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- NOS NGS-3 Adjustment of Geodetic Field Data Using a Sequential Method. Marvin C. Whiting and Allen J. Pope, March 1976, 11 pp. (PB-253967)
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## PREFACE

This memorandum is the first of a series containing current lists of publications and information published by the National Geodetic Survey (NGS) of the National Ocean Survey (NOS), a component of the National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration (NOAA).

Many entries are followed by an identification code enclosed in parentheses. Use of these numbers will facilitate ordering copies of a report from a cited source. NOAA Technical Memorandums are available from the National Technical Information Service (NTIS) (see inside front cover for address). Microfiche copies of NOAA Technical Reports are also immediately available from NTIS. Paper copy of NOAA Technical Reports is usually obtainable from the Superintendent of Documents, Government Printing Office (GPO) (see inside front cover for address). When the GPO supply is exhausted, paper copy is then available from NTIS.

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Specific publications of NOS's predecessor agency, the Coast and Geodetic Survey (C&GS), are cited in this memorandum if they were reprinted by NOS in 1976 or if their source of availability changed from NOAA or GPO to NTIS. A complete list of all NOS publications, including C&GS, is given in NOS Education Pamphlet 7, Summary of National Ocean Survey Technical Publications and Charts. This periodically updated publication is available upon request from NOS, Rockville, Maryland 20852.

Inquiries on availability of C&GS publications not listed in this memorandum should be directed to GPO or to a GPO book store, listed in appendix I. NGS will continue to reprint and distribute the C&GS publications of plane coordinate projection tables and intersection tables for the 50 States, Puerto Rico, Virgin Islands, and American Samoa where no other authorized source exists.

Where C&GS publications are not available for purchase from any source, a National depository library may be consulted. These libraries perform an invaluable service by keeping such publications permanently available. Not all Government documents can be consulted at all of these libraries because selection is based on interest of their particular clientele. Designated Regional Depositories (appendix II) are required to receive and retain one copy of all Government publications. Requests may be made through your local library.

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PUBLICATIONS OF THE U.S. COAST AND GEODETIC SURVEY DEPOSITED  
WITH THE NATIONAL TECHNICAL INFORMATION SERVICE

Many of the old publications of the U.S. Coast and Geodetic Survey (U.S. C&GS) are still relevant, while others continue to be a source of historical reference. Because of rising printing costs, NGS has deposited the following documents with NTIS for sale to the public (see inside front cover for address).

- \*C&GS Special Publication No. 5, 6th edition, 1935: Tables for a polyconic projection of maps and lengths of terrestrial arcs of meridian and parallels based upon Clarke's Reference Spheroid of 1866, 189 pp. (NTIS PB267481).
- \*\*C&GS Special Publication No. 8, 7th edition, 1952: Formulas and tables for the computation of geodetic positions, 101 pp. (NTIS PB267459).
- #C&GS Special Publication No. 28, 1915: Application of the theory of least squares to the adjustment of triangulation, 220 pp. (NTIS PB267535).
- #C&GS Special Publication No. 68, 5th edition, revised 1944: Elements of map projection with applications to map and chart construction, 210 pp. (NTIS PB267470).
- \*\*C&GS Special Publication No. 82, 1909: The figure of the Earth and isostasy from measurements in the United States, 183 pp. (NTIS PB257349).
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- \*\*C&GS Special Publication No. 137, 1927: Manual of first-order traverse, 133 pp. (NTIS PB267466).
- #C&GS Special Publication No. 138, 1934: Manual of triangulation computation and adjustment, 242 pp. (NTIS PB267458).
- \*C&GS Special Publication No. 145, revised 1935: Manual of second and third-order triangulation and traverse, 226 pp. (NTIS PB267456).

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\*Computations are relevant. Other sections are considered obsolete.

\*\*Text is primarily of historical interest.

#Text is basic or relevant.

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- #C&GS Special Publication No. 238, 1947: Air-line distances between cities in the United States, 246 pp. (NTIS PB267497).
- \*\*C&GS Special Publication No. 239, 1948: Manual of geodetic leveling, 94 pp. (NTIS COM-72-50049).
- \*\*C&GS Special Publication No. 240, 1948: Manual of leveling computation and adjustment, 178 pp. (NTIS COM-72-50181).
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- ##C&GS Special Publication No. 285, 1952: Kansas Plane Coordinate Projection Tables, 27 pp. (NTIS COM-71-50372).
- ##C&GS Special Publication No. 288, 1952: Wisconsin Plane Coordinate Projection Tables, 32 pp. (NTIS COM-72-50353).
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## Many States have enacted legislation legalizing these coordinate systems for property surveys.

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Intersection Tables, 166 pp. (NTIS COM-71-50390).

## GEODETIC CONTROL DATA

### Availability and Prices

#### General Information

NGS issues horizontal and vertical control data for National network surveys. An automatic mailing service of up-to-date data and diagrams is available.

The National network publications of geodetic control data are primarily represented by standard quadrangles of 30' of latitude by 30' of longitude. However, in congested areas, standard quads are 15' of latitude by 15' of longitude. In Alaska, because of sparsity of control, quadrangle units are 1° of latitude by 1° of longitude. Data are available in these formats for 75% of the United States. The remaining 25% are in the old formats, i.e., State level lines, plane coordinate sheets, geodetic position sheets, description booklets, etc. Until the old format data are converted to the standard quadrangle formats, vertical and horizontal control data will be available only by complete county coverage. Unadjusted data are available upon request.

National network data or supplemental control data, established by or in cooperation with NGS, that have been adjusted to the North American 1927 Datum or the National Vertical Datum of 1929 are printed on white paper. Preliminary, unadjusted, or field data are printed on yellow paper.

#### Data from Surveys Performed by Other Organizations

When field observations are performed to NGS standards, and data are evaluated and adjusted by NGS, the results are included in the NGS National network publications. NGS also publishes and distributes supplementary data for control surveys by other organizations that have not been evaluated or adjusted by NGS.

#### Horizontal Control Data

Data may be requested by areas of latitude and longitudes, by counties, or for an entire State. Graphic control diagrams depicting locations of control are published at various scales. Horizontal data not yet converted to the quad format are printed in three parts: (1) latitudes, longitudes, geodetic azimuths, and distances, assembled by arc of triangulation; (2) State plane coordinates, available by State plane coordinate zones; and (3) descriptions of stations, assembled by triangulation arc or project areas, e.g., Defense Mapping Agency's domestic geodetic data.

#### Vertical Control Data

Data may be obtained by areas of latitudes and longitudes, by counties, or for an entire State. Graphic control diagrams depicting locations of control are published at various scales. Data not yet converted to the quad format, consisting of elevation lists and bench mark descriptions, are available and assembled by numbered level lines with the State.

#### Combined Horizontal and Vertical Data

Certain supplementary surveys by other Governmental agencies, listing both horizontal and vertical data, are combined on the same data sheets and are published and distributed by NGS. For simplicity, these data are listed and priced under Horizontal Data.

#### Unpublished Geodetic Data

Observations are adjusted and processed for publication in standard format as soon as practicable upon completion of a project. However, unavoidable delays may be caused in processing data for surveys that are incomplete. Information and available preliminary data for new projects, incomplete, or unadjusted projects are furnished upon request. Information regarding re-established triangulation stations (i.e., no. 2 marks, new azimuth) or resetting vertical stations is available.

#### Additional Data

As an additional service, NGS furnishes other related geodetic data, i.e., gravity values, astronomic positions,

preliminary adjusted horizontal positions, horizontal and vertical control crustal movement data, UTM coordinate data, etc. Usually these data are available on magnetic tape and/or paper. New micropublishing techniques are being introduced in the form of computer generated microform. As geodetic data become available in this form, the user will be notified by "flier."

#### Control Diagrams

Status maps on 1:5,000,000 scale of horizontal and vertical control networks are published annually. Separate triangulation and leveling diagrams by States show the National network control surveys and supplementary surveys.

A new series of control diagrams for the 48 conterminous States is available on 1:250,000 scale topographic map bases covering primarily 1° of latitude by 2° of longitude. NOS and the U.S. Geological Survey with some participation by other Federal agencies compiled this information. These diagrams show the order of survey accuracy, locations and names of triangulation stations, and routes of traverse and level lines. When necessary, supplemental diagrams on large-scale maps and coastal charts are issued for clarity. An index map identifies the 1:250,000 geodetic control diagrams available for the 48 conterminous States and the triangulation diagrams available for Alaska, Hawaii, and Puerto Rico.

#### Contract and Fee Schedule

The automatic mailing service for geodetic control data enables users who maintain active files to automatically receive newly published data for a specific area. To facilitate an order, the desired area must be requested by complete quadrangle units.

A subscription may be obtained by completing NOAA Form 29-3, "Geodetic Control Data Automatic Mailing List Agreement," included at the end of this publication. The completed form should be mailed to:

Director, National Geodetic Survey  
NGS Information Center, C18  
National Ocean Survey, NOAA  
Rockville, MD 20852

Telephone orders are accepted: 301-443-8631.

The prices for initial data furnished through the automatic mailing service are the same as for individual orders. Revised or additional published data for the requested area are automatically furnished thereafter for an annual fee of \$2.00. A copy of the billing statement must accompany payment to ensure proper credit to the user's account.

Except as specified under the automatic mailing service contract, a minimum charge of \$2.00 will be made for all orders. Prepayment is required for all orders that exceed \$25.00. The following are standard charges for geodetic control data:

1. Published quadrangle booklets  
Horizontal control data ..... \$2.00 ea.  
Vertical control data ..... \$2.00 ea.
2. Complete county coverage--control data not available in published quadrangle booklets  
Horizontal control data ..... \$4.00 ea.  
Vertical control data ..... \$4.00 ea.
3. Unadjusted project data ..... \$2.00 ea.
4. Control diagrams ..... \$2.00 ea.

The above prices include postage. Any special handling or mailing request requires additional expense and will be added to the bill.

## Network Maintenance

For more than 170 years, NOS has been responsible for establishing and maintaining the Nation's horizontal and vertical control networks. These networks now consist of more than three-quarters of a million marked control points in the United States. Their maintenance is the responsibility of 15 full-time engineers who regularly recover, repair, or reset markers in danger of being disturbed. A list of the personnel and the geographical areas they service is given below. Persons assigned to areas A, B, C, and D are on a cooperative program with the State as a geodetic advisor, in addition to contributing to the National program. Alaska, Hawaii, and the U.S. Territories are assisted on an individual basis. Anyone having information on markers that are in need of repair, in danger of being destroyed, or which have been inadvertently destroyed is requested to notify the following:

Director, National Geodetic Survey, C172, NOS, Rockville, Maryland 20852

Collect telephone calls are accepted: 301-443-8319



### Network Maintenance Personnel, Listed by Geographical Areas.

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| <p>2. <u>Pennsylvania, New Jersey, Maryland, West Virginia, Delaware, District of Columbia</u><br/>Ralph G. Peust<br/>Route 1, Box 194<br/>Newport, PA 17074</p>             | <p>8. <u>Minnesota, North Dakota, South Dakota</u><br/>John S. Rindal<br/>P. O. Box 693<br/>Watertown, SD 57201</p>                              | <p>14. <u>California and Nevada (north of latitude 37°)</u><br/>Leo A. Critchlow<br/>260 Reichling Avenue<br/>Pacifica, CA 94044</p>  |
| <p>3. <u>Virginia, North Carolina, South Carolina</u><br/>Martin E. Zimmer<br/>439 West York Street<br/>Norfolk, VA 23510</p>  | <p>9. <u>Missouri, Iowa, Kansas, Nebraska</u><br/>James E. Fuchs<br/>103 Fine Street<br/>Excelsior Springs, MO 64024</p>                         | <p>15. <u>California and Nevada (south of latitude 37°)</u><br/>Jay A. Gummow<br/>P. O. Drawer 3279<br/>West Riverside, CA 92519</p>  |
| <p>4. <u>Georgia, Florida</u><br/>Robert P. Konrady<br/>844 San Juan Avenue<br/>Lake City, FL 32055</p>  | <p>10. <u>Texas, Oklahoma</u><br/>Percy E. Chamley<br/>P. O. Box 10266<br/>Oaks Branch Station<br/>Fort Worth, TX 76114</p>                      | <p>A. <u>New York</u> - vacant</p> <p>B. <u>Louisiana</u><br/>A. K. Hansen<br/>Louisiana State Highway Dept.<br/>Location and Survey Division<br/>P. O. Box 44245<br/>Baton Rouge, LA 70804</p> |
| <p>5. <u>Alabama, Mississippi, Arkansas</u><br/>Donald D. Rexrode<br/>P. O. Box 6366<br/>Pearl Branch<br/>Jackson, MS 39208</p>  | <p>11. <u>Washington, Montana, Idaho (north of latitude 46°)</u><br/>James T. Stapleton<br/>1801 Fairview Avenue, East<br/>Seattle, WA 98102</p> | <p>C. <u>Arizona</u><br/>Larry W. Wakefield<br/>P. O. Box 49<br/>Black Canyon City, AR 85324</p>  |
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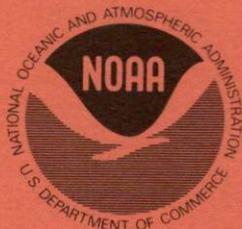
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