# The European Regulatory Framework & Cooperative Actions for Aviation

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# - Part 1 -

# The European regulatory framework for EGNOS-based operations implementation



# EGNOS in the ICAO PBN context (1/2)

- EGNOS SoL services are able to support all PBN operations defined by ICAO (RNAV and RNP), but less-performing systems can suffice
- ICAO PBN manual (ICAO doc 9613) identifies SBAS as the minimum system required for RNP APCH to LP and LPV
- Local considerations might require that SBAS is used for other operations such as RNP 0.3 procedures





- ICAO 36<sup>th</sup> and 37<sup>th</sup> Assembly (Oct 2007 and 2010) resolutions:
  - "Implementation of approach procedures with vertical guidance (APV) (Baro-VNAV and/or augmented GNSS) for all instrument runway ends, either as the primary approach or as a back-up for precision approaches by 2016 with intermediate milestones as follows: 30% by 2010; 70% by 2014."
  - *"Implementation of straight-in LNAV only procedures, as an exception"* can be an option in specific cases.
- Priorities for deployment were agreed by EANPG in Nov 2013:
  - The availability of an approach with vertical guidance (any 3D approach) at all runway ends is the priority
  - Safety improvement is the main goal



### **European mandates for PBN**

- No mandate on the aircraft, however operators shall be equipped as required for intended operations
- Mandates on ANSP/airports (in addition to local mandates), to implement the following PBN applications:

Phase of flight	Nav Spec	PCP IR	Future EC Regulation on PBN (based on EASA NPA**)
Final App.	RNP APCH (APV)	25 Major airports (by 2018*)	Everywhere there isn't Precision Landing (ILS, MLS, GBAS) (by 2024)
ТМА	RNP 1 + FR	25 Major TMA (by 2024)	No mandate for deployment (subject to local decision wrt performance targets)
En-route	RNP 1 + FRF	No mandate for deployment	No mandate for deployment (subject to local decision wrt performance targets)

(\*) according DM Deployment Programme 2015 (30/09/2015), the recommended roadmap for AF#1 Family 1.2.1 « RNP Approaches with vertical guidance » is end 2018.

(\*\*) Commenting period closed in April 2015.

#### The European regulatory framework for PBN



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#### What's missing for PBN operations?

#### 6 EASA Rule Making Tasks (see next slide)



#### Towards a complete set of PBN enablers...





### **Deployment status against PCP IR objective**

- Pilot Common Projects (PCP) IR Commission Implementing Regulation (EU) No 716/2014, dated 27 June 2014
- Includes APV (LNAV/VNAV and LPV)
- Scope: 25 Major Airports in EU and EFTA Member States

London Heathrow Paris CDG London Gatwick Paris Orly London Stansted Milan Malpensa Frankfurt Int. Madrid Barajas Istanbul Ataturk Amsterdam Schipol Munich FJ Strauss Rome Fiumicino Barcelona El Prat Dusseldorf Int. Zurich Kloten Brussels National Oslo Gardermoen Stockholm Arlanda Berlin Brandenburg (\*) Manchester Palma de Mallorca Copenhagen Kastrup Vienna Schwechat Dublin Nice Cote d'Azur

(Airports in blue have at least one rwy end covered)

Target Date: 1 January 2024

(\*) (under construction)



#### **Deployment status against future PBN regulation** (according the ECTL PBN Approach Map Tool) – 1/2



**Evolution of IAP on ECAC rwy ends** 

**Evolution of APV deployment** 

#### **Deployment status against future PBN regulation** (according the ECTL PBN Approach Map Tool) – 2/2





# **3D status** (53% IFR rwy ends covered)



#### **LPV evolution** (from 14% to 42% of rwy ends covered)

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### Flight and aircraft capability declared in FPL



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#### Capable flights to LPV equiped airports in Switzerland (June 2015)

- PBN capability available in FPL since Nov 2012
- Analysis of FPL though the « CNS dashboard »
  - flight and aircraft characteristics
  - Analysis at different levels:
    Global, Airport, Operators,
    Aircraft make/model/series

#### Warnings:

- capabilities are « as declared » in FPL!
- no indicator is available on when these functions are used (no statistics are available on the nb of PBN approaches conducted)

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# Some implementation issues raised at RAISG

- Publication can take up to 3 years
- Publication happened to be delayed:
  - until flight inspection aircraft were suitably equipped or
  - because of lack of safety oversight ressource.
- Obstacles to publication:
  - High cost of flight validation and navigation databases
  - Approving the use of GPS remains an issue (improved awareness and intensive dialogue with NSA helped in some countries)
  - Lack of procedure design and procedure design safety oversight
- Publication at non-instrument runway: ICAO now makes it possible, but this raises challenges (e.g. minimum airport equipment remains a requirement, high quality obstacle data required, absence of local ATS service is a serious obstacle)



# - Part 2 -

# Global and cooperative actions for aviation



### Satellites Areas for Aviation, including GNSS

#### GNSS

- **Global Positioning**
- Key enabler for PBN implementation
- GBAS for precision approach
- ADS-B positioning
- Time synchronization and distribution





#### EARTH OBSERVATION AND WEATHER

Atmosphere knowledge Hazards and weather forecast Ash cloud prediction-monitoring Contrails monitoring Optimal flight planning



#### SATCOM

Part of current and future COM services Datalinks as primary mode at global level Demanding data, voice communication and SUR (ADS-C, ADS-B services) New ATM Satellite-based services for all flight domains



- GNSS required for Navigation and Surveillance
- Alternative Navigation systems (e.g. DME/DME, ILS, Inertial,...) to ensure safety and service continuity.



- December 2006: Agreement for cooperation signed with the Galileo Joint Undertaking (predecessor of European GNSS Agency- GSA)
- June 2013: EUROCONTROL / European Commission Task Force Report on GNSS
- September 2014: Exchange of letters between EUROCONTROL and the GSA for the set up of new working arrangements
- **20 April 2015:** Signature of a Framework Partnership Agreement between GSA and ECTL for 7 years.





# **GSA / EUROCONTROL Cooperation Areas**

- Definition of mission level requirements for EGNOS and Galileo for Aviation needs
- Actions to support EGNOS and GALILEO–based applications in ECAC
- Spectrum, Regulatory and Standardisation aspects
- Support to European GNSS Developments
- Coordination of R&D for GNSS in Aviation
- Support to Aviation receivers developments
- Aviation specific GNSS performance monitoring
- Support to EGNOS extension beyond ECAC area





#### Some activities in the Regulatory context 'grey work'

- Adaptation of SES to GNSS and Augmentations
- CONOPS for next generation GNSS and work on constellations approval status
- Support to EASA in CS-A-CNS airworthiness material for PBN applications
- Work on coherence for implementation between PBN and PCP regulations
- Spectrum defense for aviation ie. RFI and protection of the SBAS channel inside the L1 band



# Thank you for your attention.



