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Indiana Orthoimagery 2024

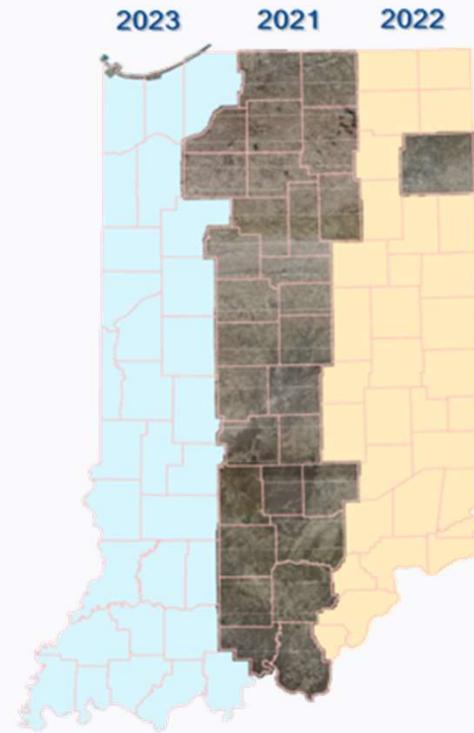
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Indiana Statewide Imagery Programs

- **2021-2024 Ortho – 6”**
- 2016-2019 Ortho – 1’
- 2011-2014 Ortho – 1’
- 2005-2006 Ortho - 1’



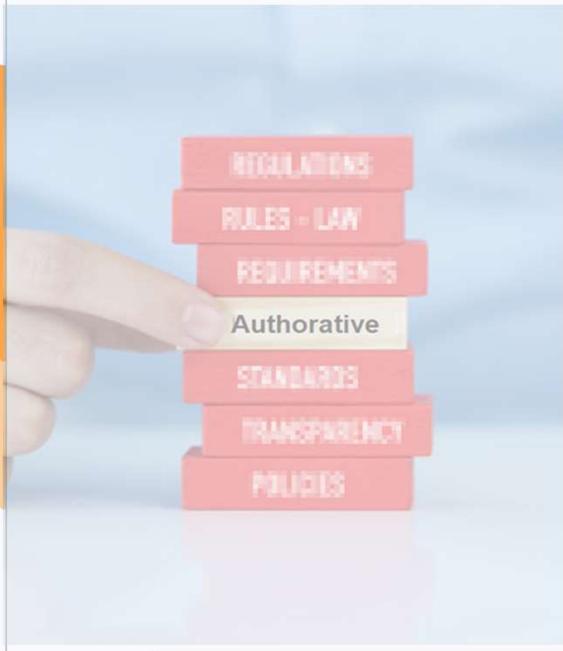
Why Statewide Imagery

"State imagery has been invaluable to our organization."

"Having aerial photography available gives police, fire, and EMS people a visual understanding of their surroundings and situational awareness."

"Statewide projects have helped fill in the gaps for years we might have not flown otherwise."

Imagery is Authoritative



- Defined resolution
- Known accuracy
- Known time capture
- Professional-level QC verification meeting
State-mandated standards and specifications

Imagery is Available

- Web map applications
- Image services available to the public
- Imagery via download for government agencies and public



Imagery is Managed Collectively



Services provided by the GIO

- Contract management
- Procurement
- QC management
- Coordination of collective buying

Indiana Statewide Program Management

- Administered through Indiana Geographic Information Office (GIO)

ALL Inquires



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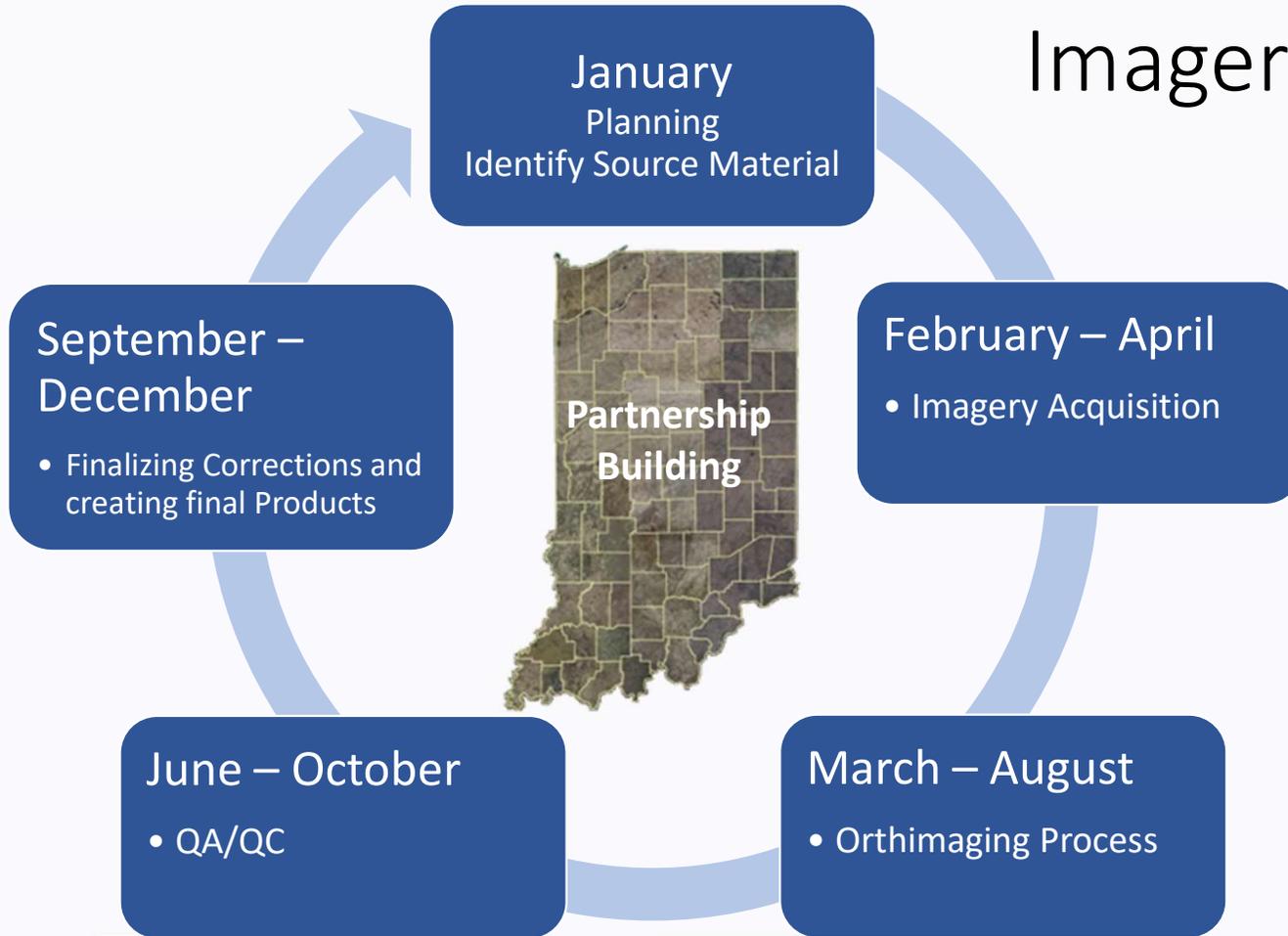
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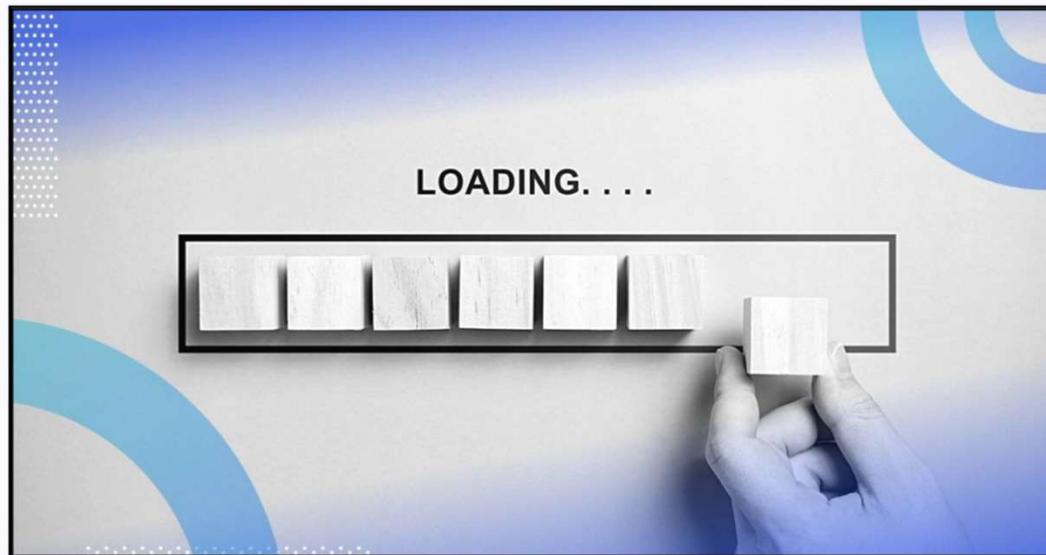
Sanborn



Imagery Program Timeline



What is the Process?



Indiana Statewide Program - Specification

- **Base Products**

- 6-inch (15-cm) pixel resolution
- Tile 4 -Band (R,G,B, NIR) imagery
 - GeoTIFF uncompressed
 - ECW & MrSID compressed
- County mosaic MrSID 3-Band



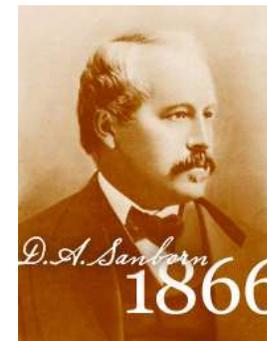
Buy-Ups

- DNR Lake Michigan Coastal Program
- Monroe County
- Shelbyville and Shelby County Planning
- City of Huntington
- Jefferson County (City of Madison & Town of Hanover)
- Town of Huntingburg
- Vermillion County



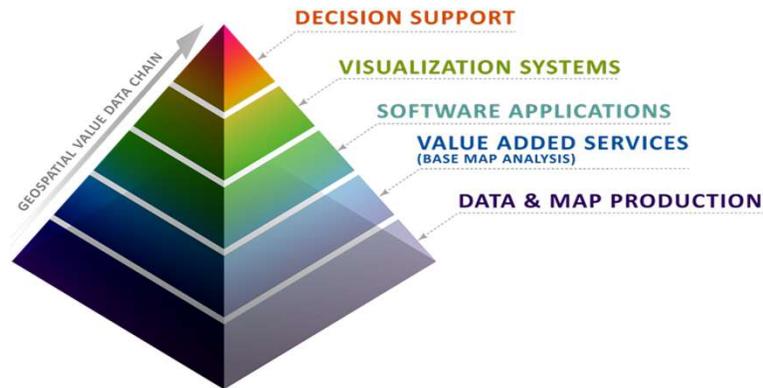
Sanborn Company Overview

- Founded in 1866
- Full service, dedicated geospatial solution provider
- 125 employees in 4 locations nationwide
- Quality-oriented company and culture
 - Corporate Quality Management System derived from ISO principles



Sanborn Overview – Comprehensive Geospatial Solutions

- **Data Map Production**
 - LiDAR, Digital Oblique & Orthoimagery, Photogrammetric, Topographical Maps
- **Value-Added Services**
 - Land use and land cover analyses
 - Change detection
 - Other imagery analysis services/viewers



Decision Support Systems

- Wildfire Management
- Forestry and Ecosystem Management
- Emergency Response

Visualization Systems

- 2D
- 3D
- Prism 4D
- Common Operating Picture

Software Applications

- GIS Software Development
- Cloud Services
- Portals and Distribution Tools



DATA ACQUISITION

- **Sanborn owned acquisition resources and data processing throughput, assets included:**

- Multiple single and twin-engine Aircraft
- UltraCam Eagle Digital Camera Systems
- Airborne GPS systems
- Inertial Navigation Systems
- Trimble GPS survey equipment
- **IT Infrastructure:** Over 11 Petabytes of active onsite storage, multi-core distributed processing clusters for both CPU and GPU software packages, networking capabilities up to 100Gbps and multi-host virtual environment



Technical Approach Summary for Imagery



Source Data
Review

- Flight Planning
- Control Planning
- Existing State control
- Existing State Lidar DEM

Data
Acquisition

- Ground Control
- UltraCam Eagle Large Format Camera
- RGB/NIR Imagery Acquisition
- AGPS/IMU Support
- "Quick View" client

Aerial
Triangulation

- Photo matching
- Rigorous least squares adjustment
- Accuracy Verification
- PILOT PROJECT!

DEM
Preparation

- Editing/updating of State's existing LiDAR DEM

Ortho
Rectification

- Cubic convolution rectification
- Create seam lines
- Correct bridge distortion
- Color balance
- Deliverables and Metadata
- Rigorous QC with review Indiana DOT. Process any needed corrections



6-inch



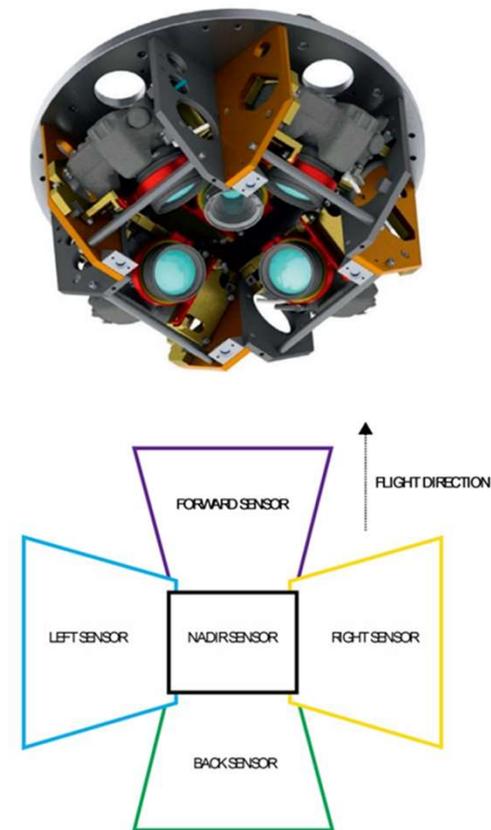
3-inch

Buy-up Overview

- **Options Impacting Spring Airborne Data Acquisition**
 - Higher-resolution orthophotography
 - True orthophotography
 - Airborne LiDAR
 - Oblique Imagery
- **Options with No Impact to Airborne Data Acquisition**
 - Planimetric mapping – New or updating
 - Land cover/land use/impervious surfaces mapping
 - Contours
 - 3D buildings and infrastructure modeling
 - Other derivative data sets

Oblique Imagery

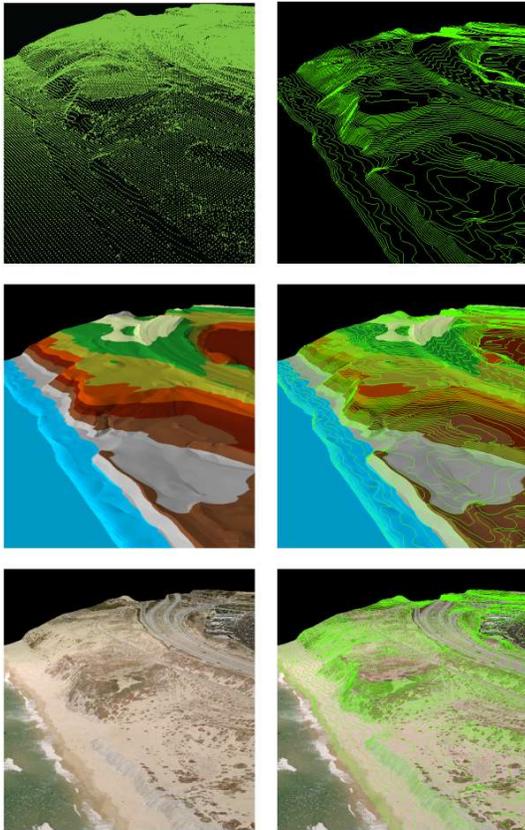
- Full-color imagery provides complete 5-view coverage your chosen project area
 - 4 oblique views (45 degrees) + 1 vertical
 - Vertical image is 4-band RGB/NIR
- Available resolutions from 2 inches to 12 inches+
- 2- to 3-pixel accuracy
- Licensed product, but:
 - No usage, sharing or deployment restrictions
 - No “per seat” costs
 - Right to use never expires



Slide 18

SSN1 I moved the oblique ortho slides up in front of the Lidar slides
Scholer, Shaun N, 12/31/2020

Airborne LiDAR



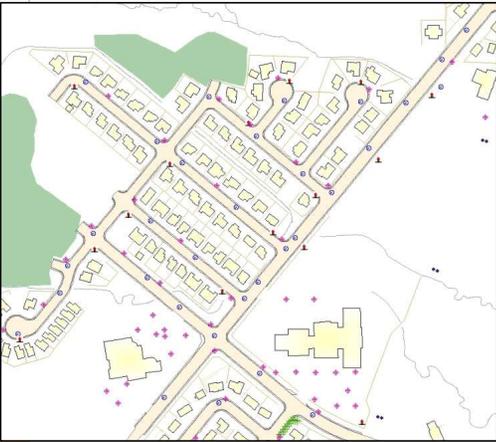
- Fully compliant with USGS-National Geospatial Program (NGP) per current LiDAR Base Specification v2.1
- Quality Level 2 (2 pts/m²) or Quality Level 1 (8 pts/m²)
- Note that spatial accuracy of QL-2 and QL-1 lidar is the same.
- Delivery of raw point cloud, classified point cloud, hydro-flattened DEM.
- Supports creation of 1-foot contours
- Other enhancements and derivative data sets can be produced – enhanced classification, hydro-enforcement, DSM's, contours, etc.

High Resolution Orthophotography



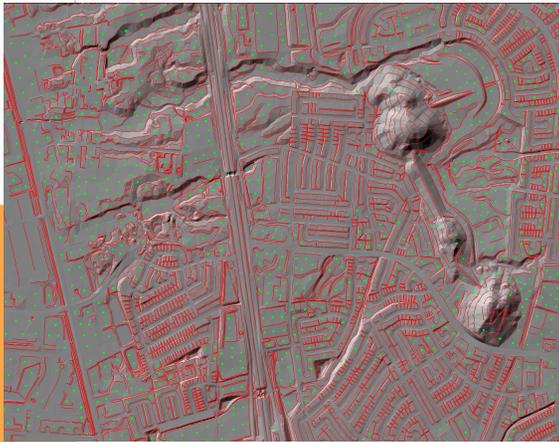
- 3-inch spatial resolution
- 4-band RGB/NIR, 8-bit per channel
- Requires additional flying, control, and enhanced DEM accuracy
- Benefits include:
 - Higher accuracy
 - Ability to see and extract smaller features
 - Ability to support additional applications such as engineering design, traffic & transportation (pavement condition, lane striping, parking studies), utility mapping, vegetation identification, code enforcement, assessment, and logistical planning.

Planimetric Mapping

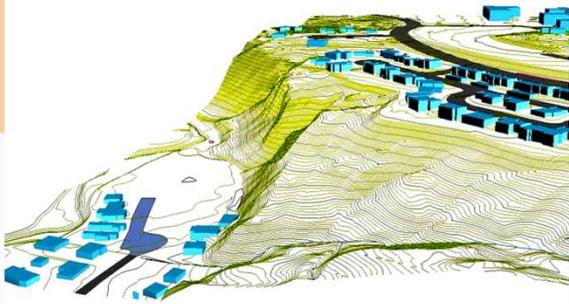


- Vector mapping of visible features
- Fully customizable data sets – can be complete mapping or selected features only, e.g. buildings
- Formatted to your geodatabase design specifications
- All feature data extraction performed using stereo-photogrammetric techniques – no “heads up digitizing” from orthos
- Additional classification such as pervious/impervious can be performed
- GIS or CAD data formats, 2D or 3D
- Old data sets are often cheaper to replace than to update
 - Searching for changes takes a lot of time
 - Specs of legacy data are often unknown
- Pricing is highly scope and feature density dependent – custom quotes will be provided

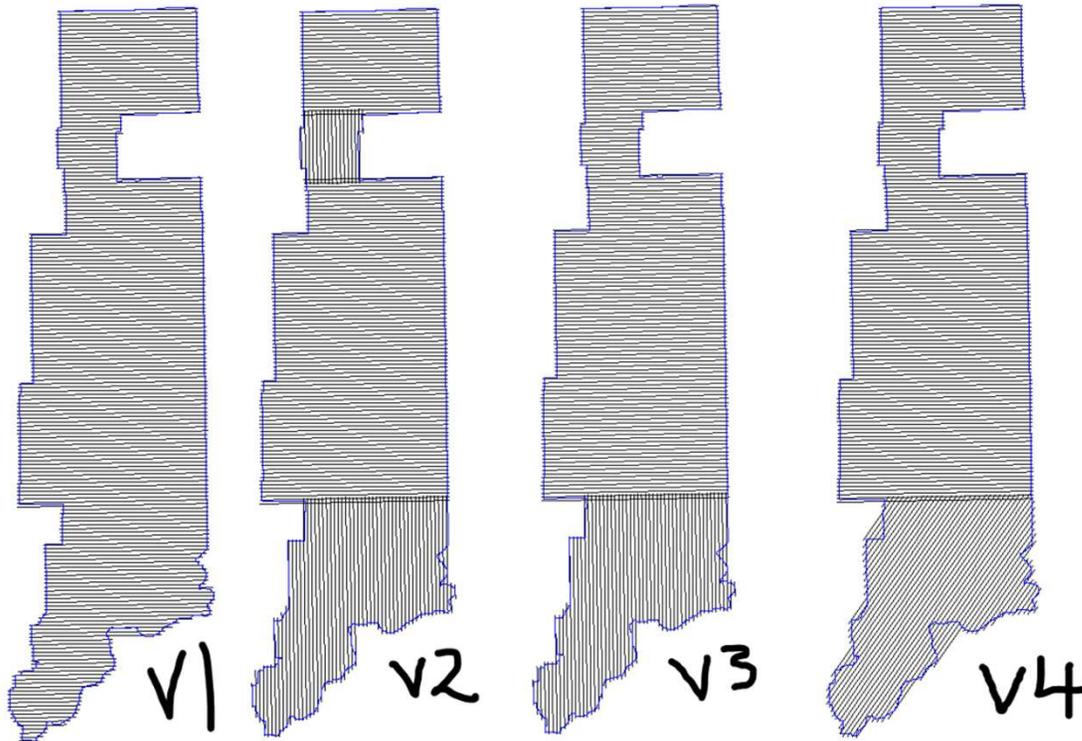
Contour Development



- Can be derived from lidar or imagery-derived DEM's
- Breakline enhancement performed as required
- Created at the desired interval (1-foot, 2-foot)
- ASPRS accuracy
- Fully attributed or layered to discriminate index contour, index depression contour, obscured index contour, obscured index depression contour, intermediate contour, intermediate depression contour, obscured intermediate contour, obscured intermediate depression contour, and hidden contour.
- GIS and CAD data formats



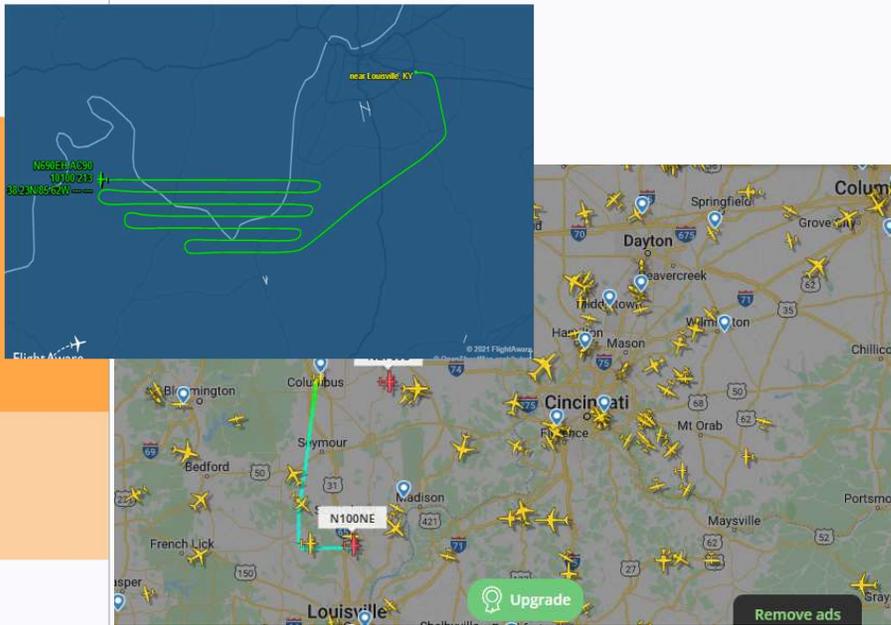
Indiana Image Collection Metric Analysis



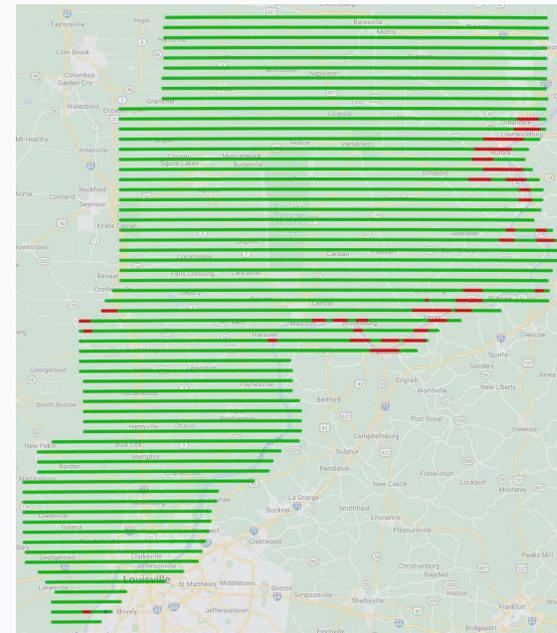
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Acquisition Tracking and Reporting

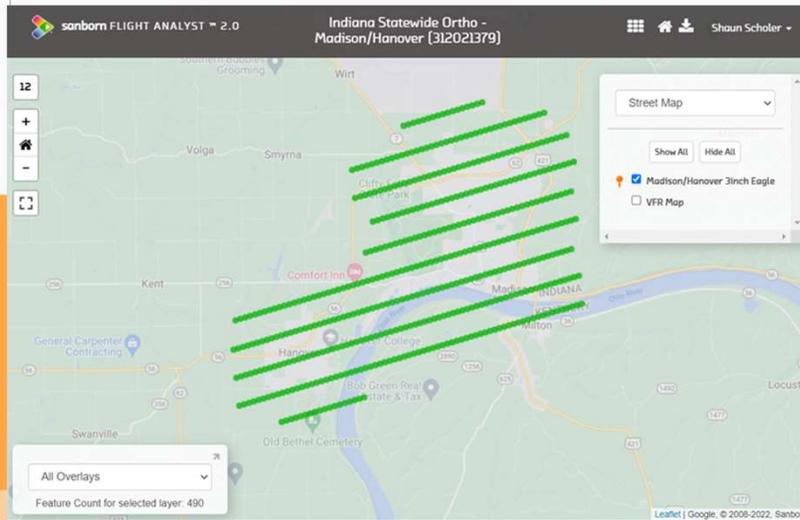
Real-Time Tracking



Status Reporting

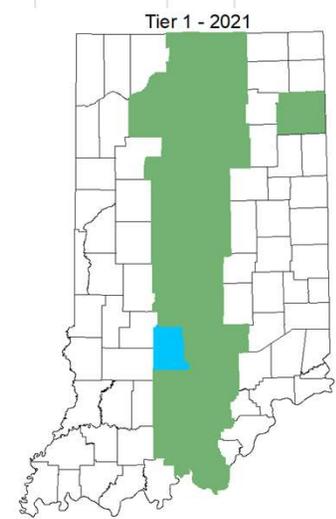


Flight Tracking



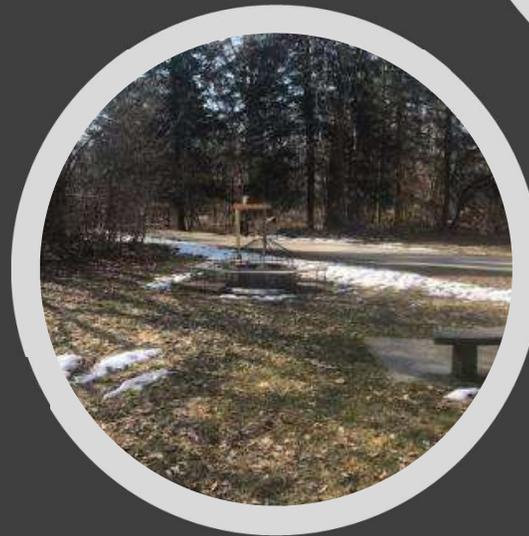
Indiana Image Collection Metric Analysis

2023 Tier 3 (West) Collection Details					2022 Tier 2 (East) Collection Details					2021 Tier 1 (Central) Collection Details				
sq miles	13496				sq miles	11317				sq miles	12976			
# of missions	23				# of missions	31				# of missions	31			
# Flight Days	15				# Flight Days	17				# Flight Days	17			
Date Range	February 11 - April 7				Date Range	February 19 - May 12				Date Range	February 25-April 13			
Mission ID	# of photos	# photots by camera			Mission ID	# of photos	# photots by camera			Mission ID	# of photos	# photots by camera		
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Boots on the Ground

- DNR Employees
- GIS Vendor Employee
- County GIS Managers
- County 911 Director
- County IT Director



the morning. Very hot showers, then storms in tonight through Thursday. Friday, Saturday and Sunday forecast is clear and sunny. Not much leaving out yet in Monroe County

J

Thanks, Jim for the update. I'm just hoping the rain coming in doesn't flood the roadways. It was surprising to see in the imagery how many roads were flooded out earlier this spring.

Jim Rouse

J

Ground is pretty saturated. Sounds like our area is in 1+ inch Prediction. Depends on rate it falls, low lying roads could become inundated.



Wednesday, Mar 17 - 2:33 PM

ated with several of our southern
and they all say that the trees
weeks away from

reminding area in the northern

nds like it's gonna work out like we planned it..

Friday, Mar 19 - 11:58 AM

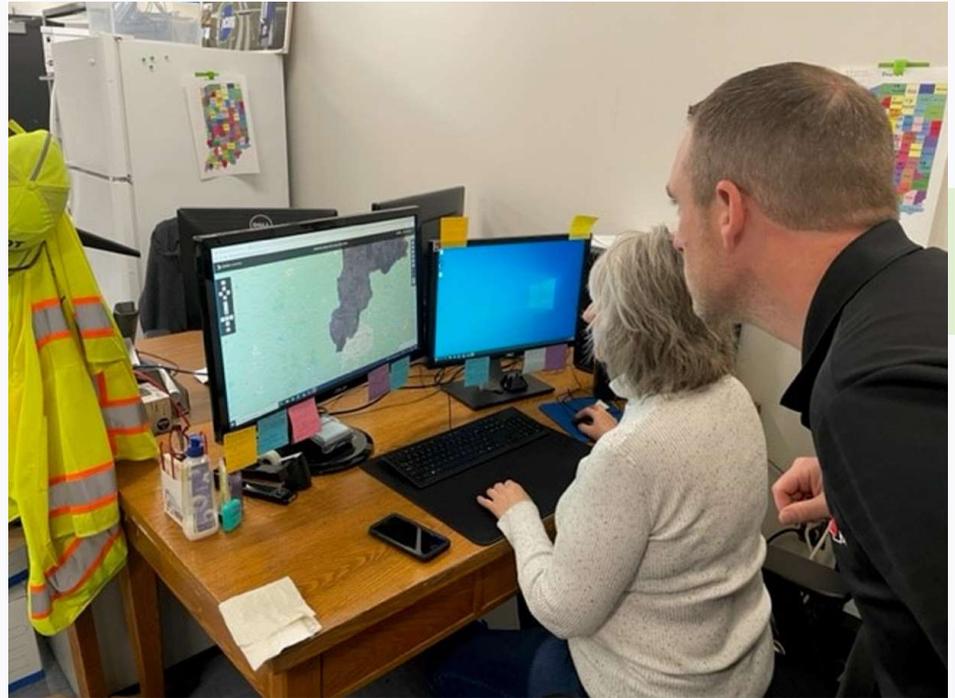
How is Allen County looking today?

Shaun, Allen County looks pretty good today from

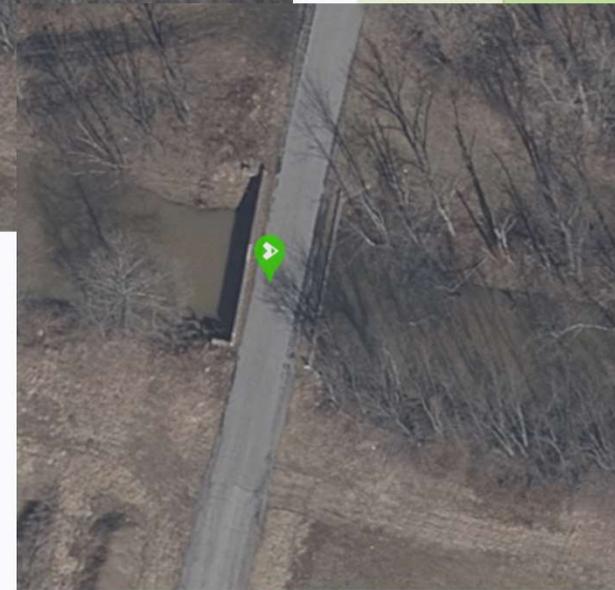
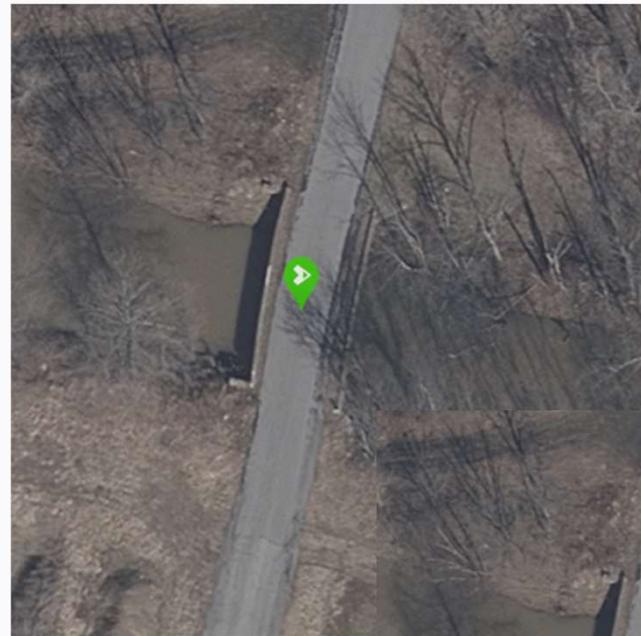


INDOT Aerial Survey's QC Team

- Review seam line
- Bridge decks
- Tonal balance
- Overall image quality



Imagery QC Examples



Indiana Statewide Program – Products

Survey

2021 Orthophotography Download

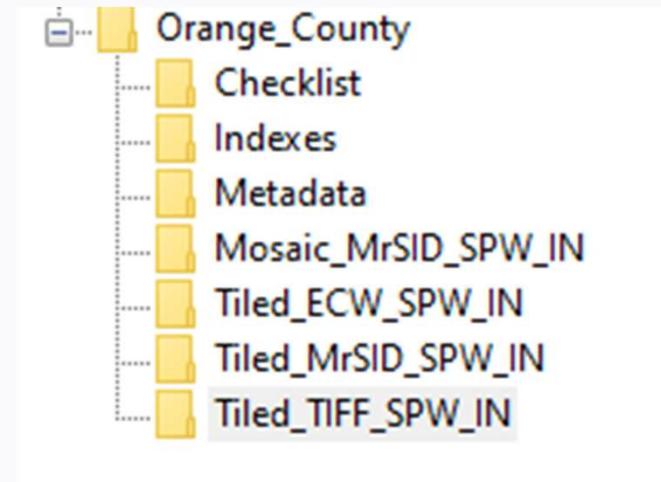
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Employee of ...?*
County, Municipality, Regional Government, University, Company, etc

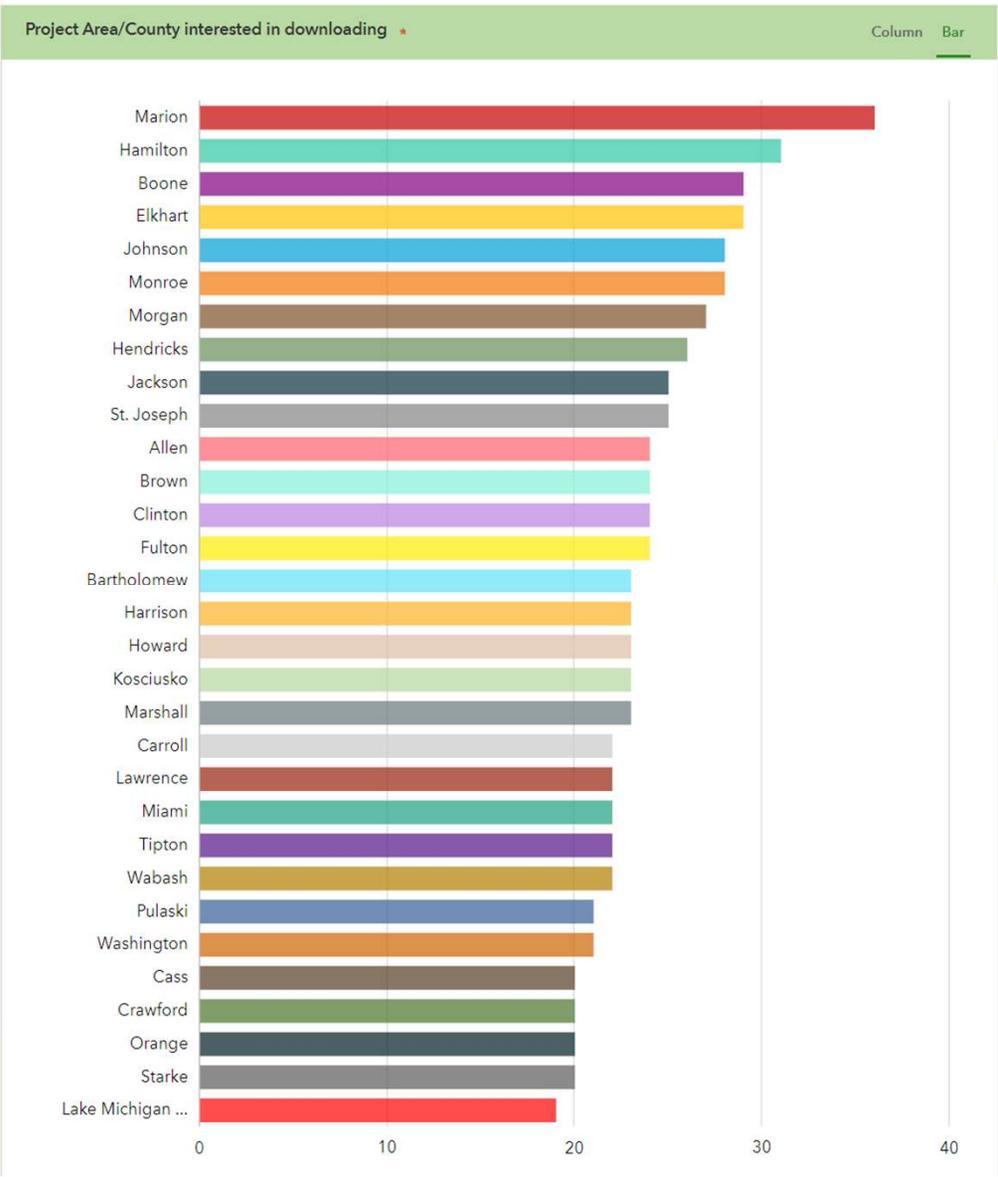
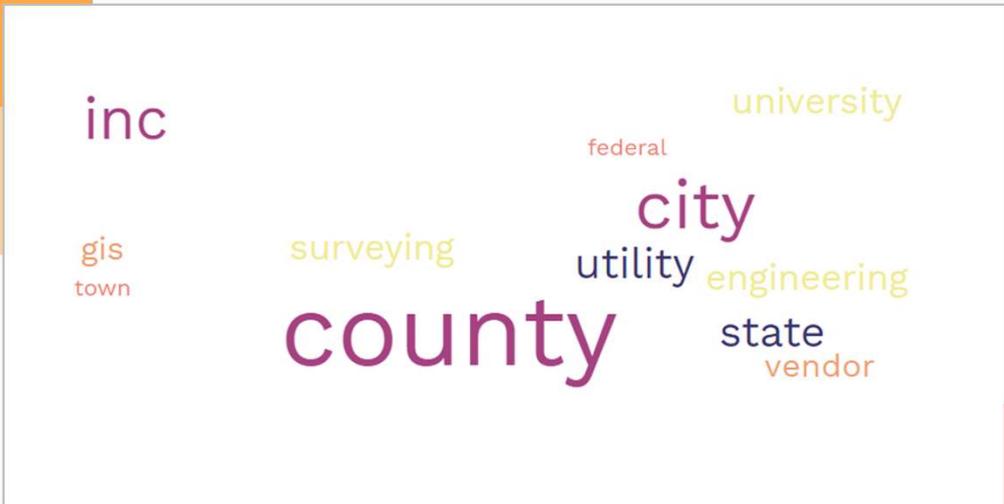
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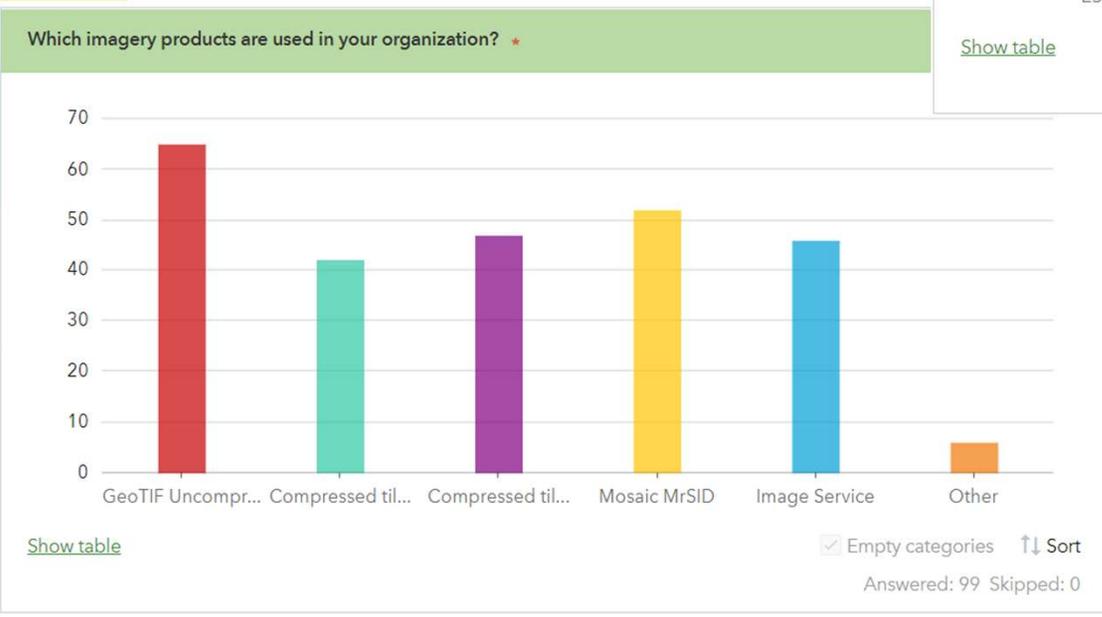
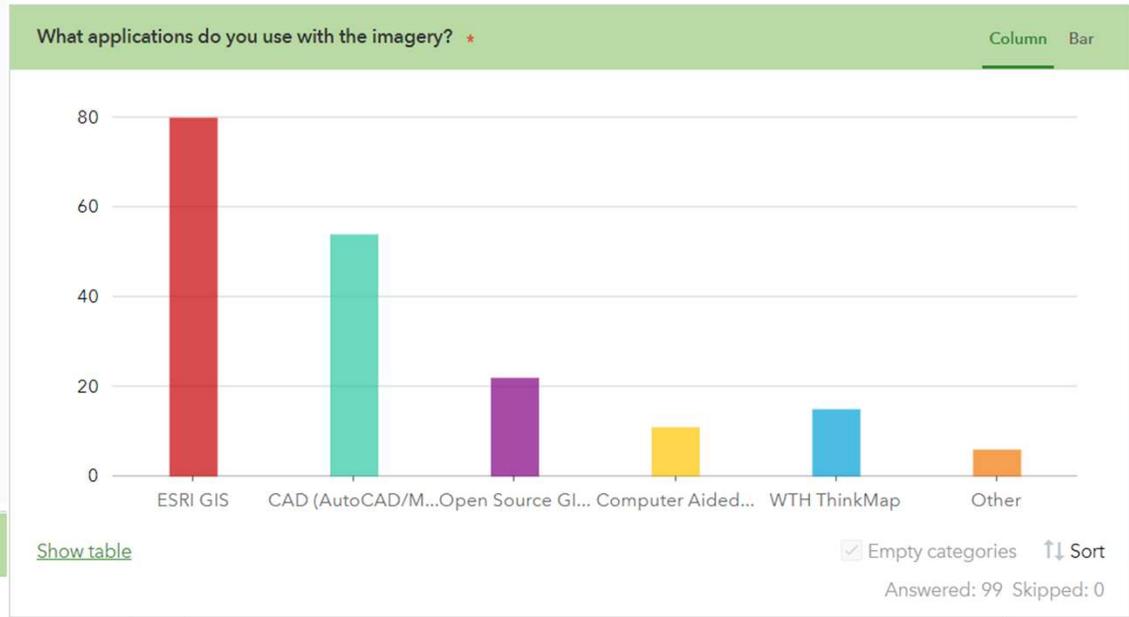
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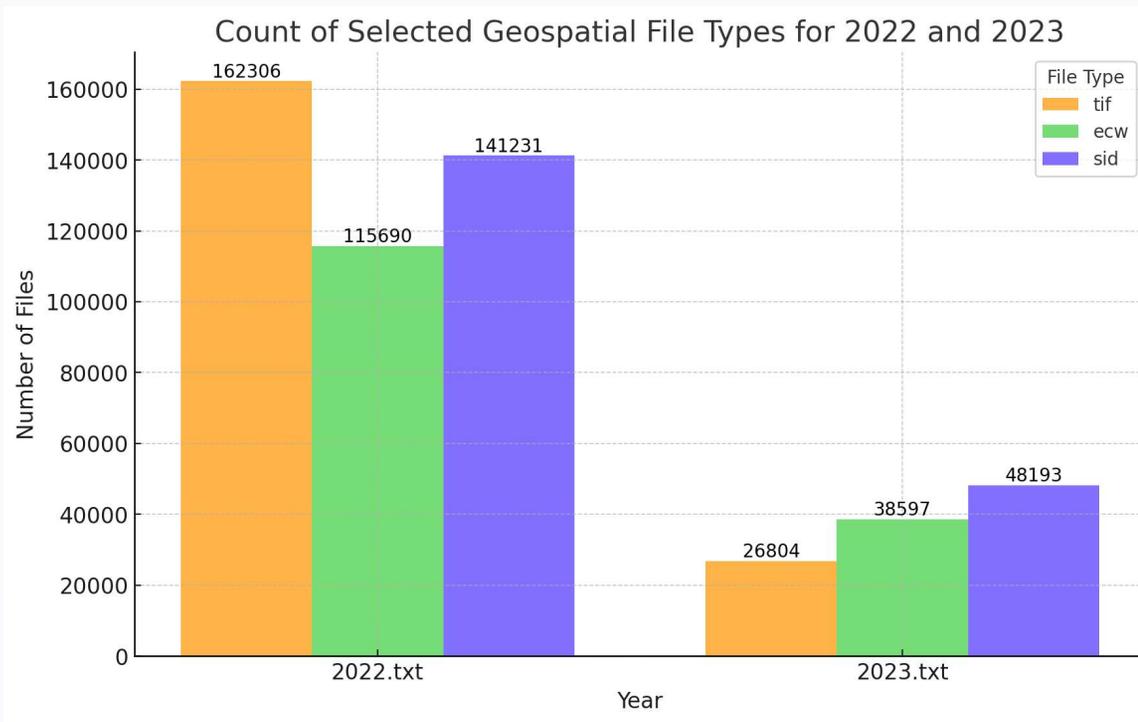
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Popular Formats & Application Users

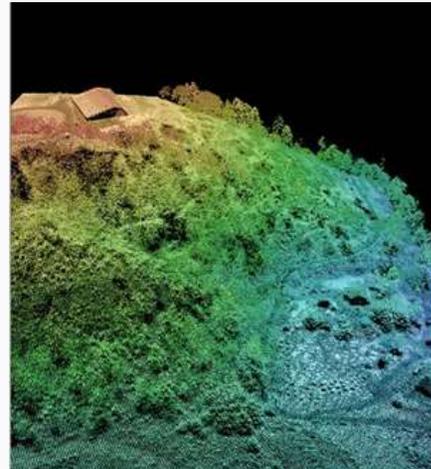


File Download Requests by Image Type

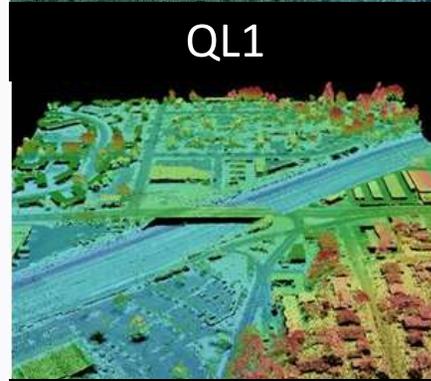


Lidar Program History

Proposed
2025-2028



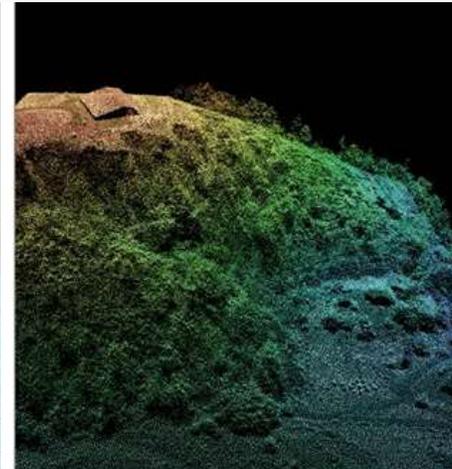
QL1



10 cm V.A.

8 pts/sq meter

2016-2020



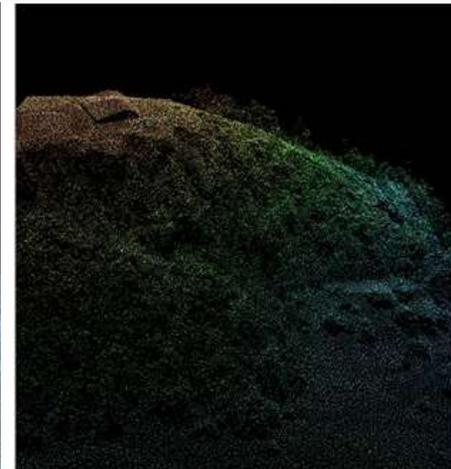
QL2



10 cm V.A.

2 pts/sq meter

2011-2013



QL3



20 cm V.A.

.5 pts/sq meter

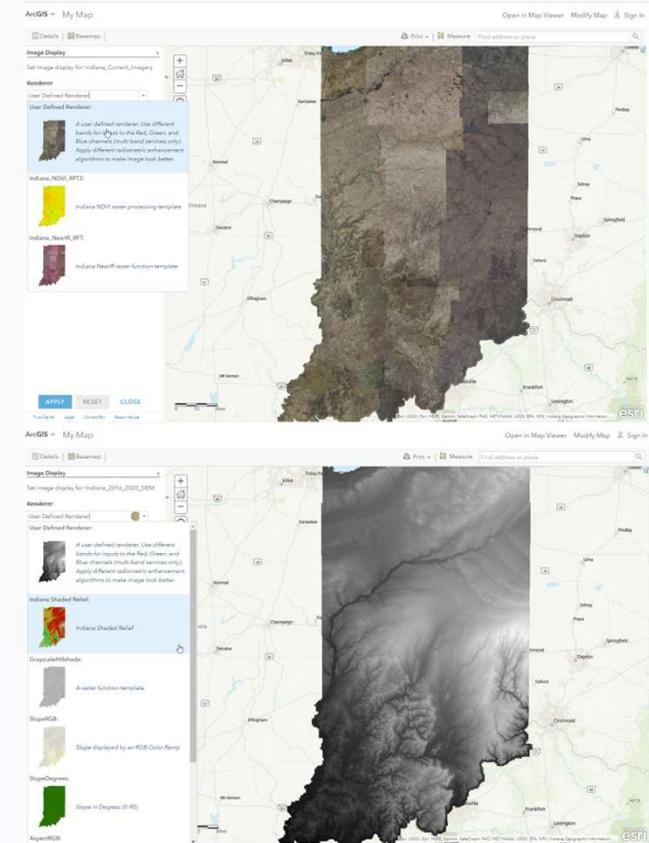
Accessing Dynamic Imagery Services

Access

- IndianaMap
- Custom Web Maps
- GIS Desktop Applications
- Rest Service

Explore Embedded Raster Functions

- Color Infrared
- Shaded Relief
- Hill Shade
- Slope



Accessing Imagery Download

Download Cloud Optimized GeoTIFF (COG)

- All years of orthoimagery
- All years of DEM elevation

Using Footprint Feature Service

Filter by

- Year
- Resolution
- County

Imagery tile direct from AWS

The screenshot shows the 'Indiana Orthoimagery Tile Footprints' page on the IndianaMap.GIO website. The page has a blue header with navigation links: Home, Data Gallery, Map Viewer, Engage, Enhancements, and FAQs and Guides. The main content area features a map of Indiana with a grid overlay, titled 'Orthoimagery Tile Grid'. Below the map is a 'Summary' section with text describing the dataset: 'This dataset contains polygon features representing the footprints of orthoimagery tiles collected for the State of Indiana imagery programs from 2021-2022 (2023 and 2024 coming soon), 2016-2019, 2011-2015, and 2005. These features contain attributes including the county name(s) the tile is within, collection year, pixel size, and URLs to download the imagery tile directly in Cloud-Optimized GeoTIFF (COG) format. Please note that due to the large number of features in each layer, this data will not start drawing in web maps until the user has zoomed in to a scale of 1:144,448.' Below the summary is a 'Details' section with metadata: 'Map Feature Service', 'November 14, 2023 Date Updated', 'August 3, 2023 Published Date', 'Public Anyone can see this content', and 'CCO 1.0 License View license details'. There is also a 'Relevant Area' section with a map of Indiana. At the bottom, there is a 'Layers' section with a search bar and a list of layers: '2020-2024 Orthoimagery Tile Footprints', '2016-2019 Orthoimagery Tile Footprints', '2011-2015 Orthoimagery Tile Footprints', and '2005 Orthoimagery Tile Footprints'.



Visual Elevation Products

- Shaded Relief and hill shade



- Contour

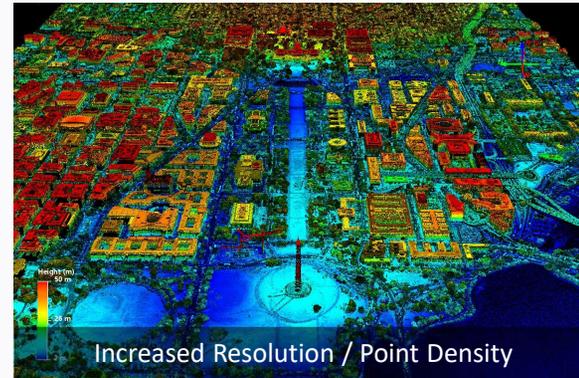


Contract Provisions for Lidar



Main Classifications

- Bare earth
- Vegetation
- Building
- Water
- Bridge deck



Increased Point Density

- 8 points/meter
- 24 points/meter

For More Information on Imagery & Elevation

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