

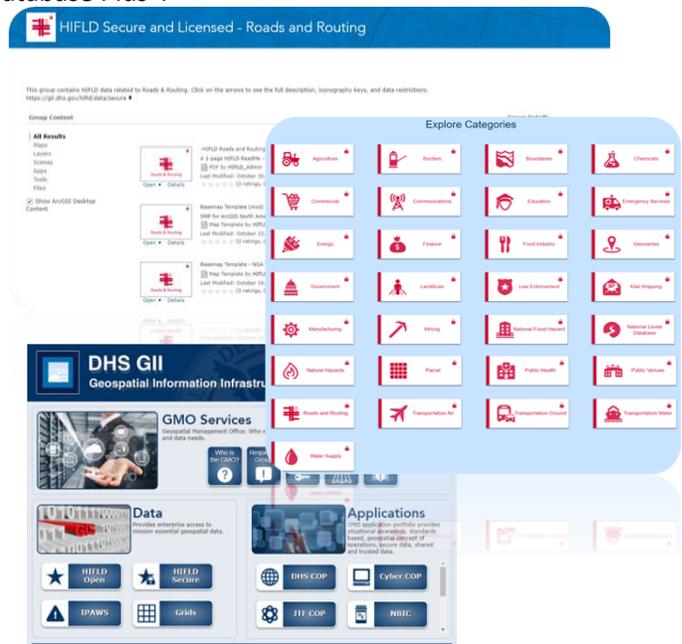


HERE Data

Released in August 2019, the Homeland Infrastructure Foundation-Level Data (HIFLD) Secure & Licensed – Roads and Routing group, hosted on its secure data portal contains a subset of the HERE Geodatabase Plus covering North America and U.S. Territories. Due to file size restrictions, the HIFLD Support Team has split this large delivery into manageable file sizes available for download to the licensed community. As such, this delivery is considered a subset of the available “HERE Geodatabase Plus”.

The North America HERE Geodatabase Plus is designed to work with ArcGIS Desktop. This new database architecture still supports the Find Route tool and the ArcGIS Network Analyst extension. As this subset of the “HERE Geodatabase Plus” consists of the most recent street data (January 2019), users can identify recent points of interest, achieve the highest address geocoding match rates, and generate the best routes and driving directions.

HIFLD Secure Portal is available to any user with Homeland Security Information Network (HSIN) credentials; however, access to HERE Data hosted in HIFLD Secure & Licensed is restricted to HSIN credential holders who have an approved Data Use Agreement (DUA). Please visit the HIFLD website for more information.



What's in HERE Data?

HERE Geodatabase Plus is a rich set of layers which have been uploaded to HIFLD Secure & Licensed to include high-quality Basemap information, valuable Points of Interest (POI), along with Routing and Geocoding functionality.



All HERE related data is stored within the HIFLD Secure & Licensed – Roads and Routing group.

Included with HERE Data:

- Basemap Features – Administrative Areas, Country Areas, Time Zones, Water Areas, Water Features, Land Areas, and Zip Code Areas.
- Points of Interest (POI) – 75 distinct categories of point like Airports, Gas Stations, Home Improvement Stores, and Specialty Stores.
- Streets Network and Locator Files -- Provide a best-of-breed data solution for finding and batch geocoding addresses as well as generating optimal routes for multi-stop itineraries.



Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs)

How are you addressing the quality of HERE Data?

HERE works with private contractors to collect and edit point, line, and polygon geospatial data. The National Geospatial-Intelligence Agency (NGA) receives the data and performs extensive quality assurance and quality control checks before handing the data to the HIFLD Support Team for posting to its secure data portal.

Are you going to provide HERE DVDs?

No new DVDs will be created. Users may download the data and create local copies themselves. Keep in mind that once the data is downloaded, it is no longer up to date. In the case of a Presidentially Declared Disaster (PDD) or other crisis, DVDs or other media may be provided on a limited basis via the HIFLD Support Team (HIFLD@hq.dhs.gov).

How can I gain access to HIFLD Secure and Licensed?

HIFLD Secure and Licensed is restricted to HSIN credential holders who have an approved Data Use Agreement (DUA). To request access to HIFLD Secure and Licensed, log into the HIFLD website using your HSIN credentials (<https://gii.dhs.gov/HIFLD/data/secure>) and click the 'Request Access' button. Access will be granted to only those supporting Homeland Security, Homeland Defense, or Emergency Preparedness on a State or Federal level.

Who does the HIFLD Subcommittee represent?

The HIFLD Subcommittee develops, promotes, and executes a coordinated strategy for acquiring and generating homeland infrastructure geospatial information for Federal agencies through partnerships with State, Local, Tribal, Territorial, and private organizations. HIFLD members represent Federal agencies that need access to national foundation-level geospatial critical infrastructure data to conduct their Homeland Security, Homeland Defense and Emergency Preparedness missions. We welcome new membership, so please contact the HIFLD Support Team (HIFLD@hq.dhs.gov) to join the HIFLD Community.

Is HIFLD Secure the only place to find HERE Data?

HIFLD Secure contains For Official Use Only (FOUO) and licensed data that is available for download on the DHS Geospatial Information Infrastructure (GII) located at <https://gii.dhs.gov>. Please contact the HIFLD Support Team at HIFLD@hq.dhs.gov for more information.

How do you use split files?

Due to file size restrictions, the HIFLD Support Team has split large datasets using a maximum file size of approximately 700MBs. For information on working with split files and additional information about the datasets, please refer to the HIFLD Roads and Routing 2019 GII README document. Please contact the HIFLD Support Team at HIFLD@hq.dhs.gov for additional questions.