

Sample USGS URLs

● *Real-time stream flow:*

<http://wwwdcascr.wr.usgs.gov/Sites/>

Access to current stream flow in California

● *Access USGS—San Francisco Bay and Delta*

<http://sfbay.wr.usgs.gov/>

The SF Bay Ecosystem home page provides access to the current USGS and USGS-collaborated research on the area.

● *BARD—Bay Area Regional Database*

<http://bard.wr.usgs.gov/>

You know that the USGS sells paper maps . . . But did you know that many of these maps are available online? Visit this website to learn about the different formats, and check out the collection of DEMs, DRGs (topos), DOQs, and DLGs.

● *Effects of hydraulic gold mining and dams on Suisun Bay*

<http://sfbay.wr.usgs.gov/access/suisunbay/bathyl/>

Learn more about what effect hydraulic mining and dams have had on Suisun Bay, through this study done on the historic bathymetry (depth) of the Bay.

● *The effect of La Niña on rivers, Spring 2000*

<http://www.usgs.gov/themes/lanina.html>

During this La Niña season, probabilities that the U.S. streamflows from Dec. '99 through July 2000 will be unusually high or low are estimated in this article.

● *SFPORTS—San Francisco Physical Oceanographic Real-Time System*

<http://sfports.wr.usgs.gov/sfports.html>

Real-time data measured around the Bay is delivered to this server and displayed. Examples include wind and tides, currents, 3-D current profiles of the water column, and time-series plots of these data.

● *USGS home page*

<http://www.usgs.gov/>

This is a great starting point to get you on your way to your USGS subject of interest.

● *TerraServer—USGS and Microsoft*

<http://terraserver.microsoft.com/>

Microsoft obtained DOQs, DRGs (topo maps), and satellite imagery from the USGS to create this interactive map of the world. Just click and zoom in on an area of interest, to see the land in wonderful detail.