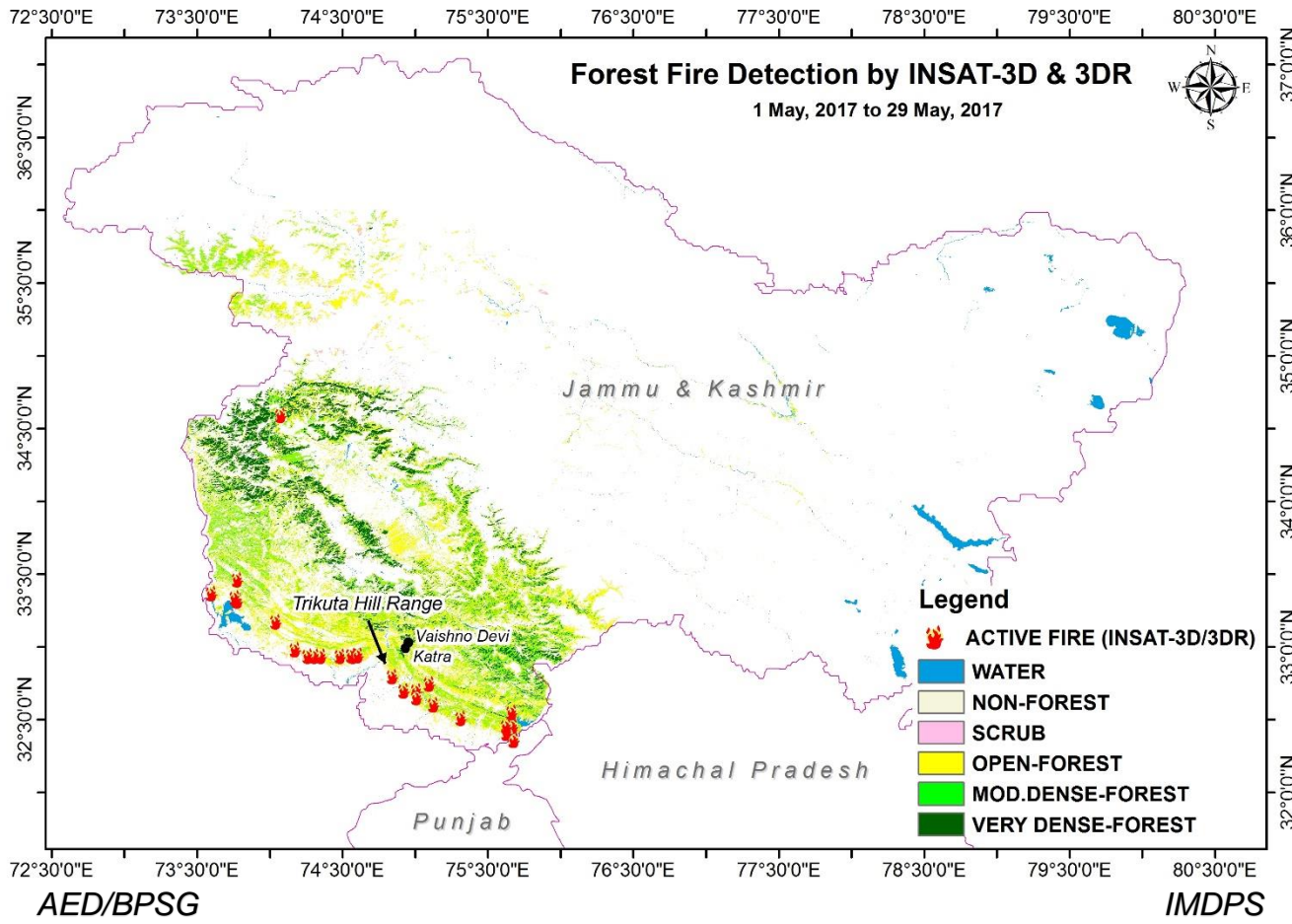


Forest Fire in J&K detected by INSAT-3D/3DR Imager

A forest fire broke in the Trikuta Hills (Reasi District, Jammu & Kashmir), Near Vaishno Devi, Katra, Jammu which is captured by fire product from INSAT-3D & 3DR.

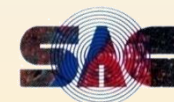


Datewise Fire Counts

01-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
04-MAY-2017 – 2 fire
05-MAY-2017 – 4 fire
07-MAY-2017 – 2 fire
08-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
10-MAY-2017 – 2 fire
11-MAY-2017 – 2 fire
12-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
13-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
15-MAY-2017 – 2 fire
18-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
20-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
22-MAY-2017 – 1 fire
23-MAY-2017 – 5 fire
25-MAY-2017 – 5 fire
26-MAY-2017 – 4 fire
27-MAY-2017 – 2 fire
29-MAY-2017 – 2 fire

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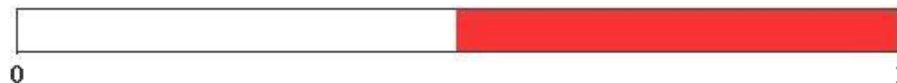
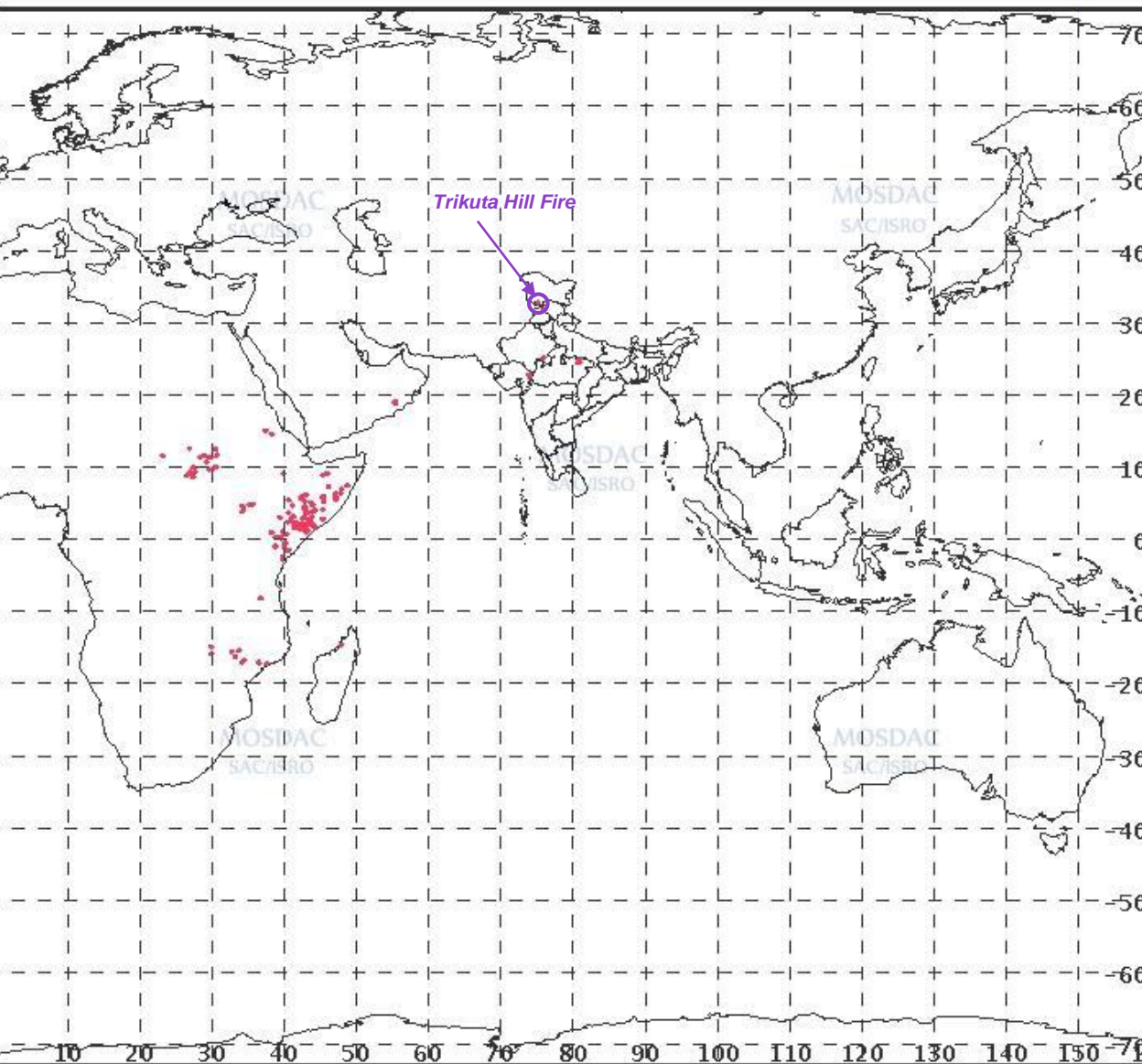




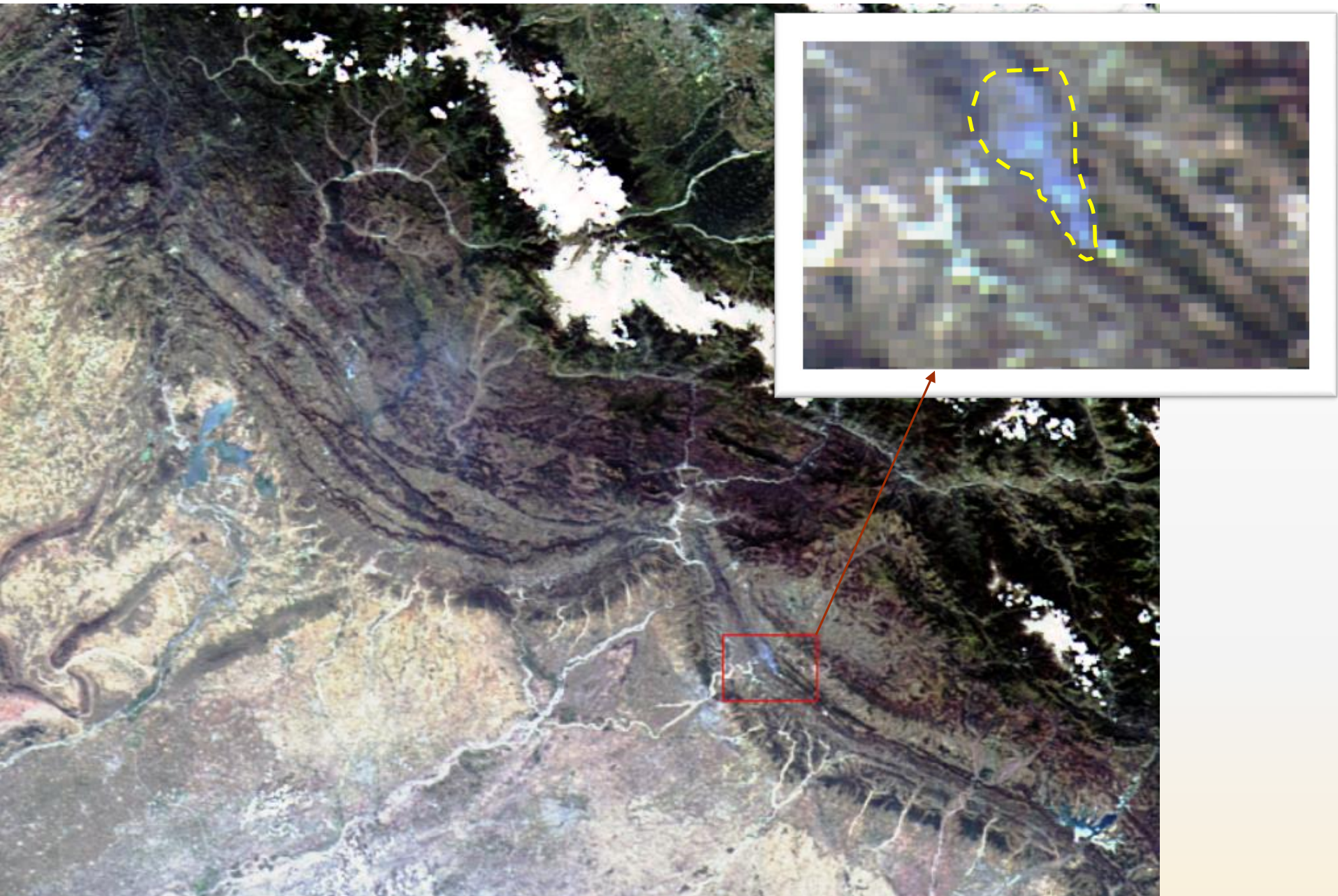
Active Forest Fire detected in J&K by INSAT-3DR & INSAT-3D Imager (May, 2017)

HIGHLIGHTS

- A major fire had broke out during 27th May night in Trikuta Hills, near Mata Vaishno Devi, in Katra town of Reasi district, Jammu and Kashmir.
- Earlier fire incidence on May 18 was also reported by Shrine Board which was doused by Air Force and other agencies.
- Around 25,000 devotees from across the country, were affected due to closure of various services due to fire.
- INSAT-3D/3DR based active forest fire product has detected fire events in Trikuta hills during these dates. Apart from it we have also detected several other fire events across the forested hill range of Trikuta and environs which were validated with MODIS and VIIRS fire products.



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**The plume originating from the Trikuta Hills is also seen on OCM data
(27 May, 2017)**