

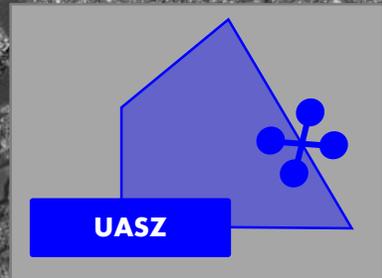
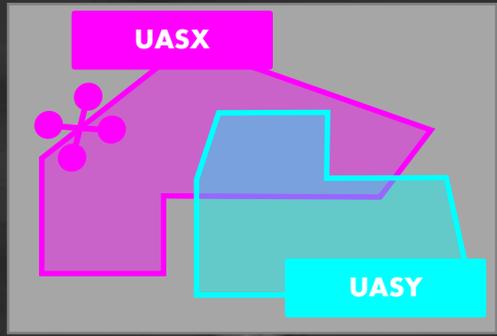
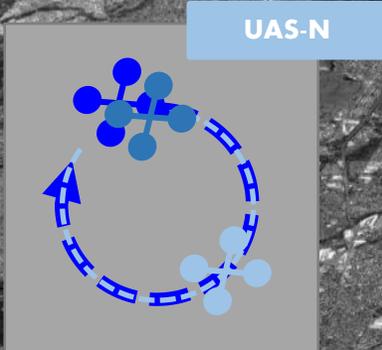
# Geofencing and Volumetric Separation Concepts

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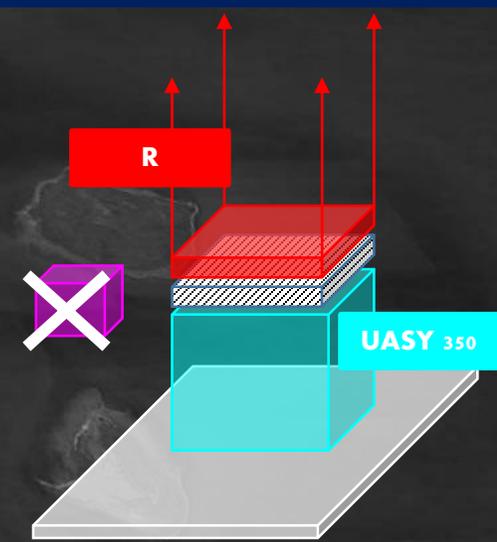
What is the actual air risk of operating here?  
How high is "high"?



Requires Separation  
Manned-**Unmanned**  
**Unmanned**-Unmanned

# Motivation and Overview

- Qualitative, Rule-based
- Single Operations
- Semi-automated Approval and Allocation
- Limited Operational Options
- Static Allocation

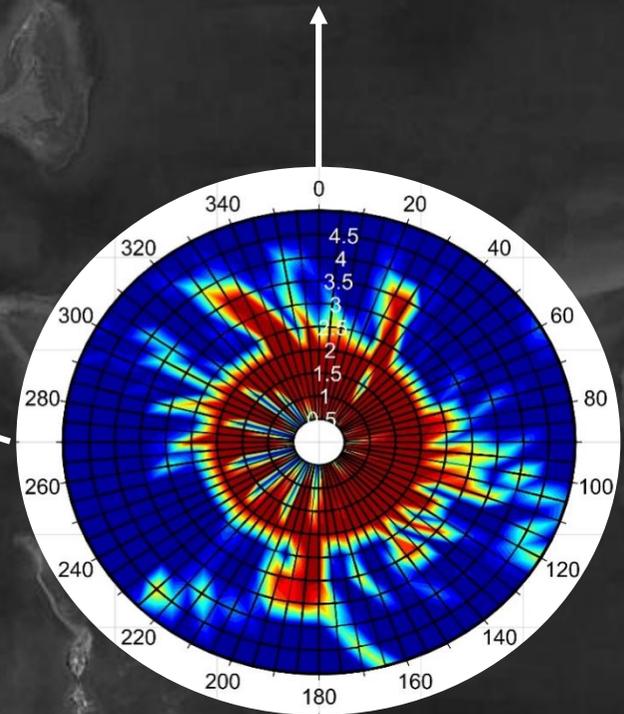
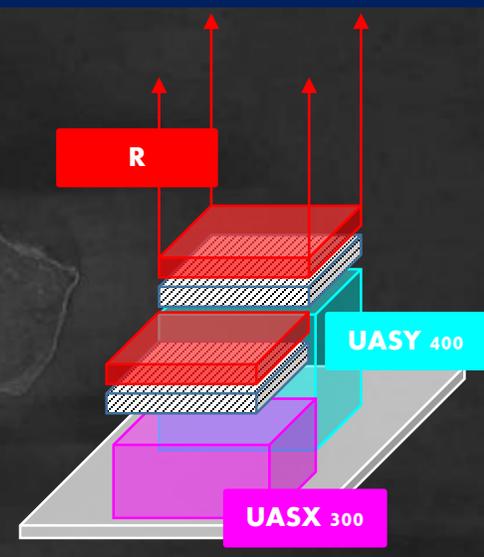
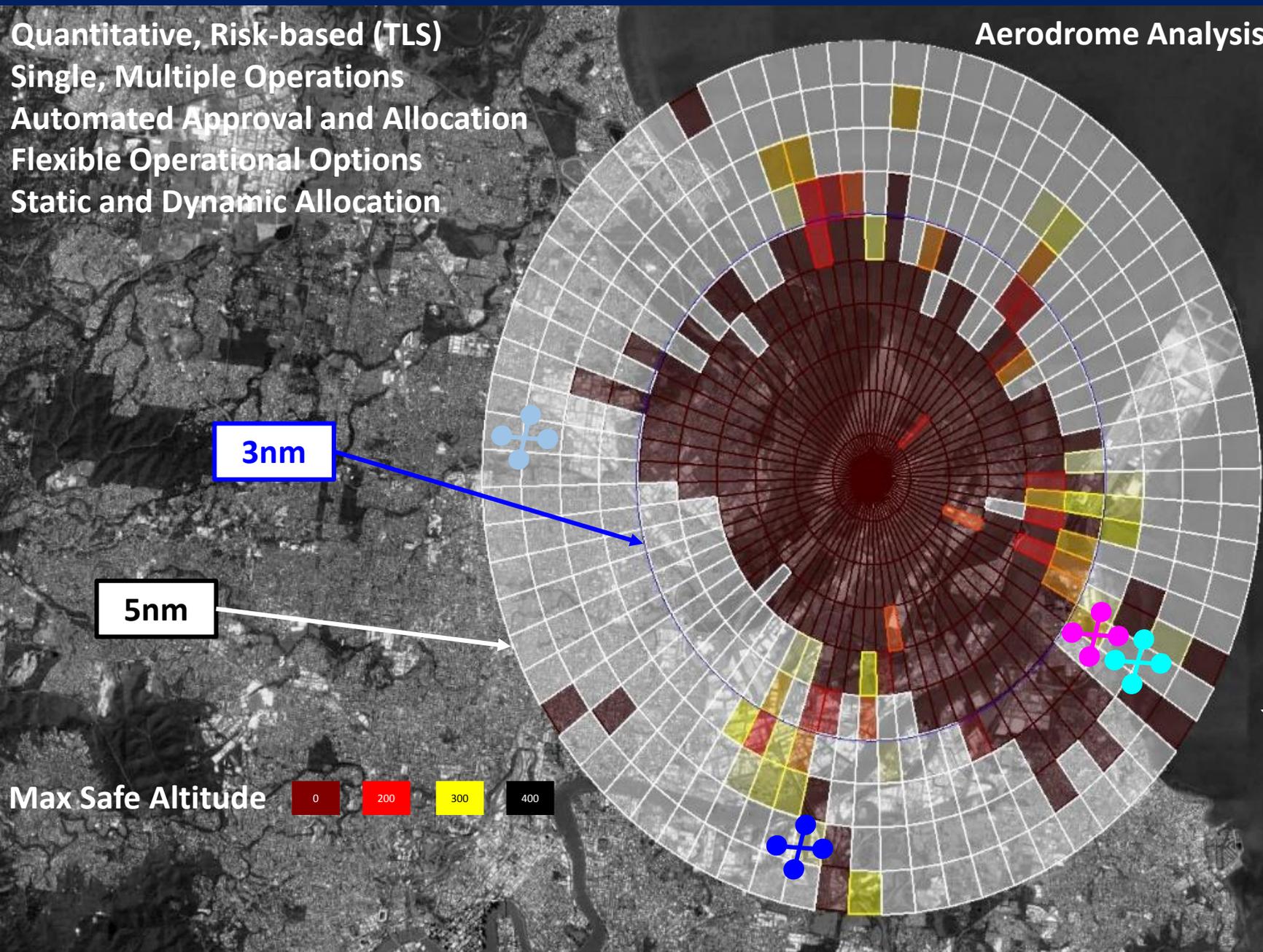


Current Approach

# Motivation and Overview

- Quantitative, Risk-based (TLS)
- Single, Multiple Operations
- Automated Approval and Allocation
- Flexible Operational Options
- Static and Dynamic Allocation

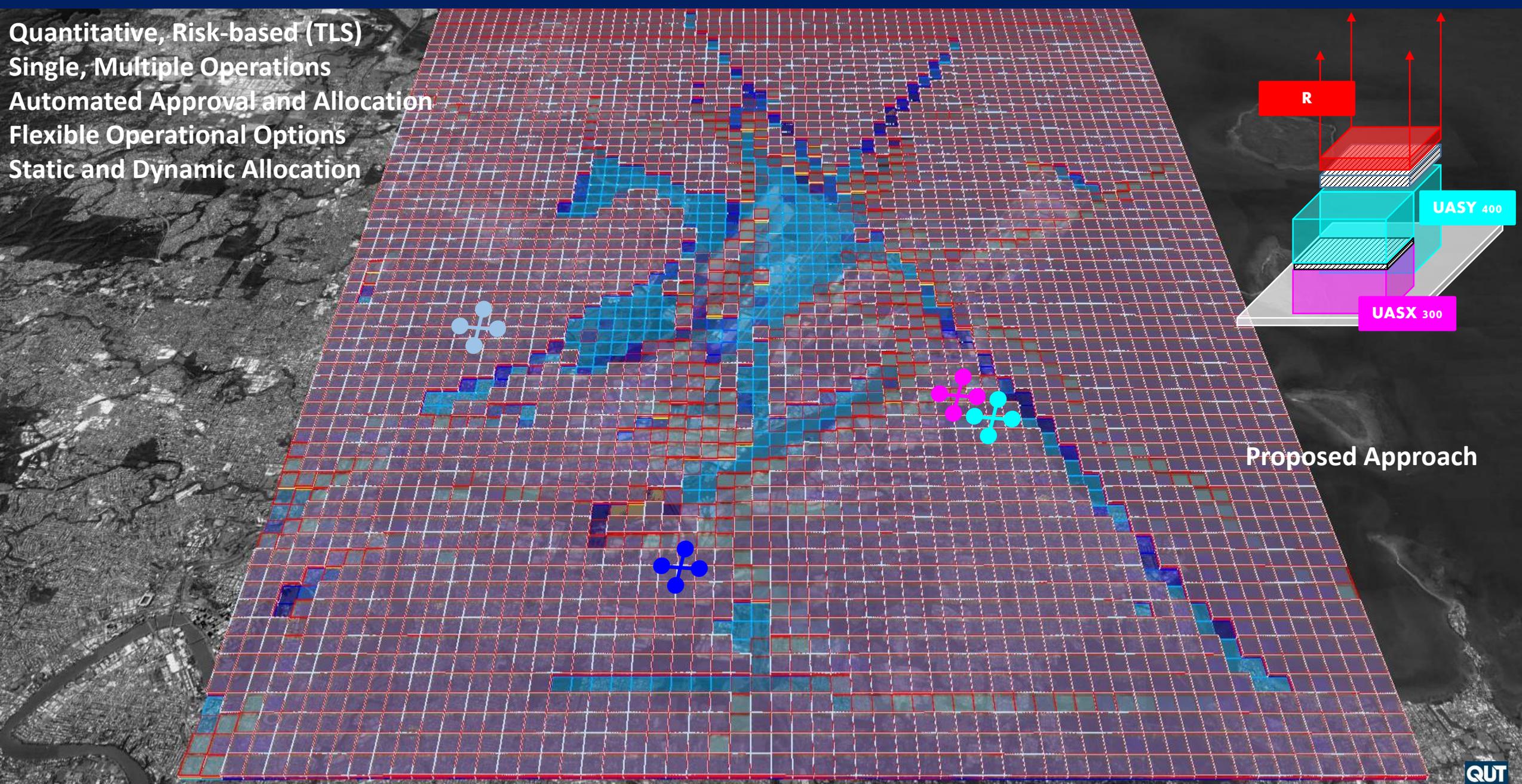
# Aerodrome Analysis (and Exposure)



Conflict Probability

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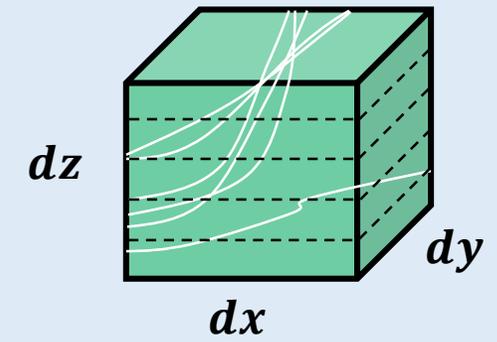
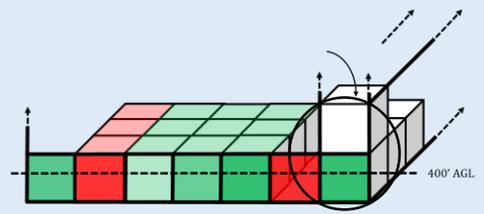
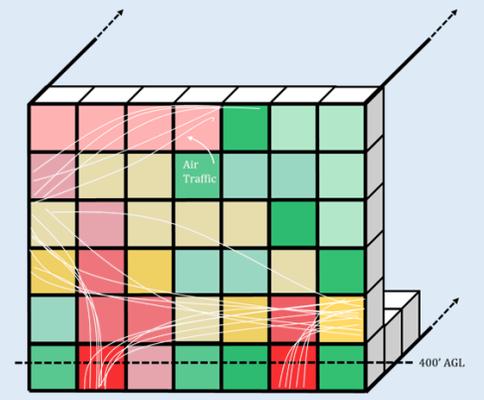
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Proposed Approach



Example Monthly Traffic Profile

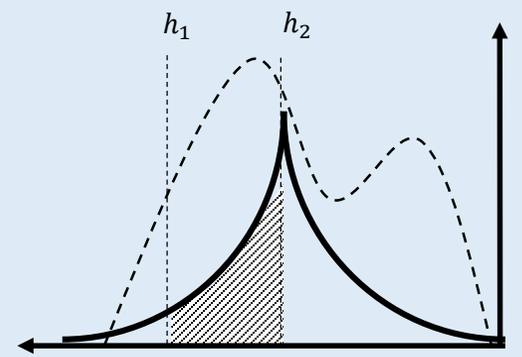
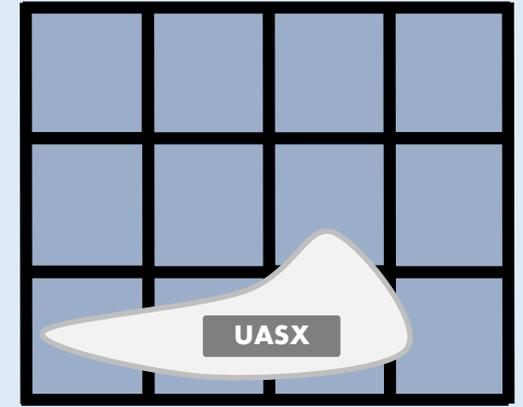


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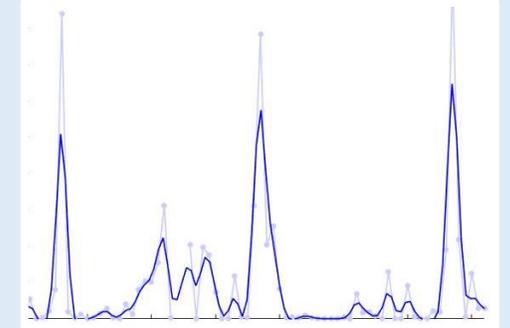


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$$z = f(p(c), \epsilon_{TLS}, \dots)$$

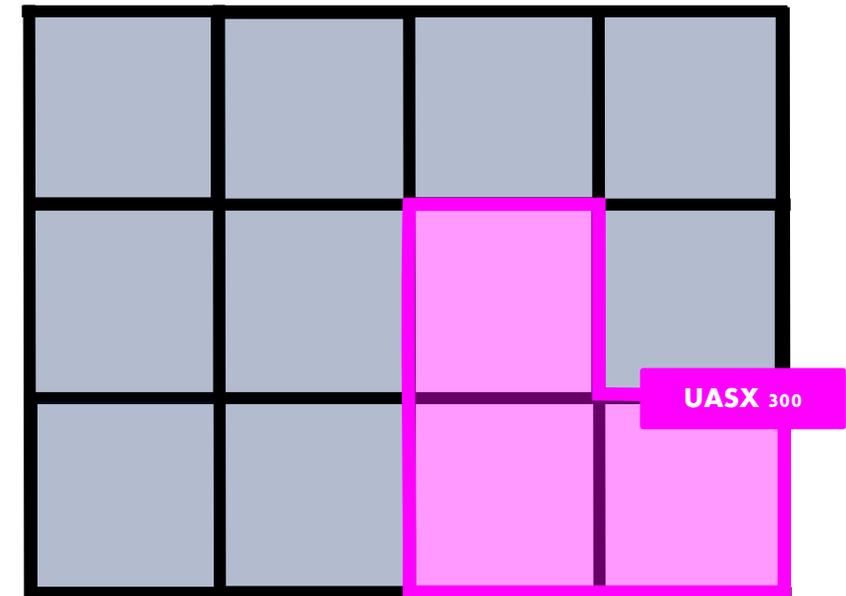
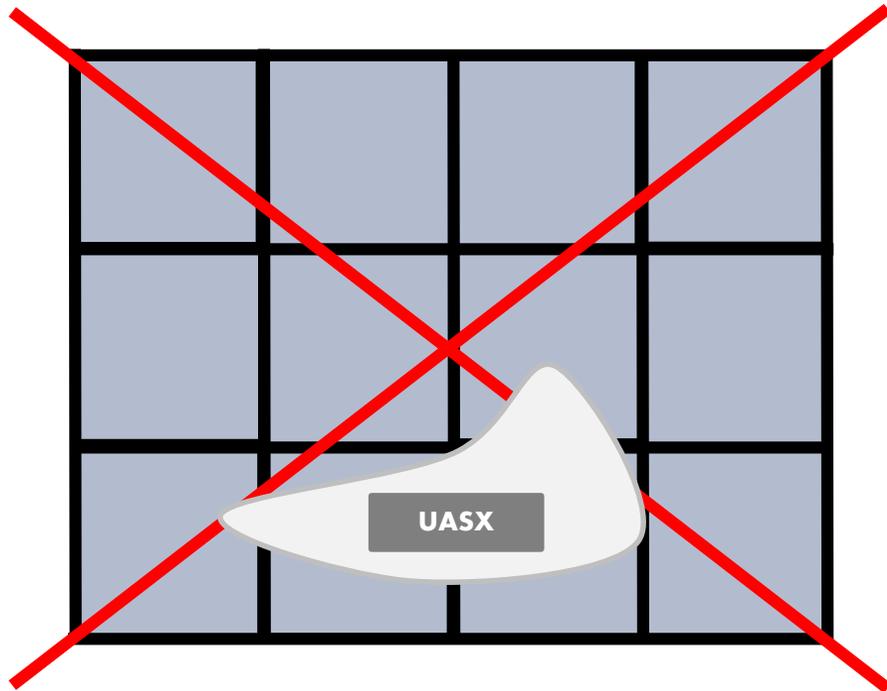


$$p(VOP) \times p(HOP)$$

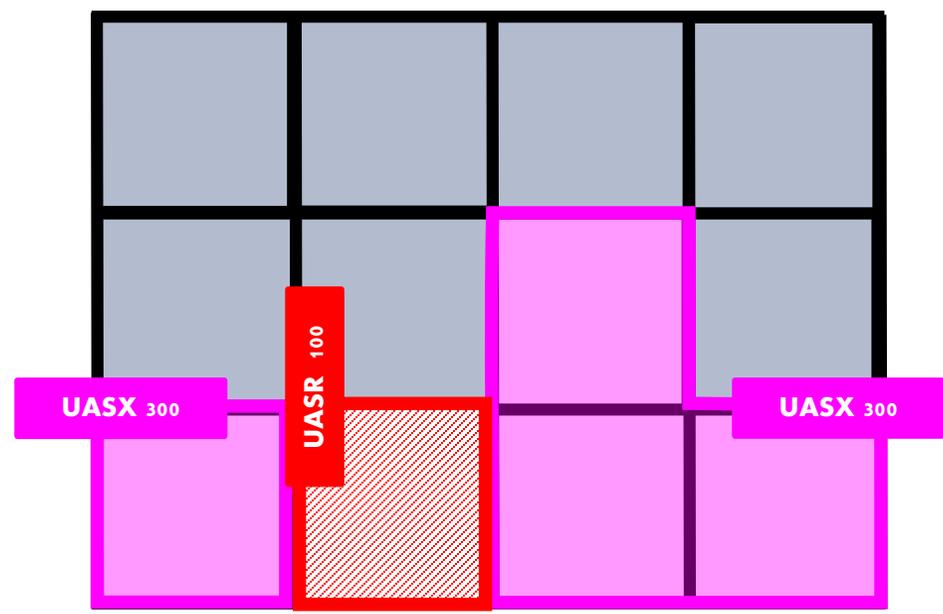
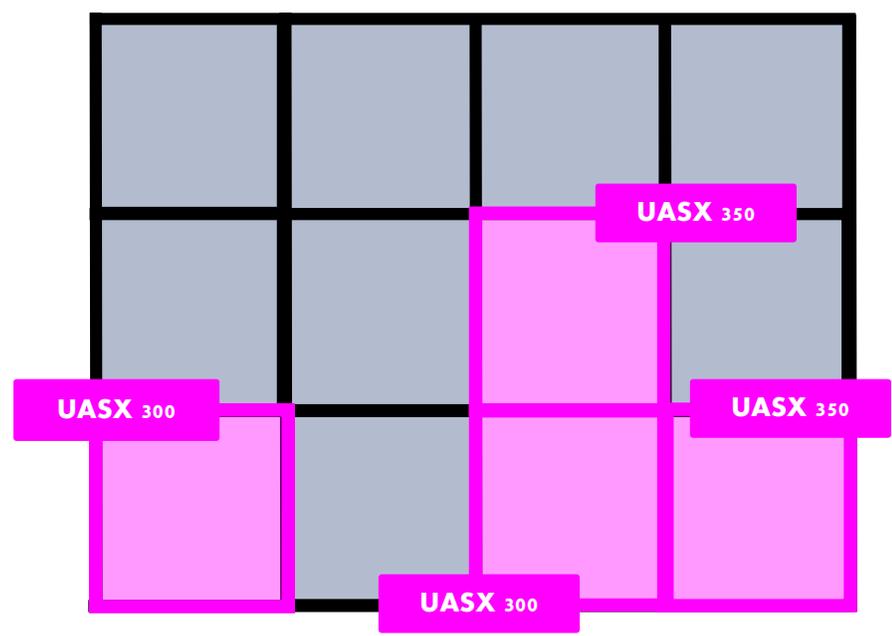


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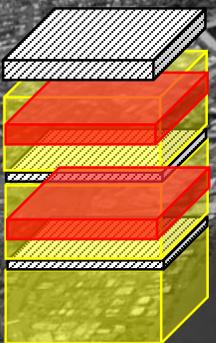
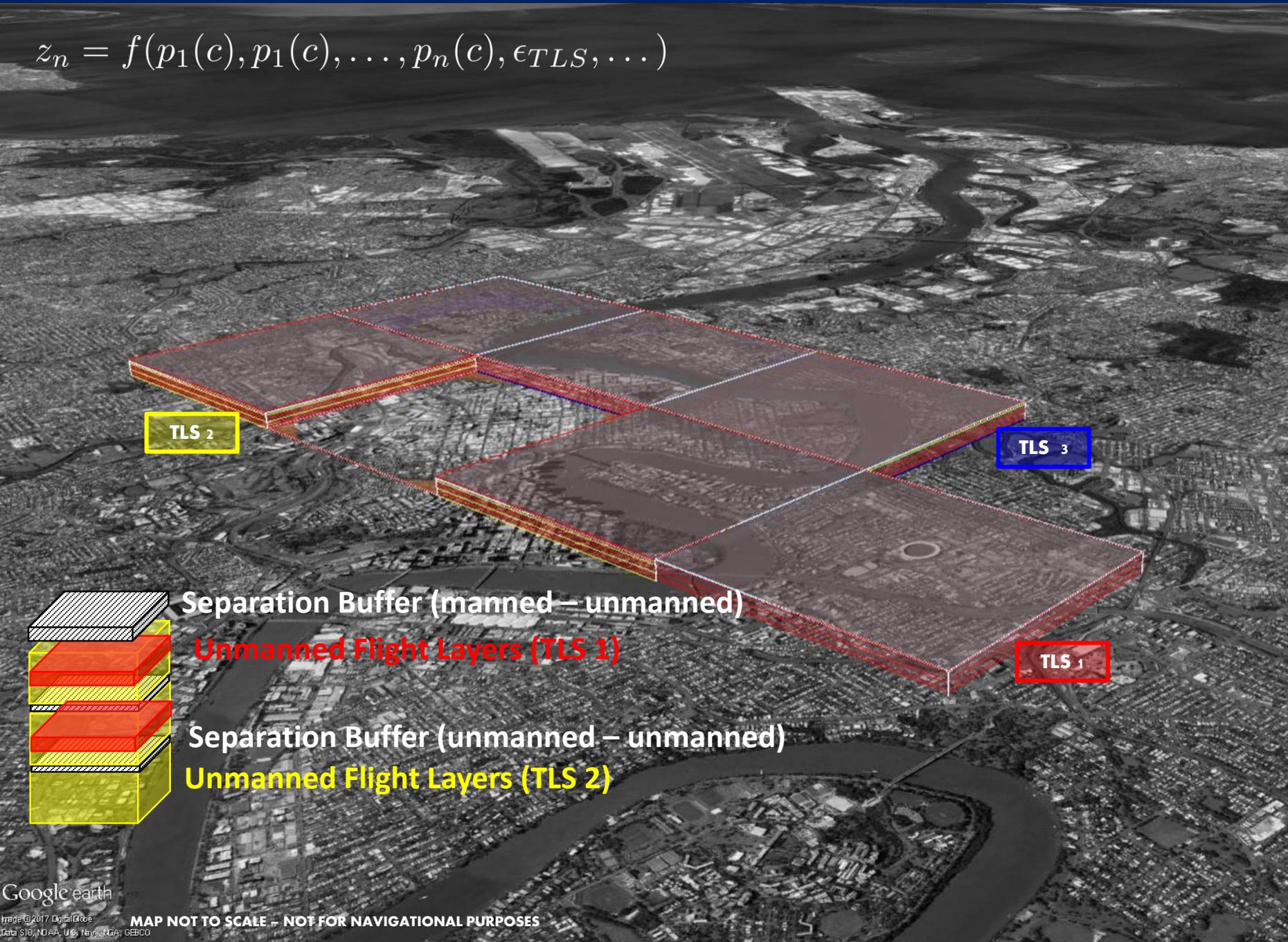


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$$z_n = f(p_1(c), p_1(c), \dots, p_n(c), \epsilon_{TLS}, \dots)$$

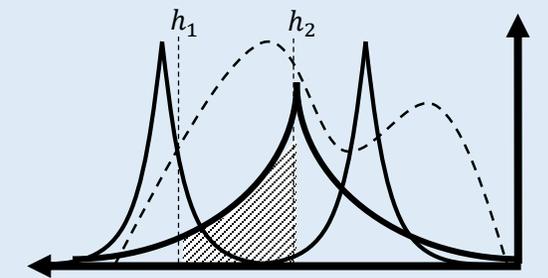
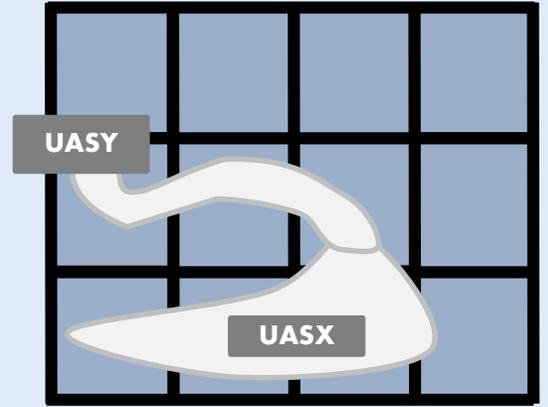


Separation Buffer (manned – unmanned)

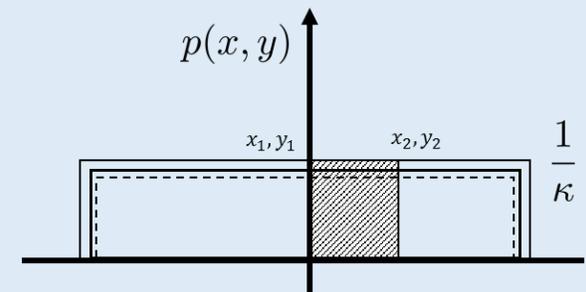
Unmanned Flight Layers (TLS 1)

Separation Buffer (unmanned – unmanned)

Unmanned Flight Layers (TLS 2)



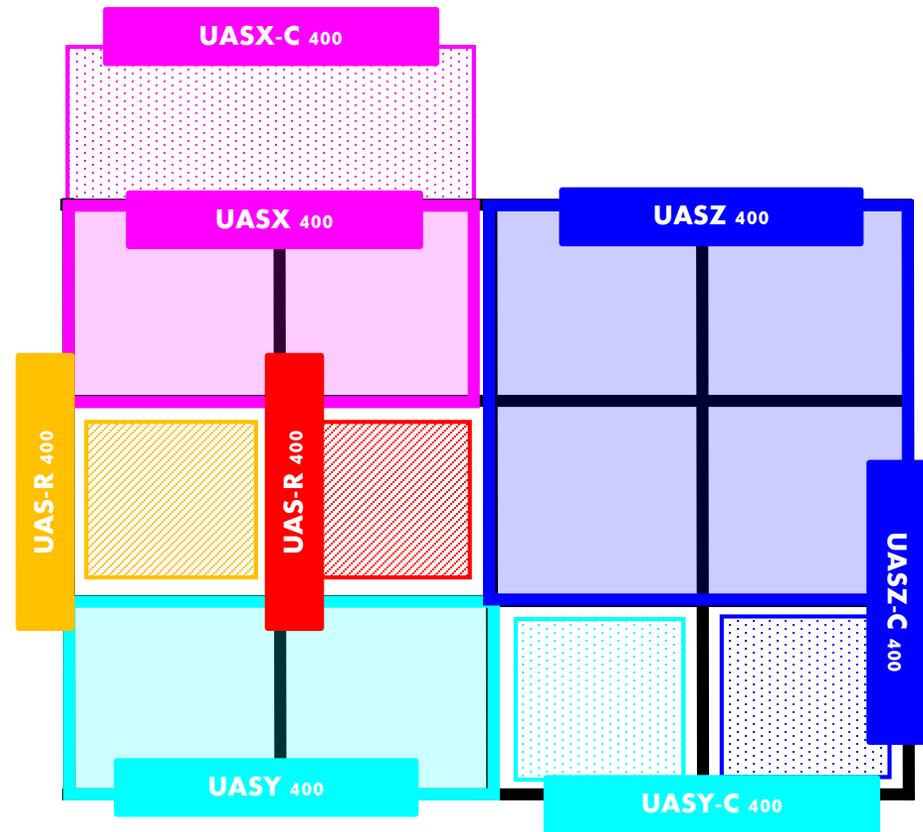
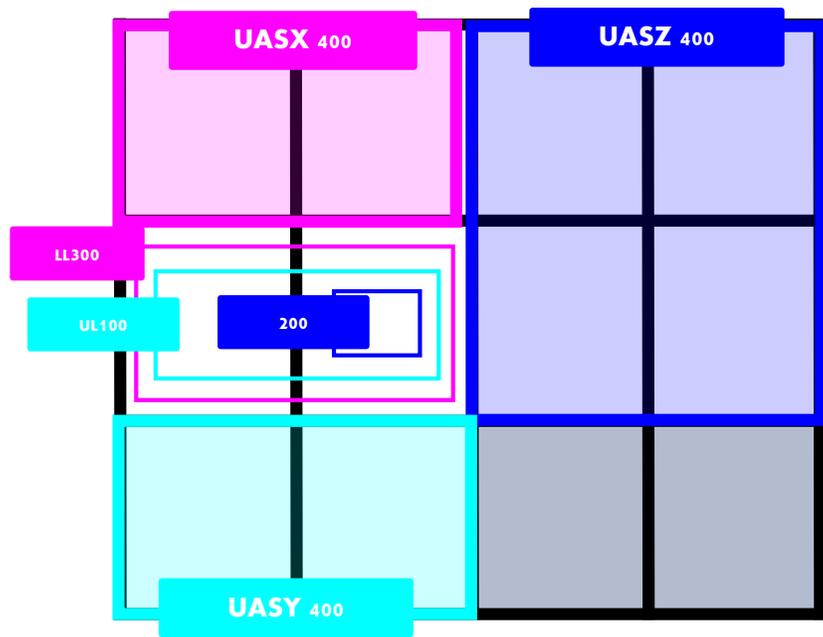
$$p_n(VOP) \times p_n(HOP)$$



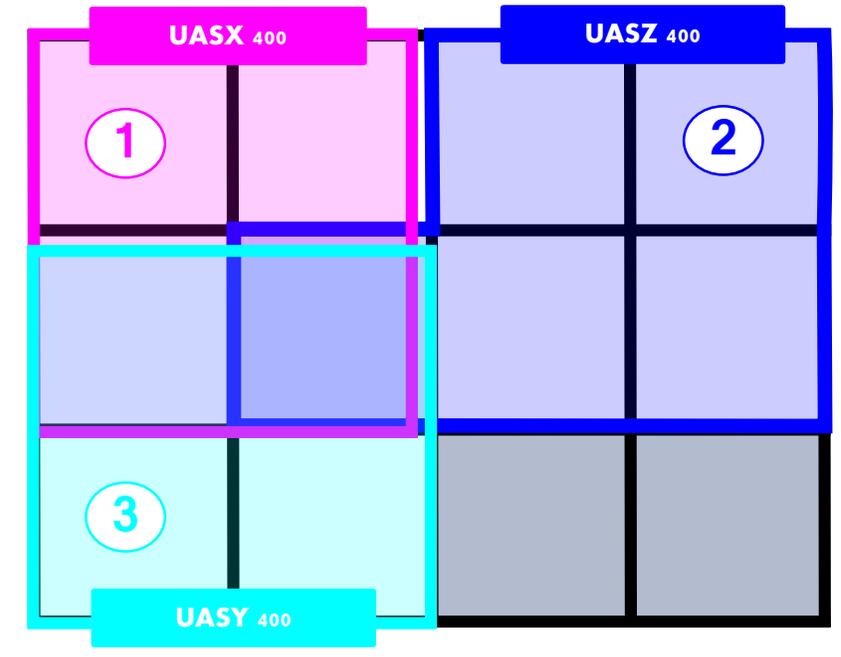
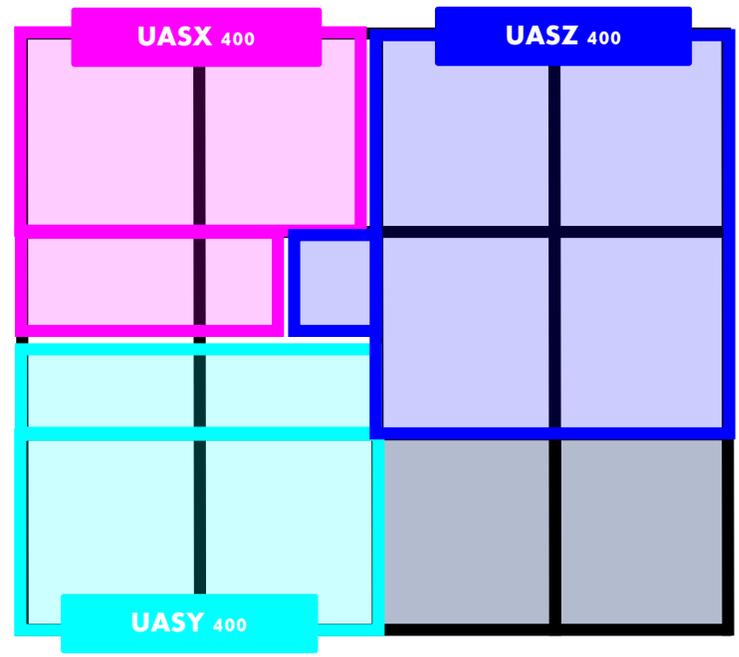
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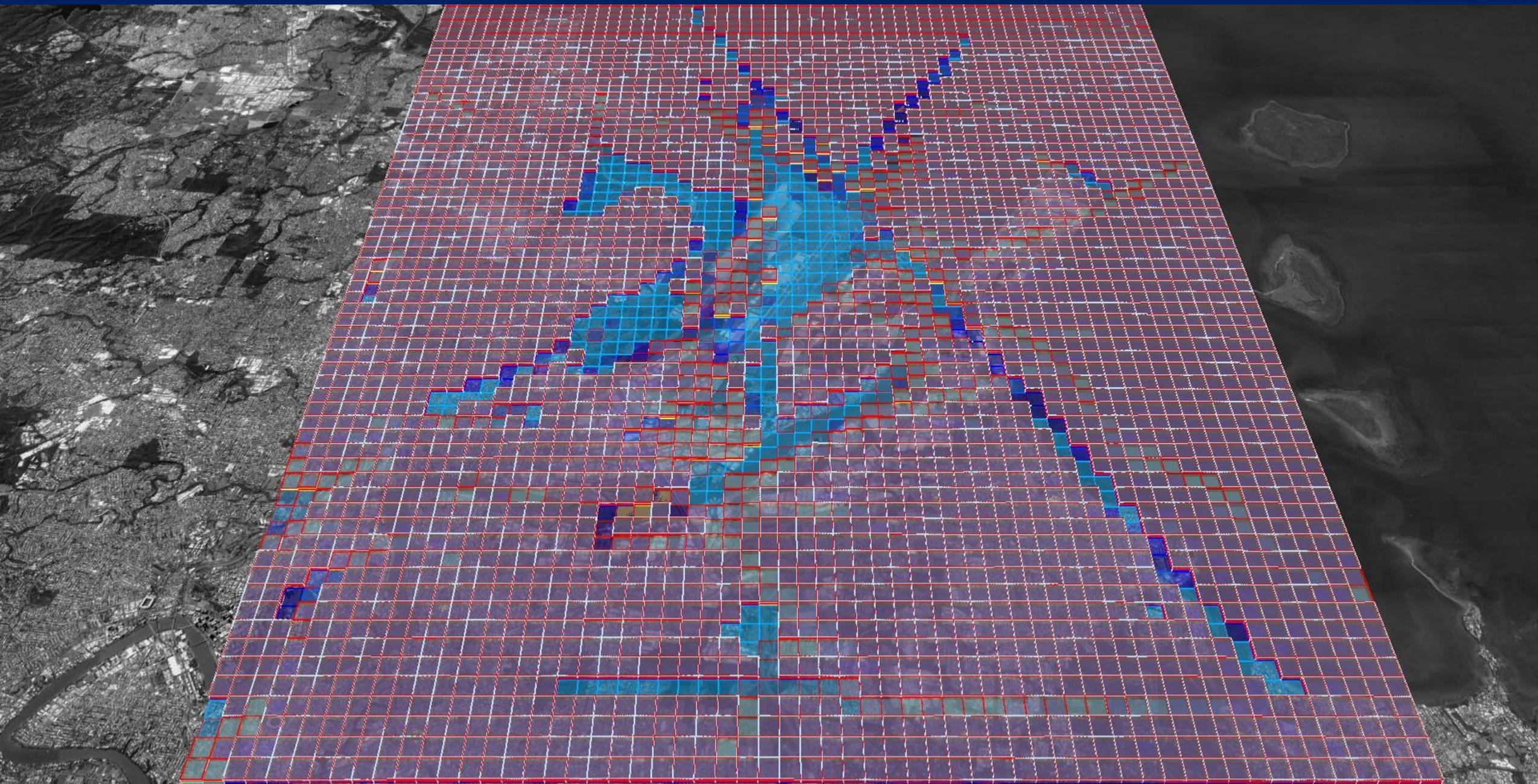
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VLOS

BVLOS

Supports Dynamic Allocation

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