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# **Under the Hood of the Esri Hydro Viewer**

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# Presentation Outline

- **Hydro Basemap: multi-scale web map**
  - Value: Reference map
- **Web Mapping Application: Hydro Viewer**
  - Adds functionality to the map



# Hydro Basemap

- Hydro Reference Overlay
  - Hydro-centric reference map built to support operational hydro data layers for medium- and regional-scale analyses.
  - Cached, multi-scale web map
  - Uses NHD and NHDPlus data
  - Reference layer just like the World Topo Map
- World Terrain Base
- Hydro Basemap
  - built with rich and complex NHD dataset



# Hydro Basemap

- What is it used for?
  - Reference map for hydro related projects, maps and applications
- How to use it?
  - ArcGIS.com
  - Web Mapping Application



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## Hydro Basemap

Hydro Reference Overlay with Terrain Base  
Web Map by [coscopel](#) (last modified: May 23, 2011)  
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### Description

The Hydro Basemap is a multi-scale web map comprised of the [Hydro Reference Overlay](#) cached map service and the [World Terrain Basemap](#) from ArcGIS Online. The two combine to make the Hydro Basemap of the United States for 147M to 18K scales.

The Hydro Basemap is a hydrography-centric web map created with the following:

Hydro features:

- [NHDPlus](#) Flowlines, which contain mean annual flow values,
- NHD Hydrographic Units,
- NHD Waterbodies,
- NHD Areas, and
- Dams

Reference features:

- TeleAtlas administrative boundaries,
- U.S. Census cities,
- TeleAtlas streets, and
- TeleAtlas airports

The map was designed to highlight hydrography in context with less prominent reference information.

It is a basemap for online hydro mapping applications OR as a basemap in ArcGIS Desktop projects

# Esri Hydro Viewer

- **Why create the viewer?**
  - Showcase the maps
  - User interaction
  - Easy navigation
  - Visualize the data
  - User interface
- **What's the big deal?**
  - Adds value to the basemap
  - Turns the map from a static object into an interactive information center
- [Demo](#)



# Esri Hydro Viewer

- **Application architecture**
  - Javascript API
  - Dojo, Sencha/ExtJS toolkits
  - Google Charts
- **4 map services**
  - Reference
  - Terrain
  - Overview
  - HUC query



Query

# Esri Hydro Viewer

- Widgets
  - Overview map
    - How to add overview map that is different from base map



```
var overviewLayer = new esri.layers.ArcGISTiledMapServiceLayer(overviewUrl, {visible:false});  
var terrainLayer = new esri.layers.ArcGISTiledMapServiceLayer(terrainUrl);  
var referenceLayer = new esri.layers.ArcGISTiledMapServiceLayer(referenceUrl);
```

```
map.addLayers([overviewLayer, terrainLayer, referenceLayer]);
```

```
dojo.connect(map, 'onLayersAddResult', function(results) {  
  overviewMapDijit = new esri.dijit.OverviewMap({ map: map, opacity: 0.2, expandFactor: 0.8 }, dojo.byId("overview-control"));  
  overviewMapDijit.startup();  
});
```

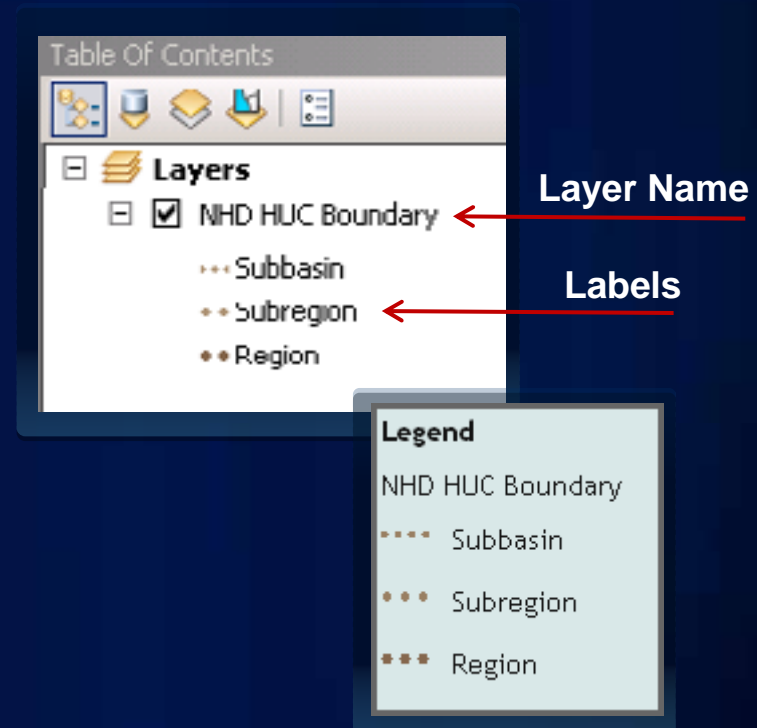
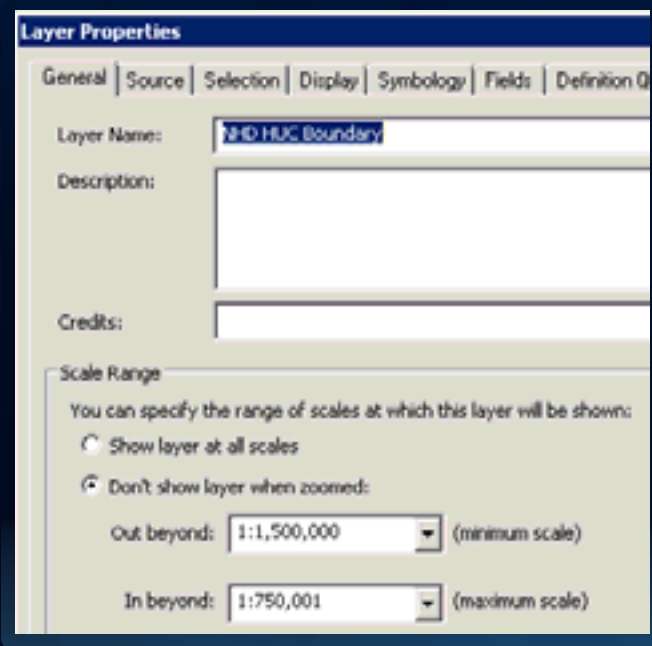
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- **Widgets**
  - Overview map
    - **Design**
      - **Layers**
        - **Scale dependencies**
      - **Color Scheme**



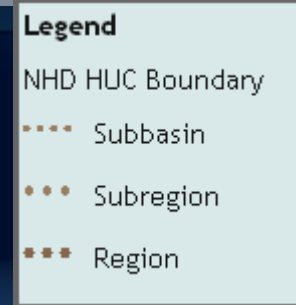
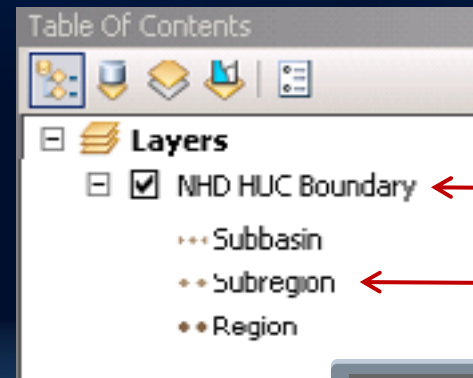
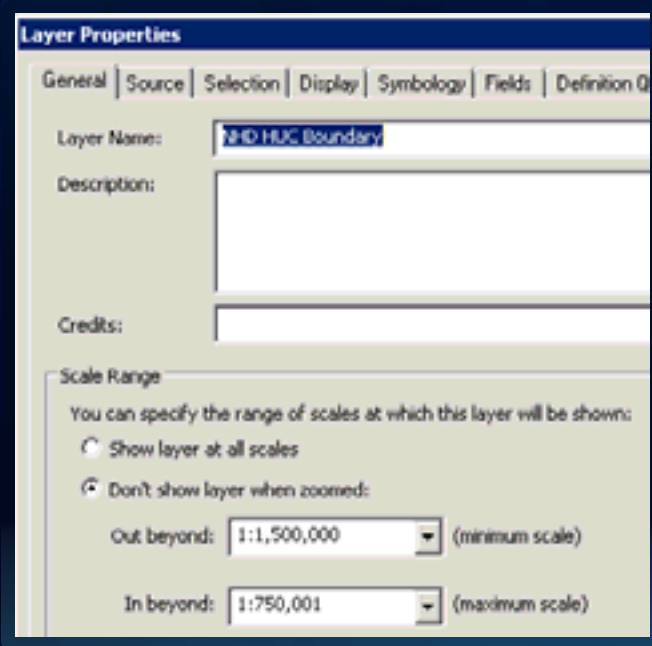
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- Widgets
  - Legend
  - How to format in ArcMap



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```
var legend = new esri.dijit.Legend({  
  map:map,  
  layerInfos:[{layer:referenceLayer,title:"Legend"}],  
  arrangement:esri.dijit.Legend.ALIGN_LEFT,  
},"legendDiv");  
legend.startup();
```

# Esri Hydro Viewer

- Search functionality
  - Bing Maps key with ArcGIS Server

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## Bing Maps Key

View the Bing Maps Key that your GIS server has been authorized with.

[View Bing Maps Key](#)

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```
veTileLayer = new esri.virtualearth.VETiledLayer({  
  bingMapsKey: 'An6SgqsInViLijKakhLhIfdFzEPkluv_HRoW0fqXBekZVd19bgtoVedIs0vnT6jF',  
  mapStyle: esri.virtualearth.VETiledLayer_MAP_STYLE_AERIAL  
});  
map.addLayer(veTileLayer);  
veTileLayer.hide();  
  
veGeocoder = new esri.virtualearth.VEGeocoder({  
  bingMapsKey: 'An6SgqsInViLijKakhLhIfdFzEPkluv_HRoW0fqXBekZVd19bgtoVedIs0vnT6jF'  
});
```

# Esri Hydro Viewer

- Map interaction
  - Navigate scale levels
  - Click for unit report
    - Information in static window, not InfoWindow
  - Highlight selected unit AND larger unit



# Esri Hydro Viewer

- **Map interaction**
  - Query by attribute, not by spatial relationship

## Click on map

- Execute Query 1
- Highlight unit

## End of Query 1

- Execute Query 2
- Highlight larger unit



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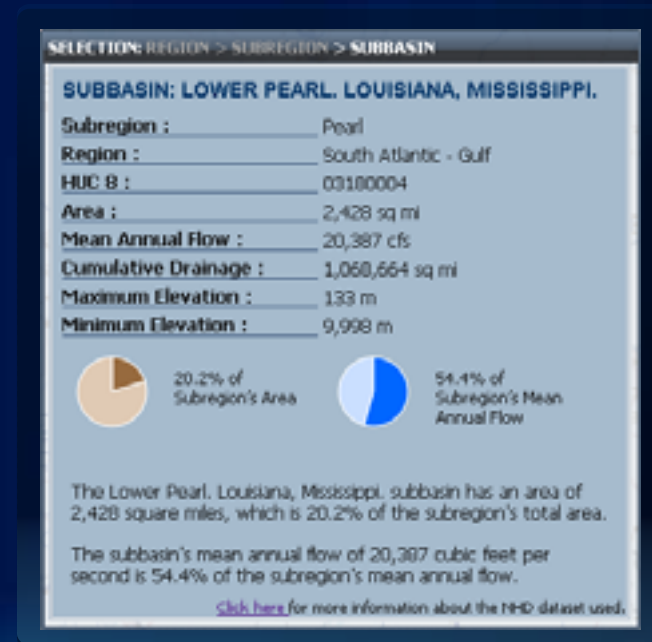
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```
showLargerArea(attr.BasinName, 'subregion');
```

```
function showLargerArea(area, areaType) {  
  
    if (areaType=='region') {  
        queryTask2 = new esri.tasks.QueryTask("http://hydro_bm.esri.com/ArcGIS/rest/services/Hydro/HUCS_QueryService/MapServer/5");  
        query2 = new esri.tasks.Query();  
        query2.returnGeometry = true;  
        query2.outFields = ["FIRST_RegionName"];  
        query2.where = "FIRST_RegionName = " + "'" + area + "'";  
    }  
  
    if (areaType=='subregion') {  
        queryTask2 = new esri.tasks.QueryTask("http://hydro_bm.esri.com/ArcGIS/rest/services/Hydro/HUCS_QueryService/MapServer/3");  
        query2 = new esri.tasks.Query();  
        query2.returnGeometry = true;  
        query2.outFields = ["FIRST_BasinName"];  
        query2.where = "FIRST_BasinName = " + "'" + area + "'";  
    }  
    queryTask2.execute(query2, function(fset) {  
        showFeature2(fset.features[0], areaType);  
    });  
}
```

# Esri Hydro Viewer

- Reporting the data
  - Report tailored to each scale
    - Multi-scale map = Multi-scale data
  - Make numbers meaningful
  - Visualize the information
  - Contextualize the information



# Esri Hydro Viewer

- Reporting the data
  - Google Charts

```
var data1 = new google.visualization.DataTable();
data1.addColumn('string', 'Unit');
data1.addColumn('number', '% of Subbasin's Area');
data1.addRows(2);
data1.setValue(0, 0, 'Subbasin');
data1.setValue(0, 1, subbasinArea);
data1.setValue(1, 0, 'Other');
data1.setValue(1, 1, 100-subbasinArea);
```

```
var chart1 = new google.visualization.PieChart(dojo.byId('chart_div1'));
chart1.draw(data1, {backgroundColor: '#A6B8CD', width: 75, height: 75,
chartArea:{left:10,top:10}, pieSliceText:'none', colors:['#976A3E','#E0CAB4'],
legend:'none', fontSize: 9});
```

SELECTION: REGION > SUBREGION > SUBBASIN

## SUBBASIN: LOWER PEARL, LOUISIANA, MISSISSIPPI.

Subregion :	Pearl
Region :	South Atlantic - Gulf
HUC 8 :	03100004
Area :	2,428 sq mi
Mean Annual Flow :	20,387 cfs
Cumulative Drainage :	1,060,664 sq mi
Maximum Elevation :	133 m
Minimum Elevation :	9,998 m



The Lower Pearl, Louisiana, Mississippi, subbasin has an area of 2,428 square miles, which is 20.2% of the subregion's total area.

The subbasin's mean annual flow of 20,387 cubic feet per second is 54.4% of the subregion's mean annual flow.

[Click here](#) for more information about the NHD dataset used.

# Esri Hydro Viewer

- Packaging the app
  - Interface complements the map
    - Color scheme
  - 'Brand' the interface to your organization

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## Where to find the Hydro Viewer

- **ArcGIS.com**
- **Hydro Resource Center – Map/App Gallery**
- **ArcGIS Javascript API Gallery**
- **Template**

# Thanks for attending!

## Resources:

- Mapping Center
  - <http://mappingcenter.esri.com>
- Hydro Resource Center
  - <http://resources.esri.com/hydro/>
- ArcGIS Javascript API Resource Center
  - <http://help.arcgis.com/en/webapi/javascript/arcgis/>
- Hydro Viewer Application
  - [http://hydro\\_bm.esri.com/HydroViewer/HydroViewer.html](http://hydro_bm.esri.com/HydroViewer/HydroViewer.html)