# Task Order 007 2010 Lidar

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Tags

None, None, Elevation, Topography, Mississippi, Lake Pontchartrain, USA, Barrier Islands, Louisiana, LAS V.1.2 LiDAR, Lidar, Height

#### **Summary**

Task Order 007 Aerial Survey 2010 project will support the US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Joint Airborne Lidar Bathymetry Technical Center of Expertise (JALBTCX) collection of data representing the post-hurricane condition of the beaches, barrier islands, and lakeshores along the coasts of South East Louisiana, Lake Pontchartrain and Mississippi Barrier Islands.

### Description

The Light Detection and Ranging (LiDAR) LAS dataset is a topographic survey conducted for the Task Order 007 Aerial Survey 2010 project. This data was produced for the US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Joint Airborne Lidar Bathymetry Technical Center of Expertise (JALBTCX). The LiDAR point cloud was flown at a density sufficient to support a maximum final post spacing of 1 points per meter. 3001 International Inc acquired flight lines between April 9 - 26, 2010. The Task Order 007 Aerial Survey 2010 was collected under the guidance of a Professional Mapper /Surveyor.

### Credits

US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Joint Airborne Lidar Bathymetry Technical Center of Expertise (JALBTCX)

### **Use limitations**

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### Extent

There is no extent for this item.

### Scale Range

 Maximum (zoomed in)
 1:5,000

 Minimum (zoomed out)
 1:50,000

### ArcGIS Metadata ►

## **Topics and Keywords** ►

THEMES OR CATEGORIES OF THE RESOURCE elevation

CONTENT TYPE Downloadable Data

PLACE KEYWORDS Mississippi, Lake Pontchartrain, USA, Barrier Islands, Louisiana

STRATUM KEYWORDS None

TEMPORAL KEYWORDS None

THEME KEYWORDS Elevation, Topography, LAS V.1.2 LiDAR, Lidar, Height

## **Citation** ►

TITLE Task Order 007 2010 Lidar PUBLICATION DATE INDETERMINATE DATE UNKNOWN INDETERMINATE TIME UNKNOWN

PRESENTATION FORMATS digital map FGDC GEOSPATIAL PRESENTATION FORMAT vector digital data

## Citation Contacts ►

RESPONSIBLE PARTY ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 International Inc CONTACT'S ROLE originator

RESPONSIBLE PARTY ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 International Inc CONTACT'S ROLE publisher

CONTACT INFORMATION ADDRESS

## **Resource Details** ►

DATASET LANGUAGES English

STATUS completed SPATIAL REPRESENTATION TYPE vector

#### SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION

The metadata is not FGDC compliant if copies of the survey report in PDF format are not delivered as an attachment. The information in this report is the result of the LiDAR surveys performed on the dates indicated and the general conditions at that time.

PROCESSING ENVIRONMENT Microsoft Windows XP Version 5.1 (Build 2600) Service Pack 3; ESRI ArcCatalog 9.3.1.3000

CREDITS

US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Joint Airborne Lidar Bathymetry Technical Center of Expertise (JALBTCX)

ARCGIS ITEM PROPERTIES

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## Extents **>**

EXTENT DESCRIPTION ground condition

TEMPORAL EXTENT BEGINNING DATE 2010-04-09 INDETERMINATE TIME UNKNOWN ENDING DATE 2010-04-26 INDETERMINATE TIME UNKNOWN

## **Resource Points of Contact** ►

POINT OF CONTACT ORGANIZATION'S NAME Northrop Grumman formerly 3001 International Inc CONTACT'S POSITION LIDAR Department CONTACT'S ROLE point of contact

CONTACT INFORMATION PHONE VOICE 251.443.6979

Address Type both Delivery point 5821 Rangeline Road Suite 101 City Theodore Administrative area Alabama Postal code 36582 Country US E-MAIL Address carlos.prieto@ngc.com

HOURS OF SERVICE 8:00 - 5:00 CDT

### **Resource Maintenance** ►

RESOURCE MAINTENANCE UPDATE FREQUENCY not planned

### **Resource Constraints** ►

SECURITY CONSTRAINTS CLASSIFICATION unclassified CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM Unclassified

ADDITIONAL RESTRICTIONS Unclassified

### CONSTRAINTS

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## Spatial Data Properties

VECTOR CEOMETRIC OBJECTS OBJECT TYPE composite OBJECT COUNT 1

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INDIRECT SPATIAL REFERENCING
Point

## Data Quality 🕨

SCOPE OF QUALITY INFORMATION RESOURCE LEVEL dataset

DATA QUALITY REPORT - TOPOLOGICAL CONSISTENCY EVALUATION METHOD

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DATA QUALITY REPORT - CONCEPTUAL CONSISTENCY MEASURE DESCRIPTION

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#### DATA QUALITY REPORT - COMPLETENESS OMISSION MEASURE DESCRIPTION

The LAS files were flown at a density sufficient to support a maximum final post spacing of final post spacing of 1 point per meter.

#### DATA QUALITY REPORT - QUANTITATIVE ATTRIBUTE ACCURACY MEASURE DESCRIPTION

The Task Order 007 survey 2010 project was collected under the guidance of a Professional Mapper Surveyor. The data was collected at a density sufficient to support a maximum final post spacing of 1 point per meter.

DATA QUALITY REPORT - ABSOLUTE EXTERNAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY 
DIMENSION horizontal

#### MEASURE DESCRIPTION

All ground control processing and adjustment is performed using published coordinate horizontal and vertical datums (e.g. NGS CORS). For deliverables, Corpscon for Windows Version 5.11.08 (geoid 03) was used for horizontal and vertical datum conversion as well as for coordinate system conversion purposes (e.g. UTM to State Plane).

QUANTITATIVE TEST RESULTS

VALUE 0.5 m

EVALUATION METHOD See entity and attribute information

DATA QUALITY REPORT - ABSOLUTE EXTERNAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY 
DIMENSION vertical

#### MEASURE DESCRIPTION

The accuracy assessment was performed using a standard method to compute the root mean square error (RMSE) based on a comparison of ground control points (GCP) and filtered LiDAR data points. Filtered LiDAR data has had vegetation and cultural features removed and by analysis represents bare-earth elevations. The RMSE figure was used to compute the vertical National Standard for Spatial Data Accuracy (NSSDA). Ground control was established by 3001, Inc. A spatial proximity analysis was used to select

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### QUANTITATIVE TEST RESULTS

VALUE 15 cm

### **EVALUATION METHOD**

See entity and attribute information

## Lineage 🕨

#### PROCESS STEP

WHEN THE PROCESS OCCURRED 2010-07-01 DESCRIPTION

The Airborne Global Position System (ABGPS), inertial measurement unit (IMU), and raw scans are collected during the LiDAR aerial survey. The ABGPS monitors the xyz position of the sensor and the IMU monitors the orientation of the aircraft. During the aerial survey laser pulses reflected from features on the surface and are detected by the receiver optics and collected by the data logger. GPS locations are based on data collected by receivers on the aircraft and base stations on the ground. The ground base stations are placed no more than 20 km radius from the flight survey area.

PROCESS CONTACT ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 International Inc. CONTACT'S POSITION LIDAR Department CONTACT'S ROLE processor

CONTACT INFORMATION PHONE VOICE 251.443.6979 ADDRESS TYPE both DELIVERY POINT 501 Robert Blvd DELIVERY POINT 2nd Floor CITY Slidell Administrative area Louisiana POSTAL CODE 70458 COUNTRY US HOURS OF SERVICE 8:00 - 5:00 CDT SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP used SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES Inertial Measuring Unit SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP used SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES Optech ALTM Gemini SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP used SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES Airborne Global Positioning System SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP used SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES Global Positioning System

SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP produced

SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES LIDAR Scan Files

SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP produced

SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES LIDAR Scans, GPS data

PROCESS STEP

WHEN THE PROCESS OCCURRED 2009-05-27 DESCRIPTION

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PROCESS CONTACT ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 Inc. CONTACT'S POSITION LiDAR Department CONTACT'S ROLE processor

CONTACT INFORMATION PHONE VOICE (985) 661 - 3001 FAX (985) 649 - 5082

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DELIVERY POINT 501 Robert Blvd. CITY Slidell Administrative area Louisiana POSTAL CODE 70458 COUNTRY US E-MAIL ADDRESS lidar@3001inc.com HOURS OF SERVICE 8:00 - 5:00 CDT SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP **used** SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES LIDAR data LAS 1.1 format SOURCE DATA RELATIONSHIP TO THE PROCESS STEP produced SOURCE CITATION ALTERNATE TITLES Quality verified data set LAS 1.1 file format PROCESS STEP WHEN THE PROCESS OCCURRED 2009-05-27 DESCRIPTION The ABGPS, IMU, and raw scans are integrated using proprietary software developed by Optech and delivered with the Optech ALTM Gemini System. The resultant file is in a LAS binary file format. The LAS file version 1.1 format can be easily transferred from one file format to another. It is a binary file format that maintains information specific to the LiDAR data (return#, intensity value, xyz, etc.). The resultant points are referenced to the Geographic NAD83 horizontal datum and NAVD88 vertical datum. PROCESS CONTACT ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 International Inc. CONTACT'S POSITION LIDAR Department CONTACT'S ROLE processor CONTACT INFORMATION PHONE VOICE (985) 661 - 3001 FAX (985) 649 - 5082

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### SOURCE DATA

#### DESCRIPTION

The Task Order 007 2010 data was acquired for US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Joint Airborne Lidar Bathymetry Technical Center of Expertise (JALBTCX) and processed by 3001 International Inc.

RESOLUTION OF THE SOURCE DATA SCALE DENOMINATOR 24000

Source citation Title Task Order 007 2010 Lidar Alternate titles scale map PUBLICATION DATE INDETERMINATE DATE UNKNOWN INDETERMINATE TIME UNKNOWN

PRESENTATION FORMATS digital map FGDC GEOSPATIAL PRESENTATION FORMAT raster digital data

RESPONSIBLE PARTY ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 International Inc CONTACT'S ROLE publisher

CONTACT INFORMATION ADDRESS

RESPONSIBLE PARTY ORGANIZATION'S NAME 3001 International Inc CONTACT'S ROLE originator

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EXTENT OF THE SOURCE DATA DESCRIPTION ground condition

TEMPORAL EXTENT BEGINNING DATE 2009-11-19 INDETERMINATE TIME UNKNOWN ENDING DATE 2010-02-29 INDETERMINATE TIME UNKNOWN

## **Distribution >**

DISTRIBUTOR CONTACT INFORMATION ORGANIZATION'S NAME JALBTCX CONTACT'S ROLE distributor

> CONTACT INFORMATION PHONE VOICE 228-252-1101

Address Type physical Delivery point 7225 Stennis Airport Dr. Suite 100 City Kiln Administrative area MS Postal code 39556 Country US

**ORDERING PROCESS** 

## Fields **>**

DETAILS FOR OBJECT Task Order 007 2010 ► DEFINITION LAS Data

DEFINITION SOURCE Contract

FIELD FID ► FIELD DESCRIPTION Internal feature number.

DESCRIPTION SOURCE ESRI

DESCRIPTION OF VALUES Sequential unique whole numbers that are automatically generated.

FIELD Shape FIELD DESCRIPTION Feature geometry.



## Metadata Details **>**

METADATA LANGUAGE English METADATA CHARACTER SET utf8 - 8 bit UCS Transfer Format

SCOPE OF THE DATA DESCRIBED BY THE METADATA dataset

LAST UPDATE 2010-07-01

ARCGIS METADATA PROPERTIES METADATA FORMAT ArcGIS 1.0

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### Metadata Contacts **>**

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### Metadata Constraints >

SECURITY CONSTRAINTS CLASSIFICATION Unclassified CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM Unclassified

ADDITIONAL RESTRICTIONS None Specified

## Thumbnail and Enclosures

ENCLOSURE

ENCLOSURE TYPE File DESCRIPTION OF ENCLOSURE original metadata ORIGINAL METADATA DOCUMENT, WHICH WAS TRANSLATED YES SOURCE METADATA FORMAT fgdc

CITATION CITATION INFORMATION ORIGINATOR 3001 International Inc PUBLICATION DATE Unknown PUBLICATION TIME Unknown TITLE Task Order 007 2010 Lidar GEOSPATIAL DATA PRESENTATION FORM vector digital data PUBLICATION INFORMATION PUBLICATION PLACE HUNTSVIILE, AL PUBLISHER 3001 International Inc ONLINE LINKAGE \\DALMPCE00234547\C\Aprojects\Metadata\TO-007\_LAS

DESCRIPTION

ABSTRACT

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TIME PERIOD OF CONTENT

TIME PERIOD INFORMATION RANGE OF DATES/TIMES BEGINNING DATE 2010-04-09 BEGINNING TIME UNKNOWN ENDING DATE 2010-04-26 ENDING TIME UNKNOWN CURRENTNESS REFERENCE ground condition STATUS PROGRESS Complete MAINTENANCE AND UPDATE FREQUENCY None planned

SPATIAL DOMAIN BOUNDING COORDINATES WEST BOUNDING COORDINATE EAST BOUNDING COORDINATE NORTH BOUNDING COORDINATE SOUTH BOUNDING COORDINATE

#### Keywords

THEME THEME KEYWORD THESAURUS NONE THEME KEYWORD Elevation THEME KEYWORD Height THEME KEYWORD LAS V.1.2 LiDAR THEME KEYWORD TOpography THEME KEYWORD Lidar

#### Place

PLACE KEYWORD THESAURUS NONE PLACE KEYWORD USA PLACE KEYWORD Louisiana PLACE KEYWORD Mississippi PLACE KEYWORD Barrier Islands PLACE KEYWORD Lake Pontchartrain

#### STRATUM

STRATUM KEYWORD THESAURUS NONE STRATUM KEYWORD NONE

Temporal Temporal Keyword Thesaurus None Temporal Keyword None

#### ACCESS CONSTRAINTS

None

#### USE CONSTRAINTS

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CONTACT VOICE TELEPHONE 251.443.6979 CONTACT ELECTRONIC MAIL ADDRESS carlos.prieto@ngc.com HOURS OF SERVICE 8:00 - 5:00 CDT

### DATA SET CREDIT

US Army Corps of Engineers (USACE) Joint Airborne Lidar Bathymetry Technical Center of Expertise (JALBTCX) SECURITY INFORMATION

SECURITY CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM Unclassified SECURITY CLASSIFICATION Unclassified SECURITY HANDLING DESCRIPTION Unclassified

#### NATIVE DATA SET ENVIRONMENT

Microsoft Windows XP Version 5.1 (Build 2600) Service Pack 3; ESRI ArcCatalog 9.3.1.3000

CROSS REFERENCE CITATION INFORMATION

ORIGINATOR 3001 International Inc PUBLICATION DATE Unknown

PUBLICATION TIME Unknown

TITLE

Task Order 007 2010 Lidar survey GEOSPATIAL DATA PRESENTATION FORM raster digital data PUBLICATION INFORMATION PUBLICATION PLACE HUNTSVIlle, AL PUBLISHER 3001 International Inc

## ATTRIBUTE ACCURACY

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#### COMPLETENESS REPORT

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### POSITIONAL ACCURACY

HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY

HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY REPORT

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QUANTITATIVE HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY ASSESSMENT

HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY VALUE 0.5 m HORIZONTAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY EXPLANATION See entity and attribute information

VERTICAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY

VERTICAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY REPORT

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**QUANTITATIVE VERTICAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY ASSESSMENT** VERTICAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY VALUE 15 CM VERTICAL POSITIONAL ACCURACY EXPLANATION See entity and attribute information LINEAGE SOURCE INFORMATION SOURCE CITATION CITATION INFORMATION **ORIGINATOR** 3001 International Inc PUBLICATION DATE Unknown PUBLICATION TIME UNKNOWN TITLE Task Order 007 2010 Lidar GEOSPATIAL DATA PRESENTATION FORM raster digital data PUBLICATION INFORMATION PUBLICATION PLACE Huntsville, AL PUBLISHER 3001 International Inc

Source Scale Denominator 24000 Type of Source Media digital tape media Source Time Period of Content Time Period Information Range of Dates/Times Beginning Date 2009-11-19 BEGINNING TIME UNKNOWN ENDING DATE 2010-02-29 ENDING TIME UNKNOWN SOURCE CURRENTNESS REFERENCE ground condition

SOURCE CITATION ABBREVIATION

scale map

SOURCE CONTRIBUTION

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PROCESS STEP

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Source Used CITATION ABBREVIATION Optech ALTM Gemini

Source Used Citation Abbreviation Airborne Global Positioning System Source Used Citation Abbreviation Inertial Measuring Unit Source Used Citation Abbreviation Global Positioning System Process Date 2010-07-01 Source Produced Citation Abbreviation LiDAR Scan Files Source Produced Citation Abbreviation LiDAR Scans, GPS data

PROCESS CONTACT CONTACT INFORMATION CONTACT ORGANIZATION PRIMARY CONTACT ORGANIZATION 3001 International Inc. CONTACT POSITION LiDAR Department CONTACT ADDRESS ADDRESS TYPE mailing and physical address ADDRESS 501 Robert Blvd ADDRESS 2nd Floor CITY Slidell STATE OR PROVINCE LOUISIANA POSTAL CODE 70458 COUNTRY UNITED STATES

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Contact Information Contact Organization Primary Contact Organization 3001 International Inc. Contact Position LiDAR Department Contact Address Address Type mailing and physical address Address 501 Robert Blvd Address 2nd Floor City Slidell State or Province Louisiana Postal Code 70458 Country UNITED STATES

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SOURCE USED CITATION ABBREVIATION

LiDAR data LAS 1.1 format

PROCESS DATE 2009-05-27 SOURCE PRODUCED CITATION ABBREVIATION Quality verified data set LAS 1.1 file format

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