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1. Overview

1.1. Contact Information

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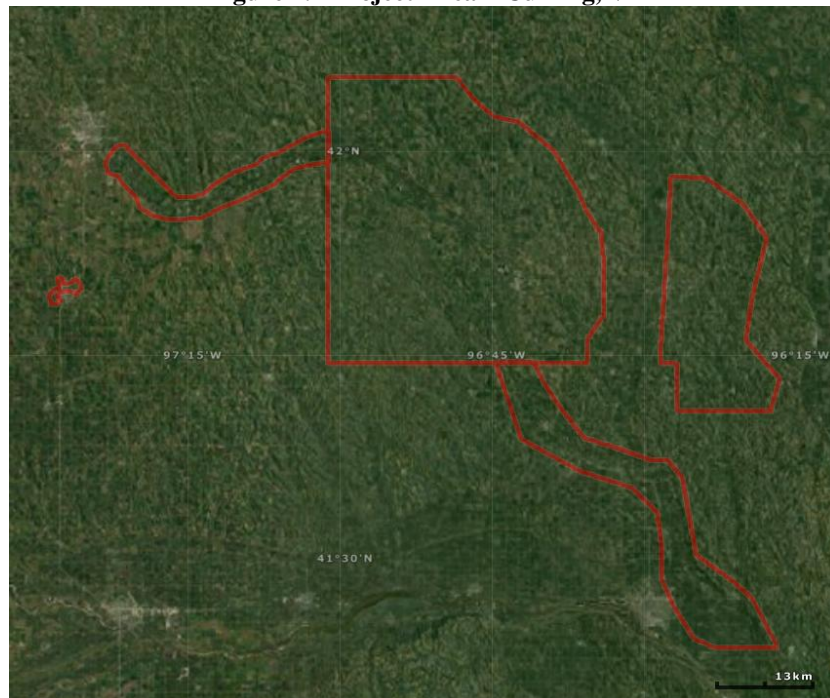
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1.2. Purpose and Location

AeroMetric, Inc acquired highly accurate Light Detection and Ranging (LiDAR) data for an area that comprised of approximately 800 square miles of Cuming County and surrounding counties in Nebraska for STARR as a part of FEMA's RiskMAP program. A graphic of the location is provided in Figure 1.1.

Figure 1.1 Project Area – Cuming,NE



2. Acquisition

2.1. System Specifications

The LiDAR system specifications are provided in Table 2.1. There are five Cuming areas, Two areas paralleling the Elkhorn River were collected to the Highest Specification Level and the remaining three areas were collected to the High Specification Level.

Table 2.1 LiDAR System Specifications

High FEMA Specification Level (4 Foot Equivalent Contour Accuracy) Height – 2400 meters Laser Pulse Rate – 50 kHz Mirror Scan Frequency – 23 Hz Scan Angle (+/-) 22° Side Lap – 30% Ground Speed – 160 knots Nominal Point Spacing – 1.7 meter
Highest FEMA Specification Level (2 Foot Equivalent Contour Accuracy) Flying Height – 1700 meters Laser Pulse Rate – 70 kHz Mirror Scan Frequency – 37 Hz Scan Angle (+/-) 17° Side Lap – 50% Ground Speed – 160 knots Nominal Point Spacing – 0.78 meter

2.2. Base Station Information

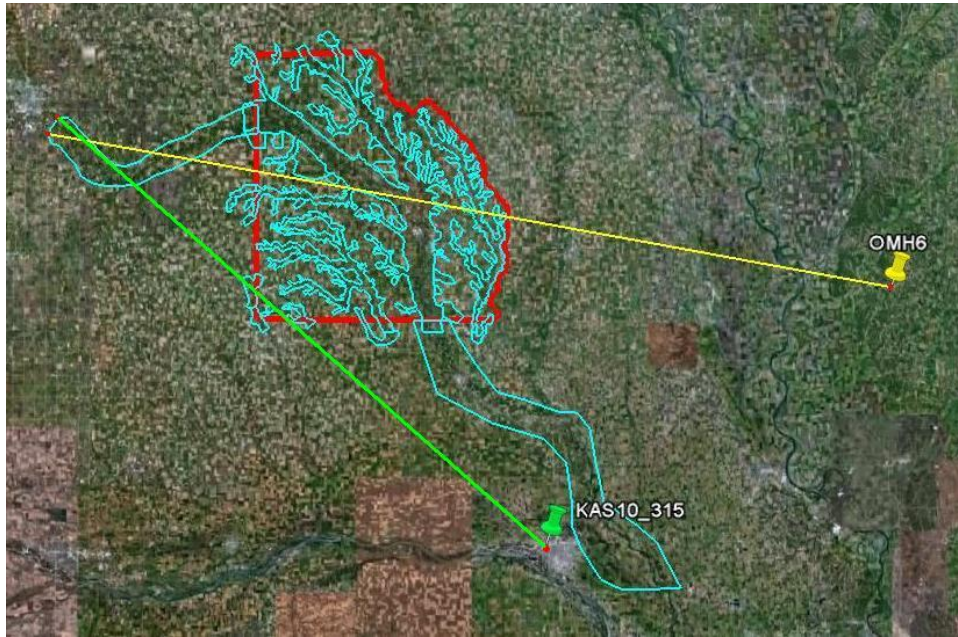
Table 2.2 provides the base stations locations that were used during the seven mission flights.

Table 2.2 Base Station Locations

POINT ID	LAT	LONG	HEIGHT (M)
KAS10_315	41 26 57.60685	96 30 55.00502	365.58
OMH6	41 46 42.57607	95 54 41.34132	398.356

Figure 2.1 provides a graphic representation of the location. In this graphic, the Green Stick Pin represents Base Station KAS10_315 that was utilized by 6 of the 7 flight missions. The maximum extent of the collection area was approximately 94.5k from Base Station KAS10_315, as represented by the green line. The Yellow Stick Pin represents Base Station OMH6 that was utilized by 1 of the 7 flight missions. The maximum extent of the collection area was approximately 125k from Base Station OMH6, as represented by the yellow line. Shapefiles of the Base Stations can be found in the Control.zip file attached to this report.

Figure 2.1 Base Station Locations



2.3. Time Period

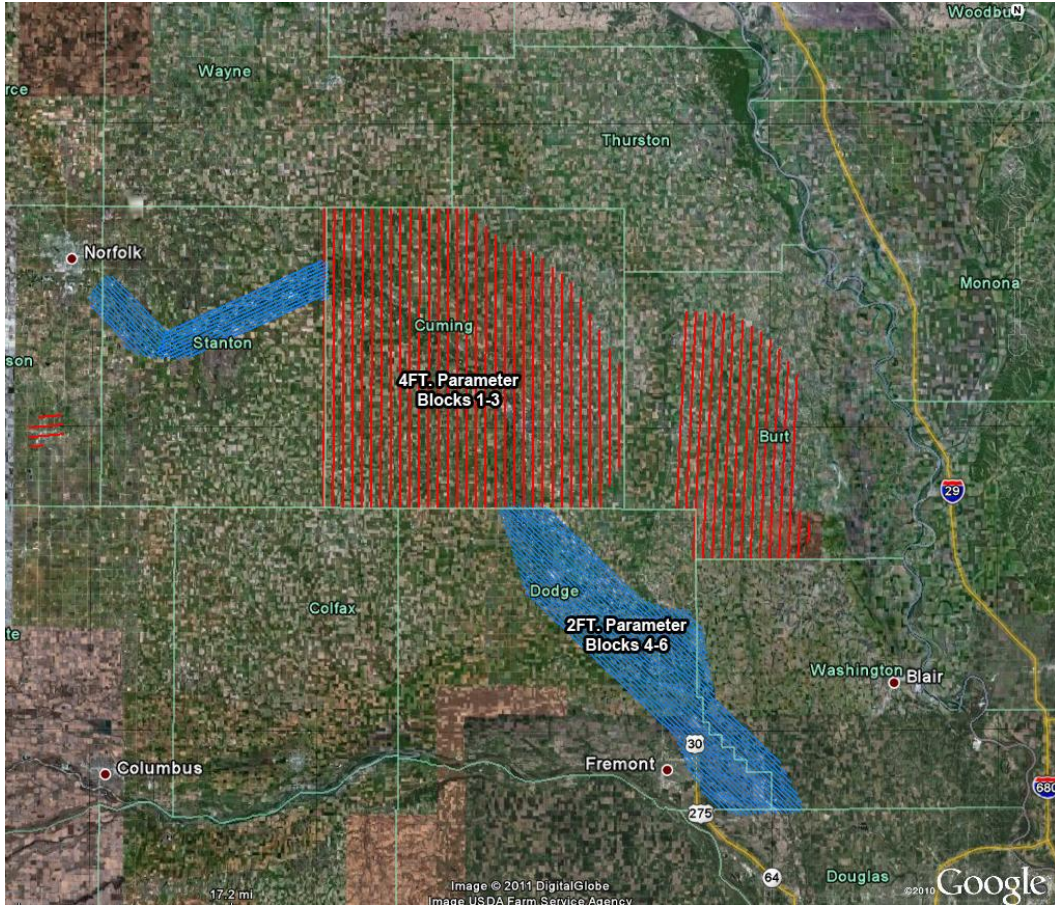
LiDAR data acquisition was completed between November 18, 2010 and December 6, 2010. A total of 7 flight missions were required to cover the project area. Missions 111810A and 112310A were flown but sections of the information from the flights were not used for the project. Information on these missions is provided in Table 2.3.

Table 2.3 Airborne LiDAR Acquisition Flight Summary

Acquisition Date, Mission, and Time	20101118 KAS10_315A 10:40-13:50 CST
	20101118 KAS10_315B 15:55-19:34 CST
	20101119 KAS10_315A 18:16-22:02 CST
	20101123A KAS10_315A 8:51-12:52 CST
	20101123B KAS10_315A 15:14-19:23 CST
	20101125 KAS10_315A 7:44-11:25 CST
	20101206 KAS10_315A 18:23-22:07 CST
Area of Acquisition	800 square miles
Aircraft	Twin Engine Fixed Wing
Planned Altitude	Blocks 1-3 2,400 meters AGL; Blocks 4-6 1,700 meters AGL
Planned Airspeed	160 knots
Planned Number of Flight Lines	Block 1 - 4 lines; Block 2 - 32 lines; Block 3 – 15 Lines
	Block 4 - 35 lines; Block 5 - 11 lines; Block 6 -12 Lines
Flight Line Spacing	Blocks 1 -3 450 meters; Blocks 4-6 1220 meters
Flight Line Coverage	2920 meters
Sidelap	Blocks 1-3 30%; Blocks 4-6 50%
System PRF	Blocks 1-3 50 kHz; Blocks 4-6 70 kHz
Mirror Scan Half Angle	Blocks 1-3 22°; Blocks 4-6 17°
Mirror Scan Rate	Blocks 1-3 23 Hz; Blocks 4-6 37 Hz
Nominal Point Density	Blocks 1-3 0.31ppm ² ; Blocks 4-6 1.64 ppm ²
Datum	NAD83(HARN)
	NAVD88 via Geoid09
Projection and Units	Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM 14N)

Figure 2.2 depicts the flightlines for each area of the project. Shapefiles of the flightline swath can be found in the Coverage.zip file attached to this report.

Figure 2.2 LiDAR Flight Line Layout Map



2.4. PDOP

The maximum planned PDOP for the LiDAR collection was set at ≤ 3.0 . The PDOP plots are provided in Figures 2.3-2.9. Two different versions of software were utilized for the GPS and POS processing. Both software versions are provided by the manufacture APPLANIX, but the reporting of the data is different. The graphs provided show the same information but are represented in different formats

PDOP Plots
Figure 2.3 – KAS10_315_111810A

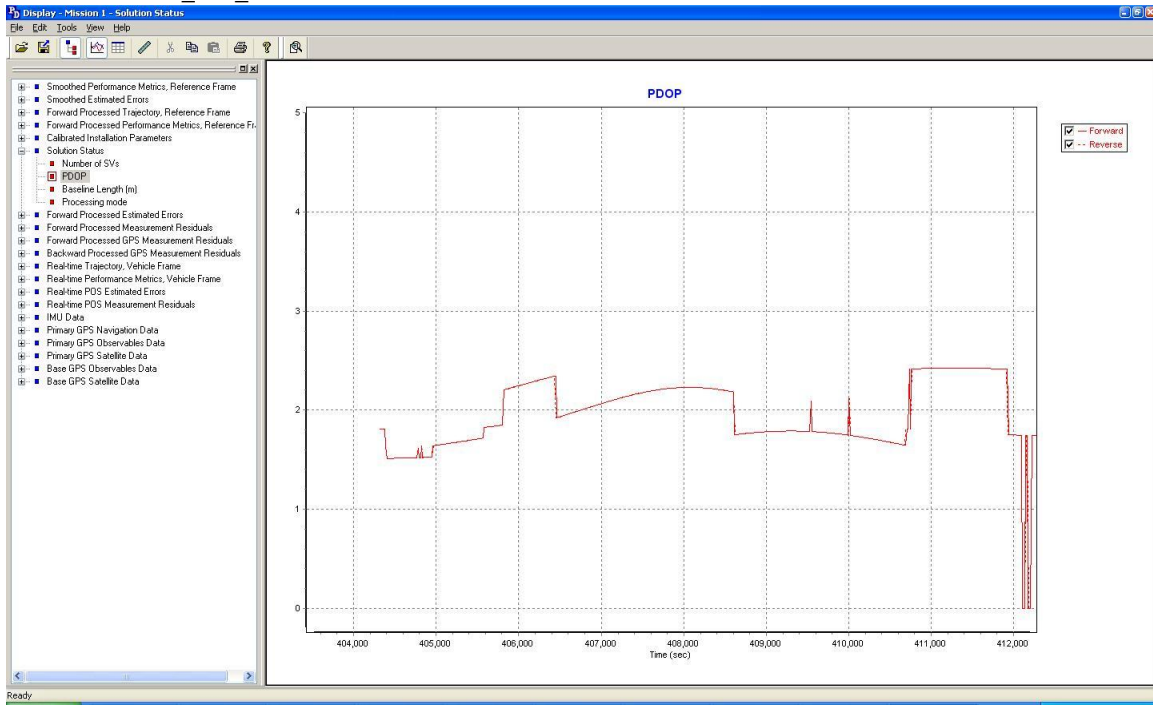


Figure 2.4 – KAS10_315_111810B

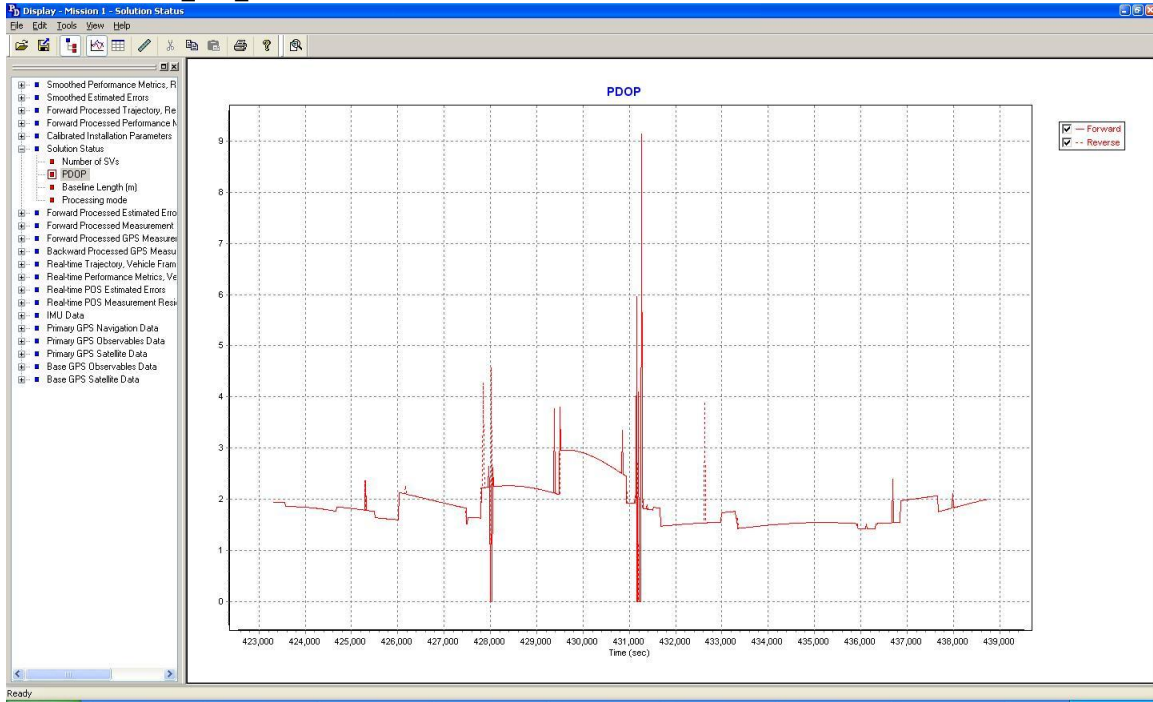


Figure 2.5 – KAS10_315_111910B

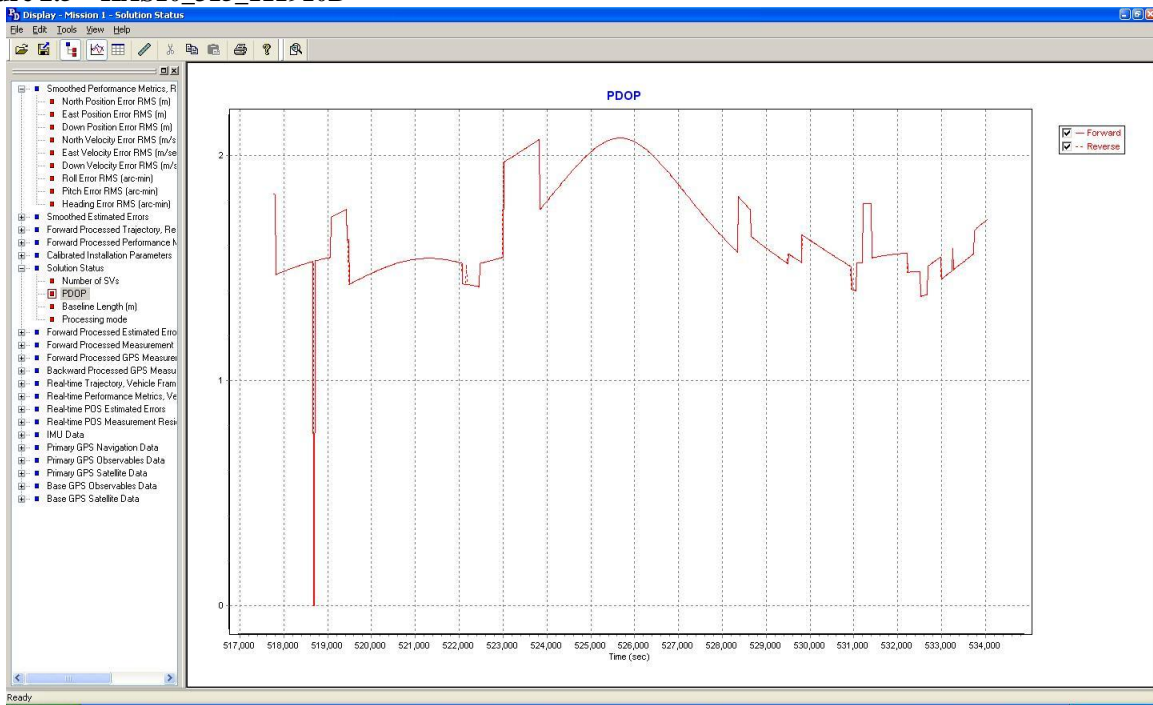


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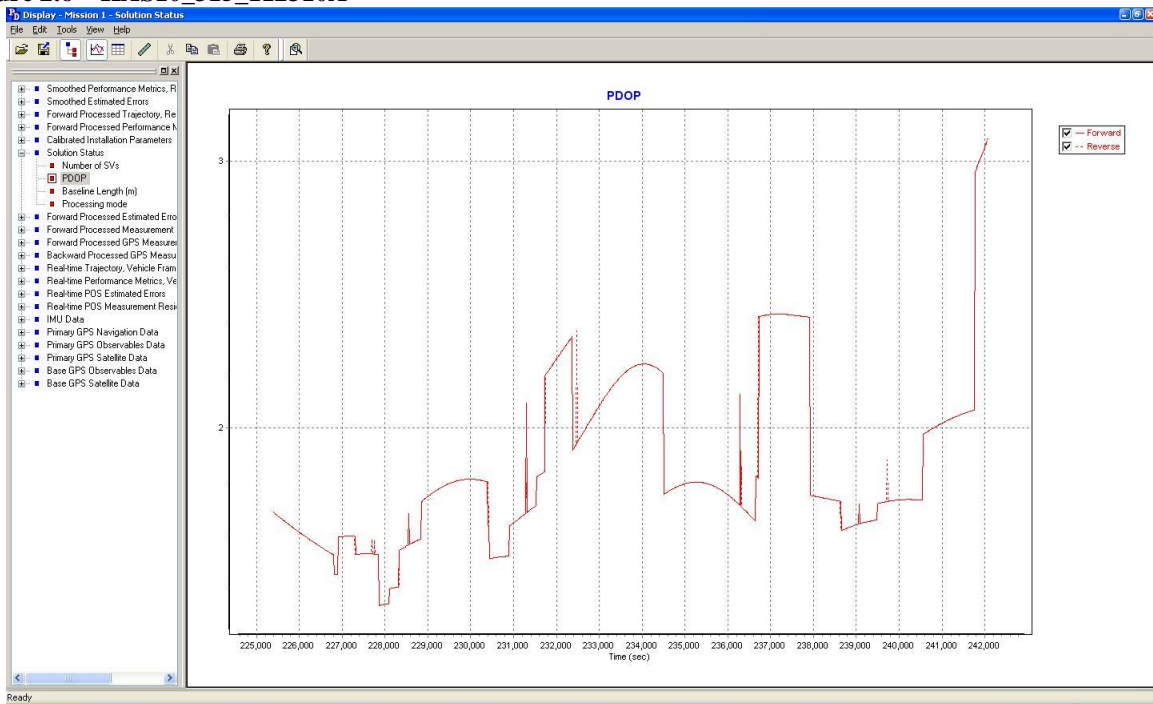


Figure 2.7 – KAS10_315_112310B

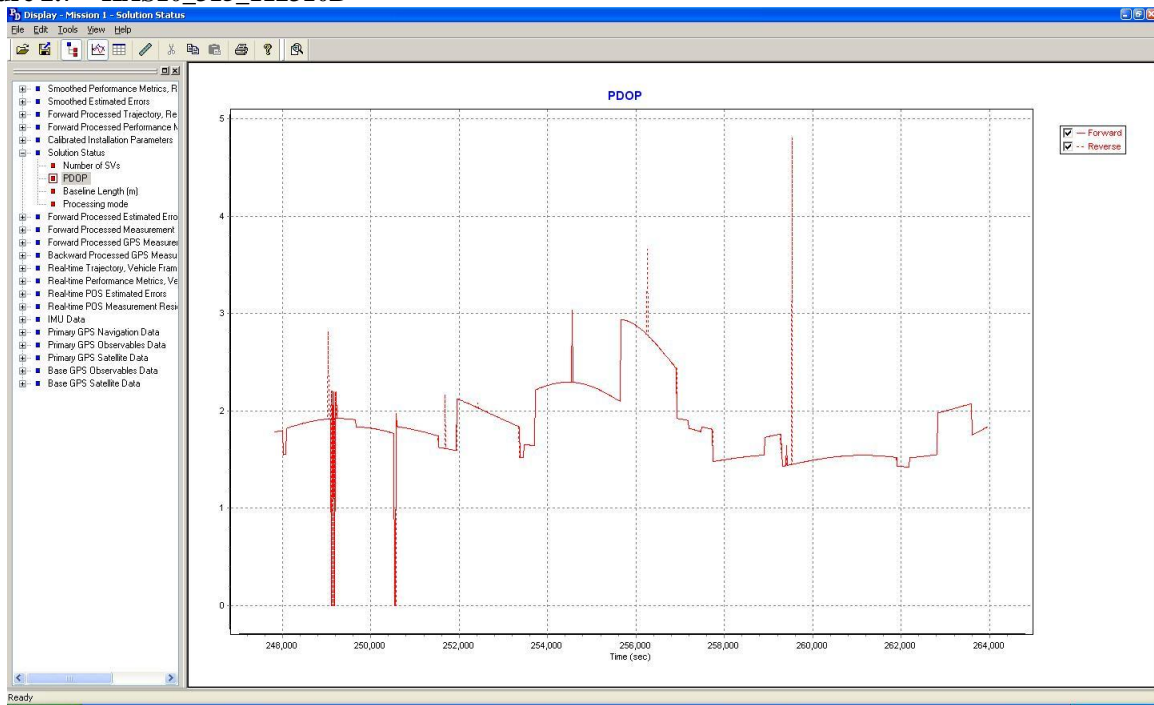
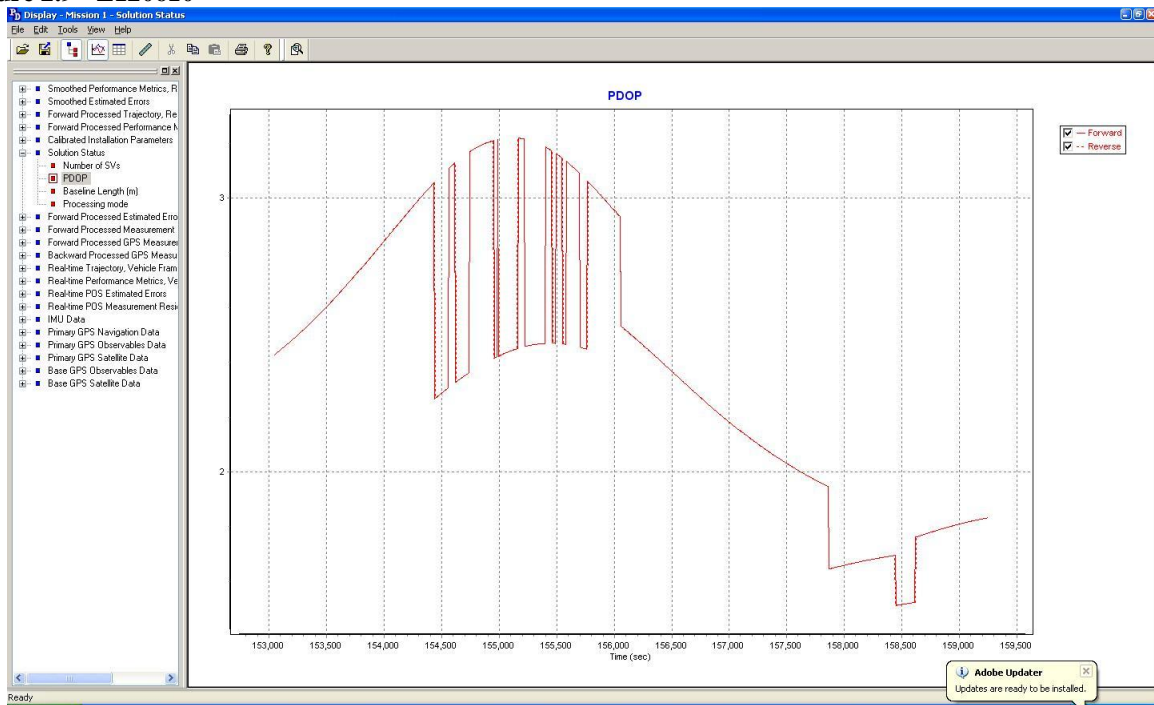


Figure 2.8 – KAS10_315_112510



Figure 2.9 - L120610



3. Processing Summary

3.1. Airborne GPS

Applanix - POSGPS

Utilizing carrier phase ambiguity resolution on the fly (i.e., without initialization), the solution to sub-decimeter kinematic positioning without the operational constraint of static initialization as used in semi-kinematic or stop-and-go positioning was utilized for the airborne GPS post-processing.

The processing technique used by Applanix, Inc. for achieving the desired accuracy is Kinematic Ambiguity Resolution (KAR). KAR searches for ambiguities and uses a special method to evaluate the relative quality of each intersection (RMS). The quality indicator is used to evaluate the accuracy of the solution for each processing computation. In addition to the quality indicator, the software will compute separation plots (Figures 3.1-3.7) between any two solutions, which will ultimately determine the acceptance of the airborne GPS post processing.

GPS Separation Plots

Figure 3.1 – KAS10_315_111810A

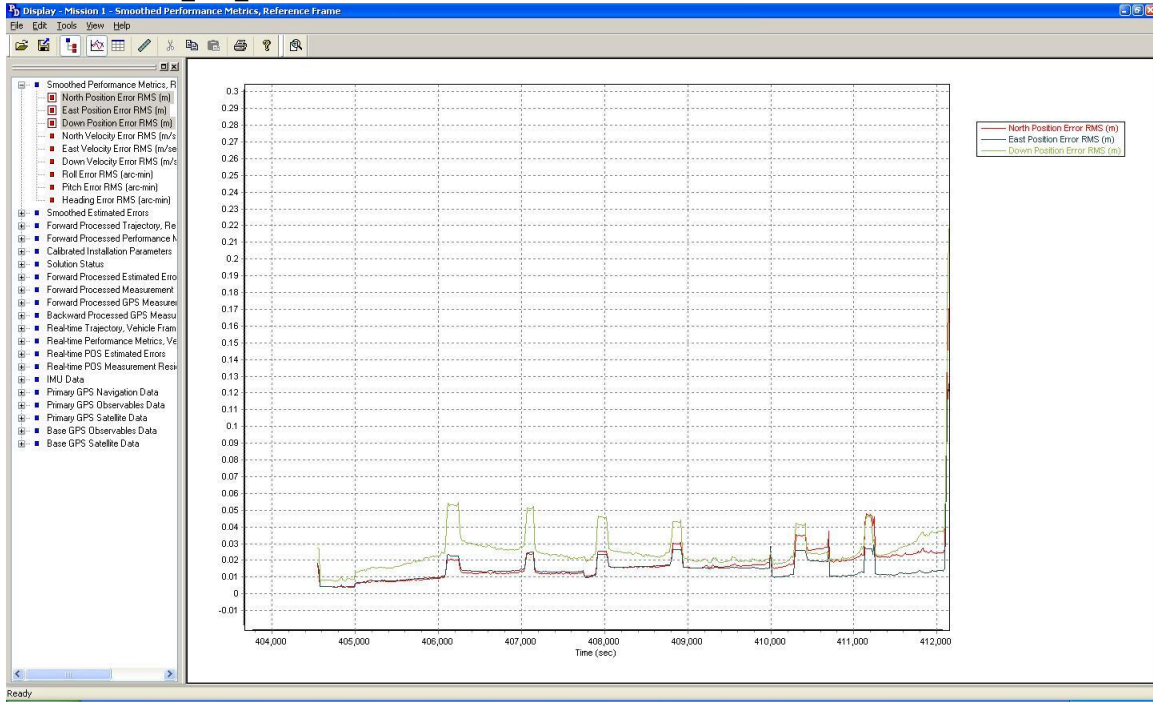


Figure 3.2 – KAS10_315_111810B

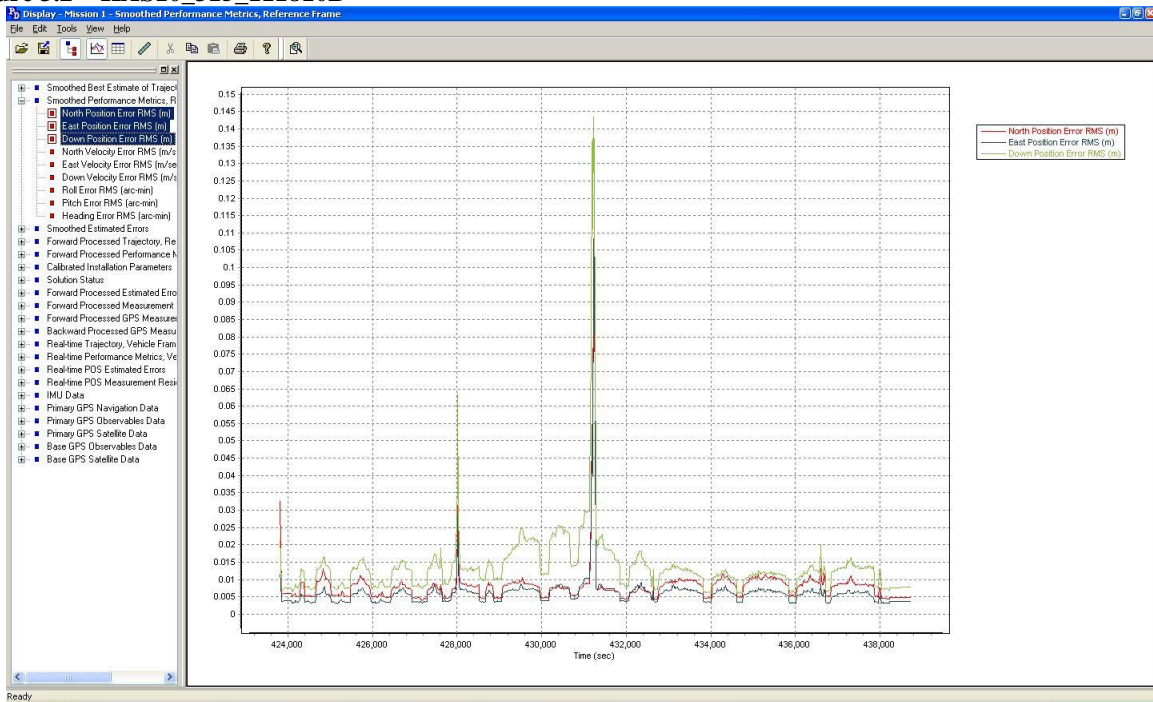


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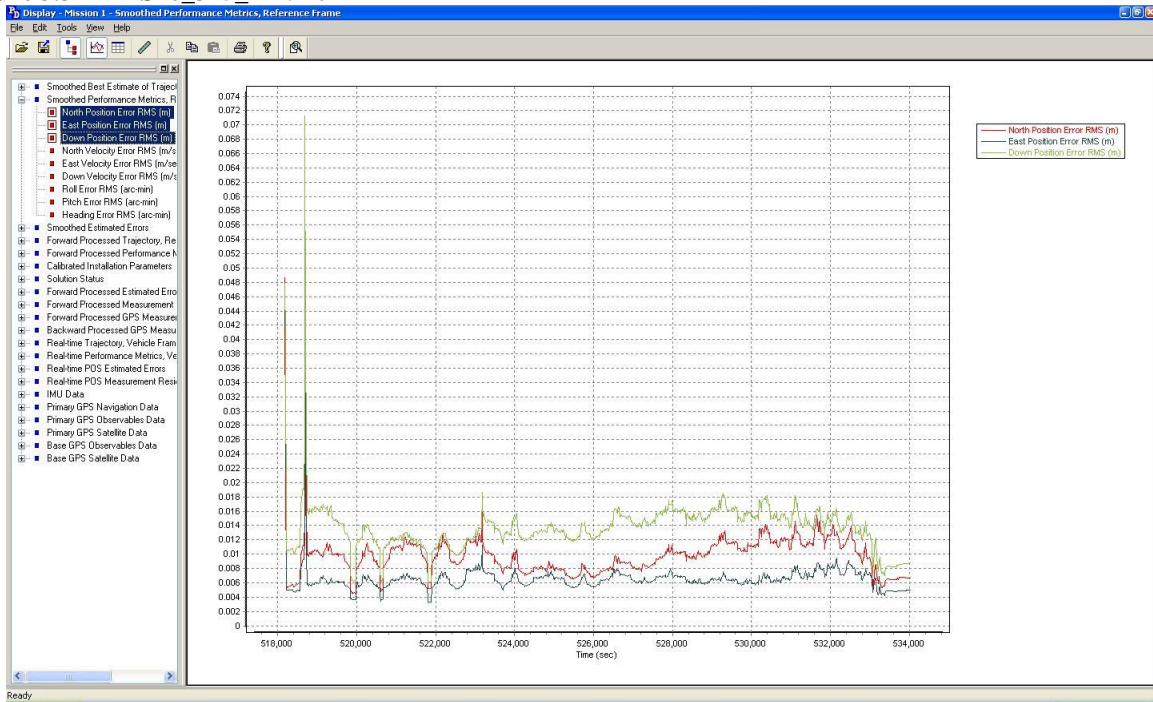


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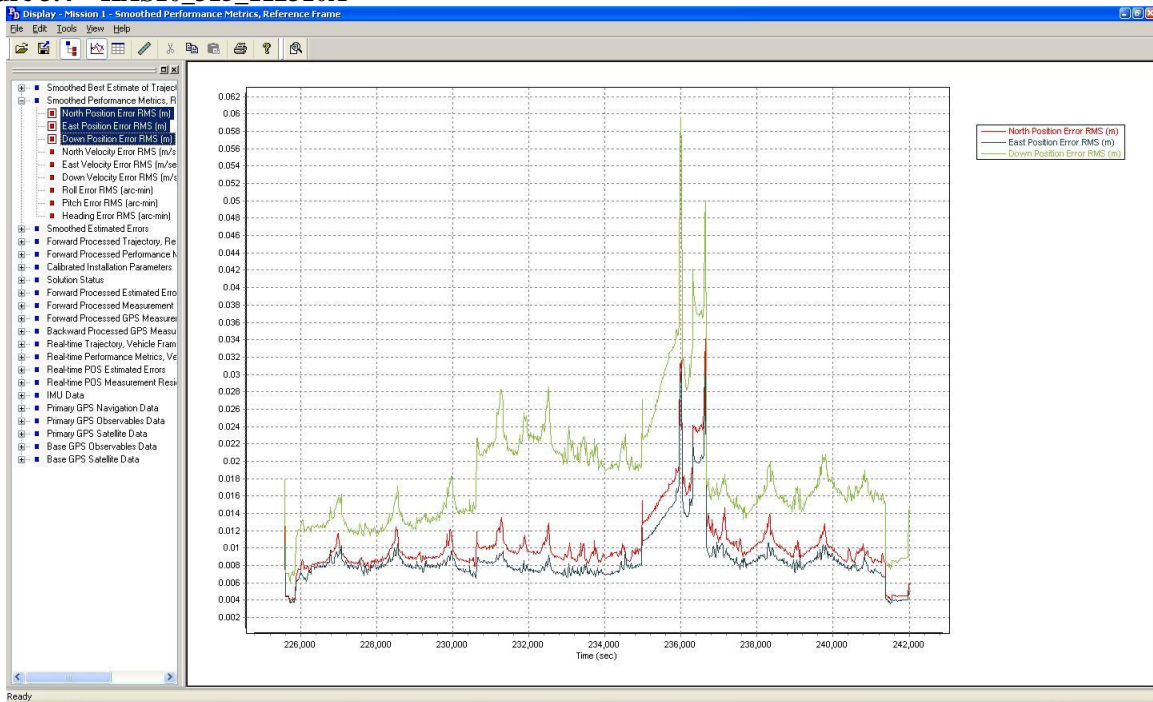


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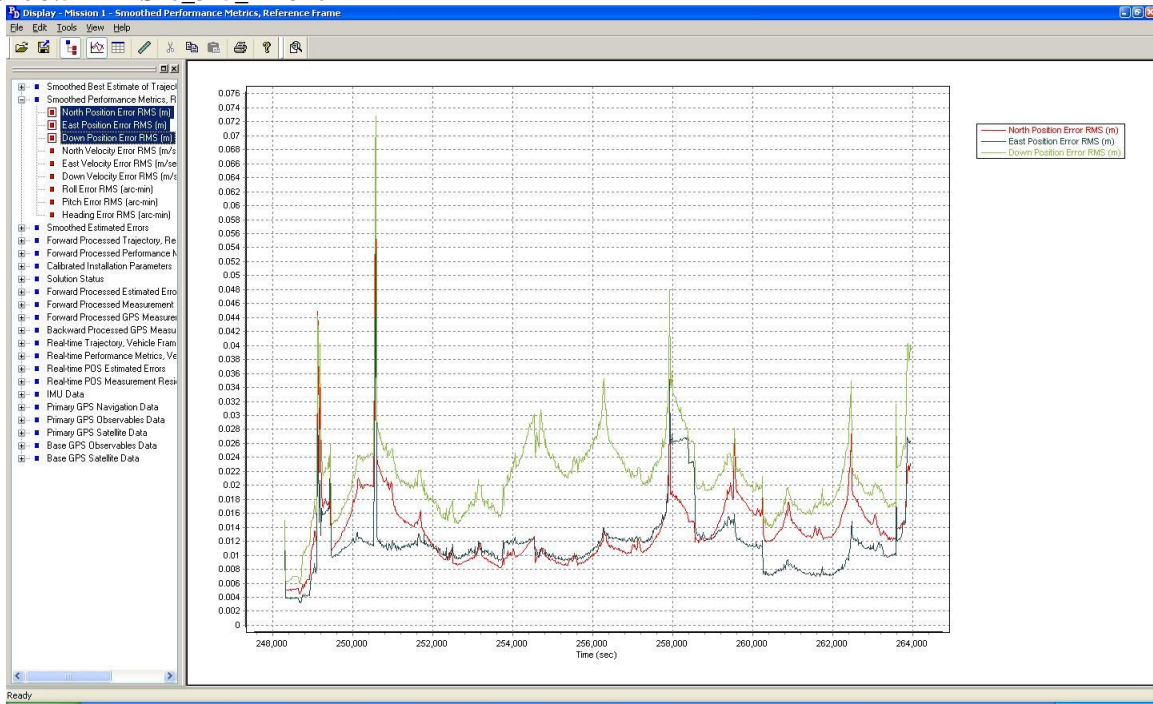


Figure 3.6 – KAS10_315_112510

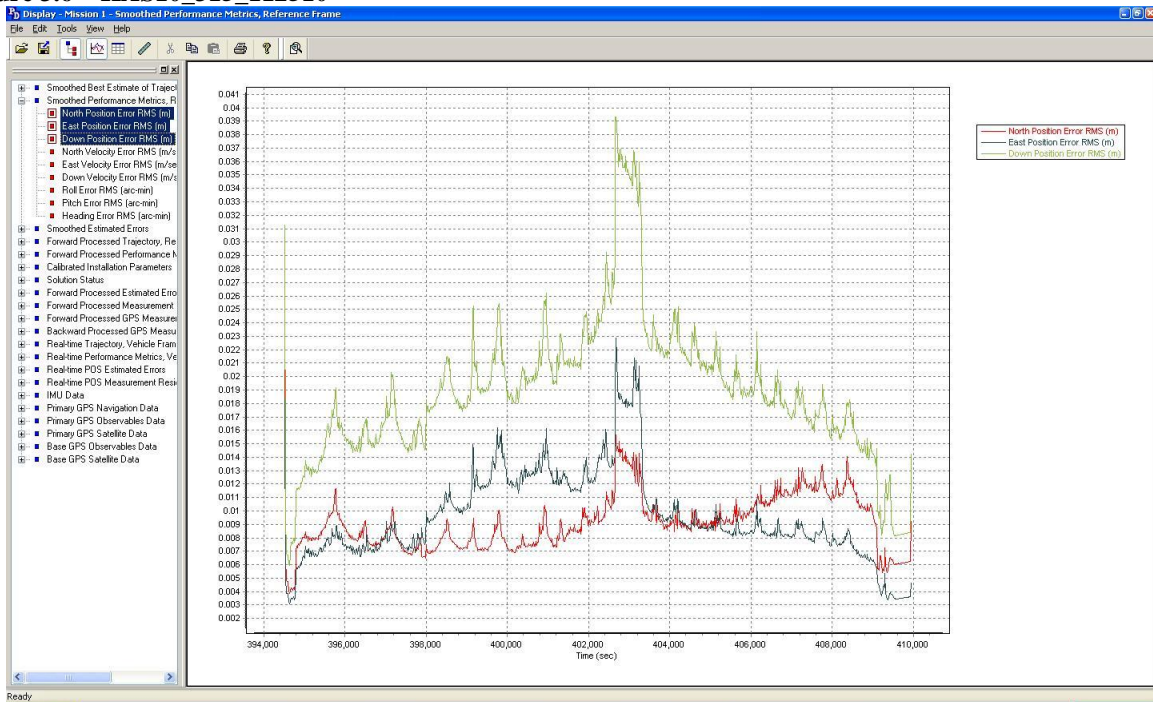
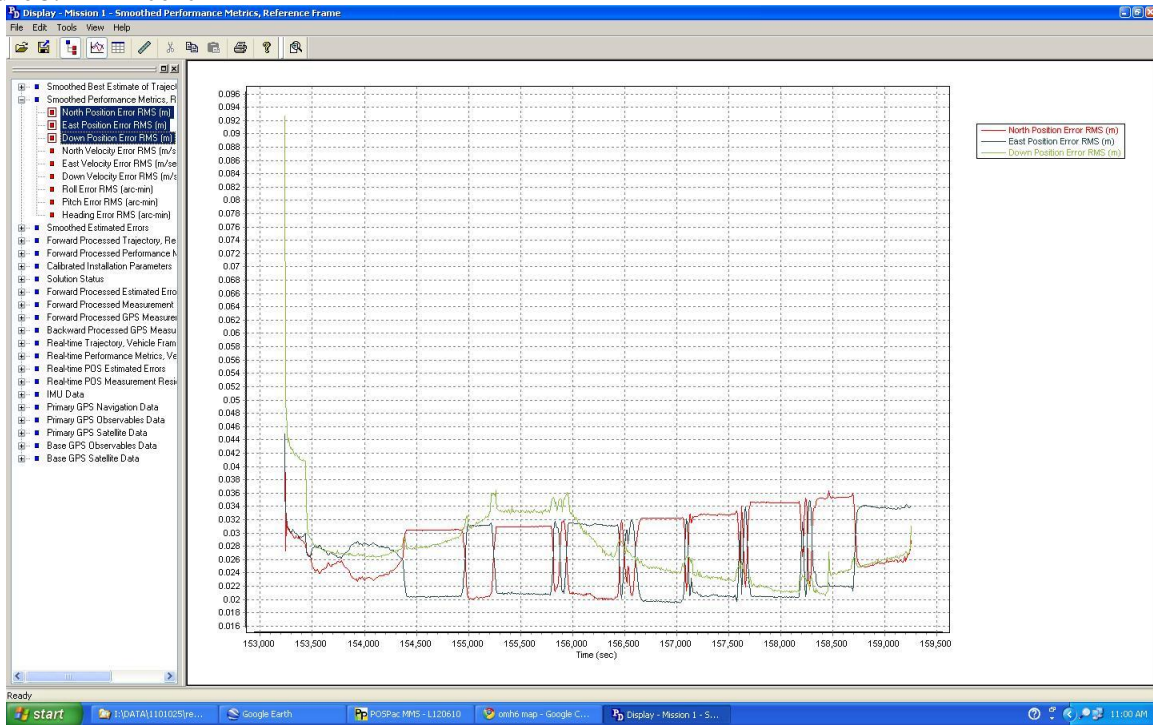


Figure 3.7 – L120610



Inertial Data

The post-processing of inertial and aiding sensor data (i.e. airborne GPS post processed data) is to compute an optimally blended navigation solution. The Kalman filter-based aided inertial navigation algorithm generates an accurate (in the sense of least-square error) navigation solution that will retain the best characteristics of the processed input data. An example of inertial/GPS sensor blending is the following: inertial data is smooth in the short term. However, a free-inertial navigation solution has errors that grow without bound with time. A GPS navigation solution exhibits short-term noise but has errors that are bounded. This optimally blended navigation solution will retain the best features of both, i.e. the blended navigation solution has errors that are smooth and bounded. The GPS Elevation Plots are presented in Figures 3.8 – 3.14.

The resultant processing generates the following data:

- Position: Latitude, Longitude, Altitude
- Velocity: North, East, and Down components
- 3-axis attitude: roll, pitch, true heading
- Acceleration: x, y, z components
- Angular rates: x, y, z components

GPS Altitude Plots

Figure 3.8 – KAS10_315_111810A

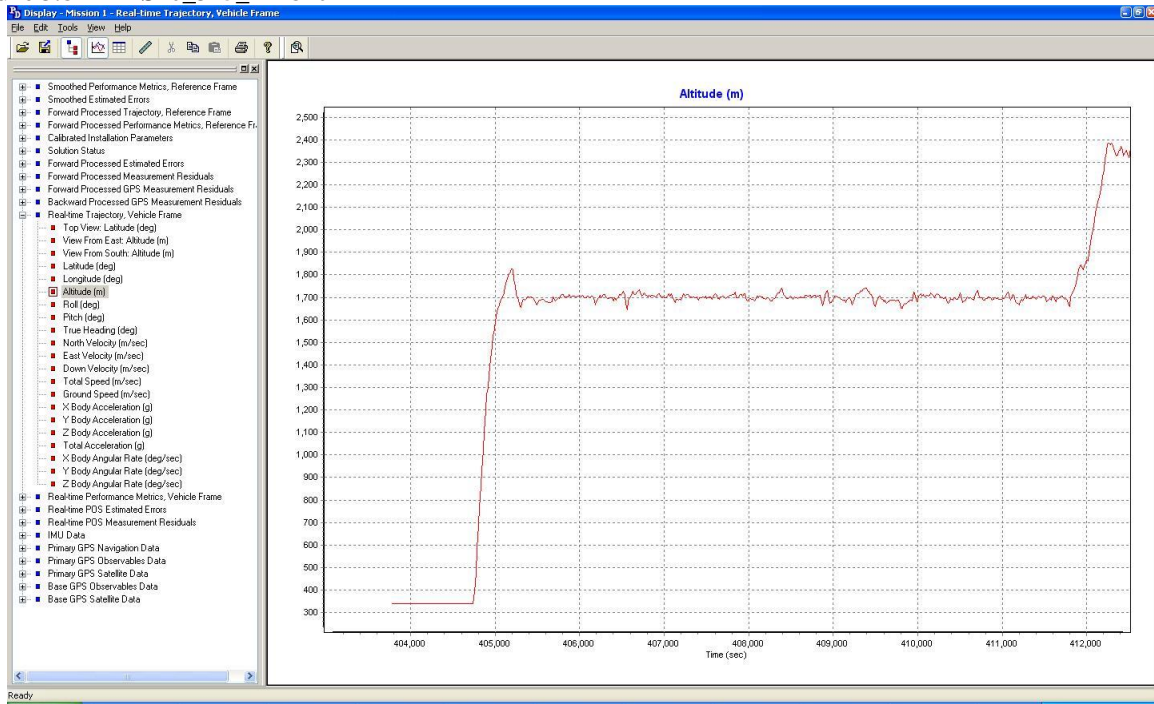


Figure 3.09 – KAS10_315_111810B

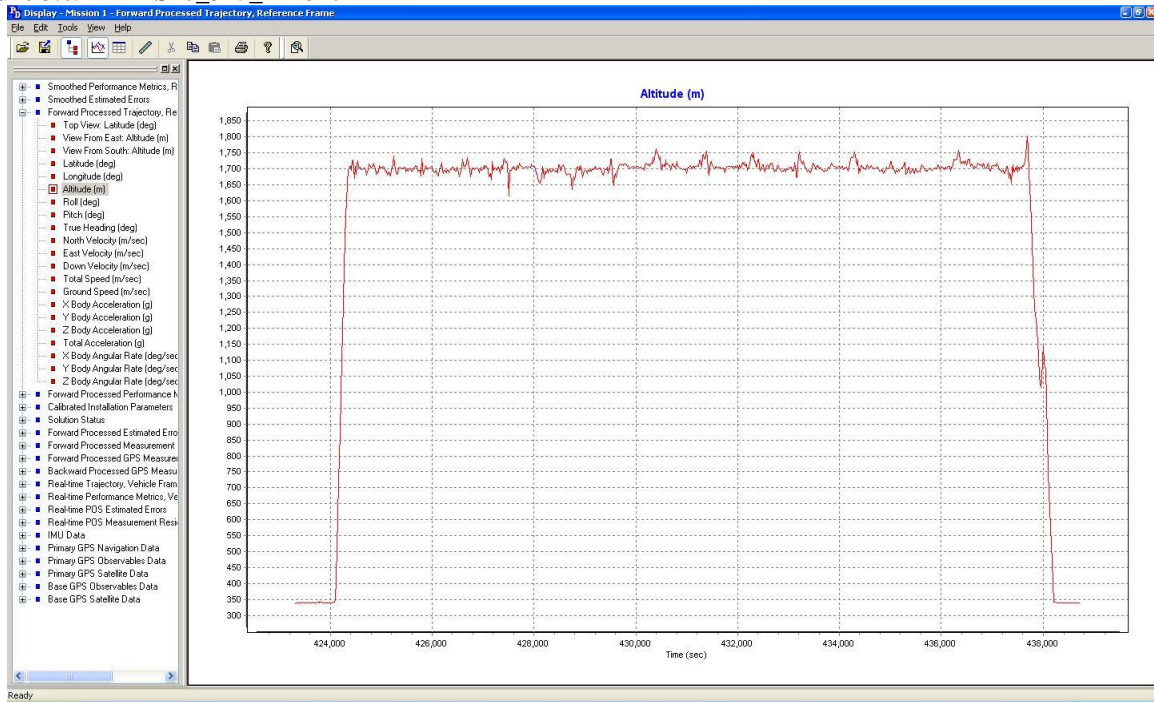


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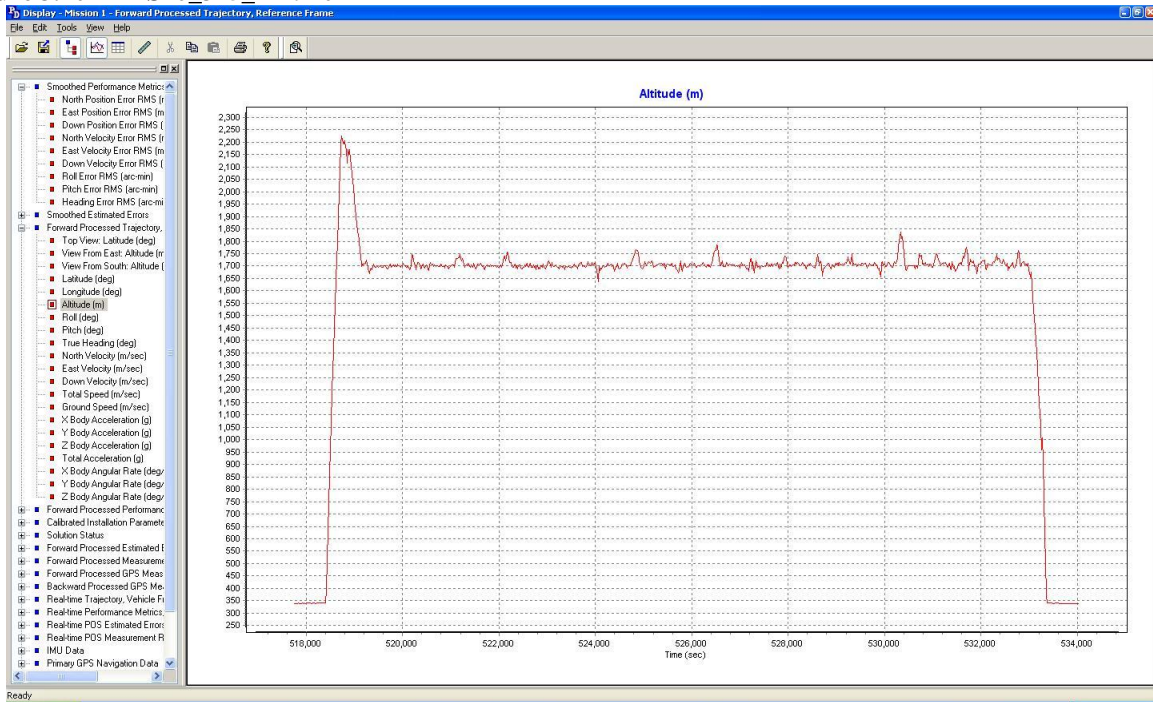


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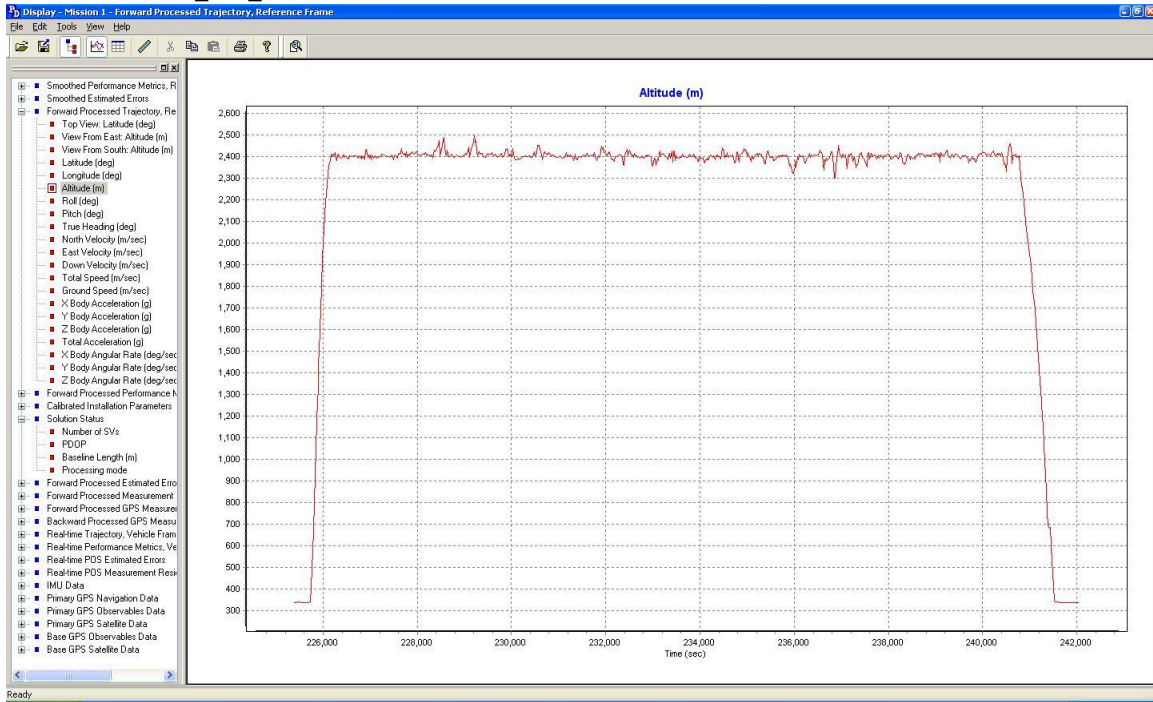


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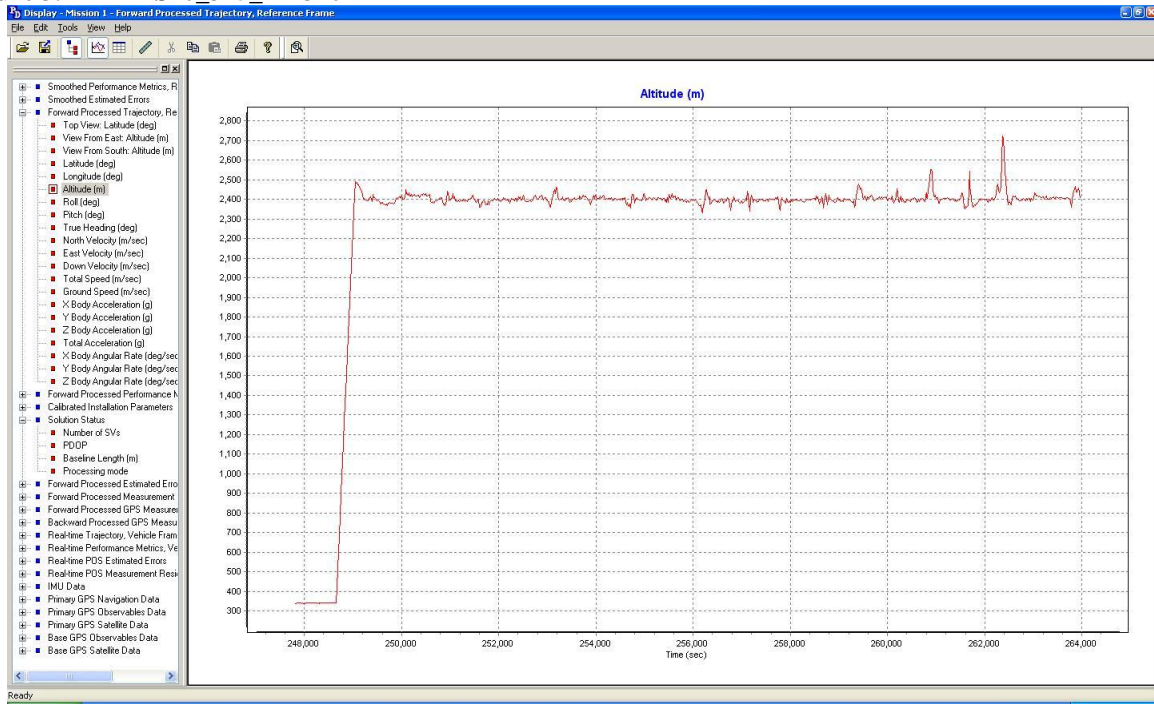


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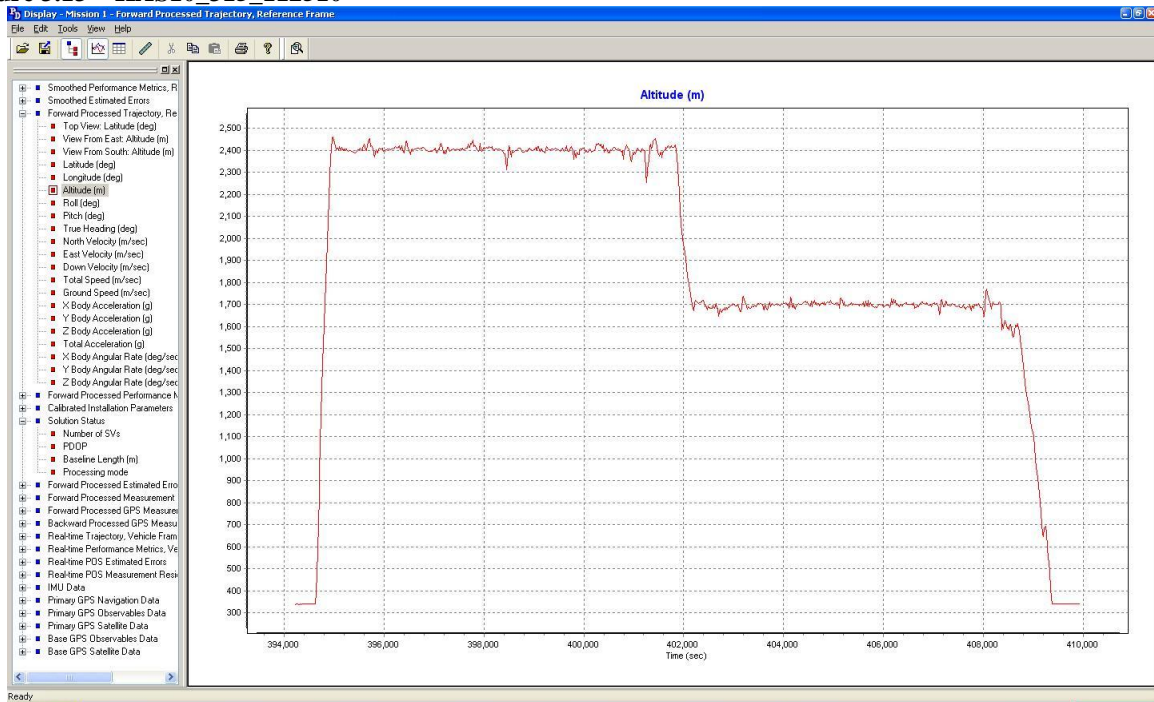
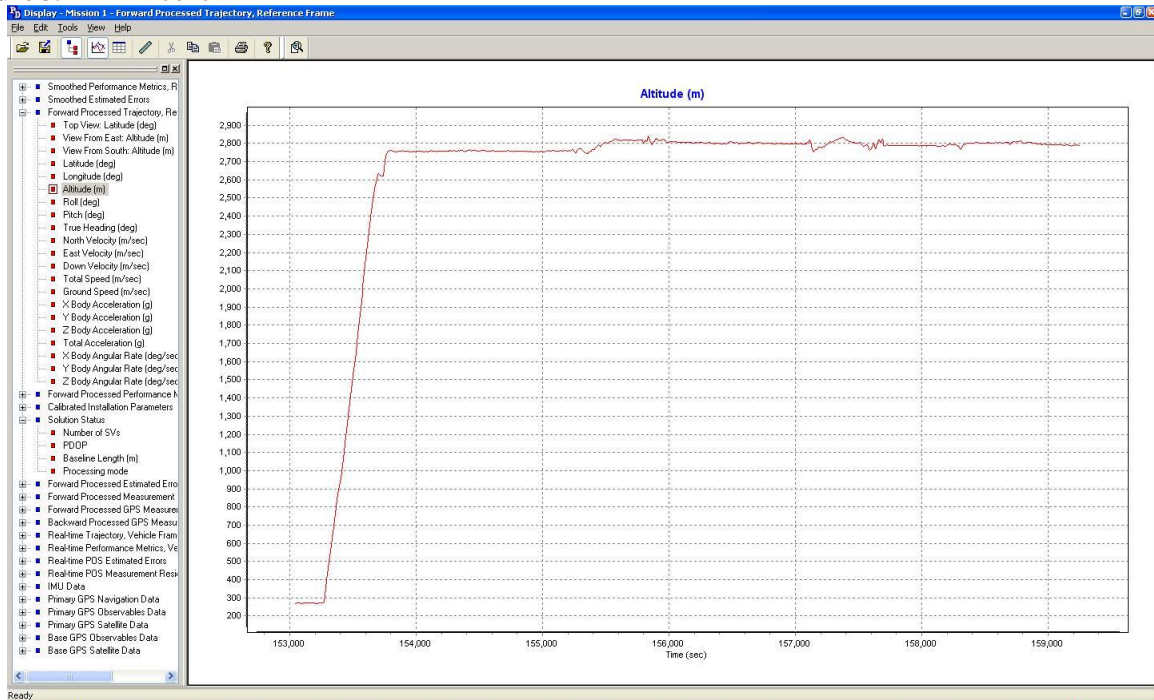


Figure 3.14 – L120610



The airborne GPS and blending of inertial and GPS post-processing were completed in multiple steps.

1. The collected data was transferred from the field data collectors to the main computer. Data was saved under the project number and separated between LiDAR mission dates. Inside each mission date, a sub-directory was created with the aircraft's tail number and an A or B suffix was attached to record which mission of the day the data is associated with. Inside the tail number sub-directory, five sub-directories were also created: EO, GPS, IMU, PROC, and RAW.
2. The aircraft raw data (IMU and GPS data combined) was run through a data extractor program. This separated the IMU and GPS data. In addition to the extraction of data, it provided the analyst the first statistics on the overall flight. The program was POSpac (POS post-processing PACKage).
3. Executing POSGPS program to derive accurate GPS positions for all flights:

Applanix POSGPS

The software utilized for the data collected was PosGPS, a kinematic on-the-fly (OTF) processing software package. Post processing of the data is computed from each base station (Note: only base stations within the flying area were used) in both a forward and backward direction. This provides the analyst the ability to Quality Check (QC) the post processing, since different ambiguities are determined from different base stations and also with the same data from different directions.

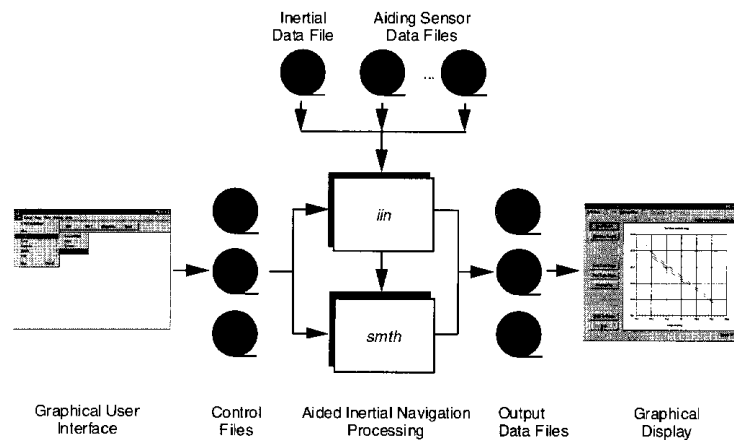
The trajectory separation program is designed to display the time of week that the airborne or roving antenna traveled, and compute the differences found between processing runs. Processed data can be compared between a forward/reverse solution from one base station, a reverse solution from one base station and a forward solution from the second base station, etc. For the Applanix POSGPS processing, this is considered the final QC check for the given mission. If wrong ambiguities were found with one or both runs, the analyst would see disagreements from the trajectory plot, and re-processing would continue until an agreement was determined.

Once the analyst accepts a forward and reverse processing solution, the trajectory plot is analyzed and the combined solution is stored in a file format acceptable for the IMU post processor.

4. When the processed trajectory (either through POSGPS) data was accepted after quality control analysis, the combined solution is stored in a file format acceptable for the IMU post processor (i.e. POSProc). Shapefiles of the trajectories are found in the Coverage.zip attachment to this document.
5. Execute POSProc.

POSProc comprises a set of individual processing interface tools. Figure 3.15 shows the organization of these tools that are a function of the POSProc processing components. These tools provide the functions described in the following paragraphs.

Figure 3.15 POSProc Processing Components



Integrated Inertial Navigation (*iin*) Module.

The name *iin* is a contraction of Integrated Inertial Navigation. *iin* reads inertial data and aiding data from data files specified in a processing environment file and computes the aided inertial navigation solution. The inertial data comes from a strapdown IMU. *iin* outputs the navigation data between start and end times at a data rate as specified in the environment file. *iin* also outputs Kalman filter data for analysis of estimation error statistics and smoother data that the smoothing program *smth* uses to improve the navigation solution accuracy.

iin implements a full strapdown inertial navigator that solves Newton's equation of motion on the earth using inertial data from a strapdown IMU. The inertial navigator implements coning and sculling compensation to handle potential problems caused by vibration of the IMU.

Smoother Module (*smth*)

smth is a companion processing module to *iin*. *smth* is comprised of two individual functions that run in sequence. *smth* first runs the *smoother function* and then runs the *navigation correction function*.

The *smth* smoother function performs backwards-in-time processing of the forwards-in-time blended navigation solution and Kalman filter data generated by *iin* to compute smoothed error estimates. *smth* implements a modified Bryson-Frazier smoothing algorithm specifically designed for use with the *iin* Kalman filter. The resulting smoothed strapdown navigator error estimates at a given time point are the optimal estimates based on all input data before and after the given time point. In this sense, *smth* makes use of all available information in the input data. *smth* writes the smoothed error estimates and their RMS estimation errors to output data files.

The *smth* navigation correction function implements a feedforward error correction mechanism similar to that in the *iin* strapdown navigation solution using the smoothed strapdown navigation errors. *smth* reads in the smoothed error estimates and with these, corrects the strapdown navigation data. The resulting navigation solution is called a Best Estimate of Trajectory (BET), and is the best obtainable estimate of vehicle trajectory with the available inertial and aiding sensor data.

The above mentioned modules provide the analyst the following statistics to ensure that the most optimal solution was achieved: a log of the *iin* processing, the Kalman filter Measurement Residuals, Smoothed RMS Estimation Errors, and Smoothed Sensor Errors and RMS.

3.2. LIDAR Calibration

The purpose of the LiDAR system calibration is to refine the system parameters in order for the post-processing software to produce a “point cloud” that best fits the actual ground.

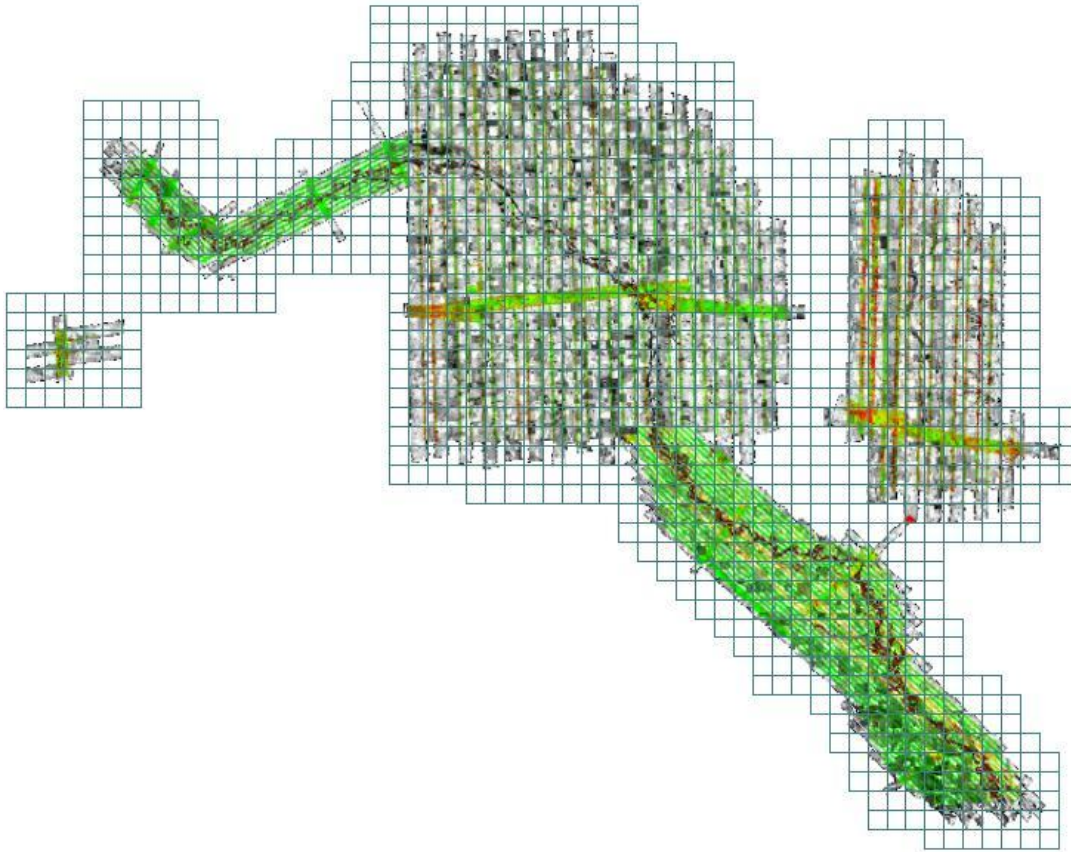
For each mission, LiDAR data for at least one cross flight is acquired over the mission’s acquisition site. The processed data of the cross flight is compared to the perpendicular flight lines using either the Optech proprietary software or TerraSolid's TerraMatch software to determine if any systematic errors are present. In this calibration, the data of individual flight lines are compared against each other and their systematic errors are corrected in the final processed data.

3.3. LIDAR Processing

The LAS files were then imported, verified, and parsed into manageable, tiled grids using GeoCue.

The first step after the data has been processed and calibrated is to perform a relative accuracy assessment on the flightline to flightline comparisons and also a data density test prior any further processing. To determine a proper accuracy assessment between flightlines, Aerometric uses GeoCue to create Orthos by elevation differences. The generated orthos have assigned elevation ranges that allow the technician to evaluate if the data passes the accuracy assessment and also determine if additional calibration efforts are needed based on the bias trends. Figure 3.16 is a screen capture of the elevation orthos where green indicates a flightline comparison of less than 5cm; yellow is 5-10 cm; orange is 10-15 cm, and red is greater than 15cm.

Figure 3.16 - DZ Raster Image



Summary

The GPS Quality for the Collection was very good and would be characterized as good to High as represented in the plots and information in Appendix A. The maximum horizontal variance for the project during the collection of mission lines was 9.5 centimeters. The maximum vertical variance for project collection was 21.5 centimeters, but it should be noted that this was not during the collection of the mission lines. The maximum vertical variance during collection of mission lines was 14.5 centimeters. These values are reflected in the plots in Appendix A.

Flight Log Overview

Post Spacing – 1 meter

AGL (Above Ground Level) average flying height – 4 ft Parameter 2400 meters; 2 ft Parameter 1700 meters

MSL (Mean Sea Level) average flying height – 4 ft Parameter 2900 meters; 2 ft Parameter 2200 Meters

Average Ground Speed – 160 knots

Field of View – 4 ft Parameter 40°; 2 ft Parameter 30°

Pulse Rate – 4 ft Parameter 50 kHz; 2 ft Parameter 70 kHz

Scan Rate – 4 ft Parameter 23 Hz; 2 ft Parameter 37 Hz

Side Lap (Average) – 4 ft Parameter 30%; 2 ft Parameter 50%

Flight logs are located in Appendix A of this document.

4. Data Verification

The data was verified using the ground control data collected by Compass Data, Inc. 52 Points were distributed throughout the project area and the points were compared to the Lidar data using TerraScan. TerraScan computes the vertical differences between the surveyed elevation and the LiDAR derived elevation for each point. Table 4.1 provides this vertical accuracy test. RMSE = 0.073 meters

The Fundamental Vertical Accuracy (FVA) was tested by Compass Data, Inc. This test consisted of 20 vertical checkpoints reported at the 95% confidence level RMSE. FVA= 0.140 meters

The Supplemental Vertical Accuracy (SVA) was tested by Compass Data, Inc. This test consisted of 20 vertical checkpoints reported at the 95th Percentile RMSE. CVA= 0.161 meters

Table 4-1 Vertical Accuracy Statistics

Control Point	Easting (UTM 14)	Northing (UTM 14)	Actual Z (M)	LIDAR Z (M)	Difference Z (M)
CMG101	635135.09	4651501.73	458.42	458.48	0.06
CMG102	635201.48	4648292.29	458.28	458.36	0.08
CMG103	644084.48	4644466.28	448.22	448.28	0.06
CMG104	644108.27	4642460.04	445.98	446.11	0.13
CMG105	655445.03	4650323.93	435.64	435.70	0.06
CMG106	655360.15	4647102.02	444.38	444.44	0.06
CMG107	663970.49	4653767.51	427.15	427.20	0.05
CMG108	664033.07	4650501.40	445.15	445.20	0.05
CMG109	665389.58	4660202.95	476.32	476.27	-0.05
CMG110	679906.10	4660494.14	441.01	441.02	0.01
CMG111	676824.37	4652377.35	442.82	442.81	-0.01
CMG112	692874.93	4652789.08	452.47	452.49	0.02
CMG113	665826.18	4642479.14	469.21	469.22	0.01
CMG114	681164.38	4642141.63	411.09	411.05	-0.04
CMG115	699583.73	4641648.68	447.11	447.08	-0.03
CMG116	666059.30	4632838.66	505.01	505.05	0.04
CMG117	682145.17	4633206.02	442.89	442.87	-0.02
CMG118	701406.57	4633638.33	418.75	418.74	-0.01
CMG119	666244.87	4624776.09	473.98	474.00	0.02
CMG120	682333.53	4625139.61	409.01	408.98	-0.03
CMG121	698424.14	4625516.46	432.52	432.54	0.02
CMG122	698424.50	4625517.56	432.54	432.49	-0.05
CMG123	688576.87	4622098.93	425.01	425.00	-0.01
CMG124	692999.27	4622158.34	403.23	403.23	0.00
CMG125	692854.24	4613328.18	398.08	398.00	-0.08
CMG126	699635.66	4613472.24	412.49	412.51	0.02
CMG127	708161.86	4606373.84	390.96	390.95	-0.01
CMG128	712122.29	4609723.96	373.07	373.04	-0.03
CMG129	711763.68	4595195.17	361.29	361.29	0.00
CMG130	715676.66	4596918.05	403.37	403.37	0.00
CMG131	718304.23	4592141.85	355.55	355.55	0.00
CMG132	718303.05	4592143.19	355.58	355.56	-0.02
CMG133	716318.41	4586764.49	355.85	355.80	-0.05
CMG134	725774.83	4586270.21	367.70	367.67	-0.03
CMG135	711007.02	4648410.71	407.05	407.16	0.11
CMG136	716635.99	4648575.37	378.30	378.27	-0.03
CMG137	711980.10	4641995.43	427.03	427.25	0.22
CMG138	723204.50	4642335.99	403.95	403.71	-0.24
CMG139	710708.09	4633885.01	403.14	403.22	0.08
CMG140	721079.73	4634197.11	418.33	418.24	-0.09
CMG141	710902.70	4624914.14	399.74	399.85	0.11
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CMG147	672131.60	4647445.01	425.06	425.07	0.01
CMG148	688241.45	4646220.31	430.56	430.54	-0.02
CMG149	672386.02	4637783.12	466.30	466.41	0.11
CMG150	691679.57	4638247.62	444.24	444.23	-0.01
CMG151	672594.18	4628134.75	455.36	455.38	0.02
CMG152	691898.56	4628576.93	405.46	405.44	-0.02

Average dz	0.003
Minimum dz	-0.24
Maximum dz	0.22
Average magnitude	0.051
Root mean square	0.073
Std deviation	0.074

L120610A Condensed Flight Log

Flight Log

 Project Number: 1101025
 S/N : Cuming, NE
 Operator : Jim
 Pilot(s) : Josey
 Aircraft : N73TM
 Airport : KOMA/KMWN
 Mission : L120610A
 Wheels Up : ???
 Flight Length : 6.0
 HOBBS Start : 18:23
 HOBBS End : 22:07

Weather

 Date : December 06, 2010
 Julian Day : 340
 Temperature : ???
 Visibility : ???
 Clouds : ???
 Precipitation : ???
 Wind Dir : ???
 Wind Speed : ???
 Pressure : ???

Statistics

 Laser Time : 00:46:01

START	STOP	LINE#	ALT	PRF	FREQ	ANGLE	MP	DIV	RC	HDG	Plan File
18:42:08.956	18:42:38.456	30	2724	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	360.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
18:43:11.756	18:43:41.156	30	2751	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	360.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
18:53:26.558	19:00:02.16	30	2750	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	360.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:08:02.161	19:16:25.763	10	2814	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	180.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:19:24.164	19:20:17.564	10	2805	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	180.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:22:27.464	19:26:52.465	41	2793	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	183.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:31:24.866	19:37:09.267	37	2792	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	3.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:39:09.468	19:46:04.469	40	2788	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	183.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:49:10.77	19:56:13.871	39	2783	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	3.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln
19:59:04.772	20:04:34.973	38	2802	50	23.00	22.00	NAR	OFF	OFF	183.00	cuming_final_revised_fixline_11_3_10.pln



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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: KAS 10-315

Date: 11-18-2010
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 44Q
 Sensor: Crescent

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KW
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>37</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>17</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>5576</u>	Visability	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
<u>Test</u>	<u>164005</u>	<u>164027</u>						<u>AREA 6</u>	
<u>98</u>	<u>164350</u>	<u>164658</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.55</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>SCAN 20.00? Rad</u>	<u>KAS10-315_201118_A</u>
<u>99</u>	<u>165127</u>	<u>165438</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.61</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>SCAN 35.00? Rad</u>	<u>ALTM Logfile Name</u>
<u>100</u>	<u>165936</u>	<u>170252</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.89</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>SCAN 13.00? BLK</u> <u>SCAN 37.00? BLK</u> <u>overlap 50%</u>	
<u>101</u>	<u>170621</u>	<u>170940</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.93</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>102</u>	<u>171347</u>	<u>171706</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>2.00</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>		<u>Additional Flight Remarks</u>
<u>103</u>	<u>172107</u>	<u>172432</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.53</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>104</u>	<u>172841</u>	<u>173203</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.74</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>small clouds @ beginning</u>	
<u>105</u>	<u>173610</u>	<u>173930</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.98</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>C clouds</u>	
<u>Cross</u>	<u>174244</u>	<u>174406</u>							
<u>Cross</u>	<u>174948</u>	<u>174926</u>							
<u>106</u>	<u>175343</u>	<u>175652</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.93</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>107</u>	<u>180103</u>	<u>180405</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.68</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>108</u>	<u>180745</u>	<u>181024</u>	<u>315</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.61</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>109</u>	<u>181554</u>	<u>181657</u>	<u>135</u>	<u>1700</u>	<u>1.37</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>Cross</u>	<u>182031</u>	<u>182237</u>						<u>DESIGN 1786 7874 msl</u>	<u>SCAN 22.00</u> <u>SCAN 27.00</u>
<u>37</u>	<u>184235</u>	<u>184535</u>	<u>183</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>1.19</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>Red Summit</u>	<u>(PARTIAL)</u>
<u>37</u>	<u>184449</u>	<u>185345</u>	<u>183</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>1.66</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>Re-flight</u>	<u>(PARTIAL) Red Summit 1st 1/4</u>
<u>37</u>	<u>185818</u>	<u>190413</u>	<u>003</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>1.66</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>		

Base Station
 Location: KEET
 Point ID: _____
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____

Time On: 1545 UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: 1.3
 SV's: 13

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1724.1
 Hobbs End: 1927.6
 Flight Time: 3.5

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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: _____

Date: 11-18-10
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 44Q
 Sensor: Crescent

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KW
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>37</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>17</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>7874</u>	Visability	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
<u>39</u>	<u>190902</u>	<u>191630</u>	<u>183</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>1.73</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>BND-BND</u>	
<u>40</u>	<u>192107</u>	<u>192825</u>	<u>003</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>1.91</u>	<u>13</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>BND-BND</u>	
<u>41</u>	<u>193307</u>	<u>194034</u>	<u>183</u>	<u>2400</u>	<u>1.96</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>Pdop Jumps 1.96-5.26</u>	<u>ALTM Logfile Name</u>
<u>Cross</u>	<u>194705</u>	<u>194937</u>							
<u>Test</u>	<u>215507</u>	<u>215514</u>						<u>AREA 4</u>	<u>KAS10-315_201118-B</u>
<u>52</u>	<u>215620</u>	<u>215751</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.77</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>BND-BND</u>	<u>Additional Flight Remarks</u>
<u>53</u>	<u>220720</u>	<u>220937</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.63</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	<u>SCAN 19.00</u> <u>SCAN 27.00</u>
<u>54</u>	<u>220919</u>	<u>221703</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.58</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	
<u>55</u>	<u>221739</u>	<u>222040</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.42</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	
<u>56</u>	<u>222505</u>	<u>222826</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.41</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	
<u>57</u>	<u>223338</u>	<u>223720</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.56</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	
<u>59</u>	<u>224549</u>	<u>225340</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.50</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>Peak Jump 6.4% pk -> 1.4% (Refly only both half)</u> <u>no peak spike</u>	
<u>Test</u>	<u>225928</u>	<u>230023</u>							
<u>Cross</u>	<u>230359</u>	<u>230509</u>							
<u>59</u>	<u>231120</u>	<u>231504</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>2.18</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>second half Refly - good</u>	
<u>58</u>	<u>232130</u>	<u>233048</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>2.03</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>BND-BND</u>	
<u>61</u>	<u>233522</u>	<u>234544</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.86</u>	<u>18</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	
<u>60</u>	<u>235239</u>	<u>000230</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.39</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	
<u>63</u>	<u>000658</u>	<u>001740</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.28</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>"</u>	

Base Station
 Location: _____
 Point ID: _____
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____

Time On: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: _____
 SV's: _____

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1927.6
 Hobbs End: 1931.5
 Flight Time: 3.9

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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: _____

Date: 11-18-2010
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 440
 Sensor: Ception

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KU
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>377</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>17</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>5577</u>	Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
<u>62</u>	<u>002502</u>	<u>003521</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.34</u>	<u>21</u>	<u>160</u>	<u>BND-BND</u>	
<u>65</u>	<u>004019</u>	<u>005133</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.53</u>	<u>20</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>64</u>	<u>005814</u>	<u>010918</u>	<u>134</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.43</u>	<u>22</u>	<u>160</u>		ALTM Logfile Name
<u>67</u>	<u>011459</u>	<u>012645</u>	<u>314</u>	<u>5577</u>	<u>1.25</u>	<u>23</u>	<u>160</u>		
<u>CRMS</u>	<u>013155</u>	<u>013351</u>	<u>134</u>						Additional Flight Remarks

Base Station
 Location: _____
 Point ID: _____
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: _____
 SV's: _____

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start _____
 Hobbs End _____
 Flight Time _____

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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: _____

Date: 11-19-10
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 44Q
 Sensor: Trimble

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KW
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>37.100</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>17.00</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>1700</u>	Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
66	001941	002858	134	5577	1.23	22	160	BND-BND	KAS10-315-201011-1-B
69	003251	004442	314	5577	1.51	21	160		ALTM Logfile Name
68	004927	010119	134	5577	1.43	22	160		
71	010526	011645	314	5577	1.42	22	160		
70	012014	013153	134	5577	1.46	22	160		Additional Flight Remarks
73	013458	014518	314	5577	1.83	20	160		
72	015009	020104	134	5577	2.02	20	160		
75	020546	021330	214	5577	2.06	21	160		
74	021750	022547	134	5577	1.95	21	160	PC 100m down from East mile	
77	022941	023631	314	5577	1.77	21	160	BND-BND	
76	024113	024841	134	5577	1.53	22	160		
79	025246	025923	314	5577	1.42	21	160		
78	030204	031005	134	5577	1.53	19	160		
81	031344	031618	314	5577	1.44	19	160		
80	032014	032319	134	5577	1.24	21	160		
83	032804	033005	314	5577	1.33	19	160		
82	033318	033527	134	5577	1.32	19	160		
85	033820	033942	314	5577	1.28	21	160		

Base Station
 Location: AR4497
 Point ID: _____ Time On: 2330 UTC
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous Time Off: _____ UTC
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters PDOP: 1.7
 Latitude: _____ SV's: 12
 Longitude: _____

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1935.7
 Hobbs End: 1939.9
 Flight Time: 4.1

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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: _____

Date: 11-19-10
 Project: KAS10-311
 Aircraft: 44Q
 Sensor: Trimble

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KW
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>10.47</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>17</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>1100m</u>	Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
18	191630	194411	358	5181	1.62	16	160	Test ground	
17	192455	192722	178	5154	1.96	18	160	BND-BND	KAS10-311-20101119-A
16	193339	193618	358	5146	1.59	19	160		ALTM Logfile Name
15	193957	194229	178	5141	1.69	19	160		
14	194604	194841	358	5133	1.80	19	160		Additional Flight Remarks
13	195124	195403	178	5118	1.91	19	160		
12	195653	195938	358	5097	2.03	18	160		
11	200210	200448	178	5076	2.15	18	160		
10	200836	201023	358	5073	2.26	18	160		
9	201302	201542	178	5091	2.35	18	160		
8	201806	202057	358	5109	2.39	18	160		
7	202344	202624	178	5116	2.28	18	160		
6	202912	203151	358	5118	2.33	18	160		
5	203433	203715	178	5118	2.25	18	160		
4	204005	204243	358	5115	2.14	18	160		
3	204528	204803	178	5113	2.05	19	160		
2	205041	205330	358	5113	1.95	19	160		
1	205618	205859	178	5116	1.32	19	160		

Base Station
 Location: KFS0
 Point ID: 081244 Time On: 1830 UTC
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous Time Off: _____ UTC
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters PDOP: 1.9
 Latitude: _____ SV's: 10
 Longitude: _____

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1932.9
 Hobbs End: 1934.9
 Flight Time: 2.0

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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: KAS10-315-20101123-A

Date: 11-23-10
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 412
 Sensor: Gemini

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KW
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>27.00</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>22.00</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>7874</u>	Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
39	145135	145143							
40	145205	145127	603	7874	1.46	17	160	B-Flight DND-BND	KAS10-315-20101123-A
41	150521	151237	183	7874	1.23	20	160	B-Flight DCR-FLY-FLY	ALTM Logfile Name
42	151811	152527	003	7874	1.25	20	160	BND-BND	
43	153028	153734	183	7874	1.26	20	166	"	
44	154218	154723	203	7874	1.34	19	160	"	Additional Flight Remarks
45	155357	160041	183	7874	1.49	19	160	"	
46	160532	161218	003	7874	1.52	20	160	"	
47	161605	162222	183	7874	1.51	20	160	"	
48	162628	163227	003	7874	1.57	19	160	"	
49	163635	164221	183	7874	1.81	20	160	"	
50	164808	164804	003	7874	1.74	19	160	"	
51	165204	165317	183	7874	2.00	19	160	"	
Cross	170107	170632							
41	170747	171115	183	7874	1.76	19	160	Re-Flight Cont 3rd	
1	172122	173057	264	7874	1.77	18	160	BND-BND	
2	173505	173637	084	7874	1.73	17	166	"	
3	174008	174116	264	7874	1.69	18	160	"	
4	174541	174642	084	7874	1.61	19	160	"	
Cross	174432	175050							

Base Station
 Point ID: AB4097
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____

Location: KEET
 Time On: 1335 UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: 2.1
 SVs: 11

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1732.7
 Hobbs End: 1741.1
 Flight Time: 4.4

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LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: KAS10-315-20101123-A/B

Date: 11-23-10
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 412
 Sensor: Gemini

Pilot: AM
 Operator: KW
 HD: C

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>27.00</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>22.00</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>7874</u>	Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
5	180100	180277	360	7874	1.52	19	160	BND-BND	KAS10-315-20101123-A
6	181354	182227	180	7874	1.60	19	160	"	
7	182537	183402	360	7874	1.65	20	160	"	ALTM Logfile Name
8	183725	184612	180	7874	1.66	19	160	"	
Cross	184506	185252							
9	211417	211430						Test OK	Additional Flight Remarks
9	211714	212416	360	7874	1.83	16	160	BND-BND	KAS10-315-20101123-B
10	213057	213624	180	7874	1.80	16	160	Re-Flight middle (R.S) 2 First half good	13 DIST
11	213640	214007	180	7874	1.74	16	160	Second Half	
11	214348	215220	360	7874	1.60	17	160	BND-BND	
12	215632	220516	180	7874	1.41	17	160	"	
13	220831	221707	360	7874	1.40	18	160	"	
14	222136	223036	180	7874	1.53	18	160	"	
15	223441	224313	360	7874	1.45	16	160	"	
16	224723	225221	180	7874	2.27	14	160	"	
17	230015	230846	360	7874	2.08	15	160	"	
18	231355	232253	180	7874	1.65	18	160	"	
19	232711	233528	360	7874	1.38	18	160	"	
20	234017	234704	180	7874	1.41	17	160	"	

Base Station
 Point ID: AB4097
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____

Location: KEET
 Time On: 1335 UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: 2.1
 SVs: 11

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1732.7
 Hobbs End: 1741.1
 Flight Time: 4.4

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 Date: 11-25-10
 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 412
 Sensor: Trimble

LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: _____

Pilot: AK
 Operator: KU
 HD: D

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp	<u>off</u>	Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate	<u>23.00</u>	Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate	<u>70</u>	Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle	<u>22.00</u>	Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS	<u>7874</u>	Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
26	134429	134438						Test OK	
27	134508	135235	360	7874	2.03	16	160	BND-BND	KAS10-315-20101125-A
28	135812	140528	190	7874	1.80	17	160	"	ALTM Logfile Name
29	140440	141648	360	7874	1.65	18	160	"	
30	142103	142755	180	7874	1.74	17	160	"	
31	143215	143855	360	7874	1.66	16	160	"	Additional Flight Remarks
32	144356	145010	180	7874	1.46	18	160	"	
33	145434	150031	360	7874	1.23	20	160	"	
34	150445	151014	180	7874	1.25	21	160	"	
35	151456	151917	360	7874	1.26	21	160	"	
36	152321	152649	180	7874	1.27	21	160	"	
37	153249	153642							
37	154824	154723	065	5577	1.50	19	160	BND-BND	SCAD019.00 SCAN# 37.0
38	155312	155808	245	5577	1.51	20	160	"	
39	160109	160604	065	5577	1.52	21	160	"	
40	160701	161431	245	5577	1.51	20	160	"	
41	161702	162226	065	5577	1.56	20	160	"	
42	162534	163124	245	5577	1.67	20	160	"	
43	163406	163940	065	5577	1.89	19	160	"	

Base Station
 Point ID: AB4097
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____

Location: KFT
 Time On: 13:03 UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: 1.7
 SV's: 11

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: 1948.5
 Hobbs End: 1952.6
 Flight Time: _____

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 Project: KAS10-315
 Aircraft: 412
 Sensor: Trimble

LIDAR FLIGHT REPORT

Title: _____

Pilot: AK
 Operator: KU
 HD: D

Flight Plan		Weather	
Roll Comp		Pressure (gnd)	
Scan Rate		Temperature (gnd)	
Pulse Rate		Temperature (air)	
Scan Angle		Dew Pt	
Desired Rng		Turbulence	
Planned GPS		Visibility	

Line #	Start Time	End Time	HDG	Range	PDOP	SV	Speed (kts)	Flight Notes	POS/AV File Name
39	164219	164816	245	5577	2.00	19	160	BND-BND	
40	165057	165624	065	5577	1.52	20	160	"	
41	165916	170450	245	5577	1.75	19	160	"	ALTM Logfile Name
42	170757	171243	065	5577	1.80	19	160	"	
43	171725	171943							
44	172347	172522							Additional Flight Remarks

Base Station
 Point ID: _____
 Position Type: Known / Autonomous
 Antenna Height: _____ Meters
 Latitude: _____
 Longitude: _____

Location: _____
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC
 PDOP: _____
 SV's: _____

Airborne Station
 Time On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic On: _____ UTC
 Kinematic Off: _____ UTC
 Time Off: _____ UTC

Hobbs Start: _____
 Hobbs End: _____
 Flight Time: _____

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