

**NSA Coordination Platform
Work Programme 2020**

This document sets out the Work Programme and priorities for NCP members over the upcoming year. The Work Programme reflects the changing needs and challenges NSAs are facing, arising from the requirements to implement both current and future SES regulations.

1 Context

The NSA Coordination Platform (NCP) Work Programme provides an overview of the main topics to be addressed by the NCP over the next year.

This document provides a medium-term view which aims to focus discussions during meetings and direct effort towards the most relevant activities of interest to NCP members. It also reflects the timescales required for the development of NCP outputs, providing the continuity and direction necessary to develop quality deliverables and to maximise their value to NSAs.

2 Summary of topics per Working Group

The tables hereafter list the topics discussed within each Working Group according to their expected completion date and priority.

2.1 Plenary

Topic	Description	Timescales	Output
<i>Competition within ANS</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Sharing of experiences on the implications for NSAs of introducing competition in ANS 	Q4 2020	Report
<i>Restructuring the NCP</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Evaluate the new structure of the NCP and identify possible improvements to working arrangements to support the new format Monitor and assess the progress of the integration of the SO WG into the EASA TeB format Assess the viability and, if required, develop a plan for the transition of IOP WG to EASA 	Q3 2020	Presentations / Discussion

2.2 Transversal WG

Topic	Description	Timescales	Output
<i>Impact and implementation of the Airspace Architecture Study and Wise Persons Group report</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Discussion and identification of the NSA tasks and challenges related to the possible/future implementation initiatives stemming from the Airspace Architecture Study and Wise Persons Group recommendations Coordinate discussion topics of the study/report and their outputs, eg with the Performance WG where appropriate. Discussion and identification of NSA tasks and challenges related to implementation of the new type of ATM Data Services provision models, taking into account the ATM Data services provision study¹ 	Q4 2020	NSA Presentation / Discussion

¹ Interim report expected in April 2020, final report expected July 2020

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<i>Cyber-security</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discussion on IOP issues in relation to cyber-security • Share NSAs' work and experience related to cyber-security for SESAR related projects • Monitoring of guidance material that can help increase NSAs knowledge within the area of cyber-security 	Q4 2021	Paper / NSA & external presentations
<i>Dynamic Sectorisation Implementation</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing of experiences on dynamic sectorisation implementation related NSA tasks (liability, licensing/ competency etc.) as well as sharing the best/good practices 	Q4 2020	NSA Presentation / Discussion
<i>Free Route Airspace Implementation</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing of experiences on developments of free route airspace implementation related issues (wider connectivity of different FRA airspaces) 	Q4 2020	NSA Presentation / Discussion
<i>Interoperability oversight and compliance with current applicable regulations (2017/373, 2018/1139, IOP IRs)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing and lessons learnt on technical experiences on the implementation and oversight of regulation 	Q4 2020	NSA presentations / Flimsies
<i>Interoperability and oversight of Remote Aerodrome ATS (RAATS)</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Creation of an annex to the NCP paper (developed by the SO WG originally) on RAATS specific to IOP and attribution of RAATS constituents • Conformity assessment of RAATS • Interfaces of RAATS components with new and existing systems 	Q4 2020	Paper / NSA presentations
<i>Oversight of Common Services</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing and lessons learnt on technical experiences on the implementation and oversight of common services (cloud services) 	Q4 2020	Paper / NSA presentations
<i>Implementation of Unmanned-Aircraft</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Discuss the implementation of SESAR related Unmanned Aircraft projects that may affect the role of the NSA 	Q4 2020	NSA & external presentations

2.3 Performance WG

Topic	Description	Timescales	Output
<i>Implementing RP3</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sharing of experience on RP3 target setting • Sharing of experience on Performance Plan production • Sharing of experience on monitoring RP3 targets 	Q1 2020	NSA Presentation / Discussion

3 Standing Items

This section describes the standing items which are covered at each WG meeting.

Transversal WG

Item	Description
<i>Exchange of views and practices to support NSAs oversee the implementation of regulations</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Safety and security issues emerging from the implementation of regulation and new initiatives • Oversight and monitoring of the implementation of regulation and new initiatives • Ensuring a common understanding of Common Projects standards and compliance requirements to support consistent application of the regulation • Discuss whether NSAs face issues arising in areas not covered under EU Regulation in the context of FAB and other multi-State/cross-border SES initiatives • NSA training and resources requirements
<i>Impact of new regulations and relation with other regulations</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identification of any new/revised regulation affecting the role of NSAs or NSA interfaces with other stakeholders • Sharing of experiences on managing changes in responsibilities and new interfaces
<i>Communication with the SDM</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provision of a consolidated NSA view on the Deployment Programme to the SDM • Communicate NCP views on issues NSAs are facing within deployment of SESAR projects • SDM to update NSAs on the progress of SESAR Deployment • Sharing experiences of existing bilateral cooperation arrangements • Coordination with and contribution to all levels of SESAR Deployment governance
<i>Understanding of key activities preceding deployment and NSAs' roles related to these activities</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Develop an understanding, from an NSA perspective, of the key activities related to deployment as part of the ATM Master Plan, and SESAR 1 and SESAR 2020 projects • Discuss the role of NSAs in the development of SESAR, including in SESAR 2020 and in Very Large Demonstrations (VLDs) • Coordinate with the SESAR Joint Undertaking (SJU) to understand and complement their activities relating to the ATM Master Plan, and the SESAR 1 and SESAR 2020 projects • Coordinate with other fora to ensure no duplication of work occurs

Performance WG

Item	Description
<i>Update on Commission activities</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update on the activities of the European Commission Performance Team
<i>Update on PRB activities</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Update on the activities of the Performance Review Body
<i>Sharing of experiences on Reference Period (RP) requirements</i>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Sharing of experiences on the implementation of RP requirements for NSAs