



IGIF for Strengthening NSDI in Georgia



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Georgia - Brief information

Total area: 69,700 km²

Official Language: Georgian

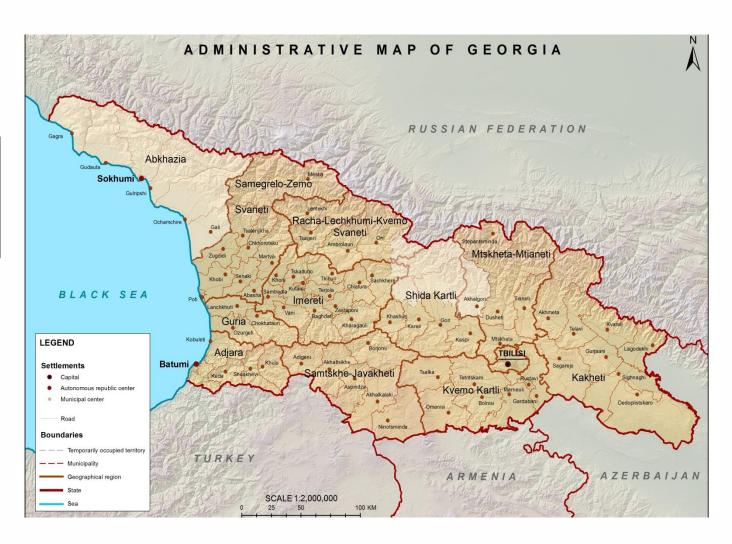
Population: 3.7 million

Capital city: Tbilisi

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GDP Per Capita Income: US\$ 4,700

Aspiration: European and Euro-Atlantic integration





National Agency of Public Registry





NAPR - Founded in 2004

Geospatial data related Responsibilities:



Land Registration and Cadastre



Geodesy and Cartography



Assigning Addresses to Real Estate, Address Registry



Coordinating creation and development of NSDI

Georgia became a full member of EuroGeographics in 2010

Core Products and Services:

Land Registration

Land & cadastral Information

Topographic & interative Maps

Orthophoto & Satellite Imagery

Addresses

Basic geospatial data



First Steps for Creation of NSDI in Georgia

2013 - Georgian Government Resolution #262 on setting up a Government Commission for establishment and development of National Spatial Data Infrastructure.

NAPR - NSDI National Coordinator



2015-2019

- Legal and policy draft documents:
 - NSDI Law
 - Metadata Regulation and National Profile
 - National Profile of Data Product Specification
 - NSDI Strategy and Action Plan
 - Communication Strategy and Action Plan; and Education Strategy
 - Data Framework Government Resolution on Geodata Categorization, etc.
- Geoportal v1.0.; metadata catalogue
- Core geospatial data
- Partnerships with different stakeholders







Norwegian Support – IGIF

2019 – DT Country Assessment



February 2021 – IGIF Implementation





Norwegian Support

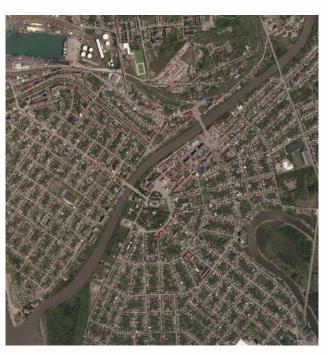
Creation of Digital Base (Vector) Maps with the Support Norwegian Project

Datasets:

- Buildings
- Hydrography
- Nature
- Transport
- Utilities



Orthoimagery and a Digital Terrain Model



Interactive Map of NAPR











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Baseline Report

WWw.napr.gov.gc

- Geospatial Alignment to Policy Drivers
- Socio-Economic Impact Analysis
- National SDI Action and Investment Plan









National Policies/Strategies and Geodata

National Disaster Risk Reduction Strategy of Georgia 2017-2020

Decentralization Strategy 2020-2025

The Third National Environment Action Programme of Georgia 2017-2021

Agriculture and Rural Development Strategy 2021-2027

Government Program 2021-2024 Toward Building a European State

Regional Development Program of Georgia 2018-2021



The linkage between the UN GGIM Global Fundamental Geospatial Data Themes and the Vision 2030 Sustainable Development Goals



Examples of geospatial use cases

Good Governance – why do we need to invest?

Evidence-based Local Decision Making

Support to National Development Planning

Disaster Management

Supporting digital start-ups and SMEs use geospatial data

Feasibility Studies and design for New Road and Rail schemes

Water Supply Planning

Tourist Development

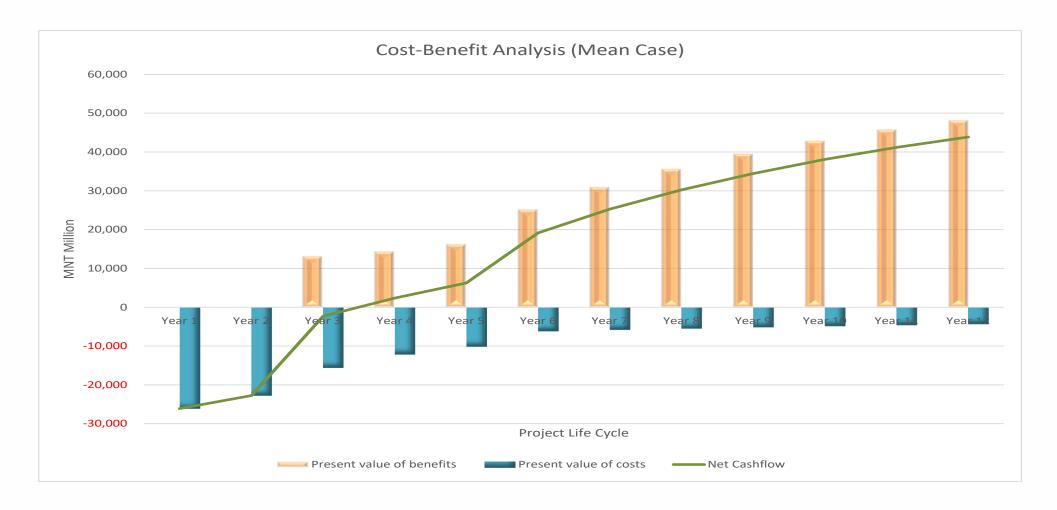






Socio-Economic Impact Assessment

Good Governance – why do we need to invest?





Action Plan

- 54 inter-dependent actions an integrated roadmap with outlines of costs and timeframes
- Implementation period: 5 years
- Operational period: 7 years

Policy and Legal Actions:

- Renew, update and enact NSDI Policies
- Enact NSDI-related laws;
- Implement Geospatial Data Release Policy;
- Establish the Pricing and Licensing
 Framework for Geospatial Data

Government and Institutions Actions:

- Re-establish NSDI leadership;
- Revise NSDI Strategy;
- Implement a Monitoring and Evaluation Framework.



Data

Actions:

- Formalize Geospatial Data Supply Chains
- Data Enhancement and Quality improvement Road map;
- 3D City Model for High Density City Area of Tbilisi



Mid-term results and ongoing activities

Revised NSDI draft law, pending adoption (Action 2.3)

Project on completion and streamlining of Address Registry (Action 4.5)

Maintenance and completion of topographic base maps (Action 4.9)

5-year plan developed for aerial capture and orthophoto production (Action 4.10)

Geoportal upgrading - back on the agenda (Action 5.1)

National map portal developed for citizens, including mobile application (Action 5.3)

Resumed/enhanced communication between NSDI actors (Actions 7.1, 7.5, 9.4),





Main Challenges

- Reestablish the GC, Secretariat and Working Groups;
- Define the champion;
- Prioritize the issue (worth enough to invest) Convince the government AUTHORITATIVE DATA that development of NSDI and geospatial information has a crucial importance to achieve the goals defined by strategies and policies; sustainable development of the country.
- Prepare the final versions of NSDI related acts and seek the endorsement of them by the Parliament/Government.
- Find resources to develop and launch the Geoportal;
- Assist creation of new culture of management Evidence-based Decision Making,

High quality up-to-date geospatial data for evidence-based decision making.



ACCESSIBLE AND USABLE

A Geoportal that provides an online integrated information resource.

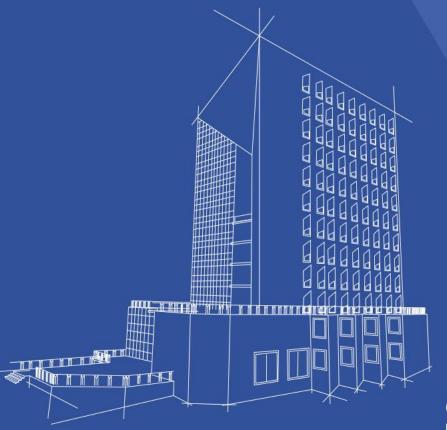
KNOWLEDGE AND INNOVATION

Awareness knowledge and skills in geospatial technologies.

COLLABORATION AND VALUE

Cross-sector coordination and partnerships to sustain value for end users.





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