

# CONVERSIONS BETWEEN GEOGRAPHICAL AND TRANSVERSE MERCATOR (UTM, GAUSS-KRÜGER) GRID COORDINATES

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To now, mutual conversions between Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) grid coordinates and geographical coordinates applied computers or tables. Programmable desk and pocket calculators revolutionized calculations not only in the office but also on the terrain. A single magnetic card may replace volumes of tables. A programmable calculator, fed with correct data input provides correct results as against the multitude of sources of error, inherent in the use of tables. Another significant advantage of programmed calculation is a lower qualified operator needed to obtain error-free results, at a reduced running time.

The mutual conversion between UTM and geographical coordinates by means of a minicomputer will be presented below.

The chosen computer methods require low data and program storage capacity fit to a smaller programmable pocket calculator. The prepared programs with the indicated constants provide for a mean error of  $\pm 1$  mm in the grid coordinate and  $\pm 0.0002''$  in the geographical coordinate, all along the ellipsoid.

## Notations

$a$  = semi-major axis of the ellipsoid;

$b$  = semi-minor axis of the ellipsoid;

$c$  =  $a^2/b$ , polar radius of curvature;

$e^2 = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{a^2}$ , square of the first eccentricity;

$e'^2 = \frac{a^2 - b^2}{b^2} = \frac{e^2}{1 - e^2}$ , square of the second eccentricity;

$\Phi$  = latitude of point;

$\Phi_1$  = latitude of foot of perpendicular to central meridian from point;

$\lambda$  = longitude of point;

$\lambda_0$  = longitude of origin (the central meridian) of the projection;

- $\lambda$  = difference of longitude from the central meridian;  
 $\lambda = \Lambda - \Lambda_0$  in the Eastern Hemisphere;  
 $\lambda = \Lambda_0 - \Lambda$  in the Western Hemisphere;  
 $t = \operatorname{tg} \Phi$ ;  
 $\eta^2 = e'^2 \cos^2 \Phi$ ;  
 $V = \sqrt{1 + \eta^2} = \sqrt{1 + e'^2 \cos^2 \Phi}$ ;  
 $M = c/V^3$ , radius of curvature in the meridian;  
 $M = c/V$ , radius of curvature in the prime vertical;  
 $S$  = true meridional distance on the ellipsoid from the equator;  
 $k_0$  = central scale factor;  
 $X_0$  = false northing;  
 $Y_0$  = false easting;  
 $x$  = grid distance from the equator;  
 $y$  = grid distance from the central meridian;  
 $X = x + X_0$  = grid northing;  
 $Y = y + Y_0$  = grid easting.

Relationships between grid and geographical coordinates in the transversal conformal Mercator projections of the ellipsoid are:

Geographical to projection:

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= (S + A_2 \lambda^2 + A_4 \lambda^4) k_0, \\
 y &= (A_1 \lambda + A_3 \lambda^3 + A_5 \lambda^5) k_0, \\
 X &= x + X_0, \quad Y = y + Y_0.
 \end{aligned} \tag{1}$$

Projection to geographical:

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= \frac{X - X_0}{k_0}, \quad y = \frac{Y - Y_0}{k_0}, \\
 \Phi &= \Phi_1 + B_2 y^2 + B_4 y^4, \\
 \lambda &= B_1 y + B_3 y^3 + B_5 y^5, \\
 \Lambda &= \Lambda_0 \pm \lambda.
 \end{aligned} \tag{2}$$

After substitutions and transformations, (1) and (2) take the following, efficiently programmable form: [2]

$$\begin{aligned}
 x &= k_0 \left\{ S + \frac{N \lambda^2}{2} \sin \Phi \cos \Phi \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda^2}{12} \cos^2 \Phi (5 - t^2 + 9\eta^2 + 4\eta^2) + \right. \right. \\
 &\quad \left. \left. + \frac{\lambda^4}{360} \cos^4 \Phi (61 - 58 t^2 + t^4) \right] \right\},
 \end{aligned} \tag{3}$$

$$y = k_0 \lambda N \cos \Phi \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda^2}{6} \cos^2 \Phi (1 - t^2 + \eta^2) + \frac{\lambda^4}{120} \cos^4 \Phi (5 - 18t^2 + t^4 + 14\eta^2 - 58t^2\eta^2) \right], \tag{4}$$

$$\Phi = \Phi_1 - \frac{y^2 t_1}{2 M_1 N_1} \left[ 1 - \frac{y^2}{12 N_1^2} (5 + 3t_1^2 + \eta_1^2 - 9t_1^2\eta_1^2) + \frac{y^4}{360 N_1^4} (61 + 90t_1^2 + 45t_1^4) \right], \tag{5}$$

$$\lambda = \frac{y}{N_1 \cos \Phi_1} \left[ 1 - \frac{y^2}{6 N_1^2} (1 + 2t_1^2 + \eta_1^2) + \frac{y^4}{120 N_1^4} (5 + 28t_1^2 + 24t_1^4) \right]. \tag{6}$$

The angle values have to be substituted in radians into formulae (3) to (6) to avoid calculation with powers of the analytical angle unit  $\rho$ .  $S$  and  $\Phi_1$  can be determined as follows. Subscripts 1 in (5) and (6) indicate that for calculating the given quantity  $\Phi_1$  has to be substituted into the formula.

**1. Determination of  $S$  (true meridional distance on the ellipsoid)**

For determining  $S$  and  $\Phi_1$ , VINCENTY suggested a useful direct method in [7]. For each ellipsoid 7 constant values have to be calculated and stored. Constants will be derived in a similar way, some of them are, however, simple to express from the others and therefore it is needless to store them separately.

LEE [3] calculates the plane coordinates by  $\Psi$  using the isometric latitude to obtain symmetrical terms for  $x$  and  $y$ , easy to program exempt from  $S$ . Disadvantage of this method is that series have to be taken into consideration to a high order number likely to inhibit use of a minicomputer.

$S$  is given by integrals:

$$S = \int_0^\Phi M d\Phi = a(1 - e^2) \int_0^\Phi \frac{d\Phi}{(1 - e^2 \sin^2 \Phi)^{3/2}}, \tag{7}$$

or

$$S = \int_0^\Phi M d\Phi = c \int_0^\Phi \frac{d\Phi}{(1 + e'^2 \cos^2 \Phi)^{3/2}} \tag{8}$$

showing the arc length  $S$  of the meridian to be proportional to the area between curves of functions

$$\omega = (1 - e^2 \sin^2 \Phi)^{-3/2},$$

or

$$\omega = (1 + e'^2 \cos^2 \Phi)^{-3/2}$$

and the coordinate axis  $\omega = 0$ . It is also seen that for determining  $S$ , storage of two constants for each ellipsoid may be enough; in one case these are  $a$  and  $e^2$ , in the other  $c$  and  $e'^2$ . Functions  $\omega = f(\Phi)$  are continuous, mildly ascending in the interval  $0 \leq \Phi \leq \pi/2$  fit to numerical integration by dividing interval 0 to  $\Phi$  into relatively few parts to yield the area below the curves at the desired accuracy.

Let us write *Simpson's* parabola formula for  $S$  divided to even  $n$  parts according to (8):

$$S = c \int_0^{\Phi} \omega d\Phi \approx \frac{ch}{3} (\omega_0 + 4\omega_1 + 2\omega_2 + 4\omega_3 + \dots + 2\omega_{n-2} + 4\omega_{n-1} + \omega_n)$$

where  $h = \Phi/n$  and  $\omega_i$  is the substitution value of the function at the  $i$ -th place.  $n = f(\Phi)$  namely with increasing  $\Phi$ , the interval has to be divided into ever more parts. This method of calculating  $S$  with a pocket calculator takes much time, therefore the use of a faster desk computer is recommended. For  $n = 30$ , generally  $S$  is obtained with mm accuracy even near the poles.

In most practical works, calculations refer to the area of a single continent or country. In this case it is expedient to calculate  $S_0$  once accurately for the limit parallel circle  $\Phi_0$  outside the boundary of the area, to store it in the memory as a constant and to divide only the interval  $\Phi_0$  to  $\Phi$  into  $n$  parts.  $n$  can be determined empirically in each case.

This latter method takes not much time even with a pocket calculator because  $n \leq 10$ . The great advantage of this method is that only  $c$  and  $e'^2$  have to be stored, these constants being also necessary for solving Eqs (3) to (6).

For determining  $S$ , a faster method but needing an increased storage capacity will be shown below.

Table 1

Ellipsoid	$c$ (m)	$e'^2 \cdot 10^{-3}$	$\alpha$
Everest	6 398 547.993	6.682 201 989	6 366 680.291
Bessel	6 398 786.849	6.719 218 798	6 366 742.521
Clarke/66	6 399 902.551	6.814 784 832	6 367 399.690
Clarke/80	6 400 057.735	6.850 116 152	6 367 386.645
Hayford	6 399 936.608	6.768 170 197	6 367 654.500
Krassowsky	6 399 698.902	6.738 525 415	6 367 558.497
IUGG/1967	6 399 617.430	6.739 725 198	6 367 471.748

Series expanding (8) and integrating term by term:

$$S = A' c \Phi - \frac{B'}{2} c \sin 2\Phi + \frac{C'}{4} c \sin 4\Phi - \frac{D'}{6} c \sin 6\Phi + \dots \quad (9)$$

$$A' = 1 - \frac{3}{4} e^{e^2} + \frac{45}{64} e^{e^4} - \frac{175}{256} e^{e^6} + \frac{11025}{16384} e^{e^8} - \dots$$

$$B' = + \frac{3}{4} e^{e^2} - \frac{15}{16} e^{e^4} + \frac{525}{512} e^{e^6} - \frac{2205}{2048} e^{e^8} + \dots$$

$$C' = \frac{15}{64} e^{e^4} - \frac{105}{256} e^{e^6} + \frac{2205}{4096} e^{e^8} - \dots$$

$$D' = \frac{35}{512} e^{e^6} - \frac{315}{2048} e^{e^8} + \dots \quad (10)$$

Reducing (9):

$$S = \alpha \Phi - \beta \sin 2\Phi + \gamma \sin 4\Phi - \delta \sin 6\Phi + \dots, \quad (11)$$

where

$$\alpha = A' c, \quad \beta = \frac{B'}{2} c, \quad \gamma = \frac{C'}{4} c, \quad \delta = \frac{D'}{6} c.$$

$\alpha, \beta, \gamma, \delta$  are constants, to be determined separately for each ellipsoid. The values for the most frequently used ellipsoids are found in Table 1.

### 2. Determination of $\Phi_1$

Fig. 1 shows that coordinate  $x$  of foot point  $P_1$  on the central meridian at point  $P$  of latitude  $\Phi$  equals  $S_1$ , permitting (11) to be written as:

$$x = \alpha \Phi_1 - \beta \sin 2\Phi_1 + \gamma \sin 4\Phi_1 - \delta \sin 6\Phi_1 + \dots$$

$\beta$	$\gamma$	$\delta$	$\frac{\beta}{\alpha}$ · 10 <sup>-3</sup>	$\frac{\gamma}{\alpha}$ · 10 <sup>-2</sup>	$\frac{\delta}{\alpha}$ · 10 <sup>-2</sup>
15 900.693 22	16.546 6	0.021	2.497 486	2.599	3.4
15 988.638 53	16.729 95	0.022	2.511 275	2.628	3.5
16 216.943 89	17.209 4	0.023	2.546 871	2.703	3.6
16 300.700 72	17.387 6	0.023	2.560 030	2.731	3.6
16 107.034 68	16.976 2	0.022	2.529 508	2.666	3.5
16 036.480 28	16.828 1	0.022	2.518 466	2.643	3.5
16 039.107 44	16.833 8	0.022	2.518 913	2.644	3.5

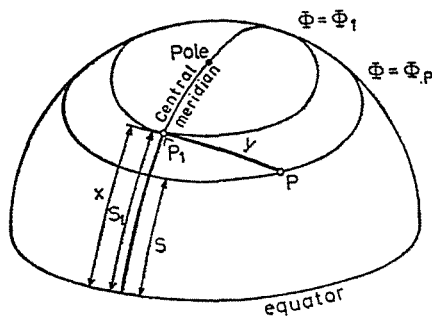


Fig. 1

Expressing  $\Phi_1$  at a good approximation:

$$\Phi_1 = \frac{x}{\alpha} + \frac{\beta}{\alpha} \sin 2 \Phi_1 - \frac{\gamma}{\alpha} \sin 4 \Phi_1 + \frac{\delta}{\alpha} \sin 6 \Phi_1 + \dots \quad (12)$$

As  $\Phi_1$  occurs on both sides of the sign of equality, it can be determined by iteration.

First a fair approximation value of  $\Phi_1$  is determined from  $(\Phi_1) = \frac{x}{\alpha}$ .

Substituting  $\Phi_1$  into the right-hand side of (12) yields a closer approximation for  $\Phi_1$ . The number of re-substitutions depends on the needed accuracy but it is never more than three.

Disadvantage of the method is to need iteration, its advantage is, however, not to need storage of further constants that are easy to express from constants involved in calculating  $S$ .

In case of a computer with an increased storage capacity, also values of  $\beta/\alpha$ ,  $\gamma/\alpha$ ,  $\delta/\alpha$  can be stored, of them those referring to ellipsoids most frequently used are as well included in Table 1.

### 3. Programs

The programs were developed for a *Hewlett-Packard* 67/97 calculator.

For converting geographical to grid coordinates Eqs (3), (4) and (11); for converting grid to geographical coordinates Eqs (5), (6) and (12) were used. The programs can be accommodated on a magnetic card, and the constants belonging to an ellipsoid are stored on one side of a card.

The prepared programs are shown by Program Listings 1 and 2, their use by Users' Instructions 1 and 2. The memory content is identical in both programs; this is illustrated in Table "Registers".  $\delta/\alpha$  was not separately stored

but built in into the program as a constant. From Table 1 it is seen that its value may be taken for all the ellipsoids uniformly as  $3.5 \cdot 10^{-9}$ . Similarly also  $\delta$  might have been built into the program with a value of 0.022.

The elaborated examples refer to the *Universal Transverse Mercator* grid system, with the following properties to be reckoned with in our calculations.

1. Ellipsoid: Hayford. The necessary constants are found in Table 1.
2. False northing,  $X_0 = 0$  m (10 000 000 for Southern Hemisphere).
3. False easting,  $Y_0 = 500\,000$  m.
4. Scale factor at the central meridian,  $k_0 = 0.9996$ .

As in the former case, the stored matter of the memories is recorded in the Data Sheet, supposing work on the Northern Hemisphere.

The programs can of course be used for any ellipsoid, even for tangential or intersecting position of the image plane. Remind that in tangential position  $k_0 = 1$ .

#### Data Sheet

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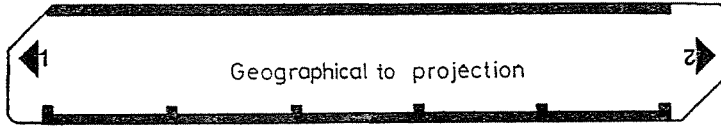
6.367654500	+ 06	0
1.610703468	+ 04	1
1.697620000	+ 01	2
2.200000000	- 02	3
2.529508000	- 03	4
2.666000000	- 06	5
9.996000000	- 01	6
0.000000000	+ 00	7
0.000000000	+ 00	8
0.000000000	+ 00	9
5.000000000	+ 05	A
0.000000000	+ 00	B
0.000000000	+ 00	C
6.399936608	+ 06	D
6.768170197	- 03	E
0.000000000	+ 00	I

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Constants of ellipsoids missing from Table 1 are determined from Eqs (10) and (11).

The two programs confined suit conversion between belts, using the following method. Grid coordinates for one belt are converted to geographical coordinates, then, with the geographical longitude of the central meridian of the adjacent belt as input, grid coordinates of the point on the adjacent projection belt are calculated with the other program.

# User Instructions



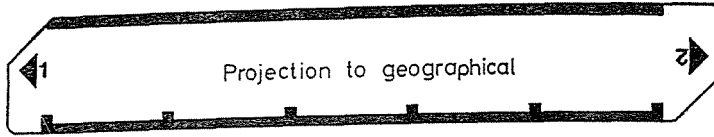
STEP	INSTRUCTIONS	INPUT DATA/UNITS	KEYS_	OUTPUT DATA/UNITS
1	Load sides 1 and 2 of program card		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
2	Load side 1 of data card (Choose an ellipsoid), at first only		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
3	Longitude of the central meridian. degree, if needed: deg, min, sec.	$\Delta_0$	E <input type="checkbox"/>	
4	Latitude, deg, min, sec.	$\Phi$	ENT↑ <input type="checkbox"/>	
5	Longitude --  --	$\Delta$	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
6	Northern Hemisphere, East from Greenwich		A <input type="checkbox"/>	
	West --  --		B <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Southern Hemisphere, East --  --		C <input type="checkbox"/>	
	West --  --		D <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	UTM grid coordinates		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	X (m)
8	--  --		R/S <input type="checkbox"/>	Y (m)
	For a new case go to step 2, or 3, or 4.		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	

EXAMPLE

STEP	INSTRUCTION	INPUT DATA/UNITS	KEYS	OUTPUT DATA/UNITS
1	Load program		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
2	Load data (Hayford)		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
3	Longitude of the cent. meridian	9°	E <input type="checkbox"/>	
4	Latitude	47° 15' 38,4257"	ENT↑ <input type="checkbox"/>	
5	Longitude	6° 27' 49,7791"	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
6	N. Hemisphere, East.		A <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	UTM, X.		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	5 237 353,489 m
8	UTM, Y.		R/S <input type="checkbox"/>	308 121, 657 m
			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	



# User Instructions



STEP	INSTRUCTIONS	INPUT DATA/UNITS	KEYS	OUTPUT DATA/UNITS
1	Load sides 1 and 2 of program card		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
2	Load side 1 data card (Choose an ellipsoid), at first only		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
3	Longitude of the central meridian degree, if needed: deg, min, sec.	$\lambda_0$	E <input type="checkbox"/>	
4	UTM grid coordinates	X (m)	ENT.† <input type="checkbox"/>	
5	— —	Y (m)	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
6	Northern Hemisphere, East from Greenwich		A <input type="checkbox"/>	
	West — —		B <input type="checkbox"/>	
	Southern Hemisphere, East — —		C <input type="checkbox"/>	
	West — —		D <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Latitude, deg, min, sec.		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	$\phi$
8	Longitude, — —		R/S <input type="checkbox"/>	$\lambda$
	For a new case go to step 2, or 3, or 4,		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	

EXAMPLE

STEP	INSTRUCTION	INPUT DATA / UNITS	KEYS	OUTPUT DATA / UNITS
1	Load program		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
2	Load data (Hayford)		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
3	Longitude of the cent. meridian.	9°	E <input type="checkbox"/>	
4	UTM, X	5 237 353, 489 m	ENT.† <input type="checkbox"/>	
5	UTM, Y	308 121, 657 m	<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
6	N. Hemisphere, East.		A <input type="checkbox"/>	
7	Latitude		<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	47° 15' 38,4257"
8	Longitude		R/S <input type="checkbox"/>	6° 27' 49,7791"
			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	
			<input type="checkbox"/> <input type="checkbox"/>	

## Program Listing 1

001	*LBLB	057	6	113	+	169	+
002	SF0	058	÷	114	6	170	CF0
003	GTOA	059	STO9	115	1	171	CF1
004	*LBLD	060	×	116	RCL6	172	DEG
005	SF0	061	1	117	5	173	R/S
006	*LBLC	062	+	118	8	174	RCLI
007	SF1	063	5	119	×	175	RCL6
008	*LBLA	064	RCL6	120	—	176	×
009	RAD	065	1	121	RCL6	177	RCLA
010	P≠S	066	8	122	X <sup>2</sup>	178	+
011	HMS→	067	×	123	+	179	RTN
012	RCLC	068	—	124	RCL8	180	*LBLB
013	—	069	RCL6	125	3	181	HMS→
014	F0?	070	X <sup>2</sup>	126	÷	182	STOC
015	CHS	071	+	127	×	183	R↓
016	D→R	072	RCL5	128	+	184	RTN
017	STO0	073	1	129	RCL7	185	R/S
018	X≠Y	074	4	130	RCL0		
019	HMS→	075	×	131	×		
020	D→R	076	+	132	RCL3		
021	STO2	077	RCL5	133	×		
022	SIN	078	RCL6	134	2		
023	STO3	079	×	135	÷		
024	LSTX	080	5	136	×		
025	COS	081	8	137	RCL2		
026	STO4	082	×	138	P≠S		
027	÷	083	—	139	STO7		
028	X <sup>2</sup>	084	RCL8	140	RCL0		
029	STO6	085	X <sup>2</sup>	141	×		
030	RCL4	086	1	142	+		
031	X <sup>2</sup>	087	2	143	RCL7		
032	RCLB	088	0	144	2		
033	×	089	÷	145	×		
034	STO5	090	STO8	146	SIN		
035	1	091	×	147	RCL1		
036	+	092	+	148	×		
037	√X	093	RCL7	149	—		
038	RCLD	094	×	150	RCL7		
039	X≠Y	095	STOI	151	4		
040	÷	096	5	152	×		
041	RCL4	097	RCL6	153	SIN		
042	×	098	—	154	RCL2		
043	RCL0	099	RCL5	155	×		
044	×	100	9	156	+		
045	STO7	101	×	157	RCL7		
046	1	102	+	158	6		
047	RCL6	103	RCL5	159	×		
048	—	104	X <sup>2</sup>	160	SIN		
049	RCL5	105	4	161	RCL3		
050	+	106	×	162	×		
051	RCL4	107	+	163	—		
052	X <sup>2</sup>	108	RCL9	164	RCL6		
053	RCL0	109	2	165	×		
054	X <sup>2</sup>	110	÷	166	F1?		
055	×	111	×	167	CHS		
056	STO8	112	1	168	RCLB		

## Program Listing 2

001	*LBLB	057	STO9	113	9	169	+
002	SF0	058	DSZI	114	×	170	1
003	GTOA	059	GTO0	115	—	171	+
004	*LBLD	060	STOI	116	RCL4	172	RCL4
005	SF0	061	RCL7	117	×	173	×
006	*LBLC	062	P=S	118	1	174	6
007	SF1	063	STO0	119	2	175	÷
008	*LBLA	064	RCLD	120	÷	176	—
009	RAD	065	RCLI	121	—	177	1
010	RCLA	066	COS	122	1	178	+
011	—	067	X <sup>2</sup>	123	+	179	RCL0
012	RCL6	068	RCL5	124	RCL5	180	×
013	÷	069	×	125	√X	181	RCL3
014	F0?	070	STO1	126	×	182	÷
015	CHS	071	1	127	RCL0	183	RCLI
016	STO7	072	+	128	X <sup>2</sup>	184	COS
017	X=Y	073	√X	129	×	185	÷
018	RCLB	074	STO2	130	RCL2	186	R→D
019	—	075	÷	131	X <sup>2</sup>	187	RCLC
020	RCL6	076	STO3	132	X <sup>2</sup>	188	+
021	÷	077	÷	133	×	189	→HMS
022	ABS	078	X <sup>2</sup>	134	RCLD	190	DEG
023	RCL0	079	STO4	135	X <sup>2</sup>	191	P=S
024	÷	080	X <sup>2</sup>	136	2	192	RTN
025	STO8	081	STO6	137	×	193	*LBL5
026	STO9	082	3	138	÷	194	HMS→
027	3	083	6	139	CHS	195	STOC
028	STOI	084	0	140	RCLI	196	R↓
029	*LBL0	085	÷	141	+	197	RTN
030	RCL8	086	RCLI	142	R→D	198	R/S
031	RCL9	087	TAN	143	→HMS		
032	2	088	X <sup>2</sup>	144	CF0		
033	×	089	STO5	145	CF1		
034	SIN	090	9	146	R/S		
035	RCL4	091	0	147	RCL5		
036	×	092	×	148	2		
037	+	093	6	149	8		
038	RCL9	094	1	150	×		
039	4	095	+	151	5		
040	×	096	RCL5	152	+		
041	SIN	097	X <sup>2</sup>	153	RCL5		
042	RCL5	098	4	154	X <sup>2</sup>		
043	×	099	5	155	2		
044	—	100	×	156	4		
045	RCL9	101	+	157	×		
046	6	102	×	158	+		
047	×	103	RCL5	159	RCL6		
048	SIN	104	3	160	×		
049	3	105	×	161	1		
050	.	106	5	162	2		
051	5	107	+	163	0		
052	EEX	108	RCL1	164	÷		
053	9	109	+	165	RCL5		
054	CHS	110	RCL1	166	2		
055	×	111	RCL5	167	×		
056	+	112	×	168	RCL1		

## Registers

0	$\alpha$	1	$\beta$	2	$\gamma$	3	$\delta$	4	$\beta/\alpha$	5	$\delta/\alpha$	6	$k_0$	7		8		9	
S0		S1		S2		S3		S4		S5		S6		S7		S8		S9	
A	$Y_c$	B	$X_c$	C	$\Delta_c$	D	$c$	E	$e^2$	F		G		H		I		J	

## 4. Transformation of the programs for lower accuracy requirements

The enclosed programs can also be used for the highest accuracy requirements on the entire ellipsoid; therefore they exceed that needed for lower accuracy requirements. If a mean error of  $\pm 1$  cm is made up with, steps 72 to 83 and 99 to 107 in program 1 and steps 108 to 115 in program 2 may be omitted.

Working within a domain of  $10^\circ$  of the geographical latitude and having  $S_0$  calculated up to a boundary parallel circle  $\Phi_0$ , (3) to (5) may be replaced by simpler expressions:

$$x = k_0 \left[ S_0 + M_m (\Phi_1 - \Phi_0) + \frac{M_m}{8} (\Phi_1 - \Phi_0)^3 \eta_m^2 (1 - \text{tg}^2 \Phi_m) + \dots \right],$$

$$M_m = \frac{M_0 + M_1}{2}, \quad \Phi_m = \frac{\Phi_0 + \Phi_1}{2},$$

$$y = k_0 \lambda N \cos \Phi \left[ 1 + \frac{\lambda^2}{6} \cos^2 \Phi (1 - t^2 + \eta^2) + \frac{\lambda^4}{120} \cos^4 \Phi (5 - 18 t^2 + t^4) \right],$$

$$\Phi = \Phi_1 - \left[ \frac{y^2 V_1^2}{2 N_1^2} t_1 + \frac{y^4}{24 N_1^4} t_1 (5 + 3 t_1^2) + \dots \right],$$

where:

$$\Phi_1 = \Phi_0 + \frac{x_0}{N_0} V_0^2 - \frac{3}{2} \frac{x_0^2}{N_0^2} \eta_0^2 t_0 + \frac{x_0^3}{2 N_0^3} \eta_0^2 (t_0^2 - 1) + \dots,$$

or

$$\Phi_1 = \Phi + \frac{\lambda^2}{2} V^2 \sin \Phi \cos \Phi + \frac{\lambda^4}{24} \sin \Phi \cos^3 \Phi (5 - t^2) + \dots$$

These formulae can be composed to a program uniting the two programs above so that a single input on magnetic card before start suffices and thereafter also conversion between the projectional belts to and from can be carried out.

Similar simple formulae are those by FIELD [12]. Also nomograms are made for non-programmable pocket calculators facilitating conversions such as those by REITHOFER [10] for the domain  $45^\circ \leq \Phi \leq 57^\circ$ .

## Summary

Most of difficulties in mutual computer conversions between Universal Transverse Mercator (UTM) grid and geographical coordinates arise in determining  $S$  (the meridian arc length from the equator) and  $\Phi_1$  (the ellipsoidal geographical latitude of the foot point which is on the central meridian).

Effective methods for such conversions are suggested, suiting pocket calculators with less storage capacities, just as are programs for calculators type HP 67/97 suitable for conversions on the entire surface of any ellipsoid, as indicated in the title.

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