



Determination of the deflection of the vertical by improving the elements of the normal Eötvös matrix

Gerassimos Manoussakis and Romylos Korakitis

Dionysos Satellite Observatory, Dionysos Satellite Observatory, Surveying, Zografos, Athens, Greece
(gmanous@survey.ntua.gr)

The elements of the Eötvös matrix, usually determined by torsion balance measurements, are useful in several geodetic applications. We present a method for the computation of the elements of the normal Eötvös matrix at a point on the Earth's physical surface, resulting to an improvement in the determination of the deflection of the vertical at intermediate points of a network.