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1 Introduction

1.1 Scope

The Sensor Independent Derived Data (SIDD) format is designed to store Synthetic Aperture Radar (SAR) derived image products and associated metadata that is grouped around common tasks for downstream users. This document, the SIDD Design and Exploitation Documentation (D&E), provides specifications for these common tasks which are designed to support basic exploitation, geographic measurements, exploitation, and proper visual display. Additionally, this document specifies the SIDD supported coordinate systems and product image pixel arrays.

This document covers the following:

- Image pixel array definition
- Coordinate systems
- Primitive data types
- Extensible Markup Language (XML) schema definition
- Product metadata definitions
- Coordinate mapping models
- Display guidance

1.2 Capabilities & Limitations

The SIDD format is intended for image products only. Future revisions of the SIDD format may be expanded to other products. SIDD products are not required to be built from SICD inputs, but if they are, they will contain the SICD input product XML metadata. The SIDD metadata is intended to, but not limited to, support the following:

- Exploitation tool display
- Geographic measurements
- Library ingest & search

1.2.1 Future Considerations

The SIDD product format defined in this document will be updated in the future to potentially support the items below and other items that have not been considered.

- Annotations
- Compressed products
- Other pixel types (32-bit magnitude)
- SICD & SIDD common schema types
- New grid types

1.3 Container File Formats

SIDD products can be packaged within NITF 2.1 or GeoTIFF 1.0 file containers. The SIDD File Format Description Document provides the full details on the SIDD file container formats and is referenced in Table 1-1Table 1-1.

1.4 Sensor Specific Product Profiles

Each product/system has its own specifications and requirements for metadata. In order to meet these specifications, a set of metadata parameters is selected from the available SIDD metadata parameters. These parameters are referred to as the sensor-specific product profile and are contained in SIDD profile implementation documents.

1.5 Applicable Documents

The SIDD product design and implementation descriptions are contained in this and several other documents. The set of additional SIDD documents is listed in <u>Table 1-1 Table 1-1</u>.

Title Version Date

Sensor Independent Derived Data File Format Description Document 0.1 30-Oct-09

Sensor Independent Derived Data XML schema 0.1 4-Aug-09 30-Oct-09

SICD Image Projections Draft 17-July-09

The SIDD product design relies, when available, on the SICD product design. The set of documents that describes the SICD product design is included in <u>Table 1-2Table 1-2</u>.

Table 1-2 SICD Design Documentation		
Title	Version	Date
Sensor Independent Complex Data Design & Exploitation Description Document	0.3	17-Mar-09
Sensor Independent Complex Data File Format Description Document		30-Sep-08
Sensor Independent Complex Data XML schema	0.3.1	17-Mar-09

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A listing of other documents referenced by the D&E document is included in <u>Table 1-3Table 1-3</u>.

Table 1-3 Other Applicable Documentation		
Title	Version	Date
Softcopy Image Processing Standard		11-Jun-08

2 SIDD Image Pixel Array

The purpose of this section is to define the SIDD image pixel array, which is specified by the following items:

- Supported Pixel Types
- Visual Pixel Grid Layout
- Coordinate System

2.1 Supported Pixel Types

An image stored in the SIDD format may be represented as monochrome (8- or 16-bit), indexed color ("pseudo-color"), or 24-bit color. If the image is 8-bit monochrome or indexed color, the array will consist of byte values, each in the range of 0-255. For 16-bit data the array will contain two bytes representing integer magnitude. For 24-bit data, each pixel will have three byte values in the range of 0-255, where the first byte indicates the red value, the second byte indicates the green value, and the third byte indicates the blue value.

In an indexed color pixel array, each byte represents an index into the color palette lookup table, rather than the actual pixel value. The lookup table contains a set of 256 triplet entries representing the red, green and blue values for a pixel, respectively.

8-bit monochrome data may also have a 256-entry lookup table mapping the byte into an output space that is between 8-bits and 16-bits.

2.2 Visual Pixel Grid Layout

The SIDD grid is defined in terms of rows and columns. The origin is zero-based and starts in the upper left corner. Movement toward the bottom of the image is defined to be in the increasing row direction and movement toward the right of the image is defined to be in the increasing column direction as shown in Figure 2-1 and Figure 2-2.

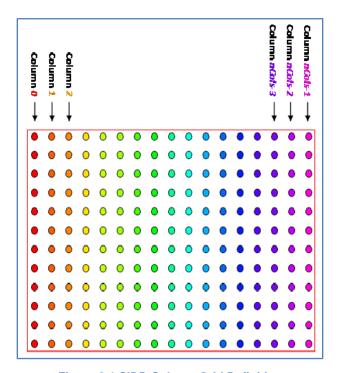


Figure 2-1 SIDD Column Grid Definition

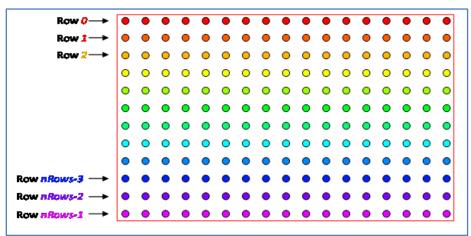


Figure 2-2 SIDD Row Grid Definition

2.3 Coordinate System

SIDD provides projection options for display of pixel amplitude data to three distinct representations: a Planar Gridded Display (PGD), Geodetic Gridded Display (GGD), and Cylindrical Gridded Display (CGD). These coordinate system layouts are intended for products which preserve the imaging geometry's layover. Furthermore, the grid layouts utilize constant sample spacing with respect to the underlying coordinate system; however, the row and column sample spacing can be unequal. The tables below provide variable definitions related to describing the PGD, GGD, and CGD coordinate systems.

Table 2-1 Coordinate System Pixel Grid Variables			
Variable Definition	Definition	Units	
nRows	Number of rows in SIDD product image	Pixels	
nCols	Number of columns in SIDD product image	Pixels	
P _{PGD}	Vector in ECEF coordinate system. Also sometimes shown as (X_0,Y_0,Z_0) . Reference point for the PGD grid type.	Meters	
R _{PGD}	Unit vector defining the increasing visual row direction in the ECEF coordinate system	Unitless	
C _{PGD}	Unit vector defining the increasing visual column direction in the ECEF coordinate system	Unitless	
Z _{PGD}	Unit vector in the ECEF coordinate system orthogonal to \mathbf{R}_{EGD} and \mathbf{C}_{EGD} , pointing out of the earth.	Unitless	
$\Delta_{\rm r}$	Row pixel sample spacing	Meters/Pixel – EGD Meters/Pixel - CGD Arcsec/Pixel – GGD	
$\Delta_{ m c}$	Column pixel sample spacing	Meters/Pixel – EGD Meters/Pixel - CGD Arcsec/Pixel – GGD	
r _o	Image grid row position corresponding to the scene center point	Pixels	
C _o	Image grid column position corresponding to the scene center point	Pixels	
P _{ECEF}	Vector defining an arbitrary position in the ECEF coordinate system	Meters	
r	Arbitrary row position in an image	Pixels	
С	Arbitrary column position in an image	Pixels	
λ	Longitude	Decimal Degrees	
φ	Latitude	Decimal Degrees	
h	Height above ellipsoid	Meters	

Table 2-1 Coordinate System Pixel Grid Variables			
Variable Definition	Definition	Units	
P _{GGD}	Reference point in a GGD pixel grid. Also referred to as $\{\phi_0, \lambda_0, h_0\}$.	See λ , ϕ , and h	
а	WGS-84 semi-major axis = 6378137 meters	Meters	
b	WGS-84 semi-minor axis = 6356752.31424518 meters	Meters	
f	WGS-84 flattening factor = 1/298.257223563	Unitless	
e ₁	First eccentricity = $\sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}}$	Unitless	
e ₂	Second eccentricity = $\sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{b^2}}$	Unitless	
R _c	Radius of curvature = $\frac{a}{\sqrt{1 - e_1^2 \sin^2 \varphi}}$	Meters	
P _{CGD}	Vector in ECEF coordinate system. Also sometimes shown as $(X_{CGD}, Y_{CGD}, Z_{CGD})$. Reference point for the CGD grid type.	Meters	
R _{CGD}	Unit vector defining the increasing visual row direction for the CGD grid type	Unitless	
C _{CGD}	Unit vector defining the increasing visual column direction for the CGD grid type	Unitless	
S _{CGD}	Unit vector defining the along stripmap direction in the ECEF coordinate system	Unitless	
R_S	Radius used for the CGD projections	Meters	

2.4 ECEF Coordinate System Definition

The origin of the ECEF coordinate system is at the center of mass of the Earth. The Z axis intersects the International Earth Rotation Service (IERS) Reference Pole. The X-axis intersects the IERS Reference Meridian and the plane passing through the origin and normal to the Z-axis. The Y-axis completes a right-handed Cartesian coordinate system.. The representation of the ECEF coordinate system is shown in Figure 2-3.

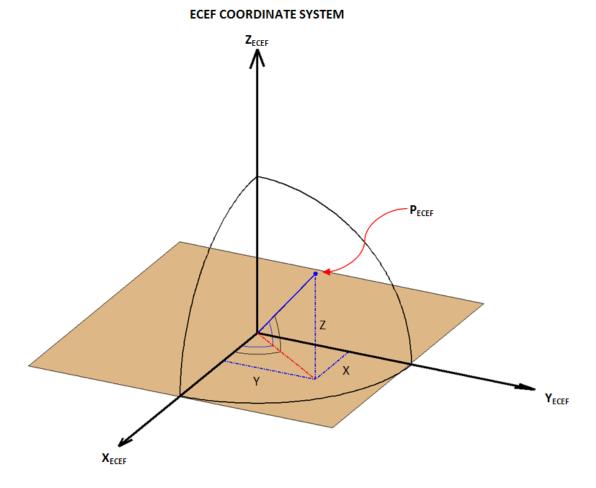


Figure 2-3 ECEF Coordinate System

2.5 Planar Gridded Display

The Planar Gridded Display, PGD, represents a row/column image sampled in a plane with constant sample spacing in the ECEF coordinate system. It is fully defined by an ECEF reference point, \mathbf{P}_{PGD} , and a vector normal to the plane, \mathbf{Z}_{PGD} . The two in-plane vectors define movement in the increasing row direction, \mathbf{R}_{PGD} , and the increasing column direction, \mathbf{C}_{PGD} , and are orthogonal. The in-plane vector relationship to the grid layout is shown in Figure 2-4.

The row and column sample spacing, Δ_r and Δ_c respectively, define the relationship between PGD pixel space and physical linear measurements in meters. \mathbf{P}_{PGD} is the PGD reference point associated with the row and column, r_0 and c_0 .

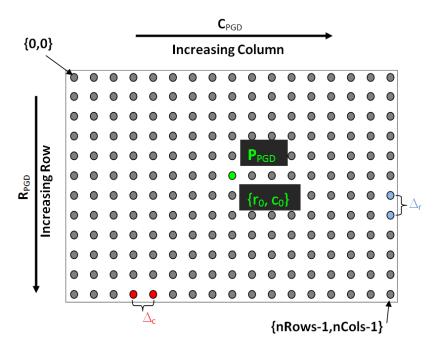


Figure 2-4 PGD Gridded Display

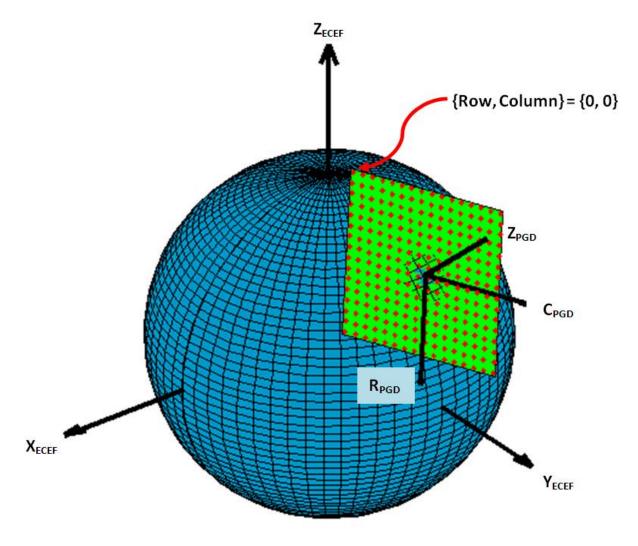


Figure 2-5 PGD Example

2.6 Geodetic Coordinate System Definition

The geodetic coordinate system is based on latitude, longitude, and height above an ellipsoid and an ellipsoid model. The ellipsoid model used for the SIDD is the WGS-84 ellipsoid model. The equator and prime meridian define the zero values for latitude and longitude, respectively. Geodetic latitude is the angle between the equatorial plane and a line that is normal to the reference ellipsoid.

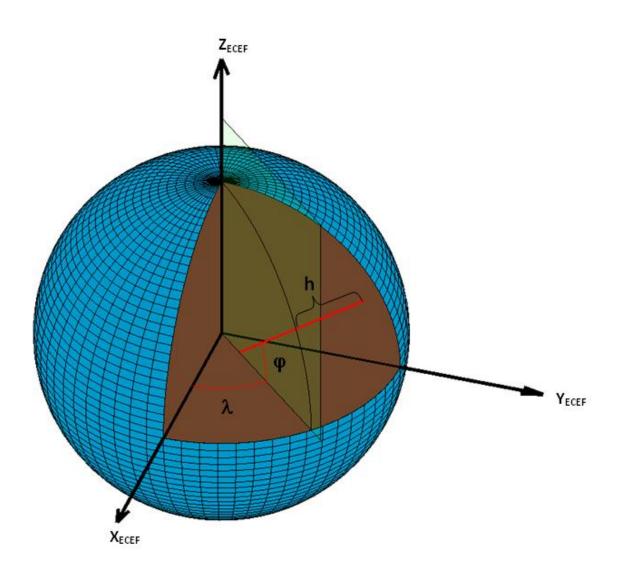


Figure 2-6 Geodetic Coordinate System

2.7 Geodetic Gridded Display

The Geodetic Gridded Display, GGD is a row/column image coordinate system (see Figure 2-7) and an associated set of Geodetic coordinates, which are expressed by latitude, longitude, and height (see Figure 2-8). It is fully defined by a geodetic reference point, \mathbf{P}_{GGD} , and an ellipsoid model (WGS-84). Increasing rows represent movement in decreasing latitude, while increasing columns represent movement in increasing longitude. Each image coordinate is thus directly associated with a geodetic latitude and longitude.

The row and column sample spacing, Δ_r and Δ_c respectively, define the relationship between GGD pixel space and angular measurements, e.g. arc seconds. Associated with the geodetic reference point, \mathbf{P}_{GGD} , is a GGD row and column, r_0 and c_0 . Note that the sampling of an object within a GGD product increases with the absolute value of latitude; this causes objects to appear larger toward the poles.

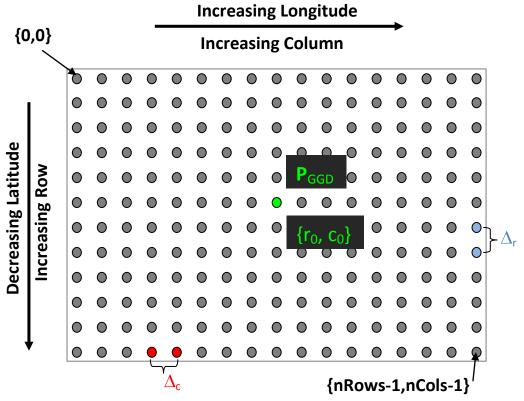


Figure 2-7 Geodetic Gridded Display

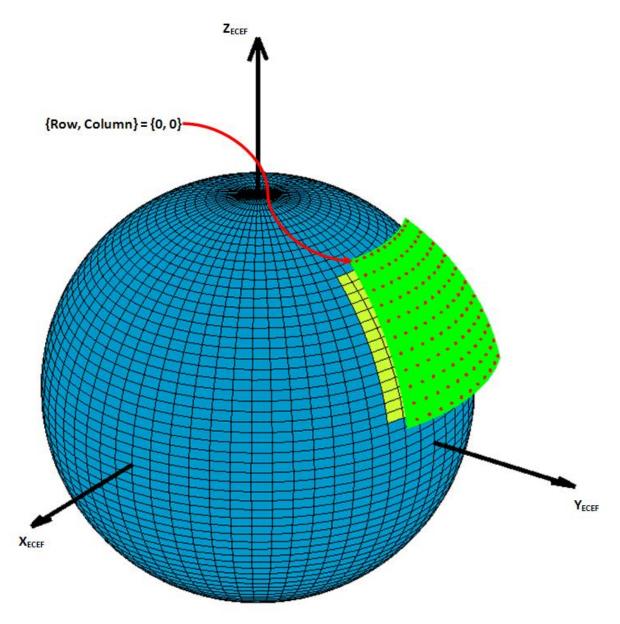


Figure 2-8 GGD Example

2.8 Cylindrical Gridded Display (CGD)

The Cylindrical Gridded Display represents an image sampled on a cylindrical surface. This grid type is useful when the imaging mode is (dynamic) stripmap and mapping on the PGD would result in large image distortions. The cylinder's axis is parallel to the cross-stripmap direction and the cylinder's radius is designed to match an inflated WGS-84 ellipsoid. Note that this inflated ellipsoid is only used to determine the cylinder's radius, the pixels themselves do not lie along an inflated ellipsoid.

The CGD is fully defined by a CGD reference point, \mathbf{P}_{CGD} , a cylinder radius, \mathbf{R}_{s} , and the along stripmap direction, \mathbf{S}_{CGD} . If no cylinder radius is supplied, then a radius determined by an inflated ellipsoid is computed. The row and column sample spacing, Δ_{r} and Δ_{c} respectively, define the relationship between CGD pixel space and linear distance, e.g. meters. Unlike the PGD, where \mathbf{R}_{PGD} and \mathbf{C}_{PGD} are allowed to be in any orientation, the CGD basis vectors are constrained to one orientation; \mathbf{R}_{CGD} is aligned in the cross stripmap direction and \mathbf{C}_{CGD} is in the along stripmap direction.

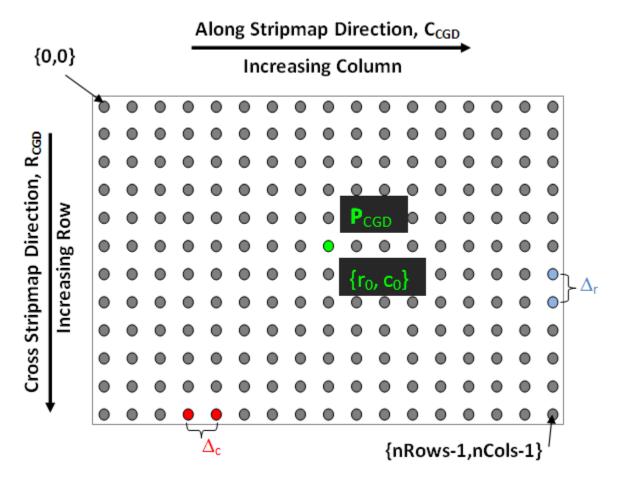


Figure 2-9 CGD Image Example

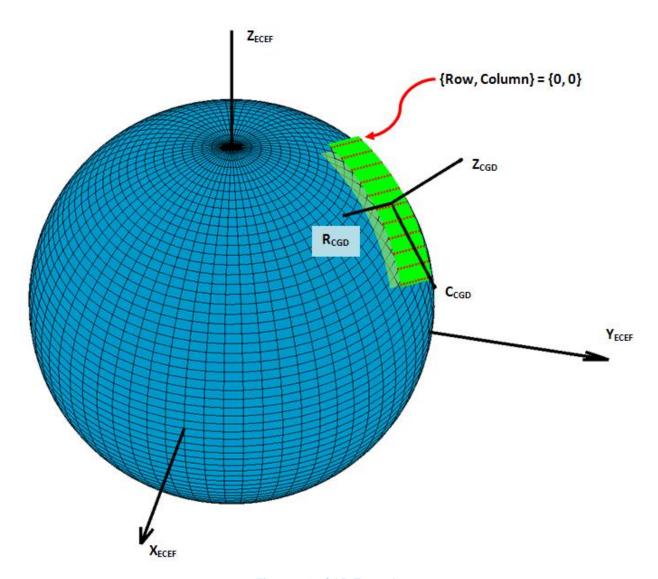


Figure 2-10 CGD Example

2.8.1 CGD inflated ellipsoid

The inflated ellipsoid has the same shape as the WGS-84 ellipsoid model but with a modified equatorial radius. The new equatorial radius is computed so that \mathbf{P}_{CGD} is on the inflated ellipsoid. The computation for the inflated ellipsoid equatorial radius is below:

$$a' = \sqrt{\left(X_{CGD}^2 + Y_{CGD}^2 + \frac{Z_{CGD}^2}{(1 - f)^2}\right)}$$

The modified geodetic coordinates are computed below:

$$\lambda' = \lambda$$

$$\varphi' = \tan^{-1} \frac{Z_{CGD}}{(1 - f)^2 \sqrt{X_{CGD}^2 + Y_{CGD}^2}}$$

2.8.2 Local East, North, Up Coordinate system

The inflated ellipsoid necessarily changes the direction of the east, north, and up directions. These bases must be recomputed at the modified geodetic coordinates.

$$E' = [-\sin \lambda' \cos \lambda' \quad 0]$$

$$N' = [-\sin \varphi' \cos \lambda' \quad -\sin \varphi' \sin \lambda' \quad \cos \varphi']$$

$$U' = [\cos \varphi' \cos \lambda' \quad \cos \varphi' \sin \lambda' \quad \sin \varphi']$$

2.8.3 CGD Bases computations

The CGD bases need to be in a plane that is tangent to the inflated ellipsoid. Given a (dynamic) stripmap direction, \mathbf{S}_{CGD} , the CGD bases are computed below:

$$\alpha = \tan^{-1} \frac{E' \cdot S_{CGD}}{N' \cdot S_{CGD}}$$

$$C_{CGD} = \cos \alpha N' + \sin \alpha E'$$

$$R_{CGD} = C_{CGD} \times U'$$

2.8.4 Radius of Curvature in the Meridian

The radius of curvature in the North-South direction at a specified latitude is shown below:

$$R_N = \frac{a'(1 - e_1^2)}{(1 - e_1^2 \sin^2 \varphi')^{1.5}}$$

2.8.5 Radius of Curvature in the Prime Vertical

The radius of curvature in the East-West direction at a specified latitude is shown below:

$$R_E = R_N (1 + e_2^2 \cos^2 \varphi')$$

2.8.6 Radius of Curvature in the Along Stripmap Direction

The radius of curvature in the along stripmap direction is computed below, this is equivalent to the cylinder's radius:

$$\frac{1}{R_S} = \frac{\cos^2 \alpha}{R_N} + \frac{\sin^2 \alpha}{R_E}$$

Note that the radius of curvature derived above should be utilized with the CGD unless a different one is provided in the XML metadata.

3 Coordinate Transformations

The image formation process generates a two-dimensional projection of the three-dimensional imaged scene. Each resolution cell is a combination of a range/range-rate projection (see Sensor Independent Complex Data Image Projections) and image formation algorithm dependent geometrical distortions. The goal of the SIDD grids is to remove all image formation algorithm dependent geometrical distortions; however, it is ultimately up to the end user to determine the ideal grid for exploitation. It is important to emphasize that the PGD and GGD coordinates defined in section 2 are not actual terrain surface locations. In order to determine accurate terrain surface locations, knowledge of the underlying terrain must be provided (via DTED information).

The ECEF coordinate of pixel locations can be derived using the equations outlined in Sections 3.1 to 3.6.

3.1 PGD Pixel to ECEF Coordinate Conversion

The conversion of an PGD pixel coordinate, $\{r, c\}$, to an ECEF coordinate \mathbf{P}_{ECEF} , $\{x, y, z\}$, is shown below.

$$\mathbf{P}_{ECEF} = \mathbf{P}_{PGD} + \Delta_r * (r - r_0) * \mathbf{R}_{PGD} + \Delta_c * (c - c_0) * \mathbf{C}_{PGD}$$

3.2 ECEF Coordinate to PGD Pixel Conversion

The conversion of an ECEF coordinate \mathbf{P}_{ECEF} , $\{x, y, z\}$, to an EGD pixel coordinate is shown below.

$$r = r_0 + \frac{(\mathbf{P}_{ECEF} - \mathbf{P}_{PGD}) \cdot \mathbf{R}_{PGD}}{\Delta_r}$$

$$c = c_0 + \frac{(\boldsymbol{P}_{ECEF} - \boldsymbol{P}_{PGD}) \cdot \boldsymbol{C}_{PGD}}{\Delta_c}$$

3.3 GGD Pixel to Geodetic Coordinate Conversion

The conversion of a GGD pixel coordinate, $\{r, c\}$, to a geodetic coordinate is shown below. A constant height above the ellipsoid is used and is set from the reference point \mathbf{P}_{GGD} . In the equations below, the sample spacing is assumed to be in arc seconds.

$$\phi = \phi_0 - (r - r_0) \frac{\Delta_r}{3600}$$
$$\lambda = \lambda_0 + (c - c_0) \frac{\Delta_c}{3600}$$
$$h = h_0$$

3.4 Geodetic Coordinate to GGD Pixel Conversion

The conversion of a geodetic coordinate to a GGD pixel is shown below. Again, a constant height above the ellipsoid is assumed, as well as sample spacing in arc seconds.

$$r = r_0 + \frac{3600(\varphi_0 - \varphi)}{\Delta_r}$$
$$c = c_0 + \frac{3600(\lambda - \lambda_0)}{\Delta_c}$$

3.5 Geodetic to ECEF Coordinate Conversion

The relationship between the WGS-84 ellipsoid model and the ECEF coordinate system is shown below.

$$X = (R_c + h)\cos(\varphi)\cos(\lambda)$$

$$Y = (R_c + h)\cos(\varphi)\sin(\lambda)$$

$$Z = \left(\frac{b^2}{a^2}R_c + h\right)\sin(\varphi)$$

3.6 ECEF Coordinate to Geodetic Coordinate Conversion

The relationship between the ECEF coordinate system, $\{X, Y, Z\}$, and the geodetic coordinate system $\{\phi, \lambda, h\}$ is described below. The four quadrant arctangent function is used and the range is $[0, 2\pi)$

$$\lambda = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{Y}{X}\right)$$

$$D_{XY} = \sqrt{X^2 + Y^2}$$

$$\theta = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{aZ}{bD_{XY}}\right)$$

$$\varphi = \tan^{-1} \left(\frac{Z + e_2^2 b \sin^3 \theta}{D_{XY} - e_1^2 a \cos^3 \theta} \right)$$
$$h = \frac{D_{XY}}{\cos(\varphi)} - R_C$$

3.7 CGD Pixel to ECEF Coordinate Conversion

The conversion of a CGD pixel coordinate, $\{r, c\}$, to an ECEF coordinate $\{x, y, z\}$, is shown below.

$$\theta = \frac{\Delta_c * (c - c_0)}{R_S}$$

$$\mathbf{P}_{ECEF} = \mathbf{P}_{CGD} + \Delta_r * (r - r_0) * \mathbf{R}_{CGD} + R_S * \sin \theta * \mathbf{C}_{CGD} + R_S * (\cos \theta - 1) * \mathbf{U}'$$

3.8 ECEF Coordinate to CGD Pixel Conversion

The conversion of an ECEF coordinate, P_{ECEF} , to a CGD pixel coordinate $\{r,c\}$ is shown below.

$$r = r_0 + \frac{(\mathbf{P}_{ECEF} - \mathbf{P}_{CGD}) \cdot \mathbf{R}_{CGD}}{\Delta_r}$$

$$c_c = (\mathbf{P}_{ECEF} - \mathbf{P}_{CGD}) \cdot \mathbf{C}_{CGD}$$

$$c_u = (\mathbf{P}_{ECEF} - \mathbf{P}_{CGD}) \cdot \mathbf{U}'$$

$$\theta = \cot^{-1} \frac{c_u + R_S}{c_c}$$

$$c = c_0 + \frac{R_S \theta}{\Lambda_c}$$

4 SIDD Metadata

The purpose of this section is to define the SIDD metadata. The definition of SIDD metadata includes the items below:

- XML Primitives
- Groupings
- Complex Structures
- Metadata Parameter Definitions
- Complex and Simple Primitive Types

The metadata hierarchical structure for SIDD is XML. The foundation of the SIDD format is constructed from primitive data types, which are reusable structures that define the type of data contained within the metadata parameter and are defined in Section 4.1.2. A metadata parameter refers to a piece of information, such as sample spacing, that is required for downstream usage of a SIDD product. The parameters are further organized into complex structures. Each complex structure can contain other parameters, complex structures, or both that are linked together by common metadata. The top level complex structures within the SIDD are referred to as groupings to distinguish them from lower level complex structures. The SIDD metadata is organized into groupings centered on exploitation tasks, such as the *Display* grouping shown in Figure 4-18. An example of the naming convention and the general layout of the different types is shown in Figure 4-1.

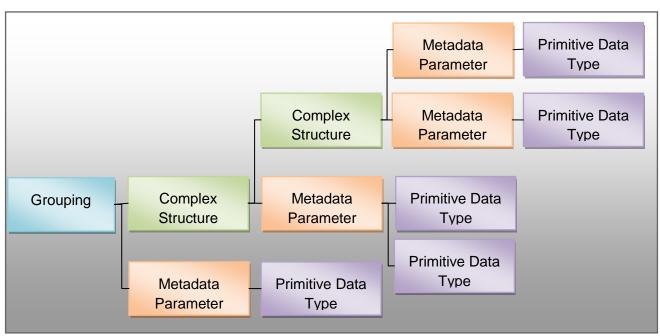


Figure 4-1 Example of Naming Convention and General Schema Layout

4.1 XML Metadata Types

This section provides the following information:

- XML Schema Interpretation
- XML Primitive Type Overview
- XML Simple Primitive Type Definitions
- XML Complex Primitive Type Definitions

4.1.1 XML Schema Interpretation

The purpose of the next three subsections is to provide instructions for reading the XML schema diagrams provided throughout this document.

4.1.1.1 Required vs. Optional

The schema diagrams use dashed lines for optional parameters or complex structures and solid lines for required parameters or complex structures. The required and optional parameters and complex structures are enforced through both the schema and the documentation. The schema does not enforce conditional parameters and complex structures; therefore the schema diagrams don't indicate conditional parameters and complex structures. Figure 4:13 Figure 4-13 shows an example of both optional and required complex structures. An example of an optional grouping is the *ErrorStatistics* (Section 4.2.9) grouping, and an example of a required grouping is the *ProductCreation* (Section 4.2.2) grouping. Conditional parameters are only enforced through system-specific documentation (profiles). If a tag is marked as required and its parent tag is marked as optional, then the tag is only required if its parent tag is included. If a profile has a stricter requirement than the SIDD schema or documentation, products created using the profile should follow the profile's requirement.

4.1.1.2 Repeatable

A repeatable type is shown with an n (n = 0, 1 ... N-1) to infinity symbol (∞) under the field name. An example of a repeatable type is shown in Figure 4-4 with the *poly1dtype* primitive type. In this example n starts at one and spans to infinity. The type specifies that at least one *Coef* parameter must exist and up to infinity parameters can also exist.

4.1.1.3 Choice

A choice option is shown with a node. The schema choice option means that one of the set of parameters that connect to the node must exist. Only one choice option can exist for an each instance of the schema generated.

4.1.1.4 Units

Units are defined under the type or parameter in the schema layout. <u>Table 4-1 Table 4-1 list the</u> units and abbreviations used in this document.

Table 4-1 Unit Abbreviations		
Units	Abbreviations	
Seconds	S	
Meters	m	
Meters per second	m/s	
Hertz	Hz	
Hertz per second	Hz/s	

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Decimal degrees	dd	
Cycles	сус	
Cycles per meter	cyc/m	
Cycles per meter squared	cyc/m ²	
Radians	rad	
Radians per second	rad/s	
Samples per second	samples/s	
Decibel	dB	
Degrees	deg	

4.1.2 XML Types Overview

The SIDD XML schema defines a set of reusable primitive types that declare XML metadata parameter types. There are two basic forms of primitive types: complex and simple. A simple primitive declares the parameter as a specific data type. The simple primitive type, like the *stringtype*, is the most basic data type. A complex primitive type is composed of multiple simple primitive types.

Simple primitives can also be restricted, which narrows the acceptable values to a range or an enumeration. An example of a restricted primitive type is *neg180to180type* which restricts, inclusively, double values from -180 to 180. The simple primitive types are defined in Section 4.1.3. For cohesiveness, the schema leverages many reusable types from the SICD XML Schema.

A complex primitive type is used for storing complex information, such as polynomials. An example of a complex primitive type is *poly1dtype* which stores an arbitrary number of coefficients and the order of the polynomial. The complex primitive types are defined in Section 4.1.4.

4.1.3 XML Simple Primitive Data Types

The six simple primitive data types are defined in Table 4-2. If the attribute class is yellow, the primitive is a simple restricted primitive; otherwise it is just a simple primitive.

Table 4-2 Simple Primitive Data Types			
Simple Primitive Data Type	Definition	Units	
stringtype class	String of characters	N/A	

Table 4-2 Simple Primitive Data Types			
Simple Primitive Data Type	Definition	Units	
integertype class	Signed integer value with optional plus sign ("+") when positive	N/A	
doubletype class	Double-precision floating point number.	N/A	
neg180to180type class	Defines angles from -180 degrees to +180 degrees, inclusively This is a restricted doubletype.	deg	
zeroto90type class	Defines angles from 0 degrees to +90 degrees, inclusively This is a restricted <i>doubletype</i> .	deg	
dateTimetype = class	Time defined in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC). The seconds should be followed by a Z to indicate UTC.	Each Component of "YYYY-MM-DDThh:mm:ss.s+" is defined in Table 4-3Table 4-3.	

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Table 4-3 Definition of dateTimetype Units		
Tag	Definition	
YYYY	year	
MM	month	
DD	day	
Т	start of the required time	
hh	hour	
mm	minute	
ss	seconds	
S+	fractional seconds	

4.1.4 Complex Primitive Data Types

The eleven complex primitive data types are defined in the following sub-sections.

4.1.4.1 footprinttype

The *footprinttype* primitive definition and schema layout is shown in Figure 4-2. It is constructed of a minimum of four vertices describing the footprint. The vertices are built using *Lat* and *Lon* parameters, which describe the latitude and longitude of each of the vertices and are measured in decimal degrees. These parameters are simple primitives of *doubletype*. The first vertex lists the upper left corner of the footprint and increasing vertices are populated from the footprint corners counter clockwise.

For example, GeographicCoverage's Footprint uses the footprinttype.

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Figure 4-2 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: footprinttype

4.1.4.2 xyztype

The *xyztype* is shown in Figure 4-3. It is a complex primitive type with the parameters X, Y, and Z. The X, Y, and Z parameters are simple primitives of *doubletype*.

For example, the *GeographicProjection's ReferencePoint* contains an *ECEF* parameter which is an *XYZtype*.

Figure 4-3 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: xyztype

4.1.4.3 poly1dtype

The *poly1dtype* is shown in Figure 4-4. It contains an expandable structure for a 1-D polynomial where the order of the polynomial, M, is defined along with a number of coefficients based on the order (up to M+1). Only non-zero entries of the polynomial need to be specified.

$$F(x) = \sum_{m=0}^{M} c_m x^m$$

For example, a polynomial named testpoly representing the equation

$$x^2 + 3$$

would be represented as:

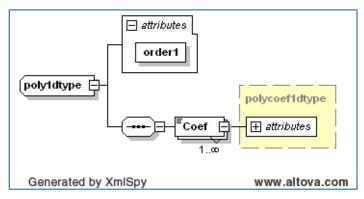


Figure 4-4 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: poly1dtype

4.1.4.4 poly2dtype

The *poly2dtype* is shown in Figure 4-5. The parameters *order1* and *order2* specify the orders of the two-dimensional polynomial and are defined as M and N respectively. The parameters *exponent1* and *exponent2* define the exponents for a given *Coef*. The total number of possible coefficients is (M+1)*(N+1), where only non-zero entries of the polynomial need to be specified. This complex primitive type represents an equation of the following form.

$$F(x,y) = \sum_{m=0}^{M} \sum_{n=0}^{N} c_{m,n} x^{m} y^{n}$$

For example, a polynomial named *testpoly*, representing the equation

$$x^2 \cdot y^6 + 3y^2 + 4x + 5$$

would be represented as

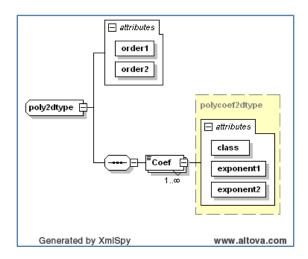


Figure 4-5 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: poly2dtype

4.1.4.5 xyzpolytype

The *xyzpolytype* is shown in Figure 4-6. It contains X, Y, and Z parameter types where each parameter in the complex structure contains a single *poly1dtype* complex primitive. For implementation details please see *poly1dtype*.

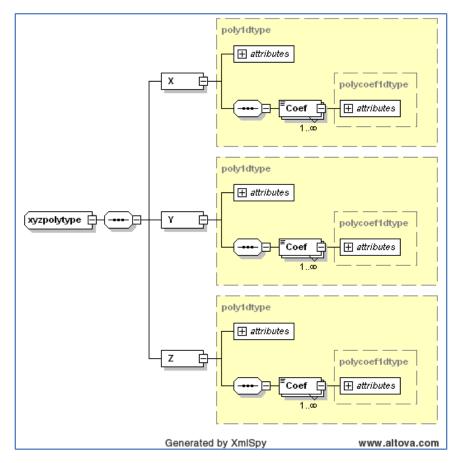


Figure 4-6 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: xyzpolytype

4.1.4.6 parametertype

The *parametertype* is shown in Figure 4-7. It is composed of a *stringtype* simple primitive with an attribute *name* which describes the contents of the field. The *parametertype* is used throughout the standard to include information which is often sensor/system specific that is not already included in the metadata.

The *ModuleParameter* in the *ProcessingApplied's ProcessingModule* is an example for populating a *parametertype* primitive type.

<ModuleParameter name="C1_Weighting" class="xs:string">1.0</ModuleParameter>

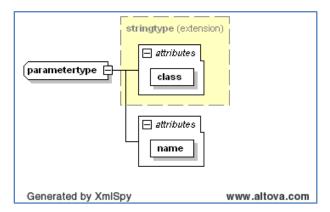


Figure 4-7 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: parametertype

4.1.4.7 rangeazimuthtype

The *rangeazimuthtype* is shown in Figure 4-8. It is a complex structure with two *doubletype* parameters, *Range* and *Azimuth*.

The Resolution parameter within the AdvancedExploitation's Collection Information grouping is an example the rangeazimuthtype.

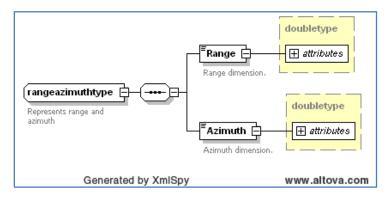


Figure 4-8 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: rangeazimuthtype

4.1.4.8 lookuptabletype & lookup3tabletype

The *lookuptabletype* is a complex primitive, shown in Figure 4-9, and it is used to provide a mapping of values from one input space to another. In the SIDD standard it is only used to map between integer representations (See 4.2.3). The *LUT* element is a list object which represents the look-up table. The list should be indexed using the input value and the corresponding value at that location in the output. The *Size* attribute is used to represent the length of the *LUT* list

object. This is required to be consistent with the size of the *LUT*. This is an xs:list object which delimits the values in the list using whitespace.

An example of this is the *RemapLUT* within the *MonochromeDisplayRemap*.

The *lookup3tabletype* is analogous to the *lookuptabletype* described above with the exception that each entry in the xs:list is a comma-separated triplet. An example of this is the *RemapLUT* within the *ColorDisplayRemap* used for 8-bit indexed color products.

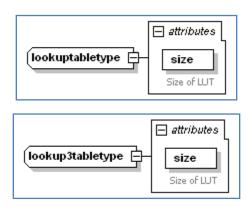


Figure 4-9 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: lookuptabletype & lookup3tabletype

4.1.4.9 referencepointtype

The *referencepointype* is shown in Figure 4-10. The *xyztype* and *rowcoldoubletype* are complex primitive types within the *referencepoint*, and are referenced in Sections 4.1.4.2 and 4.1.4.11, respectively. The *ECEF* parameter is contain in the *referencepointtype* and is an *xyztype*. The ECEF parameter metadata is an xyztype type and is populated by the xyztype instructions (Section 4.1.4.2). In addition, the *P*oint parameter is a *rowcoldoubletyple*; please refer to *rowcoldoubletype* for population instructions (Section 4.1.4.11).

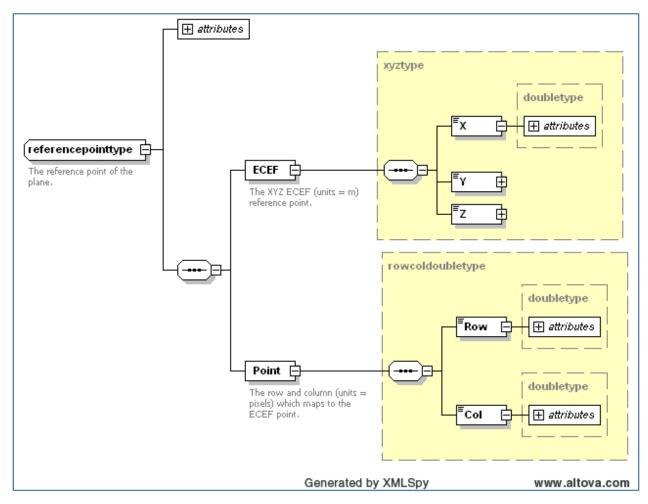


Figure 4-10 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: referencepointtype

4.1.4.10 anglemagnitudetype

The anglemagnitudetype is shown in Figure 4-11. It is composed of simple primitives, Angle and Magnitude, which are of neg180to180type and doubletype, respectively. The Layover parameter is an implementation example for populating the anglemagnitudetype.

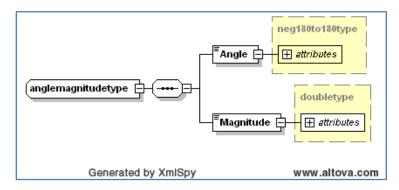


Figure 4-11 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: anglemagnitudetype

4.1.4.11 rowcolinttype & rowcoldoubletype

The *rowcolinttype* is shown in Figure 4-12. It is composed of *Row* and *Col* which are *integertype* simple primitives. The *rowcoldoubletype* has the same structure as Figure 4-12; however the *Row* and *Col* are *doubletypes*.

The *ChipSize* parameter is an implementation example for populating the *rowcoldoubletype*.

Figure 4-12 Primitive Definition & Schema Layout: rowcolinttype

4.2 XML Metadata Parameter List

The SIDD XML data is arranged to have related parameters grouped together in complex structures. Each complex structure has branches to either other complex structures or parameters. The complex structure stops branching once a parameter has been reached. The parameter is made up of primitives, which declares the data type of the parameter. In addition, the parameter contains the actual metadata associated with the image product.

The section is broken into the top level groupings displayed in Figure 4-13. The top level groupings are complex structures but will be referred to as groupings to distinguish from lower level complex structures. In each grouping section, the branching layout for each complex structure is displayed. The complex structural layouts start with the highest point in the branch and end with the lowest. The parameters' primitives and definitions are then listed in tables. In addition, a reference is provided to the reusable primitives defined in section 4.1.3 and 4.1.4.

4.2.1 SIDD Parameters and Overview

Figure 4-13 displays the top level groupings for the SIDD XML. The definitions for each grouping are listed in the Figure 4-13 and Table 4-4.

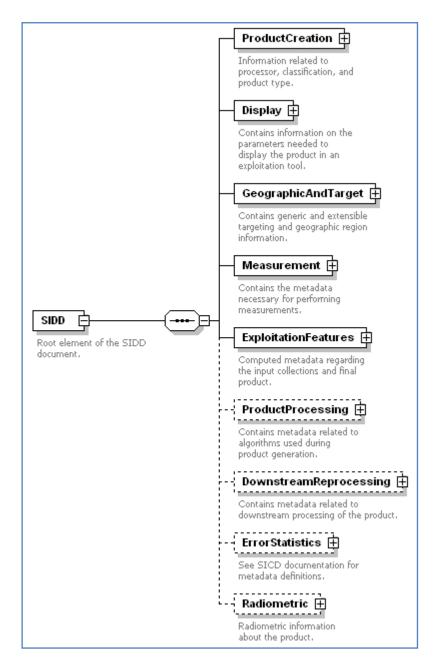


Figure 4-13 SIDD Schema Layout

Table 4-4 SIDD Schema Layout Paragraph Reference			
Grouping Section Definition		Definition	
ProductCreation	4.2.24.2.2	Information related to processor, classification, and product type.	
Display	<u>4.2.3</u> 4.2.3	Contains information needed to display the product in an	

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		exploitation tool.
GeographicAndTarget	4.2.44.2.4	Contains generic and extensible targeting and geographic region information.
Measurement	<u>4.2.5</u> 4.2.5	Contains the metadata necessary for performing measurements.
ExploitationFeatures	4.2.64.2.6	Computed metadata regarding the collection(s) and product. The grouping is also used to generate icons and legends.
ProductProcessing	4.2.74.2.7	Contains metadata related to algorithms used during product generation.
DownstreamReprocessing	4.2.84.2.8	Contains metadata related to the downstream processing of the product, such as modifications made by Electronic Light Table (ELT).
ErrorStatistics	4.2.94.2.9	See SICD documentation (<u>Table 1-2</u> Table 1-2) for metadata definitions. Only one set of error data is included in the SIDD product that reflects the overall product.
Radiometric	4.2.10	See SICD documentation (<u>Table 1-2Table 1-2</u>) for metadata definitions. Only one set of radiometric data is included in the SIDD product that reflects the overall product.

4.2.2 Product Creation

The *ProductCreation* contains information related to initial processing, classification, and product type. The *ProductCreation* complex structures are laid out in Figure 4-14 through Figure 4-15. The definitions are defined in Table 4-5 through Table 4-6.

4.2.2.1 Overview & Parameter Definition: ProductCreation

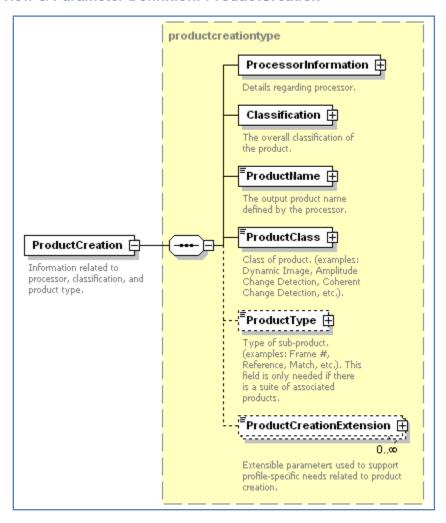


Figure 4-14 ProductCreation Parameter and Complex Structures

	Table 4-5 <i>ProductCreation</i> Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition		
ProcessorInformation	processorinformationtype	Table 4-6Table 4-6 Figure 4-15Figure 4-15	Required parameter containing basic information about the processor used to create the product.		
Classification	productclassificationtype	Table 4-6Table 4-6 Figure 4-16Figure 4-16	Required parameter containing the overall classification of the product.		
ProductName	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the output product name defined by the processor.		
ProductClass	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the class of product. Examples: Dynamic Image, Amplitude Change Detection, Coherent Change Detection, etc.)		
ProductType	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter containing information on the type of sub-product. This field is only needed if there is a suite of associated products. Examples: Frame #, Reference, Match, etc.		
ProductCreationExtension	parametertype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional extensible parameters used to support profile-specific needs related to product creation		

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4.2.2.2 Overview and Parameter Definitions: *ProcessorInformation*

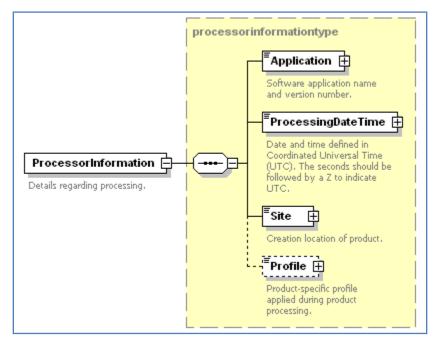


Figure 4-15 ProcessorInformation Structure

Table 4-6 ProfessorInformation Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
Application	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter that gives the name and version of the application used to create the product.
ProcessingDateTime	dateTimetype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter that contains the date and time defined in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC). The seconds should be followed by a Z to indicate UTC.
Site	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter that specifies the creation location of the product.
Profile	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter containing information about a product-specific profile applied during product processing.

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4.2.2.3 Overview and Parameter Definition: Classification

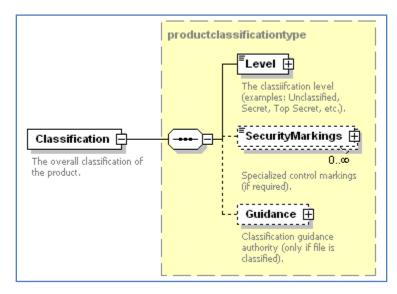


Figure 4-16 Classification Structure

Table 4-7 Classification Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
Level	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the classification level information. Examples: Unclassified, Secret, Top Secret, etc.
SecurityMarking	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter containing specialized control markings (if required).
Guidance	classificationguidancetype	Table 4-8Table 4-8 Figure 4-17Figure 4-17	Optional parameter containing classification guidance authority.

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4.2.2.4 Overview & Parameter Definitions: Guidance

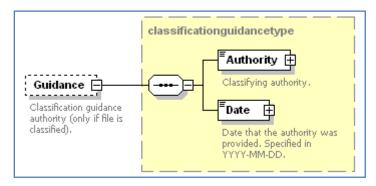


Figure 4-17 Guidance Structure

Table 4-8 Guidance Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
Authority	stringtype	Table 4-2 Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the classification authority.
Date	dateTimetype	<u>Table</u> 4-2 Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the date that the authority was provided.

4.2.3 Display

The *Display* grouping contains information required for proper display of the imagery. The parameters in this block are expected to be utilized in conjunction with a NGA Softcopy Image Processing Standard (SIPS) v2.1 compliant viewer. In addition, it also describes any remaps or monitor compensations applied to the data, as well as, differentiating whether a color remap or monochrome remap was applied to the data.

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4.2.3.1 Parameters and Complex Structures: Display

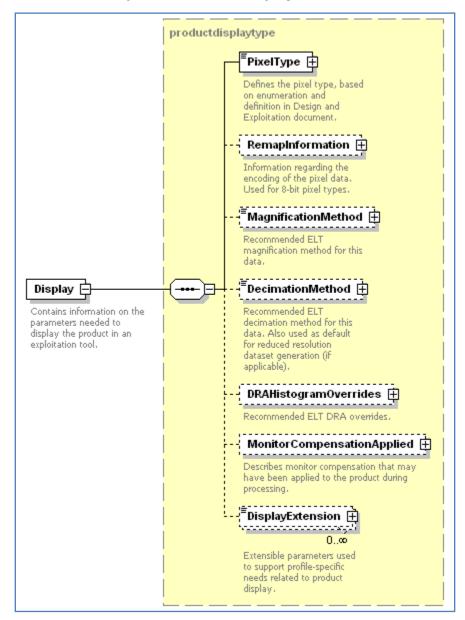


Figure 4-18 Display Parameter and Complex Structures

	Table 4-9 <i>D</i>	Display Paramete	er Definitions
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
PixelType	pixeltype	<u>Table</u> <u>4-10</u> Table 4-10	Required parameter defining the pixel type, based on enumeration defined in Table 4-10 Table 4-10.
RemapInformation	remapchoicetype	Figure 4-19Figure 4-19	Optional parameter containing information regarding the encoding of the pixel data. Used for 8-bit pixel types.
MagnificationMethod	magnificationmetho dtype	Table 4-11Table 4-11	Optional parameter specifying the recommended ELT magnification method for this data. The parameter is an enumeration defined by Table 4-11Table 4-11.
DecimationMethod	decimationmethodt ype	Table 4-12Table 4-12	Optional parameter specifying the recommended ELT decimation method for this data. It should also be used as default for reduced resolution dataset generation (if applicable). The parameter is an enumeration defined by Table 4-12 Table 4-12.
DRAHistogramOverr ides	drahistogramoverri destype	Figure 4-22Figure 4-22 Table 4-16Table 4-16	Optional parameter specifying the recommened ELT DRA overrides
MonitorCompensatio nApplied	monitorcompensati onappliedtype	Table 4-17Table 4-17 Figure 4-23Figure 4-23	Optional parameter describing monitor compensation that may have been applied to the product during processing.
DisplayExtension	Parametertype	Table 4-2 Table 4-2	Optional extensible parameter used to support profile-specific needs related to product display.

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Table 4-10 Enumeration Types for <i>Pixeltype</i>			
Enumeration Type	Definition		
MONO8I	Monochrome 8-bit image		
MONO8LU	Monochrome 8-bit image with a LUT		
MONO16I	Monochrome 16-bit image		
RGB8LU	RGB 8-bit image with a color LUT		
RGB24I	RGB 24-bit color image		

	Table 4-11 Enumeration Types for MagnificationMethod			
Enumeration Type	Definition			
NEAREST_NEIGHBOR	Magnification through nearest neighbor has historically been referred to as replication. Under this technique any coordinate which falls within the pixel boundaries obtains the same values as that pixel. The magnification factor is d in both x and y. d>0			
	$g(x,y) = f(round(\frac{x}{d}), round(\frac{y}{d}))$			
BILINEAR	Bilinear interpolation for a magnification factor of d in both the x and y direction is accomplished with the equations below.			
	$x_1 = floor\left(\frac{x}{d}\right)$			
	$x_2 = ceiling\left(\frac{x}{d}\right)$			
	$y_1 = floor\left(\frac{y}{d}\right)$			
	$y_2 = ceiling\left(\frac{y}{d}\right)$			
	$g(x,y) = \left[\left(x_2 - \frac{x}{d} \right) \left(\frac{x}{d} - x_1 \right) \right] \begin{bmatrix} f(x_1, y_1) & f(x_1, y_2) \\ f(x_2, y_1) & f(x_2, y_2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} \left(y_2 - \frac{y}{d} \right) \\ \left(\frac{y}{d} - y_1 \right) \end{bmatrix}$			
LAGRANGE	Lagrange decimation is the standard interpolation method specified in the SIPS documentation. The Lagrange interpolation uses a 4x4 region about the pixel of interest when determining the new value. Review Section 2.3.5 of the SIPS document.			

	Table 4-12 Enumeration Types for <i>DecimationMethod</i>		
Enumeration Type	Definition		
NEAREST_NEIGHBOR	Decimation by a factor d in both the x and y directions by the nearest neighbor method requires that the value at the output is computed by rounding the new pixel location (x,y) to the nearest integer pixel that was in the original image. $g(x,y) = f(round(dx), round(dy))$		
BILINEAR	Bilinear interpolation for a decimation factor of d in both the x and a y direction is accomplished with the equations below.		
	$x_1 = floor(dx)$		
	$x_2 = ceiling(dx)$		
	$y_1 = floor(dy)$		
	$y_2 = ceiling(dy)$		
	$g(x,y) = [(x_2 - dx) (dx - x_1)] \begin{bmatrix} f(x_1, y_1) f(x_1, y_2) \\ f(x_2, y_1) f(x_2, y_2) \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} (y_2 - dy) \\ (dy - y_1) \end{bmatrix}$		
BRIGHTEST_PIXEL	For brightest pixel decimation, the brightest pixel in the region near the new pixel is chosen. The decimation factor in x and y is d. The strategy shown is for MONO type data. The brightest pixel strategy used for RGB24I and RGB8LU is addressed in the SIPS document.		
	$g(x,y) = -\infty$		
	$x_1 = floor\left(d\left(x - \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$		
	$x_2 = ceiling\left(d\left(x + \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$		
	$y_1 = floor\left(d\left(y - \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$		
	$y_2 = ceiling\left(d\left(y + \frac{1}{2}\right)\right)$		
	For $(k = x_1:1:x_2)$ For $(m = y_1:1:y_2)$ g(x,y) = max(g(x,y),f(k,m)) End		
LAGRANGE	Lagrange decimation is the standard interpolation method specified in the SIPS documentation. The Lagrange interpolation uses a 4x4 region about the pixel of interest when determining the new value. Review Section 2.3.5 of the SIPS document.		

4.2.3.2 Overview and Parameter Definitions: RemapInformation

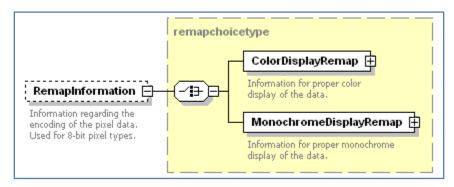


Figure 4-19 RemapInformation Structure

Table 4-13 RemapInformation Parameters Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
ColorDisplayRemap	colordisplayremaptype	Table 4-14Table 4-14 Figure 4-20Figure 4-20	Mutually exclusive required parameter containing information for proper color display of the data. RemapInformation will be either populated with the parameter ColorDisplayRemap or MonochromeDisplayRemap.	
MonochromeDisplayRemap	monochromedisplayre maptype	Figure 4-21Figure 4-21 Table 4-15Table 4-15	Mutually exclusive required parameter containing information for proper monochrome display of the data. RemapInformation will be either populated with the parameter ColorDisplayRemap or MonochromeDisplayRemap.	

4.2.3.3 Overview and Parameter Definitions: ColorDisplayRemap

The color remap description (*ColorDisplayRemap*) contains a set of optional lookup tables for red, green, and blue. These tables are only used for 8-bit indexed color products. The look-up table maps the 8-bit index to a 24-bit multi-channel pixel space. This should operate as described in the "Product Generation Option" step of the SIPS document. 24-bit true multi-channel color products should not have any transform applied to them. The complex structure's layouts within the *Display* grouping are shown in Figure 4-20. The complex structure's parameters and primitives are defined in Table 4-14.

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Figure 4-20 ColorDisplayRemap Structure

	Table 4-14 ColorDisplayRemap Parameter Definition			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
RemapLUT	lookup3tabletype	Figure 4-9Figure 4-9	Required LUT-base remap indicating the color display is done through indexed-based color.	

4.2.3.4 Overview and Parameter Definitions: MonochromeDisplayRemap

The monochrome remap description (*MonochromeDisplayRemap*) describes two major items. First, a textual and parameter definition of the remap is provided through the *RemapType* and optional *RemapParameter* fields. These fields are for information purposes only as the actual un-mapping of the data to density space is accomplished via look-up table. Second, the *RemapLUT* block provides a remap from 8-bit space to log amplitude space. This unmapping of the data from 8-bit space corresponds to the "Product Generation Option" step of the SIPS documentation. By providing this remap as a generalized look-up table, the block is allowing multiple remap definitions to be represented without need for a change in either the SIPS or the SIDD documentation. For 16-bit data, the *RemapLUT* should not be utilized.

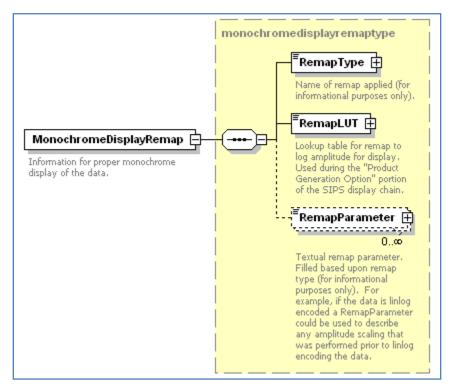


Figure 4-21 MonochromeDisplayRemap Structure

	Table 4-15 MonochromeDisplayRemap Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
RemapType	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter that contains the name of remap applied (for informational purposes only).	
RemapLUT	lookuptabletype	Figure 4-9Figure 4-9	Optional parameter that contains the lookup table for remap to log amplitude for display. Used during the "Product Generation Option" portion of the SIPS display chain. Should be utilized for 8-bit data.	
RemapParameter	parametertype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional textual remap parameter. Filled based upon remap type (for informational purposes only). For example, if the data is linlog encoded a RemapParameter could be used to describe any amplitude scaling that was performed prior to linlog encoding the data.	



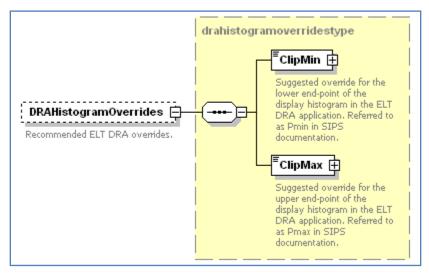


Figure 4-22 DRAHistogramOverrides Structure

	Table 4-16 DRAHistogramOverrides Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition		
ClipMin	integertype	Table 4-2	Required parameter describing the suggested override for the lower end-point of the display histogram in the ELT DRA application. Referred to as Pmin in SIPS documentation.		
ClipMax	integertype	Table 4-2	Required parameter describing the suggested override for the upper end-point of the display histogram in the ELT DRA application. Referred to as Pmax in SIPS documentation.		

4.2.3.6 Overview and Parameter Definitions: MonitorCompensationApplied

The *MonitorCompensationApplied* grouping describes monitor compensation applied to the pixel data. The parameters of the monitor compensation (*Gamma* and *XMin*) are provided for reference. If such compensation is applied, it is recommended that any softcopy display chain skip DRA application. These parameters are shown in Figure 4-23.

Figure 4-23 MonitorCompensationAppliedStructure

	Tab	ole 4-17 Monito	orCompensationApplied Parameter Definitions
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
Gamma	doubletype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	The value of this parameter provides the gamma or xmin value of the nominal monitor compensation applied to the product prior to dissemination. Nominal monitor compensation is applied to some products to ensure an acceptable visual display of the products across display tools. In order to be displayed on a computer monitor, the pixel values are first converted to density (D) space and are then converted to "transmittance". The formula for density to transmittance conversion is a follows: (see equation below) where Dclip = 255, xmax = 255, and Rt = 50.01. In viewing standard detected gray-scale images, y (gamma) and xmin are normally determined by display. Optimal display of products, however, may require default display parameters be used. This field must be used to express the default display parameters. $x(D) = (x_{max} - x_{min}) \left(\frac{R_t \frac{(min(D,D_{clip})}{D_{clip}}) - 1}{R_t - 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} + x_{min}$
XMin	doubletype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	The value of this parameter provides the gamma or xmin value of the nominal monitor compensation applied to the product prior to dissemination. Nominal monitor compensation is applied to some products to ensure an acceptable visual display of the products across display tools. In order to be displayed on a computer monitor, the pixel values are first converted to density space and are then converted to "transmittance". The formula for density to transmittance conversion is a follows: (see

	Table 4-17 MonitorCompensationApplied Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
			equation below) where Dclip = 255, xmax = 255, and Rt = 50.01. In viewing standard detected gray-scale images, y (gamma) and xmin are normally determined by display. Optimal display of products, however, may require default display parameters be used. This field must be used to express the default display parameters.	
			$x(D) = (x_{max} - x_{min}) \left(\frac{R_t \left(\frac{min(D, D_{clip})}{D_{clip}} \right) - 1}{R_t - 1} \right)^{\frac{1}{r}} + x_{min}$	

4.2.4 GeographicAndTarget

The *GeographicAndTarget* grouping contains information about the targets residing in the product and the geographic coverage of the product. The structural layouts of the groupings are shown in Figure 4-24 through Figure 4-26. The grouping's parameter definitions are defined in Table 4-18 through Table 4-21.

4.2.4.1 Parameters and Complex Structures: GeographicAndTarget

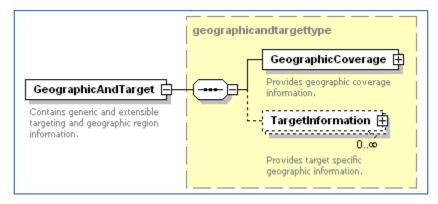


Figure 4-24 GeographicAndTarget Parameter and Complex Structures

Table 4-18 GeographicAndTarget Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
GeographicCoverage	geographiccoveragetype	<u>Table</u> <u>4-19</u> Table 4-19	Required parameter containing information for the ground coverage of the image.	

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Table 4-18 GeographicAndTarget Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
		Figure 4-25Figure 4-25		
TargetInformation	targetinformationtype	Table 4-21 Table 4-21 Figure 4-27 Figure 4-27	Optional parameter repeated multiple times for each target in the product footprint. Provides target specific geographic information.	

4.2.4.2 Overview and Parameter Definition: GeographicCoverage

The *GeographicCoverage* complex structure represents a hierarchical decomposition of the area contained within the product. It contains an optional *GeoregionIdentifier* for the area, a geodetic *Footprint*, and either information pertaining to the region or a decomposition of the region into subregions. Each *SubRegion* contains the same information as the *GeographicCoverage* element and may be decomposed in a similar manner. Using this subregion decomposition may be useful to relate specific security or country identifiers to particular portions of the product's ground coverage.

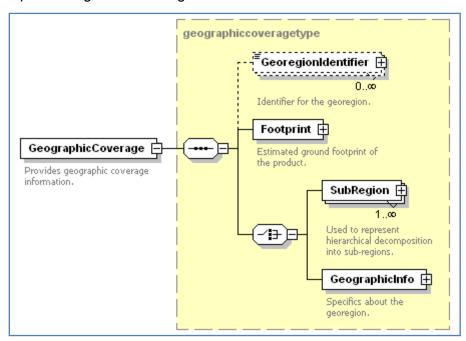


Figure 4-25 GeographicCoverage Structure

	Table 4-19 GeographicCoverage Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition		
GeoregionIdentifier	parametertype	Figure 4-7Figure 4-7	Optional parameter used to identify the geo-region.		
Footprint	footprinttype	Figure 4-2Figure 4-2	Required parameter containing the estimated ground footprint of the product.		
Subregion	geographiccovertype	Figure 4-25Figure 4-25 _Table 4-19Table 4-19	Choice required parameter used to represent hierarchical decomposition into sub-regions.		
GeographicInfo	geographicinformationtype	Figure 4-26Figure 4-26 Table 4-20Table 4-20	Choice required parameter specifying specifics about the geo-regions.		

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4.2.4.3 Overview & Parameter Definition: GeographicInfo

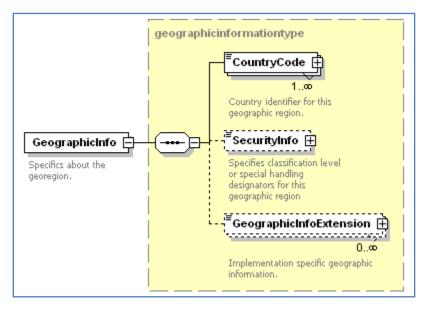


Figure 4-26 GeographicInfo Structure

Table 4-20 GeographicInfo Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
CountryCode	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter used for the country identifier for this geographic region.	
SecurityInfo	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter that specifies the classification level or special handling designator for this geographic region.	
GeographicInfoExtension	parametertype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter for implementation specific geographic information.	

4.2.4.4 *TargetInformation* Parameter and Complex Structures

The *TargetInformation* complex structure contains one or more *Identifier* elements. These are system dependent strings used to describe the target. As a *parametertype* object, each

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Identifier will contain a *name* attribute used to describe the identifier type (i.e. BE number, order of battle). These names are highly system dependent. For each target, an optional *Footprint* can be specified which represents the ground coverage of the target. The *TargetInformationExtension* parameter is available for ancillary data regarding the target.

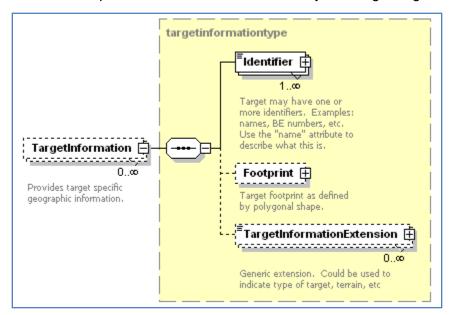


Figure 4-27 TargetInformation Structure

Table 4-21 TargetInformation Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
Identifier	parametertype	Figure 4-7Figure 4-7	Required target identifier. Examples: names, BE numbers, etc. Use the "name" attribute to population the description identifier.	
Footprint	footprinttype	Figure 4-2Figure 4-2	Optional Footprint parameter specifies the ground coverage of the target	
TargetInformationExtension	parametertype	Figure 4-7Figure 4-7	Optional generic extension. Could be used to indicate type of target, terrain, etc.	

4.2.5 Measurement

The *Measurement* grouping encapsulates metadata that is necessary for performing image to geographic measurements. The complex structure layouts are shown in Figure 4-28 through Figure 4-31. The groupings definitions are listed in Table 4-22 through Table 4-25.

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4.2.5.1 Overview & Parameter Definition: Measurement

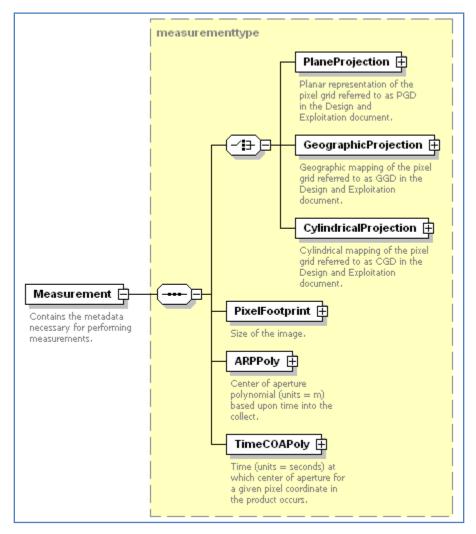


Figure 4-28 Measurement Structure

Table 4-22 Measurement Parameter and Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
PlaneProjection	planeprojectiontype	Table 4-23 Table 4-23 Figure 4-29 Figure 4-29	Planar representation of the pixel grid referred to as PGD in the Section 2.52.5.	
GeographicProjection	geographicprojectiontype	<u>Table</u> 4-25Table	Geographic mapping of the pixel grid	

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	Table 4-22 Measurement Parameter and Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
		4-25 Figure 4-31Figure 4-31	referred to as GGD in Section 2.72.7.	
CylindricalProjection	cylindricalprojectiontype	Figure 4-32 Table 4-26	Cylindrical mapping of the pixel grid referred to as CGD in Section 2.8.	
PixelFootprint	rowcolinttype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	Gives the size of the image in terms of pixels.	
ARPPoly	xyzpolytype	Figure 4-6Figure 4-6	Aperture Reference Position (ARP) polynomial in ECF as a function of time t (variable 1). Time t = 0 at collection start.	
TimeCOAPoly	poly2dtype	Figure 4-5Figure 4-5	Time at which center of the aperture for a given pixel coordinate in the product occurs .	

4.2.5.2 Overview and Parameter Definition: PlaneProjection

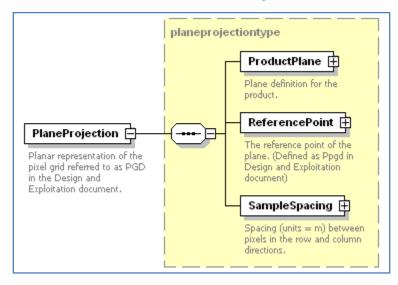
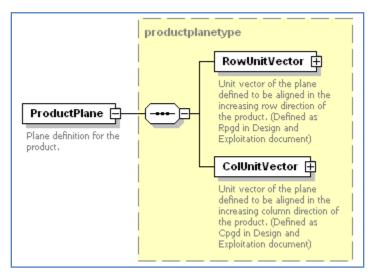


Figure 4-29 PlaneProjection Structure

Table 4-23 PlaneProjection Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
ProductPlane	planeprojectiontype	Table 4-24Table 4-24 Figure 4-30Figure 4-30	Required parameter describing the plane definition for the product.	
ReferencePoint	referencepointtype	Figure 4-10Figure 4-10	Required parameter describing the reference point of the plane. (Defined as P_{PGD} in Section 2.52.5). The name attribute is used to describe the plane projection. The plane projection options are defined in Section 2.42.4 and 2.62.6 as P_{EGD} and P_{ECEF} .	
SampleSpacing	rowcoldoubletype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	Required parameter defining the spacing between pixels in the row and column directions.	

4.2.5.3 Overview and Parameter Definition: *ProductPlane*



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Figure 4-30 ProductPlane Structure

Table 4-24 ProductPlane Parameter Definition				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
RowUnitVector	xyztype	<u>Figure</u> 4-3Figure 4-3	Required parameter describing the unit vector of the plane that is defined to be aligned in the increasing row direction of the product. (Defined as R_{PGD} in Section 2.52.5)	
ColUnitVector	xyztype	Figure 4-3Figure 4-3	Required parameter describing the unit vector of the plane that is defined to be aligned in the increasing column direction of the product. (Defined as C_{PGD} in Section 2.52.5)	

4.2.5.4 Overview and Parameter Definition: Geographic Projection

GeographicProjection is a complex structure within the *Measurement* grouping. The complex structure layout can be seen in Figure 4-31. The parameters within the *GeographicProjection* provide a geographic mapping of the pixel grid. The definition and the primitives are listed in Table 4-25.

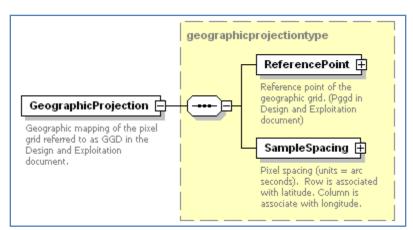


Figure 4-31 GeographicProjection Structure

Table 4-25 GeographicProjection Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
ReferencePoint	referencepointtype	Figure 4-10Figure 4-10	Required parameter describing the reference point of the geographic grid usually the scene center point. The name attribute is used to describe the plane projection. (Defined in Section 2.62.6)

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SampleSpacing	rowcoltype	<u>Figure</u>	Required parameter describing the pixel spacing
		4-12Figure	(units = arc seconds)
		4-12	

4.2.5.5 Overview and Parameter Definition: CylindricalProjection

CylindricalProjection is a complex structure within the *Measurement* grouping. The complex structure layout can be seen in Figure 4-31. The parameters within the *CylindricalProjection* provide a cylindrical mapping of the pixel grid. The definition and the primitives are listed in Table 4-25.

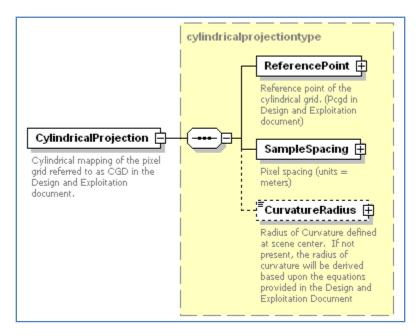


Figure 4-32 CylindricalProjection Structure

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	Table 4-26 CylindricalProjection Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
ReferencePoint	referencepointtype	Figure 4-10Figure 4-10	Required parameter describing the reference point of the cylindrical grid usually the scene center point. The name attribute is used to describe the plane projection. (Defined in Section 2.8).	
SampleSpacing	rowcoltype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	Required parameter describing the pixel spacing (units = meters)	
CurvatureRadius	doubletype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter defining the Radius of Curvature at scene center. If not present, the radius of curvature will be derived based upon	

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	the equations provided in Section 3.
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4.2.6 ExploitationFeatures

The *ExploitationFeatures* structure contains additional metadata parameters needed for advanced exploitation tasks such as creating legends and icons. A discussion of legend/icon creation is included in Section 6.1.2.

The complex structures for the *ExploitationFeatures* grouping are shown in Figure 4-33 through Figure 4-41. The grouping definitions are defined in Table 4-27 through Table 4-36.

4.2.6.1 Parameters and Complex Structures: AdvancedExploitation

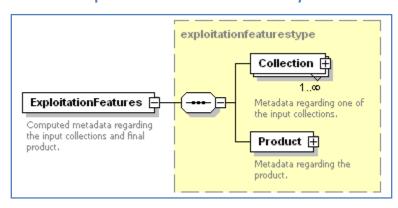


Figure 4-33 AdvancedExploitation Structure

	Table 4-27 AdvancedE	xploitation Par	ameter Definitions
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
Collection	exploitationfeaturescollectiontype	Table 4-28 Table 4-28 Figure 4-34 Figure 4-34	Required metadata regarding one or more of the input collections. The attribute is used as an identifier for the collection.
Product	exploitationfeaturesproducttype	Table 4-36Table 4-36 Figure 4-41Figure 4-41	Required metadata regarding the product.

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4.2.6.2 Overview and Parameter Definition: Collection

The collection parameter contains metadata from the input collections. This is different from the product parameters in that they contain metadata describing exploitation tasks which were calculated with regard to the derived product.

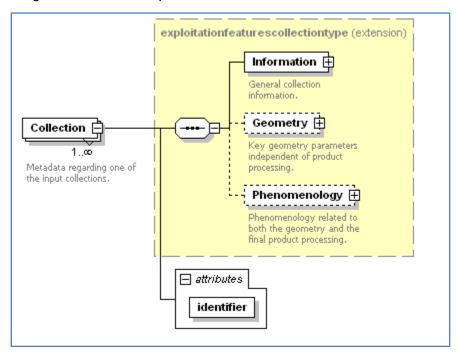


Figure 4-34 Collection Structure

Table 4-28 Collection Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
Information	exploitationfeaturescollectioninformationtype	Table 4-29 Table 4-29 Figure 4-35 Figure 4-35	Required parameter that contains general collection input information
Geometry	exploitationfeaturescollectiongeometrytype	Table 4-34Table 4-34 Figure	Optional parameter provides key geometry parameters independent of the

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Table 4-28 Collection Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
		4-39 Figure 4-39	product processing.
Phenomenology	exploitationfeaturescollectionphenomenologytype	Table 4-35Table 4-35 Figure 4-40Figure 4-40	Optional parameter contains the different phenomenology related to both the geometry and the final product processing.

4.2.6.3 Overview and Parameter Definition: Information

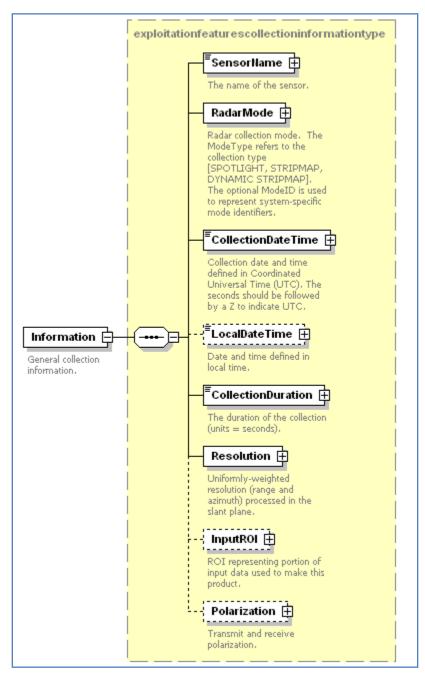


Figure 4-35 Information Structure

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Table 4-29 Information Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
SensorName	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter used to identify the name of the sensor.	
RadarMode	radarmodetype	Table 4-30Table 4-30 Figure 4-36Figure 4-36	Required parameter describing radar collection mode.	
CollectionDateTime	dateTimetype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter describing collection date and time defined in Coordinated Universal Time (UTC). The seconds should be followed by a Z to indicate UTC.	
LocalDateTime	dateTimetype	Table 4-2 Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the date and time defined in local time.	
CollectionDuration	doubletype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter describing the duration of the collection (units = s).	
Resolution	rangeazimuthtype	Table 4-2 Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the uniformly-weighted resolution (range and azimuth) processed in the slant plane.	
InputROI	inputROItype	Table 4-31 Figure 4-37 Figure 4-37	Optional ROI (region of interest) parameter representing portion of input data used to make the derived product.	
Polarization	neg180to180type	Table 4-32	Optional parameter describing the angle of receive polarization. Please refer to Section 7.3.1.	

4.2.6.4 Overview and Parameter Definition: RadarMode

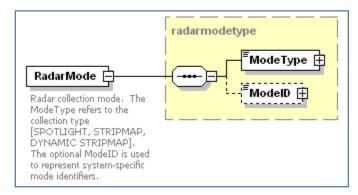
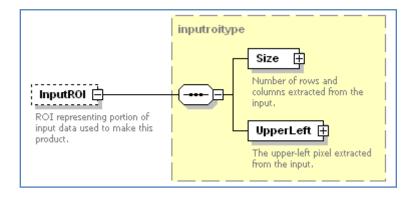


Figure 4-36 RadarMode Structure

	Table 4-30 RadarMode Parameter Definitions					
Parameter Type Reference		Reference	Definition			
ModeType	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter referring to the collection type which is one of the following enumerations: SPOTLIGHT, STRIPMAP, DYNAMIC STRIPMAP.			
ModeID	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter used to represent system-specific mode identifiers.			

4.2.6.5 Overview and Parameter Definition: InputROI

The InputROI parameter is used only when processing from SICD or the other input data has a parameter that lists the input region of interest.



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Figure 4-37 InputROI Structure

Table 4-31 InputROI Parameter Definitions					
Parameter	arameter Type Reference Definition				
Size	rowcolinttype	Section <u>4.1.4.11</u>	Required parameter describing the number of rows and columns extracted from the input.		
UpperLeft	rowcolinttype	Section <u>4.1.4.11</u>	Required parameter describing the upper-left pixel extracted from the input.		

4.2.6.6 Overview and Parameter Definition: Polarization

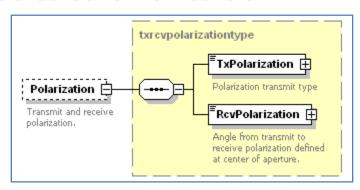


Figure 4-38 *Polarization* Structure

	Table 4-32 Polarization Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition		
TxPolarization	polarizationty pe	Table 4-33	Polarization transmit type		
RcvPolarization	neg180to180t ype	Table 4-2	Angle from transmit to receive polarization defined at center of aperature.		

Table 4-33 Enumeration Types for <i>TxPolarization</i>			
Enumeration Type	Definition		
V	Vertical polarization		
Н	Horizontal polarization		

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Table 4-33 Enumeration Types for <i>TxPolarization</i>				
Enumeration Type	Definition			
RHC	Right handed circular polarization			
LHC	Left handed circular polarization			
OTHER	Other type polarization			

4.2.6.7 Overview and Parameter Definition: Geometry

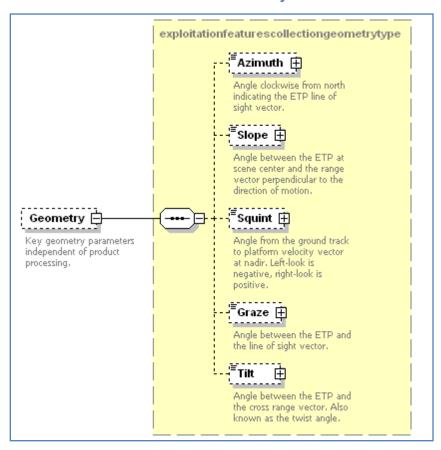


Figure 4-39 Geometry Structure

	Table 4-34 Geometry Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	er Type Reference		Definition		
Azimuth	doubletype	Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the angle clockwise from north indicating the ETP line of sight vector. Refer to Section 7.4.1 for calculations.		
Slope	zeroto90type	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the angle between the ETP at scene center and the range vector perpendicular to the direction of motion (velocity). Refer to Section 7.4.2 for calculations.		
Squint	neg180to180type	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the angle from the platform velocity vector. Left-look is negative, right-look is positive. Refer to Section 7.4.3 for calculations.		
Graze	zeroto90type	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the angle between the ETP and the line of sight vector. Refer to Section 7.4.4 for calculations.		
Tilt	neg180to180type	Table 4-2 Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the angle between the ETP and the cross range vector. Also known as the twist angle. Refer to Section 7.4.57.4.5 for calculations.		

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4.2.6.8 Overview and Parameter Definition: Phenomenology

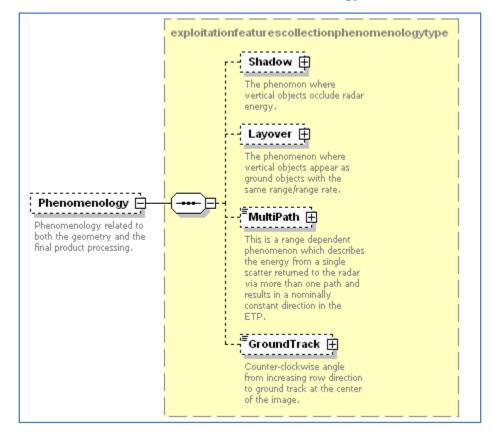


Figure 4-40 Phenomenology Structure

	Table 4-35 Phenomenology Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
Shadow	anglemagnitudetype	Figure 4-11Figure 4-11	Optional parameter describing the phenomenon where vertical objects occlude radar energy. Refer to Section 7.5.1 for calculations.	
Layover	anglemagnitudetype	Figure 4-11Figure 4-11	Optional parameter describing the phenomenon where vertical objects appear as ground objects with the same range/range rate. Refer to Section 7.5.2 for calculations.	
MultiPath	neg180to180type	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter that is a range dependent phenomenon which describes the energy from a single scatter returned to the radar via more than one path and results in a nominally constant direction in ground plane imagery. Refer to Section 7.5.5 for calculations.	

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	Table 4-35 Phenomenology Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition		
GroundTrack	neg180to180type	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter that describes the angle from increasing row direction to the ground track at the center of the image.		

4.2.6.9 Overview and Parameter Definition: Product

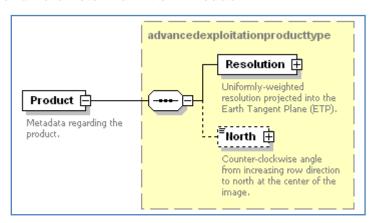


Figure 4-41 Product Structure

	Table 4-36 <i>Product</i> Parameter Definitions				
Parameter Type Reference			Definition		
Resolution	rowcoldoubletype	Section 4.1.4.11	Required parameter describing the uniformly-weighted resolution projected into the Earth Tangent Plane (ETP). Refer to Section 8 for calculations.		
North	neg180to180type	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter describing the angle from increasing row direction to north at the center of the image. Refer to Section 7.5.3 for calculations.		

4.2.7 ProductProcessing

The *ProductProcessing* grouping contains free parameters to allow the product developer to define product and implementation-specific parameters that describe the "algorithm-specific" processing done to create the detected image product.

The complex structures for the grouping are shown in Figure 4-42 through Figure 4-45.

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4.2.7.1 Parameters and Complex Structures: *ProductProcessing*

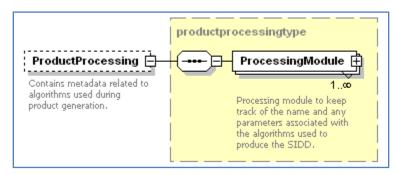


Figure 4-42 ProcessingApplied Structure

Table 4-37 ProcessingApplied Parameter Definitions					
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition		
ProductProcessing	productprocessingtype	Figure 4-42Figure 4-42 Table 4-37Table 4-37	Required processing module to track the name and any parameters associated with the algorithms used to produce the SIDD.		

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4.2.7.2 Overview and Parameter Definition: *ProcessingModule*

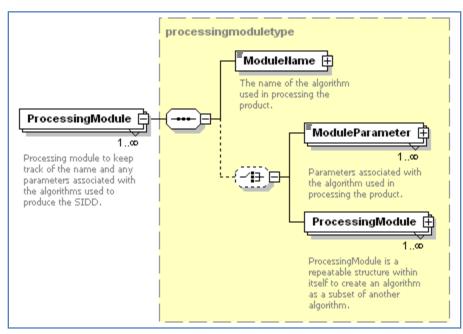


Figure 4-43 ProcessingModule Structure

	Table 4-38 ProcessingModule Parameter Definitions					
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition			
ModuleName	parametertype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter containing the name of the algorithm used in processing the product.			
ModuleParameter	parametertype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional switch parameter associated with the algorithm used in the processing the product.			
ProcessingModule	processingmoduletype	Figure 4-43Figure 4-43 Table 4-38Table 4-38	Optional switch parameter that is a repeatable structure within itself to create an algorithm as a subset of another algorithm.			

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4.2.8 DownstreamReprocessing

The optional *DownstreamReprocessing* grouping contains information about processing performed on a SIDD product by an exploitation tool. This grouping should not be included in the SIDD metadata during initial product creation; it will only be included when an ELT or other tool performs post-processing on a SIDD product. When any tool performs post-processing on a SIDD product, this grouping will be used by the tool to document the post-processing that occurred.

4.2.8.1 Parameter and Complex Structures: DownstreamReprocessing

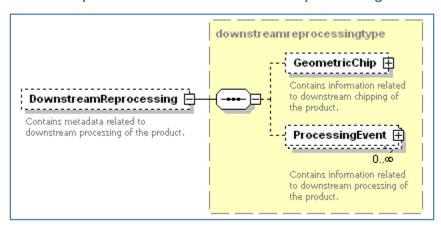


Figure 4-44 DownstreamReprocessing Structure

Table 4-39 DownstreamRe <i>processing</i> Parameter Definitions				
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition	
GeometricChip	geometricchiptype	Figure 4-45Figure 4-45 Table 4-40Table 4-40	Contains information related to downstream chipping of the product. There is only one instance, and the instance is updated with respect to the full image parameters. For example, if an image is chipped out of a smaller chip, the new chip needs to be updated to the original full image corners.	
ProcessingEvent	processingeventtype	Figure 4-46Figure 4-46 Table 4-41Table 4-41	Contains information related to downstream processing of the product.	

4.2.8.2 Overview and Parameter Definition: GeometricChip

The chipping metadata contains the relationship between chipped product's corner coordinates, and the original, full-image corner coordinates. Since this relationship is linear, bi-linear interpolation is sufficient to determine an arbitrary chip coordinate in terms of the original full image coordinates. Chipping is typically done using an exploitation tool, and should not be done in the initial product creation.

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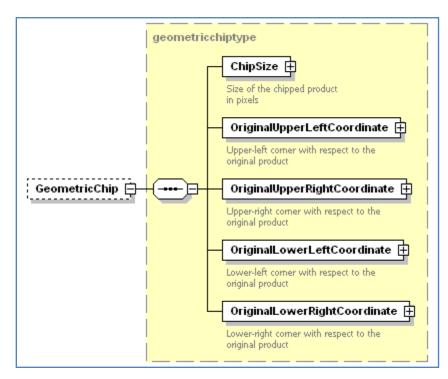


Figure 4-45 GeometricChip Structure

Table 4-40 GeometricChip Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
ChipSize	rowcolinttype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	Specifies the size of the chipped product in pixels.
OriginalUpperLeftCoordinate	rowcoldoubletype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	The OriginalUpperLeftCoordinate element describes the chipped image corner that is associated with the original upper left corner of the full image. The chipped image corner corresponds to {0,0} and the original upper left full image corner corresponds to {R ₁ ,C ₁ } in Figure 6-1Figure 6-1.
OriginalUpperRightCoordinate	rowcoldoubletype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	The OriginalUpperRightCoordinate element describes the chipped image corner that is associated with the original upper right corner of the full image. The chipped image corner

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Table 4-40 GeometricChip Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
			corresponds to {0,cCols-1} and the original upper right full image corner corresponds to {R ₂ , C ₂ } in <u>Figure</u> 6-1 Figure 6-1.
OriginalLowerLeftCoordinate	rowcoldoubletype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	The OriginalLowerLeftCoordinate element describes the chipped image corner that is associated with the original lower left corner of the full image. The chipped image corner corresponds to {cRows-1, 0} and the original lower left full image corner corresponds to {R ₄ ,C ₄ } in Figure 6-1 Figure 6-1.
OriginalLowerRightCoordinate	rowcoldoubletype	Figure 4-12Figure 4-12	The OriginalLowerRightCoordinate element describes the chipped image corner that is associated with the original lower right corner of the full image. The chipped image corner corresponds to {cRows-1, cCols-1} and the original lower right full image corner corresponds to {R ₃ ,C ₃ } in Figure 6-1 Figure 6-1.

4.2.8.3 Overview and Parameter Definition: *ProcessingEvent*

Each time an exploitation tool performs post-processingan instance of the *ProcessingEvent* complex structure is added to the *ExploitationProcessing* grouping.

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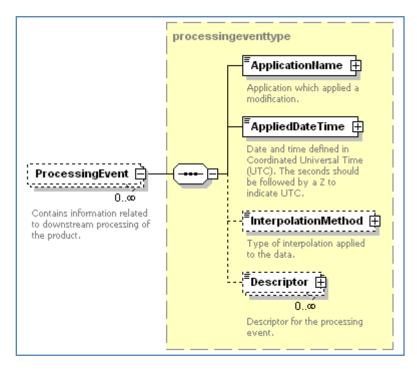


Figure 4-46 ProcessingEvent Structure

Table 4-41 ProcessingEvent Parameter Definitions			
Parameter	Туре	Reference	Definition
ApplicationName	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Require parameter used to describe the application (usually referring to specific exploitation tool and version) that applied a modification.
AppliedDateTime	dateTimetype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Required parameter used to describe the date at which the processing was applied.
InterpolationMethod	stringtype	Table 4-2Table 4-2	Optional parameter used to describe the type of interpolation applied to the data.
Descriptor	parametertype	Table 3-2	Optional descriptor for the processing event.

4.2.9 ErrorStatistics

The optional *ErrorStatistics* grouping will be carried forward from the SICD metadata when available. In the case where there are multiple SICD inputs, the profile (see Section 1.4) will define which should be propagated from the SICD. The top level layout for this grouping can be

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seen in Figure 4-47. For more details, see the SICD Design & Exploitation Description Document referenced in <u>Table 1-2 SICD Design Documentation</u> <u>Table 1-2 SICD Design Documentation</u>.

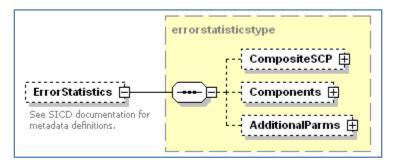


Figure 4-47 ErrorStatistics Schema Layout

4.2.10 Radiometric

The optional *Radiometric* is defined in the SICD specifications. All elements maps pixel intensities to the radiometric parameter. The top level layout for this grouping can be seen in Figure 4-48. For more details, see the SICD Design & Exploitation Description Document referenced in <u>Table 1-2 SICD Design Documentation</u> Table 1-2 SICD Design Documentation

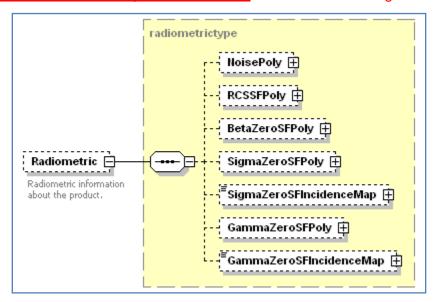


Figure 4-48 Radiometric Schema Layout

5 Display Exploitation (TBD)

The purpose of this section is to describe how the SIDD metadata should be used to ensure proper visual display of a SIDD product. This section will be expanded upon as the metadata solution is finalized in future revisions.

6 User Exploitation

The purpose of this section is to describe basic operations that can be done to a SIDD product. The two user exploitation activities in this section describe a procedure for chipping a SIDD product and a procedure for generating an icon using the SIDD metadata.

6.1.1 Chipping

The purpose of this section is to describe the procedure for relating a chipped image to its original full product SIDD. The chipping supports three linear operations; translation, rotation, and scaling. Once a chipping operation has been done, it is necessary to continuously map the newly formed chip coordinates to the full original image coordinates; this ensures that all capabilities on the original full image product are also supported on the chip image product. To enable the correct mapping, the coordinates of the chipped image product in terms of the original full image product coordinates must be recorded, see Table 4-40. For the purposes of chipping, all pixel coordinates refer to the center of the pixel.

Figure 6-1 shows a chipped product of chip size cRows and cCols relative to the full image product. The chip has been rotated, translated and scaled. The corners are recorded in full image coordinates as $\{R_1,C_1\}$ through $\{R_4,C_4\}$, the corresponding chip coordinates are listed below these values. The chip coordinate $\{r,c\}$ can be related to the original full image chip coordinate $\{R,C\}$ through bi-linear interpolation.

The bi-linear interpolation method is developed for the rows below, it is then listed for both the rows and columns following Figure 6-1.

The unknown value, R, is estimated from the four known corner coordinates, R_1 through R_4 , the matrix form of bi-linear interpolation is below. The unknown value, C, is estimated in a similar manner.

$$R = \begin{bmatrix} 1 - u & u \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} R_1 & R_2 \\ R_4 & R_3 \end{bmatrix} \begin{bmatrix} 1 - v \\ v \end{bmatrix}$$
$$u, v \in [0,1]$$

The above equation can be re-written as:

$$R = R_1 + (R_4 - R_1)u + (R_2 - R_1)v + (R_1 + R_3 - R_2 - R_4)uv$$

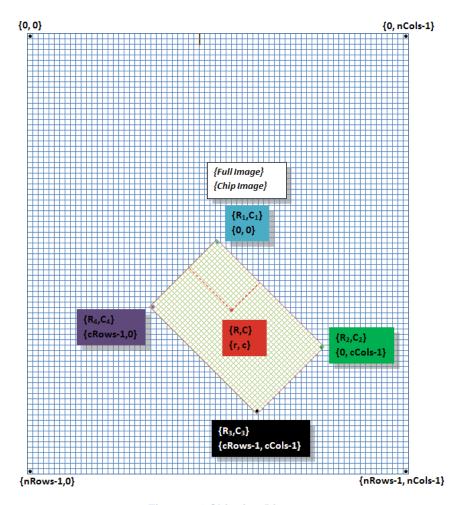


Figure 6-1 Chipping Diagram

The steps for computing the original full image coordinates from the chipped product are outlined below.

Step 1: Normalize the chip coordinates

$$u \equiv \frac{r}{cRows - 1}, v \equiv \frac{c}{cCols - 1}$$

Step 2: Compute original full image row coordinate bi-linear coefficients

$$\begin{aligned} A_r &= R_1 \\ B_r &= R_4 - R_1 \\ D_r &= R_2 - R_1 \\ F_r &= R_1 + R_3 - R_2 - R_4 \end{aligned}$$

Step 3: Compute original full image column coordinate bi-linear coefficients

$$A_c = C_1$$

$$B_c = C_4 - C_1$$

$$D_c = C_2 - C_1$$

$$F_c = C_1 + C_3 - C_2 - C_4$$

Step 3: Compute the full image row and column coordinate

$$R = A_r + uB_r + vD_r + uvF_r$$

$$C = A_c + uB_c + vD_c + uvF_c$$

6.1.2 Legend Creation

The Advanced Exploitation grouping contains metadata to support the creation of a product legend or icon by an exploitation tool or by a user. An example application of a product icon is a layover and shadow icon, which indicates the orientation of a SAR image to the user.

7 ExploitationFeatures Calculations

The purpose of this section is to provide definitions for the angle metadata defined in the *AdvancedExploitation* grouping. In addition to the definitions, derivations are provided for each angle defined in the grouping.

The following Table 7-1 defines the variables used in the derivations. The following figures diagram the angles and variables defined in the Table 7-1.

Table 7-1 Variables & Angles			
Variables	Definitions	Units	
Ψ	Grazing Angle	Degrees	
Ψο	Slope Angle	Degrees	
φs	Doppler Cone Angle	Degrees	
фд	Ground Plane Squint Angle	Degrees	
P _a	Antenna Position in ECEF coordinates	Meters	
V_a	Antenna Velocity in ECEF coordinates	Meters per second	
P _o	Scene Center Point in ECEF coordinates	Meters	
\mathbf{Z}_{g}	Earth Tangent Plane Normal in ECEF coordinates	Unitless	
^	Indicates a vector of unit	N/A	

Table 7-1 Variables & Angles				
Variables	Definitions	Units		
	magnitude			
φ	Latitude at Scene Center Point	Decimal Degrees		
λ	Longitude at Scene Center Point	Decimal Degrees		
r	Unit Vector in increasing rows, in ECEF coordinates	Unitless		
c	Unit Vector in increasing columns, in ECEF coordinates	Unitless		
θ_{r}	CCW rotation angle of output product	Degrees		
$ ho_{r,s}$	Slant Plane resolution in the range direction	Meters		
$ ho_{c,s}$	Slant Plane resolution in the azimuth direction	Meters		
$ ho_{r,g}$	Ground Plane resolution in the row direction	Meters		
$ ho_{c,g}$	Ground Plane resolution in the column direction	Meters		

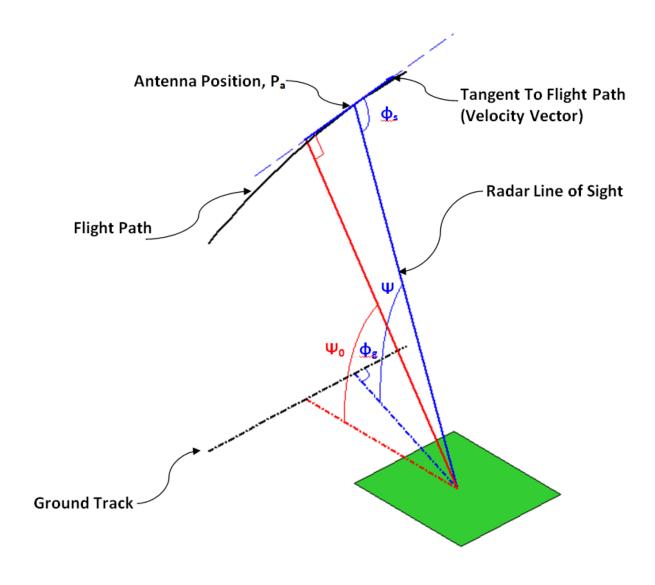


Figure 7-1 Three-Space Angle Definition Diagram

7.1 Slant Plane Definition

To simplify the derivations, it is necessary to define the slant plane. The slant plane is a plane that contains the radar line-of-sight vector and the instantaneous velocity vector. For convenience, the normal of this plane always points away from the earth.

$$\widehat{X}_{S} = \frac{P_{a} - P_{o}}{|P_{a} - P_{o}|}$$

$$\widehat{n} = \frac{\widehat{X}_{S} \times V_{a}}{\left|\widehat{X}_{S} \times V_{a}\right|}$$

$$\widehat{Z}_{S} = sgn(P_{o} \cdot \widehat{n})\widehat{n}$$

$$\widehat{Y}_{S} = \widehat{Z}_{S} \times \widehat{X}_{S}$$

7.1.1 Image Plane Defintion

The image plane normal is defined below.

$$z = r \times c$$

7.2 Image Angle

Image angles are measured counter-clockwise (CCW) from the first column of pixels, or increasing rows. This is off the $\bf r$ vector toward the $\bf c$ vector. The four quadrant arc-tangent function should be used throughout these computations.

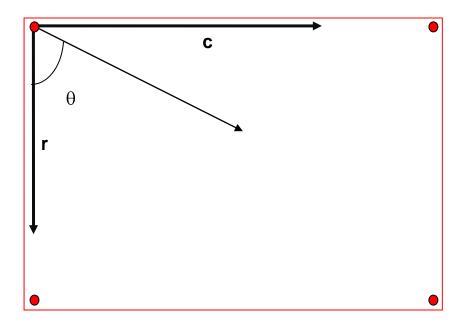


Figure 7-2 Image Angle Diagram

7.3 Information

This section contains the derivations for the angles contain in the *Information* grouping.

7.3.1 Polarization Angle

The polarization angle is defined from the SICD PolarizationHVAnglePoly evaluated at the center of aperture reference time.

7.4 Geometry

This section contains the geometry parameters independent of product processing.

7.4.1 Azimuth Angle

The azimuth angle indicates the radar line-of-sight vector on the earth. This is angle is measured clockwise from north.

$$\widehat{E} = \widehat{N} \times \widehat{U}$$

$$\theta_A = \tan^{-1}(\widehat{E} \cdot \widehat{X}_s, \widehat{N} \cdot \widehat{X}_s)$$

7.4.2 Slope Angle

Angle between the earth tangent plane (ETP) and range vector perpendicular to the direction of motion (sometimes referred to as the broadside grazing angle).

$$\psi_0 = \cos^{-1} \widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_s \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_g$$

7.4.3 Squint or Doppler Cone Angle

The Doppler Cone Angle is the angle off the velocity vector to the radar line-of-sight vector. The angle is sometimes referred to as the slant plane squint angle.

$$\phi_s = \cos^{-1} - \widehat{X}_s \cdot \widehat{V}_a$$

The ground plane squint angle is the angle off the velocity vector to the radar line-of-sight vector measured on the earth.

$$\widehat{Z}_{p} = \frac{P_{a}}{|P_{a}|}$$

$$X'_{s} = \widehat{X}_{s} - (\widehat{X}_{s} \cdot \widehat{Z}_{p})\widehat{Z}_{p}$$

$$V'_{a} = V_{a} - (V_{a} \cdot \widehat{Z}_{p})\widehat{Z}_{p}$$

$$\phi_{g} = \cos^{-1} - \widehat{X}'_{s} \cdot \widehat{V}'_{a}$$

7.4.4 Grazing Angle

The Grazing angle is the angle between the ETP and the line of sight vector.

$$\psi = \sin^{-1} \widehat{X}_s \cdot \widehat{Z}_g$$

7.4.5 Tilt Angle

The tilt angle (also known as the twist angle) is the angle between the ETP and the cross range vector.

$$\eta = \tan^{-1} \frac{\widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_g \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{Y}}_s}{\widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_g \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_s}$$

7.5 Phenomenology

This section contains the phenomenology related to both the geometry and the final product processing.

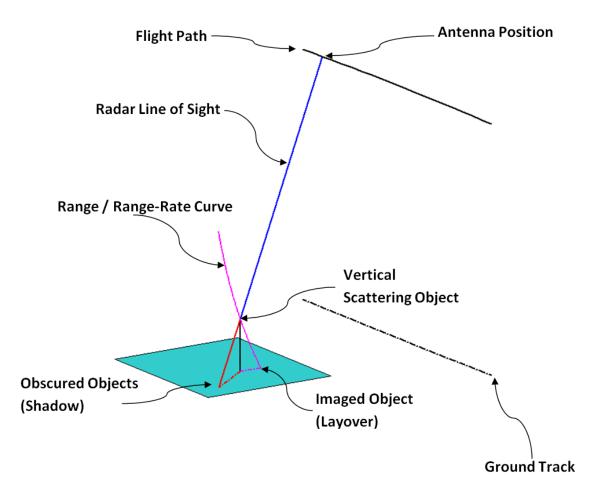


Figure 7-3 Phenomenology Diagram

7.5.1 Shadow

Shadow is an area in an image which is obscured by large vertical objects. The shadow vector derivation is shown below.

$$S = \widehat{Z}_g - \frac{\widehat{X}_s}{\widehat{X}_s \cdot \widehat{Z}_g}$$

$$S' = S - \frac{S \cdot \hat{z}}{\hat{Z}_S \cdot \hat{z}} \hat{Z}_S$$

$$\theta_S = \tan^{-1}(\boldsymbol{c} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}', \boldsymbol{r} \cdot \boldsymbol{S}')$$

The shadow magnitude is then

$$S = \sqrt{S' \cdot S'}$$

7.5.2 Layover

Layover is the phenomenon in which vertical objects appear as ground objects with same range/range-rate. The layover vector derivation is shown below. It assumes that the range/range-rate circles are nominally linear over the length of the ambiguity.

$$L = \hat{\mathbf{z}} - \frac{\widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_s}{\widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_s \cdot \widehat{\mathbf{z}}}$$

$$\theta_L = \tan^{-1}(\boldsymbol{c} \cdot \boldsymbol{L}, \boldsymbol{r} \cdot \boldsymbol{L})$$

The layover magnitude is then

$$L = \sqrt{L \cdot L}$$

7.5.3 North Direction

The north direction points toward the north pole and is defined at the scene center point. The computation is shown below.

$$\widehat{\mathbf{N}} = \begin{bmatrix} -\sin\varphi\cos\lambda \\ -\sin\varphi\sin\lambda \\ \cos\varphi \end{bmatrix}$$

$$N' = N - \frac{N \cdot \hat{z}}{\widehat{Z}_s \cdot \hat{z}} \widehat{Z}_s$$

$$\theta_N = \tan^{-1}(\boldsymbol{c} \cdot \boldsymbol{N}', \boldsymbol{r} \cdot \boldsymbol{N}')$$

7.5.4 Up Direction

The up direction, also referred to as \mathbf{Z}_g or ETP is tangent to the WGS84 ellipsoid model at the scene center point. The computation is shown below.

$$\widehat{\mathbf{Z}}_{g} = \mathbf{U} = \begin{bmatrix} \cos \varphi \cos \lambda \\ \cos \varphi \sin \lambda \\ \sin \varphi \end{bmatrix}$$

7.5.5 Multi-Path

Multi-path, or multi-bounce, is a phenomenon in which energy from a single scatter returns to the radar via more than one path. This is a range dependent phenomenon and results in a nominally constant direction in the image plane.

The multi-path vector is computed below

$$M = \widehat{X}_s - \frac{\widehat{X}_s \cdot \widehat{z}}{\widehat{Z}_s \cdot \widehat{z}} \widehat{Z}_s$$

The multi-path angle is computed in the standard fashion.

$$\theta_M = \tan^{-1}(\mathbf{c} \cdot \mathbf{M}, \mathbf{r} \cdot \mathbf{M})$$

7.5.6 Ground Track (Image Track) Angle

The image track angle is the projection of the velocity vector into the image plane.

$$T = V_a - (V_a \cdot \hat{z})\hat{z}$$

$$\theta_T = \tan^{-1}(\boldsymbol{c} \cdot \boldsymbol{T}, \boldsymbol{r} \cdot \boldsymbol{T})$$

8 Product Resolution

Ground plane resolutions are defined in the row and column directions and can be computed from the slant plane resolutions and collection geometry.

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$$\rho_{r,g} = \sqrt{\kappa_{r1}\rho_{r,s}^2 + \kappa_{r2}\rho_{c,s}^2}$$

$$\rho_{c,g} = \sqrt{\kappa_{c1}\rho_{r,s}^2 + \kappa_{c2}\rho_{c,s}^2}$$

Where

$$\begin{split} \kappa_{r1} &= \cos^2\theta_r \sec^2\psi + (\sin^2\theta_r \tan\psi \tan\eta - \sin2\theta_r \sec\psi) \tan\psi \tan\eta \\ \kappa_{r2} &= \sin^2\theta_r \sec^2\eta \\ \kappa_{c1} &= (\sin^2\theta_r \sec\psi - \sin2\theta_r \tan\psi \tan\eta) \sec\psi + \cos^2\theta_r \tan^2\psi \tan^2\eta \\ \kappa_{c2} &= \cos^2\theta_r \sec^2\eta \end{split}$$

The rotation angle is defined below:

$$\begin{aligned} \boldsymbol{X}_g &= \widehat{\boldsymbol{X}}_s - \big(\widehat{\boldsymbol{X}}_s \cdot \widehat{\boldsymbol{z}}\big)\widehat{\boldsymbol{z}} \\ \theta_r &= -\tan^{-1} \big(\boldsymbol{c} \cdot \boldsymbol{X}_g, \boldsymbol{r} \cdot \boldsymbol{X}_g\big) \end{aligned}$$

9 Acronym List

Table 9-1 Coordinate System Pixel Grid Acronyms		
Acronym	Definition	
DRA	Dynamic Remap Adjustment	
D&E	Design and Exploitation Description Document	
ECEF	Earth Centered, Earth Fixed Coordinate	
EGD	ECEF Gridded Display	
ETP	Earth Tangent Plane	
GGD	Geodetic Gridded Display	
ROI	Region of Interest	
RRDS	Reduced Resolution Datasets	
SAR	Synthetic Aperture Radar	
SICD	Sensor Independent Complex Data	
SIDD	Sensor Independent Derived Data	
SIPS	Softcopy Image Processing Standard	
UTC	Universal Time Coordinate	
XML	eXtensible Markup Language	