# **Metashape Python Reference**

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# **OVERVIEW**

# 1.1 Introduction to Python scripting in Metashape Professional

This API is in development and will be extended in the future Metashape releases.

**Note:** Python scripting is supported only in Metashape Professional edition.

Metashape Professional uses Python 3.8 as a scripting engine.

### Python commands and scripts can be executed in Metashape in one of the following ways:

- From Metashape "Console" pane using it as standard Python console.
- From the "Tools" menu using "Run script..." command.
- From command line using "-r" argument and passing the path to the script as an argument.

### The following Metashape funtionality can be accessed from Python scripts:

- Open/save/create Metashape projects.
- Add/remove chunks, cameras, markers.
- Add/modify camera calibrations, ground control data, assign geographic projections and coordinates.
- Perform processing steps (align photos, build dense cloud, build mesh, texture, decimate model, etc...).
- Export processing results (models, textures, orthophotos, DEMs).
- Access data of generated models, point clouds, images.
- Start and control network processing tasks.

### **APPLICATION MODULES**

Metashape module provides access to the core processing functionality, including support for inspection and manipulation with project data.

The main component of the module is a Document class, which represents a Metashape project. Multiple Document instances can be created simultaneously if needed. Besides that a currently opened project in the application can be accessed using Metashape.app.document property.

The following example performs main processing steps on existing project and saves back the results:

### class Metashape.Antenna

GPS antenna position relative to camera.

### copy()

Return a copy of the object.

### Returns

A copy of the object.

### Return type

Metashape.Antenna

### fixed

Fix antenna flag.

### **Type**

bool

### location

Antenna coordinates.

### Type

Metashape.Vector

#### location\_acc

Antenna location accuracy.

### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

### location\_covariance

Antenna location covariance.

### **Type**

Metashape.Matrix

#### location\_ref

Antenna location reference.

#### Type

Metashape.Vector

### rotation

Antenna rotation angles.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

#### rotation\_acc

Antenna rotation accuracy.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

### rotation\_covariance

Antenna rotation covariance.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Matrix

### rotation\_ref

Antenna rotation reference.

#### **Type**

Metashape. Vector

### class Metashape. Application

Application class provides access to several global application attributes, such as document currently loaded in the user interface, software version and GPU device configuration. It also contains helper routines to prompt the user to input various types of parameters, like displaying a file selection dialog or coordinate system selection dialog among others.

An instance of Application object can be accessed using Metashape.app attribute, so there is usually no need to create additional instances in the user code.

The following example prompts the user to select a new coordinate system, applies it to the ative chunk and saves the project under the user selected file name:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> doc = Metashape.app.document
>>> crs = Metashape.app.getCoordinateSystem("Select Coordinate System", doc.chunk.
```

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#### class ConsolePane

ConsolePane class provides access to the console pane

#### clear()

Clear console pane.

#### contents

Console pane contents.

Type str

### class ModelView

ModelView class provides access to the model view

#### class ModelViewMode

Model View mode in [ModelViewTextured, ModelViewShaded, ModelViewSolid, ModelViewWireframe, ModelViewElevation, ModelViewConfidence]

#### class PointCloudViewMode

Point cloud view mode in [PointCloudViewSolid, PointCloudViewColor, PointCloudViewClassification, PointCloudViewIntensity, PointCloudViewElevation, PointCloudViewConfidence, PointCloudViewReturnNumber, PointCloudViewScanAngle, PointCloudViewSourceId]

#### class TiePointsViewMode

Tie points View mode in [TiePointsViewColor, TiePointsViewElevation, TiePointsViewVariance]

### class TiledModelViewMode

Tiled model view mode in [TiledModelViewTextured, TiledModelViewSolid, TiledModelViewWireframe, TiledModelViewElevation]

```
captureVideo(path, width, height[, frame_rate][, transparent][, compressed][, hide_items])
```

Capture video using camera track. Transparent capture can't be compressed. Method requires gui and inaccessible from python module. If script is passed as a program argument, -gui flag should be specified.

### **Parameters**

- path (str:arg width: Video width.) Output path.
- **height** (*int*) Video height.
- **frame\_rate** (*int*) Video frame rate.
- **transparent** (*boo1*) Sets transparent background.
- **compressed** (*boo1*) Enables video compression.
- hide\_items (bool) Hides all items.

### **captureView**([width][, height][, transparent][, hide\_items])

Capture image from model view.

- width(int) Image width.
- **height** (*int*) Image height.

```
• transparent (bool) – Sets transparent background.
               • hide_items (bool) – Hides all items.
             Returns
               Captured image.
             Return type
               Metashape.Image
    model_view_mode
         Model view mode.
             Type
               Metashape.Application.ModelView.ModelViewMode
     point_cloud_view_mode
         Point cloud view mode.
             Type
               Metashape. Application. Model View. Point Cloud View Mode
     texture_view_mode
         Texture view mode.
             Type
               Metashape.Model.TextureType
     tie_points_view_mode
         Tie points view mode.
             Type
               Metashape.Application.ModelView.TiePointsViewMode
     tiled_model_view_mode
         Tiled model view mode.
             Type
               Metashape.Application.ModelView.TiledModelViewMode
     view_mode
         View mode.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
     viewpoint
         Viewpoint in the model view.
             Type
               Metashape. Viewpoint
class OrthoView
     OrthoView class provides access to the ortho view
     captureView([width][, height][, transparent][, hide_items])
         Capture image from ortho view.
            Parameters
               • width (int) – Image width.
               • height (int) – Image height.
               • transparent (boo1) – Sets transparent background.
               • hide_items (bool) - Hides all items.
             Returns
               Captured image.
             Return type
               Metashape.Image
```

```
view_mode
         View mode.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
class PhotosPane
    PhotosPane class provides access to the photos pane
    resetFilter()
         Reset photos pane filter.
    setFilter(items)
         Set photos pane filter.
             Parameters
               items (list[Metashape.Camera / Metashape.Marker]) - filter to apply.
class Settings
    PySettings()
     Application settings
    language
         User interface language.
             Type
               str
    load()
         Load settings from disk.
    log_enable
         Enable writing log to file.
             Type
               bool
    log_path
         Log file path.
             Type
               str
    network_enable
         Network processing enabled flag.
             Type
               bool
    network_host
         Network server host name.
             Type
               str
    network_path
         Network data root path.
             Type
               str
    network_port
         Network server control port.
             Type
               int
```

```
project_absolute_paths
         Store absolute image paths in project files.
             Type
               bool
     project_compression
         Project compression level.
             Type
               int
     save()
         Save settings on disk.
     setValue(key, value)
         Set settings value.
             Parameters
                • key (str) – Key.
                • value (object) – Value.
     value(key)
         Return settings value.
             Parameters
               \mathbf{key} (\mathbf{str}) – \mathbf{Key}.
             Returns
               Settings value.
             Return type
               object
activated
     Metashape activation status.
         Type
             bool
addMenuItem(label, func[, shortcut][, icon])
     Create a new menu entry.
         Parameters
              • label (str) – Menu item label.
              • func (function) – Function to be called.
              • shortcut (str) – Keyboard shortcut.
              • icon (str) - Icon.
addMenuSeparator(label)
     Add menu separator.
         Parameters
             label (str) – Menu label.
console_pane
     Console pane.
         Type
             Metashape.Application.ConsolePane
```

### cpu\_enable

Use CPU when GPU is active.

### Type

bool

### document

Main application document object.

### **Type**

Metashape.Document

### enumGPUDevices()

Enumerate installed GPU devices.

### Returns

A list of devices.

### Return type

list

### getBool(label=")

Prompt user for the boolean value.

#### **Parameters**

**label** (*str*) – Optional text label for the dialog.

#### Returns

Boolean value selected by the user.

### Return type

bool

# getCoordinateSystem([label][, value])

Prompt user for coordinate system.

### **Parameters**

- label (str) Optional text label for the dialog.
- value (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Default value.

### Returns

Selected coordinate system. If the dialog was cancelled, None is returned.

#### Return type

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

# getExistingDirectory([hint][, dir])

Prompt user for the existing folder.

### **Parameters**

- **hint** (*str*) Optional text label for the dialog.
- **dir** (*str*) Optional default folder.

#### Returns

Path to the folder selected. If the input was cancelled, empty string is returned.

### **Return type**

str

```
getFloat(label=", value=0)
```

Prompt user for the floating point value.

### **Parameters**

- **label** (*str*) Optional text label for the dialog.
- value (float) Default value.

#### Returns

Floating point value entered by the user.

### Return type

float

```
getInt(label=", value=0)
```

Prompt user for the integer value.

#### **Parameters**

- **label** (*str*) Optional text label for the dialog.
- value (int) Default value.

#### Returns

Integer value entered by the user.

### **Return type**

int

# getOpenFileName([hint][, dir][, filter])

Prompt user for the existing file.

### **Parameters**

- hint (str) Optional text label for the dialog.
- **dir** (*str*) Optional default folder.
- **filter** (*str*) Optional file filter, e.g. "Text file (*.txt*)" *or* ".txt". Multiple filters are separated with ";;".

### Returns

Path to the file selected. If the input was cancelled, empty string is returned.

### Return type

str

## getOpenFileNames([hint][, dir][, filter])

Prompt user for one or more existing files.

### **Parameters**

- hint (str) Optional text label for the dialog.
- $\operatorname{dir}(str)$  Optional default folder.
- **filter** (*str*) Optional file filter, e.g. "Text file (*.txt*)" *or* ".txt". Multiple filters are separated with ";;".

### Returns

List of file paths selected by the user. If the input was cancelled, empty list is returned.

### **Return type**

list

```
getSaveFileName([hint][, dir][, filter])
```

Prompt user for the file. The file does not have to exist.

#### **Parameters**

- **hint** (*str*) Optional text label for the dialog.
- dir (str) Optional default folder.
- **filter** (*str*) Optional file filter, e.g. "Text file (*.txt*)" *or* ".txt". Multiple filters are separated with ";;".

#### **Returns**

Path to the file selected. If the input was cancelled, empty string is returned.

### Return type

str

### getString(label=", value=")

Prompt user for the string value.

#### **Parameters**

- **label** (*str*) Optional text label for the dialog.
- value (str) Default value.

#### Returns

String entered by the user.

### Return type

str

### gpu\_mask

GPU device bit mask: 1 - use device, 0 - do not use (i.e. value 5 enables device number 0 and 2).

### Type

int

# messageBox(message)

Display message box to the user.

### **Parameters**

**message** (str) – Text message to be displayed.

### model\_view

Model view.

### **Type**

Metashape.Application.ModelView

### ortho\_view

Ortho view.

### **Type**

Metashape.Application.OrthoView

### photos\_pane

Photos pane.

### Type

Metashape.Application.PhotosPane

```
quit()
          Exit application.
     releaseFreeMemory()
          Call malloc_trim on Linux (does nothing on other OS).
     removeMenuItem(label)
          Remove menu entry with given label (if exists). If there are multiple entries with given label - all of them
          will be removed.
               Parameters
                  label (str) – Menu item label.
     settings
          Application settings.
               Type
                  Metashape.Application.Settings
     title
          Application name.
               Type
                  str
     update()
          Update user interface during long operations.
     version
          Metashape version.
               Type
class Metashape.AttachedGeometry
     Attached geometry data.
     GeometryCollection(geometries)
          Create a GeometryCollection geometry.
               Parameters
                  geometries (list[Metashape.AttachedGeometry]) - Child geometries.
               Returns
                  A GeometryCollection geometry.
               Return type
                  Metashape.AttachedGeometry
     LineString(coordinates)
          Create a LineString geometry.
               Parameters
                  coordinates (list[int]) – List of vertex coordinates.
               Returns
                  A LineString geometry.
               Return type
                  Metashape.AttachedGeometry
```

```
MultiLineString(geometries)
     Create a MultiLineString geometry.
         Parameters
            geometries (list[Metashape.AttachedGeometry]) - Child line strings.
         Returns
            A point geometry.
         Return type
            Metashape.AttachedGeometry
MultiPoint(geometries)
     Create a MultiPoint geometry.
         Parameters
            geometries (list[Metashape.AttachedGeometry]) - Child points.
         Returns
            A point geometry.
         Return type
            Metashape.AttachedGeometry
MultiPolygon(geometries)
     Create a MultiPolygon geometry.
         Parameters
            geometries (list[Metashape.AttachedGeometry]) - Child polygons.
         Returns
            A point geometry.
         Return type
            Metashape.AttachedGeometry
Point(key)
     Create a Point geometry.
         Parameters
            key (int) – Point marker key.
         Returns
            A point geometry.
         Return type
            Metashape.AttachedGeometry
Polygon(exterior_ring[, interior_rings])
     Create a Polygon geometry.
         Parameters
             • exterior_ring (list[int]) – Point coordinates.
             • interior_rings (list[int]) - Point coordinates.
         Returns
            A Polygon geometry.
         Return type
```

Metashape.AttachedGeometry

```
coordinates
          List of vertex keys.
               Type
                  list[int]
     geometries
          List of child geometries.
               Type
                   list[Metashape.AttachedGeometry]
     type
          Geometry type.
               Type
                  Metashape.Geometry.Type
class Metashape.BBox
     Axis aligned bounding box
     copy()
          Return a copy of the object.
               Returns
                   A copy of the object.
               Return type
                  Metashape.BBox
     max
          Maximum bounding box extent.
               Type
                   Metashape.Vector
     min
          Minimum bounding box extent.
               Type
                  Metashape.Vector
     size
          Bounding box dimension.
               Type
                   int
class Metashape.BlendingMode
     Blending mode in [AverageBlending, MosaicBlending, MinBlending, MaxBlending, DisabledBlending]
class Metashape.Calibration
     Calibration object contains camera calibration information including image size, focal length, principal point
     coordinates and distortion coefficients.
     b1
          Affinity.
               Type
                   float
```

```
b2
     Non-orthogonality.
         Type
             float
copy()
     Return a copy of the object.
         Returns
             A copy of the object.
         Return type
             Metashape.Calibration
covariance_matrix
     Covariance matrix.
         Type
             Metashape.Matrix
covariance_params
     Covariance matrix parameters.
             list[str]
СX
     Principal point X coordinate.
         Type
             float
су
     Principal point Y coordinate.
         Type
             float
error(point, proj)
     Return projection error.
         Parameters
              • point (Metashape. Vector) – Coordinates of the point to be projected.
              • proj (Metashape. Vector) – Pixel coordinates of the point.
         Returns
             2D projection error.
         Return type
             Metashape.Vector
f
     Focal length.
         Type
             float
```

```
height
     Image height.
         Type
              int
k1
     Radial distortion coefficient K1.
          Type
              float
k2
     Radial distortion coefficient K2.
          Type
              float
k3
     Radial distortion coefficient K3.
          Type
              float
k4
     Radial distortion coefficient K4.
          Type
              float
load(path, format=CalibrationFormatXML)
     Loads calibration from file.
         Parameters
              • path (str) – path to calibration file
              • format (Metashape.CalibrationFormat) - Calibration format.
p1
     Decentering distortion coefficient P1.
          Type
              float
p2
     Decentering distortion coefficiant P2.
          Type
              float
p3
     Decentering distortion coefficient P3.
          Type
              float
p4
     Decentering distortion coefficiant P4.
          Type
              float
```

```
project(point)
     Return projected pixel coordinates of the point.
         Parameters
             point (Metashape. Vector) – Coordinates of the point to be projected.
              2D projected point coordinates.
         Return type
              Metashape.Vector
rpc
     RPC model.
         Type
              Metashape.RPCModel
\mathbf{save}(path, format = CalibrationFormatXML[, label][, pixel\_size][, focal\_length], cx = 0, cy = 0)
     Saves calibration to file.
         Parameters
              • path (str) – path to calibration file
              • format (Metashape.CalibrationFormat) - Calibration format.
              • label (str) – Calibration label used in Australis, CalibCam and CalCam formats.
              • pixel_size (Metashape.Vector) - Pixel size in mm used to convert normalized cali-
                bration coefficients to Australis and CalibCam coefficients.
              • focal_length (float) – Focal length (Grid calibration format only).
              • cx (float) – X principal point coordinate (Grid calibration format only).
              • cy (float) – Y principal point coordinate (Grid calibration format only).
type
     Camera model.
         Type
             Metashape.Sensor.Type
unproject(point)
     Return direction corresponding to the image point.
         Parameters
             point (Metashape.Vector) - Pixel coordinates of the point.
         Returns
              3D vector in the camera coordinate system.
         Return type
              Metashape. Vector
width
     Image width.
         Type
```

int

### class Metashape. CalibrationFormat

Calibration format in [CalibrationFormatXML, CalibrationFormatAustralis, CalibrationFormatAustralisV7, CalibrationFormatPhotoModeler, CalibrationFormatCalibCam, CalibrationFormatCalCam, CalibrationFormatInpho, CalibrationFormatUSGS, CalibrationFormatPix4D, CalibrationFormatOpenCV, CalibrationFormatPhotomod, CalibrationFormatGrid, CalibrationFormatSTMap]

### class Metashape.Camera

Camera instance

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> chunk = Metashape.app.document.addChunk()
>>> chunk.addPhotos(["IMG_0001.jpg", "IMG_0002.jpg"])
>>> camera = chunk.cameras[0]
>>> camera.photo.meta["Exif/FocalLength"]
'18'
```

The following example describes how to create multispectal camera layout:

#### class Reference

Camera reference data.

### accuracy

Camera location accuracy.

**Type** 

Metashape.Vector

#### enabled

Location enabled flag.

Type

bool

#### location

Camera coordinates.

**Type** 

Metashape. Vector

### location\_accuracy

Camera location accuracy.

Type

Metashape.Vector

### location\_enabled

Location enabled flag.

Type

bool

### rotation

Camera rotation angles.

Type

Metashape.Vector

### rotation\_accuracy

Camera rotation accuracy.

**Type** 

Metashape.Vector

### rotation\_enabled

Rotation enabled flag.

Type

bool

### class Type

Camera type in [Regular, Keyframe]

### calibration

Adjusted camera calibration including photo-invariant parameters.

### **Type**

Metashape. Calibration

#### center

Camera station coordinates for the photo in the chunk coordinate system.

### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

### chunk

Chunk the camera belongs to.

### **Type**

Metashape.Chunk

### component

Camera component.

### Type

Metashape.Component

### enabled

Enables/disables the photo.

### Type

bool

### error(point, proj)

Returns projection error.

#### **Parameters**

- **point** (Metashape.Vector) Coordinates of the point to be projected.
- proj (Metashape. Vector) Pixel coordinates of the point.

### Returns

2D projection error.

```
Return type
            Metashape.Vector
frames
     Camera frames.
         Type
             list[Metashape.Camera]
group
     Camera group.
         Type
            Metashape.CameraGroup
image()
     Returns image data.
         Returns
             Image data.
         Return type
            Metashape.Image
key
     Camera identifier.
         Type
            int
label
     Camera label.
         Type
            str
layer_index
     Camera layer index.
         Type
            int
location_covariance
     Camera location covariance.
         Type
            Metashape.Matrix
mask
     Camera mask.
         Type
            Metashape.Mask
master
     Master camera.
         Type
```

Metashape.Camera

```
meta
     Camera meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
open(path[, layer])
     Loads specified image file.
         Parameters
              • path (str) – Path to the image file to be loaded.
              • layer (int) – Optional layer index in case of multipage files.
orientation
     Image orientation (1 - normal, 6 - 90 degree, 3 - 180 degree, 8 - 270 degree).
         Type
             int
photo
     Camera photo.
         Type
             Metashape.Photo
planes
     Camera planes.
         Type
             list[Metashape.Camera]
project(point)
     Returns coordinates of the point projection on the photo.
         Parameters
             point (Metashape.Vector) - Coordinates of the point to be projected.
             2D point coordinates.
         Return type
             Metashape. Vector
reference
     Camera reference data.
         Type
             Metashape.Camera.Reference
rotation_covariance
     Camera rotation covariance.
         Type
```

Metashape.Matrix

Selects/deselects the photo.

Type bool

selected

#### sensor

Camera sensor.

### **Type**

Metashape.Sensor

#### shutter

Camera shutter.

### **Type**

Metashape.Shutter

### thumbnail

Camera thumbnail.

### Type

Metashape.Thumbnail

#### transform

4x4 matrix describing photo location in the chunk coordinate system.

### **Type**

Metashape.Matrix

### type

Camera type.

### **Type**

Metashape.Camera.Type

### unproject(point)

Returns coordinates of the point which will have specified projected coordinates.

### **Parameters**

```
point (Metashape.Vector) - Projection coordinates.
```

### Returns

3D point coordinates.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Vector

### vignetting

Vignetting for each band.

### **Type**

list[Metashape.Vignetting]

### class Metashape.CameraGroup

CameraGroup objects define groups of multiple cameras. The grouping is established by assignment of a CameraGroup instance to the Camera.group attribute of participating cameras.

The type attribute of CameraGroup instances defines the effect of such grouping on processing results and can be set to Folder (no effect) or Station (coincident projection centers).

# class Type

Camera group type in [Folder, Station]

### label

Camera group label.

```
Type
                  str
     selected
          Current selection state.
               Type
                  bool
     type
          Camera group type.
              Type
                   Metashape.CameraGroup.Type
class Metashape.CameraTrack
     Camera track.
     chunk
          Chunk the camera track belongs to.
               Type
                  Metashape.Chunk
     duration
          Animation duration.
               Type
                   float
     field_of_view
           Vertical field of view in degrees.
               Type
                   float
     interpolate(time)
          Get animation camera transform matrix.
              Parameters
                   time (float) – Animation time point.
              Returns
                  Interpolated camera transformation matrix in chunk coordinate system.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Matrix
     keyframes
          Camera track keyframes.
               Type
                   list[Metashape.Camera]
     label
           Animation label.
               Type
                  str
```

```
load(path[, projection])
```

Load camera track from file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to camera track file
- projection (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Camera track coordinate system.

#### loop

Loop track.

### **Type**

bool

#### meta

Camera track meta data.

### **Type**

Metashape.MetaData

**save**(path[, file\_format][, drone\_name][, payload\_name][, payload\_position][, max\_waypoints][, projection])

Save camera track to file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to camera track file
- **file\_format** (*str*) File format. "deduce": Deduce from extension, "path": Path, "earth": Google Earth KML, "pilot": DJI Pilot KML, "wpml": DJI WPML KMZ, "trinity": Asctec Trinity CSV, "autopilot": Asctec Autopilot CSV, "litchi": Litchi CSV
- drone\_name (str) Drone model. "M300 RTK": DJI Matrice 300 RTK, "M30": DJI Matrice 30, "M30T": DJI Matrice 30T, "M3E": DJI Mavic 3E, "M3T": DJI Mavic 3T
- payload\_name (str) Payload model. "P1 24mm": DJI Zenmuse P1 (24 mm lens), "P1 35mm": DJI Zenmuse P1 (35 mm lens), "P1 50mm": DJI Zenmuse P1 (50 mm lens), "H20": DJI Zenmuse H20, "H20T": DJI Zenmuse H20T, "H20N": DJI Zenmuse H20N, "L1": DJI Zenmuse L1, "M30": DJI M30, "M30T": DJI M30T, "M3E": DJI Mavic 3E Camera, "M3T": DJI Mavic 3T Camera
- **payload\_position** (*str*) Payload position. For M300 RTK drone: "Front left", "Front right", "Top". For other drones: "Main gimbal"
- max\_waypoints (int) Max waypoints per flight
- projection (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Camera track coordinate system.

#### smooth

Smooth path.

### **Type**

bool

### class Metashape.CamerasFormat

Camera orientation format in [CamerasFormatXML, CamerasFormatCHAN, CamerasFormatBoujou, CamerasFormatBundler, CamerasFormatOPK, CamerasFormatPATB, CamerasFormatBINGO, CamerasFormatORIMA, CamerasFormatAeroSys, CamerasFormatInpho, CamerasFormatSummit, CamerasFormatBlocksExchange, CamerasFormatRZML, CamerasFormatVisionMap, CamerasFormatABC, CamerasFormatFBX, CamerasFormatNVM, CamerasFormatMA]

### class Metashape.Chunk

A Chunk object:

- provides access to all chunk components (sensors, cameras, camera groups, markers, scale bars)
- contains data inherent to individual frames (tie points, model, etc)
- implements processing methods (matchPhotos, alignCameras, buildPointCloud, buildModel, etc)
- provides access to other chunk attributes (transformation matrix, coordinate system, meta-data, etc..)

New components can be created using corresponding addXXX methods (addSensor, addCamera, addCamera, addMarker, addScalebar, addFrame). Removal of components is supported by a single remove method, which can accept lists of various component types.

In case of multi-frame chunks the Chunk object contains an additional reference to the particular chunk frame, initialized to the current frame by default. Various methods that work on a per frame basis (matchPhotos, build-Model, etc) are applied to this particular frame. A frames attribute can be used to obtain a list of Chunk objects that reference all available frames.

The following example performs image matching and alignment for the active chunk:

# addCamera([sensor])

Add new camera to the chunk.

#### **Parameters**

**sensor** (Metashape. Sensor) – Sensor to be assigned to this camera.

### Returns

Created camera.

### Return type

Metashape.Camera

### addCameraGroup()

Add new camera group to the chunk.

### Returns

Created camera group.

#### Return type

Metashape.CameraGroup

### addCameraTrack()

Add new camera track to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created camera track.

#### Return type

Metashape.CameraTrack

#### addDepthMaps()

Add new depth maps set to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created depth maps set.

### Return type

Metashape.DepthMaps

### addElevation()

Add new elevation model to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created elevation model.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Elevation

### addFrame()

Add new frame to the chunk.

#### **Returns**

Created frame.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Chunk

Add frames from specified chunk.

### **Parameters**

- **chunk** (*int*) Chunk to copy frames from.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frame keys to copy.
- copy\_depth\_maps (bool) Copy depth maps.
- **copy\_point\_cloud** (*bool*) Copy point cloud.
- copy\_model (bool) Copy model.
- copy\_tiled\_model (bool) Copy tiled model.
- copy\_elevation (bool) Copy DEM.
- copy\_orthomosaic (bool) Copy orthomosaic.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

addMarker([point], visibility=False)

Add new marker to the chunk.

#### **Parameters**

- point (Metashape. Vector) Point to initialize marker projections.
- **visibility** (*bool*) Enables visibility check during projection assignment.

#### Returns

Created marker.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Marker

### addMarkerGroup()

Add new marker group to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created marker group.

### Return type

Metashape.MarkerGroup

#### addModel()

Add new model to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created model.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Model

#### addOrthomosaic()

Add new orthomosaic to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created orthomosaic.

### Return type

Metashape.Orthomosaic

addPhotos([filenames][, filegroups], layout=UndefinedLayout[, group], strip\_extensions=True, load\_reference=True, load\_xmp\_calibration=True, load\_xmp\_orientation=True, load\_xmp\_accuracy=False, load\_xmp\_antenna=True, load\_rpc\_txt=False[, progress])

Add a list of photos to the chunk.

### **Parameters**

- **filenames** (list[str]) List of files to add.
- **filegroups** (*list[int]*) List of file groups.
- layout (Metashape.ImageLayout) Image layout.
- **group** (int) Camera group key.
- **strip\_extensions** (*bool*) Strip file extensions from camera labels.
- **load\_reference** (*bool*) Load reference coordinates.
- load\_xmp\_calibration (bool) Load calibration from XMP meta data.
- **load\_xmp\_orientation** (*bool*) Load orientation from XMP meta data.
- **load\_xmp\_accuracy** (*bool*) Load accuracy from XMP meta data.
- load\_xmp\_antenna (bool) Load GPS/INS offset from XMP meta data.
- **load\_rpc\_txt** (*bool*) Load satellite RPC data from auxiliary TXT files.
- **progress** (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

### addPointCloud()

Add new point cloud to the chunk.

### Returns

Created point cloud.

### Return type

Metashape.PointCloud

### addPointCloudGroup()

Add new point cloud group to the chunk.

#### **Returns**

Created point cloud group.

### **Return type**

Metashape.PointCloudGroup

### addScalebar(point1, point2)

Add new scale bar to the chunk.

#### **Parameters**

- point1 (Metashape.Marker / Metashape.Camera) First endpoint.
- point2 (Metashape.Marker / Metashape.Camera) Second endpoint.

#### Returns

Created scale bar.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Scalebar

### addScalebarGroup()

Add new scale bar group to the chunk.

#### Returns

Created scale bar group.

### Return type

Metashape. Scalebar Group

### addSensor([source])

Add new sensor to the chunk.

### **Parameters**

**source** (Metashape. Sensor) – Sensor to copy parameters from.

### Returns

Created sensor.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Sensor

### addTiledModel()

Add new tiled model to the chunk.

### Returns

Created tiled model.

### Return type

Metashape.TiledModel

```
alignCameras [[cameras][, point_clouds], min_image=2, adaptive_fitting=False, reset_alignment=False, subdivide_task=True[, progress])
```

Perform photo alignment for the chunk.

- cameras (list[int]) List of cameras to align.
- point\_clouds (list[int]) List of point clouds to align.
- min\_image (int) Minimum number of point projections.
- **adaptive\_fitting** (*bool*) Enable adaptive fitting of distortion coefficients.
- reset\_alignment (bool) Reset current alignment.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# analyzeImages([cameras], filter\_mask=False[, progress])

Estimate image quality. Estimated value is stored in camera metadata with Image/Quality key. Cameras with quality less than 0.5 are considered blurred and we recommend to disable them.

#### **Parameters**

- **cameras** (list[int]) List of cameras to be analyzed.
- **filter\_mask** (*bool*) Constrain analyzed image region by mask.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**buildContours**(source\_data=ElevationData, interval=1, min\_value=-1e+10, max\_value=1e+10, prevent\_intersections=True[, progress])

Build contours for the chunk.

#### **Parameters**

- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Source data for contour generation.
- interval (float) Contour interval.
- min\_value (float) Minimum value of contour range.
- max\_value (float) Maximum value of contour range.
- **prevent\_intersections** (*bool*) Prevent contour intersections.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

buildDem(source\_data=PointCloudData, interpolation=EnabledInterpolation[, projection][, region][, classes], flip\_x=False, flip\_y=False, flip\_z=False, resolution=0, subdivide\_task=True, workitem\_size\_tiles=10, max\_workgroup\_size=100, replace\_asset=False[, frames][, progress])

Build elevation model for the chunk.

- source\_data (Metashape.DataSource) Selects between point cloud and tie points.
- interpolation (Metashape.Interpolation) Interpolation mode.
- projection (Metashape.OrthoProjection) Output projection.
- region (Metashape.BBox) Region to be processed.
- **classes** (*list[int]*) List of point classes to be used for surface extraction.
- **flip\_x** (bool) Flip X axis direction.
- **flip\_y** (bool) Flip Y axis direction.
- **flip\_z** (*bool*) Flip Z axis direction.
- **resolution** (*float*) Output resolution in meters.

- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- workitem\_size\_tiles (int) Number of tiles in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with generated DEM.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
buildDepthMaps(downscale=4, filter_mode=MildFiltering[, cameras], reuse_depth=False, max_neighbors=16, subdivide_task=True, workitem_size_cameras=20, max_workgroup_size=100[, progress])
```

Generate depth maps for the chunk.

#### **Parameters**

- **downscale** (*int*) Depth map quality (1 Ultra high, 2 High, 4 Medium, 8 Low, 16 Lowest).
- **filter\_mode** (Metashape.FilterMode) Depth map filtering mode.
- cameras (list[int]) List of cameras to process.
- **reuse\_depth** (*bool*) Enable reuse depth maps option.
- max\_neighbors (int) Maximum number of neighbor images to use for depth map generation.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Generate model for the chunk frame.

- **surface\_type** (Metashape.SurfaceType) Type of object to be reconstructed.
- interpolation (Metashape. Interpolation) Interpolation mode.
- face\_count (Metashape.FaceCount) Target face count.
- **face\_count\_custom** (*int*) Custom face count.
- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Selects between point cloud, tie points, depth maps and laser scans.
- **classes** (list[int]) List of point classes to be used for surface extraction.
- **vertex\_colors** (*bool*) Enable vertex colors calculation.
- **vertex\_confidence** (*bool*) Enable vertex confidence calculation.

- **volumetric\_masks** (*bool*) Enable strict volumetric masking.
- **keep\_depth** (*bool*) Enable store depth maps option.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with generated model.
- **split\_in\_blocks** (*bool*) Split model in blocks.
- blocks\_crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Blocks grid coordinate system.
- **blocks\_size** (*float*) Blocks size in coordinate system units.
- blocks\_origin (Metashape.Vector) Blocks grid origin.
- clip\_to\_boundary (bool) Clip to boundary shapes.
- **export\_blocks** (*bool*) Export completed blocks.
- **build\_texture** (*bool*) Generate preview textures.
- **output\_folder** (*str*) Path to output folder.
- trimming\_radius (int) Trimming radius (no trimming if zero).
- **cameras** (*list[int]*) List of cameras to process.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- **subdivide\_task** (*boo1*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
buildOrthomosaic(surface_data=ModelData, blending_mode=MosaicBlending, fill_holes=True, ghosting_filter=False, cull_faces=False, refine_seamlines=False[, projection][, region], resolution=0, resolution_x=0, resolution_y=0, flip_x=False, flip_y=False, flip_z=False, subdivide_task=True, workitem_size_cameras=20, workitem_size_tiles=10, max_workgroup_size=100, replace_asset=False[, frames][, progress])
```

Build orthomosaic for the chunk.

- surface\_data (Metashape.DataSource) Orthorectification surface.
- blending\_mode (Metashape.BlendingMode) Orthophoto blending mode.
- **fill\_holes** (*bool*) Enable hole filling.
- **ghosting\_filter** (*bool*) Enable ghosting filter.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.
- **refine\_seamlines** (*bool*) Refine seamlines based on image content.
- projection (Metashape.OrthoProjection) Output projection.
- **region** (Metashape.BBox) Region to be processed.
- resolution (float) Pixel size in meters.
- **resolution\_x** (*float*) Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
- **resolution\_y** (*float*) Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
- $flip_x(bool)$  Flip X axis direction.

- **flip\_y** (bool) Flip Y axis direction.
- **flip\_z** (bool) Flip Z axis direction.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- workitem\_size\_tiles (int) Number of tiles in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with generated orthomosaic.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**buildPanorama**(blending\_mode=MosaicBlending, ghosting\_filter=False[, rotation][, region], width=0, height=0[, camera\_groups][, frames][, progress])

Generate spherical panoramas from camera stations.

### **Parameters**

- blending\_mode (Metashape.BlendingMode) Panorama blending mode.
- **ghosting\_filter** (*bool*) Enable ghosting filter.
- rotation (Metashape.Matrix) Panorama 3x3 orientation matrix.
- region (Metashape.BBox) Region to be generated.
- width (int) Width of output panorama.
- **height** (*int*) Height of output panorama.
- **camera\_groups** (list[int]) List of camera groups to process.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Generate point cloud for the chunk.

- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Source data to extract points from.
- **point\_colors** (*bool*) Enable point colors calculation.
- $\bullet \ \ point\_confidence \ (boo1) Enable \ point \ confidence \ calculation. \\$
- **keep\_depth** (*bool*) Enable store depth maps option.
- max\_neighbors (int) Maximum number of neighbor images to use for depth map filtering.
- **uniform\_sampling** (*bool*) Enable uniform point sampling.
- points\_spacing (float) Desired point spacing (m).
- **asset** (*int*) Asset to process.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.

- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with generated point cloud.
- frames (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# buildSeamlines(epsilon=1.5[, progress])

Generate shapes for orthomosaic seamlines.

#### **Parameters**

- **epsilon** (*float*) Contour simplification threshold.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

buildTexture(blending\_mode=MosaicBlending, texture\_size=8192, fill\_holes=True, ghosting\_filter=True[, cameras], texture\_type=DiffuseMap[, source\_model], transfer\_texture=True, workitem\_size\_cameras=20, max\_workgroup\_size=100[, progress])

Generate texture for the chunk.

## **Parameters**

- blending\_mode (Metashape.BlendingMode) Texture blending mode.
- **texture\_size** (*int*) Texture page size.
- **fill\_holes** (*bool*) Enable hole filling.
- **ghosting\_filter** (*bool*) Enable ghosting filter.
- **cameras** (list[int]) A list of cameras to be used for texturing.
- texture\_type (Metashape.Model.TextureType) Texture type.
- **source\_model** (*int*) Source model.
- transfer\_texture (bool) Transfer texture.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem (block model only).
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size (block model only).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

buildTiledModel(pixel\_size=0, tile\_size=256, source\_data=DepthMapsData, face\_count=20000, ghosting\_filter=False, transfer\_texture=False, keep\_depth=True, merge=False[, operand\_chunk][, operand\_frame][, operand\_asset][, classes], subdivide\_task=True, workitem\_size\_cameras=20, max\_workgroup\_size=100, replace\_asset=False[, frames][, progress])

Build tiled model for the chunk.

- **pixel\_size** (*float*) Target model resolution in meters.
- tile\_size (int) Size of tiles in pixels.
- source\_data (Metashape.DataSource) Selects between point cloud and mesh.
- **face\_count** (*int*) Number of faces per megapixel of texture resolution.
- **ghosting\_filter** (bool) Enable ghosting filter.
- **transfer\_texture** (*bool*) Transfer source model texture to tiled model.

- **keep\_depth** (*bool*) Enable store depth maps option.
- merge (bool) Merge tiled model flag.
- operand\_chunk (int) Operand chunk key.
- operand\_frame (int) Operand frame key.
- operand\_asset (int) Operand asset key.
- **classes** (*list[int]*) List of point classes to be used for surface extraction.
- **subdivide\_task** (*boo1*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with generated tiled model.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**buildUV**(mapping\_mode=GenericMapping, page\_count=1, texture\_size=8192, pixel\_size=0[, camera][, progress])

Generate uv mapping for the model.

### **Parameters**

- mapping\_mode (Metashape.MappingMode) Texture mapping mode.
- **page\_count** (*int*) Number of texture pages to generate.
- **texture\_size** (*int*) Expected size of texture page at texture generation step.
- pixel\_size (float) Texture resolution in meters.
- **camera** (*int*) Camera to be used for texturing in CameraMapping mode.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

calculatePointNormals(point\_neighbors=28[, point\_cloud][, progress])

Calculate point cloud normals.

#### **Parameters**

- **point\_neighbors** (*int*) Number of point neighbors to use for normal estimation.
- **point\_cloud** (*int*) Point cloud key to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

 $\textbf{calibrateColors} (source\_data=ModelData, white\_balance=False [, cameras] [, progress])$ 

Perform radiometric calibration.

- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Source data for calibration.
- white\_balance (bool) Calibrate white balance.
- cameras (list[int]) List of cameras to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
calibrateReflectance(use_reflectance_panels=True, use_sun_sensor=False[, progress])
```

Calibrate reflectance factors based on calibration panels and/or sun sensor.

### **Parameters**

- **use\_reflectance\_panels** (*bool*) Use calibrated reflectance panels.
- **use\_sun\_sensor** (*bool*) Apply irradiance sensor measurements.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

### camera\_crs

Coordinate system used for camera reference data.

#### Type

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

## camera\_groups

List of camera groups in the chunk.

## Type

list[Metashape.CameraGroup]

## camera\_location\_accuracy

Expected accuracy of camera coordinates in meters.

## **Type**

Metashape.Vector

## camera\_rotation\_accuracy

Expected accuracy of camera orientation angles in degrees.

## Type

Metashape.Vector

# camera\_track

Camera track.

## **Type**

Metashape.CameraTrack

## camera\_tracks

List of camera tracks in the chunk.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.CameraTrack]

## cameras

List of Regular and Keyframe cameras in the chunk.

## **Type**

 $list[{\it Metashape. Camera}]$ 

## cir\_transform

CIR calibration matrix.

## Type

 $Meta shape. {\it CirTrans form}$ 

# ${\tt colorizeModel} (source\_data = ImagesData \big[, model \big] \big[, progress \big])$

Calculate vertex colors for the model.

- source\_data (Metashape.DataSource) Source data to extract colors from.
- model (int) Key of model to colorize.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**colorizePointCloud**(source\_data=ImagesData, workitem\_size\_cameras=20, max\_workgroup\_size=100, subdivide\_task=True[, point\_cloud][, progress])

Calculate point colors for the point cloud.

## **Parameters**

- source\_data (Metashape.DataSource) Source data to extract colors from.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- point\_cloud (int) Point cloud key to colorize.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## component

Component.

## **Type**

Metashape.Component

#### components

List of components in the chunk.

#### **Type**

list[Metashape.Component]

copy([frames][, items], keypoints=True[, progress])

Make a copy of the chunk.

### **Parameters**

- **frames** (*list* [Metashape.Chunk]) Optional list of frames to be copied.
- items (list [Metashape.DataSource]) A list of items to copy.
- **keypoints** (*bool*) copy key points data.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### Returns

Copy of the chunk.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Chunk

crs

Coordinate system used for reference data.

## **Type**

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

Decimate the model to the specified face count.

### **Parameters**

- face\_count (int) Target face count.
- model (int) Model to process.
- apply\_to\_selection (bool) Apply to selection.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace source model with decimated model.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## depth\_maps

Default depth maps set for the current frame.

### **Type**

Metashape.DepthMaps

## depth\_maps\_sets

List of depth maps sets for the current frame.

#### **Type**

list[Metashape.DepthMaps]

Detect fiducial marks on film cameras.

#### **Parameters**

- **generate\_masks** (*boo1*) Generate background masks.
- mask\_dark\_pixels (bool) Mask out dark pixels near frame edge.
- **generic\_detector** (*bool*) Use generic detector.
- right\_angle\_detector (bool) Use right angle detector.
- **v\_shape\_detector** (*bool*) Detect V-shape fiducials.
- **frame\_detector** (bool) Detect frame.
- **fiducials\_position\_corners** (*bool*) Search corners for fiducials.
- **fiducials\_position\_sides** (*bool*) Search sides for fiducials.
- cameras (list[int]) List of cameras to process.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
\label{lem:detectMarkers} \begin{tabular}{ll} $\tt detectMarkers(target\_type=CircularTarget12bit, tolerance=50, filter\_mask=False, inverted=False, noparity=False, maximum\_residual=5, minimum\_size=0, minimum\_dist=5[, cameras][, frames][, progress]) \end{tabular}
```

Create markers from coded targets.

- target\_type (Metashape.TargetType) Type of targets.
- tolerance (int) Detector tolerance (0 100).

- **filter\_mask** (bool) Ignore masked image regions.
- **inverted** (*bool*) Detect markers on black background.
- **noparity** (*bool*) Disable parity checking.
- maximum\_residual (float) Maximum residual for non-coded targets in pixels.
- minimum\_size (int) Minimum target radius in pixels to be detected (CrossTarget type only).
- minimum\_dist (int) Minimum distance between targets in pixels (CrossTarget type only).
- **cameras** (list[int]) List of cameras to process.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Detect powerlines for the chunk.

## **Parameters**

- min\_altitude (float) Minimum altitude for reconstructed powerlines.
- **n\_points\_per\_line** (*int*) Maximum number of vertices per detected line.
- max\_quantization\_error (float) Maximum allowed distance between polyline and smooth continuous curve.
- **use\_model** (*bool*) Use model for visibility checks.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## elevation

Default elevation model for the current frame.

### **Type**

Metashape.Elevation

## elevations

List of elevation models for the current frame.

#### Type

list[Metashape.Elevation]

### enabled

Enables/disables the chunk.

## **Type**

bool

## euler\_angles

Euler angles triplet used for rotation reference.

## **Type**

Metashape.EulerAngles

exportCameras (path=", format=Cameras FormatXML[, crs], save\_points=True, save\_markers=False, save\_invalid\_matches=False, use\_labels=False, use\_initial\_calibration=False, image\_orientation=0, chan\_rotation\_order=RotationOrderXYZ, binary=False, bundler\_save\_list=True, bundler\_path\_list='list.txt', bingo\_save\_image=True, bingo\_save\_itera=True, bingo\_save\_geoin=True, bingo\_save\_gps=False, bingo\_path\_itera='itera.dat', bingo\_path\_image='image.dat', bingo\_path\_geoin='geoin.dat', bingo\_path\_gps='gps-imu.dat'[, progress])

Export point cloud and/or camera positions.

#### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to output file.
- **format** (Metashape.CamerasFormat) Export format.
- **crs** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output coordinate system.
- **save\_points** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of automatic tie points.
- **save\_markers** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of manual matching points.
- **save\_invalid\_matches** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of invalid image matches.
- **use\_labels** (*bool*) Enables/disables label based item identifiers.
- use\_initial\_calibration (bool) Transform image coordinates to initial calibration.
- **image\_orientation** (*int*) Image coordinate system (0 X right, 1 X up, 2 X left, 3 X down).
- **chan\_rotation\_order** (Metashape.RotationOrder) Rotation order (CHAN format only).
- binary (bool) Enables/disables binary encoding for selected format (if applicable).
- bundler\_save\_list (bool) Enables/disables export of Bundler image list file.
- **bundler\_path\_list** (*str*) Path to Bundler image list file.
- bingo\_save\_image (bool) Enables/disables export of BINGO IMAGE COORDI-NATE file.
- bingo\_save\_itera (bool) Enables/disables export of BINGO ITERA file.
- bingo\_save\_geoin (bool) Enables/disables export of BINGO GEO INPUT file.
- bingo\_save\_gps (boo1) Enables/disables export of BINGO GPS/IMU data.
- **bingo\_path\_itera** (*str*) Path to BINGO ITERA file.
- bingo\_path\_image (str) Path to BINGO IMAGE COORDINATE file.
- bingo\_path\_geoin (str) Path to BINGO GEO INPUT file.
- **bingo\_path\_gps** (*str*) Path to BINGO GPS/IMU file.
- **progress** (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

exportMarkers(path="[, crs], binary=False[, progress])

Export markers.

- **path** (*str*) Path to output file.
- **crs** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output coordinate system.

- binary (bool) Enables/disables binary encoding for selected format (if applicable).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Export generated model for the chunk.

- **path** (*str*) Path to output model.
- **binary** (*bool*) Enables/disables binary encoding (if supported by format).
- **precision** (*int*) Number of digits after the decimal point (for text formats).
- **texture\_format** (Metashape.ImageFormat) Texture format.
- **save\_texture** (*bool*) Enables/disables texture export.
- **save\_uv** (*bool*) Enables/disables uv coordinates export.
- save\_normals (bool) Enables/disables export of vertex normals.
- **save\_colors** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of vertex colors.
- **save\_confidence** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of vertex confidence.
- save\_cameras (bool) Enables/disables camera export.
- save\_markers (bool) Enables/disables marker export.
- **save\_udim** (*bool*) Enables/disables UDIM texture layout.
- **save\_alpha** (*bool*) Enables/disables alpha channel export.
- **embed\_texture** (bool) Embeds texture inside the model file (if supported by format).
- **strip\_extensions** (*bool*) Strips camera label extensions during export.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- **colors\_rgb\_8bit** (*bool*) Convert colors to 8 bit RGB.
- **comment** (*str*) Optional comment (if supported by selected format).
- **save\_comment** (*bool*) Enables/disables comment export.
- **format** (Metashape.ModelFormat) Export format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output coordinate system.
- **shift** (Metashape.Vector) Optional shift to be applied to vertex coordinates.
- clip\_to\_boundary (bool) Clip model to boundary shapes.
- **save\_metadata\_xml** (*bool*) Save metadata.xml file.
- model (int) Model key to export.
- viewpoint (Metashape. Viewpoint) Default view.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
exportOrthophotos(path='{filename}.tif'[, cameras], raster_transform=RasterTransformNone[, projection ][, region], resolution=0, resolution_x=0, resolution_y=0, save_kml=False, save_world=False, save_alpha=True[, image_compression], white_background=True, north_up=True[, progress])
```

Export orthophotos for the chunk.

### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to output orthophoto.
- cameras (list[int]) List of cameras to process.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- projection (Metashape.OrthoProjection) Output projection.
- **region** (Metashape.BBox) Region to be exported.
- **resolution** (*float*) Output resolution in meters.
- **resolution\_x** (*float*) Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
- **resolution\_y** (*float*) Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
- save\_kml (bool) Enable kml file generation.
- **save\_world** (*bool*) Enable world file generation.
- **save\_alpha** (*boo1*) Enable alpha channel generation.
- image\_compression (Metashape.ImageCompression) Image compression parameters.
- white\_background (bool) Enable white background.
- **north\_up** (*bool*) Use north-up orientation for export.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Export point cloud.

- **path** (*str*) Path to output file.
- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Selects between point cloud and tie points. If not specified, uses point cloud if available.
- **point\_cloud** (*int*) Point cloud key to export.
- binary (bool) Enables/disables binary encoding for selected format (if applicable).
- **save\_point\_color** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point color.

- **save\_point\_normal** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point normal.
- **save\_point\_intensity** (*boo1*) Enables/disables export of point intensity.
- **save\_point\_classification** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point classification.
- **save\_point\_confidence** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point confidence.
- save\_point\_return\_number (boo1) Enables/disables export of point return number.
- **save\_point\_scan\_angle** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point scan angle.
- **save\_point\_source\_id** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point source ID.
- **save\_point\_timestamp** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point timestamp.
- save\_point\_index (bool) Enables/disables export of point row and column indices.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- colors\_rgb\_8bit (bool) Convert colors to 8 bit RGB.
- **comment** (*str*) Optional comment (if supported by selected format).
- **save\_comment** (*bool*) Enable comment export.
- **format** (Metashape.PointCloudFormat) Export format.
- image\_format (Metashape.ImageFormat) Image data format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output coordinate system.
- **shift** (Metashape.Vector) Optional shift to be applied to point coordinates.
- region (Metashape.BBox) Region to be exported.
- **clip\_to\_boundary** (*boo1*) Clip point cloud to boundary shapes.
- block\_width (float) Block width in meters.
- **block\_height** (*float*) Block height in meters.
- **split\_in\_blocks** (*bool*) Enable tiled export.
- **classes** (list[int]) List of point classes to be exported.
- **save\_images** (*boo1*) Enable image export.
- **compression** (*bool*) Enable compression (Cesium format only).
- tileset\_version (str) Cesium 3D Tiles format version to export (1.0 or 1.1).
- screen\_space\_error (float) Target screen space error (Cesium format only).
- **folder\_depth** (*int*) Tileset subdivision depth (Cesium format only).
- viewpoint (Metashape.Viewpoint) Default view.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
exportRaster(path=", format=RasterFormatTiles, image_format=ImageFormatNone, raster_transform=RasterTransformNone[, projection][, region], resolution=0, resolution_x=0, resolution_y=0, block_width=10000, block_height=10000, split_in_blocks=False, width=0, height=0[, world_transform], nodata_value=-32767, save_kml=False, save_world=False, save_scheme=False, save_alpha=True, image_description="[, image_compression], network_links=True, global_profile=False, min_zoom_level=-1, max_zoom_level=-1, white_background=True, clip_to_boundary=True, title='Orthomosaic', description='Generated by Agisoft Metashape', source_data=OrthomosaicData[, asset], north_up=True, tile_width=256, tile_height=256[, progress])
```

Export DEM or orthomosaic to file.

- **path** (*str*) Path to output orthomosaic.
- format (Metashape.RasterFormat) Export format.
- image\_format (Metashape.ImageFormat) Tile format.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- projection (Metashape.OrthoProjection) Output projection.
- region (Metashape.BBox) Region to be exported.
- **resolution** (*float*) Output resolution in meters.
- **resolution\_x** (*float*) Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
- **resolution\_y** (*float*) Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
- **block\_width** (*int*) Raster block width in pixels.
- **block\_height** (*int*) Raster block height in pixels.
- **split\_in\_blocks** (*bool*) Split raster in blocks.
- width (int) Raster width.
- height (int) Raster height.
- world\_transform (Metashape.Matrix) 2x3 raster-to-world transformation matrix.
- **nodata\_value** (*float*) No-data value (DEM export only).
- **save\_kml** (*bool*) Enable kml file generation.
- **save\_world** (*bool*) Enable world file generation.
- **save\_scheme** (*bool*) Enable tile scheme files generation.
- **save\_alpha** (*bool*) Enable alpha channel generation.
- **image\_description** (*str*) Optional description to be added to image files.
- image\_compression (Metashape.ImageCompression) Image compression parameters.
- **network\_links** (*bool*) Enable network links generation for KMZ format.
- **global\_profile** (*bool*) Use global profile (GeoPackage format only).
- min\_zoom\_level (int) Minimum zoom level (GeoPackage, Google Map Tiles, MBTiles and World Wind Tiles formats only).

- max\_zoom\_level (int) Maximum zoom level (GeoPackage, Google Map Tiles, MBTiles and World Wind Tiles formats only).
- **white\_background** (*bool*) Enable white background.
- clip\_to\_boundary (bool) Clip raster to boundary shapes.
- **title** (*str*) Export title.
- **description** (*str*) Export description.
- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Selects between DEM and orthomosaic.
- asset (int) Asset key to export.
- **north\_up** (*bool*) Use north-up orientation for export.
- tile\_width (int) Tile width in pixels.
- tile\_height (int) Tile height in pixels.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**exportReference**(path=", format=ReferenceFormatNone, items=ReferenceItemsCameras, columns=", delimiter=', precision=6[, progress])

Export reference data to the specified file.

#### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to the output file.
- format (Metashape.ReferenceFormat) Export format.
- items (Metashape.ReferenceItems) Items to export in CSV format.
- columns (str) Column order in csv format (n label, o enabled flag, x/y/z coordinates, X/Y/Z coordinate accuracy, a/b/c rotation angles, A/B/C rotation angle accuracy, u/v/w estimated coordinates, U/V/W coordinate errors, d/e/f estimated orientation angles, D/E/F orientation errors, p/q/r estimated coordinates variance, i/j/k estimated orientation angles variance, [] group of multiple values, | column separator within group).
- **delimiter** (*str*) Column delimiter in csv format.
- **precision** (*int*) Number of digits after the decimal point (for CSV format).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Export processing report in PDF format.

- **path** (*str*) Path to output report.
- **title** (*str*) Report title.
- **description** (*str*) Report description.
- font\_size (int) Font size (pt).
- **page\_numbers** (*boo1*) Enable page numbers.
- include\_system\_info (bool) Include system information.
- user\_settings (list[tuple[str, str]]) A list of user defined settings to include on the Processing Parameters page.

• progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.

Export shapes layer to file.

## **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to shape file.
- **save\_points** (*bool*) Export points.
- **save\_polylines** (*bool*) Export polylines.
- **save\_polygons** (*boo1*) Export polygons.
- **groups** (list[int]) A list of shape groups to export.
- **format** (Metashape.ShapesFormat) Export format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output coordinate system.
- **shift** (Metashape. Vector) Optional shift to be applied to vertex coordinates.
- polygons\_as\_polylines (bool) Save polygons as polylines.
- save\_labels (bool) Export labels.
- **save\_attributes** (*bool*) Export attributes.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
exportTexture(path=", texture_type=DiffuseMap, raster_transform=RasterTransformNone, save_alpha=False[, progress])
```

Export model texture to file.

### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to output file.
- texture\_type (Metashape.Model.TextureType) Texture type.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- **save\_alpha** (*bool*) Enable alpha channel export.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Export generated tiled model for the chunk.

- **path** (*str*) Path to output model.
- **format** (Metashape.TiledModelFormat) Export format.
- model\_format (Metashape.ModelFormat) Model format for zip export.

- texture\_format (Metashape.ImageFormat) Texture format.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- image\_compression (Metashape.ImageCompression) Image compression parameters.
- **crs** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output coordinate system.
- clip\_to\_boundary (bool) Clip tiled model to boundary shapes.
- **tiled\_model** (*int*) Tiled model key to export.
- **model\_compression** (*bool*) Enable mesh compression (Cesium format only).
- **tileset\_version** (*str*) Cesium 3D Tiles format version to export (1.0 or 1.1).
- **use\_tileset\_transform** (*bool*) Use tileset transform instead of individual tile transforms (Cesium format only).
- **screen\_space\_error** (*float*) Target screen space error (Cesium format only).
- **folder\_depth** (*int*) Tileset subdivision depth (Cesium format only).
- **model\_group** (*int*) Block model key to export.
- pixel\_size (float) Target model resolution in meters (block model export only).
- **tile\_size** (*int*) Size of tiles in pixels (block model export only).
- **face\_count** (*int*) Number of faces per megapixel of texture resolution (block model export only).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**filterPointCloud**(point\_spacing=0[, point\_cloud], replace\_asset=False[, frames][, progress])
Reduce point cloud points number.

### **Parameters**

- **point\_spacing** (*float*) Desired point spacing (m).
- point\_cloud (int) Point cloud key to filter.
- replace\_asset (bool) Replace default asset with filtered point cloud.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

### findCamera(key)

Find camera by its key.

### Returns

Found camera.

## Return type

Metashape.Camera

#### findCameraGroup(key)

Find camera group by its key.

### Returns

Found camera group.

## Return type

Metashape.CameraGroup

## findCameraTrack(key)

Find camera track by its key.

### Returns

Found camera track.

## **Return type**

Metashape.CameraTrack

# findDepthMaps(key)

Find depth maps by its key.

### **Returns**

Found depth maps.

# **Return type**

Metashape.DepthMaps

## findElevation(key)

Find elevation model by its key.

#### Returns

Found elevation model.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Elevation

## findFrame(key)

Find frame by its key.

## Returns

Found frame.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Chunk

## findMarker(key)

Find marker by its key.

## Returns

Found marker.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Marker

# findMarkerGroup(key)

Find marker group by its key.

#### Returns

Found marker group.

## **Return type**

Metashape.MarkerGroup

## findModel(key)

Find model by its key.

#### Returns

Found model.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Model

## findOrthomosaic(key)

Find orthomosaic by its key.

### Returns

Found orthomosaic.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Orthomosaic

## findPointCloud(key)

Find point cloud by its key.

## Returns

Found point cloud.

## Return type

Metashape.PointCloud

## findPointCloudGroup(key)

Find point cloud group by its key.

### **Parameters**

**key** (*int*) – Point cloud group key.

## Returns

Found point cloud group.

## Return type

Metashape.PointCloudGroup

## findScalebar(key)

Find scalebar by its key.

### **Returns**

Found scalebar.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Scalebar

## findScalebarGroup(key)

Find scalebar group by its key.

#### **Returns**

Found scalebar group.

## Return type

Metashape.ScalebarGroup

## findSensor(key)

Find sensor by its key.

### **Returns**

Found sensor.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Sensor

## findTiledModel(key)

Find tiled model by its key.

#### Returns

Found tiled model.

## **Return type**

Metashape.TiledModel

#### frame

Current frame index.

## **Type**

int

#### frames

List of frames in the chunk.

## Type

list[Metashape.Chunk]

Generate masks for multiple cameras.

#### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Mask file name template.
- masking\_mode (Metashape.MaskingMode) Mask generation mode.
- mask\_operation (Metashape.MaskOperation) Mask operation.
- **tolerance** (*int*) Background masking tolerance.
- cameras (list[int]) Optional list of cameras to be processed.
- mask\_defocus (bool) Mask defocus areas.
- **fix\_coverage** (*boo1*) Extend masks to cover whole mesh (only if mask\_defocus=True).
- **blur\_threshold** (*float*) Allowed blur radius on a photo in pix (only if mask\_defocus=True).
- **depth\_threshold** (*float*) Maximum depth of masked areas in meters (only if mask\_defocus=False).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
generatePrescriptionMap(class_count=4, cell_size=1,
```

```
classification_method=JenksNaturalBreaksClassification[, boundary_shape_group][, breakpoints][, rates][, progress])
```

Generate prescription map for orthomosaic.

- class\_count (int) Number of classes.
- **cell\_size** (*float*) Step of prescription grid, meters.
- **classification\_method** (Metashape.ClassificationMethod) Index values classification method.

- **boundary\_shape\_group** (*int*) Boundary shape group.
- **breakpoints** (*list[float]*) Classification breakpoints.
- rates (list[float]) Fertilizer rate for each class.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## image\_brightness

Image brightness as percentage.

## Type

float

## image\_contrast

Image contrast as percentage.

## **Type**

float

Import camera positions.

#### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to the file.
- format (Metashape.CamerasFormat) File format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Ground coordinate system.
- **image\_orientation** (*int*) Image coordinate system (0 X right, 1 X up, 2 X left, 3 X down).
- **image\_list** (*str*) Path to image list file (Bundler format only).
- **load\_image\_list** (*bool*) Enable Bundler image list import.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

 $\label{lem:color_file_part} \textbf{importDepthImages} (format=PointCloudFormatNone [, filenames] [, color\_filenames], image\_path=", multiplane=False [, progress])$ 

Import images with depth data.

## **Parameters**

- **format** (Metashape.PointCloudFormat) Point cloud format.
- **filenames** (list[str]) List of files to import.
- **color\_filenames** (*list[str]*) List of corresponding color files, if present.
- **image\_path** (*str*) Path template to output files.
- multiplane (bool) Import as a multi-camera system
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# importMarkers(path="[, progress])

Import markers.

- **path** (*str*) Path to the file.
- **progress** (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Import model from file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to model.
- format (Metashape.ModelFormat) Model format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Model coordinate system.
- **shift** (Metashape.Vector) Optional shift to be applied to vertex coordinates.
- **decode\_udim** (*boo1*) Load UDIM texture layout.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with imported model.
- **frame\_paths** (list[str]) List of model paths to import in each frame of a multiframe chunk.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Import point cloud from file.

- **path** (*str*) Path to point cloud.
- format (Metashape.PointCloudFormat) Point cloud format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Point cloud coordinate system.
- **shift** (Metashape.Vector) Optional shift to be applied to point coordinates.
- **precision** (*float*) Coordinate precision (m). For default precision use 0.
- **is\_laser\_scan** (*bool*) Import point clouds as laser scans.
- $\bullet \ \ \mathbf{replace\_asset} \ (bool) Replace \ default \ asset \ with \ imported \ point \ cloud. \\$
- **import\_images** (*bool*) Import images embedded in laser scan.
- calculate\_normals (bool) Calculate point normals.
- **ignore\_normals** (*bool*) Ignore normals in imported file.
- $\bullet$  **point\_neighbors** (int) Number of point neighbors to use for normal estimation.
- **scanner\_at\_origin** (*boo1*) Use laser scan origin as scanner position for unstructured point clouds.
- **ignore\_scanner\_origin** (*boo1*) Do not use laser scan origin as scanner position for structured point clouds.
- **ignore\_trajectory** (*bool*) Do not attach trajectory to imported point cloud.
- **trajectory** (*int*) Trajectory key to attach.
- **frame\_paths** (*list[str]*) List of point cloud paths to import in each frame of a multiframe chunk.

• progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.

Import DEM or orthomosaic from file.

### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to elevation model in GeoTIFF format.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Default coordinate system if not specified in GeoTIFF file.
- raster\_type (Metashape.DataSource) Type of raster layer to import.
- nodata\_value (float) No-data value.
- has\_nodata\_value (boo1) No-data value valid flag.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default raster with imported one.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Import reference data from the specified file.

- **path** (*str*) Path to the file with reference data.
- format (Metashape.ReferenceFormat) File format.
- **columns** (*str*) Column order in csv format (n label, o enabled flag, x/y/z coordinates, X/Y/Z coordinate accuracy, a/b/c rotation angles, A/B/C rotation angle accuracy, [] group of multiple values, | column separator within group).
- **delimiter** (*str*) Column delimiter in csv format.
- **group\_delimiters** (*bool*) Combine consecutive delimiters in csv format.
- **skip\_rows** (*int*) Number of rows to skip in (csv format only).
- items (Metashape.ReferenceItems) List of items to load reference for (csv format only).
- **crs** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Reference data coordinate system (csv format only).
- **ignore\_labels** (*bool*) Matches reference data based on coordinates alone (csv format only).
- **create\_markers** (*bool*) Create markers for missing entries (csv format only).
- **threshold** (*float*) Error threshold in meters used when ignore\_labels is set (csv format only).
- **shutter\_lag** (*float*) Shutter lag in seconds (APM format only).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to shape file.
- **replace** (*bool*) Replace current shapes with new data.
- **boundary\_type** (Metashape.Shape.BoundaryType) Boundary type to be applied to imported shapes.
- format (Metashape.ShapesFormat) Shapes format.
- **columns** (*str*) Column order in csv format (n label, x/y/z coordinates, d description, [] group of multiple values, | column separator within group).
- **delimiter** (*str*) Column delimiter in csv format.
- **group\_delimiters** (bool) Combine consequitive delimiters in csv format.
- **skip\_rows** (*int*) Number of rows to skip in (csv format only).
- **crs** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Reference data coordinate system (csv format only).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
importTiledModel(path="[, progress])
```

Import tiled model from file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to tiled model.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Import trajectory from file.

## **Parameters**

- path (str) Trajectory file path.
- format (Metashape.TrajectoryFormat) Trajectory format.
- **columns** (*str*) Column order (t time, x/y/z coordinates, a/b/c rotation angles, space skip column).
- **delimiter** (str) CSV delimiter.
- **skip\_rows** (*int*) Number of rows to skip.
- crs (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Point cloud coordinate system.
- **shift** (Metashape.Vector) Optional shift to be applied to point coordinates.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default asset with imported trajectory.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

Imports video to active chunk.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to source video.
- **image\_path** (*str*) Path to directory where to save frames with filename template. For example: /path/to/dir/frame{filenum}.png.
- **frame\_step** (Metashape.FrameStep) Frame step type.
- **custom\_frame\_step** (*int*) Every custom\_frame\_step'th frame will be saved. Used for frame step=CustomFrameStep.
- **time\_start** (*int*) The starting point for importing video, in milliseconds.
- **time\_end** (*int*) The endpoint for importing video, in milliseconds.

### key

Chunk identifier.

## **Type**

int

### label

Chunk label.

# Type

str

## loadReferenceExif(load\_rotation=False, load\_accuracy=False)

Import camera locations from EXIF meta data.

## **Parameters**

- **load\_rotation** (*bool*) load yaw, pitch and roll orientation angles.
- **load\_accuracy** (*bool*) load camera location accuracy.

# loadReflectancePanelCalibration(path[, cameras])

Load reflectance panel calibration from CSV file.

## **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to calibration file.
- cameras (list[Metashape.Camera]) List of cameras to process.

## locateReflectancePanels(|progress|)

Locate reflectance panels based on QR-codes.

#### **Parameters**

```
progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
```

## marker\_crs

Coordinate system used for marker reference data.

## **Type**

 ${\it Metashape. Coordinate System}$ 

### marker\_groups

List of marker groups in the chunk.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.MarkerGroup]

## marker\_location\_accuracy

Expected accuracy of marker coordinates in meters.

## **Type**

Metashape.Vector

## marker\_projection\_accuracy

Expected accuracy of marker projections in pixels.

## **Type**

float

### markers

List of Regular, Vertex and Fiducial markers in the chunk.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.Marker]

#### masks

Image masks.

### Type

Metashape.Masks

Perform image matching for the chunk frame.

- downscale (int) Image alignment accuracy (0 Highest, 1 High, 2 Medium, 4 Low, 8 Lowest).
- **downscale\_3d** (*int*) Laser scan alignment accuracy (1 Highest, 2 High, 4 Medium, 8 Low, 16 Lowest).
- **generic\_preselection** (*bool*) Enable generic preselection.
- **reference\_preselection** (bool) Enable reference preselection.
- reference\_preselection\_mode (Metashape.ReferencePreselectionMode) Reference preselection mode.
- **filter\_mask** (*bool*) Filter points by mask.
- mask\_tiepoints (bool) Apply mask filter to tie points.
- **filter\_stationary\_points** (*bool*) Exclude tie points which are stationary across images.
- **keypoint\_limit** (*int*) Key point limit.
- **keypoint\_limit\_3d** (*int*) Key point limit for laser scans.
- **keypoint\_limit\_per\_mpx** (*int*) Key point limit per megapixel.
- tiepoint\_limit (int) Tie point limit.

- **keep\_keypoints** (*bool*) Store keypoints in the project.
- pairs (list[tuple[int, int]]) User defined list of camera pairs to match.
- cameras (list[int]) List of cameras to match.
- **guided\_matching** (bool) Enable guided image matching.
- reset\_matches (bool) Reset current matches.
- **subdivide\_task** (*bool*) Enable fine-level task subdivision.
- workitem\_size\_cameras (int) Number of cameras in a workitem.
- workitem\_size\_pairs (int) Number of image pairs in a workitem.
- max\_workgroup\_size (int) Maximum workgroup size.
- laser\_scans\_vertical\_axis (int) Common laser scans axis.
- match\_laser\_scans (bool) Match laser scans using geometric features.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# mergeComponents(components[, progress])

Merge components.

## **Parameters**

- **components** (list[Metashape.Component]) List of components to merge.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

### meta

Chunk meta data.

## **Type**

Metashape.MetaData

#### model

Default model for the current frame.

### **Type**

Metashape.Model

## model\_group

Default model group for the current chunk.

### **Type**

Metashape.ModelGroup

## model\_groups

List of model groups in the chunk.

#### Type

list[Metashape.ModelGroup]

### models

List of models for the current frame.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.Model]

### modified

Modified flag.

Type

bool

$$\label{eq:continuous} \begin{split} \textbf{optimizeCameras}(\textit{fit\_f=True}, \textit{fit\_cx=True}, \textit{fit\_cy=True}, \textit{fit\_b1=False}, \textit{fit\_b2=False}, \textit{fit\_k1=True}, \\ \textit{fit\_k2=True}, \textit{fit\_k3=True}, \textit{fit\_k4=False}, \textit{fit\_p1=True}, \textit{fit\_p2=True}, \textit{fit\_corrections=False}, \\ \textit{adaptive\_fitting=False}, \textit{tiepoint\_covariance=False}[, \textit{progress}]) \end{split}$$

Perform optimization of tie points / camera parameters.

### **Parameters**

- **fit\_f** (*bool*) Enable optimization of focal length coefficient.
- **fit\_cx** (*bool*) Enable optimization of X principal point coordinates.
- **fit\_cy** (*bool*) Enable optimization of Y principal point coordinates.
- **fit\_b1** (*bool*) Enable optimization of aspect ratio.
- **fit\_b2** (*bool*) Enable optimization of skew coefficient.
- fit\_k1 (bool) Enable optimization of k1 radial distortion coefficient.
- fit\_k2 (bool) Enable optimization of k2 radial distortion coefficient.
- **fit\_k3** (*bool*) Enable optimization of k3 radial distortion coefficient.
- **fit\_k4** (*bool*) Enable optimization of k3 radial distortion coefficient.
- **fit\_p1** (*bool*) Enable optimization of p1 tangential distortion coefficient.
- **fit\_p2** (*bool*) Enable optimization of p2 tangential distortion coefficient.
- **fit\_corrections** (*bool*) Enable optimization of additional corrections.
- adaptive\_fitting (bool) Enable adaptive fitting of distortion coefficients.
- **tiepoint\_covariance** (*bool*) Estimate tie point covariance matrices.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## orthomosaic

Default orthomosaic for the current frame.

### **Type**

Metashape.Orthomosaic

## orthomosaics

List of orthomosaics for the current frame.

## Type

list[Metashape.Orthomosaic]

### point\_cloud

Default point cloud for the current frame.

## **Type**

Metashape.PointCloud

## point\_cloud\_groups

List of point cloud groups in the chunk.

## Type

list[Metashape.PointCloudGroup]

### point\_clouds

List of point clouds for the current frame.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.PointCloud]

### primary\_channel

Primary channel index (-1 for default).

# Type

int

publishData(service=ServiceSketchfab, source\_data=TiePointsData,

raster\_transform=RasterTransformNone, save\_point\_color=True, save\_camera\_track=True, title=", description=", tags=", owner=", token=", username=", password=", account=", hostname=", is\_draft=False, is\_private=False, is\_protected=False, title\_size=256, min\_zoom\_level=-1, max\_zoom\_level=-1[, projection], resolution=0[, point\_classes][, image\_compression][, progress])

Publish generated data online.

- **service** (Metashape.ServiceType) Service to upload on.
- **source\_data** (Metashape.DataSource) Asset type to upload.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.
- **save\_point\_color** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of point colors.
- **save\_camera\_track** (*bool*) Enables/disables export of camera track.
- **title** (*str*) Dataset title.
- **description** (*str*) Dataset description.
- tags (str) Dataset tags.
- owner (str) Account owner (Cesium and Mapbox services).
- **token** (*str*) Account token (Cesium, Mapbox, Picterra, Pointbox and Sketchfab services).
- **username** (*str*) Account username (4DMapper, Melown and Pointscene services).
- **password** (*str*) Account password (4DMapper, Melown, Pointscene and Sketchfab services).
- **account** (*str*) Account name (Melown service).
- **hostname** (*str*) Service hostname (4DMapper service).
- **is\_draft** (*bool*) Mark dataset as draft (Sketchfab service).
- **is\_private** (*bool*) Set dataset access to private (Pointbox and Sketchfab services).
- **is\_protected** (*bool*) Set dataset access to protected (Pointbox service).
- **tile\_size** (*int*) Tile size in pixels.
- min\_zoom\_level (int) Minimum zoom level.
- max\_zoom\_level (int) Maximum zoom level.
- projection (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Output projection.

- **resolution** (*float*) Output resolution in meters.
- point\_classes (list[int]) List of point classes to be exported.
- image\_compression (Metashape.ImageCompression) Image compression parameters.
- **progress** (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

### raster\_transform

Raster transform.

## **Type**

Metashape.RasterTransform

reduceOverlap(overlap=3, use\_selection=False[, progress])

Disable redundant cameras.

#### **Parameters**

- **overlap** (*int*) Target number of cameras observing each point of the surface.
- use\_selection (bool) Focus on model selection.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# refineMarkers([markers][, progress])

Refine markers based on images content.

### **Parameters**

- markers (list[int]) Optional list of markers to be processed.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**refineModel**(downscale=4, iterations=10, smoothness=0.5[, cameras][, progress])

Refine polygonal model.

## **Parameters**

- **downscale** (*int*) Refinement quality (1 Ultra high, 2 High, 4 Medium, 8 Low, 16 Lowest).
- **iterations** (*int*) Number of refinement iterations.
- **smoothness** (*float*) Smoothing strength. Should be in range [0, 1].
- **cameras** (list[int]) List of cameras to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## region

Reconstruction volume selection.

### **Type**

Metashape.Region

## remove(items)

Remove items from the chunk.

#### **Parameters**

items (list[Metashape.Chunk | Metashape.Sensor | Metashape.CameraGroup
| Metashape.MarkerGroup | Metashape.ScalebarGroup | Metashape.Camera |
Metashape.Marker | Metashape.Scalebar | Metashape.CameraTrack]) - A list
of items to be removed.

**removeLighting**(color\_mode=False, internal\_blur=1.5, mesh\_noise\_suppression=1, ambient\_occlusion\_path=", ambient\_occlusion\_multiplier=1.5[, progress])

Generate model for the chunk frame.

#### **Parameters**

- **color\_mode** (*bool*) Enable multi-color processing mode.
- internal\_blur (float) Internal blur. Should be in range [0, 4].
- **mesh\_noise\_suppression** (*float*) Mesh normals noise suppression strength. Should be in range [0, 4].
- **ambient\_occlusion\_path** (*str*) Path to ambient occlusion texture atlas. Can be empty.
- ambient\_occlusion\_multiplier (float) Ambient occlusion multiplier. Should be in range [0.25, 4].
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
renderPreview(width = 2048, height = 2048[, transform], point_size=1[, progress])
```

Generate preview image for the chunk.

### **Parameters**

- width (int) Preview image width.
- **height** (*int*) Preview image height.
- **transform** (Metashape.Matrix) 4x4 viewpoint transformation matrix.
- **point\_size** (*int*) Point size.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## Returns

Preview image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

## resetRegion()

Reset reconstruction volume selector to default position.

## scalebar\_accuracy

Expected scale bar accuracy in meters.

## **Type**

float

## scalebar\_groups

List of scale bar groups in the chunk.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.ScalebarGroup]

### scalebars

List of scale bars in the chunk.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.Scalebar]

### selected

Selects/deselects the chunk.

# Type

bool

### sensors

List of sensors in the chunk.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.Sensor]

## shapes

Shapes for the current frame.

## **Type**

Metashape.Shapes

Smooth model using Laplacian smoothing algorithm.

### **Parameters**

- **strength** (*float*) Smoothing strength.
- apply\_to\_selection (bool) Apply to selected faces.
- **fix\_borders** (*bool*) Fix borders.
- **preserve\_edges** (*boo1*) Preserve edges.
- model (int) Key of model to smooth.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

 $\textbf{smoothPointCloud}(smoothing\_radius=0\big[,point\_cloud\,\big]\big[,classes\,\big],apply\_to\_selection=False\big[,progress\,\big]\big)$ 

Smooth point cloud.

### **Parameters**

- **smoothing\_radius** (*float*) Desired smoothing radius (m).
- **point\_cloud** (*int*) Key of point cloud to filter.
- **classes** (*list[int]*) List of point classes to be smoothed.
- apply\_to\_selection (bool) Smooth points within selection.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

### sortCameras()

Sorts cameras by their labels.

## sortMarkers()

Sorts markers by their labels.

## sortScalebars()

Sorts scalebars by their labels.

```
splitComponents(items[, progress])
     Split components.
         Parameters
             • items (list[Metashape.Camera | Metashape.PointCloud]) - List of items to
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
thinTiePoints(point_limit=1000)
     Remove excessive tracks from the tie point cloud.
         Parameters
            point_limit (int) – Maximum number of points for each photo.
thumbnails
     Image thumbnails.
         Type
             Metashape. Thumbnails
tie_points
     Generated tie point cloud.
         Type
             Metashape.TiePoints
tiepoint_accuracy
     Expected tie point accuracy in pixels.
         Type
             float
tiled_model
     Default tiled model for the current frame.
         Type
             Metashape.TiledModel
tiled_models
     List of tiled models for the current frame.
         Type
             list[Metashape.TiledModel]
trackMarkers(first_frame=0, last_frame=0[, progress])
     Track marker projections through the frame sequence.
         Parameters
             • first_frame (int) – Starting frame index.
             • last_frame (int) – Ending frame index.
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

# transform

4x4 matrix specifying chunk location in the world coordinate system.

## Type

Metashape.ChunkTransform

```
transformRaster(source_data=ElevationData[, asset], subtract=False[, operand_chunk][, operand_frame][, operand_asset], width=0, height=0[, world_transform], resolution=0, resolution_x=0, resolution_y=0, nodata_value=-32767, north_up=True[, region][, projection], replace_asset=False[, frames][, progress])
```

Transform DEM or orthomosaic.

### **Parameters**

- source\_data (Metashape.DataSource) Selects between DEM and orthomosaic.
- **asset** (*int*) Asset key to transform.
- **subtract** (*boo1*) Subtraction flag.
- operand\_chunk (int) Operand chunk key.
- operand\_frame (int) Operand frame key.
- operand\_asset (int) Operand asset key.
- width (int) Raster width.
- **height** (*int*) Raster height.
- world\_transform (Metashape.Matrix) 2x3 raster-to-world transformation matrix.
- **resolution** (*float*) Output resolution in meters.
- **resolution\_x** (*float*) Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
- **resolution\_y** (*float*) Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
- **nodata\_value** (*float*) No-data value (DEM export only).
- $north\_up$  (boo1) Use north-up orientation for export.
- region (Metashape.BBox) Region to be processed.
- **projection** (Metashape.OrthoProjection) Output projection.
- **replace\_asset** (*bool*) Replace default raster with transformed one.
- **frames** (list[int]) List of frames to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

triangulateTiePoints(max\_error=10, min\_image=2[, progress])

Rebuild tie point cloud for the chunk.

## **Parameters**

- max\_error (float) Reprojection error threshold.
- min\_image (int) Minimum number of point projections.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## updateTransform()

Update chunk transformation based on reference data.

## world\_crs

Coordinate system used as world coordinate system.

### **Type**

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

```
class Metashape.ChunkTransform
     Transformation between chunk and world coordinates systems.
     copy()
          Return a copy of the object.
              Returns
                  A copy of the object.
              Return type
                  Metashape.ChunkTransform
     matrix
          Transformation matrix.
              Type
                  Metashape.Matrix
     rotation
          Rotation component.
              Type
                  Metashape.Matrix
     scale
          Scale component.
              Type
                  float
     translation
          Translation component.
              Type
                  Metashape.Vector
class Metashape.CirTransform
     CIR calibration matrix.
     calibrate()
          Calibrate CIR matrix based on orthomosaic histogram.
     coeffs
          Color matrix.
              Type
                  Metashape.Matrix
     copy()
          Return a copy of the object.
              Returns
                  A copy of the object.
              Return type
                  Metashape.CirTransform
```

reset()

Reset CIR calibration matrix.

## class Metashape.ClassificationMethod

List of projects.

Index values classification method in [EqualIntervalsClassification, JenksNaturalBreaksClassification]

## class Metashape.CloudClient

CloudClient class provides access to the Agisoft Cloud processing service and allows to create and manage cloud projects.

The following example connects to the service and lists available projects:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> client = Metashape.CloudClient()
>>> client.username = 'user'
>>> client.password = 'password'
>>> client.projectList()
abortProcessing(document)
    Cancel processing.
        Parameters
            document (Metashape.Document) – Project to cancel.
client_id
    Client software id (optional).
        Type
            str
client_secret
    Client softrwae secret (optional).
        Type
downloadProject(document[, progress])
    Download project from the cloud.
        Parameters
             • document (Metashape.Document) - Project to download.
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
getProcessingStatus(document)
    Get processing status.
        Parameters
            document (Metashape.Document) – Project being processed.
        Returns
            Processing status.
        Return type
            dict
getProjectList()
    Get list of projects in the cloud.
        Returns
```

```
Return type
                  list
     password
          Cloud account password.
               Type
                  str
     processProject(document, tasks)
          Start processing in the cloud.
               Parameters
                   • document (Metashape.Document) - Project to process.
                   • tasks (list[Metashape.NetworkTask]) - List of processing tasks to execute.
     uploadProject(document, publish=False[, progress])
          Upload project to the cloud.
               Parameters
                   • document (Metashape.Document) - Project to upload.
                   • publish (bool) – Publish project for online visualization.
                   • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     username
          Cloud account username.
               Type
                  str
class Metashape.Component
     Component instance
     chunk
          Chunk the component belongs to.
               Type
                  Metashape.Chunk
     key
          Component identifier.
               Type
                  int
     label
          Component label.
               Type
                  str
     partition
          Component partition.
               Type
                  list
```

### region

Reconstruction volume selection.

## **Type**

Metashape.Region

#### transform

4x4 matrix specifying chunk location in the world coordinate system.

## **Type**

Metashape.ChunkTransform

# class Metashape.CoordinateSystem

Coordinate reference system (local, geographic or projected).

The following example changes chunk coordinate system to WGS 84 / UTM zone 41N and loads reference data from file:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> chunk = Metashape.app.document.chunk
>>> chunk.crs = Metashape.CoordinateSystem("EPSG::32641")
>>> chunk.importReference("gcp.txt", Metashape.ReferenceFormatCSV)
>>> chunk.updateTransform()
```

#### addGeoid(path)

Register geoid model.

## **Parameters**

**path** (*str*) – Path to geoid file.

## authority

Authority identifier of the coordinate system.

## Type

str

## copy()

Return a copy of the object.

# Returns

A copy of the object.

## Return type

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

# datumTransform(source, target)

Coordinate transformation from source to target coordinate system datum.

### **Parameters**

- **source** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Source coordinate system.
- target (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Target coordinate system.

#### Returns

4x4 transformation matrix.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Matrix

```
geoccs
```

Base geocentric coordinate system.

## **Type**

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

#### geogcs

Base geographic coordinate system.

## **Type**

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

## geoid\_height

Fixed gooid height to be used instead of interpolated values.

# **Type**

float

## init(crs)

Initialize projection based on specified WKT definition or authority identifier.

### **Parameters**

**crs** (*str*) – WKT definition of coordinate system or authority identifier.

#### listBuiltinCRS()

Returns a list of builtin coordinate systems.

#### localframe(point)

Returns 4x4 transformation matrix to LSE coordinates at the given point.

# **Parameters**

**point** (Metashape. Vector) – Coordinates of the origin in the geocentric coordinates.

### Returns

Transformation from geocentric coordinates to local coordinates.

# Return type

Metashape.Matrix

#### name

Name of the coordinate system.

# **Type**

str

# proj4

Coordinate system definition in PROJ.4 format.

## **Type**

str

# project(point)

Projects point from geocentric coordinates to projected geographic coordinate system.

# **Parameters**

**point** (Metashape. Vector) – 3D point in geocentric coordinates.

# Returns

3D point in projected coordinates.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Vector

### towgs84

TOWGS84 transformation parameters (dx, dy, dz, rx, ry, rz, scale).

## **Type**

list[float]

# transform(point, source, target)

Transform point coordinates between coordinate systems.

#### **Parameters**

- point (Metashape.Vector) 2D or 3D point coordinates.
- **source** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Source coordinate system.
- target (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Target coordinate system.

#### Returns

Transformed point coordinates.

# Return type

Metashape.Vector

# transformationMatrix(point, source, target)

Local approximation of coordinate transformation from source to target coordinate system at the given point.

## **Parameters**

- point (Metashape. Vector) 3D point coordinates.
- **source** (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Source coordinate system.
- target (Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Target coordinate system.

#### **Returns**

4x4 transformation matrix.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Matrix

# unproject(point)

Unprojects point from projected coordinates to geocentric coordinates.

#### **Parameters**

point (Metashape.Vector) - 3D point in projected coordinate system.

#### Returns

3D point in geocentric coordinates.

# Return type

Metashape.Vector

#### wkt

Coordinate system definition in WKT format.

# **Type**

str

### wkt2

Coordinate system definition in WKT format, version 2.

## **Type**

str

## class Metashape.DataSource

Data source in [TiePointsData, PointCloudData, ModelData, TiledModelData, ElevationData, OrthomosaicData, DepthMapsData, ImagesData, TrajectoryData, LaserScansData, DepthMapsAndLaserScansData]

#### class Metashape.DataType

Data type in [DataTypeUndefined, DataType8i, DataType8u, DataType16i, DataType16u, DataType16f, DataType32i, DataType32u, DataType32f, DataType64i, DataType64u, DataType64f]

#### class Metashape.DepthMap

Depth map data.

## calibration

Depth map calibration.

### **Type**

Metashape.Calibration

# copy()

Returns a copy of the depth map.

#### Returns

Copy of the depth map.

#### Return type

Metashape.DepthMap

## getCalibration(level=0)

Returns calibration data.

#### **Parameters**

**level** (*int*) – Level index.

# Returns

Calibration data.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Calibration

# image([level])

Returns image data.

# **Parameters**

**level** (*int*) – Level index.

#### Returns

Image data.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Image

#### setCalibration(calibration, level=0)

#### **Parameters**

- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Calibration data.
- level (int) Level index.

setImage(image, level=0)

#### **Parameters**

• image (Metashape.Image) – Image object with depth map data.

```
• level (int) – Level index.
class Metashape.DepthMaps
     A set of depth maps generated for a chunk frame.
     clear()
          Clears depth maps data.
     copy()
           Create a copy of the depth maps.
               Returns
                   Copy of the depth maps.
               Return type
                   Metashape.DepthMaps
     items()
          List of items.
     kev
          Depth maps identifier.
               Type
                   int
     keys()
          List of item keys.
     label
           Depth maps label.
               Type
                   str
     meta
           Depth maps meta data.
               Type
                   Metashape.MetaData
     modified
          Modified flag.
               Type
                   bool
     values()
          List of item values.
```

# class Metashape.Document

Metashape project.

Contains list of chunks available in the project. Implements processing operations that work with multiple chunks. Supports saving/loading project files.

The project currently opened in Metashape window can be accessed using Metashape.app.document attribute. Additional Document objects can be created as needed.

The following example saves active chunk from the opened project in a separate project:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> doc = Metashape.app.document
>>> doc.save(path = "project.psz", chunks = [doc.chunk])
```

# addChunk()

Add new chunk to the document.

#### Returns

Created chunk.

#### Return type

Metashape.Chunk

alignChunks ([chunks][, reference], method=0, fit\_scale=True, downscale=1, generic\_preselection=False, filter\_mask=False, mask\_tiepoints=False, keypoint\_limit=40000[, markers][, progress])
Align specified set of chunks.

#### **Parameters**

- **chunks** (list[int]) List of chunks to be aligned.
- **reference** (*int*) Chunk to be used as a reference.
- **method** (*int*) Alignment method (0 point based, 1 marker based, 2 camera based).
- **fit\_scale** (*bool*) Fit chunk scale during alignment.
- **downscale** (*int*) Alignment accuracy (0 Highest, 1 High, 2 Medium, 4 Low, 8 Lowest).
- **generic\_preselection** (*bool*) Enables image pair preselection.
- **filter\_mask** (*bool*) Filter points by mask.
- mask\_tiepoints (bool) Apply mask filter to tie points.
- **keypoint\_limit** (*int*) Maximum number of points for each photo.
- markers (list[int]) List of markers to be used for marker based alignment.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# append(document[, chunks][, progress])

Append the specified Document object to the current document.

#### **Parameters**

- document (Metashape.Document) Document object to be appended.
- **chunks** (*list* [Metashape.Chunk]) List of chunks to append.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### chunk

Active chunk.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Chunk

#### chunks

List of chunks in the document.

#### **Type**

list[Metashape.Chunk]

### clear()

Clear the contents of the Document object.

# copy()

Return a copy of the document.

#### **Returns**

A copy of the document.

# Return type

Metashape.Document

# findChunk(key)

Find chunk by its key.

### Returns

Found chunk.

## Return type

Metashape.Chunk

mergeChunks (copy\_laser\_scans=True, copy\_depth\_maps=False, copy\_point\_clouds=False, copy\_models=False, copy\_tiled\_models=False, copy\_elevations=False, copy\_orthomosaics=False, merge\_markers=False, merge\_tiepoints=False, merge\_assets=False[, chunks][, progress])

Merge specified set of chunks.

#### **Parameters**

- copy\_laser\_scans (bool) Copy laser scans.
- copy\_depth\_maps (bool) Copy depth maps.
- copy\_point\_clouds (bool) Copy point clouds.
- copy\_models (bool) Copy models.
- copy\_tiled\_models (bool) Copy tiled models.
- copy\_elevations (bool) Copy DEMs.
- copy\_orthomosaics (bool) Copy orthomosaics.
- merge\_markers (bool) Merge markers.
- merge\_tiepoints (bool) Merge tie points.
- merge\_assets (bool) Merge default assets.
- **chunks** (*list[int]*) List of chunks to process.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## meta

Document meta data.

# Type

Metashape.MetaData

#### modified

Modified flag.

### Type

bool

```
open(path, read_only=False, ignore_lock=False, archive=True)
```

Load document from the specified file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to the file.
- read\_only (bool) Open document in read-only mode.
- **ignore\_lock** (*bool*) Ignore lock state for project modifications.
- **archive** (*bool*) Override project format when using non-standard file extension.

# path

Path to the document file.

## **Type**

str

## read\_only

Read only status.

# Type

bool

#### remove(items)

Remove a set of items from the document.

#### **Parameters**

```
items (list[Metashape.Chunk]) - A list of items to be removed.
```

```
save([path][, chunks][, version], archive=True)
```

Save document to the specified file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Optional path to the file.
- chunks (list [Metashape.Chunk]) List of chunks to be saved.
- **version** (*str*) Project version to save.
- **archive** (*boo1*) Override project format when using non-standard file extension.

# class Metashape. Elevation

Digital elevation model.

# altitude(point)

Return elevation value at the specified point.

#### **Parameters**

**point** (Metashape. Vector) – Point coordinates in the elevation coordinate system.

#### Returns

Elevation value.

# **Return type**

float

# bottom

Y coordinate of the bottom side.

# Type

float

```
clear()
     Clears elevation model data.
copy()
     Create a copy of the elevation model.
         Returns
             Copy of the elevation model.
         Return type
             Metashape.Elevation
crs
     Coordinate system of elevation model.
         Type
             Metashape.CoordinateSystem
height
     Elevation model height.
         Type
             int
key
     Elevation model identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Elevation model label.
         Type
             str
left
     X coordinate of the left side.
         Type
             float
max
     Maximum elevation value.
         Type
             float
meta
     Elevation model meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
min
     Minimum elevation value.
         Type
```

float

```
modified
          Modified flag.
               Type
                   bool
     palette
          Color palette.
               Type
                   dict
     pickPoint(origin, target)
          Returns ray intersection with the DEM (point on the ray nearest to some point).
               Parameters
                   • origin (Metashape. Vector) – Ray origin in the DEM coordinate system.
                   • target (Metashape. Vector) – Point on the ray in the DEM coordinate system.
               Returns
                   Coordinates of the intersection point in the DEM coordinate system.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Vector
     projection
          Projection of elevation model.
                   Metashape.OrthoProjection
     resolution
          DEM resolution in meters.
               Type
                   float
     right
          X coordinate of the right side.
               Type
                   float
     top
          Y coordinate of the top side.
               Type
                   float
     width
          Elevation model width.
               Type
class Metashape.EulerAngles
     Euler angles in [EulerAnglesYPR, EulerAnglesOPK, EulerAnglesPOK, EulerAnglesANK]
class Metashape.FaceCount
```

Face count in [LowFaceCount, MediumFaceCount, HighFaceCount, CustomFaceCount]

```
class Metashape.FilterMode
     Depth filtering mode in [NoFiltering, MildFiltering, ModerateFiltering, AggressiveFiltering]
class Metashape.FrameStep
     Frame step size for video import in [CustomFrameStep, SmallFrameStep, MediumFrameStep, LargeFrameStep]
class Metashape.Geometry
     Geometry data.
     GeometryCollection(geometries)
          Create a GeometryCollection geometry.
              Parameters
                  geometries (list[Metashape.Geometry]) - Child geometries.
              Returns
                  A GeometryCollection geometry.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Geometry
     LineString(coordinates)
          Create a LineString geometry.
              Parameters
                  coordinates (list [Metashape.Vector]) – List of vertex coordinates.
              Returns
                  A LineString geometry.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Geometry
     MultiLineString(geometries)
          Create a MultiLineString geometry.
              Parameters
                  geometries (list[Metashape.Geometry]) - Child line strings.
              Returns
                  A point geometry.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Geometry
     MultiPoint(geometries)
          Create a MultiPoint geometry.
              Parameters
                  geometries (list[Metashape.Geometry]) - Child points.
              Returns
                  A point geometry.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Geometry
     MultiPolygon(geometries)
          Create a MultiPolygon geometry.
              Parameters
```

**geometries** (list[Metashape.Geometry]) - Child polygons.

```
Returns
             A point geometry.
         Return type
             Metashape.Geometry
Point(vector)
     Create a Point geometry.
         Parameters
             vector (Metashape.Vector | list[float]) - Point coordinates.
         Returns
             A point geometry.
         Return type
             Metashape.Geometry
Polygon(exterior_ring[, interior_rings])
     Create a Polygon geometry.
         Parameters
             • exterior_ring (list[Metashape.Vector]) - Point coordinates.
             • interior_rings (list[Metashape.Vector]) - Point coordinates.
         Returns
             A Polygon geometry.
         Return type
             Metashape.Geometry
class Type
     Geometry type in [PointType, LineStringType, PolygonType, MultiPointType, MultiLineStringType, Mul-
     tiPolygonType, GeometryCollectionType]
coordinates
     List of vertex coordinates.
         Type
             list[Metashape.Vector]
geometries
     List of child geometries.
         Type
             list[Metashape.Geometry]
is_3d
     Is 3D flag.
         Type
             bool
type
     Geometry type.
         Type
             Metashape.Geometry.Type
```

```
class Metashape. Image(width, height, channels, datatype='U8')
     n-channel image
           Parameters
                 • width (int) – image width
                 • height (int) – image height
                 • channels (str) – color channel layout, e.g. 'RGB', 'RGBA', etc.
                 • datatype (str) – pixel data type in ['U8', 'U16', 'U32', 'F16', 'F32', 'F64']
     channels
           Channel mapping for the image.
               Type
                   str
     cn
           Number of color channels.
               Type
                   int
     convert(channels[, datatype])
           Convert image to specified data type and channel layout.
               Parameters
                   • channels (str) – color channels to be loaded, e.g. 'RGB', 'RGBA', etc.
                   • datatype (str) – pixel data type in ['U8', 'U16', 'U32', 'F16', 'F32', 'F64']
               Returns
                   Converted image.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Image
     copy()
           Return a copy of the image.
               Returns
                   copy of the image
               Return type
                   Metashape.Image
     data_type
           Data type used to store pixel values.
               Type
     fromstring(data, width, height, channels, datatype='U8')
           Create image from byte array.
               Parameters
                   • data (str) – raw image data
                   • width (int) – image width
```

• height (int) - image height

- channels (str) color channel layout, e.g. 'RGB', 'RGBA', etc.
- **datatype** (*str*) pixel data type in ['U8', 'U16', 'U32', 'F16', 'F32', 'F64']

#### Returns

Created image.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Image

## gaussianBlur(radius)

Smooth image with a gaussian filter.

#### **Parameters**

**radius** (*float*) – smoothing radius.

### Returns

Smoothed image.

# Return type

Metashape.Image

# height

Image height.

## **Type**

int

**open**(
$$path$$
,  $layer=0$ ,  $datatype='U8'$ [,  $channels$ ][,  $x$ ][,  $y$ ][,  $w$ ][,  $h$ ])

Load image from file.

#### **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) path to the image file
- layer (int) image layer in case of multipage file
- **datatype** (*str*) pixel data type in ['U8', 'U16', 'U32', 'F16', 'F32', 'F64']
- channels (str) color channels to be loaded, e.g. 'RGB', 'RGBA', etc.
- **x** (*int*) x offset of image region.
- y (int) y offset of image region.
- w (int) width of image region.
- **h** (*int*) height of image region.

#### **Returns**

Loaded image.

# Return type

Metashape.Image

resize(width, height)

Resize image to specified dimensions.

#### **Parameters**

- width (int) new image width
- **height** (*int*) new image height

#### Returns

resized image

## Return type

Metashape.Image

# save(path | , compression |)

Save image to the file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) path to the image file
- **compression** (Metashape.ImageCompression) compression options

#### tostring()

Convert image to byte array.

#### **Returns**

Raw image data.

# Return type

str

undistort(calib, center\_principal\_point=True, square\_pixels=True)

Undistort image using provided calibration.

#### **Parameters**

- calib (Metashape.Calibration) lens calibration
- center\_principal\_point (bool) moves principal point to the image center
- **square\_pixels** (bool) create image with square pixels

#### **Returns**

undistorted image

# Return type

Metashape.Image

## uniformNoise(amplitude)

Add uniform noise with specified amplitude.

# **Parameters**

amplitude (float) - noise amplitude.

#### Returns

Image with added noise.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Image

warp(calib0, trans0, calib1, trans1)

Warp image by rotating virtual viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- calib0 (Metashape.Calibration) initial calibration
- trans0 (Metashape.Matrix) initial camera orientation as 4x4 matrix
- calib1 (Metashape.Calibration) final calibration
- trans1 (Metashape.Matrix) final camera orientation as 4x4 matrix

#### Returns

warped image

# Return type

Metashape.Image

#### width

Image width.

Type

int

#### class Metashape. ImageCompression

Image compression parameters

# class TiffCompression

Tiff compression in [TiffCompressionNone, TiffCompressionLZW, TiffCompressionJPEG, TiffCompressionPeckbits, TiffCompressionDeflate]

## copy()

Return a copy of the object.

#### Returns

A copy of the object.

# Return type

Metashape.Viewpoint

# jpeg\_quality

JPEG quality.

Type

int

# tiff\_big

Enable BigTIFF compression for TIFF files.

**Type** 

bool

## tiff\_compression

Tiff compression.

Type

int

## tiff\_overviews

Enable image pyramid deneration for TIFF files.

**Type** 

bool

# tiff\_tiled

Export tiled TIFF.

**Type** 

bool

# class Metashape.ImageFormat

Image format in [ImageFormatNone, ImageFormatJPEG, ImageFormatTIFF, ImageFormatPNG, ImageFormatBMP, ImageFormatEXR, ImageFormatPNM, ImageFormatSGI, ImageFormatCR2, ImageFormatBZ2, ImageFormatSEQ, ImageFormatBIL, ImageFormatASCII, ImageFormatXYZ, ImageFormatARA, ImageFormatTGA, ImageFormatDDS, ImageFormatJP2, ImageFormatWebP, ImageFormatJXL, ImageFormatKTX]

## class Metashape.ImageLayout

Image layout in [UndefinedLayout, FlatLayout, MultiframeLayout, MultiplaneLayout]

# class Metashape. Interpolation

Interpolation mode in [DisabledInterpolation, EnabledInterpolation, Extrapolated]

#### class Metashape.License

License information.

#### activate(license key)

Activate software online using a license key.

#### **Parameters**

**key** (str) – Activation key.

#### activateOffline(activation\_params)

Create a request for offline activation.

#### **Parameters**

**activation\_params** (*str*) – The content of .actparam file.

#### **Returns**

The activation request which should be saved to .actreq file.

### **Return type**

str

# borrowLicense(seconds)

Borrow floating license for the specified number of seconds.

#### **Parameters**

**seconds** (*int*) – Borrow duration in seconds.

### deactivate()

Deactivate software online.

## deactivateOffline()

Create a request for offline deactivation.

# Returns

The deactivation request which should be saved to .actreq file.

# Return type

str

#### expiration

License expiration as a Unix timestamp in seconds.

## **Type**

int

# install(activation\_response)

Install license from the activation response.

#### **Parameters**

 $activation\_response (str)$  – The content of .actresp file.

# returnLicense()

Return borrowed license to the license server.

```
valid
          Metashape activation status.
              Type
                  bool
class Metashape.MappingMode
     UV mapping mode in [GenericMapping, OrthophotoMapping, AdaptiveOrthophotoMapping, SphericalMap-
     ping, CameraMapping]
class Metashape.Marker
     Marker instance
     class Projection
          Marker data().
          coord
              Point coordinates in pixels.
                  Type
                    Metashape.Vector
          pinned
              Pinned flag.
                  Type
                    bool
          valid
              Valid flag.
                  Type
                    bool
     class Projections
          Collection of projections specified for the marker
          items()
              List of items.
          keys()
              List of item keys.
          values()
              List of item values.
     class Reference
          Marker reference data.
          accuracy
              Marker location accuracy.
                  Type
                    Metashape.Vector
          enabled
              Enabled flag.
                  Type
                    bool
```

```
Marker coordinates.
             Type
               Metashape.Vector
class Type
     Marker type in [Regular, Vertex, Fiducial]
chunk
     Chunk the marker belongs to.
         Type
             Metashape.Chunk
enabled
     Enables/disables the marker.
         Type
             bool
frames
     Marker frames.
         Type
             list[Metashape.Marker]
group
     Marker group.
         Type
             Metashape.MarkerGroup
key
     Marker identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Marker label.
         Type
             str
meta
     Marker meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
position
     Marker position in the current frame.
         Type
             Metashape.Vector
position_covariance
     Marker position covariance.
         Type
             Metashape.Matrix
```

location

# projections

List of marker projections.

# Type

Metashape.Marker.Projections

## reference

Marker reference data.

## **Type**

Metashape.Marker.Reference

## selected

Selects/deselects the marker.

**Type** 

bool

#### sensor

Fiducial mark sensor.

**Type** 

Metashape.Sensor

# type

Marker type.

Type

Metashape.Marker.Type

# class Metashape.MarkerGroup

MarkerGroup objects define groups of multiple markers. The grouping is established by assignment of a MarkerGroup instance to the Marker.group attribute of participating markers.

## label

Marker group label.

Type

str

### selected

Current selection state.

Type

bool

# class Metashape.Mask

Mask instance

# copy()

Returns a copy of the mask.

Returns

Copy of the mask.

# Return type

Metashape.Mask

# image()

Returns image data.

#### **Returns**

Image data.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Image

## invert()

Create inverted copy of the mask.

#### **Returns**

Inverted copy of the mask.

## Return type

Metashape.Mask

# load(path[, layer])

Loads mask from file.

## **Parameters**

- **path** (*str*) Path to the image file to be loaded.
- layer (int) Optional layer index in case of multipage files.

# setImage(image)

#### **Parameters**

image (Metashape.Image) - Image object with mask data.

# class Metashape.MaskOperation

Mask operation in [MaskOperationReplacement, MaskOperationUnion, MaskOperationIntersection, MaskOperationDifference]

# class Metashape.MaskingMode

Masking mode in [MaskingModeAlpha, MaskingModeFile, MaskingModeBackground, MaskingModeModel]

## class Metashape.Masks

A set of masks for a chunk frame.

# items()

List of items.

# keys()

List of item keys.

### meta

Thumbnails meta data.

#### Type

Metashape.MetaData

#### modified

Modified flag.

## **Type**

bool

# values()

List of item values.

## class Metashape.Matrix

m-by-n matrix

## Diag(vector)

Create a diagonal matrix.

#### **Parameters**

vector (Metashape.Vector | list[float]) - The vector of diagonal entries.

#### **Returns**

A diagonal matrix.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Matrix

## Rotation(matrix)

Create a rotation matrix.

#### **Parameters**

**matrix** (Metashape.Matrix) – The 3x3 rotation matrix.

## Returns

4x4 matrix representing rotation.

# Return type

Metashape.Matrix

## Scale(scale)

Create a scale matrix.

# **Parameters**

```
scale (Metashape.Vector) - The scale vector.
```

#### Returns

A matrix representing scale.

# Return type

Metashape.Matrix

# Translation(vector)

Create a translation matrix.

### **Parameters**

**vector** (Metashape. Vector) – The translation vector.

#### **Returns**

A matrix representing translation.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Matrix

# col(index)

Returns column of the matrix.

### Returns

matrix column.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Vector

# copy()

Returns a copy of this matrix.

# Returns

an instance of itself

## **Return type**

Metashape.Matrix

# det()

Return the determinant of a matrix.

#### Returns

Return a the determinant of a matrix.

# Return type

float

# inv()

Returns an inverted copy of the matrix.

#### Returns

inverted matrix.

# Return type

Metashape.Matrix

# mulp(point)

Transforms a point in homogeneous coordinates.

# **Parameters**

point (Metashape.Vector) - The point to be transformed.

## Returns

transformed point.

# Return type

Metashape.Vector

# mulv(vector)

Transforms vector in homogeneous coordinates.

#### Parameters

**vector** (Metashape.Vector) – The vector to be transformed.

#### **Returns**

transformed vector.

# **Return type**

Metashape.Vector

```
rotation()
     Returns rotation component of the 4x4 matrix.
         Returns
             rotation component
         Return type
             Metashape.Matrix
row(index)
     Returns row of the matrix.
         Returns
             matrix row.
         Return type
             Metashape. Vector
scale()
     Returns scale component of the 4x4 matrix.
         Returns
             scale component
         Return type
             float
size
     Matrix dimensions.
         Type
             tuple
svd()
     Returns singular value decomposition of the matrix.
         Returns
             u, s, v \text{ tuple where } a = u * \text{diag}(s) * v
         Return type
             tuple[Metashape.Matrix, Metashape.Vector, Metashape.Matrix]
t()
     Return a new, transposed matrix.
         Returns
             a transposed matrix
         Return type
             Metashape.Matrix
translation()
     Returns translation component of the 4x4 matrix.
         Returns
             translation component
         Return type
             Metashape.Vector
zero()
```

Set all matrix elements to zero.

```
class Metashape.MetaData(object)
     Collection of object properties
      copy()
           Return a copy of the object.
               Returns
                   A copy of the object.
               Return type
                   Metashape.MetaData
      items()
           List of items.
     keys()
           List of item keys.
     values()
           List of item values.
class Metashape.Model
      Triangular mesh model instance
      class Face
           Triangular face of the model
          hidden
               Face visibility flag.
                   Type
                     bool
           selected
               Face selection flag.
                   Type
                     bool
           tex_index
               Texture page index.
                   Type
                     int
           tex_vertices
               Texture vertex indices.
                   Type
                     tuple[int, int, int]
           vertices
               Vertex indices.
                   Type
                     tuple[int, int, int]
      class Faces
           Collection of model faces
           resize(count)
               Resize faces list.
```

**Parameters** 

```
count (int) - new face count
class Statistics
    Model statistics
    components
         Number of connected components.
             Type
               int
    degenerate_faces
         Number of degenerate faces.
             Type
               int
    duplicate_faces
         Number of duplicate faces.
             Type
               int
     faces
         Total number of faces.
             Type
               int
    flipped_normals
         Number of edges with flipped normals.
             Type
               int
     free_vertices
         Number of free vertices.
             Type
               int
    invalid_vertices
         Number of vertices with NaN coordinates.
             Type
               int
    multiple_edges
         Number of edges connecting more than 2 faces.
             Type
               int
    open_edges
         Number of open edges.
             Type
               int
    out_of_range_indices
         Number of out of range indices.
             Type
               int
```

```
similar_vertices
         Number of similar vertices.
             Type
               int
     vertices
         Total number of vertices.
             Type
               int
     zero_faces
         Number of zero faces.
             Type
               int
class TexVertex
     Texture vertex of the model
     coord
         2D vertex coordinates.
             Type
               Metashape.Vector
class TexVertices
     Collection of model texture vertices
     resize(count)
         Resize vertex list.
             Parameters
               count (int) - new vertex count
class Texture
     Model texture.
     image(page=0)
         Return texture image.
             Parameters
               page (int) – Texture index for multitextured models.
             Returns
               Texture image.
             Return type
               Metashape.Image
     label
         Animation label.
             Type
               str
     meta
         Camera track meta data.
               Metashape.MetaData
     model
         Model the texture belongs to.
               Metashape.Model
```

```
setImage(image, page=0)
         Initialize texture from image data.
             Parameters
               • image (Metashape.Image) - Texture image.
               • page (int) – Texture index for multitextured models.
     type
         Texture type.
             Type
               Metashape.Model.TextureType
class TextureType
     Texture type in [DiffuseMap, NormalMap, OcclusionMap, DisplacementMap]
class Vertex
     Vertex of the model
     color
         Vertex color.
             Type
               tuple of numbers
     confidence
         Vertex confidence.
             Type
               float
     coord
         Vertex coordinates.
             Type
               Metashape. Vector
class Vertices
     Collection of model vertices
     resize(count)
         Resize vertex list.
             Parameters
               count (int) - new vertex count
addTexture(type=Model.DiffuseMap)
     Add new texture to the model.
         Parameters
             type (Metashape.Model.TextureType) – Texture type.
         Returns
             Created texture.
         Return type
             Metashape.Model.Texture
area()
     Return area of the model surface.
         Returns
             Model area.
```

```
Return type
             float
bands
     List of color bands.
         Type
             list[str]
clear()
     Clears model data.
closeHoles(level=30, apply_to_selection=False)
     Fill holes in the model surface.
         Parameters
             • level (int) – Hole size threshold in percents.
             • apply_to_selection (bool) - Close holes within selection
copy()
     Create a copy of the model.
         Returns
             Copy of the model.
         Return type
             Metashape.Model
cropSelection()
     Crop selected faces and free vertices from the mesh.
crs
     Reference coordinate system.
         Type
             Metashape.CoordinateSystem | None
data_type
     Data type used to store color values.
         Type
             Metashape.DataType
faces
     Collection of model faces.
         Type
             Metashape.Model.Faces
fixTopology()
     Remove polygons causing topological problems.
getActiveTexture(type=Model.DiffuseMap)
     Return active texture.
             type (Metashape.Model.TextureType) – Texture type.
         Returns
```

Texture image.

```
Return type
             Metashape.Image
group
     Model group.
         Type
             Metashape.ModelGroup
key
     Model identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Model label.
         Type
             str
loadTexture(path)
     Load texture from the specified file.
         Parameters
             path (str) – Path to the image file.
meta
     Model meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
modified
     Modified flag.
         Type
             bool
pickPoint(origin, target, endpoints=1)
     Return ray intersection with mesh.
         Parameters
              • origin (Metashape. Vector) - Ray origin.
              • target (Metashape. Vector) - Point on the ray.
              • endpoints (int) – Number of endpoints to check for (0 - line, 1 - ray, 2 - segment).
         Returns
             Coordinates of the intersection point.
         Return type
             Metashape.Vector
remove(items)
     Remove textures from the model.
         Parameters
             items (list [Metashape.Model.Texture]) – A list of textures to be removed.
```

### removeComponents(size)

Remove small connected components.

### **Parameters**

**size** (*int*) – Threshold on the polygon count of the components to be removed.

#### removeSelection()

Remove selected faces and free vertices from the mesh.

#### removeTextures()

Remove textures.

#### removeUV()

Remove UV mapping.

#### removeVertexColors()

Remove vertex colors.

#### removeVertexConfidence()

Remove confidence.

renderDepth(transform, calibration, cull\_faces=True, add\_alpha=True)

Render model depth image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

## Returns

Rendered image.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Image

 $\textbf{renderImage}(\textit{transform}, \textit{calibration}, \textit{cull\_faces} = \textit{True}, \textit{add\_alpha} = \textit{True},$ 

raster\_transform=RasterTransformNone)

Render model image for specified viewpoint.

## **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.

# Returns

Rendered image.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Image

```
renderMask(transform, calibration, cull_faces=True)
```

Render model mask image for specified viewpoint.

### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

# Return type

Metashape.Image

**renderNormalMap**(transform, calibration, cull\_faces=True, add\_alpha=True)

Render image with model normals for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

renderPreview(width = 2048, height = 2048[, transform][, progress])

Generate model preview image.

#### **Parameters**

- width (int) Preview image width.
- **height** (*int*) Preview image height.
- **transform** (Metashape.Matrix) 4x4 viewpoint transformation matrix.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### Returns

Preview image.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Image

# saveTexture(path)

Save texture to the specified file.

#### **Parameters**

**path** (*str*) – Path to the image file.

# setActiveTexture(texture, type=Model.DiffuseMap)

Set active texture.

#### **Parameters**

```
    texture (Metashape.Model.Texture) – Texture to set.
    type (Metashape.Model.TextureType) – Texture type.
```

# statistics([progress])

Return model statistics.

#### **Parameters**

progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.

#### Returns

Model statistics.

## Return type

Metashape.Model.Statistics

#### tex\_vertices

Collection of model texture vertices.

## **Type**

Metashape.Model.TexVertices

#### textures

List of model textures.

### **Type**

list[Metashape.Model.Texture]

#### transform

4x4 model transformation matrix.

# **Type**

Metashape.Matrix

# transformVertices(transform)

Transform vertex coordinates.

#### **Parameters**

**transform** (Metashape.Matrix) – 4x4 transformation matrix.

# vertices

Collection of model vertices.

# **Type**

Metashape.Model.Vertices

#### volume()

Return volume of the closed model surface.

## Returns

Model volume.

# Return type

float

## class Metashape.ModelFormat

Model format in [ModelFormatNone, ModelFormatOBJ, ModelFormat3DS, ModelFormatVRML, ModelFormatPLY, ModelFormatCOLLADA, ModelFormatU3D, ModelFormatPDF, ModelFormatDXF, ModelFormatFBX, ModelFormatKMZ, ModelFormatCTM, ModelFormatSTL, ModelFormatDXF\_3DF, ModelFormatTLS, ModelFormatABC, ModelFormatOSGB, ModelFormatOSGT, ModelFormatGLTF, ModelFormatX3D, ModelFormatLandXML]

## class Metashape. ModelGroup

ModelGroup objects define groups of multiple models. The grouping is established by assignment of a Model-Group instance to the Model.group attribute of participating models.

#### key

Model group identifier.

Type int

#### label

Model group label.

**Type** str

#### meta

Model group meta data.

# Type

Metashape.MetaData

#### selected

Current selection state.

Type bool

# class Metashape.NetworkClient

NetworkClient class provides access to the network processing server and allows to create and manage tasks.

The following example connects to the server and lists active tasks:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> client = Metashape.NetworkClient()
>>> client.connect('127.0.0.1')
>>> client.batchList()
```

# abortBatch(batch\_id)

Abort batch.

### **Parameters**

batch\_id (int) - Batch id.

## abortWorker(worker id)

Abort worker.

## **Parameters**

worker\_id (int) - Worker id.

# batchInfo(batch\_id, revision=0)

Get batch information.

#### **Parameters**

- batch\_id (int) Batch id.
- **revision** (*int*) First revision to get.

#### Returns

Batch information.

```
Return type
             dict
batchList(revision=0)
     Get list of batches.
         Parameters
             revision (int) – First revision to get.
         Returns
             List of batches.
         Return type
             dict
connect(host, port=5840)
     Connect to the server.
         Parameters
              • host (str) – Server hostname.
              • port (int) – Communication port.
createBatch(path, tasks[, meta])
     Create new batch.
         Parameters
              • path (str) – Project path relative to root folder.
              • tasks (list[Metashape.NetworkTask]) - List of processing tasks to execute.
              • meta (Metashape.MetaData) - Batch metadata.
         Returns
             Batch id.
         Return type
             int
disconnect()
     Disconnect from the server.
exportBatches([batch_ids])
     Export current state of batches.
         Parameters
             batch_ids (list[int]) – List of batch ids to export.
         Returns
             Batches data.
         Return type
             str
findBatch(path)
     Get batch id based on project path.
             path (str) – Project path relative to root folder.
         Returns
             Batch id.
```

## Return type

int

## importBatches(data)

Import batches from exported data.

#### **Parameters**

data (str) – Batches data.

# quitWorker(worker\_id)

Quit worker.

## **Parameters**

worker\_id (int) - Worker id.

## serverInfo(revision=0)

Get server information.

#### **Parameters**

**revision** (*int*) – First revision to get.

#### Returns

Server information.

#### Return type

dict

## serverVersion()

Get server version.

#### Returns

Server version.

# Return type

dict

# setBatchPaused(batch\_id, paused=True)

Set batch paused state.

## **Parameters**

- batch\_id (int) Batch id.
- paused (boo1) Paused state.

# setBatchPriority(batch\_id, priority)

Set batch priority.

# **Parameters**

- batch\_id (int) Batch id.
- **priority** (*int*) Batch priority (2 Highest, 1 High, 0 Normal, -1 Low, -2 Lowest).

## setBatchWorkerLimit(batch\_id, worker\_limit)

Set worker limit of the batch.

# **Parameters**

- batch\_id (int) Batch id.
- worker\_limit (int) Worker limit of the batch (0 unlimited).

## setMasterServer([host])

Set or reset master server.

#### **Parameters**

**host** (*str*) – Master server hostname.

## setWorkerCapability(worker\_id, capability)

Set worker capability.

#### **Parameters**

- worker\_id (int) Worker id.
- capability (int) Worker capability (1 CPU, 2 GPU, 3 Any).

## setWorkerCpuEnabled(worker\_id, cpu\_enabled)

Set worker CPU enabled flag.

#### **Parameters**

- worker\_id (int) Worker id.
- cpu\_enabled (boo1) CPU enabled flag.

## setWorkerGpuMask(worker\_id, gpu\_mask)

Set worker GPU mask.

#### **Parameters**

- worker\_id (int) Worker id.
- **gpu\_mask** (int) GPU device mask.

## setWorkerPaused(worker\_id, paused=True)

Set worker paused state.

#### **Parameters**

- worker\_id (int) Worker id.
- paused (bool) Paused state.

## setWorkerPriority(worker\_id, priority)

Set worker priority.

#### **Parameters**

- worker\_id (int) Worker id.
- **priority** (*int*) Worker priority (2 Highest, 1 High, 0 Normal, -1 Low, -2 Lowest).

## workerInfo(worker\_id, revision=0)

Get worker information.

#### **Parameters**

- worker\_id (int) Worker id.
- **revision** (*int*) First revision to get.

## Returns

Worker information.

## Return type

dict

```
workerList(revision=0)
    Get list of workers.
    Parameters
        revision (int) - First revision to get.
    Returns
        List of workers.
    Return type
        dict
class Metashape.NetworkTask
```

NetworkTask class contains information about network task and its parameters.

The following example creates a new processing task and submits it to the server:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> task = Metashape.NetworkTask()
>>> task.name = 'MatchPhotos'
>>> task.params['keypoint_limit'] = 40000
>>> client = Metashape.NetworkClient()
>>> client.connect('127.0.0.1')
>>> batch_id = client.createBatch('processing/project.psx', [task])
>>> client.setBatchPaused(batch_id, false)
```

## chunks

List of chunks.

**Type** list

## encode()

Create a dictionary with task parameters.

#### frames

List of frames.

Type list

## gpu\_support

GPU support flag.

Type

bool

#### name

Task name.

Type

str

## params

Task parameters.

**Type** 

dict

# class Metashape.OrthoProjection Orthographic projection. class Type

Projection type in [Planar, Cylindrical]

copy()

Return a copy of the object.

Returns

A copy of the object.

Return type

Metashape.OrthoProjection

crs

Base coordinate system.

**Type** 

Metashape.CoordinateSystem

matrix

Ortho transformation matrix.

Type

Metashape.Matrix

radius

Cylindrical projection radius.

**Type** 

float

transform(point, source, target)

Transform point coordinates between coordinate systems.

#### **Parameters**

- point (Metashape. Vector) 2D or 3D point coordinates.
- **source** (Metashape.OrthoProjection / Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Source coordinate system.
- target (Metashape.OrthoProjection / Metashape.CoordinateSystem) Target coordinate system.

## Returns

Transformed point coordinates.

Return type

Metashape.Vector

type

Projection type.

Type

Metashape. Ortho Projection. Type

#### class Metashape.Orthomosaic

Orthomosaic data.

The following sample assigns to the first shape in the chunk the image from the first camera for the orthomosaic patch and updates the mosaic:

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> chunk = Metashape.app.document.chunk
>>> ortho = chunk.orthomosaic
>>> camera = chunk.cameras[0]
>>> shape = chunk.shapes[0]
>>> patch = Metashape.Orthomosaic.Patch()
>>> patch.image_keys = [camera.key]
>>> ortho.patches[shape] = patch
>>> ortho.update()
class Patch
    Orthomosaic patch.
    copy()
         Returns a copy of the patch.
            Returns
              Copy of the patch.
            Return type
              Metashape.Orthomosaic.Patch
     excluded
        Excluded flag.
            Type
              bool
    image_keys
        Image keys.
            Type
              list[int]
class Patches
    A set of orthomosaic patches.
    items()
        List of items.
    keys()
        List of item keys.
    values()
        List of item values.
bands
    List of color bands.
         Type
            list[str]
bottom
     Y coordinate of the bottom side.
         Type
            float
clear()
    Clears orthomosaic data.
```

```
copy()
     Create a copy of the orthomosaic.
         Returns
             Copy of the orthomosaic.
         Return type
             Metashape.Orthomosaic
crs
     Coordinate system of orthomosaic.
         Type
             Metashape.CoordinateSystem
data_type
     Data type used to store color values.
             Metashape.DataType
height
     Orthomosaic height.
         Type
             int
key
     Orthomosaic identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Orthomosaic label.
         Type
             str
left
     X coordinate of the left side.
         Type
             float
meta
     Orthomosaic meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
modified
     Modified flag.
         Type
             bool
patches
     Orthomosaic patches.
```

Metashape.Orthomosaic.Patches

```
projection
     Orthomosaic projection.
         Type
             Metashape.OrthoProjection
removeOrthophotos()
     Remove orthorectified images from orthomosaic.
renderPreview(width = 2048, height = 2048[, progress])
     Generate orthomosaic preview image.
         Parameters
             • width (int) – Preview image width.
             • height (int) – Preview image height.
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
         Returns
             Preview image.
         Return type
             Metashape.Image
reset([progress])
     Reset all edits to orthomosaic.
         Parameters
             progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
resolution
     Orthomosaic resolution in meters.
         Type
             float
right
     X coordinate of the right side.
         Type
             float
top
     Y coordinate of the top side.
         Type
             float
update([progress])
     Apply edits to orthomosaic.
         Parameters
             progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
width
     Orthomosaic width.
         Type
             int
```

```
class Metashape.Photo
     Photo instance
     alpha()
          Returns alpha channel data.
               Returns
                   Alpha channel data.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Image
     copy()
           Returns a copy of the photo.
               Returns
                   Copy of the photo.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Photo
     image([channels][, datatype])
          Returns image data.
               Parameters
                   • datatype (str) – pixel data type in ['U8', 'U16', 'U32', 'F16', 'F32', 'F64']
                   • channels (str) – color channels to be loaded, e.g. 'RGB', 'RGBA', etc.
               Returns
                   Image data.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Image
     imageMeta()
          Returns image meta data.
               Returns
                   Image meta data.
               Return type
                   Metashape.MetaData
     layer
          Layer index in the image file.
               Type
                   int
     meta
          Frame meta data.
               Type
                   Metashape.MetaData
     open(path, layer=0)
          Loads specified image file.
               Parameters
```

• **path** (*str*) – Path to the image file to be loaded.

• layer (int) – Layer index in case of multipage files.

#### path

Path to the image file.

## **Type**

str

## thumbnail(width=192, height=192)

Creates new thumbnail with specified dimensions.

#### Returns

Thumbnail data.

## Return type

Metashape.Thumbnail

## class Metashape.PointClass

Point class in [Created, Unclassified, Ground, LowVegetation, MediumVegetation, HighVegetation, Building, LowPoint, ModelKeyPoint, Water, Rail, RoadSurface, OverlapPoints, WireGuard, WireConductor, TransmissionTower, WireConnector, BridgeDeck, HighNoise, Car, Manmade]

#### class Metashape.PointCloud

Point cloud data.

```
assignClass(target=0[, source][, progress])
```

Assign class to points.

#### **Parameters**

- target (Metashape.PointClass) Target class.
- **source** (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) Classes of points to be replaced.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

```
{\tt assignClassToSelection}(\textit{target} = 0 [, \textit{source}] [, \textit{progress}])
```

Assign class to selected points.

## **Parameters**

- target (Metashape.PointClass) Target class.
- **source** (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) Classes of points to be replaced.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### bands

List of color bands.

## Type

list[str]

classifyGroundPoints(max\_angle=10.0, max\_distance=1.0, max\_terrain\_slope=10.0, cell\_size=50.0, erosion\_radius=0.0[, source\_class][, return\_number], keep\_existing=False[, progress])

Classify points into ground and non ground classes.

#### **Parameters**

• max\_angle (float) – Maximum angle (degrees).

```
• max_distance (float) - Maximum distance (meters).
             • max_terrain_slope (float) – Maximum terrain slope angle (degrees).
             • cell_size (float) – Cell size (meters).
             • erosion_radius (float) – Erosion radius (meters).
             • source_class (Metashape.PointClass) - Class of points to be re-classified.
             • return_number (int) - Point return number to use (0 - any return, 1 - first return, -1 -
               last return).
             • keep_existing (boo1) – Keep existing ground points.
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
classifyPoints([source][, target], confidence=0.0[, progress])
     Multiclass classification of points.
         Parameters
             • source (Metashape.PointClass) – Class of points to be re-classified.
             • target (list[Metashape.PointClass]) – Target point classes for classification.
             • confidence (float) – Required confidence level from 0.0 to 1.0.
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
clear()
    Clears point cloud data.
compactPoints([progress])
     Permanently removes deleted points from point cloud.
         Parameters
             progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
component
     Point cloud component.
         Type
             Metashape.Component
copy()
     Create a copy of the point cloud.
         Returns
             Copy of the point cloud.
         Return type
             Metashape.PointCloud
cropSelectedPoints([point_classes][, progress])
     Crop selected points.
         Parameters
             • point_classes (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) -
               Classes of points to be removed.
             • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

```
crs
     Reference coordinate system.
         Type
             Metashape.CoordinateSystem | None
data_type
     Data type used to store color values.
         Type
             Metashape.DataType
enabled
     Enables/disables the point cloud.
         Type
             bool
group
     Point cloud group.
         Type
             Metashape.PointCloudGroup
is_laser_scan
     Use point cloud as laser scan.
         Type
             bool
key
     Point cloud identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Point cloud label.
         Type
             str
meta
     Point cloud meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
modified
     Modified flag.
         Type
             bool
pickPoint(origin, target, endpoints=1)
     Returns ray intersection with the point cloud (point on the ray nearest to some point).
         Parameters
              • origin (Metashape. Vector) - Ray origin.
              • target (Metashape. Vector) - Point on the ray.
```

• **endpoints** (*int*) – Number of endpoints to check for (0 - line, 1 - ray, 2 - segment).

#### Returns

Coordinates of the intersection point.

## Return type

Metashape.Vector

## point\_count

Number of points in point cloud.

## Type

int

removePoints(point\_classes[, progress])

Remove points.

#### **Parameters**

- point\_classes (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) Classes of points to be removed.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# removeSelectedPoints([point\_classes][, progress])

Remove selected points.

#### **Parameters**

- point\_classes (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) Classes of points to be removed.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

**renderDepth**(*transform*, *calibration*, *point\_size=1*, *resolution=1*, *cull\_points=False*, *add\_alpha=True*)

Render point cloud depth image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **point\_size** (*int*) Point size.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

**renderImage**(transform, calibration, point\_size=1, resolution=1, cull\_points=False, add\_alpha=True, raster\_transform=RasterTransformNone)

Render point cloud image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.

- **point\_size** (*int*) Point size.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Image

**renderMask**(transform, calibration, point\_size=1, resolution=1, cull\_points=False)

Render point cloud mask image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Image

**renderNormalMap**(*transform*, *calibration*, *point\_size=1*, *resolution=1*, *cull\_points=False*, *add\_alpha=True*)

Render image with point cloud normals for specified viewpoint.

## **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

#### Return type

Metashape.Image

 $renderPreview(width = 2048, height = 2048[, transform], point\_size=1[, progress])$ 

Generate point cloud preview image.

#### **Parameters**

• width (int) – Preview image width.

- **height** (*int*) Preview image height.
- **transform** (Metashape.Matrix) 4x4 viewpoint transformation matrix.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### Returns

Preview image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

#### resetFilters()

Reset filters.

```
restorePoints([point_classes][, progress])
```

Restore deleted points.

#### **Parameters**

- point\_classes (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) Classes of points to be restored.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# selectMaskedPoints(cameras, softness=4[, progress])

Select points based on image masks.

#### **Parameters**

- cameras (list[Metashape.Camera]) A list of cameras to use for selection.
- **softness** (*float*) Mask edge softness.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## selectPointsByColor(color, tolerance=10, channels='RGB'[, progress])

Select points based on point colors.

## **Parameters**

- color (list[int]) Color to select.
- **tolerance** (*int*) Color tolerance.
- **channels** (*str*) Combination of color channels to compare in ['R', 'G', 'B', 'H', 'S', 'V'].
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

# selectPointsByShapes([shapes][, progress])

Select points based on shapes.

#### **Parameters**

- **shapes** (*list* [Metashape.Shape]) A list of shapes to use for selection (selected shapes if not specified).
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## selected

Selects/deselects the point cloud.

```
Type
             bool
setClassesFilter(point classes)
     Set filter by point classes.
         Parameters
             point_classes (Metashape.PointClass / list[Metashape.PointClass]) - List of
             point classes.
setConfidenceFilter(min confidence, max confidence)
     Set filter by confidence.
         Parameters
             • min_confidence (int) – Minimum confidence value.
             • max_confidence (int) - Maximum confidence value.
setSelectionFilter()
     Set filter by selection.
transform
     4x4 point cloud transformation matrix.
             Metashape.Matrix
updateStatistics([progress])
     Updates point cloud statistics.
         Parameters
             \label{progress} \textbf{(Callable[[float], None])} - Progress \ callback.
```

## class Metashape.PointCloudFormat

Point cloud format in [PointCloudFormatNone, PointCloudFormatOBJ, PointCloudFormatPLY, PointCloudFormatLAS, PointCloudFormatExpe, PointCloudFormatU3D, PointCloudFormatPDF, PointCloudFormatE57, PointCloudFormatOC3, PointCloudFormatPotree, PointCloudFormatLAZ, PointCloudFormatCloudFormatPTS, PointCloudFormatPTX, PointCloudFormatDXF, PointCloudFormatCloudFormatCloudFormatPCD, PointCloudFormatSLPK, PointCloudFormatCOPC]

#### class Metashape.PointCloudGroup

PointCloudGroup objects define groups of multiple laser scans. The grouping is established by assignment of a PointCloudGroup instance to the PointCloud.group attribute of participating laser scans.

crs

Reference coordinate system.

## **Type**

Metashape.CoordinateSystem | None

#### fixed

Fix relative laser scan positions within the group.

Type bool

key

Asset group identifier.

```
Type
                   int
     label
           Point cloud group label.
               Type
                   str
     meta
           Asset group meta data.
               Type
                   Metashape.MetaData
     selected
           Current selection state.
               Type
                   bool
     transform
           4x4 asset group transformation matrix.
               Type
                   Metashape.Matrix
class Metashape.Preselection
     Image pair preselection in [NoPreselection, GenericPreselection, ReferencePreselection]
class Metashape.RPCModel
     Rational polynomial model.
     copy()
           Return a copy of the object.
               Returns
                   A copy of the object.
               Return type
                   Metashape.RPCModel
     error(point, proj)
           Returns projection error.
               Parameters
                   • point (Metashape.Vector) – Coordinates of the point to be projected.
                   • proj (Metashape. Vector) – Pixel coordinates of the point.
               Returns
                   2D projection error.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Vector
     image_offset
           Image coordinate offset.
               Type
                   Metashape.Vector
```

## image\_scale

Image coordinate scale.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

## line\_den\_coeff

Line denominator.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

## line\_num\_coeff

Line numerator.

## Type

Metashape.Vector

## load(path[, format])

Load RPC model from file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to RPC model file.
- **format** (*str*) RPC model file format in ['rpc', 'rpb', 'dimap']. Tiled DIMAP files are not supported.

## object\_offset

Object coordinate offset.

## Type

Metashape.Vector

## object\_scale

Object coordinate scale.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

## project(point)

Returns projected pixel coordinates of the point.

#### **Parameters**

point (Metashape.Vector) - Coordinates of the point to be projected.

## Returns

2D projected point coordinates.

## Return type

Metashape.Vector

## samp\_den\_coeff

Sample denominator.

## Type

Metashape.Vector

#### samp\_num\_coeff

Sample numerator.

#### Type

Metashape.Vector

# save(path[, format])

Save RPC model to file.

#### **Parameters**

- path (str) Path to RPC model file.
- **format** (*str*) RPC model file format in ['rpc', 'rpb'].

## unproject(point)

Returns direction corresponding to the image point.

#### **Parameters**

point (Metashape.Vector) - Pixel coordinates of the point.

#### **Returns**

3D vector in the camera coordinate system.

## Return type

Metashape.Vector

## class Metashape.RasterFormat

Raster format in [RasterFormatNone, RasterFormatTiles, RasterFormatKMZ, RasterFormatXYZ, RasterFormatMBTiles, RasterFormatWW, RasterFormatTMS, RasterFormatGeoPackage]

#### class Metashape.RasterTransform

Raster transform definition.

## calibrateRange()

Auto detect range based on orthomosaic histogram.

#### copy()

Return a copy of the object.

#### Returns

A copy of the object.

#### Return type

Metashape.RasterTransform

## enabled

Enable flag.

#### **Type**

bool

#### false\_color

False color channels.

## Type

list

## formula

Raster calculator expression.

#### **Type**

str

## interpolation

Interpolation enable flag.

```
Type
                                                                                         bool
                          palette
                                                   Color palette.
                                                                      Type
                                                                                        dict
                          range
                                                   Palette mapping range.
                                                                      Type
                                                                                         tuple
                          reset()
                                                   Reset raster transform.
class Metashape.RasterTransformType
                          Raster transformation type in [RasterTransformNone, RasterTransformValue, RasterTransformPalette]
class Metashape.ReferenceFormat
                          Reference format in [ReferenceFormatNone, ReferenceFormatXML, ReferenceFormatTEL, ReferenceFormatTEL, ReferenceFormatNone, ReferenceFor
                          matCSV, ReferenceFormatMavinci, ReferenceFormatBramor, ReferenceFormatAPM]
class Metashape.ReferenceItems
                          Reference items in [ReferenceItemsCameras, ReferenceItemsMarkers, ReferenceItemsScalebars]
class Metashape.ReferencePreselectionMode
                          Reference preselection mode in [ReferencePreselectionSource, ReferencePreselectionEstimated, R
                          selectionSequential]
class Metashape.Region
                          Region parameters
                          center
                                                   Region center coordinates.
                                                                      Type
                                                                                        Metashape.Vector
                          copy()
                                                   Return a copy of the object.
                                                                      Returns
                                                                                         A copy of the object.
                                                                      Return type
                                                                                         Metashape.Region
                          rot
                                                   Region rotation matrix.
                                                                      Type
                                                                                         Metashape.Matrix
                          size
                                                   Region size.
                                                                      Type
                                                                                         Metashape.Vector
```

## class Metashape.RotationOrder

Rotation order in [RotationOrderXYZ, RotationOrderXZY, RotationOrderYXZ, RotationOrderYZX, RotationOrderZXY, RotationOrderZXY]

## class Metashape.Scalebar

Scale bar instance

#### class Reference

Scale bar reference data

#### accuracy

Scale bar length accuracy.

Type

float

#### distance

Scale bar length.

Type

float

## enabled

Enabled flag.

Type

bool

#### chunk

Chunk the scalebar belongs to.

## Type

Metashape.Chunk

#### frames

Scale bar frames.

#### **Type**

list[Metashape.Scalebar]

## group

Scale bar group.

## **Type**

Metashape.ScalebarGroup

## key

Scale bar identifier.

Type

int

## label

Scale bar label.

## Type

str

#### meta

Scale bar meta data.

#### **Type**

Metashape.MetaData

## point0

Start of the scale bar.

## Type

Metashape.Marker | Metashape.Camera

#### point1

End of the scale bar.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Marker | Metashape.Camera

#### reference

Scale bar reference data.

## Type

Metashape.Scalebar.Reference

#### selected

Selects/deselects the scale bar.

## Type

bool

#### class Metashape.ScalebarGroup

ScalebarGroup objects define groups of multiple scale bars. The grouping is established by assignment of a ScalebarGroup instance to the Scalebar.group attribute of participating scale bars.

#### label

Scale bar group label.

## Type

str

#### selected

Current selection state.

## **Type**

bool

## class Metashape.Sensor

Sensor instance

## class Reference

Sensor reference data.

## accuracy

Sensor location accuracy.

**Type** 

Metashape.Vector

## enabled

Location enabled flag.

Type

bool

#### location

Sensor coordinates.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Vector

```
location_accuracy
         Sensor location accuracy.
             Type
               Metashape. Vector
     location_enabled
         Location enabled flag.
             Type
               bool
     rotation
         Sensor rotation angles.
             Type
               Metashape.Vector
     rotation_accuracy
         Sensor rotation accuracy.
             Type
               Metashape. Vector
     rotation_enabled
         Rotation enabled flag.
             Type
               bool
class Type
     Sensor type in [Frame, Fisheye, Spherical, Cylindrical, RPC]
antenna
     GPS antenna correction.
         Type
             Metashape.Antenna
bands
     List of color bands.
         Type
             list[str]
black_level
     Black level for each band.
         Type
             list[float]
calibrateFiducials(resolution=0.014)
     Fit fiducial coordinates to image measurements.
         Parameters
             resolution (float) – Scanning resolution in mm/pix.
calibration
     Adjusted calibration of the photo.
```

**Type** 

Metashape. Calibration

#### chunk

Chunk the sensor belongs to.

## **Type**

Metashape.Chunk

## data\_type

Data type used to store color values.

## Type

Metashape.DataType

## fiducials

Fiducial marks.

## **Type**

list[Metashape.Marker]

## film\_camera

Film camera flag.

## **Type**

bool

#### fixed

Fix calibration flag.

## Type

bool

## fixed\_calibration

Fix calibration flag.

## Type

bool

## fixed\_location

Fix location flag.

## **Type**

bool

## fixed\_params

List of fixed calibration parameters.

#### **Type**

list[str]

## fixed\_rotation

Fix rotation flag.

## **Type**

bool

## focal\_length

Focal length in mm.

## Type

float

# height Image height. Type int key Sensor identifier. Type int label Sensor label. Type layer\_index Sensor layer index. Type int location Sensor plane location. **Type** Metashape.Vector location\_covariance Sensor plane location covariance. Type Metashape.Matrix makeMaster() Make this sensor master in the multi-camera system. master Master sensor. **Type** Metashape.Sensor meta Sensor meta data. **Type** Metashape.MetaData normalize\_sensitivity Enable sensitivity normalization. Type bool normalize\_to\_float

Convert pixel values to floating point after normalization.

Type bool

```
photo_params
     List of image-variant calibration parameters.
         Type
             list[str]
pixel_height
     Pixel height in mm.
         Type
             float
pixel_size
     Pixel size in mm.
         Type
             Metashape.Vector
pixel_width
     Pixel width in mm.
         Type
             float
planes
     Sensor planes.
         Type
             list[Metashape.Sensor]
reference
     Sensor reference data.
         Type
             Metashape.Sensor.Reference
rolling_shutter
     Enable rolling shutter compensation.
         Type
             Metashape.Shutter.Model
rotation
     Sensor plane rotation.
         Type
             Metashape.Matrix
rotation_covariance
     Sensor plane rotation covariance.
         Type
             Metashape.Matrix
```

sensitivity

Sensitivity for each band.

list[float]

Type

#### type

Sensor projection model.

## Type

Metashape.Sensor.Type

#### user\_calib

Custom calibration used as initial calibration during photo alignment.

#### **Type**

Metashape.Calibration

## vignetting

Vignetting for each band.

#### **Type**

list[Metashape.Vignetting]

#### width

Image width.

#### **Type**

int

## class Metashape.ServiceType

Service type in [ServiceSketchfab, ServiceMapbox, Service4DMapper, ServicePointscene, ServiceMelown, ServicePointbox, ServicePicterra, ServiceCesium]

## class Metashape.Shape

Shape data.

## class BoundaryType

Shape boundary type in [NoBoundary, OuterBoundary, InnerBoundary]

#### class Vertices

Collection of shape vertices

#### area()

Return area of the shape on DEM.

## Returns

Shape area.

#### Return type

float

## areaFitted()

Return 2D area of the shape projected onto the best fitting plane.

## Returns

Shape area.

#### Return type

float

## attributes

Shape attributes.

## Type

Metashape. MetaData

```
boundary_type
     Shape boundary type.
         Type
             Metashape.Shape.BoundaryType
geometry
     Shape geometry.
         Type
             Metashape.Geometry | Metashape.AttachedGeometry
group
     Shape group.
         Type
             Metashape.ShapeGroup
is_attached
     Attached flag.
         Type
             bool
key
     Shape identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Shape label.
         Type
             str
perimeter2D()
     Return perimeter of the shape on DEM.
         Returns
             Shape perimeter.
         Return type
             float
perimeter3D()
     Return perimeter of the shape.
         Returns
             Shape perimeter.
         Return type
             float
selected
     Selects/deselects the shape.
         Type
             bool
```

```
volume(level='bestfit')
```

Return volume of the shape measured on DEM above and below best fit, mean level or custom level plane.

## **Parameters**

**level** (*float*) – Plane level: 'bestfit', 'mean' or custom value.

#### **Returns**

Shape volumes.

## Return type

dict

## class Metashape.ShapeGroup

ShapeGroup objects define groups of multiple shapes. The grouping is established by assignment of a Shape-Group instance to the Shape.group attribute of participating shapes.

#### color

Shape group color.

## **Type**

tuple[int, int, int, int]

#### enabled

Enable flag.

## Type

bool

## key

Shape group identifier.

## Type

int

## label

Shape group label.

## Type

str

## meta

Shape group meta data.

#### **Type**

Metashape.MetaData

## selected

Current selection state.

## Type

bool

## show\_labels

Shape labels visibility flag.

#### **Type**

bool

## class Metashape.Shapes

A set of shapes for a chunk frame.

```
addGroup()
     Add new shape group to the set of shapes.
         Returns
             Created shape group.
         Return type
             Metashape.ShapeGroup
addShape()
     Add new shape to the set of shapes.
         Returns
             Created shape.
         Return type
             Metashape.Shape
crs
     Shapes coordinate system.
         Type
             Metashape.CoordinateSystem
group
     Default shape group.
         Type
             Metashape.ShapeGroup
groups
     List of shape groups.
         Type
             list[Metashape.ShapeGroup]
items()
     List of items.
meta
     Shapes meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
modified
     Modified flag.
         Type
             bool
projection
     Shapes projection.
         Type
             Metashape.OrthoProjection
remove(items)
     Remove items from the shape layer.
```

# **Parameters** items (list[Metashape.Shape / Metashape.ShapeGroup]) - A list of items to be removed. shapes List of shapes. **Type** list[Metashape.Shape] updateAltitudes(items[, progress]) Update altitudes for items. **Parameters** • items (list [Metashape.Shape / Metashape.ShapeGroup]) - A list of items to be • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback. class Metashape.ShapesFormat Shapes format in [ShapesFormatNone, ShapesFormatSHP, ShapesFormatKML, ShapesFormatDXF, Shap matGeoJSON, ShapesFormatGeoPackage, ShapesFormatCSV] class Metashape.Shutter Shutter object contains estimated parameters of the rolling shutter correction model. class Model Rolling shutter model in [Disabled, Regularized, Full] copy() Return a copy of the object. Returns A copy of the object. Return type Metashape.Shutter rotation Rotation matrix of the rolling shutter model.

## **Type**

Metashape.Matrix

#### translation

Translation vector of the rolling shutter model.

## **Type**

Metashape.Vector

## class Metashape.SurfaceType

Surface type in [Arbitrary, HeightField]

## class Metashape. Target

Target parameters

#### code

Target code.

#### **Type**

int

```
coord
                                   Target location.
                                                 Type
                                                              Metashape. Vector
                  copy()
                                   Return a copy of the object.
                                                 Returns
                                                              A copy of the object.
                                                 Return type
                                                              Metashape.Target
                  radius
                                   Target radius.
                                                 Type
                                                              float
class Metashape.TargetType
                  Target type in [CircularTarget12bit, CircularTarget14bit, CircularTarget16bit, CircularTarget20bit, CircularTarget17arget16bit, CircularTarget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget17arget
                  get, CrossTarget]
class Metashape.Tasks
                  Task classes.
                  class AddFrames
                                   Task class containing processing parameters.
                                   apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
                                                 Apply task to specified object.
                                                              Parameters
                                                                      • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                                                                            to be processed.
                                                                      • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                                                                      • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
                                   chunk
                                                 Chunk to copy frames from.
                                                              Type
                                                                     int
                                   copy_depth_maps
                                                 Copy depth maps.
                                                              Type
                                                                     bool
                                   copy_elevation
                                                 Copy DEM.
                                                              Type
                                                                     bool
                                   copy_model
                                                 Copy model.
                                                              Type
                                                                     bool
```

```
copy_orthomosaic
    Copy orthomosaic.
        Type
          bool
copy_point_cloud
    Copy point cloud.
        Type
          bool
copy_tiled_model
    Copy tiled model.
        Type
          bool
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
frames
    List of frame keys to copy.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
                          (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          objects
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

```
class AddPhotos
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     filegroups
         List of file groups.
             Type
               list[int]
     filenames
         List of files to add.
             Type
               list[str]
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     group
         Camera group key.
             Type
               int
     layout
         Image layout.
             Type
               Metashape.ImageLayout
     load_reference
         Load reference coordinates.
             Type
               bool
     load_rpc_txt
         Load satellite RPC data from auxiliary TXT files.
             Type
```

bool

```
load_xmp_accuracy
         Load accuracy from XMP meta data.
             Type
               bool
     load_xmp_antenna
         Load GPS/INS offset from XMP meta data.
               bool
     load_xmp_calibration
         Load calibration from XMP meta data.
               bool
     load_xmp_orientation
         Load orientation from XMP meta data.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     strip_extensions
         Strip file extensions from camera labels.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
            Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class AlignCameras
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     adaptive_fitting
         Enable adaptive fitting of distortion coefficients.
             Type
               bool
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
```

```
• object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
            to be processed.
           • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
           • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
cameras
    List of cameras to align.
        Type
          list[int]
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
min_image
    Minimum number of point projections.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
point_clouds
    List of point clouds to align.
        Type
          list[int]
reset_alignment
    Reset current alignment.
        Type
          bool
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
```

```
toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class AlignChunks
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     chunks
         List of chunks to be aligned.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(ison)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     downscale
         Alignment accuracy (0 - Highest, 1 - High, 2 - Medium, 4 - Low, 8 - Lowest).
             Type
               int
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     filter mask
         Filter points by mask.
             Type
               bool
     fit_scale
         Fit chunk scale during alignment.
             Type
               bool
     generic_preselection
```

Enables image pair preselection.

```
Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
keypoint_limit
    Maximum number of points for each photo.
        Type
          int
markers
    List of markers to be used for marker based alignment.
        Type
          list[int]
mask_tiepoints
    Apply mask filter to tie points.
        Type
          bool
method
    Alignment method (0 - point based, 1 - marker based, 2 - camera based).
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
reference
    Chunk to be used as a reference.
        Type
          int
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
```

## class AnalyzeImages

Task class containing processing parameters.

```
apply(object[, workitem ][, progress])
    Apply task to specified object.
        Parameters
          • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
            to be processed.
          • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
          • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
cameras
    List of cameras to be analyzed.
        Type
          list[int]
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
filter_mask
    Constrain analyzed image region by mask.
        Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
                           (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

```
class BuildContours
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     interval
         Contour interval.
             Type
               float
     max_value
         Maximum value of contour range.
             Type
               float
     min_value
         Minimum value of contour range.
             Type
               float
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     prevent_intersections
         Prevent contour intersections.
             Type
               bool
     source_data
         Source data for contour generation.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
```

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class BuildDem
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     classes
         List of point classes to be used for surface extraction.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     flip_x
         Flip X axis direction.
             Type
               bool
     flip_y
         Flip Y axis direction.
             Type
               bool
     flip_z
         Flip Z axis direction.
```

```
Type
          bool
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
interpolation
    Interpolation mode.
        Type
          Metashape.Interpolation
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
projection
    Output projection.
        Type
          Metashape. Ortho Projection
region
    Region to be processed.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with generated DEM.
        Type
          bool
resolution
    Output resolution in meters.
        Type
          float
source_data
    Selects between point cloud and tie points.
          Metashape.DataSource
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
```

bool

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_tiles
         Number of tiles in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class BuildDepthMaps
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     downscale
         Depth map quality (1 - Ultra high, 2 - High, 4 - Medium, 8 - Low, 16 - Lowest).
             Type
               int
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     filter_mode
         Depth map filtering mode.
```

```
Type
              Metashape.FilterMode
     gpu_support
        GPU support flag.
            Type
              bool
    max_neighbors
         Maximum number of neighbor images to use for depth map generation.
            Type
              int
    max_workgroup_size
         Maximum workgroup size.
            Type
              int
    name
         Task name.
            Type
              str
    reuse_depth
         Enable reuse depth maps option.
            Type
              bool
     subdivide_task
         Enable fine-level task subdivision.
            Type
              bool
    target
         Task target.
            Type
              Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
            Parameters
              objects
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
            Type
              int
    workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
              int
class BuildModel
```

Task class containing processing parameters.

```
apply(object[, workitem ][, progress])
    Apply task to specified object.
        Parameters
          • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
            to be processed.
           • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
          • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
blocks_crs
    Blocks grid coordinate system.
        Type
          Metashape.CoordinateSystem
blocks_origin
    Blocks grid origin.
        Type
          Metashape.Vector
blocks_size
    Blocks size in coordinate system units.
        Type
          float
build_texture
    Generate preview textures.
        Type
          bool
cameras
    List of cameras to process.
        Type
          list[int]
classes
    List of point classes to be used for surface extraction.
        Type
          list[int]
clip_to_boundary
    Clip to boundary shapes.
        Type
          bool
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(ison)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
```

Create a JSON string with task parameters.

```
export_blocks
    Export completed blocks.
        Type
          bool
face_count
    Target face count.
        Type
          Metashape.FaceCount
face_count_custom
    Custom face count.
        Type
          int
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
       Type
          bool
interpolation
    Interpolation mode.
        Type
          Metashape.Interpolation
keep_depth
    Enable store depth maps option.
        Type
          bool
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
output_folder
    Path to output folder.
        Type
          str
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with generated model.
        Type
          bool
```

```
source_data
    Selects between point cloud, tie points, depth maps and laser scans.
          Metashape.DataSource
split_in_blocks
    Split model in blocks.
        Type
          bool
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
          bool
surface_type
    Type of object to be reconstructed.
        Type
          Metashape.SurfaceType
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. Network Task to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
trimming_radius
    Trimming radius (no trimming if zero).
        Type
          int
vertex_colors
    Enable vertex colors calculation.
        Type
          bool
vertex_confidence
    Enable vertex confidence calculation.
        Type
          bool
volumetric_masks
    Enable strict volumetric masking.
        Type
          bool
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

```
workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class BuildOrthomosaic
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     blending_mode
         Orthophoto blending mode.
             Type
               Metashape.BlendingMode
     cull_faces
         Enable back-face culling.
             Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     fill_holes
         Enable hole filling.
             Type
               bool
     flip_x
         Flip X axis direction.
             Type
               bool
     flip_y
         Flip Y axis direction.
             Type
               bool
     flip_z
         Flip Z axis direction.
             Type
```

bool

```
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
ghosting_filter
    Enable ghosting filter.
        Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
projection
    Output projection.
        Type
          Metashape.OrthoProjection
refine_seamlines
    Refine seamlines based on image content.
        Type
          bool
region
    Region to be processed.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with generated orthomosaic.
        Type
          bool
resolution
    Pixel size in meters.
        Type
          float
resolution_x
    Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
        Type
```

float

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resolution_y
         Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
             Type
               float
     subdivide task
         Enable fine-level task subdivision.
             Type
               bool
     surface_data
         Orthorectification surface.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_tiles
         Number of tiles in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class BuildPanorama
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
    blending_mode
         Panorama blending mode.
             Type
               Metashape.BlendingMode
```

```
camera_groups
    List of camera groups to process.
        Type
          list[int]
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
ghosting_filter
    Enable ghosting filter.
        Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
height
    Height of output panorama.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
region
    Region to be generated.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
rotation
    Panorama 3x3 orientation matrix.
        Type
          Metashape.Matrix
target
    Task target.
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
```

```
toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     width
         Width of output panorama.
             Type
               int
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class BuildPointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object | , workitem | | , progress | )
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     asset
         Asset to process.
             Type
               int
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     frames
         List of frames to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     keep_depth
         Enable store depth maps option.
```

```
Type
          bool
max_neighbors
    Maximum number of neighbor images to use for depth map filtering.
          int
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
point_colors
    Enable point colors calculation.
        Type
          bool
point_confidence
    Enable point confidence calculation.
        Type
          bool
points_spacing
    Desired point spacing (m).
        Type
          float
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with generated point cloud.
        Type
          bool
source_data
    Source data to extract points from.
          Metashape.DataSource
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
```

Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.

```
Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     uniform_sampling
         Enable uniform point sampling.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class BuildSeamlines
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     epsilon
         Contour simplificaion threshold.
             Type
               float
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
```

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class BuildTexture
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     blending_mode
         Texture blending mode.
             Type
               Metashape.BlendingMode
     cameras
         A list of cameras to be used for texturing.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     fill_holes
         Enable hole filling.
             Type
               bool
     ghosting_filter
         Enable ghosting filter.
```

```
Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size (block model only).
       Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
source_model
    Source model.
        Type
          int
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
texture_size
    Texture page size.
       Type
          int
texture_type
    Texture type.
        Type
          Metashape.Model.TextureType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
       Parameters
          objects
                          (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
transfer_texture
    Transfer texture.
        Type
          bool
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
workitem_size_cameras
    Number of cameras in a workitem (block model only).
```

```
Type
               int
class BuildTiledModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     classes
         List of point classes to be used for surface extraction.
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     face_count
         Number of faces per megapixel of texture resolution.
             Type
               int
     frames
         List of frames to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     ghosting_filter
         Enable ghosting filter.
             Type
               bool
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     keep_depth
         Enable store depth maps option.
             Type
```

bool

```
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
merge
    Merge tiled model flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
operand_asset
    Operand asset key.
        Type
operand_chunk
    Operand chunk key.
        Type
          int
operand_frame
    Operand frame key.
        Type
          int
pixel_size
    Target model resolution in meters.
        Type
          float
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with generated tiled model.
        Type
          bool
source_data
    Selects between point cloud and mesh.
        Type
          Metashape.DataSource
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
```

```
tile_size
         Size of tiles in pixels.
             Type
               int
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     transfer_texture
         Transfer source model texture to tiled model.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class BuildUV
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     camera
         Camera to be used for texturing in CameraMapping mode.
             Type
               int
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
```

```
Type
               bool
     mapping_mode
         Texture mapping mode.
             Type
               Metashape.MappingMode
    name
         Task name.
             Type
     page_count
         Number of texture pages to generate.
             Type
               int
     pixel_size
         Texture resolution in meters.
             Type
               float
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     texture_size
         Expected size of texture page at texture generation step.
             Type
               int
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
            Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class CalculatePointNormals
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
```

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decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     point_cloud
         Point cloud key to process.
             Type
               int
     point_neighbors
         Number of point neighbors to use for normal estimation.
             Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class CalibrateCamera
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

```
border
    Border size to ignore.
        Type
           int
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
fit_b1
    Enable optimization of aspect ratio.
        Type
           bool
fit_b2
    Enable optimization of skew coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_cxcy
    Enable optimization of principal point coordinates.
        Type
           bool
fit_f
    Enable optimization of focal length coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k1
    Enable optimization of k1 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k2
    Enable optimization of k2 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k3
    Enable optimization of k3 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k4
    Enable optimization of k4 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
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fit_p1
         Enable optimization of p1 tangential distortion coefficient.
             Type
               bool
     fit_p2
         Enable optimization of p2 tangential distortion coefficient.
               bool
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. Network Task to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class CalibrateColors
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
```

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decodeJSON(ison)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     source_data
         Source data for calibration.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     white_balance
         Calibrate white balance.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class CalibrateReflectance
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

```
decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
    use_reflectance_panels
         Use calibrated reflectance panels.
             Type
               bool
     use_sun_sensor
         Apply irradiance sensor measurements.
             Type
               bool
     workitem count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ClassifyGroundPoints
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
```

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• progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
cell_size
    Cell size (meters).
        Type
          float
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
erosion_radius
    Erosion radius (meters).
        Type
          float
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
keep_existing
    Keep existing ground points.
        Type
          bool
max_angle
    Maximum angle (degrees).
        Type
          float
max_distance
    Maximum distance (meters).
        Type
          float
max_terrain_slope
    Maximum terrain slope angle (degrees).
        Type
          float
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
point_cloud
    Point cloud key to classify.
        Type
          int
```

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return_number
         Point return number to use (0 - any return, 1 - first return, -1 - last return).
             Type
               int
     source_class
         Class of points to be re-classified.
             Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ClassifyPoints
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     confidence
         Required confidence level.
             Type
               float
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
```

```
Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
    point_cloud
         Point cloud key to classify.
             Type
               int
     source_class
         Class of points to be re-classified.
             Type
               int
     subdivide_task
         Enable fine-level task subdivision.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     target_classes
         Target point classes for classification.
             Type
               list[int]
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class CloseHoles
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     apply_to_selection
         Close holes within selection.
```

```
Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     level
         Hole size threshold in percents.
             Type
               int
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ColorizeModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

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decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     model
         Key of model to colorize.
             Type
               int
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     source_data
         Source data to extract colors from.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
     target
         Task target.
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ColorizePointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object | , workitem | | , progress | )
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
```

```
• progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
point_cloud
    Point cloud key to colorize.
        Type
          int
source_data
    Source data to extract colors from.
        Type
          Metashape.DataSource
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                          (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
```

```
Type
               int
     workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class CompactPointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     point_cloud
         Point cloud key to process.
             Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
```

```
workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ConvertImages
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     color_correction
         Apply color correction.
             Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     image_compression
         Image compression parameters.
               Metashape.ImageCompression
     merge_planes
         Merge multispectral images.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
```

str

```
path
         Path to output file.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     update_gps_tags
         Update GPS tags.
             Type
               bool
     use_initial_calibration
         Transform to initial calibration.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class DecimateModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     apply_to_selection
         Apply to selection.
             Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
```

```
encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     face_count
         Target face count.
             Type
               int
     frames
         List of frames to process.
            Type
               list[int]
    gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
            Type
               bool
    model
         Model to process.
             Type
               int
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
    replace_asset
         Replace source model with decimated model.
            Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class DetectFiducials
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
```

```
• workitem (int) – Workitem index.
          • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
cameras
    List of cameras to process.
        Type
          list[int]
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
fiducials_position_corners
    Search corners for fiducials.
        Type
          bool
fiducials_position_sides
    Search sides for fiducials.
        Type
          bool
frame_detector
    Detect frame.
        Type
          bool
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
generate_masks
    Generate background masks.
        Type
          bool
generic_detector
    Use generic detector.
        Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
mask_dark_pixels
```

Mask out dark pixels near frame edge.

```
Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     right_angle_detector
         Use right angle detector.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     v_shape_detector
         Detect V-shape fiducials.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
class DetectMarkers
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
```

```
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
filter_mask
    Ignore masked image regions.
        Type
          bool
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
inverted
    Detect markers on black background.
        Type
          bool
maximum_residual
    Maximum residual for non-coded targets in pixels.
        Type
          float
minimum_dist
    Minimum distance between targets in pixels (CrossTarget type only).
        Type
          int
minimum_size
    Minimum target radius in pixels to be detected (CrossTarget type only).
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
noparity
    Disable parity checking.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
```

```
target_type
         Type of targets.
               Metashape.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               obiects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     tolerance
         Detector tolerance (0 - 100).
             Type
               int
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class DetectPowerlines
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    max_quantization_error
         Maximum allowed distance between polyline and smooth continuous curve.
             Type
               float
    min_altitude
         Minimum altitude for reconstructed powerlines.
```

```
Type
               float
    n_points_per_line
         Maximum number of vertices per detected line.
               int
    name
         Task name.
            Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     use_model
         Use model for visibility checks.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
class DuplicateAsset
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object | , workitem | | , progress | )
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     asset_key
         Asset key.
             Type
     asset_type
         Asset type.
             Type
               Metashape.DataSource
     clip_to_boundary
         Clip to boundary shapes.
```

```
Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class DuplicateChunk
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     chunk
         Chunk to copy.
             Type
               int
```

```
copy_depth_maps
    Copy depth maps.
        Type
          bool
copy_elevations
    Copy DEMs.
        Type
          bool
copy_keypoints
    Copy keypoints.
        Type
          bool
copy_models
    Copy models.
        Type
          bool
copy_orthomosaics
    Copy orthomosaics.
        Type
          bool
copy_point_clouds
    Copy point clouds.
        Type
          bool
copy_tiled_models
    Copy tiled models.
        Type
          bool
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
frames
    List of frame keys to copy.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
```

bool

```
label
         New chunk label.
            Type
              str
    name
         Task name.
            Type
              str
     target
         Task target.
            Type
              Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
            Parameters
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
              objects
              Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
            Type
              int
class ExportCameras
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
    binary
         Enables/disables binary encoding for selected format (if applicable).
            Type
              bool
     bingo_path_geoin
         Path to BINGO GEO INPUT file.
            Type
              str
     bingo_path_gps
         Path to BINGO GPS/IMU file.
            Type
              str
     bingo_path_image
         Path to BINGO IMAGE COORDINATE file.
             Type
              str
```

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bingo_path_itera
    Path to BINGO ITERA file.
        Type
          str
bingo_save_geoin
    Enables/disables export of BINGO GEO INPUT file.
        Type
          bool
bingo_save_gps
    Enables/disables export of BINGO GPS/IMU data.
          bool
bingo_save_image
    Enables/disables export of BINGO IMAGE COORDINATE file.
        Type
          bool
bingo_save_itera
    Enables/disables export of BINGO ITERA file.
        Type
          bool
bundler_path_list
    Path to Bundler image list file.
        Type
          str
bundler_save_list
    Enables/disables export of Bundler image list file.
        Type
          bool
chan_rotation_order
    Rotation order (CHAN format only).
        Type
          Metashape.RotationOrder
crs
    Output coordinate system.
        Type
          Metashape.CoordinateSystem
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
```

Create a JSON string with task parameters.

```
format
    Export format.
        Type
          Metashape.CamerasFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
image_orientation
    Image coordinate system (0 - X right, 1 - X up, 2 - X left, 3 - X down).
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to output file.
        Type
          str
save_invalid_matches
    Enables/disables export of invalid image matches.
        Type
          bool
save_markers
    Enables/disables export of manual matching points.
        Type
          bool
save_points
    Enables/disables export of automatic tie points.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
use_initial_calibration
    Transform image coordinates to initial calibration.
        Type
          bool
```

```
use_labels
         Enables/disables label based item identifiers.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportMarkers
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     binary
         Enables/disables binary encoding for selected format (if applicable).
             Type
               bool
     crs
         Output coordinate system.
             Type
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to output file.
             Type
```

str

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportMasks
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to output file.
```

```
Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
    binary
         Enables/disables binary encoding (if supported by format).
             Type
               bool
     clip_to_boundary
         Clip model to boundary shapes.
             Type
               bool
     colors_rgb_8bit
         Convert colors to 8 bit RGB.
             Type
               bool
     comment
         Optional comment (if supported by selected format).
             Type
               str
     crs
         Output coordinate system.
             Type
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
```

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decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
embed_texture
    Embeds texture inside the model file (if supported by format).
        Type
          bool
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
format
    Export format.
        Type
          Metashape.ModelFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
model
    Model key to export.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to output model.
        Type
          str
precision
    Number of digits after the decimal point (for text formats).
        Type
          int
raster_transform
    Raster band transformation.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterTransformType
save_alpha
    Enables/disables alpha channel export.
        Type
          bool
save_cameras
```

Enables/disables camera export.

```
Type
          bool
save_colors
    Enables/disables export of vertex colors.
        Type
          bool
save_comment
    Enables/disables comment export.
        Type
          bool
save_confidence
    Enables/disables export of vertex confidence.
        Type
          bool
save_markers
    Enables/disables marker export.
        Type
          bool
save_metadata_xml
    Save metadata.xml file.
        Type
          bool
save_normals
    Enables/disables export of vertex normals.
        Type
          bool
save_texture
    Enables/disables texture export.
        Type
          bool
save_udim
    Enables/disables UDIM texture layout.
        Type
          bool
save_uv
    Enables/disables uv coordinates export.
        Type
          bool
shift
    Optional shift to be applied to vertex coordinates.
          Metashape.Vector
strip_extensions
    Strips camera label extensions during export.
        Type
```

bool

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     texture_format
         Texture format.
             Type
               Metashape.ImageFormat
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     viewpoint
         Default view.
             Type
               Metashape. Viewpoint
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportOrthophotos
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
```

```
Type
          bool
image_compression
    Image compression parameters.
        Type
          Metashape.ImageCompression
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
north_up
    Use north-up orientation for export.
        Type
          bool
path
    Path to output orthophoto.
        Type
          str
projection
    Output projection.
        Type
          Metashape.OrthoProjection
raster_transform
    Raster band transformation.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterTransformType
region
    Region to be exported.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
resolution
    Output resolution in meters.
        Type
          float
resolution_x
    Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
        Type
          float
resolution_y
    Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
        Type
          float
save_alpha
    Enable alpha channel generation.
        Type
          bool
```

```
save_kml
         Enable kml file generation.
             Type
               bool
     save_world
         Enable world file generation.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     white_background
         Enable white background.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportPointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
    binary
         Enables/disables binary encoding for selected format (if applicable).
             Type
               bool
     block_height
         Block height in meters.
             Type
               float
     block_width
         Block width in meters.
             Type
               float
```

```
classes
    List of point classes to be exported.
        Type
          list[int]
clip_to_boundary
    Clip point cloud to boundary shapes.
        Type
          bool
colors_rgb_8bit
    Convert colors to 8 bit RGB.
        Type
          bool
comment
    Optional comment (if supported by selected format).
        Type
          str
compression
    Enable compression (Cesium format only).
        Type
          bool
crs
    Output coordinate system.
        Type
          Metashape.CoordinateSystem
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
folder_depth
    Tileset subdivision depth (Cesium format only).
        Type
          int
format
    Export format.
        Type
          Metashape.PointCloudFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
```

```
image_format
    Image data format.
        Type
          Metashape.ImageFormat
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to output file.
        Type
          str
point_cloud
    Point cloud key to export.
        Type
raster_transform
    Raster band transformation.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterTransformType
region
    Region to be exported.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
save_comment
    Enable comment export.
        Type
          bool
save_images
    Enable image export.
        Type
          bool
save_point_classification
    Enables/disables export of point classification.
        Type
          bool
save_point_color
    Enables/disables export of point color.
        Type
          bool
save_point_confidence
    Enables/disables export of point confidence.
        Type
          bool
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```
save_point_index
    Enables/disables export of point row and column indices.
        Type
          bool
save_point_intensity
    Enables/disables export of point intensity.
        Type
          bool
save_point_normal
    Enables/disables export of point normal.
        Type
          bool
save_point_return_number
    Enables/disables export of point return number.
        Type
          bool
save_point_scan_angle
    Enables/disables export of point scan angle.
        Type
          bool
save_point_source_id
    Enables/disables export of point source ID.
        Type
          bool
save_point_timestamp
    Enables/disables export of point timestamp.
        Type
          bool
screen_space_error
    Target screen space error (Cesium format only).
        Type
          float
shift
    Optional shift to be applied to point coordinates.
        Type
          Metashape.Vector
source_data
    Selects between point cloud and tie points. If not specified, uses point cloud if available.
          Metashape.DataSource
split_in_blocks
    Enable tiled export.
        Type
          bool
```

```
subdivide_task
         Enable fine-level task subdivision.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     tileset_version
         Cesium 3D Tiles format version to export (1.0 or 1.1).
               str
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     viewpoint
         Default view.
             Type
               Metashape.Viewpoint
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportRaster
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem ][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     asset
         Asset key to export.
             Type
               int
     block_height
         Raster block height in pixels.
             Type
               int
     block_width
         Raster block width in pixels.
             Type
               int
```

```
clip_to_boundary
    Clip raster to boundary shapes.
        Type
          bool
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
description
    Export description.
        Type
          str
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
format
    Export format.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterFormat
global_profile
    Use global profile (GeoPackage format only).
        Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
height
    Raster height.
        Type
          int
image_compression
    Image compression parameters.
          Metashape.ImageCompression
image_description
    Optional description to be added to image files.
        Type
image_format
    Tile format.
        Type
          Metashape. Image Format
```

```
max_zoom_level
    Maximum zoom level (GeoPackage, Google Map Tiles, MBTiles and World Wind Tiles formats only).
        Type
          int
min_zoom_level
    Minimum zoom level (GeoPackage, Google Map Tiles, MBTiles and World Wind Tiles formats only).
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
network_links
    Enable network links generation for KMZ format.
        Type
          bool
nodata_value
    No-data value (DEM export only).
        Type
          float
north_up
    Use north-up orientation for export.
        Type
          bool
path
    Path to output orthomosaic.
        Type
          str
projection
    Output projection.
        Type
          Metashape.OrthoProjection
raster_transform
    Raster band transformation.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterTransformType
region
    Region to be exported.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
resolution
    Output resolution in meters.
        Type
          float
```

```
resolution_x
    Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
        Type
          float
resolution_y
    Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
        Type
          float
save_alpha
    Enable alpha channel generation.
        Type
          bool
save_kml
    Enable kml file generation.
        Type
          bool
save_scheme
    Enable tile scheme files generation.
        Type
          bool
save_world
    Enable world file generation.
        Type
          bool
source_data
    Selects between DEM and orthomosaic.
        Type
          Metashape.DataSource
split_in_blocks
    Split raster in blocks.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
tile_height
    Tile height in pixels.
        Type
          int
tile_width
    Tile width in pixels.
        Type
          int
```

```
title
         Export title.
             Type
               str
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                 (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     white_background
         Enable white background.
             Type
               bool
     width
         Raster width.
             Type
               int
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     world_transform
         2x3 raster-to-world transformation matrix.
             Type
               Metashape.Matrix
class ExportReference
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     columns
         Column order in csv format (n - label, o - enabled flag, x/y/z - coordinates, X/Y/Z - coordinate accu-
         racy, a/b/c - rotation angles, A/B/C - rotation angle accuracy, u/v/w - estimated coordinates, U/V/W
         - coordinate errors, d/e/f - estimated orientation angles, D/E/F - orientation errors, p/q/r - estimated
         coordinates variance, i/j/k - estimated orientation angles variance, [] - group of multiple values, | -
         column separator within group).
             Type
               str
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
```

```
delimiter
    Column delimiter in csv format.
        Type
          str
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
format
    Export format.
        Type
          Metashape.ReferenceFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
items
    Items to export in CSV format.
        Type
          Metashape.ReferenceItems
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to the output file.
        Type
          str
precision
    Number of digits after the decimal point (for CSV format).
        Type
          int
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

```
class ExportReport
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     description
         Report description.
             Type
               str
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     font_size
         Font size (pt).
             Type
               int
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     include_system_info
         Include system information.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     page_numbers
         Enable page numbers.
             Type
               bool
     path
         Path to output report.
             Type
```

str

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     title
         Report title.
             Type
               str
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     user_settings
         A list of user defined settings to include on the Processing Parameters page.
               list[tuple[str, str]]
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportShapes
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     crs
         Output coordinate system.
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     format
         Export format.
```

```
Type
          Metashape.ShapesFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
groups
    A list of shape groups to export.
        Type
          list[int]
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to shape file.
        Type
          str
polygons_as_polylines
    Save polygons as polylines.
        Type
          bool
save_attributes
    Export attributes.
        Type
          bool
save_labels
    Export labels.
        Type
          bool
save_points
    Export points.
        Type
          bool
save_polygons
    Export polygons.
        Type
          bool
save_polylines
    Export polylines.
        Type
          bool
shift
    Optional shift to be applied to vertex coordinates.
        Type
```

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```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportTexture
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object | , workitem | | , progress | )
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(ison)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to output file.
             Type
     raster_transform
         Raster band transformation.
```

```
Type
               Metashape.RasterTransformType
     save_alpha
         Enable alpha channel export.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
            Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     texture_type
         Texture type.
             Type
               Metashape.Model.TextureType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ExportTiledModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     clip_to_boundary
         Clip tiled model to boundary shapes.
             Type
               bool
     crs
         Output coordinate system.
             Type
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
```

```
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
face_count
    Number of faces per megapixel of texture resolution (block model export only).
        Type
          int
folder_depth
    Tileset subdivision depth (Cesium format only).
        Type
          int
format
    Export format.
        Type
          Metashape.TiledModelFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
image_compression
    Image compression parameters.
          Metashape.ImageCompression
model_compression
    Enable mesh compression (Cesium format only).
        Type
          bool
model_format
    Model format for zip export.
        Type
          Metashape.ModelFormat
model_group
    Block model key to export.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to output model.
        Type
```

str

```
pixel_size
    Target model resolution in meters (block model export only).
        Type
          float
raster_transform
    Raster band transformation.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterTransformType
screen_space_error
    Target screen space error (Cesium format only).
          float
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
texture_format
    Texture format.
        Type
          Metashape.ImageFormat
tile_size
    Size of tiles in pixels (block model export only).
          int
tiled_model
    Tiled model key to export.
        Type
          int
tileset_version
    Cesium 3D Tiles format version to export (1.0 or 1.1).
        Type
          str
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
use_tileset_transform
    Use tileset transform instead of individual tile transforms (Cesium format only).
        Type
          bool
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

```
class FilterPointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
         List of frames to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     point_cloud
         Point cloud key to filter.
             Type
               int
     point_spacing
         Desired point spacing (m).
             Type
               float
     replace_asset
         Replace default asset with filtered point cloud.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
```

```
toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class GenerateMasks
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     blur_threshold
         Allowed blur radius on a photo in pix (only if mask_defocus=True).
             Type
               float
     cameras
         Optional list of cameras to be processed.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     depth_threshold
         Maximum depth of masked areas in meters (only if mask defocus=False).
             Type
               float
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     fix_coverage
         Extend masks to cover whole mesh (only if mask_defocus=True).
             Type
               bool
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
```

```
Type
              bool
     mask_defocus
         Mask defocus areas.
            Type
              bool
    mask_operation
         Mask operation.
            Type
              Metashape.MaskOperation
    masking_mode
         Mask generation mode.
            Type
              Metashape.MaskingMode
    name
         Task name.
            Type
              str
    path
         Mask file name template.
            Type
              str
     target
         Task target.
            Type
              Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
            Parameters
              objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
              Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
    tolerance
         Background masking tolerance.
            Type
              int
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
            Type
              int
class GeneratePrescriptionMap
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
```

```
• workitem (int) – Workitem index.
          • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
boundary_shape_group
    Boundary shape group.
        Type
          int
breakpoints
    Classification breakpoints.
        Type
          list[float]
cell_size
    Step of prescription grid, meters.
        Type
          float
class_count
    Number of classes.
        Type
          int
classification_method
    Index values classification method.
        Type
          Metashape.ClassificationMethod
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
rates
    Fertilizer rate for each class.
        Type
          list[float]
target
    Task target.
```

```
Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportCameras
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     crs
         Ground coordinate system.
             Type
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     format
         File format.
             Type
               Metashape.CamerasFormat
    gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     image_list
         Path to image list file (Bundler format only).
             Type
               str
```

```
image_orientation
         Image coordinate system (0 - X right, 1 - X up, 2 - X left, 3 - X down).
             Type
               int
     load_image_list
         Enable Bundler image list import.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to the file.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportDepthImages
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     color_filenames
         List of corresponding color files, if present.
             Type
               list[str]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
```

```
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
filenames
    List of files to import.
        Type
          list[str]
format
    Point cloud format.
        Type
          Metashape.PointCloudFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
image_path
    Path template to output files.
        Type
          str
multiplane
    Import as a multi-camera system
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
                           (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
          objects
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

## class ImportMarkers

Task class containing processing parameters.

```
apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to the file.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
```

```
• object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
            to be processed.
          • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
          • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
crs
    Model coordinate system.
        Type
          Metashape.CoordinateSystem
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
decode_udim
    Load UDIM texture layout.
        Type
          bool
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
format
    Model format.
        Type
          Metashape.ModelFormat
frame_paths
    List of model paths to import in each frame of a multiframe chunk.
        Type
          list[str]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to model.
        Type
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with imported model.
        Type
          bool
```

```
shift
         Optional shift to be applied to vertex coordinates.
               Metashape. Vector
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportPointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     calculate_normals
         Calculate point normals.
             Type
               bool
     crs
         Point cloud coordinate system.
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     format
         Point cloud format.
```

```
Type
          Metashape.PointCloudFormat
frame_paths
    List of point cloud paths to import in each frame of a multiframe chunk.
          list[str]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
ignore_normals
    Ignore normals in imported file.
        Type
          bool
ignore_scanner_origin
    Do not use laser scan origin as scanner position for structured point clouds.
          bool
ignore_trajectory
    Do not attach trajectory to imported point cloud.
        Type
          bool
import_images
    Import images embedded in laser scan.
        Type
          bool
is_laser_scan
    Import point clouds as laser scans.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to point cloud.
        Type
          str
point_neighbors
    Number of point neighbors to use for normal estimation.
        Type
          int
precision
    Coordinate precision (m). For default precision use 0.
        Type
          float
```

```
replace_asset
         Replace default asset with imported point cloud.
             Type
               bool
     scanner_at_origin
         Use laser scan origin as scanner position for unstructured point clouds.
               bool
     shift
         Optional shift to be applied to point coordinates.
               Metashape.Vector
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     trajectory
         Trajectory key to attach.
             Type
               int
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportRaster
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     crs
         Default coordinate system if not specified in GeoTIFF file.
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
```

```
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
has_nodata_value
    No-data value valid flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
nodata_value
    No-data value.
        Type
          float
path
    Path to elevation model in GeoTIFF format.
        Type
          str
raster_type
    Type of raster layer to import.
        Type
          Metashape.DataSource
replace_asset
    Replace default raster with imported one.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. Network Task to be applied to specified objects.
```

```
Parameters
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportReference
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     columns
         Column order in csv format (n - label, o - enabled flag, x/y/z - coordinates, X/Y/Z - coordinate accuracy,
         a/b/c - rotation angles, A/B/C - rotation angle accuracy, [] - group of multiple values, | - column
         separator within group).
             Type
               str
     create_markers
         Create markers for missing entries (csv format only).
             Type
               bool
     crs
         Reference data coordinate system (csv format only).
             Type
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     delimiter
         Column delimiter in csv format.
             Type
               str
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     format
         File format.
```

```
Type
          Metashape.ReferenceFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
group_delimiters
    Combine consecutive delimiters in csv format.
        Type
          bool
ignore_labels
    Matches reference data based on coordinates alone (csv format only).
        Type
          bool
items
    List of items to load reference for (csv format only).
          Metashape.ReferenceItems
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to the file with reference data.
        Type
          str
shutter_lag
    Shutter lag in seconds (APM format only).
        Type
          float
skip_rows
    Number of rows to skip in (csv format only).
        Type
          int
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
threshold
    Error threshold in meters used when ignore_labels is set (csv format only).
        Type
          float
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
```

```
Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportShapes
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     boundary_type
         Boundary type to be applied to imported shapes.
               Metashape.Shape.BoundaryType
     columns
         Column order in csv format (n - label, x/y/z - coordinates, d - description, [] - group of multiple values,
         | - column separator within group).
             Type
               str
     crs
         Reference data coordinate system (csv format only).
               Metashape.CoordinateSystem
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     delimiter
         Column delimiter in csv format.
             Type
               str
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     format
         Shapes format.
             Type
               Metashape.ShapesFormat
```

```
gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     group_delimiters
         Combine consequitive delimiters in csv format.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
    path
         Path to shape file.
             Type
               str
     replace
         Replace current shapes with new data.
             Type
               bool
     skip_rows
         Number of rows to skip in (csv format only).
             Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
            Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportTiledModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

```
decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to tiled model.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ImportTrajectory
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     columns
         Column order (t - time, x/y/z - coordinates, a/b/c - rotation angles, space - skip column).
```

```
Type
          str
crs
    Point cloud coordinate system.
        Type
          Metashape.CoordinateSystem
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
delimiter
    CSV delimiter.
        Type
          str
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
format
    Trajectory format.
        Type
          Metashape.TrajectoryFormat
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Trajectory file path.
        Type
          str
replace_asset
    Replace default asset with imported trajectory.
        Type
          bool
shift
    Optional shift to be applied to point coordinates.
          Metashape.Vector
skip_rows
    Number of rows to skip.
```

```
Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class InvertMasks
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
```

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class LoadProject
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object | , workitem | | , progress | )
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     archive
         Override project format when using non-standard file extension.
             Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Path to project file.
```

```
Type
               str
     read_only
         Open project in read only mode.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class MatchPhotos
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to match.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     downscale
         Image alignment accuracy (0 - Highest, 1 - High, 2 - Medium, 4 - Low, 8 - Lowest).
             Type
               int
     downscale_3d
         Laser scan alignment accuracy (1 - Highest, 2 - High, 4 - Medium, 8 - Low, 16 - Lowest).
             Type
               int
```

```
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
filter_mask
    Filter points by mask.
        Type
          bool
filter_stationary_points
    Exclude tie points which are stationary across images.
        Type
          bool
generic_preselection
    Enable generic preselection.
        Type
          bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
guided_matching
    Enable guided image matching.
        Type
          bool
keep_keypoints
    Store keypoints in the project.
        Type
          bool
keypoint_limit
    Key point limit.
        Type
          int
keypoint_limit_3d
    Key point limit for laser scans.
        Type
          int
keypoint_limit_per_mpx
    Key point limit per megapixel.
        Type
          int
laser_scans_vertical_axis
    Common laser scans axis.
        Type
```

int

```
mask_tiepoints
    Apply mask filter to tie points.
        Type
          bool
match_laser_scans
    Match laser scans using geometric features.
          bool
max_workgroup_size
    Maximum workgroup size.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
pairs
    User defined list of camera pairs to match.
          list[tuple[int, int]]
reference_preselection
    Enable reference preselection.
        Type
          bool
reference_preselection_mode
    Reference preselection mode.
        Type
          Metashape. Reference Preselection Mode
reset_matches
    Reset current matches.
        Type
          bool
subdivide_task
    Enable fine-level task subdivision.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
tiepoint_limit
    Tie point limit.
        Type
```

int

```
toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_cameras
         Number of cameras in a workitem.
             Type
               int
     workitem_size_pairs
         Number of image pairs in a workitem.
             Type
               int
class MergeAssets
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     assets
         List of assets to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
```

```
Type
              str
     source_data
         Asset type.
            Type
              Metashape.DataSource
     target
         Task target.
            Type
              Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
            Parameters
              objects
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
              Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
            Type
              int
class MergeChunks
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     chunks
         List of chunks to process.
            Type
              list[int]
     copy_depth_maps
         Copy depth maps.
             Type
              bool
     copy_elevations
         Copy DEMs.
             Type
              bool
     copy_laser_scans
         Copy laser scans.
             Type
              bool
     copy_models
         Copy models.
```

```
Type
          bool
copy_orthomosaics
    Copy orthomosaics.
        Type
          bool
copy_point_clouds
    Copy point clouds.
        Type
          bool
copy_tiled_models
    Copy tiled models.
        Type
          bool
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
merge_assets
    Merge default assets.
        Type
          bool
merge_markers
    Merge markers.
        Type
          bool
merge_tiepoints
    Merge tie points.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
target
```

Task target.

```
Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class OptimizeCameras
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     adaptive_fitting
         Enable adaptive fitting of distortion coefficients.
             Type
               bool
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     fit_b1
         Enable optimization of aspect ratio.
             Type
               bool
     fit_b2
         Enable optimization of skew coefficient.
             Type
               bool
     fit_corrections
         Enable optimization of additional corrections.
             Type
               bool
```

```
fit_cx
    Enable optimization of X principal point coordinates.
        Type
           bool
fit_cy
    Enable optimization of Y principal point coordinates.
           bool
fit_f
    Enable optimization of focal length coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k1
    Enable optimization of k1 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k2
    Enable optimization of k2 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k3
    Enable optimization of k3 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_k4
    Enable optimization of k3 radial distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_p1
    Enable optimization of p1 tangential distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
fit_p2
    Enable optimization of p2 tangential distortion coefficient.
        Type
           bool
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
           bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
           str
```

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     tiepoint_covariance
         Estimate tie point covariance matrices.
             Type
               bool
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class PlanMission
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     attach_viewpoints
         Generate additional viewpoints to increase coverage.
             Type
               bool
     capture_distance
         Image capture distance (m).
             Type
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
```

```
Type
          bool
group_attached_viewpoints
    Ignore minimum waypoint spacing for additional viewpoints.
          bool
home_point
    Home point shape key.
        Type
          int
horizontal_zigzags
    Cover surface with horizontal zigzags instead of vertical.
          bool
interesting_zone
    Interesting zone shape layer key.
        Type
          int
max_pitch
    Maximum camera pitch angle.
        Type
          int
min_altitude
    Minimum altitude (m).
        Type
          float
min_pitch
    Minimum camera pitch angle.
        Type
          int
min_waypoint_spacing
    Minimum waypoint spacing (m).
        Type
          float
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
overlap
    Overlap percent.
        Type
          int
powerlines
    Powerlines shape layer key.
        Type
```

int

```
restricted_zone
         Restricted zone shape layer key.
             Type
               int
     safety_distance
         Safety distance (m).
             Type
               float
     safety_zone
         Safety zone shape layer key.
             Type
               int
     sensor
         Sensor key.
             Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. Network Task to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
    use_selection
         Focus on model selection.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class PublishData
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     account
         Account name (Melown service).
             Type
               str
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
```

```
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
description
    Dataset description.
        Type
          str
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
hostname
    Service hostname (4DMapper service).
        Type
          str
image_compression
    Image compression parameters.
        Type
          Metashape.ImageCompression
is_draft
    Mark dataset as draft (Sketchfab service).
        Type
          bool
is_private
    Set dataset access to private (Pointbox and Sketchfab services).
        Type
          bool
is_protected
    Set dataset access to protected (Pointbox service).
          bool
max_zoom_level
    Maximum zoom level.
        Type
min_zoom_level
    Minimum zoom level.
        Type
          int
```

```
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
owner
    Account owner (Cesium and Mapbox services).
          str
password
    Account password (4DMapper, Melown, Pointscene and Sketchfab services).
          str
point_classes
    List of point classes to be exported.
        Type
          list[int]
projection
    Output projection.
        Type
          Metashape.CoordinateSystem
raster_transform
    Raster band transformation.
        Type
          Metashape.RasterTransformType
resolution
    Output resolution in meters.
        Type
          float
save_camera_track
    Enables/disables export of camera track.
        Type
          bool
save_point_color
    Enables/disables export of point colors.
        Type
          bool
service
    Service to upload on.
        Type
          Metashape.ServiceType
source_data
    Asset type to upload.
        Type
```

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```
tags
         Dataset tags.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     tile_size
         Tile size in pixels.
             Type
               int
     title
         Dataset title.
             Type
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     token
         Account token (Cesium, Mapbox, Picterra, Pointbox and Sketchfab services).
             Type
               str
     username
         Account username (4DMapper, Melown and Pointscene services).
             Type
               str
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ReduceOverlap
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
```

```
decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     overlap
         Target number of cameras observing each point of the surface.
             Type
               int
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               objects
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     use_selection
         Focus on model selection.
             Type
               bool
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class RefineModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
```

```
cameras
    List of cameras to process.
        Type
          list[int]
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
downscale
    Refinement quality (1 - Ultra high, 2 - High, 4 - Medium, 8 - Low, 16 - Lowest).
          int
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
iterations
    Number of refinement iterations.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
smoothness
    Smoothing strength. Should be in range [0, 1].
        Type
          float
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
workitem_count
    Work item count.
        Type
          int
```

```
class RemoveLighting
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     ambient_occlusion_multiplier
         Ambient occlusion multiplier. Should be in range [0.25, 4].
             Type
               float
     ambient_occlusion_path
         Path to ambient occlusion texture atlas. Can be empty.
             Type
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
                • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                  to be processed.
                • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
                • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     color_mode
         Enable multi-color processing mode.
             Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     internal_blur
         Internal blur. Should be in range [0, 4].
             Type
               float
     mesh_noise_suppression
         Mesh normals noise suppression strength. Should be in range [0, 4].
             Type
               float
     name
         Task name.
             Type
```

str

```
target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class RenderDepthMaps
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object | , workitem | | , progress | )
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
         List of cameras to process.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
     path_depth
         Path to depth map.
```

```
Type
               str
     path_diffuse
         Path to diffuse map.
             Type
               str
    path_normals
         Path to normal map.
             Type
               str
     save_depth
         Enable export of depth map.
             Type
               bool
     save_diffuse
         Enable export of diffuse map.
             Type
               bool
     save_normals
         Enable export of normal map.
             Type
               bool
     target
         Task target.
            Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class ResetMasks
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
            Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     cameras
```

List of cameras to process.

```
Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class RunScript
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     args
         Script arguments.
             Type
               str
```

```
code
         Script code.
             Type
               str
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     path
         Script path.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
class SaveProject
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
```

```
• progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
archive
    Override project format when using non-standard file extension.
        Type
          bool
chunks
    List of chunks to be saved.
        Type
          list[int]
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
path
    Path to project.
        Type
          str
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
version
    Project version to save.
        Type
          str
workitem_count
    Work item count.
```

```
Type
               int
class SmoothModel
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     apply_to_selection
         Apply to selected faces.
             Type
               bool
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     fix_borders
         Fix borders.
             Type
               bool
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     model
         Key of model to smooth.
             Type
               int
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     preserve_edges
         Preserve edges.
             Type
```

bool

```
strength
         Smoothing strength.
             Type
               float
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class SmoothPointCloud
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     apply_to_selection
         Smooth points within selection.
             Type
               bool
     classes
         List of point classes to be smoothed.
             Type
               list[int]
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
```

```
Type
               bool
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
    point_cloud
         Key of point cloud to filter.
             Type
               int
     smoothing_radius
         Desired smoothing radius (m).
             Type
               float
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                                (Metashape.Document | Metashape.Chunk | list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class TargetType
     Task target type in [DocumentTarget, ChunkTarget, FrameTarget]
class TrackMarkers
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(json)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
```

```
encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     first_frame
         Starting frame index.
             Type
               int
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     last_frame
         Ending frame index.
             Type
               int
    name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
     toNetworkTask([objects])
         Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
             Parameters
               objects
                               (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
               Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
     workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
class TransformRaster
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     asset
         Asset key to transform.
             Type
               int
```

```
decode(dict)
    Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
decodeJSON(json)
    Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
encode()
    Create a dictionary with task parameters.
encodeJSON()
    Create a JSON string with task parameters.
frames
    List of frames to process.
        Type
          list[int]
gpu_support
    GPU support flag.
        Type
          bool
height
    Raster height.
        Type
          int
name
    Task name.
        Type
          str
nodata_value
    No-data value (DEM export only).
        Type
          float
north_up
    Use north-up orientation for export.
        Type
          bool
operand_asset
    Operand asset key.
        Type
          int
operand_chunk
    Operand chunk key.
        Type
operand_frame
    Operand frame key.
        Type
          int
```

```
projection
    Output projection.
        Type
          Metashape.OrthoProjection
region
    Region to be processed.
        Type
          Metashape.BBox
replace_asset
    Replace default raster with transformed one.
          bool
resolution
    Output resolution in meters.
        Type
          float
resolution_x
    Pixel size in the X dimension in projected units.
        Type
          float
resolution_y
    Pixel size in the Y dimension in projected units.
        Type
          float
source_data
    Selects between DEM and orthomosaic.
        Type
          Metashape.DataSource
subtract
    Subtraction flag.
        Type
          bool
target
    Task target.
        Type
          Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
toNetworkTask([objects])
    Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
        Parameters
          objects
                           (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
          Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
width
    Raster width.
        Type
          int
```

```
workitem_count
         Work item count.
             Type
               int
     world_transform
         2x3 raster-to-world transformation matrix.
             Type
               Metashape.Matrix
class TriangulateTiePoints
     Task class containing processing parameters.
     apply(object[, workitem][, progress])
         Apply task to specified object.
             Parameters
               • object (Metashape.Chunk / Metashape.Document) - Chunk or Document object
                 to be processed.
               • workitem (int) – Workitem index.
               • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
     decode(dict)
         Initialize task parameters with a dictionary.
     decodeJSON(ison)
         Initialize task parameters from a JSON string.
     encode()
         Create a dictionary with task parameters.
     encodeJSON()
         Create a JSON string with task parameters.
     gpu_support
         GPU support flag.
             Type
               bool
     max_error
         Reprojection error threshold.
             Type
               float
     min_image
         Minimum number of point projections.
             Type
               int
     name
         Task name.
             Type
               str
     target
         Task target.
             Type
               Metashape.Tasks.TargetType
```

```
toNetworkTask([objects])
              Convert task to Metashape. NetworkTask to be applied to specified objects.
                  Parameters
                    objects
                                     (Metashape.Document / Metashape.Chunk / list[Metashape.
                    Chunk]) – Objects to be processed.
          workitem_count
              Work item count.
                  Type
                    int
     createTask(name)
          Create task object by its name.
              Parameters
                  name(str) - Task name.
              Returns
                  Task object.
              Return type
                  object
class Metashape.Thumbnail
     Thumbnail instance
     copy()
          Returns a copy of thumbnail.
              Returns
                  Copy of thumbnail.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Thumbnail
     image()
          Returns image data.
              Returns
                  Image data.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Image
     load(path[, layer])
          Loads thumbnail from file.
              Parameters
                   • path (str) – Path to the image file to be loaded.
                   • layer (int) – Optional layer index in case of multipage files.
     setImage(image)
                  image (Metashape.Image) - Image object with thumbnail data.
class Metashape. Thumbnails
     A set of thumbnails generated for a chunk frame.
```

#### items()

List of items.

## keys()

List of item keys.

#### meta

Thumbnails meta data.

#### **Type**

Metashape.MetaData

### modified

Modified flag.

**Type** 

bool

#### values()

List of item values.

### class Metashape.TiePoints

Tie point cloud instance

#### class Cameras

Collection of Metashape. TiePoints. Projections objects indexed by corresponding cameras

### class Filter

Tie point cloud filter

The following example selects all tie points from the active chunk that have reprojection error higher than defined threshold:

```
>>> chunk = Metashape.app.document.chunk # active chunk
>>> threshold = 0.5
>>> f = Metashape.TiePoints.Filter()
>>> f.init(chunk, criterion = Metashape.TiePoints.Filter.ReprojectionError)
>>> f.selectPoints(threshold)
```

## class Criterion

Point filtering criterion in [ReprojectionError, ReconstructionUncertainty, ImageCount, ProjectionAccuracy]

init(points, criterion, progress)

Initialize tie points filter based on specified criterion.

## **Parameters**

- points (Metashape.TiePoints / Metashape.Chunk) Tie points to filter.
- criterion (Metashape.TiePoints.Filter.Criterion) Point filter criterion.
- progress (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

## max\_value

Maximum value.

**Type** 

int | float

## min\_value

Minimum value.

```
Type
               int | float
     removePoints(threshold)
         Remove points based on specified threshold.
             Parameters
               threshold (float) – Criterion threshold.
     resetSelection()
         Reset previously made selection.
     selectPoints(threshold)
         Select points based on specified threshold.
             Parameters
               threshold (float) – Criterion threshold.
     values
         List of values.
             Type
               list[int] | list[float]
class Point
     3D point in the tie point cloud
     coord
         Point coordinates.
             Type
               Metashape.Vector
     cov
         Point coordinates covariance matrix.
             Type
               Metashape.Matrix
     selected
         Point selection flag.
             Type
               bool
     track id
         Track index.
             Type
               int
     valid
         Point valid flag.
             Type
               bool
class Points
     Collection of 3D points in the tie point cloud
     copy()
         Returns a copy of points buffer.
             Returns
               Copy of points buffer.
```

```
Return type
               Metashape.TiePoints.Points
     resize(count)
         Resize points list.
             Parameters
                count (int) - new point count
class Projection
     Projection of the 3D point on the photo
     coord
         2D projection coordinates.
             Type
               Metashape. Vector
     size
         Point size.
             Type
               float
     track_id
         Track index.
             Type
               int
class Projections
     Collection of Metashape. TiePoints. Projection for the camera
     copy()
         Returns a copy of projections buffer.
             Returns
               Copy of projections buffer.
             Return type
               Metashape.TiePoints.Projections
     resize(count)
         Resize projections list.
             Parameters
               count (int) – new projections count
class Track
     Track in the tie point cloud
     color
         Track color.
             Type
               tuple[int | float, ...]
class Tracks
     Collection of tracks in the tie point cloud
     copy()
         Returns a copy of tracks buffer.
             Returns
               Copy of tracks buffer.
```

```
Return type
               Metashape.TiePoints.Tracks
     resize(count)
         Resize track list.
             Parameters
               count (int) – new track count
bands
     List of color bands.
         Type
             list[str]
cleanup([progress])
     Remove points with insufficient number of projections.
         Parameters
             progress (Callable[[float], None]) - Progress callback.
copy(keypoints=True)
     Returns a copy of the tie point cloud.
         Parameters
             keypoints (bool) – copy key points data.
             Copy of the tie point cloud.
         Return type
             Metashape.TiePoints
cropSelectedPoints()
     Crop selected points.
cropSelectedTracks()
     Crop selected tie points.
data_type
     Data type used to store color values.
         Type
             Metashape.DataType
export(path, format='obj'[, projection])
     Export tie points.
         Parameters
              • path (str) – Path to output file.
              • format (str) – Export format in ['obj', 'ply'].
              • projection (Metashape.Matrix / Metashape.CoordinateSystem) - Sets output
               projection.
meta
     Tie points meta data.
             Metashape.MetaData
```

### modified

Modified flag.

## **Type**

bool

### pickPoint(origin, target, endpoints=1)

Returns ray intersection with the tie point cloud (point on the ray nearest to some point).

#### **Parameters**

- origin (Metashape. Vector) Ray origin.
- target (Metashape. Vector) Point on the ray.
- **endpoints** (*int*) Number of endpoints to check for (0 line, 1 ray, 2 segment).

#### Returns

Coordinates of the intersection point.

## Return type

Metashape. Vector

#### points

List of points.

#### **Type**

Metashape.TiePoints.Points

## projections

Point projections for each photo.

#### **Type**

Metashape.TiePoints.Projections

## removeKeypoints()

Remove keypoints from tie point cloud.

### removeSelectedPoints()

Remove selected points.

## removeSelectedTracks()

Remove selected tie points.

renderDepth(transform, calibration, point\_size=1, cull\_points=False, add\_alpha=True)

Render tie points depth image for specified viewpoint.

## **Parameters**

- **transform** (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

## Returns

Rendered image.

#### **Return type**

**renderImage**(transform, calibration, point\_size=1, cull\_points=False, add\_alpha=True, raster transform=RasterTransformNone)

Render tie points image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

renderMask(transform, calibration, point\_size=1, cull\_points=False)

Render tie points mask image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

#### Return type

Metashape.Image

renderNormalMap(transform, calibration, point\_size=1, cull\_points=False, add\_alpha=True)

Render image with tie points normals for specified viewpoint.

## **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- point\_size (int) Point size.
- **cull\_points** (*bool*) Enable normal based culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

#### **Return type**

```
Generate tie points preview image.
               Parameters
                   • width (int) – Preview image width.
                   • height (int) – Preview image height.
                   • transform (Metashape.Matrix) – 4x4 viewpoint transformation matrix.
                   • point_size (int) - Point size.
                   • progress (Callable[[float], None]) – Progress callback.
               Returns
                   Preview image.
               Return type
                  Metashape.Image
     tracks
          List of tracks.
               Type
                   Metashape.TiePoints.Tracks
class Metashape.TiledModel
     Tiled model data.
     class FaceCount
          Tiled model face count in [LowFaceCount, MediumFaceCount, HighFaceCount]
     bands
          List of color bands.
               Type
                   list[str]
     clear()
          Clears tiled model data.
     copy()
          Create a copy of the tiled model.
               Returns
                   Copy of the tiled model.
               Return type
                   Metashape.TiledModel
     crs
          Reference coordinate system.
               Type
                   Metashape.CoordinateSystem | None
     data_type
          Data type used to store color values.
                  Metashape.DataType
```

renderPreview(width = 2048, height = 2048[, transform], point\_size=1[, progress])

```
key
     Tiled model identifier.
         Type
             int
label
     Tiled model label.
         Type
             str
meta
     Tiled model meta data.
         Type
             Metashape.MetaData
modified
     Modified flag.
         Type
             bool
pickPoint(origin, target, endpoints=1)
     Returns ray intersection with the tiled model.
         Parameters
             • origin (Metashape. Vector) - Ray origin.
             • target (Metashape. Vector) - Point on the ray.
             • endpoints (int) – Number of endpoints to check for (0 - line, 1 - ray, 2 - segment).
         Returns
             Coordinates of the intersection point.
         Return type
             Metashape.Vector
renderDepth(transform, calibration, resolution=1, cull_faces=True, add_alpha=True)
     Render tiled model depth image for specified viewpoint.
         Parameters
             • transform (Metashape.Matrix) - Camera location.
             • calibration (Metashape.Calibration) - Camera calibration.
             • resolution (float) – Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
             • cull_faces (bool) – Enable back-face culling.
             • add_alpha (bool) – Generate image with alpha channel.
         Returns
             Rendered image.
         Return type
```

**renderImage**(transform, calibration, resolution=1, cull\_faces=True, add\_alpha=True, raster transform=RasterTransformNone)

Render tiled model image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.
- raster\_transform (Metashape.RasterTransformType) Raster band transformation.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

renderMask(transform, calibration, resolution=1, cull\_faces=True)

Render tiled model mask image for specified viewpoint.

#### **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

#### Return type

Metashape.Image

**renderNormalMap**(transform, calibration, resolution=1, cull\_faces=True, add\_alpha=True)

Render image with tiled model normals for specified viewpoint.

## **Parameters**

- transform (Metashape.Matrix) Camera location.
- calibration (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- **resolution** (*float*) Level of detail resolution in screen pixels.
- **cull\_faces** (*bool*) Enable back-face culling.
- add\_alpha (bool) Generate image with alpha channel.

#### Returns

Rendered image.

#### **Return type**

renderPreview(width = 2048, height = 2048[, transform][, progress])

Generate tiled model preview image.

#### **Parameters**

- width (int) Preview image width.
- **height** (*int*) Preview image height.
- **transform** (Metashape.Matrix) 4x4 viewpoint transformation matrix.
- **progress** (Callable[[float], None]) Progress callback.

#### Returns

Preview image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

#### transform

4x4 tiled model transformation matrix.

## **Type**

Metashape.Matrix

## class Metashape.TiledModelFormat

Tiled model format in [TiledModelFormatNone, TiledModelFormatTLS, TiledModelFormatLOD, TiledModelFormatZIP, TiledModelFormatCesium, TiledModelFormatSLPK, TiledModelFormatOSGB, TiledModelFormatOSGT, TiledModelFormat3MX]

#### class Metashape.TrajectoryFormat

Trajectory format in [TrajectoryFormatNone, TrajectoryFormatCSV, TrajectoryFormatSBET, TrajectoryFormatSOL, TrajectoryFormatTRJ]

#### class Metashape. Utils

Utility functions.

### createChessboardImage(calib, cell\_size=150, max\_tilt=30)

Synthesizes photo of a chessboard.

### **Parameters**

- calib (Metashape.Calibration) Camera calibration.
- cell\_size (float) Chessboard cell size.
- max\_tilt (float) Maximum camera tilt in degrees.

#### **Returns**

Resulting image.

## Return type

Metashape.Image

# $\textbf{createDifferenceMask} (\textit{image}, \textit{background}, \textit{tolerance} = 10, \textit{fit\_colors} = \textit{True})$

Creates mask from a pair of images or an image and specified color.

## **Parameters**

- image (Metashape.Image) Image to be masked.
- background (Metashape.Image / tuple[int, ...]) Background image or color value.

- tolerance (int) Tolerance value.
- **fit\_colors** (*bool*) Enables white balance correction.

#### Returns

Resulting mask.

### **Return type**

Metashape.Image

### createMarkers(chunk, projections)

Creates markers from a list of non coded projections.

#### **Parameters**

- chunk (Metashape.Chunk) Chunk to create markers in.
- **projections** (*list[tuple[Metashape.Camera*, Metashape.Target]]) List of marker projections.

Detect targets on the image.

#### **Parameters**

- image (Metashape.Image) Image to process.
- **type** (Metashape.TargetType) Type of targets.
- **tolerance** (*int*) Detector tolerance (0 100).
- **inverted** (*bool*) Detect markers on black background.
- **noparity** (*boo1*) Disable parity checking.
- minimum\_size (int) Minimum target radius in pixels to be detected (CrossTarget type only).
- minimum\_dist (int) Minimum distance between targets in pixels (CrossTarget type only).

#### **Returns**

List of detected targets.

## Return type

list[Metashape.Target]

dmat2euler(R, dR, euler\_angles=EulerAnglesYPR)

Calculate tangent euler rotation vector from tangent rotation matrix.

## **Parameters**

- R (Metashape.Matrix) Rotation matrix.
- **dR** (Metashape.Matrix) Tangent rotation matrix.
- euler\_angles (Metashape.EulerAngles) Euler angles to use.

#### Returns

Tangent rotation angles in degrees.

#### **Return type**

Metashape.Vector

# estimateImageQuality(image[, mask])

Estimate image sharpness.

#### **Parameters**

- image (Metashape.Image) Image to be analyzed.
- mask (Metashape.Image) Mask of the analyzed image region.

#### Returns

Quality metric.

### Return type

float

## euler2mat(rotation, euler\_angles=EulerAnglesYPR)

Calculate camera to world rotation matrix from euler rotation angles.

#### **Parameters**

- rotation (Metashape. Vector) Rotation vector.
- euler\_angles (Metashape.EulerAngles) Euler angles to use.

#### Returns

Rotation matrix.

## Return type

Metashape.Matrix

## mat2euler(R, euler\_angles=EulerAnglesYPR)

Calculate euler rotation angles from camera to world rotation matrix.

#### **Parameters**

- **R** (Metashape.Matrix) Rotation matrix.
- euler\_angles (Metashape.EulerAngles) Euler angles to use.

#### Returns

Rotation angles in degrees.

## **Return type**

Metashape.Vector

## mat2opk(R)

Calculate omega, phi, kappa from camera to world rotation matrix.

#### **Parameters**

**R** (Metashape.Matrix) – Rotation matrix.

## Returns

Omega, phi, kappa angles in degrees.

# Return type

Metashape.Vector

#### mat2ypr(R)

Calculate yaw, pitch, roll from camera to world rotation matrix.

## **Parameters**

**R** (Metashape.Matrix) — Rotation matrix.

#### Returns

Yaw, pitch roll angles in degrees.

## Return type

Metashape.Vector

## opk2mat(angles)

Calculate camera to world rotation matrix from omega, phi, kappa angles.

#### **Parameters**

angles (Metashape. Vector) - Omega, phi, kappa angles in degrees.

### Returns

Rotation matrix.

#### Return type

Metashape.Matrix

## ypr2mat(angles)

Calculate camera to world rotation matrix from yaw, pitch, roll angles.

#### **Parameters**

angles (Metashape. Vector) - Yaw, pitch, roll angles in degrees.

#### Returns

Rotation matrix.

## Return type

Metashape.Matrix

### class Metashape. Vector

n-component vector

```
>>> import Metashape
>>> vect = Metashape.Vector((1, 2, 3))
>>> vect2 = vect.copy()
>>> vect2.size = 4
>>> vect2.w = 5
>>> vect2 *= -1.5
>>> vectsize = 4
>>> vect.normalize()
>>> Metashape.app.messageBox("Scalar product is " + str(vect2 * vect))
```

## copy()

Return a copy of the vector.

#### Returns

A copy of the vector.

## Return type

Metashape.Vector

## cross(a, b)

Cross product of 2 vectors.

#### **Parameters**

- a (Metashape.Vector) First vector.
- **b** (Metashape.Vector) Second vector.

## Returns

Cross product.

**Return type** 

```
Metashape.Vector
     norm()
           Return norm of the vector.
     norm2()
           Return squared norm of the vector.
     normalize()
           Normalize vector to the unit length.
     normalized()
           Return a new, normalized vector.
               Returns
                   a normalized copy of the vector
               Return type
                   Metashape.Vector
     size
           Vector dimensions.
               Type
                   int
           Vector W component.
               Type
                   float
     х
           Vector X component.
               Type
                   float
     у
           Vector Y component.
               Type
                   float
     Z
           Vector Z component.
               Type
                   float
     zero()
           Set all elements to zero.
class Metashape.Version
     Version object contains application version numbers.
     build
```

Build number.

```
Type
                  int
     copy()
          Return a copy of the object.
               Returns
                   A copy of the object.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Version
     major
          Major version number.
               Type
                   int
     micro
          Micro version number.
               Type
                   int
     minor
          Minor version number.
               Type
                   int
class Metashape.Viewpoint(app)
     Represents viewpoint in the model view
     center
          Camera center.
               Type
                   Metashape.Vector
     COO
          Center of orbit.
               Type
                   Metashape.Vector
     copy()
          Return a copy of the object.
               Returns
                   A copy of the object.
               Return type
                   Metashape.Viewpoint
     fov
          Camera vertical field of view in degrees.
               Type
                   float
```

```
height
          OpenGL window height.
              Type
                  int
     mag
          Camera magnification defined by distance to the center of rotation.
              Type
                  float
     rot
          Camera rotation matrix.
              Type
                  Metashape.Matrix
     width
          OpenGL window width.
              Type
                  int
class Metashape.Vignetting
     Vignetting polynomial
     copy()
          Return a copy of the object.
              Returns
                  A copy of the object.
              Return type
                  Metashape.Vignetting
```

## THREE

# PYTHON API CHANGE LOG

# 3.1 Metashape version 2.1.0

- Added Component and ModelGroup classes
- Added TrajectoryData, LaserScansData and DepthMapsAndLaserScansData to DataSource enum
- Added PointCloudFormatCOPC to PointCloudFormat enum
- Added ModelViewElevation to ModelView.ModelViewMode enum
- Added TiePointsViewElevation to ModelView.TiePointsViewMode enum
- Added TiledModelViewElevation to ModelView.TiledModelViewMode enum
- Added Chunk.mergeComponents() and Chunk.splitComponents() methods
- Added Elevation.pickPoint() method
- Added ModelView.captureVideo() method
- · Added Camera.component attribute
- · Added loop and smooth attributes to CameraTrack class
- Added component, components, model\_group and model\_groups attributes to Chunk class
- · Added crs, group and transform attributes to Model class
- Added PointCloud.component attribute
- Added replace\_asset and frames attributes to BuildModel, BuildTiledModel, BuildPointCloud, BuildDem, BuildOrthomosaic, DecimateModel, FilterPointCloud, ImportRaster and TransformRaster classes
- Added split\_in\_blocks, blocks\_crs, blocks\_size, blocks\_origin, clip\_to\_boundary, export\_blocks, build\_texture and output\_folder attributes to BuildModel class
- Added workitem\_size\_cameras and max\_workgroup\_size attributes to BuildTexture class
- Added BuildUV.pixel\_size attribute
- Added ClassifyGroundPoints.max\_terrain\_slope attribute
- Added ExportPointCloud.tileset\_version attribute
- Added ExportRaster.asset attribute
- Added model attribute to ColorizeModel and SmoothModel classes
- Added tiled\_model, tileset\_version, model\_group, pixel\_size, tile\_size and face\_count attributes to ExportTiled-Model class
- Added replace\_asset and frame\_paths attributes to ImportModel class

- Added match\_laser\_scans, downscale\_3d, keypoint\_limit\_3d and laser\_scans\_vertical\_axis attributes to Match-Photos class
- Added classes and apply\_to\_selection attributes to SmoothPointCloud class
- · Added ImportPointCloud.ignore\_normals attribute
- Added replace\_asset and frames arguments to Chunk.buildModel(), Chunk.buildTiledModel(),
   Chunk.buildPointCloud(), Chunk.buildDem(), Chunk.buildOrthomosaic(), Chunk.decimateModel(),
   Chunk.filterPointCloud(), Chunk.importRaster() and Chunk.transformRaster() methods
- Added replace\_asset and frame\_paths arguments to Chunk.importModel() method
- Added split\_in\_blocks, blocks\_crs, blocks\_size, blocks\_origin, clip\_to\_boundary, export\_blocks, build\_texture and output\_folder arguments to Chunk.buildModel() method
- Added workitem\_size\_cameras and max\_workgroup\_size arguments to Chunk.buildTexture() method
- Added pixel\_size argument to Chunk.buildUV() method
- Added max\_terrain\_slope argument to Chunk.classifyGroundPoints() method
- Added tileset\_version argument to Chunk.exportPointCloud() method
- Added asset argument to Chunk.exportRaster() method
- Added model argument to Chunk.colorizeModel() and Chunk.smoothModel() methods
- Added tiled\_model, tileset\_version, model\_group, pixel\_size, tile\_size and face\_count arguments to Chunk.exportTiledModel() method
- Added match\_laser\_scans, downscale\_3d, keypoint\_limit\_3d and laser\_scans\_vertical\_axis arguments to Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added classes and apply\_to\_selection arguments to Chunk.smoothPointCloud() method
- Added ignore\_normals argument to Chunk.importPointCloud() method
- Added publish argument to CloudClient.uploadProject() method
- Replaced ExportTiledModel.use\_rtc\_center attribute with use\_tileset\_transform
- Replaced use\_rtc\_center argument in Chunk.exportTiledModel() method with use\_tileset\_transform
- Renamed RefineMesh class to RefineModel
- Renamed Chunk.refineMesh() method to refineModel()
- Renamed Model.transform() method to transformVertices()
- Renamed NetworkClient.serverInfo() method to serverVersion()
- Renamed NetworkClient.serverStatus() method to serverInfo()
- Renamed NetworkClient.batchStatus() method to batchInfo()
- Renamed NetworkClient.dumpBatches() method to exportBatches()
- Renamed NetworkClient.loadBatches() method to importBatches()
- Renamed NetworkClient.setBatchNodeLimit() method to setBatchWorkerLimit()
- Renamed NetworkClient.nodeList() method to workerList()
- Renamed NetworkClient.nodeStatus() method to workerInfo()
- Renamed NetworkClient.quitNode() method to quitWorker()
- Renamed NetworkClient.abortNode() method to abortWorker()

- Renamed NetworkClient.setNodeCPUEnable() method to setWorkerCpuEnabled()
- Renamed NetworkClient.setNodeCapability() method to setWorkerCapability()
- Renamed NetworkClient.setNodeGPUMask() method to setWorkerGpuMask()
- Renamed NetworkClient.setNodePaused() method to setWorkerPaused()
- Renamed NetworkClient.setNodePriority() method to setWorkerPriority()
- Renamed NetworkTask.supports\_gpu attribute to gpu\_support
- Renamed supports\_gpu attribute to gpu\_support in task classes
- · Renamed DecimateModel.asset attribute to model
- Renamed TransformRaster.data source attribute to source data
- Renamed RenderDepthMaps.export\_depth, export\_diffuse and export\_normals attributes to save\_depth, save\_diffuse and save\_normals
- Renamed asset argument in Chunk.decimateModel() method to model
- Renamed data\_source argument in Chunk.transformRaster() method to source\_data
- Added .pyi stub file to stand-alone Python module for autocompletion in external IDEs

# 3.2 Metashape version 2.0.4

- Added borrowLicense() and returnLicense() methods to License class
- Added removeTextures(), removeUV(), removeVertexColors() and removeVertexConfidence() methods to Model class
- · Added License.expiration attribute
- Added publish argument to CloudClient.uploadProject() method
- Added format argument to RPCModel.load() and RPCModel.save() methods

# 3.3 Metashape version 2.0.3

- Added SmoothPointCloud class
- Added Chunk.smoothPointCloud() method
- Added enabled and selected attributes to PointCloud class
- $\bullet \ \ Added \ mask\_dark\_pixels \ and \ frame\_detector \ attributes \ to \ DetectFiducials \ class$
- Added mask\_dark\_pixels and frame\_detector arguments to Chunk.detectFiducials() method

# 3.4 Metashape version 2.0.2

- Added PointCloudGroup class
- Added TiledModelFormat3MX to TiledModelFormat enum
- Added Chunk.addPointCloudGroup() and Chunk.findPointCloudGroup() methods
- Added Chunk.point\_cloud\_groups attribute
- Added PointCloud.group and PointCloud.is\_laser\_scan attributes

# 3.5 Metashape version 2.0.1

- Added License.install() method
- Added DetectFiducials.v\_shape\_detector attribute
- Added model and save\_metadata\_xml attributes to ExportModel task
- Added v shape detector argument to Chunk.detectFiducials() method
- Added model and save\_metadata\_xml arguments to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Replaced license\_key argument with activation\_params in License.activateOffline() method

# 3.6 Metashape version 2.0.0

- · Added TrajectoryFormat enum
- Added DisplacementMap to Model.TextureType enum
- Added ImportTrajectory class
- · Added ImportDepthImages class
- Added Chunk.importTrajectory() method
- Added Chunk.importDepthImages() method
- Added AlignCameras.point\_clouds attribute
- Added ImportDepthImages.color\_filenames attribute
- Added precision, is\_laser\_scan, replace\_asset, import\_images, scanner\_at\_origin, ignore\_scanner\_origin, ignore\_trajectory, trajectory and frame\_paths attributes to ImportPointCloud class
- Added keep\_existing, return\_number and point\_cloud attributes to ClassifyGroundPoints class
- Added point\_cloud attribute to ClassifyPoints, ColorizePointCloud, CalculatePointNormals, CompactPointCloud and ExportPointCloud classes
- Added max\_quantization\_error attribute to DetectPowerlines class
- Added use\_rtc\_center attribute to ExportTiledModel class
- Added merge\_assets, copy\_laser\_scans, copy\_depth\_maps, copy\_point\_clouds, copy\_models, copy\_tiled\_models, copy\_elevations and copy\_orthomosaics attributes to MergeChunks class
- Added point\_clouds argument to Chunk.alignCameras() method
- Added color filenames argument to Chunk.importDepthImages() method

- Added precision, is\_laser\_scan, replace\_asset, import\_images, scanner\_at\_origin, ignore\_scanner\_origin, ignore\_trajectory, trajectory and frame\_paths arguments to Chunk.importPointCloud() method
- Added point\_cloud argument to Chunk.calculatePointNormals(), Chunk.colorizePointCloud() and Chunk.exportPointCloud() methods
- Added max\_quantization\_error argument to Chunk.detectPowerlines() method
- Added keep\_existing and return\_number arguments to PointCloud.classifyGroundPoints() method
- Added use\_rtc\_center argument to Chunk.exportTiledModel() method
- Added merge\_assets, copy\_laser\_scans, copy\_depth\_maps, copy\_point\_clouds, copy\_models, copy\_tiled\_models, copy\_elevations and copy\_orthomosaics arguments to Document.mergeChunks() method
- Added drone\_name, payload\_name and payload\_position arguments to CameraTrack.save() method
- Change default source\_data argument value for Chunk.buildModel() and Chunk.buildTiledModel() methods to DepthMapsData
- · Renamed PointsFormat enum to PointCloudFormat
- Renamed ModelView.PointCloudViewMode enum to ModelView.TiePointsViewMode
- Renamed ModelView.DenseCloudViewMode enum to ModelView.PointCloudViewMode and added Point-CloudViewSolid, PointCloudViewIntensity, PointCloudViewElevation, PointCloudViewReturnNumber, Point-CloudViewScanAngle, PointCloudViewSourceId enumeration values
- Renamed DataSource.PointCloudData enum value to DataSource.TiePointsData
- Renamed DataSource.DenseCloudData enum value to DataSource.PointCloudData
- · Renamed PointCloud class to TiePoints
- Renamed DenseCloud class to PointCloud
- Renamed AnalyzePhotos class to AnalyzeImages
- · Renamed BuildDenseCloud class to BuildPointCloud
- Renamed CalibrateLens class to CalibrateCamera
- · Renamed ColorizeDenseCloud class to ColorizePointCloud
- Renamed CompactDenseCloud class to CompactPointCloud
- Renamed ExportDepth class to RenderDepthMaps
- · Renamed ExportPoints class to ExportPointCloud
- · Renamed FilterDenseCloud class to FilterPointCloud
- Renamed ImportPoints class to ImportPointCloud
- Renamed TriangulatePoints class to TriangulateTiePoints
- Renamed Chunk.addDenseCloud() method to addPointCloud()
- Renamed Chunk.analyzePhotos() method to analyzeImages()
- Renamed Chunk.buildDenseCloud() method to buildPointCloud()
- Renamed Chunk.colorizeDenseCloud() method to colorizePointCloud()
- Renamed Chunk.exportPoints() method to exportPointCloud()
- Renamed Chunk.filterDenseCloud() method to filterPointCloud()
- Renamed Chunk.findDenseCloud() method to findPointCloud()

- Renamed Chunk.importPoints() method to importPointCloud()
- Renamed Chunk.thinPointCloud() method to thinTiePoints()
- Renamed Chunk.triangulatePoints() method to triangulateTiePoints()
- Renamed Chunk.point\_cloud attribute to tie\_points
- Renamed Chunk.dense cloud attribute to point cloud
- Renamed Chunk.dense clouds attribute to point clouds
- Renamed ModelView.point\_cloud\_view\_mode attribute to tie\_points\_view\_mode
- Renamed ModelView.dense\_cloud\_view\_mode attribute to point\_cloud\_view\_mode
- Renamed AddFrames.copy\_dense\_cloud attribute to copy\_point\_cloud
- Renamed DuplicateChunk.copy\_dense\_clouds attribute to copy\_point\_clouds
- Renamed FilterPointCloud.asset attribute to point\_cloud
- Renamed PublishData.save\_point\_colors attribute to save\_point\_color
- Renamed copy\_dense\_cloud argument in Chunk.addFrames() method to copy\_point\_cloud
- Renamed save\_point\_colors argument in Chunk.publishData() method to save\_point\_color
- Renamed asset argument in Chunk.filterPointCloud() method to point\_cloud
- Renamed source argument in PointCloud.classifyGroundPoints() method to source\_class
- Revised parameter names for point attributes in ExportPointCloud class and Chunk.exportPointCloud() methods
- Removed ImportLaserScans class
- Removed Chunk.importLaserScans() method
- Removed Chunk.samplePoints() method
- Removed use\_trajectory, traj\_path, traj\_columns, traj\_delimiter and traj\_skip\_rows attributes from ImportPoint-Cloud class
- Removed use\_trajectory, traj\_path, traj\_columns, traj\_delimiter and traj\_skip\_rows arguments from Chunk.importPointCloud() method
- Removed merge\_depth\_maps, merge\_dense\_clouds, merge\_models, merge\_elevations and merge\_orthomosaics attributes from MergeChunks class
- Removed merge\_depth\_maps, merge\_dense\_clouds, merge\_models, merge\_elevations and merge\_orthomosaics arguments from Document.mergeChunks() method

# 3.7 Metashape version 1.8.5

- · Added DetectPowerlines class
- Added Chunk.detectPowerlines() method
- Added CameraTrack.interpolate() method
- Added generic\_detector, right\_angle\_detector, fiducials\_position\_corners and fiducials\_position\_sides attributes to DetectFiducials class
- Added archive attribute to LoadProject and SaveProject classes

- Added generic\_detector, right\_angle\_detector, fiducials\_position\_corners and fiducials\_position\_sides arguments to Chunk.detectFiducials() method
- Added archive argument to Document.open() and Document.save() methods

### 3.8 Metashape version 1.8.4

- · Added Shutter.Model enum
- Added ImageFormatBZ2, ImageFormatASCII and ImageFormatKTX to ImageFormat enum
- Added Shape.areaFitted() method
- Added ExportPoints.folder\_depth and ExportTiledModel.folder\_depth attributes
- Added ImportLaserScans.multiplane attribute
- Added folder\_depth argument to Chunk.exportPoints() and Chunk.exportTiledModel() methods
- Added multiplane argument to Chunk.importLaserScans() method
- Changed type of Sensor.rolling\_shutter attribute to Shutter.Model
- Fixed Antenna.location and Antenna.rotation attributes to return non-None values

### 3.9 Metashape version 1.8.3

- · Added CloudClient class
- · Added PublishData class
- Added CalibrationFormatSTMap to CalibrationFormat enum
- Reorganized arguments of Chunk.publishData() method

# 3.10 Metashape version 1.8.2

No Python API changes

# 3.11 Metashape version 1.8.1

- Added CamerasFormatMA to CamerasFormat enum
- Added global profile attribute to ExportRaster class
- Added traj\_columns, traj\_delimiter, traj\_path, traj\_skip\_rows and use\_trajectory attributes to ImportPoints class
- Added global\_profile argument to Chunk.exportRaster() method
- Added use\_trajectory, traj\_path, traj\_columns, traj\_delimiter and traj\_skip\_rows arguments to Chunk.importPoints() method
- Removed fix\_pixel\_aspect, fix\_principal\_point, and remove\_distortions attributes from ConvertImages class

### 3.12 Metashape version 1.8.0

- · Added BuildPanorama and CalculatePointNormals classes
- Added ImageFormatJXL to ImageFormat enum
- Added Cylindrical to Sensor. Type enum
- Added Chunk.buildPanorama(), Chunk.calculatePointNormals() and Chunk.filterDenseCloud() methods
- Added findCamera(), findCameraGroup(), findCameraTrack(), findDenseCloud(), findDepthMaps(), findElevation(), findMarker(), findMarkerGroup(), findModel(), findOrthomosaic(), findScalebar(), findScalebarGroup(), findSensor() and findTiledModel() methods to Chunk class
- Added NetworkClient.serverStatus() method
- Added NetworkClient.setBatchPaused() and NetworkClient.setNodePaused() methods
- Added Settings.project\_absolute\_paths and Settings.project\_compression attributes
- Added CloseHoles.apply\_to\_selection attribute
- Added ConvertImages.merge\_planes attribute
- Added ExportPoints.screen\_space\_error and ExportTiledModel.screen\_space\_error attributes
- Added ExportReport.font\_size attribute
- Added ImportPoints.point\_neighbors attribute
- Added home\_point, interesting\_zone, powerlines, restricted\_zone and safety\_zone attributes to PlanMission class
- Added apply\_to\_selection argument to Model.closeHoles() method
- Added file\_format and max\_waypoints arguments to CameraTrack.save() method
- Added screen\_space\_error argument to Chunk.exportPoints() and Chunk.exportTiledModel() methods
- Added font\_size argument to Chunk.exportReport() method
- Added point\_neighbors argument to Chunk.importPoints() method
- Removed Shape. Type enum
- · Removed ExportPanorama class
- Removed has\_z, type, vertex\_ids and vertices attributes from Shape class
- Removed pauseBatch(), resumeBatch(), pauseNode() and resumeNode() methods from NetworkClient class
- Removed PlanMission.max\_waypoints attribute
- Removed SaveProject.absolute\_paths and SaveProject.compression attributes
- Removed compression and absolute\_paths arguments from Document.save() method
- Changed default value of BuildTiledModel.face count attribute to 20000
- Changed default value of face\_count argument in Chunk.buildTiledModel() method to 20000

# 3.13 Metashape version 1.7.6

• Added Cylindrical to Sensor. Type enum

### 3.14 Metashape version 1.7.5

- · Added ClassifyGroundPoints.erosion\_radius attribute
- Added erosion\_radius argument to DenseCloud.classifyGroundPoints() method

### 3.15 Metashape version 1.7.4

- Added ServiceCesium to ServiceType enum
- Added ImportLaserScans class
- Added Chunk.colorizeDenseCloud() and Chunk.colorizeModel() methods
- Added Chunk.exportTexture() and Chunk.importLaserScans() methods
- Added breakpoints and rates attributed to GeneratePrescriptionMap class
- Added SmoothModel.preserve edges attribute
- Added breakpoints and rates arguments to Chunk.generatePrescriptionMap() method
- Added preserve\_edges argument to Chunk.smoothModel method
- Renamed ClusteringMethod enum to ClassificationMethod
- Renamed cluster\_count, clustering\_method and boundary attributes in GeneratePrescriptionMap class
- Renamed cluster\_count, clustering\_method and boundary arguments in Chunk.generatePrescriptionMap()
  method
- Removed ServiceSputnik from ServiceType enum
- Removed min\_value, max\_value and grid\_azimuth attributes from GeneratePrescriptionMap class
- Removed min\_value, max\_value and grid\_azimuth arguments from Chunk.generatePrescriptionMap() method

# 3.16 Metashape version 1.7.3

- · Added ModelFormatOSGT and ModelFormatLandXML to ModelFormat enum
- · Added TiledModelFormatOSGT to TiledModelFormat enum
- Added CoordinateSystem.datumTransform() method
- Added DenseCloud.selectPointsByShapes() method
- Added Sensor.makeMaster() method
- Added Utils.dmat2euler() method
- · Added Settings.lanuage attribute
- · Added ShapeGroup.meta attribute

- Added Shapes.group attribute
- Added ExportPoints.compression attribute
- Added ExportTiledModel.model\_compression attribute
- Added ImportModel.decode\_udim attribute
- Added MatchPhotos.keypoint\_limit\_per\_mpx attribute
- Added compression argument to Chunk.exportPoints() method
- Added model\_compression argument to Chunk.exportTiledModel() method
- Added decode\_udim argument to Chunk.importModel() method
- Added keypoint\_limit\_per\_mpx argument to Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added uniform\_sampling argument to Chunk.samplePoints() method

# 3.17 Metashape version 1.7.2

- · Added ClusteringMethod enum
- · Added PointsFormatSLPK to PointsFormat enum
- Added DuplicateAsset and GeneratePrescriptionMap classes
- Added Chunk.generatePrescriptionMap() method
- · Added merge, operand\_chunk, operand\_frame and operand\_asset attributes to BuildTiledModel class
- Added ExportReport.include\_system\_info attribute
- Added GenerateMasks.depth\_threshold attribute
- Added merge, operand\_chunk, operand\_frame and operand\_asset arguments to Chunk.buildTiledModel()
  method
- Added include\_system\_info argument to Chunk.exportReport() method
- Added depth\_threshold argument to Chunk.generateMasks() method

# 3.18 Metashape version 1.7.1

- Removed LegacyMapping from MappingMode enum
- Removed ReduceOverlap.sensor attribute
- Removed sensor argument from Chunk.reduceOverlap() method

# 3.19 Metashape version 1.7.0

- Added Geometry and AttachedGeometry classes
- Added FrameStep enum
- Added ServiceType enum
- Added Chunk.importVideo(), Chunk.publishData() and Chunk.samplePoints() methods
- Added Shape.geometry and Shape.is\_attached attributes
- Added alpha component to ShapeGroup.color attribute value
- Added ImportRaster.nodata\_value and ImportRaster.has\_nodata\_value attributes
- Added MatchPhotos.filter\_stationary\_points attribute
- Added BuildOrthomosaic.ghosting\_filter attribute
- Added attach\_viewpoints, group\_attached\_viewpoints and horizontal\_zigzags attributes to PlanMission class
- Added ReduceOverlap.sensor attribute
- Added dir argument to Application.getExistingDirectory(), getOpenFileName(), getOpenFileNames() and get-SaveFileName() methods
- Added nodata\_value and has\_nodata\_value arguments to Chunk.importRaster() method
- Added filter\_stationary\_points argument to Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added ghosting\_filter argument to Chunk.buildOrthomosaic() method
- Added sensor argument to Chunk.reduceOverlap() method
- Renamed ImportMasks class to GenerateMasks
- · Renamed MaskSource enum to MaskingMode
- Renamed Chunk.importMasks() method to Chunk.generateMasks()
- Removed ReduceOverlap.max\_cameras attribute
- Removed max\_cameras argument from Chunk.reduceOverlap() method

# 3.20 Metashape version 1.6.6

- · Added Tasks.TransformRaster class
- Added ExportReference.precision attribute
- Added toNetworkTask() method to task classes
- Added Chunk.transformRaster() method
- Added precision argument to Chunk.exportReference() method

## 3.21 Metashape version 1.6.5

· Added Sensor.meta attribute

### 3.22 Metashape version 1.6.4

- Added Model. Vertex.confidence attribute
- Added ConvertImages.use\_initial\_calibration attribute
- Added image\_orientation, save\_invalid\_matches and use\_initial\_calibration attributes to ExportCameras class
- Added ExportModel.save\_confidence attribute
- Added crs and image\_orientation attributes to ImportCameras class
- Added CalibrationFormatPhotomod to CalibrationFormat enum
- Added save\_invalid\_matches, use\_initial\_calibration and image\_orientation arguments to Chunk.exportCameras() method
- Added save\_confidence argument to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Added crs and image\_orientation arguments to Chunk.importCameras() method
- Removed BuildUV.adaptive\_resolution attribute
- Removed adaptive\_resolution argument from Chunk.buildUV() method

## 3.23 Metashape version 1.6.3

- Added renderPreview() methods to DenseCloud, Model, Orthomosaic, PointCloud and TiledModel classes
- Added BuildUV.texture\_size attribute
- Added DecimateModel.apply\_to\_selection attribute
- Added DetectFiducials.cameras, DetectFiducials.frames and DetectFiducials.generate\_masks attributes
- Added ExportModel.embed\_texture attribute
- Added clip\_to\_boundary attribute to ExportPoints, ExportModel, ExportTiledModel and ExportRaster classes
- Added RasterFormatGeoPackage to RasterFormat enum
- Added ShapesFormatGeoPackage to ShapesFormat enum
- Added source argument to Chunk.addSensor() method
- Added texture\_size argument to Chunk.buildUV() method
- Added apply\_to\_selection argument to Chunk.decimateModel() method
- Added generate\_masks, cameras and frames arguments to Chunk.detectFiducials() method
- Added embed\_texture argument to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Added width, height, point\_size and progress arguments to Chunk.renderPreview() method
- Added clip\_to\_boundary argument to Chunk.exportPoints(), Chunk.exportModel(), Chunk.exportTiledModel() and Chunk.exportRaster() methods

- Added meta argument to NetworkClient.createBatch() method
- Removed CalibrateLens.fit\_p3 and CalibrateLens.fit\_p4 attributes

### 3.24 Metashape version 1.6.2

- · Added Application.ModelView and Application.OrthoView classes
- Added Application.removeMenuItem() method
- Added Model.transform() method
- Added PointCloud.cleanup() method
- Added Application.model\_view and Application.ortho\_view attributes
- · Added BuildTexture.transfer texture attribute
- Added PlanMission.min pitch and PlanMission.max pitch attributes
- Added columns, crs, delimiter, group\_delimiters and skip\_rows attributes to ImportShapes class
- Added CamerasFormatNVM to CamerasFormat enum
- Added PointsFormatPTX to PointsFormat enum
- · Added ShapesFormatCSV to ShapesFormat enum
- Added transfer\_texture argument to Chunk.buildTexture() method
- Added columns, crs, delimiter, group\_delimiters and skip\_rows arguments to Chunk.importShapes() method
- Moved ModelViewMode enum to ModelView class
- Renamed Application.console attribute to console\_pane
- Renamed Application.captureModelView() method to ModelView.captureView()
- Renamed Application.captureOrthoView() method to OrthoView.captureView()
- Renamed Application.viewpoint attribute to ModelView.viewpoint
- Removed ReduceOverlap.capture\_distance attribute
- Removed capture\_distance argument from Chunk.reduceOverlap() method
- Changed default values of AlignCameras.reset\_alignment and MatchPhotos.reset\_matches attributes to False
- Changed default value of reset\_alignment argument in Chunk.alignCameras() method to False
- Changed default value of reset\_matches argument in Chunk.matchPhotos() method to False

# 3.25 Metashape version 1.6.1

- Added Application.releaseFreeMemory() method
- Added CoordinateSystem.towgs84 attribute
- · Added Marker.enabled attribute
- · Added BuildModel.subdivide task attribute
- Added subdivide\_task argument to Chunk.buildModel() method
- Changed default value of keep\_depth argument in Chunk.buildModel() and Chunk.buildTiledModel() to True

### 3.26 Metashape version 1.6.0

- Added BBox, ImageCompression, RPCModel and Model. Texture classes
- Added Tasks.ImportTiledModel and Task.ColorizeModel classes
- Added CalibrationFormat and ReferencePreselectionMode enums
- Added Model.addTexture() and Model.remove() methods
- Added Model.getActiveTexture() and Model.setActiveTexture() methods
- Added NetworkClient.setMasterServer() method
- Added setClassesFilter(), setConfidenceFilter(), setSelectionFilter() and resetFilters() methods to DenseCloud class
- Added renderDepth(), renderImage(), renderMask() and renderNormalMap() methods to PointCloud, Dense-Cloud and TiledModel classes
- Added Chunk.renderPreview() method
- Added Utils.euler2mat() and Utils.mat2euler() methods
- Added Calibration.rpc attribute
- Added Marker.position\_covariance attribute
- · Added Model.textures attribute
- Added TiledModel.crs and TiledModel.transform attributes
- · Added EulerAnglesPOK and EulerAnglesANK values to EulerAngles enum
- Added PointsFormatPCD to PointsFormat enum
- Added ShapesFormatGeoJSON to ShapesFormat enum
- · Added RPC to Sensor. Type enum
- Added image\_compression attribute to ExportOrthophotos, ExportRaster, ExportTiledModel and UndistortPhotos classes
- Added AddPhotos.load\_rpc\_txt attribute
- Added AlignCameras.min\_image attribute
- Added BuildDenseCloud.point\_confidence attribute
- Added BuildModel.vertex\_confidence, BuildModel.max\_workgroup\_size and Build-Model.workitem\_size\_cameras attributes
- Added BuildTexture.source\_model and BuildTexture.texture\_type attributes
- Added BuildUV.adaptive\_resolution attribute
- Added DecimateModel.asset attribute
- Added ExportPanorama.image\_compression attribute
- Added ExportPoints.save\_classes and ExportPoints.save\_confidence attributes
- Added ExportTexture.texture\_type attribute
- Added ExportTiledModel.crs attribute
- Added ImportCameras.image\_list and ImportCameras.load\_image\_list attributes
- Added ImportPoints.calculate\_normals attribute

- Added MatchPhotos.guided\_matching and MatchPhotos.reference\_preselection\_mode attributes
- Added MergeChunks.merge\_depth\_maps, MergeChunks.merge\_elevations and MergeChunks.merge\_orthomosaics attributes
- · Added OptimizeCameras.fit\_corrections attribute
- Added TriangulatePoints.max\_error and TriangulatePoints.min\_image attributes
- Added endpoints argument to PointCloud.pickPoint(), DenseCloud.pickPoint(), Model.pickPoint() and Tiled-Model.pickPoint() methods
- · Added compression argument to Image.save() method
- Added cull\_faces and add\_alpha arguments to Model.renderDepth() method
- Added cull\_faces, add\_alpha and raster\_transform arguments to Model.renderImage() method
- Added cull\_faces argument to Model.renderMask() method
- Added cull\_faces and add\_alpha arguments to Model.renderNormalMap() method
- Moved TiffCompression enum to ImageCompression class
- Renamed Tasks.UndistortPhotos class to Tasks.ConvertImages
- Renamed Chunk.estimateImageQuality() method to Chunk.analyzePhotos()
- Renamed Chunk.buildPoints() method to Chunk.triangulatePoints()
- Renamed Chunk.loadReference() method to Chunk.importReference()
- Renamed Chunk.saveReference() method to Chunk.exportReference()
- Renamed Chunk.refineModel() method to Chunk.refineMesh()
- Renamed network\_distribute tasks attribute to subdivide\_task
- Renamed AlignChunks.align\_method attribute to method
- Renamed AlignChunks.match\_downscale attribute to downscale
- Renamed AlignChunks.match\_filter\_mask attribute to filter\_mask
- Renamed AlignChunks.match\_mask\_tiepoints attribute to mask\_tiepoints
- Renamed AlignChunks.match\_point\_limit attribute to keypoint\_limit
- Renamed AlignChunks.match\_select\_pairs attribute to generic\_preselection
- Renamed BuildDenseCloud.store\_depth attribute to keep\_depth
- Renamed BuildModel.store depth attribute to keep depth
- Renamed BuildOrthomosaic.ortho\_surface attribute to surface\_data
- Renamed BuildTiledModel.store\_depth attribute to keep\_depth
- Renamed BuildUV.texture\_count attribute to page\_count
- Renamed CalibrateColors.data\_source attribute to source\_data
- Renamed CalibrateColors.calibrate\_color\_balance attribute to white\_balance
- Renamed ClassifyGroundPoints.cls\_from attribute to source\_class
- Renamed ClassifyPoints.cls\_from attribute to source\_class
- Renamed ClassifyPoints.cls\_to attribute to target\_classes
- Renamed DecimateModel.target face count attribute to face count

- Renamed DuplicateChunk.copy\_dense\_cloud attribute to copy\_dense\_clouds
- Renamed ClassifyPoints.copy\_elevation attribute to copy\_elevations
- Renamed ClassifyPoints.copy\_model attribute to copy\_models
- Renamed ClassifyPoints.copy\_orthomosaic attribute to copy\_orthomosaics
- Renamed ClassifyPoints.copy\_tiled\_model attribute to copy\_tiled\_models
- Renamed ExportCameras.bingo\_export\_geoin attribute to bingo\_save\_geoin
- Renamed ExportCameras.bingo\_export\_gps attribute to bingo\_save\_gps
- Renamed ExportCameras.bingo\_export\_image attribute to bingo\_save\_image
- Renamed ExportCameras.bingo\_export\_itera attribute to bingo\_save\_itera
- Renamed ExportCameras.bundler\_export\_list attribute to bundler\_save\_list
- Renamed ExportCameras.chan\_order\_rotate attribute to chan\_rotation\_order
- Renamed ExportCameras.coordinates attribute to crs
- Renamed ExportCameras.export\_markers attribute to save\_markers
- Renamed ExportCameras.export\_points attribute to save\_points
- Renamed ExportMarkers.coordinates attribute to crs
- · Renamed ExportModel.coordinates attribute to crs
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_alpha attribute to save\_alpha
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_cameras attribute to save\_cameras
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_colors attribute to save\_colors
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_comment attribute to save\_comment
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_markers attribute to save\_markers
- $\bullet \ \ Renamed \ ExportModel.export\_normals \ attribute \ to \ save\_normals \\$
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_texture attribute to save\_texture
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_udim attribute to save\_udim
- Renamed ExportModel.export\_uv attribute to save\_uv
- Renamed ExportOrthophotos.write\_alpha attribute to save\_alpha
- Renamed ExportOrthophotos.write\_kml attribute to save\_kml
- Renamed ExportOrthophotos.write world attribute to save world
- · Renamed ExportPoints.coordinates attribute to crs
- Renamed ExportPoints.data\_source attribute to source\_data
- Renamed ExportPoints.export\_colors attribute to save\_colors
- Renamed ExportPoints.export\_comment attribute to save\_comment
- Renamed ExportPoints.export\_images attribute to save\_images
- Renamed ExportPoints.export\_normals attribute to save\_normals
- Renamed ExportPoints.tile height attribute to block height
- Renamed ExportPoints.tile width attribute to block width

- Renamed ExportPoints.write\_tiles attribute to split\_in\_blocks
- Renamed ExportRaster.data\_source attribute to source\_data
- Renamed ExportRaster.kmz\_section\_enable attribute to network\_links
- Renamed ExportRaster.tile\_width attribute to block\_width
- Renamed ExportRaster.tile height attribute to block height
- Renamed ExportRaster.write alpha attribute to save alpha
- Renamed ExportRaster.write\_kml attribute to save\_kml
- Renamed ExportRaster.write\_scheme attribute to save\_scheme
- Renamed ExportRaster.write\_tiles attribute to split\_in\_blocks
- Renamed ExportRaster.write\_world attribute to save\_world
- Renamed ExportRaster.xyz\_level\_min attribute to min\_zoom\_level
- Renamed ExportRaster.xyz\_level\_max attribute to max\_zoom\_level
- Renamed ExportShapes.coordinates attribute to crs
- Renamed ExportShapes.export\_attributes attribute to save\_attributes
- Renamed ExportShapes.export\_labels attribute to save\_labels
- Renamed ExportShapes.export\_points attribute to save\_points
- Renamed ExportShapes.export\_polygons attribute to save\_polygons
- Renamed ExportShapes.export\_polylines attribute to save\_polylines
- Renamed ExportTexture.write\_alpha attribute to save\_alpha
- Renamed ExportTiledModel.mesh\_format attribute to model\_format
- Renamed ImportMasks.method attribute to source
- Renamed ImportModel.coordinates attribute to crs
- · Renamed ImportPoints.coordinates attribute to crs
- Renamed ImportReference.coordinates attribute to crs
- Renamed MatchPhotos.preselection\_generic attribute to generic\_preselection
- $\bullet \ \ Renamed \ Match Photos. preselection\_reference \ attribute \ to \ reference\_preselection$
- Renamed MatchPhotos.store\_keypoints attribute to keep\_keypoints
- Renamed RefineMesh.niterations attribute to iterations
- Renamed SmoothModel.apply\_to\_selected attribute to apply\_to\_selection
- Renamed TrackMarkers.frame\_start attribute to first\_frame
- Renamed TrackMarkers.frame\_end attribute to last\_frame
- Renamed processing methods arguments to match task parameters names (e.g. dx/dy -> resolution\_x/resolution\_y, write\_xxx -> save\_xxx, export\_xxx -> save\_xxx, import\_xxx -> load\_xxx, preselection\_generic -> generic\_preselection, preselection\_reference -> reference\_preselection, source\_data -> data\_source, etc.)
- Replaced Chunk.importDem() method with Chunk.importRaster() method
- Replaced Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() methods with Chunk.exportRaster() method

- · Removed Accuracy and Quality enums
- Removed Model.texture() and Model.setTexture() methods
- Removed ExportPoints.precision attribute
- Removed OptimizeCameras.fit\_p3 and OptimizeCameras.fit\_p4 attributes
- · Removed PlanMission.max cameras and PlanMission.use cameras attributes
- Removed tiff big, tiff tiled and tiff overviews attributes from ExportOrthophotos and ExportRaster classes
- Removed tiff\_compression attribute from ExportOrthophotos, ExportRaster and UndistortPhotos classes
- Removed jpeg\_quality attribute from ExportOrthophotos, ExportRaster, ExportTiledModel and UndistortPhotos classes

## 3.27 Metashape version 1.5.5

No Python API changes

### 3.28 Metashape version 1.5.4

- · Added Tasks.FilterDenseCloud class
- · Added TiledModel.FaceCount enum
- Added copy() method to Antenna, Calibration, ChunkTransform, CirTransform, CoordinateSystem, Document, MetaData, OrthoProjection, RasterTransform, Region, Shutter, Target, Version, Viewpoint and Vignetting classes
- Added CameraTrack.save() and CameraTrack.load() methods
- Added Chunk.reduceOverlap() method
- Added location\_enabled and rotation\_enabled attributes to Sensor.Reference class
- Added CameraTrack.chunk and CameraTrack.meta attributes
- Added BuildTiledModel.ghosting filter and BuildTiledModel.transfer texture attributes
- Added ExportPoints.network\_distribute and ExportPoints.region attributes
- Added ExportTiledModel.jpeg\_quality and ExportTiledModel.texture\_format attributes
- Added prevent\_intersections argument to Chunk.buildContours() method
- Added transfer\_texture argument to Chunk.buildTiledModel() method
- Added region argument to Chunk.exportPoints() method
- Added texture\_format and jpeg\_quality arguments to Chunk.exportTiledModel() method
- Added progress argument to Chunk.importMarkers() method
- Added ImageFormatWebP to ImageFormat enum

# 3.29 Metashape version 1.5.3

- Added DepthMap.getCalibration() and DepthMap.setCalibration() methods
- Added NetworkClient.dumpBatches(), NetworkClient.loadBatches() and NetworkClient.setBatchNodeLimit()
  methods
- Added location\_enabled and rotation\_enabled attributes to Camera.Reference class
- Added keep\_depth argument to Chunk.buildTiledModel() method
- · Added uv argument to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Added level argument to DepthMap.image() and DepthMap.setImage() methods
- Changed default value of keep\_depth argument in Chunk.buildDenseCloud() and Chunk.buildModel() methods to True
- Changed default value of max\_neighbors argument in Chunk.buildDenseCloud() method to 100

## 3.30 Metashape version 1.5.2

- Added CameraTrack class
- Added Tasks.PlanMission and Tasks.ReduceOverlap classes
- · Added Camera. Type enum
- Added Chunk.addCameraTrack() method
- Added Application.title attribute
- Added Camera.type attribute
- Added Chunk.camera\_track and Chunk.camera\_tracks attributes
- Added BuildModel.trimming\_radius attribute
- · Added DetectMarkers.filter\_mask attribute
- Added ImportReference.shutter\_lag attribute
- Added Bundler and BINGO specific attributes to ExportCameras class
- Added supports\_gpu attribute to task classes
- Added x, y, w, h arguments to Image.open() method
- Added filter\_mask argument to Chunk.detectMarkers() method
- Added image list argument to Chunk.importCameras() method
- Added shutter\_lag argument to Chunk.loadReference() method
- Added ImageFormatBIL, ImageFormatXYZ, ImageFormatDDS to ImageFormat enum
- · Removed Tasks.PlanMotion class
- · Removed Animation class
- · Removed Chunk.animation attribute
- Removed smoothness attribute from Tasks.BuildModel and Tasks.BuildTiledModel classes
- Removed quality and reuse\_depth arguments from Chunk.buildModel() method

 Removed downscale, filter\_mode, max\_neighbors, max\_workgroup\_size, network\_distribute, reuse\_depth, workitem size cameras from Tasks.BuildModel class

### 3.31 Metashape version 1.5.1

- · Added License class
- Added Tasks.MergeAssets class
- · Added Metashape.license attribute
- Renamed Tasks.OptimizeCoverage class to Tasks.PlanMotion

# 3.32 Metashape version 1.5.0

- · Added Sensor.Reference class
- Added Tasks.ClassifyPoints and Tasks.OptimizeCoverage classes
- Added DataType enum
- Added Model.TextureType enum
- Added Tasks.TargetType enum
- · Added Animation.Track.resize() method
- Added Chunk.findFrame() method
- Added DenseCloud.classifyPoints() method
- Added Document.findChunk() method
- Added Model.Faces.resize(), Model.Vertices.resize() and Model.TexVertices.resize() methods
- Added Tasks.createTask() method
- Added decode(), decodeJSON(), encodeJSON() methods to task classes
- · Added Antenna.location\_covariance and Antenna.rotation\_covariance attributes
- Added Camera.calibration, Camera.location\_covariance and Camera.rotation\_covariance attributes
- Added Chunk.image\_contrast attribute
- Added DenseCloud.bands and DenseCloud.data\_type attributes
- Added Model.bands and Model.data\_type attributes
- Added Elevation.palette attribute
- Added Model.Face.tex\_index attribute
- Added Orthomosaic.bands and Orthomosaic.data\_type attributes
- Added PointCloud.Point.cov attribute
- Added PointCloud.bands and PointCloud.data type attributes
- Added Sensor.data\_type, Sensor.film\_camera, Sensor.location\_covariance, Sensor.reference and Sensor.rotation\_covariance attributes
- Added Sensor.fixed\_params and Sensor.photo\_params attributes

- Added TiledModel.bands and TiledModel.data\_type attributes
- Added AlignChunks.markers and AlignChunks.match\_mask\_tiepoints attributes
- Added BuildOrthomosaic.refine\_seamlines attribute
- Added DetectMarkers.cameras and DetectMarkers.maximum residual attributes
- Added ExportModel.colors\_rgb\_8bit and ExportPoints.colors\_rgb\_8bit attributes
- Added ExportOrthophotos.tiff\_tiled and ExportRaster.tiff\_tiled attributes
- Added OptimizeCameras.tiepoint\_covariance attribute
- · Added BuildModel.smoothness and BuildTiledModel.smoothness attributes
- Added target and workitem\_count attributes to task classes
- Added max\_workgroup\_size and workitem\_size\_tiles attributes to Tasks.BuildDem class
- Added max\_workgroup\_size and workitem\_size\_cameras attributes to Tasks.BuildDenseCloud class
- Added max\_workgroup\_size and workitem\_size\_cameras attributes to Tasks.BuildDepthMaps class
- Added max\_workgroup\_size and workitem\_size\_cameras attributes to Tasks.BuildModel class
- Added max\_workgroup\_size, workitem\_size\_cameras and workitem\_size\_tiles attributes to Tasks.BuildOrthomosaic class
- Added max\_workgroup\_size, workitem\_size\_cameras and face\_count attributes attributes to Tasks.BuildTiledModel class
- Added max\_workgroup\_size, workitem\_size\_cameras and workitem\_size\_pairs attributes to Tasks.MatchPhotos
  class
- Added refine\_seamlines argument to Chunk.buildOrthomosaic() method
- Added face\_count argument to Chunk.buildTiledModel() method
- Added keypoints argument to Chunk.copy() method
- Added maximum\_residual and cameras arguments to Chunk.detectMarkers() method
- Added tiff\_tiled argument to Chunk.exportDem(), Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() and Chunk.exportOrthophotos()
  methods
- Added colors\_rgb\_8bit argument to Chunk.exportModel() and Chunk.exportPoints() methods
- Added tiepoint\_covariance argument to Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- Added confidence argument to DenseCloud.classifyPoints() method
- Added mask tiepoints and markers arguments to Document.alignChunks() method
- Added ignore\_lock argument to Document.open() method
- Added type argument to Model.setTexture() and Model.texture() methods
- Added workitem argument to Task.apply() method
- Added ModelFormatGLTF and ModelFormatX3D to ModelFormat enum
- Added Car and Manmade to PointClass enum
- Changed default value of filter argument in Chunk.buildDepthMaps() to MildFiltering
- Removed Tasks.BuildModel.visibility\_mesh attribute

#### 3.33 PhotoScan version 1.4.4

- Added AddPhotos.strip\_extensions attribute
- Added ExportRaster.image\_description attribute
- Added ExportShapes.export\_attributes, ExportShapes.export\_labels and ExportShapes.polygons\_as\_polylines attributes
- Added image\_description argument to Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() methods
- Added format, polygons\_as\_polylines, export\_labels and export\_attributes arguments to Chunk.exportShapes()
  method
- Added format argument to Chunk.importShapes() method
- · Added RasterFormatTMS to RasterFormat enum

#### 3.34 PhotoScan version 1.4.3

- · Added Version class
- · Added Tasks.DetectFiducials class
- Added Chunk.detectFiducials() method
- · Added Sensor.calibrateFiducials() method
- Added CoordinateSystem.addGeoid() method
- Added PhotoScan.version attribute
- Added Sensor.normalize\_to\_float attribute
- Added minimum\_dist attribute to Tasks.DetectMarkers class
- Added minimum\_dist argument to Chunk.detectMarkers() and Utils.detectTargets() methods
- Added keypoints argument to PointCloud.copy() method
- Changed default value of adaptive\_fitting argument in Chunk.alignCameras() to False

#### 3.35 PhotoScan version 1.4.2

- Added Tasks.ColorizeDenseCloud class
- Added PointCloud.removeKeypoints() method
- Added CoordinateSystem.transformationMatrix() method
- Added Vector.cross() method
- Added Shapes.updateAltitudes() method
- Added log\_enable, log\_path, network\_enable, network\_host, network\_path and network\_port attributes to Application. Settings class
- Added covariance\_matrix and covariance\_params attributes to Calibration class
- Added flip x, flip y, flip z attributes to Tasks.BuildDem and Tasks.BuildOrthomosaic classes

- Added max\_neighbors attribute to Tasks.BuildDenseCloud, Tasks.BuildDepthMaps and Tasks.BuildModel classes
- Added jpeg\_quality, tiff\_compression and update\_gps\_tags attributes to Tasks.UndistortPhotos class
- · Added copy\_keypoints attribute to Tasks.DuplicateChunk class
- Added width, height and world\_transform attributes to Tasks.ExportRaster class
- Added store\_depth attribute to Tasks.BuildTiledModel class
- · Added DenseCloud.crs and DenseCloud.transform attributes
- Added CoordinateSystem.wkt2 attribute
- Added keep\_keypoints argument to Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added flip\_x, flip\_y, flip\_z arguments to Chunk.buildDem() and Chunk.buildOrthomosaic() methods
- Added max\_neighbors argument to Chunk.buildDenseCloud() and Chunk.buildDepthMaps() methods
- Added cull\_faces argument to Chunk.buildOrthomosaic() method
- Added reuse\_depth and ghosting\_filter arguments to Chunk.buildTiledModel() method
- Added use\_reflectance\_panels and use\_sun\_sensor arguments to Chunk.calibrateReflectance() method
- Added width, height and world\_transform arguments to Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthomosaic()
  methods
- Added filter\_mask argument to Chunk.estimateImageQuality() method
- Added revision argument to NetworkClient.nodeList() method
- · Added ImagesData to DataSource enum
- · Added ModelFormatOSGB to ModelFormat enum
- · Added TiledModelFormatOSGB to TiledModelFormat enum

#### 3.36 PhotoScan version 1.4.1

- Added OrthoProjection.Type enum
- Added Camera.image() method
- Added Chunk.loadReflectancePanelCalibration() method
- Added PointCloud.Points.copy() and PointCloud.Points.resize() methods
- Added PointCloud.Projections.resize() method
- Added PointCloud.Tracks.copy() and PointCloud.Tracks.resize() methods
- Added OrthoProjection.matrix, OrthoProjection.radius and OrthoProjection.type attributes
- Added Tasks.AnalyzePhotos.filter\_mask attribute
- Added Tasks.CalibrateReflectance.use\_reflectance\_panels and Tasks.CalibrateReflectance.use\_sun\_sensor attributes
- Added Tasks.MatchPhotos.mask\_tiepoints attribute
- Added Tasks.OptimizeCameras.adaptive fitting attribute
- Added strip extensions argument to Chunk.addPhotos() method

- Added keep\_depth argument to Chunk.buildDenseCloud() method
- Added adaptive\_resolution argument to Chunk.buildUV() method
- Added alpha argument to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Added mask\_tiepoints argument to Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added adaptive\_fitting argument to Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- Added mask argument to Utils.estimateImageQuality() method
- Added CamerasFormatABC and CamerasFormatFBX to CamerasFormat enum
- · Added ImageFormatJP2 to ImageFormat enum
- Added LegacyMapping to MappingMode enum

#### 3.37 PhotoScan version 1.4.0

- · Added Tasks classes
- · Added Animation, OrthoProjection, Target and Vignetting classes
- · Added ShapesFormat enum
- · Added Marker. Type enum
- Added Chunk.calibrateColors(), Chunk.calibrateReflectance() and Chunk.locateReflectancePanels() methods
- Added Chunk.buildDepthMaps(), Chunk.importPoints(), Chunk.refineModel() and Chunk.removeLighting()
  methods
- Added Chunk.addDenseCloud(), Chunk.addDepthMaps(), Chunk.addElevation(), Chunk.addModel(), Chunk.addOrthomosaic() and Chunk.addTiledModel() methods
- Added Chunk.sortCameras(), Chunk.sortMarkers() and Chunk.sortScalebars() methods
- Added DenseCloud.clear() method
- Added DepthMaps.clear() and DepthMaps.copy() methods
- Added Elevation.clear() and Elevation.copy() methods
- · Added Model.clear() method
- Added Orthomosaic.clear() and Orthomosaic.copy() methods
- Added TiledModel.clear() and TiledModel.copy() methods
- Added Image.gaussianBlur() and Image.uniformNoise() methods
- Added NetworkTask.encode() method
- Added Utils.createChessboardImage() and Utils.detectTargets() methods
- Added Camera.Reference.location\_accuracy and Camera.Reference.rotation\_accuracy attributes
- Added Camera.layer\_index, Camera.master and Camera.vignetting attributes
- Added Chunk.dense\_clouds, Chunk.depth\_maps\_sets, Chunk.elevations, Chunk.models, Chunk.orthomosaics and Chunk.tiled models attributes
- · Added Chunk.animation, Chunk.camera\_crs, Chunk.marker\_crs and Chunk.world\_crs attributes
- Added CoordinateSystem.geoccs and CoordinateSystem.geoid\_height attributes

- Added Marker.Projection.valid attribute
- Added Sensor.black\_level, Sensor.fiducials, Sensor.fixed\_calibration, Sensor.fixed\_location, Sensor.fixed\_rotation, Sensor.layer\_index, Sensor.location, Sensor.master, Sensor.normalize\_sensitivity, Sensor.rolling\_shutter, Sensor.rotation, Sensor.sensitivity and Sensor.vignetting attributes
- Added Camera.chunk, Marker.chunk, Scalebar.chunk and Sensor.chunk attributes
- Added Marker.sensor and Marker.type attributes
- Added Elevation.projection, Orthomosaic.projection and Shapes.projection attributes
- Added DenseCloud.key and DenseCloud.label attributes
- Added DepthMaps.key and DepthMaps.label attributes
- Added Elevation.key and Elevation.label attributes
- Added Model.key and Model.label attributes
- · Added Orthomosaic.key and Orthomosaic.label attributes
- Added TiledModel.key and TiledModel.label attributes
- Added point\_colors argument to Chunk.buildDenseCloud() method
- Added ghosting\_filter argument to Chunk.buildTexture() method
- Added minimum\_size argument to Chunk.detectMarkers() method
- Added raster\_transform argument to Chunk.exportModel(), Chunk.exportPoints(), Chunk.exportTiledModel()
  methods
- Added tiff\_overviews argument to Chunk.exportDem(), Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() and Chunk.exportOrthophotos() methods
- Added min\_zoom\_level and max\_zoom\_level arguments to Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() methods
- Added cameras argument to Chunk.exportOrthophotos() method
- Added image\_format argument to Chunk.exportPoints() method
- Added page\_numbers argument to Chunk.exportReport() method
- Added items, crs, ignore\_labels, threshold and progress arguments to Chunk.loadReference() method
- Added create\_markers argument to Chunk.loadReference() method
- Added progress argument to Chunk.saveReference() method
- Added quality, volumetric masks, keep depth and reuse depth arguments to Chunk.buildModel() method
- Added selected\_faces and fix\_borders arguments to Chunk.smoothModel() method
- Added export\_points, export\_markers, use\_labels and progress arguments to Chunk.exportCameras() method
- Added channels and datatype arguments to Photo.image() method
- Added CamerasFormatBlocksExchange and CamerasFormatORIMA to CamerasFormat enum
- Added ImageFormatNone to ImageFormat enum
- Added UndefinedLayout to ImageLayout enum
- · Added ModelFormatNone and ModelFormatABC to ModelFormat enum
- Added PointsFormatNone and PointsFormatCesium to PointsFormat enum
- Added RasterFormatNone to RasterFormat enum

- Added ReferenceFormatNone and ReferenceFormatAPM to ReferenceFormat enum
- Added TiledModelFormatNone, TiledModelFormatCesium and TiledModelFormatSLPK to TiledModelFormat enum
- Renamed Chunk.master\_channel attribute to Chunk.primary\_channel
- · Removed MatchesFormat enum
- Removed Chunk.exportMatches() method
- Removed Camera.Reference.accuracy\_ypr attribute
- · Removed quality, filter, cameras, keep\_depth, reuse\_depth arguments from Chunk.buildDenseCloud() method
- Removed color\_correction argument from Chunk.buildOrthomosaic() and Chunk.buildTexture() methods
- Removed fit\_shutter argument from Chunk.optimizeCameras() method

#### 3.38 PhotoScan version 1.3.5

No Python API changes

#### 3.39 PhotoScan version 1.3.4

No Python API changes

#### 3.40 PhotoScan version 1.3.3

- Added network\_links argument to Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() methods
- Added read\_only argument to Document.open() method
- Added NetworkClient.setNodeCPUEnable() and NetworkClient.setNodeGPUMask() methods
- Added Chunk.modified, DenseCloud.modified, DepthMaps.modified, Document.modified, Elevation.modified, Masks.modified, Model.modified, Orthomosaic.modified, PointCloud.modified, Shapes.modified, Thumbnails.modified, TiledModel.modified attributes
- Added Document.read\_only attribute
- · Added CamerasFormatSummit to CamerasFormat enum

#### 3.41 PhotoScan version 1.3.2

- Added vertex\_colors argument to Chunk.buildModel() method
- Added Shape.vertex\_ids attribute

#### 3.42 PhotoScan version 1.3.1

- Added Settings and TiledModel classes
- Added Application.getBool() method
- Added Camera.unproject() method
- Added Chunk.addFrames(), Chunk.addMarkerGroup(), Chunk.addScalebarGroup() and Chunk.buildSeamlines() methods
- Added DenseCloud.pickPoint() and DenseCloud.updateStatistics() methods
- Added Elevation.altitude() method
- · Added Matrix.svd() method
- Added Model.pickPoint() method
- Added Orthomosaic.reset() and Orthomosaic.update() methods
- Added PointCloud.pickPoint() method
- Added filter argument to Application.getOpenFileName(), Application.getOpenFileNames() and Application.getSaveFileName() methods
- · Added point and visibility arguments to Chunk.addMarker() method
- Added raster\_transform and write\_scheme arguments to Chunk.exportDem() method
- Added write\_scheme and white\_background arguments to Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() method
- Added white\_background argument to Chunk.exportOrthophotos() method
- Added projection argument to Chunk.exportMarkers() method
- Added markers argument to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Added pairs argument to Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added columns and delimiter arguments to Chunk.saveReference() method
- Added version argument to Document.save() method
- · Renamed npasses argument in Chunk.smoothModel() method to strength and changed its type to float
- Renamed from and to arguments in CoordinateSystem.transform(), DenseCloud.assignClass(), Dense-Cloud.assignClassToSelection() and DenseCloud.classifyGroundPoints() methods to avoid collision with reserved words
- · Added Application.settings attribute
- Added Chunk.tiled\_model attribute
- Added ShapeGroup.color and ShapeGroup.show\_labels attributes
- Added ImageFormatTGA to ImageFormat enum

#### 3.43 PhotoScan version 1.3.0

- Added MarkerGroup, Masks, ScalebarGroup, Shutter and Thumbnails classes
- Added Application.PhotosPane class
- · Added Model.Statistics class
- Added Orthomosaic.Patch and Orthomosaic.Patches classes
- · Added PointCloud.Filter class
- Added CamerasFormat, EulerAngles, ImageFormat, ImageLayout, MaskOperation, MaskSource, MatchesFormat, ModelViewMode, PointClass, PointsFormat, RasterFormat, ReferenceFormat, ReferenceItems, RotationOrder, TiffCompression, TiledModelFormat enums
- Added Application.captureOrthoView() method
- Added Chunk.refineMarkers() method
- Added CoordinateSystem.listBuiltinCRS() class method
- Added Matrix.translation() method
- Added Model.statistics() method
- Added NetworkClient.serverInfo(), NetworkClient.nodeStatus(), NetworkClient.setNodeCapability() and NetworkClient.quitNode() methods
- Added Photo.imageMeta() method
- Added Shape.area(), Shape.perimeter2D(), Shape.perimeter3D() and Shape.volume() methods
- Added Utils.createMarkers() method
- Added source argument to Application.captureModelView() method
- Added image\_format argument to Chunk.exportDem() mehod
- Added write\_alpha argument to Chunk.exportOrthophotos() method
- Added image\_format and write\_alpha arguments to Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() method
- Added groups, projection, shift and progress arguments to Chunk.exportShapes() method
- Added items and progress arguments to Chunk.copy() method
- Added sensor argument to Chunk.addCamera() method
- Added layout argument to Chunk.addPhotos() method
- Added jpeg\_quality argument to Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() and Chunk.exportOrthophotos() methods
- Added fill\_holes argument to Chunk.buildOrthomosaic() method
- $\bullet \ \ Added \ fit\_shutter \ argument \ to \ Chunk.optimize Cameras() \ method$
- Added settings argument to Chunk.exportReport() method
- Added progress argument to various DenseCloud methods
- Added from argument to DenseCloud.classifyGroundPoints() method
- Added chunks and progress arguments to Document.append() method
- Added progress argument to Document.alignChunks() and Document.mergeChunks() methods
- Added revision argument to NetworkClient.batchList(), NetworkClient.batchStatus() methods

- Added Application.photos\_pane attribute
- · Added Camera.shutter attribute
- · Added Chunk.masks and Chunk.thumbnails attributes
- · Added Chunk.marker\_groups and Chunk.scalebar\_groups attributes
- · Added Chunk.euler angles and Chunk.scalebar accuracy attributes
- Added CoordinateSystem.name attribute
- Added Marker.group and Scalebar.group attributes
- Added Orthomosaic.patches attribute
- Added RasterTransform.false\_color attribute
- · Added Sensor.bands attribute
- Added Shape.attributes attribute
- Added DepthMapsData, TiledModelData and OrthomosaicData to DataSource enum
- Added CircularTarget14bit to TargetType enum
- Renamed CameraReference class to Camera.Reference
- Renamed ConsolePane class to Application.ConsolePane
- · Renamed MarkerProjection class to Marker.Projection
- Renamed MarkerProjections class to Marker.Projections
- Renamed MarkerReference class Marker.Reference
- · Renamed MeshFace class to Model.Face
- Renamed MeshFaces class to Model.Faces
- Renamed MeshTexVertex class to Model.TexVertex
- Renamed MeshTexVertices class to Model.TexVertices
- · Renamed MeshVertex class to Model. Vertex
- · Renamed MeshVertices class to Model. Vertices
- Renamed PointCloudCameras class to PointCloud.Cameras
- · Renamed PointCloudPoint class to PointCloud.Point
- · Renamed PointCloudPoints class to PointCloud.Points
- Renamed PointCloudProjection class to PointCloud.Projection
- Renamed PointCloudProjections class to PointCloud.Projections
- · Renamed PointCloudTrack class to PointCloud.Track
- Renamed PointCloudTracks class to PointCloud.Tracks
- Renamed ScalebarReference class to Scalebar.Reference
- Renamed ShapeVertices class to Shape. Vertices
- Renamed Application.enumOpenCLDevices() method to Application.enumGPUDevices()
- Renamed Shape.boundary attribute to Shape.boundary\_type
- Renamed Chunk.accuracy\_cameras to Chunk.camera\_location\_accuracy

- Renamed Chunk.accuracy\_cameras\_ypr to Chunk.camera\_rotation\_accuracy
- Renamed Chunk.accuracy\_markers to Chunk.marker\_location\_accuracy
- Renamed Chunk.accuracy\_projections to Chunk.marker\_projection\_accuracy
- Renamed Chunk.accuracy\_tiepoints to Chunk.tiepoint\_accuracy
- Renamed method argument in Chunk.importMasks() method to source and changed its type to MaskSource
- Replaced preselection argument with generic\_preselection and reference\_preselection arguments in Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Replaced fit\_cxcy argument with fit\_cx and fit\_cy arguments in Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- Replaced fit\_k1k2k3 argument with fit\_k1, fit\_k2 and fit\_k3 arguments in Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- Replaced fit\_p1p2 argument with fit\_p1 and fit\_p2 arguments in Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- Replaced Application.cpu\_cores\_inactive with Application.cpu\_enable attribute
- Changed type of source\_data argument in Chunk.buildContours() to DataSource
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.importCameras() and Chunk.exportCameras() methods to Cameras-Format
- Changed type of rotation\_order argument in Chunk.exportCameras() to RotationOrder
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() methods to Raster-Format
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.exportMatches() method to MatchesFormat
- Changed type of texture\_format argument in Chunk.exportModel() method to ImageFormat
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.importModel() and Chunk.exportModel() methods to ModelFormat
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.exportPoints() method to PointsFormat
- Changed type of tiff\_compression argument in Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() and Chunk.exportOrthophotos() methods to TiffCompression
- Changed type of items argument in Chunk.exportShapes() method to Shape.Type
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.exportTiledModel() method to TiledModelFormat
- Changed type of mesh\_format argument in Chunk.exportTiledModel() method to ModelFormat
- Changed type of operation argument in Chunk.importMasks() method to MaskOperation
- Changed type of format argument in Chunk.loadReference() and Chunk.saveReference() methods to Reference-Format
- Changed type of items argument in Chunk.saveReference() method to ReferenceItems
- Removed return values from Camera.open(), Chunk.addPhotos(), Chunk.alignCameras(), Chunk.buildContours(), Chunk.buildDem(), Chunk.buildDenseCloud(), Chunk.buildModel(), Chunk.buildOrthomosaic(), Chunk.buildPoints(), Chunk.buildTexture(), Chunk.buildTiledModel(), Chunk.buildUV(), Chunk.decimateModel(), Chunk.detectMarkers(), Chunk.estimateImageQuality(), Chunk.exportCameras(), Chunk.exportDem(), Chunk.exportMarkers(), Chunk.exportMatches(), Chunk.exportModel(), Chunk.exportOrthomosaic(), Chunk.exportOrthophotos(), Chunk.exportPoints(), Chunk.exportReport(), Chunk.exportShapes(), Chunk.exportTiledModel(), Chunk.importCameras(), Chunk.importDem(), Chunk.importMarkers(), Chunk.importMasks(), Chunk.importModel(), Chunk.loadReferenceExif(), Chunk.importShapes(), Chunk.loadReference(), Chunk.matchPhotos(), Chunk.optimizeCameras(), Chunk.remove(), Chunk.saveReference(), Chunk.smoothModel(), Chunk.thinPointCloud(), Chunk.trackMarkers(), CirTransform.calibrate(), CoordinateSystem.init(),

DenseCloud.classifyGroundPoints(), DenseCloud.compactPoints(), DenseCloud.selectMaskedPoints(), Document.alignChunks(), DenseCloud.selectPointsByColor(), Document.clear(), Document.append(), Document.mergeChunks(), Document.open(), Document.remove(), Document.save(), Mask.load(), Model.loadTexture(), Model.closeHoles(), Model.fixTopology(), Model.removeComponents(), Model.saveTexture(), Model.setTexture(), NetworkClient.abortBatch(), NetworkClient.abortNode(), Networ Client.connect(), NetworkClient.pauseBatch(), NetworkClient.pauseNode(), NetworkClient.resumeBatch(), NetworkClient.resumeNode(). NetworkClient.setBatchPriority(), NetworkClient.setNodePriority(). Photo.open(), PointCloud.export(), RasterTransform.calibrateRange(), Thumbnail.load() methods in favor of exceptions

- Removed Chunk.exportContours() method
- Removed obsolete Matrix.diag() and Matrix.translation() class methods
- Removed unused focal\_length argument from Calibration.save() method
- Modified Utils.mat2opk() and Utils.opk2mat() methods to work with camera to world rotation matrices

#### 3.44 PhotoScan version 1.2.6

No Python API changes

#### 3.45 PhotoScan version 1.2.5

- Added ShapeGroup and ShapeVertices classes
- Added CoordinateSystem.proj4 and CoordinateSystem.geogcs attributes
- Added Shapes.shapes and Shapes.groups attributes
- Added Shape.label, Shape.vertices, Shape.group, Shape.has\_z, Shape.key and Shape.selected attributes
- Added Shapes.addGroup(), Shapes.addShape() and Shapes.remove() methods
- Added CoordinateSystem.transform() method
- Added Matrix.Diag(), Matrix.Rotation(), Matrix.Translation() and Matrix.Scale() class methods
- Added Matrix.rotation() and Matrix.scale() methods
- Added DenseCloud.restorePoints() and DenseCloud.selectPointsByColor() methods
- Added Application.captureModelView() method
- Added Mask.invert() method
- Added adaptive\_fitting parameter to Chunk.alignCameras() method
- Added load\_rotation and load\_accuracy parameters to Chunk.loadReferenceExif() method
- Added source parameter to Chunk.buildTiledModel() method
- Added fill\_holes parameter to Chunk.buildTexture() method

#### 3.46 PhotoScan version 1.2.4

- Added NetworkClient and NetworkTask classes
- Added Calibration.f, Calibration.b1, Calibration.b2 attributes
- Added Chunk.exportMatches() method
- Added DenseCloud.compactPoints() method
- · Added Orthomosaic.removeOrthophotos() method
- Added fit b1 and fit b2 parameters to Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- Added tiff\_big parameter to Chunk.exportOrthomosaic(), Chunk.exportDem() and Chunk.exportOrthophotos()
  methods
- Added classes parameter to Chunk.exportPoints() method
- Added progress parameter to processing methods
- Removed Calibration.fx, Calibration.fy, Calibration.skew attributes

#### 3.47 PhotoScan version 1.2.3

• Added tiff\_compression parameter to Chunk.exportOrthomosaic() and Chunk.exportOrthophotos() methods

#### 3.48 PhotoScan version 1.2.2

- · Added Camera.orientation attribute
- Added chunks parameter to Document.save() method

#### 3.49 PhotoScan version 1.2.1

- · Added CirTransform and RasterTransform classes
- Added Chunk.cir\_transform and Chunk.raster\_transform attributes
- Added Chunk.exportOrthophotos() method
- Added udim parameter to Chunk.exportModel() method
- Renamed RasterTransform enum to RasterTransformType

#### 3.50 PhotoScan version 1.2.0

- Added Elevation and Orthomosaic classes
- Added Shape and Shapes classes
- · Added Antenna class
- · Added DataSource enum
- Added Camera.error() method
- Added Chunk.buildContours() and Chunk.exportContours() methods
- Added Chunk.importShapes() and Chunk.exportShapes() methods
- Added Chunk.exportMarkers() and Chunk.importMarkers() methods
- Added Chunk.importDem() method
- Added Chunk,buildDem(), Chunk,buildOrthomosaic() and Chunk,buildTiledModel() methods
- Added PointCloud.removeSelectedPoints() and PointCloud.cropSelectedPoints() methods
- Added Utils.mat2opk(), Utils.mat2ypr(), Utils.opk2mat() and Utils.ypr2mat() methods
- Added Chunk.elevation, Chunk.orthomosaic and Chunk.shapes attributes
- Added Chunk.accuracy\_cameras\_ypr attribute
- Added Sensor.antenna, Sensor.plane count and Sensor.planes attributes
- Added Calibration.p3 and Calibration.p4 attributes
- Added Camera.planes attribute
- Added CameraReference.accuracy ypr attribute
- Added CameraReference.accuracy, MarkerReference.accuracy and ScalebarReference.accuracy attributes
- Added Application.activated attribute
- Added Chunk.image\_brightness attribute
- Added fit\_p3 and fit\_p4 parameters to Chunk.optimizeCameras() method
- $\bullet \ \ Added \ icon \ parameter \ to \ Application.add MenuItem() \ method$
- Added title and description parameters to Chunk.exportReport() method
- Added operation parameter to Chunk.importMasks() method
- Added columns, delimiter, group\_delimiters, skip\_rows parameters to Chunk.loadReference() method
- Added items parameter to Chunk.saveReference() method
- Renamed Chunk.exportModelTiled() to Chunk.exportTiledModel()
- Renamed Chunk.exportOrthophoto() to Chunk.exportOrthomosaic()
- Removed OrthoSurface and PointsSource enums
- Removed PointCloud.groups attribute
- · Removed Chunk.camera\_offset attribute

#### 3.51 PhotoScan version 1.1.1

- Added Chunk.exportModelTiles() method
- Added noparity parameter to Chunk.detectMarkers() method
- · Added blockw and blockh parameters to Chunk.exportPoints() method

#### 3.52 PhotoScan version 1.1.0

- · Added CameraOffset and ConsolePane classes
- Added CameraGroup, CameraReference, ChunkTransform, DepthMap, DepthMaps, MarkerReference, MarkerProjection, Mask, PointCloudGroups, PointCloudTrack, PointCloudTracks, ScalebarReference, Thumbnail classes
- · Added Chunk.key, Sensor.key, Camera.key, Marker.key and Scalebar.key attributes
- Added Application.console attribute
- Added Application.addMenuSeparator() method
- Added Chunk.importMasks() method
- Added Chunk.addSensor(), Chunk.addCameraGroup(), Chunk.addCamera(), Chunk.addMarker(), Chunk.addScalebar() methods
- Added Chunk.addPhotos(), Chunk.addFrame() methods
- · Added Chunk.master channel and Chunk.camera offset attributes
- Added Calibration.error() method
- Added Matrix.mulp() and Matrix.mulv() methods
- $\bullet \ \ Added \ Dense Cloud. as sign Class (), Dense Cloud. as sign Class To Selection (), Dense Cloud. remove Points () \ methods$
- $\bullet \ \ Added \ Dense Cloud. classify Ground Points () \ and \ Dense Cloud. select Masked Points () \ methods$
- Added Model.renderNormalMap() method
- · Added DenseCloud.meta and Model.meta attributes
- · Added PointCloud.tracks, PointCloud.groups attributes
- Added Image.tostring() and Image.fromstring() methods
- · Added Image.channels property
- Added U16 data type support in Image class
- Added classes parameter to Chunk.buildModel() method
- Added crop\_borders parameter to Chunk.exportDem() method
- Added chunk parameter to Document.addChunk() method
- Added format parameter to Calibration.save() and Calibration.load() methods
- Moved OpenCL settings into Application class
- Converted string constants to enum objects
- Removed Cameras, Chunks, DenseClouds, Frame, Frames, GroundControl, GroundControlLocations, Ground-ControlLocation, Marker, MarkerPositions, Models, Scalebars, Sensors classes

#### 3.53 PhotoScan version 1.0.0

- · Added DenseCloud and DenseClouds classes
- Added Chunk.exportModel() and Chunk.importModel() methods
- · Added Chunk.estimateImageQuality() method
- Added Chunk.buildDenseCloud() and Chunk.smoothModel() methods
- Added Photo.thumbnail() method
- · Added Image.resize() method
- Added Application.enumOpenCLDevices() method
- · Added Utils.estimateImageQuality() method
- Added Camera.meta, Marker.meta, Scalebar.meta and Photo.meta attributes
- Added Chunk.dense cloud and Chunk.dense clouds attributes
- Added page parameter to Model.setTexture() and Model.texture() methods
- Added shortcut parameter to Application.addMenuItem() method
- Added absolute\_paths parameter to Document.save() method
- Added fit\_f, fit\_cxcy, fit\_k1k2k3 and fit\_k4 parameters to Chunk.optimizePhotos() method
- Changed parameters of Chunk.buildModel() and Chunk.buildTexture() methods
- Changed parameters of Chunk.exportPoints() method
- Changed parameters of Model.save() method
- Changed return value of Chunks.add() method
- Removed Chunk.buildDepth() method
- Removed Camera.depth() and Camera.setDepth() methods
- Removed Frame.depth() and Frame.setDepth() methods
- Removed Frame.depth\_calib attribute

#### 3.54 PhotoScan version 0.9.1

- · Added Sensor, Scalebar and MetaData classes
- · Added Camera.sensor attribute
- · Added Chunk.sensors attribute
- Added Calibration.width, Calibration.height and Calibration.k4 attributes
- Added Chunk.refineMatches() method
- Added Model.area() and Model.volume() methods
- Added Model.renderDepth(), Model.renderImage() and Model.renderMask() methods
- Added Chunk.meta and Document.meta attributes
- Added Calibration.project() and Calibration.unproject() methods
- Added Application.addMenuItem() method

• Added Model.closeHoles() and Model.fixTopology() methods

#### 3.55 PhotoScan version 0.9.0

- Added Camera, Frame and CoordinateSystem classes
- Added Chunk.exportReport() method
- Added Chunk.trackMarkers() and Chunk.detectMarkers() methods
- Added Chunk.extractFrames() and Chunk.removeFrames() methods
- Added Chunk.matchPhotos() method
- Added Chunk.buildDepth() and Chunk.resetDepth() methods
- · Added Chunk.cameras property
- Added Utils.createDifferenceMask() method
- Revised Chunk.alignPhotos() method
- Revised Chunk.buildPoints() method
- Revised Chunk.buildModel() method
- Removed Photo class (deprecated)
- Removed GeoProjection class (deprecated)
- Removed Chunk.photos property (deprecated)

#### 3.56 PhotoScan version 0.8.5

- Added Chunk.fix\_calibration property
- Added Chunk.exportCameras() method
- Added Chunk.exportPoints() method for dense/sparse point cloud export
- Added accuracy cameras, accuracy markers and accuracy projections properties to the GroundControl class
- Added Image.undistort() method
- Added PointCloudPoint.selected and PointCloudPoint.valid properties
- · Added GeoProjection.authority property
- Added GeoProjection.init() method
- Moved GroundControl.optimize() method to Chunk.optimize()
- Removed "fix\_calibration" parameter from Chunk.alignPhotos() method
- Removed GeoProjection.epsg property

# 3.57 PhotoScan version 0.8.4

- Added GroundControl.optimize() method
- Command line scripting support removed

### 3.58 PhotoScan version 0.8.3

Initial version of PhotoScan Python API

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