Converting Avisoft GPX files to ESRI Shapefiles

GPX files that have been created either by Avisoft-RECORDER or Avisoft-SASLab Pro can be converted to the ESRI shapefile format as follows:

- 1. Install the ExpertGPS Map software from http://www.expertgps.com
- 2. Open the .gpx file in ExpertGPS:

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Additional Resources

Note that .GPX and .KML files can also be imported directly by the ArcGIS Desktop software. However, it is required to first install the "ArcGIS Data Interoperability Extension" to enable that mode of operation.

http://www.esri.com/software/arcgis/extensions/datainteroperability/index.html

See also <u>http://resources.arcgis.com/gallery/file/map-</u> templates/details?entryID=BC061D5E-1422-2418-7FCE-CC0FBB0C0825

Update August 2012

Avisoft-SASLab Pro / Lite (version 5.2.06, 27 August 2012 or later) can create shapefiles from .wav files that have been recorded with the Avisoft-RECORDER software (command *File/Specials/Georeference .wav files...*)

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Avisoft RECORDER (version 4.2.13, later than 28 August 2012) itself can also create shapefiles directly in real time.