

# DELEGATES CONFERENCE 2018 - EEDA

## Recent/Harmonized Advisory Material and Standards

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# Outline

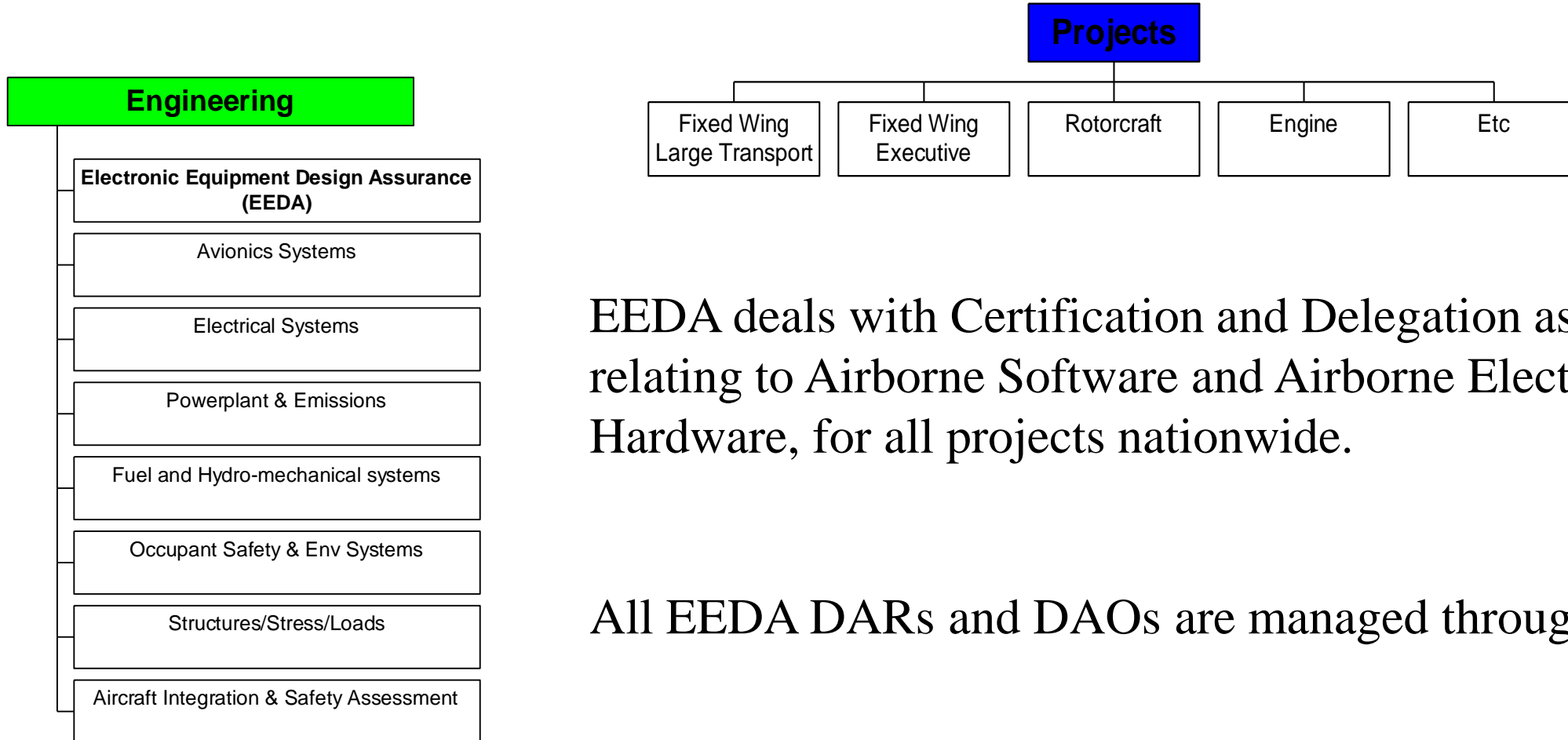
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# TCCA Organization and Oversight

## NAC Certification Resources – Matrix Org

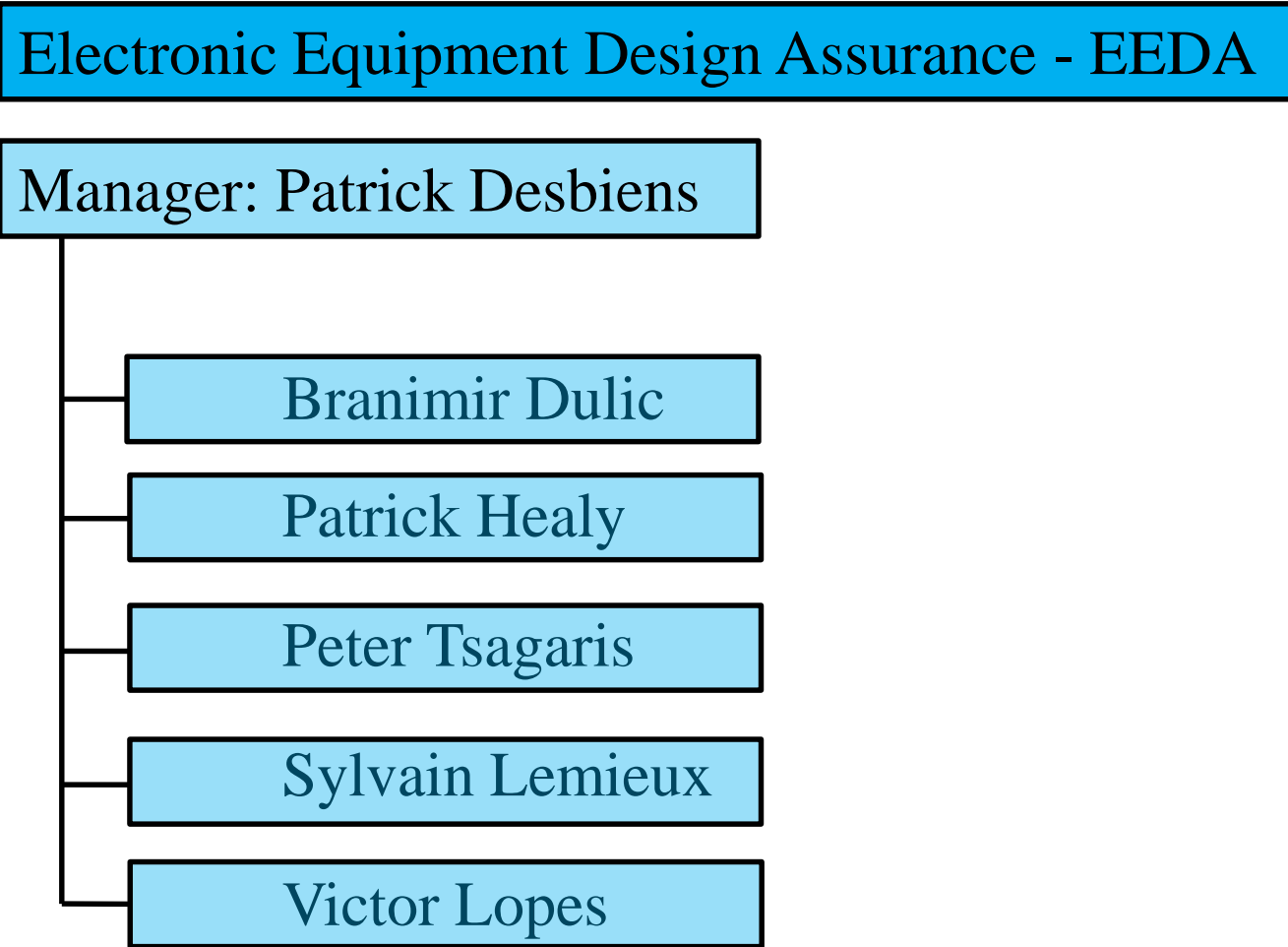


EEDA deals with Certification and Delegation aspects relating to Airborne Software and Airborne Electronic Hardware, for all projects nationwide.

All EEDA DARs and DAOs are managed through HQ.

# TCCA EEDA Organization

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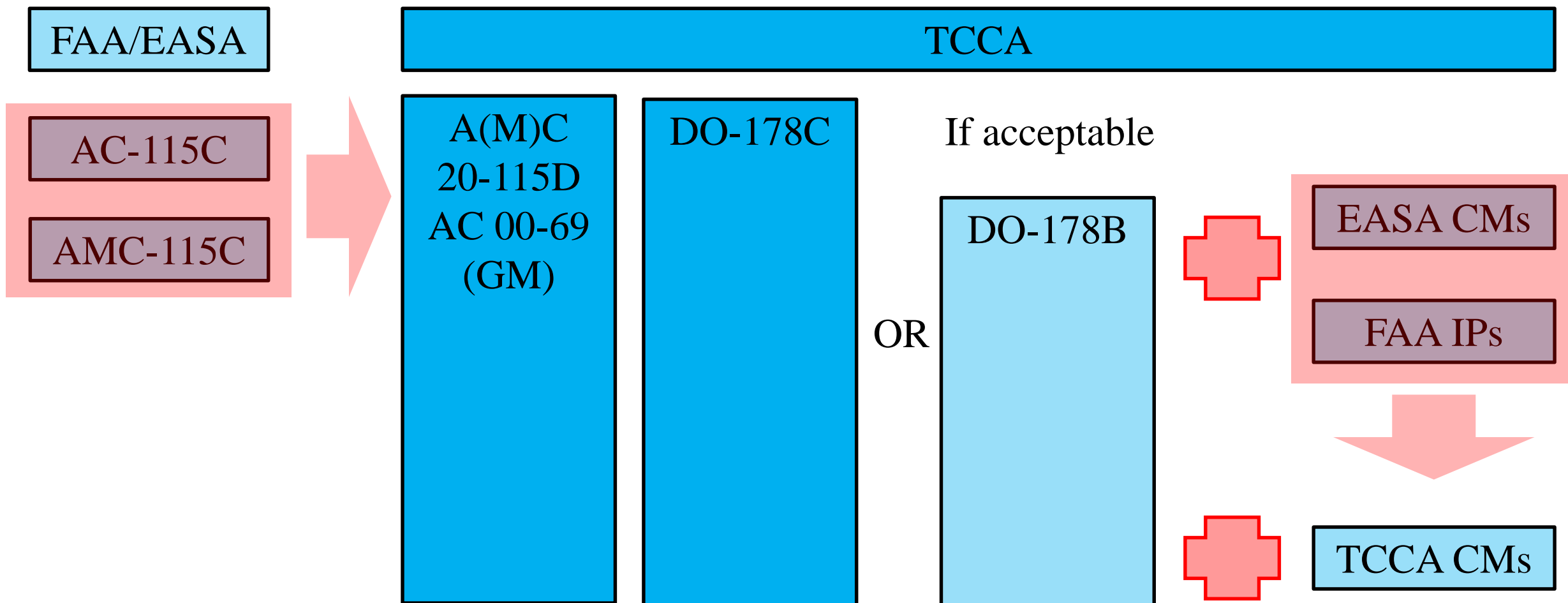
- Supported by an industry request EASA and FAA started a joint harmonization effort to:
  - Revisit the Software guidance
  - Increment AEH (Hardware) guidance
  - Create common OPR guidance
  
- FAA and EASA are working with 3 major industry associations (ASD, GAMA and AIA) before public consultation.
  
- FAA ACs are considered acceptable by Transport Canada, except when specifically excluded in Appendix C of the Airworthiness Manual Advisory (AMA 500-00).

# Recent/Harmonized Advisory Material

- A(M)C 20-115D, GM/AC 00-69 (SW Best Practice)
  - FAA/EASA Published in 2017
  
- A(M)C 20-152A, GM/AC 00-72 (AEH Best Practice)
  - FAA/EASA NPA 2018-09
  
- A(M)C 20-189, GM/AC 00-71 (OPR Best Practices)
  - FAA/EASA NPA 2018-09



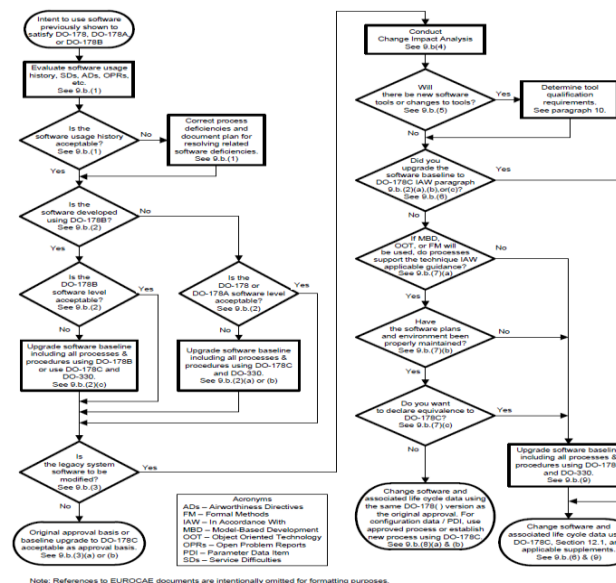
# Software guidance - A(M)C 20-115D



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Section 5 defines when existing DO-178B processes can be used for new development

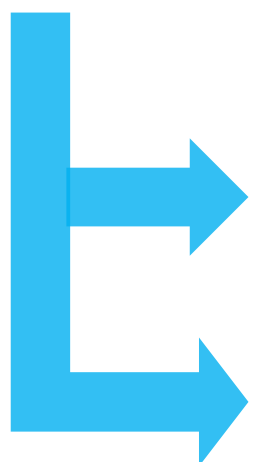
Section 8 contains guidance for FLS and UMS as it applies to software developers



Section 10 harmonizes guidance on tool qualification

Considers the use of ED-12C/DO-178C PDI guidance with existing DO-178B processes

Considers the use of MBD, OOT, or FM for new development, provided processes were evaluated and found to be acceptable by Certification Authority under specific “CM/CRI/IP”.



# Software guidance - A(M)C 20-115D

## **GM/ AC 00-69 (Best practices):**

- Data coupling/control coupling clarified, based on EASA CM-SWCEH-002
- Scope & content of change impact analysis (CIA) clarified
- Error handling at the design level, based on EASA CM-SWCEH-002

# Airborne Electronic Hardware guidance A(M)C 20-152A

- Streamlined guidance –Objectives oriented wording
  - Focus on WHAT to achieve
  - Intends to provide more flexibility to industry on the HOW
  
- Objective identifier:
  - For the development of custom devices, the identifier is CD-i,
  - For the use of COTS IP in custom devices, the identifier is IP-i,
  - For the use of COTS devices, the identifier is COTS-i.

# Airborne Electronic Hardware guidance A(M)C 20-152A

## Custom Device

Section 5.1 and 5.2 provide applicability guidance on Simple /Complex classification for custom devices

CD-1

Section 5.4 Development Assurance of Simple Custom Devices

CD-2

Section 5.5, 5.6, 5.7 Clarifications for DO-254 Validation and Verification Process

CD-3, CD-4, CD-5,  
CD-6, CD-7, CD-8

Section 5.8 Clarifications for ED-80/DO-254 Tool Assessment and Qualification

CD9, CD10

Section 5.9 Previously Developed Hardware

CD-11

# Airborne Electronic Hardware guidance A(M)C 20-152A

## IP and COTS

Section 5.11 Use of COTS IP in Custom Design Development  
Development Assurance for COTS IP (Planning, Selection, IP assessment)  
Requirements for the COTS IP Function and Validation  
Verification

IP-1, IP-2, IP-3  
IP-4, IP5, IP6

Section 6 Use of commercial-off-the-shelf devices  
Only Complex COTS

COTS-1, COTS-2  
COTS-3, COTS4  
COTS-5, COTS-6  
COTS-7, COTS-8

# Airborne Electronic Hardware guidance A(M)C 20-152A

## **GM/AC 00-72 (Best practices):**

- Custom devices (CD-1, CD-2, CD-6, CD-8, CD-9, CD-10, IP-2, IP-4, IP-5)
- COTS devices (COTS-1, COTS-2, COTS-3, COTS-6)
- Electronic Hardware Assembly Development

# OPR management guidance –A(M)C 20-189

- Will provide guidance addressing simultaneously three domains: System, Software and AEH.
- Reference material include ARP4754A, DO-178C and DO-254.
- Goal is to create a stand-alone document, not implying the use of a given standard.
- Supporting inputs: DO-248C DP#9, Lessons-learned from certification projects, Industry Recommendations



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# IMA (E)TSO

2002

2003

2005

2010

2016

2018

2019 ...

FAA  
TSO  
C-153

FAA  
AC  
20-145

RTCA  
DO  
297

FAA  
AC  
20-170

EASA  
ETSO  
2C-153

EASA  
AMC  
20-170

FAA  
TSO  
C-153A

IMA  
HW  
Module

IMA Based on  
TSO C-153

~~FAA  
AC  
20-145~~

DO-297  
TASK1  
Module/  
Platform

EASA  
ETSO  
C214

FAA  
AC  
20-170A

Incremental approval  
Breakdown of Tasks  
Req. modularity (incl. Partitioning)

DO-297 TASK2 - Hosted  
Application Development  
  
DO-297 TASK3 - System Level  
Development

# IMA ETSO 2C-153 (IMA Module)

- Published by EASA in 2016 as part of the IMA incremental process. (FAA TSO C-153A, public comments ends 14<sup>th</sup> Nov)
- Allows platform providers to get an approval independently of the installation.
- Covers the DO-297 Task1, Platform/Module acceptance covering ALL components:
  - Hardware + Core Software and Tools
  - Includes Health Monitoring features
  - User Data (User Guide) identifying User's constraints/performance

# IMA ETSO 2C-153 (IMA Module)

- Defines classes of shared resources, with process and Minimum Performance requirements for each class.
- Requires to characterize resources to the user for each class, if present in the platform:

Class RH	Racking House	Class DH	Display Head
Class PR	Processing	Class PS	Power Supply
Class DS	Data Storage	Class IF	Interface
Class GP	Graphical Processing		

# IMA ETSO 2C-153 (IMA Module)

## ➤ Appendices:

1. General

2. MPS

3. Data

4. Environmental

MPS= Performance + Characterization



2.1	Common
2.2	Racking House
2.3	Processing
2.4	Data Storage
2.5	Graphical Processing
2.6	Display Head
2.7	Power Supply
2.8	Interface

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Data required for the user described in 8 chapters



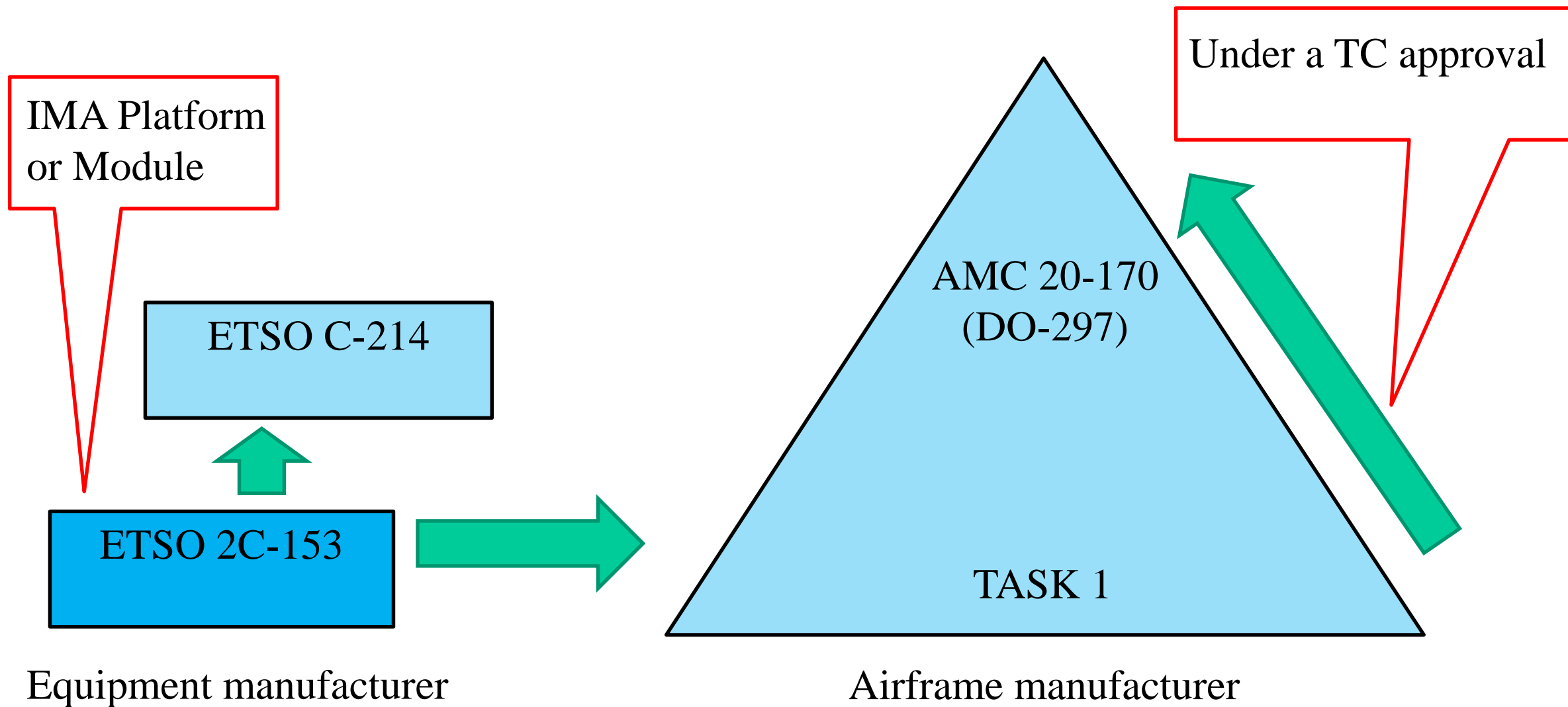
User Guide concept

Clear covered/not covered aspects

Transfer of 'safety' aspects for further safety analysis

Installation Manual

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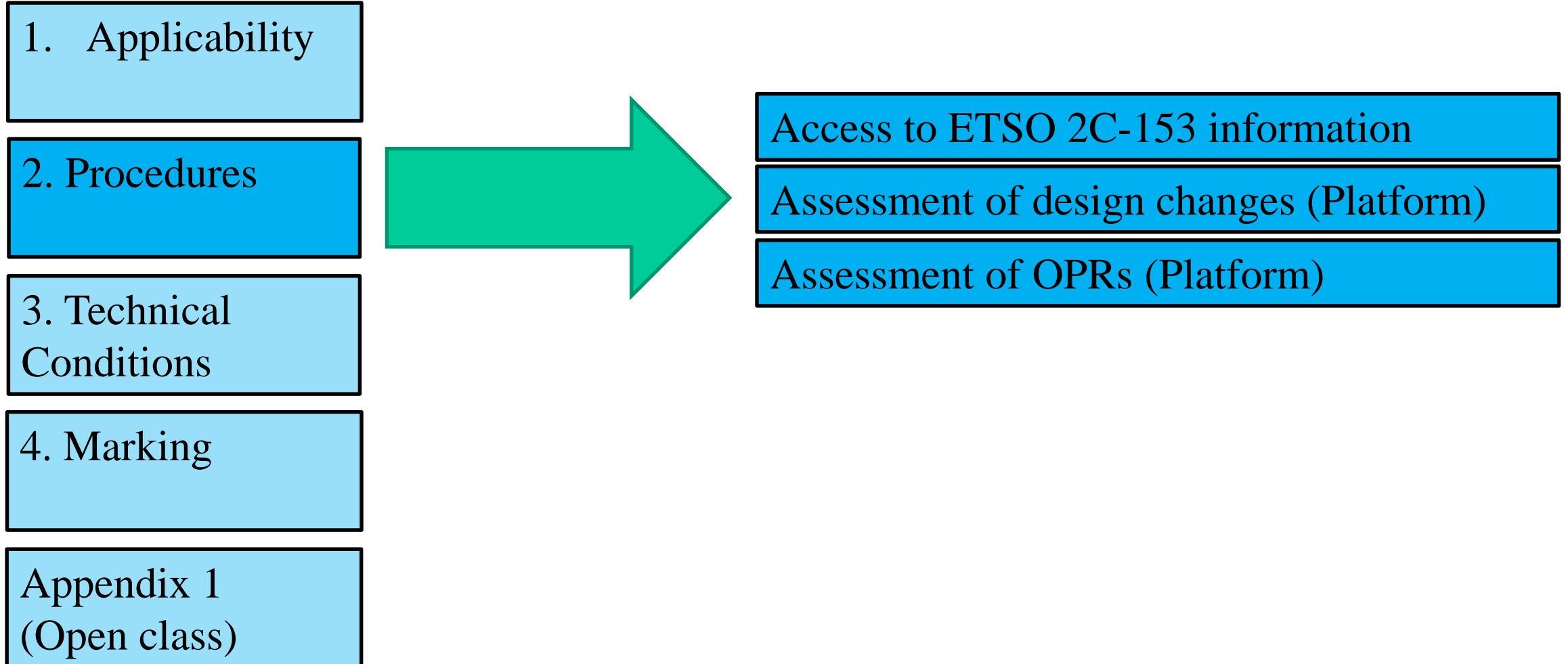
# IMA ETSO C-214 Functional ETSO equipment using an ETSO-2C153 authorized IMA Platform Or Module

- Published by EASA in 2018 as part of the IMA incremental process.
- Applicant seeking certification of a functional ETSO based on a previously ETSO-2C153 authorized IMA platform/module.
- Application to ETSO-C214 needs to be associated to an application to functional ETSO standard.
  - ETSO-C214 MPS are additional to the ETSO function MPS
  - ETSO-C214 addresses the development and integration aspects in an IMA context
- Covers DO-297 Task 2 and Task 3.

# IMA ETSO C-214 Functional ETSO equipment using an ETSO-2C153 authorized IMA Platform Or Module

- Defines 2 classes ETSO of C-214 : Closed and Open
- Closed: The applicant doesn't aim at any further 'IMA development' (no new function/application)
- Open: The applicant is aiming at further 'IMA development', by same applicant or by a user of the F-ETSO'd equipment (new application in another free partition, new function using spare resources)
- Considerations for: Health Monitoring/Fault Management, Tools and configuration aspects.

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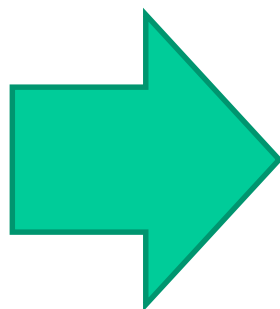
1. Applicability

2. Procedures

3. Technical  
Conditions

4. Marking

Appendix 1  
(Open class)



Minimum Performance Standard

SW App development (Task 2)

SW/HW integration with ETSO 2C153 (Task 3)

Health monitoring and fault management

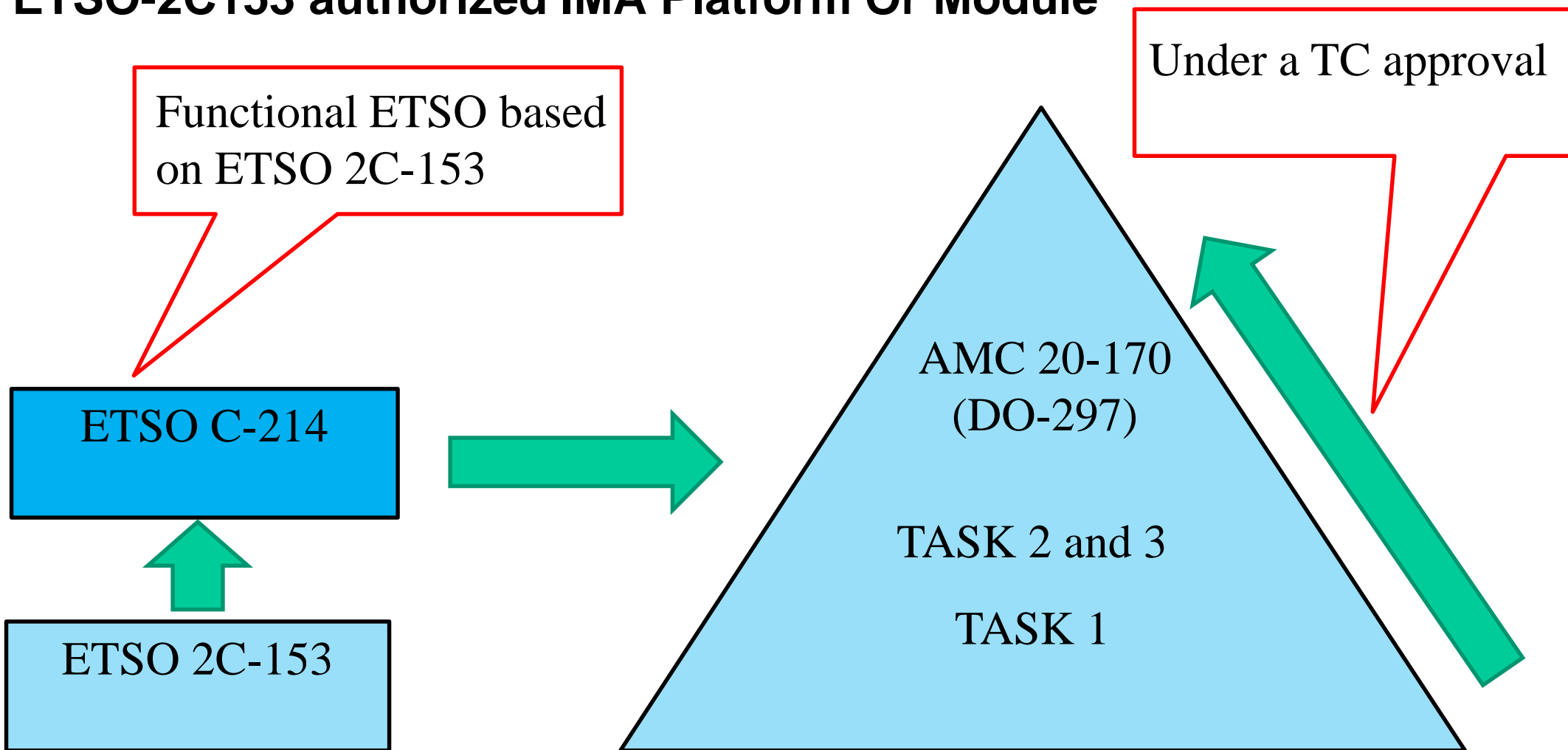
Tools and configuration data (AMC 20-170)

Environmental standard

Installation Manual and

Safety Assessment

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Equipment manufacturer

Airframe manufacturer

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## Questions?



**Thank You!**

# Acronyms

- GAMA: General Aviation Manufacturers Association
- ASD: Aerospace and Defense Industries Association of Europe
- AIA: Aerospace Industries Association