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Part I

1. Introduction

The second meeting of the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Task Force (AFI/ASI/TF/2) was held in the Conference Room of the Agence pour la Securite de la Navigation Aerienne en Afrique et à Madagascar (ASECNA) Dakar, Senegal from, 22 to 24 June 2011.

2. Objectives

The main objective of the Task Force was to provide an overview of ICAO relevant activities on Aeronautical Surveillance field, review the status of implementation of the conclusions of the first meeting of the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Task Force (AFI/ASI/TF/1) held in Johannesburg, south Africa, from 17 to 18 September 2009, ensure that ICAO guidance material are taken into consideration by AFI States to update the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Strategy in a cost effective manner and in accordance with the users requirements.

3. Attendance

The meeting was attended by 28 participants from thirteen (13) Contracting States, two (02) Air Navigation Service Providers (ASECNA acting behalf AFI 17 Contracting States & ATNS) a representative of airlines (IATA) and two Aeronautical Surveillance facilities manufacturers/Vendors, namely Thales and Selex respectively from France and Italy. A list of participants is provided at **Appendix A**.

4. Officers and Secretariat

The meeting elected Mr Carel GERSBACH, South Africa as Rapporteur and Chairperson.

Mr. Francois-Xavier SALAMBANGA, Regional Officer, Communications, Navigation and Surveillance (CNS) from the ICAO Regional Office for Western and Central Africa (Dakar), acted as Secretary of the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Task Force.

5. Working language

The meeting was conducted in English and the meeting documentation was issued in this language.

6. Opening

The meeting was opened by Mr. Mam Sait JALLOW, ICAO Regional Director, WACAF, and Dakar.

7. Agenda

The meeting adopted the following agenda:

Agenda Item 1: Review of the Terms of Reference of AS/I/TF and election of Rapporteur for the Task Force

Agenda Item 2: Review of the status of implementation of the conclusions of AFI ASI/TF/1

Agenda Item 3: Review of the relevant activities of ICAO Aeronautical Surveillance Panel

Agenda Item 4: Review of CNSG/3 and APIRG/17 Conclusions pertaining to Aeronautical surveillance

Agenda Item 5: Report on the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Workshop

Agenda Item 6: Updating the draft strategy and the implementation plan of AFI Aeronautical Surveillance

Agenda Item 7: Review of the Term of Reference and Future Work Programme of AFI ASI/TF Agenda Item 8: Any other business

8. Summary of Conclusions and Decisions

The following conclusions and decisions were formulated by the second meeting of AFI ASI/ Task Force:

Agenda Item 1: Review of the Terms of Reference of AFI ASI/TF and election of Rapporteur for the Task Force

NIL: ToRs confirmed by the meeting with no proposal for change

Agenda Item 2: Review of the status of implementation of the conclusions of AFI ASI/TF/1

Conclusion 2/1: Collection of traffic data

That States/Organizations should provide the required traffic data to the Team Leaders (ASECNA and Seychelles) as per States letters no later than 15 July 2011.

Decision 2/2: Nomination of Contact persons

That States/Organizations provide as a matter of urgency the Team Leaders (ASECNA and Seychelles) and ICAO regional Offices (WACAF & ESAF) with the detailed information on their contact person (Address, E-Mail, Phone, Fax...) who will coordinate the traffic data collection.

Agenda Item 3: Review of the relevant activities of ICAO Aeronautical Surveillance Panel

Conclusion 2/3: Participation to the Global Air Navigation Technology Forum (GANTF)

That, AFI States/Organizations should endeavor to participate and /or contribute to the GANTF in September 2011 and develop relevant submissions to be presented to the 12th Air Navigation Conference.

Agenda Item 4: Review of CNSG/3 and APIRG/17 Conclusions pertaining to Aeronautical surveillance

Decision 2/4: States ADS-C Performance data collection

That States should start collecting ADS-C Performance data in anticipation of IATA

future survey.

Conclusion 2/5: Establishment of a Surveillance Performance data assessment

Working Group.

That a Surveillance performance data assessment Working Group be established in order to analyze the performance of surveillance systems and propose corrective actions aiming to reinforce the Quality of Service.

Conclusion 2/6: Inclusion of ADS-C Performance data collection in IATA surveys That IATA should include ADS-C performances data collection into his future AFI CNS systems surveys

Agenda Item 5: Report on the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Workshop Decision 2/7: Adoption of the Report of the AFI Regional Surveillance Workshop

That the AFI Regional Surveillance Workshop report is adopted with its conclusions attached in Appendix B

Agenda Item 6: Updating the draft strategy and the implementation plan of AFI Aeronautical Surveillance

Conclusion 2/8: Surveillance data distribution and exchange

That AFI States/Organizations, develop and harmonize scheme for aeronautical surveillance data distribution and exchange in order to ensure surveillance systems interconnection and interoperability within AFI region and between AFI region and it ICAO neighboring Regions.

Decision 2/9: ASI/TF Basic Documentation review

That the secretariat circulate the existing documentation (draft strategy, Data sharing agreement, Data exchange Format) to members with feedback prior to submission to the CNS /SG on 15Th July 2011.

Conclusion 2/10: Trials on Surveillance Systems

That in order to ensure interoperability and interconnection of surveillance systems Sates /Organization should conduct trials based on Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and share the results for the update of AFI Surveillance Plan. **Agenda Item 7:** Review of the Term of Reference and Future Work Programme of AFI ASI/TF

Agreed future activities and target dates

Agenda Item 8: Any other business

Conclusion 2/11: Regular fleet equipage review

That regular fleet equipage questionnaire should be completed to ensure informed implementation Decision making

PART II: REPORT ON AGENDA ITEMS

Agenda Item 1: Review of the Terms of Reference of AFI ASI/TF and election of Rapporteur for the Task Force

Under this agenda item the meeting reviewed the term of Reference of the Task Force and elected Mr **Carel Gersbach** from ATNS, South Africa as chairperson and rapporteur

Agenda Item 2: Review of the status of implementation of the conclusions of AFI ASI/TF/1

Under this agenda item, the meeting was provided with the status of implementation of the Conclusions of the first meeting of AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Task Force (ASI/TF/1) . The meeting was reminded that two Working Groups have been established by the first meeting of the Task Force to develop surveillance requirements for the en-route (Seychelles as Team Leader) and Terminal including approach and aerodrome (ASECNA as Team Leader) operations. The meeting noted that although some States have sent data, the data collection process has not been completed yet.

It was noted that the non completion of the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation strategy has become a barrier to develop the AFI surveillance strategy and the meeting urged States to provide the required traffic data to the Team Leaders no later than 15 July 2011.

The following conclusion was formulated.

Conclusion 2/1: Collection of traffic data

That, States/Organizations should provide the required traffic data to the Team Leaders (ASECNA and Seychelles) as per States letters no later than 15 July 2011.

The meeting also noted that the weak pace of implementation of the conclusions of the first meeting of the AFI ASI Task Force should be caused by the lack of coordination between the States and the Team Leaders. It was agreed that States nominate contact persons for the data collection and forward their detailed contact to the Team Leaders.

The following decision was formulated.

Decision 2/2: Nomination of Contact persons

That, States/Organizations provide as a matter of urgency the Team Leaders (ASECNA and Seychelles) and ICAO regional Offices (WACAF & ESAF) with the detailed information on their contact person (Address, E-Mail, Phone, Fax...) who will coordinate the traffic data collection.

Agenda Item 3: Review of the relevant activities of ICAO Aeronautical Surveillance Panel

Under this agenda item the meeting was provided with the relevant activities of ICAO Aeronautical Surveillance Panel in particular those related to the Amendment 85 to Annex 10 — *Aeronautical Telecommunications*, Volume III — *Communication Systems* and Volume IV — *Surveillance and Collision Avoidance Systems*.

This amendment updates Table of 24-bit aircraft address allocations to States and the associated Standards and Recommended Practices (SARPs); updates the existing SARPs on secondary surveillance radar (SSR), automatic dependent surveillance — broadcast (ADS-B) and airborne collision avoidance system (ACAS) in light of operational experience; introduces new requirements for forward fit (from 1 January 2014) and retrofit (by 1 January 2017) of aircraft ACAS installations with an upgraded collision avoidance logic (known as TCAS Version 7.1).

The amendment also introduces a new chapter in Volume IV entitled "Multilateration Systems" and a new chapter in Volume IV entitled "Technical Requirements for Airborne Surveillance Applications".

The meeting was also briefed on other major products of the ASP WGW/1 in particular the new Aeronautical Surveillance Manual (Doc 9924) which combines the updated and relevant parts of outdated *Manual of the Secondary Surveillance Radar (SSR) Systems* (Doc 9684) and *Manual on Mode S Specific Services* (Doc 9688) with new guidance material on systems such as multilateration, ADS-B, surveillance data sharing, information and /or guidance on "sustainability of the 1 030/ 1090 MHz RF environment", " incorrect SSR practices by some military authorities "and "guidance on ground testing of SSR transponders".

The meeting was also informed on the Global Air Navigation Technology Forum (GANTF) which will be held in Montreal from 21 to 23 September 2011 and strongly encouraged States to participate in the GANTF to contribute to and be informed by its proceedings, especially with regard to the preparation for the 12th Air Navigation Conference.

The following conclusion was formulated

Conclusion 2/2: Participation to the Global Air Navigation Technology Forum (GANTF)

That, AFI States/Organizations should endeavor to participate and /or contribute to the GANTF in September 2011 and develop relevant submissions to be presented to the 12th Air Navigation Conference.

Agenda Item 4: Review of CNSG/3 and APIRG/17 Conclusions pertaining to Aeronautical surveillance

Under this agenda item the meeting analyzed the status of implementation of the conclusions of the third meeting of the Communication Navigation and Surveillance Sub Group (CNS/SG/3) and the seventeenth meeting of the AFI Planning and Implementation Regional Group (APIRG/17).

The meeting was informed that APIRG/17 meeting which endorsed the outcome from CNS/SG/3 formulated two conclusions and one decision pertaining to surveillance issues. The meeting noted that effort have been made in the implementation of Conclusions 17/31: Implementation of ADS-C for en route operation in oceanic and remote continental airspace. The meeting recognized the necessity to collect the performance data of ADS-C operations and formulated the following Decision.

Decision 2/3: States ADS-C Performance data collection

That States should start collecting ADS-C Performance data in anticipation of IATA future survey.

In the frame of the enhancement of the Quality of Service of the Surveillance operations in particular for ADS-C the meeting agreed on the necessity to set up a working Group Tasked to assess Surveillance Performance data and propose if any corrective reinforcement actions.

Conclusion 2/4: Establishment of a Surveillance Performance data assessment

Working Group.

That a Surveillance performance data assessment Working Group be established in order to analyze the performance of surveillance systems and propose corrective actions aiming to reinforce the Quality of Service.

IATA reminded the meeting on his periodic survey conducted on Aeronautical Mobile Communication and his intention to extend the survey to surveillance operations.

The meeting encouraged States to participate in IATA survey and ask IATA to include the collection of ADS-C Performance data to be analyzed by the Assessment Working Group.

The following conclusion was formulated.

Conclusion 2/5: Inclusion of ADS-C Performance data collection in IATA surveys

That IATA should include ADS-C performances data collection into his future AFI CNS systems surveys

Agenda Item 5: Report on the AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Workshop

The meeting was provided with the outcome of the second AFI Regional Workshop on Aeronautical Surveillance Systems held in Dakar, Senegal from 20 to 21 June 2011.

This workshop formulated recommendation pertaining to:

- Separation criteria to design Surveillance facilities
- Participation to the Global Air Navigation Technology Forum (GANTF)
- Harmonization of Modes S Secondary Implementation in AFI Region
- Need of a performance survey on ADS-C operation
- Interconnection between Surveillance systems
- Trials and Implementations in ICAO AFI & ICAO other Regions

The meeting endorsed these recommendations as presented in **Appendix B** and formulated the following conclusion.

Decision 2/6: Adoption of the Report of the AFI Regional Surveillance Workshop

That the AFI Regional Surveillance Workshop report is adopted through its conclusions attached in Appendix B

Agenda Item 6: Updating the draft strategy and the implementation plan of AFI Aeronautical Surveillance

Under this Agenda item the meeting was reminded with the AFI Air Navigation Plan (ICAO Doc 7474) provisions for aeronautical surveillance systems.

The meeting was also informed on the SSR mode S codes coordination issues. ICAO Annex X provisions on coordination requirements (Annex X Vol.IV: **2.1.2.1.2** assignment of interrogator identifier (II) codes & **2.1.2.1.3** assignment of surveillance identifier (SI) codes) were reminded to the meeting.

IATA presented to the meeting a roadmap for Aeronautical Surveillance from User's perspective aiming to defining user requirements for air traffic services with regards to Aeronautical Surveillance Systems between 2011 and the 2020 timeframe.

This roadmap provided IATA's positions on Surveillance technologies and applications widely available or under consideration, together with a planning checklist for the implementation of a new technology and suggested timelines for the commissioning of the newer technologies and the decommissioning of the older technologies.

Industry presented to the meeting the status of the technical development on ADS-C & B in particular those related to the fleet equipage within AFI.

Based on these provisions the meeting examined the draft strategy for the implementation of Aeronautical Surveillance within AFI Airspace.

The meeting discussed in length on the draft strategy in particular issues related to the

operational requirements that should conduct the choice of the technology.

However the meeting noted that AFI States and Air Navigation Service Provides have already implemented surveillance systems which are currently operating:

- Many ANSPs have implemented ADS-C on their oceanic and remote continental airspace (ASECNA, South Africa, Algeria...).
- Moreover some continental areas benefit from a solid radar coverage, mainly South Africa, Egypt, Kenya, Ghana, Botswana, Libya, Morocco, Tunisia and Uganda.

The meeting agreed that the basic document (**draft strategy**, **Data sharing agreement**, **Data exchange Format**) be circulated for review by the Task Force members and feedback for reporting to CNS: SG/4. These documents are presented in **Appendix C**

The following decision was formulated.

Decision 2/7: ASI/TF Basic Documentation review

That the secretariat circulate the existing documentation (draft strategy, Data sharing agreement, Data exchange Format) to members with feedback prior to submission to the CNS /SG on 15Th July 2011.

Based on the current status of implementation and the intended implementation plan, and taking into consideration the experience in ICAO regions the meeting noted the need to developing a scheme for surveillance data distribution and exchanges within and outside AFI region. The following Conclusion was formulated.

Conclusion 2/8: Surveillance data distribution and exchange

That AFI States/Organizations, develop and harmonize scheme for aeronautical surveillance data distribution and exchange in order to ensure surveillance systems interconnection and interoperability within AFI region and between AFI region and it ICAO neighboring Regions.

The meeting also discussed on issues related to ensuring interconnection and interoperability between aeronautical surveillance systems within and outside AFI region.

It was recognized that one of the best way to ensure interoperability between new and current systems should be to conducted trials through Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) between systems operators taking into consideration all the operational, technical, regulatory and legal aspects.

The following conclusion was formulated.

Conclusion 2/9: Trials on Surveillance Systems

That in order to ensure interoperability and interconnection of surveillance systems Sates /Organization should conduct trials based on Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) and share the results for the update of AFI Surveillance Plan.

Agenda Item 7: Review of the Term of Reference and Future Work Programme of AFI ASI/TF

Under this agenda item, the meeting reviewed the Terms of Reference of the Task Force as

presented in Appendix D.

Agenda Item 8: Any other business

Under this agenda item the meeting discussed issues related to aeronautical surveillance data sharing that can be provided by the current surveillance systems and facilities (SSR, ADS-C.). States were encouraged to take the opportunity of the existing overlapping radar coverage to develop technical arrangements aiming to ensuring the continuity of service of aeronautical surveillance by sharing data in the framework of the Global Air Navigation Plan provisions.

The meeting also recognized that the update of the implementation strategy is linked to the availability of information pertaining to fleet equipage for the new aeronautical surveillance technology (ADS-C, ADS-B - ES 1090...).

It was agreed on the necessity to regularly assess the fleet equipage rate through the completion of a questionnaire;

The following conclusion was formulated.

Conclusion 2/9: Regular fleet equipage review

That regular fleet equipage questionnaire should be completed to ensure informed implementation Decision making

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APPENDIX B

Recommendations of the Regional Workshop on Aeronautical Surveillance, Dakar Senegal, 20-21 June 2011

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| Agenda Item 1 | Overview of the evolution of the Aeronautical Surveillance systems | | | |
| Recommendation 2/01 | Separation criteria to design Surveillance facilities That, considering the role of surveillance facilities functionalities to complement Performance Base Navigation, AFI States ensure that all the relevant operational requirement for the future ATM system are taken into consideration when planning designing and implementing surveillance systems. | | | |
| Agenda Item 2 | Summary of relevant activities of ICAO Aeronautical Surveillance Panel (developments and provisions) | | | |
| Recommendation 2/02 | Participation to the Global Air Navigation Technology Forum (GANTF) That, AFI States/Organizations should endeavor to participate and /or contribute to the GANTF in September 2011 and develop relevant submissions to be presented to the 12 th Air Navigation Conference. | | | |
| Agenda Item 3 | Overview of Primary and Secondary Surveillance Radars | | | |
| Recommendation 2/03 | Harmonization of Modes S Secondary Implementation in AFI Region That in accordance with interoperability requirements States/Organisation consider the harmonization of the implementation of Mode S Secondary Surveillance Radars in AFI Region. | | | |
| Agenda Item 4 | Overview of ADS- Contract | | | |
| Recommendation 2/04 | Need of a performance survey on ADS-C operation That, based on the pace of implementation of ADS-C within the AFI Region States/organizations should assess the required service performance level and report to ICAO regional Offices | | | |
| Agenda Item 5 | Basic ADS-B Concept and applications | | | |
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| Agenda Item 6 | Fundamentals of Multilateration Systems | | | |
| Agenda Item 7 | Aeronautical Surveillance data distribution and exchange | | | |
| Recommendation 2/05 | Interconnection between Surveillance systems That AFI States/Organizations, develop and harmonize scheme for aeronautical surveillance data distribution and exchange interconnection and interoperability within AFI region and between AFI and other ICAO neighbouring Regions. | | | |

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| Agenda Item 8 | Trials and Implementations in ICAO AFI & ICAO other Regions | | | |
| Recommendation 2/06 | Trials between Aeronautical Surveillance Systems | | | |
| | That in order to ensure interoperability and interconnection of surveillance systems Sates /Organization should conduct trials based on MoU and share the results for the update of AFI Surveillance Plan. | | | |
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| Agenda Item 9 | Comparison of Surveillance Technologies | | | |
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| Agenda Item 10 | Roadmap for Aeronautical Surveillance from users perspective | | | |
| Recommendation 2/07 | User consultation | | | |
| | That, State s/Organizations should reinforce the consultation with the users prior to implementing new surveillance solution taking due cognizance of the AFI Surveillance implementation Plan. | | | |
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| Agenda Item 11 | Any other business | | | |
| Recommendation 2/08 | Cost Benefit Analysis | | | |
| | That, a detailed CBA should form part of any surveillance solution decision making process | | | |

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APPENDIX C1

Basic Documentation for AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Draft Strategy, Draft Plan, Draft data sharing form

AFI SURVEILLANCE STRATEGY

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PROLOGUE

Air traffic is growing at a significant rate. There is also an increasing demand for more operating flexibility to improve aircraft efficiency and to reduce the impact of air travel on the environment. Improved tools are required to safely manage increasing levels and complexity of air traffic. Aeronautical surveillance is one such important tool in the air traffic management (ATM) process.

Surveillance plays an important role in air traffic. The ability to accurately determine, track and update the position of aircraft has a direct influence on the minimum distances by which aircraft must be separated (i.e. separation standards), and therefore on how efficiently a given airspace may be utilized.

In areas without electronic surveillance, where air traffic management is reliant on pilots reporting their position verbally, aircraft have to be separated by relatively large distances to account for the uncertainty in the reported position because of the delivery delay and the low rate at which the information is updated.

Conversely, in areas where electronic surveillance systems are used, and aircraft positions are updated frequently, the airspace can be used more efficiently by safely accommodating a higher density of aircraft through reduced separation minima. In this way the surveillance function provides an indication of any unexpected aircraft movements and is an important safety function.

Accurate surveillance can furthermore be used as the basis for automated alerting systems. The ability to accurately track aircraft enables air traffic controllers to be alerted when an aircraft is detected to deviate from its assigned altitude or route or when the future positions of two or more aircraft are predicted to fall below minimum acceptable separation standards. Alerts may also be provided when the aircraft strays below the minimum safe altitude or enters a restricted area.

The existing fixed route structure provides increased certainty of aircraft movements making it easier for controllers to manage air traffic. With improved navigation performance on board aircraft, airspace users are demanding greater flexibility to determine the most efficient routes to satisfy their operating conditions. There is a push for restrictions associated with flying along fixed routes to be lifted. In such an environment, accurate surveillance is required to assist controllers in the detection and resolution of any potential conflicts associated with the flexible use of airspace which will result in a more dynamic environment.

The main objective of this strategy is to propose the surveillance systems that are suitable to be applied in short and medium terms within the AFI Region and to define an evolutionary path that will promote safety, interoperability and cost effectiveness of the required infrastructure to meet the future air traffic management needs. The surveillance strategy should be seen as a guidance document to all stakeholders, without any regulatory or mandatory requirements. Appropriate regulations should be published by Air Navigation Authorities when the use of new surveillance techniques is to be introduced in the States.

This strategy is a live document and should be reviewed and updated every two years.

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AFRICA-INDIAN OCEAN SURVEILLANCE STRATEGY

Introduction

Purpose

The surveillance strategy should be seen as a link between the Global Air Navigation Plan for CNS/ATM Systems (Doc. 9750), the AFI Plan and the individual stakeholders' strategy for the air surveillance applications.

Implementation of surveillance systems should be based on a harmonized strategy for the AFI Region that would take into account the operational requirements and relevant cost-benefit analyses. It should also be based on action plans to ensure that AFI States, Regional and International Organizations implement the necessary systems in accordance with consistent timescales.

The surveillance technologies considered in this strategy, to meet present and future ATM expectations are:

- Voice Reporting;
- Primary Radar (PSR);
- Secondary Surveillance Radar (SSR);
- Wide Area Multilateration (WAM);
- Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Contract (ADS-C); and
- Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast (ADS-B).

In order to provide a global view of the surveillance strategy, the operational drivers, the required surveillance infrastructure and the regional studies and trials proposed in this document have been displayed in each chapter in a chronological presentation.

The timeframes illustrated in this document define the tentative dates when surveillance systems are estimated to become regionally operational. Nevertheless, some of the surveillance systems described in this strategy will be used to solve local issues prior to the timescales in this document, and thereby will migrate from pioneer areas into bigger regional areas.

Applicability

This strategy was developed to the following stakeholders group within the Africa-Indian Ocean (AFI) Region:

- The departments of the National Supervisory Authorities of CAR/SAM countries who are responsible for verifying ATM Surveillance Systems;
- The departments of the civil and military ANSP of CAR/SAM states who are responsible for procuring/designing, accepting, and maintaining ATM Surveillance Systems;
- The Airport Operators, who are responsible for procuring/designing, accepting, and maintaining Surveillance Systems at airports level; and
- The Airspace Users, who are the final client of the ATM Surveillance Systems chain.

Reference Documents

- Annex 10 Aeronautical Telecommunications, Volume IV Surveillance and Collision Avoidance Systems
- Annex 10 Aeronautical Telecommunications, Volume III Communication Systems
- Doc 9924 Aeronautical Surveillance Manual;
- Doc 9684 Manual of the Secondary Surveillance Radar (SSR) Systems
- Doc 9688 Manual on Mode S Specific Services
- Surveillance Strategy for the Car/Sam Regions, First Edition, Rev 2.0

Aeronautical Surveillance – Air-Ground Surveillance Systems

The aeronautical surveillance system may be broadly divided into four parts:

- a "remote surveillance subsystem" installed within the target under surveillance, which has two main functions: to collect the data from different onboard sensors/interfaces and to transmit them to other parts of the system or to other users;
- a sensor system that receives and collects surveillance information about targets under surveillance;
- a communication system which connects the sensor systems to an SDP system and allows transfer of the surveillance data. Ground communication may also support control and monitoring of the sensor; and
- an data processing system that combines the data received from the different sensors in one data stream, optionally integrates the surveillance data with other and provides/distributes the data to the users in a specified manner removing the possible different specificities of the different types of sensors.

The sensor is a significant part of the aeronautical surveillance system. It provides surveillance information which is then presented to air traffic controllers. The available sensors/systems can currently be categorized as:

- Non-Cooperative
- Independent Cooperative
- Dependent Cooperative

The remainder of this section provides an high level overview of the sensors available for aeronautical surveillance applications.

Non-Cooperative Sensors / Systems

Primary Surveillance Radars (PSR)

Primary Surveillance Radars works by detecting reflections to transmitted pulses of radio frequency energy. The ground station typically consists of a transmitter, receiver and rotating antenna. The system transmits the pulses and then detects and processes the received reflections. The slant range of the target is determined by measuring the time from transmission of the signal to reception of the reflected pulses. The bearing of the target is determined by noting the position of the rotating antenna when the reflected pulses are received. Reflections are obtained from targets of interest and fixed objects (e.g. buildings) which tend to create clutter. Special processing techniques are used to remove the clutter.

In the 1960s and 1970s, Primary Surveillance Radars was widely used for en-route surveillance. From the late 1970s many air navigation service providers decided to discontinue use of Primary Surveillance Radars for that application mainly because of its high cost and inability to provide identification, which became more important with increasing traffic densities. Also, mandatory requirements for aircraft to carry transponders in airspace with high traffic meant that surveillance could be provided using Secondary Surveillance Radars. In many countries the use of Primary Surveillance Radars is retained for defence or for weather-monitoring purposes rather than for the provision of civil ATC services.

Primary Surveillance Radars has not been standardized by ICAO, but remains a useful tool in busy terminal areas where it provides surveillance of aircraft not equipped with a transponder (intruder detection). The future use of traditional Primary Surveillance Radars is expected to decrease mainly due to widespread transponder carriage and the introduction of other surveillance technologies.

Primary Surveillance Radars is also used in airport surface surveillance applications to detect objects that stray onto the active areas of the airport and those aircraft with transponders that are configured to ignore SSR interrogations when on the ground.

Presently Primary Surveillance Radars are generally not the main means of providing surveillance because of its inability to provide target identification (this is mitigated to some extent by voice communication and specific procedures).

Independent Cooperative Sensor Systems

Secondary Surveillance Radars (SSR)

The Secondary Surveillance Radar system consists of two main elements, a ground-based interrogator/receiver and an aircraft transponder. The ground station typically consists of a rotating antenna. The aircraft's transponder responds to interrogations from the ground station enabling the aircraft's range and bearing from the ground station to be determined independantly. The bearing of the aircraft from the radar is determined by measuring the position of the rotating antenna when the reply is received. The range accuracy is generally constant within the coverage volume. However the bearing, being an angular measurement, is less accurate for aircraft that are further away from the radar.

The transponder is allowed a fixed delay within which to decode the interrogation and prepare the reply for transmission. This fixed delay is taken into account by the ground sensor when processing the reply.

Reference transponders, installed at known locations on the ground are used to confirm that the radar is operating correctly. The system is usually configured to generate an alert if the radar fails to receive a reply from the site monitor or reports its position outside a predefined area centred on its true position.

Secondary Surveillance Radars evolved from military applications that required an aircraft to be identified as friendly or hostile. The Mode A/C service was subsequently developed for civil aviation. Since then, Secondary Surveillance Radars has been significantly enhanced to include the Mode S service. Secondary Surveillance Radars share the frequencies 1 030 MHz for interrogations and 1 090 MHz for replies with other systems:

- Mode A/C transponders provide an identity (Mode A) code and pressure altitude (Mode C) code in response to radar interrogations. The spacing of the interrogation pulses determines the mode and hence controls the transponder response. The Mode A identity code, in the form of a four-digit octal number, is assigned by ATC and entered into the transponder by the flight crew. The transponder receives altitude from an on-board pressure altitude encoder or air data computer.
- Mode S allows selective addressing of aircraft through the use of a 24-bit aircraft address that uniquely identifies each aircraft and has a two-way data link between the ground station and aircraft for the exchange of information. It was designed to be backward compatible with and supports all functions of Mode A/C. data link allows additional information such as airspeed, heading, ground speed, track angle, track angle rate vertical rate and roll angle to be obtained from the aircraft. Such aircraft derived data may be used to improve the tracking of the aircraft and to alleviate the need for radio calls for obtaining the information. Other information that may be obtained via the Mode S data link includes the aircraft ID, the altitude selected by the flight crew on the aircraft's mode control panel and an ACAS RA report.

Wide Area Multilateration (WAM)

An wide area multilateration system relies on signals from an aircraft's transponder being detected at a number of receiving stations. WAM uses a technique known as TDOA to establish surfaces that represent constant differences in distance between the target and pairs of receiving stations. The aircraft position is determined by the intersection of these surfaces.

Multilateration can theoretically be performed using any signals transmitted periodically from an aircraft. However, systems used for civil purposes are based only on Secondary Surveillance Radars transponder signals. An wide area multilateration system requires a minimum of four receiving stations to calculate an aircraft's position. If the aircraft's pressure altitude is known then the position may be resolved using three receiving stations. However, in practice, operational wide area multilateration systems have many more receiving stations to ensure adequate coverage and performance.

The accuracy of an wide area multilateration system is non-linear within the coverage volume. It is dependent on the geometry of the target in relation to the receiving stations and the accuracy to which the relative time of receipt of the signal at each station can be determined. A wide area multilateration system needs a common time reference to determine the relative TOA of the signal at the receiving stations. This is normally done in one of two ways:

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- Sentralised: all the received signals are sent to a central processing station where they are time-stamped by a common clock. In this case, the system must determine and make allowance for the message transit time between each receiving station and the central station. The system transmits messages between the central and receiver stations to monitor and adjust the transit time; or
- De-sentralised: the clocks in all of the receivers are kept in synchronism by a common reference such as GNSS, or through the use of a transmitter at a known location. The distance between this transmitter and the receiving stations is known, and by monitoring the time of receipt of the signals from this transmitter at each receiving station, adjustments can be made to ensure the receiver clocks remain synchronized.

Wide area multilateration systems may include transmitting stations capable of interrogating aircraft transponders. This may be necessary if there are no other interrogations in the coverage area of the system to generate SSR reply signals. It may also be necessary to obtain Mode A code, pressure altitude and possibly other (through Mode S replies) aircraft data. Some systems also use the interrogations and subsequent replies to measure the range of the aircraft from the transmitting station in a similar manner to radar. This range measurement supplements the multilateration TDOA information.

Wide area multilateration systems can also can process extended squitter signals in two ways:

- by using TDOA, as with all other transponder signals; and
- by decoding the message content to determine the aircraft's position (latitude and longitude), pressure altitude and velocity.

WAM therefore provides a transition to an environment where the majority of aircraft will be equipped with ADS-B.

Multilateration may be used for airport surface, terminal area and en-route surveillance. Its use for surface surveillance applications relies on aircraft transponders being active while being on the ground. In many aircraft, the transponder's operation is controlled by the weight-on-wheels switch, also known as the squat switch. Mode S transponders continue to transmit squitters and may be selectively interrogated while they are on the ground. However, Mode A/C transponders are often inhibited from replying to interrogations while the aircraft is on the ground to reduce the impact on nearby radar systems.

Dependent Cooperative Systems

Automatic Depandant Surveillance – Contract (ADS-C)

In ADS-C the aircraft uses on-board navigation systems to determine its position, velocity and other data. A ground ATM system establishes a "contract" with the aircraft to report this information at regular intervals or when defined events occur. This information is transmitted on point-to-point data links. This means the information cannot be accessed by other parties (i.e. other aircraft or other ATM systems). The aircraft operator and ATM provider each establish agreements with a data link service provider for delivery of the ADS-C messages. Information that may be transmitted in ADS-C reports includes:

- present position (latitude, longitude and altitude) plus time stamp and FOM;
- predicted route in terms of next and (next +1) waypoints;
- velocity (ground or air referenced); and
- meteorological data (wind speed, wind direction and temperature).

The airborne and ground systems negotiate the conditions under which the aircraft submits reports (i.e. periodic reports, event reports demand reports and emergency reports). Reports received by the ATM system are processed to track the aircraft on displays in a way similar to surveillance data obtained from SSR. The reporting rate for current oceanic operations is normally about 15 to 25 minutes. It is however possible for controllers to manually increase the reporting rate to support specific operations.

ADS-C is typically used in oceanic and remote areas where there is no radar. As a result, it is mainly fitted to long-range air transport aircraft and could support more efficient separation standards than in a case where ATC is reliant only on pilot reports. ADS-C is usually used in conjunction with CPDLC, which allows electronic data communication between ATC and flight crew as an alternative to voice communications. Note.— ADS-C is currently used entirely to provide

procedural separation.

Automatic Depandant Surveillance – Broadcast (ADS-B)

ADS-B is the broadcast by an aircraft of its position (latitude and longitude), altitude, velocity, aircraft ID and other information obtained from on-board systems. Every ADS-B position message includes an indication of the quality of the data which allows users to determine whether the data is good enough to support the intended function.

The aircraft position, velocity and associated data quality indicators are usually obtained from an on-board GNSS. Current inertial sensors by themselves do not provide the required accuracy or integrity data, although future systems are likely to address this shortcoming. ADS-B position messages from an inertial system are therefore usually transmitted with a declaration of unknown accuracy or integrity. Some new aircraft installations use an integrated GNSS and inertial navigation system to provide position, velocity and data quality indicators for the ADS-B transmission. These systems are expected to have better performance than a system based solely on GNSS, since inertial and GNSS sensors have complementary characteristics that mitigate the weaknesses of each system. Altitude is usually obtained from the pressure altitude encoder (also used as the data source for Mode C replies).

Since ADS-B messages are broadcast, they can be received and processed by any suitable receiver. As a result, ADS-B supports both ground-based and airborne surveillance applications. For aeronautical surveillance, ground stations are deployed to receive and process the ADS-B messages. In airborne applications, aircraft equipped with ADS-B receivers can process the messages from other aircraft to determine the location of surrounding traffic in support of applications such as the CDTI. Other, more advanced ASAs are under development and are expected to have a significant impact on the way in which air traffic is managed.

Three ADS-B data links (or signal transmission systems) have been developed and standardized:

Mode S1 1 090 MHz ES (1 090 ES) was developed as part of the Mode S system. The standard Mode S acquisition squitter is 56 bits long. The 1 090 MHz ES contains an additional 56-bit data block containing ADS-B information. Each ES message is 120 microseconds long (8 microseconds of preamble and 12 microseconds of data). The signals are transmitted at a frequency of 1 090 MHz, and have a data transmission rate of 1 Mbps. The ADS-B information is broadcast in separate messages, each of which contains a related set of information (e.g. airborne position and pressure altitude, surface position, velocity, aircraft ID and type, emergency information). Position and velocity are transmitted twice per second. Aircraft ID is transmitted every 5 seconds. The transmission of ES ADS-B is an integral part of many Mode S transponders, although it may also be implemented in a non-Mode S transponder device as well. There is international agreement that Mode S ES will be used for air transport aircraft worldwide to support interoperability, at least for initial implementation.

Universal access transceiver2 (UAT) has been designed as a general purpose aviation data link to allow uplink of information in addition to the transmission of ADS-B data. Since each UAT transceiver is allocated a time slot, the receiver is able to perform a range check, based on the time of receipt of the message, to provide a rudimentary validation of the broadcast position. This feature also allows aircraft receiving messages to determine their range from the ground station.

VHF digital link Mode 43 (VDL Mode 4) was developed as a generic data link supporting CNS functions. The applicability was initially restricted to surveillance applications like ADS-C and ADS-B, but the regulatory restrictions were later removed so that VDL Mode 4 is now available as a CNS data link. The system supports broadcast and point-to-point communications for air-ground and air-air applications.

ATS Services – Evolution of Aeronautical Surveillance

Aeronautical surveillance systems are designed to be used by ATS to improve capacity and to enhance safety. In support of applications, the ATS surveillance system should provide for a continuously updated presentation of surveillance information, including position indications.

¹ The manual on Technical Provisions for Mode S Services and Extended Squitter (Doc 9871) contains details on Mode S ES

² The Manual on the Universal Access Transceiver (UAT) (Doc 9861) contains details of UAT.

³ The Manual on VHF Digital Link (VDL) Mode 4 (Doc 9816) contains details of the VDL Mode 4.

En-route control service

En-route control services usually encompass large volumes of airspace (including oceanic areas) where aircraft are well established on their flight paths and are typically in cruise mode. Aircraft generally fly at high speeds in this phase.

A surveillance system for area control typically needs to provide surveillance over large volumes of airspace including remote areas where ground infrastructure may be limited or non-existent. The surveillance system should support controller safety net alerts such as cleared level monitoring, route adherence monitoring and restricted area monitoring. The provision of medium-term conflict detection tools is desirable. Position updates may not need to be as frequent as in other environments.

Surveillance systems suitable for area control include ADS-C, particularly in oceanic and remote areas, SSR, WAM and ADS-B. The following table summarises the proposed evolution of air traffic surveillance solutions in the region:

| | Separation | Short term | Mid- term | Long term |
|---------|-------------|---------------------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------------|
| | (en-trail) | (2008-2015) | (2016-2020) | (2020 and beyond) |
| Type 3 | 5nm | Dual Coverage | Dual Coverage | Dual Coverage |
| | | SSR where implemented | SSR where implemented | Reduced number of SSRs |
| | | ADS-B where justified | ADS-B where justified | ADS-B |
| | | WAM where justified | WAM where justified | WAM where justified |
| Type 2 | 30nm x 30nm | ADS-C | | |
| | | SSR where implemented | SSR where implemented | Reduced number of SSRs |
| | | ADS-B where justified | ADS-B where justified | ADS-B |
| | | WAM where justified | WAM where justified | WAM |
| Type 1 | ??? | ADS-C | ADS-C | ADS-C |
| | 10 minutes | Voice Reporting where justified | Voice Reporting where justified | Reduced number of Voice Reporting |
| Remote | ??? | ADS-C | ADS-C | ADS-C |
| | 10 minutes | Voice Reporting where justified | Voice Reporting where justified | Reduced number of Voice Reporting |
| Oceanic | 30nm x 30nm | ADS-C | ADS-C | ADS-C |
| | | Voice Reporting | Voice Reporting | Voice Reporting |

EN ROUTE AIRSPACE OPERATIONS

Note:

- Type 1: Complex traffic pattern and a high density traffic;
- Type 2: Complex traffic pattern and a medium density traffic; and
- Type 3: Low density traffic.

Approach control service

Approach control services are provided to controlled flights arriving or departing from one or more aerodromes. Vectoring may be performed at higher traffic density levels, and changes in altitude and heading are frequent. Arriving traffic may be placed in holding patterns when demand for services exceeds the aerodrome or airspace capacity.

In this environment, the role of ATM is to manage the flow of traffic to and from the aerodrome, to separate arriving traffic from departing traffic. Aircraft are typically separated by lesser minima than in the case of area control. Aircraft speeds are lower than in the en-route phase of flight.

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Surveillance systems suitable for approach control include primary radar, SSR, multilateration (WAM) and ADS-B. The following table summarises the proposed evolution of air traffic surveillance solutions in the region:

| | Separation (en-trail) | Short term (2008-2015) | Mid- term (2016-2020) | Long term (2020 and beyond) |
|--------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|--------------------------------|
| Type 3 | ??? | SSR where implemented | SSR where implemented | WAM (supplemental) |
| | | PSR where justified | PSR where justified | ADS-B (primarily) |
| | | WAM (trials) | WAM (gradually) | |
| | | ADS-B (Trials) | ADS-B (gradually) | |
| Type 2 | ??? | SSR where implemented | SSR where implemented | WAM (supplemental) |
| | | PSR where justified | PSR where justified | ADS-B (primarily) |
| | | WAM (trials) | WAM (gradually) | |
| | | ADS-B (Trials) | ADS-B (gradually) | |

APPROACH AIRSPACE OPERATIONS

Note:

- Type 1: Complex traffic pattern and a high density traffic;
- Type 2: Complex traffic pattern and a medium density traffic; and
- Type 3: Low density traffic.

Aerodrome control service

Aerodrome control service are, inter alia, responsible for preventing collisions between aircraft in the vicinity of the aerodrome and between aircraft and vehicles in the manoeuvring area and between aircraft landing and taking off. Visual sighting of aircraft from the control tower is the primary means of determining position. During busy periods and in low visibility conditions, a surveillance system may be used to improve the safety and efficiency of aerodrome operations.

It also needs a high update rate in order to present a current picture in a rapidly changing environment.

A surveillance system supporting an aerodrome control service needs to have a high degree of accuracy to determine the location of targets on relatively narrow runways and taxiways, with the ability to detect both aircraft and vehicles, and to distinguish between closely spaced targets. The system also needs a high update rate in order to present a current picture in a rapidly changing environment. Aircraft and vehicles need to be clearly labelled on controller displays to avoid confusion. The surveillance system should support runway incursion monitoring and other alerting tools.

Surveillance systems suitable for aerodrome control include primary radar, secondary surveillance, multilateration and ADS-B. The following table summarises the proposed evolution of air traffic surveillance solutions in the region:

| | Separation (en-trail) | Short term (2008-2015) | Mid- term (2016-2020) | Long term (2020 and beyond) |
|--------------|--------------------------|---------------------------|--------------------------|-----------------------------|
| Type 3 | ??? | SSR where implemented | SSR where implemented | WAM (supplemental) |
| | | PSR where justified | PSR where justified | ADS-B (primarily) |
| WAM (trials) | | WAM (gradually) | | |
| | | ADS-B (Trials) | ADS-B (gradually) | |
| Type 2 | ??? | SSR where implemented | SSR where implemented | WAM (supplemental) |
| | | PSR where justified | PSR where justified | ADS-B (primarily) |

TERMINAL AIRSPACE OPERATIONS

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| | | WAM (trials) | WAM (gradually) | |
|--------|------------|-----------------|-------------------|-----------------|
| | | ADS-B (Trials) | ADS-B (gradually) | |
| Type 1 | Procedural | Voice Reporting | Voice Reporting | Voice Reporting |

Note:

- Type 1: Complex traffic pattern and a high density traffic; ٠
- Type 2: Complex traffic pattern and a medium density traffic; and
 Type 3: Low density traffic.

Data Exchange Format

(To be developed)

Motivation on the use of ASTERIX to be included here

Data Sharing Agreement – Template

(To be developed)

Proposed data sharing agreement to be included in thi section, with the necessary motivation.

Surveillance Performance Framework

En-Route Surveillance

| | SURVEILLANCE SYSTEMS I | PERFORMANCE FR | AMEWORK | |
|--------------------|--|---|------------------------------|-----------------------|
| | Performa | ance Benefits | | |
| Safety | Timely availability of reliable infrastructu as improving airspace and aerodrome Timely availability of adequate radio spec global basis and thus improve <i>safety</i> | e capacity. ctrum will ensure the p and efficiency in aviati | provision of viable air navi | - |
| Environment | Optimal routing will reduce carbon emiss | sions. | | |
| Efficiency | Timely availability of reliable communication well as improving airspace and aerod Timely availability of adequate radio spec- global basis and thus improve safety | lrome capacity. ctrum will ensure the p and <i>efficiency</i> in aviati | provision of viable air navi | gation services on a |
| Capacity | Timely availability of reliable infrastructu | | prove safety and efficiency | y in aviation as well |
| | as improving airspace and aerodrome | | | |
| Cost Effectiveness | Optimal routing will reduce operating co | st | | |
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| ATM Operational | | Timeframe | | |
| Concept | Tasks / Project / Initiative | Start-End | Responsibility | Status |
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| | | anagement | | |
| Risk Factors | Lack of Funding. Delay of Aircraft Equipage. System inter-operability & Harmonisation Lack of SARPS. Insufficient Data. | n. | | |
| Risk Mitigation | Identification and application of different Proactive consultation with ATM Comm Proactive consultation with Regulators. Access to ATM Community planning for | unity. | | |
| | Linkag | ge to GPI's | | |

| GPI-1: Flexible Use Of Airspace | AOM, AUO |
|--|--------------------------------------|
| GPI-2: Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum | AOM, CM |
| GPI-3: Harmonization Of Level Systems | AOM, CM, AUO |
| GPI-4: Alignment Of Upper Airspace Components: | AOM, CM, AUO |
| GPI-5: RNAV And RNP Performance-Based Navigation | AOM, AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-6: Air Traffic Flow Management | AOM, AO, DCB, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-7: Dynamic And Flexible ATS Route Management | AOM, AUO |
| GPI-8: Collaborative Airspace Design And Management | AOM, AUO |
| GPI-9: Situational Awareness | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-10: Terminal Area Design And Management | AOM, AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-11: RNP And RNAV SIDS and STARS | AOM, AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-12: Functional Integration of Ground Systems With Ai | irborne Systems AOM, AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-13: Aerodrome Design And Management | AO, CM, AUO |
| GPI-14: Runway Operations | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-15: Match IMC And VMC Operating Capacity | AO, CM, AUO |
| GPI-16: Decision Support And Alerting Systems | DCB, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-17: Data Link Applications | DCB, AO, TS, CM, AUO, ATMSDM |
| GPI-18: Aeronautical Information | AOM, DCB, AO, TS, CM, AUO, ATMSDM |
| GPI-19:Meteorological Systems | AOM, DCB, AO, AUO |
| GPI-20:WGS-84 A | AO, CM, AUO |
| GPI-21: Navigation Systems | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-22: Communication Infrastructure | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-23: Aeronautical Radio Spectrum | AO, TS, CM, AUO, ATMSDM |

Approach Surveillance

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| GPI-6: Air Traffic Flow Management | AOM, AO, DCB, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-7: Dynamic And Flexible ATS Route Management | AOM, AUO |
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| GPI-9: Situational Awareness | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
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| GPI-14: Runway Operations | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-15: Match IMC And VMC Operating Capacity | AO, CM, AUO |
| GPI-16: Decision Support And Alerting Systems | DCB, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-17: Data Link Applications | DCB, AO, TS, CM, AUO, ATMSDM |
| GPI-18: Aeronautical Information | AOM, DCB, AO, TS, CM, AUO, ATMSDM |
| GPI-19:Meteorological Systems | AOM, DCB, AO, AUO |
| GPI-20:WGS-84 | AO, CM, AUO |
| GPI-21: Navigation Systems | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-22: Communication Infrastructure | AO, TS, CM, AUO |
| GPI-23: Aeronautical Radio Spectrum | AO, TS, CM, AUO, ATMSDM |
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List of Acronyms and Abbreviations

| 2D | Three Dimensional |
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| 3D 3G | Third Generation |
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| 3GPP | Third Generation Partnership Project |
| AAIM | Aircraft Autonomous Integrity Monitoring |
| ABAS | Aircraft –based Augmentation |
| ACARS | Aircraft Communications, Addressing and Reporting System |
| ACAS | Airborne Collision Avoidance System |
| ACC | Area Control Centre |
| ADF | Automatic Direction Finder |
| ADS | Automatic Dependent Surveillance |
| ADS – B | Automatic Dependant Surveillance – Broadcast |
| ADS – C | Automatic Dependant Surveillance – Contract |
| AERMAC | Aeronautical Message and Communication (Software Product) |
| AFI | Africa – Indian ocean area |
| AFN | ATC Facilities Notification (Fans 1/A Message) |
| AFS | Aeronautical Fixed Service |
| AFTN | Aeronautical Fixed Telecommunications Network |
| AGC | Automatic Gain Control |
| AIDC | Air Traffic Services Inter – Facility Data Communications |
| AIMU | Aeronautical Information Management Unit |
| AIP | Aeronautical Information Publication |
| AIREP | Air Report |
| AMC | Airspace Management Cells |
| AMCP | Aeronautical Mobile Communications Panel |
| AMHS | ATS message Handling System |
| AMS | Aeronautical Mobile Service |
| AMS® S | Aeronautical Mobile-Satellite (R) Service |
| AMSS | Aeronautical Mobile-Satellite Service |
| ANR's | Air Navigation Regulations |
| AO | Aircraft Operators |
| AOC | Aircraft Operating Company / Committee |
| AORRA | Atlantic Ocean Random Route Area |
| APIRG | AFI Planning and Implementation Regional Group |
| APN | Access Point Name |
| APP | Approach |
| APR | Automatic Position Reporting |
| APV | Approach with Vertical Guidance |
| AR | Area of Routing |
| ASM | Airspace Management |
| A-SMGCS | Advanced Surface Movement Guidance & Control System |
| ASP | Aeronautical Surveillance Panel |
| ATA | Actual Time of Arrival |
| ATD | Actual Time of Departure |
| ATFM | Air Traffic Flow Management |
| ATIS | Automatic Terminal Information Service |
| ATN | Aeronautical Telecommunications Network |
| ATOM | ADSAT Trials Operations Manual |
| ATS | Air Traffic Services or Aircraft Tracking System |
| ATS/DS | Air Traffic Service / Direct Speech |
| ATSMHS | Air Traffic Services Message Handling System |
| BA | Business Analyst |
| BER | Bit Error Rate / Beyond Economical Repair |

| | AFI ASI/TF |
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| BITE | Build-in Test Equipment |
| BOM | Bill of Material |
| BSA | Business Systems Administrator |
| CAMU | Central Airspace Management Unit |
| CAPEX | Capital Expenditure |
| CATS-ACCID | Civil Aviation Technical Standards / Accidents and Incidents |
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| CATS-AIRS | Civil Aviation Technical Standards / Met Information And Aeronautical |
| | Info Services |
| CATS-ARM | Civil Aviation Technical Standards / Aircraft Registration Markings |
| CATS-ATO | Civil Aviation Technical Standards / Aviation Training Organisations |
| CATS-ATS | Civil Aviation Technical Standards / Air Traffic Services |
| CATS-DG | Civil Aviation Technical Standards / Dangerous Goods |
| CCA | Commissioner Civil Aviation |
| CDI | Course Deviation Indicator |
| CDP | Communications Data Processor |
| CDR's | Conditional Routes |
| CDRL | Contract Document Requirement List |
| CDU | Control and Display unit |
| CEU | Central Executive Unit |
| CFE | Customer Furnished Equipment |
| CFIT | Controlled Flight Into Terrain |
| CFMU | Central Flow Management Unit |
| CLD | Clearance Delivery |
| СМ | Context Management |
| CNS | Communications, Navigation and Surveillance |
| СОМ | Communications |
| CPDLC | Controller Pilot Data Link Communication |
| CRC | Cycle Redundancy check |
| CRM | Customer Relationship Management |
| CRM | Collision Risk Modelling |
| CSD | Circuit Switched Data |
| CTA | Control Area |
| CTR | Control Zone |
| CUG | Closed User Group |
| DAIW | Danger Area Infringement Warning |
| DARPs | Dynamic user preference re-routes |
| D-ATIS | Digital Automatic Terminal Information System |
| DCPC | Direct Controller Pilot Communications (voice/data) |
| DCW | Digital Chart of The World |
| DDP | Delivered Duty Paid |
| DECT | Digital Enhanced Cordless Telecommunications |
| DEP | Departure |
| DF | Directional Finder |
| D-FIS | Digital Flight Information Service |
| DGNSS | Differential Global Navigation Satellite System |
| DHCP | Dynamic Host Configuration Protocol |
| DI | Direction Indicator |
| DL | Data Link |
| DLC | Departure Clearance |
| DME | Distance Measuring Equipment |
| DTED | Digital Terrain Elevation Data |
| DTM | Dual Transfer Mode |
| DTMF | Dual Tone Multi Frequency |
| DVD | Digital Versatile Disk |

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| DVOR | Doppler VOR |
| DVR | Digital Video Recorder |
| EASA | European Aviation Safety Agency |
| EATCHIP | European Air Traffic Control Harmonisation and Integration Program |
| EATMS | European Air Traffic Management System |
| ECAC | European Civil Aviation |
| ECP | Engineering Change Proposal |
| EGNOS | European Geostationary Navigation Overlay System |
| ETA | Estimated Time of Arrival |
| EUR | European Region |
| EUROCAE | European Organisation for Civil Aviation Equipment |
| Eurocontrol | European Organisation for the Safety of Air Navigation |
| FAA | Federal Aviation Administration |
| FANS | Future Air Navigation Systems |
| FAT | Factory Acceptance Tests |
| FDP | Flight Data Processor |
| FDPS | Flight Data Processing System |
| FET | Further Education & Training |
| FIC | Flight Information Centre |
| FIR | Flight Information Region |
| FIS | Flight Information Service |
| FL | Flight Level |
| FMC | Flight Management Computer |
| FMECA | Failure Mode Effect and Critical Analyses |
| FMP | Flow Management Position |
| FMS | Flight Management System |
| FOB | Free on Board |
| FOR | Free on Rail |
| FPL | Flight Plan |
| FRACAS | Failure Mode Effect and Corrective Action System |
| FRT | Fixed Radius Transition |
| FTA | Fault Tree Analyses |
| FTE | Flight Technical Error |
| FUA | Flexible Use of Airspace |
| GAAP | General Aviation Accident Prevention |
| GBAS | Ground Based Augmentation System |
| GES | Ground Earth Station |
| GIC | GNSS Integrity Channel |
| GLONASS | Global Navigation Satellite System (Russian Federation) |
| GNSS | Global Navigational Satellite System |
| GPRS | General Packet Radio Service |
| GPS | Global Positioning System |
| GS | Ground Speed |
| GSM | Global System for Mobile Communications |
| GUI | Graphical User Interface |
| HDL | HF Data Link |
| HF | High Frequency |
| HFDL | High Frequency Data Link |
| HFP | Human Factors Practitioner |
| HFS | Human Factor Specialist |
| HME | Height Monitoring Equipment |
| HMI | Human Machine Interface |
| HMU | Height Monitoring Unit |
| HTTP | Hyper Text Transfer Protocol |
| IAS | Indicated Air Speed |
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| ICG | Implementation Coordination Group |
| ICT | Information Communication Technology |
| IFR | Instrument Flight Rules |
| ILS | Instrument Landing System |
| IMAP | Internet Message Access Protocol |
| INS | Inertial Navigation System |
| IORRA | Indian Ocean Random Route Area |
| IP | Internet Protocol |
| IRS | Inertial Reference System |
| IRU | Inertial Reference Unit |
| ISD | Integrated Service Digital Network |
| ISS | Investigation and Standards Specialist |
| IT | Information Technology |
| JAA | Joint Aviation Authorities |
| JIT | Just In Time |
| KSIA | King Shaka International Airport |
| LAAS | Local Area Augmentation System |
| LAN | Local Area Network |
| LCC | Life Cycle Cost |
| LCD | Liquid Crystal Display |
| LIS | Logistic Information System |
| LNAV | Lateral Navigation |
| LRU | Line Replaceable Unit |
| LS | Logistic Support |
| LSA | Logistic Support Analyses |
| LSP | Logistic Support Plan |
| LSPP | Logistic Support Programme Plan |
| MACS | Minimum Acceptable Communication Service |
| MARS | Minimum Acceptable Radar Service |
| MASPS | Minimum Aviation System Performance Standards |
| MCDU | Multi Purpose Control and Display Unit (Acars and FMC) |
| MCO | Marketing communications Officer |
| MCOMS | Marketing and Communications Specialist |
| MDF | Main Distribution Frame/ Management Development Facilitator |
| MDP | Management Development Program |
| MEL | Minimum Equipment List |
| MER | Manager Employee Relations |
| MET | Meteorological |
| METAR | Aviation routine weather report |
| MLS | Microwave Landing System |
| MMR | Multimode Receiver |
| MMS | Maintenance Management System (Software product) |
| MNPS | Minimum Navigation Performance Specifications |
| MNT | Mach Number Technique |
| MODE S | Mode S SSR Data Link |
| MRT | Multi Radar Tracking |
| MSA | Minimum Sector Altitude |
| MSAW | Minimum Safe Altitude Warning System |
| MSSR | Monopulse Secondary Surveillance Radar |
| MTBF | Mean Time Before Failure |
| MTCA | Medium Term Conflict Alert |
| MTTR | Mean Time To Repair |
| NAVAID | Navigation Aids |
| NDB | Non Directional Beacon |
| NM | Nautical Mile |

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| RVSM Reduced Vertical Separation Minima | | |
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| SAM South American Region | SAM | |

| C + D D | AFI ASI/TF/ |
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| SARP's | Standards and Recommended Practices |
| SAT | Site Acceptance Tests or South Atlantic |
| SATCOM | Satellite Communications |
| SBAS | Satellite – based Augmentation System |
| SBAS | Space Based Augmentation System |
| SDH | Synchronous Digital Hierarchy |
| SE | Systems Engineer |
| SID | Standard Instrument Departure |
| SIGMET | Information concerning en-route phenomena which may affect the |
| ~~~~ | safety of aircraft operations |
| SIGWX | Significant Weather |
| SLA | Service Level Agreement |
| SME | Small and Medium Size Enterprise |
| SMS-C | Short Message Service Center |
| SNMP | Simple Network Management Protocol |
| SRA | Special Rules Airspace / Surveillance Radar Approach |
| SRE | Surveillance Radar Element |
| SRU | Shop Replace able Unit / Surveillance Radar Unit |
| SSR | Secondary Surveillance Radar |
| SSS | System Support Suite |
| STAR | Standard Terminal Arrival Route |
| STCA | Short Term Conflict Alert |
| SWC | Soccer World Cup |
| TA | Traffic Advisory (TCAS A/C Warning, Tactical Manoeuvre Required) |
| TAAMS | Total Airport And Airspace Modelling Software |
| TAF | Terminal Area Forecast |
| TAR | Terminal Approach Radar |
| TAS | True Air Speed |
| TAT | Turn Around Time |
| TCAS | Traffic Collision Avoidance System |
| ТСР | Transmission Control Protocol |
| TDM | Track Definition Message (Time Division Multiplex) |
| TET | Trainee Engineering Technician |
| TGO | Target generating Officer |
| TL | Technologist Logistics |
| TLS | Target Level of Safety |
| TMA | Terminal Control Area (Terminal Maneuvering Area) |
| TMS | Air Traffic Management Specialist |
| TOS | Traffic Orientation Scheme |
| TSA | Temporary Segregated Area |
| TSE | Total System Error |
| UHF | Ultra High Frequency |
| URS | User Requirement Statement / Specification |
| USB | Universal Serial Bus |
| VCCS | Voice Communication and Control Switch |
| VCR | Visual Control Room |
| VDF | VHF Directional Finder |
| VDL | VHF Data Link |
| VFR | Visual Flight Rules |
| VHF | Very High Frequency |
| VNAV | Vertical Navigation |
| VoIP | Voice Over Internet Protocol |
| VOR | VHF Omni directional Range |
| VOR | VHF Omni directional Radio Range |
| VPN | Virtual Private Network |

| VSAT | Very Small Aperture Terminal |
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| WAAS | Wide Area Augmentation System |
| WAFS | World Area Forecast System |
| WAN | Wide Area Network |
| WANA | Wide Area Network A |
| WAP | Wireless Application Protocol |
| WBS | Work Breakdown Structure |
| WGS-84 | World Geodetic Reference System 1984 |
| WiFi | Wireless Fidelity |
| WLAN | Wireless Local Access Network |
| WWW | World Wide Web |

ACAS Aircraft Collision Avoidance System ADD Aircraft Derived Data ADS Automatic Dependent Surveillance ADS-B ADS-Broadcast ADS-C ADS-Contract ANC Air Navigation Commission ANSP Air Navigation Service Provider APP Approach (Centre or Control) ASAS Airborne Separation Assistance System ASDE Airport Surveillance Detection Equipment A-SMGCS Advanced Surface Movement and Guidance Control System ATC Air Traffic Control ATM Air Traffic Management CDTI Cockpit Display of Traffic Information CNS Communications Navigation and Surveillance CPDLC Controller Pilot Data link Communications FDPS Flight Data Processing System FMS Flight Management System GNSS Global Navigation Satellite System GPS Global Positioning System ICAO International Civil Aviation Organization M-SSR Mono-pulse Secondary Surveillance Radar PSR Primary Surveillance Radar **RSP** Required Surveillance Performance SARPs Standards and Recommended Practices SDPD Surveillance Data Processing and Distribution System SMGCS Surface Movement Guidance and Control System SSR Secondary Surveillance Radar TCAS Traffic Collision Avoidance System TIS-B Traffic Information Service - Broadcast

APPENDIX C2

Basic Documentation for AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation: *Draft data collection template* AFI Surveillance data Collection Template

A -Airspace configuration

UTA : Name (FLXXX-UNL) Sizes: xxx Class: xxx

TMAs: Name (FL YYY-FLZZZ) Size: xxx Class: xxx

- Number of civil and military airports within the TMA:
- Total annual number of movements at each type of airport:.....
- Vertical and lateral limits of the TMA:.....
- IFR and VFR traffic numbers:.....
- Restricted, prohibited and danger areas: Location & Size xxx:.....

B: Aerodrome data

| Name of Aerodrome | Passengers embarked | | Passengers disembarked | | freight | | Aicrafts movement | |
|-------------------|---------------------|----------|------------------------|----------|---------------|----------|-------------------|----------|
| | International | Domestic | International | Domestic | International | Domestic | International | Domestic |
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- Total annual number of movements for each of the following types of:.....
- Traffic: commercial, military and general aviation:.....
- IFR and VFR traffic numbers:.....

APPENDIX D

Terms of Reference, Composition and Work Programme of AFI Aeronautical Surveillance Implementation Task Force

Term of Reference

The AFI Aeronautical Surveillance terms of reference are to:

- 1. Determine the operational performance requirements for aeronautical surveillance in the AFI Region, en-route, terminal areas (TMAs) and aerodromes operations.
- 2. Identify and quantify near term and long term benefits of relevant candidate surveillance systems.
- 3. Develop a draft AFI Surveillance plan including recommended target dates of implementation, taking into account:
- Availability of SARPs,
- Readiness of airspace users and air navigation service providers
- Relevant RAN and APIRG recommendations, conclusion and decisions pertaining to aeronautical surveillance.
- Work done by ICAO Surveillance Panel with the view to avoiding any duplication

Note: The Task Force should report to the next APIRG meeting with preliminary report to the ATS/AIS/SAR and CNS sub groups.

Composition

Core members: ATNS (South Africa), ASECNA, IATA, Algeria, Ghana, Kenya, Nigeria, Rwanda, Tanzania and IFALPA.

States with large oceanic FIRs interface with other ICAO Regions and large continental coverage to be added to the composition as core members. (Democratic Republic of Congo, Mauritius and Seychelles)

Working Groups:

Working Group for the development of the AFI ENROUTE Surveillance strategy

- Seychelles (Team Leader)
- South Africa
- Nigeria
- Ghana
- DRC
- IATA
- Mauritius
- Angola

Working Group for the development of the AFI TERMINAL AREA Surveillance strategy

- ASECNA (Team Leader)
- Zambia
- South Africa
- IATA
- Tanzania

Future Work Programme

| No. | Activity | Detailed requirements | Target dates |
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| 1. | | Review the draft strategy | CNS SG4, ATS/AIS/SAR SG |
| 2. | | • Complete table of TMAs, aerodromes and en routes movement statistics | All submission to be forwarded to ICAO |
| | | Considere data distribution format (Asterix) | WACAF & ESAF Offices no later than 15 July 2011 |
| | | Draft guidelines for data exchange agreement taking into consideration the current models in other regions | |
| 3. | | Review and align with new ICAO Standards and guidance when development | On-going |
| 4. | | Finalize the surveillance data distribution format | After CNS SG4 |
| 5. | | Draft updated implementation Plan | Task Force to report to APIRG/18 |
| 6. | | Update Doc. 003 and CNS Table 4A&B in FASID | On-going |