The map shows the natural and regional extent of local drainage basins in Litchfield County, Connecticut. The drainage basins are defined by the boundaries of local streams and rivers, as well as the surrounding topography. The map includes contour lines to indicate the elevation and slope of the land. The contour lines are spaced at 100 feet intervals, with the nearest 100 feet shown on the map. The map also includes political boundaries, railroads, airports, and other features that are relevant to the study of local drainage basins.

**DATA SOURCES**

- **Topographic Baseline Data:** The drainage basins are delineated using data from the United States Geological Survey (USGS) 1:24,000-scale topographic maps. These maps provide detailed information about the topography, including the location of hills and ridges, as well as the location of streams and rivers.
- **Political and Administrative Data:** The map includes information about political boundaries, railroads, airports, and other features that are relevant to the study of local drainage basins. This data is sourced from a variety of government agencies and organizations, including the Connecticut Department of Transportation (CT DOT) and the United States Census Bureau.
- **Satellite Imagery:** The map includes imagery from the National Aeronautics and Space Administration (NASA) and the United States Geological Survey (USGS) to provide a more accurate representation of the topography and drainage basins.

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