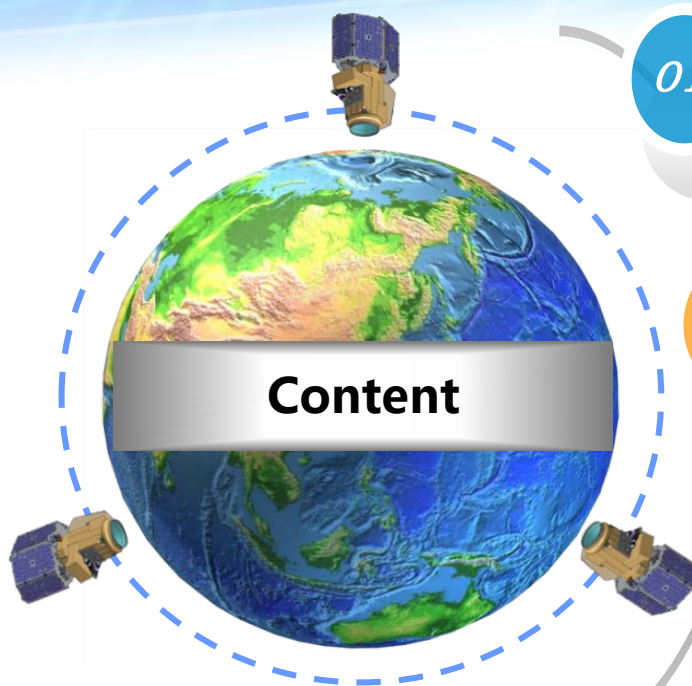


Application of Remote Sensing Technology in China's Agricultural Census

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1. Major achievements in the application of remote sensing technology

1.1 For the first time, the cultivated land for statistical investigation was established.

The survey has covered 35 million arable land plots in crop growing areas in 31 provinces (autonomous regions and municipalities directly under the central government, except Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan).

1. Major achievements in the application of remote sensing technology

1.2 It is the first time to establish the foundation of sampling survey on the spot.

A total of 22,000 sampling census areas were established in 30 provinces (autonomous regions and municipalities directly under the central government, except Tibet, Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan), and more than 100,000 samples were used.

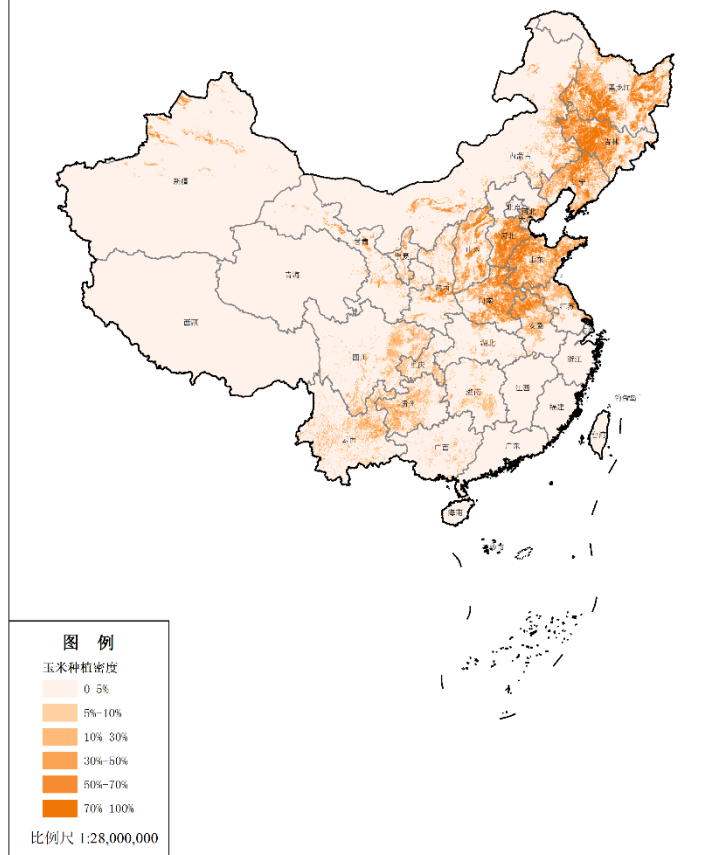
1. Major achievements in the application of remote sensing technology

1.3 Find out the spatial distribution of major crops in China.

The distribution of major crops in 30 provinces (autonomous regions and municipalities directly under the central government, except Tibet, Hong Kong, Macao and Taiwan) was measured.

1.4 The area measurements were published as census results.

2016年全国玉米种植空间分布图



2. The historical background of remote sensing measurement

2.1 Challenges

The household survey

- ① The stability of the respondents declined
- ② Dishonest and inaccurate answers
- ③ The structure of agriculture is changing

2.2 Solutions

Remote sensing and ground survey

- ① Survey subjects are stable and immovable
- ② What you see is what you get
- ③ Macro changes are reflected quickly

2. The historical background of remote sensing measurement

2.3 Opportunities (the Third National Agricultural Census)

- Funding for remote sensing survey is guaranteed.
A large proportion of the funds for remote sensing of crop area are included in the general survey.
- A large number of investigators were deployed.
More than 50,000 field investigators.
- Technical support is guaranteed.

The department of Rural Surveys and Beijing University carried out research on the application of remote sensing technology

2001

Presided over the Ministry of Science and Technology Eleventh Five-Year key project "national statistical remote sensing key technology research and application"

2006

Gaofen special statistical demonstration application began to study the application of gaofen series satellites in statistical remote sensing

2010

achieved remarkable results through years of cooperative research.

2003

With the support of the Ministry of Science and Technology, Project 863 was carried out

2008

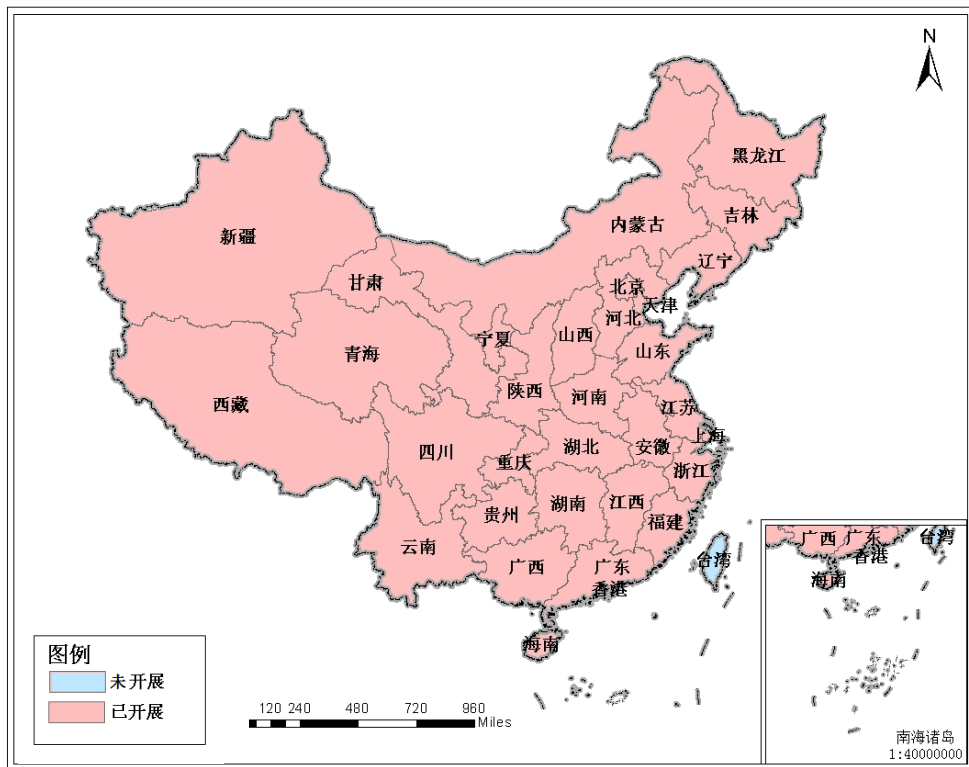
Participate in the high score special start demonstration and other related work

2012

Participate in the research and construction of gaofen Phase I project

We carried out trials of regional applications for many years

2016年作物种植面积遥感测量省份分布图

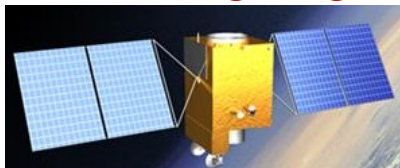


2. The historical background of remote sensing

- Remote sensing image data is guaranteed



**Sub-meter level
remote sensing image data**



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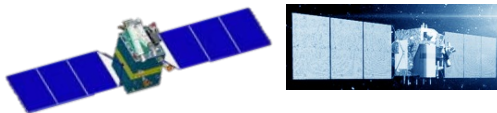


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**Meter level
remote sensing image data**



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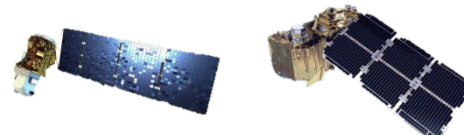


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**Medium resolution
remote sensing image data**



GAOFEN1 16m



Landsat8

Others

Gaofen-2 satellite image data

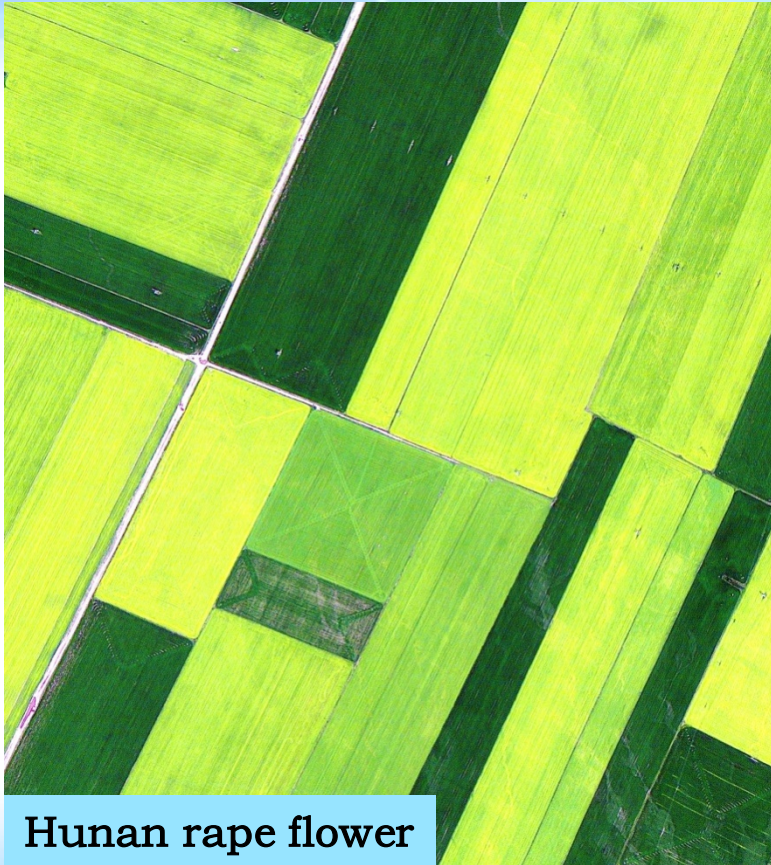


Irrigation farmland in Inner Mongolia



Farmland in Jilin

Beijing II satellite image data



Hunan rape flower

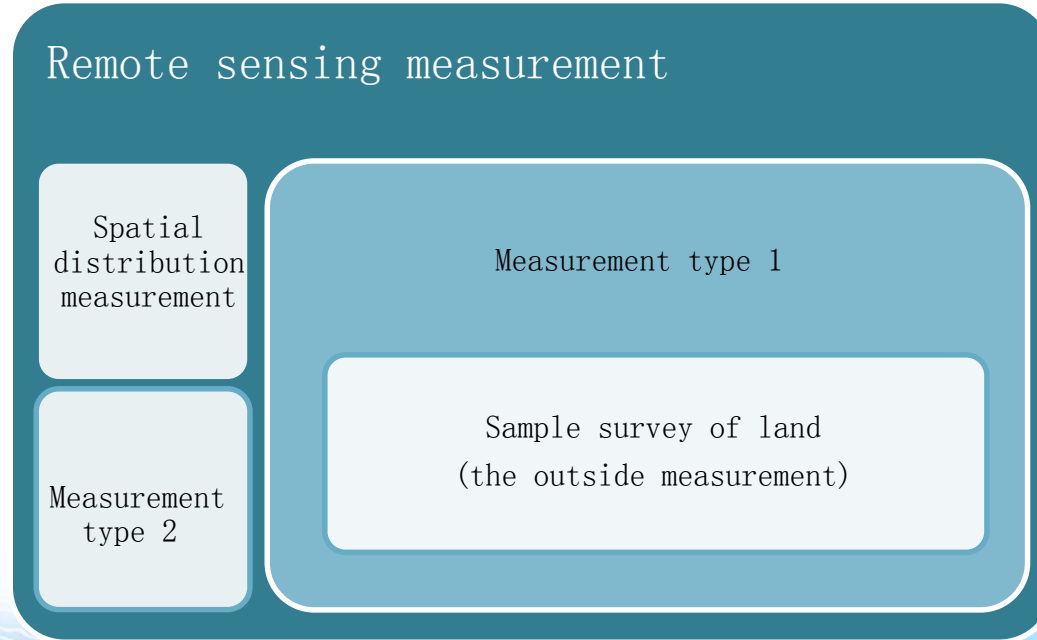


Shanxi terraces

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3.1 Remote sensing measurement design

Ground sampling survey + remote sensing measurement



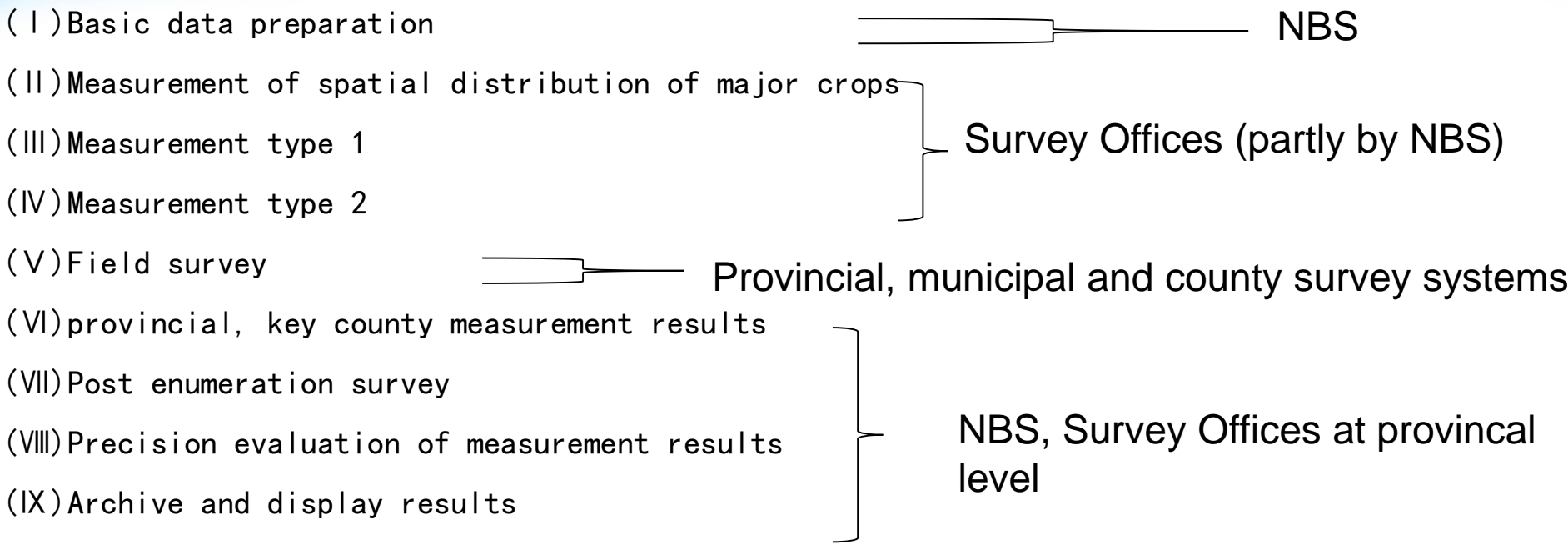
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3.2 Work Organization

Under the unified coordination of the NBS, the remote sensing survey of major crops shall be organized and carried out by the Survey Offices of NBS. The third-party data quality audit unit shall provide professional data quality audit services.

The Survey Offices at the county level shall undertake the field investigation of remote sensing surveying of crop areas in key counties to ensure the successful completion of the tasks of remote sensing survey.

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3.3 Implement

- Field survey

- (I)Respondent

Field investigation was conducted to obtain the information of ground features in each natural plot of the quadrate land (every complete natural plot intersecting with the quadrate) in each sampling village, including plots for planting crops and all plots covering other ground features (buildings, rivers, woodlands, etc.). Fill in the “field survey form for remote sensing of crop area” and take photos of ground objects as required.

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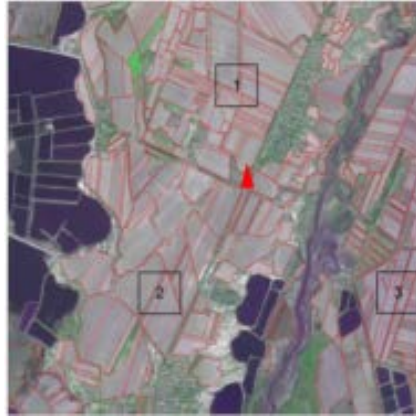
(Ⅱ)Preparation

PDA	Field survey forms	Car	Other equipment
 <p>PDA 电源线、 备用电池 等其他设备</p>	 <p>调查图表</p>	 <p>车辆</p>	 <p>皮尺 蓝、黑签 字笔 黄色彩笔</p>

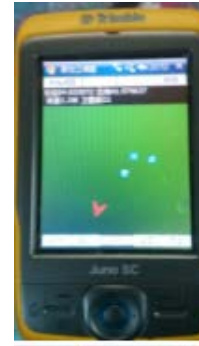
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(Ⅲ)Field survey

Site plot search

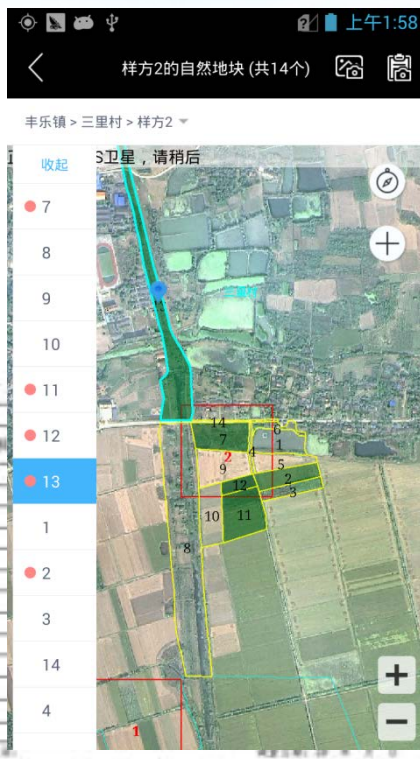


Navigate to plot using
PDA



Combined with the
surrounding landscape
pattern,verify proper plot
location

Fill in the crop information



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Main feature types

一级分类	代码	二级分类	别名（通俗用名）
100 农作物	120	棉花	
	121	花生	
	122	油菜籽	油菜花，冬油菜籽
	123	芝麻	
	124	胡麻籽	
	125	向日葵籽	葵花子、瓜子、油葵
	126	其他油料	
	127	黄红麻	
	128	苧麻	
	129	大麻（线麻）	
	130	亚麻	
	131	其他麻类	
	132	甘蔗	
	133	甜菜	
	134	烤烟	
	135	其他烟叶	
	136	药材	
	137	蔬菜（食菜用瓜）	
	138	番茄	西红柿
	139	食用菌	

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Photo the plot

Use the investigation of special software programs to take the picture of the main types of objects

- Take at least 3 photos for each sample square, one of the main ones take at least one photo.
- Each natural plot is not over 1, a kind of square is not more than 10.

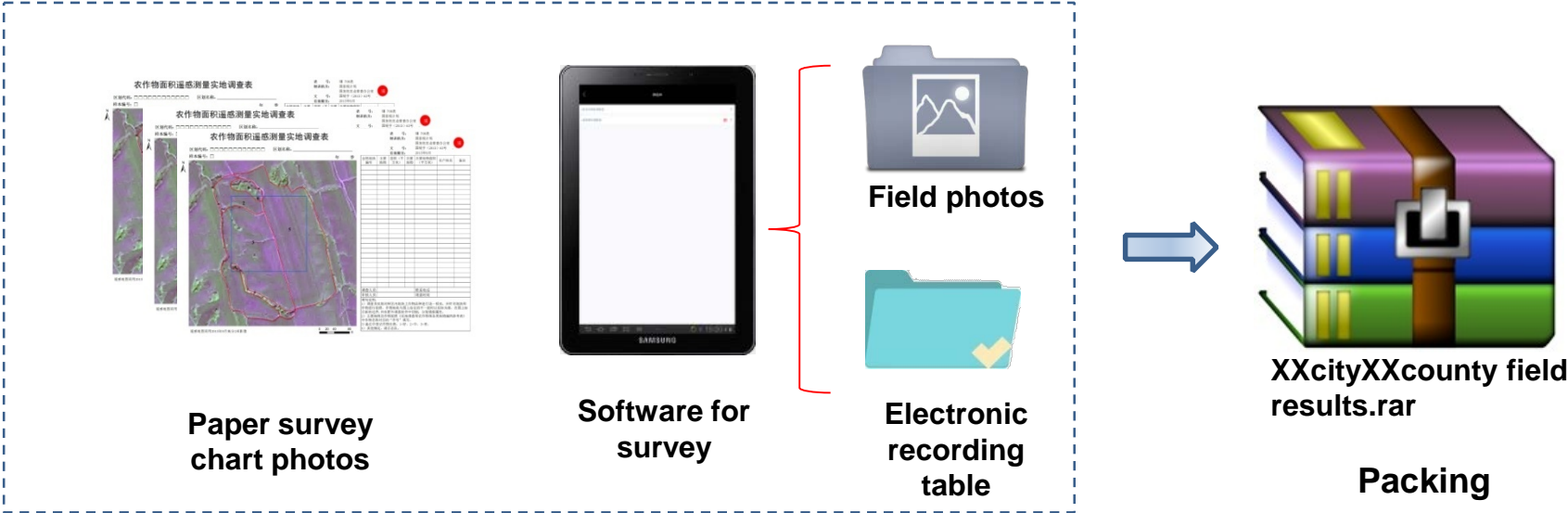


Take pictures



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(IV)Results



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(V)Report

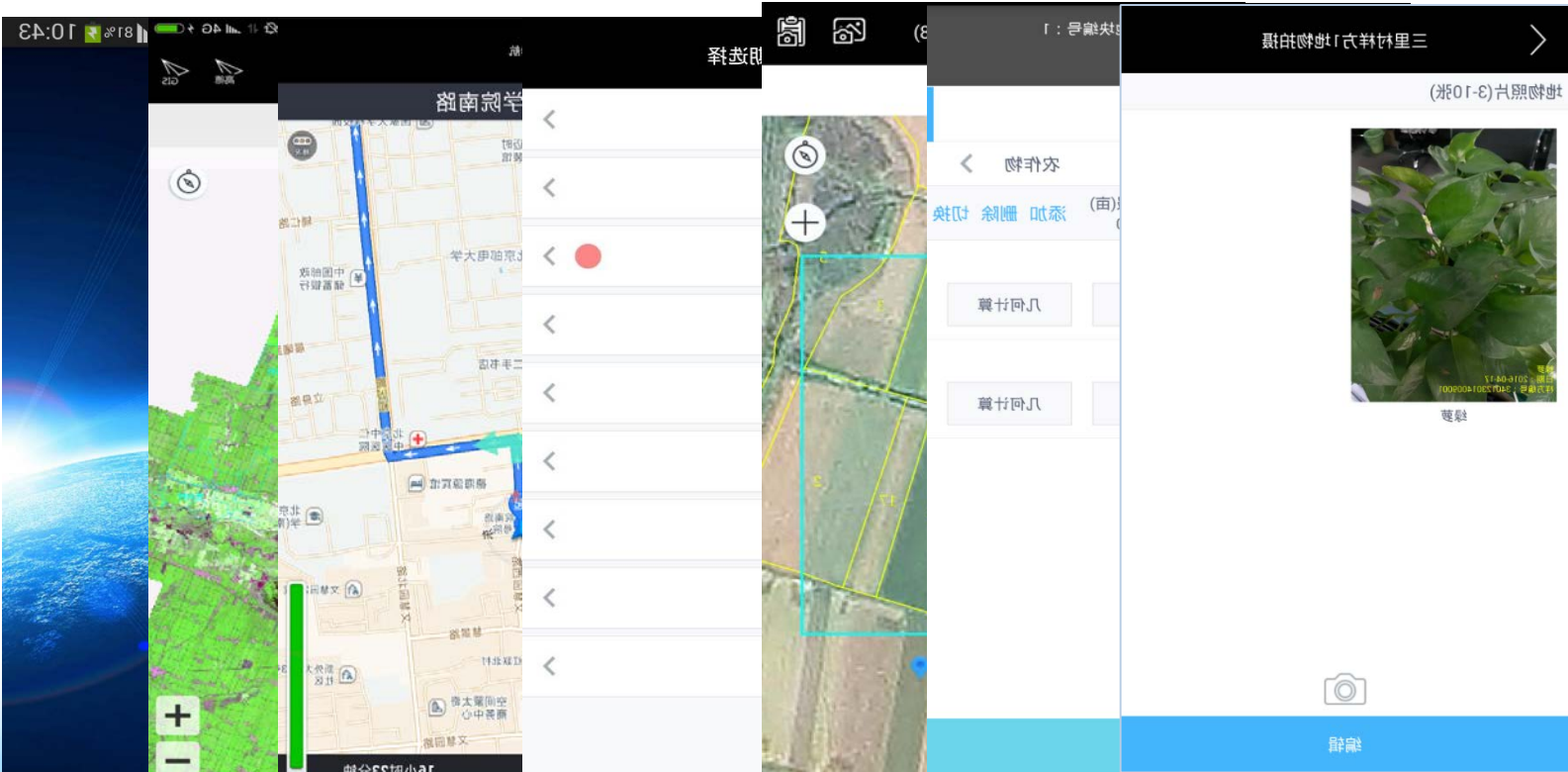


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Field survey of software operations

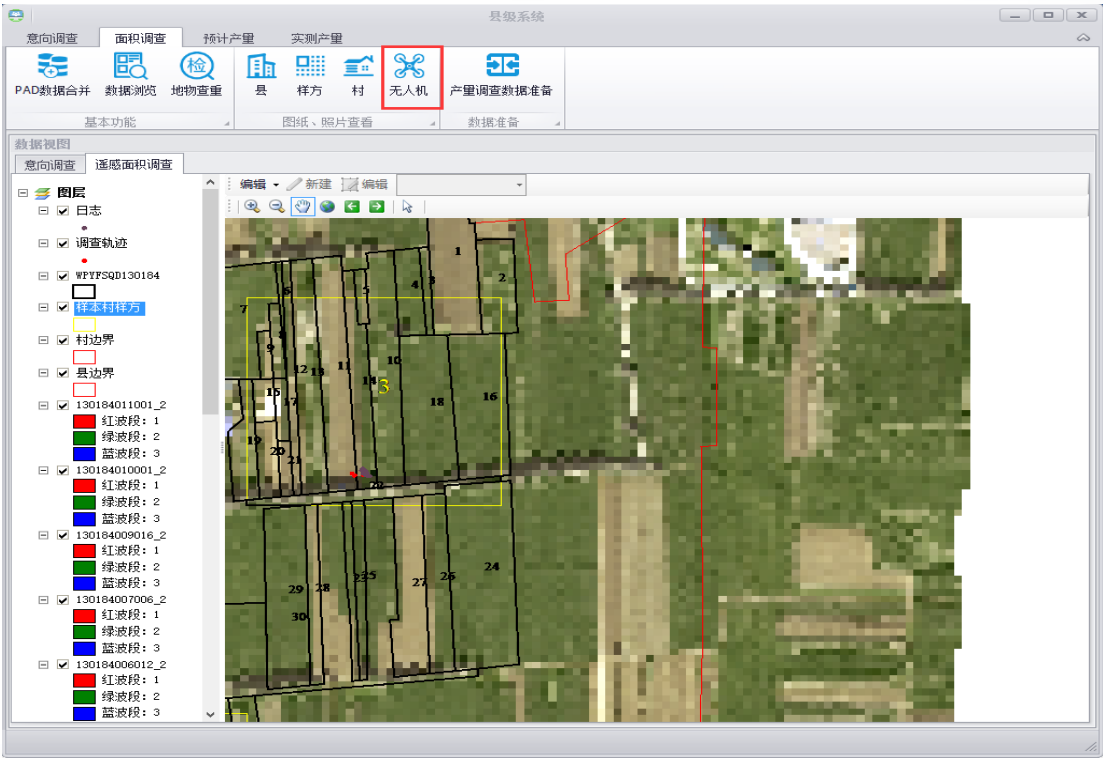




Field survey

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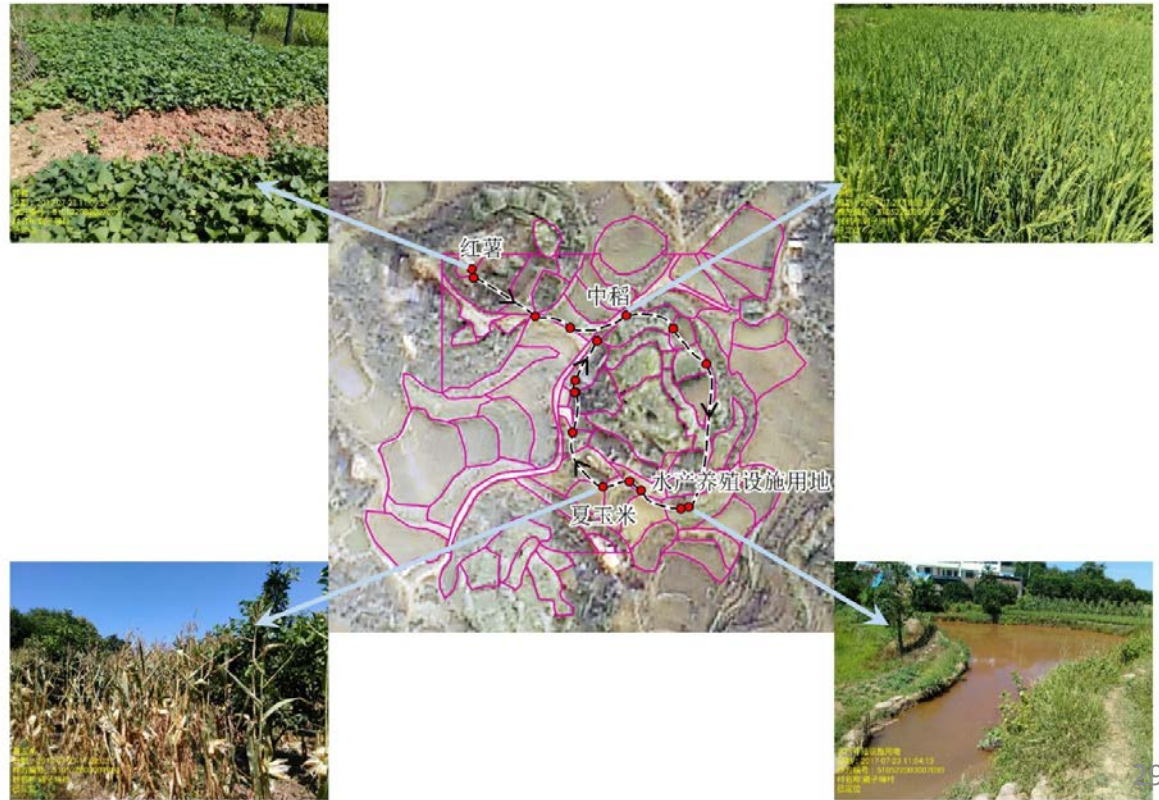
Unmanned aerial vehicle



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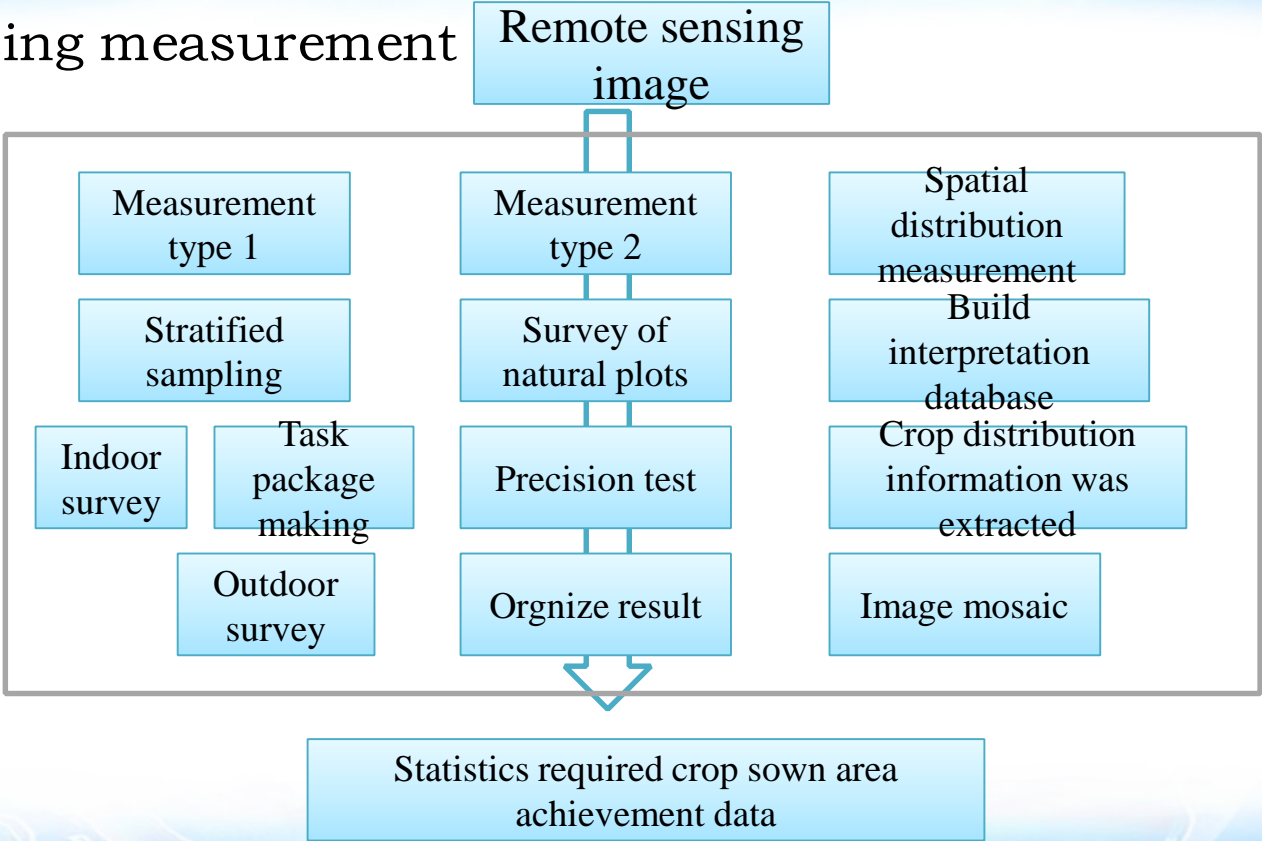
(VI)Post survey

调查轨迹点记录示意图



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- Remote sensing measurement



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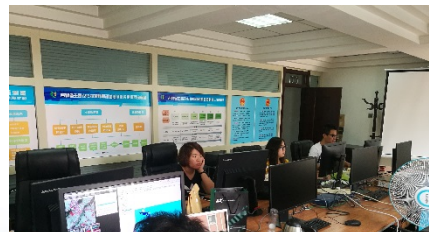
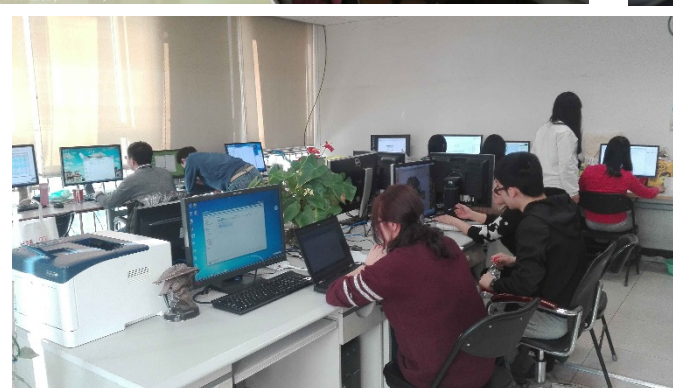
➤ Hardware and software construction

Indoor work

High-performance graphics workstation
Disk array switches
The server
Professional remote sensing geographic information software

Outdoor work

Field PDA
Drones (more than 400)
Survey vehicle (22 sets)
Field research APP
Remote sensing measurement software system



Construction of national remote sensing studio

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➤ Conduct measurement

Type 1/Type 2 measurement

Identification subject – person:

1. Plot boundaries and cropplanting boundaries according to image display features.
2. Distinguish the ground objects on the plots drawn and assign values to their attributes.



Spatial distribution measurement

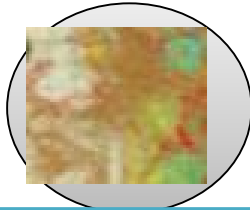
Identification subject – machine:

1. Spatial geographic information of all plots.
2. The machine is trained to automatically identify the crop distribution in the image by establishing the interpretation database.

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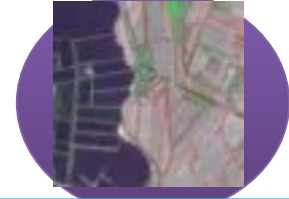
➤ Spatial distribution measurement

Multi-resolution remote sensing image efficient utilization
method based on statistical sampling



Medium resolution data

- Large area observation
- Fast data processing
- Most of the free
- Low resolution is difficult to meet the needs of business investigation



High resolution data

- It is difficult to achieve a large area of full coverage in a short period
- Data processing is time-consuming and laborious
- Higher purchase cost
- High resolution can meet the needs of business investigation

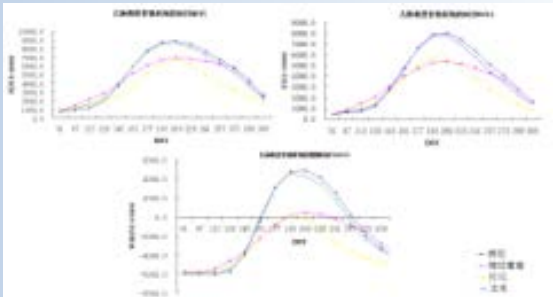
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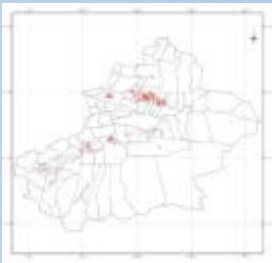
Survey plot



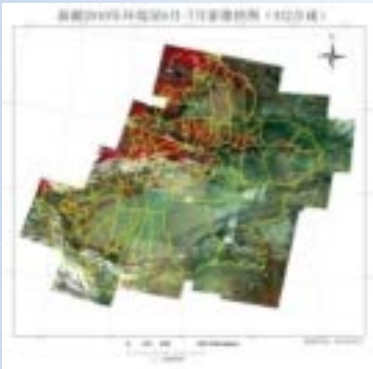
Planting area division



Database of major crop samples



results



Example: cotton measurement in Xinjiang

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新疆2013棉花面积种植分布图

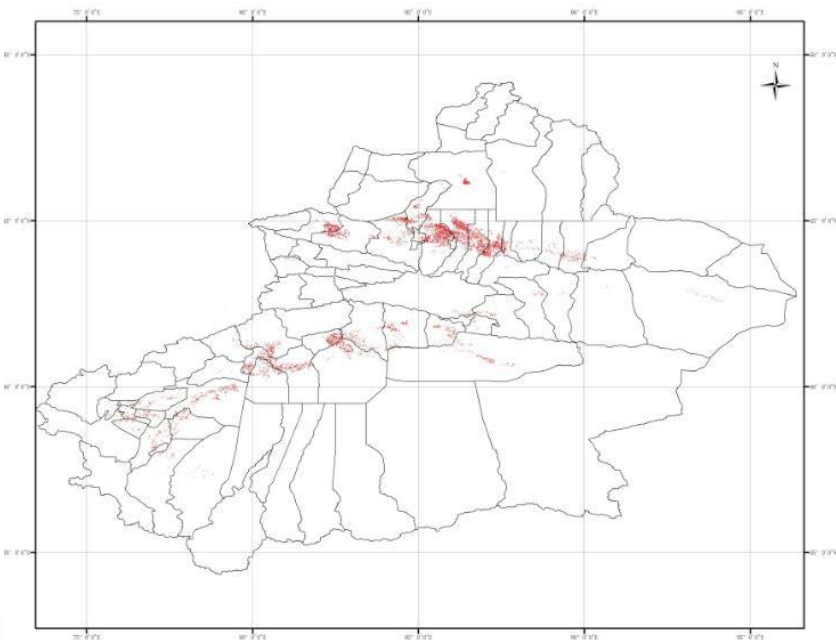


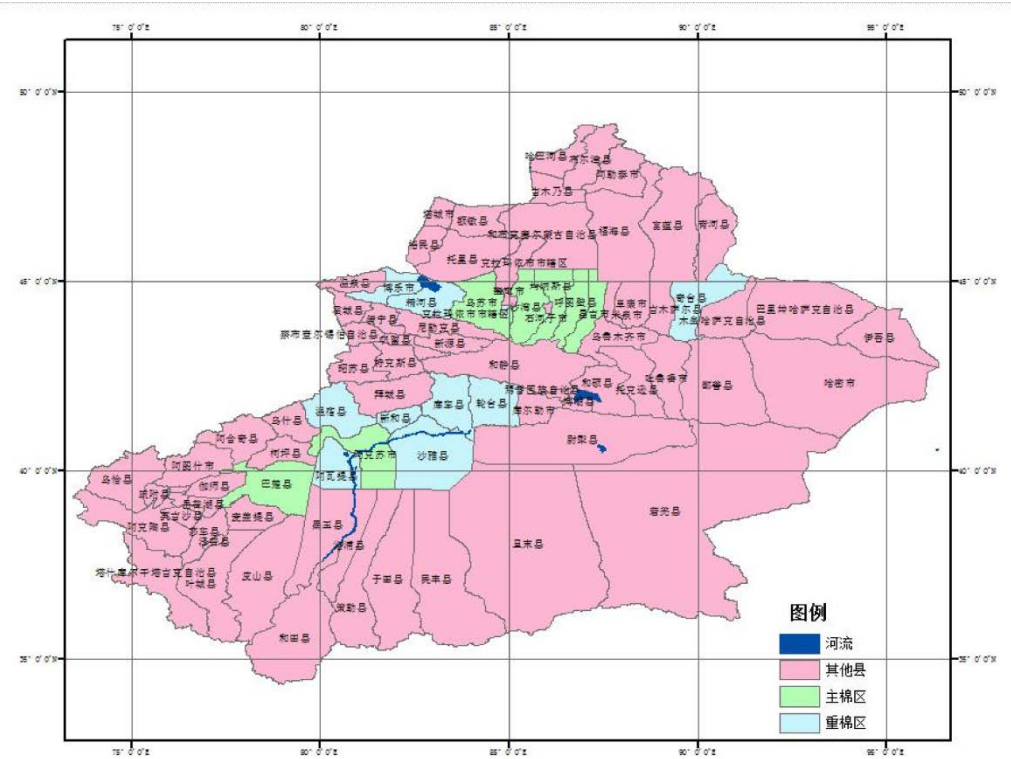
表 5-1 2013 年遥感估算新疆各县棉花面积情况

县名	面积 (亩)	全县百分比
乌鲁木齐市	101668	0.51%
米泉市	300562	1.51%
克拉玛依市市辖区	533787	2.68%
克拉玛依市市辖区	0	0.00%
吐鲁番市	21241	0.11%
鄯善县	12577	0.06%
托克逊县	76549	0.38%
哈密市	0	0.00%
巴里坤哈萨克自治县	0	0.00%
伊吾县	0	0.00%

In 2013, cotton area was extracted from the collected 90-scene remote sensing data by using the remote sensing extraction method of middle-resolution cotton in Xinjiang.

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Cotton planting area proportion (%) of the whole province's planting area	Cotton regional ization
More than 4 % (Pale blue)	import planting area
2-4% (green)	normal planting area
0.1%-2% (pink)	less planting area



3.Design, organization and implementation of remote sensing measurement

➤ Measurement type 1

A. number of measurements

The three crop seasons of autumn and winter sowing, spring sowing and summer sowing were measured.

B. Requirements for image spatial resolution and phase timing

0.5-1m for the basic image, and about 2m for the current situation of 2-3 phases of each measurement season (in the current season).

C. measure crop types

Wheat, corn, rice, soybean, cotton and important provincial crops.

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- Measurement type 1

- D. Measurement accuracy requirements

- Area accuracy: better than 98%.

- Ground object type accuracy: better than 98%.

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➤ Measurement type 1

Crop interpretation markers are established

水稻

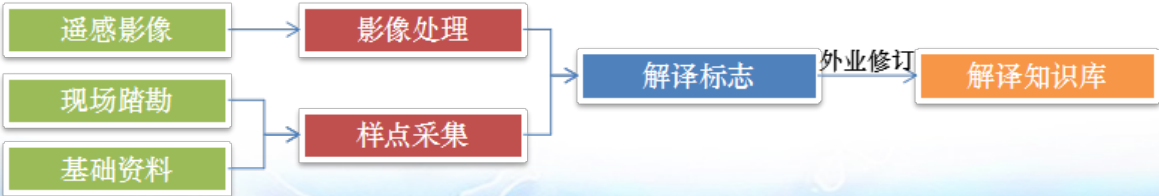
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播种	出苗	三叶	移栽	返青	分蘖		拔节	孕穗	抽穗	乳熟	成熟

小麦

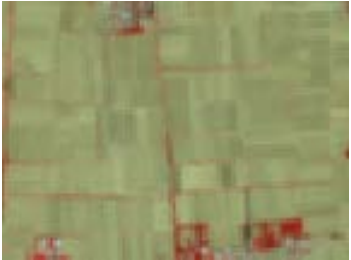


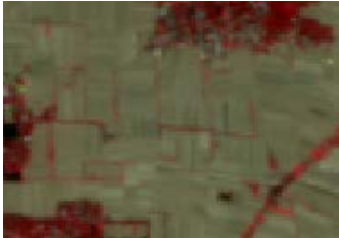
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播种	出苗	分蘖				越冬					返青		拔节	抽穗开花	成熟					


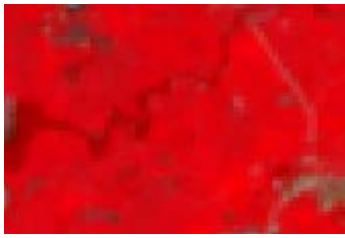


玉米

6月		7月			8月			9月		
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出苗	七叶		拔节		抽穗			灌浆乳熟		成熟



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	6 月	7 月	8 月	10 月
玉米				
	裸地	植被信息	红色	裸地

	5 月	6 月	8 月	9 月
中稻				
	暗色裸地	红色	红色	裸地

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➤ Measurement type 2

A. number of measurements

Once a year.

B. Image spatial resolution: about 2m.

C. Measuring ground object type

Crop, horticultural fruit tree, meadow, establishment
agriculture 9 kinds.

D. Measurement accuracy requirements

Area accuracy: better than 98%.

Ground object type accuracy: better than 98%.

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➤ Measurement type 2

Nine broad categories of interpretation marks



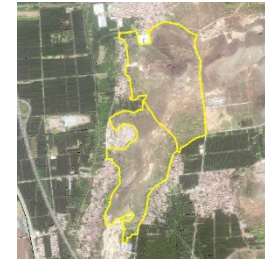
Crops



Gardening



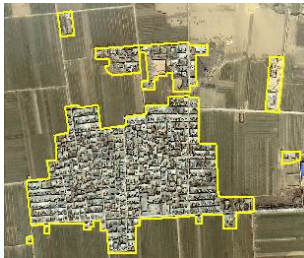
Forest



Grassland



Water area



Building



Roads



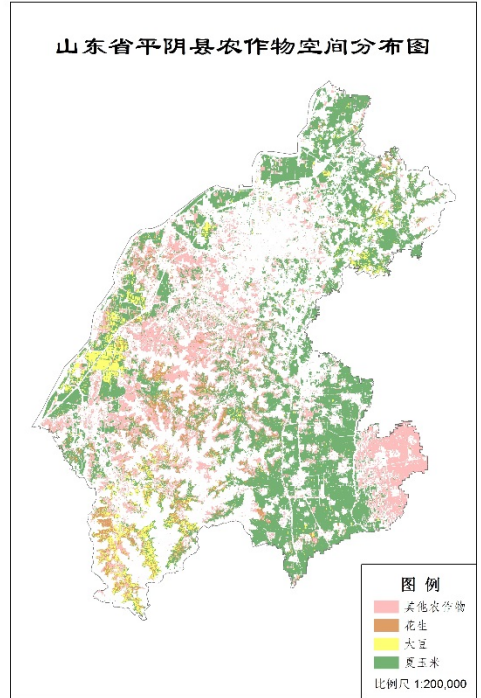
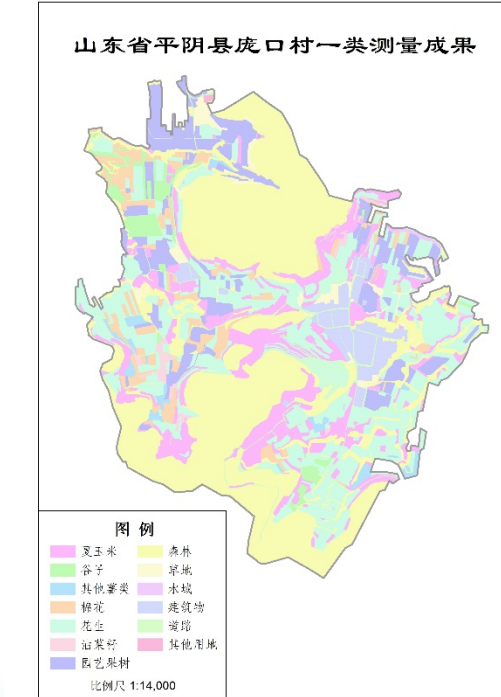
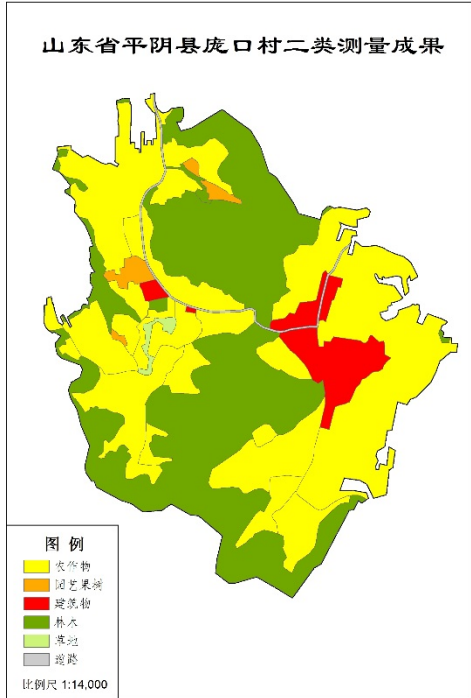
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Facility agricultural land

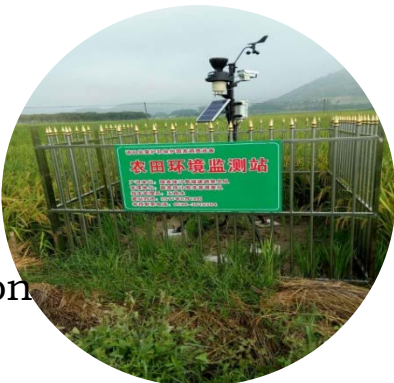
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➤ Results

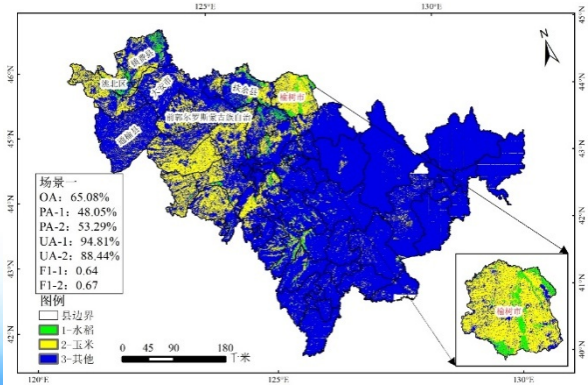


4. Application progress since agricultural census

4.1 The integrated investigation system of space and sky has been constantly improved



Deep learning of crop distribution



Crop growth environment monitoring



4. Application progress since agricultural census

4.2 The working mode of remote sensing measurement is becoming more and more mature



Independently design work plans



Technical service of public bidding



Independently carry out field surveys



Companies carry out measurement



Third party audit



Survey progress report at any time



Complete task

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Thank you!