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**Updates on ICAO regional activities in
the EUR and NAT Regions: SAF, ANS,
AVSEC, Treaty ratifications**



Overview



- **56 States** across **Europe, Central Asia and North Africa**, with **diverse situations, needs, and priorities**
- Serving **2 merged PIRGs/RASGs** for the ICAO EUR & NAT Regions
- Navigating numerous **coordination channels** for effective collaboration, including with ACAO, AFCAC, EASA, EC, ECAC, EUROCONTROL and IAC
- **Increasing workload and increasingly limited resources**



Our Approach:

We follow a **collaborative, State-centric, risk-based, and result-oriented approach** to:

- Address **priority** needs and enhance **benefits** for States
- Optimize **effectiveness** and **efficiency**
- Promote **synergies** and minimize **duplication of efforts**

EUR/NAT Meetings & Groups

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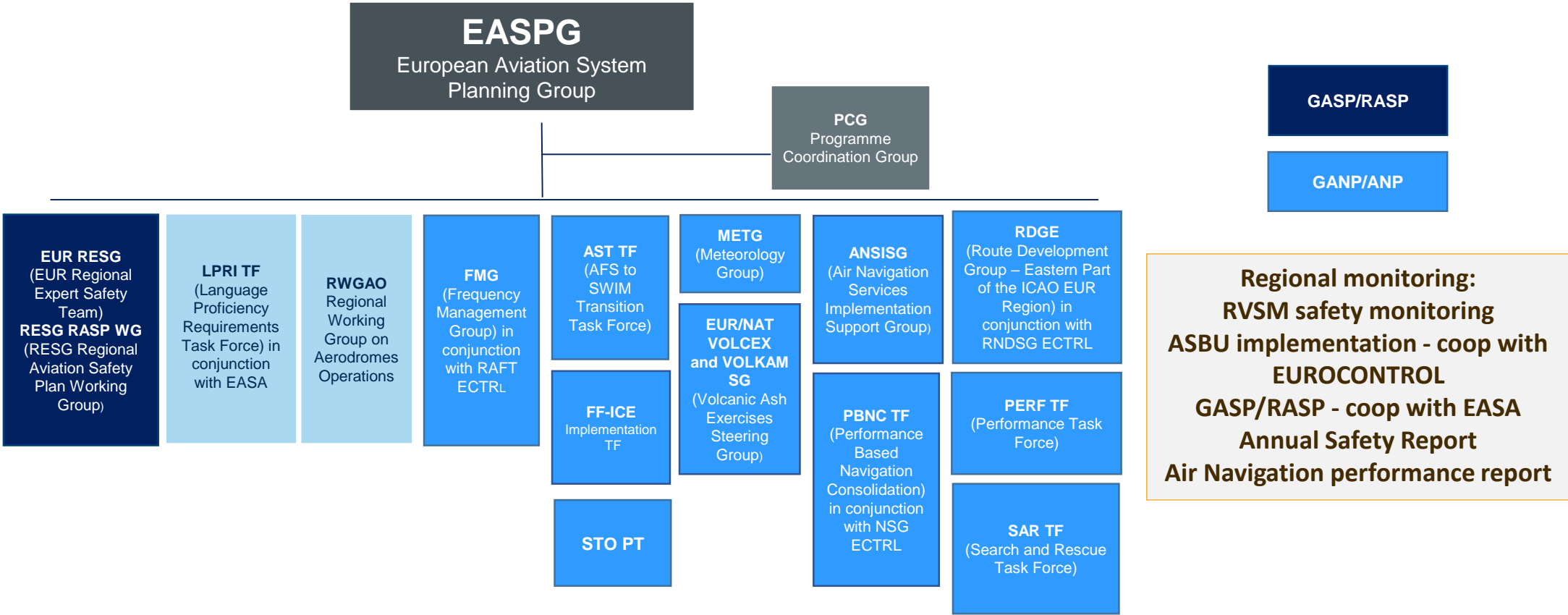
EUR/NAT DGCA Meeting

**2 “PIRGs/RASGs”: North Atlantic Systems
Planning Group (NATSPG) & European
Aviation System Planning Group (EASPG)**

**EUR/NAT AVSEC & FAL Group
(ENAVSECFALG)**

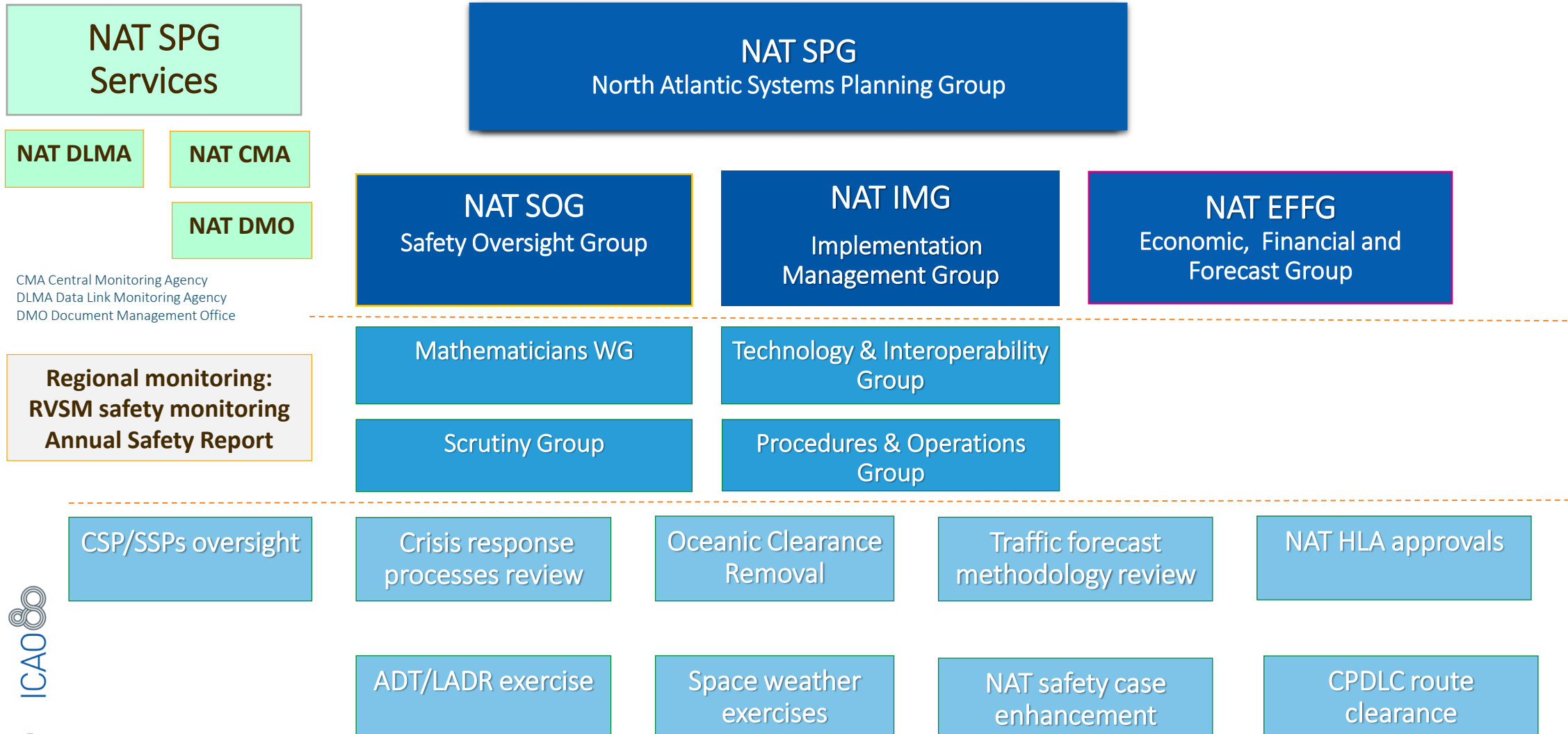
EUR/NAT Environment Taskforce (ENV TF)

Aviation Safety and Air Navigation in EUR



Aviation Safety and Air Navigation in NAT

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2025 Priorities - Safety



We will continue to coordinate regional efforts and support States for implementing ICAO provisions and plans, including through activities to enhance:

Safety Oversight Capabilities	Safety Management	Acc & Inc Investigation Capabilities
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Support the USOAP CMA Programme and assist States, in particular to prepare for, and follow up on USOAP-CMA activities.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Foster the continuous maturation of SSP and SMS.• Complete a NAT project on enhancing the NAT regional safety case model.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Launch a project to help enhance Central Asian States' capabilities for effective and independent investigation of accidents and serious incidents.
Runway Safety & Aerodrome Certification	Regional Safety Monitoring & Reporting	Effectiveness and Efficiency in Implementation Support (IS)
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Assist States in enhancing runway safety and aerodrome certification.• Provide targeted support to Western Balkan States, fostering sub-regional cooperation.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Produce two annual safety reports, for the EUR & NAT.• Produce the annual EUR-RASP implementation report.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Progress the implementation of the Collaborative Strategic Plan of Actions (COSPA – Country Strategy) to enhance aviation safety in Uzbekistan (LLDC).• Further enhance coordination for ongoing and new CDI projects.

2025 Priorities – Air Navigation Capacity and Efficiency

We will continue to coordinate regional efforts and support States for implementing ICAO provisions and plans, including through activities to enhance:

Crisis preparedness and response	Integration of New Entrants	FF-ICE Implementation	Mitigation of GNSS RFI Risks	Civil/military coordination
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Reg. workshop on cybersecurity. Complete work on enhancing the NAT reg. crisis response processes. Complete NAT project on preparing NAT space weather exercises. Workshops & exercises to support impl. of the new requirements on quantitative volcanic ash conc. inf. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Develop EUR guidance material for Space Transport Operations. Conduct a NAT workshop on New Entrants Integration. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Launch the EUR FF-ICE implementation task force. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Cooperate with MID to conduct an interregional symposium on GNSS interference. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Conduct a regional workshop on enhancing civil/military coordination and FUA implementation.
+ Effective support to : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> MID States in the area of MET The SAT area on ANS harmonization 				

2025 Priorities - Aviation Security and Facilitation



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AVSEC Oversight Capabilities	Regional Cooperation in AVSEC & FAL	AAAVF	CAPSCA	AVSEC competences
Support the USAP CMA Programme and assist States, in particular to prepare for, and follow up on USAP-CMA activities.	Expand the scope of pan-regional information-sharing and coordination to include AVSEC, Cybersecurity and Facilitation.	Cooperate with ECAC for a regional workshop on AAAVF. Conduct webinars to support States on AAAVF implementation. Provide guidance to individual States as needed.	Foster information sharing & ensure effective cooperation within the CAPSCA EUR network. Conduct a CAPSCA EUR Focal Points meeting.	Help ensure the effective and efficient delivery of ICAO courses through the network of ASTCs



2025 Priorities – Environmental Protection



We will continue to coordinate regional efforts and support States for implementing ICAO provisions and plans, including through activities related to:



CORSIA Implementation	Development and Update of State Action Plans (SAP)	Sustainable Aviation Fuels (SAF)	Green Innovation
<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Train and assist States' focal points and experts.• Provide onsite and online tailored support to States.• Continue to actively promote ACT-SAF and support ACT-CORSIA.• Engage with Governments to foster engagement.• Cooperate with regional organizations for a joint event on SAF roadmaps.• Conduct a regional event on SAP and CORSIA.			<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Organize a regional Green Airports event with partners.• Contribute to the first CDI project on a Green Airport.

+ Effective support to MID &WACAF States on SAF, SAP CORSIA and Green Innovation



Ratification and implementation of international air law instruments

- ✓ 11 out of 56 EUR/NAT States have ratified all six key treaties
- ✓ Only 4 new ratifications (by 2 States – Albania and Cyprus) in the EUR/NAT area since the 2024 DGCA Meeting
- ✓ We will continue to support States' efforts for a more timely ratification of international air law treaties, including through a regional workshop (early 2026) and two courses (in 2025, in FR & EN)



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