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### **EnerGEO Geoportal**

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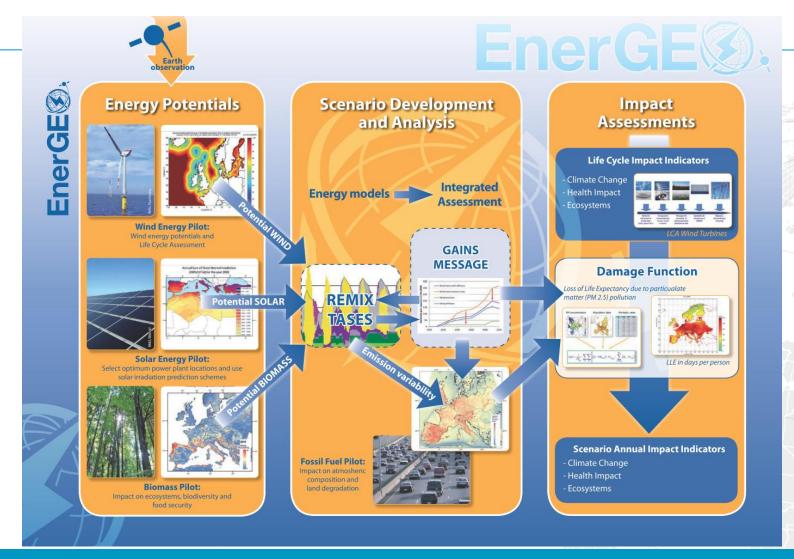


## **Objectives of EU FP 7 EnerGEO**

- EnerGEO develops products and methodologies that provide energy companies, consultants and policy makers (local, regional, global) with the tools to evaluate the environmental impact of changes in energy use in terms of the complete life cycle including exploration, development, exploitation, maintenance and decommissioning based on the use of the *Global Earth Observation System of Systems (GEOSS)* capacities. This strategy is demonstrated for a variety of energy resources worldwide (fossil fuels, biomass, solar and wind energy).
- EnerGEO combines:
- 1. Existing energy system models and models capable of assessing and forecasting environmental impacts and costs of energy exploitation
- 2. Existing global earth observation datasets from which environmental indicators are derived in order to quantify changes to freshwater systems, biosphere, ecosystems, atmosphere and oceans

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# EU FP7 EnerGEO



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### **GEO Context**

 EnerGEO represents a major contribution of the European Commission to GEOSS, in particular to the Societal Benefit Area (SBA) Energy and the GEOtasks

- EN-07-02 (Energy Environmental Impact Monitoring) and
- EN-07-03 (Energy Policy Planning)
- (or any GEO Workpackage derived from these).

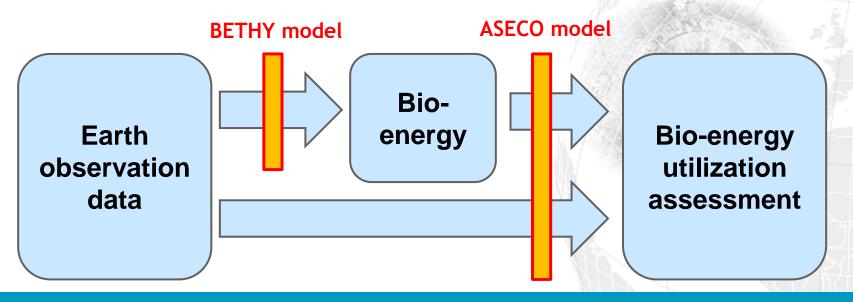
 By developing a distributed system based on the recommendations of the GEO-Architecture and Data Committee (ADC), global collection and dissemination of data relating to the impact of energy use on the environment will be supported.





### AIP-5 Bio-energy assessment for Pakistan

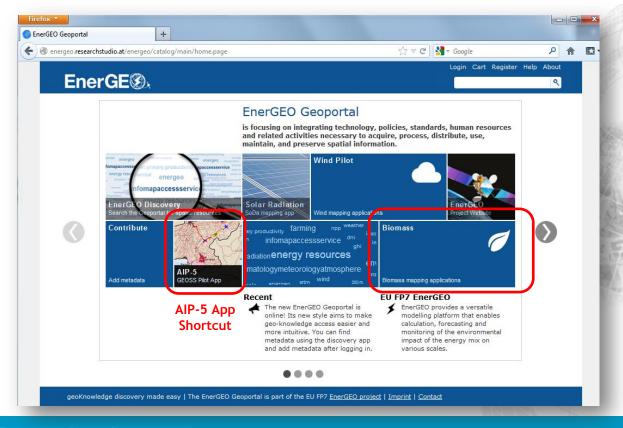
- The AIP-5 Bio-energy case-study for Pakistan is dedicated to bio-energy assessment based on earth observation data
- Focus lies on spatial and temporal discrete biomass growth.
- The models BETHY by DLR and ASECO by RSA show how spatial discrete energy demand could be covered by biomass and already existing transport, plant and grid infrastructure (2001-2010)





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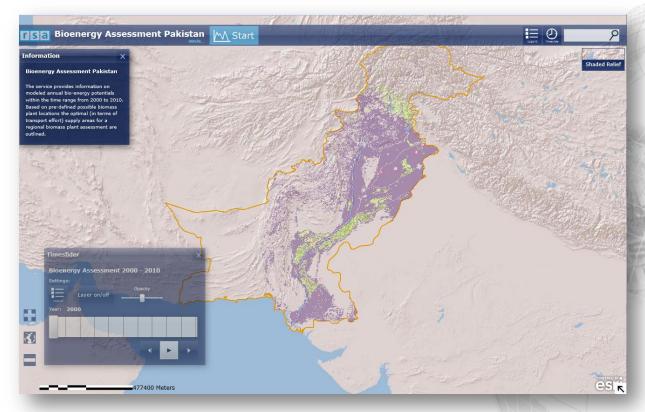
 Introductory Information is available in the Energeo Community Portal <u>http://geoportal.energeo-project.eu</u>





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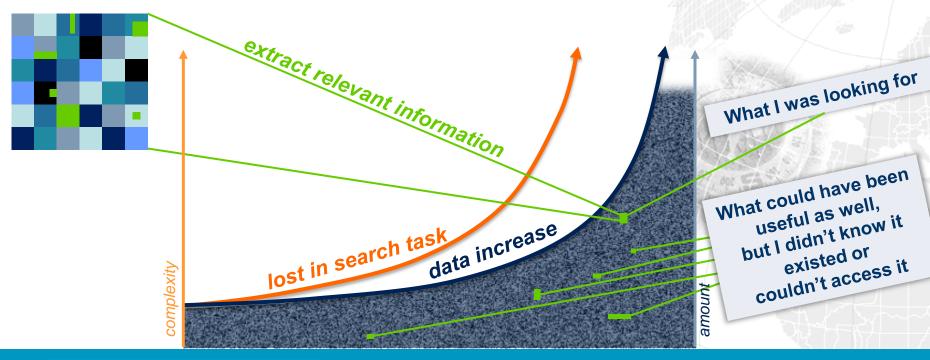
 Presentation of the Biomass- assessment pilot for Pakistan in a spatio-temporal enabled web-service





### **Information Discovery**

- New IT trends open up increasing amounts of data every day
- Discovering & extracting the right information is a major challenge

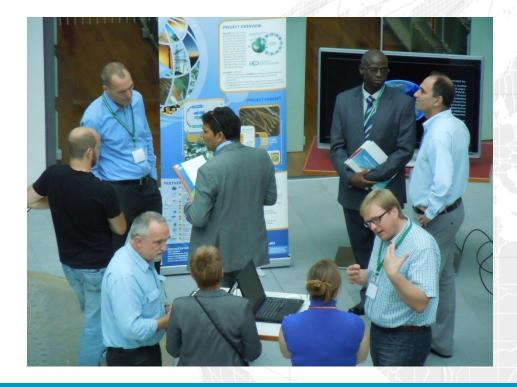




### Structured metadata as basis for Discovery

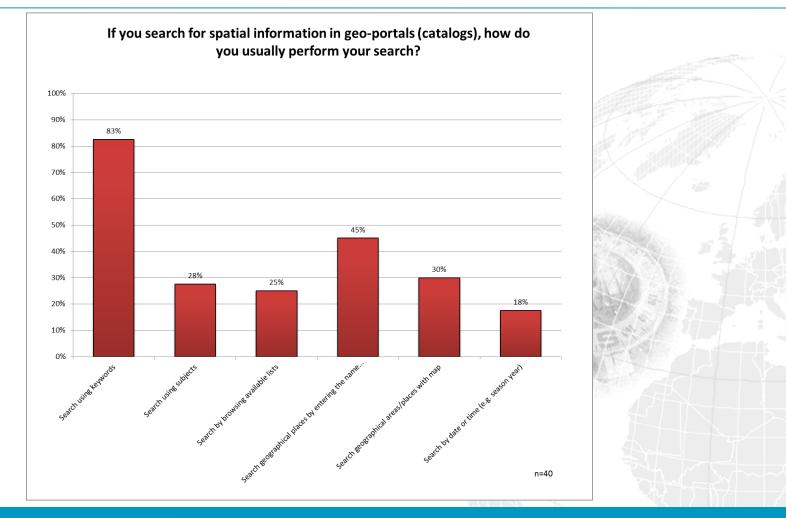
- Based on standards and frameworks (e.g. ISO 19115, 19119, 19139, 19110, INSPIRE, GEOSS)
- Survey: 42 persons of the GEO Community responded







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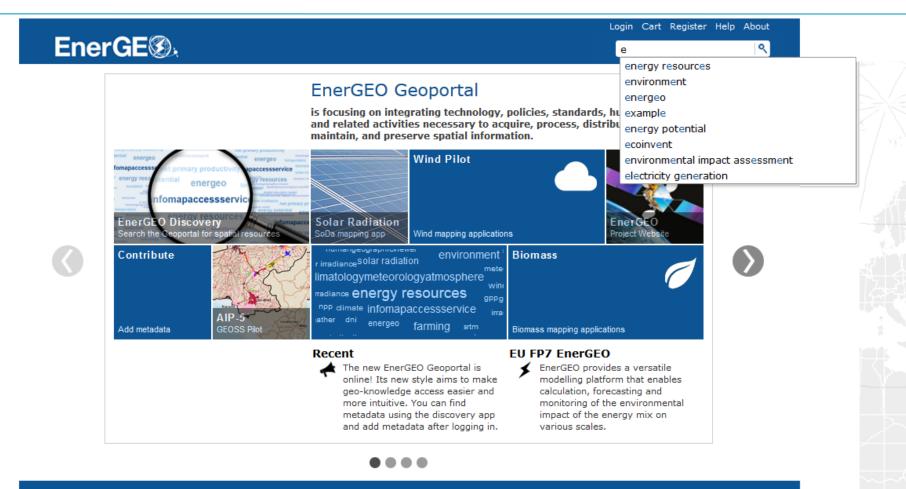
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### **Discovery in the EnerGEO Geoportal**

- Discovery improvement in current Geoportal solutions by applying methods such as
  - Autosuggestion lists
  - Tag clouds
  - Recommender Systems
  - Contextual similarity of texts







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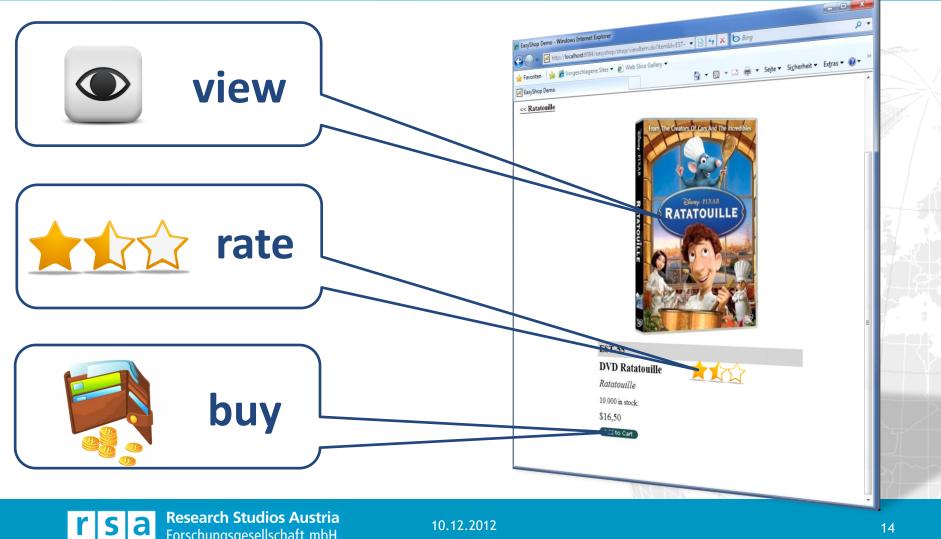


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#### **Recommendations enhancing (Geo-) Web Discovery**

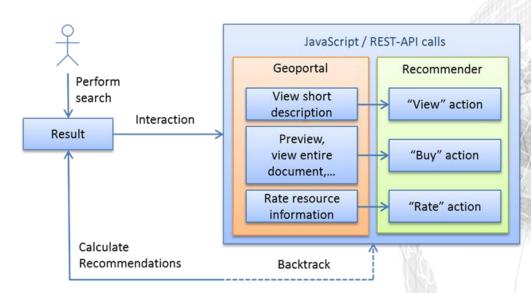


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#### Recommendation strategies for Georesources

- Integration of recommendations based on user interactions
  - Improvement of discovery in Geoportals by "tracking" user's interactions with the search results & resources
  - Analogy between Geoportal interactions and recommenders:



Integration of contextual similarity of texts



### Implementation

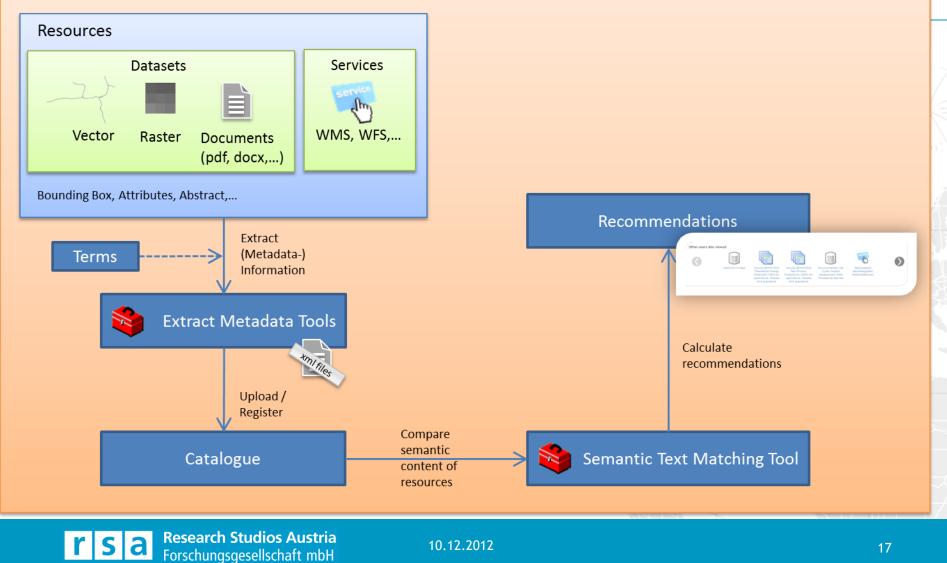
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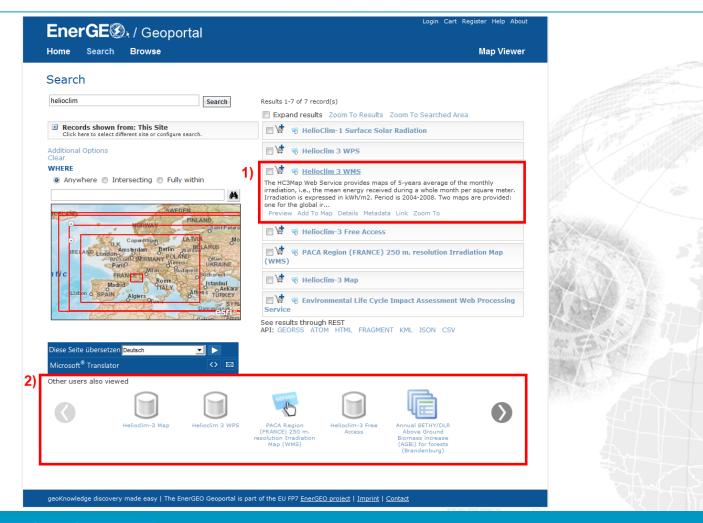




#### (Semi-)automatic Metadata Extraction and Semantic Text Matching to improve Discovery



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# **Discussion**

- Recommender systems improve the quality of search results
- Additional "links" between resources based on experiences of other users are established and presented
- Incorporation of additional material (pdfs, doc) together with contextual similarity enhances the concept of recommendations (especially when having few users)



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