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1 - Coordinated Universal Time UTC and its local realizations UTC(k). Computed values of  $[UTC-UTC(k)]$  and uncertainties valid for the period of this Circular. From 2006 January 1, 0h UTC,  $TAI-UTC = 33$  s.

| Date 2008               | 0h UTC | APR 28            | MAY 3   | MAY 8   | MAY 13  | MAY 18  | MAY 23  | MAY 28  | Uncertainty/ns |       |      | Notes |
|-------------------------|--------|-------------------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|---------|----------------|-------|------|-------|
| MJD                     |        | 54584             | 54589   | 54594   | 54599   | 54604   | 54609   | 54614   | $u_A$          | $u_B$ | $u$  |       |
| Laboratory $k$          |        | $[UTC-UTC(k)]/ns$ |         |         |         |         |         |         |                |       |      |       |
| AOS (Borowiec)          |        | 7.9               | 10.2    | 12.0    | 13.5    | 14.9    | 15.0    | 16.3    | 0.6            | 5.1   | 5.1  |       |
| APL (Laurel)            |        | 11.4              | 12.2    | 23.7    | 13.4    | 9.9     | 5.2     | -7.6    | 1.5            | 5.0   | 5.3  |       |
| AUS (Sydney)            |        | 128.2             | 143.8   | 146.6   | 147.1   | 143.8   | 151.2   | 155.2   | 1.5            | 5.1   | 5.3  | (1)   |
| BEV (Wien)              |        | 9.6               | 3.7     | 11.8    | 19.1    | 21.4    | 21.9    | 20.1    | 1.5            | 5.1   | 5.3  |       |
| BIM (Sofiya)            |        | -6352.2           | -6371.2 | -6376.7 | -6395.7 | -6412.3 | -6417.1 | -6440.6 | 2.0            | 7.1   | 7.4  |       |
| BIRM (Beijing)          |        | -5122.8           | -5183.9 | -5221.4 | -5261.8 | -5291.0 | -5326.5 | -5364.2 | 2.0            | 20.0  | 20.1 |       |
| BY (Minsk)              |        | 97.6              | 125.5   | 157.7   | 156.9   | 175.7   | 181.6   | 210.1   | 7.0            | 20.0  | 21.2 |       |
| CAO (Cagliari)          |        | -1893.3           | -1902.0 | -1927.0 | -1955.1 | -1975.4 | -1987.2 | -2007.8 | 1.5            | 7.1   | 7.2  |       |
| CH (Bern)               |        | -14.7             | -17.4   | -20.0   | -22.4   | -20.6   | -22.1   | -20.9   | 0.6            | 1.4   | 1.5  |       |
| CNM (Queretaro)         |        | 5.5               | 14.1    | 17.9    | 24.6    | 32.0    | 33.8    | 29.0    | 2.5            | 5.1   | 5.6  |       |
| CNMP (Panama)           |        | 219.8             | 227.1   | 225.7   | 213.9   | 214.5   | 229.4   | 224.5   | 3.0            | 5.1   | 5.9  |       |
| DLR (Oberpfaffenhofen)  |        | 6.1               | 5.7     | 8.1     | 1.2     | -0.9    | -2.2    | -4.7    | 0.7            | 5.1   | 5.1  |       |
| DTAG (Frankfurt/M)      |        | 124.7             | 125.2   | 129.0   | 116.0   | 112.8   | 105.2   | 97.6    | 4.0            | 10.0  | 10.8 |       |
| EIM (Thessaloniki)      |        | -0.8              | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | 3.0            | 20.0  | 20.3 |       |
| HKO (Hong Kong)         |        | 7.0               | 0.5     | 1.1     | 1.4     | -4.3    | -0.5    | -5.2    | 2.5            | 5.1   | 5.7  |       |
| IFAG (Wetzell)          |        | -274.8            | -264.1  | -257.8  | -253.7  | -247.4  | -244.4  | -237.6  | 0.7            | 5.1   | 5.1  |       |
| IGMA (Buenos Aires)     |        | -                 | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -              | -     | -    |       |
| INPL (Jerusalem)        |        | -                 | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -              | -     | -    |       |
| IT (Torino)             |        | 20.6              | 23.2    | 24.8    | 25.2    | 25.0    | 25.1    | 27.0    | 0.5            | 1.4   | 1.5  |       |
| JATC (Lintong)          |        | 4.9               | 16.2    | 18.5    | 19.4    | 14.4    | 11.7    | 9.3     | 1.4            | 4.8   | 5.0  |       |
| JV (Kjeller)            |        | 8002.3            | 8107.8  | 8244.6  | 8409.2  | 8464.1  | 8578.1  | 8677.6  | 5.0            | 20.0  | 20.6 |       |
| KIM (Serpong-Tangerang) |        | -153.3            | -129.8  | -123.8  | -138.0  | -130.1  | -166.4  | -207.3  | 3.0            | 20.0  | 20.3 |       |
| KRIS (Daejeon)          |        | -2.5              | 18.3    | 6.2     | -13.2   | -3.9    | -140.6  | -52.6   | 0.7            | 5.0   | 5.1  |       |
| LDS (Leeds)             |        | -                 | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -              | -     | -    |       |
| LT (Vilnius)            |        | 276.3             | 291.8   | 300.9   | 325.2   | 356.4   | 381.1   | 392.4   | 1.5            | 5.1   | 5.3  |       |
| LV (Riga)               |        | 1492.7            | 1518.4  | 1545.6  | 1564.0  | 1583.3  | 1600.6  | 1621.4  | 2.0            | 7.1   | 7.4  |       |
| MIKE (Espoo)            |        | -113.2            | -111.0  | -105.9  | -108.7  | -100.0  | -103.1  | -100.8  | 5.0            | 19.9  | 20.5 |       |
| MKEH (Budapest)         |        | -4564.1           | -4757.6 | -4965.0 | -5172.1 | -5378.0 | -5577.3 | -5777.5 | 2.5            | 20.0  | 20.2 |       |
| MSL (Lower Hutt)        |        | -89.1             | -104.3  | -104.8  | -118.4  | -135.1  | -161.6  | -181.2  | 1.0            | 20.0  | 20.0 |       |
| NAO (Mizusawa)          |        | 45.6              | 49.0    | 44.6    | 36.4    | 35.2    | 21.0    | 9.6     | 3.0            | 19.8  | 20.0 |       |

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| MJD                   |        | 54584               | 54589   | 54594   | 54599   | 54604   | 54609   | 54614   | $u_A$          | $u_B$ | $u$  |       |
| Laboratory $k$        |        | [UTC-UTC( $k$ )]/ns |         |         |         |         |         |         |                |       |      |       |
| NICT (Tokyo)          |        | 7.9                 | 8.1     | 7.4     | 9.6     | 10.0    | 11.8    | 11.9    | 0.5            | 4.5   | 4.5  |       |
| NIM (Beijing)         |        | 87.1                | 84.0    | 60.8    | 41.7    | 65.3    | 80.8    | 85.0    | 1.5            | 19.9  | 20.0 |       |
| NIMB (Bucharest)      |        | -270.7              | -273.4  | -277.3  | -274.4  | -256.2  | -253.0  | -257.8  | 2.0            | 20.0  | 20.1 |       |
| NIMT (Bangkok)        |        | -1038.9             | -1074.7 | -1105.4 | -1171.1 | -1224.3 | -1220.4 | -1169.9 | 1.0            | 20.0  | 20.1 |       |
| NIS (Cairo)           |        | 48.9                | 56.6    | 53.8    | 56.9    | 55.9    | -       | -       | 1.5            | 7.1   | 7.2  |       |
| NIST (Boulder)        |        | -11.2               | -10.2   | -8.7    | -8.4    | -8.4    | -7.8    | -6.2    | 0.5            | 4.9   | 4.9  |       |
| NMIJ (Tsukuba)        |        | 11.8                | 19.7    | 28.2    | 28.8    | 29.2    | 28.2    | 30.0    | 0.7            | 5.0   | 5.1  |       |
| NMLS (Sepang)         |        | -91.8               | -83.7   | -85.4   | -87.9   | -85.3   | -87.8   | -88.2   | 2.0            | 20.0  | 20.1 |       |
| NPL (Teddington)      |        | -35.3               | -36.0   | -37.1   | -38.7   | -39.1   | -44.8   | -38.8   | 1.5            | 5.1   | 5.3  |       |
| NPLI (New-Delhi)      |        | -25.1               | -25.9   | -14.0   | -7.1    | 9.8     | 20.9    | 18.1    | 2.5            | 7.1   | 7.5  |       |
| NRC (Ottawa)          |        | -9.4                | -10.8   | -13.6   | -7.5    | 5.0     | 6.2     | 13.8    | 0.7            | 5.0   | 5.1  |       |
| NRL (Washington DC)   |        | 32.5                | 35.7    | 35.4    | 23.1    | 10.5    | 2.4     | -0.7    | 0.7            | 5.1   | 5.2  |       |
| NTSC (Lintong)        |        | -0.8                | 7.5     | 11.6    | 2.1     | 5.8     | 5.4     | 1.1     | 1.4            | 4.7   | 4.9  |       |
| ONBA (Buenos Aires)   |        | -                   | -       | -911.3  | -922.9  | -934.0  | -952.7  | -969.2  | 2.5            | 5.1   | 5.7  |       |
| ONRJ (Rio de Janeiro) |        | -9.1                | 0.5     | -11.1   | -0.9    | -5.3    | -3.7    | -8.7    | 3.9            | 19.5  | 19.9 |       |
| OP (Paris)            |        | -15.3               | -16.3   | -23.5   | -32.4   | -27.6   | -32.0   | -29.7   | 0.5            | 1.4   | 1.5  |       |
| ORB (Bruxelles)       |        | -35.5               | -33.5   | -34.9   | -       | -       | -       | -36.9   | 0.7            | 5.1   | 5.2  |       |
| PL (Warszawa)         |        | -2.7                | -4.7    | -12.3   | -13.7   | -12.1   | -4.5    | -4.1    | 1.5            | 4.9   | 5.1  |       |
| PTB (Braunschweig)    |        | 17.2                | 18.5    | 22.0    | 24.8    | 27.9    | 25.4    | 28.9    | 0.2            | 1.0   | 1.1  |       |
| ROA (San Fernando)    |        | 40.7                | 56.4    | 64.3    | 63.1    | 63.4    | 69.6    | 74.2    | 0.7            | 5.0   | 5.0  |       |
| SCL (Hong Kong)       |        | -41.7               | -51.6   | -53.4   | -45.9   | -46.6   | -33.5   | -29.1   | 3.0            | 10.0  | 10.4 |       |
| SG (Singapore)        |        | -10.8               | -21.0   | -31.1   | -41.0   | -47.6   | -40.2   | -29.2   | 2.0            | 7.1   | 7.3  |       |
| SIQ (Ljubljana)       |        | -1111.1             | -988.1  | -870.9  | -733.0  | -599.9  | -489.6  | -384.6  | 5.0            | 20.0  | 20.6 |       |
| SMU (Bratislava)      |        | -160.3              | -147.2  | -116.5  | -112.5  | -96.2   | -84.9   | -59.7   | 5.0            | 20.0  | 20.6 |       |
| SP (Boras)            |        | 18.5                | 20.3    | 24.1    | 20.6    | 19.9    | 18.1    | 18.9    | 0.5            | 1.4   | 1.5  |       |
| SU (Moskva)           |        | 14.4                | 15.0    | 14.0    | 17.2    | 18.7    | 14.5    | 14.5    | 3.0            | 5.1   | 5.9  |       |
| TCC (Concepcion)      |        | -8860.6             | -8883.3 | -8924.1 | -8932.7 | -8969.4 | -9032.7 | -9038.3 | 1.5            | 20.0  | 20.1 |       |
| TL (Chung-Li)         |        | 7.6                 | 7.9     | 8.6     | 9.0     | 7.8     | 8.2     | 11.5    | 0.7            | 4.9   | 5.0  |       |
| TP (Praha)            |        | 48.0                | 48.4    | 45.3    | 39.2    | 37.5    | 34.2    | 35.9    | 0.9            | 5.1   | 5.2  |       |
| UME (Gebze-Kocaeli)   |        | 142.0               | 146.0   | 148.7   | 151.5   | 157.7   | 165.2   | 169.7   | 1.5            | 7.1   | 7.2  |       |
| USNO (Washington DC)  |        | 3.4                 | 4.2     | 4.6     | 6.8     | 6.2     | 5.3     | 5.4     | 0.4            | 1.3   | 1.3  |       |
| VMI (Ha Noi)          |        | -232.7              | -221.3  | -217.3  | -202.0  | -185.0  | -169.5  | -150.0  | 1.0            | 20.0  | 20.1 |       |
| VSL (Delft)           |        | 9.8                 | 18.6    | 27.4    | 36.1    | 34.2    | 36.5    | 43.1    | 0.6            | 1.4   | 1.5  |       |
| ZA (Pretoria)         |        | -                   | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -       | -              | -     | -    |       |
| ZMDM (Belgrade)       |        | 2923.8              | 2961.3  | 2995.9  | 3031.2  | 3068.4  | 3081.2  | 3110.1  | 2.0            | 7.1   | 7.4  |       |

- Note on section 1:

(1) AUS : Change of master clock on MJD 54587.0.

2 - International Atomic Time TAI and Local atomic time scales TA(k). Computed values of  $[TAI-TA(k)]$ .

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| MJD                   |        | 54584            | 54589       | 54594       | 54599       | 54604       | 54609       | 54614       |     |
| Laboratory k          |        | $[TAI-TA(k)]/ns$ |             |             |             |             |             |             |     |
| CH (Bern)             |        | 52926.7          | 52897.6     | 52869.3     | 52841.2     | 52813.9     | 52782.5     | 52752.5     |     |
| F (Paris)             |        | 168229.3         | 168225.1    | 168220.2    | 168220.3    | 168223.0    | 168219.4    | 168217.9    | (1) |
| IT (Torino)           |        | 72005.0          | 72142.1     | 72276.9     | 72412.9     | 72542.2     | 72670.1     | 72800.8     |     |
| JATC (Lintong)        |        | -44214.3         | -44237.8    | -44266.1    | -44290.1    | -44316.2    | -44340.0    | -44365.7    |     |
| KRIS (Daejeon)        |        | 22450.0          | 22546.1     | 22626.0     | 22689.6     | 22753.1     | 22864.3     | 22792.2     |     |
| NICT (Tokyo)          |        | 61.7             | 64.1        | 66.4        | 69.8        | 72.0        | 73.8        | 75.0        |     |
| NIST (Boulder)        |        | -45319914.3      | -45320105.3 | -45320295.8 | -45320487.5 | -45320679.9 | -45320872.3 | -45321063.7 |     |
| NRC (Ottawa)          |        | 31221.2          | 31250.9     | 31269.5     | 31279.3     | 31302.9     | 31307.6     | 31321.4     |     |
| NTSC (Lintong)        |        | 6405.5           | 6435.0      | 6460.1      | 6490.9      | 6519.3      | 6548.9      | 6577.2      |     |
| ONRJ (Rio de Janeiro) |        | -2598.8          | -2621.5     | -2646.0     | -2673.7     | -2698.2     | -2721.6     | -2749.0     |     |
| PL (Warszawa)         |        | -4687.1          | -4694.0     | -4701.8     | -4705.7     | -4711.4     | -4713.5     | -4720.1     |     |
| PTB (Braunschweig)    |        | -357297.7        | -357291.5   | -357282.8   | -357275.0   | -357266.9   | -357264.7   | -357255.8   |     |
| SU (Moskva)           |        | 27247005.1       | 27247066.2  | 27247127.0  | 27247191.9  | 27247256.5  | 27247316.7  | 27247381.9  | (2) |
| TL (Chung-Li)         |        | 582.0            | 579.3       | 573.6       | 571.9       | 566.7       | 561.3       | 556.1       |     |
| USNO (Washington DC)  |        | -35019843.7      | -35020144.5 | -35020446.2 | -35020747.2 | -35021050.0 | -35021353.2 | -35021654.3 |     |

- Notes on section 2:

(1) F : Corrected values of  $TAI-TA(F)$ :

| MJD   | Value/ns |
|-------|----------|
| 54559 | 168242.0 |
| 54564 | 168237.5 |
| 54569 | 168234.4 |
| 54574 | 168231.4 |
| 54579 | 168230.8 |

(2) SU : Listed values are  $TAI-TA(SU) - 2.80$  seconds.

3 - Difference between the normalized frequencies of EAL (free atomic time scale) and TAI.

|                         | Interval of validity | $f(EAL)-f(TAI)$         |                             |
|-------------------------|----------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Steering correction     | 54584 - 54614        | $6.763 \times 10^{-13}$ | (2008 APR 28 - 2008 MAY 28) |
| New correction          | 54614 - 54644        | $6.758 \times 10^{-13}$ | (2008 MAY 28 - 2008 JUN 27) |
| New correction foreseen | 54644 - 54674        | $6.753 \times 10^{-13}$ | (2008 JUN 27 - 2008 JUL 27) |

4 - Duration of the TAI scale interval.

TAI is a realization of coordinate time TT. The following tables give the fractional deviation  $d$  of the scale interval of TAI from that of TT (the SI second on the geoid), i.e. the fractional frequency deviation of TAI with the opposite sign:  $d = -y_{TAI}$ . In this section, a frequency over a time interval is defined as the ratio of the end-point phase difference to the duration of the interval. Whenever needed, the instability of EAL should be expressed as the quadratic sum of three components with  $\tau$  in days: (1) a white frequency noise of  $3.0 \times 10^{-15} / \sqrt{\tau}$ , (2) a flicker frequency noise of  $0.5 \times 10^{-15}$  and (3) a random walk frequency noise of  $1.0 \times 10^{-16} \times \sqrt{\tau}$ . The relation between EAL and TAI is given in *Circular T* and the *BIPM Annual Report on Time Activities*.

In the first table,  $d$  is obtained, on the given periods of estimation by comparison of the TAI frequency with that of the given individual Primary Frequency Standards (PFS). In this table:  $u_A$  is the uncertainty originating in the instability of the PFS,  $u_B$  is the combined uncertainty from systematic effects, Ref( $u_B$ ) is a reference giving information on the stated value of  $u_B$  or is the *Circular T* where this reference was first given,  $u_{1/Lab}$  is the uncertainty in the link between the PFS and the clock participating to TAI, including the uncertainty due to the dead-time,  $u_{1/TAI}$  is the uncertainty in the link to TAI,  $u$  is the quadratic sum of all four uncertainty values. All values are expressed in  $10^{-15}$ .

| Standard  | Period of Estimation | $d$ | $u_A$ | $u_B$ | Ref( $u_B$ ) | $u_{1/Lab}$ | $u_{1/Tai}$ | $u$  | Note |
|-----------|----------------------|-----|-------|-------|--------------|-------------|-------------|------|------|
| PTB-CS1   | 54584 54614          | 5.0 | 5.0   | 8.0   | T148         | 0.0         | 0.1         | 9.4  | (1)  |
| PTB-CS2   | 54584 54614          | 0.8 | 3.0   | 12.0  | T148         | 0.0         | 0.1         | 12.4 | (1)  |
| SYRTE-F01 | 54589 54599          | 3.9 | 0.7   | 0.6   | T227         | 0.1         | 0.9         | 1.3  | (2)  |
| SYRTE-F02 | 54589 54614          | 5.2 | 0.2   | 0.4   | T227         | 0.3         | 0.4         | 0.6  | (2)  |
| SYRTE-F0M | 54589 54614          | 4.6 | 0.2   | 0.7   | T184         | 0.2         | 0.4         | 0.9  | (2)  |
| SYRTE-JPO | 54589 54614          | 1.3 | 0.7   | 6.3   | T160         | 0.3         | 0.4         | 6.4  | (2)  |
| IT-CSF1   | 54604 54614          | 1.7 | 1.1   | 0.5   | T233         | 0.4         | 0.9         | 1.5  | (3)  |
| NMIJ-F1   | 54594 54614          | 1.2 | 0.8   | 3.9   | T213         | 0.3         | 0.7         | 4.0  | (4)  |

Notes:

- (1) Continuously operating as a clock participating to TAI.
- (2) Report 5 June 2008 by LNE-SYRTE.
- (3) Report 5 June 2008 by INRIM.
- (4) Report 6 June 2008 by NMIJ.

The second table gives the BIPM estimate of  $d$ , based on all available PFS measurements over the period MJD 54224-54614, taking into account their individual uncertainties and characterizing the instability of EAL as noted above.  $u$  is the computed standard uncertainty of  $d$

| Period of estimation | $d$                   | $u$                   |                             |
|----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 54584-54614          | $4.3 \times 10^{-15}$ | $0.5 \times 10^{-15}$ | (2008 APR 28 - 2008 MAY 28) |

5 - Relations of UTC and TAI with GPS time and GLONASS time.

$$\begin{aligned}
 [UTC-GPS \text{ time}] &= -14 \text{ s} + C_0, & [TAI-GPS \text{ time}] &= 19 \text{ s} + C_0, & \text{global uncertainty is of order 10 ns.} \\
 [UTC-GLONASS \text{ time}] &= 0 \text{ s} + C_1, & [TAI-GLONASS \text{ time}] &= 33 \text{ s} + C_1, & \text{global uncertainty is of order hundreds ns.}
 \end{aligned}$$

The  $C_0$  values provide a realization of GPS time, as obtained using the values  $[UTC-UTC(OP)]$  and the GPS data taken at the Paris Observatory, corrected for IGS precise orbits, clocks and ionosphere maps. The  $C_1$  values provide a realization of GLONASS time, as obtained using the values  $[UTC-UTC(AOS)]$  and the GLONASS data taken at the Astrogeodynamical Observatory Borowiec (AOS).  $N_0$  and  $N_1$  are the numbers of measurements, when  $N_0$  or  $N_1$  is 0, the corresponding values of  $C_0$  or  $C_1$  are interpolated. The standard deviations  $\sigma_0$  and  $\sigma_1$  characterize the dispersion of individual measurements. The actual uncertainty of user's access to GPS and GLONASS times may differ from these values. For this circular,  $\sigma_0 = 2.6 \text{ ns}$ ,  $\sigma_1 = 12.6 \text{ ns}$

| Date 2008 | 0h UTC | MJD   | $C_0/\text{ns}$ | $N_0$ | $C_1/\text{ns}$ | $N_1$ |
|-----------|--------|-------|-----------------|-------|-----------------|-------|
|           | APR 28 | 54584 | 2.0             | 41    | -769.3          | 65    |
|           | APR 29 | 54585 | 3.1             | 41    | -772.6          | 75    |
|           | APR 30 | 54586 | 2.3             | 44    | -779.2          | 73    |
|           | MAY 1  | 54587 | 5.8             | 47    | -765.0          | 58    |
|           | MAY 2  | 54588 | 5.5             | 45    | -754.4          | 68    |
|           | MAY 3  | 54589 | 3.8             | 46    | -752.1          | 78    |
|           | MAY 4  | 54590 | 2.2             | 46    | -746.6          | 76    |
|           | MAY 5  | 54591 | 2.9             | 45    | -745.7          | 73    |
|           | MAY 6  | 54592 | 1.5             | 44    | -744.6          | 70    |
|           | MAY 7  | 54593 | 0.9             | 44    | -739.1          | 76    |
|           | MAY 8  | 54594 | 3.7             | 48    | -738.3          | 63    |
|           | MAY 9  | 54595 | 4.5             | 46    | -738.7          | 81    |
|           | MAY 10 | 54596 | 3.8             | 47    | -735.2          | 67    |
|           | MAY 11 | 54597 | 3.0             | 46    | -731.7          | 80    |
|           | MAY 12 | 54598 | 2.3             | 49    | -726.7          | 67    |
|           | MAY 13 | 54599 | 1.9             | 44    | -723.8          | 69    |
|           | MAY 14 | 54600 | 2.3             | 43    | -717.9          | 59    |
|           | MAY 15 | 54601 | 3.0             | 47    | -715.2          | 62    |
|           | MAY 16 | 54602 | 3.8             | 49    | -712.3          | 79    |
|           | MAY 17 | 54603 | 5.4             | 45    | -705.9          | 73    |
|           | MAY 18 | 54604 | 6.2             | 46    | -704.5          | 72    |
|           | MAY 19 | 54605 | 8.1             | 48    | -701.7          | 74    |
|           | MAY 20 | 54606 | 9.2             | 48    | -695.4          | 68    |
|           | MAY 21 | 54607 | 5.7             | 47    | -689.2          | 57    |
|           | MAY 22 | 54608 | 5.3             | 45    | -687.1          | 67    |
|           | MAY 23 | 54609 | 2.8             | 48    | -689.4          | 77    |
|           | MAY 24 | 54610 | 3.2             | 47    | -691.9          | 78    |
|           | MAY 25 | 54611 | 5.3             | 47    | -685.0          | 78    |
|           | MAY 26 | 54612 | 4.0             | 46    | -674.5          | 79    |
|           | MAY 27 | 54613 | 4.4             | 48    | -675.8          | 81    |
|           | MAY 28 | 54614 | 7.2             | 49    | -675.6          | 76    |

6 - Time links used for the computation of TAI and their uncertainties.

The time links used in the elaboration of this *Circular T* are listed in this section. The technique for the link is indicated as follows: GPS SC for GPS all-in-view single-channel C/A data; GPS MC for GPS all-in-view multi-channel C/A data; GPS P3 for GPS all-in-view multi-channel dual-frequency P code data; GPS PPP for GPS Precise Point Positioning technique; GPS GT for 'GPS time' observations; INT LK for internal cable link and TWSTFT for two-way satellite time and frequency transfer data.

For each link, the following uncertainties are provided:  $u_A$  is the statistical uncertainty evaluated by taking into account the level of phase noise in the raw data, the interpolation interval between data points and the effects with typical duration between 5 and 30 days.  $u_B$  is the estimated uncertainty on the calibration.

The calibration type of the link is indicated as: GPS EC for GPS equipment calibration; TW EC for two-way equipment calibration; LC (technique) for a link calibrated using 'technique'; BC (technique) for a link calibrated using 'technique' to transfer a past equipment calibration through a discontinuity of link operation. DIC is used for direct internal calibration.

The calibration dates indicate: the most recent calibration results for the two laboratories in the case of EC and the most recent calibration of the link in the case of LC and BC, NA stands for not available, in this case estimated values are provided

| Link      | Type   | $u_A$ /ns | $u_B$ /ns | Calibration Type | Calibration Dates |
|-----------|--------|-----------|-----------|------------------|-------------------|
| AOS /PTB  | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 5.0       | BC(GPS MC)       | 2008 May          |
| APL /PTB  | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2003 Dec/2004 Jul |
| AUS /PTB  | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2004 Nov/2004 Jul |
| BEV /PTB  | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2001 Dec/2004 Jul |
| BIM /PTB  | GPS MC | 2.0       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2007 Nov          |
| BIRM/PTB  | GPS MC | 2.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| BY /PTB   | GPS SC | 7.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| CAO /PTB  | GPS MC | 1.5       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2004 Nov/2004 Jul |
| CH /PTB   | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 1.0       | BC(GPS PPP)      | 2006 Jun          |
| CNM /PTB  | GPS MC | 2.5       | 5.0       | BC(GPS SC)       | 2008 May          |
| CNMP/PTB  | GPS MC | 3.0       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2004 May/2004 Jul |
| DLR /PTB  | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2007 Feb/2004 Aug |
| DTAG/PTB  | GPS MC | 4.0       | 10.0      | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 1998 May/2004 Jul |
| EIM /PTB  | GPS MC | 3.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2003 Aug      |
| HKO /PTB  | GPS MC | 2.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2004 Sep/2004 Jul |
| IFAG/PTB  | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2003 Jun/2004 Aug |
| IGMA/PTB  | NA     |           |           |                  |                   |
| INPL/PTB  | NA     |           |           |                  |                   |
| IT /PTB   | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 1.0       | BC(TWSTFT)       | 2006 Mar          |
| JATC/NTSC | INT LK | 0.2       | 1.0       | DIC              | /2006 Sep         |

| Link     | Type   | $u_A$ /ns | $u_B$ /ns | Calibration Type | Calibration Dates |
|----------|--------|-----------|-----------|------------------|-------------------|
| JV /PTB  | GPS GT | 5.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2003 Aug      |
| KIM /PTB | GPS MC | 3.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| KRIS/PTB | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2005 Aug/2004 Aug |
| LDS /PTB | NA     |           |           |                  |                   |
| LT /PTB  | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2001 Nov/2004 Jul |
| LV /PTB  | GPS MC | 2.0       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2006 Feb/2004 Jul |
| MIKE/PTB | GPS MC | 5.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| MKEH/PTB | GPS SC | 2.5       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| MSL /PTB | GPS P3 | 1.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Aug      |
| NAO /PTB | GPS SC | 3.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| NICT/PTB | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 5.0       | BC(GPS P3)       | 2007 Mar          |
| NIM /PTB | GPS MC | 1.5       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| NIMB/PTB | GPS MC | 2.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| NIMT/PTB | GPS P3 | 1.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Aug      |
| NIS /PTB | GPS MC | 1.5       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2005 May/2004 Jul |
| NIST/PTB | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 5.0       | BC(TWSTFT)       | 2005 May          |
| NMIJ/PTB | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2002 Apr/2004 Aug |
| NMLS/PTB | GPS MC | 2.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| NPL /PTB | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2002 Jun/2004 Jul |
| NPLI/PTB | GPS MC | 2.5       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2005 Jul/2004 Jul |
| NRC /PTB | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2003 Nov/2004 Aug |
| NRL /PTB | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2002 May/2004 Aug |
| NTSC/PTB | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2004 Sep/2004 Jul |
| ONBA/PTB | GPS MC | 2.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2004 Jul/2004 Jul |
| ONRJ/PTB | GPS MC | 4.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| OP /PTB  | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 1.0       | BC(TWSTFT)       | 2006 Mar          |
| ORB /PTB | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2003 Jul/2004 Aug |
| PL /PTB  | GPS MC | 1.5       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2001 Oct/2004 Jul |
| ROA /PTB | TWSTFT | 0.7       | 5.0       | BC(GPS PPP)      | 2005 May          |
| SCL /PTB | GPS MC | 3.0       | 10.0      | LC(GPS SC)       | 1993 May          |
| SG /PTB  | GPS MC | 2.0       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2007 Jan/2004 Jul |
| SIQ /PTB | GPS SC | 5.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2003 Aug      |
| SMU /PTB | GPS SC | 5.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Jul      |
| SP /PTB  | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 1.0       | BC(GPS PPP)      | 2006 Mar          |
| SU /PTB  | GPS SC | 3.0       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2003 Apr/2004 Jul |
| TCC /PTB | GPS P3 | 1.5       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Aug      |
| TL /PTB  | GPS P3 | 0.7       | 5.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2005 May/2004 Aug |
| TP /PTB  | GPS P3 | 0.9       | 5.0       | LC(GPS SC)       | 2004 Jul          |
| UME /PTB | GPS MC | 1.5       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2005 Dec/2004 Jul |
| USNO/PTB | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 1.1       | BC(TW X-Band)    | 2005 May          |
| VMI /PTB | GPS P3 | 1.0       | 20.0      | NA /GPS EC       | NA /2004 Aug      |
| VSL /PTB | TWSTFT | 0.5       | 1.0       | BC(GPS PPP)      | 2006 Mar          |
| ZA /PTB  | NA     |           |           |                  |                   |
| ZMDM/PTB | GPS MC | 2.0       | 7.0       | GPS EC/GPS EC    | 2005 Mar/2004 Jul |