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Civil/Military Objectives

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Iran Air 655





Civil/Military Objectives

- ...but safety is not the only CIV/MIL cooperation objective:
 - better effectiveness of military air operations, and intelligence
 - supporting the efficiency of the civil air navigation infrastructure
 - improved access to ‘civil’ airspace for military operations and military SUA or military controlled airspace for civilians
 - protection of the environment (less emissions and fuel usage)





Civil/Military Objectives

- In other words, it is a 'win-win' for everyone





Global Civil/Military Forum

- The Global Forum on Civil/Military Cooperation (Montreal, 19-21 October 2009) noted:
 - peace and stability are essential for social and economic development
 - mutual trust and confidence are principal requirements for collaboration between civil and military operations





Global Civil/Military Forum

- safety, security and efficiency are common civil and military values
- efficiency for civil aviation means more capacity, less delays, cost and fuel burn (emissions)
- cooperation and coordination are necessary through communication





Global Civil/Military Forum

- efficiency for military aviation means mission effectiveness (in peace and through crisis) and realistic training; more capacity, less delays, cost and fuel burn (emissions)
- civil/military cooperation is essential at national, regional and international levels
- airspace is a continuum - a common limited resource for civil and military users





ICAO Civil/Military Policies

- The following ICAO documents relate to civil/military:
 - Annex 11 contains civil/military coordination provisions, including:
 - minimising interference with normal operations of civil aircraft
 - minimising the size of military airspace
 - civil/military early coordination and direct communication
 - Annex 2 —provisions on coordination with military authorities

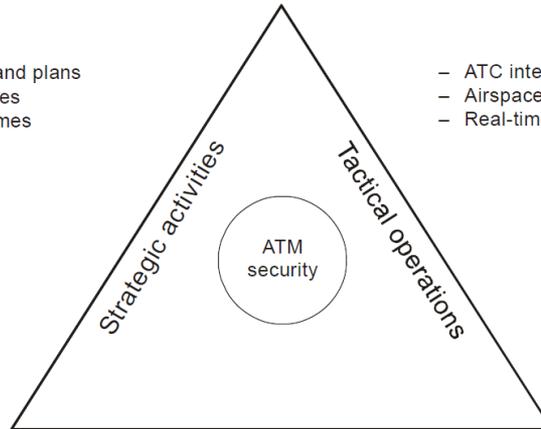




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Circular 330: an example of key civil/military cooperation components

- Policies and plans
- Procedures
- Programmes



- ATC intervention
- Airspace management and monitoring
- Real-time operational links

- Liaisons
- Interagency agreements and protocols
- Interoperable and shared automation and databases





ICAO Civil/Military Policies

- Flexible Use Airspace (FUA) is based on the principle that airspace-
 - *should not be designated as purely civil or military, but rather as a continuum in which all user requirements are accommodated to the greatest possible extent (Circular 330).*





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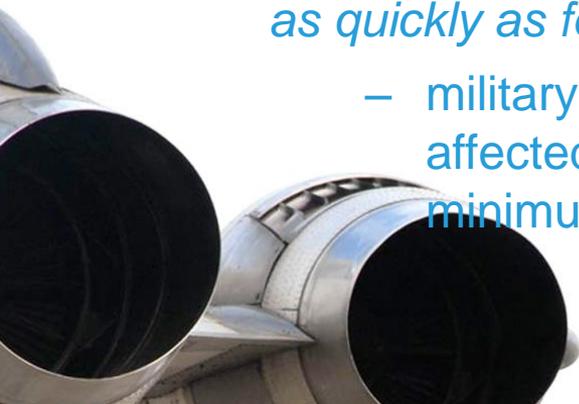




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ATM procedures for handling UAS should mirror those for manned aircraft whenever possible (Circular 330).

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SAR flights, whether civil or military, must be given high priority and handled as expeditiously as possible. (Circular 330).

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Circular 330 Development

- Circular 330 is being developed into a more comprehensive and higher level document by the end of 2016:
 - including text regarding the benefits of military participation and useful to both military and civilian organizations
 - will not just focus on Flexible Use Airspace (FUA)
 - ‘due regard’ GM





Conclusions

- Safety is a key objective of CIV/MIL cooperation but it is not the only deliverable
- CIV/MIL cooperation needs a systemic focus
- Pre-coordinated and promulgated activity is important
- Circular 330 provides global guidance, and is being updated





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