

G-Nut/Anubis (v3)

a tool for multi-GNSS data quality control (QC)

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G-Nut/Anubis - multi-GNSS QC software

G-Nut/Anubis – end-user application for multi-GNSS data quality control

G-Nut – library for high-accuracy GNSS data analyses and other processes

C++ (object-oriented) design, compatible with Linux, Windows, Mac

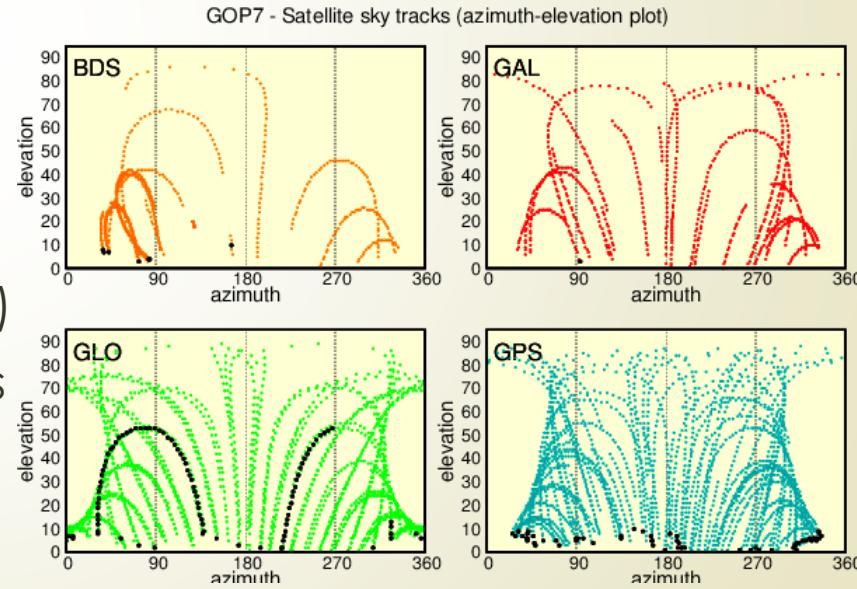
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Fundamental software functionality:

- Summary statistics, key parameters
- Data availability – gaps, small pieces
- Observation-specific statistics
- Phase processing (cycle slips, clock jumps)
- Azimuth/elevation information for sky plots
- Pseudo-range multipath and signal noise
- Standard positioning, repeatability, DOP
- Format and metadata checking



Available versions of G-Nut/Anubis

Anubis Free (open source) fundamental functionality:

Observation statistics (signals, bands, satellites, etc.)

Data availability (data gaps and small pieces)

Pre-processing of carrier phases (cycle slips, clock jumps)

Satellite information (azimuth/elevations)

Single point positioning (repeatability, GDOP)

Code multipath and phase signal-to-noise ratio

Navigation data, information on satellite health status

Header and format validation

Anubis Pro (professional) compared to Anubis Free:

Direct access to archive files (Hatanaka + gzip/compress)

Metadata and data editing, filtering and concatenating

Navigation / observation data file encoding (RINEX 3 & 2)

XML/SINEX input for modifying/validating site metadata

JSON output for plotting & support for visualization service

Enhanced configuration/help, predefined processing modes

Satellite health status applied for positioning, statistics, etc.

Parallel processing configuration (CPU, RAM, files)

Anubis RT (real-time) compared to Anubis Pro:

Real-time data flow quality control (format, content, latency)

Observation and navigation output files (RINEX 3 & 2)

RTCM and BNC format decoder/encoder

TCP/NTRIP client

Inputs, outputs, help

Software inputs/outputs

Inputs files:

- **Observation RINEX 2/3** (one or more files)
- **Navigation RINEX 2/3** (one or more files, more sites, more constellations)
- **Precise ephemeris in SP3** (one or more files), may be combined with navigation
- **Anubis Free (≥ 2.1)** IO handling: **gzip (.gz)** (no compress, no zip)
- **Anubis Pro/RT (≥ 3.0)** IO handling: **gzip (.gz), compress (.Z), Hatanaka (.crx)**

Outputs files (QC):

- **XTR** (native Anubis format) – detailed QC extractions
 - Include QC results - epoch-wise, satellite-specific and signal-specific
 - ASCII format - easy to grep for individual file as well as over file for cumulative plotting
 - Organized in sections and supports different levels of verbosity
- **XML/QC_GNSS** – summary extractions (new standard QC format for EPOS)
 - Principal QC metadata exchange, e.g. supporting remote RINEX file comparison
 - **XSD file** for validation of XML/QC_GNSS (*developed by Andras Fabian, ROB*)
- **JSON (Anubis Pro/RT)** – high-resolution QC outputs suitable for detail plotting
 - selected metadata, positioning results, satellite-/epoch-/signal-specific QC results

Multiple input/output files

■ **Multiple input files**

- Input RINEX data are first read and filtered, the QC is performed afterwards
- Data are internally represented by a station 'id'
- Data for the same station are concatenated (into internal container)
- Data from different stations are kept separately
- **Implicit operations on multiple input files:**
 - 'cc' (**concatenation**): processing multiple files for a single station
 - 'net' (**network**): processing multiple files from different stations
 - 'cmb' (**combined**): both above could still be combined
 - data for any unique station 'id' are processed together

■ **Multiple output files**

- QC output is provided per a unique station by applying 'file-mask' using the internal station ID **\$rec** and, optionally, internal time variables (%Y, %y, %d, %m, %j, ...),

i.e. **OUT_DIR/\$rec_%y%j0.xtr** **OUT_DIR/\$rec_%y%j0.xml**

■ **Implicit operations on multiple input files:**

- 'cc': a unique QC output files for the station is provided (multiple header records, QC over all)
- 'net': a set of individual QC output files for all stations (single header records)
- 'cmb': a combination of both above

Getting help

Get help (command-line options)

\$\$ Anubis -h

G-Nut/Anubis [2.3] compiled: Oct 11 2020 13:09:54 (Rev: 2958)

Usage:

-h --help	.. this help
-V	.. software version
-x file	.. configuration input file
-z file	.. configuration output file
-X	.. configuration default values (stdout)
-Z	.. log-file without time stamps

:arguments .. command-line arguments for detail XML settings (:element:sub-element etc.)

Get help (XML configuration)

\$\$ Anubis -X > default_options.cfg →

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes" ?>
<!DOCTYPE config>

<config>

<!-- general description:
    beg   .. beg time           (default: empty=all)
    end   .. end time           (default: empty=all)
    int   .. data sampling      (default: empty=30s)
    rec   .. receiver(s)        (default: empty=all)
    sys   .. GNSS system(s)     (default: empty=all)
--&gt;
..... (default) settings description .....</pre>

```

Standard XML configuration

Anubis 3 (Pro/RT) - configuration changes

- ➔ **Legacy settings automatically adapted** (don't mix old & new elements!)
- ➔ **New setting used in all examples in this tutorial** (i.e. Anubis 3.x settings)

Modified elements:

- <inputs> → <inp> e.g. :inp:rinexo INP_RINEX
- <outputs> → <out> e.g. :out:rinexo OUT_RINEX
- <rec> → <site> e.g. :site[NAME]:name=SITE_NAME

New element and settings:

- <nav> .. navigation data handling
- chk_record=bool .. [old] moved from <inputs chk_nav=bool>
- chk_health=bool .. [old] moved from <inputs chk_health=bool>
- chk_duplic=bool .. [new] set on filtering out redundant navigation data
- key_tot=bool .. [new] set on ToC for navigation data sorting
- chk_tot=bool .. [new] set on ToT checking (nav data validity)
- ext_nav=double .. [new] multiplicator for artificial extension of nav validity

+ nav data consolidation (BRDC output: requires multiple and redundant nav files):

- chk_header=bool .. [new] consolidate output file header
- chk_params=bool .. [new] consolidate key navigation parameters
- chk_others=bool .. [new] consolidate bias/health/source navigation parameters

New attributes for a multiple files processing:

- <gen max_cores=int> .. maximum number of threads in a parallel processing
- <gen max_files=int> .. maximum number of files in a single processing batch

Anubis 3 (Pro/RT) – configuration aliases

Prefix ‘--’ for new command-line short cuts (configuration aliases)

--rinexo	file = :inp:rinexo	.. input RINEX observation file(s)
--rinexn	file = :inp:rinexn	.. input RINEX navigation file(s)
--sinex	file = :inp:sinex	.. input SINEX meta data file(s)
--xtr	file = :out:xtr	.. output QC xtr file
--xml	file = :out:xml	.. output QC xml file
--json	file = :out:json	.. output QC json file
--rxn2	file = :out:rinexn2	.. output RINEX 2 navigation file
--rxn3	file = :out:rinexn3	.. output RINEX 3 navigation file
--rxo2	file = :out:rinexo2	.. output RINEX 2 observation file
--rxo3	file = :out:rinexo3	.. output RINEX 3 observation file
--crx2	file = :out:crinexo2	.. output RINEX 2 observation file (Hatanaka compressed)
--crx3	file = :out:crinexo3	.. output RINEX 3 observation file (Hatanaka compressed)
--log	file = :out:log	.. output log file
--verb=int	= :out:verb=int	.. output log verbosity

Default metadata (general modification for any station) - useful for EDIT & THIN QC modes

--modify=bool	= :site[*]:modify=bool	.. site modification (true=enabled)
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Configuration – data filtering

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg

```
<?xml version="1.0" encoding="UTF-8" standalone="yes" ?>
<!DOCTYPE config>
<config>
```

```
<gen max_cores=0 max_files=30 >
  <beg> 2017-05-29 00:00:00 </beg>
  <end> 2017-05-29 23:59:30 </end>
  <int> 30 </int>
  <sys> GPS GLO GAL BDS SBS QZS IRN </sys>
  <rec> BRUX GOPE MATE POTS WTZR </rec>
</gen>
```

```
<sys id="GPS">
  <sat> G01 G02 G04 </sat>
  <type> C L D S P </type>
  <band> 1 2 5 </band>
  <attr> A B C D I L M N P Q S W X Y Z </attr>
  <gobs> C1P C2P L1P L2P </gobs>
</sys>
```

```
<sys id="GAL">
  <sat> E01 E02 E04 </sat>
  <nav> FNAV INAV_E01 INAV_E07 </sat>
  <type> C L D S P </type>
  <band> 1 2 5 6 7 8 </band>
  <attr> A B C D I L M N P Q S W X Y Z </attr>
</sys>
<!-- ... OTHER SETTINGS ... -->
</config>
```

Anubis-Pro/3.x - advanced settings

<!-- settings for parallel processing (Default: 0=any) -->
 <!-- begin time RECOMMENDED (Default: first observation) -->
 <!-- end time: RECOMMENDED (Default: last observation) -->
 <!-- sampling: RECOMMENDED (Default: estimated from file) -->
 <!-- list of GNSS (Default: from the file; use '-' to remove any) -->
 <!-- list of station names (Default: site names from files)-->

<!-- GPS filtering-->
 <!-- list of satellites-->
 <!-- list of observation types -->
 <!-- list of observation bands-->
 <!-- list of observation attributes -->
 <!-- list of observation codes (has priority if requested) -->

<!-- Galileo filtering-->
 <!-- list of satellites -->
 <!-- list of satellites -->
 <!-- list of observation types -->
 <!-- list of observation bands-->
 <!-- list of observation attributes -->

Configuration – inputs/outputs and QC

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg

Anubis-Pro/3.x - advanced settings

<!-- ... DATA FILTERING ... -->

<inp>

<rinexn> DATA/brdm1500.17p.gz <sp3> DATA/igs119512.sp3.gz <rinexo> DATA/brux1500.17o DATA/gope1500.17o DATA/mate1500.17o DATA/mate1500.17o DATA/pots1500.17o </rinexo>	</rinexn> <!-- GNSS navigations files --> </sp3> <!-- GNSS orbit products (extra input) --> <!-- GNSS observation files -->
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</inp>

<out>

<xtr> LOG/EUREF/2017/150/\${rec}171500.xtr </xtr> <xml> LOG/EUREF/2017/150/\${rec}171500.xml </xml> <json> LOG/EUREF/2017/150/\${rec}171500.json </json> <log> LOG/EUREF/2017/150/anub171500.log </log>	<!-- native Anubis's report, may use \${rec} variable --> <!-- standard QC-XML file, may use \${rec} variable --> <!-- file suitable for plotting, may use \${rec} variable --> <!-- Anubis log may be used at Linux /dev/stdout -->
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</out>

<qc

sec_sum="2" sec_hdr="2" sec_obs="2" sec_gap="2" sec_pre="2" sec_bnd="2" sec_est="2" sec_ele="2" sec_mpx="2" sec_snr="2" sec_sat="2" sec_KPI="2"	<!-- [0-9] .. summary statistics (complete info only if navigation available) --> <!-- [0-9] .. header metadata information --> <!-- [0-9] .. observation statistics --> <!-- [0-9] .. data gaps and small pieces --> <!-- [0-9] .. cycle-slip, clock-jumps --> <!-- [0-9] .. observation bands --> <!-- [0-9] .. estimated values (only if navigation available) --> <!-- [0-9] .. azimuth/elevation (only if navigation available) --> <!-- [0-9] .. multipath calculation --> <!-- [0-9] .. signal-to-noise ratio --> <!-- [0-9] .. satellite information (only if navigation data available) --> <!-- [0-9] .. positioning KPIs (only if navigation data available) -->
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Advanced use cases of XML configuration

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg

Anubis-Pro/3.x - advanced settings

```

<gen> <sys> -IRN-SBS-QZS </sys> <!-- ... GEN SETTINGS --> </gen> <!-- default all systems, but regional/augmentation -->

<nav chk_record="true" chk_health="true"> <!-- ... NAV SETTINGS --> </nav> <!-- NAV range-check, use healthy status -->

<inp> <rinexo> GOPE00CZE_R_20203000000_01D_30S_MO.crx.gz                                <!-- RINEX3 Hatanaka+GZ inputs -->
      ZIMM300.20d.Z </rinexo>                                         <!-- RINEX2 Hatanaka+Z inputs -->

      <rinexn> BRDC00GOP_R_20203000000_01D_MO.rnx.gz </rinexn> <!-- RINEX3 navigation input -->
</inp>

<out verb="1" append="true"> <!-- ... OUT SETTINGS --> </out> <!-- verbosity level, append mode -->

<out>                                         <!-- output navigation data after concatenation & consolidation-->
      <rinexn2> brdc1000.18n                                     </rinexn2> <!-- save RINEX 2 nav data (for INGLE GNSS) -->
      <rinexn3> BRD00GOP_R_2018100000_01D_MN.rnx.gz </rinexn3> <!-- save RINEX 3 nav data (for MULTI-GNSS) -->
      <rinexo> brdc1000.18n                                     </rinexo> <!-- save RINEX 2 nav data (for INGLE GNSS) -->
      <rinexo> BRD00GOP_R_2018100000_01D_MN.rnx.gz </rinexo> <!-- save RINEX 3 nav data (for MULTI-GNSS) -->

</out>

<proc auto_band="true" minimum_elev="10" /> <!-- band selection mode, SPP elevation cut-off-->

<qc> <!-- ... QC SETTINGS ... -->
      int_stp="900" <!-- int[s] .. reporting interval -->
      int_gap="600" <!-- int[s] .. interval for gaps -->
      int_pcs="1800" <!-- int[s] .. interval for small pieces -->
      mpx_nep="20" <!-- int[#] .. epochs for MP -->
      mpx_lim="3.0" <!-- dbl .. sigma-factor MP cycle-slip/outlier detection -->
      col_sat="32" <!-- int[#] .. satellites reported -->
      ele_cut="15" <!-- int[deg] .. user elev cut-off (only for expt/have) -->
      pos_kin="false" <!-- bool .. kinematic receiver (true = kinematic) -->
</qc>

<rec id="GOPE" name="GOPE" desc="" domes="" X="" Y="" Z="" REC="" ANT="" /> <!-- user metadata for receivers-->
..... (optionally) time-specific settings: ANT, REC, X, Y, Z dX, dY, dZ, etc.
</rec>
```

Advanced command-line settings

Advanced command-line settings

- starting Anubis without preparing XML configuration in advance
- modifying Anubis initial XML configuration (adding/modifying only, no removal !)
- saving Anubis command-line configuration or modification **\$\$ Anubis -Z NEW.cfg**

Flexible command-line arguments:

Anubis-Pro/3.x - advanced settings

→ full configuration can be handled as a sequence of **command-line arguments**:

:element:sub-element “SUB-ELEMENTS”

e.g. :out:log MY.LOG

:element:sub-element:attribute=ATTRIBUTE

e.g. :out:verb=2

➤ Anubis started with **command-line arguments only**

\$\$ Anubis	:inp:rinexo	GOPE1730.17o	:inp:rinexn	BRDC173O.17p	\
	:out:xml	GOPE1730.xml	:out:xtr	GOPE1730.xtr	\
	:out:log	GOPE1730.log	:out:json	GOPE1730.json	\
	:gen:beg “2017-06-22 00:00:00” :gen:end “2017-06-23 00:00:00”				

➤ command-line arguments **may overwrite an initial XML configuration**

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.CFG :out:log MY.LOG :out:verb=3 :gen:sys “GPS GLO”

Examples of command-line settings

All the settings via command line arguments:

**\$\$ Anubis **

:inp:rinexo	GOPE1730.17o	:inp:rinexn	BRDC1730.17p	\
:out:xml	GOPE1730.xml	:out:xtr	GOPE1730.xtr	\
:out:log	GOPE1730.log	:out:verb=1		\
:gen:sys	"GPS GLO"	:gen:int 30		\
:gen:beg	"2017-06-22 00:00:00"	:gen:end "2017-06-23 00:00:00"		

Initial XML settings and its modification:

- ✓ an initial configuration (**-x MY.CFG**), e.g. generic QC settings
- ✓ resulting configuration (**-z MY_USED.CFG**), e.g. dynamic lists of files for input directories
- ✓ each command-line argument **overwrites(!)** the initial XML configuration

\$\$ year="2020"

\$\$ doy="173"

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.CFG -z MY_USED.CFG

:inp:rinexo	"\$(ls DIR/????[0-9][0-9]DEU_*_30S_MO.rnx)"	\
:inp:rinexn	"\$(ls DIR/BRDC[0-9][0-9]IGS*_MN.rnx.gz)"	\
:out:xtr	\$OUTDIR/'\$(rec)'_\${year}\${doy}.xtr	

Few examples of special settings

User elevation angle settings for existing/expected ratio statistics

→ ratio in sec_sum, not elevation-dependent data filtering!

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg :qc:ele_cut=10

<qc ele_cut="10" />

Elevation angle cut-off settings for positioning

→ Used in Standard Point Positioning (SPP) solution

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg :proc:minimum_elev=5

<proc minimum_elev="5" />

Satellite healthy status

→ Apply satellite health status in various QC procedures: 1) all, 2) statistics, 3) position

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg :qc:use_health="position"

<qc use_health="position" />

Kinematic positioning

→ Rover mode considered in pre-processing, positioning and elevation/azimuth calculations

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg :qc:pos_kin=true

<qc pos_kin="true" />

High-rate data processing

→ QC statistics normalized to 1sec sampling (noted in the report)!

\$\$ Anubis -x MY.cfg :gen:int 0.01

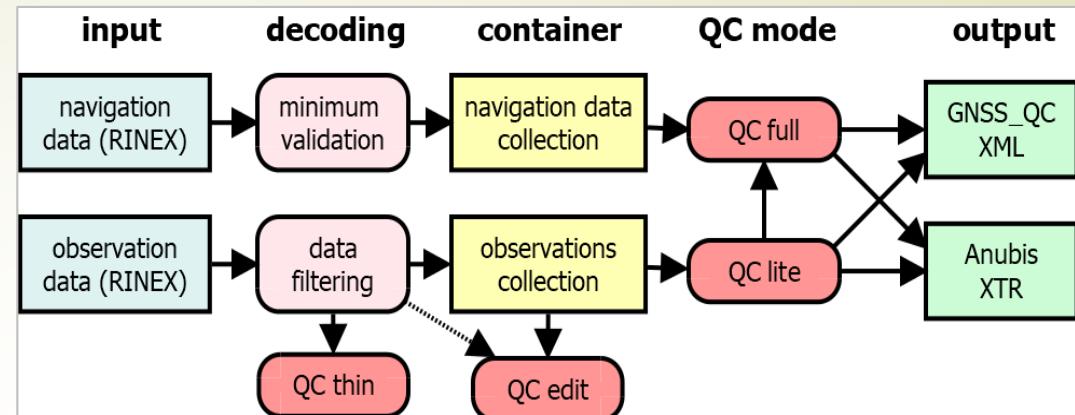
<int> 0.01 </int>

Operation modes

Anubis/Pro operating modes & inputs

Operating modes:

- ❑ **Thin mode** (header/meta control)
- ❑ **Edit mode** (data/metadata)
- ❑ **Lite mode** (quantitative control)
- ❑ **Full mode** (qualitative + complex)
- ❑ **Summary** (full mode with less output, i.e. some processes run on background)



Inputs for various operating modes:

- ✓ File format header & meta data control for **single or multiple files** (decoding header only)
 - ✓ Format – check availability of mandatory & optional RINEX 2/3 header fields
 - ✓ Meta data – confronts file(s) header(s) user settings provided through **XML<SITE>** or **SINEX** input
 - ✓ **Note:** provides ERROR/WARNING messages on error output and with each ERROR increases process return CODE
- ✓ File editing of **a single data file** decoding, filtering & modifying:
 - ✓ Header (**fast edit**) – no changes in data-related block (plan for Anubis Pro 3.1)
 - ✓ Data (**full edit**) – changes in both header and data blocks (and data may be re-organized by Anubis)
 - ✓ **Note:** User metadata provided through **XML<SITE>** or **SINEX** input
- ✓ **Quantitative control** requires **observation data**, can be performed in QC lite mode
- ✓ **Qualitative/complex control** requires both **observation and navigation data**, includes processing algorithms and approximations, needs to be performed in QC full mode

Anubis/Pro operating modes settings

- Operating modes can be configured only via a **command-line** !

Anubis-Pro **--thin | --edit | --summ | --full | --lite | --kpis**

- Each mode defines a priori settings for individual XTR sections (see table)
- A priori setting for each section can be still modified in a command-line sequence

Operating mode	Thin	Edit	Lite	Full	Summ	KPIs
sec_sum=	0	0	1	2	2	3
sec_hdr=	0	0	1	1	1	1
sec_obs=	0	0	1	1	1	1
sec_gap=	0	0	1	1	-1	1
sec_bnd=	0	0	1	1	-1	1
sec_pre=	0	0	1	1	-1	0
sec_est=	0	0	0	1	0	0
sec_ele=	0	0	0	1	0	0
sec_mpx=	0	0	0	1	-1	-1
sec_snr=	0	0	0	1	0	0
sec_sat=	0	0	0	1	0	0
sec_kpi=	0	0	0	0	0	9

Note: negative verbosity represents forced processing which is mandatory, but remains silent

Operating modes examples

QC thin mode:

EXIT + RETURN CODE after reporting header issues → no QC, no BRDC needed

```
$$ Anubis --thin --rinexo IN_RINEX ; (echo STATUS=$?)
```

QC lite mode (input observations RINEX):

quantitative control – no navigation messages (BRDC) used

```
$$ Anubis --lite --rinexo IN_RINEX --xtr MY.xtr -z MY.cfg --log MY.log --verb=1
```

QC full/summ mode (input observation + navigation RINEX):

qualitative + complex control – requires navigation data

```
$$ Anubis --full --log MY.log --xtr MY.xtr --xml MY.xml --json MY.json
```

```
$$ Anubis --summ --log MY.log --xtr MY.xtr --xml MY.xml --json MY.json
```

EDIT mode (input observations RINEX):

RINEX data filtering & header editing

```
$$ Anubis --edit -x EDIT.cfg :inp:rinexo IN_RINEXo3 :out:rinexo3 OUT_RINEXo3
```

```
$$ Anubis --edit -x EDIT.cfg :inp:rinexo IN_RINEXo2 :out:rinexo2 OUT_RINEXo2
```

CC mode:

output merged navigation/observation files into a single one

```
$$ Anubis --rinexo "FILE1 FILE2 FILE3" :out:rinexo3 OUT_RINEXo3
```

```
$$ Anubis --rinexn "FILE1 FILE2 FILE3" :out:rinexn3 OUT_RINEXn3
```

THIN mode

READ HEADER + EXIT CODE: reporting header format & metadata issues vs USER settings

USER settings: can be provided either from XML configuration (1) or SINEX file (2)

\$\$ Anubis --thin --rinexo MY.rxo --log MY.log --verb=2 -x META.xml

\$\$ Anubis --thin --rinexo MY.rxo --log MY.log --verb=2 --sinex META.snx

Example: Anubis-Pro --thin :inp:rinexo "\$(ls obs/2020/300/*crx.gz)" -x My-Stations.xml

5 errors: \$?=2 (return CODE)

(sample of metadata incompatibilities)

```
*** Warning: RINEX:HDR !! AZGR00PRT - object inconsistent 2020-10-26 00:00:00 DOMES: 31902M004 !! AZGR
*** Error: RINEX:HDR !! ABFC00NGA - object inconsistent 2020-10-26 00:00:00 ECC: 0.0000 0.0000 0.1800 !! 0.0000 0.0000 0.1710
*** Warning: RINEX:HDR !! GR0200ITA - object inconsistent 2020-10-26 00:00:00 DOMES: 12724M005 !! Unknown
*** Error: RINEX:HDR !! GR0200ITA - object inconsistent 2020-10-26 00:00:00 ANT: SEPCHOKE_B3E6 NONE !! SEPCHOKE_B3E6
*** Warning: RINEX:HDR !! MPTB00MOZ - object inconsistent 2020-10-26 00:00:00 DOMES: 39308M001 !! Unknown
*** Error: RINEX:HDR !! PAGU00PRT - object inconsistent 2020-10-26 00:00:00 ANT: TRM55971.00 NONE !! TRM57971.00 NONE
```

(samples of format incompatibility)

```
*** Warning: INTERVAL not available! .. file://obs/2020/300/ABFC00NGA\_R\_20203000000\_01D\_30S\_MO.crx.gz
*** Error: GLO BIASES not available! .. file://obs/2020/300/FTNA00WLF\_R\_20203000000\_01D\_30S\_MO.crx.gz
*** Error: GLO SLOT/FREQ not available! .. file://obs/2020/300/PAGU00PRT\_R\_20203000000\_01D\_30S\_MO.crx.gz
*** Warning: BDS band changed: B1->B2 for RINEX 3.02 .. file://obs/2020/300/SUBI00PRT\_R\_20203000000\_01D\_30S\_MO.crx.gz
```

QC modes (Anubis Pro)

Input: (Hatanaka | +Z | +gz) RINEXo v2 | v3 file for input & output (any combination)

Pre-settings: --lite | --full | --summ

\$\$ Anubis --lite --rinexo MY.rxo --xtr MY.xtr

\$\$ Anubis --full --rinexo MY.rxo --xtr MY.xtr --xml MY.xml --json MY.json

\$\$ Anubis --summ --rinexo MY.rxo --xtr MY.xtr --xml MY.xml --json MY.json

CUI settings example:

Anubis-Pro	--summ		
	--out /dev/stdout --verb=2		
	:gen:beg "YYYY-MM-DD HR:MN:SC"		# define interval
	:gen:end "YYYY-MM-DD HR:MN:SC"		# define interval
	:gen:sys "GPS GAL GLO BDS"		# filter out regional systems
	:inp:rinexo "RINEXo2 RINEXo3 RINEXo3"		# input observation files
	:inp:rinexn "RINEXn2 RINEXn3 RINEXn3"		# NAV data - optimally BRDC
	:out:xtr "\\$(rec)-%M-%d-%m.xtr"		# XTR QC output
	:out:xml "\\$(rec)-%M-%d-%m.xml"		# XML QC summary
	:out:json "\\$(rec)-%M-%d-%m.json"		# JSON QC high-resolution data
	:qc:sec_pos=2 :qc:sec_ele=2 :qc:sec_mpx=2		# modify SUMM pre-settings
	:qc:use_healthy="all"		# apply SAT health in all sections
	:gen:max_cores=0 :gen:max_files=30		# all CPUs for max 30 site-batch

EDIT meta data (Anubis Pro)

Input: (Hatanaka | +Z | +gz) RINEXo v2 | v3 file for input & output (any combination)

EDIT/USER settings: can be provided either from XML configuration (1) or SINEX file (2)

\$\$ Anubis --edit --rinexo MY.rxo --log MY.log --verb=2 -x META.xml

\$\$ Anubis --edit --rinexo MY.rxo --log MY.log --verb=2 --sinex META.snx

Current limitations:

- ▶ only a single file is currently supported (a multi-editing is foreseen in future release)
- ▶ only RINEX2->RINEX2 / RINEX3->RINEX3 editing and data filtering is supported
- ▶ only principal RINEX header metadata is editable so far

CUI settings example: (*a priori USER XML or SINEX input metadata can be combined with 'XML-modify' flag*)

```
Anubis-Pro --edit
  :inp:rinexo RINEXo2 :out OUT_RINEXo2
  :site[SITE].name="MY_NAME"
  :site[SITE].domes="MY_DOMES"
  :site[SITE].ant="MY_ANT+DOME"
  :site[SITE].rec="MY_REC"
  :site[SITE].X="1111111.000"
  :site[SITE].Y="2222222.000"
  :site[SITE].Z="3333333.000"
  :site[SITE].DN="1.0"
  :site[SITE].DE="2.0"
  :site[SITE].DU="3.0"
  :gen:sys "GPS GAL GLO BDS"
```

FILTER OUT REGIONAL SYS

Note: QC and data filtering

QC and data filtering:

- QC procedures are performed on filtered data
- QC results are normalized to 1Hz in case of high-rate data (>1Hz)
- Filters are performed during data decoding by applying
 - **<gen>** general settings : `<int>, <beg>, <end>, <sys>`
 - **<sys>** individual GNSS settings : `<nav>, <sat>, <type>, <band>, <attr>, <gobs>`
- Filtered data counts are recorded in QC-XML output (`xINT, xBEG, xEND, xSYS`)
- QC on RT streams may apply 30s data filtering for QC comparable to daily RINEX files

Internal handling of GNSS frequency bands:

- **BEIDOU:** frequency mixing
 - B1 frequency from BeiDou-III is accepted from RINEX 3.04
 - B1 frequency from BeiDou is corrected to B2 for RINEX 3.02 (during data filtering)
- **GLONASS:** multipath estimates possible only with satellite slot numbers available
 - requires navigation data/RINEX 3.03 requested!

Full QC: GOP BRDC archive

*Full QC requires optimal information about all GNSS satellites
→ need for a reliable archive of GNSS navigation files (BRDC)*

A unique multi-constellation historical archive (globally merged, controlled and consolidated) is maintained by

**Geodetic Observatory Pecny (GOP) of the
Research Institute of Geodesy, Topography and Cartography (RIGTC)**

primarily in support of **multi-GNSS data QC**, and for other purposes such as signal-in-space error monitoring, data processing etc.

DOI: 10.24414/c4ba-kf16

Range: 01/1994 - open

Access: ROB: <ftp://epncb.oma.be/pub/obs/BRDC/WWWW/>
GOP: ftp://ftp.pecny.cz/LDC/orbits_brd/gop3/WWWW/
→ **BRDC00GOP_R_YYYYDOY0000_01D_MN.rnx.gz**

with WWWW = GPS week, YYYY = Year, DOY = day of year

Full QC: handling satellite healthy status

Satellite health status is necessarily considered for a comparable performance of various stations (sites tracking all or healthy satellites)

Setting attributes for QC-specific satellite health usage:

- <nav> chk_health="true | false"
- <qc> use_health="position | statistics | all"

Configuration attribute	Value	Value	Value	Value
:nav:chk_health=	"false"	"true"	"true"	"true"
:qc:use_health=	n/a	"position"	"statistics"	"all"
Functioning	Used satellites	Used satellites	Used satellites	Used satellites
Positioning	All	healthy	healthy	healthy
Statistics	All	All	healthy	healthy
Observations	All	All	healthy	healthy
Azimuth/ elevations	All	All	All	healthy
Frequency/bands	All	All	All	healthy
Phase pre-processing	All	All	All	All
Code multipath and noise	All	All	All	All
Signal-to-noise ratio	All	All	All	All
Satellite information	All	All	All	All

CC & QC of navigation data

... merging and checking navigation data (e.g. GOP'BRDC archive)
partly supported by G-Nut/Anubis, optimally implemented in G-Nut/Aset

- **NAV data managing (G-Nut/Anubis)**

- Concatenation
- Quality control
- Saving in RINEX2 (system-specific) / RINEX3 (multi-GNSS)
... RINEX2: can be saved only in case of a single GNSS data

- **NAV concatenation (G-Nut/Anubis)**

- Enabling/disabling NAV record duplicitous (special CMD settings)
- X levels: site-specific RINEX2/RINEX3 files

- **NAV QC (optimally implemented in G-Nut/Aset)**

- Navigation data range check (internal, message-specific)
- Time-series analysis & penalty system (internal, daily files)
- Comparison to precise SP3 products (external, daily files)

Output formats

Anubis outputs

Actual configuration file – command-line option (-Z file.cfg)

- Save the final configuration (includes modifications from the command line)

Log output – <LOG> file

- File log according to the verbosity requested (in Linux STDOUT could also be used)

Native Anubis QC output – <XTR> file

- Full QC report with system/satellite/epoch-specific outputs, section verbosity (on/off)
- Easy to grep, but merging relevant information needs a tool for the XTR file processing

EPOS QC-XML standard output – <XML> file

- A minimum QC metadata, i.e. values characterizing actual content of the file
- XSD supporting validation of the XML format/content
- Designed for EPOS GNSS TCS and populated to the EPOS GNSS database
- Unique characteristics of actual content of the file (suitable for remote file comparison)

JSON output - <JSON> file (G-Nut/Anubis Pro | RT)

- High-resolution data suitable for dissemination and generating data-file plots
- Fundamental metadata, positioning and epoch-/satellite-/signal-specific QC results

I/O naming conventions

Naming conventions are compliant with the RINEX3 specification:

- ▶ **System:** GNSS (3-char/1-char satellite system identification)
 - ▶ GPS NAVSTAR (GPS/G), GLONASS (GLO/R), Galileo (GAL/E), BeiDou (BDS/C),
 - ▶ QZSS (QZS/J), SBAS (SBS/S), IRNSS (IRN/I)
- ▶ **Satellite:** GNSS satellites
 - ▶ 3chars: G01..., R02..., E03..., C04...
- ▶ **Band:** observation frequency/band number
 - ▶ 1char (number): 1, 2, 3,
- ▶ **Signal:** observation attribute characterizing its tracking mode
 - ▶ 1char: A, B, C, ...
- ▶ **Observation type:** pseudo range, carrier phase, Doppler, signal strength
 - ▶ 1char: C or P, L, D, S
- ▶ **Observation code:** combination of observation type + band + attribute
 - ▶ 3char: e.g. P1C, or legacy C1, P1
- ▶ **Epoch:** observation timestamp for synchronously observed satellites

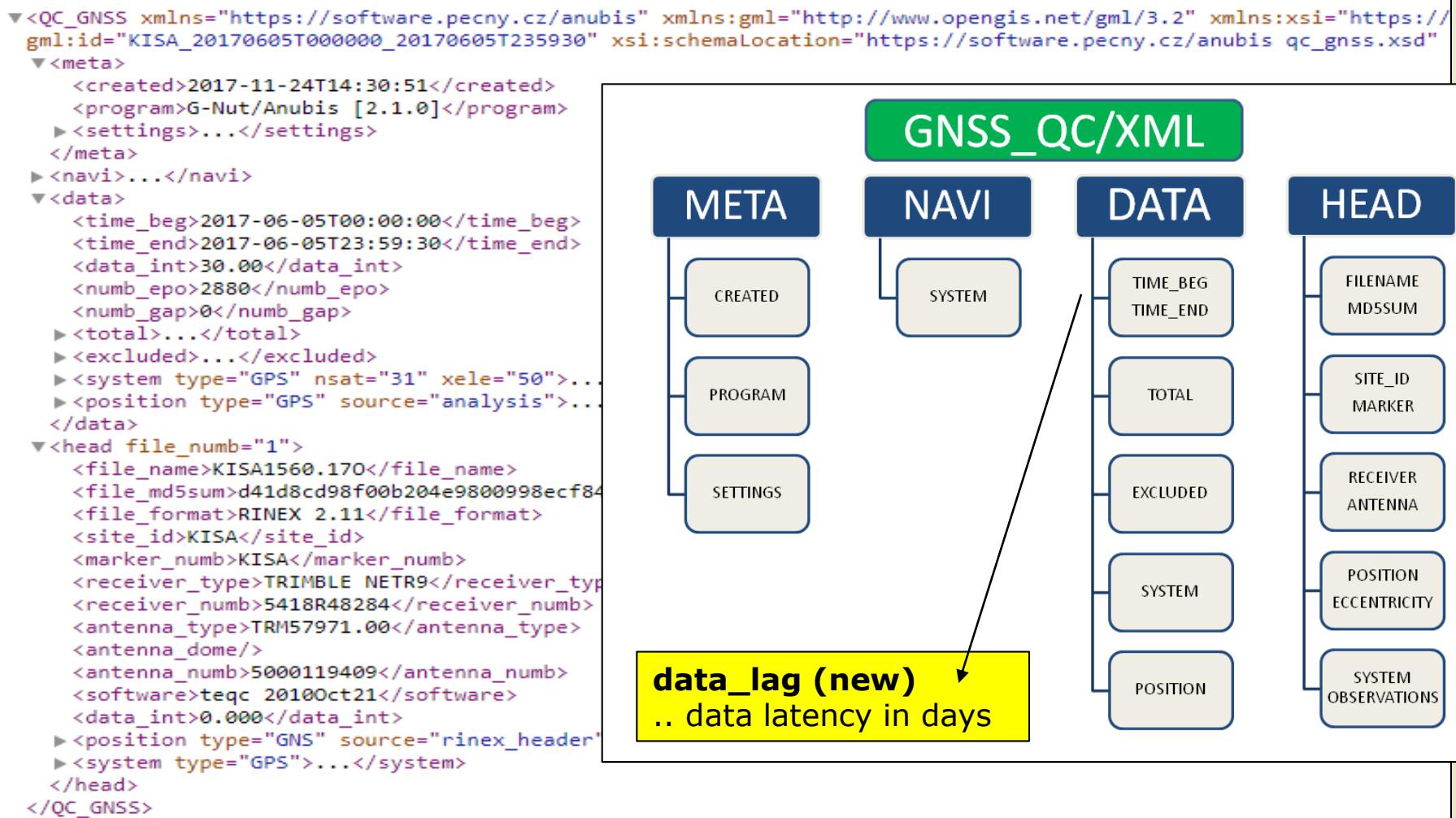
Log example

\$\$ Anubis -x BRUX_EXAMPLE.cfg :out:log /dev/stdout :out:verb=1

```
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [main:0] READ: file://TEST/BRDC00IGS_R_20172900000_01D_MN.rnx.gz 1.729 sec
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [main:1] READ: file://TEST/BRUX2900.17O started
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [rinexo:0] FILE: short site name: BRUX (4-CH)
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gallobj:1] add new obj BRUX
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [rinex:1] Object created, using RINEX header: BRUX 2017-10-17 00:00:00
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gobj:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (Name): BRUX
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gobj:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (Domes): 13101M010
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gobj:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (Antenna): JAVRINGANT_DM NONE
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gobj:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (Coordinates): 4027881.848 306998.261 4919498.655
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gobj:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (NEU Eccentricity): 0.001 0.000 0.469
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [gobj:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (XYZ Eccentricity): 0.295 0.022 0.364
2017-10-23 16:40:38 [grec:0] Warning: object BRUX completed (Receiver): SEPT POLARX4TR
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [main:0] READ: file://TEST/BRUX2900.17O 3.016 sec
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [main:0] Error: RUN BY not available!
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [main:0] Warning: LEAPSEC not available!
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [main:0] Error: GLO BIASES not available!
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [main:1] Single-thread summary: BRUX started
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [gxtrqc:0] SITE: BRUX TEST/LOG/BRUX172900.xtr
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [gxtrqc:1] Sync XTR step 2017-10-17 00:00:00 -> 2017-10-17 00:00:00
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [gxtrqc:0] Warning: no receiver settings.
2017-10-23 16:40:41 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX header [9]: 0.000
2017-10-23 16:40:43 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX satview[9]: 2.000
2017-10-23 16:40:44 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX obsview[9]: 1.000
2017-10-23 16:40:44 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX estima [9]: 0.000
2017-10-23 16:40:44 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX observ [9]: 0.000
2017-10-23 16:40:45 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX nbands [9]: 1.000
2017-10-23 16:40:45 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX pieces [9]: 0.000
2017-10-23 16:40:51 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX prepro [9]: 6.000
2017-10-23 16:40:53 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX skyplt [9]: 2.000
2017-10-23 16:40:56 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX mlpath [9]: 3.000
2017-10-23 16:40:57 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX snoise [9]: 1.000
2017-10-23 16:40:57 [gxtrqc:0] BRUX summar [9]: 0.000
2017-10-23 16:40:57 [main:0] Single-thread summary: BRUX 16.602 sec
2017-10-23 16:40:57 [main:0] total time: 21.467 sec
```

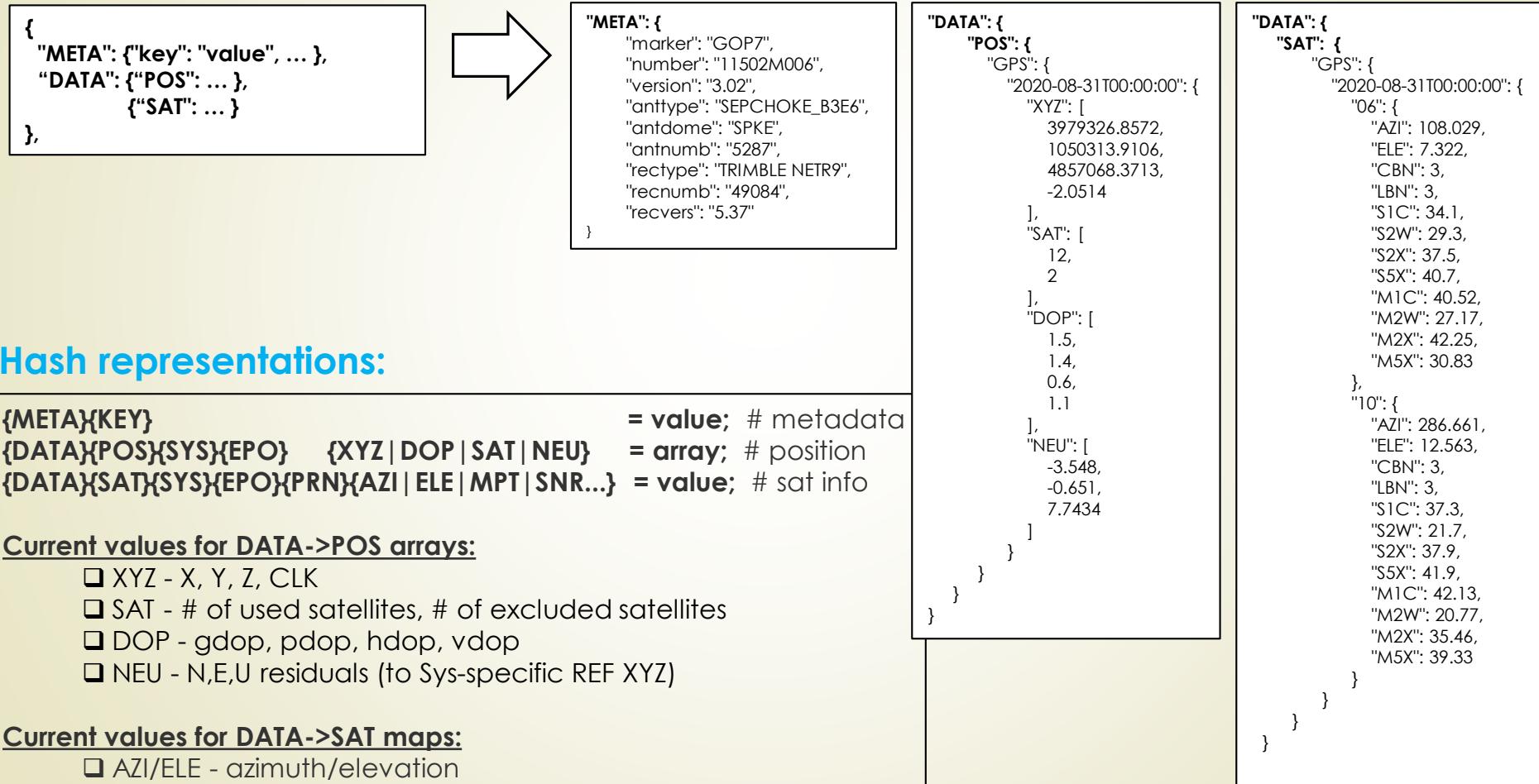
QC-XML standard format (EPOS)

- defined specifically for EPOS-IP EPOS DB
- particularly to summarize a minimum QC parameters



JSON high-resolution format

- defined specifically for a single file plotting (a condensed output)
- Includes a full resolution epoch-/satellite-/signal QC data



XTR format description

XTR output - Sections

[sec_sum] Summary information: Overview over all the systems. System-specific statistics: epochs, usable/incomplete, data interruptions, clock jumps, multipath, observation-specific data percentages for zero/user elevation cut-off angle, satellite view information.

[sec_hdr] Header information: Summary of site meta data stemming from file headers and a user configuration. Reports of signals/satellites availability from file header and actual data in the file.

[sec_est] Parameter estimates: Site coordinates calculated using code observations and navigation data. Standalone GNSS processing enables comparisons of observation and navigation data quality.

[sec_obs] Observation types: Actual content of data file: constellations, satellites, observation types.

[sec_sum] Available bands: Available frequencies/bands for all satellites in the observation file.

[sec_gap] Gaps and pieces: Data gaps and short data blocks within the observation period.

[sec_pre] pre-processing results: Data pre-processing of all frequencies/bands and signals and receiver clock jumps detection. Phase cycle slips for any constellation providing dual-frequency observations at least, and multiple frequencies handled via a cascade approach.

[sec_ele] Elevation and azimuth: Elevation and azimuth for available satellites calculated a with user defined time resolution. Requires the availability of dual-frequency observations for the satellite.

[sec_mpx] Code multipath: Code mean multipath estimated for all available systems, satellites, frequencies and signals. The multipath value includes code signal noise as expressed with a standard deviation of code residuals of the multi-path linear combination within a sequence of data epochs.

[sec_snr] Signal-to-noise ratio: Values directly extracted from the file.

[sec_sat] Satellite information: Satellite health status and navigation data availability.

XTR output - summary (1)

First line – total statistics motivated and modified from TEQC short summary
 → counts are applied for selected phase observations over all GNSS constellations
 → phase observation type selected per GNSS with a maximum # of observations

```
# G-Nut/Anubis [2.1.0] compiled: Oct 23 2017 16:08:19 ($Rev: 2020 $)

===== Summary statistics (v.9)
#TOTSUM First_Epoch_____ Last_Epoch_____ Hours_ Sample MinEle #_Expt #_Have %Ratio o/slps woElev Exp>10 Hav>10 %Rt>10
=TOTAL 2017-10-17 00:00:00 2017-10-17 23:59:30 24.00 30.00 0.01 99022 90319 91.21 346 3098 75518 74675 98.88
```

- **Hours** - data length in hours total number of epochs × sampling rate)
- **Sample** - data sampling interval (the most frequent sampling from histogram)
- **MinEle** - data minimum elevation angle observed
- **#_Expt** - number of expected observations above the horizon
- **#_Have** - number of existing observations above the horizon
- **%Ratio** - ratio of existing and expected observations above the horizon
- **o/slps** - number of observations per cycle slip
- **woElev** - number of epochs without elevation (i.e. no satellite position available)
- **Expt>10** - number of expected observations above the user mask (10 deg)
- **Have>10** - number of existing observations above the user mask (10 deg)
- **%Rat>10** - ratio of existing and expected observations above the user mask

XTR output - summary (2)

GNSS-specific summary:

→ expected counts of observations require defined data period and sampling intervals

#GNSSUM	2017-10-17	00:00:00	Epoch_Statistics_	Excl_EPOCHS&Satellites_	CycleSlips/Interruptions_And_Other_Discontinuities										Code_Mpth				
#GNSSUM	2017-10-17	00:00:00	ExpEp	HavEp	UseEp	xCoEp	xPhEp	xCoSv	xPhSv	csAll	csEpo	csSat	csSig	nSlp	nJmp	nGap	nPcs	mp1	mp2
=GPSSUM	2017-10-17	00:00:00	2880	2880	2880	0	0	254	265	378	0	138	206	34	0	0	0	21.0	21.0
=GALSUM	2017-10-17	00:00:00	2880	2880	2880	0	0	249	249	393	0	121	61	211	0	0	0	15.0	-
=GLOSUM	2017-10-17	00:00:00	2880	2880	2880	0	0	1866	1890	868	0	110	160	598	0	0	0	38.3	31.2
=BDSSUM	2017-10-17	00:00:00	2880	2880	1796	1061	1084	2074	2148	109	0	29	80	0	0	0	0	-	41.4

- **ExpEp** - number of expected data epochs
- **HavEp** - number of actual data epochs
- **UseEp** - number of usable epochs (**≥ 4 satellites in epoch with dual-frequency data/GNSS**)
- **xCoEp** - number of epochs with only single-frequency pseudoranges or < 4 satellites
- **xPhEp** - number of epochs with only single-frequency carrier-phases or less than 4 satellites
- **xCoSv** - number of single-frequency (only) pseudorange observations
- **xPhSv** - number of single-frequency (only) carrier-phase observations
- **csTot** - number of total phase cycle-slips or other interruptions (→ new ambiguity)
- **csEpo** - number of interruptions due to missing epochs (counted over observed satellite)
- **csSat** - number of interruptions due to missing satellites (whenever satellite expected)
- **csSig** - number of interruptions due to missing signal (whenever others are available)
- **nSlp** - number of phase cycle-slips when continuous tracking available
- **nJmp** - number of receiver clock jumps (discontinuities in phase & code observations)
- **nGap** - number of data total gaps (according to the setting **int_gap="600"** in seconds)
- **nPcs** - number of small data pieces (according to the setting **int_pcs="1800"** in seconds)
- **mpX** - mean code multipath moving average RMS [cm] for the 1st..8th band

XTR output - summary (3)

sec_sum="1" - provides individual observation types of all available GNSS constellations.

- **nSat** - number of observed satellites
- **ExpObs** - number of expected observations above the horizon
- **HavObs** - number of existing observations above the horizon
- **%Ratio** - ratio of existing and expected observations above the horizon
- **Exp>10** - number of expected observations above the user mask (10 deg)
- **Hav>10** - number of existing observations above the user mask (10 deg)
- **%Rt>10** - ratio of existing and expected observations above the user mask

sec_sum="2" - histograms of observations above specific elevation angles:

>0, >5, >10, >15, >20, >30, >50, >70

#GNSXXX	2017-10-17 00:00:00	nSat	ExpObs	HavObs	%Ratio	Exp>10	Hav>10	%Rt>10	wo/Ele	Ele>0	Ele>5	Ele>10	Ele>15	Ele>20	Ele>30	Ele>50	Ele>70
=GPSC1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35787	32514	90.85	26033	26000	99.87	875	31639	28921	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSC1W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35782	32406	90.57	26029	25996	99.87	870	31536	28907	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSC2L	2017-10-17 00:00:00	19	21582	19254	89.21	15065	15040	99.83	2	19252	17428	15039	13360	11773	9173	5038	1812
=GPSC2W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35782	32406	90.57	26029	25996	99.87	870	31536	28907	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSC5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	12	13815	12167	88.07	9336	9318	99.81	9	12158	10669	9310	8384	7527	5921	3395	1398
=GPSL1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35787	32505	90.83	26033	26000	99.87	875	31630	28920	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSL2L	2017-10-17 00:00:00	19	21582	19254	89.21	15065	15040	99.83	2	19252	17428	15039	13360	11773	9173	5038	1812
=GPSL2W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35781	32391	90.53	26028	25995	99.87	869	31522	28904	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSL5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	12	13815	12167	88.07	9336	9318	99.81	9	12158	10669	9310	8384	7527	5921	3395	1398
=GPSS1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35787	32514	90.85	26033	26000	99.87	875	31639	28921	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSS1W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35782	32406	90.57	26029	25996	99.87	870	31536	28907	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSS2L	2017-10-17 00:00:00	19	21582	19254	89.21	15065	15040	99.83	2	19252	17428	15039	13360	11773	9173	5038	1812
=GPSS2W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	32	35782	32406	90.57	26029	25996	99.87	870	31536	28907	25223	22309	19613	14691	7062	2599
=GPSS5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	12	13815	12167	88.07	9336	9318	99.81	9	12158	10669	9310	8384	7527	5921	3395	1398
=GALC1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	18	21090	18385	87.17	15178	15024	98.99	198	18187	16830	14848	13006	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALC5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	17	20895	18303	87.60	15004	14850	98.97	3	18300	16830	14848	13006	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALC7Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	17	20895	18305	87.60	15004	14850	98.97	3	18302	16830	14848	13006	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALC8Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	17	20898	18146	86.83	15007	14775	98.45	6	18140	16654	14770	12977	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALL1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	18	21090	18385	87.17	15178	15024	98.99	198	18187	16830	14848	13006	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALL5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	17	20895	18303	87.60	15004	14850	98.97	3	18300	16830	14848	13006	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALL7Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	17	20895	18305	87.60	15004	14850	98.97	3	18302	16830	14848	13006	11681	8987	4888	1863
=GALL8Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	17	20898	18146	86.83	15007	14775	98.45	6	18140	16654	14770	12977	11681	8987	4888	1863

XTR output - summary (4)

Necessary details about satellite availability

- for calculating 'expected number of observations',
- for each individual satellite from all systems

SKYxxx – time of satellite being above the horizon

MSKxxx – time of satellite being above the user elevation cut-off (default 15deg)

Time [h] – length of satellite visibility

ExptObs – number of time epochs when satellite is visible

#SKYxxx	Ascending_Horizon	Descending_Horizon	Time[h]	ExptObs
=SKYC05	2017-10-17 00:00:00	2017-10-18 00:00:00	24.000	2880
=MSKC05	2017-10-17 00:00:00	2017-10-18 00:00:00	24.000	2880
.
=SKYE01	2017-10-17 00:00:00	2017-10-17 05:06:03	5.101	612
=SKYE01	2017-10-17 12:43:04	2017-10-17 15:31:59	2.815	338
=MSKE01	2017-10-17 00:00:00	2017-10-17 04:35:46	4.596	552
=MSKE01	2017-10-17 13:49:11	2017-10-17 14:26:49	0.627	75
=SKYE02	2017-10-17 06:22:37	2017-10-17 11:12:19	4.828	579
=SKYE02	2017-10-17 16:56:59	2017-10-18 00:00:00	7.050	846
=MSKE02	2017-10-17 06:55:55	2017-10-17 10:38:18	3.706	445
=MSKE02	2017-10-17 17:25:33	2017-10-18 00:00:00	6.574	789
=SKYE03	2017-10-17 02:24:28	2017-10-17 04:30:33	2.101	252
=SKYE03	2017-10-17 12:49:00	2017-10-17 21:43:20	8.906	1069
=MSKE03	2017-10-17 13:21:05	2017-10-17 21:13:18	7.870	944

XTR output – header metadata

- **List for comparison of (the section might undergo a major revision in future)**
 - ➔ RINEX HEADER
 - ➔ USER SETTINGS (expectation or request)

```

===== Header information (v.9)
#RNXHDR 2017-10-17 00:00:00 _RINEX_HEADER_____ RINEX_HEADER_____ RINEX_HEADER_____
=RNXVER 2017-10-17 00:00:00 3.03 M 2017-10-18 00:02:23
=RNXPGM 2017-10-17 00:00:00 sbf2rin-11.3.2 -
=RNXAGE 2017-10-17 00:00:00 ROB ROB

#RNXHDR 2017-10-17 00:00:00 _RINEX_HEADER_____ _USER_REQUEST_____ 2017-10-17 00:00:00 2017-10-18 00:00:00
=BEGEND 2017-10-17 00:00:00 2017-10-17 00:00:00 2017-10-17 23:59:30 30.000
=INTHDR 2017-10-17 00:00:00 30.000
=MARKER 2017-10-17 00:00:00 BRUX 13101M010
=RECEIV 2017-10-17 00:00:00 SEPT POLARX4TR 2.9.6 3001376
=ANTENN 2017-10-17 00:00:00 JAVRINGANT_DM NONE00464

#RNXHDR 2017-10-17 00:00:00 _RINEX_HEADER_____ _USER_REQUEST_____ 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
=XYZAPR 2017-10-17 00:00:00 4027881.8478 306998.2610 4919498.6554
=XYZECC 2017-10-17 00:00:00 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000
=ENUECC 2017-10-17 00:00:00 0.0000 0.0010 0.4689 0.0000 0.0000 0.0000

```

- Initially, it was foreseen for usage in cross-checking of RINEX header meta data with any meta data validated centrally (e.g. within the EPOS GNSS dissemination)
- The EPOS system does a cross-validation within the EPOS DB API service
- Currently, the Anubis's XTR and XML
 - ➔ does not do any validation, but reporting when trying to merge metadata from more sources
 - ➔ enables grepping over many XTR files (historical or network groups)
 - ➔ reports HEADER metadata in XML for validation within the EPOS DB API service

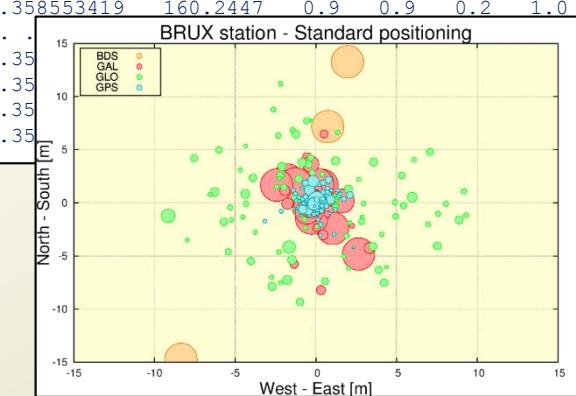
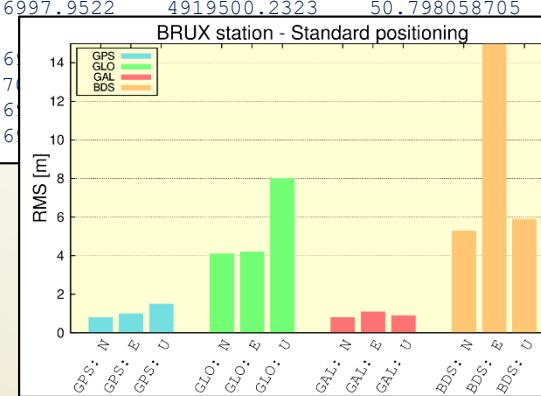
XTR output – estimated values

- Standard point positioning (SPP) - performed independently for each global constellation:
→ requires navigation data → SP3 can support SPP (**but no GLONASS without a sat slots!**)
- Position estimated using a common sampling rate of 15 minutes.
- GDOP values are calculated in addition

sec_est="1" - mean coordinates (XYZ/BLH) and repeatability (XYZ/NEU)

sec_est="2" - results from epoch-to-epoch positioning + DOP values, # Sat, Rec clocks corrections
minimum_elev=5 – could be used to set elevation angle cut-off mask for the positioning

#===== Estimated values (v.9)												
=PERIOD 2017-10-17 00:00:00 2017-10-17 00:00:00		2017-10-17 23:59:30										
=SAMPLE 2017-10-17 00:00:00 30.000												
=XYZGPS	2017-10-17 00:00:00	4027882.4905	306998.5610	4919500.2234	1.0	0.6	1.4	95	1			
=XYZGAL	2017-10-17 00:00:00	4027881.9460	306998.6773	4919499.7808	0.7	0.6	0.9	86	10			
=XYZGLO	2017-10-17 00:00:00	4027883.0126	306998.6388	4919500.5285	5.0	2.7	7.4	92	0			
=XYZBDS	2017-10-17 00:00:00	4027883.4427	307010.4951	4919502.7730	8.3	17.3	3.1	24	0			
=BLHGPS	2017-10-17 00:00:00	50.798063862	4.358562887	159.7652	0.8	1.0	1.5	95	1			
=BLHGAL	2017-10-17 00:00:00	50.798065850	4.358563983	159.1284	0.8	1.1	0.9	87	9			
=BLHGLO	2017-10-17 00:00:00	50.798061928	4.358563425	160.3344	4.1	4.2	8.0	92	0			
=BLHBDS	2017-10-17 00:00:00	50.798065416	4.358730641	162.9144	5.3	28.0	5.9	24	0			
#POSGNS	2017-10-17 00:00:00		X [m]	Y [m]	Z [m]	B [deg]	L [deg]	H [m]	GDOP	PDOP	HDOP	VDOP
POSGPS	2017-10-17 00:00:00	4027882.7667	306995.9220	4919503.9910	50.798084746		4.358525267	162.7321	0.8	0.8	0.2	0.9
POSGPS	2017-10-17 00:15:00	4027883.3539	306996.6801	4919501.5488	50.798066391		4.358535356	161.2461	1.1	1.1	0.3	1.1
POSGPS	2017-10-17 00:30:00	4027883.2868	306997.9522	4919500.2323	50.798058705		4.358553419	160.2447	0.9	0.9	0.2	1.0
POSGAL	2017-10-17 05:00:00	4027885.8327	306									
POSGAL	2017-10-17 05:15:00	4027884.5166	307									
POSGAL	2017-10-17 05:30:00	4027882.0961	306									
POSGAL	2017-10-17 05:45:00	4027881.3244	306									



XTR output – observation types

- Report of available observation types
 - ➔ from FILE HEADER
 - ➔ from FILE DATA
 - easy to grep over sequence of Anubis XTR QC files

sec_obs="1" – summary of satellites per GNSS, observations per system (+ HEADER info)

sec_obs="2" – details of satellite per observation types and GNSS constellation

XTR output – carrier-phase pre-processing

Phase observations at all signals/frequencies and satellite constellations checked for:

- **Clk_Jmp** - number of receiver clock jumps (phase/code inconsistencies)
- **CS_Total** - number of all phase cycle-slips and carrier-phase interruptions
- **CS_Slips** - number of identified real phase cycle-slips during a continuous phase tracking
- **CS_Epoch** - number of phase interruptions due to missing epoch (for available satellites)
- **CS_Satell** - number of phase interruptions due to temporary unavailable satellites
- **CS_Signal** - number of phase interruptions due to temporary unavailable signals

#===== Preprocessing results (v.9)								
#GNSPRP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	CS_Total	CS_Slip	CS_Epoch	CS_Satell	CS_Signal			
=GPSPRP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	378	34	0	138	206			
=GALPRP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	393	211	0	121	61			
=GLOPRP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	868	598	0	110	160			
=BDSPRP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	109	0	0	29	80			
#GNSXXX 2017-10-17 00:00:00	CS_Total	CS_Slip	CS_Epoch	CS_Satell	CS_Signal			
=GPSL1C 2017-10-17 00:00:00	134	10	0	76	48			
=GPSL2L 2017-10-17 00:00:00	82	4	0	17	61			
=GPSL2W 2017-10-17 00:00:00	122	15	0	11	96			
=GPSL5Q 2017-10-17 00:00:00	40	5	0	34	1			
=GALL1C 2017-10-17 00:00:00	96	42	0	27	27			
=GALL5Q 2017-10-17 00:00:00	105	59	0	32	14			
=GALL7Q 2017-10-17 00:00:00	104	59	0	32	13			
=GALL8Q 2017-10-17 00:00:00	88	51	0	30	7			
#CLKJMP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	Phase[ms]							
CLKJMP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	-							
#GNSSLP 2017-10-17 00:00:00	PRN	L1C	L2L	L2P	L2W	L5Q	L7Q	L8Q
GPSSLP 2017-10-17 00:03:30	G14	9.0	-	-	-9.0	-	-	-
GPSSLP 2017-10-17 00:04:00	G14	-5.0	-	-	-1.0	-	-	-
GPSSLP 2017-10-17 00:05:30	G14	-	-	-	10.0	-	-	-
GPSSLP 2017-10-17 00:39:30	G15	14.0	11.0	-	11.0	-	-	-
GALSLP 2017-10-17 00:36:00	E19	-	-	-	-	-82.0	-84.0	-82.0
GALSLP 2017-10-17 02:06:00	E04	-4.0	-	-	-	-3.0	-3.0	-3.0
GALSLP 2017-10-17 03:38:00	E05	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	1.0
GALSLP 2017-10-17 04:16:00	E03	-	-	-	-	-2.0	-2.0	-2.0
GALSLP 2017-10-17 04:16:30	E03	-	-	-	-	1.0	1.0	1.0
GALSLP 2017-10-17 05:30:00	E08	-	-	-	-	80.0	82.0	80.0

XTR output – frequency/bands availability

- Performed for a) individual epochs, b) satellites, c) observations (code/phase)
- Epochs with 4 satellites for a GNSS considered as usable
- Epochs with single-frequency code/phase counted
- Satellites with SF code/phase counted

➔ **UseEp** (in Summary)
 ➔ **xCoEp/xPhEp**
 ➔ **xCoSv/xPhSv**

sec_bnd="1" - a summary report over % of dual-/multi-band observations

sec_bnd="2" - epoch-wise report over bands of complete dual-/multi-band observations

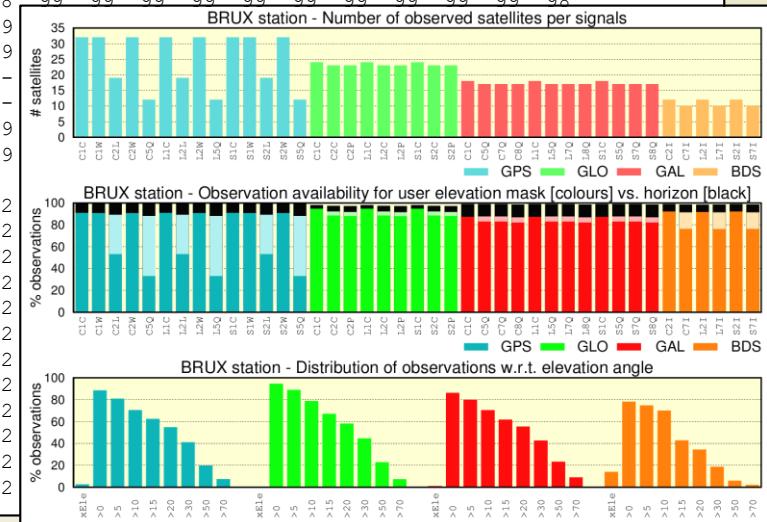
FewBand – counts of single-frequency observations

GNSCEP/GNSLEP – available bands of code/phase observations at pre-defined epochs

===== Band available (v.9)

	GPSCEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00	FewBand	x01	x02	x03	x04	x05	x06	x07	x08	x09	x10	x11	x12	x13	x14	x15	x16	x17	x18	x19	x20	x21	x22	x23
=GPSCEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		254	98	99	98	99	99	98	99	99	97	98	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	98	
=GPSLEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		265	98	99	98	99	99	98	99	99	97	98	99	98	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	98	
=GALCEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		249	99	99	99	99	99	99	-	100	99	99	-	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	
=GALLEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		249	99	99	99	99	99	-	100	99	99	-	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	
=GLOCEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		1866	97	99	100	99	90	99	99	99	100	97	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
=GLOLEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		1890	97	99	100	99	90	98	99	99	100	97	99	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
=BDSCEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		2074	-	-	-	-	-	100	99	99	98	99	98	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	
=BDSLEP	2017-10-17 00:00:00		2148	-	-	-	-	-	98	99	98	98	98	98	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	99	98	

	NxBAND	2017-10-17 00:00:00	nSatell	x01	x02	x03	x04	x05	x06	x07	x08	x09	x10	x11	x12
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 00:00:00		13	1	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	-	3	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 00:20:00		10	-	-	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 00:40:00		12	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	3	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 01:00:00		12	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 01:20:00		10	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 01:40:00		11	-	2	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 02:00:00		11	-	2	3	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 02:20:00		9	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 02:40:00		9	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 03:00:00		10	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2
GPSCBN	2017-10-17 03:20:00		10	-	2	-	-	-	3	-	-	-	-	-	2



XTR outputs – elevation/azimuth

- Only if ephemeris available
 - Reported in a common sampling to be compliant with other QC reports

sec_ele="1" – satellite mean values only reported (verbosity 1)

sec_ele="2" – satellite/epoch-wise values reported (verbosity 2)

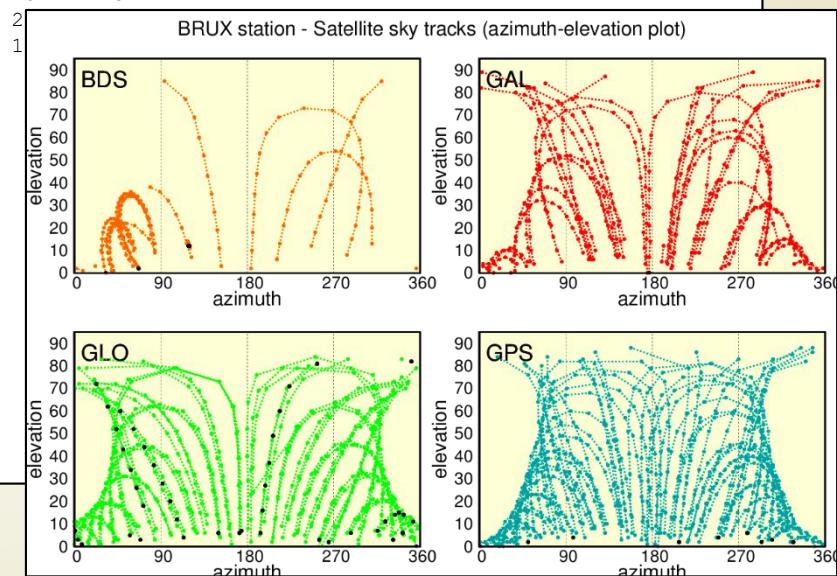
int_smp="20" – requested sampling frequency (in minutes)

num_sat="23" – number of columns for satellite (default:32)

pos_kin="true" – kinematic data – applies epoch-specific position for the receiver

===== Elevation & Azimuth (v.9)

#GNSELE	2017-10-17 00:00:00	Mean	x01	x02	x03	x04	x05	x06	x07	x08	x09	x10	x11	x12	x13	x14	x15	x16	x17	x18	x19	x20	x21	x22	x23
GLOELE	2017-10-17 00:00:00	27	-	13	40	25	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	52	53	9	-	-	-	-	-	24	40	11	
GLOELE	2017-10-17 00:20:00	30	-	4	33	29	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	61	16	-	-	-	-	-	18	44	21	
GLOELE	2017-10-17 00:40:00	31	-	-	24	31	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	36	68	24	-	-	-	-	-	10	45	32	
GLOELE	2017-10-17 01:00:00	28	-	-	15	29	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	72	32	-	-	-	-	-	2	42	42	
GLOELE	2017-10-17 01:20:00	32	-	-	6	25	17	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 01:40:00	32	-	-	-	19	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 02:00:00	30	-	-	-	12	19	4	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 02:20:00	30	-	-	-	5	16	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 02:40:00	34	-	-	-	-	12	11	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 03:00:00	36	-	-	-	-	6	12	1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 03:20:00	40	-	-	-	-	-	11	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 03:40:00	34	-	-	-	-	-	8	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 04:00:00	33	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	3	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 04:20:00	35	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	8	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 04:40:00	38	-	-	-	-	-	-	7	12	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 05:00:00	38	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 05:20:00	32	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	12	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 05:40:00	26	18	5	-	-	-	-	-	9	14	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 06:00:00	29	19	12	-	-	-	-	-	4	23	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 06:20:00	35	18	20	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 06:40:00	32	15	26	7	-	-	-	-	-	-	39	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
GLOELE	2017-10-17 07:00:00	31	9	30	16	-	-	-	-	-	-	44	5	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		



XTR output – code multipath and noise

- all code signals/constellations with dual-frequency observations
- mean RMS after removing systematic error from multipath LC

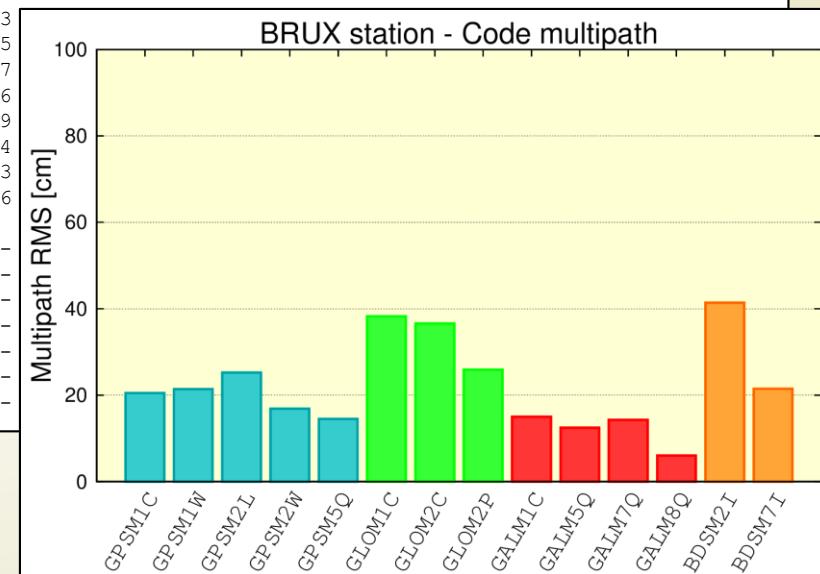
sec_mpx="1" – satellite mean values only reported

sec_mpx="2" – satellite/epoch-wise values reported

mpx_nep="20" – # epochs for multipath RMS calculation (15-25) recommended)

mpx_lim="3" – sigma multiplication - outliers/cycle-slips detection

#===== Code multipath (v.9)		mean	x01	x02	x03	x04	x05	x06	x07	x08	x09	x10	x11	x12	x13	x14	x15	x16	x17	x18	x19	x20	x21	x22	x23
#GNSMXX 2017-10-17 00:00:00	=GPSM1C	20.49	19	22	18	19	19	22	20	22	21	21	20	17	22	25	19	22	17	24	21	23	21	15	22
=GPSM1W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	21.42	20	23	18	19	21	22	21	24	22	22	21	18	23	26	20	23	18	25	22	24	22	16	23
=GPSM2L	2017-10-17 00:00:00	25.23	22	-	21	-	26	24	29	24	24	24	24	-	25	-	-	29	-	28	-	-	-	-	-
=GPSM2W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	16.85	13	19	13	12	19	20	16	16	12	19	12	14	15	21	18	19	18	23	21	19	16	11	16
=GPSM5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	14.51	14	-	12	-	-	16	-	15	13	15	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
=GALM1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	14.99	16	13	15	14	14	-	15	15	15	-	18	15	-	9	-	-	-	15	22	-	-	13	
=GALM5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	12.48	11	12	12	14	12	-	11	13	13	-	13												
=GALM7Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	14.31	15	13	14	16	14	-	11	15	14	-	15												
=GALM8Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	6.02	7	6	6	6	5	-	6	6	6	-	7												
=GLOM1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	38.26	35	25	37	46	51	45	40	46	32	27	36												
=GLOM2C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	36.57	47	27	27	29	64	51	27	30	28	47	29												
=GLOM2P	2017-10-17 00:00:00	25.87	30	20	26	26	30	28	26	27	27	30	24												
=BDSM2I	2017-10-17 00:00:00	41.41	-	-	-	-	43	45	57	61	37	38	33												
=BDSM7I	2017-10-17 00:00:00	21.49	-	-	-	-	22	27	29	27	20	22	16												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	20.61	-	-	-	-	-	28	-	-	-	34	-												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 00:20:00	23.53	-	35	-	-	-	24	-	-	-	41	-												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 00:40:00	23.49	-	32	-	-	-	31	-	-	-	41	-												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 01:00:00	16.91	-	17	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 01:20:00	17.69	-	24	-	-	-	18	-	-	-	-	-												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 01:40:00	19.65	-	13	56	-	-	17	-	-	-	-	-												
GPSM1C	2017-10-17 02:00:00	17.69	-	18	55	-	-	24	-	-	-	-	-												



Code multipath and noise estimation

Code+phase multipath linear combination

i, j, k .. three frequencies (i:code, j, k: carrier-phase)

(a dual-frequency approach uses $i = k$)

$$LC_{mp} = P_k - L_i - \beta(L_i - L_j) = P_k + \alpha L_i + \beta L_j$$

$$\alpha = -\frac{f_i^2}{f_k^2} \frac{\left(f_k^2 + f_j^2\right)}{\left(f_i^2 - f_j^2\right)} \quad \beta = \frac{f_j^2}{f_k^2} \frac{\left(f_k^2 + f_i^2\right)}{\left(f_i^2 - f_j^2\right)}$$

Václavovic P and Douša J (2016)

Preprocessing

- cycle-slips need to be identify and eliminated (or repaired)
- simple CS identification incorporated within the algorithm
- supports all constellations, all code signals and frequencies when exploiting common dual-frequency phase observations (pre-requisite)

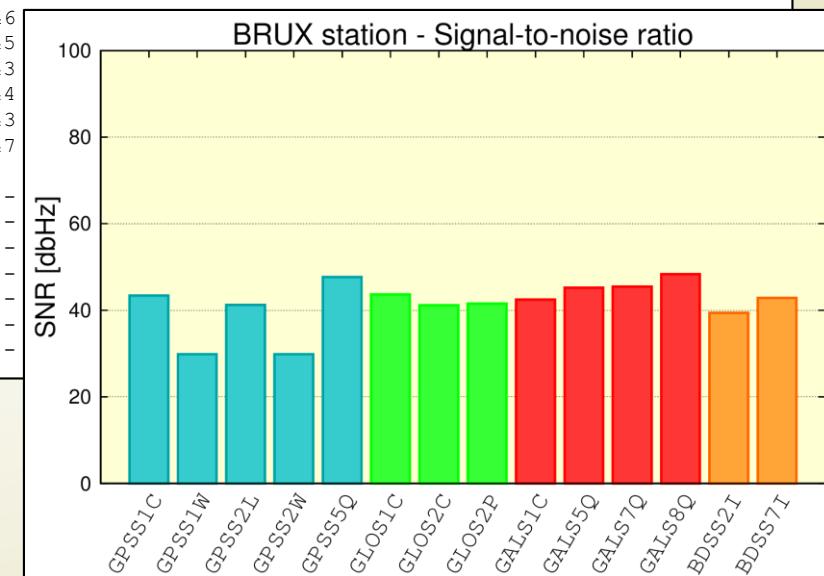
XTR output – signal-to-noise ratio

- Signal-to-noise statistics are represented directly by observations
- SNR depends on elevation, receiver and signal type, environment

sec_snr="1" – satellite mean values only reported

sec_snr="2" – satellite/epoch-wise values reported

#===== Signal to noise ratio (v.9)		mean	x01	x02	x03	x04	x05	x06	x07	x08	x09	x10	x11	x12	x13	x14	x15	x16	x17	x18	x19	x20	x21	x22	x23
#GNSSxx 2017-10-17 00:00:00	=GPSS1C	43.38	45	41	46	43	44	43	45	44	45	43	42	45	43	40	45	41	44	41	42	42	42	45	43
=GPSS1W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	29.86	33	27	35	30	29	30	29	32	34	30	28	31	29	24	30	27	29	25	29	26	29	34	29
=GPSS2L	2017-10-17 00:00:00	41.26	42	–	43	–	40	41	39	42	43	41	–	42	–	–	40	–	39	–	–	–	–	–	–
=GPSS2W	2017-10-17 00:00:00	29.86	33	27	35	30	29	30	29	32	34	30	28	31	29	24	30	27	29	25	29	26	29	34	29
=GPSS5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	47.68	48	–	49	–	–	46	–	48	48	47	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–
=GALS1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	42.48	43	44	44	43	44	–	42	43	44	–	41	41	–	48	–	–	–	42	36	39	–	44	–
=GALS5Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	45.20	46	46	47	45	46	–	46	46	46	–	43	44	–	50	–	–	–	45	38	–	–	46	–
=GALS7Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	45.46	46	47	47	45	46	–	46	46	46	–	43	44	–	51	–	–	–	45	38	–	–	47	–
=GALS8Q	2017-10-17 00:00:00	48.34	49	50	50	48	49	–	49	48	49	–	46												
=GLOS1C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	43.66	44	45	46	45	40	41	45	44	45	45	45	45											
=GLOS2C	2017-10-17 00:00:00	41.15	39	43	44	44	36	39	44	44	44	38	43												
=GLOS2P	2017-10-17 00:00:00	41.51	39	44	45	44	36	39	44	44	44	38	44												
=BDSS2I	2017-10-17 00:00:00	39.41	–	–	–	–	36	37	36	37	39	38	43												
=BDSS7I	2017-10-17 00:00:00	42.86	–	–	–	–	39	40	40	41	42	42	47												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 00:00:00	41.93	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	–	39	–												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 00:20:00	44.12	–	–	–	–	–	–	39	–	–	–	36	–												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 00:40:00	42.54	–	36	–	–	–	39	–	–	–	–	35	–												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 01:00:00	42.38	–	39	–	–	–	41	–	–	–	–	–	–												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 01:20:00	44.50	–	41	–	–	–	41	–	–	–	–	–	–												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 01:40:00	43.86	–	42	32	–	–	42	–	–	–	–	–	–												
GPSS1C 2017-10-17 02:00:00	43.61	–	44	31	–	–	41	–	–	–	–	–	–												



XTR output – satellite information

- Satellite information reported from available navigation messages
 - ➔ List numbers of navigation messages (>1 .. redundant messages)
 - ➔ List of satellite healthy status ($0 < x < 1$.. ratio of healthy/unhealthy messages)

sec_sat="1" – satellite healthy status code

sec_sat="2" – redundant navigation message