# Polish Wildlife Strike Committee - experience, regulations, statistics.



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# The Republic of Poland

Country in central Europe, with population almost 40 000 000. Capital city – Warsaw, language – polish.



Poland extends from Baltic Sea in North to the Carpathiands and the Sudeten in the South.

Lowlands make up to 90 % of the territory.

23 National Parks protect 1% of the territory.







The major rivers are the Vistula and Odra.

Poland has 10 000 lakes, with the biggest Śniardwy (11 487 ha) and the deepest Hancza (106,2m).

The highest peak is Rysy (2499 m).













This natural beauty and localisation is for sure our national treasure, but in some circumstances can cause some risky situations.







# International relationship

Poland is a founding member of:

ICAO (1944)

ECAC (1990)

EUROCONTROL (2004)

European Union (2004)

NATO (1999)













The authority in charge of civil avition in Poland is the President of Civil Aviation Authority – Mr Piotr Olowski, subordinate to the ministrer responsible for transport Mrs Maria Wasiak.

Poland has a long tradition of civil aviation scientific research, design and manufacture of aircraft, as well as international air connections and achivements in air sports.







The first Polish achievements in the avioation areal go back to the 19th centrury.

When, a Polish scientist Stefan Drzewiecki formulated a propeller therory on which the Wright brothers and many other aviation pioneers based theri calculations. It was also his initiative to build the first wind tunnel

in Paris.







# CERG

Central European Rotation Group was founded on November 3rd 1992 in Prague in order to represent its MS at the Council of ICAO and its organs.

Founding States:
the Czech Republic
Hungary
Romania
the Slovak Republic.



# In 2002 Republic of Slovenia joined CERG. In 2009 Republic of Bulgaria and the Republic of Poland joined CERG.

The region of CERG covers 903 000 sq km and is inhabited by over 95 milion people.







On 1 October 2013, during the 38th Assembly of ICAO Poland was elected to the ICAO Council.

Poland has been supported by 147 ICAO Member States and will take part in Council works in years 2013-2016.

After winning elections
Poland has been assumed
the leadership of the
CERG for next 3 years.





CERG Chairman is Mr Piotr Olowski – President of the CAA.

On 9 April 2014 in Gdansk the first meeting of the CERG was held under the chairmanship of the Republic of Poland.

The Permanent Representative, Dr Malgorzata Polkowska has chaired the EU Coordination Meetings on behalf of Lithuania, which obtained the 6-month Presidency in EU Council on July 2013.





#### Aerodrome infrastructure in Poland

#### **Aerodromes classification:**

- ✓ certified aerodromes of public use (airports)

  (ICAO and EASA scope)
- ✓ limited certification aerodormes of public use (state certificate)
- ✓ private use aerodromes
- √ airfields

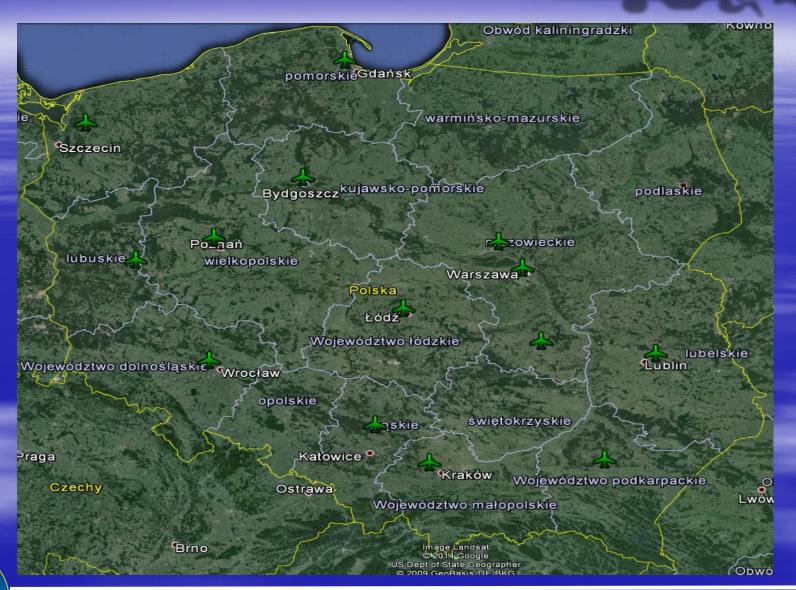
#### **CAA** Aerodromes Registry includes:

13 - certified ADRs

46 - private ADRs

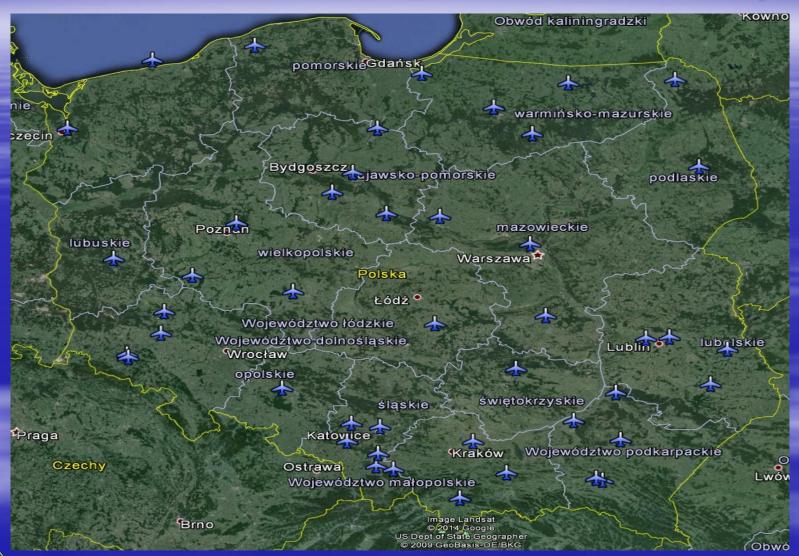
278 – airfields







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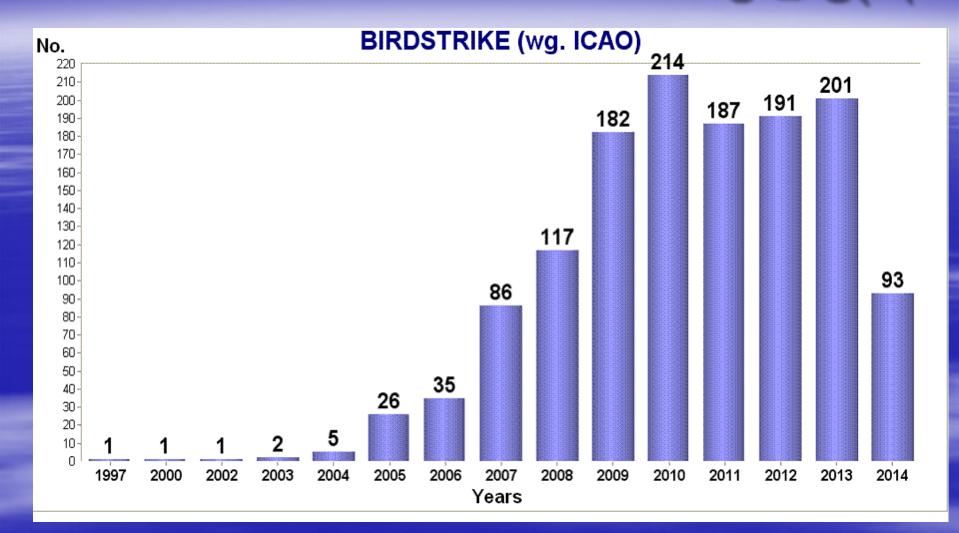




#### Airports traffic data in 2013

2013 - Airports traffic data			
	Airport (City)	PAX handled	AC operations
1	Warszawa im Chopina) (WAW)	10 669 879	123 981
2	Kraków-Balice (KRK)	3 636 804	34 867
3	Gdańsk im. L. Walesy (GDN)	2 826 412	28 833
4	Katowice-Pyrzowice (KTW)	2 506 694	20 841
5	Wrocław-Strachowice (WRO)	1 873 245	19 973
6	Poznań-Ławica (POZ)	1 329 331	12 247
7	Rzeszów-Jasionka (RZE)	588 148	6 499
8	Łódź-Lublinek (LCJI)	353 633	2 762
9	Warszawa – Modlin (WMI)	344 566	2 415
10	Bydgoszcz-Szwederowo (BZG)	330 658	3 147
11	Szczecin-Goleniów (SZZ)	322 334	3 448
12	Zielona Góra-Babimost (IEG)	12 196	712
13	Lublin (LUZ)	188 723	1 348
	Total	24 982 623	263 073







# Setting up national wildlife strike committee

On 14th January 2013
President of Civil
Aviation Authority Mr
Piotr Olowski signed
decision nr 3
establishing Polish
Wildlife Strike Committe.

Decision is published in Official CAA Journal.

z dnia 14 Aycania 2013 r.

w sprawie powołania Komitetu do spraw zderzeń statków powietrznych ze zwierzętami

Na podstawie § 3 Statutu Urzędu Lotnictwa Cywilnego stanowiącego załącznik do zarządzenia Nr 136 Prezesa Rady Ministrów z dnia 14 listopada 2002 r. w sprawie nadania statutu Urzędowi Lotnictwa Cywilnego (M. P. Nr 55, poz. 754, z późn. zm. <sup>1)</sup>) zarządza się, co następuje:

§ 1.

 Powołuje się Komitet do spraw zderzeń statków powietrznych ze zwierzętami, zwany dalej "Komitetem".



# Main goal:

Our committee is a forum for exchanging information between stakeholders that are associated with or intersted in the issue of realtionship between environment, animals, aviation and safety, we deal with research and developmnet in airport wildlife control, we are as a cenral point of gathering all the necessery information on wildlife strike prevention, statistics, methods used among polish aerodormes.



### Members

According to decision we more than wellcome participation in committee meetings of representatives of (not to limit):

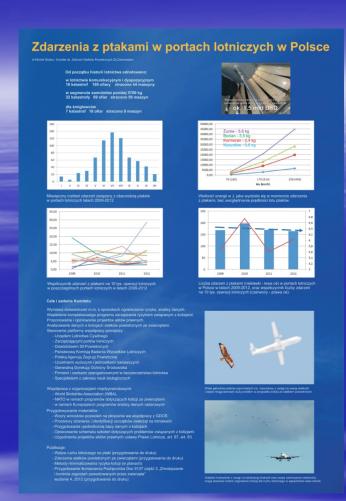
- -aerodrome operators;
- -govermental departments transport, defence, agriculture, enviroment;
- -local goverment authorities;
- -airline operators;
- -flight safety officials;
- -ATC;
- -pilots;
- -airframe and engine manufactures;
- -specialist in ornitology, biology, wildlife hazards;

Usually there are about 40 participants during meetings. Members and "managment" of committe take part in meeting and work voluntarily.

### Activites:

During meetings we are trying to present information that can be useful for participants, such as discussing persistent problems, statistics, case by case strikes, info on possible trainings. We are trying to find solutions to arising problems, anticipate some issues that can be find difficult to apply. Often it happens that one aerodorme operator can help to solve other aerodorme operators' problem just by telling how was it solved on the other aerodrome. Committee forum is the best place to exchange such information.









# Plans for future:

- create proper legislative regulations with clear and easy to apply standards to assess and evaluate wildlife hazards (on base of UE 139/2014);
- finging proper meaning of "wildlife" term;
- -prepare clear regulation-interpretaion of how to conduct consultations with regard to human activites and land use such as the creation of areas that might encourage wildlife activity harmul to aircraft operations;
- -creating system of recording, reporting and collecting wildlife strikes (according to IR 139/2014).
- We also consider changing of our statut, having in mind being more formal, not only an advisory body.



# Thank you for your attention.

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