



UTM and MTM zones in Canada

“Which zone am I currently working in?”





Summary

You're having difficulties figuring out which UTM or MTM zones your next job site is in? Here is a convenient tool for you.

There are two **KML files** that you can download and open with the **Google Earth software**, that show the approximate location of the limits of UTM and MTM zones in Canada. [Using these tools will let you zoom in and out a world map and help you determine efficiently \(and visually\) which zone your next job site is located in.](#)

You no longer need to rely on old paper maps that are too hard to read, and impractical.

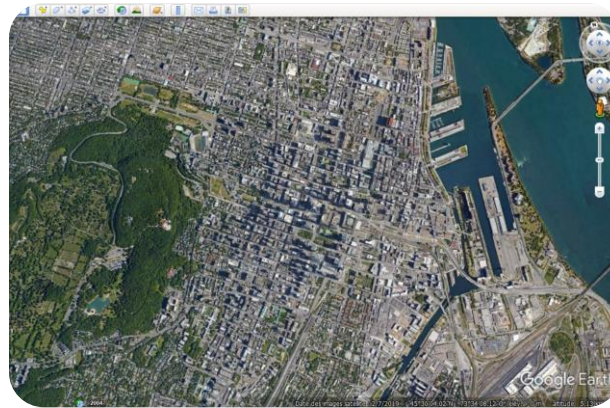
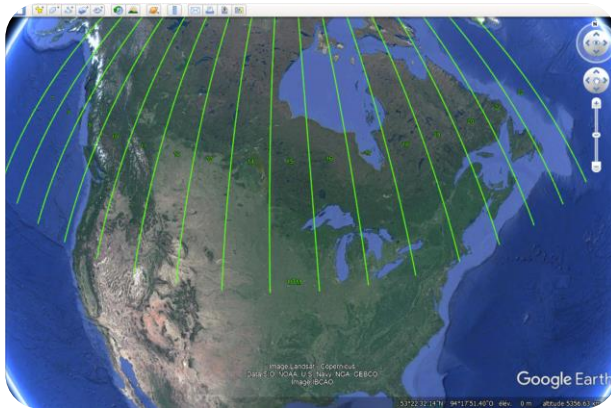


In case you didn't know...

« **Google Earth** is a computer program that renders a 3D representation of Earth based primarily on satellite imagery. The program maps the Earth by superimposing satellite images, aerial photography, and GIS data onto a 3D globe, allowing users to see cities and landscapes from various angles. »

(source: [Wikipedia](https://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Google_Earth))

This free software is one of, if not the most commonly used Geographic Information System (GIS) in the world. Furthermore, an [Android](#) and [iOS](#) app are also available for you to use with your smart devices.





To download Google Earth Pro for Windows (*free*)

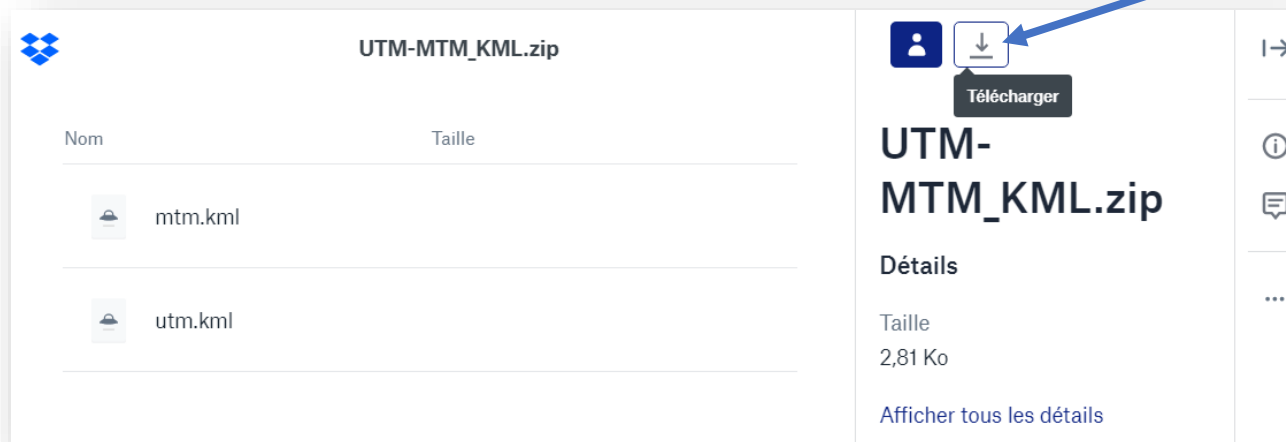
- Go to : <https://www.google.com/intl/en/earth/versions/>
- Click on « **Google Earth Pro on desktop** » ;
- Click on « **Download Earth Pro on desktop** » ;
- « **Accept & Download** » ;
- Complete the installation process by double-clicking on the file you just downloaded.



To download the KML files that show the limits of UTM and MTM zones in Canada

- Go to : https://www.dropbox.com/s/qs66d83xsxqsceq/UTM-MTM_KML.zip?dl=0
- Click on the « **Download** » icon, and then« **Direct download** »

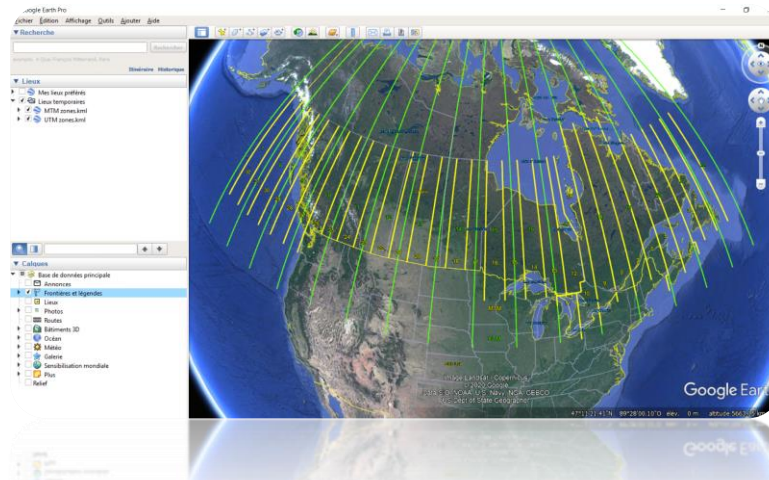
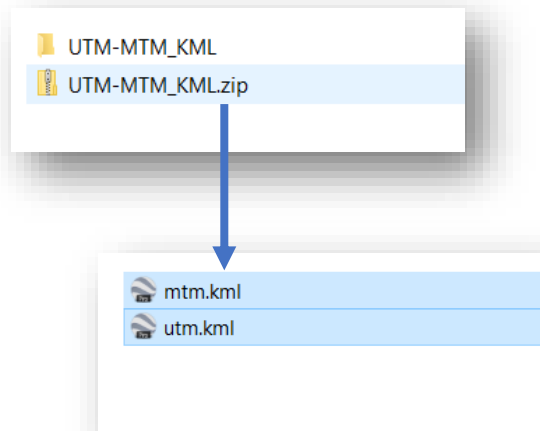
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And then...

- Move and unzip **UTM-MTM_KML.zip**, to a specific directory of your choosing on your computer or office server ;
- Double-click on **utm.kml** and/or **mtm.kml** to start Google Earth Pro and show the limits of all the different UTM and MTM zones in Canada.





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