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Identification_Information:
  Citation:
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      Originator: U.S. Geological Survey
      Publication_Date: 20060101
      Title: Akikukchiak, Aklummayuak and Goiter Fires of Noatak National Preserve - 2005
      Geospatial_Data_Presentation_Form:
        Raster digital data.
        Vector data are also available as ArcView Shape Files.
      Publication_Information:
        Publication_Place: Sioux Falls, South Dakota  USA
        Publisher: U.S. Geological Survey
      Online_Linkage: http://edc.usgs.gov
  Description:
    Abstract:
      The U.S. Geological Survey (USGS) has entered into a cooperative
      agreement with the National Park Service (NPS) to deliver satellite
      imagery and derivitive products centered on major fires that
      impact national parks and other federal lands.  This data set was
      compiled at the request of a federal land management agency and is
      part of a suite of products generated for a specific fire.
      See the National Burn Severity Mapping web site at:
      http://edc2.usgs.gov/fsp/severity/fire_main.asp
    Purpose:
      The purpose of this project is to develop a robust mapping
      methodology and consistent data products that allow federal land
      managers and fire ecologists to evaluate and compare burn severity
      within individual fires and between fires across various
      ecosystems.  These products will help land managers to more
      effectively plan, implement and monitor fire recovery activities.
    Supplemental_Information:
      Fire Names: Akikukchiak, Aklummayuak and Goiter
      Agency: National Park Service
      Land Management Unit: Noatak National Preserve
      Date of Fire: Akikukchiak 6/17/2005
              Aklummayuak 6/17/2005
              Goiter      6/17/2005
      Type of assessment: Initial Assessment
      Acres within Fire Perimeter: Akikukchiak 1370
                                   Aklummayuak 1180
                                   Goiter      9800
      Landsat Path and Row: 80/12
      Pre-Fire Landsat Date/Scene ID:
      Landsat 7; July 27, 2002/LE7080012000220850
      Post-Fire Landsat Date/Scene ID:
      Landsat 5; July 27, 2005/LT5080012000520810
      Output Dataset Projection: Alaska Albers
      Spheroid Name: GRS80
      Datum Name: NAD83
      Latitude of 1st standard parallel: 55 00 00 N
      Latitude of 2nd standard parallel: 65 00 00 N
      Longitude of central meridian: 154 00 00 W
      Latitude of origin of projection: 50 00 00 N
      False easting at central meridian: 0 meters
      False northing at origin: 0 meters
      Image subset Corner Coordinate (center of upper left pixel, projection meters)
      ULX: -308490    LRX: -218220
      ULY: 2040480    LRY: 2000040
      Image subset size:
      #Rows: 1349
      #Columns: 3010
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      Pixel size: 30 meters
      Bounding Box:
      North Lat:  68 12 45 N
      South Lat:  67 50 58 N
      East Long: 159 11 59 W
      West Long: 161 19 56 W
      Latitude and Longitude within Fire Perimeter:
      Akikukchiak     Lat: 67 56 24 N   Long: 161 08 51  W
      Aklummayuak     Lat: 67 53 37 N   Long: 160 19 01  W
      Goiter          Lat: 68 07 14 N   Long: 159 28 14  W

      Fire Perimeter: Perimeters were manually digitized from Landsat imagery.

      For further information on NLAPS and Landsat TM data, please refer to the metadata
      documentation found on the USGS Clearinghouse website at:
      http://www.fgdc.gov/clearinghouse/clearinghouse.html

      Product List:

      goak05a_pretm.tif
      Pre-Fire Landsat data subset (bands 1-5,7 Geo-TIFF format)

      goak05a_postm.tif
      Post-Fire Landsat data subset (bands 1-5,7 Geo-TIFF format)

      goak05a_dnbr
      Differenced Normalized Burn Ratio (DNBR) subset (ArcInfo GRID)

      goak05a_pr
      Fire Perimeter (shape file)
      Aklummayuak fire perimeter has been revised and named according to NWCG GIS Standard
Operating Procedures.
      20050725_1200_Aklummayuak_NWAK-304_per_poly_AK_Albers_NAD83

      goak05a_hist.xls
      DNBR pixel count within the fire perimeter (excel file)

      d801207020705
      Full Scene DNBR  (ArcInfo GRID)

  Time_Period_of_Content:
    Time_Period_Information:
      Multiple_Dates/Times:
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          Calendar_Date: 20020727 (pre-fire image)
        Single_Date/Time:
          Calendar_Date: 20050617 (date Akikukchiak fire began)
        Single_Date/Time:
          Calendar_Date: 20050617 (date Aklummayuak fire began)
        Single_Date/Time:
          Calendar_Date: 20050617 (date Goiter fire began)
        Single_Date/Time:
          Calendar_Date: 20050727 (post-fire image)
    Currentness_Reference: ground condition
  Status:
    Progress: Complete
    Maintenance_and_Update_Frequency: as needed
  Spatial_Domain:
    Bounding_Coordinates:
      West_Bounding_Coordinate: -161.19.56
      East_Bounding_Coordinate: -159.11.59
      North_Bounding_Coordinate: 68.12.45
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      South_Bounding_Coordinate: 67.50.58

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        State_or_Province: SD
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      Contact_Electronic_Mail_Address: fsedc@usgs.gov
      Hours_of_Service: 0800 - 1600 CT, M-F,  -6 h  GMT
      Contact_Instructions: http://edc2.usgs.gov/fsp/severity/contact_us.asp

  Data_Set_Credit: USGS and NASA
  Native_Data_Set_Environment: Oracle, ERDAS Imagine, & ArcInfo
Data_Quality_Information:
  Attribute_Accuracy:
    Attribute_Accuracy_Report:
      Three on-board calibrators (two solar, one internal) provide an absolute
      accuracy of 5 percent, excluding band 6.
  Logical_Consistency_Report:
    These Landsat data are collected from a nominal altitude of 705 kilometers
    in a near-polar, near-circular, sun-synchronous orbit at an inclination of
    98.2 degrees, imaging the same 183-km swath of Earth's surface every 16 days.
    The pixels representing the bands for the image are in the data set only once.
  Completeness_Report: Fire perimeter was automated, (seed value 425, distance 325) with manual
edits.

  Positional_Accuracy:
    Horizontal_Positional_Accuracy:
      Horizontal_Positional_Accuracy_Report:
        Energy reflected from Earth's surface passes through a whisk-broom scanning
        system and all-reflective optics before being collected by the solid-state
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      detectors at the focal plane.
  Lineage:
    Process_Step:
      Process_Description:
        These data products are derived from Landsat Thematic Mapper data.
        A pre-fire scene and a post-fire scene are analyzed to create a
        Differenced Normalized Burn Ratio (DNBR) image.  The DNBR image portrays
        the variations of burn severity within the fire.

        The Landsat images are terrain corrected and geometrically rectified
        to an Albers Conical Equal Area map projection using the National
        Landsat Archive Production System (NLAPS).  The images are further
        processed to convert bands 1-5 and 7 to at-satellite-reflectance.
        The Normalized Burn Ratio (NBR) is computed for each date of imagery
        using the following formula:
        (Band 4 - Band 7) / (Band 4 + Band 7) = NBR

        The differenced NBR is computed by subtracting the post-fire NBR from
        the pre-fire NBR:
        PreNBR - PostNBR = DNBR

        Higher DNBR values are correlated with more severe burns.  The DNBR
        image is evaluated to determine the threshold value between burned and
        unburned areas.  The perimeter of the fire is delineated using the DNBR
        image.  The DNBR image, the pre-fire and post-fire TM images, and a
        fire perimeter vector file are provided in digital format in the map
        projection used by the National Park Service.
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      Process_Date: 20060101
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      Contact_Position:
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        Land Cover Applications
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      Contact_Instructions: http://edc2.usgs.gov/fsp/severity/contact_us.asp
  Distribution_Liability:
    No warranty expressed or implied is made by the USGS regarding the use
    of the data, nor does the act of distribution constitute any such warranty.
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