

Supplementary Material

Integrating aerial LiDAR and Very-High-Resolution images for urban functional zone mapping

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Table S1 List of abbreviations

| Abbreviations | Definition |
|----------------------|---|
| UFZ | Urban Functional Zone |
| 3D | three-dimensional |
| USP | Urban Structure Parameter |
| 2D | two-dimensional |
| VHR | Very-High-Resolution |
| LiDAR | Light Detection And Ranging |
| MLC | Multi-Classifer |
| RF | Random Forest |
| KNN | K-Nearest Neighbor |
| LDA | Linear Discriminant Analysis |
| HSC | Hierarchical Semantic Cognition |
| IHSC | Inverse Hierarchical Semantic Cognition |
| OA | Overall Accuracy |
| POI | Point of Interest |
| SVF | Sky View Factor |
| BH | Building Height |
| SAR | Street Aspect Ratio |
| FAR | Floor Area Ratio |
| NYITS | New York City Office of Information Technology Services |
| NYCDITT | New York City Department of Information Technology and Telecommunications |
| DSM | Digital Surface Model |
| OSM | Open Street Map |
| NNI | Nearest Neighbor Index |
| NDVI | Normalized Difference Vegetation Index |
| RVI | Ratio Vegetation Index |
| DVI | Difference Vegetation Index |
| NDWI | Normalized Difference Water Index |
| Mean. diff. | Mean diff. to neighbor |
| Std. Dev | Standard Deviation |
| GLCM | Gray-Level Co-occurrence Matrix |
| GLDV | Grey Level Difference Vector |
| B _R | Red Band |
| B _G | Green Band |
| B _B | Blue Band |
| B _{NIR} | Near-Infrared Band |
| GI | Gini Index |
| RB | Relative Border |
| DG | Distance to Grass |
| DB | Distance to Building |
| H | Height |
| PA | Producer's Accuracy |
| UA | User's Accuracy |
| BC | Building Coverage |
| TC | Tree Coverage |
| GC | Grass Coverage |

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|-------|---|
| SC | Soil Coverage |
| ISC_G | Impervious Surface Coverage at Ground level |
| WC | Water Coverage |
| BNNI | Building Nearest Neighbor Index |
| TNNI | Tree Nearest Neighbor Index |
| GNNI | Grass Nearest Neighbor Index |
| SNNI | Soil Nearest Neighbor Index |
| INNI | Impervious Ground Nearest Neighbor Index |
| WNNI | Water Nearest Neighbor Index |
| Exp. | Experiment |

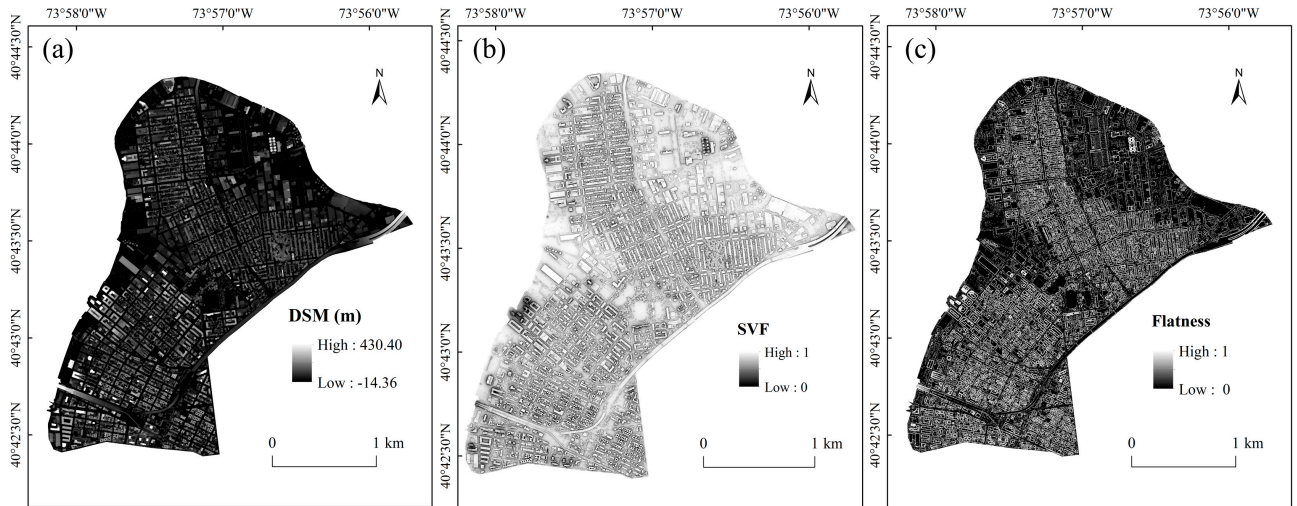


Figure S1 3D USPs used for land cover mapping.
(a) Digital Surface Model (DSM), (b) Sky View Factor (SVF) and (c) Flatness.

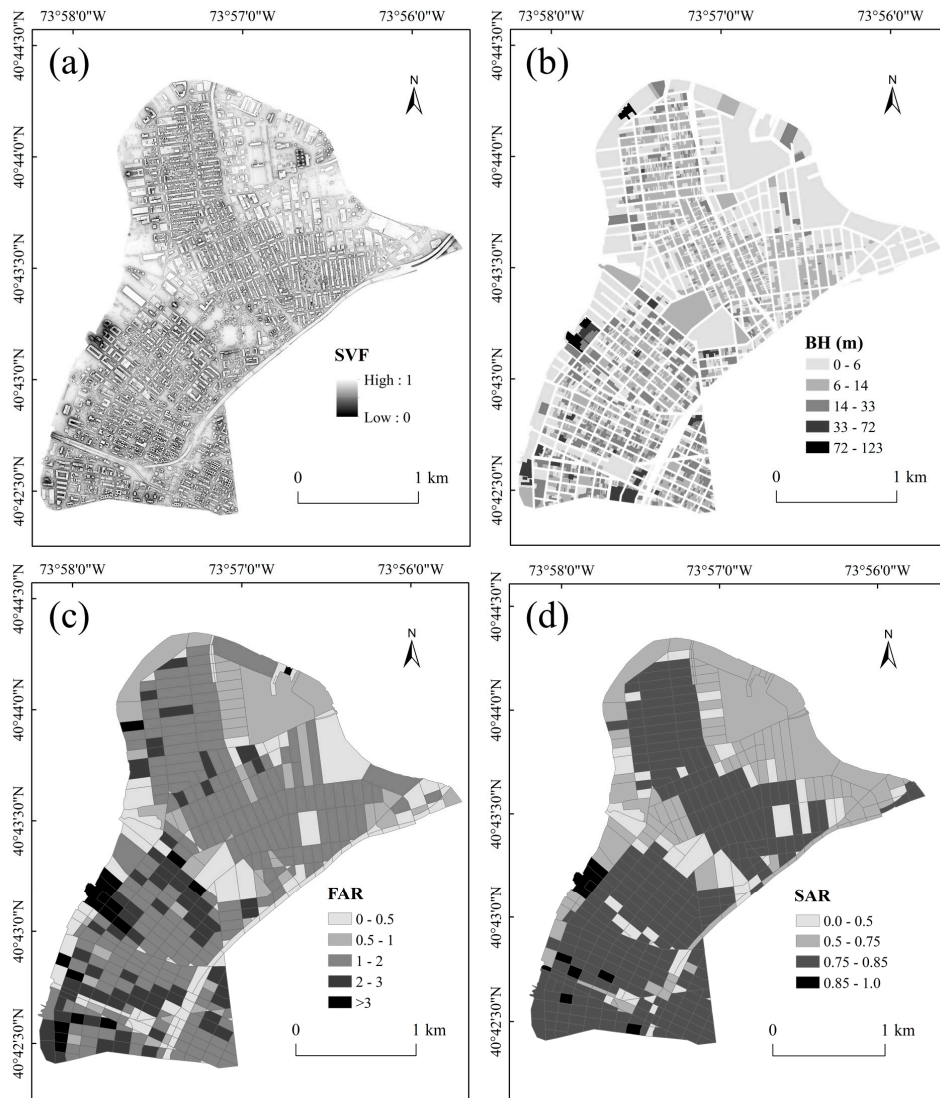


Figure S2 3D USPs used for UFZ mapping.

(a) Sky View Factor (SVF), (b) Building Height (BH), (c) Floor Area Ratio (FAR) and (b) Street Aspect Ratio (SAR).

Table S2 Selected optimal variables for land cover mapping.

| Category | Optimal feature | Number |
|--------------------------|--|--------|
| Spectral feature | B_G , B_B , B_{NIR} , NDVI, RNI, DVI, NDWI, $Mean_R$, $Mean_G$, $Mean_B$, $Mean_{NIR}$, Brightness, Ratio, Mean. diff., Std. Dev $_{NIR}$ | 15 |
| Textural feature | Variance $_{GLCM}$, Correlation $_{GLCM}$, En- ergy $_{GLCM}$ | 3 |
| Geometrical fea- ture | Border Length, Length/Width, Main Direction | 3 |
| 3D USP | DSM, SVF, Flatness | 3 |

Table S3 Confusion matrix of the land covers using RF algorithm.

| Category | Build- ing | Tree | Grass | Soil | Impervious ground | Water | UA (%) |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-------|------|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Building | 1177 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 147 | 2 | 88.6 |
| Tree | 5 | 334 | 36 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 88.6 |
| Grass | 2 | 68 | 285 | 0 | 8 | 0 | 78.5 |
| soil | 14 | 0 | 1 | 189 | 21 | 0 | 84.0 |
| Impervi- ous ground | 180 | 2 | 7 | 35 | 1675 | 3 | 88.1 |
| Water | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 63 | 96.9 |
| PA (%) | 85.4 | 82.1 | 86.6 | 84.4 | 90.3 | 92.6 | 87.4 (OA) |

Table S4 Confusion matrix of the land covers using LDA algorithm.

| Category | Build- ing | Tree | Grass | Soil | Impervious ground | Water | UA (%) |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-------|------|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Building | 1032 | 4 | 0 | 5 | 479 | 3 | 67.8 |
| Tree | 26 | 296 | 56 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 77.1 |
| Grass | 1 | 73 | 262 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 77.7 |
| soil | 0 | 0 | 8 | 161 | 16 | 2 | 86.1 |
| Impervi- ous ground | 317 | 34 | 3 | 57 | 1352 | 12 | 76.2 |
| Water | 3 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 51 | 92.7 |
| PA (%) | 74.8 | 72.7 | 79.6 | 71.9 | 72.9 | 75.0 | 74.0 (OA) |

Table S5 Confusion matrix of the land covers using KNN algorithm.

| Category | Build- ing | Tree | Grass | Soil | Impervious ground | Water | UA (%) |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-------|------|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Building | 1036 | 3 | 0 | 0 | 355 | 0 | 74.3 |
| Tree | 18 | 305 | 59 | 0 | 9 | 0 | 78.0 |
| Grass | 4 | 77 | 264 | 0 | 3 | 0 | 75.4 |
| soil | 0 | 1 | 6 | 178 | 32 | 0 | 82.0 |
| Impervi- ous ground | 320 | 21 | 0 | 45 | 1455 | 8 | 78.7 |
| Water | 1 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 0 | 61 | 96.7 |
| PA (%) | 75.1 | 74.9 | 80.2 | 79.5 | 78.5 | 86.8 | 77.4 (OA) |

Table S6 Confusion matrix of land cover classification using RF algorithm (only using 2D features).

| Category | Build- ing | Tree | Grass | Soil | Impervious ground | Water | UA (%) |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-------|------|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Building | 1112 | 1 | 0 | 4 | 169 | 2 | 86.3 |
| Tree | 13 | 306 | 55 | 0 | 6 | 0 | 80.5 |
| Grass | 0 | 93 | 268 | 0 | 2 | 0 | 73.8 |
| Soil | 18 | 0 | 5 | 183 | 16 | 0 | 82.4 |
| Impervi- ous ground | 235 | 7 | 1 | 37 | 1659 | 4 | 85.4 |
| Water | 1 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 2 | 62 | 95.4 |
| PA (%) | 80.6 | 75.2 | 81.5 | 81.7 | 89.5 | 91.2 | 84.3 (OA) |

**Table S7 Confusion matrix of land cover classification using KNN algorithm
(only using 2D features).**

| Category | Build- ing | Tree | Grass | Soil | Impervious ground | Water | UA (%) |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-------|------|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Building | 1014 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 408 | 4 | 71.1 |
| Tree | 14 | 274 | 65 | 0 | 1 | 1 | 77.2 |
| Grass | 1 | 128 | 256 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 66.5 |
| Soil | 0 | 2 | 5 | 174 | 18 | 0 | 87.4 |
| Impervi- ous ground | 346 | 3 | 3 | 50 | 1424 | 7 | 77.7 |
| Water | 4 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 3 | 56 | 89.1 |
| PA (%) | 73.5 | 67.3 | 77.8 | 77.7 | 76.8 | 83.8 | 75.1 (OA) |

Table S8 Confusion matrix of land cover classification using LDA algorithm (only using 2D features).

| Category | Build- ing | Tree | Grass | Soil | Impervious ground | Water | UA (%) |
|---------------------------|---------------|------|-------|------|----------------------|-------|-----------|
| Building | 984 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 487 | 4 | 66.6 |
| Tree | 13 | 273 | 65 | 0 | 26 | 1 | 72.2 |
| Grass | 0 | 97 | 251 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 72.1 |
| Soil | 0 | 1 | 9 | 163 | 47 | 0 | 72.9 |
| Impervi- ous ground | 380 | 23 | 4 | 60 | 1293 | 16 | 72.6 |
| Water | 2 | 13 | 0 | 0 | 1 | 47 | 75.8 |
| PA (%) | 71.4 | 67.1 | 76.3 | 68.3 | 69.7 | 73.5 | 70.5 (OA) |

Table S9 Selected optimal variables for UFZ mapping.

| Category | Optimal feature | Number |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------|
| 2D USP | BC, TC, GC, SC, ISC_G | 5 |
| 3D USP | SVF, BH, SAR, FAR | 4 |
| Spatial pattern | BNNI, TNNI, GNNI, SNNI, INNI | 5 |

Table S10 Confusion matrix of UFZ classification using RF algorithm.

| Category | Commercial zone | Residential zone | Industrial zone | Parks | UA (%) |
|------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|-------|-----------|
| Commercial zone | 26 | 3 | 3 | 0 | 81.3 |
| Residential zone | 3 | 87 | 0 | 0 | 96.7 |
| Industrial zone | 0 | 2 | 44 | 2 | 91.7 |
| Park | 0 | 0 | 2 | 14 | 87.5 |
| PA (%) | 89.7 | 94.6 | 89.8 | 87.5 | 91.9 (OA) |

Table S11 Confusion matrix of UFZ classification using KNN algorithm.

| Category | Commercial zone | Residential zone | Industrial zone | Park | UA (%) |
|------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------|-----------|
| Commercial zone | 21 | 11 | 2 | 0 | 61.8 |
| Residential zone | 4 | 73 | 8 | 1 | 84.9 |
| Industrial zone | 4 | 7 | 36 | 4 | 70.6 |
| Park | 0 | 1 | 3 | 11 | 73.3 |
| PA (%) | 72.4 | 79.3 | 73.5 | 68.8 | 75.8 (OA) |

Table S12 Confusion matrix of UFZ classification using LDA algorithm.

| Category | Commercial zone | Residential zone | Industrial zone | Park | UA (%) |
|------------------|--------------------|---------------------|--------------------|------|-----------|
| Commercial zone | 22 | 7 | 1 | 0 | 73.3 |
| Residential zone | 5 | 82 | 4 | 1 | 89.1 |
| Industrial zone | 2 | 3 | 42 | 3 | 84.0 |
| Park | 0 | 0 | 2 | 12 | 85.7 |
| PA (%) | 75.9 | 89.1 | 85.7 | 75.0 | 84.9 (OA) |

Table S13 UFZs classification accuracy of different variables combination.

| Category | Exp. a (%) | Exp. b (%) | Exp. c (%) | Exp. d (%) | Exp. e (%) | Exp. f (%) | Exp. g (%) |
|---------------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|---------------|
| Commercial zone | 63.6 | 54.5 | 45.5 | 72.7 | 81.8 | 54.5 | 89.7 |
| Residential zone | 86.5 | 78.8 | 73.1 | 94.2 | 90.4 | 84.6 | 94.6 |
| Industrial zone | 77.8 | 70.4 | 70.4 | 85.2 | 85.2 | 70.4 | 89.8 |
| Park zone | 88.9 | 66.7 | 55.6 | 77.8 | 66.7 | 55.6 | 87.5 |
| OA | 81.8 | 72.7 | 67.7 | 87.9 | 85.9 | 74.7 | 91.9 |

Software codes (Python platform)

```
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestClassifier
import osgeo
from osgeo import gdal
from osgeo import osr
from osgeo import ogr

import numpy as np
import pandas as pd
import matplotlib.pyplot as plt # a library for plotting
from sklearn.metrics import confusion_matrix
from sklearn.model_selection import train_test_split
from sklearn.datasets import load_boston
from sklearn.ensemble import RandomForestRegressor
from sklearn.inspection import permutation_importance

def readTif(fileName):
    dataset = gdal.Open(fileName)
    if dataset == None:
        print(fileName+"File cannot be opened")
        return
    im_width = dataset.RasterXSize
    im_height = dataset.RasterYSize
    im_bands = dataset.RasterCount
    im_data = dataset.ReadAsArray(0,0,im_width,im_height)
    im_geotrans = dataset.GetGeoTransform()
    im_proj = dataset.GetProjection()
    return im_width, im_height, im_bands,im_data,im_geotrans,im_proj

def writeTiff(im_data,im_width,im_height,im_bands,im_geotrans,im_proj,path):
    if 'int8' in im_data.dtype.name:
        datatype = gdal.GDT_Byte
    elif 'int16' in im_data.dtype.name:
        datatype = gdal.GDT_UInt16
    else:
        datatype = gdal.GDT_Float32

    if len(im_data.shape) == 3:
        im_bands, im_height, im_width = im_data.shape
    elif len(im_data.shape) == 2:
        im_data = np.array([im_data])
    else:
        im_bands, (im_height, im_width) = 1,im_data.shape
        driver = gdal.GetDriverByName("GTiff")
    dataset = driver.Create(path, im_width, im_height, im_bands, datatype)
    if(dataset!= None):
        dataset.SetGeoTransform(im_geotrans)
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        dataset.SetProjection(im_proj)
    for i in range(im_bands):
        dataset.GetRasterBand(i+1).WriteArray(im_data[i])
    del dataset

work_path = 'D:/Geo/all_feature'      # Define your work path
sample_path = work_path + '/' + 'features.csv'

sample = np.array(pd.read_csv(sample_path, dtype='float32'))
X_sample = sample[:,1:44]
Y_sample = sample[:,0]

x_train,x_test,y_train,y_test=train_test_split(X_sample,Y_sample,test_size=0.2,random_state=40)

# Parameters
num_trees = 100
max_depth = None      # If none, nodes are expanded until all leaves are pure.
max_features = 'sqrt'  # then max_features=sqrt(n_features)

rf = RandomForestClassifier(n_estimators=num_trees, max_depth=max_depth,
max_features=max_features)

# Fit the model
rf.fit(x_train, y_train)

# Check the importance
print(rf.feature_importances_)
sorted_idx = rf.feature_importances_.argsort()
plt.barh(range(x_train.shape[1]),rf.feature_importances_[sorted_idx])
plt.xlabel("Random Forest Feature Importance")
plt.show()

# Prediction of calibration dataset
y_pred_cali = rf.predict(x_train)
CM = confusion_matrix(y_pred_cali,y_train)
acc = np.trace(CM) / len(y_train)
print(CM, 'overall accuracy for cali: ', acc)

# Prediction of valibration dataset
y_pred_vali = rf.predict(x_test)
CM = confusion_matrix(y_pred_vali,y_test)
acc = np.trace(CM) / len(y_test)
print(CM, 'overall accuracy for vali: ', acc)
print("complete")

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