

## ANNEX O

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#### Formulas Used in Computing Free-Air and Bouguer Anomalies

##### 1. Symbology

Symbol	Definition	Units
$g_f$	Free-Air Anomaly	milligals
$g_b$	Bouguer Anomaly	milligals
$\phi$	Latitude of Observation	degrees, minutes
$\gamma$	Theoretical Gravity	milligals
$g_o$	Observed Gravity	milligals
$h$	Elevation (Col 23-29) of surface of land, ice or water; depth of ocean, (positive downward) elevation types 3, 4, and 5. + = above SL; - = below SL.	meters
$d$	Supplemental Elevation (Col 31-35) = Depth of Ocean, lake, ice or instrument (positive downward)	meters

##### 2. Theoretical Gravity Computation

Using the International Gravity Formula 1967

$$\gamma = C_1 (1 + C_2 \sin^2 \phi + C_3 \sin^4 \phi)$$

where:  $C_1 = 978031.85$  mgals

$C_2 = 0.005278895$

$C_3 = 0.000 023462$

### 3. Anomaly Computations

$$b = \text{Bouguer Correction Factor}$$
$$= 2 \pi k_p \rho = 0.04191 \rho$$

$\rho$  = Density Used in Computations

Substance	$\rho$	$b = 2\pi k_p \rho$
Fresh Water	1.0	0.04191
Salt Water	1.027	0.04304
Ice	0.917	0.03843
Land	2.67	0.1119
Land-Fresh Water	1.67	0.06999
Land-Salt Water	1.643	0.06886
Land and Ice	1.753	0.07347

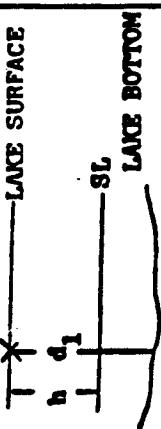
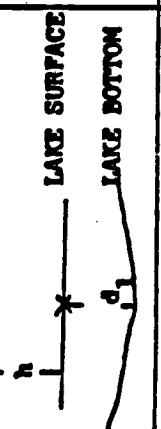
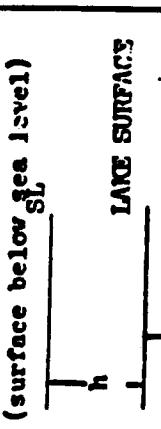
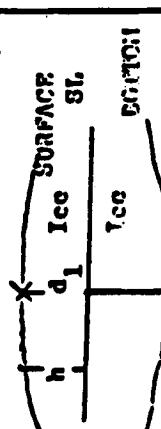
ANOMALY COMPUTATION CHART (p. 1)

Elev. Type Col. 21	SITUATION	FREE-AIR ANOMALY COMPUTATION	BOUGUER ANOMALY COMPUTATION
1	LAND OBSERVATION	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.3086h - \gamma$	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.1119h$
2	SUBSURFACE	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.2238d_2 + 0.3086(h-d_2) - \gamma$ <u>NOTE:</u> $d_2$ = depth of instrument	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.1119h$
3	OCEAN SURFACE	$\Delta g_f = g - \gamma$	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f + 0.06886h$ <u>NOTE:</u> $h$ = depth of ocean positive downward from surface
4	OCEAN SUBMERGED	$\Delta g_f = g - 0.2225d_2 - \gamma$ <u>NOTE:</u> $d_2$ = depth of instrument positive downward	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f + 0.06886h$ <u>NOTE:</u> $h$ = depth of ocean positive downward

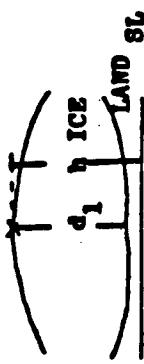
ANOMALY COMPUTATION CHART (P. 2)

Situation Situ. Type Col. 2)	Free-Air Anomaly Computation	Longer Anomaly Computation
5 OCEAN BOTTOM	$\Delta g_f = g - 0.22254_1 - \gamma$ <u>Note:</u> $d_1$ = depth of ocean positive	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f + 0.06864_1$
6 LAKE SURFACE (above sea level)	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.30866_1 - \gamma$ <u>Note:</u> $d_1$ = depth of lake positive	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.041914_1 - \gamma$
7 LAKE BOTTOM (above sea level)	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.083824_1 + 0.3086(h-d_1) - \gamma$	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.041914_1 - 0.1119(h-d_1) - \gamma$
8 LAKE BOTTOM (below sea level)	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.083824_1 + 0.3086(h-d_1) - \gamma$	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.041914_1 - 0.06864_1 - \gamma$

**ANOMALY COMPUTATION CHART (P. 3)**

Elev. Type Col. 21	SITUATION	FREE-AIR ANOMALY COMPUTATION	BOUGUER ANOMALY COMPUTATION
9	LAKE SURFACE (above sea level) with bottom below sea level 	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.3086h - \gamma$  $\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.04191h - 0.06999(h-d_1)$	
A	LAKE SURFACE (below sea level) 	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.3086h - \gamma$  $\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.1119h + 0.06999d_1$  <u>NOTE:</u> $d_1$ = depth of lake positive downward	
B	LAKE BOTTOM (surface below sea level) 	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.3086h - 0.2248d_1 - \gamma$  <u>NOTE:</u> $d_1$ = depth of lake positive downward	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.1119h + 0.06999d_1$
C	ICE CAP (bottom below sea level) 	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.3086h - \gamma$	$\Delta g_B = \Delta g_f - 0.03813h - 0.07347(h-d_1)$  <u>NOTE:</u> $d_1$ = depth of ice positive downward

ANOMALY COMPUTATION CHART (p. b)

Elev. Type col.21	SITUATION	FREE-AIR ANOMALY COMPUTATION	BOUGUER ANOMALY COMPUTATION
D	ICE CAP (bottom above sea level)	$\Delta g_f = g + 0.3086h - \gamma$ 	$\Delta g_b = \Delta g_f - 0.03843d_1 - 0.1119(h-d_1)$ <u>NOTE:</u> $d_1$ = depth of ice