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Abstract

Water is an important element and is classified as crucial for survival of life, since years of coexistence in nature, human is consistently coming across natural resources and few them have exhausted in past decades. In the current study The water bodies in Jalgaon district were mapped with the help of cloud-free Landsat_8 data sets. Surface water data sets for the year 2015, 2017 and 2020 were generated and analyzed for water and non water surfaces. Change in water bodies with respect to time was done and thus was helpful for studying the water dynamics in Jalgaon District. The technique of Normalized Difference Water Index (NDWI) was used to detect the surface water bodies. The NDWI-generated images were classified into water and non-water pixels, and an supervised classification was performed to find out accuracies of output. The NDWI method displays a good result of water surface detection with for the classified images.

The surface water-mapped images were used to classify the water into permanent water, seasonal water and new permanent water. The change detection is performed and mapped using geographic information system (GIS) operations to understand the surface water dynamics from 2015 to 2020. The results illustrated the effectiveness of the NDWI approach for surface water mapping and GIS for change detection analysis, especially in detecting the changes in different times, simultaneously.

Keywords Landsat_8 · NDWI · Surface water · GIS · Change detection

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Chapter 1.

Introduction

Water scarcity is one of the most important concerns in today's world. The mankind is suffering for the potable water lot in many corners of the world. Especially in our Maharashtra most of the population relies on natural water resources which are ample for few months after monsoon. In my current project all the water bodies in Jalgaon district were studied through data downloaded from USGS portals LANSAT-8 images. The current project Includes water bodies situated in Jalgaon District. The technique of normalized difference water index (NDWI) was used to detect the surface water bodies of the basin. The NDWI-generated images were classified into water and non-water pixels, and an accuracy assessment was performed to find out accuracies of output. The surface water-mapped images were used to classify the water into permanent water, seasonal water and new permanent water. The change detection is performed and mapped using geographic information system (GIS) operations to understand the surface water dynamics Seasonally from Nov, 2017- Nov, 2020. The results illustrated the effectiveness of the NDWI approach for surface water mapping and GIS for change detection analysis, especially in detecting the changes in different times, simultaneously.

Chapter 2.

Literature Review

1.2 Study Area Extraction and Image Registration

The Landsat-8 data used in this study were obtained from US Geological Survey (USGS) portal (<http://www.usgs.gov>).

Jalgaon District satellite images were extracted using Landsat 8 images from USGS (<http://www.usgs.gov>). All the bands of Landsat 8 data were layer-stacked to produce a single multi-band image for each date: Nov 2015, Nov 2017, and Nov 2020. Images were projected to UTM Zone 43 North. Project information of the training set was used to define the mean and variance of water and non-water classes. Training sets were chosen in such a way that they covered the full range of variability within each class to enable software to accurately classify the entire image. By setting priorities for these classes, the supervised classification of the image was performed by assigning a class value to all the pixels. For the classification of surface water, the maximum likelihood classification (MLC) algorithm was used, wherein a pixel was assigned to a class according to its probability of belonging to a particular class whose mean and covariance are modeled to form a normal distribution in multi-spectral feature space. The purpose of classifying NDWI images is to separate the surface water from land and other features so as to map the surface water correctly. Hence, the NDWI images were classified into two classes: water and non-water. The non-water pixels belong to the classes other than that of water.

Chapter 3.

Materials and Methods

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- TO extract the surface water bodies (seasonal and permanet) throgh RS and GIS techniqes
- Assessment of change detection in the seasonal and permanet water bodies in the study area

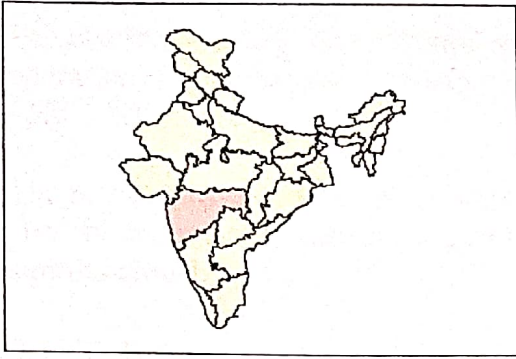
1.1 Study Area

Mapping of the surface water change selected for the Jalgaon District. It covers an area of about 6994.54 km². It lies between 21.0396° North latitudes and 75.5277° East longitudes.

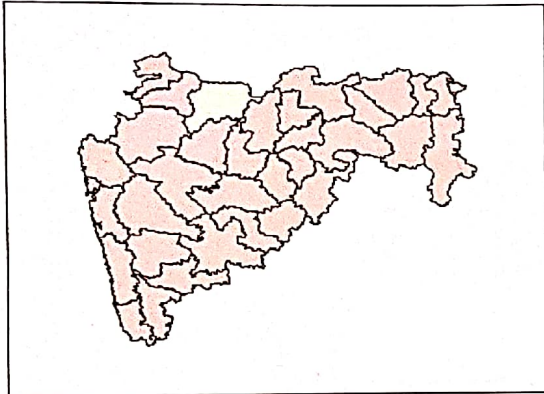
The current study has Areas of Jalgaon District compared for water availability in district in period of 5 years as studied subsequently from 2015, 2017 and 2020. Identified by USGS portal Land sat 8 images monsoon.

NDWI calculate formula [Green - band NIR ÷ Green+ band NIR]

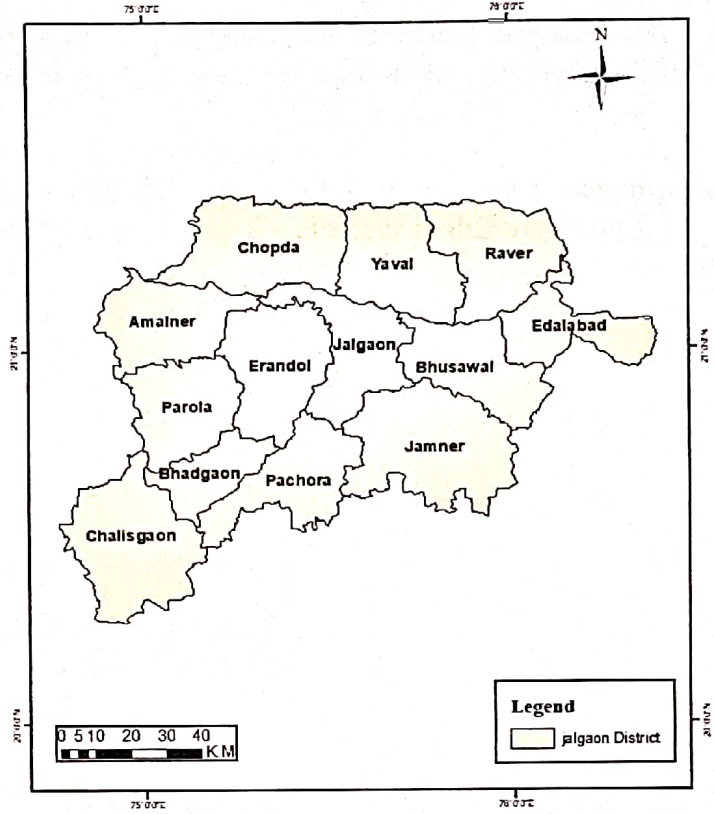
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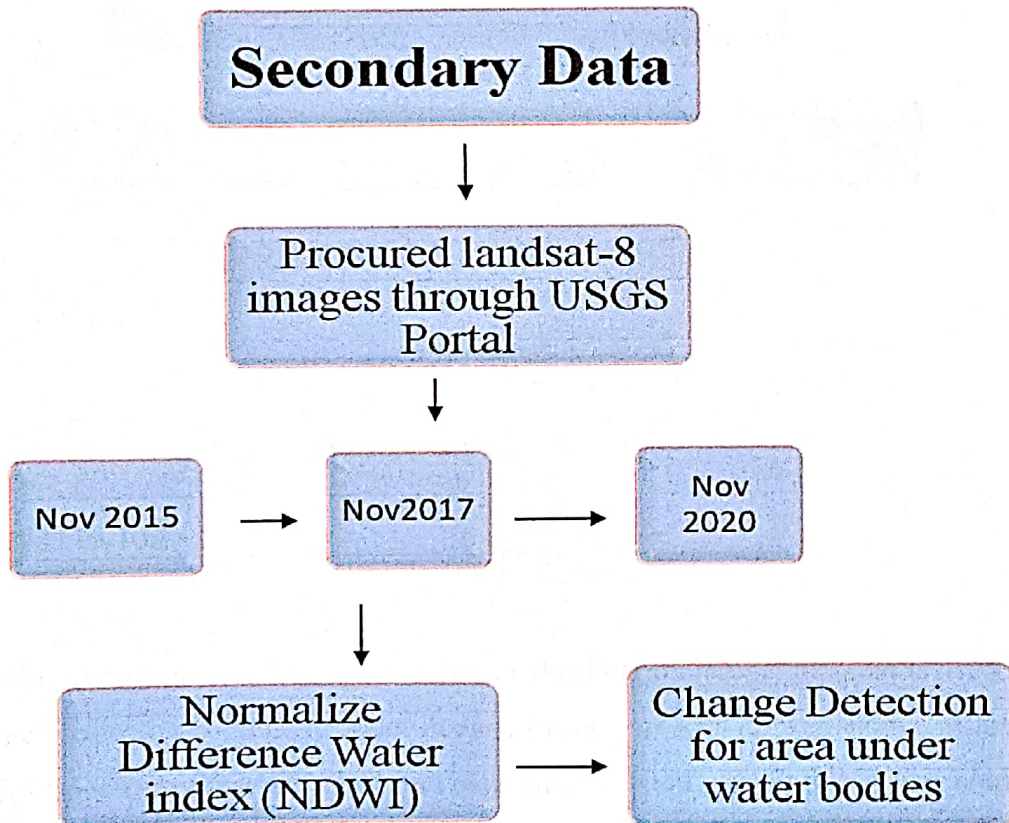
Location Map of Jalgaon District



DATA AND METHODOLOGY

- The change detection is performed and mapped using geographic information system (GIS) operations to understand the surface water dynamics Seasonally from Nov, 2015, Nov 2017 and - Nov, 2020.
- The results illustrated the effectiveness of the NDWI approach for surface water mapping and GIS for change detection analysis, especially in detecting the changes in different times, simultaneously.

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3.2 Table Supervised classification

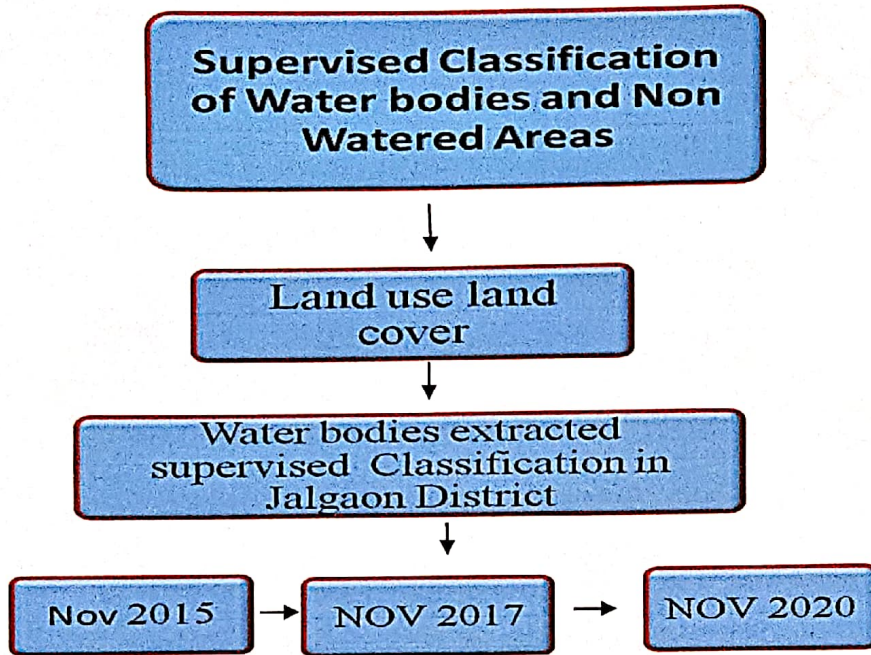
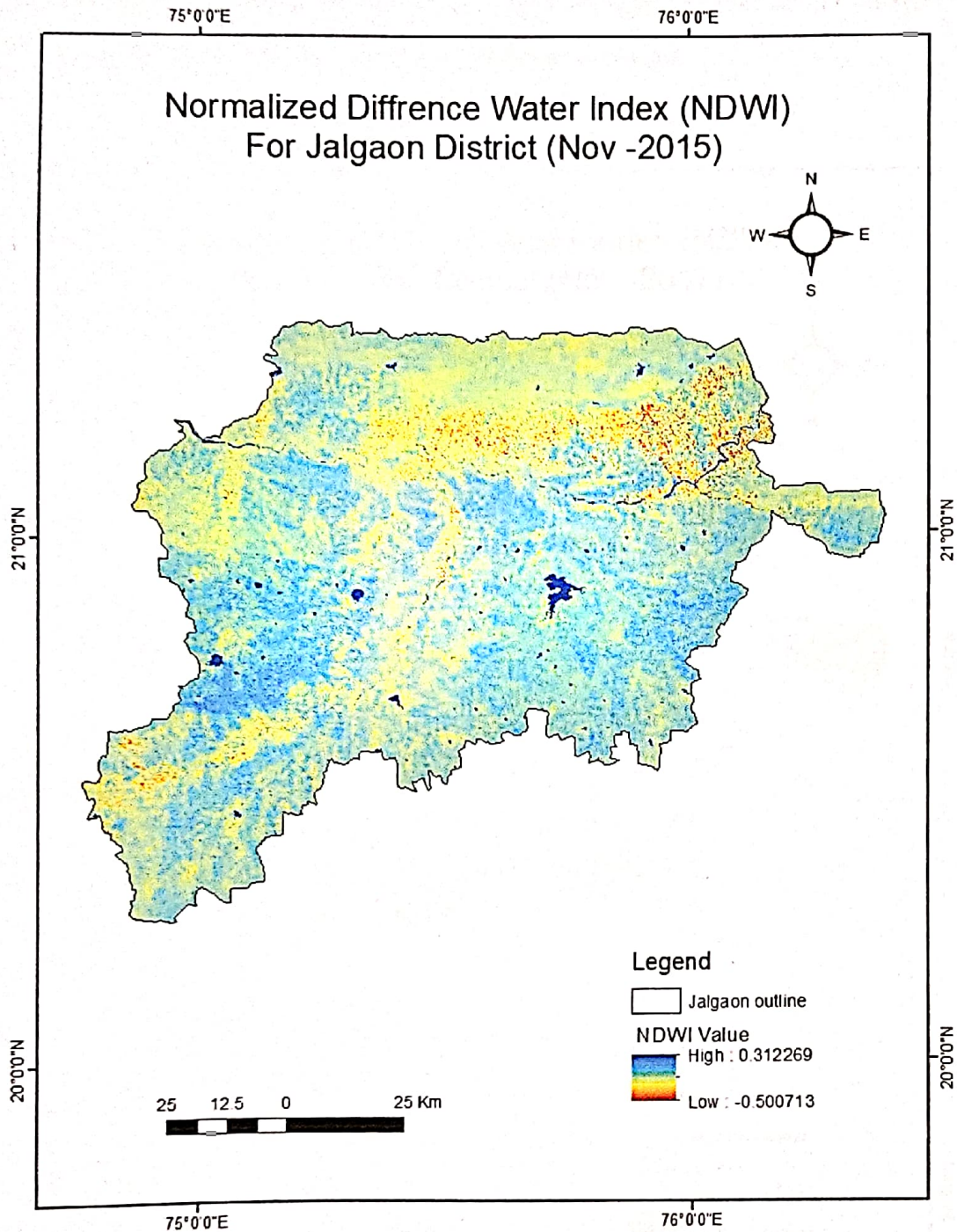


Image Interpretation

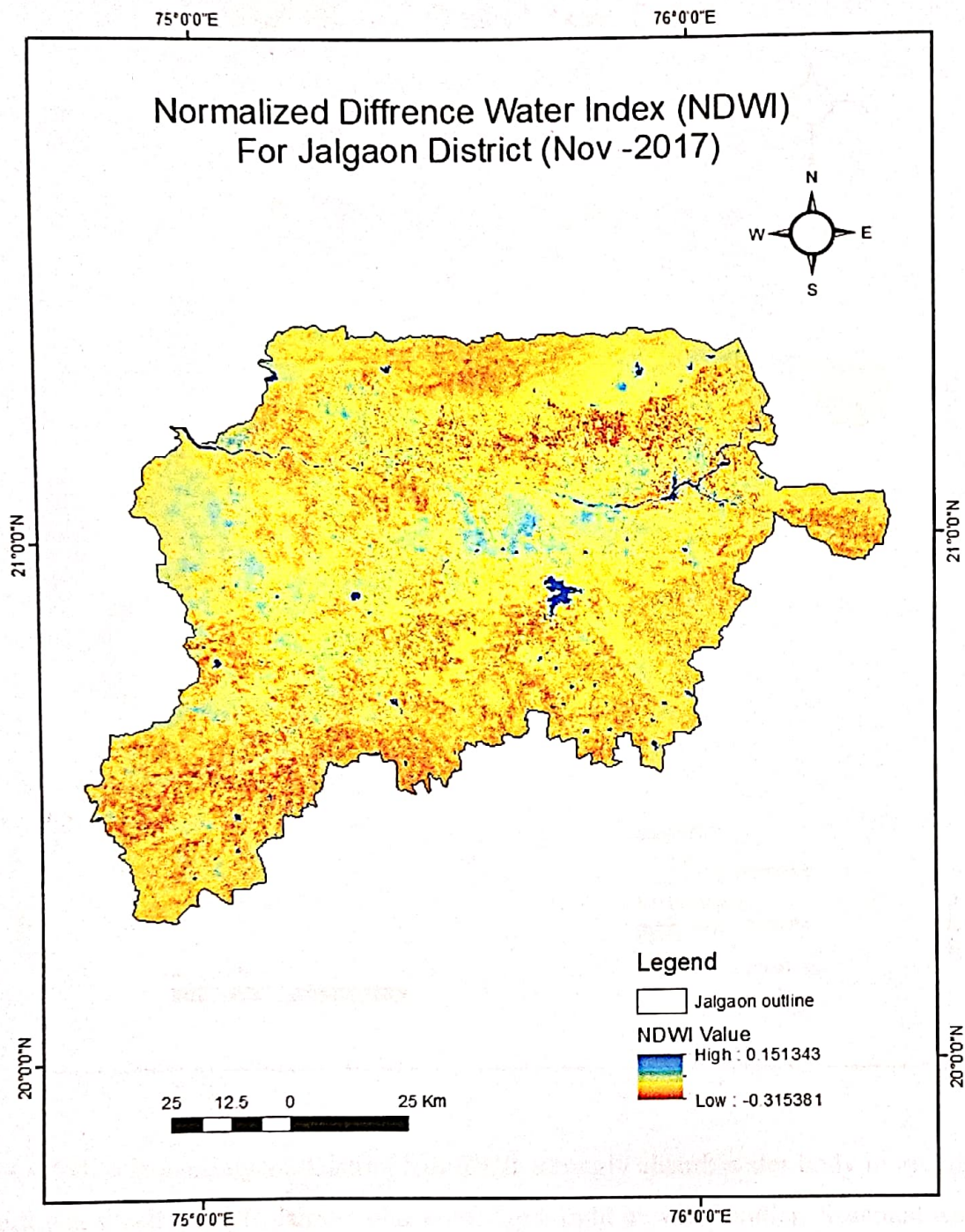
landsat_8 satellite image nov 2015 jalgaon district classification image the ndwi is used monitor changes related to water content in water bodies. strongly absorb light in visible infrared electromagnetic spectrum ndwi use green and near infrared band to high light water bodies it is sensitive to build up land can result in over estimation water bodies show Water body colour sky blue high light and land cover orange of colour. and red patches water body high light. green nir band wavelength micrometer 0.53_0.59 and 30 meter resolution and near-infrared 0.85-0.88 wavelength micrometer resolution

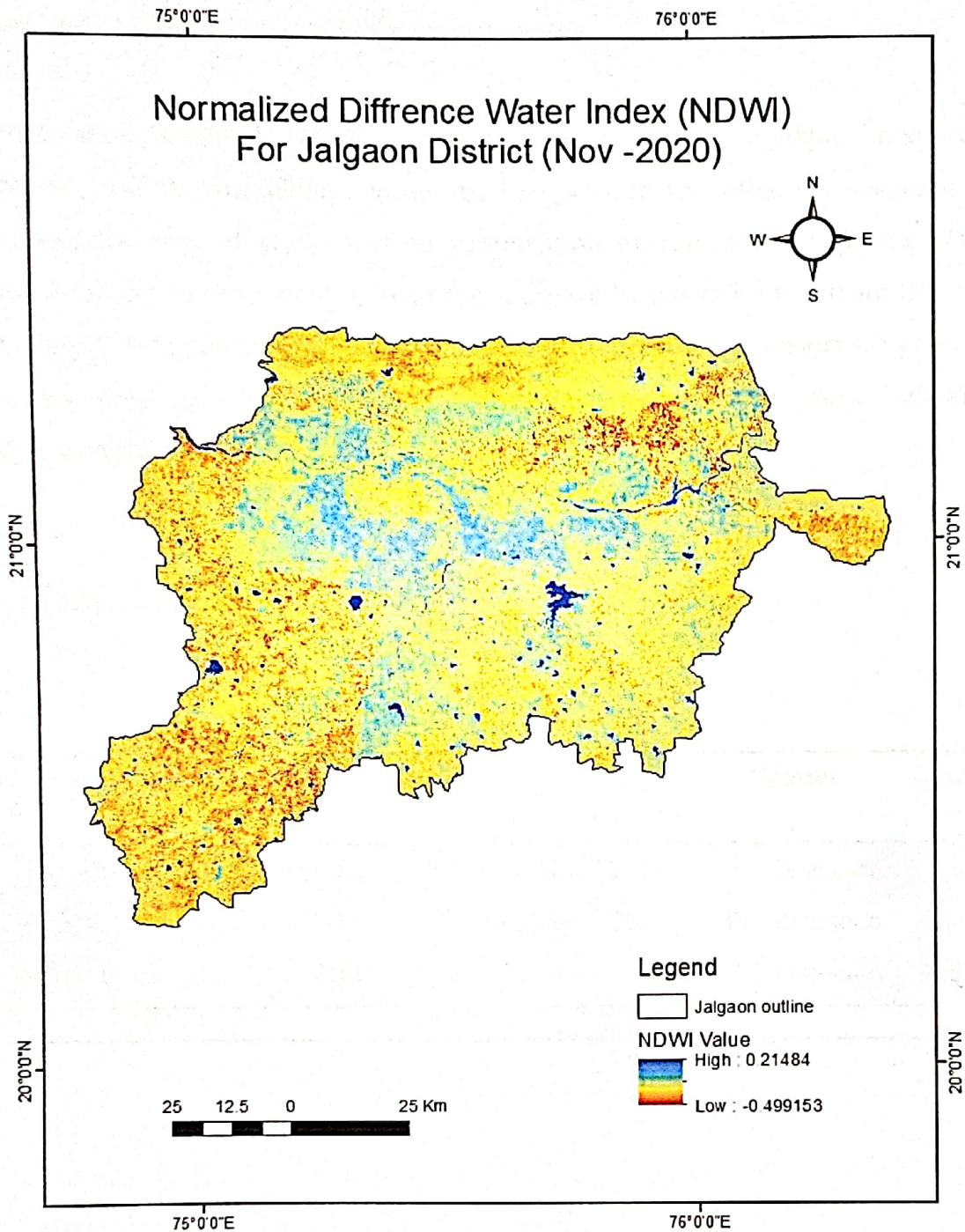
high water body value 0.311269
land cover value 0.500713



landsat_8 satellite image Nov 2017 Jalgaon district classification image the NDWI is used monitor changes related to water bodies. Strongly absorb light in visible infrared electromagnetic spectrum (NDWI) use green and near infrared band to high light can result in west side, decrease water bodies drought prone thasil Parola, Erondol, Dharangaon and ,Amalner, decrease water level and north side saturated increase water

thasil Raver and Yaval buildup water logged area over estimation water bodies. Water body shows the color blue high and land cover shows yellow color.





land sat 8 satellite image Jalgaon District Nov 2020 strongly absorb water body increases water level south side thasil Pachora Jamner blue color high light in water bodies. Seasonal water level increase with developed water dam and nearby river .

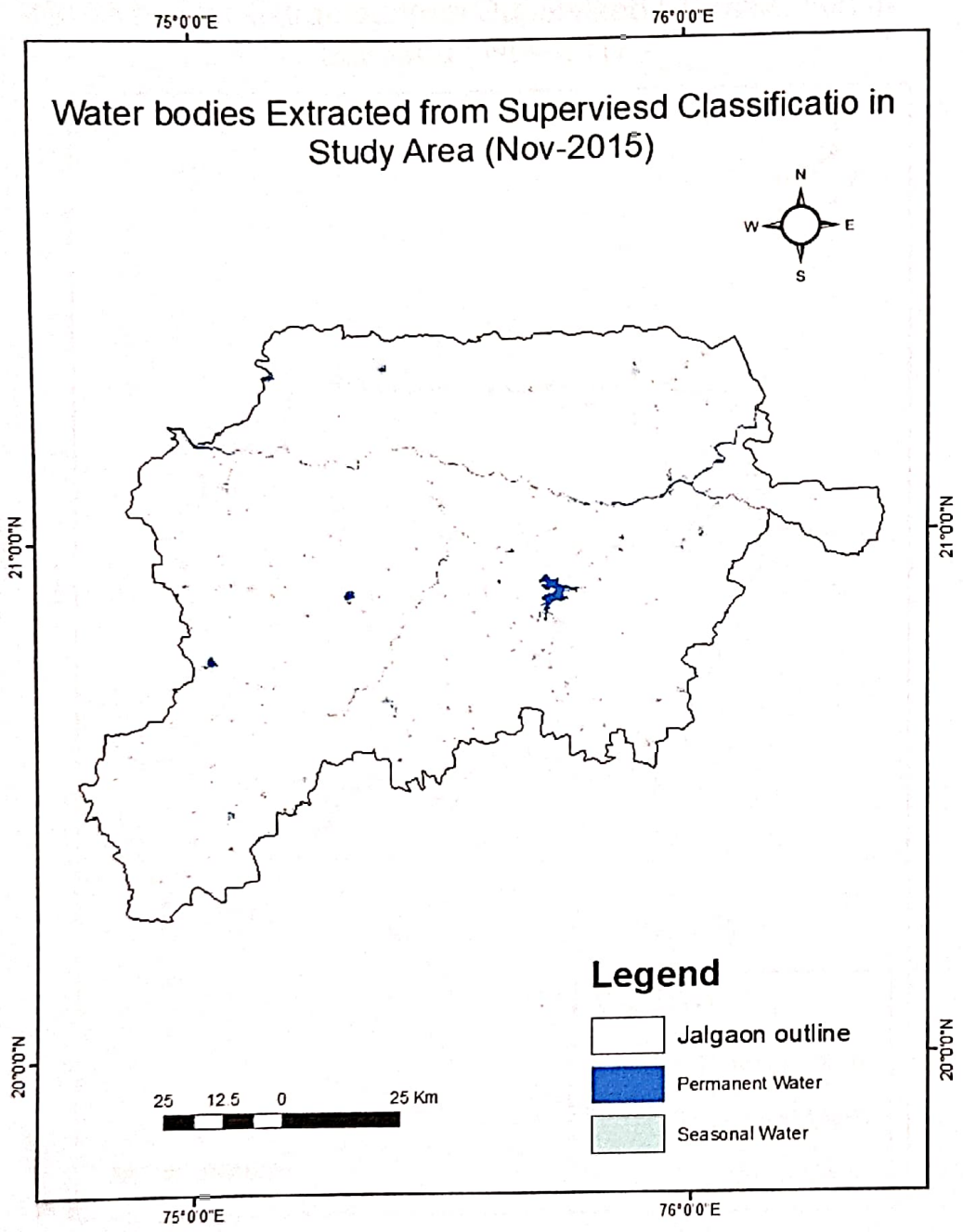
Wavelength micrometer 0.53_0.59 and 30 meter resolution and near-inferred 0.85-0.88 wavelength micrometer resolution.

Surface Water Classification and Change Detection

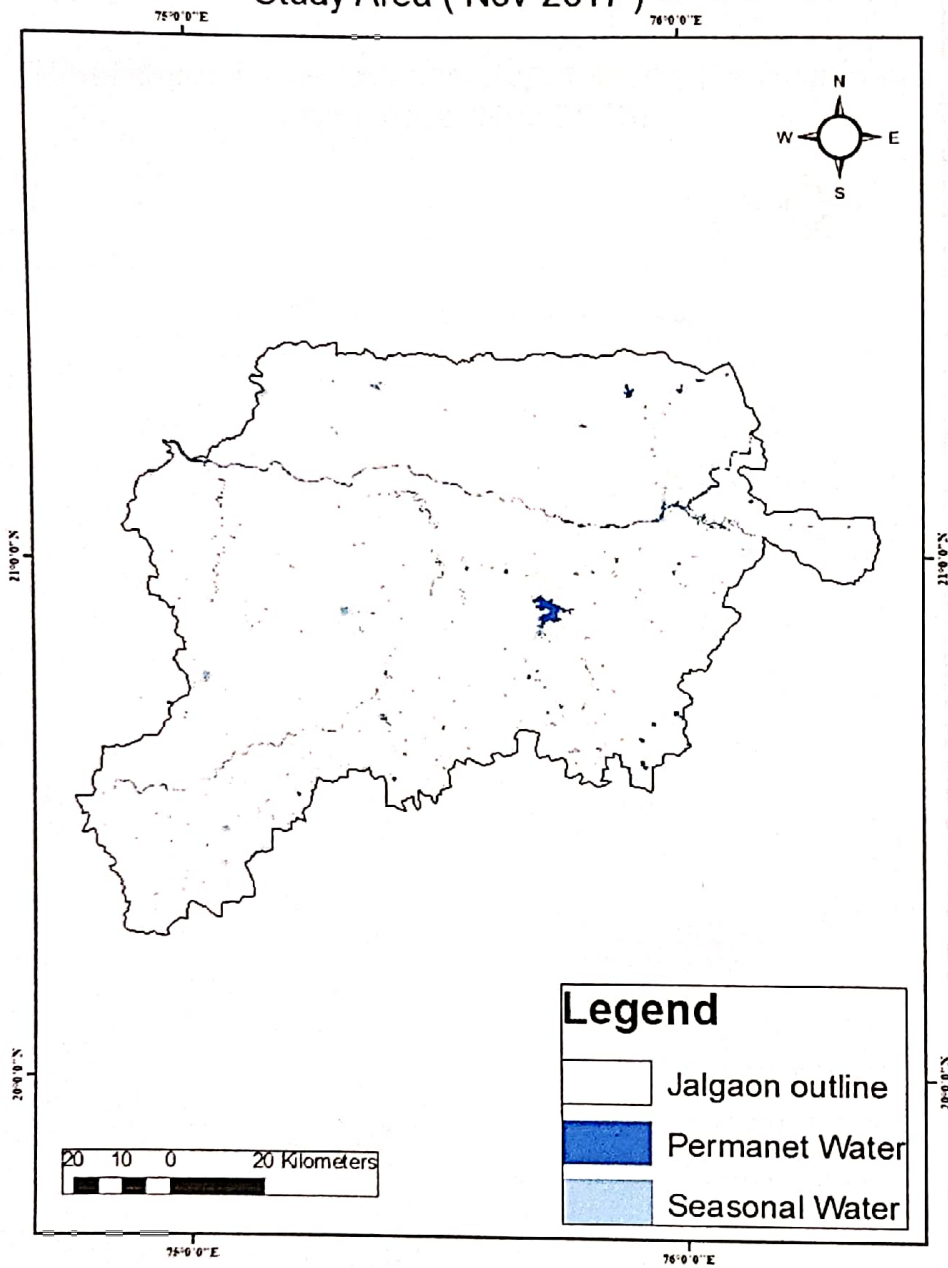
The pre-monsoon season is taken into consideration to extract Jalgaon district drought prone tahasil analyze the surface water to compensate the effect of seasonal water of monsoon and the loss of water due to evaporation during summer. The surface water dynamics observed in the basin showed the increase in water bodies from 2017 to 2020, with the year of being an exception as surface water depletion was observed in this year. The water bodies were classified into four categories pertaining to long-term availability and seasonal availability water bodies

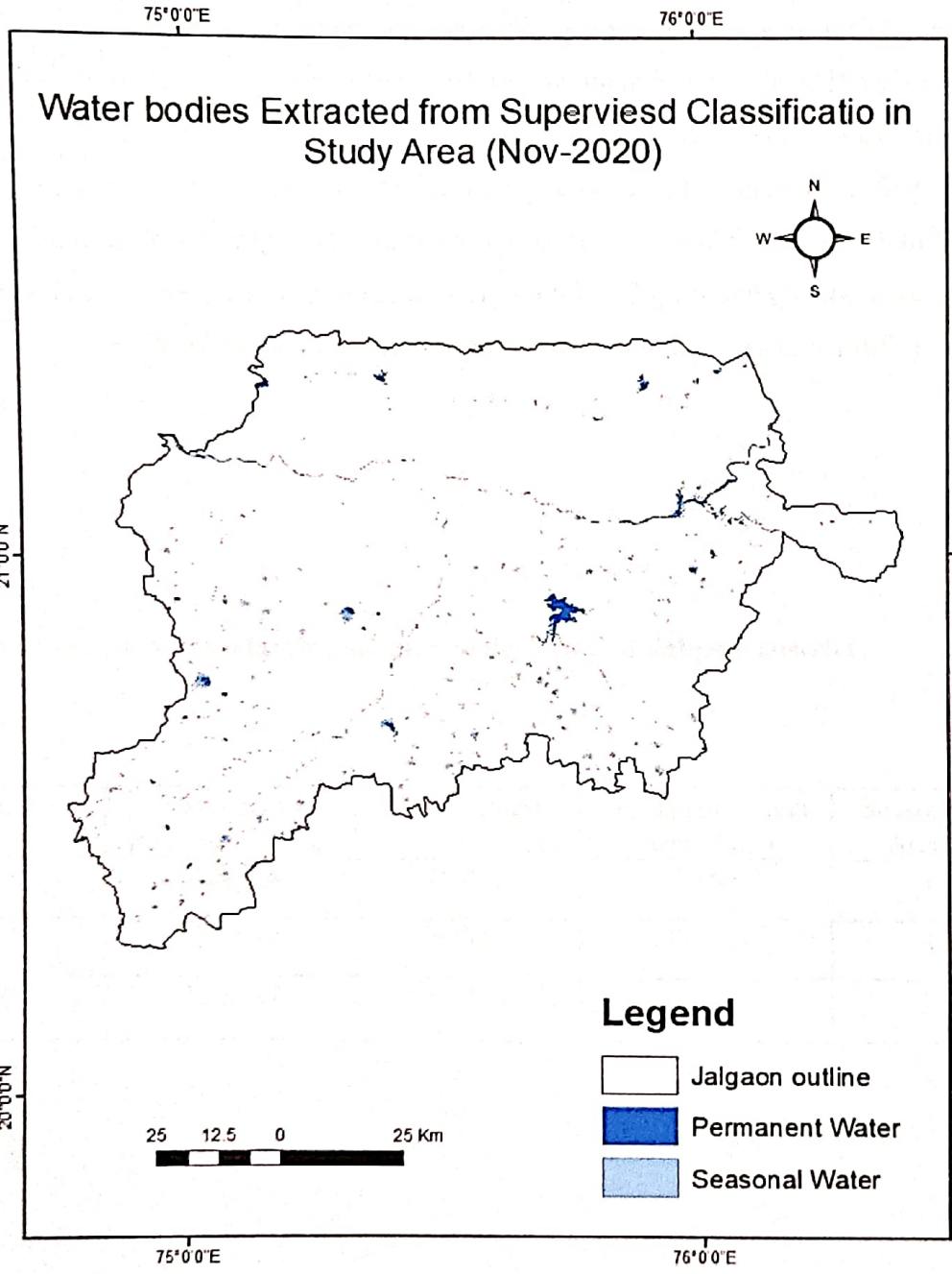
3.3 Table Image specification

Sr. no.	Data type	Path/row	Date	Season	Satellite/sensor
1	Satellite image	147/48	1 to 30 Nov 2015	Pre-monsoon	Landsat-8(OLI)
2	Satellite image	147/48	1 to 30 Nov 2017	Pre-monsoon	Landsat- 8(OLI)
3	Satellite image	147/48	1 to 30 NOV 2020	Pre-monsoon	Landsat 8(OLI)



Water bodies Extracted from Supervised Classification in Study Area (Nov-2017)





Surface water bodies and seasonal water bodies different supervised classification

Water bodies Jalgaon district the Girna, tapi, bori, anjani, titur, and waghur are important river, with girna dam being a major it is as permanent water bodies in jalgaon district and seasonal water village small river Supervise classification is the process of sorting pixels into a finite number of individual classes or categories based on their digital values. If a pixel satisfies a certain set of criteria, then the pixel is assigned to the class that corresponds to that criterion (In this process, the pixels that represent certain patterns are selected or can be identified with the help of other sources. Knowledge of the data, the classes desired and the algorithm to be used is required to be planned before selecting the training samples. Supervised classification of NDWI images involves the identification of surface water bodies in the imagery to identify pixels with similar characteristics.

3.4 Table

Summary of surface water classes and change detection of Jalgaon District

Year	Pixels count Permanent water	Pixels count Seasonal Water	Permanent Water Area (km ²)	Seasonal Water Area (km ²)
2015	108,824	13,315	97.94	11.98
2017	130,630	52,642	117.56	47.37
2020	128,127	66,649	131.20	59.98

Chapter 4.

Results and Discussion

- Surface water bodies change detection seasonal water and permanent water bodies saturated water level increases with the year 2020 as shown in table i.e. permanent water area
- Seasonal water saturated level increases with year 2020 as shown table i.e. seasonal water area
- Seasonal water level Decreases and Nov 2015 and Nov 2017 show table permanent water 2015 changes decreases permanent water bodies

Conclusion

This study is related to Jalgaon district surface water dynamics. The Data was found in the years from Nov2015, Nov 2017 and NOV 2020. The NDWI performed better in detecting the surface water area and useful in understanding the dynamics of surface water in the basin. This study integrated the advantages of both NDWI and supervised classification technique to develop an approach for surface water extraction and classification. This approach has an advantage of simultaneously detecting the surface water changes in permanent water and seasonal water. NDWI and supervised classification. Summary of surface water classes and change detection of Jalgaon District Specification.

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