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1985/04. GRIDCON: a FORTRAN program for converting one set of grid co-ordinates to another

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Abstract

GRIDCON is a Fortran program for converting survey points XY co-ordinates from one grid (e.g. local exploration grid) to another (e.g. AMG).

INTRODUCTION

The AMG (Australian Map Grid) is a rectangular co-ordinate system oriented N-S/E-W and is the accepted standard cartographic grid throughout Australia. Mapped data from geophysical surveys will usually be reduced and presented using AMG. However AMG is often not the ideal grid for data collection and local grids are set up specifically for this purpose. If the data collected on a local grid are to be reduced or presented using the AMG, then co-ordinate conversion will be required. The program GRIDCON was written to perform a conversion from one rectangular co-ordinate system to another.

CO-ORDINATE CONVERSION

Two rectangular grid co-ordinate systems will generally have differing origins and will be rotated with respect to one another. There may also be a scale difference between them although this should be very slight.

Consider two rectangular co-ordinate systems, XOY (being the system locating the survey points) and X'O'Y' (being the system we wish to use to represent the survey point positions). If the origin of XOY is at x'_0, y'_0 of X'O'Y then transpose XOY so that the origins coincide. Let α be the angle between the positive y-axes of the co-ordinate systems where α is the rotation required to superimpose OY upon OY' and is negative if the sense of rotation is anti-clockwise and positive if it is clockwise.

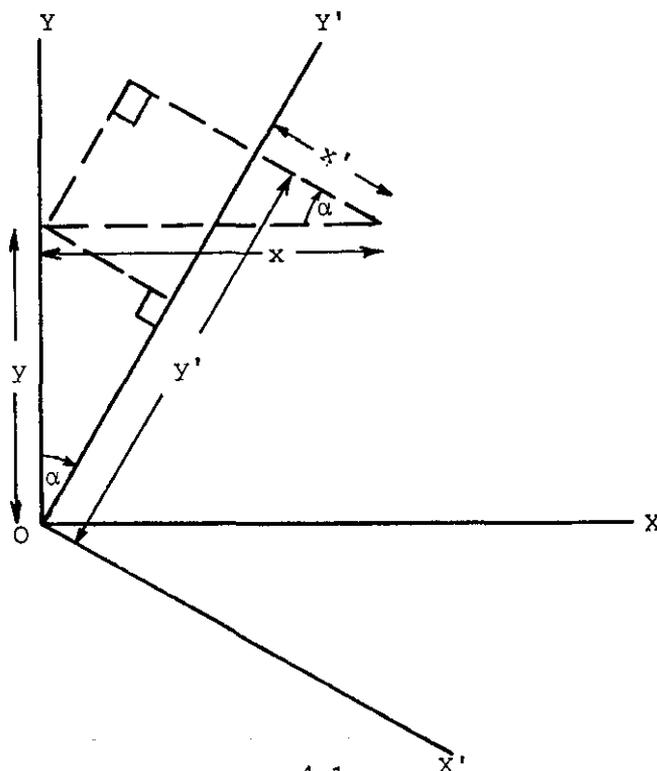


Figure 1.

From Figure 1 we see that

$$x' = x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha$$

and that $y' = x \sin \alpha + y \cos \alpha$

If one XOY unit of measurement is not quite equal to one X'O'Y unit of measurement

$$\text{but } (X'O'Y)_{\text{one unit}} = \text{FACTOR} \cdot (XOY)_{\text{one unit}}$$

$$\text{then } x' = \text{FACTOR} (x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha)$$

$$y' = \text{FACTOR} (x \sin \alpha + y \cos \alpha)$$

Reversing the effect of the origin transposition, we have

$$x' = x_0' + \text{FACTOR} (x \cos \alpha - y \sin \alpha)$$

$$y' = y_0' + \text{FACTOR} (x \sin \alpha + y \cos \alpha)$$

RUNNING THE PROGRAM

The program is written in Fortran 77 and runs interactively on the Tasmania Department of Mines Perkin-Elmer 8/32 computer. The program is initiated by typing "GRIDCON" which starts a .CSS of the same name. The user then supplies the program with the necessary information in response to the screen prompts. After each pair of grid co-ordinates for conversion have been entered the user will be prompted to enter "N" (no) or "Y" (yes). "N" terminates the program and "Y" allows another pair of co-ordinates to be converted. The output on the line printer tabulates the co-ordinate pairs before and after conversion.

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APPENDIX 1

Program GRIDCON

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C *
C PROGRAM GRIDCON
C CONVERTS THE POINTS OF ONE ORTHOGONAL GRID TO ANOTHER
C
      DOUBLE PRECISION OFFE,OFFN,TEAST,TNORT,SCALF,ANG,PI,CEAST,CNORT
      1,DEG,AMIN,SEC
      CHARACTER*1 ANS
      PI=3.14159D00
      WRITE(5,50)
50  FORMAT(1X,'SPECIFY WHETHER ROTATION ANGLE IS RADIANS OR',
      1' DEGREES . . . (R/D)')
54  READ(5,55) ANS
55  FORMAT(A1)
      IF (ANS.EQ.'R') THEN
        WRITE(5,58)
58  FORMAT(1X,'ENTER ROTATION ANGLE IN RADIANS')
        READ(5,*) ANG
        WRITE(6,59) ANG
59  FORMAT(1X,'ANGLE IN RADIANS ',F9.4)
      ELSE
        IF(ANS.EQ.'D') THEN
          WRITE(5,60)
60  FORMAT(1X,'ENTER ROTATION ANGLE IN DEGREES ,MINUTES,SECONDS',
      1,/, ' IF ROTATION ANGLE IS NEGATIVE, ENTER DEGREES AS NEGATIVE',
      2' BUT MINUTES',/, ' AND SECONDS AS POSITIVE')
          READ(5,*) DEG,AMIN,SEC
          WRITE(6,61) DEG,AMIN,SEC
61  FORMAT(1X,'ANGLE IN DEGREES,MINUTES,SECONDS ',3F8.0)
          IF(MINT(DEG).LT.0) THEN
            AMIN=-AMIN
            SEC=-SEC
          ENDIF
          ANG=(PI/180.0D00)*(DEG+(AMIN+SEC/60.0D00)/60.0D00)
          ELSE
            WRITE(5,63)
63  FORMAT(1X,'ANSWER R OR D')
            GO TO 54
          ENDIF
          ENDIF
          WRITE(5,64)
64  FORMAT(1X,'ENTER GRIDS SCALING FACTOR')
          READ(5,*) SCALF
          WRITE(6,66) SCALF
66  FORMAT(1X,'SCALE FACTOR ',F10.6)
          WRITE(5,67)
67  FORMAT(1X,'ENTER EASTING OFFSET, NORTHING OFFSET')
          READ(5,*) OFFE,OFFN
          WRITE(6,68) OFFE,OFFN
68  FORMAT(1X,'ORIGIN OFFSET EASTING ',F12.2,/,
      1' ORIGIN OFFSET NORTHING ',F12.2)
          WRITE(6,70)
70  FORMAT(5X,'OLD EASTING    OLD NORTHING    NEW EASTING    ',
      1'NEW NORTHING')
72  WRITE(5,73)
73  FORMAT(1X,'ENTER GRID COORDINATES, EASTING THEN NORTHING')
          READ(5,*) CEAST,CNORT
          TEAST=SCALF*(CEAST*DCOS(ANG)-CNORT*DSIN(ANG))+OFFE
          TNORT=SCALF*(CEAST*DSIN(ANG)+CNORT*DCOS(ANG))+OFFN
          WRITE(6,120) CEAST,CNORT,TEAST,TNORT
120  FORMAT(1X,4F15.0)
          WRITE(5,125)
125  FORMAT(1X,'AGAIN . . . . ? (N/Y)')
129  READ(5,55) ANS
          IF(ANS.EQ.'Y') GO TO 72
          IF(ANS.NE.'N') THEN
            WRITE(5,136)
136  FORMAT(1X,'ANSWER N OR Y')
            GO TO 129
          ENDIF
          WRITE(6,200)
200  FORMAT(1X)
          END

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