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## Flood Damage Data Collection Program (2012)

**Status:**            **Project Manager:**

In Progress        [Kevin Knight](#)

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**Purpose:**            The purpose of the Flood Damage Data Collection Program (FDDC) is to provide economists, planners and other analysts with tools to more accurately and efficiently estimate the economic impacts of flooding by collecting primary data, providing analysis, and supplying analytical tools as determined by soliciting information from Corps economists.

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**Objective:**        The FDDC Program is intended to provide information and tools to analysts for evaluating flood risks to property and for estimating the economic benefits of flood damage reduction. The FDDC is designed compile generic damage relationships, estimation models, and data collection tools for organizing floodplain inventory data.

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**Benefits:**         This program will enable Corps of Engineer districts and communities applying for FEMA Hazard Mitigation grants to more accurately and efficiently estimate the economic consequences of flooding. Field analysts will not have to collect their own basic data, make their own detailed analyses of damage relationships, or invent their own tools for collecting and managing data.

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