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Transforming the Navy Environmental Data Management Program

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Background

- NAVFAC manages environmental remediation projects
- Increasing number and types of contracts
- Annual budget of \$200-\$500 million
- Data management becoming more complex
- Problems with “missing” data



The Past...

- IR data stored in numerous locations
- Variable and/or incompatible data formats
- Costly to insure data integrity
- Difficult to access data



How to meet the challenges of modern business?

The Vision...

Develop standards, design and implement a system to:

- Maintain data integrity
- Allow ready access to and sharing of data
- Facilitate effective data analysis
- Enable better, faster decision-making



More Intelligent Data = Better Decisions

NAVFAC Adopted the Spatial Data Standards (SDS)

- National Standard developed by USACE CADD/GIS Technology Center
 - NCITS 353 - affiliate of ANSI
- Executive Order 12906
- NAVFAC Interim Policy Guidance

National Standard for Spatial Data



SDS Background

- Nonproprietary data standard
- Expanded/Updated annually
- Designed for use with GIS and RDBMS
- Used throughout DoD



Enables effective data management & sharing

Step One: Design an SDS-Compliant Navy Environmental IR Database

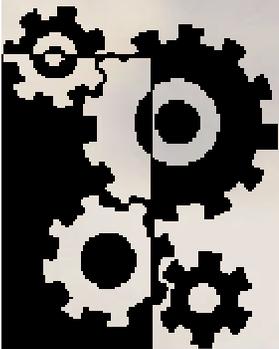
- Analytical testing, location, field measurement, data validation, toxicity, EPA regulations, etc.
- Eventually: Real-time data uploads from handheld instruments in the field



Designed with the future in mind

Began with a Prototype...

- Learned SDS 'ways' and objects
- Mapped historical data to SDS
- Conducted internal & external reviews
- Coordinated with CADD/GIS Tech Center
- Designed and implemented SDS database at a regional level



The concepts were tested and proven

...And Expanded to a National System

- Incorporated required elements for all NAVFAC regions
- Built in flexibility to accommodate variations in business practices
- Used our common environmental/IR “language”



Navy Installation Restoration Information Solution

Step Two: Develop and Implement Internet Tools

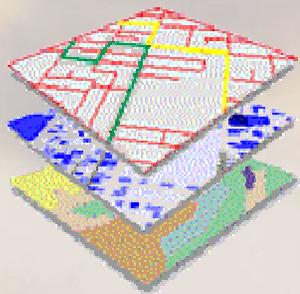
- Assure 24/7 data access and management
- Focus on spatial implementation (GIS-enabled)
- Leverage readily-available, off-the-shelf products
- Develop and distribute tools throughout NAVFAC

Built-In Data Dependency

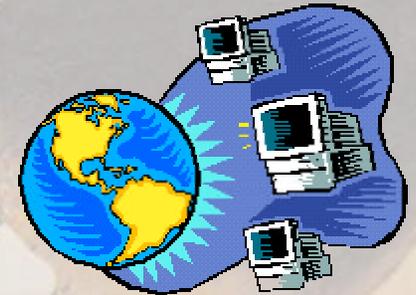


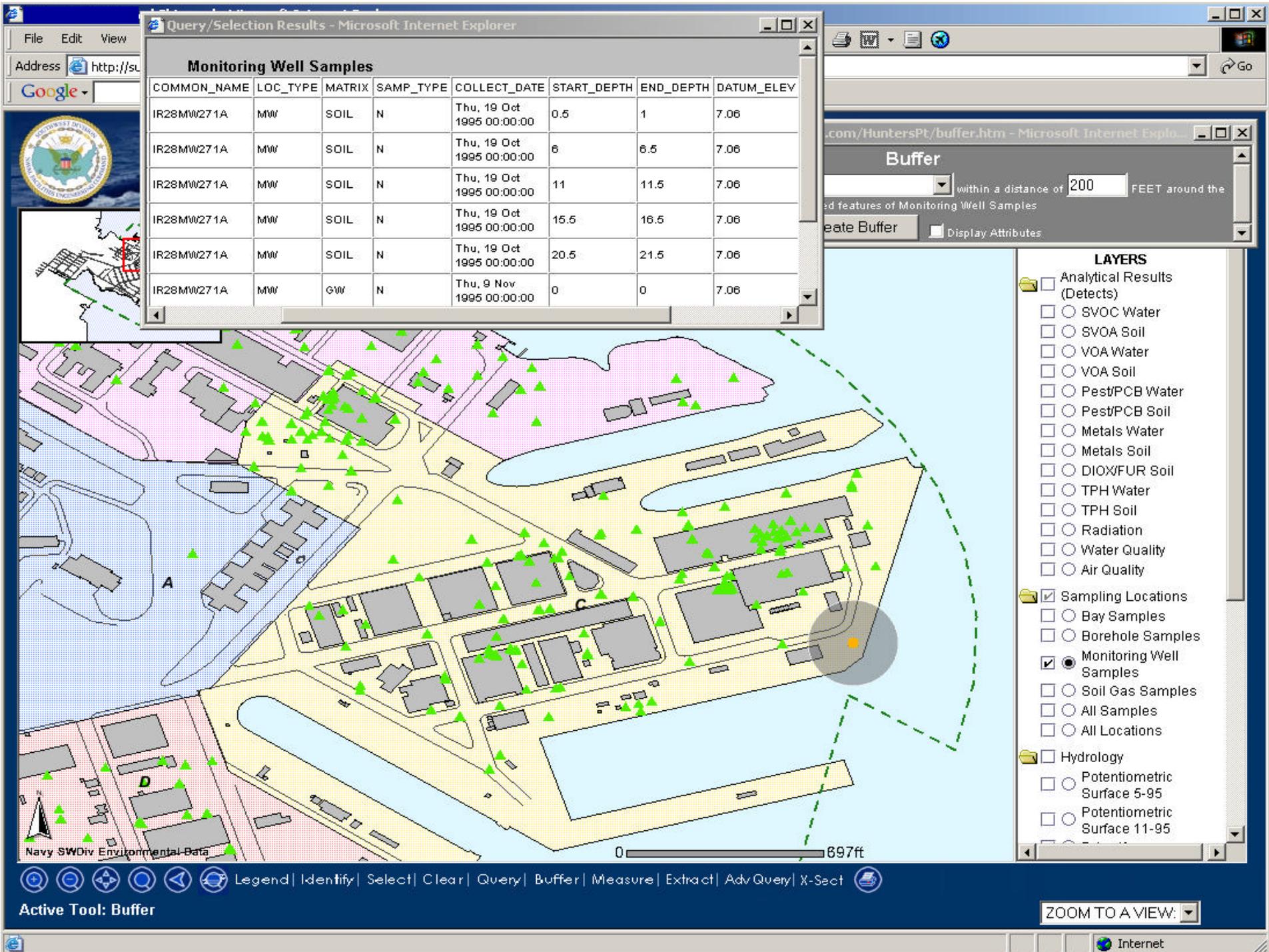
Internet GIS Tools are the Hub

- Create a user-friendly interface (no need for intensive training)
- Build on skills and knowledge that users already possess
- Provide spatial data to users via internet browser

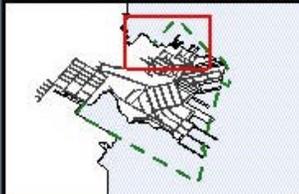
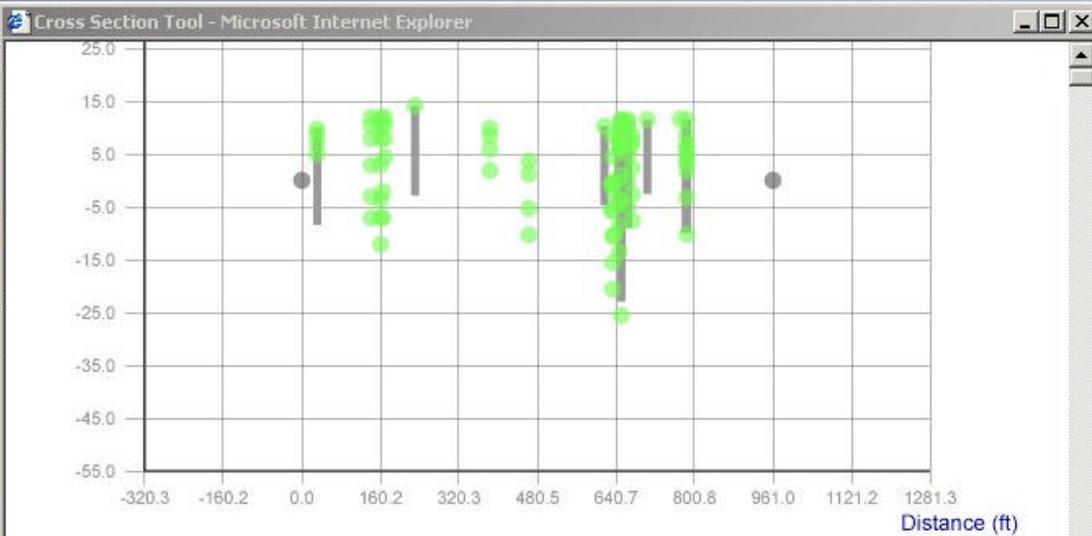


“Visualize your data”



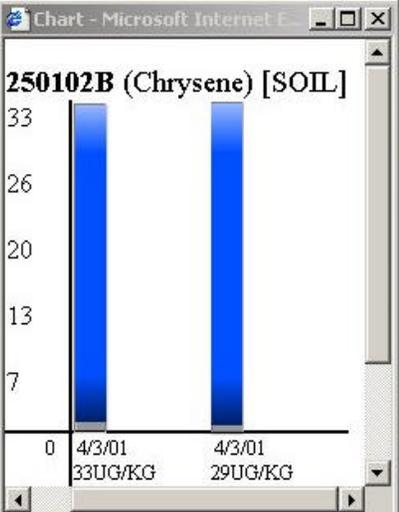


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	11.65 ft	2 ft	SVOA	Chrysene	33 UG/KG	SOIL
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250102B (Chrysene) [SOIL]

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LAYERS

- Analytical Results (Detects)
 - SVOC Water
 - SVOA Soil
 - VOA Water
 - VOA Soil
 - Pest/PCB Water
 - Pest/PCB Soil
 - Metals Water
 - Metals Soil
 - DIOX/FUR Soil
 - TPH Water
 - TPH Soil
 - Radiation
 - Water Quality
 - Air Quality
- Sampling Locations
 - Bay Samples
 - Borehole Samples
 - Monitoring Well Samples
 - Soil Gas Samples
 - All Samples
 - All Locations
- Hydrology
- Base Map
- Areas/Sites
 - Parcel F Boundary
 - Lease Areas
 - Reuse Areas

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Internet

Step Three: Provide Internet Interface to Data Management

- View on-line documentation and Division-specific instructions
- Submit proposed updates or additions to the database
- Administer and track database changes
- Access NAVFAC Electronic Data Deliverable (NEDD) specifications

The next deployment phase



- EDD
- INFORMATION
- DIVISION INSTRUCTIONS
- LOG IN
- EDD FORMAT
 - BIOLOGICAL
 - CHEMISTRY
 - FIELD
 - GEOLOGY
 - HYDROLOGY
 - LOCATION
 - COMMON
 - SAMPLE
 - SUBMITTAL

ELECTRONIC DATA DELIVERABLE



The EDD format specifies the interface for Environmental Installation Restoration (EIR) data. This site allows viewing of the data as new records.

Customize viewing:

Subtype:

Division:

Enter data to request a change:

Record type:

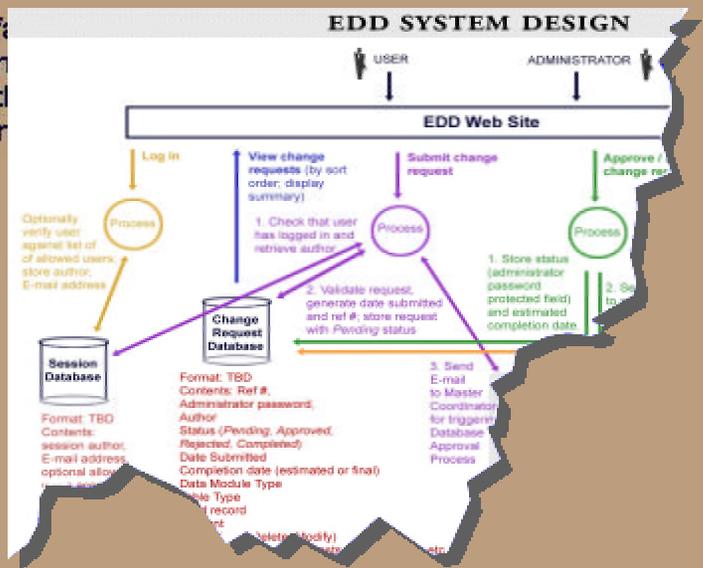
Action:

New definition:

NEIRDS Version #: 2.0.7

Altitude Datum Domains
The surface of reference from which altitudes are measured.

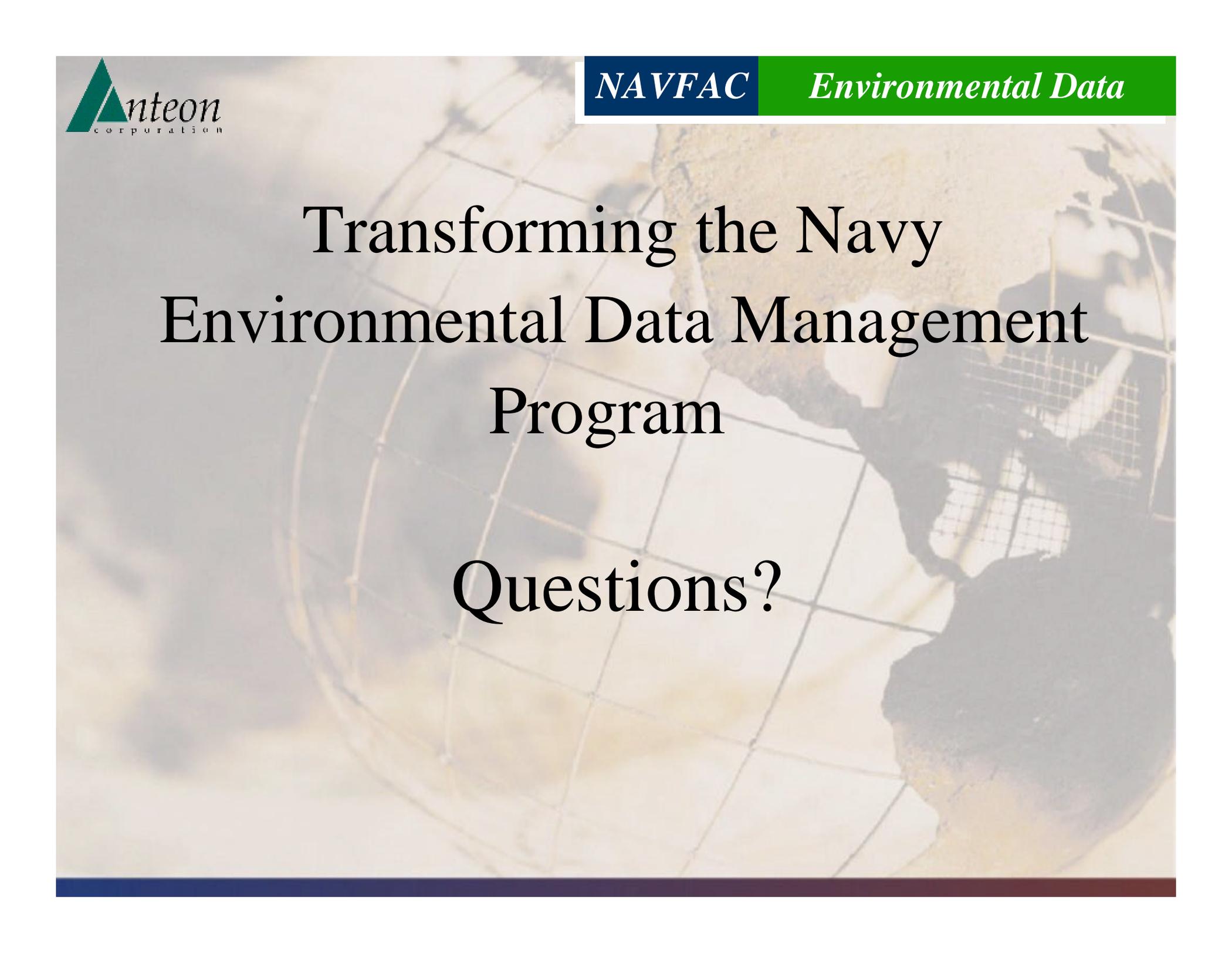
ALT_DAT_D	DEFINITION
ALWP	Average Low Water Plane
LWRP	Low Water Reference Plane 1974
MHW	Mean High Water
MLG	Mean Low Gulf
MLLW	Mean Lower Low Water
MEL	Mean Sea Level
NAVD_89	North America Vertical Datum of 1989
NAVD_29	National Geodetic Vertical Datum of 1929



The Brave New World

- Data administered by the Navy
- Contractors concentrate on higher-value tasks
- Data access is improved – Real Time
- Decision-making is expedited
- Data management costs significantly reduced

Modernizing the Navy's business practices



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Questions?