History of Remote Sensing and Aerial Photography

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Highlights in the History of Remote Sensing

- **1859** - The First Aerial Photographer
- **1903** - Breast mounted camera for pigeons

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Highlights in the History of Remote Sensing

- 1909-Photos from an airplane
- (1914-1918) - World War I
- 1934-American Society of Photogrammetry founded
- 1942-Kodak patents false color IR film
- 1946-First Space photographs from V-2 rockets

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Highlights in the History of Remote Sensing

- **1968**-Apollo returned the first pictures of the Earth from deep space
- **1972**-NASA launched the first Earth Resources Technology Satellite (ERTS-1)
- **1986**-Launch of SPOT-1

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- 1995-Canada launched RADARSAT
- 2001-Launch of Quickbird

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