



Landsat Update Special Issue

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Landsat 1-5 MSS Collection 1 Level-1 Data Available

Landsat 1-5 Multispectral Scanner (MSS) Collection 1 Level-1 data are now available to download from the USGS Landsat archive. The addition of these data into the collection inventory structure that was first implemented in 2016 ensures a consistent archive of known data quality to support time-series analyses.

The Landsat 1-5 MSS Collection 1 Level-1 dataset is listed on the EarthExplorer (EE) (<https://earthexplorer.usgs.gov>) Data Set tab as illustrated below.

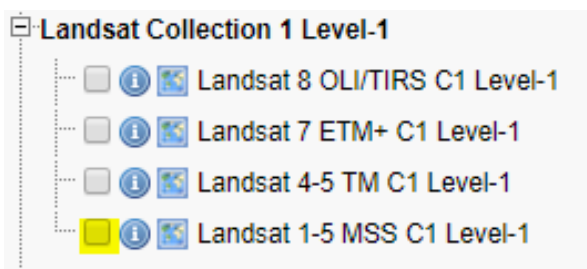


Figure 1. The EarthExplorer Data Set tab illustrates all Landsat Collection 1 Level-1 datasets.

NOTE: The LandsatLook Viewer (<https://landsatlook.usgs.gov>) and GloVis (<https://glovis.usgs.gov>) data portals will now only display MSS Collection 1 Level-1 data.

Landsat MSS Pre-Collection Level-1 data will remain visible in EE for an undetermined amount of time and users are strongly encouraged to transition to the Collection 1 inventory dataset to ensure consistency between all Landsat Collection 1 Level-1 data products.

The Landsat 1-5 MSS Collection 1 webpage (<https://landsat.usgs.gov/landsat-1-5-mss-collection-1>) provides in-depth information about the work done to successfully process Landsat MSS data into the Collection 1 (<https://landsat.usgs.gov/landsat-collections>) archive.

Please contact USGS Customer Services (custserv@usgs.gov) with additional questions about Landsat Collection 1 data.