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Well locations are calculated utilizing surveyed footages from section lines. Polygons, including field and unit boundaries, are created from legal descriptions contained in Montana Board of Oil and Gas Conservation orders.

Coordinates are calculated utilizing the Public Land Survey System (PLSS) dataset derived from the Bureau of Land Management's Geographic Coordinate Data Base (GCDB) project.

Data may not plot correctly when used with other PLSS datasets or map projections.

Information about the GCDB project is available at:
http://www.blm.gov/wo/st/en/prog/more/gcdb.html

Land survey data can be downloaded from:
http://www.geocommunicator.gov/GeoComm/lsis_home/home/index.html

Additional data (county boundaries, cities, etc.) is available from the Montana Geographic Information Clearinghouse at:
http://nris.mt.gov/gis/

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