Instantaneous Glacier Loss Through Catastrophic Collapse

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Global relevance



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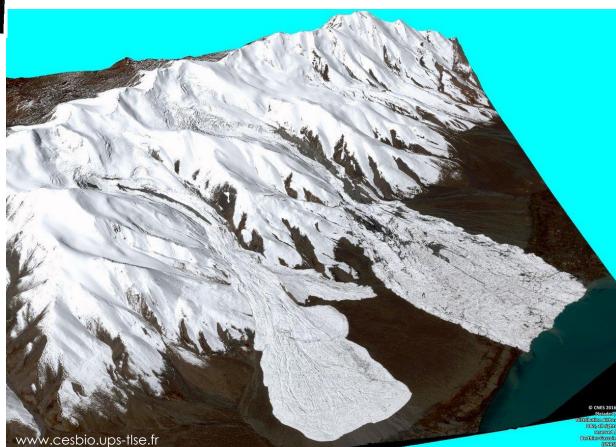
2002 Kolka Glacier detachment, Russian Caucasus Death toll ~130 people



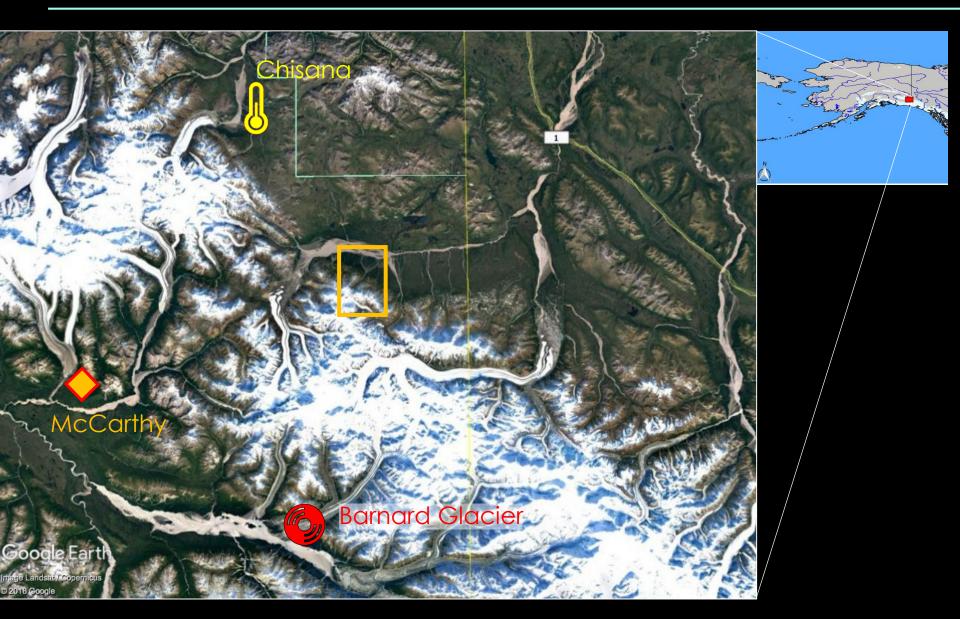
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2016 Aru Glacier detachments Death toll ~9 herders, hundreds of animals

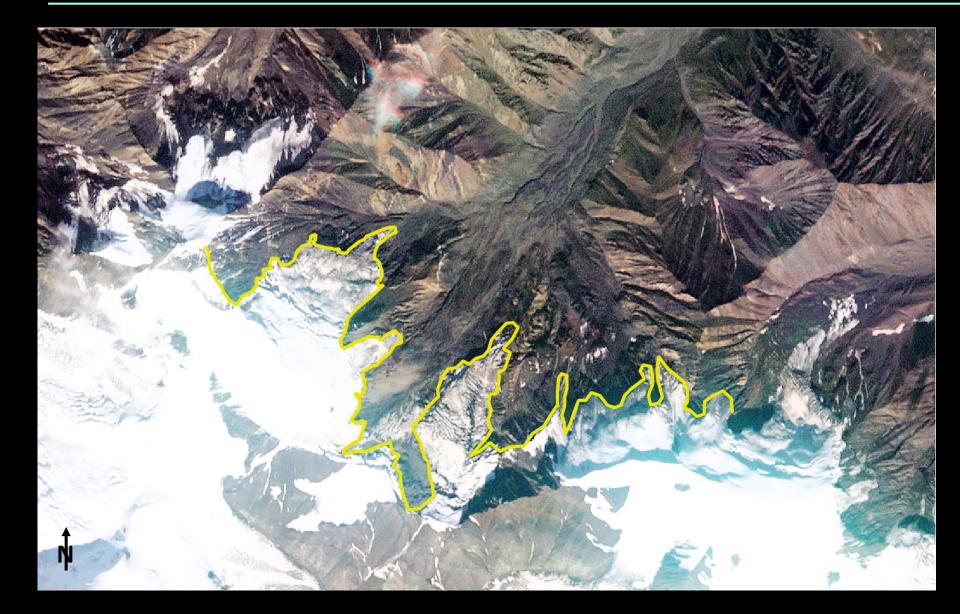


"Flat Creek"

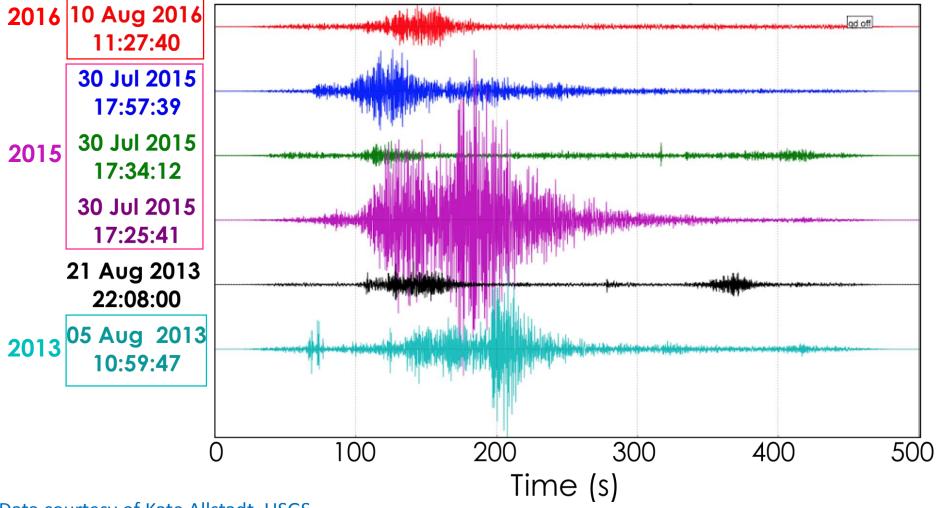




Before – After (Planet Labs)

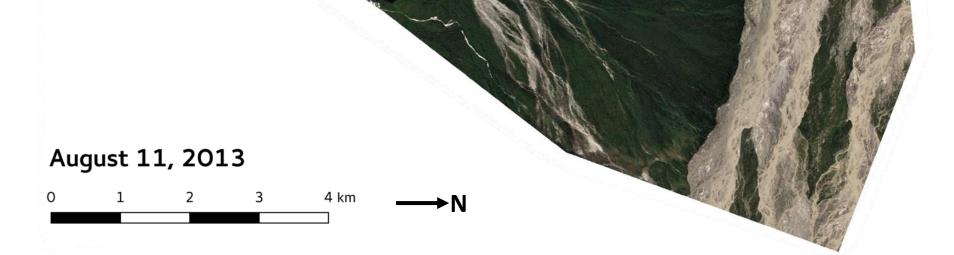


Seismic Data

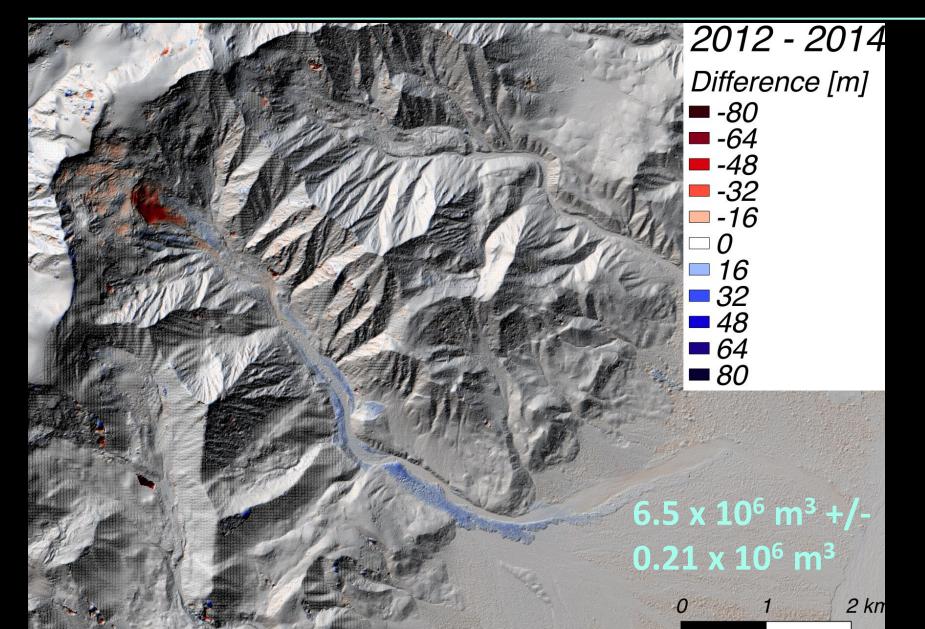


Data courtesy of Kate Allstadt, USGS

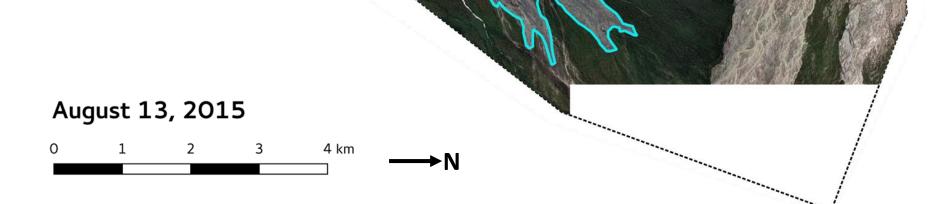
August 5 2013



DEM Difference 2013



July 30 2015



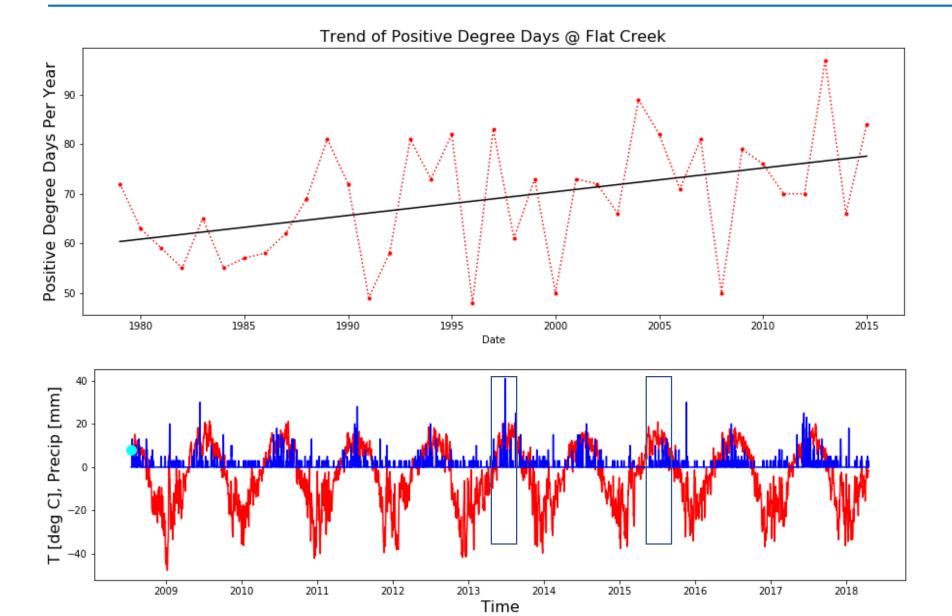
Dem Difference 2015

2014 - 2016 Difference [m] **-80** -64 -48 -32 -16 0 16 32 48 64 80

21.2 x 10⁶ m³ +/-0.5 x 10⁶ m³

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Climate Data

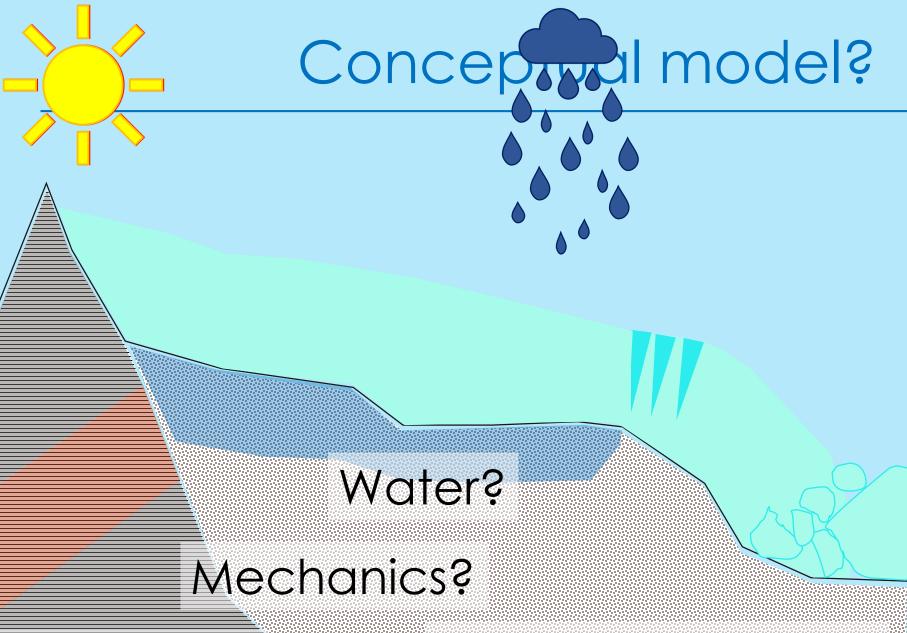


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Glacier Dynamics?