

Pictometry Sensor - Plane Site Visit, Van Nuys Airport, 03/02/2006

Milan Svitek, the Project Manager for the LAR-IAC, attended this plane site visit...on his last work day for the County (he retired effective March 6, 2006).

Here is one of Pictometry's planes used to take the oblique imagery (7 separate planes and sensors are on the job currently).



Here's the cockpit showing the GPS unit and instrument controls; there's also a computer for flight line guidance.



Milan Svitek and a couple of us from the GIS Section with the pilot (on right); Pictometry staff was on hand and they are included here as well.



We enjoyed seeing the patented Pictometry camera sensor (although we could not take a picture of it). Pictometry's sensors and number of planes capturing imagery is key to delivering the large oblique aerial digital imagery dataset.