OVERVIEW OF THE RECORDS

Agency: Land Management Information Center (Minn.).
Series Title: Records.
Abstract: Records documenting the history, organization, and activities of the Land Management Information Center [LMIC], including development and implementation of the Environmental Planning and Programming Language [EPPL] and Minnesota Land Management Information System [MLMIS].
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SCOPE AND CONTENTS OF THE RECORDS

The records are divided into two sections: published items that were originally made available for sale to the public by LMIC in 1978 (as listed in the Land Management Information Center State Planning Agency List of Publications) and materials either not available for sale in 1978 (though many were later published or made available to the public) or supporting data for projects, including early computer tabulations, research notes, and how-to booklets.

The published materials (1969-1981) are organized in the order and categories delineated in the publications list and include maps, reports, manuals, technical reports, related papers, and theses. All relate in some way to projects and studies relating to or produced by LMIC. A few contain later dated versions of listed items. The remainder of the files (1970-2001) are arranged chronologically.

The majority of the materials document various aspects of land use in the state, including water management, land development, laws, wildlife habitat and natural resources management, mapping, development and use of EPPL and the MLMIS, farmland, recreational areas, history of GIS in the state and LMIC, and population studies.
INDEX TERMS

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Topics:
Conservation of natural resources—Minnesota.
Demographic surveys—Minnesota.
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Land use, Rural—Minnesota.
Land use—Minnesota.
Mapping.
Natural resources—Information services—Minnesota.
Natural resources—Minnesota—Management.
Public lands—Minnesota.
Real estate development—Minnesota.
Recreational areas—Minnesota.
Watershed management—Minnesota.
Wildlife conservation—Minnesota.

Organizations:
Minnesota. Dept. of Administration.
Minnesota Land Management Information System.
Minnesota State Planning Agency.
University of Minnesota. Center for Urban and Regional Affairs.

Types of Documents:
Manuals (Instructional materials).
Maps—Minnesota.
Technical reports.

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*1978 Land Management Information Center State Planning Agency List of Publications.*

Maps.

Maps produced by LMIC projects or project participants.


Maps and Atlases.

Maps produced by LMIC projects or project participants.


Reports.

Studies produced by LMIC, which have the attributes of a statewide or regional project.

1008. System for Water Information Management Catalog, Information and Resources, [ca. 1972].
Location | Box   | Manuals.
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Technical Reports.
Data-specific guides created to allow users to replicate findings by carrying out same coding procedures.

Related Papers.
Reports and papers that are not central to a project itself, but add to the general understanding of the project or its participants.
5012. Wildlife Habitat Change and Seasonal Cultivation, 1975.
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Land Classification Program, 1970.
Applications.

Minnesota Comprehensive Land Use/Surface Cover Classification, 1970.
Applications.

Land Use Prototype Study, Empire Township, Dakota County Minnesota, 1970.
Applications.

State Land Inventory Pilot Study, 1970.
Applications.

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Applications.


Technical reports.

Muscatawuck Technical and Planning Reports, 1972. 4 folders.

Report to the University of Wisconsin on the Recreational Impact Area Around the Voyageurs National Park, the BWCA and the Isle Royal National Park and Grand Portage, 1972.
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- Forestry Case Using MLMIS, 1974.
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- Common Zoning Classification System, 1975.
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- Water Information System Catalog, 1975.
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The Role and Cooperation of Public Agencies in Natural Resources Inventory and Analysis, 1975.  
Applications.  
EPPL Overview, 1975.  
Technical reports.  
MLMIS Correspondence, Policy Review Committee Minutes and Census Notes, 1975-1981.  
Overview.  
Land Use Case Study Packet, [ca. 1976].  
Applications.  
Applications.  
Correspondence and Multi-Project Research Assessment, 1976.  
Technical reports.  
MLMIS Program Documentation, 1976.  
Technical reports.  
Roseau County Analysis Variable Creation, 1976.  
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EPPL Usership Study, 1976.  2 folders.  
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Community Soil Information Project, City of Medina, Minnesota, 1978.
Applications.

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Applications.

LMIC Newsletters and System Notes, 1979-1987.  2 folders.
Technical reports.


Autopilot Training Information and Exercises, 1980.
Technical reports.

Stearns County Solid Waste Study, 1980.
State Planning State Fair Exhibit, 1980.
Catalog of Water Data Sources in Minnesota, 1981.
LMIC Computer Services and Products, 1982.
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