

11. RMAP: Regional Morphology Analysis Program



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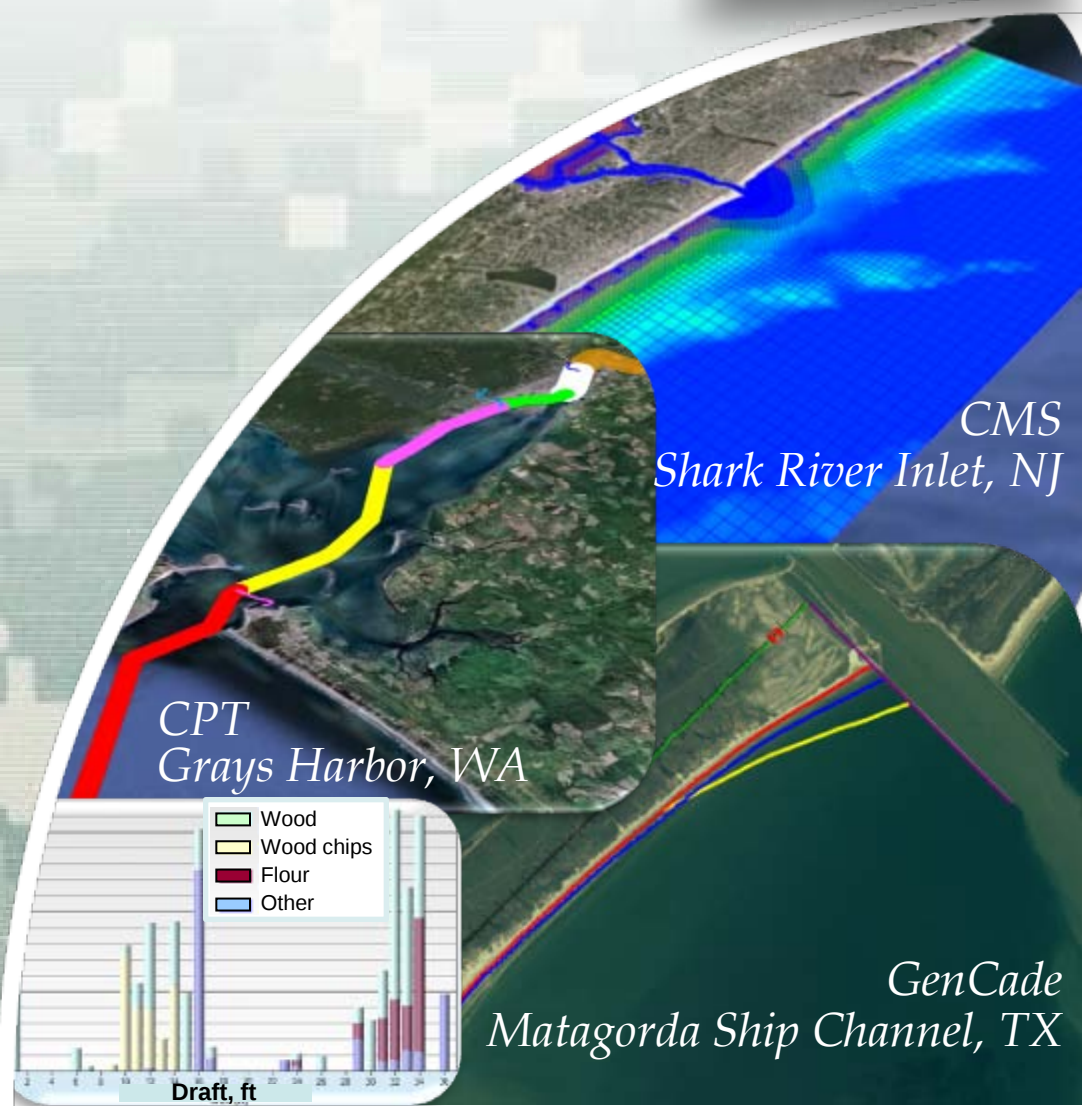
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Overview of Presentation



- **RMAP Evolution**
- **Overview of Capabilities and Interface**
- **Getting Started**
 - **Importing Profiles**
 - **Profile Analysis**
 - **Synthetic Profiles**
 - **Importing Shorelines & Baselines**
 - **Shoreline Analysis**
 - **Map module (Images and Shapefiles)**
- **Summary**





Motivation for RMAP

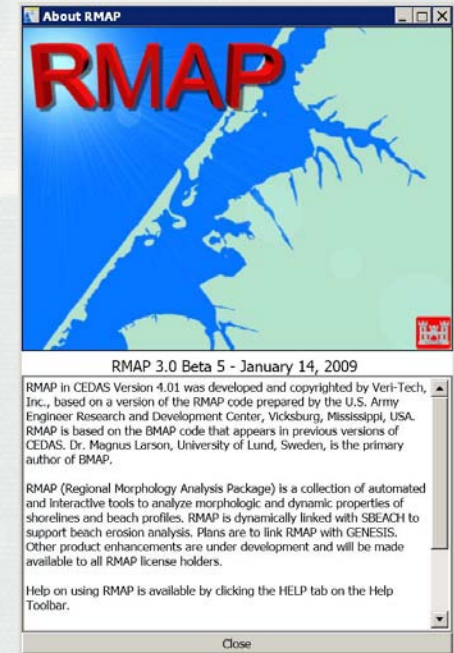
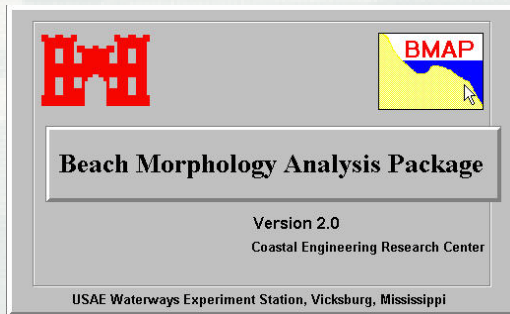


- **Engineering and numerical modeling environments need tools directly supporting work flow (from survey to QC to analysis to project report or modeling)**
- **Regional analysis involves data sets of different spatial coverage, from shorelines over wide areas to site-specific channel or nearshore profiles**
- **Need management and analysis of different types of coastal geospatial data in a straightforward, convenient package**
- **RMAP → Analysis of beach profiles, shoreline positions, and channel cross sections in one software package**





Improvements from RMAP Version 2.0



V. 2:

2D beach profiles and
channel cross-sections

Distance-elevation data
(Z, D)

Profile analysis
routines

Beach Fill Module

V. 2 extended:

Geospatial (2D and 3D)
Data Handling (Z, D and X,
Y, Z, D)

Map Mode

Shoreline Analysis

Coordinate Conversions

Eigenfunction analysis
(beta)

V. 3:

Completely new interface

New architecture

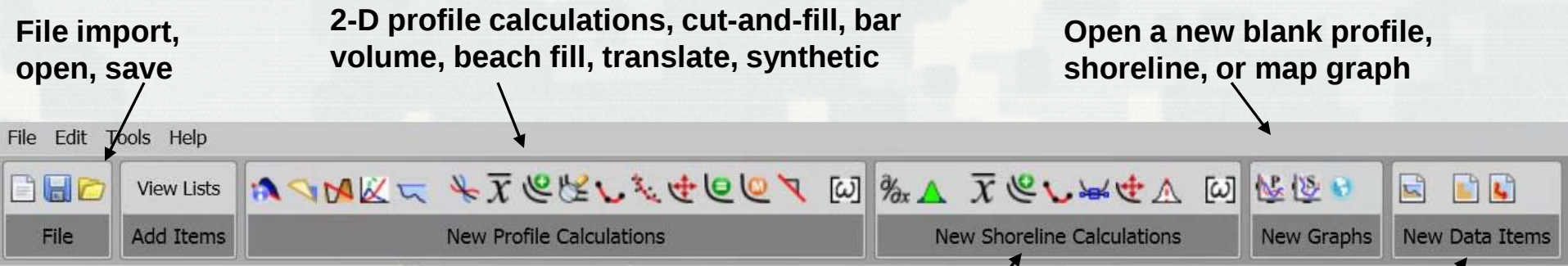
No memory limits to large
data sets

Capability for 3D analyses
and visualization





Overview of Capabilities



Beach Profile Analysis

- profile envelope
- bar properties
- profile volume
- cut and fill
- translation
- EBP least-squares
- cross-shore transport rates
- synthetic profiles
- beach fill module
- interpolation

Shoreline calculations,
change, baseline

Shoreline Change Rate

- generate baselines
- end-member change rate
- interpolation
- data smoothing

Create new (blank)
profiles, shorelines,
baselines

Data Handling

- import from file
- copy/paste from spreadsheet
- display shapefiles
- background georeferenced imagery
- analysis reports





Interface



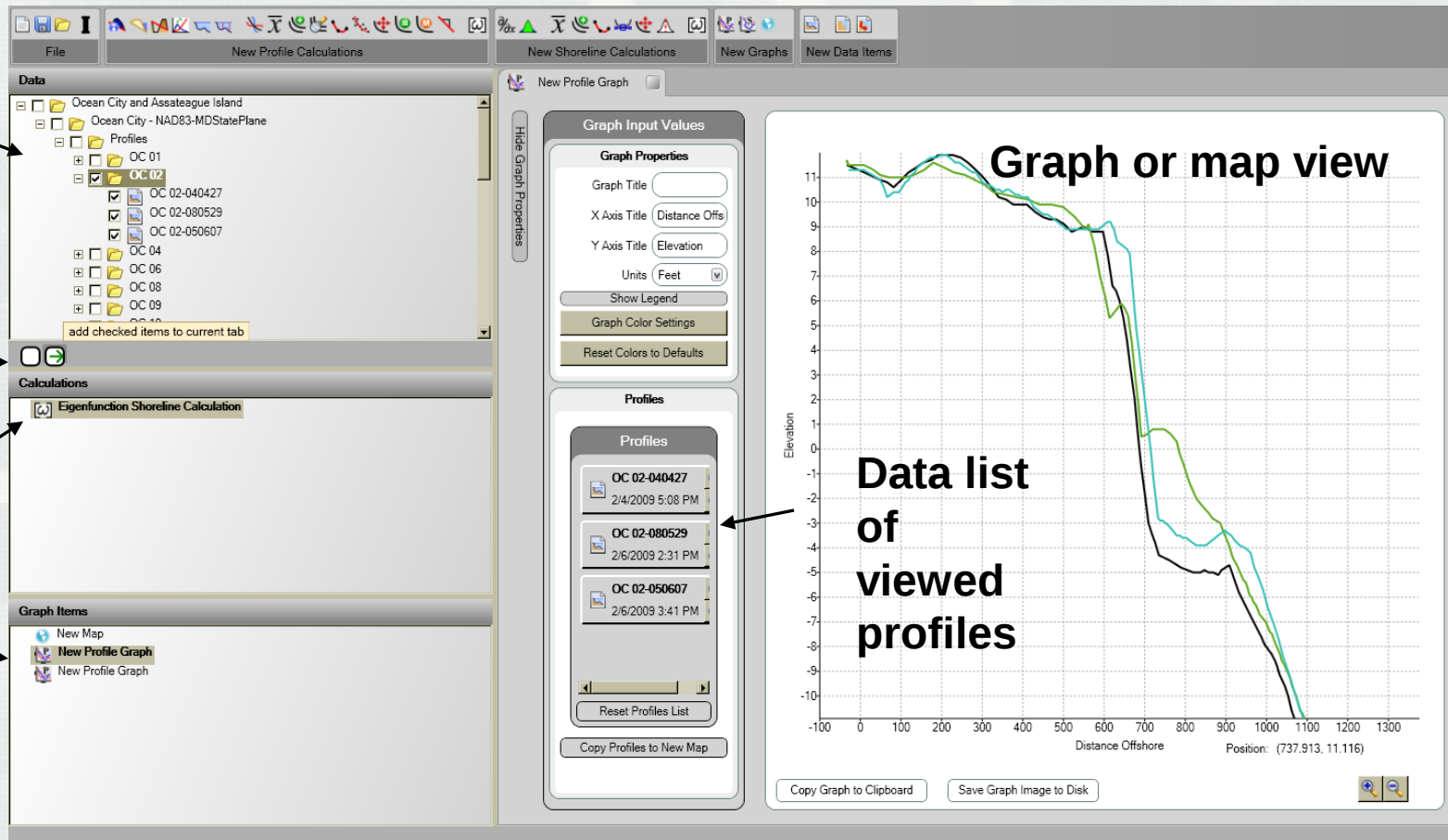
Toolbars

Data Tree
(list of
profiles)

Checkbox
port to graph
or map

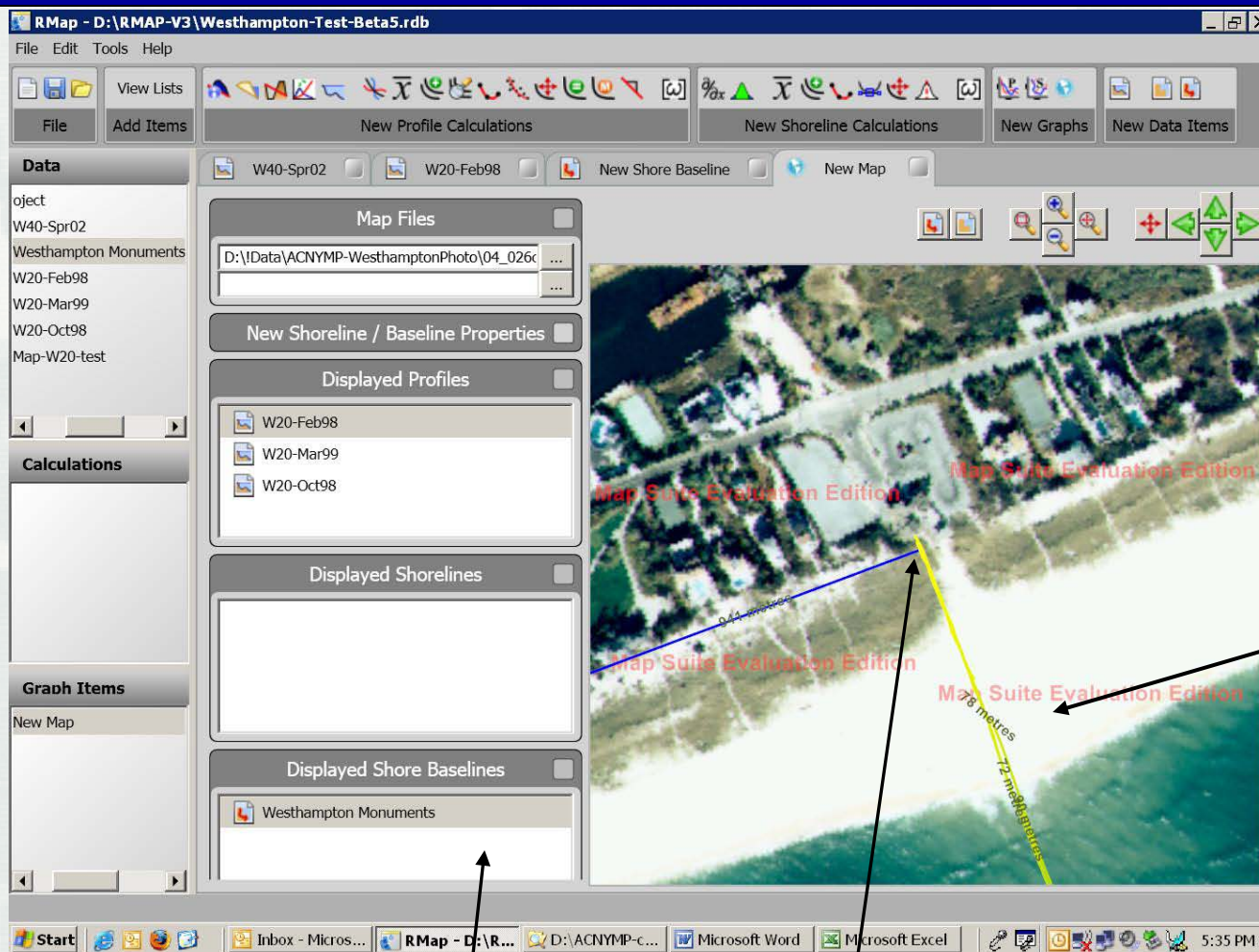
List of
calculations

List of
graphs





Map Module



Map contents

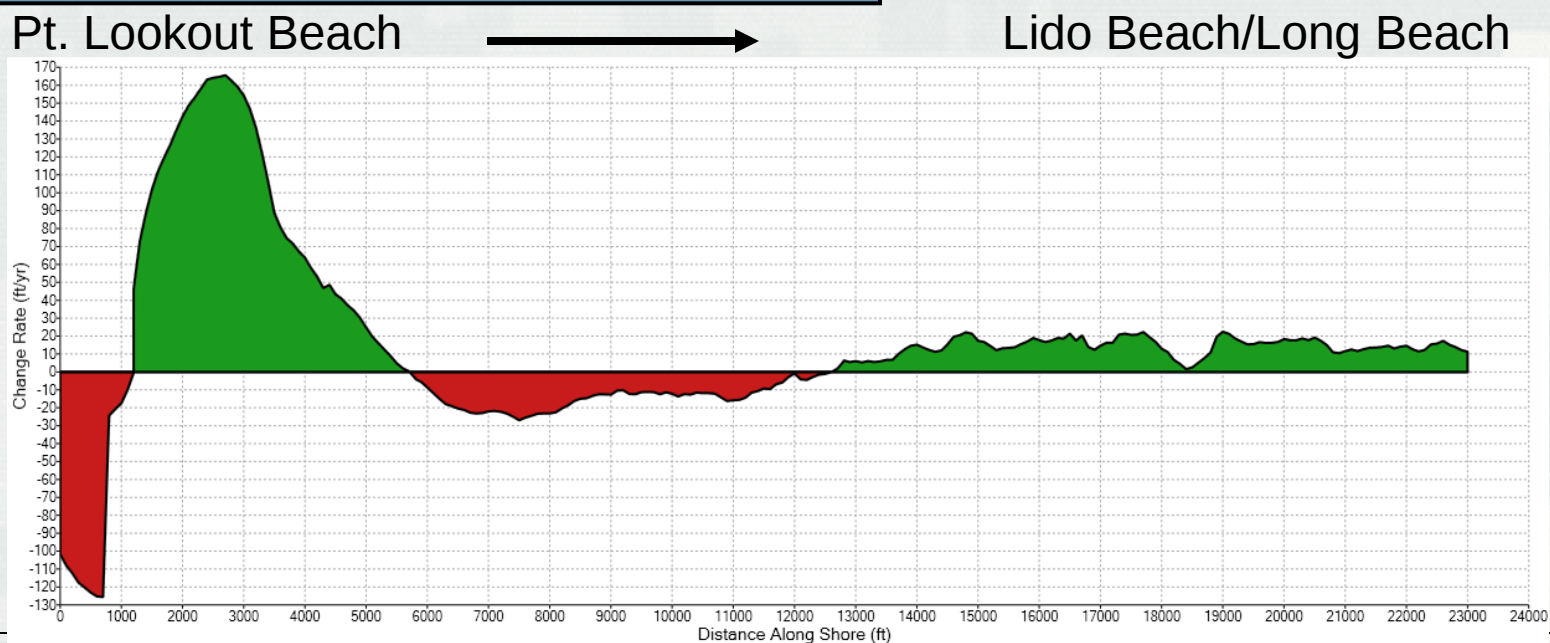
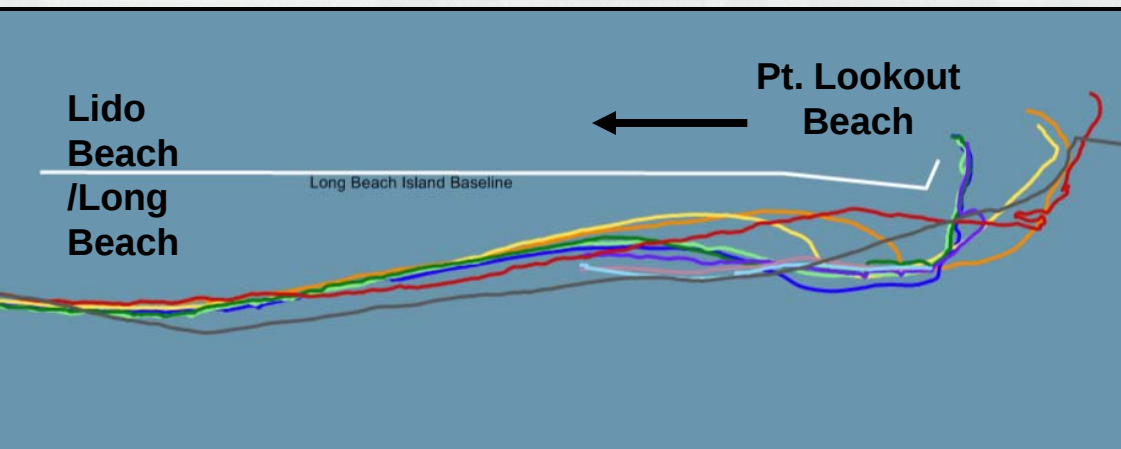
Check baselines

Check location of profiles





Recent Improvement: Shoreline Change Plots





Getting Started With the Basics:

Profile Data

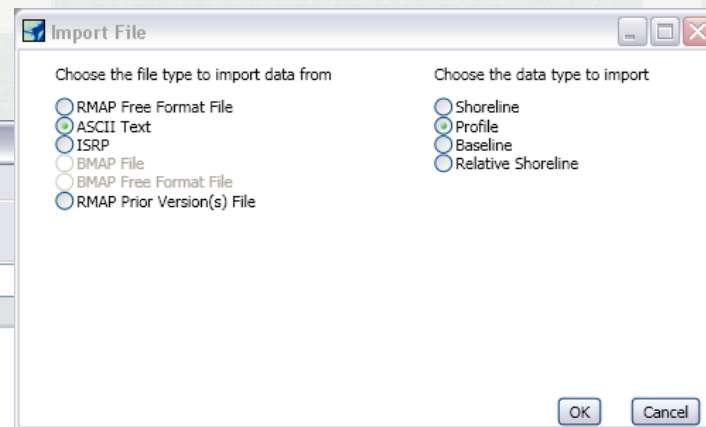
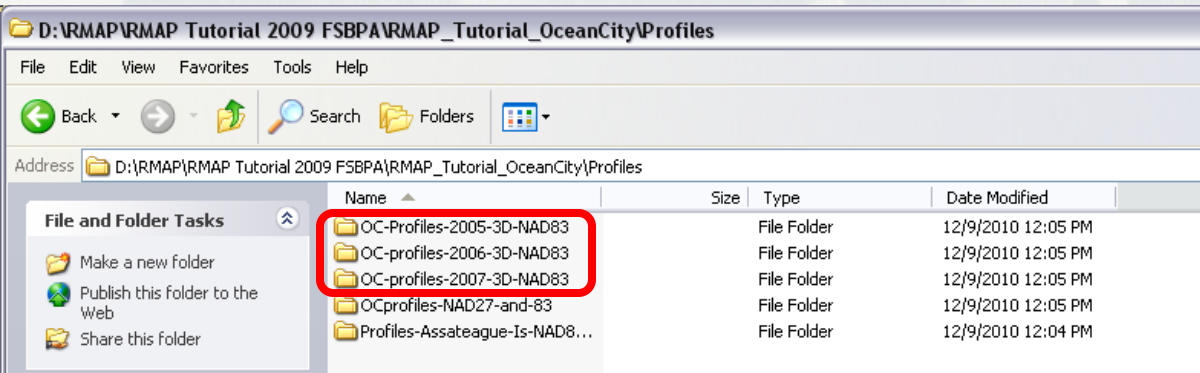




Importing a Profile



- 1) Open RMAP, Go to *File*, *New*, or , and browse to a location to save, name the RMAP file “OC 12” (The file will have the extension .rdb)
- 2) Create a folder in the data tree by right clicking on *New Folder*, and select *Create a Folder*, Right click on the new folder and name the folder *OC 12 Profiles*
- 3) Make sure *OC 12 Profiles* is selected (this tells RMAP where to place a newly-imported piece of data), Go to *File*, *Import*, then *ASCII* and *Profile* (the default)
- 4) Find the Profiles directory and look for *OC-profiles-2006-3D-NAD83*. Click the file *OC 12-060317.txt*





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Importing a Profile



Import ASCII File

File Preview - First 20 lines

Easting	Northing	Elevation	Distance
1865305.286	258396.52	11.9	-10.3
1865317.187	258392.62	12.3	2.3
1865328.087	258389.019	12.6	13.7
1865333.387	258384.919	14.5	20
1865337.487	258371.719	14.6	27.8
1865340.687	258358.119	14.8	34.9
1865360.387	258364.119	14.5	52
1865378.787	258371.019	14.2	67.5
1865387.888	258367.919	14.7	77.2
1865396.188	258365.019	15.4	85.9
1865403.488	258364.019	12.8	93.2
1865416.388	258359.719	11.6	106.7
1865428.088	258355.819	10	119.1
1865436.088	258352.819	9.4	127.7
1865443.388	258349.919	8.7	135.5
1865450.989	258347.619	8.4	143.4
1865457.889	258345.519	7.9	150.7
1865465.989	258343.719	7.4	158.8
1865473.289	258342.218	6.8	166.3

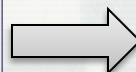
Select file organization

Format:

Number of header rows: ☐ Copy header to notes?

☒ Column Titles? Titles located on row:

- 5) No. of header rows is 1 (check column titles box), Next, and X, Y, Z, and D are in the correct order.
- 6) Double click to see the shape.
- 7) Import some more profiles for OC 12 (OC 12-070407.txt and OC 12-051113.txt)



X

Y

Z

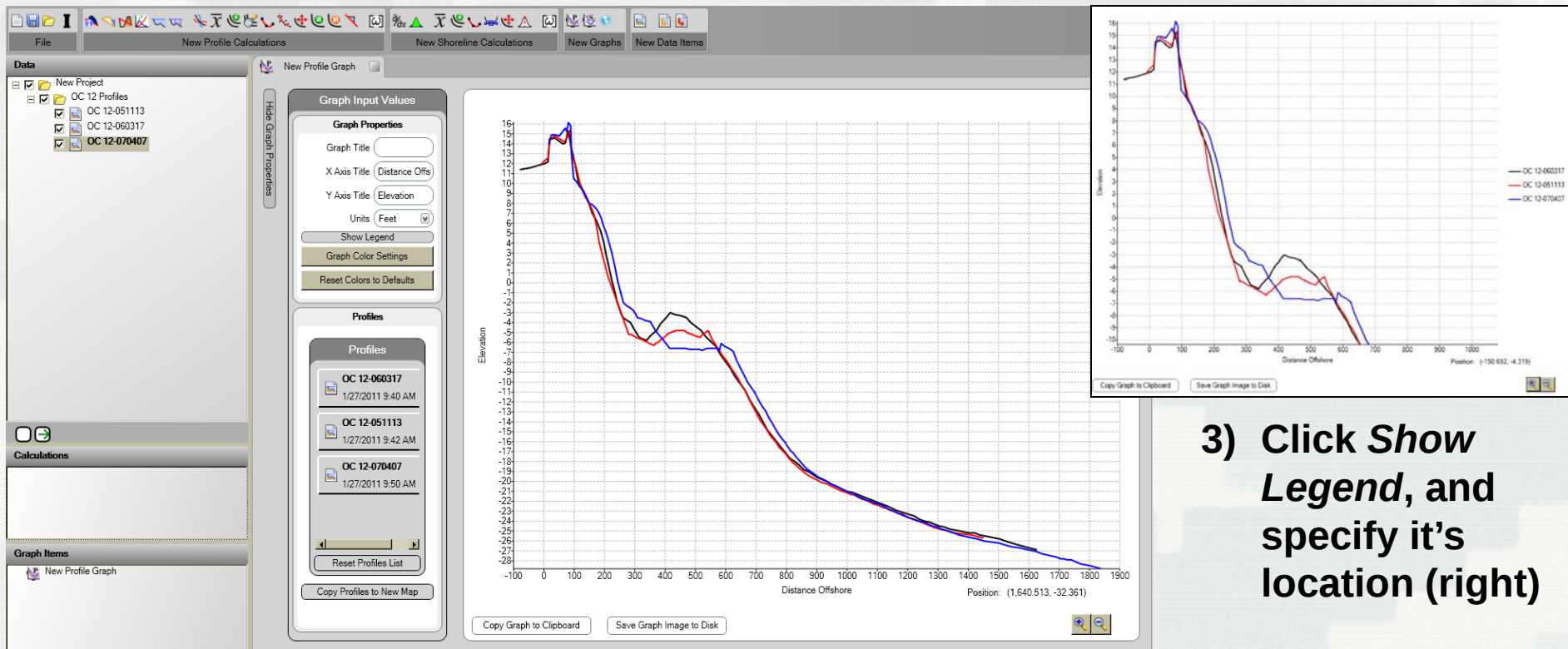
Distance





Comparing Profiles

- 1) Click *Create and Open a New Profile Graph* (button with a P)
- 2) Drag into the plot area all three OC 12 profiles either individually, or by checking each box (can also be done by clicking the folder box) and selecting the *Add checked items to current tab* (green arrow below data tree)



- 3) Click *Show Legend*, and specify it's location (right)





Calculate Profile Volume



- 1) Click the *Profile Volume* button (looks like a profile)
- 2) *Zero Elevation* of -22 ft

Profile Volume Report
Zero Elevation: -22

Profile	XOn (ft)	XOff (ft)	Volume (cu. yd/ft)	Contour Location (ft)
OC 12-051113	-10.30	1450.30	16121.750	1069.80
OC 12-060317	-79.60	1626.60	18842.080	1091.40
OC 12-070407	16.80	1838.40	15899.925	1077.60

- 3) Drag the three OC 12 profiles into the profiles box, click on each one
- 4) Press *Calculate* (In the report, notice the volume covers the entire profiles above the -22ft and includes the dunes)





Calculate Profile Volume Range



- 1) Click the *Profile Volume Range* button (has a profile with two red bars)
- 2) *Contour* of -22 ft
- 3) For *Xon* use 100, for *Xoff* use 1000
- 4) Drag the three OC 12 profiles into the profiles box, click on each one
- 5) Press *Calculate* (In the report, notice the volume is close for all of these profiles)

Profile Volume Report

Zero Elevation: -22 ft

Profile	XOn (ft)	XOff (ft)	Volume (cu. yd/ft)	Contour Location (ft)
OC 12-051113	100.00	1000.00	12135.522	1069.80
OC 12-060317	100.00	1000.00	12523.614	1091.40
OC 12-070407	100.00	1000.00	12809.002	1077.60





Compare Profiles



- 1) Create a new folder under OC 12 Profiles called Compare 06-07
- 2) Click the Create and Open a Compare Profile Calculation Page button (has two profiles with a magnifying glass over it)
- 3) Zero Elevation of -22 ft
- 4) For Xon use 100, for Xoff use 1000, Dx of 25 ft
- 5) Drag the OC 12 060317 and OC 12 070407 profiles into the profiles 1 and 2 boxes, respectively
- 6) Drag the *Compare 06-07* folder in to the *Destination Folder* box
- 7) Press *Calculate*

New Profile Graph ☐ Compare 06-07 ☒

Input Values

Units: Feet

DX: 25

XOn: 100

XOff: 1000

Zero Elevation: -22

Input Profiles

Profile 1: OC 12-060317

Profile 2: OC 12-070407

Destination Folder

Compare 06-07

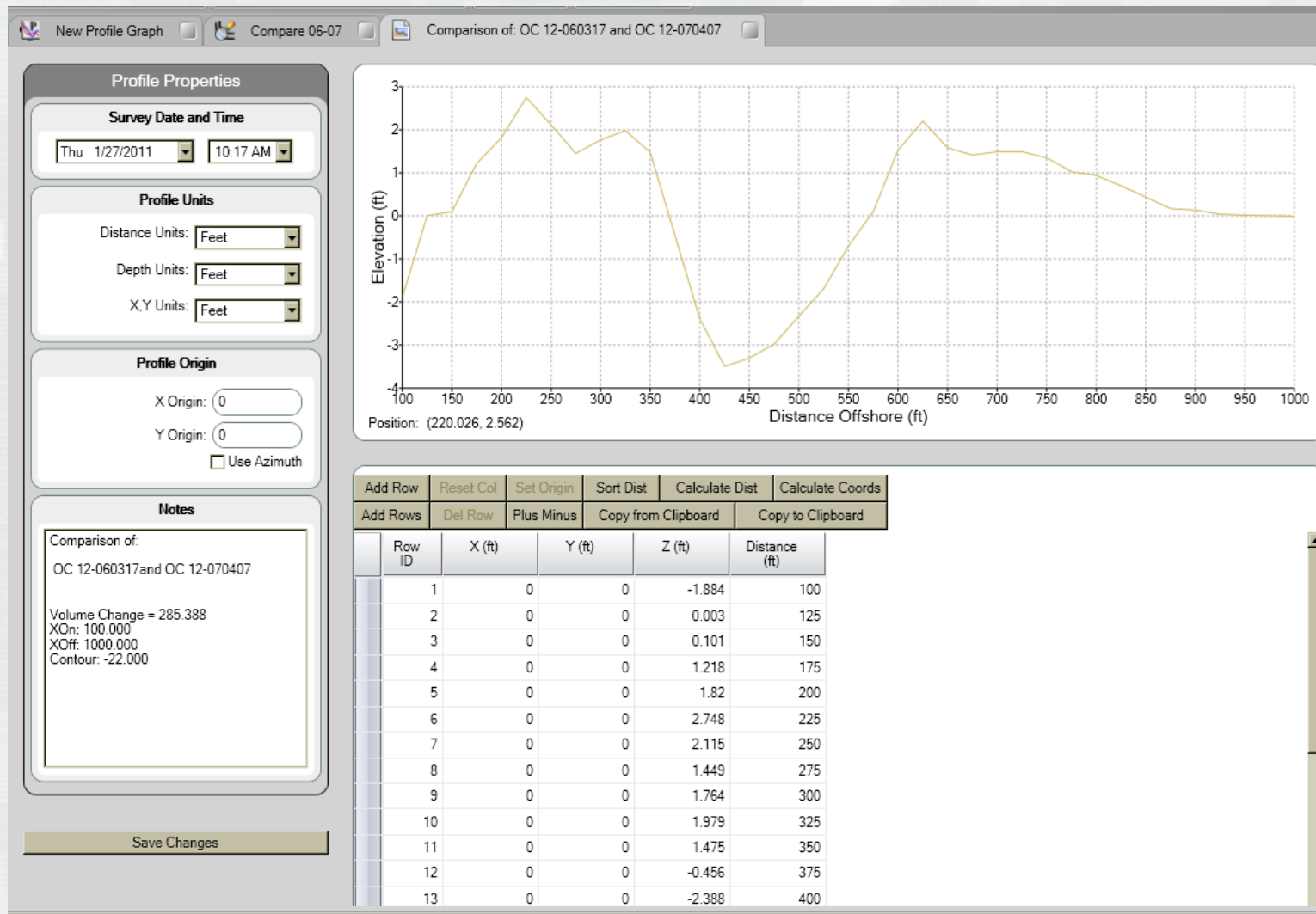
Populate XOn/XOff

Calculate





Compare Profiles





Average Profiles

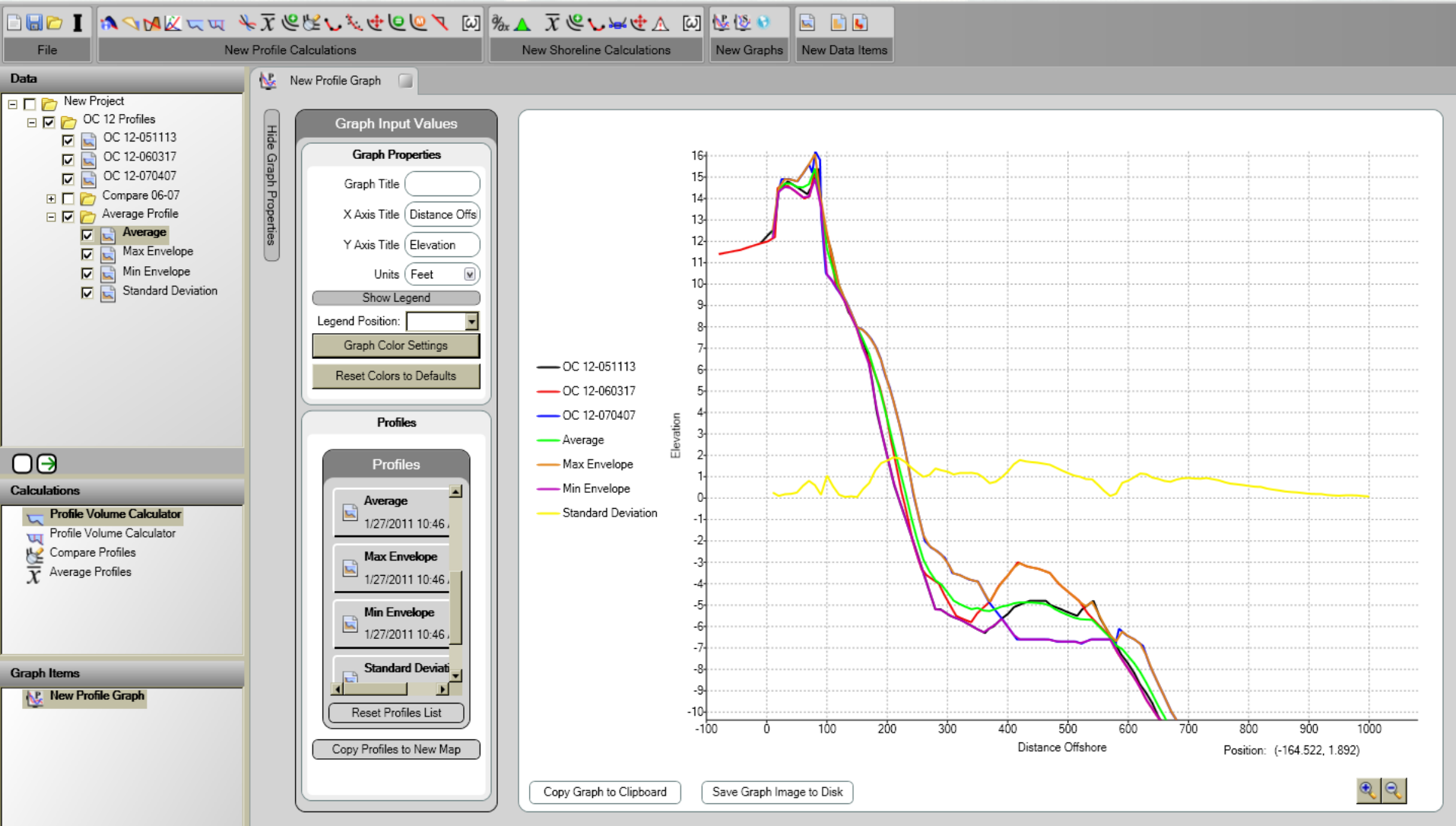


- 1) Create a new folder under *OC 12 Profiles* called *Average Profile*
- 2) Click the *Create and Open an Average Profile Calculation Page*
- 3) For *Xon* use 10, for *Xoff* use 1000, *Dx* of 10 ft
- 4) Drag the three OC 12 profiles into the profiles box, and the *Average Profile* folder in to the *Destination Folder* box
- 5) Press Calculate
- 6) In the *New Profile Graph*, drage the created average profile statistics files to the profile box





Average Profiles





Equilibrium Profiles



- 1) Create a new folder under *OC 12 Profiles* called *Equilibrium Profile*
- 2) Click the button for Equilibrium Profile (curve with a green ball)
- 3) For X_{on} use 225, for X_{off} use 1000, $\delta x = 10$, grain size = 0.20 mm, *Destination folder: Equilibrium Profile*
- 4) Press Create Profile

Input Values

Units:

XOn:

XOff:

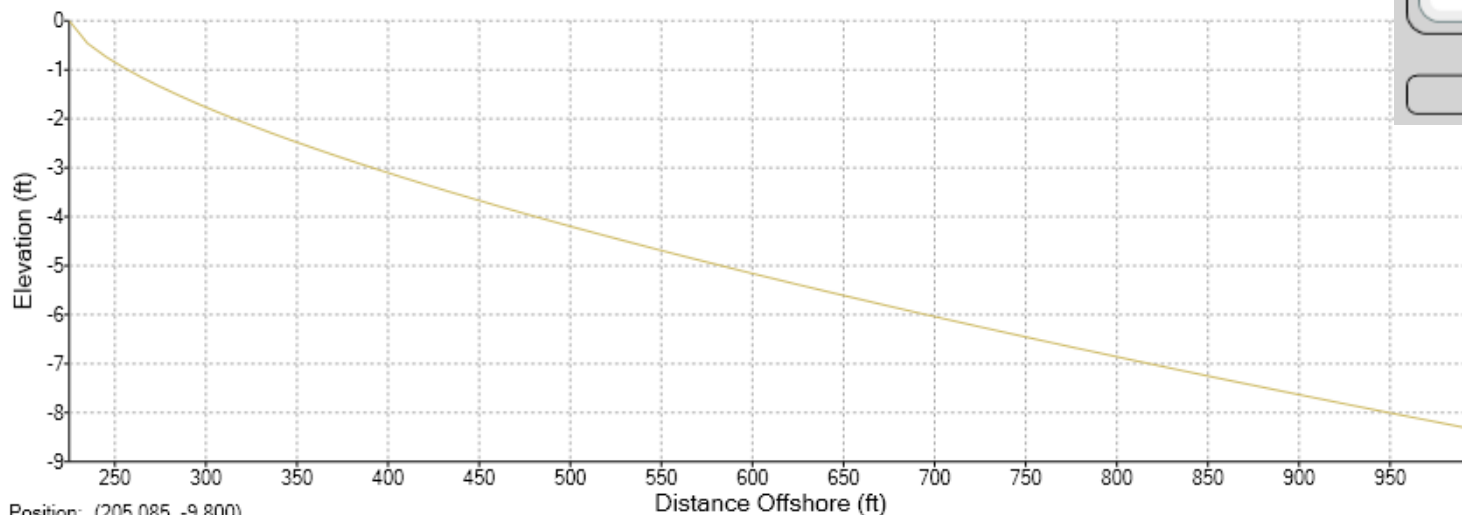
DX:

Specify:

Grain Size (mm):

Destination Folder

Create Profile

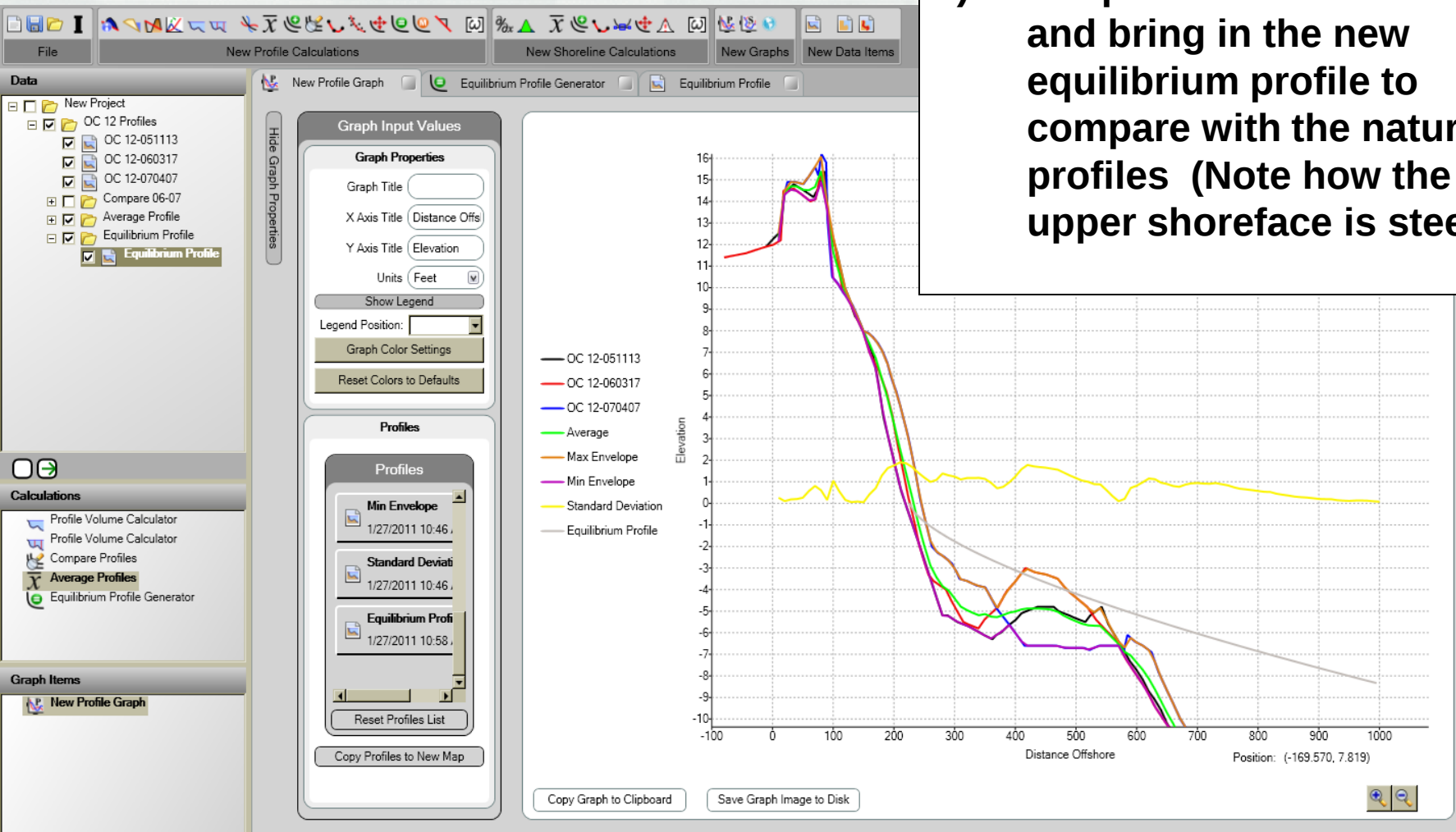




Equilibrium Profiles



5) Reopen OC 12 Profile Graph and bring in the new equilibrium profile to compare with the natural profiles (Note how the OC upper shoreface is steeper.)





Planview Data: Shorelines & Baselines

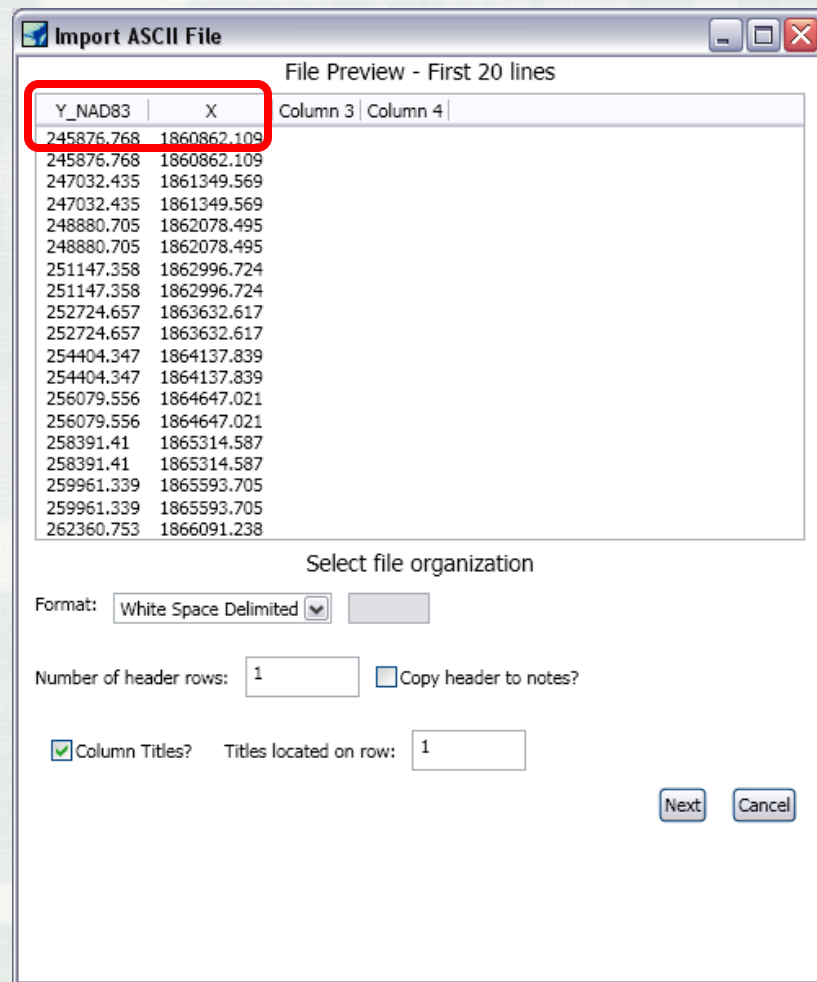




Importing Monuments to a Baseline



- 1) Open (File Open, or ) the project named Ocean-Assateague-NAD83-workshop.rdb (working file with some profiles and shorelines already imported)
- 2) Under the *Ocean City and Assateague Island* folder, go to the *Ocean City – NAD83-MDStatePlane* folder
- 3) Right click *Create Folder* and rename to *OC-Monuments*, select the folder in the data tree
- 4) Then go to *File* and *Import – ASCII – baseline*, go to the *Monuments* folder and select the text file *OC-monuments_NAD83-MDStatePlane.txt*.
- 5) Enter *Number of header rows* as 1 and check *column titles* box, click next, Select the X to be column 2, Y to be column 1, Click OK



Import ASCII File

File Preview - First 20 lines

Y_NAD83	X
245876.768	1860862.109
245876.768	1860862.109
247032.435	1861349.569
247032.435	1861349.569
248880.705	1862078.495
248880.705	1862078.495
251147.358	1862996.724
251147.358	1862996.724
252724.657	1863632.617
252724.657	1863632.617
254404.347	1864137.839
254404.347	1864137.839
256079.556	1864647.021
256079.556	1864647.021
258391.41	1865314.587
258391.41	1865314.587
259961.339	1865593.705
259961.339	1865593.705
262360.753	1866091.238

Select file organization

Format:

Number of header rows: ☐ Copy header to notes?

☒ Column Titles? Titles located on row:

Next Cancel

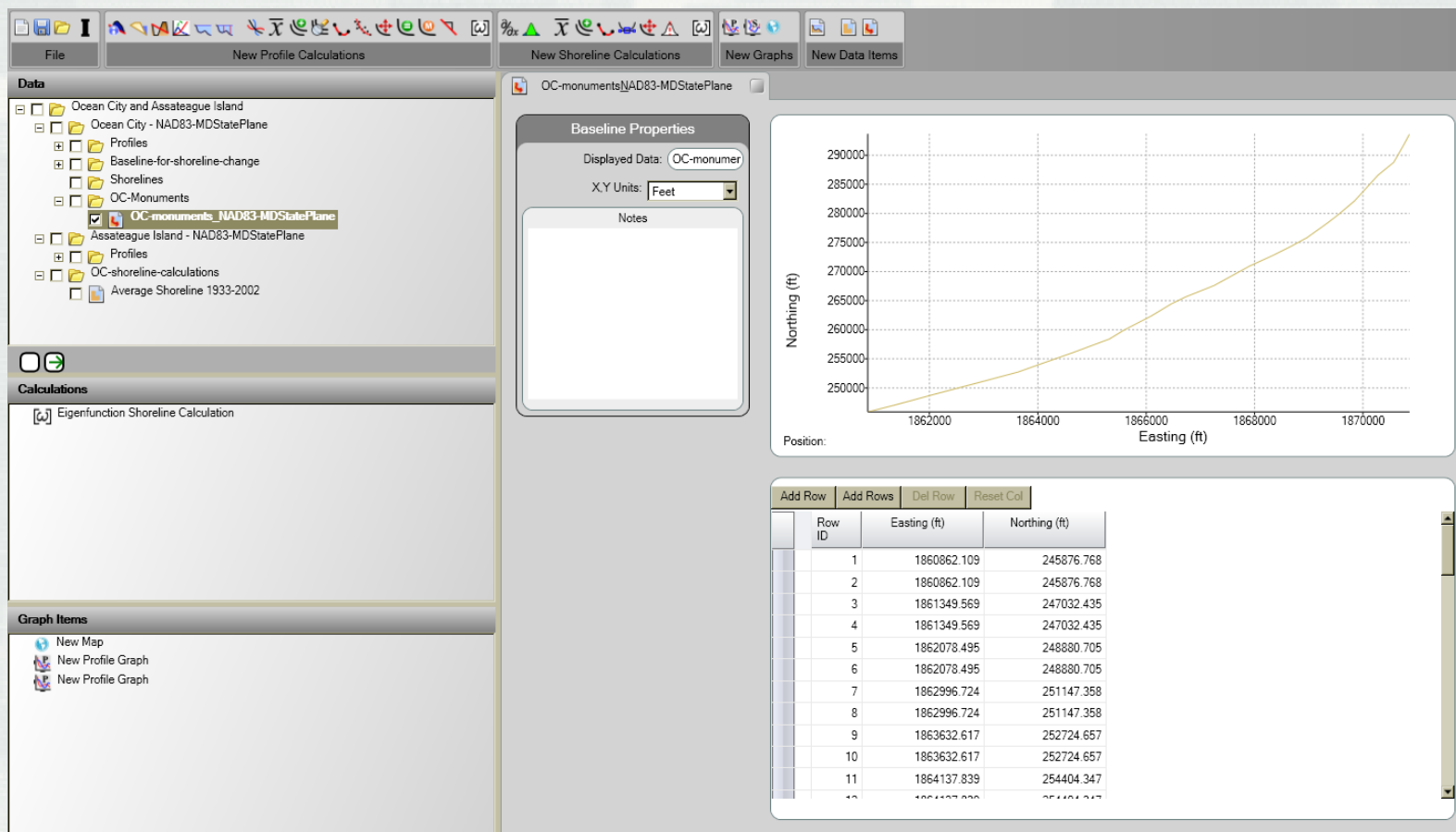




Importing Monuments to a Baseline



- 6) Rename the new Baseline as *OC Monuments Baseline*
- 7) Double click to see if the file looks correct

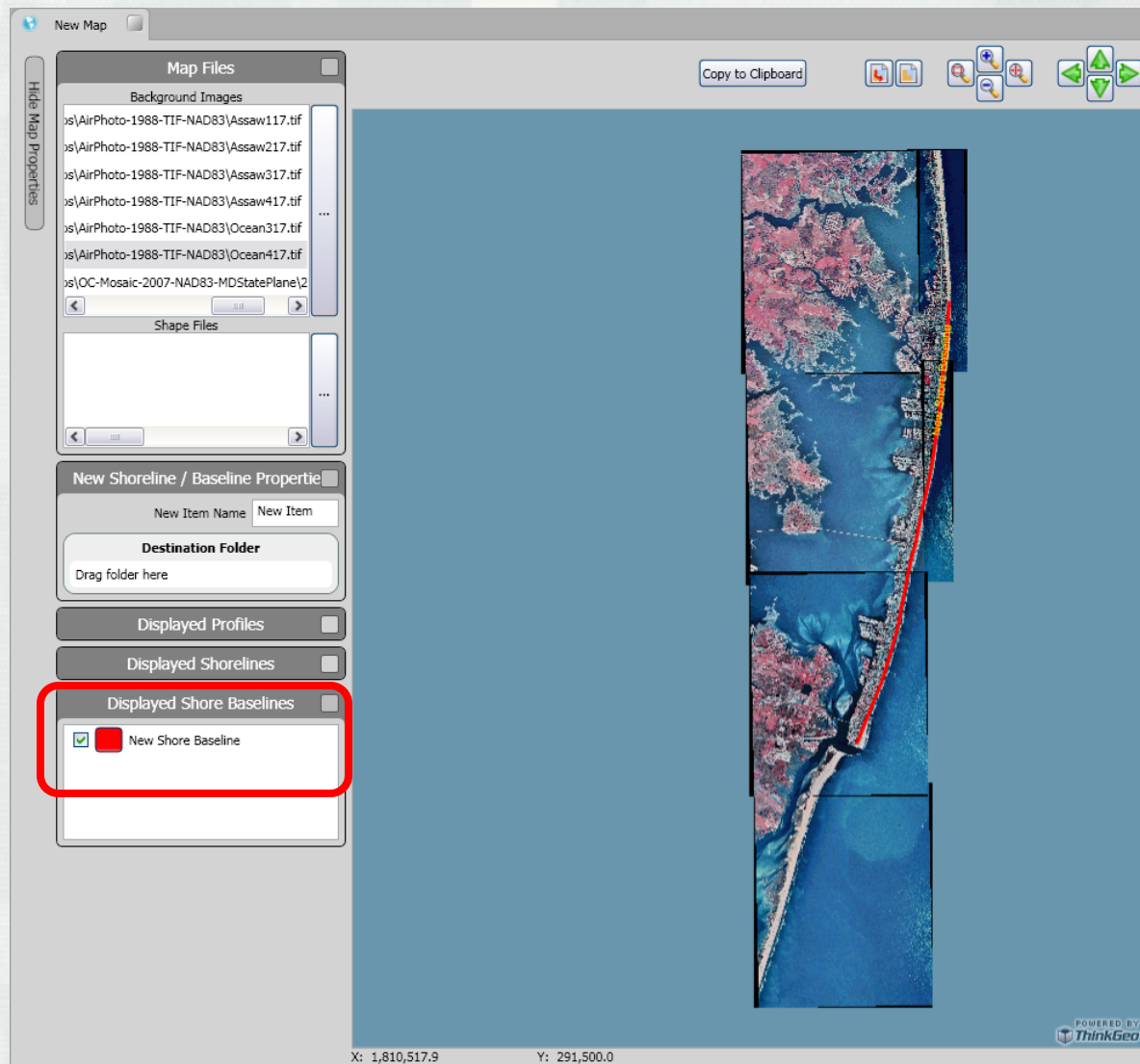




Add Images to Map Module



- 1) Select map button (little blue globe)
- 2) Open directory (Aerial Photos\OC-Mosaic-2007-NAD83-MDStatePlane) and select JPEG file *2007NAIP_mos.jpg*, import into map
- 3) Add other aerial photographs TIFF and JPEG files (in NAD83)
- 4) Drag the baseline file into the map into Displayed Shore Baselines, visually check in the map display on right

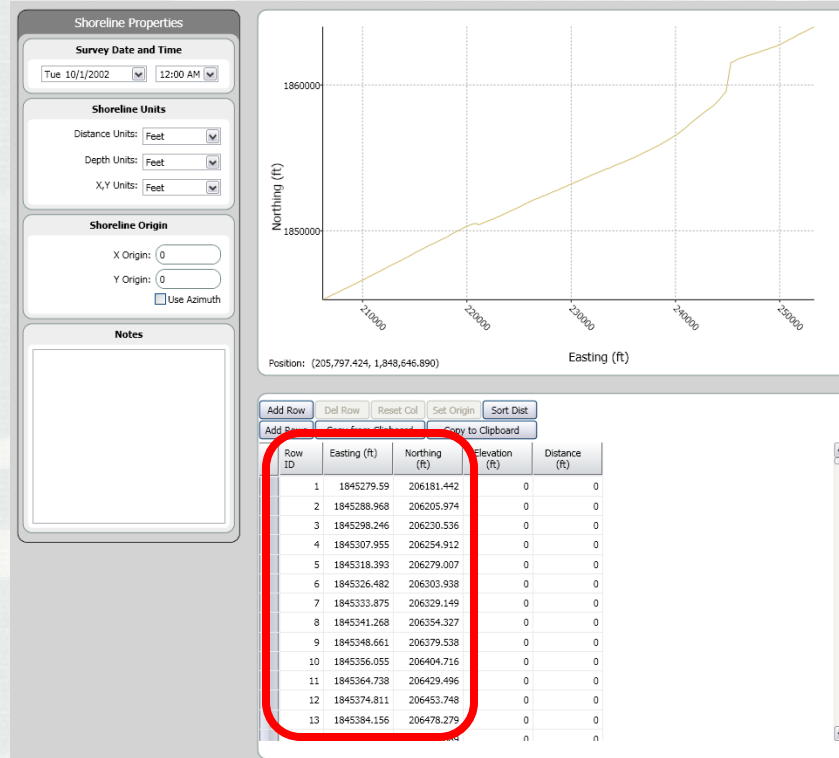




Importing Shorelines



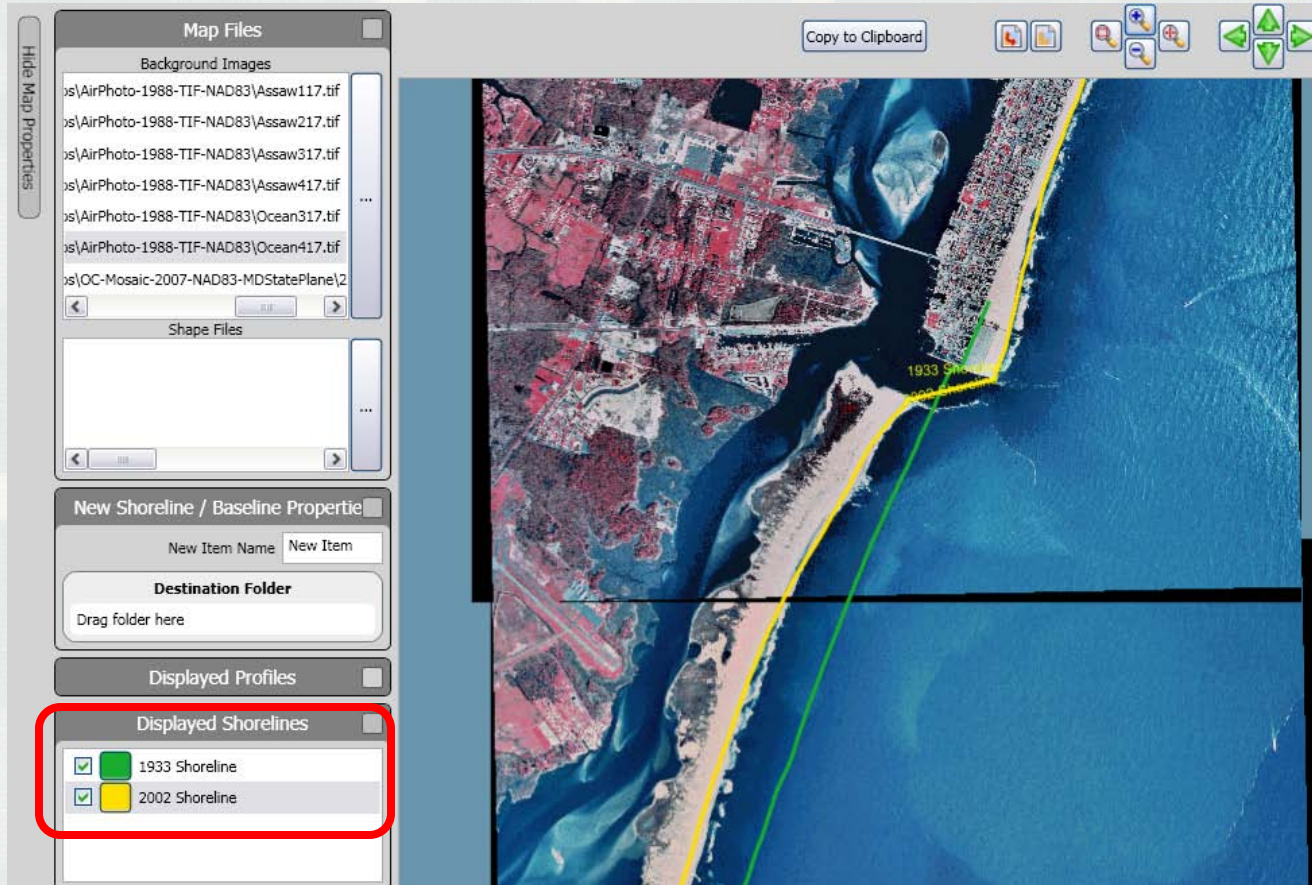
- 1) Click the folder *Shorelines* under *Ocean City – NAD83-MDStatePlane*, go to *File* and *Import* and choose *ASCII* and *Shoreline*
- 2) Find *OC-shorelines-historical* and select *2002_NAD83MDSPft.txt*
- 3) Enter 1 for number of header rows, X is Column 1, Y is Column 2.
- 4) Reopen the Data menu tree and find the newly-imported shoreline, rename it *2002 Shoreline*
- 5) Drag the 2002 entry into *Displayed Shorelines* in the map view and look at the map to see if it displays in the correct location (if not, you may have mixed up X and Y)





Importing Shorelines

- 6) Import *1933_NAD83MDSPft.txt* in the same way and plot it in the map to check its location.
- 7) Pan the map to the north to see how far Assateague Island retreated since 1933.





Importing a Baseline



- 1) Click the folder *Baseline-for-shoreline-change* under *Ocean City – NAD83-MDStatePlane*, go to *File* and *Import* and choose *ASCII* and *Baseline*
- 2) Go to the *Baseline* directory and find, “*Baseline-Assateague-NAD83.txt*”
- 3) Enter 1 for number of header rows, X is Column 1, Y is Column 2.
- 4) Reopen the *Data* menu tree and find the newly-imported baseline, rename it *Assateague Baseline*

Import ASCII File

File Preview - First 20 lines

Easting	Northing	Column 3	Column 4
1860000	250000		
1846000	215000		

Select file organization

Format:

Number of header rows: ☐ Copy header to notes?

☒ Column Titles? Titles located on row:

Import ASCII File

File Preview - First 20 lines

Easting	Northing	Column 3	Column 4
1860000	250000		
1846000	215000		

Please select the columns which contain data you wish to store in the variables listed below. Choose the column for each variable from the drop down lists in the right column or None if you do not want to import data into a variable.

X	Easting
Y	Northing
Z	None
Distance	None

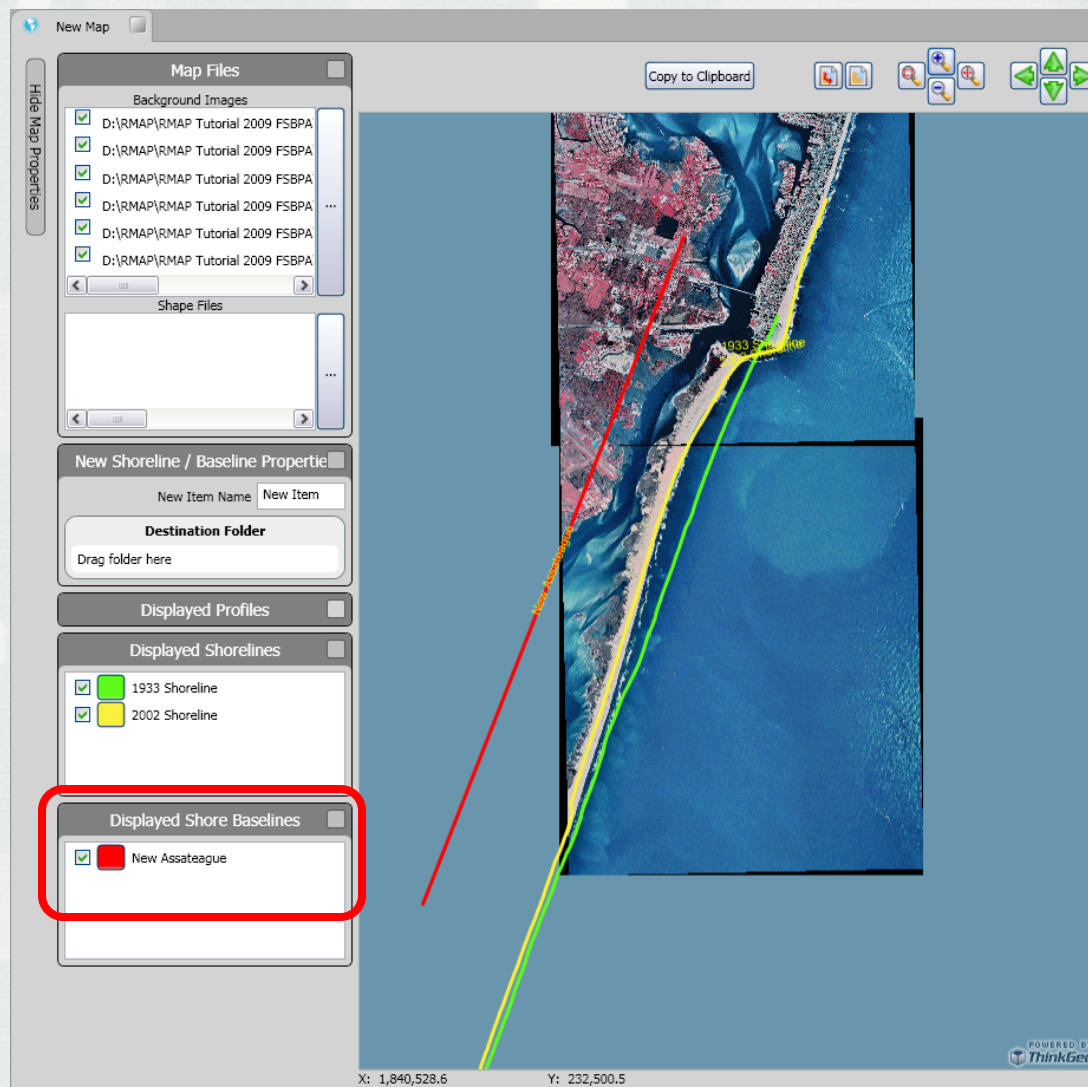




Importing a Baseline



- 5) Double click to see it displayed (a straight line)
- 6) Drag the baseline into “Displayed Shore Baselines” in the map view and look at the map to see if it displays in the correct location (landward of the barrier islands). If not, you may have mixed up X and Y.

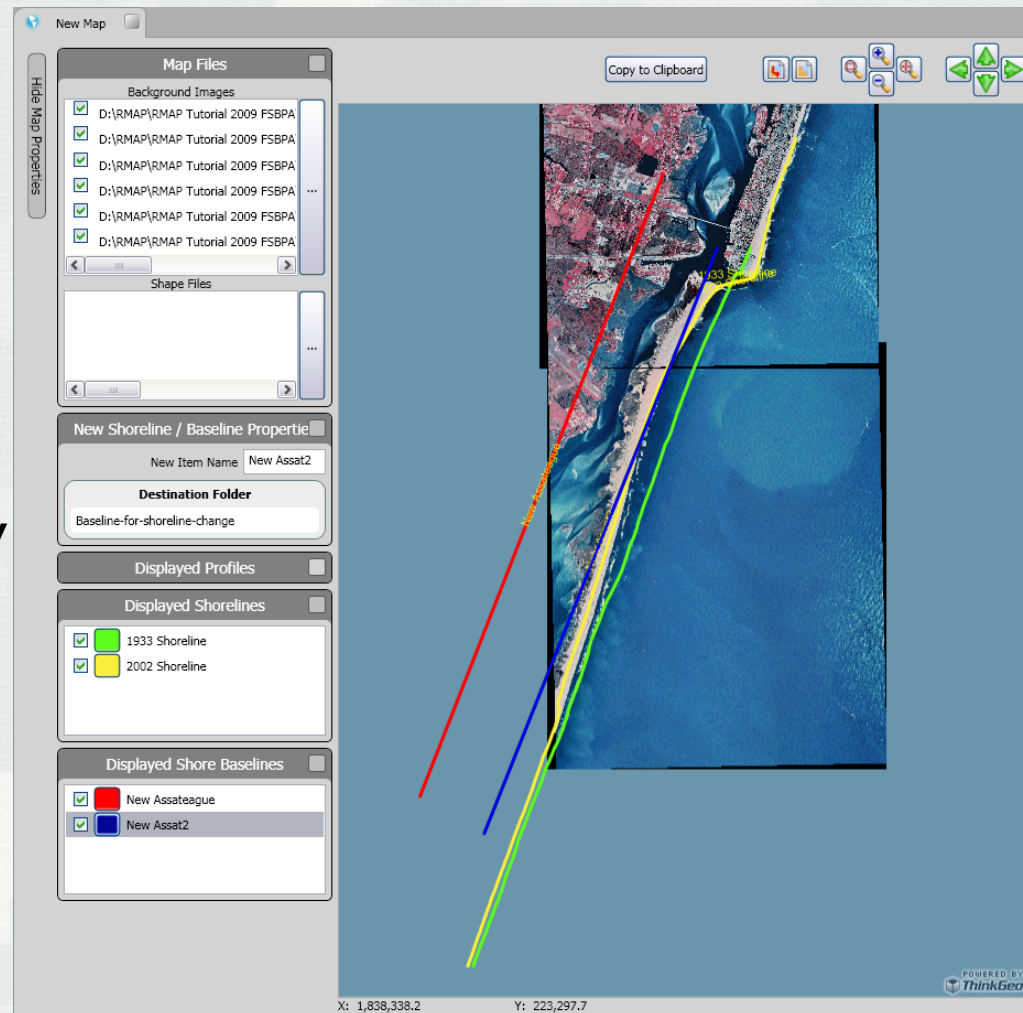




Create a Baseline



- 1) Zoom in or out or pan the map to see the full extent of the baseline we imported earlier.
- 2) Drag the folder *Baseline-for-shoreline-change* into the box in the map view labeled *New Shoreline / Baseline Properties*, into the box Destination Folder.
- 3) Under *New Item Name*, type *New Assateague*
- 4) Click button Create New Baseline (left of the zoom and pan buttons).
- 5) Draw a baseline approximately parallel to the existing baseline (Double click to see the coordinates)





Shoreline Change



- 1) First, open the 1933 shoreline. Enter the date as 6/1/1933 at 12:00. Type “NOS T-sheets” in the notes area
- 2) Next open the 2002 shoreline. Enter 10/1/2002 and 12:00. Type “On-ground differential GPS survey” in the notes area.

Shoreline Properties

Survey Date and Time

Thu 6/1/1933 12:00 AM

Shoreline Units

Distance Units: Feet

Depth Units: Feet

X,Y Units: Feet

Shoreline Origin

X Origin: 0

Y Origin: 0

☐ Use Azimuth

Notes

NOS T-Sheets

Shoreline Properties

Survey Date and Time

Tue 10/1/2002 12:00 AM

Shoreline Units

Distance Units: Feet

Depth Units: Feet

X,Y Units: Feet

Shoreline Origin

X Origin: 0

Y Origin: 0

☐ Use Azimuth

Notes

On-ground differential GPS survey

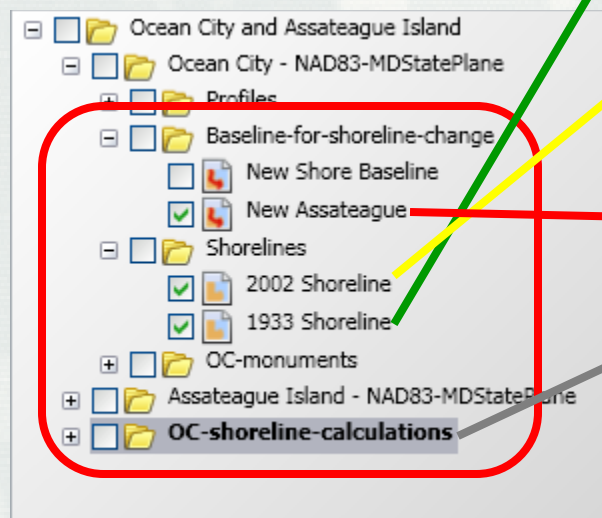




Shoreline Change



- 3) Open Shoreline Change Calculation Page $\frac{\partial x}{\partial t}$
- 4) Drag **1933** into **Initial Shoreline** and **2002** into **Final Shoreline**, and one of the baselines into the box **Baseline** (dates read from file)
- 5) Drag the folder **OC-shoreline-calculations** into the box **Destination Folder**, click **Calculate**
- 6) Under **OC-shoreline-calculations** find the report called **Rate of Change**



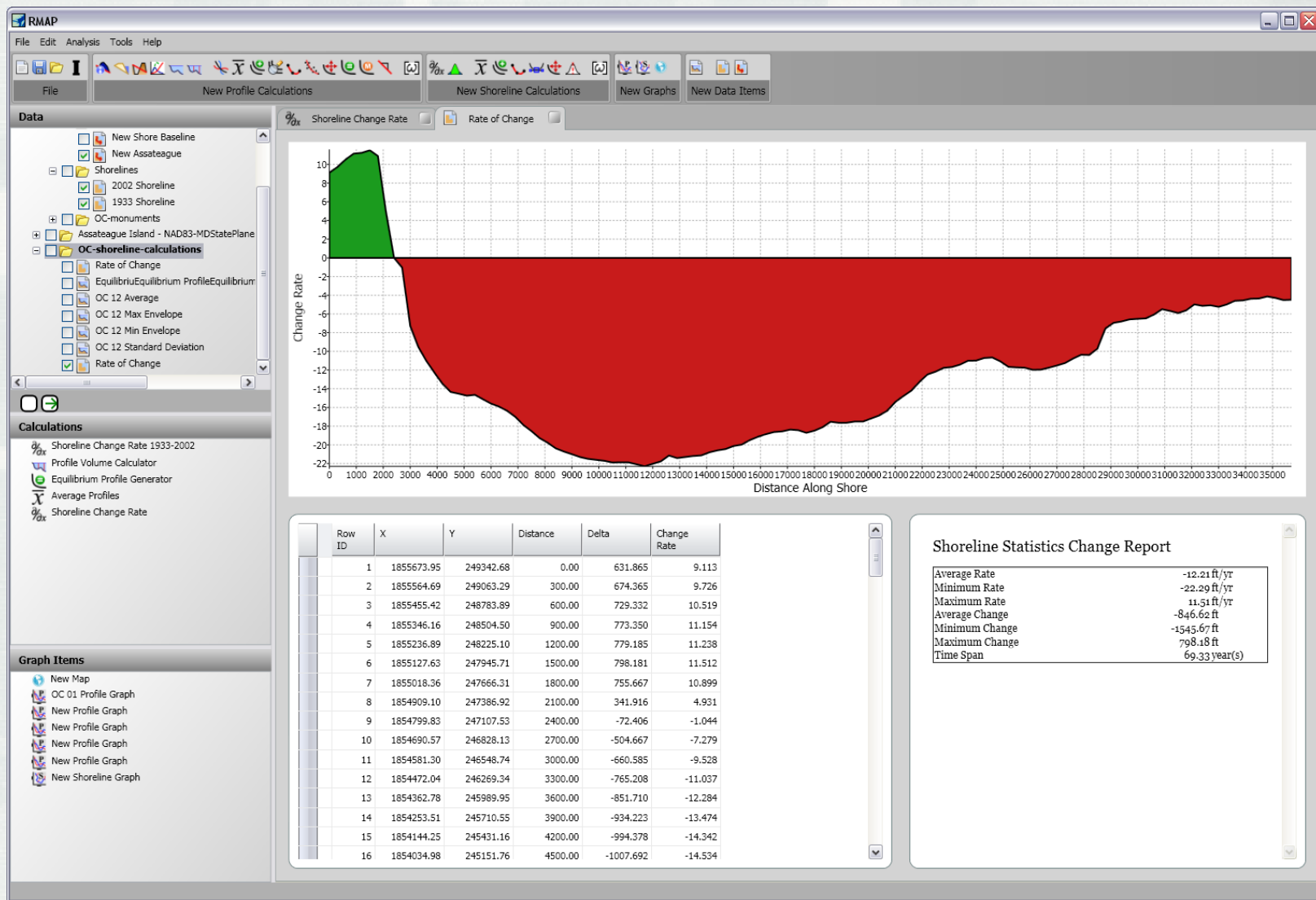
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Initial Shoreline	
1933 Shoreline	
Survey Date and Time	
Thu 6/1/1933	12:00 AM
Final Shoreline	
2002 Shoreline	
Survey Date and Time	
Tue 10/1/2002	12:00 AM
Baseline	
New Assateague	
Destination Folder	
OC-shoreline-calculations	
Units	Feet
DX:	300
DT:	69.33333333 years





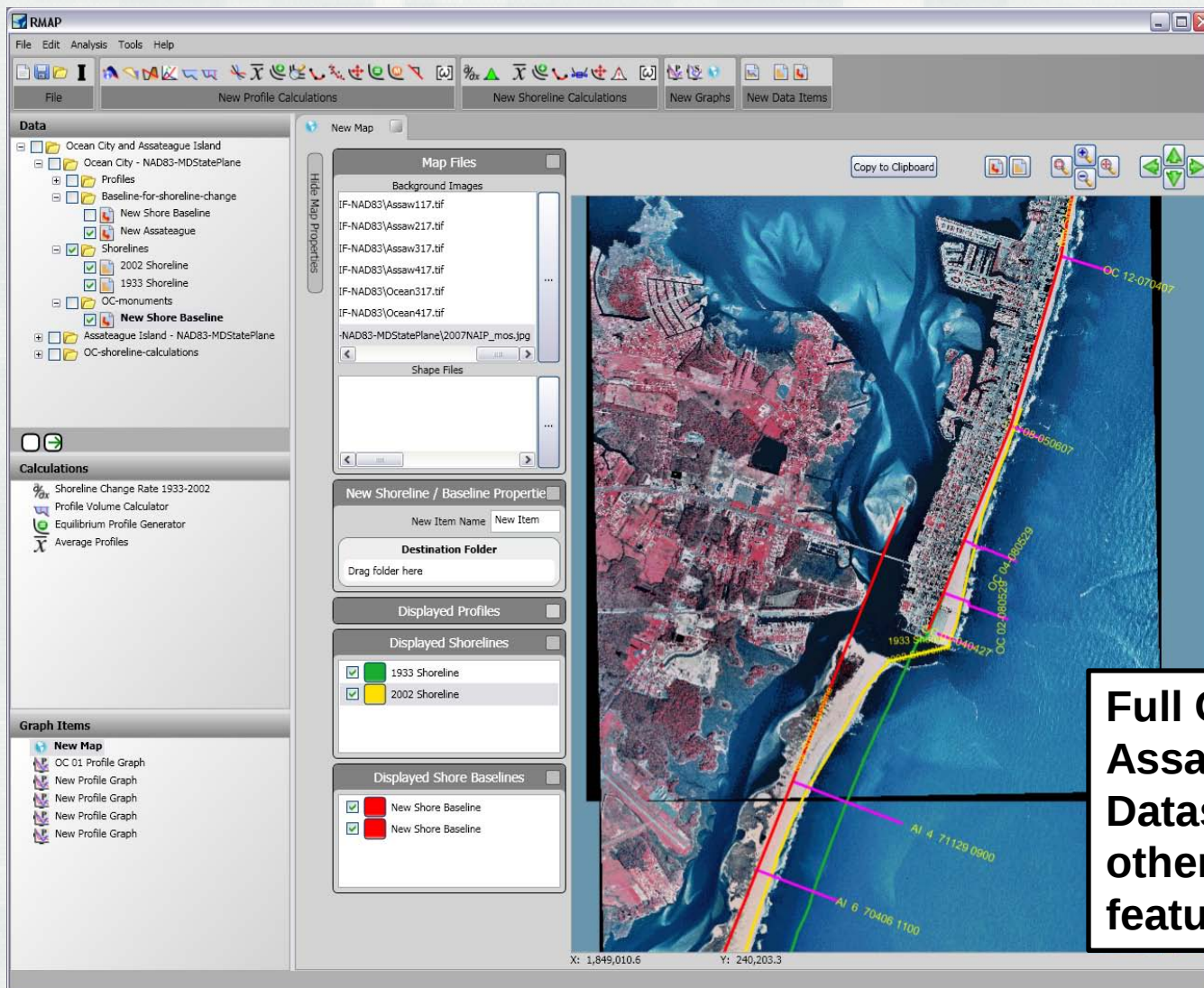
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Shoreline Change





Open the Exercises Done RMAP File



Full Ocean City – Assateague Island Dataset for testing other RMAP features.





Summary - Present and Planned Capabilities



New V. 3.1

1. **Backward compatible**
(with 2D BMAP files and RMAP free format files)
2. Geospatial data handling
3. Map or graph views
4. Report quality graphics
5. Shoreline analysis/tools
6. Profile analysis/tools
7. 2D empirical eigenfunctions

Planned

1. Coordinating data with GenCade (in SMS) and other CIRP software
2. Other shoreline analysis tools
3. Slope stability tools (levee cross-sections)
4. Coordinate conversions
5. 3D analysis tools
 - a. Contouring
 - b. Surface differencing
 - c. Cut & Fill
 - d. 3D empirical eigenfunctions

....**What are your needs?**





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