

**Subject:** [EXTERNAL] GLOW inversion LUT code  
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As I mentioned in the meeting I have uploaded the package of GLOW that I use into the Google Drive under Swarm Over Poker:

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The latest version of the code is in the file

`glow_invert_tables_v3.f90`

(The difference between v2 and v3 has to do with the output files, but the basic calculations do not change).

I use gfortran to compile on my macbook using an apple M1 chip.

The make file for this is called

`make_invert_tables.v3`

So on my mac I compile with the command

`prompt> make -f make_invert_tables.v3`

For different flavors of linux there may be significant difference in the switches needed

Note the first line of the `make_invert_tables.v3`

`FC = gfortran` : this means that I am using gfortran

`FFLAGS = -O3 -ffree-line-length-none -std=legacy`

The first tow FFLAGS I'm not sure, but the last one I think is needed since the GLOW code is not strict Fortran 90 in some cases.

I predict you may spend a fair amount of time figuring out switches if you have to use a different compiler OS combination.

Once you have the executable program - glow\_invert\_tables\_v3.exe you should be able to run it by:

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prompt> ./glow_invert_tables_v3.exe < in.invert.23078
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The in.invert.23078 has the parameters needed for day 078 of 2023 (19 Mar).

Those parameters are:

YYDOY : 23078

ut time [in seconds]: 29760

glat [deg]: 65.12

glon [deg]: 212.8 ( I think it will take negative values e.g. -147.2, but best to keep it positive)

f107a: average f10.7 flux for 81 days, centered on the date (used by MSIS and IRI90)

f107 : f10.7 flux for the day (used by a SNOE NO profiler)

f107p : f10.7 flux for the previous day (used by MSIS)

Ap : planetary Ap index for that time

Ec : this is not needed for this code since it cycles through Ec and Q, but I keep it there for compatibility with other GLOW generating codes

Q : same as Ec

While running, the code will create to status files fort.12 which is basically what would show up on the prompt, and then a file called invert\_table\_stat\_v3.txt which tells you how many cycles the FOR loops have taken, and then how long the code took to run. On my M1 chip it takes about 1400 seconds.

I have set up the code to write output to a sub-directory under the executable called output/v3/ So in my case this is : /Users/dlh/Documents/GitHub/INVERT-GLOW/output/v3/

Those should be in the format you are now using.

To create the in.invert.YYDOY files you will have to grab the f107 and Ap data and calculate the f107 average. I may be able to do that for all the SOP dates.

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