



INITIATIVE	California Wildfire Prediction and Underwriting Model
AWARD	Celent Model Insurer 2025 for Data, Analytics and AI
EXECUTIVE SUMMARY	Delos Insurance Solutions is a managing general agent that specializes in providing property insurance in climate-affected regions. Their primary focus is addressing the challenges of insuring homes in California that struggle to find options due to percieved wildfire exposure, a market where many traditional insurers are reducing their coverage.  Delos' platform is enabled by a novel geospatial machine learning ensemble that utilizes two hundred data inputs, including NASA Earth-observation imagery, datasets like NASA's LANDFIRE, and the most current climate science, describing vegetation, climate, and human activity that together determines a property's true risk profile. This combination of methodology and depth of data allows for a strong spatial understanding of wildfire risk.
KEY BENEFITS	<ul> <li>Growth</li> <li>In the last 18 months, Delos has gone from writing \$3.5M GWP per month to writing \$9M GWP per month – with a sub 25% loss ratio. It writes insurance worth \$40 billion of total insured value.</li> <li>In October 2024, the success of the Delos technology enabled it to raise \$9 million through a Series A funding round. The round was led by HSBC Asset Management and included IA Capital Group, Blue Bear Capital and Generation Space.</li> <li>Delos has also increased its distribution network from 6,000 agency appointments to 11,000 and boosted the number of its carrier distribution partners.</li> </ul>
KEY VENDORS	Data partners such as NASA's earth-observation imagery and datasets like NASA's LANDFIRE.
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