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- Part 2: "Community Specification for A-SMGCS airport safety support service";
- Part 3: "Community Specification for a deployed cooperative sensor including its interfaces";
- Part 4: "Community Specification for a deployed non-cooperative sensor including its interfaces";



**Part 5: "Harmonised Standard for access to radio spectrum for Multilateration (MLAT) equipment":**

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## Introduction

A-SMGCS are systems providing routing, guidance, surveillance and control to aircraft and affected vehicles in order to maintain movement rate under all local weather conditions within the Aerodrome Visibility Operational Level (AVOL) whilst maintaining the required level of safety.

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# 1 Scope

The present document specifies technical characteristics and methods of measurements for the following equipment:

- 1) Interrogators transmitting in the 1 030 MHz band, used in Mode S multilateration equipment in an Advanced Surface Movement Guidance and Control System (A-SMGCS).
- 2) Receivers, receiving in the 1 090 MHz band, used in Mode S multilateration equipment in an Advanced Surface Movement Guidance and Control System (A-SMGCS).

Antennas for this equipment are passive without an additional amplifier.

NOTE: The relationship between the present document and essential requirements of article 3.2 of Directive 2014/53/EU [i.1] is given in Annex A.

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- [1] [ICAO Annex 10, Volume IV](#): "Surveillance Radar and Collision Avoidance Systems", 5<sup>th</sup> edition, July 2014, including amendments up to amendment 91 dated 18-07-2022.
- [2] Void.
- [3] [ETSI EN 300 019-1-3 \(V2.4.1\) \(04-2014\)](#): "Environmental Engineering (EE); Environmental conditions and environmental tests for telecommunications equipment; Part 1-3: Classification of environmental conditions; Stationary use at weatherprotected locations".
- [4] [ETSI EN 300 019-1-4 \(V2.2.1\) \(04-2014\)](#): "Environmental Engineering (EE); Environmental conditions and environmental tests for telecommunications equipment; Part 1-4: Classification of environmental conditions; Stationary use at non-weatherprotected locations".

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- [i.2] ITU Radio Regulations (2020).
- [i.3] [Commission Implementing Decision C\(2015\) 5376 final of 4.8.2015](#) on a standardisation request to the European Committee for Electrotechnical Standardisation and to the European Telecommunications Standards Institute as regards radio equipment in support of Directive 2014/53/EU of the European Parliament and of the Council.
- [i.4] [ECC/Recommendation \(02\)05 \(2012\)](#): "Unwanted emissions".
- [i.5] ETSI EG 203 336 (V1.2.1): "Guide for the selection of technical parameters for the production of Harmonised Standards covering article 3.1(b) and article 3.2 of Directive 2014/53/EU".
- [i.6] [ERC/Recommendation 74-01 \(2019\)](#): "Unwanted emissions in the spurious domain".
- [i.7] EUROCAE ED-117A (September 2016): "MOPS for Mode S Multilateration Systems for Use in Advanced Surface Movement Guidance and Control Systems (A-SMGCS)".

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## 3 Definition of terms, symbols and abbreviations

### 3.1 Terms

For the purposes of the present document, the following terms apply:

**conducted measurements:** measurements which are made using a wired connection to the EUT

**duty cycle:** ratio expressed as a percentage, of the cumulative duration of transmissions within an observation interval and the interval itself, as measured in an observation bandwidth

**equipment under test:** system of constituents provided by the manufacturer for qualification under the present document

**ground based multilateration equipment or ground station:** aeronautical station equipment intended for use in an A-SMGCS multilateration component

**interrogator:** aeronautical station equipment including at least one transmitter designed to produce aeronautical mobile service signals at 1 030 MHz

**Mode S:** particular type of uplink or downlink message defined in ICAO Annex 10, Volume IV [1]

**multilateration:** surveillance technique which provides position derived from the Secondary Surveillance Radar (SSR) transponder signals (replies or squitters) primarily using Time Difference Of Arrival (TDOA) techniques

NOTE: Additional information, including identification, can be extracted from the received signals.

**Operating Channel (OC):** frequency range in which the transmission from the EUT occurs, or in which the EUT is intended to receive transmissions

**operating frequency:** centre of the OC

**out of band emissions:** power transmitted at frequencies outside the OC but within the specified spectral mask

**probability of detection:** rate of correctly received and decoded squitter messages

**receiver:** EUT which includes the capability to convert RF signals into binary content

**resolution bandwidth:** bandwidth that is used for spectral measurements

**transmission:** radio emission consisting of one uplink or downlink Mode S message

**transmitter:** EUT which includes the capability to convert binary content into RF signals

**transponder:** aeronautical station equipment including at least one transmitter designed to produce aeronautical mobile radionavigation service signals at 1 090 MHz and zero or more receivers designed to receive aeronautical mobile radionavigation service signals at 1 030 MHz

**unwanted signal:** any signal other than the wanted signal or as described in a specific test case

**wanted signal:** in-band signal modulated according to the Mode specification

NOTE: Some manufacturers may also accept Mode 3A/C and other modulations which is beyond the scope of the present document.

## 3.2 Symbols

For the purposes of the present document, the following symbols apply:

dB	decibel
dBc	dB relative to carrier
dBm	power in dB relative to 1 milliwatt
dBpp	dB below PEP
f	measurement frequency
μs	Microsecond
Ω	Ohm

## 3.3 Abbreviations

For the purposes of the present document, the following abbreviations apply:

AC	Alternating Current
ADS-B	Automatic Dependant Surveillance Broadcast
A-SMGCS	Advanced Surface Movement Guidance and Control System
AVOL	Aerodrome Visibility Operational Level
CRC	Cyclic Redundancy Check
CW	Continuous Wave
DC	Direct Current
DF	Downlink Format
DME	Distance Measuring Equipment
EUT	Equipment Under Test
ICAO	International Civil Aviation Organization
MLAT	Multilateration
MOPS	Minimum Operational Performance Specification
NA	Not Applicable
NA	Not Applicable
OC	Operating Channel
OOB	Out Of Band
PD	Probability of Detection
PEP	Peak Envelope Power
RBW	Reference BandWidth
RF	Radio Frequency
RX	Receive
SSR	Secondary Surveillance Radar
TX	Transmit
VBW	Video BandWidth