

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

(FORMERLY FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES SURVEY)

MAGNETIC RECORDS FOR 1976

FROM ARGENTINE ISLANDS A.973

LAT. $-65^{\circ} 15'$ LONG. $295^{\circ} 44'$
GEOMAGNETIC LATITUDE -53.8°
GEOMAGNETIC LONGITUDE 3.3°

ORIGINAL RECORDS HELD AT:-

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1. Instruments

The three standard La Cour variometer and an E.D.A. Fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

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3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

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H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
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D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

T increases up the chart
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5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
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May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	+2.9

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	01 Jan	01 Feb	01 Mar	01 Apr	01 May	01 Jun	01 Jul	01 Aug	01 Sep	01 Oct	01 Nov	01 Dec
Normal La Cour	-1.4	-1.4	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9	-0.9
Storm La Cour	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2	-15.2
Fluxgate	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1	-1.1

During storms, the fluxgate core values are, if necessary, automatically increased ('fluxgate patches') by a factor of two.

7. Scale of Reproduction

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Following the installation of a new bimetal strip in the H variometer on May 28, the H and T baselines vary rapidly. From May 29 to July 31 the baseline values quoted apply to 0001Z each day. Values at other times can be found by interpolation.

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9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_0 etc. baselines (at $T_S = 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q temperature coefficients
 s scale values
 n ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_0 - s_H n_H - q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22,572 - (4.32 \times 1.4) - (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22,572 + 6 - 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_0 - s_Z n_Z - q_Z (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35,062 - ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35,062 - 3 - 107$$

$$= -35,166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_0 - s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^{\circ}24.0' - (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^{\circ}52.3' \text{ East}$$

	H	Z	D	Time, Z
1	"	"	"	"
2	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	22,573	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	16 ⁰ 23.9'	"
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	22.5 ⁰
11	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"
17	22,574	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	16 ⁰ 23.8'	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	-35,063	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"
28	22,575	"	"	"
29	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	"
31	"	"	"	"

Storm La Cour Baselines

10	22,453	-35,187	16 ⁰ 23.7'
21	"	"	16 ⁰ 23.4'
29	"	-35,190	16 ⁰ 23.3'

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6. Scale Value

		H mm	D °C mm	Z mm	T °C mm
Normal La Cour	Jan 01 - May 28	-4.00	0.92	-4.00	0.40
	May 29 - Dec 31	-4.00	0.92	-4.90	0.40
Storm La Cour Fluxgate		-10.3	2.50	-11.0	-
		15.1	2.17	-15.8	-

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Normal La Cour Baseline

Day	H	/	D	I
1	"	22,453	16° 24.0'	"
2	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	16° 24.0'	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	"	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	"
7	"	-35,064	"	"
8	"	"	"	"
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	22.6
19	"	"	16° 23.8'	"
20	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	16° 23.7'	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	16° 23.6'	"
27	"	"	"	22.7
28	"	"	"	"
29	"	-35,065	"	"

Storm La Cour Baselines

19	22,453	-35,191	23.4
20	"	"	"

Fluxgate Baselines

23	22,072	-34,564	15° 48.5'
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6. Scale values

	Jan 61	May 61	H mm	D' mm	Z mm	T' mm
Normal La Cour			5.1	0.9	5.1	0.4
	May 61	Dec 61	5.0	0.9	5.0	0.4
Storm La Cour			11.3	1.5	11.3	
Fluxgate			1.1	1.1	1.3	

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$$Z = Z_0 - s_Z n_Z - q_Z (T_S - (T_0 - s_T n_T))$$

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10. Scale of Reproduction

	Jan 61	May 61	Z	T
1	"	"	"	"
2	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	22.576	"	"
5	"	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	$16^{\circ}24.0'$
7	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	"
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	$16^{\circ}23.8'$
11	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	$16^{\circ}23.9'$
16	"	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"
28	"	"	"	$16^{\circ}23.8'$
29	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	"
31	"	"	"	"

Storm La Cour Baselines

8	-	-35,196	-
26	22,452	-	-

Fluxgate Baselines

26	-34,567	-
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Calibration Values

		H mm	D mm	Z mm	T mm
Normal La Cour	Jan 01	May 07	4.32	0.49	4.32
	May 09	Dec 31	4.02	0.9	4.30
Storm La Cour			10.3	7.7	11.7
Fluxgate			10.1	7.1	10.3

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	Normal La Cour Baseline				
1	22,452	-35,069	0.0	16 ^o 23.6'	16 ^o 23.6'
2	"	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"	"
5	"	"	"	"	"
6	22,577	"	"	16 ^o 23.7'	"
7	"	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	"	"
9	"	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"	"
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13	"	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	16 ^o 23.6'	"
17	"	"	"	"	22.9
18	"	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	16 ^o 23.5'	"
23	"	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"	"
25	"	See below	"	"	"
26	22,576	-35,074	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"	23.0
28	"	"	"	"	"
29	"	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	16 ^o 23.4'	"

On 25th April, the Z baseline changed in four steps, visible on the magnetogram; at 0900 to -35,069, at 1300 to -35,071, at 1500 to -35,073 and at 1900 to -35,074.

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1	22,452	-	-
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1	-	-34,563	-
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Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1 \gamma/\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	$+3.1 \gamma/\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	+2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

6. Scale value

Normal La Cour	Jan	Feb	H _o	D _o	Z _o	T _o
			mm	mm	mm	°C
	May 29	Dec 1	-12.0	-6.9	-11.6	-0.5
Storm La Cour			12.7	7.2	11.7	
Fluxgate			12.1	7.17	-11.8	

during storms, the fluxgate scale values are, if necessary, automatically increased ('fluxgate latches') by a factor of two.

7. Scale of Reproduction

To give scale, a ruler of 50mm length is reproduced on each magnetogram.

8. Baselines

For each calendar month baselines are given on separate sheets. For the normal La Cour records, baselines at 0°C are quoted. Chart baselines can be calculated using the information given in Section 5. The values given for the T baseline (H_T) are valid when the T trace is below H_o . When the upper T trace is used subtract 91.7mm from the measured ordinate.

Following the installation of a new bimetal strip in the H variometer on May 28, the H and T baselines vary rapidly. From May 29 to July 31 the baseline values quoted apply to 0001Z each day. Values at other times can be found by interpolation.

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines can be deduced by comparison with the normal records or are given on the monthly sheet.

9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_o etc.. baselines (at $T_S = 0^\circ\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q . temperature coefficients
 s . scale values
 n . ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_o - s_H n_H - q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22.572 - (4.32 \times 1.4) - (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22.572 - 6 - 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_o - s_Z n_Z - q_Z (T_S - (T_o - s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35.062 - ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35.062 - 3 - 107$$

$$= -35.166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_o - s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^\circ 24.0' - (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^\circ 52.3' \text{ East}$$

7. Scale of reproduction

Normal La Cour Baseline				
D _o	id	Z	D	T
1	-12.0	-35.062	16° 24.0'	-0.5
2	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	"	"	"	"
6	"	-35.075	"	"
7	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	"
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	16° 23.3'
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"
28	"	"	"	"
29	-34,999	16° 27.2'	"	"
30	"	"	"	"
31	"	"	"	"

Storm La Cour Baselines

3	22.452	-	-
28	"	-35,191	16° 22.6'
29	"	"	"

Fluxgate Baselines

3	-	-35.594	"
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Normal Sea Level Barometric Pressure for the Month of May, 1906, and Estimated for the Month of June.

<u>Day</u>	<u>Hour</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>T</u>	<u>Day</u>	<u>Hour</u>	<u>H</u>	<u>T</u>
May 29	01	22498	14.5° C	May 30	07	22514	15.7
	04	"	14.6		08	15	15.8
	05	22500	"		09	15	"
	06	01	"		10	15	"
	07	01	14.7		11	16	15.9
	08	02	"		12	16	"
	09	03	14.8		13	16	16.0
	10	03	"		14	17	"
	11	04	14.9		15	17	16.1
	12	05	"		16	18	"
	13	06	15.0		17	18	"
	14	06	"		18	19	16.2
	15	07	15.1		19	19	"
	16	08	"		20	19	"
	17	08	"		21	20	16.3
	18	09	15.2		22	20	"
	19	09	"		23	20	"
	20	10	15.3	May 31	00	21	16.4
	21	10	15.3		06	21	16.5
	22	11	15.4		10	21	"
	23	11	"		11	22	"
May 20	00	11	"		13	22	16.6
	01	12	15.5		18	22	16.7
	02	12	"		20	23	"
	03	13	15.6		21	23	"
	04	13	"		22	23	"
	05	13	15.7		23	24	"
	06	14	"		24	24	"

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

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FROM ARGENTINE ISLANDS A.973

LAT. $-65^{\circ} 15'$ LONG. $295^{\circ} 44'$
GEOMAGNETIC LATITUDE -53.8°
GEOMAGNETIC LONGITUDE 3.3°

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ARGENTINE ISLANDS A.973

EXPLANATORY NOTES, 1976

1. Instrument

The chart standard La Cour variometer and an E.D.C. Fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

2. Time

The La Cour charts are usually changed at Greenwich midnight, so that each chart shows a complete Greenwich day.

Due to parallax, during the periods indicated, the following corrections should be added to time read on the traces (the relevant moving time dot being used for each of the storm La Cour traces).

	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31	-1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31,
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30	-1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31	-1 min	

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
T trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

T increases up the chart
 H increased up the chart
 D increases up the chart
 Z becomes less negative down the chart.

5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1 \gamma/\text{°C}$	$+3.1 \gamma/\text{°C}$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	-2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

Normal La Cour	La Cour	Storm La Cour	Fluxgate	Mean
May 28	May 29	May 29	May 29	May 29
15.1	15.0	15.9	15.1	15.1
11.1	11.0	11.1	11.1	11.1

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7. Scale of Reproduction

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8. Baselines

For each calendar month baselines are given on separate sheets. For the normal La Cour records, baselines at 0°C are quoted. Chart baselines can be calculated using the information given in Section 5. The values given for the T baseline (H_0) are valid when the T trace is below H_0 . When the upper T trace is used subtract 91.7mm from the measured ordinate.

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For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines can be deduced by comparison with the normal records or are given on the monthly sheet.

9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976. 1200 Z

H_0 etc.. baselines (at $T_S = 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q . temperature coefficients
 s . scale values
 n . ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_0 - s_H n_H - q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22.572 - (4.32 \times 1.4) - (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22.572 - 6 - 107$$

$$= 22.685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_0 - s_Z n_Z - q_Z (T_S - (T_0 - s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35.062 - ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) - 3.1 (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35.062 - 3 - 107$$

$$= -35.166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_0 - s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^{\circ}24.0' - (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^{\circ}52.3' \text{ East}$$

Day	Scale value	Z	D	E
1	22.520	"	"	16.7
2	22.522	"	"	16.9
3	22.529	"	"	17.0
4	22.531	"	"	17.1
5	22.532	"	"	17.3
6	22.533	"	"	17.4
7	22.534	"	"	17.5
8	22.535	"	"	17.6
9	22.536	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	17.7
11	22.537	"	"	"
12	22.538	"	"	17.8
13	"	"	"	"
14	22.540	"	"	18.0
15	22.541	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"
17	22.542	"	"	18.2
18	"	"	"	"
19	22.543	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	22.544	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	22.545	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	18.3
27	"	"	"	"
28	"	"	"	"
29	"	-35.000	"	"
30	"	"	"	18.4

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EXPLANATORY NOTES, 1976

1. Instrument

The chart standard La Cour variometer and an E.D.A. fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

2. Time

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	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31	-1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31.
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30	-1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31	-1 min	

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
T trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

- T increases up the chart
- H increased up the chart
- D increases up the chart
- Z becomes less negative down the chart.

5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1 \gamma/\text{°C}$	$+3.1 \gamma/\text{°C}$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	+2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

		H mm	D mm	Z mm	T °C mm
Normal La Cour	Jan 01 - May 28	15.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
	May 29 - Dec 31	15.1	0.0	0.0	0.0
Storm La Cour		15.3	0.0	11.0	
Fluxgate		15.1	0.1	-10.8	

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8. Baselines

For each calendar month baselines are given on separate sheets. For the normal La Cour records, baselines at 0°C are quoted. Chart baselines can be calculated using the information given in Section 5. The values given for the T baseline (H_T) are valid when the T trace is below H_T . When the upper T trace is used subtract 91.7mm from the measured ordinate.

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For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines can be deduced by comparison with the normal records or are given on the monthly sheet.

9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_0 etc.. baselines (at $T_S = 0^\circ\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q , temperature coefficients
 s . scale values
 n . ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_0 + s_H n_H - q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22,572 + (4.32 \times 1.4) - (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22,572 + 6 - 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_0 + s_Z n_Z - q_Z (T_S - (T_o - s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35,062 - ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35,062 + 3 - 107$$

$$= -35,166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_0 + s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^\circ 24.0' + (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^\circ 52.3' \text{ East}$$

Magnetogram Baseline

Normal La Cour Baseline

Day	H	Z	D	I
1	22,543	-35,060	16° 27.2'	18.4
2	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	22,544	"	"	18.5
6	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"
8	22,545	"	"	"
9	"	"	"	"
10	22,546	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"
12	22,547	"	"	18.6
13	"	-35,001	"	"
14	22,548	"	16° 27.1'	"
15	"	"	"	"
16	22,549	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	18.7
20	"	-35,002	"	"
21	22,550	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	22,551	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	18.8
27	22,552	"	16° 27.0'	"
28	"	"	"	"
29	"	"	"	"
30	"	-35,003	"	"
31	"	"	"	18.9

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1. Instrument

These are standard La Cour variometer and an F.D.A. fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

2. Time

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	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31	-1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31,
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30	-1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31	-1 min	

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
T trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

T increases up the chart
 H increased up the chart
 D increases up the chart
 Z becomes less negative down the chart.

5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1\gamma/\text{°C}$	$+3.1\gamma/\text{°C}$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	-2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

6. Scale Value

		H mm	D ° mm	Z ° mm	T °C mm
Normal La Cour	Jan 01 - May 28	-4.32	0.92	-2.3	0.45
	May 29 - Dec 31	-4.0	0.92	-2.0	0.45
Storm La Cour Fluxgate		15.3	4.32	-11.5	-
		10.1	2.17	-15.8	-

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9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_0 etc.. baselines (at $T_S = 0^\circ\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q , temperature coefficients
 s , scale values
 n , ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_0 - s_H n_H + q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22,572 + (4.32 \times 1.4) - (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22,572 - 6 - 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_0 - s_Z n_Z + q_Z (T_S - (T_0 - s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35,062 - ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35,062 + 3 - 107$$

$$= -35,166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_0 - s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^\circ 24.0' + (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^\circ 52.3' \text{ East}$$

Day	Variometer La Cour			Angle to True North
	H	Z	D	
1	22,572	-35,003	16° 27.0'	18.9
2	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	22,551	-35,003	"	"
6	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	19.0
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	16° 26.9'	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"
17	"	-35,004	"	"
18	22,552	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	22,553	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"
28	"	"	"	"
29	"	"	16° 26.8'	"
30	"	-35,003	"	"
31	"	"	"	"

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EXPLANATORY NOTES, 1976

1. Instruments

The chart, Standard La Cour voltmeter and an Ebb & Flowgate magnetometer, all recording .. H and Z.

2. Time

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Due to parallax, during the periods indicated, the following corrections should be added to time read on the traces (the relevant moving time dot being used for each of the storm La Cour traces).

	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31 -1 min		Jan 01 - Dec 31.
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30 -1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31 -1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31 -1 min		

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
I trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

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 Z becomes less negative down the chart.

5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate. in gammas. increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	-3.1v/ $^{\circ}$ C	-3.1v/ $^{\circ}$ C
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	-2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

	Normal La Cour	Storm La Cour	Fluxgate	Normal La Cour	Storm La Cour	Fluxgate
	May 28 - Dec 31	May 29 - Dec 31	May 28 - Dec 31	May 28 - Dec 31	May 29 - Dec 31	May 28 - Dec 31
1	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0	11.0
2	"	"	"	"	"	"
3	"	"	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	-35,002	"	"
5	22.552	"	"	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	16°26.7'	"	"
9	"	-35,001	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"	"	"
15	22.551	"	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	"	16°26.6'	"	"
21	"	"	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"	"	"
28	"	"	"	"	"	"
29	22.550	"	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	"	"	"

During storms, the fluxgate scale values are increased automatically by a factor of two.

7. Scale of Reproduction

To give scale, a ruler of 50mm. length is reproduced on each magnetogram.

8. Baselines

For each calendar month baselines are given on separate sheets. For the normal La Cour records, baselines at 0°C are quoted. Chart baselines can be calculated using the information given in Section 5. The values given for the T baseline (H_T) are valid when the T trace is below H_T . When the upper T trace is used subtract 91.7mm from the measured ordinate.

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9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_o etc.. baselines (at $T_S = 0^{\circ}\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q . temperature coefficients
 s . scale values
 n . ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_o + s_H n_H + q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22.572 - (4.32 \times 1.4) - (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22.572 - 6 - 107$$

$$= 22.685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_o + s_Z n_Z + q_Z (T_S - (T_o - s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35.062 - ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) - 3.1 (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35.062 - 3 - 107$$

$$= -35.166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_o + s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^{\circ}24.0' - (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^{\circ}52.3' \text{ East}$$

BRITISH ANTARCTIC SURVEY

(FORMERLY FALKLAND ISLANDS DEPENDENCIES SURVEY)

MAGNETIC RECORDS FOR 1976

FROM ARGENTINE ISLANDS A.973

LAT. $-65^{\circ} 15'$ LONG. $295^{\circ} 44'$
GEOMAGNETIC LATITUDE -53.8°
GEOMAGNETIC LONGITUDE 3.3°

ORIGINAL RECORDS HELD AT:-

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EXPLANATORY NOTES, 1976

1. Instrument

The chart is standard La Cour variometer and an F.D.A. fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

2. Time

The La Cour charts are usually changed at Greenwich midnight, so that each chart shows a complete Greenwich day.

Due to parallax, during the periods indicated, the following corrections should be added to time read on the traces (the relevant moving time dot being used for each of the storm La Cour traces).

	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31	-1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31,
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30	-1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31	-1 min	

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
T trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

T increases up the chart
 H increased up the chart
 D increases up the chart
 Z becomes less negative down the chart.

5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1 \gamma/\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$	$+3.1 \gamma/\text{ }^{\circ}\text{C}$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	+2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

6. Scale Value

	H mm	D mm	Z mm	D ^o East
Normal La Cour	Jan 01 - May 28	4.0	0.92	16°24.0'
	May 29 - Dec 31	4.0	0.92	0.45
Storm La Cour		15.3	2.42	-11.7
Fluxgate		15.1	2.17	-17.8

During storms, the fluxgate scale values are, if necessary, automatically increased ('fluxgate latches') by a factor of two.

7. Scale of Reproduction

To give scale, a ruler of 50mm. length is reproduced on each magnetogram.

8. Baselines

For each calendar month baselines are given on separate sheets. For the normal La Cour records, baselines at 0°C are quoted. Chart baselines can be calculated using the information given in Section 5. The values given for the T baseline (H_0) are valid when the T trace is below H_0 . When the upper T trace is used subtract 91.7mm from the measured ordinate.

Following the installation of a new bimetal strip in the H variometer on May 28, the H and T baselines vary rapidly. From May 29 to July 31 the baseline values quoted apply to 0001Z each day. Values at other times can be found by interpolation.

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9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_0 etc.. baselines (at $T_S = 0^\circ\text{C}$ for H, Z)
 q , temperature coefficients
 s . scale values
 n . ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_0 + s_H n_H + q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22.572 + (4.32 \times 1.4) + (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22.572 + 6 - 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_0 + s_Z n_Z + q_Z (T_S - (T_0 - s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35.062 + ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 - (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35.062 - 3 - 107$$

$$= -35,166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_0 + s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^\circ 24.0' - (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^\circ 52.3' \text{ East}$$

January 1976

Day	H	Z	D ^o East
1	22.572	-35.062	16°24.0'
2	"	"	"
3	"	"	16°26.5'
4	"	-35.062	"
5	"	"	"
6	"	"	"
7	22.549	"	"
8	"	-34.999	"
9	"	"	"
10	"	"	"
11	"	"	"
12	"	"	16°26.6'
13	"	"	"
14	"	"	"
15	"	-34.998	"
16	"	"	"
17	"	"	"
18	"	"	"
19	"	"	"
20	"	"	"
21	"	"	"
22	"	"	16°26.7'
23	"	"	"
24	"	"	"
25	"	"	"
26	"	"	"
27	"	"	"
28	22,550	"	16°26.8'
29	"	"	"
30	"	"	"
31	"	"	"

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ARGENTINE ISLANDS A.973

EXPLANATORY NOTES, 1976

1. Instruments

There are standard La Cour variometers and an E.D.A. fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

2. Time

The La Cour charts are usually changed at Greenwich midnight, so that each chart shows a complete Greenwich day.

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	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31	-1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31,
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30	-1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31	-1 min	

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
T trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

4. Sense of Traces

T increases up the chart
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Z becomes less negative down the chart.

5. Temperature Coefficients

Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1 \gamma / {}^\circ C$	$+3.1 \gamma / {}^\circ C$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	+2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

6. Scale Value

		H_o , mm	D_o , mm	Z_o , mm	T^oC , mm
Normal La Cour	Jan 01 - May 28	4.32	0.92	0.30	0.45
	May 29 - Dec 31	4.02	0.92	0.30	0.40
Storm La Cour		1.03	2.32	-11.5	-
Fluxgate		15.1	2.17	-15.8	-

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7. Scale of Reproduction

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8. Baselines

For each calendar month baselines are given on separate sheets. For the normal La Cour records, baselines at 0^oC are quoted. Chart baselines can be calculated using the information given in Section 5. The values given for the T baseline (H_T) are valid when the T trace is below H_o . When the upper T trace is used subtract 91.7mm from the measured ordinate.

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9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

H_o etc., baselines (at $T_S = 0^oC$ for H, Z)
 q , temperature coefficients
 s , scale values
 n , ordinates in mm.

$$H = H_o + s_H n_H - q_H (T_S - (s_T n_T))$$

$$H = 22,572 + (4.32 \times 1.4) + (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22,572 + 6 + 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_o + s_Z n_Z + q_Z (T_S - (T_o + s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35,062 + ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35,062 + 3 - 107$$

$$= -35,166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_o + s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^o 24.0' + (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^o 52.3' \text{ East}$$

Argentine Land

November 1, 1976

Normal La Cour Baseline

Day	H	Z	D	I
1	22,570	-34,998	16 ^o 26.3'	18.9
2	"	-34,999	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	22,551	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	18.8
7	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	"
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	-35,000	"	"
11	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	18.9
16	"	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"
19	"	-35,001	"	"
20	"	"	"	"
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	16 ^o 26.7'	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	"	"	"	"
26	"	"	"	"
27	"	"	"	"
28	"	"	"	"
29	"	"	"	"
30	"	"	16 ^o 26.6'	"

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1. Instrument

The three standard La Cour variometers and an E.D.A. fluxgate magnetometer, all recording H, D and Z.

2. Time

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	<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
H	Jan 01 - Dec 31	-1 min	Jan 01 - Dec 31.
D	Jan 01 - Jul 30	+1 min	-1 min.
Z	Dec 02 - Dec 31	+1 min	

3. Order of Traces

From top to bottom of chart

<u>Normal La Cour</u>	<u>Storm La Cour</u>	<u>Fluxgate</u>
T trace (when present)	Z trace	H trace
H trace	Z baseline	Time
H baseline	T trace	D trace
T trace (when present)	H trace	D baseline
D trace	H baseline	
D baseline	D trace	
Z trace	D baseline	
Z baseline		

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Temperature coefficients (the ordinate, in gammas, increases with increasing temperature when the coefficient is positive) for the normal La Cour records are:-

	<u>H</u>	<u>Z</u>
Jan 01 - May 28	$-3.1 \gamma / {}^\circ C$	$+3.1 \gamma / {}^\circ C$
May 29 - Dec 31	-2.3	+2.9

For the storm La Cour and fluxgate records, chart baselines are given or can be deduced by comparison with the normal records. Temperature coefficients are thus not required.

6. Scale Value

		H mm	D mm	Z mm	T °C mm
Normal La Cour	Jan 01 - May 29	-4.3	0.97	-1.37	0.47
	May 29 - Dec 31	-4.07	0.97	-1.30	0.40
Storm La Cour		-1.3	0.97	-11.0	
Fluxgate		15.1	2.17	-15.8	

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8. Baselines

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9. Example of computation absolute values

01 Jan 1976, 1200 Z

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 q , temperature coefficients
 s , scale values
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$$H = 22,572 + (4.32 \times 1.4) + (-3.1) \times (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.0)))$$

$$= 22,572 + 6 + 107$$

$$= 22,685 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$Z = Z_0 + s_Z n_Z + q_Z (T_S - (T_0 + s_T n_T))$$

$$= -35,062 + ((-2.32) \times (-1.1)) + 3.1 (0 - (22.3 + (0.45 \times 27.6)))$$

$$= -35,062 + 3 - 107$$

$$= -35,166 \text{ gammas.}$$

$$D = D_0 + s_D n_D$$

$$= 16^\circ 24.0' + (0.92 \times 30.8)'$$

$$= 16^\circ 52.3' \text{ East}$$

Argentina - Land

December 1976

Normal La Cour Baseline

Day	H	Z	D	
1	22,551	-34,946 (1700Z)	16°26.6'	18.9
2	"	-34,946	"	"
3	"	"	"	"
4	"	"	"	"
5	"	"	"	"
6	"	"	"	"
7	"	"	"	"
8	"	"	"	19.0
9	"	"	"	"
10	"	"	"	"
11	"	"	"	"
12	"	"	"	"
13	"	"	"	"
14	"	"	"	"
15	"	"	"	"
16	"	"	"	"
17	"	"	"	"
18	"	"	"	"
19	"	"	"	"
20	"	"	16°26.7'	19.1
21	"	"	"	"
22	"	"	"	"
23	"	"	"	"
24	"	"	"	"
25	"	-34,945	"	"
26	"	"	16°26.8'	"
27	"	"	"	"
28	"	-34,944	"	"
29	22,552	"	"	"
30	"	"	"	"
31	"	"	"	"

Storm La Cour Baselines

1	22,455	-34,910	16°23.2'
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