

STS GIS Services USGS 3DEP 2016 Project Summary (Eastern TN LiDAR 2016 QL2)

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Project Area: Hancock, Hawkins, Sullivan, Union, Grainger, Hamblen, Greene, Unicoi, Washington, Carter, Cocke, Jefferson, Knox, Sevier, Loudon, Blount, Monroe, Davidson Counties

Acquisition Dates: February 2016, March 2016

Technical Summary:

Nominal Point Spacing : $\geq .70$ meter

Accuracy: $RMSE_z \leq 10\text{cm}$ (non-vegetated Swath, DEM)

NVA ≤ 19.6 cm 95% Confidence Level (Swath, DEM)

VVA ≤ 29.4 cm 95th Percentile (DEM)

Vertical Datum: NAVD88, Geoid12B, US Feet

Horizontal Datum: NAD83

Coordinate System: State Plane TN FIPS 4100, NAD83 (2011), U.S. Survey Feet

Tiling Scheme: 7,000 x 4,000 feet tiles

Products:

- Raw Point Cloud in LAS1.4 format
- Full Class in LAS1.4 format Tile index shape file in ESRI .SHP format
- PolygonZ file for water bodies two acres and greater in area used for hydrologic-flattening
- PolylineZ file for waterbodies 100 ft in nominal width used for hydrologic-flattening
- Hydrologically-flattened Bare Earth Surface (Raster DEMS) in ERDAS .IMG format at 1m cell size
- 8-Bit gray-scale intensity GeoTIFFs at 1m cell size
- Building Polygon shape file in ESRI .SHP format used in classification of LiDAR
- FGDC compliant metadata

