

Advancing the utilization of geospatial information



Basic Act on the Advancement of Utilizing Geospatial Information

The Basic Act on the Advancement of Utilizing Geospatial Information (NSDI Act) is a law for advancing the intensive utilization of geospatial information and realizing a geospatial society where the people of Japan can lead safe and prosperous lives.

Working with industry, academia, and governmental agencies, the national government has set up the Committee for the Advancement of Utilizing Geospatial Information. GSI is coordinating communications and partnerships with these entities as the committee's secretariat.

Local partnerships

We have been working to finalize the 'Agreement related to cooperation for promoting the utilization of geospatial information' with the aim of strengthening cooperation between GSI and local governments, including the mutual use of geospatial information that they possess. By building face-to-face relationships through Regional Surveying Departments, we will promote the sharing of information and technology and contribute to the realization of a rich geospatial information society in their communities.

Geospatial EXPO

Geospatial EXPO is an event where officials from industry, academia and government get together and present their services, products and the latest techniques related to geospatial information to the public through exhibitions, talks, symposiums and hands-on activities. As host secretariat, GSI organizes and manages the Geospatial EXPO. GSI also holds the Geospatial Activities Competition and exhibits the work of GSI at this event.



Awards ceremony for the Geospatial Activity Competition