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Green Initiatives in Indian Civil Aviation / Aerospace



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Contours of Presentation

- **CSIR-NAL – an overview**
 - Contributions to National Programmes
 - New Technologies & Systems at NAL
 - Expertise and Capabilities at NAL
 - Infrastructure & Facilities at NAL
- **Civil Aircraft Design & Development**
 - Technologies for NCA
 - Green Initiatives

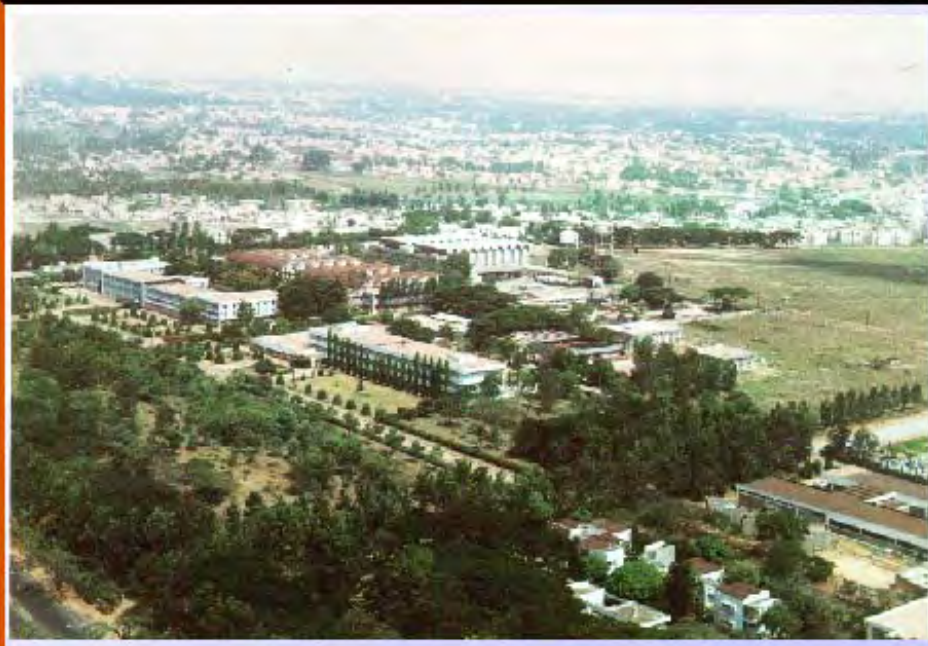


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The Two Campuses



Kodihalli



Belur



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- ★ NAL is a constituent of CSIR
- ★ Established in 1959-60
2008-09 Golden Jubilee Year
- ★ India's premier R&D establishment in aeronautics and allied disciplines
- ★ 1032 employees,
352 Scientists
80 or more Ph.D.'s
- ★ Annual budget of about
Rs. 2800 Millions. (75% CSIR, 20%
external sources)
- ★ Certified ISO 9001-2008 QMS
Standard

MISSION & MANDATE

- Development of national strengths in aerospace science & technology
- Advanced technology solutions to national aerospace programmes
- Design and development of a small and medium sized aircraft





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Major R&D Disciplines

Core competence of NAL spans practically the whole aerospace sector



- ✓ Computational fluid dynamics
- ✓ Experimental aerodynamics
- ✓ National Trisonic Aerodynamic Facilities
- ✓ Flight mechanics and control
- ✓ Propulsion
- ✓ Composites
- ✓ Structural design, analysis and testing
- ✓ Structural dynamics and integrity
- ✓ Surface modification
- ✓ Aerospace materials
- ✓ Aerospace electronics and systems
- ✓ Micro Aerial Vehicle design & development
- ✓ Civil aviation
- ✓ Parallel processing computers
- ✓ Meteorological modeling
- ✓ Wind energy
- ✓ Manufacturing technology
- ✓ Information systems
- ▶ Ability to provide complete holistic technology solutions
- ▶ Interaction with all aerospace related organisations
- ▶ Recognised in India and abroad



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Electronics, Flight Mech & Controls

Flight Control laws, Modeling & Simulation, Multi sensor data fusion, System identification & parameter estimation, Aircraft Avionics, Active noise control, FOQA, ATM, Signal processing Applications.

Civil Aircraft Design & Dev.

Design.mfg, testing & certification, HANSA, CNM-5, SARAS, Related technologies

Aerodynamics

Trisonic tunnels, Model design, fabrication, calibration & testing, Flow diagnostics, Aero acoustics.

Propulsion

Combustion Heat transfer, Turbomachinery D&T, Cascade tunnel, P&W gas turbine test rigs

Meteorology & Energy

Parallel processing systems, Meteorological modeling & SW, Wind turbines, Wind surveys and measurements, Solar energy

Computational Fluid Dynamics

External flows – subsonic to hypersonic, Internal flows, Hydro dynamics.

Special Facilities

Acoustic test facility, Electro magnetics laboratory, Flight simulators, CVI facility for ceramic composites, National facility for rolling element bearings, Integrated facility for carbon fiber and prepregs, Glass fabric prepregs, Material characterisation & testing.

CORE TECHNOLOGIES / STRENGTHS DEVELOPED

Composites

Design.Fabn, repair tech, Fibers & prepregs, Autoclaves, Non – Dest. Evaln, Structural health monitoring

Fatigue & Fracture

Failure & accident investigation Full scale testing, Life extension, Damage tolerance

Structural Technology

Structural design & analysis. Aeroelasticity & vibration, Crash and impact, Smart structures and systems

Materials Science

Ceramic materials / comp.Surface eng/coatings, Thermo electrics, Smart materials, Airport instrumentation

Electromagnetics

EM design and characterization Radome design, Computational EM

Significant Contributions to National Programmes



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Contributions to National Programmes : Defence Programmes

Tejas - India's LCA

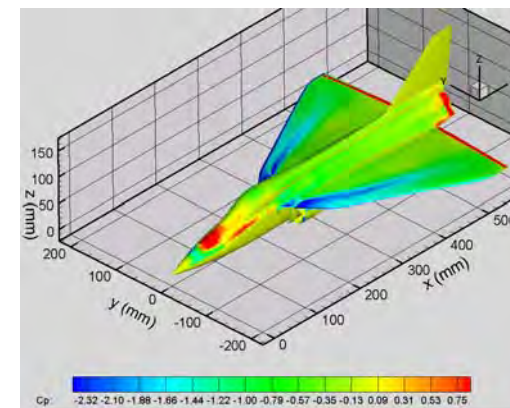


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Funding : Rs 2500 Mi



- Leadership of National Team for CFC Wing
- Leadership of National Team for Flight Control Law Development
- Advanced Composite Structures • Carbon Fibers
- Wind Tunnel Testing - Aero. Data Generation & Flt. Validation
- Material / Box level Testing and Characterization for Certification
- CFD Analysis • Surface coating • Noise measurement & control
- Flow Diagnostics Studies • Aeroelastic Model Studies
- Dynamic Response Studies





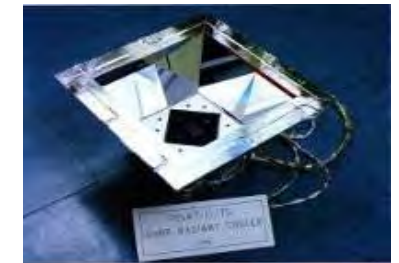
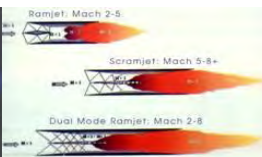
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Support to National Programmes : Space Programme



Funding : Rs 1000 Mi

- Acoustic test facility
- Wind Tunnel Testing
- Sunshield Mirrors for IR Sensor Cooling on Satellites
- Composite Radome for DWR
- Thermo - Structural - Aeroelastic Analysis for RLVTD
- High Speed Combustor Design and Testing
- Transonic Buffet Studies on Launch Vehicle Models
- SATCOM Applications
- Special Grade Carbon Fibers



INSAT-2 VHRR RADIANT COOLER



Civil Aircraft Design & Development at NAL

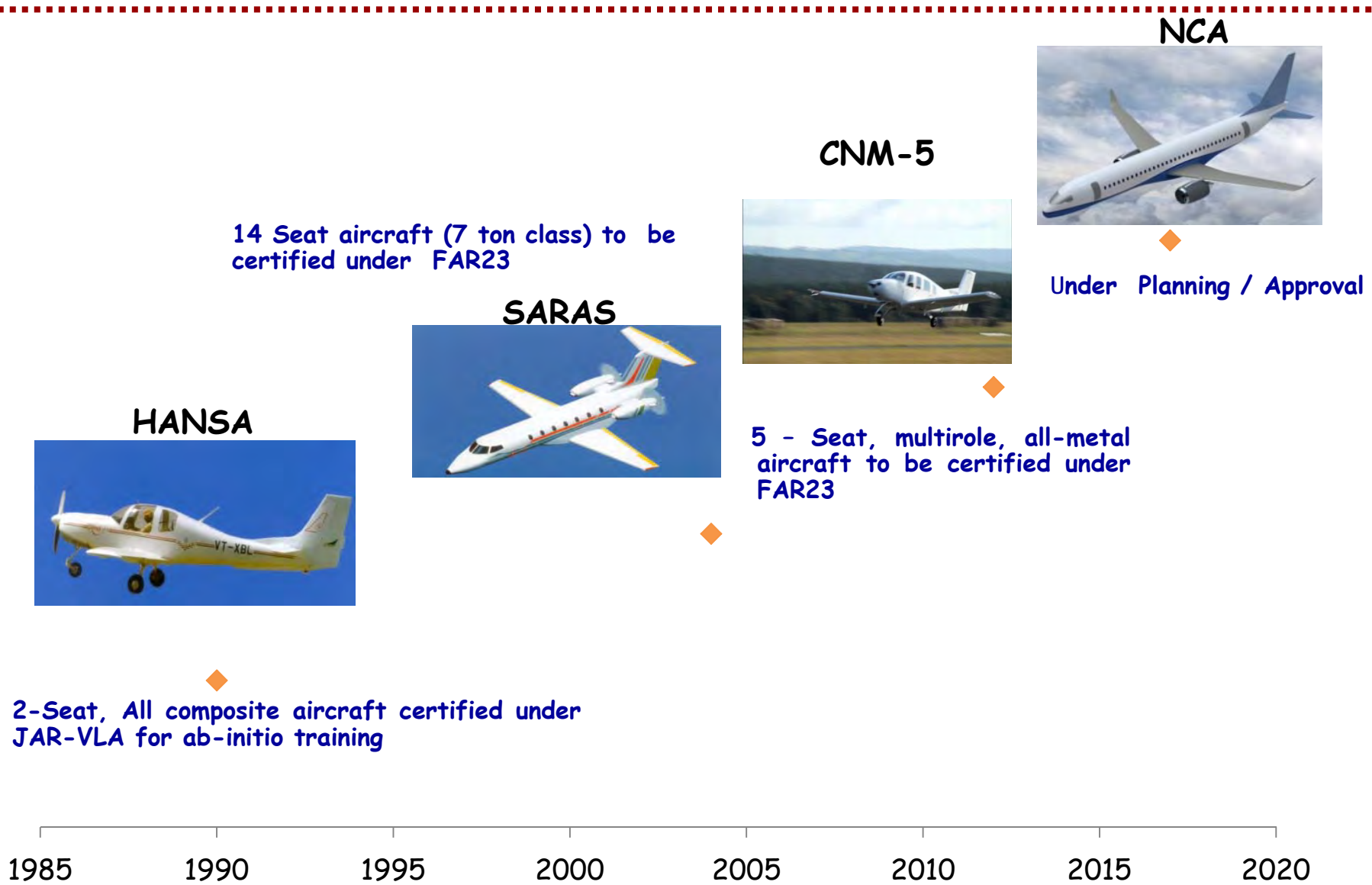


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Civil Aircrafts from CSIR - NAL





National Civil Aircraft Development



Conventional Turbofan



Turboprop



Low Speed Turbofan

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OBJECTIVES

- To develop a low cost, efficient and technologically advanced regional ac
- To incubate civil aviation industry in both public and private sectors

TARGETS

- Low Costs of Acquisition, Operation & Maintenance
- Advanced Technologies
- Wide cabin provides Narrow Body comfort
- Two fuselage lengths for 70 to 100 pax
- Operations from ill-equipped airfields
- All weather operations – Enhanced & Synthetic Vision Systems
- Low Emissions
- Low Noise (FAR-36 stage IV)

One Year Feasibility Study Completed under HPC - NCAD

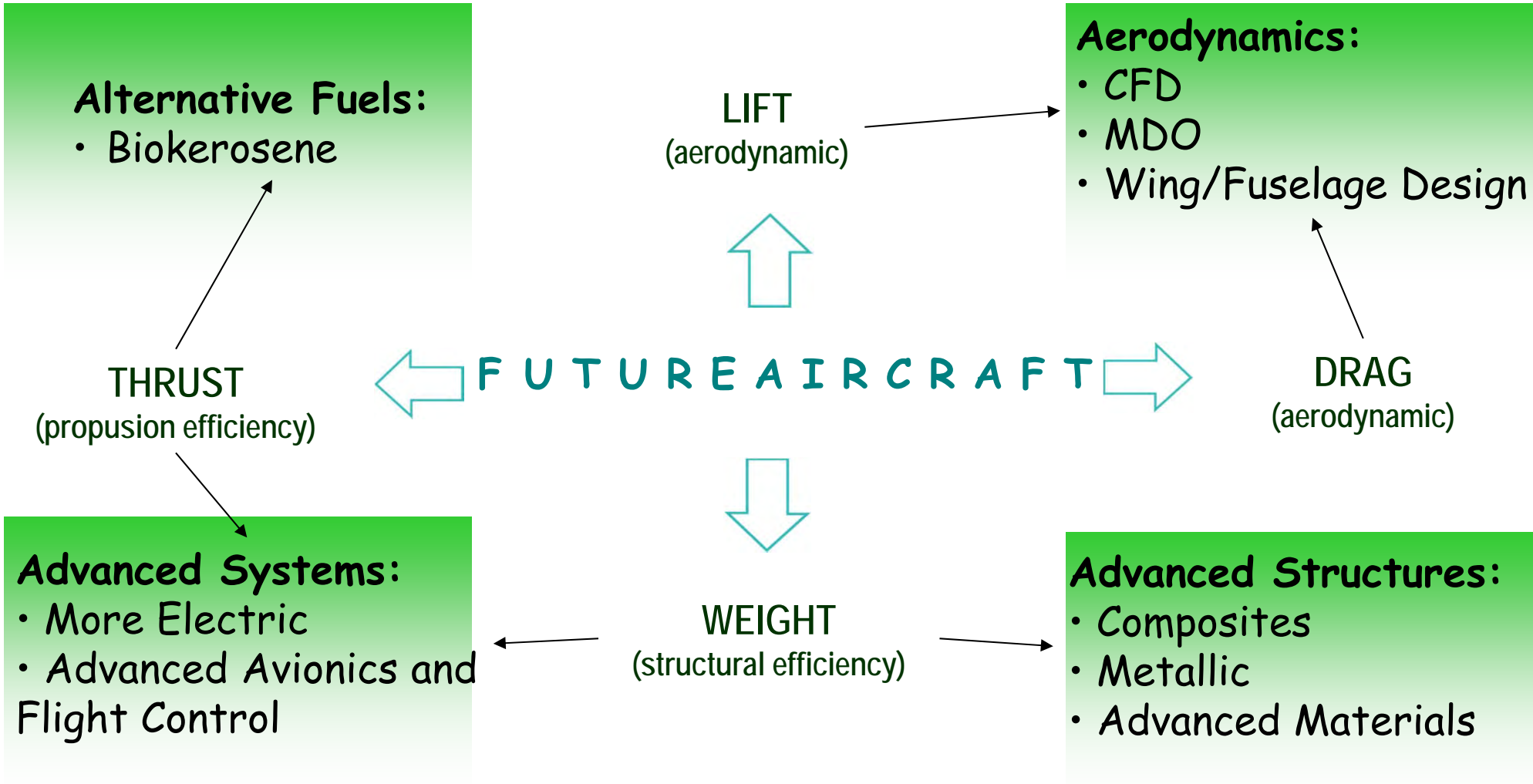


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TECHNOLOGIES TO REDUCE EMISSIONS



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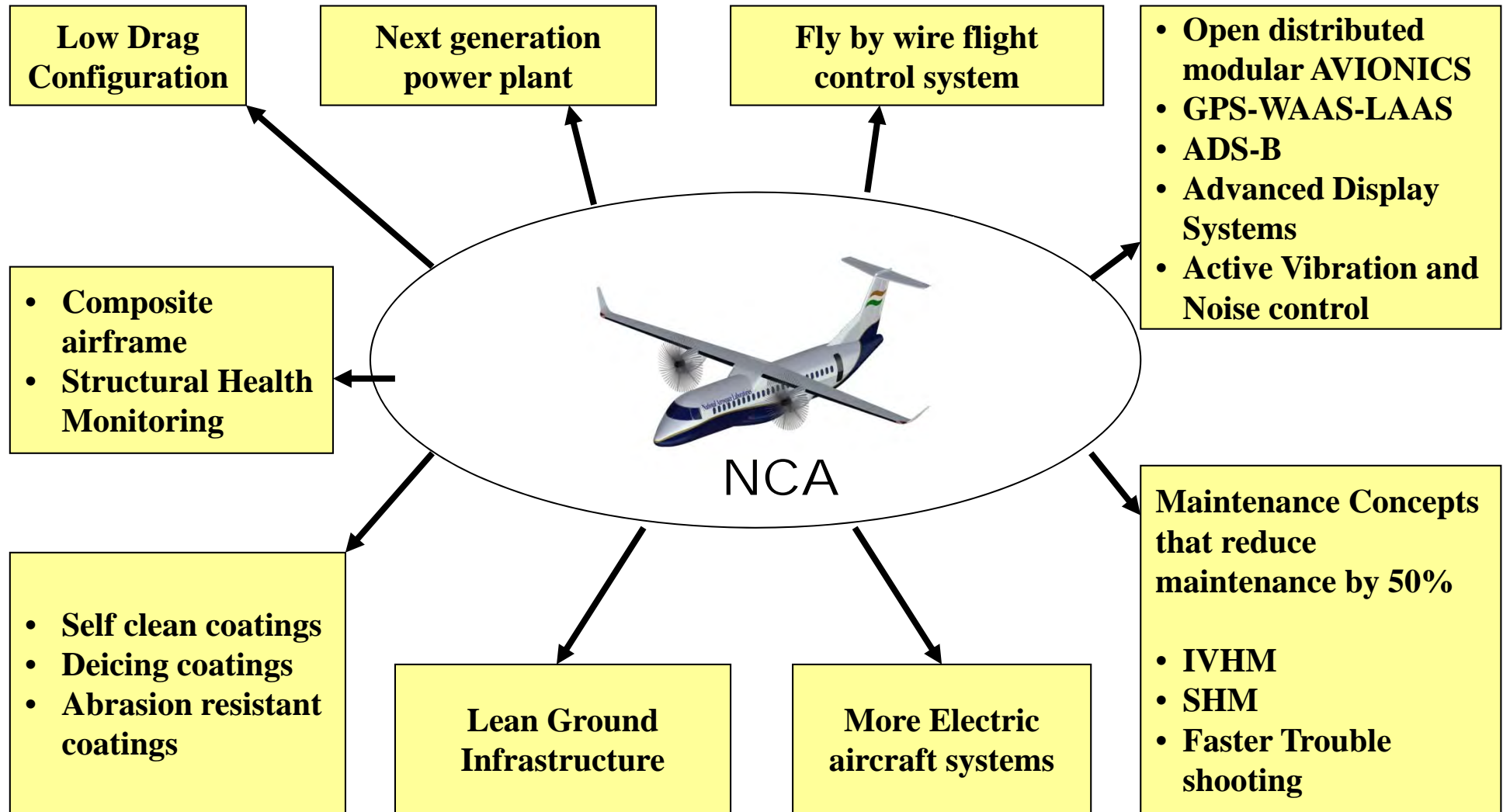


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TECHNOLOGIES FOR NCA



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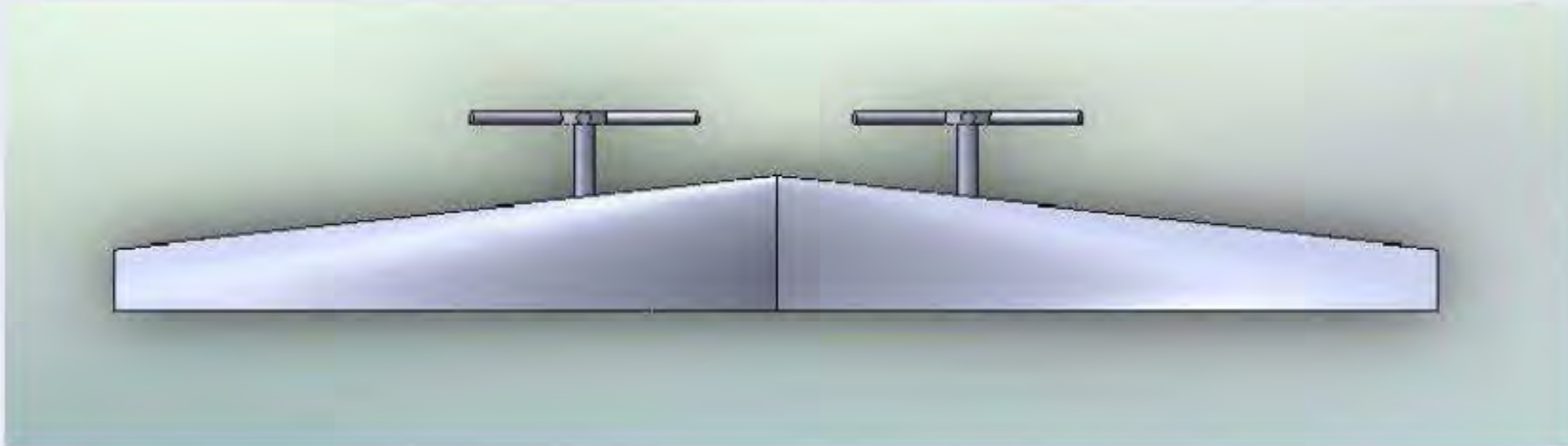
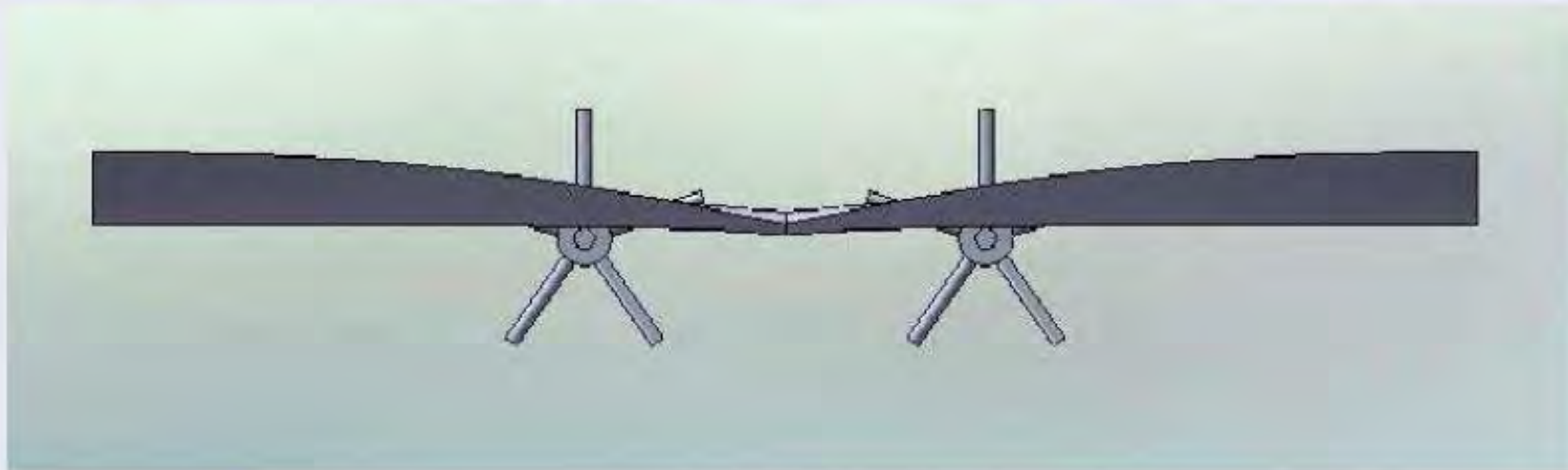


Criteria for adoption : High TRL, time and cost to maturity

Reference wing



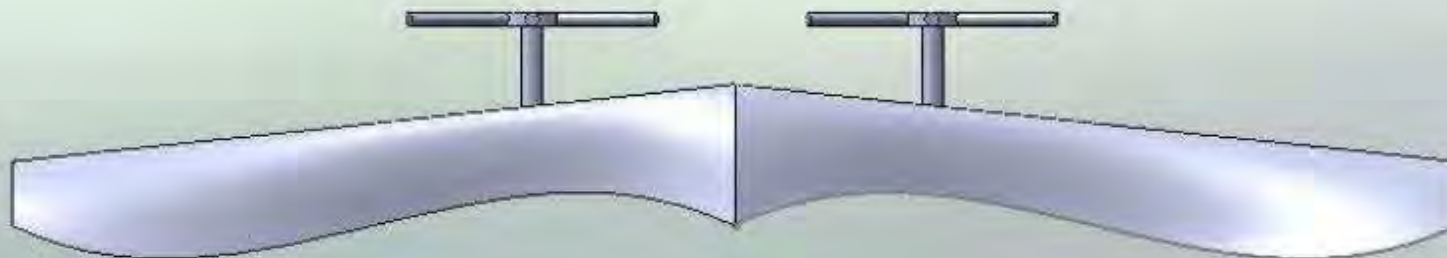
$C_L = 0.38$, wash out twist (twist magnified by 20 times!!!), $AR = 12$

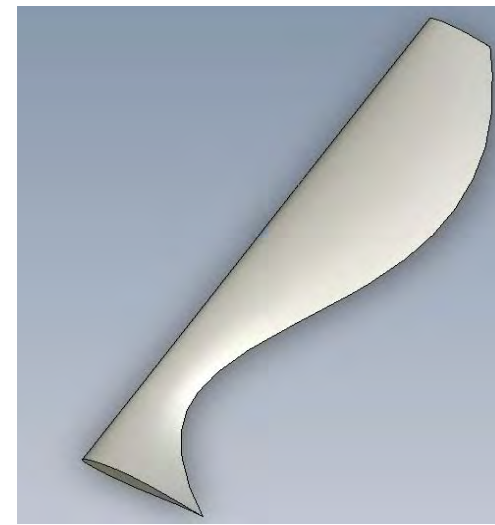
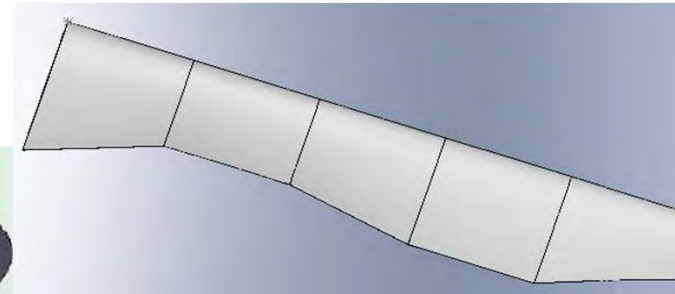
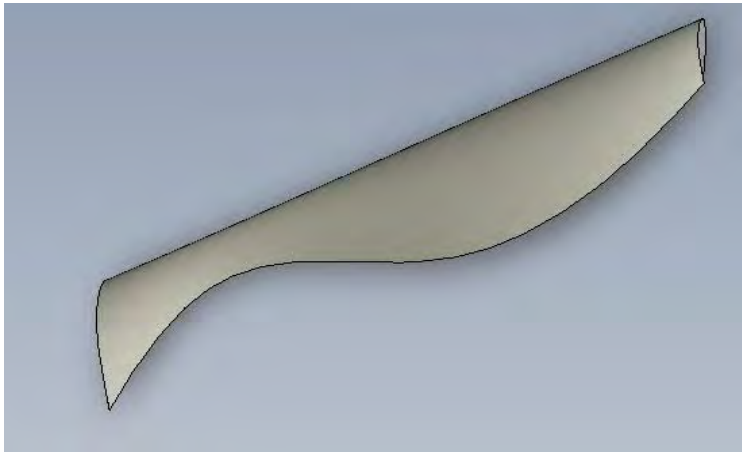


Optimized wing

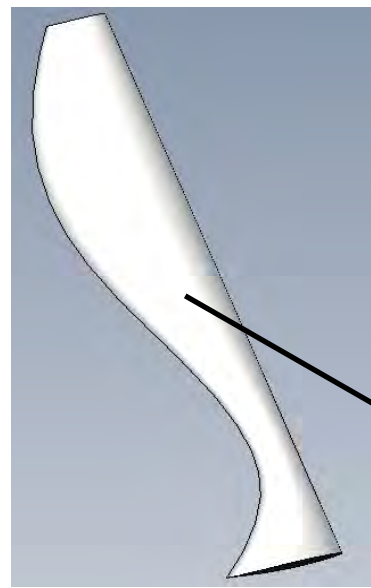
$nc = 320, nf = 48, nwc = 4, nwt = 4, -14^\circ \leq \alpha_t \leq 14^\circ, C_L = 0.38,$
twist magnified by 20 times!!!, $AR = 12, c_m = 1.0717s, c_t = 0.5359s,$
 $\Delta C_d = 3.82\%, \Delta C_{di} = 9.35\%,$ Up-Inboard

$\Delta C_D = 3.82\%, \Delta C_{Di} = 9.35\%$

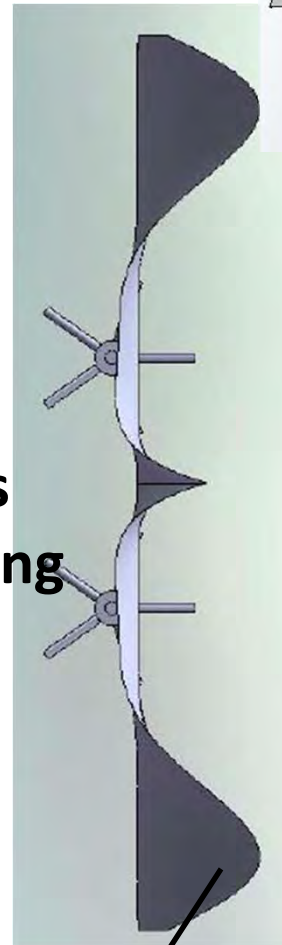




**Different views
of an optimal wing**



suction surface



Twist distribution magnified by 20 times!!!





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Nano Coatings for Aerospace Applications

- Self-cleaning effect
- Anti-icing property
- Abrasion resistance property
- Laminar/Turbulent Drag Reduction(?)

Super-Hydrophobic Coatings - 'LOTUS EFFECT'



Normal Polyurethane
Topcoat

- Self-cleaning property
- Anti-icing property
- Anti-sticking property



WCA = 165°

Superhydrophobic
Coating



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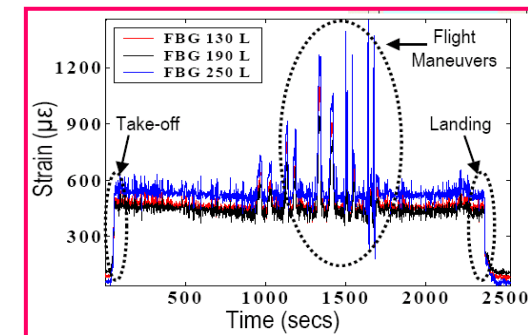
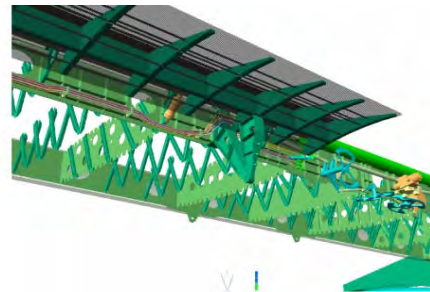
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Airframe (weight < 20% , Cost < 30%, maintenance < 50%)

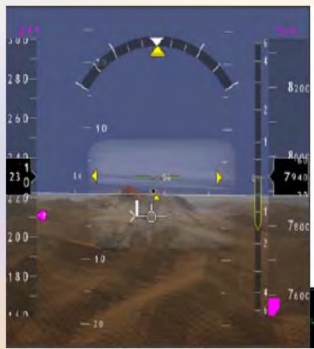
- Composite airframe
(Fuselage, in addition to wing & empennage)

New topologies and Design concepts

- Crash requirements
- CFRP wind shield, pressure bulk head
- Lightning protection improvements
- Complex fitting development
- Reduce parts count
- Reduce cost
- Structural health monitoring



Avionics Technologies



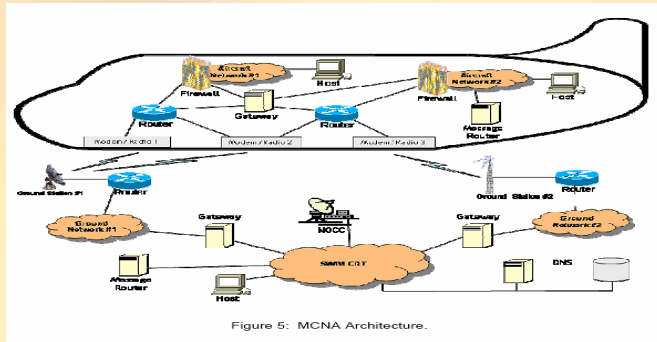
SVS & EVS



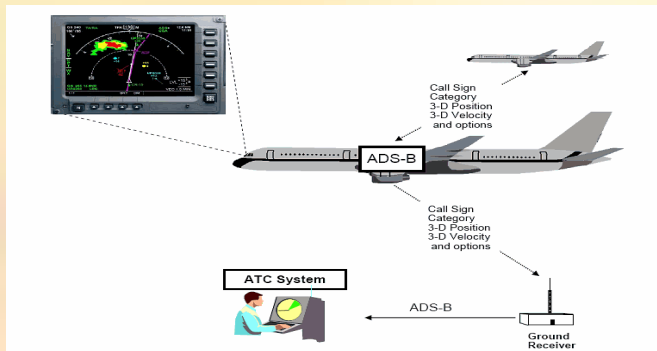
Smart Glass Cockpit



Head Up Display

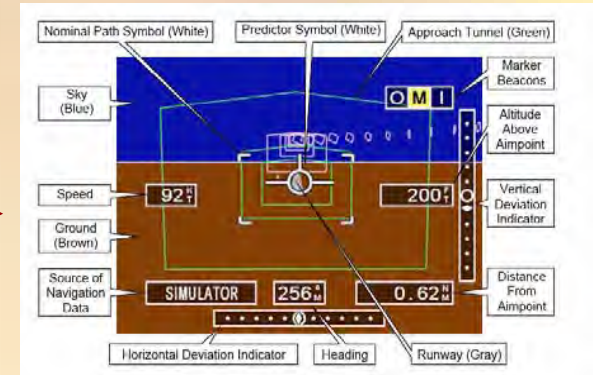


Advanced Comm Tech



Automatic Dependent Surveillance - Broadcast (ADS-B)

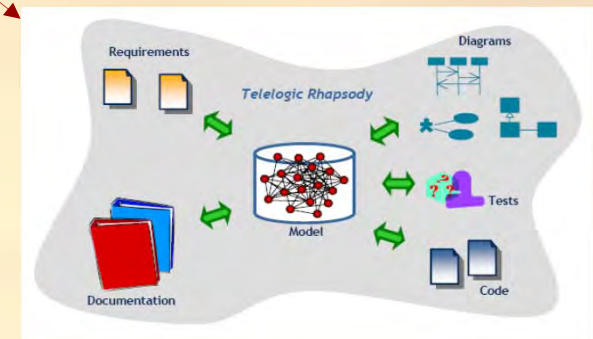
Avionics Technologies For ATM



HighWay In The Sky



WAAS/LAAS/SBAS



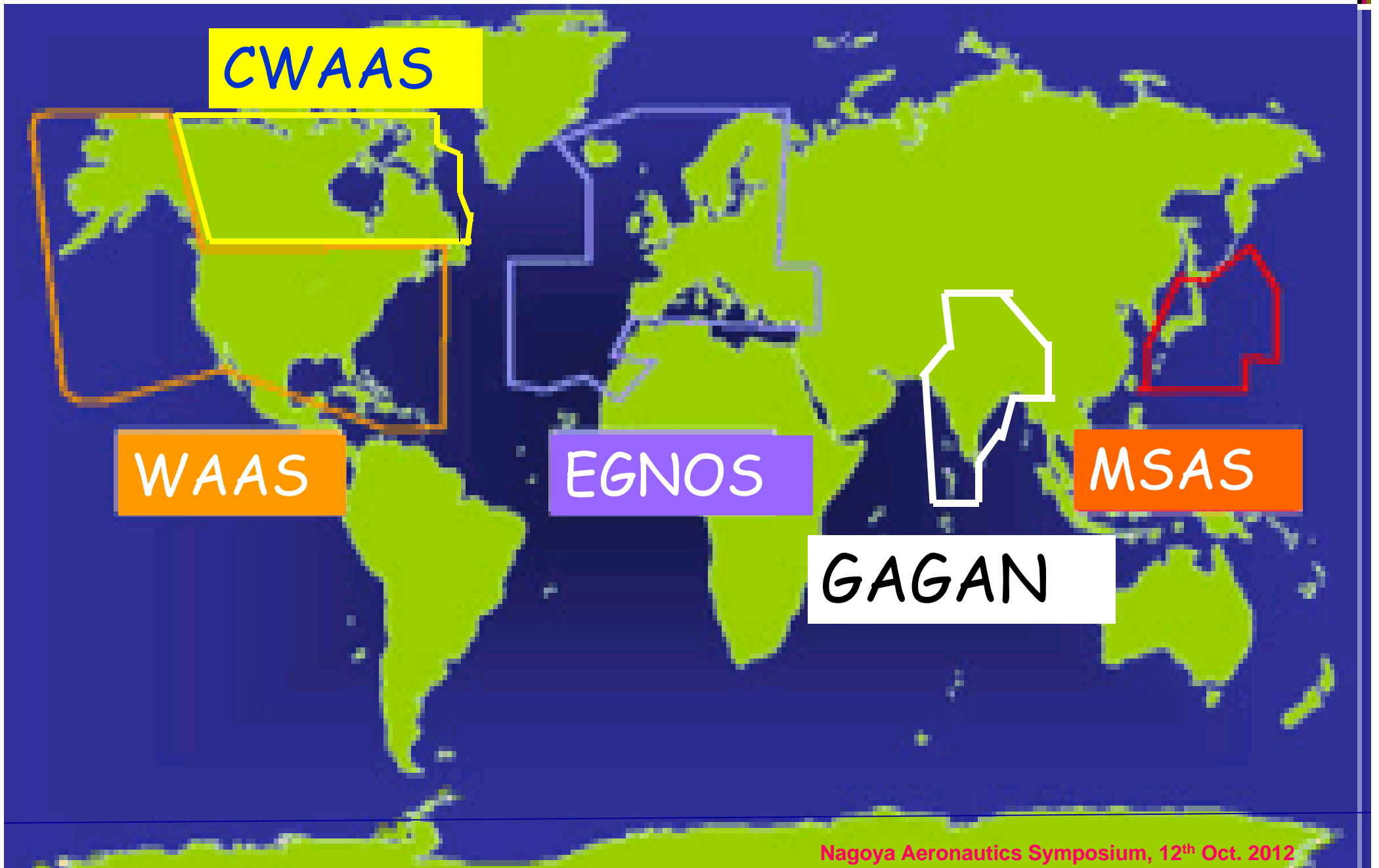
Tool Based Automation

Satellite Based Navigation System for Indian Skies : GAGAN

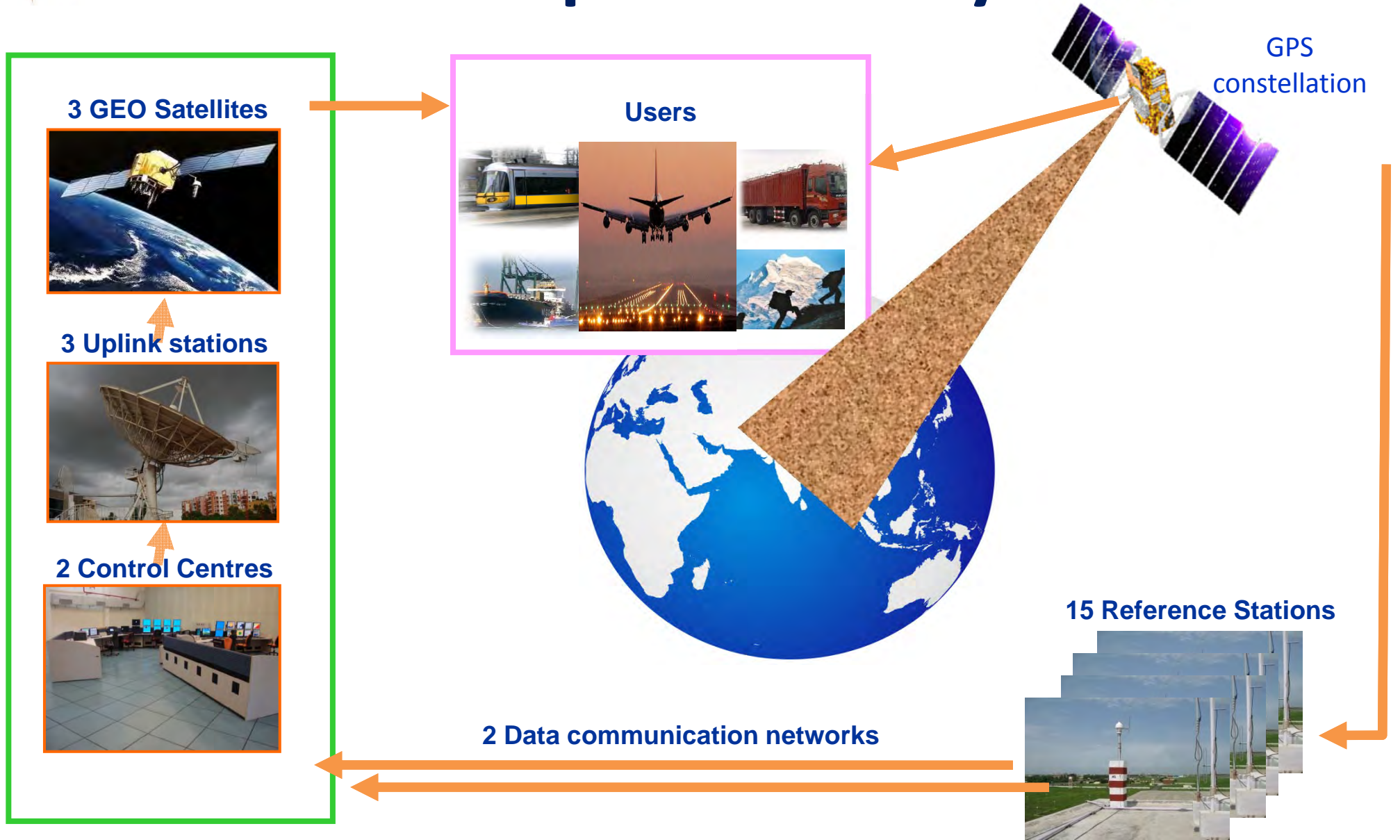


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Navigation Systems
ISRO & AAI

SBAS In Vogue



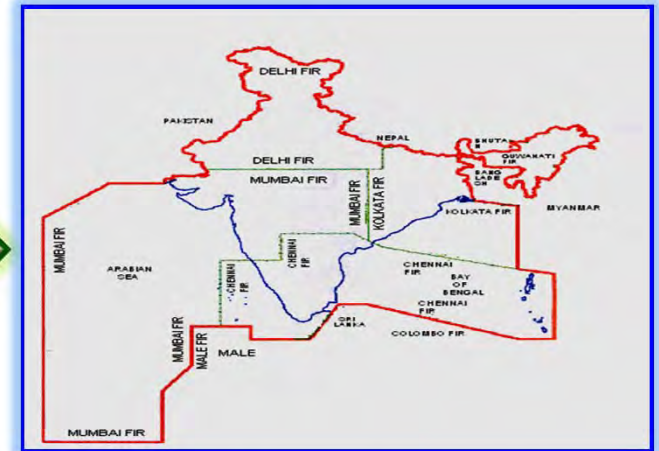
GAGAN Operational System



GAGAN Final Operation Phase

Realize a certified and operational SBAS to provide air navigation services of

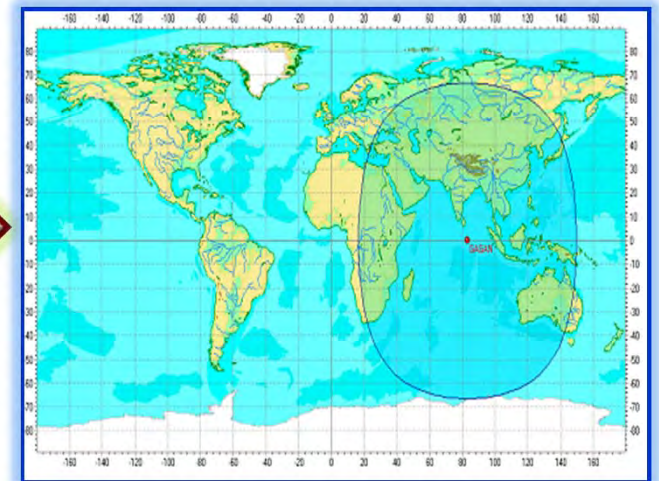
- RNP 0.1 en route navigation within India FIR
- APV-1/1.5 precision approach over landmass of Indian FIR



Common coverage of GAGAN GEO satellites

(55°, 82° & 83°) is beyond Indian FIR (GSAT-8, GSAT10 & GSAT-15)

GSAT-8 launched on 21-May'11 . Space Segment uses SBAS PRN code 127. GSAT-10 launched on 1-Oct'12



Signal-In-Space available since 15-December-2011

GAGAN certification by DGCA 3rd quarter of 2013

Compatible and Interoperable with other SBAS to provide Seamless navigation



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Application of Bio Fuels for Aviation



1. Bio Jet Equivalent to Aviation Fuel (JET A1) from Jetropa Oil

Under Global innovation and Technology Alliance (2010)-DST Indo-Canada Industrial R&D Programme

Status : Technology Proven and setting up Pilot Plant for large scale production under progress

2. Bio-Fuel Production from Marine Micro Algae

Project initiated in April 2010 under the CSIR-New Millennium Indian Technology Leadership Initiative in collaboration with the MoES

Status : 200-km.test-run of a Tavera fueled by 100 percent algae-derived biodiesel & Pilot plant for large scale development / collaboration to convert bio diesel to bio jet for aviation



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Thank you

