The Trials and Tribulations of 3D Buildings



Prusa i3 MK2 3D Printer Image courtesy of toms3d.org

Frost Building 3D rendering selected (blue).

Frost Building lidar Cloud

GETTING CONSENSUS ABOUT DIMENSIONS



GEOGRAPHIC INFORMATION SYSTEMS

- GIS is composed of 5 key elements:
 - hardware, software, data, people, and methods
- GIS is about uncovering meaning, trends, decisions from data.
- GIS allows us to get from data to information.
- GIS information allows us to make decisions.
- Decisions help us take informed actions.

LIDAR, PARCELS AND DECISION MAKING DIAGRAM FOR PLANNING



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CHECK THAT THE LIDAR COLLECTION HAS "BUILDINGS" AS A CLASS



BUILDINGS CLASS



Drawing map complete.



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CREATE A DIGITAL SURFACE MODEL TILES USING "GROUND" AND "BUILDING" CLASSIFIED POINTS



CREATE A NORMALIZED DIGITAL SURFACE MODEL (NDSM) = DSM-DEM



USING DEM, DSM, NDSM AND BUILDING FOOTPRINTS EXTRACT THE ROOF FORMS



ENABLE AND SYMBOLIZE 3D BUILDINGS IN A 3D SCENE



REVIEW BUILDINGS AND QA/QC THE ATTRIBUTES, FIX INCORRECT ROOF FORMS



WHAT CAN GO WRONG?

- Pilot Test,
- Review (people will begin to ask for them)
- Review some more
- Get somebody else to review for you ...
- (Soft)Release first iteration







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BOUNDARY EFFECT ON LIDAR COLLECTIONS



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ONE BUILDING, MANY PARCELS



ONE PARCEL, MANY BUILDINGS



BUILDING – PARCELS, SPATIAL DIFFERENCES



HATE TO BREAK THIS NEWS FOR YOU GUYS

•Size matters!

It is not the same 100 features than 12M features!

LIDAR COLLECTIONS SO BIG THAT HAVE TO BE TILED FOR PROCESSING

- Consider billions of points as a portion of one collection (T2995 is one portion, Stratmap_2018_Upper_TX_Coast has 10 portions)
- Get a Desktop computer with resources to process thousands of points a second for i.e.: 2D Buildings footprint delineation.
- 1B points / 1K points/s = 1 M seconds
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QUESTIONS?

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