NSW Foundation Spatial Data Framework: Administrative Boundaries Theme



Dataset/ product title: Parish

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Dataset/product description	Parish depicts the boundaries of 7,377 areas formed by the division of 141 counties. It is a polygon feature class within the NSW Digital Cadastral Database (DCDB). Parishes are divided into separately disposable parcels called 'portions', these being the common basic units of land disposed of by the Crown. Other basic units are allotments in Government Towns and Villages.
Dataset uses	 Administrative boundaries data underpins the economic, social and environmental fabric of NSW and is used, amongst other things, to: secure tenure for access to capital define allowable use of land manage native title, nature conservation, heritage protection, defence, and disaster management improve infrastructure and property development planning.

Current status	The Parish is a historical layer and the information was gathered from original paper maps which were held by Spatial Services. They can however be updated (if necessary) after a manual title inspection.
	The Parish dataset is up to date and complete state wide.
	Coincidence with the cadastral fabric is maintained where required and the spatial accuracy of the Parish dataset reflects that of the cadastral fabric.
	The attributes 'create date' and 'modified date' provide information on the features' temporal accuracy. There is no overall accuracy reported in the database. Any changes that occur to the dataset should have a reference in the authority of reference feature class in the DCDB.
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Metadata	Parish Boundary
Updates	The dataset is complete. Updates are rare.
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