

 EMSR909 - AOI01
Wildfires in Viotia, Greece
VILIA

Situation as of 06/08/2026 08:57 UTC
Grading - Overview map 01



 Burnt area
14,635.8 ha

 Potentially affected population
~ 450

Affected Built-up

 Built-Up
1,092 No.

- Crisis Information**
 - Burnt Area
 - Previous burnt area**Built Up Grading**
 - Damaged
 - Possibly damaged**Facilities Grading**
 - Possibly damaged**Transportation Grading**
 - Highway, No visible damage
 - Main road, No visible damage
 - Local road, No visible damage
 - Track, No visible damage
 - Railway, No visible damage
 - Airfield runway, No visible damage
- Airfield and Heliport, No visible damage**Affected Land Use-Cover**
 - Arable land
 - Permanent crops
 - Pastures
 - Heterogeneous agricultural areas
 - Forest
 - Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations
 - Open spaces with little or no vegetation
 - Other**General Information**
 - Area of Interest
 - Detail map**Administrative Boundaries**
 - Region**Hydrography**
 - Lake, River

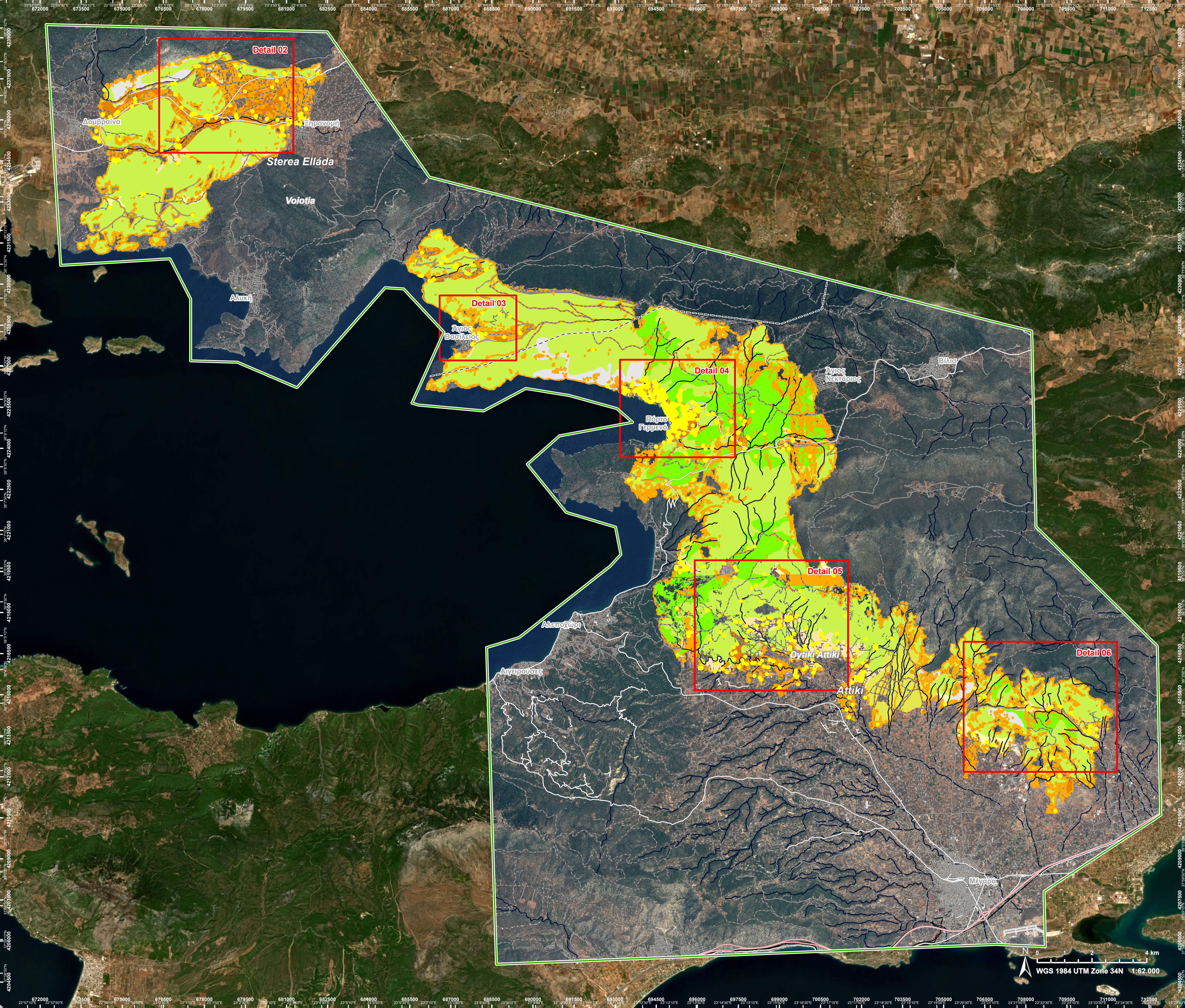
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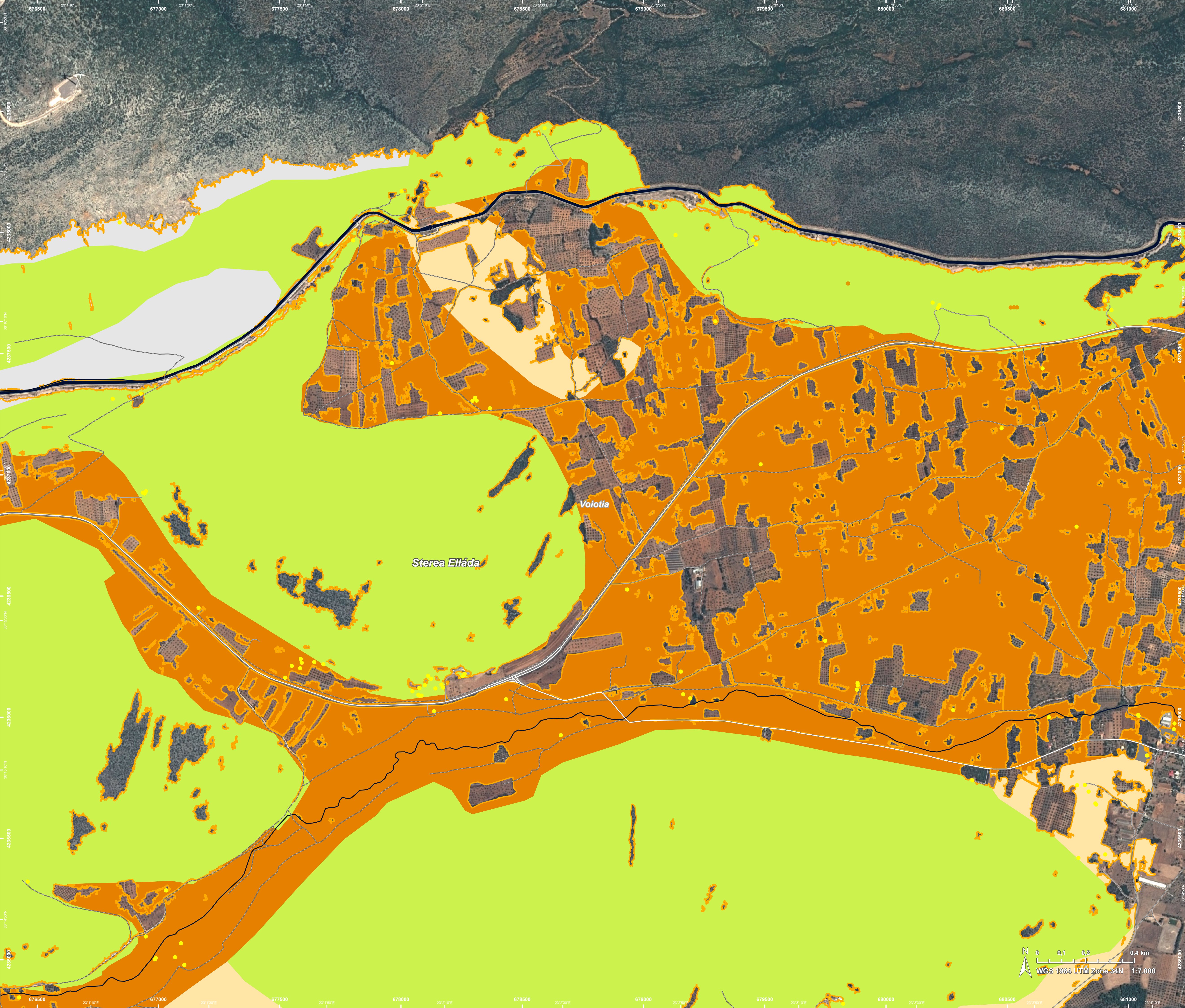
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- Crisis Information**

 - Burnt Area
 - Built Up Grading**
 - Damaged
 - Possibly damaged
 - Transportation Grading**
 - Main road, No visible damage
 - Local road, No visible damage
 - Track, No visible damage
- Affected Land Use-Cover**

 - Permanent crops
 - Heterogeneous agricultural areas
 - Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations
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 - Other
 - Hydrography**
 - Lake, River

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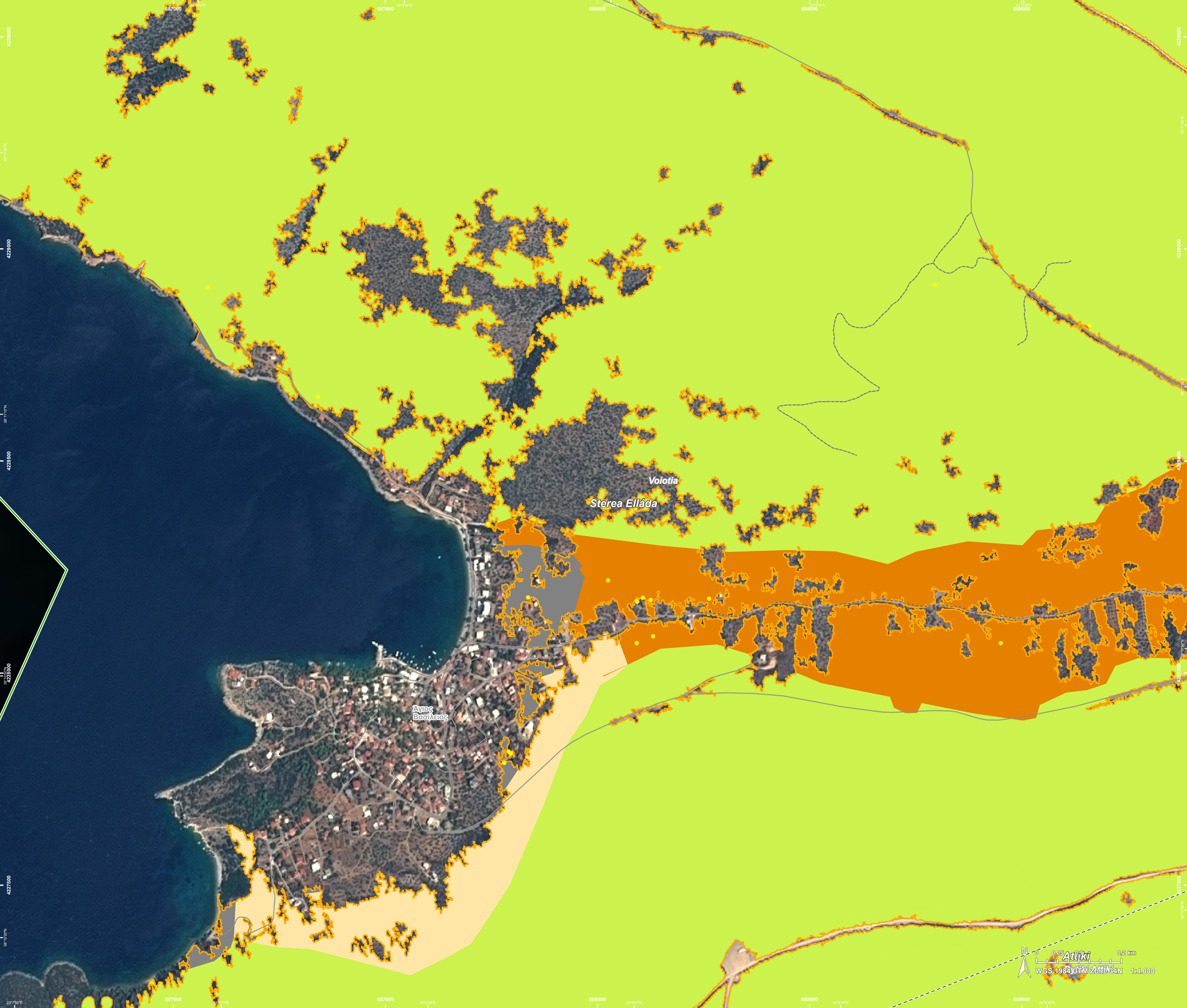
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Grading - Detail map 03



- Crisis Information**

 - Burnt Area
 - Possibly damaged
 - Transportation Grading
 - Local road, No visible damage
 - Track, No visible damage
 - Affected Land Use-Cover
 - Permanent crops
- Heterogeneous agricultural areas
 - Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations
 - Other

General Information

 - Area of Interest

Administrative Boundaries

 - Region

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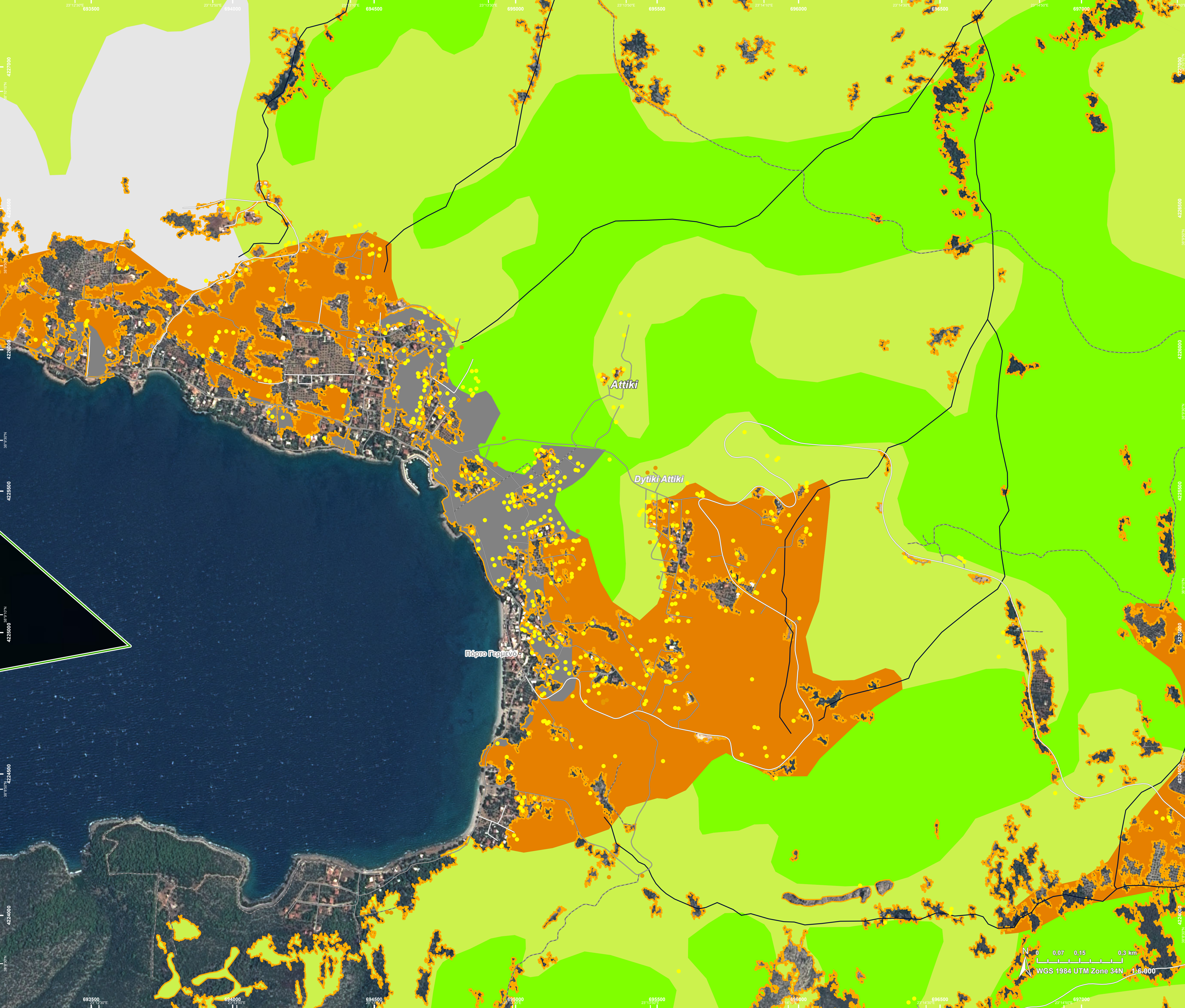
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- Crisis Information**

 -  Burnt Area

Built Up Grading

 -  Damaged
 -  Possibly damaged

Transportation Grading

 -  Main road, No visible damage
 -  Local road, No visible damage
-  Track, No visible damage

Affected Land Use-Cover

 -  Permanent crops
 -  Forest
 -  Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations
 -  Open spaces with little or no vegetation
 -  Other

General Information

 -  Area of Interest

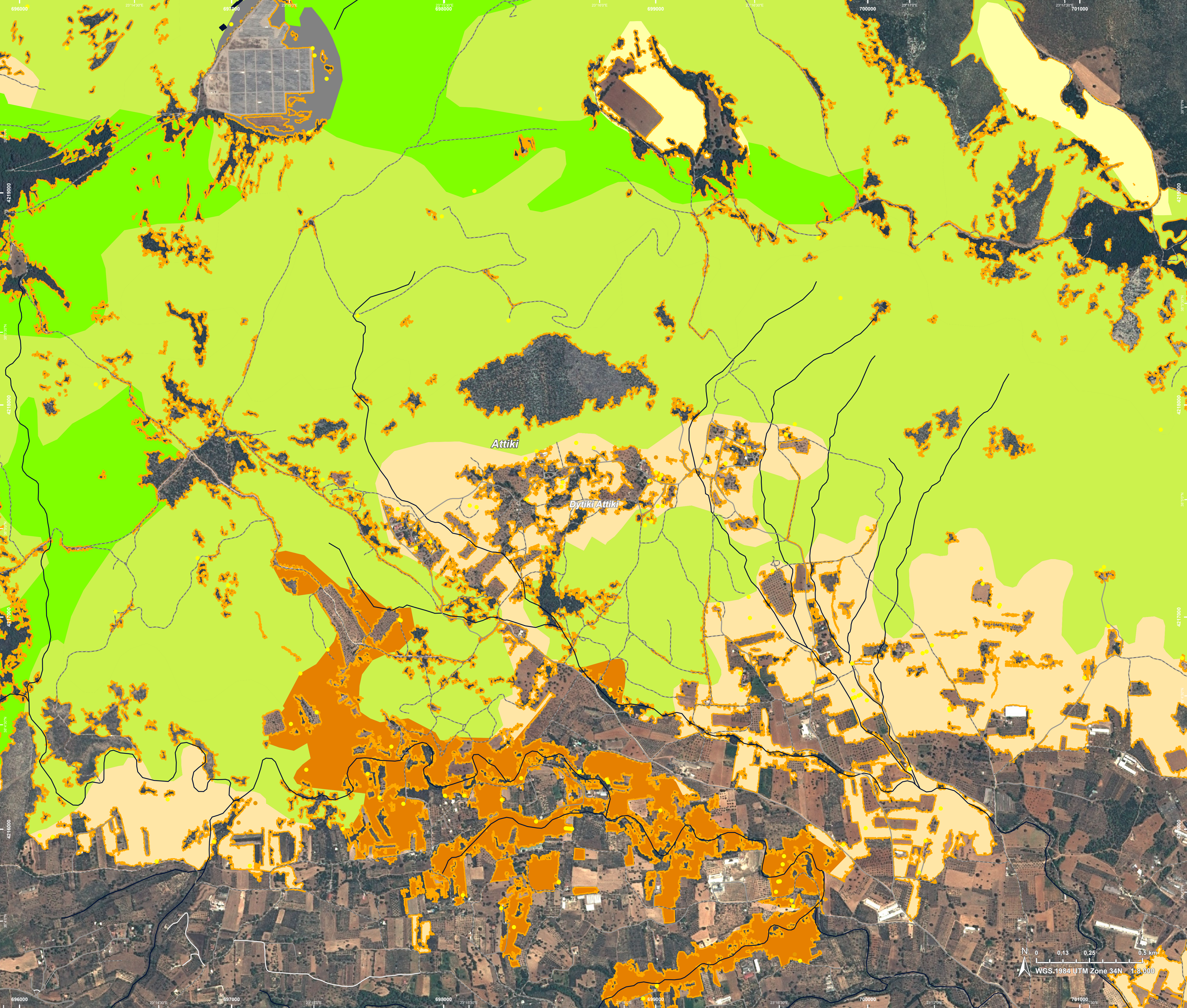
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Crisis Information	Affected Land Use-Cover
Burnt Area	Arable land
Built Up Grading	Permanent crops
Damaged	Heterogeneous agricultural areas
Possibly damaged	Forest
Transportation Grading	Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation associations
Main road, No visible damage	Other
Local road, No visible damage	Hydrography
Track, No visible damage	Lake, River

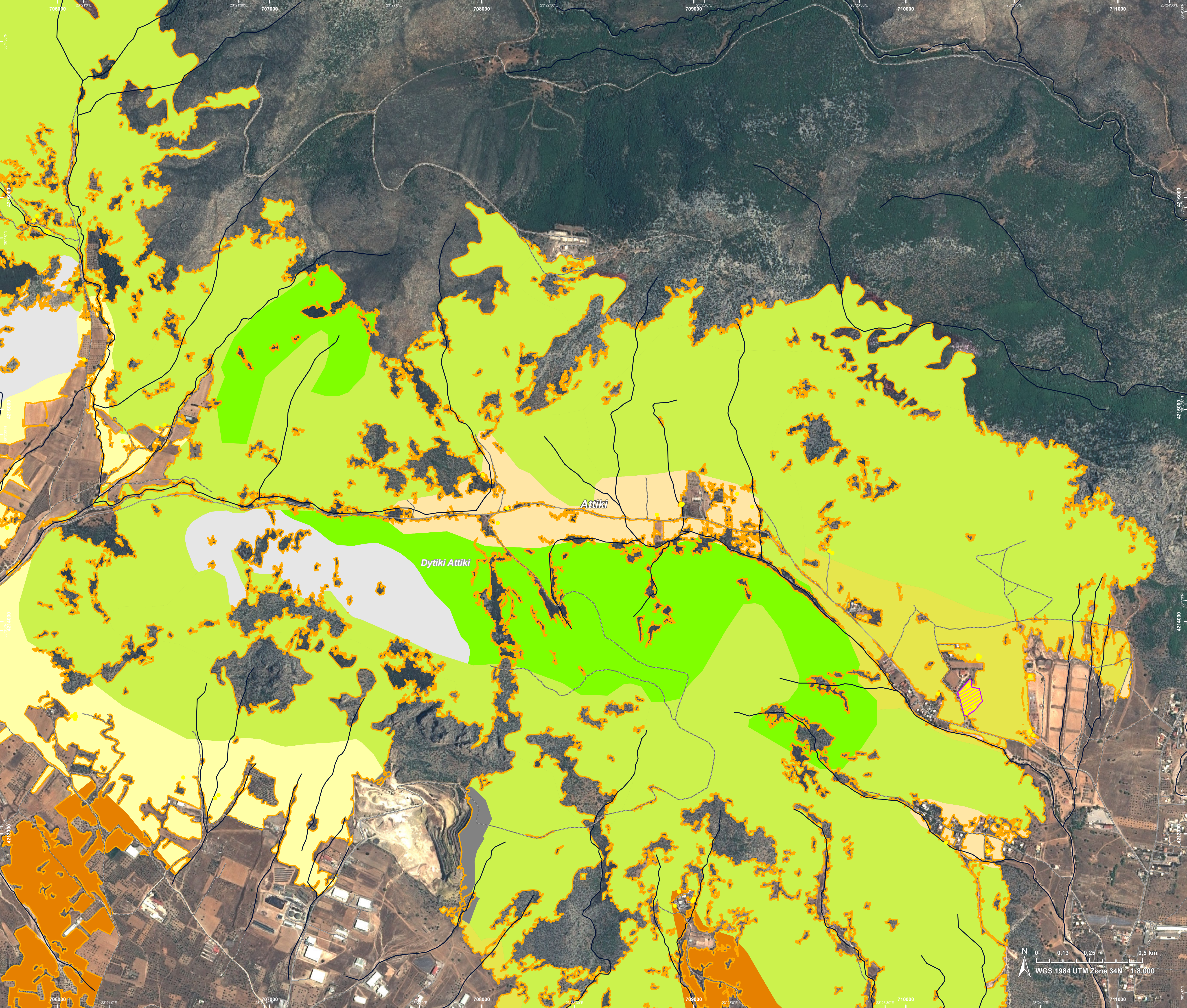
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Crisis Information	Affected Land Use-Cover
 Burnt Area	 Arable land
Built Up Grading	 Permanent crops
 Possibly damaged	 Pastures
Facilities Grading	 Heterogeneous agricultural areas
 Possibly damaged	 Forest
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 Local road, No visible damage	 Open spaces with little or no vegetation
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Consequences within the AOI

			Unit of measurement	LATEST IMPACT				
				Imagery-based observation				
Crisis information	Burnt area		ha					14.635,8
	Maximum of all extents*		ha					14.635,8
				Destroyed	Damaged	Possibly damaged*	Total affected**	Total in AOI
Estimated population		Inhabitants	No.	0	45	1.047	~ 450	~ 27.000
Assets	Built-up	Residential Buildings	No.	0	45	1.047	1.092	1.092
		Airfield runways	ha	0	0	0	0	2,1
		Helipad	ha	0	0	0	0	0,4
		Airfield runways	km	0	0	0	0	4,4
		Highways	km	0	0	0	0	36,9
		Primary Road	km	0	0	0	0	52,9
		Secondary Road	km	0	0	0	0	120,0
		Local Road	km	0	0	0	0	788,4
		Cart Track	km	0	0	0	0	1.168,2
		Long-distance railways	km	0	0	0	0	42,3
	Facilities	Settling Basin	ha	0	0	0	0	1,5
		Breakwater	ha	0	0	0	0	0,2
		Constructions for mining or extraction	ha	0	0	0	0	63,2
		Power plant constructions	ha	0	0	2,3	2,3	72,7
		Sport and recreation constructions	ha	0	0	0	0	28,2
		Long-distance pipelines, communication and electricity lines	km	0	0	0	0	74,7
		Local pipelines and cables	km	0	0	0	0	2,7
			Land use	Shrub and/or herbaceous vegetation association	ha			
Forests	ha						2.317,3	10.922,1
Permanent crops	ha						1.224,0	8.941,0
Heterogeneous agricultural areas	ha						600,3	7.533,1
Pastures	ha						468,2	745,9
Open spaces with little or no vegetation	ha						442,7	1.384,0
Arable land	ha						202,7	1.287,1
Other	ha						102,0	5.709,5
Inland wetlands	ha						0	41,0

* Presence of damage proxies and proximity with destroyed/damaged asset

** Sum of all damage classes

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Data Access:

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Estimated Population:

Estimated population is based on Copernicus Global Human Settlement Layer (GHSL) dataset. Additional population datasets and analysis are available in the summary table.

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