UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF THE INTERIOR
BUREAU OF OCEAN ENERGY MANAGEMENT
GULF OF MEXICO REGION
FILE DESCRIPTION REPORT
ASCII Format

Coverage Name:

8310   Clipped Blocks

Coverage type: polygon

Export Filenames: blk_Clip.data
                    blk_Clip.gen

For this geo dataset, two files are provided- 1) a coordinate file and 2) an attribute file. The coordinate file contains the longitude/latitude locations for the geo dataset. This file will have a .gen file extension. The attribute file consists of the attribut information for the geo dataset. This file will have a .data file extension. The id number that can be found in both files can be used to associate the records from the coordinate file with their corresponding attribute records in the attribute file.

.GEN file for Clipped Blocks

        filename: blk_clip.gen

21430	–0.866517383267590D+02	0.302697399855556D+02
	–0.866769150300000D+02	0.302453237700000D+02
	–0.866767723400000D+02	0.302888940500000D+02
	–0.866265696200000D+02	0.302887604500000D+02
	–0.866265696200000D+02	0.302887604500000D+02
	–0.866267344700000D+02	0.302451904100000D+02
	–0.866267344700000D+02	0.302451904100000D+02
	–0.866769150300000D+02	0.302453237700000D+02
END		
21436	–0.870030935191027D+02	0.302266237567901D+02
	–0.869780032500000D+02	0.302457203200000D+02
	–0.869780129500000D+02	0.302021490600000D+02
	–0.869780129500000D+02	0.302021490600000D+02
	–0.870281725600000D+02	0.302021478800000D+02

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        –0.870281725600000D+02            0.302021478800000D+02
        –0.870281849800000D+02            0.302457191400000D+02
        –0.869780032500000D+02            0.302457203200000D+02
    END
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This sample **listing** would be for two polygons.

.DATA **file** for Clipped Blocks:
    (stored under the following name: blk_clip.data)

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            21431
            "G"
            "CGM"
            "NH16–05"
            "01–APR–1992"
            "   728"
            "01–APR–1992"
            "728"
            "PE728"
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This sample **listing** would be for one polygon.

Definitions:

ID_NUMBER –The **first** line for each polygon contains an
    id number that corresponds to the id in the
    blocks.gen **file.**

MMS_REGION_CODE –The second line is the MMS Region
    code for the polygon. "G" stands for the Gulf of
    Mexico region.

MMS_PLAN_AREA_CD – The **third line is** the MMS Planning
    Area code for the polygon.   "CGM" stands for
    Central Gulf of Mexico Planning Area.

PROT_NUMBER –The **fourth line** is the protraction number
    for the polygon.

PROT_APRV_DATE –The **fifth line is** the protraction
    approval date for the polygon.

BLOCK_NUMBER – The **sixth line is** the block number for

the polygon.

BLK_FED_APRV_DT – The seventh line is the block federal approval date for the polygon.

BLOCK_LAB – The eighth line is the block label for the polygon.

AC_LAB – The ninth line is a concatenated field. The first two characters contains the area code and the remaining characters contains the block number.

BLANK – The tenth line is a blank line representing the end of the polygon.