



## Science of Landsat Analysis Ready Data

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Dear Colleagues,

In October 2017, United States Geological Survey (USGS) released the first version of Landsat Analysis Ready Data (ARD) for the conterminous United States (CONUS). This is a very exciting moment for Landsat data users. In this Special Issue, we are inviting submission including, but not limited to,

- Current status and planned/operational Landsat ARD products
- Specifications and characteristics of Landsat ARD
- Evaluation of geometric and radiometric accuracies of Landsat ARD
- Data inter-calibration and creation of long consistent time series (e.g., combination with Sentinel-2)
- Combined used of Landsat ARD and other sensor data (e.g., Sentinel-2, LIDAR, microwaves, thermal scanners) and fusion approaches.
- Suitability of Landsat ARD for LCLU mapping and LCLU change detection, assessing vegetation dynamics (phenology, trend, and disturbance) and hazards and disaster monitoring
- Tools and algorithms for visualizing and analysing Landsat ARD



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