

Layer Name: Hawaii Geographic Place Names
Shapefile Name: geonames
Layer Type: Point
Status: Complete; periodically updated by the US Board on Geographic Names
Geog. Extent: Main Hawaiian Islands
Projection: UTM Zone 4
Datum: NAD 83 HARN

Please note - if you are using data in the [State's web services](#) or downloading from the [State's geoportal](#), the data is served and exported in WGS84 coordinates, although it is stored internally in UTM coordinates.

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 8/12/20 (Data dated 7/1/20).
Imported to geodatabase from text file (lat/long coordinates)
Projected from Decimal Degrees, NAD 83 to UTM Zone 4, NAD 83 HARN.
Deleted 1 feature:
Feature ID 247074 – Pacific Ocean (west coast of CA)
Deleted 21 features with no coordinates.
Corrected the spelling of feature ID 1649612 from Ka ‘ahmuanu Homes to
Ka ‘ahumanu Homes – GIS Program Manager has notified US BGN.

Attributes:

(See https://geonames.usgs.gov/domestic/states_fileformat.htm)

FID	Object ID
Shape	Geometry
FEATURE_ID	GNIS Feature ID
FEATURE_NAME	Feature Name
FEATURE_CLASS	Feature Class (https://geonames.usgs.gov/apex/f?p=gnispq:8)
STATE_ALPHA	State alpha code
STATE_NUMERIC	State 2-digit numeric code
COUNTY_NAME	County Name
COUNTY_NUMERIC	County numeric code
PRIMARY_LAT_DMS	Latitude Coordinates of feature (DMS)
PRIM_LONG_DMS	Longitude Coordinates of feature (DMS)
PRIM_LAT_DEC	Latitude Coordinates of feature (Decimal Degrees)
PRIM_LONG_DEC	Longitude Coordinates of feature (Decimal Degrees)

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Attributes (continued):

SOURCE_LAT_DMS	Source Latitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in DMS
SOURCE_LONG_DMS	Source Longitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in DMS
SOURCE_LAT_DEC	Source Latitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (e.g., Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in Decimal Degrees
SOURCE_LONG_DEC	Source Longitude Coordinates of linear feature, if applicable (e.g., Stream, Valley, Arroyo) in Decimal Degrees
ELEV_IN_M	Elevation of feature in meters
ELEV_IN_FT	Elevation of feature in feet
MAP_NAME	USGS 1:24,000 quad map on which feature is shown
DATE_CREATED	Date feature was initially committed to the database
DATE_EDITED	Date any attribute of existing feature was last edited

Note: Please also see <http://files.hawaii.gov/dbedt/op/gis/data/geonames.html> for additional information about this dataset.

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