OKI LAB.

Global Monitoring for Ecology and Environment, and its applications



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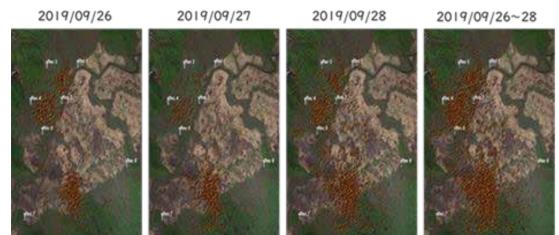
In Oki lab, by using wide-area environmental monitoring & remote sensing techniques, we capture and improve current situations of water, food & energy.

Development on methods for estimating population size of deer

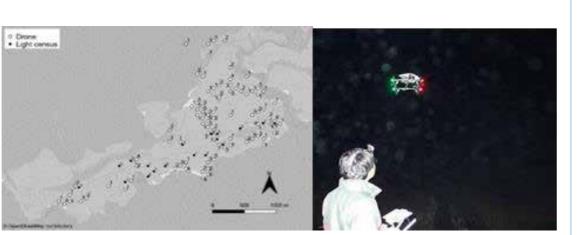
Deer are currently being caught both inside and outside the Oze wetland area, but the number of catches required to reduce vegetation damage in Oze has not yet been established. There is need for a new density survey method that can determine population size in places that are difficult for people to enter, such as Oze.



Deer in Oze



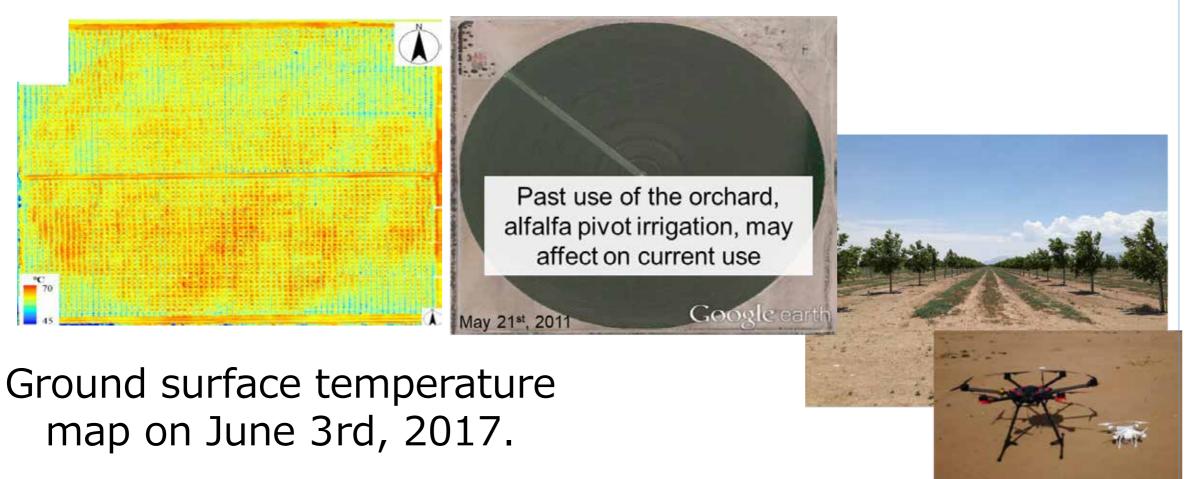
Visualization of deer cry position using multiple microphones



Estimation of deer population by night drone observation

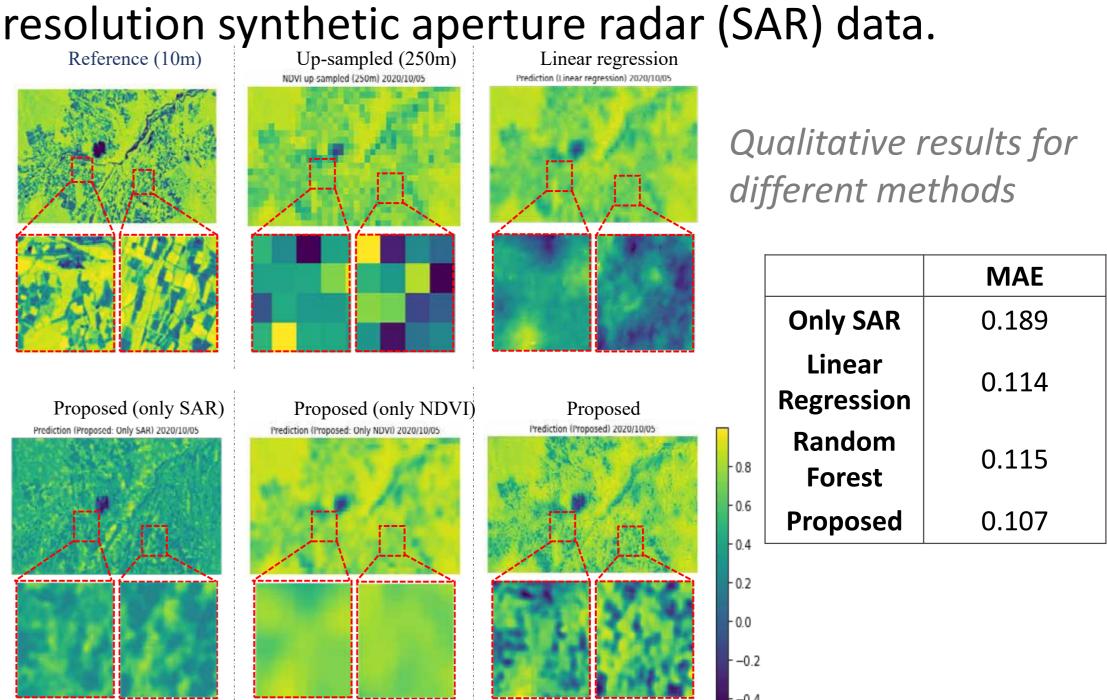
Discovery of a mysterious circle in a pecan orchard with UAV

In this study, we established consecutive monitoring methods using UAV in pecan orchards of 64 ha each, in Arizona, USA. Using established continuous monitoring methods, the UAV images of a three-year-old pecan orchard showed circular traces of alfalfa cultivation prior to installation of pivot irrigation that was previously not observed.



Downscaling of MODIS NDVI by Using a Convolutional Neural Network-Based Model

This research produce 10-m resolution NDVI in high temporal resolution from MODIS 250-m NDVI by using Convolutional Neural Network-Based Model with higher resolution synthetic aperture radar (SAR) data.



Geostationary Optical Earth Observation Satellite

In collaboration with JAXA, we have studied on the research on new observation results that can be expected for on-demand constant observation on a ground surface resolution scale of about 10m, which has never been observed before, and the status of key technical research to realize this system.

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Cloudless mosaic image

Cloudless mosaic image is created by combining multiple images (original image).

This mosaic image was combined six images taken within about a minute each other.