

## WMO Codes

Guide to WMO Table-Driven Code Forms  
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### Preface

*This guide has been prepared to assist experts who wish to use the WMO Table-driven Data Representation Forms BUFR and CREX. This Guide is designed in three layers to accommodate users with different levels of requirements.*

**Layer 1** is a general description designed for those who need to become familiar with the table driven code forms but do not need a detailed understanding.

**Layer 2** focuses on the functionality and application of BUFR and CREX, and is intended for those who must use software that encodes and/or decodes BUFR or CREX, but will not actually write the software.

**Layer 3** is intended for those who must actually write BUFR or CREX encoding and/or decoding software, although those wishing to study table driven codes in depth, will find it equally useful.

**Layer 1** - Basic Aspects of BUFR and CREX  
*and*

**Layer 2** - Functionality and Application of BUFR and CREX

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**Layer 3** - Detailed Description of the Code Forms BUFR and CREX for programmers of encoder/decoder software

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