



## Assessing Sustainability over Space and Time: The Emerging Roles of GIScience and Remote Sensing

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The formulation of the 17 Sustainable Development Goals (SDGs) is a major leap towards humankind's quest for sustainability. The SDGs now collectively serve as the platform for global development—a platform which now helps to guide current actions and shape visions for a sustainable future. There is a need to track the spatiotemporal dynamics of progress towards the SDGs in particular and sustainability in general, not only at the global and national scales, but also at the subnational and landscape levels. The advances in geospatial technologies (GIS and remote sensing), including the increasing availability of geospatial data, can help in this regard.

This Special Issue will bring together novel contributions on the assessment of sustainability over space and time. Contributions that highlight or explore the role or potential contribution of geospatial (GIS and remote sensing) data, tools, and techniques in the assessment of sustainability over space and time are very much welcome. Contributions that do not necessarily employ geospatial data, tools, and techniques but consider the space and time dimensions of sustainability are also very much welcome.





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