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**ABSTRACT**

The Swiss National Report summarises the relevant activities between 1996 and 2000 of government, research, and education institutions, systems and equipment manufacturers and suppliers, consulting and contract service providers.

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This report is not complete but still gives a fairly good overview of relevant activities in Switzerland between 1996 and 2000. There are additional activities, not reported here, especially regarding research (particularly in the fields of remote sensing and spatial information sciences) and private firms.