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LEVELING SPECIFICATIONS FIELD PROCEDURES

Purpose: Use this GTA when performing leveling. See FM 3-34.331 for more information.

Order	First	First	Second	Second	Third
Class	I	II	I	II	
Maximum difference					
fore/back sight					
per setup (m)	2	5	5	10	10
per section (m)	4	10	10	10	10
Maximum sight					
length (m)	50	60	60	70	90
Minimum ground					
clearance of line of	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5	0.5
sight					
Temperature	Yes	Yes	Yes	No	No
required	163	163	163	NO	NO
Difference between					
top and bottom	0	0	0.002	0.002	0.003
intervals (m)					
Maximum section					
misclosure (mm)*	3√ K	4√ K	6√ K	8√ K	12√ K
Maximum loop					
misclosure (mm)*	4√ K	5√ K	6√ K	8√ K	12√K
*Shortest distance					

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Order	First	First	Second	Second	Third	
Class	I	II	I	II		
Minimal observation method	Micro- meter	Micro- meter	Micrometer or 3-wire	3-wire	Center wire	
Even numbers of setups	yes	yes	yes	yes	yes	
3-wire method difference between top and bottom intervals	NA	NA	2	2	3	
Read rod 1 first in alternate setup method	NA	NA	yes	yes	yes	
NA = not appl	icable					
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