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Information Exchange and Information Management

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Increasing Imperative for Change







Why a Single Track Through the Bay in All Weather Conditions is Critical to Success

Continuous 3 degree Glideslope from HEDDR

6000

ATC issues and pilots fly the same track every time, predictable and stabilized STAR connects to all approaches, continues the 3 degree glideslope, no level-offs or vectors

B6500

A6000

HEDDR

Level Flight

12 miles

further

5000

Trajectory Operations: Transformation

Surveillance Based Control: Control on Where We Know the

Procedural Based Control:

Control on Where We Think the Aircraft Is

Aircraft Is

VOR/DME RADAR **Trajectory Based Control:** Control on Where We Know the Aircraft Will Be







Landmark Navigation

Radio Beacons

Position Reports

Trajectory Timeline

Separation Management Trajectory Management Nanagement



Collision

Avoidance

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Airspace























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Three ways to respond to the data exchange increase

- Extend current data messages
 - + ICAO 2012
 - Already talking about ICAO 2014
- Special Purpose Messages
 - Low risk for implementing programs
 - Antithesis of SOA replacing point-to-point communications with point-to-point messaging
 - Only sustainable in the US due to the size of our internal operations
- Moving to information management & exchange





Information Management & Exchange

- The commercial world has been moving from data to information with success for a long time
 - lowering costs for all users
 - + HTTP
 - Banking networks
- Information exchange gives us the ability to be extensible for the future and be globally harmonized right now





So where are we?

- We are not moving to a System of Systems
 - We have always been one
- We are not moving to the EVALUATOR the machine of God
 - We remain a system of independent actors and human – centered
 - Knowledge-based versus rule-based
- We need to move from the data age into the Information Age





Information Management – rehabilitation course

Differentiating between Authoritative Source for Data and Business Information Steward





Authoritative Source for Data







Authoritative Source for Data





Business Information Steward









Are we eating the Red Meat?





Exchange Standards ≠ Information Management

Publication Is Not The End – No Implementation – No Success





Over the New Standards Hump

- We need to move forward to the integration of information and standards into our systems
- Exchange standards is only one critical step towards the modern age of SOA and Information Management
- The community has to put the effort into overcoming the reluctance to use a new standard





What that means for the FAA?

- FAA will require all future demonstrations and pre-implementation activities to integrate AIXM, WXXM, or FIXM
- Examples
 - Airborne Access to SWIM
 - UAS Integration into NAS
 - Enroute Reroutes Datacomm
 - Mini-global FIXM exchange with Europe and Asia...



