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## RNP AR DEP

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# Background

- Doc 9905, Required Navigation Performance Authorization Required (RNP AR) Procedure Design Manual, includes design criteria to aid States in the implementation of RNP AR approach procedures in accordance with the PBN Manual, Volume II, Part C, Chapter 6, Implementing RNP AR APCH.

# Background

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# RNP AR WHY NEEDED?

- ❑ RNP AR approach procedures to overcome difficulties with challenging terrain and raise accessibility to some airports.
- ❑ This is possible because RNP AR:
  - 1) allows exploitation of high-quality,
  - 2) managed lateral and vertical navigation (VNAV) capabilities that provide improvements in operational safety and
  - 3) reduced controlled flight into terrain (CFIT) risks.

# RNP AR DP

- ❑ The responsibility for developing design criteria for RNP AR departures lies with the Instrument Flight Procedure Panel (IFPP) of ICAO. Nevertheless, this task is on hold waiting for the results of the work performed by PBN Study Group (PBNSG) to develop navigation specification for RNP AR departures.

# RNP AR DP

- ❑ RNP AR DP operational approvals build on the existing RNP AR APCH approval requirements.
- ❑ RNP AR DPs introduce additional aircraft performance considerations:
  - ✓ Synergy between the take-off and climb performance of the aircraft;
  - ✓ The operator's ability to use the RNP system while complying with demanding, nonstandard climb gradients and close-in departure turns.



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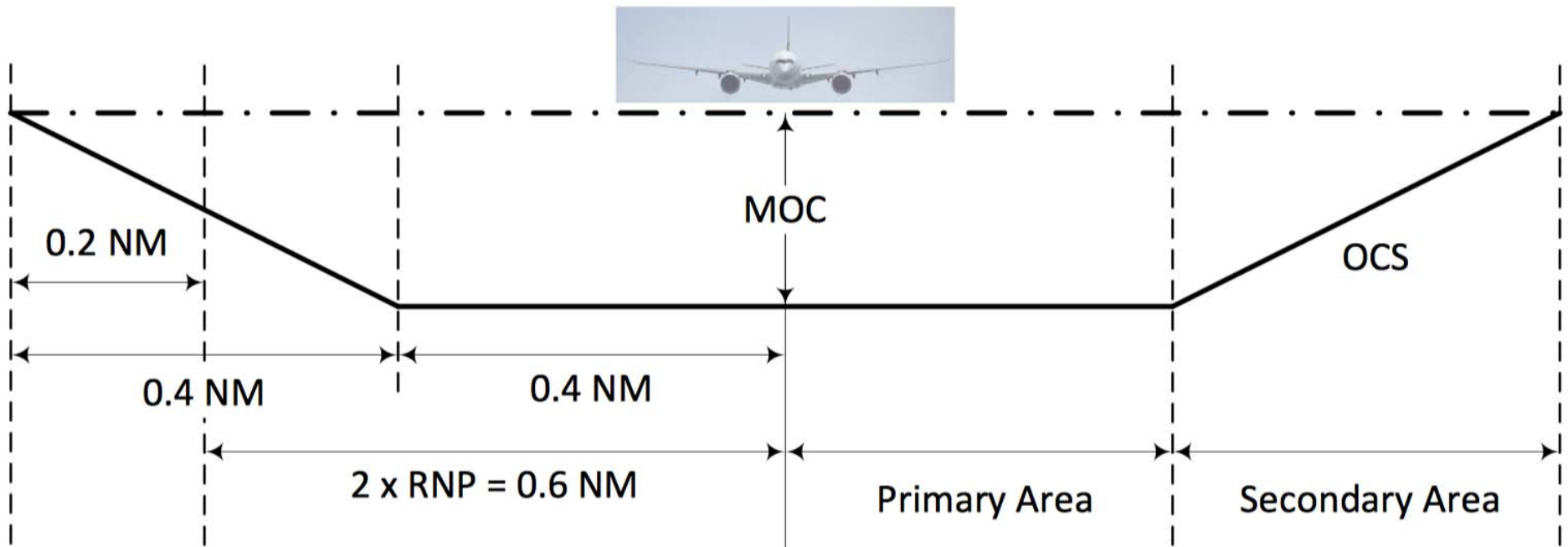
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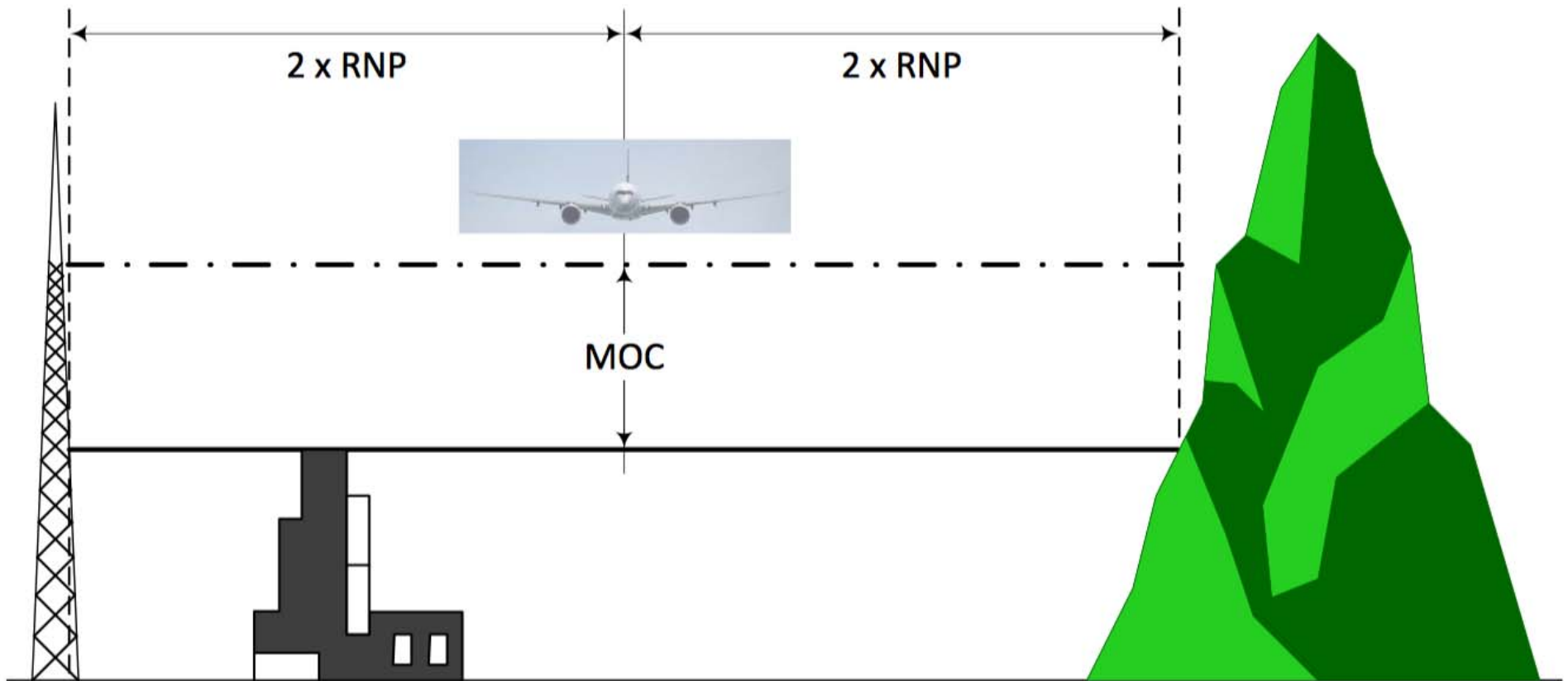
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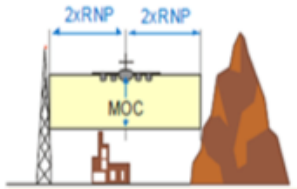
# RNP APCH OCS



# RNP AR Segment Widths



# RNP APCH v RNP AR APCH

	RNP APCH LNAV/VNAV	RNP AR APCH
Obstacle Evaluation		
RNP (Final)	0.3	0.3 to 0.1
Final XTK	0.15 NM	0.15 NM to 0.05
Turns (Final)	None	RF
Missed Approach	Terminal Mode (RNP 1.0); TF/RF	RNP 1.0 or less; TF/RF
Initial/Intermediate	Terminal Mode (RNP 1.0); TF/RF	RNP 1.0 to 0.3; TF/RF
Lowest DH	250ft	250ft
Equipment	Single	Dual (Typically)
Safety Assessment	Standard QA	FOSA

# RNP AR DP Operational Approval

- ❑ To obtain a RNP AR DP approval, the operator must have:
  - ✓ An RNP AR DP configuration list and MEL detailing their aircraft equipment that RNP AR DP operations require.
  - ✓ Training and procedures specific to RNP AR DPs.
  - ✓ Application and use of any aircraft performance tools necessary to ensure compliance with takeoff and climb performance demands of a RNP AR DP.
  - ✓ Any new additions to their OMs and checklists necessary to conduct RNP AR DPs.

# RNP AR DP Operational Approval

- The RNP AR APCH and RNP AR DP operational approvals are separate approvals.
- Operators can hold a RNP AR APCH approval without holding a RNP AR DP approval.
- A RNP AR APCH approval is required to obtain a RNP AR DP approval.
- RNP AR DP requirements are additional to the RNP AR APCH requirements.
- Operator holding a RNP AR APCH approval is not able to meet the requirements for a RNP AR DP approval.



# RNP AR DP Aircraft Requirements

- ❑ The aircraft's RNP system must be capable of:
  - ✓ Loading and executing a flight plan where the RNP AR DP defined path begins at or just beyond the departure end of the takeoff runway (DER), including use of an RF leg.
  - ✓ RNP system must be able to provide lateral path guidance (i.e. engage LNAV) no later than 50 FT above the DER during takeoff.
  - ✓ The achieved aircraft track with LNAV engaged must be tangent to an extension of the runway's centreline prior to the aircraft crossing the DER.

# GNSS & IRS

- ❑ GNSS must be available immediately prior to take-off.
- ❑ To support an RNP AR DP operation, the RNP system must:
  - ✓ Be capable of reversion to IRS-only navigation in case of the loss of GNSS at any point during the procedure.
  - ✓ The IRS and RNP system installation must include the ability to conduct a full IRS alignment and a subsequent position update during ground operations immediately prior to takeoff.

# RNP AR DP Operating Procedures

- ❑ Preflight:
  - ✓ Ensure required equipment is available.
  - ✓ Apply the aircraft's takeoff and climb performance data in support of preflight planning RNP AR DPs.
- ❑ The operator must analyze:
  - ✓ the aircraft's performance during the takeoff phase of an RNP AR DP; and
  - ✓ then analyze the climb phase of the DP from the point on the DP where the takeoff phase ends and the aircraft achieves the desired climb airspeed.

# RNP AR DP Operating Procedures

- ❑ The operator must include:
  - ✓ Non-standard climb gradients.
  - ✓ Forecast and actual weather reports must be considered.
  - ✓ For close-in RF legs, verify LNAV performance.

# RNP AR DP Contingency Procedures

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- ❑ Sure OEI should exist

# Equipment for RNP AR Operations

Typical aircraft equipment for a RNP AR APCH Ops Approval is:

- 2 GNSS receivers;
- 2 TSO C115b FMS with:
  - ✓ RF leg, Fly-by and Fly-over waypoint transition capability.
  - ✓ Automatic reversion to an alternate sensor if the primary sensor fails.
- 2 or 3 IRS compliant with 14 CFR Part 121 Appendix G;

# Equipment for RNP AR Operations

Typical aircraft equipment for a RNP AR APCH Ops Approval is:

- 2 Baro-VNAV systems;
  - ✓ TSO C145 GNSS using SBAS within the SBAS service volume and in an operating mode that will output VPL is acceptable.
- 2 Flight Directors;
- 2 Flight Mode Annunciators;
- 2 RADALTs;
- Duplicated primary flight and navigation displays;
- Duplicated power sources (APU may be used);
- 1 autopilot channel;



# Equipment for RNP AR Operations

Typical aircraft equipment for a RNP AR APCH Ops Approval is:

- 1 TAWS / EGPWS with excess below glidepath deviation alerting;
  - ✓ Mode 5 GPWS or Class A TAWS alerting.

Notes:

- Redundant systems are not required by the PBN Manual.
- Some limitations may apply to non-duplicated systems.
- FOSA provides the mechanism to evaluate aircraft for RNP AR acceptability.

# Navigation Database

- Documented data management process
- Responsible data manager
- Cyclic data validation:
  - ✓ Detect unintended changes in navigation database
- Initial data validation by operator:
  - ✓ Ensure that the data is compatible with the aircraft avionics
  - ✓ For each aircraft/configuration

**Thank you**