

Ground Truth Data (GT Data) of the Terrestrial World

Warehousing Field-Plot Data of the World

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1.0 Background:

Ground truth data of the World is a living dynamic project on warehousing field-plot data through IWMIDSP. Data consists of geographic coordinates (lat/long, UTM), land use categories, land cover percentages, crop types, cropping pattern, cropping intensity, digital photos, and other information on natural resources and environments of many parts of the World. These are high quality field-plot data made available as a global public good and made freely accessible and downloadable to anyone in the World. These data were collected over several years, in different projects, by numerous researchers from around the World.

If you have geographically precise data on land use, land cover, crop types, cropping pattern, forest cover, and a host of other natural resources and environmental data and are willing to share with Global research community, let us know. If the data is in standard formats (excel, arcview, ArcGIS, ERMMapper, and other RS/GIS compatible software) and you are willing to share them as a public good, we may be able to host it in this single platform for “Ground truth data of the World”. You will be duly acknowledged.

Data contributors and references

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