





ICAO and Environmental Protection

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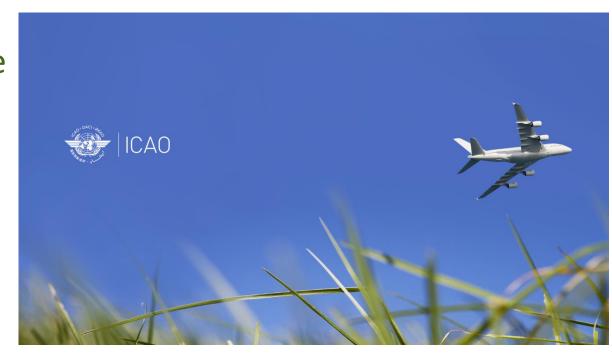
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ICAO Policies, SARPs and Guidance Material

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Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPS)

Annexes to the Chicago Convention

- Standards
 - Considered necessary for the safety or facilitation of international aviation
 - States are expected to adopt own regulations based on ICAO's standards
 - However, States often "file differences"
- Recommended Practices
 - Considered desirable for safety or facilitation of international aviation



Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPS)

19 Annexes to the Convention establish international SARPS for:

Annex 1 – Personnel Licensing

Annex 2 – Rules of the air

Annex 3 – Meteorology

Annex 4 – Aeronautical Charts

Annex 5 – Units of Measure

Annex 6 – Operations of Aircraft

Annex 7 – Registration

Annex 8 - Airworthiness

Annex 9 – Facilitation

Annex 10 – Communications

Annex 11 – Air Traffic

Annex 12 – Search and Rescue

Annex 13 – Accident Investigation

Annex 14 – Aerodromes

Annex 15 – Aeronautical Information Services

Annex 16 – Environmental protection

Annex 17 – Security

Annex 18 – Dangerous Goods

Annex 19 – Safety Management



The ICAO ENV goals



- ICAO serves as a multilateral platform for cooperation on international aviation environmental protection.
- Over the years, ICAO Member States have agreed to concentrate their aviation environmental collaboration on three core areas:
 - Climate change and aviation emissions
 - Aircraft noise
 - Local air quality



Committee on Aviation Environmental Protection (CAEP)

- established in 1983.
- assists the Council in formulating new policies and adopting new Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs) related to:
 - aircraft noise and emissions, and more generally to aviation environmental impact.
- scope of activities encompasses noise, local air quality (LAQ) and the basket of measures for reducing international aviation CO2 emissions,
 - including aircraft technology, operational improvement, sustainable aviation fuels and market-based measures (CORSIA).
- The Council reviews and adopts CAEP recommendations,
 - including amendments to the SARPs, and in turn reports to the ICAO Assembly

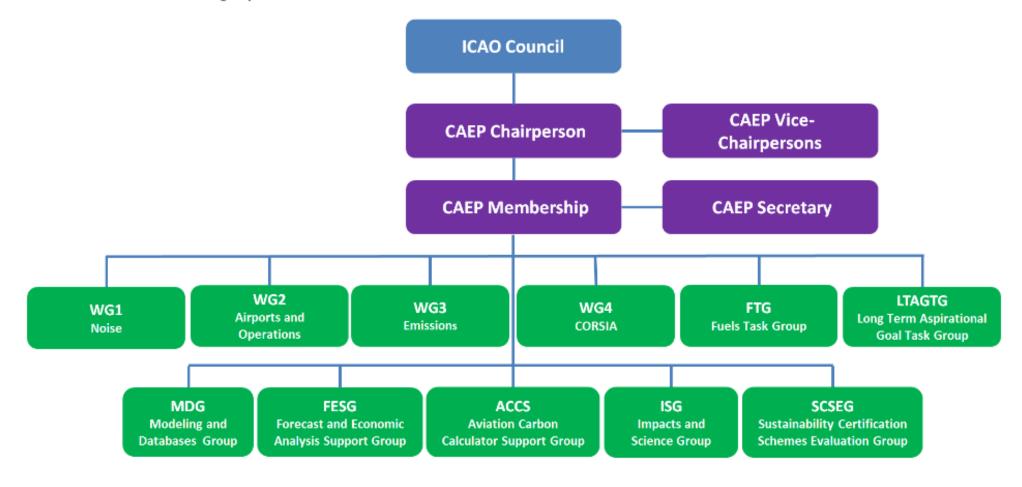


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CAEP Structure



CAEP Structure (Leading up to CAEP/13 in 2025)



CAEP Members and Observers

- As of May 2023, CAEP is composed of
 - 31 Members from all regions of the world and
 - 22 Observers.
- More than 1200 internationally-renowned experts are involved in CAEP activities and working groups.
- From Africa (Members):
 - Cote d'Ivoire
 - Egypt
 - Kenya
 - Nigeria
 - South Africa
- No Observer States from Africa
- AFCAC is one of the Regional State Organisations



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ICAO Policies, SARPs and Guidance

ICAO Policy



Chicago Convention

ICAO Assembly Resolutions A41-20, A41-21 and A41-22:

Consolidated statement of continuing ICAO policies and practices related to environmental protection

ICAO Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs)





Annex 16 - Environmental Protection:

Volume I, Aircraft Noise

Volume II, Aircraft Engine Emissions

Volume III, Aeroplane CO₂ Emissions

Volume IV, CORSIA

ICAO Guidance





Various guidance on noise, LAQ and climate change, e.g.:

Environmental Assessment of Proposed ATM Operational Changes (Doc 10031)

Environmental Technical Manual Volumes I- IV (Doc 9501 Vol IV)





QUESTIONS??



Thank You