# The Pilot Production of Topographic-Cadastral Maps and Its Applications in Korea

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#### **Abstract**

The Government confirmed the action planning of digital mapping project for major thematic maps based on 'Revised Plan for The Development of the National Geographic Information System' (NGIS). Mapping for major thematic maps was begun in 1998 when digital mapping project for topographic maps finished due to the delay of the action planning, and will selectively have produced the essential digital thematic maps according to the frequency of usage. The models of topographic-cadastral maps and administrative boundary maps around Suwon were produced in accordance with the presented draft. We presented specification for production of the most appropriate topographic-cadastral maps and administrative boundary maps through the analysis of the process of production, discussion and error check, and correction of the produced topographic-cadastral maps and administrative boundary maps. And we could make it easier to develop digital mapping project of topographic-cadastral maps and administrative boundary maps effectively by presenting the strategy for data input and maintenance, the cost model for carrying out the digital thematic map production, digital topographic maps, and the supplement of data model and data format. Topographic-cadastral maps has a wide range of usage but a lot of difficulties in the process of production and map update under use. So it seems that the study on users, university, private sector and municipal self-government must follow for promoting the use of topographic-cadastral maps.

Keywords: NGIS, thematic map, topographic-cadastral map, administrative boundary map, data model

## 1. Preface

In addition to national base map, converting major thematic maps into digital map can have the great spreading effect on extending GIS market and on the use of GIS because it can cause vast potential demands and is applicable in various fields. It often happens that the location of relevant parcel should be identified on the present topography when a public agency plans and manages administrative affairs.

Because topographic map and cadastral map are correlated with each other, they are often used together. However, cadastral map is the data which is related to the ownership, so it has a limited use. Some troubles can be caused because there is a miss matching part when topographic map and cadastral map are overlapped.

Consequently in this study topographic-cadastral map was pilot-produced and the most suitable product specification for topographic-cadastral map was presented, targeting the whole area of Suwon through overlapping them. It can be used in administrative department and private sector which aren't related to land ownership (NGI, 1999, Choi and Lee, 2000).

# 2. Analysis of the Present Condition of Topographic-Cadastral Map and Users' Demands for It

# 2.1 The Present Condition of Topographic-Cadastral Map

# 2.1.1 Topographic map

Topographic map usually approved as National Base Map is the map which is produced and distributed by National Geography Institute (NGI), and it is one of the accomplishments made by basic survey (Articles 1 the Surveying and Mapping Law). There are maps drawn on a scale of 1/5000, 1/10,000, 1/25,000, 1/50,000, 1/100,000, and 1/250,000. A map is designated as base map when it is standardized, accuracy is uniformed and it is drawn on the

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largest scale. Digital mapping project of topographic map is superintended and implemented on the basis of the master plan for the development of the National Geographic Information system by National Geography Institute which is a geographic information subcommittee. There are 5 subcommittees in NGIS: coordinating and planning subcommittee, geographic information subcommittee, land information subcommittee, standardization subcommittee and technology development subcommittee (NGI, 1999).

Digital map is produced on the basis of Specification for Digital Mapping at Scales between 1:1000 and 1:25,000 and classified into 9 Layers such as rail way, stream, road, building, tributary, institution, topography, administration, regional boundary and cycle. Feature code which belonged to Layer is given 750 definitions and consisted of the 4 level NGI feature classifications -first, second, third, fourth level.

#### 2.1.2 Land cadastral map

Cadastral map is cadastral map and forest cadastral map. It is cadastral records for registration and official notification of boundary which shows shape of parcel and extending scope of a real right like ownership to land.

Cadastral map (forest cadastral map) is a kind of cadastral records where address of parcel, land use category, boundary and the specification made by the Ministry of Government Administration and Home Affairs (MOGAHA) are registered. It is also a map for managing land and for protecting ownership to land (Articles 1 and 10 of the Cadastral Law).

Cadastral map is a map which shows boundary of parcel registered in cadastral land book, and cadastral forest book is a map which shows boundary of parcel registered in cadastral forest book. There are cadastral maps drawn on a scale of 1/500, 1/600, 1/1,000, 1/1,200, 1/2,400, 1/3,000, and 1/6,000, and cadastral forest maps 1/3,000 and 1/6,000 (Ryu, 1988, MGAHA, 1997).

#### 2.2 Analysis of Users' Demands

The survey which was consisted of 40 questionnaires related to topographic-cadastral maps was conducted for analysis of users' demands in 375 institutions and companies.

About 40% out of them responded to the survey (NGI, 1999).

### 2.2.1 Concerning thematic map

• Necessity of digital thematic map (topographic - cadastral maps)

84(59%) institutions or companies which was over 50% answered that a digital thematic map was necessary. 27

(19%) felt it necessary but unapplicable in technical use. 16 (11%) answered that it was acceptable to use a paper map in their working situation. It was analyzed that many institutions or companies felt thematic map necessary but some felt operating computerized data as a burden.

■ The result of survey on the difference between the last accomplishment and the initial expectation to thematic map

The survey showed negative facts in using thematic map. The result was that 53 institutions and companies felt editing necessary for geographic information system, 35(19%) felt it still needed reliability because of errors, and 35(19%) felt it difficult to take measures for reform and correction. It resulted from that it didn't reflect users' demands and was not accurate. Improvement is urgent because only 14(8%) was satisfied with it.

The result of survey on the problems caused when developing GIS by using thematic map

When they were asked about the problems caused during developing GIS by way of digital thematic map, they answered as follows: 65(38%) experienced edge miss matching, feature code error and omission, 30(18%) experienced the problem of unclosed polygon, 13(8%) experienced the error with name of the file, cartographic lettering error and omission, 29(17%) have never used digital map, 23(14%) were mostly satisfied. When developing GIS, it was necessary to solve the problems concerning production of continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address, miss matching when overlapping topographic map with continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address, error and omission during inspection.

- 2.2.2 The sequency between digital map and thematic map
- The survey on disagreement of thematic maps including land cadastral map and digital map

72(35%) out of them agreed that it was the most important to conduct a precise research and study when developing thematic map. After that basic problems should be solved. 41(20%) agreed that it was all right to overlap the present data artificially unless they were not used for survey and map. 41(20%) agreed that it was hard to expect to develop GIS when it couldn't be overlapped.

The result of survey on the suitable ways for correcting digital map and land cadastral map

The survey on the ways of correcting thematic map which overlapped topographic map with digital map shows that it couldn't present a concrete way: 59(50%) thought it was reasonable to use land cadastral map which was simpler than topographic map, 21(18%) thought it was impossible to correct them and 20(17%) didn't have any idea about it.

■ The result of survey on production and use of applicable program

When producing and using applicable program by way of digital map and thematic map, the big problems were as follows; there was a shortage of professional human resource and equipment (43, 22%), time was spent excessively for structural edit (43, 22%), most of the data should be automatized and structured through program (43, 22%), there were too many impossibilities in structuring simple graphic data (22, 11%), and there were basic requirements such as continuous road center line, use of the same point for turning point and abolishment and amalgamation of polygon (22, 11%).

#### 2.2.3 Concerning land cadastral map

The result of survey on the kinds of a reduced scale used in forest cadastral map and retained by institutions

If the classification of a reduced scale of forest cadastral map according to the kinds was understood, the most often used scale could be applied for production of thematic map. The order of retained scale according to the kinds is 1/1200(29%), 1/500(21%), 1/600(19%), 1/3000(18%), 1/2400(4%) and etc.

■ The result of survey on the problems caused when land cadastral map is computerized

Each institution presented a problem according to its work. Among them the frequent and important problems were presented as follows; disagreement between cadastral and topography and how to solve it, the difficulty of updating due to shortage of professional human resource and equipment, technical problem in using information (shortage of professional human resource), and the sequency between land cadastral map and land cadastral register, and securing the accuracy.

# 3. The Strategy for Developing and Using Topographic-Cadastral Maps

As a result of survey, the measures were decided for developing topographic-cadastral maps by way of digital topographic map as follows, analyzing of present preliminary work and considering of the scope of use (Choi and Park, 2001).

#### 3.1 The scope of Using Topographic-Cadastral Maps

It was important to understand what the user's demands for information of land was when developing thematic map related to land. The demands for information of land could be classified as follows.

Firstly, it was the original sheet of cadastral map which

was computerized into a sheet of land cadastral map (forest cadastral map). This satisfied the demands for administrative affairs handled on the basis of land cadastral map, should maintain the original shape of it and needs the accuracy.

Secondly, it was the continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address made through matching each sheet according to administrative district or a reduced scale.

This map was necessary to understand the present state by using real land cadastral map or to conduct basic analysis like writing out statistics and research. This continuous land cadastral map had some problems such as miss matching between cadastral maps and forest cadastral maps, discrepancy between current state and cadastral map, and miss matching between cadastral map edges due to the problems caused in restoring expired survey control point, the problems with the control point and survey technique caused during the period of writing. It ran short of accuracy compared with original maps but it was used in administrative department.

Thirdly, it was topographic cadastral maps and continuous cadastral maps made by way of using topographic map and land cadastral map. They were necessary to overcome the double work when we were conducting the work like establishing each plan, drawing topographic map and notifying it. Because topographic-cadastral maps were edited in accordance with real topography, there is only a little change in the shape of parcel. But the location was accurate so that they were necessary for conducting the work related to the land like establishment of plan and the expectation for the effect was high.

The result of survey on the use according to each work of local autonomous entity showed that 50% work was conducted at city offices and 57.6% work at district offices through using land cadastral map and topographic map at the same time.

# 3.2 The Strategy for Developing Topographic-Cadastral Maps

As a result of survey, the direction was presented for developing topographic-cadastral maps, considering the scope of use and analyzing the preliminary work.

First a sheet of digital land cadastral map was produced after photocopying register of parcel coordinates and scanning land cadastral map. Next it was edited into continuous cadastral maps and developed topographic-cadastral maps by overlapping digital topographic maps and cadastral maps. After producing respectively three kinds of maps such as a sheet of digital cadastral map, continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address and topographic-cadastral maps, they could be used according to the purpose of use and usage. Also digital topographic maps were chosen and

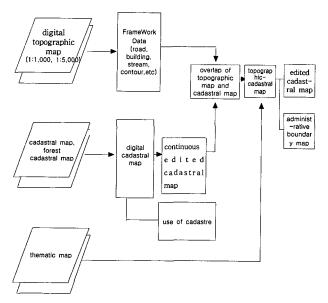


Fig. 1. Developing and using Topographic-Cadastral Maps.

used which were suitable to a reduced scale of land cadastral maps of target area to prevent repeated investment, to connect and integrate with other GIS afterward. Administrative boundary map was produced through administrative district code (law district code) input in topographic-cadastral maps as attribute data. A sheet of digital cadastral map was produced to use in the afterward computerizing process of land cadastral map, based on the specification for digital cadastral map (Fig. 1. Developing and using topographic-cadastral maps).

There were two ways for topographic-cadastral map production. One was to overlap land cadastral map on topographic map which was a base map and the other was to overlap topographic map on land cadastral map which was a base map. When using cadastral map as base map, there were so many different reduced scales that miss matching of edge area were caused by them. And there was too much data for topographic map when coordinate transforming to overlap it on land cadastral map. Consequently in this study precise process was presented and topographic-cadastral map was pilot produced based on overlapping the land cadastral map which was easy to edit, had a little information and was drawn mostly with a straight line considering digital topographic map as base map.

# 4. The Strategy for Pilot Production and Improvement

### 4.1 Pilot Production

In this study continuous edited cadastral map was devel-

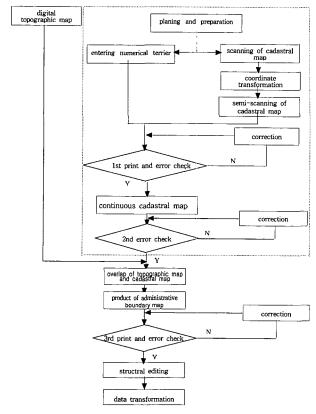


Fig. 2. Work Flow of Topographic-Cadastral Map Production.

oped for parcel address and topographic-cadastral map by way of a sheet of digital cadastral map produced after photocopying register of parcel coordinates and scanning land cadastral map. It was based on a sheet of topographic map drawn on a scale of 1/25,000 of the whole area of Suwon according to the precise process of pilot production. The important process of pilot production of topographic-cadastral map is as follows (Fig. 2. Work flow of topographic-cadastral map production).

### Planning and preparing for work

Preparing for collecting data: index map of cadastral map and digital topographic map drawn on a scale of 1/1,000 and 1/5,000 according to scales and administrative district

Scanning land cadastral map and photocopying register of parcel coordinates

Register of parcel coordinates and origin drawing of reduced cadastral map of pilot production area were scanned and photocopied. The specification for digitalization of cadastral map by the Ministry of Government Administration and Home Affairs was applied in a sheet of digital cadastral map to use in the afterward project of computerizing cadastral map.

#### ■ Coordinate transformation

Coordinate transformed into cartesian coordinate system

on the basis of each point of four corners of scanned cadastral map.

#### Semi-scanning

Semi-scanning was used indicating adjacent raster file on screen. After finishing correcting vector data, it was confirmed that there was no silver polygon between polygons and corrected. After inputting it was inspected by way of comparing origin drawing with output photocopied sheet.

Production of continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address

After solving the problems like discrepancy between cadastral map and topographic map, and the problems like present control point and expansion and shrinkage of cadastral map which cadastral map had, a sheet of land cadastral map as well as continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address and topographic-cadastral map were necessary to handle the land systematically. The spatial data related to land cadastral map was developed in the order of a sheet of cadastral map, continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address and topographic-cadastral map.

• Merger of topography and cadastral map for parcel address

Line of cadastral map was edited on the basis of road line, building line and riparian boundary line by way of topographic maps drawn on a scale of 1/1,000 and 1/5,000 which was the data of NGIS. Also land cadastral map was edited by way of main feature layer when it was necessary. Although line of cadastral map was overlapped on topographical map, it didn't accord totally with the boundaries of road, paddy field and arable land. So they were edited to accord line of cadastral map with the boundary of main feature of topographical map.

#### 4.2 The Strategy for Improvement

When maps were pilot produced targeting the whole area of Suwon in this study, it was found that there was no guidelines for topographic-cadastral map production (MGAHA, 1997, NGI, 1997). The measures presented in the process of pilot production are as follows.

### 4.2.1 The problem of datum origin

Then Korean government established local datum in Kyeonggi province and Daegu, and surveyed them before Korea land survey project. These were called old geodetic datum areas. Suwon which was a model area for development was the place where Korea geodetic datum and old geodetic datum were adjacent. This was the place which had a difficulty in edge matching because sheet lines were overlapped when putting together cadastral maps. After understanding precisely old geodetic datum included in the

cadastral map, the measure was applied to coordinate-transform digital data of land cadastral map of old geodetic datum area into the coordinates of Korea geodetic datum. When coordinate-transforming coordinates of control points in old geodetic datum area into the coordinates of Korea geodetic datum, displacement of geodetic datum, azimuth and rotation angle were calculated, and used them as a parameter for coordinate transformation of break point of boundary.

#### 4.2.2 The problem caused when merging maps

The problem was solved to accord the boundaries in the area adjacent to edges of land cadastral maps by way of GIS and S/W. The discrepancy between sheets of cadastral maps was found in the boundaries of adjacent edges as well as in the case of being adjacent because law district was changed according to a equally reduced scale. It was also found when sheets differently reduced scale were adjacent and when sheets of cadastral map decided as disagreement area between cadastral map and present surveying result in a equally reduced scale were adjacent. When edge lines were in discord between sheets of cadastral maps, the shortest boundary point of parcel in both ends of edge area of map was connected by a straight line and the other lines were eliminated. When the lines were overlapped, the line of one cadastral map was closed and the line of the other cadastral map was not closed, the closed line was restored and the unclosed line was eliminated. When the line of small scale cadastral map was isolated in an adjacent area of different scaled maps, it was eliminated on the basis of the line of big scaled cadastral map. In the case parcel which was not related to surroundings was overlapped, the line of cadastral map was eliminated according to parcel number. It was the best way to decide which line to choose through topographic field survey to accord different types of disagreement.

### 4.2.3 The problem caused when inspecting

The steps of inspection on the accomplishment of pilot development were considered important when this study was under way. The ways to evaluate the quality and the accuracy of thematic map were various according to the types of data and the way of inspection. The evaluation of the quality of data was for deciding whether thematic map was suitable to target usage, and it was divided into two ways; one was to evaluate absolute accuracy to compare input thematic map with feature of real world and the other was to evaluate relative accuracy between graphic information of produced thematic map and attribute information. whole number inspection, sample inspection, overlapping

inspection, computer inspection and automatic inspection were considered as the ways to inspect thematic map. The process of real inspection was in the order of inspection with naked eyes, inspection of screen, inspection by digital map program and inspection of completion. At first all was inspected on the basis of 80% sampling but 85% sampling was used for inspection with naked eyes and screen inspection to improve the accuracy. Eventually in the cases of inspection by digital map program and completion inspection, the accuracy of accomplishments was improved through whole number inspection.

# 4.2.4 The strategy for improvement of digital topographic map

As the project of development of NGIS started, computerization of topographic map which was national base map was conducted during the short period. Because of that afterward correction and supplement were becoming necessary. In the case of disagreement between topographic map and present topography, it cost a lot of money and time for surveying extra correction or research again on it. The measure should be adopted to make use of the accomplishment of development of GIS conducted in local autonomous entity or public institution rather than conducting extra

project.

Next step was data modelling and format. Format of digital topographic map and layer system should be added and supplemented in accordance with use of GIS in various fields. Korean Framework Data should be developed for making the most of digital topographic map, for improving accuracy and for preventing double investment on the development of data during the process of thematic map production. It was also necessary to simplify and standardize the way of transcribing on the present digital topographic map. For example when road center line was drawn, an imaginary center line was drawn on the crossing when one-way street and both-way street crossed each other. In the case one-way street and both-way street crossed, an imaginary road center line was drawn on the one-way street and on the node in the center of crossing. When each feature was drawn like this, it was necessary to review classification system and classification method for classification of feature, considering the importance of each feature.

# 5. Guidelines for Topographic-Cadastral Map Production

In this study guidelines for topographic-cadastral map

Table 1. The Specification for Topographic-Cadastral Map Production Presented During Pilot Production

chap 1. general rules	
	sub-section 1. (aim) sub-section 2. (definition of terms) sub-section 3. (criterion of application) sub-section 4. (coordinate system) sub-section 5. (standard code) sub-section 6. (work flow)
chap 2. detail work	
section 1. planning and preparation	sub-section 7 (planning and preparation) sub-section 8 (detail work planning) sub-section 9. (data inspection) sub-section 10. (cadastral map collection) sub-section 11. (scanning of cadastral map) sub-section 12. (coordinate transformation)
section 2. entering coordinate of numerical terrier	sub-section 13. (copy of numerical terrier) sub-section 14. (preparation) sub-section 15. (entering coordinate) sub-section 16. (error check)
section 3. semi-scanning of cadastral map	sub-section 17. (enterinf data) sub-section 18. (semi-scanning) sub-section 19. (1st printing and error check)
section4. product of series of cadastral map	sub-section 20. (product of continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address) sub-section 21. (2nd error check)
section 5. product of topographic-cadastral map and administrative map	sub-section 22. (product of topographic-cadastral map) sub-section 23. (product of administrative boundary map) sub-section 24. (structural editing) sub-section 25. (3rd printing and error check)
section 6. delivery of goods	sub-section 26 (delivery of goods)
appendix1. manual of map symbols for topographic-cadastral map and administrative map	manual of map symbols for topographic-cadastral map manual of map symbols for administrative boundary map

Table 2. The Overall Detail of Internal File Format of NGI

- Save spatial data and non-spatial data in different files.
- The extension of saving file for spatial data is \*.ngi and that of non-spatial data is \*.ndb.
- A file consists of more than one layer, i.e, layer section.
- A layer section starts with <LAYERSTART> and ends with <LAYEREND>.
- A layer section consists of head section and data section.
- A section starts with <SectionName> and ends with <END>.
   Head section starts with <SectionNameand> data section starts with <DATA>.
- A section consists of several parts.
- Part starts with \$PartName and ends with \$END.
- The data of letter column is cited as ("") in file format.
- When there are quotation marks in the data of letter column, the marks are repeated again.
- In case there is Back Slash(\), it is repeated again.

production was presented through pilot production. It consisted of chapter 1 (General rules) and chapter 2 (detailed work according to process and annexed standardization of map symbols). Chapter 1 included general contents such as aim, definition of the term, coordinate, standard feature code and work flow. In chapter 2, the course of work was explained. Table 3 is the content of guidelines for topographic-cadastral map production presented in this study

(Table 1. The specification for topographic-cadastral map production presented during pilot production).

### 6. Data Model of Topographic-Cadastral Map

#### 6.1 The Requirements for Data Model

The following requirements must be met to design data model of thematic map such as topographic-cadastral map and administrative district map. A topographic-cadastral map and an administrative district map are usually used in planning i.e. management of administrative affairs by public agency, and include the data on the location of the relevant parcel on the present topography. So a topographic map and a cadastral map should be merged to constitute a thematic map like topographic-cadastral map and administrative district map. Although a topographic map and a cadastral map complement each other, there are some inconvenience because of mis-matching part caused in overlapping a topographic map and a cadastral map. Therefore it is advisable to produce a topographic-cadastral map after editing and suiting a line of cadastral map to a main feature in order to use and overlap a topographic map and a

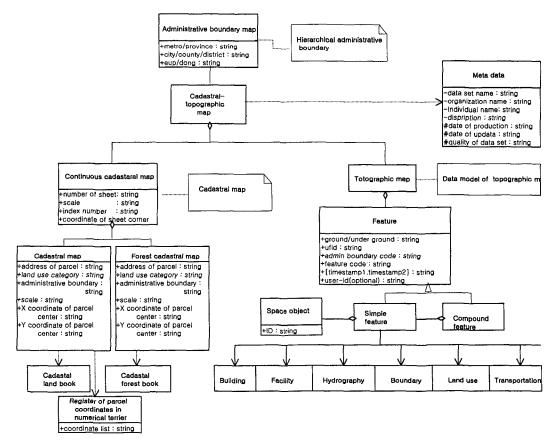


Fig. 3. Data Model for Topographic-Cadastral Map.

cadastral map. As a result it can be used in administrative affairs and private sector which aren't related to land ownership (NGI, 1999).

#### 6.2 Data Model for Topographic-Cadastral Map

The thematic map managed in this study is produced on the basis of topographic-cadastral map resulted from merging both digital topographic map and continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address which merged land cadastral map and forest cadastral map. It will be explained after a thematic map is created according to the requirements of data model for thematic map and to the way to express data model and spatial objective of digital topographic map. Data model for thematic map is designed through OMT and it is seen in Fig. 4 by way of class diagram of UML.

The topographic map of Fig. 4 is the map which was presented through associating the data of feature such as building, facility, riparian boundary, boundary, tributary, transport and topography according to the need. A topographic map was drafted in accordance with the data model of digital topographic map presented by NGI. Land cadastral map (land cadastral register) and forest cadastral map (forest cadastral register) have the data necessary for managing parcel as attribute data; parcel address, land use category group of land use, administrative district code, law district code, scale district code, and X coordinate and Y coordinate centering on parcel.

Continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address is drafted to merge and manage the data of land cadastral map and forest cadastral map. Continuous edited cadastral map for parcel address has attribute data such as map number, scale, sheet number and sheet coordinate.

#### 6.3 Data Format of Topographic-Cadastral Map

Thanks to the rapid decrease of price of software and hardware and development of computer, the demand for use and need of GIS, which was hold back for the time being, is increasing. Since the local government system and informationized society were adopted, local government has recognized the need of information, is planning to develope local government's information and some of local governments are developing initial information system. But in terms of data interchange and use, developing fragmentary and individual local government's information not only can't be succeeded but also can be waste of resource and an obstacle to developing the subsequent data system. Consequently systematic information should be developed in accordance with overall uniformity. Data format is important for previously developed geography information system through keeping data consistent and for linkage or

merger of GIS which is due to be developed in the future. This study uses the internal data format of NGI designed to be supplied and used for different users, solving the problems of DXF. Especially it is the ASCII type so that users may directly correct and edit GIS data.

Table 2 shows the overall detail of internal file format of NGI.

The study on external meta data was conducted for efficient management and smooth supply by NGI producing and managing national digital map (The study on management of geographic information and supply system). In the study on meta data, a draft standard of meta data for national digital map was presented on the basis of ISO meta data and previous meta data of NGI. Presented draft standard of meta data consists of 8 main chapters and 3 subordinate chapters. Subordinate chapters consist of the data used when main chapter needs additional data, and each chapter has many subordinate component unit and details are presented in the component unit.

Meta data of topographic-cadastral map adopted a base structure of external meta data of digital map presented in the study of external meta data conducted by NGI so that the system of standardized meta data may be developed.

#### 7. Conclusion

In this study topographic-cadastral map which was often used among major thematic maps was pilot producted for target city of Suwon according to detailed plan for digitalization of major thematic map included in master plan for the development of NGIS. The conclusion was as follows.

- 1. The best standard working process for development of topographic-cadastral maps was developed on the basis of the result of study, and trial and error during pilot production.
- 2. The strategy was presented for solving the main problems caused in inspection, in disagreement in matching maps and in disagreement of coordinates caused in pilot production of topographic-cadastral map.
- 3. In this study "guidelines for topographic-cadastral map production" was presented for details like standard of how to work and process necessary for digitalization of topographic-cadastral map.
- 4. The strategy were presented for developing, maintaininghandling data and the direction for conducting map production according to the state of raw data each local autonomous entity had.

Consequently topographic-cadastral maps can be used widely in many fields but they have many difficulties caused during the process of production and the problems concerning reform of maps which were being used. It was concluded that user-oriented study at local autonomous entity, private sector or university was more necessary, which meant the study on the fields using topographic-cadastral map as base map although it was good to maintain accuracy and make use of digital cadastral map.

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