

**Leadership 201
Action Learning Assignment
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How do you really do integrated science?

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The Director has been a champion for integrated science in the USGS for several years now. There have been some scattered attempts at doing integrated science with varying degrees of success. How do you really do integrated science? How do you leap the historical and organizational barriers of the USGS?

- Identify the key barriers/issues related to integrated science. Clearly state the problem/issue, why it is a problem/issue, and produce solutions and recommendations for each issue.
- Of these problems/issues, determine the top two priorities for USGS and develop a strategy for full implementation that includes high level objectives and detailed action steps.