

Creating a Distributed **NAT**ional **CARB**on Sequestration Database and Geographic Information System (**NATCARB**)



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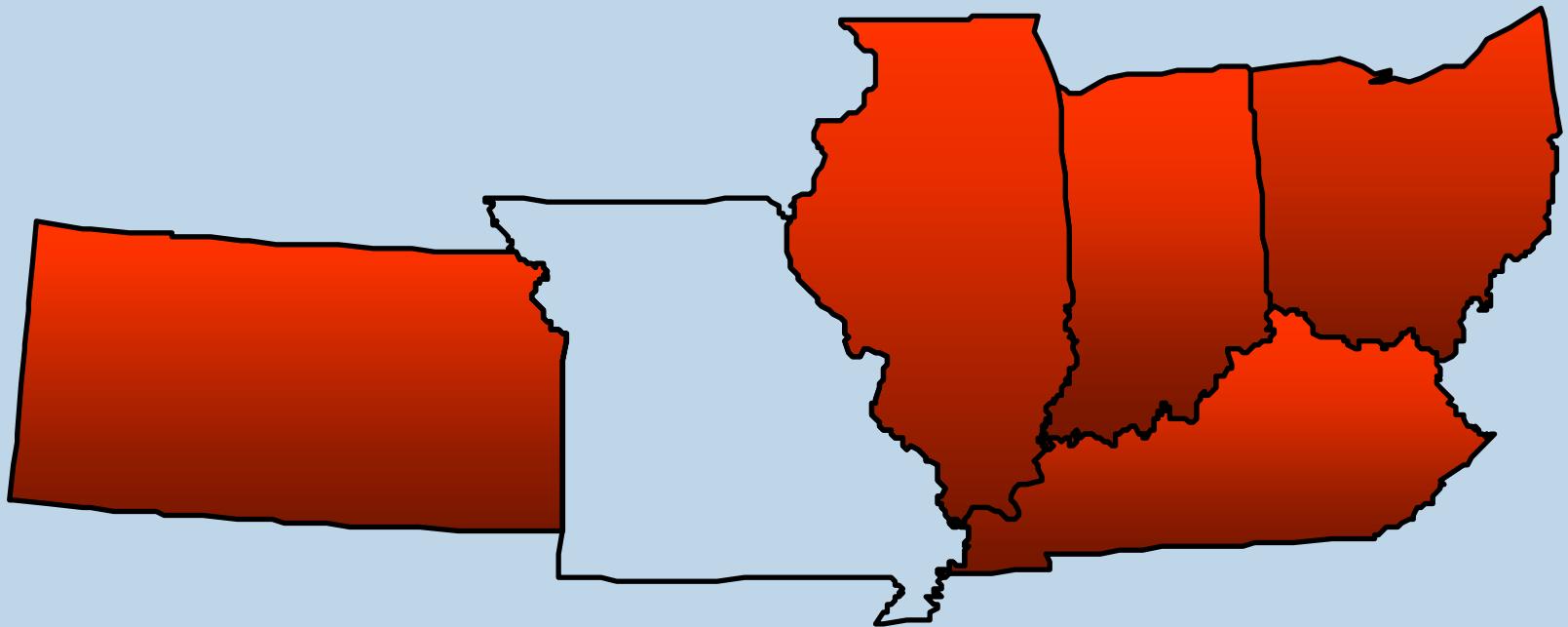


Goals

- Distributed National Database of Carbon Sequestration
 - MIDCARB ==> NATCARB
- Federation of Map Servers
 - Distribute the management
 - Distribute the computer resources/activity
 - Distribute the metadata
- Intelligent Portal
 - Interoperability through web mapping services
 - Tools to access and analyze the distributed data
- Partners
 - Increased synergy and communication among regions



Original MIDCARB Consortium



The MIDCARB (Midcontinent Digital Carbon Atlas and Relational DataBase) Carbon Sequestration Project

www.midcarb.org



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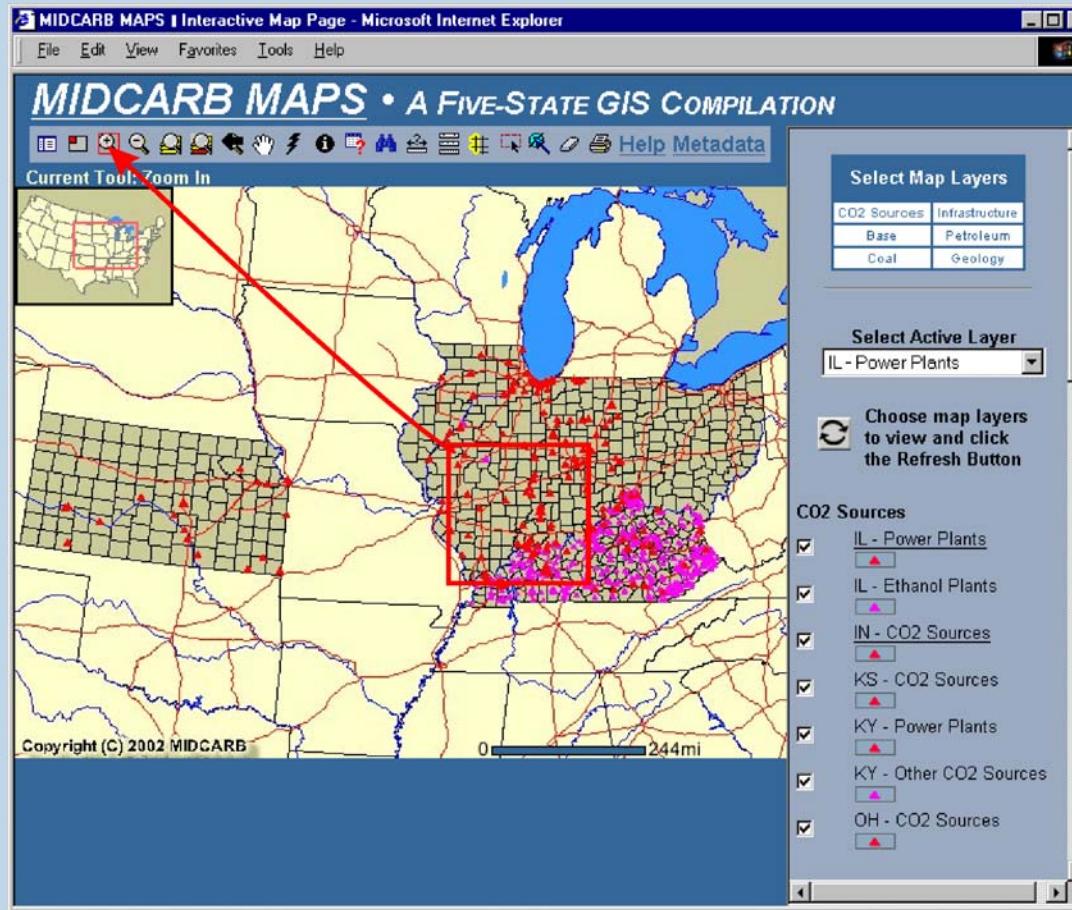
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MIDCARB Project Goals

- Characterize Major CO₂ Sources
 - Quantity, Quality, Location
- Characterize Potential Sequestration Sites
 - Geology and Reservoir Characteristics
- Develop Relational/Spatial Databases
 - Local and Regional Reporting Levels
- Supply this data to the public
 - For use as tools in cost/feasibility analyses, etc.



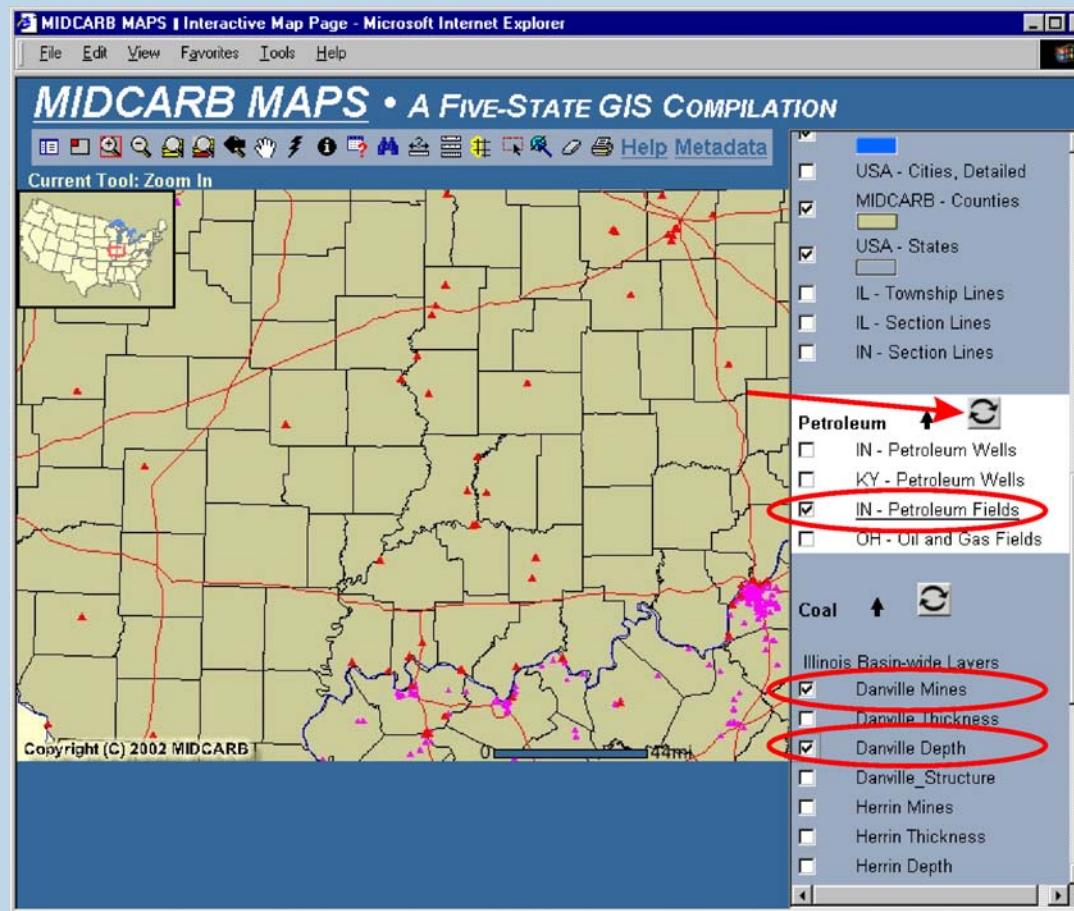
Carbon Sequestration Database Background



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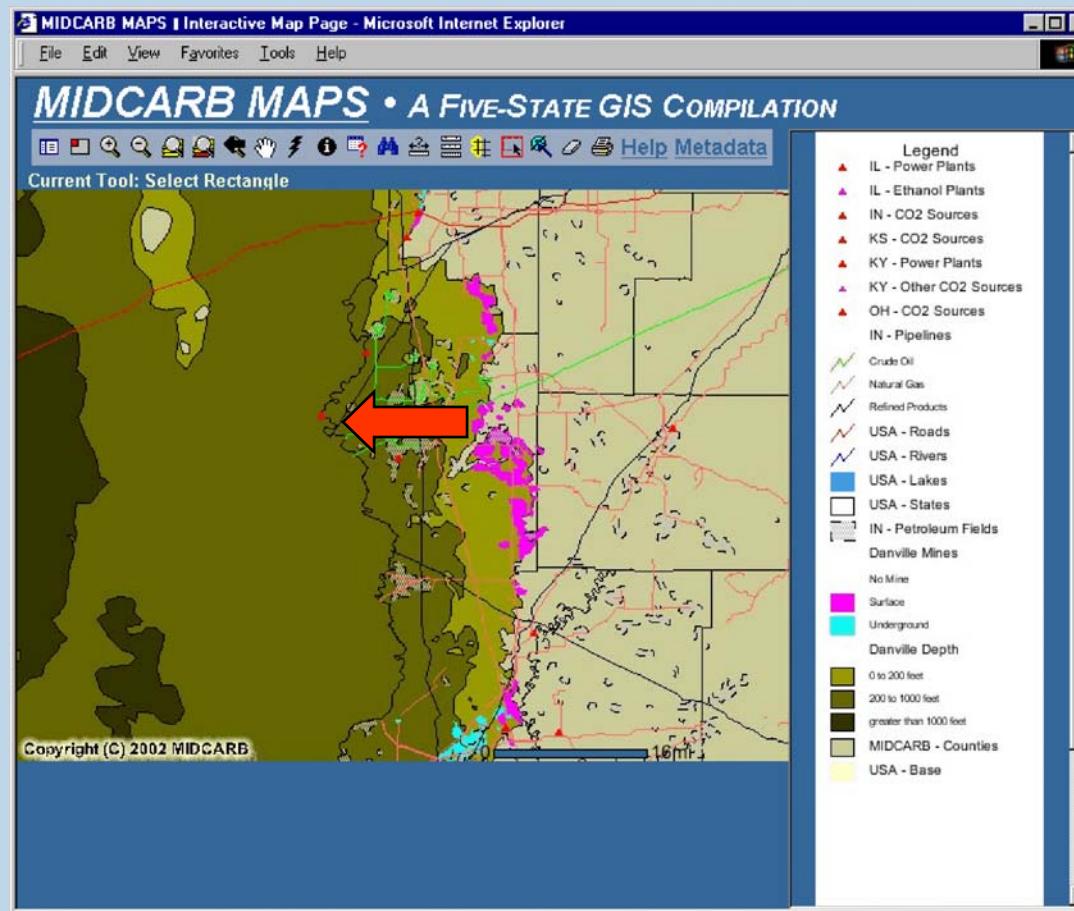
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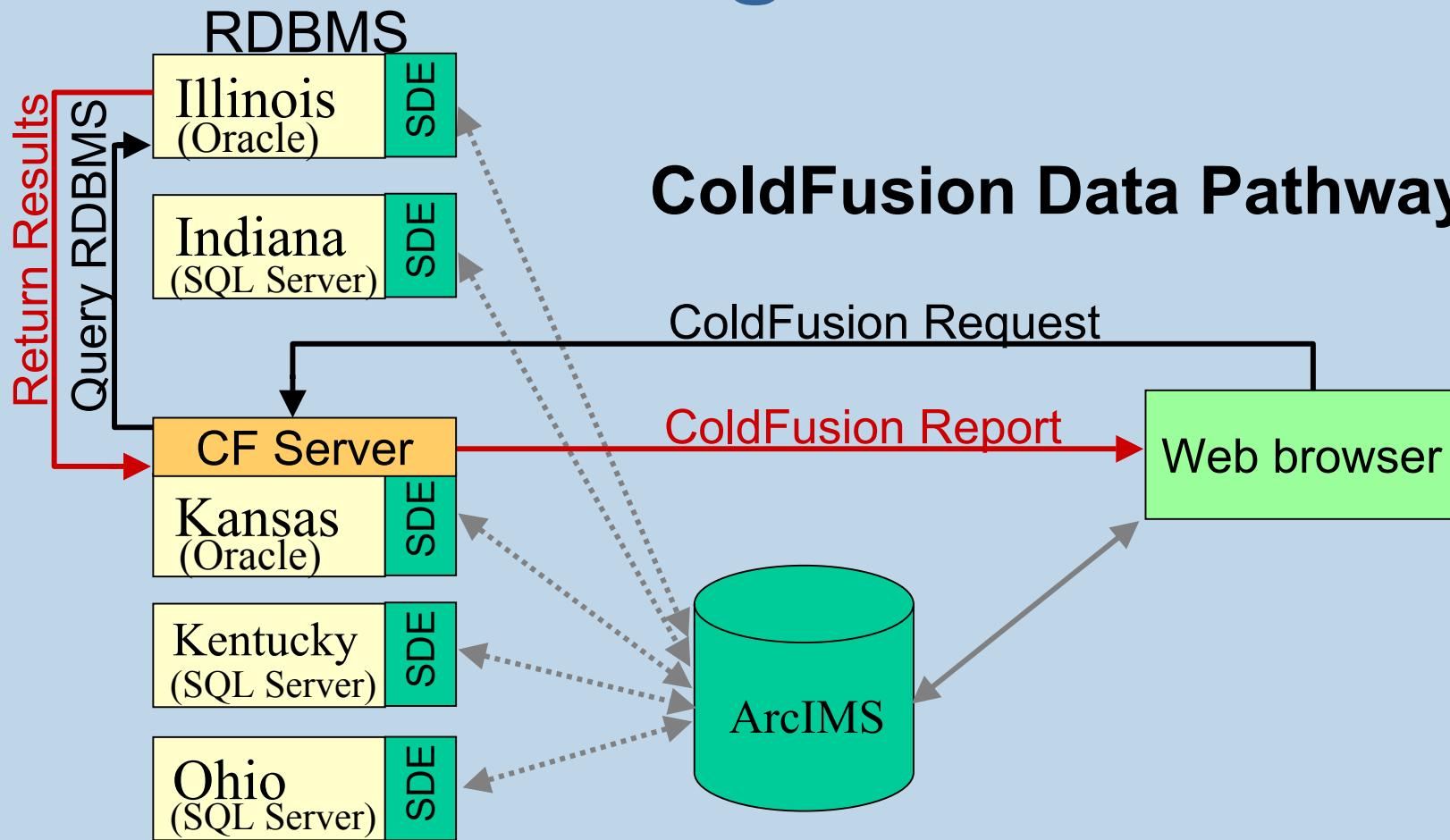
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MIDCARB-Generating Facility Emissions - Microsoft Internet Explorer

Illinois
HUTSONVILLE

Unit: 05; Boiler: Tangentially-fired
Rated Capacity (MWe): 83
Plant Operation Start: Feb 1, 1953
Most Recent Data: 1-2001

Most Recent Data		
Data Type	Quarterly totals	Cumulative for 2002
CO2 (Tons)	48,761.00	349,524.30
SO2 (Tons)	1,100.40	7,865.60
NOX (Tons)	.53	.55
Heat Input (mmBtu)	475,262.00	3,406,655.00

Unit: 06; Boiler: Tangentially-fired
Rated Capacity (MWe): 83
Plant Operation Start: Jul 1, 1954
Most Recent Data: 1-2001

Most Recent Data		
Data Type	Quarterly totals	Cumulative for 2002
CO2 (Tons)	39,829.40	323,901.60
SO2 (Tons)	886.90	7,236.50
NOX (Tons)	.50	.52
Heat Input (mmBtu)	388,196.00	3,156,939.00

Part of the [MIDCARB](#) project
Programs Updated Nov. 2001

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Make Chart

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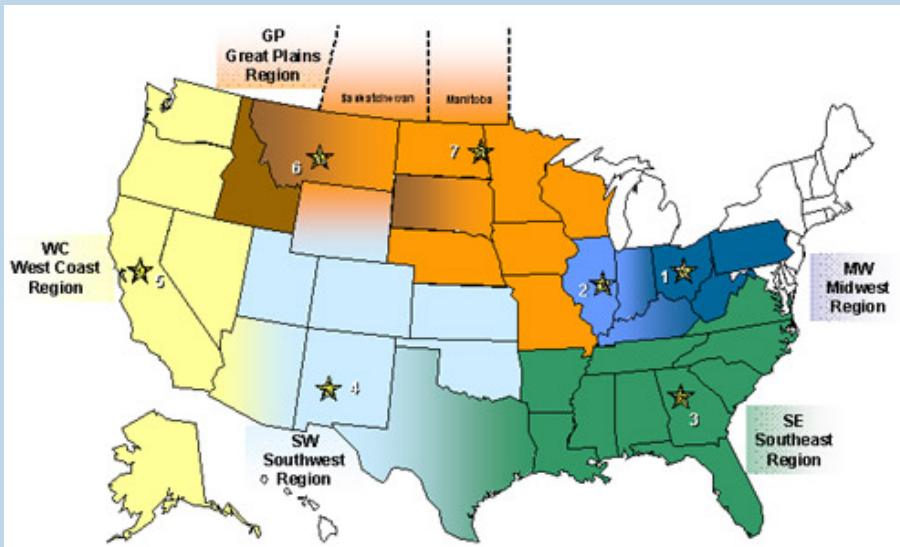
Carbon Sequestration Database Background

- 125 different layers from five different databases.
- No background database of metadata. The database was the AXL file.
- Hard to incorporate dynamic tools
 - Table of contents, Graphing
 - Built on lists of codes in javascript parameters file.
- Requests to multiple offsite databases for spatial data can be a performance bottleneck!
 - Performance heavily dependant on the off-site network speed for each server.
- SDE/ODBC Connections through a firewall problematic.

Management Headache!



National Database For Carbon Sequestration



**NATIONAL ENERGY TECHNOLOGY LABORATORY
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Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnerships

The U.S. Department of Energy has seven partnerships of state agencies, universities, and private companies that will form the core of a nationwide network to help determine the best approaches for capturing and permanently storing gases that can contribute to global climate change.

The partnerships include more than 140 organizations spanning 33 states, three Indian nations, and two Canadian provinces. In announcing the initiative

Last November, Secretary of Energy Spencer Abraham said the partnerships would become "the centerpiece" of expanded federal efforts to investigate the potential for carbon sequestration. The partnerships are a key part of President Bush's Global Climate Change Initiative (GCCI).

Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnerships are a government/industry effort to create a nationwide network of partnerships to determine the most suitable technologies, regulations, and infrastructure needs for carbon capture, storage and sequestration in different areas of the country.

This initiative directly supports the President's Global Climate Change Initiative (GCCI) goal of reducing greenhouse gas intensity by 18% by 2012 and will help ensure that a suite of commercially-ready sequestration technologies are available for the 2012 technology assessment mandated by the GCCI. The geographical differences in fossil fuel use and sequestration sinks across the United States dictates that regional approaches will be required to address the sequestration of CO₂.

Building the Foundation and Infrastructure for Carbon Sequestration

- Regional Carbon Sequestration Partnerships
- Secretary Abraham's Announcements & Press Releases
- Meetings & Presentations
- NETL & Partnership Contacts
- Partnership Links
- FAQs



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Federation of Web Mapping Services

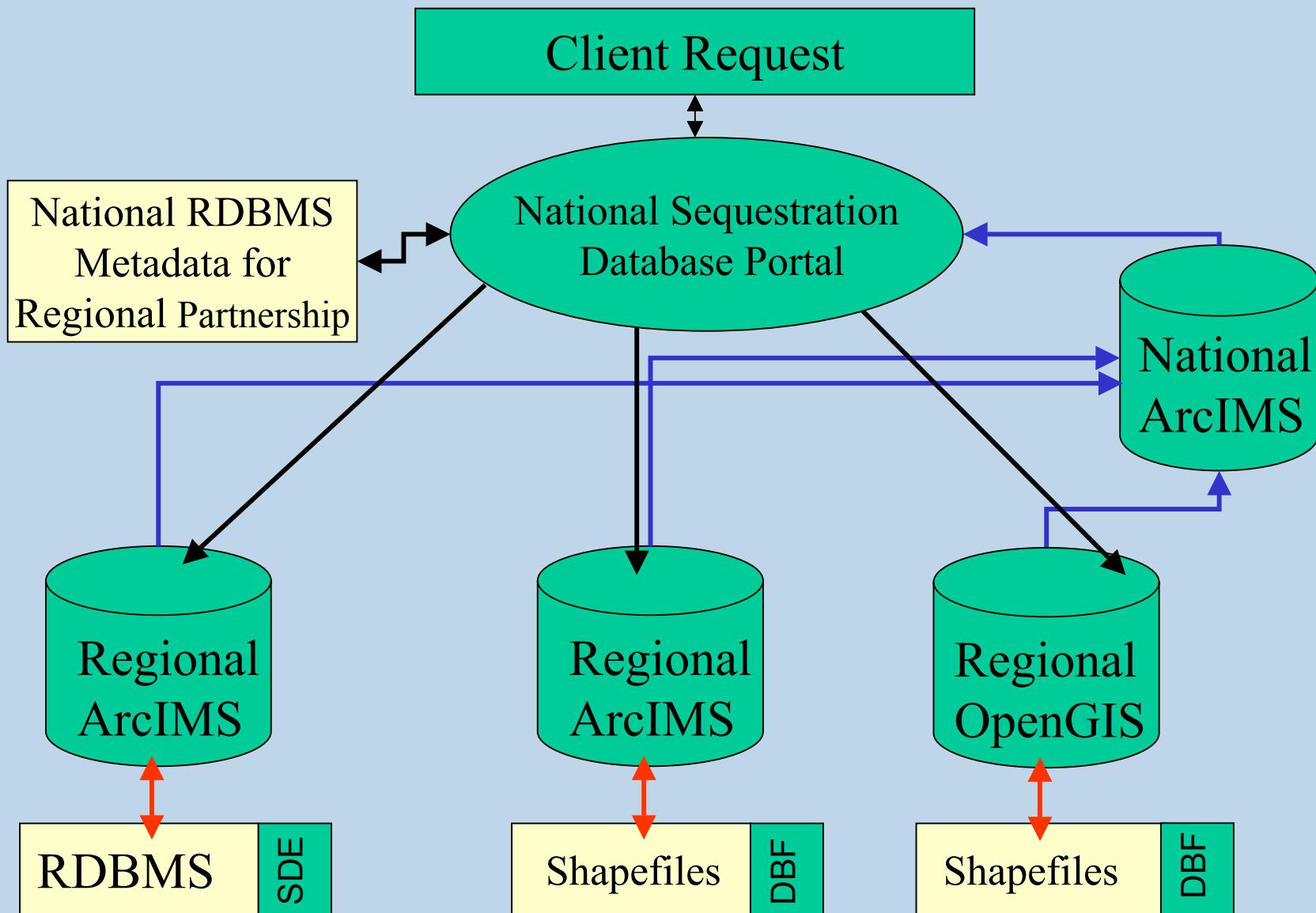
What are the advantages of a distributed national database?

- De-centralization of metadata and data
- Local control over data layers (maintain, enhance, add)
- Portal is easily customized
- Data requests & structures are driven by XML (IMS-XML)
- Server Resources are split among different computers
- Portal can request data in a multithreaded fashion
- Portal can be interoperable with different databases in different formats
- Interaction among GIS/IT personnel across partnerships
- By incorporating and cooperating now we can answer national scale questions in the future



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Metadata

- Portal serves as a central metadata repository and catalog:
 - Spatial information and data types are driven by local IMS servers
 - Repository allows for detailed information about models/datasets/calculations to be entered by the user and stored in the portal
- Regional partner requirements:
 - Publish data through ArcIMS
 - or Open GIS Consortiums (OGC) Web Mapping Service (WMS) and Web Feature Service (WFS)
 - Metadata publishing is pushed to the partnerships
- Distribute the management of the system to each partnership



Metadata: Map Service Metadata Application

Add Server Page - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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Address http://drysdale.kgs.ku.edu/natcarb/midmanagement/addse Go Links

Type search ▾ Search Web Radio Music Games Sports News

MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

Add Server Add Layer Add Column View Server View Layer View Column

Please Enter name and port of server you want to add

Server Name ims-dev.isgs.uiuc.edu

Port 5300

submit

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Add Server Page **Add Server Page - Microsoft Internet Explorer**

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Address <http://drysc...>

real Type search ▾

MIDCARB

Add Server **Add Layer**

Please Enter
Server Name
Port

MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

Add Server **Add Layer** **Add Column** **View Server** **View Layer** **View Column**

Please Enter name and port of server you want to add

Server Name
Port

Connection to ims-dev.isgs.uiuc.edu succeeded
9 Map services found for ims-dev.isgs.uiuc.edu

Choose map service below and click on next to proceed and add server

NG_Logs
 Counties
Already present! IL_MIDCARB_030904
 Streets
 USA
 Washington
 demog
Already present! midcarb_ks_test

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Metadata: Map Service Metadata Application

Add Server Page

Add Server Page Step 2 - Microsoft Internet Explorer

MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

Please enter information below to complete the addition of drysdale.kgs.ku.edu to the server list

Server Name: ims-dev.isgs.uiuc.edu

Service Name: 5300

Mapservice Name: NG_Logs

Region: Other

States Served: Illinois

Can Portal access Map Server? Yes

Contact Person: Chris Korose

Contact Number: 111-111-1111

Contact Email: korose@il.edu

Username for contact person: korose

Add Server

Add Layer

Add Column

View Server

View Layer

View Column

Please Enter Server Name
Port
submit

Choose map
NG_Logs
Counties
Already present
Streets
USA
Washington
demog
Already present

submit



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Add Layer Page - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

Add Server Add Layer Add Column View Server View Layer View Column

21 server(s) found in database
Please select server to which you want to add a layer and click next

corona.isgs.uiuc.edu - natcarb_ib_co2fac_test

next



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Metadata: Map Service Metadata Application

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Showing Layers for natcarb_ib_co2fac_test on corona.isgs.uiuc.edu

select	layername	ID	minscale	maxscale	minx	miny	maxx	maxy	layertype	featuretype
Add Layer	IL Basin clipped	3			2491256.47309166	1269576.77737318	4188522.84051957	3166026.65101285	featureclass	polygon
Add Layer	MGSC Counties	2			2410933.67901281	1269576.71084634	5202522.67537691	3532124.38279832	featureclass	polygon
Add Layer	MGSC States	1			2410933.72643623	1269576.65043692	5202522.63177404	3532124.40924466	featureclass	polygon
View Layer	CO2 Facilities	0			2574462.53726404	1375722.71209232	5003409.25302528	3471730.51466225	featureclass	point



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Add L Add Layer page - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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Add Server Add Layer Add Column View Server View Layer View Column

Adding Information for layer MGSC Counties for natcarb_ib_co2fac_test on corona.isgs.uiuc.edu

List of layer types	CO2 Sources
Display Name	MGSC Counties
Layer Group	None
Is layer queryable?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Layer Source (Source institution for data. For example, KGS or EPA)	
Can Layer be identified?	<input checked="" type="radio"/> Yes <input type="radio"/> No
Column to use for rendering	OBJECTID
Layer Authentication	Full access
Is Layer Visible on Viewer?	Yes
Detailed Metadata	

save

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Add layer page - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

Add Server Add Layer Add Column View Server View Layer View Column

Choose the Mapservice containing the layer to which you want to add columns and click submit

drysdale.kgs.ku.edu - KS_MIDCARB submit

Showing layers for drysdale.kgs.ku.edu
Select layer for which you want to add columns and click next

KS - Weir-Pitt Structure next



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Add Layer Page - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

Add Server Add Layer Add Column View Server View Layer View Column

Showing columns for layer KS - Weir-Pitt Structure of KS_MIDCARB on drysdale.kgs.ku.edu

Add All Columns

Add data	Name	Precision	Size	Type
Add Column	MIDCARB.STRCT_WPIT_UTM15_83.ID			featureclass
Add Column	MIDCARB.STRCT_WPIT_UTM15_83.GRIDCODE			featureclass
Add Column	#SHAPE#			featureclass
Add Column	MIDCARB.STRCT_WPIT_UTM15_83.OBJECTID			featureclass



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MIDCARB Mapservice data entry

[Add Server](#) [Add Layer](#) [Add Column](#) [View Server](#) [View Layer](#) [View Column](#)

Adding Information for column

MIDCARB.STRCT_WPIT_UTM15_83.ID for KS_MIDCARB on drysdale.kgs.ku.edu

Display Name

Column Units

Sequestration Column? Yes No

Is Visible? Yes No

Detailed Metadata



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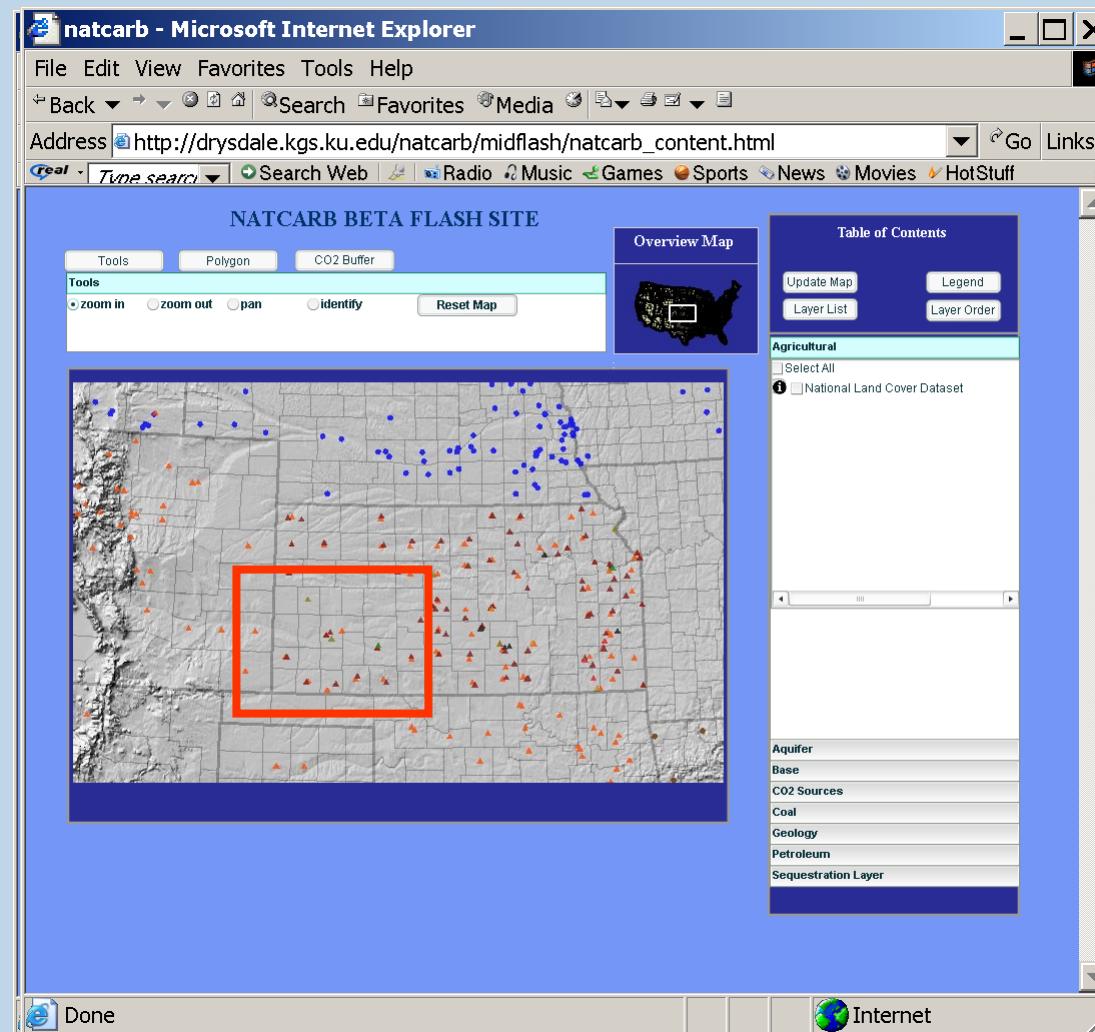
Interoperability Through Web Mapping Services

How does the portal communicate in real-time with the other Regional Partnerships?

1. A series of requests are generated based on the client input to the map portal. For example, the client would like to see the following:
 - Potential CO₂ storage in petroleum fields in Kansas,
 - Kansas and Illinois CO₂ sources,
 - Illinois net coal thickness
2. The portal simultaneously issues a request to the regional map servers to create an image of the data.
3. The portal stores the requested images locally and creates a world file for each image (so that the images can be georeferenced).
4. The portal IMS server creates a national map with the stored georeferenced images.



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natcarb - Microsoft Internet Explorer

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NATCARB BETA FLASH SITE

Tools Polygon CO2 Buffer

Tools zoom in zoom out pan identify Reset Map

Overview Map

Table of Contents

Update Map Legend

Layer List Layer Order

Agricultural

Aquifer

Base

CO2 Sources

Coal

Geology

Select All USGS Surface Geology

Regional - Precambrian Structure

Regional - Mount Simon Isopach

OH Rose Run Isopach

Petroleum

Sequestration Layer

CO2 Sources

OH_MIDCARB_DBO.CO2_FACILITIES

KANSAS FACILITIES

CO2 Sources

SE Industry

swnatcarbemissionsalb

wcnatcarbemissions

IL/IN/KY CO2 Facilities

SE Power

NATCARB_SPATIAL_KS_FACILITIES_SDE

AMMONIA CONCRETE ETHANOL NON-UTILITY REFINERY UTILITY

Geology

Done Internet

The screenshot shows the NATCARB BETA FLASH SITE running in Microsoft Internet Explorer. The main window displays a map of the Great Plains region with several CO2 facility locations marked by triangles of different colors (red, green, blue). To the left, there's a legend for 'NATCARB_SPATIAL_KS_FACILITIES_SDE' listing facility types: AMMONIA, CONCRETE, ETHANOL, NON-UTILITY, REFINERY, and UTILITY. On the right, a 'Table of Contents' sidebar lists various geological and industrial layers, with 'Geology' currently selected. A red arrow points to the 'Table of Contents' button. Below the main window, another Internet Explorer window titled 'legend' is visible, showing a list of CO2 sources and facility types. The bottom of the screen shows the Windows taskbar with the 'Internet' icon.



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legend - Microsoft Internet Explorer

CO2 Sources

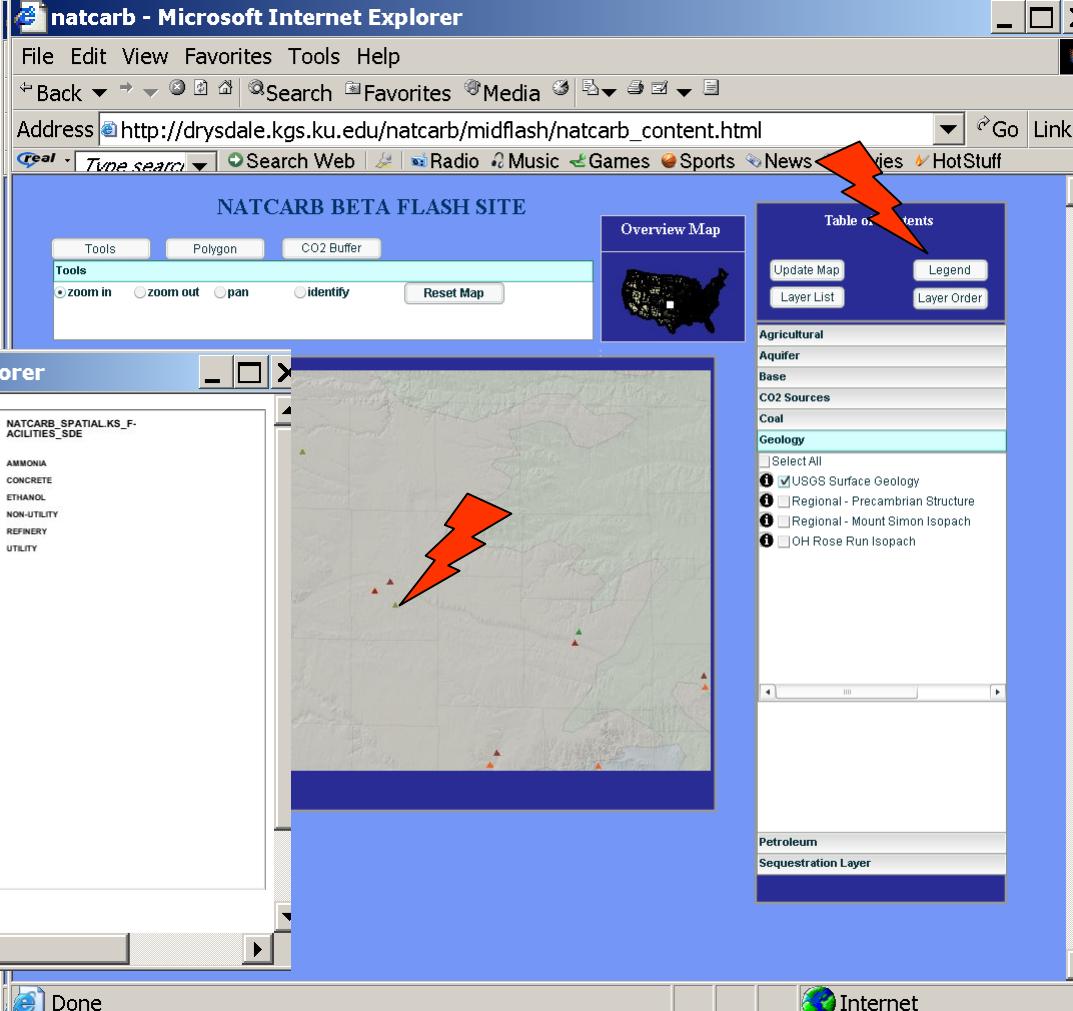
- OH_MIDCARB_DBO.CO2_FACILITIES
- KANSAS FACILITIES
- CO2 Sources
- SE Industry
- swnatcarbemissionsalb
- wcnatcarbemissions
- IL/IN/KY CO2 Facilities
- SE Power

NATCARB_SPATIAL_KS_FACILITIES_SDE

- AMMONIA
- CONCRETE
- ETHANOL
- NON-UTILITY
- REFINERY
- UTILITY

Geology

Done Internet



The screenshot shows two windows side-by-side. The top window is titled 'natcarb - Microsoft Internet Explorer' and displays the 'NATCARB BETA FLASH SITE'. It features a map of the United States with several red triangle markers indicating CO2 source locations. A large red lightning bolt graphic is overlaid on the map. To the right of the map is a 'Table of Contents' sidebar with various geological layers like Agricultural, Aquifer, Base, CO2 Sources, Coal, and Geology. A red arrow points from the 'Geology' section of the sidebar to the 'Geology' section of the main map interface. The bottom window is titled 'legend - Microsoft Internet Explorer' and shows a legend for 'NATCARB_SPATIAL_KS_FACILITIES_SDE' with categories for CO2 Sources and various facility types (AMMONIA, CONCRETE, ETHANOL, NON-UTILITY, REFINERY, UTILITY). There is also a 'Geology' section at the bottom.



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NATCARB

natcarb - Microsoft Internet Explorer

File Edit View Favorites Tools Help

Address http://drysdale.kgs.ku.edu/natcarb/midflash/natcarb_cor.html

NATCARB - Microsoft Internet Explorer

Emissions Plot Applet should appear below, [Problem Loading Applet.](#)

NATCARB BETA FLASH SITE

Tools Polygon CO2 Buffer

Tools

zoom in zoom out pan identify Reset Map

Overview

legend - Microsoft Internet Explorer

CO2 Sources

- OH_MIDCARB_DBO.CO2_FACILITIES
- KANSAS FACILITIES
- CO2 Sources
- SE Industry
- swnatcarbemissionsalb
- wcnatcarbemissions
- IL/IN/KY CO2 Facilities
- SE Power

NATCARB_SPATIAL_KS_FACILITIES_SDE

- AMMONIA
- CONCRETE
- ETHANOL
- NON-UTILITY
- REFINERY
- UTILITY

Geology

Modify Plot

Emissions
108
CO2

1.0E7

Emissions CO2 (t/yr)

1000000.0

100000.0

Year

1995 1996 1997 1998 1999 2000 2001

Java Applet Window

Convert Units Display Grid Divide By CO2 (%)

Year

Minimum: 1995 Maximum: 2002 Increment: 1

Annual Emission/Raw Data

Minimum: 1000000.0 Maximum: 10000000.0 Cycles: 20

Petroleum Sequestration Layer

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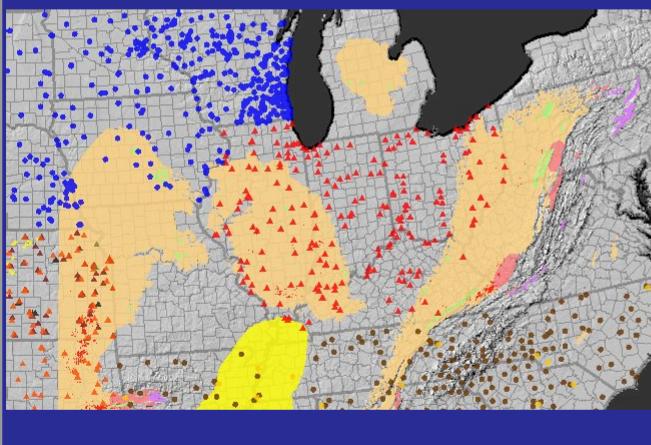
Update Map Legend
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Agricultural
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- Springfield Mines
- Herrin Structure
- Herrin Depth
- Herrin Thickness
- Herrin Mines
- Danville_Structure
- Danville Depth
- Danville Thickness
- Danville Mines
- Coal Basins and Coal Fields
- CBM Fields

Geology
Petroleum
Sequestration Layer

Done Internet



legend - Microsoft Internet Explorer

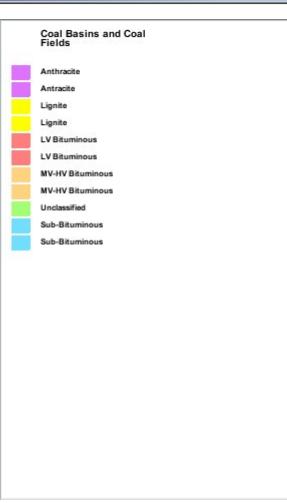
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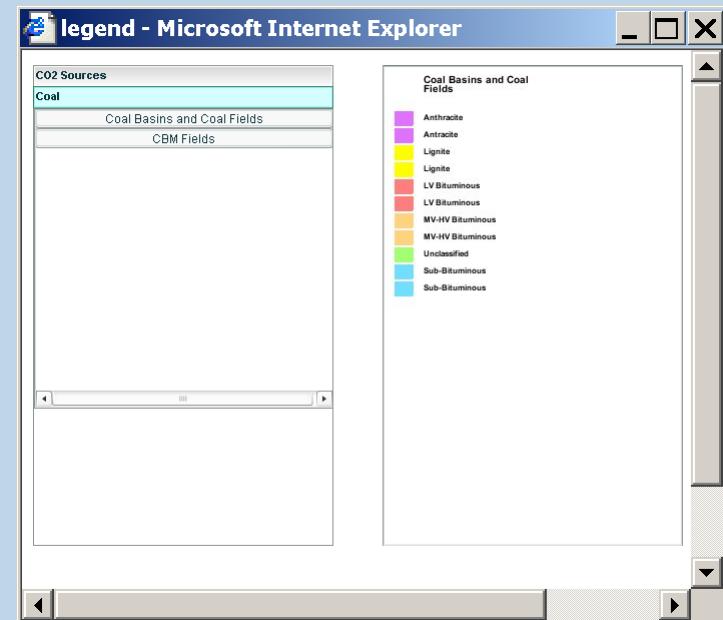
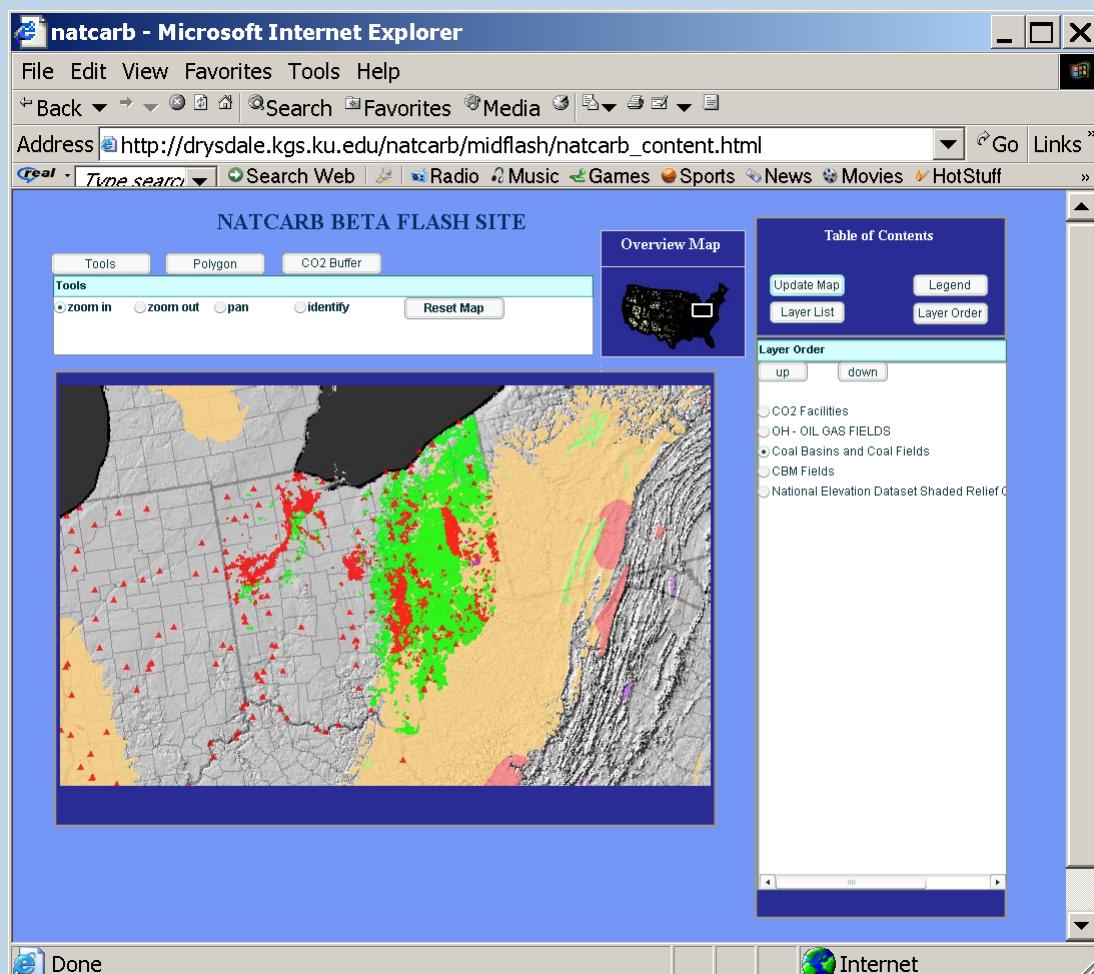
Anthracite
Lignite
Sub-Bituminous
LB Bituminous
LB Bituminous
MV-HV Bituminous
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Unclassified
Sub-Bituminous
Sub-Bituminous



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Intelligent Portal

- Use the metadata catalog to build “Intelligent” requests (XML) to the federation of loosely coupled map services.
- The map table of contents is a dynamic system that runs off the metadata catalog.



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NATCARB Intelligent Portal

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Time search Search Web Radio Music Games Sports News Movies HotStuff

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Select All

i KS Cumulative Gas Production

i OH - OIL GAS FIELDS

i IL - Oil and Gas Fields

i IN - Oil and Gas Fields

Sequestration Layer

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Seq Buffer buffer distance(in miles) 50

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Petroleum

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i IL - Oil and Gas Fields

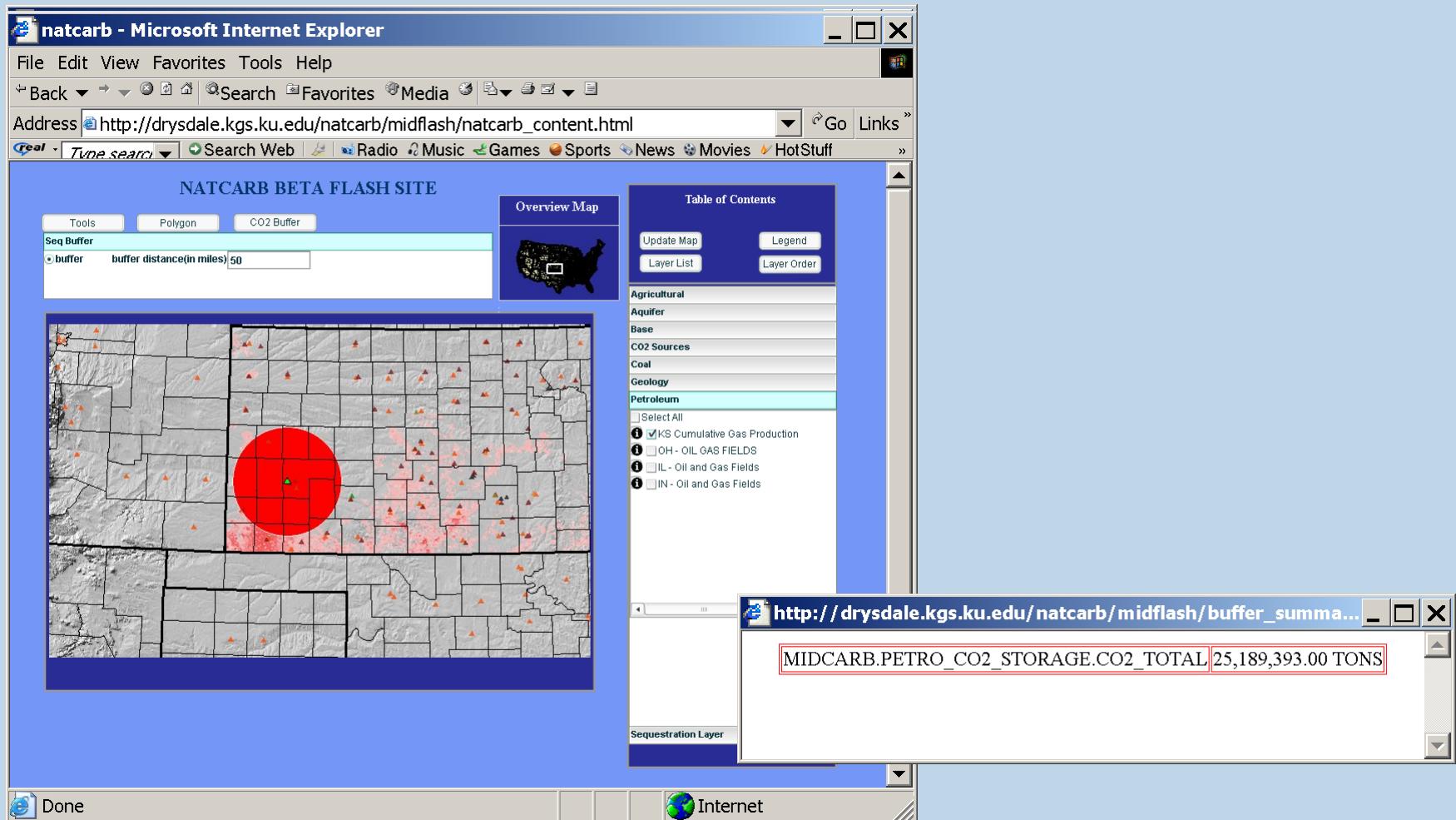
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Sequestration Layer

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MIDCARB.PETRO_CO2_STORAGE.CO2_TOTAL 25,189,393.00 TONS

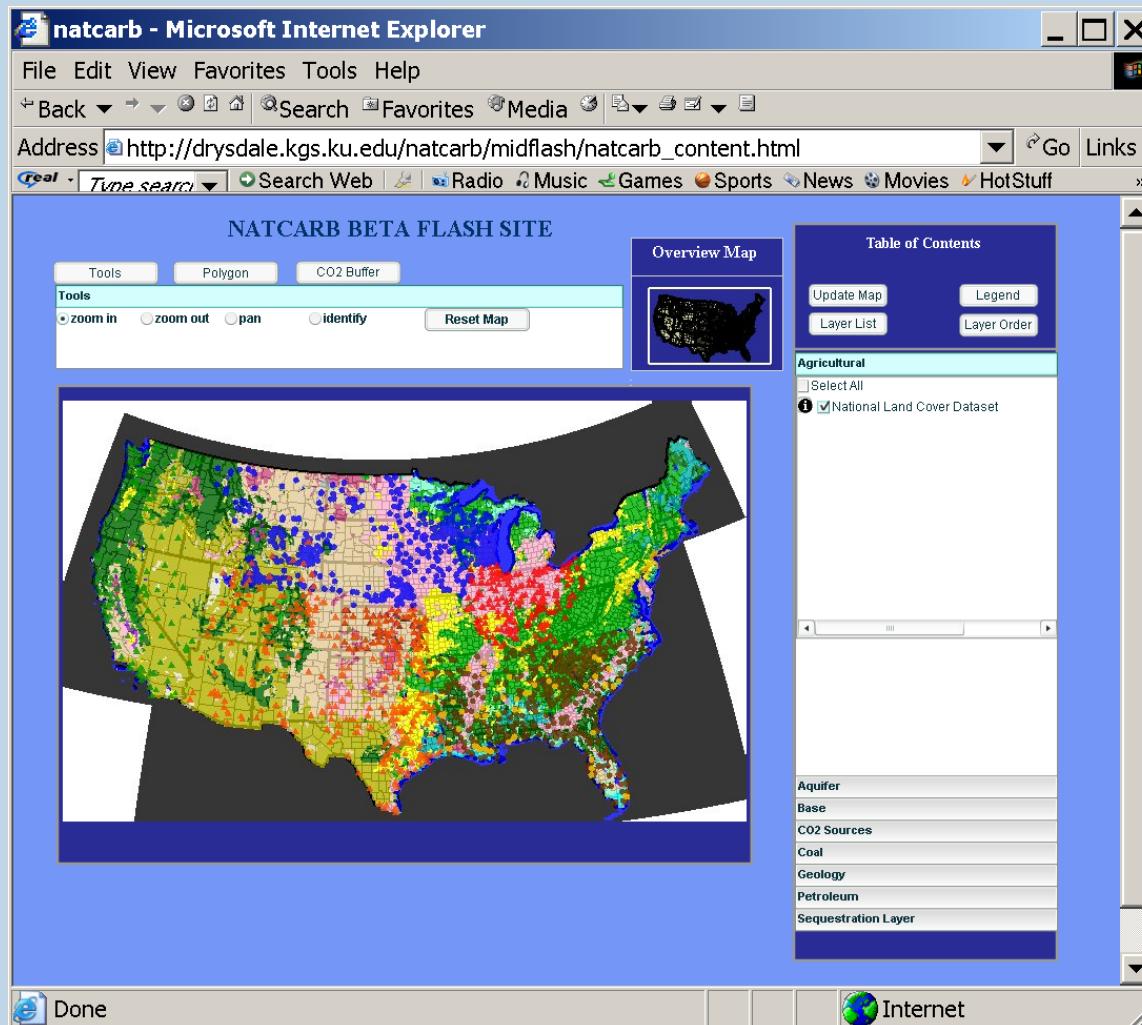
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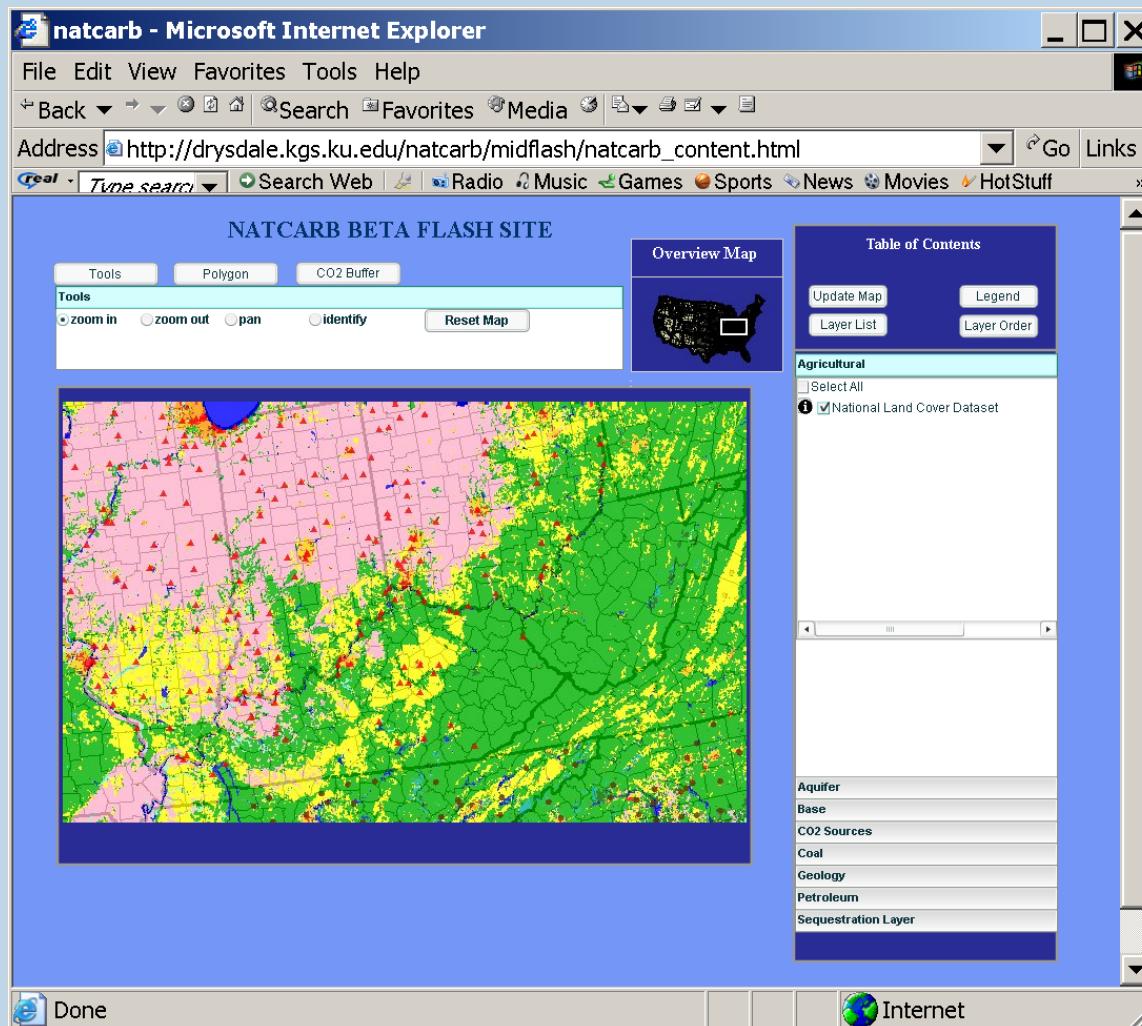
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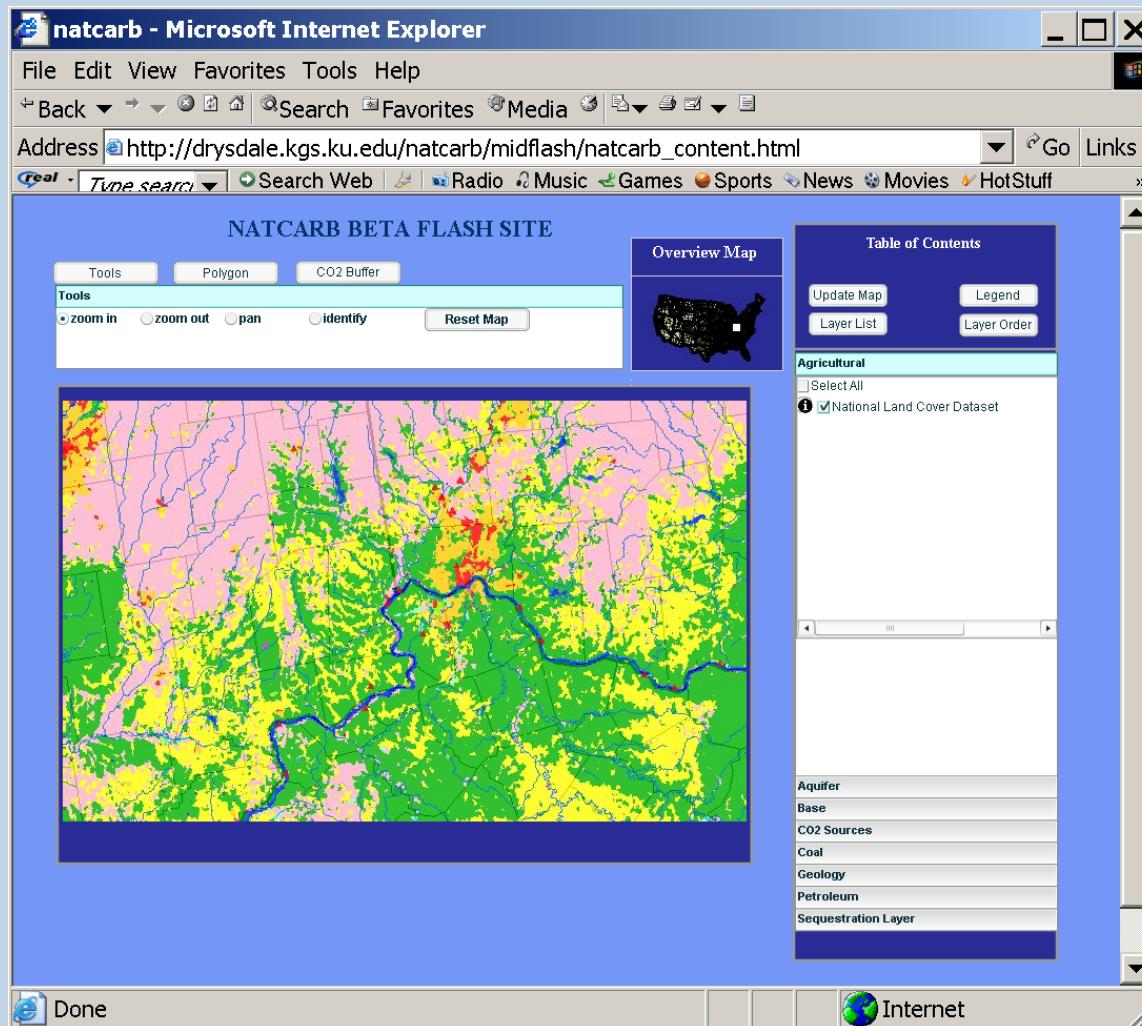
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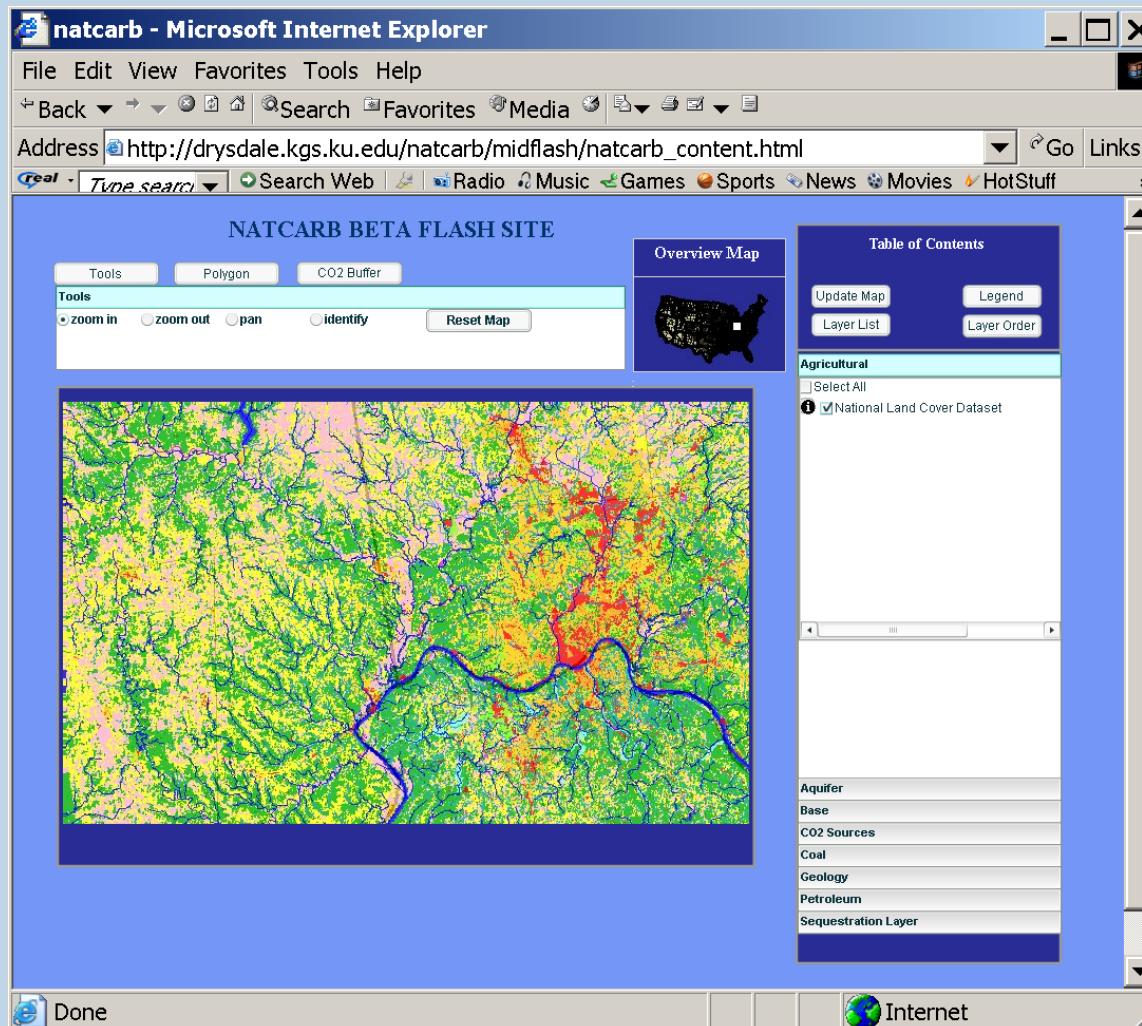
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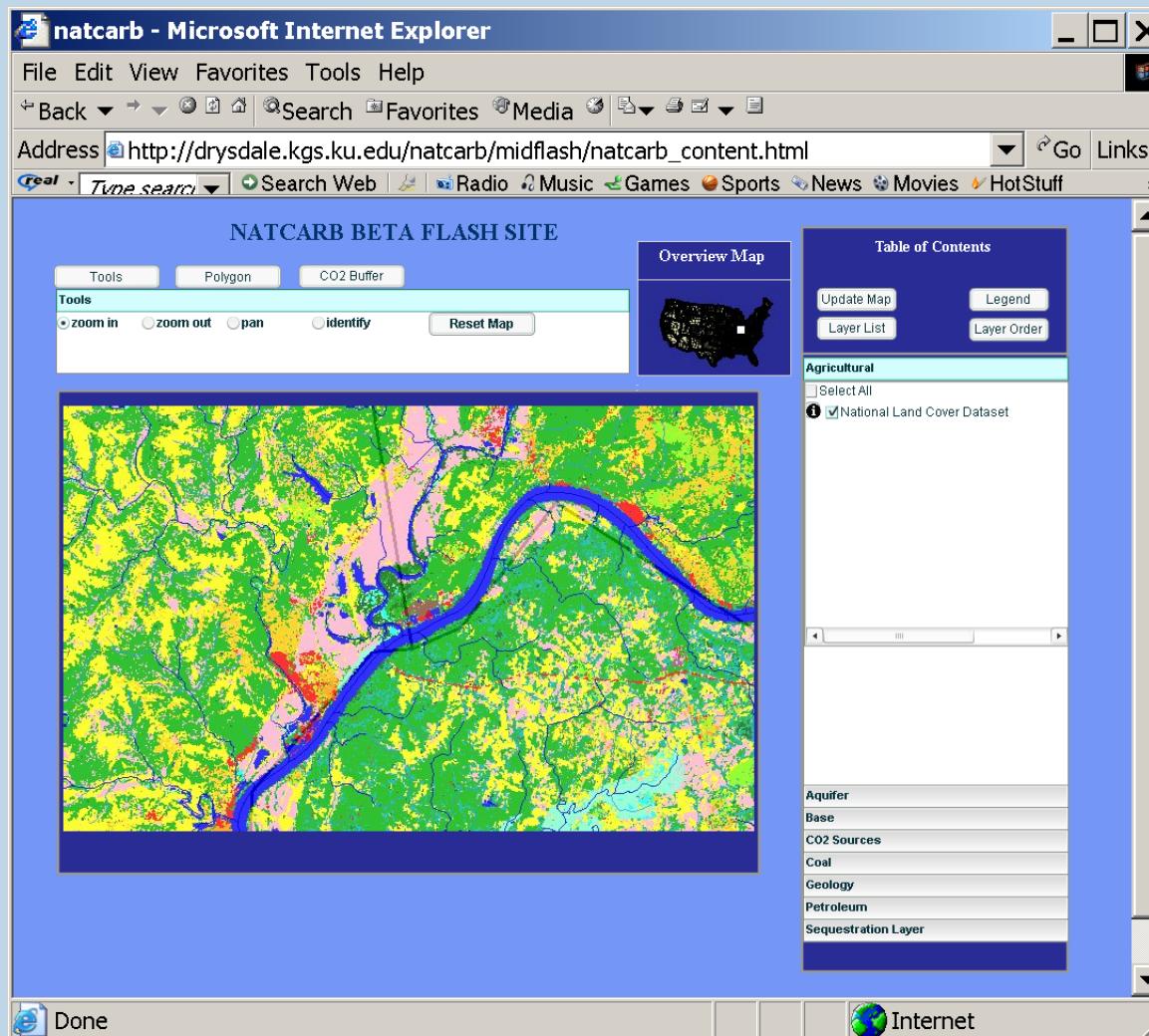
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A screenshot of a Microsoft Internet Explorer browser window titled "natcarb - Microsoft Internet Explorer". The address bar shows the URL http://drysdale.kgs.ku.edu/natcarb/midflash/natcarb_content.html. The main content area displays the "NATCARB BETA FLASH SITE" map. The map shows a geographic area with various land cover types represented by different colors (green, yellow, pink, blue). A prominent blue line, likely representing a CO₂ pipeline or sequestration layer, runs through the center of the map. On the left side of the map interface, there is a toolbar with buttons for "Tools", "Polygon", and "CO₂ Buffer". Below this are buttons for "zoom in", "zoom out", "pan", and "identify", along with a "Reset Map" button. To the right of the map is an "Overview Map" showing the location of the displayed area within the United States. On the far right, there is a "Table of Contents" sidebar with sections for "Agricultural" (which has a checked checkbox for "National Land Cover Dataset"), "Aquifer", "Base", "CO₂ Sources", "Coal", "Geology", "Petroleum", and "Sequestration Layer". The bottom of the browser window shows standard IE controls for "Done", "Stop", "Back", "Forward", and "Home".



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National Sequestration Database

- Tools help answer technical and policy questions.
- Provides tools to access non-spatial data in a spatial way.
 - Emissions analysis for one power plant (identify) or many power plants (select all in a region).
 - Sequestration potential over multiple depths and datasets within a particular region (buffer around a power plant).
- Integrated but Distributed
 - Across Regions
 - Across Data Types



Partners

- DOE
- DOE-EIA
- EPA (Database on Emissions)
- Department of Agriculture
- USGS
- Partnerships
- Industry
- Universities

National Databases - Partnerships can correct, update, enhance and pass corrections back to the source.



Conclusions

- Distributed National Database of Carbon Sequestration
 - National databases and local databases
- Federation of IMS Servers
 - Distribute management
 - Distribute computer resources
 - Distribute metadata
- Intelligent Portal
 - IMS Interoperability
 - Tools that can access/analyze/display distributed data
- Partners
 - Increased synergy and communication

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