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# A novel flood risk mapping approach with machine learning considering geomorphic and socio-economic vulnerability dimensions

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### HIGHLIGHTS

- A novel approach for *flood risk* mapping under resource-constrained scenarios is proposed.
- Tree-based ML models are evaluated to estimate *flood susceptibility* using DTM-derived GFDs.
- An efficient DEA-based approach is employed to map *socio-economic vulnerability*.
- Flood risk is derived by combining flood susceptibility and socio-economic vulnerability.
- A GIS-based *flood risk* map is developed at the finest administrative-level.





**Proposed flood risk mapping framework** 



#### Flood susceptibility map





Socio-economic Vulnerability Map

Socio-economic Vuln. Score

02

0.6

Data NC

86 7°E

86.6°E

20.4°

20.3°

20.2°

20.1°

20.0%

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Flood risk class map

Flood risk index map