
biota Documentation

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CHAPTER 1

Introduction

This documentation will show:

- How to generate a biomass map using the ALOS mosaic product
- A method for generating a biomass change map (deforestation and degradation)

2.1 Setup instructions

2.1.1 Requirements

To complete

2.2 biota package

2.2.1 Submodules

2.2.2 biota.calibration module

2.2.3 biota.change2 module

2.2.4 biota.download module

`biota.download.checkYears` (*years*)

Reduces input years to those available for the ALOS mosaic (or may be available in future).

`biota.download.decompress` (*tar.gz_file*, *remove=False*)

Unzips .tar.gz ALOS mosaic files downloaded from JAXA, and removes original where requested.

`biota.download.download` (*url*, *output_dir='/home/docs/checkouts/readthedocs.org/user_builds/biota/checkouts/stable/docs/so*

Download data from JAXA FTP server

`biota.download.generateURL` (*lat*, *lon*, *year*, *large_tile=False*)

Generates a URL to fetch ALOS mosaic data from JAXA FTP server.

`biota.download.main` (*lat*, *lon*, *year*, *large_tile=False*, *output_dir='/home/docs/checkouts/readthedocs.org/user_builds/biota/che*
remove=False)

Run through data download and preparation chain

`biota.download.removeTarGz(tar.gz_file)`

Deletes ALOS-1/ALOS-2 .tar.gz files from disk. Input is a compress ALOS-1/ALOS-2 file from JAXA.

#Module contents #————— # #.. automodule:: biota # :members: # :undoc-members: # :show-inheritance:

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