This map displays 2006 National Agriculture Imagery Program (NAIP) orthophotography for the State of Connecticut. It is a natural color, full color, 3.39 feet (1 meter) aerial survey taken on July 16th and 17th and August 5th, 15th, 14th, or 16th, depending on the area. The statewide mosaic is not color balanced so color variations between individual ortho images is not consistent. This will cause differences in the range and intensity of colors depending on the area viewed. The location and shape of features in other ESS layers will not exactly match information shown in the orthophotography primarily due to differences in spatial accuracy and data collection dates. Street-level data such as major interstates, US routes, state routes, airports, railroads, and ferry crossings are displayed yet may not match the location of such features in the orthophotographs. Also shown are airports, hospitals, educational facilities, train stations, and town boundaries. Important geographic locations and waterbodies are labeled.

**DATA SOURCES**

ORTHOGRAPHY - Imagery provided by the National Agriculture Imagery Program (NAIP), a part of the USDA’s Farm Service Agency through the Aerial Photography Field Office in Hartford, CT.

BASE MAP DATA - All data is based on 1:24,000 scale and displays geographic names, places and their symbols, streets, boundaries, railroads, and airports. Some base map data is from current or past compilations. Street data is based on Taxlot/property data.

MAPS AND DIGITAL DATA - Visit the CT DEP website for this map and a variety of others in PDF format. Visit the CT DEP website to download the base map digital spatial data shown on this map.