2004 WI Farm Service Agency Imagery Programs

Overview: The USDA Farm Service Agency acquires digital imagery on a yearly basis during the cropping season for spot checking reported acreage of crops and updating farm records. Please refer to the coverage map below and the description of the two 2004 WI FSA imagery programs on page two for further information.

NAIP Orthorectified Imagery County Mosaics can be downloaded from http://www.wisconsinview.org
2004 NAIP (National Agriculture Imagery Program)

Overview: NAIP is a national program intended to replace FSA’s 35 mm slide program. This imagery is being acquired for Wisconsin counties in 2004 with digitized farm and track field boundaries (common land unit). For further information, please refer to the national NAIP website: 
http://www.apfo.usda.gov/naip.html

Characteristics:
- **True color, orthorectified imagery**
- **Timing**: Imagery acquired between June 20th and August 30th 2004
- **Resolution**: 2 m.
- **Projection**: Predominant UTM Zone (15 or 16 in WI) by county
- **Format**: MrSID county mosaic. Information on how to use MrSIDs: 
  http://www.lmic.state.mn.us/chouse/mrsid_help.html
- **Accuracy**: +/- 3% when compared to a Mosaicked Digital Orthophoto Quadrangle
*** This imagery is NOT intended to be used for purposes requiring a high degree of spatial accuracy.

Ordering information:
- Available after October 2004. Download from http://www.wisconsinview.org or Request by county. $50 per CD.
- Call 1-801-975-3500. USDA Aerial Photography Field Office
  http://www.apfo.usda.gov/naip.html

WI Contracted Imagery
Overview: The WI FSA State Office contracted to obtain imagery for non-NAIP counties in 2004.
Characteristics:
- **True color, semi-rectified imagery** – Center point of image registered to the predominant UTM Zone.
- **Timing**: Imagery acquired between June 20th and August 30th, 2004
- **Resolution**: 0.85 m.
- **Projection**: Predominant UTM Zone (15 or 16 in WI) by county
- **Format**: 4.5 sq mile tiles, JPEG format
- **Accuracy**: +/- 250 ft when compared to a Mosaicked Digital Orthophoto Quadrangle
*** This imagery is NOT intended to be used for purposes requiring a high degree of spatial accuracy.

Contractor: ProWest & Associates http://www.prowestgis.com/

Ordering Information: Available after August 15, 2004
- Request by county or section number. $30 per CD
- To request imagery for one county, contact your local Farm Service Agency office
- To request multiple counties, contact barb_quam@wi.usda.gov; (608) 662-4422 Ext 116. Invoice billing available.

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