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STANAG 4512 LAND (EDITION 1) – DISMOUNTED PERSONNEL TARGET

Reference: AC/225-D/1365, dated 10 November 1995

1. The enclosed NATO Standardization Agreement which has been ratified by nations as reflected in the NATO Standardization Document Database (NSDD), is promulgated herewith.
2. The reference listed above is to be destroyed in accordance with local document destruction procedures.
3. AAP-4 should be amended to reflect the latest status of the STANAG.

ACTION BY NATIONAL STAFFS

4. National staffs are requested to examine their ratification status of the STANAG and, if they have not already done so, advise the Defence Support Division through their national delegation as appropriate of their intention regarding its ratification and implementation.

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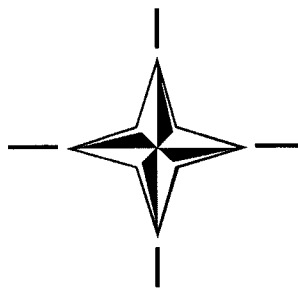
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**NORTH ATLANTIC TREATY ORGANIZATION
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**NATO STANDARDIZATION AGENCY
(NSA)**

**STANDARDIZATION AGREEMENT
(STANAG)**

SUBJECT: DISMOUNTED PERSONNEL TARGET

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RECORD OF AMENDMENTS

No.	Reference/date of amendment	Date entered	Signature

EXPLANATORY NOTES

AGREEMENT

1. This NATO Standardization Agreement (STANAG) is promulgated by the Director NATO Standardization Agency under the authority vested in him by the NATO Standardization Organisation Charter.
2. No departure may be made from the agreement without informing the tasking authority in the form of a reservation. Nations may propose changes at any time to the tasking authority where they will be processed in the same manner as the original agreement.
3. Ratifying nations have agreed that national orders, manuals and instructions implementing this STANAG will include a reference to the STANAG number for purposes of identification.

RATIFICATION, IMPLEMENTATION AND RESERVATIONS

4. Ratification, implementation and reservation details are available on request or through the NSA websites (internet <http://nsa.nato.int>; NATO Secure WAN <http://nsa.hq.nato.int>).

FEEDBACK

5. Any comments concerning this publication should be directed to NATO/NSA – Bvd Leopold III - 1110 Brussels - BE

**NATO STANDARDISATION AGREEMENT
(STANAG)**

DISMOUNTED PERSONNEL TARGET

Annexes:

- A. Unprotected man standing erect
- B. Basic Postures
- C. Protected man standing erect
- D. Helmet
- E. Visor (face shield)
- F. Splinter-proof jacket

Related Documents: None

AIM:

1. The aim of this agreement is to standardize the dismounted combatant target for use when assessing the effectiveness of small arms.

AGREEMENT:

2. Participating nations agree to use this target to assess the effectiveness of small arms.

GENERAL

3. The target representative of a dismounted combatant comprises a man, who can take up four postures, protected by a helmet with a visor and a splinter-proof jacket.

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DETAILS OF THE AGREEMENT:

4. The standing target is 1.75m high and his anthropometric characteristics are specified in Annex A.
5. The basic postures are advancing, kneeling (with and without support), prone and in a foxhole. These are detailed in Annex B.
6. The protected target wears a helmet with a visor and a splintproof jacket. this is described in Annex C.
7. The helmet is an aramid helmet with a polycarbonate visor. It is described in Annex D.
8. The aramid helmet is fitted with a polycarbonate visor described in Annex E.
9. The splinter-proof jacket is an aramid jacket with titanium plates on its front and back. It is described in Annex F.

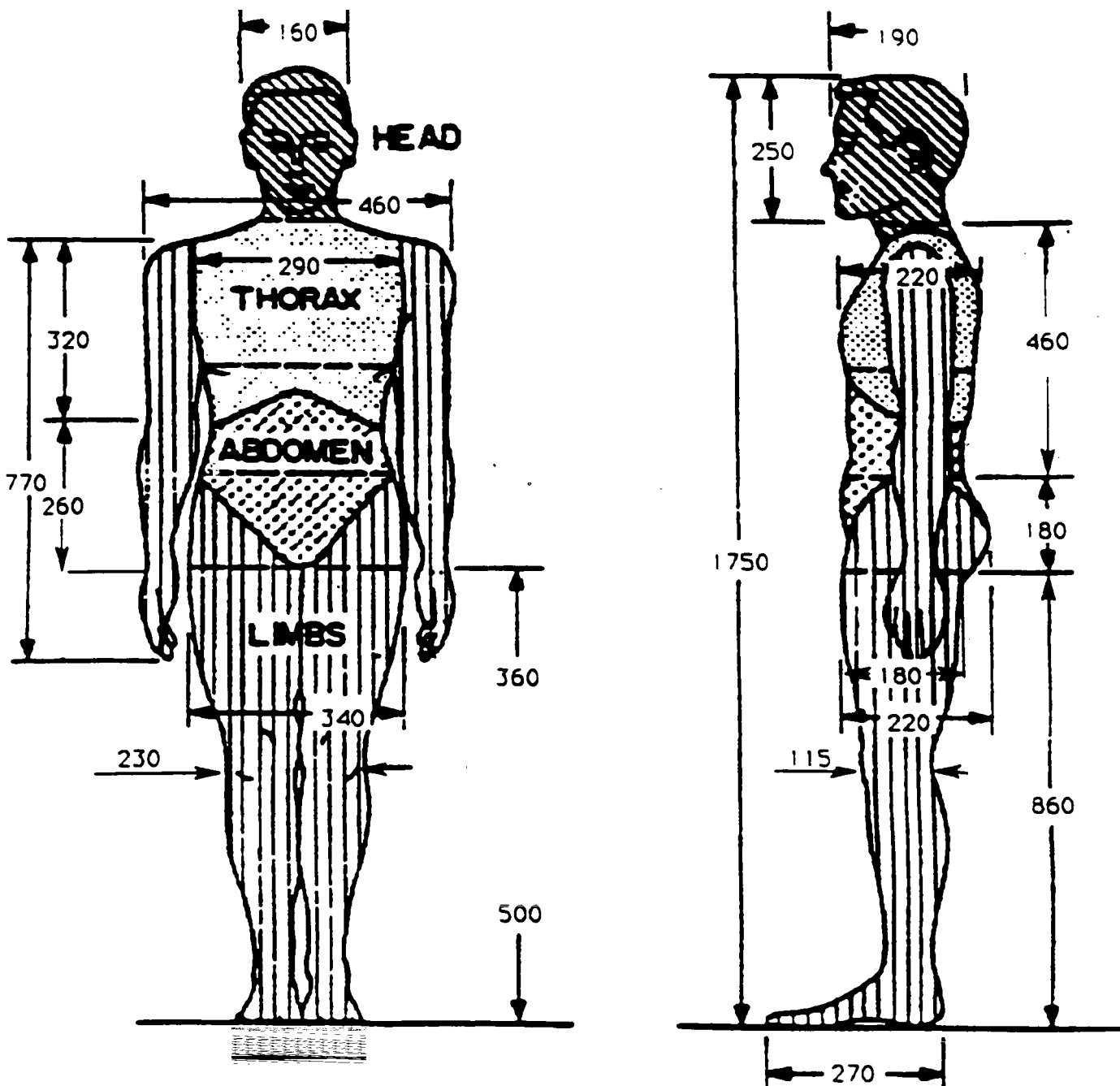
IMPLEMENTATION AGREEMENT:

10. This STANAG is implemented when a nation uses the target described to assess the effectiveness of small arms.

ANNEX A to
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DISMOUNTED PERSONNEL TARGET

Annex A : Unprotected man standing erect



POSTURES

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This annex gives the two-dimensional projections of the three-dimensional target. The target is located at the origin of the system of axes defined on the following page, and is looking in the positive X direction. The formulae for calculating the projections of the three-dimensional target onto the planes are also given on the following page.

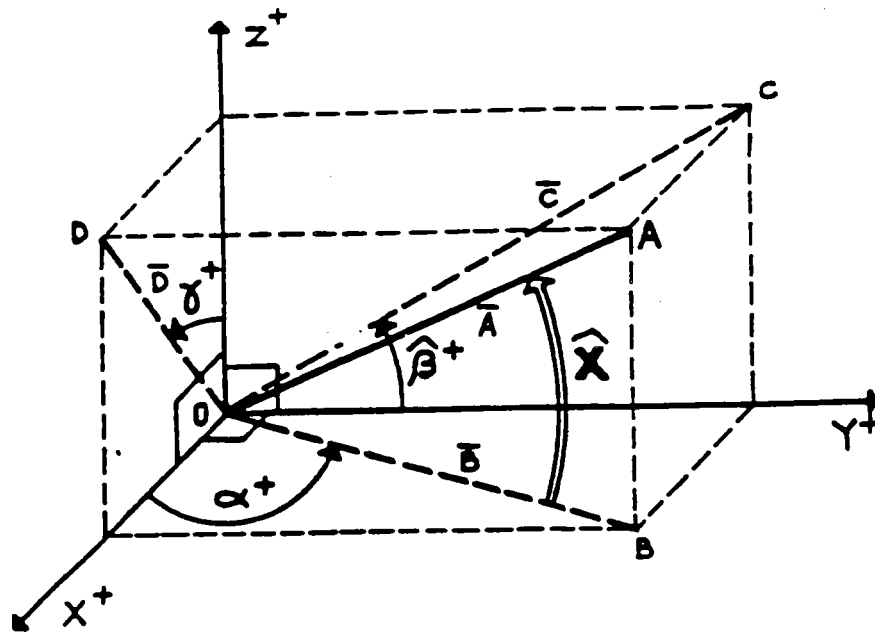
Besides the reference system and the mathematical formulae this annex includes the positioning of the points of articulation corresponding with the upright man, and a right side view, a left side view, a front view and a view from above for each basic target (man advancing, kneeling man with support, kneeling man without support, prone man and man in a foxhole).

After each group of drawings is a table giving the numerical values of the angles and the moduli of the vectors required to construct the target.

Finally, a summary table gives the planimetric area presented by the target and the circumscribing rectangle for each of the views.

Refence System of Planes of Projection

- Each segment is projected onto at least two mutually perpendicular planes.
- The projection of each segment onto a given plane is defined by its « apparent » modulus and its angle of orientation.



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TWO PROJECTIONS ONLY ARE REQUIRED TO ESTABLISH THE REAL
MODULUS AND THE ORIENTATION OF A SEGMENT IN SPACE

Example: modulus of OA

$$OA^2 = OB^2 + BA^2 \rightarrow \bar{A}^2 = \bar{B}^2 + \bar{D}^2 \cos^2 \gamma$$

$$OA^2 = OC^2 + CA^2 \rightarrow \bar{A}^2 = \bar{C}^2 + \bar{B}^2 \cos^2 \alpha$$

$$OA^2 = OD^2 + DA^2 \rightarrow \bar{A}^2 = \bar{D}^2 + \bar{C}^2 \cos^2 \beta$$

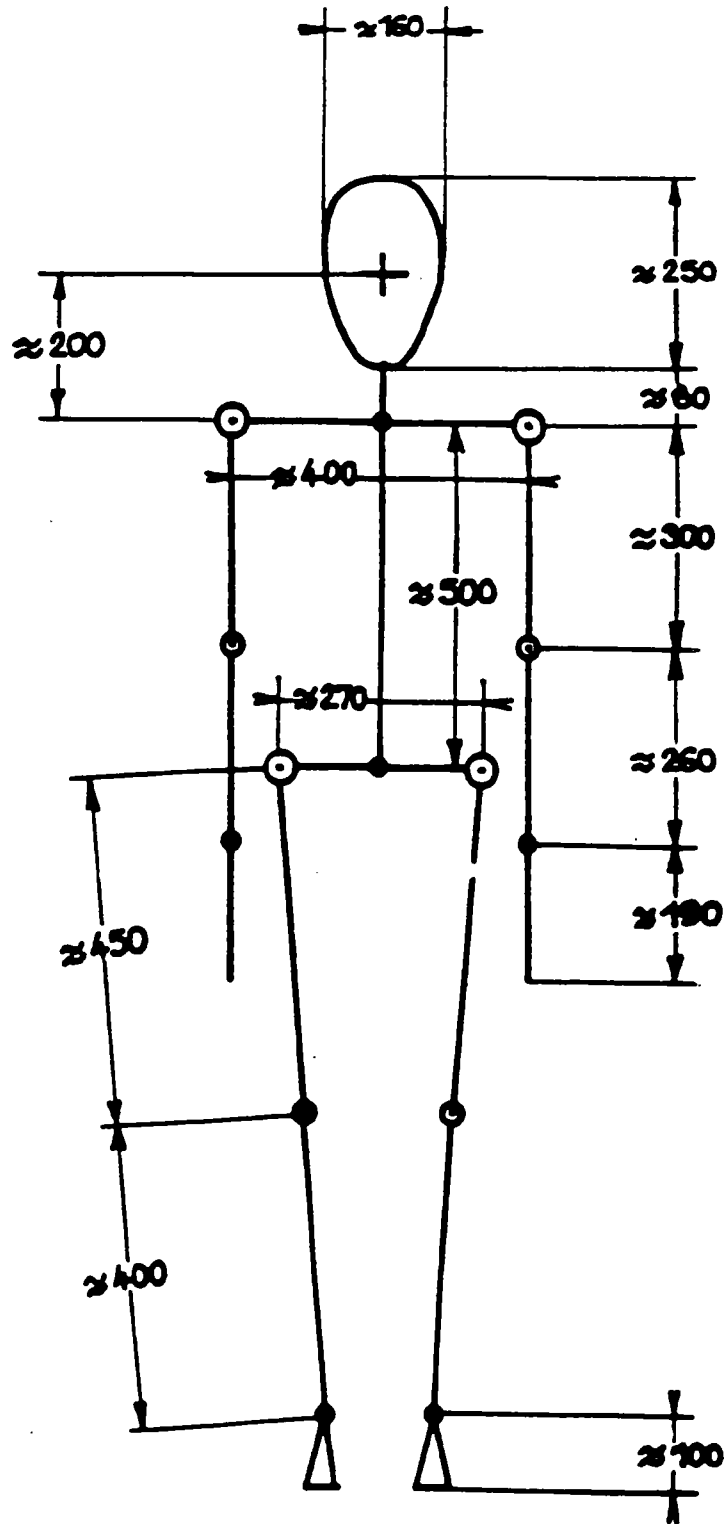
Value of angle X :

$$\cos X = \frac{OB}{OA}$$

$$\cos X = \frac{OB}{\sqrt{OB^2 + OD^2 \cos^2 \gamma}}$$

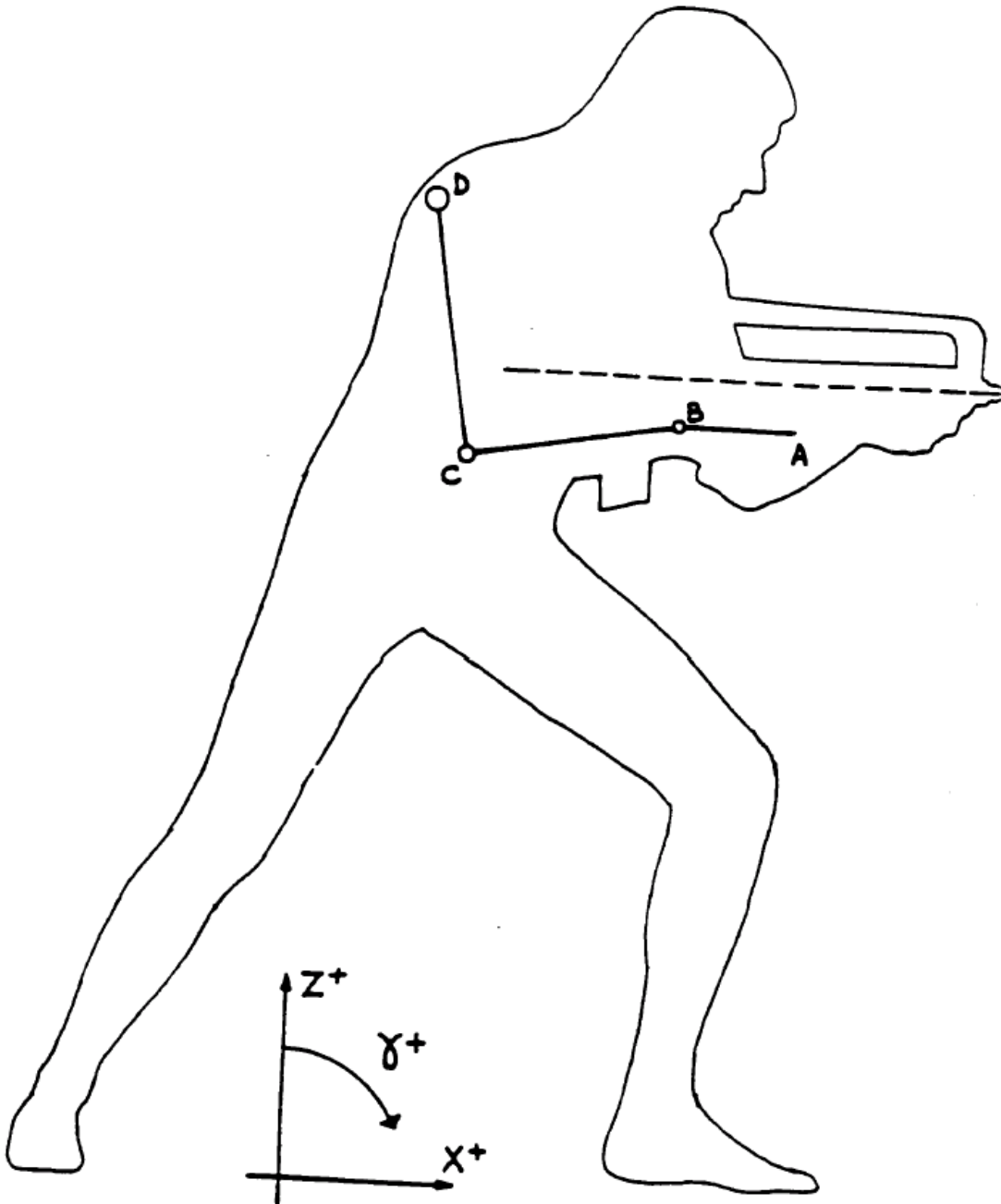
$$\cos X = \frac{\bar{B}}{\sqrt{\bar{B}^2 + \bar{D}^2 \cos^2 \gamma}}$$

APPROXIMATE DIMENSIONING OF THE STRUCTURE AND ARTICULATIONS
DERIVED FROM THE NATO SILHOUETTE



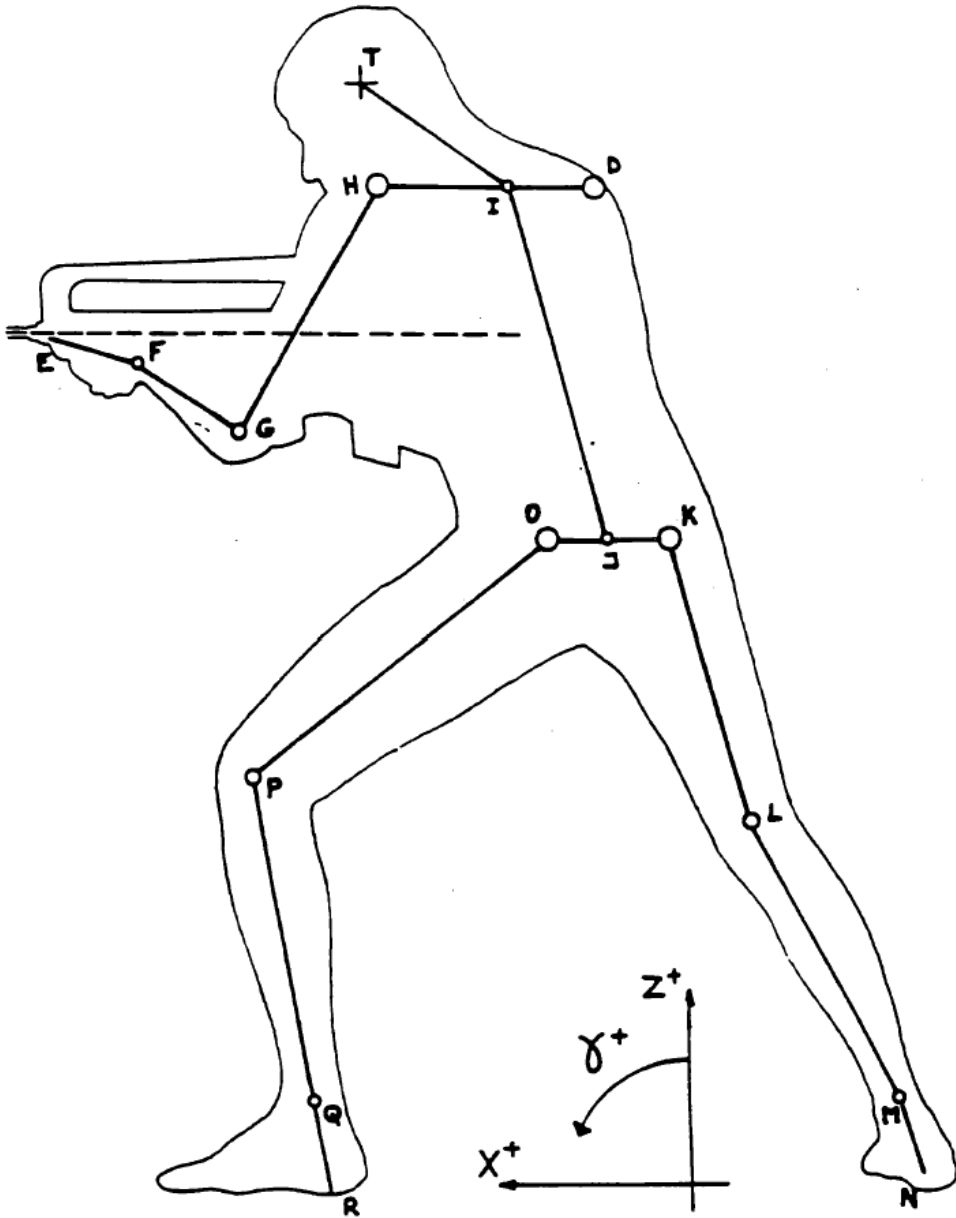
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STANDING MAN
Inverse XOZ projection (right side view)
Scale : 10/75 ; Height : 140



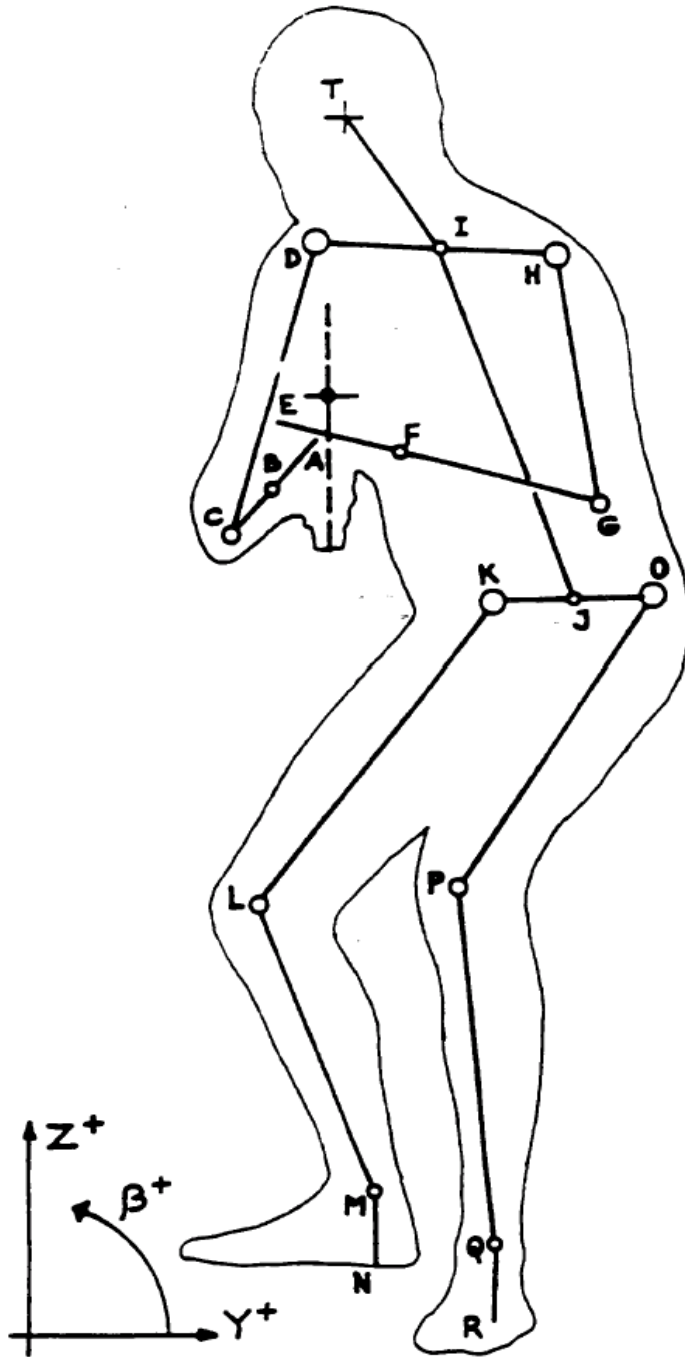
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STANDING MAN
XOZ projection (left side view)
Scale : 10/75 ; height : 140



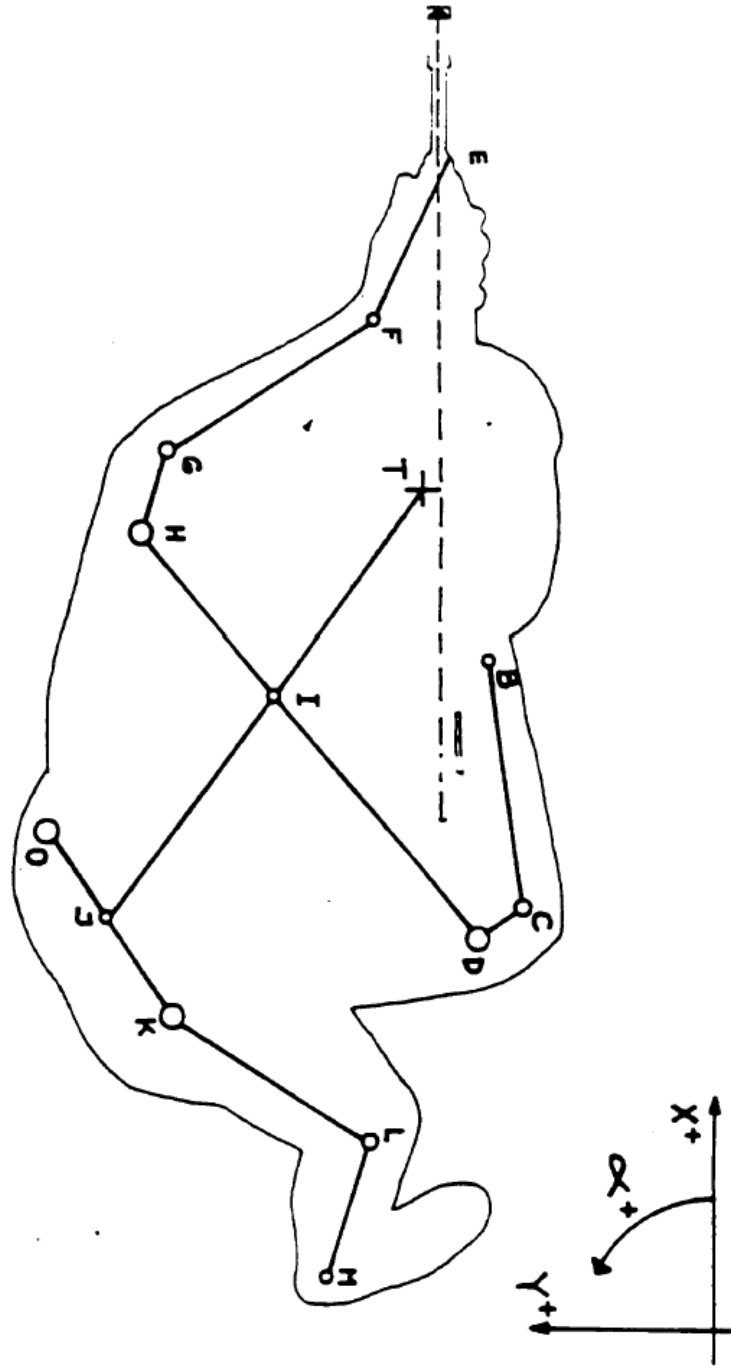
STANDING MAN

YOZ projection (front view)
Scale : 10/73 ; Height : 140



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STANDING MAN
XOY projection (view from above)
Scale : 10/49 ; Height : 140



STANDING MAN

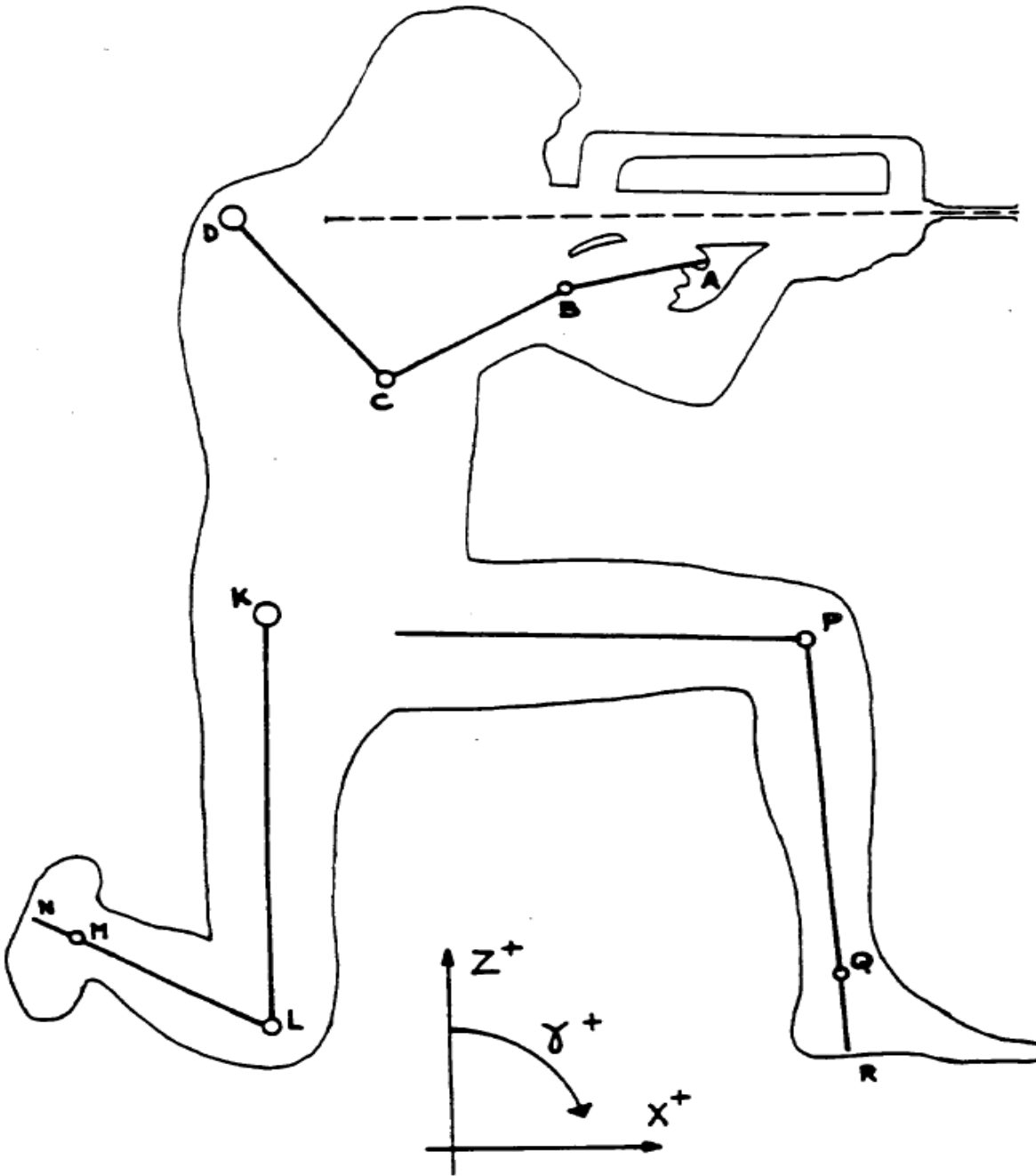
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AS	19			7	50	15	90
BC	26	22	8	7	50	26	80
CD	30	6	-55	30	75	30	-10
DH	40	40	40	26	-3	27	90
EF	19	.16	-25	13	-15	12	73
FG	26	23	-60	22	-15	15	55
GH	30	8	-18	27	-60	30	-30
HI	20	16	40	13	-3	16	90
ID	20	24	40	13	-3	11	90
JI	50	25	-37	41	-70	45	15
KL	45			41	55	35	15
LM	40			33	-70	37	30
MN	10			9	90	9	15
OP	45			38	57	45	-53
PQ	40			38	-85	40	10
OR	10			9	90	10	10
II	20			17	-55	20	155

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KNEELING MAN, ARMS UNSUPPORTED

Inverse XOZ projection (right side view)

Scale : 10/70 ; Height : 122

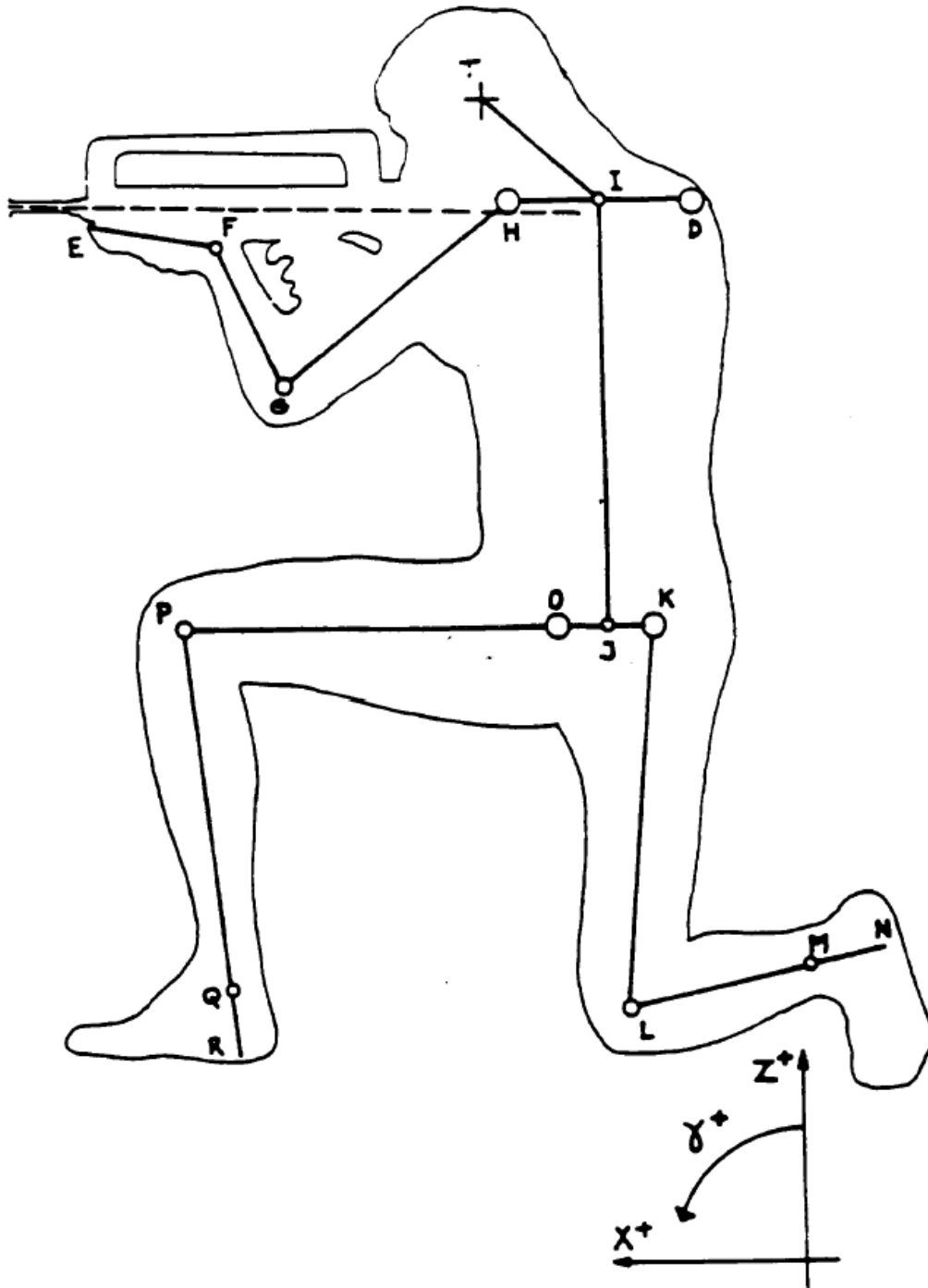


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KNEELING MAN, ARMS UNSUPPORTED

Inverse XOZ projection (left side view)

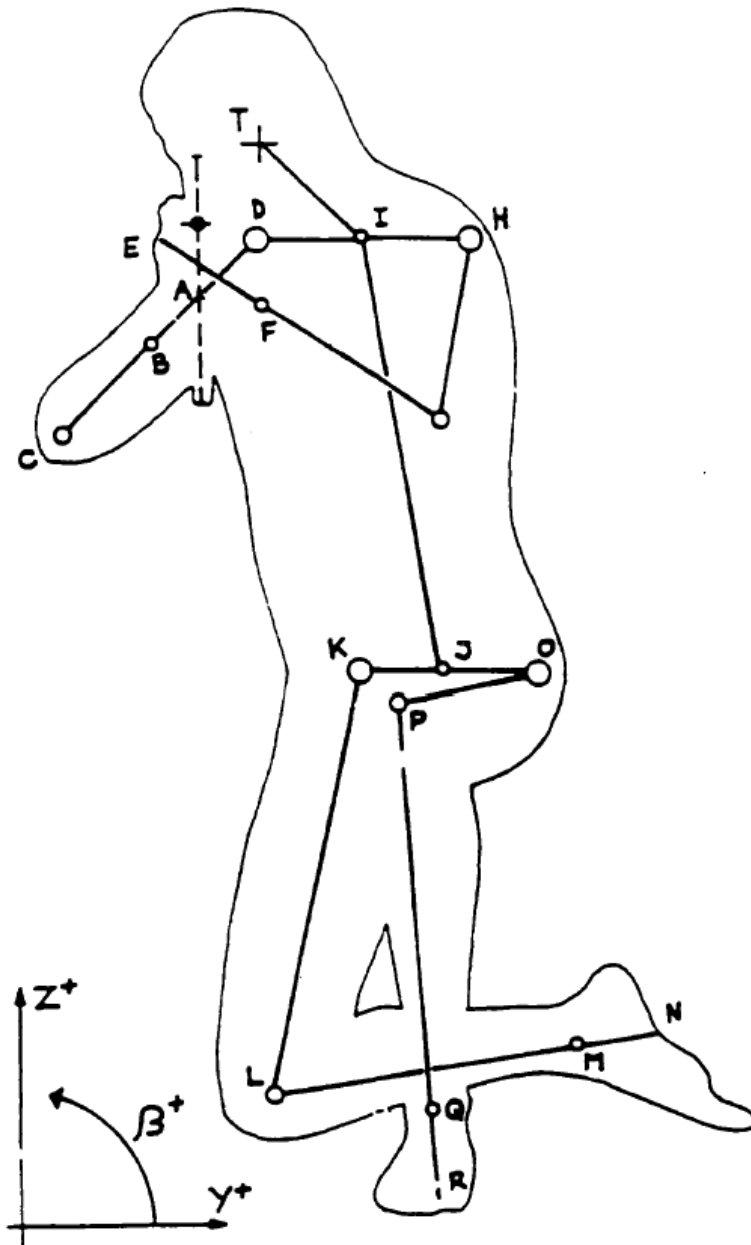
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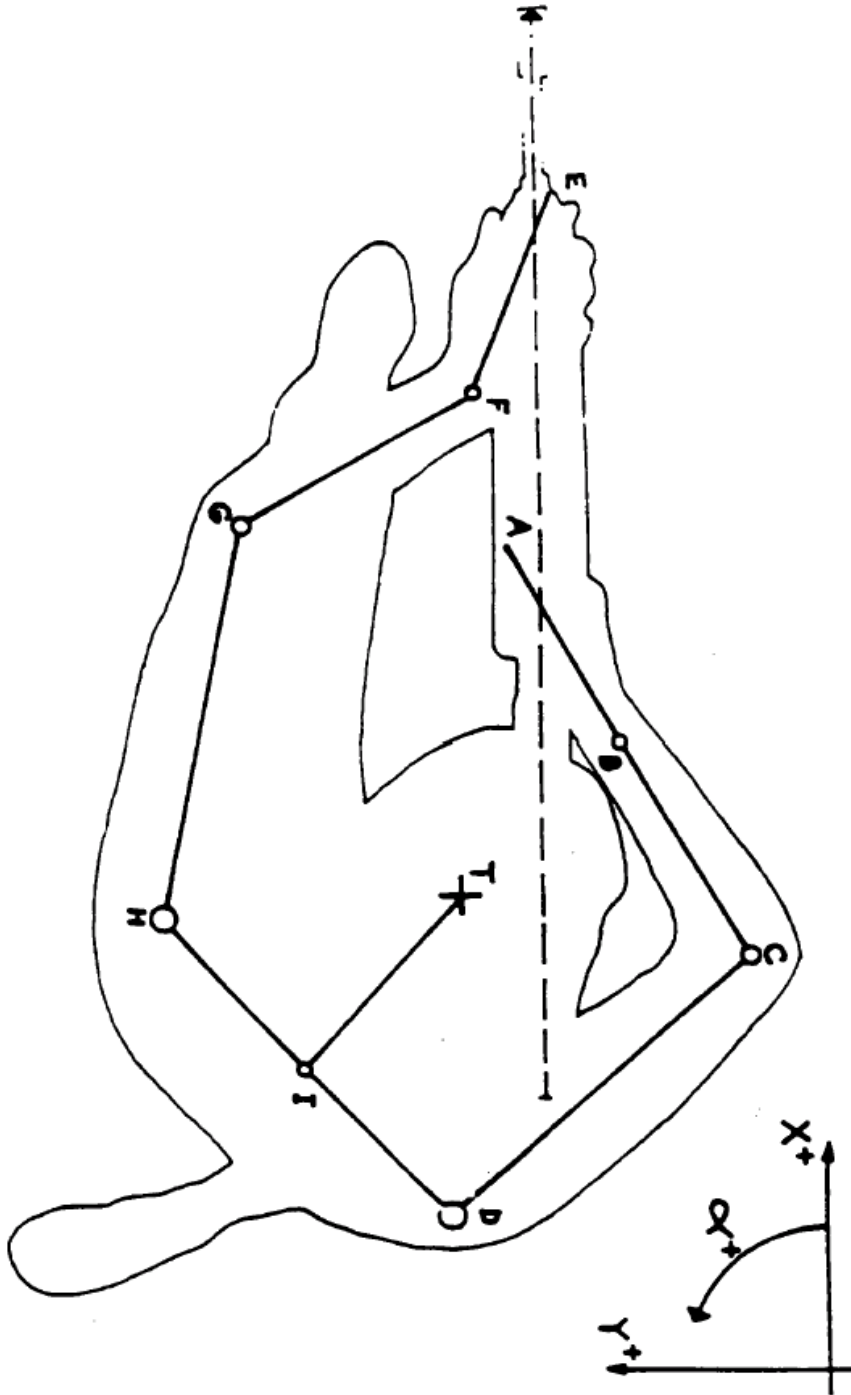
Inverse YOZ projection (front view)

Scale : 10/71 ; Height : 122



STANDING MAN

XOY projection (view from above)
Scale : 10/49 ; Height : 140

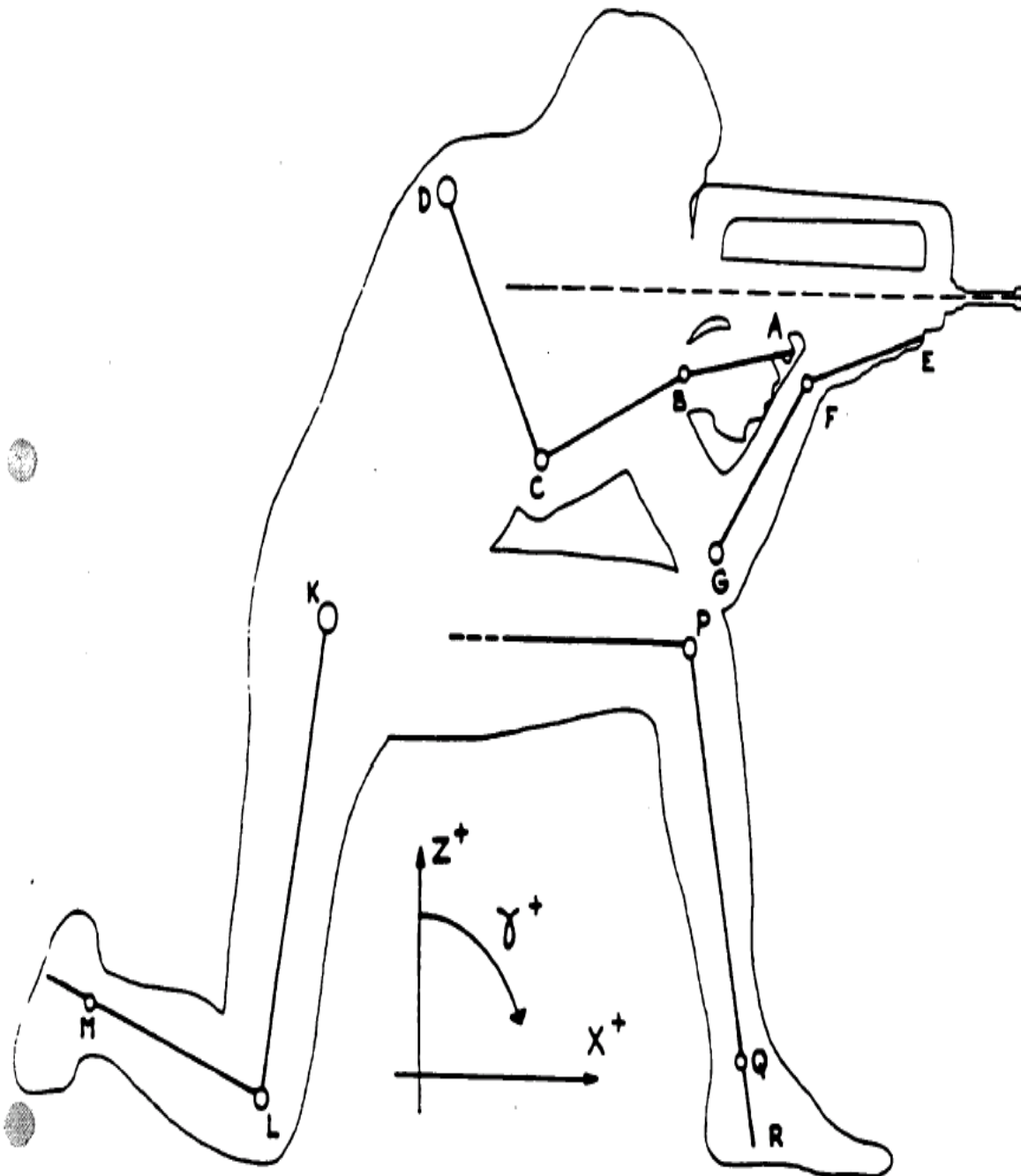


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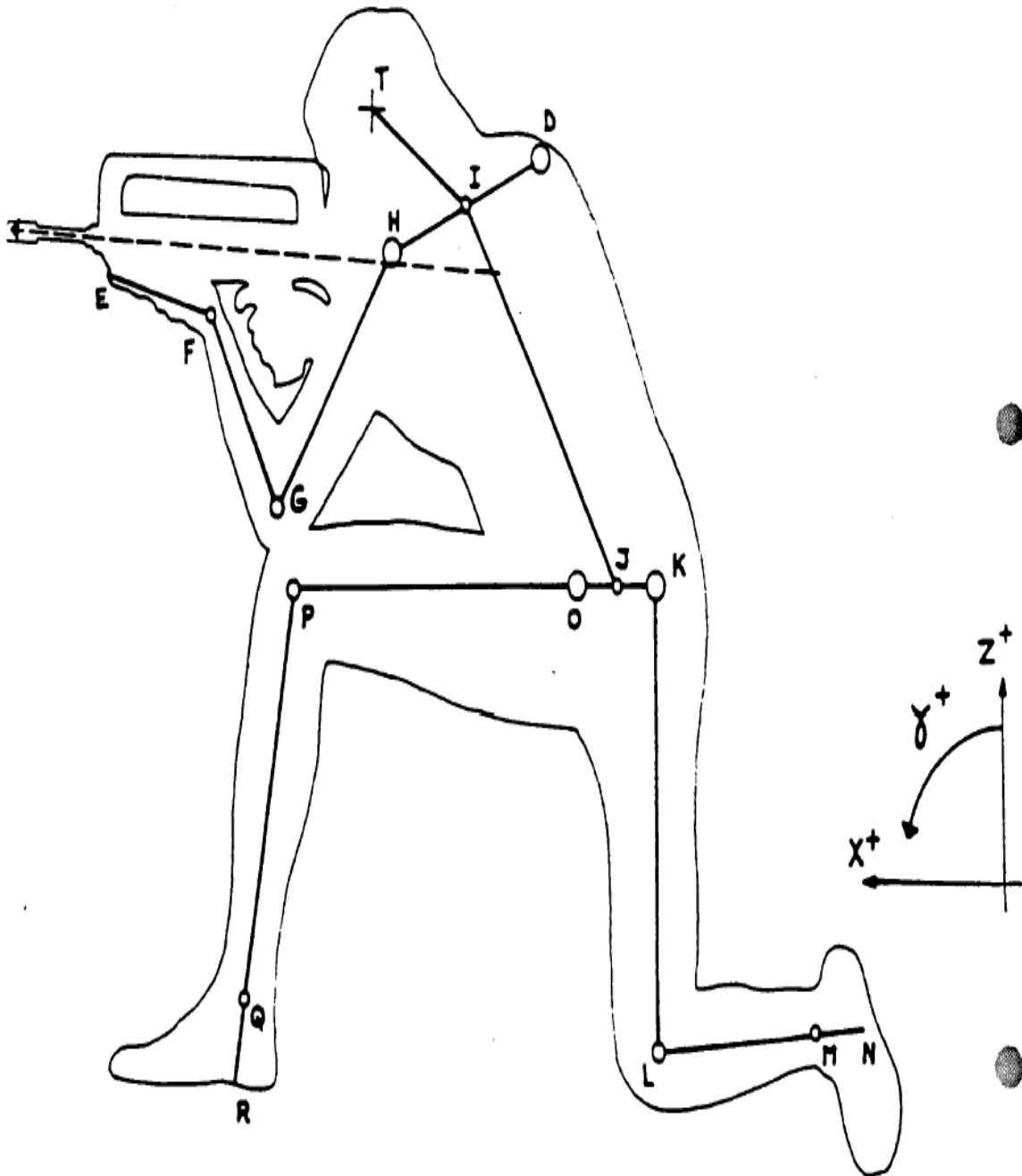
STANDING MAN

KNEELING MAN UNSUPPORTED										HT = 122
GEOMETRIC DEFINITIONS										
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		Apparent modulus B (cm)	Angle $\alpha (^{\circ})$	Apparent modulus C (cm)	Angle $\beta (^{\circ})$	Apparent modulus				
AB	19	17	30	9	45	15	80			
BC	26	20	30	14	45	21	60			
CD	30	29	-50	29	45	25	-40			
DH	40	40	45	23	0	22	90			
EF	19	17	-20	13	-30	16	80			
FG	26	21	-60	23	-30	18	25			
GH	30	29	-10	20	80	30	-50			
HI	20	20	45	12	0	11	90			
ID	20	20	45	12	0	11	90			
JI	50			46	-80	50	0			
KL	45			45	80	45	-5			
LM	40			32	10	22	-15			
MN	10			9	10	7	-15			
OP	45			15	10	45	90			
PQ	40			40	-85	40	10			
QR	10			10	-85	9	10			
IT	20	18	-40	14	-45	19	50			

KNEELING MAN, ARMS SUPPORTED
Inverse XOZ projection (right side view)
Scale : 10/75 ; Height : 10



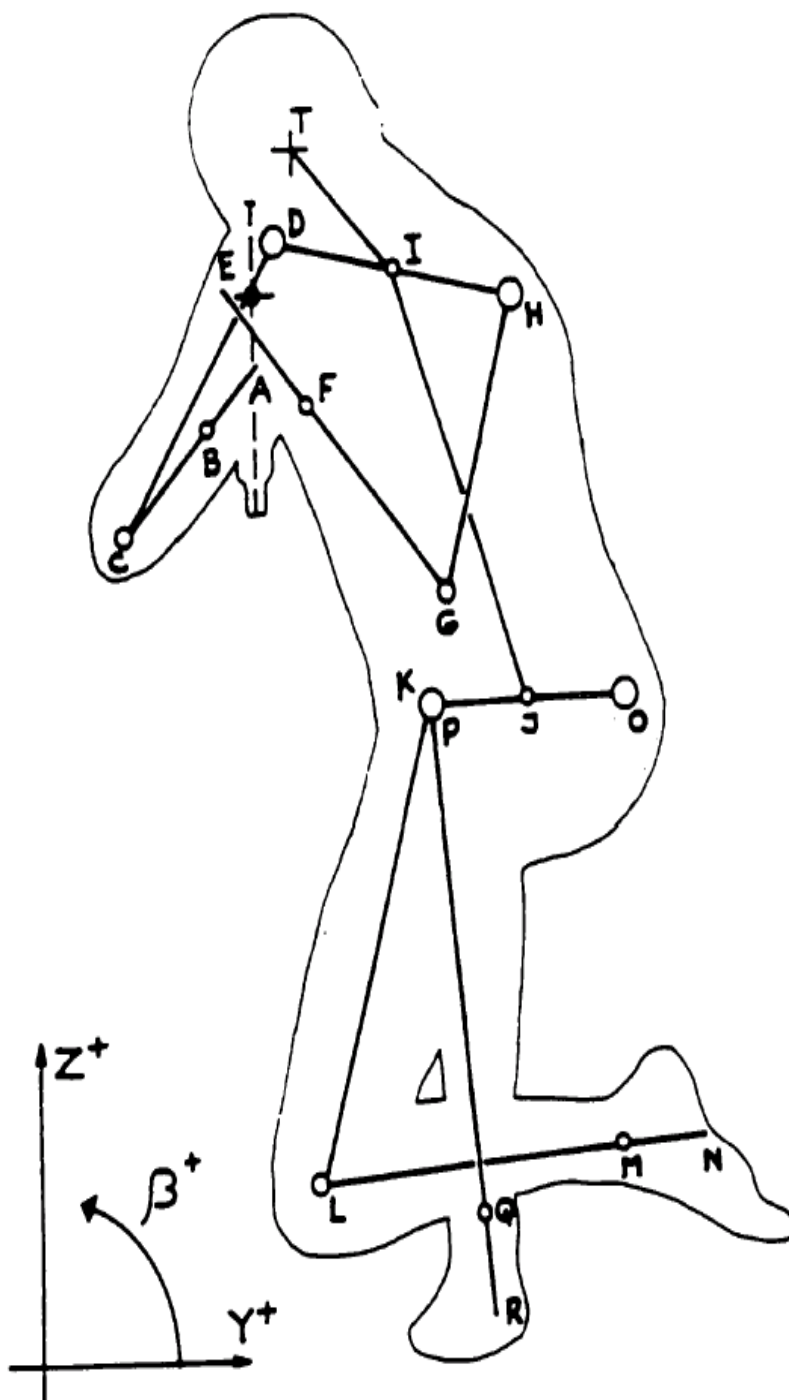
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Inverse XOZ projection (left side)
Scale : 10/80 ; Height : 108



KNEELING MAN, ARMS SUPPORTED

Inverse YOZ projection (front view)

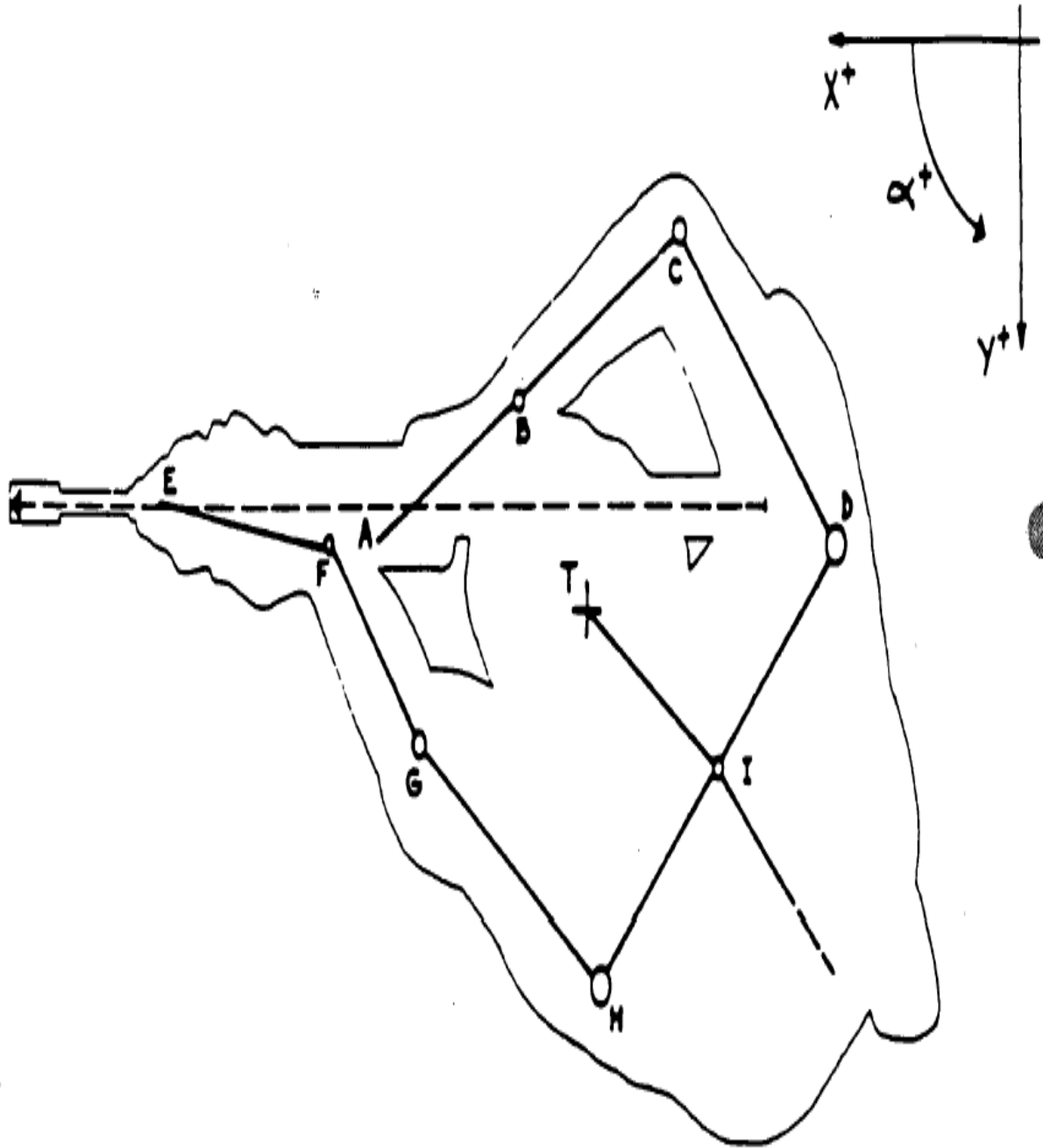
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KNEELING MAN, ARMS SUPPORTED

Inverse XOY projection (view from above)

Scale : 10/65; Height : 108



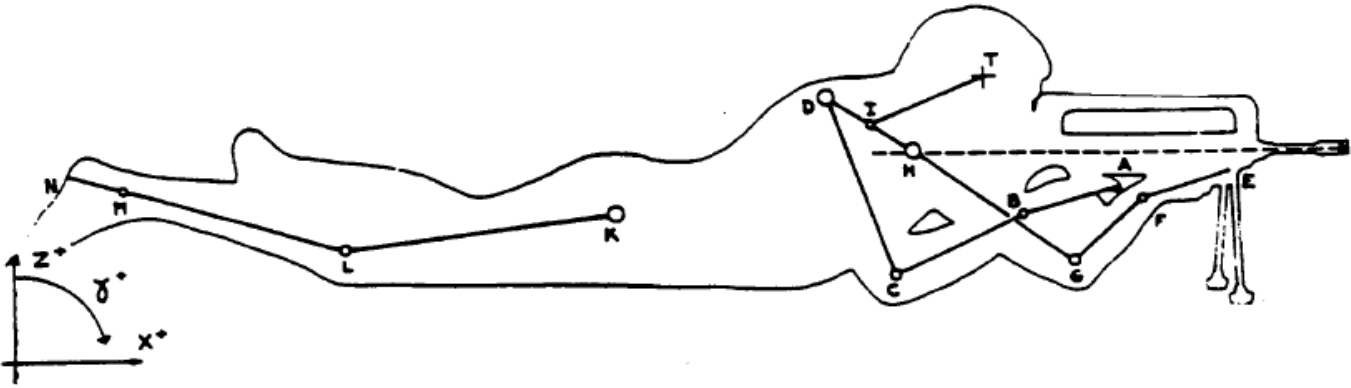
KNEELING MAN, ARMS SUPPORTED

		KNEELING MAN, SUPPORTED										HT = 122
GEOMETRIC DEFINITIONS												
Designation of segment	Real modulus (tone length) A (cm)	XOY Projection			YOZ Projection			XOZ Projection				
		Apparent modulus B (cm)	Angle α (°)	Apparent modulus C (cm)	Angle β (°)	Apparent modulus D (cm)	Angle γ (°)					
AB	19	17	30	8	45	16	80					
BC	26	21	30	13	45	22	68					
CD	30	27	-45	30	55	28	-30					
DH	40	40	45	26	-10	26	-65					
EF	19	18	-8	13	-47	17	75					
FG	26	17	-50	22	-47	22	27					
GH	30	26	-35	26	75	30	-35					
HI	20	20	45	13	-10	13	-65					
ID	20	20	45	13	-10	13	-65					
JI	50			40	-70	46	30					
KL	45			42	75	45	0					
LM	40			32	7	24	-85					
MN	10			9	7	7	-85					
OP	45			21	0	45	90					
PQ	40			40	-82	40	-10					
QR	10			9	-82	10	-10					
IT	20	19	-30	14	-45	18	55					

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PRONE MAN

Inverse XOZ projection (right side view)
Scale : 10/125; Height 48



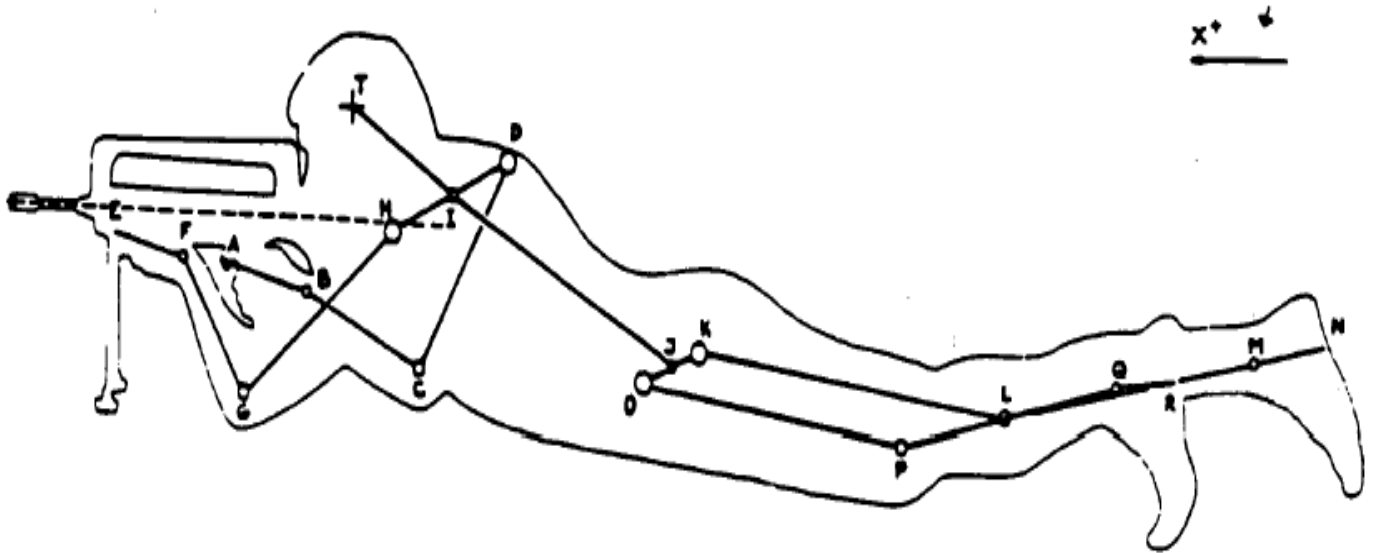
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PRONE MAN

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XOZ projection (left side)

Scale : 10/27; Height: 48

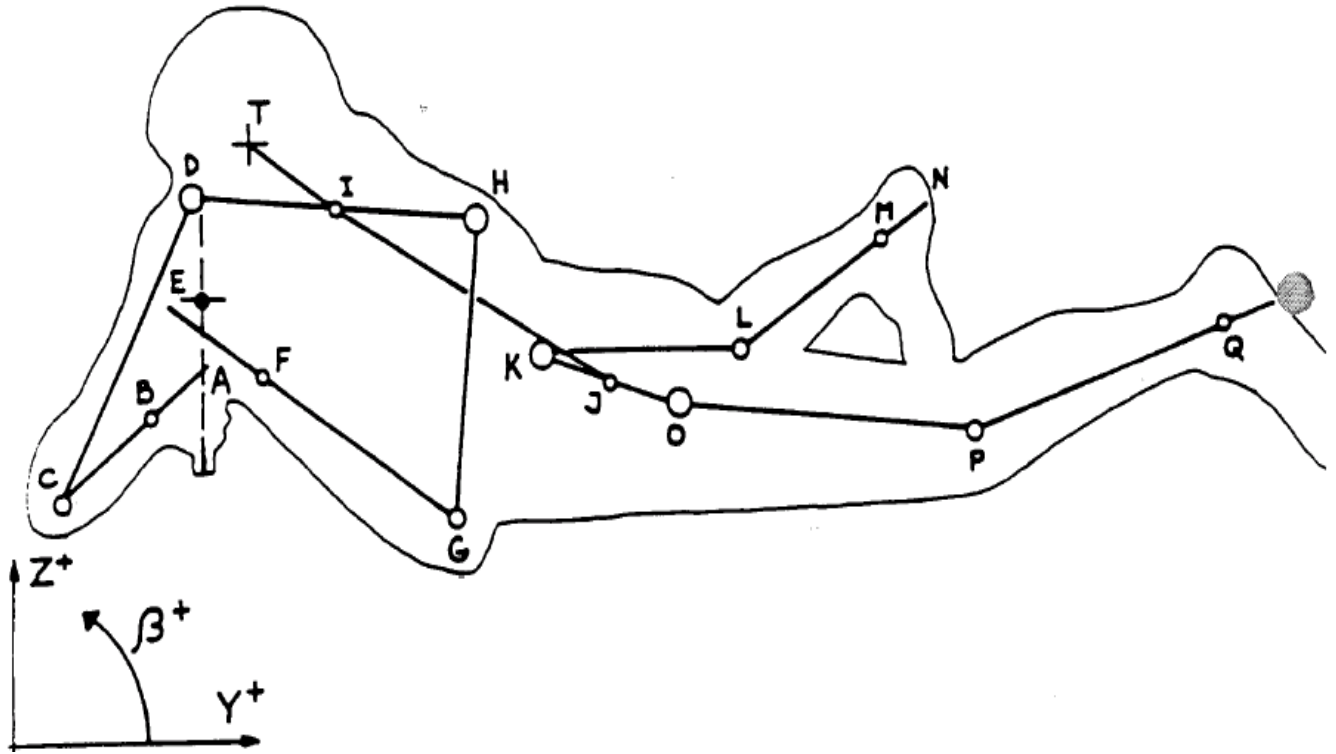


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PRONE MAN

YOZ projection (front view)

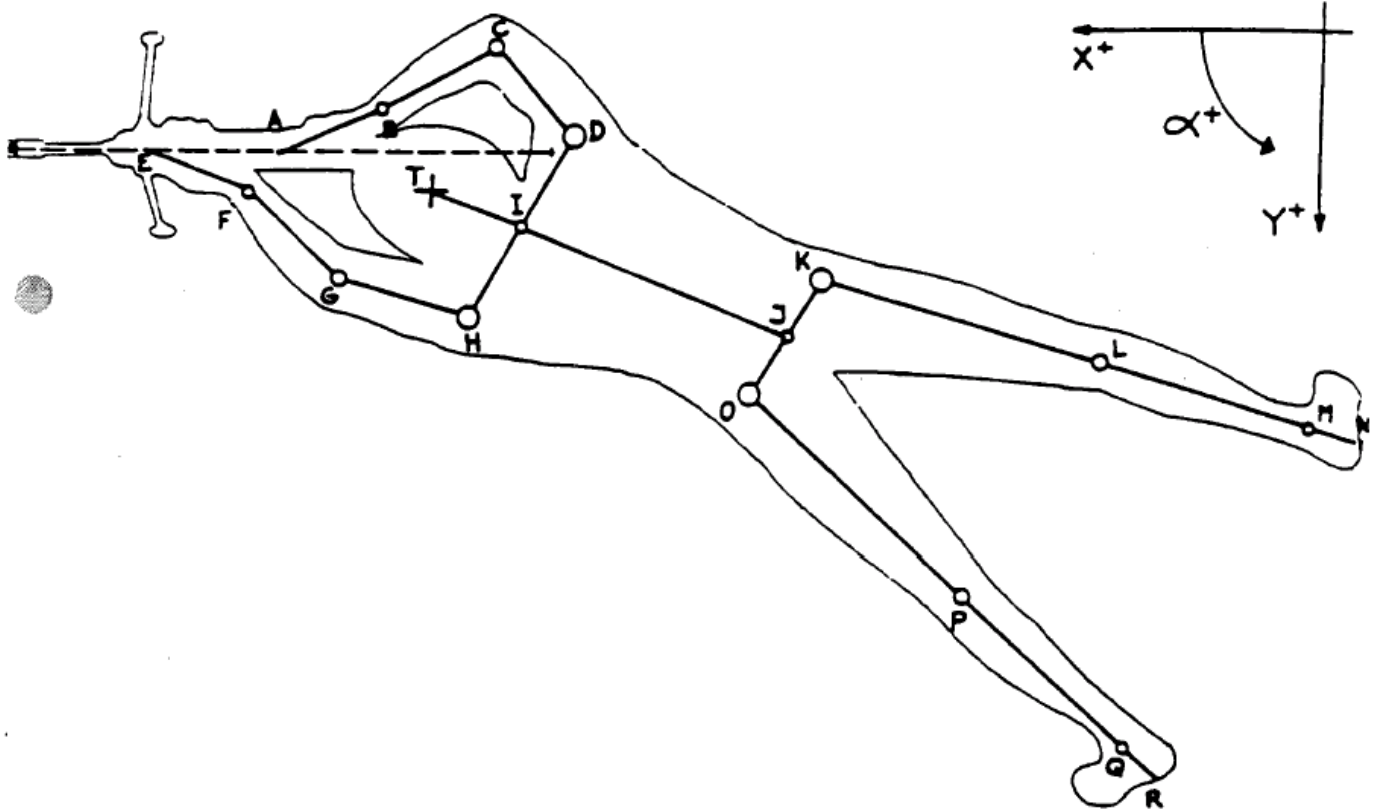
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XOY projection (view from above)
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PRONE MAN

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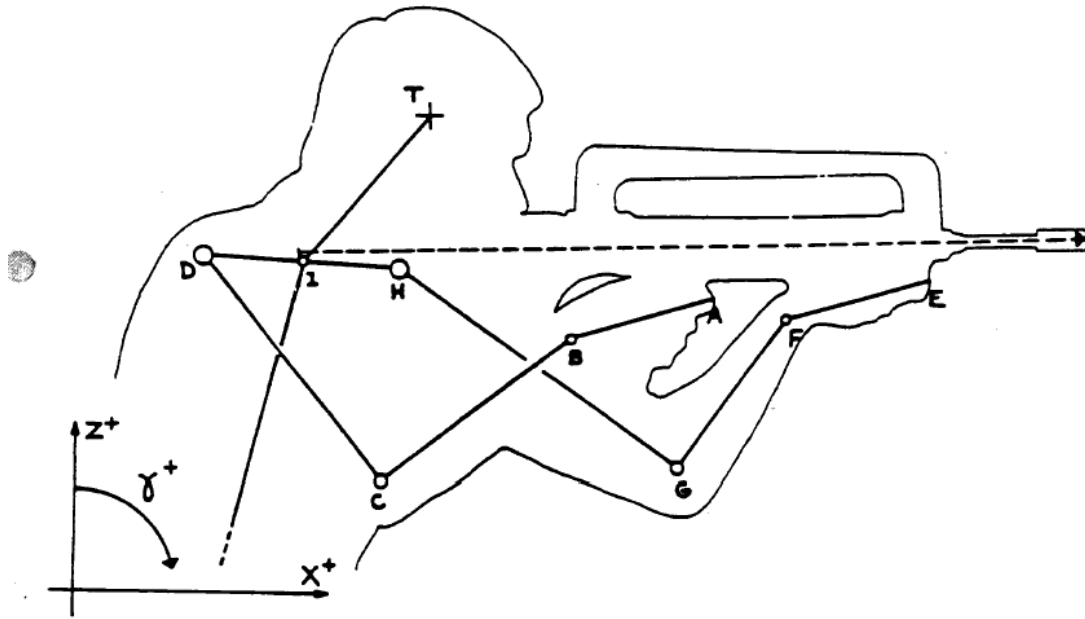
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		Apparent Modules B (cm)	Angle α (°)	Apparent Modules C (cm)	Angle β (°)	Apparent Modules D (cm)	Angle γ (°)
AB	19	15	23	8	40	15	75
BC	26	18	30	12	40	21	65
CD	30	15	-47	30	63	29	-30
DH	40	30	60	30	-5	22	-65
EF	19	15	-20	11	-32	11	75
FG	26	17	-43	24	-32	20	33
GH	30	19	-15	26	85	30	-50
HI	20	15	60	15	-5	11	-65
ID	20	15	60	15	-5	11	-65
JL	50	40	-20	33	-30	42	60
KL	45	40	-15	21	0	45	82
LM	40	30	-15	17	35	40	-80
MN	10	7	-15	5	35	10	-80
OP	45	40	-43	30	-5	43	80
PQ	40	30	-43	27	20	37	-78
QR	10	6	-43	6	20	9	-87
IT	20	13	-20	11	-35	19	60

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MAN IN FOXHOLE

Inverse XOZ projection (right side view)

Scale : 10/51; Height: 49

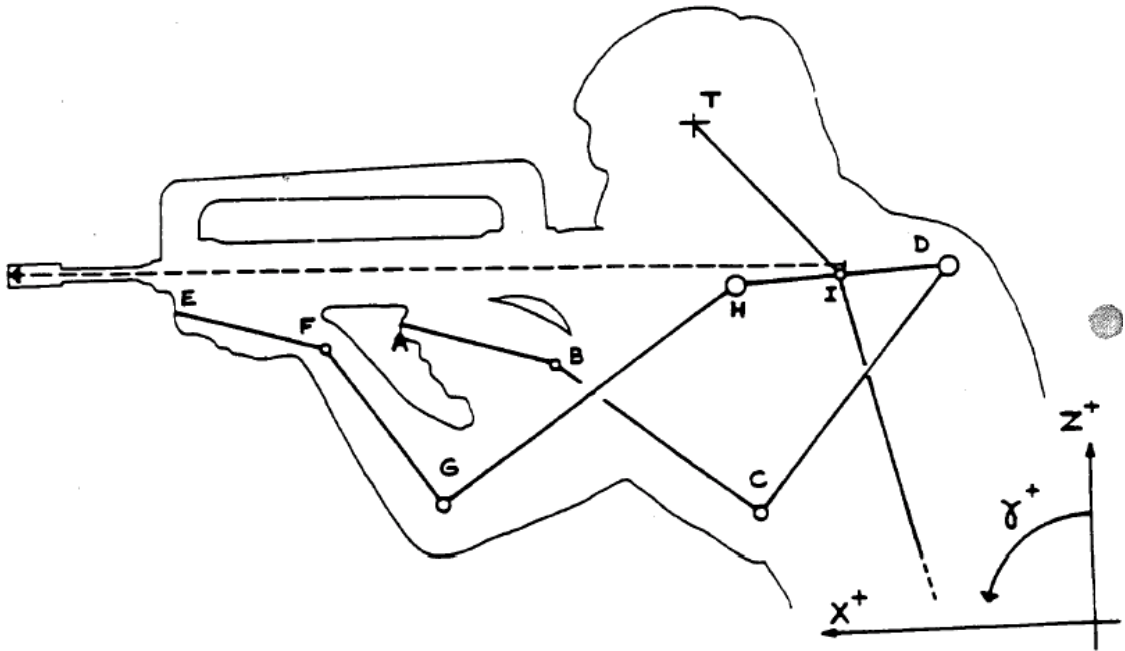


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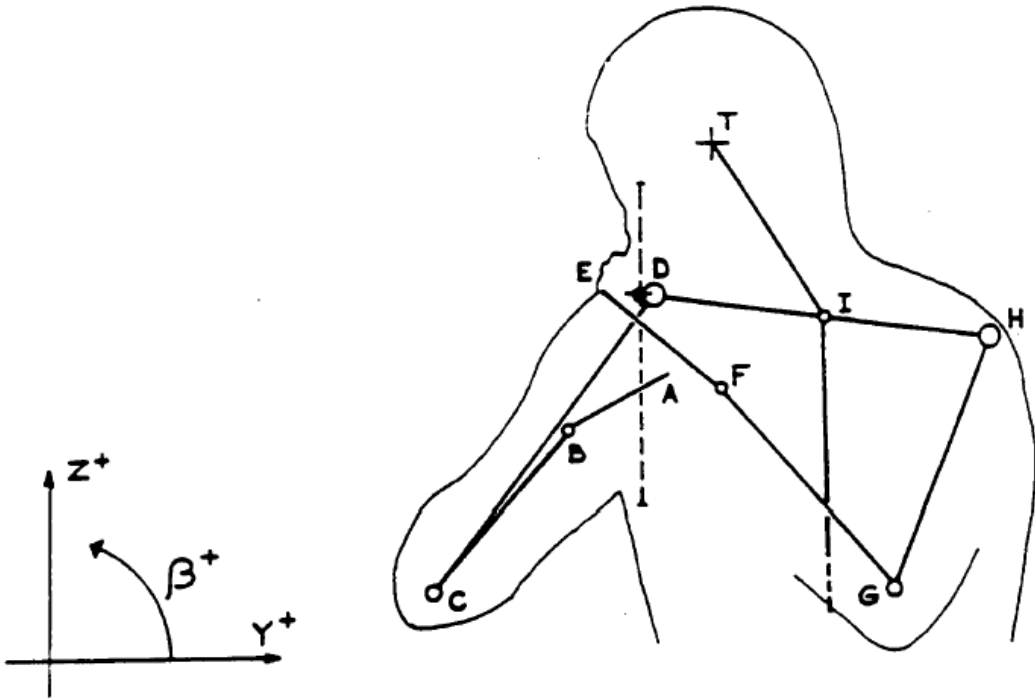
XOZ projection (left side view)

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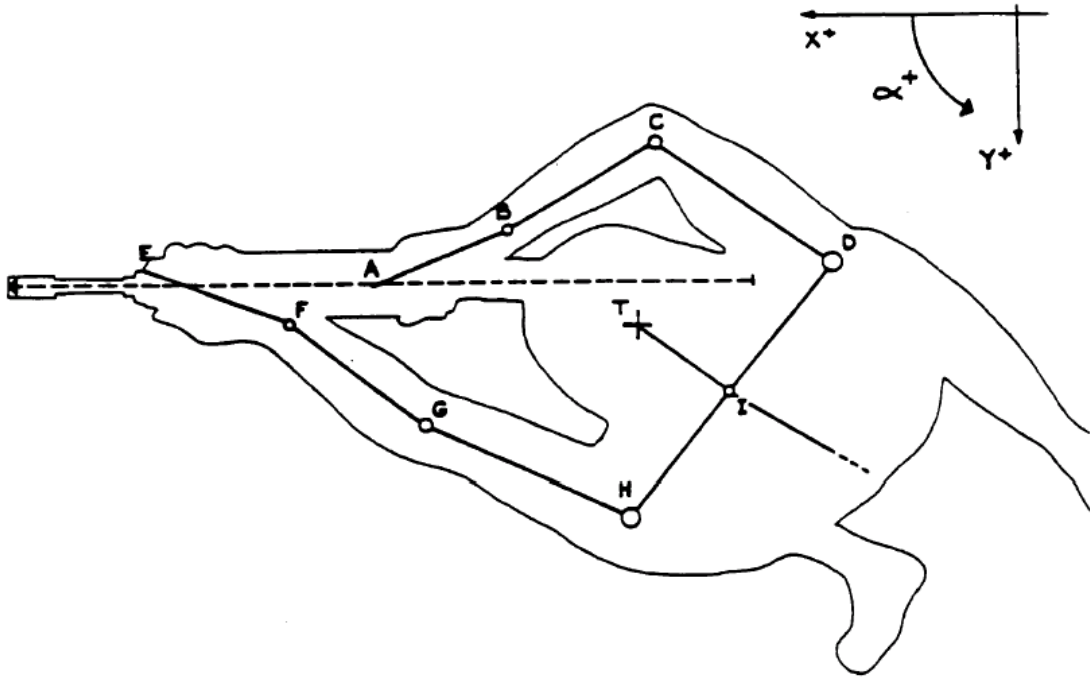
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MAN IN FOXHOLE
YOZ projection (front view)
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MAN IN FOXHOLE
XOY projection (view from above)
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MAN IN FOXHOLE

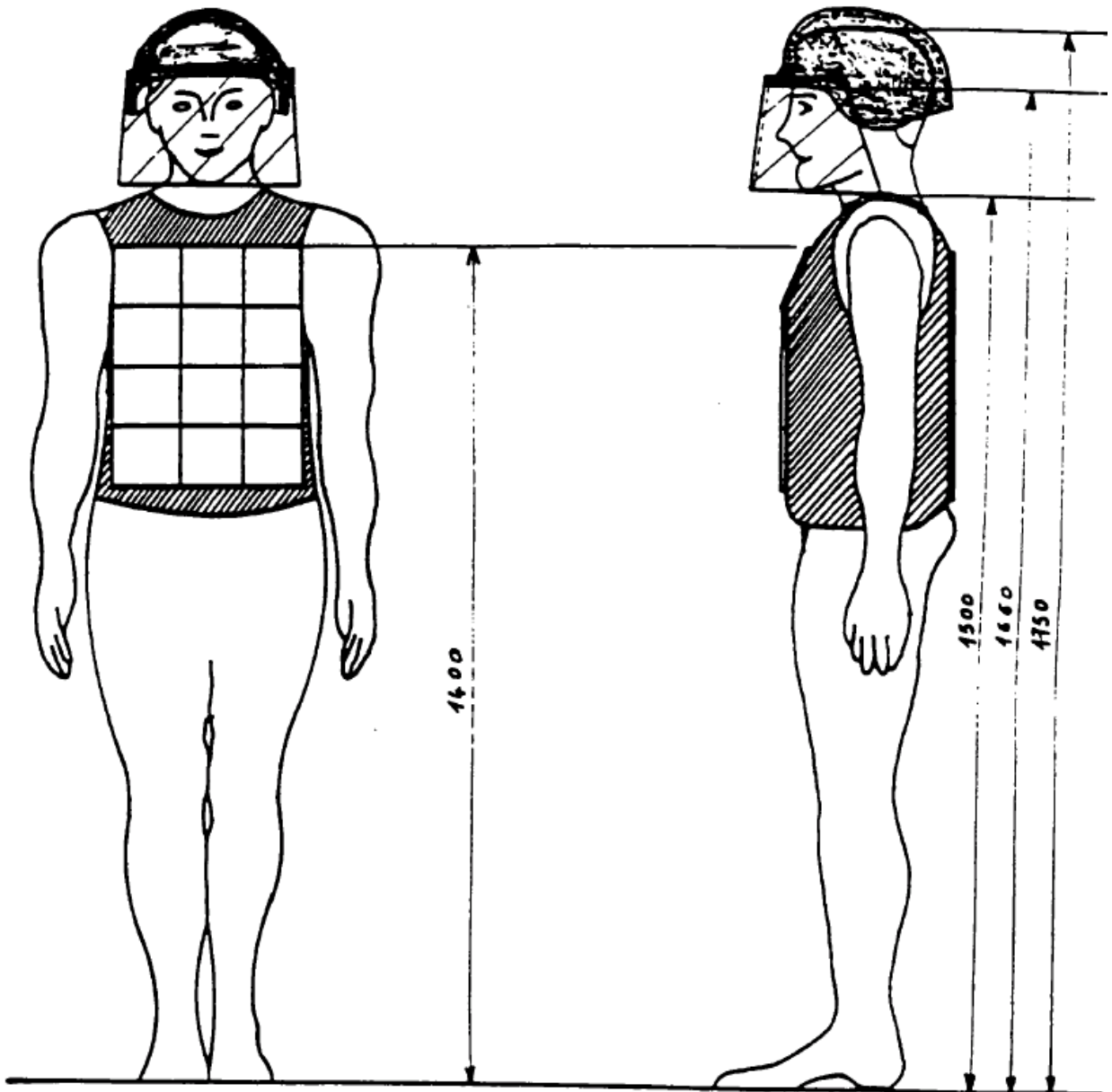
MAN IN FOXHOLE										HT = 122
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BC	26	18	30	17	50	23	53			
CD	30	22	-35	30	53	28	-40			
DH	40	34	50	28	-7	20	87			
EF	19	16	-20	13	-40	14	75			
FG	26	18	-35	22	-50	18	35			
GH	30	23	-23	22	68	30	-55			
HI	20	17	50	14	-7	10	87			
ID	20	17	50	14	-7	10	87			
JI	50									
KL	45									
LM	40									
MN	10									
OP	45									
PQ	40									
QR	10									
IT	20	12	-35	17	-57	18	40			

SUMMARY TABLE

POSTURE	Planimetric area of Target (m ²) and circumscribing rectangle (m)		
	XOZ projection (side view)	YOZ projection (front view)	XOY position (view from above)
STANDING MAN	0.46 H=1.40 L=1.05	0.37 H=1.40 l=0.50	0.33 l=0.50 L=1.05
KNEELING MAN (unsupported)	0.47 H=1.22 L=1.00	0.37 H=1.22 l=0.75	0.34 l=0.75 L=1.00
KNEELING MAN (supported)	0.47 H=1.08 L=1.20	0.32 H=1.08 l=0.74	0.45 l=0.74 L=1.20
PRONE MAN	0.43 H=0.48 L=2.08	0.27 H=0.48 l=1.32	0.59 l=1.32 L=2.08
FOXHOLE	0.19 H=0.49 L=0.80	0.15 H=0.49 l=0.52	0.20 l=0.52 L=0.80

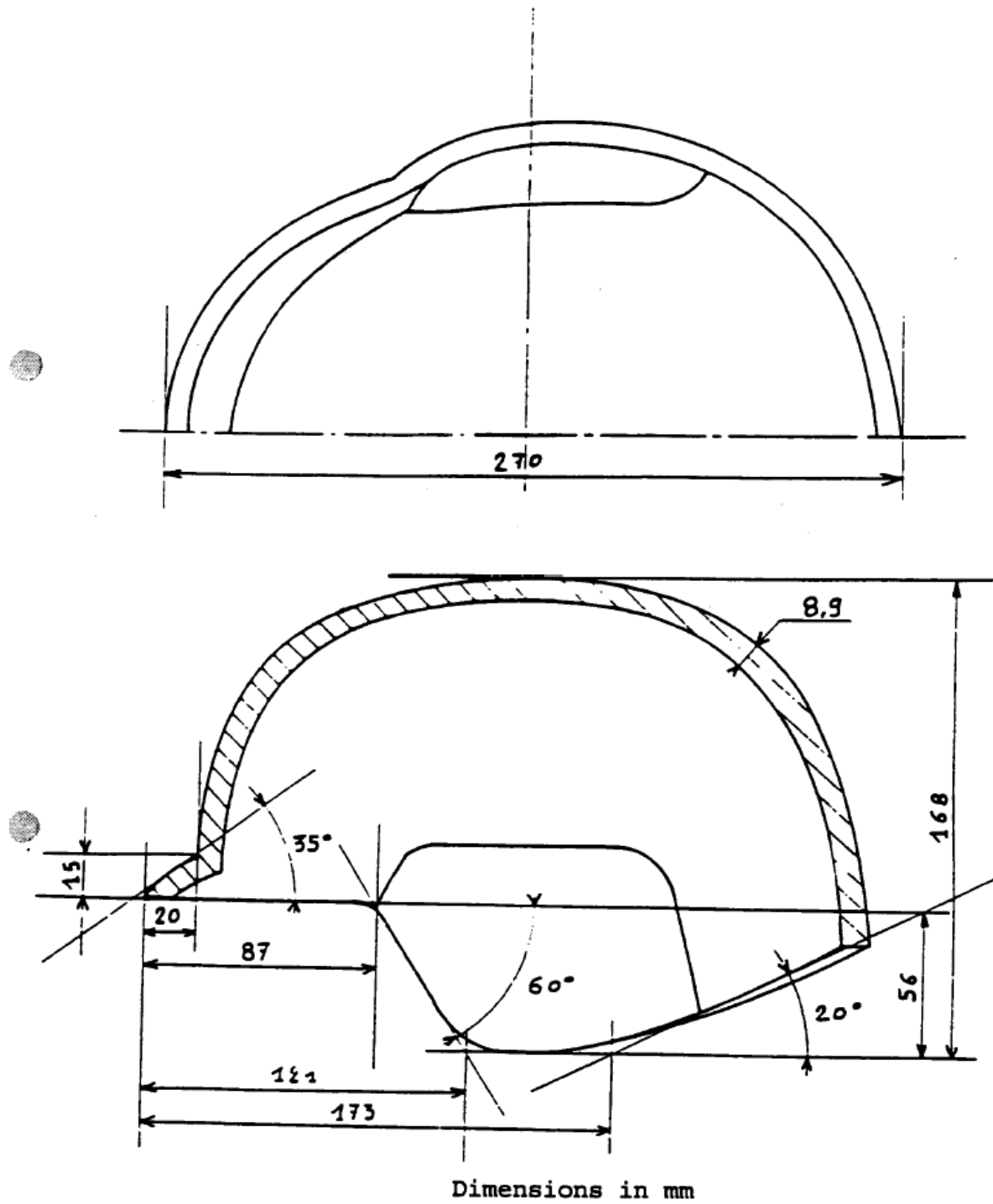
Protected Man Standing Erect

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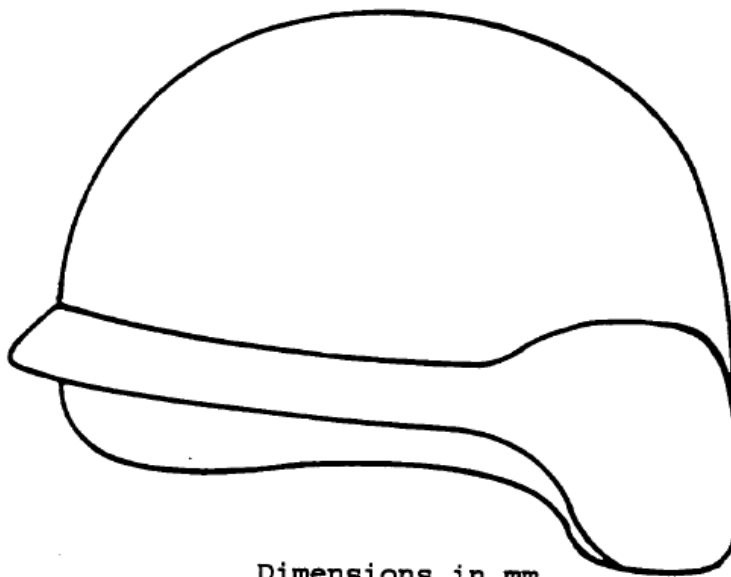
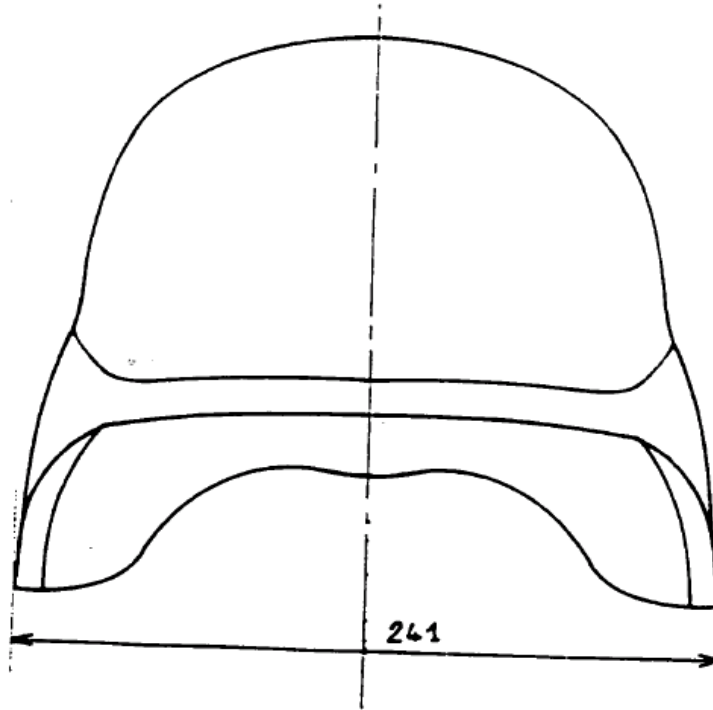


Dimensions in mm

Helmet



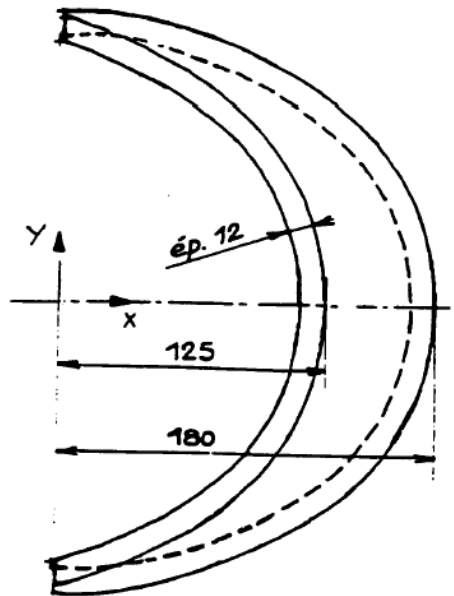
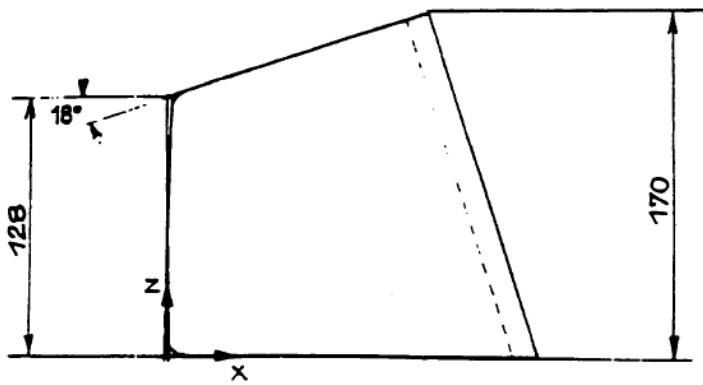
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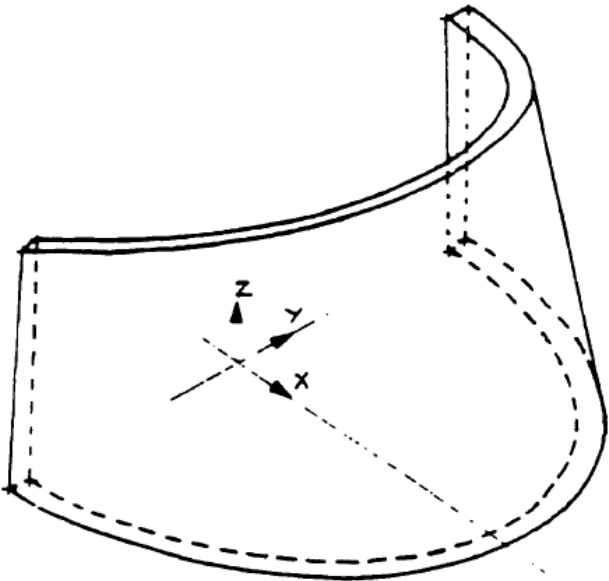
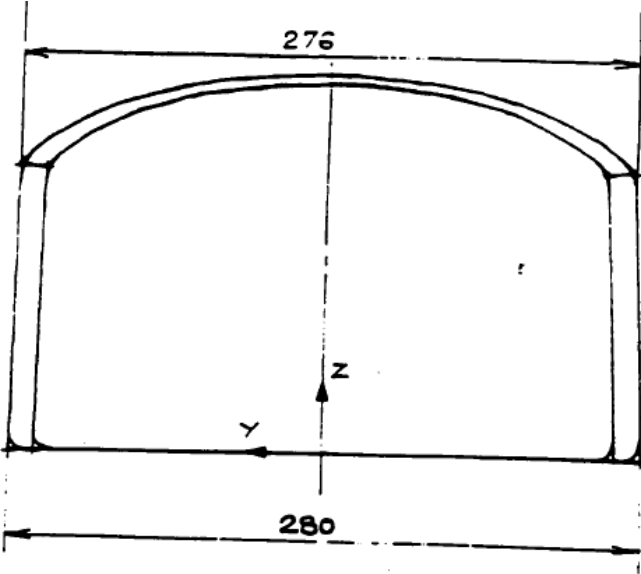
Dimensions in mm

Polycarbonate Visor

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Dimensions in mm



Dimensions in mm

SPLINTER –PROOF JACKET

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SPLINTER -PROOF JACKET

SPLINTER-PROOF JACKET OF ARAMID FIBRES WITH METAL PLATES
(Total weight 3.9 kg)

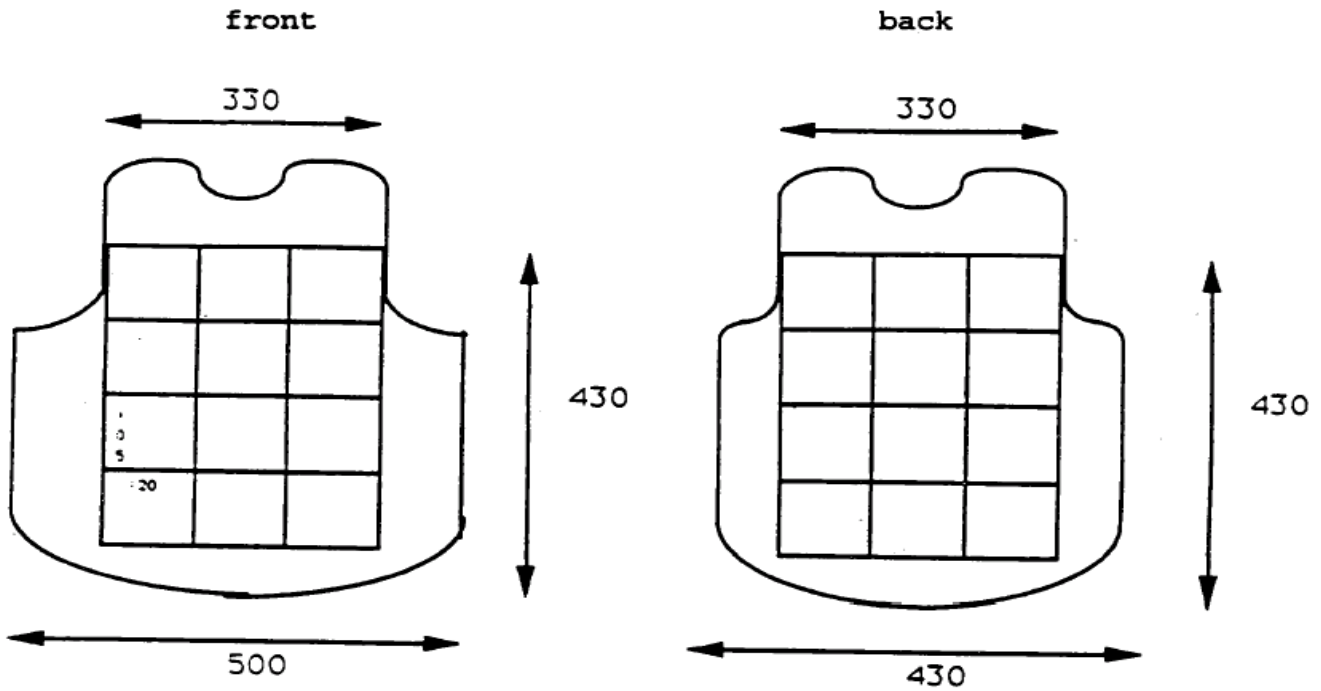


plate overlap: horizontal 16 mm vertical 6 mm

DESCRIPTION
TOTAL COVERAGE OF TORSO

HEIGHT PROTECTED

BACK	FRONT
430mm	430mm

COMPOSITION

24 PLATES

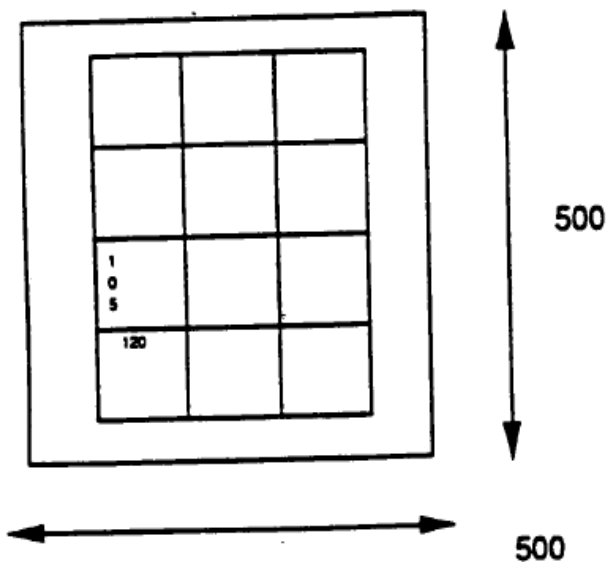
T1 equivalent
(UK IMI TITANIUM 318
F TA6V or equivalent)

120*105*1.6mm

Aramid fabric
20 LAYERS, corresponding with
UK/SC/4468
(for example KEVLAR 328)

SHOOTING RANGE TARGET

SPLINTER-PROOF JACKET OF ARAMID FIBRES AND METAL PLATES



**COMPOSITION
PLATES**

TI equivalent
(UK IMI TITANIUM 318
F TA 6 V
or equivalent)
120*105*1.6mm

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20 ARAMID LAYERS
e.g. corresponding with
KEVLAR 328 (or UK/sc/4468)

Plate overlap:

horizontal 16mm
vertical 6mm