

## Supplementary Material

Table S1 Sentinel 1 fire severity cross validation models a. with texture indices, b. without texture indices.

| <b>a. with textures</b> |                | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|-------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Study Fires</b>      | <b>Unburnt</b> | <b>Low</b>               | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| Sir Bertram             | 0.550          | 0.500                    | 0.498           | 0.499       | 0.525          | 0.173          |
| Holsworthy              | 0.699          | 0.467                    | 0.499           | 0.582       | 0.515          | 0.337          |
| MtCanobolas             | 0.507          | 0.499                    | 0.500           | 0.501       | 0.500          | 0.527          |
| Sirlvan                 | 0.786          | 0.513                    | 0.526           | 0.506       | 0.688          | 0.366          |
| WhiteCedars             | 0.729          | 0.499                    | 0.501           | 0.501       | 0.833          | 0.431          |
| Tathra                  | 0.553          | 0.494                    | 0.488           | 0.499       | 0.566          | 0.142          |
| Wollemi                 | 0.550          | 0.506                    | 0.498           | 0.495       | 0.502          | 0.100          |
| Pilliga                 | 0.884          | 0.479                    | 0.468           | 0.487       | 0.623          | 0.457          |
| average                 | 0.657          | 0.494                    | 0.497           | 0.509       | 0.594          | 0.317          |

| <b>b. without textures</b> |                | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|----------------------------|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>Study Fires</b>         | <b>Unburnt</b> | <b>Low</b>               | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| Sir Bertram                | 0.624          | 0.548                    | 0.501           | 0.511       | 0.560          | 0.197          |
| Holsworthy                 | 0.633          | 0.541                    | 0.509           | 0.483       | 0.663          | 0.262          |
| MtCanobolas                | 0.647          | 0.530                    | 0.506           | 0.528       | 0.504          | 0.449          |
| Sirlvan                    | 0.551          | 0.522                    | 0.508           | 0.489       | 0.612          | 0.268          |
| WhiteCedars                | 0.617          | 0.546                    | 0.507           | 0.577       | 0.635          | 0.300          |
| Tathra                     | 0.728          | 0.556                    | 0.518           | 0.501       | 0.580          | 0.294          |
| Wollemi                    | 0.575          | 0.520                    | 0.504           | 0.507       | 0.520          | 0.246          |
| Pilliga                    | 0.621          | 0.513                    | 0.503           | 0.501       | 0.560          | 0.278          |
| average                    | 0.624          | 0.534                    | 0.507           | 0.512       | 0.579          | 0.287          |

Table S2 Sentinel 1 fire-severity target-trained models, a. with texture indices, b. without texture indices.

| <b>Class stats – target-trained with textures</b> |                |                          |                 |             |                |                |
|---|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>a.</b>   |                | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|   | <b>Unburnt</b> | <b>Low</b>               | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>                                | 0.972          | 0.910                    | 0.873           | 0.901       | 0.916          | 0.854          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>                                 | 0.984          | 0.907                    | 0.875           | 0.901       | 0.919          | 0.857          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>                                | 0.937          | 0.908                    | 0.874           | 0.899       | 0.921          | 0.854          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>                                    | 0.929          | 0.898                    | 0.869           | 0.902       | 0.921          | 0.847          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>                                | 0.949          | 0.886                    | 0.840           | 0.903       | 0.922          | 0.841          |
| <b>Tathra</b>                                     | 0.979          | 0.912                    | 0.877           | 0.900       | 0.920          | 0.858          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>                                    | 0.812          | 0.914                    | 0.876           | 0.898       | 0.920          | 0.850          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>                                    | 0.992          | 0.909                    | 0.876           | 0.902       | 0.919          | 0.858          |
| <b>average</b>                                    | 0.944          | 0.905                    | 0.870           | 0.901       | 0.920          | 0.852          |

| <b>Class stats - target-trained without textures</b> |                |                          |                 |             |                |                |
|--|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>b.</b>  |                | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|  | <b>Unburnt</b> | <b>Low</b>               | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>                                   | 0.666          | 0.679                    | 0.646           | 0.667       | 0.713          | 0.527          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>                                    | 0.701          | 0.674                    | 0.641           | 0.668       | 0.717          | 0.523          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>                                   | 0.682          | 0.679                    | 0.645           | 0.667       | 0.716          | 0.524          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>                                       | 0.601          | 0.678                    | 0.645           | 0.674       | 0.717          | 0.511          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>                                   | 0.712          | 0.671                    | 0.641           | 0.670       | 0.720          | 0.506          |
| <b>Tathra</b>  | 0.836          | 0.682                    | 0.650           | 0.670       | 0.715          | 0.538          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>                                       | 0.600          | 0.680                    | 0.648           | 0.665       | 0.716          | 0.525          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>                                       | 0.720          | 0.680                    | 0.645           | 0.665       | 0.714          | 0.528          |
| <b>average</b>                                       | 0.690          | 0.678                    | 0.645           | 0.668       | 0.716          | 0.523          |

Table S3 Sentinel 2 fire severity cross validation models, a. with texture indices, b. without texture indices.

| <b>Class stats – cross-validation optics with textures</b> |                          |            |                 |             |                |                |
|--|--------------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
| <b>a.</b>  | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |            |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|  | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Low</b> | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>   | 0.997                    | 0.893      | 0.693           | 0.901       | 0.971          | 0.846          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>  | 0.998                    | 0.855      | 0.560           | 0.820       | 0.953          | 0.744          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>   | 0.737                    | 0.505      | 0.542           | 0.665       | 0.942          | 0.647          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>   | 0.977                    | 0.713      | 0.759           | 0.743       | 0.950          | 0.802          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>   | 0.973                    | 0.910      | 0.847           | 0.859       | 0.935          | 0.789          |
| <b>Tathra</b>  | 0.982                    | 0.942      | 0.754           | 0.823       | 0.963          | 0.821          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>   | 0.882                    | 0.524      | 0.762           | 0.875       | 0.950          | 0.621          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>   | 0.999                    | 0.945      | 0.697           | 0.524       | 0.707          | 0.622          |
| <b>average</b>   | 0.943                    | 0.786      | 0.702           | 0.776       | 0.921          | 0.737          |
| <b>Class stats – cross-validation without textures</b>     |                          |            |                 |             |                |                |
| <b>b.</b>  | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |            |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|  | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Low</b> | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>   | 0.910                    | 0.806      | 0.524           | 0.806       | 0.985          | 0.774          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>  | 0.830                    | 0.768      | 0.521           | 0.819       | 0.947          | 0.638          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>   | 0.921                    | 0.675      | 0.661           | 0.787       | 0.900          | 0.745          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>   | 0.899                    | 0.690      | 0.623           | 0.757       | 0.935          | 0.744          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>   | 0.951                    | 0.879      | 0.610           | 0.896       | 0.930          | 0.791          |
| <b>Tathra</b>  | 0.553                    | 0.494      | 0.488           | 0.499       | 0.566          | 0.142          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>   | 0.898                    | 0.875      | 0.661           | 0.834       | 0.922          | 0.760          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>   | 0.973                    | 0.769      | 0.705           | 0.682       | 0.810          | 0.715          |
| <b>average</b>   | 0.867                    | 0.744      | 0.599           | 0.760       | 0.874          | 0.664          |

Table S4 Sentinel 2 fire severity target-trained models, a. with texture indices, b. without texture indices.

| <b>Class stats - trained optics with textures</b>    |                          |            |                 |             |                |                |
|--|--------------------------|------------|-----------------|-------------|----------------|----------------|
|  | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |            |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|  | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Low</b> | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>                                   | 0.999                    | 0.983      | 0.936           | 0.963       | 0.987          | 0.958          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>                                    | 1.000                    | 0.983      | 0.935           | 0.964       | 0.986          | 0.959          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>                                   | 0.992                    | 0.981      | 0.934           | 0.964       | 0.986          | 0.957          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>                                       | 0.991                    | 0.981      | 0.934           | 0.963       | 0.987          | 0.957          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>                                   | 0.999                    | 0.982      | 0.933           | 0.964       | 0.988          | 0.962          |
| <b>Tathra</b>  | 0.993                    | 0.965      | 0.896           | 0.945       | 0.982          | 0.930          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>                                       | 0.999                    | 0.983      | 0.933           | 0.963       | 0.987          | 0.957          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>                                       | 1.000                    | 0.983      | 0.934           | 0.963       | 0.986          | 0.957          |
| <b>average</b>                                       | 0.99.7                   | 0.98.0     | 0.929           | 0.96.1      | 0.986          | 0.954          |
| <b>Class stats - trained optics without textures</b> |                          |            |                 |             |                |                |
|  | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |            |                 |             |                | <b>Overall</b> |
|  | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Low</b> | <b>Moderate</b> | <b>High</b> | <b>Extreme</b> |                |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>                                   | 0.949                    | 0.904      | 0.756           | 0.884       | 0.966          | 0.838          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>                                    | 0.898                    | 0.888      | 0.758           | 0.888       | 0.965          | 0.832          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>                                   | 0.912                    | 0.907      | 0.755           | 0.885       | 0.966          | 0.838          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>                                       | 0.914                    | 0.906      | 0.754           | 0.887       | 0.966          | 0.837          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>                                   | 0.965                    | 0.893      | 0.755           | 0.891       | 0.969          | 0.848          |
| <b>Tathra</b>  | 0.947                    | 0.903      | 0.757           | 0.884       | 0.965          | 0.838          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>                                       | 0.918                    | 0.906      | 0.754           | 0.885       | 0.966          | 0.838          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>                                       | 0.984                    | 0.913      | 0.754           | 0.883       | 0.965          | 0.843          |
| <b>average</b>                                       | 0.936                    | 0.902      | 0.755           | 0.886       | 0.966          | 0.839          |

Table S5 Sentinel 1 fire extent cross-validation models a. with texture indices, b. without texture indices.

| <b>a. Class stats -cross-validation with textures</b> |                          |                | <b>b. Class stats – cross-validation without textures</b> |                          |                |
|---|--------------------------|----------------|---|--------------------------|----------------|
|   | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                |   | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                |
|   | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Overall</b> |   | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Overall</b> |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>                                    | 0.585                    | 0.287          | <b>Sir Bertram</b>  | 0.622                    | 0.899          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>                                     | 0.737                    | 0.616          | <b>Holsworthy</b>   | 0.630                    | 0.823          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>                                    | 0.516                    | 0.222          | <b>MtCanobolas</b>  | 0.608                    | 0.747          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>  | 0.751                    | 0.794          | <b>Sirlvan</b>  | 0.531                    | 0.849          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>                                    | 0.735                    | 0.644          | <b>WhiteCedars</b>  | 0.622                    | 0.714          |
| <b>Tathra</b>   | 0.595                    | 0.285          | <b>Tathra</b>   | 0.724                    | 0.870          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>  | 0.562                    | 0.240          | <b>Wollemi</b>  | 0.571                    | 0.922          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>  | 0.894                    | 0.868          | <b>Pilliga</b>  | 0.647                    | 0.754          |
| <b>average</b>  | 67.175                   | 49.429         | <b>average</b>  | 61.943                   | 82.208         |

Table S6 Sentinel 2 fire extent cross-validation models a. with texture indices, b. without texture indices.

| <b>a. Class stats – cross-validation optics with textures</b> |                          |                | <b>b. Class stats – cross-validation without textures</b> |                          |                |
|---|--------------------------|----------------|---|--------------------------|----------------|
|   | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                |   | <b>Balanced Accuracy</b> |                |
|   | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Overall</b> |   | <b>Unburnt</b>           | <b>Overall</b> |
| <b>Sir Bertram</b>  | 0.998                    | 0.996          | <b>Sir Bertram</b>  | 0.958                    | 0.988          |
| <b>Holsworthy</b>   | 0.999                    | 0.999          | <b>Holsworthy</b>   | 0.828                    | 0.915          |
| <b>MtCanobolas</b>  | 0.799                    | 0.676          | <b>MtCanobolas</b>  | 0.898                    | 0.918          |
| <b>Sirlvan</b>  | 0.978                    | 0.973          | <b>Sirlvan</b>  | 0.887                    | 0.957          |
| <b>WhiteCedars</b>  | 0.981                    | 0.973          | <b>WhiteCedars</b>  | 0.960                    | 0.965          |
| <b>Tathra</b>   | na                       | na             | <b>Tathra</b>   | 0.916                    | 0.895          |
| <b>Wollemi</b>  | 0.936                    | 0.881          | <b>Wollemi</b>  | 0.940                    | 0.978          |
| <b>Pilliga</b>  | 0.990                    | 0.990          | <b>Pilliga</b>  | 0.990                    | 0.990          |
| <b>average</b>  | 95.429                   | 92.669         | <b>average</b>  | 92.214                   | 95.060         |



Table S8 Ranked Gini Index values for Sentinel 2 cross-validation models

| Sentinel 2 indices           | Sir<br>Bertram | Holsworth<br>y | Mt<br>Canobolas | Sir<br>Ivan | White<br>Cedars | Tathra | Wollemi | Pilliga | average |
|------------------------------|----------------|----------------|-----------------|-------------|-----------------|--------|---------|---------|---------|
| RdNBR                        | 1              | 1              | 1               | 1           | 1               | 1      | 1       | 3       | 1.3     |
| mean_dNBR5                   | 3              | 5              | 4               | 2           | 5               | 3      | 2       | 1       | 3.1     |
| mean_dNBR7                   | 2              | 4              | 5               | 3           | 4               | 2      | 3       | 2       | 3.1     |
| mean_dFCBare7                | 4              | 2              | 2               | 4           | 2               | 6      | 5       | 4       | 3.6     |
| mean_dFCBare5                | 5              | 3              | 3               | 5           | 3               | 5      | 4       | 5       | 4.1     |
| SWIR_RdNBR2                  | 6              | 6              | 7               | 7           | 9               | 4      | 6       | 7       | 6.5     |
| dNBR                         | 7              | 8              | 8               | 6           | 11              | 7      | 7       | 6       | 7.5     |
| dFCBare                      | 9              | 9              | 6               | 8           | 6               | 9      | 11      | 8       | 8.3     |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>var_7    | 10             | 12             | 11              | 9           | 7               | NA     | 9       | 9       | 9.6     |
| SWIR_dNBR2                   | 8              | 10             | 9               | 12          | 14              | 8      | 8       | 12      | 10.1    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>mean_7   | 11             | 11             | 12              | 11          | 8               | NA     | 10      | 10      | 10.4    |
| RdFCTotal                    | 15             | 7              | 10              | 10          | 13              | 10     | 14      | 11      | 11.3    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>var_5    | 12             | 13             | 13              | 13          | 10              | NA     | 12      | 13      | 12.3    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>mean_5   | 14             | 14             | 14              | 14          | 12              | NA     | 13      | 14      | 13.6    |
| var_dFCBare7                 | 13             | 15             | 15              | 15          | 15              | 11     | 15      | 15      | 14.3    |
| var_dNBR7                    | 17             | 18             | 17              | 19          | 17              | 12     | 16      | 16      | 16.5    |
| var_dFCBare5                 | 16             | 16             | 20              | 16          | 16              | 14     | 18      | 18      | 16.8    |
| var_dNBR5                    | 18             | 19             | 18              | 20          | 18              | 13     | 17      | 17      | 17.5    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>2mom_7   | 19             | 17             | 19              | 17          | 19              | NA     | 19      | 19      | 18.4    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>con_7    | 20             | 20             | 16              | 18          | 20              | NA     | 20      | 20      | 19.1    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>hom_7    | 21             | 21             | 22              | 22          | 21              | NA     | 21      | 21      | 21.3    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>dissim_7 | 22             | 22             | 21              | 21          | 22              | NA     | 22      | 22      | 21.7    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>corr_7   | 23             | 23             | 24              | 25          | 23              | NA     | 23      | 23      | 23.4    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>2mom_5   | 24             | 24             | 23              | 24          | 24              | NA     | 24      | 24      | 23.9    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>con_5    | 26             | 25             | 25              | 23          | 25              | NA     | 25      | 25      | 24.9    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>corr_5   | 25             | 27             | 28              | 28          | 26              | NA     | 26      | 26      | 26.6    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>hom_5    | 27             | 26             | 26              | 26          | 27              | NA     | 27      | 27      | 26.6    |
| random                       | 28             | 28             | 29              | 29          | 28              | 15     | 29      | 28      | 26.8    |
| glcm_SWIR_dNBR2_<br>dissim_5 | 29             | 29             | 27              | 27          | 29              | NA     | 28      | 29      | 28.3    |

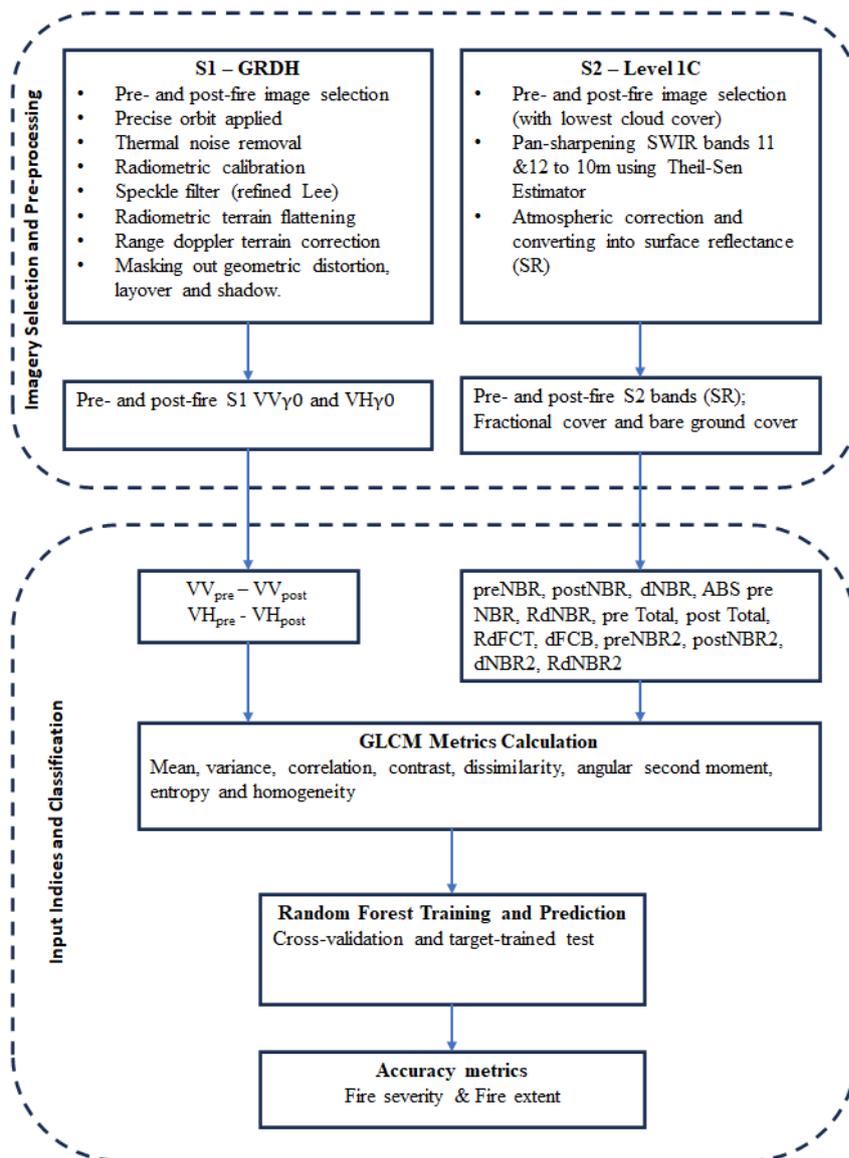
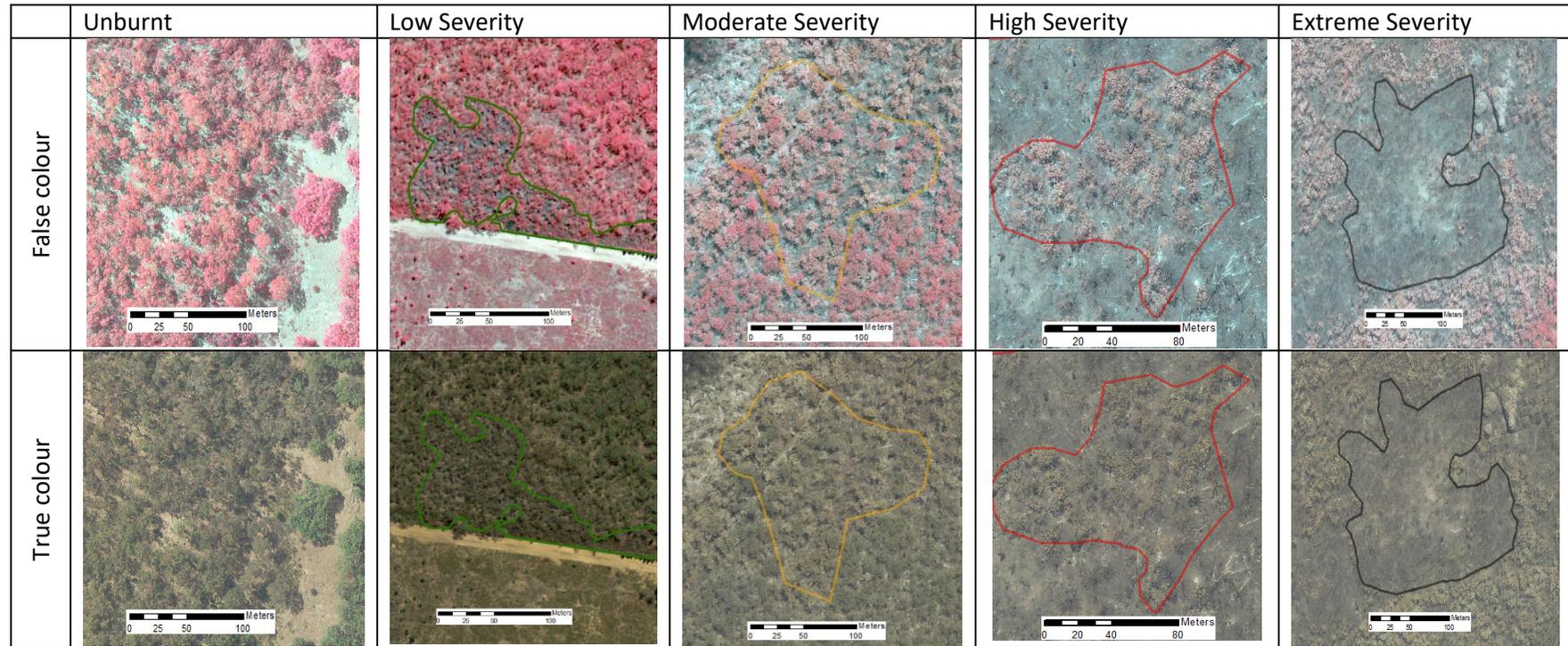


Figure S1. Method workflow.



**Figure S2.** Example severity class training and validation data derived from high resolution aerial photography.