



THE NATIONAL GRID

To refer to a particular point:—(1) Read for each half of the reference the double figures printed in large type in the margins, which denote tens of Kilometres and Kilometres. (2) Then, to obtain reading to nearest 100 metres, measure position of point in tenths from the grid lines, which are 1000 metres apart.

THUS TO GIVE A NORMAL NATIONAL GRID REFERENCE ON THIS SHEET

EXAMPLE		WHITLEY THORPE	
<p>East</p> <p>Take west edge of square in which point lies and read the large figures printed opposite this line on north or south margins.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Measure tenths Eastwards</p>	<p>55</p> <p>55b</p>	<p>North</p> <p>Take south edge of square in which point lies and read the large figures printed opposite this line on east or west margins.</p> <p style="text-align: center;">Measure tenths Northwards</p>	<p>26</p> <p>26b</p>
Reference		55b205	

Similar references occur at intervals of 100 Kilometres i.e. in each of the figured squares in the diagram. The figure indicating the square should be added where necessary; thus as the point is in square 44 it may be referred to as 44 / 55b205

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Metres

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Metres