

The program Cones calculates asymptotic directions of particles for fixed geographical point and date. From a given height, antiprotons of various rigidity are launched, their trajectories traced and asymptotic coordinates of the arrival of particles are determined. The program can calculate trajectories in one of the magnetosphere model: dipole, IGRF, Tsyganenko-89, 96, 02. Particles are launched under given vertical and azimuth angles.

All input parameters are written in the file Cones.ini.

Input parameters for the program CONES:

01.07.2015 Date

00:00:00 Time

1.37 Solar wind dynamic pressure (nP) 0.1 - 4

-23.0 Dst-index (nT) +50 - -500

-2.20 IMF By (nT) +30 - -30

-4.40 IMF Bz (nT) +30 - -30

6.49 G1

11.51 G2

10.0 G3

3 Kp-index

10 Model 00-dipole, 10-IGRF, 89-T89_Kp, 96-T96_01, 01-T01_01, 03-T01S

20.00 Height (km)

0 Output in GEO [0], GSE [1] or GSM [2]

-180. 180. Longitudinal limits for graphics

Geogr.latitude and longitude, vertical and azimuthally angles

c 35.00 -106.00 0 0 Albuquerque

c 43.10 76.60 0 0 AlmaataB

67.57 33.39 0 0 Apatity

c 37.58 23.47 0 0 Athens

c -41.00 174.00 0 0 Arneb

c 43.28 42.69 0 0 Baksan

c 78.08 14.15 0 0 Barentsburg

Set of rigidities

999.00

500.00

200.00

170.00

160.00

150.00

140.00

130.00

120.00

110.00

100.00

90.00

80.00

70.00

64.00

63.00

61.00

60.00

59.00

58.00

57.00

56.00

53.00

50.00

30.00

20.00
15.00
12.00
11.00
10.50
10.00
9.00
8.00
7.00
6.00
5.00
4.00
3.00
2.00
1.00
0.90

where

- Date and Time UT.
- Further 8 parameters for different models of magnetosphere are following.
Dipol and IGRF need not the input parameters.
T-89 – uses only Kp-index.
T-96 – uses the first 4 parameters, and
T-01 – uses the first 6 parameters

Model	Setting Parameters	Range of the measured Parameter changes
Диполь	No	нет
IGRF	Epoch	1900–2050 (extrapolation 2020–2050)
IGRF+T89	Date and Time (UT) Kp	1900–2050 (extrapolation 2020–2050) 0÷9
IGRF+T96	Date and Time (UT) Dynamical pressure of the Solar wind (nPa) D _{st} -index (nT) IMF B _y (nT) IMF B _z (nT)	1900–2050 0.1÷4 +50÷-500 ±30 ±20
IGRF+T01	Date and Time (UT) Dynamical pressure of the Solar wind (nPa) D _{st} -index (nT) IMF B _y (nT) IMF B _z (nT) G ₁ G ₂ G ₃	1900–2050 0.1÷4 +50÷-500 ±30 ±20 0÷20 0÷20 0÷20

- Next parameter is the height with which antiprotons are launched, (20 km).
- Further – the kind of the coordinate system is going: GEO, GSE or GSM in which the asymptotic directions are calculated.
Further – the range of longitudes for graphics plotting.
Next - there is a comment list of detectors preceded by coordinates (latitude and longitude) and angle of particles start (zenith and azimuth angle). Calculations are carried out only for uncommented detectors.
- Next –there is the list of rigidities for which the asymptotic directions are calculated.

ВЫХОДНЫЕ ДАННЫЕ

In the end the file Cones.dat is output: one line for each rigidity (Rigidity, latitude and longitude).

Rig_GV ApaLa ApaLo

999.00	67.5	35.2
500.00	67.5	36.9
200.00	67.1	42.0
170.00	66.9	43.4
160.00	66.8	44.0
150.00	66.7	44.6
140.00	66.6	45.4
130.00	66.5	46.2
120.00	66.3	47.2
110.00	66.1	48.3
100.00	65.8	49.5
90.00	65.4	51.0
80.00	64.9	52.8
70.00	64.2	54.8
64.00	63.6	56.3
63.00	63.5	56.5
61.00	63.2	57.0
60.00	63.1	57.3
59.00	63.0	57.5
58.00	62.8	57.8
57.00	62.7	58.1
56.00	62.5	58.4
53.00	62.1	59.2
50.00	61.5	60.1
30.00	54.5	66.2
20.00	46.6	67.0
15.00	41.2	65.0
12.00	38.5	63.2
11.00	38.0	62.9
10.50	37.8	62.9
10.00	37.6	63.1
9.00	37.2	64.1
8.00	36.2	66.2
7.00	33.4	69.1
6.00	28.5	70.8
5.00	24.2	70.1
4.00	22.2	73.0
3.00	14.0	76.2
2.00	4.7	85.4
1.00	-12.2	120.1
0.90	-12.2	130.3

CALCULATING PARAMETERS.

•**Calculation** of the solar wind dynamic pressure.

The pressure of the solar wind is the magnitude of the derivative of the velocity and density of the solar wind plasma and is calculated from the formula: $P=1.673 \cdot 10^{-6} \times n \times V^2$, where P – is a pressure [nPa], n – density of the particles [cm^{-3}], V – particle velocity [km/s].

•**Calculation** of G_1 , G_2 and G_3 .

On the page by Tsyganenko <http://geo.phys.spbu.ru/~tsyganenko/modeling.html> there is the information on the model T02. There are also references on two papers ([Paper I](#) и [Paper II](#)), where this model is described. In the second paper there are the formulas for G1 and G2.

• **The contribution of the current in the tail of the magnetosphere**, which has a great influence on the inner and near magnetosphere, is taken into account in the linear approximation by introducing the parameter G1.

$$G_1 = V \cdot h(B_{\perp}) \sin^3 \frac{\theta}{2}. \quad (1)$$

Here are hourly mean parameters obtained by any way.

V – Solar wind velocity,

B_{\perp} - Transverse component IMF, i.e. $B_{\perp}^2 = B_y^2 + B_z^2$ and is always positive. Coordinate system is GSM. Function $h(B_{\perp}) = B_{\perp/40}^2 / (1 + B_{\perp/40})$, $B_{\perp/40} = B_{\perp} / B_0$ for $B_0 = 40$ nT.

θ – Angle between B_{\perp} and Z axis (Tsyganenko calls it "clock angle of the IMF transverse component", and Akasofy - "polar angle of the IMF"). This angle ranges from 0 to 180 grad. If take $V=400$ km/s, $B_{\perp}=5$ nT, $\theta=180$ grad, then for G_1 it will be $G_1=400 \times 0.014 \times \sin^3(180/2) \approx 6$

• **Shift of the current in the magnetosphere tail** is accounted in linear approach with introducing of the parameter G_2 , determined as [<http://geo.phys.spbu.ru/~tsyganenko/T01b.pdf>]:

$$G_2 = aVB_s, \quad (1)$$

where V and B_s are velocity of the solar wind and south component of the interplanetary magnetic field IMF ($B_s = |B_z|$ for $B_z < 0$ and $B_s = 0$ at $B_z > 0$) averaged by 1- hourly interval. Constant $a=0.005$ was introduced only as convenience for to keep parameter G_2 within the region $0 \leq G_2 \leq 10$, for usually observed values V and B_s . For example, for normal interplanetary conditions ($V=400$ km/s, $B_y=0$ and $B_z=5$ nT) parameter G_2 is equal 10. Indeed, $G_2=a400 \times 5=10$.

Equation (1) is only one possible way to realize the hypothesis that variations of the convective electric field associated with the southern component of the IMF should lead to a proportional shift of the current sheet in the tail of the magnetosphere.

• **Modification T02 for the Storm conditions. Model T02s.**

[<https://pdfs.semanticscholar.org/665a/f74079ff64c532e836746fe4fe22995d2fc0.pdf>]

Instead of a linear dependence of the ring current on the Dst index in model T02, a nonlinear term with the control variable G_3 is introduced, based on a dependence on the solar wind energy.

$$G_3 = anVB_s, \quad (3)$$

Like G_2 , parameter G_3 was defined as the average over the previous 1-hour interval geoeffective characteristic of the solar wind. It differs from G_2 in that in addition to the solar wind speed V and the southern IMF component B_s , G_3 also includes the density of the solar wind particles n . The constant factor $a = 0.0005$ is introduced for convenience in order to store the parameter G_3 within the range $0 \leq G_3 \leq 10$, for the normally observed values of n , V and B_s . For example, for normal interplanetary conditions ($n = 10$ cm⁻³, $V = 400$ km / s, $B_y = 0$ and $B_z = 5$ nT), the parameter G_3 is 10. Actually, $G_3=a \times 10 \times 400 \times 5=10$.

The idea of replacing Dst by the function G_3 follows from the fact that the rapid buildup of the ring current is the result of a strong amplified, directly convection from the tail, and it must also fall off quickly during the recovery phase. This type of behavior is easily reproduced by the leading variable G_3 , while the Dst index can remain fairly low for many hours after the main phase of the storm, due to the much more slowly decaying symmetrical current ring