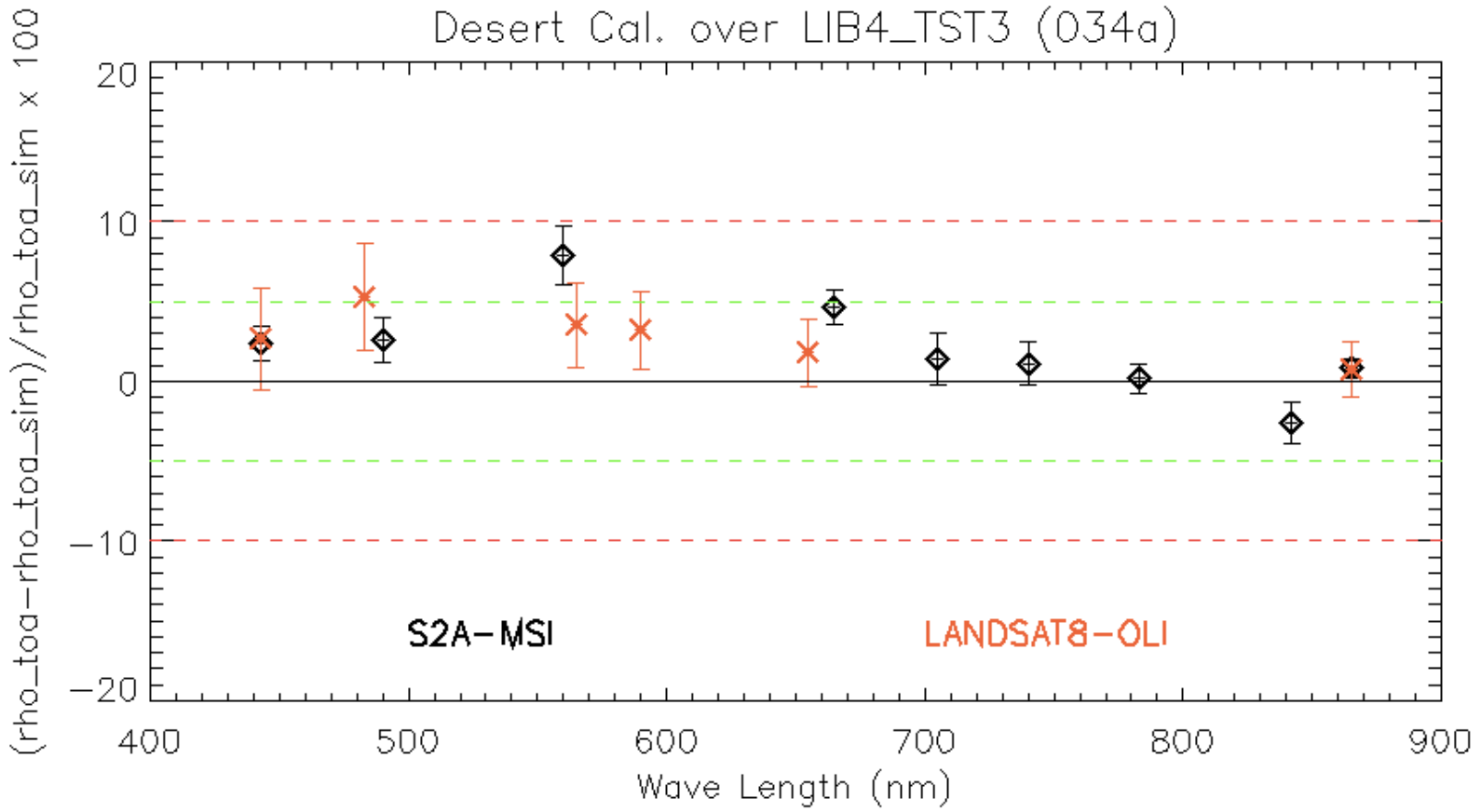
NA				
B05	865	+3.04	+0.82	0.63



Mean bias S2A/MSI & LS8/OLI over Libya-4



Relative difference S2A/MSI & LS8/OLI over Libya-4

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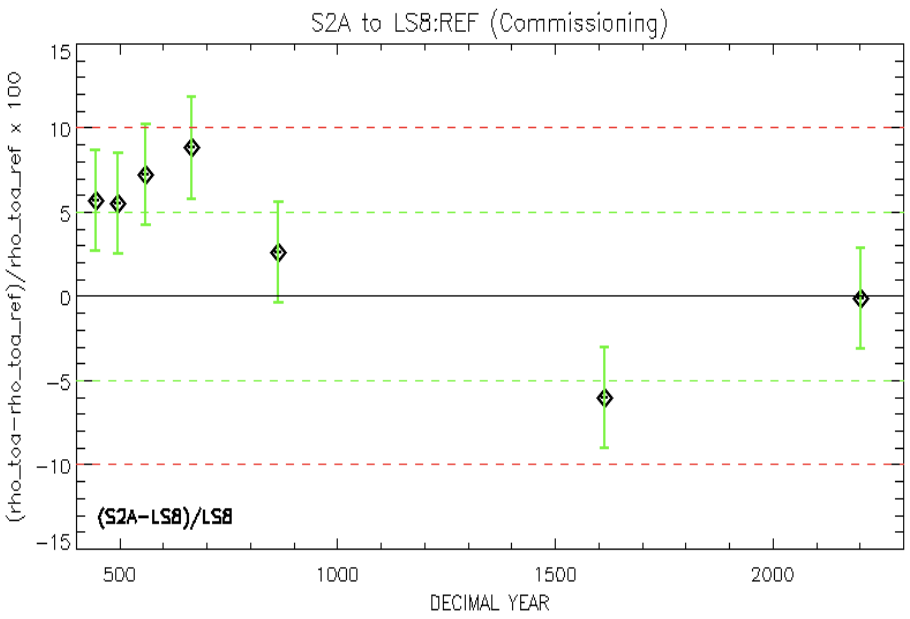

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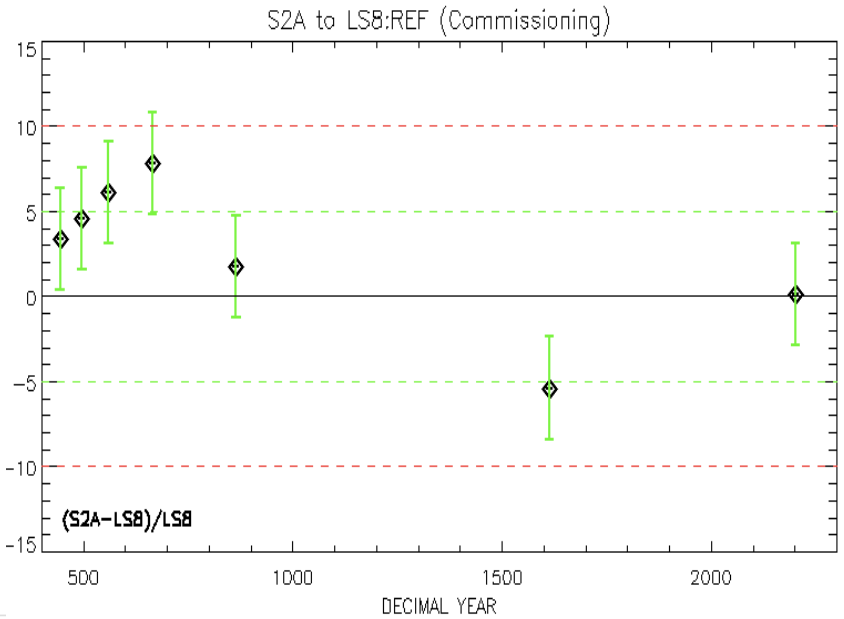
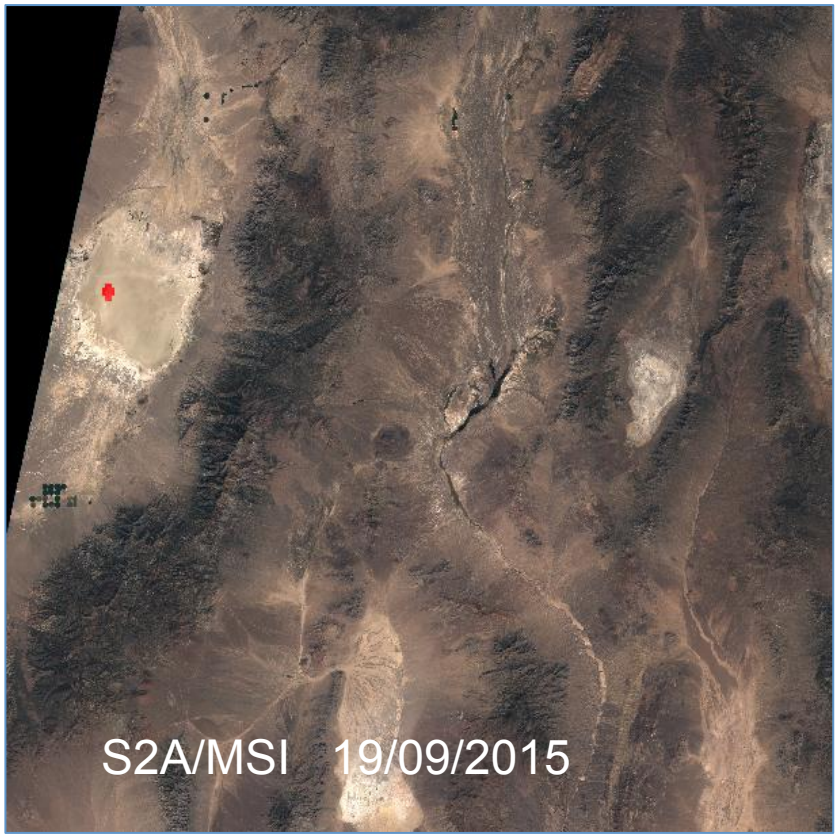
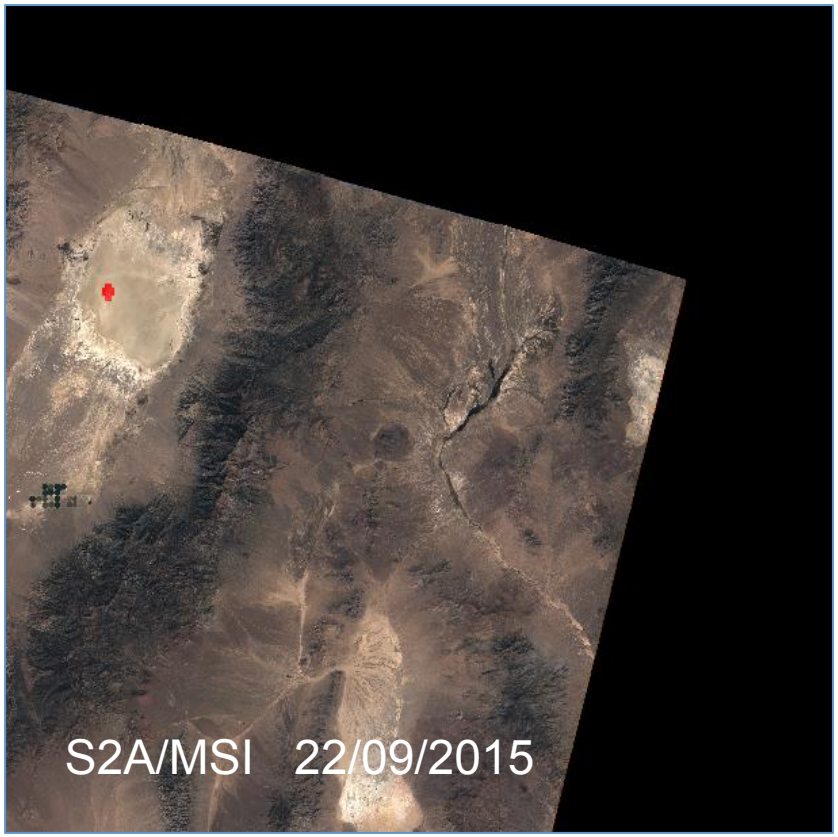


S2A vs. In-Situ over Railroad Valley





Relative difference S2A/MSI & In-situ over RRV

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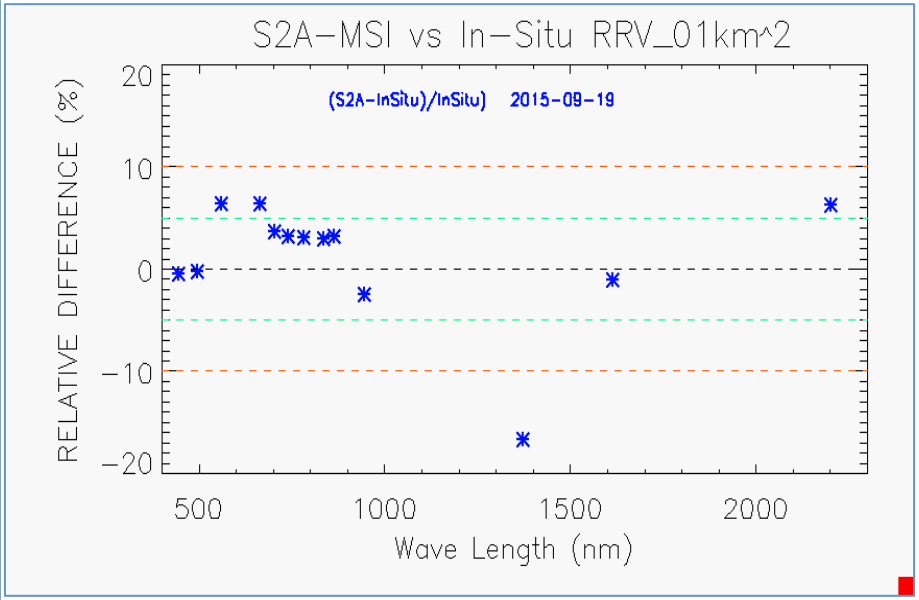

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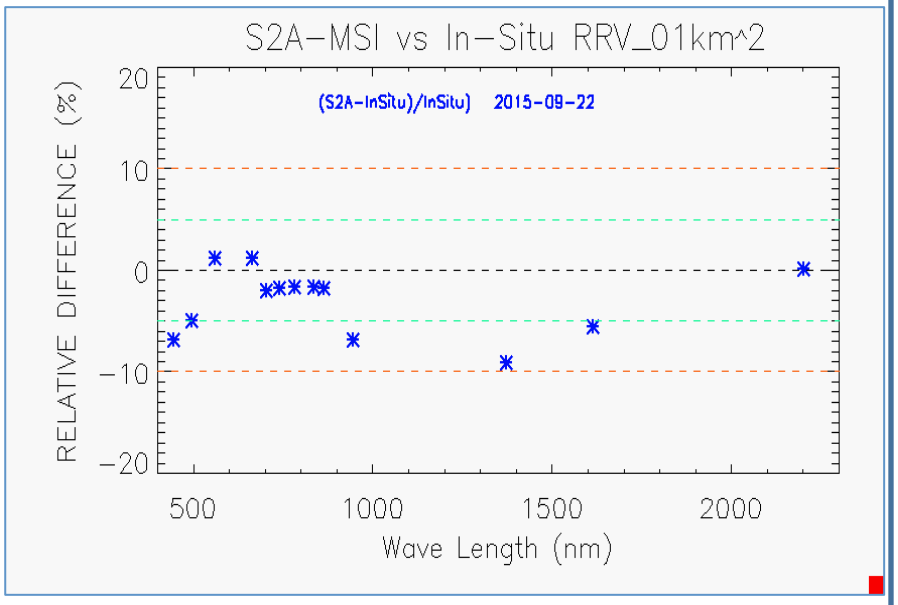

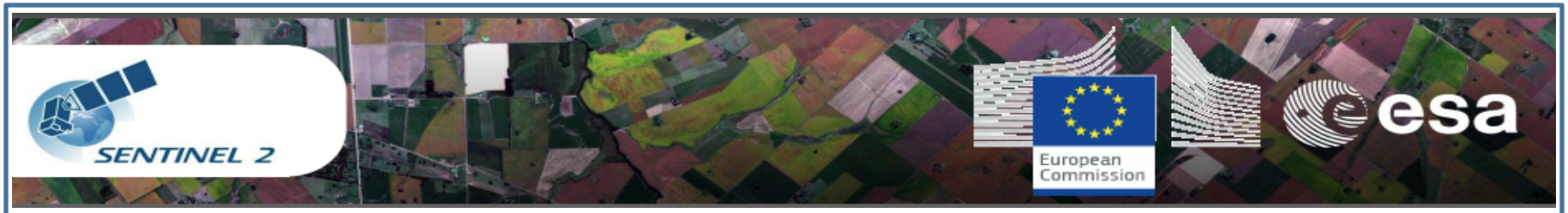

Remarks and future work

✧ These are a preliminary results.

✧ Keep in mind the temporal difference of the acquisitions for the inter-comparison.

✧ S2A/MSI performing well

✧Error budget to be done

Thanks for your attention,