

Layer Name: Hawaii Geographic Place Names

Shapefile Name: GEONAMES

Layer Type: Point

Status: Complete

Geog. Extent: Main Hawaiian Islands

Projection: Geographic

Datum: NAD 83

Description: Geographic Place Names for the State of Hawaii from the USGS Geographic Names Information System (GNIS).

Source: http://geonames.usgs.gov/domestic/download_data.htm

History: Downloaded by the Office of Planning from USGS in April, 2012.
 Converted from text file to shape file.
 Transformed from Geographic Old Hawaiian Datum to Geographic NAD 83.

From: http://geonames.usgs.gov/domestic/states_fileformat.htm:

Attributes:

FID	Object ID
Shape	Geometry
FEATURE-ID	GNIS Feature ID
FEATURE_NAME	Feature Name
FEATURE_CLASS	Feature Class
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STATE_ALPHA	Unique 2-letter alpha code as specified in http://www.census.gov/geo/www/ansi/statetables.html
STATE_NUMERIC	Unique 2-digit numeric code as specified in http://www.census.gov/geo/www/ansi/statetables.html
COUNTY_NAME	County Name as specified in http://www.census.gov/geo/www/ansi/data/15000.html
COUNTY_NUMERIC	County numeric code as specified in http://www.census.gov/geo/www/ansi/data/15000.html
PRIMARY_LATITUDE	Latitude Coordinates of feature (DMS)
PRIM_LONGITUDE	Longitude Coordinates of feature (DMS)
PRIM_LAT_DEC	Latitude Coordinates of feature (Decimal Degrees)
PRIM_LONG_DEC1	Longitude Coordinates of feature (Decimal Degrees)

SOURCE_LAT	Source Latitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in DMS
SOURCE_LON	Source Longitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in DMS
SOURCE_L_1	Source Latitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in DD
SOURCE_L_2	Source Longitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in DD
ELEV_IN_M	Elevation of feature in meters
ELEV_IN_F	Elevation of feature in feet
MAP_NAME	USGS 1:24,000 quad map on which feature is shown
DATE_CREAT	Date feature was initially committed to the database
DATE_EDITE	Date any attribute of existing feature was last edited

Note: Feature Class Definitions may be found in the following document:

http://hawaii.gov/dbedt/gis/data/geonames_featureClass.pdf

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