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INTRODUCTION

This Chart User's Guide is an introduction to the Federal Aviation Administration's (FAA) aeronautical charts and publications. It is useful to new pilots as a learning aid, and to experienced pilots as a quick reference guide.

The FAA is the source for all data and information utilized in the publishing of aeronautical charts through authorized publishers for each stage of Visual Flight Rules (VFR) and Instrument Flight Rules (IFR) air navigation including training, planning, and departures, enroute (for low and high altitudes), approaches, and taxiing charts. Digital charts are available online at:

- VFR Charts https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/flight_info/aeronav/digital_products/vfr/
- IFR Charts https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/flight_info/aeronav/digital_products/ifr/
- Terminal Procedures Publication http://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/flight_info/aeronav/digital_products/dtpp/
- Chart Supplements https://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/flight_info/aeronav/digital_products/dafd/

Paper copies of the charts are available through an FAA Approved Print Provider. A complete list of current providers is available at http://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/flight_info/aeronav/print_providers/

The FAA Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) Pilot/Controller Glossary defines in detail, all terms and abbreviations used throughout this publication. Unless otherwise indicated, miles are nautical miles (NM), altitudes indicate feet above Mean Sea Level (MSL), and times used are Coordinated Universal Time (UTC).

The Notices to Airmen Publication (NOTAM) includes current Flight Data Center (FDC) NOTAMs. NOTAMs alert pilots of new regulatory requirements and reflect changes to Standard Instrument Approach Procedures (SIAPs), flight restrictions, and aeronautical chart revisions. This publication is prepared every 28 days by the FAA, and is available by subscription from the Government Printing Office. For more information on subscribing or to access online PDF copy, http://www.faa.gov/air traffic/publications/notices/

In addition to NOTAMs, the Chart Supplement and the Safety Alerts/Charting Notices page of the Aeronautical Information Services website are also useful to pilots

KEEP YOUR CHARTS CURRENT

Aeronautical information changes rapidly, so it is important that pilots check the effective dates on each aeronautical chart and publication. To avoid danger, it is important to always use current editions and discard obsolete charts and publications.

To confirm that a chart or publication is current, refer to the next scheduled edition date printed on the cover. Pilots should also check Aeronautical Chart Bulletins and NOTAMs for important updates between chart and publication cycles that are essential for safe flight.

EFFECTIVE DATE OF CHART USERS GUIDE AND UPDATES

All information in this guide is effective as of 12 October 2017. All graphics used in this guide are for educational purposes. Please do not use them for flight navigation. The Chart Users Guide is updated as necessary, i.e. new chart symbology, changes in depiction of information and/or symbols on the charts, etc. Chart symbology may not be to scale.

COLOR VARIATION

Although the digital files are compiled in accordance with the charting specifications, the final product may vary slightly in appearance due to differences in printing techniques/processes and/or digital display techniques.

REPORTING CHART DISCREPANCIES

Your experience as a pilot is valuable and your feedback is important. We make every effort to display accurate information on all FAA charts and publications, so we appreciate your input. Please notify us concerning any requests for changes, or potential discrepancies you see while using our charts and related products.

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WHAT'S NEW?

Update as of 12 October 2017

A new feature to the Chart Users Guide is this What's New section which will highlight new charting symbology and other changes to charts.

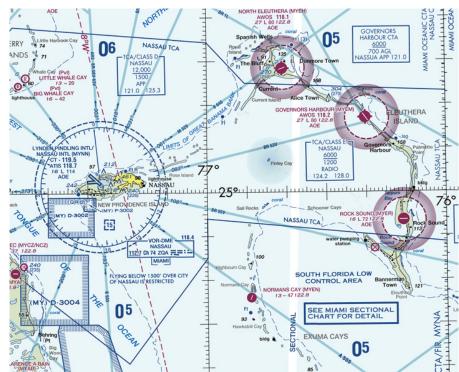
The following charting items have been added to the Online Chart Users Guide since the Guide was last published in 2011:

VFR CHARTS

NEW Series of VFR Charts

Caribbean VFR Aeronautical Charts 1 and 2 and 2 (CAC-1 and CAC-2) are designed for visual navigation to assist familiarization of foreign aeronautical and topographic information. The aeronautical information includes visual and radio aids to navigation, airports, controlled airspace, special-use airspace, obstructions, and related data. The topographic information consists of contour lines, shaded relief, drainage patterns, and a selection of landmarks used for flight under VFR. Cultural features include cities and towns, roads, railroads, and other distinct landmarks. CAC-1 is revised annually and consists of two sides measuring 30" x 60" each. CAC-2 is revised biennially and consists of two sides measuring 20" x 60" each.

Starting in 2016, the FAA CARIBBEAN VFR Aeronautical Charts were first published, replacing the discontinued WACs, parts of CH-25, CJ-26, and CJ-27, with CJ-27's last effective date of 1 February 2018 and CJ-26 last effective date of 29 March 2018. The Caribbean Charts are published as two VFR Charts: Caribbean 1 (CAC-1) chart covering mostly Southern Florida, Cuba, Haiti and the Bahamas; Caribbean 2 (CAC-2) chart, covering Puerto Rico, Haiti, Dominican Republic, the Lesser Antilles and Leeward Islands. CAC-1 is updated annually and CAC-2 biennially.



Example from Caribbean 1 VFR Aeronautical Chart

Starting in 2016, the FAA CARIBBEAN VFR Aeronautical Charts were first published, replacing the discontinued WACs,

NAVAIDs

DME (Stand Alone DME)

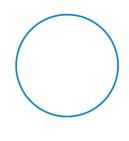
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WHAT'S NEW - VFR CHARTS (Continued)

AIRSPACE

Special Security Notice Permanent Continuous Flight Restriction Areas



DISNEYLAND THEME PARK See Note for requirements

Example: Jacksonville Sectional Chart

Example: Tampa-Orlando Terminal Chart



Sporting Event Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Sites



Miscellaneous Airspace: Special Activity Areas: Aerobatic Practice Areas

CHART LIMITS

Outline of Special Chart on Sectional and Terminal Area Chart

GRAND CANYON CHART

STADIUM

Miscellaneous Airpsace: Special Activity Areas: Space Launch Activity Areas



WHAT'S NEW - IFR ENROUTE CHARTS

NAVAIDS

DME (Stand Alone DME)



AIRSPACE INFORMATION

Minimum Turning Altitude (MTA)



WHAT'S NEW (Continued)

TERMINAL PROCEDURE PUBLICATIONS (TPPS) NAVAIDS BRIEFING STRIP INFORMATION Compulsory Compulsory Cold Weather Symbol

EXPLANATION OF VFR TERMS AND SYMBOLS

This chapter covers the Sectional Aeronautical Chart (Sectional). These charts include the most current data at a scale of (1:500,000) which is large enough to be read easily by pilots flying by sight under Visual Flight Rules. Sectionals are named after a major city within its area of coverage.

The chart legend includes aeronautical symbols and information about drainage, terrain, the contour of the land, and elevation. You can learn to identify aeronautical, topographical, and obstruction symbols (such as radio and television towers) by using the legend.

A brief description next to a small black square indicates the exact location for many of the landmarks easily recognized from the air, such as stadiums, pumping stations, refineries, etc. A small black open circle with descriptive type indicates oil, gas or mineral wells. A small black circle with descriptive type indicates water, oil or gas tanks. The scale for some items may be increased to make them easier to read on the chart.

Aeronautical Information Services' charts are prepared in accordance with specifications of the Interagency Air Committee (IAC) and are approved by representatives of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA) and the Department of Defense (DoD).

WATER FEATURES (HYDROGRAPHY)



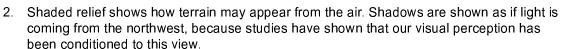
Water features are depicted using two tones of blue, and are considered either "Open Water" or "Inland Water." "Open Water," a lighter blue tone, shows the shoreline limitations of all coastal water features at the average (mean) high water levels for oceans and seas. Light blue also represents the connecting waters like bays, gulfs, sounds and large estuaries.

Exceptionally large lakes like the Great Lakes, Great Salt Lake, and Lake Okeechobee, etc., are considered Open Water features. The Open Water tone extends inland as far as necessary to adjoin the darker blue "Inland Water" tones. All other bodies of water are marked as "Inland Water" in the darker blue tone.

LAND FEATURES (TERRAIN) AND OBSTRUCTIONS

The elevation and configuration of the Earth's surface is important to pilots. Our Aeronautical Information Specialists are devoted to showing the contour of the earth and any obstructions clearly and accurately on our charts. We use five different techniques: contour lines, shaded relief, color tints, obstruction symbols, and Maximum Elevation Figures (MEF).

1. Contour lines join points of equal elevation. On Sectionals, basic contours are spaced at 500' intervals. Intermediate contours are typically at 250' intervals in moderately level or gently rolling areas. Auxiliary contours at 50', 100', 125', or 150' intervals occasionally show smaller relief features in areas of relatively low relief. The pattern of these lines and their spacing gives the pilot a visual concept of the terrain. Widely spaced contours represent gentle slopes, while closely spaced contours represent steep slopes.





3. Different color tints show bands of elevation relative to sea level. These colors range from light green for the lower elevations, to dark brown for the higher elevations.

4. Obstruction symbols show man made vertical features that could affect safe navigation. FAA's Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) maintains a database of over 351,148 obstacles in the United States, Canada, the Caribbean, Mexico and U.S. Pacific Island Territories. Aeronautical Specialists evaluate each obstacle based on charting specifications before adding it to a visual chart. When a Specialist is not able to verify the position or elevation of an obstacle, it is marked UC, meaning it is "under construction" or being reported, but has not been verified.

The FAA uses a Digital Obstacle File (DOF) to collect and disseminate data. Because land and obstructions frequently change, the source data on obstructions and terrain is occasionally incomplete or not accurate enough for use in aeronautical publications. For example, when the FAA receives notification about an obstruction, and there is insufficient detail to determine its position and elevation, the FAA Flight Edit Program conducts an investigation.

The Flight Edit crew visually verifies the cultural, topographic, and obstacle data. Charts are generally flight-checked every four years. This review includes checking for any obstruction that has been recently built, altered, or dismantled without proper notification.

Obstacles less than 1000' AGL.

Obstacles 1000' AGL

or greater.

Sectional Charts, Terminal Area (TACs) and Caribbean Charts (CACs) typically show manmade obstacles extending more than 200' Above Ground Level (AGL), or more than 299' AGL in yellow city tint. Features considered to be hazardous obstacles to low-level flight are; smokestacks, tanks, factories, lookout towers, and antennas, etc. On World Aeronautical Charts (WACs) only those obstacles at 500' AGL and higher are charted.



Manmade features used by FAA Air Traffic Control as checkpoints use a graphic symbol shown in black with the required elevation data in blue. The elevation of the top of the obstacle above Mean Sea Level (MSL) and the height of the structure (AGL) is also indicated (when known or can be reliably determined by a Specialist). The AGL height is in parentheses below the MSL elevation. In extremely congested areas, the FAA typically omits the AGL values to avoid confusion.

Whenever possible, the FAA depicts specific obstacles on charts. However, in high-density areas like city complexes, only the highest obstacle is represented on the chart using the group obstacle symbol to maximize legibility.

Obstacles under construction are indicated by placing the letters UC adjacent to the obstacle type.

If space is available, the AGL height of the obstruction is shown

(1500) UC

19633

GLACIER

12000

9000

7000

5000

3000

2000

1000

Sea Level-

- -228

Guy wires may extend outward from obstacles.

Obstacles with high-intensity strobe lighting systems may operate part-time or by proximity activation and are shown as follows:

5. The Maximum Elevation Figure (MEF) represents the highest elevation within a quadrant, including terrain and other vertical obstacles (towers, trees, etc.). A quadrant on Sectionals is the area bounded by ticked lines dividing each 30 minutes of latitude and each 30 minutes of longitude. MEF figures are rounded up to the nearest 100' value and the last two digits of the number are not shown.

125
In this example the MEF represents 12,500'.

MEFs over land and open water areas are used in areas containing manmade obstacles such as oil rigs.

In the determination of MEFs, the FAA uses extreme care to calculate the values based on the existing elevation data shown on source material. Aeronautical Information Specialists use the following procedure to calculate MEFs:

MEF - Manmade Obstacle

When a manmade obstacle is more than 200' above the highest terrain within the quadrant:

- 1. Determine the elevation of the top of the obstacle above MSL.
- 2. Add the possible vertical error of the source material to the above figure (100' or 1/2 contour interval when interval on source exceeds 200'. U.S. Geological Survey Quadrangle Maps with contour intervals as small as 10' are normally used).
- 3. Round the resultant figure up to the next higher hundred-foot level.

Elevation of obstacle top (MSL)	2649
Possible obstacle error	+100
equals	2749
Raise to the following 100' level	2800
Maximum Elevation Figure (MEF)	28



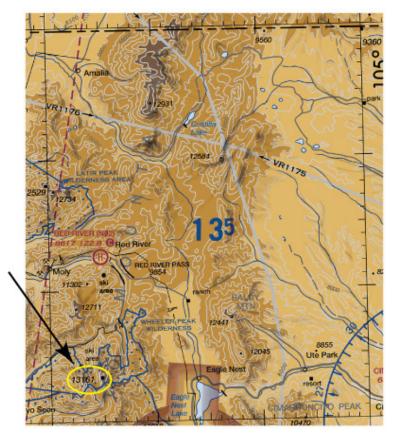
MEF - Natural Terrain Feature or Natural Vertical Obstacle

When a natural terrain feature or natural vertical obstacle (e.g. a tree) is the highest feature within the quadrangle:

- 1. Determine the elevation of the feature.
- 2. Add the possible vertical error of the source to the above figure (100' or 1/2 the contour interval when interval on source exceeds 200').
- 3. Add a 200' allowance for uncharted natural or manmade obstacles. Chart specifications don't require the portrayal of obstacles below minimum height.
- 4. Round the figure up to the next higher hundred-foot level.

Example:

Elevation of obstacle top (MSL)	13161
Possible vertical error	+100
Obstacle Allowence	+200
equals	13461
Raise to the following 100' level	13500
Maximum Elevation Figure (MEF)	13 5

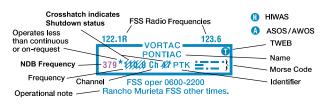


Pilots should be aware that while the MEF is based on the best information available to the Specialist, the figures are not verified by field surveys. Also, users should consult the Aeronautical Chart Bulletin in the Chart Supplement or Aeronautical Information Services website to ensure that your chart has the latest MEF data available.

RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION

On VFR Charts, information about radio aids to navigation (NAVAID) are boxed, as illustrated. Duplication of data is

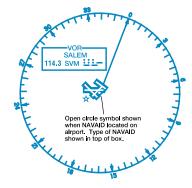
avoided. When two or more radio aids in a general area have the same name with different frequencies. Tactical Air Navigation (TACAN) channel numbers, or identification letters, and no misinterpretation can result, the name of the radio aid may be indicated only once within the identification box. Very High Frequency/Ultra High Frequency (VHF/UHF) NAVAID names and identification boxes (shown in blue) take precedence. Only



those items that differ (e.g., frequency, Morse Code) are repeated in the box in the appropriate color. The choice of separate or combined boxes is made in each case on the basis of economy of space and clear identification of the radio aids.

A NAVAID that is physically located on an airport may not always be represented as a typical NAVAID symbol, A small open circle indicates the NAVAID location when collocated with an airport icon.

The type of NAVAID will be identified by: "VOR," (VHF Omni-Directional Range) "VORTAC" (VOR Tactical Aircraft Control), "VOR-DME," (VOR-Distance Measuring Equipment) or "DME" (Distance Measuring Equipment) positioned on and breaking the top line of the NAVAID box.



DMEs are shown without the compass rose.

AIRPORTS

Airports in the following categories are charted as indicated (additional symbols are shown later in this Section). Public use airports:

- Hard-surfaced runways greater than 8069' or some multiple runways less than 8069'
- Hard-surfaced runways 1500' to 8069'
- Other than hard-surfaced runways
- 🕹 Seaplane bases

Military airports:

0 Other than hard-surfaced runways

Hard-surfaced runways are depicted the same as public-use airports.

U.S. military airports are identified by abbreviations such as AAF (Army Air Field), AFB (Air Force Base), MCAS (Marine Corps Air Station), NAS (Naval Air Station), NAV (Naval Air Facility), NAAS (Naval Auxiliary Air Station), etc. Canadian military airports are identified by the abbreviation DND (Department of National Defense).

Fuel Available:



Tick marks around the basic airport symbol indicate that fuel is available Monday through Friday 10:00 AM to 4:00 PM local time.

Other airports with or without fuel:









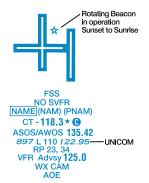


Airports are plotted in their true geographic position unless the symbol conflicts with a NAVAID at the same location. In such cases, the airport symbol will be displaced, but the relationship between the airport and the NAVAID will be retained.

Airports are identified by their designated name. Generic parts of long airport names (such as "airport," "field," or "municipal") and the first names of persons are commonly omitted unless they are needed to distinguish one airport from another with a similar name.

The figure at right illustrates the coded data that is provided along with the airport name.

The elevation of an airport is the highest point on the usable portion of the landing areas. Runway length is the length of the longest active runway, including displaced thresholds and excluding overruns. Runway length is shown to the nearest 100', using 70 as the rounding point; a runway 8070' in length is charted as 81, while a runway 8069' in length is charted as 80. If a seaplane base is collocated with an airport, there will be additional seaplane base water information listed for the elevation, lighting and runway.



Flight Service Station on field	FSS	Elevation in feet	897
Airports where fixed wing special VFR op- erations are prohibited (shown above airport	NO SVFR	Lighting in operation Sunset to Sunrise	L
name) FAR 91		Lighting limitations exist; refer to Chart Supplement	*L
Indcates FAR 93 Special Air Traffic Rules and Airport Traffic Pattern		Length of longest runway in hundreds of	
Location Identifier	(NAM)	feet; usable length may be less.	72
ICAO Location Identifier	(PNAM)	Aeronautical advisory station	122.95
Control Tower (CT) - primary frequency	CT - 118.3	Runways with Right Traffic Patterns (public use)	RP 23,34
Star indicates operation part-time. See tower frequencies tabulation for hours of operation	*	See Chart Supplement	RP*
Follows the Common Traffic Advisory Frequency (CTAF)	©	VFR Advisory Service Shown when ATIS is not available and frequency is other than the primary CT frequency.	VFR Advsy 125.0
Automatic Terminal Information Services	ATIS 123.8	Weather Camera (Alaska)	WX CAM
Automatic Flight Information Service	AFIS 135.2	Airport of Entry	AOE
Automated Surface Weather Observing Systems; shown when full-time ATIS is not available.	ASOS/AWOS 135.42	When information is lacking, the respective character is replaced by a dash. Lighting codes refer to runway edge lights and may not represent the longest runway or full length lighting.	

Airports with Control Towers (CT) and their related data are shown in blue. All other airports and their related data are shown in magenta. The L symbol symbol indicates that runway lights are on from dusk to dawn. *L indicates that the pilot must consult the Chart Supplement to determine runway lighting limitations, such as: available on request (by radio-call, letter, phone, etc), part-time lighting, or pilot/airport controlled lighting. Lighting codes refer to runway edge lights. The lighted runway may not be the longest runway available, and lights may not be illuminated along the full length of the runway. The Chart Supplement has a detailed description of airport and air navigation lighting aids for each airport. A dash represents no runway edge lights.

The symbol \star indicates the existence of a rotating or flashing airport beacon operating from dusk to dawn. The Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) thoroughly explains the types and uses of airport lighting aids.

Right traffic information is shown using the abbreviation 'RP' for right pattern, followed by the appropriate runway number(s) (RP 18). Special conditions or restrictions to the right pattern are indicated by the use of an asterisk (RP*) to

direct the pilot to the Chart Supplement for special instructions and/or restrictions.

The type "OBJECTIONABLE" associated with an airport symbol indicates that an objectionable airspace determination has been made for the airport per FAA JO 7400.2 Section 4, Airport Charting and Publication of Airport Data. Objectionable airspace determinations are based upon a number of factors including conflicting traffic patterns with another airport, hazardous runway conditions, or natural or man-made obstacles in close proximity to the landing area. FAA Regional Airports Offices are responsible for airspace determinations. Address any challenges to objectionable airspace determinations to your FAA Regional Airports Office.

AIRSPACE

CONTROLLED AIRSPACE

Controlled airspace consists of those areas where some or all aircraft may be subject to air traffic control, such as: Class A, Class B, Class C, Class D, Class E Surface (SFC) and Class E Airspace.

Class A Airspace within the United States extends from 18,000' up to 60,000' MSL. While visual charts do not depict Class A, it is important to note its existence.

Class B Airspace is shown in abbreviated form on the World Aeronautical Chart (WAC) and Caribbean Class B MSL Altitudes Charts (CAC). The Sectional Aeronautical Chart (Sectional) and Terminal Area Chart (TAC) show Class B in greater detail. The MSL ceiling and floor altitudes of each sector are shown in solid blue figures with the last two zeros omitted. Floors extending "upward from above" a certain altitude are preceded by a (+). Operations at and below these altitudes are outside of Class B Airspace. Radials and arcs used to define Class B are prominently shown on TACs. Detailed rules and requirements associated with the particular Class B are shown. The name by which the Class B is shown as LAS VEGAS CLASS B for example.

Class C Airspace is shown in abbreviated form on WACs and Caribbean Charts (CAC). Sectionals and Class C MSL 70

TACs show Class C in greater detail. The MSL ceiling and floor altitudes of each sector are shown in solid magenta figures with the last two zeros eliminated.

 $\frac{T}{SFC}$ The figure at left identifies a sector that extends from the surface to the base of the Class B.

Class C Airspace is identified by name: BURBANK CLASS C

Separate notes, enclosed in magenta boxes, give the approach control frequencies to be used by arriving VFR aircraft to establish two-way radio communication before entering the Class C (generally within 20 NM):

CTC BURBANK APP WITHIN 20 NM ON 124.6 395.9

Class C operating less than continuous is indicated by the following note: See NOTAMs/Supplement for Class C off hrs

Class D Airspace is identified with a blue dashed line. Class D operating less than continuous is indicated by the following note: See NOTAMs/Supplement for Class D eff hrs

Ceilings of Class D are shown as follows: 30

A minus in front of the figure is used to indicate "from surface to, but not including..."

Class E Surface (SFC) Airspace is symbolized with a magenta dashed line. Class E (SFC) operating less than continuous is indicated by the following note: See NOTAMs/Supplement for Class E (sfc) eff hrs

Class E Airspace exists at 1200' AGL unless designated otherwise. The lateral and vertical vertical limits of all Class E, (up to, but not including 18,000') are shown by narrow bands of vignette on Sectionals and TACs.

Controlled airspace floors of 700' above the ground are defined by a magenta vignette; floors other than 700' that laterally abut uncontrolled airspace (Class G) are defined by a blue vignette; differing floors greater than 700' above the ground are annotated by a symbol and a number indicating the floor. 2400 AGL

4500 MSL



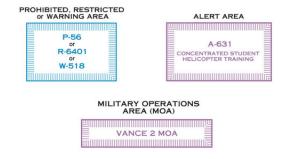
If the ceiling is less than 18,000' MSL, the value (preceded by the word "ceiling") is shown along the limits of the controlled airspace. These limits are shown with the same symbol indicated above.

UNCONTROLLED AIRSPACE

Class G Airspace within the United States extends up to 14,500' Mean Sea Level. At and above this altitude is Class E, excluding the airspace less than 1500' above the terrain and certain special use airspace areas.

SPECIAL USE AIRSPACE

Special Use Airspace (SUA) confines certain flight activities and restricts entry, or cautions other aircraft operating within specific boundaries. Except for Controlled Firing Areas, SUA areas are depicted on VFR Charts. Controlled Firing Areas are not charted because their activities are suspended immediately when spotter aircraft, radar, or ground lookout positions indicate an aircraft might be approaching the area. Nonparticipating aircraft are not required to change their flight paths. SUA areas are shown in their entirety (within the limits of the chart), even when they overlap, adjoin, or when an area is designated within another area. The areas are identified by type and identifying name/number, and are positioned either within or immediately adjacent to the area.



OTHER AIRSPACE AREAS

Mode C Required Airspace (from the surface to 10,000' MSL) within a 30 NM radius of the primary airport(s) for which a Class B is designated, is depicted by a solid magenta line.

MODE C

30 NM

Mode C is required, but not depicted for operations within and above all Class C up to 10,000' MSL.

Enroute Mode C requirements (at and above 10,000' MSL except in airspace at and below 2500' AGL) are not depicted. See FAR 91.215 and the AIM.

FAR 93 Airports and heliports under Federal Aviation Regulation 93 (FAR 93), (Special Air Traffic Rules and Airport Traffic Patterns), are shown by "boxing" the airport name.



FAR 91 Airports where fixed wing special visual flight rules operations are prohibited (FAR 91) are shown with the type "NO SVFR" above the airport name.

National Security Areas indicated with a broken magenta line and Special Flight Rules Areas (SFRAs) indicated with the following symbol: , consist of airspace with defined vertical and lateral dimensions established at locations where there is a requirement for increased security and safety of ground facilities. Pilots should avoid flying through these depicted areas. When necessary, flight may be temporarily prohibited.

The Washington DC Flight Restricted Zone (FRZ) is related to National Security. It is depicted using the Prohibited/Restricted/Warning Area symbology and is located within the SFRA. It is defined as the airspace within approximately a 13 to 15 NM radius of the DCA VOR-DME. Additional requirements are levied upon aviators requesting access to operate inside the National Capital Region.

Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Areas Relating to National Security are indicated with a broken blue line

A Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) is a type of Notice to Airmen (NOTAM). A TFR defines an area where air travel is restricted due to a hazardous condition, a special event, or a general warning for the entire airspace. The text of the actual TFR contains the fine points of the restriction. It is important to note that only TFRs relating to National Security are charted.

Air Defense Identification Zones (ADIZs) are symbolized using the ADIZ symbol:

| Selection | As defined in Code of Federal Regulations 14 (CFR 14) Part 99, an ADIZ is an area in which the ready identification, location, and control of all aircraft is required in the interest of national security. ADIZ boundaries include Alaska, Hawaii, Guam, Canada and the Contiguous U.S.

Terminal Radar Service Areas (TRSAs) are shown in their entirety, symbolized by a screened black outline of the entire area including the various sectors within the area

The outer limit of the entire Terminal Radar Service Areas (TRSA) is a continuous screened black line. The various sectors within the TRSA are symbolized by narrower screened black lines.

Each sector altitude is identified in solid black color by the MSL ceiling and floor values of the respective sector, eliminating the last two zeros. A leader line is used when the altitude values must be positioned outside the respective sectors because of charting space limitations. The TRSA name is shown near the north position of the TRSA as follows: **PALM SPRINGS TRSA**. Associated frequencies are listed in a table on the chart border.

The following note appears on Helicopters, Sectionals and TACs except for Hawaiian Islands which is different.

- MILITARY TRAINING ROUTES (MTRs)

All IR and VR MTRs are shown, and may extend from the surface upwards. Only the route centerline, direction of flight along the route, and the route designator are depicted - route widths and altitudes are not shown.

Since these routes are subject to change every 56 days, you are cautioned and advised to contact Flight Service for route dimensions and current status for those routes affecting your flight.

Routes with a change in the alignment of the charted route centerline will be indicated in the Aeronautical Chart Bulletin of the Chart Supplement.

DoD users refer to Area Planning AP/1B Military Training Routes North and South America for current routes.

There are IFR (IR) and VFR (VR) routes as follows:

Route identification:

- a. Routes at or below 1500' AGL (with no segment above 1500') are identified by four-digit numbers; e.g., VR1007, etc. These routes are generally developed for flight under Visual Flight Rules.
- b. Routes above 1500' AGL (some segments of these routes may be below 1500') are identified by three or fewer digit numbers; e.g., IR21, VR302, etc. These routes are developed for flight under Instrument Flight Rules.

MTRs can vary in width from 4 to 16 miles. Detailed route width information is available in the Flight Information Publication (FLIP) AP/1B (a Department of Defense publication), or through the 56 Day NASR Subscription from the National Flight Data Center (NFDC).

Special Military Activity areas are indicated on Sectionals by a boxed note in black type. The note contains radio frequency information for obtaining area activity status.

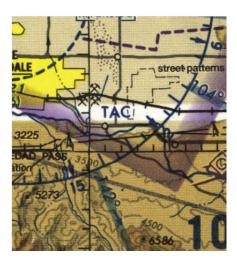
SPECIAL MILITARY ACTIVITY CTC MOBILE RADIO ON 123.6 FOR ACTIVITY STATUS

TERMINAL AREA CHART (TAC) COVERAGE

TAC coverage is shown on appropriate Sectionals by a 1/4" masked line as indicated below. Within this area pilots should use TACs, which provide greater detail. A note indicating that the area is on the TAC appears near the masked boundary line.

LOS ANGELES TERMINAL AREA

Pilots are encouraged to use the Los Angeles VFR Terminal Area Chart for flights at or below 10,000'



INSET AND SPECIAL CHART COVERAGE

Inset and Special Chart Coverage (.i.e., Grand Canyon Chart) is shown on appropriate Sectionals by a 1/8" masked line as indicated below. A note to this effect appears near the masked boundary line. (Additional examples shown in VFR Sectional and Terminal Charts > Navigational and Procedural Information > Chart Limits.)

If inset chart is on the same chart as outline:

See inset chart for additional detail

If inset chart is on a different chart:

See inset chart on the St. Louis Sectional for additional information



CHART TABULATIONS

Airport Tower Communications are provided in a columnized tabulation for all tower-controlled airports that appear on the respective chart. Airport names are listed alphabetically. If the airport is military, the type of airfield, e.g., AAF, AFB, NAS, is shown after the airfield name. In addition to the airport name, tower operating hours, primary Very High Frequency/Ultra High Frequency (VHF/UHF) local Control Tower (CT), Ground Control (GND CON), and Automatic Terminal Information Service (ATIS) frequencies, when available, will be given. Airport Surveillance Radar (ASR) and/or Precision Approach Radar (PAR) procedures are listed when available.

Approach Control Communications are provided in a columnized tabulation listing Class B, Class C, Terminal Radar Service Areas (TRSA) and Selected Approach Control Facilities when available. Primary VHF/UHF frequencies are provided for each facility. Sectorization occurs when more than one frequency exists and/or is approach direction dependent. Availability of service hours is also provided.

Special Use Airspace (SUA): Prohibited, Restricted and Warning Areas are presented in blue and listed numerically for U.S. and other countries. Restricted, Danger and Advisory Areas outside the U.S. are tabulated separately in blue. A tabulation of Alert Areas (listed numerically) and Military Operations Areas (MOA) (listed alphabetically) appear on the chart in magenta. All are supplemented with altitude, time of use and the controlling agency/contact facility, and its frequency when available. The controlling agency will be shown when the contact facility and frequency data is unavailable.

Airports with control towers are indicated on the face of the chart by the letters CT followed by the primary VHF tower frequency(ies). Information for each tower is listed in the table below. Operational hours are local time. The primary VHF and UHF tower and ground control frequencies are listed.

Automatic Terminal Information Service (ATIS) frequencies shown on the face of the chart are arrival VHF/UHF frequencies. All ATIS frequencies are listed in the table below. ATIS operational hours may differ from tower operational hours.

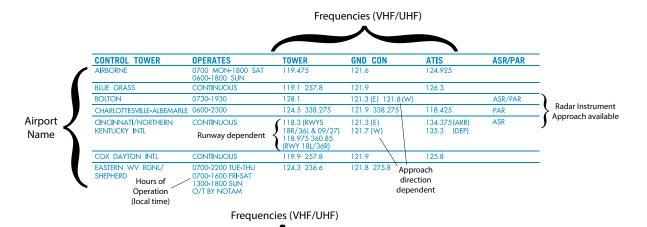
ASR and/or PAR indicate Radar Instrument Approach available.

"MON-FRI" indicates Monday through Friday.

O/T indicates when the strong and the strong arrival transfer of the chart are arrival VHF/UHF frequencies. All ATIS frequencies are listed in the table below. ATIS operational hours may differ from tower operational hours.

ASR and/or PAR indicate Radar Instrument Approach available.

O/T indicates other times.



CLASS B, CLASS C, TRSA AND SELECTED RADAR APPROACH CONTROL FREQUENCIES

FACILITY SERVICE AVAILABILITY **FREQUENCIES** CINCINNATI CLASS B 119.7 (RWY 09/27 090°-269°) (RWY 18R/36L 180°-359°) 123.875 (RWY 09/27 270°-089°) (RWY 18L/36R 360°-179°) CONTINUOUS VHF UHF 124.1 269.125 (N) 119.2 269.125 (S) CHARLESTON CLASS C CONTINUOUS 120.2 317.775 (280°-099°) 132.3 279.6 (100°-279°) COLUMBUS CLASS C CONTINUOUS Airspace 127.65 294.5 (360 °-090 ° 118.85 327.1 (091 °-180 ° 134.45 316.7 (181 °-359 ° DAYTON CLASS C Sectors for Name VHF and UHF traffic 134.425 349.0 (047 °-227 °) 125.5 317.5 (228 °-046 °) O/T 127.85 371.85 ZTL CNTR BRISTOL TRSA local time HUNTINGTON TRSA 119.75 257.8 (S) 132.95 257.8 (N) CONTINUOUS Radar Approach PERKINSON/BAAF RADAR 118.75 353.9 CONTINUOUS O/T indicates Other times Control

SPECIAL USE AIRSPACE ON SECTIONAL CHART

Unless otherwise noted altitudes are MSL and in feet. Time is local "TO" an altitude means "To and inc FL – Flight Level NO A/G – No are the ground comm

† Other times by NOTAM. NOTAM – Use of this term in Restricted Areas indicates FAA and DoD NOTAM systems. Use of this term in all other Special Use areas indicates the DoD NOTAM system.

U.S. P-PROHIBITED, R-RESTRICTED, W-WARNING, A-ALERT, MOA-MILITARY OPERATIONS AREA

NUMBER	ALTITUDE	TIME OF USE	CONTROLLING AGENCY/ CONTACT FACILITY	FREQUENCIES VHF/UH
R-6602 A	TO BUT NOT INCL 4000	CONTINUOUS MAY 1-SEP 15 †24 HRS IN ADVANCE	WASHINGTON CNTR	118.75 377.1
R-6602 B	4000 TO BUT NOT INCL 11,000	BY NOTAM 24 HRS IN ADVANCE	WASHINGTON CNTR	118.75 377.1
R-6602 C	11,000 TO BUT NOT INCL 18,000	BY NOTAM 24 HRS IN ADVANCE	WASHINGTON CNTR	118.75 377.1
A-220	TO 4000 AGL	0800-2200	NO A/G	

MOA NAME	ALTITUDE*	TIME OF USE†	CONTROLLING AGENCY/ CONTACT FACILITY	FREQUENCIES — VHF/UHF
BRUSH CREEK	100 AGL TO BUT NOT INCL 5000	0800-2200 MON-SAT	INDIANAPOLIS CNTR	134.0 135.57
BUCKEYE	5000	0800-2200 MON-FRI 0800-1600 SAT-SUN	INDIANAPOLIS CNTR	134.0 135.57
EVERS	1000 AGL	SR-SS BY NOTAM	WASHINGTON CNTR	

^{*}Alfitudes indicate floor of MOA. All MOAs extend to but do not include FL 180 unless otherwise indicated in tabulation or on chart. †Other times by DoD NOTAM.

Sunrise to Sunset

CANADA R-RESTRICTED, D-DANGER AND A-ADVISORY AREA

Restricted	_
Danger	
Advisory	_

NUMBER	LOCATION	ALTITUDE	TIME OF USE	CONTROLLING Agency
CYR754	CONFEDERATION BRIDGE,	PE TO 500	CONTINUOUS	
CYD734	HALIFAX, NS	TO FL 200	occasional by notam	MONCTON ACC
CYA702 (P)	GREENWOOD, NS	TO 500	CONT DAYLIGHT	
CYA752 (M)	LIVERPOOL, NS	TO FL 280	Cont Daylight Mon-fri exc hol†	MONCTON ACC
A-Acrobatic	F-Aircraft Test Area H-Ha	na Glidina M-Military C	Operations P-Parachutina S-Soari	na T-Trainina

WORLD AERONAUTICAL CHARTS (WAC)

The World Aeronautical Charts are in the process of being discontinued by the FAA. The chart symbology depicted in the Sectional and Terminal Area Chart Section of this Chart Users Guide are similar to those utilized in the WACs.

CARIBBEAN VFR AERONAUTICAL CHARTS (CAC)

Starting in 2016, the FAA CARIBBEAN VFR Aeronautical Charts were first published, replacing the discontinued WACs, parts of CH-25, CJ-26, and CJ-27, with CJ-26's last effective date of 1 February 2018 and CJ-27 last effective date of 29 March 2018. The Caribbean Charts are published as two VFR Charts: Caribbean 1 (CAC-1) covers Southern Florida, Cuba, Haiti and the Bahamas; Caribbean 2 (CAC-2) covers Puerto Rico, Haiti, Dominican Republic, the Lesser Antilles and Leeward Islands. CAC-1 is updated annually and CAC-2 biennially.

Caribbean Charts are designed for VFR and provide aeronautical and topographic information of the Caribbean. The aeronautical information includes airports, radio aids to navigation, Class B airspace and special Central Standard

Standard

Standard

Atlantic Standard

Atlantic Standard

Area Chart

Sectional Aeronautical

Chart

Hayana

OUBA

OUBBEAN 2

CARIBBEAN 2

CARIBBEAN 2

CARIBBEAN 2

COARIBBEAN 2

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OUBA

OUB

use airspace. The topographic information includes city tint, populated places, principal roads, drainage patterns and shaded relief.

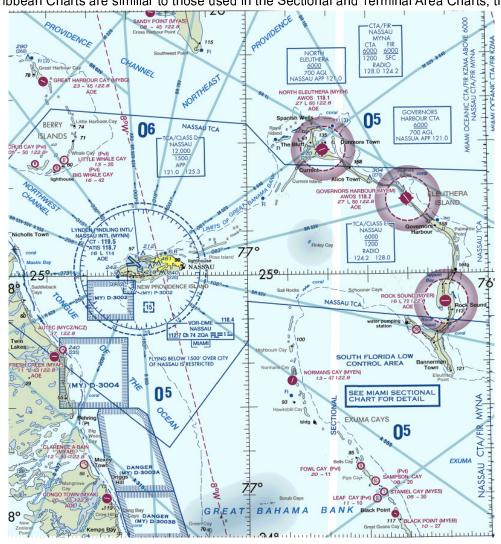
The chart symbols used on the Caribbean Charts are similiar to those used in the Sectional and Terminal Area Charts, the

major difference being in scale. The Caribbean VFR Chart scale is 1:1,000,000 vs the Sectional Chart Scale of 1:500,000 and Terminal Area Chart Scale of 1:250,000. Chart symbology will appear smaller on the Caribbean VFR Charts.

Example from Caribbean 1 VFR Aeronautical Chart

Airport Traffic Service and Airport Space Information Unique to CAC

Only airway and reserved airspace effective below 18,000' MSL in the U.S. airspace and below FL200 outside of the U.S. airspace are shown.



VFR SECTIONAL AND TERMINAL AREA CHARTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

The symbols shown in this section illustrate those that appear in the Sectional Aeronautical Charts (Sectionals) and Terminal Area Charts (TACs). The same symbology is utilized in VFR Flyway Planning Charts, Helicopter Route Charts, World Aeronautical Charts (WACs) and Caribbean Aeronautical Charts (CACs), however the scale of the symbols may be different due to the particular chart scales. Where symbology is distinctive to a given chart, examples and explanations are given in the additional examples.

AIRPORTS Landplane: Civil Landplane: Non Towered **Towered Emergency** Airports having control towers (CT) PUBLIC USE - (Soft surfaced are shown in blue, all others are Fuel not available runway, or hard surfaced runway shown in magenta. less than 1500' in length.) Fuel not available. All recognizable runways, including some which may be closed, are Complete information shown for visual identification puris not available. **RESTRICTED OR PRIVATE** poses. Fuel available. (Soft surfaced runway, or hard surfaced runway less than 1500' Runway patterns will be depicted in length.) Use only in emergenat airports with at least one hard cy, or by specific authorization. surfaced runway 1500' or greater in length. OBJECTIONABLE **OBJECTIONABLE** is an airport that has an airspace determination based upon a number of factors including conflicting traffic Landplane: patterns with another airport, Non Towered **Towered** Civil-Military hazardous runway conditions, or natural or man-made obstacles in close proximity to the landing area. **UNVERIFIED** - A landing area Landplane: Military Non Towered Towered available but warranting more than ordinary precaution due to: Refueling and repair facilities not (1) lack of current information on indicated. field conditions. and/or (2) available information indicates peculiar operating limita-Heliport Non Towered **Towered** tions. (Selected) (H)(H) ABANDONED - Depicted for Appropriate note as landmark value or to prevent required for hard surfaced confusion with an adjacent us-Seaplane: Civil Non Towered Towered runways only: "(CLOSED)" able landing area. (Normally at least 3000' paved). **Ultralight Flight Park** (Selected) Seaplane: Emergency L

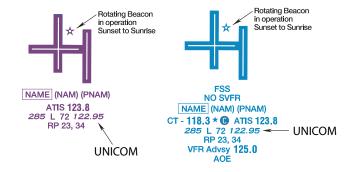
Fuel not available or complete information is not available.

AIRPORTS (Continued)

Airport Data Grouping

(Pvt): Non-public use having emergency or landmark value.

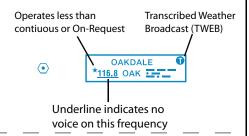
"OBJECTIONABLE": This airport may adversely affect airspace use.



Flight Service Station on field	FSS	Elevation in feet	897
Airports where fixed wing special VFR operations are prohibited (shown above airport	NO SVFR	Lighting in operation Sunset to Sunrise	L
name) FAR 91		Lighting limitations exist; refer to Chart Supplement	* L
ndcates FAR 93 Special Air Traffic Rules and Airport Traffic Pattern		Length of longest runway in hundreds of feet; usable length may be less.	72
Location Identifier	(NAM)		
ICAO Location Identifier	(PNAM)	Aeronautical advisory station	122.95
Control Tower (CT) - primary frequency	CT - 118.3	Runways with Right Traffic Patterns (public use)	RP 23,34
Star indicates operation part-time. See tower	*	See Chart Supplement	RP*
frequencies tabulation for hours of operation		VFR Advisory Service Shown when ATIS is not available and frequency is other than the	VFR Advsy 125
Follows the Common Traffic Advisory Fre-	•	primary CT frequency.	
quency (CTAF)		Weather Camera (Alaska)	WX CAM
Automatic Terminal Information Services	ATIS 123.8	Airport of Entry	AOE
Automatic Flight Information Service	AFIS 135.2	When information is lacking, the respective	
Automated Surface Weather Observing Systems; shown when full-time ATIS is not available.	ASOS/AWOS 135.42	character is replaced by a dash. Lighting codes refer to runway edge lights and may not represent the longest runway or full length lighting.	

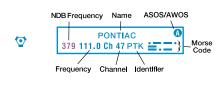
RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION

VOR

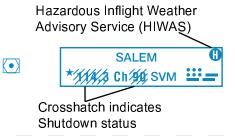


VORTAC

When an NDB NAVAID shares the same name and Morse Code as the VOR NAVAID the frequency can be collocated inside the same box to conserve space.

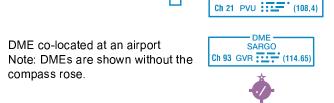


VOR-DME



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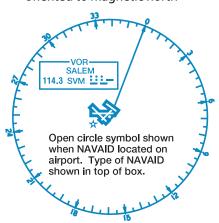
DME



Compass Rose

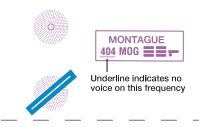
oriented to magnetic north

Example of VOR NAVAID co-located at airport

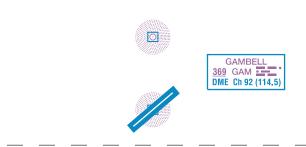


Compass Rose is "reference"

Non-Directional Radio Beacon (NDB)



NDB-DME



NAVAID Used To Define Class B Airspace ILS Components

ILS-DME

CLEVELAND-HOPKINS DME ANTENNA (I-HPI) Ch 36 (109.9)

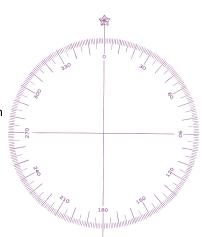
TAC - Shown when used in description of Class B airspace.

SALT LAKE CITY DME ANTENNA (I-BNT/I-UTJ) Ch 52 (111.5)

Compass Rosette

Shown only in areas void of VOR roses.

Compass rosette will be based on the five year epoch magnetic variation model.



RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION (Continued)

Automated Weather Broadcast Services

	VHF/UHF	LF/MF
Transcribed Weather Broadcast (TWEB)	•	0
Hazardous Inflight Weather Advisory Services (HIWAS)	0	H
Automated Weather Observing System (AWOS) / Automated Surface Observing System (ASOS).	A	A

Flight Service Station (FSS)

Heavy line box indicates Flight Service Station (FSS). Frequencies 121.5, 122.2, 243.0 and 255.4 (Canada - 121.5, 126.7, and 243.0) are normally available at all FSSs and are not shown above boxes. All other frequencies are shown. Frequencies transmit and receive except those followed by an R.

R - receive only

International Flight Service Station

MIAMI IFSS MIA 126.7 126.9 127.9

PONTIAC PTK

No NAVAID of the same name as FSS

OR

NORTHWAY

FSS oper 0600-2200

Rancho Murieta FSS other times.

NAVAID same name as FSS but not an RCO

116.3 Ch 110 ORT

123.6

122.1R

Off Airport AWOS/ASOS

0 SANDBERG ASOS 120.625

Broadcast Stations (BS)

On request by the proper authority or when a VFR Checkpoint



Remote Communications Outlet (RCO)

Frequencies above thin line box are remoted to NAVAID site. Other frequencies at FSS providing voice communication may be available determined by altitude and terrain. Consult Chart Supplement for complete information.

Thin line box without frequencies and controlling FSS name

ST PAUL 108.6 STP ₩ **FSS Radio** MINNEAPOLIS providing voice communications 122.35 **HUMPHREY**

<u>275</u> HPY **≟∷≐ ∴** MILES CITY indicates no FSS frequency available.

122,525

122.35

HANCOCK RCO

GREEN BAY

AIRSPACE INFORMATION

Class B Airspace

Sectional

LAS VEGAS CLASS B



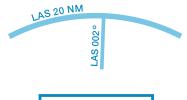
Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

Only the airspace effective below 18,000 feet MSL are shown.

(Mode C see FAR 91.215 / AIM)

Terminal Area Chart (TAC)

LAS VEGAS CLASS B



CTC LAS VEGAS APP ON 121.1 OR 257.8

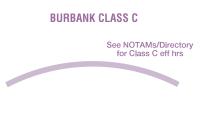
All mileages are nautical (NM).

All radials are magnetic.

Class C Airspace

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

(Mode C see FAR 91.215/ AIM)



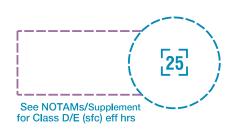
48 - Ceiling of Class C in hundreds of feet MSL

30 - Floor of Class C in hundreds of feet MSL

CTC BURBANK APP WITHIN 20 NM ON 124.6 395.9

Class E Airspace

The limits of Class E airspace shall be shown by narrow vignettes or by the dashed magenta symbol. Individual units of designated airspace are not necessarily shown; instead, the aggre-



gate lateral and vertical limits shall be defined by the following:

Airspace beginning at the surface (sfc) designated around airports..

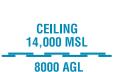
Airspace beginning at 700 feet AGL that laterally abuts 1200 feet or higher Class E Airspace...

Airspace beginning at 700 feet AGL that laterally abuts uncontrolled (Class G) airspace...

Airspace beginning at 1200 feet AGL that laterally abuts uncontrolled (Class G) airspace...

Differentiates floors of airspace greater than 700 feet above the surface...

When the ceiling is less than 18,000 feet MSL, the value prefixed by the word "CEILING", shall be shown along the limits.



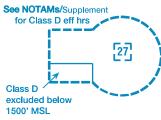
700' Class E eff

0600-2300

CLASS G

Class D Airspace

Altitude in hundreds of feet MSL

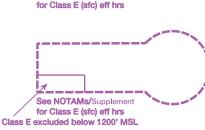


(A minus in front of the figure is used to indicate "from surface to but not including..."



Airspace beginning at the surface (sfc) designated around airports... See NOTAMs/Supplement for Class E (sfc) eff hrs

Airspace beginning at the surface with an airspace exclusion area where Class E airspace is excluded below 1200' MSL.



Class E Airspace (Continued)

Low Altitude Airways VOR and LF/MF (Class E Airspace)

Low altitude Federal Airways are indicated by centerline.

Only the controlled airspace effective below 18,000 feet MSL is shown

Miscellaneous Air Routes

Combined Federal Airway/RNAV 2 "T" Routes are identified in solid blue type adjacent to the solid magenta federal airway identification.

The joint route symbol is screened magenta.

Canadian Airspace

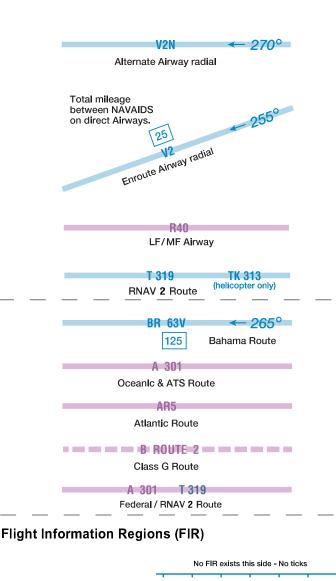
Individual units of designated Canadian airspace are not necessarily shown; instead, the aggregate lateral and vertical limits shall be portrayed as closely as possible to the comparable U.S. airspace.

Appropriate notes as required may be shown

125 - Celling of TCA Class B/C/D in hundreds of feet MSL Floor of TCA Class B/C/D In hundreds of feet MSL Class C or D Class D CZ Control Zone **30** Class E Control Zone Class E CZ

ALTITUDE IN HUNDREDS OF FEET MSL

TCA Class B/C/D





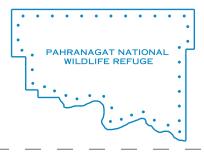
Offshore Control Areas

CONTROL AREA Class G Alrspace 9500 MSL ATLANTIC LOW **CONTROL AREA** 8000 MSL **CONTROL AREA 1148L**

ATLANTIC LOW

Special Conservation Areas

National Park, Wildlife Refuge, Primitive and Wilderness Areas, etc.

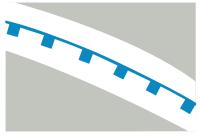


Special Flight Rules Area (SFRA) Relating to National Security

Example: Washington DC

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

Note: Delimiting line not shown when it coincides with International Boundary, projection lines or other linear features.

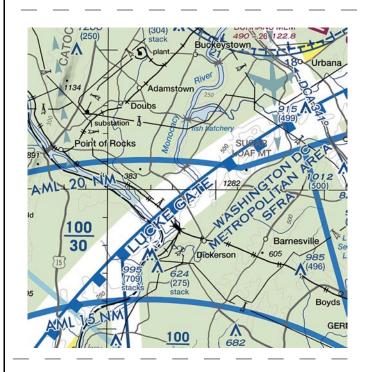


WASHINGTON DC METROPOLITAN AREA SFRA

WashIngton DC Metropolitan Area Special Flight Rules Area/Flight Restricted Zone (DC SFRA & DC FRZ) (See description in Atlantic Ocean). NOAA Regulated National Marine Sanctuary Designated Areas



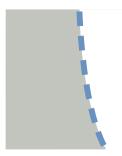
Flight operations below 1000' AGL over the designated areas within the Gulf of Farallones National Marine Sanctuary violate NOAA regulations (see 15 CFR 922).



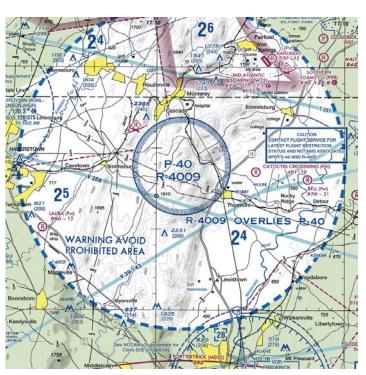
Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Relating to National Security

Example: Washington DC

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.



CAUTION
CONTACT FLIGHT SERVICE FOR
LATEST FLIGHT RESTRICTION
STATUS AND NOTAMS ASSOCIATED
WITH P-40 AND R-4009



Special Flight Rules Area (SFRA)



SPECIAL FEDERAL AVIATION REGULATIONS (SFAR) 14 CFR Part 93, Subpart U and SFAR 50.2 - GRAND CANYON NATIONAL PARK SPECIAL FLIGHT RULES AREA. Special regulations apply to all aircraft operations below 18,000 feet MSL.

Special Use Airspace

Only the airspace effective below 18,000 feet MSL is shown.

The type of area shall be spelled out in large areas if space permits.



PROHIBITED, RESTRICTED or WARNING AREA



ALERT AREA



MILITARY OPERATIONS AREA (MOA)

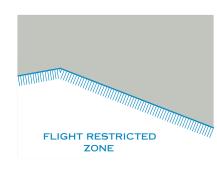
Special Air Traffic Rules / Airport Patterns (FAR Part 93)

Appropriate boxed note as required shown adjacent to area.



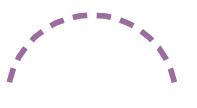
SPECIAL NOTICE Pilots are required to obtain an ATC clearance prior to entering this area.

Flight Restricted Zone (FRZ) Relating to **National Security**



National Security Area

Appropriate notes as required may be shown



Small Area

NOTICE FOR REASONS OF NATIONAL SECURITY PILOTS ARE REQUESTED TO AVOID FLIGHT BELOW 1200' MSL IN THIS AREA

Special Awareness Training Areas



NOTICE Special awareness training required within 60 NM of DCA VOR-DME. See description on Flyway.

Mode C (FAR 91.215)

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

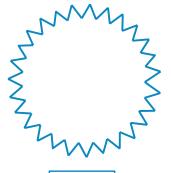


Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ)

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CONTIGUOUS U.S. ADIZ

High Energy Radiation Areas

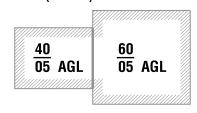


Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

Solar Farm-Ocular Glare

Military Training Routes (MTR)

Special Military Activity Routes (SMAR)



Boxed notes shown adjacent to route.

SPECIAL MILITARY ACTIVITY CTC ALBUQUERQUE CNTR ON 135.875 FOR ACTIVITY STATUS

> 40 05 AGL

IFR Routes

Arrival/Departure

Arrival 15,000 - 7000

Departure 8000 - 12000

TAC only

IFR ARRIVALS

8000 - 5000

IFR DEPARTURES

5000 - 8000

Special Security Notice Permanent Continuous Flight Restriction Areas

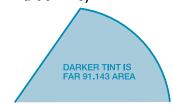


DISNEYLAND THEME PARK See Note for requirements

Sporting Event Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Sites



Space Operations Area (FAR Part 91.143)



Miscellaneous Activity Areas

Aerobatic Practice Area



Glider Operations



Hang Glider Activity



Ultralight Activity



Unmanned Aircraft Activity



Parachute Jumping Area with Frequency



122.9

Space Launch Activity Area



VFR Transition Routes

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

VFR TRANSITION ROUTE ATC CLEARANCE REQUIRED SEE SHOWBOAT GRAPHIC ON SIDE PANEL

Uni-directional

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Bi-directional



Bi-directional with NAVAID Ident and Radial



Terminal Radar Service Area (TRSA)

TRSA Name

HARRISBURG TRSA

TRSA Boundaries

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TRSA Sectors

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

80 - Ceiling of TRSA in hundreds of feet MSL
40 - Floor of TRSA in hundreds of feet MSL

SEE TWR FREQ TAB

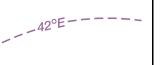




NAVIGATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL INFORMATION

Isogonic Line and Value

Isogonic lines and values shall be based on the five year epoch magnetic variation model.



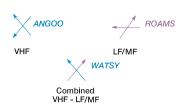
Local Magnetic Notes

Unreliability Notes

Magnetic disturbance of as much as 78° exists at ground level and 10° or more at 3000 feet above ground level in this vicinity.

Intersections

Named intersections used as reporting points. Arrows are directed toward facilities which establish intersection.



Aeronautical Lights

By Request

Rotating or Oscillating

Isolated Location

Rotating Light with Flashing Code Identification Light





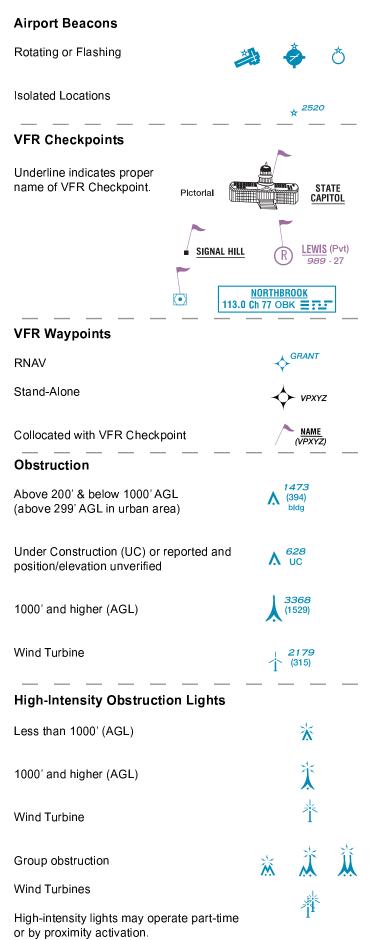


Rotating Light with Course Lights and Site Number





NAVIGATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL INFORMATION (Continued)



Marine Lights

With Characteristics of Light

n Characteristics of Light	Oc R SEC	
	Land Light	
Red	R	
White	*W	
Green	G	
Blue	В	
Sector	SEC	
Fixed	F	
Single Occulting	Oc	
Group Occulting	Oc (2)	
Composite Group Occulting	Oc (2+1)	
Isophase	Iso	
Flashing	FI (0)	
Group Flashing	FI (2)	
Composite Group Flashing	FI (2+1)	
Quick	Q	
Interrupted Quick	IQ	
Morse Code	Mo (A)	
Fixed and Flashing	FFI	
Alternating	Al	
Group	Gp	
Long Flash	LFI	
Group Quick Flashing	Q (3)	
Interrupted Quick Flashing	IQ	
Very Quick Flashing	VQ	
Group Very Quick Flashing	VQ (3)	
Interrupted Very Quick Flashing	IVQ	
Ultra Quick Flashing	UQ	
Interuppted Ultra Quick Flashing	IUQ	

^{*} Marine Lights are white unless otherwise noted. Alternating lights are red and white unless otherwise noted.

Group Obstruction

Above 200' & below 1000' AGL (above 299' AGL in urban area)

1000' and higher (AGL)

1000' and higher (AGL)

At least two in group
1000' and higher (AGL)

Wind Turbines



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(227)

Wind Turbine Farms

When highest wind turbine is unverified, UC will be shown after MSL value.



Maximum Elevation Figure (MEF)

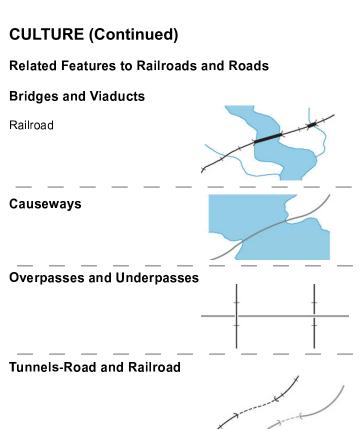
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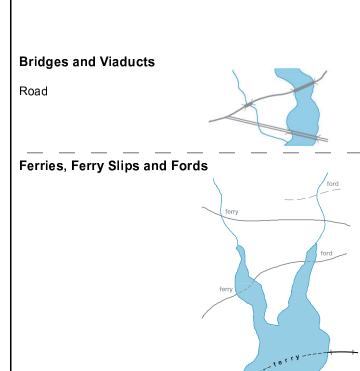
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NAVIGATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL INFORMATION (Continued)

Chart Limits Outline on Sectional of Inset Chart Outline on Sectional of Terminal Area Chart INSET TAC If Inset chart Is on the same chart as outline: LOS ANGELES TERMINAL AREA Pilots are encouraged to use the Los Angeles VFF Terminal Area Chart for flights at or below 10,000 INDIANAPOLIS INSET See inset chart for additional detail If inset chart is on a different chart: **Outline of Special Chart on** INDIANAPOLIS INSET See inset chart on the St. Louis Sectional for additional information Sectional and Terminal Area **GRAND CANYON CHART** Chart **CULTURE** Railroads Railroad Yards Limiting Track To Scale rallroad yard Single Track Location Only **Double Track** railroad vard Railroad Stations More Than Two Tracks station Railroad Sidings and Short Spurs electric Electric Non-operating, Abandoned or **Under Construction** under construction Roads **Road Markers Dual-Lane Divided Highway** Interstate Route No. =(80)= Category 1 (40) Primary U.S. Route No. Category 2 13 Air Marked Identification Label Secondary Category 2 **Road Names** LINCOLN HIGHWAY **Trails Roads Under Construction** under construction Category 3 _____ Provides symbolization for dismantled railroad when combined

with label "dismantled railroad."





Populated Places

Yellow tinted areas indicate populated places.

Small circle indicates an area too small to depict using yellow tint.





Font Style and Size indicate the category of the populated area:

Large Cities Category 1

- population more than 250,000

Cities and Large Towns Category 2 - population 25,000 to 250,000

Towns and Villages Category 3

- population less than 25,000

ST LOUIS

NASHVILLE

Frankfort

CULTURE (Continued)

BOUNDARIES				
International		Time Zones	1	
State or Province			PST +8 (+7bT) = UTC MST +7 (+6bT) = UTC	
Convention or Mandate Line	RUSSIA RUSSIA UNITED STATES		INTERNATIONAL ((Monday) (Sunday)
Miscellaneous Cultural Featur	res			
Dams		Dam Carrying Road		
Passable Locks	locks	Small Locks		
— — — — — — — Weirs and Jetties	jetties	Seawalls	seawail	
Breakwaters	breakwater	Piers, Wharfs, Quays, etc.	piers =	
Pipelines	pipeline	Power Transmission		
Underground	underground pipeline	and Telecommunication Li	nes 	—∄—
Landmark Features	substation fort cemetery	Tanks	wateroilgas	
		Outdoor Theater	 -	
Shaft Mines or Quarries	%	Race Tracks		
Wells		Coast Guard Station		
Other than water	oll O		+cg	
Lookout Towers (Elevation Base of Tower)	— — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — — —	Landmark Areas	,	
Aerial Cableways, Conveyors,	Etc.		landfil)

HYDROGRAPHY Inland Water Open Water Shorelines Open/Inland Water Definite Lakes Label as required. Fluctuating Perennial When too numerous to show Unsurveyed individual lakes, show Indefinite representative pattern and descriptive note. Number indicates elevation. Non-Perennial Man-made (dry, intermittent, etc.) Illustration includes small perennial lake. Reservoirs **Natural Shorelines** Man-made Shorelines reservoir Label when necessary for clarity

under construction

Too small to show to scale

Under Construction

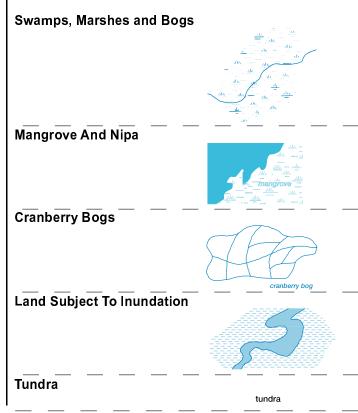
HYDROGRAPHY (Continued) Streams Canals FRIF Perennial To Scale Non-Perennial Abandoned or Under Construction abandoned Fanned Out Abandoned to Scale Alluvial fan Small Canals and Drainage / Irrigation Ditches Perennial Braided Disappearing Non-Perennial Seasonally Fluctuating Abandoned or Ancient abandoned Numerous with undefined limits with maximum bank limits, Representative pattern and/or prominent and constant descriptive note. Sand Deposits in and along riverbeds **Wet Sand Areas** Within and adjacent to desert areas Aqueducts Suspended or Elevated aqueduct To Scale Abandoned or Under Construction Tunnels underground aqueduct Underground Kanats Underground with Air Vents **Rapids Falls** Double-Line Double-Line falls Single-Line Single-Line

rapids

HYDROGRAPHY (Continued) Salt Evaporators and Salt Pans Man Exploited salt pans Hummocks and Ridges

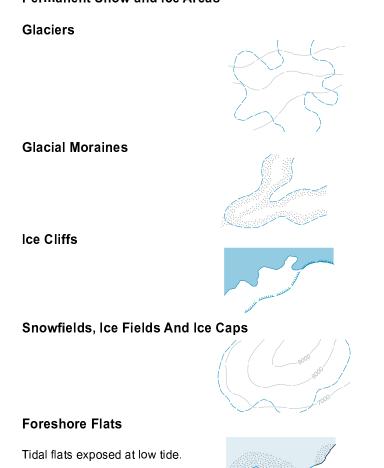
Peat Bogs





Permanent Snow and Ice Areas

Springs, Wells and Waterholes





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Permanent Polar Ice

Pack Ice

Ice Peaks

HYDROGRAPHY (Continued)

Miscellaneous Underwater Features Not Otherwise Reefs-Rocky or Coral **Symbolized** Fish Ponds and Hatcheries Wrecks <u>ئىر</u> Exposed fish hatchery **Rocks-Isolated** Bare or Awash **RELIEF Spot Elevations Contours** Position Accurate Basic Position Accurate, Elevation Approximate Approximate Intermediate 6973 Highest in General Area 12770 Highest on Chart Auxiliary **Mountain Pass** BRENNER Depression 12632 (Illustration includes mound within depression) **Distorted Surface Areas** Values Lava Flows Sand or Gravel Areas **Sand Dunes** Sand Ridges To Scale To Scale Hauchering **Shaded Relief**

RELIEF (Continued)

Quarries To Scale	Rock Strata Outcrop
Craters	Strip Mines, Mine Dumps And Tailings To Scale Escarpments, Bluffs, Cliffs, Depressions, Etc.
Unsurveyed Areas	
Label appropriately as required UNSURVE	Uncontoured Areas Label appropriately as required
Levees And Eskers	RELIEF DATA INCOMPLETE

VFR FLYWAY PLANNING CHARTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

VFR Flyway Planning Charts are printed on the reverse sides of the Baltimore-Washington, Charlotte, Chicago, Cincinnati, Dallas-Ft. Worth, Denver, Detroit, Houston, Las Vegas, Los Angeles, Miami, Orlando, New Orleans, Phoenix, St. Louis, Salt Lake City, San Diego, San Francisco and Seattle Terminal Area Charts (TACs). The scale is 1:250,000, with area of coverage the same as the associated TACs. Flyway Planning Charts depict flight paths and altitudes recommended for use to by-pass areas heavily traversed by large turbine-powered aircraft. Ground references on these charts provide a guide for visual orientation. VFR Flyway Planning charts are designed for use in conjunction with TACs and are not to be used for navigation.

AIRPORTS

Landplane

No distinction is made between airports with fuel and those without fuel. Runways may be exaggerated to clearly portray the pattern. Hardsurfaced runways which are closed but still exist are included in the charted pattern.

FAR 91 - Fixed wing special VFR operations prohibited.





Landplane (continued)

(Pvt): Non-public use having emergency or landmark value.

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"OBJECTIONABLE": This airport may adversely affect airspace use.

OBJECTIONABLE

ABANDONED - Depicted for landmark value or to prevent confusion with an adjacent usable landing area. Only portrayed beneath or close to the VFR flyway routes or requested by the FAA. (Normally at least 3000' paved).



RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION

VHF Omni-Directional Radio

Range (VOR)





VORTAC





VOR-DME





DME



PVU CH 21 (108.4)

Example: DME co-located at an airport.

GVR CH 93 (114.65)



Non-Directional Radio Beacon

(NDB)

NDB-DME

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WDP 396

Underline indicates no voice on this frequency



LSJ 206

NAVAIDS Used to Define Class Airspace

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CLEVELAND-HOPKINS DME ANTENNA (I-HPI) Ch 36 (110.3)

Shared ILS - DME

MINNEAPOLIS
DME ANTENNA
(I-MSP/I-HKZ) Ch 40 (110.3)

AIRSPACE INFORMATION

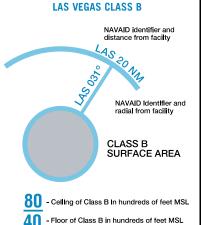
Class B Airspace

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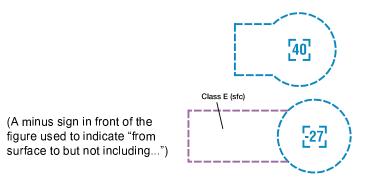
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All radials are magnetic.



Floors extending "upward and above" a certain altitude are preceded by a +. Operations at or below these altitudes are outside of the Class B Airspace.)

Class D Airspace



ALTITUDE IN HUNDREDS OF FEET MSL.

Class C Airspace

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

(Mode C see FAR 91.215/AIM)

CLASS C SURFACE AREA

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- Ceiling of Class C in hundreds of feet MSL
- Floor of Class C in hundreds of feet MSL
- Ceiling is to but not including floor of Class B

Class E Surface (SFC) Airspace



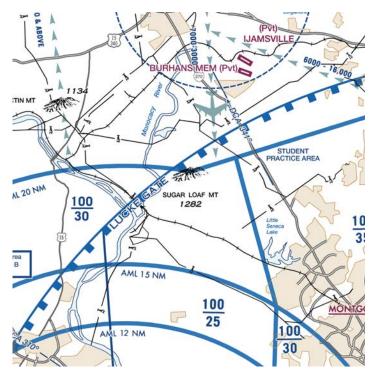
Special Airspace Areas

Special Flight Rules Area (SFRA) Relating to National Security

Example: Washington DC

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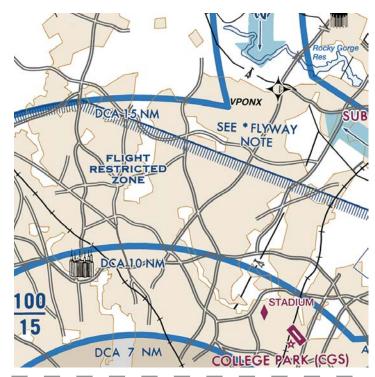
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AIRSPACE INFORMATION (Continued)

Flight Restricted Zone (FRZ) Relating To National Security

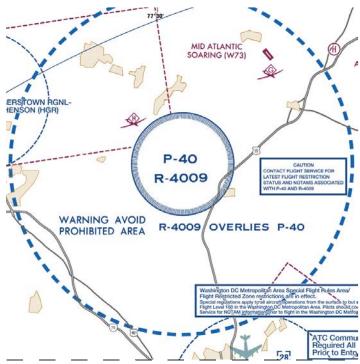
Example: Washington DC



Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Relating To National Security

Example: Washington DC

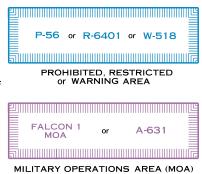
Appropriate notes as required may be shown.



Special Use Airspace

Only the airspace effective below 18,000 feet MSL is shown.

The type of area shall be spelled out in large areas if space permits.



or ALERT AREA

Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ)

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CONTIGUOUS U.S. ADIZ

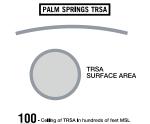
AIRSPACE INFORMATION (Continued)

Special Air Traffic Rules/Airport Traffic Areas (FAR Part 93)

Appropriate boxed note as required shown adjacent to area.



Terminal Radar Service Area (TRSA)



90 - Floor of TRSA in hundreds of feet MSL

IFR Routes

Arrival



Departure



Arrival/Departure



VFR Transition Routes

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

VFR TRANSITION ROUTE ATC CLEARANCE REQUIRED SEE SHOWBOAT GRAPHIC ON SIDE PANEL

Uni-directional



Bi-directional



Bi-directional with NAVAID Ident and Radial



Special Conservation Areas

NOAA Regulated National Marine Sanctuary Designated Areas



Flight operations below 1000' AGL over the designated areas within the Gulf of Farallones National Marine Sanctuary violate NOAA regulations (see 15 CFR 922),

Mode C (FAR 91.215)

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

MODE C 30 NM

Sporting Event Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Sites

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Miscellaneous Activity Areas

Aerobatic Practice Area



Glider Operations



Hang Glider Activity



Ultralight Activity

with Frequency





Parachute Jumping Area

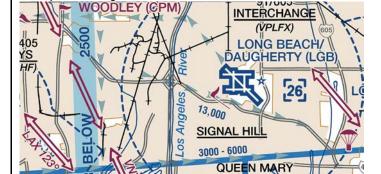
Unmanned Aircraft Activity

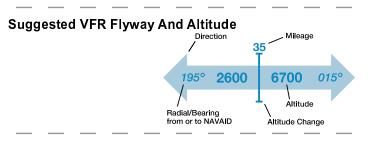


Space Launch Activity Area

Example: Los Angeles





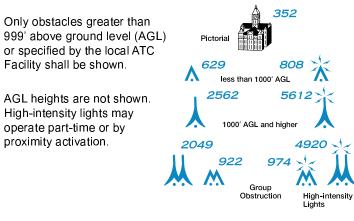


Military Training Routes (MTR)

NAVIGATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL INFORMATION

VFR Checkpoints Underline indicates proper name of VFR Checkpoint LA PORTE **STADIUM** Pictorial HARVEY (S43) **NORTHBROOK VFR Waypoints VPXYZ** Stand-Alone Collocated with VFR Checkpoint **NAME** (VPXYZ) **Navigational Data** N38°56.32' W76°36.91'

Obstructions



Under Construction or reported 500 and position/elevation unverified.

Under

1200 UC

CULTURE

Railroads

Single and Multiple Tracks

Populated Places

Built-up Areas



POWER PLANT N32°27.12' W70°15.73'

ATL 033/25 NM N33°59.18' W84°10.62'

ATL 25 NM

033°

Towns

O LAWRENCEVILLE

Roads

Dual-Lane



Divided Highway Primary



Prominent Pictorials



BOUNDARIES

International

Power Transmission Lines



Landmarks

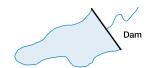
POWER PLANT

HYDROGRAPHY

Shorelines



Reservoirs



Major Lakes and Rivers

Bridge

RELIEF

Spot Elevations
Position Accurate
Mountain Peaks



HELICOPTER ROUTE CHARTS

GENERAL INFORMATION

Helicopter Route Charts are three-color charts that depict current aeronautical information useful to helicopter pilots navigating in areas with high concentrations of helicopter activity. Information depicted includes helicopter routes, four classes of heliports with associated frequency and lighting capabilities, NAVAIDS, and obstructions. In addition, pictorial symbols, roads, and easily-identified geographical features are portrayed. The scale is 1:125,000. These charts are updated every three years or as needed to accommodate major changes.

Heliport

AIRPORTS

All recognizable runways, including some which may be closed, are shown for visual identification. Public Private Unverified Abandoned Seaplane

Heliports public and private	\bigoplus
Hospital Helipads	\oplus
Trauma Center	•
Helipads located at major airports (when requested)	Θ
Ultralight Flight Park	F

Airport Data Grouping

Boxed airport name indicates airport for which a Special Traffic Rule has been established.

(Pvt): Non-public use having emergency or landmark value. "OBJECTIONABLE": This airport may adversely affect airspace use.

Flight Service Station on field FSS

Airspace where fixed wing special visual flight NO SVER

rules operations are prohibited (shown above airport name) FAR 91

Indicates FAR 93 Special Air Traffic Rules and Airport Traffic

inport frame

Location Idendifier (NAM)

ICAO Location Identifier (PNAM)

Control Tower (CT) - primary frequency CT - 119.1

Star indicates operation part-time. See tower frequencies tabulation for hours of operation



FSS NO SVFR NAME (NAM) (PNAM) CT - 119.1 * @ (119.8 HELI) ATIS 115.4 ASOS/AWOS 135.42 285 L 122.95 (Unverfilled) AOE

Automated Terminal Information Service

Automated Surface Weather Observing Systems (shown when full-time ATIS is not available). Some ASOS/AWOS facilities may not be located at airports.

ASOS/AWOS 135.42

285

41

122.95

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AOE

ATIS 115.4

Elevation in feet

Lighting in operation Sunset to Sunshine

Lighting limitations exists, refer to Chart Supplement

UNICOM - Aeronautical advisory station

Follows the Common Traffic Advisory Frequency (CTAF)

Unverified Heliport

Airport of Entry

Heliport (Unverified)

When lighting is lacking, the respective character is replaced by a dash.

Lighting codes refer to runway edge lights and may not represent the longest runway or full length lighting. Dashes are not shown on heliports or helipads unless additional information follows the elevation (e.g. UNICOM, CTAF).

NAME

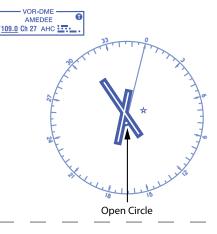
RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION

NAVAIDs

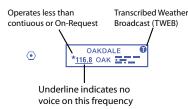
VHF Omni-Directional Radio (VOR) Range

Open circle symbol shown when NAVAID located on airport. Type of NAVAID shown in top of box.

Compass Rose is "reference" oriented to magnetic north.

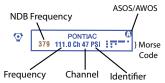


VOR



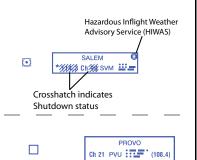
VORTAC

When an NDB NAVAID shares the same name and Morse Code as the VOR NAVAID the frequency can be collocated inside the same box to conserve space.



VOR-DME

DME



Flight Service Station (FSS)

Heavy line box indicates Flight Service Station (FSS) Frequencies 121.5, 122.2, 243.0 and 255.4 (Canada 121.5, 126.7, and 243.0) are available at many FSSs and are not shown above boxes. All other frequencies are shown.

Certain FSSs provide Airport Advisory Service, refer to Chart Supplement.

R - Receive Only

DENVER DEN



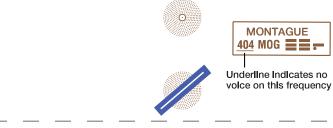
123.6

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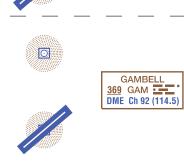
411 ILI

DME Ch 91 (114.4)

Non-Directional Radio Beacon (NDB)



NDB-DME



NAVAID Used to Define Class B Airspace



Broadcast Stations (BS)

On request by the proper authority or when a VFR Checkpoint.



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⊙ RS-KFTM 1400

Remote Communications Outlet (RCO)

Frequencies above thin line box are remoted to NAVAID site.
Other FSS frequencies providing voice communications may be available as determined by altitude and terrain. Consult Chart Supplement for complete information.

Thin line box without frequencies and controlling FSS name indicates no FSS frequency available.

123.6
OLYMPIA RCO
MCCHORD

FREDERICK
109.9 FDK

122.25
TOGIAK
393 TOG -DME Ch 114 (116.7)
KENAI

AIRSPACE INFORMATION

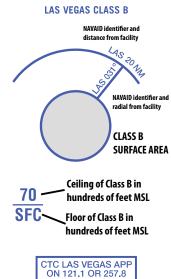
Class B Airspace

Appropriate notes as required may be shown. (Mode C see FAR 91.215/AIM)

All mileages are nautical (NM)

(Floors extending "upward from above" a certain altitude are preceded by a +. Operations at and below these altitudes are outside of Class B Airspace.)

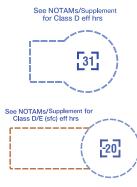
All radials are magnetic.



Class D Airspace

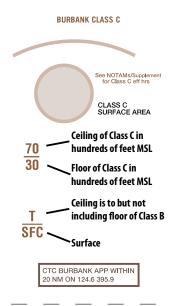
(A minus in front of the figure is used to indicate "from surface to but not including...")

Altitudes in hundreds of feet MSL.



Class C Airspace

Appropriate notes as required may be shown. (Mode C see FAR 91.215/AIM)



Class E Surface (SFC) Airspace

See NOTAMs/Supplement for Class E (sfc) eff hrs

Special Airspace Areas

Special Flight Rules Area (SFRA) Relating to National Security

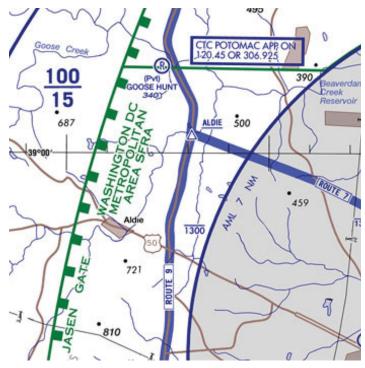
Example: Washington DC

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

Note: Delimiting line not shown when it coincides with International Boundary, projection lines or other linear features.

WASHINGTON DC METROPOLITAN AREA SFRA



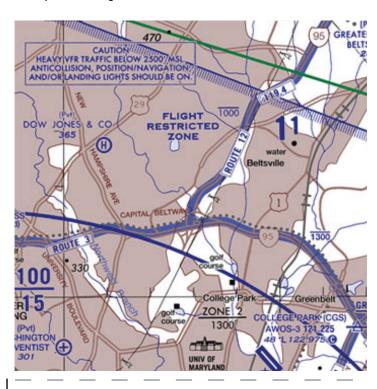


AIRSPACE INFORMATION (Continued)

Special Airspace Areas (Continued)

Flight Restricted Zone (FRZ) Relating to National Security

Example: Washington DC



Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ)

Note: Delimiting line not shown when it coincides with International Boundary, projection lines or other linear features.

CONTIGUOUS U.S. ADIZ

Special Security Notice Permanent Continuous Flight Restriction Areas

DISNEYLAND THEME PARK See Panel for requirements

Mode C (FAR 91.215)

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.

MODE C 30 NM

Terminal Radar Service Area (TRSA)

Appropriate notes as required may be shown.



SEE TWR FREQ TAB

PALM SPRINGS TRSA

80 - Ceiling of TRSA in hundreds of feet MSL 40 - Floor of TRSA in hundreds of feet MSL

Special Air Traffic Rules / Airport Traffic Areas (FAR Part 93)



Appropriate boxed notes as required shown adjacent to area.

SPECIAL NOTICE Pilots are required to obtain an ATC clearance prior to entering this area.

Sporting Event Termporary Flight Restriction (TFR) Sites

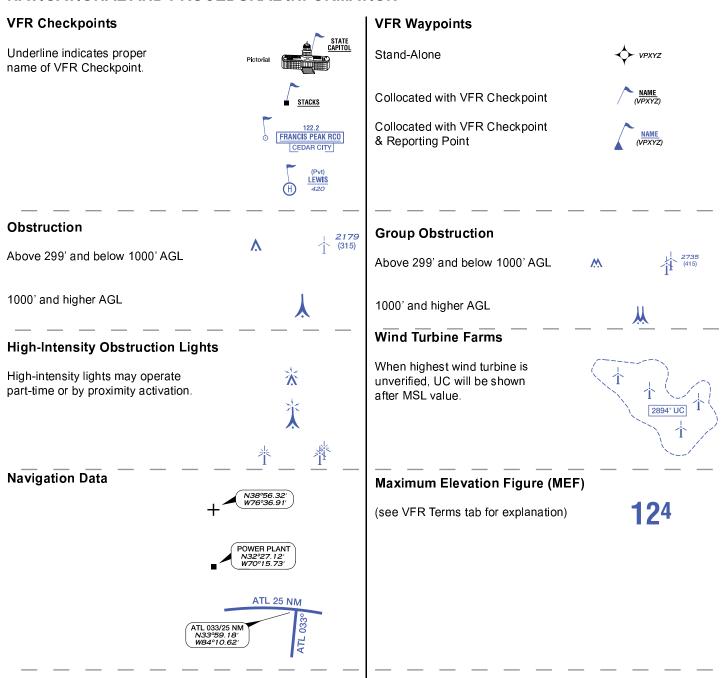


Miscellaneous Activity Areas

Aerobatic Practice Area Glider Operations Hang Glider Activity Ultralight Activity Unmanned Aircraft Activity Parachute Jumping Area with Frequency Space Launch Activity Area

AIRSPACE INFORMATION (Continued) Military Training Routes (MTR) **Special Use Airspace** Only the airspace effective below 18,000 feet MSL is P-56 or R-6401 or W-518 shown. **Police Zones ZONE 8** The type of area shall be PROHIBITED, RESTRICTED or WARNING AREA 1000 spelled out in large areas if space permits. FALCON 1 MOA A-631 MILITARY OPERATIONS AREA (MOA) or ALERT AREA **Helicopter Routes** One-way Route Primary Route with Route MARRIOT 118,3 Name and Tower Frequency Altitude Changeover Point Secondary Route Transition Symbol **Reporting Points Recommended Altitudes** 500 Minimum Altitude Non-compulsory Δ Maximum Altitude 500 Compulsory Recommended Altitude 500 Reporting Point Name **BAHAI Canadian Airspace** Class B, C or D Control Zone Class B, C or D TCA 80 Airspace Ceiling and Floor Class E Control Zone Class E CZ **Special Conservation Areas** NOAA Regulated National National Park, Wildlife Refuge, Marine Sanctuary Designated Primitive and Wilderness Areas, etc. Areas Flight operations below 1000' AGL over the designated areas within the Gulf of Farallones National Marine Sanctuary violate NOAA regulations (see 15 CFR 922).

NAVIGATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL INFORMATION



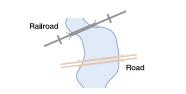
CULTURE

Railroads

Single Track

Double Track

Bridges



Populated Places

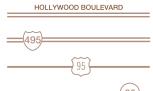
Built-up Areas



Roads

Dual-Lane: Divided Highways

Major Boulevards & Major Streets Primary



Boundaries

International

State or Province

Power Transmission Lines

Prominent Pictorials

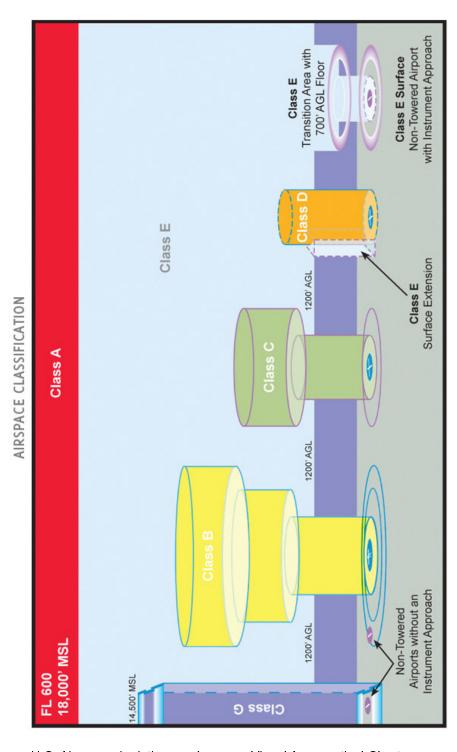


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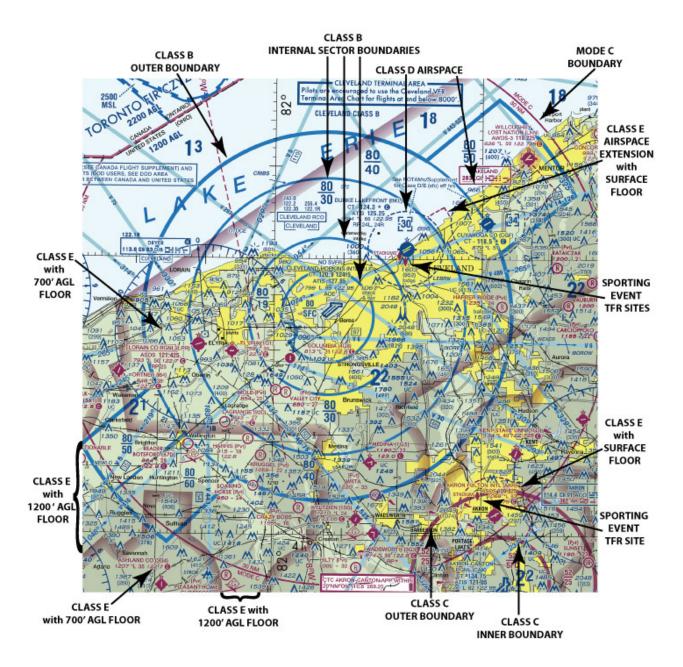
- Landmark-stadium, factory, school, etc.
- Lookout Tower
- Mines or Quarrles
- Race Track
- Outdoor Theater
- Tank-water, oil or gas

VFR AIRSPACE CLASSES

AIRSPACE	CLASS A	CLASS B	CLASS C	CLASS D	CLASS E	CLASS G
Entry Requirements	ATC Clearance	ATC Clearance	ATC clearance for IFR All require radio contact	ATC clearance for IFR All require radio contact	ATC clearance for IFR All require radio contact	None
Minimum Pilot Qualifications	Instrument Rating	Private or Student certification. Local restrictions apply	Student Certificate	Student Certificate	Student Certificate	Student Certificate
Two-Way Radio Communications	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes, under IFR flight plan*	Not required*
Special VFR (SVFR) Allowed	No	Yes	Yes	Yes	Yes	N/A
VFR Visibility Minimum	N/A	3 statute miles	3 statute miles	3 statute miles	Below 10,000' MSL 3 statute miles At or above 10,000' MSL 5 statute miles	Below 1200' AGL (regardless of MSL) Day 1 statute miles Night 3 statute miles Above 1200' AGL & below 10,000 MSL Day 1 statute miles Night 3 statute miles Above 1200' AGL & at or Above 10,000 MSL 5 statute miles
VFR Minimum Distance From Clouds	N/A	Clear of clouds	500' below 1000' above 2000' horizontally	500' below 1000' above 2000' horizontally	Below 10,000' MSL 500' below 1000' above 2000' horizontally At or above 10,000' MSL 1000' below 1000' above 1 statute mile horizontally	Below 1200' AGL (regardless of MSL) Day Clear of the Clouds Night 500' below 1000' above 2000' horizontal Above 1200' AGL & below 10,000 MSL Day 500' below 1000' above 2000' horizontally Night 500' below 1000' above 2000' horizontally Above 1200' AGL & at or Above 10,000 MSL 1000' below 1000' above 1 statute mile horizontally
VFR Aircraft Separation	N/A	All	IFR Aircraft	Runway Operations	None	None
Traffic Advisories	Yes	Yes	Yes	Workload permitting	Workload permitting	Workload permitting
Airport Application	N/A	Radar Instrument Approaches Weather Control Tower High Density	Radar Instrument Approaches Weather Control Tower	Instrument Approaches Weather Control Tower	Instrument Approaches Weather	Control Tower



U.S. Airspace depiction as shown on Visual Aeronautical Charts



Excerpt from Detroit Sectional Chart

EXPLANATION OF IFR ENROUTE TERMS

FAA charts are prepared in accordance with specifications of the Interagency Air Committee (IAC), and are approved by representatives of the Federal Aviation Administration and the Department of Defense (DoD). Some information on these charts may only apply to military pilots.

The explanations of symbols used on Instrument Flight Rule (IFR) Enroute Charts and examples in this section are based primarily on the IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts. Other IFR products use similar symbols in various colors. The chart legends portray aeronautical symbols with a brief description of what each symbol depicts. This section provides more details of the symbols and how they are used on IFR Enroute charts.

AIRPORTS

Active airports are shown on IFR Enroute Charts.

Low Charts:

- All IAP Airports are shown on the Low Altitude Charts (US and Alaska).
- Non-IAP Airports are shown on the U.S. Low Altitude Charts (Contiguous US) have a minimum hard surface runway of 3,000'.
- Non-IAP airports are shown on the U.S. Low Altitude Alaska Charts are show if the runway is 3000' or longer, hard or soft surface.
- Public heliports with an Instrument Approach Procedure (IAP) or requested by the FAA or DoD are depicted on the IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts.
- Seaplane bases requested by the FAA or DoD are depicted on the IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts.

On IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts, airport tabulation is provided which identifies airport names, IDs and the panels they are located on.

High Charts:

- Airports shown on the U.S. High Enroute Charts (Contiguous US) have a minimum hard surface runway of 5000'.
- Airports shown on the U.S. High Enroute Alaska Charts have a minimum hard surface runway of 4000'.

Charted airports are classified according to the following criteria:



Blue - Airports with an Instrument Approach Procedure and/or RADAR MINIMA published in the high altitude DoD Flight Information Publications (FLIPs)

Green - Airports which have an approved Instrument Approach Procedure and/or RADAR MINIMA published in either the U.S. Terminal Procedures Publications (TPPs) or the DoD FLIPs

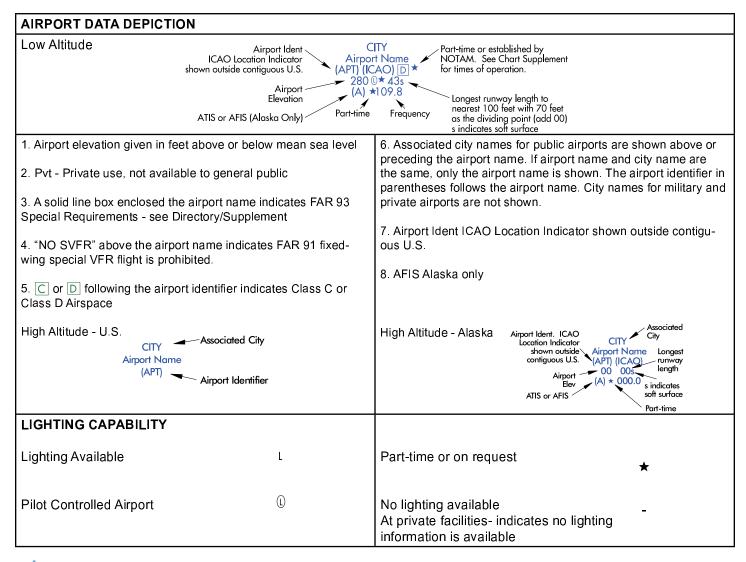
Brown - Airports without a published Instrument Approach Procedure or RADAR MINIMA

Airports are plotted at their true geographic position.

Airports are identified by the airport name. In the case of military airports, Air Force Base (AFB), Naval Air Station (NAS), Naval Air Facility (NAF), Marine Corps Air Station (MCAS), Army Air Field (AAF), etc., the abbreviated letters appear as part of the airport name.

Airports marked "Pvt" immediately following the airport name are not for public use, but otherwise meet the criteria for charting as specified above.

Runway length is the length of the longest active runway (including displaced thresholds but excluding overruns) and is shown to the nearest 100 feet using 70 feet as the division point; e.g., a runway of 8,070' is labeled 81. The following runway compositions (materials) constitute a hard-surfaced runway: asphalt, bitumen, chip seal, concrete, and tar macadam. Runways that are not hard-surfaced have a small letter "s" following the runway length, indicating a soft surface.



A L symbol between the airport elevation and runway length means that runway lights are in operation sunset to sunrise. A symbol indicates there is Pilot Controlled Lighting. A x symbol means the lighting is part-time or on request, the pilot should consult the Chart Supplement for light operating procedures. The Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) thoroughly explains the types and uses of airport lighting aids.

RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION

All IFR radio NAVAIDs that have been flight checked and are operational are shown on all IFR Enroute Charts. Very High Frequency/Ultrahigh Frequency (VHF/UHF) NAVAIDs, Very high frequency Omnidirectional Radio range (VORs), Tactical Air Navigation (TACANs) are shown in black, and Low Frequency/Medium Frequency (LF/MF) NAVAIDs, (Compass Locators and Aeronautical or Marine NDBs) are shown in brown.

On IFR Enroute Charts, information about NAVAIDs is boxed as illustrated below. To avoid duplication of data, when two or more NAVAIDs in a general area have the same name, the name is usually printed only once inside an identification box with the frequencies, TACAN channel numbers, identification letters, or Morse Code Identifications of the different NAVAIDs are shown in appropriate colors.

NAVAIDs in a shutdown status have the frequency and channel number crosshatched. Use of the NAVAID status "shutdown" is only used when a facility has been decommissioned but cannot be published as such because of pending airspace actions.

NAVIGATION AND COMMUNICATION BOXES - COMMON	N ELEMENTS		
LOW ENROUTE CHARTS	HIGH ENROUTE CHARTS		
RCO Frequencies NAVAID Name FREQ, Ident, CH, Morse Code Latitude, Longitude Controlling FSS Name 000.0 NAME 000.0 IDT 000 : N0000.00 w00000.00 NAME	RCO Frequencies NAVAID Name Frequency, Ident, Channel, Latitude, Longitude Controlling FSS Name D00.0 NAME 000.0 IDT 000 N00°00.00' W000°00.00' NAME		
COMMON ELEMENTS (HIGH AND LOW CHARTS)			
RCO FREQUENCY Single Frequency	122.6		
Multiple Frequencies Frequencies transmit and receive except those followed by R and T: R - Receive Only T - Transmit Only	255.4 243.0 123.6 122.65 122.2 122.1R 121.5		
NAVAID BOX	VHF/UHF LF/MF		
Thin line NAVAID boxes without frequency(s) and FSS radio name indicates no FSS frequencies available.			
Shadow NAVAID box indicates NAVAID and Flight Service Station (FSS) have same name.			
FREQUENCY PROTECTION			
Frequency Protection usable range at 18,000' AGL - 40 NM	(L)		
Frequency Protection usable range at 12,000' AGL - 25 NM	(T)		
DISTANCE MEASURING EQUIPMENT			
Facilities that operate in the "Y" mode for DME reception	(Y)		
VOICE COMMUNICATIONS VIA NAVAID			
Voice Transmitted	112.6		
No Voice Transmitted	<u>111.0</u>		
NAVAID SHUTDOWN STATUS	VHF/UHF LF/MF		
PART TIME OR ON-REQUEST	VHF/UHF LF/MF ★ ★		
AUTOMATED WEATHER BROADCAST SERVICES ASOS/AWOS - Automated Surface Observing Station/Automated Weather Observing Station	VHF/UHF LF/MF		
HIWAS - Hazardous Inflight Weather Advisory Service	(b)		
TWEB - Transcribed Weather Broadcast	a a		
	Automated weather, when available, is broadcast on the associated NAVAID frequency.		
LATITUDE AND LONGTITUDE	LOW ENROUTE HIGH ENROUTE		
Latitude and Longitude coordinates are provided for those NA- VAIDs that make up part of a route/airway or a holding pattern.	N00°00.00' W000°00.00' N00°00.00' W000°00.00'		

AIRSPACE INFORMATION

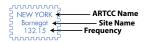
CONTROLLED AIRSPACE

Controlled airspace consists of those areas where some or all aircraft are subjected to air traffic control within the following airspace classifications of A, B, C, D, & E.

Air Route Traffic Control Centers (ARTCC) are established to provide Air Traffic Control to aircraft operating on IFR flight plans within controlled airspace, particularly during the enroute phase of flight. Boundaries of the ARTCCs are shown in their entirety using the symbol below.

Air Route Traffic Control Center (ARTCC)

The responsible ARTCC Center names are shown adjacent and parallel to the boundary line. ARTCC sector frequencies are shown in boxes outlined by the same symbol.



ARTCC Remoted Sites with discrete VHF and UHF frequencies

Class A Airspace is depicted as open area (white) on the IFR Enroute High Altitude Charts. It consists of airspace from 18,000 Mean Sea Level (MSL) to 60,000 MSL. In aviation terms those altitudes are written as FL 180 to FL 600, (18,000 MSL, is Flight Level (FL)180, 60,000 MSL, is FL 600).

Class B Airspace is depicted as screened blue area with a solid line encompassing the area.

Class C Airspace is depicted as screened blue area with a dashed line encompassing the area with a following the airport name.

Class B and Class C Airspace consist of controlled airspace extending upward from the surface or a designated floor to specified altitudes, within which all aircraft and pilots are subject to the operating rules and requirements specified in the Federal Aviation Regulations (UHF) 71. Class B and C Airspace are shown in abbreviated forms on IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts. A general note adjacent to Class B airspace refers the user to the appropriate VFR Terminal Area Chart.

Class D Airspace (airports with an operating control tower) are depicted as open area (white) with a following the airport name.

Class E Airspace is depicted as open area (white) on the IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts. It consists of airspace below FL180.

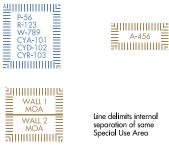
UNCONTROLLED AIRSPACE

Class G Airspace within the United States extends to 14,500' MSL. This uncontrolled airspace is shown as screened brown.

On Area Charts any uncontrolled airspace boundaries are depicted with a .012" brown line and a .060" screen brown band on the uncontrolled side, so as to be seen over the terrain.

SPECIAL USE AIRSPACE

Special Use Airspace (SUA) confines certain flight activities, restricts entry, or cautions other aircraft operating within specific boundaries. SUA areas are shown in their entirety, even when they overlap, adjoin, or when an area is designated within another area. SUA with altitudes from the surface and above are shown on the IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts. Similarly, SUA that extends above 18,000' MSL are shown on IFR Enroute High Altitude Charts. On IFR Enroute Altitude Charts tabulations, identify the type of SUA, ID, effective altitudes, times of use, controlling agency and the panel it is located on.



High and Low	Low Altitude Only	Canada Only	Caribbean Only
P - Prohibited Area	MOA - Military Operations Area	CYA - Advisory	D - Danger
R - Restricted Area	A - Alert Area	CYD - Danger Area	
W - Warning Area		CYR - Restricted Area	
See Airspace Tabulation on chart for complete information.			

OTHER AIRSPACE

FAR 91 Special Air Traffic Rules are shown with the type NO SVFR above the airport name.



FAR 93 Special Airspace Traffic Rules are shown with a solid line box around the airport name, indicating FAR 93 Special Requirements see Chart Supplement.



Mode C Required Airspace (from the surface to 10,000' MSL) within 30 NM radius of the primary airport(s) for which a Class B airspace is designated, is depicted on IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts as a blue circle labeled MODE C 30 NM.



Mode C is also required for operations within and above all Class C airspace up to 10,000' MSL, but not depicted. See FAR 91.215 and the AIM.

INSTRUMENT AIRWAYS

The FAA has established two fixed route systems for air navigation. The VOR and LF/MF system-designated from 1,200' Above Ground Level (AGL) to but not including FL 180 is shown on IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts, and the Jet Route system designated from FL 180 to FL 450 inclusive is shown on IFR Enroute High Altitude Charts.

VOR LF/MF AIRWAY SYSTEM (IFR LOW ALTITUDE ENROUTE CHARTS)

In this system VOR airways - airways based on VOR or VORTAC NAVAIDs - are depicted in black and identified by a "V" (Victor) followed by the route number (e.g., "V12").

LF/MF airways - airways based on LF/MF NAVAIDs - are sometimes called "colored airways" because they are identified by color name and number (e.g., "Amber One", charted as "A1"). In Alaska Green and Red airways are plotted east and west, and Amber and Blue airways are plotted north and south. Regardless of their color identifier, LF/MF airways are shown in brown.

AIRWAY/ROUTE DATA

On both series of IFR Enroute Charts, airway/route data such as the airway identifications, magnetic courses bearings or radials, mileages, and altitudes (e.g., Minimum Enroute Altitudes (MEAs), Minimum Reception Altitudes (MRAs), Maximum Authorized Altitudes (MAAs), Minimum Obstacle Clearance Altitudes (MOCAs), Minimum Turning Altitudes (MTAs) and Minimum Crossing Altitudes (MCAs)) are shown aligned with the airway.

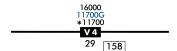
As a rule the airway/route data is charted and in the same color as the airway, with one exception. Charted in blue, Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) MEAs, identified with a "G" suffix, have been added to "V" and "colored airways" for aircraft flying those airways using Global Positioning System (GPS) navigation.

Airways/Routes predicated on VOR or VORTAC NAVAIDs are defined by the outbound radial from the NAVAID. Airways/Routes predicated on LF/MF NAVAIDs are defined by the inbound bearing.

- Minimum Enroute Altitude (MEA) The MEA is the lowest published altitude between radio fixes that assures acceptable navigational signal coverage and meets obstacle clearance requirements between those fixes. The MEA prescribed for a Federal airway or segment, RNAV low or high route, or other direct route applies to the entire width of the airway, segment, or route between the radio fixes defining the airway, segment, or route. MEAs for routes wholly contained within controlled airspace normally provide a buffer above the floor of controlled airspace consisting of at least 300 feet within transition areas and 500 feet within control areas. MEAs are established based upon obstacle clearance over terrain and manmade objects, adequacy of navigation facility performance, and communications requirements.
- Minimum Reception Altitude (MRA) MRAs are determined by FAA flight inspection traversing an entire route
 of flight to establish the minimum altitude the navigation signal can be received for the route and for off-course
 NAVAID facilities that determine a fix. When the MRA at the fix is higher than the MEA, an MRA is established for
 the fix and is the lowest altitude at which an intersection can be determined.
- Maximum Authorized Altitude (MAA) An MAA is a published altitude representing the maximum usable
 altitude or flight level for an airspace structure or route segment. It is the highest altitude on a Federal airway, jet
 route, RNAV low or high route, or other direct route for which an MEA is designated at which adequate reception
 of navigation signals is assured.
- Minimum Obstruction Clearance Altitude (MOCA) The MOCA is the lowest published altitude in effect between fixes on VOR airways, off-airway routes, or route segments that meets obstacle clearance requirements for a VOR. The MOCA seen on the enroute chart may have been computed by adding the required obstacle clearance (ROC) to the controlling obstacle in the primary area or computed by using a TERPS chart if the controlling obstacle is located in the secondary area. This figure is then rounded to the nearest 100 foot increment (i.e., 2,049 feet becomes 2,000, and 2,050 feet becomes 2,100 feet). An extra 1,000 feet is added in mountainous areas, in most cases.
- Minimum Turning Altitude (MTA) Minimum turning altitude (MTA) is a charted altitude providing vertical and lateral obstruction clearance based on turn criteria over certain fixes, NAVAIDs, waypoints, and on charted route segments. When a VHF airway or route terminates at a NAVAID or fix, the primary area extends beyond that

termination point. When a change of course on VHF airways and routes is necessary, the enroute obstacle clearance turning area extends the primary and secondary obstacle clearance areas to accommodate the turn radius of the aircraft. Since turns at or after fix passage may exceed airway and route boundaries, pilots are expected to adhere to airway and route protected airspace by leading turns early before a fix. The turn area provides obstacle clearance for both turn anticipation (turning prior to the fix) and flyover protection (turning after crossing the fix). Turning fixes requiring a higher MTA are charted with a flag along with accompanying text describing the MTA restriction.

• Minimum Crossing Altitude (MCA) - An MCA is the lowest altitude at certain fixes at which the aircraft must cross when proceeding in the direction of a higher minimum enroute IFR altitude. MCAs are established in all cases where obstacles intervene to prevent pilots from maintaining obstacle clearance during a normal climb to a higher MEA after passing a point beyond which the higher MEA applies. The same protected enroute area vertical obstacle clearance requirements for the primary and secondary areas are considered in the determination of the MCA.

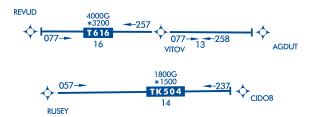


Victor Route (with RNAV/GPS MEA shown in blue)

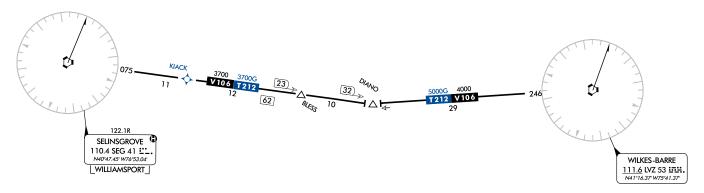
AREA NAVIGATION (RNAV) "T" ROUTE SYSTEM

The FAA has created new low altitude area navigation (RNAV) "T" routes for the enroute and terminal environments. The RNAV routes will provide more direct routing for IFR aircraft and enhance the safety and efficiency of the National Airspace System. To utilize these routes aircraft are required to be equipped with IFR approved GNSS. In Alaska, TSO-145a and 146a equipment is required.

Low altitude RNAV only routes are identified by the prefix "T", and the prefix "TK" for RNAV helicopter routes followed by a three digit number (T-200 to T-500). Routes are depicted in blue on the IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts. RNAV route data (route line, identification boxes, mileages, waypoints, waypoint names, magnetic reference courses and MEAs) will also be printed in blue. Magnetic reference courses will be shown originating from a waypoint, fix/reporting point or NAVAID. GNSS MEA for each segment is established to ensure obstacle clearance and communications reception. GNSS MEAs are identified with a "G" suffix.



Joint Victor/RNAV routes are charted as outlined above except as noted. The joint Victor route and the RNAV route identification boxes are shown adjacent to each other. Magnetic reference courses are not shown. MEAs are charted above the appropriate identification box or stacked in pairs, GNSS and Victor. On joint routes, RNAV specific information will be printed in blue.



OFF ROUTE OBSTRUCTION CLEARANCE ALTITUDE (OROCA)

The Off Route Obstruction Clearance Altitude (OROCA) is depicted on IFR Enroute Low Altitude and Pacific charts and is represented in thousands and hundreds of feet above MSL. OROCAs are shown in every 30 x 30 minute quadrant on Area Charts, every one degree by one degree quadrant for IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts - U.S. and every two degree by two degree quadrant on IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts - Alaska. The OROCA represents the highest possible obstruction elevation including both terrain and other vertical obstruction data (towers, trees, etc.) bounded by the ticked lines of latitude/longitude including data 4 NM outside the quadrant. In this example the OROCA represents 12,500 feet.

OROCA is computed just as the Maximum Elevation Figure (MEF) found on Visual Flight Rule (VFR) Charts except that it provides an additional vertical buffer of 1,000 feet in designated non-mountainous areas and a 2,000 foot vertical buffer in designated mountainous areas within the United States. For areas in Mexico and the Caribbean, located outside the U.S. Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ), the OROCA provides obstruction clearance with a 3,000 foot vertical buffer. Evaluating the area around the quadrant provides the chart user the same lateral clearance an airway provides should the line of intended flight follow a ticked line of latitude or longitude. OROCA does not provide for NAVAID signal coverage, communication coverage and would not be consistent with altitudes assigned by Air Traffic Control. OROCAs can be found over all land masses and open water areas containing man-made obstructions (such as oil rigs).

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MILITARY TRAINING ROUTES (MTRs)

Military Training Routes (MTRs) are routes established for the conduct of low-altitude, high-speed military flight training (generally below 10,000 feet MSL at airspeeds in excess of 250 knots Indicated Air Speed). These routes are depicted in brown on IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts, and are not shown on inset charts or on IFR Enroute High Altitude Charts. IFR Enroute Low Altitude Charts depict all IFR Military Training Routes (IRs) and VFR Military Training Routes (VRs), except those VRs that are entirely at or below 1,500 feet AGL.

MTRs are identified by designators (IR-107, VR-134) which are shown in brown on the route centerline. Arrows are shown to indicate the direction of flight along the route. The width of the route determines the width of the line that is plotted on the chart:

Route segments with a width of 5 NM or less, both sides of the centerline, are shown by a .02" line.

Route segments with a width greater than 5 NM, either or both sides of the centerline, are shown by a .035" line.

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MTRs for particular chart pairs (ex. L1/2, etc.) are alphabetically, then numerically tabulated. The tabulation includes MTR type and unique identification and altitude range.

JET ROUTE SYSTEM (HIGH ALTITUDE ENROUTE CHARTS)

Jet routes are based on VOR or VORTAC NAVAIDs, and are depicted in black with a "J" identifier followed by the route number (e.g., "J12"). In Alaska, Russia and Canada some segments of jet routes are based on LF/MF NAVAIDs.

AREA NAVIGATION (RNAV) "Q" ROUTE SYSTEM (IFR Enroute HIGH ALTITUDE CHARTS)

The FAA has adopted certain amendments to Title 14, Code of Federal Regulations which paved the way for the development of new area high altitude navigation (RNAV) "Q" routes in the U.S. National Airspace System (NAS). These amendments enable the FAA to take advantage of technological advancements in navigation systems such as the GPS. RNAV "Q" Route MEAs are shown when other than FL 180 MEAs for DME/DME/Inertial Reference Unit (IRU) RNAV aircraft have a "D" suffix.



RNAV routes and associated data are charted in blue.

"Q" Routes on the IFR Gulf of Mexico charts are shown in black. Magnetic reference courses are shown originating from a waypoint, fix/reporting point, or NAVAID.

Joint Jet/RNAV route identification boxes will be located adjacent to each other with the route charted in black. With the exception of Q-Routes in the Gulf of Mexico, GNSS or DME/DME/IRU RNAV are required, unless otherwise indicated. DME/DME/IRU RNAV aircraft should refer to the Chart Supplement for DME information. Q-Routes in Alaska are GNSS Only. Altitude values are stacked highest to lowest.



TERRAIN CONTOURS ON AREA CHARTS

Based on a recommendation of the National Transportation Safety Board, terrain contours have been added to the Enroute Area Charts and are intended to increase pilots' situational awareness for safe flight over changes in terrain. The following Area Charts portray terrain: Anchorage, Denver, Fairbanks, Juneau, Los Angeles, Nome, Phoenix, San Francisco, Vancouver and Washington.

When terrain rises at least a 1,000 feet above the primary airports' elevation, terrain is charted using shades of brown with brown contour lines and values. The initial contour will be 1,000 or 2,000 feet above the airports' elevation. Subsequent intervals will be 2,000 or 3,000 foot increments.

Contours are supplemented with a representative number of spots elevations and are shown in solid black. The highest elevation on an Area Chart is shown with a larger spot and text.

The following boxed note is added to the affected Area Charts.

NOTE: TERRAIN CONTOURS HAVE BEEN ADDED TO THOSE AREA CHARTS WHERE THE TERRAIN ON THE CHART IS 1000 FOOT OR GREATER THAN THE ELEVATION OF THE DRIMADY AIRPORT

IFR ENROUTE LOW / HIGH ALTITUDE SYMBOLS (U.S., PACIFIC AND ALASKA CHARTS)

AIRPORTS

Airport Data - Low/High Altitude
Civil Charts: High/Low

Charts: High/Low

Civil And Military

Charts: High/Low

Charts: High/Low

Charts: High/Low

Charts: High/Low

Pacific Only

Pacific Only

Facilities in BLUE or GREEN have an approved Instrument Approach Procedure and/or RADAR MINIMA published in either the FAA Terminal Procedures Publication or the DoD FLIPs. Those in BLUE have an Instrument Approach Procedure and/or RADAR MINIMA published at least in the High Altitude DoD FLIPs. Facilities in BROWN do not have a published Instrument Procedure or RADAR MINIMA.

All IAP Airports are shown on the Low Altitude Charts.

Non-IAP Airports shown on the U.S. Low Altitude Charts have a minimum hard surface runway of 3000'.

Airports shown on the U.S. High Altitude Charts have a minimum hard surface runway of 5000'.

Airports shown on the Alask High Altitude Charts have a minimum hard or soft surface runway of 4000'.

Associated city names for public airports are shown above or preceding the airport name and city name are the same only the airport name is shown. City names for military and private airports are not shown.

The airport identifier in parentheses follows the airport name or Pvt.

Pvt - Private Use

AIRPORT DATA DEPICTION

Low Altitude



- 1. Airport elevation given in feet above or below mean sea level
- 2. Pvt Private use, not available to general public
- 3. A solid line box enclosed the airport name indicates FAR 93 Special Requirements see Directory/Supplement
- 4. "NO SVFR" above the airport name indicates FAR 91 fixed-wing special VFR flight is prohibited.
- 5. \square or \square following the airport identifier indicates Class C or Class D Airspace



- 6. Associated city names for public airports are shown above or preceding the airport name. If airport name and city name are the same, only the airport name is shown. The airport identifier in parentheses follows the airport name. City names for military and private airports are not shown.
- 7. Airport Ident ICAO Location Indicator shown outside contiguous U.S.
- 8. AFIS Alaska only

High Altitude - Alaska



Airports (Continued)

LIGHTING CAPABILITY

Lighting Available

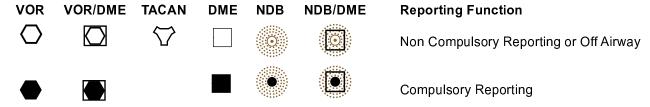
Part-time or on request

No lighting available

At private facilities- indicates no lighting information is available

RADIO AIDS TO NAVIGATION

NAVAIDS



Note: VHF/UHF is depicted in Black. LF/MF is depicted in Brown. RNAV is depicted in Blue

Compass Roses

VHF/UHF



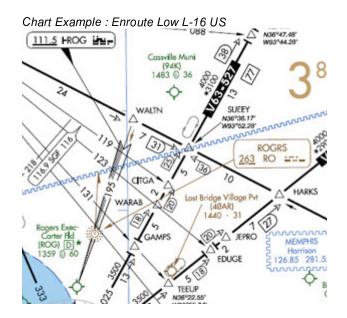
LF/MF



Compass Roses are orientated to Magnetic North of the NAVAID which may not be adjusted to the charted isogonic values.

Compass Locator Beacon





LOW ALTITUDE ILS Localizer Example with Back Course (Chart: Enroute Low L-1 US) **ILS LOCALIZER** X ILS Localizer Course with additional navigation function GNINET BREAF N45'01.86' W123'05.90 **HIGH ALTITUDE - ALASKA VOR/DME RNAV WAYPOINT DATA** Coordinates MC MININVILLE 122.6 NOWEL SALEM N60°29.04' W148°28.51' MdNary Rd (SLE) [D]* 214 (0 58 115.3 MDO 297.8°-90.5 (A) 12455 110.3 I-SLE 40 12... TURNO Frequency Radial/Distance (7\$5) 180 (31 (Facility to Waypoint) Identifier Reference Facility Elevation ADLOW 000 SW Albany Muni MAGOT 226 @ 30 GLORR **NAVIGATION AND COMMUNICATION BOXES - COMMON ELEMENTS LOW ENROUTE CHARTS** HIGH ENROUTE CHARTS 0.000

RCO Frequencies NAVAID Name FREQ, Ident, CH, Morse Code Latitude, Longitude Controlling FSS Name

0.000 NAME 000.0 IDT 000 ≝• N00°00.00' W000°00.00' _NAME_

RCO Frequencies NAVAID Name Frequency, Ident, Channel, Latitude, Longitude

Controlling FSS Name

NAME 000.0 IDT 000 N00°00.00' W000°00.00' NAME_

COMMON ELEMENTS (HIGH AND LOW CHARTS)

RCO Frequency	122.6
Single Frequency	122.0
Multiple Frequencies Frequencies transmit and receive except those followed by R and T: R - Receive Only T - Transmit Only	255.4 243.0 123.6 122.65 122.2 122.1R 121.5

NAVAID Box VHF/UHF LF/MF Thin line NAVAID boxes without frequency(s) and FSS radio name indicates no FSS frequencies available. Shadow NAVAID box indicates NAVAID and Flight Service Station (FSS) have same name.

Navigation and Communication Boxes - Common Elements Frequency Protection (L) Frequency Protection usable range at 18,000' AGL - 40 NM (T) Frequency Protection usable range at 12,000' AGL - 25 NM **DISTANCE MEASURING EQUIPMENT** (Y) Facilities that operate in the "Y" mode for DME reception **VOICE COMMUNICATIONS VIA NAVAID** 112.6 Voice Transmitted 111.0 No Voice Transmitted VHF/UHF LF/MF NAVAID SHUTDOWN STATUS VHF/UHF LF/MF PART TIME OR ON-REQUEST **AUTOMATED WEATHER BROADCAST SERVICES** VHF/UHF LF/MF ASOS/AWOS - Automated Surface Observing Station/Automated a A Weather Observing Station HIWAS - Hazardous Inflight Weather Advisory Service 0 **(1)** TWEB - Transcribed Weather Broadcast **O** • LATITUDE AND LONGTITUDE Latitude and Longtitude coordinates are provided for those **LOW ENROUTE HIGH ENROUTE** NAVAIDs that make up part of a route/airway or a holding pattern. N00°00.00' W000°00.00' N00°00.00' W000°00.00' **Navigation and Communication Boxes - Examples** LOW ENROUTE CHARTS **HIGH ENROUTE CHARTS VOR VOR** 122.1R R - Receive only 122.1R CECIL ALLENDALE 117.9 VQQ 116.7 ALD ::: Controlling FSS Name - ANDERSON W81°53.45 ANDERSON (T) - Service Volume POLK (T) 108.4 FXU ∺=-Receive & Transmit on 122.35 122.35 (T) - Service Volume TIFT MYERS (T) 112.5 IFM =-N31°25.72' W83°29.33' Latitude and Longitude Controlling FSS Name - MACON | MACON |

Navigation And Communication Boxes - Examples (Continued)

LOW ENROUTE CHARTS

HIGH ENROUTE CHARTS

VOR/DME

No Voice Communications (Y) Mode DME

R - Receive only 122.1R Controlling FSS Name - BUFFALO

Shadow NAVAID Box FSS Associated with NAVAID 112.6 RKA 73 ₩ -N42°27.98' W75°14.36'

SAWMILL 113.75 SWB 84(Y) ≝:..

122.1R

ROCKDALE

119.1

MIRABEL

116.7 YMX 114 = H
N45°53.30′ W74°22.54′

TACAN

TACAN Channels are without voice but not underlined

Part Time NAVAID

PENSACOLA ★119 NPA =:-(117.2) N30'21.48' W87"18.99'

VORTAC

H - HIWAS Available

255.4 243.0 122.55 121.5

ALEXANDRIA

116.1 AEX 108 :...

N31*15.40*W9230.06*

LDE RIDDER_

Shutdown status

BRUNSWICK \$99, NHZ = 1... (\$99, NHZ = 1... (\$10, NHZ = 1... (\$

DME

DME Channel, Ident, Morse Code, VHF Frequency

MOULTRIE 25 MGR == (108.8) N31'04.94' W83'48.25'

NDB

A - ASOS/AWOS Available

SILVER BAY A 350 BFW ::==

Shutdown status

SHEMYA \$52 SYA :::--N52°43.32' E174°03.62'

NDB/DME

No Voice Communications (Y) Mode DME

T- TWEB Available Shadow NAVAID Box FSS Associated with NAVAID 122.3

CAPE LISBURNE

385 LUR 20(Y) (108.35) ::::'

N66°52.28 W166°04.56'

KOTZEBUE

123.6

ILIAMNA

411 ILI 91 (114.4) :--
N59°44.88' W154°54.58'

Notes:

VOR/DME

Off Route (Greyed NAVAID Box and NAVAID)

Service Volume - L DME in Y Mode

Shadow NAVAID Box FSS Associated with NAVAID 119.1 MIRABEL 116.7 YMX 114 N45°53.30 W74°22.54'

ITHACA 111.8 ITH (L) 55

ELMIRA 109.65 ULW (L) 33(Y)

-N42°05.65° W77°01.49°

TACAN

Off Route

Off Route - Part Time NAVAID (Greyed NAVAID Box and NAVAID) Service Volume - L

PENSACOLA *119 NPA (L) (117.2)

TYNDALL

64 PAM (133.7)

VORTAC

H - HIWAS Available

122.55

ALEXANDRIA (1)
116.1 AEX 108

N31°15.40'
W92°30.06'

DE RIDDER

Off Route (Greyed NAVAID Box and NAVAID)
Service Volume - L

HANDLE 114.3 HLL (L) 90

DME

NDB

T - TWEB Available

FORT DAVIS 529 FDV N64°29.68' W165°18 91'

NDB/DME

No Voice Communications (Y) Mode DME

CAPE NEWENHAM 385 EHM 18(Y) (108.15) N58°39.36' W162'04.42'

T-TWEB Available Shadow NAVAID Box FSS Associated with NAVAID

ILIAMNA T 411 ILI 91 (114.4)

Notes: Morse Code is not shown on High NAVAID Boxes.

Stand Alone Flight Services and Communication Outlets

Flight Service Station (FSS)

Shadow NAVAID boxes indicate Flight Service Station (FSS) locations. Frequencies 122.2, 255.4 and emergency 121.5 and 243.0 are available at many FSSs and are not shown. All other frequencies are show above the box.

Certain FSSs provide Local Airport Advisory (LAA) on 123.6.

Frequencies transmit and receive except those followed by R and

T:

R - Receive Only

T - Transmit Only

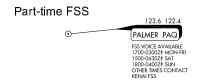
In Canada, shadow boxes indicate FSSs with standard group frequencies of 121.5, 126.7 and 243.0.

Stand Alone FSS DAYTON DAY HARBOR HBR Stand Alone FSS Associated with an Airport Miami Exec (TMB) Miami Exec (TMB)

HIGH CHARTS

122.55

MIAMI MIA



MIAMI MIA

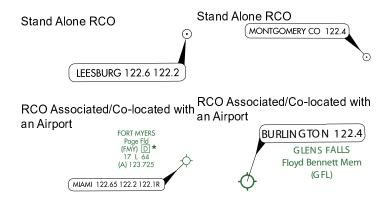
LOW CHARTS



Remote Communications Outlet (RCO)

Thin line NAVAID boxes without frequencies and controlling FSS name indicate no FSS frequencies available. Frequencies positioned above the thin line boxes are remoted to the NAVAID sites. Other frequencies at the controlling FSS named are available, however altitude and terrain may determine their reception.

In Canada, a "D" after the frequency indicates a dial-up remote communications outlet.



Stand Alone AWOS & ASOS



AIRSPACE INFORMATION

Airway/Route Types
Low and High Enroute Airway Data:

VHF/UHF Data is depicted in Black. LF/MF Data is depicted in Brown. RNAV Route data is depicted in Blue

Low Enroute Charts **High Enroute Charts** 1000 Jet Routes Victor Airways ARO · ARO = LF/MF Airway Atlantic Routes Uncontrolled LF/MF Airway BROL **Bahama Routes** A0 Q00 RNAV Q Routes **RNAV T Route** Alaska Q Routes require GNSS and radar surveillance. Within the **GNSS** Required CONUS, GNSS or DME/DME/IRU RNAV required, unless otherwise indicated. DME/DME/IRU aircraft require radar surveillance. TK000 **RNAV TK Helicopter Route** Refer to Chart Supplement for DME information. **GNSS** Required **Preferred Single Direction Preferred Single Direction Victor Route** Jet Routes **Preferred Single Direction RNAV Q Routes** Single Direction ATS Route R000 Unusable Route Segment Unusable Route Segment **By-Pass Route Direction of Flight Indicator Canadian Routes Only** Jet Route Centerline by-passing a facility which is not part of that specific route. Military Training Routes (Mtr) MTRs 5NM or less both sides IR-000 - of centerline ∨R-000 → MTRs greater than 5NM either IK-000 → or both sides of centerline VR-000 Arrow indicates direction of route See MTR tabulation for altitude range information All IR and VR MTRs are shown except those VRs at or bleow 1500' AGL CAUTION: Inset charts do not depict MTRs Low and High Enroute Charts Substitute Route **ATS Route** -0-0-0-0-0-0-All relative and supporting data See NOTAMs or appropriate -A00 -A00 -**Oceanic Route**

shown in brown.

publication for specific

information.

Airspace Information (Continued) WAYPOINTS FIXES VHF/UHF LF/MF REPORTING FUNCTION **RNAV Compulsory Position Reporting Non-Compulsory Position Reporting** N25°46.47' Fix or Waypoint Coordinates N29°36.00′ N44°25.36' W76°16.28' W88°01.00′ Fix Coordinates are shown for compulsory, offshore and W64°11.00' holding fixes. Waypoints Coordinates are shown when waypoint is not part of a RNAV route and when located on or beyond the boundary of the U.S. Continental Control (12 mile limit). Off-set arrows indicate facility forming a fix N/A <u>_</u> _ _ - Arrow points away from the VHF/UHF NAVAID - Arrow points towards the LF/MF NAVAID N/A Distance Measuring Equipment (DME) Fix Denotes DME fix (distance same as airway / route mileage) VHF/UHF **RNAV** Distance Measuring Equipment (DME) Fix N/A 15) Denotes DME fix (encircled mileage shown when not otherwise obvious) **Example:** N/A First segment, 5NM; second segment 10NM; total milage → △ 10 15) A provided in encircled DME arrow. VHF/UHF LF/MF **RNAV** Total Mileages between Compulsory Reporting N/A 229 149 **Points or NAVAIDs** Note: All mileages are in Nautical Miles MILEAGE BETWEEN OTHER FIXES, NAVAIDS 125 54 125 AND/OR MILEAGE BREAKDOWN Mileage Breakdown or Computer Navigation Fix N/A Five letter identifier in parentheses indicates CNF with no ATC function **FACILITY LOCATOR BOATS** N/A 000.0 IDT 000 000 ID > 000000 IDT 0000 7000 ID Crosshatch indicates Shutdown status of NAVAID RADIAL OUTBOUND FROM A VHF/UHF NAVAID N/A N/A 000 All Radials are magnetic. **BEARING INBOUND TO AN LF/MF NAVAID** N/A N/A --- 000 -- All Bearings are magnetic. MAGNETIC REFERENCE BEARING, outbound from

Note: Not shown on joint Victor/RNAV or Jet/RNAV Routes.

000 -

a NAVAID or Fix

N/A

N/A

Airspace Information (Continued) LF/MF VHF/UHF **RNAV** MINIMUM ENROUTE ALTITUDE (MEA) LOW CHARTS LOW CHARTS LOW CHARTS All Altitudes Are MSL Unless Otherwise Noted. 0000 0000 0000G **Directional MEAs** HIGH CHARTS HIGH CHARTS HIGH CHARTS MEAs are shown on IFR High Altitude Charts when MEA is MEA for GNSS RNAV MEA-29000 MEA-FL240 other than 18,000'. aircraft MEA-24000G MEA for DME/DME/IRU RNAV aircraft MEA-24000D MINIMUM ENROUTE ALTITUDE (MEA) GAP LOW CHARTS N/A 15000 MEA is established when there is a gap in navigation signal * 13300 coverage. 35 114 HIGH CHARTS MFA-24000 J505 279 Maximum Authorized Altitude (MAA) LOW / HIGH LOW / HIGH LOW / HIGH All Altitudes Are MSL Unless Otherwise Noted. CHARTS CHARTS **CHARTS** MAAs are shown on IFR High Altitude Charts when MAA is MAA-00000 MAA-00000 MAA-00000 other than 45,000'. Minimum Obstruction Clearance Altitude (MOCA) LOW CHARTS LOW CHARTS LOW CHARTS All Altitudes Are MSL Unless Otherwise Noted. *0000 *0000 *0000 Minimum Turning Altitude (MTA) and Minimum LOW CHARTS LOW CHARTS LOW CHARTS Crossing Altitude (MCA) X X See Low Enroute Chart Example below for examples of both MTAs and MCAs. MINIMUM RECEPTION ALTITUDE (MRA) N/A **ALTITUDE CHANGE** MEA, MOCA and/or MAA change at other than NAVAIDs N/A LOW / HIGH **CHANGEOVER POINT** LOW / HIGH CHARTS **CHARTS** Changeover Point giving mileage to NAVAIDs (Not shown at midpoint locations.)



Holding Pattern with maximum restriction airspeed 210K applies to altitudes 6000' to and including 14000'. 175K applied to all altitudes. Airspeed depicted is Indicated Airspeed (IAS)

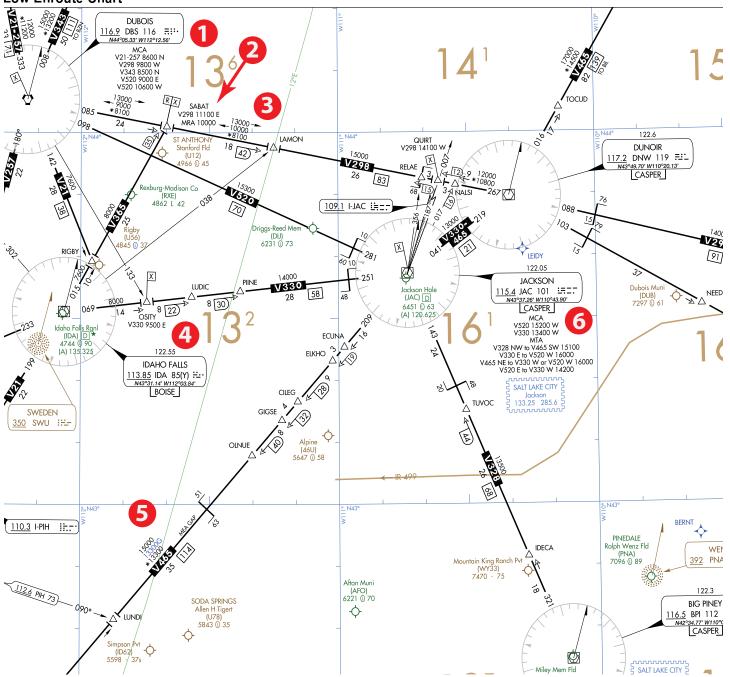
RNAV Holding Pattern Magnetic Reference Bearing is determined by the isogonic value at the waypoint or fix.



HOLDING PATTERNS

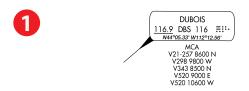
Enroute Chart Examples

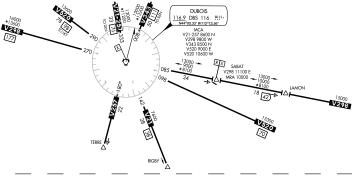
Low Enroute Chart



Enroute Chart Examples
Low Enroute Chart (Continued)

Reference Number





Description

Multiple MCAs at a NAVAID

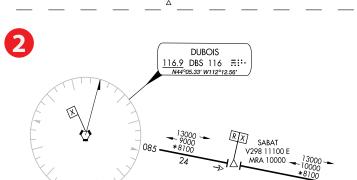
V21 and V257 - MCA at DBS of 8600' traveling North

V298 - MCA at DBS of 9800' traveling West

V343 - MCA at DBS of 8500' traveling North

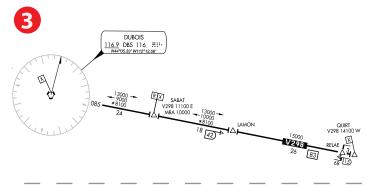
V520 - MCA at DBS of 9000' traveling East

V520 - MCA at DBS of 10600' traveling West



MCA and MRA at a Fix

MCA at SABAT on V298 of 11,100 traveling East. MRA at SABAT of 10000.

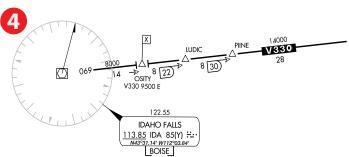


Example of MOCA and directional MEAs along a Victor Route

Traveling East from DBS, MEA 13,000' the first two segments, 15,000 along third segment.

Traveling West from QUIRT, MEA of 15,000' the first segment, MEA of 10,000 the second segment and MEA of 9,000 the third segment.

MOCA for DBS to SABAT and SABAT to LAMON segments of



MCA Example

MCA at OSITY on V330. MCA of 9500' traveling East on V330 from Idaho Falls (IDA) VOR-DME.

Enroute Chart Examples

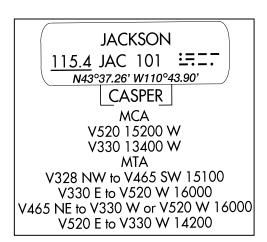
Low Enroute Chart (Continued)

Reference Number









Description

MEA VHF and RNAV Example

MEA for aircraft utilizing VHF NAVAID of 15000' MEA for aircraft utilizing RNAV of 13300'

MOCA of 13300'

MCA and MTA Example at a NAVAID

MCA for aircraft traveling West along V520 to cross JAC at 15200' MCA for aircraft traveling West along V330 to cross JAC at 13400'

MTA for aircraft crossing over and turning at JAC:

Aircraft traveling NW on V328 and turning to V465 on a SW heading must turn at altitude of 15100' or higher.

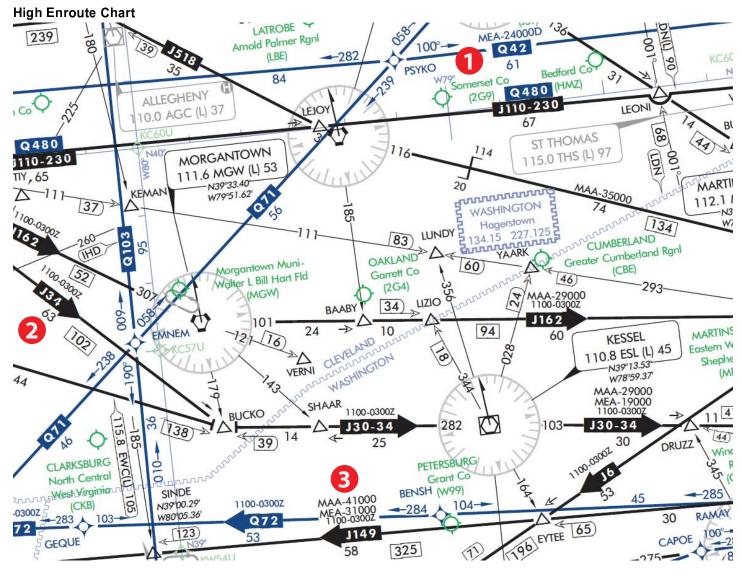
Aircraft traveling E on V330 and turning to V520 on a W heading must turn at altitude of 16000' or higher

Aircraft traveling NE on V465 and turning to V330 on a W heading or turning to V520 on a W heading must turn at altitude of 16000' or higher

Aircraft traveling E on V520 and turning to V330 on a W heading must turn at altitude of 14200'

Airspace Information (Continued)

Enroute Chart Examples



Reference Number



MEA-24000D 3

Description

High RNAV Route with MEA for DME/DME/IRU RNAV Aircraft

MEA of 24,000'

Directional Jet Route with Time Restrictions

Jet Route 34 available between 1100 - 0300Z

Enroute Chart Examples High Enroute Chart (Continued)

Reference Number



Description

Directional Jet Route with Time Restrictions, MAA and MEA

Jet Route 149 available between 1100 - 0300Z MAA - 41,000' MEA - 31,000'

AIRSPACE BOUNDARIES

Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ)



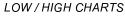
LOW / HIGH CHARTS

Air Route Traffic Control Center (ARTCC)

ARTCC Remoted Sites with discrete VHF and UHF frequencies



Air Traffic Service Identification Data



Adjoining ADIZ





Altimeter Setting Change



Control Areas (CTA)



LOW / HIGH CHARTS

Flight Information Regions (FIR)

LOW / HIGH CHARTS



Additional Control Areas

LOW ALTITUDE

CONTROL 1141L

CONTROL 1419 H

CONTROL 1419 H

Upper Information Regions (UIR)

Upper Control Areas (UTA)



Airspace - U.S.

Class A

Open Area (White)

High Chart Only

Controlled Airspace

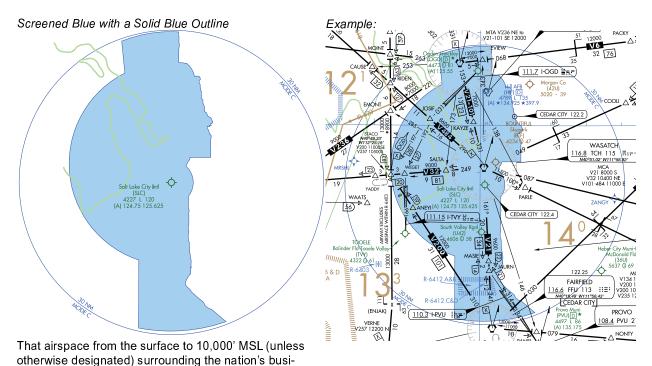
That airspace from 18,000' MSL to and including FL 600, including the airspace overflying the waters within 12 NM of the coast of the contiguous United States and Alaska and designated offshore areas, excluding Santa Barbara Island, Farallon Island, the airspace south of latitude 25° 04'00" N, the Alaska peninsula west of longitude 160°00'00" W, and the airspace less than 1,500' AGL.

That airspace from 18,000' MSL to and including FL 450, including Santa Barbara Island, Farallon Island, the Alaska peninsula west of longitude 160°00'00" W, and designated offshore areas.

Class B

Low Chart Only

Controlled Airspace



Mode C Area

A Solid Blue Outline

layers.

Low Chart Only

Controlled Airspace

That airspace within 30 NM of the primary airports of Class B airspace and within 10 NM of designated airports. Mode-C transponder equipment is required. (See FAR 91.215)

est airports. Each Class B airspace area is individually tailored and consists of a surface area and two or more

Example:

See Chart example above.

Airspace - U.S. (Continued)

CLASS C

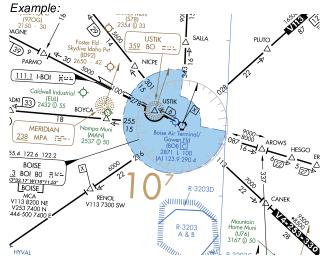
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Low Chart Only

Controlled Airspace



That airspace from the surface to 4,000' (unless otherwise designated) above the elevation of selected airports (charted in MSL). The normal radius of the outer limits of Class C airspace is 10NM. Class C airspace is also indicated by the letter C in a box following the airport name.



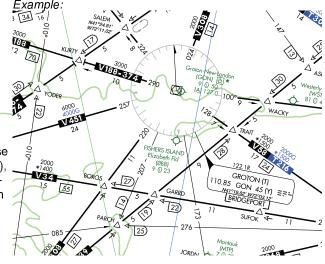
CLASS D

Low Chart Only

Controlled Airspace Open Area (White)



That airspace from the surface to 2,500' unless otherwise designated) above the airport elevation (charted in MSL), surrounding those airports that have an operational control tower. Class D airspace is indicated by the letter D in a box following the airport name.



CLASS E

Open Area (White)

Low Chart Only

That controlled airpsace below 14,500' MSL which is not Class B, C or D.

Controlled Airspace

Federal Airways from 1,200' AGL to but not including 18,000' MSL (unless otherwise specified).

Other designated control areas below 14,500' MSL.

Not Charted

That airspace from 14,500' MSL to but not including 18,000' MSL, including the airspace overflying the waters within 12 NM of the coast of the contiguous United States and Alaska and designated offshore areas, excluding the Alaska peninsula west of longitude 160°00'00" W, and the airspace less than 1,500' AGL.

Airspace Information (Continued)

AIRSPACE - U.S.

CLASS G

Screened Brown Area

High and Low Chart

Uncontrolled Airspace

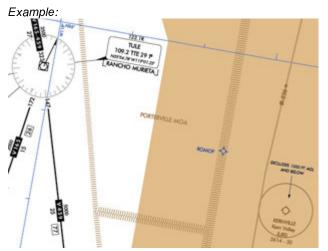


Low Altitude

That portion of the airspace below 14,500' MSL that has not been designated as Class B, C, D or E Airspace.

High Altitude

That portion of the airspace from 18,000' MSL and above that has not been designated as Class A airspace.



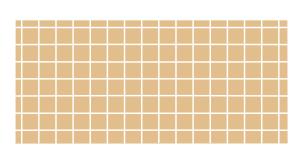
AIRSPACE - CANADIAN

CLASS B

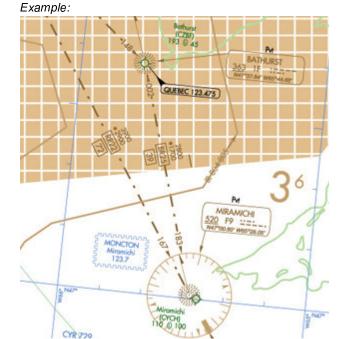
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Low Charts Only

Controlled Airspace



Controlled airspace above 12,500' MSL



Special Use Airspace - U.S.

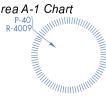
Low and High Charts P - Prohibited Area

Example: P-56 -

Washington DC, Area A-1 Chart



Example: P-40 and R-4009 - Washington DC, Area A-1 Chart



R - Restricted Area

Example: R3601A -

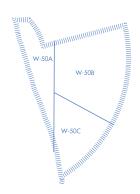
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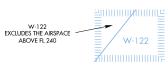


W - Warning Area

See Airspace Tabulation on each chart for complete documentation information on:

Area Identification
Effective Altitude
Operating Times
Controlling Agency Voice Call





Low Charts Only

A - Alert Area

A-562B

MOA - Military Operations Area

See Airspace Tabulation on each chart for complete documentation information on:
Area Identification
Effective Altitude
Operating Times
Controlling Agency Voice Call





Off Route Obstruction Clearance Altitude (OROCA)

Low Charts Only

OROCA is computed similarly to the Maximum Elevation Figure (MEF) found on Visual charts except that it provides an additional vertical buffer of 1,000 feet in designated non-mountainous areas and a 2,000 foot vertical buffer in designated mountainous areas within the United States.

Example: 12,500 feet

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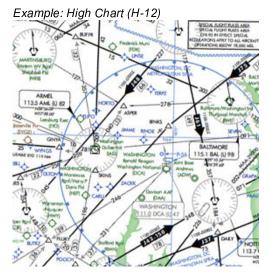


Special Flight Rules Area (SFRA)

Low and High Charts SFRA Symbology







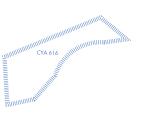
Special Use Airspace - Canada & Caribbean

Low and High Charts Canada Only

CYA - Advisory Area

CYD - Danger Area

CYR - Restricted Area







Caribbean Only D - Danger Area

In the Caribbean, the first two letters represent the country code, i.e. (MY) Bahamas, (MU) Cuba



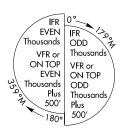
NAVIGATIONAL AND PROCEDURAL INFORMATION

Cruising Altitudes - Low Charts - U.S. Only

IFR outside controlled airspace.

IFR within controlled airspace as assigned by ATC.

ALL courses are magnetic.



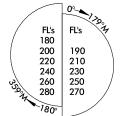
VFR above 3000' AGL unless otherwise authorized by ATC.

Cruising Altitudes - High Charts - U.S. Only

IFR within controlled airspace as assigned by ATC

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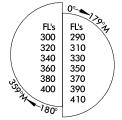




VFR or VFR On Top add 500'

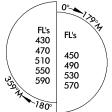
No VFR flights within Class A Airspace above 3000' AGL unless otherwise authorized

RVSM Levels FL290 to FL410

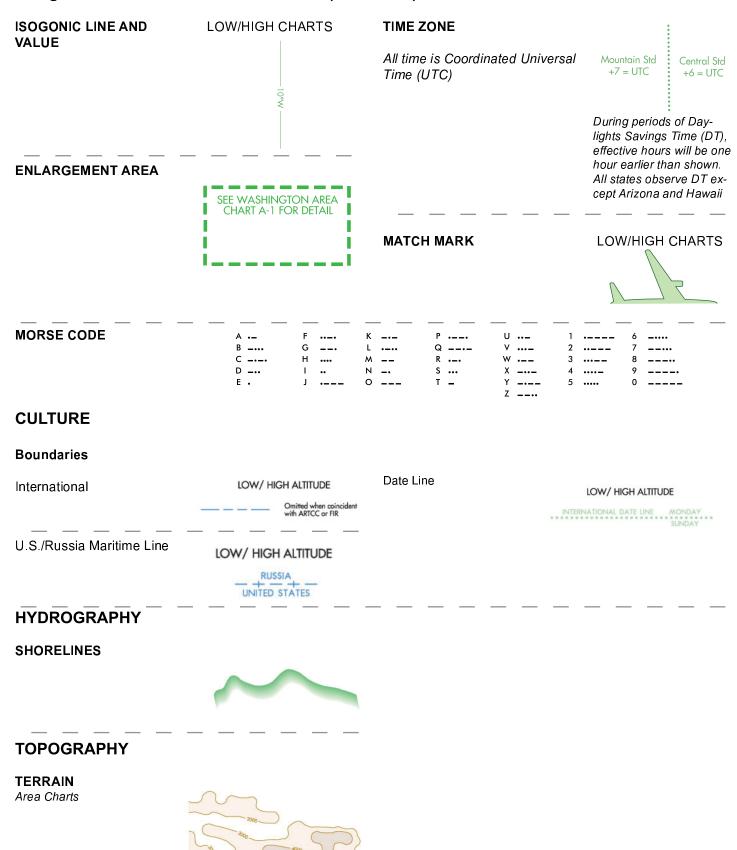


No VFR or VFR On Top authorized above FL285 in RVSM airspace.

FL430 and above



Navigational and Procedural Information (Continued)



U.S. TERMINAL PROCEDURES PUBLICATION

The U.S. Terminal Procedure Publications (TPPs) includes the Instrument Approach Procedures (IAPs), Departure Procedures (DPs) charts, Standard Terminal Arrival (STAR) charts, Charted Visual Flight Procedure (CVFP) charts, and Airport Diagrams. Also included are Takeoff Minimums, (Obstacle) Departure Procedures, Diverse Vector Area (RADAR Vectors), RADAR and Alternate Minimum textual procedures.

EXPLANATION OF TPP TERMS AND SYMBOLS

The information and examples in this section are based primarily on the IFR (Instrument Flight Rules) Terminal Procedures Publication (TPP). The publication legends list aeronautical symbols with a brief description of what each symbol depicts. This section will provide more detailed information of some of the symbols and how they are used on TPP charts.

FAA Terminal charts are prepared in accordance with specifications of the Interagency Air Committee (IAC) and their supporting technical groups for the purpose of standardization, which are approved by representatives of the Federal Aviation Administration (FAA), and the Department of Defense (DoD).

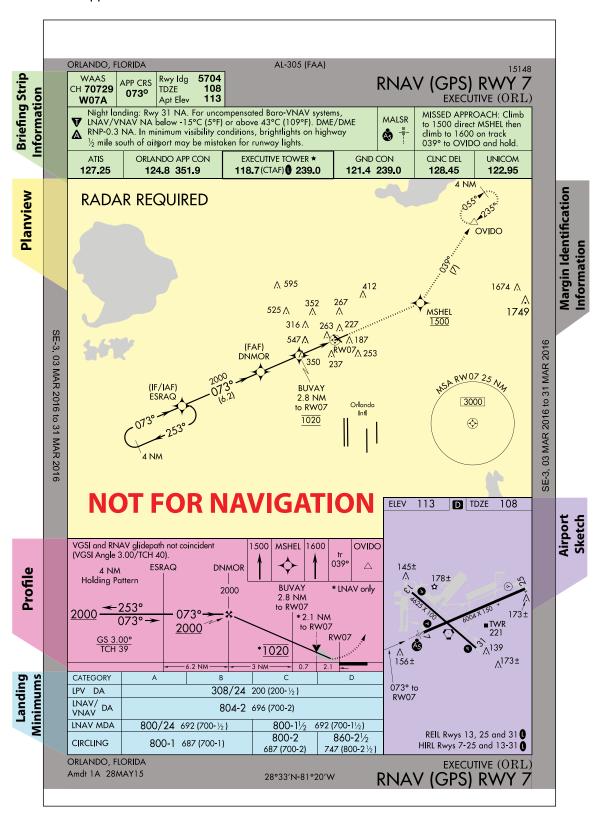
The Terminal Procedure Publication is made up of the following charts:

- Instrument Approach Procedure (IAP) Charts
- Airport Diagrams
- Departure Procedures (DP)
- Standard Terminal Arrival (STAR) Charts
- Charted Visual Flight Procedure (CVFP) Charts

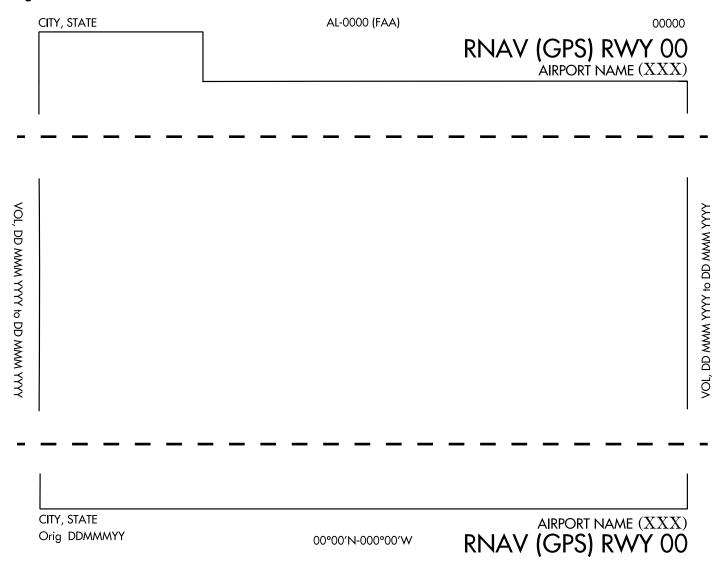
INSTRUMENT APPROACH PROCEDURE CHART

The IAPs (charts) are divided into various sections:

Margin Identification Information Briefing Strip Information Planview Missed Approach Information Profile View Landing Minimums Airport Sketch



Margin Identification Information



The margin identification at the top, bottom, and sides of the chart provides information about the airport location, procedure identification, and chart currency. The charts are organized by city first, then airport name and state, with the exception of military charts, which are organized by airport name. Going from the top of the chart, reading from left to right, and going down the chart, Margin Identification Information is organized in the following way.

Top Margin Information:

The city and state with which the airport is associated is located on both the top and bottom margins.

At the center of the top margin is the FAA chart reference number and approving authority in parentheses.

WASHINGTON, D	С		AL-5326 (FAA) 15344
WAAS CH 56239 W34B	P CRS Rwy Idg TDZE Apt Elev	3715 182 192	RNAV (GPS) RWY 34L manassas rgnl/harry p davis field (HEF)

The procedure title is located on both the top and bottom margins. It is derived from the type of navigational facility that is providing the final approach course guidance. The title is abbreviated, e.g. ILS, RNAV, NDB, etc. For airports with parallel runways and simultaneous approach procedures, "L", "R" or "C" follows the runway number to distinguish between left, right, and center runways.

The airport name is shown on both the top and bottom margins below the procedure title. The airport identifier is shown in parentheses following the airport name. Airports outside the contiguous United States will be shown with the FAA designated identifier followed by the ICAO location identifier.

The Date of Latest Revision is shown on the top margin above the procedure title. The Date of Latest Revision identifies the Julian date the chart was last revised for any reason. The first two digits indicate the year, the last three digits indicate the day of the year (001 to 365/6).



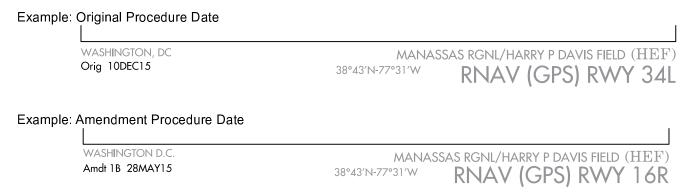
15344 Year Day of Year

Side Margin Information:

The side margins show the volume identification, i.e. SW-3, followed by the current issue date and the next issue date, e.g. SW-3, 21 JUL 2016 to 15 SEP 2016.

Bottom Margin Information:

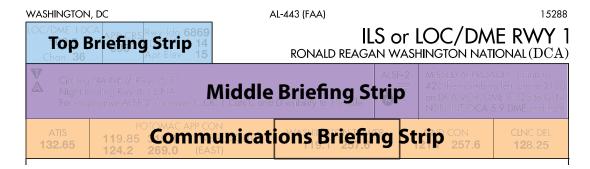
The FAA Procedure Amendment Number, located on the left bottom margin below the City, State, represents the most current amendment of a given procedure. The Procedure Amendment Effective Date represents the AIRAC cycle date on which the procedure amendment was incorporated into the chart. Updates to the amendment number and effective date represent procedural/criteria revisions to the charted procedure, e.g., course, fix, altitude, minima, etc.



The coordinates for the airport reference point are located at the center of the bottom margin.

BRIEFING STRIP INFORMATION

At the top of every TPP is the Briefing Strip which consists of three stacked strips of information immediately above the planview. Information varies depending upon the type of procedure.



Top Briefing Strip

The top briefing strip contains procedural information in three separate boxes, in the following sequence from left to right:



- Box 1: Primary Procedure Navigation Information: The primary navigation type (VOR, LOC, NDB, RNAV, etc.) with its identifier and frequency/channel. If applicable, WAAS, the WAAS Channel Number, and the WAAS Reference Path indicator are shown stacked top to bottom. If the primary navigation type is LAAS, then the following information is shown, stacked top to bottom: LAAS, CH NNNN, RPI XXXX. If there is not a primary Navigation Box required, the first box is removed.
- Box 2: Final Approach Course Information. The inbound Approach Course (APP CRS) is shown.
- Box 3: Runway Landing Information: Stacked top to bottom, the runway landing distance (Rwy Ldg), the Touchdown Zone Elevation (TDZE) or Threshold Elevation (THRE), and the Airport Elevation (Apt Elev) are shown. Rwy Ldg may not reflect full runway length due to displaced thresholds and shorter declared distances.

Top Briefing Strip Examples:

Ground based NAVAID:

DENVER, COLORADO)		
LOC/DME I-DZG 111.55 Chan 52(Y)	APP CRS 082°	Rwy Idg TDZE Apt Elev	12000 5352 5434

ILS or LOC RWY 7
DENVER INTL (DEN)

RNAV-WAAS:

DENVER, COLORADO

WAAS
CH 82628
W16B

APP CRS
TDZE
5326
Apt Elev
5434

RNAV (GPS) Y RWY 16R
DENVER INTL (DEN)

LAAS:

 GLS RWY 4L NEWARK LIBERTY INTL (EWR)

No Primary NAVAID box:

DENVER, COLORADO

APP CRS TDZE 5339 Apt Elev 5434

RNAV (RNP) Z RWY 17L DENVER INTL (DEN)

Circling Approach:

ROANOKE, VIRGINIA

VOR ODR	APP CRS	Rwy Idg TDZE	N/A N/A
114.9	236°	Apt Elev	1175

AL-349 (FAA)

16203

VOR/DME-A
ROANOKE-BLACKSBURG RGNL/WOODRUM FIELD (ROA)

Sidestep Procedure:

LOS ANGELES, CALIFORNIA

LOC/DME I-OSS 108.5 Chan 22	APP CRS 251 °	Rwy Idg TDZE Apt Elev	24R 8925 120 126	24L 9483 121 126
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AL-237 (FAA)

ILS or LOC RWY 24R
LOS ANGELES INTL (LAX)

Middle Briefing Strip

The middle briefing strip may contain information in up to three separate boxes, when available, in the following sequence from left to right:







110==0 P.0V	APPROACH
NOTES BOX	LIGHTING
	SYSTEM

MISSED APPROACH PROCECURE TEXT BOX

- Box 1: Notes Box: contains procedure notes and Takeoff, Alternate, RADAR, WAAS, and/or Cold Weather indicators (details provided below under Notes Box Symbology)
- Box 2: Approach Lighting System Box (when applicable): shows the approach lighting system name and charting icon. Multiple approach lighting systems may be shown for approaches that have straight-in minimums for parallel runways.
- Box 3: Missed Approach Procedure Text Box: The full textual description of the missed approach procedure is provided here.

Notes Box Symbology

Several different symbols may appear within the Notes Box:

- Non-Standard Takeoff minimums and/or Departure Procedures exist. Refer to Takeoff Minimum, (Obstacle)
 Departure Procedures, and Diverse Vector Area (RADAR VECTORS) section of the TPP
- A Non-standard IFR alternate minimums exist. Refer to IFR Alternate Airport Minimums section of the TPP.
- A NA Alternate minimums are not authorized due to unmonitored facility or absence of weather reporting service.
 - WAAS (Wide Area Augmentation System)
- €8-12°C Cold Temperature Restricted Airport

The negative within a black square box symbol shown in the Notes section below any "A" or "T" Symbol indicates that outages of the WAAS (Wide Area Augmentation System) vertical guidance may occur daily at this location due to initial system limitations. WAAS NOTAMs for vertical outages are not provided for this approach. Use LNAV minima for flight planning at these locations, whether as a destination or alternate. For flight operations at these locations, when the WAAS avionics indicate that LNAV/VNAV or LPV service is available, then vertical guidance may be used to complete the approach using the displayed level of service. Should an outage occur during the procedure, reversion to LNAV minima may be required.

When \$\frac{12^{\circ}C}{12^{\circ}C}\$ appears in the Notes section below all other symbols it indicates a cold temperature altitude correction is required at that airport when the reported temperature is at or below the published restricted temperature. Advise ATC when altitude correction is made in the intermedicate and/or missed approach segment. Reporting corrections to ATC in final segment is not required. See Notices to Airmen Publication (NTAP) Graphic Notices General for complete list of published airports, temperature/s, segments and procedure information.

When "ASR", "PAR" or "ASR/PAR" appear in the Note section immediately below the "T" and "A" symbols it indicates there are published Radar Instrument Approach Minimums. Where radar is approved for approach control service, it is used not only for radar approaches (Airport Surveillance Radar [ASR] and Precision Approach Radar [PAR]) but is also used to provide vectors in conjunction with published non-radar approaches based on radio NAVAIDs (ILS, VOR, NDB, TACAN). Radar vectors can provide course guidance and expedite traffic to the final approach course of any established IAP or to the traffic pattern for a visual approach.

Bottom Briefing Strip (Communications Information)

The communications briefing strip contains communication information when available, in separate boxes, listed from left to right in the order that they would be used during arrival with the tower frequency box bolded:

ATIS	APP CON	TOWER	GND CON	CLNC DEL	UNICOM
XXXXX	XXXX XXXX	XXXX XXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX	XXXXX

- ATIS, AFIS (AK Only) or ASOS/AWOS frequencies (when available, ATIS or AFIS will be the only weather frequency/s published)
- the Approach Control (APP CON) name and frequencies; when the approach service is provided by other than Approach Control, e.g. FSS (Radio), Tower, Center, the appropriate air traffic facility call name is provided.
- the Control Tower (TWR) name and frequencies, to include Precision Radar Monitoring (PRM) and frequency
- Ground Control (GND CON) frequencies
- Clearance Delivery (CLNC DEL) frequencies; where a Control Tower does not exist or is part-time, a remoted CLNC DEL may be listed.
- Controller Pilot Data Link Communication (CPDLC)
- Ground Communications Outlet (GCO) frequency
- Common Traffic Advisory Frequency (CTAF), shown in parentheses when shares a frequency, e.g. UNICOM 122.8 (CTAF)
- UNICOM or AUNICOM frequency

Note: Part-time operations will be annotated with a star. Check Chart Supplement for times of operation.

PLANVIEW

The planview of the IAP charts provides an overhead view of the entire instrument approach procedure.

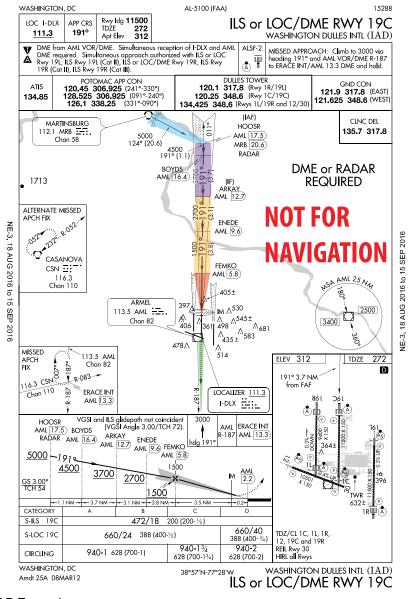
The data on the planview is shown to scale, unless concentric rings, scale breaks or an inset have been used.

Approach Segments
NAVAIDs
Restrictive Airspeeds
Restrictive Altitudes
Holding Patterns and Procedure Turns
Airports
Relief (Terrain Features)

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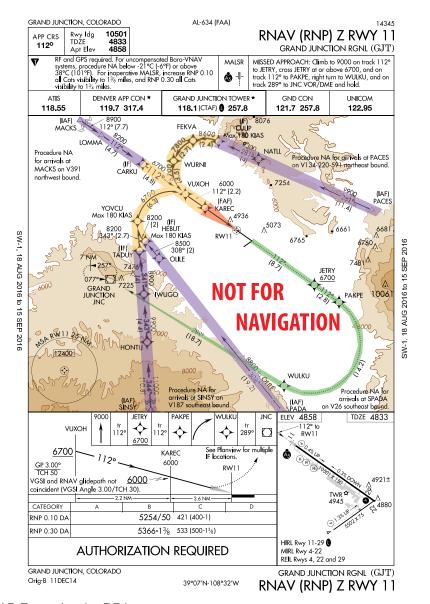
Approach Segments

The planview includes a graphical depiction of procedure entry through missed approach.



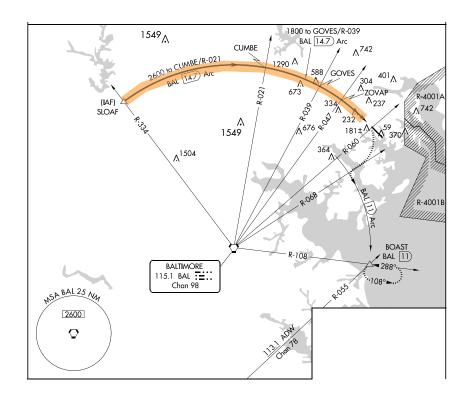
Sample IAP Example

Legend

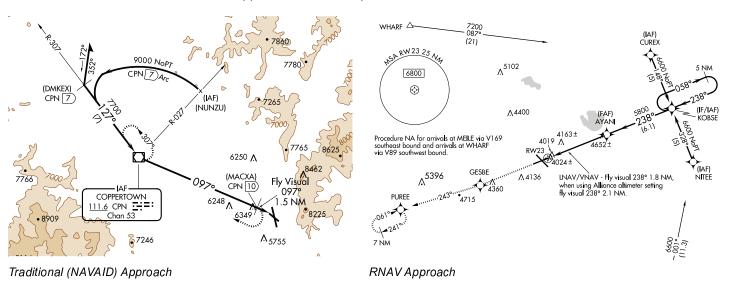


Complex IAP Example with RF Legs

- **Feeder Routes** (highlighted in blue See Simple IAP Example on previous page) may be used to provide a transition from the enroute structure to the IAF.
- Initial Approach (highlighted in purple in examples above) is the segment between the initial approach fix (IAF) and the intermediate fix (IF) or the point where the aircraft is established on the intermediate course or final approach course.
- Intermediate Approach (highlighted in yellow in examples above) is the segment between the intermediate fix or point and the final approach fix.
- **Final Approach Course** (highlighted in red in the examples above) is the segment between the final approach fix or point and the runway, airport, or missed approach point.
- Missed Approach (highlighted in green in the example above) begins at the MAP and continues until the designated fix or waypoint. Missed Approach Procedure Track is shown as a hash marked line in the planview. If the missed approach point falls outside of the area of the planview it will be shown in a separate box in the planview.
- DME arcs or Radius-to-Fix legs (RF) are shown as smooth arcs from a designated start point to a designated terminus.



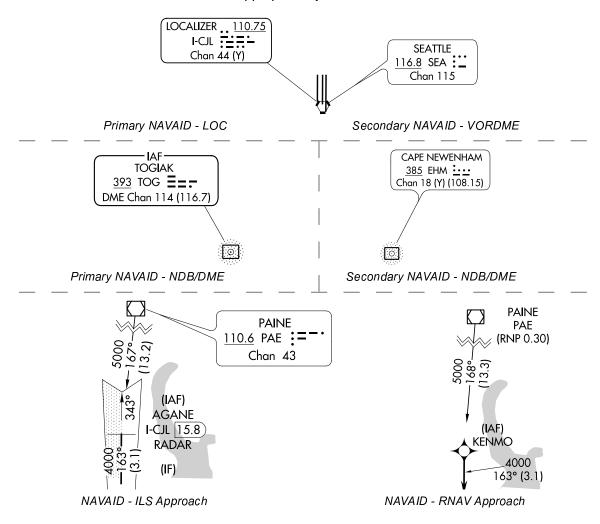
• **Visual Approach Track** is shown on procedures that are authorized to proceed visually such as on procedures that terminate or have missed approaches to the airport.



NAVAIDS

NAVAIDs used on ground based charts will show the appropriate symbol accompanied by a data box that contains the facility name, frequency, identifier and Morse code. A NAVAID box with a heavy line indicates the primary NAVAID used for the approach.

NAVAIDs used on GPS based charts show the appropriate symbol identified with the name and identifier.



Restrictive Airspeeds Along the Procedure Track

Restrictive airspeeds along the procedure track are shown paired with their respective fix/facility.

Туре	Description	Example
Recommended Speed	Recommended speed is depicted with no lines above or below it	180K
Minimum Speed	Minimum speed is depicted as a number with a line below it	120K
Maximum Speed	Maximum speed is depicted as a number with a line above it	250K
Mandatory Speed	Mandatory speed is depicted as a number with a line above and below it	175K

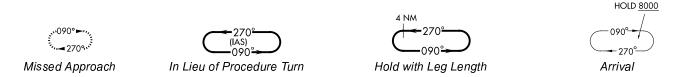
Altitudes

Restrictive altitudes along the procedure track are shown paired with their respective fix/ facility. Minimum, Maximum, Mandatory and Recommended Altitudes are shown.

Туре	Description	Example
Recommended Altitude	Recommended altitude is depicted with no lines above or below it	3000
Minimum Altitude	Minimum altitude is depicted as a number with a line below it	2500
Maximum Altitude	Maximum altitude is depicted as a number with a line above it	4300
Mandatory Altitude	Mandatory altitude is depicted as a number with a line above it	5500
Mandatory Block Altitude	Mandatory block altitude is depicted with a minimum and a maximum altitude.	5000 3000
Altitude		3000

Holding Patterns and Procedure Turns

Holding Patterns are used for many reasons, including deteriorating weather or high traffic volume. Holding might also be required following a missed approach. Each holding pattern has a fix, a direction to hold from the fix, and an airway, bearing, course, radial, or route on which the aircraft is to hold. These elements, along with the direction of the turns, define the holding pattern.



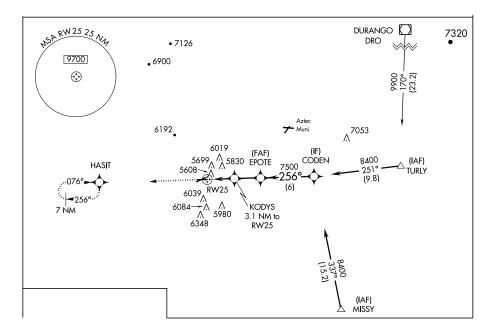
If a holding pattern has a non-standard speed restriction, it will be depicted by an icon with the limiting air speed shown inside the holding pattern symbol. These elements, along with the direction of the turns, define the holding pattern. If two types of holds are located at the same point, the procedural holding pattern will be shown in lieu of arrival or missed approach holding patterns.

A procedure turn is the maneuver prescribed to perform a course reversal to establish the aircraft inbound on an intermediate or final approach course. The procedure turn or hold-in-lieu-of procedure turn is a required maneuver when it is depicted on the approach chart. However, the procedure turn or the hold-in-lieu-of PT is not permitted when the symbol "NoPT" is depicted on the initial segment being flown, when a RADAR VECTOR to the final approach course is provided, or when conducting a timed approach from a holding fix. The procedure turn will be shown in the planview and in the profile of the chart.



Airports

The primary approach airport is shown to scale by a pattern of all the runways. Airports other than the primary approach airport may be shown with an airport pattern and name when in close proximity to the primary airport.

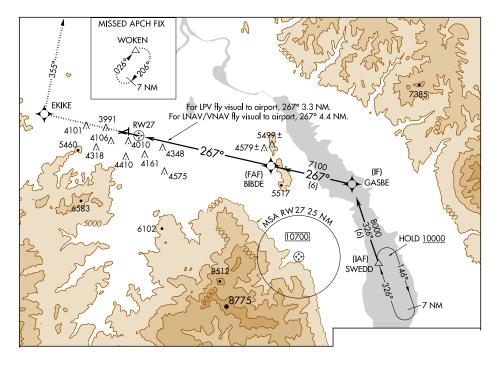


Relief (Terrain Features)

Terrain is depicted in the planview portion of all IAPs at airports that meet the following criteria:

If the terrain within the planview exceeds 4,000 feet above the airport elevation, or If the terrain within a 6.0 nautical mile radius of the Airport Reference Point (ARP) rises to at least 2,000 feet above the airport elevation.

When an airport meets either of the above criteria, terrain will be charted by use of contours, spot elevations, and gradient tints of brown on all IAPs for that airport. Contour layers will be shown in no more than five brown tints, with consecutively darker tints used for consecutively higher elevation contour layers.



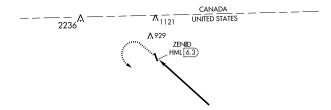
Hydrography (Water)

Water Depiction is depicted in grey, in the planview portion of IAPs. See previous example. The following hydrographic features are shown:

- Oceans
- · Significant rivers and streams
- Significant lakes If only one river or one small lake is involved, not located in the immediate airport vicinity, the hydrographic information requirement may be waived.

International Boundary

When the planview includes a boundary of another country the International boundaries are shown by a dashed line. International boundaries are identified with country name within the country area.

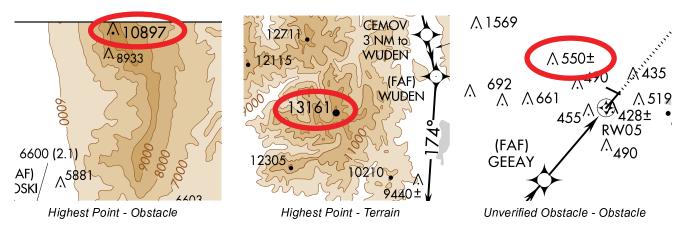


Obstacles (Man-made, Terrain and Vegetation)

Obstacles are shown as Λ when they are man-made or vegetation or as a \bullet when they are terrain. The highest obstacle, whether man-made or terrain is depicted with a bolder and larger symbol along with larger elevation font size. Any obstacle which penetrates a slope of 67:1 emanating from any point along the centerline of any runway shall be considered for charting within the area shown to scale. Obstacles specifically identified by the approving authority for charting shall be charted regardless of the 67:1 requirement.

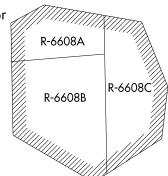
Unverified obstacles shall be indicated by a doubtful accuracy symbol \pm following the elevation value.

On non-precision approaches, obstacles should be considered when determining where to begin descent from the MDA.



Special Use Airspace (SUA)

SUAs consists of that airspace wherein activities must be confined because of their nature, or wherein limitations are imposed upon aircraft operations that are not a part of those activities, or both. These are prohibited areas, restricted areas, warning areas, Military Operations Areas (MOAs), and alert areas. SUA that falls within the area of coverage of the instrument approach procedure chart are shown only when designated by the approving authority.

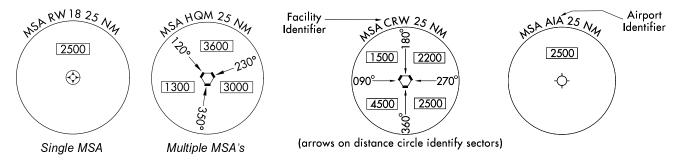


Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ)

ADIZ is an area of airspace in which the identification, location, and control of aircraft is required in the interest of national security. When designated by the approving authority, ADIZ boundaries that fall within the area of coverage of the chart are shown.

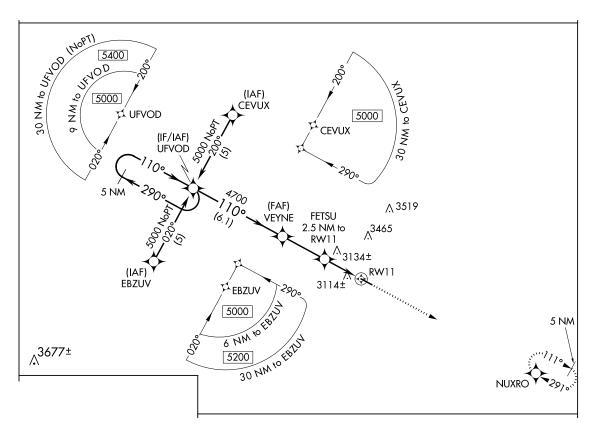
Minimum Safe Altitude (MSA)

MSAs are published for emergency use on IAP charts. MSAs appear in the planview of all IAPs except on approaches for which a Terminal Arrival Area (TAA) is used. The MSA is based on the primary NAVAID, waypoint, or airport reference point on which the IAP is predicated. The MSA depiction on the approach chart contains the identifier of the NAVAID/waypoint/airport used to determine the MSA altitudes. MSAs are expressed in feet above mean sea level and normally have a 25 NM radius; however, this radius may be expanded to 30 NM if necessary to encompass the airport landing surfaces. Ideally, a single sector altitude is established and depicted on the planview of approach charts; however, when necessary to obtain relief from obstructions, the area may be further sectored and as many as four MSAs established. When established, sectors may be no less than 90° in spread. MSAs provide 1,000 feet clearance over all obstructions but do not necessarily assure acceptable navigation signal coverage.



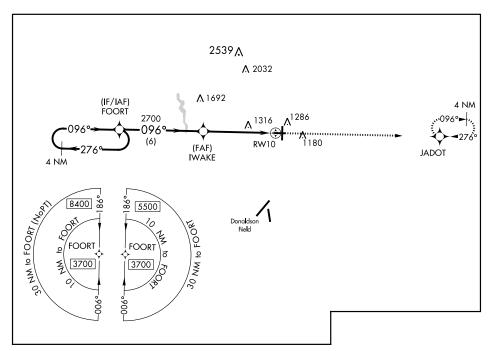
Terminal Arrival Areas (TAAs)

The TAA icons will be positioned in the planview relative to their relationship to the procedure. The icon will not have feeder routes, airways, or radar vectors depicted. The TAA provides a transition from the enroute structure to the terminal environment with little required pilot/air traffic control interface for aircraft equipped with Area Navigation (RNAV) systems. A standard TAA has three areas: straight-in, left base, and right base. The arc boundaries of the three areas of the TAA are published portions of the approach. A TAA provides minimum altitudes with standard obstacle clearance when operating within the TAA boundaries. TAAs are primarily used on RNAV approaches but may be used on an ILS approach when RNAV is the sole means for navigation to the IF; however, they are not normally used in areas of heavy concentration of air traffic.



Example of Standard TAA

Non-standard TAAs may also be published; i.e., one base leg, no base legs.



Example of Non-Standard TAA

MISSED APPROACH INFORMATION

Missed approach information is shown in 3 locations on the chart:

- The Middle Briefing Strip The complete textual missed approach instructions are provided at the top of the approach chart in the middle pilot briefing strip.
- The Planview The missed approach track is drawn using a thin, hash marked line with a directional arrow. If the missed approach point is off the chart, the missed approach track shall extend to the chart border.

Missed Approach

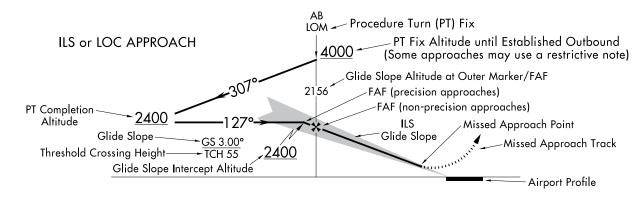
• The Profile Box - Missed Approach Icons will be depicted in the upper left or upper right of the profile box. The Missed Approach Icons are intended to provide quick, at a glance intuitive guidance to the pilot, to supplement the textual missed approach instructions in the briefing strip. Space permitting, all textual missed approach instructions will be graphically depicted in sequence. If space does not permit the depiction of all missed approach icons, only the first four icon boxes will be shown.

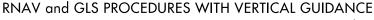
Example Missed Approach Icons	Missed Approach Text				
13000 TEKGU INT R-179 EKR R-179 EKR 444.2	MISSED APPROACH: Climb to 13000 on RIL VOR/DME R-250 to TEKGU INT/RIL 19 DME and on EKR VOR/DME R-179 to WOKPA/EKR 44.2 DME and hold, continue climb-in-hold to 13000.				
8000 SVC Reverse Course SVC	MISSED APPROACH: Climbing left turn to 8000 via SVC R-128, then reverse course to SVC VOR/DME and hold.				
9000 JETRY PAKPE WULKU Tr 289° S	MISSED APPROACH: Climb to 9000 on track 112° to JETRY, cross JETRY at or above 6700, and on track 112° to PAKPE, right turn to WULKU, and on track 289° to JNC VOR/DME and hold.				

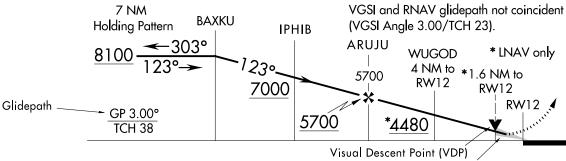
Example Missed Approach Icons	Missed Approach Text
14000 HOMDU 160° DEVEC 160° FTI Crs 174°	MISSED APPROACH: Climb to 14000 via 174° course to HOMDU and via 160° track to DEVEC and 160° track to FTI VORTAC and hold.
5800 10000 SVC KUNRE SVC R-193 \(\triangle \t	MISSED APPROACH: Climb to 5800, then climbing left turn to 10000 via heading 190° and SVC VOR/DME R-193 to KUNRE INT/SVC VOR/DME 24.1 DME and hold.

PROFILE VIEW

A profile diagram of the instrument approach procedure is shown below the planview. The published descent profile and graphical depiction of the vertical path using those facilities, intersections, fixes, etc. identified in the procedure to the runway are shown. A profile view of the procedure track is shown. The approach track begins toward the top of the primary facility line, unless otherwise dictated by the procedure, and shall descend to where the final approach ends and the missed approach begins.



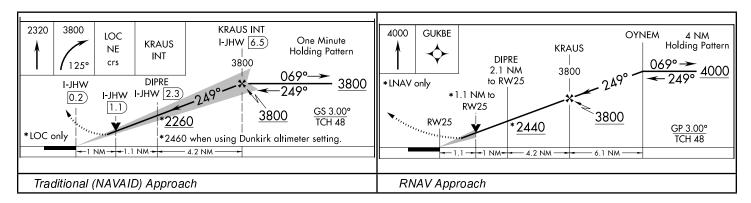




Visual segment below MDA/DA is clear of obstacles on 34:1 slope. (Absence of shaded area indicates 34:1 is not clear.)

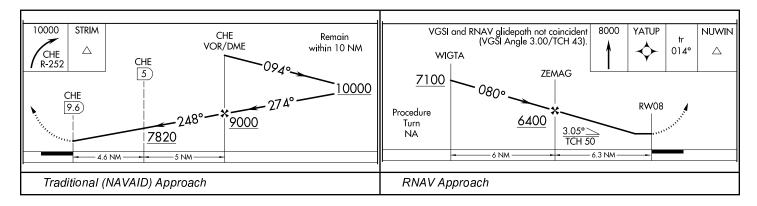
Precision Approaches

On precision approaches, the glideslope (GS) intercept altitude is illustrated by a zigzag line and an altitude. This is the minimum altitude for GS interception after completion of the procedure turn. Precision approach profiles also depict the GS angle of descent, threshold crossing height (TCH) and GS altitude at the outer marker (OM) or designated fix.



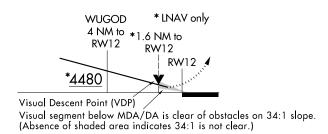
Non-Precision Approaches

On nonprecision approaches, the final segment begins at the Final Approach Fix (FAF) which is identified with the Maltese cross symbol . When no FAF is depicted, the final approach point is the point at which the aircraft is established inbound on the final approach course. Stepdown fixes may also be provided between the FAF and the airport for authorizing a lower minimum descent angle (MDA) and are depicted with the fix or facility name and a dashed line. On RNAV procedures without precision minima i.e., DAs, the approach track descends to the MDA or VDP point, thence horizontally to the missed approach point. On non-RNAV procedures without precision minima, the horizontal segment is shown from the VDP, when it exists, or the MDA when there is no VDP, and a vertical glide angle/TCH is provided.



Visual Decent Point (VDP)

The Visual Descent Point (VDP), is shown by a bold letter "V" positioned above the procedure track and centered on the accompanying dashed line. (See example below.) The VDP is a defined point on the final approach course of a non-precision straight-in approach procedure from which normal descent from the MDA to the runway touchdown point may be commenced.

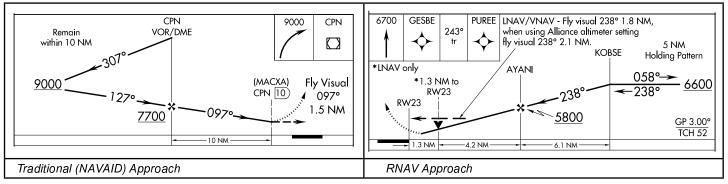


Visual Flight Path

Instrument approach procedures that terminate or have missed approaches prior to the airport, and are authorized to proceed visual, shall be shown by the dashed line symbol from the missed approach point to the airport. The note "Fly visual" along with the bearing and distance shall be shown leadered to the visual flight path.

RNAV charts sometimes have visual flight for LNAV/VNAV minima which do not start at the missed approach point. An additional note indicating "LNAV/VNAV" will be placed above the note.

Chart Examples



ILS Glide Slope and RNAV Glidepath

A note providing the glide slope (GS) or glidepath (GP) angle and the threshold crossing height (TCH), are positioned in the lower half of the profile box

- GS will be shown on all ILS procedures.
- GP will be shown GLS procedures and all RNAV procedures with a published decision altitude

Threshold Crossing Height (TCH) has been traditionally used in "precision" approaches as the height of the glide slope above threshold. With publication of LNAV/VNAV minimums and RNAV descent angles, including graphically depicted descent profiles, TCH also applies to the height of the "descent angle," or glidepath, at the threshold.

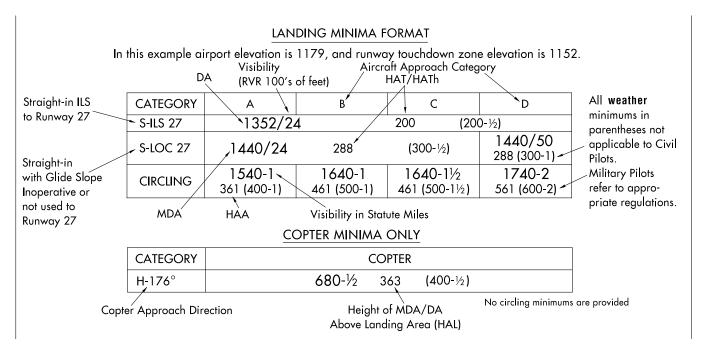
34:1 Surface Clear Stipple Symbol

On RNAV approach charts, a small shaded arrowhead shaped symbol from the end of the VDA to the runway indicates that the 34:1 Obstacle Clearance Surface (OCS) for the visual segments is clear of obstacles. (See example in VDP Section.)

LANDING MINIMUMS

The landing minimums section is positioned directly below the profile. This section gives the pilot the lowest altitude and visibility requirements for the approach. There are two types of landing minimums: Straight-in landing or Circling. Straight-in landing minimums are the MDA and visibility, or DH and visibility, required for a straight-in landing on a specified runway. Circling minimums are the MDA and visibility required for the circle-to-land maneuver.

The minimums for straight-in and circling are located under each aircraft category. When there is not a division line between minimums for each category, the minimums apply to two or more categories.



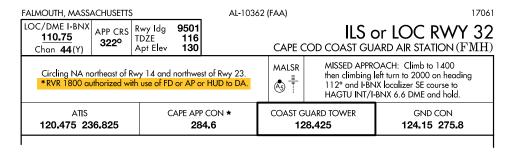
A second category of straight-in minimums called "sidestep" may be depicted where parallel runways exist.

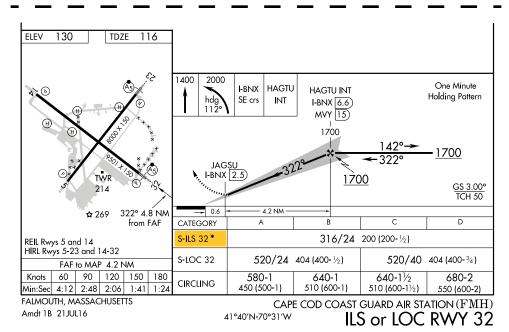
CATEGORY	А	В	С	D				
S-ILS 24R		320/18 200 (200-1/2)						
S-LOC 24R	40	460/24 340 (400-1/2)						
SIDESTEP RWY 24L	58	580/50 459 (500-1)						

The terms used to describe the minimum approach altitudes differ between precision and nonprecision approaches. Precision approaches use DH, which is referenced to the height above threshold elevation (HAT). Nonprecision approaches use MDA, referenced to "feet MSL." The MDA is also referenced to HAT for straight-in approaches, or height above airport (HAA) for circling approaches. The figures listed parenthetically are for military operations and are not used in civil aviation.

The visibility values are shown after the DA/DH or MDA. They are provided in statue miles or runway visual range (RVR). RVR is reported in hundreds of feet. If the visibility is in statute miles, there is an altitude number, hyphen, whole or fractional number, e.g. 530-1. This indicates 530 feet MSL and 1 statute mile of visibility. The RVR value is separated from the minimum altitude with a slash, e.g., 1540/24. This indicates 1540 feet MSL and RVR of 2400 feet.

When a reference mark (*, **, #, etc.) is shown on a line of minimums, the qualifying footnote is provided in the notes section.





Circling Minimums

There was a change to the TERPS criteria in 2012 that affects circling area dimension by expanding the areas to provide improved obstacle protection. To indicate that the new criteria had been applied to a given procedure, a is placed on the circling line of minimums. The new circling tables and explanatory information is located in the Legend of the TPP.

The approaches using standard circling approach areas can be identified by the absence of the on the circling line of minima.

CATEGORY	Α	В	C D				
LPV DA	308/24 200 (200-1/2)						
LNAV/ VNAV DA	804-2 696 (700-2)						
LNAV MDA	800/24	692 (700-1/2)	800-11/2	592 (700-1½)			
CIRCLING	800-1	687 (700-1)	800-2 687 (700-2)	860-2½ 747 (800-2½)			

Apply Standard Circling Approach Maneuvering Radius Table

CATEGORY	Α	В	С	D
CIRCLING	9120-11/4	9120-11/2	9260-3	NA
CIRCLING	1709 (1800-11/4)	1709 (1800-1½)	1849 (1900-3)	13/3

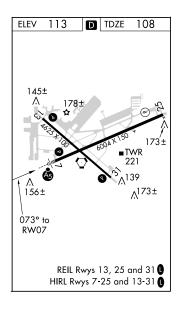
Apply Expanded Circling Approach Maneuvering Airspace Radius Table

AIRPORT SKETCH

The airport sketch is a depiction of the airport with emphasis on runway pattern and related information, positioned in either the lower left or lower right corner of the chart to aid pilot recognition of the airport from the air and to provide some information to aid on ground navigation of the airport. The runways are drawn to scale and oriented to true north. Runway dimensions (length and width) are shown for all active runways.

Runway(s) are depicted based on what type and construction of the runway.

Hard Surface	Other Than Hard Surface	Closed Runway	
_			× ×
Under Construction	Stopways, Taxiways, Parking Areas, Water Runways	Displaced Threshold	Closed Taxiway
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Taxiways and aprons are shaded grey. Other runway features that may be shown are runway numbers, runway dimensions, runway slope, arresting gear, and displaced threshold.

Other information concerning lighting, final approach bearings, airport beacon, obstacles, control tower, NAVAIDs, helipads may also be shown.

Airport Elevation and Touchdown Zone/Threshold Elevation

The airport elevation is shown enclosed within a box in the upper left corner of the sketch box and the touchdown zone (TDZE) or threshold elevation (THRE) is shown in the upper right corner of the sketch box. The airport elevation is the highest point of an airport's usable runways measured in feet from mean sea level. The touchdown zone is the highest elevation in the first 3,000 feet of the landing surface while the threshold elevation is the elevation of the runway threshold. The chart will show either the TDZE or THRE, except for circling only approaches which will show neither.

Runway Declared Distance Information

Runway declared distance information when available will be indicated by **D** and is shown to the right of the airport elevation in the sketch box. Declared distances for a runway represent the maximum distances available and suitable for meeting takeoff and landing distance performance requirements.

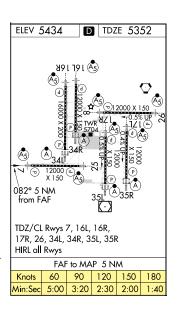
Runway Lights

Notes regarding approach lighting systems are shown at the bottom of the sketch box. Runway lights (HIRL) (MIRL) (TDZL)(TDZ/CL) shall be indicated by a note, e.g. HIRL Rwy 9-27.

Other approach lighting is shown on the airport sketch as a symbol on the side of the runway where they are actually located. Symbols that are shown in negative indicate pilot-controlled lighting.

Runway centerline lights (CL) are installed on some precision approach runways to facilitate landing under adverse visibility conditions. They are located along the runway centerline and are spaced at 50 foot intervals. Runways with CL are shown in a negative dot pattern through the middle of the solid runway as illustrated in the airport sketch to right.

Runway centerline lights will be indicated by a note only when paired with TDZL, e.g., TDZ/CL Rwys 6 and 24.

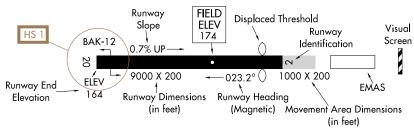


Time/Distance Table

When applicable, a Time/Distance Table is provided below the airport sketch. The table provides the distance and time that is required from the final approach fix to the missed approach point for select groundspeeds.

AIRPORT DIAGRAMS

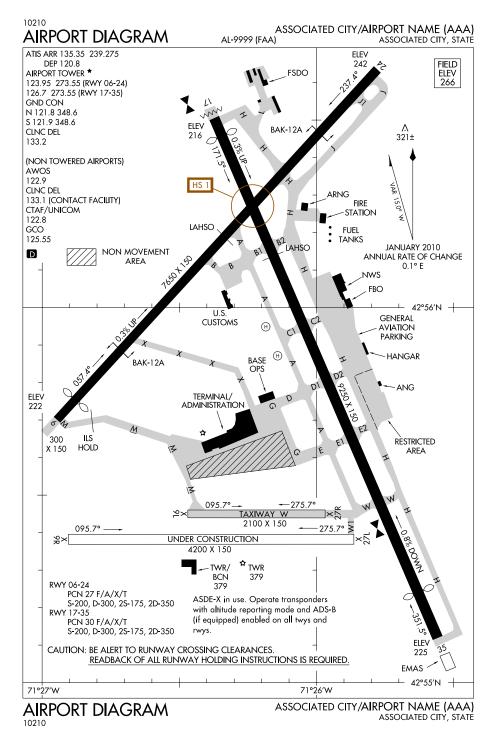
Airport Diagrams are specifically designed to assist in the movement of ground traffic at locations with complex runway/ taxiway configurations. Airport Diagrams are not intended for use in approach and landing or departure operations. An airport diagram assists pilots in identifying their location on the airport, thus reducing requests for "progressive taxi instructions" from controllers.



Airport Diagram Features:

- 1. Runways
 - a. complete with magnetic headings (including magnetic variation and epoch year) and identifiers.
 - b. Runways under construction shall also be shown.
 - c. Runway dimensions, displaced thresholds, runway end elevations.
 - d. Runway surface composition
 - e. Weight bearing capacity (landing gear configuration or Pavement Classification Number)
 - f. Land and Hold Short (LAHSO) lines, ILS hold lines, Localizer/Glide Slope Critical Areas.
 - g. Arresting Gear. To include Engineered Materials Arresting System (EMAS).
- 2. Taxiways, with identifiers. Taxiways under construction shall also be shown.
- Hot Spot locations.
- 4. Parking areas, run-up pads, alert areas, landing pads, "Non-Movement" areas (where pilot is NOT under air traffic control), ramps, aprons and hold pads.
- 5. Turnarounds, blast pads, stopways, overruns, and clearways (include dimensions when known)
- Large tanks, including fueling area.
- 7. Control towers (include tower height).
- 8. Airport beacon.
- Helicopter pads.
- 10. Radar reflectors.
- 11. Highest obstruction within diagram boundary.
- 12. Any building that pilot can taxi to. Other buildings to include terminal/administration and Base operations, fire station, NWS, AFSS, FAA, FSDO, ANG, USCG, FBO.
- 13. Comm Frequencies.

Note: Star when used in the Comm Frequencies indicates part-time status. Check Chart Supplement for times of operation.



Runway Construction

Runway construction is depicted as follows:

Hard Surface	Other Than Hard Surface	Metal Surface	Closed Runway	Closed Taxiway	Under Construction	Stopways, Taxiways, Parking Areas, Water Runways	Displaced Threshold
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Hot Spots

Hot Spots are a runway safety related problem area or intersection on an airport. Typically it is a complex or confusing taxiway/taxiway or taxiway/runway intersection. A confusing condition may be compounded by a miscommunication between a controller and a pilot, and may cause an aircraft separation standard to be compromised. The area may have a history of surface incidents or the potential for surface incidents.

Hot Spots are indicated on the Airport Diagram with a brown open circle or polygon leadered to a Hot Spot number, e.g., HS 1. The number corresponds to a listing and description on the Hot Spot page in the front the TPP. More information and location of Hot Spots can be found at http://www.faa.gov/airports/runway_safety/hotspots/hotspots list/.

DEPARTURE PROCEDURES (DPs)

Departure Procedures (DPs) are designed specifically to assist pilots in avoiding obstacles during the climb to the minimum enroute altitude, and/or airports that have civil IFR takeoff minimums other than standard. There are two types of DPs: Obstacle Departure Procedures (ODPs), printed either textually or graphically and Standard Instrument Departures (SIDs), always printed graphically. SIDs are primarily designed for system enhancement and to reduce pilot/controller workload, and require ATC clearance. ODPs provide obstruction clearance via the least onerous route from the terminal area and may be flown without ATC clearance. All DPs provide the pilot with a safe departure from the airport and transition to the enroute structure.

Generally, DP charts are depicted "not to scale" due to the great distances involved on some procedures or route segments. A "to scale" portrayal may be used if readability is assured.

The DP will show the departure routing, including transitions to the appropriate enroute structure. All routes, turns, altitudes, NAVAIDs, facilities forming intersections and fixes, and those facilities terminating the departure route are shown. A textual description of the departure procedure is also provided. For RNAV DPs, the transition text consists of the transition name and associated computer code. On non-RNAV DPs, the transition text will also include the description of all turns, altitudes, radials, bearings and facilities/fixes needed to guide the user from the common departure point to the terminating facility fix.

STANDARD TERMINAL ARRIVAL (STARs) CHARTS

STARs are pre-planned Instrument Flight Rule (IFR) air traffic control arrival procedures for pilot use in graphic and/or textual form. STARs depict prescribed routes to transition the aircraft from the enroute structure to a fix in the terminal area from which an instrument approach can be conducted. STARs reduce pilot/controller workload and air-ground communications, minimizing error potential in delivery and receipt of clearances.

STAR charts generally shall be depicted 'not to scale' due to the great distances involved on many procedures and route segments. A 'to scale' depiction may be used only if readability is assured.

The STAR will show the arrival routing, including transitions from the appropriate enroute structure. All routes, turns, altitudes, NAVAIDs, facilities forming intersections and fixes, and those facilities/fixes terminating or beginning the arrival route shall be shown in the graphic depiction. A textual description of the arrival procedure is also provided. For RNAV STARs, transition text will consist of the transition name and associated computer code. For non-RNAV STARs, the transition text will also include a description of all turns, altitudes, radials, bearings and facilities/fixes needed to guide the user from the entry point to the common facility/fix.

CHARTED VISUAL FLIGHT PROCEDURE (CVFP) CHARTS

CVFPs are charted visual approaches established for environmental/noise considerations, and/or when necessary for the safety and efficiency of air traffic operations. The approach charts depict prominent landmarks, courses, and recommended altitudes to specific runways. CVFPs are designed to be used primarily for turbojet aircraft. CVFPs are not instrument approaches and do not have missed approach segments.

CVFPs are named for the primary landmark and the specific runway for which the procedure is developed, such as: RIVER VISUAL RWY 18, STADIUM VISUAL RWY 24. The CVFP charts are divided into planview and notes sections separated by a bar scale in 1 NM increments. The planview of the CVFP includes the portrayal of visual approach procedures information, such as landmarks, NAVAIDs, visual track, hydrography, special use airspace and cultural features, as applicable.

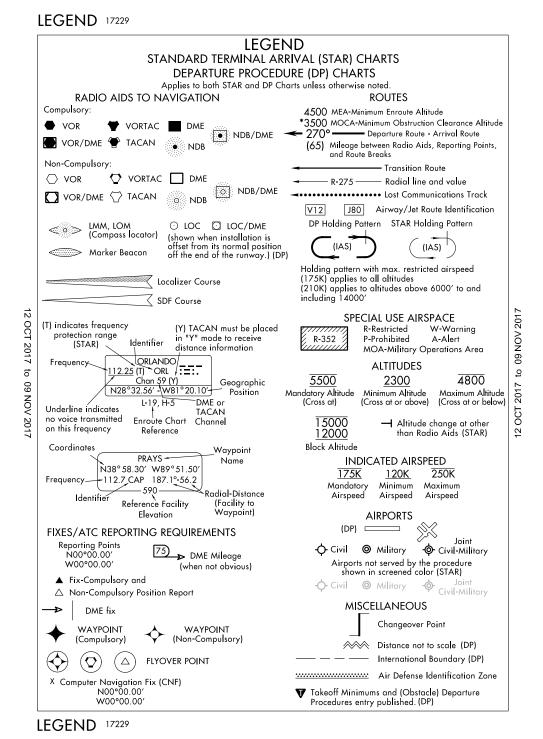
CVFPs originate at or near, and are designed around, prominent visual landmarks and typically do not extend beyond 15 flight path miles from the landing runway. Visual tracks start at a geographical point or landmark where the procedure must be flown visually to the airport. The visual track is indicated by a dashed line. Visual tracks may include the track value, distance and minimum or recommended altitudes.

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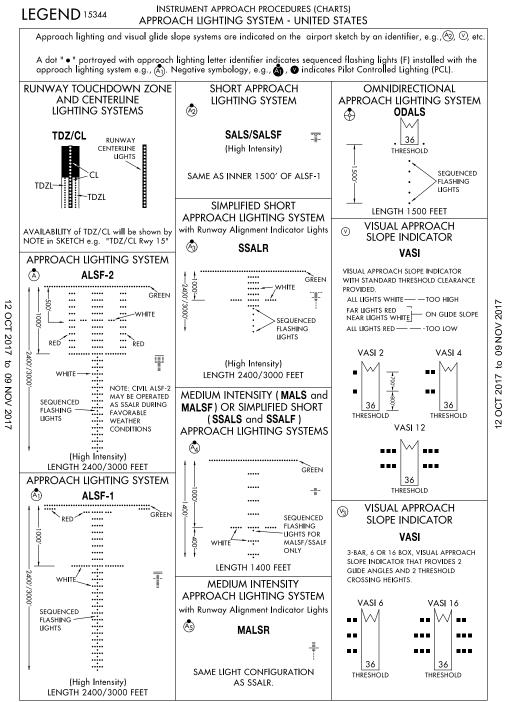
GENERAL INFORMATION

Symbols shown are for the Terminal Procedures Publication (TPP) which includes Standard Terminal Arrival (STARs) Charts, Departure Procedures (DPs), Instrument Approach Procedures (IAP) and Airport Diagrams.

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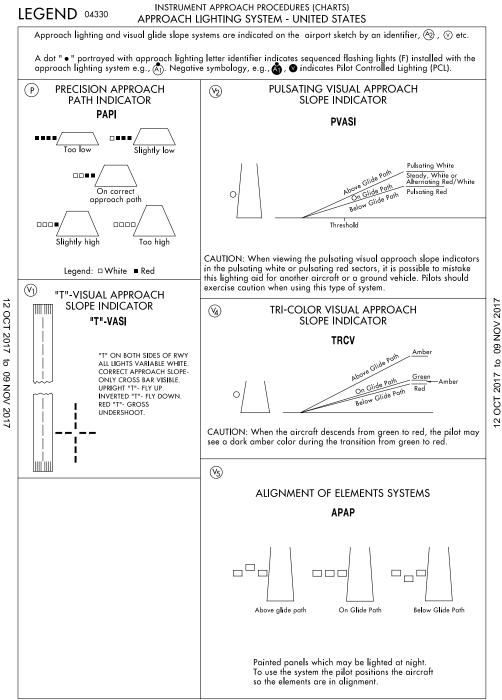


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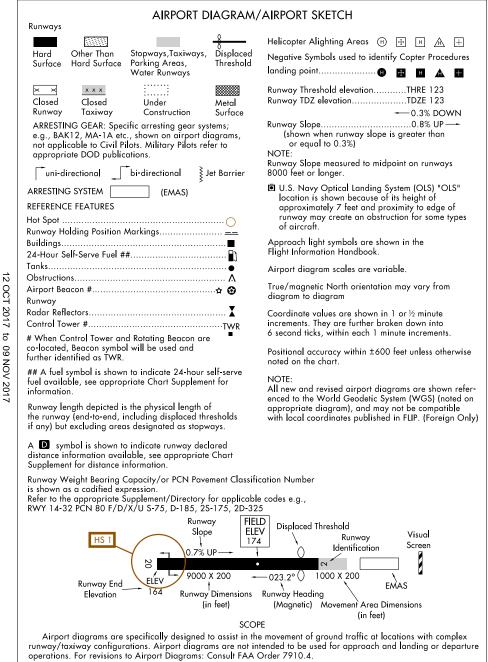
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INSTRUMENT APPROACH PROCEDURES (CHARTS)



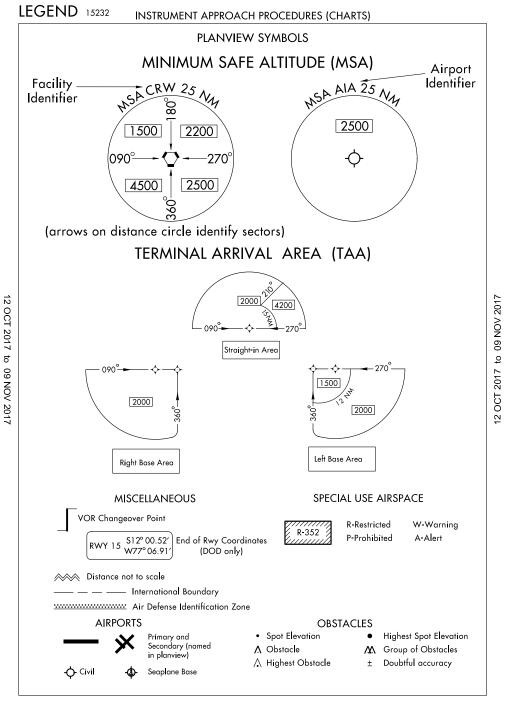
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COLD TEMPERATURE AIRPORTS

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COLD TEMPERATURE RESTRICTED AIRPORTS

NOTE: A \$\frac{12\circ}{C}\$ symbol indicates a cold temperature altitude correction is required at this airport when reported temperature is at or below the published restricted temperature. Pilots familiar with cold temperature procedure in the Notice to Airman Publication (NTAP) and correcting all altitudes from the IAF to the MA final holding altitude do not have to reference the NTAP. Pilots wishing to correct on individual segments must reference the NTAP integration (NTAP) Graphic Notices General for complete list of published airports, temperature, segments, and procedure information. www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/notices. Pilots will advise ATC with the required altitude correction when making a correction to any segment other than the final segment. See following Cold Temperature Error Table to make manual corrections.

COLD TEMPERATURE ERROR TABLE

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₹	0	20	20	30	30	40	40	50	50	60	90	120	170	230	280
Ξ.	-10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	150	200	290	390	490
Ω	-20	30	50	60	70	90	100	120	130	140	210	280	420	570	710
Z	-30	40	60	80	100	120	140	150	170	190	280	380	570	760	950
Q	-40	50	80	100	120	150	170	190	220	240	360	480	720	970	1210
Ĭ,	-50	60	90	120	1.50	180	210	240	270	300	450	590	890	1190	1.500

REFERENCES

There are several references available from the FAA to aid pilots and other interest parties to learn more about FAA Charts and other aspects of aviation.

Publication		FAA Publication ID
AERONAUTICAL	Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM)	
INFORMATION MANUAL	URL: http://www.faa.gov/air_traffic/publications/	
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Instrument Procedures Handbook	Instrument Procedures Handbook	FAA-H-8083-16B
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Instrument Flying Handbook	Instrument Flying Handbook	FAA-H-8083-15B
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ABBREVIATIONS

DME - Distance Measuring Equipment Α DP - Departure Procedure DT - Daylight Savings Time AAS - Airport Advisory Service DVA - Diverse Vector Area AAUP - Attention All Users Page ADF - Automatic Direction Finder ADIZ - Air Defense Identification Zone Ε ADS - Automatic Dependent Surveillance ADS-B - Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast E - East Advsry - Advisory EFAS - Enroute Flight Advisory Service AFIS - Automatic Flight Information Service EFB - Electronic Flight Bag AFS - Air Force Station Elev - Elevation AGL - Above Ground Level AIM - Aeronautical Information Manual F AIRAC - Aeronautical Information Regulation And Control APP - Approach FAA - Federal Aviation Administration Apt - Airport FAF - Final Approach Fix APV - Approaches with Vertical Guidance FAP - Final Approach Point ARP - Airport Reference Point FAR - Federal Aviation Regulation ARTCC - Air Route Traffic Control Center FIR - Flight Information Region ASDA - Accelerate-Stop Distance Available FL - Flight Level ASDE-X - Airport Surface Detection Equipment-Model X FLIP - Flight Information Publication ASOS - Automated Surface Observing Station FMS - Flight Management System ASR - Airport Surveillance Radar FREQ - Frequency ATC - Air Traffic Control FRZ - Flight Restricted Zone ATIS - Automatic Terminal Information Service FSDO - Flight Standards District Office ATS - Air Traffic Service FSS - Flight Service Station AUNICOM - Automated Aeronautical Advisory Station AWOS - Automated Weather Observing Station G В GBAS - Ground-Based Augmentation System GCO - Ground Communications Outlet Baro-VNAV - Barometric Vertical Navigation GLS - GBAS Landing System BS - Broadcast Station GND - Ground GNSS - Global Navigation Satellite System C GPS - Global Positioning System GS - Ground Speed CAC - Caribbean Aeronautical Chart CAT - Category н CFA - Controlled Firing Areas CFR - Code of Federal Regulations HAA - Height Above Airport CLNC DEL - Clearance Delivery HAR - High Altitude Redesign CH - Channel HAT - Height Above Touchdown **CNF** - Computer Navigation Fix HF - High Frequency COP - Changeover Point HIWAS - Hazardous Inflight Weather Advisory Service CPDLC - Controller Pilot Data Link Communication CRS - Course Ī CT - Control Tower CTAF - Common Traffic Advisory Frequency IAC - Interagency Air Committee CVFP - Charted Visual Flight Procedure IACC - Interagency Air Cartographic Committee IAF - Initial Approach Fix D IAP - Instrument Approach Procedure ICAO - International Civil Aviation Authority DA - Decision Altitude IDT - Identifier DA - Density Altitude IF - Intermediate Fix D-ATIS - Digital Automatic Terminal Information Service IFR - Instrument Flight Rules

ILS - Instrument Landing System

IMC - Instrument Meteorological Conditions

DH - Decision Height

DoD - Department of Defense

INS - Inertial Navigation System IR - Instrument Route

IRU - Inertial Reference Unit

Κ

KIAS - Knots

L

LAAS - Local Area Augmentation System

LAHSO - Land and Hold Short

LAA - Local Airport Advisory

LAAS - Local Area Augmentation System

LDA - Localizer-type Directional Aid

LDA - Landing Distance Available

Ldg - Landing

LF - Low Frequency

LNAV - Lateral Navigation

LOC - Localizer

LOM - Locator Outer Marker

LPV - Localizer Performance with Vertical Guidance

LRRS - Long Range Radar Station

LTP - Landing Threshold Point

М

MAA - Maximum Authorized Altitude

MAP - Missed Approach Point

MCA - Minimum Crossing Altitude

MDA - Minimum Descent Altitude

MDH - Minimum Descent Height

MEA - Minimum Enroute Altitude

MEF - Maximum Elevation Figure

MF - Medium Frequency

MIA - Minimum IFR Altitude

MOA - Military Operations Areas

MOCA - Minimum Obstruction Clearance Altitude

MORA - Minimum Off-Route Altitude

MRA - Minimum Reception Altitude

MSA - Minimum Safe Altitude

MSL - Mean Sea Level

MTA - Minimum Turning Altitude

MTR - Military Training Route

MVA - Minimum Vector Altitude

Ν

N - North

N/A - Not Applicable

NA - Not Authorized

NAS - National Airspace System

NAVAID - Navigational Aid (Ground based)

NDB - Non-Directional Radiobeacon

NextGen - Next Generation Air Transportation System

NFDC - National Flight Data Center

NFPO - National Flight Procedures Office

NM - Nautical Mile

NOAA - National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration

NO A/G - No Air-to-Ground Communication

NOTAM - Notice to Airman

NoPT - No Procedure Turn

NPA - Non-Precision Approach

NTAP - Notices to Airman Publication NWS - National Weather Service

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OAT - Outside Air Temperature

OBS - Omni Bearing Selector

OCA - Ocean Control Area

OCS - Obstacle Clearance Surface

ODP - Obstacle Departure Procedure

OROCA - Off Route Obstruction Clearance Altitude

Ρ

PA - Precision Approach

PAR - Precision Approach Radar

PRM - Precision Runway Monitor

PT - Procedure Turn

PTP - Point-to-Point

Pvt - Private

R

R - Radial

R - Receive

R - Restricted Area (Special Use Airspace)

RCO - Remote Communications Outlet

RF - Radius-to-Fix

RNAV - Area Navigation

RNP - Required Navigation Performance

RNP AR - Required Navigation Performance Authorization Required

ROC - Required Obstacle Clearance

RVR - Runway Visual Range

RVSM - Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum

Rwy - Runway

S

S - South

SAAAR - Special Aircraft and Aircrew Authorization Required

SAAR - Special Aircraft and Aircrew Requirements

SATNAV - Satellite Navigation

SDF - Simplified Directional Facility

SER - Start End of Runway

SFAR - Special Flight Rules Area

SFRA - Special Flight Rules Area

SFC - Surface

SIAPS - Standard Instrument Approach Procedures

SID - Standard Instrument Departure

SM - Statute Mile

SMAR - Special Military Activity Routes

SMGCS - Surface Movement Guidance and Control System

SOIA - Simultaneous Offset Instrument Approaches

SSV - Standard Service Volume

STAR - Standard Terminal Arrival Procedure

SUA - Special Use Airspace

SVFR - Special Visual Flight Rules

Т

TA - Travel Advisory

TAA - Terminal Arrival Area

TAC - Terminal Area Chart

TACAN - Tactical Air Navigation

TAS - True Air Speed

TCH - Threshold Crossing Height

TDZ - Touchdown Zone

TDZE - Touchdown Zone Elevation

TERPS - U.S. Standard for Terminal Instrument Procedures

TFR - Temporary Flight Restriction

THRE - Threshold Elevation

TIBS - Telephone Information Briefing Service

TIS-B - Traffic Information Service - Broadcast

TOC - Top of Climb

TOD - Top of Descent

TODA - Takeoff Distance Available

TOGA - Takeoff/Go Around

TORA - Takeoff Runway Available

TPP - Terminal Procedures Publication

TRSA - Terminal Radar Service Area

TWEB - Transcribed Weather Broadcast

TWR - Tower

U

UC - Under Construction

UHF - Ultra High Frequency

UIR - Upper Information Region

UNICOM - Universal Communications

U.S. - United States

USAF - United States Air Force

UTA - Upper Control Area

V

VCOA - Visual Climb Over Airport / Airfield

VDA - Visual Descent Angle

VDP - Visual Decent Point

VFR - Visual Flight Rules

VGSI - Visual Glide Slope Indicator

VHF - Very High Frequency

VMC - Visual Meteorological Conditions

VNAV - Vertical Navigation

VOR - VHF Omnidirectional Radio Range

VORTAC - VHF Omnidirectional Radio Range/Tactical Air

Navigation

VPA - Vertical Path Angle

VR - Visual Route

W

W - Warning Area (Special Use Airspace)

W - West

WAAS - Wide-Area Augmentation System

WAC - World Aeronautical Chart

WP - Waypoint

WX CAM - Weather Camera (Alaska)