

FINAL REPORT

on

Data Acquisition and Processing

for the

Airborne Magnetic Survey

of

The Excelsior Mountains and South Wassuk Range of Western Nevada

on behalf of the

United States Geological Survey

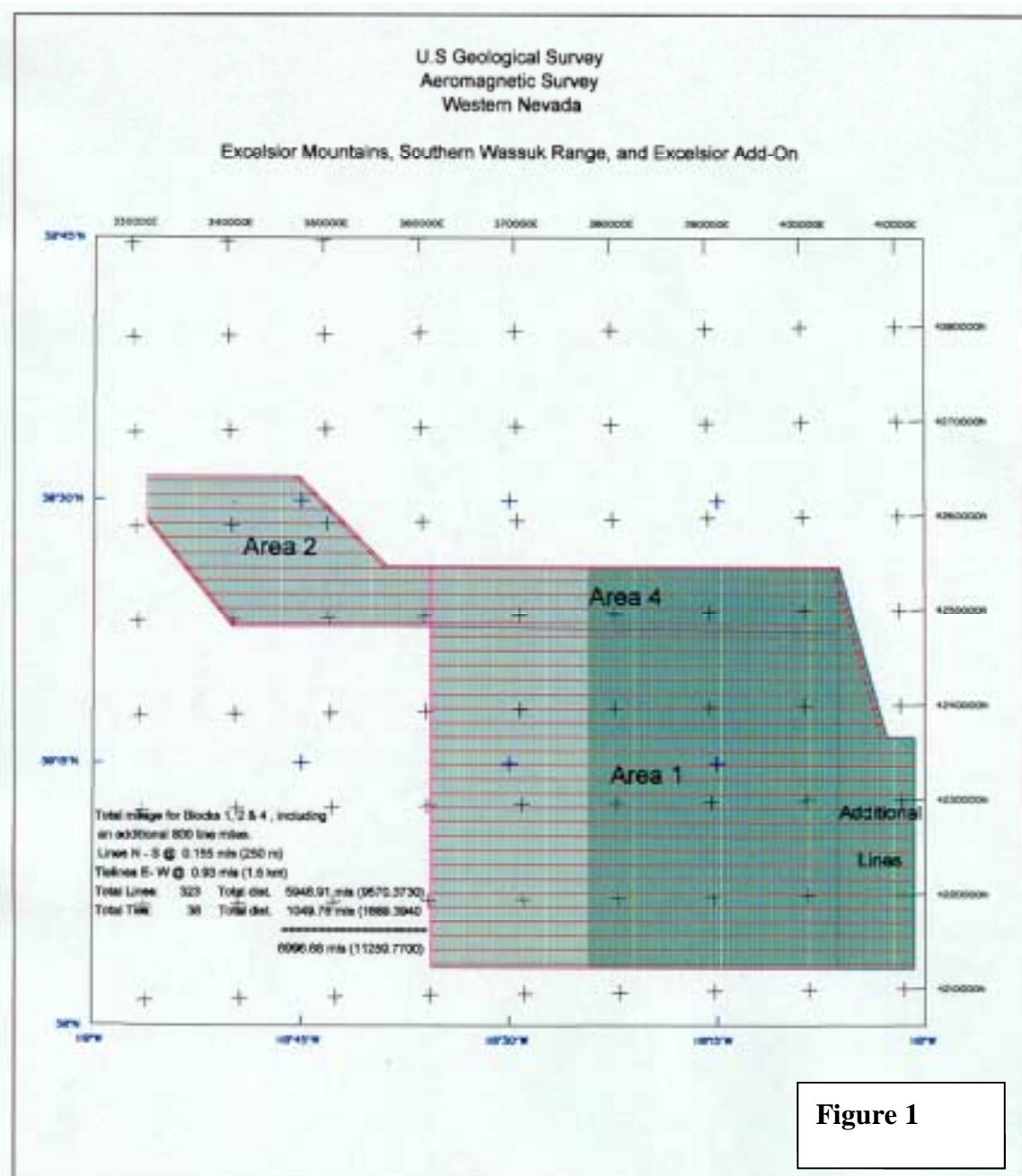
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1. INTRODUCTION

An aeromagnetic survey was flown over three conjoined areas within the Excelsior Mountains and Southern Wassuk Range of western Nevada. This same survey covered part of Death Valley, California. The flying was completed between December 5, 2000, and January 14, 2001, by Fugro Airborne Surveys on behalf of the United States Geological Survey (see figure 1). A 1:100,000 scale contour map and digital grid of the total magnetic field were produced, as well as a digital grid of radar altimeter (ground clearance) data.



2. TECHNICAL SPECIFICATIONS

This section describes in detail the guidelines followed throughout the performance of the project; tolerances and instruments are also presented here.

2.1 SURVEY LOCATION

The three conjoined western Nevada areas (1, 2, & 4) are bounded by the following coordinates (NAD27 UTM and degrees X 1,000,000):

404000.00	4255000.00	38262393	-118055996
409100.00	4237100.00	38164519	-118022131
412000.00	4237100.00	38164623	-118002197
412000.00	4212600.00	38033142	-118001106
361100.00	4212600.00	38030844	-118345912
361100.00	4248600.00	38223605	-118352448
340200.00	4248600.00	38222349	-118494545
331300.00	4259700.00	38281754	-118560163
331300.00	4264500.00	38305318	-118560580
347200.00	4264500.00	38310352	-118450957
356400.00	4255000.00	38260094	-118384281

2.2 FLIGHT SPECIFICATIONS

Traverse Line Direction	N - S
Traverse Line Spacing	250 m
Control Line Direction	E - W
Control Line Spacing	1,500 m
Terrain Clearance	168-1217 m+ - see section 2.3 - "Flying Height".
Line kilometers:	11,259.77
Average Sampling Interval	7.5 m

2.3 TOLERANCES

Lines (or segments of lines crossing two control lines, or segments of control lines crossing several lines) were re-flown when any of the following tolerances were exceeded:

Navigation

- Nominal line spacing must not be exceeded by more than 50% for a distance of more than 3.2 km.

Flight Height

- In order to maintain similar elevations at all traverse and control line intersections, even when climbing or descending steeply, the Fugro *ACCUDRAPE* system utilizes a pre-planned digital drape surface which the onboard computer compares with the GPS xyz to feed corrections to the pilot.
- Deviations from the pre-planned drape elevation must not exceed 100 m. The precipitous mountains flanking all survey blocks necessitated pre-planned drape surfaces with ground clearance exceeding 1217 m (4000') over the valleys (the radar altimeter maximum is 1217 m). Less than 1% of the data could be flown

below 213 m (700').

Magnetic Diurnal

- Deviations must not be greater than 2 nT from a 40 second chord. The ground station magnetometer operated during all data acquisition.

Airborne Magnetometer Noise

- "Maneuver" noise must not exceed an envelope of ± 0.1 nT over more than 10% of any line. This was monitored on the analog chart with a fourth difference and a high-pass filter.
- A standard Figure of Merit must be less than 1.5 nT.
- Heading errors must be within 1 nT between reciprocal headings.

2.4 SURVEY EQUIPMENT

Table 2.4.a lists major characteristics of the fixed-wing survey aircraft.

Registration	Endurance	Engines	Manufacturer	Type	No. of Seats	Average Speed
C-FZLK	6.5 hours	1 Turbine	Cessna	Caravan 208	3	75 m/sec

Table 2.4.a Survey Aircraft

Table 2.4.b lists the geophysical equipment installed in C-FZLK throughout the survey.

EQUIPMENT	MANUFACTURER	MODEL	TYPE
Data Acquisition System	Fugro Airborne Surveys	GeoDAS	Pentium computer based, real-time, data synchronization and recording
Magnetometer	Scintrex	CS-2	Cesium Vapour, 10 Hz Sampling, 0.005 nT Sensitivity, 0.001 nT Resolution
Compensator	RMS	AADC	27 Term
Digital Backup	Iomega	Zip Drive	100 Mb removable hard drive
Analogue Recorder	RMS	GR-33a-1	Dot Matrix
Radar Altimeter	TRT	AVH-8	10 Hz Sampling, Accuracy $\pm 2\%$
Barometric Altimeter	Rosemount	1241M	10 Hz Sampling, Accuracy ± 5 m
Omnistar Receiver	Trimble		Real-time differential GPS correction
GPS Receiver	Sercel	NR103	10 Channel
Video Camera	Panasonic	WVC 1302	Colour
Video Cassette Recorder	Panasonic	AG2400	NTSC

Table 2.4.b Airborne Geophysical Equipment

Table 2.4.c lists the components of the ground-based reference station.

EQUIPMENT	MANUFACTURER	MODEL	TYPE
Magnetometer	Scintrex	CS-2	Cesium Vapour, 2 Hz Sampling, 0.005 nT Sensitivity, 0.01 nT Resolution
GPS Receiver	Sercel	NR-103	10 Channel

Table 2.4.c Ground Reference Station

The ground magnetometer was mounted in a magnetically quiet area; its clock was synchronized with the GPS time signal. The GPS data logger records all of the raw range data stream. The *Trajecto* differential correction software matches the output from the airborne GPS system and the ground GPS system during the data reduction process.

Table 2.4.d lists the equipment and software used to perform the field processing.

EQUIPMENT	MANUFACTURER	MODEL	TYPE
PC	Dell	Inspiron 7500	800 MHz Pentium
Printer	HP	HP950C	A4 Colour
Data Processing Software	Fugro Airborne Surveys	Gmaps	DOS & Windows
Image Processing Software	ERMMapper	Version 5.5	Windows 95/98
GPS Processing Software	Sercel	Trajecto	DOS

Table 2.4.d Field Processing System

3. PERSONNEL

NAME	TITLE	PROJECT POSITION
Robb, Jeff	Aircraft Maintenance	Aircraft Maintenance
Lamirande, Ken	Electronics Technician	Electronics Operator
Reed, Travis	Electronics Technician	Electronics Operator
Lyall, Ron	Operations Manager	Processor, Logistics
Williston, Mark	Pilot	Survey Pilot
Thomas, Jeff	Pilot	Survey Pilot

Table 3 Field Project Personnel

4. SURVEY OPERATIONS

4.1 GENERAL

The production phase of the project began in Bishop, California, on December 5th, 2000, and the final production flight was made on January 14th, 2001. The Comfort Inn provided crew accommodation and space for the field processing office.

4.2 DIURNAL CONDITIONS

Magnetic diurnal variation was exceptionally quiet. Deviations never reached the specification limit.

4.3 GENERAL WEATHER CONDITIONS

Weather conditions were frequently unfavourable for survey flying due to high turbulence or cloud cover in the mountains. Ten days were lost.

4.4 QUALITY CONTROL AND FIELD PROCESSING

- To check the data for adherence to contract specifications and move the data closer to the final stage, the following procedures were followed for each flight (details in section 6):
 - downloading and verification of aircraft data;
 - downloading and verification of GPS and magnetic base station data;
 - post-processing of GPS data using SERCEL TRAJECTOGRAPHY software;
 - merging of navigation data with geophysical data including transformation of coordinates from WGS84 latitude/longitude to UTM x, y coordinates in the local spheroid;
 - creation of flight path plots and evaluation of compliance with contract specifications;
 - spike and null value location and removal from the magnetic and altimeter data;
 - computing of a drape surface quality control field for evaluation of compliance with the contract specifications;
 - computing of magnetic noise channel for evaluation of data quality and compliance with contract specifications;
 - evaluation of diurnal data quality, and compliance with contract specifications;
 - correction of magnetic data for I.G.R.F. gradient;
 - noise filtering of magnetic and altimeter fields;
 - correction of magnetic field for altitude deviations;
 - backing-up of all field data.

At regular intervals, the corrected magnetic data were levelled and gridded for quality inspection including real-time shade enhancement.

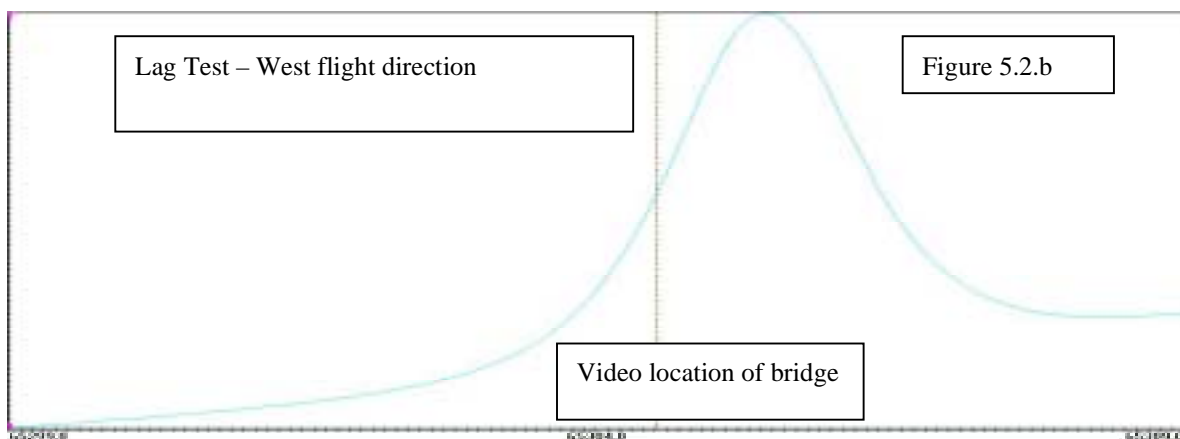
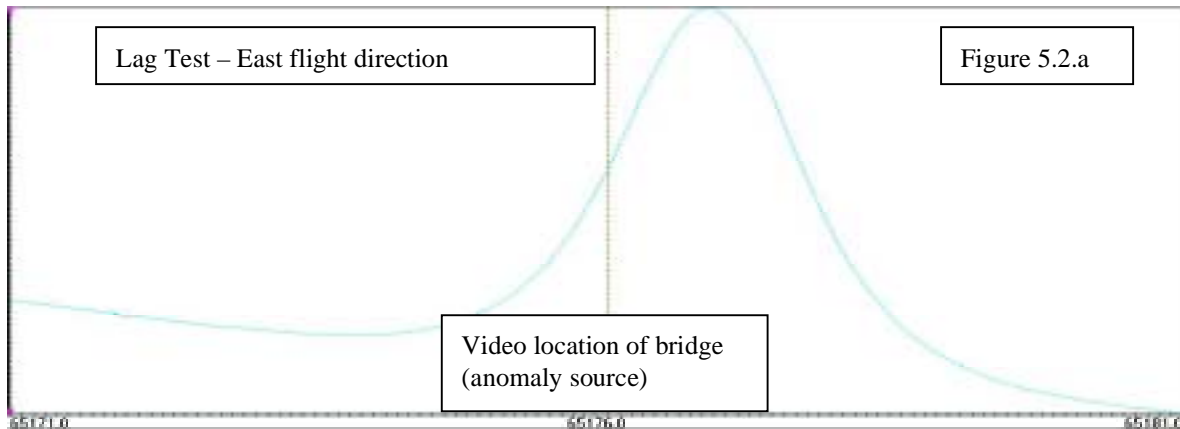
5. CALIBRATION AND TEST RESULTS

5.1 GPS BASE STATION

To apply post-flight differential GPS corrections to the survey data, a GPS base station was installed near the crew's hotel. The location of the GPS base station antenna was determined by averaging positions over a 24 hour period. The location was 37° 22' 17.28" N latitude, 118° 22' 8.46" W longitude, elevation 1,255 m, on the WGS spheroid.

5.2 MAGNETIC LAG TEST

The camera on-board the aircraft records its position, A, relative to the ground, at time t_0 . In fact the sensor will arrive over A at time t_1 ($>t_0$). Furthermore, because of electronic delays, the reading at time t_1 will not be recorded until time t_2 ($>t_1$). The difference t_2-t_0 represents the lag between the actual aircraft position and the x y position tied to the magnetic reading on disk. A lag test was performed by flying the aircraft at survey altitude in opposite directions over a sharp magnetic feature. The position of the magnetic feature was referenced to a visible feature recorded by the video system, in this case a bridge, which was the anomaly source. By superimposing a plot of the east-west anomaly over the west-east anomaly, the video-picked position of the bridge can be transposed onto its counterpart; and one-half the difference between the two video-picked positions equals the magnetic system lag. The lag was 0.7 seconds, or 7 magnetic samples, for aircraft C-FZLK. These values were used to correct for magnetic system lag throughout the survey.

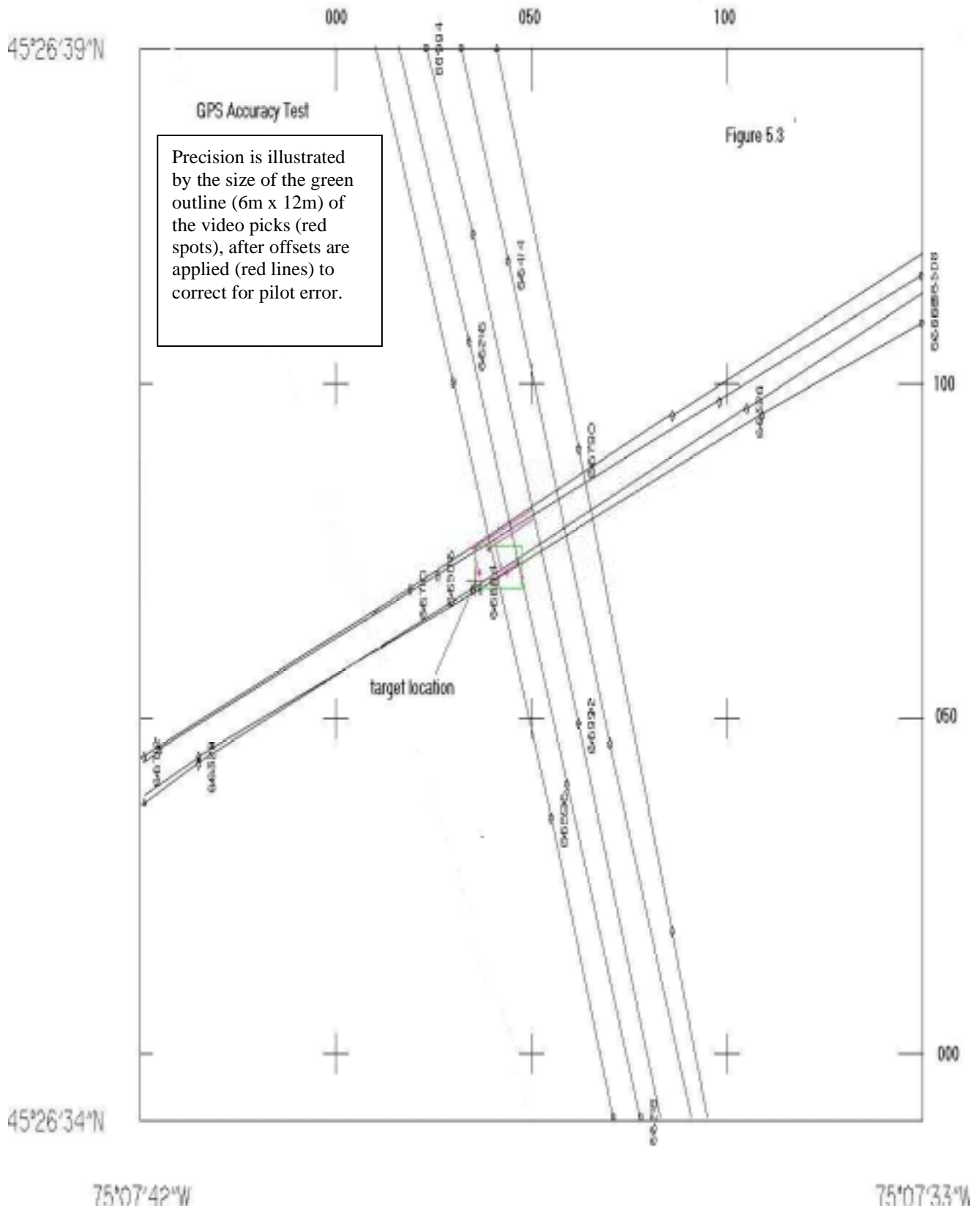


5.3 GPS LAG / ACCURACY.TEST

A cloverleaf flown over the established co-ordinates of the Canadian Geological Survey test site was used to measure the lag in the GPS positioning, with regard to the video camera position. A value of 0.2 seconds resulted in a best fit with the video position. Once the lag is applied (as in figure 5.3) the cloverleaf intersection is used to test the accuracy of the GPS positioning.

Aircraft:		Cessna Caravan	
Registration:		C-FZLK	
Date:		November 25, 2000	
Location:		Bourget, Ontario, Canada	
Altitude:		400 ft mean terrain clearance	
DIRECTION	FIDUCIAL CLOSEST TO TARGET (from video)	OFFSET FROM TARGET DUE TO PILOT ERROR (estimate in metres & direction)	Line # on Video
South	66216.56	0	Line 10
West	66326.92	3 N	Line 11
North	66413.50	20 E	Line 12
East	66506.22	5 N	Line 13
South	66595.44	5 W	Line 14
West	66709.76	5 N	Line 15
East	66884.10	0	Line 17
North	66992.44	15 E	Line 18

TABLE 5.3 GPS LAG / ACCURACY TEST



5.4 FIGURE OF MERIT (FOM)

The figure of merit is the measurement of the ability of the compensation system to remove the effects of aircraft maneuvers from the total field data. During the FOM test the aircraft is flown into a quiet magnetic area and put through a series of pitches ($\pm 5^\circ$), rolls ($\pm 10^\circ$) and yaws ($\pm 5^\circ$) to examine the noise remaining in the signal after the 27 term automatic compensation algorithm has been applied to the data.

Figure of Merit				
Aircraft:	Cessna Caravan			
Registration:	C-FZLK			
Magnetometer:	Cesium vapor, stinger mounted			
Sampling Rate:	10 Hz			
Date:	December 2, 2000			
Location:	Bishop, California			
HEADING	MANOEUVER	VALUE (nT)	HEADING TOTAL (nT)	
NORTH	PITCH	0.18	0.32	
	ROLL	0.08		
	YAW	0.06		
EAST	PITCH	0.12	0.27	
	ROLL	0.07		
	YAW	0.08		
SOUTH	PITCH	0.08	0.18	
	ROLL	0.06		
	YAW	0.04		
WEST	PITCH	0.08	0.20	
	ROLL	0.06		
	YAW	0.06		
FOM VALUE			0.97	nT
AVERAGE MANEUVER NOISE (FOM / 12)			0.08	nT

Table 5.4 C-FZLK Figure of Merit

5.5 ALTIMETER CALIBRATION

On November 24, 2000, the radar, barometric, and GPS altimeters were compared by flying at terrain clearances of 200', 300', 400', 500', 600', 800', and 1000' over a flat portion of the Ottawa river. The results reconfirmed that all altimeters aboard C-FZLK are functioning normally.

6. FINAL DATA PROCESSING

Final data reduction was undertaken at the Fugro Airborne Surveys processing center in Ottawa, Canada between January and February, 2001. In general, final processing consisted of the following operations:

- final levelling of the total field magnetic data;
- image and 1:100,000 scale map analysis of the total field and levelling compensations by a geophysicist for any residual levelling or positioning errors or gridding artifacts;
- correction of errors;
- final gridding and micro-levelling;
- imaging and plotting of magnetic field;
- gridding of radar altimeter data
- archiving of final data.

The final projection is Universal Transverse Mercator, using the NAD27 (Clarke 1866) spheroid. The datum shift from WGS 84 to Clarke 1866 (NAD27) was $x = 8$ m, $y = -160$ m, $z = -176$ m. The false easting is 500,000 m, false northing is 0 m, scale factor is 0.9996 and the central meridian is 117° West.

Further details of the magnetic processing are provided below.

6.1 Noise Editing

An automatic editing routine, employing 4th differences of the magnetic field, removed nulls and spikes down to the noise level, and located abrupt level shifts.

6.2 Noise Filtering

We filtered all data in the frequency domain with a cutoff 0.061 (wavelengths per sample interval) rolloff 0.030 (wavelengths per sample interval). This filter approaches 100% removal of anomalies of wavelength 99 metres (13.2 samples x average speed of 7.5 metres/sample) or less. It approaches 0% removal of anomalies of wavelength 163 metres (21.7 samples x average speed of 7.5 metres/sample) or more. This filter should have no effect on any real, geological-source anomalies; or even the narrowest anomaly from cultural sources on the ground surface. The minimum ground clearance is about 150 metres (rarely encountered) and the minimum wavelength produced at 150 metres is roughly $2 \times 150 = 300$ metres. Thus all real wavelengths are a safe distance from the effective limit of the filter (163 metres).

In the relatively quiet magnetic field recorded at high ground clearance over the valleys (flight lines 101 to 167) a slightly longer wavelength noise was found – beyond the limit of the aforementioned filter. There were several days of high wind turbulence; and noise from sudden aircraft maneuvers can reach 4 second periods. Thus, a wider filter was applied to these lines: cutoff 0.0193, rolloff 0.0100. This frequency domain filter achieves near 100% removal of periods up to 4.1 seconds; and its effect is near 0% at wavelengths of 524 metres or more. The ground clearance was sufficient to ensure that all real wavelengths would significantly exceed 524 metres; and this was verified by extensive examination of profile data before and after filtering. To reduce the likelihood of this filter change being visible in any derivative image, a

block of adjacent, high-ground-clearance lines (169 to 339) was smoothed with a third frequency domain filter (cutoff 0.0313, rolloff 0.0160), intermediate between the other two. As before, the ground clearance was sufficient to ensure that all real wavelengths would significantly exceed the effective limit of the filter (322 metres); and this was verified by extensive examination of profile data before and after filtering.

6.3 Diurnal Subtraction

A test was made to verify the effectiveness of diurnal subtraction: Long period diurnal variations were subtracted from the air data, as they are more likely to correlate, and the residual magnetic field was leveled. As no improvement was noted in the required levelling compensations, diurnal subtraction was not employed.

6.4 IGRF Correction

The IGRF regional value was calculated using the 1995 model updated to the mid-survey date (2000.9) using the corrected GPS elevations. Using the actual elevations for IGRF correction has the added benefit of correcting for the magnetic effect of altitude variations within the Earth's primary field. Corrections for vertical movements within the secondary magnetic field induced by the Earth's crust is discussed in the following section, 6.5.

6.5 Upward/Downward Continuation

As the terrain clearance drops, the vertical magnetic gradients can become very high; and even minor deviations from the prescribed drape surface may produce significant changes in the measured magnetic field. The Taylor Expansion¹ applies the required upward and downward continuations to the magnetic field to simulate measurements from the prescribed altitude. The resulting magnetic field profiles were input to the levelling process.

6.6 Levelling

The lines (traverse lines) and tie-lines (control lines) of an aeromagnetic survey form a network, and the points where they cross are called intersections. At each intersection the magnetic values should be identical. In practice they differ as a result of:

- time variations of the magnetic field;
- heading effects;
- altitude differences;
- position errors;
- cultural or instrument noise.

In the levelling process, it is assumed that most of the required level adjustments will vary smoothly along each line or tie-line. The network of line minus tie-line differences at the intersections is analyzed to produce a matrix of misclosures. These misclosures were reduced to zero through an iterative process of tilting the profile baselines and moving the intersection locations. Compensation values applied at adjacent tie-lines were not allowed to differ by more than 5 nT. Intersection movements were restricted to a maximum of 4 samples (about 30

¹ Pilkington, M., and Thurston, J. B., 2001. *Draping corrections for aeromagnetic data: line versus grid based approaches*; Exploration Geophysics, in press.

metres). These maximums were very rarely required. Of the 6,717 intersections, less than 87 could not be closed with these compensations. These intersections were carefully checked and corrected manually.

6.7 Gridding

Gridding was done by the Akima method, using data from all lines and tie-lines. A gridding interval of 1/3 the line spacing was used (133 m).

6.8 Grid Levelling

The final stage of levelling consisted of applying a grid-levelling routine to the gridded data to remove small residual errors that are not properly removed by conventional levelling of the line data²

² Minty, B.R.S., 1991: *Simple micro-levelling for aeromagnetic data*; Exploration Geophysics, v.22, p. 591-592.

7. DELIVERABLES

7.1 MAPS

Two copies of the magnetic field contour map are presented at 1:100,000 scale with UTM registration plus screened flight path, in black and white, on mylar.

7.2 REPORT

This report covers data acquisition and processing, and is provided in two hard copies plus a digital archive in *Microsoft Word* format.

7.3 DIGITAL ARCHIVES

Files: raw and final processed profile data, and final magnetic and radar altitude grids;
Format: The ASCII format is used for profiles, and *Geosoft* binary format is used for grids.
A full format description is included in the appendix .
Media: CD-ROM.
Copies: two

We trust this survey will assist your mapping program; and we remain available for questions at any time.

Respectfully Submitted,

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APPENDIX
DIGITAL ARCHIVE FORMAT DESCRIPTOR

 DIGITAL ARCHIVE DESCRIPTION OF PROFILE DATA

Digital Archive is Ascii.
 Ascii filename: **nevada.archive**
 250 bytes I 10 format

1-10 Line number X 100 + part number
 11-20 Flight number
 21-30 Latitude **NAD27** (decimal degrees)
 31-40 Longitude
 41-50 UTM metres **NAD27** (CM 117 degrees west)
 51-60 UTM metres
 61-70 Latitude **WGS84** (decimal degrees)
 71-80 Longitude
 81-90 UTM metres **WGS84** (CM 117 degrees west)
 91-100 UTM metres
 101-110 Fiducial (seconds UTC X 10 increments by 1)
 111-120 Date (ddmmyy)
 121-130 Radar (m X 100)
 131-140 Baro (m X 100)
 141-150 GPS elevation (m X 100)
 151-160 Diurnal (.001 nT)
 161-170 Raw Magnetics (.001 nT) edited, lag applied.
 171-180 Filtered Magnetics (.001 nT)
 181-190 Filtered Magnetics - I.G.R.F. (.001 nT)
 191-200 I.G.R.F. (2000.9)
 201-210 Differential Up/Down corr. Magnetics (.001 nT)
 211-220 Levelled Magnetics (.001 nT)
 221-230 Final Magnetics (.001 nT)
 231-240 Compensation (.001 nT) from TL levelling
 241-250 Compensation (.001 nT) from micro levelling

Fugro Airborne Survey's direction codes are as follows:

- 1: Northbound
- 2: Eastbound
- 3: Southbound
- 4: Westbound

The archive file contains the following lines:

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DIGITAL ARCHIVE DESCRIPTION OF GRID DATA

CLIENT	U.S.G.S
NAME OF SURVEY	AEROMAGNETIC SURVEY of
WESTERN NEVADA	
AREA NAME	EXCELSIOR MOUNTAINS,
SOUTHERN WASSUK RANGE and EXCELSIOR ADD-ON	
CONTRACTOR	FUGRO AIRBORNE SURVEYS
JOB CODE	655
GRID ARCHIVE NAME	NEVADA_TF.GRD
FORMAT	GEO_SOFT BINARY GRID
CONTENT	TOTAL MAGNETIC INTENSITY
CREATION DATE	February 15, 2001
NUMBER of ROWS and COLUMNS	640 1024
PIVOTAL POSITION (X,Y)	331087 4212084
CELL SIZE	83m
UNIT	nT
UNIT FACTOR	0.001
MINIMUM VALUE (nT)	-555.284
MAXIMUM VALUE (nT)	846.571
MEAN VALUE (nT)	-71.181
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FORMAT	GEO_SOFT BINARY GRID
CONTENT	RADAR
CREATION DATE	March 7, 2001
NUMBER of ROWS and COLUMNS	640 1024
PIVOTAL POSITION (X,Y)	331087 4212167
CELL SIZE	83m
UNIT	m
UNIT FACTOR	0.01
MINIMUM VALUE (m)	157
MAXIMUM VALUE (m)	1217 (instrument maximum)
MEAN VALUE (m)	536

PROJECTION INFORMATION :

DATUM	NAD27
SHEROID	CLARKE 1866
PROJECTION	UTM
CENTRAL MERIDIEN	117 West
FALSE EASTING	500000 m
FALSE NORTHING	0 m
SCALE FACTOR	0.9996