

THIRD ORDER LEVELS
Sea Level Datum of 1929 (typ.)

DEPARTMENT of the INTERIOR
USGS GEOLOGICAL SURVEY (USGS)

ONAWA QUADRANGLE
160 - IOWA

Final Adjustment of 19?? (UNKNOWN)

ONAWA 15min. 1960's-1970's Quad. Benchmark Report
"NOT AVAILABLE" from IOWA DOT information (to-date)

2026_0924 (G. Tinker, Iowa DOT)

USGS Survey Benchmark data is NOT available on the Internet (to-date). Refer to following:
<https://www.usgs.gov/faqs/how-can-i-find-survey-benchmark-and-triangulation-station-information>
<https://libraryguides.usgs.gov/friendly.php?s=benchmarks/intro>

For information about marks set by the USGS, contact the National Geospatial Technical Operations Center at tnm_help@usgs.gov.

(per 2010_0506 legacy reference)

For Eastern U.S. vertical and horizontal control information contact USGS in Rolla, Missouri, by telephone 573-308-3500 or e-mail mcmcesic@usgs.gov.
(applicable for IOWA)

For Western U.S. vertical and horizontal control information contact USGS in Denver, Colorado, by telephone 303-202-4400 or e-mail infoservices@usgs.gov.

In addition, users may find the following applicable for reference, per private (non-government) resource at: <https://thesurveystation.com/usgs-datasheets/>

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Zhanna, have you tried to get USGS to scan & put online its own datasheets?
Have tried to get Kari Craun, former Director of the U.S. Geological Survey, National Geospatial Technical Operations Center (NGTOC) to do so but to no avail.
Similar with Juliana Blackwell, NGS director, for NGS to scan its collection of the USGS datasheets.
Can offer the datasheets scanned by the Rolla USGS office for the eastern states, some of which you already have.
Would you be inclined to write to Deb Haaland, Secretary of Interior, requesting this service?
Just did so, have not heard back.
Retired from NGS in 2013 after 23 years. Still looking for control marks.