# Out of the Blue

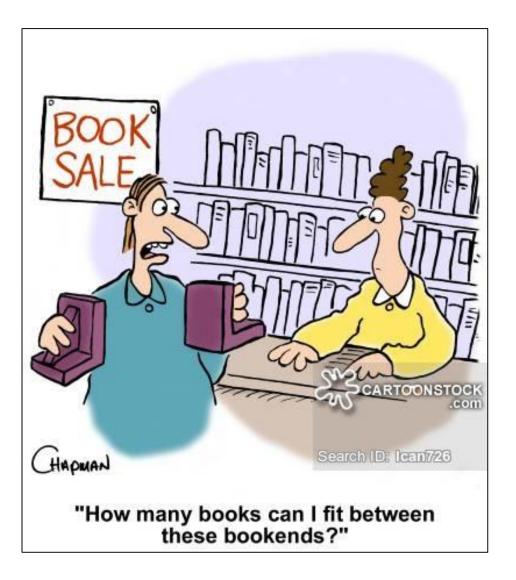
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### Agenda

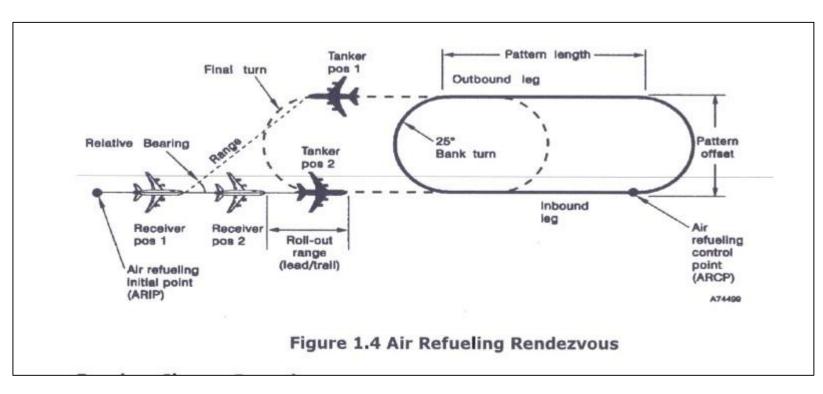
- Technology
- People
- Service
- 2017
- Looking Ahead





### Aircraft Navigator?

- Air refueling rendezvous
- Overwater position
- Weather avoidance
- Loss of navigation aids



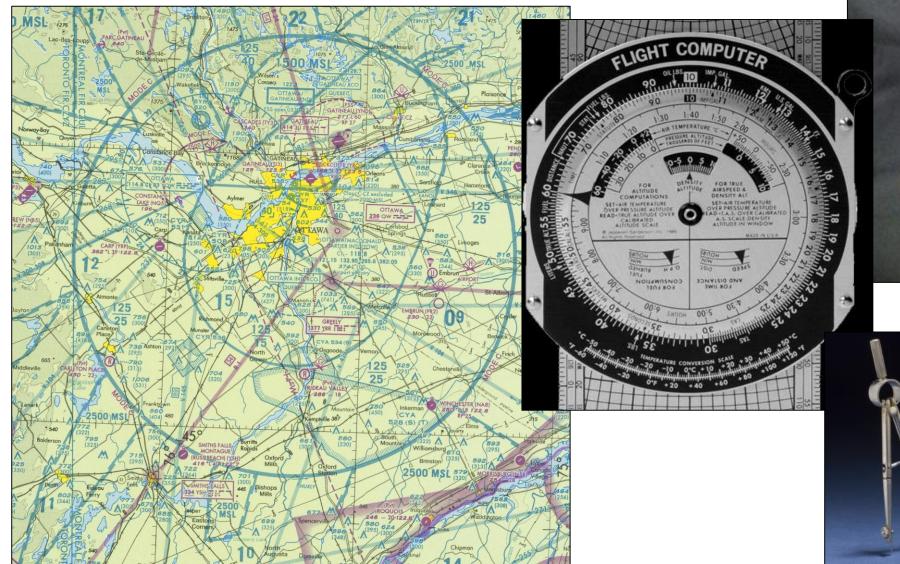
### Office (circa 1955!)

GPS? INS?

Magnetic Compass Clock Radar DNS! (1980) Outside Air Temperature Drift meter



#### Tools of the Trade







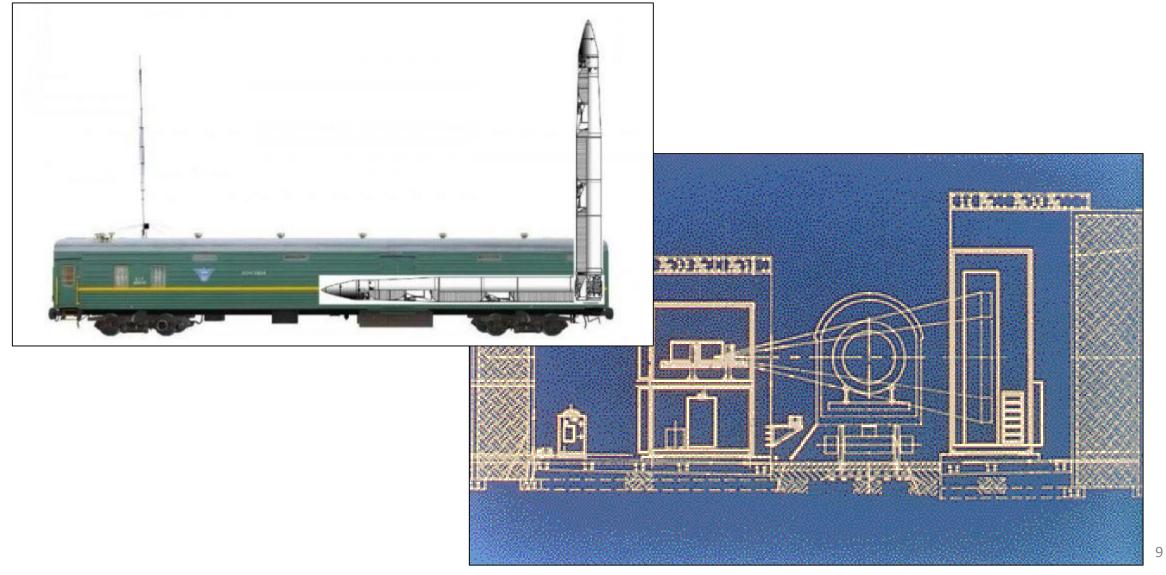


## Aircraft Navigator (1993)

- Replace with "black boxes"
- "Glass cockpit"
  - Redundant INS
  - GPS
- 2009 Navigator rating dropped



### Remote Sensing (INF Treaty)



### 2003



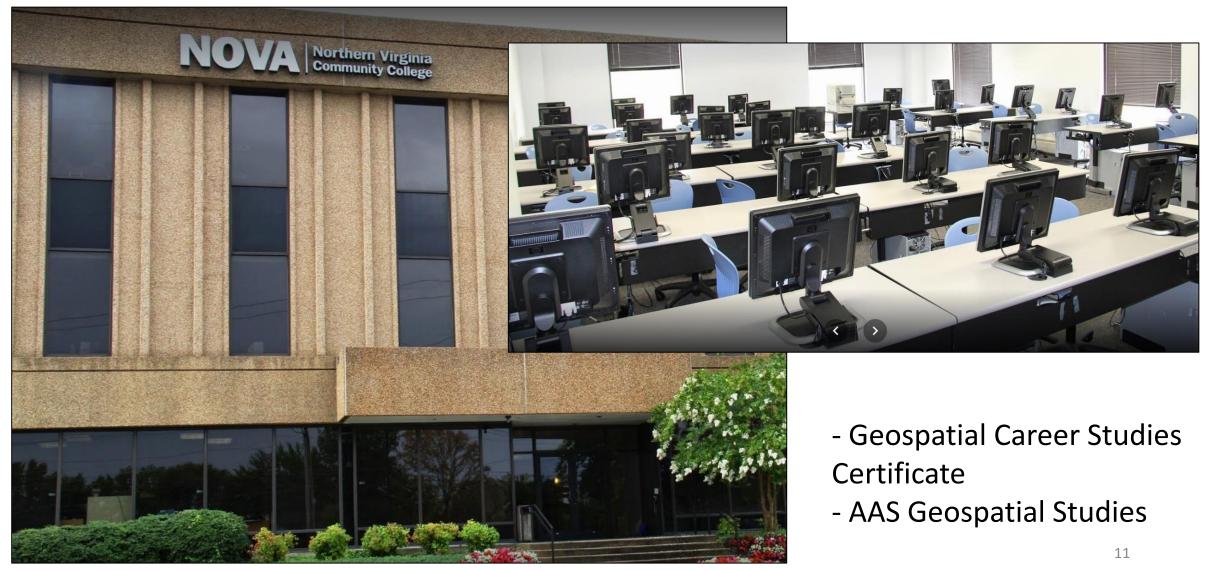


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### NOVA Geospatial Studies Program Milestones

- **iGETT** (Cohort 2)
- DoL Grant (Geospatial Careers Pipeline Initiative, \$492,000)
- SBA Grant (\$200,000)
- Geospatial Leaders HS Summer Program
- GIS Days and Open Houses
- Host, iGETT Remote Sensing Workshop (2014) (Cohort 3, 4)
- ASPRS NOVA Chapter, GeoLeague winner
- Map-a-Thons
- Maker Faires
- Job Fairs
- Balloon remote sensing project, ASPRS
- Provost campus enrollment demographic marketing studies
- Loudoun County Annual GIS Symposium
- ESRI Federal Users Conference
- US Geospatial Intelligence Foundation Academic Advisory Board, booths
- HS teacher workshops
- Internships
- GTCM, DACUM



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**GeoSpatial Leaders** 

#### Service



#### National Geospatial Technology Center of Excellence

Empowering Colleges: EXPANDING THE GEOSPATIAL WORKFORCE

## Climate Change—Infrastructure Crisis?

Bridge asset
withstood threat.
Approach
roadway failed.
N<u>etwork</u> failed
at this location.

How long is this acceptable?



### **Multiple Data Layers and Sources**



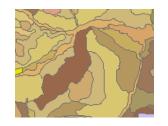
1.0-meter resolution, 4-Band (USDA)



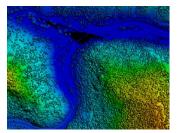
Geology (CO. Geological Survey)



0.1-meter resolution, 3-Band (FEMA)



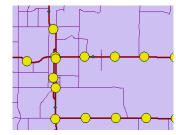
Soil types(USDA/NRCS)



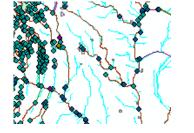
LiDAR (Larimer County, CO & FEMA)



National Land Cover Database (MRLC)

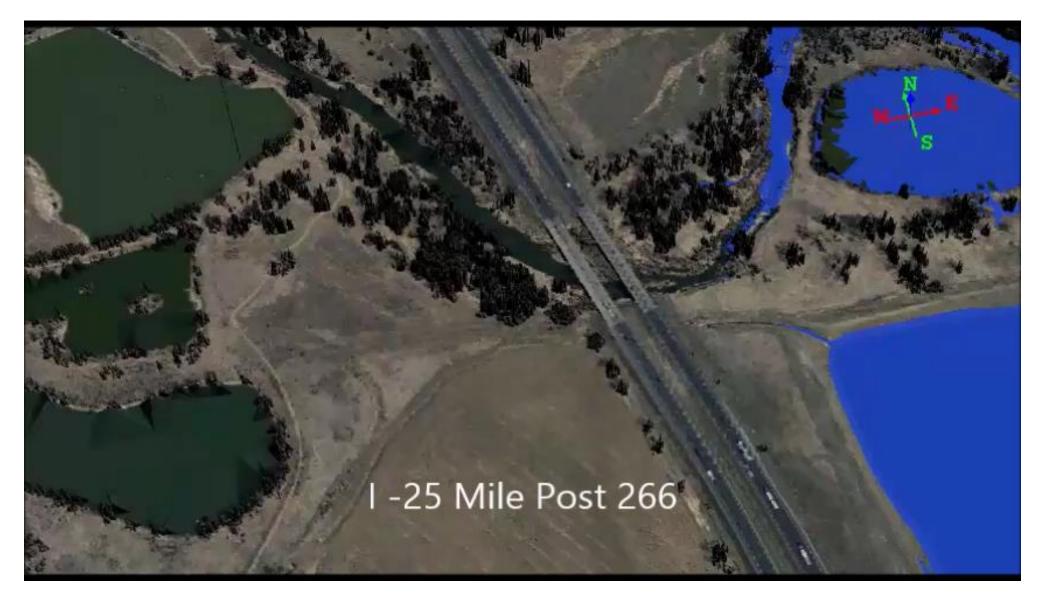


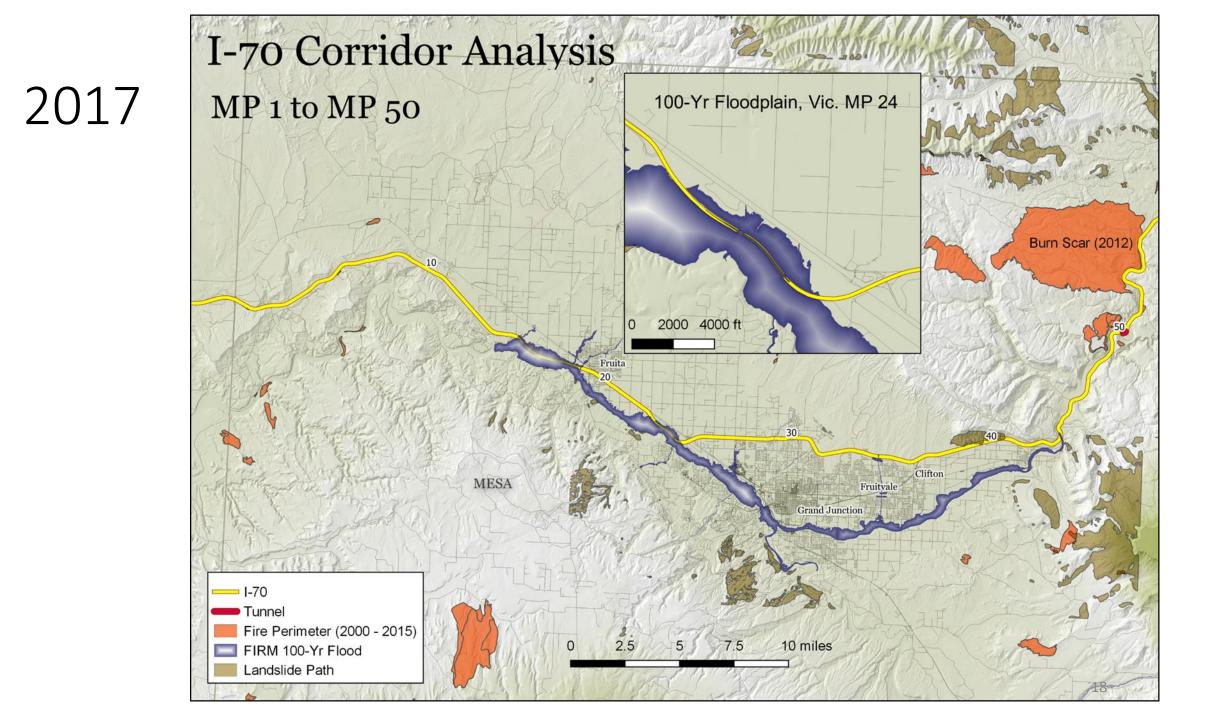
Reference Shapefiles (CDOT-OTIS & Local Sources)



National Hydrography Dataset (USGS)

#### Modeling Threats: Combine Existing Data & Models





### Looking Ahead

- Hardware and software: accelerated change continues
- Data: accessible, accurate, voluminous, pervasive, precise
  - LIDAR
  - DATUMs—replacing NAD83 and NAVD88
- Community College Education
  - New: roles and importance
  - Innovation: MOOCs, "virtual" courses
  - Revolution: universal attendance/opportunity?

"Those who can, do. Those who care, teach.