Cube-p User manual

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Chapter 1 Installation & Uninstallation

1.1 Introduction

Cube_p is mainly for processing baselines of GPS ephemeris data, then the result will be used to adjust constrained network, so as to obtain final report for control network.

This software is capable of processing data in two formats: RINEX standard data of GPS receivers and *.dat data.

Integrated with friendly interface, all-English operating environment, processed management and operation as well as better graphical operation interface and graphics service, it perfectly performs export and save of a variety of graphics including baseline network diagrams and error ellipses.

Using management of establishing project file, that engineering project exists in the form of a file, reliability is greatly enhanced. Cube_p provides users the convenience to customize the projector ellipsoid parameters and select diverse coordinate system. The entire process, including baseline solution, network adjustment and other operations, are operating in the project files under save path. This software records all operations automatically, and it can export the progress of processed date which is saved at any time, then to continue processing or check the results.

It is more powerful than previous versions, enjoying higher automation as well as more convenient operation of baseline vector solution, closed loop searching, network adjustment processing functions.

Using Cube_p to process baseline, it can easily set solution conditions and solver type of any baseline. For independent synchronous loop, asynchronous loop and repeating baseline, it can search automatically. In the network adjustment process, it has increased 3D constrained adjustment, plane adjustment and vertical adjustment.

1.2 Installation

Download Cube_p installation package as shown in Figure 1-1, run the installation program as an administrator, and select the installation language as shown in Figure 1-2. After that, click [OK] and then an interface appears in several seconds as shown in Figure 1-3. Click [Next], choose the installation path as shown in Figure 1-4 and the default installation path is C:\Program Files (x86) \ STONEX\Cube_p without modification. Click [Finish] in the pop-up interface as shown in Figure 1-5, which means successful installation and then the software automatically creates a Cube_p shortcut on the desktop (decosolution) and the start menu. Double click the Cube_p shortcut as shown in Figure 1-6, and the main interface appears as shown in Figure 1-7. Now a series of operations could be done in the main interface, such as new project establishment, baseline solution, and network adjustment.

Note: If your computer is Win10 system, please don't install the Cube_p in disk C, or you need to run Cube_p as administrator.

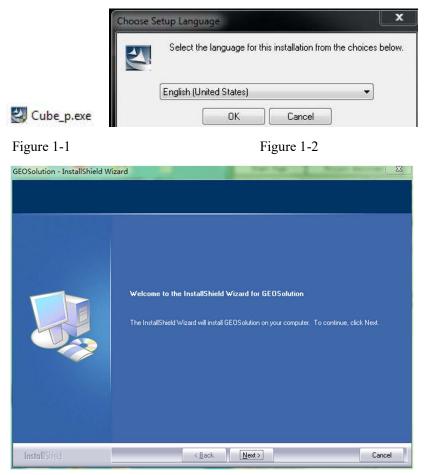


Figure 1-3

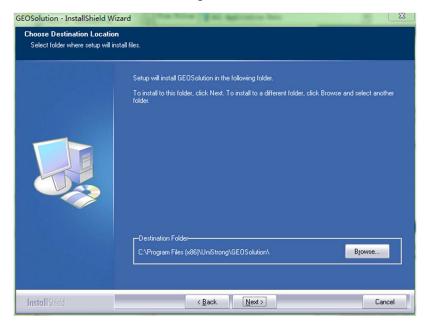


Figure 1-4

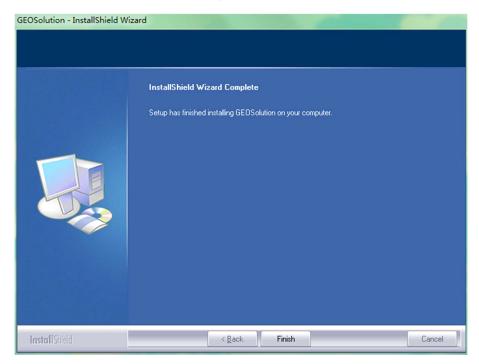


Figure 1-5



Figure 1-6

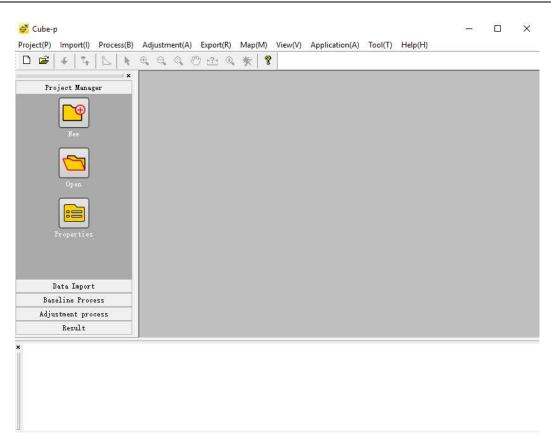


Figure 1-7

1.3 Software uninstallation

1)Shortcut uninstallation

Firstly, find and open the Cube_p installation folder in the "start" menu Bar as shown in Figure 1-8. Next, click [Uninstall] and the pop-up interface as shown in Figure 1-9. Lastly, click [Yes] and the software starts to uninstall as shown in Figure 1-10. When the desktop and the start menu Bar have no Cube_p shortcut, it indicates that the software uninstallation is completed.

	Windows Installer ×
Cube_p	
GEONtripCaster	Are you sure you want to uninstall this product?
SNRS	
Uninstall	Yes No
Figure 1-8	Figure 1-9



GEOSolution	
Please wait while Windows configures GEOSol	lution
Gathering required information	
	Cancel

Figure 1-10

2)System uninstallation

Click Start menu to enter Control panel, and choose delete programs. Find Cube_p in the interface as shown in Figure 1-11, click [Uninstall] and the pop-up interface as shown in Figure 1-12, which means the program is uninstalled successfully.

Control I	Panel > Programs > Programs and Features				~ Ō	Search Pr	Q
	Uninstall or change a program						
	To uninstall a program, select it from the list and then click Un	install, Change, or Repair.					
s on or	Organize 👻 Uninstall/Change						8
	Name	Publisher	Installed On	Size	Version		
	Crystal Reports Basic Simplified Chinese Language Pack for V	Business Objects	6/3/2016	34.0 MB	10.5.0.0		
	ff Cube_p	STONEX	12/4/2017	18.7 MB	1.00.0000		
	🚱 DAEMON Tools Lite	Disc Soft Ltd	11/8/2016		4.49.1.03	56	
	EximiousSoft PDF Editor V3.05	EximiousSoft	6/21/2016	50.5 MB			
	FieldGenius 8	MicroSurvey Software Inc.	11/8/2016		8.0.14.5		

Figure 1-11



Figure 1-12

Chapter 2 Data processing

This chapter mainly explains the simple procedure that Cube_p data processing software processes static GPS data and dynamic post-differential data, so that the user can quickly understand how to use the software in a short time. The data processing process is briefly described below. Other more detailed introduction please refer to the following sections.

2.1 Static GPS data processing

1) New project

Click [Project] – [New], then pops up the interface as shown in Figure 2-1. Project name is necessary, while other items are optional. Click [Coordinate Sys.] as shown in Figure 2-2. The users could set Ellipsoid Parameter, Projections Parameter and other information in this interface.

New Project				X
Project Info				
Project Name:	20171031_163400			
Project Unit:		Start Time:		
Contruction:		End Time:		
Responsible:		Time Zone:	+8 • 0 •	-
Surveyor:				
Notes:				
Project Path	C:\GEOProjects\			
Control Level	Coordinate Sys. Units Settings		OK Cancel	

Figure 2-1

ame: B	eijing54			
Ellipsoid Parameter	Projections Parameter	Ellipsoid conversion	Plane conversion	Elevation conversion 4
Ellipsoid Name:	Define			-
Semimajor axis:			6378	245.0
1/f:			298.	3
Import	Export		ок	Cancel

Figure 2-2

2) Import data

Click [Import] - [Observation Data] as shown in Figure 2-3, then choose the data file and click [Open]. Import succeeds as shown in Figure 2-4.

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🔜 Desktop	* ^	Name	Date modified	Туре	Size
🕹 Downloads	*	// jzz11231.170	10/13/2017 2:50 PM	170 File	5,894 KB
Documents	*	jzz11231.dat	10/13/2017 2:54 PM	DAT File	2,416 KB
Pictures	*				
iNand	*				
<mark></mark> G6					
S10A					
Z35 Pro					
- 培训文档					
OneDrive					
This PC					
58.62.206.155					
Desktop	~				
File name:			3	Observation Data	(*.dat;*.bin;*.* ~
				Open	Cancel

Figure 2-3

 ▲ 100031410 ▲ BASE3147 	1000 BASE	Data Type Static	2017-11-10 18:00:01.00	2017-11-10 18:37>
-	BASE			
	DAGE	Static	2017-11-10 18:22:12.00	2017-11-10 18:34
🚖 s3213145	s321	Static	2017-11-10 18:22:13.00	2017-11-10 18:35:
SP100031410	1000	Static	2017-11-10 18:00:01.00	2017-11-10 18:37:
SPBASE3147	BASE	Dynamic	2017-11-10 18:22:12.00	2017-11-10 18:34
	SPs3	Static	2017-11-10 18:22:13.00	2017-11-10 18:35:
	Plane Map Baseline Lis	t Repeated Bar	eline Closed Loop Adjust	ment Report
	SPBASE3147 SPs3213145	▲ SPBASE3147 BASE ▲ SPs3213145 SPs3		▲ SPBASE3147 BASE Dynamic 2017-11-10 18:22:12.00 ▲ SPs3213145 SPs3 Static 2017-11-10 18:22:13.00

Figure 2-4

3) Static Options setting

Click [Process] - [Static Options] as shown in Figure 2-5, and click [OK] when finishing setting.

Basic Settings		Model Settings	
Solution Mode:	Auto 🗸	Tropospheric Model:	Saastamoinen -
Ephemeris Type:	Broadcast Ephemeris 🔻	Ionospheric Model:	Klobuchar -
Cut-off angle:	20.00 -	Meteorological Paramet	er
Epoch interval:	10 -	Temperature(°C):	18.00
Min Epochs:	30 🗸	Pressure(mPa):	1013.25
Segment interval:	2.00Hour -	Relative humidity(%):	50.00
Single Fre. Length:	10000m 👻	Qualified Solution Setti	ngs
Reference of GPS:	Auto 🗸	Ratio Limit:	3.00
Reference of GLO:	Auto 🔻	RMS Limit:	0.0400
Reference of BDS:	Auto 👻]	
Satellites System		Apply to all	Apply to new
GPS	Glonass BDS	Apply to unqualified	(

Figure 2-5

- 4) Baseline process
 - a. Click [Process] [Process all baselines] to process all the baselines as shown in

Figure 2-6. When the Figure 2-7 appears, it means process complete. green refers to baselines that succeed to process, while red refers to those failed.

b. Right-click the unqualified baselines in the baseline table, then choose [Processing settings], and modify the static setting parameters to reprocess this baseline.

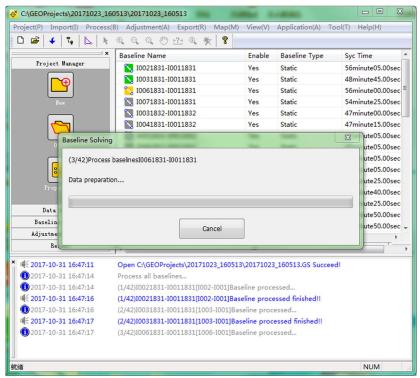


Figure 2-6

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Project Manager	Baseline Name	Enable	Baseline Type	Syc Time	Solution Status	Variance Rat
	10021831-10011831	Yes	Static	56minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9
⊡	10031831-10011831	Yes	Static	48minute45.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0061831-I0011831	Yes	Static	56minute00.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0071831-I0011831	Yes	Static	54minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0031832-I0011832	Yes	Static	47minute00.00second	Qualified	99.9
	10041831-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute15.00second	Qualified	46.9
	N0051831-I0011832	Yes	Static	47minute05.00second	Qualified	3.2
	N0061832-I0011832	Yes	Static	47minute05.00second	Qualified	32.1
	N0031831-I0021831	Yes	Static	49minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9
<mark>:2</mark>	N0061831-I0021831	Yes	Static	56minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0071831-I0021831	Yes	Static	54minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0061831-I0031831	Yes	Static	48minute40.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0071831-I0031831	Yes	Static	48minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9
	N0041831-I0031832	Yes	Static	47minute50.00second	Qualified	38.8
Data Import	N0051831-I0031832	Yes	Static	46minute50.00second	Qualified	3.5
Baseline Process	N0061832-I0031832	Yes	Static	46minute50.00second	Qualified	21.9
Adjustment process		Var	Ctatio	17minuta15 00cacand	Ovalified	50
Result	Observation Data Time Map Plane		List Repeated Base	line Closed Loop Adjustme	nt Report Adjustm	ent Coordinates

Figure 2-7

5) Network Adjustment

a. Click [Adjustment] - [Adjustment Settings] as shown in Figure 2-8.

Adjustment Setting	23
Closed loop options	
Closed loop search depth:	5 🗸
Minimum sync time (minutes):	4 🗸
ОК	Cancel

Figure 2-8

b. Click [Import] - [Known Coordinates] as shown in Figure 2-9.

ŧ	Point Name	Coordinate x	Coordinate y	Coor	dinate h	Use plane	Use height	Lati
	Known Coordin	ate					8	-00
	Point ID:	1003	•					
	Local Plane C	Coordinates	W	GS84 Coord	linates			
	x:		L	atitude:				
	y:		L	ongitude:				
	h:		A	Altitude:				
	Options:	🗹 Use Horizontal 🛛	Use Vertical p	oint Type:	BLH(dd.mm	ssss)	•	
	-				ОК	Canc	el	
		m						

Figure 2-9

 c. Click [Adjustment] - [Adjustment Processing], the adjustment report is as shown in Figure 2-10.

Project(P) Import(I) Processi	(B) Adji	Stment(A) Expo	1 - 1	i) view(v) App	lication(A) I	ooi(I) Heip(H)			
Project Manager				Synchro	nous c	losed loc	р		
New	No.	Constitute	Quality	Observation Time	Total length of loops (m)	XClosure error (Millimeter)	YClosure error (Willimeter)	ZClosure error (Millimeter)	(III:
Open	1	1003 I002 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	3050. 2020	0.1316	0.0945	-0.0877	
	3	1006 I002 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:18:00.00	4066. 3953	-0.0805	0. 0807	0. 0929	
Properties	5	I007 I002 I001	Qualified		3611.2699	-0. 0235	0. 2696	0.2984	
	6	1003 I002 1006 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	4746.7851	-0. 2121	-0. 0139	0.1806	
Data Import Baseline Process	10	1006 1003 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	4116. 5045	-0.3296	0. 8493	0.1370	
Adjustment process		1006 1003		2015/7/2					
Result		vation Data Time	Map Plane M		Repeated Base	line Closed Loop A	djustment Report	Adjustment Coordina	ites
₩ 2017-10-31 16:50:13	Adjust	ment calculation f	inished!						

Figure 2-10

6) Export processing results

Click [Export] - [Static Processing Results] as shown in Figure 2-11. After choosing the file type and save path, click [Export], then the processing result could be exported.

Export Static Result	
Please select a path:	
● ● 这台电脑 ● ■ 桌面	File Type dat(Point name,Latitude,Longitude,Altit dat(Point name,x,y,h) cass(Point name,code,y,x,h) AutoCAD(dxf) Google Earth(kml) Coordinate system files(sp) Coordinate conversion file(cot) Adjustment report(html) Baseline solve report(html) Select all Select none Angle format: dd.mmssss
	Export Close

Figure 2-11

2.2 Dynamic GPS data processing

1) New project

Click [Project] - [New], pops up the interface as shown in Figure 2-12. Project name is necessary, while the other items are optional. Click [Coordinates Sys.] as shown in Figure 2-13, the users can set ellipsoid parameter and projections parameter and other information.

lew Project			X
Project Info			
Project Name:	20171031_163400		
Project Unit:		Start Time:	
Contruction:		End Time:	
Responsible:		Time Zone:	+8 • 0 •
Surveyor:			
Notes:			
Project Path	C:\GEOProjects\		
Control Level	Coordinate Sys. Units Settings		OK Cancel

Figure 2-12

Coordinate System	Setting				
Name:	Beijing54				
Ellipsoid Paramete	Projections Parameter	Ellipsoid conversion	Plane conversio	on Elevation cor	versior 1
Ellipsoid Name:	Define				•
Semimajor axis:			63	378245.0	
1/f:			29	98.3	
Import	Export		C	ж	Cancel

Figure 2-13

2) Import data

Click [Import] - [Observation Data] as shown in Figure 2-14, choose the data file and click [Open]. The interface as shown in the Figure 2-15 means import succeed. The imported observation data should contain two kinds of data files, base station and rover.

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anize 🔻 New folder					•
Desktop	* ^	Name	Date modified	Туре	Size
Downloads	1	jzz11231.170	10/13/2017 2:50 PM	170 File	5,894 KB
Documents	1	jzz11231.dat	10/13/2017 2:54 PM	DAT File	2,416 KB
Pictures	*				
iNand	*				
G6					
S10A					
Z35 Pro					
培训文档					
OneDrive					
This PC					
58.62.206.155					
Desktop	~				
File name:				Observation Data	*.dat;*.bin;*.*
				Open	Cancel

Figure 2-14

	File Name Station Name Data Type Start Time End Time						
				Ant			
525	Dynamic	2016-8-25 09:58:56.80	2016-8-25 11:18:02.00	0.0			
002	Static	2016-8-25 10:10:27.00	2016-8-25 11:14:56.00	0.0			
		the later of the later	stment Report Adjustment				

Figure 2-15

3) Modify dynamic options

Click [Process] - [Dynamic Options] as shown in Figure 2-16. Click [OK] after setting up the parameters.

Solution Parameter			Measurement error(1-sigma)			
Positioning Model:	Kinematic	-	Pseudo-range/Carrier Error rate L1/L2:	100.0	100.0	
Frequency Combination:	L1 •		Carrier a+b/sinEl (m):	0.003	0.003	
Filter Type:	Forward • 15.0 • Broadcast • Saastamoinen •		Carrier error/Baseline length(m/10km):	0.003		
Cut-off angle:			Doppler frequency(Hz):	1.000		
Ionospheric Correction Model:			Noise treatment(1-sigma/sqrt(s))			
Tropospheric Correction Model:			Receiver accuracy Hor./Ver. (m/s2):	1.00000 0.10000		
Satellite ephemeris/clock access mode:	Broadcast	•	Carrier phase deviation(Cycle): Vertical ionospheric delay(m/10km):	0.00100 0.00100 0.00100 0.00000000005000		
Ambiguity resolution method:	Fix and Ho	old 👻				
Ambiguity Fixed Ratio Limit:	3.0		Zenith tropospheric delay(m):			
Reset Amb. count/Cycle slip limit(m):	5	0.05	Satellite clock stability(s/s):			
Maximum Differential Delay(s):	30		Satellites Syatem			
GDOP/Maximum allowable info(m):	30.000	30.000	GPS Glonass Galileo QZSS SBAS			

Figure 2-16

4) Baseline Processing

Click [Process] - [Process all baselines] to process all the baselines as shown in Figure 2-17. Process completes as shown in Figure 2-18. Green refers to baselines that succeed to process, while red refers to those failed.

 Right click the unqualified dynamic baseline in the baseline table, choose [Processing settings], then modify the dynamic setting parameters to process this baseline again.

	× Baseline Name	Enable	Baseline Type	Syc Time	Solution Status	Vari
Project Manager	₩ 00022382-5525C004132016082	Yes	Dynamic	01hour04minute29.00	Processing	
New	Baseline Solving			X		
	(1/1)Process baselines00022382-5525C00	413201608	8250155			
Open.	(1/1)Process baselines00022382-5525C00 Processing: 2016/08/25 10:23:58.00 (12)		3250155			
			3250155			
		Float	3250155			
			3250155			
Froperties		Float	3250155			
Properties Data Import		Float	3250155			

Figure 2-17

Project(P) Import(I) Process(B	Adjustment(A) Export(R) Map(M)	View(V)	Application(A) To	ol(T) Help(H)		
🗅 🗃 🗲 🗣 🔈 📐	⊕, ⊖, ⊙ 🖄 @ 🔆 💡 📄					
× 1	Baseline Name	Enable	Baseline Type	Syc Time	Solution Status	Vari
Project Manager	00022382-5525C004132016082	Yes	Dynamic	01hour04minute29.00	Finished	
New Data Import						
Baseline Process						
Adjustment process	< III					
Result	Observation Data Time Map Plane Map	Baseline L	ist Repeated Baselin	ne Closed Loop Adjustme	nt Report Adjustme	ant 🕡
€ 2017-10-31 17:05:45	Statistic[Track point]: 13766Single, 0DGN	NSS, 11862	Float, 66719Fixed, T	otal Points92347Epoch(fixe	d rate)72.25%)	

Figure 2-18

5) Check the results of the dynamic baseline solution.

Click [Result] - [View dynamic data] as shown in Figure 2-19. Green refers to points in fixed solution, yellow to points in float solution and red to points in single solution.

		_	-	_					-	_	
#	Name	Туре	Date	Time	纬度	Longitude	Altitude	Northing x	Easting y	Elevation h	So
836	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:14:30.0000	023°09'30.85983812"	113°30'08.35557767"	-31.5733	27166367.5386	17546734.3907	-31.5733	Ft
1165	1013	Track point	2016-12-6 2016-12-6	07:20:00.0000	023°09'14.26027669" 023°09'00.97142439"	113°31'16.11292182"	-3.5689	27189354.2929 27189072.6876	17556603.3009 17560984.6656	-3.5689 0.0581	Ft
1208 1275	1013 1013	Track point Track point	2016-12-6	07:22:00.0000	023°09'00.97142439 023°08'41.54612523"	113°31'12.11299109" 113°31'09.86530504"	0.0581	27189072.6876	17567607.3693	-1.2094	E
F1508	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:26:32.0000	023°08'41.54612523 023°08'38.35641879"	113°30'40.22161005"	1.0139	27189813.3776	17566919.2812	1.0139	E
1508	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:27:52.0000	023°08'37.96042160"	113°30'34.41484360"	-8.5133	27178705.7325	17566704.8112	-8.5133	E
1735	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:30:20.0000	023°08'37.94062336"	113°30'17.08067758"	18.6009	27173145.9903	17565660.2785	18.6009	E
F1754	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:30:39.0000	023°08'38.05995705"	113°30'10.74740192"	19.9080	27173145.9903	17565234.6335	19.9080	E
F1806	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:31:31.0000	023°08'38.00995705	113°30'04.53092232"	16.4404	27169116.0194	17564878.3614	16.4404	F
1806	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:32:13.0000	023°08'38.16100337"	113°29'51.68610667"	13.1618	27164984.4787	17564043.3289	13.1618	F
1904	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:27.0000	023°08'52.21124114"	113°29'29.63957199"	9.4978	27156862.5445	17557823.4881	9.4978	F
1904	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:34.0000	023°08'53.09104739"	113°29'27.44204281"	8.9091	27156092.1408	17557384.6136	8.9091	F
F1914	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:37.0000	023°08'53.51904928"	113°29'26.38949200"	8.8362	27155722.6539	17557172.1187	8.8362	F
T1966	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:34:35.0000	023°09'07.48337693"	113°29'26.37594789"	-24.0473	27154670.2162	17552319.2506	-24.0473	F
2568	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:44:48.0000	023°09'30.71456030"	113°27'49.32621732"	6.9360	27121843.9089	17538384.0796	6.9360	Ē
e											

Figure 2-19

6) Export dynamic solution coordinates

Click [Export] - [Dynamic solution coordinates] as shown in Figure 2-20, choose file type, point type and solution status, then click [Export]. Select the file storage location, and the dynamic solution coordinates could be exported successfully.

5525(5525C00413201608250155)					
Baseline Name	Sync Time	В	Baseline leng	jth	
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					Import
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Figure 2-20

Chapter 3 Cube_p

Cube_p is a professional processing software in GPS industry. Using management of establishing project file, it needs to create or open a project before data processing. The software can process data collected by third-party receivers with the aid of RINEX format data input, including the post-processing of mixed operation data from different kinds of GPS receivers.

3.1 The Main Function

- It can deal with the observation data in the standard RINEX data format, which is advantageous to process the observation data collected by the mixed operation of different receivers.
- 2) It can download the observation data of IGS and CORS.
- 3) It can process static baseline, dynamic baseline and perform network adjustment.
- It can export dynamic/static baseline processing results and network adjustment results.
- All baselines can be fully automatically processed and can be individually handled manually.

3.2 Main Interface of Software

Run Cube_p as shown in Figure 3-1. The main interface consists of a Title Bar, Menu Bar, ToolBar, Navigation Bar, Workspace, Information Bar and Status Bar.

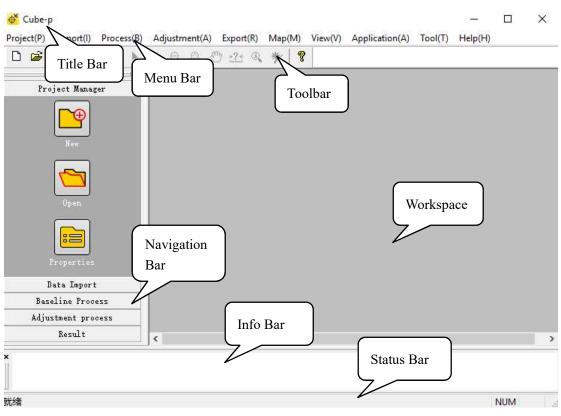


Figure 3-1

Title Bar: The initial purpose of the Title Bar is to help you quickly determine the current application class. It can provide some basic program control for you, such as restore, move, size, maximize, minimize, and close. If a project is open currently, the project save path will be displayed.

Menu Bar: The drop-down menu is an important part of any Windows application window, for providing commands of building projects, baseline solutions, network adjustment, data management, view management, etc.

Toolbar: It provides some common shortcut commands, including creating new projects, open projects, import observation data, baseline solutions, network adjustment, and the operation commands in the map of peace surface.

Navigation Bar: It stores most of the common quick commands, including project management, baseline solutions, network adjustment, and a series of commands of exporting results.

Workspace: The workspace is a major area of work for the user, usually including various diagrams related to the project.

Information Bar: It exports various status information in the processing.

Status Bar: It displays some prompt information for the current operation.

3.3 Menu Bar

Project(P) Import(I) Process(B) Adjustment(A) Export(R) Map(M) View(V) Application(A) Tool(T) Help(H)

Figure 3-2

The Menu Bar contains the various functional menus of the software, namely, Project, Import, Process, Adjustment, Export, Map, View, Application, Tool, Help. The various functions are described in detail below.

3.3.1 Project

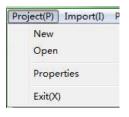


Figure 3-3

1) New

Creating new project.

2) Open

Open an existed project.

3) Attributes

Check the attribute information of the project, and the attributes information can be modified after clicking open.

4) Exit

Close the current project file and exit the software.

3.3.2 Import



Figure 3-4

1) Observation Data

Add an observation file for the newly established project or opened project file to import *.dat and standard RINEX observation files.

2) Precise Ephemeris

Add a Precise Ephemeris file for the newly established project or opened project file to improve the precision of long baseline solution.

3) IGS Data

Add IGS station data for the newly established project or opened project file to improve the precision of solution.

4) CORS Data

Add CORS station data for the newly established project or opened project file to improve the precision of solution.

5) Known coordinate

In the case of observation data import, left-click on the known coordinates, and after adding the known coordinates to the newly established project or opened project, it will be displayed as the green solid triangle in the plane map. The known coordinates that added will be used in the horizontal surface network adjustment or vertical control.

3.3.3 Process

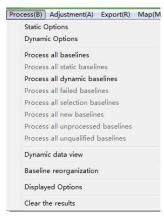


Figure 3-5

Static Options

Before the static baseline solution, ready to set the baseline processing

condition, click the [Static Options] and the static solution setting dialog box is shown in Figure 3-6. The meaning of each setting item is as follows:

Basic Settings

Solution Mode

The general software uses the automatic solution model in initial solution. There are seven solution modes: automatic, L1, IonoFree, L2, L1L2, LN and LW.

If user does not want to adopt the automatic mode, L1 solution model would be adopted in short baseline solution, IonoFree mode in long baseline solution, and the positioning precision can be improved by the natural LN mode.

• Ephemeris Type

It can choose broadcast ephemeris or precision ephemeris to process the project. Generally, using precise ephemeris can improve solution precision of long baseline, and short baseline using the broadcast ephemeris can meet the requirements.

Station Solve Option	No. Name	Station Name	X
Basic Settings	Ì	Model Settings	
Solution Mode:	Auto 💌	Tropospheric Model:	Saastamoinen 👻
Ephemeris Type:	Broadcast Ephemeris 👻	Ionospheric Model:	Klobuchar 👻
Cut-off angle:	20.00 -	Meteorological Paramet	er
Epoch interval:	10 👻	Temperature(°C):	18.00
Min Epochs:	30 🗸	Pressure(mPa):	1013.25
Segment interval:	2.00Hour -	Relative humidity(%):	50.00
Single Fre. Length:	10000m 👻	Qualified Solution Settin	ngs
Reference of GPS:	Auto 💌	Ratio Limit:	3.00
Reference of GLO:	Auto 👻	RMS Limit:	0.0400
Reference of BDS:	Auto 👻		
Satellites System		Apply to all	O Apply to new
GPS 🔽	Glonass BDS	Apply to unqualified	
Default settings		ОК	Cancel

Figure 3-6

• Elevation mask angle

Elevation mask angle is the mask angle of satellite elevation angle, which is generally used to prevent the satellite data of low altitude from participating in the baseline solution. The schematic diagram of mask angle is shown in Figure. 3-7.

Due to the atmosphere's influence on low altitude satellite signal is more complex, and more difficult to use model to correct. What's more, due to the signal in low altitude is vulnerable to the influence of various factors such as multipath, electromagnetic wave, the signal quality is usually low. Therefore, usually it must eliminate them in data processing.

From the angle of atmospheric refraction, the mask angle can be reduced in the case of short distance observations. For long distance observations, the mask angle should be increased, because the shorter the distance, the more easily the atmospheric refraction effect will cancel each other out. Of course, the setting of mask angle also needs to refer to the surrounding environment. The default mask angle of the software is 20 degrees.

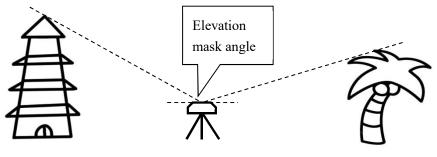


Figure 3-7

• Epoch Interval

The epoch interval is the time interval at which the software extracts data from the original observation data when the baseline is processed. For short baseline, it is appropriate to reduce the epoch interval. For a long baseline, it is appropriate to increase the epoch interval.

For example, two receivers are set to collect a set of data every 1 second in static observation, but in the case of indoor processing, such high density

observational data usually can't significantly improve the precision of the baseline, but greatly increases the time of baseline processing. Therefore, to improve the speed of baseline processing, users can appropriately increase the epoch interval of data processing.

The default epoch interval of the software is 10 seconds.

Min Epoch

Because in observation, the receiver must observe the continuous carrier phase. For example, if successive cycle slips occur in a piece of data, the quality of this data is usually poor and often affects the quality of the baseline processing. Therefore, the data should usually be excluded. Hence, in baseline processing, the software will remove the data segments that its consecutive observation epoch does not exceed the min epoch.

The default min epoch of the software is 30 seconds.

• Segment Interval

It will be divided into several time segments to process when the baseline data observation time segment exceeds the setting value. When you set the segment interval, you can set it to any value, or you can select it in the drop-down box (option 2, 4, 6).

The default segment interval of the software is 2 hours.

- Single Fre. Length: When the single frequency baseline length is greater than the set value, if it does not fix the ambiguity and the baseline solution is failed. The default single frequency baseline length of the software is 10000 meters.
- Reference GPS

The double differential observed value forms when the single differential observed value is processing between the satellites. Therefore, in order to facilitate the processing, the software adopts to select the reference satellite in forming double differential observed value.

The default setting is automatic mode. At that time, the software will select the satellite that with maximum observed data and the bigger elevation angle as a

reference satellite. However, due to the influence of observation conditions, such a choice may not be the most reasonable. When choosing an inappropriate reference satellite, it will affect the baseline processing results. At this point, user is required to reset the reference satellite according to the condition of the observed data.

Satellite System Settings

Cube_p data processing software supports arbitrary combination of GPS, GLONASS and BDS (BEIDOU) satellite system for solution.

Model Settings

In general, there is no need to modify the troposphere and ionosphere model Settings. When using the medium or long baseline, it can be set according to the actual situation to improve the precision of the solution. There are two troposphere models to choose: the Saastamoinen model and the Hopfield model. The ionosphere can choose the Klobuchar model or directly choose none model.

Meteorological parameter

In general, no modification of meteorological parameter Settings is required. According to the actual situation and specific requirements of the project to modify if needed.

Qualified Solution Settings

Ratio Limit

Ratio is the ratio between the second smallest mean square error and the smallest root mean square error produced when the search algorithm is used to determine the integer value of the parameter of unknown number in the whole cycle.

It reflects the reliability of the determined parameter of unknown of the whole cycle. The higher the value, the higher the reliability. When the processing value is less than the set value, the baseline solution fails.

The default Ratio limit of the software is 3.00.

• RMS Limit

RMS is the Root Mean Square, which is used to determine the quality of the observed data. The smaller the RMS, the better the observed data quality; Conversely, the worse the observed data quality is.

The default RMS limit of the software is 0.04.

1) Dynamic Solve Option

As shown in Figure 3-8, the dynamic option setting contains four aspects of the settings, such as solution parameters, measurement errors, noise processing, and satellite systems.

Generally, only need to modify several settings of parameters that are following, according to the specific requirements and the actual situation of project to set the rest of the settings of parameters, or to maintain the default settings can be.

olution Parameter			Measurement error(1-sigma)		
Positioning Model:	Kinematic	Ŧ	Pseudo-range/Carrier Error rate L1/L2:	100.0	100.0
Frequency Combination:	L1	•	Carrier a+b/sinEl (m):	0.003	0.003
Filter Type:	Forward	•	Carrier error/Baseline length(m/10km):	0.003	
Cut-off angle:	15.0	•	Doppler frequency(Hz):	1.000	
Ionospheric Correction Model:	Broadcast	•	Noise treatment(1-sigma/sqrt(s))		
Tropospheric Correction Model:	Saastamoi	inen 👻	Receiver accuracy Hor./Ver. (m/s2):	1.00000	0.10000
Satellite ephemeris/clock access mode:	Broadcast	•	Carrier phase deviation(Cycle):	0.00100	
Ambiguity resolution method:	Fix and Ho	old 👻	Vertical ionospheric delay(m/10km):	0.00100	
Ambiguity Fixed Ratio Limit:	3.0		Zenith tropospheric delay(m):	0.00100	
Reset Amb. count/Cycle slip limit(m):	5	0.05	Satellite clock stability(s/s):	0.0000000	000005000
Maximum Differential Delay(s):	30		Satellites Syatem		
GDOP/Maximum allowable info(m):	30.000	30.000	🖉 GPS 🛛 Glonass 🔲 Galileo 📃 Q	ZSS SB	AS 🔽 BDS



- Mask angle: The mask angle of satellite elevation angle, which is generally used to limit the satellite data of low altitude, so that it will not participate in the baseline solution. The default mask angle of the software is 15 degrees.
- Ambiguity fixed Ratio limit value: This value reflects the reliability of the

parameter of unknown number of the whole cycle, when the Ratio value of the solution is less than the set limit value, the baseline solution is failed.

The default Ratio limit of software is 3.0.

- Reset ambiguity count/cycle slips limit value: Because in the observation process, the receiver must observe the continuous carrier phase, for example, if successive cycle slips occur in a piece of data, the quality of this data is usually poor. Therefore, when the time of cycle slips exceeds the limit value of the cycle slips, it will reset ambiguity count as set value.
- Maximum differential delay: To judge the quality of observational data, when the differential delay value is greater than the set value, the data quality is poor and needs to be eliminated.
- GDOP/ Maximum allowable info threshold: Used to judge the quality of geometric combination of space satellites.
- 2) Baseline Solution

According to the baseline situation, it can be divided into processing all baselines, processing all static baselines, processing all dynamic baselines, processing all failure baselines, processing all chosen baselines, processing all newly increased baselines, processing all unsolved baselines, processing all unqualified baselines.

3) Dynamic Data Viewing

The dynamic data view interface, shown in Figure 3-9, allows users to view the solution results of all dynamic baselines in this interface. The display solution results include: Point Name, Type, Date, time, Latitude, Longitude, Altitude, Northing x, Easting y, Elevation h, Solution status, Satellite number, Standard residual (N), Standard residual(E), Standard residual (U), Differential delay, Ratio, Antenna height, Base station ID, Base station distance, Device Serial Number, File Name. In addition, you can select the display content, and the options available have [display type] and [solution status].

olving Ba	selines:	base-raw-rover-ray	v[1005-1013]	▼ File	e Name: rover-raw_base-ra	w, Baseline length: 3.32km	-9.99km, Synd	Time: 45minute49.00s	econd, Track point: 2659, M	lark point: 0, Ever	nt p
#	Name	Туре	Date	Time	纬度	Longitude	Altitude	Northing x	Easting y	Elevation h	s
T836	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:14:30.0000	023°09'30.85983812"	113°30'08.35557767"	-31.5733	27166367.5386	17546734.3907	-31.5733	F
T1165	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:20:00.0000	023°09'14.26027669"	113°31'16.11292182"	-3.5689	27189354.2929	17556603.3009	-3.5689	F
T1208	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:20:43.0000	023°09'00.97142439"	113°31'12.11299109"	0.0581	27189072.6876	17560984.6656	0.0581	1
T1275	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:22:00.0000	023°08'41.54612523"	113°31'09.86530504"	-1.2094	27189813.3776	17567607.3693	-1.2094	F
T1508	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:26:32.0000	023°08'38.35641879"	113°30'40.22161005"	1.0139	27180539.2293	17566919.2812	1.0139	F
T1587	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:27:52.0000	023°08'37.96042160"	113°30'34.41484360"	-8.5133	27178705.7325	17566704.8112	-8.5133	F
T1735	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:30:20.0000	023°08'37.94062336"	113°30'17.08067758"	18.6009	27173145.9903	17565660.2785	18.6009	F
T1754	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:30:39.0000	023°08'38.05995705"	113°30'10.74740192"	19.9080	27171105.4749	17565234.6335	19.9080	F
T1806	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:31:31.0000	023°08'38.00015255"	113°30'04.53092232"	16.4404	27169116.0194	17564878.3614	16.4404	F
T1844	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:32:13.0000	023°08'38.16100337"	113°29'51.68610667"	13.1618	27164984.4787	17564043.3289	13.1618	F
T1904	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:27.0000	023°08'52.21124114"	113°29'29.63957199"	9.4978	27156862.5445	17557823.4881	9,4978	1
T1911	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:34.0000	023°08'53.09104739"	113°29'27.44204281"	8.9091	27156092.1408	17557384.6136	8,9091	1
T1914	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:37.0000	023°08'53.51904928"	113°29'26.38949200"	8.8362	27155722.6539	17557172.1187	8.8362	F
T1966	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:34:35.0000	023°09'07.48337693"	113°29'26.37594789"	-24.0473	27154670.2162	17552319.2506	-24.0473	F
T2568	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:44:48.0000	023°09'30.71456030"	113°27'49.32621732"	6.9360	27121843.9089	17538384.0796	6.9360	F
_											

Figure 3-9

4) Baseline Restructuring

Cancel the results of all baselines solution.

After processing of baselines in the project, if need to modify the solution setting and solve baselines again, after modifying solution settings parameters, left-click [Baseline restructuring] and cancel all the results of the baselines, then process the baselines again. At this point, it will process based on the new solution parameters setting. Otherwise, the baseline solution is based on the original solution settings.

5) Show Option

Set up the display information of the plane map, including the display of the Station Point File, Point Type, Solution Mode and Display Map, as shown in Figure 3-10.

#	File Name		
✓ 1	rover-raw_base-raw		
Point	Type e Station Poir ☑ Track point	🗹 Mark point	V Event Point
🔽 Bas		🕼 Mark point	Vent Point
🔽 Bas	e Station Poir Track point	✓ Mark point ✓ Float	✓ Event Point ✓ Fixed
Solutio	e Station Poir Track point		

Figure 3-10

6) Delete the Solution

Cancel all baseline solutions.

3.3.4 Adjustment

X
epth: 5 👻
minutes): 4 💌
OK Cancel

Figure 3-11

Figure 3-12

1) Adjustment Setting (show in Figure 3-12)

Closed loop search depth: For adjust the number of sides of closed loop, for example, set the closed loop search depth to 3, so the number of baseline vectors that make up a closed loop cannot exceed 3.

Minimum sync time: The baseline will not participate in the solution when the synchronous observation time is less than the set synchronization time value.

2) Adjustment Processing

Cube_p bases on adjustment settings and control network level settings to

perform network adjustment solution. The network adjustment can be divided into three-dimensional adjustment, horizontal adjustment and vertical control according to the situation of the input known point.

3) Export Adjustment

After adjustment processing, click [Export] – [Export Static Results], choose the adjustment report as file type, select the file save path, as shown in Figure 3-13. Click [Export], and it will export the adjustment report.

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	le Type dat(Point name,Lattude,Longitude,Alt dat(Point name,x,y,h) cass(Point name,code,y,x,h) AutoCAD(dxf) Google Earth(kml) Coordinate system files(sp) Coordinate conversion file(cot) Adjustment report(html) Baseline solve report(html) Select all Select none
Ang	gle format: dd.mmssss

Figure 3-13

3.3.5 Export

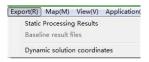


Figure 3-14

1) Static Processing Results

Static Solution results pop-up box as shown in Figure 3-15, users can export and save the static processing result file as various file type for facilitating following work. Export file type supports single and multiple selections.

File types are divided into: dat (point name, latitude, longitude and elevation), dat (point name, coordinates x, coordinate y, coordinate h), cass (point name, code, coordinates y, coordinates x, coordinates h), AutoCAD (dfx), Google Earth (kml), coordinate system files (sp), coordinate transformation file (cot), adjustment report (html), baseline solution report (html).

Users can set their own path to save the static result file.

⊕—★ 送台电脑 ⊕—■ 桌面	File Type dat(Point name,Latitude,Longitude,Altit dat(Point name,x,y,h) cass(Point name,code,y,x,h) AutoCAD(dxf) Google Earth(kmi) Coordinate system files(sp) Coordinate conversion file(cot) Adjustment report(htmi) Baseline solve report(htmi)
	Select all Select none

Figure 3-15

2) Baseline Result File

The pop-up box of baseline results file as shown in Figure 3-16, users can export and save the baseline results file as various file type for facilitating later. The export file type is divided into all baselines and qualified baselines. The export format is divided into: PowerAdj3.0 Trimble, SOUTH, TGO, TGPPS Ski Pro and GeoElectron. Users can set their own path to save the baseline results file.

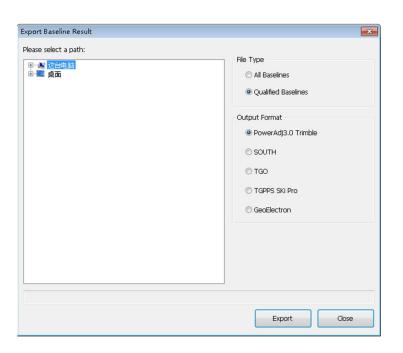


Figure 3-16

3) Dynamic Solution Coordinate

The pop-up box of dynamic solution coordinate as shown in Figure 3-17, user can export and save all or part of the dynamic solution coordinates according to the project management and analysis needs.

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Baseline Name	Sync Time	Baseline length	
☑ 5525C00413201608250155_0	01hour04minute29.00second	4.96m~3.31km	
ease select the output	·		
 Point name, coordinate x, coordin Point name, latitude, longitude, al 			Import
			Import New Edit
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Point name, latitude, longitude, al Point name,X,Y,Z,code AutoCAD (dxf) GoogleEarth (kml) Point name,code,y,x,h(Cass)	ititude,code v)	Status	New Edit Delete

Figure 3-17

Operation step: select data file —> select baseline —>set output type —>set the point type and solution status of export data —> export.

Click [Import] on the right to import the saved output type into the project and display it in the list on the left.

Click [New] on the right to pop-up the [Custom] Output type setting box as shown in Figure 3-18.

Select the content the user wants to display, click [Add], and repeat until the user add all the displayed content they need. The display contains the following: Point name, date, time, latitude, longitude, elevation, coordinate X, coordinate Y, coordinate Z, North coordinate X, East coordinate Y, Elevation H, Solution Status, number of satellite, HRMS, VRMS, differential delay, Ratio, base station distance, covariance.

Below the pop-up settings box, you can set a custom format's separator symbol, angle format, extension name, and whether to write a file header, or keep the software defaults.

Click [OK] to complete the settings of custom format.

For new custom output types, the software provides an [Edit] and [Delete] operation. For the seven types of export that the software comes with, the software does not provide [Edit] and [Delete] operations.

Format Description:				
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Name Date Time 纬度				Add
Longitude Altitude Coordinate X				
Separate symbols:		•	Angle Format:	dd.mmssss 🗸
	, dat	•	Angle Format: Write file header:	dd.mmssss •

Figure 3-18

3.3.6 Map

Zoom In Zoom Out Move Zoom Extents	View(V) Application(A) Too	
Screen Measurement View Information	✓ Toolbar(T)✓ Status bar(S)	Application(A) Tool(T) Help(H)
Data deletion Map Settings	✓ Navigation bar✓ Info bar	UAV Application SurPad Application
Figure 3-19	Figure 3-20	Figure 3-21

The map Menu Bar is designed specifically for planimetric maps, which contains a series of operation commands for planimetric map. Zoom In, Zoom Out, Move, Zoom Extents, Screen Measurement, View Information, Data deletion, map settings, as shown in Figure 3-19.

The meaning of the operation instructions can be referred to Toolbar introduction in section 3.4.

3.3.7 View

Toolbar, Status Bar, Navigation Bar and Information Bar can be set in view Menu Bar whether to be displayed in the main interface to facilitates user, as shown in Figure 3-20.

3.3.8 Application

The application Menu mainly includes [UVA Application] and [SurPad Application], as shown in Figure 3-21.

1)UVA Application

The UAV application is mainly to import and export UAV observation data, as shown in Figure 3-22.

#	No.	Date	Time	Pitching angle	Roll angle	Deflection angle	Latitude	Longitude	Altitude	Nor

Figure 3-22

2)SurPad Application

Surpad application is to import the data collected by the Surpad software to calibrate the precision of the data in the baseline solution, and the data imported by the Surpad application will replace the low precision part of the original observation data. Click [Open Project], as shown in Figure 3-23, open the *.GSW file, as shown in Figure 3-24, select the data file, and the data import success as shown in Figure 3-25. Select a point, click [Detailed Info], as shown in Figure 3-26, to view real-time positioning information of this point. Click [Start processing], as shown in Figure 3-27, the imported project data will be compared with the imported observation data, and will automatically replace the low precision observation data.

Point Name	Code Pr	ocess	Coordinate x	Coordinate y	Coordinate h		Latitude	Longitude
	(X	
			再一年 ▶ P7 ▶ 20161014 ▶	- 4 } ∄	索 20161014		2	
		组织 ▼ 新建文件夹			833 -		0	
		2 文档 1	名称	修改日期	类型		t,	
		∂ 音乐	🐌 Config	2017/2/17 9:	12 文件夹			
			🔰 Data	2017/10/26	1:56 文件夹			
		📳 计算机	🍌 Log	2017/2/17 9:	12 文件夹			
		🏭 本地磁盘 (C:)	🎉 Map	2017/2/17 9:				
		🕞 新加卷 (D:))) Share	2017/2/17 9:				
		🕞 新加卷 (E:)	20161014.GSW	2016/10/14	L:33 GSW 文件			
		work (F:)						
		🔮 CD 驱动器 (Z						
		A360 Drive						
		👊 网络						
		-	•	III			•	
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	U							

Figure 3-23

File	Count	Path
20161014.PD	3686	F:\2016年一年\P7\20161014\Data\\20161014.PD
20161014_PPK.PD	3686	F:\2016年一年\P7\20161014\Data\\20161014_PPK.PD
20161014_PPK_PPK.PD	3686	F:\2016年一年\P7\20161014\Data\\20161014_PPK_PPK.PD
•	m	

Figure 3-24

0.	Point Name	Code Process	Coordinate x	Coordinate y	Coordinate h	Latitude	Longitude	
1029	Pt3657		2563145.1696	441643.2836	62.7983	023°09'59.68164707"	113°25'48.38066580"	
1030	Pt3658		2563145.1699	441643.2877	62.7953	023°09'59.68165607"	113°25'48.38080800"	
1031	Pt3659		2563145.1721	441643.2856	62.7993	023°09'59.68172927"	113°25'48.38073540"	
032	Pt3660		2563145.1715	441643.2858	62.7953	023°09'59.68170827"	113°25'48.38074200"	
1033	Pt3661		2563145.1690	441643.2842	62.7973	023°09'59.68162607"	113°25'48.38068800"	
1034	Pt3662		2563145.1743	441643.2868	62.7873	023°09'59.68180067"	113°25'48.38077620"	
035	Pt3663		2563145.1731	441643.2862	62.7903	023°09'59.68176167"	113°25'48.38075520"	
036	Pt3664		2563145.1755	441643.2877	62.7933	023°09'59.68183967"	113°25'48.38080680"	
037	Pt3665		2563145.1701	441643.2869	62.7953	023°09'59.68166507"	113°25'48.38078220"	
038	Pt3666		2563145.1703	441643.2849	62.7983	023°09'59.68166987"	113°25'48.38071080"	
039	Pt3667		2563145.1719	441643.2837	62.8053	023°09'59.68172027"	113°25'48.38066940"	
1040	Pt3668		2563145.1680	441643.2884	62.8003	023°09'59.68159487"	113°25'48.38083380"	
041	Pt3669		2563145.1697	441643.2808	62.7993	023°09'59.68165007"	113°25'48.38056620"	
.042	Pt3670		2563145.1732	441643.2826	62.7973	023°09'59.68176527"	113°25'48.38062860"	
.043	Pt3671		2563145.1722	441643.2835	62.7983	023°09'59.68173167"	113°25'48.38066100"	
.044	Pt3672		2563145.1684	441643.2850	62.8013	023°09'59.68160867"	113°25'48.38071380"	
045	Pt3673		2563145.1685	441643.2861	62.8023	023°09'59.68161107"	113°25'48.38075340"	
1046	Pt3674		2563145.1700	441643.2887	62.7913	023°09'59.68165967"	113°25'48.38084580"	
047	Pt3675		2563145.1714	441643.2800	62.7923	023°09'59.68170587"	113°25'48.38053860"	
048	Pt3676		2563145.1722	441643.2843	62.7873	023°09'59.68173227"	113°25'48.38069040"	
049	Pt3677		2563145.1723	441643.2872	62.7993	023°09'59.68173647"	113°25'48.38079120"	
050	Pt3678		2563145.1718	441643.2859	62.7923	023°09'59.68171967"	113°25'48.38074440"	
1051	Pt3679		2563145.1729	441643.2839	62.7923	023°09'59.68175387"	113°25'48.38067360"	
052	Pt3680		2563145.1732	441643.2860	62.7873	023°09'59.68176467"	113°25'48.38074800"	
1053	Pt3681		2563145.1714	441643.2857	62.7953	023°09'59.68170647"	113°25'48.38073840"	
054	Pt3682		2563145.1709	441643.2881	62.8013	023°09'59.68168847"	113°25'48.38082180"	
055	Pt3683		2563145.1706	441643.2843	62.7993	023°09'59.68167947"	113°25'48.38069100"	
056	Pt3684		2563145.1721	441643.2850	62.7993	023°09'59.68172747"	113°25'48.38071380"	
1057	Pt3685		2563145.1713	441643.2884	62.7903	023°09'59.68170227"	113°25'48.38083440"	
058	Pt3686		2563145.1687	441643.2866	62.7983	023°09'59.68161947"	113°25'48.38077140"	
1058	Pt3686	m	2563145.1687	441643.2866	62.7983	023°09'59.68161947"	113°25'48.38077140"	

Figure 3-25

oint Name:	Pt3674	Code x:	
atitude:	023°09'59.68165967"	Coordinate x:	2563145.1700
.ongitude:	113°25'48.38084580"	Coordinate y:	441643.2887
Altitude:	62.7913	Coordinate h:	62.7913
al-time		Post-processing	1
ate	2016-10-14		
Time	02:36:59.00		
atitude	023°09'59.68165920"		
ongitude	113°25'48.38084580"		
ltitude	62.8870		
tatus	固定解		
atellites	23		
DOP	1.5000		
IRMS	0.0036		
RMS	0.0090		
elay	2		

Figure 3-26

.013(rover-raw)		
Baseline Name	Sync time	Baseline length
rover-raw_base-raw	45minute49.00second	3.32km~9.99km

Figure 3-27

3.3.9 Tool

The tool menu mainly includes the [RINEX Converter] and the [Observation Files Merge] two tools, as shown in Figure 3-28.

1) RINEX Converter Tool

Enter the RINEX Converter Tool, which can convert data files in any format, as shown in Figure 3-29. Detailed explanation of RINEX data can be queried in appendix 2.

Tool(T)	Help(H)	
RIN	IEX Converter	
Ob	s Files Merge	

Figure 3-28

Path	C:\Users\ge	o\Desktop\RinexNavFil	eError		
File name	dat	Antenna height 1.490M	SIZE 1.956M	date 2017-11-7	
< Status:					>
Status:	Rinex3.02	✓ ☐ Mixed V3.02	2 time Interval:	Automatic	>
Status: Rinex Version:	Rinex3.02		2 time Interval: se Center		> ~
Status: Rinex Version: ☑ Output Iono	ospheric Corretic			Automatic	>
Status: Rinex Version: ☑ Output Iono	ospheric Corretic Coordinate With	ons 🗹 Pha	se Center	Automatic	~

Figure 3-29

2) Observation files Merge

Enter the Observation Merge tool, which can merge multiple observational files, as shown in Figure 3-30. Click [Add] to import the observation data files, click [Delete to delete a single file, click [Clear] to delete all the files in the list, and click [Merge] to merge all the files in the list and export to the user's own optional path.

#	Create Time	File Path	
1		C:\Users\geo-YF\Desktop\GEO软件截图\17质里较好\data5-计里院静态待验\02\00021842.dat	
2		C:\Users\geo-YF\Desktop\GEO软件截图\17质里较好\data5-计里院静态待验\02\00021843.dat	

Figure	3-	-30
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3.3.10 Help

The Help menu, shown in Figure 3-31, contains two items: Register and About Cube_p.

Hel	p(H)
	Register
	About GEOSolution(A)

Figure 3-31

1)Register

As shown in Figure 3-32, enter the registration code after clicking [Register], user can use the full function of the software after successful registration. Click [Auto Get] when have no registration code and then user can use the software for free in 7 days.

ftware Registra	ion	
ID:	BC7BFBFW000206AED5SGFCN0022030T2079600FFf	89CDCA5EA4F
Limit Date:	2017-11-08	
SN:		*
		T
Register	Auto Get	Close

Figure 3-32

2)About Cube_p

Click [About Cube_p], as shown in Figure 3-33, to see the version and service time of the Cube_p.





3.4 Toolbar



There are shortcut keys of part of operation commands added to the Toolbar, and the meanings of shortcut keys are as follows:

- D New Project Key
- 🗳 Open Project Key
- Import Observation Data Key
- Baseline Solution key (Default all baselines)
- Net Adjustment Key
- Selection Key, to choose the stations and baselines in the map
- Zoom in key, to zoom in the plane map to display
- Soom out key, to zoom out the plane map to display
- ^Q Zoom the plane map extents to fit the screen.
- ${}^{\textcircled{0}}$ Move key, to move the plane map
- Screen Measurement Key
- ^(Q) Viewing Key, to view to station points and baselines in the map

X Delete Key, to delete the station points and baselines

Software Version Viewing Key

3.5 Workspace

Observation Data Time Map Plane Map Baseline List Repeated Baseline Closed Loop Adjustment Report Adjustment Coordinates

Figure 3-34

The workspace is the main area of the user's work, which contains eight options, namely Observation Data, Time Map, Plane Map, Baseline List, Repeated Baseline, Closed Loop, Adjustment Report, Adjustment Coordinate. The eight-options display different content. The options are free to switch between, easy to operate and view the information.

3.5.1 Observation Data

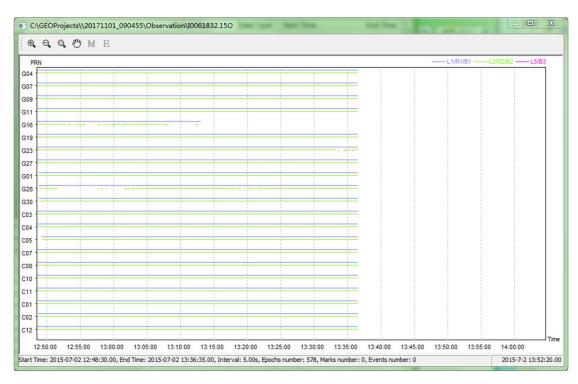
In the list of observation data files in the workspace, displays detailed information about each observation data file, including file name, station name, data type, start time, end time, antenna height, method of measurement, height of measurement, antenna type, data version, device serial number, and full path of saved file.

roject(P) Import(I) Proces		(R) Map(M) View(V) /	Application(A)	Tool(T) Help(H)	
D 📽 🗲 🍕 🕓 N		来 ¥ Station Name	Data Type	Start Time	End Time
Project Manager	▲ 10011831	1001	Static	2015-7-2 11:18:00.00	2015-7-2
	▲ 10011832	1001	Static	2015-7-2 12:49:25.00	2015-7-2
<u> </u>	I0021831	1002	Static	2015-7-2 11:17:55.00	2015-7-2
Nev	▲ 10031831	1003	Static	2015-7-2 11:25:20.00	2015-7-2
	I0031832	1003	Static	2015-7-2 12:49:40.00	2015-7-2
<u>~</u>	▲ 10041831	1004	Static	2015-7-2 12:48:45.00	2015-7-2
	▲ I0051831	1005	Static	2015-7-2 12:49:15.00	2015-7-2
Open.	I0051832	1005	Static	2015-7-2 15:45:50.00	2015-7-2
	▲ I0061831	1006	Static	2015-7-2 11:17:15.00	2015-7-2
	10061832	1006	Static	2015-7-2 12:48:30.00	2015-7-2
	🚖 100618 Edit St	ation	Static	2015-7-2 15:46:20.00	2015-7-2
	💧 100618 Delete	Station	Static	2015-7-2 18:23:25.00	2015-7-2
	100718 View G	raphics	Static	2015-7-2 11:19:20.00	2015-7-2
	▲ 100718	<u></u>	Static	2015-7-2 18:22:40.00	2015-7-2
	🚖 100818 Turn to	dynamic	Static	2015-7-2 15:46:15.00	2015-7-2
	▲ 10081832	1008	Static	2015-7-2 17:03:00.00	2015-7-2
Data Import	▲ I0081833	1008	Static	2015-7-2 18:23:45.00	2015-7-2
Baseline Process	▲ I0091831	1009	Static	2015-7-2 15:45:50.00	2015-7-2
	10101921	1010	C++i.r	2015 7 2 15:45:45 00	2015 7 2
Adjustment process					

Figure 3-35

Select any one of the target files in the file list, right-click, and pop-up the Dropdown box, as shown in Figure 3-35.

[View Graphics]: As shown in Figure 3-36, you can view the tracking status of satellite data in the observation file, in which the interrupt part indicates conditions that



the receiver has lost satellite's track and other conditions.



[Edit Station]: Left click "Edit Station", the pop-up dialog box is shown in Figure 3-37, which contains information such as station settings, antenna parameters, antenna height, etc. In the pop-up dialog box, you can modify the parameters of station name, antenna type, and antenna height.

[Delete Station]: you can remove the observation file from the selected station from the list.

Station Setti	ngs				
Name:	1013		Type:	Dynamic	•
File Name:	rover-raw		Device	Z3516120	1013
Start time:	2016-12-6	5 07:00: <mark>30.0</mark> 0	End time:	2016-12-6	07:46:19.00
Antenna Par	ameter				
Type:	GMXZENIT	rH35			•
C2 ↓ C1		<u></u>	C1:	0.1251	
	R		C2:	0.1321	
h			C5:	0.0000	
AID		Vert.H.B. Vert.H.E. True H.	R:	0.0790	
	# . 5 ³¹	Vert.H-B Vert.H-E True	h:	0.0000	
Antenna Hei	ght				
Measuremen	t Mode:	Antenna ve	rtical height (from bottom)(Vert H.B) 🔻
Antenna Hei	ght:	0.1251m	Measureme	nt Height:	0.0000m

Figure 3-37

[Turn to Dynamic]: The selected observation file data type can be changed from static to dynamic.

3.5.2 Time Map

As shown in Figure 3-38, the observation time of each station is shown separately according to the type of the station (dynamic, Static), because the precondition of the baseline solution is that there must be synchronized observation data between stations, that is, the common observation time. The user can visually observe whether there is a common observation time between the station and the station through time map, whether the data of the observation station can be baseline processed.

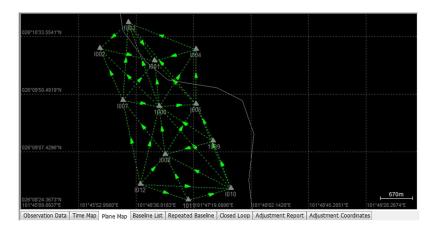
	Data
10011831	1001
10011832	1001
10021831	1002
10031831	1003
10031832	1003
10041831	1004
10051831	1005
2015-0	Tin 7-02 ¹ 11-17-15-00 2015-07-02 ¹ 13-15-33-75 2015-07-02 ¹ 17-12-11-25 2015-07-02 ² 23-07-07-502015-07-02 ¹ 19-10-
	T-02 ⁻ 11:17:15.00 2015-07-02 ⁻ 13:15:33.75 2015-07-02 ⁻ 17:12:11.25 2015-07-02 ⁻ 23:07:07.502015-07-02 ⁻ 19:10 a Trme Map Plane Map Baseline List Repeated Baseline Closed Loop Adjustment Report Adjustment Coordinates

Figure 3-38

3.5.3 Plane Map

The plane map mainly shows the project's auxiliary information such as the station, baseline information and scale, grid reference line and so on.

You can view and modify the station and baseline information by using shortcut keys ^Q.





Station: The triangle represents the observation station, the gray triangle represents the general observation station, the green triangle indicates that the observation station is a known point.

Baseline: Line segments with arrows represent baselines. The gray baseline indicates that the baselines have not been processed or processed fail, and the green baseline indicates that the baselines have been successfully processed.

Error ellipses: After completion of network adjustment, the error ellipse of the baseline will be shown in blue, which can be used to judge the solution quality of the baseline.

3.5.4 Baseline List

It displays the details of all the processed baseline in list format, includes whether baselines are enabled, baseline name, baseline type, sync time, solution status, variance ratio, mean error, horizontal component, vertical component, x increment, y increment, z increment, baseline length, relative error, azimuth angle, horizontal distance, elevation difference, start point x, start point Y, Start point Z, end point x, end point y, end point Z.

In the baseline list, the green part is the baselines of successful solution, the red part is the baselines of the failed solution, and the blue part is the new added baselines. The user can modify the parameters of solution setting and process the failed baselines again.

Select any one of the baselines, right-click and the pop-up menu as shown in Figure 3-40. The related operation of baseline can be processed through the pop-up menu, including baseline information, solution settings, processing again, delete baseline, enable baseline, disable baseline, end point exchange.

Baseline Name	Enable	Baseline Type	Sync Time	Solution Status	Variance Ratio	Error
N0021831-I0011831	Yes	Static	56minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0044
10031831-10011831	Yes	Static	48minute45.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0048
10061831-10011831	Yes	Static	56minute00.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005:
N0071831-I0011831	Yes	Static	54minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0049
10031832-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute00.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0063
10041831-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute15.00second	Qualified	46.9	0.008
10051831-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute05.00second	Qualified	3.2	0.0134
N0061832-I0011832	Yes	Static	47minute05.00second	Qualified	32.1	0.007
10031831-10021831	Yes	Static	49minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.004
10061831-10021831	Yes	Static	56minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
10071831-10021831	Yes	Static	54minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
N0061831-I0031831	Yes	Static	48minute40.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
N0071831-I0031831	Yes	Static	48minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
10041831-10031832	Yes	Static	47minute50.00second	Qualified	38.8	0.009
10051831-10031832	Yes	Static	46minute50.00second	Qualified	3.5	0.0124
N0061832-I0031832	Yes	Static	46minute50.00second	Qualified	21.9	0.0096
10051831-10041831	Yes	Static	47minute15.00second	Qualified	5.3	0.009
N0061832-I0041831	Yes	Static	47minute45.00second	Qualified	61.9	0.0090
	Var	Chatle	47minuto15 00cccond	Qualified	16	0.0120

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Figure 3-40

[Baseline Information]: View the detail information of selected baseline.

[Solution Settings]: Modify the condition of baseline solution, and process the baselines according to the new solution settings.

[Reprocess]: Reprocess the selected baselines according to the original solution settings.

[Delete baseline]: Delete the selected baselines from the baseline list.

[Enable Baseline]: Re-enable the disable baselines, that is, these baselines can be processed again in data processing, such as net adjustment.

[Disable Baseline]: Disable the selected baselines, and these baselines can't be processed again in data processing, such as net adjustment.

[Terminal Point Exchange]: To exchange the start point and end point of the selected baseline vector, such as: baseline vector I002-I001 change to I001-I002.

Double-click the selected baseline after processing the baseline can view the baseline vector's detail information of solution.

Basic Info							
Name:	base-raw-rove	r-raw		Starting and	2016-12-6 7:0	:30 ~ 2016-12-6 7:46:	19
Start Point:	base-raw	Antenna Height:	0.0000	End Point:	rover-raw	Antenna Height:	0.1251
Type:	Dynamic	Solution Status:	Unknown				
Dynamic Result: Event Point:						Fixed Rate:	
Mark Point:						Fixed rate:	
						Fixed rate:	
Mark Point:						Fixed rate:	

Figure 3-41

3.5.5 Repeated Baseline

Click [Repeated Baseline], as shown in Figure 3-42. Workspace will display the related information of repeated baseline, including baseline name, quality, DX (m), DY (m), DZ (m), average length, relative error, length difference, length difference limit. When the length difference is less than the limit, the repeated baseline is qualified.

Baseline Name	Quality	DX(m)	DY(m)	DZ(m)	Average Length(m)
1003-1001	Qualified	621.3622	289.7897	768.7917	1030.1018
1006-1001	Qualified	167.9692	375.6999	975.9016	1059.1260
1006-1003	Qualified	789.3312	665.4889	1744.6937	2027.2828
1006-I005	Over Limit	744.5172	176.4917	50.1364	766.7913
1007-1006	Qualified	743.8585	93.7541	126.4828	760.3376
1008-1006	Over Limit	100.9287	180.7266	520.8409	560.4676
1010-1008	Over Limit	1400.2606	39.2020	751.5756	1589.6957
1012-1008	Over Limit	493.1260	151.6021	735.9082	898.7309



Double-click the repeated baseline, the pop-up dialog is shown in Figure 3-43, and the basic information of the repeated baseline and the detailed solution result of the two baselines will be display.

basic I Name:		I008-1006				Number:		2		Quality:	Over Limit	
Averaç	je DX:	100.9287	X Error:	100.9	287	Length		560467.5843	Bmm			
Averag	je DY:	180.7266	Y Error:	180.7	266	Length		6.1038mm				
Averaç	ge DZ:	520.8409	Z Error:	520.8	409	Relative Err	ror:	100000.000	00	Average	560.4676	
#	Enable	Baseline Nar	me		Baseline	Type Sy	ync T	ïme	Soluti	on Status	Variance Ratio	
1	Yes	I0081831-I0	0061833[1008-100	6]	Static	4:	3minu	ute50.00se	Qualif	ied	7.6	
2	Yes	I0081833-I0	0061834[1008-100	6]	Static	4	5minu	ute40.00se	Unqua	alified		
(1											

Figure 3-43

3.5.6 Closed loop

Closed loop is divided into two kinds, one is synchronous closed loop, the other is asynchronous closed loop.

Synchronous Closed Loop: It is a closed loop formed by baseline vectors that are obtained by three or more GPS receivers' synchronous observation.

Asynchronous Closed Loop: The closed loop is constituted by a set of baseline vectors (three or more baseline vectors) and any one of the baseline vectors cannot be represented by other baseline vectors of the same group.

Click [Closed Loop], as shown in Figure 3-44, workspace will display the relate information of closed loop, include the station name, Quality, observation time, Total length of loops, X Closure error (mm), Y Closure error (mm), Z Closure error (mm), Closure Error of Side (mm), Relative Error (ppm), Component difference (mm), Closure error (mm), the loop line.

The quality of the closed loop is qualified when the X Closure Error, Y Closure Error, Z Closure Error all are smaller than Component difference and the Closure Error of Side is smaller than closure Error.

Name	Constitute	Туре	Quality	Observation Tin
I0031831 I0021831 I0011831	1003 1002 1001	Synchronous loop	Qualified	48minute45.00s
I0031831 I0021831 I0011832	1003 I002 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0061831 I0021831 I0011831	1006 1002 1001	Synchronous loop	Qualified	56minute00.00s
I0061831 I0021831 I0011832	1006 I002 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
E 10071831 10021831 10011831	1007 1002 1001	Synchronous loop	Qualified	54minute25.00se
I 10031831 10021831 10061831 10011831	1003 I002 1006 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0031831 I0021831 I0061831 I0011832	1003 I002 1006 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0061831 I0031831 I0011831	1006 1003 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0061831 I0031831 I0011832	1006 1003 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0061832 I0031832 I0011831	1006 1003 1001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0061832 I0031832 I0011832	1006 1003 I001	Synchronous loop	Qualified	46minute50.00s
10071831 I0031831 I0011831	I007 1003 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
I0041831 I0031832 I0011832	I004 1003 I001	Synchronous loop	Qualified	47minute00.00s
I0051831 I0031832 I0011832	I005 1003 I001	Synchronous loop	Qualified	46minute50.00s
I0061831 I0021831 I0071831 I0011831	1006 I002 I007 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
E 10061831 10031831 10071831 10011831	1006 1003 1007 1001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
E 10061832 10031832 10071831 10011831	1006 1003 1007 1001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
E 10071831 10061831 10011831	I007 1006 I001	Asynchronous loop	Qualified	
10071022 10061024 10011021	1007 1006 1001	Acurchronour loon	Qualified	

Figure 3-44

Double-click the closed loop, the pop-up dialog is shown in Figure 3-45., and the basic information of the closed loop and the detailed solution results of the closed loop baselines will be displayed.

Basic I Name:		1006 1003 I001	L		Type:		Asynchronou	is loo	Quality:	Qualified	
X Clos	ure:	2.2855mm	Total length of	4116.514	I4 Start 1	Time:	2015/7/2 04	:49:4	End Time:	2015/7/2 04:14	:0
Y Clos	sure:	-1.0214mm	Side Closure:	2.9928m	m Compo	onent	17.1417mm	1			
Z Clos	ure:	1.6402mm	Relative Error:	0.7270pp	Closure	e Limit:	29.6903mm				
#	Enable	Baseline Nam	ne		Baseline Type	Sync	Time	Soluti	on Status	Variance Ratio	
1	Yes		031832[1006-1003]		Static		nute50.00se	Qualif		21.9	
2	Yes Yes		011832[1006-I001] 011831[1003-I001]		Static Static		nute05.00se	Qualif Qualif		32.1 99.9	
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3.5.7 Adjustment Report

After the completion of the network adjustment, the workspace will automatically switch to the adjustment report interface, and the adjustment report lists the details of the closed loop, the Known coordinate X, Y, Z increment and correction value of the baseline after net adjustment, the coordinate and point precision of the observation station after adjustment. See Figure 3-46.

	l number of clc l number of not			Synchronous loo Synchronous lo	op: 10, Asynchr		osed loop				
No.	Constitute	Quality	Observation Time	Total length of loops (m)	XClosure error (Willimeter)	YClosure error (Willimeter)	ZClosure error (Willimeter)	Closure error of Side (Millimeter)	Relative Error (Millimeter)	Component difference (Willimeter)	Closure error (Millimeter)
	1003 I002 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	3050, 2020	0.1316	0.0945	-0. 0877	0.1843	0.0604	1.0973	1.9006
3	1006 I002 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:18:00.00	4066. 3953	-0. 0805	0.0807	0. 0929	0.1470	0.0362	1.1404	1.9752
	1007 1002 1001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:19:20.00	3611.2699	-0.0235	0.2696	0. 2984	0. 4028	0.1116	1.1198	1.9395
	1003 I002 1006 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	4746. 7851	-0.2121	-0.0139	0.1806	0. 2790	0.0588	1.1176	1.9357
0	1006 1003 1001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	4116. 5045	-0.3296	0. 8493	0.1370	0.9212	0.2238	1.1428	1.9793
7	1006 1003 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 04:49:40.00	4116. 5168	0.0314	0.6095	0. 8491	1.0456	0.2540	1.1428	1.9794
8	1007 1003 1001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	3946. 6656	-0. 2026	-0.2510	-1.5352	1.5687	0.3975	1.1348	1.9655
1	1004 1003 1001	Qualified	2015/7/2 04:49:40.00	3462.1355	1.0045	-2.8692	-0. 6668	3.1122	0.8989	1.1135	1.9286
23	I005 1003 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 04:49:40.00	4681.5868	0.1089	3. 4054	0.5611	3, 4531	0.7376	1.1714	2.0290
4	1006 I002 I007 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:19:20.00	5307.8530	0.0570	0.1889	0. 2055	0, 2849	0.0537	1.1364	1.9682
26	1006 1003 I007 I001	Qualified	2015/7/2 03:25:20.00	6002. 9689	0.1271	-1.1003	-1.6722	2. 0058	0.3341	1.1620	2.0127

Figure 3-46

3.5.8 Adjustment Coordinate

Click the [Adjustment Coordinate], as shown in Figure 3-47. The workspace will switch to the adjustment coordinate of the station. The user can intuitively obtain the adjustment coordinates of the station from the list.

Station	WGS84 Latitude	WGS84 Longitude	WGS84 Altitude
1002	026°10'24.72600552"	101°46'08.72476286"	26.1735
會 I001	026°10'15.29633156"	101°46'49.85262471"	26.1709
1003	026°10'43.58928539"	101°46'30.08519490"	26.1788
1006	026°09'41.08550882"	101°46'53.00551976"	26.1614
1007	026°09'45.63371825"	101°46'26.10538691"	26.1627
a 1004	026°10'23.68094957"	101°47'20.74836898"	26.1732
a 1005	026°09'42.85132459"	101°47'20.53964846"	26.1619
a 1008	026°09'05.05856487"	101°46'57.45456301"	26.1514
a 1009	026°09'15.12735053"	101°47'33.52956802"	26.1542
會 I010	026°08'39.59806760"	101°47'47.07053486"	26.1443
술 I012	026°08'42.91698936"	101°46'38.97140154"	26.1453
1011	026°08'30.90992459"	101°47'14.91762863"	26.1419

Figure 3-47

Chapter 4 Static baseline solution

In GPS data processing, static baseline vector can be determined by static baseline processing, so as to determine geometrical shape of GOS network.

4.1 New Project

Cube_p manage data in form of project, so it needs to perform data processing or operation order in project. Hence, before data processing, it needs to create a new project, or open an existed project.

To create a new project needs following steps:

- a) Input engineer information. Project name is necessary, while other items are optional.
- b) Determine project save path: click Project Path to choose and it will show in the right blank.
- c) Set Control Level.
- d) Set Coordinate System Parameters.

When a new project is created, its project file naming after Project Name will be generated under the save path, which contains project data, processing results and processing records. To open existed project, choose *.GS file. To transfer project files, copy the project file straightly.

Set project property

Way one: click [Project] in Menu Bar – [Properties]

Way two: click [Project Manager] – [Properties]

Project properties includes four items: Project Info, Project Path, Control Level and Coordinate System.

Project Info contains the project basic information. For Project Name and Project Path, they are determined when the project is created, and only for check but not able to modify after the project is saved. Other information can be modified at any time. As shown in Figure 4-1.

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	End Time:			
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[Control Network Level]: Control level is important to provide accordance for many inspections and judgement in data processing. It can choose national normative criterion or user defined level. Click the inverted triangle in Control level blank to choose control level, which includes Specifications for global positioning system (GPS) survey/Version 2009, Technical code for urban surveying using satellite positioning system/Version 2010, Specifications for highway survey/Version 2007 and Specifications for survey engineering of railway/Version 2009. As shown in Figure 4-

2.

Control level:	Specifications for global positioning sys	tem (GPS) surveys/Version 2009 - Level E	1
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	Specifications for global positioning sys Specifications for global positioning sys Technical code for urban surveying us	tem (GPS) surveys/Version 2009 - Level D tem (GPS) surveys/Version 2009 - Level E ing satellite positioning system/Version 2010 - Cla ing satellite positioning system/Version 2010 - Cla	s II s II
Average length(km,	Technical code for urban surveying us	ing satellite positioning system/Version 2010 - Cla ing satellite positioning system/Version 2010 - Cla	55 11
Error in horizontal co	Technical code for urban surveying us	ing satellite positioning system/Version 2010 - Cla	s II
Front in worthing com	Specifications for highway surveys/ Ve Specifications for highway surveys/ Ve	rsion 2007 - Class II	
Error in vertical com	Specifications for highway surveys/ ve	rsion 2007 - Class IV	
	Specifications for highway surveys/ Ve Specifications for highway surveys/ Ve Specifications for highway surveys/ Ve Specifications for survey engineering	rsion 2007 - Class IV rsion 2007 - Class I rsion 2007 - Grade II	
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Figure 4-2

[Coordinate System Setting]: Input Coordinate system name, mainly set Ellipsoid Parameter and Projections Parameter, and set other parameters as actual project needed. For Ellipsoid parameter, it can choose built-in ellipsoid parameters like WGS-84 and krassovsky(Beijing54 Using), or choose Define to set Semimajor axis and 1/f, as shown in Figure 4-3. As shown in Figure 4-4, Projections Parameter has six built-in projection modes, namely Gauss Kruger, UTM, Transverse Mercator, Tilt Stereographic, Double Stereographic and Isometic Mercator. The software will automatically calculate measured data to obtain Central Meridian, so Central Meridian directly applying default setting is ok.

Name:	Bejjing54
Ellipsoid Parame	ter Projections Parameter Ellipsoid conversion Plane conversion Elevation conversion
Ellipsoid Name:	krassovsky(Bejing54 Using) krassovsky(Beiling54 Using)
Semimajor axis:	IAU76(Country80 Using) China Country2000
1/f:	WGS-84 WGS-72 WGS-66 Clarke(Clarke 1880 mod.) International 1909 (Hayford) bessel 1841 MERIT-83 Soviet Geodetic System 85 GRS 1980(IUGG 1980) AIPL4.9(Appl. Physics. 1965) NWL9D(Naval Weapons Lab. 1965) mod_airy andrae (Andrae 1876 (Den. Ichd.)) Australian Nati & S. Amer. 1969 GRS 67(UGG 1970)
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Figure 4-3

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Mode:	Gauss Kruger				•
False Northing: False Easting: Scale Factor: Projection Height	Transverse Mercator Tilt Stereographic Double Stereographic Isometric Mercator Lambert Tangent Lambert Secant Romania_30 Project Type_Romania_70 RSO)			
Standard Parallel			-0.0		
Angle Format: dd.	mmssss				

Figure 4-4

4.2 Import Observation Data

GPS receiver exports data in two kinds of formats: ASCII (NMEA 0183) and binary system. Usually, GPS receiver manufacturers use binary system as defined proprietary format, which features high storage efficiency and embrace of various information. However, different GPS receiver manufacturers have different defined proprietary formats. Since data processing software can only recognize limited formats, when a project's raw data is provided by different GPS receiver, data processing analysis is unable to perform.

Cube_p supports raw data in RINEX format and *.dat format to solve this problem.

4.2.1 Data import

Organize the observation data in advance and then import into Cube_p.

Way one: click [Import] in Menu Bar – [Observation Data]

Way two: click [Data Import] in Navigation Bar – [Observation Data]

In Import Observation Data interface, find the save path of observation data, as shown in Figure 4-5. In the lower right corner, it can choose document type, and only corresponding documents will show. Choose observation data and click [OK] to import it for following processing.

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Documents	*	jzz11231.dat	10/13/2017 2:54 PM	DAT File	2,416 KB
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iNand	*				
G6					
S10A					
Z35 Pro					
培训文档					
OneDrive					
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While importing the observation file, Cube_p automatically finds and import relevant ephemeris file. For *.dat file, as observation data and ephemeris data merge in one file, observation file and ephemeris file are imported at the same time. For RINEX file, observation data and ephemeris data save in different files. As a result, it needs to put two files in a same directory, so that the software automatically recognizes ephemeris file with format and import it. Otherwise, ephemeris file needs to be imported additionally.

After importing observation file, the software extract observation stations, and obtain static baselines and dynamic baselines according to their observation time, as shown in Figure 4-6.

ject(P) Import(I) Proces	s(B) Adjustment(A)	Export(R)	Map(M)	View(V) Ap	oplication(A)	Tool(T) Help(H)	
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	File Name		Statio	on Name	Data Type	Start	Time	End Time
Project Manager	▲ I0011831		I001		Static	2015	-7-2 11:18:00.00	2015-7-2
⊳ ⊕	▲ I0011832		1001		Static	2015	-7-2 12:49:25.00	2015-7-2
	▲ I0021831		1002		Static	2015	-7-2 11:17:55.00	2015-7-2
New	▲ I0031831		1003		Static	2015	-7-2 11:25:20.00	2015-7-2
	10031832		1003		Static	2015	-7-2 12:49:40.00	2015-7-2
	a 10041831		1004		Static	2015	-7-2 12:48:45.00	2015-7-2
	a 10051831		1005		Static	2015	-7-2 12:49:15.00	2015-7-2
	I0051832		1005		Static	2015	-7-2 15:45:50.00	2015-7-2
	a 10061831		1006		Static	2015	-7-2 11:17:15.00	2015-7-2
	🕋 100618 <mark>32</mark>		1006		Static	2015	-7-2 12:48:30.00	2015-7-2
	a 100618	Edit Statio			Static	2015	-7-2 15:46:20.00	2015-7-2
Properties	會 100618	Delete Sta	ition		Static	2015	-7-2 18:23:25.00	2015-7-2
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	a 100718	-	and a state		Static	2015	-7-2 18:22:40.00	2015-7-2
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	i 10081832		1008		Static	2015	-7-2 17:03:00.00	2015-7-2
Data Import	a 10081833		1008		Static	2015	-7-2 18:23:45.00	2015-7-2
Baseline Process	▲ 10091831		1009		Static	2015	-7-2 15:45:50.00	2015-7-2
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Result	Observation Data	Time Map	Plane Map	Baseline List	Repeated Ba	seline	Closed Loop Adju	stment Rep 4
0 2017-11-01 09:09:29	New Baseline Sta	tic 10101832	2-10081832,	Baseline leng	th: 1.59km, Sy	nc Tim	e: 43minute20.00s	econd
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2017-11-01 09:09:29	New Baseline Sta							

Figure 4-6

Right click target file and it shows [View Graphics], [Edit Station] and [Delete Station] three orders. Find more details in Chapter 3 - 3.5.1.

4.2.2 Observation data content

Observation file mainly saves raw observation data in every epoch that GPS receiver recorded. Each epoch contains observation time, tracking satellite information of every channel, pseudo-range of C/A code, pseudo-range of P1 code, pseudo-range of P2 code, L1 carrier phase and L carrier phase. For Cube_p, static observation file should at least contain observation time, pseudo-range of C/A code and L1 carrier phase; dynamic observation file should contain at least observation time and pseudo-range of C/A code.

In addition to the above information, observation file also contains point information, initial coordinate and relevant ephemeris information and other information.

4.2.3 Observation data file name

Usually, Cube_p distinguishes different observation files on the basis of file name. In general, observation file name consists of 8 digits and its extension, such as BJFS1234.dat.

In one project, files sharing a same name are not allowed. For example, in one project, it's not allowed to exist observation files BJFS1234.dat and BJFS1234.16O at the same time.

Naming rule for file name: observation file usually consists of station name, DOY and period number. Station name can be composed of 4 digits or 2 Chinese characters. DOY refers to the observation day of year in sequence. Period number refers to the period in sequence in the observation day, which can be represented by 1, 2, 3, ..., 9, A, B, ..., Z.

4.2.4 Observation data in RINEX format

RINEX format is a general data interchange format created to uniformly process data that collected by different kinds of receivers. It's put forward by Institute of astronomy, University of Bern in Switzerland. Nowadays, manufacturers, schools and research organizations use it as standard input format in software programming. And current mainstream GPD receivers at home and abroad all support to transfer observation data into RINEX format as well. At present, to meet demand of multisystem and multi-channel observations, RINEX format has developed to 3.X version. Find more detailed description about RINEX 2.X format in relevant content and Appendix 2, description about RINEX 3.X format in official document.

4.3 Static baseline processing setting

Before static baseline processing, it needs to set up static settings. Click [Process] in Menu Bar – [Static Options], or click [Baseline Process] in Navigation Bar – [Static Settings], then pops up a dialog box as shown in Figure 4-7.

Please find Chapter 3-3.3.3 to see specific meanings of every setting parameters in static processing settings as reference to set up the parameters.

asic Settings		Model Settings	
olution Mode:	Auto	Tropospheric Model:	Saastamoinen 🗸
phemeris Type:	Broadcast Ephemeris	Ionospheric Model:	Klobuchar -
ut-off angle:	20.00	Meteorological Paramet	ter
poch interval:	10	Temperature(°C):	18.00
lin Epochs:	30	Pressure(mPa):	1013.25
egment interval:	2.00Hour	Relative humidity(%):	50.00
ingle Fre. Length:	10000m	Qualified Solution Setti	ings
eference of GPS:	Auto	Ratio Limit:	3.00
eference of GLO:	Auto	RMS Limit:	0.0400
eference of BDS:	Auto	•	
atellites System		Apply to all	Apply to new
GPS	Glonass 🛛 🖉 BC	S Apply to unqualified	ł

Figure 4-7

4.4 Static baseline solution

Users can perform baseline solution in the following three ways:

Way one: click [Process] in Menu Bar – [Process all baselines]

Way two: click [Baseline Process] in Navigation Bar - [Baseline Process]

Way three: click shortcut key ¹ in toolBar

After preparation, to perform [Baseline Process], the program starts to process all baselines one by one in sequence and shows solution information in dialog box, as shown in Figure 4-8.

In dialog box would respectively appear baseline name, processing progress and baseline information of the baseline in progress. It can also click [Cancel] to stop baseline processing while operating.

Baseline Solving	X
(7/42)Process baselinesI0051831-I0011832	
Data preparation	
Cancel	

Figure 4-8

After baseline processing, click [Baseline List] to check the result, such as Solution status, Variance Ratio and Error. In the sheet, green area refers to baselines that succeed to process, while red area refers to those failed.

Through user adjusting processing settings, it can reprocess the failed baselines, to qualified all baselines in solution status as far as possible.

Baseline Name	Enable	Baseline Type	Sync Time	Solution Status	Variance Ratio	Error
N0021831-I0011831	Yes	Static	56minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0044
10031831-10011831	Yes	Static	48minute45.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0048
10061831-10011831	Yes	Static	56minute00.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005:
10071831-10011831	Yes	Static	54minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0049
10031832-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute00.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.0063
N0041831-I0011832	Yes	Static	47minute15.00second	Qualified	46.9	0.008
10051831-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute05.00second	Qualified	3.2	0.013
10061832-10011832	Yes	Static	47minute05.00second	Qualified	32.1	0.007
N0031831-I0021831	Yes	Static	49minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.004
N0061831-I0021831	Yes	Static	56minute05.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
10071831-10021831	Yes	Static	54minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
10061831-10031831	Yes	Static	48minute40.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
I0071831-I0031831	Yes	Static	48minute25.00second	Qualified	99.9	0.005
10041831-10031832	Yes	Static	47minute50.00second	Qualified	38.8	0.009
10051831-10031832	Yes	Static	46minute50.00second	Qualified	3.5	0.012
10061832-10031832	Yes	Static	46minute50.00second	Qualified	21.9	0.009
10051831-10041831	Yes	Static	47minute15.00second	Qualified	5.3	0.009
10061832-10041831	Yes	Static	47minute45.00second	Qualified	61.9	0.009
* ***********************************	Var	Ctatic	17minuto15 00record	Qualified	16	0.012

Figure 4-9

Information Bar shows processing progress, solution status and warning message of every baseline in the project.

After baseline processing, double-click the baseline to view the detailed solution information of the baseline vector, as shown in Figure 4-10.

Basic Settings		Model Settings		Result		
Solution Mode:	Auto 👻	Tropospheric Model:	Saastamoinen 👻	DX/RMS:	0.2015	0.0008
Ephemeris Type:	Broadcast Ephemeris 🔻	Ionospheric Model:	Klobuchar 🗸	DY/RMS:	-0.3566	0.0011
Cut-off angle:	20.00 -	Meteorological Paramet	ter	DZ/RMS:	0.8298	0.0013
Epoch interval:	10 -	Temperature(°C):	18.00	Distance/RMS:	0.9253	0.0040
Min Epochs:	30 -	Pressure(mPa):	1013.25	Status/variance	Double-difference fixe	22.7
Segment interval:	2.00Hour -	Relative humidity(%):	50.00	Adjustment Resu	lt	
Single Fre. Length:	10000m 👻	Qualified Solution Setti	ings	DX/RMS:		
Reference of GPS:	Auto 👻	Ratio Limit:	3.00	DY/RMS:		
Reference of GLO:	Auto	RMS Limit:	0.0400	DZ/RMS:		
Reference of BDS:	Auto 🗸			Distance/RMS:		
Satellites System		Apply to all	Apply to new			
GPS Glon	ass 🛛 BDS 🔍 Galileo	O Apply to unqualified	 Apply to current 		Detailed Info	
Default settings				ſ	Calculate	Cancel

Figure 4-10

4.5 Baseline solution result verification

4.5.1 Baseline quality control

After baseline processing, result quality can be evaluated by RATIO (Variance Ratio) and RMS (Root Mean Square) two quality indicators.

RATIO value (Variance Ratio)

RATIO is the ratio of the second minimum RMS to the minimum RMS after the whole-week ambiguity decomposition. That is:

$$RATIO = \frac{RMS_{sec}}{RMS_{min}}$$

RATIO reflects the reliability of the uncertain parameters of the whole week. It depends on a variety of factors, such as the quality of the observed values and the conditions of observation.

RATIO is the key value that reflects the quality of the baseline. In general, RATIO should be greater than 3.0.

RMS value (Root Mean Square)

$$\mathrm{RM} = \sqrt{\frac{V^T P V}{n - f}}$$

Of which:

V refers to the residual of the observed value;

P refers to the weight of the observed value;

n-f refers to the total number of observed value minus the number of unknown number.

RMS reflects quality of observed value. The smaller the RMS, the better the quality of observed value. Otherwise, the worse the quality of the observed value. It is unaffected by observational conditions, such as the satellite's distribution.

According to the theory of mathematical Statistics, the probability of observed error being within 1.96 times of RMS is 95%.

4.5.2 Closed Loop verification

Closure error & Loop closure error

Closed loop verification is a powerful method to detect baseline quality.

A closed loop is a closed graph consisting of a number of baseline vectors connected end-to-end.

Closure error of closed loop is the vector sum in the same direction (clockwise or counterclockwise) of the baseline vectors that make up the closed loop.

Closure error of closed loop should be 0 in theory. However, in actual measurement, it allows certain deviations. About the limit error of closed loop please refer to relevant literature.

The closure error of loop can be divided into two kinds as follows:

 Component Closure Error: the vector sum in the same direction (clockwise or counterclockwise) of the baseline vectors that make up the closed loop.

i.e.:
$$\begin{cases} \varepsilon_{\Delta X} = \sum \Delta X \\ \varepsilon_{\Delta Y} = \sum \Delta Y \\ \varepsilon_{\Delta Z} = \sum \Delta Z \end{cases}$$

 Full length relative closure error: The ratio of the root of sum of the square of component closed error to the loop length

i.e.:
$$\varepsilon = \frac{\sqrt{\varepsilon_{\Delta X}^2 + \varepsilon_{\Delta Y}^2 + \varepsilon_{\Delta Z}^2}}{\sum S}$$

Of which, $\sum S$ refers to loop length.

Synchronous closed loop

A synchronous closed loop error is a closure error of closed loop consisting of synchronous observation baselines.

Because of the intrinsic connection between synchronous observation baselines, the synchronous closed loop error should always be 0 in theory. If the synchronous closed loop error is over limit, it indicates that there is at least one wrong baseline vector in baselines make up the synchronous closed loop. Whereas, if the synchronous closed loop error is not over limit, it merely indicates that in most situations, static baselines are qualified, not to indicate that all baselines make up the synchronous closed loop are qualified.

Asynchronous closed loop

An asynchronous closed loop is a closed loop that is not entirely composed of

synchronous observation baselines. Its closure error names closure error of asynchronous closed loop.

When closure error of asynchronous closed loop meets limit requirement, it indicates that the vectors of baselines make up the asynchronous closed loop are qualified. Whereas, closure error of asynchronous closed loop fails to meet limit requirement, it indicates that at least one baseline vector is unqualified. It can determine the unqualified baseline vector on the basis of multiple adjacent asynchronous loops.

4.5.3 Repeated Baseline

Two same observation stations observe in multiple observation periods (\geq 2), and these observed baselines in different periods name repeated baselines. Difference between these baselines is repeated baseline difference.

Repeated baseline difference is an effective indicator to evaluate baseline quality. When it is over limit, it indicates that there must be an unqualified baseline among repeated baselines.

4.6 Factors influencing baseline solution result and coping method

4.6.1 Influence factors

The main factors influencing baseline solution result are as follows:

- The starting point coordinates set in baseline solution are not accurate. Inaccurate starting point coordinates would result in a deviation in the scale and direction of the baseline.
- 2) Insufficient observation time of satellites would result in uncertain ambiguity of whole cycles of these satellites. When observation time of satellites is insufficient, the ambiguity of whole cycles of the satellite can't be determined. In baseline solution, for participating satellites, if their ambiguities of whole cycles are uncertain, it would influence the final baseline solution result.
- There are excessive cycle slips in certain periods in the whole observation time, which results in imperfect repair of cycle slips.

- The multipath effect is strong in observation time and corrections of observation values are generally large.
- 5) The influence of the troposphere or ionospheric refraction is too strong.
- 6) The influence of electromagnetic wave is too strong.
- Receiver issue results in poor data quality. For instance, the phase measurement accuracy of receiver reduces, or the clock of receiver is inaccurate.

4.6.2 Coping method

1) Coping method for inaccurate starting point coordinate

To solve the problem of inaccurate starting point coordinate, it can choose the point with higher coordinate accuracy as starting point in baseline solution. A starting point with higher coordinate accuracy can be obtained by single point positioning in relatively long time or joint measurement with point with more accurate WGS-84 coordinate. The problem also can be solved by another method. In the baseline solution of the entire network, the starting coordinates of all baselines are derived from a coordinate, so that the solution results share certain system deviation, which then can be solved through importing system parameters in GPS network adjustment.

2) Coping method for insufficient observation time

If the observation time of one satellite is insufficient, its observation data should be deleted to prohibit it from baseline solution, so as to ensure the quality of baseline solution.

3) Coping method for excessive cycle slips

If multiple satellites occur cycle slips frequently during a same period of time, it can delete the period occurring cycle slips frequently to improve the quality of baseline solution. If only certain satellites occur cycle slips frequently, it can delete the observation value of the satellites occurring cycle slips frequently to improve the quality of baseline solution.

4) Coping method for multipath effect

Multipath error: signal once reflected by certain object surface together with signal

directly from satellite is received by receiver, then this signal superimposition and interference would result in deviation in observation value.

A simple and effective method for this problem is choosing a proper observation station to avoid signal reflector in observation data collection. Or it can solve through deleting the periods or satellites with strong multipath effect.

5) Coping method for strong influence of the troposphere or ionospheric refraction

For strong influence of the troposphere or ionospheric refraction, it can be solved by following ways:

- a. Raise elevation mask angle to remove observation data of low elevation angle, which is susceptible to influence of the troposphere or ionospheric refraction. However, this method has certain blindness because signal in low elevation angle is not necessarily affected much by the troposphere or ionospheric refraction.
- b. Correspondingly use models to correct delay of the troposphere and ionospheric refraction.

Chapter 5 Network Adjustment

GPS data processing includes baseline solution and network adjustment. Baseline vectors from baseline solution merely can determine graphical shape of GPS network. Hence, after baseline solution, it needs to furtherly verify baseline solution result and optimize baseline vectors, which then needs to convert to national coordinate or local coordinate as needed. And that's what exactly network adjustment performs.

5.1 Functions and basic steps of Network Adjustment

Cube_p can perform 3D adjustment, 2D adjustment and Elevation adjustment. To perform network adjustment in Cube p, basic steps are as follows:

- Early preparation (done by user): It needs to complete baseline solution, set up control level and coordinate system, and load known point.
- 2) Calculation of network adjustment (automatically done by software)
- 3) Quality analysis and control of calculation result (handled by user)

Cube_p merely perform calculation of network adjustment. The most important is user's participation and ultimate correct judgement. The process generally repeats till it obtains a proper result.

5.1.1 Early preparation before network adjustment

Before network adjustment, it needs to complete baseline solution and solution status should be "Succeed". Baselines that fail to process do not participate in network adjustment.

Control Level Setting

Before network adjustment, it should check if the control network level is correct. Control level is important to provide accordance for many inspections and judgement in network adjustment. Without setting control level, network adjustment would fail. As shown in Figure 5-1, Cube_p provides several control level parameters, namely Specifications for global positioning system (GPS) survey/Version 2009, Technical code for urban surveying using satellite positioning system/Version 2010, Specifications for highway survey/Version 2007 and Specifications for survey engineering of railway/Version 2009. If the project has other requirements in control level parameters, it can choose [user define] to set up Fixed error, Relative error, Average length, Error in horizontal component, Error in vertical component and Margin error of weakest baseline.

Control level: Specifications for global positionin	ng system (GPS) surveys/Version 2009 - Level E 🔹 🔻		
Fixed error(mm):	3		
Relative error(ppm):	1		
Average length(km):	3		
Error in horizontal component(mm):	20		
Error in vertical component(mm):	40		
Margin error of weakest baseline:	30000		
Baseline fixed error:	Not limited		
Synchronous loop check:	sqrt(3)/5*sigma		
Asynchronous loop check:	3*sqrt(n)*sigma		
Difference of repeated baseline:	2*sqrt(2)*sigma		

Figure 5-1

If control level is not set up before network adjustment, the baseline vectors succeed to process cannot pass network inspection, resulting in networking failure and then network adjustment fails. Warning window pops up as shown in Figure 5-2.

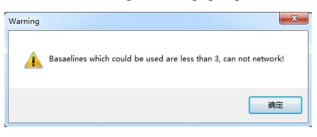


Figure 5-2

Coordinate System Setting

Before network adjustment, it should check if coordinate system setting is correct. In general, it mainly sets up Ellipsoid Parameter and Projections Parameter. Other parameters are set as needed or keep default setting, as shown in Figure 5-3. For instance, Chinese users generally apply krassovsky (Beijing54 Using) as ellipsoid parameter and Gauss Kruger as projections parameter.

Cube_p has built-in common ellipsoid parameter and projections parameter and it

would automatically calculate measured data to obtain Central Meridian. Since it has set up the control level and coordinate system in project creation, setting up these two items again is merely for further confirmation.

C	oordinate System Se	etting					×
	Name: B	ejjing54					
	Ellipsoid Parameter	Projections Parameter	Ellipsoid conversion	Plane conversi	on Elevati	ion conversion	4 >
	Ellipsoid Name:	Define					•
	Semimajor axis:			6	378245.0		
	1/f:			2	98.3		
	Import	Export		(ок	Cance	

Figure 5-3

5.1.2 Network Adjustment Setting

Way one: click [Adjustment] in Menu Bar-[Adjustment Setting]

Way two: click [Adjustment Process] – [Option Settings]

It needs to set up calculation parameters of adjustment before network adjustment

calculation, so as to determine the conditions that constitute a closed loop.

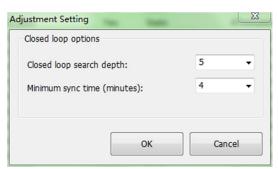


Figure 5-4

Closed loop search depth: to adjust edge number of closed loop. For instance, set closed loop search depth as 4, then in network adjustment closed loop with three sides and four sides would be included and maximum edge number of closed loop is four.

Minimum sync time: baselines whose observation time is shorter than minimum sync time has been set would not be included in network adjustment.

5.1.3 Import Known Coordinates

It needs to import known coordinates before network adjustment, or Cube_p would automatically choose one station point as known point to perform 3D adjustment.

Import known coordinates:

- Click [Import] in Menu Bar [Known Coordinates], or click [Data Import] in Navigation Bar – [Known Points]
- Click [Add] as shown in Figure 5-5. Input known coordinates and tick options as actually needed.
- Or directly import the known coordinates have been saved into project through [Import]

	Point Name	Coordinate x	Coordinate y	Coordinate h	Use plane	Use height	La
	Known Coordin	ate				8	
	Point ID:	1001	•				
	Local Plane Coordinates			GS84 Coordinates			
	x:			atitude:			
	y:			.ongitude:			
	h:		\	Altitude:			
	Options:	🔽 Use Horizontal 🛛	Use Vertical	Point Type: BLH(d	d.mmssss)	•	
	-			OK	Canc	:el	
	Add E	Edit Delete	Import		OK	Cance	el

Figure 5-5

In known coordinate management, it would list the information of known coordinates. And it can edit and delete the known coordinates as well.

5.2 Perform Network Adjustment

Click [Adjustment] in Menu Bar – [Adjustment Processing], or click [Adjustment Process] in Navigation Bar – [Adjustment Process] to perform network adjustment. Cube_p would perform all possible adjustments (3D adjustment, 2D adjustment and Elevation adjustment) directly based on current setting, and show the processing progresses and results in Information Bar. After network adjustment, it would create a network adjustment report and automatically jump to the report interface. According to the network adjustment report, users can judge if the network adjustment meets the project demands. If the result fails, it needs to reperform network adjustment until the result reaches the project standard.

5.2.1 Extract baseline vector network

First step for network adjustment is to extract the baseline vector network. The principles of baseline vector network constitution are as follows:

- 1) The baseline exists in current project and is not deleted.
- The baseline succeeds to process and its solution status shows "Qualified" in Baseline List.
- 3) The baseline is not disabled.
- 4) The baseline meets requirements of control level.

Any baseline meets above conditions would be automatically included to form baseline vector network in the first step of network adjustment.

5.2.2 Connection inspection of baseline vector network

Performing network adjustment without connection would cause network adjustment cannot converge. Cube_p would automatically perform connection inspection of baseline vector network before network adjustment. If network is not connected, warning window would pop up as shown in Figure 5-6.

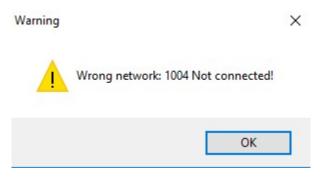


Figure 5-6

If appears above warning, please check the information of baselines that constitute baseline vector network, such as baseline vector and observation station name. Inspection steps are as follows:

1. Check if network is divided into several parts, and if there is isolated station point or baseline. If positive, it must delete the isolated point or perform network adjustment in blocks.

2. Check if any important baseline fails to process or be disabled in network adjustment. If positive, the baseline needs to reprocess or even re-observe.

3. Check if one station has two different names in network, reflecting in network graph that these two stations locate very close to each other. These two points observe in the same location in different periods, so between them cannot form any baseline, which makes network unconnected. Solution is to correct the wrong station name in observation data properties.

5.2.3 Adjustment Report

The results of net adjustment are reflected in the adjustment report. Take 3D adjustment as example, its adjustment result is as shown in Figure 5-7. It can click [Export] in Menu Bar – tick [Adjustment report] or click [Result] in Navigation Bar – [Static result file] – tick [Adjustment report] to export and save adjustment report. In this way, it provides convenience for network adjustment analysis, and avoids losing the result.

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3D adjustment result

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ork in coordinate system 2.0415m

Adjustment Type	WGS84Adjustment of classical free networ
Mean error of unit we	ight

Baseline and corr	rection
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No.	Constitute	A X	A Y	۵ Z	∆ XCorrection (Millimeter)	∆ YCorrection (Millimeter)	∆ ZCorrection (Millimeter)	Relative Error (Millimeter)	Distance after adjustment (m)
1	IP142241- DHZ2241	4976.5988	707.9003	4065.9146	-0.0003	0.4279	0.3491	7469177	6465.2392
2	NIP122241- DHZ2241	4069.2464	-309.7030	1338.1021	0.1413	1.2892	-0.430 <mark>5</mark>	4374787	4294. <mark>7</mark> 874
3	WLS2241- DHZ2241	9350.4043	- 1270.3484	2058.3448	-0.2360	-2.0185	-0.2479	10679571	9658.1902
4	NIP122241- IP142241	907.3537	- 1017.6044	2727.8109	-1.2174	2.0123	0.8971	3140072	3049.5508
5	WLS2241- IP142241	4373.8063	1978.2502	2007.5693	0.6398	-0.8783	-0.0587	5780567	5203.2671
6	WLS2241- NIP122241	5281.1572	-960.6524	-7 <mark>2</mark> 0.2434	-1.0004	3.7669	0.9090	5368571	5415.9235

Figure 5-7

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Chapter 6 Dynamic baseline solution

Dynamic data processing is post-differential data processing. Post-differential is different from RTK in that RTK obtains the observation result immediately in the field while post-differential cannot obtain the result until indoor processing.

Dynamic GPS data processing process dynamic baseline, which includes two kinds of data files, base data file and rover data file.

6.1 Early preparation for dynamic baseline solution

In dynamic baseline solution, to create new project and import observation file, its operation steps are the same as that of static data solution. Please refer to section 4.1 and 4.2. Please notice that observation data imported in dynamic baseline solution should include base and rover two kinds of data files.

Click [Process] in Menu Bar – [Dynamic Options] or click [Baseline Process] in Navigation Bar – [Dynamic Settings] to set up dynamic solution parameters, as shown in Figure 6-1. Generally, it merely needs to set up Cut-off angle, Ratio Limit, Reset Amb. Count/Cycle slip limit, Maximum Differential Delay and GDOP/Maximum allowable info. Other items can remain default settings, or set up as actual project needed.

Solution Parameter			Measurement error(1-sigma)		
Positioning Model:	Kinematic	-	Pseudo-range/Carrier Error rate L1/L2:	100.0	100.0
Frequency Combination:	L1	•	Carrier a+b/sinEl (m):	0.003	0.003
Filter Type:	Forward	•	Carrier error/Baseline length(m/10km):	0.003	
Cut-off angle:	15.0	•	Doppler frequency(Hz):	1.000	
Ionospheric Correction Model:	Broadcast	•	Noise treatment(1-sigma/sqrt(s))		
Tropospheric Correction Model:	Saastamoi	inen 👻	Receiver accuracy Hor./Ver. (m/s2):	1.00000	0.10000
Satellite ephemeris/clock access mode:	Broadcast	•	Carrier phase deviation(Cycle):	0.00100	
Ambiguity resolution method:	Fix and Ho	old 👻	Vertical ionospheric delay(m/10km):	0.00100	
Ambiguity Fixed Ratio Limit:	3.0		Zenith tropospheric delay(m):	0.00100	
Reset Amb. count/Cycle slip limit(m):	5	0.05	Satellite clock stability(s/s):	0.000000	000005000
Maximum Differential Delay(s):	30		Satellites Syatem		
GDOP/Maximum allowable info(m):	30.000	30.000	GPS Glonass Galileo	ZSS 🔲 SB	AS 📝 BDS

Figure 6-1

After importing observation data, Baseline List lists all possible baselines.

Choose any baseline in Baseline List and right-click to show option Bar. In option Bar, it includes Baseline Info, Processing settings, Reprocess, Delete baselines, Enable baselines, Disable baselines, and Endpoint exchange. Detailed description for operation order please refer to section 3.5.4 Baseline List.

6.2 Perform Dynamic Baseline Solution

Cube_p can perform dynamic baseline solution in several ways as follows:

Way one: click [Process] in Menu Bar – [Process all baselines], or click [Baseline Process] in Navigation Bar – [Baseline Process] to process all baselines. A dialog box would pop up to respectively show baseline name, processing progress and baseline information of the baseline in progress. The processing progress and baseline information of all baselines would also show in Information Bar.

Way two: in Baseline List right-click a dynamic baseline, click [Reprocess] in drop-down box to complete single dynamic baseline solution, and repeat the operation till all dynamic baseline solution finish.

Way three: in Baseline List right-click a dynamic baseline, click [Reprocess] in drop-down box, tick [Apply to all] and click [Calculate], and then it would automatically complete all dynamic baseline solution; or not tick [Apply to all] and click [Calculate] to complete single dynamic baseline solution, and then repeat the operation till all dynamic baseline solution finish.

6.3 Baseline solution result

After baseline processing, in Plane Map baseline succeeded to process shows in green and baselines failed to process show in gray. Also, the Plane Map shows trajectory of station point. Trajectory dot shows green in fixed solution, yellow in float, and red in single. Baseline List would also show all baseline solution result. Green area refers to baselines that succeed to process, while red area refers to those failed.

For baseline fails to process, it can reprocess through modifying process settings.

If the baseline keeps fail, it can disable the baseline.

After dynamic baseline solution, it can view and download the solution result.

1) View dynamic baseline solution result

Operation: click [Process] in Menu Bar – [Dynamic data view], or click [Result] in Navigation Bar – [View dynamic data].

In [Solve Result] window, choose Solving Baselines, choose Displayed Type and Solution Status, then it shows the dynamic baseline solution result, as shown in Figure 6-2. In the upper right of the window, it shows basic information of the baseline, including File Name, Baseline length, Sync Time, Track point, Mark point and Event point. Green area refers to points in fixed solution, yellow to points in float solution and red to points in single solution.

#	Name	Туре	Date	Time	纬度	Longitude	Altitude	Northing x	Easting y	Elevation h	S
T836	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:14:30.0000	023°09'30.85983812"	113°30'08.35557767"	-31.5733	27166367.5386	17546734.3907	-31.5733	F
F1165	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:20:00.0000	023°09'14.26027669"	113°31'16.11292182"	-3.5689	27189354.2929	17556603.3009	-3.5689	F
F1208	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:20:43.0000	023°09'00.97142439"	113°31'12.11299109"	0.0581	27189072.6876	17560984.6656	0.0581	1
1275	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:22:00.0000	023°08'41.54612523"	113°31'09.86530504"	-1.2094	27189813.3776	17567607.3693	-1.2094	
1508	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:26:32.0000	023°08'38.35641879"	113°30'40.22161005"	1.0139	27180539.2293	17566919.2812	1.0139	
1587	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:27:52.0000	023°08'37.96042160"	113°30'34.41484360"	-8.5133	27178705.7325	17566704.8112	-8.5133	1
1735	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:30:20.0000	023°08'37.94062336"	113°30'17.08067758"	18.6009	27173145.9903	17565660.2785	18.6009	1
1754	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:30:39.0000	023°08'38.05995705"	113°30'10.74740192"	19.9080	27171105.4749	17565234.6335	19.9080	
1806	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:31:31.0000	023°08'38.00015255"	113°30'04.53092232"	16.4404	27169116.0194	17564878.3614	16.4404	
1844	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:32:13.0000	023°08'38.16100337"	113°29'51.68610667"	13.1618	27164984.4787	17564043.3289	13.1618	
1904	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:27.0000	023°08'52.21124114"	113°29'29.63957199"	9.4978	27156862.5445	17557823.4881	9.4978	
1911	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:34.0000	023°08'53.09104739"	113°29'27.44204281"	8.9091	27156092.1408	17557384.6136	8.9091	
1914	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:33:37.0000	023°08'53.51904928"	113°29'26.38949200"	8.8362	27155722.6539	17557172.1187	8.8362	
F1966	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:34:35.0000	023°09'07.48337693"	113°29'26.37594789"	-24.0473	27154670.2162	17552319.2506	-24.0473	
2568	1013	Track point	2016-12-6	07:44:48.0000	023°09'30.71456030"	113°27'49.32621732"	6.9360	27121843.9089	17538384.0796	6.9360	
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Figure 6-2

5525(5525C00413201608250155)			
Baseline Name	Sync Time	Baseline length	
☑ 5525C00413201608250155_0	01hour04minute29.00second	4.96m~3.31km	
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Figure 6-3

2) Download dynamic baseline solution result

Operation: click [Export] in Menu Bar – [Dynamic solution coordinates], or click [Result] in Navigation Bar – [Dynamic coordinate file].

To download dynamic coordinate file, it pops up a window, as shown in Figure 6-3. Firstly, select data file, and then select the baseline and output data type. Click [Export] and choose save path to export dynamic baseline solution coordinates.

If the output type needed does not show in the select list, it can set up the output type as needed, through creating [New] to set the defined format, or modifying the existed user-defined format by [Edit] or [Delete].

It comes the end of completed dynamic baseline solution after early preparation, baseline solution, and view and export of result.

Appendix 1 Glossary

IGS

International GPS Service for Geodynamics. Based on GPS continuously operating stations with global foundation, IGS is a model of network of GPS continuously operating station and comprehensive service system. It's made freely accessible to global users with all kinds of GPS information, such as GPS precise ephemeris, rapid ephemeris, forecasting ephemeris, coordinates and movement rates of IGS stations, phase and pseudo range of GPS signal received by IGS stations, and earth rotation rate. It supports tremendous scientific projects in geodesic and geodynamics, including ionosphere, meteorology, reference frame, precise time transmission, highresolution projections of earth rotation rate and its variant, and crustal movement. France's DORIS and German's PRARE are considering establishing similar international organization, striving to make this kind of space-based geodetic surveying system more efficient, more automated, more precise and more reliable.

Ambiguity

An unknown value, the integer cycle value of carrier phase measured between satellite and receiver.

Baseline

Connection line between two observation points where simultaneously receive GPS signal and collect observation data.

Broadcast ephemeris

Satellite orbit parameter demodulated from telegraph text sent by satellite.

SNR (Signal-to-noise ratio)

Ratio of signal power to noise power at one endpoint.

Cycle slip

A phenomenon that with interference, cycle loop jumps several cycles from a balance point to a new balance point and stabilize on it, which cause incorrect integer cycle in phase.

Carrier

A radio wave having at least one characteristic (such as frequency, amplitude, or phase) that can be varied from a known reference value by modulation.

C/A Code

GPS rough observed/captured code, a 1023-bit pseudo-random binary code in double phase modulation. It repeats every 1023 bits and modulates at a 1MHz rate.

Difference measurement

GPS measurement with cross satellites, cross receivers and cross epochs. It can be divided into the following three kinds:

SD (Single Difference) Measurement (cross receivers): instantaneous effect rate of signal phase obtained by two receivers simultaneously observing one satellite.

DD (Double Difference) Measurement (cross receivers and cross satellites): the difference of one satellite's SD to the reference satellite's SD.

TD (Triple Difference) Measurement (cross receivers, cross satellites and cross epochs): the difference of the DD in an epoch to the DD in last epoch.

Differential positioning

Method to determine relative coordinates of two or more receivers through simultaneously tracking a same GPS signal.

Geometric Dilution Precision

A term to specify additional multiplicative effect of navigation satellite geometry on positional measurement precision in dynamic positioning, defined as:

$$DOP = \sqrt{tr(Q^TQ)^{-1}}$$

Of which, Q is the matrix of instant dynamic position solution (depends on positions of receiver and satellite). There are a number of standard terminologies in GPS as shown in following table:

Name	Description
GDOP (Geometric Dilution of Precision)	Four-dimensional geometry factor
PDOP (Position (3D) Dilution of Precision)	Three-dimensional geometry factor
HDOP (Horizontal Dilution of Precision)	Two-dimensional geometry factor

VDOP (Vertical Dilution of Precision)	Vertical geometry factor
TDOP (Time Dilution of Precision)	Time geometry factor (1:40000)
HTDOP (Horizontal and Time Dilution of Precision)	Horizontal and Time geometry factor

Dynamic positioning

Method to determine the time-varying coordinate of moving receiver. Each observation result is obtained by real-time calculation of single data sampling.

Eccentricity

$$e = \sqrt{\frac{a^2 - b^2}{b^2}}$$

of which, a and b respectively refer to semi-major axis and semi-minor axis.

Ellipsoid

In geodesy, it is a mathematically defined surface generates when it is rotated about its minor axis. The semi-major axis of the ellipse, a, is identified as the equatorial radius of the ellipsoid: the semi-minor axis of the ellipse, b, is identified with the polar distances (from the center). These two lengths completely specify the shape of the ellipsoid but in practice geodesy publications classify reference ellipsoids by giving the semi-major axis and the inverse flattening, 1/f. The flattening, f, is simply a measure of how much the symmetry axis is compressed relative to the equatorial radius:

$$f = \frac{1}{a}(a-b)$$

Ephemeris

A set of numerical parameters that can be used to determine a satellite's timevarying position.

Flattening

f =
$$\frac{1}{a}(a-b) = 1 - \sqrt{(1-e^2)}$$

of which, a and b respectively refer to semi-major axis and semi-minor axis, and e refers to eccentricity ratio.

Geoid

The surface of the oceans that is extended through the continents, to whom the

force of gravity acts perpendicular everywhere.

Ionosphere delay

Delay occurred when electric waves pass through the ionosphere (inhomogeneous dispersive medium). Phase delay depends on electron content and it affects carrier signal, while group delay depends on ionospheric dispersion and it affects signal modulation code. Phase delay and group delay share the same amplitude but with opposite signs.

L-band

Radio frequency range of 390-1550MHz.

Multipath error

The positioning error occurs when GPS signals arrive at an antenna having traversed different paths.

Observation session

The period when two or more receivers simultaneously collect GPS data.

Pseudo range

Distance calculated by time offset used to align the GPS copy code in receiver with the received GPS code multiplying velocity of light. The time offset is the difference between the time signal be received (receiver time series) and the time signal transmit (satellites time series).

Receiver channel

RF channel, mixed frequency channel and intermediate frequency channel of GPS receivers, which can receive and track two kinds of carrier signals.

Satellite configuration

Satellite configuration for a specific user or a group of users at a certain time.

Static positioning

Point measurement that not considering the receiver movement.

Universal time

Universal time: the mean solar time on the Prime Meridian at Greenwich, London, UK.

UT: acronym for Universal Time.

UT0 is Universal Time determined by observing the diurnal motion of stars. The relationship between Universal Time and Solar Time is: solar day-sidereal day=3^m56.555ⁿ.

UT1 is UT0 after polar motion correction.

UT2 is a smoothed version of UT1, filtering out periodic seasonal variations.

UTC (Universal Time Coordinated) is an atomic timescale that approximates UT2.

Interval

The process of taking a continuous change value at periodic intervals.

Observation condition

In GPS measurement, observation condition refers to the geometry and trajectory of satellite constellation.

Appendix RINEX data format

RINEX file type

Six different types of data files are defined in the second edition of the RINEX format for respectively storing different types of data, namely observation data file for GPS observation value, navigation message file for GPS satellite navigation messages, meteorological data file for meteorological data measured in station, GLONASS navigation message file for GLONASS satellite navigation messages, Geostationary satellite (GEO) navigation messages file for GEO satellite navigation messages from a geostationary satellite equipped with a similar GPS signal generator in an enhanced system, and satellite and receiver file for time information of satellite and receiver.

RINEX naming rule

RINEX format has special naming rules for data files, so that user can easily distinguish the attribution, type and time of recorded data of the data files through the file name. According to the rule, the data file in RINEX format is named with 8.3 naming method. A completed file name consists of two parts: 8-digit main target name to represent file attribution, and 3-digit extension to represent file type, its specific form 79

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of which:

ssss: measurement station code in 4 digits.

ddd: DOY in the first record in the document.

f: file sequence number (FSN) in one day, sometimes names period number. The value is from 0-9, A-Z. When it is 0, it means that the file contains all data in that day. Notice that the FSN is based on the synchronous observation period of the whole project in one day instead of observation period of one receiver in one day. For instance, at one day, a project uses four receivers to observe. In the first period, four receivers all participate in observation, then in that period the FSNs of the data files in four receivers are 1. In the second period, only three receivers participate in observation, then in that period the FSNs of the third period, four receivers are 1. In the second period, only three receivers are 2. In the third period, four receivers all participate in observation again, then in that period the FSNs of the data files of the data files in four receivers are 3.

yy: year.

t: file type, one among the follows:

O——observation file;

N——GPS navigation message file;

M—meteorological data file;

G——GLONASS navigation message file;

H---GEO navigation messages file

C——clock file.

Take BJFS0010.17O for example, it is the observation data file of whole-day data for point BJFS in Jan 1st, 2017 (DOY is 1). And BJFS0010.17N is its corresponding navigation message file.

Observation data file

It includes file header and data record. In Table 1 list the file headers of this file

and in Table 2 list the data record. Here merely introduce a couple of terms.

Time: measuring time is the time when the signal arrives at the receiver. It is GPS time instead of UTC time. The pseudo ranges and phases of all tracking satellites are observed at that time.

Pseudo range: pseudo range is the distance calculated by time offset used to align the GPS copy code in receiver with the received GPS code multiplying velocity of light. There are three pseudo-range observations in RINEX: C1 is C/A code in L1; P1 is P code in L1; and P2 is P code in L2. Due to AS policy, plenty of receivers cannot receive P code in L2, so the delay of Y2-Y1 calculated by relevant technology is used for instead to eliminate influence of ionosphere. In this case, in RINEX it adopts P2 code composited by C/A code and the delay of Y2-Y1.

Phase: phase is the small value of integer cycle in beat frequency in actual L1 and L2. When using square technology to extract phase, if it is small value of half cycle, it must transfer to that of integer cycle.

Doppler: using specific processing software in receiver, it can record value of Doppler, D1, D2, Hz as units.

Header label	Description	Format
(column 61~80)		
RINEX	Version number of RINEX format (2.10 in	F9.2, 11X,
VERSION/TYPE	this version)	A1, 19X,
	File type ("O" in this file)	A1, 19X
	Satellite system where observation data	
	from: (space or "G" for GPS, "R" for	
	GLONASS, "S" for synchronous satellite	
	signal payload, "T" for NNSS Meridian	
	Satellite, "M" for combined system)	
PGM / RUN BY /	Program name that creates the data file	A20,
DATE	Agency name that creates the data file	A20,

Table 1 Header description for GPS observation data file

	Date when data file is created	A20
COMMENT	Comment line	A60
MARKER NAME	Name of antenna mark (point name)	A60
MARKER NUMBER	Number of antenna mark (point number)	A20
OBSERVER /	Observer name/Observation agency name	A20, A40
AGENCY		
REC # / TYPE / VERS	SN, type and version (internal software	3A20
	version) of receiver	
ANT # / TYPE	SN and type of antenna	2A20
APPROX POSITION	Approximate position of mark (WGS84)	3F14.4
XYZ		
ANTENNA:DELTA	Antenna height(H): higher than the lower	3F14.4
H/E/N	surface height of marked antenna	
	Antenna center offset in east and north	
WAVELENGTH FACT	Wavelength factor of L1 and L2	2I6
L1/2	1: ambiguity of whole cycle	
	2: ambiguity of half cycle	
	0: L1 single frequency	
	Tracking satellite number (maximum as 7,	I6
	more than 7 repeats record)	7(3X, A1,
	PRN: satellite number	I2)
#/TYPES OF OBSERV	The number of different observed value	I6
	types stored in the file.	9(3X, A1,
	Observed value type list:	I2)
	Description: in RINEX 2.10 define the	6X, 9(4X,
	following observed value types:	A2)
	L1, L2: phases observed value in L1 and L2;	
	C1: pseudo range measured by C/A code in	
	L1;	

	P1, P2: pseudo ranges measured by P code in	
	L1 and L2;	
	D1, D2: Doppler frequencies in L1 and L2;	
	T1, T2: Doppler integrations in 150(T1) of	
	Meridian Satellite and 400MHz (T2) signal;	
	S1, S2: initial signal strength of phase	
	observed value in L1, L2 given by receiver	
	or SNR value.	
	Units of observed value:	
	Cycle for carrier phase;	
	Meter(m) for pseudo range;	
	Hz for Doppler;	
	Cycle for Meridian Satellite;	
	SNR depends on receiver.	
INTERVAL	Epoch interval of observed value, second as	F10.3
	unit.	
TIME OF FIRST OBS	The first recorded moment in the data file	5I6, F13.7
	(year, month, day, hour, minute, second).	5X, A3
	Time system: GPS for GPS time, GLO for	
	UTC time	
	Description: in GPS/GLONASS file it must	
	include the time system field. Default field	
	for pure GPS file is GPS, and for pure	
	GLONASS file is GLO.	
TIME OF LAST OBS	The last recorded moment in the data file	5I6, F13.7
	(year, month, day, hour, minute, second).	5X, A3
	Time system: same as TIME OF FIRST OBS	
LEAP SECONDS	Leap seconds from Jan 6 th , 2017 in	I6
	GPD/GLONASS file.	

#OF SATELLITES	The number of satellites have observed value	I6
	storied in file	
PRN/# OF OBS	The PRN (satellite number) involved by	3X, A1,
	every observation values indicated in	12, 916
	#/TYPES OF OBSERV record and the	6X, 9I6
	number of their observed value	
	If types of observed value are over 9, then	
	use a continuous line.	
	Description: there is a record for each	
	satellite in observation data file.	
END OF HEADER	The last record in header	60X

Notes:

The above introduction formats are RINEX2.10:

In introduction of RINEX format, data types used are as follows:

X——space

A——alphabet

I——integral

F——float

D——double

Table 2 Observed value format description for GPS observation data file

Observed value	Description	Format
record		
EPOCH/SAT OR	Observed epoch:	
EVENT FLAG	Year (2 digits, add 0 in the front as needed),	1X, I2.2
	month, day, hour, minute,	4(1X, I2)
	second	F11.7
	Epoch symbol: 0 for normal; 1 for a power	2X, I1
	failure occurred between the previous one and	
	the current one; >1 for event symbol	13

	Satellite number observed in current epoch	I2(A1, I2)
	Satellite PRN list (satellite number with	
	satellite system identifier) observed in current	F12.9
	epoch	32X
	Deviation of receiver clock (s as unit)	12(A1, I2)
	If satellites are over 12, then use a continuous	
	line.	[2X, I1]
	If epoch symbol is 2-5, it indicates that:	
	2: antenna starts moving;	
	3: new station is set (dynamic data ends);	
	4: following is information similar to	[I3]
	header, describing certain special conditions in	
	observation;	
	5: external event.	
	"satellite number in current epoch"	
	describes the following record number, i.e.,	
	how many lines in the following used to	
	describe event. Maximum is 999.	
	For a time that does not specify a moment	
	in the epoch, the epoch field can be empty.	
	Description: if epoch field is 6, it indicates	
	in the following is record of cycle slips	
	detected and repaired. This item is optional.	
OBSERVATIONS	Observed value	m(F14.3, I1,
	LLI (Loss of Lock Indicator)	I1)
	Signal strength	

Navigation message file

Satellite ephemeris is broadcast navigation message from satellites, which is the essential data of ground location calculation. In navigation message, it includes satellite's orbital elements and satellite clock parameter and other information. To speed up ground location calculation, broadcast navigation message is sent by satellite once per second and updated once per hour. Hence, every observation merely needs to record a set of broadcast navigation message. In Table 3 and Table 4 respectively are header description of navigation message file and record format description of navigation message file.

Description	Format
Version number of RINEX format	F9.2, 11X
File type (N)	A1, 19X
Program name that creates the data file	A20
Agency name that creates the data file	A20
Date when data file is created	A20
Comment line	A60
Ionospheric parameter A0~A3 in	2X,
ephemeris	4D12.4
Ionospheric parameter B0~B3 in	2X,
ephemeris	4D12.4
Ephemeris parameters used to calculate	3X,
UTC time:	2D19.12
A0, A1: multinomial coefficient	19
T: reference moment of UTC data	19
W: Reference cycle of UTC, as	
continuous counting	
Time difference caused by leap seconds	I6
	Version number of RINEX format File type (N) Program name that creates the data file Agency name that creates the data file Date when data file is created Comment line Ionospheric parameter A0~A3 in ephemeris Ionospheric parameter B0~B3 in ephemeris Ephemeris parameters used to calculate UTC time: A0, A1: multinomial coefficient T: reference moment of UTC data W: Reference cycle of UTC, as continuous counting

Table 3 Header description of GPS navigation message file

END OF HEADER	The last record in header	60X

Observed	Decorintion	Format
value record	Description	
PRN	PRN number of satellite	I2
number/	Epoch: TOC (reference moment of satellite clock)	
Epoch/	Year (2 digits, add 0 in the front as needed)	1X, I2.2
Satellite	month, day, hour, minute	4(1X, I2)
clock	second	F5.1
	Deviation of satellite clock (s)	3D19.12
	Drifting of satellite clock (s/s)	
	Drift speed of satellite clock (s/s ²)	
Broadcast	IODE (Issue of Data, Ephemeris/Released time of	3X,
channel-1	data, epoch)	4D19.12
	$C_{rs}(\mathbf{m})$	
	$\triangle n(rad/s)$	
	$M_0(\mathrm{rad})$	
Broadcast	$C_{us}(rad)$	3X,
channe-2	e orbital eccentricity	4D19.12
	$C_{us}(\text{radians})$	
	sqrt(A)(m1/2)	
Broadcast	TOE reference of ephemeris time (the number of	3X,
channe-3	seconds in the GPS cycle)	4D19.12
	$C_{ic}(\mathrm{rad})$	
	Ω (rad)(OMEGA)	
	$C_{is}(\mathrm{rad})$	
Broadcast	$i_0(\mathrm{rad})$	3X,

Table 4 Observed value format description for GPS navigation message file

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channe-4	$C_{rc}(\mathbf{m})$	4D19.12
	w(rad)	
	Ω (rad/s) (OMEGA DOT)	
Broadcast	<i>i</i> (rad/s) (IDOT)	3X,
channe-5	Code in L_2	4D19.12
	GPS cycle number (together with TOE indicates	
	time). It is continuous counting, not remainder of	
	1024.	
	<i>L</i> ₂ P-code data symbol	
Broadcast	Satellite accuracy(m)	3X,
channe-6	Satellite state	4D19.12
	TGD(sec)	
	AODC of IODC	
Broadcast	Released time of message (second in GPS cycle as	3X,
channe-7	unit, calculated by Z in transition word (HOW))	4D19.12
	Fitting range(h), as 0 if unknown	