

# THE MOTION OF COMET WESTPHAL IN 1852–1974

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Two apparitions of Comet Westphal in 1852 and 1913 have been linked on the basis of 101 observations, the mean errors being equal to  $\pm 2''55$ . The perturbations from nine major planets and the possible influence of nongravitational forces have been taken into account. The elements and the ephemeride for 1974 have been computed.