

Hurried evacuations at Kabul airport, Afghanistan

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Fig. 1 - S2 (24.08.2021) - Kabul lies in a narrow valley within the Hindu Kush range. At 1790m high, it's one of the highest capital cities. [2D view](#)



Fig. 2 - S1 (23.08.2021) - The city is said to be over 3500 years old, being recorded since the First Persian Empire. [2D view](#)

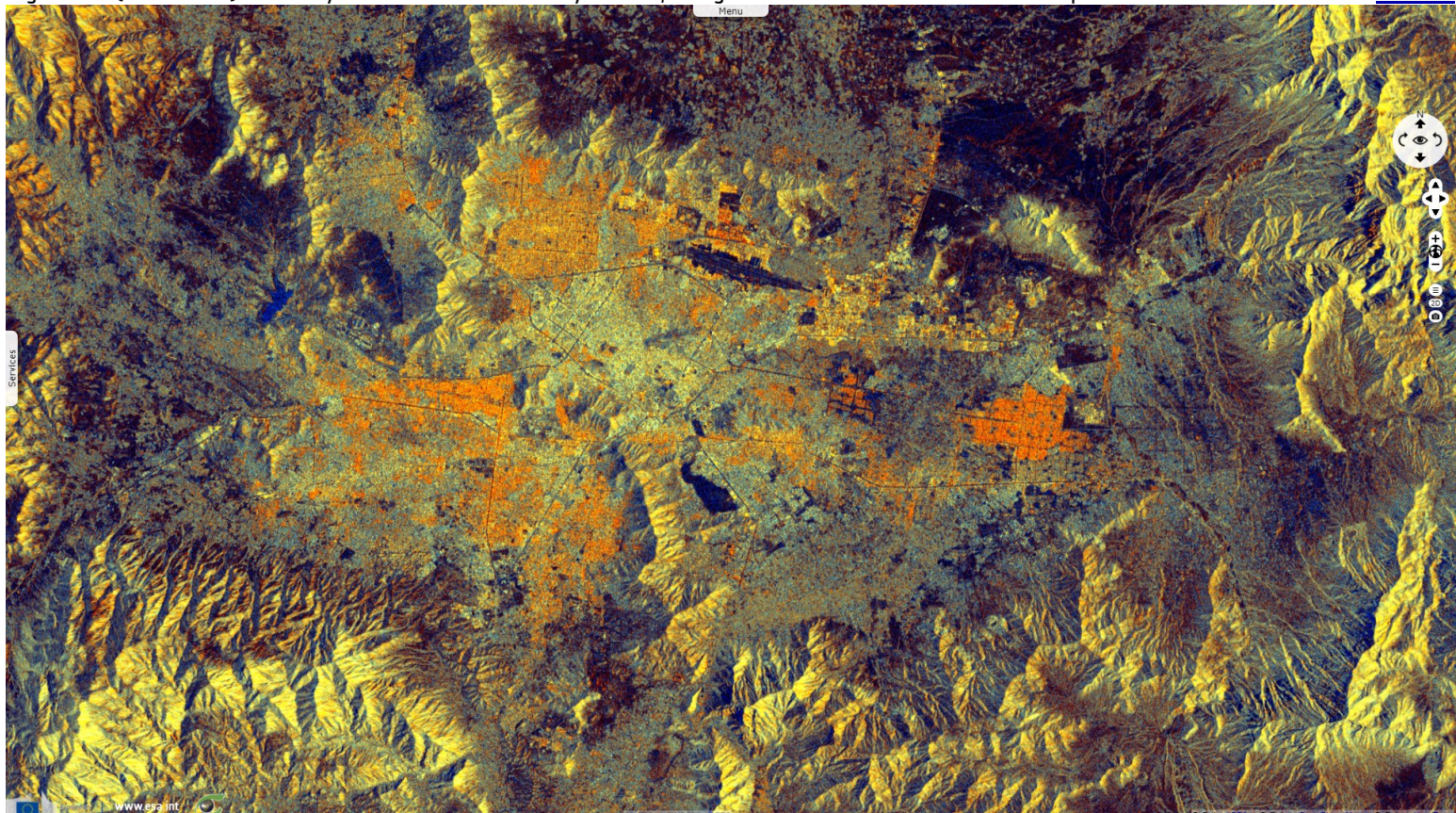


Fig. 3 - S2 (14.08.2021) - From 2001, the city was occupied by a coalition of forces until August 2021 when Kabul was seized by Taliban. [2D view](#)



Fig. 4 - S2 (24.08.2021) - The numerous planes show the hurried evacuation of foreign personnel & thousands of civilians in Kabul airport. [2D view](#)



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