

Format Description for USAP RVDATA Radiometer

Data

Data is received from the RVDAS system via RS-232 serial connections. A time tag is added at the beginning of each line of data in the form,

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yy+dd:hh:mm:ss.sss [data stream from instrument]
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where

yy = two-digit year
dd = day of year
hh = 2 digit hour of the day
mm = 2 digit minute
ss.sss = seconds

All times are reported in UTC.

The delimiters that separate fields in the raw data files are often spaces and commas but can be other characters such as : = @. Occasionally no delimiter is present. Care should be taken when reprocessing the data that the field's separations are clearly understood.

In the sections below a sample data string is shown, followed by a table that lists the data contained in the string..

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GUV (pguv)

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15+057:14:51:33.808 022615 065133 .000132 .010878 .047479 .004407 -.002799 .014652 .027558 .094395  
.417814 -4.466095
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Field	Data	Format	Unit
1	RVDAS time tag	yy+ddd:hh:mm:ss.sss	UTC
2	Date	mmddyy	UTC-4
3	Time	hhmmss	UTC-4
4	Ed0GND (sensor ground voltage)	xxxxxx	V
5	Ed0320 (downwelling 320nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µW
6	Ed0340 (downwelling 340nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µW
7	Ed0313 (downwelling 313nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µW
8	Ed0305 (downwelling 305nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µW
9	Ed0380 (downwelling 380nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µW
10	EdOPAR (downwelling 400-700nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µE
11	Ed0395 (downwelling 395nm irradiance)	xxxxxx	µW
12	Ed0Temp (sensor array temperature)	xxxxxx	C
13	Ed0Vin (input voltage)	x.xxxxxx	V