

Introduction to Remote sensing and applications

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Advantage of RS

- Wide Coverage, Periodical Observation
- Variety of Observing Method
- Multi-resolution – Multi-temporal – Multi-spectral
- Global Environment – Local Application
- Hydrology, Oceanography, Global Env. Study, CO2

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Advantage of RS con't

- Agriculture, Forestry, Fisheries, Ecological Mapping
- Coastal zone management, Health Management, Energy
- Fire, Oil-spill, Volcano, Earthquake, Flood, Ice,
- Land use mapping, Cadastral Mapping, Topographic Map, Change Detection
- Military
- Use wisely by understanding advantage and limitation

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Recent an example of RS application

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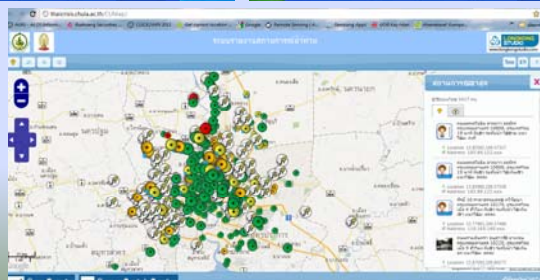
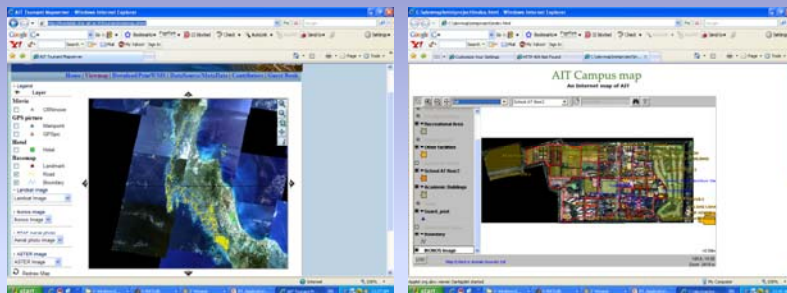
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Recent an example of RS application

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16. Flood Monitoring using JERS
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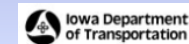
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Base map Web map server



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Remote Sensing (LIDAR) for Management of Highway Assets for Safety



Iowa State University ~ University of Missouri-Columbia
Lincoln University, University of Missouri-Kansas City
University of Missouri-St. Louis, University of Northern Iowa

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Main objective

Utilize light detection and ranging (LIDAR) technology to obtain highway safety-related information.

The safety needs of older drivers in terms of prolonged reaction times were taken into consideration.

- (1) identification of crashes that older drivers are more likely to be involved in,
- (2) identification of highway geometric features that are important in such crashes
- (3) utilization of LIDAR data for obtaining information on the identified highway geometric features
- (4) assessment of the feasibility of using LIDAR data for such applications.

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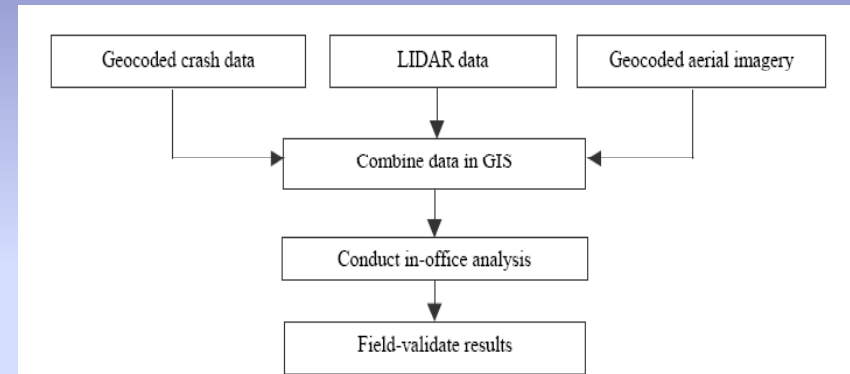


Figure 3.1. Adopted research methodology

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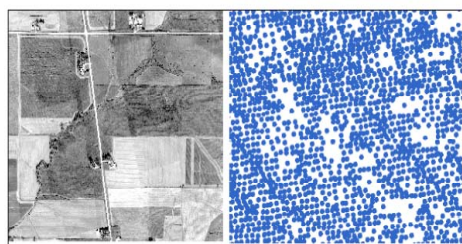


Figure 3.3. Sample orthophoto and converted LIDAR data

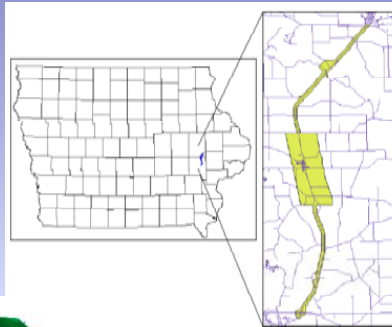


Figure 3.2. Study corridor



Figure 3.4. Sample 3D TIN of the study corridor passing through Solon, Iowa

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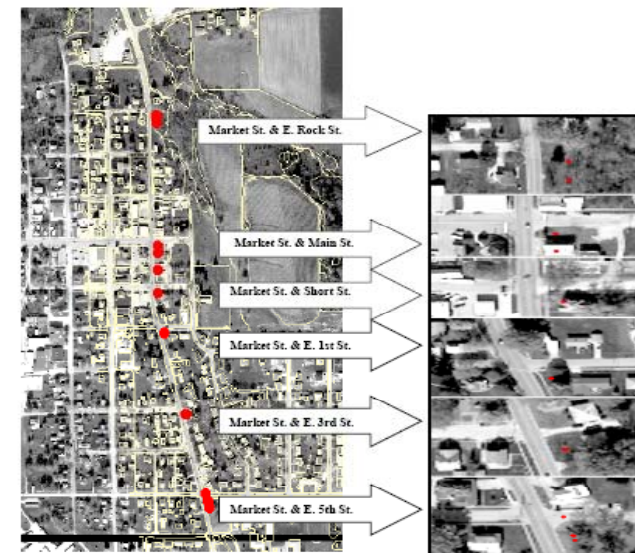
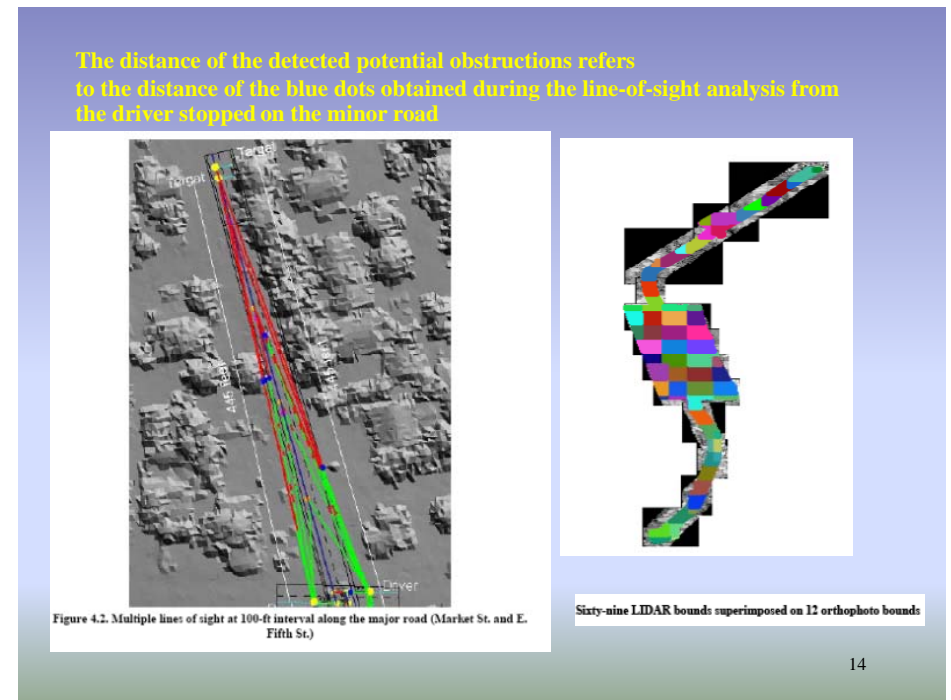
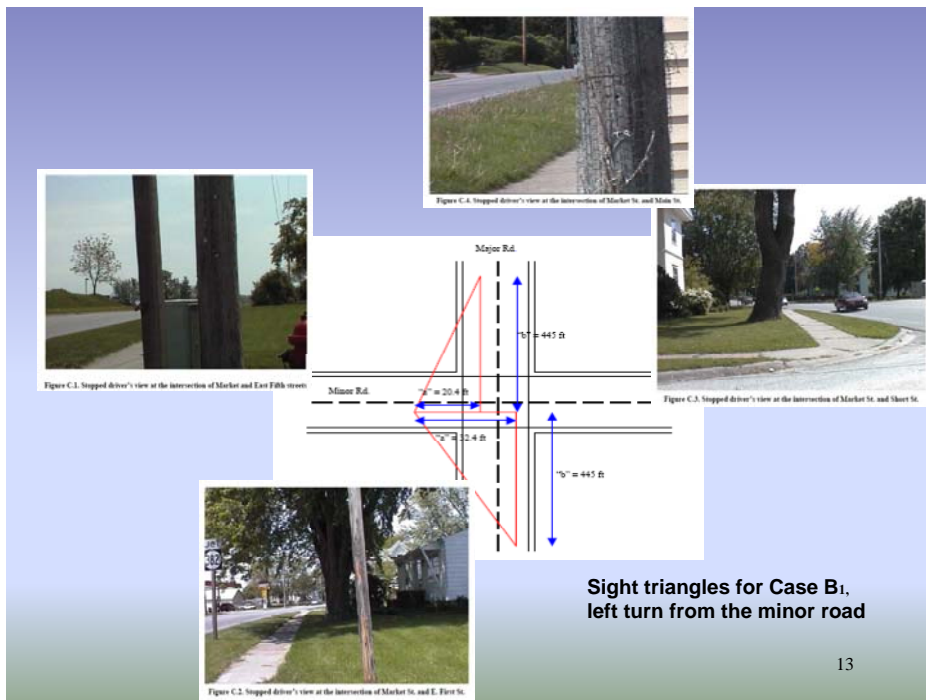


Figure 4.1. Six selected intersections and crash locations

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summary

-66 potential sight distance obstructions → identified by the line-of-sight

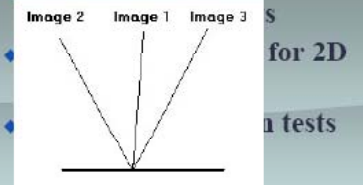
-The intersection with the highest crash frequency involving older drivers was correctly found to have obstructions located within the intersection sight triangles.

-LIDAR data can be utilized for identifying potential sight distance obstructions at intersections. The safety of older drivers can be enhanced by locating and rectifying intersections with obstructions in sight triangles. \$30,000 was spent

Melbourne Ikonos Test Field



- ◆ 3-fold image coverage
- ◆ 7km x 7km area ($\Delta h < 100m$)
- ◆ 40 GPS surveyed GCPs
- ◆ 19 building control pts.
- ◆ sub-pixel, multi-measurements to image features
- ◆ 2D & 3D point





Building Extraction Completeness

Ikonos 1m Pan Stereo versus Aerial Photography (1:15K)

- Loss of roof structural detail
- Omission of 15% of buildings (small & large)
- Loss of form & generalisation
- Can detect new buildings (even small)

Factors: shadows, resolution, edge definition, occlusions, noise & artifacts

3D Model of University of Melbourne Campus from *Ikonos* 1m B&W Stereo



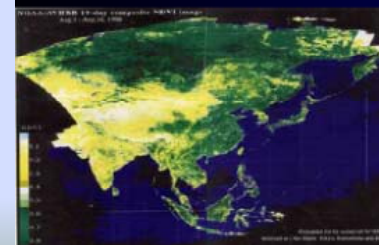
Produced with CyberCity Modeler

Pan-sharpened *Ikonos* 1m ortho-image draped over a DTM



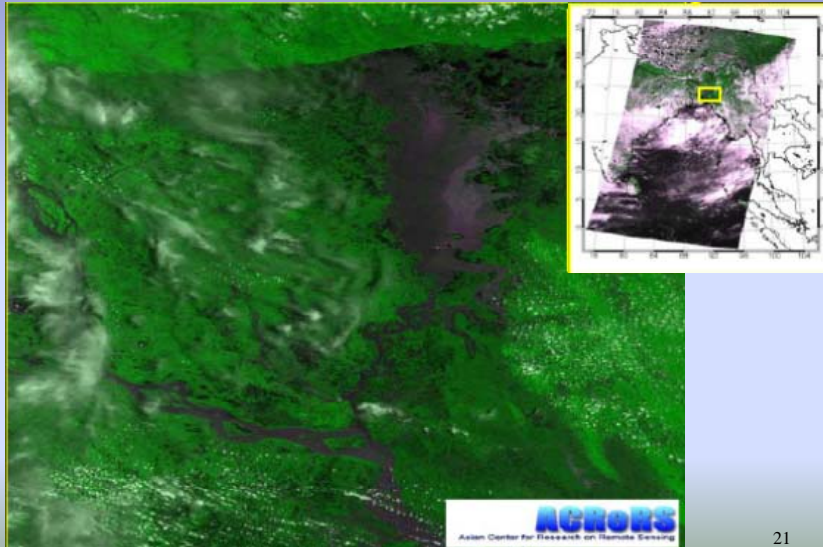
NOAA/AVHRR - MODIS/TERRA Reception, Archiving and Distribution

- NOAA/AVHRR Since 15 November 1997
- TERRA/MODIS Since 25 May 2001
- Archiving all of the received data
- Produce 10days and Monthly NDVI
- Network Data Distribution over Internet for Near Real Time Environment Monitoring

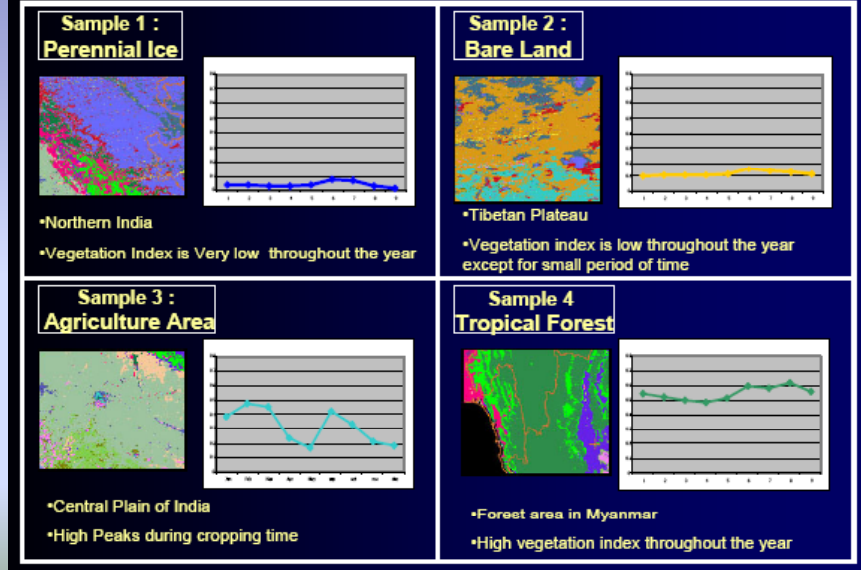


MODIS Installation 22nd May 2001, AIT

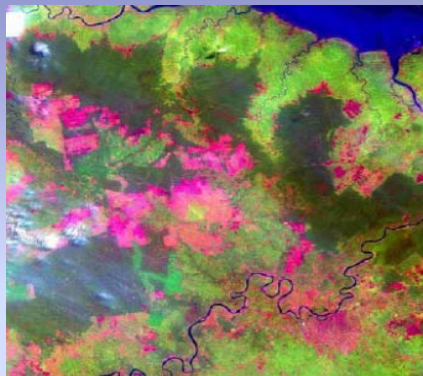
MODIS for Flood Monitoring



Results - Landuse Classes and its Multi-temporal Spectral Curves



Planting pattern detection



Historical TM image
1989 TM

8 Years Later
1997 TM

Recent TM image for the TREES test site 125/61 on Sumatra
The TM image from 18 August 97 shows new oil palm plantation areas, partly established by replacing old plantations, partly by conversion of forests.

Forest Fire Monitoring from NOAA AVHRR-Thailand



During the period of 4-16 July 2000, many fires were detected in Sumatra and Kalimantan of Indonesia.



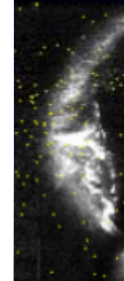
Figure 3
[SWIR, (NIR+GREEN)/2, RED] in RGB display. Both the fire and the smoke plume can be seen clearly.



Figure 5
The shadow and non-shadow areas have similar ground characteristics as that of the fire.

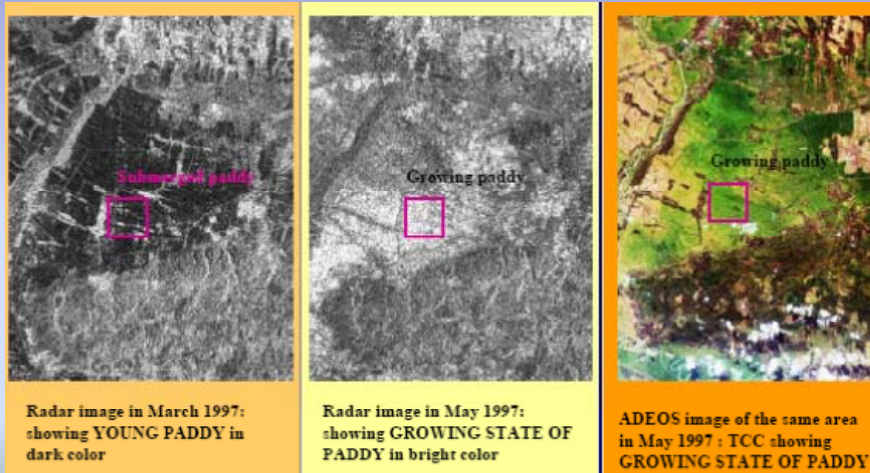
Defense Meteorological Satellite Program [DMSP]

Organizer	Department of Defense (DoD) program run by the Air Force Space and Missile Systems Center (SMC)
Orbit	a sun-synchronous, low altitude polar orbit at the altitude of 830 km / Period 101 min.



Each DMSP satellite monitors the atmospheric, oceanographic and solar-geophysical environment of the Earth. The visible and infrared sensors collect images of global cloud distribution across a 3,000 km swath during both daytime and nighttime conditions.

Rice Growth Monitoring using RADAR Remote Sensing

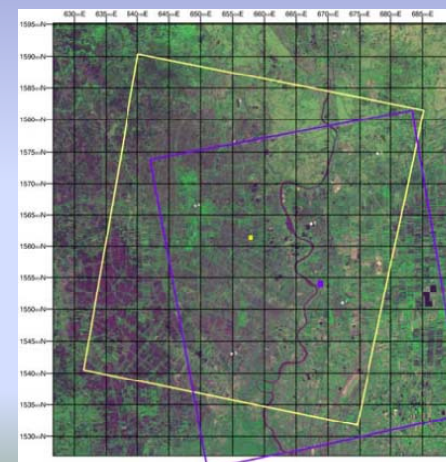


Radar image in March 1997: showing YOUNG PADDY in dark color

Radar image in May 1997: showing GROWING STATE OF PADDY in bright color

ADEOS image of the same area in May 1997: TCC showing GROWING STATE OF PADDY

Rice Growth Monitoring Using Near Real Time RADARSAT Fine Beam SAR Data in Pathumthani



Deployment sites of corner reflectors, plotted On ADEOS AVNIR image

Canada – Japan – Thailand Within 8 hrs after reception

Field locations of reflectors and corresponding views in the image

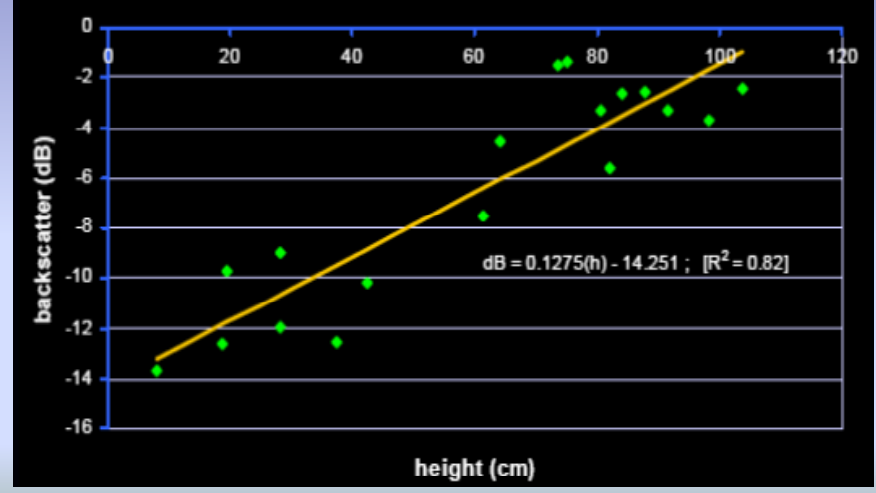


- (11a) Station No. 1
Reflector: 8.53 dB
Background: -21.22 dB
- (11b) Station No. 2
Reflector: 0.80 dB
Background: -2.10 dB
- (11c) Station No. 3
Reflector: 9.48 dB
Background: -3.14 dB
- (11d) Station No. 4
Reflector: 0.21 dB
Background: -5.08 dB

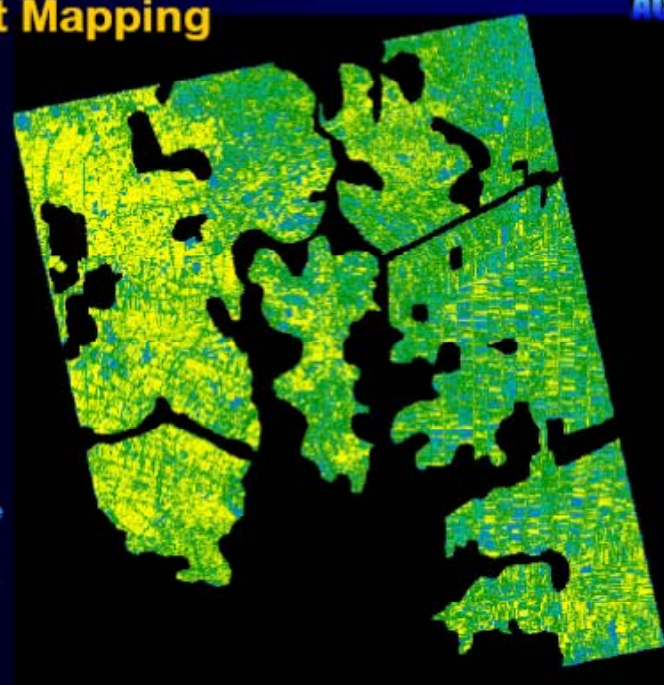
for geometric correction of RADARSAT image

For Better Overlay of Radar Image and Field Survey Result

Relationship between height & backscatter

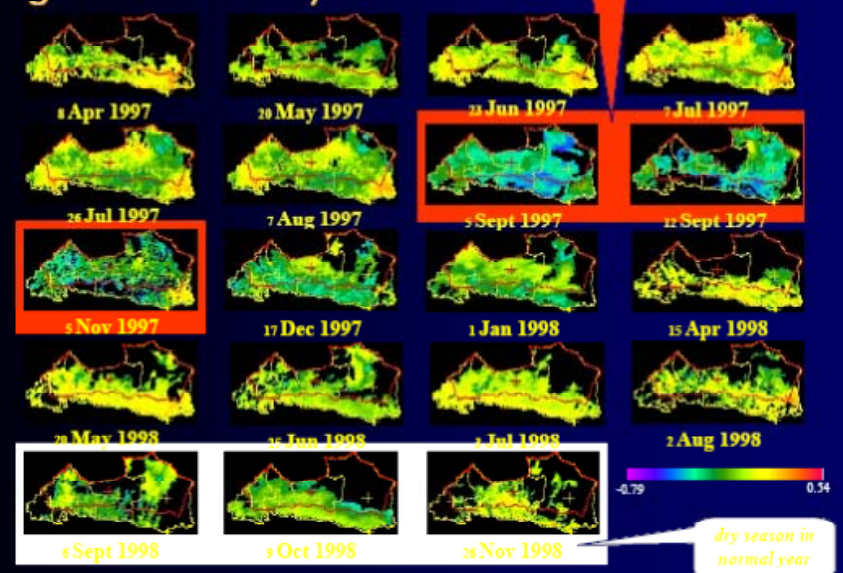


Rice Height Mapping



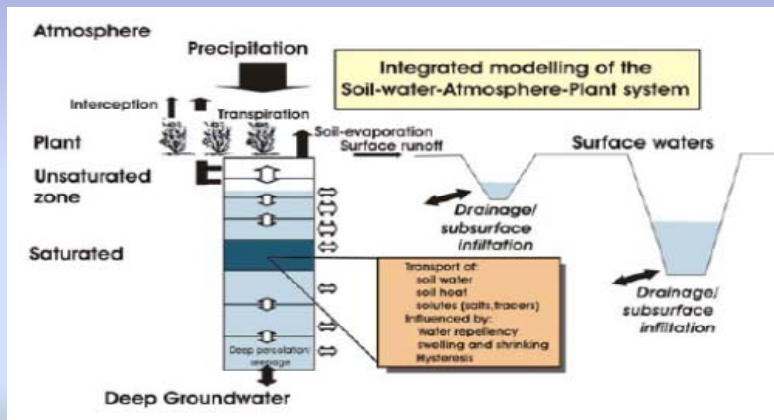
- Early vegetative
- Mid vegetative
- Late vegetative
- Reproductive
- Ripening

RS for Drought Monitoring (using NOAA AVHRR) in Indonesia



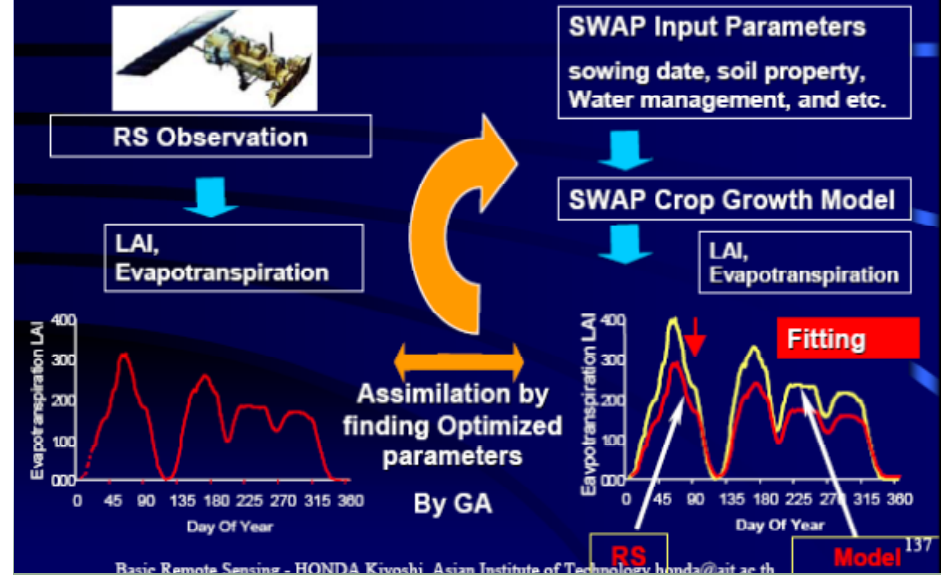
Vegetation change of NOAA AVHRR by using NDVI

Soil-Water-Atmosphere-Plant Model (SWAP)



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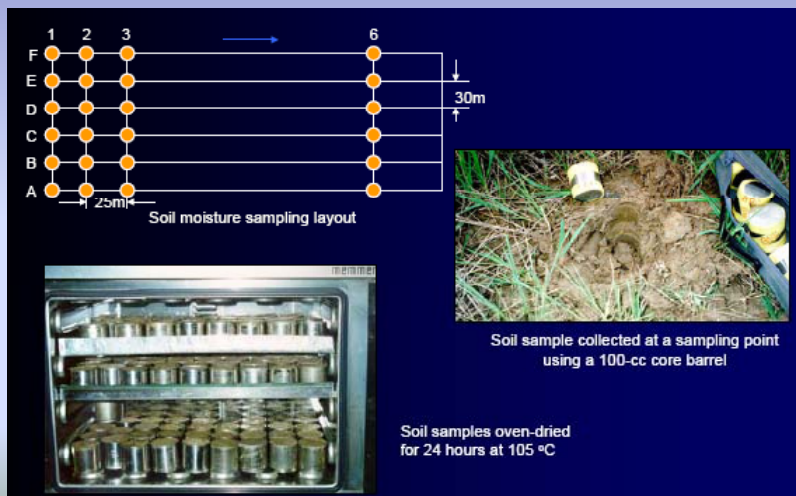
SWAP Model Parameter Determination - Data Assimilation using RS and GA -



Basic Remote Sensing - HONDA Kiyoshi, Asian Institute of Technology, honda@ait.ac.th

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Soil moisture measurement



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Remote Sensing for Coastal Zone Management Shrimp Farm extension in Chantaburi(1987- 1995)

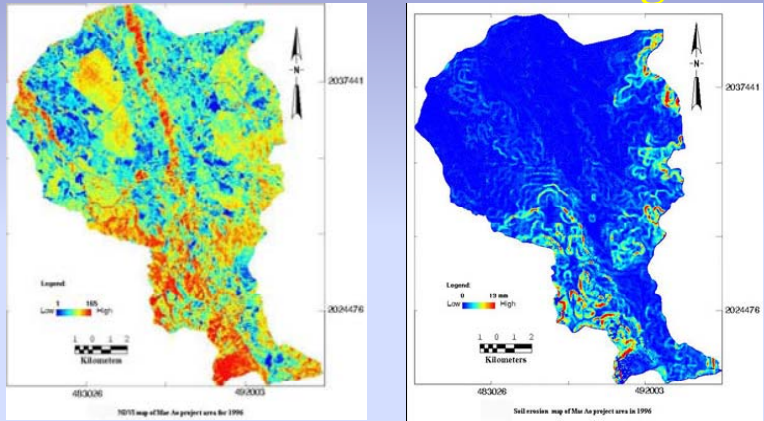


February 1987: LandSat-TM

August 1997: ADEOS-AVNIR

Remote Sensing for Coastal Zone Management Shrimp Farm extension in Chantaburi(1987- 1995)
Extent of shrimp cultivation increase within ten years period in Chantaburi coastal area is clearly visible. Area shown within yellow square/circle in 1997 image are the area converted to shrimp farms.

Soil Erosion Monitoring



NDVI Map
(Normalized Differential
Vegetation Index)

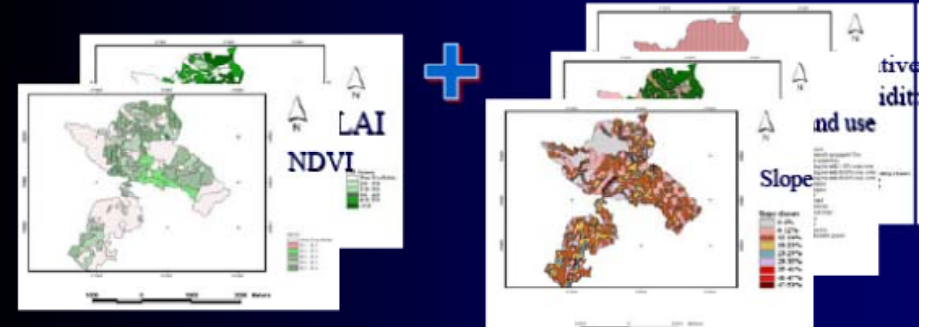
Soil Erosion rate
0.91 mm/year

Soil Erosion Map

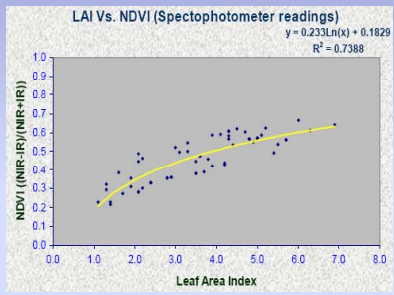
Model for estimating yield using LAI, topographic and meteorological variables

Considered parameters :
Yield, satellite image derived LAI, topographic and meteorological variables

Method :
- assigning weights for each parameter
- the relationship between average yield and weight of each parameter



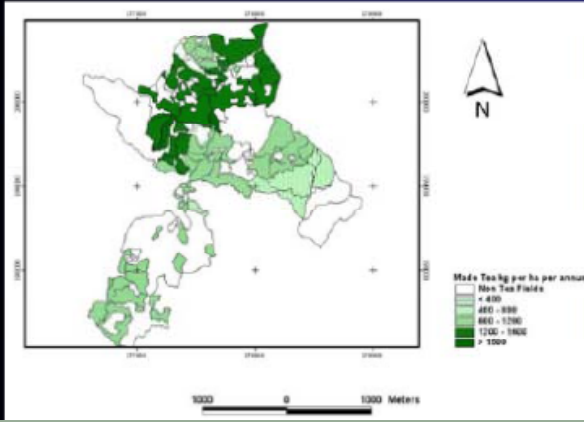
Develop a model to find the correlation between LAI and NDVI derived from spectrophotometer readings



Tea yield Model

$$\text{Yield} = -603.923 + 50.124w_d - 23.5w_r - 14.049w_l + 65.845w_i + 513.54w_a + 39.54w_h + 65.695w_f + 46.338w_e$$

Where;
 w_d = Soil depth weight; w_r = Rockiness cover weight; w_l = Landuse type weight
 w_i = LAI weight; w_a = Age of tea plantation weight; w_h = Relative humidity weight
 w_f = Rainfall weight; w_e = Elevation weight



Accuracy = 95%

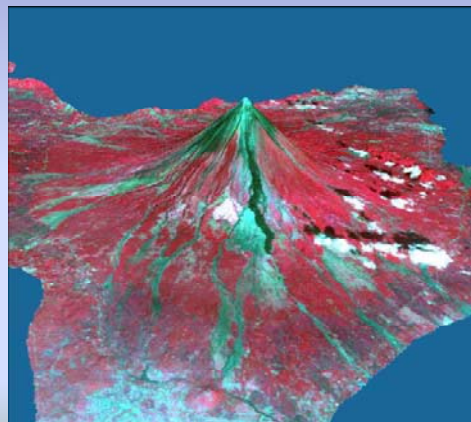
Predicted average yield map for year 2000 for Westhall estate: 2000 - 1084 kg made tea ha⁻¹

Mt. Mayon Volcano Comprehensive Disaster Prevention Master Plan

GIS Data

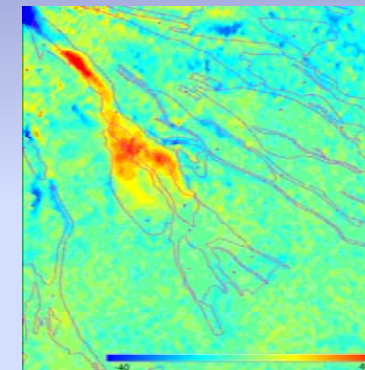
Development for Planner

- Historical River planform Change by lava, pyroclastic flow, lahar
- Sediment Production Estimation for river structure planning



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Lava Deposit of Mr. Mayon (Pawa Burabod riverbed)



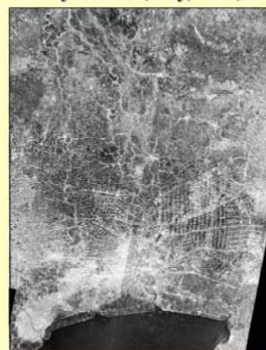
Estimation of Lava Deposit Height using SAR Interferometry
INSAR result Topographic difference

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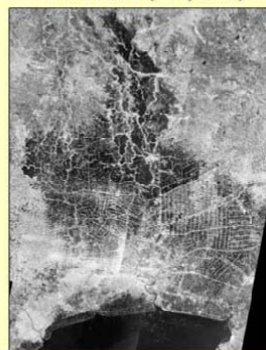
Flood Monitoring using JERS SAR 12 Scenes Mosaic

JERS-SAR Data

Dry Season (May, 1995)



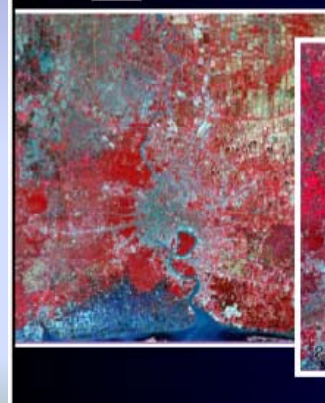
Wet Season (Nov, 1995)



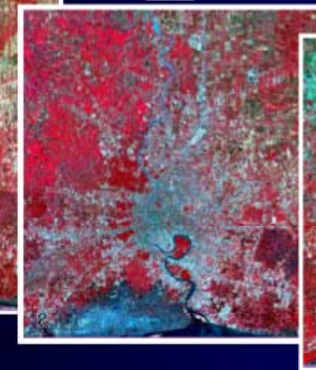
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Bangkok Urban Area Expansion 1988 - 1999

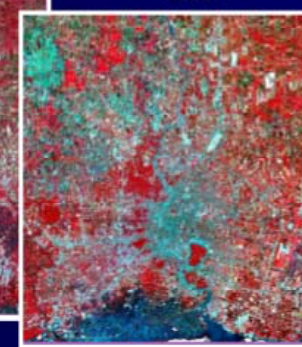
1988



1994



1999



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Urban extent from 1988 to 1999 using classified Landsat TM



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Military



Micro Air Vehicles (MAV)

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GPS



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Global Navigation Satellite Systems (GNSS)

- NAVSTAR
– USA
- GLONASS
– Russians
- Galileo
– Europeans

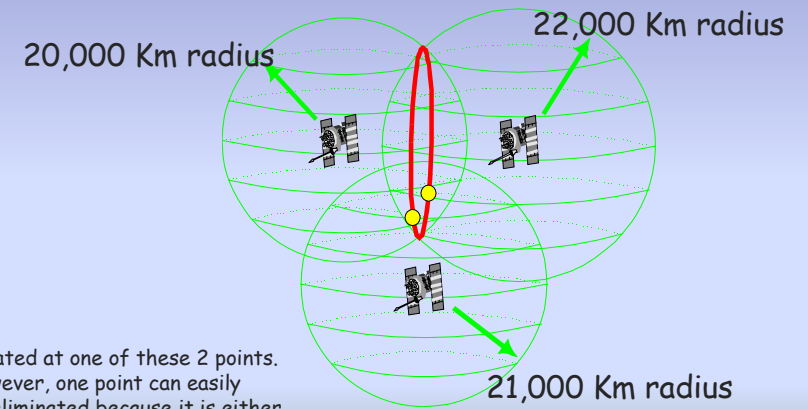
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How GPS works?

- Range from each satellite calculated
range = time delay X speed of light
- Technique called trilateration is used to determine your position or “fix”
 - Intersection of spheres
- At least 3 satellites required for 2D fix
- However, 4 satellites should always be used
 - The 4th satellite used to compensate for inaccurate clock in GPS receivers
 - Yields much better accuracy and provides 3D fix

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Three SV ranges known



Located at one of these 2 points. However, one point can easily be eliminated because it is either not on earth or moving at impossible rate of speed.

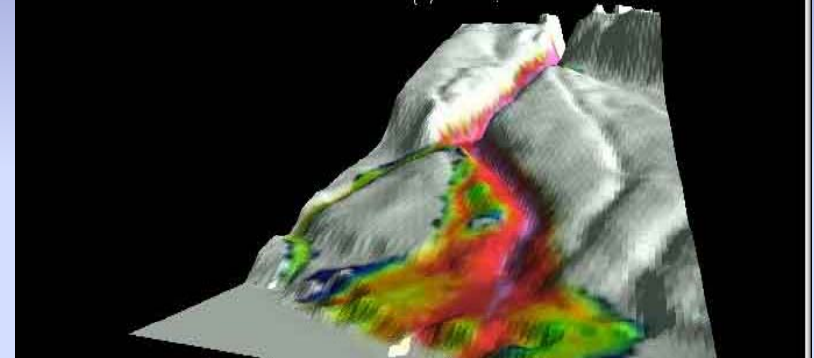
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Debris flow



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Debris Flow Simulation
Maximum Flux
(C)HONDA, CFC



<http://www.star.ait.ac.th/~honda/debris.html>

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- While the problems of stratospheric ozone depletion and climate change are global in scale, acid deposition, another air-related environmental problem, is regional.
- **Regional - Acid Rain**
- The composition of rain and snow depends upon the gases or other agents present in region of the atmosphere in which the clouds are formed. When water forms clouds, various chemicals and dust particles (both naturally-occurring and anthropogenic) are dissolved or trapped in the droplets, and eventually deposited back onto the ground.
- "Natural" acidity occurs because of dissolved organic oxides (like CO₂) and sulfur compounds from decaying biomass. Acidity also occurs as a result of more extreme phenomena like volcanic eruptions, which spew large quantities of CO₂, H₂S, and SO₂ into the air

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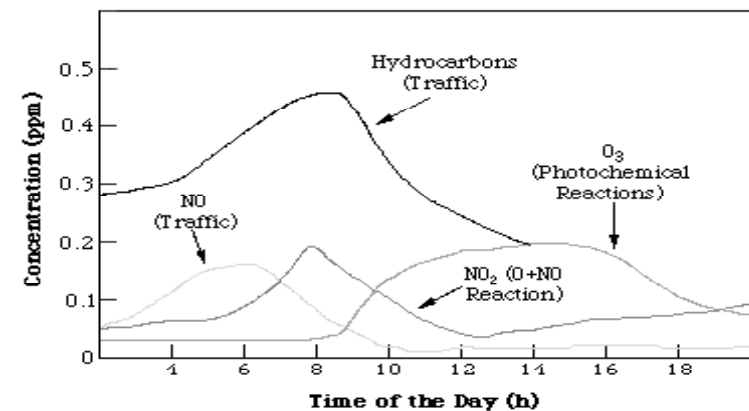
Local - Photochemical Smog & Tropospheric Ozone

- Smog (SMoke and fOG) was a phenomenon recognized in the early 1950's when thousands of deaths and intense respiratory problems occurred in London, England; Donora, Pennsylvania; and cities in other countries all over the industrialized world.

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- Among the gases produced in the photochemical smog are ozone and peroxyacetyl nitrate (often referred to as PAN). The following reactions produce ground-level ozone:
- $\text{NO}_2 + \text{uv NO} + \text{O}$
 $\text{O} + \text{O}_2 (+ \text{catalyst}) \text{O}_3 (+ \text{catalyst})$

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Rise of ozone smog toward mid day.

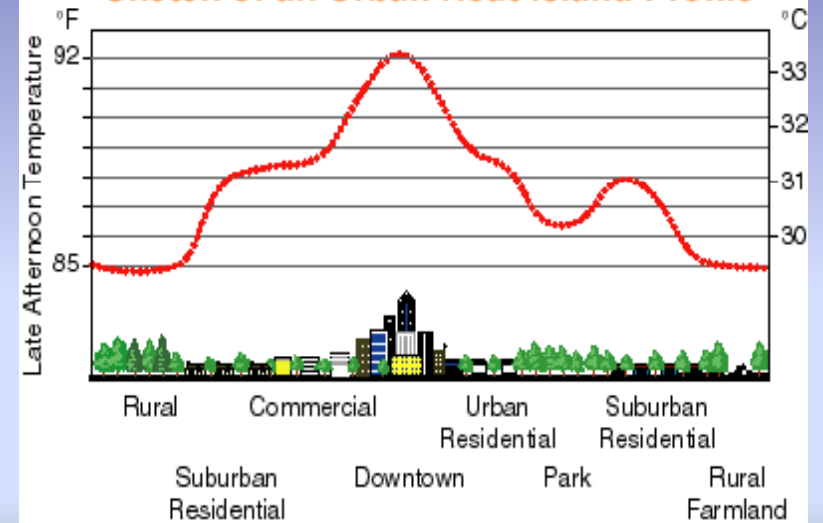
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Local - Urban Heat Islands

- Urban heat islands" are a sort of localized enhanced greenhouse phenomenon. They are simply built-up areas of city that are significantly warmer than the surrounding area of countryside. The difference in temperature comes from the fact that buildings, paved surfaces, and other man-made structures absorb higher amounts of sunlight than most natural objects. This energy is re-radiated at longer wavelengths during the night, and atmospheric pollution in the form of heat-absorbing gases form a "local" atmosphere much like the glass of a greenhouse, trapping in the heat.

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Sketch of an Urban Heat-Island Profile



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Remote Sensing of the Urban Heat Island Effect across Biomes in the Continental USA

In Environmental Science, Imagery, Spatial Analysis on April 21, 2010 at 6:29 am

Remote Sensing of Environment, Volume 114, Issue 3, 15 March 2010, Pages 504-513

Imhoff, M.L., Zhang, P., Wolfe, R.E. and Bounoua, L

"Impervious surface area (ISA) from the Landsat TM-based NLCD 2001 dataset and land surface temperature (LST) from MODIS averaged over three annual cycles (2003–2005) are used in a spatial analysis to assess the urban heat island (UHI) skin temperature amplitude and its relationship to development intensity, size, and ecological setting for 38 of the most populous cities in the continental United States. Development intensity zones based on %ISA are defined for each urban area emanating outward from the urban core to the non-urban rural areas nearby and used to stratify sampling for land surface temperatures and NDVI. Sampling is further constrained by biome and elevation to insure objective intercomparisons between zones and between cities in different biomes permitting the definition of hierarchically ordered zones that are consistent across urban areas in different ecological setting and across scales.

- <http://gisandscience.com/2010/04/21/remote-sensing-of-the-urban-heat-island-effect-across-biomes-in-the-continental-usa/>

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Suggested Web Sites:

- AUSLIG (<http://www.auslig.gov.au/>)
- Space Imaging (<http://www.spaceimage.com/>)
- Australian Bureau of Meteorology (<http://www.bom.gov.au/sat/intro/paper1intro.shtml>)
- JPL Radar Site (<http://www.jpl.nasa.gov/radar/sircxsar/>)
- Australian geological Survey Organization (<http://www.agso.gov.au/>)

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Question?

Thank you for your kind attention

