

Using Landsat to View a Changing New York



Area near Syracuse and Onondaga Lake, on August 19, 1972. These false color images are composited by near infrared, green, and red band. Forest and vigorous vegetation appear as red. Urban and residential areas are light green or grey. Lakes and rivers appear as blue.

Landsat 1, Path 17, Row 30, Band 7, 5, 4



Area near Syracuse and Onondaga Lake, on May 29, 2015. Building intensity in downtown increased and residential area spread along new roads and highways. The amount of agricultural land increased as well in suburban.

Landsat 8, Path 15, Row 30, Band 5, 4, 3



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