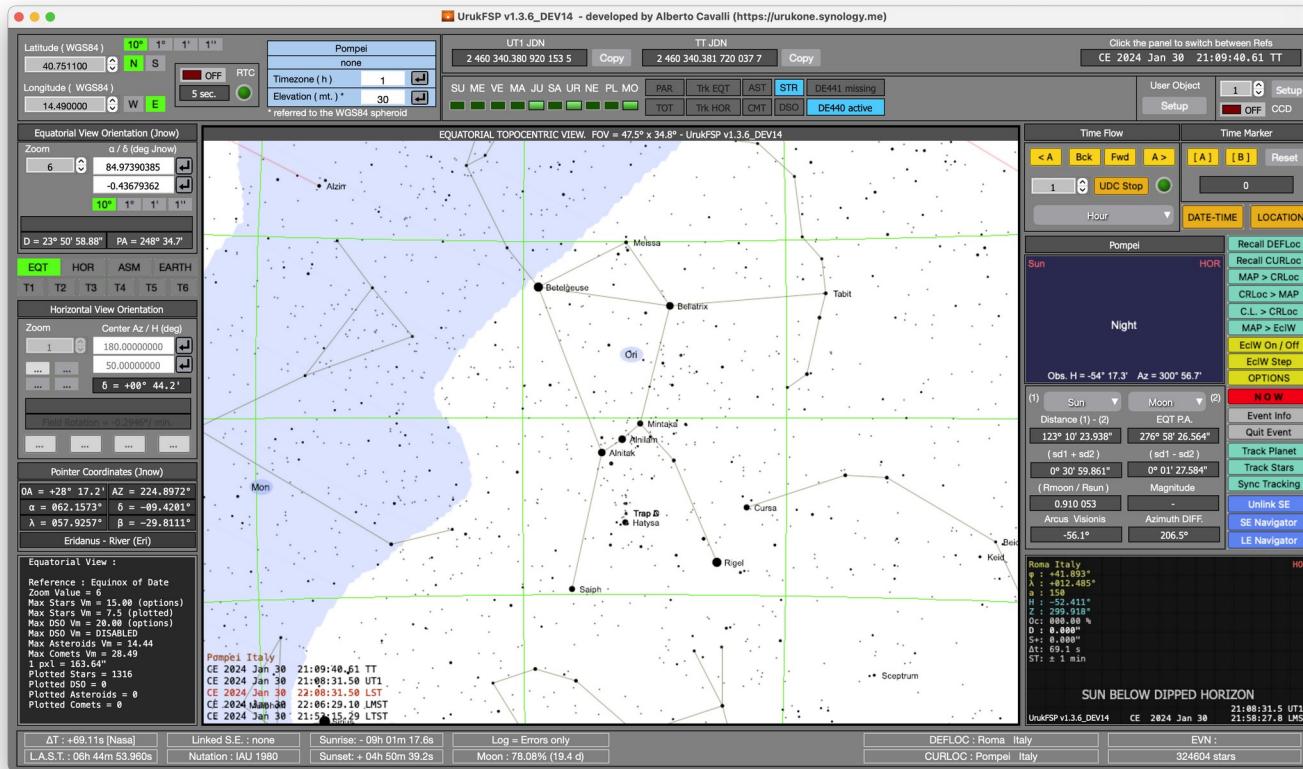


UrukFSP 1.4.1
Tool for Archaeoastronomy
Free Software Project

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Project start : 2020

Hardware and OS requirements:



MacOS 64 bit
Linux 64 bit
Windows 64 bit

Display min. resolution:
1366 x 768 px

Minimum RAM:
4 Gb

CPU : >= Intel I3
HDD : SSD recommended
Disk space : 3-4 Gb

Freely downloadable from website : <https://urukone.synology.me>

Dynamic models used:

Solar System : Jet Propulsion Laboratory – Numerical Integrations DE440 and DE441

- Apparent Solar Orbit
- Earth
- Mercury
- Venus
- Mars
- Jupiter
- Saturn
- Uranus
- Neptune
- Pluto
- Moon
- Nutation Model IAU 1980
- Solar System Barycenter. (SSB)

DE440 - from 1649 CE to 2550 CE

DE441 – from 13000 BCE to 17000 CE (needs files downloaded from UrukFSP's website)

DE440 and DE441 represent the state of the art among the dynamic models describing the Solar System Planets' motion.

Comparison with NASA JPL Horizons at 9000 BCE:

Sheet1

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9000 BCE GEOCENTRIC DE441
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Horizons

Precession and Nutation models : IAU76 / IAU80

| Object | Reference | RA ICRF J2000 | DE ICRF J2000 | RA Airless Apparent | DE Airless Apparent | Delta |
|---------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Sun | COM | 00 17 11.659437 | +01 22 27.58316 | 14 05 14.186443 | -13 08 54.58252 | 1.007 907 334 766 |
| Mercury | COM / BAR | 22 50 07.813476 | -09 36 29.64194 | 12 32 44.187634 | -04 47 33.23607 | 1.087 266 367 696 |
| Venus | COM / BAR | 21 55 56.084606 | -12 26 00.44775 | 11 47 48.904627 | +02 52 46.10857 | 1.191 750 469 305 |
| Mars | BAR | 02 00 33.746344 | +11 17 47.15627 | 15 54 29.363504 | -22 12 48.06110 | 2.412 595 490 796 |
| Jupiter | BAR | 20 53 34.993739 | -18 18 37.98221 | 10 47 15.991389 | +08 39 52.28958 | 5.670 329 906 185 |
| Saturn | BAR | 18 08 05.615195 | -22 07 20.57388 | 08 16 29.150104 | +23 11 59.96795 | 9.867 760 055 602 |
| Uranus | BAR | 23 18 46.449069 | -05 27 42.57786 | 13 04 19.069608 | -07 13 31.80496 | 21.120 961 222 678 |
| Neptune | BAR | 01 59 21.715437 | +10 22 46.03737 | 15 51 12.345364 | -22 48 26.09548 | 30.710 049 196 757 |
| Pluto | BAR | 01 50 27.232486 | -06 37 05.68492 | 14 55 42.284672 | -34 57 04.41141 | 48.908 296 545 952 |
| Moon | COM | 17 22 21.985986 | -25 16 56.18555 | 07 29 35.852964 | +21 43 55.52006 | 0.002 698 433 528 |

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Precession and Nutation models : Vondrak 2011 / IAU80

| Object | Reference | RA ICRF J2000 | DE ICRF J2000 | RA Airless Apparent | DE Airless Apparent | Delta (apparent) |
|---------|-----------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|---------------------|--------------------|
| Sun | COM | 00h 17m 11.659s | +01° 22' 27.58" | 14h 05m 02.899s | -13° 07' 34.26" | 01.007 905 470 740 |
| Mercury | COM / BAR | 22h 50m 07.813s | -09° 36' 29.64" | 12h 32m 33.136s | -04° 46' 17.06" | 01.087 266 331 235 |
| Venus | COM / BAR | 21h 55m 56.084s | -12° 26' 00.45" | 11h 47m 37.571s | +02° 53' 55.73" | 01.191 750 441 422 |
| Mars | BAR | 02h 00m 33.746s | +11° 17' 47.16" | 15h 54m 17.021s | -22° 11' 39.37" | 02.412 595 369 402 |
| Jupiter | BAR | 20h 53m 34.993s | -18° 18' 37.98" | 10h 47m 04.212s | +08° 40' 48.92" | 05.670 329 848 525 |
| Saturn | BAR | 18h 08m 05.615s | -22° 07' 20.57" | 08h 16m 15.669s | +23° 12' 09.76" | 09.867 760 282 904 |
| Uranus | BAR | 23h 18m 46.449s | -05° 27' 42.58" | 13h 04m 08.004s | -07° 12' 12.76" | 21.120 960 415 644 |
| Neptune | BAR | 01h 59m 21.715s | +10° 22' 46.04" | 15h 50m 59.996s | -22° 47' 16.81" | 30.710 047 651 385 |
| Pluto | BAR | 01h 50m 27.232s | -06° 37' 05.69" | 14h 55m 30.003s | -34° 55' 47.28" | 48.908 294 182 299 |
| Moon | COM | 17h 22m 21.985s | -25° 16' 56.24" | 07h 29m 22.523s | +21° 43' 48.86" | 00.002 698 693 810 |

Comparison between DE431 and DE441 at 13000 BCE:

Julian Date Number (Terrestrial Time) : -3026826.5 (BCE 13000/01/01 0 TDT)

J2000 - Heliocentric geometric ecliptical coordinates. JPL DE431

| Object | Longitude | Latitude | Distance from Sun(AU) |
|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Earth | 208° 36' 58.471" | +00° 06' 49.11" | 01.016 844 827 730 |
| Mercury | 251° 25' 07.663" | -00° 44' 01.85" | 00.459 804 791 574 |
| Venus | 276° 32' 58.310" | +00° 53' 14.29" | 00.733 983 311 999 |
| Mars | 141° 01' 06.221" | +02° 13' 54.46" | 01.581 960 485 275 |
| Jupiter | 226° 37' 53.320" | +01° 28' 26.57" | 05.333 017 140 965 |
| Saturn | 346° 29' 53.496" | -00° 33' 24.81" | 08.824 722 568 862 |
| Uranus | 125° 57' 39.119" | +00° 51' 35.41" | 18.375 331 498 185 |
| Neptune | 292° 22' 18.202" | +00° 36' 23.74" | 30.175 809 896 253 |
| Pluto | 342° 58' 00.634" | -13° 31' 23.59" | 42.156 717 418 257 |
| Moon (GEOCENTRIC) | 216° 26' 02.249" | -05° 09' 06.96" | 404969.063 Km |

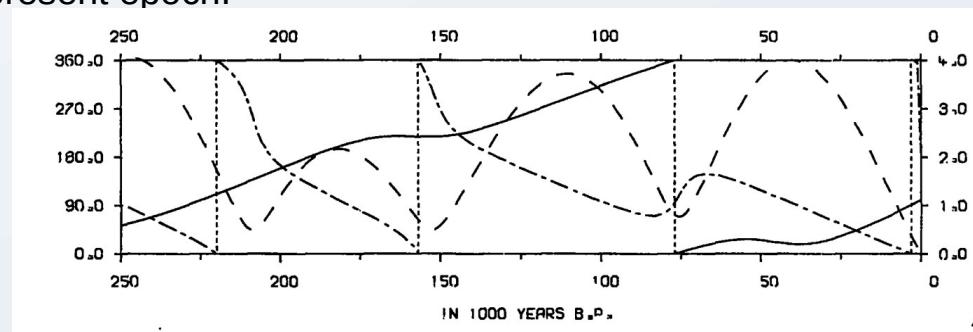
J2000 - Heliocentric geometric ecliptical coordinates. JPL DE441

| Object | Longitude | Latitude | Distance from Sun(AU) |
|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|
| Earth | 208° 36' 33.227" | +00° 06' 50.00" | 01.016 843 384 563 |
| Mercury | 251° 23' 52.954" | -00° 43' 51.72" | 00.459 817 918 288 |
| Venus | 276° 32' 16.999" | +00° 53' 16.21" | 00.733 982 712 662 |
| Mars | 141° 00' 54.960" | +02° 13' 54.18" | 01.581 966 493 493 |
| Jupiter | 226° 37' 53.051" | +01° 28' 26.56" | 05.333 017 240 623 |
| Saturn | 346° 29' 52.517" | -00° 33' 24.77" | 08.824 723 791 203 |
| Uranus | 125° 57' 53.781" | +00° 51' 35.57" | 18.375 303 158 616 |
| Neptune | 292° 22' 51.322" | +00° 36' 22.92" | 30.175 755 117 325 |
| Pluto | 342° 58' 34.931" | -13° 31' 27.11" | 42.157 987 152 896 |
| Moon (GEOCENTRIC) | 213° 41' 32.318" | -05° 03' 55.44" | 405045.155 Km |

The difference in longitude of the moon (DE441 vs DE431) remains in the order of some arcmins until 3000 BCE. Then increases rapidly until it reaches about 3° at 13000 BCE. DE431 uses internally a value of Ndot (moon tidal acceleration) equal to $-25.80''/\text{cy}^2$, DE441 has been computed with Ndot equal to $-25.936''/\text{cy}^2$. This could explain the difference between the two orbits, being the difference in latitude of few arcmins (about 5').

Other dynamic models:

- Precession of Equinoxes : Vondrak, Capitaine, Wallace (2011,2012)
- Stellar proper motion : compatible with IAU SOFA library (includes radial vel.)
- Inclination of Ecliptic (ε) : Vondrak, Capitaine, Wallace (2011,2012)
- Nutations ($\Delta\varepsilon$) and ($\Delta\lambda$) : IAU 2000A IERS
- Sideral Time (ERA) : IAU2006 GST IERS Convention 2010 - Technical Note 36
- DeltaT : Nasa (2006) Espenak – Meeus calibrated to DE441 ndot (-25.936"/cy²)
- DeltaT : UK20A – Events based on recently published papers.
- DeltaT : Manual values can be inserted, in order to check new theories.
- Terrestrial orbit eccentricity – Bretagnon, useable within 2 millions years, centered on 1850 CE
- Terrestrial orbit mean Perihelion – Simon, Bretagnon, Chapront et al., with a linear change backwards 28 millennia from the present epoch.



Mean Earth's Perihelion : Berger - 1976

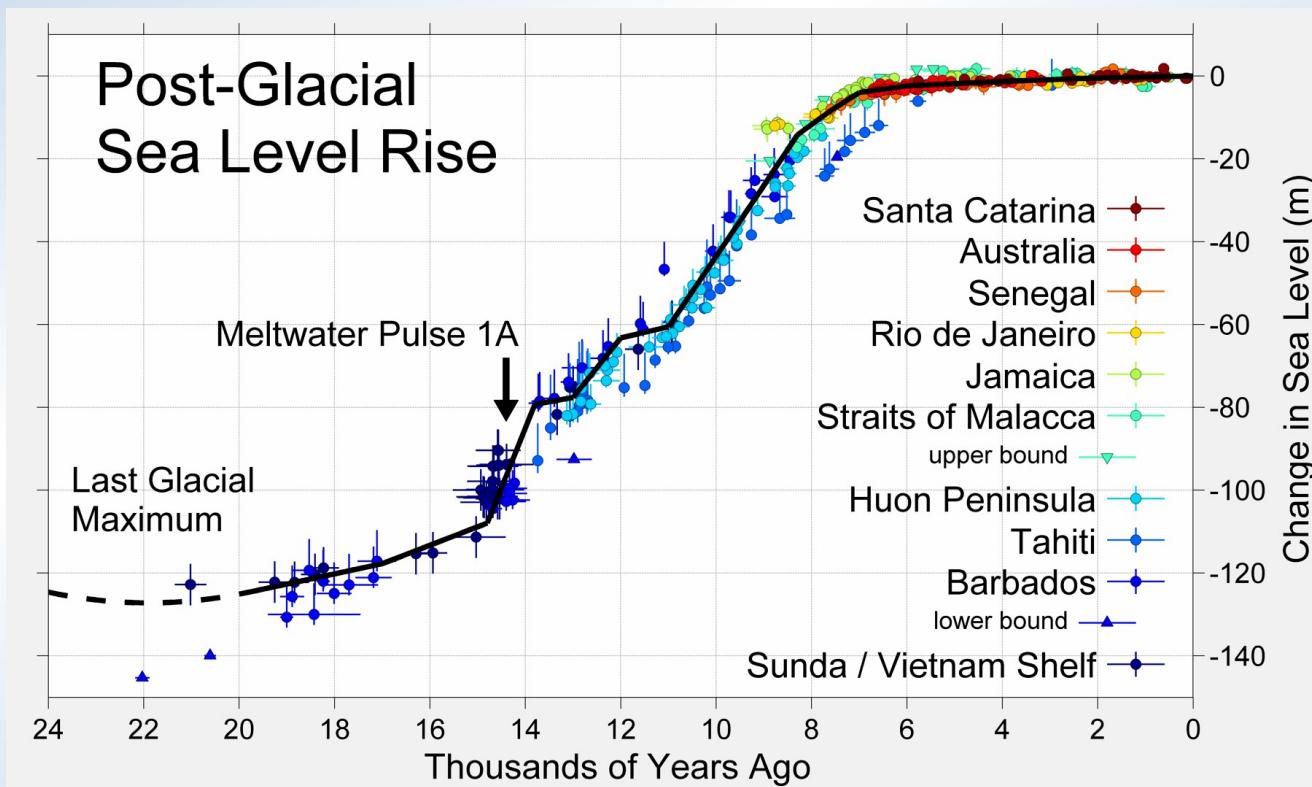
- Annual Aberration : depending on the two quantities shown above.

Deltat - Deceleration of the earth's rotation

- Tidal interactions of the Earth System - Luna
- Movements of the viscous Earth's mantle and the ferrous liquid nucleus
- Increase or decrease in the liquid mass of oceans water

Over the last 70,000 years, three main excursions of the Earth's magnetic field have occurred due to important movements of the Earth's fluid core: the Norwegian Sea-Greenland event, which occurred approximately 64,000 years ago, the Laschamps event between 42,000 and 41,000 years ago and the Mono Lake event, dating back about 34,500 years ago.

Change in level of the liquid mass of water



DeltaT – Earth's Rotation Slowdown (1)

- Before Calibration Point CP001 DeltaT is computed as [-20 + 31.987 * ((y - 1820) / 100)^2]
- From 1620 to 2021, A. Almanac (pages K8-K9) and IERS Bulletin A from <https://datacenter.iers.org/eop.php>
- From 2022 to 2031 NASA extrapolations. <https://cddis.nasa.gov/archive/products/iers/deltat.preds>
- From 2032 onwards, DeltaT is computed as [-71.8 + 31.987 * ((y - 1820) / 100)^2]

DeltaT RC Calibration Points (DE441/DE440)

UK20A UrukFSP model – Takes in account the most recent studies on Ancient Eclipses. Events (CPxx) based.
 Nasa (Espenak, Meeus 2006) calibrated with Ndot = -25.80"/cy²
 UK24A2 second order UrukFSP model calibrated with Ndot = -25.80"/cy² [still under test]
 UK24A2 third order UrukFSP model calibrated with Ndot = -25.80"/cy² [still under test]

| No. | JDN TT | Julian Date TT | ΔT UK20A(sec) | NASA(2006) | UK24A2 [^2] | UK24A3 [^3] | Models still under test | | Referred to UK20A Model only | | |
|-------|--------------|--|---------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|-------|-------|
| | | | | | | | Constr. DE431 | Constr. DE441 | 94400 | 99500 | 94780 |
| CP001 | +0387450.786 | TSE Eshnunna TT 3653 Oct 13 BCE (2) | +095730.00 | +095196.61 | +130744.89 | +138901.44 | 94400 | 99500 | 94780 | 96680 | |
| CP002 | +0501823.453 | ASE Loughcarn TT 3340 Nov 01 BCE (P.Griffin) | +084800.00 | +084606.87 | +110893.04 | +110675.24 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | |
| CP003 | +0536491.812 | PSE Knowth TT 3245 Nov 01 BCE (2) | +081700.00 | +081520.49 | +105274.45 | +103343.08 | 82600 | 83750 | 83120 | 84250 | |
| CP004 | +0572726.117 | PSE Knowth TT 3145 Jan 15 BCE (2) | +078500.00 | +078357.16 | +099602.17 | +096240.94 | 80900 | 81900 | 81500 | 82500 | |
| CP005 | +0651749.965 | PSE 90% Eshnunna TT 2929 May 24 BCE (2) | +072500.00 | +071673.50 | +087929.81 | +082586.01 | 72050 | 74100 | 73000 | 75100 | |
| CP006 | +0752271.580 | TSE Khafaje TT 2654 Aug 11 BCE (2) | +064760.00 | +063600.10 | +074466.77 | +068453.28 | 61700 | 67750 | 62600 | 68050 | |
| CP007 | +0818981.447 | TSE Khafaje TT 2471 Apr 01 BCE (2) | +059600.00 | +058508.43 | +066397.19 | +060792.98 | 59400 | 63300 | 59600 | 62900 | |
| CP008 | +0933028.435 | TSE (Baghdad) TT 2159 Jun 29 BCE (4) | +050800.00 | +050298.55 | +054189.87 | +050275.30 | 00000 | 00000 | 45760 | 53720 | |
| CP009 | +0941179.224 | ASE (China) TT 2137 Oct 22 BCE | +050200.00 | +049734.95 | +053393.33 | +049627.77 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | |
| CP010 | +1042557.602 | TSE Babylon TT 1859 May 15 BCE | +043100.00 | +042994.93 | +044349.05 | +042491.71 | 00000 | 00000 | 42900 | 45500 | |
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| CP014 | +1181735.103 | TSE Thebe Egypt TT 1478 Jun 01 BCE (18) | +034800.00 | +034540.45 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 34400 | 35450 | |
| CP015 | +1208076.500 | TSE Ugarit TT 1406 July 14 BCE – (16) | +033300.00 | +033045.19 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 33020 | 34100 | |
| CP016 | +1219327.032 | PSE Ugarit 98% TT 1375 May 03 BCE – (16) | +032700.00 | +032415.70 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 33500 | 34600 | 33850 | 34950 | |
| CP017 | +1232852.370 | TSE Amarna TT 1338 May 14 BCE (11)(12) | +032000.00 | +031668.29 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 25500 | 35400 | |
| CP018 | +1246022.951 | TSE (China) TT 1302 Jun 5 BCE | +031200.00 | +030947.79 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | |
| CP019 | +1272364.170 | TSE Ekemberg TT 1230 Jul 18 BCE (3) | +029900.00 | +029533.26 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 29550 | 33400 | 29900 | 33700 | |
| CP020 | +1274786.312 | PSE 94% Ugarit TT 1223 Mar 5 BCE (10) | +029700.00 | +029404.11 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 30650 | 31470 | 30900 | 31700 | |
| CP021 | +1292120.232 | PSE 92% Anyang TT 1176 Aug 19 BCE | +029200.00 | +028493.67 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 30500 | 31500 | 30620 | 31710 | |
| CP022 | +1308598.252 | TSE Gaza TT 1131 Sep 30 BCE (5) | +027900.00 | +027641.30 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 27450 | 28300 | |
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| CP024 | +1442903.057 | PSE 98% Nineveh TT 763 Jun 15 BCE | +021400.00 | +021171.48 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 21900 | 23700 | |
| CP025 | +1462659.060 | TSE Qufu TT 709 Jul 17 BCE (13) | +020700.00 | +020292.58 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 20170 | 21100 | 20250 | 21150 | |
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| CP027 | +1506866.432 | PSE 93% Thasos TT 588 Jul 29 BCE (1) | +018200.00 | +018393.64 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 16900 | 18100 | |
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| CP029 | +1543424.870 | ASE Thebe TT 488 Sep 01 BCE (1) | +016610.00 | +016849.93 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 18100 | 18100 | |
| CP030 | +1546881.116 | ASE Thebe TT 478 Feb 17 BCE (1) | +016470.00 | +016685.57 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 15500 | 17200 | 15610 | 17320 | |
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| CP033 | +1577740.031 | ASE Tarsus TT 394 Aug 14 BCE (1) | +015270.00 | +015312.87 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 14680 | 15970 | |

Exit

DeltaT – Earth's Rotation Slowdown (2)

19 Data Sources, mostly published papers, together make up the UK20A model core, not based on formulas but on event reports. As new articles are published, improving our knowledge of ancient eclipses, the model is enriched. The DeltaT value between 2 contiguous events is obtained by means of interpolation. Of course the more events we can collect, the more accurate UK20A model is. This means that this model is always in "work in progress" condition.

| DeltaT RC Calibration Points (DE441/DE440) | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------|---|--|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| CP046 | +2086307.500 | CE 1000 Jan 01 | | +001650.00 | +001557.34 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 |
| CP047 | +2135099.500 | TSE Wurzburg TT 1133 Aug 2 CE (19) | | +001108.00 | +000944.20 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 |
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| CP050 | +2199565.500 | ASE Paris TT 1310 Jan 31 CE (7) | | +000725.00 | +000464.43 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 |
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| CP052 | +2224872.500 | TSE Sevilla TT 1379 May 16 CE (7) | | +000565.00 | +000346.30 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 |
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| CP058 | +2304782.500 | TSE St. Andrews (Scotland) TT 1598 Mar 7 CE (7) | | +000120.00 | +000118.73 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 |
| CP059 | +2312752.500 | CE 1620 Jan 01 – Fit with tabulated values. | | +000122.00 | +000120.31 | ..UK20A... | ..UK20A... | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 | 00000 |
| <hr/> | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - For Years before CP001 DeltaT is computed as [-20 + 31.987 * ((y - 1820) / 100)**2] | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - For Years from 1620 to 2021 see Astronomical Almanac (pages K8-K9) and IERS Bulletin A from https://datacenter.iers.org/eop.php | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - For Years from 2022 to 2031 predicted values are used. See https://cdsdis.nasa.gov/archive/products/iers/deltat.preds | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| - For Years from 2032 onwards DeltaT is computed as [-71.8 + 31.987 * ((y - 1820) / 100)**2] | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| (19) Total solar eclipses of AD 1133 and ΔT – Morrison, Hohenkerk, Zawilski, Stephenson – J. of H. of A. 2023 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Locations Archive:

Locations Database

| ID | Delete | Group | Name | Note | Latitude (N+) | Longitude (E+) | H(mt) | TZ | Horizon Profile Filename |
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| 0003 | 16 | (russia) | | | +54.800000 | +020.600000 | 10 | 0 | |
| 0004 | 16 | (USA) | | | +65.000000 | -158.000000 | 5 | 0 | |
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| 0007 | 05 | Abadan | Iran | | +30.330000 | +048.250000 | 5 | 3.5 | |
| 0008 | 03 | Abilene | Texas | | +32.451390 | -099.730830 | 521 | -6 | |
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| 0010 | 02 | Accra | Ghana | | +05.550000 | -000.250000 | 5 | 0 | |
| 0011 | 02 | Addis Ababa | Ethiopia | | +09.050000 | +038.700000 | 5 | 3 | |
| 0012 | 09 | Adelaide | Australia | | -34.920000 | +138.580000 | 5 | 9.5 | |
| 0013 | 16 | AFGHANISTAN | | | +33.200000 | +063.100000 | 5 | 0 | |
| 0014 | 07 | Agordo | Italy | | +46.282222 | +012.034444 | 611 | 1 | agordo_horizon.pkf |
| 0015 | 07 | Agrigento | Italy | | +37.296381 | +013.600000 | 230 | 1 | |
| 0016 | 01 | Akkad ? | Ancient Mesopotamia | | +33.915000 | +044.447000 | 5 | 2 | |
| 0017 | 03 | Akron | Ohio | | +41.083330 | | | | |
| 0018 | 05 | Al Kuwait | Kuwait | | +29.333330 | | | | |
| 0019 | 15 | Ala-Safat | Dolmen, Jordan (e= -195 m) | | +32.099330 | | | | |
| 0020 | 16 | ALBANIA | | | +40.600000 | | | | |
| 0021 | 03 | Albany | New York | | +42.650280 | | | | |
| 0022 | 02 | All | All | | +35.000000 | | | | |

GROUP ID

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| (2) Africa | (6) Europe | (10) Central America | (14) Antarctic | - To DELETE or |
| (3) U.S.A. | (7) Italy | (11) South America | (15) Dolmen / Menhir | - To ADD one or |
| (4) Canada | (8) Observ. | (12) Pacific Ocean | (16) NATIONS or Labels | - To EDIT existing |
| - To avoid any errors - Up to 1999 locations - Either commas or separated numbers | | | | |

Add New Location

Locations Database

| Africa | | Antarctic | | Arctic | | Asia | | Australasia | | Canada | | Central America | | Europe | |
|--------|--------|-----------|-------|--------|---------------|---------|-------|-------------|---------|--------|--|-----------------|--|--------|--|
| Dolmen | Menhir | Ancient | Sites | Italy | Observatories | Pacific | Ocean | South | America | U.S.A. | | | | | |

Location Details

| ID | Location Name | Comment |
|-----|------------------|-----------------------|
| 016 | Akkad ? | Ancient Mesopotamia |
| 023 | Aleppo | Syria |
| 024 | Alexandria | Egypt |
| 033 | Amarna | 1346 BCE – 1330 BCE |
| 034 | Amritsar | India |
| 036 | An-yi | TSE 22-10-2137 a.C. |
| 039 | Andelos | Spain |
| 042 | Angkor Wat | Cambodia |
| 045 | Aniba | Ancient Egypt (Nubia) |
| 051 | Anyang | Ancient Chinese city |
| 072 | Assur (Ziggurat) | Ancient Mesopotamia |
| 073 | Asturica Augusta | Spain |
| 077 | Athens | Greece (Acropolis) |

Historical Data

| | |
|------------------------|---------------------|
| Group ID | HISTORICAL |
| Location Name | Akkad ? |
| Comment | Ancient Mesopotamia |
| Latitude | N 33° 54' 54.00" |
| Longitude | E 44° 26' 49.200" |
| Elevation over Geoid | 5 mt. |
| Timezone | GMT+02.0 |
| Linked Horizon Profile | |

$\rho \sin \phi' = 0.554\ 806\ 050\ 392\ 425$ (WGS84 geoid)
 $\rho \cos \phi' = 0.830\ 733\ 009\ 483\ 366$ (WGS84 geoid)
 $\rho = 0.998\ 963\ 003\ 993\ 610$ (WGS84 geoid)
 $\phi' = N 33^\circ 44' 13.30''$ (WGS84 geoid)

Commonly used ϕ and λ are geodetic coordinates, referred to WGS84.
 ϕ' is the geocentric latitude sometimes used with astronomical calculations.
WGS84 spheroid is currently used by Global Positioning System (GPS).

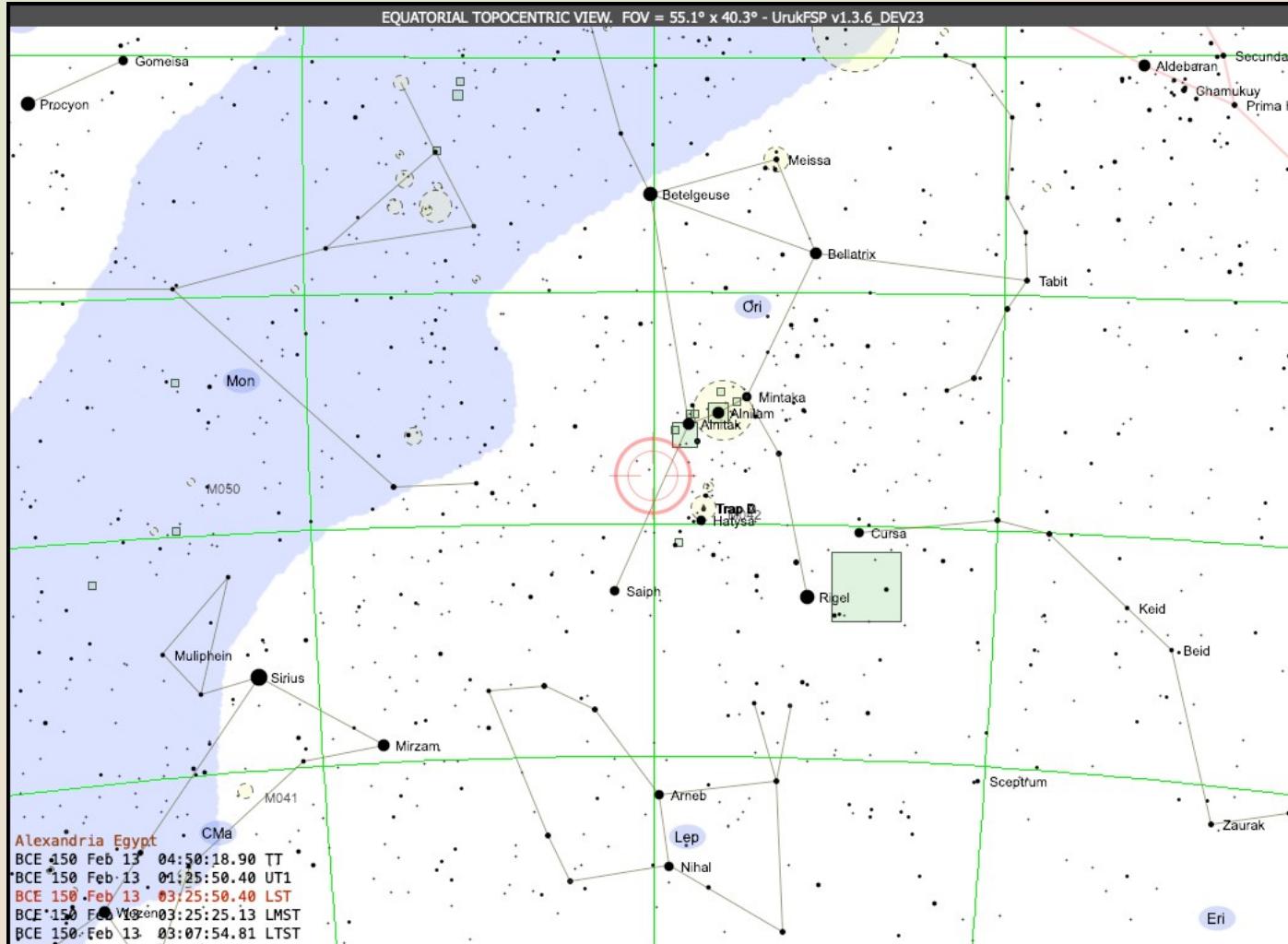
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Buttons

- Apply
- Exit

About 1200 locations categorized already present in the archive of 2000 slots available.
Each location can be associated with a horizon profile downloadable for example from Peakfinder.

Stars Archive and Deep Space Objects



2,150,000 GAIA DR3, XHIP and Tycho2 stars.

10400 DSO objects coming from different catalogues (NGC, Messier, IC, UGC, 3C, etc.)

Stars Database

Stellar Catalogue

| DESIGNATIONS | | Sirius HIP 032349 TYC 5949-2777-1 | | |
|----------------|----------------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| Internal Index | 1 | Sirius | HIP 032349 | TYC 5949-2777-1 |
| Hipparcos2 | 32349 | Catalogue RA J2000 | 06h 45m 08.917s | |
| Tycho2 | 5949-2777-1 | Catalogue DEC J2000 | -16° 42' 58.02" | |
| GAIA DR3 | 0 | RA Proper Motion | -546.010 mas/yr | |
| HD | 48915 | DEC Proper Motion | -1223.070 mas/yr | |
| HR | 2491 | Radial Velocity | -5.500 Km/s | |
| Bayer | Alp CMa | Parallax | 379.210 mas | |
| Flamsteed | 9 CMa | Distance from Earth | 8.60 ly / 2.64 pc | |
| Constellation | Canis Major (CMa) | Visual Magnitude | -1.088 | |
| IAU Name | Sirius | Ph. Magnitude | -1.580 | |
| | | GAIA Gmag | N/A | |
| | | Color Index (B-V) | +0.009 | |
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| | | Surface T (°K) | 10014 | |
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| HR : | <input type="text"/> | Apparent Altitude | -68° 09.9' | |
| Name : | <input type="text"/> | Azimuth NESW | 307° 12.0' | |

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Applied Corrections

Track Selected Star
Before asking Simbad copy a valid value from a catalog of your choice
Exit

Every star can be accessed for reading and tracking on the sky

Access on the Simbad Platform for gathering further infos about stars

Comets and Asteroids

Comets Data Management

| ID | Designation | Type | Perihelion Date TT | q (AU) | Perihelion Arg. | Eccentricity | Asc. Node | Inclination | Epoch | Abs. Mag. |
|-------|---------------------------------|------|--------------------|----------|-----------------|--------------|-----------|-------------|----------|-----------|
| 00001 | C/1995 O1 (Hale-Bopp) | C | 1997 03 30.7342 | 0.898145 | 130.2178° | 0.994982 | 282.3223° | 89.4570° | 20240213 | -2.0 |
| 00002 | P/1996 R2 (Lagerkvist) | P | 2026 15.2734 | 2.586847 | 333.4248° | 0.314543 | 40.0583° | 2.5998° | 20240213 | 11.5 |
| 00003 | P/1998 VS24 (LINEAR) | P | 2027 09 6.8651 | 3.421000 | 244.7225° | 0.243630 | 159.0684° | 5.0282° | 20240213 | 13.0 |
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| 00005 | P/1999 XN120 (Catalina) | P | 2025 12 22.4272 | 3.298143 | 161.6832° | 0.210805 | 285.2606° | 5.0297° | 20240213 | 13.5 |
| 00006 | P/2000 R2 (LINEAR) | P | 2025 12 2.1784 | 1.626933 | 176.5910° | 0.530927 | 160.2914° | 11.6821° | 20240213 | 18.0 |
| 00007 | P/2001 H5 (NEAT) | P | 2030 10 26.3376 | 2.448003 | 224.6663° | 0.598394 | 328.6401° | 8.3687° | 20240213 | 12.0 |
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| 00014 | P/2004 D029 (Spacewatch-LINEAR) | P | 2024 06 1.6638 | 4.877457 | 40.3983° | 0.4441970 | 147.3786° | 0.770271 | 20240213 | 12.0 |
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| 00018 | P/2004 V5-B (LINEAR-HILL) | P | 2027 08 10.2956 | 4.433200 | 87.4131° | 0.446789 | 47.7387° | 0.770271 | 20240213 | 12.0 |
| 00019 | P/2005 E1 (Tubbiolo) | P | 2023 09 27.7835 | 4.482735 | 193.8705° | 0.376462 | 335.5253° | 0.770271 | 20240213 | 12.0 |
| 00020 | P/2005 J1 (McNaught) | P | 2025 07 11.8138 | 1.546108 | 338.9152° | 0.569621 | 268.7988° | 0.770271 | 20240213 | 12.0 |

Asteroids Data Management

| ID | Designation | H | G | Diameter (Km) | Epoch TT | Epoch JDNTT | Mean Anomaly | Arg. of Perihelion | Node | Inclination | Mean Daily Motion | E |
|-------|-----------------|------|------|---------------|----------|-------------|--------------|--------------------|------------|-------------|-------------------|----------|
| 00001 | (1) Ceres | 3.34 | 0.15 | 939.4 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 60.07879° | 73.42179° | 80.25497° | 10.58688° | 0.2141068° | 0.770271 |
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| 00003 | (3) Juno | 5.17 | 0.15 | 246.6 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 37.0231° | 247.73792° | 169.8392° | 12.99055° | 0.22608445° | 0.770271 |
| 00004 | (4) Vesta | 3.25 | 0.15 | 525.4 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 169.35183° | 151.66223° | 103.71002° | 7.14218° | 0.27152244° | 0.770271 |
| 00005 | (5) Astraea | 7 | 0.15 | 106.7 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 303.39802° | 359.13666° | 141.46909° | 5.35867° | 0.23826556° | 0.770271 |
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| 00011 | (11) Parthenope | 6.73 | 0.15 | 142.9 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 329.09194° | 195.82238° | 125.51744° | 4.63154° | 0.25659806° | 0.770271 |
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| 00014 | (14) Irene | 6.55 | 0.15 | 152.0 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 184.13438° | 97.86066° | 86.07616° | 9.1195° | 0.23673489° | 0.770271 |
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| 00019 | (19) Fortuna | 7.5 | 0.15 | 200.0 | 20230913 | 2460200.5 | 249.83457° | 182.59262° | 211.03918° | 1.57358° | 0.25823185° | 0.770271 |

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Both files contain the osculating elements of 1,000,000 asteroids at the epoch [Epoch TT]. UrukFSP will load and use the first 10,000 entries.
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CREDITS : JET PROPULSION LABORATORY PASADENA.

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Timestamp : 2024-02-14
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Download Asteroid Data
Turn Asteroids ON / OFF
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Source : Minor Planet Center
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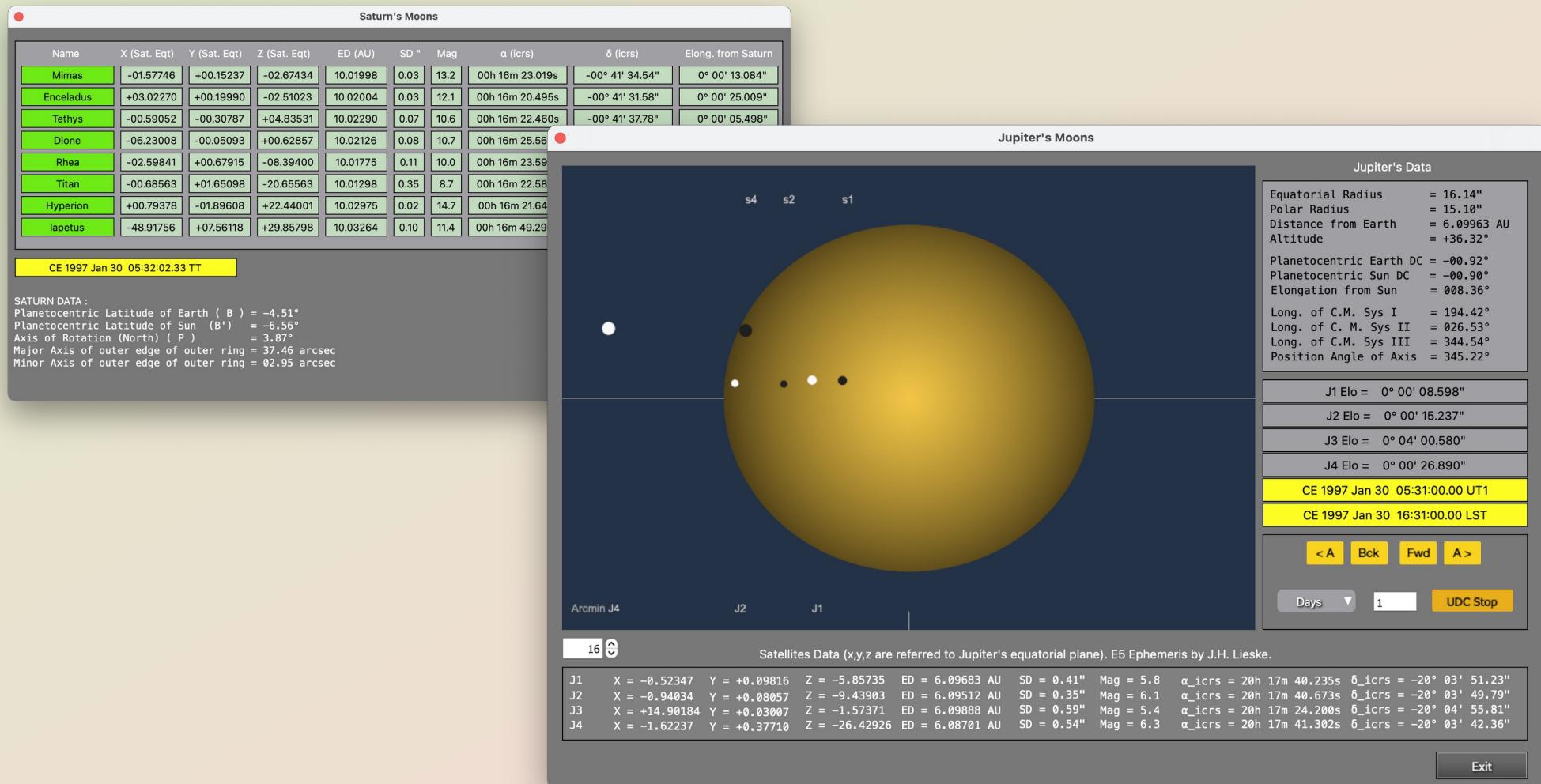
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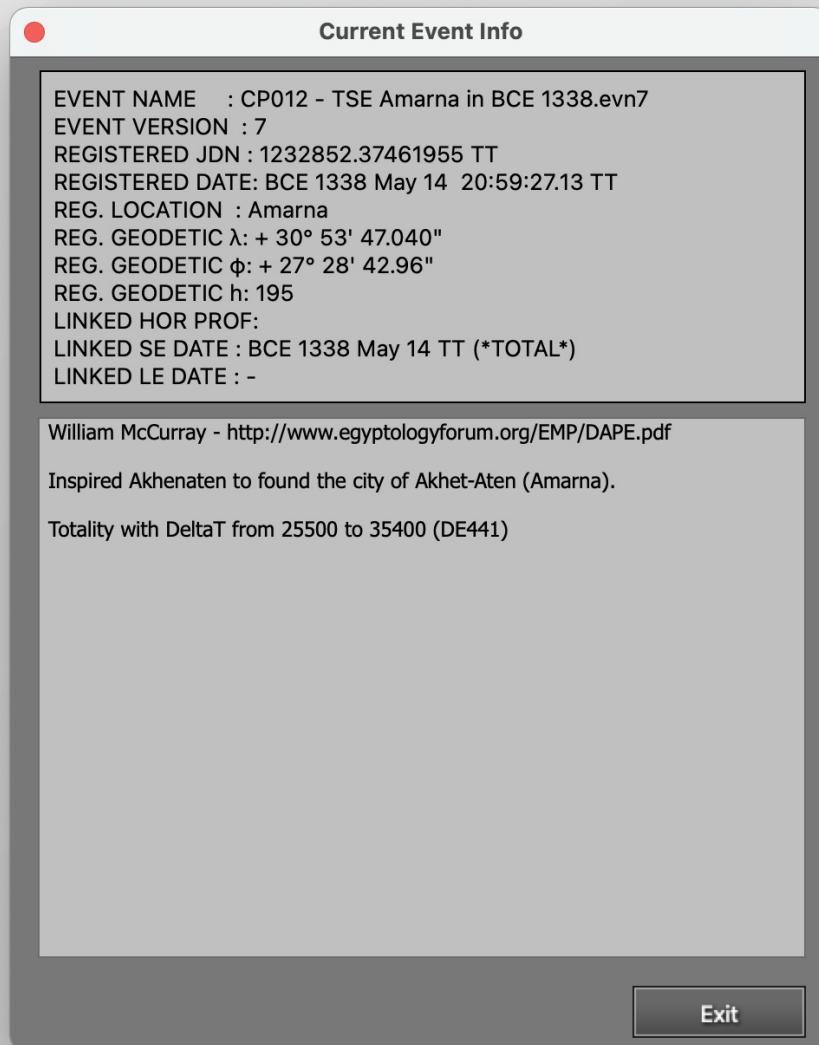
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Only the main satellites of Jupiter and Saturn are processed

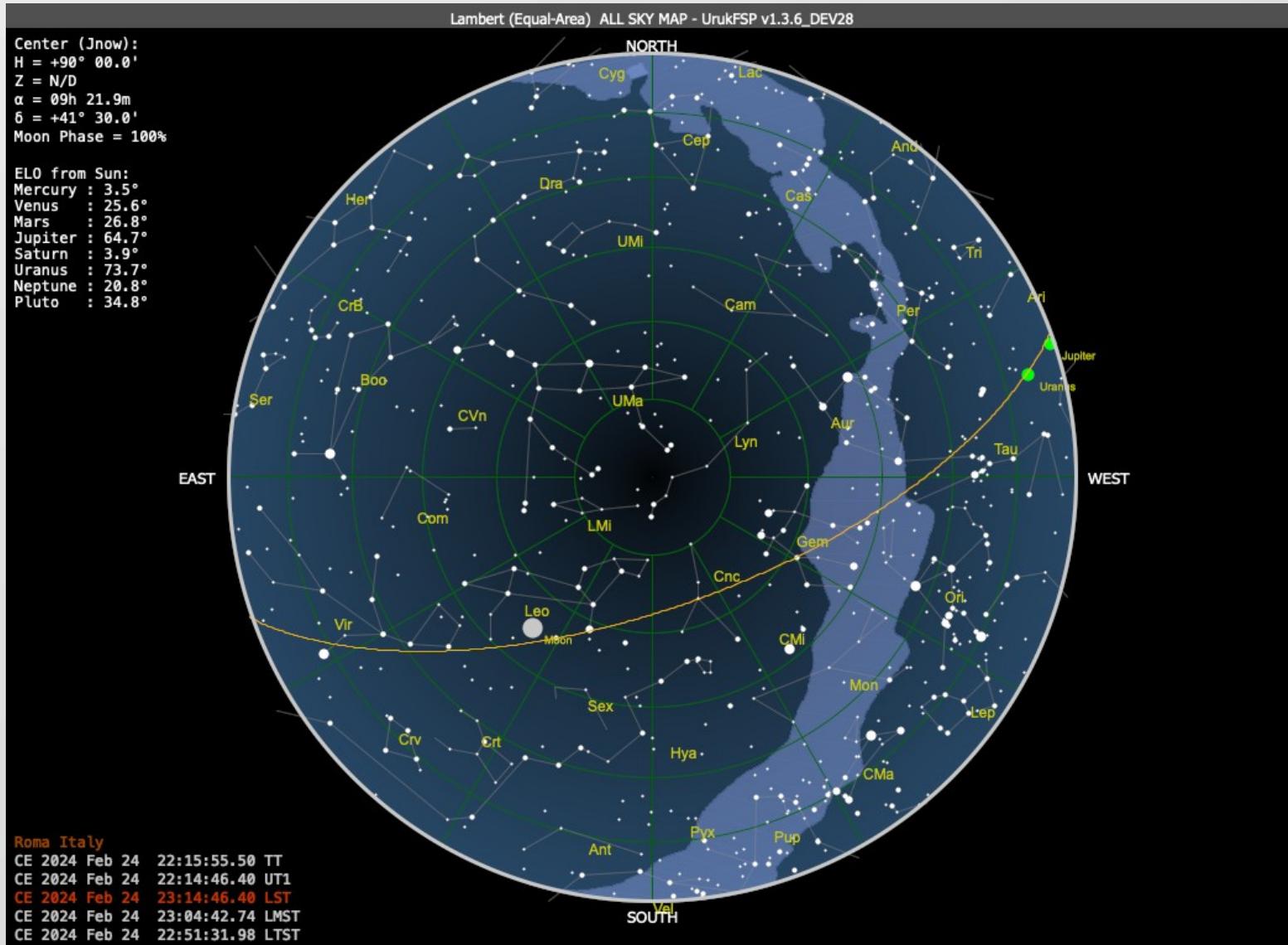
Saving and Loading Events (URUKFSP_User/Events)

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- Given the type of asteroid and comet data, these object will not be considered in saving.
- Especially useful for saving sun and moon eclipse and particular planetary configurations.
- It is possible to associate work notes on the saved event.



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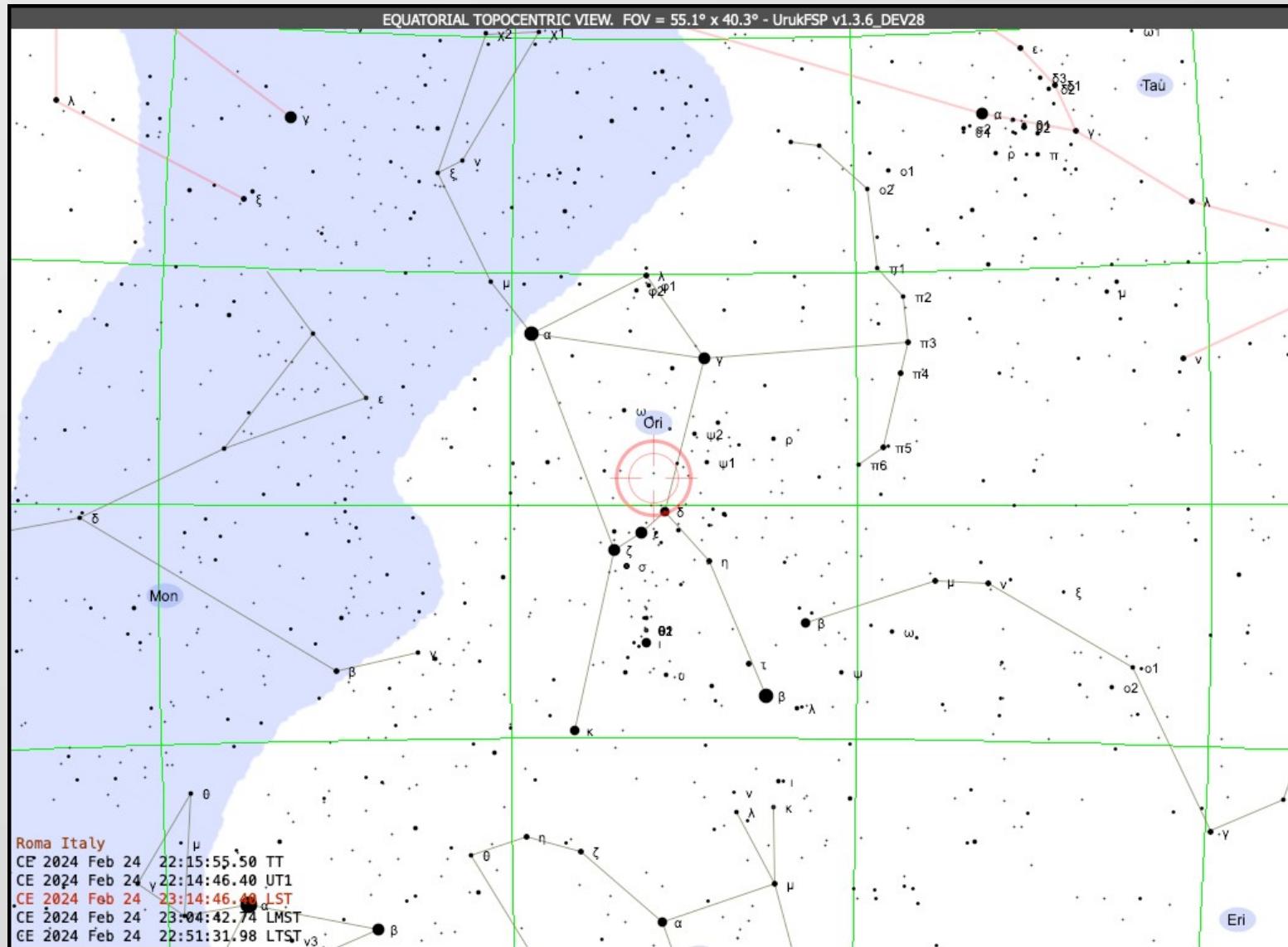
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Example of All Sky Map saving to file.

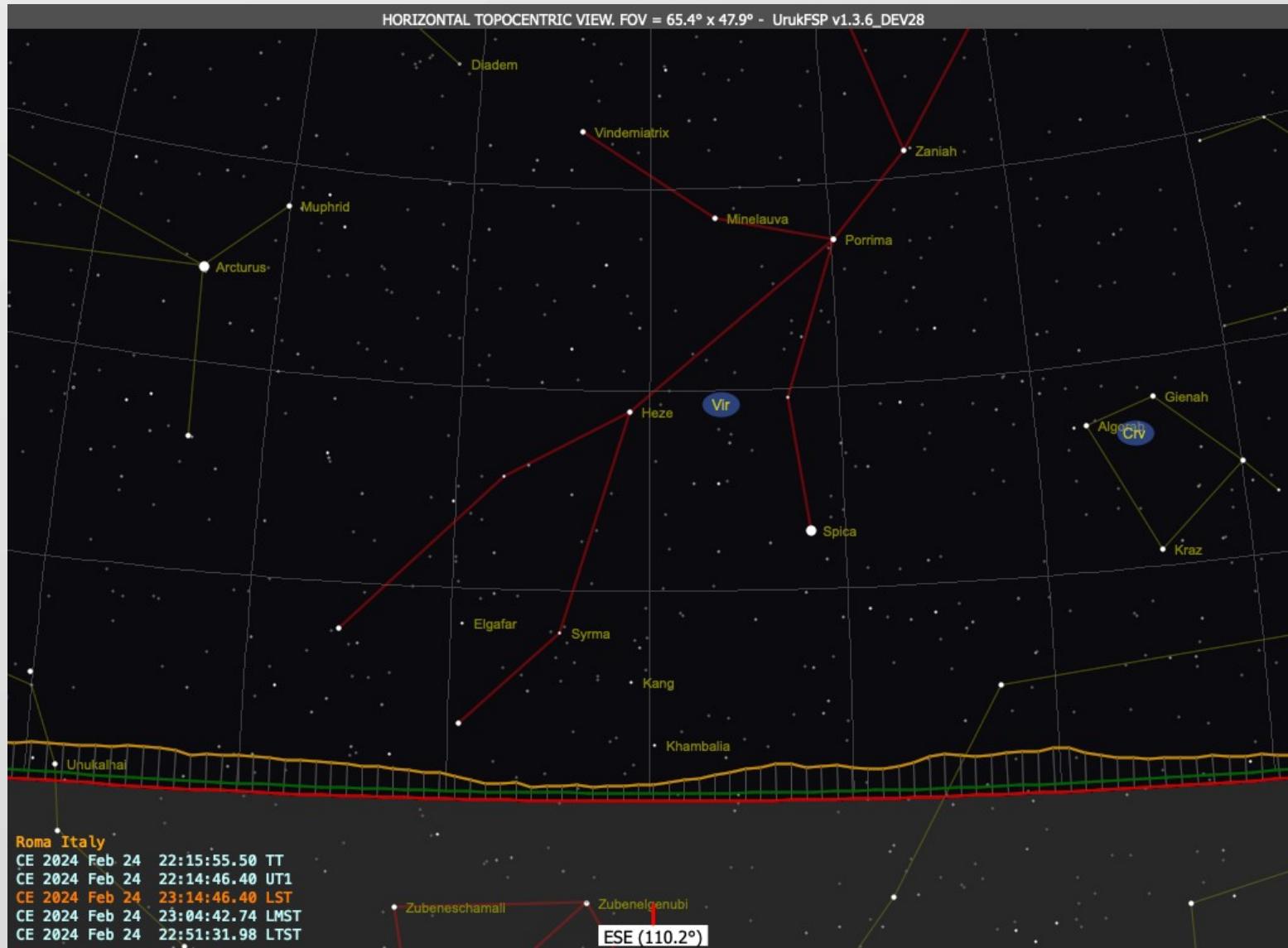
EQUATORIAL View

View in stereographic projection zoomable, referred to th equinox of the date. Normally with the north pole at the top. It can simulate the sky as seen by the southern hemisphere by applying the vertical and horizontal flips of the vision.



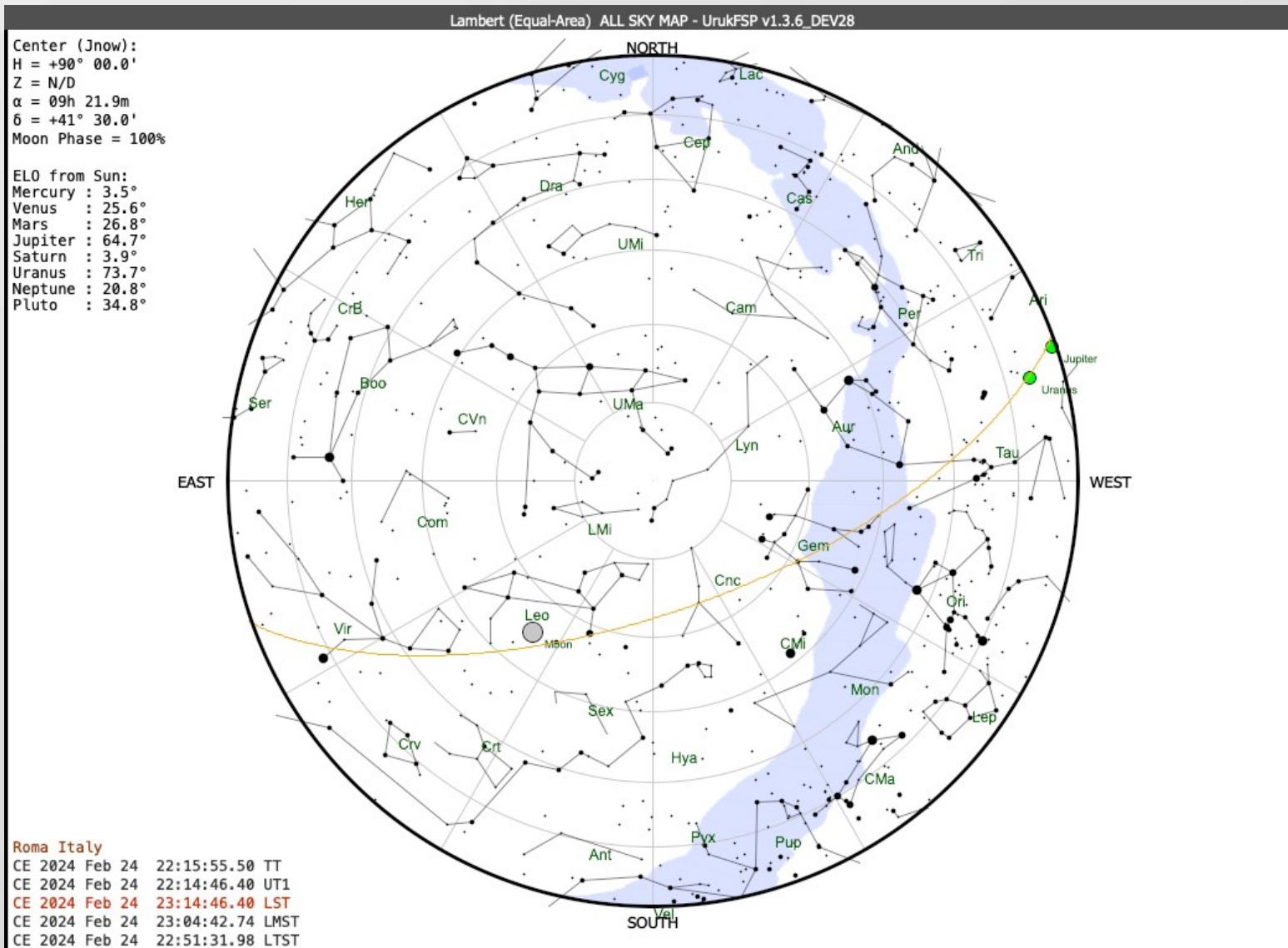
Horizontal View

Offers a horizontal view of the current location, with the possibility to load a horizon profile



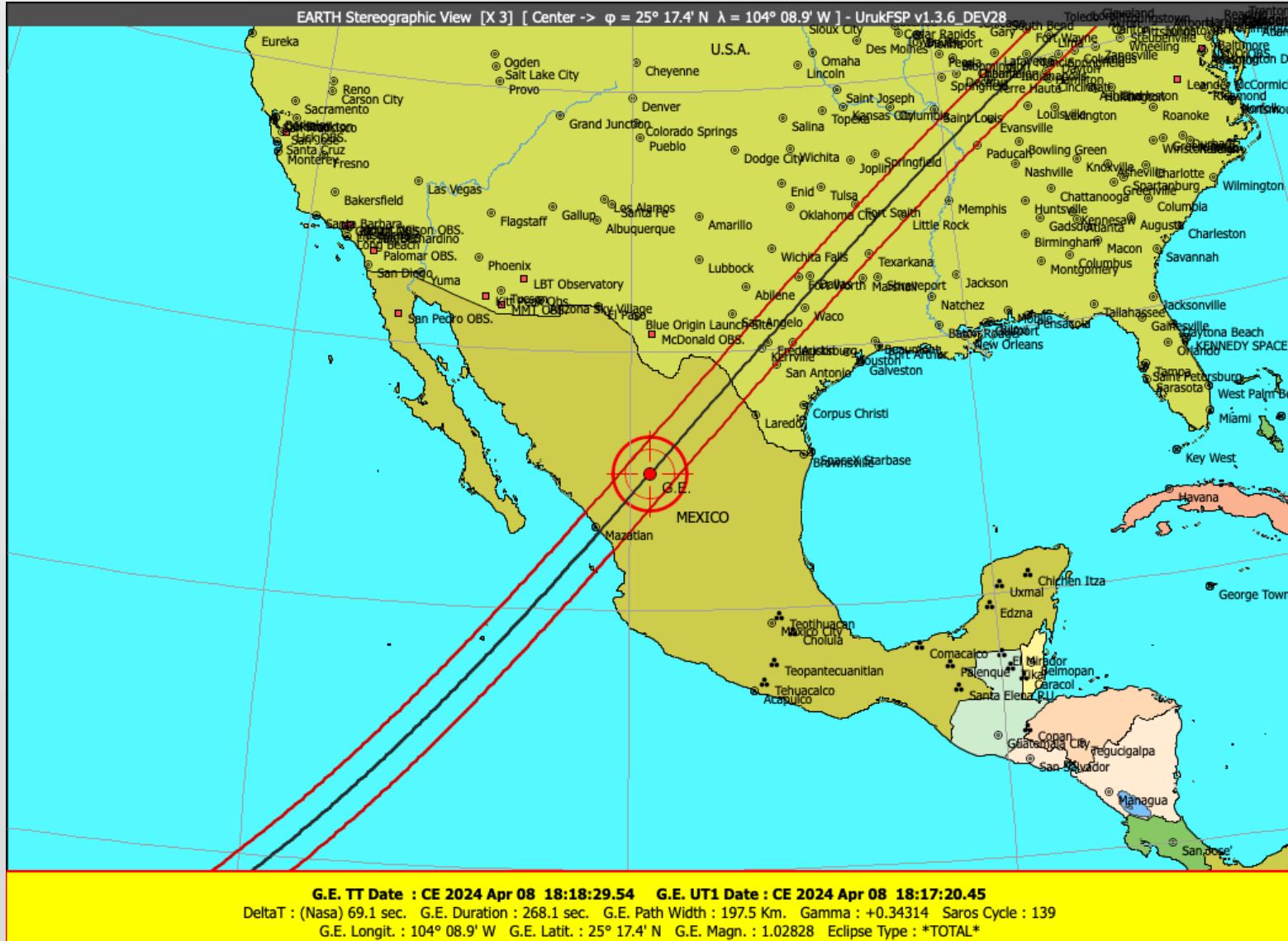
ALL SKY MAP View

All Sky Map View of the Current Location.



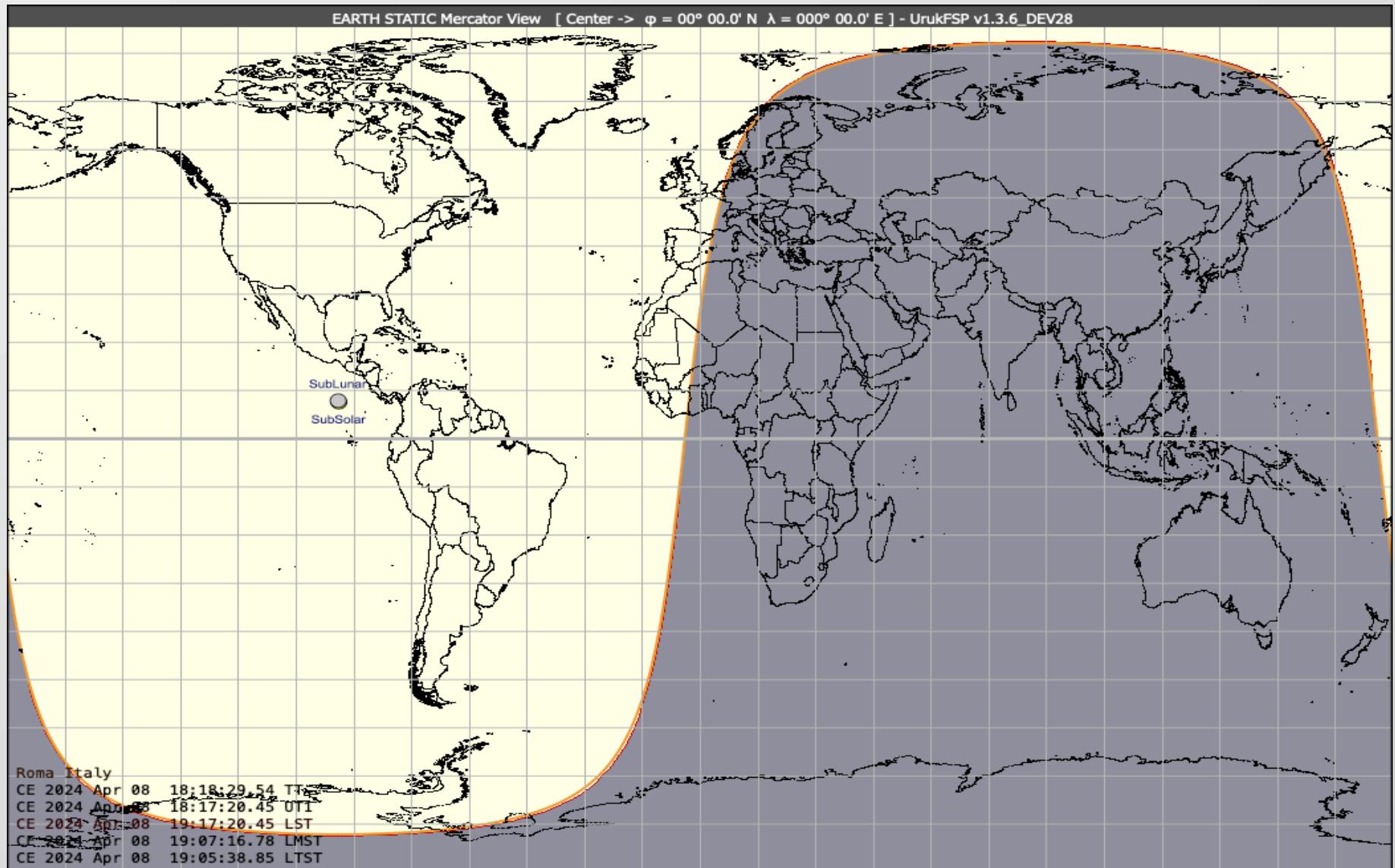
(EARTH Views) Stereographic View

Explorable view of the Earth with archived locations. In case of solar eclipses, it shows the Path.



(EARTH Views) Mercator Static View

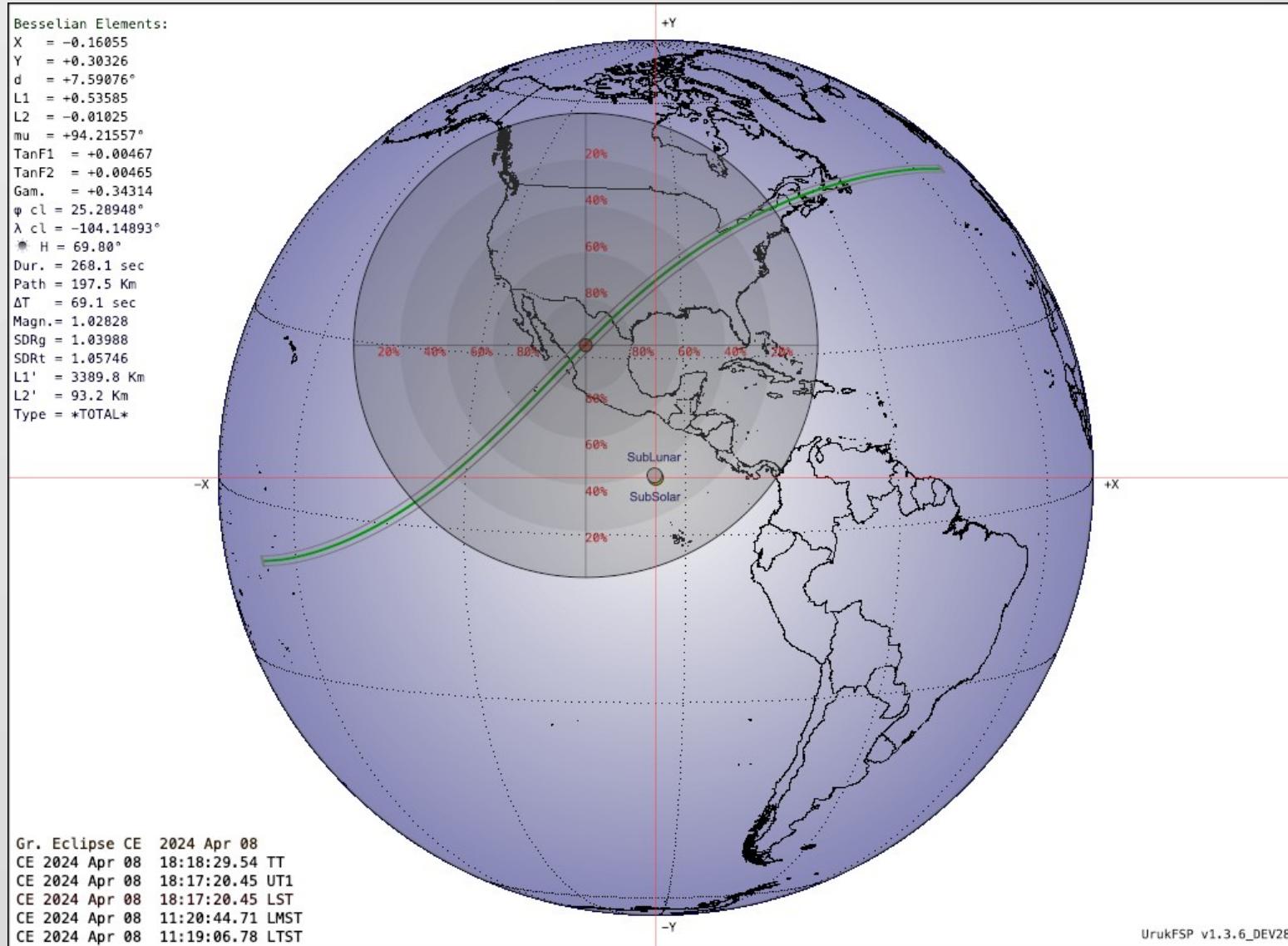
It usually shows the Earth's day/night zone, the presence of the Moon and, in case of solar eclipses, the Path.



(EARTH Views)

Ortographic View centered on SUBSOLAR or SUBLUNAR points

If the SUBSOLAR point is selected, in case of a solar eclipse it shows the path of the umbra and penumbra.



Dynamic Ephemeris – 4 terminals (T1 - T4)

Ecliptic, equatorial, geocentric and topocentric coordinates of the Planets of the S.S.

They are updated in real time with Time Flow commands or with the system clock.

DYNAMIC EPHEMERIS TERMINAL 3 - UrukFSP v1.3.6_DEV28

CE 2024 Apr 08 18:18:29.54 TT

CE 2024 Apr 08 18:17:20.45 UT1

Equatorial GEOCENTRIC Airless-Apparent

| Body | RA | DEC | Phase | El. from Sun | Mag. |
|-----------------------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|--------------|------|
| SUN : 01h 11m 37.129s | +07° 35' 20.77" | 0.000 | 0° 00' 00.000" | -26.7 | |
| MOON: 01h 10m 57.480s | +07° 53' 55.52" | 0.000 | 0° 21' 00.936" | -12.7 | |
| MER : 01h 27m 38.778s | +12° 14' 23.99" | 0.018 | 6° 05' 57.144" | +01.0 | |
| VEN : 00h 18m 40.933s | +00° 23' 30.05" | 0.967 | 15° 01' 43.205" | -03.7 | |
| MAR : 22h 59m 25.995s | -07° 48' 32.18" | 0.952 | 36° 22' 00.390" | +01.2 | |
| JUP : 03h 07m 16.702s | +16° 42' 38.49" | 0.998 | 29° 39' 25.033" | -01.8 | |
| SAT : 23h 05m 21.053s | -07° 40' 23.63" | 0.999 | 34° 58' 41.989" | +00.9 | |
| URA : 03h 15m 15.851s | +17° 47' 24.88" | 1.000 | 31° 46' 26.298" | +05.9 | |
| NEP : 23h 55m 18.091s | -01° 50' 27.50" | 1.000 | 21° 14' 28.910" | +07.9 | |
| PLU : 20h 19m 46.083s | -22° 36' 31.97" | 1.000 | 77° 26' 50.451" | +14.5 | |

Moon Geocentric Librations : L = +1.97° B = -0.44°

Moon Topocentric Librations : L = +2.01° B = -0.09°

Moon Geocentric Rotation Axis PA (N) = 339.25°

Moon Topocentric Rotation Axis PA (N) = 339.28°

Dynamic Analysis of a Lunar Eclipse – (T5) Bessel Elements, Contact Functions and Real Time Analysis



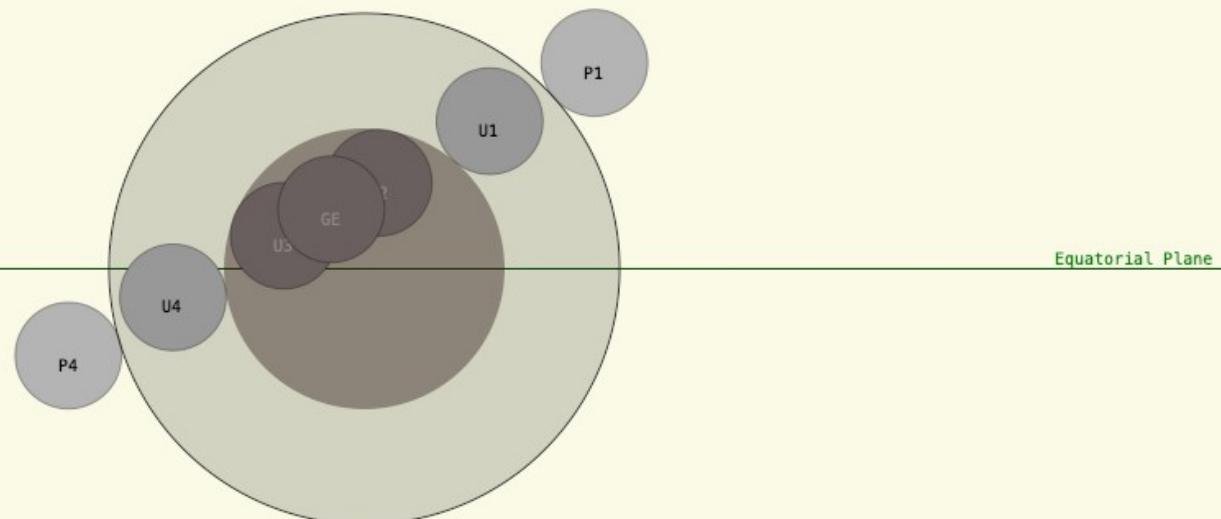
Static analysis of a Lunar Eclipse – (T6)

Contact times and azimuthal coordinates referring to the Current Location

UrukFSP v1.3.6_DEV28
 ECLIPSE TYPE : UMB TOT
 PENUMBRA MAG. : 2.2591
 UMBRA MAG. : 1.1786
 GAMMA : 0.3484
 DELTAT (sec) : 69.0
 TOT DURATION : 65.4 min
 PAR DURATION : 218.3 min
 BROWN LUNATION: 1264
 SAROS CYCLE : 123
 CURRENT SITE : Roma
 LATITUDE : +41.892777°
 LONGITUDE : +012.484720°
 ALTITUDE : 150 mt

LUNAR ECLIPSE : CE 2025 Mar 14 (TT)

North



| | | | | |
|-------------------------------------|--------------|------------|------------|-------------|
| (P1) CE 2025 Mar 14 03:57:29.51 UT1 | [H = -16.8° | Z = 077.9° | H = +15.8° | Z = 259.4°] |
| (U1) CE 2025 Mar 14 05:09:37.14 UT1 | [H = -03.4° | Z = 090.2° | H = +02.8° | Z = 271.1°] |
| (U2) CE 2025 Mar 14 06:26:03.10 UT1 | [H = +10.8° | Z = 103.1° | H = -11.4° | Z = 283.5°] |
| (GE) CE 2025 Mar 14 06:58:47.17 UT1 | [H = +16.6° | Z = 109.0° | H = -17.1° | Z = 289.1°] |
| (U3) CE 2025 Mar 14 07:31:29.62 UT1 | [H = +22.2° | Z = 115.3° | H = -22.7° | Z = 295.1°] |
| (U4) CE 2025 Mar 14 08:47:55.03 UT1 | [H = +34.1° | Z = 132.3° | H = -34.4° | Z = 311.3°] |
| (P4) CE 2025 Mar 14 10:00:08.12 UT1 | [H = +42.3° | Z = 152.8° | H = -42.8° | Z = 330.9°] |

User folder (URUKFSP_User)

All files contained in the user folder are not changed following an application update.

| Nome | ▲ | Data di modifica | Dimensioni |
|-------------------------|---|------------------------|------------|
| Devices | | 26 maggio 2022 20:46 | -- |
| cameras_database.csv | | 13 febbraio 2023 11:12 | 1 KB |
| telescopes_database.csv | | 12 ottobre 2022 08:49 | 1 KB |
| Events | | 7 febbraio 2024 14:17 | -- |
| ExternalData | | 27 ottobre 2023 12:39 | -- |
| CometEls.txt | | ieri 11:57 | 188 KB |
| ELEMENTS.NUMBR | | 16 novembre 2023 16:39 | 71.7 MB |
| MPCORB.DAT | | ieri 11:57 | 273.9 MB |
| Horizons | | 12 febbraio 2024 12:47 | -- |
| Images | | 11 febbraio 2024 21:46 | -- |
| Jobs | | 5 novembre 2023 16:40 | -- |
| Locations | | 11 febbraio 2024 16:09 | -- |
| locations_database.csv | | 12 febbraio 2024 16:52 | 51 KB |
| Logs | | oggi 08:07 | -- |
| urukfsp.log | | oggi 07:16 | 194 byte |

DEVICES : contains the telescope and sensor archives for simulating the sensor FOV.

EVENTS : contains event files created by the user.

EXTERNAL DATA : asteroids and comets data downloaded from the Internet are placed here

HORIZONS : repository of horizon profiles built by the user

IMAGES : repository of saved PNG or BMP map.

JOBS : jobs repository. Contains local solar eclipses computed by UrukFSP.

LOCATIONS : Local locations archives, modified by the user.

LOGS : application log.

Canon of events (v. 1.4.1)

SOLAR ECLIPSES : partial, total, annular, hybrid from 13000 BCE to 17000 CE

LUNAR ECLIPSES : umbral and penumbral from 13000 BCE to 17000 CE

MERCURY TRANSITS : from 13000 BCE to 17000 CE

VENUS TRANSITS : from 13000 BCE to 17000 CE

MUTUAL TRANSITS BETWEEN PLANETS : from 10000 BCE to 10000 CE

PLANETARY TRIOS : from 3000 BCE to 3000 CE within 5°

PLANETARY TRIOS + MOON: from 3000 BCE to 3000 CE within 5°

PLANETARY QUARTETS : from 3000 BCE to 3000 CE within 10°

PLANETARY QUINTETS : from 3000 BCE to 3000 CE within 20°

APPULSES : VE-MA, VE-JU, VE-SA, MA-JU, MA-SA, JU-SA (4000 BCE – 2500 CE)

- Least distances of Mars from Earth from 1600 CE to 2100 CE.
- Least distances of Jupiter from Earth from 1600 CE to 2100 CE.
- Least distances of Saturn from Earth from 1600 CE to 2100 CE.
- Least distances of Uranus from Earth from CE to 2100 CE.
- Least distances of Neptune from Earth from 1600 CE to 2100 CE.
- Least distances of Pluto from Earth from 1600 CE to 2100 CE.

- Max. Elongations of Mercury from 1000 BCE to 2500 CE
- Max. Elongations Venus from 2500 BCE to 2500 CE

- Perihelion, Aphelion and Node dei of the external planets of S.S. from 1600 CE to 2100 CE

All Canons computed by the DE440/441 engine of UrukFSP

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UrukFSP v1.4.1

Generated by UrukFSP. To export data from here use select, copy and paste functions.

Dates before 8 CE are Julian Proleptic.

Dates between 8CE and 1582/10/4 are Julian Dates.

Dates between 1582/10/15 and future values are Gregorian.

A Gregorian Proleptic Date conversion is present.

| | |
|---|------------------------------|
| Julian Date Number (Terrestrial Time) | : 2 460 585.325 648 765 3 |
| Julian Date Number (Universal Time) | : 2 460 585.324 849 575 4 |
| Terrestrial Time (TT) [Y/M/D H:M:S] | : CE 2024 Oct 01 19:48:56.05 |
| Civil Date (UT1) [Y/M/D H:M:S] | : CE 2024 Oct 01 19:47:47.00 |
| Civil Date (Local Standard Time) [Y/M/D H:M:S] .. | : CE 2024 Oct 01 20:47:47.00 |
| Civil Date (Local Mean Time) [Y/M/D H:M:S] | : CE 2024 Oct 01 20:37:43.34 |
| DeltaT (seconds) | : +69.0 |
| Day of Year | : 275 |
| Day of Week | : Tuesday |
| Days to the Summer Solstice | : +103.0 |
| Days to the Winter Solstice | : -80.6 |
| Days to the Spring Equinox | : +195.7 |
| Days to the Autumn Equinox | : +9.3 |
| Gregorian Proleptic Date | : DATE ALREADY GREGORIAN UT1 |
| Proleptic Julian drift with respect to equinoxes .. | : 12.9 days |
| Proleptic Gregor. drift with respect to equinoxes .. | : 0.1 days |
| Current Illumination | : Night |
| Location Name | : Roma Italy |
| Latitude | : N 41° 53' 34.00" |
| Longitude | : E 12° 29' 04.992" |
| Timezone | : GMT + 01.0 |
| G.M.S.T. (Greenwich Mean Sidereal Time) | : 20h 31m 54.925s |
| L.A.S.T. (Local Apparent Sidereal Time) | : 21h 21m 51.112s |
| Earth Geoid : RHO_SIN_PHI | : +0.664 276 428 |
| Earth Geoid : RHO_COS_PHI | : +0.745 526 688 |
| Mean Ecliptic (Vondrak, Capitaine and Wallace 2011) : | 23° 26' 09.813" |
| True Ecliptic | : 23° 26' 19.516" |
| Nutation in longitude (See Preferences) | : -02.3818" |
| Nutation in obliquity (See Preferences) | : +09.7027" |
| Equation of Time | : 637.3 sec |
| Equation of Equinoxes [Eq = Δψ cos(ε)]..... | : -00.1457 sec |

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2000 - Heliocentric geometric ecliptic coordinates.

| Object | Longitude | Latitude | Distance from Sun(AU) | L.T. | Parallax |
|-------------------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----------------|----------|
| Earth | 8° 46' 47.243" | -00° 00' 03.01" | 01.000 994 846 238 | + 00h 00m 00.0s | 0000.00" |
| Mercury | 191° 23' 13.034" | +04° 13' 11.18" | 00.404 111 365 510 | + 00h 11m 40.6s | 0006.26" |
| Venus | 266° 17' 53.277" | -00° 34' 18.42" | 00.726 725 746 733 | + 00h 11m 17.8s | 0006.48" |
| Mars | 63° 30' 13.527" | +00° 26' 51.34" | 01.503 883 703 522 | + 00h 10m 16.2s | 0007.12" |
| Jupiter | 70° 02' 02.935" | -00° 39' 40.94" | 05.053 785 328 337 | + 00h 38m 43.3s | 0001.89" |
| Saturn | 346° 27' 03.528" | -01° 58' 57.77" | 09.657 828 646 575 | + 01h 12m 41.7s | 0001.01" |
| Uranus | 54° 22' 02.625" | -00° 15' 35.41" | 19.568 568 980 435 | + 02h 37m 02.0s | 0000.47" |
| Neptune | 358° 13' 53.682" | -01° 16' 59.12" | 29.896 679 872 838 | + 04h 00m 27.9s | 0000.30" |
| Pluto | 300° 51' 10.490" | -03° 13' 44.86" | 35.109 110 360 866 | + 04h 48m 58.3s | 0000.25" |
| Moon (GEOCENTRIC) | 178° 24' 40.716" | +00° 43' 45.67" | 406 191.988 Km | + 00h 00m 01.4s | 3238.96" |

J2000 - Geocentric ecliptic coordinates (corrected LT) (Moon is not affected by ABERR).

| Object | Longitude | Latitude | Delta(AU) | SD ("") | Mag. | Phase |
|---------|------------------|-----------------|--------------------|---------|-------|---------|
| Sun | 188° 46' 26.765" | +00° 00' 03.01" | 01.000 996 496 827 | 0958.27 | -26.7 | |
| Mercury | 189° 31' 10.184" | +01° 12' 53.54" | 01.403 991 100 564 | 02.39 | -01.6 | 099.90% |
| Venus | 220° 16' 12.309" | -00° 18' 17.72" | 01.358 254 236 719 | 06.14 | -03.8 | 084.72% |
| Mars | 104° 56' 11.757" | +00° 32' 44.37" | 01.234 814 494 943 | 03.79 | +00.5 | 087.49% |
| Jupiter | 80° 53' 52.019" | -00° 43' 03.99" | 04.655 838 177 543 | 21.15 | -02.2 | 099.10% |
| Saturn | 343° 57' 13.293" | -02° 11' 26.46" | 08.740 806 317 902 | 09.46 | +00.6 | 099.95% |
| Uranus | 56° 32' 11.070" | -00° 16' 09.35" | 18.881 608 243 218 | 01.86 | +05.7 | 099.96% |
| Neptune | 357° 52' 02.310" | -01° 19' 36.04" | 28.913 443 804 298 | 01.16 | +07.8 | 100.00% |
| Pluto | 299° 19' 10.730" | -03° 15' 45.37" | 34.745 813 341 389 | 00.05 | +14.4 | 099.98% |
| Moon | 178° 24' 40.050" | +00° 43' 45.73" | 406 191.978 Km | 0882.61 | -12.7 | 000.82% |

J2000 - Geocentric Astrometric (corrected LT only)

| Object | Right Ascension | Declination | Distance from Earth |
|---------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------|
| Sun | 12h 32m 15.740s | -03° 28' 48.43" | 01.000 996 496 827 |
| Mercury | 12h 36m 53.942s | -02° 39' 17.28" | 01.403 991 100 564 |
| Venus | 14h 31m 01.728s | -15° 11' 19.29" | 01.358 254 236 719 |
| Mars | 07h 05m 06.724s | +23° 08' 41.42" | 01.234 814 494 943 |
| Jupiter | 05h 20m 35.478s | +22° 24' 38.68" | 04.655 838 177 543 |
| Saturn | 23h 04m 16.507s | -08° 20' 02.09" | 08.740 806 317 902 |
| Uranus | 03h 37m 11.171s | +19° 07' 06.96" | 18.881 608 243 218 |
| Neptune | 23h 54m 17.008s | -02° 03' 55.64" | 28.913 443 804 298 |
| Pluto | 20h 08m 50.570s | -23° 28' 58.65" | 34.745 813 341 389 |
| Moon | 11h 55m 20.976s | +01° 17' 56.25" | 00.002 715 225 666 |

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Heliocentric astrometric ecliptic coordinates - Mean Equinox of Date.

| Object | Longitude | Latitude | Distance from Sun(AU) | | | | | | |
|---------|------------------|-----------------|-----------------------|-----|-----|-----|--|--|--|
| Earth | 9° 07' 11.514" | -00° 00' 00.20" | 01.000 | 996 | 496 | 827 | | | |
| Mercury | 191° 42' 11.543" | +04° 13' 18.33" | 00.404 | 068 | 217 | 396 | | | |
| Venus | 266° 37' 53.280" | -00° 34' 27.43" | 00.726 | 724 | 983 | 723 | | | |
| Mars | 63° 50' 44.497" | +00° 27' 01.75" | 01.503 | 874 | 394 | 585 | | | |
| Jupiter | 70° 22' 39.204" | -00° 39' 29.86" | 05.053 | 777 | 194 | 011 | | | |
| Saturn | 346° 47' 42.743" | -01° 58' 59.31" | 09.657 | 843 | 712 | 927 | | | |
| Uranus | 54° 42' 42.965" | -00° 15' 25.44" | 19.568 | 587 | 157 | 373 | | | |
| Neptune | 358° 34' 35.047" | -01° 16' 58.35" | 29.896 | 684 | 231 | 809 | | | |
| Pluto | 301° 11' 52.256" | -03° 13' 53.24" | 35.108 | 973 | 868 | 418 | | | |

Geocentric ecliptic coordinates - Apparent

| Object | Longitude | Latitude | Delta(AU) | SD("") | Mag. | Phase |
|---------|------------------|-----------------|-----------|---------|-------|---------|
| Sun | 189° 07' 09.132" | +00° 00' 00.20" | 01.000 | 996 | 496 | 827 |
| Mercury | 189° 51' 32.311" | +01° 12' 50.59" | 01.403 | 991 | 100 | 564 |
| Venus | 220° 36' 36.997" | -00° 18' 26.06" | 01.358 | 254 | 236 | 719 |
| Mars | 105° 16' 52.306" | +00° 32' 55.09" | 01.234 | 814 | 494 | 943 |
| Jupiter | 81° 14' 41.007" | -00° 42' 52.14" | 04.655 | 838 | 177 | 543 |
| Saturn | 344° 18' 14.545" | -02° 11' 28.99" | 08.740 | 806 | 317 | 902 |
| Uranus | 56° 53' 07.477" | -00° 15' 59.03" | 18.881 | 608 | 243 | 218 |
| Neptune | 358° 13' 04.986" | -01° 19' 35.52" | 28.913 | 443 | 804 | 298 |
| Pluto | 299° 40' 00.345" | -03° 15' 56.06" | 34.745 | 813 | 341 | 389 |
| Moon | 178° 45' 22.564" | +00° 43' 45.00" | 00.002 | 715 | 225 | 666 |
| | | | | 0958.27 | -26.7 | |
| | | | | 002.39 | -01.6 | 099.90% |
| | | | | 006.14 | -03.8 | 084.72% |
| | | | | 003.79 | +00.5 | 087.49% |
| | | | | 021.15 | -02.2 | 099.10% |
| | | | | 009.46 | +00.6 | 099.95% |
| | | | | 001.86 | +05.7 | 099.96% |
| | | | | 001.16 | +07.8 | 100.00% |
| | | | | 000.05 | +14.4 | 099.98% |
| | | | | 0882.61 | -12.7 | 000.82% |

Geocentric (left) and Topocentric (right) Equatorial coordinates - Apparent.

| Object | Right Ascension | Declination | Right Ascension | Declination |
|---------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|-----------------|
| Sun | 12h 33m 30.698s | -03° 36' 51.78" | 12h 33m 30.374s | -03° 36' 57.32" |
| Mercury | 12h 38m 08.874s | -02° 47' 19.32" | 12h 38m 08.638s | -02° 47' 23.33" |
| Venus | 14h 32m 21.923s | -15° 17' 50.33" | 14h 32m 21.597s | -15° 17' 54.20" |
| Mars | 07h 06m 36.149s | +23° 06' 30.41" | 07h 06m 36.363s | +23° 06' 24.33" |
| Jupiter | 05h 22m 05.298s | +22° 26' 12.04" | 05h 22m 05.386s | +22° 26' 10.61" |
| Saturn | 23h 05m 34.857s | -08° 11' 56.69" | 23h 05m 34.879s | -08° 11' 57.45" |
| Uranus | 03h 38m 37.298s | +19° 12' 05.84" | 03h 38m 37.323s | +19° 12' 05.54" |
| Neptune | 23h 55m 34.248s | -01° 55' 32.98" | 23h 55m 34.258s | -01° 55' 33.19" |
| Pluto | 20h 10m 19.275s | -23° 24' 41.18" | 20h 10m 19.271s | -23° 24' 41.41" |
| Moon | 11h 56m 35.736s | +01° 09' 49.32" | 11h 54m 56.011s | +00° 33' 39.41" |

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(TA) - True Altitude. Computed with no atmosphere. The observer lies at sea level

(OA) - Observed Altitude. Corrected for Refraction and Observer's Height above sea level

LOCATION : Roma Italy

Longitude: + 12° 29' 04.992"

Latitude : + 41° 53' 34.00"

Elevation: 150

| Body | OA | Azimuth(NESW) |
|---------------|------------|---------------|
| Sun | -32° 17.6' | 298° 21.3' |
| Moon | -34° 54.4' | 310° 38.1' |
| Mercury | -30° 54.6' | 297° 58.0' |
| Venus | -18° 52.6' | 266° 27.2' |
| Mars | -17° 28.5' | 032° 31.9' |
| Jupiter | -04° 45.5' | 053° 26.4' |
| Saturn | +34° 59.1' | 148° 17.3' |
| Uranus | +10° 10.2' | 072° 50.1' |
| Neptune | +34° 30.0' | 131° 24.4' |
| Pluto | +23° 03.9' | 197° 46.6' |
| J1 | -04° 44.5' | 053° 27.8' |
| J2 | -04° 46.4' | 053° 25.1' |
| J3 | -04° 44.6' | 053° 27.2' |
| J4 | -04° 40.9' | 053° 32.8' |

PABL (Position Angle of the Bright Limb) referred to the Celestial Pole and Zenith:

| | | |
|---------------|------------|------------|
| Mercury | 234° 27.7' | 193° 17.4' |
| Venus | 288° 44.7' | 238° 22.0' |
| Mars | 096° 36.2' | 122° 24.3' |
| Jupiter | 086° 28.5' | 126° 47.1' |
| Saturn | 242° 30.7' | 265° 47.5' |
| Uranus | 076° 56.3' | 125° 48.2' |
| Neptune | 239° 42.3' | 273° 39.3' |
| Pluto | 256° 23.3' | 242° 02.9' |
| Moon | 117° 25.1' | 079° 06.3' |

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Sub-solar, Sub-lunar and Sub-planetary points.

| Body | Longitude (+ East) | Latitude |
|---------------|--------------------|------------------|
| Sun | -119° 36' 01.210" | - 3° 36' 51.78" |
| Moon | -128° 49' 45.643" | + 1° 09' 49.32" |
| UMBRA | + 60° 23' 58.790" | + 3° 36' 51.78" |
| Mercury | -118° 26' 28.581" | - 2° 47' 19.32" |
| Venus | - 89° 53' 12.844" | - 15° 17' 50.33" |
| Mars | +158° 40' 20.546" | + 23° 06' 30.41" |
| Jupiter | +132° 32' 37.788" | + 22° 26' 12.04" |
| Saturn | + 38° 25' 01.175" | - 8° 11' 56.69" |
| Uranus | +106° 40' 37.792" | + 19° 12' 05.84" |
| Neptune | + 50° 54' 52.039" | - 1° 55' 32.98" |
| Pluto | - 5° 23' 52.554" | - 23° 24' 41.18" |

Local Hour Angle and Declination

| Body | Local HA | Dec |
|-----------------|------------|-----------|
| Sun | +132.0864° | -03.6159° |
| Moon | +141.7296° | +00.5609° |
| Mercury | +130.9270° | -02.7898° |
| Venus | +102.3730° | -15.2984° |
| Mars | -146.1885° | +23.1068° |
| Jupiter | -120.0595° | +22.4363° |
| Saturn | -025.9324° | -08.1993° |
| Uranus | -094.1925° | +19.2015° |
| Neptune | -038.4298° | -01.9259° |
| Pluto | +017.8827° | -23.4115° |
| SIRIUS | -141.0960° | -16.7455° |
| VEGA | +041.0192° | +38.8104° |
| ARCTURUS | +106.2696° | +19.0558° |
| RIGEL | -118.4713° | -08.1693° |
| CAPELLA | -119.1697° | +46.0211° |
| PROCYON | -154.6849° | +05.1639° |
| ALTAIR | +022.4640° | +08.9359° |
| SPICA | +118.8436° | -11.2888° |
| ANTARES | +072.7344° | -26.4872° |
| ALDEBARAN | -108.8756° | +16.5604° |
| POLLUX | -156.2428° | +27.9664° |
| DENEBO | +009.8920° | +45.3725° |
| REGULUS | +168.0448° | +11.8481° |
| CASTOR | -153.5797° | +31.8332° |
| NUNKI | +036.2627° | -26.2667° |
| HAMAL | -071.6850° | +23.5810° |
| MARKAB | -026.0401° | +15.3410° |
| SHEAT | -025.7855° | +28.2198° |
| ALCYONE | -096.7807° | +24.1823° |
| MIRA | -074.6917° | -02.8625° |

Solar System Barycenter equatorial coordinates with respect to the JNOW equinox.

Values are in Solar Radius Unit (Haberreiter, Schmutz & Kosovichev (2008) = 695,660 ± 140 Km)

G is the distance of SSB from solar center of mass (COM), expressed in solar radii.

if G > 1 then the SSB lies out of the solar surface, not a rare event.

Max. value for G is 2.17. The most relevant contribution to the SSB erratic movement is given

by Jupiter, Saturn, Neptune and Uranus (49%, 27%, 15%, 8% respectively).

SSB X = -1.360 8229

SSB Y = -0.918 1400

SSB Z = -0.353 6923

G = 1.679

End of Part 1

Part 2 contains explanations about tools available