

# GeoPoint Conversion

GeoPoint fields in your data can make your map locations searchable. If your data doesn't have this value, you can generate it yourself by using other geographical data, such as latitude and longitude coordinates. Here's the formula that you can use:

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POINT(Latitude Longitude)
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This can be done by implementing the Calculated Field step in the Data Transformation module.

## Instructions

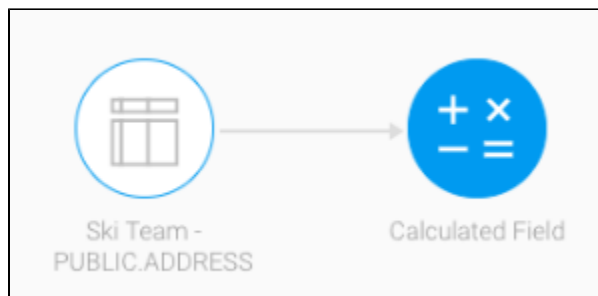
Here's a quick guide describing the steps to convert coordinates into a GeoPoint:

1. While in the Data Transformation module, configure an input step that contains the geographical data that you require.  
**Note:** Ensure that fields with latitude and longitude coordinates are included.

The screenshot shows the Data Transformation module interface. On the left, a table displays address data with columns for ADDRESSID, LATITUDE, and LONGITUDE. On the right, the configuration panel for the 'Ski Team - PUBLIC ADDRESS' step is visible, showing a list of fields to be extracted. The fields listed are ADDRESSID, ADDRESSLINE1, ADDRESSLINE2, ADDRESSLINE3, ADDRESSTYPE, ADDRESSTYPEDESCRIPTION, POSTCODE, LATITUDE, LONGITUDE, GEOPOINT, and ISOCODE. The fields LATITUDE and LONGITUDE are checked, indicating they are selected for extraction. An 'Apply' button is at the bottom of the configuration panel.

	ADDRESSID NUMERIC	LATITUDE NUMERIC	LONGITUDE NUMERIC
1	44260	46.180000	6.130000
2	44259	41.220000	13.930000
3	44258	52.150000	21.280000
4	44257	-37.650000	145.230000
5	44256	37.600000	126.970000
6	44294	35.930000	137.780000
7	44255	48.120000	16.400000

2. Next, drag a Calculated Field step from the Transformation Step list, and connect the input (or any other previous step you may have included) to it.



3. Bring up the this steps configurable details in the Transformation Flow panel, by clicking on the step. Click Add Item.

The screenshot shows the 'Calculated Field' configuration panel. The panel has tabs for 'Configure', 'Fields', 'Errors', and 'Details'. The 'Configure' tab is active. Below the tabs, there is a button labeled '+ Add Item' with a hand cursor icon pointing to it, indicating it is clickable.

4. The calculated field popup will appear.
5. Create a new field by providing the GeoPoint formula: **POINT(Latitude Longitude)**. Simply use the calculated fields to generate this formula, using the plus (+) operator to concatenate each value. The steps below will help with this:
  - a. Enter *POINT*( in the text field. Then click Add.

- b. Click the + (plus) button.
- c. Using the Select Field drop down list, select *Latitude*.
- d. Click + again.

- e. Include a space in the text field, and click Add again.
  - f. Press the + button.
  - g. Select the *Longitude* field from the drop down list.
  - h. Enter the closing parenthesis in the text field, before using the Add button.
6. Click on the Validate button to confirm the validity of this formula.

7. If validated, click Save. You will exit the popup.
8. The newly created calculated field column in the data preview panel will display the GeoPoint value.

	ADDRESSID NUMERIC	LATITUDE NUMERIC	LONGITUDE NUMERIC	Calculated Field Name TEXT
1	44260	46.180000	6.130000	POINT(46.180000 6.130000)
2	44259	41.220000	13.930000	POINT(41.220000 13.930000)
3	44258	52.150000	21.280000	POINT(52.150000 21.280000)
4	44257	-37.650000	145.230000	POINT(-37.650000 145.230000)
5	44256	37.600000	126.970000	POINT(37.600000 126.970000)
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Rename this new column to GeoPoint.