HyspIRI VNIR and TIR Data Products Susan Ustin

Ready and Near Ready Products

Atmospheric calibration for phases of water (vapor, liquid, solid) Narrow band Indexes (e.g., PRI) Red edge detection

Linear Mixture models (green vegetation, dry vegetation (NPV), soil, water, impervious surfaces

Multiple endmember spectral mixture analysis (MESMA)

Leaf Area Index

Quantified Chemistry (inversion of PROSPECT models) Total pigments, carotenoids, chlorophylls, Equivalent water thickness, canopy water content

Tested but needs more validation on wider range of ecosystems

Steady State Fluorescence Canopy nitrogen content; other elements: P, K, etc. (see Asner) Anthocyanin (Gitleson method) Fuel Moisture Content (PROSPECT inversion)

Retrieval of Quantified Water in Different Phases from Atmospheric RT Model







- Water vapor 0.51 to12.7mm precipitable water per pixel
- Liquid water 0 to 7.4 mm equivalent path transmittance
- Ice 0 to 27.9 mm equivalent path transmittance

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Leaf Area Index is a Critical Variable for Physiological Status and Fluxes



Ranga Myneni et al. 2007. Large seasonal swings in leaf area of Amazon rainforests. NPAS.

Linear Spectral Mixture Analysis for 3 Endmembers



Asner GP, Green RO. 2001. Imaging spectroscopy measures desertification in the Southwest U.S. and Argentina. EOS Transactions. 82(49):601-606.

SMA Endmember Fraction Map Tracks Phenological Changes



Endmembers: Green vegetation Dry vegetation Soil

Independent Vegetation Map

Deciduous Forest Mixed Evergreen Forest Chaparral Greenstone Grassland Serpentine Grassland Wetland



Ustin et al., 1999

SMA: Monitoring Disturbance History, Forest Composition & Structure

Endmembers: Soil Green Vegetation Shade

What you can see: Riparian Hardwood Forest Old Growth Forest Soil in Clear Cut Forest Regrowing conifer forest Meadow/agriculture



Wind River Experimental Forest within the Gifford Pinchot National Forest

July, 3 Years of Change in NPV, GV, and EWT



Semi Arid Chaparral, Santa Monica Mountains, southern California

5 km

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Canopy Water Content: Seasonal changes

Santa Monica Mtns: Canopy Water Content





S.L. Ustin 1998, Remote Sens. Environ., 65:280-291.

Weekly Retrieval of Water Content at the Canopy Scale



P. Zarco-Tejada et al., RSE 2003

Interannual September CWC for Southwestern US & Mexico



2003













Deviation from mean

CWC (%)

<-80
-80 to -60
-60 to -40
-40 to -20
-20 to 0
0 to 20
20 to 40
40 to 60
60 to 80
>80

PROSPECT 4: Data sets ● LOPEX □ CALMIT ◆ ANGERS ○ HAWAII



Feret, J-B., François, C. Asner, GP, Gitelson, AA, Martin, RE, Bidel, L.P.R., Ustin, S.L., le Maire, G., and Jacquemoud, S. 2008. PROSPECT-4 and -5: Advances in the Leaf Optical Properties Model Separating Photosynthetic Pigments. Remote Sensing of Environment 112: 3030-3043.

PROSPECT 4, 5: Assessment of Leaf Pigment Content





Expansion of Native Tule Marsh into flooded Liberty Island in four years



Liberty Island (flooded, former agricultural land)





Spatial Resolution is Less Important for Species/Community Mapping than Spectral Resolution

- A. Full AVIRIS spectral resolution, 3m IFOV
- B. Full AVIRIS spectral resolution, 30m IFOV
- C. Landsat TM bands, 3m IFOV
- D. Landsat TM bands, 30m IFOV

Underwood, E. S.L. Ustin and C. Ramirez. 2006. A comparison of spatial and spectral image resolution for mapping invasive plants in coastal California, Ecological Management, 39 (1): 63-83.

Fire Risk Maps of Roof and Building Composition, Impervious Surfaces and Vegetation



A: Red tile roof B: Wood shingle roof C: Grey composite shingle roof D: Concrete road E: Asphalt road F: Parking lot G: Green vegetation H: Non-photosynthetic vegetation I: Bare soil

High resolution AVIRIS image RGB: 2338nm/846nm/438nm Goleta, CA, June 2000

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AVIRIS Maps of Wildfire Disturbance: Burned and Unburned Land Cover within Burn Scar Area



Kokaly et al., Remote Sensing of Environment, 2007

Recovery and Revegetation Depend on Survival Patterns



Kokaly et al., Remote Sensing of Environment, 2007



Port of Stockton July 2, 2004

Vegetation Mapping is Improved using Multiband and Hyperspectral TIR Imagery



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Identification of plant species by using high spatial and spectral resolution thermal infrared (8.0–13.5 μm) imagery Beatriz Ribeiro da Luz , James K. Crowley, RSE 2010