"GNSS based applications and developments"

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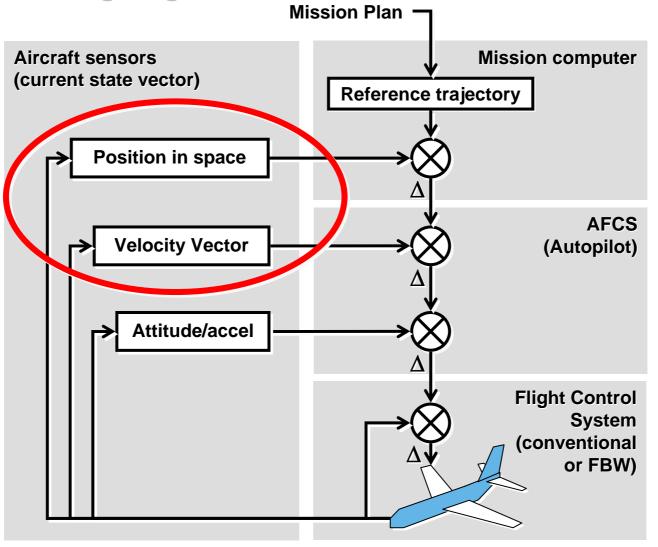


GNSS Aviation applications

- Aviation GNSS application principles
 - Aircraft flight guidance and control functions
 - navigation and System architecture overview
- Application developments
 - Reduction of minimums using SBAS
 - ADS-Broadcast operations
- Recent demonstration projects and accomplishments
- Discussion

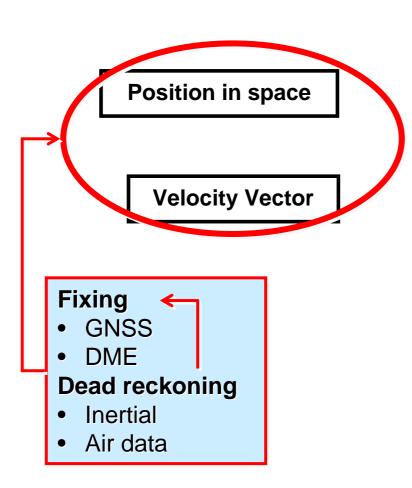


Aircraft - flight guidance and control functions





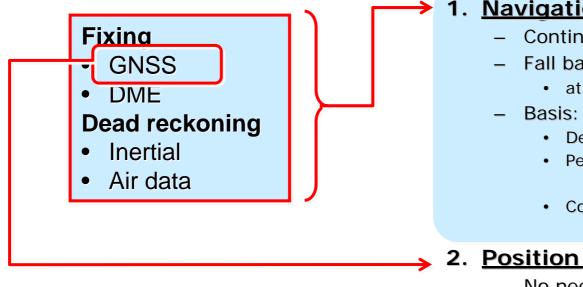
Position determination function



- Position in space Aviation application
 - High dependability
 - Trustworthiness
 - Precision
 - · Little ability to verify
- Generic Approach
 - No reliance on single source
 - Overdetermination to achieve integrity, reliability
 - Typically multi-source/dissimilar
 - Dead reckoning
 - Fixing
- Complementary filtering for dependability
- Recursive filtering for long term accuracy



Position determination function



1. Navigation

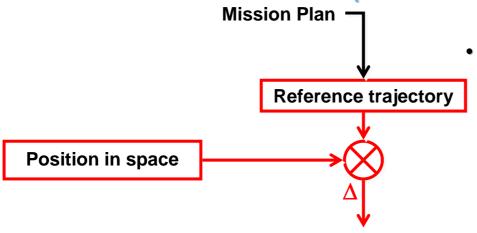
- Continuity, Integrity, Accuracy
- Fall back options
 - · at the cost of accuracy, if unavoidable
 - Dead reckoning
 - Periodic Fixing
 - to contain error
 - Complementarily filtered
 - To produce continuity

2. Position reporting

- No need for navigation continuity & fall backs
- Emphasis on precision
 - At a minimum level of integrity
- Associated with monitoring aircraft position



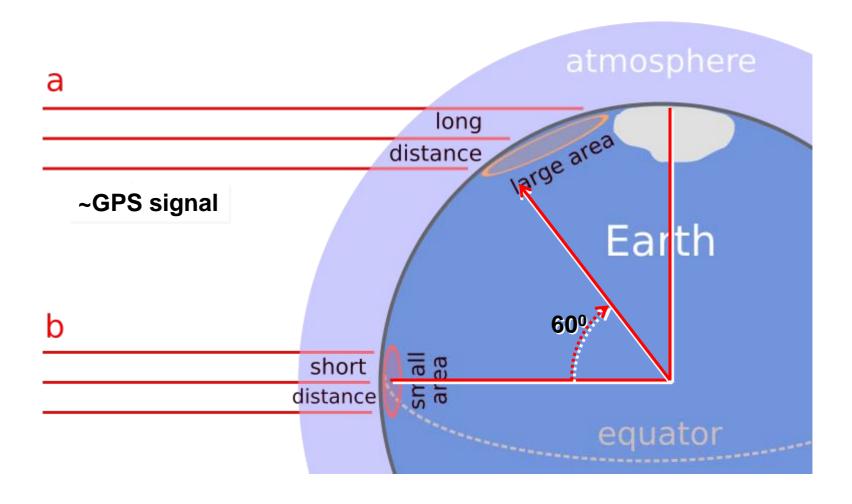
LPV - lateral, vertical precision and integrity



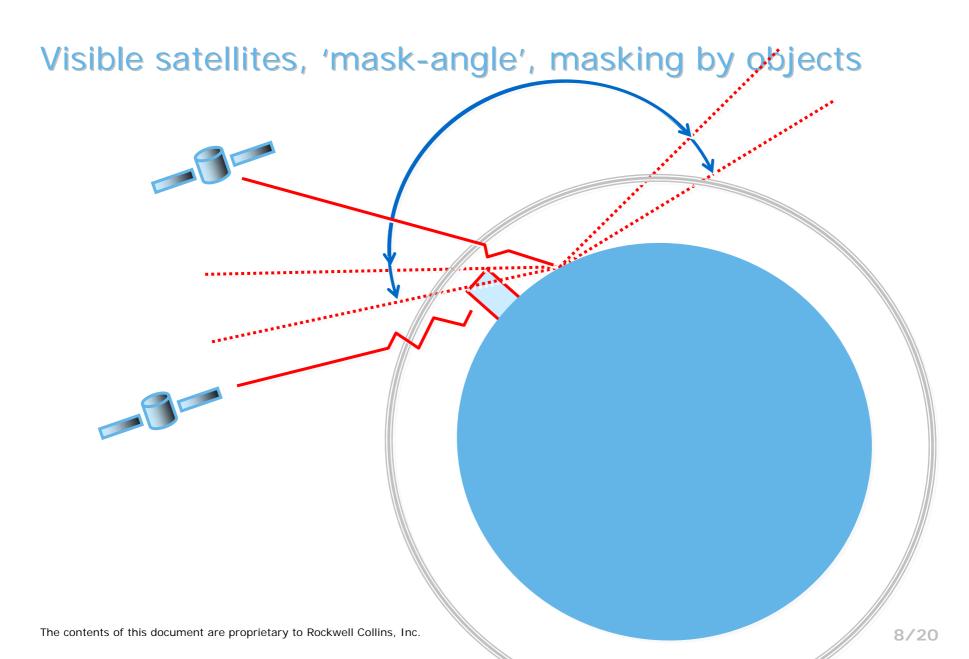
- Control goodness depends equally much on position, reference trajectory, process
 - Accuracy
 - Resolution
 - Integrity
 - Continuity
- FMS Process (SW)
 - needs level B minimum qual level
- Reference trajectory
 - = procedure
 - FAS data block coding
 - end-end process control
- Position
 - GNSS
 - with SBAS



GPS signal in space vs latitude



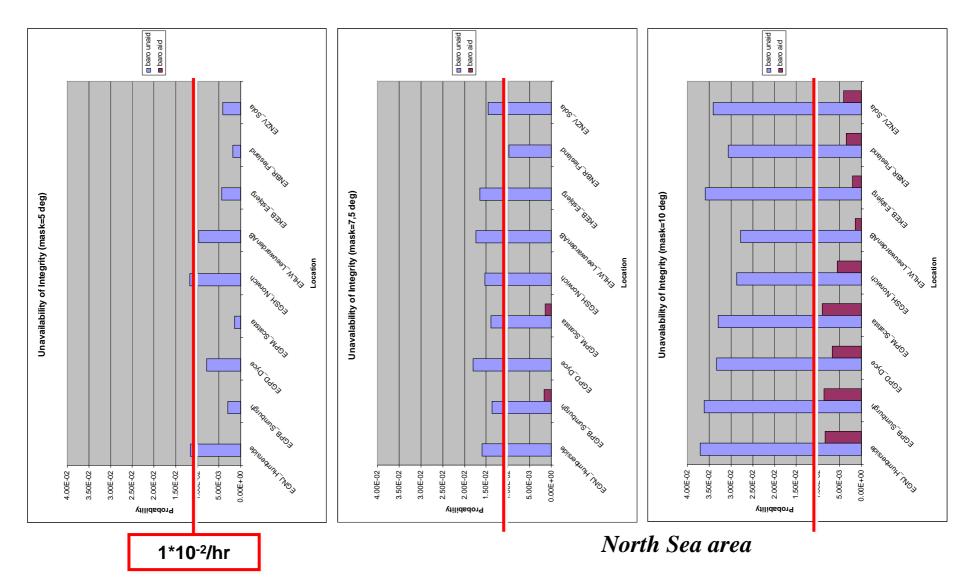




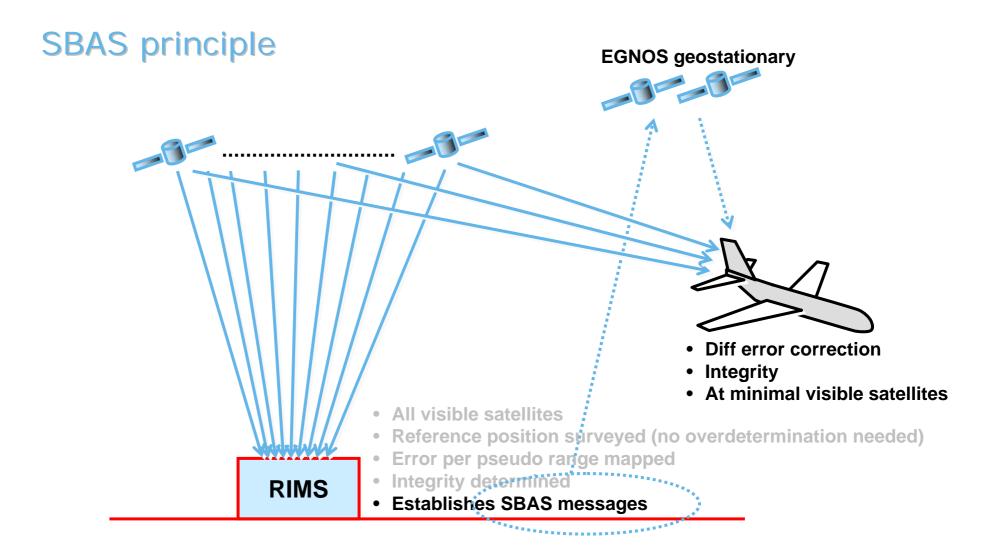




Unavailability of integrity (North Sea latitudes)

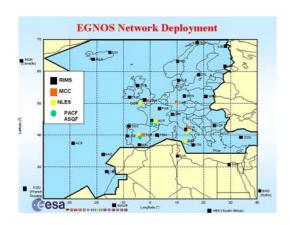


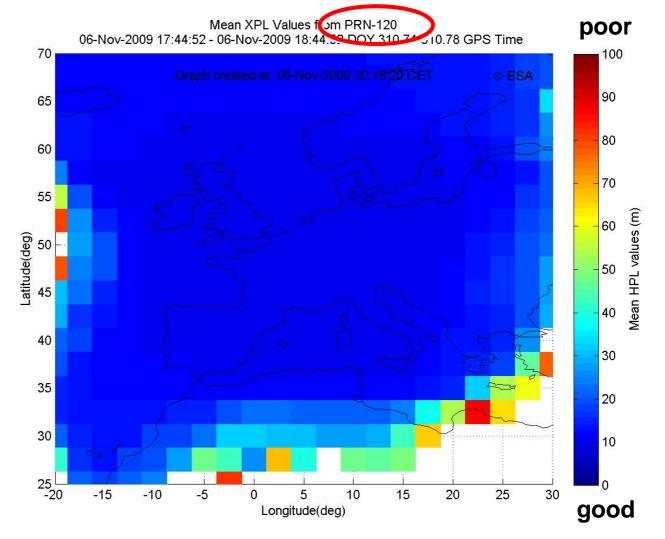






EGNOS functions and performance (06 nov 09)





Source: ESA





GIANT, GPS-EGNOS LPV demonstrations, aug-sep 08

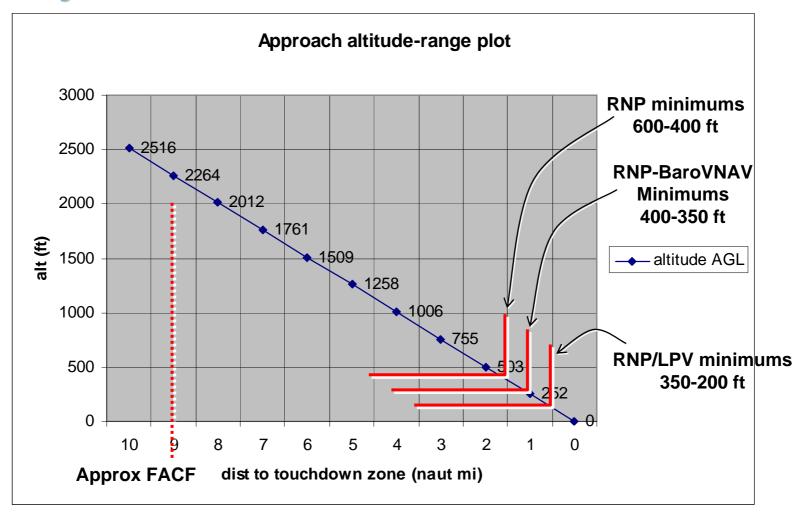


Valencia, Bologna, aug-sep 08



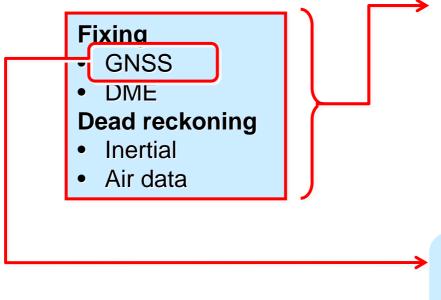


Summary available minimums





Main applications



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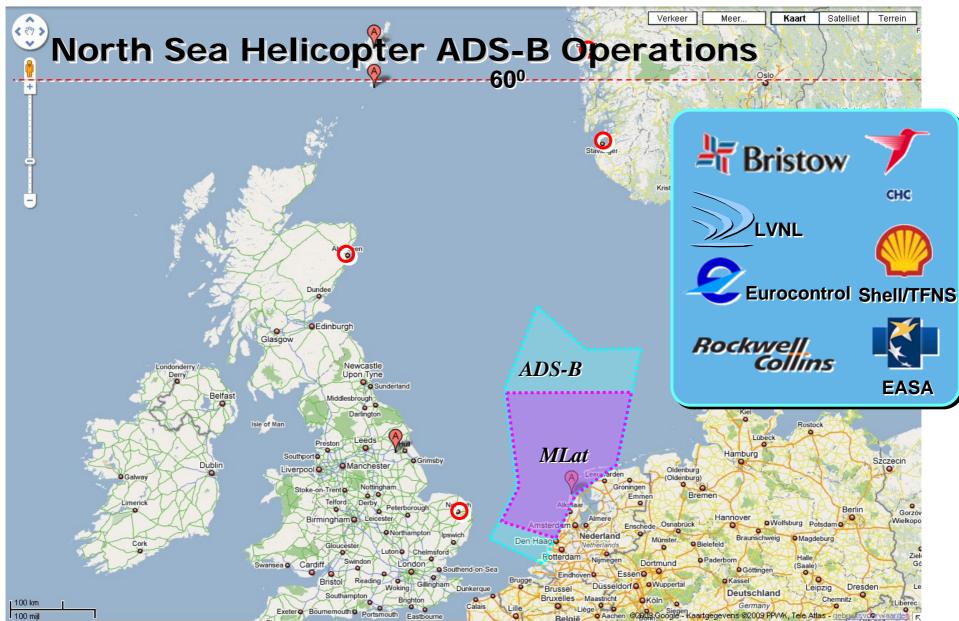
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Satellite visibility and antenna placement



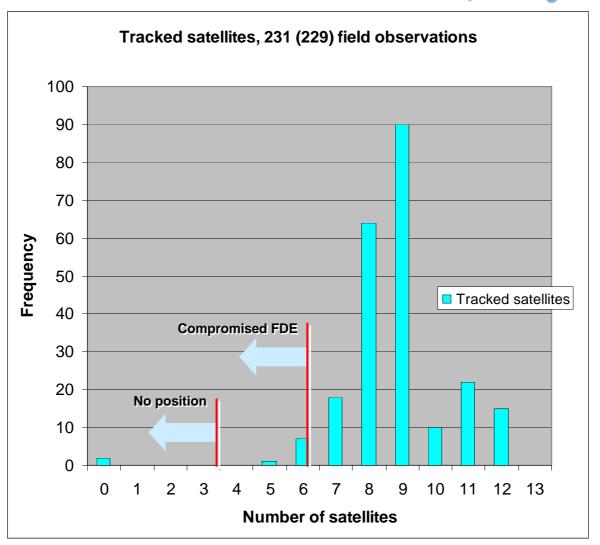






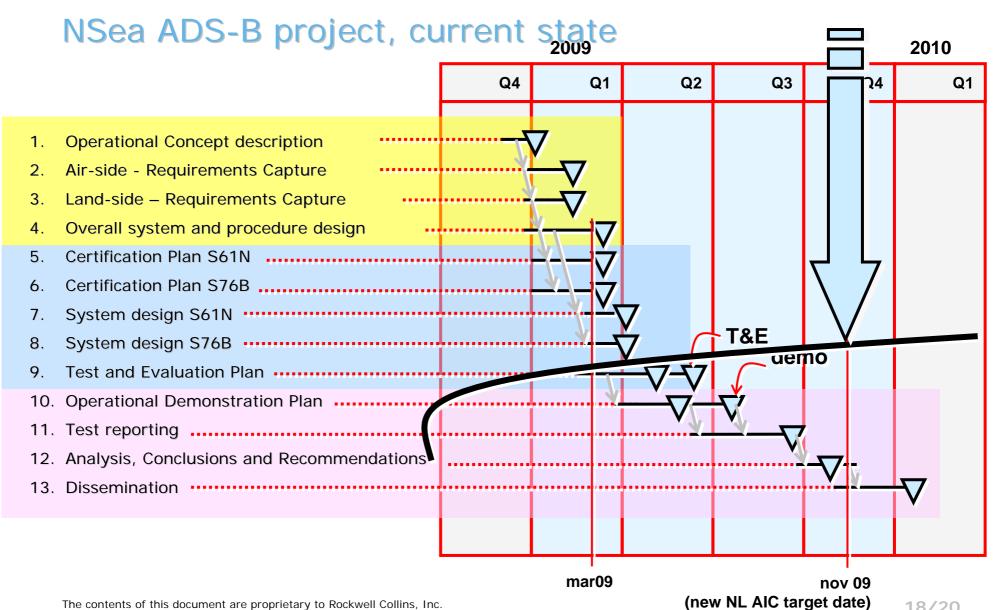


North Sea area field observations (mar-jul 09)











Summary example current GNSS applications

Localizer precision with vertical guidance (LPV)

- Flight management system function
- Enables the aircraft to be descended to lower minimums
- On the basis of elevated navigation performance
- GNSS incl SBAS (EGNOS) based

ADS-broadcast

- North Sea helicopter operations
- Low altitude, surveillance
- Helicopter application
- Unaided GNSS
 - · But possible need for SBAS
- Expect completion first quarter 2010





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