This map displays 2012 National Agriculture Imagery Program (NAIP) aerial orthophotography for the State of Connecticut. It is a color infrared, fast and 3.39 foot (1 meter) aerial survey taken during the summer of 2012. This infrared orthophotography provides many services, such as observing crop and vegetation conditions as well as supporting classification and mapping of habitats. The statewide coverage includes agricultural, urban, and suburban areas. The map is not corrected or adjusted for differences in the range and intensity of colors depending on the area viewed. The location and shape of features in other GIS layers will not exactly match information shown in the aerial photography primarily due to differences in spatial accuracy and data collection dates. Some-level data such as major waterbodies, US routes, state routes, streets, railroads, and ferry crossings are displayed but may not match the locations of such features on the orthophotography. Also shown are schools, hospitals, educational facilities, roads, railroads, and town boundaries. Important geographic locations and waterbodies are labeled.

DATA SOURCES

ORTHOPHOTOGRAPHY - National Agriculture Imagery Program (NAIP) is provided by the USDA Farm Service Agency through the Aerial Photography Field Office in West Lafayette, IN.

BASE MAP DATA - Based on data originally from 1:148,000 scale USGS 7.5 minute topographic quadrangle maps published between 1950 and 2010. It includes political boundary, roads and streets, geographic names and geographic place. Rivers and water names are from State Acres© copyrighted from the map information software company.

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