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## 1 SCOPE

This document describes the formats for the files used by the ENVISAT-1 Mission CFI Software.

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## 2 ACRONYMS AND NOMENCLATURE

### 2.1 Acronyms

AOCS	Attitude and Orbit Control System
ANX	Ascending Node Crossing
CFI	Customer Furnished Item
CS	Coordinate System
DRS	Data Relay Satellite
ESA	European Space Agency
ESTEC	European Space Technology and Research Centre
FOS	Flight Operation Segment
GS	Ground Station
H/W	Hardware
I/F	Interface
K-V	Keyword-Value
LOS	Line Of Sight
PPF	Polar Platform
RAM	Random Access Memory
SBT	Satellite Binary Time
SOBM	Sun Occultation By Moon
SUM	Software User Manual
S/W	Software
SZA	Sun Zenith Angle
UTC	Universal Time Coordinated
UT1	Universal Time UT1
SSP	Sub Satellite Point

### 2.2 Nomenclature

<i>CFI</i>	A group of CFI functions, and related software and documentation, that will be distributed by ESA to the users as an independent unit
<i>CFI function</i>	A single function within a CFI that can be called by the user
<i>Library</i>	A software library containing all the CFI functions included within a CFI plus the supporting functions used by those CFI functions (transparently to the user)

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## 3 APPLICABLE AND REFERENCE DOCUMENTS

### 3.1 Applicable documents

AD 1 ESA Software Engineering Standards. ESA PSS-05-0. ESA. Issue 2. February 1991

### 3.2 Reference documents

- RD 1 Envisat-1 Mission CFI Software Description and Interface Definition Document. PO-ID-ESA-SY-00412
- RD 2 Envisat-1 Mission CFI Software. Mission Conventions Document. PO-IS-GMV-GS-0561
- RD 3 Envisat-1 Mission CFI Software General Software User Manual. PO-IS-DMS-GS-0556

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## 4 FILES FORMAT SPECIFICATION

This section presents the formats for all the files used by the ENVISAT CFI software.

The files used by the CFI can be:

- External: Files generated and/or used for the CFI software and other external facilities.
- Internal: Files used only in the CFI as data.

All internal files are written in ASCII with Keyword-Value format. Following the usual format for the ENVISAT Files, the file can contain:

- A fixed header: The format for the fixed header is common to all ENVISAT Files and always contain the same data (see section 4.1).
- Optionally it can contain a variable header.
- A data block containing the input/output data for the functions.

The following sections describe the format for all ENVISAT mission files, but in general, the structure of a file will be:

```
FILE ; ENVISAT file
;-----
RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header

FILENAME="an_envisat_file.txt"

DESTINATION="PDS,FOS"
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD xxx_vhr ; Variable Header

[...]

ENDRECORD xxx_vhr
;-----

[ data block ]
;-----

ENDFILE
```

### 4.1 Fixed Header

#### 4.1.1 Format

The Fixed Header is a K-V record. Many of its fields are redundant with the File Name elements, but are present in more readable form in the Fixed Header, whereas in File Name they are more compact for obvious reasons. Its format is described in the followig table:

**Table 1: Fixed header format**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILENAME=</b>	keyword	9	string	%4s
	filename			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>DESTINATION=</b>	keyword	12	string	%4s
	destination			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>PHASE_START=</b>	keyword	12	string	%4s
	phase start		4	+xxx	%+04ld
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>CYCLE_START=</b>	keyword	12	string	%4s
	cycle start		4	+xxx	%+04ld
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>REL_START_ORBIT=</b>	keyword	16	string	%4s
	relative start orbit		6	+xxxxx	%+06ld
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>ABS_START_ORBIT=</b>	keyword	16	string	%4s
	absolute start orbit		6	+xxxxx	%+06ld
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.1.2 Example

```

RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header

FILENAME="MPL_GND_DBTRGT19970515_120000_00000000_00000000_19950101_000000_20100101_000000.N1"
DESTINATION="PDS,FOS "
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr

```

## 4.2 FOS Predicted orbit file

**Table 2: FOS Predicted orbit file**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; FOS Predicted Orbit file newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fos_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>fos_vhr (see section 4.2.1)</b>				
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fos_vhr</b> newline character ; Variable Header	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
		comment		string	%s
8	<b>Data block (see section 4.2.2)</b>				

#### 4.2.1 FOS Predicted Orbit File. Variable Header

Table 3: FOS Predicted Orbit File. Variable Header.

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>START_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  start_time  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>STOP_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  stop_time  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>LEAP_UTC=</b>  quotation mark  leap_utc  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>LEAP_SIGN=</b>  leap_sign  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			6	+xxxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>RECORD_SIZE=</b>  record_size  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			6	+xxxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>NUM_REC=</b>  num_rec  newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			6	+xxxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.2.2 FOS Predicted Orbit File Data Block

The data block does not follow the keyword value structure. It is formed by a list of state vectors arranged in lines. Each line contains the data with the following format:

**Table 4: FOS Predicted file. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	UTC date		27	string	%27s
2	blank space		1	string	%1s
3	Delta UT1		8	+.xxxxxx	%f
4	blank space		1	string	%1s
5	Absolute orbit		6	+xxxxxx	%d
6	blank space		1	string	%1s
7	Position X		12	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+12.3f
8	blank space		1	string	%1s
9	Position Y		12	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+12.3f
10	blank space		1	string	%1s
11	Position Z		12	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+12.3f
12	blank space		1	string	%1s
13	Velocity X		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+12.6f
14	blank space		1	string	%1s
15	Velocity Y		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+12.6f
16	blank space		1	string	%1s
17	Velocity Z		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+12.6f
18	blank space		1	string	%1s
19	Quality		6	string	%6s
20	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.2.3 Example

```

FILE ;FOS Predicted Orbit File
;-----
RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header

FILENAME="AUX_FPO_AXTFOS19980820_071856_00000000_00000001_19990320_194232_19990327_105531.N1"

DESTINATION="....."
PHASE_START=+001

```

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```
CYCLE_START=+001
REL_START_ORBIT=+00001
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD fos_vhr ; Variable Header

START_TIME="21-MAR-1999 22:00:05.193000"
STOP_TIME="26-MAR-1999 19:21:09.901000"

LEAP_UTC="00-JAN-2000 00:00:00.000000"
LEAP_SIGN=+00000

RECORD_SIZE=+00129 ; includes newline character
NUM_REC=+00071

ENDRECORD fos_vhr
;-----
21-MAR-1999 22:00:05.193000 +.500000 +00000 +7165345.243 +0000559.365 +0000004.193 -0008.567013
-1631.450004 +7377.279119 QQQQQQ
21-MAR-1999 23:40:41.184000 +.500000 +00001 +6486309.722 -3044730.157 +0000487.568 -0701.614621
-1472.889214 +7377.241591 QQQQQQ
[...]
26-MAR-1999 19:21:09.901000 +.500000 +00070 +5509926.155 +4580015.134 -0001332.446 +1037.033011
-1258.676060 +7377.187678 QQQQQQ
```

## 4.3 FOS Restituted Orbit File

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>PRODUCT=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>filename</b>	keyword		string	%s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>PROC_STAGE=</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	<b>procedure</b>		1	string	%1s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>REF_DOC=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>reference document</b>		7	string	%7s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>ACQUISITION_STATION=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>reference document</b>		20	string	%20s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>PROC_CENTER=</b>	keyword	12	string	%12s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>processing center</b>		6	string	%6s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>SOFTWARE_VER=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>software version</b>		27	string	%27s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
10	<b>SENSING_START=</b>  quotation mark  <b>sensing start</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	14	string	%14s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
11	<b>SENSING_STOP=</b>  quotation mark  <b>sensing stop</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
12	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
13	<b>PHASE=</b>  <b>phase</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		terminator	1	string	\n
14	<b>CYCLE=</b>  <b>cycle number</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%+03
		terminator	1	string	\n
15	<b>REL_ORBIT=</b>  <b>relative orbit</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			6	+xxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
16	<b>ABS_ORBIT=</b>  <b>absolute orbit</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			6	+xxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
17	<b>STATE_VECTOR_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  <b>state vector time</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	18	string	%18s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
18	<b>DELTA_UT1=</b> <b>delta UT1</b> <b>&lt;s&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			8	+xxxxxx	%+8.6f
		units	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
19	<b>X_POSITION=</b> <b>positon (x coordinate)</b> <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%12.3f
		units	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
20	<b>Y_POSITION=</b> <b>positon (y coordinate)</b> <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%12.3f
		units	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
21	<b>Z_POSITION=</b> <b>positon (z coordinate)</b> <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%12.3f
		units	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
22	<b>X_VELOCITY=</b> <b>velocity (x coordinate)</b> <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%12.6f
		units	5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n
23	<b>Y_VELOCITY=</b> <b>velocity (y coordinate)</b> <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%12.6f
		units	5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n
14	<b>Z_VELOCITY=</b> <b>velocity (z coordinate)</b> <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b> newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%12.6f
		units	5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
15	<b>VECTOR_SOURCE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>vector source</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword  -  -  terminator	14 1 2 1 1	string string string string string	%14s \"% %2s \"% \n
16	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
17	<b>UTC_SBT_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  <b>UTC satellite binary time</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword  -  -  terminator	13 1 27 1	string string string string	%13s \"% %27s \"% \n
18	<b>SAT_BINARY_TIME=</b>  <b>satellite binary time</b>  newline character	keyword  -  terminator	16 11 1	string +xxxxxxxxxx string	%16s %+11f \n
19	<b>CLOCK_STEP=</b>  <b>clock step</b>  <b>&lt;ps&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword  -  -  terminator	6 11 4 1	string +xxxxxxxxxx string string	%6s %11f %4s \n
20	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
21	<b>LEAP_UTC=</b>  quotation mark  <b>UTC time before the leap second</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword  -  -  terminator	9 1 27 1	string string string string	%9s \"% %27s \"% \n
22	<b>LEAP_SIGN=</b>  <b>leap second sign</b>  newline character	keyword  -  terminator	10 4 1	string +xxx string	%10s %4d \n
23	<b>LEAP_ERR=</b>  <b>leap error</b>  newline character	keyword  -  terminator	9 1 1	string string string	%9s %1s \n
24	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
25	<b>PRODUCT_ERR=</b>  product error  <ps>  newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
			1	string	%1s
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
26	<b>TOT_SIZE=</b>  total size  <bytes>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			20	+x (*20)	%20d
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
27	<b>SPH_SIZE=</b>  SPH size  <bytes>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
28	<b>NUM_DSD=</b>  Number of DSD  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
		terminator	1	string	\n
29	<b>DSD_SIZE=</b>  DSD size  <bytes>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
30	<b>NUM_DATA_SETS=</b>  Number of data sets  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
		terminator	1	string	\n
31	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
32	<b>SPH_DESCRIPTOR=</b>  quotation mark  <b>SPH Descriptor</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
33	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
34	<b>DS_NAME=</b> quotation mark <b>DS name</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
35	<b>DS_TYPE=</b> <b>DS type</b> newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
			1	string	%1s
		terminator	1	string	\n
36	<b>FILENAME=</b> quotation mark <b>filename</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		-	1	string	\"
			62	string	%62s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
37	<b>DS_OFFSET=</b> quotation mark <b>DS offset</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
			20	string	%20s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
38	<b>DS_SIZE=</b> quotation mark <b>DS size</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			20	string	%20s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
39	<b>NUM_DSR=</b> quotation mark <b>Number of DSR</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 5: FOS Restituted Orbit File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
40	<b>DSR_SIZE=</b> quotation mark <b>DSR size</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		-	1	string	\"
			10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
41	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
42	<b>Data block (see section 4.3.1)</b>				

#### 4.3.1 FOS Restituted File Data Block

The data block does not follow the keyword value structure. It is formed by a list of state vectors arranged in lines. Each line contains the data with the following format:

**Table 6: FOS Restituted file. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	UTC date		27	string	%27s
2	blank space		1	string	%1s
3	Delta UT1		8	+.xxxxxx	%f
4	blank space		1	string	%1s
5	Absolute orbit		6	+xxxxxx	%d
6	blank space		1	string	%1s
7	Position X		12	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+12.3f
8	blank space		1	string	%1s
9	Position Y		12	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+12.3f
10	blank space		1	string	%1s
11	Position Z		12	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+12.3f
12	blank space		1	string	%1s
13	Velocity X		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+12.6f
14	blank space		1	string	%1s
15	Velocity Y		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+12.6f
16	blank space		1	string	%1s

**Table 6: FOS Restituted file. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
17	Velocity Z		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+12.6f
18	blank space		1	string	%1s
19	Quality		6	string	%6s
20	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.3.2 Example

```

PRODUCT="FOS_RESTITUTED_FILE.N1"
PROC_STAGE=T
REF_DOC="PO-RS-MDA-GS-2009_3/A"

ACQUISITION_STATION="FOS-ES"
PROC_CENTER="FOS-ES"
PROC_TIME="12-APR-1993 21:55:00.000000"
SOFTWARE_VER="-----"

SENSING_START="11-APR-1993 01:05:00.000000"
SENSING_STOP="11-APR-1993 22:51:00.000000"

PHASE=A
CYCLE=+018
REL_ORBIT=+00062
ABS_ORBIT=+09080
STATE_VECTOR_TIME="11-APR-1993 01:05:00.000000"
DELTA_UT1=-.300000<s>
X_POSITION=+4791268.310<m>
Y_POSITION=-5314177.402<m>
Z_POSITION=+0377784.560<m>
X_VELOCITY=-1477.354005<m/s>
Y_VELOCITY=-0796.173445<m/s>
Z_VELOCITY=+7366.695184<m/s>
VECTOR_SOURCE="FR"

UTC_SBT_TIME="DD-MMM-YYYY HH:MM:SS.mmmmmm"
SAT_BINARY_TIME=+xxxxxxxxxx
CLOCK_STEP=+xxxxxxxxxx<ps>

LEAP_UTC="DD-MMM-YYYY 00:00:00.000000"
LEAP_SIGN=+001
LEAP_ERR=0

PRODUCT_ERR=0
TOT_SIZE=+000000000000000170228<bytes>
SPH_SIZE=+0000000378<bytes>

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```
NUM_DSD=+0000000001
DSD_SIZE=+0000000280<bytes>
NUM_DATA_SETS=+0000000001
```

```
SPH_DESCRIPTOR="FOS Restituted Orbit"
DS_NAME="FOS Restituted Orbit"
DS_TYPE=G
FILENAME="-----"
DS_OFFSET=+00000000000000001625<bytes>
DS_SIZE=+000000000000000168603<bytes>
NUM_DSR=+0000001307
DSR_SIZE=+0000000129<bytes>
```

```
11-APR-1993 01:05:00.000000 -.300000 +09080 +4791268.310 -5314177.402 +0377784.560 -1477.354005
-0796.173445 +7366.695184 QQQQQQ
[...]
11-APR-1993 22:49:00.000000 -.300000 +09092 +6897673.881 -1457761.954 -1289087.563 +0951.403910
-1876.626075 +7253.870468 QQQQQQ
11-APR-1993 22:50:00.000000 -.300000 +09092 +6940847.237 -1567666.016 -0851617.979 +0487.352580
-1784.975099 +7323.697464 QQQQQQ
11-APR-1993 22:51:00.000000 -.300000 +09092 +6956132.713 -1671738.380 -0410816.656 +0022.127435
-1682.297302 +7364.889082 QQQQQQ
```

## 4.4 Orbit Scenario File

**Table 7: Orbit Scenario file**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; Orbit Scenario file newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>osf_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.4.1)</b>				
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>osf_vhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	; Variable Header	comment		string	%s
9	<b>Data block (see section 4.4.2)</b>				
10	<b>ENDFILE</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s

#### 4.4.1 OSF Variable header

**Table 8: Orbit Scenario file. Variable header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>PHASE_STOP=</b>  <b>phase stop</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%0+4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>CYCLE_STOP=</b>  <b>cycle stop</b>  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			4	+xxx	%0+4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>REL_STOP_ORBIT=</b>  <b>relative stop orbit</b>  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
			6	+xxxxx	%0+6d
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>ABS_STOP_ORBIT=</b>  <b>absolute stop orbit</b>  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			6	+xxxxx	%0+6d
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>NUM_SZA=</b>  <b>number of SZA</b>  newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
			4	+xxx	%0+4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>NUM_ORBIT_CHANGES=</b>  <b>number of orbit changes</b>  newline character	keyword	18	string	%18s
			4	+xxx	%0+4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>OSF_VERSION=</b>  quotation mark  <b>version number of OSF type</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
		-	1	string	\"
			3	xx	%02d
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
10	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

## 4.4.2 Data Block

**Table 9: Orbit Scenario file. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b> blank space <b>num_sza=</b> <b>number of Sun zenith angles</b> blank space <b>; Sun Zenith Angles</b> newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	8	string	%8s
			3	xxx	%03d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	list of SZA (see format below) all separated by empty lines				
3	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>ENDLIST</b> blank space <b>num_sza</b> newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>LIST</b> blank space <b>num_osf_rec=</b> <b>number of orbit changes</b> blank space <b>; orbit changes</b> newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	11	string	%11s
			3	xxx	%3d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	list of orbit changes (see table 11) all separated by empty lines				
7	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDLIST</b> blank space <b>num_osf_rec</b> newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	11	string	%11s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 10: Orbit Scenario file. SZA**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>SZA=</b>  <b>Sun zenith angle</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			8	+xxx.xxx	%0+8.3f
		unit	5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 11: Orbit Scenario file. Orbit changes**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>osf_rec</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>orbit:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
3	<b>ABS=</b>  <b>absolute orbit</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			6	+xxxxxx	%+06ld
			1	string	%1s
4	<b>REL=</b>  <b>relative orbit</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			6	+xxxxxx	%+06ld
			1	string	%1s
5	<b>CYCLE=</b>  <b>cycle</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			4	+xxx	%+04ld
			1	string	%1s
6	<b>PHASE=</b>  <b>phase</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%+04ld
			1	string	%1s

**Table 11: Orbit Scenario file. Orbit changes**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>cycle:</b> blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	6	string	%+06ld
			1	string	%1s
9	<b>DAYs=</b> <b>cycle duration</b> blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			4	+xxx	%+04ld
			1	string	%1s
10	<b>ORBITS=</b> <b>cycle length</b> blank space	keyword	7	string	%7s
			6	+xxxxx	%+06ld
			1	string	%1s
11	<b>ANX_LONG=</b> <b>ANX longitude</b> blank space <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	9	string	%9s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
			1	string	%1s
		unit	5	string	%5s
			1	string	%1s
12	<b>MLST=</b> quotation mark <b>mlst</b> quotation mark blank space	keyword	5	string	%5s
		-	1	string	\"
			15	string	%15s
		-	1	string	\"
			1	string	%1s
13	<b>ENDRECORD</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n
14	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>mlst_curve:</b> blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	11	string	%11s
			1	string	%1s

**Table 11: Orbit Scenario file. Orbit changes**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
15	<b>MLST_LINEAR=</b>  MLST_linear  <sec/year>  blank space	keyword	12	string	%12s
			4	+xxxx.xxx	%+09.3f
		unit	10	string	%10s
			1	string	%1s
16	<b>MLST_QUADRATIC=</b>  MLST quadratic  <sec/year2>  blank space	keyword	15	string	%15s
			3	+xxxx.xxx	%+09.3f
		unit	11	string	%11s
			1	string	%1s
17	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n
18	<b>LIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_harm=</b>  <b>number of harmonics</b>  blank space  ; <b>MLST harmonics</b>  newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	9	string	%9s
			2	xx	%02d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
19	list of harmonics (see table 12)				
20	<b>ENDLIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_harm</b>  newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n
21	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>anx_time:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
22	<b>UTC=</b>  <b>UTC ANX date</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			27	string	%27s
			1	string	%1s
23	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 11: Orbit Scenario file. Orbit changes**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
24	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  blank space  <b>osf_rec</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 12: Orbit Scenario file. MLST harmonics**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>harm:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	5	string	%5s
			1	string	%1s
2	<b>DATE=</b>  <b>date</b>  blank space	keyword	5	string	%5s
			13	string	%13s
			1	string	%1s
3	<b>PERIOD=</b>  <b>period</b>  blank space  <b>&lt;days&gt;</b>  blank space	keyword	7	string	%7s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
			1	string	%1s
		unit	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
4	<b>AMP_SIN=</b>  <b>Amplitude for sine coefficient</b>  blank space  <b>&lt;sec&gt;</b>  blank space	keyword	8	string	%8s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
			1	string	%1s
		unit	8	string	%8s
			1	string	%1s

**Table 12: Orbit Scenario file. MLST harmonics**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
5	<b>AMP_COS=</b>  Amplitude for cosine coefficient  blank space  <sec>  blank space	keyword	8	string	%8s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
			1	string	%1s
		unit	8	string	%8s
			1	string	%1s
6	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.4.3 Example

```

RECORD fhr ;Fixed Header

FILENAME="MPS_ORB_SCTEMM19970829_093100_00000000_00000000_19970101_000000_20991231_000000.N1"
DESTINATION="          TBD"
PHASE_START=+001
CYCLE_START=+001
REL_START_ORBIT=+00001
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00270

ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD osf_vhr ;Variable Header

PHASE_STOP=+004
CYCLE_STOP=+086
REL_STOP_ORBIT=+00501
ABS_STOP_ORBIT=+14000

NUM_SZA=+002
NUM_ORBIT_CHANGES=+005

OSF_VERSION="03"

ENDRECORD osf_vhr
;-----
LIST num_sza=002 ;Sun Zenith Angles

SZA=+090.000<deg>
SZA=+080.000<deg>

ENDLIST num_sza
;-----
LIST num_osf_rec=004 ;Orbit Changes

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```

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD      orbit: ABS=+00270 REL=+00001 CYCLE=+001 PHASE=+001 ENDRECORD
  RECORD      cycle: DAYS=+035 ORBITS=+00501 ANX_LONG=+000.133500<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" ENDRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0000.000<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=+0000.000<sec/year2> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="18-AUG-1999 21:59:29.967155" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD      orbit: ABS=+03004 REL=+00001 CYCLE=+007 PHASE=+002 ENDRECORD
  RECORD      cycle: DAYS=+003 ORBITS=+00043 ANX_LONG=+000.860000<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" ENDRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0000.000<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=+0000.000<sec/year2> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="25-FEB-2000 21:56:35.714669" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD      orbit: ABS=+05713 REL=+00230 CYCLE=+070 PHASE=+003 ENDRECORD
  RECORD      cycle: DAYS=+035 ORBITS=+00501 ANX_LONG=+000.851828<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" ENDRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0000.000<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=+0000.000<sec/year2> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="01-SEP-2000 21:56:37.777146" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD      orbit: ABS=+45245 REL=+00120 CYCLE=+070 PHASE=+004 ENDRECORD
  RECORD      cycle: DAYS=+030 ORBITS=+00431 ANX_LONG=+000.000000<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" ENDRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0730.950<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=-0228.000<sec/year2> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=02
    RECORD DATE="01-JAN-2000" PERIOD=+365.250000<days> AMP_SIN=+001.650000<sec>
    AMP_COS=+005.350000<sec> ENDRECORD
    RECORD DATE="01-JAN-2000" PERIOD=+365.250000<days> AMP_SIN=+000.740000<sec> AMP_COS=-
    000.770000<sec> ENDRECORD
    ENDLIST num_harm
    RECORD anx_time: UTC="25-OCT-2010 22:00:00.000000" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

ENDLIST num_osf_rec
;-----
ENDFILE

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## 4.5 Orbit Event file

**Table 13: Orbit Event File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; Orbit Event file newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>oef_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.5.1)</b>				
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>oef_vhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	; Variable Header	comment		string	%s
9	<b>Data block (see section 4.5.2)</b>				
10	<b>ENDFILE</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s

#### 4.5.1 Orbit Event File. Variable Header.

Table 14: Orbit Event File. Variable Header

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>PHASE_STOP=</b>  phase stop  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%0+4ld
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>CYCLE_STOP=</b>  cycle stop  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			4	+xxx	%0+4ld
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>REL_STOP_ORBIT=</b>  relative stop orbit  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
			6	+xxxxx	%0+6ld
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>ABS_STOP_ORBIT=</b>  absolute stop orbit  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			6	+xxxxx	%0+6ld
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>ORBIT_SCENARIO_FILE=</b>  OSF filename  newline character	keyword	20	string	%20s
				string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>NUM_ORBIT_CHANGES=</b>  number of orbit changes  newline character	keyword	18	string	%18s
			4	+xxx	%0+4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>NUM_SUN_OCC_BY_MOON=</b>  number of Sun occultations by the Moon  newline character	keyword	20	string	%20s
			4	+xxx	%0+4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>NUM_ORBITS=</b>  number of orbits  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			6	+xxxxx	%0+6ld
		terminator	1	string	\n
10	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 14: Orbit Event File. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
11	<b>OSF_VERSION=</b> quotation mark <b>version number of OSF type</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
		-	1	string	\"
			3	xx	%02d
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
12	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.5.2 Data Block

**Table 15: Orbit Event File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b> blank space <b>num_osf_rec=</b> <b>number of orbit changes</b> blank space <b>; orbit changes</b> newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	11	string	%11s
			3	xxx	%3d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	list of orbit changes(see table 11)				
3	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>ENDLIST</b> blank space <b>num_osf_rec</b> newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	11	string	%11s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 15: Orbit Event File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
5	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_sun_occ_by_moon=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	<b>Number of sun_occ_by_moon records</b>		3	xxx	%03ld
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Sun occultations by Moon</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	list of sun occultations(see table 16)				
7	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_sun_occ_by_moon</b>	keyword	19	string	%19s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_oef_rec=</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	<b>Number of oef_rec records</b>		5	xxxxx	%05ld
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Orbit Records</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	list of orbit event records(see table 17)				
7	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_oef_rec</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 16: Orbit Event File. Sun occultations by Moon**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>sun_occ_by_moon</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
			1	string	%1s
2	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
4	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>entry:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
5	<b>ABS_ORBIT=</b>  <b>Entry absolute orbit</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			6	+xxxxx	%+06ld
			1	string	%1s
5	<b>TIME=</b>  <b>Entry time since ANX</b>  <s>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			20	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+012.6f
		unit	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
6	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
7	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
4	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>exit:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
5	<b>ABS_ORBIT=</b>  <b>exit absolute orbit</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			4	+xxxxx	%+06ld
			1	string	%1s

**Table 16: Orbit Event File. Sun occultations by Moon**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
6	<b>TIME=</b>  <b>exit time since ANX</b>  <b>&lt;s&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			20	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+012.6f
		unit	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
8	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  blank space  <b>sun_occ_by_moon</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>oef_rec</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
			1	string	%1s
2	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
4	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>orbit:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
5	<b>ABS=</b>  <b>Absolute orbit number</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			6	+xxxxxx	%0+6ld
			1	string	%1s
6	<b>REL=</b>  <b>Relative orbit number</b>  blank space	keyword	4	string	%4s
			6	+xxxxxx	%0+6ld
			1	string	%1s

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
7	<b>CYCLE=</b>  Cycle number  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%0+4ld
			1	string	%1s
8	<b>PHASE=</b>  Phase number  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%0+4ld
			1	string	%1s
9	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
10	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
12	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>cycle:</b>  blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
13	<b>DAYS=</b>  Days per cycle  blank space	keyword	5	string	%5s
			4	+xxx	%0+4ld
			1	string	%1s
14	<b>ORBITS=</b>  Orbits per cycle  blank space	keyword	7	string	%7s
			6	+xxx	%0+6ld
			1	string	%1s
15	<b>ANX_LONG=</b>  Longitude at ANX  <deg>  blank space	keyword	9	string	%9s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%0+11.6f
		unit	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
16	<b>MLST=</b>  “  Mean local solar time  “  blank space	keyword	5	string	%5s
		quotation mark	1	string	%s
			15	string	%15s
		quotation mark	1	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
17	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
18	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
19	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
20	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>drift:</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
21	<b>MLST_DRIFT=</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	<b>Mean local solar time drift</b>		12	+xxxxxx.xxxxxx	%0+12.6f
	<b>&lt;sec/day&gt;</b>	units	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
22	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
23	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
24	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
25	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>anx_time:</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
26	<b>UTC=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	"	quotation mark	1	string	%s
	<b>UTC date (dd-MMM-yyyy hh:mm:ss.ssssss)</b>		27	string	%27s
	"	quotation mark	1	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
27	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
28	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
29	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
30	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>anx_pos:</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
31	<b>X=</b> <b>Position X-coordinate</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%0+12.3f
		units	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
32	<b>Y=</b> <b>Position Y-coordinate</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%0+12.3f
		units	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
33	<b>Z=</b> <b>Position Z-coordinate</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			12	+xxxxxxxxxxx	%0+12.3f
		units	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
34	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
35	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
36	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
37	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space <b>anx_vel:</b> blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	8	string	%8s
			1	string	%1s
38	<b>VX=</b> <b>Velocity X-coordinate</b>  <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	3	string	%3s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
39	<b>VY=</b> <b>Velocity Y-coordinate</b>  <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	3	string	%3s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
40	<b>VZ=</b> <b>Velocity Z-coordinate</b>  <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	3	string	%3s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
41	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
42	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
43	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
44	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space <b>kepler:</b> blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
45	<b>A=</b> <b>Semi-major axis</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.fff	%0+12.3f
		units	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
46	<b>E=</b> <b>Eccentricity</b>  blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			12	+x.xxxxxxxxx	%0+12.9f
			1	string	%1s
47	<b>I=</b> <b>Inclination</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%0+11.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
48	<b>RA=</b> <b>Right ascension of the ANX</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	3	string	%3s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%0+11.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
49	<b>AP=</b> <b>Argument of perigee</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	3	string	%3s
			11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+11.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
50	<b>M=</b> <b>Mean anomaly</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	2	string	%2s
			11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+11.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
51	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
52	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
53	tab	terminator	1	string	\t
54	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>eclipse:</b> blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	8	string	%8s
			1	string	%1s
55	<b>EXIT=</b> <b>eclipse exit time</b>  <b>&lt;s&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	5	string	%5s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		units	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
56	<b>ENTRY=</b> <b>eclipse exit time</b>  <b>&lt;s&gt;</b> blank space	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		units	5	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
57	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
58	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
59	tab	terminator	1	string	\t

**Table 17: Orbit Event File. Orbit Event Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
60	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_sza=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>Number of sza records</b>		3	xxx	%03ld
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; time of reaching specific Sun Zenith Angles</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
61	list of sun zenith angles records(see table 18)				
62	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
63	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_sza</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
64	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>oef_rec</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 18: Orbit Event file. Sun-Zenith angle records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>sza:</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
2	<b>SZA=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Sun-Zenith angle</b>		8	+xxx.xxx	%0+8.3f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s

**Table 18: Orbit Event file. Sun-Zenith angle records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
3	<b>DOWN=</b>  Time at SZA down  <s> blank space	keyword	5	string	%5s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		unit	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
4	<b>UP=</b>  Time at SZA up  <s> blank space	keyword	3	string	%3s
			12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%0+12.6f
		unit	3	string	%s
			1	string	%1s
6	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
7	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.5.3 Example

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FILE ; Reference Orbit Event File
;-----
RECORD fhr ; Fixed header

FILENAME="MPL_ORB_EVVRGT20051004_174620_00000000_00000008_20060102_215929_20070402_234005.N1"
DESTINATION="PDCC,MUL "
PHASE_START=+002
CYCLE_START=+044
REL_START_ORBIT=+00001
ABS_START_ORBIT=+20095

ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD oef_vhr ; Variable header
PHASE_STOP=+002
CYCLE_STOP=+057
REL_STOP_ORBIT=+00001
ABS_STOP_ORBIT=+26608
ORBIT_SCENARIO_FILE="MPL_ORB_SCV.N1"
NUM_ORBIT_CHANGES=+003
NUM_SUN_OCC_BY_MOON=+009
NUM_ORBITS=+06514

OSF_VERSION="03"

ENDRECORD oef_vhr
;-----
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LIST num\_osf\_rec=004

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RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD orbit: ABS=+00001 REL=+00462 CYCLE=+001 PHASE=+000 ENDRECORD
  RECORD cycle: DAYS=+035 ORBITS=+00501 ANX_LONG=+286.525113<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" EN-
DRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0000.000<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=+0000.000<sec/year2> EN-
DRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="01-MAR-2002 02:53:55.245278" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD orbit: ABS=+00020 REL=+02426 CYCLE=+002 PHASE=+001 ENDRECORD
  RECORD cycle: DAYS=+194 ORBITS=+02775 ANX_LONG=+168.680802<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" EN-
DRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0000.000<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=+0000.000<sec/year2> EN-
DRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="02-MAR-2002 10:45:17.880009" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD orbit: ABS=+00486 REL=+00432 CYCLE=+004 PHASE=+002 ENDRECORD
  RECORD cycle: DAYS=+035 ORBITS=+00501 ANX_LONG=+320.612542<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" EN-
DRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0000.000<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=+0000.000<sec/year2> EN-
DRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="04-APR-2002 00:37:34.262318" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

RECORD osf_rec
  RECORD orbit: ABS=+45245 REL=+00120 CYCLE=+070 PHASE=+004 ENDRECORD
  RECORD cycle: DAYS=+030 ORBITS=+00431 ANX_LONG=+000.000000<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000"
ENDRECORD
  RECORD mlst_curve: MLST_LINEAR=+0730.950<sec/year> MLST_QUADRATIC=-0228.000<sec/year2> EN-
DRECORD
  LIST num_harm=00
    RECORD DATE="01-JAN-2000" PERIOD=+365.250000<days> AMP_SIN=+001.650000<sec>
    AMP_COS=+005.350000<sec> ENDRECORD
    RECORD DATE="01-JAN-2000" PERIOD=+365.250000<days> AMP_SIN=+000.740000<sec> AMP_COS=-
    000.770000<sec> ENDRECORD
  ENDLIST num_harm
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="25-OCT-2010 22:00:00.000000" ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD osf_rec

ENDLIST num_osf_rec
;-----
LIST num_sun_occ_by_moon=009 ; Sun occultations by Moon

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RECORD sun_occ_by_moon
  RECORD entry: ABS_ORBIT=+21318 TIME=+2491.119995<s> ENDRECORD
  RECORD exit: ABS_ORBIT=+21318 TIME=+3326.406250<s> ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD sun_occ_by_moon

RECORD sun_occ_by_moon
  RECORD entry: ABS_ORBIT=+21319 TIME=+1901.867065<s> ENDRECORD
  RECORD exit: ABS_ORBIT=+21319 TIME=+2395.250244<s> ENDRECORD
ENDRECORD sun_occ_by_moon

[...]
ENDLIST num_sun_occ_by_moon
;-----
LIST num_oef_rec=06514 ; Orbit Records

RECORD oef_rec
  RECORD orbit: ABS=+20095 REL=+00001 CYCLE=+044 PHASE=+002 ENDRECORD
  RECORD cycle: DAYS=+035 ORBITS=+00501 ANX_LONG=+000.133500<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" EN-
DRECORD
  RECORD drift: MLST_DRIFT=+000.000000<sec/day> ENDRECORD
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="02-JAN-2006 21:59:29.232378" ENDRECORD
  RECORD anx_pos: X=+7165274.767<m> Y=+0016695.235<m> Z=-0000000.000<m> ENDRECORD
  RECORD anx_vel: VX=-0004.890103<m/s> VY=-1630.873926<m/s> VZ=+7377.385722<m/s> ENDRECORD
  RECORD kepler: A=+7159496.305<m> E=+0.001165000 I=+098.549475<deg> RA=+072.400827<deg>
AP=+090.000000<deg> M=+270.133357<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD eclipse: EXIT=+1309.188083<s> ENTRY=+5454.993819<s> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_sza=002 ; time of reaching specific Sun Zenith Angles
    RECORD sza: SZA=+090.000<deg> DOWN=+1871.612664<s> UP=+4891.075592<s> ENDRECORD
    RECORD sza: SZA=+080.000<deg> DOWN=+2069.641511<s> UP=+4691.852741<s> ENDRECORD
  ENDLIST num_sza
ENDRECORD oef_rec

[...]

RECORD oef_rec
  RECORD orbit: ABS=+26608 REL=+00001 CYCLE=+057 PHASE=+002 ENDRECORD
  RECORD cycle: DAYS=+035 ORBITS=+00501 ANX_LONG=+000.133500<deg> MLST="22:00:00.000000" EN-
DRECORD
  RECORD drift: MLST_DRIFT=+000.000000<sec/day> ENDRECORD
  RECORD anx_time: UTC="02-APR-2007 21:59:29.232378" ENDRECORD
  RECORD anx_pos: X=+7165274.767<m> Y=+0016695.235<m> Z=-0000000.000<m> ENDRECORD
  RECORD anx_vel: VX=-0004.890103<m/s> VY=-1630.873926<m/s> VZ=+7377.385722<m/s> ENDRECORD
  RECORD kepler: A=+7159496.305<m> E=+0.001165000 I=+098.549475<deg> RA=+160.870348<deg>
AP=+090.000000<deg> M=+270.133357<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD eclipse: EXIT=+0780.368401<s> ENTRY=+4896.331542<s> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_sza=002 ; time of reaching specific Sun Zenith Angles
    RECORD sza: SZA=+090.000<deg> DOWN=+1325.370252<s> UP=+4342.158008<s> ENDRECORD
    RECORD sza: SZA=+080.000<deg> DOWN=+1519.042829<s> UP=+4147.787568<s> ENDRECORD
  ENDLIST num_sza
ENDRECORD oef_rec

ENDLIST num_oef_rec
;-----

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ENDFILE

## 4.6 DORIS Navigator File

DORIS Navigator files contains two parts:

- A header in ASCII data
- A data block written in binary format.

The following table only describes the format of the header.

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>PRODUCT=</b>  quotation mark  <b>filename</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
		keyword		string	%s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>PROC_STAGE=</b>  <b>procedure</b>  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
		-	1	string	%1s
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>REF_DOC=</b>  quotation mark  <b>reference document</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
		-	7	string	%7s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>ACQUISITION_STATION=</b>  quotation mark  <b>reference document</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	20	string	%20s
		-	1	string	\"
		-	20	string	%20s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>PROC_CENTER=</b>  quotation mark  <b>processing center</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
		-	1	string	\"
		-	6	string	%6s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
8	<b>PROC_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  <b>processing time</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>SOFTWARE_VER=</b>  quotation mark  <b>software version</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
		-	1	string	\"
			14	string	%14s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
10	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	<b>SENSING_START=</b>  quotation mark  <b>sensing start</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	14	string	%14s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
12	<b>SENSING_STOP=</b>  quotation mark  <b>sensing stop</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
13	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
14	<b>PHASE=</b>  <b>phase</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		terminator	1	string	\n
15	<b>CYCLE=</b>  <b>cycle number</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			4	+xxx	%3
		terminator	1	string	\n
16	<b>REL_ORBIT=</b>  <b>relative orbit</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			6	+xxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
17	<b>ABS_ORBIT=</b>  <b>absolute orbit</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			6	+xxxxxx	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
18	<b>STATE_VECTOR_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  <b>state vector time</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	18	string	%18s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
19	<b>DELTA_UT1=</b>  <b>delta UT1</b>  <b>&lt;s&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			8	+.xxxxxx	%+8.6f
			3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
20	<b>X_POSITION=</b>  <b>positon (x coordinate)</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.fff	%12.3f
			3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
21	<b>Y_POSITION=</b>  <b>positon (y coordinate)</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.fff	%12.3f
			3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
22	<b>Z_POSITION=</b>  <b>positon (z coordinate)</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.fff	%12.3f
			3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
23	<b>X_VELOCITY=</b>  <b>velocity (x coordinate)</b>  <b>&lt;m/s&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.fff	%12.6f
			5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
24	<b>Y_VELOCITY=</b>  velocity (y coordinate)  <m/s>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.xxx	%12.6f
			5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n
25	<b>Z_VELOCITY=</b>  velocity (z coordinate)  <m/s>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			12	+xxxxxxxx.xxx	%12.6f
			5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n
26	<b>VECTOR_SOURCE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>vector source</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
		-	1	string	\"
			2	string	%2s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
27	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
28	<b>UTC_SBT_TIME=</b>  quotation mark  <b>UTC satellite binary time</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
29	<b>SAT_BINARY_TIME=</b>  <b>satellite binary time</b>  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
			11	+xxxxxxxxxxxx	%+11f
		terminator	1	string	\n
30	<b>CLOCK_STEP=</b>  <b>clock step</b>  <ps>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxxxxxx	%11f
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
31	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
32	<b>LEAP_UTC=</b>  quotation mark  <b>UTC time before the leap second</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
33	<b>LEAP_SIGN=</b>  <b>leap second sign</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			4	+xxx	%4d
		terminator	1	string	\n
34	<b>LEAP_ERR=</b>  <b>leap error</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		terminator	1	string	\n
35	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
36	<b>PRODUCT_ERR=</b>  <b>product error</b>  <b>&lt;ps&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
			1	string	%1s
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
37	<b>TOT_SIZE=</b>  <b>total size</b>  <b>&lt;bytes&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			20	+x (*20)	%20d
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
38	<b>SPH_SIZE=</b>  <b>SPH size</b>  <b>&lt;bytes&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
39	<b>NUM_DSD=</b>  <b>Number of DSD</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
		terminator	1	string	\n
40	<b>DSD_SIZE=</b>  <b>DSD size</b>  <b>&lt;bytes&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxx	%11f
			4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
41	<b>NUM_DATA_SETS=</b>  <b>Number of data sets</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			11	+xxxxxxxxx	%11f
		terminator	1	string	\n
42	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
43	<b>SPH_DESCRIPTOR=</b>  quotation mark  <b>SPH Descriptor</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
44	<b>START_LAT=</b>  <b>Start latitude</b>  <b>&lt;10-6degN&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			11	string	%+11d
		units	10	string	%10s
		terminator	1	string	\n
45	<b>START_LON=</b>  <b>Start longitude</b>  <b>&lt;10-6degE&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			11	string	%+11d
		units	10	string	%10s
		terminator	1	string	\n
46	<b>STOP_LAT=</b>  <b>Stop latitude</b>  <b>&lt;10-6degN&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			11	string	%+11d
		units	10	string	%10s
		terminator	1	string	\n
47	<b>STOP_LON=</b>  <b>Stop longitude</b>  <b>&lt;10-6degE&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			11	string	%+11d
		units	10	string	%10s
		terminator	1	string	\n
48	<b>SAT_TRACK=</b>  <b>Satellite track</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
				float	%f
		units	5	string	%5s
		terminator	1	string	\n
49	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
50	<b>ISP_ERRORS_SIGNIFICANT=</b>  ISP errors  newline character	keyword	23	string	%23s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
51	<b>MISSING_ISPS_SIGNIFICANT=</b>  Missing ISP  newline character	keyword	25	string	%25s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
52	<b>ISP_DISCARDED_SIGNIFICANT=</b>  Discarded ISP  newline character	keyword	26	string	%26s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
53	<b>RS_SIGNIFICANT=</b>  RS Significant  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
54	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
55	<b>NUM_ERROR_ISPS=</b>  Num_error_isps  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
56	<b>ERROR_ISPS_THRESH=</b>  Error_isps_thresh  <%>  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		unit	3	string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
57	<b>NUM_MISSING_ISPS=</b>  Num_missing_isps  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
58	<b>MISSING_ISPS_THRESH=</b>  Missing_isps_thresh  <%>  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		unit	3	string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
59	<b>NUM_DISCARDED_ISPS=</b>  num_discarded_isps  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 19: DORIS Navigator File. Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
60	<b>DISCARDED_ISPS_THRESH=</b>  discarded_isps_thresh  <%>  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		unit	3	string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
61	<b>NUM_RS_ISPS=</b>  Num_rs_isps  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
		terminator	1	string	\n
62	<b>RS_THRESH=</b>  RS_threshold  <%>  newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
				integer	%d
		unit	3	integer	%d
		terminator	1	string	\n
63	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
64	<b>TX_RX_POLAR=</b>  quotation mark  <b>TX_RX_Polar</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
		-	1	string	\"
			5	string	%5s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
65	<b>SWATH=</b>  quotation mark  <b>Swath</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
		-	1	string	\"
		-	3	string	%3s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
66	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
67	DS Blocks (The number of DS blocks is specified in NUM_DSD) (See table 20)				
68	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 20: DORIS Navigator File. DSD\_Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>DS_NAME=</b> quotation mark <b>DS name</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>DS_TYPE=</b> <b>DS type</b> newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
			1	string	%1s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>FILENAME=</b> quotation mark <b>filename</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		-	1	string	\"
			62	string	%62s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>DS_OFFSET=</b> quotation mark <b>DS offset</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
			20	string	%20s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>DS_SIZE=</b> quotation mark <b>DS size</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			20	string	%20s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>NUM_DSR=</b> quotation mark <b>Number of DSR</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 20: DORIS Navigator File. DSD\_Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
7	<b>DSR_SIZE=</b> quotation mark <b>DSR size</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
		-	1	string	\"
			10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.6.1 Example

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PRODUCT="DOR_NAV_OPNPDK20000620_103914_00005120A001_00180_00177_0032.N1"
PROC_STAGE=N
REF_DOC="PO-RS-MDA-GS-2009 3-M"

ACQUISITION_STATION="PDHS-K"
PROC_CENTER="PDHS-K"
PROC_TIME="20-JUN-2000 12:34:23.000000"
SOFTWARE_VER="PFHS/5.00"

SENSING_START="20-JUN-2000 10:39:14.340312"
SENSING_STOP="20-JUN-2000 12:04:34.340312"

PHASE=A
CYCLE=+001
REL_ORBIT=+00180
ABS_ORBIT=+00177
STATE_VECTOR_TIME="20-JUN-2000 11:47:28.032000"
DELTA_UT1=+.000000<s>
X_POSITION=-6394492.635<m>
Y_POSITION=+3232994.628<m>
Z_POSITION=-0000002.041<m>
X_VELOCITY=+0743.376625<m/s>
Y_VELOCITY=+1451.527212<m/s>
Z_VELOCITY=+7377.411489<m/s>
VECTOR_SOURCE="FP"

UTC_SBT_TIME="20-JUN-2000 10:06:52.270000"
SAT_BINARY_TIME=+0003333613
CLOCK_STEP=+3906250000<ps>

LEAP_UTC="21-JUL-1997 12:03:07.000000"
LEAP_SIGN=+000
LEAP_ERR=0

PRODUCT_ERR=0
TOT_SIZE=+000000000000000025847<bytes>
SPH_SIZE=+0000001956<bytes>
NUM_DSD=+0000000003

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DSD_SIZE=+0000000280<bytes>
NUM_DATA_SETS=+0000000001

SPH_DESCRIPTOR="DOR_NAV_OP SPECIFIC HEADER"
START_LAT=+0062841866<10-6degN>
START_LONG=+0007183174<10-6degE>
STOP_LAT=+0060289298<10-6degN>
STOP_LONG=+0133712091<10-6degE>
SAT_TRACK=+2.00644312E+02<deg>

ISP_ERRORS_SIGNIFICANT=0
MISSING_ISPS_SIGNIFICANT=0
ISP_DISCARDED_SIGNIFICANT=0
RS_SIGNIFICANT=0

NUM_ERROR_ISPS=+0000000000
ERROR_ISPS_THRESH=+0.00000000E+00<%>
NUM_MISSING_ISPS=+0000000000
MISSING_ISPS_THRESH=+0.00000000E+00<%>
NUM_DISCARDED_ISPS=+0000000000
DISCARDED_ISPS_THRESH=+0.00000000E+00<%>
NUM_RS_ISPS=+0000000000
RS_THRESH=+0.00000000E+00<%>

TX_RX_POLAR=" "
SWATH=" "

DS_NAME="DORIS_SOURCE_PACKETS"
DS_TYPE=M
FILENAME=""
DS_OFFSET=+00000000000000003203<bytes>
DS_SIZE=+000000000000000022644<bytes>
NUM_DSR=+0000000017
DSR_SIZE=+0000001332<bytes>

DS_NAME="LEVEL_0_CONFIGURATION_FILE"
DS_TYPE=R
FILENAME="AUX_CN0_AXVSP19980101_000000_19980101_000000_20001231_000000"
DS_OFFSET=+00000000000000000000000000000000<bytes>
DS_SIZE=+00000000000000000000000000000000<bytes>
NUM_DSR=+0000000000
DSR_SIZE=+0000000000<bytes>

DS_NAME="ORBIT_STATE_VECTOR_FILE"
DS_TYPE=R
FILENAME="AUX_FPO_AXVPDS20000620_084620_20000618_225417_20000622_122443"
DS_OFFSET=+00000000000000000000000000000000<bytes>
DS_SIZE=+00000000000000000000000000000000<bytes>
NUM_DSR=+0000000000
DSR_SIZE=+0000000000<bytes>
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[Data block. Binary data]

## 4.7 Restituted Attitude File

**Table 21: Restituted Attitude File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>fhr</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Fixed Header</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
3	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>fhr</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>fra_vhr</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Variable Header</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>Variable header record (see section 4.7.1)</b>				
6	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>fra_vhr</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>; Variable Header</b>	comment		string	%s
8	<b>Data block (see table 22)</b>				

#### 4.7.1 Restituted Attitude File. Variable Header

Table 22: Restituted Attitude File. Variable Header

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>START_TIME=</b> quotation mark <b>start_time</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>STOP_TIME=</b> quotation mark <b>stop_time</b> quotation mark newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>AOCS_CX=</b> <b>AOCS CX</b> <deg> newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
			9	+x.xxxxxx	%9.6f
		unit	5	string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>AOCS_CY=</b> <b>AOCS CY</b> <deg> newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
			9	+x.xxxxxx	%9.6f
		unit	5	string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>AOCS_CZ=</b> <b>AOCS CZ</b> <deg> newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
			9	+x.xxxxxx	%9.6f
		unit	5	string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>NUM_ATT_REC=</b> <b>Number of Attitde records</b> newline character	keyword	12	string	%12s
			7	+xxxxxx	%7d
		terminator	1	string	\n

## 4.7.2 Restituted Attitude File. Data Block

Table 23: Restituted Attitude File. Data Block

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_onboard_orbit_update=</b>  <b>Number of onboard orbit updates</b>  blank space  <b>; number of onboard orbit update</b>  newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	25	string	%25s
			2	xx	%2d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	list of onboard orbit updates(see table 24)				
3	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>ENDLIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_onboard_orbit_update</b>  newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	24	string	%24s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>LIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_att_mode=</b>  <b>Number of attitude modes</b>  blank space  <b>; number of attitude modes</b>  newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	13	string	%13s
			2	xx	%2d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
7	list of attitude modes(see table 25)				
8	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>ENDLIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_att_mode</b>  newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	12	string	%12s
		terminator	1	string	\n
10	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	<b>; list of AOCS estimator output</b>	comment		string	%s

**Table 23: Restituted Attitude File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	list of AOCS (see table 26)				

**Table 24: Restituted Attitude File. Onboard orbit updates**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>onboard_orbit_update</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>UTC_START=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>start date</b>		27	string	%27s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>UTC_END=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>end date</b>		27	string	%27s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 24: Restituted Attitude File. Onboard orbit updates**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
4	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>Cummulated_TM_gap_duration=</b>	keyword	27	string	%27s
	<b>Cummulated TM gap duration</b>		6	+xxxxxx	%6d
	<sec>	units	1	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>pitch</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	attitude angle record(see table 27)				
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>pitch</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>roll</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	attitude angle record(see table 27)				
10	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>roll</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>yaw</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
12	attitude angle record(see table 27)				

**Table 24: Restituted Attitude File. Onboard orbit updates**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
13	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  blank space  <b>yaw</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
14	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  blank space  <b>onboard_orbit_update</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 25: Restituted Attitude File. Attitude modes**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>ATT_MODE</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>UTC_START=</b>  quotation mark  <b>date</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
		-	1	string	\"
			27	string	%27s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>MODE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>mode</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	5	string	%5s
		-	1	string	\"
				string	%s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  blank space  <b>ATT_MODE</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 26: Restituted Attitude File. AOCS Estimator outputs**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	Date		27	string	%27s
	AOCS CX	-	11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+11.6
	AOCS CY	-	11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+11.6
	AOCS CZ	-	11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%+11.6
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 27: Restituted Attitude File. Attitude angle record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	RECORD	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	2ndorder:	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	A0=	keyword	3	string	%3s
	A0 parameter		11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<deg>	units	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	A1=	keyword	3	string	%3s
	A1 parameter		11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<deg/day>	units	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	A2=	keyword	3	string	%3s
	A2 parameter		11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<deg/day^2>	units	11	string	%11s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	ENDRECORD	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 27: Restituted Attitude File. Attitude angle record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
2	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>Orbital_harmonics</b>	keyword	17	string	%17s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>Orbital_phases:</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>W0=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Orbital phase</b>		12	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%12.6f
	<b>&lt;deg/day&gt;</b>	units	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_harm=</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	<b>Number of harmonics</b>				%d
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>;Number of harmonics needed for Orbital_harmonics</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	list of harmonic records 1(see table 28)				
6	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_harm</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>Orbital_harmonics</b>	keyword	17	string	%17s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 27: Restituted Attitude File. Attitude angle record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
8	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>Daily_harmonics</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
		terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>Daily_phase:</b>  blank space  <b>WJ=</b>  <b>Daily phase</b>  <b>&lt;deg/day&gt;</b>  blank space  <b>ENDRECORD</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
		units	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n
10	<b>LIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_harm=</b>  <b>Number of harmonics</b>  blank space  <b>;Number of harmonics needed for Daily_harmonics</b>  newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	9	string	%9s
					%d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
11	list of harmonic records 2(see table 29)				
12	<b>ENDLIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_harm</b>  newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	8	string	%8s
		terminator	1	string	\n
13	<b>ENDRECORD</b>  blank space  <b>Daily_harmonics</b>  newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 28: Restituted Attitude File. harmonic record 1**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>harm:</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>AMP_1=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Amplitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>PHA_1=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Phase</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 29: Restituted Attitude File. harmonic record 2**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>harm:</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>AMP_2=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Amplitude</b>		11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>PHA_2=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Phase</b>		11	+xxxx.xxxxxx	%11.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.7.3 Example

```

RECORD fhr
  FILENAME="RESTITUTED_ATTITUDE_FILE.N1"
  DESTINATION="PUB, PDCC "
  PHASE_START=+002
  CYCLE_START=+039
  REL_START_ORBIT=+00288
  ABS_START_ORBIT=+17877
ENDRECORD fhr

RECORD fra_vhr
  START_TIME="01-AUG-2005 00:00:00.000000"
  STOP_TIME="02-AUG-2005 00:00:00.000000"
  AOCS_CX=-0.167074<deg>
  AOCS_CY=+0.050233<deg>
  AOCS_CZ=+3.912987<deg>
  NUM_ATT_REC=+086400
ENDRECORD fra_vhr

LIST num_onboard_orbit_update=03;number of onboard orbit update
RECORD onboard_orbit_update
  RECORD UTC_START="31-JUL-2005 14:44:55.128500" ENDRECORD
  RECORD UTC_END="01-AUG-2005 02:29:04.728500" ENDRECORD

```

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RECORD Cummulated_TM_gap_duration=+00001<sec> ENDRECORD
RECORD pitch
  RECORD 2ndorder: A0=+000.022563<deg> A1=-000.036562<deg/day> A2=+000.000000<deg/day^2> ENDRECORD
RECORD Orbital_harmonics
  RECORD Orbital_phases: W0=+5153.147350<deg/day> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=15;Number of harmonics needed for Orbital_harmonics
  RECORD harm: AMP_1=+000.018422<deg> PHA_1=+150.232929<deg> ENDRECORD
  [...]
  ENDLIST num_harm
ENDRECORD Orbital_harmonics
RECORD Daily_harmonics
  RECORD Daily_phase: WJ=+720.000000<deg/day> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=30;Number of harmonics needed for Daily_harmonics
  RECORD harm: AMP_2=+000.005552<deg> PHA_2=+265.220687<deg> ENDRECORD
  [...]
  ENDLIST num_harm
ENDRECORD Daily_harmonics
ENDRECORD pitch
RECORD roll
  RECORD 2ndorder: A0=-000.012519<deg> A1=+000.019539<deg/day> A2=+000.000000<deg/day^2> ENDRECORD
RECORD Orbital_harmonics
  RECORD Orbital_phases: W0=+5153.147350<deg/day> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=15;Number of harmonics needed for Orbital_harmonics
  RECORD harm: AMP_1=+000.012554<deg> PHA_1=+320.805569<deg> ENDRECORD
  [...]
  ENDLIST num_harm
ENDRECORD Orbital_harmonics
RECORD Daily_harmonics
  RECORD Daily_phase: WJ=+720.000000<deg/day> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=30;Number of harmonics needed for Daily_harmonics
  RECORD harm: AMP_2=+000.003197<deg> PHA_2=+082.666172<deg> ENDRECORD
  [...]
  ENDLIST num_harm
ENDRECORD Daily_harmonics
ENDRECORD roll
RECORD yaw
  RECORD 2ndorder: A0=-000.004672<deg> A1=+000.007137<deg/day> A2=+000.000000<deg/day^2> ENDRECORD
RECORD Orbital_harmonics
  RECORD Orbital_phases: W0=+5153.147350<deg/day> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=15;Number of harmonics needed for Orbital_harmonics
  RECORD harm: AMP_1=+000.009300<deg> PHA_1=+254.309569<deg> ENDRECORD
  [...]
  ENDLIST num_harm
ENDRECORD Orbital_harmonics
RECORD Daily_harmonics
  RECORD Daily_phase: WJ=+720.000000<deg/day> ENDRECORD
  LIST num_harm=30;Number of harmonics needed for Daily_harmonics
  RECORD harm: AMP_2=+000.001148<deg> PHA_2=+062.111692<deg> ENDRECORD
  [...]
  ENDLIST num_harm

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```
ENDRECORD Daily_harmonics
ENDRECORD yaw
ENDRECORD onboard_orbit_update
[...]

ENDLIST num_onboard_orbit_update

LIST num_att_mode=001;number of attitude modes
RECORD ATT_MODE
UTC_START="01-AUG-2005 00:00:00.000000"
MODE="SYSM"
ENDRECORD ATT_MODE
ENDLIST num_att_mode

;list of AOCS estimator output, list may contain data gaps due to mode or unavailability of data
01-AUG-2005 00:00:00.477965 +000.002045 -000.000500 +000.000466
01-AUG-2005 00:00:01.477958 +000.002047 -000.000500 +000.000466

01-AUG-2005 23:59:59.473824 -000.001720 -000.000506 +000.000389
```

## 4.8 pp\_converter input file format

### 4.8.1 Fixed Header

Follows the format described in section 4.1. The fields DESTINATION, PHASE\_START, CYCLE\_START, REL\_START\_ORBIT and ABS\_START\_ORBIT have no meaning and could be fixed to any value.

### 4.8.2 Variable Header

Table 30: pp\_converter input file. Variable Header

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>cif_vhr</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Variable Header</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	<b>LUT_DESCRIPTOR=</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Atmosphere Descriptor</b>		10	string	%10s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>START_DAY_OF_YEAR=</b>	keyword	18	string	%18s
	<b>First day in the year for which the atmosphere is considered to be valid</b>		4	+xxx	%+04d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>STOP_DAY_OF_YEAR=</b>	keyword	17	string	%17s
	<b>Last day in the year for which the atmosphere is considered to be valid</b>		4	+xxx	%+04d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>MIN_LAT=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	<b>Minimum latitude for the latitude band</b>		8	+xxx.xxx	%+08.3f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 30: pp\_converter input file. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
7	<b>MAX_LAT=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	Maximum latitude for the latitude band		8	+xxx.xxx	%+08.3f
	<deg>	unit	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>NUM_LUT=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	Number of pairs of coindex of refraction vs. altitude		4	+xxx	%+04d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
10	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>cif_vhr</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.8.3 Data block

The following table describes the data block format.

**Table 31: pp\_converter input file data block format**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_alt=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	Number of pairs of coindex of refraction vs. altitude		3	xxx	%03d
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	list of <b>num_alt</b> alt Records (see format below)				
4	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n

**Table 31: pp\_converter input file data block format**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
5	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_alt</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 32: pp\_converter alt record format**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	2 blank spaces		2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>alt:</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space	indentation	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude</b>	-	8	+xxx.xxx	%+08.3f
	<b>&lt;km&gt;</b>	unit	4	string	%4s
	blank space	indentation	1	string	%1s
	<b>REFR=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Coindex of refraction</b>	-	8	+xxx.xxx	%+08.3f
	blank space	indentation	1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.8.4 Example

An example **pp\_converter** input file is shown below:

```
FILE; Converter Input File
;-----
RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header
FILENAME="REFRACT_1976.DAT_conv"
DESTINATION="PDS,FOS"
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000
ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD cif_vhr ; Variable Header
LUT_DESCRIPTOR="STD_1976"
START_DAY_OF_YEAR=+001
STOP_DAY_OF_YEAR=+365
MIN_LAT=-090.000<deg>
MAX_LAT=+090.000<deg>
NUM_ALT=+046
ENDRECORD cif_vhr
;-----
LIST num_alt=046
RECORD alt: ALT=+000.000<km> REFR=+271.950 ENDRECORD
RECORD alt: ALT=+001.000<km> REFR=+246.930 ENDRECORD
RECORD alt: ALT=+002.000<km> REFR=+223.620 ENDRECORD
RECORD alt: ALT=+003.000<km> REFR=+202.060 ENDRECORD
    ...
RECORD alt: ALT=+090.000<km> REFR=+010.000 ENDRECORD
RECORD alt: ALT=+095.000<km> REFR=+000.000 ENDRECORD
RECORD alt: ALT=+100.000<km> REFR=+000.000 ENDRECORD
ENDLIST num_alt
;-----
ENDFILE
```

## 4.9 pp\_converter output file format

Table 33: pp\_converter output file

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; Converter output file newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>cof_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>Variable header record (see section 4.9.1)</b>				
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>cof_vhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
8	; Variable Header	comment		string	%s
9	<b>Data block (see table 4.9.2)</b>				
10	<b>ENDFILE</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s

## 4.9.1 Variable Header

**Table 34: pp\_converter output file. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>MIN_AZ=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>min_az</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+3.11f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>MAX_AZ=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>max_az</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+3.11f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>MIN_FREQ=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>min_freq</b>		11	+xxxxxxxxxx	%+11d
	<b>&lt;MHz&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>MAX_FREQ=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>max_freq</b>		11	+xxxxxxxxxx	%+11d
	<b>&lt;MHz&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>NUM_CORR_FUNCT=</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	<b>number of correction functions</b>		4	+xxx	%+4d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

## 4.9.2 Data block

**Table 35: pp\_converter output file. Data block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_corr_funct=</b>	keyword	16	string	%16s
	<b>number of corrective functions</b>		4	+xxx	%+4d
	<b>; Coeficients of the corrective functions</b>	comment		string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	list of <b>corr_funct</b> Records (see table 36)				
4	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
5	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_corr_funct</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>aver_funct</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>NUM_LUT=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	<b>num_lut</b>	keyword	4	+xxx	%+4d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>CORR_FUNCTION_FILENAME=</b>	keyword	23	string	%23s
	<b>filename</b>			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>AVER_QUALITY_INDEX=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	<b>index</b>		6	+x.xxx	%+6.3f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 35: pp\_converter output file. Data block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
9	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>gomos:</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	corrective coefficients (see table 37)				
12	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mipas</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
13	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
14	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mipas:</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
15	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
16	corrective coefficients (see table 37)				
17	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mipas</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
18	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
19	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>aver_funct</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 36: pp\_converter output file. Corrective Function**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>corr_funct</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>LUT_NUMBER=</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	<b>lut_number</b>	keyword	4	+xxx	%+4d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>LUT_FILENAME=</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	<b>filename</b>			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>LUT_DESCRIPTOR=</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	<b>descriptor</b>			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>CORR_FUNCTION_FILENAME=</b>	keyword	23	string	%23s
	<b>index</b>			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>START_DAY_OF_YEAR=</b>	keyword	18	string	%18s
	<b>start day</b>		4	+xxx	%+4d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>STOP_DAY_OF_YEAR=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	<b>stop day</b>		4	+xxx	%+4d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>MIN_LAT=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	<b>min_lat</b>		8	+xxx.xxx	%+8.3f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>MAX_LAT=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	<b>max_lat</b>		8	+xxx.xxx	%+8.3f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	<b>QUALITY_INDEX=</b>	keyword	20	string	%20s
	<b>quality index</b>		6	+x.xxx	%+6.3f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 36: pp\_converter output file. Corrective Function**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
11	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
12	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>gomos:</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
13	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
14	corrective coefficients (see table 37)				
15	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mipas</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
16	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
17	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mipas:</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
18	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
19	corrective coefficients (see table 37)				
20	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mipas</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
21	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
22	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>corr_funct</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 37: pp\_converter output file. Corrective coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>MIN_REFR_ALT=</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	min_refr_altitude		10	+xxxxxx.xx	%+10.2f
	<m>	unit	3	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>INT_REFR_ALT=</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	int_refr_alt		10	+xxxxxx.xx	%+10.2f
	<m>	unit	3	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>MAX_REFR_ALT=</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	max_refr_altitude		10	+xxxxxx.xx	%+10.2f
	<m>	unit	3	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	incr_altitude record (see table 38)				
6	incr_theta record (see table 39)				
7	incr_distance record (see table 40)				
8	incr_range record (see table 41)				

**Table 38: pp\_converter output file. incr\_altitude coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_altitude</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>AH=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>AH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 38: pp\_converter output file. incr\_altitude coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
3	<b>BH=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>BH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>CH=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>CH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>DH=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>DH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>RH=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>RH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>SH=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>SH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_altitude</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 39: pp\_converter output file. incr\_theta coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_theta</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>AT=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>AT Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 39: pp\_converter output file. incr\_theta coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
3	<b>BT=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>BT Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>CT=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>CT Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>DT=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>DT Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>RT=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>RT Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>ST=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>ST Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_theta</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 40: pp\_converter output file. incr\_distance coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_distance</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>AD=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>AD Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 40: pp\_converter output file. incr\_distance coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
3	<b>BD=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>BD Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>CD=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>CD Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>DD=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>DD Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>RD=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>RD Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>SD=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>SD Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_distance</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 41: pp\_converter output file. incr\_range coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_range</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>AR=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>AR Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 41: pp\_converter output file. incr\_range coefficients**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
3	<b>BR=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>BH Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>CR=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>CR Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>DR=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>DR Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>RR=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>RR Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>SR=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>SR Coefficient</b>		21	+xxx.xxxxxxxxxxxxxxx	%+21.16f
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>incr_range</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

### 4.9.3 Example

```

FILE ; Converter output file
;-----
RECORD fhr ; Fixed header

FILENAME=". /ALL.OUT_conv"

DESTINATION="          "
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD cof_vhr ; Variable header

MIN_AZ=+160.000000<deg>
MAX_AZ=+200.000000<deg>
MIN_FREQ=+0020500000<Mhz>
MAX_FREQ=+1250000000<Mhz>
NUM_CORR_FUNCT=+006

ENDRECORD cof_vhr
;-----

LIST num_corr_funct=+006 ; Coeficients of the corrective functions

RECORD corr_funct

LUT_NUMBER=+001
LUT_FILENAME=". /REFRACT_1976.DAT_conv"
LUT_DESCRIPTOR="STD_1976   "
CORR_FUNCTION_FILENAME="interm_outp_file_1.dat"
START_DAY_OF_YEAR=+001
STOP_DAY_OF_YEAR=+365
MIN_LAT=-090.000<deg>
MAX_LAT=+090.000<deg>
QUALITY_INDEX=+0.836

RECORD gomos:

MIN_REFR_ALT=-030769.23<m>
INT_REFR_ALT=-004174.48<m>
MAX_REFR_ALT=+050000.00<m>

RECORD incr_altitude:
AH=+000.0074648379928764
BH=-000.0093929967583201
CH=+000.0007518779256588
DH=+000.0003048024629628

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RH=-004.9252828228391365
SH=+006.3750390192910960
ENDRECORD incr_altitude

RECORD incr_theta:
AT=-000.0025867778141002
BT=+000.0028958803896449
CT=-000.0002378970572475
DT=-000.0000963966868584
RT=+001.5550317524011994
ST=-001.9943193151461702
ENDRECORD incr_theta

RECORD incr_distance:
AD=-000.0085463499350552
BD=+000.0091595377265429
CD=-000.0007605025528085
DD=-000.0003080221151424
RD=+004.9946722174216980
SD=-006.3748474338170169
ENDRECORD incr_distance

RECORD incr_range:
AR=-000.0085473287566143
BR=+000.0091591767620088
CR=-000.0007605372733051
DR=-000.0003080362003038
RR=+004.9950353460274277
SR=-006.3750578999684215
ENDRECORD incr_range

ENDRECORD gomos

RECORD mipas:
MIN_REFR_ALT=+005395.32<m>
INT_REFR_ALT=+013559.67<m>
MAX_REFR_ALT=+040093.79<m>

RECORD incr_altitude:
AH=-000.0006257120706997
BH=+000.0013875288061389
CH=+000.0006295144532726
DH=+000.0005752204890584
RH=-007.3217532469383881
SH=+032.2438926504476839
ENDRECORD incr_altitude

RECORD incr_theta:
AT=-000.0068587404360613
BT=+000.0179500525670243
CT=+000.0075825244632390
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```
DT=+000.0069286475037521
RT=-073.3274881746980896
ST=+338.0121971834632859
ENDRECORD incr_theta

RECORD incr_distance:
AD=+000.0222989661855713
BD=-000.0571453745079383
CD=-000.0242225851957694
DD=-000.0221219118078270
RD=+233.4801080301084255
SD=-1077.1157281709117797
ENDRECORD incr_distance

RECORD incr_range:
AR=+000.0222973255557379
BR=-000.0571466655701799
CR=-000.0242230773028860
DR=-000.0221223611842330
RR=+233.4967626462686496
SR=-1077.1575716391353126
ENDRECORD incr_range

ENDRECORD mipas

ENDRECORD corr_funct

[...]

ENDLIST num_corr_funct

RECORD aver_funct

NUM_LUT=+006
CORR_FUNCTION_FILENAME="interm_outp_file_av.dat"
AVER_QUALITY_INDEX=+0.833

RECORD gomos:

MIN_REFR_ALT=-034615.38<m>
INT_REFR_ALT=-006754.22<m>
MAX_REFR_ALT=+050000.00<m>

RECORD incr_altitude:
AH=+000.0074882989939917
BH=-000.0095057788053092
CH=+000.0008698022295335
DH=+000.0003580734968612
RH=-008.8330230081498087
SH=+012.9797650070615074
ENDRECORD incr_altitude
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RECORD incr_theta:  
    AT=-000.0025229704779716  
    BT=+000.0029507648166101  
    CT=-000.0002750145291183  
    DT=-000.0001135769044360  
    RT=+002.8163816880223984  
    ST=-004.1131841618789187  
ENDRECORD incr_theta  
  
RECORD incr_distance:  
    AD=-000.0083986542584405  
    BD=+000.0093180672321798  
    CD=-000.0008928837687123  
    DD=-000.0003684939604441  
    RD=+008.9708999634042765  
    SD=-013.1006760270711240  
ENDRECORD incr_distance  
  
RECORD incr_range:  
    AR=-000.0083996305339452  
    BR=+000.0093177048644136  
    CR=-000.0008929193019908  
    DR=-000.0003685085937915  
    RR=+008.9713259942951407  
    SR=-013.1010495885299072  
ENDRECORD incr_range  
  
ENDRECORD gomos  
  
RECORD mipas:  
  
    MIN_REFR_ALT=+005395.32<m>  
    INT_REFR_ALT=+013559.67<m>  
    MAX_REFR_ALT=+040093.79<m>  
  
RECORD incr_altitude:  
    AH=-000.0004447588269692  
    BH=+000.0015198212614270  
    CH=+000.0006991421452363  
    DH=+000.0006388011211030  
    RH=-006.5196926461155496  
    SH=+027.7538372415911567  
ENDRECORD incr_altitude  
  
RECORD incr_theta:  
    AT=-000.0035243024896141  
    BT=+000.0203870301075696  
    CT=+000.0087412982824131  
    DT=+000.0079868154437605  
    RT=-056.0887805381325180  
    ST=+236.7986680270565500
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ENDRECORD incr_theta

RECORD incr_distance:
AD=+000.0116436343555956
BD=-000.0649297427738211
CD=-000.0279209274235438
DD=-000.0255020605736994
RD=+178.4412481540018121
SD=-753.9514349488545122
ENDRECORD incr_distance

RECORD incr_range:
AR=+000.0116417725405986
BR=-000.0649311840876566
CR=-000.0279215055628322
DR=-000.0255025885019496
RR=+178.4568504325580989
SR=-753.9886139375074663
ENDRECORD incr_range

ENDRECORD mipas

ENDRECORD aver_funct

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ENDFILE
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## 4.10 Swath Definition file

This file is only used by the PPF\_GENREF CFI software in order to produce the Swath Template Files  
 File type comment (in 1st line of file):

; Swath Definition File

### 4.10.1 Fixed Header

Follows the format described in section 4.1 with:

- File ID (in file name) = MPL\_SW\_DEF
- originator (in file name) = EMM
- DESTINATION = TBD

### 4.10.2 Variable Header

**Table 42: Swath Definition File. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>sdf_vhr</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Variable Header</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	<b>REPEAT_CYCLE=</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	<b>Repeat Cycle</b>		4	+xxxx	%+04d
	<b>&lt;days&gt;</b>	unit	6	string	%6s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>CYCLE_LENGTH=</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	<b>Cycle Length</b>		6	+xxxxxx	%+06d
	<b>&lt;orbits&gt;</b>	unit	8	string	%8s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
5	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
6	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>aocs_ampl:</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s

**Table 42: Swath Definition File. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>PITCH=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pitch Amplitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<deg>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ROLL=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Roll Amplitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<deg>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>YAW=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Yaw Amplitude</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<deg>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>NUM_SWATH=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	<b>Number of Swath Files Defined</b>		4	+xxx	%+04d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>SDF_VERSION=</b>	keyword	12	string	%12s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Swath definition file version</b>		2	xx	%02ld
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>STF_FREQ=</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	<b>Swath template file frequency</b>		4	+xxx	%+04d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
11	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>sdf_vhr</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.10.3 Data Block

The file will consist of 1 list of variable length:

- Swath Files Definitions.

The structure contains among other details 3 sub-structures which all have variable format:

- geometry: azimuth/elevation/altitude values. 3 cases:
  - line: values for left, mid and right points
  - point: values for 1 point only
  - limb: same as line, but no elevation values (tangent point is used)
- mispointing: pitch/roll/yaw values. 3 cases:
  - all: values for bias and harmonics
  - bias: values for bias only
  - none: no values (i.e. no mispointing)
- specific to ASAR: window/pulse values. 3 cases:
  - wide: values for left and right points
  - narrow: values for 1 point only
  - none: no values (i.e. swath is not an ASAR swath)

Table 43: details the Swath Definition File data block format.

**Table 43: Swath Definition File. Data block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_swath=</b>	keyword	14	string	%14s
	<b>Number of Swath Template Files required</b>		5	xxxxx	%05d
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; Swaths Required</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	<u>list of num_swath Swath Definitions (see table 44) all separated by empty lines</u>				
4	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
5	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_swath</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 44: Swath Definition File. Swath Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>swath</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>SWATH_DESCRIPTOR=</b>	keyword	17	string	%17s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Swath Descriptor</b> (for information) ASCII string describing the swath (unused characters are blanked)	-	28	string	%28s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>SWATH=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	quotation mark		1	string	\"
	<b>Swath ID</b> (used by software, must be unique) Note that the table gives the list of "standard" Envisat swaths for information. It does not restrict the values for this parameter.		6	string	%6s
	quotation mark		1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
4	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>ALGORITHM=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	quotation mark		1	string	\"
	<b>Algorithm to use</b> one of: - line - point - limb - inertial - asar		8	string	%8s
	quotation mark		1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 44: Swath Definition File. Swath Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
5	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>refraction:</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>MODEL=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Refraction Model used</b> one of (right-filled with blanks if needed): - NO_REF - STD_REF - USER_REF - PRED_REF		8	string	%8s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>FREQ=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Frequency</b>	MHz	11	+xxxxxxxxxx	%+011d
	<b>&lt;Mhz&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
6	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>NUM_SWATH_REC=</b>	keyword	14	string	%14s
	<b>Number of swath records required</b>		6	+xxxxx	%+06d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>UNION</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>geometry=</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	<b>Geometry Record structure name</b> one of: - line_geometry - point_geometry - limb_geometry		18	string	%18s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 44: Swath Definition File. Swath Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
8	one of <b>line_geometry</b> , <b>point_geometry</b> or <b>limb_geometry</b> records (see description below)				
9	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>ENDUNION</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>geometry</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>UNION</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mispointing=</b>	keyword	12	string	%12s
	<b>Mispointing Record structure name</b> one of: - <b>all_mispoining</b> - <b>bias_mispoining</b> - <b>no_mispoining</b>		18	string	%18s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	one of <b>all_mispoining</b> , <b>bias_mispoining</b> or <b>no_mispoining</b> records (see description below)				
12	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>ENDUNION</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mispoining</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
13	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>UNION</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>spec_asar=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	<b>Specific ASAR Record structure name</b> one of: - <b>wide_asar</b> - <b>narrow_asar</b> - <b>no_asar</b>		18	string	%18s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
14	one of <b>wide_asar</b> , <b>narrow_asar</b> or <b>no_asar</b> records (see description below)				

**Table 44: Swath Definition File. Swath Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
15	2 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>ENDUNION</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>spec_asar</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
16	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>swath</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 45: Swath Definition File. line\_geometry record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	2 blank spaces		2	string	%2s
	<b>left_pt:</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of left point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>EL=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Elevation of left point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of left point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n

**Table 45: Swath Definition File. line\_geometry record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	3 blank spaces		3	string	%3s
	<b>mid_pt:</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of mid point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>EL=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Elevation of mid point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of mid point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>right_pt:</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s

**Table 45: Swath Definition File. line\_geometry record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>EL=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Elevation of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of right point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 46: Swath Definition File. point\_geometry record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>pt:</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>EL=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Elevation of point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 47: Swath Definition File. limb\_geometry record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	2 blank spaces		2	string	%2s
	<b>left_pt:</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of left point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of left point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
2	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	3 blank spaces		3	string	%3s
	<b>mid_pt:</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of mid point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of mid point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n

**Table 47: Swath Definition File. limb\_geometry record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>right_pt:</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>Azimuth of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ALT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Altitude of right point</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 48: Swath Definition File. all\_mispointing record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>bias:</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PITCH=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pitch Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ROLL=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Roll Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>YAW=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Yaw Bias</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	2 blank spaces		2	string	%2s
	<b>sin:</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PITCH=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pitch Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s

**Table 48: Swath Definition File. all\_mispointing record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>ROLL=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Roll Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>YAW=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Yaw Bias</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.fff	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
3	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	2 blank spaces		2	string	%2s
	<b>cos:</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PITCH=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pitch Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ROLL=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Roll Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>YAW=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Yaw Bias</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.fff	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 49: Swath Definition File. bias\_mispointing record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>bias:</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PITCH=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pitch Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ROLL=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Roll Bias</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%#+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>YAW=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>Yaw Bias</b>	metres	11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%#+011.3f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	unit	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	\n
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 50: Swath Definition File. no\_mispointing record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	this record is empty by definition				

**Table 51: Swath Definition File. wide\_asar record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	2 blank spaces		2	string	%2s
	<b>left_asar:</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>WINDOW=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>Window of left point</b>		11	+xxx.xxx	%#+08.3f
	<b>&lt;10-6s&gt;</b>	unit	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PULSE=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pulse of left point</b>		11	+xxx.xxx	%#+08.3f
	<b>&lt;10-6s&gt;</b>	unit	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
2	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>right_asar:</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>WINDOW=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>Window of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxx	%#+08.3f
	<b>&lt;10-6s&gt;</b>	unit	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PULSE=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pulse of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxx	%#+08.3f
	<b>&lt;10-6s&gt;</b>	unit	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s

**Table 51: Swath Definition File. wide\_asar record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 52: Swath Definition File. narrow\_asar record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	4 blank spaces	indentation	2	string	%2s
	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>asar:</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>WINDOW=</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	<b>Window of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxx	%#+08.3f
	<b>&lt;10-6s&gt;</b>	unit	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>PULSE=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	<b>Pulse of right point</b>		11	+xxx.xxx	%#+08.3f
	<b>&lt;10-6s&gt;</b>	unit	7	string	%7s
	blank space	separator	1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 53: Swath Definition File. no\_asar record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	this record is empty by definition				

#### 4.10.4 Example

An example Swath Definition File is shown in next figure.

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FILE ; Swath Definition File
;-----
RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header

FILENAME="MPL_SW_DEFTEMM19970327_160000_00000000_00000001_yyyyymmdd_hhmmss_yyyyymmdd_hhmmss.N1"

DESTINATION="....."
PHASE_START=+xxx
CYCLE_START=+xxx
REL_START_ORBIT=+xxxxx
ABS_START_ORBIT=+xxxxx

ENDRECORD fhr
;-----
RECORD sdf_vhr ; Variable Header

REPEAT_CYCLE=+xxx<days>
CYCLE_LENGTH=+xxxxx<orbits>

NUM_SWATH=+xxx

ENDRECORD sdf_vhr
;-----
LIST num_swath=xxx ; Swaths Required

RECORD swath
SWATH_DESCRIPTOR="....."
SWATH="....."
ALGORITHM="....."
RECORD refraction: MODEL="....." FREQ=+xxxxxxxxx<Mhz> ENDRECORD
NUM_SWATH_REC=+01200
UNION geometry=line_geometry
RECORD left_pt: AZ=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> EL=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ALT=xxxxxx.xxx<m> ENDRECORD
RECORD mid_pt: AZ=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> EL=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ALT=xxxxxx.xxx<m> ENDRECORD
RECORD right_pt: AZ=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> EL=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ALT=xxxxxx.xxx<m> ENDRECORD
ENDUNION geometry
UNION mispointing=all_mispointing
RECORD bias: PITCH=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ROLL=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> YAW=xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ENDRECORD
RECORD sin: PITCH=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ROLL=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> YAW=xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ENDRECORD
RECORD cos: PITCH=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ROLL=+xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> YAW=xxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ENDRECORD
ENDUNION mispointing
UNION spec_asar=wide_asar
RECORD left_asar: WINDOW=+xxx.xxx<10-6s> PULSE=+xxx.xxx<10-6s> ENDRECORD
RECORD right_asar: WINDOW=+xxx.xxx<10-6s> PULSE=+xxx.xxx<10-6s> ENDRECORD
ENDUNION asar
ENDRECORD swath

RECORD swath
SWATH_DESCRIPTOR="....."

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SWATH="....."
ALGORITHM="....."
RECORD refraction: MODEL="....." FREQ=+xxxxxxxxx<Mhz> ENDRECORD
NUM_SWATH_REC=+01200
UNION geometry=inertial_geometry
RECORD left_pt: AZ=+xxxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ALT=xxxxxx.xxx<m> ENDRECORD
RECORD mid_pt: AZ=+xxxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ALT=xxxxxx.xxx<m> ENDRECORD
RECORD right_pt: AZ=+xxxx.xxxxxxx<deg> ALT=xxxxxx.xxx<m> ENDRECORD
ENDUNION geometry
UNION mispointing=no_mispointing
ENDUNION mispointing
UNION spec_asar=no_asar
ENDUNION asar
ENDRECORD swath

ENDLIST num_swath
;-----
ENDFILE
```

## 4.11 Swath Template file

**Table 54: Swath Template File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; Swath Template File newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>stf_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>stf_vhr (see section 4.11.1)</b>				
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>stf_vhr</b> newline character ; Variable Header	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
		comment		string	%s
8	<b>Data block (see section 4.11.2)</b>				
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 54: Swath Template File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
10	<b>ENDFILE</b> ; Swath Template File newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.11.1 Variable Header

**Table 55: Swath Template File. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>REPEAT_CYCLE=</b>  Repeat Cycle  <days>  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
			4	+xxx	%+04d
		unit	6	string	%6s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>CYCLE_LENGTH=</b>  Cycle Length  <orbits>  newline character	keyword	13	string	%13s
			6	+xxxxx	%+06d
		unit	8	string	%8s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>MLST_DRIFT=</b>  Mean local solar time drift  <sec/day>  newline character	keyword	11	string	%11s
			11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
		unit	8	string	%8s
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>SWATH_DESCRIPTOR=</b>  quotation mark  <b>Swath descriptor:</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	17	string	%17s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>SWATH=</b>  <b>Swath Id.</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
				string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 55: Swath Template File. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
6	<b>SWATH_DEFINITION_FILE=</b>	keyword	22	string	%22s
	<b>Swath Definition file</b>			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
7	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	<b>NUM_SWATH_REC=</b>	keyword	14	string	%14s
	<b>Number of swath records</b>		6	+xxxxx	%+06d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
9	<b>TIME_STEP=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	<b>Time step</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<s>	units	3	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	<b>SWATH_TYPE=</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Swath Type</b>		8	string	%8s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	<b>UNION</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>swath_altitude=</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	<b>swath altitude type</b> one of: - point_swath_altitude - line_swath_altitude - inertial_swath_altitude			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
	one of <b>point_swath_altitude</b> (see table 56), <b>line_swath_altitude</b> (see table 57) or <b>inertial_swath_altitude</b> (see table 57) records				
13	<b>ENDUNION</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>swath_altitude</b>	keyword	14	string	%14s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 55: Swath Template File. Variable Header**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
14	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>refraction:</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>MODEL=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Refraction model</b>		8	string	%8s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>FREQ=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>Frequency</b>		11	+xxxxxxxxxx	%+011ld
	<b>&lt;Mhz&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s
15	<b>STF_VERSION=</b>	keyword	12	string	%12s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Swath file version</b>		2	xx	%02ld
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 56: Swath Template File. Point\_Swath\_Altitude**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>2 blank spaces</b>		2	string	%2s
	<b>ALTITUDE=</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	<b>altitude</b>		11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+011.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	unit	3	string	%3s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 57: Swath Template File. Line\_Swath\_Altitude or Inertial\_Swath\_Altitude**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>2 blank spaces</b> <b>_LEFT_ALTITUDE=</b> <b>altitude</b> <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> newline character		2	string	%2s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
			11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+011.3f
		unit	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>2 blank spaces</b> <b>_MID_ALTITUDE=</b> <b>altitude</b> <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> newline character		2	string	%2s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
			11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+011.3f
		unit	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>2 blank spaces</b> <b>RIGHT_ALTITUDE=</b> <b>altitude</b> <b>&lt;m&gt;</b> newline character		2	string	%2s
		keyword	15	string	%15s
			11	+xxxxxx.xxx	%+011.3f
		unit	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.11.2 Data Block

**Table 58: Swath Template File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b> blank space <b>num_swath_rec=</b> <b>Number of Swath records</b> blank space <b>; Swaths Records</b> newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	14	string	%14s
			5	xxxxx	%05d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	list of <b>swath_records</b> (see format below) all separated by empty lines				
4	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n

**Table 58: Swath Template File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
5	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_swath_rec</b>	keyword	13	string	%13s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 59: Swath Template File. Swath Records**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
	<b>UNION</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>swath_rec=</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	<b>swath record type</b> one of: - point_swath_rec - line_swath_rec - inertial_swath_rec			string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
	one of <b>point_swath_rec</b> (see table 60), <b>line_swath_rec</b> (see table 61) or <b>inertial_swath_rec</b> (see table 62) records				
	<b>ENDUNION</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>swath_rec</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 60: Swath Template File. Point\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>REC_NUM=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	<b>Record number</b>		6	+xxxxxx	%+06d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 60: Swath Template File. Point\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
2	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>pt:</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LONG=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LAT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

**Table 61: Swath Template File. Line\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>REC_NUM=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	<b>Record number</b>		6	+xxxxx	%+06d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 61: Swath Template File. Line\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
2	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>left_pt:</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LONG=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LAT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s
3	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mid_pt:</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LONG=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LAT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

**Table 61: Swath Template File. Line\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
4	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>right_pt:</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LONG=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LAT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

**Table 62: Swath Template File. Inertial\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>REC_NUM=</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	<b>Record number</b>		6	+xxxxx	%+06d
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 62: Swath Template File. Inertial\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
2	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>left_pt:</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>RA=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>DEC=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s
3	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mid_pt:</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>RA=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>DEC=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

**Table 62: Swath Template File. Inertial\_Swath\_Record**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
3	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>right_pt:</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>RA=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LAT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6f
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

#### 4.11.3 Example

```

FILE ; Swath Template File

RECORD fhr ; Fixed header

FILENAME="MERIS_501_.N1"

DESTINATION="....."
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr

RECORD stf_vhr ; Variable header

REPEAT_CYCLE=+035<days>
CYCLE_LENGTH=+00501<orbits>
MLST_DRIFT=+000.000000<sec/day>
SWATH_DESCRIPTOR="MERIS"
SWATH="MERIS_501"
SWATH_DEFINITION_FILE="../../data/MERIS_SDF.N1"

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```
NUM_SWATH_REC=+01200
TIME_STEP=+005.029940<s>
SWATH_TYPE="line      "
UNION swath_altitude=line_swath_altitude
    _LEFT_ALTITUDE=+000000.000<m>
    _MID_ALTITUDE=+000000.000<m>
    RIGHT_ALTITUDE=+000000.000<m>
ENDUNION swath_altitude
RECORD refraction: MODEL="NO_REF    " FREQ=+0440000000<MHz> ENDRECORD
STF_VERSION="02"

ENDRECORD stf_vhr

LIST num_swath_rec=01200 ; Swath Records

UNION swath_rec=line_swath_rec
REC_NUM=+00001
RECORD left_pt: LONG=-004.851105<deg> LAT=-001.076912<deg> ENDRECORD
RECORD mid_pt: LONG=+000.000000<deg> LAT=+000.000000<deg> ENDRECORD
RECORD right_pt: LONG=+004.851105<deg> LAT=+001.076912<deg> ENDRECORD
ENDUNION swath_rec

[...]

UNION swath_rec=line_swath_rec
REC_NUM=+01200
RECORD left_pt: LONG=-029.936006<deg> LAT=-001.374400<deg> ENDRECORD
RECORD mid_pt: LONG=-025.084106<deg> LAT=-000.298504<deg> ENDRECORD
RECORD right_pt: LONG=-020.233148<deg> LAT=+000.779548<deg> ENDRECORD
ENDUNION swath_rec

ENDLIST num_swath_rec

ENDFILE
```

## 4.12 Zone Database file

**Table 63: Zone DB File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; Zones Database File newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>zdb_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>NUM_ZONES=</b> <b>Number of zones</b> newline character	keyword	10	string	%10s
			6	+xxxxxx	%+05d
		terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>zdb_vhr</b> newline character ; Variable Header	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
		comment		string	%s
8	<b>Data block (see section 4.12.1)</b>				

**Table 63: Zone DB File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	<b>ENDFILE</b> ; Zone Database File newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.12.1 Data Block

**Table 64: Zone DB File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b> blank space <b>num_zones=</b> <b>Number of zones</b> blank space ; <b>Zones</b> newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	10	string	%10s
			5	xxxxx	%05d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	list of <b>zones</b> (see table 65)				
4	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
5	<b>ENDLIST</b> blank space <b>num_zones</b> newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	9	string	%9s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 65: Zone DB File. Zones**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>zone</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	4	string	%4s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>ZONE_DESCRIPTOR=</b>  <b>zone description</b>  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
			28	string	%28s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>ZONE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>Zone Id.</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	5	string	%5s
		-	1	string	\"
			8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>SURFACE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>surface type</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
		-	1	string	\"
			8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>PROJECTION=</b>  quotation mark  <b>projection</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
		-	1	string	\"
			12	string	%12s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>CREATOR=</b>  quotation mark  <b>creator</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	16	string	%16s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 65: Zone DB File. Zones**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
7	<b>LIST</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_polygon_pt=</b>	keyword	15	string	%15s
	<b>Number of zones</b>		3	xxx	%03d
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>; polygon definition (if 1 pt, use also diametre below)</b>	comment		string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
8	list of points (see table 66)				
9	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_polygon_pt</b>	keyword	14	string	%14s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	<b>DIAM=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>diameter</b>		12	+xxxxxxxx.xxx	%012.3f
	<b>&lt;m&gt;</b>	units	3	string	%s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
11	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>zone</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 66: Zone DB File. Polygon Points**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>polygon_pt:</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LONG=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6d
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>LAT=</b>	keyword	4	string	%4s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6d
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

#### 4.12.2 Example

```

FILE ; Zones Database

RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header

FILENAME="ZONE_DB_FILE.N1"

DESTINATION="PDS"
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr

RECORD zdb_vhr ; Variable Header

NUM_ZONES=+00037

ENDRECORD zdb_vhr

LIST num_zones=00037 ; Zones

```

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```
RECORD zone
  ZONE_DESCRIPTOR=""
  ZONE="ZMIK____"
  SURFACE=""
  PROJECTION=""
  CREATOR="TEST DATA"
LIST num_polygon_pt=003 ; polygon definition (if 1 pt, use also diametre below
  RECORD polygon_pt: LONG=+000.000000<deg> LAT=+000.000000<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD polygon_pt: LONG=+000.000000<deg> LAT=+000.000000<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD polygon_pt: LONG=+000.000000<deg> LAT=+000.000000<deg> ENDRECORD
ENDLIST num_polygon_pt
DIAM=+0000000.000<m>
ENDRECORD zone

[...]
ENDLIST num_zones

ENDFILE
```

## 4.13 Ground Stations file

**Table 67: Ground Stations File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>FILE</b> ; Ground Stations File newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> blank space ; Fixed Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>Fixed header record (see section 4.1)</b>				
4	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>fhr</b> newline character	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	3	string	%3s
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>RECORD</b> blank space <b>gdb_vhr</b> blank space ; Variable Header newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>NUM_GROUND_STA=</b> <b>Number of stations</b> newline character	keyword	15	string	%15s
			6	+xxxxxx	%+05d
		terminator	1	string	\n
7	<b>ENDRECORD</b> blank space <b>gdb_vhr</b> newline character ; Variable Header	keyword	9	string	%9s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	7	string	%7s
		terminator	1	string	\n
		comment		string	%s
8	<b>Data block (see section 4.13.1)</b>				

**Table 67: Ground Stations File**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
9	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
10	<b>ENDFILE</b> ; Ground Stations File newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n

#### 4.13.1 Data Block

**Table 68: Ground Stations File. Data Block**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>LIST</b> blank space <b>num_ground_sta=</b> <b>Number of stations</b> blank space ; Ground Stations newline character	keyword	4	string	%4s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	14	string	%14s
			5	xxxxx	%05d
			1	string	%1s
		comment		string	%s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
3	list of ground stations(see table 69)				
4	newline character	empty line	1	string	\n
5	<b>ENDLIST</b> blank space <b>num_ground_sta</b> newline character	keyword	7	string	%7s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	13	string	%13s
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 69: Ground Stations File. Ground Stations**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>ground_sta</b>  newline character	keyword	6	string	%6s
			1	string	%1s
		keyword	10	string	%10s
		terminator	1	string	\n
2	<b>STATION_DESCRIPTOR=</b>  <b>Station description</b>  newline character	keyword	19	string	%19s
			28	string	%28s
		terminator	1	string	\n
3	<b>STATION=</b>  quotation mark  <b>Station Id.</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
4	<b>ANTENNA=</b>  quotation mark  <b>Antenna</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
5	<b>PURPOSE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>Purpose</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	8	string	%8s
		-	1	string	\"
			28	string	%28s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n
6	<b>TYPE=</b>  quotation mark  <b>type</b>  quotation mark  newline character	keyword	5	string	%5s
		-	1	string	\"
			4	string	%4s
		-	1	string	\"
		terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 69: Ground Stations File. Ground Stations**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
7	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>validity:</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>START=</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Start date</b>		11	string	%11s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>STOP=</b>	keyword	5	string	%5s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	<b>Stop date</b>		11	string	%11s
	quotation mark	-	1	string	\"
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

**Table 69: Ground Stations File. Ground Stations**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
8	<b>RECORD</b>  blank space  <b>location:</b>  blank space  <b>LONG=</b>  <b>longitude</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>  blank space  <b>LAT=</b>  <b>latitude</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>  blank space  <b>ALT=</b>  <b>altitude</b>  <b>&lt;m&gt;</b>  blank space  <b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword   keyword   keyword   keyword   units   keyword   units   keyword   units   keyword   units   keyword	6   9   5   11  5  1  4  11  5  1  4  9  3  1  9	string   string   string   string   string   string   string   string   string   string   string   string	%6s   %1s   %9s   %1s   %5s  %+011.6d  %s  %1s  %4s  %+011.6d  %s  %1s  %4s  %+09.3d  %s  %1s  %s
6	<b>DEFAULT_EL=</b>  <b>Default elevation</b>  <b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>  newline character	keyword   units  terminator	11   5  1	string   string   string	%11s   %+011.6s  %5s  \n
9	<b>LIST</b>  blank space  <b>num_mask_pt=</b>  <b>Number of points</b>  blank space  <b>; mask definition</b>  newline character	keyword   keyword   comment  terminator	4   11  3  1  comment  1	string   string   xxx  string  string	%4s   %1s   %11s  %03d  %1s  %s  \n
10	list of mask points (see table 70)				

**Table 69: Ground Stations File. Ground Stations**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
11	<b>ENDLIST</b>	keyword	7	string	%7s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>num_mask_pt</b>	keyword	11	string	%11s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n
12	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%9s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ground_stn</b>	keyword	10	string	%10s
	newline character	terminator	1	string	\n

**Table 70: Ground Stations File. Mask Points**

N	Description	units	Byte Length	Data Type	C Format
1	<b>RECORD</b>	keyword	6	string	%6s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>mask_pt:</b>	keyword	8	string	%8s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>AZ=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>longitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6d
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>EL=</b>	keyword	3	string	%3s
	<b>latitude</b>		11	+xxx.xxxxxx	%+011.6d
	<b>&lt;deg&gt;</b>	units	5	string	%s
	blank space		1	string	%1s
	<b>ENDRECORD</b>	keyword	9	string	%s

#### 4.13.2 Example

FILE ; Ground Stations Database

RECORD fhr ; Fixed Header

FILENAME="GROUND\_STATION\_FILE.N1"

```

DESTINATION="PDS,FOS"
PHASE_START=+000
CYCLE_START=+000
REL_START_ORBIT=+00000
ABS_START_ORBIT=+00000

ENDRECORD fhr

RECORD gdb_vhr ; Variable Header

NUM_GROUND_STA=+124

ENDRECORD gdb_vhr

LIST num_ground_sta=124 ; Ground Stations

RECORD ground_sta
  STATION_DESCRIPTOR="Fairbanks (ALASKA) 12M anten"
  STATION="GFAIRBCX"
  ANTENNA="X-BAND"
  PURPOSE="GLOBAL"
  TYPE=""
RECORD validity: START="1995-JAN-01" STOP="2010-JAN-01" ENDRECORD
RECORD location: LONG=-147.520800<deg> LAT=+064.976500<deg> ALT=+0289.000<m> ENDRECORD
DEFAULT_EL=+005.000000<deg>
LIST num_mask_pt=005 ; mask definition
  RECORD mask_pt: AZ=+000.000000<deg> EL=+009.500000<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD mask_pt: AZ=+050.000000<deg> EL=+007.100000<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD mask_pt: AZ=+180.000000<deg> EL=+007.100000<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD mask_pt: AZ=+310.000000<deg> EL=+007.100000<deg> ENDRECORD
  RECORD mask_pt: AZ=+360.000000<deg> EL=+009.500000<deg> ENDRECORD
ENDLIST num_mask_pt
ENDRECORD ground_sta

ENDLIST num_ground_sta

ENDFILE

```











