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Laser Scanning & BIM

SURVEYING PRECISION

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SURVEYING & MAPPING

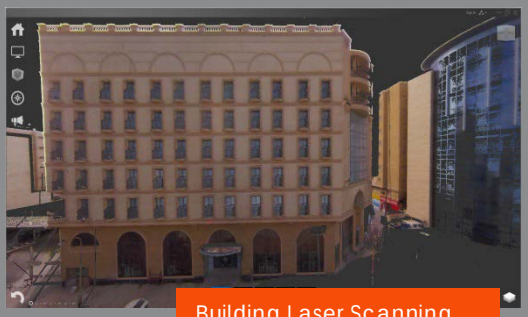
THE COMPANY

In today's complex construction environment our innovative expertise, analysis and carefully crafted approach can help bring security to construction process. AKSM implements high accuracy applications which allow us to obtain precious indications of the behavior of a structure and of the fields behaviors on which the site is situated.

By using high precision equipment, software and methodologies and especially with many years of experience in the field of laser scanning, the company can provide results, to meet the requirements of delicate projects

Laser Scanning

- It is based on exceptionally dense mapping of three-dimensional coordinates of the points on the surface to be surveyed, taken at speeds ranging from a few thousand up to a million points per second.
- Depending on the object (size, shape, desired accuracy), laser scanning may be airborne or terrestrial, static or mobile, autonomous or in combination with other standard topographic methods.
- With the scanner devices, known as LIDAR (Laser Induced Differential Absorption Radar), recording of millions of points is succeeded by creating a cloud, where every point has xyz coordinates in space.
- Laser Scanning is a rapid and reliable surveying method, which provides more accurate products than every other methodology. The big point density in combination with the ability of color information at each point approaches the term of "virtual reality".

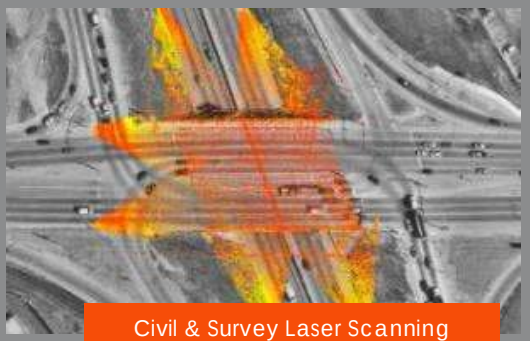


Building Laser Scanning

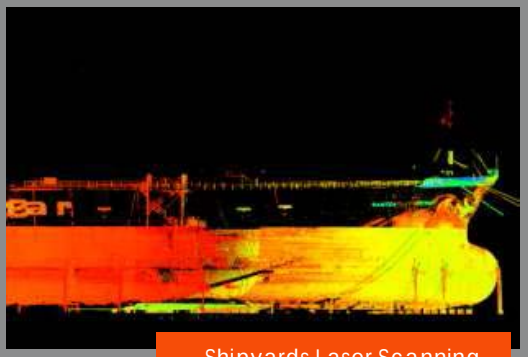
Industrial Laser Scanning

SERVISES

- High accuracy applications in corporation
- Control of axes : alignment, parallelism, verticality, flatness control
- Position alignment on large engines or assembly of different parts (flanges, anchors, etc.)dimension control
- Geometry control and verification on prefabricated parts of large constructions in projects like bridges, pipes, wind power generators
- Deformation analysis & control
- Survey & geometry determination through point cloud collection
- 3D Scan Service
  - o 3D digitalization of components
  - o 3D inspection with CAD models
- 3D Total Station Services
  - o Dimensional analysis - Position alignment
  - o Setting out



Civil & Survey Laser Scanning



Shipyards Laser Scanning

APPLICATION AREAS

Building & Heritage
- As – built 3D models
- As – built 2D drawings
- Full color visualization

Industrial
- Intelligent 3D CAD as – builts
- Retrofit application in plants refineries
- Construction planning

Civil & Survey
- Road & rail surveys
- Volumetric calculations in pits, dams, etc.
- Tunnel surveys

Shipyards
- Dry dock for yachts
- Hull scanning
- Ship interior scanning
- Accurate marking of water lines
- Shaft alignment & vibration analysis
- Thermographic surveys

ARCHITECTURE & BUILDING

Applications

- Producing 2D drawings or 3D CAD models for refurbishment and restoration projects
- Internal building surveys for floor plans
- 3D urban modeling for planning studies
- Detailed architectural scanning for preservation
- Construction QA and dispute resolution
- BIM (Building Information Models)

Benefits

- Faster, safer, less costly, more accurate, and more complete building surveys
- Minimizes impact on use and operation of the building during survey
- Point clouds combined with full-color imagery provide powerful, accurate visualization
- Better 3D city visualization, planning and analysis
- Leverage AutoCAD and Micro Station CAD tools

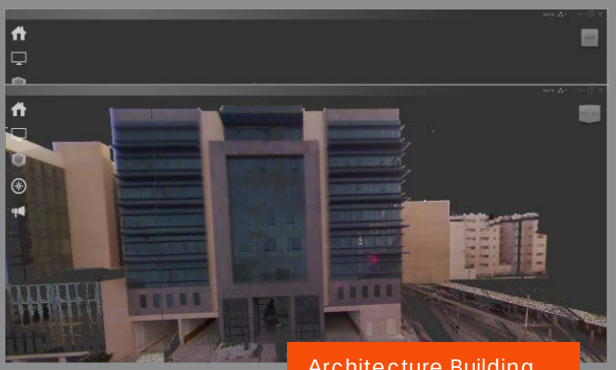
HERITAGE & MONUMENTS

Applications

- Detailed recording and preserving of ancient buildings
- Monuments, archeological sites and items of cultural heritage
- Production of drawing to aid restoration and reproduction work
- 3D data collection for movies and walkthroughs for virtual tourism applications within websites and DVD's

Benefits

- Faster, safer, less costly, more accurate, and more complete surveys of complex heritage sites
- Non-contact, remote survey reduces potential damage to sites and improves survey safety
- Reduces sites visits needed for data capture
- Full-color camera options add extra level of information to point clouds for richer analysis



Architecture Building

Heritage & Monuments

HEAVY INDUSTRY

Applications

- As-builts for retrofit plant design: oil & gas, petrochem, chemical, water, power and mineral
- Remote survey of difficult and dangerous nuclear, offshore and underground facilities
- QA check of fabricated parts against the design
- Construction and demolition planning
- Documentation for operations & maintenance

Benefits

- Faster, safer, less costly, more accurate, more complete as-builts
- Reduces retrofit design & construction errors
- Reduces plant down time from construction problems
- Faster, better retrofit design
- Reduces site visits & time on site for data capture
- Allows users leverage existing 3D design software for design and clash detection directly with scans

CIVIL SITES

Applications

- Topographic and structure surveys
- Roads, bridges, tunnels, rail, airports, power distribution, telecom
- Construction QA & monitoring
- 2D maps, 3D models, DTM's
- Asset management, e.g. bridge clearances for truck route planning
- Topographic diagrams, site, planimetric surveys
- Commercial, public, residential properties
- 3D scanning & 3D modeling of buildings, monuments constructions, objects
- Application studies & as-built drawings
- Project supervision & project management
- Urban, environmental and hydraulic design
- Environmental impact design

Benefits

- Faster, safer, less costly, more accurate, and more complete topographic & as-built survey
- Ability to re-use data instead of returning to the site for additional surveying
- Minimizes road, airport, etc. closures for surveying and impacts on site construction and site operations during surveying
- Ability to survey at night when site/asset may not be in use

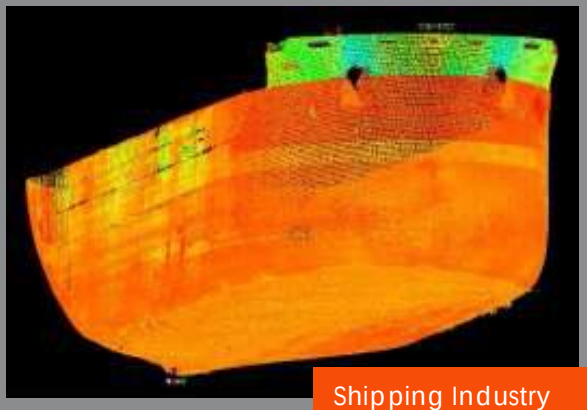
SHIPPING INDUSTRY

Applications

- 2D and 3D as-builts of hull, frames, cabins, rooms and onboard plant & equipment for ship modifications and new construction
- Fabrication and construction QA
- Construction & installation planning
- Shaft alignment
- Merchant, military and leisure vessels

Benefits

- Faster, safer, less costly, more accurate, more complete as-builts
- Reduced refit design and construction errors
- Survey while at sea for parts fabrication pending arrival at base
- Virtual walkthrough for shore-based engineers
- Ability to re-use data instead of returning to the ship for additional surveying

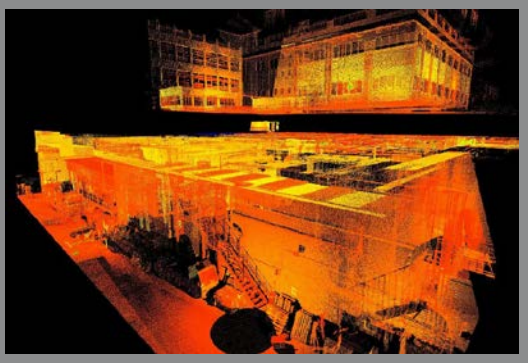


Shipping Industry

Scan to BIM

WHAT IS SCAN TO BIM

- Building Information Modeling (BIM) is the strategy for application of information technology to the building industry.
- Utilizing laser scan data to capture the as – built environment, allows faster, more accurate 3D BIM model creation. Ideal for refurbishment or retro – fitting projects, scanning both external and internal builds for a high accuracy 3D survey from which the intelligent model is created.
- The application of building information modeling solutions results in higher quality work, greater speed and productivity, and lower costs for building industry professionals in the design, construction and operation of buildings.



WHY SCAN TO BIM

- The implementation of BIM is fundamentally changing the way the construction industry works. Scan to BIM can provide a faster, more accurate, more comprehensive method for capturing survey data critical for refurbishment or retrofitting BIM projects.

BENEFITS

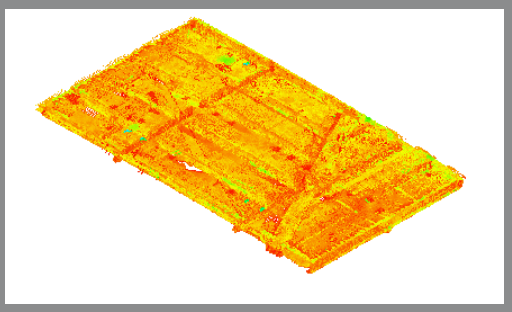
- Improved – communication, collaboration & transparency
- Lower – overall costs on build
- Reliable – quality checked data (model against scan)
- Faster – decision making, implementation of project alterations
- Less – time on site, missed data, rework, construction clashes
- Fewer – errors & costly mistakes, plan virtually
- Phased – scan & model parts of the project when & if required
- Better – sustainability, using BIM throughout the building's life
- 'What if' – plans & sequences can be optimized virtually

DELIVERABLES

- 3D laser scan point cloud
- Leica TruView dataset – accessed via web browser
- 3D intelligent BIM model
- Rendered visualizations & flythroughs
- Topographical survey of surrounding area
- 2D floor plans, elevations & sections (from BIM model)
- 3D PDFs – accessed via Adobe's free
- Reader software

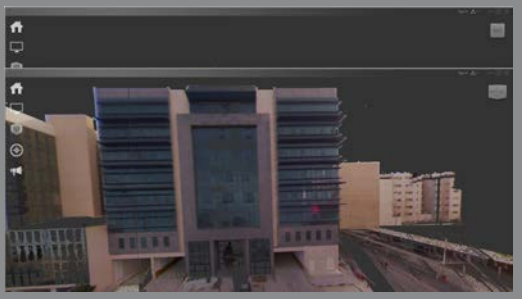
PROJECTS

Construction and Geometric Verification of Opera's Ferrocement Canopy Panels, Stavros Niarchos Foundation Cultural Centre, Athens, Greece



- Creation of the 3D model of the panel
- Taking geometric information from the transverse and longitudinal sections at predetermined points
- Very high requirements of accuracy during the construction and checking of the panels – limit of 2mm
- Examination of the following data for geometric verification of each individual panel
- Distance between the ribs (vertical beams)
- Deviations of ribs axes
- Width of the ribs
- Distance between the beams
- Deviations of beams axes
- Width of the beams
- Flange thickness

Façade As-Built Survey at C Ring – Doha, Qatar



- Low time of data acquisition comparatively to the classical methods
- Non-invasive method to collect data
- Low price of works
- Authentic, full and accurate 3D copy of reality that cannot be executed with other measurement means or method
- 2D and 3D documentation within the easy reach of engineers, structure designers and architects
- Production of 2D drawings or 3D models for refurbishment and restoration project, compatible with all CAD software

Natural Gas Metering and Regulating Station – Takoradi, Ghana

- Industrial surveying, design and construction support
- As-built information as a basis for the mechanical engineering team
- As-built for retrofit plant design (natural gas)
- Construction administration support for all civil works needed for this project
- Coordination in drawings in civil and mechanical works

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