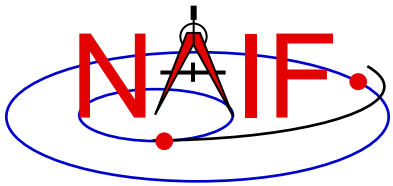


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Reading FKs and IKs

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- It may be useful for the student to examine a few existing Frames Kernels and Instrument Kernels to get a better understanding of the FK and IK tutorial information.
- NAIF suggests you use your browser to examine some of the following “real life” kernels. (You may use `http` in place of `ftp`.)
- **DEEP IMPACT:**
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/di-c-spice-6-v1.0/disp_1000/data/fk/
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/di-c-spice-6-v1.0/disp_1000/data/ik/
- **CASSINI:**
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/co-s_j_e_v-spice-6-v1.0/cosp_1000/data/fk/
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/co-s_j_e_v-spice-6-v1.0/cosp_1000/data/ik/
- **MESSENGER:**
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/mess-e_v_h-spice-6-v1.0/messsp_1000/data/fk/
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/mess-e_v_h-spice-6-v1.0/messsp_1000/data/ik/
- **MARS EXPRESS:**
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/mex-e_m-spice-6-v2.0/mexsp_2000/DATA/FK/
 - https://naif.jpl.nasa.gov/pub/naif/pds/data/mex-e_m-spice-6-v2.0/mexsp_2000/DATA/IK/