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% FILENAME: llh2xyz.m
% FILETYPE: function
% DESCRIPTION: llh2xyz produces a X, Y, and Z position in the Earth Center
% Earth-fixed (ECEF) coordinate frame provided Latitude, Longitude, and
% Altitude in degree-decimal
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% INPUTS:
%   - Lat: Position of Latitude on Earth
%   - Long: Longitudinal position on Earth
%   - Alt: Height above geodectic surface (WGS84)
% OUTPUTS:
%   - r_eb_e: 3x1 vector with the following indicies
%       - X: Position along ECEF X-axis
%       - Y: Position along ECEF Y-axis
%       - Z: Position along ECEF Z-axis
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function [r_eb_e] = llh2xyz(Lat,Long,Alt)
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% Defining Earth's Constants
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a = 6378137; % Semi-major axis [m]
f = 1/298.257223563; % Ellipsoid flattening
e2 = 2*f - f^2; % Eccentricity of The Earth squared
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% Converting Lat/Long inputs to radians
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Lat = Lat/(180/pi); % [rad]
Long = Long/(180/pi); % [rad]
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chi = sqrt(1-e2*(sin(Lat)).^2); % Distance from surface to Z-axis
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X = (a./chi + Alt).*cos(Lat).*cos(Long);
Y = (a./chi + Alt).*cos(Lat).*sin(Long);
Z = (a*(1 - e2)./chi + Alt).*sin(Lat);
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r_eb_e = [X;Y;Z];
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end
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