



MySurvey Configuration: configuration files

Introduction

Some graphic MySurvey parameters can be set by editing the configuration files. These files usually have the extension conf. They can be found in the PROGRAMDATA folder for the MySurvey application. These files set out the default parameters to be applied to all projects.

However, some of these configuration files can be placed in the DATA folder for mySurvey projects. In this case, the configuration of the file in the project folder cancels and replaces the value of the parameter set at the PROGRAMDATA level.

List of the configuration files (not exhaustive)

- **SYSTEM.CONF:** *used to define the default system settings and folders used by mySurvey, such as the user's storage folder or the startup behaviour of the application. Not currently used within project folders.*
- **GRAPHICAL.CONF:** *this allows graphics settings to be adjusted such as displaying panoramic views and adjusting the performance of the application. Can be used within project folders.*
- **PROJECT.CONF:** only used when placed in the project folder. This lists the user IDs authorised to access the project in question and to define the rights to the project.
- **STATION-SHAPES.CONF:** contains the definitions and parameters representing the bullet points appearing on layout view 2D maps and representing the positions of stations.
- **ConfigFilter.xml:** defines the parameters of the filter engine used in the "SITES" and "GROUPS" tree view in mySurvey. This file should not be modified at this time. A definition of the relevant metadata fields is required.
- **resetUserConfig.conf:** this file is a special configuration file: it is not intended to define parameters but can be used to force re-initialisation of the station parameters of the users who access mySurvey by the executable relevant to this file. The modification date for this file must be later than the date on the user stations so they can be initialised. To do this, you can edit the text file and simply add a blank line and save the file. Not currently used within project folders.