



Deforestation near monitored areas in North Cameroon

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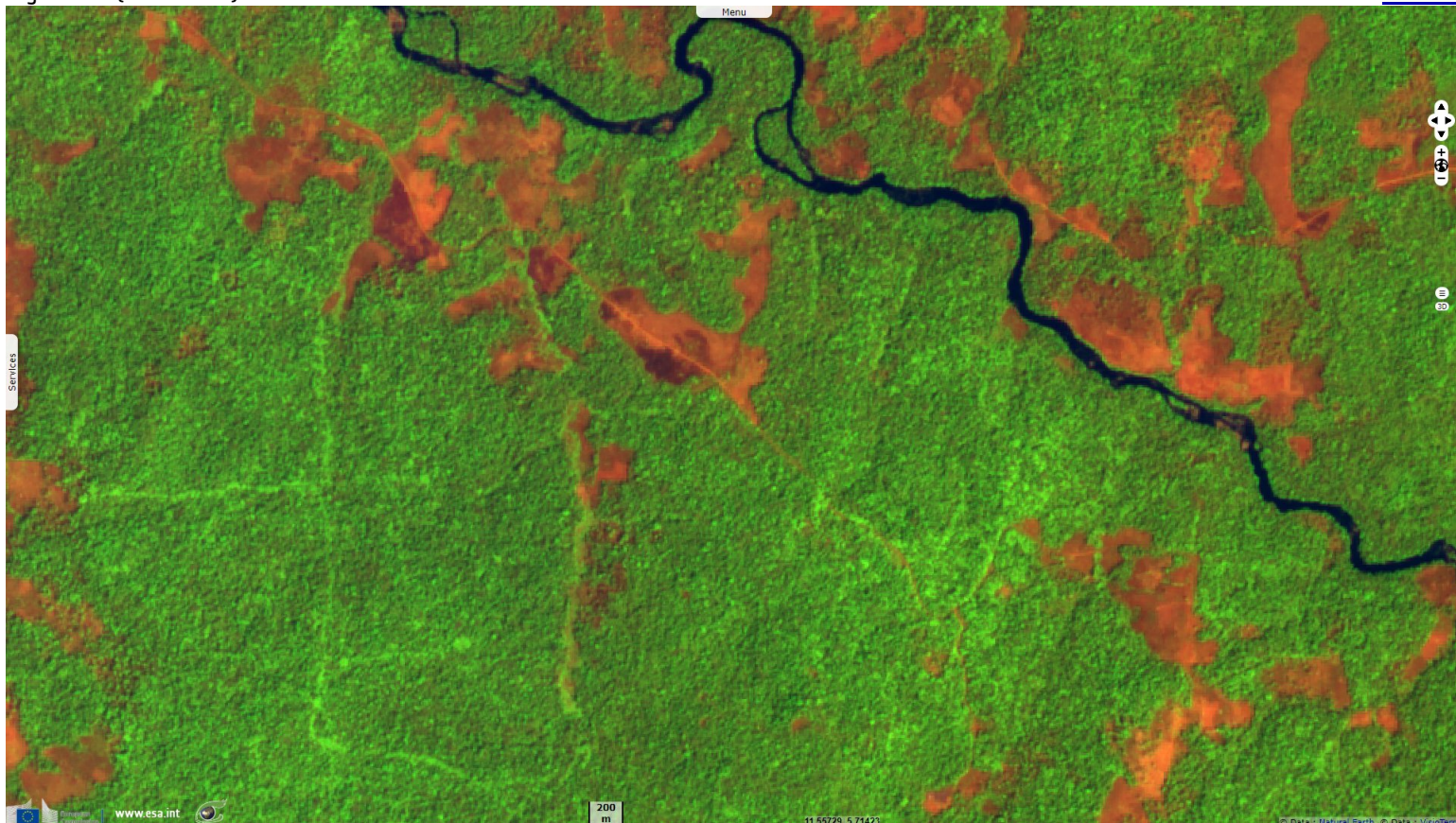
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Fig. 1 - S2 (01.02.2020) - Zoom in within a monitored area in north Cameroon before the detection of deforestation.

[2D view](#)



While many trees of tropical forests are destroyed by wildfires or cut legally, many others are deforested illegally, even in protected areas.

Fig. 2 - S2 (27.03.2020) - The detection of deforestation via remote sensing allows authorities to react and limit the destruction.

[2D animation](#)

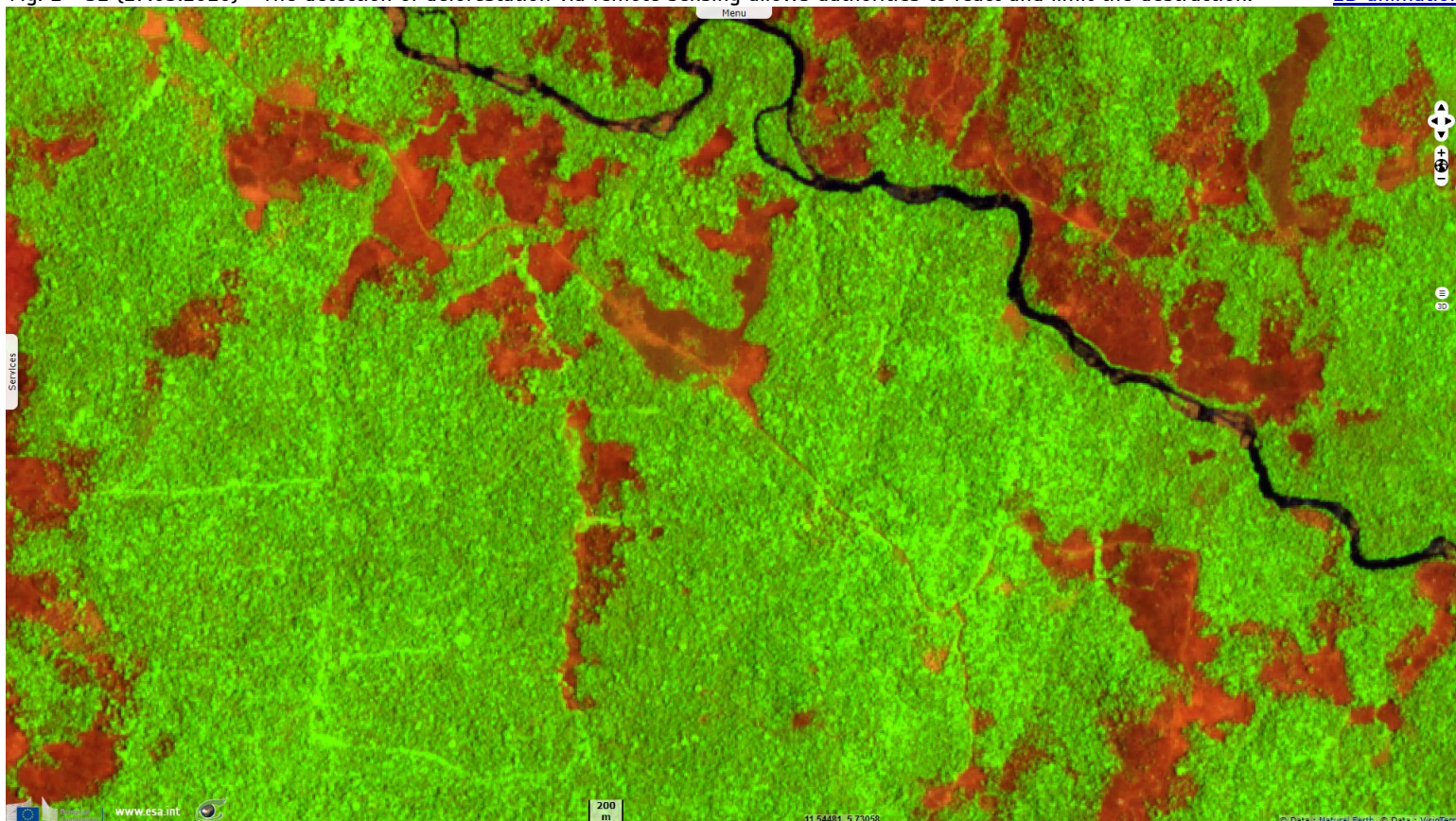


Fig. 3 - S2 (01.02.2020) - With projects such as FlegtWatch, operators on the field can protect forests and biodiversity of tropical countries. [2D view](#)

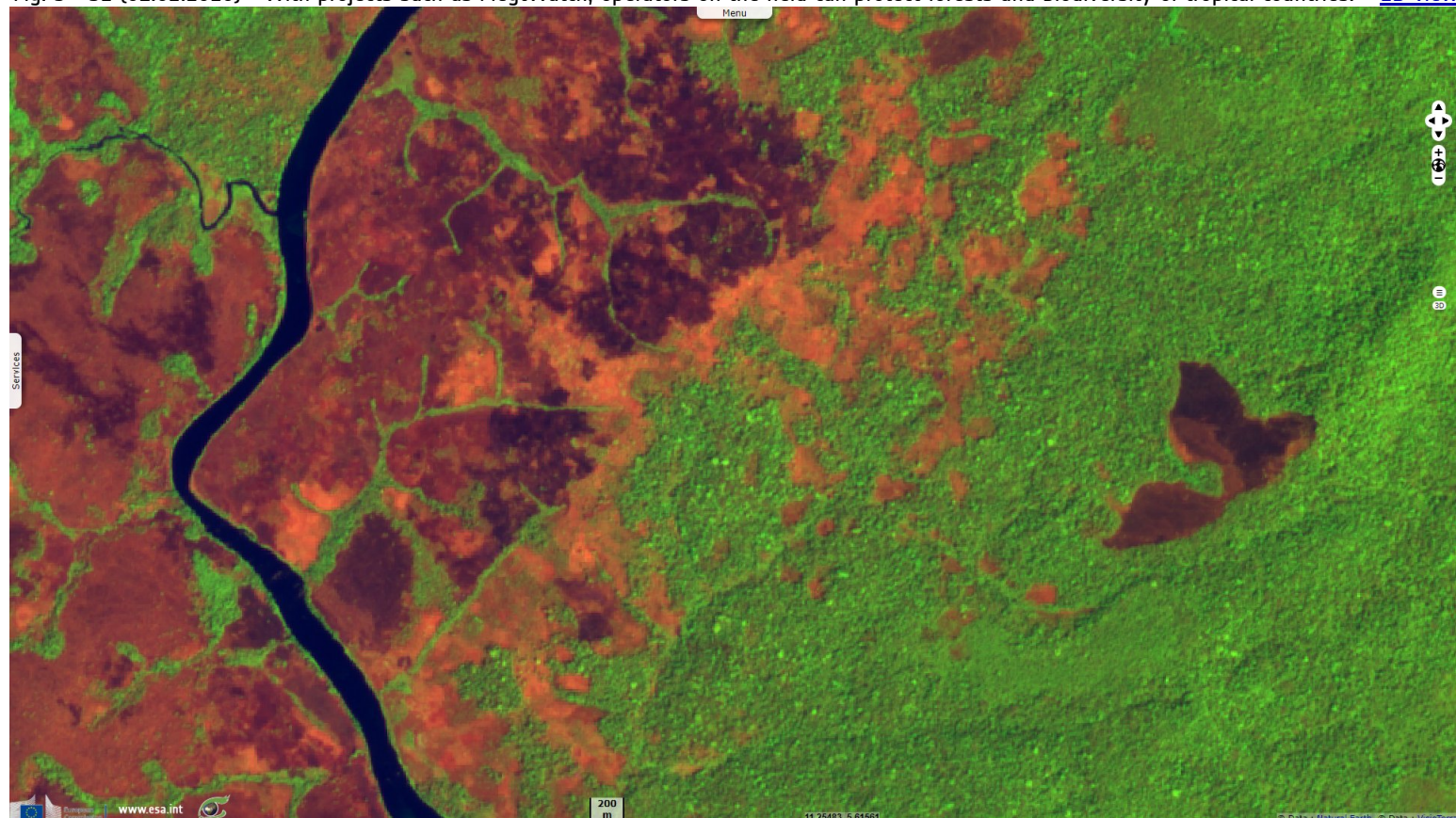
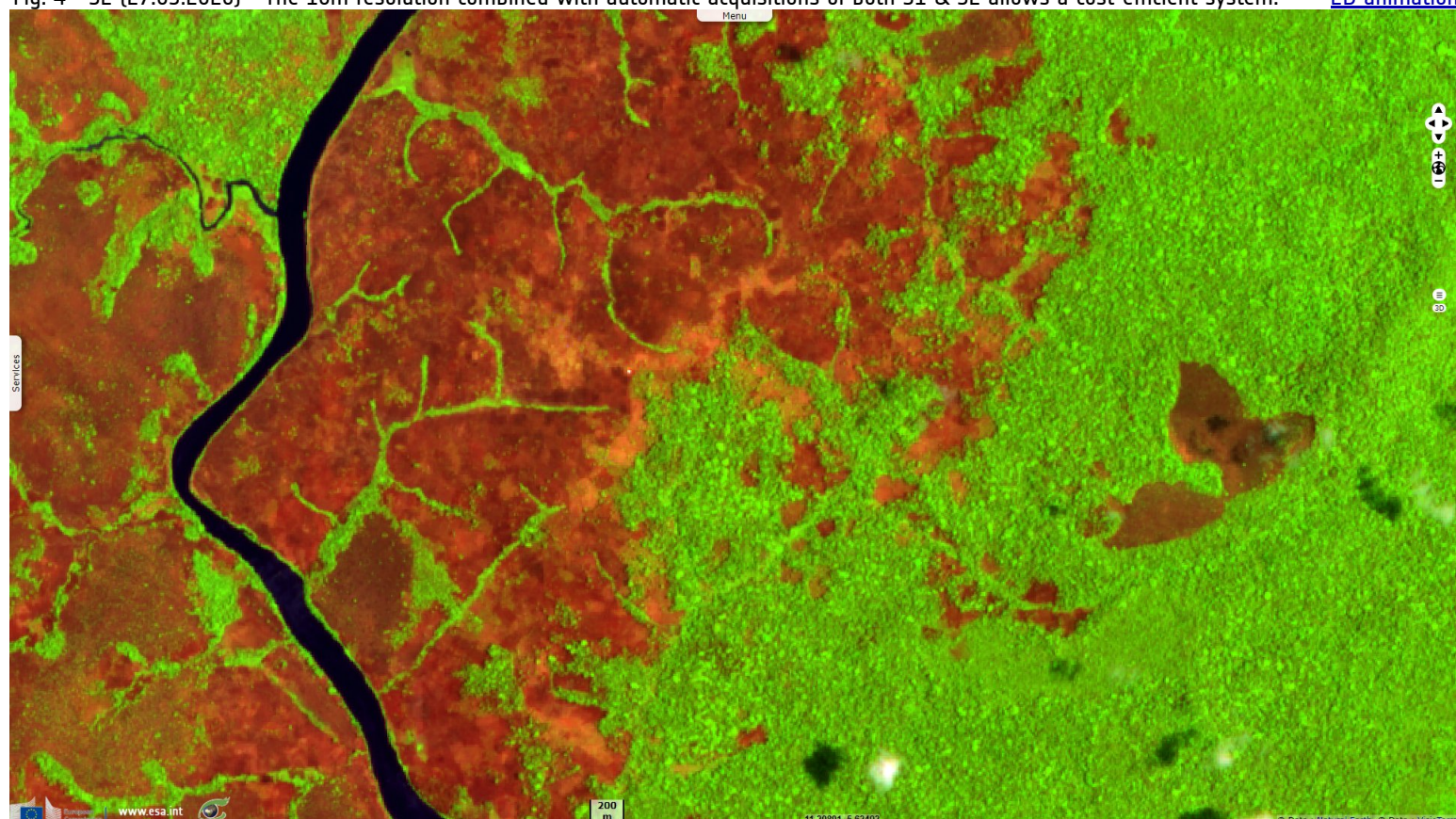


Fig. 4 - S2 (27.03.2020) - The 10m resolution combined with automatic acquisitions of both S1 & S2 allows a cost-efficient system. [2D animation](#)



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