Historic Declinations for Eigg Mountain (62° 9' W and 45° 42' N) ([Eigg Mountain Settlement History](file:///C%3A%5C%5CGIS%5C%5CAntigonish%5C%5CTexts%5C%5CEigg%5C%5CIntroduction.docx))

1810 19.7° W

1816 20.0

1828 20.4

1834 20.5

1861 22.9

[1886](../Texts/Eigg/Maps.docx%22%20%5Cl%20%22Geological) 23º 45’ (“twenty-three degrees, forty-five seconds:” a second is 1/60 of a degree)

1951 24º 43’

2006 19.6

2015 18° 10.08' W

For a discussion of the importance of declination see *[Making C](../Texts/Eigg/Making_Claim.docx%22%20%5Cl%20%22magnetic)**[laim to the Land](../Texts/Eigg/Making_Claim.docx%22%20%5Cl%20%22magnetic)*.