

DESCRIPTION OF THE TRANSIT CIRCLE OF THE

Table of corrections to mean of four microscopes for errors of division. Argument, reading of horizontal microscope.

Arg.	Circle A.	Circle B.	Arg.	Circle A.	Circle B.
0	"	"	0	+0.30	
1	+ .06	.23	45	+0.02	-0.01
2	- .00	.18	46	.00	.00
3	- .06	.18	47	- .02	.00
4	- .11	.28	48	- .04	.00
5	- .17	.27	49	- .04	+ .06
6	- .10	.27	50	- .08	.12
7	- .03	.26	51	- .29	.12
8	.00	.26	52	- .30	.13
9	+ .04	.27	53	- .16	.14
10	.07	.29	54	- .12	.15
11	.08	.29	55	- .12	.16
12	.10	.29	56	- .12	.17
13	.13	.36	57	- .12	.19
14	.20	.44	58	- .12	.20
15	.28	.52	59	- .06	.22
16	.27	.56	60	+ .06	.26
17	.24	.57	61	.06	.26
18	.23	.57	62	.05	.27
19	.20	.52	63	.02	.25
20	.18	.48	64	.00	.22
21	.17	.49	65	.02	.22
22	.16	.52	66	.09	.22
23	+ .10	.53	67	.15	.22
24	- .02	.50	68	.14	.23
25	- .14	.46	69	+ .06	.24
26	- .18	.44	70	- .03	.25
27	- .22	.42	71	- .19	.27
28	- .24	.40	72	- .19	.28
29	- .20	.34	73	- .05	.31
30	- .15	.27	74	+ .04	.35
31	- .23	.24	75	.04	.40
32	- .29	.22	76	.02	.45
33	- .32	.19	77	.00	.46
34	- .35	.15	78	.01	.45
35	- .37	.11	79	.12	.44
36	- .36	.12	80	.16	.41
37	- .36	.15	81	.17	.38
38	- .36	.14	82	.18	.36
39	- .29	.06	83	.19	.36
40	- .22	+ .02	84	.20	.36
41	- .17	- .07	85	.23	.40
42	- .12	- .12	86	.25	.44
43	- .08	- .13	87	.25	.44
44	- .02	- .07	88	.19	.37
45	+0.03	-0.01	89	+0.13	+0.30

The corrections thus obtained were now made continuous, and the above table was formed in the following way. Represent the correction for y° by (Y). Then, for circle A was taken

$$[1\frac{1}{2}] = \frac{1}{2} \{ (1) + (1\frac{1}{2}) + (2) \},$$

$$[3\frac{1}{2}] = \frac{1}{2} \{ (3) + (3\frac{1}{2}) + (4) \},$$

&c., &c.

$$[0] = \frac{1}{2} \{ [88] + (0) + [1\frac{1}{2}] \},$$

$$[6] = \frac{1}{2} \{ [3\frac{1}{2}] + (6) + [6\frac{1}{2}] \},$$

&c., &c.

$$[2\frac{1}{2}] = \frac{1}{2} \{ (2) + (3) \},$$

$$[7\frac{1}{2}] = \frac{1}{2} \{ (7) + (8) \},$$

&c., &c.

$$[[2\frac{1}{2}]] = \frac{1}{2} \{ [1\frac{1}{2}] + [2\frac{1}{2}] + [3\frac{1}{2}] \},$$

$$[[7\frac{1}{2}]] = \frac{1}{2} \{ [7\frac{1}{2}] + [7\frac{1}{2}] + [8\frac{1}{2}] \},$$

&c., &c.