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# New ICAO SARPs ICAO AIM document framework

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# New ICAO SARPs

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# ICAO AIM Document framework



Document	Function and Content	Primary Audience
Annex 15	Requirements and performance specifications	States
PANS-AIM	Procedures, processes, formats, technical specifications	States and service delivery organizations
AIS (AIM) Manual	Best practices; guidance on application and implementation	Service delivery organizations

- PAMS-AIM spans the gap between the guidance contained in Doc 8126 and the SARPs embodied in Annex 15

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## *Annex 15 restructuring*

- Re-development of chapters 4 to 11 and the restructuring of the existing SARPS into three new chapters:
  - *Chapter 4 - Scope of Aeronautical Data and Information*
  - *Chapter 5- Aeronautical Information Products and Services*
  - *Chapter 6 – Aeronautical Information Updates.*



11 Chapters  
6 Appendices  
(core +- 150p)



6 Chapters  
(core +- 40p)

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## *PANS-AIM*

# PANS-AIM

Since PANS primarily consist of material related to the standardization of how something is to be done material such as product specifications, standard procedures, and protocols are ideal material for promulgation as PANS.

- *Appendix 1 of Annex 15 concerning the formatting of an AIP;*
- *Appendices 2, 3, 5, and 6 of Annex 15 and material from Doc 8126 concerning NOTAM, SNOWTAM, and ASHTAM; and*
- *Material from Doc 8126 concerning AIP, AIP Supplements and AIC where it is desirable to elevate the material to a status beyond guidance.*
- *Quality management practices and data handling to achieve integrity requirements*



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## *PANS-AIM*

### CHAPTER 2. Aeronautical Information Management .....

- 2.1 Information management requirements .....
- 2.2 Data integrity monitoring and assurance .....

### CHAPTER 3. Quality Management .....

- 3.1 Quality management system .....

### CHAPTER 4. Aeronautical Data Requirements .....

- 4.1 Data origination requirements .....
- 4.2 Metadata requirements .....

### CHAPTER 5. Aeronautical Information Products and Services.....

- 5.1 General .....
- 5.2 Aeronautical information in a standardized presentation .....
- 5.3 Digital data .....
- 5.4 Distribution services .....
- 5.5 Pre-flight information services.....

### CHAPTER 6. Aeronautical Information Updates.....

- 6.1 Aeronautical Information Product updates ....



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## *AIS Manual*



- AIS Manual (Doc 8126) is being amended in conjunction with the restructured Annex 15 and new PANS-AIM
- Delete redundant elements
- Bring it in line with the latest Annex 15 and PANS-AIM technical changes
- Expand guidance (AIM organizational development, Data Catalogue, Service Level Agreements, etc.)

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## *AIS Manual*



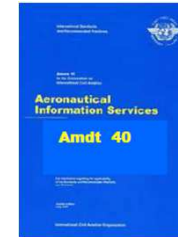
- Volume I AIM organisational development
- Volume II Origination of aeronautical data and aeronautical information
- Volume III Automation and electronic data exchange
- Volume IV AIP, AIP supplements and AIC, including updates
- Volume V NOTAM. SNOWTAM, ASHTAM



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## *Planning and applicability*

- Annex 15
  - New annex 15 date of applicability is 08-Nov-2018
  - Annex 15 contains SARPS of a more general nature, while the more detailed specifications are given in the AIS Manual (Doc 8126) and the new PANS-AIM (Doc 10066)
- PANS-AIM
  - New PANS-AIM adopted version is planned by June/July 2018
- AIS Manual
  - An update to the AIS Manual (Doc 8126) is planned by November 2018



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## *Major changes - Definitions*

- New
  - Aeronautical chart, Data completeness, Data format, Data timeliness, Data traceability, Next intended user, Origination (aeronautical data or aeronautical information), Originator (aeronautical data or aeronautical information)
- Changes
  - Data accuracy, Data integrity, Data quality, Data resolution, SNOWTAM
- Withdrawn
  - AIS product, Integrated Aeronautical Information package
- Replacement:
  - Term "published" replaced with the term "provided"
  - "Integrated Aeronautical Information Package" replaced by "AIM Product"

# ICAO AIM Document framework

## *Major changes - Requirements*

- PANS-AIM Information management requirements (2.1)
  - New processes for collection, processing, quality control and distribution have been defined
- PANS-AIM Data origination requirements (4.1)
  - Additional specifications
- Annex 15 Data quality specifications (3.2)
  - Additional characteristics of quality:
    - Timeliness, Completeness, Traceability and format
- PAMS-AIM NOTAM (5.2.5, 5.4.2)
  - Update of rules for NOTAM publication and distribution, and for which information SHALL/SHALL NOT be notified by NOTAM

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## *Major changes – Data sets and AIP*

- Annex 15 AIP dataset (5.3.2)
  - *An AIP data set should be provided covering the extent of information as provided in the AIP*
  - *The AIP data set shall contain the digital representation of aeronautical information of lasting character (permanent information and long duration temporary changes) essential to air navigation*
  - *When it is not possible to provide a complete AIP data set, the data subset(s) that are available should be provided*
- Annex 15 Copyright (2.4.2)
  - *When aeronautical information and aeronautical data is provided to a State in accordance with 2.3.8 (digital data sets), the receiving State shall not provide digital data sets of the providing State to any third party without the consent of the providing State*

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## Major changes – Data sets and AIP

- PANS-AIM AIP (5.2.1)

- When AIP data sets are published in a digital format, the corresponding part of the AIP may be left blank.

- The following sections of the AIP may be left blank and a reference to the data set availability shall be provided

1. *ENR 2.1 FIR, UIR, TMA*
2. *ENR 3.1 Lower ATS Routes*
3. *ENR 3.2 Upper ATS Routes*
4. *ENR 3.3 Area Navigation (RNAV) Routes*
5. *ENR 3.4 Helicopter Routes*
6. *ENR 3.5 Other Routes*
7. *ENR 3.6 En-route Holding*
8. *ENR 4.1 Radio navigation aids — en-route*
9. *ENR 4.4 Name-code designators for significant points*
10. *ENR 4.5 Aeronautical Ground Lights — En-route*
11. *ENR 5.1 Prohibited, Restricted and Danger Areas*
12. *ENR 5.2 Military exercise and training areas and air defence*
13. *ENR 5.3.1 Other activities of a dangerous nature*
14. *ENR 5.5 Aerial sporting and recreational activities*
15. *\*\*\*\* AD 2.19 Radio navigation and landing aids*
16. *\*\*\*\* AD 3.18 Radio navigation and landing aids*

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## *Major changes – Aeronautical information updates*

- PANS-AIM Specifications for NOTAM (6.1.4)
  - PERM NOTAM information shall within 3 months be included in the Aeronautical Information products affected
  - Temporary NOTAM information of long duration shall within 3 months be published as AIP SUP
  - EST NOTAM exceeding 3 months validity shall be replaced by NOTAMR, or information be published as AIP SUP

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## *Major changes – Digital data sets*

- Digital data sets (5.3) - Two new datasets:
  - AIP Data Set – Digital data necessary for flight-planning and en-route navigation (routes, nav aids, points, airspace, airport, etc.)
  - Instrument Flight Procedures Data Sets – Digital representation of SID, STAR and Approach Procedures for airports
- Those two new data sets complement the data sets that were already specified in the Annex 15:
  - Obstacle data sets
  - Terrain data sets
  - Aerodrome mapping data sets

*Detailed specifications concerning the content of the digital data sets are contained in the PANS-AIM Appendix 1 – Data Catalogue*



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## PANS-AIM Appendix 1 - Data Catalogue

- Description of the AIM data scope
- A common language to facilitate the formal arrangements between data originators and the aeronautical information service
- Single source of all data quality requirements
- Allow the verification of correctness of received data
- Support further electronic processing without any future human intervention

	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I
1	<b>Table A 1-1 Aerodrome/Heliport data</b>								
2	Subject	Property	Sub-Property	Type	Description	Note	Accuracy	Integrity	Orig Type
3	Aerodrome / Heliport				A defined area on land or water (including any buildings, installations and equipment) intended to be used either wholly or in part for the arrival, departure and surface movement of aircraft.				
4		Designator			Designator of the aerodrome / heliport				
5			ICAO location indicator	Text	The four letter ICAO location indicator of the aerodrome/heliport, as listed in ICAO DOC 7910 (Location Indicators).	If any			
6			Designator IATA	Text	The identifier that is assigned to a location in accordance with rules (resolution 767) governed by the International Air Transport Association (IATA).	If any			
7			Other	Text	A locally defined airport identifier, if other than an ICAO Location Indicator				
8		Name		Text	The primary official name of an aerodrome as designated by an appropriate authority.				
9		Served city		Text	The full name of the city or town the aerodrome/heliport is serving				
10		Type of traffic permitted							
11			International_national	Code list	Indication if international and/or national flights are permitted at the aerodrome/heliport.				
12			IFR_VFR	Code list	Indication if IFR and/or VFR flights are permitted at the aerodrome/heliport.				
13			Sched_nonsched	Code list	Indication if scheduled and/or nonscheduled flights are permitted at the aerodrome/heliport.				
14			Civil_military	Code list	Indication if civil commercial aviation and/or general aviation and/or military flights are permitted at the aerodrome/heliport.				
15			Restricted_use	Text	Indication if an aerodrome or heliport is not open for the public (Only for the use of the owners).				

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## PANS-AIM Appendix 1 - Data Catalogue

### List of subjects:

- Table A1-1 Aerodrome data
- Table A1-2 Airspace data
- Table A1-3 ATS and other routes data;
- Table A1-4 Instrument flight procedure data
- Table A1-5 Radio navigation aids/systems data
- Table A1-6 Obstacle data
- Table A1-7 Geographic data
- Table A1-8 Terrain data
- Table A1-9 Data types
- Table A1-10 Information about national and local regulations, services and procedures

1	A	B	C	D	E	F	G	H	I	J	K	
2	Subject	Property	Sub-Property	Type	Description	Note	Accuracy	Integrity	Orig. Type	Pub. Rec.	Chan. R.	
3	Table A1-2 Airspace data											
3	ATS Airspace				Aspect(s) of defined dimensions, alphabetically designated, within which specific types of flight may operate and for which air traffic services and Type of ATS airspace according to ICAO Annex 11							
4		Type		Text	The designator given to an airspace by a responsible authority							
5		Designation		Text	The surface defining the horizontal shape of the Airspace					see Note 1)		
6		Lateral limits		Polygon								
7		Vertical limits										
8			Upper limit	Altitude	The upper limit of the airspace							
9			Lower limit	Altitude	The lower limit of the airspace		50 m	routine	calculated	50 m or 100 ft	50 m or ft	
10		Class of airspace		Code list	A categorisation of airspace which determines the operating rules, flight requirements, and services provided							

1	A	B	C	D	E	F	
2	Subject	Property	Sub-Property	Type	Description	Note	
3	Table A1-3 ATS and other routes data						
3	ATS Route				A specified route designed for channeling the flow of traffic as necessary for the provision of air traffic services		
4		Designator		Text	Designators for ATS routes according to Annex 11 Appendix 1) (or Appendix 3 for standard departure and arrival routes)		
5		Designator prefix		Text	The prefix of the route designator (as specified in Note 1)		
6	Other Route				A specified route designed for channeling the flow of traffic as necessary without provision of air traffic services		
7		Designator		Text	Designator of the route		
8		Type		Text	Type of route (e.g. VFR uncontrolled navigation routes)		
9		Flight rules		Code list	Information on the flight rules that apply on the route (VFR, IFR)		
10	Route segment				Designator of the navigation specification(s) applicable to a specified segment(s) - There are two kinds of navigation specifications: Required navigation performance (RNP) specification: A navigation specification based on area navigation that includes the requirement for performance monitoring and alerting, designated by the prefix RNP, e.g. RNP 4, RNP APCH Area navigation (RNAV) specification: A navigation specification based on area navigation		

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2	Subject	Property	Sub-Property	Type	Description	Note	Accuracy	Integrity	Orig. Type	
3	Table A1-1 Aerodrome/airport data									
3	Aerodrome				Information on aerodromes/airports used for the operation of aircraft, including the aerodrome/airport name, location, elevation, runway length, etc.					
4		Designator		Text	Designator of the aerodrome/airport					
5		ICAO identifier		Text	The four-letter ICAO identifier of the aerodrome/airport within a COO/TOPO identifier					
6		Designator IATA		Text	The three-letter IATA identifier of the aerodrome/airport, used for passenger and cargo operations					
7		ICAO identifier		Text	The four-letter ICAO identifier of the aerodrome/airport, used for passenger and cargo operations					
8		ICAO identifier		Text	The four-letter ICAO identifier of the aerodrome/airport, used for passenger and cargo operations					
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15		ICAO identifier		Text	The four-letter ICAO identifier of the aerodrome/airport, used for passenger and cargo operations					
16		ICAO identifier		Text	The four-letter ICAO identifier of the aerodrome/airport, used for passenger and cargo operations					

[→ Aeronautical data catalogue](#)