



# A Fragile Watermarking Approach for Earth Observation Data Integrity Protection

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## **Motivation**

#### **EO Data Capabilities**

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## Access and deployment of EO Data



## Risks faced by EO Data

**Unauthorized Distribution** 



#### Data Tampering



## **Proposed Approach**

**Digital Watermarking** 

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## Watermark Synchronization



## Fragile & Robust Watermarking



## **EO-DIPRE** Architecture



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## **Experimental Validation**

**Tests & Results** 

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## Authenticity of Copies



## **Reduction of Distortion**



#### Watermark Size



## Land cover classification variations

#### Original

#### Watermarked



## **Tampering Detection**

Data • 1186500 records • 11 columns

Despite the lack of visual clues

lsb = 1msb = 4

*n* = 37

 $tolerance \le 10\%$ 





n = 37 lsb > 1 msb = 4 changes > 10%



## Conclusions

**Closing Arguments & Future Work** 

## Contributions

- Extenze cover for digital watermarking (fragile and robust)
  - Dimensions vs. facts (multiple facts)
  - Additional metrics for imperceptibility perception
- Variable Selection of components involved
  - Multiple-layers for tampering detection
  - Calibration of carriers
- Dynamic generation of WM sources

## Future Work







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