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(ABSTRACT)

The problem of detecting deep space objects with certain probabilities was investigated. A mathematical model was then developed from given problem specifications that deals with the trade-off of various parameters involved in the detection problem.

A software package that allows the user to input data interactively was written to implement the model. The completed program as well as an analysis of the tested results are included.

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DESCRIPTION OF THE PROBLEM

Introduction

The purpose of this project is to develop a numerical scheme that will effectively allow the user to trade-off various parameters involved in the detection of space objects. The space objects are referred to as targets because they are the target of detection. The targets can be objects in some earth orbit or they can be missiles with known launch and impact sites. In order to detect the targets, a visual range telescope is used. The telescope, referred to as the sensor, will be space-based, operating in orbit. Thus, we have a sensor in some orbit about the earth that can view objects in space. The view of the target through the sensor is assumed to be against a background of stars only. For simplicity, nothing else will be considered in the detection of the target other than the target and stars.

This view of the target against the starfield background is called the total field of view. Part of the actual hardware of the sensor, is a fine mesh grid through which the total field of view can be seen and divided. This is called the focal plane grid of detectors. Each division of the grid is a square of equal size to the other divisions. These divisions are called pixels and act as the detectors.

The sensor must have some device that does the actual detection of a target. The sensor is equipped with an amplifier that can collect or record the number of electrons of any object in the field

of view. The number of electrons collected in each pixel is recorded and is assumed to follow a Gaussian distribution. This is done more than once. Each time electrons are collected it can be thought of as though a picture has been taken. Each one of these "pictures" is referred to as an exposure and is of some given time length. The whole problem comes down to finding out how many exposures are needed and how much time each one should take in order to adequately detect a target.

This method for detecting a target compares each subsequent exposure. Since we assumed that the background is a starfield only, the number of electrons collected from the target should move from one pixel to the next in each exposure while the number of electrons collected due to stars remains constant. It is assumed that the grid can be oriented so that the target moves in a straight line from one pixel to the next.

There are certain elements that come into play that make a target harder to detect. Up to this point, we have only discussed collecting electrons due to the target itself and to stars. Because they are recorded through an amplifier, it is possible to pick up electrons due to noise from the amplifier. This must be taken into account. It is also possible to detect what is called a false alarm. This happens when a star is mistaken for a target. False alarms must also be taken into account. One other thing that has not been mentioned is the idea of a threshold level. The threshold level is a number below which no electrons are recorded. This makes it possible to have a target and not detect it because the number of electrons collected

from it falls below the threshold level. All of these things affect the accuracy with which a target can be detected.

An overview of what is physically taking place is this: There is a visual range telescope operating in an orbit about the earth. It has the ability to take timed exposures of objects in its field of view by collecting electrons from the objects. Each exposure is compared to the one preceding it and the one succeeding it to find out if the path of the target can be distinguished.

The rest of this chapter goes through the details of the problem and the mathematical equations that arise. Chapter two deals with the development of the computer program and the last chapter gives an analysis of the tested results. A copy of the computer code of the program can be found in Appendix D.

The Sensor

The sensor, operating in orbit about the earth, has the following known orbit data supplied as input by the user:

- a) Altitude of sensor at apogee (NM: nautical miles)
- b) Altitude of sensor at perigee (NM) or in place of a) andb)
 - period of revolution (HR)
 - eccentricity
- c) Inclination (degrees)
- d) Initial true anomaly (deg)
- e) Longitude of ascending node with respect to Greenwich (deg)
- f) Argument of perigee (deg) if the orbit is non-circular

The aperture of the sensor is the diameter, D (meters), and is also supplied on input by the user. Other input data that will be needed includes the following:

- 1) Field of view, Ω (square degrees), of the sensor
- 2) Combined efficiency, ϵ , of the optics and detectors in the sensor
- 3) Total number of pixels, N, that make up the full focal plane array of detectors in the sensor. The focal plane grid is divided into squares which act as electron detectors.
- 4) Number of diffraction limited pixel diameters, K, that make up an actual pixel
- 5) The galactic latitude, ϕ_g (deg)
- 6) Standard deviation of the number of electrons due to noise, $\sigma_{\mathbf{r}}$
- 7) Visual magnitude of the target, $M_{\mbox{VT}}$ or, if not known, the following may be input:

Distance from the sensor to the target, R(m).

Reflectivity - area product, $\sigma_{R}(m)$.

Sun angle subtended from sensor to target to sun, $\gamma(\text{deg})$. M_VT can then be found using the following formula from [3]:

$$M_{VT} = -26.78 - 2.5 \log \left(\frac{\sigma_R F(\gamma)}{R^2} \right)$$
 (1)

where

$$F(\gamma) = \frac{2}{3\pi^2} [(\pi - \gamma) \cos \gamma + \sin \gamma]$$
 (2)

The sensor will try to detect a target in the field of view that also contains stars. This is achieved by examining a time-sequenced row of pixels yielding a number of electrons from an amplifier read-out above a certain threshold level, n_o. In other words, an exposure is made and each pixel outputs the number of electrons exceeding the threshold level. For a detection to take place, subsequent exposures are made showing adjacent "flipped" pixels. A "flip" occurs when a pixel outputs electrons above the threshold level. The number of exposures needed, Q, depends upon given probabilities. The number of exposures needed is the major calculation of the program and is therefore an important output data item.

A detection is defined as a set of Q flips, one in each of the adjacent Q exposures forming a straight line. On input, the probability of detection for a target in the field of view, PD, will be required as input in order to obtain the probability of detection for a target in a pixel field of view, pd. A lower bound on pd is obtained by ignoring the enhancement effects of stars and readout noise. Thus,

$$PD = pd^{Q} . (3)$$

The time for each exposure is referred to as the stare time, $\tau_{\rm exp}$ (sec). The total stare time is denoted $\tau_{\rm stare}$. Since each exposure is of duration $\tau_{\rm exp}$, we have:

$$\tau_{\text{stare}} = Q \tau_{\text{exp}}$$
 (4)

During the total stare time, the stars remain fixed in the field of view and a target moves across the field of view. τ_{stare} and τ_{exp} are also given as output.

Since the total number of pixels, N, and the field of view of the sensor, Ω , are given as input, the pixel field of view, $\Delta\Omega$, can easily be found:

$$\Delta\Omega = \frac{\Omega}{N} \tag{5}$$

For any value of $\Delta\Omega$, $\tau_{\mbox{exp}}$ is to be computed so that the anticipated target just crosses the pixel width. Thus,

$$\frac{\sqrt{\Delta\Omega}}{\tau_{\text{exp}}} = \omega \tag{6}$$

where ω is the angular rate of the target across the field of view. ω is calculated from the orbital input data.

The following additional assumptions have been made in order to narrow down the scope of the problem:

- The required statistics on the number of electrons relevant to the detection of targets, stars, and noise can be approximated by Gaussian distribution.
- 2) The focal plane grid geometry of the telescope is made up of an array of square detectors.
- 3) A combined efficiency of the optics is approximately constant over the wavelength.
- 4) The magnitude of the target does not vary significantly over the time length of an exposure.

False Alarms

A false alarm occurs during a stare when a detection occurs and a target is not present. This may be caused by some combination of stars and/or noise resulting in an electron readout above the threshold level. On input, the probability of a false alarm, P_{fa} , as well as a number, X, between 0 and 1 representing the ability to remove stars as false alarm candidates (1 = worst) will be needed.

False alarms caused by noise are due to the amplifier itself. A certain number of electrons will be added or subtracted by the amplifier. We assume that this noise has a mean of 0 and a standard deviation of $\sigma_{\mathbf{r}}$. In dealing with false alarms due to stars, the average number of stars per steradian in the magnitude decrement dm v is used (see Appendix A):

Also, measured values of $\frac{dz}{dm_V}$ are given in Appendix A and are dependent on the visual magnitude, m_V , and the galactic latitude, ϕ_g . Inserting the factor, X, (7) becomes

$$X \left(\frac{dz}{dm_{v}}\right) dm_{v}, \qquad (8)$$

the effective number of stars per steradian in the magnitude decrement $\mbox{d} \mbox{m}_{\mbox{\tiny \mbox{\tiny \m$

Threshold Setting

It was previously stated that a pixel is said to have "flipped" if the number of readout electrons exceeds some threshold value n_0 .

The number of electrons is a combination of electrons from noise, stars, and the target.

In order to calculate $n_{_{\scriptsize O}}$, we need to examine a few things. The number of electrons collected in a pixel due to the presence of an object of visual magnitude $m_{_{\scriptsize V}}$ will be denoted as $n(m_{_{\scriptsize V}})$ and the flux (photons/ m^2 /sec) at the sensor aperture will be denoted as F. Then, the flux of photons corresponding to an object of visual magnitude $m_{_{\scriptsize V}}$ is (see Appendix B):

$$F(m_v) = 5.76 \times 10^{10} e^{-.92 m_v}$$
 (9)

Thus, the mean number of electrons collected is:

$$n(m_{V}) = \frac{\pi D^{2}}{4} \varepsilon \tau_{exp} F(m_{V})$$
 (10)

or using equation (6):

$$n(m_{V}) = \frac{\pi D^{2}}{4} \frac{\sqrt{\Delta \Omega}}{\omega} \in F(m_{V}) . \tag{11}$$

Going back to one of the original assumptions regarding the electrons collected as following a Gaussian distribution, then:

$$pd = 1 - \frac{1}{\sigma_{eff}} \sqrt{2\pi} \int_{-\infty}^{n_o} e^{\frac{1}{2} \left(\frac{n_{TN} - \overline{n}_T}{\sigma_{eff}} \right)^2} dn_{TN} . \qquad (12)$$

 n_{TN} is the number of electrons collected due to a target plus noise during one exposure, n_{T} is the expected mean from equation (11) where the object is the target (i.e. $m_{V} = m_{VT}$), and σ_{eff} is the effective standard deviation of the number of electrons due to a target plus noise.

$$\sigma_{\text{eff}} = \sqrt{\sigma_{\text{T}}^2 + \sigma_{\text{r}}^2} \tag{13}$$

where

$$\sigma_{\overline{T}} = \sqrt{\overline{n}_{\overline{T}}} . \tag{14}$$

The lower limit on the integral in equation (12) should actually be zero but the approximation of using $-\infty$ is very small (no larger than that of assuming a Gaussian distribution). If ξ_{OT} is the number of standard deviations of n_O below \overline{n}_T , then

$$\xi_{\text{oT}} = \frac{\overline{n}_{\text{T}} - n_{\text{o}}}{\sigma_{\text{eff}}} . \tag{15}$$

We can now write pd as:

$$pd = 1 - \frac{1}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{\frac{\xi}{\sqrt{2}}} e^{-x^2} dx .$$
 (16)

Using the Gaussian error function:

$$\operatorname{erf}(x) = \frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_0^x e^{-t^2} dt , \qquad (17)$$

and noting that:

$$\frac{2}{\sqrt{\pi}} \int_{-\infty}^{0} e^{-t^2} dt = 1 , \qquad (18)$$

pd becomes:

$$pd = 1 - \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} erf \left(\frac{\xi_{oT}}{2}\right)$$
 (19)

Hence, from equation (3),

$$PD^{1/Q} = \frac{1}{2} + \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erf} \left(\frac{\xi_{\text{oT}}}{\sqrt{2}} \right) . \tag{20}$$

Given the value of PD and Q, the value of $\xi_{\rm oT}$ can be found using the inverse error function. Once $\xi_{\rm oT}$ is known, n can be calculated using equation (15).

Probability of Star Presence in a Pixel

The effective number of stars per steradian in the magnitude decrement dm vs is $X\left(\frac{dz}{dm_{VS}}\right)$ dm vs (see (8)) where m is the visual magnitude of a star. If we let the probability, P, be $\frac{1}{N}$ that a given star will be in a given pixel, we can find P, the probability of star presence in that pixel.

To calculate P_s , we add the probability of finding 1,2,...,20 stars in one pixel. The probabilities above 20 are extremely small and the resulting exponents extremely large to be handled easily; therefore, we need only go as high as 20. Thus,

$$P_{s} = {m \choose 1} P(1-P)^{m-1} + {m \choose 2} P^{2}(1-P)^{m-2} + \dots + {m \choose 20} P^{20}(1-P)^{m-20}$$
(21)

where m is the total number of stars at the given galactic latitude.

Equation (21) gives the probability of star presence in a pixel where there are m stars in the total field of view. We will be integrating this quantity over visual star magnitudes so that m should be taken in a small magnitude decrement. Thus,

$$P_{S}(m_{VS}) dm_{VS} = X (P_{S}) dm_{VS}.$$
 (22)

It should be noted that m depends on m so that P is actually a function of m , P (m , vs).

Flip Probability of a Pixel with no Target Present

If we assume that no target is present in a pixel, the probability $P_{\mbox{\scriptsize fT}}$ is:

 P_{fT} = Prob (flip due to noise and no star) + Prob (flip due to star presence plus noise)

$$= P_{Nf} [1 - \int_{0}^{\infty} P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}] + \int_{0}^{\infty} P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}.$$
(23)

But, it must be noted that:

$$\int_{0}^{\infty} P_{S}(m_{VS}) dm_{VS} = 1 , \qquad (24)$$

which makes the first term in equation (23) drop out. However, for extremely large values of m_{VS} (i.e. extremely dim stars), $P_{S}(m_{VS})$ should eventually equal 1. This would make the integral in equation (24) blow up (approach infinity). Therefore, once the star presence in a pixel is equal to 1, we are no longer interested in whether or not dimmer stars exist in the pixel. Thus, it suffices to find xx such that:

$$\int_{0}^{xx} P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs} = 1 . \qquad (25)$$

Thus, equation (23) becomes:

$$P_{\overline{fT}} = \int_{0}^{xx} P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}. \qquad (26)$$

 $P_{\rm sNf}$ is the probability of a flip due to star presence plus readout noise. We have already found an equation for $P_{\rm s}$, now one must be found for $P_{\rm sNf}$.

The number of standard deviations of n below n_s will be denoted as $\xi_{sNo}(m_v)$. Then:

$$\xi_{SNO}(m_{VS}) = \frac{n_O - \overline{n}_S(m_{VS})}{\sqrt{\sigma_{SN}}}$$
 (27)

where $\overline{n}_s(m_{_{\footnotesize{VS}}})$ is the mean number of electrons collected from a star with visual magnitude $m_{_{\footnotesize{\footnotesize{VS}}}}$ (see equation (11)) and $\sigma_{_{\footnotesize{\footnotesize{SN}}}}$ is the standard deviation of the number of electrons due to star presence plus noise:

$$\sigma_{sN} = \sqrt{\sigma_s^2 + \sigma_r^2}$$
 , $\sigma_s = \sqrt{n}$ (28)

Then, as in equation (19):

$$P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erf} \left(\frac{\xi_{sNo}(m_{vs})}{\sqrt{2}} \right) . \tag{29}$$

Derivation of Q

The probability of a false alarm will be denoted by P_{fa} . $P_{f\overline{T}}$ and P_{fa} are related by Q, the number of exposures needed, by the following equation:

$$P_{fT} = \frac{\left(P_{fa}\right)^{1/Q}}{N}.$$
 (30)

We can now solve this equation for Q:

$$Q = \frac{\ln \left(\frac{P_{fa}}{N}\right)}{\ln \left(P_{fT}\right)} . \tag{31}$$

The procedure for evaluating Q will be to first make an initial guess of Q. Then, using equation (31), iterate until convergence is met. The value or function $P_{\overline{fT}}$ can be considered a function of Q. Therefore, an initial guess is required in order to evaluate equation (31). One or more convergence schemes may be needed. Once Q has been found, calculate τ_{stare} from equation (4).

One other relationship should be mentioned. D, the diameter, and $\Delta\Omega$, the pixel field of view, can be related by diffraction theory. If we denote the field subtended by the entire central peak of the diffraction pattern of a point object as $\Delta\Omega_{\rm DI}$, then:

$$\Delta\Omega_{\rm DL} \stackrel{\simeq}{=} \frac{4 \overline{\lambda}^2}{\pi p^2/4} \tag{32}$$

where $\overline{\lambda}$ is the mean wavelength of the spectrum under consideration:

$$\overline{\lambda} = 0.5 \times 10^{-6} \quad . \tag{33}$$

Introducing K, the number of diffraction limited pixel diameters that make up an actual pixel, we get:

$$\Delta\Omega = K^2 \Delta\Omega_{DL} . \tag{34}$$

Thus,

$$\Delta\Omega = \frac{K^2 4\overline{\lambda}^2}{\pi D^2/4} \tag{35}$$

The computer program that will carry out all the calculations presented in this chapter, will allow the user to estimate some of the input parameters to see their effect on Q and τ_{stare} . The user will then be able to trade-off any input values for another to see the effects. The following items should be printed and presented to user on output:

Number of exposures needed - Q
Exposure time - $\tau_{\rm exp}$
Total stare time - $\tau_{\rm stare}$
Threshold level - $n_{\rm o}$.

DEVELOPMENT OF THE PROGRAM

Major Calculations

The following are the major components of the program:

- 1) A main program structure
- A subroutine for the purpose of allowing the user to input data interactively
- Additional subroutines to partition the major evaluations into many shorter calculations
- 4) Output displayed for the user
- 5) The user should then be allowed to go back and alter any of the original input data to see what effects the changes make.

From Chapter One, the major calculation of the program is (see equation (31)):

$$Q = \frac{\ell_n \left(\frac{P_{fa}}{N}\right)}{\ell_n(P_{f\overline{T}})} . \tag{36}$$

 P_{fa} and N are entered on input so only $P_{f\overline{T}}$ needs to be calculated. In order to do this, the calculation of $P_{f\overline{T}}$ can be broken down and traced back through a series of equations. From the following list of equations, $P_{f\overline{T}}$ can be found from the input data:

$$P_{fT} = \int_{0}^{xx} P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}$$
(37)

$$P_{S}(m_{VS}) dm_{VS} = x P_{S} dm_{VS}$$
 (38)

•
$$P_s = {m \choose 1} P(1-P)^{m-1} + \dots + {m \choose 20} P^{20} (1-P)^{m-20}$$
 (39)

• xx is such that
$$\int_{0}^{xx} P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs} = 1$$
 (40)

•
$$p_{sNf}(m_{vs}) = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2} \operatorname{erf} \left(\frac{\xi_{sNo}(m_{vs})}{\sqrt{2}} \right)$$
 (41)

$$\cdot \overline{n}_{S}(m_{VS}) = \frac{\pi D^{2}}{4} \frac{\sqrt{\Delta\Omega}}{\omega} \varepsilon F(m_{VS})$$
 (43)

$$\bullet \ \overline{\lambda} = 0.5 \times 10^{-6} \tag{45}$$

•
$$F(m_{VS}) = 5.76 \times 10^{10} e^{-.92 m_{VS}}$$
 (46)

 \bullet ω is calculated from orbital

input data

$$\bullet \ \sigma_{\rm sN} = \sqrt{\sigma_{\rm s}^2 + \sigma_{\rm r}^2} \tag{47}$$

$$\bullet \ \sigma_{S} = \sqrt{\overline{n}}_{S} \tag{48}$$

$$\cdot n_{o} = \overline{n}_{T} - \xi_{oT} \sigma_{eff}$$
 (49)

$$\cdot \overline{n}_{T} = \frac{\pi D^{2}}{4} \frac{\sqrt{\Delta\Omega}}{\omega} \varepsilon F(m_{vT})$$
 (50)

•
$$\sigma_{\overline{T}} = \sqrt{\overline{n}_{\overline{T}}}$$
 (52)

•
$$\xi_{\text{oT}} = \sqrt{2} \text{ erf}^{-1} (2(PD)^{1/Q} - \frac{1}{2})$$
 (53)

 $P_{\mbox{\,fT}}$ is found using the following input data items:

PD, Q,
$$\sigma_r$$
, Ω , N, ϵ , m_{vT} , D, X, ϕ_g .

m is also needed to find P_S but is not input by the user. It is calculated externally to the program itself and will be discussed in the next section. Solving the equations above requires the use of numerical integration and various convergence algorithms.

Evaluation of m

wisual magnitude decrement. For each run of the program, ϕ_g remains constant. Thus, m can be thought of as a function of visual star magnitude: $\mathbf{m} \equiv \mathbf{m}(\mathbf{m_{vs}})$. Because we will be integrating over all visual star magnitudes in the integral of $\mathbf{P_s}$, it will be helpful to find the function $\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{m_{vs}})$. For any given value of ϕ_g , there is one function $\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{m_{vs}})$. Hence, in order to save computing time, a function $\mathbf{m}(\mathbf{m_{vs}})$ was calculated for specific values of ϕ_g and stored. For this reason, the user is given a list of values for ϕ_g to choose from. The list is reasonable and should enable the user to find an appropriate ϕ_g . The choices are:

0°,
$$\pm$$
 5°, \pm 10°, \pm 20°, \pm 30°, \pm 40°, \pm 50°, \pm 60°, \pm 70°, \pm 80°, \pm 90°.

In order to find $m(m_{vs})$, the table of star numbers from [1] found in Appendix A was used. It shows the logarithm of the number of stars per square degree brighter than some photographic magnitude m (this m is not the same as the function $m(m_{_{_{\mathbf{US}}}})$). For each of the values in the table, 10 value was calculated to get the actual number These new values were then shifted up by .7 to take into account visual rather than photographic magnitudes. Then each value was subtracted from its immediate predecessor to obtain the number of stars per square degree within the brightness range m + $\frac{1}{2}$ to m - $\frac{1}{2}$. The logarithm of these values was then taken. It is known that the graph of the logarithm of these values forms a straight line. Thus, using a straight forward least squares routine, a straight line was fit to each set of values at each galactic latitude. The values at the extremes of the table were disregarded to alleviate possible The slope and intercept of each line for each galactic latitude are stored in the file LINES.DAT. At the start of the program, once the galactic latitude has been input, the appropriate slope and intercept are read into the variables SLOPE and YCEPT.

$$m(m_{VS}) = SLOPE(m_{VS}) + YCEPT . (54)$$

With the value m as a known function, P_S is now a known function of the visual star magnitude. P_S is calculated in the subroutine PS (see Appendix D, D23).

Evaluation of
$$\int_0^{xx} P_s(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}$$

Once P_s is found as a function of m_{vs} , $\int P_s(m_{vs}) \ dm_{vs}$ can be evaluated. xx needs to be found such that $\int_0^{xx} P_s(m_{vs}) \ dm_{vs}^*$ 1. This was achieved in two steps. The subroutine LOWBND (see Appendix D, D20) is used to bracket the integral value 1 between two successive unit increments. Initially, $\int_0^1 P_s(m_{vs}) \ dm_{vs}$ is evaluated. The integral is then evaluated with an upper limit of 2. The upper limits are increased by 1 each time until the values of the integral at two successive upper limits bracket the value 1. Testing the integral at various galactic latitudes showed that, generally, a value between 10 and 20 for the upper limit yielded an integral value close to 1. Because these values for xx are visual star magnitudes this is

Newton's method is used in the subroutine UPLIMIT (see Appendix D, D22) to achieve convergence. Newton's method was chosen for two reasons. First, using the subroutine LOWBND gives a good initial estimate for Newton's method which greatly increases its rate of convergence. The lower of the two successive unit increments is used as the initial estimate. Secondly, Newton's method requires that the derivation of the function involved be calculated. Because we are

the value 1 in this way is to insure better results when getting the

integral to be sufficiently close to 1.

20 is an extremely dim magnitude. The reason for bracketing

dealing with a definite integral as our function, the derivative is easily found:

$$f(x) = \int_{0}^{x} P_{S}(m_{VS}) dm_{VS} - 1$$
 (55)

and

$$f'(x) = P_{s}(x) . (56)$$

The added time involved using the subroutine LOWBND is minimal and is offset by the increase in the rate of convergence using Newton's method. The algorithm for Newton's method used in the subroutine UPLIMIT is adapted from [4].

In order to evaluate the integral, the subroutine GAUSS (see Appendix D, D21) is called. GAUSS uses the Gaussian Quadrature method of integration and was adapted from a previously written subroutine, GAUSSQ.

Once the root of f(x) (see equation (55)) has been found (i.e. convergence has been met) in the subroutine UPLIMIT, the root, X, is returned in the variable xx. xx is the upper limit of the integral.

xx is then used in the evaluation of $\int_{0}^{xx} P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}.$

The subroutine GAUSS will be used in the evaluation of this integral also. $P_{\mbox{sNf}}$ must now be evaluated.

Evaluation of
$$\int_{0}^{xx} P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}$$

In order to evaluate $\int_0^{xx} P_{sNf}(m_{vs}) P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}$, it is necessary

to find a function for $P_{sNf}(m_{vs})$. There are many calculations involved in finding P_{sNf} as can be seen in the list of equations in the first section of this chapter. Some of these calculations are straight forward and need no explanation. The following is a list of variables and the subroutine or function where they are evaluated:

<u>Variable</u>	Routine	Appendix D
ΔΩ	PFIELDV	D5
ω	DOMEG	D17
$\overline{n}_{\mathrm{T}}$	MEANT	D9
^m VT	TARMAG	D4
°eff	SDEV	D8
^ξ oT	SDEVOT	D6
n _O	THRESH	D7
ns, os, osN	PSNF	D24

Some of the variables used in the evaluation of P_{sNf} , such as ξ_{sNo} and F(M) are never actually defined in the program. Rather, their equivalent form is used and never named. For example, in place of the variable ξ_{sNo} , $\frac{n_o - n_s}{\sigma_{sN}}$ is used and never named as a single value.

It should be noted that in order to calculate ω using DOMEG, the position and velocity vectors of both the sensor and the target are

needed. The subroutine, SBSIN (see Appendix D, D15) prompts the user for orbital data for both the sensor and a non-missile target. It then calculates the position and velocity vectors for both. The requested input data is listed as a) through f) in the second section of the first chapter. In the case where the target is a missile, the subroutine MISSIL (see Appendix D, D16) prompts the user for launch and impact information and calculates the position and velocity vectors. The required input data is:

Launch site: latitude (deg)

longitude (deg)

altitude (ft)

Impact site: latitude (deg)

longitude (deg)

altitude (ft)

DOMEG, SBSIN, MISSIL are all previously written and tested subroutines that are used only in the calculation of ω .

The function SDEVOT calls the function INVERF (see Appendix D, D18) which evaluates the inverse error function. The function ERF (see Appendix D, D19) evaluates the error function. ERF is used in the function PSNF since $P_{SNf} = \frac{1}{2} - \frac{1}{2}$ erf $\left(\frac{\xi_{SNO}(m_{vs})}{\sqrt{2}}\right)$. Both INVERF and ERF

were adapted from previously written and tested routines.

Evaluation of Q

Once P_{sNf} and P_{s} have been found, using an initial estimate for Q, the next value for Q can be evaluated. The main objective of the

program from a mathematical viewpoint is to find the convergent value of Q. Because the program fails to yield any information if Q does not converge, two separate converging routines are used. The second is used in case the first fails. The two subroutines are CONVERG1 (see Appendix D, D11) and CONVERG2 (see Appendix D, D12).

CONVERG1 uses the x = G(x) method, also known as the method of iteration. This method was chosen because of the nature of the equation. It is already of the correct form:

$$Q = \frac{\ln \left(\frac{P_{fa}}{N}\right)}{\ln \left(P_{fT}\right)} = G(Q) .$$
 (57)

 $P_{f\overline{T}}$ is dependent upon Q, therefore, using the notation, G(Q), is valid. CONVERG1 calls the function QFUN (see Appendix D, D13) to do the actual calculation of G(Q). QFUN then calls the other functions and subroutines previously mentioned in the evaluation of $P_{f\overline{T}}$. CONVERG1 was adapted from the program, PXGXIT, found in [4].

In case CONVERG1 fails to yield convergence, the subroutine CONVERG2 is used as a second attempt to reach convergence. This subroutine uses Newton's method with an initial estimate from the original input guess for Q. Since Q is expected to be approximately between 1 and 10, using the initial input guess provides an adequate estimate. The method used here is a similar adaptation of the one used earlier taken from [4].

Once a value of Q has been reached, the results are output and control is transferred back to the user.

Other Subroutines

Some of the subroutines that have not been mentioned yet do not directly effect the value of Q, although they do effect the output. The functions TEXP (see Appendix D, D10) and TSTARE (see Appendix D, D3) evaluate $\tau_{\rm exp}$ and $\tau_{\rm stare}$ respectively. These are both straight forward calculations (see equations (6) and (4)) and the results are included in the output.

The subroutine INPUT (see Appendix D, D2) is called from the main program to prompt the user for the needed input data. INPUT performs two initial calculations; that of $\rm m_{VT}$ and $\rm \omega$. Both $\rm m_{VT}$ and $\rm \omega$ are calculated directly from the input data.

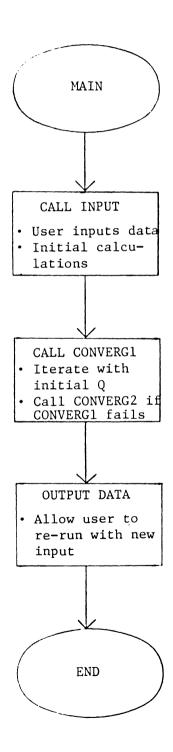
After the following items are displayed as output to the user:

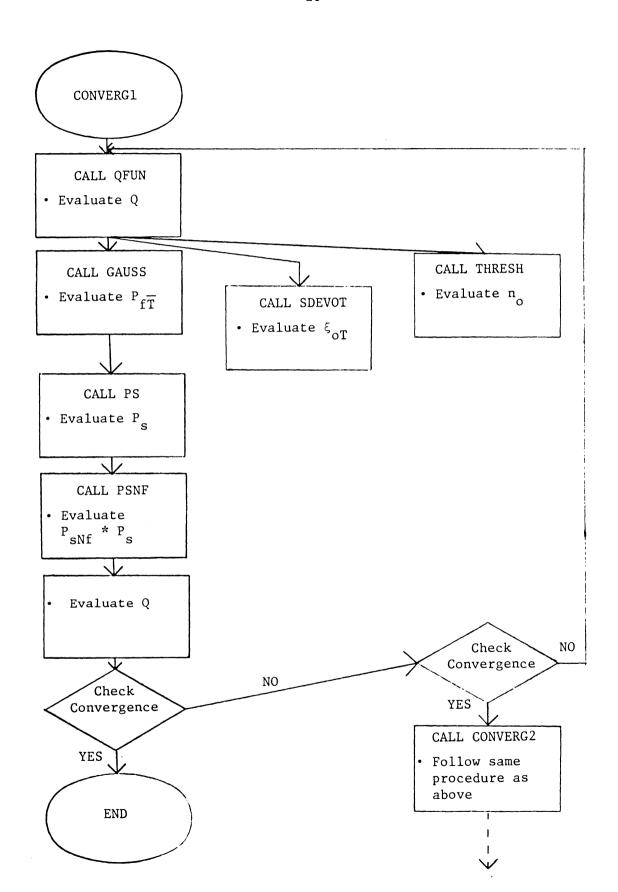
- number of exposures needed Q
- exposure time $-\tau$ exp
- total stare time τ_{stare}
- threshold level n_0 ,

the user then has the opportunity to make any changes in the input data and run the program again.

The charts on the following pages show the transfer of control throughout the program. They briefly show the order in which the program flows and therefore all the subroutines are not present. A brief description of all the routines in the program follows.

Flow of Control





Description of Routines

Subroutines

INPUT Prompts user for needed input data and performs pre-

liminary calculations

CONVERG1 Performs method of iteration (or x = G(x)) to achieve

convergence of Q

CONVERG2 Performs Newton's method if CONVERG1 fails

SBSIN Prompts user for orbital data and calculates position and

velocity vectors for both the sensor and a non-missile

target - previously written

MISSIL Prompts user for launch and impact data and determines

position and velocity vectors for a missile target -

previously written

LOWBND Finds an initial estimate to be used with Newton's method

in UPLIMIT

UPLIMIT Performs Newton's method with an initial estimate from

LOWBND to get $\int_{0}^{xx} P_{s}(m_{vs}) dm_{vs}$ sufficiently close to 1.

Functions

TSTARE Calculates total stare time - τ stare

TARMAG Calculates target magnitude, if not input - m_{VT}

PFIELDV Calculates pixel field of view - $\Delta\Omega$

THRESH Calculates threshold level - n_0

SDEVOT Calculates the number of standard deviations of n below $\overline{n}_{T} = \xi_{OT}$

SDEV Calculates the effective standard deviation of electrons $\mbox{due to target plus noise - $\sigma_{\mbox{eff}}$}$

MEANT Calculates the mean number of electrons due to the target - . $\frac{-}{n_T}$

TEXP Calculates exposure time $-\tau$ exp

QFUN Calculates a new value for Q at every iteration in the convergence subroutines. Calls functions to do other calculations affected by a new value of Q.

QDER Calculates the derivative of QFUN - Q when Newton's method of convergence is used in CONVERG2.

PS Calculates the probability of a flip due to star presence — $\frac{P}{s}$

PSNF Calculates the probability of a flip due to star presence plus readout noise

DOMEG Calculates the angular rate of motion of the target through
the sensor view - previously written

INVERF Calculates the inverse error function - previously written

ERF Calculates the error function - previously written

GAUSS Performs Gaussian Quadrature integration - previously written

ANALYSIS OF TEST RUNS

In order to test the validity of the output, the program was run numerous times with varying data. The computer used was an IBM PC XT. This XT was equipped with 640K memory, removable hard disk drives, two floppy disk drives, a math coprocessor chip, and the RM-Fortran Compiler (Ryan McFarland's version of Fortran). From one run to the next, all the input parameters were held constant except one. The purpose of this was to examine the effect that each individual parameter had on the output. This form of testing was chosen since the main goal of the program was to allow the user to trade-off various parameters and see their effect on the output.

The input data for the test cases is chosen from a range of realistic values. For example, the probability of false alarm, P_{fa} , should not realistically exceed .5. If it did, it would not be reasonable to expect to adequately detect a target regardless of the other input values. In each of the following cases only one of the input values varies from one run to the next. The resulting output and an analysis as to whether the output is physically reasonable are included with the input data.

Diameter - D

	Initial	Input	Data
D		• 2	
K		5	

^m VT	7
PD	•6
ε	.09
$\sigma_{\mathbf{r}}$	3
Φg	0
X	.1
P _{fa}	.005
N	50,000
O (initial guess)	7

Orbital Data	Sensor	Target
a) altitude at apogee	500	19,000
b) altitude at perigee	500	19,000
c) inclination	45	0
d) initial true anomaly	0	0
e) longitude of ascending	0	0
node with respect to		
Greenwich		

	$\underbrace{\text{Output}}_{\cdot} (D = .2)$		
τ exp	0.171 sec		
^T stare	0.636 sec		
Q	3.708 exposures		
n o	44,317.403 electrons		

	$\underline{\text{Output}} (D = 1.5)$
^τ exp	0.023 sec
^T stare	0.085 sec
Q	3.708 exposures
n o	333,519.074 electrons

Increasing the diameter, D, of the sensor should make it easier to detect a target. As a detection becomes easier, it is reasonable to expect that less time is needed for each exposure. The fact that Q remained unchanged is not unreasonable since the same number of exposures but with smaller time lengths still yields a smaller total stare time, τ_{stare} is a direct result of τ_{exp} and Q. With an easier detection, the threshold level, n_{o} , would be expected to increase. A higher threshold level allows fewer false alarms to be detected. The threshold level, therefore, need not be as low with an easier target detection.

Target Magnitude - m_{VT}

	Initial	Input Data
D .		1.5
K		41
^m VT		10
PD		.6
ε		.09
σr		3
Φg		0

2	ζ	.1
Ι	fa	.005
ì	1	50,000
()	7

Orbital Data	Sensor	Target
a)	500	19,000
b)	500	19,000
c)	45	0
d)	0	0
e)	0	0

	$\underline{\text{Output}} \ (\text{m}_{\text{VT}} = 10)$
τexp	0.187 sec
^τ stare	1.137 sec
Q	6.070 exposures
n _o	172,850.519 electrons
	Output (m _{VT} = 18)
$^{\tau}$ exp	0.187 sec
^T stare ·	2.135 sec
Q	11.396 exposures
n	91.682 electrons

no

If the visual magnitude of the target, $\mathbf{m}_{\mathrm{VT}}^{}\text{,}$ increases, it gets dimmer, harder to detect. As a result, it has fewer detectable electrons. (In relation to visual star magnitudes, 18 is an extremely dim magnitude.) The number of exposures, Q, increased, not unexpectedly, in order for a detection to occur with the given probabilities. As stated, the target with the larger magnitude has far fewer detectable electrons. Thus, in order for the target to be detected, the threshold level must be lowered. The exposure time remains unchanged mathematically, \mathbf{m}_{VT} has no effect on τ_{exp} . The total stare time, τ_{stare} , increased as a direct result of the increase in Q.

Probability of Detection - PD

	Initial	Input	Data
D		1.5	
K		41	
^m VT		10	
PD		.85	
ε		.09	
σr		3	
Φg		0	
X		.1	
P _{fa}		.005	
N		50,000)
Q .		7	

Orbital Data	Sensor	Target
a)	500	19,000
b)	500	19,000
c)	45	0

d)	0	0
e)	0	0
	$\underline{\text{Output}} \ (PD = .8$	5)
τexp	0.187	sec
τ stare	1.137	sec
Q	6.070	exposures
n _o	172,6	27.320 electrons
	Output (PD = .99	9)
τexp	0.187	sec
^T stare	1.137	sec
Q	6.070	exposures

Increasing the probability of detection, PD, resulted in a decrease in the threshold level but left the other input data unchanged. A higher value of PD implies that the user would like more assurance that the target will be detected. The resulting lower value of \mathbf{n}_{o} , allows for this higher probability. It is not unreasonable that the number of exposures and the exposure time were unaltered. The lower threshold yielded the required probability of detection and no other adjustments were needed.

 n_{o}

171,938.249 electrons

	Initial	Input Data
D		1.5
K		41
^m VT		10
PD		.85
ε		.9
σr		40
Ф g		90
X		• 5
P fa		.005
N		50,000
Q		7

Orbital Data	Sensor	<u>Target</u>
a)	500	19,000
b)	500	19,000
c)	45	0
d)	0	0
e) ·	0	0

$\underline{\text{Output}} \ (X = .5)$

τ_{exp} 0.187 sec
 τ_{stare} 1.450 sec
 Q 7.739 exposures
 n_o 1,731,652.128 electrons

Output (X = .9)

Texp

0.187 sec

1.908 sec

1.908 sec

1.731,506.301 electrons

The value of X is an estimate of the ability to remove stars as false alarm candidates where 1 is the worst possible case. (X is between 0 and 1). An increase in the value of X means that more false alarms will show up in the detection. As a result, the threshold level was lowered. Lowering the threshold level allows more false alarms in the detection. More possible false alarms make it reasonable to expect that the value of Q would increase. The more false alarms with the same probability of a false alarm makes a detection harder. The more difficult a detection is, the more exposures it takes.

Conclusions

The above cases along with many other similar test runs lead to the conclusion that the output is indeed accurate. The output was also checked mathematically, i.e., the equations themselves were checked to see if they justified the increase or decrease of the output data. The results were not included in this paper. They were straight forward and do not require an explanation. An example of how the equations were checked can be seen in the first case in this chapter; the change in the diameter. From equation (44), we see that D is inversely proportional to $\Delta\Omega$. Thus, as D increases, $\Delta\Omega$ decreases.

 $\Delta\Omega$ is proportional to $\tau_{\rm exp}$ (see equation (6)) and therefore as decreases, $\tau_{\rm exp}$ decreases. Hence, from this viewpoint, $\tau_{\rm exp}$ is expected to decrease with an increase in D and this is indeed the case as can be seen in the output values of $\tau_{\rm exp}$.

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APPENDIX A: Star Numbers

$Star\ Numbers$ $N_n = number\ of\ stars\ per\ square\ degree\ brighter\ than\ magnitude\ m$

Variation of N_n with galactic latitude $\log N_n$

	Galactic latitude								Mesa	Mosa			
**	0.	±5°	± 10°	± 20°	± 30°	± 40°	± 50°	± MIT	± 70°	± 807	± 90°	დ 9 0*	10 80.
		photographic magnitudes											viana
0;0 1:0											I		8.7
2.0		3-18		1	1.8				1.7			1.88	1.99
3.0	l	3.68	_	_ 1	3.17	_	_	_	3.0	_		3.40	1.55
4.0	2.25	2.17	2-12	3.99	3.85	3.75	3.70	3.661	3.64	3-62	3.00	3.89	2-11
5.0.	2.72	2.64	2.57	2.44	2.32	2.24	2.20	2.17	2-14	2-12	2-11	2.37	2.60
6.0	I-18	1.10	1.03	2 90	2.78	2.71	2.66	2.63	2.62	2.60	2.58	2.86	<u>I</u> 07
7.0	I-61	1.64	1.47	I-36	1.23	1.16	[·11]	1 08	1.06	1.04	1.03	[-31	1.54
8.0	0.05	1.99	1.91	I-78	1.68	1.60	1.55	1.62	I-49	1.47	1.46	1.75	0.00
9.0	0.52	0.43	0.35	0.22	0.12	0-04	[.99	1.94	1.91	1.89	1.88	0-19	0.45
0·0	0.97	0.88	0.80 1.23	0.66 1.08	0.54 0.96	0.87	0-40 0-80	0-35 0-75	0.31	0-29	0.27	0-62 1-05	0.92
3·0	1.88	1.77	1.65	1.50	1.37	1.26	1.19	1.12	1.08	1.04	1.03	1.46	1.77
3.0	2.30	2 19	2.07	1.90	1.76	1.64	1.54	1.47	1.42	1.40	1.39	1.87	2.17
4.0	2.72	2.61	2.48	2.28	2.12	1.98	1.88	1.79	1.75	1.71	1.71	2.26	2.65
5.0	3.12	3.00	2.88	2 65	2.46	2.31	2.20	2.10	2.03	2.00	1.97	2.62	2.95
6.0	3.40	3.41	3.24	3.00	2.77	2.61	2.48	2.38	2.28	2.25	2.24	2.98	1.20
7.0	3.83	.3.78	3.60	3.33	3.02	2.89	3.75	2.64	2.55	2.52	2.48	3.33	1.64
8.0	4.20	4.10	3.93	3.63	3.35	3-14	2.99	3.87	2.78	2.75	2.72	3:64	3.96
8.0	4.5	4.4	4.3	3.9	3.6	3-4	3.2	3.1	3.0	2.9	2.9	3.90	4.20
0.0	4.7	4.7	4.6	4.3	3.8	3.6	3.4	3.8	3.2	3.1	3.1	4-17	4.45
1.0	5.0	4.9	4.8	4.5	4-0	3.7	3.6	3.4	3.3	1.1	3.2	4.4	

APPENDIX B: Derivation of Flux

Let $S(\lambda)$ be the energy flux per unit wavelength (erg cm⁻² sec⁻¹ A^{-1}). Then, for an object of visual magnitude m_v, as fixed by the zero point of the magnitude system (see [2]),

$$\log S (5500 \text{ Å}) = -8.42 - 0.4 \text{ m}_{V}$$

If one converts to metric units and specifies quantum rather than energy flux per unit wavelength (photons m^{-2} sec⁻¹ m^{-1}), then

$$\log S (0.55 \times 10^{-6} m) = 17.02 - 0.4 m_{v}$$

The width (at half height) of the sunlight spectrum is $\Delta\lambda \stackrel{\sim}{=} 0.55 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m.} \quad \text{Thus, the quantum flux of the sunlight spectrum}$ (including nearby skirts) is:

$$F(m_V) \stackrel{\sim}{=} S (0.55 \times 10^{-6} \text{ m}) \Delta \lambda$$

= 5.76 x 10⁻¹⁰ e^{-0.92 m}V (photons/m⁻² sec⁻¹).

APPENDIX C: Definition of Variables

DEFINITION OF VARIABLES

- D Diameter of sensor (m)
- K Number of diffraction limited pixel diameters that make up an actual pixel
- \mathbf{m}_{VT} Visual magnitude of target
- Sun angle subtended from sensor to target to sun (deg)
- σ_R Reflectivity area product (m)
- R Distance from sensor to target (m)
- PD Probability of detection for a target in the field of view
- Combined efficiency of optics and detectors in sensor
- $\sigma_{\mathbf{r}}$ Standard deviation of the number of electrons due to noise
- Φ_α Galactic latitude (deg)
- X A number between 0 and 1 that represents ability to remove stars as false alarm candidates (1 = worst)
- P_{fa} Probability of a false alarm
- N Total numbef of pixels
- Q Number of exposures needed
- ω Angular rate of the target through the sensor view (rad/sec)
- $\overline{n}_{_{\mathbf{T}}}$ Expected mean of the number of electrons due to the target
- n Threshold level (number of electrons above which anything is recorded)
- $\Delta\Omega$ Pixel field of view (steradians)
- Ω Total sensor field of view (steradians)
- $\sigma_{\mbox{\footnotesize eff}}$ Effective standard deviation of the number of electrons due to a target plus noise

 $\xi_{\rm oT}$ - Number of standard deviations of n below $\overline{\rm n}_{\rm T}$

 $P_{\mbox{\scriptsize fT}}$ — Probability of a flip when no target is present

 $\tau_{\rm exp}$ - Exposure time (sec)

τ_{stare} - Total stare time (sec)

 $\overline{\lambda}$ - Mean wavelength of the visible spectrum (m)

 $P_{_{\mathbf{S}}}$ - Probability of a flip due to star presence

 $P_{\mbox{sNf}}$ - Probability of a flip due to star presence plus noise

APPENDIX D: Program Code

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PROGRAM SURPAR

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

EXTERNAL PFIELDV, SDEV, MEANT, TEXP, TSTARE, TARMAG

DOUBLE PRECISION PFIELDV, SDEV, MEANT, TEXP, TSTARE, TARMAG

DIMENSION SBSSEN(2,6)

COMMON/ORB/SBSSEN

COMMON/MAG/MVT

COMMON/MAGS/SUNA, RCS

COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL

COMMON/CONST2/XTOL,FTOL,NLIM

COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD

COMMON Q

COMMON/INPUTS/D,K,PD,EFF,SDR,GL,PFA,FOV

COMMON/CALC/PFOV, ARATE, SDEFF, EOT, NT, NO, PFT

COMMON/LINE/SLOPE, YCEPT

COMMON/PROB/X,N

LOGICAL CONV, CONVG, FLAG

CHARACTER *1 ANSW, AN, AA

INTEGER MM,GL

DOUBLE PRECISION NT, NO, N, MVT

С

C ·

C -- VARIABLES --

C ARATE: Angular rate of motion of target through the sensor view

С	D:	Aperture of the sensor (m)	*
С	EFF:	Combined efficiency of optics and detectors	*
С	EOT:	Number of standard deviations of NO below NT	*
С	FOV:	Field of view of sensor (steradians)	*
С	GL:	Galactic latitude (deg)	*
С	K:	# of diffraction limited pixel diameters that make up an	*
С		actual pixel	*
С	MVT:	Visual magnitude of the target	*
С	N:	Number of pixel detectors	*
С	NO:	Threshold level (# of electrons above which anything is	*
С		recorded)	*
С	NT:	Expected mean of the number of electrons due to the target	*
C	PD:	Probability of detection for a target in the field of view	ボ
C	PFA:	Probability of a false alarm	*
С	PFOV:	Field of view of a pixel (steradians)	*
С	PFT:	Probability of a flip assuming no target is present in a	*
С		pixel	*
С	Q:	Number of exposures needed	*
С	R:	Distance from sensor to target (m)	*
С	RCS:	Reflectivity-area product (reflection cross section) (m)	*
С	SDEFF:	Effective standard deviation of the # of electrons due to a	*
С		target plus noise	*
С	SDR:	Standard deviation of the # of electrons due to noise	*
С	SUNA:	Sun angle subtended from sensor to target to sun (rad)	*
С	TEXP:	Exposure time (sec)	*
С	TSTARE:	Total stare time (sec)	*

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C
 X:
           A number between 0 and 1 that represents ability to remove
           stars as false alarm candidates
C
      FIXED PARAMETERS --
C
  CONV, CONVG, FLAG: Tell whether of not convergence has been met
 DEGRAD: Radians per degree
C
           Gravitational constant (m**2/sec**3)
C
  DMU:
C
 NLIM:
           Upper limit on # of iterations in the convergent routines
C PI, TPI: Pi and 2*Pi
 RADDEG: Degrees per radian
 RE:
           Radius of the Earth (m)
C
C STERSD: Steradians per square degree
C WE:
           Angular rate of the Earth (rad/sec)
 WL:
           Mean wavelength of spectrum under consideration (visible)
С
 XMNM:
           Meters per nautical mile
 XTOL, FTOL: Used in convergence subroutines to test closeness to 0
C
C
  Initialization
C
C
      PFT=0.0
C
  Call subroutine to ask user for input parameters
C
      CALL INPUT(ARATE, MVT)
C
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WRITE(6,*) 'Enter an initial guess for the number of exposures',
     &' that will be needed.
      READ(*,*) Q
      PRINT *, ' '
C
C Do initial calculations
C
 101 NT=MEANT(MVT,D,K,EFF,ARATE)
      SDEFF=SDEV(NT,SDR)
      PFOV=PFIELDV(K,D)
      FOV=N*PFOV
      WRITE(6,*) 'THE STARTING VALUE OF Q IS: ',Q
C
C Read in slope and y-intercept for appropriate galactic level. A Least
   Squares routine was used to fit the log of the Amv values for each
C galactic latitude to a straight line.
C
      IF (GL. EQ. 0) THEN
         I=1
      ELSEIF (IABS(GL). EQ. 5) THEN
         I=2
      ELSE
         I=IABS(GL)/10 + 2
      ENDIF
      OPEN (11,STATUS='OLD',FILE='LINES.DAT')
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DO 10 J=1,I-1
         READ(11,*)
 10
      CONTINUE
      READ(11,*) SLOPE, YCEPT
      CLOSE (11)
      FLAG=. FALSE.
      CALL LOWBND(XX,FLAG,CONVG)
      WRITE(6,*) 'AFTER LOWBND XX = ',XX
      IF (.NOT.FLAG) CALL UPLIMIT(XX,CONVG)
      IF (.NOT. CONVG) THEN
         WRITE(6,*) 'Integral did not converge to 1. Re-run.'
         GO TO 999
      ENDIF
C
C Call subroutine to get a better estimate for the number of exposures
С
      CALL CONVERG1(CONV,XX)
      IF (.NOT. CONV) THEN
         CALL CONVERG2(CONV,XX)
         IF (.NOT. CONV) THEN
            WRITE(6,*) 'No convergence with two different methods.'
            WRITE(6,*) 'Do you want to try another value of your',
     &
            ' initial guess of the number of exposures needed (Y/N)?
            READ(*,111) ANSW
            IF (ANSW. EQ. 'Y') THEN
               WRITE(6,*) 'Enter guess
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READ(*,*) Q
               GO TO 101
            ENDIF
         ENDIF
      ENDIF
C
      IF (CONV) THEN
         TT=TEXP(PFOV, ARATE)
         WRITE(6,100) TT
         FORMAT (' ', 'The exposure time is | ',F6.3,' sec')
 100
         TS=TSTARE(Q,PFOV,ARATE)
         WRITE(6,200) TS
         FORMAT (' ','The stare time is | ',F7.3,' sec')
 200
         WRITE(6,*) 'SDEFF= ',SDEFF,' NT= ',NT,'EOT= ',EOT
         NO=THRESH(SDEFF, EOT, NT)
         WRITE(6,300) NO
         FORMAT (' ','The threshold value is | ',F12.3,' electrons')
 300
         WRITE(6,400) Q
 400
         FORMAT (' ', 'The number of exposures needed is | ',F6.3/T3)
         WRITE(6,*) 'PFT===== ',PFT
C
         WRITE(6,*) 'Do you want to run this program again with any new
     &parameters (Y/N)? '
         READ(*,111) AN
         IF (AN .EQ. 'Y') THEN
            WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the number beside the parameter'
 110
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```
WRITE(6,*) 'Aperture of sensor (meters) - 1 '
       WRITE(6,*) '# of diffraction limited pixel diameters - 2
       WRITE(6,*) 'Visible magnitude of target - 3 '
       WRITE(6,*) 'Sun angle subtended from sensor-target-sun',
&
       ' (degrees) - 4
       WRITE(6,*) 'Reflectivity-area product (meters) - 5
       WRITE(6,*) 'Probability of detection of target - 6
       WRITE(6,*) 'Combined efficiency of optics and detectors',
       ' - 7 '
&
       WRITE(6,*) 'Standard deviation of noise electrons - 8
      WRITE(6,*) 'Galactic latitude (degrees) - 9
       WRITE(6,*) 'A number between 0 and 1 that represents your'
                         ability to remove stars as false alarm'
      WRITE(6,*) '
      WRITE(6,*) '
                         candidates (1=worst) - 10
      WRITE(6,*) 'The probability of false alarm - 11
      WRITE(6,*) 'The # of pixels - 12 '
       WRITE(6,*) 'A new estimate of the number of exposures',
       ' needed - 13
&
      WRITE(6,*) 'Sensor orbital data - 14
      WRITE(6,*) 'Target orbital data (missile) - 15
      WRITE(6,*) 'Target orbital data (non-missile) - 16
      READ(*,*) MM
       IF (MM .LE. 13) THEN
         WRITE(6,*) 'Enter new value
      ENDIF
```

IF (MM . EQ. 1) THEN

READ(*,*) D

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 2) THEN

READ(*,*) K

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 3) THEN

READ(*,*) MVT

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 4) THEN

READ(*,*) SUNA

MVT=TARMAG(SUNA, RCS)

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 5) THEN

READ(*,*) RCS

MVT=TARMAG(SUNA, RCS)

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 6) THEN

READ(*,*) PD

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 7) THEN

READ(*,*) EFF

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 8) THEN

READ(*,*) SDR

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 9) THEN

READ(*,*) GL

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 10) THEN

READ(*,*) X

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 11) THEN

READ(*,*) PFA

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 12) THEN

READ(*,*) N

ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 13) THEN

```
READ(*,*) Q
       ELSEIF (MM . EQ. 14) THEN
          CALL SBSIN(SBSSEN,1)
          ARATE=DOMEG(SBSSEN)
       ELSEIF (MM. EQ. 15) THEN
          CALL MISSIL(SBSSEN,2)
          ARATE=DOMEG(SBSSEN)
       ELSE
          CALL SBSIN(SBSSEN,2)
          ARATE=DOMEG(SBSSEN)
       ENDIF
       IF (MM .GE. 14) THEN
          WRITE(6,*) 'If you have previously entered the magnitude'
          WRITE(6,*) ' of the target directly, enter Y, otherwise',
&' enter N
          READ(*,111) AA
          IF (AA .EQ. 'N') MVT=TARMAG(SUNA,RCS)
       ENDIF
      WRITE(6,*) 'Do you want to change any other parameters '
       WRITE(6,*) 'before this program is run again (Y/N)?'
       READ(*,111) AN
       IF (AN .EQ .'Y') GO TO 110
       GO TO 101
    ENDIF
ENDIF
```

999 CONTINUE

111 FORMAT (A1)

STOP

```
*** D2 ***
      SUBROUTINE INPUT(ARATE, MVT)
C
   This subroutine asks the user for the required input parameters
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H, 0-Z)
      EXTERNAL TARMAG, DOMEG
      DOUBLE PRECISION TARMAG, DOMEG
      DIMENSION SBSSEN(2,6)
      COMMON/MAGS/SUNA, RCS
      COMMON/ORB/SBSSEN
      COMMON/INPUTS/D,K,PD,EFF,SDR,GL,PFA,FOV
      COMMON/PROB/X,N
      COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD
      CHARACTER ANS*1
      INTEGER IM,GL
      DOUBLE PRECISION N, MVT
      WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the aperture of your sensor (meters) '
      READ(*,*) D
      WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the # of diffraction limited pixel diameters ',
     & 'that make up an actual pixel
      READ(*,*) K
      WRITE(6,*) 'Do you know the visual magnitude of the target (Y/N)'
      READ(*,112) ANS
      IF (ANS. EQ. 'Y') THEN
         WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the value
```

```
READ(*,*) MVT
    ELSE
       WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the sun angle subtended from sensor to target
   & to sun (degrees)
       READ(*,*) SUNA
       WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the reflectivity-area product (reflection '.
   & 'cross section) (meters) '
       READ(*,*) RCS
    ENDIF
    WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the probability of detection for a target in ',
   & 'the field of view '
    READ(*,*) PD
    WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the combined efficiency of optics and',
   & ' detectors
    READ(*,*) EFF
    WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the standard deviation of the # of electrons due
   & to noise
    READ(*,*) SDR
    WRITE(6,100)
100 FORMAT(' ', 'Enter the galactic latitude, choosing one of the ',
   &'following: '/T3,'0,5,-5,10,-10,20,-20,30,-30,40,-40'/T3,'50',
   &',-50,60,-60,70,-70,80,-80,90,-90')
    READ(*,*) GL
    WRITE(6,*) 'Enter a number between 0 and 1 that represents your '
    WRITE(6,*) 'ability to remove stars as false alarm candidates '
    WRITE(6,*) '(1 = no discrimination between stars and a target) '
```

```
READ(*,*) X
    WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the probability of a false alarm
    READ(*,*) PFA
    WRITE(6,*) 'Enter the # of pixels '
READ(*,*) N
    WRITE(6,*) 'Input the following orbit data with respect to your',
   &' sensor '
    CALL SBSIN(SBSSEN,1)
    WRITE(6,*) 'If your target is a missile - input 1'
    WRITE(6,*) 'otherwise - input 2
    READ(*,*) IM
    IF (IM .EQ. 1) CALL MISSIL(SBSSEN,2)
    IF (IM .EQ. 2) CALL SBSIN(SBSSEN,2)
    ARATE=DOMEG(SBSSEN)
    IF (ANS .EQ. 'N') MVT=TARMAG(SUNA,RCS)
112 FORMAT (A1)
    RETURN
    END
```

```
*** D3 ***
```

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION TSTARE(Q,PFOV,ARATE)

С

C This function caluculates the stare time given the calculated exposure

C time and the current value of Q

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

EXTERNAL TEXP

DOUBLE PRECISION TEXP

T=TEXP(PFOV, ARATE)

TSTARE=Q*T

RETURN

```
D4 ***
      DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION TARMAG(SUNA, RCS)
C
C
   This function calculates the visual magnitude of the target given the
C
   sun angle (sensor-target-sun), the reflectivity-area product and the
C
  sensor-target distance
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL
      COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD
      COMMON/ORB/SBSSEN
      DIMENSION SBSSEN(2,6)
      XDIF=SBSSEN(1,1)-SBSSEN(2,1)
      YDIF=SBSSEN(1,2)-SBSSEN(2,2)
      ZDIF=SBSSEN(1,3)-SBSSEN(2,3)
      R=DSQRT(XDIF*XDIF+YDIF*YDIF+ZDIF*ZDIF)
      SUNA=SUNA/RADDEG
      F=2/(3*PI*PI)*((PI-SUNA)*DCOS(SUNA)+DSIN(SUNA))
      TARMAG=-26. 78-2. 5*DLOG10((RCS*F)/(R*R))
      RETURN
      END
```

```
**** D5 ***
    DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION PFIELDV(K,D)

C

C This function calculates the field of view of the pixel in steradians
C given the aperture of the sensor, the mean wavelength of
C the spectrum and the value of K
C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
    COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL
    PFIELDV=K*K*16.*WL*WL/(PI*D*D)
    RETURN
```

C the probability of detection of the target and the current value of Q

```
*** D6 ***

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION SDEVOT(PD,Q)

C

C This function calculates the standard deviation of NO below NT given
```

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,0-Z)

EXTERNAL INVERF

DOUBLE PRECISION INVERF

SDEVOT=INVERF(2.0*PD**(1.0/Q)-1.0)*SQRT(2.0)

RETURN

END

C

```
*** D7 ***
```

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION THRESH(SDEFF, EOT, NT)

С

- C This function calculates the threshold value given the effective
- C standard deviation of electrons due to target plus noise, the mean
- C number of electrons due to the target

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,0-Z)

DOUBLE PRECISION NT

THRESH=-SDEFF*EOT+NT

RETURN

```
*** D8 ***
```

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION SDEV(NT, SDR)

С

C This function calculates the effective standard deviation of electron

C due to target plus noise given the mean number of electrons due to th

C target and the standard deviation of elctrons due to the target alone

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

DOUBLE PRECISION NT

SDEV=DSQRT(NT+SDR*SDR)

RETURN

*** D9 ***

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION MEANT(MVT,D,K,EFF,ARATE)

С

- C This function calculates the mean number of electrons due to the
- C target given the diameter of the sensor, the value of K, the wave-
- C length of the spectrum, the angular rate of the sensor, the combined
- C efficiency and the visual magnitude of the target

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL

DOUBLE PRECISION MVT

E=DEXP(-.92*MVT)

MEANT=DSQRT(PI)*D*K*WL*EFF/ARATE*(5.76E10)*E

RETURN

```
*** D10 ***
```

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION TEXP(PFOV, ARATE)

C

C This function calculates the exposure time given the field of view

C and the angular rate of the sensor

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,0-Z)

WRITE(6,*) 'IN TEXP, PFOV= ', PFOV, ' ARATE= ', ARATE

TEXP=DSQRT(PFOV)/ARATE

RETURN

```
*** D11 ***
      SUBROUTINE CONVERG1(CONV,XX)
С
   This subroutine uses the x=G(x) method (or the method of iteration) of
C
   convergence using the initial estimated input value of Q
С
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      COMMON/CONST2/XTOL, FTOL, NLIM
      COMMON Q
      EXTERNAL QFUN
      DOUBLE PRECISION QFUN
      LOGICAL CONV
      CONV=. TRUE.
      J=1
      SAVEQ=Q
      Q=QFUN(Q,XX)
      DEL1=DABS(SAVEQ-Q)
      IF (DEL1 .LE. XTOL) RETURN
      DO 20 J=2,NLIM
         SAVEQ=Q
         WRITE(6,*) 'A NEW Q IS NOW BEING EVALUATED'
         Q=QFUN(Q,XX)
         DEL2=DABS(Q-SAVEQ)
         IF (DEL2 . LE. XTOL) RETURN
         IF (J . EQ. 2) THEN
```

IF (DEL1 .LE. DEL2) THEN

CONV=. FALSE.

RETURN

ENDIF

ENDIF

20 CONTINUE

С

C If NLIM is exceeded CONV returns a value of false

С

CONV=. FALSE.

RETURN

```
*** D12 ***
      SUBROUTINE CONVERG2(CONV,XX)
C
  This subroutine uses Newton's method of convergence if the first
  method fails with the original input value of Q (INIT)
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      COMMON/CONST2/XTOL, FTOL, NLIM
      COMMON/CALC/PFOV, ARATE, SDEFF, EOT, NT, NO, PFT
      COMMON Q
      DOUBLE PRECISION NT, NO
      LOGICAL CONV
      EXTERNAL QFUN, QDER
      DOUBLE PRECISION QFUN, QDER
      CONV=. TRUE.
      QQ=QFUN(Q,XX)
      QX=QQ-Q
      DO 30 J=1,NLIM
         DELQ=QX/QDER(QQ,XX,PFT)
         Q=Q-DELQ
         QQ=QFUN(Q,XX)
         QX=QQ-Q
         IF (DABS(DELQ) . LE. XTOL) RETURN
         IF (DABS(QX) .LE. FTOL) RETURN
 30
      CONTINUE
```

C

C If NLIM is exceeded CONV returns a value of false

C

CONV=. FALSE.

RETURN

```
*** D13 ***
```

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION QFUN(Q,XX)

С

- C This function calculates Q as a function of Q to be used in the
- C convergent routines

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

COMMON/CALC/PFOV, ARATE, SDEFF, EOT, NT, NO, PFT

COMMON/INPUTS/D,K,PD,EFF,SDR,GL,PFA,FOV

COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL

COMMON/PROB/X,N

DOUBLE PRECISION NOT, NT, NO

EXTERNAL THRESH, SDEVOT, GAUSS, PSNF

DOUBLE PRECISION THRESH, SDEVOT, GAUSS, PSNF

INTEGER GL

DOUBLE PRECISION N

EOT=SDEVOT(PD,Q)

NO=THRESH(SDEFF, EOT, NT)

PFT=GAUSS(50, PSNF, 0., XX)

QFUN=DLOG(PFA/N)/DLOG(PFT)

RETURN

```
This function evaluates the derivative of QFUN-Q to be used only if the CONVERG2 routine is needed

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

EXTERNAL GAUSS,PSNF

DOUBLE PRECISION GAUSS,PSNF

DPFT=PSNF(XX)

QDER=-QQ*DPFT/(DLOG(PFT)*PFT)-1.

RETURN
```

```
***
    D15 ***
      SUBROUTINE SBSIN(SBSSEN,L)
C
C
   This subroutine requests input for determining the orbits
   of satellites when the Keplerian Propagator will be used.
   It has been previously written.
С
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      DIMENSION SBSSEN(2,6), ORB(6), X(3), Y(3), H(3), XMNAN(2)
      COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL
      COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD
      ORB(6)=0.0
      WRITE(6,100)
 100 FORMAT (' '/T3, 'Six pieces of data are needed to propagate the ',
     &'satellites.'/T3,'For Circular orbits, only five pieces of data',
     &'are input.'/T3,'Input 1 if you wish to input apogee and perigee',
     &' altitudes,'/T3,'2 if you wish to input period and eccentricity')
      WRITE(6,*) ' '
      READ(*,*) ITYPE
      IF (ITYPE . EQ. 1) THEN
         WRITE(6,120)
         FORMAT (' '//T3, 'Input Altitude at ',
 120
     & 'Apogee (NM)'/T3,'Altitude at Perigee (NM)'/T3,'Inclination (deg
     &)')
      ELSE
         WRITE(6,110)
```

```
FORMAT (' ',/T3, 'Input Period (hours),',
110
        ' Eccentricity, Inclination (degrees)')
     ENDIF
     WRITE(6,130)
130 FORMAT (' '/T3, 'Initial true anomaly (deg)'/T3, 'Longitude of',
    & 'ascending node with respect to Greenwich (deg)'/T3,
    & 'Input last ascending node before Epoch'/T3)
     READ(*,*) (ORB(I), I=1,5)
     IF (DABS(ORB(2)-ORB(1)) .LT. 1.E-2 .OR. ORB(2).LT. 1.E-5) GO TO 35
     WRITE(6,*) ' Input argument of Perigee (degrees), ',
    & '-180<=argument<180'
     WRITE(6,*) ' '
     READ(*,*) ORB(6)
     IF (ITYPE . EQ. 2) THEN
35
        ORB(1)=((ORB(1)*3600./2./PI)**2*DMU)**(1./3.)
     ELSE
        ORB(1)=ORB(1)*XMNM
        ORB(2)=ORB(2)*XMNM
        A=(ORB(1)+ORB(2)+RE*2.)/2.
        ORB(2) = (ORB(1) + RE)/A - 1.
        ORB(1)=A
    ENDIF
    DO 10 K=3,6
        ORB(K) = ORB(K) / RADDEG
10
    CONTINUE
     B=DCOS(ORB(3))
```

```
C=DSIN(ORB(3))
   D=DCOS(ORB(4))
   E=DSIN(ORB(4))
   F=DCOS(ORB(5))
   G=DSIN(ORB(5))
   P=DCOS(ORB(6))
   Q=DSIN(ORB(6))
   R=ORB(1)*(1. -ORB(2)**2)/(1. +ORB(2)*D)
   V=DSQRT(2.*(DMU/R-DMU/(2.*ORB(1))))
   ANGMOM=DSQRT((1.-ORB(2)**2)*DMU*ORB(1))
   H(1)=ANGMOM*G*C
   H(2) = -ANGMOM*F*C
   H(3)=B*ANGMOM
   XW=R*D
   YW=R*E
   PX=P*F-Q*G*B
   PY=P*G+Q*F*B
   PZ=Q*C
   QX=-Q*F-P*G*B
   QY=-Q*G+P*F*B
   QZ=P*C
   RX=XW*PX+YW*QX
   RY=XW*PY+YW*QY
Find Z-component of position vector
```

C

C

```
SBSSEN(L,3)=XW*PZ+YW*QZ
C
  Consider earth rotation between epoch and ascending node.
С
      TRUEA=DABS(ORB(6))
      DO 20 I=1,2
         RPER=ORB(1)*(1. -ORB(2)*ORB(2))/(1.+ORB(2)*DCOS(TRUEA))
         IF (DABS(ORB(2)). LT. 0. 0001) THEN
            ECCAN=TRUEA
         ELSE
            ECCAN=DACOS((1.-RPER/ORB(1))/ORB(2))
         ENDIF
         IF (TRUEA .GT. PI) ECCAN=TPI-ECCAN
         XMNAN(I)=ECCAN-ORB(2)*DSIN(ECCAN)
         TRUEA=ORB(4)
 20
      CONTINUE
      C1=DSQRT(DMU/ORB(1)**3)
      ANG=ORB(4)+ORB(6)
      IF (ANG .GE. TPI) THEN
         DMEAN=XMNAN(1)+XMNAN(2)-TPI
      ELSE
         IF (ORB(6) . LT. 0.) DMEAN=XMNAN(2)-XMNAN(1)
         IF (ORB(6) .GE. 0.) DMEAN=XMNAN(2)+XMNAN(1)
      ENDIF
      DT=DMEAN/C1
      EROT1=DCOS(WE*DT)
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```
EROT2=DSIN(WE*DT)
C
C
   Find X,Y-components of position vector
С
      SBSSEN(L,1)=RX*EROT1+RY*EROT2
      SBSSEN(L,2)=RY*EROT1-RX*EROT2
      HO=H(1)
      H(1)=HO*EROT1+H(2)*EROT2
      H(2)=H(2)*EROT1-HO*EROT2
      GAM=DACOS(ANGMOM/(V*R))
      DO 30 I=1,3
         Y(I)=SBSSEN(L,I)/R
      CONTINUE
 30
      X(1)=SBSSEN(L,3)*H(2)-SBSSEN(L,2)*H(3)
      X(2)=SBSSEN(L,1)*H(3)-SBSSEN(L,3)*H(1)
      X(3)=SBSSEN(L,2)*H(1)-SBSSEN(L,1)*H(2)
      DO 40 I=1,3
         X(I)=X(I)/(XMNM**3)
 40
      CONTINUE
      XMAG=DSQRT(X(1)**2+X(2)**2+X(3)**2)
      DO 50 I=1,3
         X(I)=X(I)/XMAG
 50
      CONTINUE
      VCOSG=V*DCOS(GAM)
      VSING=V*DSIN(GAM)
```

C

```
C Find velocity vector
```

С

SBSSEN(L,4)=VCOSG*X(1)+VSING*Y(1)

SBSSEN(L,5)=VCOSG*X(2)+VSING*Y(2)

SBSSEN(L,6)=VCOSG*X(3)+VSING*Y(3)

RETURN

```
*** D16 ***
      SUBROUTINE MISSIL(TRGT,L)
C
С
  This subroutine determines orbit elements for missile launches.
   Inputs are locations of launch and impact.
                                               The routine
C determines the orbit from two position vectors, using the minimum
C energy trajectory.
  REFERENCE: Cornelisse, Schoyer, Wakker: Rocket Propulsion and
C
     Spaceflight Dynamics, CH. 13.
C
  It has been previously written.
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      DIMENSION TRGT(2,6), ORB(6), RL(3), RI(3)
      COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL
      COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD
      WRITE(6,*) ' Note that the missile orbit determination is ',
     & 'Keplerian.'
     WRITE(6,*) ' Use the Keplerian Propagator only.'
      WRITE(6,100)
 100 FORMAT (' '/T3, 'Input the Latitude (deg), Longitude (deg) of the',
     & ' launch site, '/T3, 'Altitude of launch site (ft).',
     &//T3, 'Southern latitudes and/or Western longitudes',
     & ' should be input with a '/T3, 'minus sign. '/T3)
      READ(*,*) ORB(1), ORB(2), ORB(3)
      WRITE(6,110)
 110 FORMAT (' '/T3, 'Input the Latitude (deg), Longitude (deg) of the',
```

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& ' impact site,'/T3,'Altitude of impact site (ft)'/T3)
      READ(*,*) ORB(4),ORB(5),ORB(6)
      ORB(1)=ORB(1)/RADDEG
      ORB(2)=ORB(2)/RADDEG
      ORB(3) = ORB(3) * . 3048
      ORB(4)=ORB(4)/RADDEG
      ORB(5) = ORB(5) / RADDEG
      ORB(6) = ORB(6) *.3048
      RLCH=RE+ORB(3)
      RL(1)=RLCH*DCOS(ORB(1))*DCOS(ORB(2))
      RL(2)=RLCH*DCOS(ORB(1))*DSIN(ORB(2))
      RL(3)=RLCH*DSIN(ORB(1))
      TOLD=0.
      DELTAT=0.
C
C
   Iterate to find exact parameters with rotating earth.
С
 10
      ORB(5)=ORB(5)+WE*DELTAT
      RIMP=RE+ORB(6)
      RI(1)=RIMP*DCOS(ORB(4))*DCOS(ORB(5))
      RI(2)=RIMP*DCOS(ORB(4))*DSIN(ORB(5))
      RI(3)=RIMP*DSIN(ORB(4))
C
   Length of chord between launch and target sites.
C
```

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D=DSQRT((RL(1)-RI(1))**2+(RL(2)-RI(2))**2+(RL(3)-RI(3))**2)
C
   Lenth of major axis.
C
       S=(D+RIMP+RLCH)/2.
C
       S=D+RIMP+RLCH
C
   Compute minimum energy flight time.
C
      B=1.-D/S
      C=DSQRT(B)
      TF=DSQRT((S/2.)**3/DMU)*(PI-2.*DASIN(C)+2.*C*DSQRT(1.-B))
      DELTAT=TF-TOLD
      IF (DABS(TOLD-TF) .LT. 1.E-1) GO TO 20
      TOLD=TF
      GO TO 10
 20
      A=S/2.
      VI=DSQRT(2.*(DMU/RLCH-DMU/S))
      SIG=DACOS((RLCH**2+RIMP**2-D**2)/2./RIMP/RLCH)
      GAMI=(PI-SIG)/4.
      E=TAN(GAMI)
C
C Following derivation taken from Escobal, Methods of Orbit
   Determination, p. 197.
C
      ECC1=DACOS((1.-RLCH/A)/E)
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ECC2=2.*PI-DACOS((1.-RIMP/A)/E)

DELTAE=ECC2-ECC1

F=1.-A/RLCH*(1.-DCOS(DELTAE))

G=TF-DSQRT(A**3/DMU)*(DELTAE-DSIN(DELTAE))

DO 30 K=1,3

TRGT(L,K)=RL(K)

TRGT(L,K+3)=(RI(K)-F*RL(K))/G
```

30 CONTINUE

RETURN

```
***
   D17 ***
      DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION DOMEG(SBSSEN)
C
С
  This function calculates the angular rate of motion
   It has been previously written.
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      DIMENSION SBSSEN(2,6),DR(3),DV(3)
      DO 10 I=1,3
         DR(I) = SBSSEN(2,I) - SBSSEN(1,I)
         DV(I) = SBSSEN(2, I+3) - SBSSEN(1, I+3)
 10
      CONTINUE
      DRMAG=DSQRT(DR(1)*DR(1)+DR(2)*DR(2)+DR(3)*DR(3))
      DVMAG=DSQRT(DV(1)*DV(1)+DV(2)*DV(2)+DV(3)*DV(3))
      DRDOTDV=DR(1)*DV(1)+DR(2)*DV(2)+DR(3)*DV(3)
      P=DRDOTDV/DRMAG/DVMAG
      THETA=DASIN(DABS(P))
C
   Rate of apparent motion of target in focal plane
C
      RAM=DVMAG*DCOS(THETA)
      DOMEG=RAM/DRMAG
      RETURN
      END
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*** D18 ***
      DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION INVERF(C)
C
   This function evaluates the inverse error function. It is adapted
   from a previously written function.
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      EXTERNAL ERF
      DOUBLE PRECISION ERF
      DIMENSION Y(7)
     DATA Y/0.0,.842700793,.995322265,.99997910,.999999984,1.0,1.0/
      IF (C .GE. 1.0) THEN
         INVERF=6.0
      ELSEIF (C . LE. 0.0) THEN
         INVERF=0.0
      ELSE
         DO 10 I=1,7
            IF (Y(I)-C) 10,20,30
 10
         CONTINUE
 20
         INVERF=FLOAT(I-1)
         GO TO 50
 30
         XC=I-2
         DO 40 K=1,20
            A=ERF(XC)
            TEMP=XC+(C-A)*(0.886226925*DEXP(XC**2))
            B=ERF(TEMP)
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Z=C-B

XC=TEMP

IF (Z-1.E-10 .LT. 0.0) THEN

INVERF=TEMP

GO TO 50

ENDIF

40 CONTINUE

ENDIF

50 RETURN

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***
    D19 ***
      DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION ERF(W)
C
   This function evaluates the error function. It was previously
C written
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H, 0-Z)
      DIMENSION A(25),B(30)
      DATA A/16443152242714D-13,-9049760497548D-13,643570883797D-13,
             196418177368D-13,-1244215694D-13,-9101941905D-13,
             -1796219835D-13,139836786D-13,164789417D-13,39009267D-13,
     *
             -893145D-13,-3747896D-13,1298818D-13,136773D-13,77107D-13,
     *
             46810D-13,11844D-13,-5D-13,-1384D-13,-652D-13,145D-13,
             10D-13,24D-13,11D-13,2D-13/
      M = 24
      X=DABS(W)
      XERR=1.0
      IF (X .GT. 9.306) THEN
         CERR=1.0-XERR
      ELSEIF (X .GE. 0.010) THEN
         Z=(X-1.0)/(X+1.0)
         DO 10 I=1,30
            B(I)=0.0
 10
         CONTINUE
         DO 20 I=1,M
            M1=(M+1)-I
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B(M1)=2.0*Z*B(M1+1)-B(M1+2)+A(M1+1)

20 CONTINUE

F=-B(2)+Z*B(1)+0.5*A(1)

XERR=1.0-(1.0/1.77245385)*(DEXP(-(X**2)))*F

CERR=1. O-XERR

ELSE

XERR=2.0/(3.0*1.77245385)*X*(3.0-X**2)

CERR=1. O-XERR

ENDIF

IF (W .GE. 0.0) THEN

ERF=XERR

ELSE

ERF=CERR

ENDIF

RETURN

```
*** D20 ***
      SUBROUTINE LOWBND(XX,FLAG,CONVG)
C
   This subroutine evaluates the integral of Ps(Mvs) and returns a value
  of TRUE in FLAG if the integral is sufficiently close to 1 and the
C upper limit of the integral in XX. Flag remains false if the value
C of the integral is not sufficiently close to 1 and less than 1 and
  XX returns the value of the upper limit
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      COMMON/PROB/X,N
      EXTERNAL PS, GAUSS
      DOUBLE PRECISION PS, GAUSS
      DOUBLE PRECISION N
      LOGICAL FLAG, CONVG
      HK=0.
      DO 10 K=0,100
         B=DFLOAT(K)
         VAL=GAUSS(50,PS,B,B+1)
         HK=VAL+HK
         IF (DABS(HK-1.). LT. 0.001) THEN
            XX=DFLOAT(K)
            FLAG=. TRUE.
            RETURN
         ENDIF
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IF (HK .GT. 1.) THEN

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XX=DFLOAT(K-1)

RETURN

ENDIF

IF (DABS(VAL). LT. 0. 1D-15) THEN

XX=DFLOAT(K-1)

FLAG=. TRUE.

CONVG=. TRUE.

RETURN

ENDIF

10 CONTINUE

WRITE(6,*) 'FINAL INTEGRAL VALUE = ',VAL

WRITE(6,*) 'K VALUE EXCEEDED K= ',K

XX=K
```

RETURN

*** D21 ***

DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION GAUSS(NARG, F, A, B)

C

- C This function uses Gaussian Quadrature to evaluate the integral of F
- C from A to B using NARG as the number of values of F to be used. It
- C previsouly written.

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

COMMON/PROB/X,N

DOUBLE PRECISION N

DIMENSION U(71), H(71), IV(17), TCEL(16)

DATA U/. 28867513, 0., . 38729833,

- & .16999052, .43056816, 0., .26923466, .45308992,
- & .11930959,.33060469,.46623476,0.,.20292258,
- & .37076559, .47455396, .09171732, .26276620,
- & .39833324,.48014493,0.,.16212671,.30668572,
- & .41801555, .48408012, .07443717, .21669769, .33970478,
- & .43253168,.48695326,0.,.13477158,.25954806,
- & .36507600,.44353130,.48911433,.06261670,
- & .18391575, .29365898, .38495134, .45205863, .49078032,
- & 0.,.11522916,.22424638,.32117467,
- & .40078905, .45879920, .49209153, .05402747, .15955618,
- & .25762432,.34364645,.41360066,.46421744,.49314190,
- & 0., .10059705, .19707567, .28548609, .36220887, .42410329,
- & .46863670,.49399626,.04750625,.14080178,.22900839,
- & .30893812,.37770220,.43281560,.47228751,.49470047/

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DATA H/.50000000,.44444445,.27777778,
& .32607258, 17392742, 28444444, 23931434, 11846344,
& .23395697, 18038079, 08566225, 20897959, 19091503,
& .13985270, .06474248, .18134189, .15685332, .11119052,
& .05061427, .16511968, .15617354, .13030535, .09032408,
& .04063719, .14776211, .13463336, .10954318, .07472567,
& .03333567, .13646254, .13140227, .11659688, .09314511,
& .06279018,.02783428,.12457352,.11674627,.10158371,
& .08003916,.05346966,.02358767,
& .11627578, .11314159, .10390802,
& .08907299, .06943676, .04606075, .02024200,
& .10763193,.10259923,.09276920,.07860158,.06075929,
& .04007904,.01755973,.10128912,.09921574,.09308050,
& .08313460,.06978534,.05357961,.03518302,.01537662,
& .09472531, .09130171, .08457826, .07479799, .06231449,
& .04757926,.03112676,.01357623/
 DATA IV/0,1,2,4,6,9,12,16,20,25,
& 30,36,42,49,56,64,72/
 DATA ZERO/O./
 I=MIN(16,NARG)
NN=MAX(2,I)
M1=IV(NN)
M2=IV(NN+1)-1
 I=1
 J=M1
 V=U(J)
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241 T=(B-A)*V+(A+B)/2.
     TCEL(I)=F(T)
     IF (I.LT.NN) THEN
        I=I+1
        IF (V. LE. ZERO) THEN
           J=J+1
           V=U(J)
        ELSE
           V=-V
        ENDIF
        GO TO 241
     ELSE
       IF (U(M1). EQ. ZERO) THEN
          S=H(M1)*TCEL(1)
          J=2
       ELSE
          S=H(M1)*(TCEL(1)+TCEL(2))
          J=3
          IF (J. GT. NN) THEN
             GAUSS=(B-A)*S
             RETURN
          ENDIF
       ENDIF
     ENDIF
     I=M1+1
     DO 10 J1=I,M2
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J=J+2

10 CONTINUE

GAUSS=(B-A)*S

RETURN

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*** D22 ***
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SUBROUTINE UPLIMIT(XX,CONV)

C

- C This subroutine is used if LOWBND returns a value of FALSE in FLAG.
- C It uses Newton's Method for convergence in order to get the integral
- C of Ps(Mvs) sufficiently close to 1.

C

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

COMMON/LINE/SLOPE, YCEPT

COMMON/CONST2/XTOL,FTOL,NLIM

COMMON/PROB/X,N

EXTERNAL PS, GAUSS

DOUBLE PRECISION PS, GAUSS

LOGICAL CONV

DOUBLE PRECISION N

CONV=. TRUE.

VAL=GAUSS(50,PS,0.,XX)

PSX=VAL-1.

DO 20 J=1,NLIM

DELP=PSX/PS(XX)

XX=XX-DELP

VAL=GAUSS(50,PS,0.,XX)

PSX=VAL-1.

WRITE(6,*) 'THE LAST VALUE AFTER THE LAST ONE OF THESE'

WRITE(6,*) 'STATEMENTS IS INT PS ', VAL

IF (DABS(DELP). LE. XTOL) RETURN

IF (DABS(PSX). LE. FTOL) RETURN

20 CONTINUE

С

C If NLIM is exceeded CONV returns a value of false

С

CONV=. FALSE.

RETURN

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*** D23 ***
      DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION PS(P)
C
   This function evaluates Ps (the probability of a flip due to star
C presence) at P
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD
      COMMON/LINE/SLOPE, YCEPT
      COMMON/PROB/X,N
      DOUBLE PRECISION M,N,NN
      DIMENSION YA(20),Y(20)
      M=10. **(SLOPE*P+YCEPT)
      M=M/STERSD
C
      WRITE(6,*) '# STARS/PIXEL= ',M/N
      NN=(N-1.)/N
      YA(1)=M
      Y(1)=YA(1)/N*NN**(M-1.)
      PS=Y(1)
      DO 10 J=2,20
         S=DFLOAT(J)
         YA(J)=(M-(S-1.))/S*YA(J-1)
         Y(J)=YA(J)/N**J*NN**(M-S)
         PS=PS+Y(J)
 10
      CONTINUE
      PS=X*PS
```

RETURN

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*** D24 ***
      DOUBLE PRECISION FUNCTION PSNF(P)
C
  This function evaluates Psnf (the probability of a flip due to star
C presence plus readout noise) * Ps at P
C
      IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)
      EXTERNAL PS, ERF
      DOUBLE PRECISION PS, ERF
      COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL
      COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD
      COMMON/INPUTS/D,K,PD,EFF,SDR,GL,PFA,FOV
      COMMON/CALC/PFOV, ARATE, SDEFF, EOT, NT, NO, PFT
      COMMON/LINE/SLOPE, YCEPT
      COMMON/MAG/MVT
      DOUBLE PRECISION NT, NO, MVT
      E=DEXP(-.92*(P-MVT))
      XE=NT*E
      UL=(NO-XE)/(DSQRT(XE+SDR*SDR)*SQRT(2.))
C
      WRITE(6,*) 'AFTER THIS, IGNORE #STARS/PIXEL'
C
      READ(*,*)
      PSNF=PS(P)*0.5*(1.-ERF(UL))
      WRITE(6,*) 'PSNF= ',PSNF,'UL= ',UL
C
      RETURN
      END
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*** D25 ***
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BLOCK DATA

IMPLICIT DOUBLE PRECISION(A-H,O-Z)

COMMON/CONST1/PI,TPI,WL

COMMON/CONST2/XTOL, FTOL, NLIM

COMMON/CONST3/XMNM, RE, DMU, WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG, STERSD

DATA PI, TPI, WL/3. 14159265, 6. 2831853, 0. 5D-6/

DATA XTOL, FTOL, NLIM/. 00001, 00001, 100/

DATA XMNM, RE, DMU/1852., 6371000., 3.981D14/

DATA WE, DEGRAD, RADDEG/7. 292115856D-5, 1. 74532925D-2, 57. 29577958/

DATA STERSD/3.04617424D-4/

END

C

C ****************** End of Program **************

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