GROUP ON INTERNATIONAL AVIATION AND CLIMATE CHANGE - GIACC

CAEP ACTIVITIES WITH RELEVANCE TO CLIMATE CHANGE

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ICAO Environmental Goals

- Limit or reduce the number of people affected by significant aircraft noise;

- Limit or reduce the impact of aviation emissions on local air quality; and

- Limit or reduce the impact of aviation greenhouse gas emissions on the global climate;
ICAO’s Work on the Environment

- ICAO has been working with environmental issues since 1960s
- Activities are largely carried out through a technical committee of the ICAO Council - Committee on Aviation Environmental Protection (CAEP)
1970 CAN (Noise)

1977 CAEE (Emissions)

1983 CAEP

- Technical feasibility
- Environmental effectiveness
- Economic reasonableness
- Interdependencies of measures
CAEP STRUCTURE LEADING TO CAEP/8

CAEP
Up to CAEP/8
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Forecasting and Economic Analysis Support Group

ACE
Aviation Carbon Emissions Task Force group

TIG
WG1-WG3 Technology Interdependencies Group

WG 1
Noise Technical Issues

WG 3
Emissions Technical Issues

WG 2
Operations

MBMTF
Market-based measures Task Force

MODTF
Modelling and Databases Task Force
AREAS OF ACTIVITY

- **Quantification**
  - FESG/MODTF

- **Mitigation**
  - WG1/WG2/WG3/MBMTF

- **Adaptation** (limited)
  - WHO/WG2

- **Outreach**
  - ALL GROUPS
FESG CAEP RESULTS:

1. Pax and Fleet Forecasts

2. CB Analysis of NOx stringencies


   “Open emissions trading was found to be the most economically efficient approach, as compared with taxes and charges and voluntary measures for meeting the specified targets and the only viable one capable of meeting the most stringent (Kyoto Protocol) emission reduction targets.”
FESG CAEP/8 DELIVERABLES:

1. New Pax and Fleet Forecasts over 30 years horizon (2006 to 2036) and covering scheduled and non-scheduled operations by May 2008
2. Scenarios and projections of the traffic forecast for 2050
3. Cost-Effectiveness analysis of new NOx stringencies
4. Economic analysis of the financial impact of including international aviation in existing trading schemes
5. Literature review of the cost-benefit analysis of existing trading schemes
QUANTIFICATION

CAEP MODELLING RESULTS

- Initial assessment of available models
- Initial trends for CO2 (ICAO Goals Assessment)

Total aviation CO2 emissions model results (2000-2025).
Note: AEDT / SAGE (2000-2004) results have been adjusted down by 5% to account for the revised modelling assumptions resulting from migration from SAGE Version 1.5 to AEDT / SAGE in 2005. Projections of future technology developments are not included in this assessment.
1. Evaluation of the various emissions models and databases - by June 2008
   1. AEDT/SAGE; AEM; Aero2K; and FAST
   2. Airports; Fleet; Population; and Movements
2. Goals assessment / GHG trends for 2006; 2016; 2026; 2036 and possibly for 2050 - by June 2009 (pre-final)
   May include future technology and operational improvements
3. NOx Stringency Policy Assessment (-5%; -10%; -15%; -20%; becoming effective in 31/12/2012 and 31/12/2016) - by June 2009
MITIGATION

1. Technical – WG3
2. Operational – WG2
3. Market-based measures - MBMTF

2. NOx Technology Goals: 45% (2016) and 60% (2026) below CAEP/6
MITIGATION

1. Technical – WG3 CAEP/8 Deliverables
   1. New NOX Stringency (Annex 16)
   2. New ETM for emissions
   3. CO$_2$/fuel efficiency metrics and parameters
   4. Review of NOx Technology Goals
   5. Fuel burn Technology Goals
   6. Environmental impact of alternate fuels
MITIGATION

2. Operational – WG2 CAEP Results

1. Voluntary agreements template
2. Circular 303
3. NADP noise and emissions
4. Chapter 16 Global plan
5. Environmental benefits of CNS/ATM measures: Rules of Thumb / parametric model
MITIGATION

2. Operational – WG2 DELIVERABLES

1. NOx and fuel burn operational goals
2. Guidance on computing, assessing, and reporting on aviation emissions
3. Environmental indicators
MITIGATION

2. Operational – WG2 DELIVERABLES

1. Assess emissions reductions accrued from the use of NADP; continuous descent arrival techniques and steeper approach
2. Assessment of times in mode for use in modelling activities
3. Methodologies and models for the assessment of the env. Benefits of implementing CNS/ATM plans/programmes (Global Plan Ch.16)
MITIGATION

3. MBMTF DELIVERABLES

1. Scoping Studies (3)
   1. Issues related to linking GHG emissions trading schemes including aviation
   2. Potential for emissions offset measures to mitigate effects of aviation on climate change
   3. Potential for using emissions trading and offsets to address local air quality

1. Updated Report

1. Report on Voluntary Emissions Trading
MITIGATION - MBM
Emissions Trading

- Main focus in ICAO is on the linking of schemes and identification if any further guidance should be given to States to facilitate these linkages to other schemes and to other players in the GHG market (i.e. offset schemes)

- Mandatory schemes under consideration:
  - EU ETS
  - Norwegian ETS
  - New South Wales GHG Abatement Scheme
  - Regina Greenhouse Gas Initiative (RGGI)
  - West Coast Initiative (WCI)
  - Australia NETS
  - Lieberman Warner – America’s Climate Security Act

- Voluntary Schemes under consideration:
  - Chicago Climate Exchange and ECX and MCaX
  - Asia Carbon Exchange
ADAPTATION

- Climate Change will impact aviation operations as we expect more intense and frequent weather events, causing e.g. delays, re-routing, and possible airport infrastructure damage.
- CAEP DELIVERABLES:
  WMO/ICAO/ICCAIA – early warning and monitoring – proposal initiated by WMO/ICAO in CAEP for the further installation of sensors at aircrafts.

NO ACTIVITIES IN CAEP ON TECHNOLOGY TRANSFER AND FINANCING.
OUTREACH

- Events – CAEP prepares workshops and CAEP experts participate in main ICAO events (e.g., Colloquium on aviation emissions)
- IPCC reports - CAEP experts contributed to the Special Report and on the update of IPCC Guidelines
- ICAO Environmental Report – CAEP experts provided articles and helped review the report
CAEP support for the GIACC activities:

- CAEP SG wanted to bring CAEP Work to GIACC’s attention as many of the CAEP tasks can support its work:
  - Assessment and quantification of impacts
  - Studying mitigation measures and assessing its merits
  - Proposing possible policies and guidance for the implementation of mitigation alternatives

- CAEP SG meeting raised questions of duplication of work
- There was uncertainty on the possible requests from GIACC – CAEP is already at the middle of its production cycle, and confirmed that there is limited scope for including new tasks in response to GIACC remits without requiring existing tasks to be dropped or postponed due to limitations in resources and time

Next CAEP SGs: September 2008/June 2009
CAEP/8: Jan/Feb 2010.
For more information on ICAO activities on environmental protection:

ICAO Web Page

www.ICAO.int/

ICAO Environmental Report 2007

www.ICAO.int/icao.env/

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