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The Potash & Phosphate Institute (PPI) is implementing GIS in many ways within its organization including the management of its worldwide research efforts. PPI uses ArcGIS to map its research projects. Using ArcIMS and ArcSDE, PPI has begun to share its research maps via the internet adding efficiency to internal communications about projects and building exposure outside the Institute regarding the scope and detail of research projects. This presentation focuses on the end results and how they are used internally and with others; it also tells the story of how PPI is adapting GIS technology into its business functions.

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