

# Deploy AIM to open the door for innovations

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# Deploy AIM

- TopSky-AIM Introduction
- References
- TopSky-AIM overview

# Enabling Innovations







- A dedicated Team of 50 persons
  - Involved in Aeronautical Information Management (AIM)
  - And AFTN / AMHS switch
- Located in Paris, Part of ATM activity
- Strongest and longest experience in AIM
  - Thales is involved in AIS/AIM for more than 20 years

TopSky

- Thales has references in:
  - ARINC
  - AIXM 3.3
  - AIXM 4.5
  - AIXM 5.1

Part of TopSky-ATM suite

TopSky – AIS

TopSky – AIXM

TopSky – eAIP

**TopSky – Internet Briefing** 





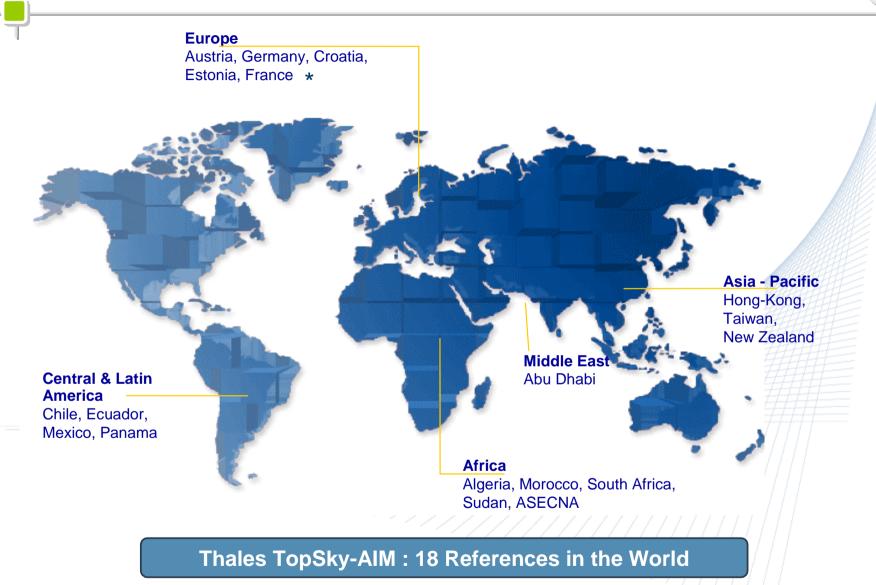


# Thales is involved in all AIM related workgroup and exhibitions:

- Workgroups:
  - CANSO AIS-AIM WG
  - ICAO regional meeting focused on AIM
  - Eurocontrol AIM/SWIM Team
  - SESAR WP meetings
  - EAD evolutions follow-up
- Exhibitions
  - ATC Global Amsterdam
  - IFAIMA (previously called Global AIM)
  - CANSO World
  - AIXM / WXXM Conference in Washington
  - Thales User Group









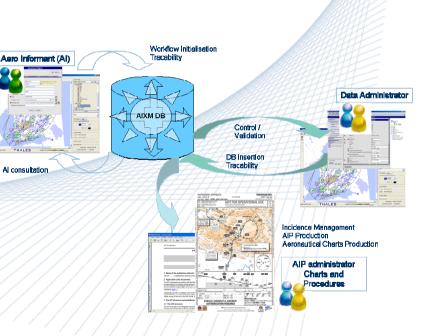




## AIM System for French SIA (NOPIA)

#### Description:

- Full AIM solution composed of AIXM / eAIP / Charting
- Specificities:
  - Data informant features
  - AIP Display on web server
  - AIP Dual language (french / english)
  - High volume AIP / Charts
  - Incidence Management
  - Support for migration of AIP/Charts
- Awarded in 2009
- Operated since 2011





# AIM System for ASECNA organisation (17 African countries)

- Description:
  - Full AIM solution composed of AIXM / eAIP / Charting / AIS
- Specificities:
  - Distributed Architecture on multiple sites
    - Servers in Dakar and Paris
    - Real time replication mechanisms
    - AIS Terminals installed in 17 countries
  - Integration of AIM system with existing Geotitan application
  - AIP of 17 countries
  - AIP Display on web server
  - High volume AIP / Charts
  - Compliant with New FPL 2012 format
- Awarded in December 2010
- SAT successful in January 2012

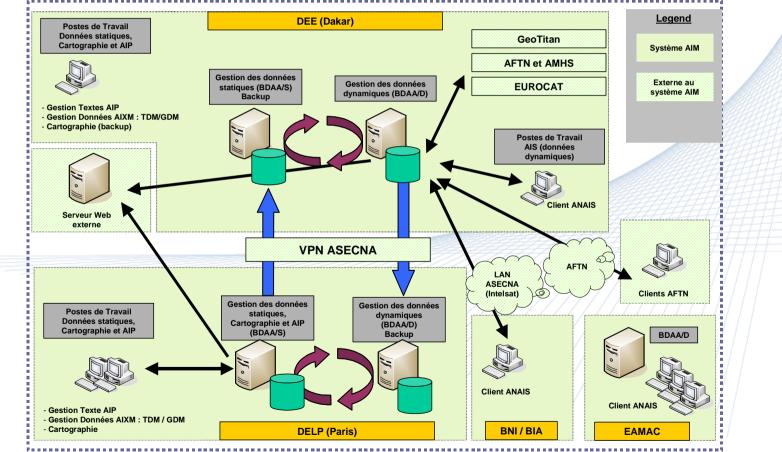


**1.1 TopSky-AIM References** 



#### Benefits of such a system for the AFI region

- Strong experience of large system
- Possibility of extension or duplication of the system



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### AIM System for PANAMA

- Description:
  - Full AIM solution composed of AIXM / eAIP / Charting / AIS / Procedure Design and AMHS
- Specificities:
  - AIXM 5.1 database
  - Integration of Procedure Design / Charting with database
- Entry into Force May 2012
- Expected SAT by Q2 2013







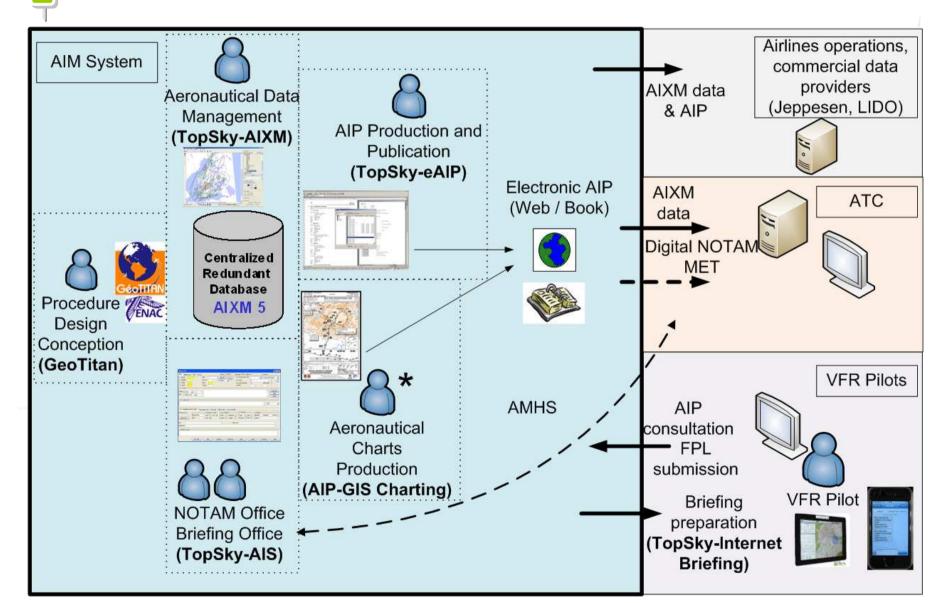


### AIS/AIM System in South Africa (ATNS)

- Description:
  - Solution composed of AIS / Internet Briefing and AMHS
  - Project MOTSETA
- Specificities:
  - Integration with TopSky-ATC and ATFM (Flow Management)
  - Advanced AIS and Internet Briefing component
  - NOTAM Proposal management and follow up.
- Entry into Force 2008
- Operational since 2009



#### 1.2 TopSky-AIM system overview



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## 1.2 Advantages of TopSky-AIM



#### Advantages

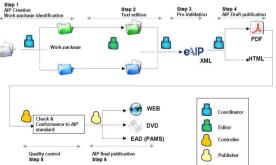
#### AIXM 5.1 Database

- Built on top of latest technical components (JEE6, WFS, NASA World Wind, MDA ...)
- Operation oriented input forms for main features in order to mask AIXM5 model complexity to end users



#### Electronic AIP

- Integrated workflow
- Automatic generation & publication of PDF, HTML, web site
- Fully compliant with latest Eurocontrol and ICAO specifications (XML technologies)
- Full integration with AIXM database
- Strong support during AIP migration
- Modular Deployment





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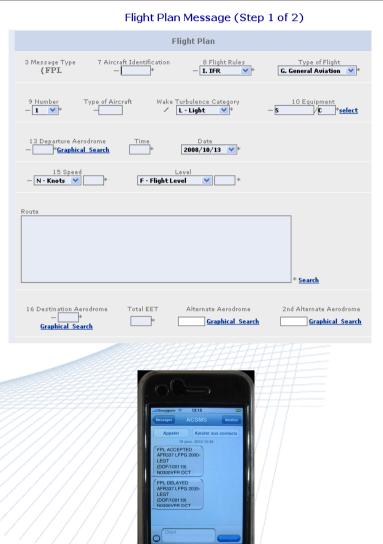


## 2. Enabling Innovations - Internet Briefing



#### Internet Flight preparation interface

- Self briefing airport position
- Home-briefing internet connexion
- Flight plan submission
  - Template
  - ICAO format import
  - New FPL from existing FPL or template
- Flight plan status (IFPS/CFMU) follow-up
  - Users history management in the flight handbook
  - Alert via SMS & email
- Integrated PIB (NOTAM + Meteo)
  - « FPL from PIB » function
  - Narrow route PIB
  - Integrated-PIB = NOTAM + Meteo data
  - Electronic-PIB = HTML and PDF files





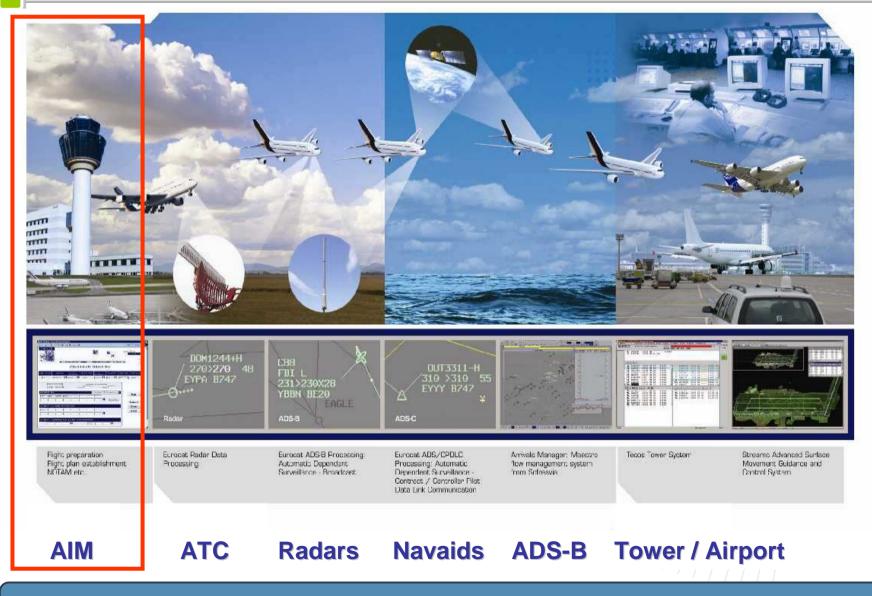
#### HMI Ergonomy driven !



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## 2. Enabling Innovation - Integration with ATM (



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AIM Product fully integrated in the Thales ATM Solution

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## Thales: A Key actor in ATM in AFI Region

## Examples of Integration with ATM

- Display of an AIS window in TopSky-ATC display
- AMHS integrated in several versions of TopSky-ATC
- Transfer of AIM data into TopSky-ATC DPR component

# Active participation in SESAR



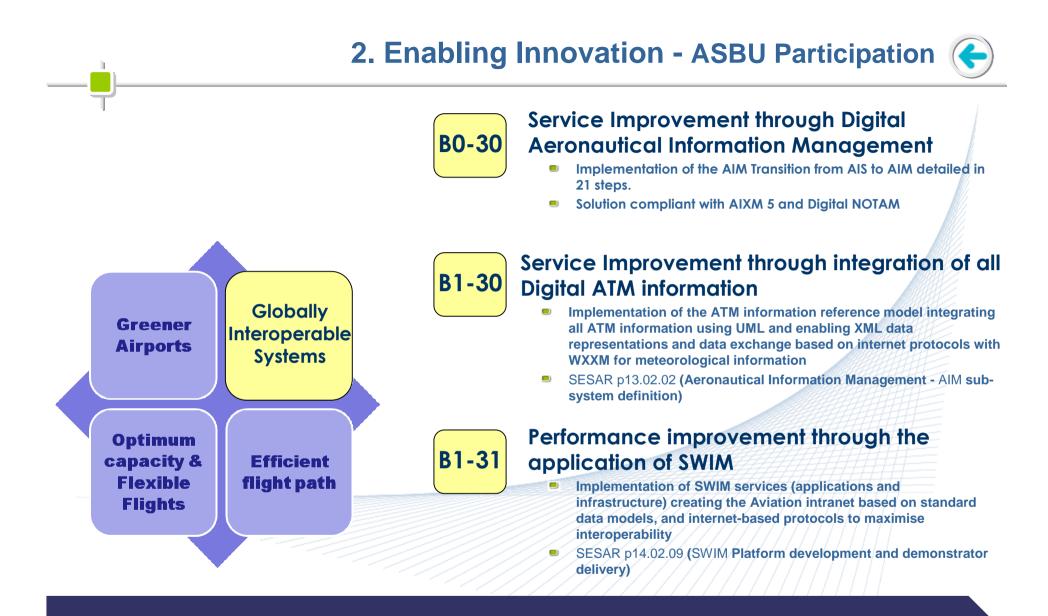
- WP 8.1.4: Enhancements of AIXM5 model
- WP 8.3.3: Definition of external interfaces of AIM systems
- WP 13.2.2: Implementation of future AIM systems (including Digital

#### NOTAM prototype)

WP 14.2.9: SWIM platform development

Thales is the only industry leader to anticipate new standards for the global aeronautical "AIM-ATC-Air-Ground" market

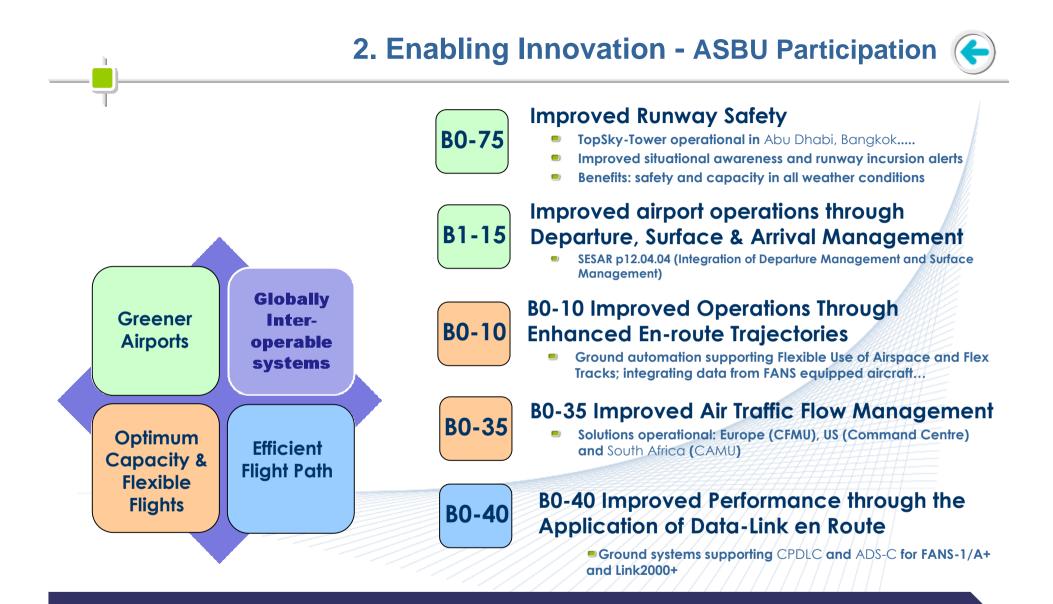




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Complete, operational & modular AIM solution

Experience in large scale AIS/AIM system deployment

In line with
ICAO "Transition from AIS to AIM"
ICAO Block upgrade (Block 0 – Block 1)
SESAR and SWIM-ready solution SESA



- Part of a Complete ATM Offer:
  - Air Traffic Control (APP, ACC, Tower ...)
  - Surveillance (Radar, ADS-B, WAM/MLAT ...)
  - Airport equipments





# Thank you for your attention

# **Questions**?



