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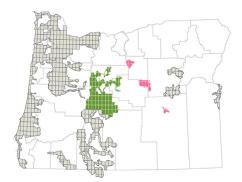
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# Lidar data available for Burns, Deschutes, Ochoco, and Pine Creek areas

Portland, Oregon: The Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries (DOGAMI) is releasing more lidar data in the agency's Lidar Data Quadrangle series. The new publications cover portions of Crook, Deschutes, Grant, Harney, Jefferson, Klamath, Lake, Lane, and Wheeler counties. Lidar, a laser-mapping technology, allows for amazingly detailed and accurate mapping of the earth's surface.



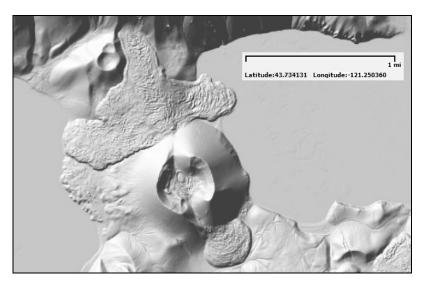
# DOGAMI Lidar Data Quadrangle (LDQ) Series coverage as of 10/26/12.

**Pink** – newly released data for Burns, Pine Creek and Ochoco areas.

**Green** – re-released and new data for the Deschutes area.

**Gray** – previously released LDQ data.

Volcanic cones and flows between Paulina Lake (left) and East Lake (right), in Newberry Crater, southeast of Bend, Oregon.



Imagery of these data can be viewed online along with other lidar coverage for the state by using the DOGAMI lidar data viewer:

http://www.oregongeology.org/sub/lidardataviewer/index.htm

More detailed coverage information is provided in these index map PDFs:

Burns: http://www.oregongeology.org/pubs/ldq/Lidar\_Series\_Index\_Map\_Burns.pdf

Deschutes: <a href="http://www.oregongeology.org/pubs/ldq/Lidar Series Index Map Deschutes 2012.pdf">http://www.oregongeology.org/pubs/ldq/Lidar Series Index Map Deschutes 2012.pdf</a>

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Ochoco: http://www.oregongeology.org/pubs/ldq/Lidar Series Index Map Ochoco.pdf
Pine Creek: http://www.oregongeology.org/pubs/ldq/Lidar Series Index Map Pine Creek.pdf

Under the auspices of the Oregon Lidar Consortium, these lidar data and data products were collected in whole or part through funding provided by the following — Burns: Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA); Deschutes: City of Sisters, the Oregon Watershed Enhancement Board (OWEB) (using Measure 66 Lottery Funds consistent with the purposes of the Oregon Plan for Salmon and Watersheds), Oregon Parks and Recreation Department, Oregon Water Resources Department, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), USDA Forest Service, Natural Resources Conservation Service, and Alta Rock. Data for this release were also donated by Portland General Electric; Ochoco: United States Forest Service; Pine Creek: Portland State University.

Lidar Data Quadrangle (LDQ) series publications are available on DVD and require specialty GIS software to view and use. LDQ series publications can be purchased directly via the web tool, <a href="http://www.oregongeology.org/sub/lidardataviewer/index.htm">http://www.oregongeology.org/sub/lidardataviewer/index.htm</a>, or from the Nature of the Northwest Information Center (NNW), 800 NE Oregon Street, Suite 177, Portland, Oregon, 97232. You may also call NNW at (503) 872-2750 or order online at <a href="http://www.naturenw.org">http://www.naturenw.org</a>. There is a \$4.95 shipping and handling charge for all mailed items. For additional information, please contact the Nature of the Northwest Information Center.

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The Oregon Department of Geology and Mineral Industries is an independent agency of the State and has a broad responsibility in developing an understanding of the state's geologic resources and natural hazards. The Department then makes this information available to communities and individuals to help inform and reduce the risks from natural hazards, such as earthquakes, tsunamis, landslides, floods and volcanic eruptions. The Department assists in the formulation of state policy where an understanding of geologic materials, geologic resources, processes, and hazards is key to decision-making. The Department is also the lead state regulatory agency for mining, oil, gas and geothermal exploration, production and reclamation.

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