

# BOREAS FOREST COVER LAYERS OF THE NSA IN RASTER FORMAT

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### Summary:

This data set was processed by BORIS staff from the original vector data of species, crown closure, cutting class, and site classification/subtype into raster files. The original polygon data were received from Linnet Graphics, the distributor of data for MNR. In the case of the species layer, the percentages of species composition were removed. This reduced the amount of information contained in the species layer of the gridded product, but it was necessary in order to make the gridded product easier to use. The original maps were produced from 1:15,840-scale aerial photography collected in 1988.

A guide document which includes more information about this data set can be found at [http://daac.ornl.gov/daacdata/boreas/STAFF/nsafcovr/comp/NSA\\_Forest\\_Cover.txt](http://daac.ornl.gov/daacdata/boreas/STAFF/nsafcovr/comp/NSA_Forest_Cover.txt).

ORNL DAAC maintains information on the entire [BOREAS Project](#).

### Data Citation

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