

STANDARD ASTRONOMICAL REFRACTION TABLES (A) and (B) [-1°, 0°]

Tables (A) and (B) here-under have been built upon the sole data from the *Standard Astronomical Refraction Tables for heights above the Astronomical Horizon* published in both the *ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES (EN)* and the *pre-2004 NAUTICAL ALMANAC (NAL)*.

Since Tables (A) and (B) are based on slightly different assumptions, their respective results slightly differ.

Nonetheless given the *acknowledged and well-known ever increasing scatter in Astronomical Refractions further away from the Observer's zenith*, such differences cannot be considered as being really significant.

This fact can be easily confirmed through comparing the *0° refraction* value at *-33.8'* for the *EN* while it is listed as *-34.5'* in the *NAL*.

In fact, the *EN (A) Table* and the *NAL (B) Table* are extremely similar, and incidentally they both share the preference of the Author.

ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES (EN) Table étendue de Réfractions Astronomiques (A) [0°, -1°] sous l'Horizon Astronomique			
Conditions standard P = 760 mm Hg, T = +10°C	h'	R'	Dispersion standard
	0°00'	-33,8'	0,7'
Dispersion standard <i>obtenue par différence entre les valeurs calculées pour les ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES et pour le NAUTICAL ALMANAC</i>	-10'	-35,9'	1,1'
	-20'	-38,1'	1,2'
	-0°30'	-40,5'	1,5'
	-40'	-43,1'	2,0'
	-50'	-46,0'	2,4'
	-1°00'	-49,0'	3,1'

pre-2004 NAUTICAL ALMANAC (NAL) Astronomical Refractions Augmented Table (A) [0°, -1°] under the Astronomical Horizon			
Standard conditions P = 1,013 hPa, T = +10°C	h'	R'	Standard scatter
	0°00'	-34.5'	0.7'
Standard scatter <i>obtained through differences between values computed for the NAUTICAL ALMANAC and for the ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES</i>	-10'	-37.0'	1.1'
	-20'	-39.3'	1.2'
	-0°30'	-42.0'	1.5'
	-40'	-45.1'	2.0'
	-50'	-48.4'	2.4'
	-1°00'	-52.1'	3.1'

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ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES (EN) Table étendue de Réfractions Astronomiques (B) [0°, -1°] sous l'Horizon Astronomique			
Conditions standard P = 760 mm Hg, T = +10°C	h'	R'	Dispersion standard
	0°00'	-33,8'	0,7'
Dispersion standard <i>obtenue par différence entre les valeurs calculées pour les ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES et pour le NAUTICAL ALMANAC</i>	-10'	-35,7'	0,9'
	-20'	-37,7'	1,1'
	-0°30'	-39,8'	1,3'
	-40'	-42,0'	1,6'
	-50'	-44,4'	1,8'
	-1°00'	-46,9'	2,1'

NAUTICAL ALMANAC (NAL) Astronomical Refractions Augmented Table (B) [0°, -1°] under the Astronomical Horizon			
Standard conditions P = 1,013 hPa, T = +10°C	h'	R'	Standard scatter
	0°00'	-34.5'	0.7'
Standard scatter <i>obtained through differences between values computed for the NAUTICAL ALMANAC and for the ÉPHÉMÉRIDES NAUTIQUES</i>	-10'	-36.6'	0.9'
	-20'	-38.8'	1.1'
	-0°30'	-41.1'	1.3'
	-40'	-43.6'	1.6'
	-50'	-46.2'	1.8'
	-1°00'	-49.0'	2.1'

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