

Responding to **Disasters** around the Globe



International Charter Space and Major Disasters

When **disaster looms** anywhere on the planet, a team at EROS stands ready to help provide **vital remote sensing data** to first responders as part of the International Charter Space and Major Disasters.

How International Charter Helps

- 1** **The 17 countries** of the charter have pledged to share remote sensing data in the aftermath of a disaster at no cost to the affected country or community.
- 2** **The USGS**, represented by EROS, has been a member since 2005. EROS acts as a distribution point for Landsat, WorldView and Geoeye satellite data when the charter is activated.
- 3** **Global support** is provided for major natural disasters such as flooding, volcanoes, and fires as well as manmade disasters like oil spills.

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Partners

The International Charter, consisting of 17 countries around the world

Location

Global disaster response



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