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Using ArcIMS to Facilitate Decisions by the Farm Management Team

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Farm management decisions are best when they incorporate the views of specialists from many areas. But a problem exists in sharing data among those involved in the decision-making process. ArcIMS has proven useful in sharing datasets and providing a mechanism for discussion of an optimum farm management strategy. Using ArcIMS in the decision-making process allows farmers and their advisers to make more efficient use of inputs in crop production lessening environmental impact and strengthening the farmer's bottom line.

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