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# **The new Basemap “LS025”: project information and quality assurance**

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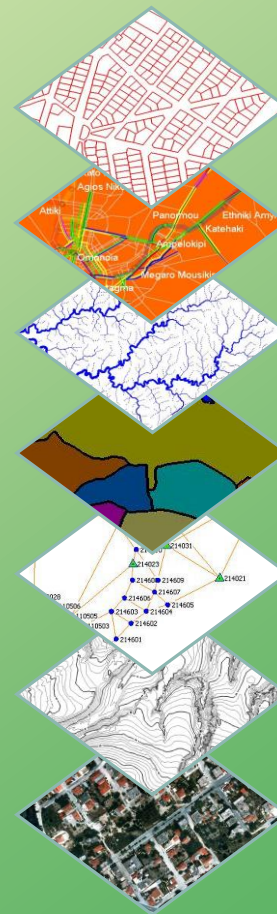
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**Project Quality Management & Control Department**



# The New Basemap: LS025

- ✚ Large Scale Orthophotos (LSO25)
  - Nationwide 25- cm- GSD orthophotos
- ✚ Update for
  - \* VLSO (20 cm GSD, major cities, True Ortho, 2007)
  - \* LSO (50 cm GSD, national coverage, 2008)
- ✚ Uniform accuracy basemap for property registration in cities, smaller settlements, rural & uninhabited areas
- ✚ Engineering, Education, Land Use, Real Estate

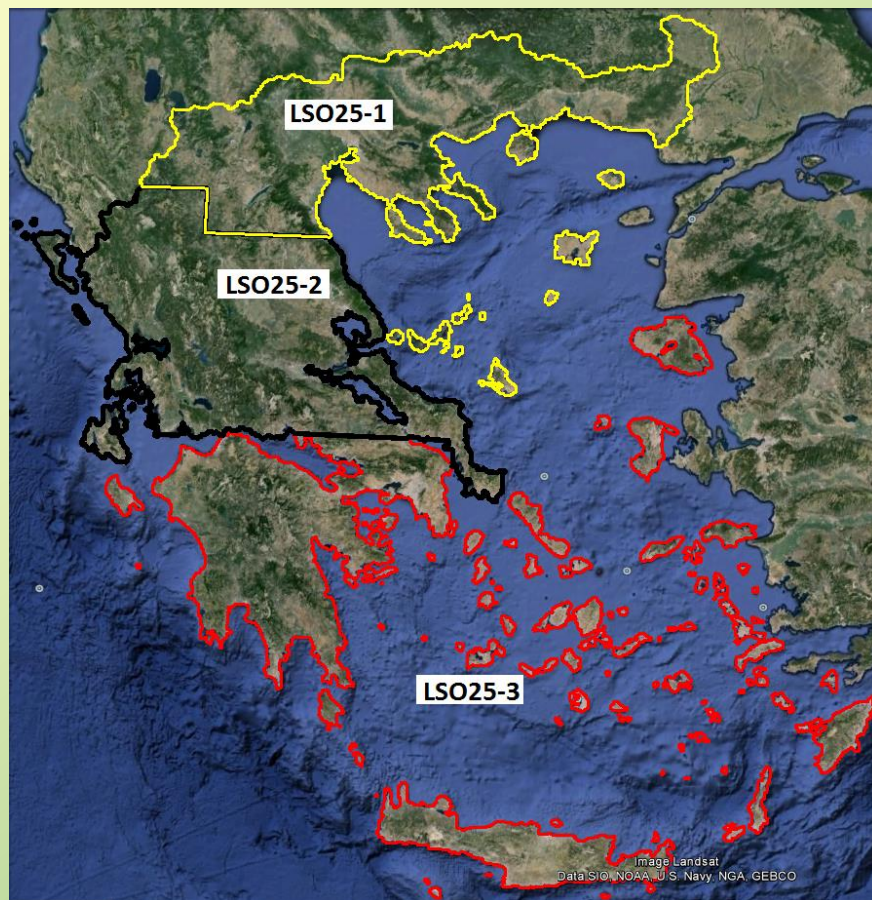




# LSO25 – basic features

## Large Scale Orthophotos (LSO25)

3 contracts ~**132.000 km<sup>2</sup>** / November 2014 – July 2016 (expected)



### Orthophotos

Pixel size (GSD)	<b>0.25 m</b>
Radiometric resolution	<b>True Color (24 bit), NIR</b>
Image type	<b>JPEG2000 + .j2w</b>
Image dimensions	<b>2000 m X 1500 m</b>
Number of images	<b>49182</b>

### Digital Elevation Model (Orthometric Heights)

Pixel size (GSD)	<b>2.00 m</b>
Perimetric Cover	<b>300 m</b>
Image type	<b>GeoTiff Floating Point Grid</b>
Image dimensions	<b>2300 m X 1800 m</b>
Number of images	<b>49182</b>



# LSO25 – project information (1)

## Large Scale Orthophotos (LSO25)

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- ✚ National Strategic Framework 2007-2013 \* Operational Component of “Digital Convergence” (EU-funded project)
- ✚ ~3.1 M €
- ✚ 3 contracts, Greek/EU contractors & sub-contractors
- ✚ Strict timetable (EU-funding deadlines, urgent availability for cadastral projects)












































































































## LS025 – project information (2)

## Large Scale Orthophotos (LS025)

3 contracts ~**132.000 km<sup>2</sup>** / Nov 2014 – July 2016 (expected)

- ✚ Initial timetable reduction
- ✚ Critical operational delays in Q2 2015
- ✚ Delays due to slow processing at Min Of Defense
- ✚ Capital Controls --- *RISK MANAGEMENT?*

Date	Temperature (C)			Td Avg	Hr. Avg	Wind (km/h)			Pres. s.lev	Prec.	Tot low Cl		Sun D-1	Vis	Daily weather summary
	Max	Min	Avg	(C)	(%)	Dir.	Int.	Gust	(Hp)	(mm)	Oct	Oct	(h)	Km	
06/09	27.2	15.6	21.2	13.5	62.6	SSW	10.0	33.4	1013.5	Tr	5.9	3.2	1.5	10.0	                    
06/10	27.6	16.2	22.2	15.1	66.8	WNW	10.2	44.5	1014.1	2.0	4.4	2.0	6.3	10.0	                    
06/11	29.4	21.0	24.7	14.0	52.3	NW	12.3	35.2	1014.9	Tr	5.2	3.0	10.9	10.0	                    
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06/14	33.3	17.8	24.7	14.0	53.3	SW	8.3	27.8	1014.1	0.0	2.2	1.4	12.9	10.0	

- 📅 Late submissions
- 📅 Timetable rearrangement, new deadlines, in-house funding for 2016
- 📅 EU-funds: ~ 60-65 %

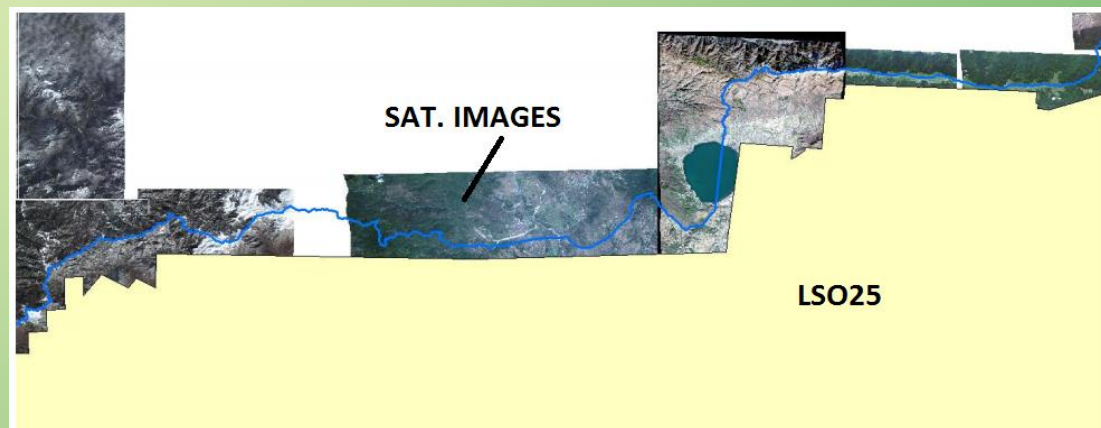


## LSO25 – project information (3)

**LSO25(QC\_LSO25)**

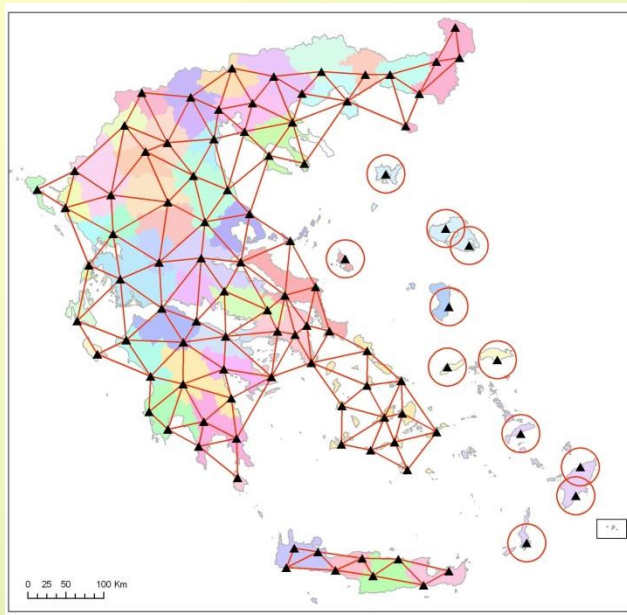
Current Project Status

- + Flights completed in Nov 2015
- + ORTHO/DEM Production Completed in Feb 2016 (LSO25-3 in Nov 2015)
- + Border areas: Satellite Imagery (World View II, 50 cm at nadir)



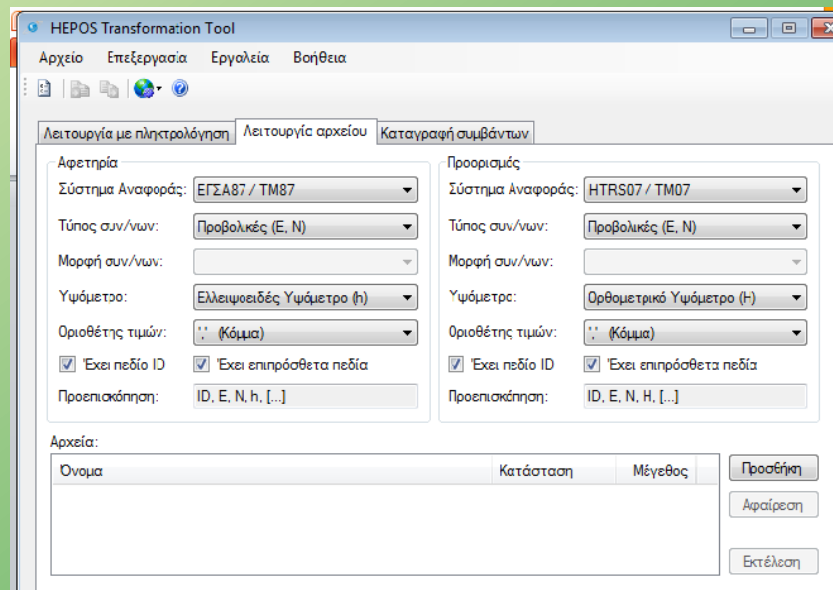


# Reference system & Projection



HTRS07 → GGRS87

- ✚ Active GPS Network
- ✚ 98 stations
- ✚ HTRS07- ETRF89
- ✚ HTRS07 → GGRS87 (TM)







## LS025– orthos (sample)





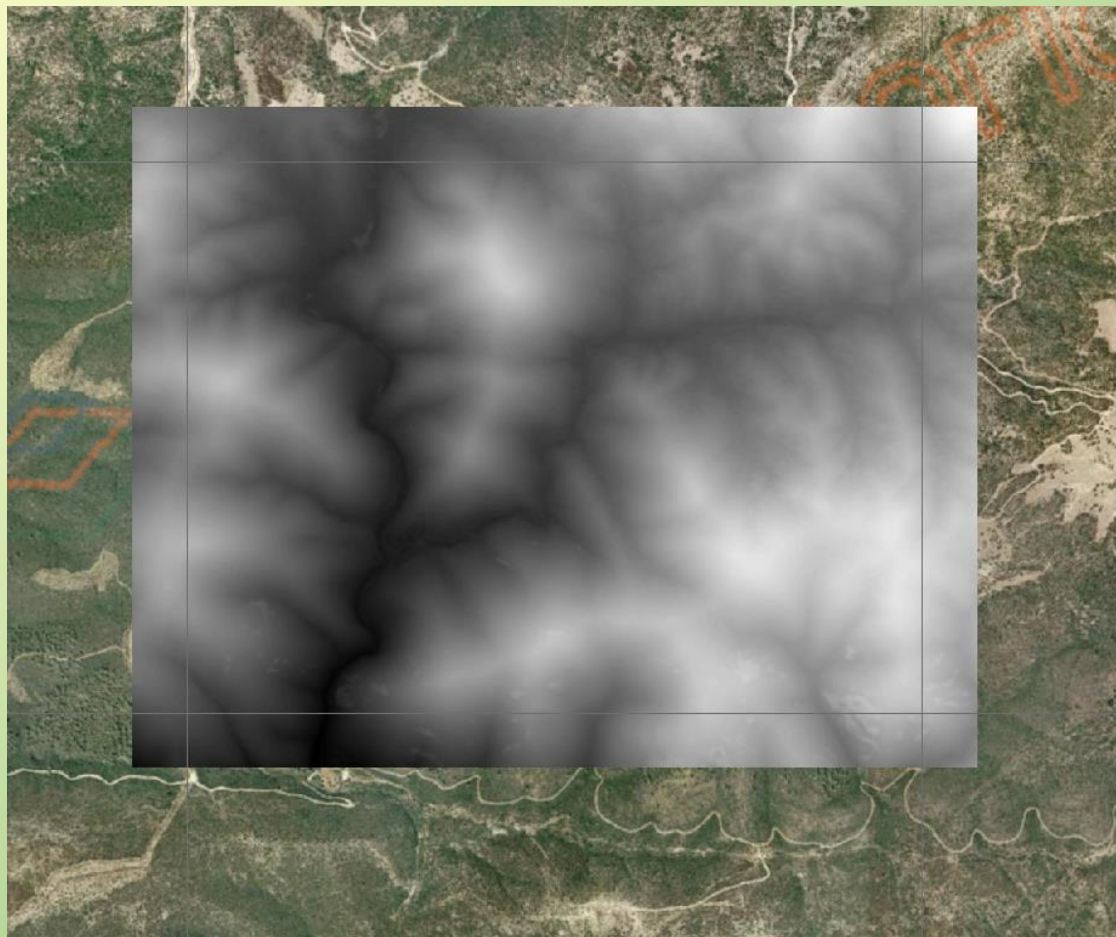


## LS025 vs. previous LSO basemap (0.50m)





## LSO25 – DEM (sample)





# LSO25 Quality Assurance

## Quality Control for LSO25(QC\_LSO25)

Jan 2016 – June 2016 (expected)

*FGDC National Standard for Spatial Data Accuracy*

### ✚ Outsourced QC: “QC\_LSO25”

✚ ~170 k €

✚ Project to be completed within 6,5 months

Two groups with separate tasks:

### Spatial Accuracy QC

- Horizontal Accuracy
- Heights (DEM)

### Image & DEM QC

Radiometry

Image Quality (Features)

### **In-house**

- ✓ **Completeness of deliverables**  
*(Fully automated procedure)*
- ✓ **Check of contractors’ QAR’s**  
*(manual procedure)*
- ✓ **Part of Spatial Accuracy QC**





# LSO25 Quality Assurance

## Quality Control for LSO25(QC\_LSO25)

Jan 2016 – June 2016 (expected)

✚ "QC\_LSO25"

### Key-challenges:

- tight time schedule- rearrangement of initial project team
- extensive field work in winter
- QC of QC-LSO25 (!)
- fast evaluation and feedback to LSO25
- quick correction, reporting and re-submission planning



# Positional accuracy – LS025

## ✓ Orthophoto Positional accuracy (*Fully manual qc procedure*)

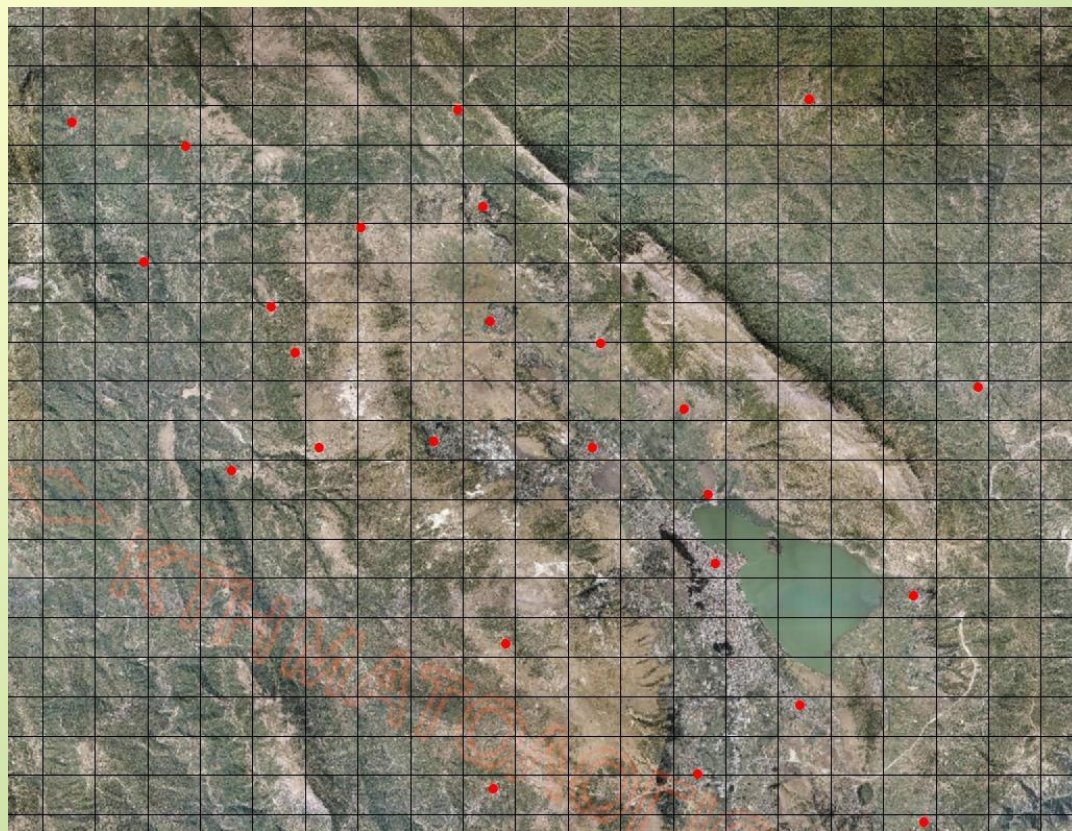
1. *QC\_LS025: 2500 check points*
2. *In-house: ~2200 check points*

### 1. QC-LS025:

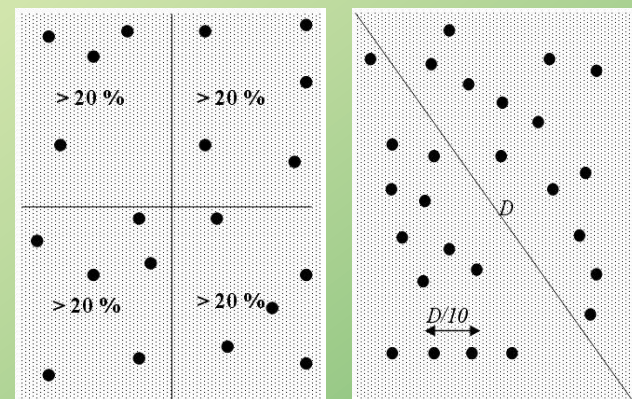
- planning and data preparation
- urban settlements/ constructed features
- road networks
- choice of approximate positions on orthos
- static & RTK (RS, VRS) positioning



# Positional accuracy – sampling



## Optimal Sampling distribution



- Point density: 2-3 km
- 200 m buffer zone





# Positional accuracy – LS025

## ✓ Orthophoto Positional accuracy (Fully manual qc procedure)

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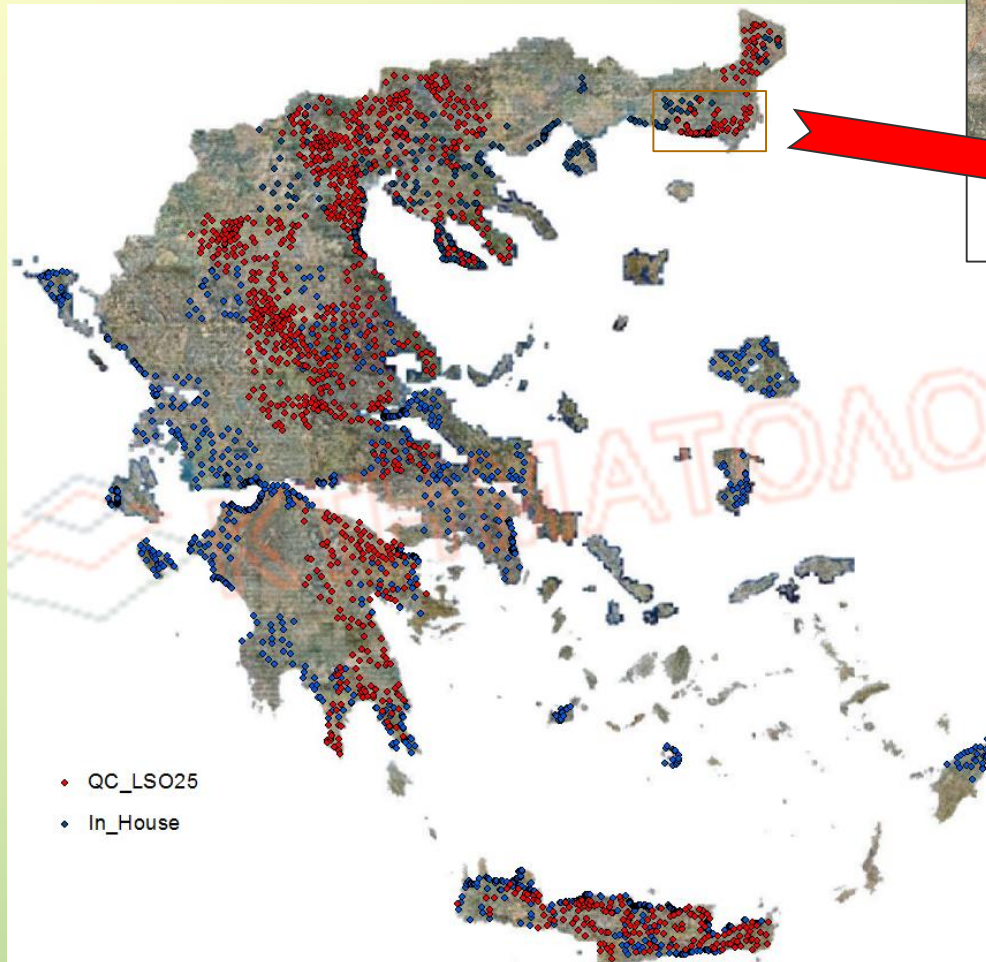
## 2. In-House:

- Control Points of past projects
- HTRS07 or other ITRF realizations
- recalculation of reference points using stored HEPOS rinex data (2008-2009)
- ~85% traced and utilized in LS025 images
- Trimble Business Center v.2.0, ArcMap v.10.0





# Positional accuracy – LS025



identification of systematic errors  
(aero triangulation, nr. of GCP)

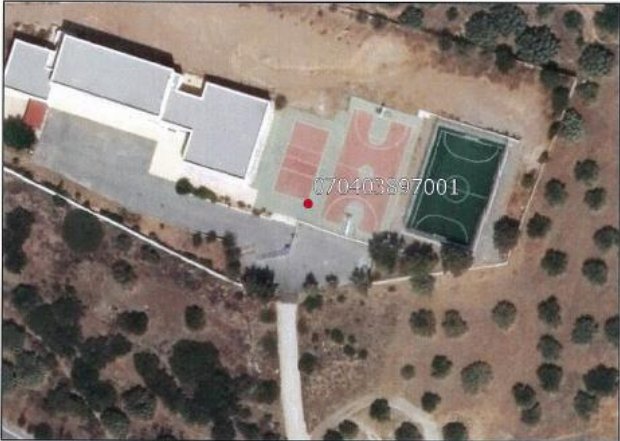
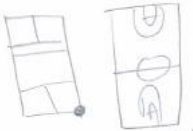
$RMSE_x, RMSE_y \leq 0.25 \text{ m}$

$RMSE_{xy} \leq 0.35 \text{ m}$

Abs. Accuracy  $\leq$   
 $RMSE_{xy} * 1.73 \text{ m} = 0.60 \text{ m} (2\sigma)$



# Positional accuracy – documentation & results

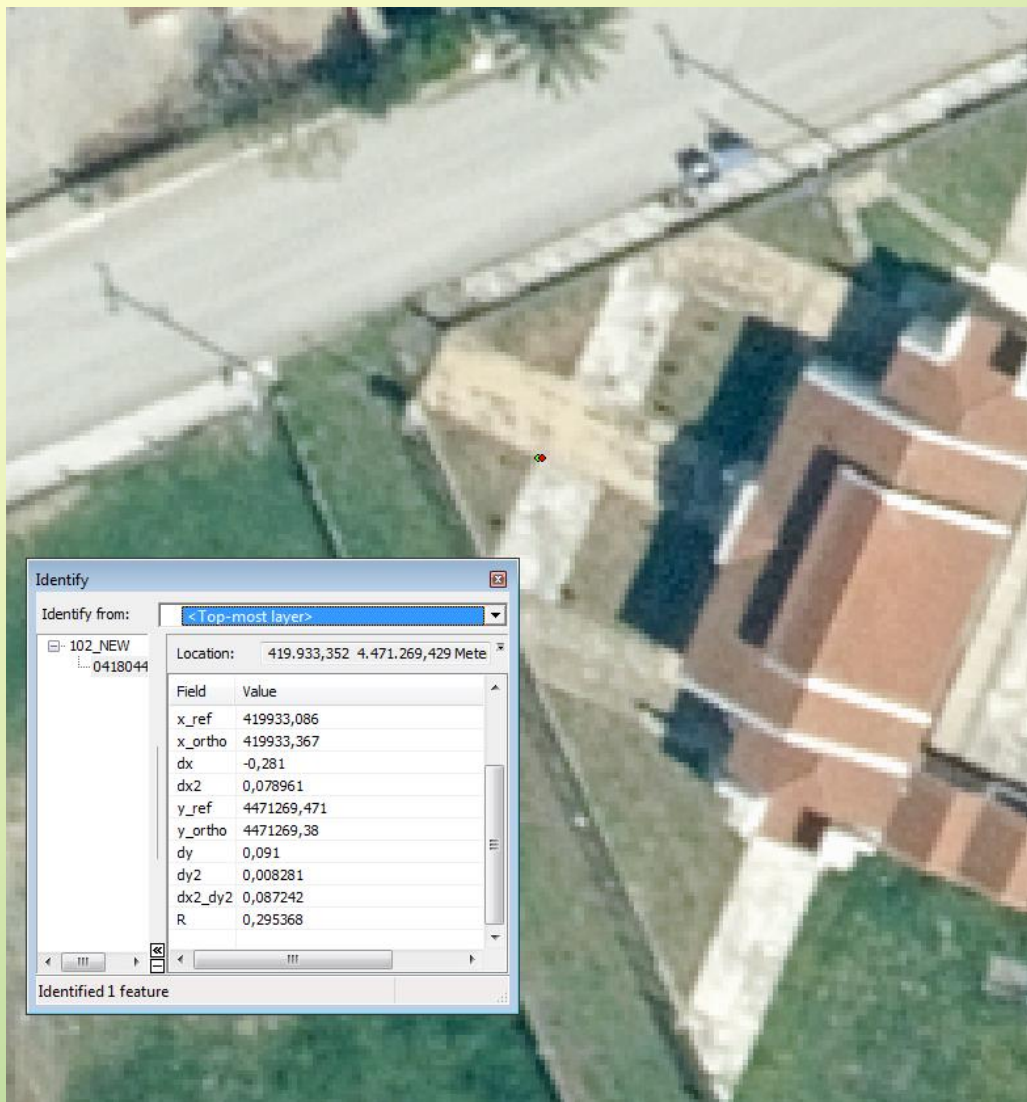
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# Positional accuracy – documentation & results



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25	036404096501	365464,876	365464,690	0,19	0,0346	4097346,725	4097346,920	-0,19	0,038025	0,07262
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15/4/2016: ~ 1200 points in 4 months



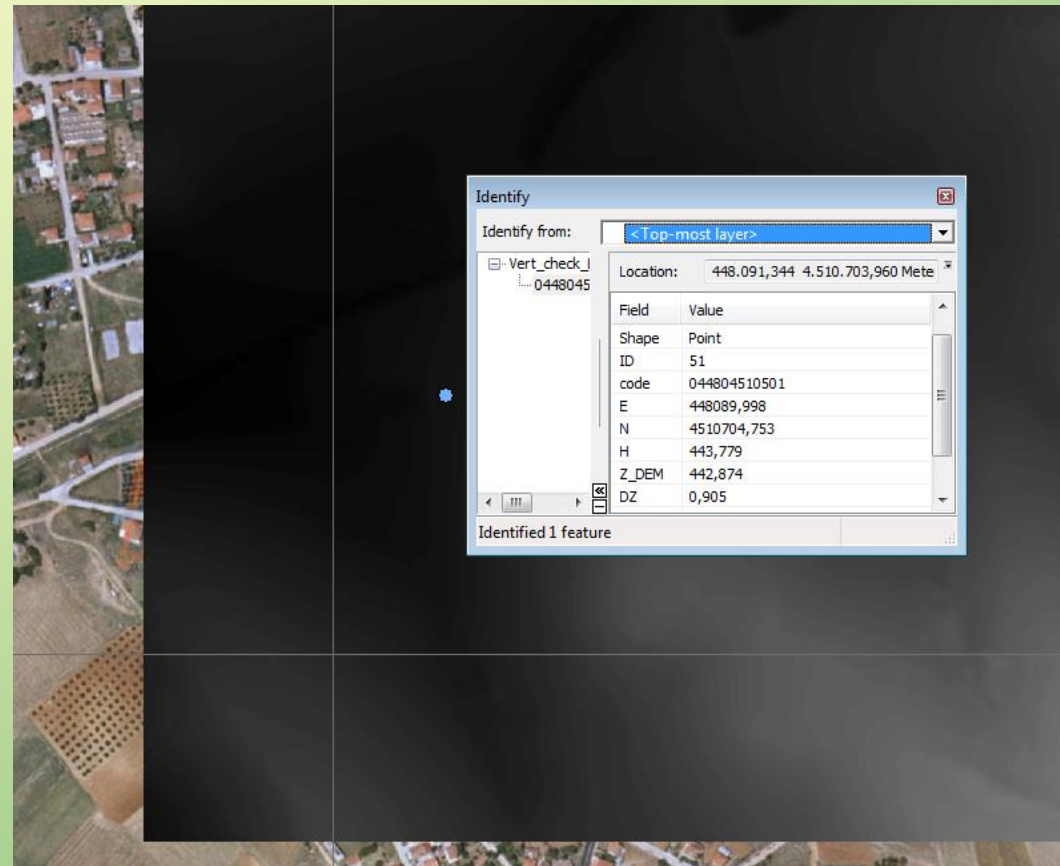
# Vertical accuracy – DEM

- Orthometric heights of control points vs. DEM pixel values
- Level locations, not buildings



$RMSE_z \leq 0.70 \text{ m}$

Abs. Accuracy  $\leq RMSE_z * 1.73 \text{ m} = 1.47 \text{ m} (2\sigma)$







# QC – image visual quality

Evaluation method: **Full Inspection**

✓ **Orthophoto visual checks –QC\_LS025**  
*(complete manual inspection of LS025 dataset)*

- Artifacts, shades/clouds, snow, smoke,...)
- Orthorectification issues (smears, wavy features, ...)
- Radiometric issues (blur, hue, saturation...)
- Image connection/continuation problems (geometric & radiometric)
- Block connection problems (geometric & radiometric)

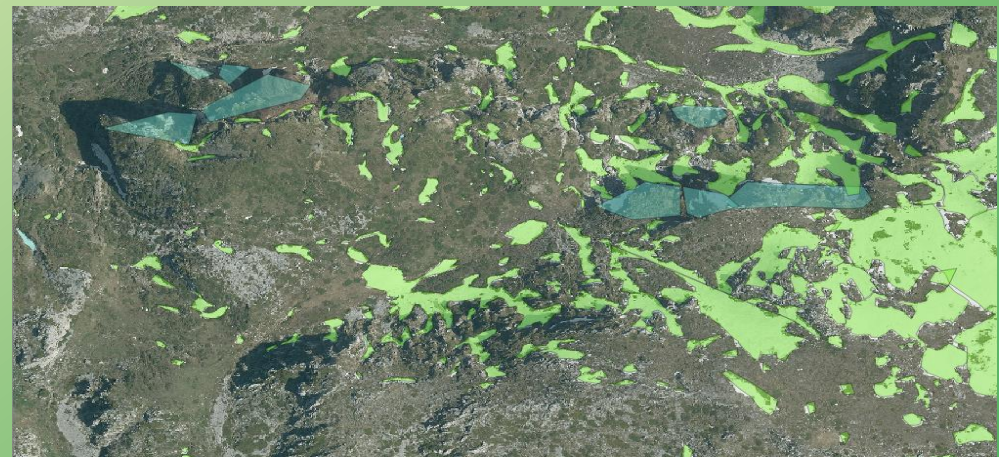
**also**

- Land coverage (different flight epochs)
- Connection between contracts (LSO25)

**+ quality in  
processing of  
classified areas**



**Snow & wavy features**







## QC – image visual quality (2)



**discontinuity**

**Smoke, cloud shadow**



**Different contractors- radiometry**



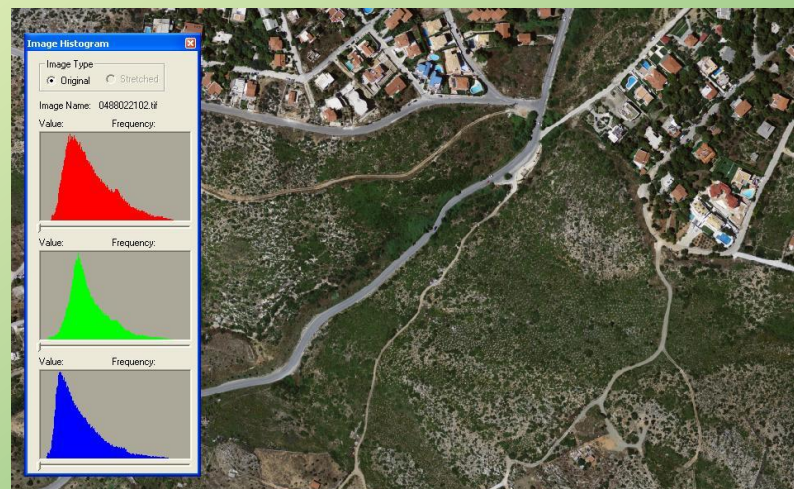
# QC – radiometry check

## ✓ Orthophoto Radiometry checks

*(Fully automated procedure)*

### Checking for

- Nr of bands
- Nr of lines
- Nr of samples per line
- Mean histogram value
- Standard deviation
- Saturation (values 0 & 255)
- Values width  $\geq 230$



*QC-LSO25: customized SW*

Evaluation method: **Full Inspection**



# Metadata

- Open Data/NSF/ Inspire requirements
- Generation of Metadata for Orthos, DEM, aerial photos
- Vector data: UML diagrams, GML generation
- Contractor->NCMA SA communicational schema
- Validation using Inspire Metadata Editor

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Metadata Identification Classification Keyword Geographic Temporal Quality&Validity Conformity Constraints Responsible party

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Degree: Conformant

Resource Locator

<http://www.ktimatologio.gr>

Temporal Reference

Date of last revision: 2015-12-01

Geographic Bounding Box

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West 23.40983672		East 23.45516238
	South 37.94870021	





# Metadata

- Validation using Inspire Metadata Editor
- Aerial Photos-no keyword / not valid
- Reference system definition- external
- Necessity of a fully open, functional tool

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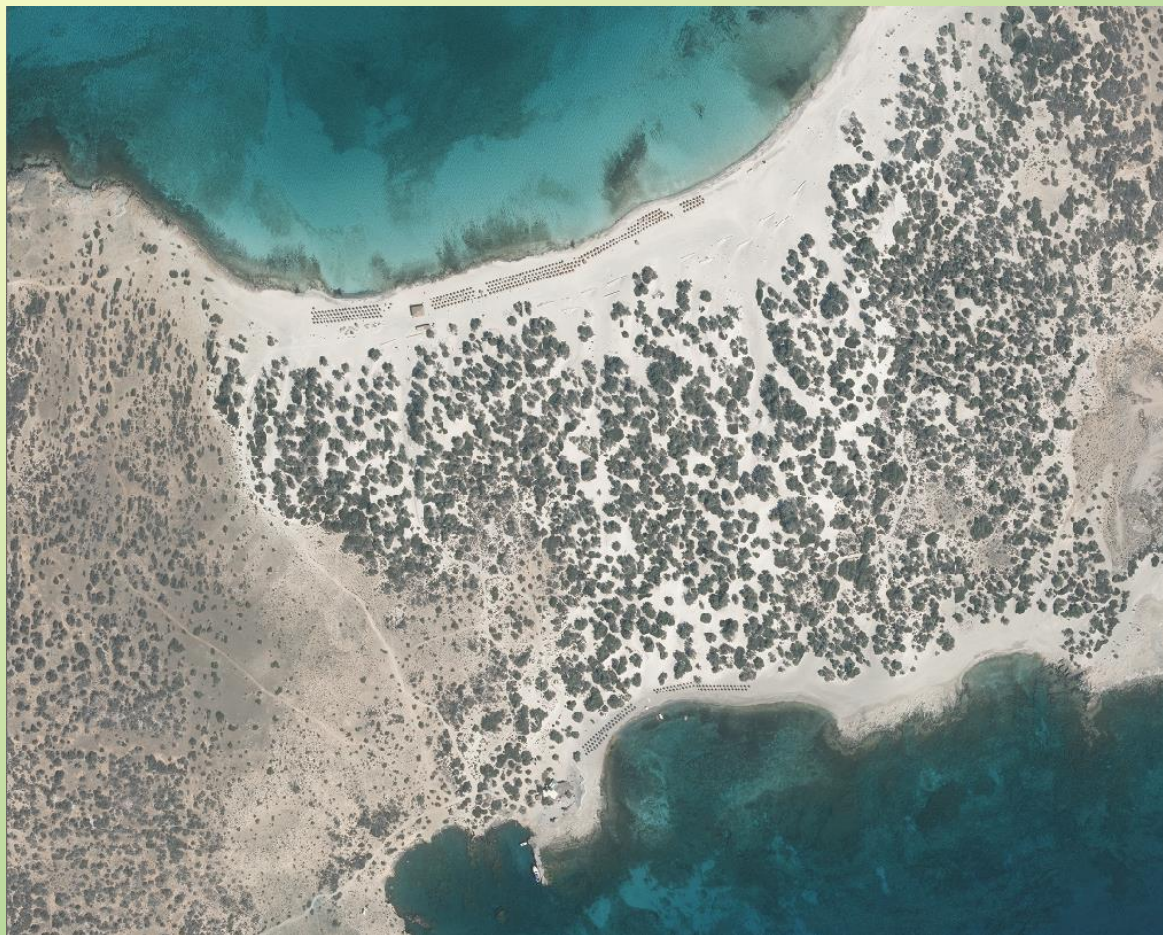
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