X-PAD: Importing Carlson Localization Files

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Thesis

Beginning in X-PAD version 4.7.990 (The version 4.8 release) it is possible to directly import a Carlson .LOC localization file into X-PAD.

Starting with a .DAT file

If you have a .DAT file, make an empty job in SurvCE/SurvPC with the correct underlying state plane zone and units. Then Equip: Localization: Points (tab) click on Load:

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Change the file type to LOC files:

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Save the .LOC file, then move to the Android device.

Importing a .LOC file into X-PAD

Make sure the job Units (Settings: Job Settings: Units) match the original job.



Click on JOB: Coordinate System:



Make sure the **Cartographic system** matches the original job:

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	Cartographic system MT83 (LAMBERT_2SP NAD83 GRS80)	>
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Click on the **Details** button to the right of the Site calibration option:

▶ Local system-Multi points
No calibration points available. Press Add button to insert a point.



Click on **Tools** (center bottom):



Browse for the .LOC file from SurvCE/SurvPC:

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tion will be imported:

Click on the Next arrow at the bottom right of the screen.



Click on the Next arrow (bottom right corner):



IMPORTANT! Click on the Next button at the bottom of the screen again:

Coordinate System	
Vertical system	
□ WGS84 ellipsoid height Elevations on WGS84 ellipsoid	
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Choose an appropriate vertical system. If you know that the elevations of the control points are valid and the polygon formed by control points fully encloses the job, it

will be safe to choose Elevation on local system. Otherwise it may be prudent to only enable the vertical calibration of a single point and choose an appropriate geoid (currently GEOID2018US within ConUS).

Click on the Accept button. You MUST click on the accept button or the new system will not be implemented!

Optionally you can save the current system with an appropriate site name by clicking on **Tools** from the **Coordinate System** menu:

Coordinate System
Cartographic system MT83 (LAMBERT_2SP NAD83 GRS80)
GNSS Localization
Tools
Load system
Save current system
Save as default system
Save as site default system
Report
CANCEL
⊲ Tools

