

Open Space and Preservation Resources Inventory (OSPRI) in PAD-US schema available for New Jersey

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This extraction from the New Jersey Open Space and Preservation Resources Inventory (OSPRI) database has been translated into the USGS Protected Areas Database of the United States (PAD-US) schema and contains both fee and restriction (easements, deed restrictions, etc.) records. This dataset is available for public download on the [NJGIN Data Download site](#) in ESRI File Geodatabase 10.5 format for New Jersey.

The OSPRI database is currently comprised of state, local, nonprofit, and private open space provided by the New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection, Green Acres Program and will be expanding to include other data sources in the future. The OSPRI database is submitted annually for incorporation into the USGS Gap Analysis Program, Protected Areas Database of the United States (PAD-US) and the National Conservation Easement Database (NCED).

Updates

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A version of the New Jersey Open Space and Preservation Resources Inventory (OSPRI) database in the USGS Protected Areas Database of the United States (PAD-US) schema is now available for public download.

After receiving a copy of the open space data maintained by Green Acres, these data were checked for topological errors, standardized, and translated into the PAD-US schema. In order to meet all standards outlined by the PAD-US 2.0 schema, information was pulled from other fields or populated with the PAD-US default values based on existing attribution when necessary.