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Development of an application (indites software) that allows to integrate spatial and temporal information of a vineyard for the development of the digital terroir.















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### **MATERIAL AND METHODS**



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The current project was conducted in a commercial vineyard located in Sagrada Familia, VII Region, Chile (6,117,370 S, 278,918 E Zone 19 Sur, WGS84), during the productive seasons of 2012 and 2013. The study was carried out in a 6.4, 8.1 and 5.8 hectares plots of vineyard, Var. Carmenere, Cabernet Sauvignon and Merlot, respectively.



The main goal in this research was:

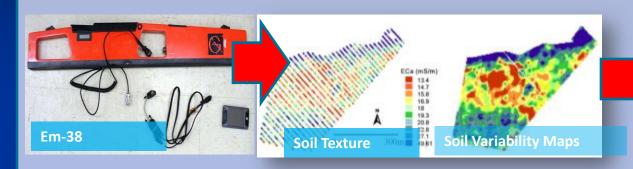
"To obtain an index for predicting grapes quality by developing standards associated to field variables that could define a "Digital Terroir".

This research was conducted in four stages that were:

- (a) Stage I: Implementation of monitoring systems, registration, and logistics,
- (b) Stage II: Obtaining in-field empirical information and preliminary analysis,
- (c) Stage III: Information Analysis. Correlation of field variables index assessed and real quality of grape measured.
- (d) Stage IV : Development of an automated digital application to develop segmented areas.



## Management zones g eneration





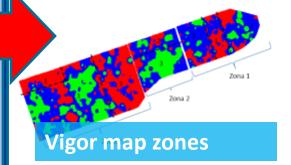
Plant Vigor Segmentation



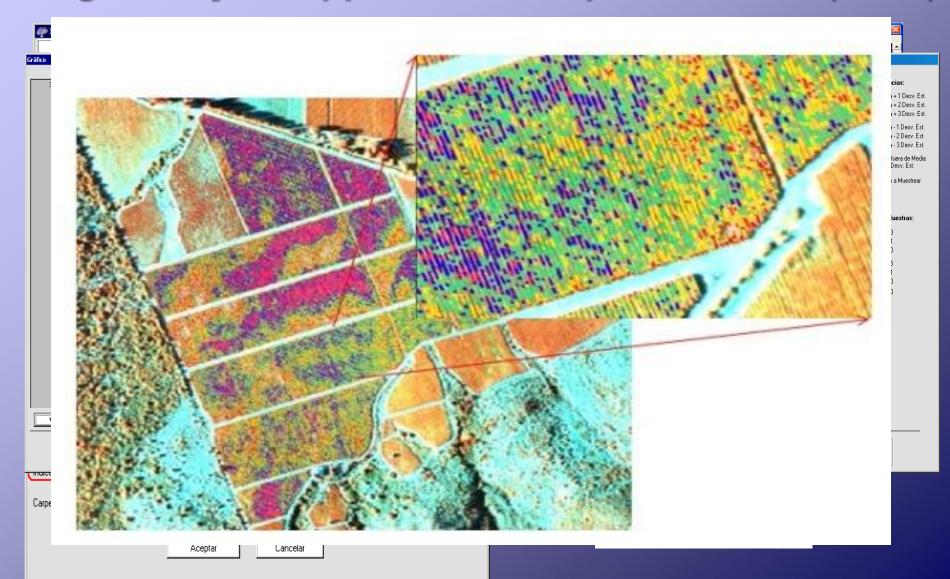
An environment is an area that has similar characteristics and deserves to be handling with homogeneous inputs.



Soil management zones



# Image Analysis Application and potential use (ICAS)





### Seasonal Changes and Effect on production and quality

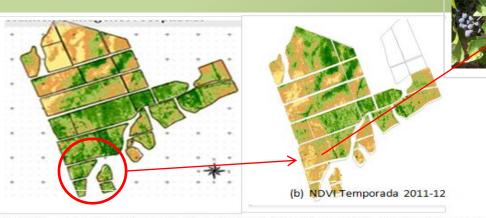
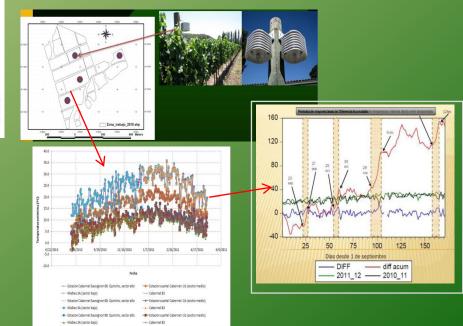
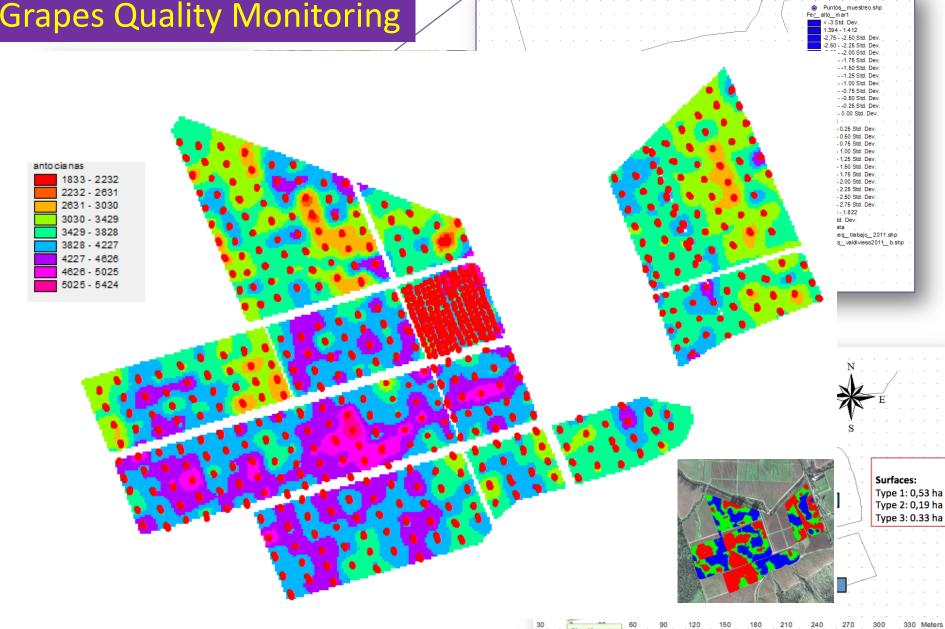


Figura 6. Variación de índice NDVI para (1) análisis integrado de 3 temporadas para segmentación de predio en zonas de comportamiento similar (informe nov. 2011) y (2) análisis de NDVI para temporada 2011-12



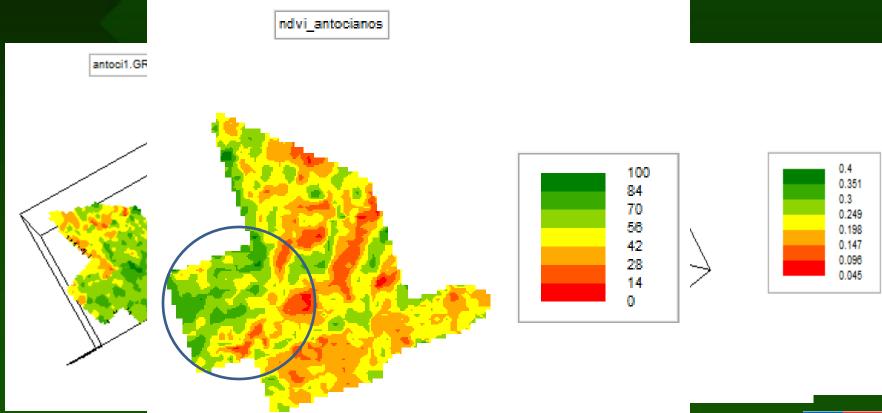
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# Comparative of Grapes Chemical Quality characteristics and NDVI map

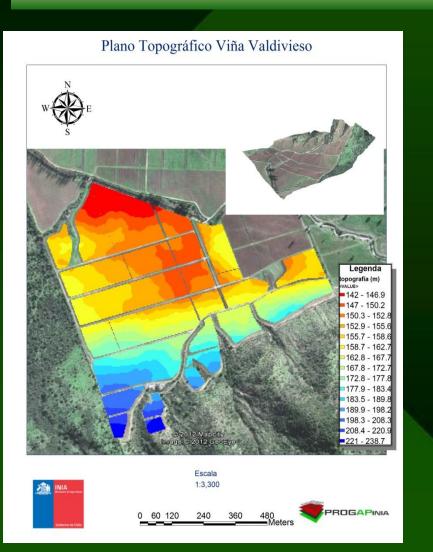


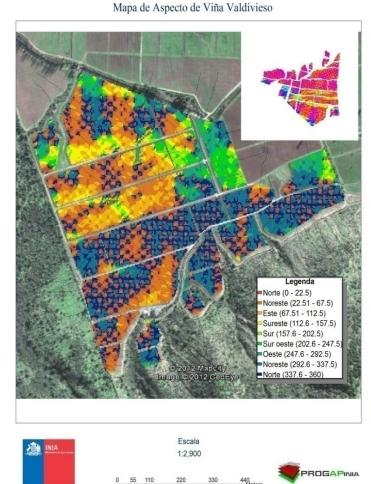






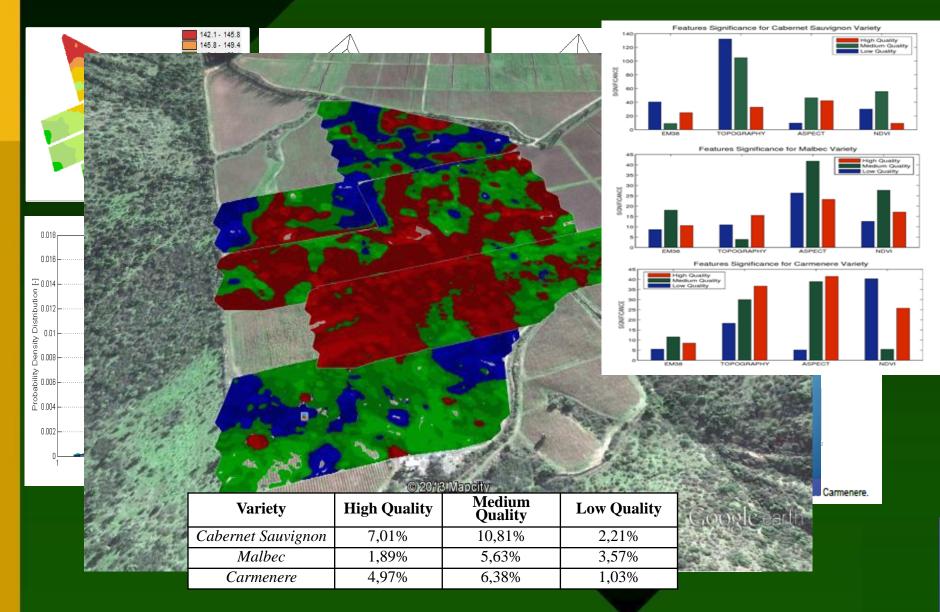
### INCLUDE MORE INFORMATION THAT EXPLAIN FIELD QUALITY VARIABILITY





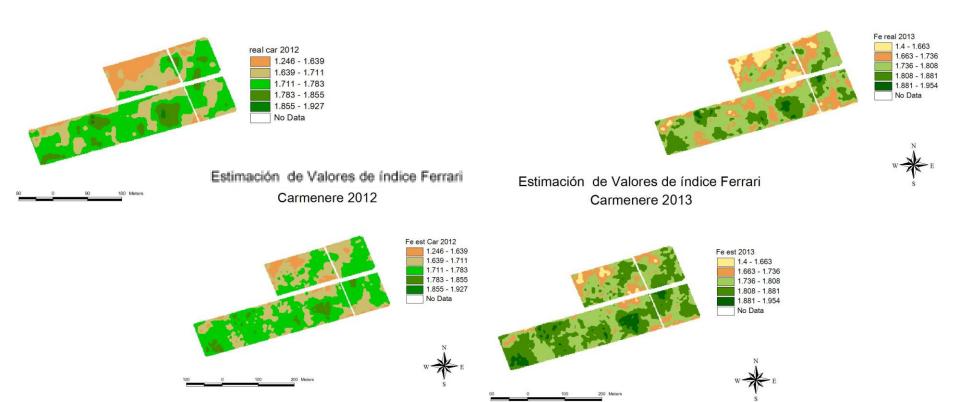
# Association of soil and plant variables with grapes chemical quality characteristics

Topography NDVI Maps Exposure Maps CE Maps (EM38)



### **Carmenere Variety**

Valores de índice Ferrari reales obtenidos Carmenere 2013



Gridcode

Error Estimación Indice Ferrari Carmenere 2012

Error est real 2012 (Shape)

-31,244 --24.417

-24.417 --17.59

-17.59 --6.56

-6.56 --3.936

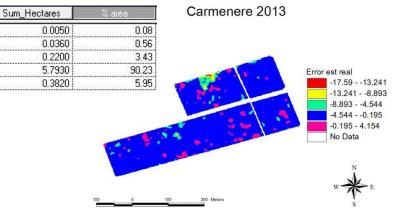
-3.936 -2.891

-2.891 -9.718

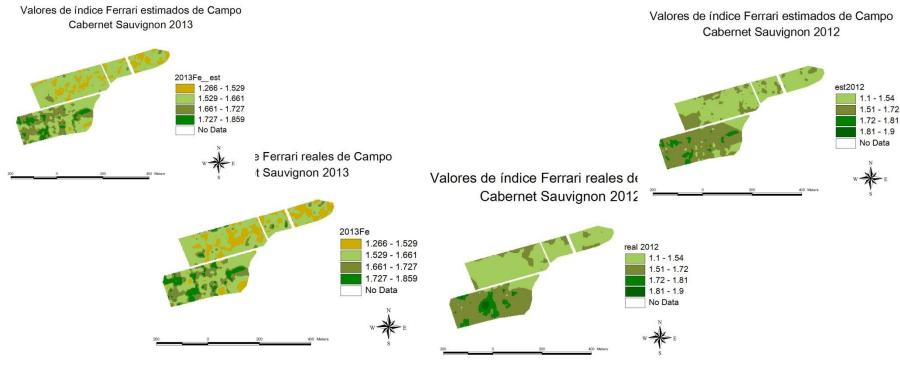
	Gridoode	Sum_Hectares	2º area
Ī	1	0.0140	0.22
N	2	0.0200	0.31
1	3	0.1920	3.01
7	4	0.3700	5.81
S	5	5.2730	82.78
	6	0.4980	7.82

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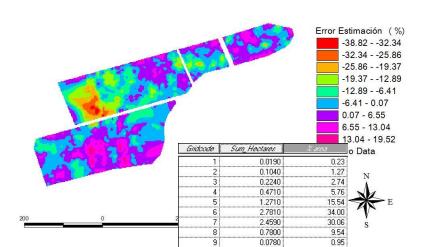
Error de Estimación de Valores de índice Ferrari



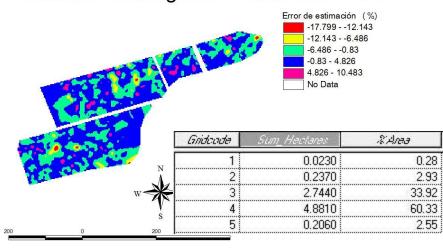
### **Cabernet Sauvignon Variety**

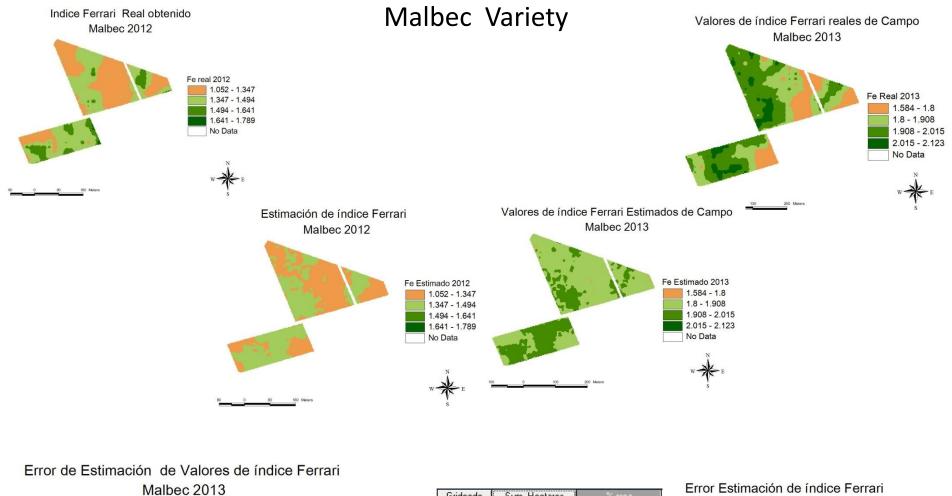


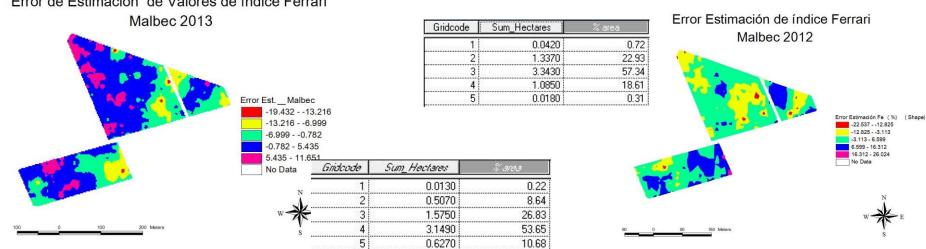
### % Error de índice Ferrari estimados de Campo Cabernet Sauvignon 2012



### Porcentaje de Error Estimación (%) Cabernet Saubignon - Valdivieso 2013







### CONCLUTIONS



- The integration of digital information both spatially and temporally could help to understand changes on field productivi.
- ✓ The model developed performs an acceptable estimated of grapes quality
  with errors less than 10% as an average but in most cases was lower than
  the 5 % which it is very good from production point of view.
- ✓ INDITES platform help to information integration between seasons for generation of the sectors whose has a common pattern or similar terroir (digital) which could be useful to define a differential harvest.
- More over, much work must be done to validate the model developed, however, this research demonstrates that the wine zoning must be made with more than one variable such as has been done until to date.

