UASMaster
INPHO SOFTWARE

PHOTOGRAMMETRY-GRADE PROCESSING FOR UNMANNED AERIAL SYSTEMS (UAS) AND TERRESTRIAL CLOSE-RANGE IMAGERY.

Generate imaging point clouds as a cost-effective alternative to laser scans, benefit from detailed images to acquire GIS data and transfer most of your survey work to the convenience of your office. UASMaster combines ease of use with the full power of a photogrammetric workstation.

The software bridges the gap between simple near black-box workflows for non-photogrammetrists and photogrammetry expert workflows. UASMaster includes advanced technology to provide high quality results. It easily integrates into the Inpho world of photogrammetry, into Trimble Business Center as well as into many 3rd party workflows.

With its open market concept UASMaster is able to process data from almost every hardware vendor for UAS. It works with acquired data from fixed-wing vehicles as well as with multi-copters and even hand-held cameras. For 3D reconstruction projects, depending on project requirements, the only mandatory data is imagery - no need to know camera parameters, approximate image georeferences or ground control.

Product Highlights
Modern computer vision algorithms (e.g. SFM) combined with proven state-of-the-art photogrammetric techniques produce accurate results automatically, with minimal manual interaction.

Key Features
- A complete photogrammetric workflow (geo-referencing, dense point clouds, orthomosaics and digitized vectors) combined in one single product.
- Quick black-box or multi-step processing with quality-optimized or performance optimized parameter presets including full featured refinement and editing tools.
- Process data from any type of UAS and frame cameras - with or without additional data.
- Excellent results without requiring specialized photogrammetry knowledge or experience.
- Also available integrated into Trimble Business Center Photogrammetry Module including all survey tools combined with survey hardware and GNSS base-line processing.

Area Mapping Projects
- Interactive context-driven and automated editing capabilities for geo-referencing and point clouds including morphological data creation (e.g. break-line measurements), classification, filtering, and many more.
- UAS-specific local-area ortho editing tools
- Expert tools, simplified for nonphotogrammetrists such as automatic correlation-based terrain following, enabling precise stereoscopic measurements without requiring stereo-experience
- Complete engineering workflows including CAD tools, contouring, gridding...

3D Reconstruction Projects
- No need for known camera parameters, approximate image orientations or reference points (optional constraints).
- Sparse point cloud generated from geo-referencing tie points—perfectly suited for e.g. stockpile computations etc.
- Matching of dense point clouds by providing millions of points for visualization and further mapping.
**TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS**

**FEATURES OVERVIEW**

**Workflow**
- Full automatic high-quality photogrammetry-grade deliverables (geo-referencing, sensor calibration, dense point clouds, orthomosaics and GIS vectors)
- Minimum user interaction for project set-up and data post processing
- Workflows for classical and close range geometry
- Sub-area selection for editing and re-processing for georeference, point clouds and orthomosaics
- Task-tracking monitor
- Store camera calibration results for later reference
- Optional block-box one stop or multi-stop processing
- Weighted high-quality GNSS/IMU and GCP support
  - georeferencing and sensor calibration with minimum ground control, only
  - processing without any ground control points for rapid response projects
- Multi-flight and multi-camera capable

**UASMaster deliverables are the perfect input for eCognition automatic feature extraction and change detection**

**Georeferencing**
- Automatic blunder removal to ensure best quality
- Powerful datum transformations with predefined projections, thorough graphical analysis tools and detailed reports
- Automatic relative and absolute adjustment
- Effective tie point matching also in poorly textured, as well as mountainous areas
- Project-wide photo display with correct topology and auto-image selection for interactive, guided control point measurement
- Powerful intuitive aerial-mapping block analyzer:
  - Easy visual checking of large data sets
  - point and photo connections
  - statistics (error vectors, ellipses etc.) linked to data tables
  - geometric sector analysis for points and images
  - binning cell analysis for point density/connectivity
  - useful display filters, for example multi-strip connections and more

**Aerial Mapping Point-Clouds**
- Colored point clouds and surface grids as well as bare earth DTM output
- Effective noise filtering for point clouds
- Sophisticated point cloud filtering and classification to e.g. separate ground from off ground

**Aerial Mapping Editor**
- Stereoscopic and monoscopic editing and visualization
- Context driven editing tools with hands-up-display
- Rigid consideration and measurement of morphological data such as breaklines
- CAD-like multi-layer editing, visualization and basic mapping
- Automatic correlation-based and interpolation based terrain following for 3D digitizing
- High performance 3D point-cloud viewer for millions of points
- On-the-fly contours and height coding
- Automatic best-fit stereo model selection for stereoscopic visualization and editing
- Batch pointcloud processing (tiling, contouring, gridding)

**Aerial Mapping Orthomosaics**
- Automatic feature based seam-finding and color-balancing for orthomosaic based on Trimble-exclusive OrthoVista technology result in perfect seamless mosaics
- Adaptive blending of orthos into mosaics according to image texture analysis
- Rigid True-Ortho (surface-model-based) as well as classic ortho (bare earth DTM-based) strategy ready for use in GIS
- UAS-specific local-area ortho editing tools
- Support for pre-existing height models for quick processing
- Optional speed-optimized orthomage generation directly from the colored point cloud without necessary rectification

**BENEFITS**
- Accurate and reliable results in just a few seconds per image with maximum automation
- Perfectly designed matching strategies lead to maximum ray connections for tie points and highest quality point clouds or mosaics
- Minimum user interaction for project set-up and data postprocessing
- Ease of use combined with photogrammetric expert tools

**OPTIONS**
- Maintenance (1st year included in software price) includes support and version updates
- Automatic feature extraction with Trimble eCognition
- Direct stereoscopic 3D mapping into CAD and GIS is available through the connection to Summit Evolution
- Network licensing
- Ask our sales team about special educational offerings

**SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS**
- Multicore PC workstation (1 license supports up to 16 cores)
- 16 GB RAM
- High-capacity disk system (SSD preferred)
- Windows® 7 / 64 bit, Windows 10 / 64 bit
- Special hardware for state of the art stereoscopic point measurement:
  - Stereo-capable graphics card(s) supporting OpenGL quad-buffered stereo (e.g. Nvidia quadro series)
  - Stereo viewing system
  - Optional color anaglyphs available for standard non-3D capable monitors
- Support for professional 3D hardware such as 3D cursors

**PERFORMANCE**
- Georeferencing: 10 seconds per image
- Point cloud matching: 0.3 - 0.6 MPixel per second
- Ortho mosaicking: 4 seconds per image
- Reprojection error typically less than 1 pixel

**SUPPORTED IMAGING HARDWARE**
- Open for any UAS hardware, multi-copter, fixed-wing or hand-held frame camera or fixed wing

**SUPPORTED FORMATS**
- Supported image formats:
  - Georeferenced orthos: GeoTIFF, TiffWorld (tfw)
  - Tiff, JPG, BigTiff (optional EXIF)
- Supported point-cloud / morphology formats:
  - LAS(1.2-1.4), LasZIP, XYZ, BXYZ, WNP, SHP, DXF

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* Figures may vary depending on input data and computer hardware.

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