

EULA – End User License Agreement HABITAT 1K and HABITAT 3K Datasets (<http://cvi.cs.nott.ac.uk/resources/habitat3k/pages/download.html>).

This user agreement applies to the HABITAT 1K and HABITAT 3K datasets, from hereon called the HABITAT K datasets. Both databases have been created to support automatic habitat and plant classification. The HABITAT K databases have been released by its creator, Dr Mercedes Torres Torres, for sole scientific and non-commercial use.

The data for HABITAT 1K was recorded and annotated for Dr Torres Torres' research. Photos were taken in Titchfield Haven, New Forest and Christmas Commons (United Kingdom). HABITAT 3K data, an expansion of HABITAT 1K, includes additional photographs donated by Geograph and annotated by Dr Torres Torres. Photos from HABITAT 3K have been taken all over the UK. The database is stored and maintained by the Computer Vision Lab (University of Nottingham). By signing this document, the user agrees to the following terms. In this document, the term 'database' denotes both the actual photographs as well as the annotations and ground-truth associated with the photographs.

1. Intended use

The HABITAT K dataset can only be used for the purpose of benchmarking habitat and vegetation classification systems.

2. Responsibility

The signee of this document must hold a permanent position at an academic institute. Up to five other researchers affiliated with the same institute for whom the signee is responsible may be named at the end of this document, which will allow them to work with this dataset.

2. Commercial use

The user may not use the database for any commercial purposes. Commercial purposes include, but are not limited to:

- proving the efficiency of commercial systems
- testing commercial systems
- using screenshots of subjects from the database in advertisements
- selling data from the database

3. Distribution

The user may not distribute the database in any way. Small portions (screenshots) may be distributed in publications as long as the publication complies with the terms stated in this EULA (article 4).

The user will forward all requests for copies of the databases to the HABITAT K database administrators.

4. Access

The user may only use the database after this EULA has been signed and returned to the HABITAT K administrator. The user must return the signed EULA by email, in PDF format to mercedes.torrestorres@nottingham.ac.uk.

The user may not grant anyone access to the database by giving them their username and password.

5. Publications

Publications include not only papers, but also presentations for conferences or educational purposes.

The user may use screenshots of photographs in publications.

All documents and papers that report on research that uses the HABITAT K databases will acknowledge this by citing the following two papers:

- Torres, M., Qiu, G., 2013. Automatic Habitat Classification using Image Analysis and Random Forest, *Ecological Informatics*. Available online 2 September 2013, here.

Documents and papers that make use of the medium-level features in the HABITAT K databases will also acknowledge this paper:

- Torres, Mercedes, and Guoping Qiu. "Habitat image annotation with low-level features, medium-level knowledge and location information.", *Multimedia Systems* (2015): 1-16.

Additionally, please consider acknowledging and linking to Geograph (<http://www.geograph.org.uk/>) for donating images for Habitat 3K.

6. Changes

The HABITAT K creators reserve the right to change this EULA at any time. Users will be informed about changes beforehand and given the choice to opt out of the new EULA. Opting out will render the previous EULA void.

7. Warranty

The database comes without any warranty, the Computer Vision Lab at the University of Nottingham cannot be held accountable for any damage (physical, financial or otherwise) caused by the use of the database. No legal claims of any kind can be derived from accepting and using the datasets. The Computer Vision Lab at the University of Nottingham will try to prevent any damage by keeping the database virus free.

I have read and understood the user agreement and I will comply with it.

Signed: _____

Print Name: _____

Institution: _____

Date: _____