

Surface Reflection Geometry

R = earth radius

 d_1 = source depth

d₂ = target depth

 I_1 = distance from source to reflection

 I_2 = distance from reflection to target

 ξ = target angle

 ξ_1 = angle from source to reflection

 ξ_2 = angle from reflection to target

For a given R, d_1 , d_2 , and ξ , ξ_1 is found by searching for the roots of:

$$\frac{R}{R-d_{_{2}}}sin(\xi_{_{1}})-\frac{R}{R-d_{_{1}}}sin(\xi-\xi_{_{1}})+sin(\xi-2\xi_{_{1}})=0$$

All of the other angles and distances in the surface reflection path can be found from ξ_1 .