

# Enabling GNSS Innovation for Operators

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# « GPS » and « Innovation » .... ?

- **When we think GPS for aviation, what comes to mind?**
  - Just a position source?
  - It's so standard! Almost like a commodity...
  - Like we have on our phones, or to navigate with our cars?
  - Even small general aviation aircrafts have GPS today
- **A GPS receiver can be much more than what meets the eye**
  - How can that little box provide even more added value to you, the operator?
- **Keyword is INNOVATION**

# Innovation has always been within CMC's DNA

- **Guglielmo Marconi: true innovator, inventor of wireless telegraphy in the 1890s**
  - The first actual text message!
  - Co-laureate of the 1909 Nobel Prize for physics
- **Creation of Marconi's Wireless Telegraph Company of Canada in 1903**
  - 1925: name changed to Canadian Marconi Company : → **CMC**
- **Pioneers in developing and manufacturing the first Doppler Velocity Sensors in the 50s and 60s**
  - Standalone navigation solution
- **Canadian Marconi Company naturally switches towards high-end aviation products, introducing its GNSS receivers**
- **2001: becomes CMC Electronics Inc to reflect its focus on avionics, while still honoring its rich history as an innovator**



# Enabling GNSS Innovation for Operators

- **With more than 30 Years of excellence in GNSS innovation, CMC Electronics is globally renowned as an industry-leading GNSS supplier, recognized for delivering products with exceptionally high reliability in the most challenging environments**
- **What is the differentiator?**
  - Constantly innovate → think outside the box
  - Never compromise on quality
- **The key is to develop and deliver niche products and innovative functionalities, bringing true added-value to our customers**
- **We propose solutions others can't do and won't do**
  - We are customer oriented
  - We customize
  - We are agile

# Enabling GNSS Innovation for Operators: Top-Level

- **Be a visionary on how GPS technology best serves the industry**
- **For example: CMC historically led the way to Satellite Based Augmentation System (SBAS), wrote and oversaw most of the DO-229D MOPS development when many other industry participants gave up on SBAS at that time**
- **Today, SBAS is a world standard – and it's still growing**
  - Active: WAAS, EGNOS, GAGAN, MSAS, KASS
  - In development: BDSBAS, SDCM, ANGA, SouthPAN
- **Benefits of SBAS are used in many aviation applications today**
  - Surveillance: ADS-B compliance in growing regions in the world
  - Navigation: Performance Based Navigation (PBN)
  - Approach capabilities: Localizer Performance with Vertical Guidance (LPV)



# Enabling GNSS Innovation for Operators: Design

- **The philosophy:**
  - Can't be a me-too
  - Never compromise on quality
- **Examples?**
  - ✓ CMC was first to use Narrow Correlator™ technology in aviation - technology that drastically improves the pseudo-range accuracy
  - ✓ CMC invented & patented a super-stable oscillator technology, eliminating “micro-jumps” that could cause loss of lock due to “micro” oscillator upsets
  - ✓ CMC developed an advanced carrier to noise density algorithm, superior to the ones published
  - ✓ CMC developed a proprietary multipath mitigation solution

Narrow Correlator™ is trademark of NovAtel Inc.

# Enabling GNSS Innovation for Operators: Design

- **These innovative design choices better serves you, the operator:**
  - ✓ High quality design – making for an exceptionally robust and reliable GNSS receiver
  - ✓ Designed to operate in the most challenging environments
  - ✓ Very tolerant to GNSS jamming
- **The track record speaks for itself:**
  - ✓ Fielded MTBF is in the order of 100k's of flight hours (more on that soon)
  - ✓ No Airworthiness Directive was ever issued against any of CMC's GPS products since its original inception, covering decades of operation

# Enabling GNSS Innovation for Operators: System

- **“A GPS receiver can be much more than what meets the eye”**
  - This receiver can be more than your standard A743 sensor for Position, Velocity and Time
- **Proposing more value to the operator that nobody has never thought of**
  - Innovation is the key
- **Examples?**
  - ✓ CMC was first to field a completely standalone LPV solution
  - ✓ CMC was first and only to field a completely standalone, non-MMR GBAS solution
  - ✓ CMC was first to field a commercial, non-ITAR Have Quick timing interface
  - ✓ CMC was first to develop a Doppler Velocity Sensor look-alike
- **Standalone and customizable: makes it much easier to integrate on your platform**



# CMC's Current SBAS Products

## ➤ CMA-3024 GNSSU

- TSO-C145 SBAS GPS receiver
- Fully ADS-B Out compliant
- Fielded MTBF  $\geq 190,000\text{FH}$



CMA-3024 GNSSU

## ➤ CMA-5024 GLSSU

- All capabilities of CMA-3024, plus:
  - TSO-C146: **standalone LPV (equivalent to CAT-I)**
  - Embedded GVS functionalities and Have Quick timing
  - Certified up to DAL-A
  - Fielded MTBF  $\geq 550,000\text{FH}$



CMA-5024 GLSSU

## ➤ CMA-6024 GLSSU

- All capabilities of CMA-5024, plus:
  - TSO-C161 & TSO-C162 for **GBAS GLS precision approaches**
  - Integrated VDB receiver built-in
  - Fielded MTBF  $\geq 400,000\text{FH}$



CMA-6024 GLSSU

# CMC's Current SBAS GPS Products

## ➤ CMA-4124 GNSSA

- Designed for incorporation into all avionics applications such as Multi-Mode Receivers (MMRs)
- TSO-C145 SBAS GPS receiver
- TSO-C146 for LPV (equivalent to CAT-I)
- Fully ADS-B Out compliant
- MTBF of 80,000FH



**CMA-4124 GNSSA**

## CMA-4124 GNSSA Receiver Module — Specifications

### DESIGN REQUIREMENTS

|       |                                                   |
|-------|---------------------------------------------------|
| ARINC | 743B Characteristic<br>755-4 Characteristic       |
| RTCA  | DO-229D<br>DO-246D (planned)<br>DO-253C (planned) |

### CERTIFICATION

|     |                                                                                                                                   |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| FAA | TSO-C145c Beta-3 equivalent for an electronics card<br>TSO-C146c Delta-4 equivalent for an electronics card<br>TSO-161a (planned) |
|-----|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|

### RECEIVER

|                         |                                                                                                                        |
|-------------------------|------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Type                    | 2 Active Antenna Ports with<br>2 GPS L1 RF channels,<br>24 parallel Narrow Correlator @ digital<br>processing channels |
| Frequency               | L1, 1575.42 MHz, C/A code                                                                                              |
| Acquisition Sensitivity | -134 dBm @ 32.87 dB Hz C/No                                                                                            |
| Tracking Sensitivity    | -134 dBm @ 31.04 dB Hz C/No                                                                                            |
| Time to First Fix       | < 75 seconds maximum, 95% confidence                                                                                   |
| Hor. Position Accuracy  | 15 meters, 95%, S/A off                                                                                                |
| Differential            | Better than 1.0 meters, 95%                                                                                            |
| Altitude Accuracy       | 20 meters, 95%, S/A off                                                                                                |
| Velocity Accuracy       | 0.5 knots, 95%, S/A off (0.33kts horizontal,<br>68 ft/min. vertical)                                                   |
| Position Update         | 10 independent solutions per seconds<br>(10Hz solution rate)                                                           |
| Language                | Ada                                                                                                                    |
| Level                   | DO-178B Level A design<br>DO-178B, Level B certified                                                                   |

### HARDWARE

|           |                                                   |
|-----------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Level     | DO-254 Level A Design<br>DO-254 Level B Certified |
| Processor | Pentium Equivalent                                |

### OTHER FEATURES

|                       |                                                                                                                               |
|-----------------------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| FDE & Predictive RAIM | Fault detection and isolation incorporated<br>High-performance parity space technique<br>uses pressure altitude automatically |
| Data Loader           | On-aircraft software upload via ARINC<br>615 Data Loader (optional)                                                           |
| Pressure Altitude     | Automatic calibration and use in navigation<br>and RAIM                                                                       |
| BITE                  | Continuous coverage, >95% fault detection                                                                                     |

### PHYSICAL

|             |                                                   |
|-------------|---------------------------------------------------|
| Size        | 6.6" x 4" x 0.6" (168 x 102 x 15 mm)              |
| Weight      | <0.5 lb (0.23 kg)                                 |
| Input Power | +3.3, +5.0, +/-12.0 VDC                           |
| Consumption | 12 W maximum<br>10 W typical (full configuration) |
| MTBF        | 60,000 hours                                      |

### ENVIRONMENTAL

The CMA-4124 GNSSA receiver is designed to meet the following DO-160E categories when properly installed in a unit enclosure:

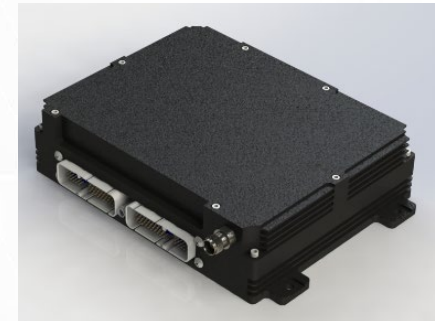
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| Temperature | -55°C to +70°C                                 |
| Altitude    | 55,000 feet (16,500 meters)                    |
| Humidity    | Supports DO-160E, Cat. C                       |
| HIRF        | Designed for 200 V/m when properly<br>enclosed |

### INTERFACES

|         |                                                                               |
|---------|-------------------------------------------------------------------------------|
| Inputs  | 9 ARINC 429<br>4 RS-422/232<br>11 discrete inputs                             |
| Outputs | 5 Independent ARINC 429<br>4 RS-422/232<br>2 discretes<br>3 time marks (1 Hz) |

# CMC's NextGen MCMF GNSS Receiver

- With this excellent track record, the future looks bright for what comes next!
- CMC is currently developing its Next Generation, Multi-Constellation Multi-Frequency (MCMF) GNSS Receiver
- This new product will support all the legacy functionalities, but will also be ready to support the upcoming GNSS constellations as they become available:
  - Galileo, Beidou, IRNSS, QZSS, etc...
  - CMC is driving and fully aligned with the latest and future Minimum Operational Performance Standards
- **Sneak preview:**
  - SWaP reduction
  - Velocity Integrity
  - Jamming and Spoofing defensive measures
  - And many more innovative features



# Closing Arguments

- **To be successful in today's modern and very competitive ecosystem: innovation**
  - This is and always been CMC's model, driven by its legacy inherited from the Marconi era
- **If you have the same mindset in your own line of business, we want to hear you out**
  - You are an operator / integrator, and you are geared towards innovation?
  - You want to succeed and keep your competitors at bay?
  - You have a business proposition / innovative idea involving GNSS?
- **We can help you!**
  - CMC is agile and customer oriented, we will customize to meet your requirements
- **We are interested to hear your own story, and listen to what you have in mind**
- **CMC is dedicated into enabling GNSS innovation for you**
- **Thank you for your attention**