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Transportation Association
(NATA)
Annual General Meeting
Yellowknife, NWT**

April 29, 2015

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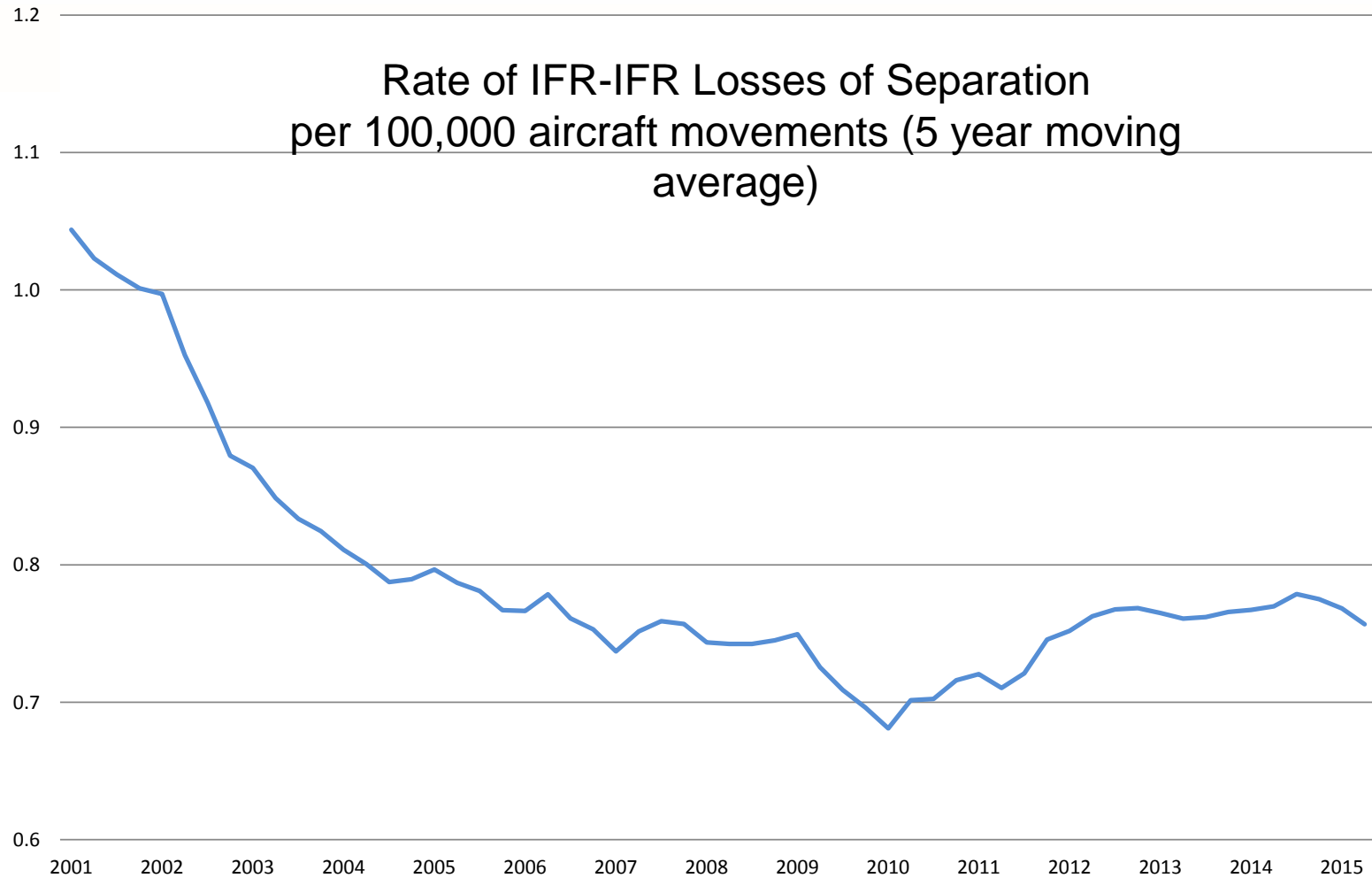


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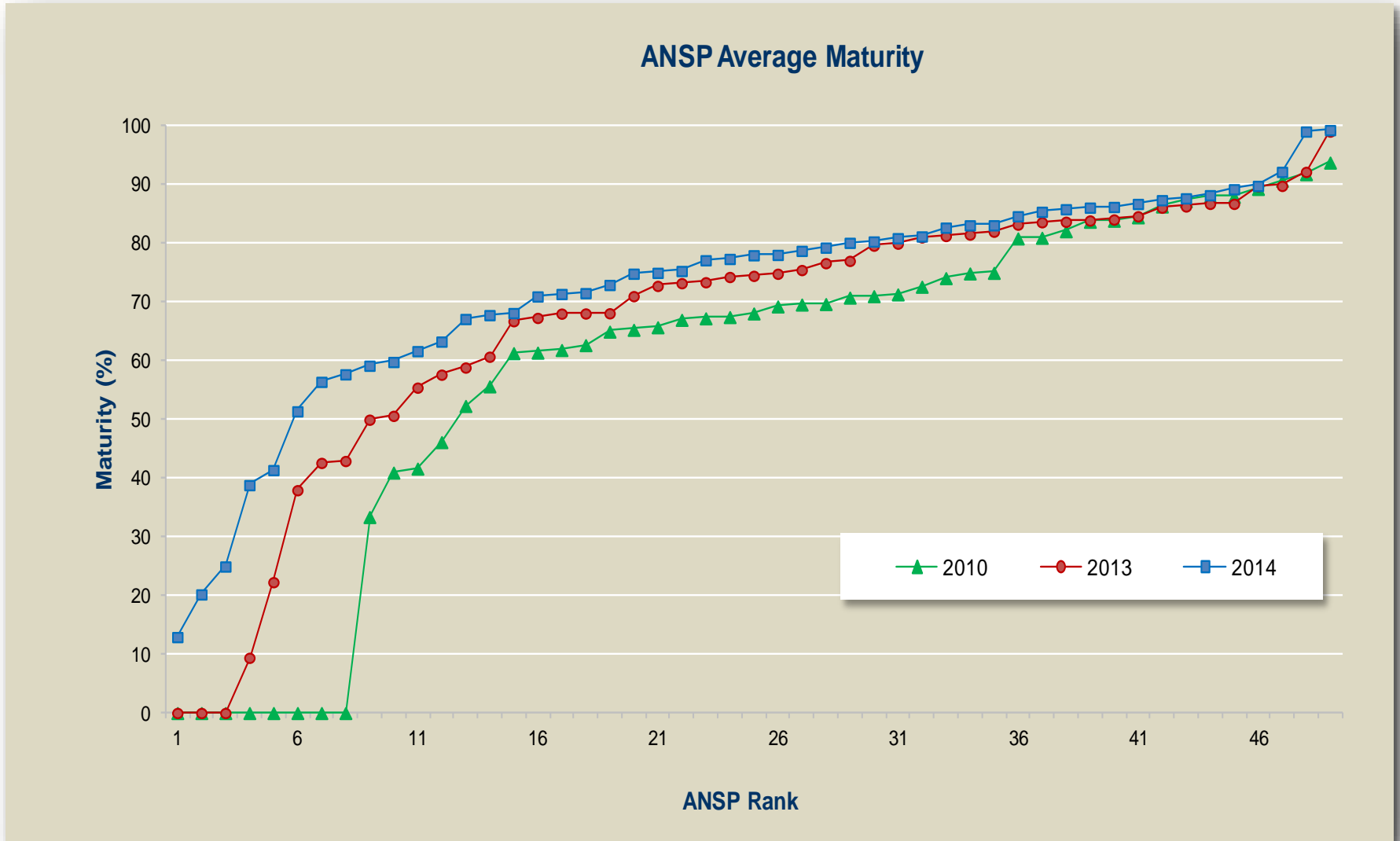
- Safety
- Traffic
- Revenues
- Customer Service

IFR/IFR Losses of Separation Rate per 100K Movements

NAV CANADA 2001-2015 (Q2)



Safety – SMS Maturity

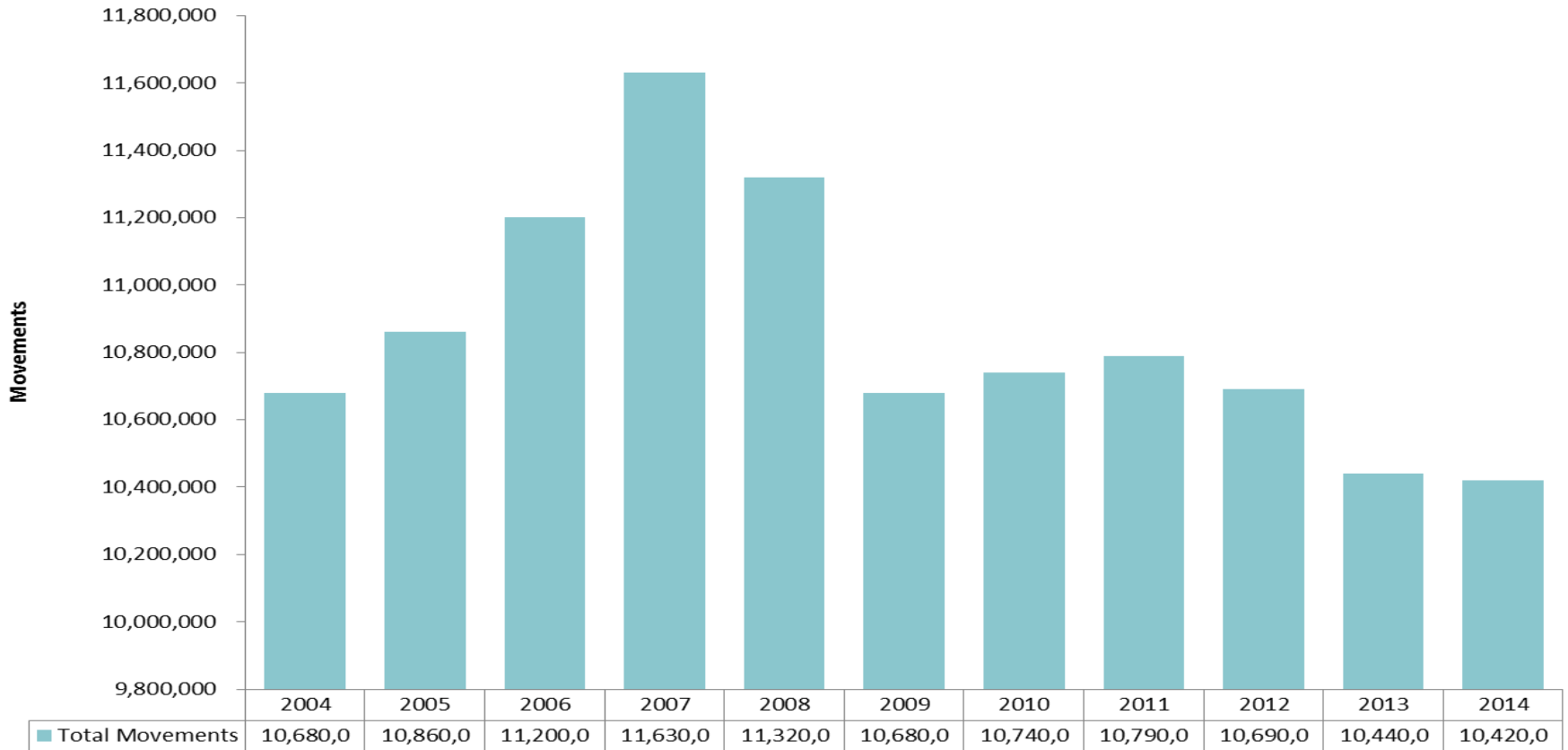


Movements per Year

NAV CANADA 2004-2014

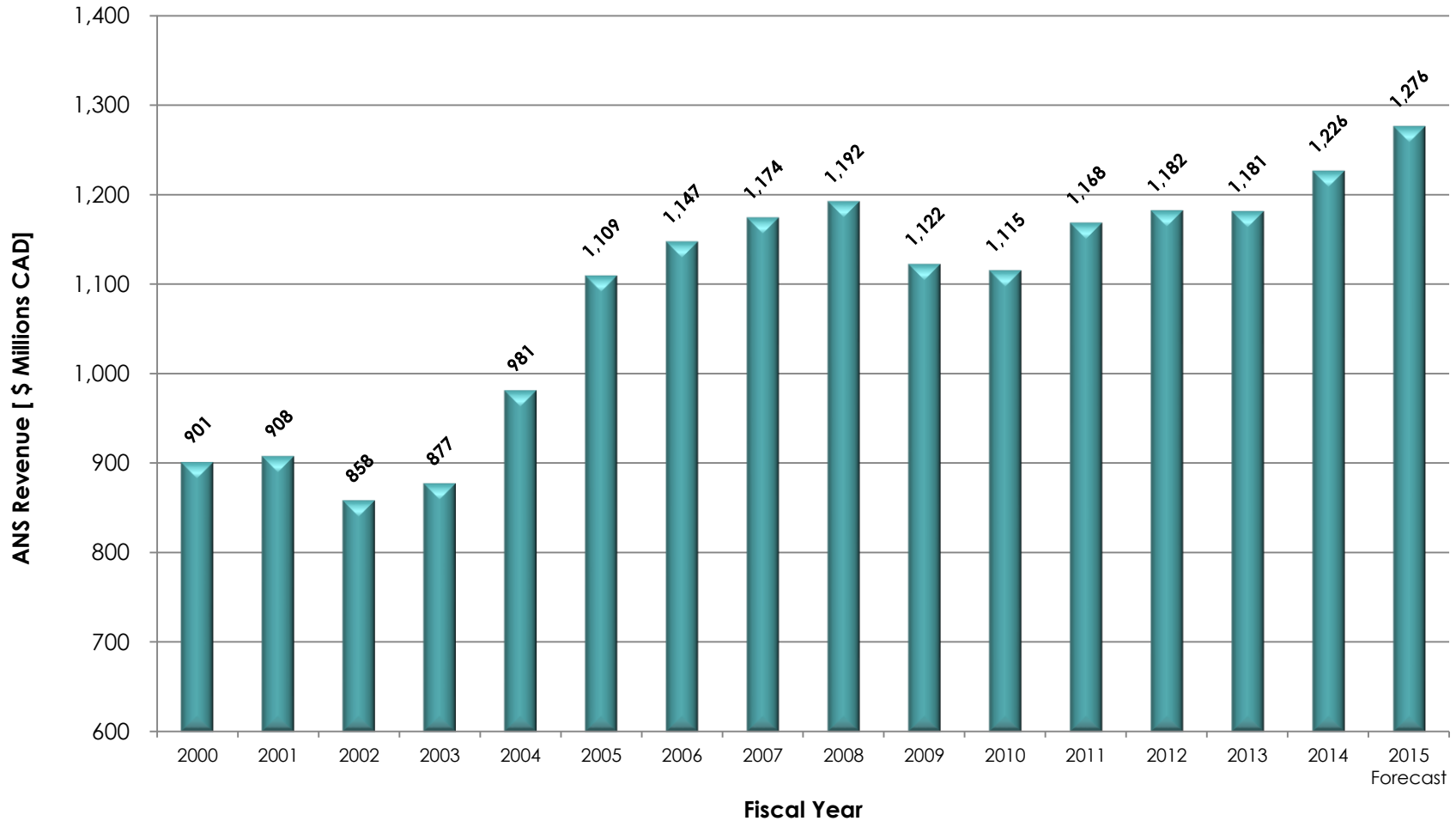


Total Movements by Year 10 Year Total 2004-2014



ANS Revenue

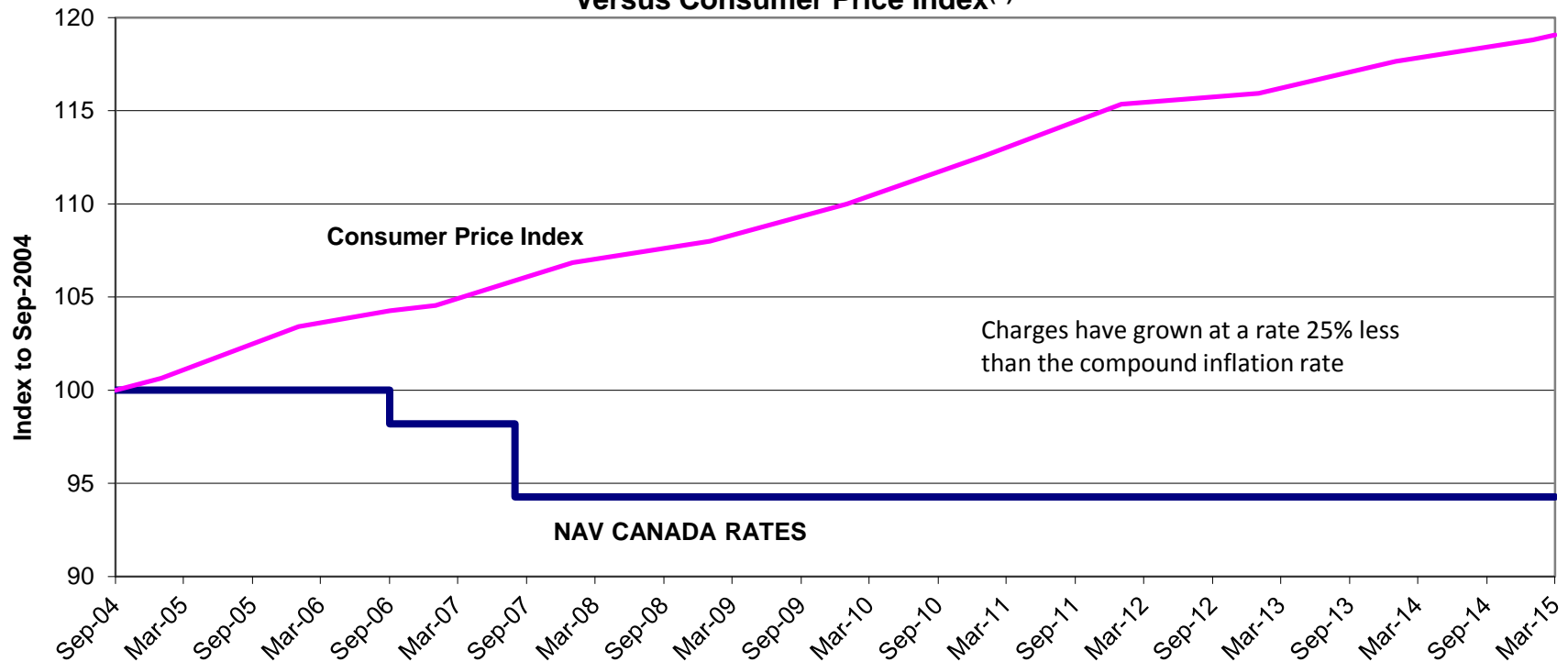
NAV CANADA FISCAL YEARS 2000-2015



NAV CANADA Rates vs CPI



History of NAV CANADA Rate Changes⁽¹⁾
Versus Consumer Price Index⁽²⁾



1. Average changes since Sep-2004

Alternate Revenue Sources



- NAV CANADA is a large company with diverse assets both tangible and intellectual
- Our strategy is to lever off these assets to produce value
- Each dollar earned is a dollar less our core customers have to pay.

Alternate Revenue Sources



We have gone from 0 to over \$50 million per year

- Technology Sales – Searidge
- CATSA maintenance
- NAV CENTRE
- Training
- Space Based ADS-B





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Customer Focus



- Performance Based Navigation
- Ground Based NAV AIDS
- Enhanced ATM Technology Development
- AIM Transition
- Flight Information/Weather
- Equipment reliability performance

Weather Advancements

Core weather data

- AWOS
- HWOS
- LWIS



additional cameras



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**Northern Air Transportation
Association
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Edmonton FIR update**

April 29, 2015

SERVING A WORLD IN MOTION



Outline

- Collaborative discussion and communication process
- Technology Initiatives
- Design and Maintenance of Instrument Procedures LOS Policy
- NAVAIDS Modernization
- Level of Service – Aeronautical Studies
- Summary



2014/15 Highlights

- Human Weather Observations System (HWOS) / Limited Weather Information Services (LWIS) project complete
- Weather Camera Phase 2
- Automated Weather Observation Systems
- ILS replacement
- Completed Alberta Airspace and Services Project – new runway at CYYC



Collaborative discussions

- Local
 - Pilot forums, COPA rust removers, Local Airport Authority
- Industry
 - Northern Air Transportation Association (NATA)
 - Air Transportation Association of Canada (ATAC)
 - Other – CBAA, COPA, NAAC, CAC, etc.
- Regional
 - Area Operations Consultative Meetings (AOCM)
- National
 - Air Transportation Operational Consultation Committee (ATOCC)
 - Air Navigation Services National Advisory Group (ANSNAC)

HWOS-LWIS Installation



Commissioned

Dawson, Old Crow, Repulse Bay, Whale Cove, Faro, Mayo, Chesterfield Inlet, Gamèti, Aklavik, Ft. MacPherson, Whitecourt, Teslin, Déljne, Ft. Liard, Tulita, Ft. Good Hope, Beaver Creek, Eureka, Ft. Resolution, Igloolik, Łutselk'e, Wrigley, Tuktoyaktuk, Paulatuk, Ulukhaktok, Grise Fiord, Kimmirut, Kugaaruk, Sachs Harbour, Masset, Nain, Makkovik, Sanikiluaq, Berens River, Meadow Lake, Buffalo Narrows



HWOS-LWIS Observations



Non-staffed hours: Automatic generation of LWIS observations

Staffed hours: Automatic generation of LWIS observations only when a human observation is **not** produced by HH+20 for the first hour and at HH+15 for each subsequent hour that a human observation is **not** produced.

- 0900Z LWIS observation (non-staffed hours)
- 1000Z LWIS observation (non-staffed hours)
- 1100Z human observation (staffed hours begin)
- 1107Z No human observation
- 1120Z LWIS observation for 1300Z (HH+20)
- 1200Z No human observation
- 1215Z LWIS observation for 1200Z (subsequent hour HH+15)
- 1300Z No human observation
- 1315Z LWIS observation for 1300Z (subsequent hour HH+15)
- 1400Z Human observation

Weather Cameras Phase II (cont.)

Planned installations – 2015

March: Norway House, Lac Brochet, Stony Rapids

June: Braeburn, Cape Dorset, Gods Lake Narrows

July: Rainbow Lake, Nahanni Butte, Ft. Liard, Faro, Burwash, Arctic Bay, Arviat, Hall Beach, Pond Inlet, Yorkton

August: Oxford House, Ft. Chipewyan*, Lloydminster*, Slave Lake*

November: Churchill Falls*

*additional cameras

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AWOS Installation

New AWOS

Colville Lake – Nov 2014

Wabush– 14 Sept 2014

Mary's Harbour – 5 Mar 2015



AWOS Installation

New AWOS – 3rd party sponsored

Attawapiskat, Armstrong, Ogoki Post and Peawanuck
– Nov 2014





Design and Maintenance of Instrument Procedures LOS policy

Policy



Rationale

- Due to satellite based (GNSS) navigation, any aerodrome – with an altimeter source – can now have an IAP designed
 - May or may not benefit the system as a whole
 - GNSS has created huge demand/workload
- In addition to NAV CANADA, there are other companies in Canada that can design and maintain instrument procedures
- A rational approach/policy is required to manage demand

Eligibility Criteria



Civil aerodromes must meet one or more of the criteria to be considered by NAV CANADA for development and maintenance of instrument procedures:

- The aerodrome serves scheduled passenger and/or cargo air service;
- The aerodrome is regularly filed as an IFR alternate for scheduled passenger and/or cargo air service;
- Aerodrome IFR access is vital to the community owing to a lack of alternate means of access;
- The aerodrome has an aviation weather observation program sponsored by NAV CANADA;
- NAV CANADA has recommended supporting the aerodrome as a result of a level of service review, or because it is integral to the operation of a major terminal area.

External Design Organizations (EDOs)



- The operator of a civil aerodrome that does not meet the eligibility conditions may engage an EDO for the development, maintenance and submission of IP
- A sponsor or aerodrome operator seeking to engage an EDO for the development and maintenance of a procedure at a civil aerodrome that meets NAV CANADA's eligibility criteria must notify NAV CANADA prior to the development of the procedure to ensure effective coordination of aeronautical data amendments

Submission Sponsor



Any request for design of an IP must be submitted by aerodrome operator, or by a sponsor (organization, air carrier, etc). When submitted by a sponsor, the sponsor must demonstrate that the aerodrome operator is committed to providing and maintaining the aerodrome aeronautical and facilities data necessary to support the design and operational use of the procedure.



Ground-based NAVAIDS Modernization



Current NAVAID situation



>300 NAV CANADA NDBs

120 VORs

Reduced dependence on ground-based NAVAIDs

Life-cycle management issues

Ad hoc demands for real estate





Current navigation environment

- Advances in space-based navigation present opportunities to maintain or enhance safety while improving efficiency
- Recognise both the robust nature of space-based navigation and inherent limitations
- Maintaining a ground-based network that has little relevance to current operations



Responsible modernization ...

- Enable operations under existing CARs for IFR flight (safety)
- Meet the operational needs of our customers (safety and efficiency)



Initial change considerations

- Provide a robust NAVAIDS network
- Maintain accessibility to northern airports
- Determine efficient operational NAVAIDS requirements

Anything else?



IFR Lowest common denominator?

- Aircraft without an “autonomous” means of navigation in the event of an unforecasted system infrastructure failure
- Aircraft outside of surveillance coverage that cannot be assisted by ATC
- Aircraft operating at low altitudes and therefore “line-of-sight” challenged for ground-based navigation or surveillance

Anything else?



Initial assumptions

- Normal en route operations are area navigation based relying primarily on GNSS
- Approach operations are a combination of RNAV/RNP and ground-based
- No CARs changes proposed
- Retain all existing ILSs
- ILS not to include a requirement for NDB

Anything else?

Initial assumptions – fail operational

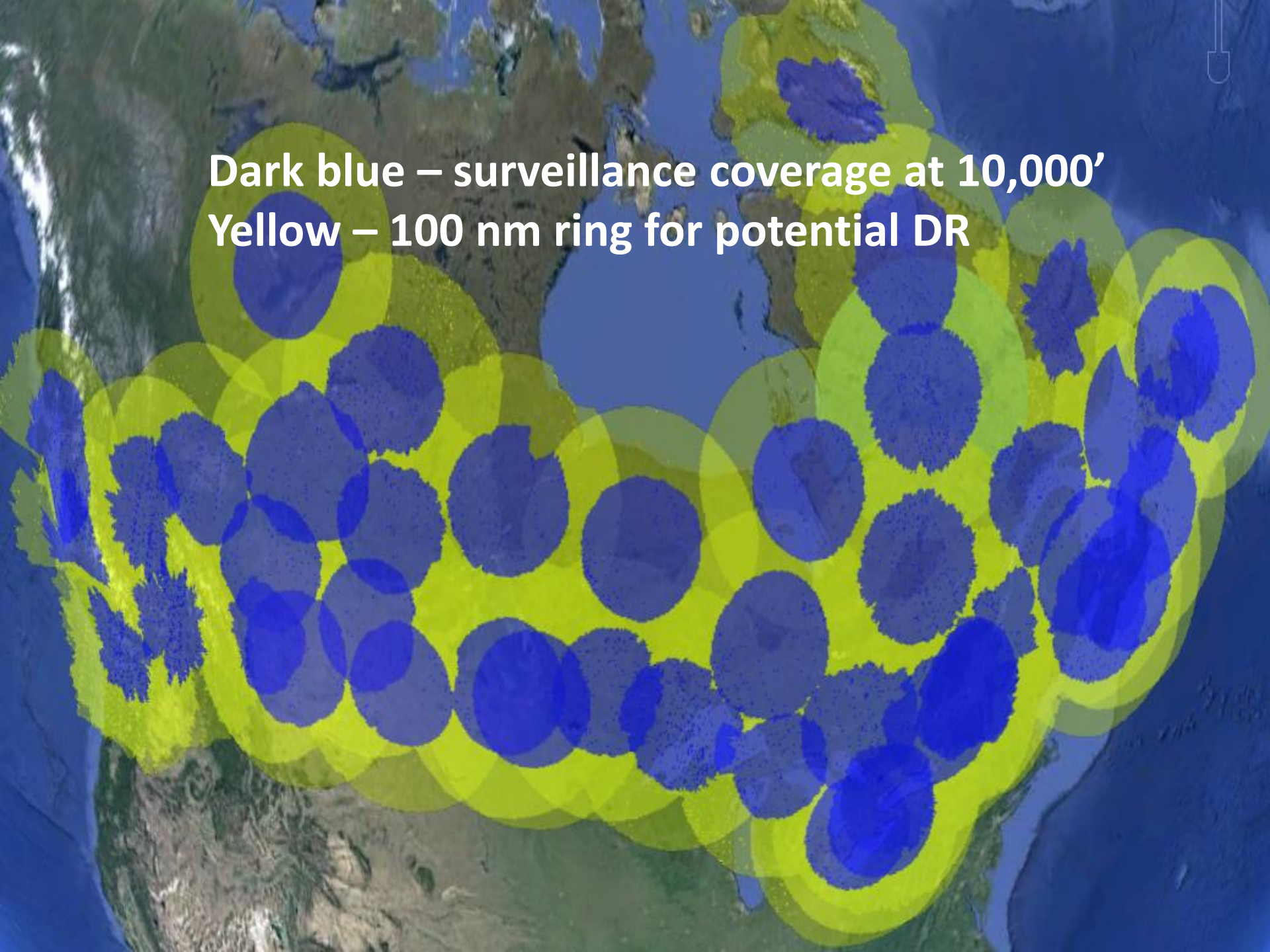


GNSS en route but protect against unlikely loss of signal

- NDBs and VORs assessed for removal where within radar coverage at 10,000' and not required as a landing aid (vectors available)
- Majority of designated mountainous region NAVAIDs remain (line-of-sight limitations)
- Majority of northern NAVAIDs remain (remote or sparsely settled areas)
- En route dead reckoning acceptable for short durations (~100 nm)

Anything else?

Dark blue – surveillance coverage at 10,000'
Yellow – 100 nm ring for potential DR



Summary

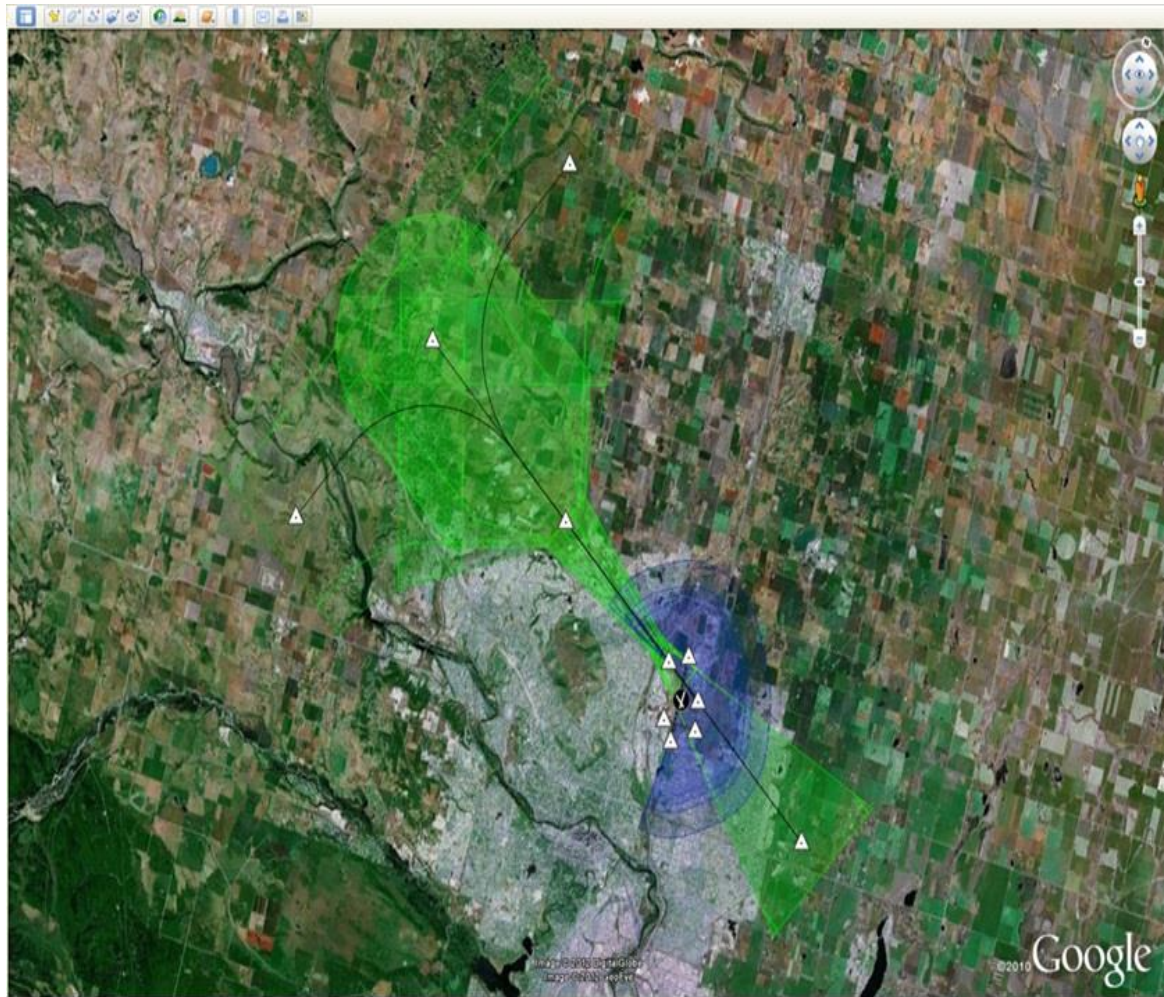


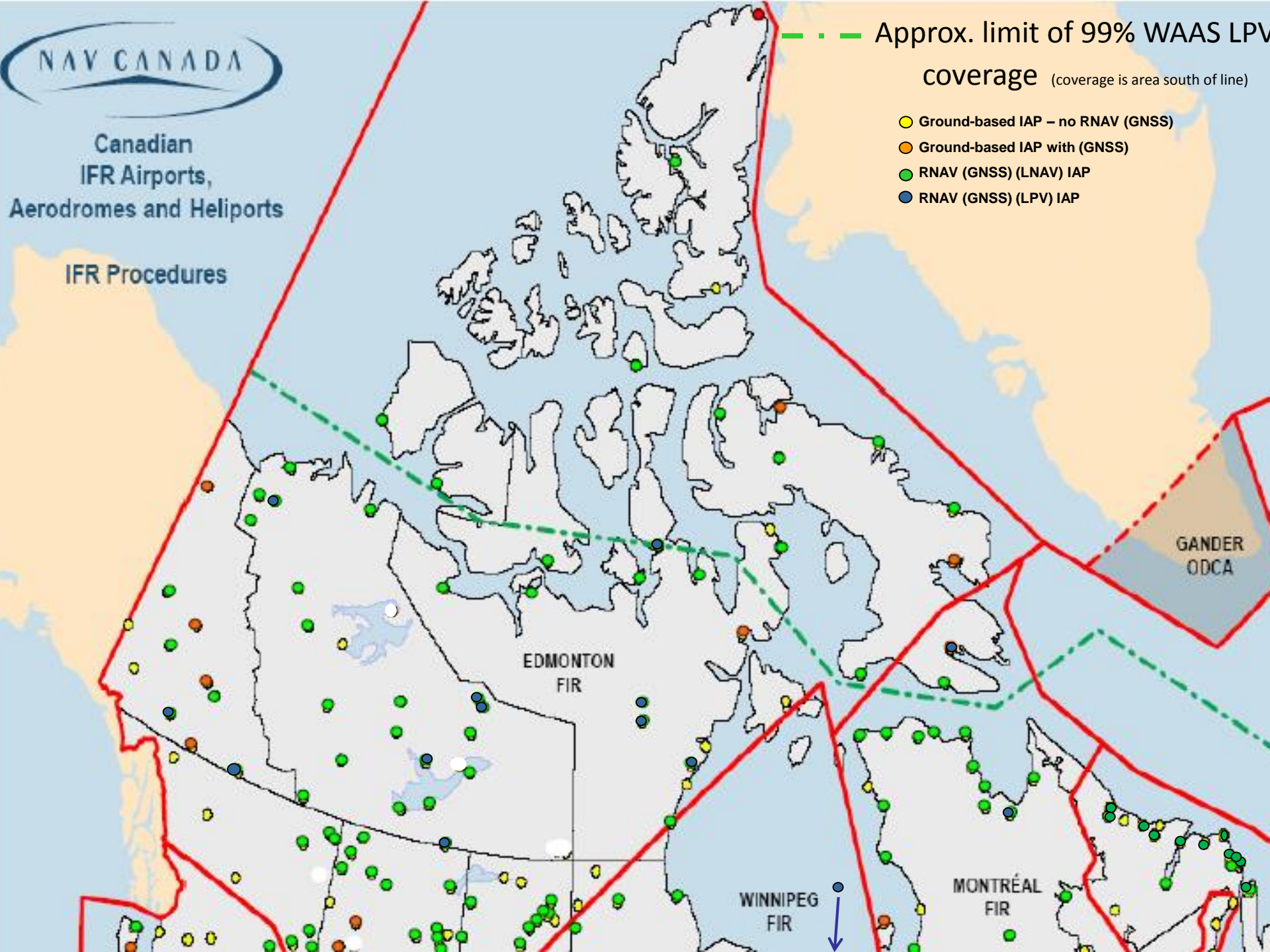
- GNSS is the primary en route aid
- Mixture of space-based and ground-based approach aids meeting current CARs
- Recovery plan protecting against highly unlikely catastrophic GNSS failure
- Maintain a navigation network that reflects the operational safety and efficiency needs of all of our customers
- Next step
 - Proposal to actively conduct consultation and listening sessions



Lower density Airports (All Regions)

- 2 GNSS – LNAV plus one with vertical guidance (LNAV/VNAV, LPV or RNP)
- 1 Conventional – best access





ILS Replacement

New ILS installations (no back-course guidance)
RNAV (GNSS) approach developed to replace back-course

Completed 2014

Resolute Bay

Saskatoon, SK

Scheduled 2015

Terrace: rwy 33 – Sept (Maybe sooner)

St. John's: rwy – Oct

Toronto: 06R, 24L – June

Vancouver: 26L & CAT III upgrade – Aug

Aeronautical Studies



Implemented

- **Colville Lake, NT – Weather Requirements**
 - Install AWOS
- **Central and Southern Alberta Airspace**
 - Modify airspace in vicinity of Edmonton
 - Revoke LF & VHF airways; establish RNAV airways
- **Wabush, NL – FSS Hours**
 - Reduce hours of FSS and install AWOS
- **Mary's Harbour, NL – Weather Requirements**
 - Close CWO and install AWOS
- **Kitchener/Waterloo, ON – VOR**
 - Decommission VOR
- **Poste Montagnais, QC – NDB**
 - Decommission NDB
- **Uranium City, SK – NDB**
 - Decommission NDB
- **Regina, SK – NDB**
 - Decommission Brophy (ZRG) NDB

Aeronautical Studies (cont'd)



Awaiting Implementation

- **South Athabasca Oil Sands Area, AB – Airspace & ATF**
 - Establish area ATF
 - Change airspace classification (Class “E”)
- **Uranium Mines Area, SK – ATF**
 - Establish area ATF
- **Medicine Hat, AB – VOR**
 - Decommission VOR

Northern FIC Services



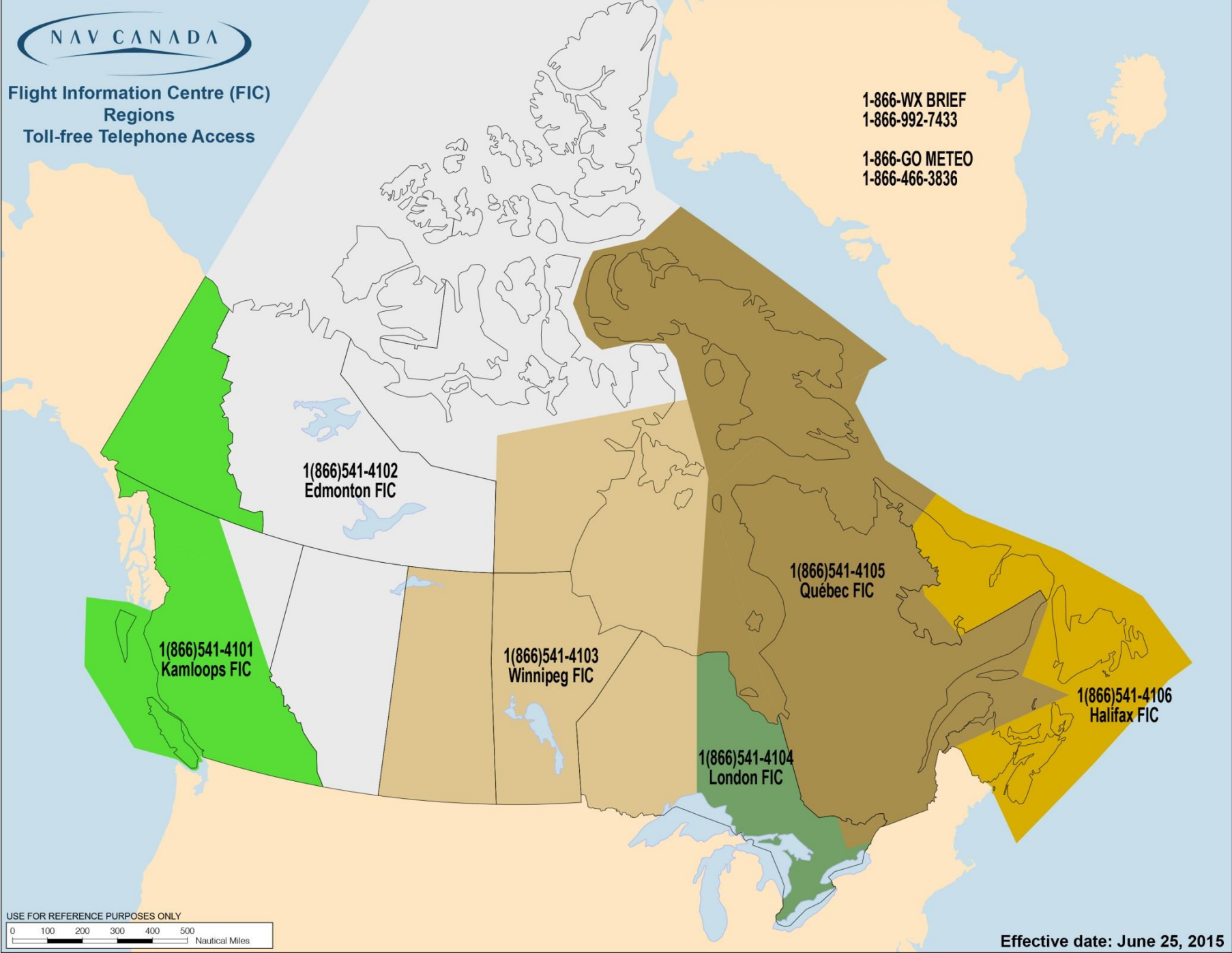
- Effective June 25, 2015
- Pilot Briefing and Flight Planning Services transferred from North Bay FIC to Edmonton, Winnipeg and Quebec FICs
- No change in level of service
- All of the flight information services currently available to pilots operating throughout the area are maintained
- Only change being the location from which certain pre-flight services will be provided
- Arctic Radio continues to provide communication services via RCOs



**Flight Information Centre (FIC)
Regions
Toll-free Telephone Access**

**1-866-WX BRIEF
1-866-992-7433**

**1-866-GO METEO
1-866-466-3836**



Effective date: June 25, 2015

VFR Phraseology Guide





VFR Phraseology Guide

NAV CANADA has released a VFR Phraseology Guide for pilots travelling in Canadian airspace.

<http://www.navcanada.ca/EN/media/Publications/VFR%20Phraseology.pdf>

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VFR Phraseology Guide (cont)



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- Local Area Weather Manuals
- Introduction to Aviation
- Meteorological Service of Canada (MSC) Reports
- TechWatch Bulletin

RELATED LINKS

- Aeronautical Information Products
- Corporate Publications

Summary



- Focus on improving safety, performance, service efficiency and cost-effectiveness in Northern and Remote areas
- Improvements in service planned
 - RNAV (GNSS) procedures
 - Equipment (EXCDS) Upgrades at Towers and FSS
 - New Technology applications (HWOS/LWIS, AWOS)
- Constant evaluation of all services for efficiency gains
- Continued Customer / Stakeholder collaboration

Questions?



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Thank you