

Point Cloud to BIM Modeling

Creating Comprehensive, Accurate As-built Models of **Renovation Buildings**

Renovation projects lean heavily on as-built drawings which, many a time are inaccurate and incomplete. If these inaccuracies flow un-noticed into the design process, construction disasters are inevitable.



of the total construction cost is attributed to reworks and delays.

Common building renovation challenges

- Cluttered field sketches, blurry or wrong angle photos, and wrong field dimensions
- High number of site visits to close information bottlenecks
- Absence of visualization into scope of work
- Inaccuracy and incompleteness of legacy 2D drawings
- Delays due to missing information



Story of the Notre Dame Cathedral

In 2019, the Notre Dame Cathedral caught fire and lost its spire and much of its roof. The original drawings of the 800-year-old structure were difficult to find. Thanks



to Andrew Talon, late American Historian, an incredibly accurate point cloud model of the cathedral is available. The Point Cloud model is now pivotal to renovating the historic cathedral.

> **Cost savings** of around

Scan to BIM Success Stories

Hitech CADD Services creates clash-free coordinated 3D BIM model from Point Cloud Scans of a College Backyard in the UK in 20 days. Models were in LOD 300.

Business Impact

- Enabled informed decision making
- Reduced renovation costs
- · Risk mitigation through geo-spatial data
- · Digital design documentation eased document sharing process

CAD drawings created from drone-captured scanned data simplify digging operations for a mining site in France.

> Collecting data

> > with a

3D laser

scanning

device

Tracing

point cloud

model into BIM

Business Impact

- Project streamlining
- · Accelerated pace of project
- Compliance with all standards

4-step Scan-to-BIM process

Safe workflow

Refining,

stitching

data

into a

point cloud

model

Accuracy in design-to-construction delivered by Scan to BIM



Benefits of Scan-to-BIM in renovation projects for architects & contractors

Improved data capture at reduced costs Cost savings

Reduced site visits Lower travel costs + reduced onsite risks

Accurate Point Cloud capture High design precision

Point Cloud views & photo augmentation Enhanced visualization

High quality scan to BIM models Accurate workflow planning & structural documentation

Up-to-date schematics Risk mitigation during execution

Software





Quality

check to

verify the

models

accuracy

