



## **ICAO NAM/CAR/SAM ADS-B Implementation Workshop/Seminar**

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## Continuity with new perspectives

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Market leader  
in AMHS

**300+**

ADS-B/MLAT receiver units sold  
worldwide

**1989**

A pioneering role in surveillance  
communication since 1989

Located in  
a high tech  
region of  
Germany



**80**

Installed base in  
over 80 countries

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A member of the Frequentis  
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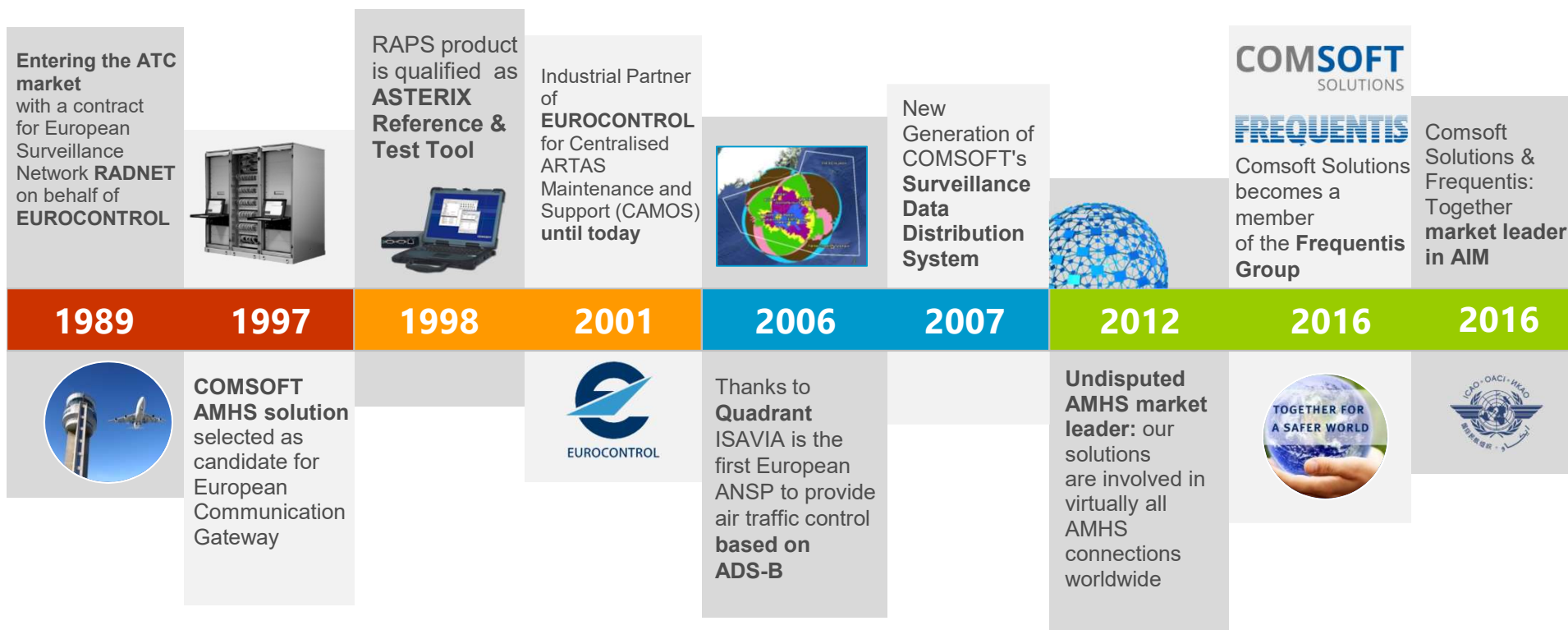
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from diverse cultures

**70%**

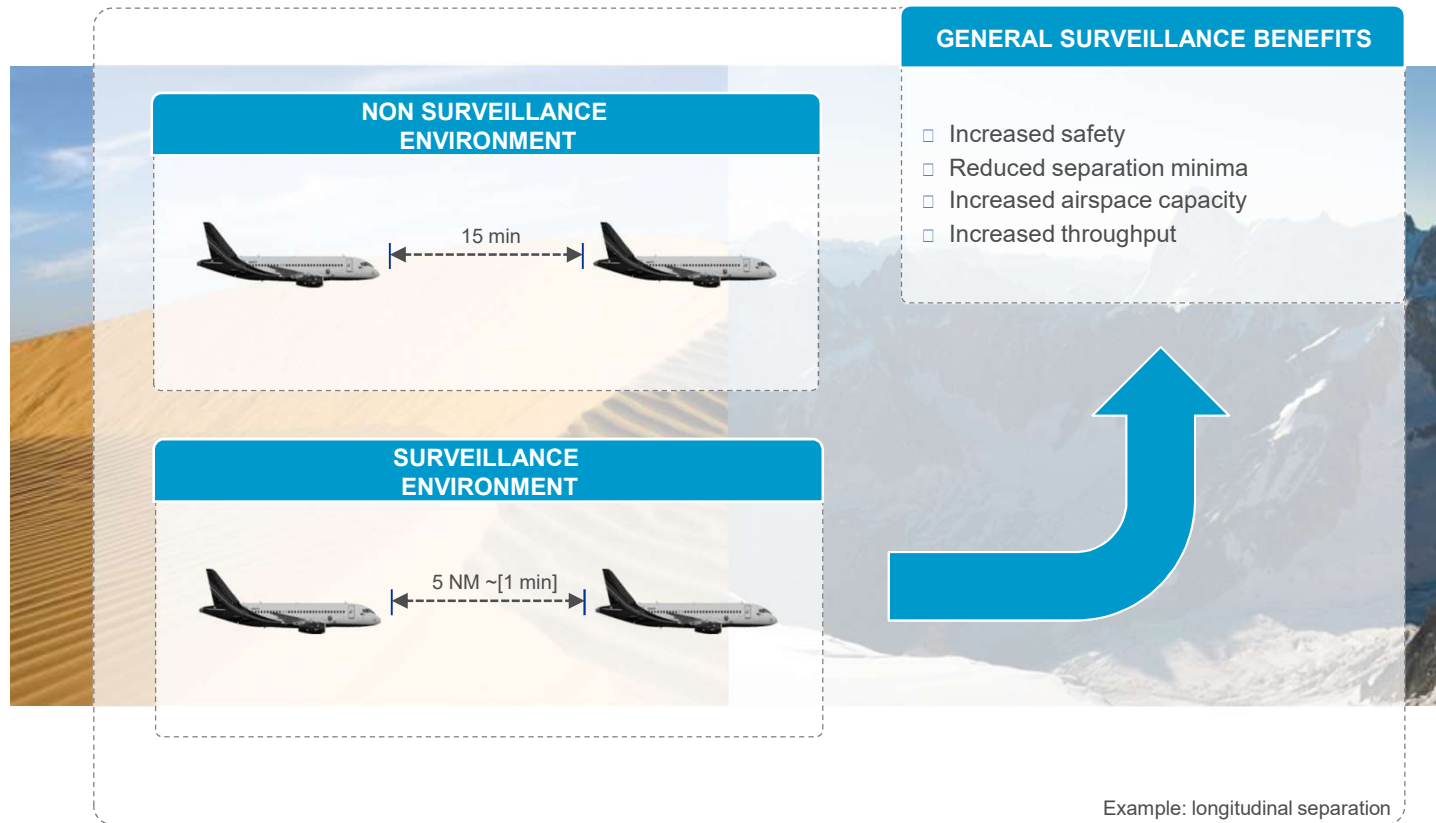
of our staff  
hold university degrees



## A glance at our history








# WHY DO WE NEED SURVEILLANCE





## PRODUCT APPLICATION

AIRPORT SURFACE	TERMINAL AREA	WIDE AREA	PRECISION RUNWAY MONITORING	SMALL / REGIONAL TOWER
 <p>A-SMGCS</p>	 <p>LAM</p>	 <p>WAM</p>	 <p>PRM</p>	 <p>TWR</p>
<p><b>Key Benefit:</b></p> <p>Multilateration provides unique identification of <b>all aircraft</b> — and not just a “blob” — and stops tags from jumping from one target to another as they would get near each other</p>	<p><b>Key Benefit:</b></p> <p>enables lower altitude operations in the terminal area (no <b>radar</b> coverage with high terrain). As a result, airports are prevented from high diversion rates in instrument weather conditions.</p>	<p><b>Key Benefit:</b></p> <p>Multilateration provides <b>superior range</b> over secondary radar, <b>more accurate</b> tracking, significantly <b>lower costs</b> (TOC), and <b>significantly earlier</b> operational readiness following contract award.</p>	<p><b>Key Benefit:</b></p> <p>Enable Airports with closely spaced parallel runways to maintain <b>independent</b> approaches, even during adverse weather conditions, which greatly improves capacity</p>	<p><b>Key Benefit:</b></p> <p>The ADS-B Kit enables the air traffic controller (ATCO) to be the eye of the pilot in severe weather conditions (VFR In IMC). Provides <b>enhanced</b> air situation awareness and enables <b>early</b> traffic planning</p>

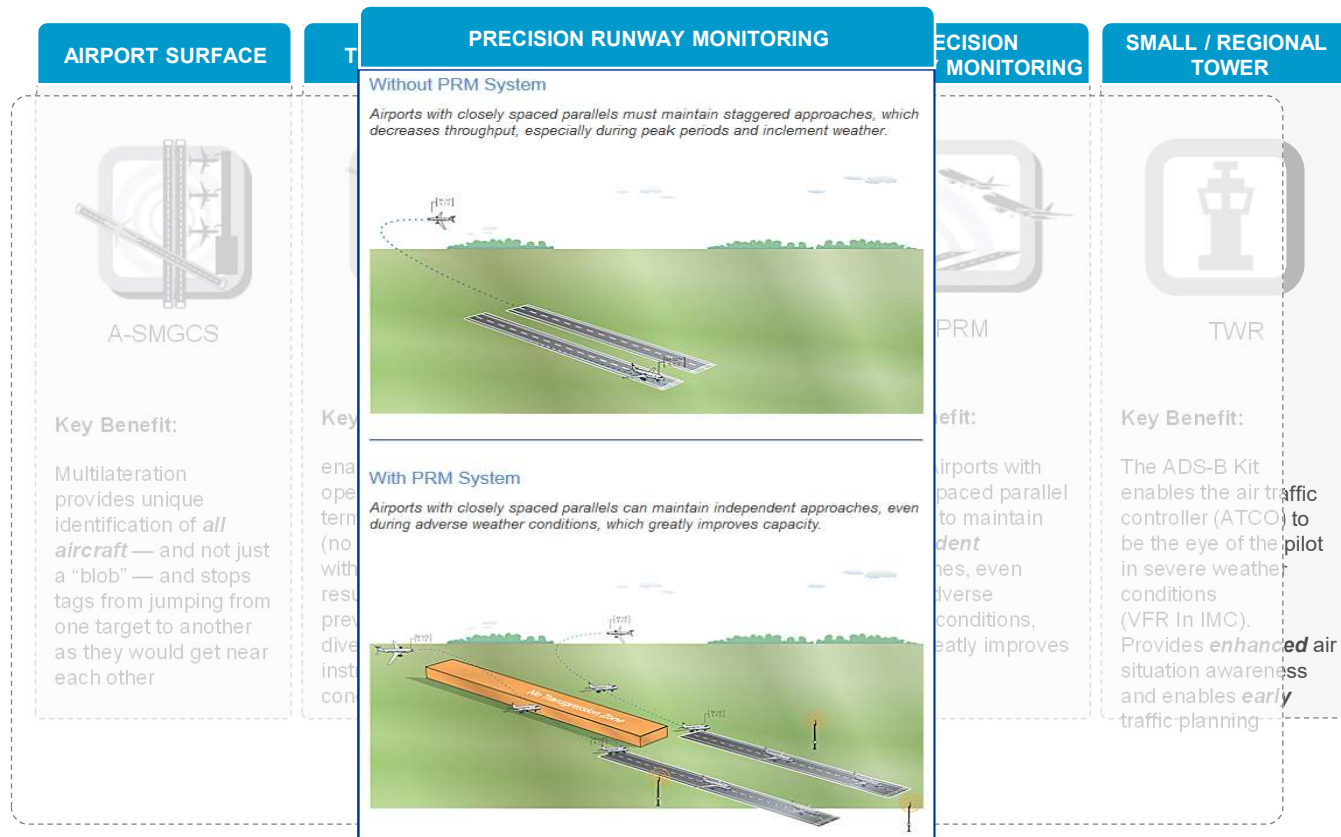
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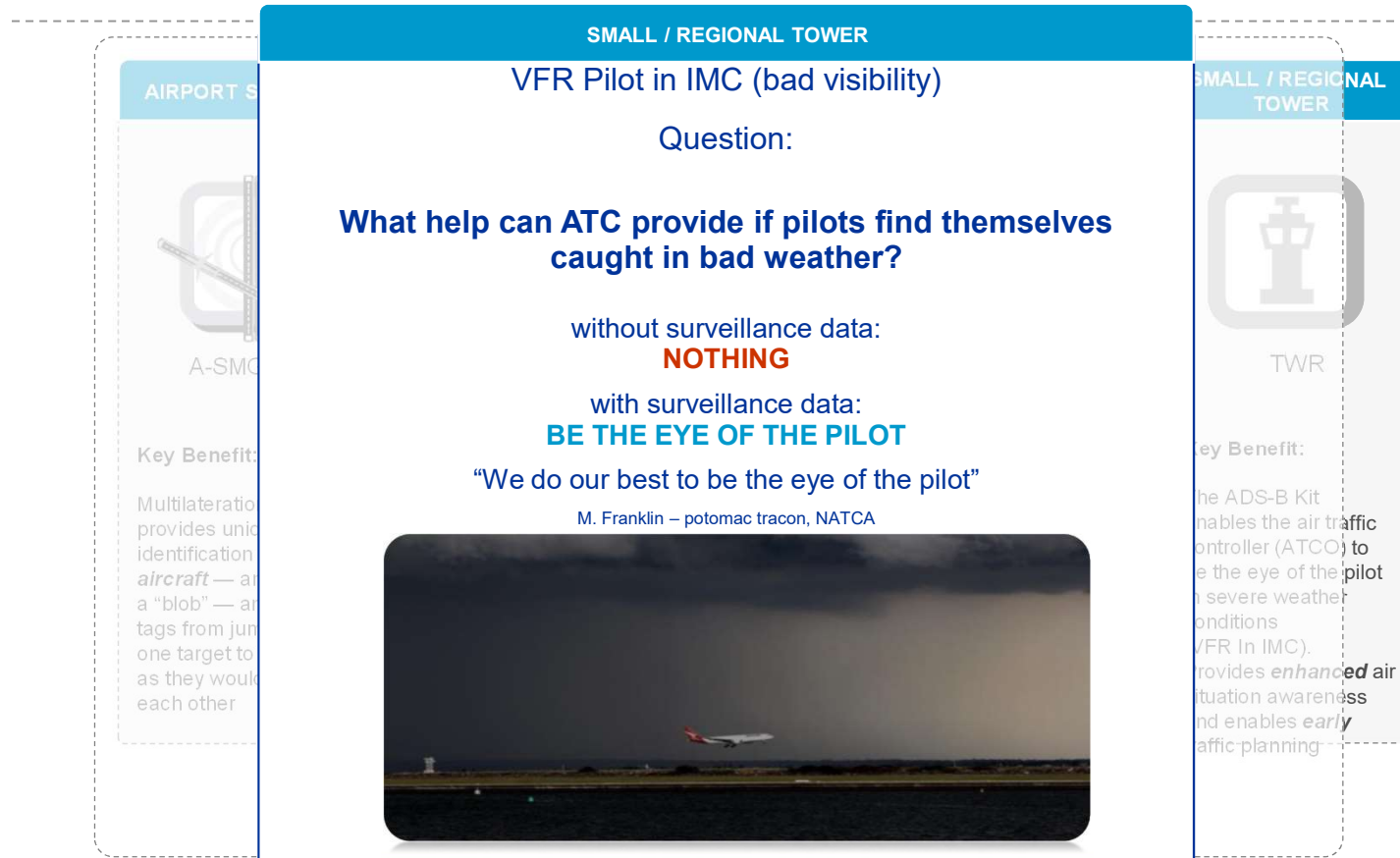


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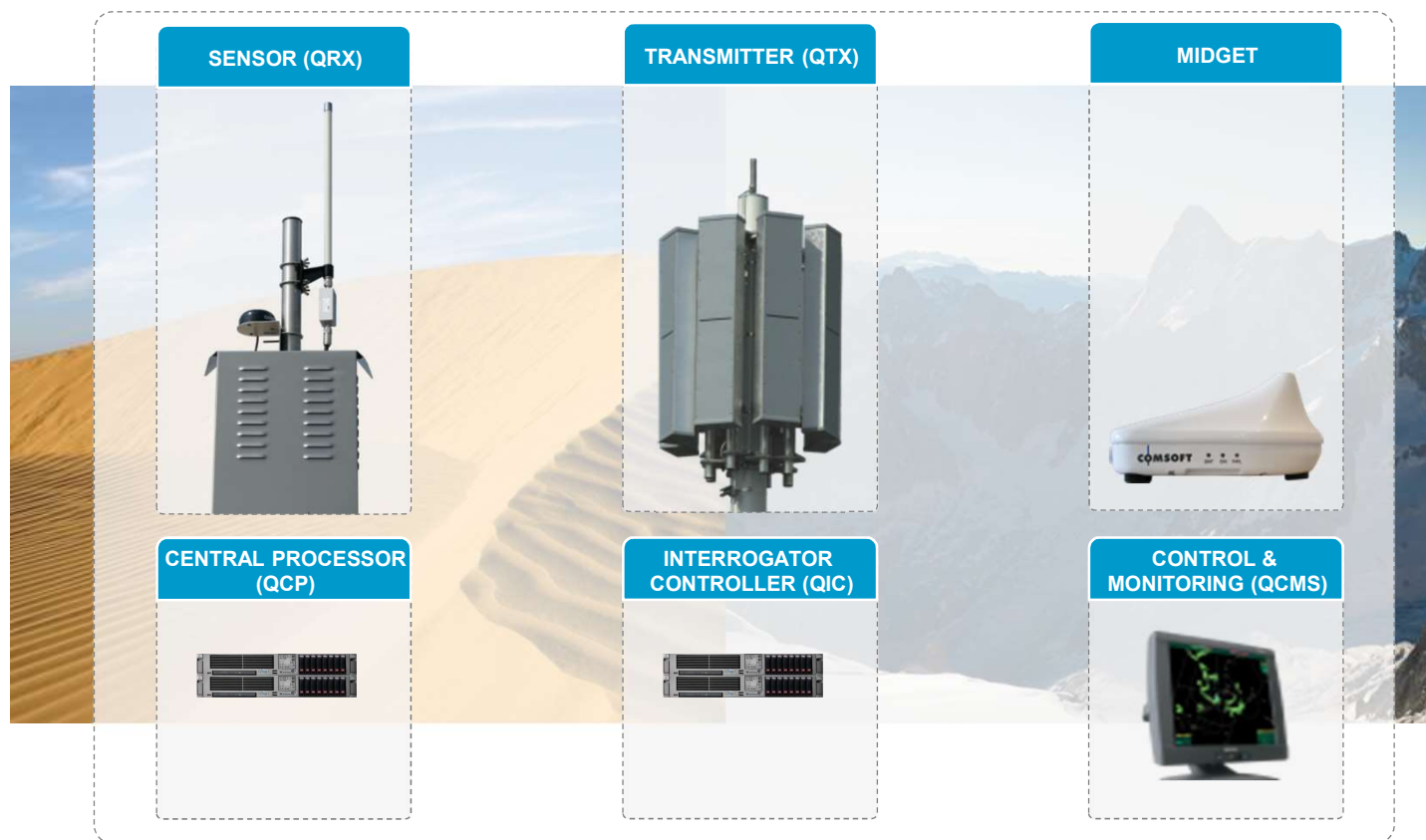
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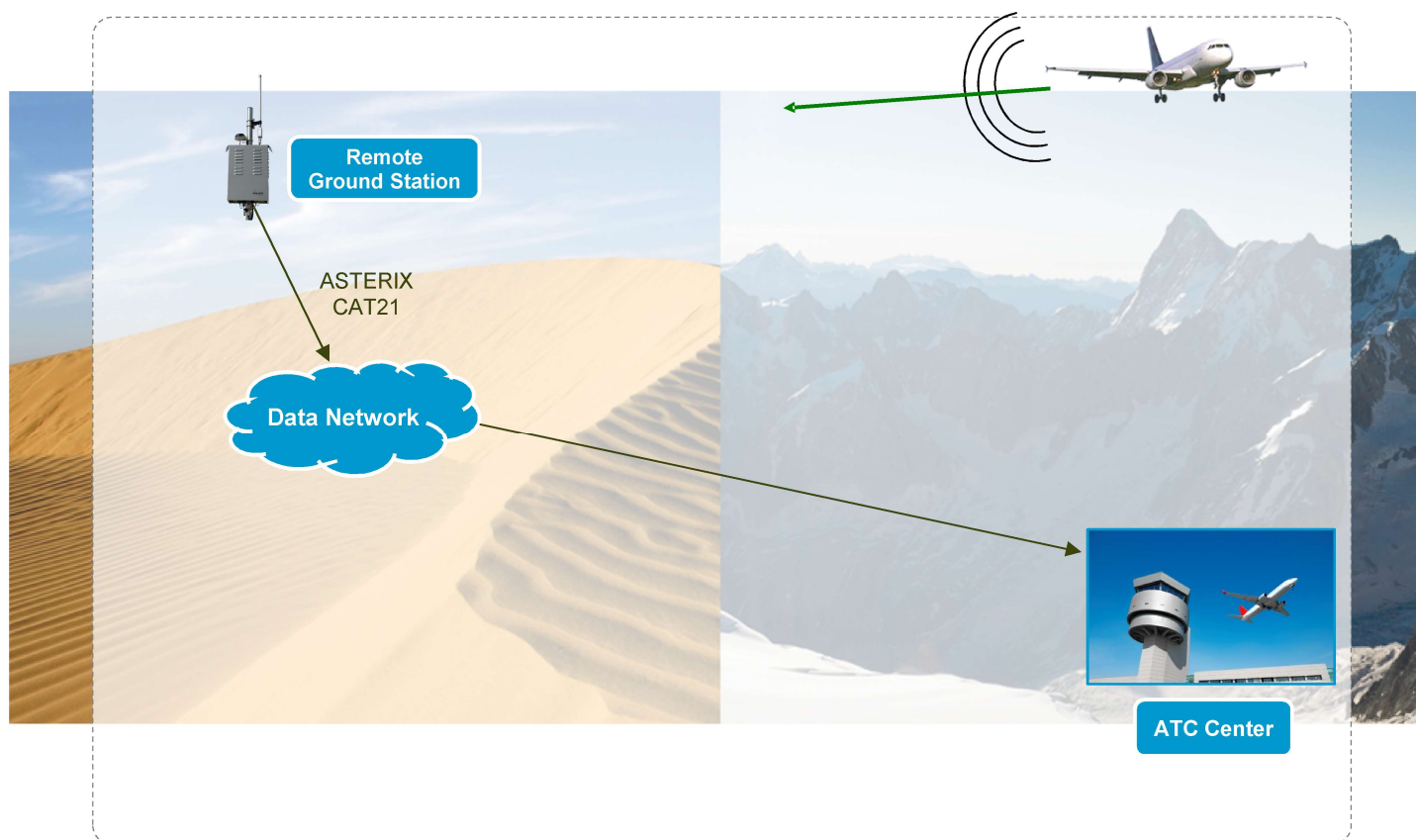
## QUADRANT – PRODUCT PORTFOLIO

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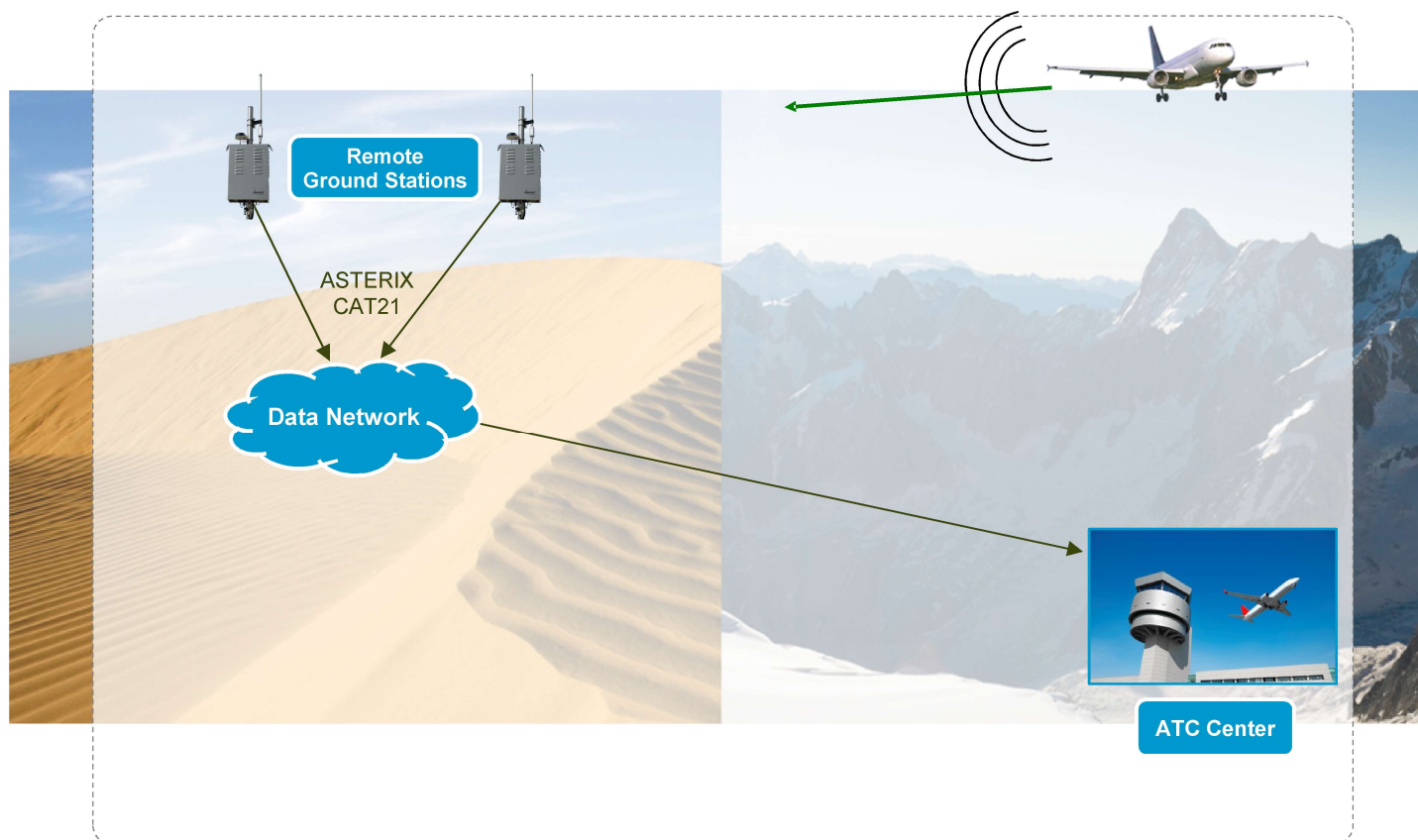




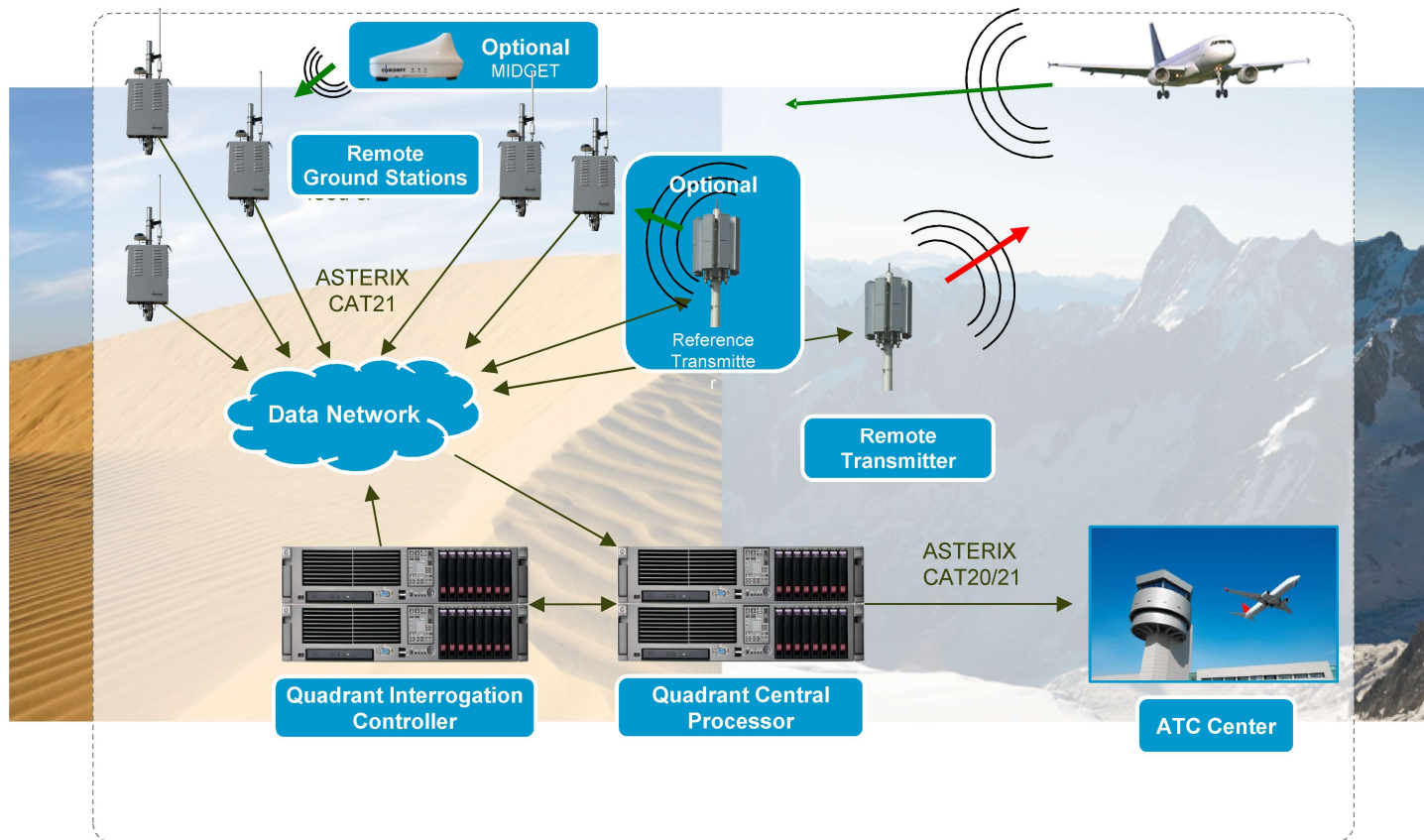
## SINGLE ADS-B SYSTEM



## EXTENDED ADS-B SYSTEM (n ADS-B SENSORS)

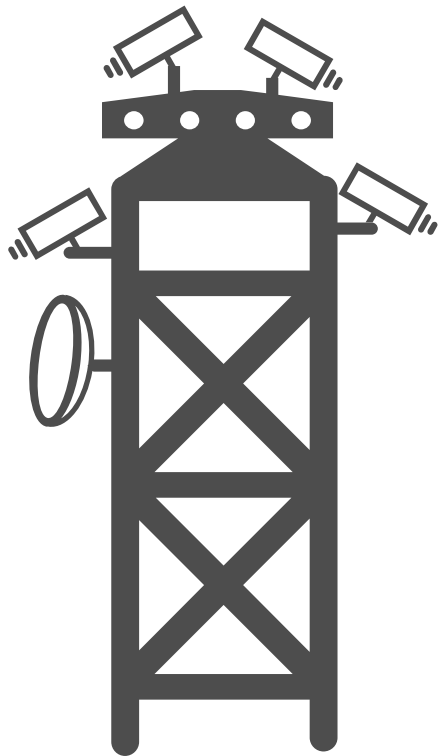


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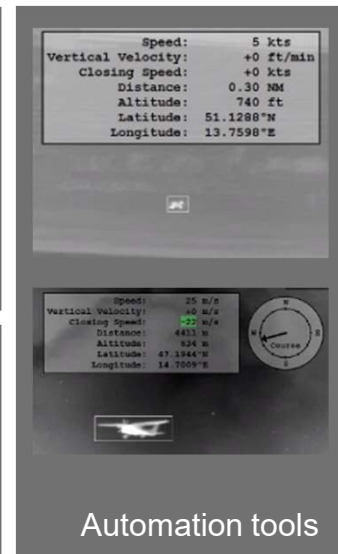
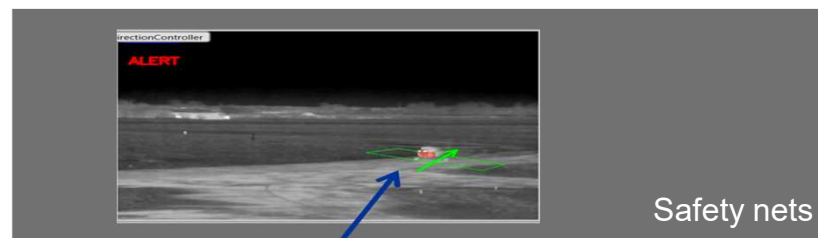


## smartVISION - for better Ground Surveillance

Take and give...



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## smartVISION – enhancing the tower view

Use of IR technology, object tracking and augmentation

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Flexible presentation /  
compact working position



Automatic detection of  
multiple objects in  
panorama view



Enhanced high quality  
360 degree visual and  
IR view



Video-based safety net to  
alert critical situations



PTZ camera line of sight  
tracking (follows objects  
automatically)



Label overlay in visual  
view (based on  
surveillance data)



Integrated control panel  
for improved situation  
awareness



Bandwidth-optimised  
network concept for  
remote transmission




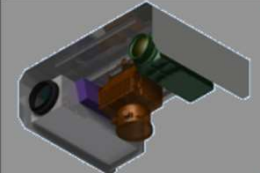

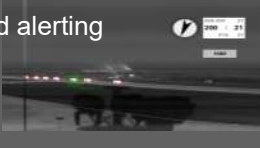




## Fully adaptable to individual customer needs

### Solution profile – smart VISION

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	Basic   Airfield ground monitoring	Advanced   Ground & control zone monitoring
Capabilities of panorama view	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Panoramic view for selected sectors</li> <li>Standard housing</li> <li>Wiper-based cleaning</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>360° Visual + IR</li> <li>Extended vertical view</li> <li>Special protection housing</li> <li>High pressure cleaning</li> </ul> 
Capabilities of PTZ view	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Visual zoom</li> <li>Optional light gun</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>VIS zoom</li> <li>Cooled IR zoom</li> <li>Secondary PTZ and light gun</li> <li>Mechanical stabilisation</li> </ul> 
System functions	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Manual PTZ control</li> <li>Predefined positions</li> <li>PTZ assignment via Pano</li> <li>Static video overlays</li> </ul> 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Automatic object detection and alerting</li> <li>PTZ tracking</li> <li>Surveillance integration</li> <li>Safety net functions</li> <li>Information overlay</li> </ul> 
	Cost optimised	Performance optimised



# ADS-B, WAM & MLAT Solutions

## Quadrant

Forward-thinking surveillance solution able to provide ADS-B and Multilateration on one single hardware platform



**300+**

ADS-B/MLAT receiver units sold worldwide



## Highlights

- **Flexible solution:** Identical hardware can be shared to support applications from A-SMGCS to countrywide WAM
- **Improved coverage:** Advantage for surveillance over difficult terrain, particularly mountain ranges
- **Low maintenance:** No moving or degradable parts, so only occasional external inspection for damage is required
- **Expandable solution:** Through the addition of further sensors, without upgrade or modification
- **High precision:** By providing more precise data, enhanced runway incursion alerts can be supported
- **Low power consumption, small physical footprint**

## User Benefits

- **Flexible, modular and scalable with the ability to transition seamlessly** from ADS-B to MLAT using the same ground station equipment
- Allows surveillance coverage to be extended to **areas where surveillance was previously unavailable**
- Its ability to provide a **precise and high-quality air situation picture and high update rate** with minimal investment
- **Dynamic management of interrogation patterns** according to aircraft capabilities and current states
- Interrogation Power, Direction and Repetition Rate is **managed dynamically**
- **Long term synchronisation** after loss of GPS signal
- **Low operational cost** during life cycle

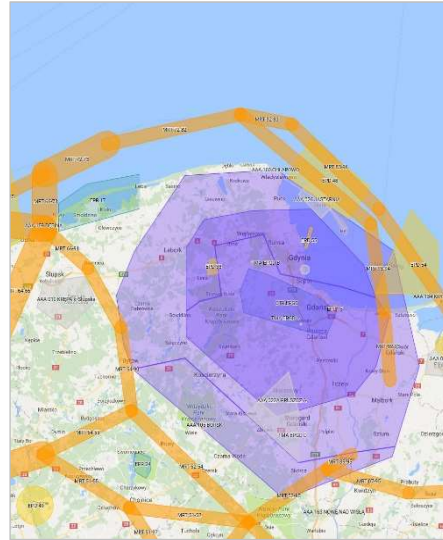
## Modern Surveillance – Quadrant success stories

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### PANSA, Poland

- First surveillance system in Poland to detect and locate aircraft using **multilateration technology**
- Detection and localization of aircraft equipped with mode 3/A, C, S transponders
- Deployment of **ADS-B / WAM sensors** and **transmitter units** serving as interrogator, site-monitor and reference transponder
- Customer specific surveillance data conversion for smooth integration in PANSA infrastructure
- **Cost-efficient extension** of Gdansk TMA **surveillance coverage** for low altitudes



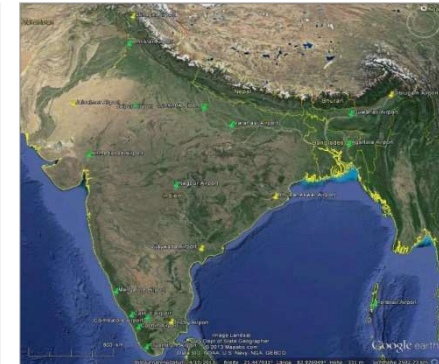
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### AAI, India

- Phase I: redundant **Quadrant sensors** at **14 sites** throughout the country
- Phase II: Quadrant ADS-B sensors at **further 7 sites**
- **Country-wide** coverage of **subcontinent of India**, Bay of Bengal and the Arabian Sea



### GCAA, Abu Dhabi, UAE

- **Country-spanning** active **Wide Area Multilateration (WAM) system** for GCAA
- Extension of the existing network of **3 redundant Quadrant ground** stations with **additional ADS-B/WAM sensors plus active interrogation**
- Sensors and additional processing equipment cover **majority of airspace controlled by GCAA**



## ADS-B Sensor deployment – Desert Climate

GCAA, Abu Dhabi, UAE

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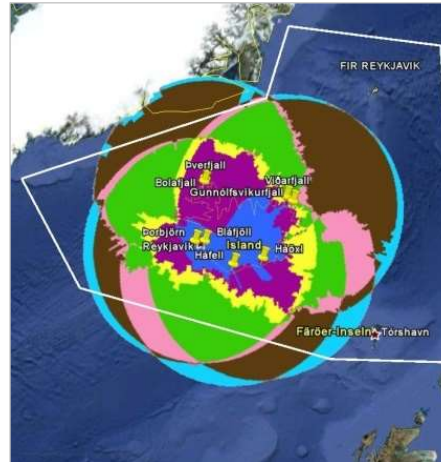
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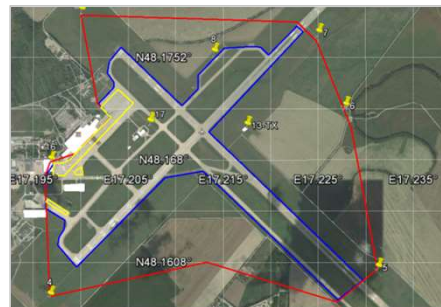
### ISAVIA, Iceland

- ❑ Advanced surveillance for **one of the largest airspaces in the world**
- ❑ **5.4 Mil square kilometers** of Iceland's FIR covered by Quadrant **ADS-B units**
- ❑ Weather challenges due to **Iceland's sub-polar oceanic climate**
- ❑ ISAVIA is the **first European ANSP** to provide **air traffic control based on ADS-B**
- ❑ **ADS-B** system with **sensors** and **redundant centre**
- ❑ **MLAT** system with **sensors** and **transmitter**



### LPS, Slovakia

- ❑ Location: **Bratislava, M. R. Štefánik Airport**
- ❑ **Local Area Multilateration system (LAM)** solution with **ground stations** providing data of the airport surface
- ❑ **ADS-B system** with **sensors** for ARTAS implementation
- ❑ Solution is **certified by the Slovak Transport Authority**, authorising its use in civil aviation as an aeronautical ground facility

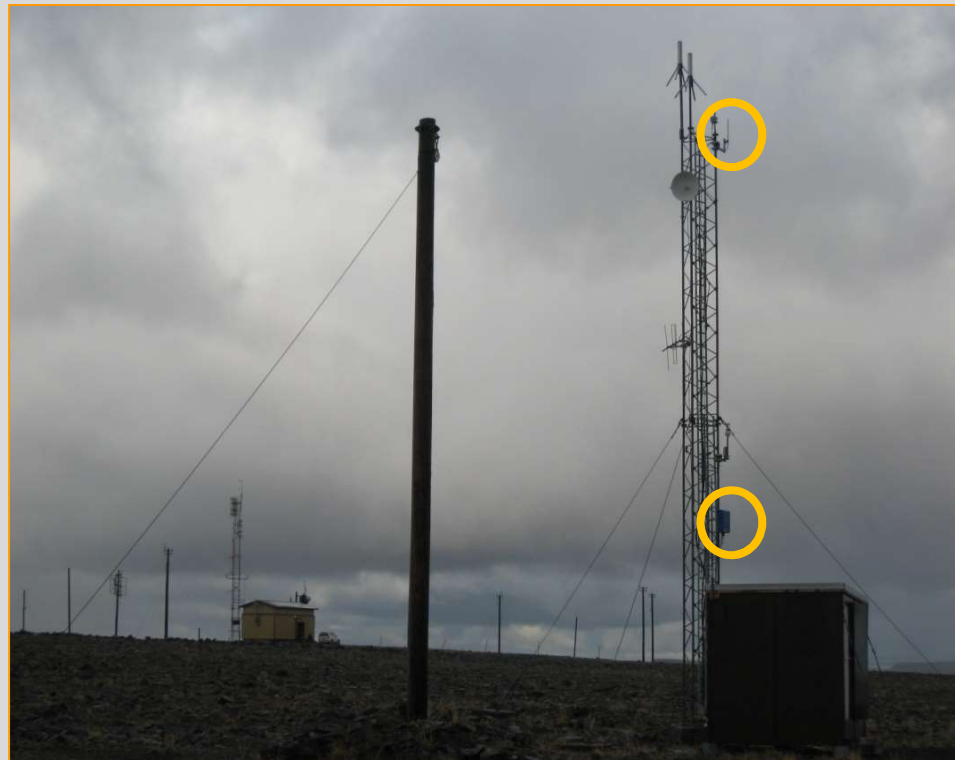




## ADS-B Sensor deployment – Arctic Climate

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Scandinavia

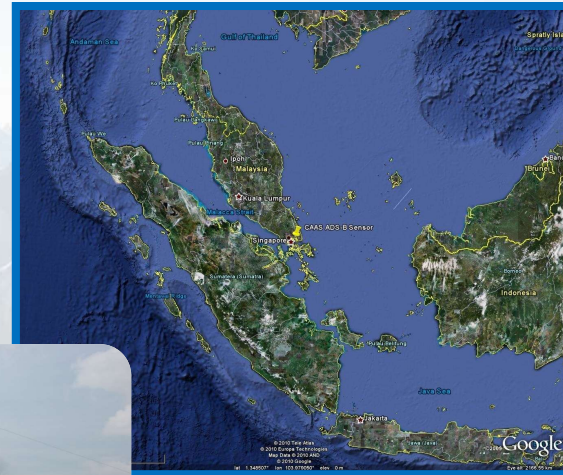




## REFERENCE: ADS-B | CAAS SINGAPORE

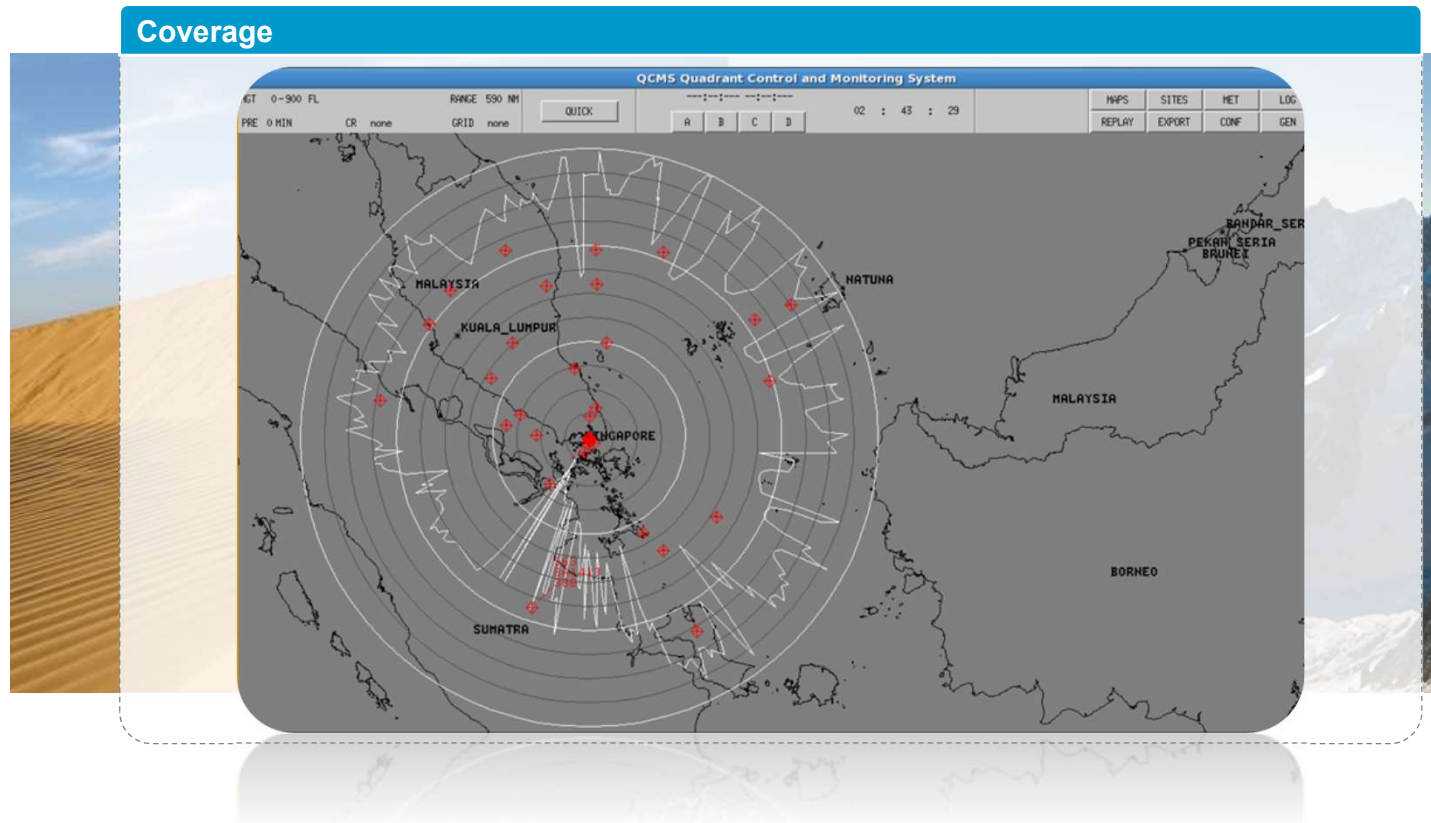
### Installation

Site with redundant sensors



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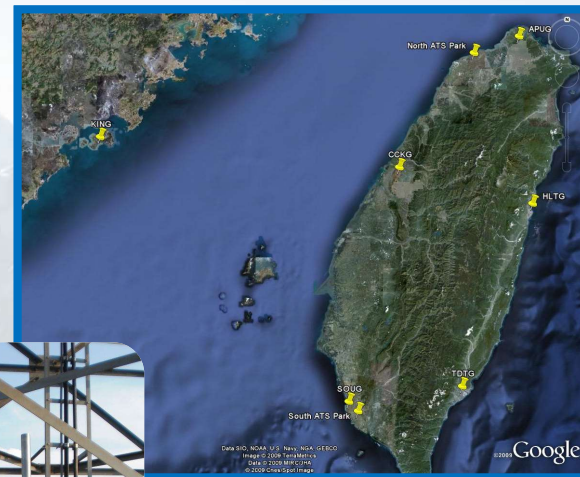
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## REFERENCE: ADS-B / WAM | ANWS IN TAIWAN

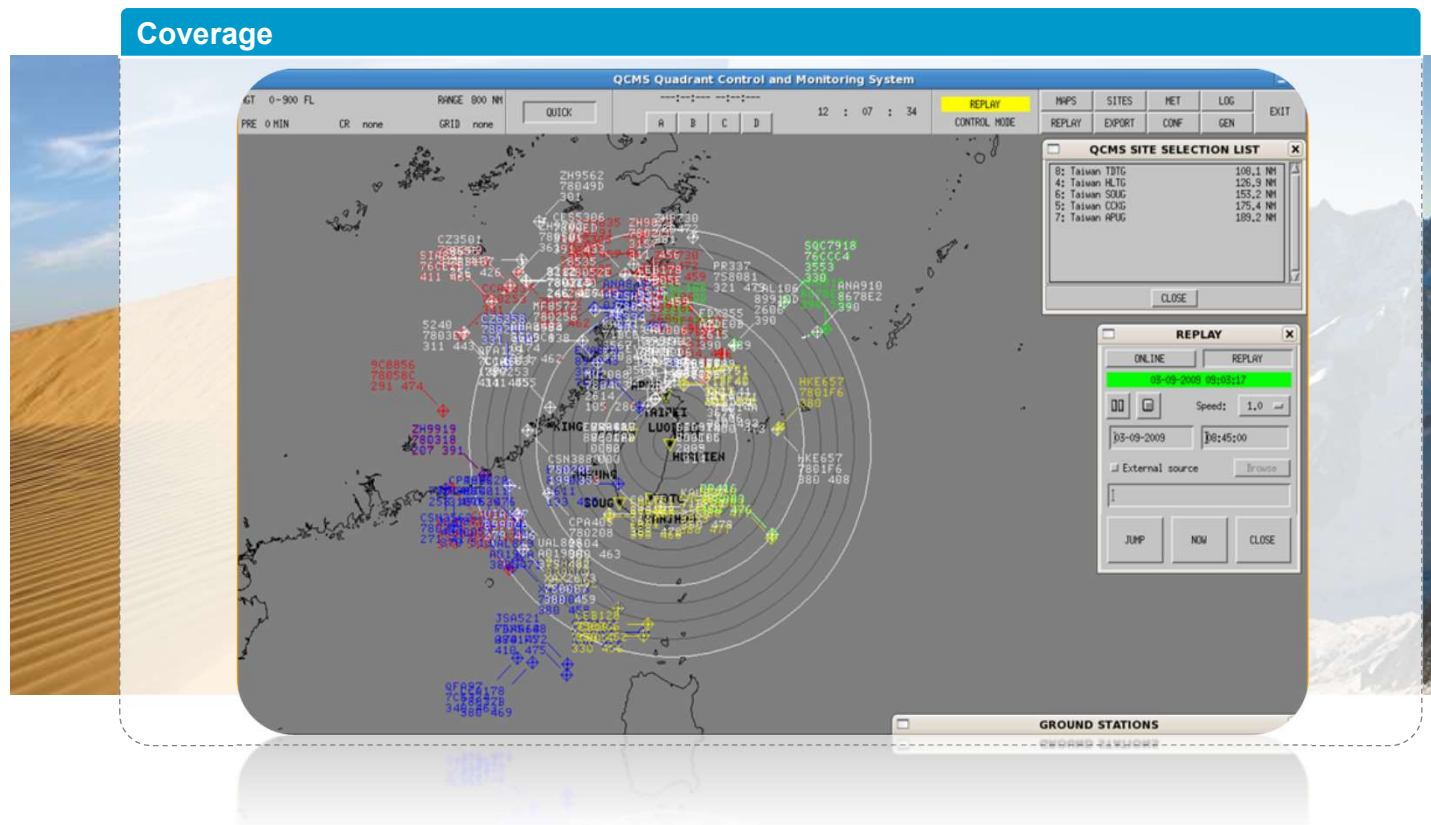
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## REFERENCE: WAM | FMV IN SWEDEN

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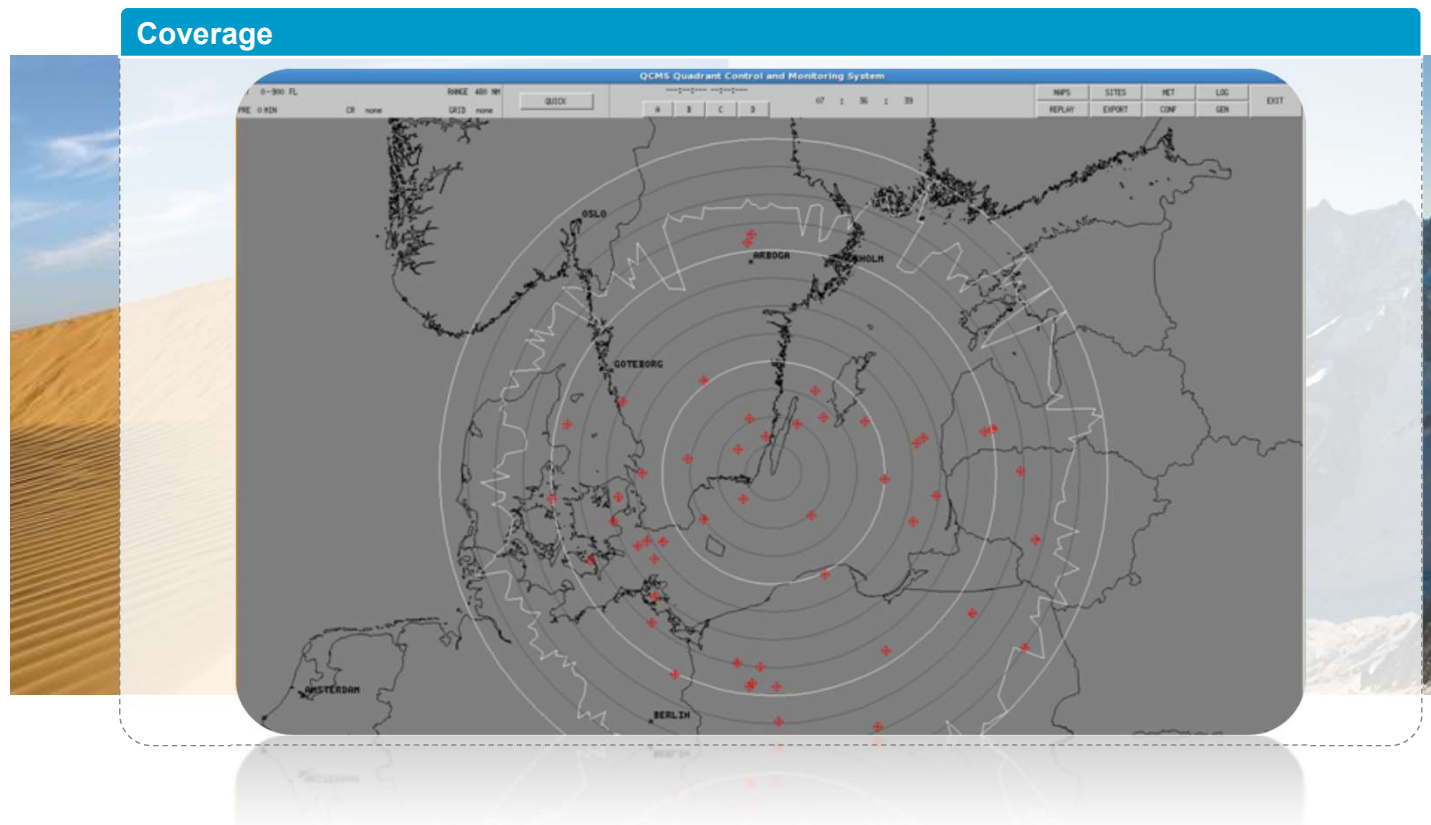
### Installation

4 Sites in South Sweden



## REFERENCE: WAM | FMV IN SWEDEN

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## REFERENCE: WAM | GCAA - UAE

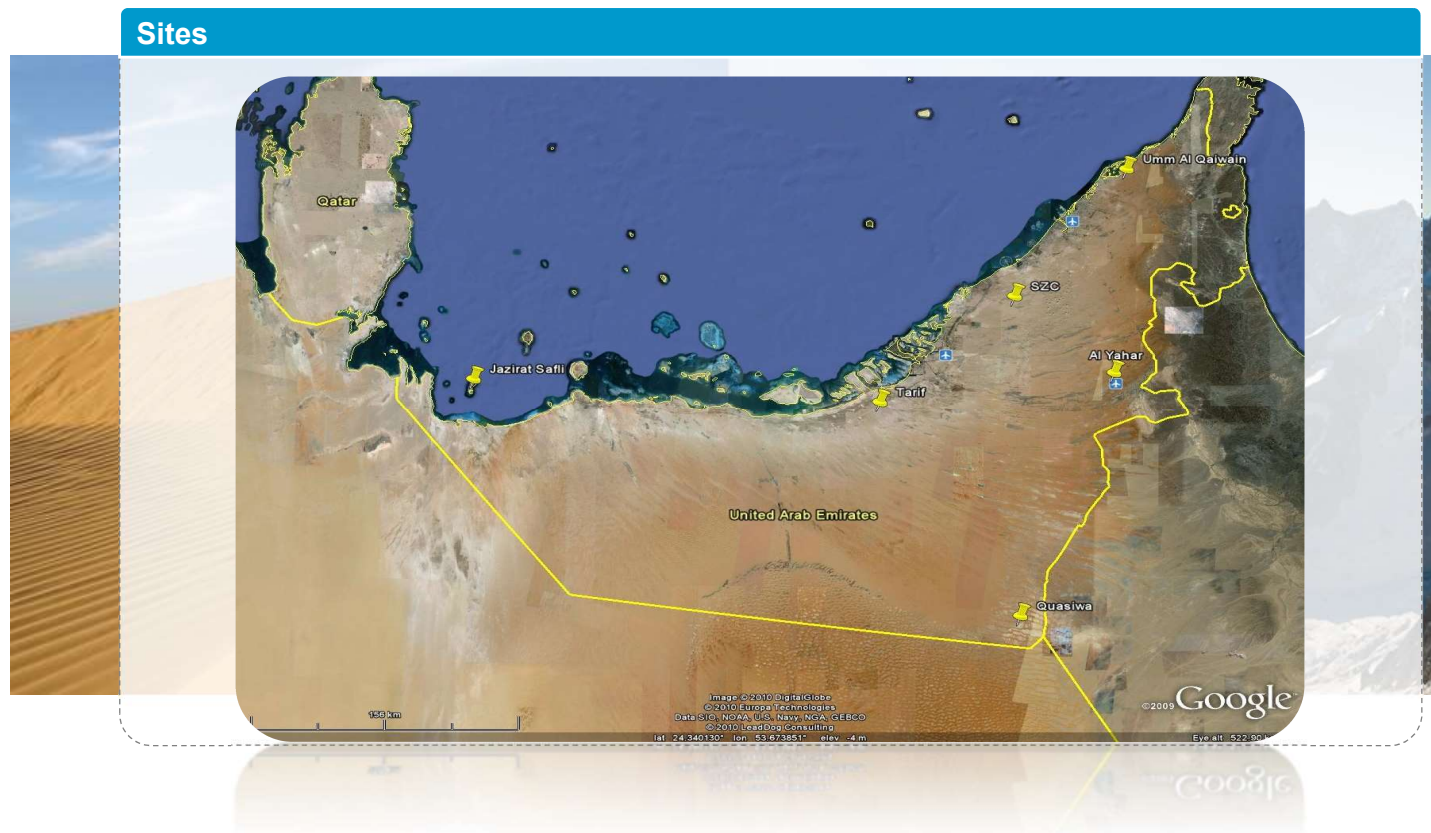
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### Installation

6 redundant sites



## REFERENCE: WAM | GCAA - UAE



## REFERENCE: WAM | DENMARK NAVIAIR

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### Installation

Sensors to be installed on an oil platform



## Summary

- From air to ground, there are several valid use cases for ADS-B and multilateration (MLAT)
- ADS-B and MLAT ground systems provide high quality surveillance data from ADS-B equipped aircraft
- Quadrant ADS-B solutions are flexible, modular and scalable with the ability to transition seamlessly from ADS-B to MLAT using the same ground station equipment
- The FREQUENTIS Group readily has available today solutions ranging from Quadrant ADS-B, via Multilateration to smartVision, a complete safe portfolio

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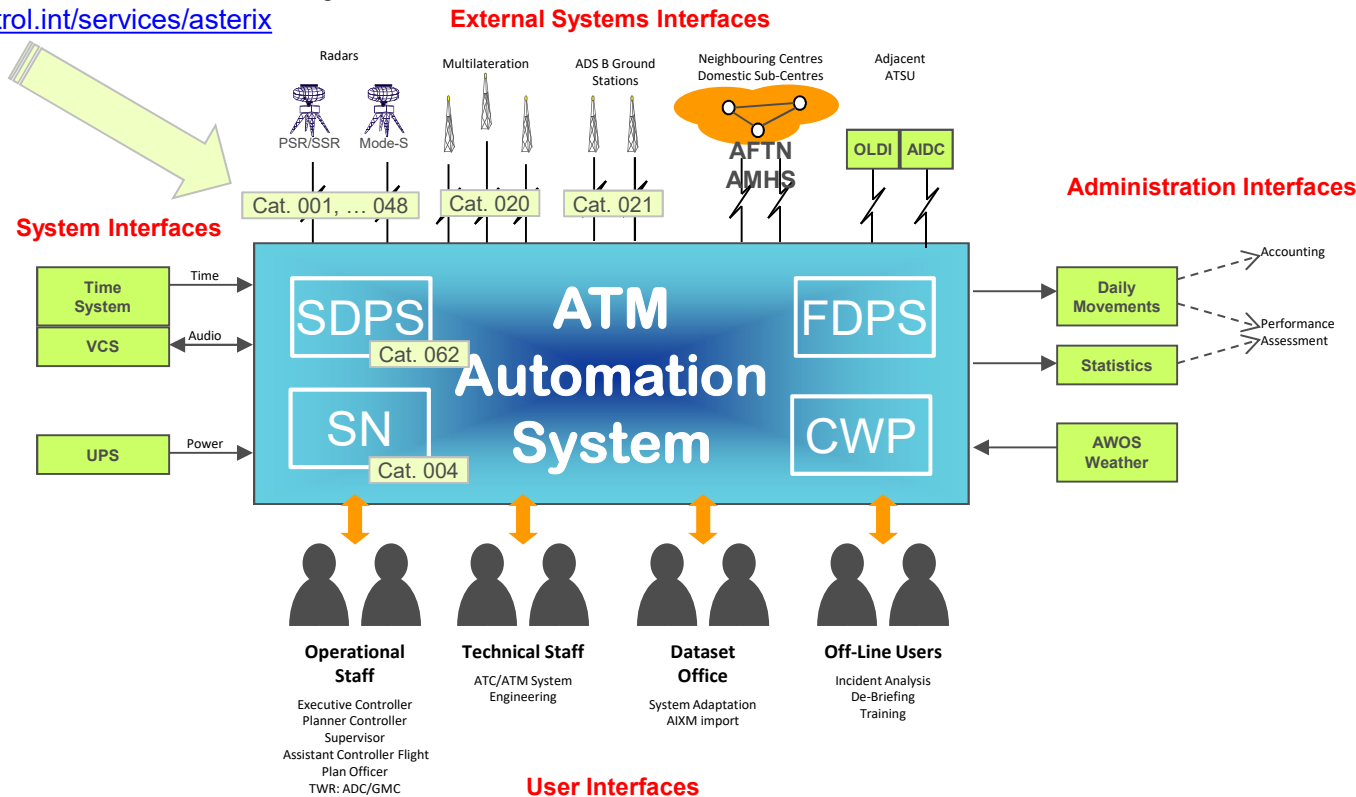




## Detour 1: Standard Interfaces, Please (!!!)

All-purpose STructured Eurocontrol suRveillance Information eXchange

<http://www.eurocontrol.int/services/asterix>



## Surveillance Support Tools

### RAPS-3

Toolset for testing, analysis, validation & generation of surveillance data



**150+**

RAPS systems sold world-wide



### Highlights

- ❑ **EUROCONTROL qualified reference product** for the ASTERIX standard
- ❑ Support of **military ASTERIX**
- ❑ User-definable **test** and **evaluation suites**
- ❑ Online surveillance **data real-time monitoring** and **analysis**
- ❑ Available on **various portable platforms**
- ❑ Experienced support team with **wide service portfolio**

### User Benefits

- ❑ **Established & accepted tool:** Indispensable toolset for ATC environments and manufacturers
- ❑ **Standardised acceptance:** within the scope of integrating new communication and data processing systems, radars, sensor and other surveillance data sources into an existing operational environment
- ❑ **Diverse fields of application:** ATC centres as a measurement and analysis system, manufacturers as an independent reference system for acceptance testing of various systems and applications
- ❑ **Bespoke military requirements:** unique derivate MILRAPS for military customers is designed and developed for the specific requirements of the armed forces, as defined by NATO

## RAPS-3 – success stories

Over 50 customers worldwide

**Reference product** for **ASTERIX**,  
the worldwide standard for  
surveillance data exchange

**2003**

RAPS-2 is **qualified by**  
**EUROCONTROL** as an ASTERIX  
test tool

**2007**

RAPS-3 is recommended by  
**EUROCONTROL**

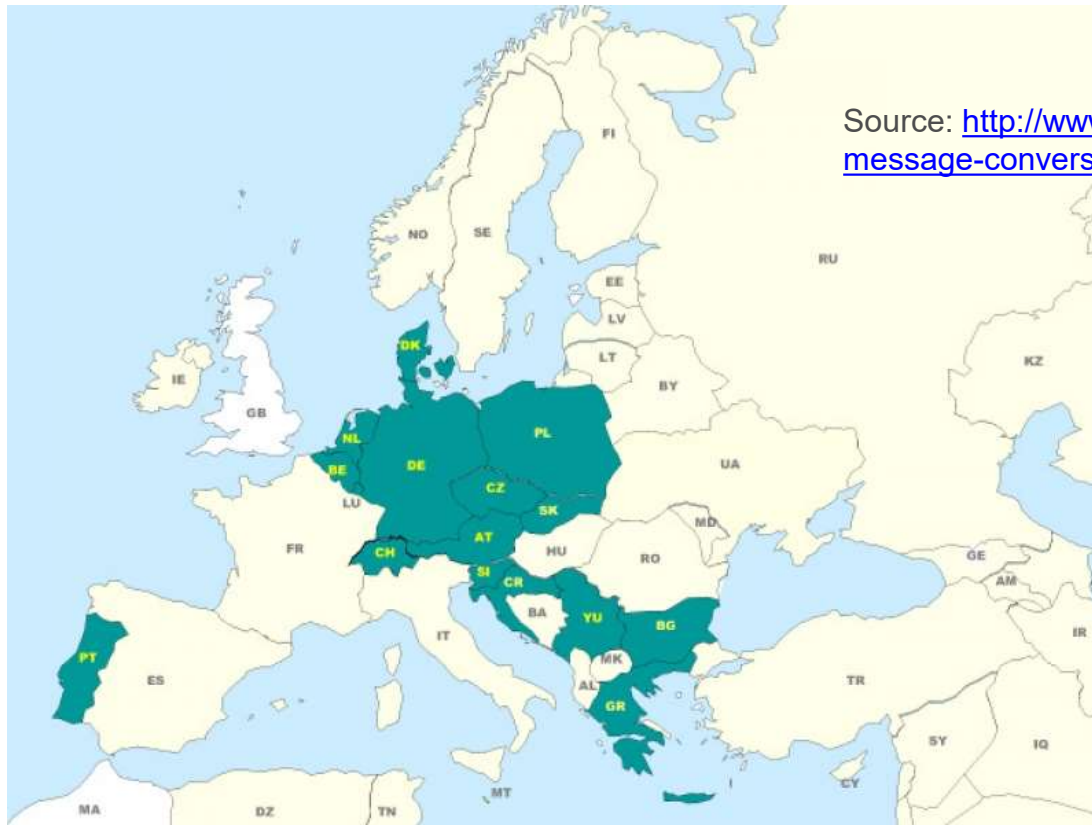
**2016**

Number of **delivered RAPS-3**  
**> 90 units**

**Number** of RAPS systems in **total**  
**> 150**



## Detour 2: Benefit of Standardized Interface: Share!



# Surveillance Communication

## SDDS-NG

For all surveillance distribution needs, providing the single access point for surveillance data



## 35 sites

equipped with turnkey solutions world-wide



## Highlights

- **Scalable:** from one-box installations up to surveillance service networks
- **Central Management:** tasks can be centrally controlled, monitored and configured
- **Conversions:** between legacy formats and ASTERIX, and between ASTERIX Categories or versions thereof
- **Filtering:** flexible filter criteria including geography and aircraft ID, configurable per end user

## User Benefits

- **Increased efficiency** through **centralised** monitoring, configuration and control
- SDDS-NG **minimises system complexity** of the surveillance chain
- **Improves the availability of data** through automatic switching mechanisms
- **Safe integration** of legacy and new technologies
- **Security functions** by acting as **an application level gateway** for surveillance data
- **Transition support** by integration of homogenous system landscapes



## Surveillance Communication – SDDS-NG success stories

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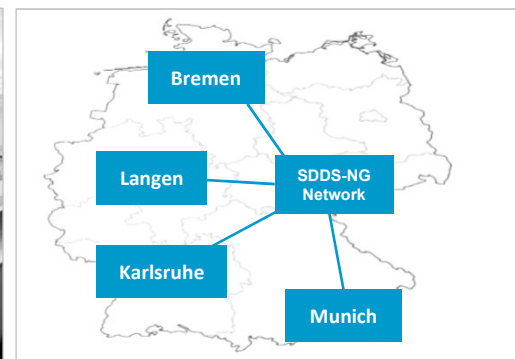
### Brazilian Airforce

- Location: SDDS-NG systems at **22 radar sites**, in the northern part of Brazil
- **Four different types of radar** provide data to the ATC centres
- **Advanced surveillance** for the fifth largest country in the world



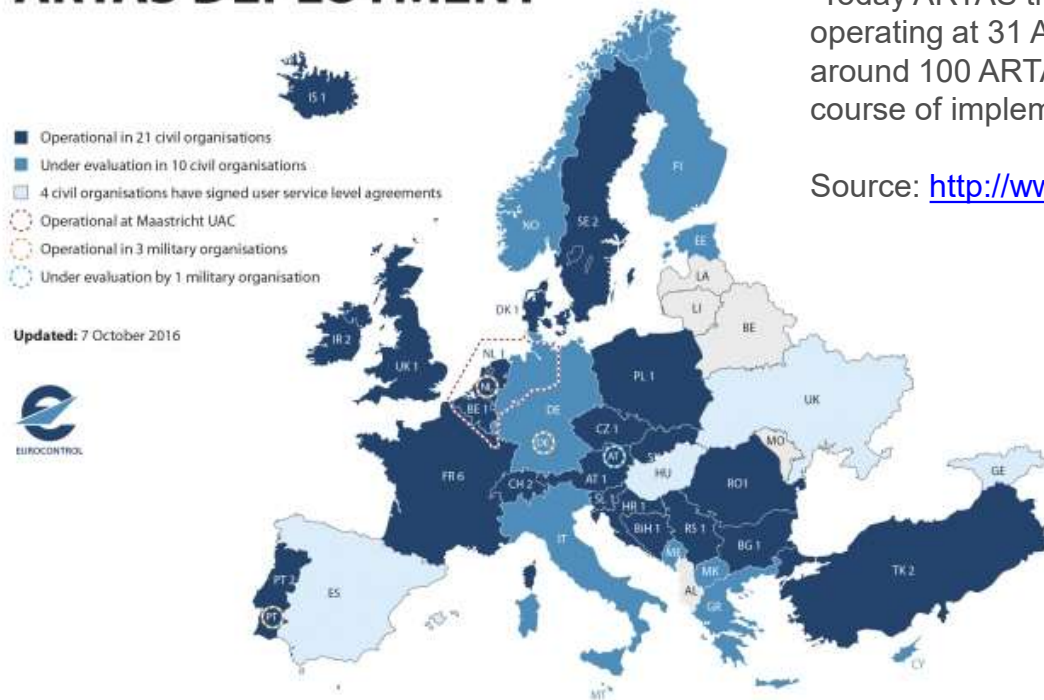
### DFS, Germany

- Location: **Bremen, Karlsruhe, Langen, Munich**
- **16** network nodes
- **Centralised** administration
- Advanced data exchange of surveillance information over an **IP-based network**
- Integration into **RADNET**
- Being implemented



## Detour 3: Benefit of Standardized Interface: Experience!

### ARTAS DEPLOYMENT



“Today ARTAS tracks close to 80 % of European daily flights operating at 31 ATC Centres in 40 European states. In total, around 100 ARTAS units are currently implemented or in the course of implementation.”

Source: <http://www.eurocontrol.int/artas>

# ARTAS Product & Services

## ARTAS

Multi-sensor data fusion with highly-configurable track services (PSR, SSR, Mode S, ADS-B, ADS-C, MLAT)



## Since 2001

Centralised ARTAS Maintenance and Support (CAMOS) for EUROCONTROL



## Highlights

- **Applications:** ARTAS is intended for En-Route, TMA and approach control.
- **Surveillance data sources:** PSR, SSR, CMB, Mode-S Elementary & Enhanced, 3D radar, ADS-B, ADS-C feeds and Multilateration data
- **Tracking technology:** Multiple Sensor Variable Update Tracker, EKF, JPDA, IMM, MHT, MSEA, DAP processing
- **Scalable:** Supports up to 255 surveillance data sources, 20+ simultaneous track services, up to 32000 concurrent tracks
- **System platforms:** ARTAS runs on LINUX platforms and standard servers, defined and validated by CAMOS

## User Benefits

- Integrates **all kinds of surveillance data sources** and establishes a **coherent and accurate Air Situation Picture** for downstream systems
- Enables an **efficient integration of ADS-B and Multilateration** into existing surveillance infrastructures
- ARTAS tracking **will be ready for Surface Movement Surveillance**
- ARTAS **uses the latest tracking technologies** to deliver an outstanding level of **accuracy and reliability** in data output
- A key to the success of ARTAS is the **Centralised ARTAS Maintenance and Support Service (CAMOS)** for which Comsoft Solutions is EUROCONTROL's industrial Partner

## ARTAS Tracker & Services – 15 years of partnership

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**EUROCONTROL, Belgium**

**2001**

Industrial Partner of EUROCONTROL for Centralised ARTAS Maintenance and Support (CAMOS)

**2007**

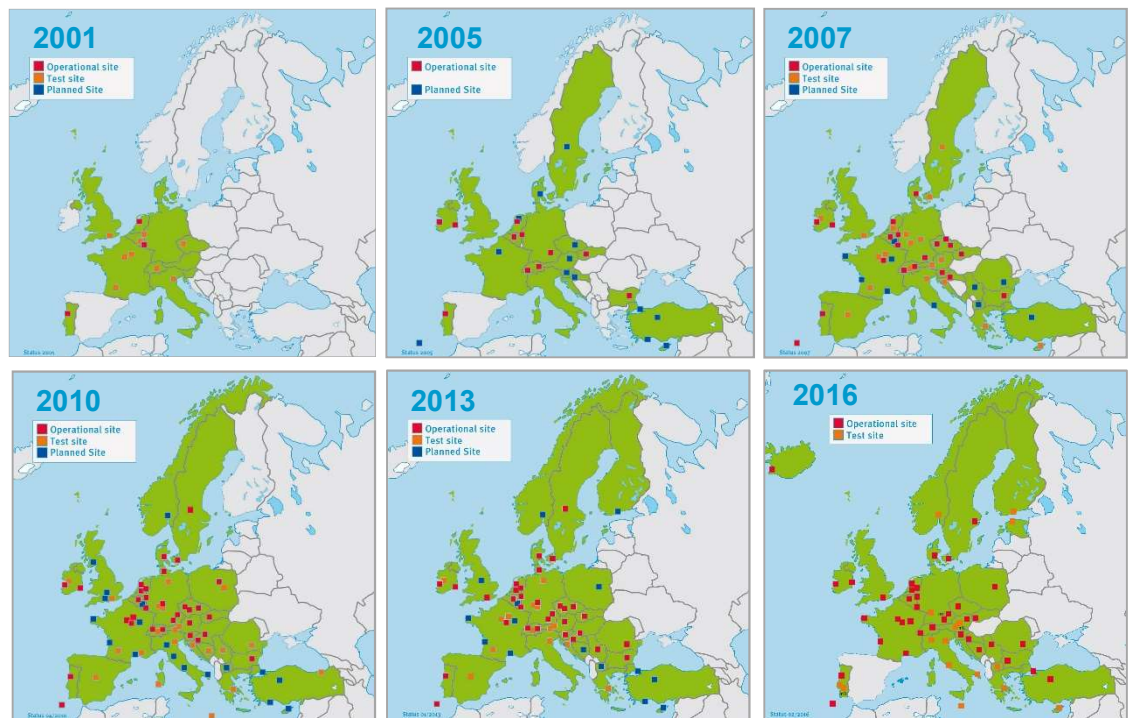
Renewal of CAMOS contract for 5 years

**2011**

Third continuation of CAMOS contract

**2014**

EUROCONTROL awards Comsoft Solutions a further five year contract for CAMOS as industrial partner



ARTAS population since 2001





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