

# K&C product development

## Work Approach

### 1. Methodology development

- **Development of algorithms and methods** required to support the specific information requirements identified (e.g. annual biomass change, wetland flooding dynamics, etc.);

### 2. Regional “prototype” demonstration

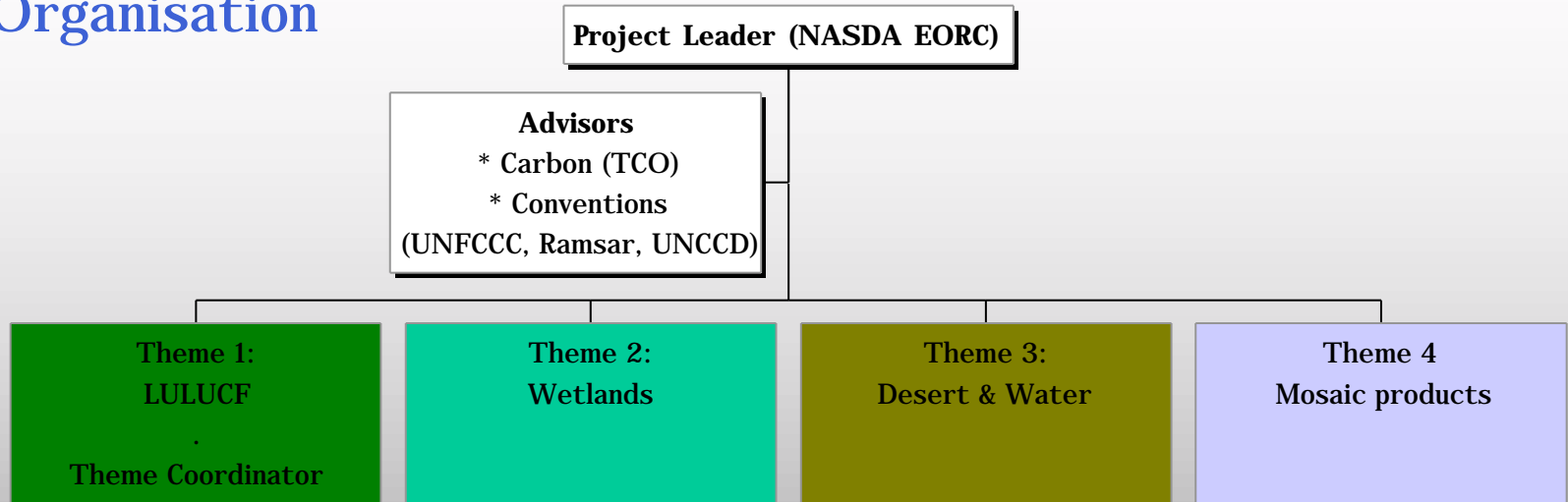
- **Operational demonstration** of the methodology to a “large” (regional/continental scale) geographical region;

### 3. Global-scale extrapolation

- Implementation of a **Systematic Data Observation Strategy** to enable application of the methods developed to any other area on Earth.

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## Theme Coordinators:

- Wetlands: Laura Hess
- LULUCF: Craig Dobson
- Desert & Water: Philippe Paillou
- Mosaic Products: Bruce Chapman

## Product Managers:

- Theme Coordinators + Thuy Le Toan, Chris Schmallius, Bill Salas, Dirk Hoekman, Kyle McDonald, R. Tateishi, M. Shimada, Tony Milne, Richard Lucas, Alberto Moreira, Paul Siqueira, (Frank Degrandi), + others

## Advisors:

- Carbon: Shaun Quegan
- UNFCCC/Kyoto Protocol: Y. Yamagata
- Ramsar Convention: Max Finlayson