

**BUILDING CAPACITY FOR A CENTRE OF EXCELLENCE FOR EO-BASED
MONITORING OF NATURAL DISASTERS**

EXPLOITATION ACTIVITIES (ALL WP)	
MONTH	JANUARY 2014
COMPANY or ORGANISATION	NATIONAL OBSERVATORY OF ATHENS
TYPE OF EXPLOITATION	<p>Incorporation of BEYOND activities in the update GEO workplan under the task task DI-01 “Informing Risk Management and Disaster Reduction”- Section C1 Disaster Management Systems.</p> <p>The priority is «To make information related to environmental risk and vulnerability easily accessible to a wide range of decision-makers through a virtual platform. The platform is built upon the South African Atlas (based on a spatial database system and a repository of global-change related information), the Chinese disaster assessment system (based on Geographic Information Systems), and the European Centre of Excellence for Earth-observation based monitoring of natural disasters BEYOND (based on databases of observations and higher-level products)».</p>
AUDIENCE	GEO Scientific Community
ACKNOWLEDGMENT	http://www.earthobservations.org/geoss_imp.php http://www.earthobservations.org/ts.php?id=162
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UPLOAD ON BEYOND WEBSITE	YES
REFERENCE	
RELATED WP	WP3

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