

An aerial photograph of a dense, lush green forest. A dirt road winds through the trees, curving from the bottom left towards the bottom right. The trees are a mix of dark green and lighter green, suggesting different species or stages of growth. The lighting is bright, creating high contrast between the dark and light green areas.

**FOREST DATA**  
Partnership

# A Collective Approach for Ending Deforestation and Accelerating Restoration

# The Forest Data Partnership

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Unites organizations, governments and private sector partners around **trusted, transparent geospatial data solutions** that enable credible monitoring, verification and disclosure of progress in reducing deforestation and restoring degraded lands.



# Five action-oriented work streams

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**Engage** partners  
and stakeholders



**Align** on  
foundational  
data gaps



**Innovate**  
demand-driven  
approaches



**Deploy**  
data delivery  
mechanisms



**Assess**  
impact

# Align

## **Actors across supply chains and financial sectors, governments, civil society, technology and service providers**

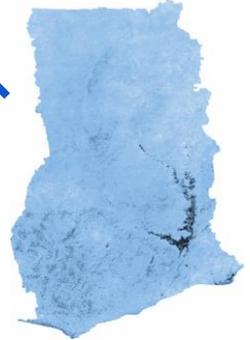
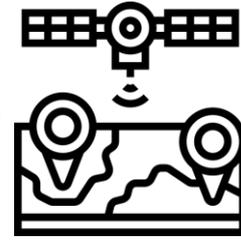
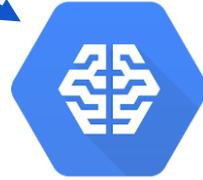
- Reaching beyond the usual suspects
- Local and place-based affected stakeholders to ensure representation

## **Current data challenges and obstacles to uptake and application of data, such as:**

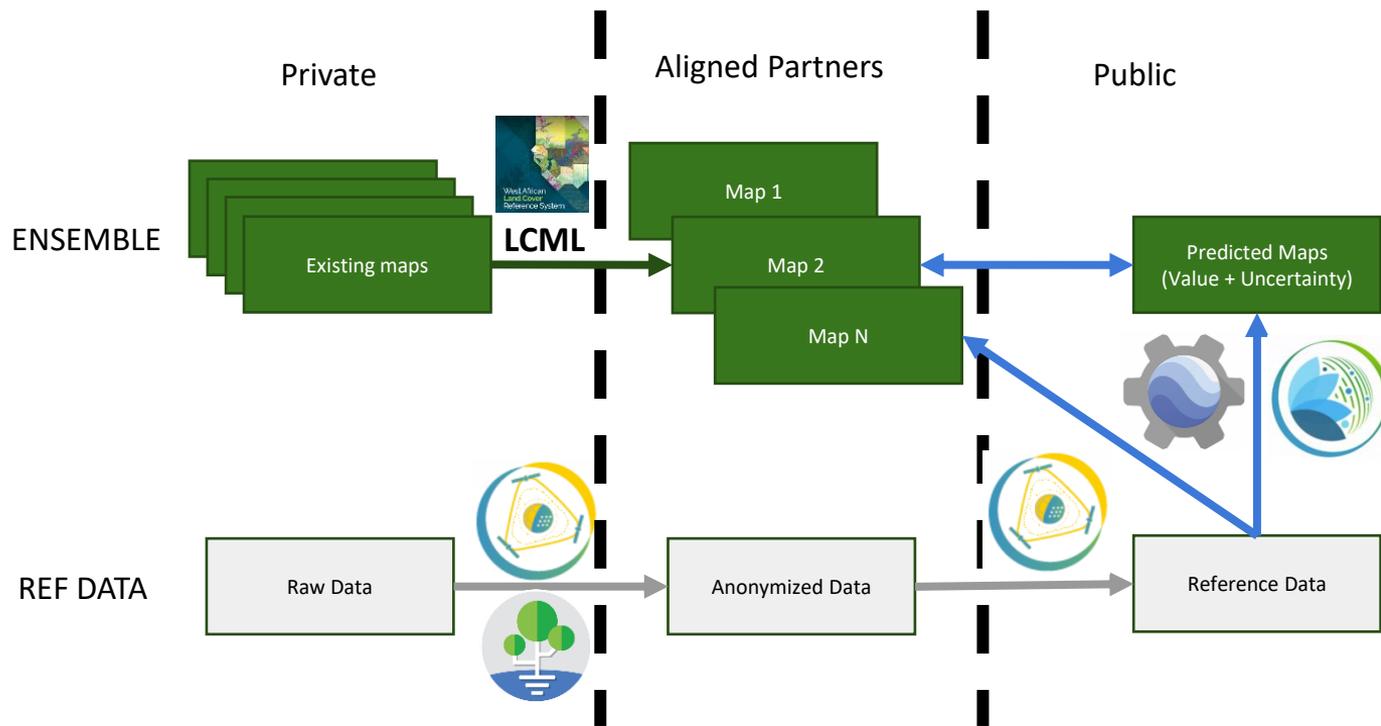
- Gaps (the data doesn't exist, or isn't accessible)
- Conflicts (scales, methods)
- Accuracy
- Definitions
- Applications

# Commodity mapping at scale: spatial prediction

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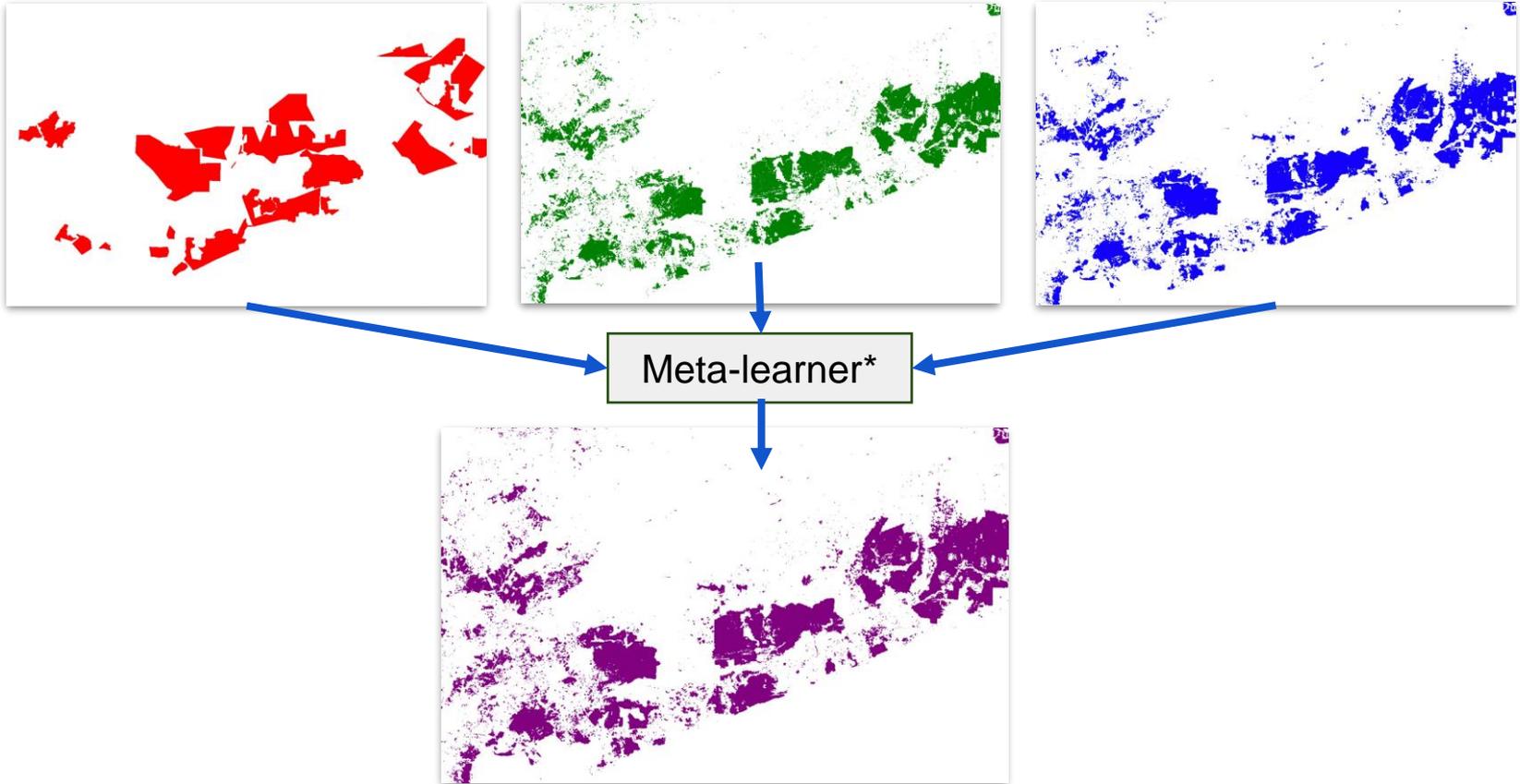


# Data flow schemes



# Which oil palm map should you believe? (Hint: trick question.)

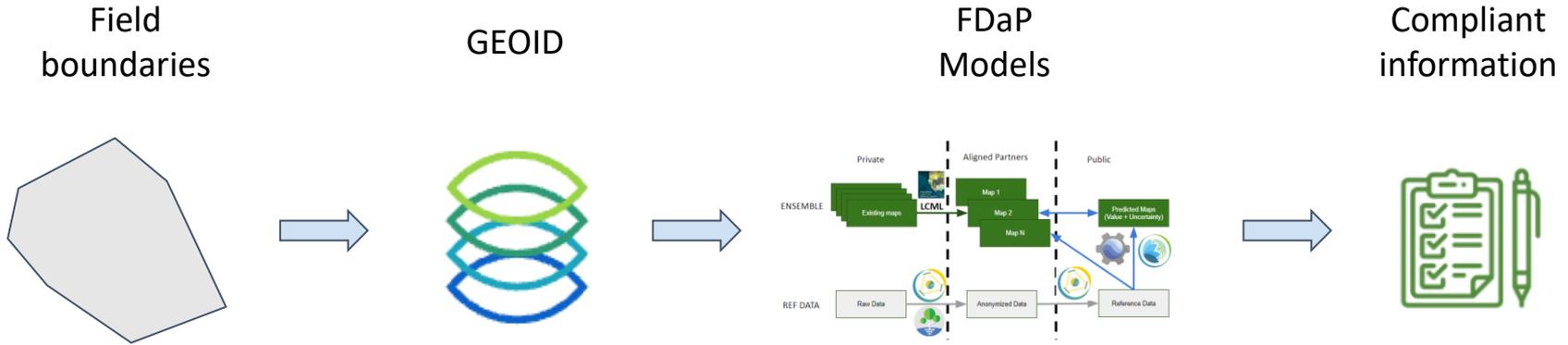
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\* [Wolpert, 1992, Stacked generalization.](#)

# Interoperability is key, FOSS is the key ring

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Free and Open Source tools ensure we can plug those processing blocks together

**THANK YOU**

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