

Controversial East-West highway, Algeria

Sentinel-1 CSAR IW acquired on 21 November 2014

Sentinel-2 MSI acquired on 30 March 2016

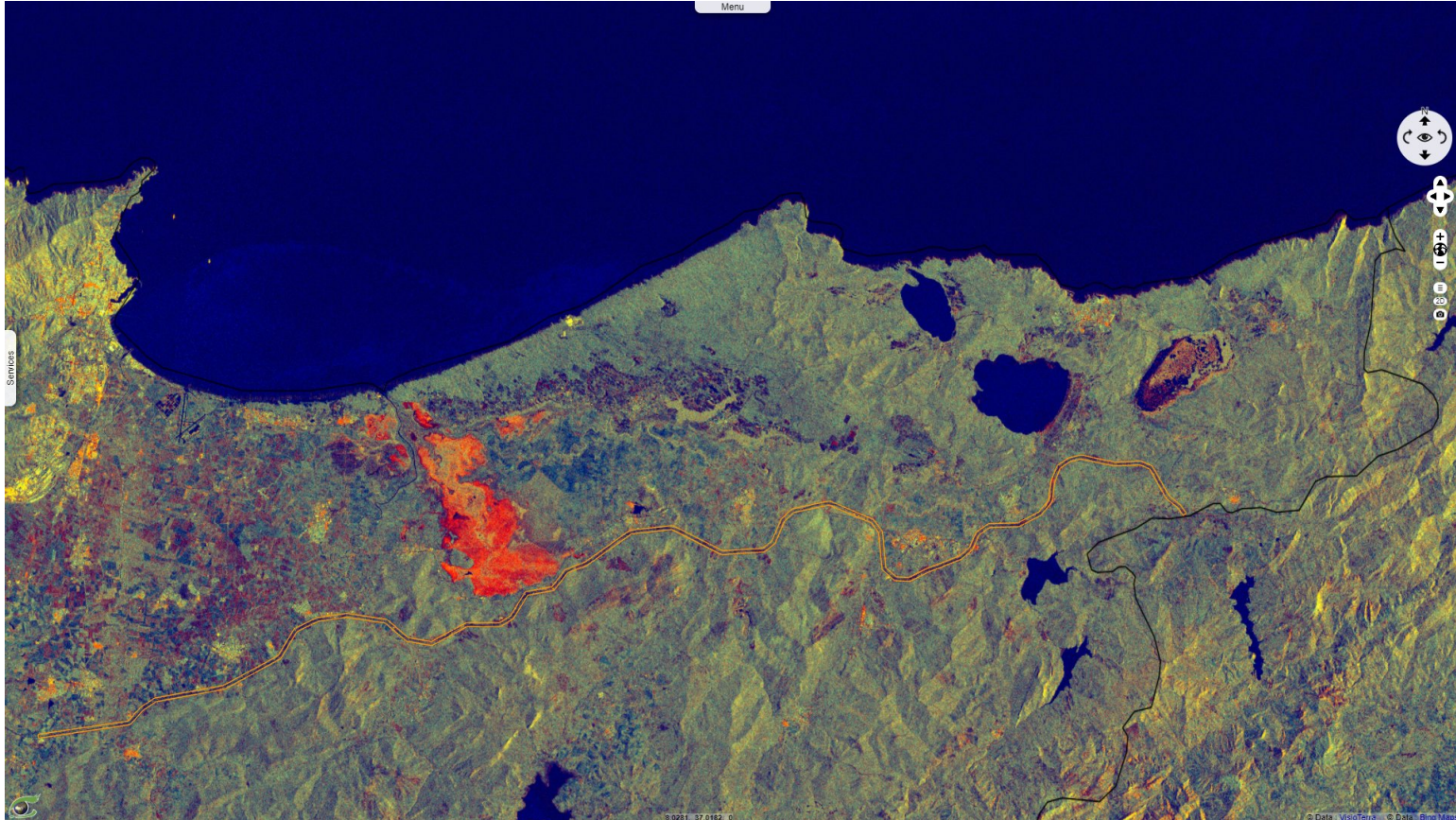
Sentinel-2 MSI acquired on 17 February 2021

Sentinel-1 CSAR IW acquired on 07 April 2021

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Fig. 1 - S1 (07.04.2021) - The Algerian East-West highway will run 1216km from Morocco to Tunisia, connecting Algeria's major coastal cities [2D View](#)



This project of 6-lane highway was launched in the 90s; the most expensive highway in the World, it was financed by the Algerian state in 2007.

Fig. 2 - S1 (21.11.2014) - Most construction has been completed by 2015, at least 80 km remain to be completed as this section has been. [2D View](#)

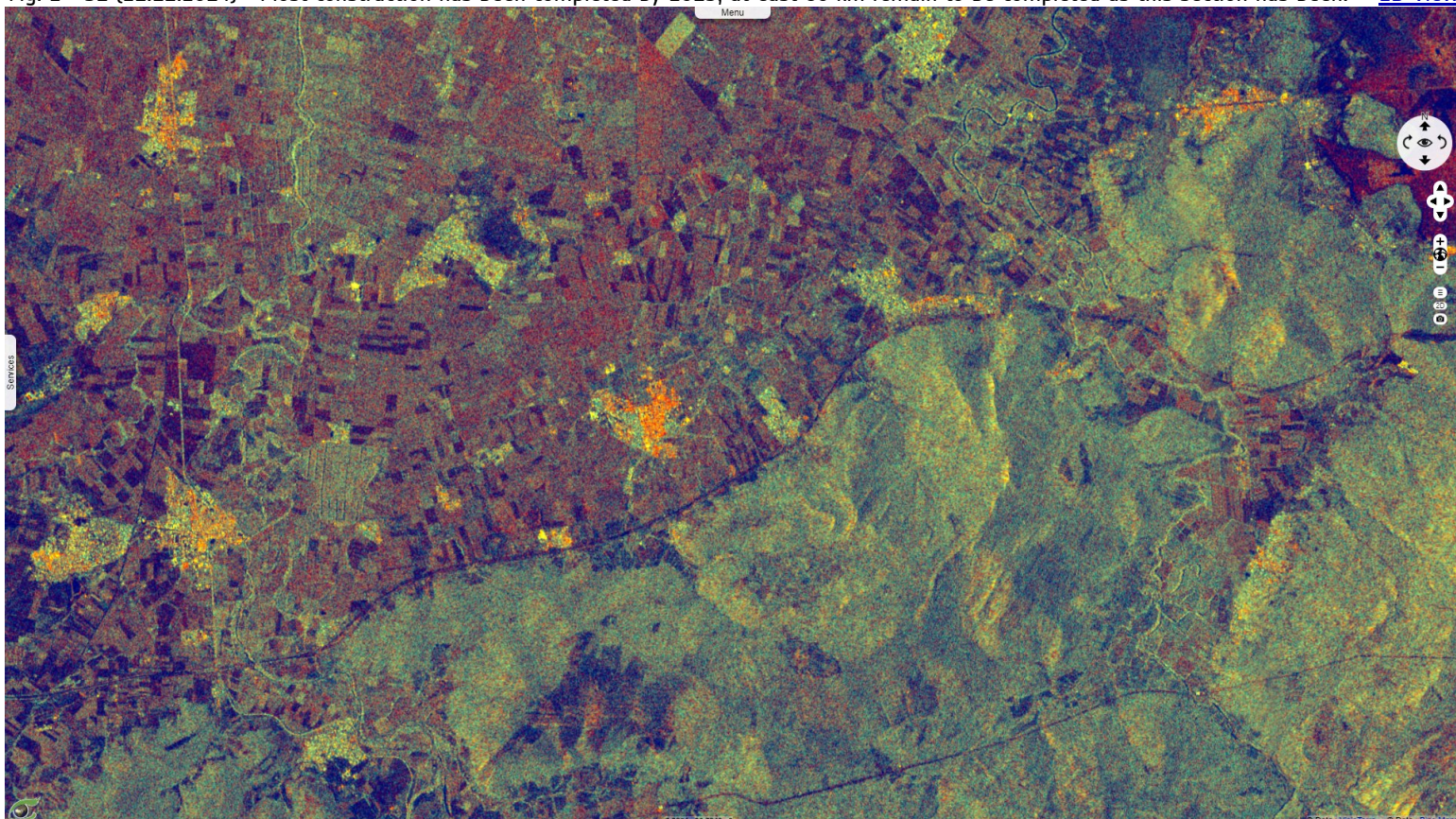


Fig. 3 - S2 (17.02.2021) - Kilometres long sections to be completed further east, several carries are well visible.

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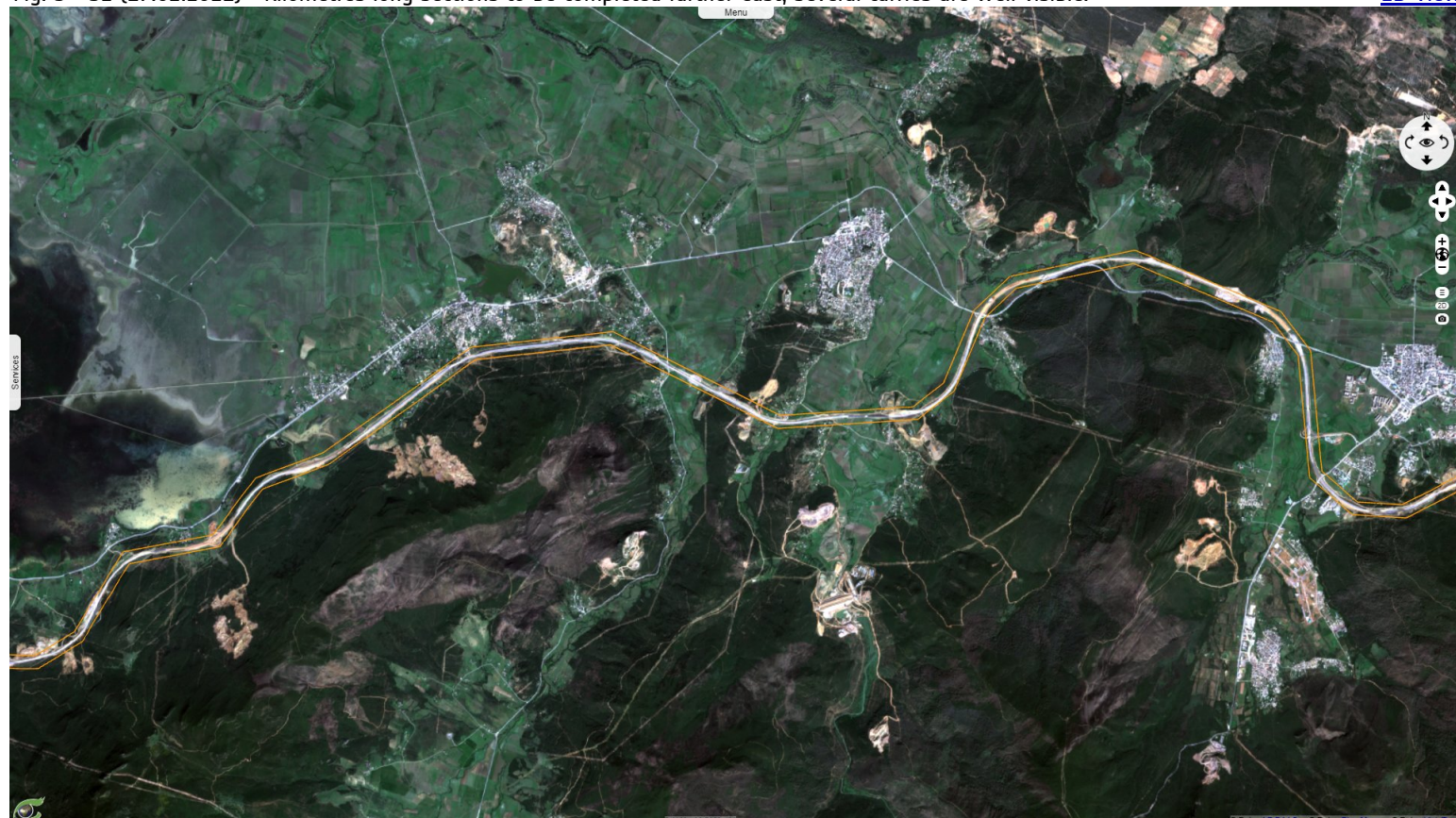
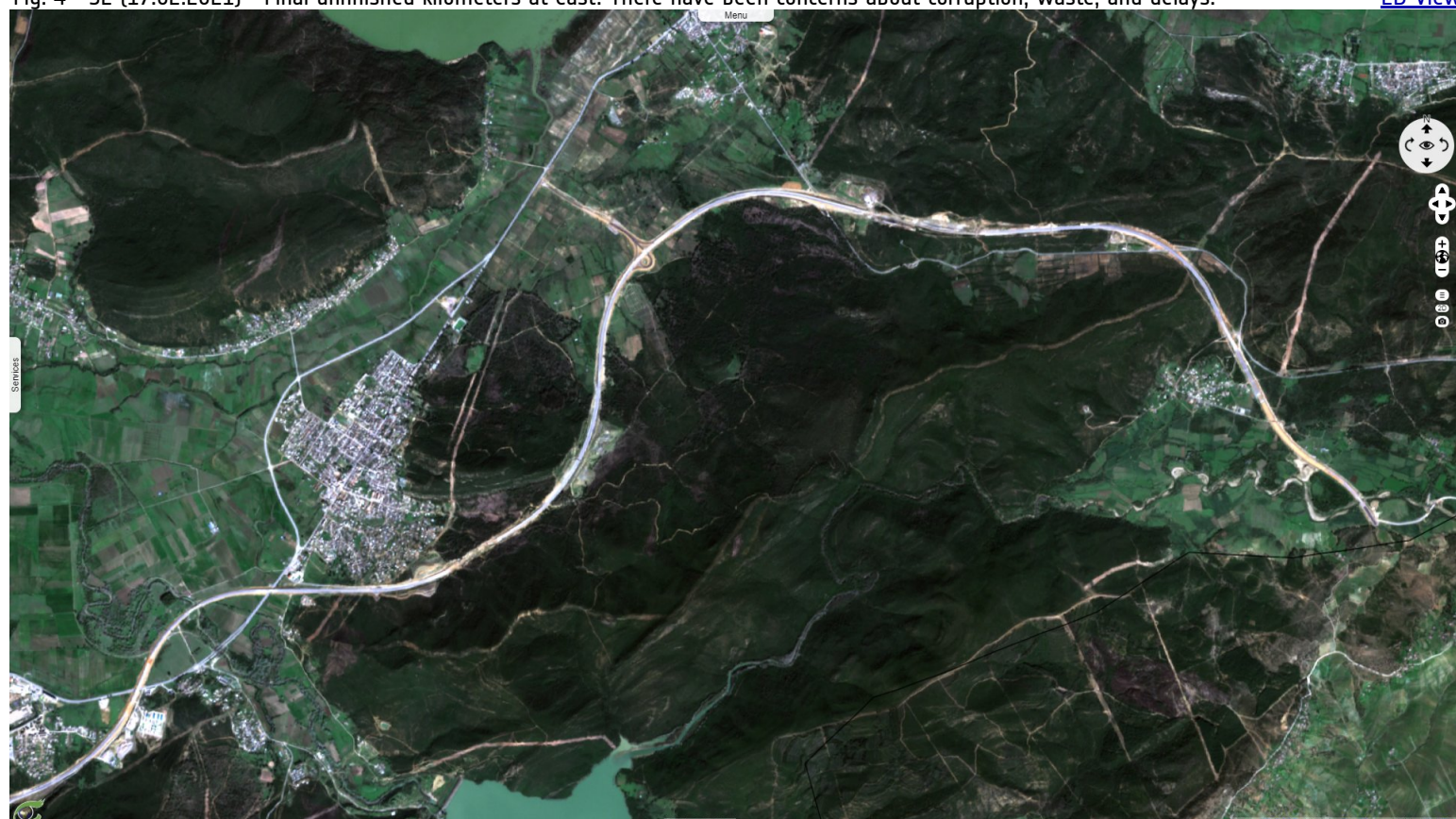








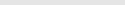





Fig. 4 - S2 (17.02.2021) - Final unfinished kilometers at east. There have been concerns about corruption, waste, and delays.

[2D View](#)



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