

B Enumerations

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A.1 GeoDatum

Delft-FEWS may use a number of national coordinate system as geo-datum. These are referenced by all configurations requiring a definition of geodatum.

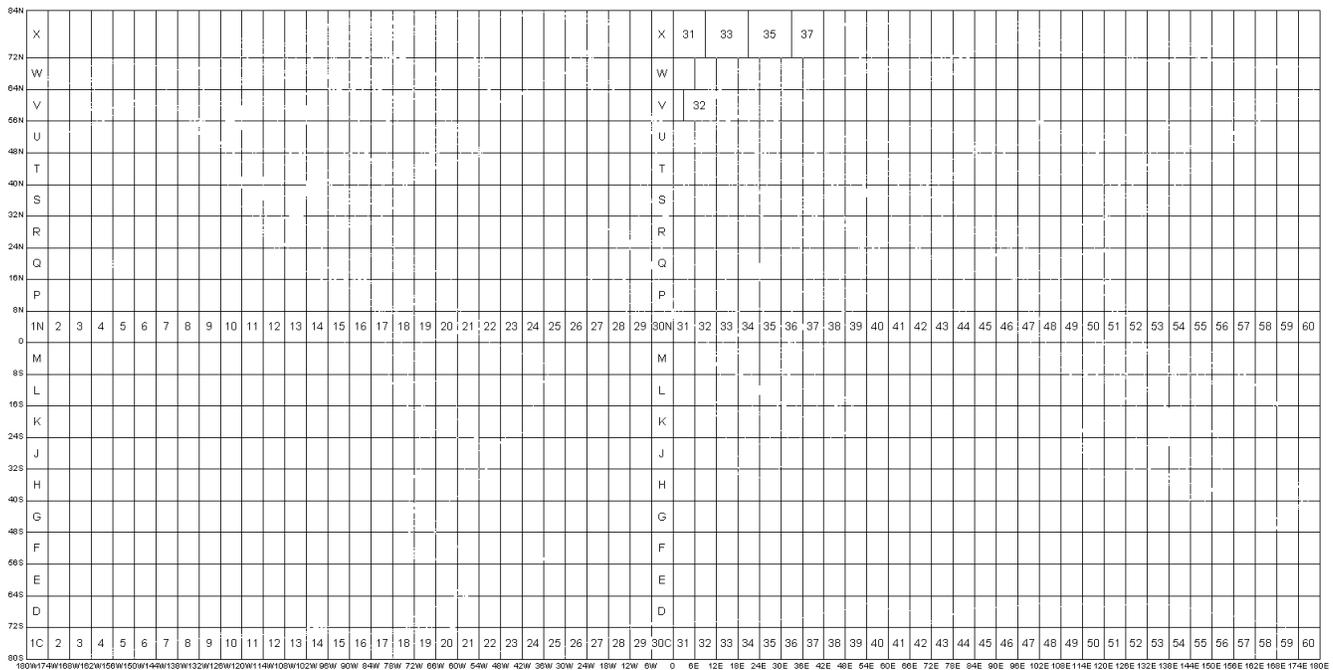
All coordinates are handled internally as WGS 1984 (longitude-latitude). To add a new coordinate system to Delft-FEWS, the transformation between WGS-1984 and that system will need to be added as Java class to Delft-FEWS.

The lists of GeoDatum supported are (amongst many others):

- + **WGS 1984** (Geographic projection; longitude-latitude)
- + **SVY21** (Singapore)
- + **Ordnance Survey Great Britain 1936** (Great Britain)
- + **CH1903** (Switzerland)
- + **Rijks Driehoekstelsel** (The Netherlands)
- + **Gauss Krueger Austria M34** (Austria)
- + **Gauss Krueger Austria M31** (Austria)
- + **Gauss Krueger Meridian3** (Germany)
- + **TWD 1967** (Taiwan)

Plus other organisation specific coordinate conversions.

The user can also specify the UTM zone - this should be in the form UTM48N or UTM48S. The zones are shown below:



A.2 Time Zones

Delft-FEWS supports a number of time zones:

Name	Description	GMT equivalent
MIT	West Samoa Time	winter and summer:GMT-11
HST	Hawaii Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT-10
AST	Alaska Standard Time	winter:GMT-9 summer:GMT-8

PST	Pacific Standard Time	winter:GMT-8 summer:GMT-7
MST	Mountain Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT-7
MST7MDT	Mountain Daylight Saving Time	winter: GMT-7 summer:GMT-6
PNT	Mountain Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT-7
CST	Central Standard Time	winter:GMT-6 summer:GMT-5
EST	Eastern Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT-5
IET	Eastern Standard Time	winter:GMT-5 summer:GMT-4
PRT	Atlantic Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT-4
CNT	Newfoundland Standard Time	winter:GMT-3:30 summer:GMT-2:30
AGT	Argentine Time	winter:GMT-3 summer:GMT-2
BET	Brasilia Time	winter:GMT-3 summer:GMT-2
GMT/BST	UK British time	winter:GMT+0 summer:GMT+1
WET	Western European Time	winter:GMT+0 summer:GMT+1
CET	Central European Time	winter:GMT+1 summer:GMT+2
MET	Middle Europe Time	winter:GMT+1 summer:GMT+2
CAT	Central African Time	winter and summer:GMT+2
EET	Eastern European Time	winter:GMT+2 summer:GMT+3
EAT	Eastern African Time	winter and summer:GMT+3
AZT	Azerbaijan Time	winter:GMT+4 summer:GMT+5
NET	Armenia Time	winter:GMT+4 summer:GMT+5
PLT	Pakistan Time	winter and summer:GMT+5
IST	India Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT+5:30
BST	Bangladesh Time	winter and summer:GMT+6
VST	Indochina Time	winter and summer:GMT+7
PRC	China Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT+8
JST	Japan Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT+9
ROK	Korea Standard Time	winter and summer:GMT+9
ACT	Australia Central Time (Northern Territory)	winter and summer:GMT+9:30
AET	Australia Eastern Time (New South Wales)	winter:GMT+10 summer:GMT+11
AWT	Australia Western Time	winter:GMT+8 summer:GMT+9
ACST	Australia Standard Central Standard Time	winter and summer GMT+9:30
AEST	Australia Eastern Standard Time	winter and summer GMT+10
SST	Solomon Is. Time	winter and summer:GMT+11
NST	New Zealand Standard Time	winter:GMT+12 summer:GMT+13

You can now specify any timezone in relation to GMT e.g.

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<timeZone>
  <timeZoneName>GMT+9</timeZoneName>
</timeZone>
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A.3 Units

Delft-FEWS supports a list of units. Most of these are SI units.

Unit	Description
m	Metres
mm	Millimetres
m ³ /s	Cubic meters per second
oC	Degrees Centigraed
mm/hr	Millimetres per hour
%	Percentage
g	
s	
degrees	Degrees (directional)
Bft	Beaufort
m/s	Metres per second
-	Dimensionless
W/m ²	Watts per metre squared

A.4 Data quality flags

Quality flags are constructed on a philosophy of two qualifiers. The first describes the origin of the data and the second the quality.

Possible origins of data are:

- + Original: This entails the data value is the original value. It has not been amended by DELFT-FEWS
- + Completed: This entails the original value was missing and was replaced by a non-missing value.
- + Corrected: This entails the original value was replaced with another non-missing value.

Possible qualifiers are:

- + Reliable: Data is reliable and valid
- + Doubtful: The validity of the data value is uncertain
- + Unreliable: The data value is unreliable and cannot be used.

Following this specification, the table below gives an overview of quality flag enumerations

Table 1 Enumeration of quality flags

Enumeration	Description
0	Original/Reliable The data value is the original value retrieved from an external source and it successfully passes all validation criteria set.
1	Corrected/Reliable The original value was removed and corrected. Correction may be through interpolation or manual editing.
2	Completed/Reliable Original value was missing. Value has been filled in through interpolation, transformation (e.g. stage discharge) or a model.
3	Original/Doubtful Observed value retrieved from external data source. Value is valid, but marked as suspect due to soft validation limits being exceeded.
4	Corrected/Doubtful The original value was removed and corrected. However, the corrected value is doubtful due to validation limits.
5	Completed/Doubtful Original value was missing. Value has been filled in as above, but resulting value is doubtful due to limits in transformation/interpolation or input value used for transformation being doubtful.
6	Original/Unreliable Observed value retrieved from external data source. Value is invalid due to validation limits set. Value is marked as unreliable and will not be used in transformations and model calculations.
7	Corrected/Unreliable The original value was removed and corrected. However, corrected value is unreliable

8	Completed/Unreliable Original value was missing. Value has been filled in as above, but resulting value is unreliable,
9	Missing value in originally observed series. Note this is a special form of both Original/Unreliable and Original/Reliable.

Notes:

- No difference is made between historic and forecast data. This is not considered a quality flag. The data model of Delft-FEWS is constructed such that this difference is inherent to the time series type definition.

A.5 Synchronisation Levels

To allow optimisation of data flows in Delft-FEWS when set-up in a distributed environment, synchronisation levels (synchLevels) can be defined. SynchLevels are arbitrary (integer) numbers that are used in the software to select which data is synchronized from a MC, either in the MC-MC synchronisation, or to a synchronising client or when creating a database replica. The behaviour of each synch level is determined through the configuration of the synchronisation channels and synchronisation profiles. When required, additional synchronisation levels can be added to further refine the synchronisation process. Since neither a Stand alone Client or a Direct Database Access client use synchronisation, synchLevels in these components are not of less importance (except for synchLevels 5, 9, 90-100). Still, conforming to the convention will make it easier to setup a synchronising client later and allow for standard behaviour when creating a replica. The current convention is:

synchLevel	description	application
0	All (scalar) data from a forecast run. Since 2012.02 this is the default for simulated. Before 2012.02 this synch level was used as default for all types	all systems
1	Scalar time series imported from telemetry. Since 2012.02 this is the default for external timeseries. NB the length of data synchronised will depend on the login-profile selected. Typically this will be data generated up to 7 days ago	all systems
2	All grid data from a forecast run (e.g. Flood Mapping results)	all systems
3	Large volumes of scalar data such as CatAvg data (forecasts, actuals & NWP)	all systems
4	Used for data imported infrequently such as Astronomical or Climatological data	all systems
5	Data edited on OC. Since 2012.02 this synch level is automatically used on OC. Configuration no longer required.	all systems
6	(small) Grid data imported from external forecast (synchronised to OC)	all systems
7	Grid data imported from external forecast (synchronised to FSS & MC only, and not to OC)	all systems
8	Performance indicator time series. These are time series that do not need to be synchronised with a short synchronisation interval or when a forecaster logs in with a minimum profile.	all systems
9	Temporary time series not requiring synchronisation. This synch level is automatically used for time series type temporary	all systems
11	Specific ModuleDataset files, which should be downloaded and activated directly after logging in and after each upload of a new version of the file (synch to OC). This is used in the Configuration manager when uploading the module dataset	most systems
16	(large) Grid data imported from external forecast (synch. to OC)	NFFS: to distinguish between small (synchLevel 6) and large grids
20	WarmStates (to be specified if there is need to synch to OC - needed for local runs in IFD)	all systems
21	Aggregated grids (flows/heads) <i>forecasts</i>	used in NGMS
22	Grids data (heads) <i>timeseries</i>	used in NGMS
23	Grids data (flows) <i>timeseries</i>	used in NGMS
30	Timeseries modifiers	used in CHPS (NWS)
90-100	Reserved	used internally