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- **WARNING**: To reduce the risk of unsafe operation, carefully review and understand all aspects of the G1000 Pilot's Guide documentation and the G1000 Integrated Avionics System in the Airplane Flight Manual. Thoroughly practice basic operation prior to actual use. During flight operations, carefully compare indications from the G1000 to all available navigation sources, including the information from other NAVAIDs, visual sightings, charts, etc. For safety purposes, always resolve any discrepancies before continuing navigation.
- **WARNING:** Do not use the system to attempt to penetrate a thunderstorm. The illustrations in this guide are only examples. Both the FAA Advisory Circular, Subject: Thunderstorms, and the Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) recommend avoiding any thunderstorm identified as severe of giving intense radar echo by at least 20 miles.
- **WARNING:** Lamp(s) inside this product may contain mercury (HG) and must be recycled or disposed of according to local, state, or federal laws. For more information, refer to our website at www.garmin.com/aboutGarmin/environment/disposal.jsp.
- WARNING: Because of variation in the earth's magnetic field, operating the system within the following areas could result in loss of reliable attitude and heading indications (GRS 77 installations only). North of 72° North latitude at all longitudes; South of 70° South latitude at all longitudes; North of 65° North latitude between longitude 75° W and 120° W. (Northern Canada); North of 70° North latitude between longitude 85° E and 114° E. (Northern Russia); South of 55° South latitude between longitude 120° E and 165° E. (Region south of Australia and New Zealand)
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- CAUTION: The PFD and MFD displays use a lens coated with a special anti-reflective coating that is very sensitive to skin oils, waxes, and abrasive cleaners. CLEANERS CONTAINING AMMONIA WILL HARM THE ANTI-REFLECTIVE COATING. It is very important to clean the lens using a clean, lint-free cloth and an eyeglass lens cleaner that is specified as safe for anti-reflective coatings.
- CAUTION: The Garmin G1000 does not contain any user-serviceable parts. Repairs should only be made by an authorized Garmin service center. Unauthorized repairs or modifications could void both the warranty and the pilot's authority to operate this device under FAA/FCC regulations.
- **NOTE:** When using Stormscope, there are several atmospheric phenomena in addition to nearby thunderstorms that can cause isolated discharge points in the strike display mode. However, clusters of two or more discharge points in the strike display mode do indicate thunderstorm activity if these points reappear after the screen has been cleared.
- **NOTE:** Do not rely solely upon data link services to provide Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) information. Always confirm TFR information through official sources such as Flight Service Stations or Air Traffic Control.
- **NOTE:** All visual depictions contained within this document, including screen images of the G1000 panel and displays, are subject to change and may not reflect the most current G1000 system and aviation databases. Depictions of equipment may differ slightly from the actual equipment.
- **NOTE:** This device complies with part 15 of the FCC Rules. Operation is subject to the following two conditions: (1) this device may not cause harmful interference, and (2) this device must accept any interference received, including interference that may cause undesired operation.
- **NOTE:** Interference from GPS repeaters operating inside nearby hangars can cause an intermittent loss of attitude and heading displays while the aircraft is on the ground. Moving the aircraft more than 100 yards away from the source of the interference should alleviate the condition.
- **NOTE:** Use of polarized eyewear may cause the flight displays to appear dim or blank.
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- **NOTE:** When operating the G1000 in DG Free Mode (GRS 7800 installations only), the heading information used by some system components (e.g. GTS 8000, AFCS, and GWX) will be different from the heading displayed on the GDU by an amount equal to the difference between the current Magnetic Field Variation Database (MV DB) value, and the MV DB value when DG Free Mode was activated. Due to the convergence of isogonic lines, this condition is most noticeable at or near the North and South poles.





**NOTE:** System navigation utilities may not reliably calculate range and bearing information when the aircraft is operating north of 80° North latitude or south of 80° South latitude. This may result in the system displaying small gaps in racetrack holding pattern depictions (GRS 7800 installations only).



**NOTE:** The Terrain Awareness and Warning System (TAWS) may not operate reliably north of 89° North latitude and south of 89° South latitude. This is due to limitations present within the Terrain database and the system's ability to process the data representing the affected areas (GRS 7800 installations only).



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# **SECTION 1 SYSTEM OVERVIEW**

# 1.1 SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

This section provides an overview of the G1000 Integrated Flight Deck as installed in the Beechcraft 200/B200 Series. The G1000 system is an integrated flight control system that presents flight instrumentation, position, navigation, communication, and identification information to the pilot through large-format displays. The system consists of the following Line Replaceable Units (LRUs):

- GDU 1040A Primary Flight Display (PFD)
- **GDU 1500** Multi Function Display (MFD)
- GIA 63W Integrated Avionics Unit
- GDC 74B/7400 Air Data Computer (ADC)
- **GEA 71** Engine/Airframe Unit
- GRS 77/7800 Attitude and Heading Reference System (AHRS)
- GMU 44 Magnetometer
- GMA 1347D Dual Audio System with Integrated Marker Beacon Receiver
- GTX 33/33D/3000 Extended Squitter Mode S Transponder
- GDL 69A Satellite Data Link Receiver

- GWX 68/70 Weather Radar
- GCU 477 MFD Control Unit
- GDL 59 Data Link
- **GSR 56** Iridium Transceiver
- **GTS 800/820/825/850/855/8000** Traffic Avoidance System
- GRA 5500 Radio Altimeter
- GMC 710 AFCS Control Unit
- GA 58 Directional Antenna
- GTP 59 Outside Air Temperature (OAT) Probe
- GSA 80 AFCS Servos
- **GSM 85A/86** Servo Gearboxes

A top-level G1000 system block diagram is shown in Figure 1-1 (it does not include the GSM 85A/86).



# **NOTE**: Refer to the AFCS section for details on the GFC 700 AFCS.

In the Beechcraft 200/B200 Series, the GFC 700 Automated Flight Control System (AFCS) provides the flight director (FD), autopilot (AP), and yaw damper (YD) functions of the G1000 system.



# 1.2 LINE REPLACEABLE UNITS (LRU)

- **GDU 1040A** (2) Each unit is configured as a PFD that features a 10.4-inch LCD with 1024 x 768 resolution. The unit installed on the left/pilot side is designated as PFD1, and the one installed on the right/copilot side is designated as PFD2. These units communicate with each other, the MFD, and with the on-side GIA 63W Integrated Avionics Unit through a High-Speed Data Bus (HSDB) connection.
- **GDU 1500** (1) Features a 15-inch LCD with 1024 x 768 resolution and is configured as an MFD. This unit is linked to both PFDs via HSDB connection.
- **GIA 63W** (2) Functions as the main communication hub, linking all LRUs with the on-side PFD. Each GIA 63W contains a GPS SBAS receiver, VHF COM/NAV/GS receivers, a flight director (FD) and system integration microprocessors. Each GIA 63W is paired with the on-side PFD via HSDB connection. The GIA 63Ws are not paired together and do not communicate with each other directly.
- **GDC 74B/7400** (2) Processes data from the pitot/static system as well as the OAT probe. This unit provides pressure altitude, airspeed, vertical speed and OAT information to the G1000 system, and it communicates with the on-side GIA 63W, on-side GDU 1040A, GDU 1040A MFD, and on-side GRS 77/7800, using an ARINC 429 digital interface (it also interfaces directly with the on-side GTP 59). The GDC 74B/7400 is designed to operate in Reduced Vertical Separation Minimum (RVSM) airspace.
- **GEA 71** (2) Receives and processes signals from the engine and airframe sensors. This unit communicates with both GIA 63Ws using an RS-485 digital interface.
- **GRS 77/7800** (2) Provides aircraft attitude and heading information via ARINC 429 to both the on-side GDU 1040A, the GDU 1040A MFD, and the on-side GIA 63W. The GRS 77/7800 contains advanced sensors (including accelerometers and rate sensors) and interfaces with the on-side GMU 44 to obtain magnetic field information, with the GDC 74B/7400 to obtain air data, and with both GIA 63Ws to obtain GPS information. AHRS modes of operation are discussed later in this document.
- **GMU 44** (2) Measures local magnetic field. Data is sent to the GRS 77/7800 for processing to determine aircraft magnetic heading. This unit receives power directly from the GRS 77 and communicates with the GRS 77/7800, using an RS-485 digital interface.
- **GMA 1347D** (2) Integrates NAV/COM digital audio, intercom system and marker beacon controls, and is installed in dual configuration on the outboard side of PFD1 and PFD2. This unit also enables the manual control of the display reversionary mode (red **DISPLAY BACKUP** button) and communicates with the on-side GIA 63W, using an RS-232 digital interface.
- **GTX 33/33D/3000** (2) Solid-state transponders that provide Modes A, C, S and ADS-B capability. Both transponders can be controlled from either PFD, and only one transponder can be active at a time. Each transponder communicates with the on-side GIA 63W through an RS-232 digital interface.
- **GDL 69A** (1) A satellite radio receiver that provides data link weather information to the G1000 MFD (and, indirectly, to the inset map of the PFD) as well as digital audio entertainment. The GDL 69A communicates with the MFD via HSDB connection. Subscriptions to the SiriusXM Weather or SiriusXM Satellite Radio services are required to enable the GDL 69A capability.
- **GDL 59** (1) GDL 59 operation is performed with the MFD through the HSDB. Connectivity with the GSR 56 for the Iridium telephone feature is through the RS-232 bus.



- **GSR 56** (1) The Iridium Transceiver operation for voice communication is by means of a telephone handset in the cabin and pilot and copilot headsets in the cockpit. The transceiver can also send and receive data provided by the GDL 59 through the RS-232 bus, and provide Garmin Connext Weather and SMS functions.
- **GWX 68/70** (1) Provides airborne weather and ground mapped radar data to the MFD, through the GDL 69A, via HSDB connection.
- **GCU 477** (1) Provides the Flight Management System (FMS) controls for the MFD through an RS-232 digital interface.
- **GMC 710** (1) Provides the controls for the GFC 700 AFCS through an RS-232 digital interface allowing communication with both PFDs.
- **GTP 59** (2) Provides Outside Air Temperature (OAT) data to the on-side GDC 74B/7400.
- GTS 800/820/825/850/855/8000 The GTS 800/820/825 Traffic Advisory System (TAS), GTS 850/855 TCAS I, and GTS 8000 TCAS II use active interrogations of Mode S and Mode C transponders to provide traffic information to the pilot independent of the air traffic control system.
- **GRA 5500** (1) Provides altitude above the ground (AGL) to the MFD, through the GIA 63W, via HSDB connection.
- **GA 58** The GA 58 is directional antenna for the Traffic Avoidance System. One top-mounted directional antenna is required. Optional bottom mounted antenna offers better threat visibility.
- **GA 36** (1) and **GA 37** (1) The GA 36 is a through-mount GPS/SBAS antenna. The GA 37 is a through-mount GPS/SBAS antenna with XM/Data Link.
- **GSA 80** (4), and **GSM 85A/GSM 86** (4) The GSA 80 servos are used for the automatic control of roll, pitch, and yaw, and pitch trim. These units interface with each GIA 63W. The servo gearboxes are responsible for transferring the output torque of the servo actuator to the mechanical flight-control surface linkage.



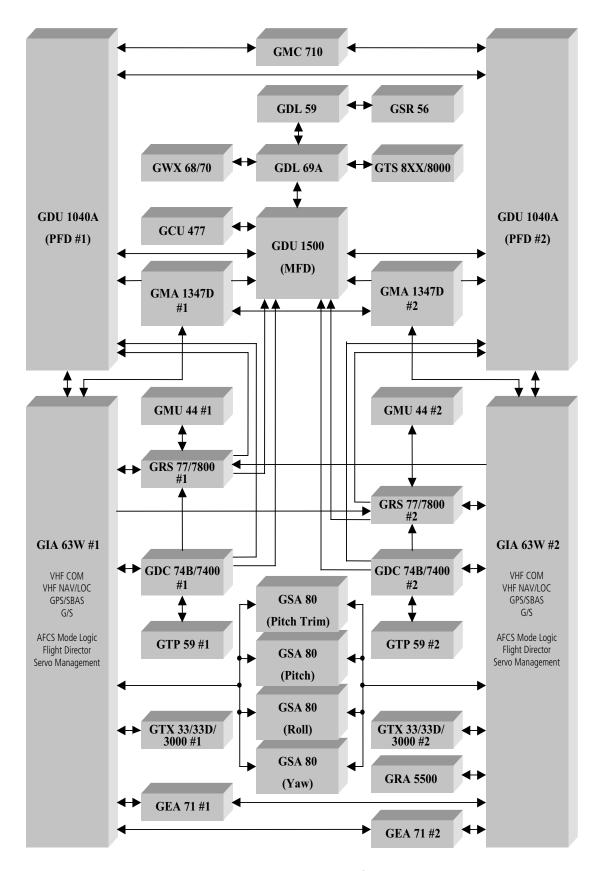


Figure 1-1 G1000 System (LRU Configuration)



# **1.3 G1000 CONTROLS**



**NOTE**: The Audio Panel (GMA 1347D) and AFCS controls (GMC 710) are described in the CNS & Audio Panel and AFCS sections respectively.

The G1000 system controls are located on the PFD and MFD bezels, MFD Control Unit, AFCS Control Unit and audio panel. The controls for the PFD and MFD are discussed within the following pages of this section.

# **PFD CONTROLS** (6) (3)(4)(5)(1) [2] [8] GARMIN 1-2 BARO Figure 1-2 PFD Controls CLR DELT MAP FMS (12)



The following list provides an overview of the controls located on the PFD bezel (see Figure 1-2).

- (1) **NAV VOL/ID Knob** Controls NAV audio volume level. Press to toggle the Morse code identifier audio ON and OFF. Volume level is shown in the NAV frequency field as a percentage.
- (2) **NAV Frequency Transfer Key** Toggles the standby and active NAV frequencies.
- **Dual NAV Knob** Tunes the standby frequencies for the NAV receiver (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz). Press to switch the tuning box (cyan box) between NAV1 and NAV2.
- (4) **Joystick** Changes the map range when rotated. Activates the map pointer when pressed.
- **5 BARO Knob** Sets the altimeter barometric pressure. Press to enter standard pressure (29.92).
- **6 Dual COM Knob** Tunes the standby frequencies for the COM transceiver (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz). Press to switch the tuning box (cyan box) between COM1 and COM2.
- (7) **COM Frequency Transfer Key** Toggles the standby and active COM frequencies. Press and hold this key for two seconds to tune the emergency frequency (121.5 MHz) automatically into the active frequency field.
- **8 COM VOL/SQ Knob** Controls COM audio volume level. Volume level is shown in the COM frequency field as a percentage. Press to turn the COM automatic squelch ON and OFF.
- 9 **Direct-to Key** ( ) Allows the user to enter a destination waypoint and establish a direct course to the selected destination (the destination is either specified by the identifier, chosen from the active route, or taken from the map pointer position).
- 10 FPL Key Displays the active Flight Plan Page for creating and editing the active flight plan.
- (11) **CLR Key** Erases information, cancels entries, or removes page menus. Pressing and holding this key displays the Navigation Map Page automatically.
- **Dual FMS Knob** Flight Management System Knob. Press the **FMS** Knob to turn the selection cursor ON and OFF. When the cursor is ON, data may be entered in the applicable window by turning the small and large knobs. The large knob moves the cursor on the page, while the small knob selects individual characters for the highlighted cursor location.
- **MENU Key** Displays a context-sensitive list of options. This list allows the user to access additional features or make setting changes that relate to particular pages.
- **PROC Key** Gives access to IFR departure procedures (DPs), arrival procedures (STARs) and approach procedures (IAPs) for a flight plan. If a flight plan is used, available procedures for the departure and/or arrival airport are automatically suggested. These procedures can then be loaded into the active flight plan. If a flight plan is not used, both the desired airport and the desired procedure may be selected.
- (15) ENT Key Validates or confirms a menu selection or data entry.



# CONTROLS ASSOCIATED WITH THE MFD

The controls for the MFD (GDU 1500) are located on both the MFD bezel and the Control Unit (GCU 477). The bottom portion of the MFD bezel features 12 softkeys that are designed to perform various functions depending upon the specific page being displayed. These softkeys are discussed throughout the Pilot's Guide documentation.

The following list provides an overview of the controls located on the Control Unit (see Figure 1-3):

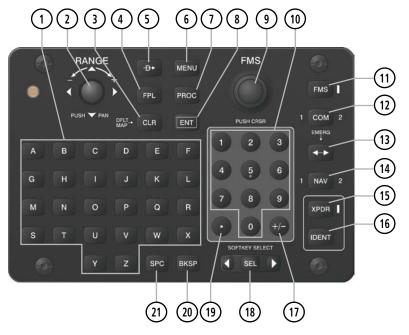


Figure 1-3 Control Unit (GCU 477)

- 1 Alphabetic Keys Allow the user to enter letters quickly, without having to select individual characters with the FMS Knob.
- 2 Joystick Changes the map range when rotated. Activates the map pointer when pressed.
- (3) **CLR Key** Erases information, cancels entries, or removes page menus. Pressing and holding this key displays the Navigation Map Page automatically.
- **FPL Key** Displays the active Flight Plan Page for creating and editing the active flight plan, or for accessing stored flight plans.
- (5) **Direct-to Key** ( ) Allows the user to enter a destination waypoint and establish a direct course to the selected destination (the destination is either specified by the identifier, chosen from the active route, or taken from the map pointer position).
- **MENU Key** Displays a context-sensitive list of options. This list allows the user to access additional features or make setting changes that relate to particular pages.
- **PROC Key** Gives access to IFR departure procedures (DPs), arrival procedures (STARs) and approach procedures (IAPs) for a flight plan. If a flight plan is used, available procedures for the departure and/or arrival airport are automatically suggested. Theses procedures can then be loaded into the active flight plan. If a flight plan is not used, both the desired airport and the desired procedure may be selected.



- (8) ENT Key Validates or confirms a menu selection or data entry.
- **Dual FMS Knob** Flight Management System Knob. When the **FMS** Key is pressed, this knob selects the MFD page to be viewed. The large knob selects a page group (MAP, WPT, AUX, NRST), while the small knob selects a specific page within the page group. Pressing the **FMS** Knob turns the selection cursor ON and OFF. When the cursor is ON, data may be entered in the applicable window by turning the small and large knobs. In this case, the large knob moves the cursor on the page, while the small knob selects individual characters for the highlighted cursor location. This knob also tuning capability for the COM and NAV radios when the appropriate COM or NAV key is pressed. When the **XPDR** Key is pressed, the transponder code may be entered using the **FMS** Knob.
- **10 FMS Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to control FMS functions on the MFD. When pressed, an annunciator next to the key illuminates indicating adjustment of the **FMS** Knob will now affect FMS functions.
- 11) **Numeric Keys** Allow the user to enter numbers quickly, without having to select individual characters with the **FMS** Knob.
- (12) **COM Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to control tuning of the COM radios. The first press will select COM1, as indicated by an illuminated "1" to the left of the key. Press again to select COM2. This is annunciated with a "2" to the right of the key. Each subsequent press of the **COM** Key will switch between COM1 and COM2. Use the **FMS** Knob to tune the selected COM.
- (13) **Frequency Transfer Key (EMERG)** Switches the standby and active COM or NAV frequencies. Press and hold this key for two seconds to tune the emergency frequency (121.5 MHz) automatically into the active frequency field.
- NAV Key Sets the FMS Knob to control tuning of the NAV radios. The first press will select NAV1, as indicated by an illuminated "1" to the left of the key. Press again to select NAV2. This is annunciated with a "2" to the right of the key. Each subsequent press of the NAV Key will switch between NAV1 and NAV2. Use the FMS Knob to tune the selected NAV.
- (15) **XPDR Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to enter transponders codes. When pressed, an annunciator next to the key illuminates indicating the **FMS** Knob can now be used for transponder code entry.
- (16) **IDENT Key** Activates transponder IDENT function.
- (17) **Plus (+) Minus (-) Key** Toggles a (+) or (-) character.
- **SEL Key** The center of this key activates the selected MFD softkey, while the right and left arrows move the softkey selection box to the right and left, respectively.
- 19 **Decimal Key** Enters a decimal point.
- (20) **BKSP Key** Moves the cursor back one character space.
- 21) **SPC Key** Adds a space character.



# **AFCS CONTROLS**



**NOTE:** With the exception of the **FD** and **SPD** Keys, if a key is selected, its respective annunciator is illuminated.

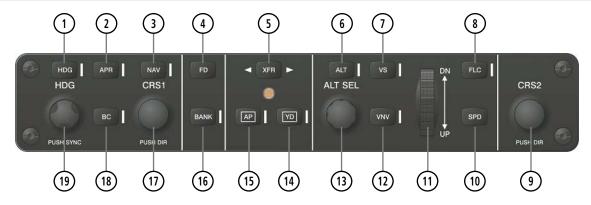


Figure 1-4 AFCS Control Unit (GMC 710)

The GFC 700 AFCS is mainly controlled through the GMC 710 AFCS Control Unit. The AFCS Control Unit consists of the following controls:

- 1) HDG Key Selects/deselects Heading Select Mode.
- (2) **APR Key** Selects/deselects Approach Mode.
- NAV Key Selects/deselects Navigation Mode.
- (4) **FD Key** Activates/deactivates the flight director in the default pitch and roll modes. If the autopilot is engaged, the **FD** Key is disabled.
- (5) **XFR Key** Switches the autopilot between the pilot-side and the copilot-side flight directors. This selection also selects which air data computer is communicating with the active transponder. Upon power-up, the pilot-side FD is selected.
- (6) **ALT Key** Selects/deselects Altitude Hold Mode.
- (7) **VS Key** Selects/deselects Vertical Speed Mode.
- 8 FLC Key Selects/deselects Flight Level Change Mode.
- (9) **CRS2 Knob** Sets the copilot-selected course on the HSI of PFD2 when the VOR1, VOR2, or OBS/SUSP mode is selected. Pressing this knob centers the CDI on the currently selected VOR. The copilot-selected course provides course reference to the copilot-side flight director when operating in Navigation and Approach modes.
- (10) **SPD Key** Switches the Flight Level Change mode reference speed between IAS and MACH number.



- NOSE UP/DN Wheel Controls the active mode reference for the Pitch, Vertical Speed, and Flight Level Change modes.
- (12) VNV Key Selects/deselects Vertical Navigation mode.
- (13) **ALT SEL Knob** Sets the selected altitude in the Selected Altitude Box. In addition to providing the standard G1000 altitude alerter function, selected altitude provides an altitude setting for the Altitude Capture/Hold mode of the AFCS.
- (14) **YD Key** Engages/disengages the yaw damper.
- (15) **AP Key** Engages/disengages the autopilot.
- **16 BANK Key** Selects/deselects Low Bank Mode.
- (17) **CRS1 Knob** Sets the pilot-selected course on the HSI of PFD1 when the VOR1, VOR2, or OBS/SUSP mode is selected. Pressing this knob centers the CDI on the currently selected VOR. The pilot-selected course provides course reference to the pilot-side flight director when operating in Navigation and Approach modes.
- (18) **BC Key** Selects/deselects Back Course Mode.
- (19) **HDG Knob** Sets the selected heading on the HSI. When operating in Heading Select mode, this knob provides the heading reference to the flight director.

## ADDITIONAL AFCS CONTROLS

The **AP DISC** (Autopilot Disconnect) Switch, **CWS** (Control Wheel Steering) Button, **GO AROUND** Switch, and **MEPT** (Manual Electric Pitch Trim) Switch are additional AFCS controls and are located in the cockpit, separately from the AFCS Control Unit. These are discussed in detail in the AFCS section.



# **AUDIO PANEL CONTROLS**

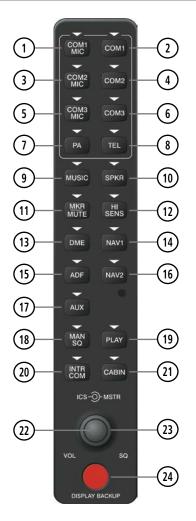


Figure 1-5 Audio Panel Controls (GMA 1347D)



- (1) **COM1 MIC** Selects the #1 transmitter for transmitting. COM1 receive is simultaneously selected when this key is pressed allowing received audio from the #1 COM receiver to be heard. COM2 receiver audio can be added by pressing the **COM2** Key.
- **2) COM1** When selected, audio from the #1 COM receiver can be heard.
- (3) **COM2 MIC** Selects the #2 transmitter for transmitting. COM2 is simultaneously selected when this key is pressed allowing received audio from the #2 COM receiver to be heard. COM2 can be deselected by pressing the **COM2** Key, or COM1 can be added by pressing the **COM1** Key.
- 4 COM2 When selected, audio from the #2 COM receiver can be heard.



- 5 **COM3 MIC** Selects an optional transmitter for transmitting (if installed). COM3 is simultaneously selected when this key is pressed allowing received audio from the optional receiver to be heard. COM3 can be deselected by pressing the **COM3** Key, or either COM1 or COM2 can be added by pressing the **COM1** or **COM2** Key.
- (6) **COM3** When selected, audio from an optional COM can be heard.
- 7 **PA** Selects the passenger address system. The selected COM transmitter is deselected when the **PA** Key is pressed.
- (8) **TEL** When selected, activates the SATCOM transceiver.
- 9 MUSIC Toggles the Music input on or off. Pressing and holding toggles music muting on or off.
- (10) **SPKR** Pressing this key selects and deselects the corresponding cockpit speaker. With **SPKR** selected on, the COM and NAV receiver audio, and alerts are heard on the speaker.
- (11) **MKR/MUTE** Mutes the currently received marker beacon receiver audio. Unmutes when new marker beacon audio is received.
- (12) **HI SENS** Press to increase Marker Beacon Receiver sensitivity. Press again to return to normal.
- (13) **DME** Pressing turns optional DME audio on or off.
- (14) NAV1 When selected, audio from the #1 NAV receiver can be heard.
- (15) **ADF** Pressing turns on or off the audio from the optional ADF receiver.
- (16) NAV2 When selected, audio from the #2 NAV receiver can be heard.
- (17) **AUX** Not used on the Beechcraft 200/B200 Series.
- (18) MAN SQ Press to enable manual squelch for the intercom. When active, press the ICS Knob to illuminate 'SQ'. Turn the ICS Knob to adjust squelch.
- (19) **PLAY** Press once to play the last recorded audio. Press again to stop playing. Press twice quickly while audio is playing and the previous block of recorded audio is played. Each subsequent two presses skips back to the previously recorded block.
- **INTR COM** Pressing selects the pilot/copilot intercom on both audio panels. Press again to deselect the intercom.
- (21) **CABIN** Initiates intercom communications with passengers in the cabin.
- **ICS Knob** Turn to adjust intercom volume or squelch. Press to switch between volume and squelch control as indicated by the 'VOL' or 'SQ' being illuminated. The **MAN SQ** Key must be selected to allow squelch adjustment.
- (23) MSTR Knob The Master Volume Control adjusts volume for the blended NAV, COM, and intercom audio.
- (24) **Reversionary Mode Button** Pressing manually selects Reversionary Mode.



# 1.4 SECURE DIGITAL CARDS

**NOTE**: Refer to the Appendices for instructions on updating the aviation databases.

**NOTE**: Ensure that the G1000 system is powered off before inserting the SD card.

The GDU 1040A and GDU 1500 data card slots use Secure Digital (SD) cards and are located on the top right portion of the display bezels. Each display bezel is equipped with two SD card slots. SD cards are used for aviation database and system software updates as well as terrain database storage. Also, flight plans may be imported or exported from an SD card in the MFD.

#### Install an SD card

Insert the SD card in the SD card slot, pushing the card in until the spring latch engages. The front of the card should remain flush with the face of the display bezel.

# Remove an SD card

Gently press on the SD card to release the spring latch and eject the card.

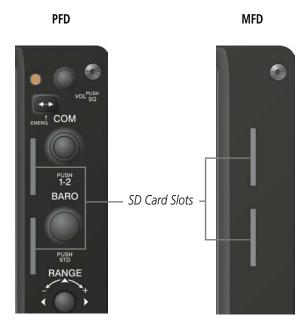


Figure 1-6 Display Bezel SD Card Slots



# 1.5 SYSTEM POWER-UP



**NOTE:** Refer to the Appendices for AHRS initialization bank angle limitations.



**NOTE:** See the Appendices for additional information regarding system-specific annunciations and alerts.



**NOTE:** See the Pilot's Operating Handbook and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual (AFM/POH) for specific procedures concerning avionics power application and emergency power supply operation.

The G1000 system is integrated with the aircraft electrical system and receives power directly from electrical busses. The G1000 PFDs, MFD and supporting sub-systems include both power-on and continuous built-in test features that exercise the processor, RAM, ROM, external inputs and outputs to provide safe operation.

During system initialization, test annunciations are displayed, as shown in Figure 1-7. All system annunciations should disappear typically within one minute of power-up. Upon power-up, key annunciator lights also become momentarily illuminated on the audio panels, the control units and the display bezels.

On the PFD, the AHRS begins to initialize and displays 'AHRS ALIGN: Keep Wings Level'. The AHRS should display valid attitude and heading fields typically within one minute of power-up. The AHRS can align itself both while taxiing in a straight line and during level flight.

When the MFD powers up (Figure 1-8), the MFD Power-up Page displays the following information:

- System version
- Copyright
- Land database name and version
- Safe Taxi database name and effective dates
- Terrain database name and version

- Airport Terrain database name and version
- Obstacle database name and effective dates
- Navigation database name and effective dates
- Airport Directory name and effective dates
- FliteCharts/ChartView database information

Current database information includes the valid operating dates, cycle number and database type. When this information has been reviewed for currency (to ensure that no databases have expired), the pilot is prompted to continue. Pressing the **ENT** Key acknowledges this information and displays the Auxiliary (AUX) Weight Planning Page.



Figure 1-7 PFD Initialization



Figure 1-8 MFD Power-up Page



# 1.6 SYSTEM OPERATION

The displays are connected together via multiple data busses, thus allowing for high-speed communication. As shown in Figure 1-1, each GIA 63W is connected to the on-side PFD. This section discusses the normal and reversionary modes of operation as well as the various AHRS modes of the G1000 system.

# NORMAL OPERATION

## **PFD**

In normal mode, the PFD presents graphical flight instrumentation (attitude, heading, airspeed, altitude and vertical speed), thereby replacing the traditional flight instrument cluster. The PFD also offers control for COM and NAV frequency selection.

#### **MFD**

In normal mode, the right portion of the MFD displays a full-color moving map with navigation information, while the left portion of the MFD is dedicated to the Engine Indication System (EIS).

Figure 1-9 gives an example of the G1000 displays in normal mode.



Figure 1-9 Normal Operation

# **REVERSIONARY MODE**



**NOTE:** The G1000 system alerts the pilot when backup paths are utilized by the LRUs. Refer to the Appendices for further information regarding system-specific alerts.

Reversionary mode is a mode of operation in which all important flight information is presented identically on at least one of the remaining displays (see Figure 1-10). Transition to reversionary mode should be straightforward for the pilot, for flight parameters are presented in the same format as in normal mode.

When a display fails, the G1000 system automatically switches to reversionary (backup) mode as follows:

- **PFD1 failure** MFD and PFD2 remain in normal mode.
- **MFD failure** PFD1 automatically switches to reversionary mode.
- **PFD2 failure** MFD and PFD1 remain in normal mode.





Figure 1-10 Reversionary Mode

Reversionary mode can be activated manually by pressing the dedicated **DISPLAY BACKUP** button at the bottom of the audio panel (see Figure 1-11 and refer to the Audio Panel section for further details). Pressing this button again deactivates reversionary mode.



Figure 1-11 DISPLAY BACKUP Button

Each display can be configured to operate in reversionary mode, as follows:

- **PFD1** By pressing the **DISPLAY BACKUP** button on the left audio panel.
- **MFD** By pressing the **DISPLAY BACKUP** button on the left or the right audio panel.
- **PFD2** By pressing the **DISPLAY BACKUP** button on the right audio panel.

Should the connection between a PFD and the on-side GIA 63W become inoperative, the on-side GIA 63W can no longer communicate with the remaining PFD (refer to Figure 1-1). As a result, the NAV and COM functions provided to the failed PFD by the on-side GIA 63W are flagged as invalid (red "X") on the remaining PFD (see Figure 1-12).



Figure 1-12 Inoperative Input (NAV1 Shown)



## **AHRS OPERATION**



**NOTE:** Refer to the Appendices for specific AHRS alert information.



NOTE: Aggressive maneuvering while AHRS is not operating normally may degrade AHRS accuracy.

The Attitude and Heading Reference System (AHRS) performs attitude, heading, and vertical acceleration calculations for the G1000 System, using GPS, magnetometer, air data, and internal inertial sensors. Attitude and heading information are updated on the PFD(s) while the AHRS receives appropriate combinations of information from the external sensor inputs.

The AHRS corrects for shifts and variations in the Earth's magnetic field by applying the Magnetic Field Variation Database. The Magnetic Field Variation Database is derived from the International Geomagnetic Reference Field (IGRF). The IGRF is a mathematical model that describes the Earth's main magnetic field and its annual rate of change. The database is updated approximately every five years. See the Appendices for information on updating the Magnetic Field Variation Database. The system will prompt you on startup when an update is available. Failure to update this database could lead to erroneous heading information being displayed to the pilot.

#### **GRS 77 OPERATION**

In normal mode, the GRS 77 AHRS relies upon GPS and magnetic field measurements (air data is not used). If one or more of these three external inputs is unavailable or unreliable, the AHRS uses the remaining inputs for attitude/heading determination. Four AHRS modes of operation are available (Figure 1-13) and depend upon the combination of available sensor inputs. Loss of air data, GPS, or magnetometer sensor inputs is communicated to the pilot by message advisory alerts.

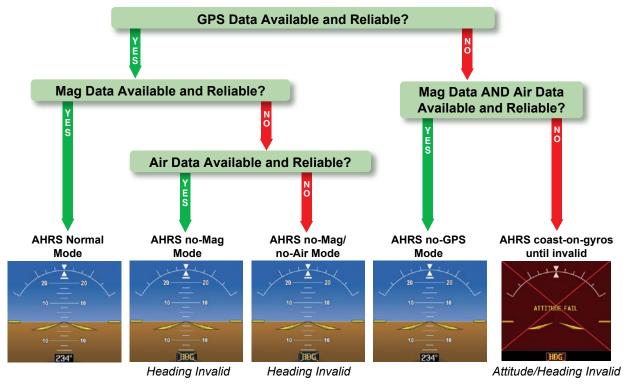


Figure 1-13 AHRS Modes (GRS 77)



## **AHRS FAILURE**

Failure of the internal AHRS inertial sensors may result in loss of attitude and heading information (indicated by red 'X' flags over the corresponding flight instruments).

#### **GPS INPUT FAILURE**

The system provides two sources of GPS information. If a single GPS receiver fails, or if the information provided from one of the GPS receivers is unreliable, the AHRS seamlessly transitions to using the other GPS receiver. An alert message informs the pilot of the use of the backup GPS path. If both GPS inputs fail, the AHRS continues to operate in reversionary No-GPS mode so long as the air data and magnetometer inputs are available and reliable. Unavailable or unreliable air data or magnetometer data in addition to GPS failure results in loss of all attitude and heading information.



**NOTE:** In-flight initialization of AHRS, when operating without any valid source of GPS data and at true air speed values greater than approximately 200 knots, is not guaranteed. Under these rare conditions, it is possible for in-flight AHRS initialization to take an indefinite amount of time which would result in an extended period of time where valid AHRS outputs are unavailable.

#### Magnetometer Failure

If the magnetometer input fails, the AHRS transitions to one of the reversionary No-Magnetometer modes and continues to output valid attitude information. However, if the aircraft is airborne, the heading output on the PFD does become invalid (as indicated by a red "X").

#### AIR DATA INPUT FAILURE

Failure of the air data input has no effect on the AHRS output while AHRS is receiving valid GPS information. A failure of the air data input while the AHRS is operating in reversionary No-GPS mode results in invalid attitude and heading information on the PFD (as indicated by red "X" flags).

# **GRS 7800 OPERATION**

In primary mode, the GRS 7800 AHRS relies upon GPS and magnetic field measurements (air data is not used). If either GPS or magnetometer data is unavailable or unreliable, the AHRS uses the remaining inputs for attitude/heading determination. In DG Free Mode, the magnetometer data is replaced by a heading value set by the flight crew. Four AHRS modes of operation are available (Figure 1-14) and depend upon the combination of available sensor inputs. Loss of GPS or magnetometer sensor inputs is communicated to the pilot by message advisory alerts. Refer to the Flight Instruments section for further discussion of DG Free Mode.



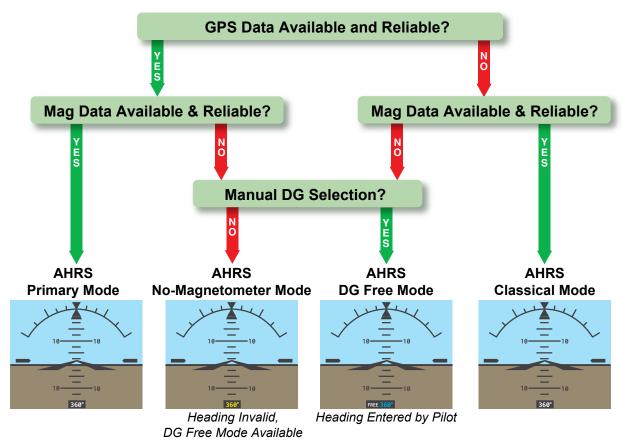


Figure 1-14 AHRS Modes (GRS 7800)

# **GPS INPUT FAILURE**

Two GPS inputs are provided to the AHRS. If GPS information from one of the inputs fails, the AHRS uses the remaining GPS input and an alert message is issued to inform the pilot. If both GPS inputs fail, the AHRS can continue to provide attitude and heading information to the PFD(s) as long as magnetometer data is available and reliable (air data will be used to aid calculations during speed changes and extended turns).

#### MAGNETOMETER FAILURE

If the magnetometer input fails, the AHRS continues to output valid attitude information; however, the heading output on the PFD(s) is shown in yellow. The pilot can select DG Free mode to provide heading inputs.

# AIR DATA INPUT FAILURE

Failure of the air data input has no effect on the AHRS output.



## **G1000 SYSTEM ANNUNCIATIONS**



**NOTE:** For a detailed description of all annunciations and alerts, refer to Appendix A. Refer to the (AFM/POH) for additional information regarding pilot responses to these annunciations.

When an LRU or an LRU function fails, a large red "X" is typically displayed on windows associated with the failed data (Figure 1-14 displays all possible flags and responsible LRUs). Upon G1000 power-up, certain windows remain invalid as equipment begins to initialize. All windows should be operational within one minute of power-up. If any window remains flagged, the G1000 system should be serviced by a Garmin-authorized repair facility.



Figure 1-14 G1000 System Failure Annunciations

# **SOFTKEY FUNCTION**

The softkeys are located along the bottoms of the displays. The softkeys shown depend on the softkey level or page being displayed. The bezel keys below the softkeys can be used to select the appropriate softkey. When a softkey is selected, its color changes to black text on gray background and remains this way until it is turned off, at which time it reverts to white text on black background.





Figure 1-15 Softkeys (Second-Level PFD Configuration)

Another means of selecting softkeys on the MFD is by using the GCU 477 Control Unit:

# Selecting a softkey using the Control Unit

- 1) Move the softkey selection box to the desired softkey using the arrows of the **SEL** Key.
- 2) Press the center of the **SEL** Key to select the desired softkey.

## PFD SOFTKEYS

The **CDI**, **IDENT**, **TMR/REF**, **NRST**, and **ALERTS** Softkeys undergo a momentary change to black text on gray background and automatically switch back to white text on black background when selected. If messages remain after acknowledgement, the **ALERTS** Softkey is black on white.

The PFD softkeys provide control over flight management functions, including GPS, NAV, terrain, traffic, and lightning (optional). Each softkey sublevel has a **BACK** Softkey which can be pressed to return to the previous level. The **ALERTS** Softkey is visible in all softkey levels. For the top level softkeys and the transponder (XPDR) levels, the **IDENT** Softkey remains visible.

LVL1	LVL2	LVL3	LVL4	
INSET				Displays Inset Map in PFD lower left corner
	OFF			Removes Inset Map
	DCLTR	(3)		Selects desired amount of map detail; cycles through declutter levels:  DCLTR (No Declutter): All map features visible  DCLTR-1: Declutters land data  DCLTR-2: Declutters land and SUA data
				DCLTR-3: Removes everything except for the active flight plan
	WX LG	ND		Displays icon and age on the Inset Map for the selected weather products
	TRAFFI	C		Displays traffic information on Inset Map TRAFFIC: No Traffic displayed on Inset Map TRFC-1: Traffic displayed on Inset Map TRFC-2: Traffic Only display shown
	ТОРО			Displays topographical data (e.g., coastlines, terrain, rivers, lakes) and elevation scale on Inset Map
	TERRA	IN		Displays terrain information on Inset Map (not available with TAWS-A)
	STRMS	СР		Displays Stormscope information on Inset Map (optional)
LVL1	LVL2	LVL3	LVL4	



LVL1	LVL2	LVL3	LVL4	
	NEXRA			Displays XM NEXRAD weather and coverage on Inset Map (optional)
	or			or
	PRECIP			Displays Garmin Connext radar precipitation on Inset Map (optional)
	XM LTN	IG		Displays XM lightning information on Inset Map (optional)
	or	_		or
	DL LTN	G		Displays Garmin Connext data link lightning information on Inset Map (optional)
	METAR			Displays METAR information on Inset Map (optional)
SENSO				Displays softkeys for selecting the #1 and #2 AHRS and Air Data Computers
	ADC1			Selects the #1 Air Data Computer
	ADC2			Selects the #2 Air Data Computer
	AHRS1			Selects the #1 AHRS
	AHRS2			Selects the #2 AHRS
PFD				Displays second-level softkeys for additional PFD configurations
	SYN VI			Displays the softkeys for enabling or disabling Synthetic Vision features
		PATHW	AY	Displays rectangular boxes representing the horizontal and vertical flight path of the active flight plan
		SYN TE	RR	Enables synthetic terrain depiction
		HRZN F	IDG	Displays compass heading along the Zero-Pitch line
		APTSIG	NS	Displays position markers for airports within approximately 15 nm of the current aircraft position. Airport identifiers are displayed when the airport is within approximately 9 nm.
	DFLTS			Resets PFD to default settings, including changing units to standard
	WIND			Displays softkeys to select wind data parameters
		OPTN 1		Wind direction arrow with numeric speed
		OPTN 2	!	Wind direction arrow with numeric direction and magnitude
		OPTN 3	}	Headwind/tailwind and crosswind arrows with numeric speed components
		OFF		Information not displayed
	DME			Displays DME Information Window
	BRG1			Cycles the Bearing 1 Information Window through NAV1 or GPS waypoint identifier and GPS-derived distance information, and ADF/frequency.
	HSI FRI	MT		Displays the softkeys for selecting the two HSI formats
		360 HS	I	Displays HSI as a 360° compass rose
		ARC HS	SI .	Displays HSI as a 140° viewable arc
	BRG2			Cycles the Bearing 2 Information Window through NAV2 or GPS waypoint identifier and GPS-derived distance information, and ADF/frequency.
	HDG M	ODE		Displays the softkeys for selecting one of the two DG modes (GRS 7800 only)
LVL1	LVL2	LVL3	LVL4	



LVL1 LVL2	LVL3 LV	'L4		
	DG FREE	Allows the DG to enter FREE mode (GRS 7800 only)		
	DG SLAVE	Slaves the DG to the AHRS (GRS 7800 only)		
	HDG -	Slews heading counterclockwise (GRS 7800 only)		
	HDG +	Slews heading clockwise (GRS 7800 only)		
	HDG SYNC	Synchronizes heading to the selected heading (GRS 7800 only)		
	TRK SYNC	Synchronizes heading to the current track (GRS 7800 only)		
ALT UNIT		Displays softkeys for setting the altimeter and BARO settings to metric units		
	METERS	When enabled, displays altimeter in meters		
	IN	Press to display the BARO setting as inches of mercury		
	HPA	Press to display the BARO setting as hectopacals		
STD E	BARO	Sets barometric pressure to 29.92 in Hg (1013 hPa if metric units are selected)		
OBS		Selects OBS mode on the CDI when navigating by GPS (only available with active leg)		
CDI		Cycles through GPS, VOR1, and VOR2 navigation modes on the CDI		
DME		Displays the DME Tuning Window, allowing tuning and selection of the DME (optional)		
		Transponder Softkeys without TCAS II		
XPDR		Displays transponder mode selection softkeys		
XPDR	1	Selects the #1 transponder as active		
XPDR		Selects the #2 transponder as active		
STBY		Selects standby mode (transponder does not reply to any interrogations)		
ON		Selects Mode A (transponder replies to interrogations)		
ALT		Selects Mode C — altitude reporting mode (transponder replies to identification and altitude interrogations)		
VFR		Automatically enters the VFR code (1200 in the U.S.A. only)		
CODE		Displays transponder code selection softkeys 0-7		
	0 – 7	Use numbers to enter code		
	BKSP	Removes numbers entered, one at a time		
		Transponder/Traffic Softkeys with TCAS II		
XPDR/TFC		Displays the transponder and TCAS II system selection softkeys		
XPDR		Selects the #1 transponder as active		
XPDR		Selects the #2 transponder as active		
MOD		Displays transponder mode selection softkeys		
	STBY	Selects transponder Standby Mode (transponder does not reply to any interrogations). When the transponder is set to standby, the TCAS II system is also set to standby.		
LVL1 LVL2	LVL3 LV	L4		



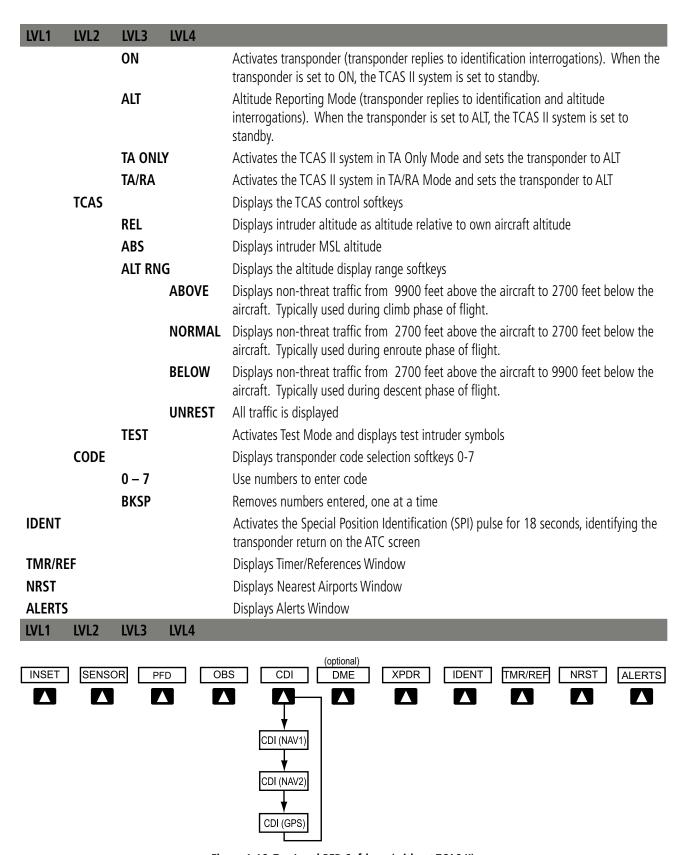


Figure 1-16 Top Level PFD Softkeys (without TCAS II)



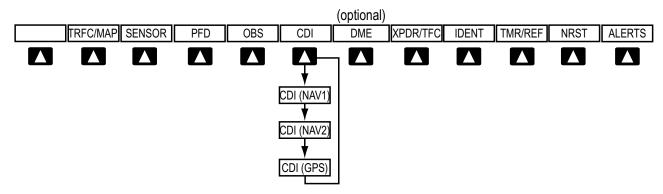


Figure 1-17 Top Level PFD Softkeys (with TCAS II)

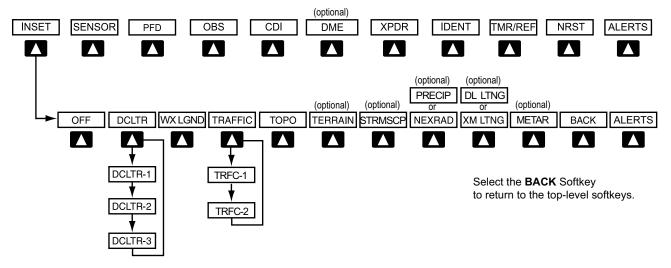
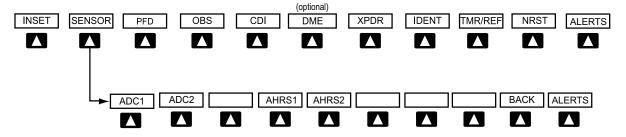


Figure 1-17 INSET Softkeys



Select the **BACK** Softkey toreturn to the top level softkeys.

Figure 1-18 SENSOR Softkeys



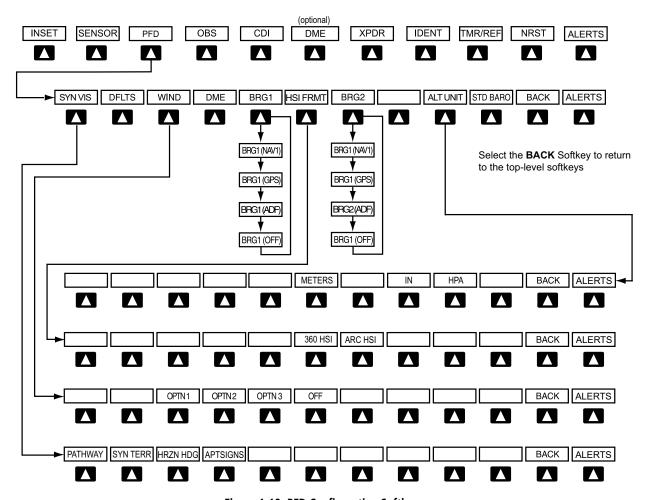


Figure 1-19 PFD Configuration Softkeys



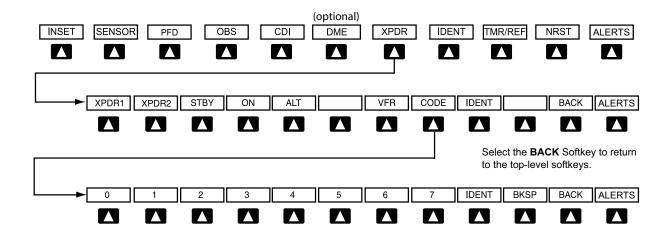
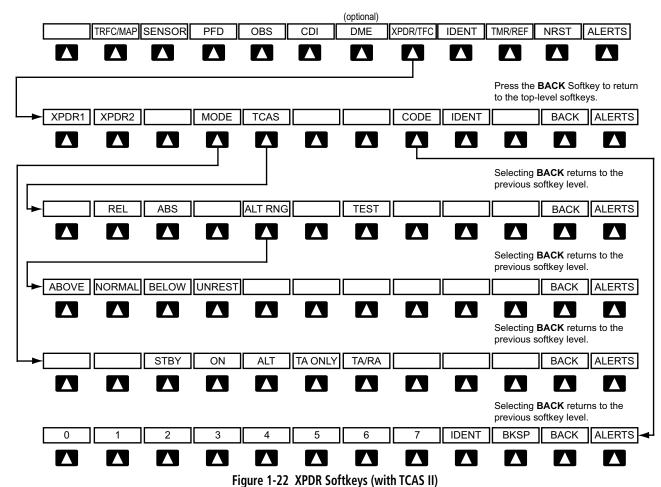


Figure 1-20 XPDR Softkeys (without TCAS II)

Select the **BACK** Softkey to return to the previous level softkeys.



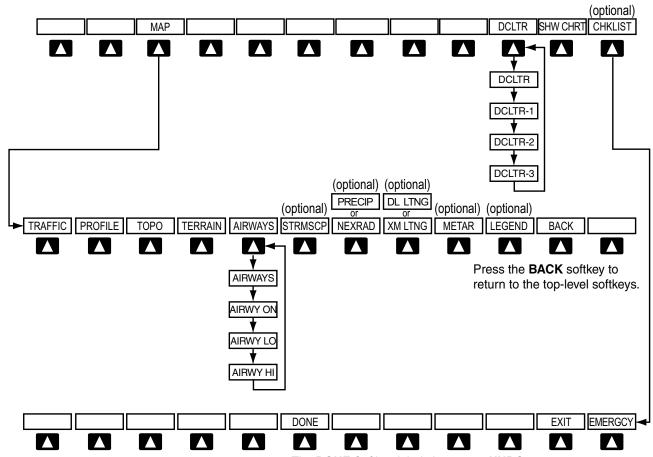
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### **MFD SOFTKEYS**

LVL1	LVL2	LVL3	LVL4			
MAP				Enables second-level Navigation Map softkeys		
	TRAFFIC			Displays traffic information on Navigation Map Page		
	PROFILE			Displays profile view on Navigation Map Page		
ТОРО			Displays topographical data (e.g., coastlines, terrain, rivers, lakes) and elevation scale on Navigation Map Page			
	TERRA	IN		Displays terrain information on Navigation Map Page (not available with TAWS-A)		
	AIRWAYS (Default label is dependent on map setup option selected)		ар	Displays airways on the map; cycles through the following:  AIRWAYS: No airways are displayed  AIRWY ON: All airways are displayed  AIRWY LO: Only low altitude airways are displayed  AIRWY HI: Only high altitude airways are displayed		
	STRMS	CD.		Displays Stormscope information on Navigation Map Page (optional)		
	NEXR/			Displays XM NEXRAD weather and coverage on Navigation Map Page (optional)		
	or PRECIP			or		
				Displays Worldwide Weather precipitation on Navigation Map Page (optional)		
XM LTNG			Displays XM lightning information on Navigation Map Page (optional)			
or			or			
	DL LTNG METAR LEGEND BACK			Displays Worldwide Weather lightning information on Navigation Map Page (optional)  Displays METAR information on Navigation Map Page (optional)  Displays legends for the displayed XM Weather products (optional)		
				Returns to top-level softkeys		
DCLTR	(3)			Selects desired amount of map detail; cycles through declutter levels:  DCLTR (No Declutter): All map features visible  DCLTR-1: Declutters land data  DCLTR-2: Declutters land and SUA data  DCLTR-3: Removes everything except for the active flight plan		
SHW C	HRT			When available, displays optional airport and terminal procedure charts		
CHKLIS	ST			When available, displays optional checklists		
LVL1	LVL2	LVL3	LVL4			





The **DONE** Softkey label changes to **UNDO** when the checklist item is already checked.

Figure 1-21 MFD Softkeys

### **GPS RECEIVER OPERATION**

Each GIA 63W Integrated Avionics Unit (IAU) contains a GPS receiver. Information collected by the specified receiver (GPS1 for the #1 IAU or GPS2 for the #2 IAU) may be viewed on the AUX - GPS Status Page.

GPS1 provides information to the pilot-side PFD and GPS2 provides data to the copilot-side PFD. Internal system checking is performed to ensure both GPS receivers are providing accurate data to the PFDs. In some circumstances, both GPS receivers may be providing accurate data, but one receiver may be providing a better GPS solution than the other receiver. In this case the GPS receiver producing the better solution is automatically coupled to both PFDs. "BOTH ON GPS 1" or "BOTH ON GPS 2" is displayed in the Reversionary Sensor Window (see Appendix A) indicating which GPS receiver is being used. Both GPS receivers are still functioning properly, but one receiver is performing better than the other at that particular time.

These GPS sensor annunciations are most often seen after system power-up when one GPS receiver has acquired satellites before the other, or one of the GPS receivers has not yet acquired a SBAS signal. While the aircraft is on the ground, the SBAS signal may be blocked by obstructions causing one GPS receiver to have difficulty acquiring a good signal. Also, while airborne, turning the aircraft may result in one of the GPS receivers temporarily losing the SBAS signal.

If the sensor annunciation persists, check for a system failure message in the Messages Window on the PFD. If no failure message exists, check the GPS Status Page and compare the information for GPS1 and GPS2. Discrepancies may indicate a problem.



### **Viewing GPS receiver status information**

- 1) Use the large **FMS** Knob to select the Auxiliary Page Group (see Section 1.7 for information on navigating MFD page groups).
- 2) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select GPS Status Page.

### Selecting the GPS receiver for which data may be reviewed

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX GPS Status Page.
- **2)** To change the selected GPS receiver:
  - a) Select the desired GPS Softkey.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **b)** Use the **FMS** Knob to highlight the receiver which is not selected and press the **ENT** Key.

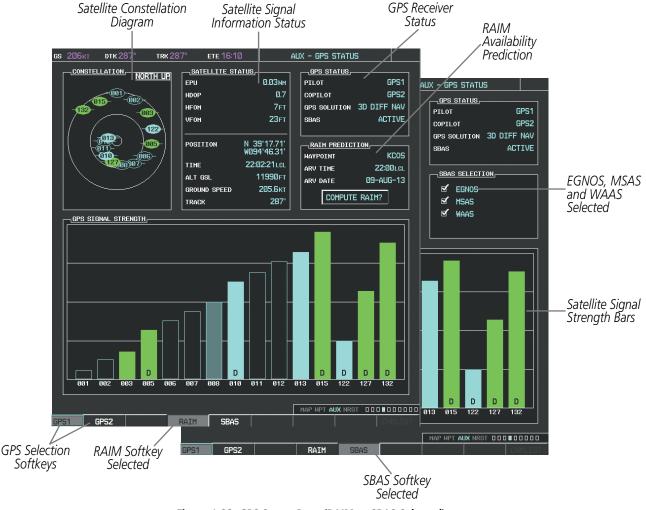


Figure 1-22 GPS Status Page (RAIM or SBAS Selected)

The GPS Status Page provides the following information:



#### Satellite constellation diagram

Satellites currently in view are shown at their respective positions on a sky view diagram. The sky view is always in a north-up orientation, with the outer circle representing the horizon, the inner circle representing 45° above the horizon, and the center point showing the position directly overhead.

Each satellite is represented by an oval containing the Pseudo-random noise (PRN) number (i.e., satellite identification number). Satellites whose signals are currently being used are represented by solid ovals.

#### • Satellite signal information status

The accuracy of the aircraft's GPS fix is calculated using Estimated Position Uncertainty (EPU), Dilution of Precision (DOP), and horizontal and vertical figures of merit (HFOM and VFOM). EPU is the radius of a circle centered on an estimated horizontal position in which actual position has 95% probability of laying. EPU is a statistical error indication and not an actual error measurement.

DOP measures satellite geometry quality (i.e., number of satellites received and where they are relative to each other) on a range from 0.0 to 9.9, with lower numbers denoting better accuracy. HFOM and VFOM, measures of horizontal and vertical position uncertainty, are the current 95% confidence horizontal and vertical accuracy values reported by the GPS receiver.

The current calculated GPS position, time, altitude, ground speed, and track for the aircraft are displayed below the satellite signal accuracy measurements.

#### GPS receiver status

The GPS solution type (ACQUIRING, 2D NAV, 2D DIFF NAV, 3D NAV, 3D DIFF NAV) for the active GPS receiver (GPS1 or GPS2) is shown in the upper right of the GPS Status Page. When the receiver is in the process of acquiring enough satellite signals for navigation, the receiver uses satellite orbital data (collected continuously from the satellites) and last known position to determine the satellites that should be in view. ACQUIRING is indicated as the solution until a sufficient number of satellites have been acquired for computing a solution.

When the receiver is in the process of acquiring a 3D differential GPS solution, 3D NAV is indicated as the solution until the 3D differential fix has finished acquisition. SBAS (Satellite-Based Augmentation System) indicates INACTIVE. When acquisition is complete, the solution status indicates 3D DIFF NAV and SBAS indicates ACTIVE.

### • RAIM (Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring) Prediction (**RAIM** Softkey is selected)

In most cases performing a RAIM prediction is not necessary. However, in some cases, the selected approach may be outside the SBAS coverage area and it may be necessary to perform a RAIM prediction for the intended approach.

Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring (RAIM) is a GPS receiver function that performs a consistency check on all tracked satellites. RAIM ensures that the available satellite geometry allows the receiver to calculate a position within a specified RAIM protection limit (2.0 nautical miles for oceanic and enroute, 1.0 nm for terminal, and 0.3 nm for non-precision approaches). During oceanic, enroute, and terminal phases of flight, RAIM is available nearly 100% of the time.

The RAIM prediction function also indicates whether RAIM is available at a specified date and time. RAIM computations predict satellite coverage within ±15 min of the specified arrival date and time.



Because of the tighter protection limit on approaches, there may be times when RAIM is not available. The G1000 automatically monitors RAIM and warns with an alert message when it is not available. If RAIM is not predicted to be available for the final approach course, the approach does not become active, as indicated by the messages "Approach is not active" and "RAIM not available from FAF to MAP". If RAIM is not available when crossing the FAF, the missed approach procedure must be flown.

#### Predicting RAIM availability at a selected waypoint

- **1)** Select the GPS Status Page.
- 2) If necessary, select the **RAIM** Softkey.
- 3) Press the FMS Knob. The 'WAYPOINT' field is highlighted.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window.
- **5)** Enter the desired waypoint:
- **a)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired waypoint by identifier, facility, or city name and press the **ENT** Key. Refer to Section 1.7 for instructions on entering alphanumeric data into the G1000.

Or:

- a) Turn the small **FMS** Knob counter-clockwise to display a list of flight plan waypoints (the FPL list is populated only when navigating a flight plan).
- b) Turn the small FMS Knob clockwise to display the NRST, RECENT, or AIRWAY waypoints, if required.
- **c)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob clockwise to select the desired waypoint. The G1000 automatically fills in the identifier, facility, and city fields with the information for the selected waypoint.
- **d)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the waypoint entry.
- **6)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter an arrival time and press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter an arrival date and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** With the cursor highlighting 'COMPUTE RAIM?', press the **ENT** Key. Once RAIM availability is computed, one of the following is displayed:
  - 'COMPUTE RAIM?'—RAIM has not been computed for the current waypoint, time, and date combination
  - 'COMPUTING AVAILABILITY'—RAIM calculation in progress
  - 'RAIM AVAILABLE'—RAIM is predicted to be available for the specified waypoint, time, and date
  - 'RAIM NOT AVAILABLE'—RAIM is predicted to be unavailable for the specified waypoint, time, and date

#### Predicting RAIM availability at present position

- 1) Select the GPS Status Page.
- **2)** If necessary, select the **RAIM** Softkey.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob. The 'WAYPOINT' field is highlighted.
- **4)** Press the **MENU** Key.



- **5)** With 'Set WPT to Present Position' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the waypoint entry.
- 7) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter an arrival time and press the **ENT** Key.
- 8) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter an arrival date and press the **ENT** Key.
- **9)** With the cursor highlighting 'COMPUTE RAIM?', press the **ENT** Key. Once RAIM availability is computed, one of the following is displayed:
  - 'COMPUTE RAIM?'—RAIM has not been computed for the current waypoint, time, and date combination
  - 'COMPUTING AVAILABILITY'—RAIM calculation in progress
  - 'RAIM AVAILABLE'—RAIM is predicted to be available for the specified waypoint, time, and date
  - 'RAIM NOT AVAILABLE'—RAIM is predicted to be unavailable for the specified waypoint, time, and date
- SBAS Selection (**SBAS** Softkey is selected)

In certain situations, such as when the aircraft is outside or on the fringe of the SBAS coverage area, it may be desirable to disable WAAS or MSAS (although it is not recommended). When disabled, the SBAS field in the GPS Status box indicates DISABLED. There may be a small delay for the GPS Status box to be updated upon WAAS and MSAS enabling/disabling.

### Disabling SBAS

- **1)** Select the GPS Status Page.
- **2)** If necessary, press the **SBAS** Softkey.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn the large FMS Knob to hightlight 'EGNOS', 'MSAS' or 'WAAS'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to uncheck the box.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.
- GPS Satellite Signal Strengths

The GPS Status Page can be helpful in troubleshooting weak (or missing) signal levels due to poor satellite coverage or installation problems. As the GPS receiver locks onto satellites, a signal strength bar is displayed for each satellite in view, with the appropriate satellite PRN number (01-32 or 120-138 for WAAS) below each bar. The progress of satellite acquisition is shown in three stages, as indicated by signal bar appearance:

- No bar—Receiver is looking for the indicated satellite
- Hollow bar—Receiver has found the satellite and is collecting data
- Light blue bar—Receiver has collected the necessary data and the satellite signal can be used
- Green bar—Satellite is being used for the GPS solution
- Checkered bar—Receiver has excluded the satellite (Fault Detection and Exclusion)
- "D" indication—Denotes the satellite is being used as part of the differential computations

Each satellite has a 30-second data transmission that must be collected (signal strength bar is hollow) before the satellite may be used for navigation (signal strength bar becomes solid).



# 1.7 ACCESSING G1000 FUNCTIONALITY

#### **MENUS**

The G1000 has a MENU Key that, when pressed, displays a context-sensitive list of options. This options list allows the user to access additional features or make settings changes which specifically relate to the currently displayed window/page. There is no all-encompassing menu. Some menus provide access to additional submenus that are used to view, edit, select, and review options. Menus display 'NO OPTIONS' when there are no options for the window/page selected. The main controls used in association with all window/page group operations are described in section 1.3. Softkey selection does not display menus or submenus.

### **Navigating the Page Menu Window**

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu Window.
- 2) Turn the **FMS** Knob to scroll through a list of available options (a scroll bar appears to the right of the window when the option list is longer than the window).
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to select the desired option.
- **4)** The **CLR** Key may be pressed to remove the menu and cancel the operation. Pressing the **FMS** Knob also removes the displayed menu.

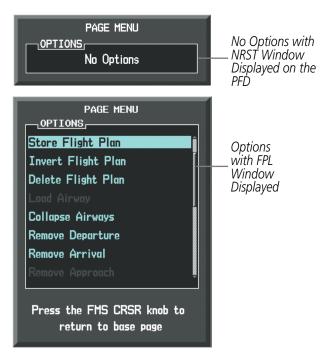


Figure 1-23 Page Menu Examples

### MFD PAGE GROUPS



**NOTE:** Refer to the Flight Management, Hazard Avoidance, and Additional Features sections for details on specific pages.



The page group and active page title box are displayed in the upper right of the screen.



Figure 1-24 Page Title Box

In the bottom right corner of the screen, the current page group, number of pages available in the group, and placement of the current page within the group are indicated.

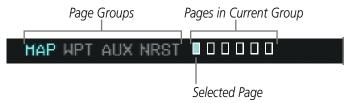


Figure 1-25 Page Group Icons

The MFD displays information in four main page groups; specific pages within each group can vary depending on the configuration of optional equipment.

### Selecting a page using the FMS Knob

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob until the desired page group is selected.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob until the desired page is selected.

There are also several pages (Airport Information and XM Information pages) which are selected first from within a main page group with the **FMS** Knobs, then with the appropriate softkey at the bottom of the page. In this case, the page remains set to the selected screen until a different screen softkey is pressed.

# Map Page Group (MAP)

Navigation Map

Traffic Map

Weather Radar

Stormscope®(optional)

Weather Data Link (service optional)

**TAWS** 



Figure 1-26 Map Pages



#### Waypoint Page Group (WPT)

Airport/Procedures/Weather Information Pages

- Airport Information (INFO-1 Softkey)
- Airport Directory Information (INFO-2 Softkey)
- Departure Information (**DP** Softkey)
- Arrival Information (**STAR** Softkey)
- Approach Information (APR Softkey)
- Weather Information (optional)(WX Softkey)

Intersection Information

NDB Information

**VOR Information** 

User Waypoint Information

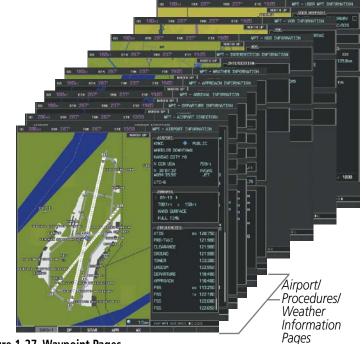


Figure 1-27 Waypoint Pages

# Auxiliary Page Group (AUX)

Weight Planning

Trip Planning

Utility

**GPS** Status

System Setup 1/2

XM Satellite pages

- XM Information (**INFO** Softkey)
- XM Radio (**RADIO** Softkey)

Satellite Comm pages

- Telephone (**TEL** Softkey)
- Text Messaging (**SMS** Softkey)

Wi-Fi Setup Maintenance Logs System Status

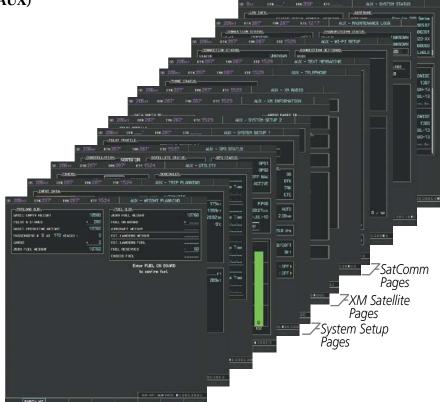


Figure 1-28 Auxiliary Pages



#### **Nearest Page Group (NRST)**

Nearest Airports

Nearest Intersections

Nearest NDB

Nearest VOR

Nearest User Waypoints

Nearest Frequencies

Nearest Airspaces



Figure 1-29 Nearest Pages

In addition to the main page groups accessed exclusively using the **FMS** Knobs, there are pages for flight planning (FPL) and loading procedures (PROC) which are accessed by a dedicated key. In some instances, softkeys may be used to access the Procedure Pages.

The Flight Plan Pages are accessed using the **FPL** Key. Main pages within this group are selected by turning the small **FMS** Knob.

### Flight Plan Pages (FPL)

Active Flight Plan

- Wide View, Narrow View (**VIEW** Softkey)

Flight Plan Catalog

Stored Flight Plan (via **NEW** Softkey on Flight Plan Catalog Page)



Figure 1-30 Flight Plan Pages

The Procedure pages may be accessed at any time on the MFD by pressing the **PROC** Key. A menu is initialized, and when a departure, approach, or arrival is selected, the appropriate Procedure Loading Page is



opened. Turning the **FMS** Knob does not scroll through the Procedure pages (note the single page icon in the lower right corner).

#### **Procedure Pages (PROC)**

Departure Loading Arrival Loading Approach Loading



Figure 1-31 Procedure Pages

For some of these pages (Airport Information pages, XM Satellite pages, Procedure pages), the title of the page may change while the page icon remains the same.

#### **MFD SYSTEM PAGES**

In the Auxiliary (AUX) Page Group, there are three system pages: System Setup 1, System Setup 2, and System Status. The System Setup pages allows management of various system parameters, while the System Status Page displays the status of all G1000 system LRUs.

#### SYSTEM SETUP PAGES

The System Setup pages allows management of the pilot profiles and the following system parameters:

- Time display format (local or UTC)
- Displayed measurement units
- Barometric Transition Alert (see the Flight Instruments Section)
- Airspace alerts (see the Flight Management Section)
- Arrival alert
- · Audio alert voice
- Flight Director Format (see the Flight Instruments Section)
- MFD Data Bar (Navigation Status Box) fields (see the Flight Management Section)

- GPS Course Deviation Indicator (CDI) range (see the Flight Instruments Section)
- COM transceiver channel spacing (see the Audio Panel and CNS Section)
- Displayed nearest airports (see the Flight Management Section)
- CDI/Baro Synchronization (see the Flight Instruments Section)
- Stability & Protection (see the AFCS & Additional Features Sections)



### Restoring system setup defaults:

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Select the **DFLTS** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Restore Defaults', and press the **ENT** Key.



Figure 1-34 System Setup Page

### DATE/TIME

The G1000 obtains the current Universal Coordinated Time (UTC) date and time directly from the GPS satellite signals (shown on the AUX - GPS Status Page). System time (displayed in the lower right corner of the PFD) can be displayed in three formats: local 12-hr, local 24-hr, or UTC. Local time is set by adding/subtracting an offset (hours:minutes) to/from UTC.



Figure 1-33 System Time (Local 24-hr Format)



## Configuring the system time:

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the 'Time Format' field.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired format and press the **ENT** Key to confirm selection. The 'Time Offset' field is highlighted.
- 5) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired time offset (±HH:MM) and press the **ENT** Key to confirm selection.

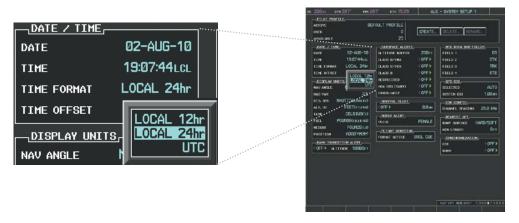


Figure 1-34 Date/Time Settings (System Setup Page)

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#### PILOT PROFILES

System settings may be saved under a pilot profile. When the system is powered on, the last selected pilot profile is shown on the MFD Power-up Splash Screen (Figure 1-8). The G1000 can store up to 25 profiles; the currently active profile, the amount of memory used, and the amount of memory available are shown at the top of the System Setup Page in the box labeled 'Pilot Profile'. From here, pilot profiles may be created, selected, renamed, or deleted. Pilot profiles may also be exported from the system to an SD card, or imported from an SD card into the system.



Figure 1-35 Pilot Profile Management (System Setup Page)

### **Creating a profile:**

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'CREATE' in the Pilot Profile Box.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. A 'Create Profile' window is displayed.
- 5) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter a profile name up to 16 characters long and press the **ENT** Key. Pilot profile names cannot begin with a blank as the first letter.
- 6) In the next field, use the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired settings upon which to base the new profile. Profiles can be created based on Garmin factory defaults, default profile settings (initially based on Garmin factory defaults unless edited by the pilot), or current system settings.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 8) With 'CREATE' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key to create the profile

Or:



Use the large **FMS** Knob to select 'CREATE and ACTIVATE' and press the **ENT** Key to activate the new profile.

**9)** To cancel the process, select 'CANCEL' with the large FMS Knob and press the **ENT** Key.

### Selecting an active profile:

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the active profile field in the Pilot Profile Box.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the pilot profile list and highlight the desired profile.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. The G1000 loads and displays the system settings for the selected profile.

### Renaming a profile:

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'RENAME' in the Pilot Profile Box.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) In the 'Rename Profile' window, turn the **FMS** Knob to select the profile to rename.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter a new profile name up to 16 characters long and press the **ENT** Key.
- 8) With 'RENAME' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- **9)** To cancel the process, use the large **FMS** Knob to select 'CANCEL' and press the ENT Key.

### **Deleting a profile:**

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'DELETE' in the Pilot Profile Box.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) In the 'Delete Profile' window, turn the **FMS** Knob to select the profile to delete.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** With 'DELETE' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** To cancel the process, use the large **FMS** Knob to select 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.



#### Importing a profile from an SD card:

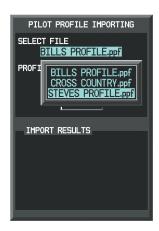
- 1) Insert an SD card containing the pilot profile(s) into the top card slot on the MFD.
- Turn the FMS Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 3) Select the **IMPORT** Softkey.

#### Or:

- a) Press the MENU Key.
- **b)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Import Pilot Profile' and press the **ENT** Key.
- 4) The system displays the Pilot Profile Importing window with 'IMPORT' highlighted. To change the selected profile to be imported from the SD card (shown as 'SELECT FILE'), turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the profile file name, then turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight a profile from the list, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) If desired, the profile name to be used after profile has been imported can be changed by turning the FMS Knob to highlight the 'PROFILE NAME' field, then use the large and small FMS Knobs to enter the name, and press the ENT Key. Imported profile names cannot begin with a blank space or be named 'DEFAULT', 'GARMIN DEFAULTS' or 'DEFAULT SETTINGS'.
- **6)** With 'IMPORT' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) If the imported profile name is the same as an existing profile on the system, the system displays an 'Overwrite existing file? OK or CANCEL' prompt. Press the **ENT** Key to replace profile on the system with the profile imported from the SD card, or turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key to return to the Pilot Profile Importing window.
- **8)** If successful, the system displays 'Pilot profile import succeeded.' in the IMPORT RESULTS window below. With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** or **CLR** Keys or press the **FMS** Knob to return to the AUX System Setup Page. The imported profile becomes the active profile.



Pilot Profile Importing and Import Results Window



Pilot Profiles Available for Import from SD Card ('STEVE'S PROFILE' Selected)



**Import Successful** 

Figure 1-36 Pilot Profile Import (AUX - System Setup Page)



### Exporting a profile to an SD card:

- 1) Insert the SD card for storing the Pilot Profile into the top card slot on the MFD.
- 2) Turn the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 3) If necessary, activate the desired pilot profile to export. Only the currently active Pilot Profile can be exported.
- **4)** Select the **EXPORT** Softkey. The system displays the Pilot Profile Exporting window.

#### Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **b)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Export Pilot Profile' and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) To export the pilot profile using the current supplied name, press the ENT Key with 'EXPORT' highlighted. To change the profile file name turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the 'SELECT FILE' field, then enter the new name with the large and small FMS Knobs, then press the ENT Key. Then press the ENT Key with 'EXPORT' highlighted.
- 6) If the profile name to be exported is the same as an existing profile file name on the SD card, the system displays an 'Overwrite existing file? OK or CANCEL' prompt. Press the **ENT** Key to replace the profile on the SD card with the profile to be exported, or turn the FMS Knob to highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key to return to the Pilot Profile Exporting window without exporting the profile.
- 7) If successful, the EXPORT RESULTS window displays 'Pilot profile export succeeded.' With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** or **CLR** Keys, or press the **FMS** Knob to return to the AUX System Setup Page.



Pilot Profile Exporting Window, Enter a Name to Use for Exported Profile



**Export Successful** 

Figure 1-37 Pilot Profile Export on the AUX - System Setup Page



#### **DISPLAY UNITS**

Units in which various quantities are displayed on the G1000 screens are listed on the System Setup Page. The Navigation Angle reference, the Temperature units, and the Position units can be set from here.

Category	Settings	Affected Quantities	Exceptions
Navigation Angle	Magnetic (North)* True (North) User	Heading Course Bearing Track Desired Track Wind direction (Trip Planning Page)	
Distance and Speed**	Metric Nautical*	Crosstrack error (HSI) Bearing distances (information windows) DME distance (information window) Flight plan distances Map ranges DIS, GS, TAS, XTK fields (Navigation Status Box) All distances on MFD Altitude buffer distance (System Setup) Arrival Alert trigger distance (System Setup) All speeds on MFD	Airspeed Indicator True Airspeed (PFD) Wind speed vector Map range (Traffic Page, Terrain Proximity/TAWS Page) CDI scaling (System Setup) Fuel range calculation (EIS)
Altitude and Vertical Speed***	Feet	All altitudes on MFD All elevations on MFD	Altimeter Vertical Speed Indicator VNV altitudes (Active Flight Plan)
Temperature	Celsius* Fahrenheit	All temperatures on PFD Total Air Temperature (Trip Planning Page)	Engine Indication System (EIS)
Fuel and Fuel Flow***	Pounds	Fuel parameters (Trip Planning Page)	Engine Indication System (EIS)
Weight**	Pounds* Kilograms	N/A	N/A
Position	HDDD°MM.MM'* HDDD°MM'SS.S" MGRS UTM/UPS	All positions	N/A

Table 1-1 Display Units Settings (System Setup Page)

#### Changing a display unit setting

- 1) While on the System Setup Page, press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired field in the Display Units Box.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired units.
- 4) Press the ENT Key. Press the CLR Key to cancel the action without changing the units.

<sup>\*</sup> Default setting \*\* Contact a Garmin-authorized service center to change this setting \*\*\* Not configurable



#### **ARRIVAL ALERTS**

The Arrival Alert Box on the System Setup Page allows the Alerts Window arrival alerts to be turned ON/OFF, and the alert trigger distance (up to 99.9 units) set for alerts in the Alerts Window and the PFD Navigation Status Box. An arrival alert can be set to notify the pilot with a message upon reaching a user-specified distance from the final destination (the direct-to waypoint or the last waypoint in a flight plan). When Arrival Alerts is set to ON, and the set distance is reached, an "Arrival at waypoint" message is displayed in the PFD Navigation Status Box, and a "WPT ARRIVAL - Arriving at waypoint - [xxxx]" is displayed in the Alerts Window. When Arrival Alerts is set to OFF, only the PFD Navigation Status Box message "Arriving at waypoint" is displayed, and it is displayed when the time to the final destination is approximately ten seconds.

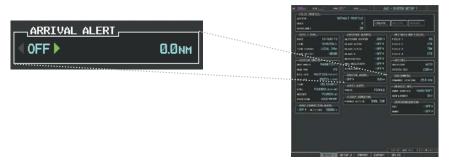


Figure 1-36 Arrival Alert Settings (System Setup Page)

### Enabling/disabling the Alerts Window arrival alert:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FM**S Knob to select the ON/OFF field in the Arrival Alert Box.
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise to turn the airspace alert ON or counterclockwise to turn the alert OFF.

#### Changing the arrival alert trigger distance:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the distance field in the Arrival Alert Box.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter a trigger distance and press the **ENT** Key.

#### Audio Alerts

The Audio Alert Box on the System Setup Page allows the audio alert voice to be set to male or female.

#### Changing the audio alert voice

- 1) While on the System Setup Page, press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the voice in the Audio Alert Box.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display and highlight the desired voice and press the **ENT** Key.



#### SYSTEM STATUS PAGE

The System Status Page displays the status and software version numbers for all detected system LRUs. Pertinent information on all system databases is also displayed. Active LRUs are indicated by green check marks and failed LRUs are indicated by red "X"s. Failed LRUs should be noted and a service center or Garmin dealer informed.



Figure 1-37 Example System Status Page

The **LRU** and **ARFRM** Softkeys on the System Status Page select the applicable list (LRU INFO or AIRFRAME window) through which the **FMS** Knob can be used to scroll information within the selected window.

Selecting the **MFD1 DB** Softkey (label background changes to grey indicting the softkey is selected) places the cursor in the database window. Use the **FMS** Knob to scroll through database information for the MFD. Selecting the softkey again will change the softkey label to **PFD1 DB**. PFD 1 database information is now displayed in the database window. Selecting the softkey a third time will change the softkey label to **PFD2 DB**. PFD 2 database information is now displayed in the database window.

The **ANN TEST** Softkey, when selected, causes an annunciation test tone to be played.

The **RA TEST** Softkey, when selected, initiates the Radar Altimeter test mode. For more information, see the Flight Instruments section.



#### **UTILITY PAGE**

For flight planning purposes, timers, trip statistics, and a scheduler feature are provided on the AUX - Utility Page. The timers available include a stopwatch-like generic timer, a total time in flight timer, and a record of the time of departure. Trip statistics—odometer, trip odometer, and average trip and maximum groundspeeds—are displayed from the time of the last reset. Refer to the Additional Features section for a discussion on the Scheduler feature.



Figure 1-38 Utility Page

#### **TIMERS**

The G1000 timers available include:

- Stopwatch-like generic timers (available from the PFD Timer/References Window and on the MFD AUX

   Utility Page)
- Total-time-in-flight timer (MFD AUX Utility Page)
- Time since departure (MFD AUX Utility Page)

The generic timer can be set to count up or down from a specified time (HH:MM:SS). When the countdown on the timer reaches zero the digits begin to count up from zero. If the timer is reset before reaching zero on a countdown, the digits are reset to the initial value. If the timer is counting up when reset, the digits return to zero.



#### **Setting the generic timer (PFD):**

- 1) Press the TMR/REF Softkey.
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the timer field (HH:MM:SS).
- **3)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired time and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** With the UP/DN field highlighted, turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the timer counting direction (UP/DN) and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** With 'START?' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key to start the timer. The field changes to 'STOP?'.
- 7) To stop the timer, press the **ENT** Key with 'STOP?' highlighted. The field changes to 'RESET?'.
- **8)** To reset the timer, press the **ENT** Key with 'RESET?' highlighted. The field changes back to 'START?' and the digits are reset.
- **9)** To remove the window, press the **CLR** Key or the **TMR/REF** Softkey.



Figure 1-39 Generic Timer (PFD Timer/References Window)

#### Setting the generic timer (MFD AUX - Utility Page)

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the timer counting direction (UP/DN) and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** If a desired starting time is desired:
  - a) Use the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the HH:MM:SS field.
  - **b)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired time and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'START?' and press the **ENT** Key to start the timer. The field changes to 'STOP?'.
- **6)** To stop the timer, press the **ENT** Key with 'STOP?' highlighted. The field changes to 'RESET?'.
- 7) To reset the timer, press the **ENT** Key with 'RESET?' highlighted. The field changes back to 'START?' and the digits are reset.



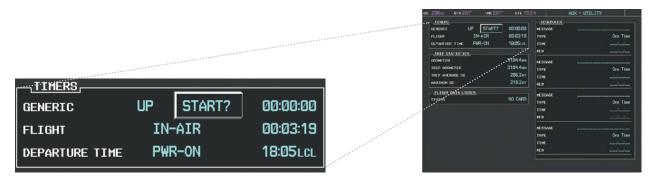


Figure 1-40 Timers (MFD AUX - Utility Page)

The flight timer can be set to count up from zero starting at system power-up or from the time that the aircraft lifts off; the timer can also be reset to zero at any time.

### Setting the flight timer starting criterion

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the field next to the flight timer.
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the starting criterion (PWR-ON or IN-AIR) and press the **ENT** Key.

### Resetting the flight timer

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Utility Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Reset Flight Timer' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.

The G1000 records the time at which departure occurs, depending on whether the pilot prefers the time to be recorded from system power-up or from aircraft lift off. The displayed departure time can also be reset to display the current time at the point of reset. The format in which the time is displayed is controlled from the System Setup Page.

### Setting the departure timer starting criterion

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the field next to the departure time.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the starting criterion (PWR-ON or IN-AIR) and press the **ENT** Key.

#### Resetting the departure time

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Use the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Reset Departure Time' and press the **ENT** Key.



#### TRIP STATISTICS

The odometer and trip odometer record the total mileage traveled from the last reset; these odometers can be reset independently. Resetting the trip odometer also resets the average trip groundspeed. Maximum groundspeed for the period of time since the last reset is also displayed.

#### Resetting trip statistics readouts

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key. The following reset options for trip statistics are displayed:
  - Reset Trip ODOM/AVG GS—Resets trip average ground speed readout and odometer
  - Reset Odometer—Resets odometer readout only
  - Reset Maximum Speed—Resets maximum speed readout only
  - Reset All—Resets flight timer, departure timer, odometers, and groundspeed readouts
- **3)** Use the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired reset option and press the **ENT** Key. The selected parameters are reset to zero and begin to display data from the point of reset.

#### SCHEDULER

The G1000's Scheduler feature can be used to enter and display reminder messages (e.g., "Change oil", "Switch fuel tanks", "Overhaul") in the Alerts Window on the PFD. Messages can be set to display based on a specific date and time (event), once the message timer reaches zero (one-time; default setting), or recurrently whenever the message timer reaches zero (periodic). Message timers set to periodic alerting automatically reset to the original timer value once the message is displayed. When power is cycled, messages are retained until deleted, and message timer countdown is restarted.

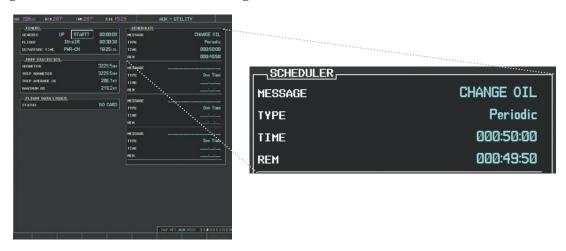


Figure 1-41 Scheduler (Utility Page)

### **Entering a scheduler message:**

- 1) Select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.



- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the first empty scheduler message naming field.
- 4) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the message text to be displayed in the Alerts Window and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the field next to 'Type'.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select set the message alert type:
  - Event—Message issued at the specified date/time
  - One-time—Message issued when the message timer reaches zero (default setting)
  - Periodic—Message issued each time the message timer reaches zero
- 7) Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the next field.
- **8)** For periodic and one-time message, use the **FMS** Knob to enter the timer value (HHH:MM:SS) from which to countdown and press the **ENT** Key.
- **9)** For event-based messages:
  - a) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired date (DD-MMM-YYY) and press the **ENT** Key.
  - **b)** Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the next field.
  - c) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired time (HH:MM) and press the **ENT** Key.
- **10)** Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to enter the next message.

### Deleting a scheduler message:

- **1)** Select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the name field of the scheduler message to be deleted.
- **4)** Press the **CLR** Key to clear the message text. If the **CLR** Key is pressed again, the message is restored.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm message deletion.

Scheduler messages appear in the Alerts Window on the PFD and cause the **ALERTS** Softkey label to change to 'ADVISORY'. Pressing the **ADVISORY** Softkey opens the Alerts Window and acknowledges the scheduler message. The softkey reverts to the 'ALERTS' label and when pressed, the Alerts Window is removed from the display and the scheduler message is deleted from the message queue.

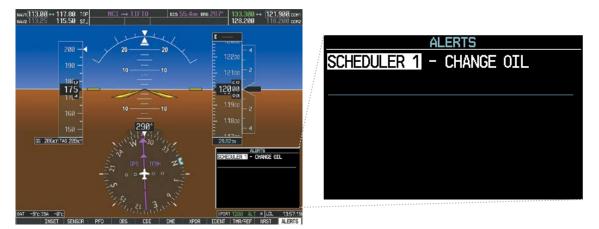


Figure 1-42 PFD Alerts Window



# 1.8 DISPLAY BACKLIGHTING

The PFD and MFD display backlighting, the PFD and MFD bezel, and the Audio Panel keys can be adjusted manually in one of two ways:

- Using the individual dimmer bus control for the desired display, or
- Using the PFD Setup Menu and the following procedures. In normal operating mode, backlighting can only be adjusted from the PFDs. In reversionary mode, adjustments can be made from any remaining displays.

### Adjusting display backlighting:

- 1) Press either PFD **MENU** Key to display the PFD Setup Menu. 'AUTO' is now highlighted next to 'PFD1 DSPL'. If desired, turn the large **FMS** Knob to select 'AUTO' next to 'MFD DSPL' or 'PFD2 DSPL'.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'MANUAL' and press the **ENT** Key. The intensity value is now highlighted.
- 3) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired backlighting then press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** To remove the menu, press the **CLR** or **MENU** Key.

### Adjusting key backlighting:

- 1) Press either PFD **MENU** Key to display the PFD Setup Menu. 'AUTO' is now highlighted next to 'PFD1 DSPL'.
- 2) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight 'PFD DSPL', 'MFD DSPL', or 'PFD2 DSPL', as desired.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob in the direction of the green arrowhead to display 'PFD1 KEY', 'MFD KEY', or 'PFD2 KEY'.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'AUTO'.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'MANUAL' and press the **ENT** Key. The intensity value is now highlighted.
- **6)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired backlighting and press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) To remove the menu, press the **CLR** or **MENU** Key.



Figure 1-43 PFD Setup Menu



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# **SECTION 2 FLIGHT INSTRUMENTS**



**WARNING:** In the event that the airspeed, attitude, altitude, or heading indications become unusable, refer to the backup instruments.



**NOTE:** The Automatic Flight Control System (AFCS) provides additional readouts and bugs on selected flight instruments. Refer to the AFCS Section for details on these bugs and readouts, as they appear on the display during certain AFCS modes.

Increased situational awareness is provided by replacing the traditional instruments on the panel with easy-to-scan pilot and copilot Primary Flight Displays (PFD) that features a large horizon, airspeed, attitude, altitude, vertical speed, and course deviation information. In addition to the flight instruments, navigation, communication, terrain, traffic, and weather information are also presented on the PFD and explained in other sections of this Pilot's Guide.

The following flight instruments and supplemental flight data are displayed on the PFDs:

- Airspeed Indicator, showing
  - True Airspeed
  - Ground Speed
  - Mach number
  - Airspeed awareness ranges
  - Reference flags
- Attitude Indicator with slip/skid indication
- Altimeter, showing
  - Barometric setting
  - Selected Altitude
- Vertical Deviation, Glideslope, and Glidepath Indicators
- Vertical Speed Indicator (VSI)

- Horizontal Situation Indicator, showing
  - Turn Rate Indicator
  - Bearing pointers and information windows
  - DME Information Window (optional)
  - Course Deviation Indicator (CDI)
- DME Tuning Window
- Outside Air Temperature (OAT)
- International Standard Atmosphere (ISA) temperature deviation
- System time
- Wind data
- Vertical Navigation indications
- Radar altimeter (optional)

The PFDs also display various alerts and annunciations.



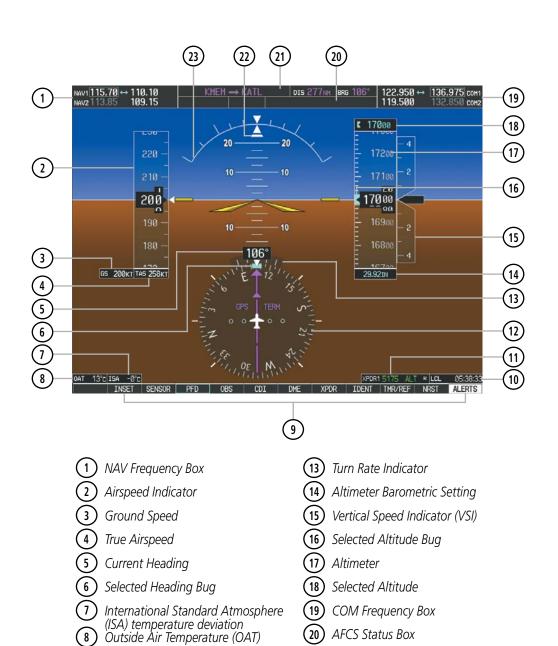


Figure 2-1 Primary Flight Display (Default)

Softkeys

System Time

Transponder Data Box

Horizontal Situation Indicator (HSI)

AFCS Status Box

Slip/Skid Indicator

Attitude Indicator

Navigation Status Box





Figure 2-2 Additional PFD Information



# 2.1 FLIGHT INSTRUMENTS

#### AIRSPEED INDICATOR



**NOTE:** Refer to the Pilot's Operating Handbook (POH) and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual (AFM) for speed criteria and Vspeed values.

The Airspeed Indicator displays airspeed on a moving tape rolling number gauge. The true airspeed (TAS) is displayed in knots below the Airspeed Indicator. When displayed, the Mach number appears in place of the TAS. The ground speed is displayed to the left of the TAS. The numeric labels and major tick marks on the moving tape are shown at intervals of 10 knots, while minor tick marks on the moving tape are indicated at intervals of 5 knots. Speed indication starts at 20 knots, with 60 knots of airspeed viewable at any time. The actual airspeed is displayed inside the black pointer. The pointer remains black until reaching the high airspeed limit, at which point it turns red.

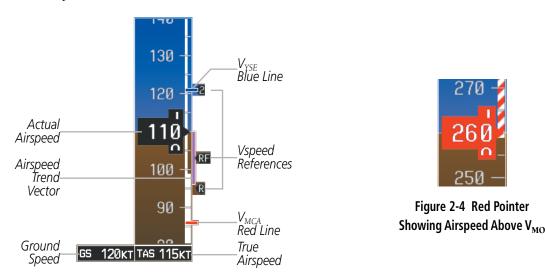


Figure 2-3 Airspeed Indicator

Speeds above the maximum operating speed,  $V_{MO}$  or  $M_{MO}$  depending on aircraft altitude, appear in the high speed warning range, represented on the airspeed tape by red/white "barber pole" coloration.

A red low speed awareness range extends up to the low speed awareness velocity,  $V_{LSA}$ . An aural stall warning is generated as the aircraft approaches a stall condition.

The Airspeed Trend Vector is a vertical magenta line that appears to the right of the color-coded speed range strip when airspeed is either accelerating or decelerating. One end of the magenta line is anchored to the tip of the airspeed pointer while the other end moves continuously up or down corresponding to the rate of acceleration or deceleration. For any constant rate of acceleration or deceleration, the moving end of the line shows approximately what the indicated airspeed value will be in six seconds. If the trend vector crosses  $V_{\text{MO}}/M_{\text{MO}}$ , the text of the actual airspeed readout changes to yellow while the pointer remains black. The trend vector is absent if the speed remains constant or if any data needed to calculate airspeed is not available due to a system failure.



Vspeeds can be changed and their flags turned on/off from the Timer/References Window. When active (on), the Vspeeds are displayed at their respective locations to the right of the airspeed scale.

	Vspeed	Flag
Takeoff	$V_R$	R
Take	V <sub>2</sub>	2
Landing	$V_{REF}$	RF

Table 2-1 Vspeed Flag Labels

Vspeeds are categorized as either takeoff or landing. Takeoff Vspeed flags are automatically turned off when airspeed reaches 160 knots. The order in which the categories are displayed is determined by whether the aircraft is on the ground or in the air. If the aircraft is on the ground, the takeoff Vspeeds are displayed at the top of the Vspeed list. If the aircraft is in the air, the landing Vspeeds are displayed at the top.

The maximum speed with approach flaps is displayed as a solid white triangle to the right of the airspeed scale. This indication is always displayed and cannot be turned off by the pilot.

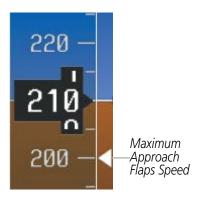


Figure 2-5 Maximum Flaps Extended Speed Reference



#### Changing Vspeeds and turning Vspeed flags on/off:

- 1) Press the TMR/REF Softkey.
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired Vspeed.
- **3)** Use the small **FMS** Knob to change the Vspeed in 1-kt increments (when a speed has been changed from a default value, an asterisk appears next to the speed).
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key or turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the ON/OFF field
- **5)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise to ON or counterclockwise to OFF.
- **6)** To remove the window, press the **CLR** Key or the **TMR/REF** Softkey.



Figure 2-6 Takeoff and Landing Vspeeds (Timer/References Window)

Vspeed flags can be turned on or off and values restored all at once or by category (takeoff and landing).

## Modifying Vspeeds (on, off, restore defaults):

- 1) Press the TMR/REF Softkey.
- 2) Press the MENU Key.
- **3)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired selection.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** To remove the window, press the **CLR** Key or the **TMR/REF** Softkey.

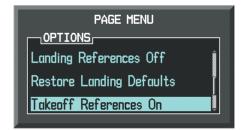


Figure 2-7 Page Menu (Timer/References Window)



#### ATTITUDE INDICATOR

Attitude information is displayed over a virtual blue sky and brown ground with a white horizon line. The Attitude Indicator displays the pitch, roll, and slip/skid information.

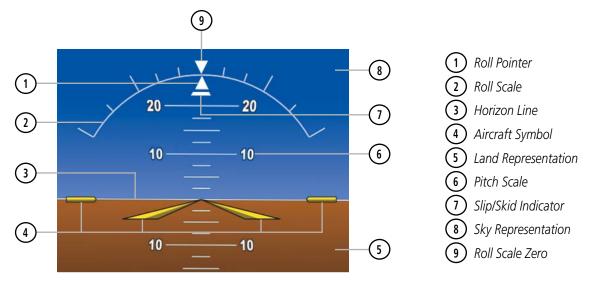


Figure 2-8 Attitude Indicator

The horizon line is part of the pitch scale. Above and below the horizon line, major pitch marks and numeric labels are shown for every 10°, up to 80°. Minor pitch marks are shown for intervening 5° increments, up to 25° below and 45° above the horizon line. Between 20° below to 20° above the horizon line, minor pitch marks occur every 2.5°. When the Synthetic Vision System (SVS) is activated, the pitch scale is reduced to 10° up and 7.5° down; refer to the Additional Features section for more information about SVS.

The inverted white triangle indicates zero on the roll scale. Major tick marks at 30° and 60° and minor tick marks at 10°, 20°, and 45° are shown to the left and right of the zero. Angle of bank is indicated by the position of the pointer on the roll scale.

The Slip/Skid Indicator is the bar beneath the roll pointer. The indicator bar moves with the roll pointer and moves laterally away from the pointer to indicate uncoordinated flight. Slip (inside the turn) or skid (outside the turn) is indicated by the location of the bar relative to the pointer.

When the optional Garmin Electronic Stability and Protection (Garmin  $ESP^{\mathbb{N}}$ ) system is available, additional indications may appear on the pitch and roll scales; refer to the Additional Features and AFCS Sections for more information about ESP.



Figure 2-9 Slip/Skid Indication



The yellow symbolic aircraft on the Attitude Indicator changes appearance based on selection of AFCS flight director Command Bar format (see the AFCS Section for details). Both PFDs show the same Command Bar format and Aircraft Symbol. The Command Bar format (single-cue or cross-pointer) may be selected from the AUX - System Setup 1 Page (Figure 2-10). If a compatible lift computer is installed, the cross-pointer option will be unavailable.

#### **Changing Command Bar format:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX page group on the MFD.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- **3)** If necessary, press the **SETUP 1** Softkey to display the System Setup 1 Page.
- 4) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Format Active' in the 'Flight Director' box.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired format. 'SNGL CUE' to display Command Bars as a single cue (Figure 2-10).

#### Or:

'X-POINTER' to display Command Bars as a cross-pointer (Figure 2-10).

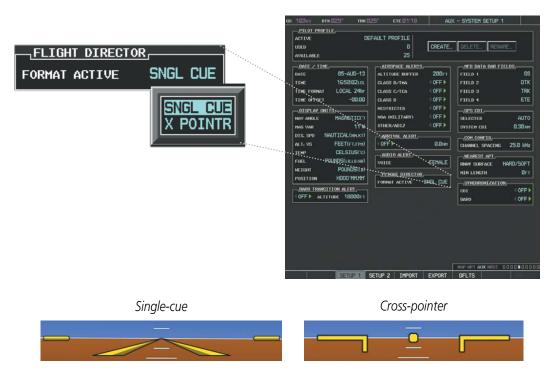


Figure 2-10 Flight Director Format (AUX - System Setup 1 Page)



#### **ALTIMETER**

The Altimeter displays 600 feet of barometric altitude values at a time on a moving tape rolling number gauge. Numeric labels and major tick marks are shown at intervals of 100 feet. Minor tick marks are at intervals of 20 feet. The indicated altitude is displayed inside the black pointer.

The Selected Altitude is displayed above the Altimeter in the box indicated by a selection bug symbol. A bug corresponding to this altitude is shown on the tape. If the Selected Altitude exceeds the range shown on the tape, the bug appears at the upper or lower edge of the tape. When the metric value is selected it is displayed in a separate box above the Selected and Indicated Altitudes (Figure 2-11). See the AFCS Section for more information about Selected Altitude.

The Altitude Trend Vector is a vertical magenta line that appears to the left of the altitude range strip when the aircraft is either climbing or descending. One end of the magenta line is anchored to the tip of the altitude pointer while the other end moves continuously up or down according to the rate of vertical speed. For any constant rate of vertical speed, the moving end of the line shows approximately what the indicated altitude value will be in six seconds. The trend vector is absent if the altitude remains constant or if data needed for calculation is not available due to a system failure.

## **Setting the Selected Altitude:**

Turn the **ALT SEL** Knob to set the Selected Altitude in 100-ft increments.

If set, the Minimum Descent Altitude/Decision Height (MDA/DH) value is also available for the Selected Altitude. When the altimeter is configured for metric units, the selected altitude is adjusted in 50 meter increments.

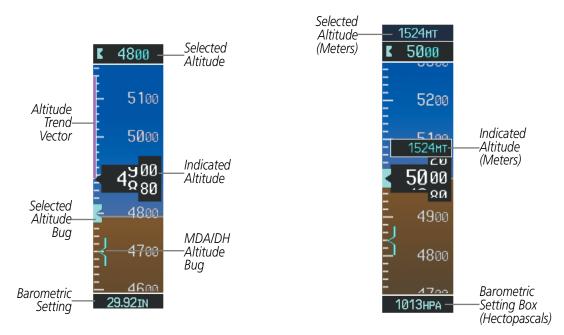


Figure 2-11 Altimeter



#### Displaying altitude in meters:

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey to display the second-level softkeys.
- **2)** Press the **ALT UNIT** Softkey.
- 3) Press the **METERS** Softkey to turn on metric altitude readouts.
- **4)** Press the **BACK** Softkey to return to the top-level softkeys.

The barometric pressure setting is displayed below the Altimeter in inches of mercury (in Hg) or hectopascals (hPa). Adjusting the altimeter barometric setting creates discontinuities in VNAV vertical deviation, moving the descent path. For large adjustments, it may take several minutes for the aircraft to re-establish on the descent path. If the change is made while nearing a waypoint with a VNAV Target Altitude, the aircraft may not re-establish on the descent path in time to meet the vertical constraint.

## Selecting the altimeter barometric pressure setting:

Turn the **BARO** Knob to select the desired setting.

#### **Selecting standard barometric pressure:**

Press the **BARO** Knob to select standard pressure; STD BARO is displayed in barometric setting box.

Or:

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey to display the second-level softkeys.
- **2)** Press the **STD BARO** Softkey; STD BARO is displayed in barometric setting box.



Figure 2-12 Standard Barometric Altimeter Setting

#### Changing altimeter barometric pressure setting units:

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey to display the second-level softkeys.
- **2)** Press the **ALT UNIT** Softkey.
- 3) Press the IN Softkey to display the barometric pressure setting in inches of mercury (in Hg).
  Or, press the HPA Softkey to display the barometric pressure setting in hectopascals (hPa; see Figure 2-12).
- 4) Press the **BACK** Softkey to return to the top-level softkeys.



If the barometric altimeter settings differ between PFDs, the readouts turn yellow. The settings can be synchronized from the PFD Setup Menu. Once the settings are synchronized (BARO SYNC turned on), they remain synchronized until the setting is turned off.

## Synchronizing the altimeter barometric pressure settings:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX page group on the MFD.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- **3)** If necessary, press the **SETUP 1** Softkey to display the System Setup 1 Page.
- 4) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'BARO' in the Synchronization box.
- 6) Turn the small FMS Knob clockwise to ON or counterclockwise to OFF.



Figure 2-13 System Setup Page, Barometric Pressure Synchronization



## **VERTICAL SPEED INDICATOR (VSI)**

The Vertical Speed Indicator (VSI) displays the aircraft vertical speed using a non-moving tape labeled at 2000 and 4000 fpm with minor tick marks every 1000 fpm. The current vertical speed is displayed in the pointer along the tape. Digits appear in the pointer when the climb or descent rate is greater than 100 fpm. If the rate of ascent/descent exceeds 4000 fpm, the pointer appears at the corresponding edge of the tape and the rate appears inside the pointer.

A magenta chevron bug is displayed as the Required Vertical Speed Indication (RVSI) for reaching a VNV Target Altitude once the "TOD [Top of Descent] within 1 minute" alert has been generated. See the Flight Management Section for details on VNV features, and refer to Section 2.2, Supplemental Flight Data, for more information about VNV indications on the PFD.

## **VERTICAL DEVIATION**

The Vertical Deviation Indicator (VDI; Figure 2-14) uses a magenta chevron to indicate the baro-VNV vertical deviation when Vertical Navigation (VNV) is being used; the VDI appears in conjunction with the "TOD within 1 minute" alert. Full-scale deflection (two dots) is 1000 feet. The VDI is removed from the display if vertical deviation becomes invalid. See the Flight Management and AFCS sections for details on VNV features, and refer to Section 2.2, Supplemental Flight Data, for more information about VNV indications on the PFD.

The Glideslope Indicator (Figure 2-15) appears to the left of the Altimeter whenever an ILS frequency is tuned in the active NAV field and the aircraft heading and selected course are within 107°. A green diamond acts as the Glideslope Indicator, like a glideslope needle on a conventional indicator. If a localizer frequency is tuned and there is no glideslope, "NO GS" is displayed in place of the diamond.

The glidepath is analogous to the glideslope for RNAV approach service levels supporting SBAS vertical guidance (LNAV+V, LNAV/VNAV, LPV, LP+V). When one of these RNAV approaches is loaded into the flight plan, GPS is the selected navigation source, and SBAS is used for vertical approach guidance, the Glidepath Indicator appears as a magenta diamond (Figure 2-16). If the approach type downgrades past the final approach fix (FAF), "NO GP" is displayed in place of the diamond.

While executing an LNAV/VNAV approach and SBAS is unavailable, baro-VNAV (barometric vertical navigation) is used for vertical guidance. This occurs due to any of the following conditions:

- SBAS fails or becomes unavailable prior to the FAF
- The aircraft is outside of SBAS coverage
- SBAS is manually disabled on the GPS Status page

Baro-VNAV is also the source of vertical approach guidance if the LNAV/VNAV procedure does not support SBAS vertical guidance.

While baro-VNAV is being utilized, the Glidepath Indicator appears as a magenta pentagon (Figure 2-17). If the approach type downgrades past the final approach fix (FAF), "NO GP" is displayed in place of the pentagon.

While executing an LNAV/VNAV or RNP approach and between the FAF and MAP, excessive deviation indicators appear as vertical yellow lines (Figure 2-17) to indicate an area where the vertical deviation exceeds ±75 feet.



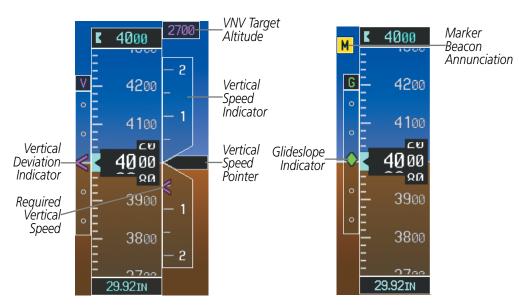


Figure 2-14 Vertical Speed and Deviation Indicator (VSI and VDI)

Figure 2-15 Glideslope Indicator

3500

1900

1800

16 <sup>60</sup>

1500

1400

29.92IN

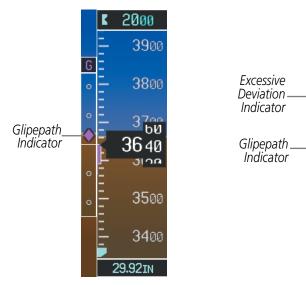


Figure 2-16 Glidepath Indicator

Figure 2-17 Glidepath Indicator



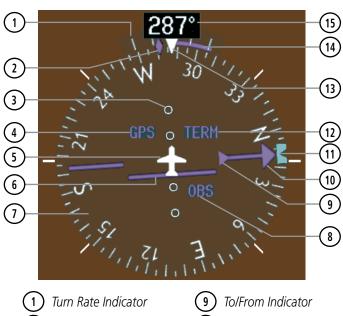
## **HORIZONTAL SITUATION INDICATOR (HSI)**

The Horizontal Situation Indicator (HSI) displays a rotating compass card in a heading-up orientation. Letters indicate the cardinal points and numeric labels occur every 30°. Major tick marks are at 10° intervals and minor tick marks at 5° intervals. A digital reading of the current heading appears on top of the HSI, and the current track is represented on the HSI by a magenta diamond indicator. The HSI also presents turn rate, course deviation, bearing, and navigation source information and is available in two formats (360° compass rose and 140° arc).

#### Changing the HSI display format:

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press the HSI FRMT Softkey.
- 3) Press the 360 HSI or ARC HSI Softkey.

The 360° HSI contains a Course Deviation Indicator (CDI), with a Course Pointer, To/From Indicator, and a sliding deviation bar and scale. The course pointer is a single line arrow (GPS, VOR1, and LOC1) or a double line arrow (VOR2 and LOC2) which points in the direction of the set course. The To/From arrow rotates with the course pointer and is displayed when the active NAVAID is received.



- **( 2 )** Current Track Indicator
- (3) Lateral Deviation Scale
- (4) Navigation Source
- (5) Aircraft Symbol
- (6) Course Deviation Indicator (CDI)
- (1) Rotating Compass Rose
- (8) OBS Mode Active

- 10) Course Pointer
- (11) Heading Bug
- 12) Flight Phase/Approach Service Level
- (13) Lubber Line
- 14) Turn Rate/Heading Trend Vector
- 15) Current Heading

Figure 2-18 Horizontal Situation Indicator (HSI)



The Arc HSI is a 140° expanded section of the compass rose. The Arc HSI contains a Course Pointer, To/From Indicator, a sliding deviation indicator (the To/From and deviation indicators are combined), and a deviation scale. Upon station passage, the To/From Indicator flips and points to the tail of the aircraft, just like a conventional To/From flag. Depending on the navigation source, the CDI on the Arc HSI can appear in two different ways: an arrowhead (GPS, VOR, OBS) or a diamond (LOC).



Figure 2-19 Arc HSI

The Selected Heading is shown to the upper left of the HSI for 3 seconds after being adjusted. The light blue bug on the compass rose corresponds to the Selected Heading. While the HSI is displayed as an arc, if the Selected Heading Bug is adjusted off the shown portion of the compass rose, the digital reading is displayed.

#### Adjusting the Selected Heading:

Turn the **HDG** Knob to set the Selected Heading.

Press the **HDG** Knob to synchronize the bug to the current heading.

The Selected Course is shown to the upper right of the HSI for 3 seconds after being adjusted. While the HSI is displayed as an arc, the Selected Course is displayed whenever the Course Pointer is not within the 140° currently shown.

#### **Adjusting the Selected Course:**

Turn the **CRS** Knob to set the Selected Course.

Press the **CRS** Knob to re-center the CDI and return the course pointer to the bearing of the active waypoint or navigation station (see OBS Mode for adjusting a GPS course).



Figure 2-20 Heading and Course Indications



Navigation angles (track, heading, course, bearing) are corrected to the computed magnetic variation ('Mag Var') or referenced to true north (denoted 'T'), set on the AUX - System Setup 1 Page. When an approach referenced to true north has been loaded into the flight plan, the system generates a message to change the navigation angle setting to 'True' at the appropriate time.



Figure 2-21 Heading and Course Indications (True)

#### Changing the navigation angle setting:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX page group on the MFD.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- 3) If necessary, press the **SETUP 1** Softkey to display the System Setup 1 Page.
- Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor.
- 5) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight 'Nav Angle' in the 'Display Units' box (Figure 2-22).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired setting and press the **ENT** Key.
  - TRUE References angles to true north (denoted with 'T')
  - MAGNETIC Angles corrected to the computed magnetic variation ('Mag Var')

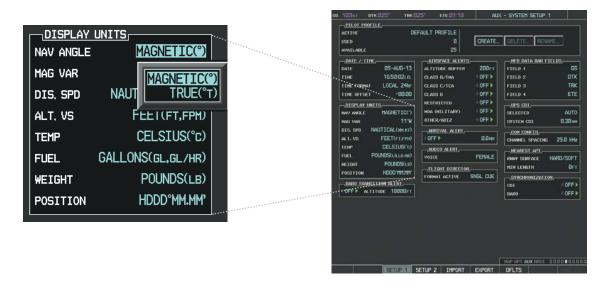


Figure 2-22 System Setup Page, Navigation Angle Settings



#### TURN RATE INDICATOR

The Turn Rate Indicator is located directly above the rotating compass card. Tick marks to the left and right of the lubber line denote half-standard and standard turn rates. A magenta Turn Rate Trend Vector shows the current turn rate. The end of the trend vector gives the heading predicted in 6 seconds, based on the present turn rate. A standard-rate turn is shown on the indicator by the trend vector stopping at the standard turn rate tick mark, corresponding to a predicted heading of 18° from the current heading. At rates greater than 4 deg/sec, an arrowhead appears at the end of the magenta trend vector and the prediction is no longer valid.



Figure 2-23 Turn Rate Indicator and Trend Vector

## **BEARING POINTERS AND INFORMATION WINDOWS**



**NOTE:** When the Arc HSI is displayed, the Bearing Information windows and pointers are disabled.

Two bearing pointers and associated information can be displayed on the HSI for NAV and GPS sources. The pointers are light blue and are single- (BRG1) or double-lined (BRG2); an icon is shown in the respective information window to indicate the pointer type. The bearing pointers never override the CDI and are visually separated from the CDI by a white ring (shown when bearing pointers are selected but not necessarily visible due to data unavailability).

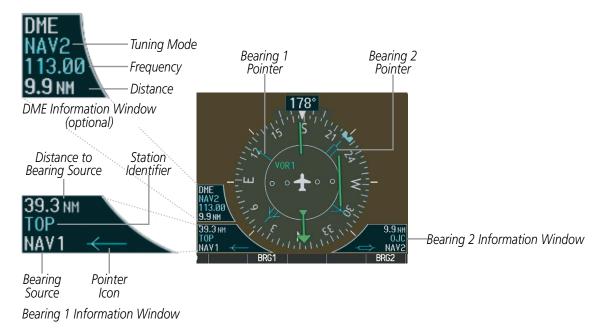


Figure 2-24 HSI with Bearing and DME Information



When a bearing pointer is displayed, its associated information window is also displayed. The Bearing Information windows (Figure 2-24) are displayed to the lower sides of the HSI and show:

- Bearing source (NAV, GPS, ADF)
- Pointer icon (BRG1 = single line, BRG2 = double line)
- Frequency (NAV)

- Station/waypoint identifier (NAV, GPS)
- GPS-derived great circle distance to bearing source

If the NAV radio is the bearing source and is tuned to an ILS frequency (refer to the Audio Panel and CNS Section for information on tuning the radios), the bearing pointer is removed from the HSI and the frequency is replaced with "ILS". When NAV1 or NAV2 is the selected bearing source, the frequency is replaced by the station identifier when the station is within range. If GPS is the bearing source, the active waypoint identifier is displayed in lieu of a frequency.

The bearing pointer is removed from the HSI and "NO DATA" is displayed in the information window if:

- The NAV radio is not receiving the tuned VOR station
- GPS is the bearing source and an active waypoint is not selected

#### **Selecting bearing display and changing sources:**

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press a **BRG** Softkey to display the desired bearing pointer and information window with a NAV source.
- **3)** Press the **BRG** Softkey again to change the bearing source to GPS.
- 4) Press the **BRG** Softkey a third time to change the bearing source to ADF (note: ADF radio installation is optional).
- 5) To remove the bearing pointer and information window, press the **BRG** Softkey again.

#### **DME INFORMATION WINDOW**



#### **NOTE:** DME radio installation is optional.

The DME Information Window is displayed above the BRG1 Information Window and shows the DME label, tuning mode (NAV1, NAV2, or HOLD), frequency, and distance. When a signal is invalid, the distance is replaced by "-.- – NM". Refer to the Audio Panel and CNS Section for information on tuning the radios.

#### **Displaying the DME Information Window:**

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **DME** Softkey to display the DME Information Window above the BRG1 Information Window.
- 3) To remove the DME Information Window, press the **DME** Softkey again.



# **COURSE DEVIATION INDICATOR (CDI)**



**NOTE:** If a heading change of greater than 105° with respect to the course is made, the CDI on the Arc HSI switches to the opposite side of the deviation scale and displays reverse sensing.

The Course Deviation Indicator (CDI) moves left or right from the course pointer along a lateral deviation scale to display aircraft position relative to the course. If the course deviation data is not valid, the CDI is not displayed.

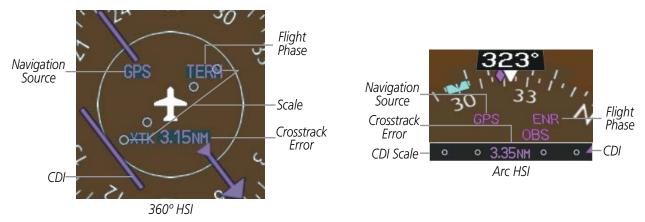


Figure 2-25 Course Deviation Indicator

The CDI can display two sources of navigation: GPS or NAV (VOR, localizer). Color indicates the current navigation source: magenta (for GPS) or green (for VOR and LOC); the Selected Course readout also follows these color indications. When coupled to GPS, the full scale limits for the CDI are defined by a GPS-derived distance. When coupled to a VOR or localizer (LOC), the CDI has the same angular limits as a mechanical CDI. If the CDI exceeds the maximum deviation on the scale (two dots) while coupled to GPS, the crosstrack error (XTK) is displayed below the white aircraft symbol.

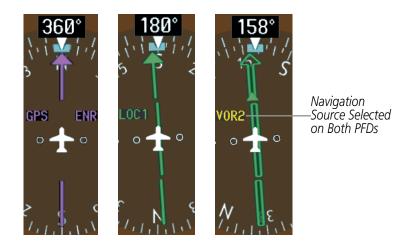


Figure 2-26 Navigation Sources



## **Changing navigation sources:**

- 1) Select the **CDI** Softkey to change from GPS to VOR1 or LOC1. This places the light blue tuning box over the NAV1 standby frequency in the upper left corner of the PFD.
- 2) Select the **CDI** Softkey again to change from VOR1 or LOC1 to VOR2 or LOC2. This places the light blue tuning box over the NAV2 standby frequency.
- 3) Select the CDI Softkey a third time to return to GPS.

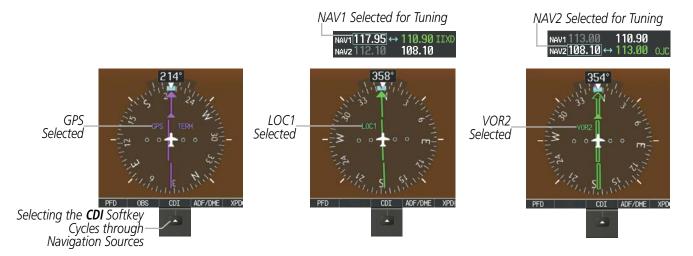


Figure 2-27 Selecting a Navigation Source

If the same VOR/LOC navigation source is selected on both PFDs, the navigation source annunciation turns yellow on both displays (unless synchronized). Once the CDIs are synchronized (CDI SYNC turned on), they remain synchronized until the setting is turned off.

#### Synchronizing the CDIs:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX page group on the MFD.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- **3)** If necessary, press the **SETUP 1** Softkey to display the System Setup 1 Page.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the 'CDI Sync' in the Synchronization box.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise to ON or counterclockwise to OFF.





Figure 2-28 System Setup Page, CDI Synchronization

The system automatically switches from GPS to LOC navigation source and changes the CDI scaling accordingly when all of the following occur:

- A localizer or ILS approach has been loaded into the active flight plan
- The final approach fix (FAF) is the active leg, the FAF is less than 15 nm away, and the aircraft is moving toward the FAF
- A valid localizer frequency has been tuned
- The GPS CDI deviation is less than 1.2 times full-scale deflection



GPS steering guidance is still provided after the CDI automatically switches to LOC until LOC capture, up to the Final Approach Fix (FAF) for an ILS approach, or until GPS information becomes invalid. Activating a Vector-to-Final (VTF; see the Flight Management Section) also causes the CDI to switch to LOC navigation source; GPS steering guidance is not provided after this switch.

#### **GPS CDI SCALING**

When GPS is the selected navigation source, the flight plan legs are sequenced automatically and annunciations appear on the HSI for the flight phase. Flight phase annunciations are normally shown in magenta, but when cautionary conditions exist the color changes to yellow. If the current leg in the flight plan is a heading leg, 'HDG LEG' is annunciated in magenta beneath the aircraft symbol.

The current GPS CDI scale setting is displayed as 'System CDI' on the AUX - System Setup 1 Page and the full-scale deflection setting may also be changed (2.0 nm, 1.0 nm, 0.3 nm, or Auto) from this page (Figure 2-29). If the selected scaling is smaller than the automatic setting for enroute and terminal phases, the CDI is scaled accordingly and the selected setting is be displayed rather than the flight phase annunciation.

#### Changing the selected GPS CDI setting:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX page group on the MFD.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- **3)** If necessary, press the **SETUP 1** Softkey to display the System Setup 1 Page.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Selected' in the 'GPS CDI' box.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired setting and press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** To cancel the selection, press the **FMS** Knob or the **CLR** Key.



Figure 2-29 System Setup Page, GPS CDI Settings

When set to 'Auto' (default), the GPS CDI scale automatically adjusts to the desired limits based upon the current phase of flight (Figure 2-30, 2-31, 2-32, Table 2-2).



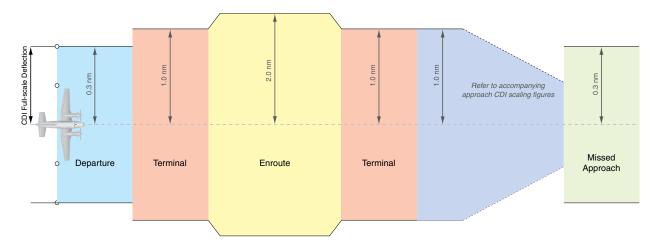
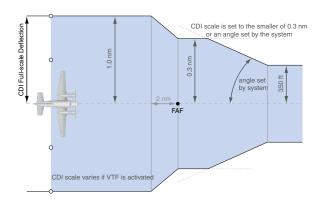


Figure 2-30 Automatic CDI Scaling

- When a departure procedure is active, the CDI is scaled for *departure* (0.3 nm).
- The system switches from departure to *terminal* CDI scaling (1.0 nm) under the following conditions:
  - The next leg in the procedure is not aligned with the departure runway
  - The next leg in the departure procedure is not CA, CD, CF, CI, CR, DF, FA, FC, FD, FM, IF, or TF (see Glossary for leg type definitions)
  - After any leg in the departure procedure that is not CA or FA
- At 30 nm from the departure airport the *enroute* phase of flight is automatically entered and CDI scaling changes to 2.0 nm over a distance of 1.0 nm, except under the following conditions:
  - When navigating with an active departure procedure, the flight phase and CDI scale does not change until the aircraft arrives at the last departure waypoint (if more than 30 nm from the departure airport) or the leg after the last departure waypoint has been activated or a direct-to waypoint is activated.
- If after completing the departure procedure the nearest airport is more than 200 nm away from the aircraft and the approach procedure has not yet commenced, the CDI is scaled for *oceanic* flight (4.0 nm).
- Within 31 nm of the destination airport (*terminal* area), the CDI scale gradually ramps down from 2.0 nm to 1.0 nm over a distance of 1.0 nm; except under the following conditions:
  - Upon reaching the first waypoint of an arrival route that is more than 31 nm from the destination airport, the flight phase changes to terminal and the CDI scale begins to transition down from 2.0 nm to 1.0 nm over a distance of 1.0 nm.
- During *approach*, the CDI scale ramps down even further (see Figures 2-31 and 2-32). This transition normally occurs within 2.0 nm of the final approach fix (FAF). The CDI switches to approach scaling automatically once the approach procedure is activated or if Vector-to-Final (VTF) is selected.
  - If the active waypoint is the FAF, the ground track and the bearing to the FAF must be within 45° of the final approach segment course.
  - If the active waypoint is part of the missed approach procedure, the active leg and preceding missed approach legs must be aligned with the final approach segment course and the aircraft must not have passed the turn initiation point.





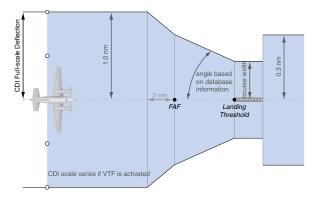


Figure 2-31 Typical LNAV and LNAV+V Approach CDI Scaling Figure 2-32 Typical LNAV/VNAV, LP, and LPV Approach CDI Scaling

- When a **missed approach** is activated, the CDI scale changes to 0.3 nm.
- The system automatically switches back to *terminal* scaling under the following conditions:
  - The next leg in the missed approach procedure is not aligned with the final approach path
  - The next leg in the missed approach procedure is not CA, CD, CF, CI, CR, DF, FA, FC, FD, FM, IF, or TF
  - After any leg in the missed approach procedure that is not CA or FA

Flight Phase	Annunciation	Automatic CDI Full-scale Deflection		
Departure	DPRT	0.3 nm		
Terminal	TERM	1.0 nm		
Enroute	ENR	2.0 nm		
Oceanic	OCN	4.0 nm		
Approach (Non-precision)	LNAV	1.0 nm decreasing to 350 feet depending on		
Approach (Non-precision with Vertical Guidance)	LNAV + V	variables (see Figure 2-31)		
Approach (LNAV/VNAV)	L/VNAV			
Approach (LPV)	LPV	1.0 nm decreasing to a specified course width, then 0.3 nm, depending on variables (see Figure 2-32)		
Approach (LP)	LP			
Missed Approach	MAPR	0.3 nm		

Table 2-2 Automatic GPS CDI Scaling



#### **OBS MODE**



## **NOTE:** VNV is inhibited while automatic waypoint sequencing has been suspended.

Enabling Omni-bearing Selector (OBS) Mode suspends the automatic sequencing of waypoints in a GPS flight plan (GPS must be the selected navigation source), but retains the current "active-to" waypoint as the navigation reference even after passing the waypoint. 'OBS' is annunciated to the lower right of the aircraft symbol when OBS Mode is selected (see Figure 2-33).

While OBS Mode is enabled, a course line is drawn through the "active-to" waypoint on the moving map. If desired, the course to/from the waypoint can now be adjusted. When OBS Mode is disabled, the GPS flight plan returns to normal operation with automatic sequencing of waypoints, following the course set in OBS Mode. The flight path on the moving map retains the modified course line.

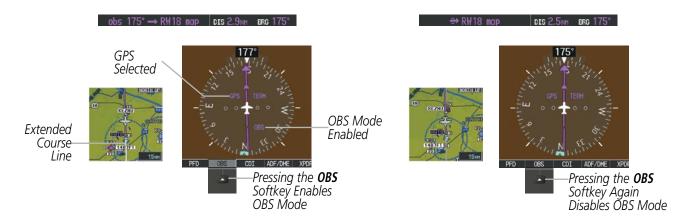


Figure 2-33 Omni-bearing Selector (OBS) Mode



## Enabling/disabling OBS Mode while navigating a GPS flight plan:

- 1) Select the **OBS** Softkey to select OBS Mode.
- 2) Turn the **CRS** Knob to select the desired course to/from the waypoint. Press the **CRS** Knob to synchronize the Selected Course with the bearing to the next waypoint.
- **3)** Select the **OBS** Softkey again to return to automatic waypoint sequencing.

As the aircraft crosses the missed approach point (MAP), automatic approach waypoint sequencing is suspended. SUSP appears on the HSI at the lower right of the aircraft symbol. The **OBS** Softkey label changes to indicate the suspension is active as shown in Figure 2-34. Pressing the **SUSP** Softkey deactivates the suspension and resumes automatic sequencing of approach waypoints.



Figure 2-34 Suspending Automatic Waypoint Sequencing



# 2.2 SUPPLEMENTAL FLIGHT DATA



**NOTE**: Selecting the **DFLTS** Softkey (a second-level PFD softkey) turns off metric Altimeter display, the Inset Map, and wind data display.

In addition to the flight instruments, the PFD also displays various supplemental information, including temperatures, wind data, and Vertical Navigation (VNV) indications.

## **TEMPERATURE DISPLAYS**

The G1000 Outside Air Temperature display (OAT), which is adjusted for compressibility effects, and the deviation from International Standard Atmosphere Temperature display (ISA) are shown in degrees Celsius (°C) by default in the lower left of the PFD under normal display conditions, or below the true airspeed in reversionary mode.

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Figure 2-35 Outside Air Temperature



#### WIND DATA

Wind direction and speed in knots can be displayed in a window to the upper left of the HSI. When the window is selected for display, but wind information is invalid or unavailable, the window shows "NO WIND DATA". Wind data can be displayed in three different ways:

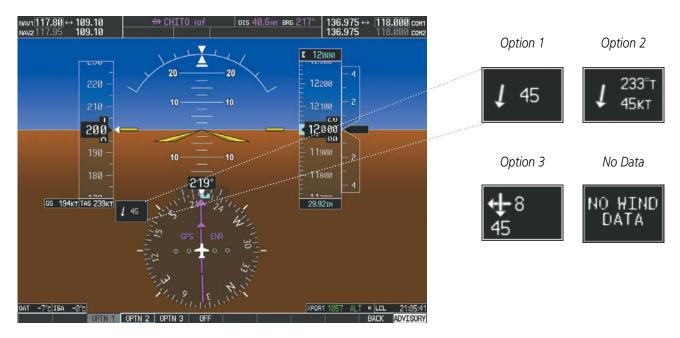


Figure 2-36 Wind Data

#### Displaying wind data:

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **WIND** Softkey to display wind data below the Selected Heading.
- 3) Press one of the **OPTN** softkeys to change how wind data is displayed:
  - **OPTN 1**: Wind direction arrow and speed
  - **OPTN 2**: Wind direction arrow with true digital direction and speed
  - OPTN 3: Wind direction arrows with headwind, tailwind, and crosswind speed components
- **4)** To remove the window, press the **OFF** Softkey.



# **VERTICAL NAVIGATION (VNV) INDICATIONS**

When a VNV flight plan has been activated, VNV indications (VNV Target Altitude, RVSI, VDI) appear on the PFD in conjunction with the "TOD within 1 minute" message and "Vertical track" voice alert. See the Flight Management and AFCS sections for details on VNV features. VNV indications are removed from the PFD according to the criteria listed in Table 2-3.



Figure 2-37 Vertical Navigation Indications (PFD)

	VNV Indication Removed		
Criteria	Required Vertical Speed (RVSI)	Vertical Deviation (VDI)	VNV Target Altitude
Aircraft > 1 min before the next TOD due to flight plan change	X	X	Χ
VNV cancelled (CNCL VNV Softkey selected on MFD)	X	X	Χ
Distance to active waypoint cannot be computed due to unsupported flight plan leg type (see Flight Management Section)	X	X	Х
Aircraft > 250 feet below active VNV Target Altitude	X	X	Χ
Current crosstrack or track angle error has exceeded limit	X	X	Χ
Active altitude-constrained waypoint cannot be reached within maximum allowed flight path angle and vertical speed	X	X	
Last altitude-constrained waypoint in active flight plan reached	X	X (30 sec before)	Х

**Table 2-3 VNV Indication Removal Criteria** 



## 2.3 PFD ANNUNCIATIONS AND ALERTING FUNCTIONS

The following annunciations and alerting functions are displayed on the PFD. Refer to Appendix A for more information on alerts and annunciations.

#### **G1000 ALERTING SYSTEM**

Messages appear in the Alerts Window (in the lower right corner of the PFD; Figure 2-38) when a warning, caution, advisory alert, or G1000 message advisory occurs. System alert messages are provided for awareness of G1000 system problems or status and may not require pilot action. The Alerts Window allows system alerts to be displayed simultaneously. The **FMS** Knob can be used to scroll through the alert messages. The Alerts Window is enabled/disabled by selecting the **ALERTS** Softkey. If the window is already open when a new message is generated, selecting the **ALERTS** Softkey to acknowledge the message causes it to turn gray.

The Annunciation Window appears to the right of the Vertical Speed Indicator and displays abbreviated annunciation text for aircraft alerts. Text color is based on alert level: warnings appear in red, cautions in yellow, advisory alerts in white. New alerts, regardless of priority, are displayed at the top of the Annunciation Window, separated by a white line from acknowledged alerts. Once acknowledged, they are sequenced based on priority.

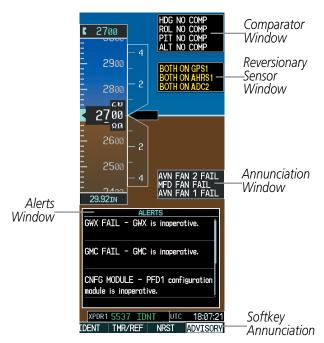


Figure 2-38 G1000 Alerting System

The **ADVISORY** Softkey provides general information to the pilot that may not need immediate attention. A flashing **ADVISORY** Softkey annunciation (no aural tone) indicates the presence of a message advisory. The flashing **ADVISORY** Softkey annunciation continues to flash until acknowledged (by pressing the **ADVISORY** Softkey).





Figure 2-39 Softkey Annunciation

Critical values generated by redundant sensors are monitored by comparators. If differences in the sensors exceed a specified amount, the Comparator Window appears in the upper right corner of the PFD and the discrepancy is annunciated in the Comparator Window as a 'MISCOMP' (miscompare). If one or both of the sensed values are unavailable, it is annunciated as a 'NO COMP' (no compare).



Figure 2-40 Comparator Window

Reversionary sensor selection is annunciated in a window on the right side of the PFD. These annunciations reflect reversionary sensors selected on one or both PFDs. Pressing the **SENSOR** Softkey accesses the **ADC1**, **ADC2**, **AHRS1**, and **AHRS2** softkeys. These softkeys allow switching of the sensors being viewed on each PFD. With certain types of sensor failures, the G1000 may make some sensor selections automatically. The GPS sensor cannot be switched manually.



Figure 2-41 Reversionary Sensor Window



#### MARKER BEACON ANNUNCIATIONS

Marker Beacon Annunciations are displayed on the PFD to the left of the Selected Altitude. Outer marker reception is indicated in blue, middle in yellow, and inner in white. Refer to the Audio Panel and CNS Section for more information on Marker Beacon Annunciations.

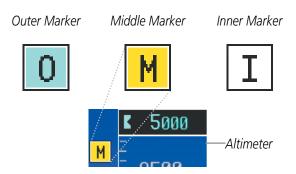


Figure 2-42 Marker Beacon Annunciations

#### TRAFFIC ANNUNCIATION

The System displays traffic symbolically on the Inset Map (PFD), the Navigation Map Page (MFD), and various other MFD page maps. Refer to the Hazard Avoidance Section for more details about the Traffic Information Service (TIS) and optional Traffic Advisory Systems (TAS). When a traffic advisory (TA) is detected, the following y occurs:

- The PFD Inset Map is enabled, displaying traffic (Figure 2-43)
- A flashing black-on-yellow TRAFFIC annunciation (Figure 2-44) appears to the top left of the Attitude Indicator for five seconds and remains displayed until no TAs are detected in the area
- A single "*Traffic*" aural alert is generated, unless an optional Traffic Advisory System (TAS) is installed (refer to the applicable TAS documentation for alerts generated by TAS equipment)

If additional TAs appear, new aural and visual alerts are generated.

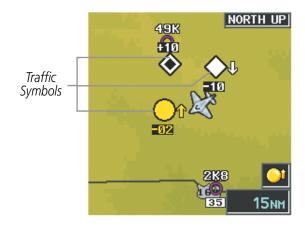


Figure 2-43 Inset Map with Traffic Displayed



Figure 2-44 Traffic Annunciation



#### TAWS ANNUNCIATIONS

Terrain Awareness and Warning System (TAWS) annunciations appear on the PFD to the upper left of the Altimeter. In TAWS-A installations, annunciations also appear to the upper right of the Airspeed Indicator. Refer to the Hazard Avoidance Section and Appendix A for information on TAWS alerts and annunciations.

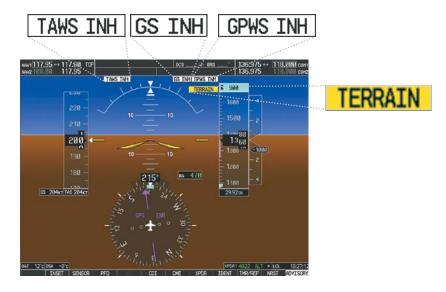


Figure 2-45 Example TAWS-A Annunciations

#### **ALTITUDE ALERTING**

The Altitude Alerting function provides the pilot with visual and aural alerts when approaching the Selected Altitude. Whenever the Selected Altitude is changed, the Altitude Alerter is reset. The Altitude Alerter is independent of the GFC 700 AFCS, but aural and visual alerts are generated only when the GFC 700 is installed. The following occur when approaching the Selected Altitude:

- Upon passing through 1000 feet of the Selected Altitude, the Selected Altitude (shown above the Altimeter) changes to black text on a light blue background, flashes for 5 seconds, and an aural tone is generated.
- When the aircraft passes within 200 ft of the Selected Altitude, the Selected Altitude changes to light blue text on a black background and flashes for 5 seconds.
- After reaching the Selected Altitude, if the pilot flies outside the deviation band (±200 feet of the Selected Altitude), the Selected Altitude changes to yellow text on a black background, flashes for 5 seconds, and an aural tone is generated.



Figure 2-46 Altitude Alerting Visual Annunciations



#### LOW ALTITUDE ANNUNCIATION



**NOTE:** The Low Altitude Annunciation is available only when an SBAS signal (such as WAAS, EGNOS, or MSAS) is available and the pilot has inhibited TAWS alerts.

When the Final Approach Fix (FAF) is the active waypoint in a GPS SBAS approach using vertical guidance, a Low Altitude Annunciation may appear if the current aircraft altitude is at least 164 feet below the prescribed altitude at the FAF. A black-on-yellow 'LOW ALT' annunciation appears to the top right of the Altimeter, flashing for several seconds then remaining displayed until the condition is resolved.



Figure 2-47 Low Altitude on GPS SBAS Approach

#### MINIMUM DESCENT ALTITUDE/DECISION HEIGHT ALERTING

For altitude awareness, a barometric, radar altimeter, or temperature compensated Minimum Descent Altitude (MDA) or Decision Height (DH) can be set in the Timer/References Window and is reset when the power is cycled. When active, the altitude setting is displayed to the bottom left of the Altimeter. Once the altitude is within the range of the tape, a bug appears at the reference altitude on the Altimeter. The following visual annunciations occur when approaching the MDA/DH:

- When the aircraft altitude descends to within 2500 feet of the MDA/DH setting, the BARO MIN, RA MIN, or COMP MIN box appears with the altitude in light blue (or magenta for COMP MIN) text. The bug appears on the altitude tape in light blue (or magenta for COMP MIN) once in range.
- When the aircraft passes through 100 feet of the MDA/DH, the bug and text turn white.
- Once the aircraft reaches MDA/DH, the bug and text turn yellow and the aural alert, "Minimums. Minimums", is heard.



Figure 2-48 Barometric MDA/DH Alerting Visual Annunciations

Alerting is inhibited while the aircraft is on the ground and until the aircraft reaches 150 feet above the MDA. If the aircraft proceeds to climb after having reached the MDA, once it reaches 50 feet above the MDA, alerting is disabled.



The MDA/DH may be set from either PFD and is synchronized on both PFDs. The function is reset when the power is cycled or a new approach is activated.

## Setting the barometric Minimum Descent Altitude/Decision Height and bug:

- 1) Press the TMR/REF Softkey.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Minimums field.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select BARO, TEMP COMP, or RAD ALT. OFF is selected by default. Press the **ENT** Key or turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the next field.
- **4)** Use the small **FMS** Knob to enter the desired altitude (from zero to 16,000 feet when BARO or TEMP COMP is selected, or up to 2,500 feet when 'RAD ALT' is selected).
- **5)** If TEMP COMP was selected, press the **ENT** Key or turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the next field and then enter the temperature (-59°C to 59°C)
- **6)** To remove the window, press the **CLR** Key or the **TMR/REF** Softkey.

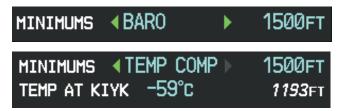


Figure 2-49 BARO and TEMP COMP MDA/DH



#### RADAR ALTIMETER

When the radar height (the aircraft altitude above ground level detected by the radar altimeter) is between zero and 2500 feet, the current value is displayed in green to the right of the current aircraft heading (Figure 2-50). Display of radar height becomes more sensitive as the height above ground decreases (Table 2-4).

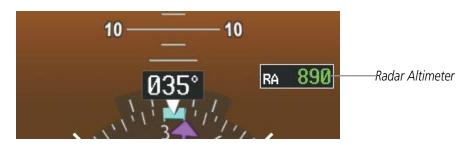


Figure 2-50 Current Radar Height

Radar Height Range	Shown to Nearest
0 to 200 feet	5 feet
200 to 1500 feet	10 feet
1500 to 2500 feet	50 feet

**Table 2-4 Radar Altimeter Sensitivity** 

When the radar altimeter is selected as the altitude source for the minimum descent altitude alerting function (Figure 2-51), the color of the radar height changes to yellow upon reaching at or below the MDA/DH (Figure 2-52).

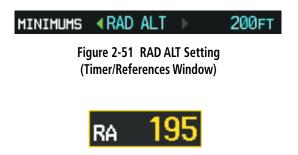


Figure 2-52 RA as Altitude Source for MDA/DH

A ground line (Figure 2-53) is shown on the Altimeter to display the aircraft's height relative to the ground. If the data becomes invalid, the message "RA FAIL" is displayed in yellow in the RA box (Figure 2-54). The Radar Altimeter test is done on the MFD but is displayed on the PFDs to the right of the current heading (Figure 2-55).



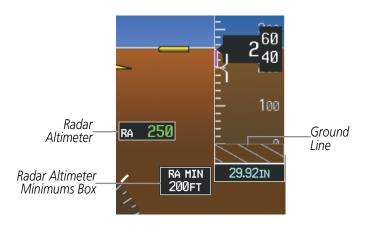


Figure 2-53 Altimeter Displaying the Ground Line (RAD ALT)



Figure 2-54 Radar Altimeter with Invalid Data

## **Enabling/Disabling the Radar Altimeter Test Mode:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX page group on the MFD.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Status Page.
- **3)** Press the **RA TEST** Softkey to enable or disable the test.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to choose 'Enable RA Test Mode' or 'Disable RA Test Mode' (choice dependent on current state).
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.

When test mode is active, 'RA TEST' is annunciated above the RA box and 40 feet will be displayed in the RA box.



Figure 2-55 Radar Altimeter with Test Annunciation



# 2.4 ABNORMAL OPERATIONS

## ABNORMAL GPS CONDITIONS

The annunciations listed in Table 2-5 can appear on the HSI when abnormal GPS conditions occur; see Figure 2-56 for examples. Refer to the Flight Management Section for more information on Dead Reckoning (DR) Mode.

Annunciation	Location	Description
LOI	Lower left of aircraft symbol	Loss of Integrity Monitoring—GPS integrity is insufficient for the current phase of flight
INTEG OK	Lower left of aircraft symbol	Integrity OK–GPS integrity has been restored to within normal limits (annunciation displayed for 5 seconds)
DR	Upper right of aircraft symbol	Dead Reckoning—System is using projected position rather than GPS position to compute navigation data and sequence active flight plan waypoints

Table 2-5 Abnormal GPS Conditions Annunciated on HSI





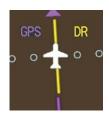


Figure 2-56 Example HSI Annunciations

DR Mode causes the following items on the PFD to be shown in yellow:

- CDI (when GPS is the selected navigation source; removed after 20 minutes in DR mode operation)
- Current Track Indicator
- Wind data and pointers in the Wind Data Box on the PFD
- GPS bearing pointers
- Distances in the Bearing Information windows
- Active Flight Plan distances, bearings, and ETE values
   The accuracy items should be verified when operating in DR Mode.



# **DIRECTIONAL GYRO (DG) MODE**

DG Mode allows the pilot to manually input a heading value. While DG Mode is not active, a yellow heading value annunciation indicates that reliable magnetic variation data is unavailable.

## **Selecting DG Mode:**

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- **2)** Press the **HDG MODE** Softkey.
- 3) Press the **DG FREE** Softkey to activate DG mode. Press the **DG SLAVE** Softkey to deactivate DG mode.



Figure 2-57 DG Mode Softkeys



Figure 2-58 DG Mode

Once active, 'FREE' is annunciated to the left of the heading value on the HSI. While in DG Mode and reliable magnetic variation data is not available, the heading value is cyan. While in DG Mode and reliable magnetic variation data is available, the heading value is yellow. The HDG-, HDG+, HDG SYNC, and TRACK SYNC keys are enabled, and can be operated as follows:

- Pressing the HDG- or HDG+ softkey to slew the heading up or down.
- Pressing the HDG SYNC Bug softkey to sychronize the heading to the current selected heading
- Pressing the TRACK SYNC softkey to synchronize the heading to the current track



#### **UNUSUAL ATTITUDES**

When the aircraft enters an unusual pitch attitude, red extreme pitch warning chevrons pointing toward the horizon are displayed on the Attitude Indicator, starting at 50° above and 30° below the horizon line.



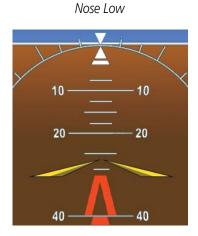


Figure 2-59 Pitch Attitude Warnings

If pitch exceeds +30°/-20° or bank exceeds 65°, some information displayed on the PFD is removed. The Altimeter and Airspeed, Attitude, Vertical Speed, and Horizontal Situation indicators remain on the display and the Bearing Information, Alerts, and Annunciation windows can be displayed during such situations. The following information is removed from the PFD (and corresponding softkeys are disabled) when the aircraft experiences unusual attitudes:

- Traffic Annunciations
- AFCS Annunciations
- Flight director Command Bars
- Inset Map
- Outside Air Temperature (OAT)
- International Standard Atmosphere Temperature (ISA)
- DME Information Window (optional)
- Wind data

- Transponder Status Box
- PFD Setup Menu
- Windows displayed in the lower right corner of the PFD:
  - Timer/References
  - Nearest Airports
  - Flight Plan
  - Alerts
  - Procedures
  - DME Tuning (optional)

- Minimum Descent Altitude/ Decision Height readout
- Vertical Deviation, Glideslope, and Glidepath Indicators
- Altimeter Barometric Setting
- Selected Altitude
- VNV Target Altitude
- System Time



## **SECTION 3 ENGINE INDICATION SYSTEM**

The G1000 Engine Indication System (EIS) displays critical engine and fuel flow parameters on the left side of the Multi Function Display (MFD) during normal operations (Figure 3-1). In Reversionary Mode, the display(s) are configured to combine the Primary Flight Display (PFD) symbology with the EIS (Figure 3-12).

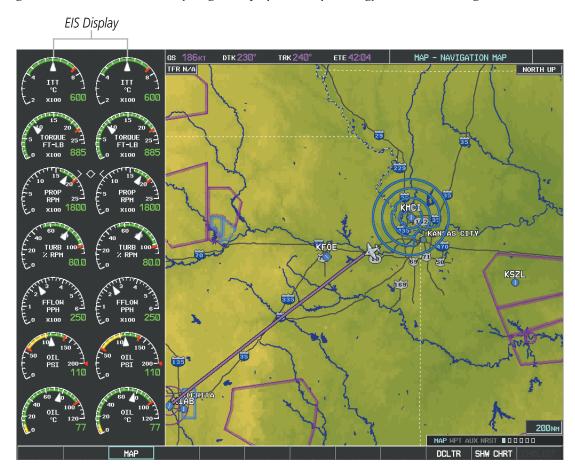


Figure 3-1 MFD (Normal Mode)

EIS information is presented using gauges and digital readouts. Green bands on the instrument scales indicate normal ranges of operation; yellow and red bands indicate caution and warning, respectively. White or uncolored bands indicate areas outside of normal operation not yet in the caution or warning ranges (except for the Fuel Flow gauges, which do not display bands). During normal operating conditions, an instrument's pointer appears in white and the readout text is green.

When an unsafe operating condition occurs, the pointer and readout color change to yellow or red, indicating a caution or warning. If a cautionary time limit is exceeded, the pointers and digits may flash red, even if the parameter is still within in the cautionary range. If the sensor data for a parameter becomes invalid or unavailable, a red 'X' is displayed across the indicator and/or readout. If the sensor data for a parameter is out of range, dashes '----' are displayed instead of a readout.



# 3.1 EIS DISPLAY



**NOTE:** The gauges displayed and the values shown in this section are taken from an example Beechcraft 200/B200 configuration. Refer to the Pilot's Operating Handbook (POH) and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual (AFM) for specific values and operating limitations.

1	Interstage Turbine Temperature (ITT)	Displays Interstage Turbine Temperature in degrees Celsius (°C)
2	Torque (FT-LB)	Displays torque in foot-pounds
3	Tachometer (PROP RPM)	Displays propeller speed in revolutions per minute (rpm); the red band indicates propeller overspeed
4	Propeller Sync	Displays a diamond when propellers are in sync. Indicates when propellers are out of sync by the diamond transitioning to an arrowhead. The arrowhead points towards the propeller turning at a higher-speed.
5	Turbine Speed (% RPM)	Displays turbine speed in a percentage of the revolutions per minute (rpm)
6	Fuel Flow (FFLOW PPH)	Displays current fuel flow in pounds per hour (pph)
7	Oil Pressure (OIL PSI)	Displays pressure of oil supplied to the engines in pounds per square inch (psi)
8	Oil Temperature (OIL °C)	Displays the oil temperature in degrees Celsius (°C)



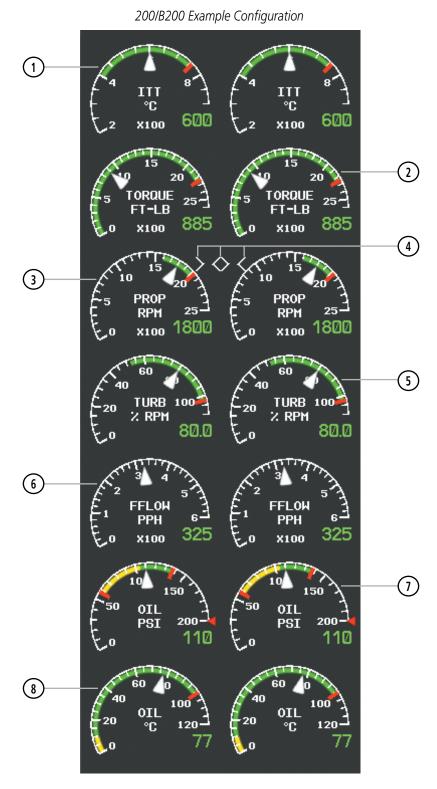
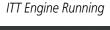


Figure 3-2 EIS Display (Normal Mode)



### INTERSTAGE TURBINE TEMPERATURE

The Interstage Turbine Temperature (ITT) Gauge is displayed at the top of the EIS strip. This gauge differs for engine start and running conditions. Values between 200 and 1200 degrees Celsius (°C) are shown at engine start; values change to 200 to 900 °C once the engine has stabilized. A red triangle is displayed at 1000 °C during engine start to indicate maximum starting ITT. If the ITT remains above 750 °C (red tick mark) for more than 5 seconds, a warning condition occurs.





ITT Engine Start



Figure 3-3 ITT Gauge

## **TORQUE**

The Torque Gauge displays engine power in foot-pounds and is located beneath the ITT gauge. The values range from 0 FT-LB to 2600 FT-LB If the torque remains above 2230 FT-LB for more than 5 seconds, a warning condition occurs.



Figure 3-4 Torque Gauge



## **TACHOMETER (RPM)**

The Tachometer is located beneath the Torque gauge and displays the propeller speed in revolutions per minute (RPM) from 0 to 2500. A propeller overspeed is indicated if the propeller speed exceeds the maximum safe operating speed (red tick mark). The Tachometer is equipped with a propeller sync indicator, which points towards the higher-speed propeller when propellers are out of sync. The indicator changes linearly with RPM difference between the left and right propellers. A full diamond is displayed when the propellers are synchronized and transitions to a full arrowhead when the difference is greater or equal to 50 rpm.



Figure 3-5 Propellers Synchronized



Figure 3-6 Propellers Out of Sync (less than 50 rpm)



Figure 3-7 Propellers Out of Sync (greater than or equal to 50 rpm)



## **TURBINE SPEED**

The Turbine Speed Gauge is located beneath the Tachometer. The gauge range is from 0 to 110%.



Figure 3-8 Turbine Speed Gauge

## **FUEL FLOW**

The Fuel Flow Gauge is displayed beneath the Turbine Speed gauge. Fuel Flow is displayed in pounds per hour (pph) from 0 to 600 pph.



Figure 3-9 Fuel Flow Gauge



### **OIL PRESSURE**

The Oil Pressure Gauge is located beneath the Fuel Flow gauge. Oil pressure is displayed in pounds per square inch (psi) from 0 to 200 psi. Safe operating pressure is more than 90 psi and less than 135 psi (*varies based on altitude above FL210 and type of engines installed; refer to the AFM*). A red triangle represents the maximum oil transient pressure at 200 psi.

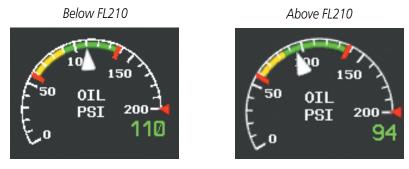


Figure 3-10 Oil Pressure Gauge

## **OIL TEMPERATURE**

The Oil Temperature Gauge is located beneath the Oil Pressure gauge. Oil temperature is displayed in degrees Celsius (°C).

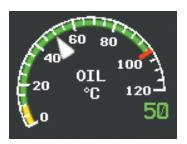


Figure 3-11 Oil Temperature Gauge



## 3.2 EIS DISPLAY IN REVERSIONARY MODE

PFD1 will revert to reversionary (or backup) mode automatically during an MFD failure in flight. In the event of PFD1 or PFD2 failure, the Display Backup button must be pressed to enter reversionary mode. Reversionary mode is a mode of operation in which all important flight information is presented identically on at least one of the operating displays (see Figure 3-12). Transition to reversionary mode should be straightforward for the pilot. Flight parameters are presented in the same format as in normal mode (refer to the System Overview for information about display Reversionary Mode).



Figure 3-12 Reversionary Mode (200/B200)

In the event of display failure, the display modes are as follows:

- **PFD1 failure** Press the Display Backup button on the left Audio Panel. MFD enters reversionary mode; PFD2 remains in normal mode.
- MFD failure Press the Display Backup buttons on both Audio Panels. PFD1 and PFD2 enter reversionary mode.
- **PFD2 failure** Press the Display Backup button on the right Audio Panel. MFD enters reversionary mode; PFD1 remains in normal mode.



Figure 3-13 Display Backup Button



### REVERSIONARY DISPLAY

The EIS Reversionary Mode Display gauges have a different shape and share one title (i.e. ITT, TORQUE) for each pair of gauges. White tick marks are displayed only at the minimum and maximum values. Green bands on the instrument scales indicate normal ranges of operation; yellow and red bands indicate caution and warning, respectively. No minor tick marks or numeric labels are displayed. Prop Synchronization information is not displayed while in Reversionary Mode.



**NOTE:** The gauges displayed and the values shown in this section are taken from an example Beechcraft 200/B200 configuration. Refer to the Pilot's Operating Handbook (POH) and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual (AFM) for specific values and operating limitations.



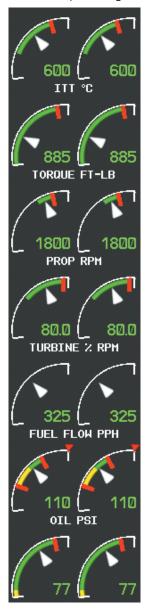


Figure 3-14 EIS Reversionary Mode Display



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# **SECTION 4 AUDIO PANEL AND CNS**

## 4.1 OVERVIEW

The Communication/Navigation/Surveillance (CNS) system includes the Audio Panels, communication radios, navigation radios, and Mode S transponders. The System Overview Section provides a block diagram description of the Audio Panels and CNS system interconnection.

CNS operation in the Beechcraft 200/B200 Series is performed by the following Line Replaceable Units (LRUs):

- Primary Flight Display (PFD) (2)
- Multi Function Display (MFD)
- Integrated Avionics Unit (2)

- Audio Panel (2)
- Mode S Transponder (2)
- Control Unit

The PFD and Control Unit controls are used to tune the communication transceivers and navigation radios.

The two Audio Panels provide the traditional audio selector functions of microphone and receiver audio selection. Each Audio Panel includes a two position intercom system (ICS) between the pilot and copilot, a marker beacon system, and a COM clearance recorder. Ambient noise from the aircraft radios is reduced by a feature called Master Avionics Squelch (MASQ). When no audio is detected, MASQ processing further reduces the amount of background noise from the radios.

The Mode S Transponders are controlled with softkeys and the **FMS** Knobs. The Transponder Data Box is located to the left of the System Time Box. The data box displays the selected transponder, the active four-digit code, mode, and a reply status (Figure 4-1).

### AUDIO PANEL VOLUME CONTROL

Adjusting the master volume control affects all radio audio volume and airframe type warnings that are heard in the headsets (not the speaker) for the pilot or copilot side Audio Panel. Radio adjustments made on the PFD controls to compensate for the master volume change on the Audio Panel also affect the radio levels for the other pilot. Independent radio volume adjustments made using the Audio Panel Master Volume controls affect only the audio heard in the corresponding crew position headset.

Radio volume adjustments may be overridden by each crew position independently using the master volume control on the Audio Panel for the respective crew position. In addition, the master volume control for each Audio Panel affects all other system audio output to its designated crew position headset much like volume adjustments found on many aviation headsets.



# PFD CONTROLS AND FREQUENCY DISPLAY



Figure 4-1 PFD Controls, NAV/COM Frequency Tuning Boxes, and DME Tuning Window



- 1) **NAV VOL/ID Knob** Controls NAV audio volume level. Press to turn the Morse code identifier audio on and off. Volume level is shown in the NAV frequency field as a percentage.
- 2 NAV Frequency Transfer Key Transfers the standby and active NAV frequencies.
- (3) **NAV Knob** Tunes the standby frequencies for the NAV receiver (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz). Press to move the frequency selected for tuning (light blue numbers) and the Frequency Transfer Arrow between NAV1 and NAV2.
- **NAV Frequency Box** Displays NAV standby and active frequency fields, volume, and station ID. The frequency of the NAV radio selected for navigation is displayed in green.
- **COM Frequency Box** Displays COM standby and active frequency fields and volume. The selected COM transceiver frequency is displayed in green.
- **6 COM Knob** Tunes the standby frequencies for the COM transceiver (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz). Press to move the frequency selected for tuning (light blue numbers) and the Frequency Transfer Arrow between COM1 and COM2.
- (7) **COM Frequency Transfer Key** Transfers the standby and active COM frequencies. Press and hold this key for two seconds to tune the emergency frequency (121.500 MHz) automatically into the active frequency field.
- **8 COM VOL/SQ Knob** Controls COM audio volume level. Press to turn the COM automatic squelch on and off. Volume level is shown in the COM frequency field as a percentage.
- (9) **DME Tuning Window** Displays DME frequency pairing mode. Display by selecting the **DME** Softkey.
- 10 ENT Key Validates or confirms DME pairing mode and Auto-tune selection.
- (1) **FMS Knob** Flight Management System Knob, used to enter transponder codes, select DME modes, and Auto-tune entries when DME Tuning Window or NRST Window is present. Press the **FMS** Knob to turn the selection cursor on and off. The large knob moves the cursor in the window. The small knob selects individual characters for the highlighted cursor location.
- **Transponder Data Box** Indicates the selected transponder code, operating mode, reply, and ident status for the applicable transponder.
- (13) **DME Softkey** Displays the DME Tuning Window.



### **AUDIO PANEL CONTROLS**

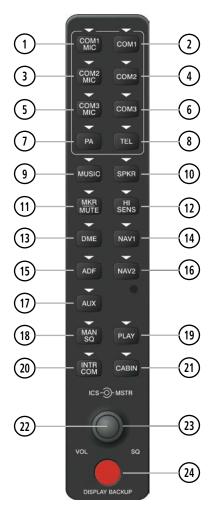


Figure 4-2 Audio Panel Controls

- **NOTE:** When a key is selected, a triangular annunciator above the key is illuminated.
- **COM1 MIC** Selects the #1 transmitter for transmitting. COM1 receive is simultaneously selected when this key is pressed allowing received audio from the #1 COM receiver to be heard. COM2 receive can be added by pressing the **COM2** Key.
- **2 COM1** When selected, audio from the #1 COM receiver can be heard.
- **3) COM2 MIC** Selects the #2 transmitter for transmitting. COM2 receive is simultaneously selected when this key is pressed allowing received audio from the #2 COM receiver to be heard. COM1 receive can be added by pressing the **COM1** Key.
- (4) **COM2** When selected, audio from the #2 COM receiver can be heard.
- **5 COM3 MIC** Reserved for optional COM radio.



- **6) COM3** Reserved for optional COM radio.
- 7 **PA** Selects the passenger address system. The selected COM transmitter is deselected when the **PA** Key is pressed.
- (8) **TEL** When selected, activates the SATCOM transceiver enabling telephone audio and MIC.
- (9) MUSIC Toggles the Music 1 input on or off. Pressing and holding toggles music muting on or off.
- (10) **SPKR** Selects and deselects the on-side flight deck speaker. COM and NAV receiver audio can be heard on the speaker.
- (1) **MKR/MUTE** Selects marker beacon receiver audio. Mutes the currently received marker beacon receiver audio. Unmutes automatically when new marker beacon audio is received.
- 12 HI SENS Press to increase marker beacon receiver sensitivity. Press again to return to low sensitivity.
- (13) **DME** Turns optional DME audio on or off.
- (14) NAV1 When selected, audio from the #1 NAV receiver can be heard.
- (15) **ADF** Turns optional ADF receiver audio on or off.
- (16) NAV2 When selected, audio from the #2 NAV receiver can be heard.
- (17) **AUX** Not used in Beechcraft 200/B200 Series aircraft.
- (18) MAN SQ Enables manual squelch for the intercom. When the intercom is active, press the **ICS** Knob to illuminate SQ. Turn the **ICS** Knob to adjust squelch.
- (19) **PLAY** Press once to play the last recorded COM audio. Press again to stop playing. Press twice within 0.5 second while audio is playing and the previous block of recorded audio will be played. Each subsequent two presses within 0.5 second plays each previously recorded block.
- (20) INTR COM Selects and deselects the pilot/copilot intercom on both Audio Panels.
- (21) **CABIN** Initiates intercom communications with passengers in the cabin.
- **1CS Knob** Turn to adjust intercom volume or squelch. Press to switch between volume and squelch control as indicated by illumination of VOL or SQ. The **MAN SQ** Key must be selected to allow squelch adjustment.
- (23) MSTR Knob The Master Volume Control adjusts volume for the blended NAV, COM, intercom audio, and alert warnings.
- (24) **DISPLAY BACKUP Button** Manually selects PFD/MFD Reversionary Mode.



### **CONTROL UNIT**

The Control Unit is a pedestal-mounted interface allowing MFD operation, data entry, COM and NAV tuning, and transponder control. Many procedures can be performed using the Control Unit rather than the display bezel controls. Annunciators beside the **FMS**, **XPDR**, **COM**, and **NAV** keys illuminate when their respective control modes are selected. The unit is in FMS control mode by default on system power-up.

The appropriate frequency box on the selected display is outlined by a light blue selection box, which flashes for a few seconds to indicate control unit activity. Selection of a different display control or radio tuning mode results in cancelation of the previous radio tuning mode.



Figure 4-3 Control Unit

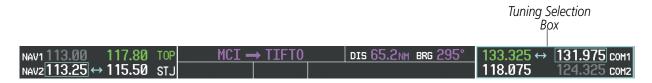


Figure 4-4 Frequency Tuning with the Control Unit



- (1) **CLR Key** Erases information, cancels entries, or removes menus. Press and hold to activate the Navigation Map Page on the MFD
- (2) **MENU Key** Displays a list of options for accessing additional features or making setting changes.
- 3 ENT Key Validates or confirms a menu selection or data entry.
- **FMS Knob** Flight Management System Knob. This knob provides tuning capability for the COM and NAV radios when the appropriate **COM** or **NAV** key is pressed. When the **XPDR** Key is pressed, the transponder code may be entered using the **FMS** Knob. The large knob moves the cursor in the window. The small knob selects individual characters for the highlighted cursor location.
- 5 **FMS Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to control FMS functions on the MFD. When pressed, an annunciator next to the key illuminates indicating adjustment of the **FMS** Knob will now affect FMS functions.
- **COM Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to control tuning of the COM radios. The first press will select COM1, as indicated by an illuminated "1" to the left of the key. Press again to select COM2. This is annunciated with a "2" to the right of the key. Each subsequent press of the **COM** Key will switch between COM1 and COM2. Use the **FMS** Knob to tune the selected COM The COM Tuning Selection Box is outlined with a light blue line when the COM frequency is active on the control unit (Figure 4-4).
- 7 Frequency Transfer Key (EMERG) Transfers the standby and active COM or NAV frequencies. Press and hold for two seconds to tune the emergency frequency (121.500 MHz) automatically into the COM active frequency field.
- **NAV Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to control tuning of the NAV radios. The first press will select NAV1, as indicated by an illuminated "1" to the left of the key. Press again to select NAV2. This is annunciated with a "2" to the right of the key. Each subsequent press of the **NAV** Key will switch between NAV1 and NAV2. Use the **FMS** Knob to tune the selected NAV. The NAV Tuning Selection Box is outlined with a light blue line when the NAV frequency is active on the control unit.
- (9) **XPDR Key** Sets the **FMS** Knob to enter transponder codes. When pressed, an annunciator next to the key illuminates indicating the **FMS** Knob can now be used for transponder code entry. Transponder code entry can be performed with either the number keypad or **FMS** Knob.
- **10 IDENT Key** Press to activate the IDENT function of the transponder. When the **IDENT** Key is pressed, a green IDNT indication is displayed in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box for 18 seconds.
- (11) **SEL Key** The center of this key activates the selected MFD softkey, while the right and left arrows move the softkey selection box to the right and left, respectively.
- 12 **Decimal Key** Enters a decimal point.
- (13) **BKSP Key** Moves cursor back one character space and removes last character entered.
- (14) **Alphanumeric Keys** Allows data entry (rather than using the **FMS** Knob to select characters/numbers).



## 4.2 COM OPERATION

### COM TRANSCEIVER SELECTION AND ACTIVATION



**NOTE:** During PA Mode, the COM MIC Annunciator is extinguished and the COM active frequency color changes to white, indicating that neither COM transmitter is active.



**NOTE:** When turning on the G1000 for use, the system remembers the last frequencies used and the active COM transceiver state prior to shutdown.

The COM Frequency Box is composed of four fields; the two active frequencies are on the left side and the two standby frequencies are on the right. The COM transceiver is selected for transmitting by pressing the **COM MIC** Keys on the Audio Panel. During reception of audio from the COM radio selected for transmission, audio from the other COM radio is muted.

An active COM frequency displayed in green indicates that the COM transceiver is selected on the Audio Panel (**COM1 MIC** or **COM2 MIC** Key). Both active COM frequencies appearing in white indicate that no COM radio is selected for transmitting (**PA** Key is selected on the Audio Panel).

Frequencies in the standby field are displayed in either white or gray. The standby frequency selected for tuning is white and outlined in cyan. The other standby frequency is gray.

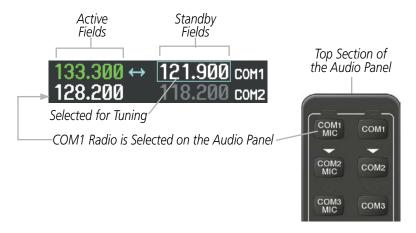


Figure 4-5 Selecting a COM Radio for Transmit

COM3 is reserved for an optional COM radio.



### TRANSMIT/RECEIVE INDICATIONS

During COM transmission, a white TX appears by the active COM frequency. On the Audio Panel, when the active COM is transmitting, the active transceiver **COM MIC** Key Annunciator flashes approximately once per second.

During COM signal reception, a white RX appears by the active COM frequency.



Figure 4-6 COM Radio Transmit and Receive Indications

When the same COM radio is selected on both Audio Panels, the pilot has transmit priority on COM1, the copilot has transmit priority on COM2.

### **COM TRANSCEIVER MANUAL TUNING**

The COM frequency controls and frequency boxes are on the right side of each PFD.

### Manually tuning a COM frequency:

- 1) Turn the **COM** Knob to tune the desired frequency (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz).
- **2)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the active field.
- **3)** Adjust the volume level with the COM **VOL/SQ** Knob.
- 4) Press the COM VOL/SQ Knob to turn automatic squelch on and off.



Figure 4-7 COM Frequency Tuning



### Manual COM frequency tuning from the Control Unit

- 1) Press the **COM** Key to enable the **FMS** Knob for COM tuning. The COM Tuning Selection Box is shown.
- **2)** Press the **COM** Key again, if needed, to select the desired COM radio (1 or 2).
- **3)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to tune the desired frequency in the COM Tuning Box (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz).

Or:

Press the numeric keys on the keypad to enter a Frequency.

4) Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the active field.

If an error is made during frequency entry with the numeric keypad, pressing the **BKSP** Key moves the cursor back one space. If an incorrect frequency is entered, reenter the correct one using the same procedure.

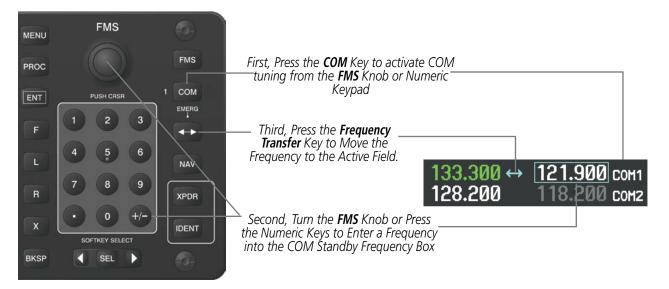


Figure 4-8 Frequency Tuning from the Control Unit



### **SELECTING THE RADIO TO BE TUNED**

Press the small **COM** Knob to move the COM Tuning Box and the Frequency Transfer Arrow between the COM radios.

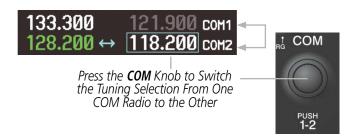


Figure 4-9 Switching COM Tuning Boxes

### **QUICK-TUNING AND ACTIVATING 121.500 MHZ**

Pressing and holding the COM **Frequency Transfer** Key for two seconds automatically loads the emergency COM frequency (121.500 MHz) in the active field of the COM radio selected for tuning (the one with the transfer arrow). In the example shown, pressing the Audio Panel **COM2 MIC** Key activates the transceiver.

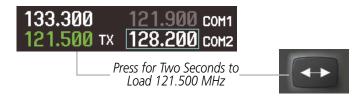


Figure 4-10 Quickly Tuning 121.500 MHz



## **AUTO-TUNING THE COM FREQUENCY**

COM frequencies can be automatically tuned from the following:

• Nearest Airports Window (PFD)

• NRST – Nearest Frequencies Page (ARTCC, FSS, WX)

• WPT – Airport Information Page

• NRST – Nearest Airspaces Page

• NRST – Nearest Airports Page

#### **AUTO-TUNING FROM THE PFD**

COM frequencies for the nearest airports can be automatically tuned from the Nearest Airports Window on the PFD. When the desired frequency is entered, it becomes a standby frequency. Pressing the **Frequency Transfer** Key places this frequency into the COM Active Frequency Field.

### Auto-tuning a COM frequency for a nearby airport from the PFD:

- 1) Select the **NRST** Softkey on the PFD to open the Nearest Airports Window. A list of 25 nearest airport identifiers and COM frequencies is displayed.
- **2)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to scroll through the list and highlight the desired COM frequency.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the COM frequency into the COM Standby Frequency Field.
- **4)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the COM Active Frequency Field.



Select the **NRST** Softkey to Open the Nearest Airports Window

Figure 4-11 Nearest Airports Window (PFD)



### AUTO-TUNING FROM THE MFD

Frequencies can be automatically loaded into the COM Frequency Box from pages in the NRST or WPT page group by highlighting the frequency and pressing the **ENT** Key (Figures 4-12, 4-13, and 4-14).

### **Auto-tuning a COM frequency from the WPT and NRST Pages:**

- 1) From any page that the COM frequency can be auto-tuned, activate the cursor by pressing the **FMS** Knob or selecting the appropriate softkey.
- 2) Turn the **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on the desired COM frequency (Figure 4-12).
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key to load the COM frequency into the standby field of the selected COM radio.
- **4)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key on either PFD to transfer the frequency to the COM Active Frequency Field.

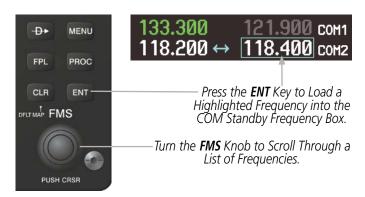


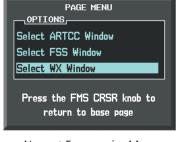
Figure 4-12 Frequency Auto-Tuning from the MFD

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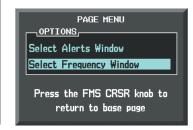
- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the page menu (Figure 4-13).
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the menu options.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to place the cursor on the desired selection.
- **4)** Scroll through the frequency selections with the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the COM frequency into the standby field of the selected COM radio.
- **6)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the COM Active Frequency Field.



Nearest Airports Menu



Nearest Frequencies Menu



Nearest Airspaces Menu

Figure 4-13 Nearest Pages Menus



On the WPT - Airport Information Page, the cursor can be placed on the frequency field by pressing the **FMS** Knob and scrolling through the list. The frequency is transferred to the COM Standby Field with the **ENT** Key.

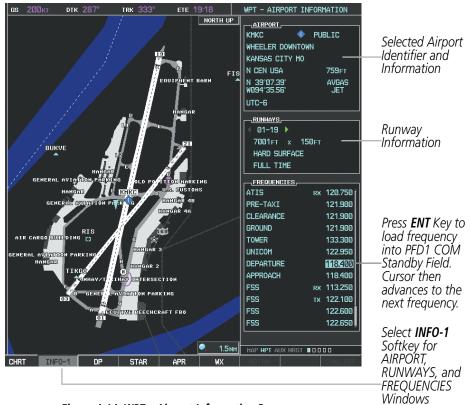


Figure 4-14 WPT – Airport Information Page



COM frequencies can also be auto-tuned from the NRST – Nearest Airspaces, NRST – Nearest Frequencies, and NRST – Nearest Airports Pages on the MFD in a similar manner using the appropriate softkeys or **MENU** Key, the **FMS** Knob, and the **ENT** Key.



Figure 4-15 NRST – Nearest Airspaces, NRST – Nearest Airports, and NRST – Nearest Frequencies Pages



### FREQUENCY SPACING

The G1000 COM radios can tune either 25-kHz spacing (118.000 to 136.975 MHz) or 8.33-kHz spacing (118.000 to 136.990 MHz) for 760-channel or 3040-channel configuration. When 8.33-kHz channel spacing is selected, all of the 25-kHz channel spacing frequencies are also available in the complete 3040-channel list.

COM channel spacing is set on the System Setup 1 Page of the AUX Page Group.



Figure 4-16 COM Channel Spacing

### **Changing COM frequency channel spacing:**

- 1) Select the AUX System Setup 1 Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Channel Spacing Field in the COM Configuration Box.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired channel spacing.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the channel spacing selection.

While the COM CONFIG Window is selected, the G1000 softkeys are blank.

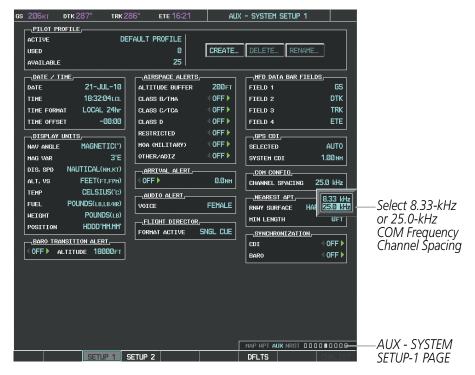


Figure 4-17 AUX – System Setup 1 Page



## **AUTOMATIC SQUELCH**

Automatic Squelch quiets unwanted static noise when no radio transmission is received, while still providing good sensitivity to weak COM signals. To disable Automatic Squelch, press the **VOL/SQ** Knob. When Automatic Squelch is disabled, COM audio reception is always on. Continuous static noise is heard over the headsets and speaker, if selected. Pressing the **VOL/SQ** Knob again enables Automatic Squelch.

When Automatic Squelch is disabled, a white RX appears next to the COM frequency.



Figure 4-18 Overriding Automatic Squelch

### **VOLUME**

COM radio volume level can be adjusted from 0 to 100% using the **VOL/SQ** Knob. Turning the knob clockwise increases volume, turning the knob counterclockwise decreases volume. When adjusting volume, the level is displayed in place of the standby frequencies. Volume level indication remains for two seconds after the change.



Figure 4-19 COM Volume Level



## 4.3 NAV OPERATION

### NAV RADIO SELECTION AND ACTIVATION

The NAV Frequency Box is composed of four fields; two standby fields and two active fields. The active frequencies are on the right side and the standby frequencies are on the left.

A NAV radio is selected for navigation by selecting the **CDI** Softkey located on the PFD. The active NAV frequency selected for navigation is displayed in green. Selecting the **CDI** Softkey once selects NAV1 as the navigation radio. Selecting the **CDI** Softkey a second time selects NAV2 as the navigation radio. Selecting the **CDI** Softkey a third time activates GPS mode. Selecting the **CDI** Softkey again cycles back to NAV1.

While cycling through the **CDI** Softkey selections, the selected NAV standby frequency is selected for tuning, the Frequency Transfer Arrow is placed in the selected NAV Frequency Field, and the active NAV frequency color changes to green.

The three navigation modes that can be cycled through are:

- VOR1 (or LOC1) If NAV1 is selected, a green single line arrow (not shown) labeled either VOR1 or LOC1 is displayed on the HSI and the active NAV1 frequency is displayed in green.
- VOR2 (or LOC2) If NAV2 is selected, a green double line arrow (shown) labeled either VOR2 or LOC2 is displayed on the HSI and the active NAV2 frequency is displayed in green.
- GPS If GPS Mode is selected, a magenta single line arrow (not shown) appears on the HSI and neither NAV radio is selected. Both active NAV frequencies are then displayed in white and the previously selected NAV standby frequency remains selected for tuning.

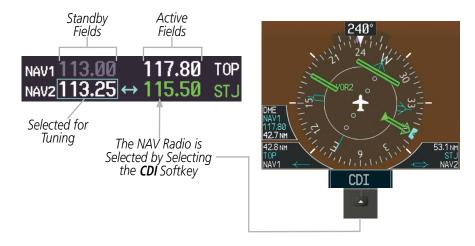


Figure 4-20 Selecting a NAV Radio for Navigation

See the Flight Instruments Section for selecting the DME and Bearing Information windows and using VOR or ADF as the source for the bearing pointer.



NAV radios are selected for listening by pressing the corresponding keys on the Audio Panel. Pressing the **NAV1**, **NAV2**, **ADF**, or **DME** Key selects and deselects the navigation radio source. Selected audio can be heard over the headset and the speakers (if selected). All radios can be selected individually or simultaneously.



Figure 4-21 Selecting a NAV Radio Receiver

### **NAV RECEIVER MANUAL TUNING**

The NAV frequency controls and frequency boxes are on the left side of the PFDs.

### Manually tuning a NAV frequency:

- 1) Turn the **NAV** Knob to tune the desired frequency in the NAV Tuning Box.
- **2)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the NAV Active Frequency Field.
- **3)** Adjust the volume level with the NAV **VOL/ID** Knob.
- 4) Press the NAV **VOL/ID** Knob to turn the Morse code identifier audio on and off.

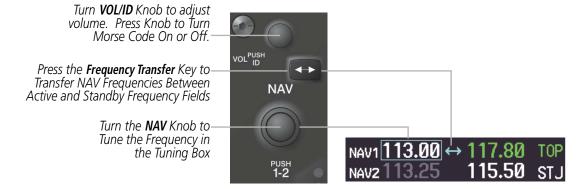


Figure 4-22 NAV Frequency Tuning



### Manual NAV frequency tuning from the Control Unit

- 1) Press the **NAV** Key to enable the **FMS** Knob for NAV tuning. The NAV Tuning Selection Box is shown.
- **2)** Press the **NAV** Key again, if needed, to select the desired NAV radio (1 or 2).
- **3)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to tune the desired frequency in the NAV Tuning Box (large knob for MHz; small knob for kHz).

Or:

Press the numeric keys on the keypad to enter a Frequency.

**4)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the active field.

If an error is made during frequency entry with the numeric keypad, pressing the **BKSP** Key moves the cursor back one space. If an incorrect frequency is entered, reenter the correct one using the same procedure.

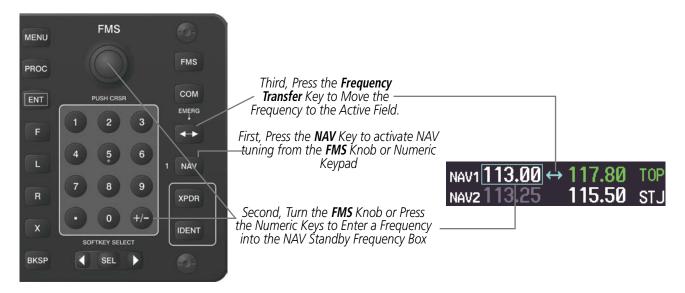


Figure 4-23 Frequency Tuning from the Control Unit



### SELECTING THE RADIO TO BE TUNED

Press the small **NAV** Knob to transfer the frequency tuning selection and the Frequency Transfer Arrow between NAV1 and NAV2.



Figure 4-24 Switching NAV Tuning Boxes

#### **VOR/LOC ID**

When the Morse code Identifier audio is on for a NAV radio, a white ID appears to the left of the active NAV frequency.

In the example shown, in order to listen to either station identifier, press the **NAV1** or **NAV2** Key on the Audio Panel. Pressing the **VOL/ID** Knob turns off the Morse code audio only in the radio selected for tuning (light blue numbers). To turn off both NAV IDs, transfer the tuning selection between NAV1 and NAV2 with the small **NAV** Knob and press the **VOL/ID** Knob again to turn the Morse code off in the other radio.



Figure 4-25 NAV Radio ID Indication

### **VOLUME**

NAV Radio volume level can be adjusted from 0 to 100% using the **VOL/ID** Knob. Turning the knob clockwise increases volume, counterclockwise decreases volume.

When adjusting, the level is displayed in place of the standby frequencies. Volume level indication remains for two seconds after the change.



Figure 4-26 NAV Volume Level



# **AUTO-TUNING A NAV FREQUENCY FROM THE MFD**

NAV frequencies can be selected and loaded from the following MFD pages:

- WPT Airport Information
- WPT VOR Information
- NRST Nearest Airports

- NRST Nearest VOR
- NRST Nearest Frequencies (FSS, WX)
- NRST Nearest Airspaces

The MFD provides auto-tuning of NAV frequencies from waypoint and nearest pages. During enroute navigation, the NAV frequency is entered automatically into the NAV standby frequency field. During approach activation the NAV frequency is entered automatically into the NAV active frequency field.

Frequencies can be automatically loaded into the NAV Frequency Box from pages in the NRST or WPT page group by highlighting the frequency and pressing the **ENT** Key (Figures 4-27, 4-28, and 4-29).

### Auto-tuning a NAV frequency from the WPT and NRST Pages:

- 1) From any page that the NAV frequency can be auto-tuned, activate the cursor by pressing the **FMS** Knob or the appropriate softkey.
- **2)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on the desired NAV identifier or NAV frequency.
- 3) On the Nearest VOR and Nearest Airports pages, press the **FREQ** Softkey to place the cursor on the NAV frequency (Figure 4-25).
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the NAV frequency into the standby field of the selected NAV radio.
- **5)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the NAV Active Frequency Field.



Figure 4-27 NAV Frequency Auto-Tuning from the MFD



Or:

- 1) When on the NRST pages, press the **MENU** Key on the MFD control unit to display the page menu.
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the menu options.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to place the cursor in the desired window.
- **4)** Scroll through the frequency selections with the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Press the ENT Key to load the NAV frequency into the standby field of the selected NAV radio.
- **6)** Press the **Frequency Transfer** Key to transfer the frequency to the NAV Active Frequency Field.

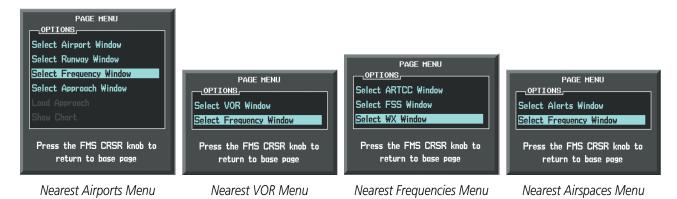


Figure 4-28 Nearest Pages Menus



In the example shown, the VOR list is selected with the **VOR** Softkey or from the page menu. The **FMS** Knob or **ENT** Key is used to scroll through the list. The cursor is placed on the frequency with the **FREQ** Softkey and loaded into the NAV Tuning Box with the **ENT** Key.

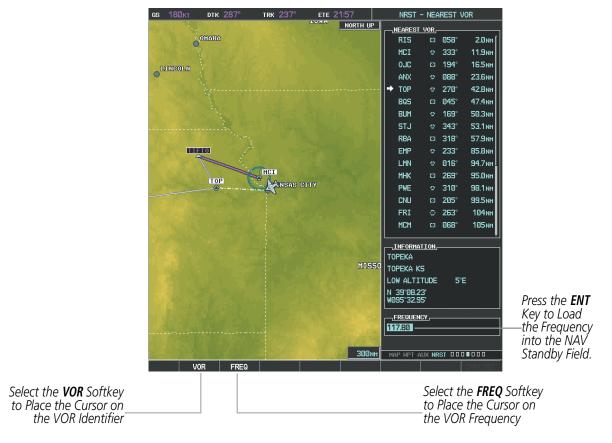


Figure 4-29 Loading the NAV Frequency from the NRST – Nearest VOR Page



While enroute, NAV frequencies can also be auto-tuned from the NRST – Nearest Airports, WPT – Airport Information, WPT – VOR Information, and NRST – Nearest Frequencies Pages on the MFD in a similar manner using the appropriate softkeys or **MENU** Key, the **FMS** Knob, and the **ENT** Key.

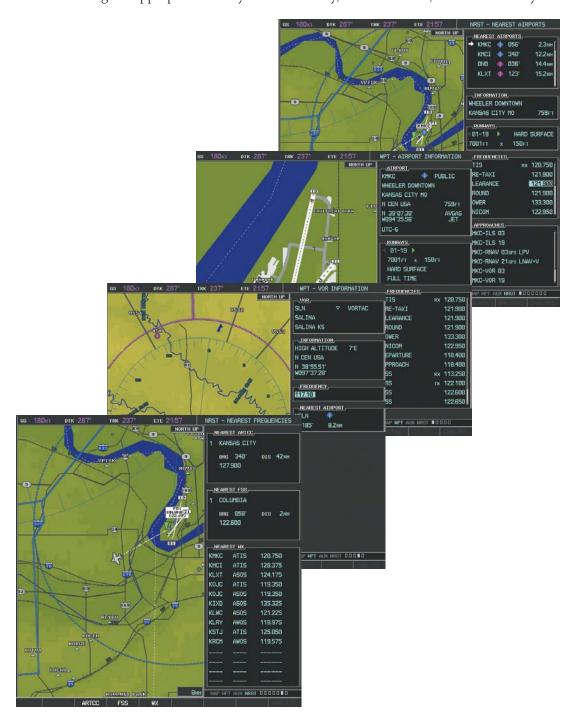


Figure 4-30 NRST – Nearest Frequencies, WPT – VOR Information, WPT – Airport Information, and NRST – Nearest Airports Pages



### **AUTO-TUNING NAV FREQUENCIES ON APPROACH ACTIVATION**



**NOTE:** The primary NAV frequency is auto-tuned upon loading a VOR or ILS/Localizer approach.



**NOTE:** When an ILS/LOC approach has been activated in GPS Mode, the system switches to NAV Mode as the final approach course is intercepted (within 15 nm of the FAF). See the Flight Management Section for details.

NAV frequencies are automatically loaded into the NAV Frequency field on approach activation, on both PFD1 and PFD2.

When loading or activating a VOR or ILS/LOC approach, the approach frequency is automatically transferred to a NAV frequency field as follows:

- If the current CDI navigation source is GPS, the approach frequency is transferred to the NAV1 or NAV2 active frequency fields. The frequency that was previously in the NAV1 or NAV2 active frequency fields are transferred to standby.
- If the current CDI navigation source is GPS, and if the approach frequency is already loaded into the NAV1 or NAV2 standby frequency field, the standby frequency is transferred to active.
- If the current CDI navigation source is NAV1 or NAV2, the approach frequency is transferred to the standby frequency fields of the selected CDI NAV radio.



### MARKER BEACON RECEIVER



**NOTE:** The marker beacon indicators operate independently of marker beacon audio and cannot be turned off.

The marker beacon receiver is used as part of an ILS. The marker beacon receiver is always on and detects any marker beacon signals within the reception range of the aircraft.

The receiver detects the three marker tones – outer, middle, and inner – and provides the marker beacon annunciations located to the left of the Altimeter on the PFD.

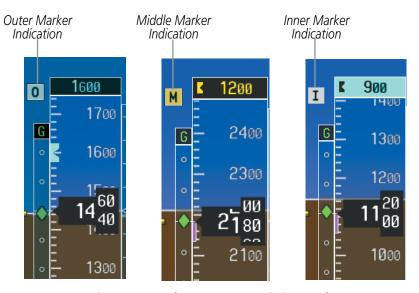


Figure 4-31 Marker Beacon Annunciations on the PFD



Figure 4-32 Marker Beacon Keys

The Audio Panels provide three different states of marker beacon operation; On, Muted, and Deselected. Pressing the **MKR/MUTE** Key selects and deselects marker beacon audio. The key annunciator indicates when marker beacon audio is selected.

During marker beacon audio reception, pressing the **MKR/MUTE** Key mutes the audio but does not affect the marker annunciations (Figure 4-31). The marker tone is silenced, then waits for the next marker tone. The **MKR/MUTE** Key Annunciator is illuminated, indicating audio muting. The audio returns when the next marker beacon signal is received. If the **MKR/MUTE** Key is pressed during signal reception (O, M, I indication) while marker beacon audio is muted, the audio is deselected and the **MKR/MUTE** Key Annunciator is extinguished.

Pressing the **HI SENS** Key switches between high and low marker beacon receiver sensitivity. The HI SENS function (annunciator illuminated) is used to provide an earlier indication when nearing a marker during an approach. The LO SENS function (annunciator extinguished) results in a narrower marker dwell while over a station.



### **DME TUNING**



**NOTE:** When turning on the G1000 for use, the system remembers the last frequency used for DME tuning and the NAV1, NAV2, or HOLD state prior to shutdown.

The G1000 System tunes the optional DME transceiver. The UHF DME frequency is tuned by pairing with a VHF NAV frequency. DME frequency pairing is automatic and only the VHF NAV frequency is shown.

The DME Tuning Window is located to the right of the HSI in the lower right corner of the PFD. The DME transceiver is tuned by selecting NAV1, NAV2, or HOLD in the DME Tuning Window. Pressing the **DME** Softkey switches the DME Tuning Window on and off.

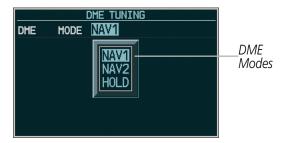


Figure 4-33 DME Tuning Window

The following DME transceiver pairing can be selected:

- NAV1 Pairs the DME frequency from the selected NAV1 frequency.
- NAV2 Pairs the DME frequency from the selected NAV2 frequency.
- HOLD When in the HOLD position, the DME frequency remains paired with the last selected NAV frequency.

### Selecting DME transceiver pairing:

- 1) Press the **DME** Softkey to display the DME Tuning Window.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the DME tuning mode.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the selection.

Pressing the **CLR** Key or **FMS** Knob while in the process of DME pairing cancels the tuning entry and reverts back to the previously selected DME tuning state. Pressing the **FMS** Knob activates/deactivates the cursor in the DME Tuning Window.

See the Flight Instruments Section for displaying the DME information window.



# 4.4 MODE S TRANSPONDERS

The GTX 33, GTX 33D (optional), GTX 33ES (optional), and GTX 3000 (optional) Mode S Transponders provide Mode A, Mode C, and Mode S interrogation and reply capabilities. Selective addressing or Mode Select (Mode S) capability includes the following features:

- Level-2 reply data link capability (used to exchange information between aircraft and ATC facilities)
- Surveillance identifier capability
- Flight ID (Flight Identification) reporting The Mode S Transponder reports aircraft identification as either the aircraft registration or a unique Flight ID.
- Altitude reporting
- Airborne status determination
- Transponder capability reporting
- Mode S Enhanced Surveillance (EHS) requirements
- Acquisition squitter Acquisition squitter, or short squitter, is the transponder 24-bit identification address. The transmission is sent periodically, regardless of the presence of interrogations. The purpose of acquisition squitter is to enable Mode S ground stations and aircraft equipped with a Traffic Avoidance System (TAS) to recognize the presence of Mode S-equipped aircraft for selective interrogation.
- Extended squitter Transmits the Automatic Dependent Surveillance-Broadcast (ADS-B) position, velocity, and heading information periodically without requiring an interrogation.

The Hazard Avoidance Section provides more details on traffic avoidance systems.

### GTX 33 TRANSPONDER CONTROLS

Transponder function is displayed on three levels of softkeys on the PFD: Top-level, Mode Selection, and Code Selection. When the top-level **XPDR** Softkey is selected, the Mode Selection softkeys appear: **XPDR1**, **XPDR2**, **STBY**, **ON**, **ALT**, **VFR**, **CODE**, **IDENT**, **BACK**.

When the **CODE** Softkey is selected, the number softkeys appear: **0**, **1**, **2**, **3**, **4**, **5**, **6**, **7**, **IDENT**, **BKSP**, **BACK**. The digits 8 and 9 are not used for code entry. Selecting the numbered softkeys in sequence enters the transponder code. If an error is made, selecting the **BKSP** Softkey moves the code selection cursor to the previous digit. Selecting the **BKSP** Softkey again moves the cursor to the next previous digit.

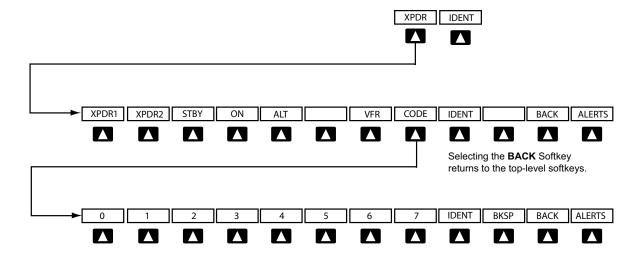
Selecting the **BACK** Softkey during code selection reverts to the Mode Selection Softkeys. Selecting the **BACK** Softkey during mode selection reverts to the top-level softkeys.

The code can also be entered with the **FMS** Knob on either PFD. Code entry must be completed with either the softkeys or the **FMS** Knob, but not a combination of both.

Selecting the **IDENT** Softkey while in Mode or Code Selection initiates the ident function and reverts to the top-level softkeys.

After 45 seconds of transponder control inactivity, the system reverts back to the top-level softkeys.





Selecting the **BACK** Softkey returns to the mode selection softkeys.

Figure 4-34 Transponder Softkeys (PFD)

### Selecting and activating Transponder 1 or Transponder 2:

- 1) Select the **XPDR** Softkey to display the Transponder Mode Selection Softkeys.
- 2) Select the **XPDR1** or **XPDR2** Softkey to select and activate the desired transponder.

When turning on the G1000 for use, the system activates Transponder 1 as the default unit, regardless of which transponder was active prior to shutdown. When switching between Transponder 1 and Transponder 2, the code and mode remain the same. If a new code is entered in the active transponder, switching transponders does not bring back the previous code.



## GTX 33 TRANSPONDER MODE SELECTION

Mode selection can be automatic (Ground and Altitude Modes) or manual (Standby, ON, and Altitude Modes). The **STBY**, **ON**, and **ALT** Softkeys can be accessed by selecting the **XPDR** Softkey.

# Selecting a transponder mode:

- 1) Select the **XPDR** Softkey to display the Transponder Mode Selection Softkeys.
- 2) Select the desired softkey to activate the transponder mode.

# **STANDBY MODE (MANUAL)**



### **NOTE:** In Standby Mode, the IDENT function is inhibited.

Standby Mode can be selected at any time by selecting the **STBY** Softkey. In Standby, the transponder does not reply to interrogations, but new codes can be entered. When Standby is selected, a white STBY indication and transponder code appear in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box. In all other modes, these fields appear in green.



Figure 4-35 Standby Mode

### MANUAL ON MODE

ON Mode can be selected at any time by selecting the **ON** Softkey. ON Mode generates Mode A and Mode S replies, but Mode C altitude reporting is inhibited. In ON Mode, a green ON indication and transponder code appear in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box.



Figure 4-36 ON Mode



# **ALTITUDE MODE (AUTOMATIC OR MANUAL)**

Altitude Mode is automatically selected when the aircraft becomes airborne. Altitude Mode may also be selected manually by selecting the **ALT** Softkey.

If Altitude Mode is selected, a green ALT indication and transponder code appear in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box, and all transponder replies requesting altitude information are provided with pressure altitude information.



Figure 4-37 Altitude Mode

#### **REPLY STATUS**

When the transponder sends replies to interrogations, a white R indication appears momentarily in the reply status field of the Transponder Data Box.



Figure 4-38 Reply Indication

# TCAS II TRANSPONDER CONTROLS (OPTIONAL)

Transponder function is displayed on three levels of softkeys on the PFD: Top-level, Transponder/Traffic Selection, and Mode Selection or Code Entry. When the top-level **XPDR/TFC** Softkey is selected, the Function Select softkeys appear: **XPDR1**, **XPDR2**, **MODE**, **TCAS**, **CODE**, **IDENT**, **BACK**.

When the **MODE** Softkey is selected, the Mode Selection softkeys appear: **STBY**, **ON**, **ALT**, **TA ONLY**, **TA/RA**, **BACK**.

When the **CODE** Softkey is selected, the number softkeys appear: **0**, **1**, **2**, **3**, **4**, **5**, **6**, **7**, **IDENT**, **BKSP**, **BACK**. The digits 8 and 9 are not used for code entry. Selecting the numbered softkeys in sequence enters the transponder code. If an error is made, selecting the **BKSP** Softkey moves the code selection cursor to the previous digit. Selecting the **BKSP** Softkey again moves the cursor to the next previous digit.

Selecting the **BACK** Softkey returns to the previous level softkeys.

The code can also be entered with the **FMS** Knob on either PFD. Code entry must be completed with either the softkeys or the **FMS** Knob, but not a combination of both.

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Selecting the **IDENT** Softkey while in Code Selection initiates the ident function and reverts to the top-level softkeys.

After 45 seconds of transponder control inactivity, the system reverts back to the top-level softkeys.

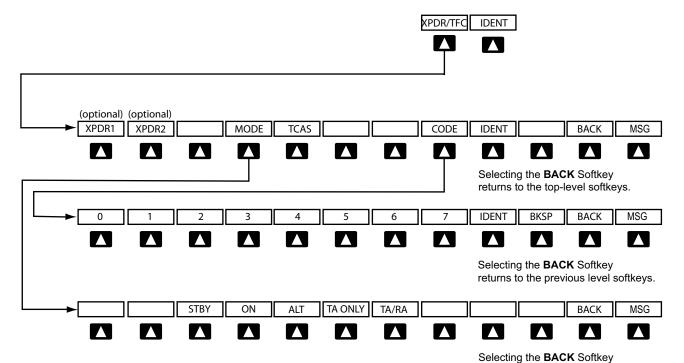


Figure 4-39 Transponder Softkeys (with TCAS II option)

# TCAS II TRANSPONDER MODE SELECTION (OPTIONAL)

Mode selection can be automatic (Altitude Mode) or manual (Standby, On, and Altitude Modes). The **STBY**, **ON**, **ALT**, **TA ONLY**, and **TA/RA** Softkeys can be accessed by selecting the **XPDR/TFC** Softkey, then the **MODE** Softkey.

## Selecting a transponder mode:

- 1) Select the **XPDR/TFC** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **MODE** Softkey to display the Transponder Mode Selection Softkeys.
- **3)** Select the desired softkey to activate the transponder mode (STBY, ON, or ALT).

### **Selecting a TCAS II mode:**

- 1) Select the XPDR/TFC Softkey.
- 2) Select the **MODE** Softkey to display the TCAS II Mode Selection Softkeys.
- 3) Select the desired softkey to activate the TCAS II mode (TA ONLY or TA/RA).



# **STANDBY MODE (MANUAL)**



**NOTE:** In Standby Mode, the IDENT function is inhibited. TCAS II is switched to Standby Mode, because the transponder is not capable of supporting TCAS II operation in Standby Mode.

Standby Mode can be selected at any time by selecting the **STBY** Softkey. In Standby, the transponder does not reply to interrogations, but new codes can be entered. When Standby is selected, a white STBY indication and transponder code appear in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box. In all other modes, these fields appear in green.



Figure 4-40 Standby Mode

# **ON MODE (MANUAL)**



**NOTE:** TCAS II is switched to Standby Mode, because the transponder is not capable of supporting TCAS II operation in On Mode.

ON Mode can be selected at any time by selecting the **ON** Softkey. ON Mode generates Mode A replies, but Mode C altitude reporting is inhibited. Acquisition squitter and replies to discretely addressed Mode S interrogations are also permitted. In ON Mode, a green ON indication and transponder code appear in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box.

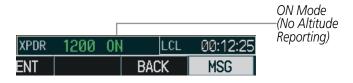


Figure 4-41 ON Mode



# ALTITUDE MODE (AUTOMATIC OR MANUAL)



**NOTE:** TCAS II is switched to Standby Mode when the altitude mode is manually selected using the **ALT** Softkey.

Altitude Mode is automatically selected when the aircraft becomes airborne. Altitude Mode may also be selected manually by selecting the **ALT** Softkey. ALT Mode generates Mode A and Mode C replies. Acquisition squitter and replies to discretely addressed Mode S interrogations are also permitted.

If Altitude Mode is selected, a green ALT indication and transponder code appear in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box, and all transponder replies requesting altitude information are provided with pressure altitude information

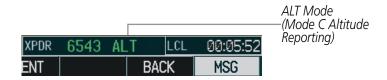


Figure 4-42 Altitude Mode

### ENTERING A TRANSPONDER CODE

### **Entering a transponder code with softkeys:**

- 1) Select the **XPDR** or **XPDR/TFC** Softkey to display the Transponder Mode Selection Softkeys.
- 2) Select the **CODE** Softkey to display the Transponder Code Selection Softkeys, for digit entry.
- 3) Select the digit softkeys to enter the code in the code field. When entering the code, the next softkey in sequence must be selected within 10 seconds, or the entry is cancelled and restored to the previous code. Selecting the BKSP Softkey moves the code selection cursor to the previous digit. Five seconds after the fourth digit has been entered, the transponder code becomes active.



Figure 4-43 Entering a Code

### Entering a transponder code with the PFD FMS Knob:

- 1) Select the **XPDR** or **XPDR/TFC** and the **CODE** Softkeys as in the previous procedure to enable code entry.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the first two code digits.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the next code field.
- **4)** Enter the last two code digits with the small **FMS** Knob.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete code digit entry.



Pressing the **CLR** Key or small **FMS** Knob before code entry is complete cancels code entry and restores the previous code. Waiting for 10 seconds after code entry is finished activates the code automatically.

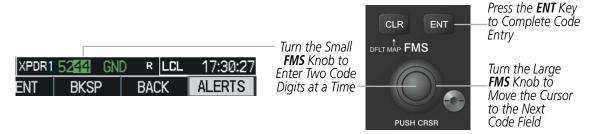


Figure 4-44 Entering a Code with the FMS Knob

# Manual code entry from the Control Unit

- 1) Press the **XPDR** Key to select the transponder code field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob on the PFD to enter the first two code digits, turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the last two digits, and turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the last two code digits.

Or:

Press the numeric keys on the keypad to enter a code.

If an error is made during code entry with the numeric keypad, pressing the **BKSP** Key moves the cursor back one space. If an incorrect code is entered, reenter the correct one using the same procedure.



Figure 4-45 Transponder Code Entry from the Control Unit



### VFR CODE

The VFR code can be entered either manually or by selecting the **XPDR** or **XPDR/TFC** Softkey, then the **VFR** Softkey. When the **VFR** Softkey is selected, the pre-programmed VFR code is automatically displayed in the code field of the Transponder Data Box. Selecting the **VFR** Softkey again restores the previous identification code.

The pre-programmed VFR Code is set at the factory to 1200. If a VFR code change is required, contact a Garmin-authorized service center for configuration.

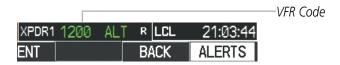


Figure 4-46 VFR Code

### **IDENT FUNCTION**



**NOTE:** In Standby Mode, the **IDENT** Softkey is inoperative.

Selecting the **IDENT** Softkey sends a distinct identity indication to Air Traffic Control (ATC). The indication distinguishes the identing transponder from all the others on the air traffic controller's screen. The **IDENT** Softkey appears on all levels of transponder softkeys. When the **IDENT** Softkey is selected, a green IDNT indication is displayed in the mode field of the Transponder Data Box for a duration of 18 seconds.

After the **IDENT** Softkey is selected while in Mode or Code Selection, the system reverts to the top-level softkeys.



Figure 4-47 IDENT Softkey and Indication



# 4.5 ADDITIONAL AUDIO PANEL FUNCTIONS

# **POWER-UP**

The Audio Panels perform a self-test during power-up. During the self-test all Audio Panel annunciator lights illuminate for approximately two seconds. Once the self-test is completed, most of the settings are restored to those in use before the unit was last turned off. The exceptions are the speaker and intercom, which are always selected during power up.

### MONO/STEREO HEADSETS

Stereo headsets are recommended for use in this aircraft.

Using a monaural headset in a stereo jack shorts the right headset channel output to ground. While this does not damage the Audio Panel, a person listening on a monaural headset hears only the left channel in both ears. If a monaural headset is used at one of the passenger positions, any other passenger using a stereo headset hears audio in the left ear only.

#### **SPEAKER**



**NOTE:** When the oxygen mask switch on the instrument panel is selected, each pilot's microphone audio is heard on the cross-side speaker. The on-side speaker is also enabled and cannot be deselected.

Each Audio Panel is connected to a separate flight deck speaker for listening to all of the radios. Each **SPKR** Key controls the on-side speaker unless oxygen masks are in use. During oxygen mask use the on-side speaker is always enabled.

Pressing the **SPKR** Key selects and deselects the speaker. Except for oxygen mask use, speaker audio is muted when the PTT Key is pressed.



Figure 4-48 Speaker Key

## **UNMUTED INPUTS**

Aural alerts are always present on the headset and are on the speaker when the SPKR is selected. These warnings and the aircraft radios are not heard on the passenger headphones.



### INTERCOM

Pressing the **INTR COM** Key on either Audio Panel selects and deselects the intercom on both Audio Panels. The annunciator is lit when the intercom is active. The intercom connects the pilot and copilot together. Either the pilot or copilot may select or deselect the intercom.

The **CABIN** Key initiates two way communication between the pilot or copilot and the passengers in the cabin. The annunciator is lit when the cabin intercom is active on either Audio Panel.

When the flight crew wants to communicate with the passengers, the pilot or copilot presses the **CABIN** Key to signal that communication is desired. The cabin signal must be acknowledged to begin intercom conversation.

The **MAN SQ** Key allows either automatic or manual control of the intercom squelch setting. Pressing the **MAN SQ** Key enables manual squelch control, indicated by the MAN SQ annunciator.

- When the MAN SQ Annunciator is extinguished (Automatic Squelch is on), the **ICS** Knob controls only the volume (pressing the **ICS** Knob has no effect on the VOL/SQ selection).
- When the MAN SQ Annunciator is illuminated (Manual Squelch), the **ICS** Knob controls either volume or squelch (selected by pressing the **ICS** Knob and indicated by the VOL or SQ annunciation).

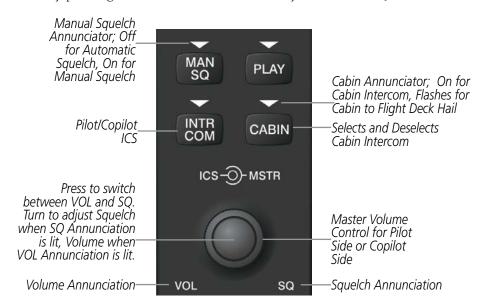


Figure 4-49 Intercom Controls



# **PASSENGER ADDRESS (PA) SYSTEM**

A passenger address system is provided by pressing the **PA** Key to deliver messages to the passengers. The message is heard by the other pilot on the headset only if the **INTR COM** Key is enabled. PA messages are one way from the flight deck to the passengers.

A Push-to-talk (PTT) must be pressed to deliver PA announcements to the passengers over their headphones.

When PA is selected on the Audio Panel, the annunciator flashes about once per second while pressing the PTT, the COM MIC annunciator is no longer lit, and the active COM frequency for that Audio Panel changes to white, indicating that there is no COM selected.

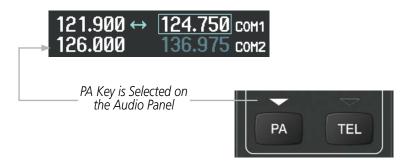


Figure 4-50 PA Key Selected for Cabin Announcements

### SIMULTANEOUS COM OPERATION

Both the pilot and the copilot can transmit and receive simultaneously over separate COM radios. The selected COM MIC Annunciator flashes when either pilot's microphone PTT is pressed.

If both pilots select the same COM radio, the pilot has priority on COM1 and the copilot has priority on COM2.



### CLEARANCE RECORDER AND PLAYER



**NOTE:** Pressing the play key on the pilot's Audio Panel plays recorded audio to the Pilot. Pressing the play key on the Copilot's Audio Panel plays recorded audio to the Copilot.

The Audio Panel contains a digital clearance recorder that continually records up to 2.5 minutes of the selected COM radio signal. Recorded COM audio is stored in separate memory blocks. Once 2.5 minutes of recording time have been reached, the recorder begins recording over the stored memory blocks, starting from the oldest block.

The **PLAY** Key controls the play function. The PLAY annunciator remains lit to indicate when play is in progress. The PLAY annunciator turns off after playback is finished.

Pressing the **PLAY** Key once plays the latest recorded memory block and then returns to normal operation. Pressing the **PLAY** Key again during play of a memory block stops play. If a COM input signal is detected during play of a recorded memory block, play is halted.

Pressing the **PLAY** Key twice within one-half second while audio is playing plays the previous block of recorded audio. Each subsequent two presses of the **PLAY** Key within one-half second backtracks through the recorded memory blocks to reach and play any recorded block.

Powering off the unit automatically clears all recorded blocks.



Figure 4-51 Play Key



# 4.6 AUDIO PANELS PREFLIGHT PROCEDURE



**NOTE:** If the flight crew is using headsets that have a high/low switch or volume control knob, verify that the switch is in the high position and the volume control on the headsets are at max volume setting. On single-pilot flights, verify that all other headsets are not connected to avoid excess noise in the audio system.



**NOTE:** When the **MAN SQ** Key is pressed, the flight crew is now able to set the ICS squelch manually. If manual squelch is set to full open (SQ annunciated and the small knob turned counterclockwise) background noise is heard in the ICS system as well as during COM transmissions.

After powering up the G1000 system the following steps aid the flight crew in maximizing the use of the Audio Panels as well as prevent flight crew induced issues. These preflight procedures should be performed each time a flight crew boards the aircraft to insure awareness of all audio levels in the Audio Panels and radios.



Figure 4-52 Audio Panel Controls

Independent radio volume adjustments made using the PFD controls affect only the audio output for each radio selected for adjustment. Radio volume adjustment affects both crew positions equally for each radio that is adjusted. Turning the master volume control located on either Audio Panel affects only the audio heard in the corresponding crew position headset. Thus, radio volume adjustments may be overridden by each crew position independently using the master volume control on the Audio Panel for the respective crew position. The master volume control for each Audio Panel affects all other system audio output for the pilot or copilot headset.



## **Setting the Audio Panels during preflight:**

- 1) Verify that the **INTR COM** Key is selected.
- **2)** Verify manual squelch is set to minimum.
- 3) Turn the MSTR Knob (Master Volume Control) on both Audio Panels clockwise two full turns. This sets the headset audio level to max volume (least amount of attenuation).
- 4) Adjust radio volume levels (COM, NAV, etc.) to a suitable level.
- **5)** Adjust the **ICS** volume Knob on each Audio Panel to the desired intercom level.
- **6)** Reset squelch to automatic, or adjust to the appropriate level manually.

Once this procedure has been completed, the master volume controls on both Audio Panels may now be adjusted. The flight crew can change settings, keeping in mind the notes above.

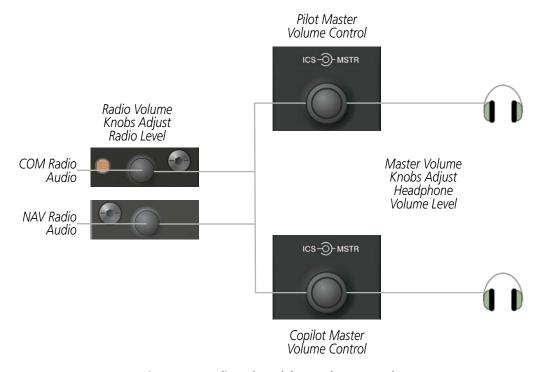


Figure 4-53 Radio and Headphone Volume Controls



# 4.7 ABNORMAL OPERATION

Abnormal operation of the G1000 includes equipment failures of the G1000 components and failure of associated equipment, including switches and external devices.

# **STUCK MICROPHONE**

If the push-to-talk (PTT) Key becomes stuck, the COM transmitter stops transmitting after 35 seconds of continuous operation. An alert appears on the PFD to advise the crew of a stuck microphone.

The **COM1 MIC** or **COM2 MIC** Key Annunciator on the Audio Panel flashes as long as the PTT Key remains stuck.



Figure 4-54 Stuck Microphone Alert

### **COM TUNING FAILURE**

In case of a COM system tuning failure, the emergency frequency (121.500 MHz) is automatically tuned in the radio in which the tuning failure occurred.



Figure 4-55 COM Tuning Failure



# PFD FAILURE, DUAL SYSTEM

If PFD1 fails, COM1 and NAV1 display a red X on both remaining displays. NAV1 is unavailable. COM1 automatically tunes 121.500 MHz, but the frequency is not shown. The COM1 emergency frequency is available to both the copilot and pilot.



Figure 4-56 Frequency Section of PFD2 Display after PFD1 Failure

If PFD2 fails, COM2 and NAV2 display a red X on the remaining PFD display. NAV2 is unavailable. COM2 tunes 121.500 MHz, but the frequency is not shown. The COM2 emergency frequency is available to both the copilot and pilot.



Figure 4-57 PFD1 Display after PFD2 Failure



## **AUDIO PANEL FAIL-SAFE OPERATION**

If there is a failure of both Audio Panels, a fail-safe circuit connects the pilot's headset and microphone directly to the COM1 transceiver and the copilot's headset directly to the COM2 transceiver. Audio is not available on the speakers.

If there is a failure of one Audio Panel, the remaining one does not have access to the others side's COM and NAV. For example, if the pilot side Audio Panel fails, the copilot side Audio Panel has access to all the radios except for COM1 and NAV1.

## **REVERSIONARY MODE**

The red **DISPLAY BACKUP** Button selects the PFD/MFD Reversionary Mode. See the System Overview Section for more information on Reversionary Mode.



Figure 4-58 Reversionary Mode Button



# **SECTION 5 FLIGHT MANAGEMENT**

# 5.1 INTRODUCTION

The G1000 is an integrated flight, engine, communication, navigation and surveillance system. This section of the Pilot's Guide explains flight management using the G1000.

The most prominent part of the G1000 are the three full color displays: two Primary Flight Displays (PFD) and a Multi Function Display (MFD). The information to successfully navigate the aircraft using the GPS sensors is displayed on the PFD and the MFD. See examples in the Figure 5-1 and Figure 5-2. Detailed descriptions of GPS navigation functions are discussed later in this section.

A brief description of the GPS navigation data on the PFD and MFD follows.

Navigation mode indicates which sensor is providing the course data (e.g., GPS, VOR) and the flight plan phase (e.g., Departure (DPRT), Terminal (TERM), Enroute (ENR), Oceanic (OCN), Approach (LNAV, LNAV+V, LV VNAV, LP, LP+V, LPV), or Missed Approach (MAPR)). LVNAV, LP, LP+V, and LPV approach service levels are only available with SBAS. L/VNAV will be flown as Baro VNAV when SBAS is not available.

The Inset Map is a small version of the MFD Navigation Map and can be displayed in the lower left corner of the PFD. When the system is in reversionary mode, the Inset Map is displayed in the lower right corner. The Inset Map is displayed by pressing the **INSET** Softkey. Pressing the **INSET** Softkey again, then pressing the **OFF** Softkey removes the Inset Map.

The Navigation Map displays aviation data (e.g., airports, VORs, airways, airspaces), geographic data (e.g., cities, lakes, highways, borders), topographic data (map shading indicating elevation), and hazard data (e.g., traffic, terrain, weather). The amount of displayed data can be reduced by selecting the **DCLTR** Softkey. The Navigation Map can be oriented four different ways: North Up (NORTH UP), Track Up (TRK UP), Desired Track Up (DTK UP), or Heading Up (HDG UP).

An aircraft icon is placed on the Navigation Map at the location corresponding to the calculated present position. The aircraft position and the flight plan legs are accurately based on GPS calculations. The basemap upon which these are placed are from a source with less resolution, therefore the relative position of the aircraft to map features is not exact. The leg of the active flight plan currently being flown is shown as a magenta line on the navigation map. The other legs are shown in white.

There are 28 different map ranges available, from 500 feet to 2000 nm. The current range is indicated in the lower right corner of the map and represents the top-to-bottom distance covered by the map. To change the map range on any map, turn the **Joystick** counter-clockwise to zoom in (-, decreasing), or clockwise to zoom out (+, increasing).

The Direct-to Window, the Flight Plan Window, the Procedures Window, and the Nearest Airports Window can be displayed in the lower right corner of the PFD. Details of these windows are discussed in detail later in the section.





Figure 5-1 GPS Navigation Information on the PFD

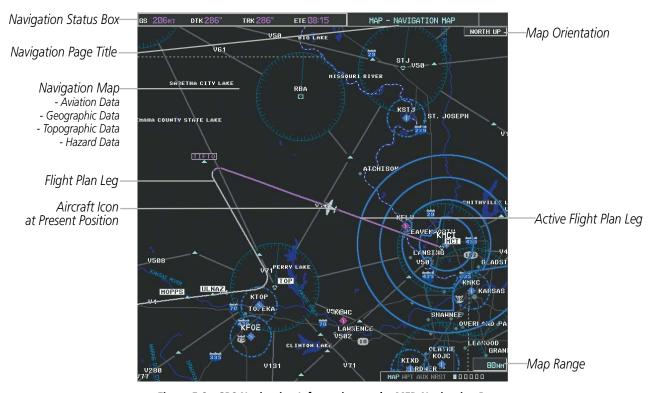


Figure 5-2 GPS Navigation Information on the MFD Navigation Page

## **NAVIGATION STATUS BOX**

The Navigation Status Box located at the top of the PFD contains two fields displaying the following information:





- Active flight plan leg (e.g., 'D-> KICT' or 'KIXD -> KCOS') **or** flight plan annunciations (e.g., 'Turn right to 021° in 8 seconds')
- Distance (DIS) and Bearing (BRG) to the next waypoint **or** flight plan annunciations (e.g., 'TOD within 1 minute')

The symbols used in the PFD status bar are:

Symbol	Description
$\rightarrow$	Active Leg
<b>→</b>	Direct-to
<u></u>	Right Procedure Turn
$\sim$	Left Procedure Turn
ĵ	Right Holding Pattern
	Left Holding Pattern
vtf	Vector to Final
	Right DME Arc
<b>◆</b>	Left DME Arc

The Navigation Status Box located at the top of the MFD contains four data fields, each displaying one of the following items:

- Bearing (BRG)
- Distance (DIS)
- Desired Track (DTK)
- Endurance (END)
- Enroute Safe Altitude (ESA)
- Estimated Time of Arrival (ETA)
- Estimated Time Enroute (ETE)
- Fuel on Board (FOB)
- Fuel over Destination (FOD)
- Ground Speed (GS)
- Minimum Safe Altitude (MSA)
- True Air Speed (TAS)
- Track Angle Error (TKE)
- Track (TRK)
- Vertical Speed Required (VSR)
- Crosstrack Error (XTK)



**MFD Navigation Status Box** 

The navigation information displayed in the four data fields can be selected on the MFD Data Bar Fields Box on the AUX - System Setup Page. The default selections (in order left to right) are GS, DTK, TRK, and ETE.

## Changing a field in the MFD Navigation Status Box:

- **1)** Select the System Setup Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired field number in the MFD Data Bar Fields Box.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display and scroll through the data options list.
- **5)** Select the desired data.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. Selecting the **DFLTS** Softkey returns all fields to the default setting.



# 5.2 USING MAP DISPLAYS

Map displays are used extensively in the G1000 to provide situational awareness in flight. Most G1000 maps can display the following information:

- Airports, NAVAIDs, airspaces, airways, land data (highways, cities, lakes, rivers, borders, etc.) with names
- Map Pointer information (distance and bearing to pointer, location of pointer, name, and other pertinent information)
- Map range
- Wind direction and speed
- Map orientation
- Icons for enabled map features
  - The information in this section applies to the following maps unless otherwise noted:
- All Map Group Pages (MAP)
- All Waypoint Group Pages (WPT)
- AUX Trip Planning
- All Nearest Group Pages (NRST)

- Aircraft icon (representing present position)
- Nav range ring
- · Fuel range ring
- Flight plan legs
- User waypoints
- Track vector
- Topography scale
- Topography data
- Obstacle data
- Flight Plan Pages (FPL)
- Direct-to Window
- PFD Inset Map
- Procedure Loading Pages

# **MAP ORIENTATION**

Maps are shown in one of four different orientation options, allowing flexibility in determining aircraft position relative to other items on the map (north up) or for determining where map items are relative to where the aircraft is going (track up, desired track up, or heading up). The map orientation is shown in the upper right corner of the map.

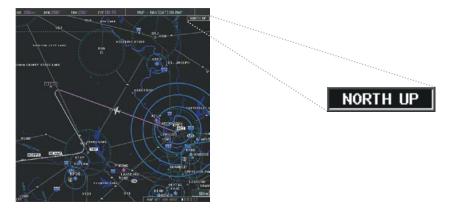


Figure 5-3 Map Orientation

- North up (NORTH UP) aligns the top of the map display to north (default setting).
- Track up (TRK UP) aligns the top of the map display to the current ground track.



- Desired track up (DTK UP) aligns the top of the map display to the desired course.
- Heading up (HDG UP) aligns the top of the map display to the current aircraft heading.
- **NOTE:** When panning or reviewing active flight plan legs in a non-North Up orientation, the map does not show the map orientation nor the wind direction and speed.
- **NOTE**: Map orientation can only be changed on the Navigation Map Page. Any other displays that show navigation data reflect the orientation selected for the Navigation Map Page.

# **Changing the Navigation Map orientation:**

1) With the Navigation Map Page displayed, press the **MENU** Key. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.



Figure 5-4 Navigation Map Page Menu Window

- 2) Press the **ENT** Key to display the Map Setup Window.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob, or press the **ENT** Key once, to select the 'ORIENTATION' field.



Figure 5-5 Map Setup Menu Window - Map Group



- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired orientation.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to select the new orientation.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the base page.

#### MAP RANGE

There are 28 different map ranges available, from 500 feet to 2000 nm. The current range is indicated in the lower right corner of the map and represents the top-to-bottom distance covered by the map. When the map range is decreased to a point that exceeds the capability of the G1000 to accurately represent the map, a magnifying glass icon is shown to the left of the map range. To change the map range turn the **Joystick** counter-clockwise to decrease the range, or clockwise to increase the range.

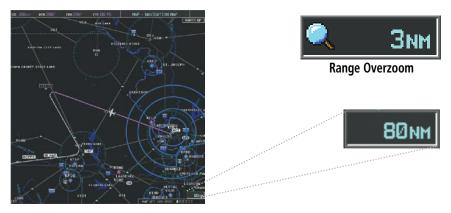


Figure 5-6 Map Range

### **AUTO ZOOM**

Auto zoom allows the G1000 to change the map display range to the smallest range clearly showing the active waypoint. Auto zoom can be overridden by adjusting the range with the Joystick, and remains until the active waypoint changes, a terrain or traffic alert occurs, the aircraft takes off, or the manual override times out (timer set on Map Setup Window).

If a terrain caution or warning occurs, any map page displaying TAWS/TERRAIN data automatically adjusts to the smallest map range clearly showing the highest priority alert. If a new traffic advisory alert occurs, any map page capable of displaying traffic advisory alerts automatically adjusts to the smallest map range clearly showing the traffic advisory. When terrain or traffic alerts clear, the map returns to the previous auto zoom range based on the active waypoint.

The auto zoom function can be turned on or off independently for the PFDs and MFD. Control of the ranges at which the auto zoom occurs is done by setting the minimum and maximum 'look forward' times (set on the Map Setup Window for the Map Group). These settings determine the minimum and maximum distance to display based upon the aircraft's ground speed.

- Waypoints that are long distances apart cause the map range to increase to a point where many details on the map are decluttered. If this is not acceptable, lower the maximum look ahead time to a value that limits the auto zoom to an acceptable range.
- Waypoints that are very short distances apart cause the map range to decrease to a point where situational awareness may not be what is desired. Increase the minimum look ahead time to a value that limits the auto zoom to a minimum range that provides acceptable situational awareness.



- Flight plans that have a combination of long and short legs cause the range to increase and decrease as waypoints sequence. To avoid this, auto zoom can be disabled or the maximum/minimum times can be adjusted.
- The 'time out' time (configurable on the Map Setup Page for the Map Group) determines how long auto zoom is overridden by a manual adjustment of the range knob. At the expiration of this time, the auto zoom range is restored. Setting the 'time out' value to zero causes the manual override to never time out.
- When the maximum 'look forward' time is set to zero, the upper limit becomes the maximum range available (2000 nm).
- When the minimum 'look forward' time is set to zero, the lower limit becomes 1.5 nm.



Figure 5-7 Map Setup Menu Window - Map Group, Auto Zoom

# **Configuring automatic zoom:**

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Highlight the 'AUTO ZOOM' field.
- 6) Select 'Off', 'MFD Only', 'PFD Only', or 'ALL On'.
- 7) Press the ENT Key to accept the selected option. The flashing cursor highlights the 'MAX LOOK FWD' field. Times are from zero to 999 minutes.
- **8)** Use the **FMS** Knobs to set the time. Press the **ENT** Key.
- 9) Repeat step 8 for 'MIN LOOK FWD' (zero to 99 minutes) and 'TIME OUT' (zero to 99 minutes).
- **10)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



### **MAP PANNING**

Map panning allows the pilot to:

- View parts of the map outside the displayed range without adjusting the map range
- Highlight and select locations on the map
- Review information for a selected airport, NAVAID or user waypoint
- Designate locations for use in flight planning
- View airspace and airway information

When the panning function is selected by pressing the **Joystick**, the Map Pointer flashes on the map display. A window also appears at the top of the map display showing the latitude/longitude position of the pointer, the bearing and distance to the pointer from the aircraft's present position, and the elevation of the land at the position of the pointer.

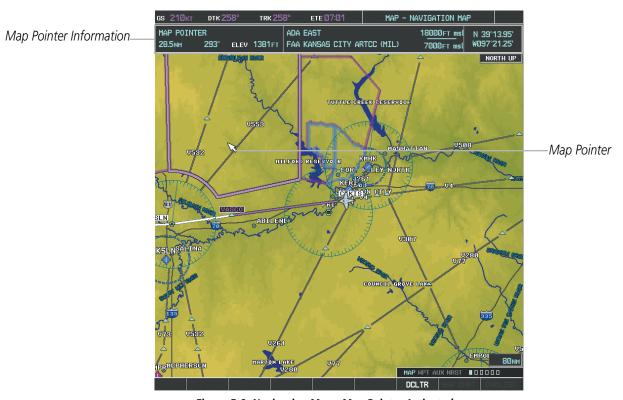


Figure 5-8 Navigation Map - Map Pointer Activated



**NOTE:** The map is normally centered on the aircraft's position. If the map has been panned and there has been no pointer movement for about 60 seconds, the map reverts back to centered on the aircraft position and the flashing pointer is removed.



When the Map Pointer is placed on an object, the name of the object is highlighted (even if the name was not originally displayed on the map). When any map feature or object is selected on the map display, pertinent information is displayed.

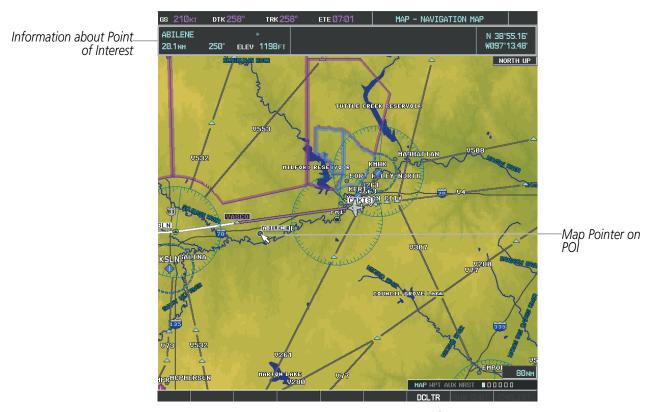


Figure 5-9 Navigation Map - Map Pointer on Point of Interest



When the Map Pointer crosses an airspace boundary, the boundary is highlighted and airspace information is shown at the top of the display. The information includes the name and class of airspace, the ceiling in feet above Mean Sea Level (MSL), and the floor in feet MSL.

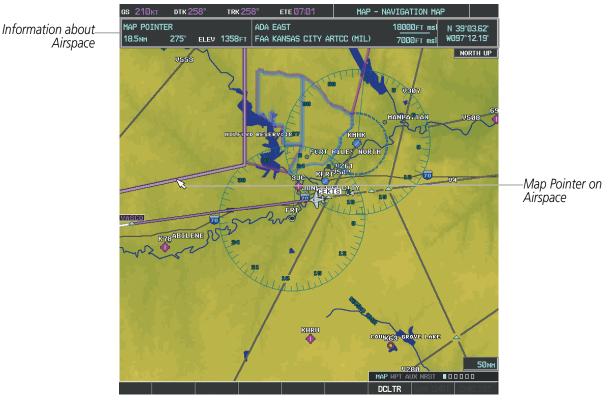


Figure 5-10 Navigation Map - Map Pointer on Airspace

## Panning the map:

- 1) Press the **Joystick** to display the Map Pointer.
- 2) Move the **Joystick** to move the Map Pointer around the map.
- 3) Press the **Joystick** to remove the Map Pointer and recenter the map on the aircraft's current position.



# Reviewing information for an airport, NAVAID, or user waypoint:

- 1) Place the Map Pointer on a waypoint.
- 2) Press the ENT Key to display the Waypoint Information Page for the selected waypoint.
- 3) Select the **GO BACK** Softkey, the **CLR** Key, or the **ENT** Key to exit the Waypoint Information Page and return to the Navigation Map showing the selected waypoint.

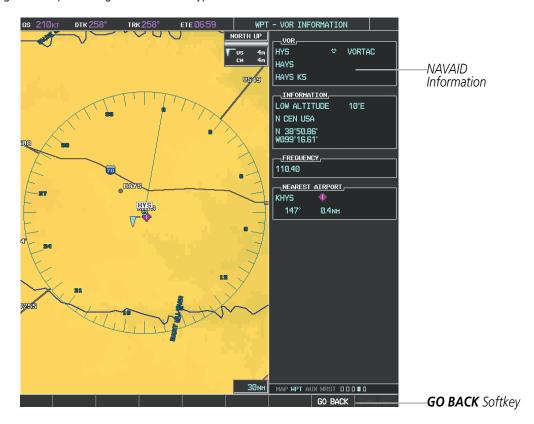


Figure 5-11 Navigation Map - Information Window - NAVAID



## Viewing airspace information for a special-use or controlled airspace:

- 1) Place the Map Pointer on an open area within the boundaries of an airspace.
- 2) Press the ENT Key to display an options menu.
- 3) 'Review Airspaces?' should already be highlighted, if not select it. Press the **ENT** Key to display the Airspace Information Page for the selected airspace.
- **4)** Press the **CLR** or **ENT** Key to exit the Airspace Information Page.

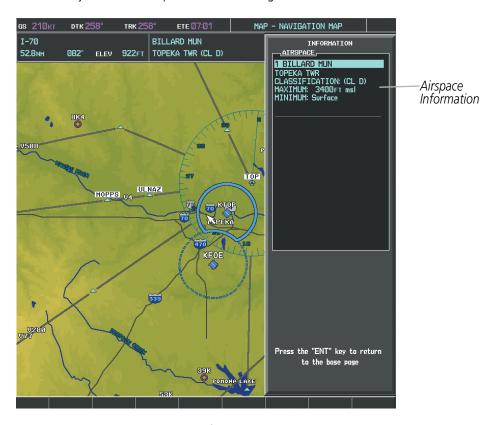


Figure 5-12 Navigation Map - Information Window - Airspace



### MEASURING BEARING AND DISTANCE

Distance and bearing from the aircraft's present position to any point on the viewable navigation map may be calculated using the 'Measure Bearing and Distance' selection from Navigation Map page menu. The bearing and distance tool displays a dashed Measurement Line and a Measure Pointer to aid in graphically identifying points with which to measure. Lat/Long, distance and elevation data for the Measure Pointer is provided in a window at the top of the navigation map.

## Measuring bearing and distance between any two points:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key (with the Navigation Map Page displayed).
- 2) Highlight the 'Measure Bearing/Distance' field.
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key. A Measure Pointer is displayed on the map at the aircraft's present position.
- 4) Move the **Joystick** to place the reference pointer at the desired location. The bearing and distance are displayed at the top of the map. Elevation at the current pointer position is also displayed. Pressing the **ENT** Key changes the starting point for measuring.
- 5) To exit the Measure Bearing/Distance option, press the **Joystick**; or select 'Stop Measuring' from the Page Menu and press the **ENT** Key.



Figure 5-13 Navigation Map - Measuring Bearing and Distance



### **TOPOGRAPHY**

All navigation maps can display various shades of topography colors representing land elevation, similar to aviation sectional charts. Topographic data can be displayed or removed as described in the following procedures. Topographic data can also be displayed on the selectable profile map at the bottom of the navigation map (the profile map is not available if TAWS-A is configured).

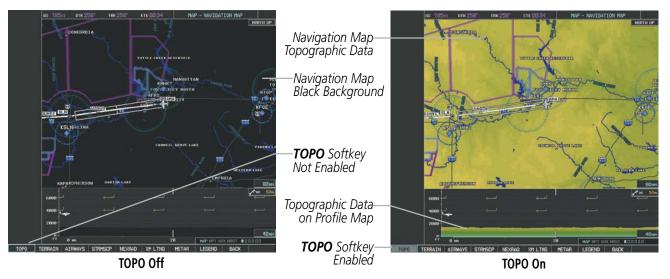


Figure 5-14 Navigation Map - Topographic Data

## Displaying/removing topographic data on all pages displaying navigation maps:

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey (the INSET Softkey for the PFD Inset Map).
- **2)** Select the **TOPO** Softkey.
- 3) Select the **TOPO** Softkey again to remove topographic data from the Navigation Map. When topographic data is removed from the page, all navigation data is presented on a black background.

# Displaying/removing topographic data (TOPO DATA) using the Navigation Map Page Menu:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'TOPO DATA' field.
- **6)** Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- **7)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.





Figure 5-15 Navigation Map Setup Menu - TOPO DATA Setup

The topographic data range is the maximum map range on which topographic data is displayed.



**NOTE:** Since the PFD Inset Map is much smaller than the MFD navigation maps, items are removed on the PFD Inset Map two range levels smaller than the range selected in the Map Setup pages (e.g., a setting of 100 nm removes the item at ranges above 100 nm on MFD navigation maps, while the PFD Inset Map removes the same item at 50 nm).

### Selecting a topographical data range (TOPO DATA):

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Highlight the 'TOPO DATA' range field. TOPO ranges are from 500 ft to 2000 nm.
- **6)** To change the TOPO range setting, turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the range list.
- **7)** Select the desired range using the small **FMS** Knob.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **9)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



In addition, the Navigation Map can display a topographic scale (located in the lower right hand side of the map) showing a scale of the terrain elevation and current elevation values.

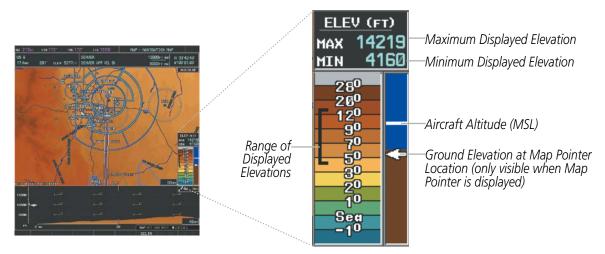


Figure 5-16 Navigation Map - TOPO SCALE

## Displaying/removing the topographic scale (TOPO SCALE):

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the ENT Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group and select the **ENT** Key.
- 4) Highlight the 'TOPO SCALE' field.
- **5)** Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

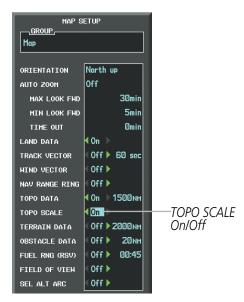


Figure 5-17 Navigation Map Setup Menu - TOPO SCALE Setup



### **MAP SYMBOLS**

This section discusses the types of land and aviation symbols that can be displayed. Each listed type of symbol can be turned on or off, and the maximum range to display each symbol can be set. The decluttering of the symbols from the map using the **DCLTR** Softkey is also discussed.

### **LAND SYMBOLS**

The following items are configured on the land menu:

Land Symbols (Text label size can be None, Small, Medium (Med), or Large (Lrg))	Symbol	Default Range (nm)	Maximum Range (nm)
Latitude/Longitude (LAT/LON)		Off	2000
Highways and Roads			
Interstate Highway (FREEWAY)	<b>~</b>	300	800
International Highway (FREEWAY)		300	800
US Highway (NATIONAL HWY)	Ü	30	80
State Highway (LOCAL HWY)		15	30
Local Road (LOCAL ROAD)	N/A	8	15
Railroads (RAILROAD)		15	30
LARGE CITY (> 200,000)	•	800	1500
MEDIUM CITY (> 50,000)	0	100	200
SMALL CITY (> 5,000)	•	20	50
States and Provinces (STATE/PROV)	ST/PRV BORDER	800	1500
Rivers and Lakes (RIVER/LAKE)	<b>~~</b>	200	500
USER WAYPOINT		150	300

**Table 5-1 Land Symbol Information** 



## **AVIATION SYMBOLS**

The following items are configured on the aviation menu:

Aviation Symbols (Text label size can be None, Small, Medium (Med), or Large (Lrg))	Symbol	Default Range (nm)	Maximum Range (nm)
Active Flight Plan Leg (ACTIVE FPL)		2000	2000
Non-active Flight Plan Leg (ACTIVE FPL)		2000	2000
Active Flight Plan Waypoint (ACTIVE FPL WPT)	See Airports, NAVAIDs	2000	2000
Large Airports (LARGE APT)	Ø Ø �� � @	200	500
Medium Airports (MEDIUM APT)		150	300
Small Airports (SMALL APT)	0000	50	100
Taxiways (SAFETAXI)	See Additional Features	3	20
Runway Extension (RWY EXTENSION)	N/A	Off	100
Intersection (INT WAYPOINT)	_	15	30
Non-directional Beacon (NDB WAYPOINT)	0	15	30
VOR (VOR WAYPOINT)	● ■ ■ ◆ ●	150	300
Class B Airspace/TMA (CLASS B/TMA)		200	500
Class C Airspace/TCA (CLASS C/TCA)		200	500
Class D Airspace (CLASS D)		150	300
Restricted Area (RESTRICTED)		200	500
Military Operations Area [MOA(MILITARY)]		200	500
Other/Air Defense Interdiction Zone (OTHER/ADIZ)		200	500
Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR)		500	2000

**Table 5-2 Aviation Symbol Information** 



#### SYMBOL SETUP

All pages with maps can display land symbols (roads, lakes, borders, etc). Land symbols can be removed totally (turned off).

#### Displaying/removing all land symbols:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The Page Menu is displayed and the cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Group Menu is displayed and the cursor flashes on the 'Map' option.
- **3)** Highlight the 'LAND DATA' field.
- 4) Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 5) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

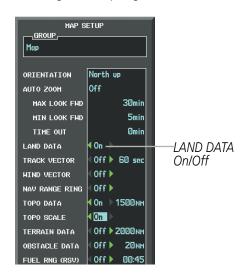


Figure 5-18 Navigation Map Setup Menu - LAND DATA Setup

The label size (TEXT) sets the size at which labels appear on the display (none, small, medium, and large). The range (RNG) sets the maximum range at which items appear on the display.

#### Selecting a 'Land' or 'Aviation' group item text size and range:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the ENT Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Land' or 'Aviation' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor flashes on the first field.
- **5)** Select the desired land option.
- **6)** Select the desired text size.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the selected size.
- **8)** Select the desired range.



- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the selected range.
- **10)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

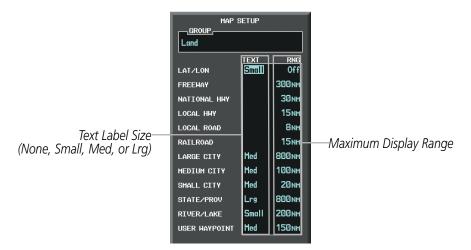


Figure 5-19 Navigation Map Setup Menu - LAND GROUP Setup

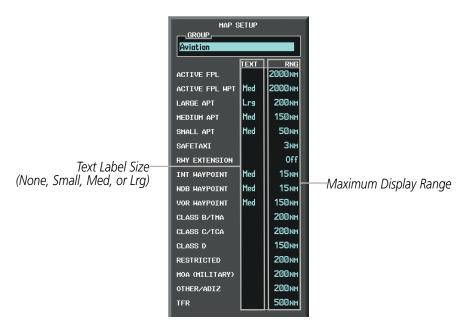


Figure 5-20 Navigation Map Setup Menu - AVIATION GROUP Setup

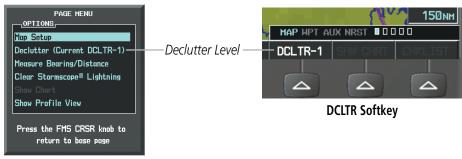


**NOTE:** Since the PFD Inset Map is much smaller than the MFD navigation maps, items are removed on the PFD Inset Map two range levels smaller than the range selected in the Map Setup pages (e.g., a setting of 100 nm removes the item at ranges above 100 nm on MFD navigation maps, while the PFD Inset Map removes the same item at 50 nm).



#### MAP DECLUTTER

The declutter feature allows the pilot to progressively step through four levels of removing map information. The declutter level is displayed in the **DCLTR** Softkey and next to the Declutter Menu Option.



**Navigation Map Page Menu** 

Figure 5-21 Navigation Map - Declutter Level Indications

### **Decluttering the map:**

Select the **DCLTR** Softkey with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The current declutter level is shown. With each softkey selection, another level of map information is removed.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed.
- 2) Select 'Declutter'. The current declutter level is shown.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.

### **Decluttering the PFD Inset Map:**

- **1)** Press the **INSET** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **DCLTR** Softkey. The current declutter level is shown. With each selection, another level of map information is removed.



Table 5-3 lists the items that are decluttered at each map detail level. The 'X' represents map items decluttered for each level of detail.

ltem	Declutter-1	Declutter-2	Least
Data Link Radar Precipitation			Χ
Data Link Lightning			Χ
Graphical METARs			Χ
Airports			Χ
Safe Taxi			Χ
Runway Labels			Χ
TFRs			Χ
Restricted			Χ
MOA (Military)			Χ
User Waypoints		Х	Χ
Latitude/Longitude Grid		Х	Χ
NAVAIDs (does not declutter if used to define airway)		Х	Χ
Intersections (does not declutter if used to define airway)		Х	Χ
Class B Airspaces/TMA		Х	Χ
Class C Airspaces/TCA		Х	Χ
Class D Airspaces		Х	Χ
Other Airspaces/ADIZ		Х	Χ
Obstacles		Х	Χ
Cities	Х	Х	Χ
Roads	Х	Х	Χ
Railroads	Х	Х	Χ
State/Province Boundaries	X	Х	Χ

Table 5-3 Navigation Map Items Decluttered for each Detail Level



#### **AIRWAYS**

This airways discussion is based upon the North American airway structure. The airway structure in places other than North America vary by location, etc. and are not discussed in this book. Low Altitude Airways (or Victor Airways) primarily serve smaller piston-engine, propeller-driven airplanes on shorter routes and at lower altitudes. Airways are eight nautical miles wide and start 1,200 feet above ground level (AGL) and extend up to 18,000 feet mean sea level (MSL). Low Altitude Airways are designated with a "V" before the airway number (hence the name "Victor Airways") since they run primarily between VORs.

High Altitude Airways (or Jet Routes) primarily serve airliners, jets, turboprops, and turbocharged piston aircraft operating above 18,000 feet MSL. Jet Routes start at 18,000 feet MSL and extend upward to 45,000 feet MSL (altitudes above 18,000 feet are called "flight levels" and are described as FL450 for 45,000 feet MSL). Jet Routes are designated with a "J" before the route number.

Low Altitude Airways are drawn in gray (the same shade used for roads). High Altitude Airways are drawn in green. When both types of airways are displayed, High Altitude Airways are drawn on top of Low Altitude Airways.

When airways are selected for display on the map, the airway waypoints (VORs, NDBs and Intersections) are also displayed.



Figure 5-22 Airways on MFD Navigation Page



Airways may be displayed on the map at the pilot's discretion using either a combination of **AIRWAYS** Softkey selections, or menu selections using the **MENU** Key from the Navigation Map Page. The Airway range can also be programmed to only display Airways on the MFD when the map range is at or below a specific number.

#### Displaying/removing airways:

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey.
- 2) Select the **AIRWAYS** Softkey. Both High and Low Altitude Airways are displayed (AIRWY ON).
- 3) Select the softkey again to display Low Altitude Airways only (AIRWY LO).
- 4) Select the softkey again to display High Altitude Airways only (AIRWY HI).
- 5) Select the softkey again to remove High Altitude Airways. No airways are displayed (AIRWAYS).

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the ENT Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Airways' group, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the 'AIRWAYS' field.
- 5) Turn the **FMS** Knob to select 'Off', 'All', 'LO Only', or 'HI Only', and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



Figure 5-23 Navigation Map Setup Menu - AIRWAYS Setup

The airway range is the maximum map range on which airways are displayed.

#### Selecting an airway range (LOW ALT AIRWAY or HI ALT AIRWAY):

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Airways' group, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 4) Highlight the 'LOW ALT AIRWAY' or 'HI ALT AIRWAY' range field.
- 5) To change the range setting, turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the range list.
- **6)** Select the desired range using the small **FMS** Knob.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



The following range items are configurable on the airways menu:

Airway Type	Symbol	Default Range (nm)	Maximum Range (nm)
Low Altitude Airway (LOW ALT AIRWAY)	V4	200	500
High Altitude Airway (HI ALT AIRWAY)	J24	300	500

Table 5-4 Airway Range Information

### TRACK VECTOR

The Navigation Map can display a track vector that is useful in minimizing track angle error. The track vector is a solid light blue line segment extended to a predicted location. The track vector look-ahead time is selectable (30 sec, 60 sec (default), 2 min, 5 min, 10 min, 20 min) and determines the length of the track vector. The track vector shows up to 90 degrees of a turn for the 30 and 60 second time settings. It is always a straight line for the 2 min, 5 min, 10 min and 20 min settings.

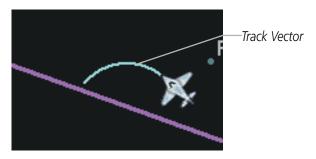


Figure 5-24 Navigation Map -Track Vector

#### Displaying/removing the track vector:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'TRACK VECTOR' field.
- 6) Select 'On' or 'Off'. Press the **ENT** Key to accept the selected option. The flashing cursor highlights the look ahead time field. Use the **FMS** Knob to select the desired time. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



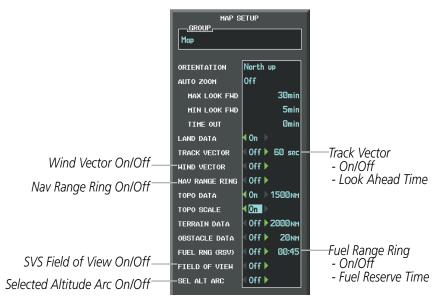


Figure 5-25 Navigation Map Setup Menu - WIND VECTOR On/Off, NAV RANGE RING On/Off, FIELD OF VIEW On/Off, SEL ALT ARC On/Off, TRACK VECTOR Setup, FUEL RNG (RSV) Setup

#### WIND VECTOR

The map displays a wind vector arrow in the upper right-hand portion of the screen. Wind vector information is displayed as a white arrow pointing in the direction in which the wind is moving for wind speeds greater than or equal to 1 kt.



Figure 5-26 Navigation Map - Wind Vector



**NOTE:** The wind vector is not displayed until the aircraft is moving. It is not displayed on the Waypoint Information pages.

#### Displaying/removing the wind vector:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the ENT Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'WIND VECTOR' field.
- **6)** Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



#### **NAV RANGE RING**

The Nav Range Ring shows the direction of travel (ground track) on a rotating compass card. The range is determined by the map range. The range is 1/4 of the map range (e.g., 7.5 nm on a 30 nm map).

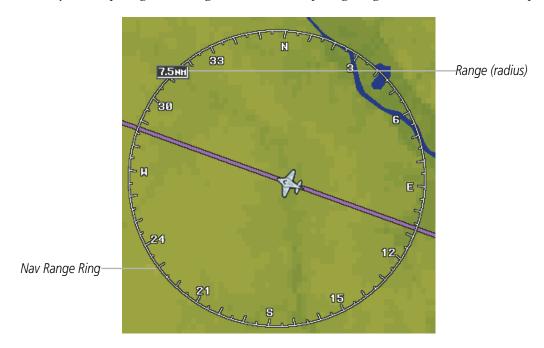


Figure 5-27 Navigation Map - Nav Range Ring



**NOTE:** The Nav Range Ring is not displayed on the Waypoint Information pages, Nearest pages, or Direct-to Window map.

#### Displaying/removing the Nav Range Ring:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'NAV RANGE RING' field.
- 6) Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



**NOTE:** The Nav Range Ring is referenced to either magnetic or true north, based on the selection on the AUX - System Setup Page.



#### **FUEL RANGE RING**

The map can display a fuel range ring which shows the remaining flight distance. A dashed green circle indicates the selected range to reserve fuel. A solid green circle indicates the total endurance range. If only reserve fuel remains, the range is indicated by a solid yellow circle.

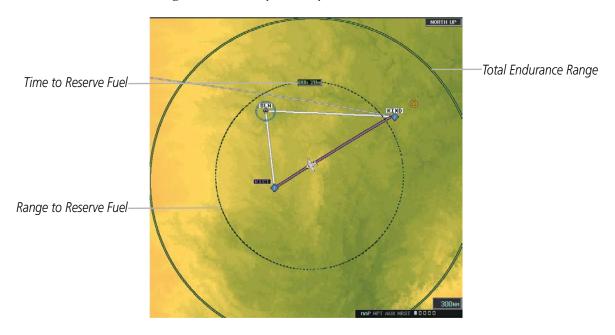


Figure 5-28 Navigation Map - Fuel Range Ring

#### Displaying/removing the fuel range ring and selecting a fuel range time:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the ENT Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'FUEL RNG (RSV)' field.
- 6) Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 7) Highlight the fuel reserve time field. This time should be set to the amount of flight time equal to the amount of fuel reserve desired.
- **8)** To change the reserve fuel time, enter a time (00:00 to 23:59; hours:minutes). The default setting is 00:45 minutes.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **10)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



# **FIELD OF VIEW (SVS)**

The map can display the boundaries of the PFD Synthetic Vision System (SVS) lateral field of view. The field of view is shown as two dashed lines forming a V shape in front of the aircraft symbol on the map. This is only available if SVS is installed on the aircraft.

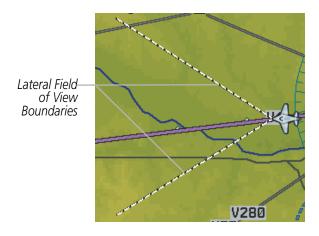


Figure 5-29 Navigation Map - Field of View

### Displaying/removing the field of view:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- **3)** Select the 'Map' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'FIELD OF VIEW' field.
- 6) Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



#### SELECTED ALTITUDE INTERCEPT ARC

The map can display the location along the current track where the aircraft will intercept the selected altitude. The location will be shown as a light blue arc when the aircraft is actually climbing or descending.

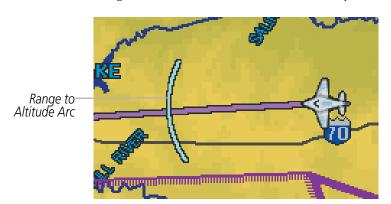


Figure 5-30 Navigation Map - Range to Altitude Arc

### Displaying/removing the selected altitude intercept arc:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key with the Navigation Map Page displayed. The cursor flashes on the 'Map Setup' option.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The Map Setup Menu is displayed.
- 3) Select the 'Map' group.
- 4) Press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Highlight the 'SEL ALT ARC' field.
- 6) Select 'On' or 'Off'.
- **7)** Press the FMS Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.



# **5.3 WAYPOINTS**

Waypoints are predetermined geographical positions (internal database) or pilot-entered positions, and are used for all phases of flight planning and navigation.

Communication and navigation frequencies can be tuned "automatically" from various Waypoint Information (WPT) pages, Nearest (NRST) pages, and the Nearest Airports Window (on PFD). This auto-tuning feature simplifies frequency entry over manual tuning. Refer to the Audio Panel and CNS section for details on autotuning.

Waypoints can be selected by entering the ICAO identifier, entering the name of the facility, or by entering the city name. See the System Overview section for detailed instructions on entering data in the G1000. As a waypoint identifier, facility name, or location is entered, the G1000's Spell'N'Find™ feature scrolls through the database, displaying those waypoints matching the characters which have been entered to that point. A direct-to navigation leg to the selected waypoint can be initiated by pressing the **Direct-to** Key on any of the waypoint pages.



Figure 5-31 Waypoint Information Window

If duplicate entries exist for the entered facility name or location, additional entries may be viewed by continuing to turn the small **FMS** Knob during the selection process. If duplicate entries exist for an identifier, a Duplicate Waypoints Window is displayed when the **ENT** Key is pressed.





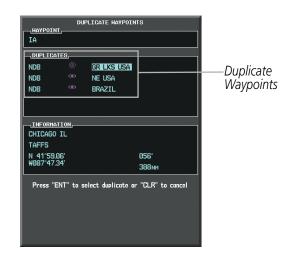


Figure 5-32 Waypoint Information Window - Duplicate Identifier

#### **AIRPORTS**



**NOTE:** 'North Up' orientation on the Airport Information Page cannot be changed; the pilot needs to be aware of proper orientation if the Navigation Map orientation is different from the Airport Information Page Map.

The Airport Information Page is the first page in WPT group and allows the pilot to view airport information, load frequencies (COM, NAV, and lighting), review runways, and review instrument procedures that may be involved in the flight plan. See the Audio Panel and CNS Section for more information on loading frequencies (auto-tuning). After engine startup, the Airport Information Page defaults to the airport where the aircraft is located. After a flight plan has been loaded, it defaults to the destination airport. On a flight plan with multiple airports, it defaults to the airport which is the current active waypoint.

In addition to displaying a map of the currently selected airport and surrounding area, the Airport Information Page displays airport information in three boxes labeled 'AIRPORT', 'RUNWAYS', and 'FREQUENCIES'. For airports with multiple runways, information for each runway is available. This information is viewed on the Airport Information Page by pressing the INFO softkey until **INFO-1** is displayed.



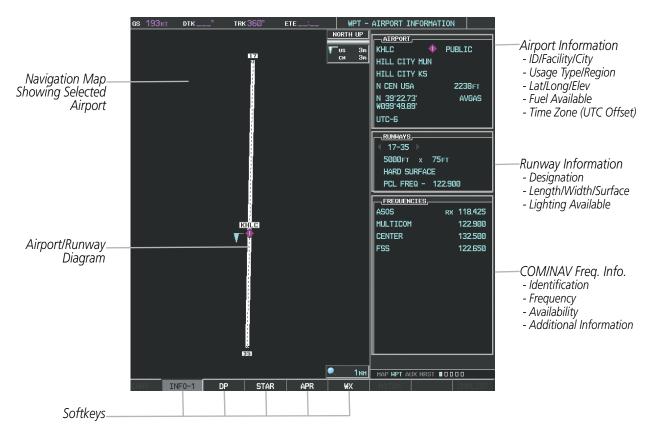


Figure 5-33 Airport Information Page

The following descriptions and abbreviations are used on the Airport Information Page:

- Usage type: Public, Military, Private, or Heliport
- Runway surface type: Hard, Turf, Sealed, Gravel, Dirt, Soft, Unknown, or Water
- Runway lighting type: No Lights, Part Time, Full Time, Unknown, or PCL Freq (for pilot-controlled lighting)
- COM Availability: TX (transmit only), RX (receive only), PT (part time), i (additional information available)



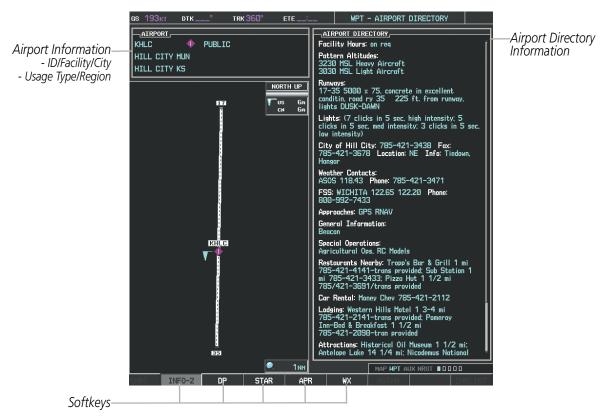


Figure 5-34 Airport Directory Page Example

The AOPA directory information is viewed on the Airport Directory Page by pressing the INFO softkey until **INFO-2** is displayed. The following are types of AOPA airport directory informantion shown (if available) on the Airport Directory Page:

- **Airport**: Identifier, Site Number, Name, City, State
- Phones: Phone/Fax Numbers
- Hours: Facility Hours, Light Hours, Tower Hours, Beacon Hours
- **Location**: Sectional, Magnetic Variation
- **Frequencies**: Type/Frequency
- **Transportation**: Ground Transportation Type Available
- **Approach**: Approach Facility Name, Frequency, Frequency Parameter

- Traffic Pattern Altitudes (TPA): Aircraft Class/Altitude
- Weather: Service Type, Frequency, Phone Number
- **Flight Service Station (FSS)**: FSS Name, Phone Numbers
- **Instrument Approaches**: Published Approach, Freq.
- NAVAIDS: Type, Identifier, Frequency, Radial, Distance
- **Noise**: Noise Abatement Procedures
- Charts: Low Altitude Chart Number

- **Runway**: Headings, Length, Width, Obstructions, Surface
- Obstructions: General Airport Obstructions
- Special Operations at Airport
- **Services Available**: Category, Specific Service
- Notes: Airport Notes
- **Pilot Controlled Lighting**: High/Med/Low Clicks/Second
- **FBO**: Type, Frequencies, Services, Fees, Fuel, Credit Cards, Phone/Fax Numbers



#### Selecting an airport for review by identifier, facility name, or location:

- 1) From the Airport Information Page, press the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Use the **FMS** Knobs and enter an identifier, facility name, or location.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.

#### **Selecting a runway:**

- 1) With the Airport Information Page displayed, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to place the cursor in the 'RUNWAYS' Box, on the runway designator.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the desired runway (if more than one) for the selected airport.
- **4)** To remove the flashing cursor, press the **FMS** Knob.

### Viewing a destination airport:

From the Airport Information Page press the **MENU** Key. Select 'View Destination Airport'. The Destination Airport is displayed.

The Airport Frequencies Box uses the descriptions and abbreviations listed in the following table:

Communication Frequencies		Navigation Frequencies	
Approach *	Control	Pre-Taxi	ILS
Arrival *	CTA *	Radar	LOC
ASOS	Departure *	Ramp	
ATIS	Gate	Terminal *	
AWOS	Ground	TMA *	
Center	Helicopter	Tower	
Class B *	Multicom	TRSA *	
Class C *	Other	Unicom	
Clearance			
* May include	Additional Info	rmation	

**Table 5-5 Airport Frequency Abbreviations** 

A departure, arrival, or approach can be loaded using the softkeys on the Airport Information Page. See the Procedures section for details. METARs or TAFs applicable to the selected airport can be selected for display (see the Hazard Avoidance section for details about weather).

The G1000 provides a **NRST** Softkey on the PFD, which gives the pilot quick access to nearest airport information (very useful if an immediate landing is required). The Nearest Airports Window displays a list of up to 25 of the nearest airports (three entries can be displayed at one time). If there are more than three they are displayed in a scrollable list. If there are no nearest airports available, "NONE WITHIN 200NM" is displayed.





Figure 5-35 Nearest Airports Window on PFD

Pressing the **ENT** Key displays the PFD Airport Information Window for the highlighted airport. Pressing the **ENT** Key again returns to the Nearest Airports Window with the cursor on the next airport in the list. Continued presses of the **ENT** Key sequences through the information pages for all airports in the Nearest Airports list.

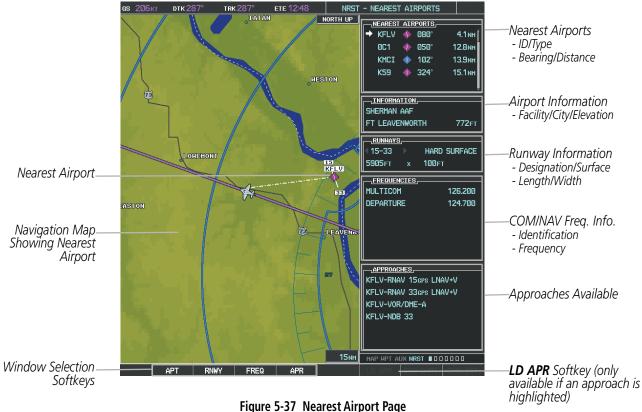


Figure 5-36 Airport Information Window on PFD

The Nearest Airports Page on the MFD is first in the group of NRST pages because of its potential use in the event of an in-flight emergency. In addition to displaying a map of the currently selected airport and surrounding area, the page displays nearest airport information in five boxes labeled 'NEAREST AIRPORTS', 'INFORMATION', 'RUNWAYS', 'FREQUENCIES', and 'APPROACHES'.

The selected airport is indicated by a white arrow, and a dashed white line is drawn on the navigation map from the aircraft position to the nearest airport. Up to four nearest airports, one runway, up to six frequencies, and up to six approaches are visible at one time. If there are more than can be shown, each list can be scrolled. If there are no items for display in a boxed area, text indicating that fact is displayed. The currently selected airport remains in the list until it is unselected.





#### rigure 5-57 Nearest Airport Pag

### Viewing information for a nearest airport on the PFD:

- 1) Select the **NRST** Softkey to display the Nearest Airports Window. Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 2) Highlight the airport identifier with the **FMS** Knob and press the **ENT** Key to display the Airport Information Window.
- 3) To return to the Nearest Airports Window press the **ENT** Key (with the cursor on 'BACK') or press the **CLR** Key. The cursor is now on the next airport in the nearest airports list. (Repeatedly pressing the **ENT** Key moves through the airport list, alternating between the Nearest Airports Window and the Airport Information Window.)
- **4)** Press the **CLR** Key or the **NRST** Softkey to close the PFD Nearest Airports Window.

#### Viewing information for a nearest airport on the MFD:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the NRST page group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Nearest Airports Page (it is the first page of the group, so it may already be selected). If there are no Nearest Airports available, "NONE WITHIN 200 NM" is displayed.
- 3) Select the APT Softkey; or press the FMS Knob; or press the MENU Key, highlight 'Select Airport Window' and press the ENT Key. The cursor is placed in the 'NEAREST AIRPORTS' Box. The first airport in the nearest airports list is highlighted.
- **4)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired airport. (Pressing the **ENT** Key also moves to the next airport.)
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



#### Viewing runway information for a specific airport:

- 1) With the Nearest Airports Page displayed, select the **RNWY** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Select Runway Window'; and press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is placed in the 'RUNWAYS' Box.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired runway.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

See the Audio Panel and CNS Section for frequency selection and the Procedures section for approaches.

The Nearest Airports Box on the System Setup Page defines the minimum runway length and surface type used when determining the 25 nearest airports to display on the MFD Nearest Airports Page. A minimum runway length and/or surface type can be entered to prevent airports with small runways or runways that are not appropriately surfaced from being displayed. Default settings are 0 feet (or meters) for runway length and "HARD/SOFT" for runway surface type.

#### Selecting nearest airport surface matching criteria:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the runway surface field in the Nearest Airports Box.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired runway option (ANY, HARD ONLY, HARD/SOFT).
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### Selecting nearest airport minimum runway length matching criteria:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the minimum length field in the Nearest Airport Box.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the minimum runway length (zero to 25,000 feet) and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

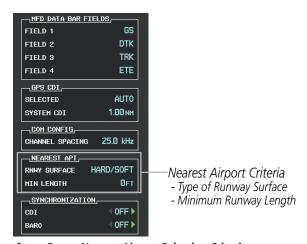


Figure 5-38 System Setup Page - Nearest Airport Selection Criteria



#### INTERSECTIONS



**NOTE:** The VOR displayed on the Intersection Information Page is the nearest VOR, not necessarily the VOR used to define the intersection.

The Intersection Information Page is used to view information about intersections. In addition to displaying a map of the currently selected intersection and surrounding area, the Intersection Information Page displays intersection information in three boxes labeled 'INTERSECTION', 'INFORMATION', and 'NEAREST VOR'.



Figure 5-39 Intersection Information Page

#### Selecting an intersection:

- 1) With the Intersection Information Page displayed, enter an identifier in the Intersection Box.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

Or:

- 1) With the Nearest Intersections Page displayed, press the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key or turn either **FMS** Knob to select an identifier in the Nearest Intersection Box.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

The Nearest Intersections Page can be used to quickly find an intersection close to the flight path. In addition to displaying a map of the surrounding area, the page displays information for up to 25 nearest intersections in three boxes labeled 'NEAREST INT', 'INFORMATION', and 'REFERENCE VOR'.



The selected intersection is indicated by a white arrow. Up to sixteen intersections are visible at a time. If there are more than can be shown, the list can be scrolled. If there are no items for display, text indicating that fact is displayed.



**NOTE**: The list only includes waypoints that are within 200 nm.

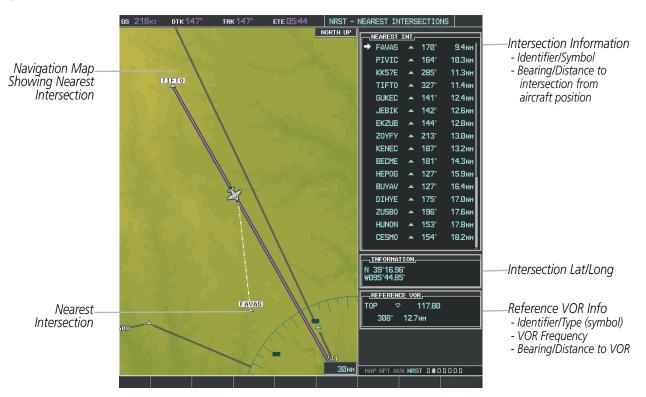


Figure 5-40 Nearest Intersections Page



#### **NDBs**

The NDB Information Page is used to view information about NDBs. In addition to displaying a map of the currently selected NDB and surrounding area, the page displays NDB information in four boxes labeled 'NDB', 'INFORMATION', 'FREQUENCY', and 'NEAREST AIRPORT'.

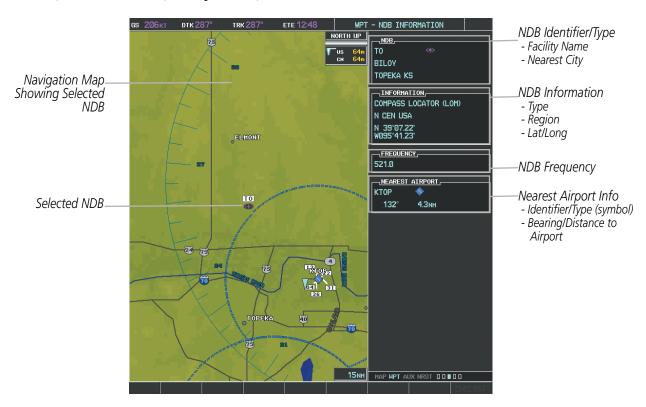


Figure 5-41 NDB Information Page



**NOTE:** Compass locator (LOM, LMM): a low power, low or medium frequency radio beacon installed in conjunction with the instrument landing system. When LOM is used, the locator is at the Outer Marker; when LMM is used, the locator is at the Middle Marker.

#### Selecting an NDB:

- 1) With the NDB Information Page displayed, enter an identifier, the name of the NDB, or the city in which it's located in the NDB Box.
- 2) Press the ENT Key.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

Or:

- 1) With the Nearest NDB Page displayed, press the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key or turn either **FMS** Knob to select an identifier in the Nearest NDB Box.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



The Nearest NDB Page can be used to quickly find a NDB close to the flight path. In addition to displaying a map of the surrounding area, the page displays information for up to 25 nearest NDBs in three boxes labeled 'NEAREST NDB', 'INFORMATION', and 'FREQUENCY'.

A white arrow before the NDB identifier indicates the selected NDB. Up to sixteen NDBs are visible at a time. If there are more than can be shown, each list can be scrolled. The list only includes waypoints that are within 200nm. If there are no NDBs in the list, text indicating that there are no nearest NDBs is displayed. If there are no nearest NDBs in the list, the information and frequency fields are dashed.



Figure 5-42 Nearest NDB Page



#### **VORs**

The VOR Information Page can be used to view information about VOR and ILS navigation signals, or to quickly auto-tune a VOR or ILS frequency. Localizer information cannot be viewed on the VOR Information Page. If a VOR station is combined with a TACAN station it is listed as a VORTAC on the VOR Information Page and if it includes only DME, it is displayed as VOR-DME.

In addition to displaying a map of the currently selected VOR and surrounding area, the VOR Information Page displays VOR information in four boxes labeled 'VOR', 'INFORMATION', 'FREQUENCY', and 'NEAREST AIRPORT'.

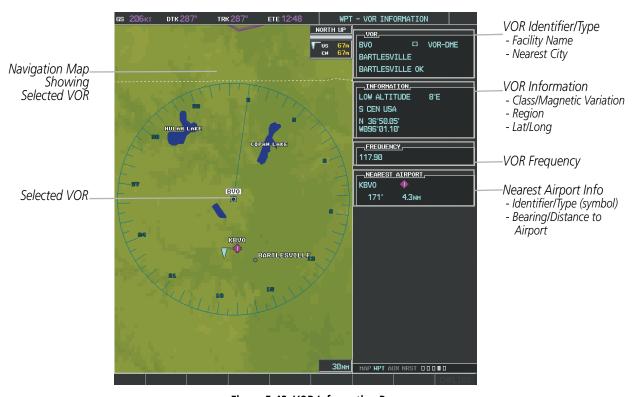


Figure 5-43 VOR Information Page

The VOR classes used in the VOR information box are: LOW ALTITUDE, HIGH ALTITUDE, and TERMINAL.

#### Selecting a VOR:

- 1) With the VOR Information Page displayed, enter an identifier, the name of the VOR, or the city in which it's located in the VOR Box.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

Or:

- 1) With the Nearest VOR Page displayed, press the **FMS** Knob or press the **VOR** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key or turn either **FMS** Knob to select an identifier in the Nearest VOR Box.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



Or:

- 1) With the Nearest VOR Page displayed, press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Highlight 'Select VOR Window', and press the ENT Key.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key or turn either **FMS** Knob to select an identifier in the Nearest VOR Box.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

The Nearest VOR Page can be used to quickly find a VOR station close to the aircraft. Also, a NAV frequency from a selected VOR station can be loaded from the Nearest VOR Page. In addition to displaying a map of the surrounding area, the Nearest VOR Page displays information for up to 25 nearest VOR stations in three boxes labeled 'NEAREST VOR', 'INFORMATION', and 'FREQUENCY'. The list only includes waypoints that are within 200 nm.

A white arrow before the VOR identifier indicates the selected VOR. Up to sixteen VORs are visible at a time. If there are more than can be shown, each list can be scrolled. If there are no VORs in the list, text indicating that there are no nearest VORs is displayed. If there are no nearest VORs in the list, the information is dashed.

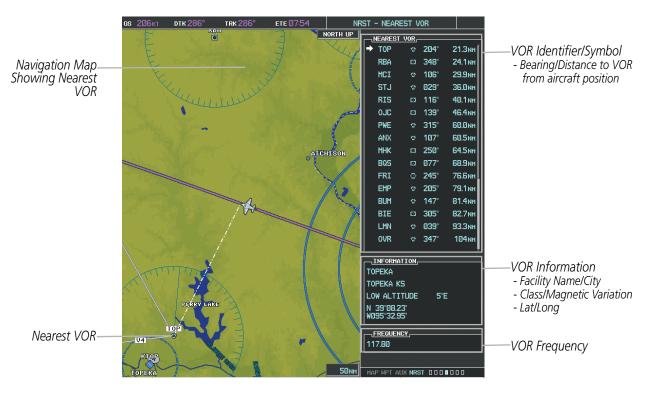


Figure 5-44 Nearest VOR Page



#### **USER WAYPOINTS**

The system can create and store up to 1,000 user-defined waypoints. User waypoints can be created from any map page (except PFD Inset Map, AUX-Trip Planning Page, or Procedure Pages) by selecting a position on the map using the **Joystick**, or from the User Waypoint Information Page by referencing a bearing/distance from an existing waypoint, bearings from two existing waypoints, or a latitude and longitude. Once a waypoint has been created, it can be renamed, deleted, or moved. Temporary user waypoints are erased upon system power down.



Figure 5-45 User Waypoint Information Page

#### Selecting a User Waypoint:

- 1) With the User Waypoint Information Page displayed, enter the name of the User Waypoint, or scroll to the desired waypoint in the User Waypoint List using the large **FMS** Knob.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

Or:

- 1) With the Nearest User Waypoints Page displayed, press the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key or turn either **FMS** Knob to select an identifier in the Nearest USR Box.
- **3)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



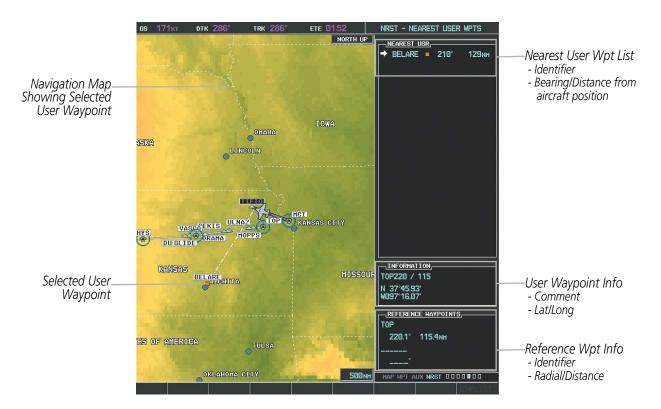


Figure 5-46 Nearest User Waypoint Page

#### **CREATING USER WAYPOINTS**

User waypoints can be created from the User Waypoint Information Page in the following ways:

#### Creating user waypoints from the User Waypoint Information Page:

- 1) Select the **NEW** Softkey, **or** press the **MENU** Key and select 'Create New User Waypoint'.
- 2) Enter a user waypoint name (up to six characters).
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key. The current aircraft position is the default location of the new waypoint.
- **4)** If desired, define the type and location of the waypoint in one of the following ways:
  - **a)** Select "RAD/RAD" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the two reference waypoint identifiers and radials into the REFERENCE WAYPOINTS window using the **FMS** Knobs.

#### Or:

**b)** Select "RAD/DIS" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the reference waypoint identifier, the radial, and the distance into the REFERENCE WAYPOINTS window using the **FMS** Knobs.

#### Or:

c) Select "LAT/LON" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the latitude and longitude into the INFORMATION window using the **FMS** Knobs.



- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the new waypoint.
- **6)** If desired, change the storage method of the waypoint to "TEMPORARY" or "NORMAL" by moving the cursor to "TEMPORARY" and selecting the **ENT** Key to check or uncheck the box.
- **7)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

Or:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **2)** Enter a user waypoint name (up to six characters).
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The message 'Are you sure you want to create the new User Waypoint AAAAAA?' is displayed.
- **4)** With 'YES' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) If desired, define the type and location of the waypoint in one of the following ways:
  - **a)** Select "RAD/RAD" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the two reference waypoint identifiers and radials into the REFERENCE WAYPOINTS window using the **FMS** Knobs.

Or:

**b)** Select "RAD/DIS" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the reference waypoint identifier, the radial, and the distance into the REFERENCE WAYPOINTS window using the **FMS** Knobs.

Or:

- c) Select "LAT/LON" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the latitude and longitude into the INFORMATION window using the **FMS** Knobs.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the new waypoint.
- **7)** If desired, change the storage method of the waypoint to "TEMPORARY" or "NORMAL" by moving the cursor to "TEMPORARY" and selecting the **ENT** Key to check or uncheck the box.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

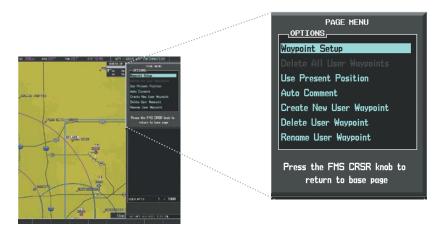


Figure 5-47 User Waypoint Information Page Menu



#### Creating user waypoints from map pages:

- 1) Press the **Joystick** to activate the panning function and pan to the map location of the desired user waypoint.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The User Waypoint Information Page is displayed with the captured position.



**NOTE:** If the pointer has highlighted a map database feature, one of three things happens upon pressing the **ENT** Key: 1) information about the selected feature is displayed instead of initiating a new waypoint, 2) a menu pops up allowing a choice between 'Review Airspaces' or 'Create User Waypoint', or 3) a new waypoint is initiated with the default name being the selected map item.

- **3)** Enter a user waypoint name (up to six characters).
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the selected name. The first reference waypoint box is highlighted.
- 5) If desired, define the type and location of the waypoint in one of the following ways:
  - **a)** Select "RAD/RAD" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the two reference waypoint identifiers and radials into the REFERENCE WAYPOINTS window using the **FMS** Knobs.

Or:

**b)** Select "RAD/DIS" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the reference waypoint identifier, the radial, and the distance into the REFERENCE WAYPOINTS window using the **FMS** Knobs.

Or:

- c) Select "LAT/LON" using the small **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, and enter the latitude and longitude into the INFORMATION window using the **FMS** Knobs.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the new waypoint.
- 7) If desired, change the storage method of the waypoint to "TEMPORARY" or "NORMAL" by moving the cursor to "TEMPORARY" and selecting the **ENT** Key to check or uncheck the box.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.
- **9)** Press the **GO BACK** Softkey to return to the map page.

#### **EDITING USER WAYPOINTS**

#### **Editing a user waypoint comment or location:**

- 1) With the User Waypoint Information Page displayed, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 2) Select a user waypoint in the User Waypoint List, if required, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Move the cursor to the desired field.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to make any changes.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the changes.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



#### Renaming user waypoints:

- 1) Highlight a user waypoint in the User Waypoint List. Select the **RENAME** Softkey, or press the **MENU** Key and select 'Rename User Waypoint'.
- **2)** Enter a new name.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The message 'Do you want to rename the user waypoint AAAAAA to BBBBBB?' is displayed.
- **4)** With 'YES' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

### Changing the location of an existing waypoint to the aircraft present position:

- 1) Enter a waypoint name or select the waypoint in the User Waypoint List, then press the **ENT** Key.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Select 'Use Present Position'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key twice. The new waypoint's location is saved.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

A system generated comment for a user waypoint incorporates the reference waypoint identifier, bearing, and distance. If a system generated comment has been edited, a new comment can be generated.

### Resetting the comment field to the system generated comment:

- 1) Enter a waypoint name or select the waypoint in the User Waypoint List, then press the **ENT** Key.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** Select 'Auto Comment'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The generated comment is based on the reference point used to define the waypoint.

The default type of user waypoint (normal or temporary) can be changed using the user waypoint information page menu. Temporary user waypoints are automatically deleted upon the next power cycle.

# Changing the user waypoint storage duration default setting:

- 1) With the User Waypoint Information Page displayed, press the **MENU** Key.
- **2)** Move the cursor to select 'Waypoint Setup', and press the **ENT** Key.
- 3) Select 'NORMAL' or 'TEMPORARY' as desired, and press the ENT Key.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor and return to the User Waypoint Information Page.



#### **DELETING USER WAYPOINTS**

### **Deleting a single user waypoint:**

- 1) Highlight a User Waypoint in the User Waypoint List, or enter a waypoint in the User Waypoint field.
- 2) Select the **DELETE** Softkey or press the **CLR** Key. 'Yes' is highlighted in the confirmation window.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

Or:

- 1) Highlight a User Waypoint in the User Waypoint List, or enter a waypoint in the User Waypoint field.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Select 'Delete User Waypoint'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key twice to confirm the selection.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



**NOTE:** The option to 'Delete All User Waypoints' is not available while the aircraft is in flight.

#### **Deleting all user waypoints:**

- 1) Highlight a User Waypoint in the User Waypoint List.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Select 'Delete All User Waypoints.'
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key twice to confirm the selection.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



# **5.4 AIRSPACES**

The G1000 can display the following types of airspaces: Class B/TMA, Class C/TCA, Class D, Restricted, MOA (Military), Other Airspace, Air Defense Identification Zone (ADIZ), and Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR).



Figure 5-48 Airspaces



The Nearest Airspaces Page, Airspace Alerts Window, and Airspace Alerts on the PFD provide additional information about airspaces and the location of the aircraft in relationship to them.

The Airspace Alerts Box allows the pilot to turn the controlled/special-use airspace message alerts on or off. This does not affect the alerts listed on the Nearest Airspaces Page or the airspace boundaries depicted on the Navigation Map Page. It simply turns on/off the warning provided when the aircraft is approaching or near an airspace.

An altitude buffer is also provided which "expands" the vertical range above or below an airspace. For example, if the buffer is set at 500 feet, and the aircraft is more than 500 feet above/below an airspace, an alert message is not generated, but if the aircraft is less than 500 feet above/below an airspace and projected to enter it, the pilot is notified with an alert message. The default setting for the altitude buffer is 200 feet.

### Changing the altitude buffer distance setting:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the altitude buffer field in the Airspace Alerts Box.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter an altitude buffer value and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### Turning an airspace alert on or off:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired field in the Airspace Alerts Box.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise to turn the airspace alert ON or counterclockwise to turn the alert OFF.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

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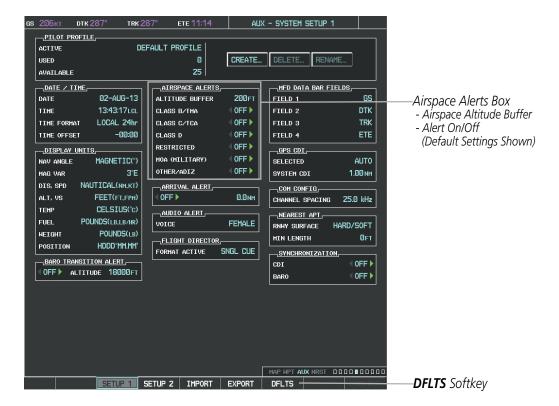


Figure 5-49 System Setup Page - Airspace Alerts

Map ranges for the airspace boundaries are selected from the Aviation Group in the Map Setup Menu. See Table 5-2 for the default and maximum ranges for each type of airspace and the symbol used to define the airspace area.



The Nearest Airspaces Page can be used to quickly find airspaces close to the flight path. In addition, a selected frequency associated with the airspace can be loaded from the Nearest Airspaces Page. In addition to displaying a map of airspace boundaries and surrounding area, the Nearest Airspaces Page displays airspace information in four boxes labeled 'AIRSPACE ALERTS', 'AIRSPACE, AGENCY', 'VERTICAL LIMITS', and 'FREQUENCIES'.

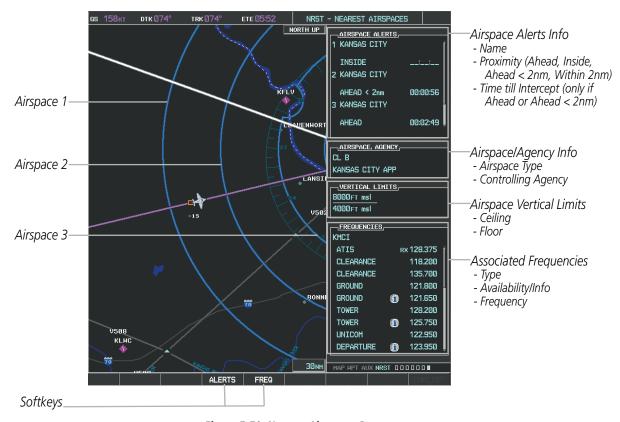


Figure 5-50 Nearest Airspaces Page

Airspace alerts and associated frequencies are shown in scrollable lists on the Nearest Airspaces Page. The **ALERTS** and **FREQ** softkeys place the cursor in the respective list. The **FREQ** Softkey is enabled only if one or more frequencies exist for a selected airspace.

## Selecting and viewing an airspace alert with its associated information:

- 1) Select the Nearest Airspaces Page.
- 2) Select the **ALERTS** Softkey; or press the **FMS** Knob; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Select Alerts Window', and press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is placed in the 'AIRSPACE ALERTS' Box.
- **3)** Select the desired airspace.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



Pressing the PFD **ALERTS** Softkey displays the message window on the PFD. The following airspace alerts are displayed in the message window:

Message	Comments
<b>INSIDE ARSPC</b> – Inside airspace.	The aircraft is inside the airspace.
<b>ARSPC AHEAD</b> — Airspace ahead —	Special use airspace is ahead of aircraft. The aircraft penetrates the airspace within 10
less than 10 minutes.	minutes.
<b>ARSPC NEAR</b> – Airspace near and ahead.	Special use airspace is near and ahead of the aircraft position.
ARSPC NEAR — Airspace near — less than 2 nm.	Special use airspace is within 2 nm of the aircraft position.

**Table 5-6 PFD Airspace Alert Messages** 



# 5.5 DIRECT-TO-NAVIGATION

The Direct-to method of navigation, initiated by pressing the **Direct-to** Key on either the MFD or PFD, is quicker to use than a flight plan when the desire is to navigate to a single point such as a nearby airport.

Once a direct-to is activated, the G1000 establishes a point-to-point course line from the present position to the selected direct-to destination. Course guidance is provided until the direct-to is replaced with a new direct-to or flight plan, or cancelled.

A vertical navigation (VNV) direct-to creates a descent path (and provides guidance to stay on the path) from the current altitude to a selected altitude at the direct-to waypoint. Vertical navigation is based on barometric altitudes, not on GPS altitude, and is used for cruise and descent phases of flight.

The Direct-to Window allows selection and activation of direct-to navigation. The Direct-to Window displays selected direct-to waypoint data on the PFD and the MFD.

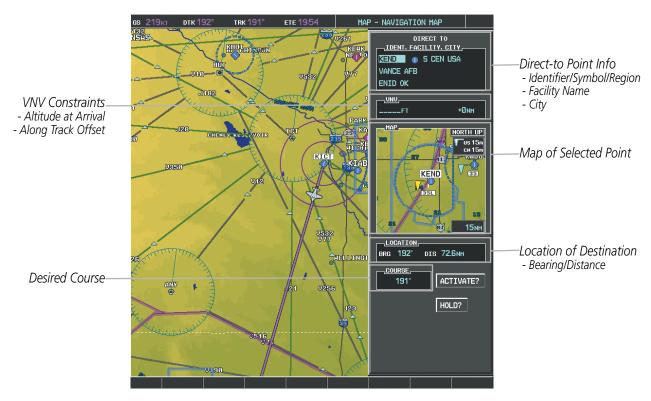


Figure 5-51 Direct-to Window - MFD





Figure 5-52 Direct-to Window - PFD

Any waypoint can be entered as a direct-to destination from the Direct-to Window.

## Entering a waypoint identifier, facility name, or city as a direct-to destination:

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key. The Direct-to Window is displayed (with the active flight plan wayoint as the default selection or a blank waypoint field if no flight plan is active).
- 2) Turn the small FMS Knob clockwise to begin entering a waypoint identifier (turning it counter-clockwise brings up the waypoint selection submenu press the CLR Key to remove it), or turn the large FMS Knob to select the facility name, or city field and turn the small FMS Knob to begin entering a facility name or city. If duplicate entries exist for the entered facility or city name, additional entries can be viewed by turning the small FMS Knob during the selection process.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The 'Activate?' field is highlighted.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to activate the direct-to.

Any waypoint contained in the active flight plan can be selected as a direct-to waypoint from the Direct-to Window, the Active Flight Plan Page, or the Active Flight Plan Window.



Figure 5-53 Waypoint Submenu



## Selecting an active flight plan waypoint as a direct-to destination:

- 1) While navigating an active flight plan, press the **Direct-to** Key. The Direct-to Window is displayed with the active flight plan waypoint as the default selection.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob counter-clockwise to display a list of flight plan waypoints (the FPL list is populated only when navigating a flight plan).
- **3)** Select the desired waypoint.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

Or:

- 1) Select the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD, or the Active Flight Plan Window on the PFD.
- **2)** Select the desired waypoint.
- 3) Press the **Direct-to** Key.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

Any NRST, RECENT, USER, or AIRWAY waypoint can be selected as a direct-to destination in the Direct-to Window

## Selecting a NRST, RECENT, USER, or AIRWAY waypoint as a direct-to destination:

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key. The Direct-to Window is displayed (with the active flight plan destination as the default selection or a blank destination if no flight plan is active).
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob counter-clockwise to display a list of flight plan waypoints (the FPL list is populated only when navigating a flight plan).
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise to display the NRST, RECENT, USER, or AIRWAY waypoints.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob clockwise to select the desired waypoint.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

The Direct-to Window can be displayed from any page and allows selection and activation of direct-to navigation. If the direct-to is initiated from any page except the WPT pages, the default waypoint is the active flight plan waypoint (if a flight plan is active) or a blank waypoint field. Direct-to requests on any WPT page defaults to the displayed waypoint.

### Selecting any waypoint as a direct-to destination:

- 1) Select the page or window containing the desired waypoint type and select the desired waypoint.
- 2) Press the **Direct-to** Key to display the Direct-to Window with the selected waypoint as the direct-to destination.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **4)** Press **ENT** again to activate the direct-to.



## Selecting a nearby airport as a direct-to destination:

- 1) Select the **NRST** Softkey on the PFD; or turn the **FMS** Knob to display the Nearest Airports Page and press the **FMS** Knob.
- **2)** Select the desired airport (the nearest one is already selected).
- **3)** Press the **Direct-to** Key.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

Direct-to destinations may also be selected by using the pointer on the navigation map pages. If no airport, NAVAID, or user waypoint exists at the desired location, a temporary waypoint named 'MAPWPT' is automatically created at the location of the map arrow.

## Selecting a waypoint as a direct-to destination using the pointer:

- 1) From a navigation map page, press the **Joystick** to display the pointer.
- **2)** Move the **Joystick** to place the pointer at the desired destination location.
- 3) If the pointer is placed on an existing airport, NAVAID, or user waypoint, the waypoint name is highlighted.
- **4)** Press the **Direct-to** Key to display the Direct-to Window with the selected point entered as the direct-to destination.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

## **Cancelling a Direct-to:**

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key to display the Direct-to Window.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Cancel Direct-To NAV' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. If a flight plan is still active, the G1000 resumes navigating the flight plan along the closest leg.



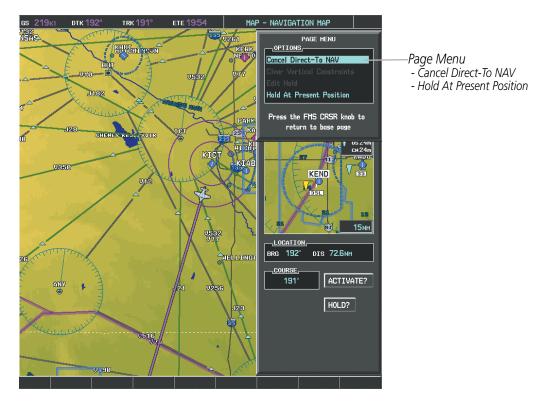


Figure 5-54 Direct-to Window - Cancelling Direct-to Navigation

When navigating a direct-to, the G1000 sets a direct great circle course to the selected destination. The course to a destination can also be manually selected using the course field ('COURSE') on the Direct-to Window.

## Selecting a manual direct-to course:

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key. The Direct-to Window is displayed with the destination field highlighted.
- **2)** Highlight the course field.
- **3)** Enter the desired course.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

## Reselecting the direct course from the current position:

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key. The Direct-to Window is displayed with the destination field highlighted.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed on 'ACTIVATE?'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key again to activate the direct-to.

A direct-to with altitude constraints creates a descent path (and provides guidance to stay on the path) from the aircraft's current altitude to the altitude of the direct-to waypoint. The altitude is reached at the waypoint, or at the specified distance along the flight path if an offset distance has been entered. All VNV altitudes prior to the direct-to destination are removed from the active flight plan upon successful activation of a direct-to destination that is



part of the active flight plan. All VNV altitudes following the direct-to waypoint are retained. See the section on Vertical Navigation for more information regarding the use and purpose of VNV altitudes and offset distances.

## Entering a VNV altitude and along-track offset for the waypoint:

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key to display the Direct-to Window.
- **2)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to place the cursor over the 'VNV' altitude field.
- **3)** Enter the desired altitude.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The option to select MSL or AGL is now displayed.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'MSL' or 'AGL'.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now flashing in the VNV offset distance field.
- **7)** Enter the desired along-track distance before the waypoint.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key. The 'Activate?' field is highlighted.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key to activate.

## Removing a VNV altitude constraint:

- 1) Press the **Direct-to** Key to display the Direct-to Window.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Clear Vertical Constraints' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.

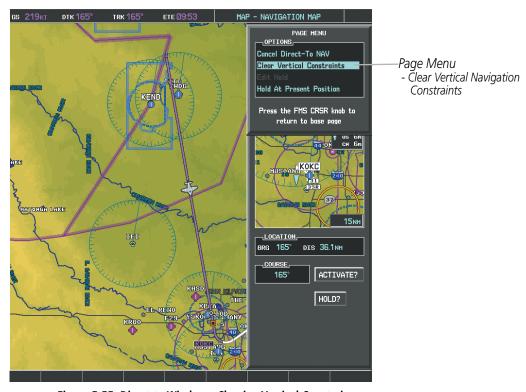


Figure 5-55 Direct-to Window - Clearing Vertical Constraints



## 5.6 FLIGHT PLANNING

Flight planning on the G1000 consists of building a flight plan by entering waypoints one at a time, adding waypoints along airways, and inserting departures, airways, arrivals, or approaches as needed. The G1000 allows flight planning information to be entered from either the MFD or PFD. The flight plan is displayed on maps using different line widths, colors, and types, based on the type of leg and the segment of the flight plan currently being flown (departure, enroute, arrival, approach, or missed approach).

Flight Plan Leg Type	Symbol
Active Course Leg (TOPO On) Active Course Leg (TOPO Off)	
Active Heading Leg (TOPO On) Active Heading Leg (TOPO Off)	
Course Leg in the current flight segment (TOPO On) Course Leg in the current flight segment (TOPO Off)	
Course Leg not in the current flight segment (TOPO On) Course Leg not in the current flight segment (TOPO Off)	
Heading Leg (TOPO On) Heading Leg (TOPO Off)	
Turn Anticipation Arc (TOPO On/TOPO Off)	

Table 5-7 Flight Plan Leg Symbols

Up to 99 flight plans with up to 99 waypoints each can be created and stored in memory. One flight plan can be activated at a time and becomes the active flight plan. The active flight plan is erased when the system is turned off and overwritten when another flight plan is activated. When storing flight plans with an approach, departure, or arrival, the G1000 uses the waypoint information from the current database to define the waypoints. If the database is changed or updated, the G1000 automatically updates the information if the procedure has not been modified. If an approach, departure, or arrival procedure is no longer available, the procedure is deleted from the affected stored flight plan(s), and an alert is displayed (see Miscellaneous Messages in Appendix A) advising that one or more stored flight plans need to be edited.

Whenever an approach, departure, or arrival procedure is loaded into the active flight plan, a set of approach, departure, or arrival waypoints is inserted into the flight plan along with a header line describing the instrument procedure the pilot selected. The original enroute portion of the flight plan remains active (unless an instrument procedure is activated) when the procedure is loaded.



When the database is updated, the airways need to be reloaded also. Each airway segment is reloaded from the database given the entry waypoint, the airway identifier and the exit waypoint. This reloads the sequence of waypoints between the entry and exit waypoints (the sequence may change when the database is updated). The update of an airway can fail during this process. If that happens, the airway waypoints are changed to regular (non-airway) flight plan waypoints, and an alert is displayed (see Miscellaneous Messages in Appendix A).

The following could cause the airway update to fail:

- Airway identifier, entry waypoint or exit waypoint not found in the new database.
- Airway entry/exit waypoint is not an acceptable waypoint for the airway either the waypoint is no longer on the airway, or there is a new directional restriction that prevents it being used.
- Loading the new airway sequence would exceed the capacity of the flight plan.

## FLIGHT PLAN CREATION

There are three methods to create or modify a flight plan:

- Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD (create/modify the active flight plan)
- Active Flight Plan Window on the PFD (create/modify the active flight plan)
- Flight Plan Catalog Page on the MFD (create/modify a stored flight plan)

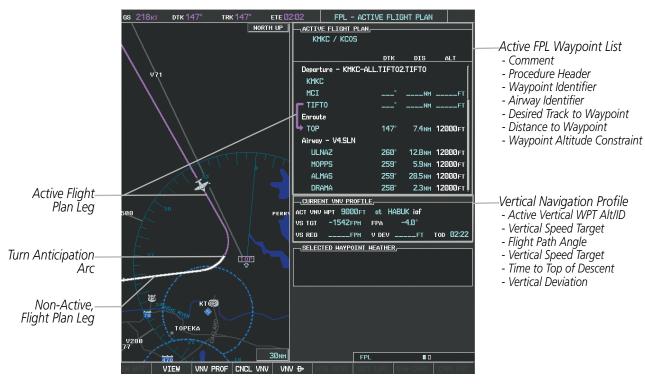


Figure 5-56 Active Flight Plan Page





Figure 5-57 Active Flight Plan Window on PFD

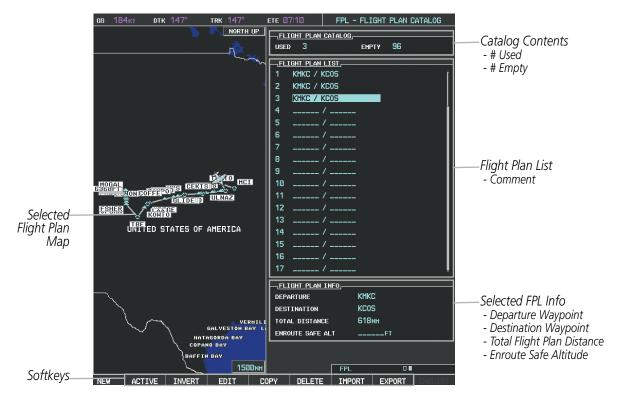


Figure 5-58 Flight Plan Catalog Page



The active flight plan is listed on the active Flight Plan Page on the MFD, and in the Active Flight Plan Window on the PFD. It is the flight plan to which the G1000 is currently providing guidance, and is shown on the navigation maps. Stored flight plans are listed on the Flight Plan Catalog Page, and are available for activation (becomes the active flight plan).

## **Creating an active flight plan:**

- 1) Press the FPL Key.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (only on MFD).
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window. (Turning it clockwise displays a blank Waypoint Information Window, turning it counter-clockwise displays the Waypoint Information Window with a waypoint selection submenu allowing selection of active flight plan, nearest, recent, user, or airway waypoints).
- **4)** Enter the identifier, facility, or city name of the departure waypoint or select a waypoint from the submenu of waypoints and press the **ENT** Key. The active flight plan is modified as each waypoint is entered.
- **5)** Repeat step numbers 3 and 4 to enter each additional flight plan waypoint.
- **6)** When all waypoints have been entered, press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.

## Creating a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the FPL Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Select the **NEW** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Create New Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key to display a blank flight plan for the first empty storage location.
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window. (Turning it clockwise displays a blank Waypoint Information Window, turning it counter-clockwise displays the Waypoint Information Window with a waypoint selection submenu allowing selection of active flight plan, nearest, recent, user, or airway waypoints).
- **5)** Enter the identifier, facility, or city name of the departure waypoint or select a waypoint from the submenu of waypoints and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Repeat step numbers 4 and 5 to enter each additional flight plan waypoint.
- 7) When all waypoints have been entered, press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Flight Plan Catalog Page. The new flight plan is now in the list.



Flight plans can be imported from an SD Card or exported to an SD Card from the Stored Flight Plan Page.

## Importing a Flight Plan from an SD Card

- 1) Insert the SD card containing the flight plan in the top card slot on the MFD.
- Press the FPL Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 4) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **5)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to highlight an empty or existing flight plan.
- 6) Press the **IMPORT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select "Import Flight Plan", and press the **ENT** Key. If an empty slot is selected, a list of the available flight plans on the SD card will be displayed.

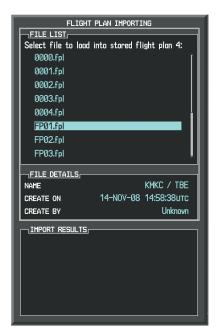
#### Or:

If an existing flight plan is selected, an "Overwrite existing flight plan? OK or CANCEL" prompt is displayed. Press the **ENT** Key to choose to overwrite the selected flight plan and see the list of available flight plans on the SD card. If overwriting the existing flight plan is not desired, select "CANCEL" using the **FMS** Knob, press the **ENT** Key, select another flight plan slot, and press the **IMPORT** Softkey again.

- 7) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan for importing.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key to initiate the import.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key again to confirm the import.

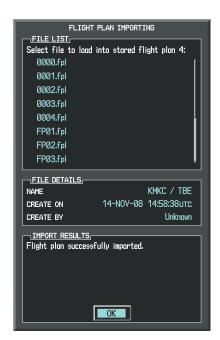


Import/Export Softkeys



List of Flight Plans to Import & Details for the Selected File

Figure 5-59 Flight Plan Import



Import Successful





**NOTE:** If the imported flight plan contains a waypoint with a name that duplicates the name of a waypoint already stored on the system, the system compares the coordinates of the imported waypoint with those of the existing waypoint. If the coordinates are different, the imported waypoint is automatically renamed by adding characters to the end of the name.

## **Exporting a Flight Plan to an SD Card**

- Insert the SD card into the top card slot on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 4) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the flight plan to be exported.
- 6) Press the **EXPORT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select "Export Flight Plan".
- 7) If desired, change the name for the exported file by turning the large **FMS** Knob to the left to highlight the name, then use the small and large **FMS** knobs to enter the new name, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key to initiate the export.
- 9) Press the ENT Key to confirm the export.



**NOTE:** The exported flight plan will not contain any procedures or airways.



Import/Export Softkeys



Stored Flight Plan to be Exported & Exported Flight Plan Name





**Export Successful** 



## ADDING WAYPOINTS TO AN EXISTING FLIGHT PLAN

Waypoints can be added to the active flight plan or any stored flight plan. Choose the flight plan, select the desired point of insertion, enter the waypoint, and it is added in front of the selected waypoint. Flight plans are limited to 99 waypoints (including waypoints within airways and procedures). If the number of waypoints in the flight plan exceeds 99, the message "Flight plan is full. Remove unnecessary waypoints." appears and the new waypoint(s) are not added to the flight plan.



Figure 5-61 Stored Flight Plan Page



Figure 5-62 Active Flight Plan Page - FPL Full



## Adding a waypoint to a stored flight plan:

- 1) On the Flight Plan Catalog Page, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **2)** Highlight the desired flight plan.
- 3) Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **ENT** Key, turn the large **FMS** Knob clockwise to select "EDIT" and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- **4)** Select the point in the flight plan to add the new waypoint. The new waypoint is placed directly in front of the highlighted waypoint.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window. (Turning it clockwise displays a blank Waypoint Information Window, turning it counter-clockwise displays the Waypoint Information Window with a waypoint selection submenu allowing selection of active flight plan, nearest, recent, user, or airway waypoints).
- **6)** Enter the identifier, facility, or city name of the waypoint or select a waypoint from the submenu of waypoints and press the **ENT** Key. The new waypoint now exists in the flight plan.



**NOTE:** If the identifier entered in the Waypoint Information Window has duplicates, a Duplicate Waypoint Window is displayed. Use the FMS Knob to select the correct waypoint.



Figure 5-63 Duplicate Waypoints Window

## Adding a waypoint to the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the FPL Key.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD).
- 3) Select the point in the flight plan before which to add the new waypoint. The new waypoint is placed directly in front of the highlighted waypoint.
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window. (Turning it clockwise displays a blank Waypoint Information Window, turning it counter-clockwise displays the Waypoint Information Window with a waypoint selection submenu allowing selection of active flight plan, nearest, recent, user, or airway waypoints).
- **5)** Enter the identifier, facility, or city name of the waypoint or select a waypoint from the submenu of waypoints and press the **ENT** Key. The active flight plan is modified as each waypoint is entered.



## Creating and adding user waypoints to the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **Joystick** to activate the panning function on the Active Flight Plan Page and pan to the map location of the desired user waypoint.
- 2) Select the **LD WPT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Load Waypoint', and press the **ENT** Key. The user waypoint is created with a name of USRxxx (using the next available in sequence) and is added to the end of the active flight plan.

## ADDING AIRWAYS TO A FLIGHT PLAN

Airways can be added to the active flight plan or any stored flight plan. Choose a flight plan (add the desired airway entry point if not already in the flight plan), select the waypoint after the desired airway entry point, select the airway, and it is added in front of the selected waypoint. An airway can only be loaded if there is a waypoint in the flight plan that is part of the desired airway and is not part of an arrival or approach procedure. The G1000 also anticipates the desired airway and exit point based on loaded flight plan waypoints.



Figure 5-64 Select Airway Page - Selecting Airway

### Adding an airway to a flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD).
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the waypoint after the desired airway entry point. If this waypoint is not a valid airway entry point, a valid entry point should be entered at this time.



- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob one click clockwise and select the **LD AIRWY** Softkey, or press the **MENU** Key and select "Load Airway". The Select Airway Page is displayed. The **LD AIRWY** Softkey or the "Load Airway" menu item is available only when a valid airway entry waypoint has been chosen (the waypoint ahead of the cursor position).
- 5) Turn the **FMS** Knob to select the desired airway from the list, and press the **ENT** Key. Low altitude airways are shown first in the list, followed by "all" altitude airways, and then high altitude airways.
- **6)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to select the desired airway exit point from the list, and press the **ENT** Key. 'LOAD?' is highlighted.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key. The system returns to editing the flight plan with the new airway inserted.

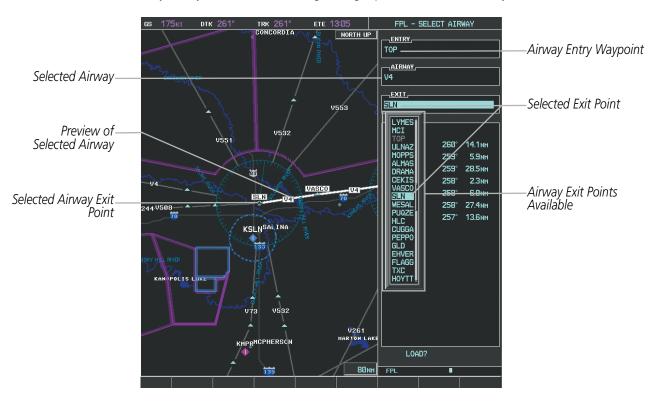


Figure 5-65 Select Airway Page - Selecting Exit Point



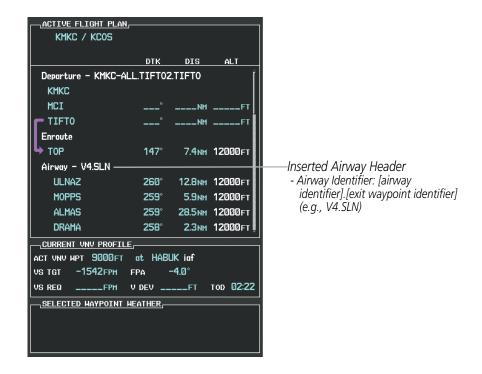


Figure 5-66 Active Flight Plan Page - Airway Inserted

#### RESTRICTIONS ON ADDING AIRWAYS

Some airways have directional restrictions on all or part of the route. For example, Airway "A2" in Europe has a directional restriction over the whole route such that it can be flown only in the direction MTD-ABB-BNE-DEVAL.

Airway "UR975" in North Africa has more complicated directional restrictions within the list of airway waypoints AMANO, VAKOR, LIBRO, NELDA, DIRKA, GZO, KOSET, and SARKI:

- Starting from AMANO, the airway can be flown only to LIBRO.
- Starting from SARKI, the airway can be flown only to LIBRO.
- Between NELDA and GZO, the airway can be flown in either direction.

In the US, airways that are "one-way" for specified hours of operation are not uncommon. These airways are always bidirectional in the G1000 database.

The system only allows correct airway sequences to be inserted. If the pilot subsequently inverts the flight plan, the system inverts the airway waypoint sequence and removes the airway header.



## ADDING PROCEDURES TO A STORED FLIGHT PLAN

The G1000 allows the pilot to insert pre-defined instrument procedures from the navigation database into a flight plan. The procedures are designed to facilitate routing of traffic leaving an airport (departure), arriving at an airport (arrival), and landing at an airport (approach). See the procedures section for more details.

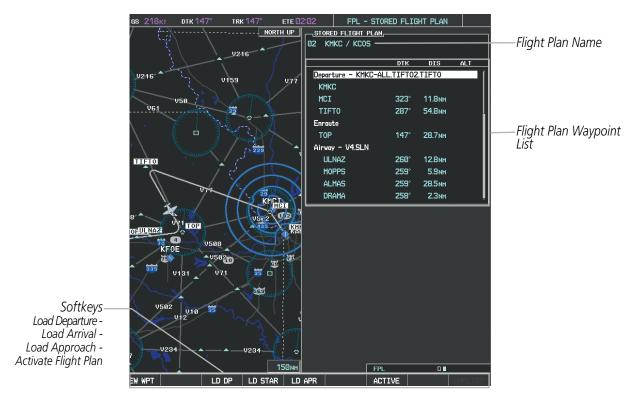


Figure 5-67 Stored Flight Plan Page



## **DEPARTURE (DP)**

A Departure Procedure (DP) is loaded at the departure airport in the flight plan. Only one departure can be loaded at a time in a flight plan. The route is defined by selection of a departure, the transition waypoints, and a runway.

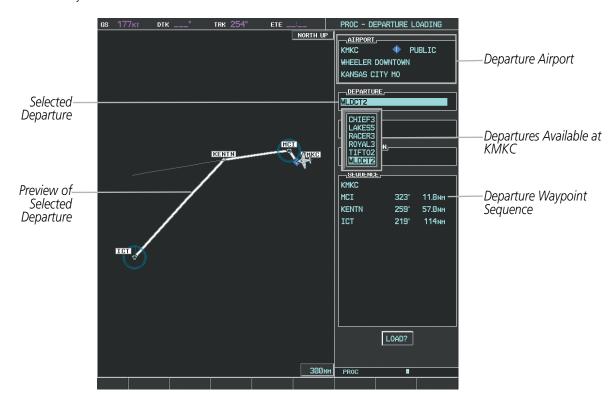


Figure 5-68 Departure Loading Page - Selecting the Departure

### Loading a departure procedure into a stored flight plan:

- 1) Select a stored flight plan from the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- 3) Select the **LD DP** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select "Load Departure", and press the **ENT** Key. The Departure Loading Page is displayed.
- **4)** Select a departure. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Select a runway served by the selected departure, if required. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Select a transition for the selected departure. Press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Press the **ENT** Key to load the selected departure procedure.





Figure 5-69 Departure Loading Page - Selecting Transition

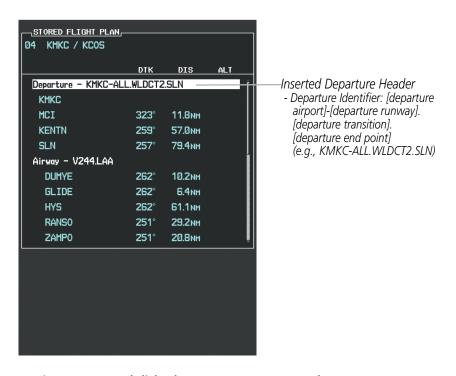


Figure 5-70 Stored Flight Plan Page - Departure Inserted



## **ARRIVAL (STAR)**

A Standard Terminal Arrival (STAR) is loaded at the destination airport in the flight plan. Only one arrival can be loaded at a time in a flight plan. The route is defined by selection of an arrival, the transition waypoints, and a runway.

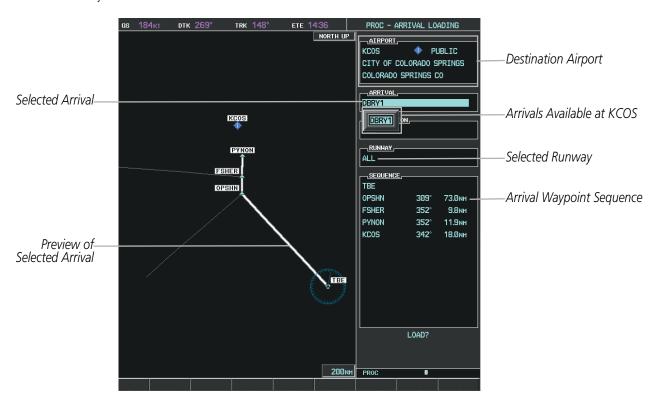


Figure 5-71 Arrival Loading Page - Selecting the Arrival

### Loading an arrival procedure into a stored flight plan:

- 1) Select a stored flight plan from the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- 3) Select the **LD STAR** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select "Load Arrival", and press the **ENT** Key. The Arrival Loading Page is displayed.
- **4)** Select an arrival. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Select a transition for the selected arrival. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Select a runway served by the selected arrival, if required. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the selected arrival procedure.



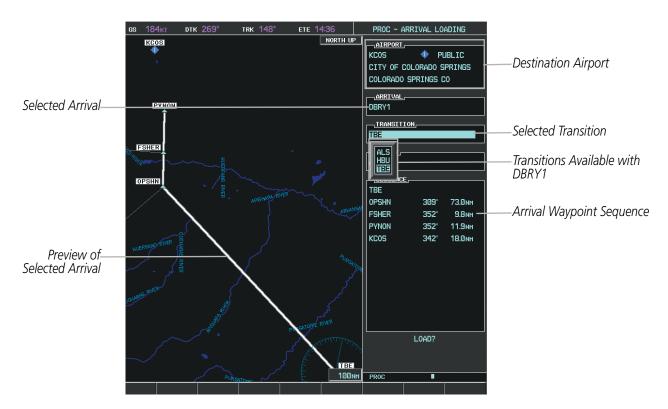


Figure 5-72 Arrival Loading Page - Selecting the Transition

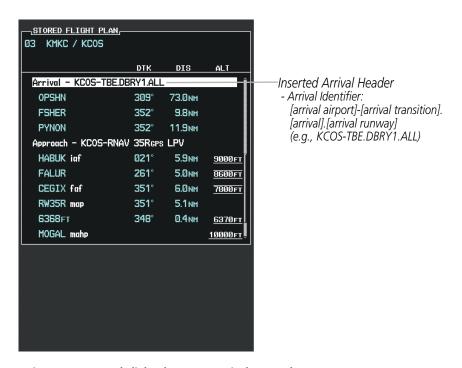


Figure 5-73 Stored Flight Plan Page - Arrival Inserted



## APPROACH (APPR)

An Approach Procedure (APPR) can be loaded at any airport that has an approach available. Only one approach can be loaded at a time in a flight plan. The route for a selected approach is defined by designating transition waypoints.



Figure 5-74 Approach Loading Page - Selecting the Approach

## Loading an approach procedure into a stored flight plan:

- 1) Select a stored flight plan from the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Press the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- 3) Press the LD APR Softkey; or press the MENU Key, select "Load Approach", and press the ENT Key. The Approach Loading Page is displayed.
- **4)** Select the airport and approach:
- a) Use the **FMS** Knob to select an airport and press the **ENT** Key.
- **b)** Select an approach from the list and press the **ENT** Key.

#### Or:

- **a)** If necessary, push the **FMS** Knob to exit the approach list, and use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the APPROACH CHANNEL field.
- **b)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the approach channel number, and press the **ENT** Key to accept the approach channel number. The airport and approach are selected.



- **5)** Select a transition for the selected approach. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the selected approach procedure.

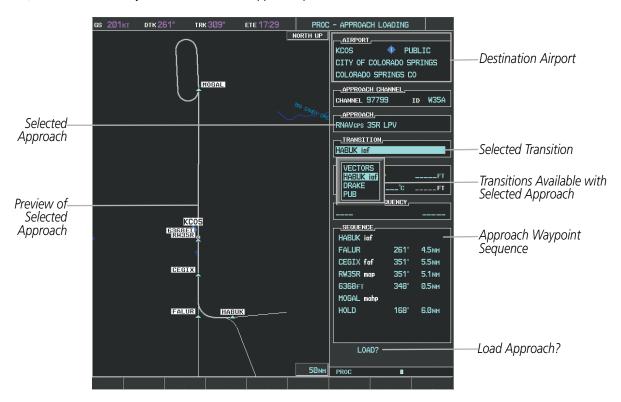


Figure 5-75 Approach Loading Page - Selecting the Transition

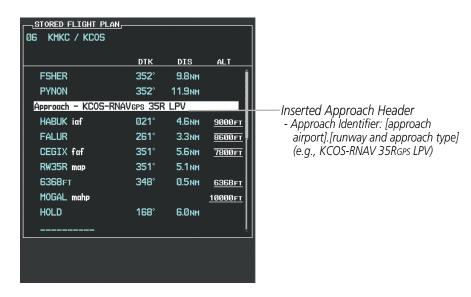


Figure 5-76 Stored Flight Plan Page - Approach Inserted



#### FLIGHT PLAN STORAGE

The G1000 can store up to 99 flight plans, numbered 1 through 99. The active flight plan is erased when the G1000 is powered off or when another flight plan is activated. Details about each stored flight plan can be viewed on the Flight Plan Catalog Page and on the Stored Flight Plan Page.

### Viewing information about a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key on the MFD to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise one click to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor and turn the FMS Knob to highlight the desired flight plan.
- 4) The Flight Plan Information is displayed showing departure, destination, total distance, and enroute safe altitude information for the selected Flight Plan.
- 5) Select the **EDIT** Softkey to open the Stored Flight Plan Page and view the waypoints in the flight plan.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to exit the Stored Flight Plan Page.

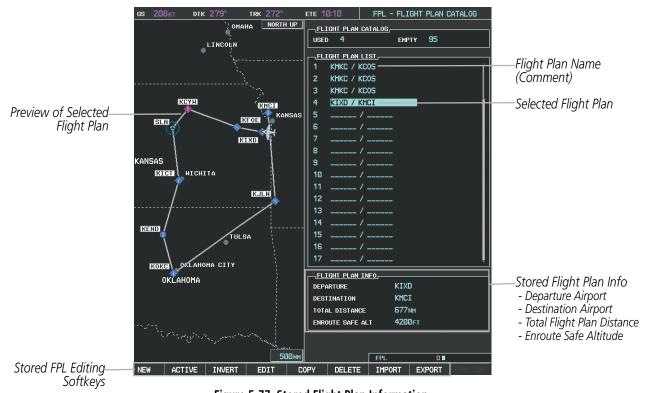


Figure 5-77 Stored Flight Plan Information

## Storing an active flight plan from the Active Flight Plan Page or the Active Flight Plan Window:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Highlight 'Store Flight Plan'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. The flight plan is stored in the next available position in the flight plan list on the Flight Plan Catalog Page.



### ACTIVATE A FLIGHT PLAN

Activating a stored flight plan erases the active flight plan and replaces it with the flight plan being activated. Inverting a stored flight plan reverses the waypoint order, erases the active flight plan, and replaces it with the flight plan being activated (the stored flight plan is not changed).

## Activating a stored flight plan on the MFD:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key and turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan.
- 3) Select the **ACTIVE** Softkey; or press the **ENT** Key twice; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Activate Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The 'Activate Stored Flight Plan?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

## Inverting and activating a stored flight plan on the MFD:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key and turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan.
- 3) Select the **INVERT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Invert & Activate FPL?', and press the **ENT** Key. The 'Invert and activate stored flight plan?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

#### COPY A FLIGHT PLAN

The G1000 allows copying a flight plan into a new flight plan memory slot, allowing editing, etc., without affecting the original flight plan. This can be used to duplicate an existing stored flight plan for use in creating a modified version of the original stored flight plan.

## Copying a stored flight plan on the MFD:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key and turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan.
- 3) Select the **COPY** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Copy Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The 'Copy to Flight Plan XX?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key to copy the flight plan. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

#### **DELETE A STORED FLIGHT PLAN**

Individual or all stored flight plans can be deleted from the G1000 memory.

### Deleting a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key and turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan.



- 3) Select the **DELETE** Softkey; press the **CLR** Key; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Delete Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The 'Delete Flight Plan XX?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key to delete the flight plan. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.



**NOTE:** The option to delete all stored flight plans is not available while the aircraft is in flight.

## **Deleting all stored flight plans:**

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key and turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Highlight 'Delete All' and press the **ENT** Key. A 'Delete all flight plans?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key to delete all flight plans. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

### FLIGHT PLAN EDITING

The active flight plan or any stored flight plan can be edited. The edits made to the active flight plan affect navigation as soon as they are entered.

### **DELETING THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN**

The G1000 allows deleting an active flight plan. Deleting the active flight plan suspends navigation by the G1000.

## Deleting the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Delete Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. The 'Delete all waypoints in flight plan?' window is displayed.
- **3)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key to delete the active flight plan. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

### **DELETING FLIGHT PLAN ITEMS**

Individual waypoints, entire airways, and entire procedures can be deleted from a flight plan. Some waypoints in the final approach segment (such as the FAF or MAP) can not be deleted individually. Attempting to delete a waypoint that is not allowed results in a window displaying 'Invalid flight plan modification.'

### Deleting an individual waypoint from the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the waypoint to be deleted.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. The 'Remove XXXXX?' window is displayed.

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- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## Deleting an entire airway from the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the white header of the airway to be deleted.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. The 'Remove <airway name>?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## Deleting an entire procedure from the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the white header of the procedure to be deleted.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. The 'Remove cprocedure name from flight plan?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Remove coedure'.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

## Deleting an individual waypoint from a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise one click to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the flight plan to be edited.
- **4)** Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan' and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the waypoint to be deleted.
- **6)** Press the **CLR** Key. The 'Remove XXXXX?' window is displayed.



- 7) With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## Deleting an entire airway from a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise one click to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the flight plan to be edited.
- **4)** Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan' and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the white header of the airway to be deleted.
- **6)** Press the **CLR** Key. The 'Remove <airway name>?' window is displayed.
- 7) With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## Deleting an entire procedure from a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise one click to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the flight plan to be edited.
- **4)** Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan' and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the white header of the procedure to be deleted.
- **6)** Press the **CLR** Key. The 'Remove cprocedure name from flight plan?' window is displayed.
- 7) With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- Turn the small FMS Knob clockwise one click to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the flight plan to be edited.
- **4)** Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan' and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- 5) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Remove cedure>'.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. The 'Remove procedure name> from flight plan?' window is displayed.



- 7) With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## **CHANGING FLIGHT PLAN COMMENTS (NAMES)**

The comment field (or name) of each flight plan can be changed to something that is useful for identification and sorting.

## Changing the active flight plan comment:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the comment field.
- 3) Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the comment.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the changes.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## **Changing a stored flight plan comment:**

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise one click to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the flight plan to be edited.
- **4)** Select the **EDIT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, select 'Edit Flight Plan' and press the **ENT** Key. The Stored Flight Plan Page is displayed.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the comment field.
- **6)** Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the comment.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the changes.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



#### ALONG TRACK OFFSETS

A waypoint having an "along track offset" distance from an existing waypoint can be entered into a flight plan. Along track offset waypoints lie along the path of the existing flight plan, and can be used to make the system reach a specified altitude before or after reaching the specified flight plan waypoint. Offset distances can be entered from 1 to 999 nm in increments of 1 nm. Entering a negative offset distance results in an along track offset waypoint inserted before the selected waypoint, whereas entering a positive offset distance results in an along track offset waypoint inserted after the selected waypoint. Multiple offset waypoints are allowed.

A waypoint must be adjacent to its parent waypoint in the flight plan, so the system limits the along-track distance to less than the length of the leg before or after the selected waypoint. If the selected waypoint is the active waypoint, the distance is limited to less than the distance to go to the active waypoint. Assigning an along track offset to a leg with indeterminate length is not permitted. An along track offset is not allowed at or after the final approach fix of an approach.

An along track offset distance cannot be modified once entered. If the along track offset distance must be changed, the existing along track offset waypoint must be deleted and a new one created with the new offset distance.



Figure 5-78 Along Track Offset

### Entering an along track offset distance:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the waypoint for the along track offset.



- 3) Select the **ATK OFST** Softkey (MFD only); or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Create ATK Offset Waypoint', and press the **ENT** Key.
- 4) Enter a positive or negative offset distance in the range of  $\pm$ 1 to 999 nm (limited by leg distances).
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to create the offset waypoint.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

### PARALLEL TRACK

The Parallel Track (PTK) feature allows creation of a parallel course offset of 1 to 50 nm left or right of the current flight plan. When Parallel Track is activated, the course line drawn on the map pages shows the parallel course, and waypoint names have a lower case "p" placed after the identifier.

Using direct-to, loading an approach, a holding pattern, or editing and activating the flight plan automatically cancels Parallel Track. Parallel Track is also cancelled if a course change occurs greater than 120° or the parallel tracks overlap as a result of the course change.



**NOTE:** Vertical navigation is unavailable while the Parallel Track feature is active.

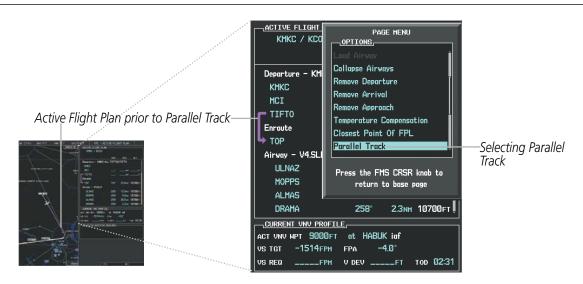


Figure 5-79 Active Flight Plan Window - Selecting Parallel Track

## **Activating parallel track:**

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Parallel Track', and press the **ENT** Key. The Parallel Track Window is displayed with the direction field highlighted.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'Left' or 'Right' and press the **ENT** Key. The 'DISTANCE' field is highlighted.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter a distance from 1-99 nm and press the **ENT** Key. 'ACTIVATE PARALLEL TRACK' is highlighted.
- 5) Press the **ENT** Key to activate parallel track. Press the **FMS** Knob or the **CLR** Key to cancel the parallel track activation.



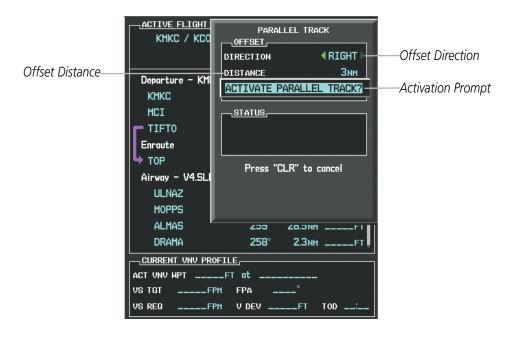


Figure 5-80 Parallel Track Window

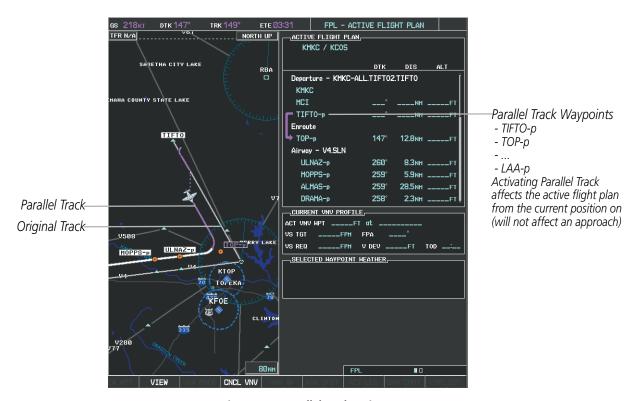


Figure 5-81 Parallel Track Active

If the parallel track proposed by the offset direction and distance is not allowed by the system, the activation prompt is displayed, but disabled. Parallel Track cannot be activated if a course is set using direct-to or if the active leg is the first leg of the departure procedure. Attempting to activate parallel track with these conditions results in the message 'Parallel Track Unavailable Invalid Route Geometry'. If an approach leg is active the status indicates that the system is unable to activate the parallel track with the message 'Parallel Track Unavailable



Approach Leg Active'. If the offset direction and distance results in an unreasonable route geometry the status indicates that the system is unable to activate the parallel track because of invalid geometry.

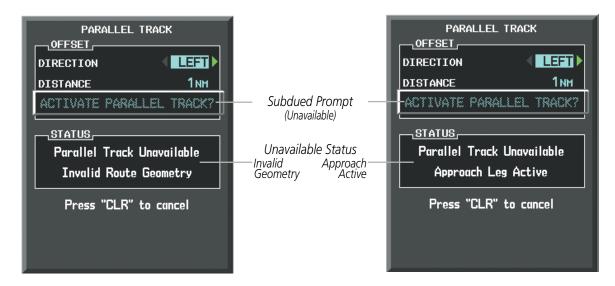


Figure 5-82 Parallel Track Unavailable

If the active leg is not a track between two fixes (TF) or a course to a fix (DF) leg, the status indicates that the system is unable to activate the parallel track because parallel track is not available for the active leg type.

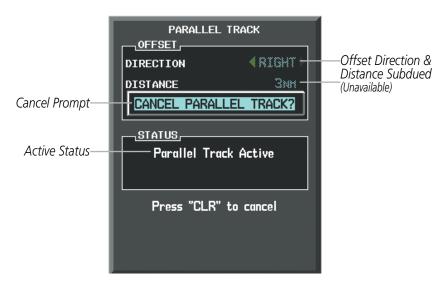


Figure 5-83 Cancelling Parallel Track

#### Cancelling parallel track:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Parallel Track', and press the **ENT** Key. The Parallel Track Window is displayed with 'CANCEL PARALLEL TRACK?' highlighted.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.



## **ACTIVATING A FLIGHT PLAN LEG**

The G1000 allows selection of a highlighted leg as the "active leg" (the flight plan leg which is currently used for navigation guidance).

# Activating a flight plan leg:

- 1) Press the FPL Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the destination waypoint for the desired leg.
- 3) Select the **ACT LEG** Softkey (MFD only); or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Activate Leg', and press the **ENT** Key. A confirmation window is displayed with 'ACTIVATE' highlighted.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to activate the flight plan leg. To cancel, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

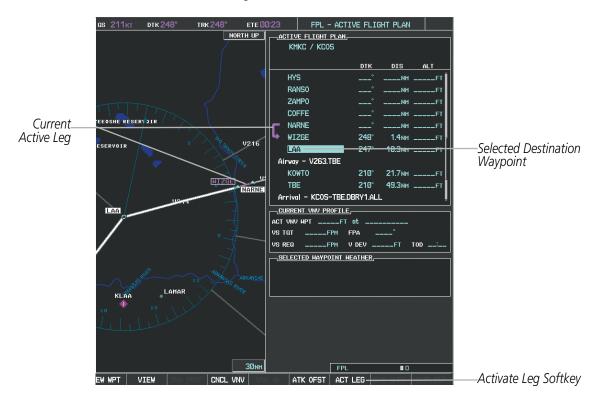


Figure 5-84 Active Flight Plan Page - Selecting the Leg Destination Waypoint



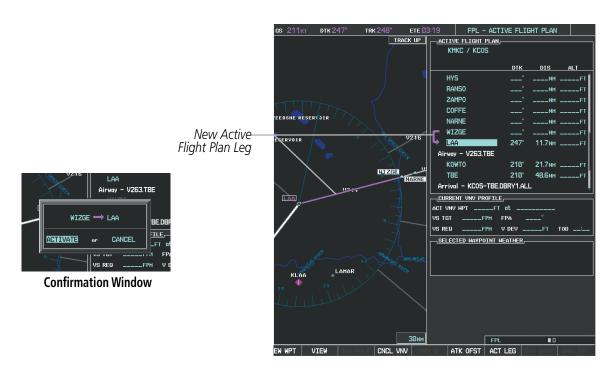


Figure 5-85 Active Flight Plan Page - New Active Leg

#### INVERTING A FLIGHT PLAN

Any flight plan may be inverted (reversed) for navigation back to the original departure point.

#### Inverting the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Invert Flight Plan', and press the **ENT** Key. An 'Invert Active Flight Plan?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **3)** Select 'OK'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to invert and activate the active flight plan. To cancel, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

## Inverting and activating a stored flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key and turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Flight Plan Catalog Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan.
- 3) Select the **INVERT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Invert & Activate FPL?', and press the **ENT** Key. The 'Invert and activate stored flight plan?' window is displayed.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the request, press the **CLR** Key, or highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.



#### FLIGHT PLAN VIEWS

Information about flight plans can be viewed in more than one way. The active flight plan can be configured to show cumulative distance over the length of the flight plan or the distance for each leg of the flight plan; and the active flight plan can be viewed in a narrow or wide view. In the wide view, additional information is displayed: Fuel Remaining (FUEL REM), Estimated Time Enroute (ETE), Estimated Time of Arrival (ETA), and Bearing to the waypoint (BRG).

#### Switching between leg-to-leg waypoint distance and cumulative waypoint distance:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key on the MFD to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Select the **VIEW** Softkey to display the **CUM** and **LEG-LEG** Softkeys.
- 3) Select the **CUM** Softkey to view cumulative waypoint distance, or select the **LEG-LEG** Softkey to view leg-to-leg waypoint distance.
- **4)** Select the **BACK** Softkey to return to the top level active flight plan softkeys.

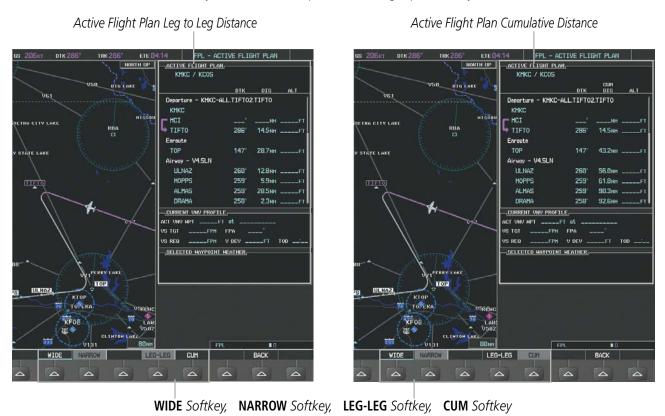


Figure 5-86 Active Flight Plan - Leg to Leg vs. Cumulative Distance



## Switching between wide and narrow view:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key on the MFD to display the Active Flight Plan Page.
- 2) Select the **VIEW** Softkey to display the **WIDE** and **NARROW** Softkeys.
- 3) Select the **WIDE** Softkey to display the wide view, or select the **NARROW** Softkey to display the narrow view.
- **4)** Select the **BACK** Softkey to return to the top level active flight plan softkeys.



WIDE Softkey, NARROW Softkey, LEG-LEG Softkey, CUM Softkey

Figure 5-87 Active Flight Plan - Wide vs. Narrow View



#### **COLLAPSING AIRWAYS**

The G1000 allows airways on the active flight plan to be collapsed or expanded from the Active Flight Plan Page/Window. When airways have been collapsed, it is indicated on the airway heading.

When airways are collapsed, leg-to-leg computed values such as DIS or ETE shown for the exit waypoint reflect the total of all the legs on the airway that have been hidden in the collapsed display. The DTK value is inhibited because it is not usable in this context.

The Active Flight Plan Page always keeps the following three waypoints visible: "From" waypoint, "To" waypoint, and "Next" waypoint. To prevent one or more of these waypoints from being hidden in a collapsed airway segment, the airway segment that contains either the "To" or the "Next" waypoint is automatically expanded. When an airway is loaded, airways are automatically expanded to facilitate flight plan review.

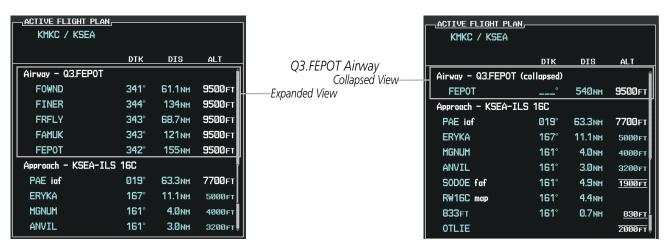


Figure 5-88 Expanded/Collapsed Airways

#### Collapsing/expanding the airways in the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Collapse Airways' or 'Expand Airways', and press the **ENT** Key. The airways are collapsed/expanded.



# **CLOSEST POINT OF FPL**

'Closest Point of FPL' calculates the bearing and closest distance at which a flight plan passes a reference waypoint, and creates a new user waypoint along the flight plan at the location closest to a chosen reference waypoint.

#### Determining the closest point along the active flight plan to a selected waypoint:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Closest Point Of FPL", and press the **ENT** Key. A window appears with the reference waypoint field highlighted.
- 3) Enter the identifier of the reference waypoint and press the ENT Key. The G1000 displays the bearing (BRG) and distance (DIS) to the closest point along the flight plan to the selected reference waypoint and creates a user waypoint at this location. The name for the new user waypoint is derived from the identifier of the reference waypoint.

#### **USER-DEFINED HOLDING PATTERNS**

A holding pattern can be defined at any active flight plan waypoint, at the aircraft present position, or at a direct-to waypoint.

#### Creating a user-defined hold at an active flight plan waypoint:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the waypoint for the hold.
- 3) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Hold At Waypoint', and press the **ENT** Key. The HOLD AT window appears with the course field highlighted.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the entry course, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'INBOUND' or 'OUTBOUND' course direction, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'TIME' or 'DIST' length mode, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the length, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 8) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'RIGHT' or 'LEFT' turn direction, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **9)** Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the Expect Further Clearance Time (EFC TIME), and press the **ENT** Key.
- **10)** Press the **ENT** Key while 'LOAD?' is highlighted to insert the hold into the flight plan.



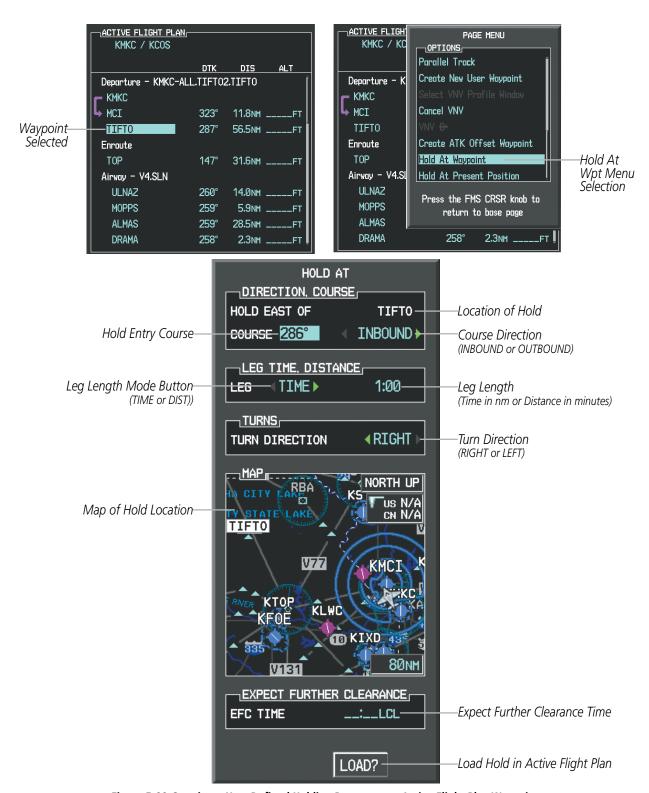


Figure 5-89 Creating a User Defined Holding Pattern at an Active Flight Plan Waypoint



#### Creating a user-defined hold at the aircraft present position:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Hold At Present Position', and press the **ENT** Key. The HOLD AT window appears with the course field highlighted.
- **3)** If desired, use the **FMS** Knobs to entry the entry course, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 4) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'INBOUND' or 'OUTBOUND' course direction, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'TIME' or 'DIST' length mode, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the length, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'RIGHT' or 'LEFT' turn direction, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the Expect Further Clearance Time (EFC TIME), and press the **ENT** Key.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key while 'ACTIVATE?' is highlighted to create an Offroute Direct-to hold waypoint and activate the hold.

#### **Creating a user-defined hold at a direct-to waypoint:**

- 1) Press a **Direct-to** Key and set up the direct-to waypoint as desired, but select 'HOLD?' instead of 'ACTIVATE?' when finished (MFD or PFD).
- 2) Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the entry course, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 3) Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'INBOUND' or 'OUTBOUND' course direction, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'TIME' or 'DIST' length mode, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the length, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Use the small **FMS** Knob to select 'RIGHT' or 'LEFT' turn direction, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Use the **FMS** Knobs to edit the Expect Further Clearance Time (EFC TIME), and press the **ENT** Key.
- 8) Press the **ENT** Key while 'ACTIVATE?' is highlighted to activate the direct-to with the user-defined hold defined at the direct-to waypoint. (If the direct-to waypoint is part of the active flight plan, the HOLD is inserted into the active flight plan. If the direct-to waypoint is not part of the active flight plan, an off-route direct-to hold is created.)

#### Exiting a user-defined hold inserted into the active flight plan:

Press the **SUSP** Softkey. The system will provide guidance to follow the holding pattern to the inbound course and resume automatic waypoint sequencing.

## Removing a user-defined hold inserted into the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor (not required on the PFD) and turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the HOLD waypoint.
- 3) Press the CLR Key. A 'Remove Holding Pattern?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** Select 'OK' and press the **ENT** Key. The holding pattern is removed from the active flight plan. Select 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key to cancel the removal of the holding pattern.



## Removing a user-defined hold at an off-route direct-to:

- 1) Press a **Direct To** Key to display the DIRECT TO Window (PFD or MFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key to display the PAGE MENU with the cursor on the 'Cancel Direct-To NAV' selection.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The holding pattern is removed.

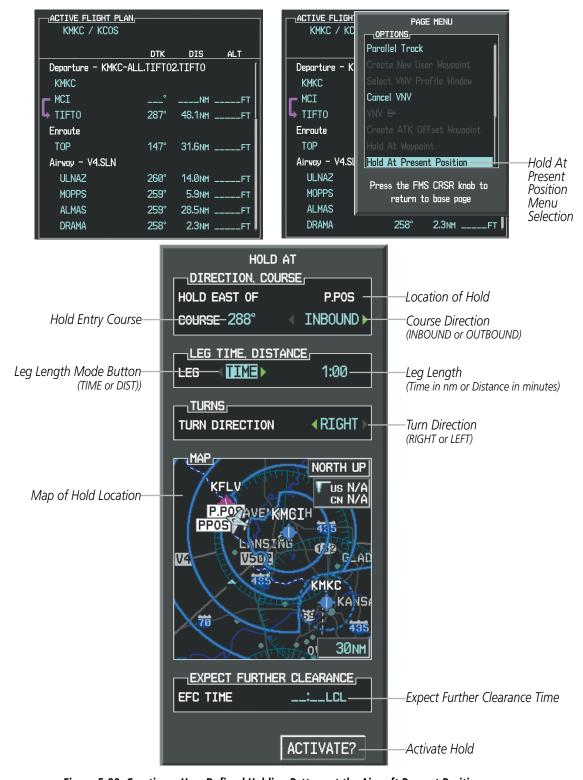


Figure 5-90 Creating a User Defined Holding Pattern at the Aircraft Present Position



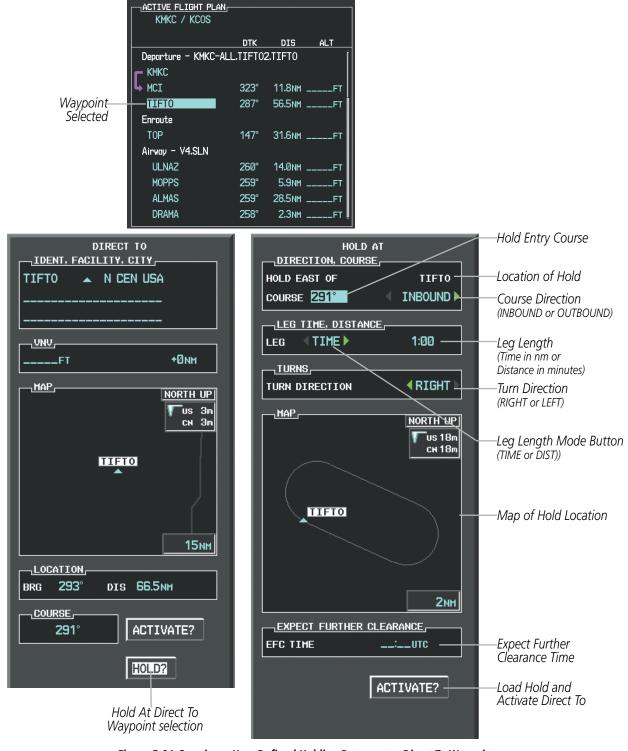


Figure 5-91 Creating a User Defined Holding Pattern at a Direct To Waypoint



# 5.7 VERTICAL NAVIGATION



**NOTE:** The G1000 supports vertical navigation for all lateral leg types except for CA, CI, FA, FM, HA, HM, PI, VA, VD, VI, VR, and VM. Vertical constraints are not retained in stored flight plans.

The G1000 system Vertical Navigation (VNV) feature provides vertical profile guidance during the enroute and teminal phases of flight. Guidance based on specified altitudes at waypoints in the active flight plan or to a direct-to waypoint is provided. It includes vertical path guidance to a descending path, which is provided as a linear deviation from the desired path. The desired path is defined by a line joining two waypoints with specified altitudes or as a vertical angle from a specified waypoint/altitude. The vertical waypoints are integrated into the active flight plan. Both manual and autopilot-coupled guidance are supported.

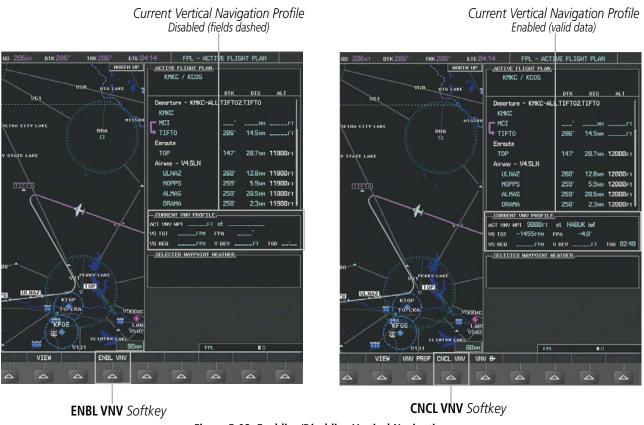


Figure 5-92 Enabling/Disabling Vertical Navigation

# **Enabling VNV guidance:**

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Select the **ENBL VNV** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Enable VNV', and press the **ENT** Key. Vertical navigation is enabled, and vertical guidance begins with the waypoint shown in the CURRENT VNV PROFILE box (defaults first waypoint in the active flight plan with an altitude enabled for vertical navigation (e.g., HABUK)).



## **Disabling VNV guidance:**

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Select the **CNCL VNV** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Cancel VNV', and press the **ENT** Key. Vertical navigation is disabled.

Canceling vertical navigation results in vertical deviation (V DEV), vertical speed required (VS REQ), and time to top of descent/bottom of descent (TIME TO TOD/BOD) going invalid. The Vertical Deviation Indicator (VDI) and Required Vertical Speed Indicator (RVSI) on the PFD are removed, and the V DEV, VS REQ, and TIME TO TOD items displayed in the CURRENT VNV PROFILE box are dashed. VNV remains disabled until manually enabled. Vertical guidance in reversionary mode can only be enabled for a direct-to waypoint.

The G1000 allows a vertical navigation direct-to to any waypoint in the active flight plan with an altitude constraint "designated" for vertical guidance. Selecting the **VNV Direct-to** Softkey on the Active Flight Plan Page allows the flight plan to be flown, while vertical guidance based on the altitude constraint at the VNV direct-to waypoint is provided. The altitude change begins immediately and is spread along the flight plan from current position to the vertical direct-to waypoint, not just along the leg for the direct-to waypoint. A direct-to with altitude constraint activated by pressing the **Direct-to** Key also provides vertical guidance, but would bypass flight plan waypoints between the current position in the flight plan and the direct-to waypoint. A top of descent (TOD) point is computed based on the default flight path angle; descent begins once the TOD is reached.

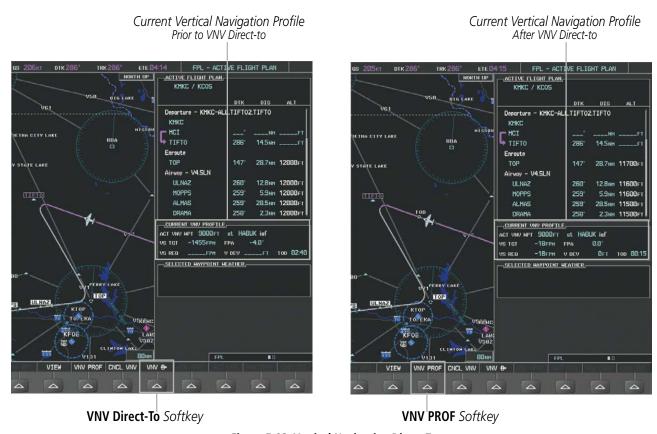


Figure 5-93 Vertical Navigation Direct-To



#### Activating a vertical navigation direct-to:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired waypoint.



**NOTE:** The selected waypoint must have a designated altitude constraint (light blue number) to be used. If not, the first waypoint in the flight plan with a designated altitude constraint is selected.

- 3) Select the **VNV Direct-To** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'VNV Direct-To', and press the **ENT** Key. An 'Activate vertical Direct-to to: NNNNNFT at XXXXXX?' confirmation window is displayed.
- 4) Press the **ENT** Key. Vertical guidance begins to the altitude constraint for the selected waypoint.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

The vertical navigation profile can be modified by directly entering a vertical speed target (VS TGT) and/or flight path angle (FPA) in the CURRENT VNV PROFILE box.

# Modifying the VS TGT and FPA:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Select the **VNV PROF** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Select VNV Profile Window', and press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now located in the CURRENT VNV PROFILE box.
- 3) Turn the **FMS** Knobs as needed to edit the values.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### ALTITUDE CONSTRAINTS

The G1000 system can use altitude constraints associated with lateral waypoints to give guidance for vertical navigation. These altitudes are, depending on the specific instance, manually entered or retrieved from the published altitudes in the navigation database.



Figure 5-94 Waypoint Altitude Constraints



	White Text	Light Blue Text	Light Blue Subdued Text
Large Text	Altitude calculated by the system estimating the altitude of the aircraft as it passes over the navigation point. This altitude is provided as a reference and is not designated to be used in determining vertical speed and deviation guidance.	Altitude has been entered manually. Altitude is designated for use in giving vertical speed and deviation guidance. Altitude does not match the published altitude in navigation database or no published altitude exists.	The system cannot use this altitude in determining vertical speed and deviation guidance because of an invalid constraint condition.
Small Text	Altitude is not designated to be used in determining vertical speed and deviation guidance. Altitude has been retrieved from the navigation database and is provided as a reference.	Altitude is designated for use in giving vertical speed and deviation guidance. Altitude has been retrieved from the navigation database or has been entered manually and matches a published altitude in the navigation database.	The system cannot use this altitude in determining vertical speed and deviation guidance because of an invalid constraint condition.

Table 5-8 Altitude Constraint Size and Color Coding

Altitudes associated with arrival and approach procedures are "auto-designated". This means the system automatically uses the altitudes loaded with the arrival or approach for giving vertical speed and deviation guidance. Note that these altitudes are displayed as blue text up to, but not including, the FAF. The FAF is always a "reference only" altitude and cannot be designated, unless the selected approach does not provide vertical guidance. In this case, the FAF altitude can be designated.

Altitudes that have been designated for use in vertical guidance can be "un-designated" using the **CLR** Key. The altitude is now displayed only as a reference. It is not used to give vertical guidance. Other displayed altitudes may change due to re-calculations or be rendered invalid as a result of manually changing an altitude to a non-designated altitude.

## Designating a waypoint altitude to be used for vertical guidance:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter editing mode.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The altitude is now shown in blue, indicating it is usable for vertical guidance.

#### Designating a procedure waypoint altitude to be used for vertical guidance:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude.
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key. The altitude is now shown in blue, indicating it is usable for vertical guidance.

Altitude constraints are displayed and entered in feet mean sea level (MSL) values to the nearest hundred. An altitude constraint in feet above ground level (AGL) format is supported for airports. When a database altitude restriction is displayed, the G1000 allows entry of a different altitude when creating a waypoint, effectively overriding the database restriction (only before the FAF). When a database altitude restriction of type "AT or ABOVE" or "AT or BELOW" is activated, the system uses the "AT" portion of the restriction to define the vertical profile.



An altitude constraint is invalid if:

- Meeting the constraint requires the aircraft to climb
- Meeting the constraint requires the maximum flight path angle (6° down) or maximum vertical speed (-6000 fpm) to be exceeded
- The altitude constraint results in a TOD behind the aircraft present position
- The constraint is within a leg type for which altitude constraints are not supported
- The altitude constraint is added to the FAF of an approach that provides vertical guidance (i.e., ILS or GPS SBAS approach)
- The altitude constraint is added to a waypoint past the FAF.

#### **Entering/modifying an altitude constraint:**

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude constraint.
- **3)** Enter an altitude constraint value using the **FMS** Knobs. To enter altitudes as a flight level, turn the small **FMS** Knob counter-clockwise past zero or clockwise past 9 on the first character, and the system automatically changes to show units of Flight Level. Turn the large **FMS** Knob clockwise to highlight the first zero and enter the three digit flight level.
- 4) Press the **ENT** Key to accept the altitude constraint; if the selected waypoint is an airport, an additional choice is displayed. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to choose 'MSL' or 'AGL', and press the **ENT** Key to accept the altitude.

Altitude constraints can be modified or deleted after having been added to the flight plan. In the event an altitude constraint is deleted and the navigation database contains an altitude restriction for the lateral waypoint, the G1000 displays the altitude restriction from the database provided no predicted altitude can be provided. The G1000 also provides a way to reinstate a published altitude constraint that has been edited.

# Deleting an altitude constraint provided by the navigation database:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude constraint.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. A 'Remove VNV altitude constraint?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** Select 'OK' and press the **ENT** Key.



#### Deleting an altitude constraint that has been manually entered:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude constraint.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. A 'Remove or Revert to published VNV altitude of nnnnnFT?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** Select 'REMOVE' and press the **ENT** Key. The manually entered altitude is deleted (it is replaced by a system calculated altitude, if available).

## Reverting a manually entered altitude constraint back to the navigation database value:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude constraint.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. A 'Remove or Revert to published VNV altitude of nnnnnFT?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** Select 'REVERT' and press the **ENT** Key. The altitude is changed to the navigation database value.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### Modifying a system calculated altitude constraint:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the desired waypoint altitude constraint.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. An 'Edit or Revert to published VNV altitude of nnnnnFT?' confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** Select 'EDIT' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Edit the value using the **FMS** Knobs, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



# 5.8 PROCEDURES

The G1000 can access the whole range of instrument procedures available. Departures (DPs), arrivals (STARs), and non-precision and precision approaches (APPRs) are stored within the database and can be loaded using any Procedures (**PROC**) Key.

The selected procedure for the departure or arrival airport is added to the active flight plan. No waypoints are required to be in the active flight plan to load procedures; however, if the departure and arrival airport are already loaded, the procedure loading window defaults to the appropriate airport, saving some time selecting the correct airport on the Procedure Loading Page. Whenever an approach is selected, the choice to either "load" or "activate" is given. "Loading" adds the approach to the end of the flight plan without immediately using it for navigation guidance. This allows continued navigation via the intermediate waypoints in the original flight plan, but keeps the procedure available on the Active Flight Plan Page for quick activation when needed. "Activating" also adds the procedure to the end of the flight plan but immediately begins to provide guidance to the first waypoint in the approach.

#### **DEPARTURES**

A Departure Procedure (DP) is loaded at the departure airport in the flight plan. Only one departure can be loaded at a time in a flight plan. If a departure is loaded when another departure is already in the active flight plan, the new departure replaces the previous departure. The route is defined by selection of a departure, the transition waypoints, and a runway.

#### LOADING A DEPARTURE INTO THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN

# Loading a departure into the active flight plan using the PROC Key:

- 1) Press the **PROC** Key. The Procedures Window is displayed.
- 2) Highlight 'SELECT DEPARTURE'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The Departure Loading Page is displayed.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob to select an airport and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Select a departure from the list and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Select a runway (if required) and press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Select a transition (if required) and press the **ENT** Key. 'LOAD?' is highlighted.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the departure procedure.



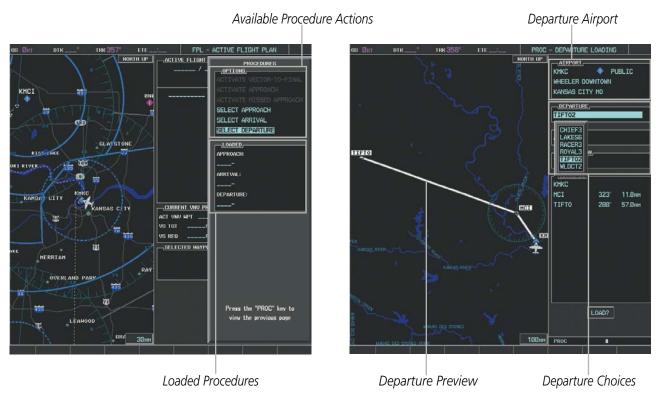


Figure 5-95 Departure Selection

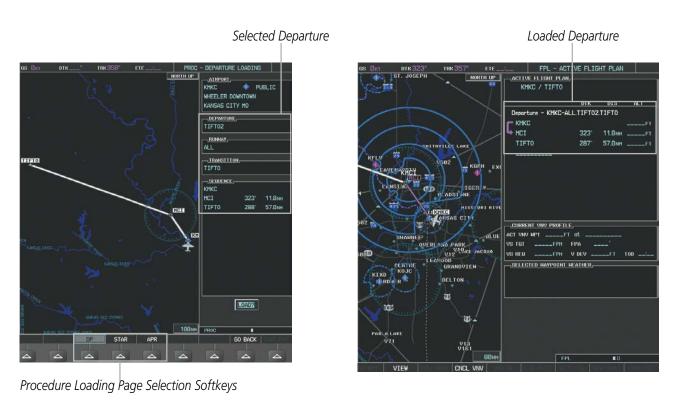


Figure 5-96 Departure Loading



#### Viewing available departures at an airport:

- 1) From the Airport Information Page (first page in the WPT group), select the **DP** Softkey. The Departure Information Page is displayed, defaulting to the airport displayed on the Airport information Page.
- 2) To select another airport, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, enter an identifier/facility name/city, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Departure. The departure is previewed on the map.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available departures. Press the **ENT** Key to select the departure. The cursor moves to the Runway box. The departure is previewed on the map.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available runways. Press the **ENT** Key to select the runway. The cursor moves to the Transition box (only if there are available transitions). The departure is previewed on the map.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available transitions. Press the **ENT** Key to select the transition. The cursor moves to the Sequence box. The departure is previewed on the map.
- 7) Select the **INFO-x** Softkey to return to the Airport Information Page.

## REMOVING A DEPARTURE FROM THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN

When plans change while flying IFR, departures can be easily removed from the Active Flight Plan.

## Removing a departure procedure from the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key, and highlight 'Remove Departure'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. A confirmation window is displayed listing the departure procedure.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the removal request, highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the departure header in the active flight plan.
- 3) Press the **CLR** Key. A confirmation window is displayed listing the departure procedure.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the removal request, highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.



#### **ARRIVALS**

A Standard Terminal Arrival (STAR) can be loaded at any airport that has one available. Only one arrival can be loaded at a time in a flight plan. If an arrival is loaded when another arrival is already in the active flight plan, the new arrival replaces the previous arrival. The route is defined by selection of an arrival, the transition waypoints, and a runway.

#### LOADING AN ARRIVAL INTO THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN

# Loading an arrival into the active flight plan using the PROC Key:

- 1) Press the **PROC** Key. The Procedures Window is displayed.
- 2) Highlight 'SELECT ARRIVAL'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The Arrival Loading Page is displayed.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob to select an airport and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Select an arrival from the list and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Select a transition (if required) and press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Select a runway (if required) and press the **ENT** Key. 'LOAD?' is highlighted.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key to load the arrival procedure.



Figure 5-97 Arrival Selection





Figure 5-98 Arrival Loading

# Viewing available arrivals at an airport:

- 1) From the Airport Information Page (first page in the WPT group), select the **STAR** Softkey. The Arrival Information Page is displayed, defaulting to the airport displayed on the Airport Information Page.
- 2) To select another airport, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, enter an identifier/facility name/city, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Arrival. The arrival is previewed on the map.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available arrivals. Press the **ENT** Key to select the arrival. The cursor moves to the Transition box. The arrival is previewed on the map.
- **5)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available transitions. Press the **ENT** Key to select the transition. The cursor moves to the Runway box. The arrival is previewed on the map.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available runways. Press the **ENT** Key to select the runway. The cursor moves to the Sequence box. The arrival is previewed on the map.
- 7) Select the **INFO-x** Softkey to return to the Airport Information Page.



#### REMOVING AN ARRIVAL FROM THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN

When plans change while flying IFR, arrivals can be easily removed from the Active Flight Plan.

#### Removing an arrival from the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, and highlight 'Remove Arrival'.
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key. A confirmation window is displayed listing the arrival procedure.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the removal request, highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the arrival header in the active flight plan.
- **3)** Press the **CLR** Key. A confirmation window is displayed listing the arrival procedure.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the removal request, highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### **APPROACHES**



**NOTE:** If certain GPS parameters (SBAS, RAIM, etc.) are not available, some published approach procedures for the desired airport may not be displayed in the list of available approaches.

An Approach Procedure (APPR) can be loaded at any airport that has one available, and provides guidance for non-precision and precision approaches to airports with published instrument approach procedures. Only one approach can be loaded at a time in a flight plan. If an approach is loaded when another approach is already in the active flight plan, the new approach replaces the previous approach. The route is defined by selection of an approach and the transition waypoints.

Whenever an approach is selected, the choice to either "load" or "activate" is given. "Loading" adds the approach to the end of the flight plan without immediately using it for navigation guidance. This allows continued navigation via the intermediate waypoints in the original flight plan, but keeps the procedure available on the Active Flight Plan Page for quick activation when needed. "Activating" also adds the procedure to the end of the flight plan but immediately begins to provide guidance to the first waypoint in the approach.

When selecting an approach, a "GPS" designation to the right of the procedure name indicates the procedure can be flown using the GPS receiver. Some procedures do not have this designation, meaning the GPS receiver can be used for supplemental navigation guidance only. If the GPS receiver cannot be used for primary guidance, the appropriate navigation receiver must be used for the selected approach (e.g., VOR or ILS). The final course segment of ILS approaches, for example, must be flown by tuning the NAV receiver to the proper frequency and selecting that NAV receiver on the CDI.



The SBAS GPS allows for flying LNAV, LNAV+V, LNAV/VNAV, LP, LP+V, and LPV approach service levels according to the published chart. LNAV+V is an LNAV with advisory vertical guidance provided for assistance in maintaining a constant vertical glidepath similar to an ILS glideslope on approach. This guidance is displayed on the system PFD in the same location as the ILS glideslope using a magenta diamond. In all cases where LNAV+V is indicated by the system during an approach, LNAV minima are used. The active approach service level is annunciated on the HSI as shown in the following table:

<b>HSI Annunciation</b>	Description	Example on HSI	
LNAV	RNAV GPS approach using published LNAV minima	351°	
LNAV+V	RNAV GPS approach using published LNAV minima. Advisory vertical guidance is provided	33 W	
L/VNAV (available only if SBAS available)	RNAV GPS approach using published LNAV/ VNAV minima (downgrades to Baro VNAV if SBAS unavailable)	GPS LPV 0	
LP RNAV GPS approach using published LP mini (available only if SBAS available) RNAV GPS approach using published LP mini (downgrades to LNAV if SBAS unavailable)		Approach Service Level	
LP+V (available only if SBAS available)	RNAV GPS approach using published LP minima Advisory vertical guidance is provided (downgrades to LNAV if SBAS unavailable)	- LNAV, LNAV+V, LIVNAV, LP, LP+V, LPV	
LPV (available only if SBAS available)	RNAV GPS approach using published LPV minima		

**Table 5-9 Approach Service Levels** 

#### LOADING AN APPROACH INTO THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN

#### Loading an approach into the active flight plan using the **PROC** Key:

- 1) Press the **PROC** Key. The Procedures Window is displayed.
- 2) Highlight 'SELECT APPROACH', and press the **ENT** Key. The Approach Loading Page is displayed.
- **3)** Select the airport and approach:
- a) Use the FMS Knob to select an airport and press the ENT Key.
- **b)** Select an approach from the list and press the **ENT** Key.

#### Or:

- **a)** If necessary, push the **FMS** Knob to exit the approach list, and use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the APPROACH CHANNEL field.
- **b)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the approach channel number, and press the **ENT** Key to accept the approach channel number. The airport and approach are selected.
- **4)** Select a transition (if required) and press the **ENT** Key.



- 5) Minimums
- **a)** To set 'MINIMUMS', turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'BARO' or 'TEMP COMP', and press the **ENT** Key. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the altitude, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **b)** If 'TEMP COMP' was selected, the cursor moves to the temperature field. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the temperature, and press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

- a) To skip setting minimums, press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key with 'LOAD?' highlighted to load the approach procedure; or turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'ACTIVATE' and press the **ENT** Key to load and activate the approach procedure.



**NOTE:** When GPS is not approved for the selected final approach course, the message 'NOT APPROVED FOR GPS' is displayed. GPS provides guidance to the approach, but the HSI must to be switched to a NAV receiver to fly the final course of the approach.

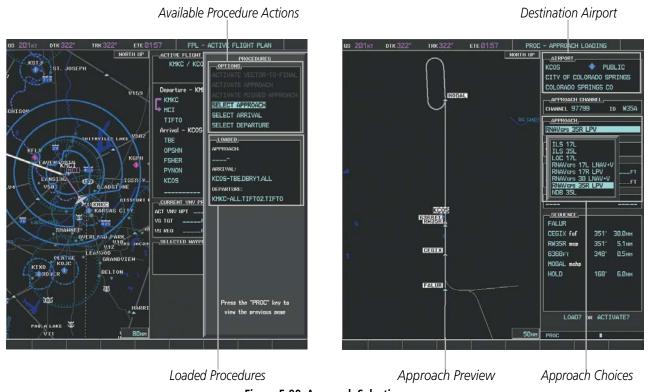


Figure 5-99 Approach Selection





Procedure Loading Page Selection Softkeys LOAD or ACTIVATE? Annunciation

Figure 5-100 Approach Loading

#### Viewing available approaches at an airport:

- 1) From the Airport Information Page (first page in the WPT group), press the **APR** Softkey. The Approach Information Page is displayed, defaulting to the airport displayed on the Airport information Page.
- 2) To select another airport, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor, enter an identifier/facility name/city, and press the **ENT** Key.
- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob, then turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Approach. The approach is previewed on the map.
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available approaches. Press the **ENT** Key to select the approach. The cursor moves to the Transition box. The approach is previewed on the map.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to view the available transitions. Press the **ENT** Key to select the transition. The cursor moves to the Minimums box. The approach is previewed on the map.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select minimums on or off. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **a)** When minimums are selected on, the cursor moves to the minimum altitude field . Use the small **FMS** Knob to select the altitude. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **b)** If temperature compensated minimums was selected, the cursor moves to the temperature field. Use the small **FMS** Knob to select the temperature. Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor moves to the Sequence box. The approach is previewed on the map.

#### Or:

- **a)** When minimums are selected off, the cursor moves to the Sequence box. The approach is previewed on the map.
- **7)** Press the **INFO-1** or the **INFO-2** Softkey to return to the Airport Information Page.



#### Loading an approach into the active flight plan from the Nearest Airport Page:

- 1) Select the Nearest Airports Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, then turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired nearest airport. The airport is previewed on the map.
- **3)** Press the **APR** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Select Approach Window', and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired approach.
- 5) Press the LD APR Softkey; or press the MENU Key, highlight 'Load Approach', and press the ENT Key. The Approach Loading Page is displayed with the transitions field highlighted.
- **6)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired transition, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Minimums
- **a)** To set 'MINIMUMS', turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'BARO' or 'TEMP COMP', and press the **ENT** Key. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the altitude, and press the **ENT** Key.
- **b)** If 'TEMP COMP' was selected, the cursor moves to the temperature field. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the temperature, and press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

- a) To skip setting minimums, press the **ENT** Key. The 'LOAD?' field is highlighted.
- 8) Press the **ENT** Key with 'LOAD?' highlighted to load the approach procedure; or turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'ACTIVATE' and press the **ENT** Key to load and activate the approach procedure. The system continues navigating the current flight plan until the approach is activated. When GPS is not approved for the selected final approach course, the message 'NOT APPROVED FOR GPS' is displayed. GPS provides guidance to the approach, but the HSI must to be switched to a NAV receiver to fly the final course of the approach.

#### **ACTIVATING AN APPROACH**

A previously loaded approach can be activated from the Procedures Window.

## Activating a previously loaded approach:

- 1) Press the **PROC** Key. The Procedures Window is displayed with 'Activate Approach' highlighted.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key to activate the approach.

In many cases, it may be easiest to "load" the full approach while still some distance away, enroute to the destination airport. Later, if vectored to final, use the steps above to select 'Activate Vector-To-Final' — which makes the inbound course to the FAF waypoint active.

#### Activating a previously loaded approach with vectors to final:

- 1) Press the **PROC** Key to display the Procedures Window.
- 2) Highlight 'ACTIVATE VECTOR-TO-FINAL' and press the **ENT** Key.



## Loading and activating an approach using the MENU Key:

- **1)** From the Approach Loading Page, press the **MENU** Key. The page menu is displayed with 'Load & Activate Approach' highlighted.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. When GPS is not approved for the selected final approach course, the message 'NOT APPROVED FOR GPS' is displayed. GPS provides guidance to the approach, but the HSI must to be switched to a NAV receiver to fly the final course of the approach.

#### REMOVING AN APPROACH FROM THE ACTIVE FLIGHT PLAN

When plans change while flying IFR, approaches can be easily removed from the Active Flight Plan.

#### Removing an approach from the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key, and highlight 'Remove Approach'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. A confirmation window is displayed listing the approach procedure.
- 4) With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the removal, highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key. Or:
- 1) Press the **FPL** Key to display the Active Flight Plan Page (MFD) or the Active Flight Plan Window (PFD).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob, and turn to highlight the approach header in the active flight plan.
- **3)** Press the **CLR** Key. A confirmation window is displayed listing the approach procedure.
- **4)** With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key. To cancel the removal, highlight 'CANCEL' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### MISSED APPROACH

## Activating a missed approach in the active flight plan:

- 1) Press the **PROC** Key.
- 2) Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'ACTIVATE MISSED APPROACH'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The aircraft automatically sequences to the MAHP.

Or:

Press the Go-Around Button.

#### TEMPERATURE COMPENSATED ALTITUDE

Temperature compensated altitudes can be computed and used for a loaded approach. A temperature compensated altitude is displayed in slanted text.

#### **Enabling temperature compensated altitude:**

- 1) From the Active Flight Plan Page, press the **MENU** Key. The Page Menu is displayed.
- **2)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Temperature Compensation'.



- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The TEMPERATURE COMPENSATION Window is displayed.
- **4)** Use the small **FMS** Knob to select the temperature at the <airport>. The compensated altitude is computed as the temperature is selected.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. 'ACTIVATE COMPENSATION?' is highlighted.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. The compensated altitudes for the approach are shown in the flight plan.

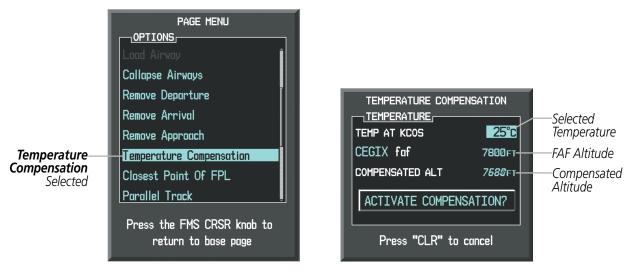


Figure 5-101 Temperature Compensation



Figure 5-102 Activating/Cancelling Temperature Compensation



Figure 5-103 Temperature Compensation in the Active Flight Plan



#### Disabling temperature compensated altitude:

- 1) From the Active Flight Plan Page, press the **MENU** Key. The Page Menu is displayed.
- **2)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Temperature Compensation'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The TEMPERATURE COMPENSATION Window is displayed.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. 'CANCEL COMPENSATION?' is highlighted.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. The temperature compensated altitude at the FAF is cancelled.

#### COURSE TO ALTITUDE

In this missed approach procedure, the altitude immediately following the MAP (in this case '6368ft') is not part of the published procedure. It is simply a Course to Altitude (CA) leg which guides the aircraft along the runway centerline until the altitude required to safely make the first turn toward the MAHP is exceeded. This altitude is provided by Jeppesen, and may be below, equal to, or above the published minimums for this approach. In this case, if the aircraft altitude is below the specified altitude (6,368 feet) after crossing the MAP, a direct-to is established to provide a course on runway heading until an altitude of 6,368 feet is reached. After reaching 6,368 feet, a direct-to is established to the published MAHP (in this case MOGAL). If the aircraft altitude is above the specified altitude after crossing the MAP, a direct-to is established to the published fix (MOGAL) to begin the missed approach procedure.

In some missed approach procedures this Course to Altitude leg may be part of the published procedure. For example, a procedure may dictate a climb to 5,500 feet, then turn left and proceed to the Missed Approach Hold Point (MAHP). In this case, the altitude would appear in the list of waypoints as '5500ft'. Again, if the aircraft altitude is lower than the prescribed altitude, a direct-to is established on a Course to Altitude leg when the missed approach procedure is activated.



Figure 5-104 Course to Altitude



# **5.9 TRIP PLANNING**

The G1000 allows the pilot to view trip planning information, fuel information, and other information for a specified flight plan or flight plan leg based on automatic data, or based on manually entered data. Weight planning is also available, based on manually entered fuel data and the active flight plan (to estimate remaining fuel).

#### TRIP PLANNING

All of the input of data needed for calculation and viewing of the statistics is done on the Trip Planning Page located in the AUX Page Group.

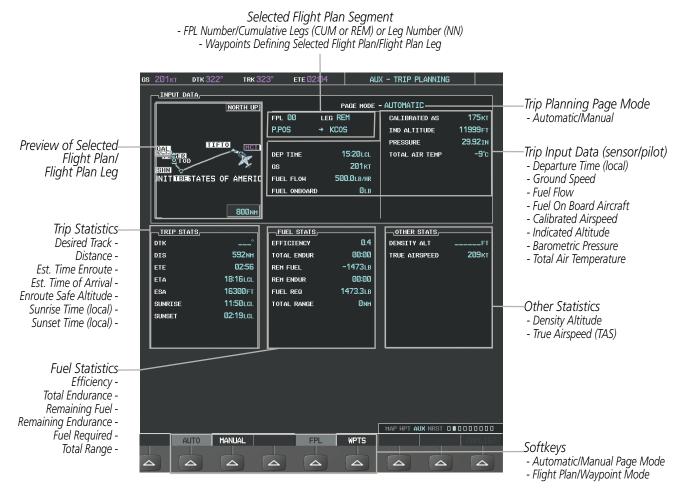


Figure 5-105 Trip Planning Page

The trip planning inputs are based on sensor inputs (automatic page mode) or on pilot inputs (manual page mode). Some additional explanation of the sources for some of the inputs is as follows:

• Departure time (DEP TIME) - This defaults to the current time in automatic page mode. The computations are from the aircraft present position, so the aircraft is always just departing.



- Calibrated airspeed (CALIBRATED AS) The primary source is from the air data system, and the secondary source of information is GPS ground speed.
- Indicated altitude (IND ALTITUDE) The primary source is the barometric altitude, and the secondary source of information is GPS altitude.

## TRIP STATISTICS

The trip statistics are calculated based on the selected starting and ending waypoints and the trip planning inputs.

In flight plan mode (FPL) with a stored flight plan selected (NN), and the entire flight plan (CUM) selected, the waypoints are the starting and ending waypoints of the selected flight plan.

In flight plan mode (FPL) with a stored flight plan selected (NN), and a specific leg (NN) selected, the waypoints are the endpoints of the selected leg.

In flight plan mode (FPL) with the active flight plan selected (00), and the remaining flight plan (REM) selected, the 'from' waypoint is the present position of the aircraft and the 'to' waypoint is the endpoint of the active flight plan.

In flight plan mode (FPL) with the active flight plan selected (00), and a specific leg (NN) selected, the 'from' waypoint is the current aircraft position and the 'to' waypoint is the endpoint of the selected leg.

In waypoint (WPTS) mode these are manually selected waypoints (if there is an active flight plan, these default to the endpoints of the active leg).

Some of the calculated trip statistics are dashed when the selected leg of the active flight plan has already been flown.

- Desired Track (DTK) DTK is shown as nnn° and is the desired track between the selected waypoints. It is dashed unless only a single leg is selected.
- Distance (DIS) The distance is shown in tenths of units up to 99.9, and in whole units up to 9999.
- Estimated time enroute (ETE) ETE is shown as hours:minutes until less than an hour, then it is shown as minutes:seconds.
- Estimated time of arrival (ETA) ETA is shown as hours:minutes and is the local time at the destination.
  - If in waypoint mode then the ETA is the ETE added to the departure time.
  - If a flight plan other than the active flight plan is selected it shows the ETA by adding to the departure time all of the ETEs of the legs up to and including the selected leg. If the entire flight plan is selected, then the ETA is calculated as if the last leg of the flight plan was selected.
  - If the active flight plan is selected the ETA reflects the current position of the aircraft and the current leg being flown. The ETA is calculated by adding to the current time the ETEs of the current leg up to and including the selected leg. If the entire flight plan is selected, then the ETA is calculated as if the last leg of the flight plan was selected.
- Enroute safe altitude (ESA) The ESA is shown as nnnnnFT
- Destination sunrise and sunset times (SUNRISE, SUNSET) These times are shown as hours:minutes and are the local time at the destination.



#### **FUEL STATISTICS**

The fuel statistics are calculated based on the selected starting and ending waypoints and the trip planning inputs. Some of the calculated trip statistics are dashed when the selected leg of the active flight plan has already been flown.

- Fuel efficiency (EFFICIENCY) This value is calculated by dividing the current ground speed by the current fuel flow.
- Time of fuel endurance (TOTAL ENDUR) This time is shown as hours:minutes. This value is obtained by dividing the amount of fuel on board by the current fuel flow.
- Fuel on board upon reaching end of selected leg (REM FUEL) This value is calculated by taking the amount of fuel onboard and subtracting the fuel required to reach the end of the selected leg.
- Fuel endurance remaining at end of selected leg (REM ENDUR) This value is calculated by taking the time of fuel endurance and subtracting the estimated time enroute to the end of the selected leg.
- Fuel required for trip (FUEL REQ) This value is calculated by multiplying the time to go by the fuel flow.
- Total range at entered fuel flow (TOTAL RANGE) This value is calculated by multiplying the time of fuel endurance by the ground speed.

#### **OTHER STATISTICS**

These statistics are calculated based on the system sensor inputs or the manual trip planning inputs.

- Density altitude (DENSITY ALT)
- True airspeed (TRUE AIRSPEED)

The pilot may select automatic (AUTO) or manual (MANUAL) page mode, and flight plan (FPL) or waypoint (WPTS) mode. In automatic page mode, only the FPL, LEG, or waypoint IDs are editable (based on FPL/WPTS selection).

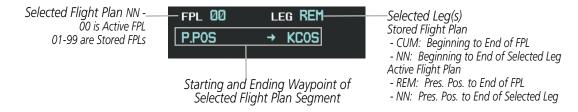


Figure 5-106 Trip Planning Page - Flight Plan Mode





Figure 5-107 Trip Planning Page - Waypoint Mode

#### Selecting automatic or manual page mode:

Select the **AUTO** Softkey or the **MANUAL** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Auto Mode' or 'Manual Mode', and press the **ENT** Key.

# Selecting flight plan or waypoint mode:

Select the **FPL** Softkey or the **WPTS** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Flight Plan Mode' or 'Waypoints Mode', and press the **ENT** Key.

# Selecting a flight plan and leg for trip statistics:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor in the flight plan number field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired flight plan number.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'CUM' or 'REM'. The statistics for each leg can be viewed by turning the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired leg. The Inset Map also displays the selected data.

# Selecting waypoints for waypoint mode:

- 1) Select the **WPTS** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Waypoints Mode', and press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is positioned in the waypoint field directly below the FPL field.
- 2) Turn the **FMS** knobs to select the desired waypoint (or select from the Page Menu 'Set WPT to Present Position' if that is what is desired), and press the **ENT** Key. The cursor moves to the second waypoint field.
- 3) Turn the **FMS** knobs to select the desired waypoint, and press the **ENT** Key. The statistics for the selected leg are displayed.

In manual page mode, the other eight trip input data fields must be entered by the pilot, in addition to flight plan and leg selection.

# Entering manual data for trip statistics calculations:

- 1) Select the **MANUAL** Softkey or select 'Manual Mode' from the Page Menu, and press the **ENT** Key. The cursor may now be positioned in any field in the top right two boxes.
- 2) Turn the **FMS** Knobs to move the cursor onto the DEP TIME field and enter the desired value. Press the **ENT** Key. The statistics are calculated using the new value and the cursor moves to the next entry field. Repeat until all desired values have been entered.



# **WEIGHT PLANNING**



**NOTE:** All weight planning page data fields display data rounded to the nearest 10 pounds or 5 kilograms.

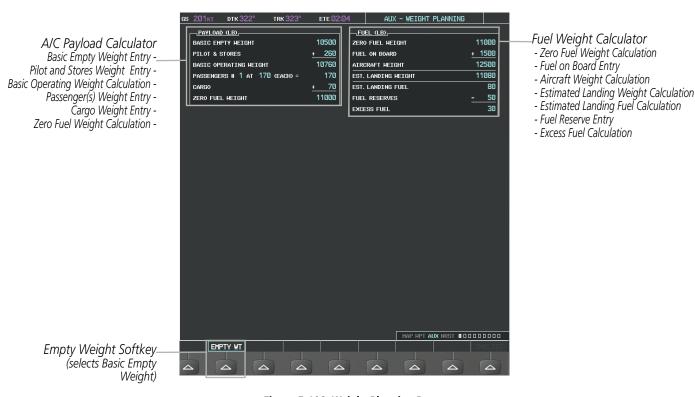


Figure 5-108 Weight Planning Page

#### **Entering basic empty weight:**

- 1) Select the **EMPTY WT** Softkey; or press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Set Basic Empty Weight', and press the **ENT** Key to select the 'BASIC EMPTY WEIGHT' field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the basic empty weight.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## Entering a pilot and stores weight:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and highlight the 'PILOT AND STORES' field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the pilot and stores weight.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

The basic operating weight is calculated by adding the basic empty weight and the pilot and stores weight.



#### **Entering the number of passengers:**

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and highlight the 'PASSENGERS #' field.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the number of passengers.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

## Entering the average passenger weight:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and highlight the passenger weight field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the average passenger weight.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

The total weight of passengers is calculated by multiplying the number of passengers by the average passenger weight.

#### Entering the cargo weight:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and highlight the 'CARGO' field.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the cargo weight.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

The 'ZERO FUEL WEIGHT' is calculated by adding the basic empty, pilot and stores, passenger, and cargo weights.

## Entering a fuel on board weight:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and highlight the 'FUEL ON BOARD' field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the fuel on board.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor.

#### **Entering fuel reserve:**

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor and highlight the 'FUEL RESERVES' field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the fuel reserves amount.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to confirm the entry.
- 4) Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the flashing cursor



When the aircraft is in the air and a destination waypoint has been entered, the fuel calculations can be completed.

- Estimated landing weight = zero fuel weight + estimated landing fuel weight.
- Estimated landing fuel weight = fuel on board weight (fuel flow x ETE)
- Excess fuel weight = estimated landing fuel weight fuel reserves weight

If the aircraft is on the ground or a destination waypoint has not been entered, the following fields display invalid values consisting of six dashes:

- Estimated landing weight
- Estimated landing fuel weight
- Excess fuel weight

### **WEIGHT CAUTION AND WARNING CONDITIONS**

If the zero fuel weight is greater than the maximum allowable zero fuel weight, then the zero fuel weight is displayed in amber.

If the aircraft weight is greater than the maximum allowable takeoff weight, then the aircraft weight is displayed in amber.

If the estimated landing weight is greater than the maximum allowable landing weight, then the estimated landing weight is displayed in amber.

If the estimated landing fuel weight is positive, but less than or equal to the fuel reserves weight, the following values are displayed in amber:

- Estimated fuel at landing weight
- Excess fuel weight

If the estimated landing fuel weight is zero or negative, then the following values are displayed in red:

- Estimated fuel at landing weight
- Excess fuel weight



### 5.10 RAIM PREDICTION

RAIM (Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring) is a GPS receiver function that performs a consistency check on all tracked satellites. RAIM ensures that the available satellite geometry allows the receiver to calculate a position within a specified RAIM protection limit (2.0 nm for oceanic, 2.0 nm for enroute, 1.0 nm for terminal, and 0.3 nm for non-precision approaches). During oceanic, enroute, and terminal phases of flight, RAIM is available nearly 100% of the time. The RAIM prediction function also indicates whether RAIM is available at a specified date and time. RAIM computations predict satellite coverage within ±15 min of the specified arrival date and time. Because of the tighter protection limit on approaches, there may be times when RAIM is not available. RAIM prediction must be initiated manually if there is concern over SBAS coverage at the destination or some other reason that compromises navigation precision. If RAIM is not predicted to be available for the final approach course, the approach does not become active. If RAIM is not available when crossing the FAF, the missed approach procedure must be flown.



Figure 5-109 RAIM Prediction



#### Predicting RAIM availability at a selected waypoint:

- 1) Select the AUX-GPS Status Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob. The RAIM Prediction 'WAYPOINT' field is highlighted.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window. (Turning it clockwise displays a blank Waypoint Information Window, turning it counter-clockwise displays the Waypoint Information Window with a waypoint selection submenu allowing selection of active flight plan, nearest, recent, user, or airway waypoints).
- **4)** Enter the identifier, facility, or city name of the departure waypoint; or select a waypoint from the submenu of waypoints and press the **ENT** Key to accept the waypoint entry.
- **5)** Turn the FMS Knobs to enter an arrival time and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Turn the FMS Knobs to enter an arrival date and press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key with 'COMPUTE RAIM?' highlighted to begin the computation.

#### Predicting RAIM availability at the aircraft present position:

- 1) Select the AUX-GPS Status Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob. The RAIM Prediction 'WAYPOINT' field is highlighted.
- **3)** Press the **MENU** Key, highlight 'Set WPT to Present Position', and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to accept the waypoint entry.
- **5)** Turn the FMS Knobs to enter an arrival time and press the **ENT** Key.
- **6)** Turn the FMS Knobs to enter an arrival date and press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key with 'COMPUTE RAIM?' highlighted to begin the computation.

Status of the RAIM computation for the selected waypoint, time, and date is displayed at the bottom of the RAIM PREDICTION Box as follows:

- 'COMPUTE RAIM?' RAIM has not been computed.
- 'COMPUTING AVAILABILITY' RAIM calculation is in progress.
- 'RAIM AVAILABLE' RAIM is predicted to be available.
- 'RAIM NOT AVAILABLE' RAIM is predicted to be unavailable.

The Satellite Based Augmentation System (SBAS) provides increased navigation accuracy when available. SBAS can be enabled or disabled manually on the GPS Status Page.





Figure 5-110 SBAS Display - Active

### **Enabling/Disabling SBAS:**

- 1) Select the AUX-GPS Status Page.
- 2) Press the SBAS Softkey.
- 3) Press the FMS Knob, and turn the large FMS Knob to highlight 'EGNOS', 'MSAS' or 'WAAS'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to disable SBAS. Press the **ENT** Key again to enable SBAS.





Figure 5-111 SBAS Display - Disabled



# 5.11 NAVIGATING A FLIGHT PLAN

The following discussion is an example of navigating a flight plan with the SBAS capable GPS system while the G1000 provides vertical guidance through descents. A lateral flight plan (LNAV) would be navigated in much the same way, but would not include vertical guidance when the final approach course is active.



**NOTE:** The following example flight plan is for instructional purposes only. All database information depicted should be considered not current.

The example is a flight plan from KMKC to KCOS filed using the TIFTO2 departure, various Victor Airways, and the DBRY1 arrival with the transition at TBE. The flight plan includes an enroute altitude of 12,000 feet, an RNAV LPV (WAAS) approach selected for runway 35R, and a missed approach executed at the Missed Approach Point (MAP). A few enroute changes are demonstrated.

- 1) Prior to departure, the TIFTO2 departure, the airways, and the DBRY1 arrival at KCOS are loaded. See the Procedures section for loading departures and arrivals. Note the magenta arrow in Figure 5-112 indicating the active departure leg.
  - After takeoff, ATC assigns a heading of 240°.
- 2) Figure 5-112 shows the aircraft on the assigned heading of 240°. 'TERM' (Terminal) is the current CDI flight phase displayed on the HSI indicating 1.0 nm CDI scaling.





Figure 5-112 Assigned Heading of 240°



**3)** ATC now assigns routing to join V4. A heading of 290° is assigned to intercept V4. The aircraft turns to heading 290° as seen in Figure 5-113.

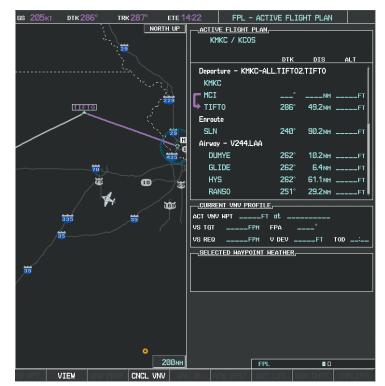




Figure 5-113 Assigned Heading of 290°

- **4)** Enter V4 into the flight plan.
  - a) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.



**b)** The desired entry point for V4 (TOP) must be entered. Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired flight plan insertion point (SLN) as shown in Figure 5-114. When the V4 entry point (TOP) is inserted, it is placed immediately above the highlighted waypoint (SLN).



Figure 5-114 Begin Adding V4 to the Flight Plan

c) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Waypoint Information Window. Enter the desired entry point for V4, Topeka VOR (TOP), as shown in Figure 5-115.



Figure 5-115 Entering V4 Entry Point



**d)** Press the **ENT** Key. TOP is inserted into the flight plan as in Figure 5-116.

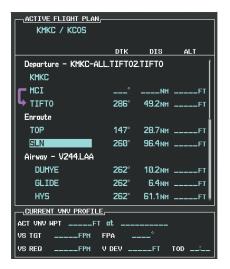


Figure 5-116 TOP Inserted into the Flight Plan

- **e)** With SLN still highlighted as in Figure 5-116, turn the small **FMS** Knob clockwise. The Waypoint Information Page is displayed and the **LD AIRWY** Softkey is now available.
- f) Select the LD AIRWY Softkey to display the list of available airways for TOP as seen in Figure 5-117.



Figure 5-117 List of Available Airways for TOP

**g)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to highlight V4 in the list as seen in Figure 5-117.



**h)** Press the **ENT** Key. The list of available exits for V4 is now displayed as in Figure 5-118.



Figure 5-118 List of Available Exits for V4

- i) If necessary, turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired exit. In this case Salina VOR (SLN) is selected as in Figure 5-118.
- **j)** Press the **ENT** Key. The selected airway and exit are displayed, and the prompt "LOAD?" highlighted as in Figure 5-119.

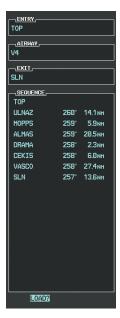


Figure 5-119 Ready to Load V4

**k)** Press the **ENT** Key.



**I)** V4 is now loaded into the flight plan as shown in Figure 5-120.



Figure 5-120 V4 is Loaded in the Flight Plan

- **5)** Making V4 the active leg of the flight plan.
- a) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **b)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight ULNAZ. The TO waypoint of the leg is selected in order to activate the leg.
- c) Select the **ACT LEG** Softkey. The confirmation window is now displayed as in Figure 5-121. Note the TOP to ULNAZ leg is actually part of V4.



Figure 5-121 Comfirm Active Leg



**d)** Verify the displayed leg is the desired leg and press the **ENT** Key. Note in Figure 5-122, the magenta arrow in the flight plan window and magenta line on the map indicating V4 is now the active flight plan leg. Note the phase of flight remained in Terminal (TERM) mode up to this point because a departure leg was active. Since a leg after the departure is now active, the current CDI flight phase is ENR (Enroute) and CDI scaling has changed to 2.0 nm.

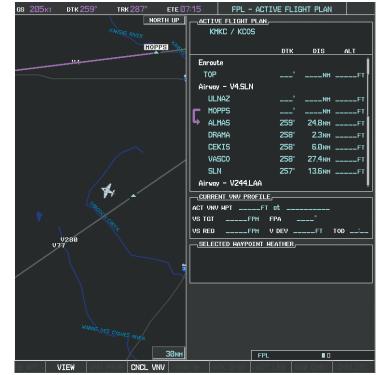




Figure 5-122 V4 Now Active Leg

6) The aircraft continues on heading 290°. When crosstrack distance is less than 2.0 nm, the XTK disappears from the HSI and the CDI is positioned on the last dot indicating a 2.0 nm distance from the centerline of the next course.



7) As the CDI approaches center, the aircraft turns onto the active leg as seen in Figure 5-123.





Figure 5-123 Turn on to Active Leg

**8)** At SLN, Victor Airway 244 (V244) is intercepted. Turn prompts are displayed in the PFD Navigation Status Box as seen in Figure 5-124.



Figure 5-124 Turn to Intercept V244



9) As seen in Figure 5-125, V244 is now the active flight plan leg.

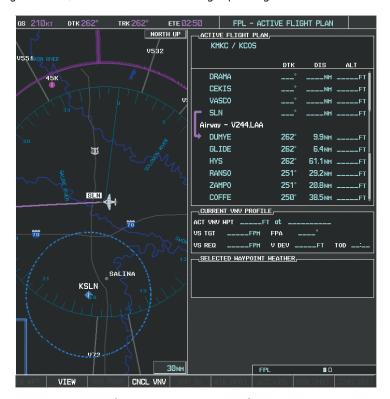


Figure 5-125 V244 Now Active Leg



**10)** At Lamar VOR (LAA) V263 is intercepted. See Figure 5-126.

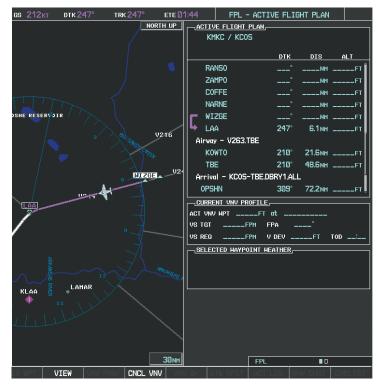


Figure 5-126 WIZGE to LAA Leg Active

- **11)** ATC grants clearance to proceed direct to the OPSHN intersection to begin the arrival procedure. ATC advises to expect an altitude of 10,000 feet at OPSHN.
  - a) Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor.
  - **b)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select OPSHN in the flight plan list.



c) Press the **Direct-to** ( Key. The Direct-to Window is now displayed as shown in Figure 5-127.



Figure 5-127 Direct To OPSHN

d) Turn the large FMS Knob to place the cursor in the VNV altitude field as shown in Figure 5-128.



Figure 5-128 Enter VNV Altitude

e) An altitude of 10,000 feet is entered as requested by ATC.



f) Press the ENT Key. The cursor is now displayed in the VNV offset field as shown in Figure 5-129.



Figure 5-129 Enter VNV Offset Distance

**g)** Enter the offset, or distance from the waypoint at which to reach the selected altitude. In this case, three miles prior to OPSHN is entered. In other words, the G1000 gives vertical guidance so the aircraft arrives at an altitude of 10,000 feet three miles prior to OPSHN.



h) Press the ENT Key twice to activate the direct-to. Note, in Figure 5-130, the magenta arrow indicating the direct-to OPSHN after the offset waypoint for OPSHN. The preceding offset waypoint indicates the offset distance and altitude that were previously entered. The remaining waypoints in the loaded arrival procedure have no database specified altitudes, therefore, dashes are displayed. Keep the CDI centered and maintain a track along the magenta line to OPSHN.

Note the Direct-to waypoint is within the loaded arrival procedure, therefore, phase of flight scaling for the CDI changes to Terminal Mode and is annunciated by displaying 'TERM' on the HSI.



**NOTE:** If the loaded arrival procedure has waypoints with altitude constraints retrieved from the database to be used as is, the altitude must be manually accepted by placing the cursor over the desired altitude, then pressing the ENT Key. The altitude is now displayed as light blue meaning it is used by the system to determine vertical speed and deviation guidance.

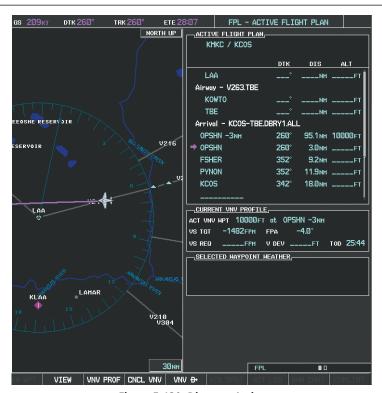


Figure 5-130 Direct-to Active

- **12)** The aircraft is proceeding to OPSHN. The expected approach is the RNAV LPV approach to runway 35R, so it is selected.
- a) Press the **PROC** Key to display the Procedures Window.



**b)** 'SELECT APPROACH' should be highlighted as shown in Figure 5-131.



Figure 5-131 Procedures Window

c) Press the ENT Key. A list of available approaches for the destination airport is displayed as in Figure 5-132.



Figure 5-132 List of Available Approaches

d) Turn either FMS Knob to select the RNAV LPV approach for 35R as shown in Figure 5-132.



e) Press the ENT Key. A list of available transitions for the selected approach is displayed as in Figure 5-133.



Figure 5-133 List of Available Transitions

- **f)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired transition. In this case, the Initial Approach Fix (IAF) at HABUK is used.
- g) Press the ENT Key.
- h) Barometric Minimums

To set 'MINIMUMS', turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'BARO', and press the **ENT** Key. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the altitude, and press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

To skip setting minimums, press the **ENT** Key.





Figure 5-134 Barometric Minimums Set

i) With 'LOAD?' highlighted, again press the **ENT** Key. The selected approach is added to the flight plan as seen in Figure 5-135.

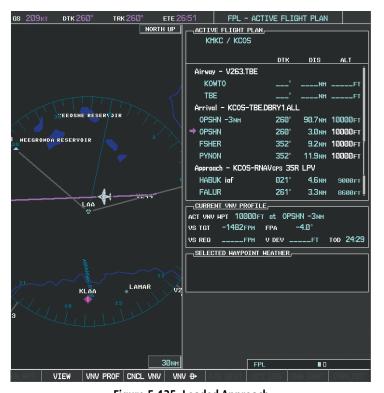


Figure 5-135 Loaded Approach



**13)** Note the altitude constraints associated with each of the approach waypoints as seen in Figure 5-136. These altitudes are loaded from the database and are displayed as light blue text, indicating these values are "designated" for use in computing vertical deviation guidance.

Note: To no longer use the displayed altitude for calculating vertical deviation guidance, perform the following:

- a) Press the FMS Knob to activate the cursor.
- **b**) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired altitude.
- c) Press the **CLR** Key.
- **d**) Press the **FMS** Knob to deactivate the cursor.

After making the altitude "non-designated", it is displayed as white text.

Altitude constraint values associated with the Final Approach Fix (FAF) and waypoints beyond the FAF cannot be designated for vertical guidance. These altitude values are always displayed as white text, as in Figure 5-136. Vertical guidance from the FAF and on to the Missed Approach Point (MAP) is given using the SBAS GPS altitude source, therefore, the displayed altitude values are for reference only.



Figure 5-136 Vertical Guidance is Active to the FAF



- **14)** As the aircraft approaches OPSHN, it may be desirable to adjust the speed, or steepness of the upcoming descent. The default Flight Path Angle (FPA) is -3.5 degrees and a required vertical speed is computed to maintain the -3.5 FPA. To change the vertical flight path, perform the following steps.
- a) Select the **VNV PROF** Softkey to place the cursor in the target vertical speed field (VS TGT) as shown in Figure 5-137.
- **b)** At this point, the descent vertical speed can be selected, or the FPA can be selected. Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the desired selection field, then turn the small **FMS** Knob to enter the desired value.

Note the information now displayed in the 'CURRENT VNV PROFILE' box. Also, note the offset waypoint (orange box) and gray circle are now displayed on the map. The gray circle marks the Top of Descent (TOD). In this example, vertical guidance is provided at the TOD that results in a -3.0 degree FPA descent to an altitude of 10,000 feet upon reaching the offset waypoint.

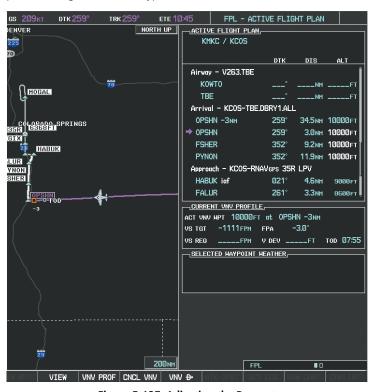


Figure 5-137 Adjusting the Descent

**c)** Press the **ENT** Key.



**15)** As seen in Figure 5-138, the aircraft is approaching TOD. Note the target vertical speed required to reach the selected altitude. The Vertical Deviation Indicator (VDI) and the Required Vertical Speed Indicator (RVSI) are now displayed on the PFD as shown in Figure 5-139. When the aircraft is within one minute of the TOD, it is annunciated as shown in Figure 5-139, and an aural alert 'Vertical track' will be heard.

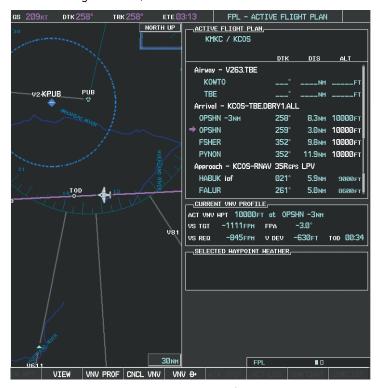


Figure 5-138 Approaching Top of Descent (TOD)

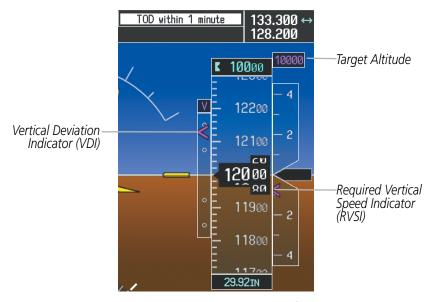


Figure 5-139 VDI & RVSI Upon Reaching Top of Descent (TOD)



**16)** Upon reaching TOD, a descent vertical speed is established by placing the VSI pointer in line with the RVSI as shown in Figure 5-140.

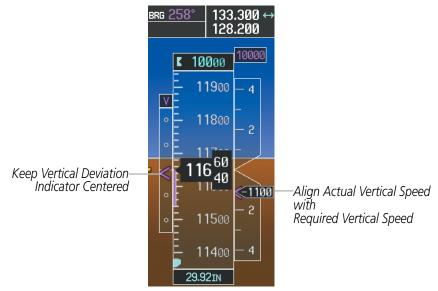


Figure 5-140 VDI & RVSI Showing Correctly Established Descent

**17)** When the aircraft is one minute from the bottom of descent (BOD) it is annunciated as shown in Figure 5-141. Upon reaching the offset waypoint for OPSHN, the aircraft is at 10,000 feet.

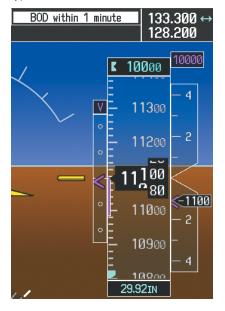


Figure 5-141 Approaching Bottom of Descent (BOD) at OPSHN Offset Waypoint



**18)** The aircraft is approaching OPSHN. The upcoming turn and next heading are annunciated at the top left of the PFD as seen in Figure 5-142. Initiate the turn and maneuver the aircraft on a track through the turn radius to intercept the magenta line for the OPSHN to FSHER leg and center the CDI.

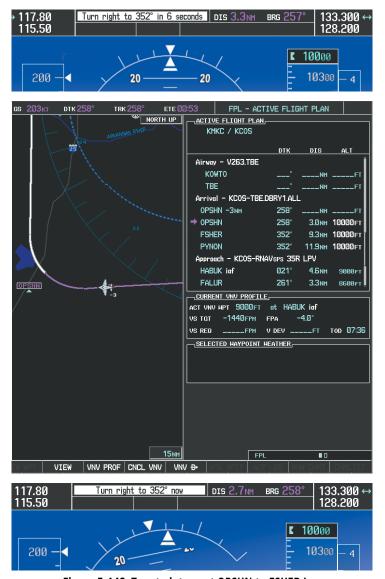


Figure 5-142 Turn to intercept OPSHN to FSHER Leg



**19)** After passing OPSHN, the next leg of the arrival turns magenta as shown in Figure 5-143. The magenta arrow in the flight plan list now indicates the OPSHN to FSHER leg of the arrival procedure is now active.

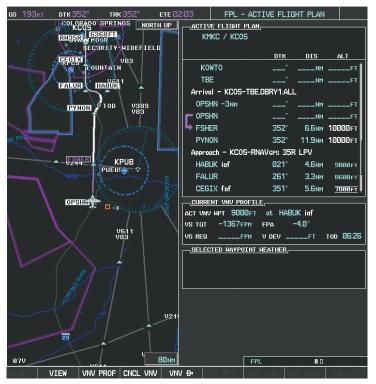


Figure 5-143 Tracking the OPSHN to FSHER Leg

- **20)** The flight continues through the arrival procedure to PYNON (see Figure 5-144). At a point 31 nm from the destination airport, the phase of flight scaling for the CDI changes to Terminal Mode and is annunciated by displaying 'TERM' on the HSI.
  - A descent to HABUK is in the next leg. Note the TOD point on the map. Annunciations for the upcoming turn and descent, as well as the VDI and RVSI, appear on the PFD as the flight progresses.



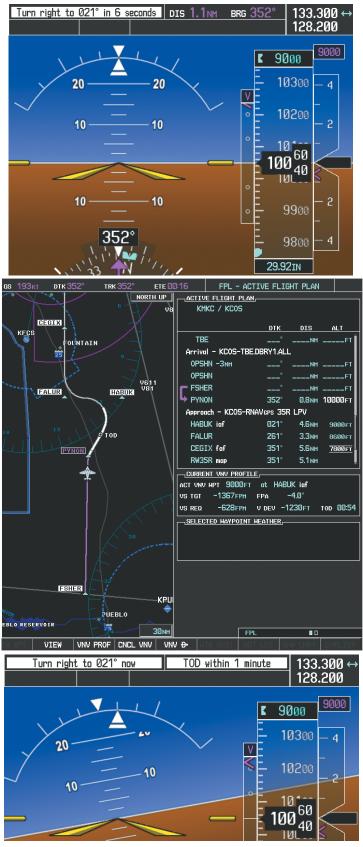


Figure 5-144 Approaching PYNON



21) Upon passing PYNON the approach procedure automatically becomes active. The approach may be activated at any point to proceed directly to the IAF. In this example, the aircraft has progressed through the final waypoint of the arrival and the flight plan has automatically sequenced to the IAF as the active leg, activating the approach procedure (see Figure 5-145).



Figure 5-145 Approach is Now Active

Note: To manually activate the approach procedure, perform the following steps:

- a) Press the PROC Key.
- b) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight 'ACTIVATE APPROACH' as shown in Figure 5-146.
- **c)** Press the **ENT** Key to activate the approach.



Figure 5-146 Manually Activate Approach



**22)** The IAF is the next waypoint. At the TOD, establish a descent vertical speed as previously discussed in Step 16. The aircraft altitude is 9,000 feet upon reaching HABUK.

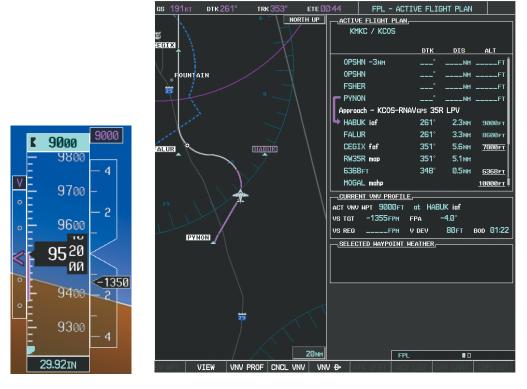


Figure 5-147 Descending Turn to the Initial Approach Fix (IAF)



23) After crossing FALUR the next waypoint is the FAF. The flight phase changes to LPV on the HSI indicating the current phase of flight is in Approach Mode and the approach service level is LPV. CDI scaling changes accordingly and is used much like a localizer when flying an ILS approach. The RVSI is no longer displayed and the VDI changes to the Glidepath Indicator (as shown in Figure 5-148) when the final approach course becomes active.



Figure 5-148 Descending to the FAF

The descent continues through the FAF (CEGIX) using the Glidepath Indicator, as one would use a glideslope indicator, to obtain an altitude "AT" 7,800 feet at the FAF. Note the altitude restriction lines over and under (At) the altitude in the 'ALT' field in Figure 5-148.

6370

7800

7700

75 <sub>40</sub>

7400

7300

29.92IN

BARO MIN

700

4



**24)** After crossing CEGIX, the aircraft continues following the glidepath to maintain the descent to "AT or ABOVE" 6,370 feet at the Missed Approach Point (MAP) (RW35R) as seen in Figure 5-149.

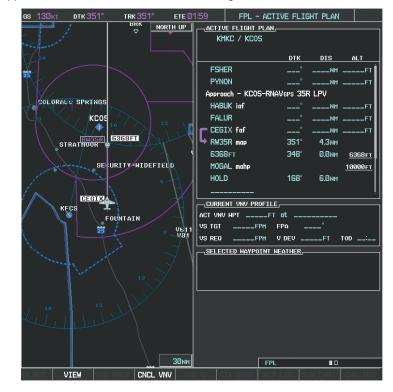


Figure 5-149 Descending to the Missed Approach Point

In this missed approach procedure, the altitude immediately following the MAP (in this case '6368ft') is not part of the published procedure. It is simply a Course to Altitude (CA) leg which guides the aircraft along the runway centerline until the altitude required to safely make the first turn toward the MAHP is exceeded. This altitude is provided by Jeppesen, and may be below, equal to, or above the published minimums for this approach. In this case, if the aircraft altitude is below the specified altitude (6,368 feet) after crossing the MAP, a direct-to is established to provide a course on runway heading until an altitude of 6,368 feet is reached. After reaching 6,368 feet, a direct-to is established to the published MAHP (in this case MOGAL). If the aircraft altitude is above the specified altitude after crossing the MAP, a direct-to is established to the published fix (MOGAL) to begin the missed approach procedure.

In some missed approach procedures this Course to Altitude leg may be part of the published procedure. For example, a procedure may dictate a climb to 5,500 feet, then turn left and proceed to the Missed Approach Hold Point (MAHP). In this case, the altitude would appear in the list of waypoints as '5500ft'. Again, if the aircraft altitude is lower than the prescribed altitude, a direct-to is established on a Course to Altitude leg when the missed approach procedure is activated.



**25)** Upon reaching the MAP, it is decided to execute a missed approach. Automatic waypoint sequencing is suspended past the MAP. Select the **SUSP** Softkey on the PFD to resume automatic waypoint sequencing through the missed approach procedure.

A direct-to is initiated to MOGAL, which is the Missed Approach Hold Point (MAHP) as seen in Figure 5-150. The aircraft is climbing to 10,000 feet. The CDI flight phase now changes from LPV to MAPR as seen on the HSI.

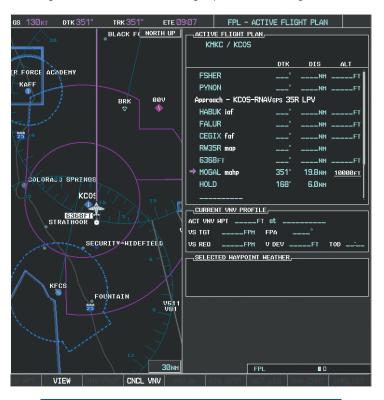




Figure 5-150 Missed Approach Active



**26)** The aircraft continues climbing to "AT or ABOVE" 10,000 feet at MOGAL. A holding pattern is established at the MAHP (MOGAL) as shown in Figure 5-151.

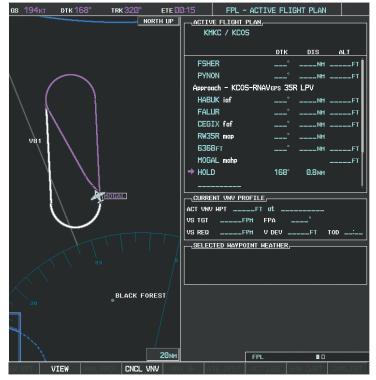


Figure 5-151 Establishing the Holding Pattern

**27)** The aircraft maintains 10,000 feet while following the magenta line through the hold as in Figure 5-152.



Figure 5-152 Hold Established



# **5.12 ABNORMAL OPERATION**

This section discusses the Dead Reckoning mode of operation and the subsequent indications.



**NOTE:** Dead Reckoning Mode only functions in Enroute (ENR) or Oceanic (OCN) phase of flight. In all other phases, an invalid GPS solution produces a "NO GPS POSITION" annunciation on the map and the G1000 stops using GPS.

While in Enroute or Oceanic phase of flight, if the G1000 detects an invalid GPS solution or is unable to calculate a GPS position, the system automatically reverts to Dead Reckoning (DR) Mode. In DR Mode, the G1000 uses its last-known position combined with continuously updated airspeed and heading data (when available) to calculate and display the aircraft's current estimated position.

It is important to note that estimated navigation data supplied by the G1000 in DR Mode may become increasingly unreliable and must not be used as a sole means of navigation. If while in DR Mode airspeed and/or heading data is also lost or not available, the DR function may not be capable of accurately tracking estimated position and, consequently, the system may display a path that is different than the actual movement of the aircraft. Estimated position information displayed by the G1000 through DR while there is no heading and/or airspeed data available should not be used for navigation.

DR Mode is inherently less accurate than the standard GPS/SBAS Mode due to the lack of satellite measurements needed to determine a position. Changes in wind speed and/or wind direction compound the relative inaccuracy of DR Mode. Because of this degraded accuracy, other navigation equipment must be relied upon for position awareness until GPS-derived position data is restored.

DR Mode is indicated on the G1000 by the appearance of the letters 'DR' superimposed in yellow over the 'own aircraft' symbol as shown in Figure 5-153. In addition, 'DR' is prominently displayed in yellow on the HSI slightly above and to the right of the aircraft symbol on the CDI as shown in Figure 5-153. The CDI deviation bar remains, but is removed from the display after 20 minutes in DR Mode. The autopilot will remain coupled in DR mode as long as the deviation info is available (20 min.) Lastly, but at the same time, a 'GPS NAV LOST' alert message appears on the PFD. Normal navigation using GPS/SBAS source data resumes automatically once a valid GPS solution is restored.

As a result of operating in DR Mode, all GPS-derived data is computed based upon an estimated position and is displayed as yellow text on the display to denote degraded navigation source information as shown in Figure 5-153.

Also, while the G1000 is in DR Mode, some terrain functions are not available. Additionally, the accuracy of all nearest information (airports, airspaces, and waypoints) is questionable. Finally, airspace alerts continue to function, but with degraded accuracy.



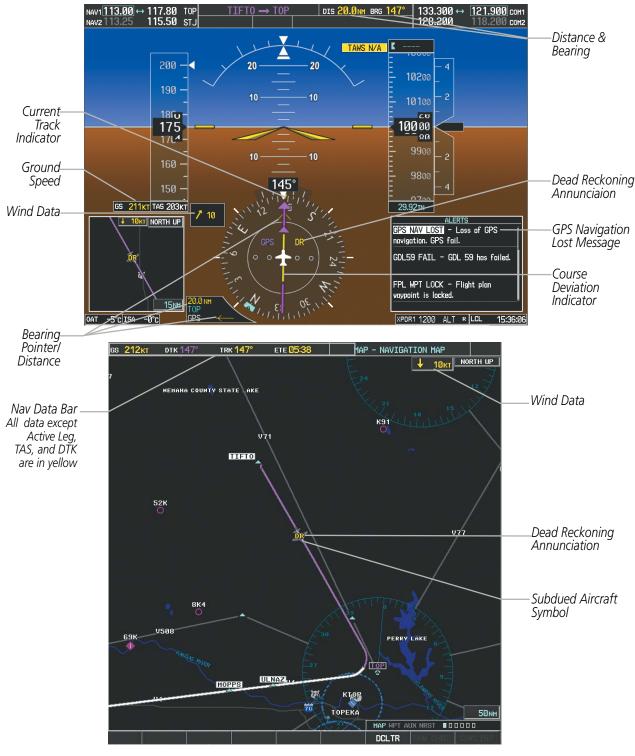


Figure 5-153 Dead Reckoning Mode - GPS Derived Data Shown in Yellow



**NOTE:** The Inset Map is removed from the PFD any time aircraft pitch is greater than  $+30^{\circ}$  or less than  $-20^{\circ}$ , or when a 65° bank angle is reached.



# **SECTION 6 HAZARD AVOIDANCE**

Hazard avoidance features available for the G1000 are designed to aid situational awareness and provide advisory information with regard to potential hazards to flight safety associated with weather, terrain, and air traffic.

#### Weather

- GDL 69/69A SiriusXM Weather (Subscription Optional)
- GSR 56 Garmin Connext Weather (Optional)
- GWX 68/70 Airborne Color Weather Radar
- L-3 Stormscope<sup>®</sup> WX-500 Lightning Detection System (Optional)

#### **Terrain Avoidance**

- TAWS-B (Terrain Awareness and Warning System Class B)
- TAWS-A (Terrain Awareness and Warning System Class A) (Optional)

#### Traffic

- Traffic Information Service (TIS)
- Garmin GTS 800/820/825 Traffic Advisory System (TAS) (Optional)
- Garmin GTS 850/855 Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System I (TCAS I) (Optional)
- Garmin GTS 8000 Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System II (TCAS II) (Optional)
- L-3 SKYWATCH® SKY 497 TAS (Optional)
- L-3 SKYWATCH® HP SKY 899 TAS/TCAS I (Optional)
- Honeywell® KTA 870 TAS (Optional)



# **6.1 SIRIUSXM WEATHER**



**WARNING:** Do not use data link weather information for maneuvering in, near, or around areas of hazardous weather. Information contained within data link weather products may not accurately depict current weather conditions.



**WARNING:** Do not use the indicated data link weather product age to determine the age of the weather information shown by the data link weather product. Due to time delays inherent in gathering and processing weather data for data link transmission, the weather information shown by the data link weather product may be significantly older than the indicated weather product age.

The GDL 69/69A is a remote-mounted data link satellite receiver. It provides SiriusXM Weather data to the system. The Multi Function Display (MFD) and the Primary Flight Display (PFD) Inset Map display the graphical weather information and the associated text. The GDL 69A can also receive SiriusXM Satellite Radio entertainment services. Both weather data and entertainment programming operate in the S-band frequency range to provide continuous reception capabilities at any altitude throughout North America.

Services from SiriusXM are subscription-based. For more information on specific service packages, visit www. siriusxm.com.

### **ACTIVATING SERVICES**

Before SiriusXM Weather can be used, the service must be activated by providing SiriusXM's customer service the coded IDs unique to the installed GDL 69/69A. The SiriusXM Weather service has a coded Data Radio ID. The Data Radio ID must be provided to activate the weather service. This ID is in the following locations:

- The AUX XM Information Page on the MFD (Figure 6-1)
- The SiriusXM Activation Instructions included with the Data Link Receiver
- The label on the back of the Data Link Receiver

Contact the installer if the Audio and Data Radio IDs cannot be located.

SiriusXM uses the coded IDs to send an activation signal that allows the system to display weather data and/or provide audio entertainment programming through the GDL 69/69A.

### Establishing an account for SiriusXM services:

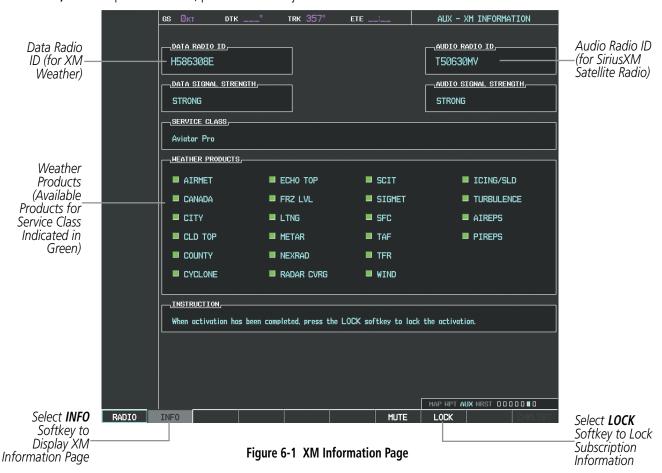
- 1) Select the XM Page in the Auxiliary Page Group.
- 2) Press the **INFO** Softkey to display the AUX XM Information Page.
- 3) Note the Data Radio ID (for SiriusXM Weather) and/or the Audio Radio ID (for SiriusXM Satellite Radio).
- **4)** Contact SiriusXM customer service through the phone number listed on its website.
- 5) Provide SiriusXM customer service the Data Radio ID and/or Audio Radio ID, in addition to payment information, and desired weather product subscription package.

#### **Activating the SiriusXM Weather service:**

- 1) Once a SiriusXM Weather account has been established, select the XM Page in the Auxiliary Page Group.
- 2) Press the **INFO** Softkey to display the XM Information Page.



- 3) Observe the list of Weather Products. A white empty box appears next to an unavailable weather product; a green filled box appears next to an available weather product. During activation, it may take several minutes for weather products in the selected subscription package to become available.
- **4)** When the available weather products displayed match the weather products offered in the selected SiriusXM Weather product subscription package, press the **LOCK** Softkey.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'YES'.
- **6)** To complete activation, press the **ENT** Key.



# USING SIRIUSXM WEATHER PRODUCTS

The principal map page for viewing SiriusXM Weather data is the Weather Data Link (XM) Page in the Map Page Group. This is the only map display capable of showing information for all available SiriusXM Weather products.

#### Viewing the Weather Data Link (XM) Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Weather Data Link (XM or CNXT) Page.
- 3) If the page title contains 'CNXT', it will be necessary to change the data link weather source from Garmin Connext to SiriusXM Weather. Refer to the next procedure to change the source.





NEXRAD Weather Product Icon and Age (U.S. and Canada)

NEXRAD Weather Product Selectedfor Display

Figure 6-2 Weather Data Link (XM) Page

# Changing the weather data link source (SiriusXM or Garmin Connext):

- 1) If necessary, turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) If necessary, turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Weather Data Link (XM or CNXT) Page.
- **3)** Press the **MENU** Key (Figure 6-3).
- 4) If necessary, turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Display XM Weather' or 'Display Connext Weather' and press the **ENT** Key. Weather Data Link Page title and softkeys change to correspond to selected data link weather source.



Figure 6-3 Changing the Data Link Weather Source



For each enabled SiriusXM Weather product, the system displays a weather product icon and product age. The product age is the elapsed time (in minutes) since the weather data provider compiled the weather product. The product age display does not indicate the age of the information contained within the weather product, which can be significantly older than the displayed weather product age.

The weather product icon and age may be enabled/disabled on the PFD Inset Map.

### **Enabling/Disabling Weather Product Information on the PFD Inset Map:**

- **1)** Press the **INSET** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **WX LGND** Softkey to display or remove weather product info and age data when a data link weather product is selected for display on the PFD Inset Map.

The SiriusXM Weather service broadcasts weather products at specific intervals (defined in the **Broadcast Rate** column in Table 6-1). If for any reason, a product is not refreshed within the **Broadcast Rate** intervals (see Table 6-1), the system removes the expired data from the display, and shows dashes instead of the product age. This ensures the displayed information is consistent with what is currently being transmitted by the SiriusXM Weather service. If more than half of the expiration time has elapsed, the color of the product age changes to yellow. If data for a weather product is not available, the system displays 'N/A' next to the weather product symbol instead of the product age.

Table 6-1 shows the weather product symbols, the expiration times and the broadcast rates. The broadcast rate represents the interval at which the SiriusXM Weather service transmits new signals that may or may not contain updated weather products. It does not represent the rate at which the weather information is updated or when the Data Link Receiver receives new data. SiriusXM and its weather data suppliers define and control the data update intervals, which are subject to change.



SiriusXM Weather Product	Symbol	Expiration Time (Minutes)	Broadcast Rate (Minutes)	
NEXRAD	<b>4</b>	30	5 (U.S.)	
			10 (Canada)	
Cloud Top (CLD TOP)	***	60	15	
Echo Top (ECHO TOP)	-	30	7.5	
XM Lightning (LTNG)	*	30	5	
Cell Movement (CELL MOV)		30	1.25	
SIGMETs/AIRMETs (SIG/AIR)	SIGMET AIRMET	60	12	
METARs	Ŧ	90	12	
City Forecast (CITY)		90	12	
Surface Analysis (SFC)	1	60	12	
Freezing Levels (FRZ LVL)		120	12	
Winds Aloft (WIND)	*	90	12	
County Warnings (COUNTY)	**	60	5	
Cyclone Warnings (CYCLONE)	9	60	12	
Icing Potential (CIP and SLD) (ICNG)	•	90	22	
Pilot Weather Report (PIREPs)	<b>-</b>	90	12	
Air Report (AIREPs)		90	12	
Turbulence (TURB)	$\wedge$	180	12	
Radar Coverage Not Available	No product image	30	5	
TFRs	No product image	60	12	
TAFs	No product image	60   uct Symbols and Data Tim	12	



Table 6-2 shows which SiriusXM Weather products can be displayed (indicated with a '+' symbol) on specific maps.

SiriusXM Weather Product	PFD Inset Map	Navigation Map Page	Weather Data Link Page	Weather Information Page	AUX - Trip Planning Page	Nearest Page Group	Flight Plan Pages
NEXRAD	+	+	+		+	+	+
Cloud Top (CLD TOP)			+				
Echo Top (ECHO TOP)			+				
SitiusXM Lightning (LTNG)	+	+	+		+	+	+
Cell Movement (CELL MOV)		+	+		+		
SIGMETs/AIRMETs (SIG/AIR)			+				
METARs	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
City Forecast (CITY)			+				
Surface Analysis (SFC)			+				
Freezing Levels (FRZ LVL)			+				
Winds Aloft (WIND)		+*	+				
County Warnings (COUNTY)			+				
Cyclone Warnings (CYCLONE)			+				
Icing Potential (ICNG)			+				
PIREPs			+	+			
AIREPs			+	+			
Turbulence (TURB)			+				
Radar Coverage		+	+				
TFRs	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
TAFs			+	+			

<sup>\*</sup> Winds Aloft data is available inside Profile View when Profile View is enabled on the Navigation Map Page (TAWS-B installations only).

**Table 6-2 Weather Product Display Maps** 



# WEATHER SOFTKEYS ON THE WEATHER DATA LINK (XM) PAGE

Softkeys control the display of weather information on most MFD pages and the PFD Inset Map (Figure 6-4 shows the weather product softkeys for the Weather Data Link (XM) Page). When a weather product is selected for display, the corresponding softkey label changes to gray to indicate the product is enabled. Unavailable weather products have subdued softkey labels (softkeys are disabled from selection).

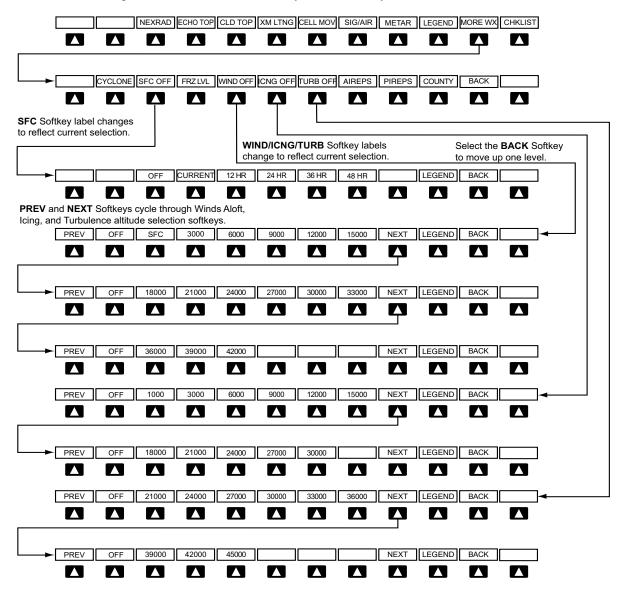


Figure 6-4 Weather Data Link (XM) Page Weather Product Softkeys

The setup menus for the Navigation Map Page and the Weather Data Link (XM) Page control the map range settings above which weather products data are decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the weather product map range setting is selected, the weather product data is removed from the map. The menus also provide a means in addition to the softkeys for enabling/disabling display of weather products.



# Setting up and customizing the Weather Data Link (XM) Page:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With 'Weather Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-5).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'PRODUCT GROUP 1' or 'PRODUCT GROUP 2', and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-6).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options for each product (ON/OFF, range settings, etc.).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Weather Data Link (XM) Page with the changed settings.



Figure 6-5 Weather Data Link (XM) Page Menu

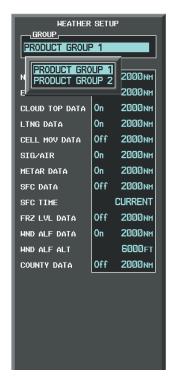


Figure 6-6 Weather Data Link (XM) Page Setup Menu

# Restoring default Weather Data Link (XM) Page settings:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Weather Setup' highlighted, press the ENT Key.
- **4)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **5)** Highlight the desired default(s) to restore (all or for selection) and press **ENT** Key.



Maps besides the Weather Data Link (XM) Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

# Setting up and customizing weather data for the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With 'Map Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-7).
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Weather' Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-8).
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections (Figure 6-9).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options for each product (ON/OFF, range settings).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.



Figure 6-7 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-8 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



Figure 6-9 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Weather Group



Each active weather product has an associated legend which can be displayed on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.

# Viewing legends for displayed weather products

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **LEGEND** Softkey to display the legends for the displayed weather products.

Or:

NEXRAD

CLD TOP GE: 14min XM LTNG

COUNTY

KMNZ

a) Press the **MENU** Key.

**b)** Select 'Weather Legend' and press the **ENT** Key.

he **FMS** Knob to scroll through the legends if more are available than fit in the window.

hove the Legend Window, select the **LEGEND** Softkey, the **ENT** or the **CLR** Key, or press the **FMS** Knob.

formation about the following can be displayed by panning over the display on the map:

- County Warnings
- TFRs
- AIREPs
- PIREPs

ning feature is enabled by pressing the **RANGE** Knob. The map range is adjusted by turning

1. If the map range is adjusted while panning is enabled, the map is re-centered on the Map

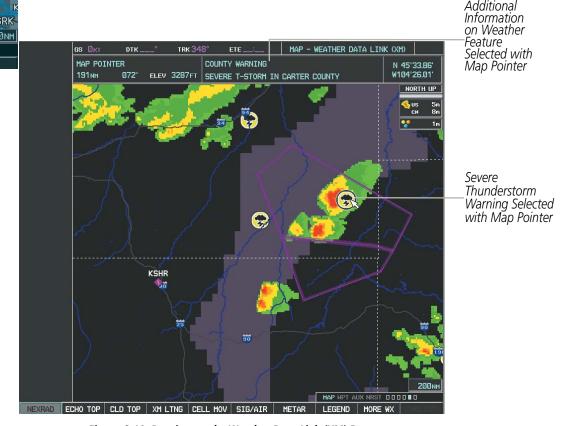


Figure 6-10 Panning on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page



#### **NEXRAD**



**NOTE:** NEXRAD data cannot be displayed at the same time as terrain, echo tops, icing, or turbulence data.

The National Weather Service (NWS) operates the WSR-88D, or NEXRAD (NEXt-generation RADar) system, an extensive network of 156 high-resolution Doppler radar systems. The NEXRAD network provides centralized meteorological information for the continental United States and selected overseas locations. The maximum range of a single NEXRAD site is 250 nm.

Individual NEXRAD sites supply the network with radar images, and the images from each radar site may arrive at the network at different rates and times. Periodically, the weather data provider compiles the available individual site images from the network to form a composite image, and assigns a single time to indicate when it created the image. This image becomes the NEXRAD weather product. Individual images--gathered from each NEXRAD site--differ in age, and are always older than the displayed NEXRAD weather product age. The data provider then sends the NEXRAD data to the SiriusXM Weather service, whose satellites transmit this information during the next designated refresh time for the NEXRAD weather product.

Because of the time required to detect, assemble, and distribute the NEXRAD weather product, the displayed weather information contained within the product may be significantly older than the current radar synopsis and may not depict the current weather conditions. NEXRAD information should never be used as a basis for maneuvering in, near, or around areas of hazardous weather regardless of the information it contains.



Figure 6-11 NEXRAD Data on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page



# **Displaying NEXRAD weather information:**

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey (for the PFD Inset Map, press the INSET Softkey). This step is not necessary on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **NEXRAD** Softkey.

Composite data from all the NEXRAD radar sites in the United States is shown. This data is composed of the maximum reflectivity from the individual radar sweeps. The display of the information is color-coded to indicate the weather severity level. All weather product legends can be viewed on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page. For the NEXRAD legend (Figure 6-12), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when NEXRAD is selected for display.

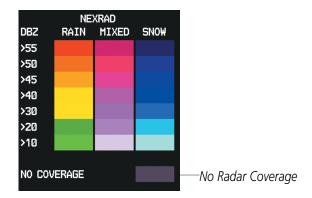


Figure 6-12 NEXRAD Data with Legend

The display of radar coverage is always active when either NEXRAD or Echo Tops is selected. Areas where NEXRAD radar coverage and Echo Tops information is not currently available or is not being collected are indicated in gray shade of purple.

#### REFLECTIVITY

Reflectivity is the amount of transmitted power returned to the radar receiver. Colors on the NEXRAD display are directly correlative to the level of detected reflectivity. Reflectivity as it relates to hazardous weather can be very complex.

The role of radar is essentially to detect moisture in the atmosphere. Simply put, certain types of weather reflect radar better than others. The intensity of a radar reflection is not necessarily an indication of the weather hazard level. For instance, wet hail returns a strong radar reflection, while dry hail does not. Both wet and dry hail can be extremely hazardous.

The different NEXRAD echo intensities are measured in decibels (dB) relative to reflectivity (Z). NEXRAD measures the radar reflectivity ratio, or the energy reflected *back to* the radar receiver (designated by the letter Z). The value of Z increases as the returned signal strength increases.



#### **NEXRAD** LIMITATIONS

NEXRAD radar images may have certain limitations:

- NEXRAD base reflectivity does not provide sufficient information to determine cloud layers or precipitation characteristics (wet hail vs. rain). For example, it is not possible to distinguish between wet snow, wet hail, and rain.
- NEXRAD base reflectivity is sampled at the minimum antenna elevation angle. An individual NEXRAD site cannot depict high altitude storms at close ranges. It has no information about storms directly over the site.
- When zoomed in to a range of 30 nm, each square block on the display represents an area of four square kilometers. The intensity level reflected by each square represents the *highest* level of NEXRAD data sampled within the area (Figure 6-13).
- If the precipitation type is unknown, the system displays the precipitation as rain, regardless of actual precipitation type.

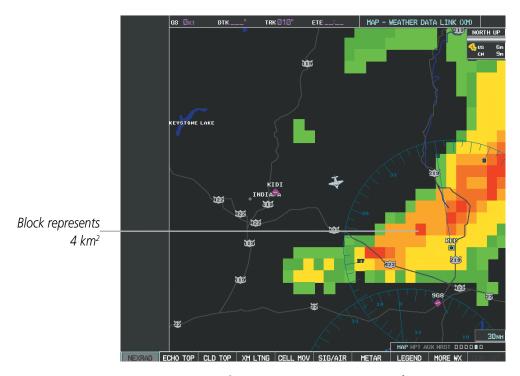


Figure 6-13 NEXRAD Data - Zoomed

The following may cause abnormalities in displayed NEXRAD radar images:

- Ground clutter
- Strobes and spurious radar data
- Sun strobes (when the radar antenna points directly at the sun)
- Interference from buildings or mountains, which may cause shadows
- Metallic dust from military aircraft, which can cause alterations in radar scans



# **NEXRAD LIMITATIONS (CANADA)**

- Radar coverage extends to 55°N.
- Any precipitation displayed between 52°N and 55°N is displayed as mixed precipitation.
- If the precipitation type is unknown, the system displays the precipitation as rain, regardless of actual precipitation type.

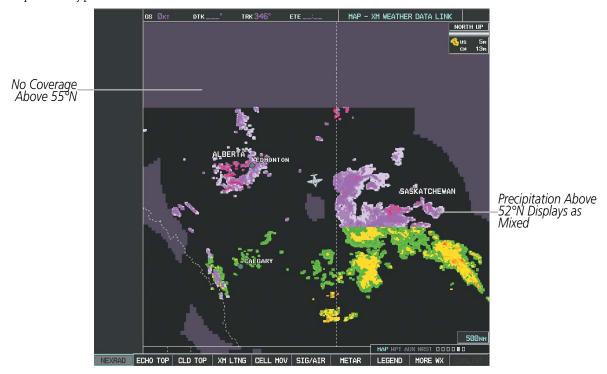


Figure 6-14 NEXRAD Data - Canada



#### **ECHO TOPS**



**NOTE:** Echo Tops cannot be displayed at the same time as Cloud Tops or NEXRAD data is displayed.

The Echo Tops weather product (Figure 6-15) shows the location, elevation, and direction of the highest radar echo. The highest radar echo does not indicate the top of a storm or clouds; rather it indicates the highest altitude at which precipitation is detected. Information is derived from NEXRAD data.

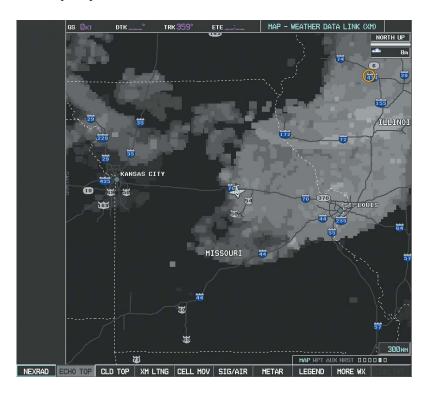


Figure 6-15 Echo Tops Weather Product on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page

#### **Displaying Echo Tops information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **ECHO TOPS** Softkey.

To display the Echo Tops legend (Figure 6-16), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Echo Tops is selected for display. Since Echo Tops and Cloud Tops use the same color scaling to represent altitude, display of these weather products is mutually exclusive. When Echo Tops is activated, NEXRAD and Cloud Tops data are removed.

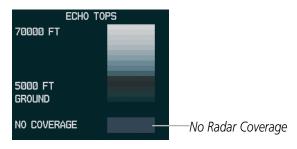


Figure 6-16 Echo Tops Legend



#### **CLOUD TOPS**



# **NOTE:** Cloud Tops and Echo Tops cannot be displayed at the same time.

The Cloud Tops weather product (Figure 6-17) depicts cloud top altitudes as determined from satellite imagery.

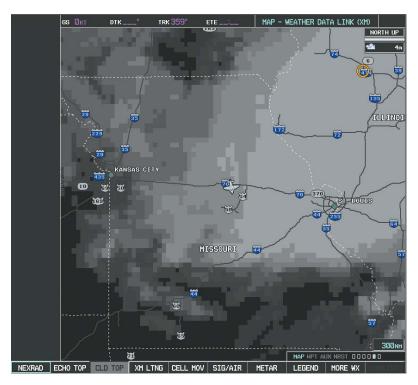


Figure 6-17 Cloud Tops Weather Product

# **Displaying Cloud Tops information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page with the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Select the **CLD TOP** Softkey.

To display the Cloud Tops legend (Figure 6-18), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Cloud Tops is selected for display. Since Cloud Tops and Echo Tops use the same color scaling to represent altitude, display of these weather products is mutually exclusive. When Cloud Tops is activated, Echo Tops data is removed.

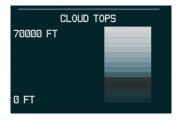


Figure 6-18 Cloud Tops Legend



#### SIRIUSXM LIGHTNING



**NOTE:** SiriusXM Lightning information cannot be displayed simultaneously on the same map as information from an optional on-board lightning detection system.

The SiriusXM Lightning weather product (Figure 6-19) shows the approximate location of cloud-to-ground lightning strikes. A strike icon represents a strike that has occurred within a two-kilometer region. The exact location of the lightning strike is not displayed.

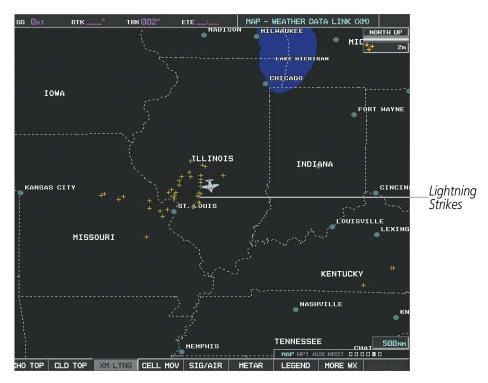


Figure 6-19 SiriusXM Lightning Weather Product on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page

# **Displaying SiriusXM Lightning information:**

- 1) Select the **MAP** Softkey (for the PFD Inset Map, press the **INSET** Softkey). This step is not necessary on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **XM LTNG** Softkey (**LTNG** Softkey on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page).

To display the XM Lightning legend on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page (Figure 6-20), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when XM Lightning is selected for display.



Figure 6-20 SiriusXM Lightning Legend



#### **CELL MOVEMENT**

Cell Movement data (Figure 6-21) shows the location and movement of storm cells as identified by the ground-based system. Cells are represented by yellow squares, with direction of movement indicated with short, orange arrows.



Figure 6-21 Cell Movement Data

On most applicable maps, Cell Movement data is selected for display along with NEXRAD. On the Weather Data Link (XM) Page, Cell Movement data can be selected independently.

### **Displaying Cell Movement information:**

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey (for the PFD Inset Map, press the INSET Softkey). This step is not necessary on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **NEXRAD** Softkey (**CEL MOV** Softkey on the XM Weather Data Link (XM) Page). For Cell Movement to be displayed on maps other than the Weather Data Link (XM) Page, Cell Movement must be turned on in the Navigation Map Setup Menu (see "Setting Up XM Satellite Weather").

To display the Cell Movement legend on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page, (Figure 6-22), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Cell Movement is selected for display.



Figure 6-22 Cell Movement Legend



#### SIGMETS AND AIRMETS

SIGMET (SIGnificant METeorological Information) and AIRMET (AIRmen's METeorological Information) are issued for potentially hazardous weather. A Convective SIGMET is issued for hazardous convective weather such as severe or widespread thunderstorms. A localized SIGMET is a significant weather condition occurring at a localized geographical position.



Figure 6-23 SIGMET/AIRMET Data

#### **Displaying SIGMETs and AIRMETs:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- **2)** Select the **SIG/AIR** Softkey.
- 3) To view the text of the SIGMET or AIRMET, press the **RANGE** Knob and move the Map Pointer over the icon.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** key. Figure 6-24 shows sample SIGMET text.

To display the SIGMET and AIRMET legend (Figure 6-24), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when SIGMETs and AIRMETs are selected for display.





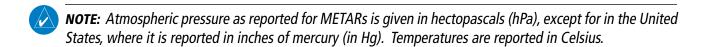


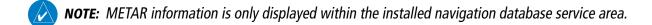
Sample SIGMET Text

SIGMET/AIRMET Legend

Figure 6-24 SIGMET/AIRMET Text and Legend

# **METARS AND TAFS**





METARs (METeorological Aerodrome Reports) typically contain information about the temperature, dewpoint, wind, precipitation, cloud cover, cloud heights, visibility, and barometric pressure at an airport or observation station. They can also contain information on precipitation amounts, lightning, and other critical data. METARs reflect hourly observations; non-routine updates include the code "SPECI" in the report. METARs are shown as colored flags at airports that provide them.



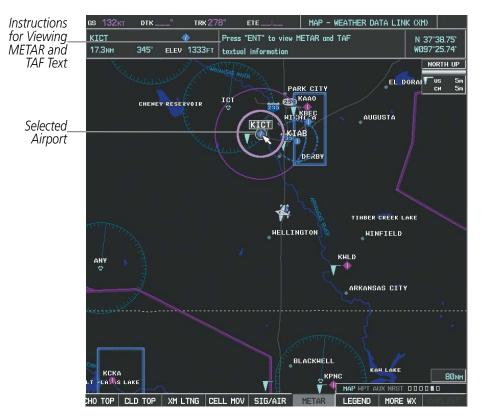


Figure 6-25 METAR Flags on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page

TAFs (Terminal Aerodrome Forecasts) are weather predictions for specific airports within a 24- hour period, and may span up to 36 hours. TAFs typically include forecast wind, visibility, weather phenomena, and sky conditions using METAR codes.

METAR and TAF text are displayed on the Weather Information Page. METAR data is displayed first in a decoded fashion, followed by the original text. Note the original text may contain additional information not found in the decoded version. TAF information is displayed only in its original form when TAFs are available.



# **Displaying METAR and TAF text:**

- 1) On the Weather Data Link (XM) Page, select the **METAR** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **RANGE** Knob and pan to the desired airport.
- 3) Press the ENT Key. The Weather Information Page is shown with METAR and TAF text.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key to scroll through the METAR and TAF text. METAR text must be completely scrolled through before scrolling through the TAF text.
- 5) Press the FMS Knob or the CLR Key to return to the XM Weather Data Link (XM) Page.

Or:

- 1) Select the Weather Information Page.
  - **a)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Waypoint Page Group.
  - **b)** Select the **WX** Softkey to select the Weather Information Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob to display the cursor.
- **3)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired airport and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key to scroll through the METAR and TAF text. Note that the METAR text must be completely scrolled through before scrolling through the TAF text.

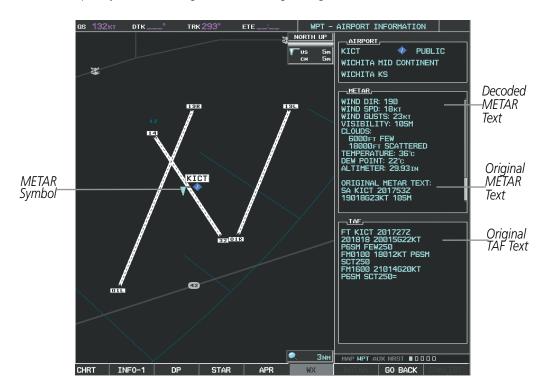


Figure 6-26 METAR and TAF Information on the Airport Information Page

Original METAR text is also accessible while panning the map cursor over a METAR flag on any map page on which a METAR is displayed. The METAR text is shown in a box near the METAR flag.

In addition, METAR flags and their associated text are displayed on the Active Flight Plan Page on the MF.D. The system shows a METAR flag next to waypoints in the flight plan with an available METAR.



# Displaying original METAR text on the Active Flight Plan Page:

- 1) Select the Active Flight Plan Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight a waypoint with an available METAR (indicated with a METAR flag next to it). The METAR text will appear in the 'SELECTED WAYPOINT WEATHER' window below.
- **4)** When finished, press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor or press the **FPL** Key to exit the Active Flight Plan Page.

To display the METAR legend (Figure 6-27) on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page, select the **LEGEND** Softkey when METARs are selected for display.

The METAR flag color is determined by the information in the METAR text. The system displays a gray METAR flag when the system cannot determine the METAR category based on the information available.



Figure 6-27 METAR Legend

# **SURFACE ANALYSIS AND CITY FORECAST**



**NOTE:** Surface Analysis and City Forecast data are displayed only within the installed Aviation Database service area.

Surface Analysis and City Forecast (Figure 6-28) information is available for current and forecast weather conditions. Forecasts are available for intervals of 12, 24, 36, and 48 hours.



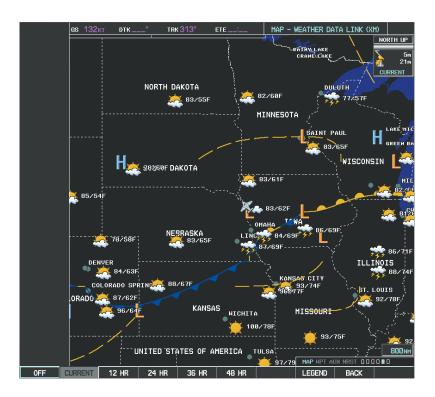


Figure 6-28 Surface Analysis Data - 24-Hour

# **Displaying Surface Analysis and City Forecast information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the MORE WX Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **SFC** Softkey.
- **4)** Select the desired forecast time: **CURRENT**, **12 HR**, **24 HR**, **36 HR**, or **48 HR**. The **SFC** Softkey label changes to reflect the forecast time selected.

To display the Surface Analysis and City Forecast legend (Figure 6-29), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Surface Analysis and City Forecast are selected to be displayed.



Figure 6-29 Surface Analysis Legend



#### **FREEZING LEVEL**

The Freezing Level weather product (Figure 6-30) shows the color-coded contour lines for the altitude and location at which the first isotherm is found. When no data is displayed for a given altitude, the data for that altitude has not been received, or is out of date and has been removed from the display. New data appears when it becomes available.

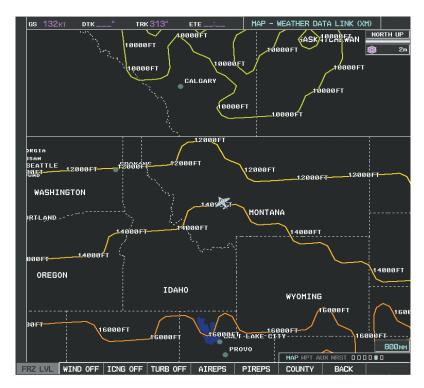


Figure 6-30 Freezing Level Data

# **Displaying Freezing Level information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **FRZ LVL** Softkey.

To display the Freezing Level legend (Figure 6-31), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Freezing Level data is selected to be displayed.

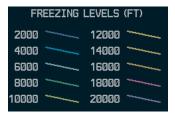


Figure 6-31 Freezing Level Legend



#### WINDS ALOFT

The Winds Aloft weather product (Figure 6-32) shows the forecast wind speed and direction at the surface and at selected altitudes. Altitude can be displayed in 3000-foot increments beginning at the surface up to 42,000 feet MSL.

# Displaying the Winds Aloft weather product:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page with the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Select the MORE WX Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **WIND** Softkey.
- **4)** Select the desired altitude level: SFC (surface) up to 42,000 feet. Select the **NEXT** or **PREV** Softkey to cycle through the altitude softkeys. The **WIND** Softkey label changes to reflect the altitude selected.

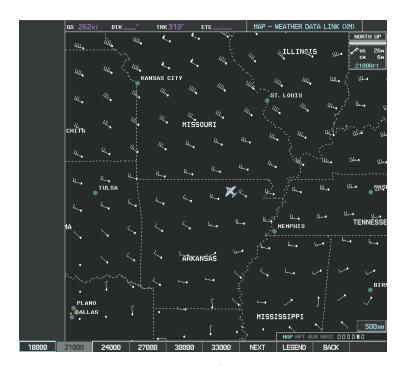


Figure 6-32 Winds Aloft at 21,000 Feet

To display the Winds Aloft legend (Figure 6-33), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Winds Aloft is selected for display.

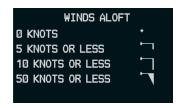


Figure 6-33 Winds Aloft Data with Legend



Headwind and tailwind components aloft are available inside the Profile View on the Navigation Map Page (Figure 6-34). The displayed components are relative to current aircraft altitude and track, but not to aircraft speed.



# **NOTE**: Profile View is not available in TAWS-A installations.

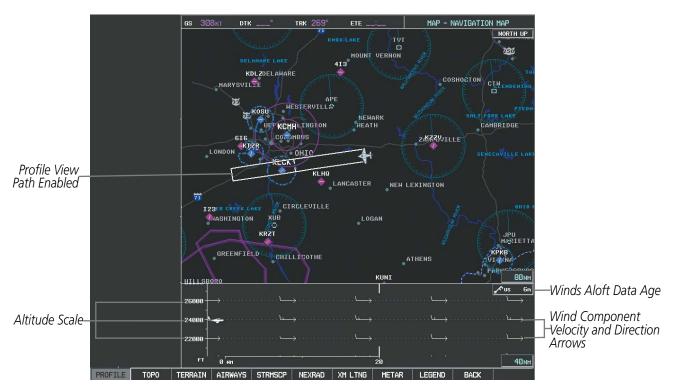


Figure 6-34 Navigation Map Page with Winds Aloft Data on Profile View

Arrows pointing to the left indicate headwind components; tailwind component arrows point to the right, as shown in Table 6-3.

Headwind Symbol	Tailwind Symbol	Headwind/Tailwind Component		
None	None	Less than 5 knots		
<i>—</i>	$  \longrightarrow  $	5 knots		
$\leftarrow$		10 knots		
← •	$\stackrel{\blacktriangle}{\longrightarrow}$	50 knots		

Table 6-3 Profile View Headwind/Tailwind Component Symbols



# Showing/Hiding Profile View (containing winds aloft data)

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Select the **PROFILE** Softkey.

#### Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight 'Show Profile View' or 'Hide Profile View' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.

Winds Aloft data inside the Profile View is enabled by default when the Profile View is displayed on the Navigation Map Page. This behavior can be changed on the Navigation Map Page.

# Enabling/disabling winds aloft data display in Profile View:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-35).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Profile Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-36).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select 'Profile Winds' (Figure 6-37).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.



Figure 6-35 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-36 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



Figure 6-37 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Weather Group



#### **COUNTY WARNINGS**

The County warning weather product (Figure 6-38) provides specific public awareness and protection weather warnings from the National Weather Service (NWS). This can include information on tornadoes, severe thunderstorms, and flood conditions.

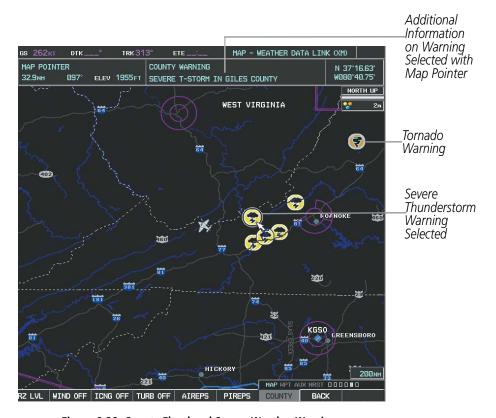


Figure 6-38 County Flood and Severe Weather Warnings

# **Displaying County Warning information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page with the **FMS** Knob.
- **2)** Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **COUNTY** Softkey.

To display the County Warnings legend (Figure 6-39), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when County Warnings are selected to be displayed.



Figure 6-39 County Warnings Legend



#### **CYCLONE**

The Cyclone weather product (Figure 6-40) shows the current location of cyclones (hurricanes), tropical storms, and their projected tracks. The system displays the projected track information in the form of DD/HH:MM.

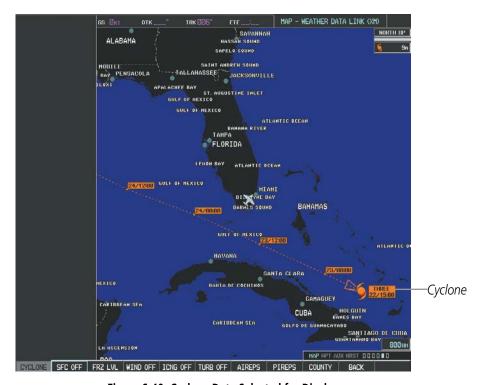


Figure 6-40 Cyclone Data Selected for Display

#### Displaying cyclone (hurricane) track information:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page with the **FMS** Knob.
- 2) Select the MORE WX Softkey.
- 3) Select the **CYCLONE** Softkey.

To display the Cyclone legend (Figure 6-41), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Cyclones are selected to be displayed.



Figure 6-41 Cyclone Legend



# ICING (CIP & SLD)

The Current Icing Product (CIP) weather product (Figure 6-42) shows a graphical view of the current icing environment. Icing severity is displayed in four categories: light, moderate, severe, and extreme (not specific to aircraft type). The CIP product is not a forecast, but a presentation of the current conditions at the time of the analysis.

Supercooled Large Droplet (SLD) icing conditions are characterized by the presence of relatively large, super cooled water droplets indicative of freezing drizzle and freezing rain aloft. SLD threat areas are depicted as magenta dots over the CIP colors.

### Displaying Icing data:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- **2)** Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **ICNG** Softkey.
- **4)** Select the desired altitude level: 1,000 feet up to 30,000 feet. Select the **NEXT** or **PREV** Softkey to cycle through the altitude softkeys. The **ICNG** Softkey label changes to indicate the altitude selected.

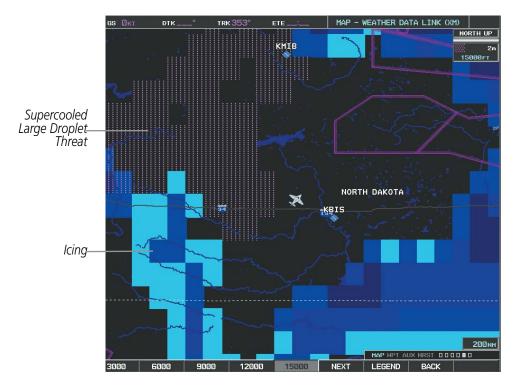


Figure 6-42 Icing Data at 15,000 Feet

To display the Icing Potential legend (Figure 6-43), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Icing is selected for display.

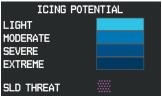


Figure 6-43 Icing Potential Legend



#### **TURBULENCE**

The Turbulence weather product (Figure 6-44) identifies the potential for erratic movement of high-altitude air mass associated winds. Turbulence is classified as light, moderate, severe or extreme, at altitudes between 21,000 and 45,000 feet. Turbulence information is intended to supplement AIRMETs, SIGMETs, and PIREPs.

# **Displaying Turbulence data:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- **2)** Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **TURB** Softkey.
- **4)** Select the desired altitude level: 21,000 feet up to 45,000 feet. Selects the **NEXT** or **PREV** Softkey to cycle through the altitude softkeys. The **TURB** Softkey label changes to indicate the altitude selected.

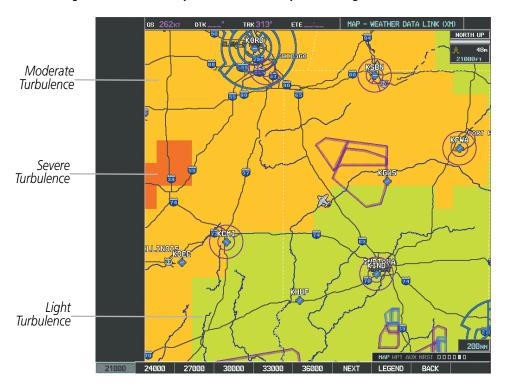


Figure 6-44 Turbulence Data at 21,000 Feet

To display the Turbulence legend (Figure 6-45), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Turbulence is enabled for display.



Figure 6-45 Turbulence Legend



#### PIREPS AND AIREPS

Pilot Weather Reports (PIREPs) (Figure 6-46) are in-flight weather observations collected from pilots. When significant weather conditions are reported or forecast, Air Traffic Control (ATC) facilities are required to solicit PIREPs. A PIREP may contain adverse weather conditions, such as low in-flight visibility, icing conditions, wind shear, and turbulence. PIREPs are issued as either Routine (UA) or Urgent (UUA).

Another type of PIREP is an Air Report (AIREP). Commercial airlines typically generate AIREPs.

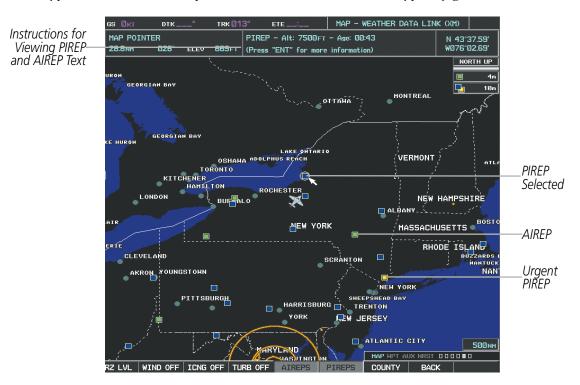


Figure 6-46 AIREPs and PIREPs on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page

#### **Displaying PIREP and AIREP text:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.
- 2) Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- 3) Select the **AIREPS** or **PIREPS** Softkey.
- **4)** Press the **RANGE** Knob and pan to the desired weather report. A gray circle will appear around the weather report when it is selected.
- 5) Press the **ENT** Key. The Weather Information Page is shown with PIREP or AIREP text. The data is first displayed in a decoded fashion, then as raw text.
- **6)** Use the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key to scroll through the PIREP or AIREP text.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob or the **CLR** Key to return to the Weather Data Link (XM) Page.



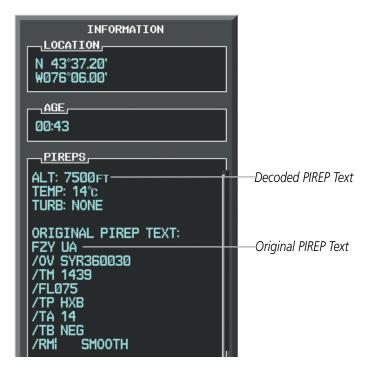


Figure 6-47 PIREP Text on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page

To display the PIREP or AIREP legend (Figure 6-48), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when PIREPs or AIREPs are selected for display.

The PIREP color is determined by the type (routine or urgent).



Figure 6-48 AIREPs & PIREPs Legend

#### **TFRS**

In the United States, the FAA issues Temporary Flight Restrictions (TFRs) to designate areas where flight is restricted. TFRs are issued to restrict flight for a variety of reasons including national security, law enforcement, natural disasters, and large sporting events. TFRs may be issued at any time, and TFR data displayed on the G1000 is only intended to supplement official TFR information obtained from Flight Service Stations (FSS), and air traffic control.

The age of TFR data is not shown; however, if TFR data is not available or has expired, the system displays 'TFR N/A' in the upper-left corner of maps on which TFRs can be displayed.



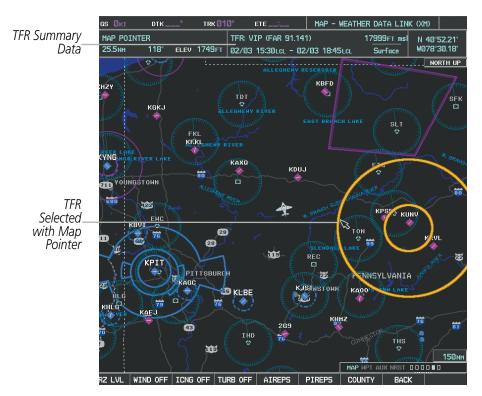


Figure 6-49 TFR Data on the Weather Data Link (XM) Page

# **Displaying TFR Data:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (XM) Page or Navigation Map Page.
- 2) Press the **RANGE** Knob and pan the map pointer over a TFR to highlight it. The system displays TFR summary information above the map.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The system displays a pop-up menu.
- **4)** If necessary, turn the **FMS** Knob to select 'Review Airspaces' and press the **ENT** Key. The system displays the TFR Information window.
- 5) Press the **FMS** Knob or the **CLR** Key to remove the TFR Information window.

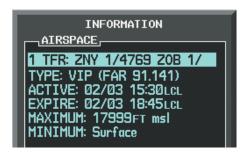


Figure 6-50 Full Text for Selected TFR

The setup menus for the Navigation Map Page control the map range settings above which TFR data is decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the TFR product map range setting is selected, the TFR product data is removed from the map.



Maps other than the Navigation Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

## Setting up and customizing TFR data for maps on which TFR data can be displayed:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-51).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Aviation Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-52).
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll to the TFR product range setting (Figure 6-53).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (Off, range settings).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.



Figure 6-51 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-52 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



Figure 6-53 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Weather Group



# **6.2 GARMIN CONNEXT WEATHER**



**WARNING:** Do not use data link weather information for maneuvering in, near, or around areas of hazardous weather. Information contained within data link weather products may not accurately depict current weather conditions.



**WARNING:** Do not use the indicated data link weather product age to determine the age of the weather information shown by the data link weather product. Due to time delays inherent in gathering and processing weather data for data link transmission, the weather information shown by the data link weather product may be significantly older than the indicated weather product age.



**NOTE:** The availability of specific Garmin Connext weather products varies by region and is subject to change. For weather product coverage information, refer to fly.garmin.com/fly-garmin/gfds-weather. This Pilot's Guide shows all Garmin Connext Weather products, regardless of product availability in a specific area.

The optional GSR 56 Iridium satellite data link receiver provides extensive weather information to the G1000. The system displays graphical weather information and its associated text on the Multi Function Display (MFD) and the Primary Flight Display (PFD) Inset Map.

The system provides weather information after the flight crew selects either a manual or automatic Connext Data Request on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page on the MFD.

Garmin Connext Weather requires an active subscription to both Iridium and Garmin Connext services. Refer to the Additional Features section for information on registering for Garmin Connext services.

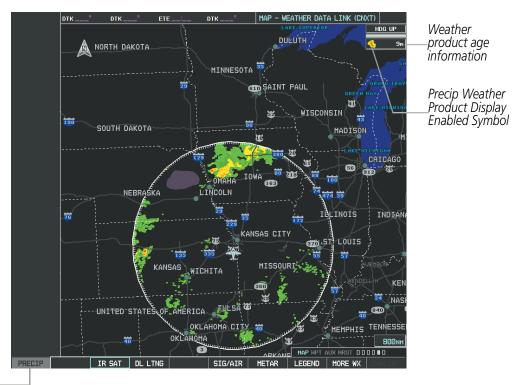
## **ACCESSING GARMIN CONNEXT WEATHER PRODUCTS**

The principal map for viewing Garmin Connext Weather information is the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page in the Map Page Group (Figure 6-54). This is the only map display capable of showing information for all available Garmin Connext Weather products. No weather data is displayed until the system completes the first crew-initiated Connext Data Request.

### Viewing the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Weather Data Link (CNXT or XM) Page. If the page title contains 'XM', continue with this procedure to change the data link weather source from SiriusXM to Garmin Connxext.
- **3)** Press the **Menu** Key.
- 4) If necessary, turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Display Connext Weather', then press the **ENT** Key. Page title displays 'MAP WEATHER DATA LINK (CNXT)'.





Precip Weather Product Selected for Display

Figure 6-54 Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page (After Connext Data Request)

When a weather product is selected for display on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page, a box containing a symbol for the product and its age (in minutes) are shown in the upper right (Figure 6-54). If weather data has not been requested yet or is not available, 'N/A' is shown next to the product symbol instead of age. The age of the weather product is based on the time difference between when the data was assembled on the ground and the current GPS time.

Weather products are updated continuously or refreshed at specific intervals (defined in the **Refresh Rate** column in Table 6-4).

If for any reason, a weather product is not refreshed within the defined **Expiration Time** intervals (see Table 6-4), the data is considered expired and is removed from the display. The age of the expired product is replaced by dashes. If more than half of the expiration time has elapsed, the color of the product age changes to yellow.

As an additional reference, the Garmin Connext Weather product symbol and age can be enabled/disabled for display on the PFD Inset Map.

## **Enabling/Disabling XM WX Product Information on the PFD Inset Map:**

- **1)** Press the **INSET** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **WX LGND** Softkey to display or remove product symbol and age data when a Garmin Connext Weather product is selected for display on the PFD Inset Map.

Table 6-4 shows the Garmin Connext Weather product symbols, the expiration time and the refresh rates. The refresh rate represents the interval at which the Garmin Connext ground-based infrastructure makes



available the most current known weather data. It does not necessarily represent the rate at which new content is received from weather sources.



NOTE: The availability of specific Garmin Connext Weather products varies by region and is subject to change. For weather product coverage information, refer to fly.garmin.com/fly-garmin/gfds-weather. This Pilot's Guide shows all Garmin Connext Weather products, regardless of product availability in a specific area.

Garmin Connext Weather Product	Symbol	Expiration Time (Minutes)	Refresh Rate (Minutes)
			U.S.: 3*
Radar Precipitation		30	Canada: 3*†
(PRECIP)	440	30	Europe: 15
			Australia: 15 <sup>^</sup>
Infrared Satellite (IR SAT)	-	60	30
Datalink Lightning (DL LTNG)	<b>*</b> +	30	Continuous
SIGMETs/AIRMETs (SIG/AIR)	SIGMET AIRMET	60	Continuous
Meteorological Aerodrome Report (METARs)	<b>T</b>	90	Continuous
Winds Aloft (WIND)	<b>.</b> ^	90	Continuous
Pilot Weather Report (PIREPs)	<u>-</u>	90	Continuous
Temporary Flight Restrictions (TFRs)	no product image	60	Continuous
Terminal Aerodrome Reports (TAFs)	no product image	60	Continuous

<sup>\*</sup> The composite precipitation image is updated every 3 minutes, but individual radar sites may take between 3 and 10 minutes to provide new data.

† Canadian radar precipitation data provided by Environment Canada.

† Australian radar precipitation data provided by the Australian Bureau of Meteorology.

Table 6-4 Garmin Connext Weather Product Symbols and Data Timing



Table 6-5 shows which Garmin Connext Weather products can be displayed (indicated with a '+' symbol) on specific G1000 maps.

Garmin Connext Weather Product	PFD Inset Map	Navigation Map Page	Weather Data Link CNXT) Page	Weather Information Page	AUX - Trip Planning Page	Nearest Page Group	Flight Plan Pages
Precipitation (PRECIP)	+	+	+		+	+	+
Infrared Satellite (IR SAT)			+				
Datalink Lightning (LTNG)	+	+	+		+	+	+
SIGMETs/AIRMETs (SIG/AIR)			+				
METARs	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
Winds Aloft (WIND)		+*	+				
PIREPs			+	+			
Radar Coverage	+	+	+				
TFRs	+	+	+	+	+	+	+
TAFs			+	+			

<sup>\*</sup> Winds Aloft data is available inside Profile View when Profile View is enabled on the Navigation Map Page (TAWS-B installations only).

**Table 6-5 Garmin Connext Weather Product Display Maps** 

Softkeys control the display of weather information on most MFD pages and the PFD Inset Map. Figure 6-55 shows the weather product softkeys for the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page. When a weather product is selected for display, the corresponding softkey label changes to gray to indicate the product display is enabled.



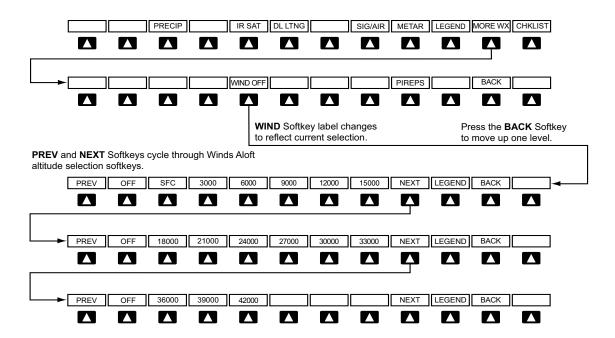


Figure 6-55 Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page Softkeys (MFD)

The setup menus for the Navigation Map Page and the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page control the map range settings above which weather products data are decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the weather product map range setting is selected, the weather product data is removed from the map. The menus also provide a means in addition to the softkeys for enabling/disabling display of weather products.

### Setting up and customizing the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Weather Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-56).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'PRODUCT GROUP 1' or 'PRODUCT GROUP 2', and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-57).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options for each product (ON/OFF, maximum range settings, etc.).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page with the changed settings.





Figure 6-56 Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page Menu



Figure 6-57 Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page Setup Menu

## Restoring default Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page settings:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Weather Setup' highlighted, press the ENT Key.
- **4)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **5)** Highlight the desired default(s) to restore (all or for selection) and press **ENT** Key.



If both Garmin Connext Weather and SiriusXM weather services are installed, customizing the display settings for the corresponding weather products shown in Table 6-6 will result in identical settings for both services.

SiriusXM Weather Product	Garmin Connext Weather Product
Next-generation Radar	Precipitation
(NEXRAD)	(PRECIP)
Cloud Top	Infrared Satellite
(CLD TOP)	(IR SAT)
SiriusXM Lightning	Data Link Lightning
(XM LTNG)	(DL LTNG)
SIGMETs/AIRMETs	SIGMETs/AIRMETs
(SIG/AIR)	(SIG/AIR)
Meteorological Aerodrome Report	Meteorological Aerodrome Report
(METARs)	(METARs)
Winds Aloft	Winds Aloft
(WIND)	(WIND)
Pilot Weather Report	Pilot Weather Report
(PIREPs)	(PIREPs)

Table 6-6 Corresponding SiriusXM and Garmin Connext Weather Products

Maps besides the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

## Setting up and customizing weather data for the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Map Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-58).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Weather' Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-59).
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections (Figure 6-60).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options for each product (ON/OFF, range settings).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.





Figure 6-58 Navigation Map Page Menu







Figure 6-60 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Weather Group

Each active weather product has an associated legend which can be displayed on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page. If no weather product softkeys are selected, the **LEGEND** Softkey will be unavailable.

## Viewing legends for displayed weather products on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page:

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- 2) Select the **LEGEND** Softkey to display the legends for the displayed weather products.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **b)** Select 'Weather Legend' and press the **ENT** Key.
- **3)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to scroll through the legends if more are available than fit in the window.
- **4)** To remove the Legend Window, select the **LEGEND** Softkey, the **ENT** or the **CLR** Key, or press the **FMS** Knob.

Additional information about the following can be displayed by panning over the display on the map:

• Infrared Satellite (IR SAT)

METARs

SIGMETs

TFRs

• AIRMETs

• PIREPs

The map panning feature is enabled by pressing the **RANGE** Knob. The map range is adjusted by turning the **RANGE** Knob. If the map range is adjusted while panning is enabled, the map is re-centered on the Map Pointer.



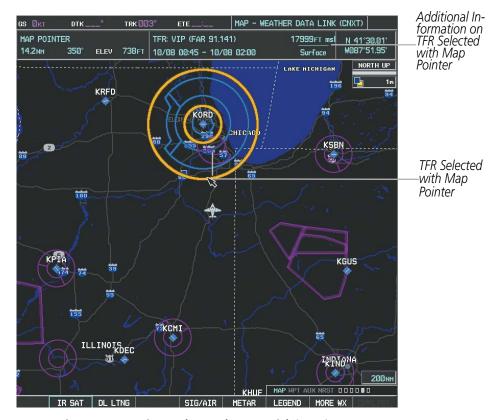


Figure 6-61 Panning on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page

# **CONNEXT DATA REQUESTS**

The Connext Data Request Menu provides the flight crew with the options to define the requested weather coverage area(s), choose automatic weather update intervals (if desired), and the ability to send or cancel weather data requests. A 'REQUEST STATUS' window inside the menu shows the status of the Connext Data Request.

Before a Connext Data Request can occur, a valid request coverage area must be defined from which all currently available Garmin Connext Weather products will be retrieved. At a minimum, either the aircraft's present position or a waypoint (as part of a flight plan or entered directly in the 'WAYPOINT' coverage field) must be part of the request coverage area, otherwise the request status window indicates 'INVALID COVERAGE AREA' and the system will not allow a request to occur.

It is not necessary for a destination (based on an active flight plan), a flight plan, or waypoint to be specified prior to enabling these coverage areas; however no weather data will be retrieved for these option(s) until a flight plan or waypoint is provided, respectively.

## **Manually Requesting Garmin Connext Weather information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Connext Data Request' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-62).



- 4) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired coverage option(s) and press the **ENT** Key to show or hide a green check mark to select one of more of the following coverage selections (Figures 6-63, 6-64):
  - PRESENT POSITION Requests data based on current location.
  - DESTINATION Requests data based on the active flight plan destination (Direct-To destinations excluded). See the Flight Management section for more information about entering and activating flight plans.
  - FPL Requests data along an active flight plan, if one exists. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired flight plan look-ahead distance option (or choose 'REMAINING FPL' to request weather data for the remainder of the flight plan), then press the **ENT** Key.
  - WAYPOINT Requests data based on a waypoint (which may be off-route). Turn the large and small FMS
    Knobs to enter a waypoint, then press the ENT Key.
- 5) Turn the large FMS Knob highlight to the 'DIAMETER / RTE WIDTH' (diameter/route width) distance field and turn the small FMS Knob to select the desired diameter and route width of the request, then press the ENT Key.
- **6)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob until the 'SEND REQ' button is highlighted. Press the **ENT** Key to initiate the request immediately or press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page without requesting weather data.



Figure 6-62 Weather Data Link (CNXT)
Page Menu



Figure 6-63 Connext Data Request Window







Present Position Selected, 200 nm Diameter Reguested





Destination Selected, 200 nm Diameter Requested





Next 80 nm of Flight Plan Selected, 200 nm Route Width Requested





Off-Route Waypoint Selected, 200 nm Diameter Requested

Figure 6-64 Garmin Connext Weather Data Request Results with Precipitation Data Displayed

During a Connext Data Request, the REQUEST STATUS Window initially displays "Contacting Connext...". Once a connection is established, the REQUEST STATUS Window displays "Receiving Wx Data... Time Remaining:" with an estimated data transfer time (either minutes or seconds). If desired, the Connext Data Request Menu may be removed while the data request is processing by pressing the **FMS** Knob; the data request will continue to process in the background. Connext Data Requests typically take between 1 to 4 minutes to complete depending on the size of the selected weather coverage area, the amounts of weather activity present, and the Iridium signal strength.

The system retrieves all available Garmin Connext Weather products within the selected coverage area during an initial Connext Data Request, regardless of which products (if any) are currently enabled for display. On subsequent requests, the system retains previously retrieved textual data (such as METARs and TAFS) if it has not expired, while new textual weather data matching the current coverage area and all graphical weather data is transferred to the aircraft during every data request.



At the completion of a successful weather data request, the REQUEST STATUS Window indicates 'OK' if the Connext Data Request menu is still within view.

## **Cancelling a Connext Data Request in Progress:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Connext Data Request' highlighted, press the ENT Key.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select 'CANCEL REQ' and press the **ENT** Key. The request status box indicates 'Request Cancelled'.
- 5) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.

The flight crew can schedule Connext Data Requests to recur automatically. Automatic requests remain enabled until the flight crew them, or the G1000 power is cycled. The REQUEST STATUS Window will indicate a countdown timer until the next automatic data request occurs.



**NOTE:** If automatic Connext Data Requests were enabled prior to the system entering Reversionary Mode, the automatic weather data requests will continue in Reversionary Mode, however the Connext Data Request Window and its associated options will not be available in Reversionary Mode.

### **Enabling/disabling automatic Connext Data Requests:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With 'Connext Weather Request' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Choose the desired weather coverage options.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the 'UPDATE RATE' setting. Then turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired automatic update frequency (OFF, 5 Min, 10 Min, 15 Min, 20 Min, 30 Min, 45 Min, or 60 Min), then press the **ENT** Key.
- 6) The 'SEND REQ" button is highlighted and a countdown timer is displayed in the 'REQUEST STATUS' based on the currently selected update rate. Press the ENT Key to immediately send an immediate Connext Data Request.

Or:

Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.



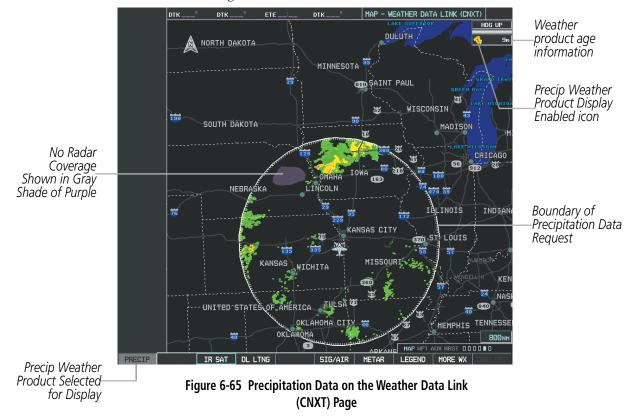
#### GARMIN CONNEXT WEATHER PRODUCTS

#### **PRECIPITATION**



**NOTE:** Precipitation data cannot be displayed at the same time as terrain data.

Precipitation (PRECIP) data is not real-time information. The lapsed time between collection, processing, and dissemination of radar images can be significant and may not reflect the current radar synopsis. Due to the inherent delays and the relative age of the data, it should never be used as a basis maneuvering in, near, or around areas of hazardous weather regardless of the information it contains.



## **Displaying Precipitation weather information:**

- 1) Select the **MAP** Softkey (for the PFD Inset Map, select the **INSET** Softkey). This step is not necessary on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- 2) Select the **PRECIP** Softkey.

Radar data shown represents highest level, composite reflectivity, of radar returns. The display of the information is color-coded to indicate the weather severity level. All weather product legends can be viewed on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page. For the Precipitation legend (Figure 6-66), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Precipitation is selected for display.



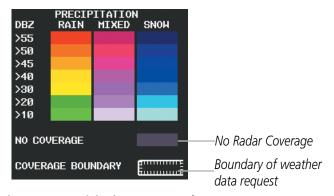


Figure 6-66 Precipitation Data Legend

The display of radar coverage is enabled active when Precipitation is selected for display. Areas where precipitation radar coverage is not currently available or is not being collected are indicated in gray shade of purple. A white boundary line depicting the selected coverage area of the Connext Data Request encloses the precipitation data when this weather product is displayed.

#### REFLECTIVITY

Reflectivity is the amount of transmitted power returned to the radar receiver. Colors on the Precipitation display directly correlate to the level of detected reflectivity. Reflectivity as it relates to hazardous weather can be very complex.

The role of radar is essentially to detect moisture in the atmosphere. Simply put, certain types of weather reflect radar better than others. The intensity of a radar reflection is not necessarily an indication of the weather hazard level. For instance, wet hail returns a strong radar reflection, while dry hail does not. Both wet and dry hail can be extremely hazardous.

The different radar echo intensities are measured in decibels (dB) relative to reflectivity (Z). Weather radars measure the reflectivity ratio, or the energy reflected *back to* the radar receiver (designated by the letter Z). The value of Z increases as the returned signal strength increases.

#### Precipitation Limitations

Radar images may have certain limitations:

- Radar composite reflectivity does not provide sufficient information to determine precipitation characteristics (wet hail vs. rain). For example, it is not possible to distinguish between wet snow, wet hail, and rain.
- An individual radar site cannot depict high altitude storms at close ranges. It has no information about storms directly over the site.
- When zoomed in to a range of 30 nm, each square block on the display represents an area of four square kilometers.



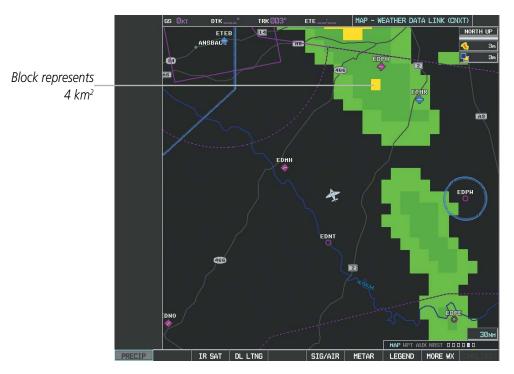


Figure 6-67 Precipitation Data - Zoomed

The following may cause abnormalities in displayed radar images:

- Ground clutter
- Strobes and spurious radar data
- Sun strobes (when the radar antenna points directly at the sun)
- Interference from buildings or mountains, which may cause shadows
- Metallic dust from military aircraft, which can cause alterations in radar scans



#### INFRARED SATELLITE

Infrared Satellite (IR SAT) data (Figure 6-68) depicts cloud top temperatures from satellite imagery. Brighter cloud top colors indicate cooler temperatures occurring at higher altitudes.

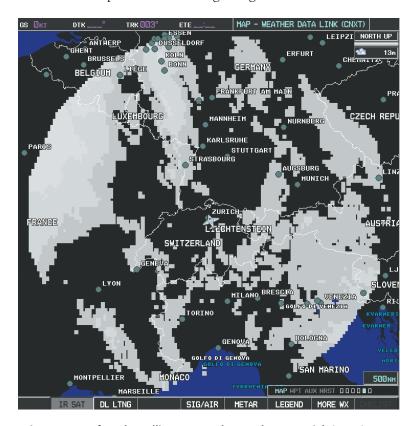


Figure 6-68 Infrared Satellite Data on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page

## **Displaying Cloud Tops information:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Select the **IR SAT** Softkey.

To display the Infrared Satellite legend (Figure 6-69), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Infrared Satellite data is selected for display.



Figure 6-69 Infrared Satellite Legend



#### DATA LINK LIGHTNING

The Data Link Lightning (DL LTNG) weather product (Figure 6-70) shows the approximate location of cloud-to-ground lightning strikes. A strike icon represents a strike that has occurred within a two-kilometer region. Neither cloud-to-cloud nor the exact location of the lightning strike is displayed.

If the aircraft is also equipped with the optional on-board lightning detection system, only one lightning source may be enabled on a Navigation Map at a time.



Figure 6-70 Data Link Lightning Weather Product on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page

## **Displaying Data Link Lightning information:**

- 1) Select the **MAP** Softkey (for the PFD Inset Map, select the **INSET** Softkey). This step is not necessary on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Select the **DL LTNG** Softkey.

To display the Datalink Lightning legend on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page (Figure 6-71), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Datal Link Lightning is selected for display.



Figure 6-71 Datal Link Lightning Legend



#### SIGMETS AND AIRMETS

SIGMETs (SIGnificant METeorological Information) and AIRMETs (AIRmen's METeorological Information) are issued for potentially hazardous weather. A Convective SIGMET is issued for hazardous convective weather such as severe or widespread thunderstorms. A localized SIGMET can be displayed when significant weather conditions are not widespread.

The entire SIGMET or AIRMET is displayed as long as any portion of it is issued within the coverage area of the Connext Data Request.



Figure 6-72 SIGMET/AIRMET Data

## **Displaying SIGMETs and AIRMETs:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- 2) Select the **SIG/AIR** Softkey.
- 3) To view the text of the SIGMET or AIRMET, press the **RANGE** Knob and move the Map Pointer over the icon.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** key. Figure 6-73 shows sample SIGMET text.

To display the SIGMET and AIRMET legend (Figure 6-74), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when SIGMETs and AIRMETs are selected for display.





Figure 6-73 Sample SIGMET Text



Figure 6-74 SIGMET/AIRMET Legend

#### **METARS AND TAFS**



**NOTE:** METAR information is only displayed within the installed aviation database service area.

METARs (METeorological Aerodrome Reports) typically contain information about the temperature, dewpoint, wind, precipitation, cloud cover, cloud base heights, visibility, and barometric pressure at an airport or observation station. They can also contain information on precipitation amounts, lightning, and other critical data. METARs reflect hourly observations; non-routine updates include the code "SPECI" in the report. METARs are shown as colored flags at airports that provide them.

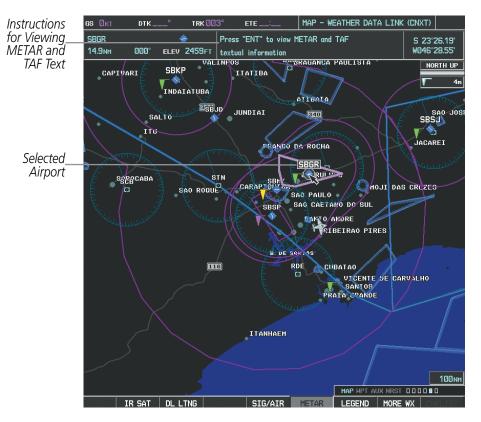


Figure 6-75 METAR Flags on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page



TAFs (Terminal Aerodrome Forecasts) are weather predictions for specific airports within a 24- hour period, and may span up to 36 hours. TAFs typically include forecast wind, visibility, weather phenomena, and sky conditions using METAR codes.

METAR and TAF text are displayed on the Weather Information Page. TAF information is displayed in its raw form when it is available.

### **Displaying METAR and TAF text:**

- 1) On the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page, select the **METAR** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **RANGE** Knob and pan to the desired airport.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The Weather Information Page is shown with METAR and TAF text.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key to scroll through the METAR and TAF text. METAR text must be completely scrolled through before scrolling through the TAF text.
- 5) Press the **FMS** Knob or the **CLR** Key to return to the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.

Or:

- 1) Select the Weather Information Page.
  - **a)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Waypoint Page Group.
  - **b)** Select the **WX** Softkey to select the Weather Information Page.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob to display the cursor.
- 3) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired airport and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key to scroll through the METAR and TAF text. Note that the METAR text must be completely scrolled through before scrolling through the TAF text.

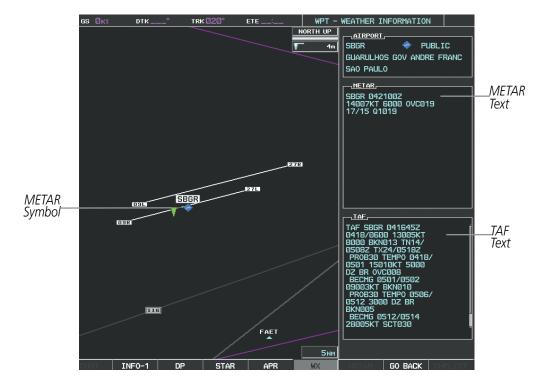


Figure 6-76 METAR and TAF Text



To display the METAR legend on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page (Figure 6-77), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when METARs are selected for display.

The METAR flag color is determined by the information in the METAR text. A gray METAR flag is displayed when the METAR text does not contain adequate information.



Figure 6-77 METAR Legend

### WINDS ALOFT

Winds Aloft data (Figure 6-78) shows the forecasted wind speed and direction at the surface and at selected altitudes. Altitude can be displayed in 3,000-foot increments from the surface up to 42,000 feet MSL.

### **Displaying Winds Aloft data:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- 3) Select the WIND Softkey.
- **4)** Select the desired altitude level: SFC (surface) up to 42,000 feet. Select the **NEXT** or **PREV** Softkey to cycle through the altitude softkeys. The **WIND** Softkey label changes to reflect the altitude selected.

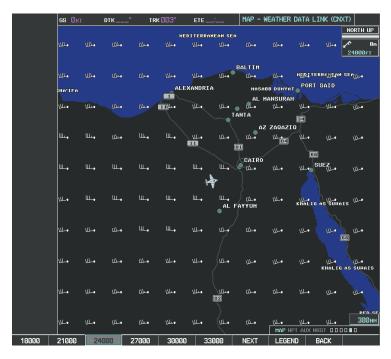


Figure 6-78 Winds Aloft at 24,000 Feet



To display the Winds Aloft legend (Figure 6-79), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when Winds Aloft is selected for display.

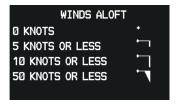


Figure 6-79 Winds Aloft Data with Legend



### **NOTE:** Profile View is not available if the TAWS-A option is installed.

Headwind and tailwind components aloft are available inside the Profile View on the Navigation Map Page (Figure 6-80). The displayed components are relative to current aircraft altitude and track, but not to aircraft speed.

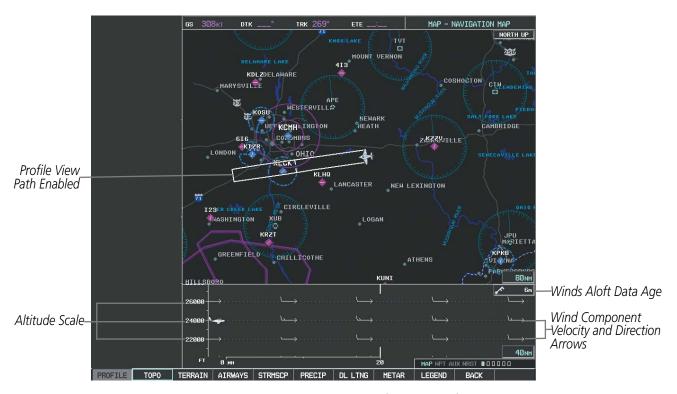


Figure 6-80 Navigation Map Page with Winds Aloft Data on Profile View

Arrows pointing to the left indicate headwind components; tailwind component arrows point to the right, as shown in Table 6-7.



Headwind Symbol	Tailwind Symbol	Headwind/Tailwind Component
None	None	Less than 5 knots
$\leftarrow$		5 knots
$\leftarrow$		10 knots
<b>←</b>	$\stackrel{\blacktriangle}{\longrightarrow}$	50 knots

Table 6-7 Profile View Headwind/Tailwind Component Symbols

## Showing/Hiding Profile View (containing winds aloft data)

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Select the **PROFILE** Softkey.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight 'Show Profile View' or 'Hide Profile View' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.

Winds Aloft data inside the Profile View is enabled by default when the Profile View is displayed on the Navigation Map Page. This behavior can be changed on the Navigation Map Page.

## Enabling/disabling winds aloft data display in Profile View:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-81).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Profile Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-82).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select 'Profile Winds' (Figure 6-83).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'On' or 'Off'.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.





Figure 6-81 Navigation Map Page Menu







Figure 6-83 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Weather Group

#### **PIREPS**

Pilot Weather Reports (PIREPs) describe in-flight weather encountered by pilots. A PIREP may contain adverse weather conditions, such as low in-flight visibility, icing conditions, wind shear, turbulence, and type of aircraft flown. PIREPs are issued as either Routine (UA) or Urgent (UUA).

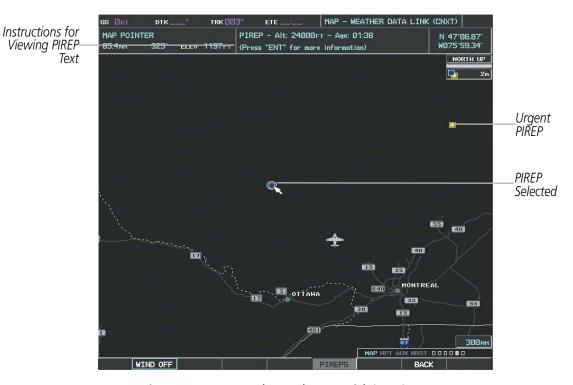


Figure 6-84 PIREPs on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page



### **Displaying PIREP text:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.
- **2)** Select the **MORE WX** Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **PIREPS** Softkey.
- **4)** Press the **RANGE** Knob and pan to the desired weather report. A gray circle will appear around the weather report when it is selected.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. The PIREP tex is first displayed in a decoded fashion, then as raw text.
- **6)** Use the **FMS** Knob or the **ENT** Key to scroll through the PIREP text.
- 7) Press the FMS Knob or the CLR Key to close the PIREP text window and return to the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page.

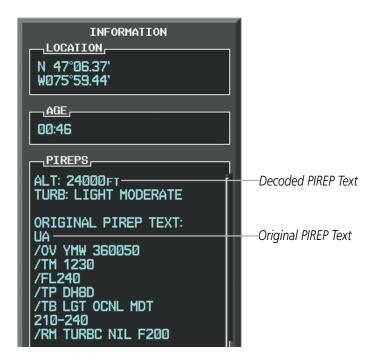


Figure 6-85 PIREP Text on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page

To display the PIREP or AIREP legend (Figure 6-86), select the **LEGEND** Softkey when PIREPs or AIREPs are selected for display.

The PIREP color is determined by the type (routine or urgent).



Figure 6-86 AIREPs & PIREPs Legend



#### **TFRS**



**NOTE:** Temporary Flight Restriction (TFR) data from Garmin Connext is only available in the United States (not including any U.S. territories.) Refer to fly.garmin.com/fly-garmin/gfds-weather for product coverage information.

In the United States, the FAA issues Temporary Flight Restrictions (TFRs) to designate areas where flight is restricted. TFRs are issued to restrict flight for a variety of reasons including national security, law enforcement, natural disasters., airshows, and large sporting events. TFRs may be issued at any time, and TFR data displayed on the G1000 is only intended to supplement official TFR information obtained from Flight Service Stations (FSS), and air traffic control.

The age of TFR data is not shown; however, if TFR data is not available or has expired, the system displays 'TFR N/A' in the upper-left corner of maps on which TFRs can be displayed.

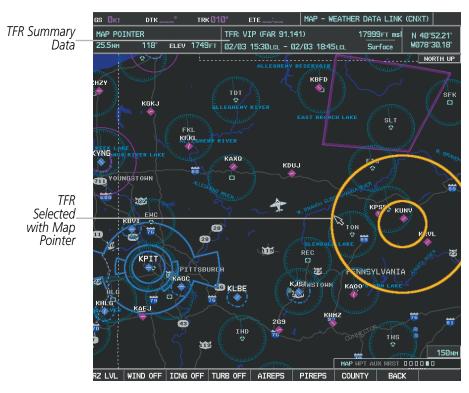


Figure 6-87 TFR Data on the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page

## **Displaying TFR Data:**

- 1) Select the Weather Data Link (CNXT) Page or Navigation Map Page.
- 2) Press the **RANGE** Knob and pan the map pointer over a TFR to highlight it. The system displays TFR summary information above the map.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The system displays a pop-up menu.
- **4)** If necessary, turn the **FMS** Knob to select 'Review Airspaces' and press the **ENT** Key. The system displays the TFR Information window.
- 5) Press the **FMS** Knob or the **CLR** Key to remove the TFR Information window.





Figure 6-88 Full Text for Selected TFR

The setup menus for the Navigation Map Page control the map range settings above which TFR data is decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the TFR product map range setting is selected, the TFR product data is removed from the map.

Maps other than the Navigation Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

## Setting up and customizing TFR data for maps on which TFR data can be displayed:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- 2) Press the MENU Key.
- **3)** With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-89).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Aviation Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-90).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll to the TFR product range setting (Figure 6-91).
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (Off, range settings).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.



Figure 6-89 Navigation Map Page Menu



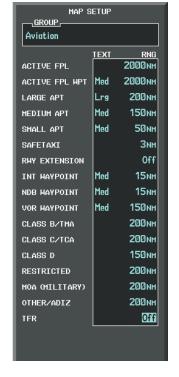


Figure 6-90 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu

Figure 6-91 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Weather Group



## **ABNORMAL OPERATIONS**

If the G1000 cannot complete a Connext Data Request, one or more messages will appear in the REQUEST STATUS Window.

Weather Request Status Message	Description
Auto requests inhibited Send manual request to reset.	The system has disabled automatic weather data requests due to excessive errors. Automatic weather data requests have stopped. Send a manual weather data request to resume automatic updates.
Auto update retry: ## Seconds	The system will attempt another automatic weather data request after an error occurred during the previous request. Timer counts down until the next automatic request occurs.
Connext Comm Error [2]	A communications error has occurred with the GDL59 or GIA. The G1000 should be serviced.
Connext Comm Error [4]	This occurs if multiple automatic weather data requests have recently failed, or the GDL 59 or a GIA is off-line.
Connext Comm Error [5]	This can occur if the GDL 59 is off-line or not configured, or the Iridium or Garmin Connext services are not accessible. Check Iridium signal strength. If this error persists, the G1000 should be serviced.
Connext Comm Error [6]	A communications error has occurred. It this error persists, the G1000 should be serviced.
Connext Comm Error [7]	A weather data transfer has timed out. Check Iridium signal strength and re-send the data request.
Connext Comm Error [8]	A server error has occurred or invalid data received.
Connext Login Invalid	There is a problem with the Garmin Connext registration. Contact Garmin at 1-866-739-5687 in the United States or 913-397-8200, ext. 1135 for assistance.
Connext Server Temporarily Inop	The Garmin Connext Weather data server is temporarily out of service, but is expected to return to service in less than 30 minutes.
Connext Server Inop	The Garmin Connext Weather data server will be out of service for at least 30 minutes.
Invalid Coverage Area	The weather data request coverage area does not contain at least one of the following: a waypoint, a flight plan, or a flight plan destination. Verify at least one of the coverage options is enabled (checked) and contains required criteria, then re-send the data request.
No Connext Subscription	The system is not be currently subscribed to Garmin Connext services or the access code is incorrect. Verify the access code. Contact Garmin at 1-866-739-5687 in the United States or 913-397-8200, ext. 1135 for assistance.
Reduce Request Area	The size of the received weather data has exceeded system memory limits. Reduce the size of the coverage area and issue another Connext Data Request to ensure all available weather data has been received.
Request Cancelled	The user has cancelled a Connext Data Request.
Requested area too large. Reduce coverage area.	The Garmin Connext Weather service has determined the size of the requested weather data exceeds system memory limits. Reduce the size of the coverage area and issue another Connext Data Request to ensure all available weather data has been received.
Request Failed - Try Again	The weather data request timed-out. Re-send data request.
Transfer Preempted	The GDL 59 is busy. Retry request later.

**Table 6-8 Abnormal Garmin Connext Weather Request Status Messages** 



#### GARMIN CONNEXT WEATHER IN REVERSIONARY MODE

When the G1000 is operating in Reversionary Mode, only those weather products which can be displayed on the PFD Inset map will be available for display (see Table 6-5 for a list of weather products and their associated map availability).

If manual Connext Data Requests were enabled prior to entering Reversionary Mode, no new weather data will be retrieved while operating in Reversionary Mode. If automatic Connext Data Requests were enabled prior to Reversionary Mode operation, the system will continue the automatic data requests in Reversionary Mode (provided automatic requests have not been inhibited due to a system error).



# **6.3 AIRBORNE COLOR WEATHER RADAR**

#### SYSTEM DESCRIPTION

The Garmin GWX 68 Airborne Color Weather Radar is a four-color digital pulsed radar with 6.5 kilowatts of output power. It combines excellent range and adjustable scanning profiles with a high-definition target display. The pulse width is four microseconds ( $\mu$ s) on all ranges except the 2.5 nm range. The GWX 68 uses a one  $\mu$ s pulse width at this range to reduce the targets smearing together on the display for better target definition at close range.

The Garmin GWX 70 Airborne Color Weather Radar is a solid-state pulsed radar with forty watts of output power. The radar combines excellent range and adjustable scanning profiles with a high-definition target display. The GWX 70 has an effective pulse length of 27.31 microseconds ( $\mu$ s), and the system optimizes the pulse length to maximize resolution at each range setting.

The KingAir 200/B200 Series uses a 12-inch phased array antenna that is fully stabilized to accommodate 30° of pitch and roll.

To focus radar scanning on specific areas, Sector Scanning offers pilot-adjustable horizontal scan angles. A vertical scanning function helps to analyze storm tops, gradients, and cell buildup activity at various altitudes.

Radar features include:

- Extended Sensitivity Time Constant (STC) logic that automatically correlates distance of the return echo with intensity, so cells do not suddenly appear to get larger as they get closer.
- WATCH<sup>TM</sup> (Weather ATtenuated Color Highlight) helps identify possible shadowing effects of short-range cell activity, identifying areas where radar return signals are weakened or attenuated by intense precipitation (or large areas of lesser precipitation) and may not fully reflect the weather behind a storm.
- Weather Alert that looks ahead for intense cell activity in the 80-320 nm range, even if these ranges are not being monitored.

## PRINCIPLES OF PULSED AIRBORNE WEATHER RADAR

The term RADAR is an acronym for RAdio Detecting And Ranging. Pulsed radar locates targets by transmitting a microwave pulse beam that, upon encountering a target, is reflected back to the radar receiver as a return echo. The microwave pulses are focused and radiated by the antenna, with the most intense energy in the center of the beam and decreasing intensity near the edge. The same antenna is used for both transmitting and receiving. The G1000 processes the returned signal and displays it on the MFD.

Radar detection is a two-way process that requires 12.36 µs for the transmitted microwave pulses to travel out and back for each nautical mile of target range. It takes 123.6 µs for a transmitted pulse to make the round trip if a target is ten nautical miles away.

Airborne weather radar should be used to avoid severe weather, not for penetrating severe weather. The decision to fly into an area of radar targets depends on target intensity, spacing between the targets, aircraft capabilities, and pilot experience. Pulse type weather radar detects only precipitation, not clouds or turbulence. The display may indicate clear areas between intense returns, but this does not necessarily mean it is safe to fly between them.

Airborne weather radar has other capabilities beyond weather detection. It also has the ability to detect and provide distance to cities, mountains, coastlines, rivers, lakes, and oceans.



#### NEXRAD AND AIRBORNE WEATHER RADAR

Both Airborne Weather Radar and NEXRAD measure weather reflectivity in decibels (dB). A decibel is a logarithmic expression of the ratio of two quantities. Airborne Weather Radar measures the ratio of power against the gain of the antenna, while NEXRAD measures the energy reflected back to the radar, or the radar reflectivity ratio.

Both systems use colors to identify the different echo intensities, but the colors are not interchangeable. Airborne color radar values used by Garmin Airborne Color Weather Radar should not be confused with NEXRAD radar values.

#### ANTENNA BEAM ILLUMINATION

The radar beam is much like the beam of a spotlight. The further the beam travels, the wider it becomes. The radar is only capable of seeing what is inside the boundaries of the beam. The figure below depicts a radar beam's characteristics. The figure illustrates vertical dimensions of the radar beam, although the same holds true for the horizontal dimensions. In other words, the beam is as wide as it is tall. Note that it is possible to miss areas of precipitation on the radar display because of the antenna tilt setting. With the antenna tilt set to zero in this illustration, the beam overshoots the precipitation at 15 nautical miles.

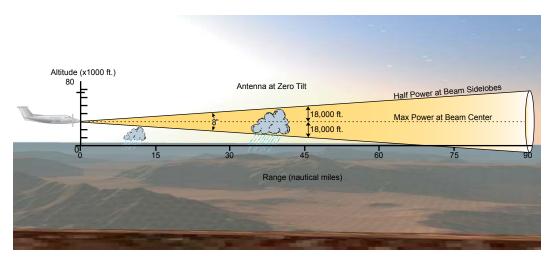


Figure 6-92 Radar Beam from a 12 inch Antenna

The curvature of the earth can also be a factor in missing areas of precipitation, especially at range settings of 150 nautical miles or more. Here the beam overshoots the precipitation at less than 320 nautical miles.

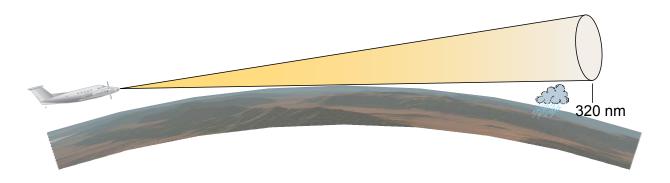


Figure 6-93 Radar Beam in Relation to the Curvature of the Earth



#### RADAR SIGNAL ATTENUATION

The phenomenon of radar signal attenuation affects the operation of weather radar. When the radar signal is transmitted, it is progressively absorbed and scattered, making the signal weaker. This weakening, or attenuation, is caused by two primary sources, distance and precipitation.

Attenuation because of distance is due to the fact that the radar energy leaving the antenna is inversely proportional to the square of the distance. The reflected radar energy from a target 40 miles away that fills the radar beam is one fourth the energy reflected from an equivalent target 20 miles away. This would appear to the operator that the storm is gaining intensity as the aircraft gets closer. Internal signal processing within the radar system compensates for much of this distance attenuation.

Attenuation due to precipitation is not as predictable as distance attenuation. It is also more intense. As the radar signal passes through moisture, a portion of the radar energy is reflected back to the antenna. However, much of the energy is absorbed. If precipitation is very heavy, or covers a large area, the signal may not reach completely through the area of precipitation. The weather radar system cannot distinguish between an attenuated signal and an area of no precipitation. If the signal has been fully attenuated, the radar displays a radar shadow. This appears as an end to the precipitation when, in fact, the heavy rain may extend much further. A cell containing heavy precipitation may block another cell located behind the first, preventing it from being displayed on the radar. Never fly into these shadowed areas and never assume that all of the heavy precipitation is being displayed unless another cell or a ground target can be seen beyond the heavy cell. The WATCH<sup>TM</sup> feature can help in identifying these shadowed areas. Areas in question appear as shadowed or gray on the radar display. Proper use of the antenna tilt control can also help detect radar shadows.

Attenuation can also be due to poor maintenance or degradation of the radome. Even the smallest amount of wear and scratching, pitting, and pinholes on the radome surface can cause damage and system inefficiency.

#### RADAR SIGNAL REFLECTIVITY

#### **Precipitation**

Precipitation or objects more dense than water, such as the surface of the earth or solid structures, are detected by the weather radar. The weather radar does not detect clouds, thunderstorms, or turbulence directly. It detects precipitation associated with clouds, thunderstorms, and turbulence. The best radar signal reflectors are raindrops, wet snow, or wet hail. The larger the raindrop, the better the reflectivity. The size of the precipitation droplet is the most important factor in radar reflectivity. Because large drops in a small concentrated area are characteristic of a severe thunderstorm, the radar displays the storm as a strong return. Ice crystals, dry snow, and dry hail have low levels of reflectivity as shown in the illustration, and often not displayed by the radar. Additionally, a cloud that contains only small raindrops, such as fog or drizzle, does not reflect enough radar energy to produce a measurable target return.



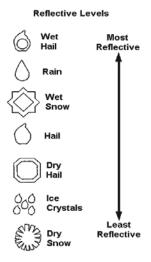


Figure 6-94 Precipitation Type and Reflectivity

#### **GROUND RETURNS**

The intensity of ground target returns depends upon the angle at which the radar beam strikes the ground target (Angle of Incidence) and the reflective properties of that target. The gain can be adjusted so shorelines, rivers, lakes, and cities are well-defined. Increasing the gain too much causes the display to fill in between targets, thus obscuring some landmarks.

Cities normally provide a strong return signal. While large buildings and structures provide good returns, small buildings can be shadowed from the radar beam by the taller buildings. As the aircraft approaches and shorter ranges are selected, details become more noticeable as the highly reflective regular lines and edges of the city become more defined.

Bodies of water such as lakes, rivers, and oceans are not good reflectors and normally do not provide good returns. The energy is reflected in a forward scatter angle with inadequate energy being returned. They can appear as dark areas on the display. However, rough or choppy water is a better reflector and provides stronger returns from the downwind sides of the waves.

Mountains also provide strong return signals to the antenna, but also block the areas behind. However, over mountainous terrain, the radar beam can be reflected back and forth in the mountain passes or off canyon walls, using up all or most of the radar energy. In this case, no return signal is received from this area, causing the display to show a dark spot which could indicate a pass where no pass exists.

#### Angle of Incidence

The angle at which the radar beam strikes the target is called the Angle of Incidence. The figure illustrates the incident angle ('A'). This directly affects the detectable range, the area of illumination, and the intensity of the displayed target returns. A large incident angle gives the radar system a smaller detectable range and lower display intensity due to minimized reflection of the radar energy.



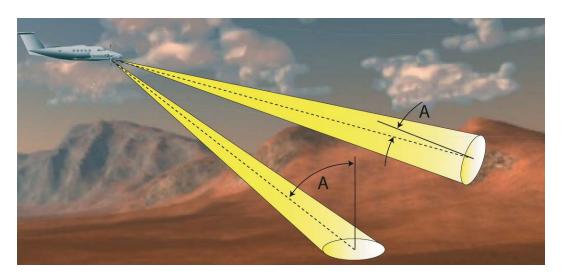


Figure 6-95 Angle of Incidence

A smaller incident angle gives the radar a larger detectable range of operation and the target display shows a higher intensity. Since more radar energy is reflected back to the antenna with a low incident angle, the resulting detectable range is increased for mountainous terrain.

## SAFE OPERATING DISTANCE

The following information establishes a minimum safe distance from the antenna for personnel near operating weather radar. The minimum safe distance is based on the FCC's exposure limit at 9.3 to 9.5 GHz for general population/uncontrolled environments, which is 1 mW/cm2. See Advisory Circular 20-68B for more information on safe distance determination.

# **MAXIMUM PERMISSIBLE EXPOSURE LEVEL (MPEL)**

The zone in which the radiation level exceeds the US Government standard of 1 mW/cm2 is the semicircular area of at least 11 feet from the 12-inch antenna. All personnel must remain outside of this zone. With a scanning or rotating beam, the averaged power density at the MPEL boundary is significantly reduced.

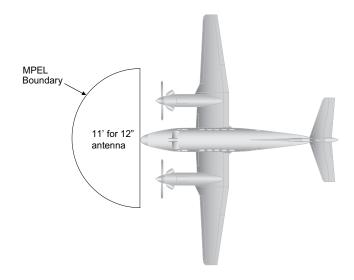


Figure 6-96 MPEL Boundary



### **BASIC ANTENNA TILT SETUP**

The following discussion is a simple method for setting up the weather radar antenna tilt for most situations. It is not to be considered an all encompassing setup that works in all situations, but this method does provide good overall parameters for the monitoring of threats. Ultimately, it is desired to have the antenna tilted so that the bottom of the radar beam is four degrees below parallel with the ground. The following example explains one way of achieving this.

With the aircraft flying level, adjust the antenna tilt so ground returns are displayed at a distance that equals the aircraft's current altitude (AGL) divided by 1,000. For example, if the aircraft is at 14,000 feet, adjust the tilt so the front edge of ground returns are displayed at 14 nautical miles. Note this antenna tilt angle setting. Now, raise the antenna tilt 6 degrees above this setting. The bottom of the radar beam is now angled down 4° from parallel with the ground.

## PRACTICAL APPLICATION USING THE BASIC TILT SETUP

With the antenna tilt set as previously described, any displayed target return should be scrutinized when flying at altitudes between 2,000 and 30,000 feet AGL. If the displayed target advances on the screen to within 5 nautical miles of the aircraft, avoid it. This may be either weather or ground returns that are 2,000 feet or less below the aircraft. Raising the antenna tilt 4 degrees can help separate ground returns from weather returns in relatively flat terrain. This aligns the bottom of the radar beam parallel with the ground. Return the antenna tilt to the previous setting after a few sweeps.

If the aircraft is above 29,000 feet, be cautious of any target return that gets to within 30 nautical miles. This is likely a thunderstorm that has a top high enough that the aircraft cannot fly over it safely.

If the aircraft altitude is 15,000 feet or lower, setting the displayed range to 60 miles may be more helpful. Closely monitor anything that enters the display.

Also, after setting up the antenna tilt angle as described previously, ground returns can be monitored for possible threats. The relationship between antenna tilt angle, altitude, and distance is one degree of tilt equals 100 feet of altitude for every one nautical mile.

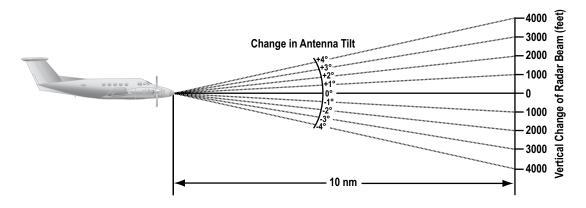


Figure 6-97 Vertical Change in Radar Beam per Nautical Mile

Therefore, with the antenna tilt set so that the bottom of the beam is four degrees below parallel with the ground, a target return at 10 nm is approximately 4,000 feet below the aircraft; at 20 nm, 8,000 feet; at 50 nm, 20,000 feet. In other words, at this tilt setting, a ground return (such as a mountain peak) being



displayed at 10 nm would have a maximum distance below the aircraft of 4,000 feet. When the ground target return moves to 5 nm, maximum distance below the aircraft is 2,000 feet.

This setup provides a good starting point for practical use of the GWX 68. There are many other factors to consider in order to become proficient at using weather radar in all situations.

## WEATHER MAPPING AND INTERPRETATION

#### WEATHER DISPLAY INTERPRETATION

When evaluating various target returns on the weather radar display, the colors denote precipitation intensity and rates shown in the table.

Weather Mode Color	Intensity	Approximate Precipitation Rate (in/hr.)
Black	< 23 dBZ	< .01.
Green	23 dBZ to < 32 dBZ	.01 - 0.1.
Yellow	32 dBZ to < 41 dBZ	0.1 - 0.5
Red	41 dBZ to < 50 dBZ	0.5 - 2
Magenta	50 dBZ and greater	> 2

Table 6-9 Precipitation Intensity Levels

#### **THUNDERSTORMS**

Updrafts and downdrafts in thunderstorms carry water through the cloud. The more severe the drafts, the greater the number and size of the precipitation droplets. With this in mind, the following interpretations can be made from what is displayed on the weather radar. Avoid these areas by an extra wide margin.

- In areas where the displayed target intensity is red or magenta (indicating large amounts of precipitation), the turbulence is considered severe.
- Areas that show steep color gradients (intense color changes) over thin bands or short distances suggest irregular rainfall rate and strong turbulence.
- Areas that show red or magenta are associated with hail or turbulence, as well as heavy precipitation. Vertical scanning and antenna tilt management may be necessary to identify areas of maximum intensity.

Along squall lines (multiple cells or clusters of cells in a line) individual cells may be in different stages of development. Areas between closely spaced, intense targets may contain developing clouds not having enough moisture to produce a return. However, these areas could have strong updrafts or downdrafts. Targets showing wide areas of green are generally precipitation without severe turbulence.

Irregularities in the target return may also indicate turbulence, appearing as hooks, fingers, or scalloped edges. These irregularities may be present in green areas with no yellow, red, or magenta areas and should be treated as highly dangerous areas. Avoid these areas as if they are red or magenta.



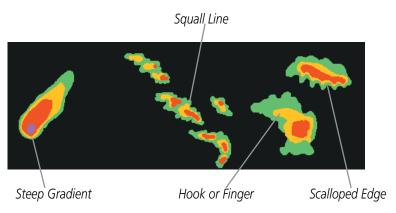


Figure 6-98 Cell Irregularities

Thunderstorm development is rapid. A course may become blocked within a short time. When displaying shorter ranges, periodically select a longer range to see if problems are developing further out. That can help prevent getting trapped in a blind alley or an area that is closed at one end by convective weather.

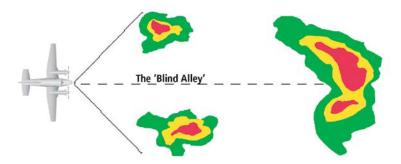


Figure 6-99 The Blind Alley - Horizontal Scan

In areas of multiple heavy cells, use the Vertical Scan feature along with antenna tilt management to examine the areas. Remember to avoid shadowed areas behind targets.

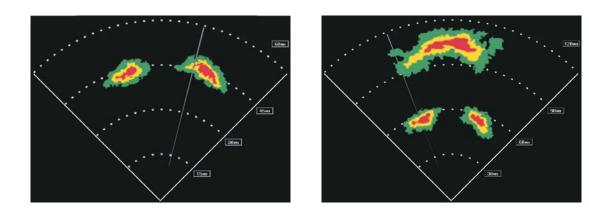


Figure 6-100 The Blind Alley

The Large Storm Behind

The Blind Alley at Close Range



#### **TORNADOES**

There are no conclusive radar target return characteristics which identify a tornado. However, tornadoes may be present if the following characteristics are observed:

- A narrow, finger-like portion extends and in a short time curls into a hook and closes on itself.
- A hook, which may be in the general shape of the numeral 6 (9 in the southern hemisphere), especially if bright and projecting from the southwest quadrant (northeast quadrant in the southern hemisphere) of a major thunderstorm.
- V-shaped notches.
- Doughnut shapes.

These shapes do not always indicate tornadoes, and tornado returns are not limited to these characteristics. Confirmed radar observations of tornadoes most often have not shown shapes different from those of a normal thunderstorm display.

### HAIL

Hail results from updrafts carrying water high enough to freeze. Therefore, the higher the top of a thunderstorm, the greater the probability that it contains hail. Vertically scanning the target return can give the radar top of a thunderstorm that contains hail. Radar top is the top of a storm cell as detected by radar. It is not the actual top, or true top of the storm. The actual top of a storm cell is seen with the eyes in clear air and may be much higher than the radar top. The actual top does not indicate the top of the hazardous area.

Hail can fall below the minimum reflectivity threshold for radar detection. It can have a film of water on its surface, making its reflective characteristics similar to a very large water droplet. Because of this film of water, and because hail stones usually are larger than water droplets, thunderstorms with large amounts of wet hail return stronger signals than those with rain. Some hail shafts are extremely narrow (100 yards or less) and make poor radar targets. In the upper regions of a cell where ice particles are dry (no liquid coating), target returns are less intense.

Hail shafts are associated with the same radar target return characteristics as tornados. U-shaped cloud edges three to seven miles across can also indicate hail. These target returns appear quite suddenly along any edge of the cell outline. They also change in intensity and shape in a matter of seconds, making vigilant monitoring essential.

#### OPERATION IN WEATHER MODE



**WARNING:** Begin transmitting only when it is safe to do so. When transmitting while the aircraft is on the ground, no personnel or objects should be within 11 feet of the antenna.



**CAUTION:** In Standby mode, the antenna is parked at the center line. It is always a good idea to put the radar in Standby mode before taxiing the aircraft to prevent the antenna from bouncing on the bottom stop and possibly causing damage to the radar assembly.



When the weather radar system is in the Weather or Ground Map mode, the system automatically switches to Standby mode on landing.

In Reversionary mode, the weather radar system automatically switches to Standby mode. The system remains in Standby mode until both displays are restored. In Reversionary mode, the weather radar system cannot be controlled.

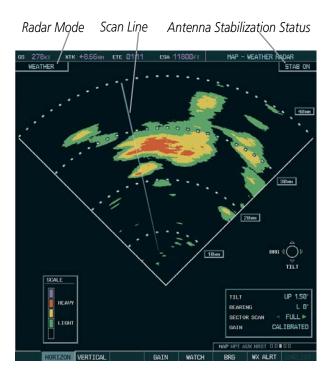


Figure 6-101 Horizontal Scan Display

## Displaying weather on the Weather Radar Page:

- 1) Select the Weather Radar Page in the Map Page Group with the **FMS** Knob.
- **2)** Select the **MODE** Softkey.
- 3) While on the ground, select the **STANDBY** Softkey. For the GWX 68, a one-minute warm-up period is initiated (countdown is displayed on the screen). After the warm-up is complete, the radar enters the Standby Mode. The warm-up period is not applicable to the GWX 70.
  - a) Select the **WEATHER** Softkey. A confirmation window is displayed.



Figure 6-102 Confirming Activating Radar (GWX 68 Only)



**b**) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight **YES** and press the **ENT** Key to continue radar activation.

#### OR:

If the aircraft is airborne, select the **WEATHER** Softkey. For the GWX 68, a one-minute warm-up period is initiated (countdown is displayed on the screen). After the warm-up is complete, the radar begins transmitting. The warm-up period is not applicable to the GWX 70.

- 4) Turn the **RANGE** Knob to select the desired map range.
- 5) The horizontal scan is initially displayed (Figure 6-101). If desired, select the **VERTICAL** Softkey to change to vertical scanning.

## **Vertically scanning a storm cell:**



**NOTE:** Vertical scanning of a storm cell should be done with the aircraft wings level to avoid constant adjustment of the Bearing Line.

- 1) While in the Horizontal Scan view, select the **BRG** Softkey. This places the cursor in the BEARING field and displays the Bearing Line.
  - If the Bearing Line is not displayed, press the **MENU** Key and turn the large **FMS** Knob to select Show Bearing Line. Press the **ENT** Key.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to place the Bearing Line on the desired storm cell or other area to be vertically scanned.

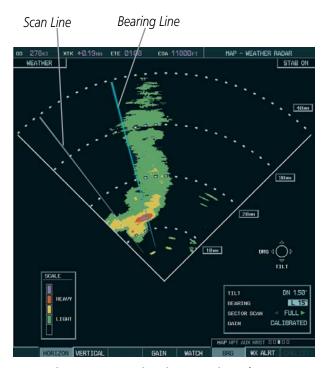


Figure 6-103 Bearing Line on Horizontal Scan



- 4) Select the **VERTICAL** Softkey. A vertical scan of the selected area is now displayed (Figure 6-104).
- 5) The small **FMS** Knob may be used to move the scanned bearing line a few degrees right or left.
- **6)** Turn the **RANGE** Knob to adjust the range.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.
- **8)** To select a new area to be vertically scanned, select the **HORIZON** Softkey to return to the Horizontal Scan view and repeat the previous steps.

The **RANGE** Knob can also be used to adjust bearing from left to right.

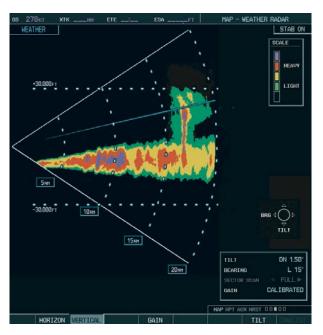


Figure 6-104 Vertical Scan Display

#### ADJUSTING ANTENNA TILT ANGLE

In order to make an accurate interpretation of a storm cell, the radar beam should be pointed at the wet part of the weather cell to record the proper rainfall intensity (color level). The ideal aiming point is just below the freezing level of the storm. The best way to find this point is to use the Vertical Scan feature. The antenna tilt angle can be centered on the strongest return area in the vertical scan to get a more accurate view of the coverage and intensity of the target in the horizontal scan.

## Adjusting antenna tilt on the Horizontal Scan display:

- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor in the TILT field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the desired antenna tilt angle.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 4) Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.

The **RANGE** Knob can also be used to adjust tilt up and down.



## Adjusting antenna tilt on the Vertical Scan display:

- Select the TILT Softkey to activate the cursor in the TILT field and display the Tilt Line.
   If the Tilt Line is not displayed, press the MENU Key and turn the large FMS Knob to select Show Tilt Line. Press the ENT Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to adjust the antenna tilt angle. The selected tilt angle is implemented when Horizontal Scan is again selected.

The **RANGE** Knob can also be used to adjust tilt.

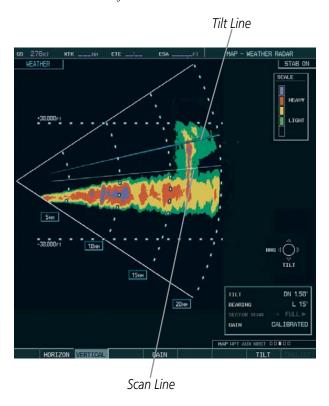


Figure 6-105 Adjusting Tilt on Vertical Scan Display

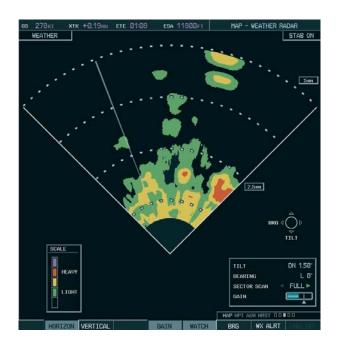


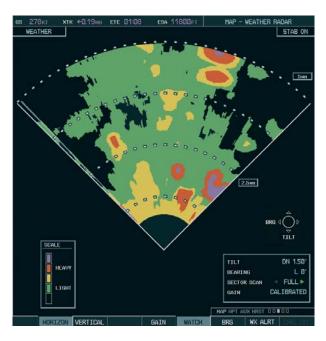
## Adjusting Gain



**WARNING:** Changing the gain in weather mode causes precipitation intensity to be displayed as a color not representative of the true intensity. Remember to return the gain setting to Calibrated for viewing the actual intensity of precipitation.

- 1) Select the **GAIN** Softkey to activate the cursor in the GAIN field.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to adjust the gain for the desirable level. The gain setting is visible in the GAIN field as a movable horizontal bar in a flashing box. The line pointer is a reference depicting the calibrated position.
- 3) Press the FMS Knob to remove the cursor.
- 4) Select the GAIN Softkey again to recalibrate the gain. CALIBRATED is displayed in the GAIN field.





Manual Gain Set Below Calibrated

Calibrated Gain

Figure 6-106 Gain Calibration

## **SECTOR SCAN**

- 1) While in horizontal scan mode, select the BRG Softkey to display the Bearing Line and place the cursor in the BEARING field. If the Bearing Line is not displayed, press the MENU Key and turn the large FMS Knob to select Show Bearing Line.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.



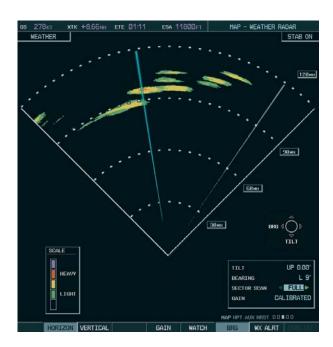


Figure 6-107 Selecting Sector Scan Position

- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to place the Bearing Line in the desired position. The location of the Bearing Line becomes the center point of the Sector Scan.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to place the cursor in the SECTOR SCAN field.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to highlight the desired scan. Selecting 'FULL' enables a 90° scan (GWX 68) or 120° scan (GWX 70).
- **6)** If desired, readjust the Bearing Line as discussed previously to change the center of the Sector Scan.
- 7) Select the **BRG** Softkey again to remove the Bearing Line and cursor. The bearing reference is reset to 0°.



Figure 6-108 40° Sector Scan



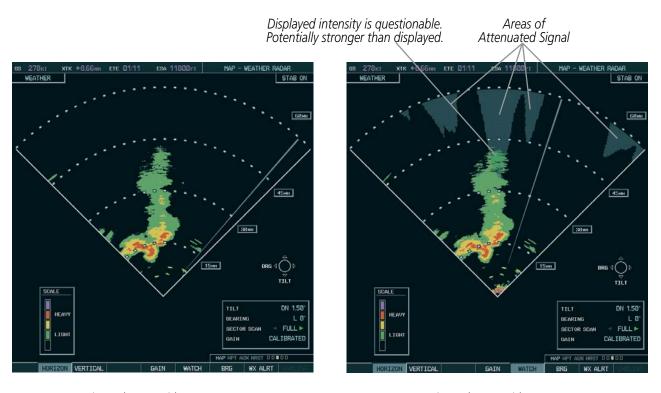
#### ANTENNA STABILIZATION

- 1) To activate or deactivate the antenna stabilization, select the **MODE** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **STAB ON** Softkey to activate antenna stabilization or select the **STAB OFF** Softkey to deactivate. The current stabilization condition is shown in the upper right of the weather radar display.

# WEATHER ATTENUATED COLOR HIGHLIGHT (WATCHTM)

While in horizontal scan mode, this feature can be used as a tool to determine areas of possible inaccuracies in displayed intensity due to weakening of the radar energy. This weakening is known as attenuation. The radar energy weakens as it passes through areas of intense precipitation, large areas of lesser precipitation, and distance. Issues with the radome also attenuates the radar energy. All these factors have an effect on the return intensity. The more energy that dissipates, the lesser the displayed intensity of the return. Accuracy of the displayed intensity of returns located in the shaded areas are suspect. Make maneuvering decisions with this information in mind. Proper antenna tilt management should still be employed to determine the extent of attenuation in a shaded area.

To activate or deactivate the WATCH™ feature, select the **WATCH** Softkey.



Horizontal Scan Without WATCH™

Horizontal Scan With WATCH™

Figure 6-109 Horizontal Scan Without and With WATCH™



## WEATHER ALERT

The Weather Alert feature indicates the presence of heavy precipitation between the ranges of 80 and 320 nm regardless of the currently displayed range. Weather Alert targets appear as red bands along the outer range ring at the approximate azimuth of the detected returns.

If a Weather Alert is detected within  $\pm 10^{\circ}$  of the aircraft heading, and the **WX ALRT** Softkey is enabled on the Weather Radar Page, the system also displays an alert on the PFD in the Alerts Window.

If the antenna tilt is adjusted too low, a weather alert can be generated by ground returns. To avoid unwanted weather alerts, deselect the **WX ALRT** Softkey..

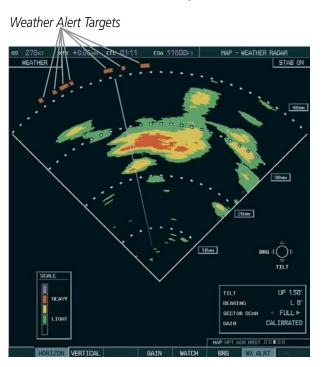


Figure 6-110 Weather Alert Targets on the Weather Radar Page

To enable or disable the Weather Alerts which appear in the Alerts Window on the PFD, select the **WX ALRT** Softkey. The system continues to display weather alert target bands on the Weather Radar Page even if the PFD alert message is disabled.



Figure 6-111 Weather Alert on PFD



## GROUND MAPPING AND INTERPRETATION

A secondary use of the weather radar system is for the presentation of terrain. This can be a useful tool for verifying aircraft position. A picture of the ground is represented much like a topographical map that can be used as a supplement to the navigation map on the MFD.

Ground Map mode uses a different gain range than Weather mode. Different colors are also used to represent the intensity levels. The displayed intensity of ground target returns are defined in the table below. Use of the **GAIN** and **TILT** controls help improve contrast so that specific ground targets can be recognized more easily. As previously discussed, the type and orientation of the target in relation to the aircraft affects the intensity displayed.

When the weather radar system is in either the Weather or Ground Map mode, the system automatically switches to Standby mode upon landing.

Ground Map Mode Color	Intensity	
Black	0 dB	
Cyan	> 0 dB to < 9 dB	
Yellow	9 dB to < 18 dB	
Magenta	18 dB to < 27 dB	
Blue	27 dB and greater	

**Table 6-10 Ground Target Return Intensity Levels** 

## **Operation in Ground Map Mode:**

- 1) Select the **MODE** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **GROUND** Softkey to place the radar in Ground Map mode.
- **3)** Select the **BACK** Softkey.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to place the cursor in the TILT field.
- **6)** Adjust the antenna tilt angle by turning the small **FMS** Knob to display ground returns at the desired distance.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.



# **6.4 STORMSCOPE**



**WARNING:** Do not rely on information from the lightning detection system display as the sole basis for hazardous weather avoidance. Range limitations and interference may cause the system to display inaccurate or incomplete information. Refer to documentation from the lightning detection system manufacturer for detailed information about the system.



**NOTE:** Stormscope lightning information cannot be displayed simultaneously on the same map as lightning information from data link lightning sources.

The MAP - Stormscope Page is the principal map page for viewing Stormscope data. The following pages can also display Stormscope data as an additional reference:

• PFD Inset Map

• AUX - Trip Planning Page

• Navigation Map

• Nearest Pages

To display Stormscope data on any map besides the Stormscope Page, select the **MAP** Softkey (or the **INSET** Softkey for the PFD Inset Map), then select the **STRMSCP** Softkey. These pages can also display cell or strike data using the yellow lightning strike symbology shown in Table 6-11.

Lightning Age	Symbol
Strike is less than 6 seconds old	4
Strike is between 6 and 60 seconds old	47
Strike is between 1 and 2 minutes old	<b>⊹</b>
Strike is between 2 and 3 minutes old	4

Table 6-11 Lightning Age and Symbols



## SETTING UP STORMSCOPE ON THE NAVIGATION MAP

## **Setting up Stormscope options on the Navigation Map:**

- 1) On the Navigation Map Page, press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) With 'Map Setup' selected (Figure 6-112), press the **ENT** Key.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the group selection window. Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'Weather', and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight and move between the product selections (Figure 6-113).
- **5)** When an item is highlighted, turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the option.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page (Figure 6-114).

The following options are available (Figure 6-113):

- **STRMSCP LTNG** Turns the display of Stormscope data on or off.
- **STRMSCP MODE** Selects the CELL or STRIKE mode of lightning activity. Cell mode identifies clusters or cells of electrical activity. Strike mode indicates the approximate location of lightning strikes.
- **STRMSCP SMBL** Selects the range at which Stormscope data displays. Stormscope data is removed when a map range greater than the STRMSCP SMBL value is selected.



Figure 6-112 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-113 Map Setup Menu



## CELL AND STRIKE MODE ON THE NAVIGATION MAP

On the Navigation Map, cell mode identifies cells of lightning activity (Figure 6-114). Stormscope identifies clusters of electrical activity that indicate cells. Strike mode indicates the approximate location of lightning strikes.

## Selecting the 'cell' or 'strike' mode on the Navigation Map:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) With 'Map Setup' selected, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-112).
- **3)** Select the 'Weather' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor flashes on 'STRMSCP LTNG'.
- **5)** Turn the **large FMS** Knob to select 'STRMSCP MODE'.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to change between 'CELL' and 'STRIKE' options. When an item is selected, press the **ENT** Key.
- **7)** Press the **FMS** knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

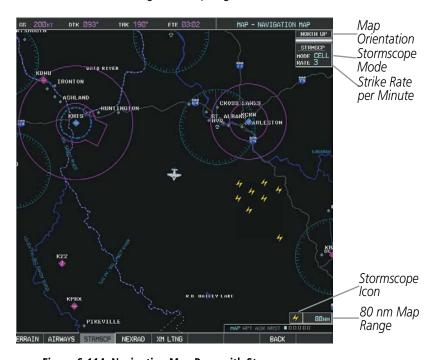


Figure 6-114 Navigation Map Page with Stormscope Lightning Data

If heading input is lost, strikes and/or cells must be cleared manually after the execution of each turn. This is to ensure that the strike and/or cell positions are depicted accurately in relation to the nose of the aircraft.



## Manually clearing Stormscope data on the Navigation Map:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Select 'Clear Stormscope® Lightning' (Figure 6-115).
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.



Figure 6-115 Navigation Map Page Options Menu

## **ZOOM RANGE ON THE NAVIGATION MAP**

Stormscope lightning data can be displayed up to 800 nm zoom range (in North Up orientation) on the Navigation Map Page. However, in Track Up orientation at the 500 nm range, a portion of Stormscope lightning data can be behind the aircraft and therefore not visible on the Navigation Map. Since the range for Stormscope data is 400 nm diameter total (200 nm in front and 200 nm behind), the 500 nm range in North Up orientation shows all the data.

At a map range of less than 25 nm, Stormscope lightning data is not displayed, but can still be present. The presence of Stormscope lightning data is indicated by the annunciation 'LTNG < 25 nm' in the upper right corner (Figure 6-116).

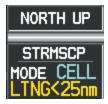


Figure 6-116 Lightning Display Range Annunciation

## **Selecting a Stormscope range on the Navigation Map:**

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Select 'MAP SETUP'.
- **3)** Select the 'Weather' group.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select 'STRMSCP SMBL'.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the maximum display range.



- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

To change the display range on the Navigation Map Page, turn the **RANGE** Knob clockwise to zoom out or counter-clockwise to zoom in.

## **SELECTING THE STORMSCOPE PAGE**

Stormscope lightning data can be displayed at the ranges of 25 nm, 50 nm, 100 nm, and 200 nm.

## Adjusting the Stormscope Map Range:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Stormscope Page.
- **3)** To change the map range, turn the **RANGE** Knob clockwise to zoom out or counter-clockwise to zoom in.



Figure 6-117 Stormscope Page

## Changing between 'cell' and 'strike' mode:

- **1)** Select the Stormscope Page.
- 2) Select the **MODE** Softkey. The **CELL** and **STRIKE** softkeys are displayed.
- 3) Select the **CELL** Softkey to display 'CELL' data or select the **STRIKE** Softkey to display 'STRIKE' data. 'CELL' or 'STRIKE' is displayed in the mode box in the upper left corner of the Stormscope Page.
- **4)** Press the **BACK** Softkey to return to the Stormscope Page.

#### Or:

- 1) Select the Stormscope Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to choose between 'CELL' and 'STRIKE' options.
- **4)** When an item is selected, press the **ENT** Key.



If heading input is lost, strikes and/or cells must be cleared manually after the execution of each turn (Figure 6-118). This is to ensure that the strike and/or cell positions are depicted accurately in relation to the nose of the aircraft.

# Manually clearing Stormscope data (on the Stormscope Page):

- 1) Select the Stormscope Page.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** Select 'Clear Lightning Data' (Figure 6-118).
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

- 1) Select the Stormscope Page.
- 2) Select the **CLEAR** Softkey.



Figure 6-118 Navigation Map Page Options Menu

## Changing the viewing mode between 360° and 120°:

- 1) Select the Stormscope Page.
- 2) Press the **VIEW** Softkey. The **360** and **ARC** softkeys are displayed.
- **3)** Press the **360** Softkey to display a 360° viewing area or select the **ARC** Softkey to display a 120° viewing area.
- **4)** Press the **BACK** Softkey to return to the Stormscope Page.

Or:

- 1) Select the Stormscope Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to choose between 'View Arc' and 'View 360° options.
- **4)** When an item is selected, press the ENT Key.



## 6.5 TAWS-B



**WARNING:** Do not use TAWS-B information for primary terrain avoidance. TAWS-B is intended only to enhance situational awareness.



**NOTE:** Terrain data is not displayed if the aircraft is out of the installed terrain database coverage area.



**NOTE:** The data contained in the TAWS-B databases comes from government agencies. Garmin accurately processes and cross-validates the data but cannot guarantee the accuracy and completeness of the data.

TAWS-B (Terrain Awareness and Warning System - Class B) is an optional feature to increase situational awareness and aid in reducing controlled flight into terrain (CFIT). TAWS-B provides visual annunciations and voice alerts when terrain and obstacles are within the given altitude threshold from the aircraft. The displayed alerts and warnings are advisory in nature only.

TAWS-B satisfies TSO-C151b Class B requirements for certification.

TAWS-B requires the following to operate properly:

- A valid terrain/obstacle/airport terrain database
- A valid 3-D GPS position solution

TAWS-B uses terrain and obstacle information supplied by government sources. Terrain information is based on terrain elevation information in a database that may contain inaccuracies. Individual obstructions may be shown if available in the database. Garmin verifies the data to confirm accuracy of the content, per TSO-C151b. However, the displayed information should never be understood as being all-inclusive and data may still contain inaccuracies.

TAWS-B uses information provided from the GPS receiver to provide a horizontal position and altitude. GPS altitude is derived from satellite measurements. GPS altitude is then converted to the height above geodetic sea level (GSL), which is the height above mean sea level (MSL) calculated geometrically. GSL altitude is used to determine TAWS-B alerts. GSL altitude accuracy is affected by satellite geometry, but is not subject to variations in pressure and temperature that normally affect pressure altitude sensors. GSL altitude does not require local altimeter settings to determine MSL altitude. It is a widely-used MSL altitude source. Therefore, GSL altitude provides a highly accurate and reliable MSL altitude source to calculate terrain and obstacle alerts.

The terrain and obstacle databases used by TAWS-B are referenced to MSL. Using the GPS position and GSL altitude, TAWS-B displays a 2-D picture of the surrounding terrain and obstacles relative to the position and altitude of the aircraft. Furthermore, the GPS position and GSL altitude are used to calculate and "predict" the aircraft's flight path in relation to the surrounding terrain and obstacles. In this manner, TAWS-B can provide advanced alerts of predicted dangerous terrain conditions.

Baro-corrected altitude (or indicated altitude) is derived by adjusting the altimeter setting for local atmospheric conditions. The most accurate baro-corrected altitude can be achieved by frequently updating the altimeter setting to the nearest reporting station along the flight path. However, because actual atmospheric conditions seldom match the standard conditions defined by the International Standard Atmosphere (ISA) model (where pressure, temperature, and lapse rates have fixed values), it is common for the baro-corrected altitude (as read



from the altimeter) to differ from the GSL altitude. This variation results in the aircraft's GSL altitude differing from the baro-corrected altitude.

## **DISPLAYING TAWS-B DATA**

TAWS-B uses yellow (caution) and red (warning) to depict terrain and obstacles (with heights greater than 200 feet above ground level, AGL) alerts relative to aircraft altitude. Colors are adjusted automatically as the aircraft altitude changes. The colors and symbols in figure and tables below are used to represent terrain, obstacles, and potential impact points.

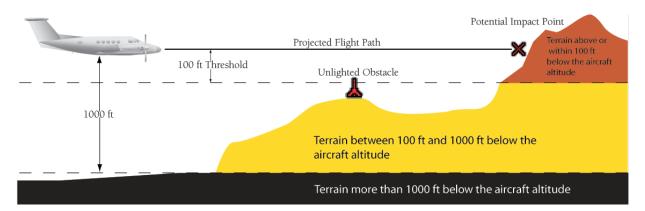


Figure 6-119 Terrain Altitude/Color Correlation for TAWS-B

Unlighted	Unlighted Obstacle		Obstacle	Obstacle Location
< 1000' AGL	> 1000' AGL	< 1000' AGL   > 1000' AGL		Obstacle Location
<b>.</b>		*	*	Red obstacle is above or within 100 ft below the aircraft altitude
<b>A</b>		**		Yellow obstacle is between 100 ft and 1000 ft below the aircraft altitude

Table 6-12 TAWS-B Obstacle Colors and Symbology

Potential Impact Point Symbol	Alert Type	Example Annunciation
×	Warning	PULL UP
×	Caution	TERRAIN

Table 6-13 TAWS-B Potential Impact Point Symbols with Alert Types

The Map - TAWS-B Page is the principal map page for viewing TAWS-B information. TAWS-B information can be also displayed on the following maps and pages as an additional reference:

• PFD Inset Map

Trip Planning Page

Navigation Map Page

• Flight Plan Page



## Displaying terrain and obstacle information (maps other than the TAWS-B Page):

- 1) Select the **MAP** Softkey (for the PFD Inset Map, press the **INSET** Softkey).
- 2) Select the **TERRAIN** Softkey to display terrain and obstacle data.

When TAWS-B is selected on maps other than the TAWS-B Page, an icon to indicate the feature is enabled for display and a legend for TAWS-B terrain colors are shown (Figure 6-126). The legend appears without the icon on the TAWS-B Page.

The Navigation Map Page Setup Menu provides a means in addition to the softkeys for enabling/disabling the display of terrain and obstacles. The setup menu also controls the map range settings above which terrain and obstacle data are decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the map range setting is selected, the data is removed from the map. For terrain data, the enable/disable function applies only to the MFD, while the range setting also affects the PFD Inset Map.

Terrain data can be selected for display independently of obstacle data; however, obstacles for which warnings and cautions are issued are shown when terrain is selected for display and the map range is within the setting limit.

Maps besides the TAWS-B Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page. The maximum display ranges for obstacles on each map are dependent on the range setting made for the Navigation Map. If the maximum range for obstacle display on the Navigation Map is adjusted to below 20 nm, the highest obstacle display range settings on the other applicable maps are also adjusted proportionally.

## **Customizing terrain and obstacle display on the Navigation Map Page:**

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With 'Map Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-120).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Map' Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-121).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections (Figure 6-122).
  - TERRAIN DATA Turns the display of terrain data on or off and sets maximum range at which terrain is shown
  - OBSTACLE DATA Turns the display of obstacle data on or off and sets maximum range at which obstacles are shown
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options for each product (ON/OFF, range settings).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.





Figure 6-120 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-121 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu

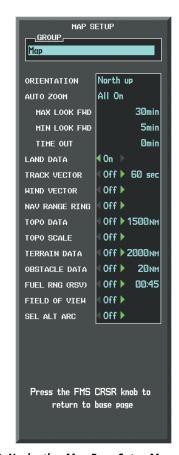


Figure 6-122 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Map Group

## **TAWS-B PAGE**

The TAWS-B Page is specialized to show terrain, obstacle, and potential impact point data in relation to the aircraft's current altitude, without clutter from the basemap. It is the principal page for viewing TAWS-B information. Aviation data (airports, VORs, and other NAVAIDs) can be enabled for reference. If an obstacle and the projected flight path of the aircraft intersect, the display automatically zooms in to the closest potential point of impact on the TAWS-B Page.

Aircraft orientation on this map is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Two views are available relative to the position of the aircraft: the  $360^{\circ}$  default display and the radar-like ARC ( $120^{\circ}$ ) display. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 1 to 200 nm, as indicated by the map range rings (or arcs).

## **Displaying the TAWS-B Page:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the TAWS-B Page.



## Changing the TAWS-B Page view:

- 1) Select the **VIEW** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **360** or **ARC** Softkey to select the desired view.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Select 'View Arc or 'View 360°' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key to change the view

## Showing/hiding aviation information on the TAWS-B Page:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Select 'Show Aviation Data' or 'Hide Aviation Data' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.

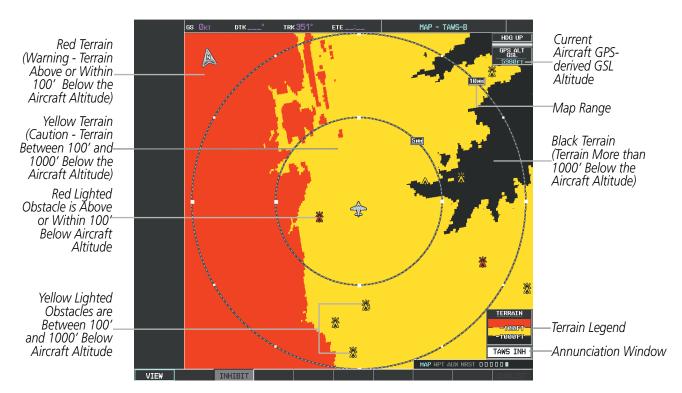


Figure 6-123 TAWS-B Page, 360° View



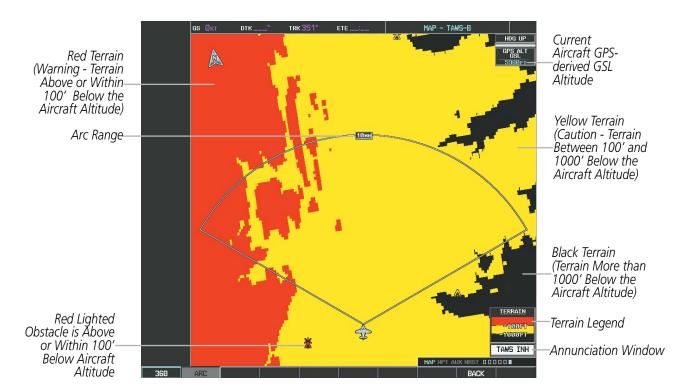


Figure 6-124 TAWS-B Page (ARC View)

## TAWS-B ALERTS

Alerts are issued when flight conditions meet parameters that are set within TAWS-B software algorithms. TAWS-B alerts typically employ a CAUTION or a WARNING alert severity level, or both. When an alert is issued, the system displays visual annunciations with voice alerts. Table 6-14 shows TAWS-B alert types with corresponding annunciations and voice alerts.

When an alert occurs, the system displays annunciations on the PFDs and MFD. The TAWS-B Alert Annunciation is shown to the upper left of the Altimeter on the PFDs and below the Terrain Legend on the MFD. If the TAWS-B Page is not displayed at the time of the alert, a pop-up alert appears on the MFD. When a pop-up alert occurs, do one of the following:

- Press the **CLR** Key (removes the pop-up alert), or
- Press the **ENT** Key (accesses the TAWS-B Page)



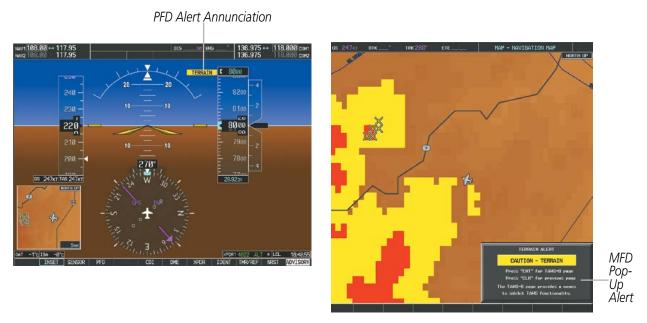


Figure 6-125 TAWS-B Alert Annunciations

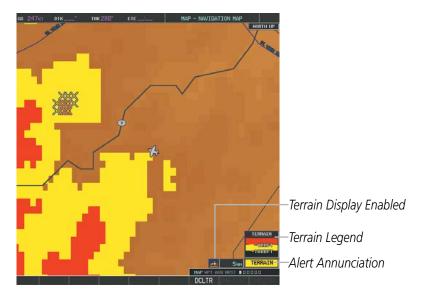


Figure 6-126 Navigation Map Page with Terrain data (After removing TAWS-B Pop-Up alert)



Alert Type	PFD/MFD** Alert Annunciation	MFD Pop-Up Alert (except TAWS-B Page)	Voice Alert
Excessive Descent Rate Warning (EDR)	PULL UP	PULL-UP	"Pull-Up"
Reduced Required Terrain Clearance Warning (RTC)	PULL UP	TERRAIN - PULL-UP * OT TERRAIN AHEAD - PULL-UP	"Terrain, Terrain; Pull-Up, Pull-Up" * or "Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up; Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up"
Imminent Terrain Impact Warning (ITI)	PULL UP	TERRAIN - PULL-UP * OT TERRAIN AHEAD - PULL-UP	"Terrain, Terrain; Pull-Up, Pull-Up"* or "Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up; Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up"
Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance Warning (ROC)	PULL UP	OBSTACLE - PULL-UP *  OT  OBSTACLE AHEAD - PULL-UP	"Obstacle, Obstacle; Pull-Up, Pull-Up"* or "Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up; Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up"
Imminent Obstacle Impact Warning (IOI)	PULL UP	OBSTACLE - PULL-UP *  O'  OBSTACLE AHEAD - PULL-UP	"Obstacle, Obstacle; Pull-Up, Pull-Up" * or "Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up; Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up"
Reduced Required Terrain Clearance Caution (RTC)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - TERRAIN * O' TERRAIN AHEAD	"Caution, Terrain; Caution, Terrain"* or "Terrain Ahead; Terrain Ahead"
Imminent Terrain Impact Caution (ITI)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - TERRAIN * O' TERRAIN AHEAD	"Caution, Terrain; Caution, Terrain"* or "Terrain Ahead; Terrain Ahead"
Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance Caution (ROC)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - OBSTACLE *  Or  OBSTACLE AHEAD	"Caution, Obstacle; Caution, Obstacle" * or "Obstacle Ahead; Obstacle Ahead"
Imminent Obstacle Impact Caution (IOI)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - OBSTACLE * Or OBSTACLE AHEAD	"Caution, Obstacle; Caution, Obstacle" * or "Obstacle Ahead; Obstacle Ahead"
Premature Descent Alert Caution (PDA)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW - TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
Altitude Voice Callout (VCO) "500"	None	None	"Five-Hundred"
Excessive Descent Rate Caution (EDR)	TERRAIN	SINK RATE	"Sink Rate"
Negative Climb Rate Caution (NCR)	TERRAIN	DON'T SINK *  Or  TOO LOW - TERRAIN	"Don't Sink"* or "Too Low, Terrain"

<sup>\*</sup> Alerts with multiple messages are configurable at installation and are installation-dependent. Alerts for the default configuration when more than one option is available are indicated with asterisks.

\*\* Annunciation is displayed on the MFD when terrain display is enabled.

Table 6-14 TAWS-B Alerts Summary



## **EXCESSIVE DESCENT RATE ALERT**

The purpose of the **Excessive Descent Rate (EDR)** alert is to provide suitable notification when the aircraft is determined to be closing (descending) upon terrain at an excessive speed. Figure 6-127 shows the parameters for the alert as defined by TSO-C151b.

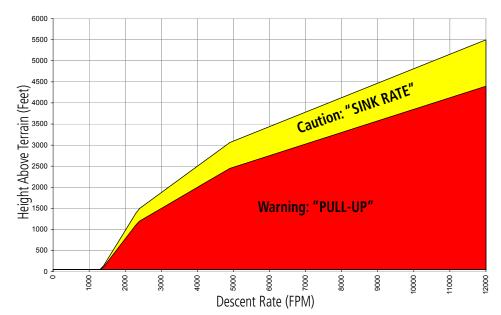


Figure 6-127 Excessive Descent Rate Alert Criteria

#### FORWARD LOOKING TERRAIN AVOIDANCE

The Forward Looking Terrain Avoidance (FLTA) feature of TAWS-B compares the aircraft's projected flight path with known terrain and obstacles in their respective databases and issues four types of alerts as either a caution or a warning:

**Reduced Required Terrain Clearance (RTC)** and **Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance (ROC)** alerts are issued when the aircraft flight path is above terrain, yet is projected to come within the minimum clearance values in Figure 6-128. When an RTC alert is issued, the system displays a potential impact point on navigation maps and the TAWS-B Page.

**Imminent Terrain Impact (ITI)** and **Imminent Obstacle Impact (IOI)** alerts are issued when the aircraft is below the elevation of a terrain or obstacle cell in the aircraft's projected path. ITI and IOI alerts are accompanied by a potential impact point on the navigation maps and the TAWS-B Page. The alert is annunciated when the projected vertical flight path is calculated to come within minimum clearance altitudes in Figure 6-128.



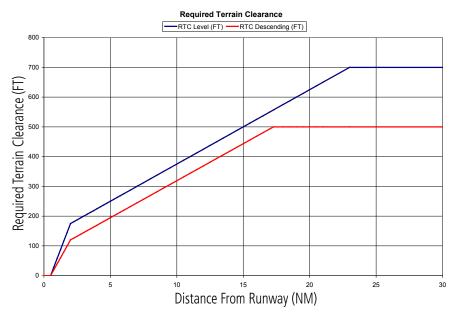


Figure 6-128 FLTA Alert Minimum Terrain and Obstacle Clearance Values

The system automatically suppresses FLTA alerts from occurring under any of the following conditions:

- The aircraft is less than 200 feet above the destination elevation and within 0.5 nm of the destination.
- The aircraft is less than fifty feet above terrain or on the ground.
- The aircraft is between runway ends.

## PREMATURE DESCENT ALERTING

A **Premature Descent Alert (PDA)** is issued when the system detects that the aircraft is significantly below the normal approach path to a runway (Figure 6-129).

PDA alerting begins when the aircraft is below 700 feet AGL within 15 nm of the destination airport and ends when the aircraft is 0.5 nm from the runway threshold.

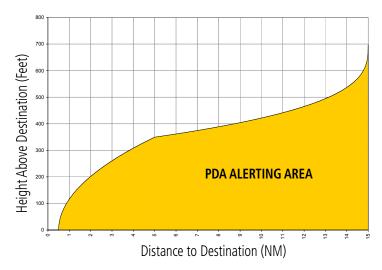


Figure 6-129 PDA Alerting Threshold



PDA and FLTA visual annunciations and voice alerts can be manually inhibited. Discretion should be used when inhibiting TAWS-B and the system should be enabled when appropriate. When TAWS-B is inhibited, the alert annunciation 'TAWS INH' is shown on the PFD and MFD (Figure 6-130).

# TAWS INH

# Figure 6-130 TAWS-B Alerting Disabled (TAWS-B Inhibited) Annunciation

## Inhibiting/enabling TAWS-B alerting:

- 1) Select the TAWS-B Page.
- 2) Select the **INHIBIT** Softkey to inhibit or enable TAWS-B (choice dependent on current state).

Or:

- a) Press the MENU Key.
- **b)** Select 'Inhibit TAWS' or 'Enable TAWS' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.

While TAWS-B alerting is inhibited, is unavailable, or has failed, the system may show a 'LOW ALT' annunciation on the PFDs if all of these conditions are met:

- The aircraft is on a GPS SBAS approach.
- The Final Approach Fix (FAF) is the active waypoint.
- The aircraft altitude is at least 164 feet below the prescribed FAF altitude.

Refer to the Flight Instruments for more information about the 'LOW ALT' annunciation.

# ALTITUDE VOICE CALLOUT (VCO) ALERT

The system provides a "Five-hundred" voice alert when the aircraft descends to within 500 feet above the terrain or runway threshold. When the aircraft is within 5 nm of an airport, the "Five Hundred" voice alert is based on the nearest runway threshold elevation. When the aircraft is more than 5 nm of the nearest airport, the "Five Hundred" voice alert is based on the height above terrain, by comparing the aircraft's GPS-GSL altitude to the terrain database.

There are no display annunciations or pop-up alerts that accompany the VCO alert. This alert cannot be inhibited.

# **NEGATIVE CLIMB RATE AFTER TAKEOFF ALERT (NCR)**

The **Negative Climb Rate (NCR) After Takeoff** alert (also referred to as "Altitude Loss After Takeoff") provides alerts when the system determines the aircraft is losing altitude (closing upon terrain) after takeoff. The voice alert "**Don't Sink**" is given for NCR alerts, accompanied by visual annunciations. NCR alerting is only active when departing from an airport and when the following conditions are met:

- Height above the terrain is less than 700 feet
- Distance from the departure airport is 5 nm or less
- Heading change from the departure heading is less than 110 degrees

NCR alerts can be triggered by either altitude loss (Figure 6-131) or sink rate (6-132).



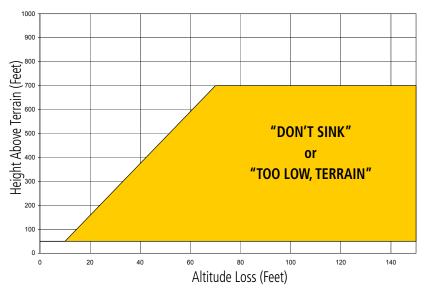


Figure 6-131 Negative Climb Rate (NCR) Altitude Loss

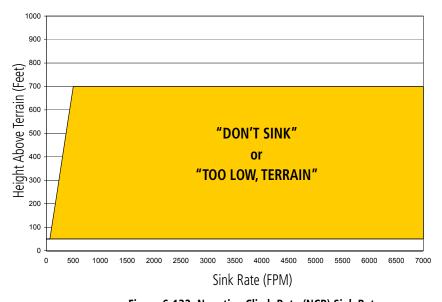


Figure 6-132 Negative Climb Rate (NCR) Sink Rate

# **SYSTEM STATUS**

During power-up, TAWS-B conducts a system test of its alerting capabilities. The system test can also be manually initiated. The system issues a voice alert when the test has concluded. TAWS-B System Testing is disabled when ground speed exceeds 30 knots.

## Manually testing the TAWS-B System:

- **1)** Select the TAWS-B Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) Select 'Test TAWS System' and press the **ENT** Key to confirm the selection. (Figure 6-133)





Figure 6-133 TAWS-B Page Menu

TAWS-B continually monitors several system-critical items such as database validity, hardware status, and GPS status. If the terrain/obstacle database is not available, the voice alert "TAWS System Failure" is generated along with the 'TAWS FAIL' visual annunciation.

TAWS-B requires a 3-D GPS navigation solution along with specific vertical accuracy minimums. Should the navigation solution become degraded or if the aircraft is out of the database coverage area, the annunciation 'TAWS N/A' is generated in the annunciation window and on the TAWS-B Page. If in-flight, the voice alert "TAWS Not Available" is also generated. When the GPS signal is restored and the aircraft is within the database coverage area, the voice alert "TAWS Available" is generated.

Alert Type	PFD/MFD TAWS-B Page Annunciation	TAWS-B Page Center Banner Annunciation	Voice Alert	TAWS Alert Types Not Available
System Test in progress	TAWS TEST	TAWS TEST	None	None Available
System Test pass	None	None	"TAWS System Test OK"	
TAWS System Test Fail; Terrain, Airport Terrain or Obstacle database unavailable or invalid on all GDUs; software mismatch among GDUs; TAWS audio fault	TAWS FAIL	TAWS FAIL	"TAWS System Failure"	FLTA, PDA
MFD Terrain or Obstacle database unavailable or invalid. TAWS operating with PFD Terrain or Obstacle databases	None	TERRAIN DATABASE FAILURE	None	
No GPS position	TAWS N/A	NO GPS POSITION	"TAWS Not Available"	FLTA, PDA, VCO
Excessively degraded GPS signal, or out of database coverage area	TAWS N/A	None	"TAWS Not Available"	FLTA, PDA
Sufficient GPS signal reception restored	None	None	"TAWS Available" (voice alert only in flight)	
TAWS Alerting is disabled	TAWS INH	None	None	FLTA, PDA

Table 6-15 TAWS-B System Status Annunciations



# **6.6 PROFILE VIEW TERRAIN**



## **NOTE:** Profile View is not available in TAWS-A installations.

The G1000 offers a Profile View of terrain and obstacles relative to the aircraft's current flight path and altitude on the Navigation Map Page of the MFD. The Profile View feature is not part of the TAWS system discussed previously, and it does not provide alerting capabilities. The colors and symbols in Figure 6-134 and Table 6-16 are used to represent terrain and obstacles inside the Profile View Window.

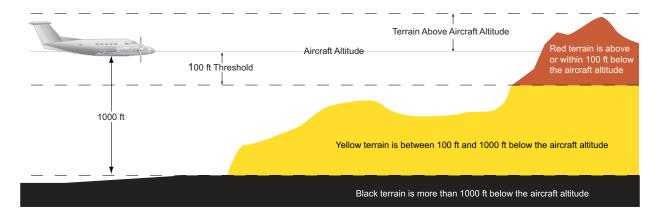


Figure 6-134 Terrain Altitude/Color Correlation for Profile View Terrain

Unlighted Obstacle		Lighted Obstacle		Obstacle Location
< 1000' AGL	> 1000' AGL	< 1000' AGL   > 1000' AGL		Obstacle Location
<b>.</b>	*	*	*	Red obstacle is above or within 100 ft below the aircraft altitude
<b>&amp;</b>		**	**	Yellow obstacle is between 100 ft and 1000 ft below the aircraft altitude

Table 6-16 Profile View Terrain/Obstacle Colors and Symbology

## **Enabling/Disabling Profile View:**

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Select the **MAP** Softkey.
- 3) Select the **PROFILE** Softkey to enable or disable Profile View.

#### Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **b)** Select 'Show Profile View' or 'Hide Profile View' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.



## Enabling/Disabling Profile View Terrain on the Navigation Map (when Profile View is enabled):

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Select the **MAP** Softkey.
- **3)** Select the **TERRAIN** Softkey.

## PROFILE VIEW DISPLAY

When the Profile View is enabled, it is displayed in a window below the Navigation Map. Altitude is shown along a vertical scale, with an aircraft icon positioned at the current altitude. Distance is represented horizontally along the bottom of the Profile View Window, and increases from left (present position) to right.

When the Navigation Map range is adjusted with the **RANGE** Knob, the horizontal distance of the Profile View is adjusted proportionately to be 1/2 of the Navigation Map range distance down to 1 nm, at which point Profile View is no longer available ('PROFILE NOT AVAILABLE' is displayed). When Navigation Map range is adjusted to remove altitude-correlated colored terrain data (as shown in the Terrain Legend) or obstacles from the Navigation Map, these items are also removed from the Profile View; only an outline of the terrain will be displayed in black in the Profile View window. Refer to the or TAWS-B discussion for more information about displaying terrain or obstacles on the Navigation Map Page.

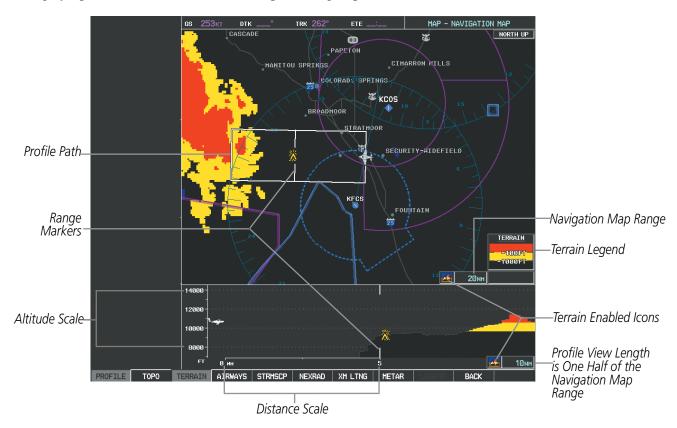


Figure 6-135 Profile View on Navigation Map with Terrain Display Enabled

The Profile View is based on the current aircraft track (or heading if track is unavailable) and shows the *highest* known terrain or obstacles within a predetermined width from the present aircraft position to the end of the profile range. The width of the Profile View is determined by the phase of flight, as annunciated on the HSI, and is widest during enroute or oceanic phases (Table 6-17).



Flight Phase	Total Profile View Width
Approach	0.6 nm
Departure	0.6 nm
Terminal	2.0 nm
Enroute	4.0 nm
Oceanic	4.0 nm

Table 6-17 Profile View Width Scale

## **PROFILE PATH**

The Profile Path displays the horizontal and lateral boundaries of the Profile View. The path is shown as a white rectangle on the Navigation Map Page and is only available when Profile View is enabled. White range markers both edges of the Profile Path rectangle match the range markers along the distance scale inside the Profile View display window whenever the profile range is at least 4 nm (or 7.5 km if configured for metric units).

The Profile Path rectangle may be enabled/disabled, and the Navigation Map range at which the Profile Path is removed from map display can be changed.

## Customizing the Profile Path display on the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With 'Map Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-136).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Profile' Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-137).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections (Figure 6-138).
- PROFILE PATH Turns the display of the Profile Path on or off and sets maximum range at which Profile Path is shown
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (ON/OFF, range settings).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.





Figure 6-136 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-137 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



Figure 6-138 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Profile Group



# **6.7 TAWS-A**



**WARNING:** Do not use TAWS information for primary terrain avoidance. TAWS-A is intended only to enhance situational awareness.



**NOTE:** Terrain data is not displayed when the aircraft is outside of the installed terrain database coverage area.



**NOTE:** The data contained in the TAWS databases comes from government agencies. Garmin accurately processes and cross-validates the data but cannot guarantee the accuracy and completeness of the data.

TAWS-A (Terrain Awareness and Warning System - Class A) is an optional feature to increase situational awareness and aid in reducing controlled flight into terrain (CFIT). TAWS-A provides visual annunciations and voice alerts when terrain and obstacles are within the given altitude threshold from the aircraft. The displayed alerts and warnings are advisory in nature only.

TAWS-A satisfies TSO-C151b Class A and TSO-92c requirements for certification.

Class A TAWS requires the following components:

- A valid terrain/obstacle/airport terrain database
- A valid 3-D GPS position solution
- Valid flap and landing gear status inputs
- A valid radar altimeter

TAWS-A uses terrain and obstacle information supplied by government sources. Terrain information is based on terrain elevation information in a database that may contain inaccuracies. Individual obstructions may be shown if available in the database. Garmin verifies the data to confirm accuracy of the content, per TSO-C151b. However, the displayed information should never be understood as being all-inclusive and the data may still contain inaccuracies.

TAWS-A uses information from the GPS receiver to provide a horizontal position and altitude, along with additional altitude input from the radar altimeter. GPS altitude is derived from satellite measurements. The system converts GPS altitude to a height above geodetic sea level (GSL), which is the height above mean seal level (MSL) calculated geometrically. GSL altitude accuracy is affected by factors such as satellite geometry, but it is not subject to variations in pressure and temperature that normally affect pressure altitude devices. GSL altitude does not require local altimeter settings to determine MSL altitude. Therefore, GSL altitude provides a highly accurate and reliable MSL altitude source to calculate terrain and obstacle alerts.

The terrain and obstacle databases used by TAWS-A are referenced to mean sea level (MSL). Using the GPS position and GSL altitude, TAWS-A displays a 2-D picture of the surrounding terrain and obstacles relative to the position and altitude of the aircraft. Furthermore, the GPS position and GSL altitude are used to calculate and "predict" the aircraft's flight path in relation to the surrounding terrain and obstacles. In this manner, TAWS-A can provide advanced alerts of predicted dangerous terrain conditions.

TAWS-A incorporates radar altimeter input with the GSL altitude to provide a more accurate position reference when at lower altitudes for certain alert types, and to retain a level of ground proximity warning capability in the unlikely event of a terrain or obstacle database failure.



Baro-corrected altitude (or indicated altitude) is derived by adjusting the altimeter setting for local atmospheric conditions. The most accurate baro-corrected altitude can be achieved by frequently updating the altimeter setting to the nearest reporting station along the flight path. However, because actual atmospheric conditions seldom match the standard conditions defined by the International Standard Atmosphere (ISA) model (where pressure, temperature, and lapse rates have fixed values), it is common for the baro-corrected altitude (as read from the altimeter) to differ from the GPS-MSL altitude. This variation results in the aircraft's true altitude differing from the baro-corrected altitude.

TAWS-A provides the following alert types:

- Forward Looking Terrain Avoidance (FLTA) Alerting, which consists of:
  - Required Terrain Clearance (RTC) / Required Obstacle Clearance (ROC) Alerting
  - Imminent Terrain Impact (ITI) / Imminent Obstacle Impact (IOI) Alerting
- Premature Descent Alerting (PDA)
- Ground Proximity Warning System (GPWS) Alerting, which consists of:
  - Excessive Descent Rate (EDR) Alerting
  - Excessive Closure Rate (ECR) to Terrain Alerting
  - Flight Into Terrain (FIT) Alerting
  - Negative Climb Rate (NCR) after takeoff Alerting
  - Excessive below Glideslope/Glidepath Deviation (GSD) Alerting
  - Altitude Voice Call Out (VCO) Alerting

## **DISPLAYING TAWS-A DATA**

TAWS-A uses yellow (caution) and red (warning) to depict terrain and obstacles (with heights greater than 200 feet above ground level, AGL) alerts relative to aircraft altitude. Colors are adjusted automatically as the aircraft altitude changes. The colors and symbols in Figure 6-139 and Tables 6-18 and 6-19 are used to represent terrain, obstacles, and potential impact points.

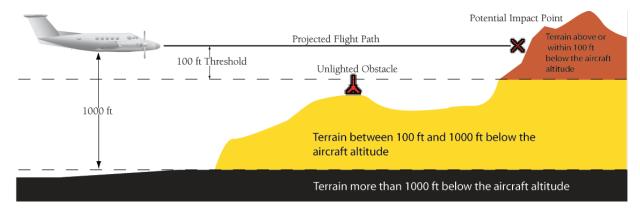


Figure 6-139 Terrain Altitude/Color Correlation for TAWS-A



Unlighted Obstacle		Lighted Obstacle		Obstacle Location
< 1000' AGL	> 1000' AGL	< 1000' AGL   > 1000' AGL		Obstacle Location
<b>.</b>	*	*	*	Red obstacle is above or within 100 ft below the aircraft altitude
<b>&amp;</b>		**	**	Yellow obstacle is between 100 ft and 1000 ft below the aircraft altitude

Table 6-18 TAWS-A Obstacle Colors and Symbology

Potential Impact Point Symbol	Alert Type	Example Annunciation
×	Warning	PULL UP
×	Caution	TERRAIN

Table 6-19 TAWS-A Potential Impact Point Symbols with Alert Types

## **TAWS-A PAGE**

The TAWS-A Page shows terrain, obstacle, and potential impact point data in relation to the aircraft's current altitude, without clutter from the basemap. Aviation data (airports, VORs, and other NAVAIDs) can be displayed for reference. If an obstacle and the projected flight path of the aircraft intersect, the system reduces the TAWS-A Page map range if necessary to clearly show the potential impact point.

Aircraft orientation on this map is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Two views are available relative to the position of the aircraft: the 360° default display and the radar-like ARC (120°) display. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 1 to 200 nm, as indicated by the map range rings (or arcs).

# Displaying the TAWS-A Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the TAWS-A Page.

## Changing the TAWS-A Page view:

- 1) Select the **VIEW** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **360** or **ARC** Softkey to select the desired view.

#### Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Select 'View Arc' or 'View 360°' (choice dependent on current state) and press the ENT Key to change the view



## Showing/hiding aviation information on the TAWS-A Page:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Select 'Show Aviation Data' or 'Hide Aviation Data' (choice dependent on current state) and press the ENT Key.

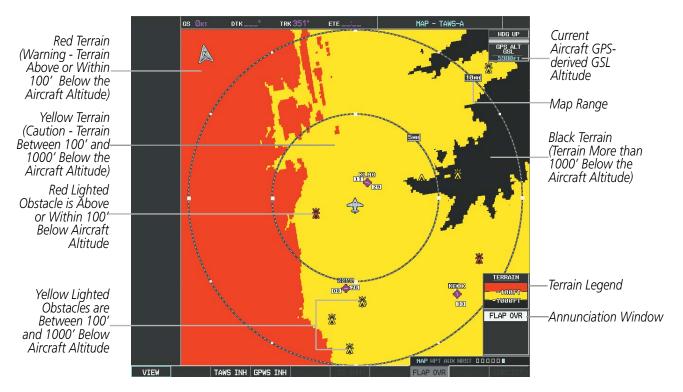


Figure 6-140 TAWS-A Page, 360° View

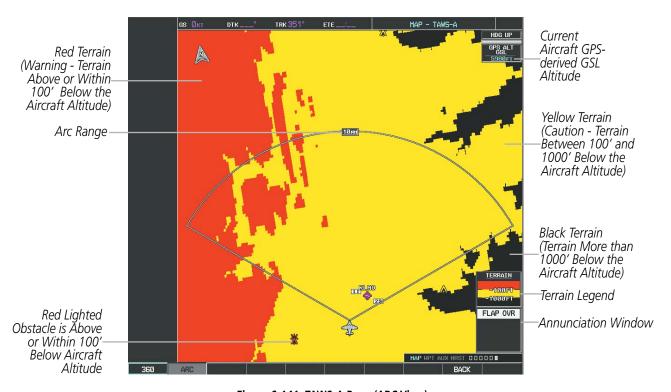


Figure 6-141 TAWS-A Page (ARC View)



### **TAWS-A ALERTS**

Alerts are issued when flight conditions meet parameters that are set within TAWS-A software algorithms. TAWS-A alerts typically employ a CAUTION or a WARNING alert severity level, or both. When an alert is issued, the system displays visual annunciations with voice alerts. Table 6-20 shows TAWS-A alert types with corresponding annunciations and voice alerts.

When an alert is issued, annunciations appear on the PFD and MFD. The TAWS-A Alert Annunciation is shown to the upper left of the Altimeter or upper right of the Airspeed indicator on the PFD and below the Terrain Legend on the MFD. If the TAWS-A Page is not already displayed on the MFD, a pop-up alert appears on the MFD while an alert is active. When a pop-up alert occurs, do one of the following:

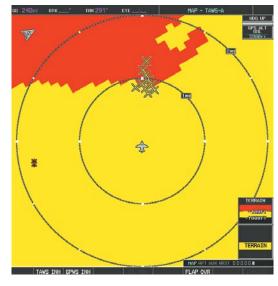
- Press the **CLR** Key (removes the pop-up alert), or
- Press the **ENT** Key (accesses the TAWS-A Page)



PFD with TAWS-A Annunciations



MFD Pop-Up Alert (on non-TAWS-A pages)



MFD TAWS-A Page with Alert Annunciation

Figure 6-142 Example TAWS-A Annunciations



Alert Type	PFD/MFD TAWS-A Page Annunciation	MFD Map Page Pop-Up Alert (Except TAWS-A Page)	Voice Alert
Reduced Required Terrain Clearance	PULL UP	TERRAIN - PULL-UP *	"Terrain, Terrain; Pull-Up, Pull-Up" *
Warning (RTC)		Or TERRAIN AHEAD - PULL-UP	"Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up; Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up"
Imminent Terrain Impact Warning (ITI)	PULL UP	TERRAIN - PULL-UP *	"Terrain, Terrain; Pull-Up, Pull-Up"*
		Or TERRAIN AHEAD - PULL-UP	or Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up; Terrain Ahead, Pull-Up"
Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance	PULL UP	OBSTACLE - PULL-UP *	"Obstacle, Obstacle; Pull-Up, Pull-Up"*
Warning (ROC)		Or OBSTACLE AHEAD - PULL-UP	or "Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up; Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up"
Imminent Obstacle Impact Warning (IOI)	PULL UP	OBSTACLE - PULL-UP *	"Obstacle, Obstacle; Pull-Up, Pull-Up"*
		Or OBSTACLE AHEAD - PULL-UP	or "Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up; Obstacle Ahead, Pull-Up"
Excessive Descent Rate Warning (EDR)	PULL UP	PULL-UP	" <whoop> <whoop> Pull-Up"</whoop></whoop>
Excessive Closure Rate Warning (ECR)	PULL UP	PULL-UP	" <whoop> <whoop> Pull-Up"</whoop></whoop>
Reduced Required Terrain Clearance Caution (RTC)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - TERRAIN *	"Caution, Terrain; Caution, Terrain" *
Caution (MC)		or TERRAIN AHEAD	"Terrain Ahead; Terrain Ahead"
Imminent Terrain Impact Caution (ITI)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - TERRAIN *	"Caution, Terrain; Caution, Terrain" or
		or TERRAIN AHEAD	"Terrain Ahead; Terrain Ahead"
Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance Caution (ROC)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - OBSTACLE *	"Caution, Obstacle; Caution, Obstacle"*
Caution (NOC)		or Obstacle ahead	"Obstacle Ahead; Obstacle Ahead"
Imminent Obstacle Impact Caution (IOI)	TERRAIN	CAUTION - OBSTACLE *	"Caution, Obstacle; Caution, Obstacle"*
		or Obstacle ahead	"Obstacle Ahead; Obstacle Ahead"
Premature Descent Alert Caution (PDA)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW - TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
Excessive Descent Rate Caution (EDR)	TERRAIN	SINK RATE	"Sink Rate"
Excessive Closure Rate Caution (ECR)	TERRAIN	TERRAIN	"Terrain, Terrain"
Negative Climb Rate Caution (NCR)	TERRAIN	DON'T SINK *	"Don't Sink"* or
		or TOO LOW - TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
Flight Into Terrain High Speed Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW - TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
Flight Into Terrain Gear Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW - GEAR	"Too Low, Gear"
Flight Into Terrain Flaps Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW - FLAPS	"Too Low, Flaps"
Flight Into Terrain Takeoff Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW - TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
Glide Slope Deviation Caution (GSD)	GLIDESLOPE	GLIDESLOPE	"Glideslope"
(depends on approach type)	or <b>GLIDEPATH</b>	Or GLIDEPATH	or "Glidepath"
Altitude Voice Callout (VCO)	None	None	"Five Hundred", "Four Hundred"*, "Three Hundred"*, "Two Hundred"*, "One Hundred"*

<sup>\*</sup> Alerts with multiple messages are configurable. Alerts for the default configuration are indicated with asterisks.



# FORWARD LOOKING TERRAIN AVOIDANCE (FLTA)

The Forward Looking Terrain Avoidance (FLTA) feature of TAWS-A compares the aircraft's projected flight path with known terrain and obstacles in their respective databases and issues four types of alerts as either a caution or a warning:

**Reduced Required Terrain Clearance (RTC)** and **Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance (ROC)** alerts are issued when the aircraft flight path is above terrain, yet is projected to come within the minimum clearance values in Figure 6-143. When an RTC alert is issued, a potential impact point is displayed on the TAWS-A Page.

**Imminent Terrain Impact (ITI)** and **Imminent Obstacle Impact (IOI)** alerts are issued when the aircraft is below the elevation of a terrain or obstacle cell in the aircraft's projected path. ITI and IOI alerts are accompanied by a potential impact point displayed on the TAWS-A Page. The alert is annunciated when the projected vertical flight path is calculated to come within minimum clearance altitudes in Figure 6-143.



Figure 6-143 FLTA Alert Minimum Terrain and Obstacle Clearance Values

The system automatically suppresses FLTA alerts from occurring under any of the following conditions:

- The aircraft is less than 200 feet above the destination elevation and within 0.5 nm of the destination.
- The aircraft is less than fifty feet above terrain or on the ground.
- The aircraft is between runway ends.

#### PREMATURE DESCENT ALERTING

A **Premature Descent Alert (PDA)** is issued when the system detects that the aircraft is significantly below the normal approach path to a runway (Figure 6-144).

PDA alerting begins when the aircraft is below 700 feet AGL within 15 nm of the destination airport and ends when the aircraft is 0.5 nm from the runway threshold.



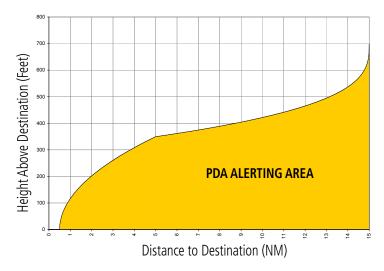


Figure 6-144 PDA Alerting Threshold

PDA alerting begins when the aircraft is below 700 feet AGL within 15 nm of the destination airport and ends when the aircraft is 0.5 nm from the runway threshold.

#### INHIBITING FLTA AND PDA ALERTS



**NOTE:** The 'Inhibit TAWS' function only inhibits FLTA and PDA alerts. Alerting for GPWS alerts (EDR, ECR, NCR, FIT) and GSD is controlled independently from FLTA and PDA alerts.

FLTA and PDA visual annunciations and voice alerts can be manually inhibited. Discretion should be used when inhibiting alerts and the system should be enabled when appropriate. When PDA and FLTA alerts are inhibited, the alert annunciation 'TAWS INH' is shown on the PFD and on the TAWS-A Page annunciation window of the MFD (Figure 6-145).



TAWS INH

Figure 6-145 TAWS-A Page Menu and Inhibit Annunciation



## Inhibiting/enabling FLTA and PDA alerting:

- 1) Select the TAWS-A Page.
- 2) Select the **TAWS INH** Softkey to inhibit or enable TAWS-A (choice dependent on current state).

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key. (Figure 6-145)
- 2) Select 'Inhibit TAWS' or 'Enable TAWS' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.

If PDA and FLTA alerts are inhibited when the Final Approach Fix is the active waypoint in a GPS SBAS approach, a 'LOW ALT' annunciation may appear on the PFD next to the Altimeter if the current aircraft altitude is at least 164 feet below the prescribed altitude at the Final Approach Fix. See the Flight Instruments Section for details.

#### **EXCESSIVE DESCENT RATE ALERT**

The purpose of the **Excessive Descent Rate (EDR)** alert is to provide suitable notification when the aircraft is determined to be closing (descending) upon terrain at an excessive speed. Figure 6-146 shows the parameters for the alert as defined by TSO-C151b.

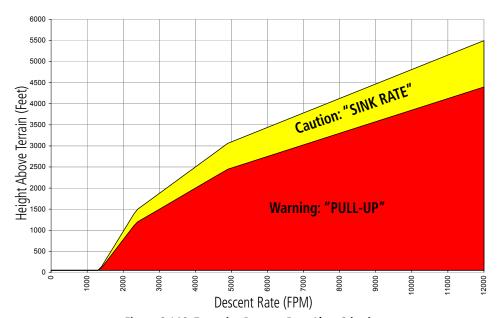


Figure 6-146 Excessive Descent Rate Alert Criteria

## **EXCESSIVE CLOSURE RATE ALERT**

The **Excessive Closure Rate (ECR)** alert provides suitable notification when the aircraft is determined to be closing upon terrain at an excessive speed for a given aircraft gear and flap configuration.

Figures 6-147 and 6-148 show the ECR alerting criteria for flaps in the landing configuration and for all other flight phases respectively.

ECR alerts are automatically inhibited when the aircraft is 5 nm from the nearest airport, except when FLTA is not available (causing the TAWS N/A or TAWS FAIL annunciation to be displayed), in which case ECR alerting will remain active until landing.



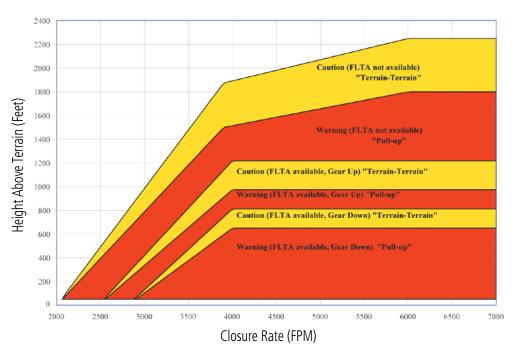


Figure 6-147 Excessive Closure Rate Alert Criteria (Flaps Up or Takeoff Configuration)

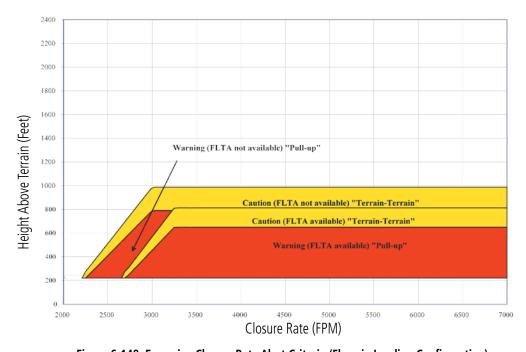
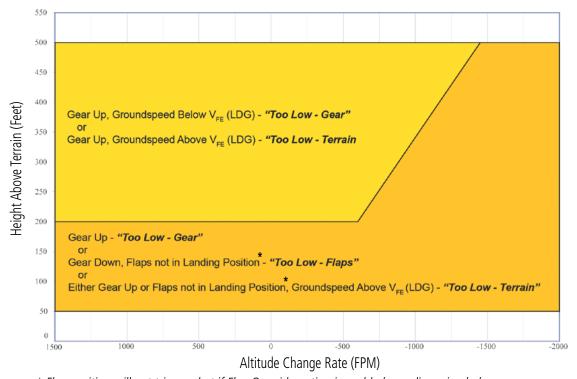


Figure 6-148 Excessive Closure Rate Alert Criteria (Flaps in Landing Configuration)



#### FLIGHT INTO TERRAIN ALERT

**Flight Into Terrain (FIT)** alerts occur when the aircraft is too low with respect to terrain based on landing gear status, flap position, and groundspeed. FIT caution alerts are issued when flight conditions meet the criteria shown in Figure 6-149.



<sup>\*</sup> Flap position will not trigger alert if Flap Override option is enabled; see discussion below.

Figure 6-149 Flight Into Terrain Caution Alert Criteria

To reduce nuisance FIT alerts on approaches where flap extension is not desired (or is intentionally delayed), the pilot may override FIT alerting based on the flap position, while all other FIT alerting remains in effect.



Figure 6-150 TAWS-A Page Menu and FIT Flap Override Annunciation



## **Overriding Flaps-based FIT alerting:**

- 1) Select the TAWS-A Page
- 2) Select the **FLAP OVR** Softkey

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key. (Figure 6-150)
- 2) Select 'Flap Override' or 'Disable Flap Override' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key.

When the Flaps Override option is enabled, the annunciation 'FLAP OVR' is annunciated on the PFD and on the TAWS-A Page of the MFD (Figure 6-150). If GPWS alerts are also inhibited (which include FIT), the 'FLAP OVR' annunciation is not shown.

FIT alerts also occur during takeoff or go-around if the aircraft's height above ground level (as determined by the radar altimeter) is too close to rising terrain. TAWS-A will issue the voice alert "**Too Low - Terrain**" and visual annunciations when conditions enter the caution alert area (Figure 6-151).

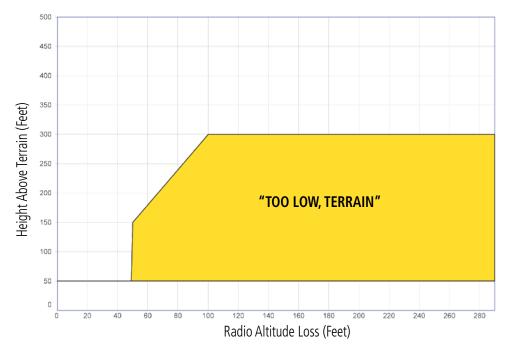


Figure 6-151 FIT Alerting After Takeoff



#### **NEGATIVE CLIMB RATE AFTER TAKEOFF ALERT**

The **Negative Climb Rate (NCR) After Takeoff** alert (also referred to as "Altitude Loss After Takeoff") provides alerts when the system determines the aircraft is losing altitude (closing upon terrain) after takeoff. The voice alert "**Don't Sink**" is given for NCR alerts, accompanied by an annunciation and a pop-up terrain alert on the MFD if the TAWS-A Page is not already displayed. NCR alerting for TAWS-A is only active when departing from an airport and when the following conditions are met:

- Height above the terrain is less than 700 feet
- Distance from the departure airport is 5 nm or less
- Heading change from the departure heading is less than 110 degrees
- Landing gear or flaps are configured for takeoff

NCR alerts can be triggered by either altitude loss (Figure 6-152) or sink rate (6-153).

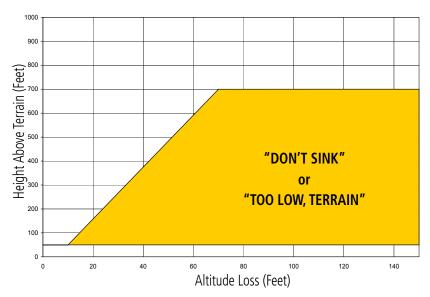


Figure 6-152 Negative Climb Rate (NCR) Altitude Loss

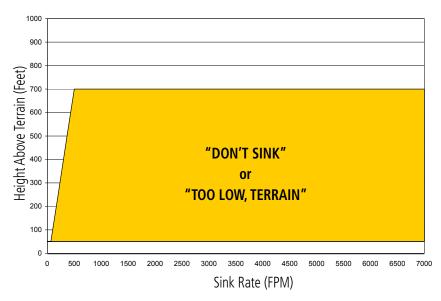


Figure 6-153 Negative Climb Rate (NCR) Sink Rate



# INHIBITING GPWS ALERTS (EDR, ECR, FIT, AND NCR)



**NOTE:** The 'Inhibit GPWS' function only affects GPWS alerts (EDR, ECR, NCR, and FIT). Alerting for FLTA, PDA, and GSD is controlled independently from the GPWS alerts listed below.

EDR, ECR, FIT, and NCR visual annunciations and voice alerts can be manually inhibited as a group. Discretion should be used when inhibiting alerts and the GPWS system should be enabled when appropriate. When these alerts are inhibited, the alert annunciation 'GPWS INH' is shown on the PFD and on the TAWS-A Page annunciation window of the MFD (Figure 6-154).





Figure 6-154 TAWS-A Page Menu and GPWS Inhibit Annunciation

# Inhibiting/enabling GPWS alerting:

- **1)** Select the TAWS-A Page.
- 2) Select the GPWS INH Softkey to inhibit or enable GPWS alerts (choice dependent on current state).
  Or:
- a) Press the MENU Key. (Figure 6-154)
- b) Select 'Inhibit GPWS' or 'Enable GPWS' (choice dependent on current state) and press the ENT Key.



#### EXCESSIVE BELOW GLIDESLOPE/GLIDEPATH DEVIATION ALERT

A **Glideslope Deviation** or **Glidepath Deviation** (**GSD**) caution alert is issued when the system detects that the aircraft is significantly below the glidepath for the selected approach in relation to the aircraft's height above terrain (Figure 6-155).

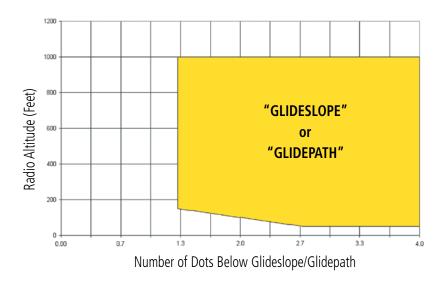


Figure 6-155 Excessive Below Glideslope/Glidepath Deviation Alert Criteria

GSD alerting is only active after departure and the following conditions are met:

- An ILS, LPV, LNAV/VNAV, or LNAV+V approach is active and vertical navigation indications are being displayed.
- Aircraft is below 1000 feet AGL.
- Gear is configured for landing.

When a GSD caution alert occurs on an ILS approach, the visual annunciation 'GLIDESLOPE' is issued with the '*Glideslope*' voice alert. If a GSD caution alert occurs on an LPV, LNAV/VNAV, or LNAV+V approach, the visual annunciation 'GLIDEPATH' is issued (Figure 6-156) with the '*Glidepath*' voice alert.



#### INHBITING GSD ALERTS



**NOTE:** GSD alerting may only be inhibited while a GSD alert is occurring. GSD alerts are inhibited independently from all other FLTA, PDA, and GPWS alerts.

During a GSD alert, the PFD Softkeys are configured as shown in Figure 6-155 to provide an option to inhibit the alert. A 'GLIDESLOPE' alert will display a **GS INH** Softkey to inhibit the alert. A 'GLIDEPATH' alert will display a **GP INH** Softkey to inhibit the alert. When an inhibit Softkey is pressed, the PFD Softkeys return to the top-level display. Press the **BACK** Softkey to return to the top level of the PFD Softkeys without inhibiting the GSD alert.



Figure 6-156 GSD Glideslope Alert and PFD Softkeys

GSD alerts may also be inhibited on the TAWS-A Page while a GSD alert is occurring.

### Inhibiting/Enabling GSD alerting (only available during a GSD alert):

- **1)** Select the TAWS-A Page.
- 2) Select the **GS INH** or **GP INH** Softkey to inhibit or enable GSD alerts (softkey choice dependent on present GSD alert type).

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key. (Figure 6-157)
- 2) Select the option to inhibit or enable the glideslope or glidepath alerting (choice dependent on present GSD alert type) and press the **ENT** Key.







Figure 6-157 TAWS-A Page Menu and Glideslope Alerting Inhibited Annunciation

# **ALTITUDE VOICE CALLOUT (VCO)**

TAWS-A provides voice alerts as the aircraft descends, beginning at 500 feet above the terrain, using radar altitude (if greater than five nm from the nearest airport), or 500 feet above the nearest runway Touch Down Zone Elevation using GPS-GSL altitude (if less than five nm from the nearest airport. Upon descent to this altitude, the system issues a **'five hundred'** voice alert.

Additional VCO alerts occur as the aircraft descends through 400, 300, 200, and 100 feet. There are no display annunciations or pop-up alerts that accompany the voice alerts. VCO alerts cannot be inhibited.

## **SYSTEM STATUS**

During power-up, TAWS-A conducts a system test of its alerting capabilities. The system test can also be manually initiated. A voice alert occurs at the conclusion of the test. TAWS-A System Testing is disabled when ground speed exceeds 30 knots. TAWS-A terrain alerts will not be issued while a test is in progress.

Alert Type	PFD/MFD TAWS-A Page Annunciation	TAWS-A Page Center Banner Annunciation	Voice Alert
TAWS System Fail	TAWS FAIL	TAWS FAIL	"TAWS System Failure"
GPWS System Fail	GPWS FAIL	None	"GPWS System Failure"
System Test in progress	TAWS TEST	TAWS TEST	None
System Test pass	None	None	"TAWS System Test OK"

Table 6-21 TAWS-A System Test Status Annunciations

## Manually testing the TAWS-A System:

- 1) Select the TAWS-A Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** Select 'Test TAWS System' and press the **ENT** Key to confirm the selection. (Figure 6-158)





Figure 6-158 TAWS-A Page Menu

## TAWS-A ABNORMAL OPERATIONS

TAWS-A continually monitors several system-critical items such as database validity, flap and landing gear position, radar altimeter input, and GPS status.

If no GDU contains Terrain, Airport Terrain, and Obstacle databases (or the databases are invalid), the voice alert **"TAWS System Failure"** is generated along with the 'TAWS FAIL' alert annunciation.

TAWS-A requires a 3-D GPS navigation solution along with specific vertical accuracy minimums. Should the navigation solution become degraded or if the aircraft is out of the database coverage area, the annunciation 'TAWS N/A' is generated in the annunciation window and on the TAWS-A Page. The voice alert "TAWS Not Available" is also generated if airborne, and some TAWS-A terrain alerts will not be issued (Table 6-22), while GPWS alerting (which are not dependent on GPS position) will continue to operate. When the GPS signal is reestablished and the aircraft is within the database coverage area, the voice alert "TAWS Available" is generated.

TAWS-A also requires radar altimeter input. Should the radar altimeter input fail or become degraded, the annunciation 'GPWS FAIL' is generated in the annunciation window and on the TAWS-A Page. The voice alert "GPWS System Failure" is also generated. The 'GPWS FAIL' annunciation will also occur if both GPS altitude and barometric altitude are unavailable. If only the GPWS system has failed, GPWS-based alerts will not be available (Table 6-22), while other TAWS-A alerting remains unaffected.



Alert Type	PFD/MFD TAWS-A Page Annunciation	TAWS-A Page Center Banner Annunciation	Voice Alert	TAWS Alert Types Not Available
TAWS System Test Fail; Terrain, Airport Terrain or Obstacle database unavailable or invalid on all GDUs; software mismatch among GDUs; TAWS audio fault	TAWS FAIL*	TAWS FAIL	"TAWS System Failure"	FLTA, PDA
MFD Terrain or Obstacle database unavailable or invalid. TAWS operating with PFD Terrain or Obstacle databases	None	TERRAIN DATABASE FAILURE	None	
No GPS position	TAWS N/A	NO GPS POSITION	"TAWS Not Available"	FLTA, PDA, GSD <sup>†</sup> , VCO <sup>*</sup>
Excessively degraded GPS signal, or out of database coverage area	TAWS N/A	None	"TAWS Not Available"	FLTA, PDA
Sufficient GPS signal reception restored	None	None	"TAWS Available" (voice alert only in flight)	
Radar Altimeter invalid, Vertical Speed Invalid, GPS and Baro Altitude invalid, Software mismatch among GDUs, TAWS configuration mismatch among GDUs, TAWS audio fault	GPWS FAIL*	None	"GPWS System Failure"	EDR, ECR, NCR, FIT, GSD

<sup>\*</sup> VCO alerts are not issued if both TAWS and GPWS systems have failed or are not available

#### Table 6-22 TAWS-A Abnormal Status Alerts

If the aircraft bank angle exceeds 30°, TAWS-A will disable ECR alerts. ECR alert availability returns when the bank angle is reduced for at least eight seconds.

t GSD alert will be available if a valid ILS is being used for navigation, even in no valid GPS signal is being received.



# **6.8 TRAFFIC INFORMATION SERVICE (TIS)**



**WARNING:** Do not rely solely upon the display of traffic information to accurately depict all of the traffic information within range of the aircraft. Due to lack of equipment, poor signal reception, and/or inaccurate information from other aircraft, traffic may be present but not represented on the displays.



**NOTE:** TIS is available only when the aircraft is within the service volume of a TIS-capable terminal radar site. Aircraft without an operating transponder are invisible to Traffic Advisory Systems (TAS), Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance Systems (TCAS), and to TIS. Aircraft without altitude reporting capability are shown without altitude separation data or climb descent indication.



**NOTE:** TIS is disabled if another traffic system is installed.

Traffic Information Service (TIS) is designed to help in detection and avoidance of other aircraft. TIS uses the Mode S transponder for the traffic data link. TIS receives traffic information from ground stations, and is updated every five seconds. The system displays up to eight traffic targets within a 7.5-nm radius, from 3000 feet below to 3500 feet above the requesting aircraft. The system displays traffic using the symbology shown in Table 6-23.

Traffic Symbol	Description
<b></b>	Non-Threat Traffic
	Traffic Advisory (TA)
	Traffic Advisory Off Scale

Table 6-23 TIS Traffic Symbols

Traffic Advisories (TA) alert the crew to intruding aircraft. When traffic meets the advisory criteria for the TA, a solid yellow circle symbol is generated. A TA which is detected but is outside the range of the map on which traffic is displayed are indicated with a message in the lower left corner of the map.

TIS also provides a vector line showing the direction in which the traffic is moving, to the nearest 45°. Traffic information for which TIS is unable to determine the bearing (non-bearing traffic) is displayed in the center of the Traffic Map Page (Figure 6-163) or in a banner at the lower left corner of maps other than the Traffic Map Page on which traffic can be displayed (Figure 6-159).

The altitude difference between the requesting aircraft and other intruder aircraft is displayed above/below the traffic symbol in hundreds of feet. If the other aircraft is above the requesting aircraft, the altitude separation appears above the traffic symbol; if below, the altitude separation appears below. Altitude trend is displayed as an up/down arrow (for speeds greater than 500 fpm in either direction) to the right of the target symbol. Traffic symbols for aircraft without altitude reporting capability appear without altitude separation or climb/descent information.



## **DISPLAYING TRAFFIC DATA**

The Map - Traffic Map Page is the principal map page for viewing TIS traffic information. Traffic information can also be displayed on the following maps (when TIS is operating) as an additional reference to the Traffic Map Page.

- PFD Inset Map
- Navigation Map Page
- Trip Planning Page

- Nearest Pages
- Active Flight Plan Page

Traffic information is also displayed on the PFD when the Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT) option is installed and enabled. See the Additional Features Section for details.

## Displaying traffic information (maps other than the Traffic Map Page):

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map.

When traffic is selected on maps other than the Traffic Map Page, an icon is shown to indicate the feature is enabled for display.



Figure 6-159 TIS Traffic on the Navigation Map Page

#### Displaying traffic information (PFD Inset Map):

- 1) Select the **INSET** Softkey.
- **2)** Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey to display traffic data on the inset map (TRFC-1).
- **3)** Select the softkey again to display the traffic-only inset (TRFC-2).
- **4)** Select the softkey again to remove traffic data.

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The Navigation Map Page Setup Menu provides a means in addition to the softkey for enabling/disabling display of traffic. The setup menu also controls the map range settings above which traffic data (symbols and labels) are decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the map range setting is selected, the data is removed from the map. Maps besides the Traffic Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

## **Customizing traffic display on the Navigation Map Page:**

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- 2) Press the MENU Key.
- **3)** With 'Map Setup' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-160).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the 'Traffic' Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-161).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through product selections (Figure 6-162).
  - TRAFFIC Turns the display of traffic data on or off
  - TRAFFIC MODE Selects the traffic mode for display; select from:
    - All Traffic Displays all traffic
    - TA ONLY Displays Traffic Alerts only
  - TRAFFIC SMBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic symbols are shown
  - TRAFFIC LBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic labels are shown (with the option to turn off)
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options for each product (ON/OFF, range settings, etc.).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page with the changed settings.



Figure 6-160 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-161 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



MAP SETUP

Figure 6-162 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Traffic Group



## TRAFFIC MAP PAGE

The Traffic Map Page is specialized to show surrounding TIS traffic data in relation to the aircraft's current position and altitude, without clutter from the basemap. Aircraft orientation on this map is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 12 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

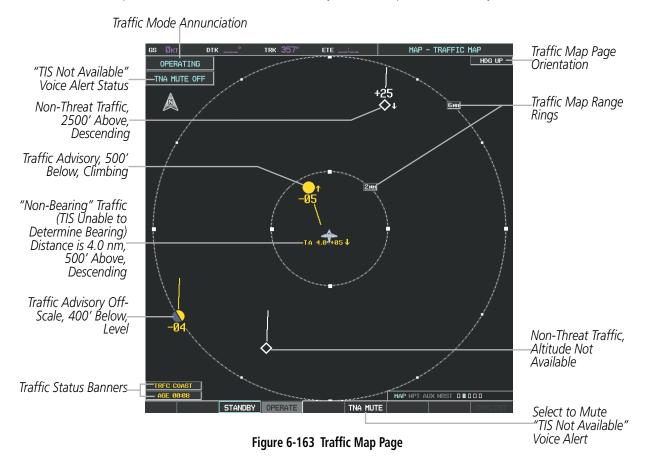
The traffic mode is annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page. When the aircraft is on the ground, TIS automatically enters Standby Mode. Once the aircraft is airborne, TIS switches from Standby to Operating Mode and the system begins to display traffic information. Refer to the System Status discussion for more information.

## Displaying traffic on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Confirm TIS is in Operating Mode: Select the OPERATE Softkey to begin displaying traffic.

Or:

- a) Press the MENU Key.
- **b)** Select 'Operate Mode' (shown if TIS is in Standby Mode) and press the **ENT** Key.





### **TIS ALERTS**

When the number of TAs detected increases from one scan to the next, the following occur:

- A single "Traffic" voice alert is generated.
- A 'TRAFFIC' Annunciation appears to the top left of the Attitude Indicator on the PFD, flashes for five seconds and remaining displayed until no TAs are detected in the area.
- The PFD Inset Map is automatically displayed with traffic.

To reduce the number of nuisance alerts due to proximate aircraft, the "**Traffic**" voice alert is generated only when the number of TAs increases. For example, when the first TA is displayed, a visual annunciation are generated. As long as a single TA remains on the display, no additional voice alerts are generated. If a second TA appears on the display or if the number of TAs initially decreases and then subsequently increases, another voice alert is generated.



Figure 6-164 Traffic Annunciation (PFD)

A "TIS Not Available" (TNA) voice alert is generated when the TIS service becomes unavailable or is out of range. TIS may be unavailable in the radar coverage area due to the following:

- Radar site TIS Mode S sensor is not operational or is out of service
- Traffic or requesting aircraft is beyond the maximum range of the TIS-capable Mode S radar site.
- Traffic or requesting aircraft is above the radar site in the cone of silence and out of range of an adjacent site.
- Traffic or requesting aircraft is below radar coverage. In flat terrain, the coverage extends from about 3000 feet upward at 55 miles. Terrain and obstacles around the radar site can further decrease radar coverage in all directions.
- Traffic does not have an operating transponder.

The "TIS Not Available" (TNA) voice alert can be manually muted to reduce nuisance alerting. TNA muting status is shown in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.



## Muting the "TIS Not Available" voice alert:

- 1) Select the Traffic Map Page.
- 2) Select the **TNA MUTE** Softkey. The status is displayed in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page. Or:
- a) Press the **MENU** Key.
- b) Select "Not Available" Mute On' (shown if TNA muting is currently off) and press the ENT Key.

# **SYSTEM STATUS**

The G1000 performs an automatic test of TIS during power-up. If TIS passes the test, TIS enters Standby Mode (on the ground) or Operating Mode (in the air). If TIS fails the power up test, an annunciation is shown in the center of the Traffic Map Page.

Traffic Map Page Annunciation	Description	
NO DATA	Data is not being received from the transponder*	
DATA FAILED	Data is being received from the transponder, but a failure is detected in the data stream*	
<b>FAILED</b> The transponder has failed*		
UNAVAILABLE	TIS is unavailable or out of range	

Table 6-24 TIS Failure Annunciations

System Test Failed Status TNA MUTE OFF

Data Not Received from Transponder STANDBY OPERATE

Figure 6-165 TIS Power-up Test Failure

<sup>\*</sup> Contact a service center or Garmin dealer for corrective action



The traffic mode is annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page. When the aircraft is on the ground, TIS automatically enters Standby Mode. If traffic is selected for display on another map while Standby Mode is selected, the traffic display enabled icon is crossed out (also the case whenever TIS has failed). Once the aircraft is airborne, TIS switches to Operating Mode and traffic information is displayed. The mode can be changed manually using softkeys or the page menu.

Mode	Traffic Mode Annunciation (Traffic Map Page)	Traffic Display Status Icon (Other Maps)
TIS Operating	OPERATING	
TIS Standby	<b>STANDBY</b> (also shown in white in center of page)	<b>※</b>
TIS Failed*	FAIL	<b>※</b>

<sup>\*</sup> See Table 6-26 for additional failure annunciations

Table 6-25 TIS Modes

## Switching between TIS modes:

- 1) Select the Traffic Map Page.
- 2) Select the **STANDBY** or **OPERATE** Softkey to switch between modes. The mode is displayed in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **b)** Select 'Operate Mode' or 'Standby Mode' (choice dependent on current state) and press the **ENT** Key. The annunciations to indicate the status of traffic information appear in a banner at the lower left corner of maps on which traffic can be displayed (Table 6-26).



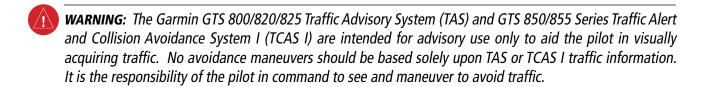
Traffic Status Banner Annunciation	Description
TA OFF SCALE	A Traffic Advisory is outside the selected display range* Annunciation is removed when traffic comes within the selected display range
<b>TA X.X ± XX </b>	System cannot determine bearing of Traffic Advisory** Annunciation indicates distance in nm, altitude separation in hundreds of feet, and altitude trend arrow (climbing/descending)
AGE MM:SS	Appears if traffic data is not refreshed within 6 seconds If after another 6 seconds data is not received, traffic is removed from the display The quality of displayed traffic information is reduced as the age increases
TRFC COAST	The displayed data is not current (6 to 12 seconds since last message) The quality of displayed traffic information is reduced when this message is displayed
TRFC RMVD	Traffic is removed because it is too old for coasting (12 to 60 seconds since last message) Traffic may exist within the selected display range, but it is not displayed
TRFC FAIL	Traffic data has failed
NO TRFC DATA	Traffic has not been detected
TRFC UNAVAIL	The traffic service is unavailable or out of range

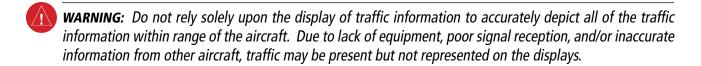
<sup>\*</sup>Shown as symbol on Traffic Map Page \*\*Shown in center of Traffic Map Page

**Table 6-26 TIS Traffic Status Annunciations** 



# 6.9 GARMIN GTS 800 SERIES TRAFFIC







This section covers the optional Garmin GTS 800/820/825 Traffic Advisory System (TAS) and Garmin GTS 850/855 Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance I System (TCAS I). Differences in these traffic systems, when applicable, are also discussed in this section.

The Garmin GTS traffic system enhances flight crew situational awareness by displaying traffic information for transponder-equipped aircraft. The system also provides visual annunciations and a voice traffic alerts to assist the flight crew with efforts to visually acquire traffic.

The system is capable of tracking up to 45 intruding aircraft equipped with Mode A or C transponders, and up to 30 intruders equipped with Mode S transponders. A maximum of 30 aircraft with the highest threat potential can be displayed simultaneously. No traffic surveillance is provided for aircraft without operating transponders.

#### THEORY OF OPERATION

When the traffic system is in Operating Mode, the unit interrogates the transponders of intruding aircraft while monitoring transponder replies. The system uses this information to derive the distance, relative bearing, and if reported, the altitude and vertical trend for each aircraft within its surveillance range. The traffic system then calculates a closure rate to each intruder based on the projected Closest Point of Approach (CPA). If the closure rate meets the threat criteria for a Traffic Advisory (TA), the traffic system provides visual annunciations and voice alerts.

## TAS SURVEILLANCE VOLUME

The traffic surveillance system monitors the airspace within ±10,000 feet of own altitude, and up to 22 nm in the forward direction (GTS 800/820/825) or up to 40 nm in the forward direction (GTS 850/855). Range is somewhat reduced to the sides and aft of own aircraft due to the directional interrogation signal patterns. In areas of greater transponder traffic density or when Traffic Alert and Collision and Alerting Systems II (TCAS II) systems are detected, the system automatically reduces its interrogation transmitter power (and therefore range) in order to limit potential interference from other signals.

When the traffic system is paired with the optional GTX 33 ES (extended squitter) transponder, the traffic system uses Automatic Dependent Surveillance - Broadcast (ADS-B) position reports from participating aircraft to enhance the positional accuracy of traffic displayed within the TAS or TCAS I surveillance range.





**NOTE:** Do not confuse this functionality with full ADS-B capability, which can provide traffic information from ADS-B Ground-Based Transceivers (GBTs) and ADS-B traffic outside of the TAS surveillance volume. This system is limited to displaying ADS-B information from suitably equipped airborne aircraft within the TAS/TCAS I surveillance volume.

#### TRAFFIC DISPLAY SYMBOLOGY

The traffic system uses symbology to depict intruding traffic on the displays using the symbols shown in Tables 6-27 and 6-28.

Traffic Symbol	Description
<b></b>	Non-Threat Traffic
$\Diamond$	Proximity Advisory (PA)
	Traffic Advisory (TA)
	Traffic Advisory Off Scale

**Table 6-27 Traffic Symbol Description** 

Traffic Symbol	Description
	Traffic Advisory with ADS-B directional information. Points in the direction of the intruder aircraft track.
$\triangleright$	Proximity Advisory with ADS-B directional information. Points in the direction of the aircraft track.
	Non-threat traffic with ADS-B directional information. Points in the direction of the intruder aircraft track.
$\sum$	Traffic with ADS-B directional information, but positional accuracy is degraded. Points in the direction of the aircraft track.

Table 6-28 Traffic with ADS-B Symbology

A Traffic Advisory (TA), displayed as a yellow circle or triangle, alerts the crew to a potentially hazardous intruding aircraft, if the closing rate, distance, and vertical separation meet TA criteria. A Traffic Advisory that is beyond the selected display range (off scale) is indicated by a half TA symbol at the edge of the screen at the relative bearing of the intruder.

A Proximity Advisory (PA), displayed as a solid white diamond or triangle, indicates the intruding aircraft is within ±1200 feet and is within a 6 nm range, but is still not considered a TA threat.

A Non-threat Advisory, shown as an open white diamond or triangle, is displayed for traffic beyond 6 nm that is neither a TA or PA.

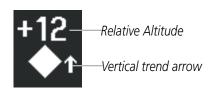


A solid white rounded arrow indicates either a PA or Non-Threat traffic with ADS-B directional information, but the position of the traffic is shown with degraded accuracy.

Relative altitude, when available, is displayed above or below the corresponding intruder symbol in hundreds of feet (Figures 6-166, 6-167). When this altitude is above own aircraft, it is preceded by a '+' symbol; a minus sign '-' indicates traffic is below own aircraft.

The system displays the altitude vertical trend as an up/down arrow (for speeds greater than 500 fpm in either direction) to the right of the intruder symbol (Figures 6-166, 6-167).

If the intruding aircraft is providing ADS-B track information, this is displayed as a vector line extending beyond the traffic symbol in the direction of the track (Figure 6-167).



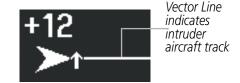


Figure 6-166 Intruder Altitude and Vertical Trend Arrow

Figure 6-167 Intruder Traffic with ADS-B Directional Information and Track

The traffic system automatically suppresses the display of altitude-reporting aircraft on the ground under either of the following conditions:

- On-ground aircraft is equipped with a Mode S transponder.
- On-ground aircraft is equipped with a Mode C transponder, and own aircraft's radar altimeter (if installed) is displaying 1700' AGL or less.



#### TA ALERTING CONDITIONS

The traffic system automatically adjusts its TA sensitivity level to reduce the likelihood of nuisance TA alerting during flight phases likely to be near airports. Level A (less) TA sensitivity is used when the aircraft's landing gear is extended, or when the radar altimeter (if equipped) indicates own aircraft is below 2000' AGL. In all other conditions, Level B (greater) TA sensitivity is used to assess TA threats.

Sensitivity Level	Intruder Altitude Available	TA Alerting Conditions
А	Yes	Intruder closing rate provides less than 20 seconds of vertical and horizontal separation.  Or: Intruder closing rate provides less than 20 seconds of horizontal separation and vertical separation is within 600 feet.  Or: Intruder range is within 0.2 nm and vertical separation is within 600 feet.
А	No	Intruder closing rate provides less than 15 seconds of separation.
В	Yes	Intruder closing rate provides less than 30 seconds of vertical and horizontal separation.  Or: Intruder closing rate provides less than 30 seconds of horizontal separation and vertical separation is within 800 feet.  Or: Intruder range is within 0.55 nm and vertical separation is within 800 feet.
В	No	Intruder range is less than 20 seconds.

Table 6-29 TA Sensitivity Level and TA Alerting Criteria

#### TRAFFIC ALERTS

When the traffic system detects a new TA, the following occur:

- A single "*Traffic!*" voice alert is generated, followed by additional voice information about the bearing, relative altitude, and approximate distance from the intruder that triggered the TA (Table 6-30). The voice alert, "*Traffic!* 12 o'clock, high, four miles," indicates the traffic is in front of own aircraft, above own altitude, and approximately four nautical miles away.
- A 'TRAFFIC' Annunciation appears at the top right of the airspeed on the PFD, flashes for five seconds, and remains displayed until no TAs are detected in the area (Figure 6-168).
- The PFD Inset Map is automatically displayed with TA traffic.

If the bearing of TA traffic cannot be determined (Figures 6-170 and 6-173), a yellow text banner will be displayed in the center of the Traffic Map Page and in the lower-left of the PFD inset map instead of a TA symbol. The text will indicate "TA" followed by the distance, relative altitude, and vertical trend arrow for the TA traffic, if known.



A TA will be displayed for at least eight seconds, even if the condition(s) that initially triggered the TA are no longer present.



Figure 6-168 Traffic Annunciation (PFD)

Bearing	Relative Altitude	Distance (nm)
"One o'clock" through "Twelve o'clock" or "No Bearing"	"High", "Low", "Same Altitude" (if within 200 feet of own altitude), or "Altitude not available"	"Less than one mile", "One Mile" through "Ten Miles", or "More than ten miles"

**Table 6-30 TA Descriptive Voice Announcements** 

# **SYSTEM TEST**



**NOTE:** Traffic surveillance is not available during the system test. Use caution when performing a system test during flight.

The traffic system provides a system test mode to verify the system is operating normally. The test takes ten seconds to complete. When the system test is initiated, a test pattern of traffic symbols is displayed on the Traffic Map Page (Figure 6-169). The system issues a voice alert when the test is complete.

Traffic System	Voice Alert	
GTS 800/820/825 (TAS)	"TAS System Test Passed."	
G13 600/620/623 (1A3)	"TAS System Test Failed."	
GTS 850 (TCAS I)	"TCAS System Test Passed."	
013 030 (TCA3 I)	"TCAS System Test Failed."	
GTS 855 (TCAS I)	"TCAS One System Test Passed."	
( 2 ,	"TCAS One System Test Failed."	

**Table 6-31 System Test Voice Alerts** 



When the system test is complete, the traffic system enters Standby Mode.

## Testing the traffic system:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Turn the **Range** knob to set the range to 2/6 nm to allow for full traffic test pattern display.
- **4)** Select the **TEST** Softkey.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key and turn the small **FMS** knob to select 'Test Mode'.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.

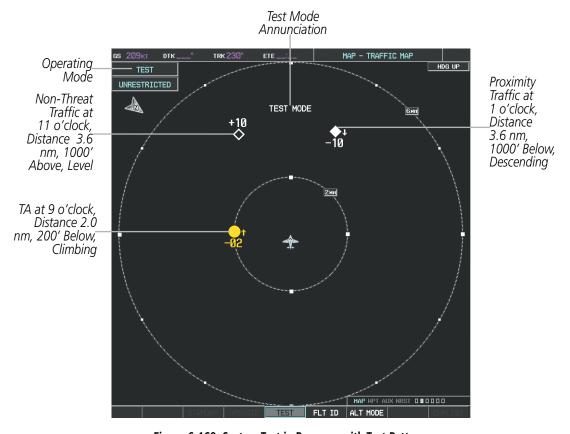


Figure 6-169 System Test in Progress with Test Pattern

## **OPERATION**



**NOTE:** The traffic system automatically transitions from **STANDBY** to **OPERATE** mode eight seconds after takeoff. The system also automatically transitions from **OPERATE** to **STANDBY** mode 24 seconds after landing.

After power-up, the traffic system is in Standby Mode. The system must be in Operating Mode for traffic to be displayed and for TAs to be issued.



Selecting the **OPERATE** Softkey allows the system to switch from Standby Mode to Operating Mode as necessary. Selecting the **STANDBY** Softkey causes the system to enter Standby Mode.

## Switching from operating mode to standby mode:

On the Traffic Page, select the **STANDBY** Softkey

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key and turn the small **FMS** knob to select 'Standby Mode'.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.

## Switching from standby mode to operating mode:

On the Traffic Map Page, select the **OPERATE** Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key and turn the small **FMS** knob to select 'Operate Mode'.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key. The traffic system switches from Standby Mode to Operating Mode as necessary.

#### TRAFFIC MAP PAGE

The Map - Traffic Map Page shows surrounding traffic data in relation to the aircraft's current position and altitude, without basemap clutter. It is the principal map page for viewing traffic information. Aircraft orientation is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob (up to 12 nm for the GTS 800, and up to 40 nm for the GTS 820/825/855), as indicated by the map range rings.

The traffic mode and altitude display mode are annunciated in the upper left corner of the page.



Figure 6-170 Traffic Map Page



## Displaying traffic on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Select the **OPERATE** Softkey to begin displaying traffic. OPERATING is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- **4)** Select the **STANDBY** Softkey to place the system in the Standby mode. STANDBY is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- 5) Turn the **RANGE** Knob clockwise to display a larger area or counter-clockwise to display a smaller area.

#### ALTITUDE DISPLAY

The pilot can select the volume of airspace in which non-threat and proximity traffic is displayed. TAs occurring outside of these limits will always be shown.

## Changing the altitude range:

- 1) On the Traffic Map Page, select the **ALT MODE** Softkey.
- **2)** Select one of the following Softkeys:
  - **ABOVE:** Displays non-threat and proximity traffic from 9000 feet above the aircraft to 2700 feet below the aircraft. Typically used during climb phase of flight.
  - **NORMAL:** Displays non-threat and proximity traffic from 2700 feet above the aircraft to 2700 feet below the aircraft. Typically used during enroute phase of flight.
  - **BELOW:** Displays non-threat and proximity traffic from 2700 feet above the aircraft to 9000 feet below the aircraft. Typically used during descent phase of flight.
  - **UNREST** (unrestricted): All traffic is displayed from 9900 feet above and 9900 feet below the aircraft.
- **3)** To return to the Traffic Page, select the **BACK** Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select one of the following (see softkey description in step 2 above):
  - ABOVE
  - NORMAL
  - BELOW
  - UNRESTRICTED
- **3)** Select the **ENT** Softkey.



# FLIGHT ID DISPLAY

The Flight IDs of other aircraft (when available) can be enabled for display on the Traffic Map Page (Figure 6-171). When a flight ID is received, it will appear above or below the corresponding traffic symbol on the Traffic Map Page when this option is enabled.

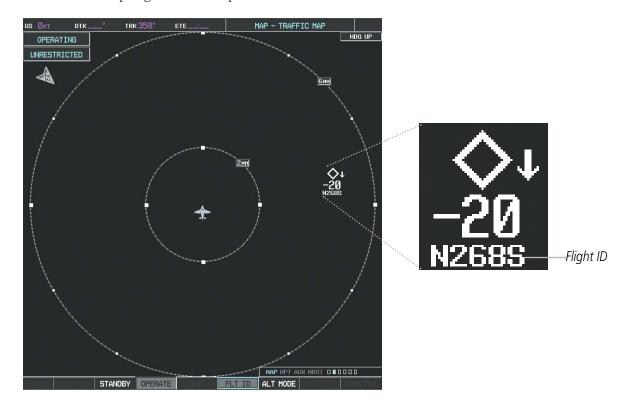


Figure 6-171 Traffic Map Page with Flight IDs Enabled

## **Enabling/Disabling Flight ID Display:**

On the Traffic Map Page, select the FLT ID Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'Show Flight IDs' or 'Hide Flight IDs' (choice dependent on current state) (Figure 6-172).
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.





Figure 6-172 Traffic Map Page Menu

## TRAFFIC MAP PAGE DISPLAY RANGE

The display range on the Traffic Map Page can be changed at any time. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 40 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

# Changing the display range on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the **RANGE** Knob.
- **2)** The following range options are available:
  - 2 nm
  - 2 and 6 nm
  - 6 and 12 nm
  - 12 and 24 nm (GTS 820/825/850/855 only)
  - 24 and 40 nm (GTS 820/825/850/855 only)

#### ADDITIONAL TRAFFIC DISPLAYS

Traffic information can be displayed on the following maps on the MFD when the unit is operating:

- Navigation Map Page
- Traffic Map Page
- Trip Planning Page

- Nearest Pages
- Active Flight Plan Page

Traffic information can also be displayed on the PFD when the Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT) option is installed and enabled. See the Additional Features Section for details.

## Displaying traffic information (MFD maps other than the Traffic Map Page):

- 1) Select the **MAP** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map.



When traffic is selected on maps other than the Traffic Map Page, a traffic icon is shown to indicate traffic is enabled for display (Figure 6-173).

# Displaying traffic on the Navigation Map

- 1) Ensure the traffic system is operating. With the Navigation Map displayed, select the **MAP** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map as shown in the figure.

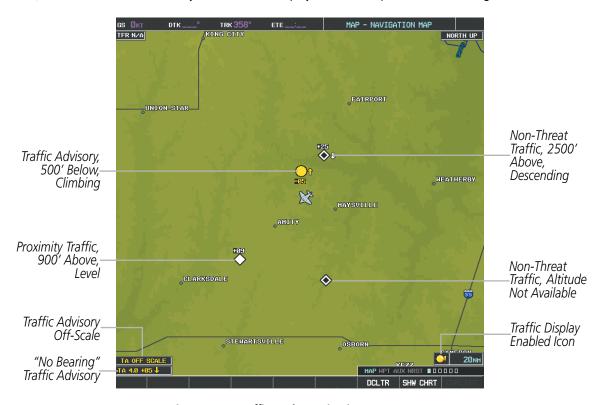


Figure 6-173 Traffic on the Navigation Map Page

# Customizing the traffic display on the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-174).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-175).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through the selections (Figure 6-176).
  - TRAFFIC Turns the display of traffic data on or off
  - TRAFFIC MODE Selects the traffic mode for display; select from:
    - All Traffic Displays all traffic
    - TA/PA Displays Traffic Advisories and Proximity Advisories
    - TA ONLY Displays Traffic Advisories only



- TRAFFIC SMBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic symbols are shown
- TRAFFIC LBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic labels are shown with the option to turn off
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (ON/OFF, range settings, etc.).
- 7) Press the ENT Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page.



Figure 6-174 Navigation Map Page Menu





Figure 6-175 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu

Figure 6-176 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Traffic Group

The Navigation Map Page Setup Menu also controls the display of traffic. The setup menu controls the map range settings. Traffic data symbols and labels can be decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the map range setting is selected, the data is removed from the map. Maps besides the Traffic Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

Traffic information can also be displayed on the PFD Inset Map by pressing the **INSET** Softkey. A traffic map will appear in heading up orientation. Traffic information can also be overlaid with navigation, topographic and optional datalink weather information.

# **Displaying traffic information (PFD Inset Map):**

- **1)** Select the **INSET** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey to display traffic data on the inset map (TRFC-1).
- **3)** Select the softkey again to display the traffic-only inset (TRFC-2).
- **4)** Select the softkey again to remove traffic data.



### **SYSTEM STATUS**

The traffic mode is annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.

Mode	Traffic Mode Annunciation (Traffic Map Page)	Traffic Display Status Icon (Other Maps)
Traffic System Test Initiated	<b>TEST</b> (also shown in white in center of page)	×
Operating	OPERATING	ot .
Standby	<b>STANDBY</b> (also shown in white in center of page)	×
Traffic System Failed*	FAIL	×

<sup>\*</sup> See Table 6-33 for additional failure annunciations

Table 6-32 Traffic Modes

If the traffic unit fails, an annunciation as to the cause of the failure is shown in the center of the Traffic Map Page. During a failure condition, the Operating Mode cannot be selected.

Traffic Map Page Annunciation	Description	
NO DATA	Data is not being received from the traffic unit	
DATA FAILED	Data is being received from the traffic unit, but the unit is self-reporting a failure	
FAILED	Incorrect data format received from the traffic unit	

**Table 6-33 Traffic Failure Annunciations** 

The annunciations to indicate the status of traffic information appear in a banner at the lower left corner of maps on which traffic can be displayed.

Traffic Status Banner Annunciation	Description	
TA OFF SCALE	A Traffic Advisory is outside the selected display range*.  Annunciation is removed when traffic comes within the selected display range.	
<b>TA X.X ± XX </b>	System cannot determine bearing of Traffic Advisory**.  Annunciation indicates distance in nm, altitude separation in hundreds of feet, and altitude trend arrow (climbing/descending).	
TRFC FAIL	Traffic unit has failed (unit is self-reporting a failure or sending incorrectly formatted data)	
NO TRFC DATA	Data is not being received from the traffic unit	

<sup>\*</sup>Shown as symbol on Traffic Map Page \*\*Shown in center of Traffic Map Page



# 6.10 L-3 SKYWATCH TRAFFIC



**WARNING:** Do not rely solely upon the display of traffic information to accurately depict all of the traffic information within range of the aircraft. Due to lack of equipment, poor signal reception, and/or inaccurate information from other aircraft, traffic may be present but not represented on the displays.



**NOTE:** TIS is disabled when a TAS or Traffic Collision Avoidance System (TCAS) is installed.



**NOTE:** Refer to the SKYWATCH® (SKY497/SKY899) Pilot's Guide for a detailed discussion of the TAS.

### TAS SYMBOLOGY

The optional Traffic Advisory System (TAS) is designed to help in detection and avoidance of other aircraft. TAS uses an on-board interrogator-processor and an altitude reporting transponder for the air-to-air traffic data link. Traffic is displayed using the symbology shown in Table 6-35.

Traffic Symbol	Description
<b></b>	Non-Threat Traffic
$\Diamond$	Proximity Advisory (PA)
	Traffic Advisory (TA)
	Traffic Advisory Off Scale

Table 6-35 Traffic Symbol Description

A Non-threat Advisory, shown as an open white diamond, indicates that an intruding aircraft is at greater than ±1200 feet relative altitude or the distance is beyond 5 nm.

A Proximity Advisory indicates that the intruding aircraft is within ±1200 feet and is within 5 nm range, but is still not considered a threat.

A Traffic Advisory (TA) alerts the crew to a potentially hazardous intruding aircraft. Closing rate, distance, and vertical separation meet TA criteria. A Traffic Advisory that is beyond the selected display range is indicated by a half TA symbol at the edge of the screen at the relative bearing of the intruder.



### **OPERATION**

The unit must be in operating mode for traffic to be displayed. The ability to switch from standby to operating mode on the ground is especially useful for scanning the airspace around the airport before takeoff.

### Switching from standby mode to operating mode:

- 1) On the Traffic Page, select the **OPERATE** Softkey or press the **MENU** Key and turn the small **FMS** knob to select Operating Mode.
- 2) If using the FMS menu, press the **ENT** Key to place the TAS in the operating mode.
- **3)** To switch to Standby Mode from the Traffic Page, select the **STANDBY** Softkey.

# **System Test:**

- 1) Set the range to 2/6 nm to allow for full test pattern display.
- 2) Select the **STANDBY** Softkey.
- 3) Select the **TEST** Softkey. 'TEST MODE' is annunciated on the MFD.
- **4)** Self test takes approximately eight seconds to complete. When completed successfully, traffic symbols display and a voice alert is heard to indicate the system test passed.

### DISPLAYING TRAFFIC DATA

Traffic information can be displayed on the following maps when the unit is operating:

- PFD Inset Map
- Navigation Map Page
- Traffic Map Page

- Trip Planning Page
- Active Flight Plan Page
- Nearest Pages

Traffic information can also be displayed on the PFDs when the Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT) option is installed and enabled. See the Additional Features Section for details.

# Displaying traffic on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Select the **OPERATE** Softkey to begin displaying traffic. OPERATING is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- **4)** Select the **ALT MODE** Softkey to change the altitude volume.
- 5) Select the **STANDBY** Softkey to place the system in the Standby mode. STANDBY is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- **6)** Turn the **RANGE** Knob clockwise to display a larger area or counter-clockwise to display a smaller area.



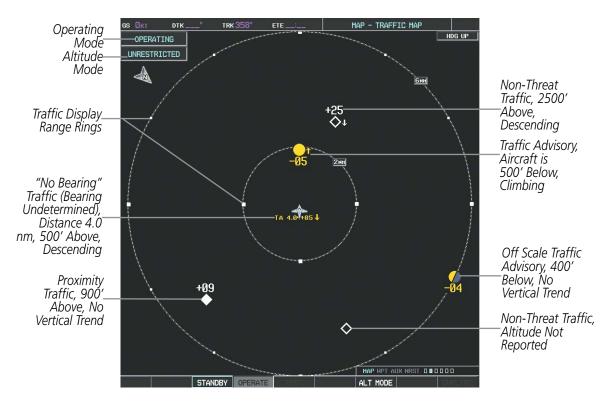


Figure 6-177 Traffic Map Page

The Map - Traffic Map Page shows surrounding TAS traffic data in relation to the aircraft's current position and altitude, without basemap clutter. It is the principal map page for viewing traffic information. Aircraft orientation is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob, as indicated by the map range rings.

The traffic mode and altitude display mode are annunciated in the upper left corner.

# Displaying traffic information (maps other than the Traffic Map Page):

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map.

When traffic is selected on maps other than the Traffic Map Page, a traffic icon is shown to indicate TAS is enabled for display.



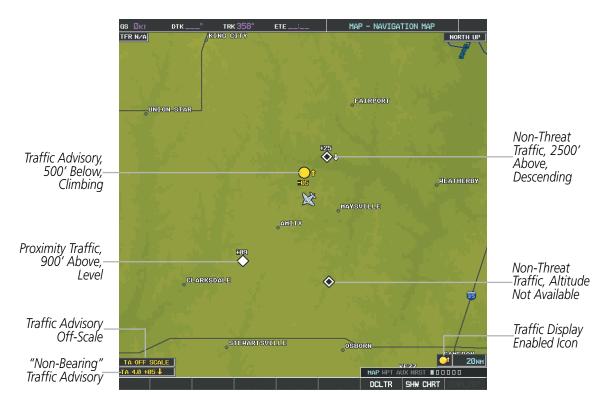


Figure 6-178 TAS Traffic on the Navigation Map Page

# Displaying traffic information (PFD Inset Map):

- 1) Select the **INSET** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey to display traffic data on the inset map (TRFC-1).
- **3)** Select the softkey again to display the traffic-only inset (TRFC-2).
- **4)** Select the softkey again to remove traffic data.

The Navigation Map Page Setup Menu also controls the display of traffic. The setup menu controls the map range settings. Traffic data symbols and labels can be decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the map range setting is selected, the data is removed from the map. Maps besides the Traffic Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.



### **ALTITUDE DISPLAY**

## Changing the altitude display mode:

- 1) On the Traffic Page, select the **ALT MODE** Softkey.
- **2)** Select one of the following Softkeys:
  - BELOW
  - NORMAL
  - ABOVE
  - UNREST (unrestricted)
- **3)** To return to the Traffic Page, select the **BACK** Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select one of the following:
  - BELOW
  - NORMAL
  - ABOVE
  - UNREST (unrestricted)
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Softkey.

# TRAFFIC MAP PAGE DISPLAY RANGE

The display range on the Traffic Map Page can be changed at any time. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 40 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

# Changing the display range on the Traffic Page:

- 1) Turn the **RANGE** Knob.
- **2)** The following range options are available:
  - 2 nm
  - 2 and 6 nm
  - 6 and 12 nm
  - 12 and 24 nm\*
  - 24 and 40 nm\*

<sup>\*</sup> Range available only on the SKY899 TAS.



# Customizing the traffic display on the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- 2) Press the MENU Key.
- **3)** With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-179).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-180).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through the selections (Figure 6-181).
  - TRAFFIC Turns the display of traffic data on or off
  - TRAFFIC MODE Selects the traffic mode for display; select from:
    - All Traffic Displays all traffic
    - TA/PA Displays Traffic Alerts and Proximity Advisories
    - TA ONLY Displays Traffic Alerts only
  - TRAFFIC SMBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic symbols are shown
  - TRAFFIC LBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic labels are shown with the option to turn off
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (ON/OFF, range settings, etc.).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- 8) Press the FMS Knob or CLR Key to return to the Navigation Map Page.



Figure 6-179 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-180 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



Figure 6-181 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Traffic Group



# TAS ALERTS



**NOTE:** Refer to the TAS documentation for information on alerts generated by the TAS equipment.

When the number of TAs on the Traffic Map Page increases from one scan to the next, the following occur:

- A "Traffic, Traffic" voice alert is generated.
- A TRAFFIC Annunciation appears at the top right of the airspeed on the PFD, flashing for 5 seconds and remaining displayed until no TAs are detected in the area.
- The PFD Inset Map is automatically displayed with TA traffic



Figure 6-182 Traffic Annunciation (PFD)

# **SYSTEM STATUS**

The traffic mode is annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.

Mode	Traffic Mode Annunciation (Traffic Map Page)	Traffic Display Status Icon (Other Maps)
TAS Self-test Initiated	<b>TEST</b> ('TEST MODE' also shown in white on top center of page)	×
TAS Operating	OPERATING	<b>○</b> t
TAS Standby	<b>STANDBY</b> (also shown in white in center of page)	×
TAS Failed*	FAIL	×

<sup>\*</sup> See Table 6-37 for additional failure annunciations

Table 6-36 TAS Modes



If the unit fails, an annunciation as to the cause of the failure is shown in the center of the Traffic Map Page.

Traffic Map Page Annunciation	Description
NO DATA	Data is not being received from the TAS unit
DATA FAILED	Data is being received from the TAS unit, but the unit is self-reporting a failure
FAILED	Incorrect data format received from the TAS unit

**Table 6-37 TAS Failure Annunciations** 

The annunciations to indicate the status of traffic information appear in a banner at the lower left corner of maps on which traffic can be displayed.

Traffic Status Banner Annunciation	Description	
TA OFF SCALE	A Traffic Advisory is outside the selected display range* Annunciation is removed when traffic comes within the selected display range	
<b>TA X.X ± XX </b>	System cannot determine bearing of Traffic Advisory** Annunciation indicates distance in nm, altitude separation in hundreds of feet, and altitude trend arrow (climbing/descending)	
TRFC FAIL	TAS unit has failed (unit is self-reporting a failure or sending incorrectly formatted data)	
NO TRFC DATA	Data is not being received from the TAS unit	

<sup>\*</sup>Shown as symbol on Traffic Map Page \*\*Shown in center of Traffic Map Page

**Table 6-38 TAS Traffic Status Annunciations** 



# **6.11 HONEYWELL KTA 870 TRAFFIC**



**WARNING:** Do not rely solely upon the display of traffic information to accurately depict all of the traffic information within range of the aircraft. Due to lack of equipment, poor signal reception, and/or inaccurate information from other aircraft, traffic may be present but not represented on the displays.



**NOTE:** TIS is disabled when a TAS is installed.



**NOTE:** Refer to the Honeywell® KTA 870 Pilot's Guide for a detailed discussion of the KTA 870 TAS.

### TAS SYMBOLOGY

The optional Honeywell KTA 870 Traffic Advisory System (TAS) is designed to help in detection and avoidance of other aircraft. TAS uses an on-board interrogator-processor and the Mode S transponder for the air-to-air traffic data link. Traffic is displayed using four different symbols.

TAS Symbol	Description
<b>*</b>	Non-Threat Traffic
$\Diamond$	Proximity Advisory (PA)
	Traffic Advisory (TA)
	Traffic Advisory Off Scale

Table 6-39 TAS Symbol Description

A Non-threat Advisory, shown as an open white diamond, indicates that an intruding aircraft is at greater than ±1200 feet relative altitude or the distance is beyond 5 nm.

A Proximity Advisory indicates that the intruding aircraft is within ±1200 feet and is within 5 nm range, but is still not considered a threat.

A Traffic Advisory (TA) alerts the crew to a potentially hazardous intruding aircraft. Closing rate, distance, and vertical separation meet TA criteria. A Traffic Advisory that is beyond the selected display range is indicated by a half TA symbol at the edge of the screen at the relative bearing of the intruder.



### **OPERATION**

The KTA 870 must be in Operating Mode for traffic to be displayed. The unit starts in Operating Mode upon power-up.

Selecting the **STANDBY** Softkey forces the unit into Standby Mode. Selecting the **NORMAL** Softkey allows the KTA 870 to switch from Standby Mode to Operating Mode as necessary.

# Switching from operating mode to standby mode:

On the Traffic Page, select the **STANDBY** Softkey

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key and turn the small **FMS** knob to select Standby Mode.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key.

# Switching from standby mode to operating mode:

On the Traffic Page, select the **NORMAL** Softkey

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key and turn the small **FMS** knob to select Normal Mode.
- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key. The KTA 870 switches from Standby Mode to Operating Mode as necessary.

# System Self Test

- 1) Set the range to 2/6 nm to allow for full test pattern display.
- **2)** Select the **TEST** Softkey.
- 3) Self test takes approximately eight seconds to complete. When completed successfully, traffic symbols are displayed and a voice alert "TAS System Test OK" is heard. In the event that the system test fails, the system reverts to Standby Mode and a voice alert "TAS System Test Fail" is heard.

### Displaying traffic on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Select the **NORMAL** Softkey to begin displaying traffic. OPERATING is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- **4)** Select the **ALT MODE** Softkey to change the altitude volume.
- 5) Select the **STANDBY** Softkey to place the system in the Standby mode. STANDBY is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- **6)** Turn the **RANGE** Knob clockwise to display a larger area or counter-clockwise to display a smaller area.



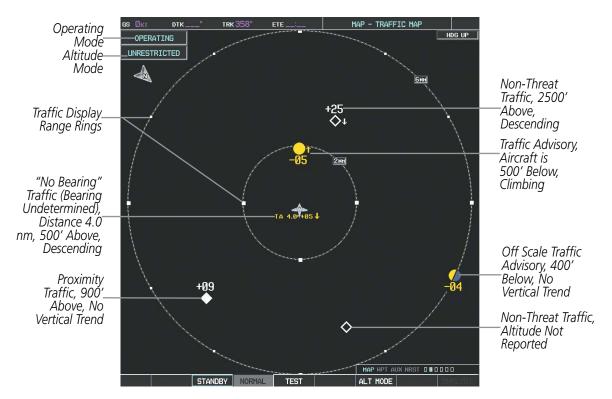


Figure 6-183 Traffic Map Page

The Map - Traffic Map Page shows surrounding TAS traffic data in relation to the aircraft's current position and altitude, without basemap clutter. It is the principal map page for viewing traffic information. Aircraft orientation is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 40 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

The traffic mode and altitude display mode are annunciated in the upper left corner.

#### DISPLAYING TRAFFIC DATA

Traffic information can be displayed on the following maps when the KTA 870 unit is operating:

- PFD Inset Map
- Navigation Map Page
- Traffic Map Page

- Trip Planning Page
- Nearest Pages
- Active Flight Plan Page

# Displaying traffic information (maps other than the Traffic Map Page):

- 1) Select the MAP Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map.

When traffic is selected on maps other than the Traffic Map Page, a traffic icon is shown to indicate the traffic system is enabled for display.



# Displaying traffic on the Navigation Map

- 1) Ensure the TAS system is operating. With the Navigation Map displayed, select the MAP Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map as shown in the figure.



Figure 6-184 TAS Traffic on the Navigation Map Page

# Displaying traffic information (PFD Inset Map):

- 1) Select the **INSET** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey to display traffic data on the inset map (TRFC-1).
- 3) Select the softkey again to display the traffic-only inset (TRFC-2).
- **4)** Select the softkey again to remove traffic data.



### **ALTITUDE DISPLAY**

The flight crew can select the volume of airspace for which traffic is displayed. Traffic Advisories (TAs) outside of these limits will still be shown. Refer to the KTA 870 Pilot's Guide for specific display thresholds.

# Changing the altitude display mode:

- 1) On the Traffic Page, select the **ALT MODE** Softkey.
- 2) Select one of the following Softkeys:
  - BELOW
  - NORMAL
  - ABOVE
  - **UNREST** (unrestricted)
- **3)** To return to the Traffic Page, select the **BACK** Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select one of the following:
  - BELOW
  - NORMAL
  - ABOVE
  - UNREST (unrestricted)
- **3)** Select the **ENT** Softkey.

# TRAFFIC MAP PAGE DISPLAY RANGE

The display range on the Traffic Map Page can be changed at any time. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 40 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

# Changing the display range on the Traffic Page:

- 1) Turn the **RANGE** Knob.
- **2)** The following range options are available:
  - 2 nm
  - 2 and 6 nm
  - 6 and 12 nm
  - 12 and 24 nm
  - 24 and 40 nm



## Customizing the traffic display on the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- **2)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- **3)** With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-185).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-186).
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through the selections (Figure 6-187).
  - TRAFFIC Turns the display of traffic data on or off
  - TRAFFIC MODE Selects the traffic mode for display; select from:
    - All Traffic Displays all traffic
    - TA/PA Displays Traffic Alerts and Proximity Advisories
    - TA ONLY Displays Traffic Alerts only
  - TRAFFIC SMBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic symbols are shown
  - TRAFFIC LBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic labels are shown with the option to turn off
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (ON/OFF, range settings, etc.).
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page.



Figure 6-185 Navigation Map Page Menu



Figure 6-186 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu



Figure 6-187 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Traffic Group



The Navigation Map Page Setup Menu also controls the display of traffic. The setup menu controls the map range settings. Traffic data symbols and labels can be decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the map range setting is selected, the data is removed from the map. Maps besides the Traffic Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

# TAS ALERTS



# **NOTE:** Refer to the KTA 870 documentation for information on alerts generated by the TAS equipment.

When the number of TAs on the Traffic Map Page increases from one scan to the next, the following occur:

- A "Traffic, Traffic" voice alert is generated when the first TA is displayed.
- A TRAFFIC Annunciation appears at the top right of the airspeed on the PFD, flashing for 5 seconds and remaining displayed until no TAs are detected in the area.
- The PFD Inset Map is automatically displayed with TA traffic.
- A single "Traffic" voice alert is generated when the number of TAs increases.



Figure 6-188 Traffic Annunciation (PFD)



# **SYSTEM STATUS**

The traffic mode is annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.

Mode	Traffic Mode Annunciation (Traffic Map Page)	Traffic Display Status Icon (Other Maps)
TAS Self-test Initiated	TEST ('TEST MODE' also shown in white on top center of page)	×
TAS Operating	OPERATING	<u>ot</u>
TAS Standby	<b>STANDBY</b> (also shown in white in center of page)	<b>※</b>
TAS Failed*	FAIL	×

<sup>\*</sup> See Table 6-41 for additional failure annunciations

#### Table 6-40 TAS Modes

If the unit fails, an annunciation as to the cause of the failure is shown in the center of the Traffic Map Page.

Traffic Map Page Annunciation	Description
NO DATA	Data is not being received from the TAS unit
DATA FAILED	Data is being received from the TAS unit, but the unit is self-reporting a failure
FAILED	Incorrect data format received from the TAS unit

Table 6-41 TAS Failure Annunciations

The annunciations to indicate the status of traffic information appear in a banner at the lower left corner of maps on which traffic can be displayed.

Traffic Status Banner Annunciation	Description	
TA OFF SCALE	A Traffic Advisory is outside the selected display range* Annunciation is removed when traffic comes within the selected display range	
<b>TA X.X ± XX </b>	System cannot determine bearing of Traffic Advisory** Annunciation indicates distance in nm, altitude separation in hundreds of feet, and altitude trend arrow (climbing/descending)	
TRFC FAIL	TAS unit has failed (unit is self-reporting a failure or sending incorrectly formatted data)	
NO TRFC DATA	Data is not being received from the TAS unit	

<sup>\*</sup>Shown as symbol on Traffic Map Page \*\*Shown in center of Traffic Map Page



# 6.12 GTS 8000 TCAS II TRAFFIC



**WARNING:** Traffic information shown on system displays is provided as an aid in visually acquiring traffic. Traffic avoidance maneuvers are based upon TCAS II Resolution Advisories, ATC guidance, or positive visual acquisition of conflicting traffic.



**WARNING:** Do not rely solely upon the display of traffic information to accurately depict all of the traffic information within range of the aircraft. Due to lack of equipment, poor signal reception, and/or inaccurate information from other aircraft, traffic may be present but not represented on the displays.



**NOTE:** If the installed TCAS II traffic system is not a Garmin GTS 8000, refer to the applicable documentation for system-specific information.



**NOTE:** TIS is disabled when TCAS II is installed.

A Traffic Alert and Collision Avoidance System II (TCAS II), such as the Garmin GTS 8000, improves flight safety by monitoring the airspace for other aircraft with operating transponders in the vicinity. The TCAS II system provides traffic information to the displays, and if separation from other aircraft is within certain limits, the system issues Traffic Advisories (TAs) to assist the flight crew in the visual acquisition of traffic, or Resolution Advisories (RAs) to provide recommended vertical guidance to resolve a traffic conflict.

# THEORY OF OPERATION

When the TCAS II system is operating in TA/RA or TA Only Mode, the system interrogates the transponders of other aircraft in the vicinity, and monitors for replies from these transponders. Based on successive replies, the system tracks the range, bearing, and if reported, the altitudes of other aircraft. For each detected aircraft transponder, the system calculates the time to, and separation at, the closest point of approach (CPA) around potential collision area surrounding own aircraft. Based on this time, the own aircraft altitude, and the selected TCAS II system mode, the system determines if a TA or RA should be issued for the detected intruder traffic.

Altitude in Feet*	TA Time to CPA in Seconds	RA Time to CPA in Seconds
Up to 1000	20	RA not issued below 1000' AGL
1000-2350	25	15
2350-5000	30	20
5000-10000	40	25
10000-20000	45	30
20000 and above	48	35

<sup>\*</sup> System uses pressure altitude except when Radar Altimeter altitude is displayed on the PFDs, in which case Radar Altitude takes precedence.

Table 6-43 Altitude-based TCAS II TA and RA Alert Thresholds



The TCAS II system categorizes detected traffic into four groups of increasing threat potential:

- Other, Non-Threat Traffic, displayed as a hollow white diamond, is not currently a threat.
- Proximity Advisory (PA) Traffic, displayed as a filled white diamond, is not currently a threat, but is within six nm and ±1200 feet of own-aircraft altitude.
- Traffic Advisory (TA), displayed as a filled yellow circle, indicates traffic is within 20-48 seconds of a potential collision area. If a Traffic Map is shown, and the TA traffic is beyond the selected map range, the system displays a half-TA symbol at the edge of the map at the approximate relative bearing of the TA traffic. If TA traffic subsequently meets the criteria for an RA, the system will issue an RA.
- Resolution Advisory (RA), displayed as a filled red square, indicates traffic is within 15-35 seconds of a potential collision area. If a Traffic Map is shown, and the RA traffic is beyond the selected map range, the system displays a half-RA symbol at the edge of the map at the approximate relative bearing of the RA traffic.

Traffic Symbol	Description
<b></b>	Other, Non-Threat Traffic
$\Diamond$	Proximity Advisory (PA)
	Traffic Advisory (TA)
	Traffic Advisory Off Scale
	Resolution Advisory (RA)
	Resolution Advisory Off Scale

Table 6-44 TCAS II Traffic Symbol Description

# **TCAS II ALERTS**

When the TCAS II unit issues a TA or RA, the following occur:

- The TCAS II system issues a voice alert.
- A 'TRAFFIC' annunciation appears at the top right of the airspeed indicator on the PFD, flashes for 5 seconds and remains displayed until no TAs or RAs are detected in the area. RA TRAFFIC annunciations are white text with red backgrounds; TA 'TRAFFIC' annunciations are black text with yellow backgrounds. If a TA and RA occur simultaneously, only the red and white RA 'TRAFFIC' annunciation is shown.
- The PFD Inset Traffic Map displays TA or RA traffic.
- During an RA only, voice alert(s) provide vertical guidance to resolve the traffic conflict. The Vertical Speed Indicator displays a range of vertical speeds to fly to or avoid as applicable (Figure 6-189). Additional voice alerts may occur to denote changes in the RA status, as necessary.





Figure 6-189 Traffic Annunciation with Resolution Advisory (PFD)

### **RESOLUTION ADVISORIES**

Resolution Advisories (RAs) include recommended vertical guidance maneuvers to be flown in order to resolve a traffic conflict. If other aircraft involved in the RA encounter are also equipped with a TCAS II system, the systems coordinate the recommended maneuvers using the Mode S data link in order to produce complimentary responses to resolve the RA. While an RA is occurring, the system monitors the status, and if necessary, strengthens, weakens, reverses the RA, or declares the aircraft is clear of the traffic conflict.

RAs are categorized into the preventative and corrective types.

#### PREVENTATIVE RAS

The system issues a Preventative RA to indicate the present vertical speed will resolve the traffic conflict. The system indicates a range of vertical speeds to be avoided, indicated by one or more red bands inside the VSI. The current vertical speed is outside of the avoidance area during a Preventative RA.



Preventative RA Type	Required Vertical Speed (fpm)
Do Not Climb	< 0
Do Not Climb > 500 fpm	< 500
Do Not Climb > 1000 fpm	< 1000
Do Not Climb > 2000 fpm	< 2000
Do Not Descend	> 0
Do Not Descend > 500 fpm	> -500
Do Not Descend > 1000 fpm	> -1000
Do Not Descend > 2000 fpm	> -2000

Table 6-45 Preventative RA Types with Required Vertical Speeds

### **CORRECTIVE RA**

A Corrective RA indicates the current vertical speed must be changed to resolve a traffic conflict. The VSI indicates a range of vertical speeds to be avoided on the VSI, and the current vertical speed appears in white with a red background. The VSI also indicates a green "fly to" vertical speed range to be flown in order to resolve the RA conflict. In some cases, the TCAS II system logic determines it will be necessary to for own aircraft to cross through the intruder aircraft's altitude to resolve the traffic conflict.

Corrective RA Type	Required Vertical Speed (fpm)	
Climb	4500 + 2000	
Crossing Climb	1500 to 2000	
Crossing Maintain Climb	4500 . 4400	
Maintain Climb	1500 to 4400	
Reduce Descent	0	
Descend	4500 / 2000	
Crossing Descend	-1500 to -2000	
Crossing Maintain Descent	-1500 to -4400	
Maintain Descent		
Reduce Climb	0	

Table 6-46 Corrective RA Types with Required Vertical Speeds



# TCAS II VOICE ALERTS FOR TRAFFIC

Table 6-47 lists the voice alerts the TCAS II system issues in the course of a TA or RA.

Alert Type	Voice Alert
TA	"Traffic, Traffic"
Climb RA	"Climb, Climb"
Descend RA	"Descend, Descend"
Altitude Crossing Climb RA	"Climb, Crossing Climb; Climb, Crossing Climb"
Altitude Crossing Descend RA	"Descend, Crossing; Descend; Descend, Crossing; Descend"
Reduce Climb RA	"Level Off, Level Off"
Reduce Descent RA	"Level Off, Level Off"
RA Reversal to Climb RA	"Climb, Climb NOW; Climb, Climb NOW"
RA Reversal to Descend RA	"Descend, Descent NOW; Descend, Descend NOW"
Increase Climb RA	"Increase Climb, Increase Climb"
Increase Descent RA	"Increase Descent, Increase Descent"
Maintain Rate RA	"Maintain Vertical Speed, Maintain"
Altitude Crossing, Maintain Rate RA (Climb and Descend)	"Maintain Vertical Speed, Crossing Maintain"
Weakening of RA	"Level Off, Level Off"
Preventative RA	"Monitor Vertical Speed"
RA Removed	"Clear of Conflict"

**Table 6-47 TCAS II RA Voice Alerts** 





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Corrective Descend





Preventative Don't Climb

Corrective Don't Descend





Preventative Don't Climb and Don't Descent Greater than 500 FPM

Level Off, Level Off

Figure 6-190 Example Resolution Advisory Displays



# **SYSTEM TEST**

The TCAS II system can be tested using either PFD or MFD softkeys.

#### On the PFD:

- 1) Press the **XPDR/TFC** Softkey.
- **2)** Press the **TCAS** Softkey.
- **3)** Press the **TEST** Softkey.

#### On the MFD:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Turn the **Range** knob to set the range to 2/6 nm to allow for full traffic test pattern display.
- **4)** Select the **TEST** Softkey.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** knob to select 'Test Mode'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.

During a TCAS II system test, the G1000 displays a traffic test pattern appears on the Traffic Map Page of the MFD, and on the PFD Inset Traffic Map (which appears if not already displayed.) The PFD displays a Resolution Advisory (RA) alert annunciation, and vertical speed indicator indicating not to descend, and not to climb greater than 2000 feet per minute (Figure 6-191). The system test takes approximately eight seconds to complete.

Condition	Voice Alert
System Test Passed	"TCAS Two System Test Passed"
System Test Failed	"TCAS Two System Test Failed"

Table 6-48 Garmin GTS 8000 System Test Voice Alerts

Visual annunciations will also indicate a system test has failed (Tables 6-49, 6-50, 6-51).







MFD Traffic Map Page

Figure 6-191 TCAS II System Test Displays

# **OPERATION**

To display TCAS II Traffic, the system must be in TA ONLY or TA/RA Mode. These modes can be accessed on the PFD or on the Traffic Map Page of the MFD.

# Switching from standby mode to TA only or TA/RA mode:

#### On the MFD:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Select the **TA ONLY** or **TA/RA** Softkey

#### Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** knob to select 'TA Only Mode' or 'TA/RA Mode'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The unit switches from Standby Mode to TA Only or TA/RA Mode as necessary.

#### On the PFD:

- 1) Press the **XPDR/TFC** Softkey.
- 2) Press the MODE Softkey.
- 3) Press the TA Only or TA/RA Softkey

# Switching from TA ONLY or TA/RA mode to standby mode:

### On the MFD:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Select the TFC STBY Softkey



Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** knob to select 'Traffic Standby Mode'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.



**NOTE:** The GTS 8000 TCAS II system automatically selects TA ONLY Mode when the aircraft is below 1000' AGL. After landing, the GTS 80000 automatically selects STANDBY Mode. If the installed TCAS II traffic system is not a Garmin GTS 8000, refer to the applicable documentation for system-specific automatic traffic mode selections.

### TRAFFIC MAP PAGE

The Map - Traffic Map Page shows surrounding TCAS II traffic data in relation to the aircraft's current position and altitude, without basemap clutter. It is the principal map page for viewing TCAS II traffic. Aircraft orientation is always heading up unless there is no valid heading. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 40 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

The traffic operating mode and altitude display mode are annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.



Figure 6-192 Traffic Map Page



# Displaying traffic on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Map Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Map Page.
- 3) Select the **TA ONLY** or **TA/RA** Softkey to begin displaying traffic. TA ONLY or TA/RA is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- 4) Select the **REL** or **ABS** Softkey to display the relative or absolute altitude of other aircraft. When absolute altitude is displayed, the system may revert to displaying relative altitude after 30 seconds if the TCAS II system is providing altitude which is not corrected for the local barometric pressure setting.
- 5) Select the **TFC STBY** Softkey to place the system in the Standby mode. STANDBY is displayed in the Traffic mode field.
- **6)** Turn the **RANGE** Knob clockwise to display a larger area or counter-clockwise to display a smaller area.

#### ALTITUDE DISPLAY

The flight crew can select the volume of airspace in which non-threat and proximity traffic is displayed. Traffic Advisories (TAs) and Resolution Advisories (RAs) outside of these limits will always be shown.

### Changing the altitude range:

#### On the PFD:

- 1) Press the **XPDR/TFC** Softkey.
- **2)** Press the **TCAS** Softkey.
- **3)** Press the **ALT RNG** Softkey.
- **4)** Press one of the following altitude range Softkeys:
  - **ABOVE:** Displays non-threat and proximity traffic from 9900 feet above the aircraft to 2700 feet below the aircraft. Typically used during climb phase of flight.
  - NORMAL: Displays non-threat and proximity traffic from 2700 feet above the aircraft to 2700 feet below the aircraft. Typically used during enroute phase of flight.
  - **BELOW:** Displays non-threat and proximity traffic from 2700 feet above the aircraft to 9900 feet below the aircraft. Typically used during descent phase of flight.
  - **UNREST** (unrestricted): All traffic is displayed
- **5)** Press the **BACK** Softkey.

#### On the MFD:

- 1) On the Traffic Map Page, select the **ALT RNG** Softkey.
- 2) Select one of the following Softkeys (see softkey description in step 4 above):
  - **ABOVE**
  - NORMAL
  - **BELOW**
  - UNRESTRICTED
- **3)** To return to the Traffic Page, select the **BACK** Softkey.

Or:

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- 1) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select one of the following (see softkey description in step 4 above):
  - ABOVE
  - NORMAL
  - BELOW
  - UNRESTRICTED
- **3)** Select the **ENT** Softkey.

#### TRAFFIC MAP PAGE DISPLAY RANGE

The display range on the Traffic Map Page can be changed at any time. Map range is adjustable with the **RANGE** Knob from 2 to 40 nm, as indicated by the map range rings.

# Changing the display range on the Traffic Map Page:

- 1) Turn the **RANGE** Knob.
- **2)** The following range options are available:
  - 2 nm
  - 2 and 6 nm
  - 6 and 12 nm
  - 12 and 24 nm
  - 24 and 40 nm

# ADDITIONAL TRAFFIC DISPLAYS

Traffic information can be displayed on the following maps on the MFD when the unit is operating:

• Navigation Map Page

• Nearest Pages

Traffic Map Page

• Active Flight Plan Page

Trip Planning Page

Traffic information can also be displayed on the PFD when the Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT) option is installed and enabled. See the Additional Features Section for details.

# Displaying traffic information (MFD maps other than the Traffic Map Page):

- 1) Select the **MAP** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map.

When traffic is selected on maps other than the Traffic Map Page, a traffic icon is shown to indicate traffic is enabled for display (Figure 6-193).



# Displaying traffic on the Navigation Map

- 1) Ensure the TCAS II system is operating. With the Navigation Map displayed, select the MAP Softkey.
- 2) Select the **TRAFFIC** Softkey. Traffic is now displayed on the map as shown in the figure.



Figure 6-193 TCAS II Traffic on Navigation Map

### Customizing the traffic display on the Navigation Map Page:

- 1) Select the Navigation Map Page.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key.
- 3) With Map Setup highlighted, press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-194).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the Traffic Group and press the **ENT** Key (Figure 6-195).
- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key to scroll through the selections (Figure 6-196).
  - TRAFFIC Turns the display of traffic data on or off
  - TRAFFIC MODE Selects the traffic mode for display; select from:
    - All Traffic Displays all traffic
    - TA/RA/PA Displays Traffic Advisories, Resolution Advisories, and Proximity Advisories
    - TA/RA ONLY Displays Traffic Advisories and Resolution Advisories only
  - TRAFFIC SMBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic symbols are shown
  - TRAFFIC LBL Selects the maximum range at which traffic labels are shown with the option to turn off



- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to scroll through options (ON/OFF, range settings, etc.).
- 7) Press the **ENT** Key to select an option.
- **8)** Press the **FMS** Knob or **CLR** Key to return to the Navigation Map Page.



Figure 6-194 Navigation Map Page Menu



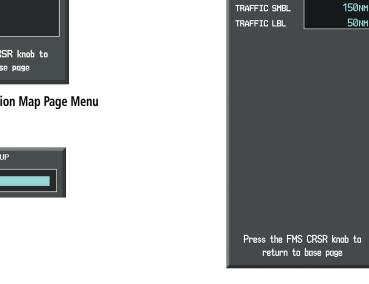


Figure 6-195 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu

Figure 6-196 Navigation Map Page Setup Menu, Traffic Group

MAP SETUP

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All Traffic

GROUP Traffic

TRAFFIC

TRAFFIC MODE

The Navigation Map Page Setup Menu also controls the display of traffic. The setup menu controls the map range settings. Traffic data symbols and labels can be decluttered from the display. If a map range larger than the map range setting is selected, the data is removed from the map. Maps besides the Traffic Map Page use settings based on those selected for the Navigation Map Page.

Traffic information can also be displayed on the PFD Inset Map by pressing the **TRFC/MAP** Softkey. A traffic map will appear in heading up orientation. Traffic information can also be overlaid with navigation, topographic and optional datalink weather information.

### Displaying additional information with Traffic on the PFD Inset Map.

- 1) Press the **TRFC/MAP** Softkey. Traffic map (TRFC-2) is displayed heading up.
- 2) Press the **TRFC-2** Softkey.
- 3) Press the Softkey(s) for the item(s) to be included on the PFD Inset Map (TRAFFIC, TOPO, NEXRAD, XM LTNG)
- **4)** Press the **BACK** Softkey.



# **SYSTEM STATUS**

The traffic mode is annunciated in the upper left corner of the Traffic Map Page.

Mode	PFD Mode Annunciation	MFD Traffic Map Page Mode Annunciation	Traffic Display Status Icon (Other Maps)
TCAS II Self-test Initiated (TEST)	None	<b>TEST</b> ('TEST MODE' also shown in white on top center of page)	<b>X</b>
Traffic Advisory and Resolution Advisory (TA/RA)	None	TA/RA	
Traffic Advisory Only (TA ONLY)	TA ONLY	TA ONLY	<b>=</b>
TCAS II Standby (TFC STBY)	Or: TCAS STBY	STANDBY  (also shown in white in center of page on ground, yellow in the air)	×
TCAS II Failed**	TCAS FAIL	FAIL	×

<sup>\*</sup> Annunciation appears in yellow while in the air. \*\* See Table 6-50 for additional failure annunciations.

Table 6-49 TCAS II Modes

If the TCAS II unit fails, an annunciation as to the cause of the failure is shown in the center of the Traffic Map Page.

Traffic Map Page Annunciation	Description
NO DATA	Data is not being received from the TCAS II unit
DATA FAILED	Data is being received from the TCAS II unit, but the unit is self-reporting a failure
FAILED	Incorrect data format received from the TCAS II unit

**Table 6-50 TCAS II Failure Annunciations** 



The annunciations to indicate the status of traffic information appear in a banner at the lower left corner of maps on which traffic can be displayed.

Traffic Status Banner Annunciation	Description
RA OFF SCALE	A Resolution Advisory is outside the selected display range*. Annunciation is removed when traffic comes within the selected display range
TA OFF SCALE	A Traffic Advisory is outside the selected display range*.  Annunciation is removed when traffic comes within the selected display range.
<b>RA X.X</b> ± <b>XX </b>	System cannot determine bearing of Resolution Advisory**. Annunciation indicates distance in nm, altitude separation in hundreds of feet, and altitude trend arrow (climbing/descending).
<b>TA X.X</b> ± <b>XX </b>	System cannot determine bearing of Traffic Advisory**.  Annunciation indicates distance in nm, altitude separation in hundreds of feet, and altitude trend arrow (climbing/descending).
TRFC FAIL	TCAS II unit has failed (unit is self-reporting a failure or sending incorrectly formatted data)
NO TCAS DATA	Data is not being received from the TCAS II unit

<sup>\*</sup>Shown as symbol on Traffic Map Page \*\*Shown in center of Traffic Map Page

**Table 6-51 TCAS II Traffic Status Annunciations** 



# SECTION 7 AUTOMATIC FLIGHT CONTROL SYSTEM

# 7.1 AFCS OVERVIEW



**NOTE:** The approved Pilot's Operating Handbook (POH) and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual (AFM) always supersedes this Pilot's Guide.

The GFC 700 is a digital Automatic Flight Control System (AFCS), fully integrated within the G1000 System avionics architecture. The System Overview section provides a block diagram to support this system description. GFC 700 AFCS functionality is distributed across the following Line Replaceable Units (LRUs):

- GDU 1040A Primary Flight Displays (PFDs) (2)
- 020 10 (01111111111) 1 11ght 210phayo (1120) (2)
- GMC 710 AFCS Control Unit
- GIA 63W Integrated Avionics Units (IAUs) (2)
- GSA 80 AFCS Servos (4)
- GSM 85A / GSM 86 Servo Gearboxes (4)

The GFC 700 AFCS can be divided into these main operating functions:

• **Flight Director (FD)** — The Beechcraft 200/B200 has two flight directors, each operating within an IAU and referred to as pilot-side and copilot-side. Commands for the selected flight director are displayed on both PFDs.

The flight director provides:

- Command Bars showing pitch/roll guidance
- Vertical/lateral mode selection and processing
- Autopilot communication
- **Autopilot (AP)** Autopilot operation occurs within the pitch, roll, and pitch trim servos. It also provides servo monitoring and automatic flight control in response to flight director steering commands, Attitude and Heading Reference System (AHRS) attitude and rate information, and airspeed.
- Yaw Damper (YD) The yaw servo is self-monitoring and provides Dutch roll damping and turn coordination in response to yaw rate, roll angle, lateral acceleration, and airspeed.
- **Manual Electric Pitch Trim (MEPT)** The pitch trim servo provides manual electric pitch trim capability when the autopilot is not engaged.



## **AFCS CONTROL UNIT**

The AFCS Control Unit is positioned above the MFD, and has the following controls:

(1) HDG Key Selects/deselects Heading Select Mode

(2) APR Key Selects/deselects Approach Mode
 (3) NAV Key Selects/deselects Navigation Mode

4) **FD Key** Activates/deactivates the flight director only

Pressing once turns on the selected flight director in the default vertical and lateral modes. Pressing again deactivates the flight director and removes the Command

Bars. If the autopilot is engaged, the key is disabled.

5 XFR Key Transfers between the pilot and copilot flight directors and controls which flight

director the autopilot is tracking

6 ALT Key Selects/deselects Altitude Hold Mode
7 VS Key Selects/deselects Vertical Speed Mode

8 FLC Key Selects/deselects Flight Level Change Mode

(9) (17) **CRS Knobs** Adjust the Selected Course (while in VOR, LOC, or OBS Mode) in 1° increments on

the Horizontal Situation Indicator (HSI) of the corresponding PFD

Press to re-center the Course Deviation Indicator (CDI) and return course pointer

directly TO the bearing of the active waypoint/station

(10) SPD Key Toggles Airspeed Reference between IAS and Mach for Flight Level Change Mode

11) NOSE UP/DN Adjusts the reference in Pitch Hold, Vertical Speed, and Flight Level Change modes

**Wheel** (see Table 7-2 for change increments in each mode)

(12) **VNV Key** Selects/deselects Vertical Path Tracking Mode for Vertical Navigation flight control

(13) **ALT SEL Knob** Controls the Selected Altitude in 100-ft increments (a finer resolution of 10 feet is

available under approach conditions)

14) YD Key Engages/disengages the yaw damper

(15) **AP Key** Engages/disengages the autopilot

**16) BANK Key** Manually selects/deselects Low Bank Mode

(18) BC Key Selects/deselects Backcourse Mode

(19) **HDG Knob** Adjusts the Selected Heading and bug in 1° increments on the HSI (both PFDs)

Press to synchronize the Selected Heading to the current heading on the pilot-side PFD

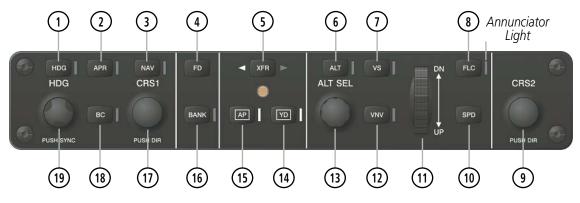


Figure 7-1 GMC 710 AFCS Control Unit



### ADDITIONAL AFCS CONTROLS

The following AFCS controls are located separately from the AFCS Control Unit:

**INTRPT Switch** 

(Autopilot Disconnect/Trim Interrupt)

AP/YD DISC TRIM Disengages the autopilot, yaw damper, and flight director and interrupts pitch trim operation

An **AP/YD DISC** Switch is located on each control wheel.

This switch may be used to acknowledge an autopilot disconnect alert and mute the associated aural tone.

**CWS Button** (Control Wheel Steering)

While pressed, allows manual control of the aircraft while the autopilot is engaged and synchronizes the flight director's Command Bars with the current aircraft pitch (if not in a Vertical Navigation, Glideslope, or Glidepath Mode) and roll (if in Roll Hold Mode)

A **CWS** Button is located on each control wheel.

Upon release of the CWS Button, the flight director may establish new pitch and roll references, depending on the current vertical and lateral modes. CWS operation details are discussed in the respective mode sections of this manual.

**GA Button** (Go Around) Selects flight director Takeoff (on ground) or Go Around (in air) Mode

If an approach procedure is loaded this button also activates the missed approach when the selected navigation source is GPS or when the navigation source is VOR/LOC and a valid frequency has been tuned. Unless a compatible lift computer is installed, pressing the GA Button disengages the autopilot.

The **GA** Button is located on the left throttle.

**MEPT Switch** (Manual Electric Pitch Trim)

Used to command manual electric pitch trim

An **MEPT** Switch is located on each control wheel.

The pilot side **MEPT** Switch has priority over the copilot side **MEPT** Switch.

This composite switch is split into left and right sides. The left switch is the ARM contact and the right switch controls the DN (forward) and UP (rearward) contacts. Pushing the **MEPT** ARM Switch disengages the autopilot, if currently engaged, but does not affect yaw damper operation. The MEPT ARM Switch may be used to acknowledge an autopilot disconnect alert and mute the associated aural tone.

Manual trim commands are generated only when both sides of the switch are operated simultaneously. If either side of the switch is active separately for more than three seconds, MEPT function is disabled and 'PTRM' is displayed as the AFCS Status Annunciation on the PFDs. The function remains disabled until both sides of the switch are inactivated.



#### BASIC AUTOPILOT OPERATION

This section provides an overview for autopilot engagement and disengagement. A more detailed description follows in Section 7.5.

- **Autopilot Engagement** The autopilot may be engaged by pushing the **AP** Key on the AFCS Control Unit. Annunciations regarding the engagement are indicated on the PFD.
- **Autopilot Engagement with Flight Director Off** Upon engagement, the autopilot will be set to hold the current attitude of the airplane, if the flight director was not previously on. In this case, 'PIT' and 'ROL' will be annunciated.
- **Autopilot Engagement with Flight Director On** If the flight director is on, the autopilot will smoothly pitch and roll the airplane to capture the FD command bars. The prior flight director modes remain unchanged.
- **Autopilot Disengagement** The most common way to disconnect the autopilot is to press and release the **AP/YD DISC** Switch, which is located on the control stick. An autopilot disconnect tone will be heard and annunciated on the PFD. Other ways to disconnect the autopilot include:
  - Pressing the AP Key on the AFCS Control Unit
  - Pressing the **GA** Switch (located on the left throttle)
  - Operating the **MEPT** Switch (located on each control wheel)
  - Pulling the autopilot circuit breaker

In the event of unexpected autopilot behavior, pressing and holding the **AP/YD DISC** Switch will disconnect the autopilot and remove all power to the servos.



### 7.2 FLIGHT DIRECTOR OPERATION

The flight director function provides pitch and roll commands to the AFCS and displays them on the PFDs. With the flight director active, the aircraft can be hand-flown to follow the path shown by the Command Bars. Maximum commanded pitch  $(-15^{\circ}, +20^{\circ})$  and roll  $(25^{\circ})$  angles, vertical acceleration, and roll rate are limited to values established during AFCS certification. The flight director also provides commands to the autopilot.

### **ACTIVATING THE FLIGHT DIRECTOR**

An initial press of a key listed in Table 7-1 (when the flight director is not active) activates the pilot-side flight director in the listed modes. The flight director may be turned off and the Command Bars removed from the displays by pressing the **FD** Key again. The **FD** Key is disabled when the autopilot is engaged.

Control Drossad	Control Pressed Lateral Vertical			
Control Pressed				Vertical
<b>FD</b> Key	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT
<b>AP</b> Key	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT
<b>CWS</b> Button	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT
CA Putton	Takeoff (on ground)	TO	Takeoff (on ground)	TO
<b>GA</b> Button	Go Around (in air)	GA	Go Around (in air)	GA
<b>ALT</b> Key	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Altitude Hold	ALT
<b>VS</b> Key	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Vertical Speed	VS
FLC Key	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Flight Level Change	FLC
<b>VNV</b> Key	Roll Hold (default)	ROL	Vertical Path Tracking*	VPTH
<b>NAV</b> Key	Navigation**	GPS VOR LOC	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT
<b>BC</b> Key	Backcourse***	ВС	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT
APR Key	Approach**	GPS VOR LOC	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT
<b>HDG</b> Key	Heading Select	HDG	Pitch Hold (default)	PIT

<sup>\*</sup>Valid VNV flight plan must be entered before **VNV** Key press activates flight director.

**Table 7-1 Flight Director Activation** 

<sup>\*\*</sup>The selected navigation receiver must have a valid VOR or LOC signal or active GPS course before **NAV** or **APR** Key press activates flight director.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>The selected navigation receiver must have a valid LOC signal before **BC** Key press activates flight director.



### **AFCS STATUS BOX**

Flight director mode annunciations are displayed on the PFDs when the flight director is active. Flight director selection and autopilot and yaw damper statuses are shown in the center of the AFCS Status Box. Lateral flight director modes are displayed on the left and vertical on the right. Armed modes are displayed in white and active in green.

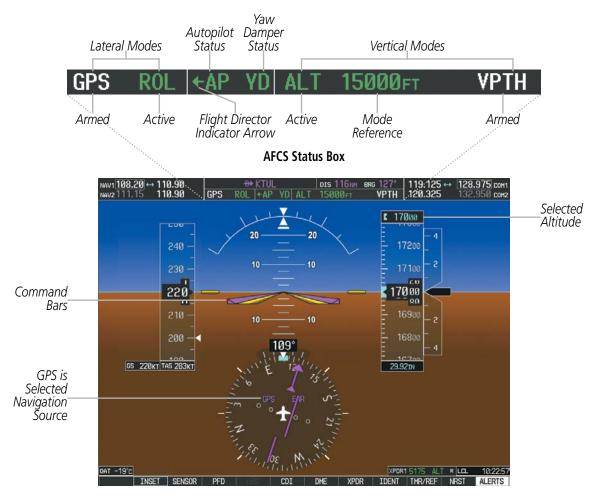


Figure 7-2 PFD AFCS Display



#### FLIGHT DIRECTOR MODES

Flight director modes are normally selected independently for the pitch and roll axes. Unless otherwise specified, all mode keys are alternate action (i.e., press on, press off). In the absence of specific mode selection, the flight director reverts to the default pitch and/or roll modes. Mode keys on the AFCS controller are accompanied by annunciator lights (Figure 7-1) which are illuminated when their respective modes are armed or active.

Armed modes are annunciated in white and active in green in the AFCS Status Box. Under normal operation, when the **FD** Key is pressed, the flight director reverts to the default mode(s) for the axis(es). Automatic transition from armed to active mode is indicated by the white armed mode annunciation moving to the green active mode field and flashing for 10 seconds.

If the information required to compute a flight director mode becomes invalid or unavailable, the flight director automatically reverts to the default mode for that axis. A flashing yellow mode annunciation and annunciator light indicate loss of sensor (ADC) or navigation data (VOR, LOC, GPS, VNV, SBAS) required to compute commands. When such a loss occurs, the system automatically begins to roll the wings level (enters Roll Hold Mode) or maintain the pitch angle (enters Pitch Hold Mode), depending on the affected axis. The flashing annunciation stops when the affected mode key is pressed or another mode for the axis is selected. If after 10 seconds no action is taken, the flashing annunciation stops.



Figure 7-3 Loss of VOR Signal

The flight director is automatically disabled if the attitude information required to compute the default flight director modes becomes invalid or unavailable.

### SWITCHING FLIGHT DIRECTORS

The GFC 700 in the Beechcraft 200/B200 has two flight directors, each operating within an IAU. The autopilot follows the selected flight director only, indicated by an arrow pointing toward either the pilot or copilot side, in the center of the AFCS Status Box. Flight directors may be switched by pressing the **XFR** Key. The annunciator light arrow for the selected flight director is also illuminated beside the **XFR** Key. When the flight directors are switched, the vertical and lateral modes revert to default.

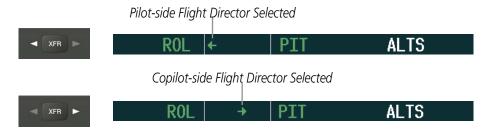


Figure 7-4 Flight Director Selection Indications



### **COMMAND BARS**

Upon activation of the flight director, Command Bars are displayed in magenta on the PFDs as a single cue or cross pointers. The Aircraft Symbol (in yellow) changes to accommodate the Command Bar format; the Command Bars do not override the Aircraft Symbol. The single-cue Command Bars (Figure 7-5) move together vertically to indicate pitch commands and bank left or right to indicate roll commands. Command Bars displayed as a cross pointer (Figure 7-6) move independently to indicate pitch (horizontal bar) and roll (vertical bar) commands. Both PFDs show the same Command Bar format. If a compatible lift computer is installed, the cross-pointer option will be unavailable.

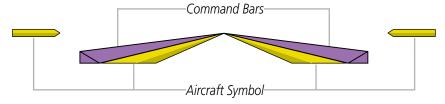


Figure 7-5 Single-cue Command Bars

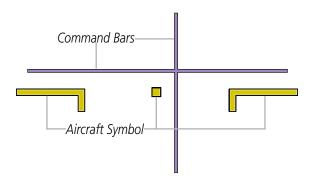


Figure 7-6 Cross-pointer Command Bars

### **Changing Command Bar format:**

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Setup Page on the MFD.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight 'Format Active' in the 'Flight Director' box.
- 4) Turn the small FMS Knob to highlight the desired format.
  'SNGL CUE' to display Command Bars as a single cue (Aircraft Symbol in figure 7-5).
  Or:

'X-POINTER' to display Command Bars as a cross-pointer (Aircraft Symbol in Figure 7-6).

If the attitude information being sent to the flight director becomes invalid or unavailable, the Command Bars are removed from the display. The flight director Command Bars also disappear if the pitch exceeds +30°/-20° or bank exceeds 65°.



#### UNDERSPEED PROTECTION

Underspeed Protection is available when the optional Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP) system is installed and the autopilot is on. It is designed to discourage aircraft operation below minimum established airspeeds.

When the aircraft reaches a predetermined airspeed (specific to each flap setting), a yellow MINSPD annunciation (Figure 7-7) will appear above the airspeed indicator. When aircraft angle of attack is within four degrees of stall warning, the Pitch Limit Indicator (Figure 7-7) will be displayed approximately four degrees above the aircraft symbol on the pitch attitude indicator. If deceleration continues, the Pitch Limit Indicator will move downward on the pitch attitude indicator until coincident with the aircraft symbol at stall warning angle of attack.



Figure 7-7 MINSPD Annunciation and Pitch Limit Indicator

If the aircraft continues to decelerate, Underspeed Protection functionality depends on which vertical flight director mode is selected. For the purpose of this discussion, the vertical flight director modes can be divided into two categories: Those in which it is important to maintain altitude for as long as possible (altitude-critical modes), and those in which maintaining altitude is less crucial (non-altitude critical modes).

# ALTITUDE-CRITICAL MODES (ALT, GS, GP, TO, GA, FLC)

If the aircraft declerates to stall warning, the lateral and vertical flight director modes will change from active to armed (Figure 7-8), and the autopilot will provide input causing the aircraft to pitch down and the wings to level.



Figure 7-8 Lateral and Vertical Flight Director Modes Armed



An aural "AIRSPEED" alert will sound every five seconds and a red "UNDERSPEED PROTECT ACTIVE" annunciation (Figure 7-9) will appear to the right of the vertical speed indicator. The pitch down force will continue until the aircraft reaches a pitch attitude at which IAS equals the IAS at which stall warning turns off, plus two knots.

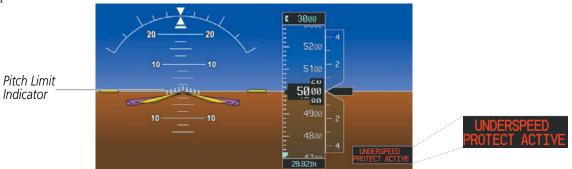


Figure 7-9 Underspeed Protect Active Annunciation

When airspeed increases (as a result of adding power/thrust) to above the IAS at which stall warning turns off, plus two knots, the autopilot will cause the aircraft to pitch up until recapturing the vertical reference. The vertical and lateral flight director modes will change from armed to active, and when aircraft angle of attack reaches approximately five degrees below stall warning angle of attack, the Pitch Limit Indicator will be removed.

### NON-ALTITUDE CRITICAL MODES (VS, VNAV, IAS,)

When the airspeed trend vector (specific to each flap setting) reaches a predetermined airspeed, a single aural "AIRSPEED" will sound, alerting the pilot to the impending underspeed condition. If the aircraft decelerates to an IAS below the minimum commandable autopilot airspeed, a red "UNDERSPEED PROTECT ACTIVE" annunciation (Figure 7-9) will appear to the right of the vertical speed indicator. The vertical flight director mode will change from active to armed (Figure 7-10), and the autopilot will cause the aircraft to pitch down until reaching a pitch attitude at which IAS equals the minimum commandable autopilot airspeed.



Figure 7-10 Vertical Flight Director Mode Armed

When airspeed increases (as a result of adding power/thrust) to an IAS above the minimum commandable autopilot airspeed, the autopilot will cause the aircraft to pitch up until recapturing the vertical reference. The vertical flight director mode will change from armed to active, and when aircraft angle of attack reaches approximately five degrees below stall warning angle of attack, the Pitch Limit Indicator will be removed.



### 7.3 VERTICAL MODES

Table 7-2 lists the vertical modes with their corresponding controls and annunciations. The mode reference is displayed next to the active mode annunciation for Altitude Hold, Vertical Speed, and Flight Level Change modes. The **NOSE UP/DN** Wheel can be used to change the vertical mode reference while operating under Pitch Hold, Vertical Speed, or Flight Level Change Mode.

Vertical Mode	Description	Control	Annunciation		Reference Range	Reference Change Increment
Pitch Hold	Holds the current aircraft pitch attitude; may be used to climb/descend to the Selected Altitude	(default)	PIT		-15° to +20°	0.5°
Selected Altitude Capture	Captures the Selected Altitude	*	ALTS			
Altitude Hold	Holds the current Altitude Reference	<b>ALT</b> Key	ALT nnnnn ft			
Vertical Speed	Maintains the current aircraft vertical speed; may be used to climb/descend to the Selected Altitude	<b>VS</b> Key	VS	nnnn fpm	-4000 to +4000 fpm	100 fpm
Flight Level Change, IAS Hold	Maintains the current aircraft airspeed (in IAS or Mach) while the	<b>FLC</b> Key	FLC	nnn kt	100 to 259 kt	1 kt
Flight Level Change, Mach Hold	aircraft is climbing/descending to the Selected Altitude	ric key	FLC	M .nnn	M 0.15 to 0.52	M 0.01
Vertical Path Tracking	Captures and tracks descent legs of an active vertical profile	<b>VNV</b> Key	VPTH			
VNV Target Altitude Capture	Captures the Vertical Navigation (VNV) Target Altitude	**	ALTV			
Glidepath	Captures and tracks the SBAS glidepath on approach	APR	GP			
Glideslope	Captures and tracks the ILS glideslope on approach	Key	GS			
Takeoff	Commands a constant pitch angle and wings level on the ground in preparation for takeoff	<b>GA</b> Button	ТО		8.6°	
Go Around***	Commands a constant pitch angle and wings level in the air	DULLOII	GA		8°	
Level	Autopilot engages and commands pitch angle necessary to establish zero vertical fpm	***	LVL		N/A	

<sup>\*</sup> ALTS armed automatically when PIT, VS, FLC, TO, or GA active, and under VPTH when Selected Altitude is to be captured instead of VNV Target Altitude

<sup>\*\*</sup> ALTV armed automatically under VPTH when VNV Target Altitude is to be captured instead of Selected Altitude

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>Go Around mode disengages the autopilot unless a compatible lift computer is installed.

<sup>\*\*\*\*</sup> Level mode can only become activated as a function of Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP). Refer to the Additional Features section for a detailed discussion of the optional ESP feature.



### PITCH HOLD MODE (PIT)

When the flight director is activated (the **FD** Key is pressed) or switched (the **XFR** Key is pressed), Pitch Hold Mode is selected by default. Pitch Hold Mode is indicated as the active vertical mode by the 'PIT' annunciation. This mode may be used for climb or descent to the Selected Altitude (shown above the Altimeter), since Selected Altitude Capture Mode is automatically armed when Pitch Hold Mode is activated.

In Pitch Hold Mode, the flight director maintains a constant pitch attitude, the pitch reference. The pitch reference is set to the aircraft pitch attitude at the moment of mode selection. If the aircraft pitch attitude exceeds the flight director pitch command limitations, the flight director commands a pitch angle equal to the nose-up/down limit.

### CHANGING THE PITCH REFERENCE

When operating in Pitch Hold Mode, the pitch reference can be adjusted by:

- Using the **NOSE UP/DN** Wheel
- Pressing the **CWS** Button, hand-flying the aircraft to establish a new pitch reference, then releasing the **CWS** Button

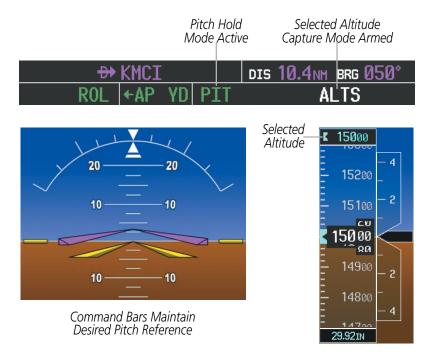


Figure 7-11 Pitch Hold Mode



# **SELECTED ALTITUDE CAPTURE MODE (ALTS)**

Selected Altitude Capture Mode is automatically armed with activation of the following modes:

- · Pitch Hold
- Vertical Speed
- Flight Level Change

- Takeoff/Go Around (if the Selected Altitude is at least 400 feet above the current aircraft altitude)
- Vertical Path Tracking (if the Selected Altitude is to be captured instead of the VNV Target Altitude)

The white 'ALTS' annunciation indicates Selected Altitude Capture Mode is armed (see Figure 7-11 for example). The **ALT SEL** Knob is used to set the Selected Altitude (shown above the Altimeter) until Selected Altitude Capture Mode becomes active.

As the aircraft nears the Selected Altitude, the flight director automatically transitions to Selected Altitude Capture Mode with Altitude Hold Mode armed (Figure 7-12). This automatic transition is indicated by the green 'ALTS' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds and the appearance of the white 'ALT' annunciation. The Selected Altitude is shown as the Altitude Reference beside the 'ALTS' annunciation.

At 50 feet from the Selected Altitude, the flight director automatically transitions from Selected Altitude Capture to Altitude Hold Mode and holds the Selected Altitude (shown as the Altitude Reference). As Altitude Hold Mode becomes active, the white 'ALT' annunciation moves to the active vertical mode field and flashes green for 10 seconds to indicate the automatic transition.

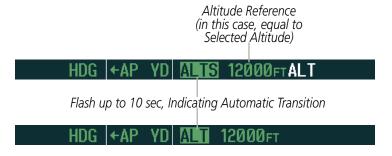


Figure 7-12 Automatic Mode Transitions During Altitude Capture

### CHANGING THE SELECTED ALTITUDE



**NOTE:** Pressing the **CWS** Button while in Selected Altitude Capture Mode does not cancel the mode.

Use of the **ALT SEL** Knob to change the Selected Altitude while Selected Altitude Capture Mode is active causes the flight director to revert to Pitch Hold Mode with Selected Altitude Capture Mode armed for the new Selected Altitude.



### **ALTITUDE HOLD MODE (ALT)**

Altitude Hold Mode can be activated by pressing the **ALT** Key; the flight director maintains the current aircraft altitude (to the nearest 10 feet) as the Altitude Reference. The flight director's Altitude Reference, shown in the AFCS Status Box, is independent of the Selected Altitude, displayed above the Altimeter. Altitude Hold Mode active is indicated by a green 'ALT' annunciation in the AFCS Status Box.

Altitude Hold Mode is automatically armed when the flight director is in Selected Altitude Capture Mode (see Figure 7-12). Selected Altitude Capture Mode automatically transitions to Altitude Hold Mode when the altitude error is less than 50 feet. In this case, the Selected Altitude becomes the flight director's Altitude Reference.

#### CHANGING THE ALTITUDE REFERENCE



**NOTE:** Turning the **ALT SEL** Knob while in Altitude Hold Mode changes the Selected Altitude, but not the flight director's Altitude Reference, and does not cancel the mode.

With the **CWS** Button depressed, the aircraft can be hand-flown to a new Altitude Reference. When the **CWS** Button is released at the desired altitude, the new altitude is established as the Altitude Reference.

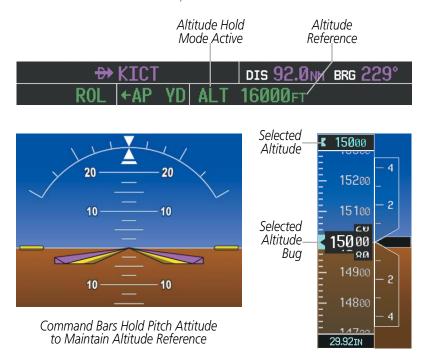


Figure 7-13 Altitude Hold Mode



### **VERTICAL SPEED MODE (VS)**

In Vertical Speed Mode, the flight director acquires and maintains a Vertical Speed Reference. Current aircraft vertical speed (to the nearest 100 fpm) becomes the Vertical Speed Reference at the moment of Vertical Speed Mode activation. This mode may be used for climb or descent to the Selected Altitude (shown above the Altimeter) since Selected Altitude Capture Mode is automatically armed when Vertical Speed Mode is selected.

When Vertical Speed Mode is activated by pressing the **VS** Key, 'VS' is annunciated in green in the AFCS Status Box along with the Vertical Speed Reference. The Vertical Speed Reference is also displayed above the Vertical Speed Indicator. A Vertical Speed Reference Bug corresponding to the Vertical Speed Reference is shown on the indicator.

### CHANGING THE VERTICAL SPEED REFERENCE

The Vertical Speed Reference (shown both in the AFCS Status Box and above the Vertical Speed Indicator) may be changed by:

- Using the **NOSE UP/DN** Wheel
- Pressing the CWS Button, hand-flying the aircraft to attain a new Vertical Speed Reference, then releasing the CWS Button



**NOTE:** If the Selected Altitude is reached during CWS maneuvering, the Altitude Reference is not changed. To adjust the Altitude Reference in this case, the **CWS** Button must be pressed again after the Selected Altitude is reached.

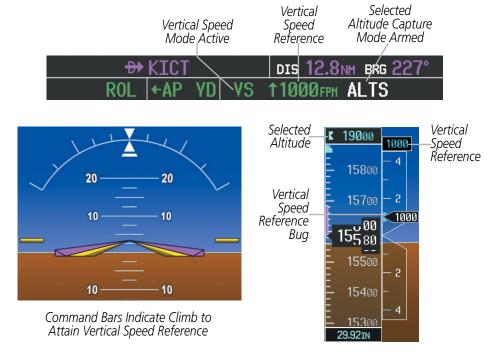


Figure 7-14 Vertical Speed Hold Mode



### **FLIGHT LEVEL CHANGE MODE (FLC)**



**NOTE:** The Selected Altitude should be set before selecting Flight Level Change Mode.

Flight Level Change Mode is selected by pressing the **FLC** Key. This mode acquires and maintains the Airspeed Reference (in IAS or Mach) while climbing or descending to the Selected Altitude (shown above the Altimeter). When Flight Level Change Mode is active, the flight director continuously monitors Selected Altitude, airspeed, Mach, and altitude.

The Airspeed Reference is set to the current airspeed upon mode activation. Flight Level Change Mode is indicated by a green 'FLC' annunciation beside the Airspeed Reference in the AFCS Status Box. The Airspeed Reference is also displayed directly above the Airspeed Indicator, along with a bug corresponding to the Airspeed Reference along the tape.

Engine power must be adjusted to allow the autopilot to fly the aircraft at a pitch attitude corresponding to the desired flight profile (climb or descent) while maintaining the Airspeed Reference. The flight director maintains the current altitude until either engine power or the Airspeed Reference are adjusted and does not allow the aircraft to climb or descend away from the Selected Altitude.

### CHANGING THE AIRSPEED REFERENCE

The Airspeed Reference (shown in both the AFCS Status Box and above the Airspeed Indicator) may be adjusted by:

- Using the **NOSE UP/DN** Wheel
- Pressing the **CWS** Button, hand-flying the aircraft to attain a new Airspeed Reference, then releasing the **CWS** Button



**NOTE:** If the Selected Altitude is reached during CWS maneuvering, the Airspeed Reference is not changed. To adjust the Airspeed Reference in this case, the **CWS** Button must be pressed again after the Selected Altitude is reached.

During climb, the pilot must select the Airspeed Reference (IAS or Mach), automatic switching does not occur. For descent, if Mach airspeed reference is selected (above 16,000 ft), the aircraft descends in Mach until the Mach airspeed reference reaches 250 KIAS, at which point the airspeed reference automatically switches to IAS at that airspeed value. The system determines aircraft climb or descent by the relationship between the current and Selected altitudes.

Airspeed Reference units can be manually toggled between IAS and Mach units using the **SPD** Key. When the FLC Airspeed Reference is displayed in Mach, the Airspeed Reference Bug is displayed on the Airspeed Indicator at the IAS corresponding to the selected Mach target speed and the current Mach number is shown only in the AFCS Status Box.



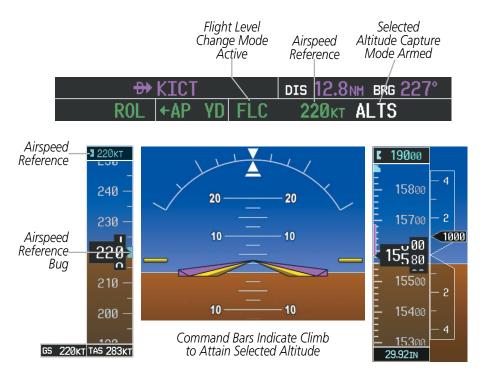


Figure 7-15 Flight Level Change Mode (IAS)

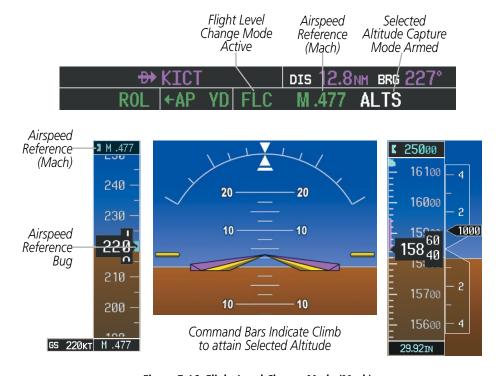


Figure 7-16 Flight Level Change Mode (Mach)



### **VERTICAL NAVIGATION MODES (VPTH, ALTV)**



**NOTE:** VNV is disabled when parallel track or Dead Reckoning Mode is active.



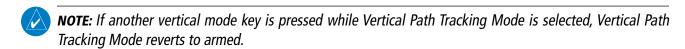
**NOTE:** The Selected Altitude takes precedence over any other vertical constraints.

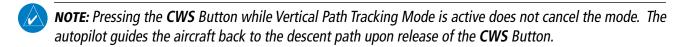
Vertical Navigation (VNV) flight control is available for enroute/terminal cruise and descent operations any time that VNV flight planning is available. Refer to the GPS Navigation Section for more information on VNV flight plans. Conditions for availability include, but are not limited to:

- The selected navigation source is GPS.
- A VNV flight plan (with at least one altitude-constrained waypoint) or vertical direct-to is active.
- VNV is enabled (**VNV ENBL** Softkey pressed on the MFD).
- Crosstrack error is valid and within certain limits.
- Desired/actual track are valid or track angle error is within certain limits.
- The VNV Target Altitude of the active waypoint is no more than 250 ft above the current aircraft altitude.

The flight director may be armed for VNV at any time, but no target altitudes are captured during a climb. The Command Bars provide vertical profile guidance based on specified altitudes (entered manually or loaded from the database) at waypoints in the active flight plan or vertical direct-to. The appropriate VNV flight control modes are sequenced by the flight director to follow the path defined by the vertical profile. Upon reaching the last waypoint in the VNV flight plan, the flight director transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and cancels any armed VNV modes.

# **VERTICAL PATH TRACKING MODE (VPTH)**





When a vertical profile (VNV flight plan) is active and the **VNV** Key is pressed, Vertical Path Tracking Mode is armed in preparation for descent path capture. 'VPTH' (or '/V' when Glidepath or Glideslope Mode is concurrently armed) is annunciated in white in addition to previously armed modes. If applicable, the appropriate altitude capture mode is armed for capture of the next VNV Target Altitude (ALTV) or the Selected Altitude (ALTS), whichever is greater.

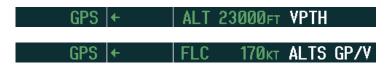


Figure 7-17 Vertical Path Tracking Armed Annunciations



Prior to descent path interception, the Selected Altitude must be set below the current aircraft altitude by at least 75 feet. For the flight director to transition from Altitude Hold to Vertical Path Tracking Mode, acknowledgment is required within five minutes of descent path interception by:

- Pressing the VNV Key
- Adjusting the Selected Altitude

If acknowledgment is not received within one minute of descent path interception, the white 'VPTH' annunciation starts to flash. Flashing continues until acknowledged or the descent path is intercepted. If the descent is not confirmed by the time of interception, Vertical Path Tracking Mode remains armed and the descent is not captured.

In conjunction with the "TOD [top of descent] within 1 minute" annunciation in the PFD Navigation Status Box and the "Vertical track" voice message, VNV indications (VNV Target Altitude, vertical deviation, and vertical speed required) appear on the PFDs in magenta (Figure 7-18).

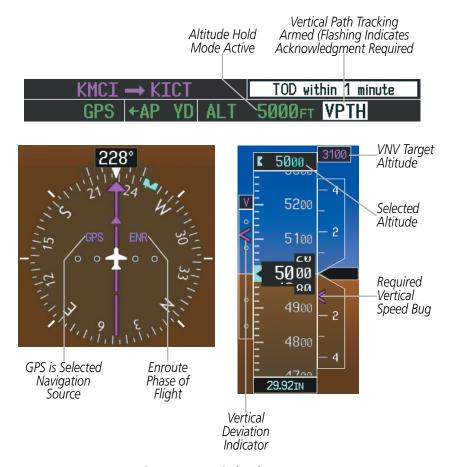


Figure 7-18 Vertical Path Capture



When a descent leg is captured (i.e., vertical deviation becomes valid), Vertical Path Tracking becomes active and tracks the descent profile (Figure 7-19). An altitude capture mode ('ALTS' or 'ALTV') is armed as appropriate.

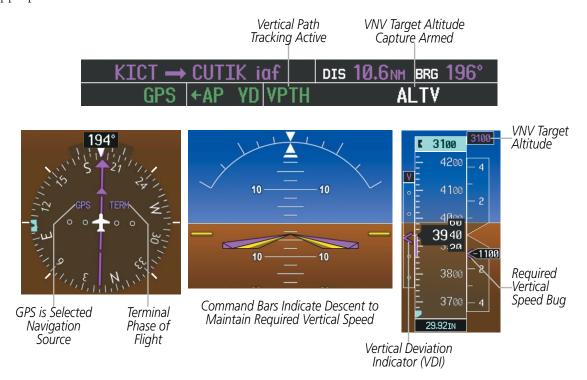


Figure 7-19 Vertical Path Tracking Mode

If the altimeter barometric setting is adjusted while Vertical Path Tracking is active, the flight director increases/decreases the descent rate by up to 500 fpm to re-establish the aircraft on the descent path (without commanding a climb). Adjusting the altimeter barometric setting creates discontinuities in VNV vertical deviation, moving the descent path. For large adjustments, it may take several minutes for the aircraft to reestablish on the descent path. If the change is made while nearing a waypoint with a VNV Target Altitude, the aircraft may not re-establish on the descent path in time to meet the vertical constraint.



### AUTOMATIC REVERSION TO PITCH HOLD MODE

Several situations can occur while Vertical Path Tracking Mode is active which cause the flight director to revert to Pitch Hold Mode:

- Vertical deviation exceeds 200 feet during an overspeed condition.
- Vertical deviation experiences a discontinuity that both exceeds 200 feet in magnitude and results in the vertical deviation exceeding 200 feet in magnitude. Such discontinuities are usually caused by flight plan changes that affect the vertical profile.
- Vertical deviation becomes invalid (the Vertical Deviation Indicator is removed from the PFD).
- A display enters Reversionary Mode (this does not apply to an active vertical direct-to).

Unless VNV is disabled, Vertical Path Tracking Mode and the appropriate altitude capture mode become armed following the reversion to Pitch Hold Mode to allow for possible profile recapture.

### Non-Path Descents

Pitch Hold, Vertical Speed, and Flight Level Change modes can also be used to fly non-path descents while VNV flight control is selected. If the **VS** or **FLC** Key is pressed while Vertical Path Tracking Mode is selected, Vertical Path Tracking Mode reverts to armed along with the appropriate altitude capture mode to allow profile re-capture.



Figure 7-20 Flight Level Change VNV Non-Path Descent

To prevent immediate profile re-capture, the following must be satisfied:

- At least 10 seconds have passed since the non-path transition was initiated
- Vertical deviation from the profile has exceeded 250 feet, but is now less than 200 feet
   Pressing the VNV Key twice re-arms Vertical Path Tracking for immediate profile re-capture.



### **VNV TARGET ALTITUDE CAPTURE MODE (ALTV)**



**NOTE:** Armed VNV Target Altitude and Selected Altitude capture modes are mutually exclusive. However, Selected Altitude Capture Mode is armed implicitly (not annunciated) whenever VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode is armed.

VNV Target Altitude Capture is analogous to Selected Altitude Capture Mode and is armed automatically after the **VNV** Key is pressed and the next VNV Target Altitude is to be intercepted before the Selected Altitude. The annunciation 'ALTV' indicates that the VNV Target Altitude is to be captured. VNV Target Altitudes are shown in the active flight plan or vertical direct-to, and can be entered manually or loaded from a database (see the GPS Navigation Section for details). At the same time as "TOD within 1 minute" is annunciated in the Navigation Status Box, the active VNV Target Altitude is displayed above the Vertical Speed Indicator.

As the aircraft nears the VNV Target Altitude, the flight director automatically transitions to VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode with Altitude Hold Mode armed. This automatic transition is indicated by the green 'ALTV' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds and the appearance of the white 'ALT' annunciation. The VNV Target Altitude is shown as the Altitude Reference beside the 'ALTV' annunciation and remains displayed above the Vertical Speed Indicator. The Required Vertical Speed Indication (RSVI) is removed once VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode becomes active.

At 50 feet from the VNV Target Altitude, the flight director automatically transitions from VNV Target Altitude Capture to Altitude Hold Mode and tracks the level leg. As Altitude Hold Mode becomes active, the white 'ALT' annunciation moves to the active vertical mode field and flashes green for 10 seconds to indicate the automatic transition. The flight director automatically arms Vertical Path Tracking, allowing upcoming descent legs to be captured and subsequently tracked.

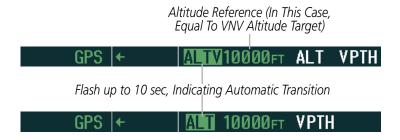


Figure 7-21 Automatic Mode Transitions During Altitude Capture

### CHANGING THE VNV TARGET ALTITUDE



**NOTE:** Pressing the **CWS** Button while in VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode does not cancel the mode.

Changing the current VNV Target Altitude while VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode is active causes the flight director to revert to Pitch Hold Mode. Vertical Path Tracking and the appropriate altitude capture mode are armed in preparation to capture the new VNV Target Altitude or the Selected Altitude, depending on which altitude is to be intercepted first.

VNV target altitudes can be changed while editing the active flight plan (see the GPS Navigation Section for details).



### **GLIDEPATH MODE (GP)**

Glidepath Mode is used to track the SBAS-based glidepath. When Glidepath Mode is armed, 'GP' is annunciated in white in the AFCS Status Box.

### **Selecting Glidepath Mode:**

- 1) Ensure a GPS approach is loaded into the active flight plan. The active waypoint must be part of the flight plan (cannot be a direct-to a waypoint not in the flight plan).
- **2)** Ensure that GPS is the selected navigation source (use the **CDI** Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- **3)** Press the **APR** Key.



**NOTE:** Some RNAV (GPS) approaches provide a vertical descent angle as an aid in flying a stabilized approach. These approaches are NOT considered Approaches with Vertical Guidance (APV). Approaches that are annunciated on the HSI as LNAV or LNAV+V are considered Nonprecision Approaches (NPA) and are flown to an MDA even though vertical glidepath (GP) information may be provided.



**WARNING:** When flying an LNAV approach (with vertical descent angle) with the autopilot coupled, the aircraft will not level off at the MDA even if the MDA is set in the altitude preselect.

Upon reaching the glidepath, the flight director transitions to Glidepath Mode and begins to capture and track the glidepath.

### GPS ←AP YD VPTH ALTS GP

Figure 7-22 Glidepath Mode Armed

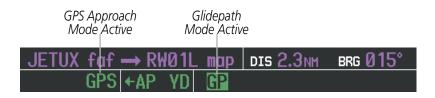
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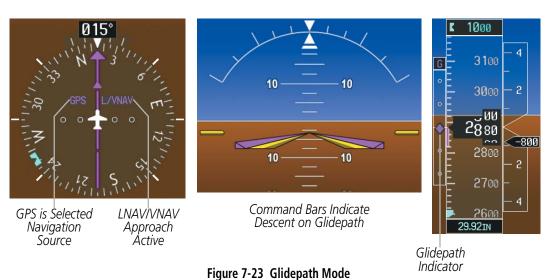
- A GPS approach with vertical guidance (LPV, LNAV/VNAV, LNAV+V) is loaded into the active flight plan.
- The active waypoint is at or after the final approach fix (FAF).
- Vertical deviation is valid.
- The CDI is at less than full-scale deviation.
- Automatic sequencing of waypoints has not been suspended (no 'SUSP' annunciation on the HSI)



**NOTE:** Pressing the **CWS** Button while Glidepath Mode is active does not cancel the mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the glidepath upon release of the **CWS** Button.







# **GLIDESLOPE MODE (GS)**

Glideslope Mode is available for LOC/ILS approaches to capture and track the glideslope. When Glideslope Mode is armed (annunciated as 'GS' in white), LOC Approach Mode is armed as the lateral flight director mode.

### **Selecting Glideslope Mode:**

- 1) Ensure a valid localizer frequency is tuned.
- **2)** Ensure that LOC is the selected navigation source (use the **CDI** Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- **3)** Press the **APR** Key.

Or:

- 1) Ensure that GPS is the selected navigation source (use the **CDI** Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- 2) Ensure a LOC/ILS approach is loaded into the active flight plan.
- **3)** Ensure the corresponding LOC frequency is tuned.
- 4) Press the APR Key.



Figure 7-24 Glideslope Mode Armed

Once LOC is the navigation source, the localizer and glideslope can be captured. Upon reaching the glideslope, the flight director transitions to Glideslope Mode and begins to capture and track the glideslope.



**NOTE:** Pressing the **CWS** Button while Glideslope Mode is active does not cancel the mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the glideslope upon release of the **CWS** Button.



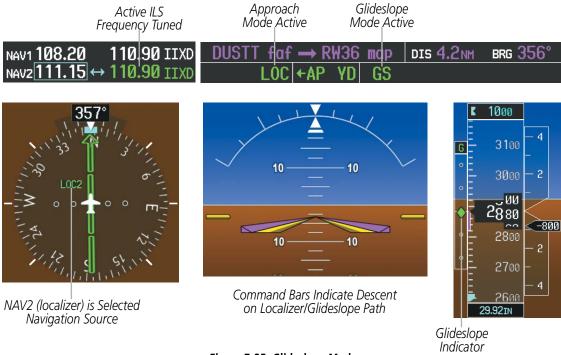


Figure 7-25 Glideslope Mode

# TAKEOFF (TO) AND GO AROUND (GA) MODES

Go Around and Takeoff modes are coupled pitch and roll modes and are annunciated as both the vertical and lateral modes when active. In these modes, the flight director commands a constant set pitch attitude and wings level. The **GA** Button is used to select both modes. The mode entered by the flight director depends on whether the aircraft is on the ground.

Takeoff Mode provides an attitude reference during rotation and takeoff. This mode can be selected only while on the ground by pushing the **GA** Button. The flight director Command Bars assume a wings-level, pitch-up attitude.

Pressing the **GA** Button while in the air activates the flight director in wings level, pitch-up attitudes, allowing the execution of a missed approach or a go around.



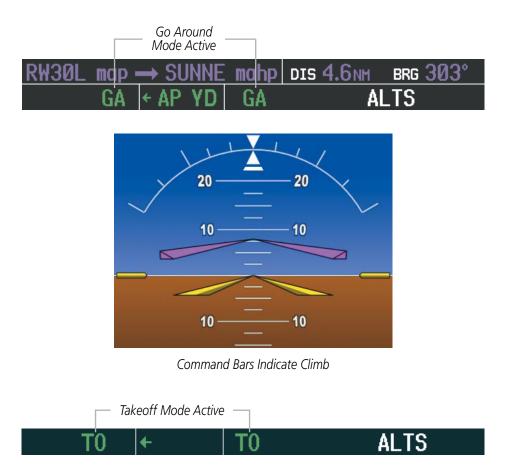


Figure 7-26 Takeoff and Go Around Modes

# **LEVEL MODE (LVL)**

Level (LVL) mode becomes active only as a function of Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP). Refer to the Additional Features section for a detailed discussion of the optional ESP feature.

When the normal flight envelope thresholds have been exceeded for more than 50% of the last 20 seconds, Level mode is activated. The autopilot will engage and provide input to bring the aircraft back into straight and level flight based on zero degrees roll angle and zero feet per minute vertical speed. An aural "ENGAGING AUTOPILOT" alert sounds and the lateral and vertical flight director annunciations will display "LVL". The AFCS will remain in Level mode until the pilot selects another mode.





# 7.4 LATERAL MODES

The following table relates each GFC 700 lateral mode to its respective control and annunciation. Refer to the vertical modes section for information regarding Go Around and Takeoff modes.

Lateral Mode	Description	Control	Annunciation	Maximum Roll Command Limit
Roll Hold	Holds the current aircraft roll attitude or rolls the wings level, depending on the commanded bank angle	(default)	ROL	25°
Low Bank	Limits the maximum commanded roll angle	<b>BANK</b> Key	*	15°
Heading Select	Captures and tracks the Selected Heading	<b>HDG</b> Key	HDG	25°
Navigation, GPS Arm/Capture/Track		NAV	GPS	25°
Navigation, VOR Enroute Arm/Capture/Track	Captures and tracks the selected navigation source (GPS, VOR,		VOR	25°
Navigation, LOC Arm/Capture/Track (No Glideslope)	LOC)	Key	LOC	25°
Backcourse Arm/Capture/Track	Captures and tracks a localizer signal for backcourse approaches	<b>BC</b> Key	ВС	25°
Approach, GPS Arm/Capture/Track		APR Key	GPS	25°
Approach, VOR Arm/Capture/Track	Captures and tracks the selected navigation source (GPS, VOR,		VAPP	25°
Approach, ILS Arm/Capture/Track (Glideslope Mode automatically armed)	LOC)	AFR Ney	LOC	25°
Takeoff	Commands a constant pitch angle and wings level on the ground in preparation for takeoff	<b>GA</b> Button	TO	Wings Level
Go Around**	Commands a constant pitch angle and wings level in the air	Bullon	GA	Wings Level
Level	Autopilot engages and commands wings level	***	LVL	Wings Level

<sup>\*</sup> No annunciation appears in the AFCS Status Box. The acceptable bank angle range is indicated in green along the Roll Scale of the Attitude Indicator.

**Table 7-3 Flight Director Lateral Modes** 

The **CWS** Button does not change lateral references for Heading Select, Navigation, Backcourse, or Approach Mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the Selected Heading/Course upon release of the **CWS** Button.

<sup>\*\*</sup>Go Around mode disengages the autopilot unless a compatible lift computer is installed.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup> Level mode can only become activated as a function of Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP). Refer to the Additional Features section for a detailed discussion of the optional ESP feature.



# **ROLL HOLD MODE (ROL)**



**NOTE:** If Roll Hold Mode is activated as a result of a mode reversion, the flight director rolls the wings level.

When the flight director is activated or switched, Roll Hold Mode is selected by default. This mode is annunciated as 'ROL' in the AFCS Status Box. The current aircraft bank angle is held, subject to the bank angle condition.



Figure 7-28 Roll Hold Mode Annunciation

Bank Angle	Flight Director Response
< 6°	Rolls wings level
6 to 25°	Maintains current aircraft roll attitude
> 25°	Limits bank to 25°

Table 7-4 Roll Hold Mode Responses

#### CHANGING THE ROLL REFERENCE

The roll reference can be changed by pressing the **CWS** Button, establishing the desired bank angle, then releasing the **CWS** Button.

### **LOW BANK MODE**

When in Low Bank Mode, the flight director limits the maximum commanded roll angle to 15°. Low bank arc limits are displayed in green along the Roll Scale.

Low Bank Mode can be manually selected/deselected by pressing the **BANK** Key while in Heading Select or Navigation Modes (GPS and VOR). Low Bank Mode is activated automatically above 20,500 feet. The flight director deactivates Low Bank Mode when descending through 20,500 feet. The annunciator light next to the **BANK** Key illuminates while Low Bank Mode is selected.

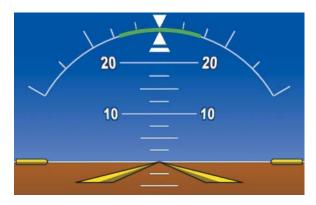


Figure 7-29 Low Bank Mode Limits



# **HEADING SELECT MODE (HDG)**

Heading Select Mode is activated by pressing the **HDG** Key. Heading Select Mode acquires and maintains the Selected Heading. The Selected Heading is shown by a light blue bug on the HSI and in the box to the upper left of the HSI.

### CHANGING THE SELECTED HEADING



**NOTE:** Pressing the **HDG** Knob synchronizes the Selected Heading to the current heading.

The Selected Heading is adjusted using the **HDG** Knob on either PFD. Pressing the **CWS** Button and handflying the aircraft does not change the Selected Heading. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the Selected Heading upon release of the **CWS** Button.

Turns are commanded in the same direction as Selected Heading Bug movement, even if the bug is turned more than 180° from the present heading (e.g., a 270° turn to the right). However, Selected Heading changes of more than 330° at a time result in turn reversals.

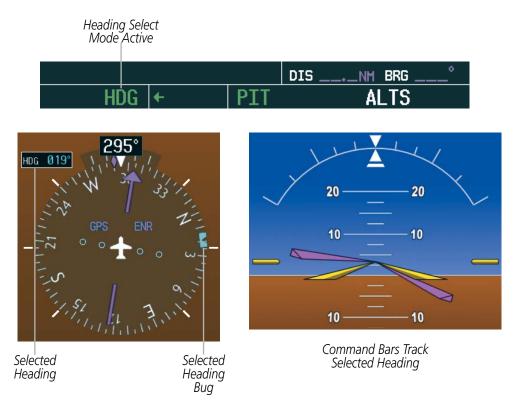


Figure 7-30 Heading Select Mode



### **NAVIGATION MODES (GPS, VOR, LOC)**



**NOTE:** The selected navigation receiver must have a valid VOR or LOC signal or active GPS course for the flight director to enter Navigation Mode.

Pressing the **NAV** Key selects Navigation Mode. Navigation Mode acquires and tracks the selected navigation source (GPS, VOR, LOC). The flight director follows GPS roll steering commands when GPS is the selected navigation source. When the navigation source is VOR or LOC, the flight director creates roll steering commands from the Selected Course and deviation. Navigation Mode can also be used to fly non-precision GPS and LOC approaches where vertical guidance is not required.

If the Course Deviation Indicator (CDI) shows greater than one dot when the **NAV** Key is pressed, the selected mode is armed. If the CDI shows less than one dot, Navigation Mode is automatically captured when the **NAV** Key is pressed. The armed annunciation appears in white to the left of the active lateral mode.



Figure 7-31 GPS Navigation Mode Armed

When the CDI has automatically switched from GPS to LOC during a LOC/ILS approach, GPS Navigation Mode remains active, providing GPS steering guidance until the localizer signal is captured. LOC Navigation Mode is armed automatically when the navigation source switch takes place if the **APR** Key is not pressed prior to the automatic source switch.

If Navigation Mode is active and either of the following occur, the flight director reverts to Roll Hold Mode (wings rolled level):

- Different VOR tuned while in VOR Navigation Mode (VOR Navigation Mode reverts to armed)
- Navigation source manually switched (with the **CDI** Softkey)
- During a LOC/ILS approach, the FAF is crossed while in GPS Navigation Mode after the automatic navigation source switch from GPS to LOC



### CHANGING THE SELECTED COURSE

If the navigation source is VOR or localizer or OBS Mode has been enabled when using GPS, the Selected Course is controlled using the **CRS** Knob corresponding to the selected flight director (**CRS1** for the pilot side, **CRS2** for the copilot side).

Pressing the **CWS** Button and hand-flying the aircraft does not change the Selected Course while in Navigation Mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the Selected Course (or GPS flight plan) when the **CWS** Button is released.

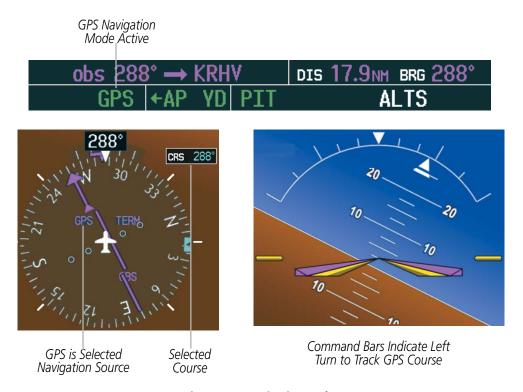


Figure 7-32 Navigation Mode



### **APPROACH MODES (GPS, VAPP, LOC)**



**NOTE:** The selected navigation receiver must have a valid VOR or LOC signal or active GPS course for the flight director to enter Approach Mode.

Approach Mode is activated when the **APR** Key is pressed. Approach Mode acquires and tracks the selected navigation source (GPS, VOR, or LOC), depending on loaded approach. This mode uses the selected navigation receiver deviation and desired course inputs to fly the approach. Pressing the **APR** Key when the CDI is greater than one dot arms the selected approach mode (annunciated in white to the left of the active lateral mode). If the CDI is less the 1 dot, the LOC is automatically captured when the **APR** Key is pressed.

VOR Approach Mode (VAPP) provides greater sensitivity for signal tracking than VOR Navigation Mode.

### **Selecting VOR Approach Mode:**

- 1) Ensure a valid VOR frequency is tuned
- **2)** Ensure that VOR is the selected navigation source (use the **CDI** Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- **3)** Press the **APR** Key.

When GPS Approach Mode is armed, Glidepath Mode is also armed.

### **Selecting GPS Approach Mode:**

- 1) Ensure a GPS approach is loaded into the active flight plan. The active waypoint must be part of the flight plan (cannot be a direct-to a waypoint not in the flight plan).
- **2)** Ensure that GPS is the selected navigation source (use the **CDI** Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- **3)** Press the **APR** Key.



Figure 7-33 GPS Approach Mode Armed



LOC Approach Mode allows the autopilot to fly a LOC/ILS approach with a glideslope. When LOC Approach Mode is armed, Glideslope Mode is also armed automatically. LOC captures are inhibited if the difference between aircraft heading and localizer course exceeds 105°.

### **Selecting LOC Approach Mode:**

- 1) Ensure a valid localizer frequency is tuned.
- Ensure that LOC is the selected navigation source (use the CDI Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- 3) Press the APR Key.

Or:

- 1) Ensure that GPS is the selected navigation source (use the **CDI** Softkey to cycle through navigation sources if necessary).
- **2)** Ensure a LOC/ILS approach is loaded into the active flight plan.
- **3)** Ensure the corresponding LOC frequency is tuned.
- **4)** Press the **APR** Key.

If the following occurs, the flight director reverts to Roll Hold Mode (wings rolled level):

- Approach Mode is active and a Vectors-To-Final is activated
- Approach Mode is active and Navigation source is manually switched
- During a LOC/ILS approach, GPS Navigation Mode is active and the FAF is crossed after the automatic navigation source switch from GPS to LOC

#### CHANGING THE SELECTED COURSE

If the navigation source is VOR or localizer or OBS Mode has been enabled when using GPS, the Selected Course is controlled using the **CRS** Knob corresponding to the selected flight director (**CRS1** for the pilot side, **CRS2** for the copilot side).

Pressing the **CWS** Button and hand-flying the aircraft does not change the Selected Course while in Approach Mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the Selected Course (or GPS flight plan) when the **CWS** Button is released.

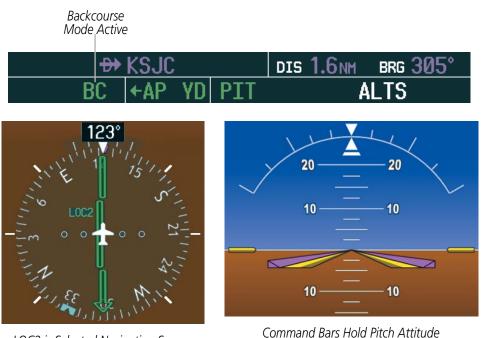


### **BACKCOURSE MODE (BC)**



**NOTE:** When making a backcourse approach, set the Selected Course to the localizer front course.

Backcourse Mode captures and tracks a localizer signal in the backcourse direction. The mode may be selected by pressing the **BC** Key. Backcourse Mode is armed if the CDI is greater than one dot when the mode is selected. If the CDI is less than one dot, Backcourse Mode is automatically captured when the **BC** Key is pressed. The flight director creates roll steering commands from the Selected Course and deviation when in Backcourse Mode.



LOC2 is Selected Navigation Source

Figure 7-34 Backcourse Mode

#### CHANGING THE SELECTED COURSE

If the navigation source is VOR or localizer or OBS Mode has been enabled when using GPS, the Selected Course is controlled using the CRS Knob corresponding to the selected flight director (CRS1 for the pilot side, **CRS2** for the copilot side).

Pressing the **CWS** Button and hand-flying the aircraft does not reset any reference data while in Backcourse Mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft back to the Selected Course when the **CWS** Button is released.



### INTERCEPTING AND FLYING A DME ARC

The AFCS will intercept and track a DME arc that is part of the active flight plan provided that GPS Navigation Mode is engaged, GPS is the active navigation source on the CDI, and the DME arc segment is the active flight plan leg. It is important to note that automatic navigation of DME arcs is based on GPS. Thus, even if the APR key is pressed and LOC or VOR Approach Mode is armed prior to reaching the Initial Approach Fix (IAF), Approach Mode will not activate until the arc segment is completed.

If the pilot decides to intercept the arc at a location other than the published IAF (i.e. ATC provides vectors to intercept the arc) and subsequently selects Heading Mode or Roll Mode, the AFCS will not automatically intercept or track the arc unless the pilot activates the arc leg of the flight plan and arms GPS Navigation Mode. The AFCS will not intercept and fly a DME arc before reaching an IAF that defines the beginning of the arc segment. Likewise, if at any point while established on the DME arc the pilot deselects GPS Navigation Mode, the AFCS will no longer track the arc.

# **LEVEL MODE (LVL)**

Level (LVL) mode becomes active only as a function of Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP). Refer to the Additional Features section for a detailed discussion of the optional ESP feature.

When the normal flight envelope thresholds have been exceeded for more than 50% of the last 20 seconds, Level mode is activated. The autopilot will engage and provide input to bring the aircraft back into straight and level flight based on zero degrees roll angle and zero feet per minute vertical speed. An aural "ENGAGING AUTOPILOT" alert sounds and the lateral and vertical flight director annunciations will display "LVL". The AFCS will remain in Level mode until the pilot selects another mode.

LVL ←AP LVL

Figure 7-35 Level Mode



### 7.5 AUTOPILOT AND YAW DAMPER OPERATION



**NOTE:** Refer to the POH/AFM for specific instructions regarding emergency procedures.

The autopilot and yaw damper operate the flight control surface servos to provide automatic flight control. The autopilot controls the aircraft pitch and roll attitudes following commands received from the flight director. Pitch autotrim provides trim commands to the pitch trim servo to relieve any sustained effort required by the pitch servo. Autopilot operation is independent of the yaw damper.

The yaw damper reduces Dutch roll tendencies and coordinates turns. It can operate independently of the autopilot and may be used during normal hand-flight maneuvers. Yaw rate commands are limited to 6 deg/sec by the yaw damper.

### **FLIGHT CONTROL**

Pitch and roll commands are provided to the servos based on the active flight director modes. Yaw damping is provided by the yaw servo. Servo motor control limits the maximum servo speed and torque. The servo gearboxes are equipped with slip-clutches set to certain values. This allows the servos to be overridden in case of an emergency.

#### PITCH AXIS AND TRIM

The autopilot pitch axis uses pitch rate to stabilize the aircraft pitch attitude during flight director maneuvers. Flight director pitch commands are rate- and attitude-limited, combined with pitch damper control, and sent to the pitch servo motor. The pitch servo measures the output effort (torque) and provides this signal to the pitch trim servo. The pitch trim servo commands the motor to reduce the average pitch servo effort.

When the autopilot is not engaged, the pitch trim servo may be used to provide manual electric pitch trim (MEPT). This allows the aircraft to be trimmed using a control wheel switch rather than the trim wheel. Manual trim commands are generated only when both halves of the **MEPT** Switch are operated simultaneously. Trim speeds are scheduled with airspeed to provide more consistent response.

The pilot side **MEPT** Switch has priority over the copilot side **MEPT** Switch.

#### **ROLL AXIS**

The autopilot roll axis uses roll rate to stabilize aircraft roll attitude during flight director maneuvers. The flight director roll commands are rate- and attitude-limited, combined with roll damper control, and sent to the roll servo motor.

#### YAW AXIS

The yaw damper uses yaw rate and roll attitude to dampen the aircraft's natural Dutch roll response. It also uses lateral acceleration to coordinate turns.



#### **ENGAGEMENT**



**NOTE:** Autopilot engagement/disengagement is not equivalent to servo engagement/disengagement. Use the **CWS** Button to disengage the pitch and roll servos while the autopilot remains active.

When the **AP** Key is pressed, the autopilot, yaw damper, and flight director (if not already active) are activated and the annunciator lights on the AFCS controller for the autopilot and yaw damper are illuminated. The flight director engages in Pitch and Roll Hold Modes when initially activated.



Figure 7-36 Autopilot and Yaw Damper Engaged

When the **YD** Key is pressed, the system engages the yaw damper independently of the autopilot and the yaw damper annunciator light is illuminated.

Autopilot and yaw damper status are displayed in the center of the AFCS Status Box. Engagement is indicated by green 'AP' and 'YD' annunciations, respectively.

### **CONTROL WHEEL STEERING**

During autopilot operation, the aircraft may be hand-flown without disengaging the autopilot. Pressing and holding the **CWS** Button disengages the pitch and roll servos from the flight control surfaces and allows the aircraft to be hand-flown. At the same time, the flight director is synchronized to the aircraft attitude during the maneuver. CWS activity has no effect on yaw damper engagement.

The 'AP' annunciation is temporarily replaced by 'CWS' in white for the duration of CWS maneuvers.



Figure 7-37 CWS Annunciation

In most scenarios, releasing the **CWS** Button reengages the autopilot with a new reference. Refer to flight director mode descriptions for specific CWS behavior in each mode.



### DISENGAGEMENT

The autopilot is manually disengaged by pushing the **AP** Key on the AFCS Control Unit or the **MEPT ARM** Switch. Manual autopilot disengagement is indicated by a five-second flashing yellow 'AP' annunciation and a three-second autopilot disconnect aural alert.



Figure 7-38 Manual Autopilot Disengagement

Pushing the **AP/YD DISC** Switch disengages both the yaw damper and the autopilot. When the yaw damper and autopilot are manually disengaged, both the 'AP' and 'YD' annunciation turn yellow and flash for 5 seconds and a three-second autopilot disconnect aural alert is generated.



Figure 7-39 Yaw Damper Disengagement

After manual disengagement, the autopilot disconnect aural alert may be cancelled by pushing the **MEPT** ARM or **AP/YD DISC** Switch (**AP/YD DISC** Switch also cancels the flashing 'AP' annunciation).

Automatic autopilot disengagement is indicated by a flashing red and white 'AP' annunciation and by the autopilot disconnect aural alert, which continue until acknowledged by pushing the **AP/YD DISC** or **MEPT** ARM Switch. Automatic autopilot disengagement occurs due to:

- System failure
- Invalid sensor data
- Inability to compute default flight director modes (FD also disengages automatically)

Yaw damper disengagement is indicated by a five-second flashing yellow 'YD' annunciation. Automatic yaw damper disengagement occurs when autopilot disengagement is caused by failure in a parameter also affecting the yaw damper. This means the yaw damper can remain operational in some cases where the autopilot automatically disengages. A localized failure in the yaw damper system or invalid sensor data also cause yaw damper disengagement.



Figure 7-40 Automatic Autopilot and Yaw Damper Disengagement



## 7.6 EXAMPLE FLIGHT PLAN



**NOTE:** The following example flight plan and diagrams (not to be used for navigation) in this section are for instructional purposes only and should be considered not current. Numbered portions of accompanying diagrams correspond to numbered procedure steps.

This scenario-based set of procedures (based on the example flight plan found in the Flight Management Section) shows various GFC 700 AFCS modes used during a flight. In this scenario, the aircraft departs Charles B. Wheeler Downtown Airport (KMKC), enroute to Colorado Springs Airport (KCOS). After departure, the aircraft climbs to 12,000 ft and airway V4 is intercepted, following ATC vectors.

Airway V4 is flown to Salina VOR (SLN) using VOR navigation, then airway V244 is flown using GPS Navigation. The ILS approach for runway 35L and LPV (WAAS) approach for runway 35R are shown and a missed approach is executed.

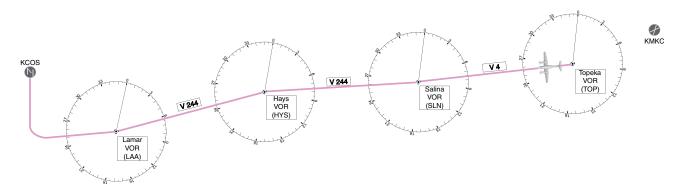


Figure 7-41 Flight Plan Overview



### **DEPARTURE**

### Climbing to the Selected Altitude and flying an assigned heading:

- **1)** Before takeoff:
- a) Use the ALT SEL Knob to set the Selected Altitude to 12,000 feet.
- **b)** Push the **GA** Button to activate Takeoff Mode. The flight director Command Bars establish a pitch up attitude to follow.



c) Press the AP Key to engage the autopilot in a climb, holding the pitch angle commanded in Takeoff Mode and wings level.



2) In this example, Vertical Speed Mode is used to capture the Selected Altitude (Pitch Hold, Vertical Speed, or Flight Level Change Mode may be used).

**Pr**ess the **VS** Key to activate Vertical Speed Mode.

The Vertical Speed Reference may be adjusted after Vertical Speed Mode is selected using the **NOSE UP/DN** Wheel or pushing the **CWS** Button while hand-flying the aircraft to establish a new Vertical Speed Reference.



3) Use the **HDG** Knob to set the Selected Heading, complying with ATC vectors to intercept Airway V4.

Press the **HDG** Key to activate Heading Select Mode while the autopilot is engaged in the climb. The autopilot follows the Selected Heading Bug on the HSI and turns the aircraft to the desired heading.



**4)** As the aircraft nears the Selected Altitude, the flight director transitions to Selected Altitude Capture Mode, indicated by the green 'ALTS' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds.



At 50 feet from the Selected Altitude, the green 'ALT' annunciation flashes for up to 10 seconds; the autopilot transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and levels the aircraft.





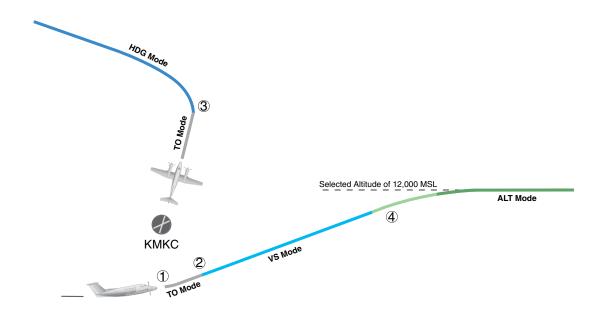


Figure 7-42 Departure



### INTERCEPTING A VOR RADIAL

During climb-out, the autopilot continues to fly the aircraft in Heading Select Mode. Airway V4 to Salina VOR (SLN) should now be intercepted. Since the enroute flight plan waypoints correspond to VORs, flight director Navigation Mode using either VOR or GPS as the navigation source may be used. In this scenario, VOR Navigation Mode is used for navigation to the first VOR waypoint in the flight plan.

### Intercepting a VOR radial:

- **1)** Arm VOR Navigation Mode:
- a) Tune the VOR frequency.
- **b)** Press the **CDI** Softkey to set the navigation source to VOR.
- c) Use the **CRS1** or **CRS2** Knob to set the Selected Course to the desired value, 255°. Note that at this point, the flight director is still in Heading Select Mode and the autopilot continues to fly the Selected Heading, 290°.
- **d)** Press the **NAV** Key. This arms VOR Navigation Mode and the white 'VOR' annunciation appears to the left of the active lateral mode.

## VOR HDG ← AP YD | ALT 12000FT

2) As the aircraft nears the Selected Course, the flight director transitions from Heading Select to VOR Navigation Mode and the 'VOR' annunciation flashes green. The autopilot begins turning to intercept the Selected Course.

## VOR | ← AP YD | ALT 12000FT

**3)** The autopilot continues the turn until the aircraft is established on the Selected Course.

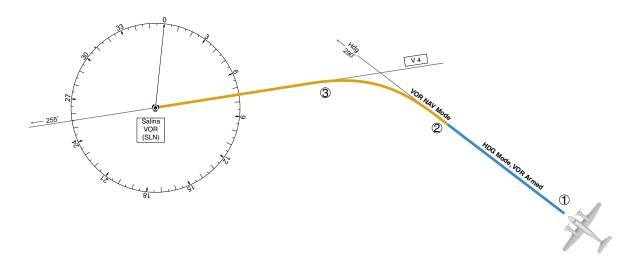


Figure 7-43 Intercepting a VOR Radial



### FLYING A FLIGHT PLAN/GPS COURSE



**NOTE:** Changing the navigation source cancels Navigation Mode and causes the flight director to revert back to Roll Hold Mode (wings rolled level).

As the aircraft closes on Salina VOR, GPS is used to navigate the next leg, airway V244. The aircraft is currently tracking inbound on Airway V4.

## Flying a GPS flight plan:

- 1) Transition from VOR to GPS Navigation Mode:
- a) Press the CDI Softkey until GPS is the selected navigation source.
- **b)** Press the **NAV** Key to activate GPS Navigation Mode. The autopilot guides the aircraft along the active flight plan leg.

### GPS |←AP YD | ALT 12000FT

2) Following the flight plan, the autopilot continues to steer the aircraft under GPS guidance. Note that in GPS Navigation Mode, course changes defined by the flight plan are automatically made without pilot action required.

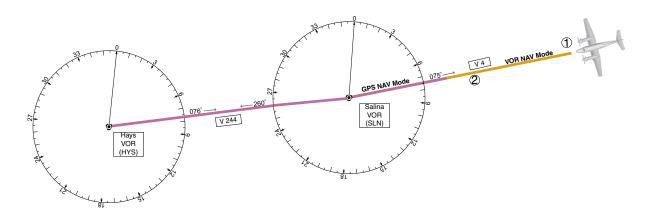


Figure 7-44 Transition to GPS Flight Plan



### **DESCENT**

While flying the arrival procedure, the aircraft is cleared for descent in preparation for the approach to KCOS. Three methods are presented for descent:

- Flight Level Change descent Flight Level Change Mode can be used to descend to the Selected Altitude at a constant airspeed. This descent method does not account for flight plan waypoint altitude constraints.
- Vertical Path Tracking descent Vertical Path Tracking Mode is used to follow the vertical descent path defined in the GPS flight plan. Altitude constraints correspond to waypoints in the flight plan. Before VNV flight control can provide vertical profile guidance, a VNV flight plan must be entered and enabled.
- Non-path descent in a VNV scenario A VNV flight plan is entered and enabled, however Pitch Hold, Vertical Speed, or Flight Level Change Mode can be used to descend to the VNV Target Altitude prior to reaching the planned TOD. Flight Level Change Mode is used in the example.

### Flight Level Change descent:

- 1) Select Flight Level Change Mode:
  - a) Using the ALT SEL Knob, set the Selected Altitude to 10,000 feet.
  - **b)** Press the **FLC** Key to activate Flight Level Change Mode. The annunciation 'FLC' appears next to the Airspeed Reference, which defaults to the current aircraft airspeed. Selected Altitude Capture Mode is armed automatically.



c) If desired press the **SPD** Key to display the Airspeed Reference in Mach.

GPS |←AP YD | FLC M.400 ALTS

- 2) Use the NOSE UP/DN Wheel or push the CWS Button while hand-flying the aircraft to adjust the commanded airspeed while maintaining the same power, or reduce power to allow descent in Flight Level Change Mode while the autopilot maintains the current airspeed.
- **3)** As the aircraft nears the Selected Altitude, the flight director transitions to Selected Altitude Capture Mode, indicated by the green 'ALTS' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds.



The green 'ALT' annunciation flashes for up to 10 seconds upon reaching 50 feet from the Selected Altitude; the autopilot transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and levels the aircraft.

GPS ←AP YD A■ 10000FT



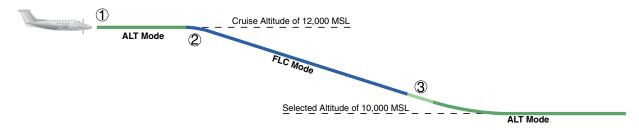


Figure 7-45 FLC Descent



### Vertical Path Tracking descent to VNV Target Altitude:

- **1)** Select VNV flight control:
- a) Press the **VNV** Key to arm Vertical Path Tracking Mode. The white annunciation 'VPTH' appears.

## GPS ←AP YD ALT 12000FT VPTH

- **b)** Using the **ALT SEL** Knob, set the Selected Altitude below the flight plan's VNV Target Altitude of 10,000 feet.
  - If the Selected Altitude is not at least 75 ft below the VNV Target Altitude, the flight director captures the Selected Altitude rather than the VNV Target Altitude once Vertical Path Tracking Mode becomes active (ALTS is armed rather than ALTV).
- c) If Vertical Path Tracking Mode is armed more than 5 minutes prior to descent path capture, acknowledgment is required for the flight director to transition from Altitude Hold to Vertical Path Tracking Mode. To proceed with descent path capture if the white 'VPTH' annunciation begins flashing, do one of the following
  - Press the **VNV** Key
  - Turn the ALT SEL Knob to adjust the Selected Altitude

If the descent is not confirmed by the time of interception, Vertical Path Tracking Mode remains armed and the descent is not captured.

2) When the top of descent (TOD) is reached, the flight director transitions to Vertical Path Tracking Mode and begins the descent to the VNV Target Altitude. Intention to capture the VNV Target Altitude is indicated by the white 'ALTV' annunciation.

### GPS | ←AP YD | VPTH ALTV

3) As the aircraft nears the VNV Target Altitude, the flight director transitions to VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode, indicated by the green 'ALTV' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds.

# GPS ←AP YD ALTV10000FT ALT

The green 'ALT' annunciation flashes for up to 10 seconds upon reaching 50 feet from the VNV Target Altitude; the autopilot transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and levels the aircraft at the vertical waypoint.

# GPS ←AP YD A 10000FT



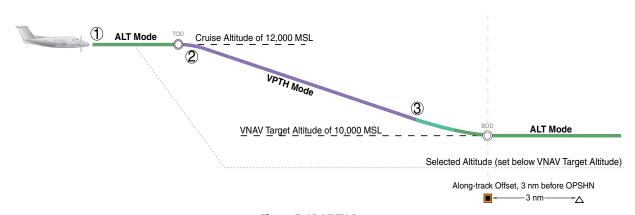


Figure 7-46 VPTH Descent



### Non-path descent using Flight Level Change Mode:

- 1) Using Flight Level Change Mode, command a non-path descent to an intermediate altitude above the next VNV flight plan altitude.
  - **a)** Using the **ALT SEL** Knob, set the Selected Altitude below the current aircraft altitude to an altitude (in this case, 9,400 feet) at which to level off between VNV flight plan altitudes.
  - **b)** Press the **FLC** Key before the planned TOD during an altitude hold while VPTH is armed. The Airspeed Reference defaults to the current aircraft airspeed. Vertical Path Tracking and Selected Altitude Capture Mode are armed automatically.

## GPS |←AP YD | FLC 184kT ALTS VPTH

- 2) Reduce power to allow descent in Flight Level Change Mode. The autopilot maintains the Airspeed Reference.
- 3) As the aircraft nears the Selected Altitude, the flight director transitions to Selected Altitude Capture Mode, indicated by the green 'ALTS' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds.

## GPS ←AP YD MIS 9400ft ALT VPTH

The green 'ALT' annunciation flashes for up to 10 seconds upon reaching 50 feet from the Selected Altitude; the autopilot transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and levels the aircraft. After leveling off reset Selected Altitude at or below 9,000 ft.

## GPS ←AP YD ALT 9400ft VPTH

**4)** When the next TOD is reached, Vertical Path Tracking becomes active (may require acknowledgment to allow descent path capture).

# GPS |←AP YD | VPTH ALTV

5) As the aircraft nears the VNV Target Altitude, the flight director transitions to VNV Target Altitude Capture Mode, indicated by the green 'ALTV' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds.

# GPS ←AP YD MENV 9000FT ALT

The green 'ALT' annunciation flashes for up to 10 seconds upon reaching 50 feet from the VNV Target Altitude; the autopilot transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and levels the aircraft at the vertical waypoint.

GPS ←AP YD ALT 9000FT



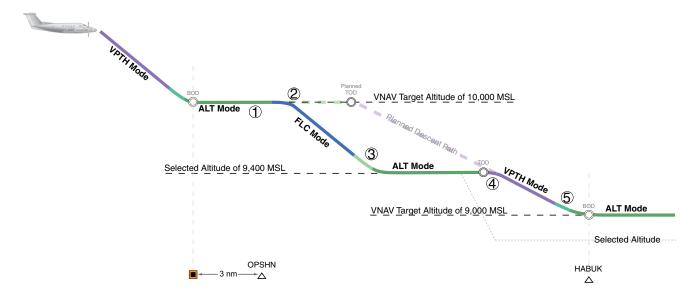


Figure 7-47 Non-path Descent



### **APPROACH**



**NOTE:** If an approach contains a DME arc, the arc must be flown in Navigation Mode with the GFC 700. When receiving vectors from ATC, Navigation Mode must be selected prior to intercepting the ARC.

### Flying an ILS approach:

- 1) Transition from GPS Navigation Mode to Heading Select Mode.
- **a)** Select the Runway 35L ILS approach for KCOS and select 'VECTORS' for the transition. Load and activate the approach into the flight plan.
- **b)** Use the **HDG** Knob to set the Selected Heading after getting vectors from ATC.
- c) Press the **HDG** Key. The autopilot turns the aircraft to the desired heading.
- **d)** Use Heading Select Mode to comply with ATC vectors as requested.

## HDG |←AP YD | ALT 9000FT

- 2) Arm LOC Approach and Glideslope modes.
  - **a)** Ensure the appropriate localizer frequency is tuned.
  - **b)** Press the **APR** Key when cleared for approach to arm Approach and Glideslope modes. 'LOC' and 'GS' appear in white as armed mode annunciations.

# LOC HDG ←AP YD ALT 9000FT GS

- **c)** The navigation source automatically switches to LOC. After this switch occurs, the localizer signal can be captured and the flight director determines when to begin the turn to intercept the final approach course. The flight director now provides guidance to the missed approach point.
- **3)** There are two options available at this point, as the autopilot flies the ILS approach:
  - Push the **AP/YD DISC** Switch at the decision height and land the aircraft.
  - Use the **GA** Button to execute a missed approach.



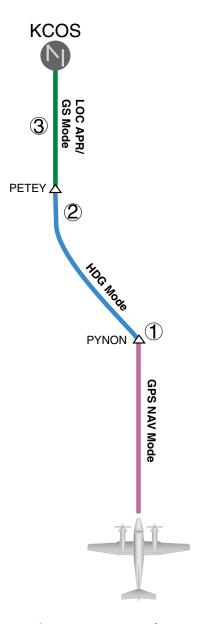


Figure 7-48 ILS Approach to KCOS



### Flying a RNAV GPS approach with vertical guidance:

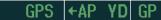


**WARNING:** When flying an LNAV approach (with vertical guidance) with the autopilot coupled, the aircraft will not level off at the MDA even if the MDA is set in the altitude preselect.

- 1) Arm flight director modes for a RNAV GPS approach with vertical guidance:
- **a)** Make sure the navigation source is set to GPS (use **CDI** Softkey to change navigation source).
- **b)** Select the Runway 35R LPV approach for KCOS. Load and activate the approach into the flight plan.
- 2) Press the **APR** Key once clearance for approach has been received. GPS Approach Mode is activated and Glidepath Mode is armed.

## GPS +AP YD VPTH ALTS GP

**3)** Once the glidepath is captured, Glidepath Mode becomes active. The flight director now provides guidance to the missed approach point.



- **4)** There are two options available at this point, as the autopilot flies the approach:
  - Push the **AP/YD DISC** Switch at the decision height and land the aircraft.
  - Use the **GA** Button to execute a missed approach.



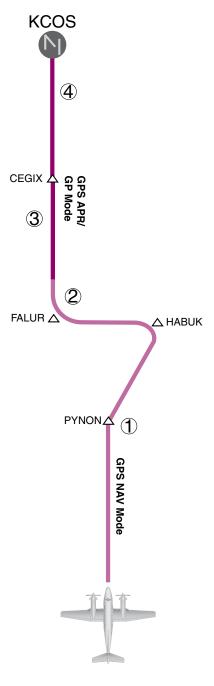


Figure 7-49 LPV Approach to KCOS



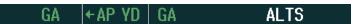
### GO AROUND/MISSED APPROACH



**NOTE:** As a result of calculations performed by the system while flying the holding pattern, the display may re-size automatically and the aircraft may not precisely track the holding pattern as depicted on the PFD and MFD.

### Flying a missed approach:

1) Push the **GA** Button at the Decision height and apply go-around power to execute a missed approach. If a compatible lift computer is installed, the autopilot will remain engaged and the flight director will indicate nose-up and wings level attitudes. If flying an ILS or LOC approach the CDI will switch to GPS as the navigation source.



2) Start the climb to the prescribed altitude in the published Missed Approach Procedure (in this case, 10,000 ft). Upon reaching the appropriate altitude, press the **NAV** Key climb to have the autopilot fly to the hold.



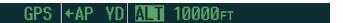
3) Use the **ALT SEL** Knob to set a Selected Altitude to hold.

To hold the current airspeed during the climb, press the FLC Key.



As the aircraft nears the Selected Altitude, the flight director transitions to Selected Altitude Capture Mode, indicated by the green 'ALTS' annunciation flashing for up to 10 seconds.

The green 'ALT' annunciation flashes for up to 10 seconds upon reaching 50 feet from the Selected Altitude; the autopilot transitions to Altitude Hold Mode and levels the aircraft.



**4)** The autopilot flies the holding pattern after the missed approach is activated. Annunciations are displayed in the Navigation Status Box, above the AFCS Status Box.





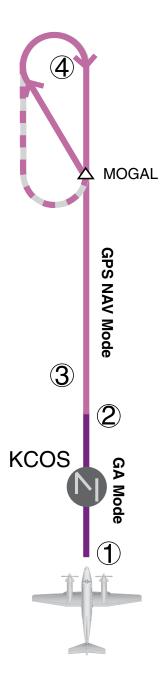


Figure 7-50 Go Around/Missed Approach



## 7.7 AFCS ANNUNCIATIONS AND ALERTS

### **AFCS STATUS ALERTS**

The annunciations in Table 7-5 (listed in order of increasing priority) can appear on the PFDs above the Airspeed and Attitude indicators. Only one annunciation may occur at a time, and messages are prioritized by criticality.



Figure 7-51 AFCS Status Annunciation

Alert Condition	Annunciation	Description
Rudder Mistrim Right	RUD→	Yaw servo providing sustained force in the indicated direction
Rudder Mistrim Left	<b>←</b> RUD	
Aileron Mistrim Right	AIL→	Doll corporations systemed force in the indicated direction
Aileron Mistrim Left	<b>←AIL</b>	Roll servo providing sustained force in the indicated direction
Elevator Mistrim Down	<b>↓ELE</b>	Pitch servo providing sustained force in the indicated direction
Elevator Mistrim Up	<b>↑ELE</b>	
Pitch Trim Failure	ртрм	If AP engaged, take control of the aircraft and disengage AP
(or stuck <b>MEPT</b> Switch)	FIRM	If AP disengaged, move <b>MEPT</b> switches separately to unstick
Yaw Damper Failure	YAW	YD control failure
Roll Failure	ROLL	Roll axis control failure; AP and YD inoperative
Pitch Failure	PTCH	Pitch axis control failure; AP and YD inoperative
System Failure	<b>AFCS</b>	AP and MEPT are unavailable; FD may still be available, but YD inoperative
Preflight Test	PFT	Performing preflight system test; aural alert sounds at completion  Do not press the <b>AP/YD DISC</b> Switch during servo power-up and preflight system tests as this may cause the preflight system test to fail or never to start (if servos fail their power-up tests). Power must be cycled to the servos to remedy the situation.
	PFT	Preflight system test failed; aural alert sounds at failure

**Table 7-5 AFCS Status Alerts** 



### OVERSPEED PROTECTION



### NOTE: Overspeed protection is not active in ALT, GS or GP modes.

While Pitch Hold, Vertical Speed, Flight Level Change, Vertical Path Tracking, or an altitude capture mode is active, airspeed is monitored by the flight director. Overspeed protection is provided to limit the flight director's pitch command in situations where the flight director cannot acquire and maintain the mode reference for the selected vertical mode without exceeding the certified maximum autopilot airspeed.

When Overspeed Protection is active, the Airspeed Reference appears in a box above the Airspeed Indicator, flashing a yellow 'MAXSPD' annunciation. Engine power should be reduced and/or the pitch reference adjusted to slow the aircraft. The annunciation disappears when the overspeed condition is resolved.

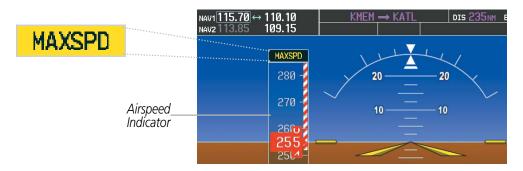


Figure 7-52 Overspeed Annunciation



## 7.8 ABNORMAL OPERATION

### SUSPECTED AUTOPILOT MALFUNCTION



**NOTE:** Consult the aircraft documentation for the location of circuit breakers as well as specifics that may supplement or amplify this procedure.

If an autopilot failure or trim failure is suspected to have occurred, perform the following steps:

- 1) Firmly grasp the control wheel.
- 2) Press and hold the AP/YD DISC Switch. The autopilot will disconnect and power is removed from the trim motor. Power is also removed from all primary servo motors and engaged solenoids. Note the visual and aural alerting indicating autopilot disconnect.
- 3) Retrim the aircraft as needed. Substantial trim adjustment may be needed.
- **4)** Pull the appropriate circuit breaker(s) to electrically isolate the servo and solenoid components.
- 5) Release the **AP/YD DISC** Switch.

### **OVERPOWERING AUTOPILOT SERVOS**

In the context of this discussion, "overpowering" refers to any pressure or force applied to the pitch controls when the autopilot is engaged. A small amount of pressure or force on the pitch controls can cause the autopilot automatic trim to run to an out-of-trim condition. Therefore, any application of pressure or force to the controls should be avoided when the autopilot is engaged.

Overpowering the autopilot during flight will cause the autopilot's automatic trim to run, resulting in an outof-trim condition or cause the trim to hit the stop if the action is prolonged. In this case, larger than anticipated control forces are required after the autopilot is disengaged.

The following steps should be added to the preflight check:

- 1) Check for proper autopilot operation and ensure the autopilot can be overpowered.
- 2) Note the forces required to overpower the autopilot servo clutches.



## **SECTION 8 ADDITIONAL FEATURES**



**NOTE:** With the availability of SafeTaxi®, ChartView, or FliteCharts®, it may be necessary to carry another source of charts on-board the aircraft.

Additional features of the system include the following:

- Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT)
- SafeTaxi® diagrams
- ChartView and FliteCharts® electronic charts
- AOPA or AC-U-KWIK Airport Directory
- Satellite telephone and SMS messaging services
- Wi-Fi connections
- SiriusXM Satellite Radio entertainment
- Scheduler
- Flight Data Logging
- Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP<sup>™</sup>) System

The optional Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT) provides a three-dimensional forward view of terrain features on the PFD. SVT imagery shows the pilot's view of relevant features in relation to the aircraft attitude, as well as the flight path pertaining to the active flight plan.

SafeTaxi diagrams provide detailed taxiway, runway, and ramp information at more than 700 airports in the United States. By decreasing range on an airport that has a SafeTaxi diagram available, a close up view of the airport layout can be seen.

The optional ChartView and FliteCharts provide on-board electronic terminal procedures charts. Electronic charts offer the convenience of rapid access to essential information. Either ChartView or FliteCharts may be configured in the system, but not both.

The AOPA and AC-U-KWIK Airport Directories offer detailed information for a selected airport, such as available services, hours of operation, and lodging options.

Iridium Telephone Services and SMS messaging is an optional subscription service offered through Garmin Connext and Iridium Satellite LLC. Voice and SMS messaging communications are through the Iridium Satellite Network. Data communications are through Iridium Data Services, or a wireless network (Wi-Fi) when the aircraft is on the ground.

The optional SiriusXM Satellite Radio entertainment audio feature of the GDL 69A Data Link Receiver handles more than 170 channels of music, news, and sports. SiriusXM Satellite Radio offers more entertainment choices and longer range coverage than commercial broadcast stations.

The Scheduler feature can be used to enter and display short term or long term reminder messages such as Switch fuel tanks, Change oil, or Altimeter-Transponder Check in the Messages Window on the PFD.

The Flight Data Logging feature automatically stores critical flight and engine data on an SD data card. Approximately 1,000 flight hours can be recorded for each 1GB of available space on the card.

The Electronic Stability and Protection (ESP $^{\text{IM}}$ ) system discourages aircraft operation outside the normal flight envelope.



# 8.1 SYNTHETIC VISION TECHNOLOGY (SVT)



**WARNING**: Use appropriate primary systems for navigation, and for terrain, obstacle, and traffic avoidance. SVT is intended as an aid to situational awareness only and may not provide either the accuracy or reliability upon which to solely base decisions and/or plan maneuvers to avoid terrain, obstacles, or traffic.

The optional Synthetic Vision Technology (SVT) is a visual enhancement to the G1000 Integrated Flight Deck. SVT depicts a forward-looking attitude display of the topography immediately in front of the aircraft. The field of view is 30 degrees to the left and 35 degrees to the right. SVT information is shown on the Primary Flight Display (PFD), or on the Multifunction Display (MFD) in Reversionary Mode (Figure 8-128). The depicted imagery is derived from the aircraft attitude, heading, GPS three-dimensional position, and a nine arc-second database of terrain, obstacles, and other relevant features. The terrain data resolution of nine arc-seconds, meaning that the terrain elevation contours are stored in squares measuring nine arc-seconds on each side, is required for the operation of SVT. Loss of any of the required data, including temporary loss of the GPS signal, will cause SVT to be disabled until the required data is restored.

The SVT terrain display shows land contours (colors are consistent with those of the topographical map display), large water features, towers, and other obstacles over 200' AGL that are included in the obstacle database. Cultural features on the ground such as roads, highways, railroad tracks, cities, and state boundaries are not displayed even if those features are found on the MFD map. The terrain display also includes a north–south east–west grid with lines oriented with true north and spaced at one arc-minute intervals to assist in orientation relative to the terrain.

The Terrain Awareness and Warning System (TAWS) is integrated within SVT to provide visual and auditory alerts to indicate the presence of terrain and obstacle threats relevant to the projected flight path. Terrain alerts are displayed in red and yellow shading on the PFD.

The terrain display is intended for situational awareness only. It may not provide the accuracy or fidelity on which to base decisions and plan maneuvers to avoid terrain or obstacles. Navigation must not be predicated solely upon the use of the TAWS terrain or obstacle data displayed by the SVT.

The following SVT enhancements appear on the PFD:

- Pathways
- Flight Path Marker
- Horizon Heading Marks
- Traffic Display

- Airport Signs
- Runway Display
- Terrain Alerting
- Obstacle Alerting





Figure 8-1 Synthetic Vision Imagery

### **SVT OPERATION**

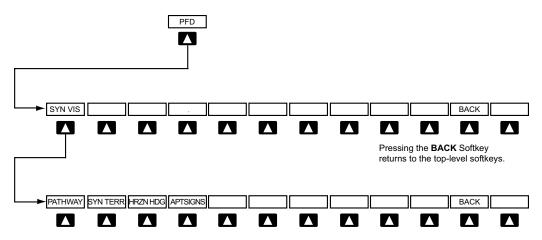
SVT is activated from the PFD using the softkeys located along the bottom edge of the display. Pressing the softkeys turns the related function on or off. When SVT is enabled, the pitch attitude scale is reduced from 20 degrees up and down to 10 degrees up to 7.5 degrees down.

SVT functions are displayed on three levels of softkeys. The **PFD** Softkey leads into the PFD function Softkeys, including synthetic vision. Pressing the **SYN VIS** Softkey displays the SVT feature softkeys. The softkeys are labeled **PATHWAY**, **SYN TERR**, **HRZN HDG**, and **APTSIGNS**. The **BACK** Softkey returns to the previous level of softkeys. Synthetic Terrain must be active before any other SVT feature may be activated.

**HRZN HDG**, **APTSIGNS**, and **PATHWAY** Softkeys are only available when the **SYN TERR** Softkey is activated (gray with black characters). After activating the **SYN TERR** Softkey, the **HRZN HDG**, **APTSIGNS**, and **PATHWAY** softkeys may be activated in any combination to display desired features. When system power is cycled, the last selected state (on or off) of the **SYN TERR**, **HRZN HDG**, **APTSIGNS**, and **PATHWAY** softkeys is remembered by the system.

- **PATHWAY** Softkey enables display of rectangular boxes that represent course guidance.
- **SYN TERR** Softkey enables synthetic terrain depiction.
- **HRZN HDG** Softkey enables horizon heading marks and digits.
- **APTSIGNS** Softkey enables airport signposts.





Pressing the BACK Softkey returns to the previous level of softkeys.

Figure 8-2 SVT Softkeys

### **Activating and deactivating SVT:**

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **SYN VIS** Softkey.
- 3) Press the **SYN TERR** Softkey. The SVT display will cycle on or off with the **SYN TERR** Softkey.

### **Activating and deactivating Pathways:**

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **SYN VIS** Softkey.
- 3) Press the **PATHWAY** Softkey. The Pathway feature will cycle on or off with the **PATHWAY** Softkey.

### Activating and deactivating Horizon Headings:

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- 2) Press the **SYN VIS** Softkey.
- 3) Press the **HRZN HDG** Softkey. The horizon heading display will cycle on or off with the **HRZN HDG** Softkey.

### **Activating and deactivating Airport Signs:**

- 1) Press the **PFD** Softkey.
- **2)** Press the **SYN VIS** Softkey.
- **3)** Press the **APTSIGNS** Softkey. Display of airport signs will cycle on or off with the **APTSIGNS** Softkey.



#### **SVT FEATURES**



Figure 8-3 SVT on the Primary Flight Display



**NOTE:** Pathways and terrain features are not a substitute for standard course and altitude deviation information provided by the altimeter, CDI, and VDI.

#### **PATHWAYS**

Pathways provide a three-dimensional perspective view of the selected route of flight shown as colored rectangular boxes representing the horizontal and vertical flight path of the active flight plan. The box size represents 700 feet wide by 200 feet tall during enroute, oceanic, and terminal flight phases. During an approach, the box width is 700 feet or one half full scale deviation on the HSI, whichever is less. The height is 200 feet or one half full scale deviation on the VDI, whichever is less. The altitude at which the pathway boxes are displayed is determined by the higher of either the selected altitude or the VNAV altitude programmed for the active leg in the flight plan (Figure 8-4).

The color of the rectangular boxes may be magenta, green, or white depending on the route of flight and navigation source selected. The active GPS or GPS overlay flight plan leg is represented by magenta boxes that correspond to the Magenta CDI. A localizer course is represented by green boxes that correspond to a green CDI. An inactive leg of an active flight plan is represented by white boxes corresponding to a white line drawn on the Inset map or MFD map indicating an inactive leg.



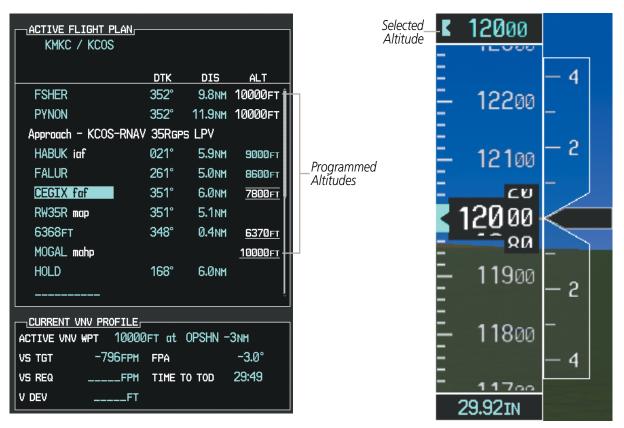


Figure 8-4 Programmed and Selected Altitude

Pathways provide supplemental glidepath/glideslope information on an active ILS, LPV, LNAV/VNAV, and some LNAV approaches. Pathways are intended as an aid to situational awareness and should not be used independent of the CDI, VDI, glide path indicator, and glide slope indicator. They are removed from the display when the selected navigation information is not available. Pathways are not displayed beyond the active leg when leg sequencing is suspended and are not displayed on any portion of the flight plan leg that would lead to intercepting a leg in the wrong direction.

#### DEPARTURE AND ENROUTE

Prior to intercepting an active flight plan leg, pathways are displayed as a series of boxes with pointers at each corner that point in the direction of the active waypoint. Pathways are not displayed for the first leg of the flight plan if that segment is a Heading-to-Altitude leg. The first segment displaying pathways is the first active GPS leg or active leg with a GPS overlay. If this leg of the flight plan route is outside the SVT field of view, pathways will not be visible until the aircraft has turned toward this leg. While approaching the center of the active leg and prescribed altitude, the number of pathway boxes decreases to a minimum of four.

Climb profiles cannot be displayed due to the variables associated with aircraft performance. Flight plan legs requiring a climb are indicated by pathways displayed at a level above the aircraft at the altitude selected or programmed.



#### **DESCENT AND APPROACH**

Pathways are shown descending only for a programmed descent (Figures 8-5, 8-6). When the flight plan includes programmed descent segments, pathways are displayed along the descent path provided that the selected altitude is lower than the programmed altitude.

When an approach providing vertical guidance is activated, Pathways are shown level at the selected altitude up to the point along the final approach course where the altitude intercepts the extended vertical descent path, glidepath, or glideslope. From the vertical path descent, glidepath, or glideslope intercept point, the pathways are shown inbound to the Missed Approach Point (MAP) along the published lateral and vertical descent path, or at the selected altitude, whichever is lower.

During an ILS approach, the initial approach segment is displayed in magenta at the segment altitudes if GPS is selected as the navigation source on the CDI. When switching to localizer inbound with LOC selected as the navigation source on the CDI, pathways are displayed in green along the localizer and glide slope.

VOR, LOC BC, and ADF approach segments that are approved to be flown using GPS are displayed in magenta boxes. Segments that are flown using other than GPS or ILS, such as heading legs or VOR final approach courses are not displayed.

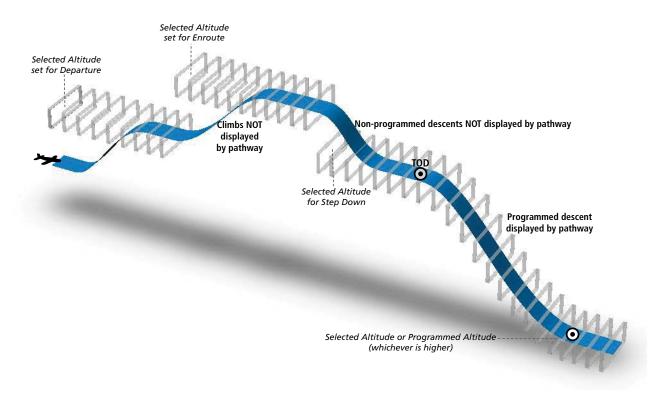


Figure 8-5 SVT Pathways, Enroute and Descent



### MISSED APPROACH

Upon activating the missed approach, pathways lead to the Missed Approach Holding Point (MAHP) and are displayed as a level path at the published altitude for the MAHP, or the selected altitude, whichever is the highest. If the initial missed approach leg is a Course-to-Altitude (CA) leg, the pathways boxes will be displayed level at the altitude published for the MAHP. If the initial missed approach leg is defined by a course using other than GPS, pathways are not displayed for that segment. In this case, the pathways displayed for the next leg may be outside the field of view and will be visible when the aircraft has turned in the direction of that leg.

Pathways are displayed along each segment including the path required to track course reversals that are part of a procedure, such as holding patterns. Pathways boxes will not indicate a turn to a MAHP unless a defined geographical waypoint exists between the MAP and MAHP.

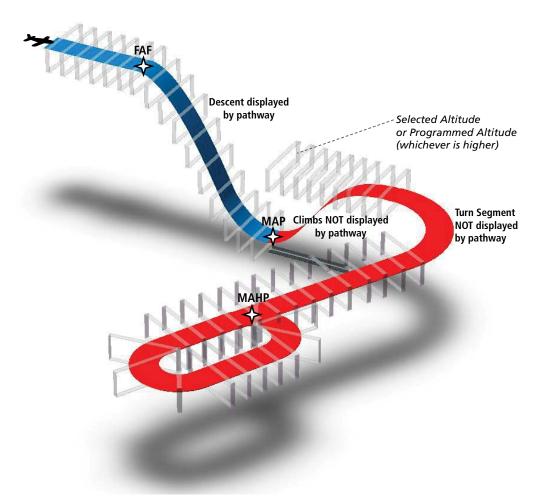


Figure 8-6 SVT Pathways, Approach, Missed Approach, and Holding



### FLIGHT PATH MARKER

The Flight Path Marker (FPM), also known as a Velocity Vector, is displayed on the PFD at groundspeeds above 30 knots. The FPM depicts the approximate projected path of the aircraft accounting for wind speed and direction relative to the three-dimensional terrain display.

The FPM is always available when the Synthetic Terrain feature is in operation. The FPM represents the direction of the flight path as it relates to the terrain and obstacles on the display, while the airplane symbol represents the aircraft heading.

The FPM works in conjunction with the Pathways feature to assist the pilot in maintaining desired altitudes and direction when navigating a flight plan. When on course and altitude the FPM is aligned inside the pathway boxes as shown (Figure 8-7).

The FPM may also be used to identify a possible conflict with the aircraft flight path and distant terrain or obstacles. Displayed terrain or obstacles in the aircraft's flight path extending above the FPM could indicate a potential conflict, even before an alert is issued by TAWS. However, decisions regarding terrain and/or obstacle avoidance should not be made using only the FPM.



Figure 8-7 Flight Path Marker and Pathways

#### **ZERO PITCH LINE**

The Zero Pitch Line is drawn completely across the display and represents the horizon when the terrain horizon is difficult to distinguish from other terrain being displayed. It may not align with the terrain horizon, particularly when the terrain is mountainous or when the aircraft is flown at high altitudes.



### HORIZON HEADING

The Horizon Heading is synchronized with the HSI and shows approximately 60 degrees of compass heading in 30-degree increments on the Zero Pitch Line. Horizon Heading tick marks and digits appearing on the zero pitch line are not visible behind either the airspeed or altitude display. Horizon Heading is used for general heading awareness, and is activated and deactivated by pressing the **HRZN HDG** Softkey.

#### TRAFFIC



**WARNING**: Intruder aircraft at or below 500 ft. AGL may not appear on the SVT display or may appear as a partial symbol.

Traffic symbols are displayed in their approximate locations as determined by the related traffic systems. Traffic symbols are displayed in three dimensions, appearing larger as they are getting closer, and smaller when they are further away. Traffic within 250 feet laterally of the aircraft will not be displayed on the SVT display. Traffic symbols and coloring are consistent with that used for traffic displayed in the Inset map or MFD traffic page. If the traffic altitude is unknown, the traffic will not be displayed on the SVT display. For more details refer to the traffic system discussion in the Hazard Avoidance section.

### **AIRPORT SIGNS**

Airport Signs provide a visual representation of airport location and identification on the synthetic terrain display. When activated, the signs appear on the display when the aircraft is approximately 15 nm from an airport and disappear at approximately 4.5 nm. Airport signs are shown without the identifier until the aircraft is approximately eight nautical miles from the airport. Airport signs are not shown behind the airspeed or altitude display. Airport signs are activated and deactivated by pressing the **APTSIGNS** Softkey.



Figure 8-8 Airport Signs



### **RUNWAYS**



**WARNING**: Do not use SVT runway depiction as the sole means for determining the proximity of the aircraft to the runway or for maintaining the proper approach path angle during landing.



**NOTE:** Not all airports have runways with endpoint data in the database, therefore, these runways are not displayed.

Runway data provides improved awareness of runway location with respect to the surrounding terrain. All runway thresholds are depicted at their respective elevations as defined in the database. In some situations, where threshold elevations differ significantly, crossing runways may appear to be layered. As runways are displayed, those within 45 degrees of the aircraft heading are displayed in white. Other runways will be gray in color. When an approach for a specific runway is active, that runway will appear brighter and be outlined with a white box, regardless of the runway orientation as related to aircraft heading. As the aircraft gets closer to the runway, more detail such as runway numbers and centerlines will be displayed.



Figure 8-9 Airport Runways



### TAWS ALERTING

Terrain alerting on the synthetic terrain display is triggered by Forward-looking Terrain Avoidance (FLTA) alerts. In addition to the yellow terrain shading for a caution alert and the red shading for a warning alert, TAWS-B alerting will also indicate potential impact points. These potential impact points correspond to red and/or yellow X symbols on the PFD Inset Map (as shown in Figure 8-10), MFD map displays, and TAWS-B Page on the MFD. Terrain shading will only occur on the synthetic terrain display on the PFD and TAWS-A Page on the MFD when using the optional TAWS-A system. No terrain shading nor potential impact points will be displayed on the PFD inset map or the MFD map display. For more detailed information regarding TAWS, refer to the Hazard Avoidance Section.

In some instances, a terrain or obstacle alert may be issued with no conflict shading displayed on the synthetic terrain. In these cases, the conflict is outside the SVT field of view to the left or right of the aircraft.



Figure 8-10 Terrain Alert



Obstacles are represented on the synthetic terrain display by standard two-dimensional tower symbols found on the Inset map and MFD maps and charts. Obstacle symbols appear in the perspective view with relative height above terrain and distance from the aircraft. When employing a TAWS-B system, unlike the Inset map and MFD moving map display, obstacles on the synthetic terrain display do not change colors to warn of potential conflict with the aircraft's flight path until the obstacle is associated with an actual FLTA alert. Obstacles greater than 1000 feet below the aircraft altitude are not shown. Obstacles are shown behind the airspeed and altitude displays.

As with terrain alerting on a TAWS-A system, obstacle alerting is limited to the synthetic terrain display on the PFD and the TAWS-A Page on the MFD.



Figure 8-11 Obstacle

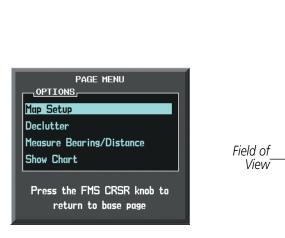
### FIELD OF VIEW

The PFD field of view can be represented on the MFD Navigation Map Page. Two dashed lines forming a V-shape in front of the aircraft symbol on the map, represent the forward viewing area shown on the PFD.

### Configuring field of view:

- 1) While viewing the Navigation Map Page, press the **MENU** Key to display the PAGE MENU.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight Map Setup and press the **ENT** Key.





Navigation Map Page OPTIONS Menu

Map Setup Menu, Map Group, Field of View Option

Press the FMS CRSR knob to

return to base page

MAP SETUP

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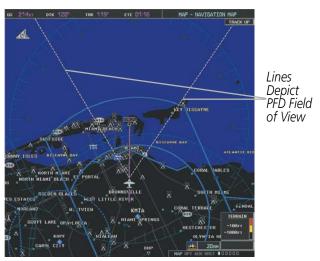
Figure 8-12 Option Menus

- **3)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to select the Map Group and press the **ENT** Key.
- 4) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the Map Group options to FIELD OF VIEW.
- 5) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select On or Off.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

The following figure compares the PFD forward looking depiction with the MFD plan view and FIELD OF VIEW turned on.



SVT View on the PFD



Field of View on the MFD

Figure 8-13 PFD and MFD Field of View Comparison



## 8.2 SAFETAXI

SafeTaxi is an enhanced feature that gives greater map detail when viewing airports at close range. The maximum map ranges for enhanced detail are pilot configurable. When viewing at ranges close enough to show the airport detail, the map reveals taxiways with identifying letters/numbers, airport Hot Spots, and airport landmarks including ramps, buildings, control towers, and other prominent features. Resolution is greater at lower map ranges. When the MFD display is within the SafeTaxi ranges, the airplane symbol on the airport provides enhanced position awareness.

Designated Hot Spots are recognized at airports with many intersecting taxiways and runways, and/or complex ramp areas. Airport Hot Spots are outlined to caution pilots of areas on an airport surface where positional awareness confusion or runway incursions happen most often. Hot Spots are defined with a magenta circle or outline around the region of possible confusion.

Any map page that displays the navigation view can also show the SafeTaxi airport layout within the maximum configured range. The following is a list of pages where the SafeTaxi feature can be seen:

- Navigation Map Page
- Inset Map (PFD)
- Weather Datalink Page
- Airport Information Page
- Intersection Information Page
- NDB Information Page

- VOR Information Page
- User Waypoint Information Page
- Trip Planning Page
- Nearest Pages
- Active and Stored Flight Plan Pages



During ground operations the aircraft's position is displayed in reference to taxiways, runways, and airport features. In the example shown, the aircraft is on taxiway Bravo inside the High Alert Intersection boundary on KSFO airport. Airport Hot Spots are outlined in magenta. When panning over the airport, features such as runway holding lines and taxiways are shown at the cursor.



Figure 8-14 SafeTaxi Depiction on the Navigation Map Page

The **DCLTR** Softkey (declutter) label advances to DCLTR-1, DCLTR -2, and DCLTR-3 each time the softkey is selected for easy recognition of decluttering level. Selecting the **DCLTR** Softkey removes the taxiway markings and airport feature labels. Selecting the DCLTR-1 Softkey removes VOR station ID, the VOR symbol, and intersection names if within the airport plan view. Selecting the DCLTR-2 Softkey removes the airport runway layout, unless the airport in view is part of an active route structure. Selecting the **DCLTR-3** Softkey cycles back to the original map detail. Refer to Map Declutter Levels in the Flight Management Section.

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## Configuring SafeTaxi range:

- 1) While viewing the Navigation Map Page, press the **MENU** Key to display the PAGE MENU.
- 2) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the Map Setup Menu Option and press the ENT Key.



Figure 8-15 Navigation Map PAGE MENU, Map Setup Option

- **3)** Turn the **FMS** Knob to select the Aviation Group and press the **ENT** Key.
- **4)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the Aviation Group options to SAFETAXI.
- **5)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the range of distances.
- **6)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired distance for maximum SafeTaxi display range.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the selection.
- 8) Press the **FMS** Knob to return to the Navigation Map Page.

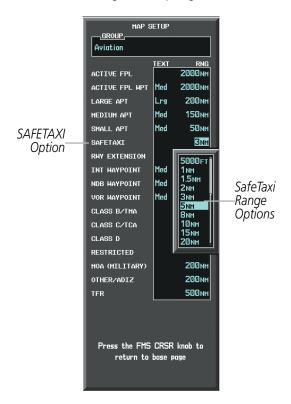


Figure 8-16 MAP SETUP Menu, Aviation Group, SAFETAXI Range Options



#### SAFETAXI CYCLE NUMBER AND REVISION

SafeTaxi database is revised every 56 days. SafeTaxi is always available for use after the expiration date. When turning on the system, the Power-up Page indicates whether the databases are current, out of date, or not available.

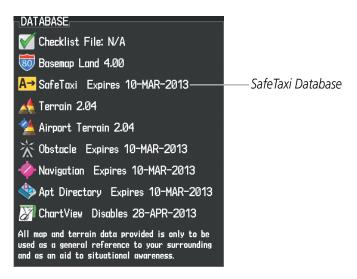


Figure 8-17 Power-up Page, SafeTaxi Database

Power-up Page Display	Definition
A→ SafeTaxi Expires 10-MAR-2013	Normal operation. SafeTaxi database is valid and within current cycle.
A→ SafeTaxi Expires 10-MAR-2013	SafeTaxi database has expired.
A→ SafeTaxi: N/A	Database card contains no SafeTaxi data.

Table 8-1 SafeTaxi Annunciation Definitions

The SafeTaxi Region, Version, Cycle, Effective date and Expires date of the database cycle can also be found on the AUX - System Status page, as seen in Figure 8-18.

Select the **MFD1 DB** Softkey to place the cursor in the DATABASE window. Scroll through the listed information by turning the **FMS** Knob or pressing the **ENT** Key until the SafeTaxi database information is shown.



The SafeTaxi database cycle number shown in Figure 8-18, 13S3, is deciphered as follows:

- 13 Indicates the year 2013
- S Indicates the data is for SafeTaxi
- 3 Indicates the third issue of the SafeTaxi database for the year

The SafeTaxi EFFECTIVE date 07–MAY–13 is the beginning date for the current database cycle. SafeTaxi EXPIRES date 02–JUL–13 is the revision date for the next database cycle.



Figure 8-18 AUX – System Status Page, SafeTaxi Current Information

SafeTaxi information appears in blue and yellow text. The EFFECTIVE date appears in blue when data is current and in yellow when the current date is before the effective date. The EXPIRES date appears in blue when data is current and in yellow when expired (Figures 8-18 and 8-19). NOT AVAILABLE appears in blue in the REGION field if SafeTaxi data is not available on the database card (Figure 8-19). An expired SafeTaxi database is not disabled and will continue to function indefinitely.

Select the **MFD1 DB** Softkey a second time. The softkey label will change to **PFD1 DB**. The DATABASE window will now be displaying database information for PFD1. As before, scroll through the listed information by turning the **FMS** Knob or pressing the **ENT** Key until the SafeTaxi database information is shown.

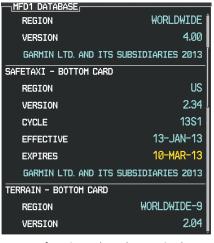
Select the **PFD1 DB** Softkey. The softkey label will change to **PFD2 DB**. The DATABASE window will now display database information for PFD2. Again, scroll through the listed information by turning the **FMS** Knob or pressing the **ENT** Key until the SafeTaxi database information is shown.

Refer to Updating Garmin Databases in Appendix B for instructions on revising the SafeTaxi database.



Figure 8-19 illustrates possible SafeTaxi database conditions that may appear on the AUX - System Status Page. The EFFECTIVE date is the beginning date for this database cycle. If the present date is before the effective date, the EFFECTIVE date appears in yellow and the EXPIRES date appears in blue. The EXPIRES date is the revision date for the next database cycle. NOT AVAILABLE indicates that SafeTaxi is not available on the database card or no database card is inserted.







Current Date is before Effective Date

SafeTaxi Database has Expired

SafeTaxi Database Not Installed

Figure 8-19 AUX – System Status Page, SafeTaxi Database Status



# 8.3 CHARTVIEW

ChartView resembles the paper version of Jeppesen terminal procedures charts. The charts are displayed in full color with high-resolution. The MFD depiction shows the aircraft position on the moving map in the planview of approach charts and on airport diagrams. Airport Hot Spots are outlined in magenta.

The geo-referenced aircraft position is indicated by an aircraft symbol displayed on the chart when the current position is within the boundaries of the chart. Inset boxes (Figure 8-20) are not considered within the chart boundaries. Therefore, when the aircraft symbol reaches a chart boundary line, or inset box, the aircraft symbol is removed from the display.

Figure 8-20 shows examples of off-scale areas, indicated by the grey shading. Note, the grey shading is for illustrative purposes only and will not appear on the published chart or MFD display. These off-scale areas appear on the chart to convey supplemental information. However, the depicted geographical position of this information, as it relates to the chart planview, is not the actual geographic position. Therefore, when the aircraft symbol appears within one of these areas, the aircraft position indicated is relative to the chart planview, not to the off-scale area.

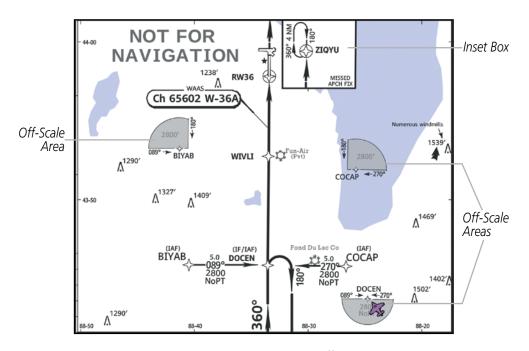


Figure 8-20 Sample Chart Indicating Off-Scale Areas



**NOTE:** Do not maneuver the aircraft based solely upon the geo-referenced aircraft symbol.

The ChartView database subscription is available from Jeppesen, Inc. Available data includes:

• Arrivals (STAR)

Airport Diagrams

• Departure Procedures (DP)

• NOTAMs



## **CHARTVIEW SOFTKEYS**

ChartView functions are displayed on three levels of softkeys. While on the Navigation Map Page, Nearest Airports Page, or Flight Plan Page, selecting the **SHW CHRT** Softkey displays the available terminal chart and advances to the chart selection level of softkeys: **CHRT OPT**, **CHRT**, **INFO**, **DP**, **STAR**, **APR**, **WX**, **NOTAM**, and **GO BACK**. The chart selection softkeys shown below appear on the Airport Information Page.

Selecting the **GO BACK** Softkey reverts to the top level softkeys and previous page.

Selecting the **CHRT OPT** Softkey advances to the next level of softkeys: **ALL**, **HEADER**, **PLAN**, **PROFILE**, **MINIMUMS**, **FIT WDTH**, **FULL SCN**, and **BACK**.

While viewing the **CHRT OPT** Softkeys, after 45 seconds of softkey inactivity, the system reverts to the chart selection softkeys.

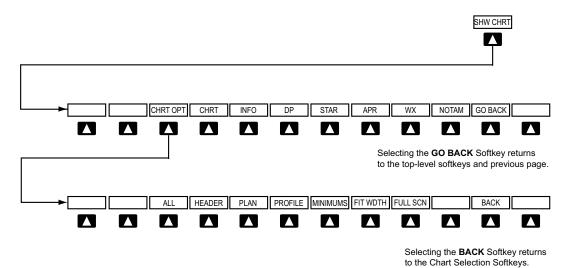


Figure 8-21 ChartView SHW CHRT, Chart Selection, and Chart Option Softkeys



#### TERMINAL PROCEDURES CHARTS

### **Selecting Terminal Procedures Charts:**

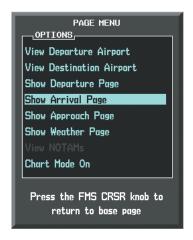
While viewing the Navigation Map Page, Nearest Airport Page, or Flight Plan Page, select the **SHW CHRT** Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the PAGE MENU.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the OPTIONS Menu to Show Chart.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to display the chart.







Waypoint Airport Information Page OPTIONS Menu

Figure 8-22 Option Menus

On the Waypoint Airport Information Page OPTIONS Menu, select the desired chart and press the **ENT** Key to display the chart.

When no terminal procedure chart is available, the banner CHART NOT AVAILABLE appears on the screen. The CHART NOT AVAILABLE banner does not refer to the FliteCharts subscription, but rather the availability of a particular airport chart selection or procedure for a selected airport.



Figure 8-23 Chart Not Available Banner

If there is a problem in rendering the data (such as a data error or a failure of an individual chart), the banner UNABLE TO DISPLAY CHART is then displayed.



Figure 8-24 Unable To Display Chart Banner



When a chart is not available by selecting the **SHW CHRT** Softkey or selecting a Page Menu Option, charts may be obtained for other airports from the WPT Pages or Flight Plan Pages.

If a chart is available for the destination airport, or the airport selected in the active flight plan, the chart appears on the screen. When no flight plan is active, or when not flying to a direct-to destination, selecting the **SHW CHRT** Softkey displays the chart for the nearest airport, if available.

The chart shown is one associated with the WPT – Airport Information page. Usually this is the airport runway diagram. Where no runway diagram exists, but Take Off Minimums or Alternate Minimums are available, that page appears. If Airport Information pages are unavailable, the Approach Chart for the airport is shown.

## Selecting a chart:

- 1) While viewing the Navigation Map Page, Flight Plan Page, or Nearest Airports Page, select the **SHW CHRT** Softkey. The airport diagram or approach chart is displayed on the Airport Information Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select either the Airport Identifier Box or the Approach Box. (Select the **APR** Softkey if the Approach Box is not currently shown).
- **4)** Turn the small and large **FMS** Knob to enter the desired airport identifier.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the airport selection.
- **6)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Approach Box.
- 7) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to show the approach chart selection choices.
- **8)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to scroll through the available charts.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the chart selection.



Figure 8-25 Approach Information Page, Chart Selection



While the APPROACH Box is selected using the **FMS** Knob, the G1000 softkeys are blank. Once the desired chart is selected, the chart scale can be changed and the chart page can be scrolled using the **Joystick**. Pressing the **Joystick** centers the chart on the screen.

The aircraft symbol is shown on the chart only if the chart is to scale and the aircraft position is within the boundaries of the chart. The aircraft symbol is not displayed when the Aircraft Not Shown Icon appears (Figure 8-29). If the Chart Scale Box displays a banner NOT TO SCALE, the aircraft symbol is not shown. The Aircraft Not Shown Icon may appear at certain times, even if the chart is displayed to scale.

Selecting the **CHRT** Softkey switches between the ChartView diagram and the associated map in the WPT page group. In the example shown, the **CHRT** Softkey switches between the Gainesville, FL (KGNV) Airport Diagram and the navigation map on the WPT – Airport Information page.

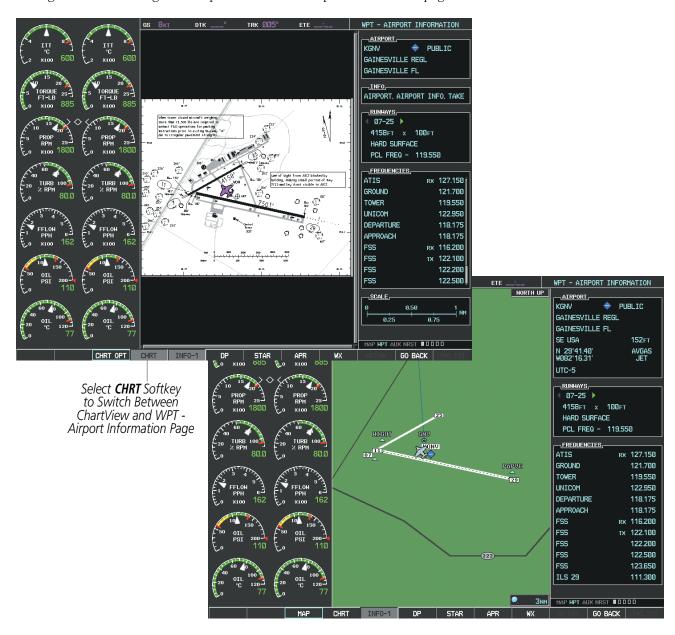


Figure 8-26 CHRT Softkey, Airport Information Page



Selecting the **INFO-1** or **INFO-2** Softkey returns to the airport diagram when the view is on a different chart. If the displayed chart is the airport diagram, the **INFO-1** or **INFO-2** Softkey has no effect.

The aircraft position is shown in magenta on the ChartView diagrams when the location of the aircraft is within the chart boundaries. In the example shown, the aircraft is turning onto Taxiway Bravo on the Charlotte, NC (KCLT) airport.

Another source for additional airport information is from the INFO Box above the chart for certain airports. This information source is not related to the **INFO-1** or **INFO-2** Softkey. When the INFO Box is selected using the **FMS** Knob, the G1000 softkeys are blank. The Charlotte, NC airport has five additional charts offering information; the Airport Diagram, Take-off Minimums, Class B Airspace, Airline Parking Gate Coordinates, and Airline Parking Gate Location. (The numbers in parentheses after the chart name are Jeppesen designators.)



Figure 8-27 Airport Information Page, INFO View, Full Screen Width



In the example shown in Figure 8-27, the Class B Chart is selected. Pressing the **ENT** Key displays the Charlotte Class B Airspace Chart (Figure 8-28).

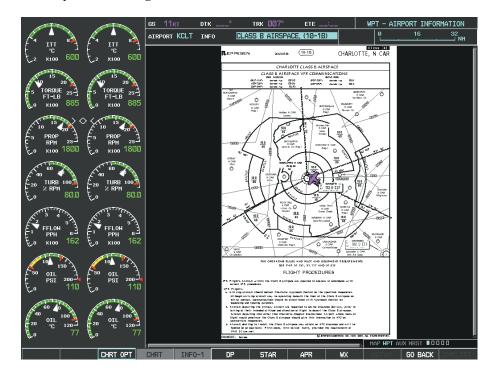


Figure 8-28 Airport Information Page, Class B Chart Selected from INFO View

Selecting the **DP** Softkey displays the Departure Procedure Chart if available.



Figure 8-29 Departure Information Page



Selecting the **STAR** Softkey displays the Standard Terminal Arrival Chart if available.

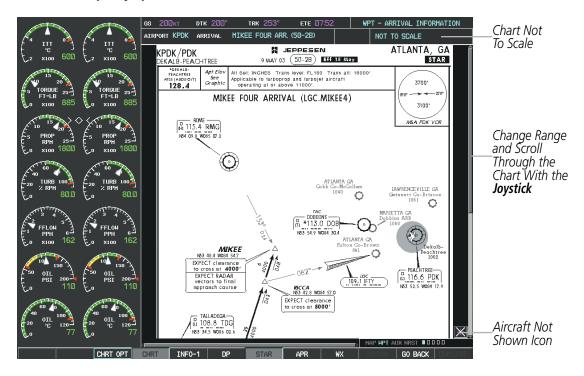


Figure 8-30 Arrival Information Page

Selecting the **APR** Softkey displays the approach chart for the airport if available.



Figure 8-31 Approach Information Page



Selecting the **WX** Softkey shows the airport weather frequency information, and includes weather data such as METAR and TAF from the SiriusXM Data Link Receiver, when available. Weather information is available only when a SiriusXM Data Link Receiver is installed and the SiriusXM Weather subscription is current.



Figure 8-32 Weather Information Page



**NOTE:** A subdued softkey label indicates the function is disabled.

Recent NOTAMS applicable to the current ChartView cycle are included in the ChartView database. Selecting the **NOTAM** Softkey shows the local NOTAM information for selected airports, when available. When NOTAMS are not available, the **NOTAM** Softkey label appears subdued and is disabled as shown in Figure 8-32. The **NOTAM** Softkey may appear on the Airport Information Page and all of the chart page selections.



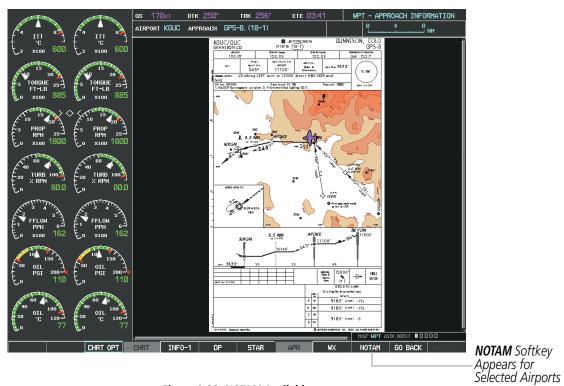


Figure 8-33 NOTAM Available



Figure 8-34 Airport Information Page, Local NOTAMs

Selecting the **NOTAM** Softkey again removes the NOTAMS information.

Selecting the **GO BACK** Softkey reverts to the previous page (Navigation Map Page, Nearest Pages, or Flight Plan Page).



## **CHART OPTIONS**

Selecting the **CHRT OPT** Softkey displays the next level of softkeys, the chart options level (Figure 8-21). Selecting the **ALL** Softkey shows the complete approach chart on the screen.



Figure 8-35 Approach Information Page, ALL View

Selecting the **HEADER** Softkey shows the header view (approach chart briefing strip) on the screen.

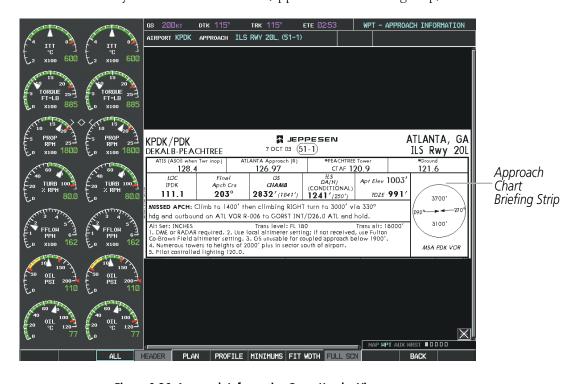


Figure 8-36 Approach Information Page, Header View



Selecting the **PLAN** Softkey shows the approach chart two dimensional plan view.



Figure 8-37 Approach Information Page, Plan View

Selecting the **PROFILE** Softkey displays the approach chart descent profile strip.

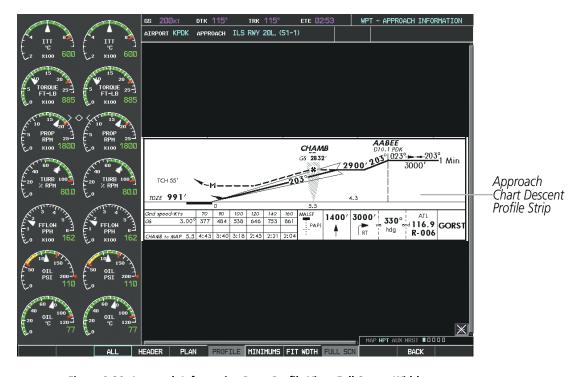


Figure 8-38 Approach Information Page, Profile View, Full Screen Width



Selecting the **MINIMUMS** Softkey displays the minimum descent altitude/visibility strip at the bottom of the approach chart.



Figure 8-39 Approach Information Page, Minimums View, Full Screen Width



If the chart scale has been adjusted to view a small area of the chart, selecting the **FIT WIDTH** Softkey changes the chart size to fit the available screen width.

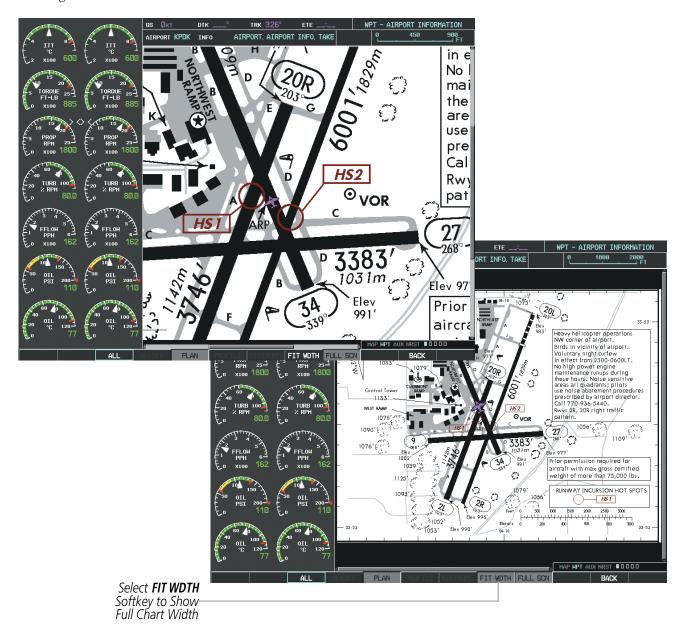


Figure 8-40 Airport Information Page, FIT WDTH Softkey Selected



Selecting the **FULL SCN** Softkey alternates between removing and replacing the data window to the right.

## **Selecting Additional Information:**

- 1) While viewing the Airport Taxi Diagram, select the **FULL SCN** Softkey to display the information windows (AIRPORT, INFO).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the AIRPORT, INFO, RUNWAYS, or FREQUENCIES Box (INFO Box shown).
- **4)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the INFO Box choices. If multiple choices are available, scroll to the desired choice with the large **FMS** Knob and press the **ENT** Key to complete the selection.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob again to deactivate the cursor.

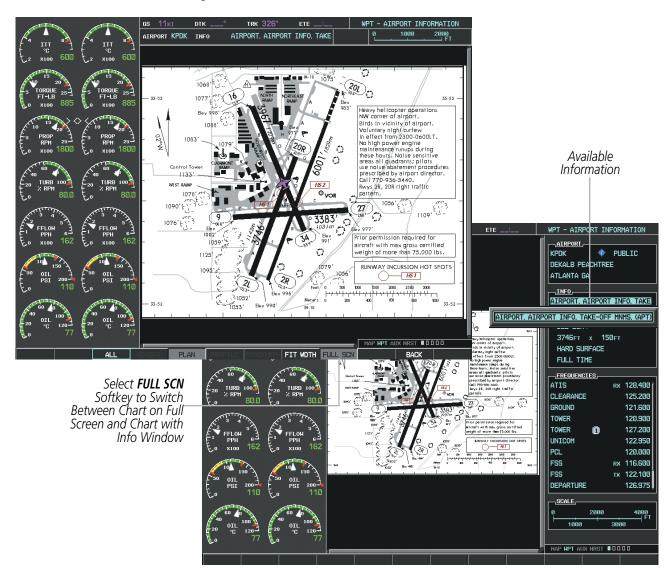


Figure 8-41 Airport Information Page, Full Screen and Info Window

Selecting the **BACK** Softkey, or waiting for 45 seconds reverts to the chart selection softkeys.



The full screen view can also be selected by using the page menu option.

## Selecting full screen On or Off:

- 1) While viewing a terminal chart press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu OPTIONS.
- 2) Turn the large FMS Knob to highlight the Chart Setup Menu Option and press the ENT Key.
- 3) Turn the large FMS Knob to move between the FULL SCREEN and COLOR SCHEME Options.
- 4) Turn the small FMS Knob to choose between the On and Off Full Screen Options.





Chart Setup Option

Full Screen On/Off Selection

Figure 8-42 Page Menus



#### **DAY/NIGHT VIEW**

ChartView can be displayed on a white or black background for day or night viewing. The Day View offers a better presentation in a bright environment. The Night View gives a better presentation for viewing in a dark environment. When the CHART SETUP Box is selected the MFD softkeys are blank.

#### **Selecting Day, Night, or Automatic View:**

- 1) While viewing a terminal chart press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu OPTIONS.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Chart Setup Menu Option and press the **ENT** Key.

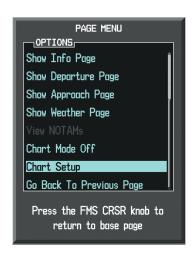


Figure 8-43 Waypoint Information Page, OPTIONS Menu

- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to move to the COLOR SCHEME Option (Figure 8-44).
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to choose between Day, Auto, and Night Options.
- 5) If Auto Mode is selected, turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the percentage field. Use the small **FMS** Knob to change the percentage value. The percentage value is the day/night crossover point based on the percentage of backlighting intensity. For example, if the value is set to 15%, the day/night display changes when the display backlight reaches 15% of full brightness.
  - The display must be changed in order for the new setting to become active. This may be accomplished by selecting another page or changing the display range.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob when finished to remove the Chart Setup Menu.



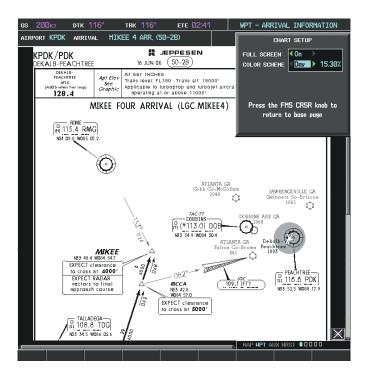


Figure 8-44 Arrival Information Page, Day View

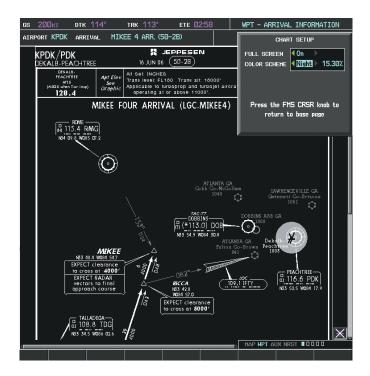


Figure 8-45 Arrival Information Page, Night View



#### CHARTVIEW CYCLE NUMBER AND EXPIRATION DATE

ChartView database is revised every 14 days. Charts are still viewable during a period that extends from the cycle expiration date to the disables date. ChartView is disabled 70 days after the expiration date and is no longer available for viewing. When turning on the system, the Power-up Page displays the current status of the ChartView database. See the table below for the various ChartView Power-up Page displays and the definition of each.

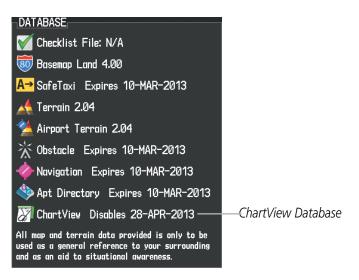


Figure 8-46 Power-up Page, ChartView Database

Power-up Page Display	Definition
	Blank Line. system is not configured for ChartView. Contact a Garmin-authorized service center for configuration.
Chart Data: N/A	System is configured for ChartView but no chart database is installed. Contact Jeppesen for a ChartView database.
ChartView Disables 28-APR-2013	Normal operation. ChartView database is valid and within current cycle.
Chart data update available.	ChartView database is within 1 week after expiration date. A new cycle is available for update.
Chart data is out of date!	ChartView database is beyond 1 week after expiration date, but still within the 70 day viewing period.
Chart data is disabled.	ChartView database has timed out. Database is beyond 70 days after expiration date. ChartView database is no longer available for viewing.
Verify chart database cycle.	System time is not available. GPS satellite data is unknown or the system has not yet locked onto satellites. Check database cycle number for effectivity.
Verifying Chart data	System is verifying chart database when new cycle is installed for the first time.
Chart Data is Corrupt!	After verifying, chart database is found to be corrupt. ChartView is not available.

Table 8-2 ChartView Power-up Page Annunciations and Definitions



The ChartView time critical information can also be found on the AUX - System Status page. The database CYCLE number, EXPIRES, and DISABLES dates of the ChartView subscription appear in either blue or yellow text. When the ChartView EXPIRES date is reached, ChartView becomes inoperative 70 days later. This is shown as the DISABLES date. When the DISABLES date is reached, charts are no longer available for viewing. The **SHW CHRT** Softkey label then appears subdued and is disabled until a revised issue of ChartView is installed.



## **NOTE**: A subdued softkey label indicates the function is disabled.

Select the **MFD1 DB** Softkey to place the cursor in the DATABASE window. Scroll through the listed information by turning the **FMS** Knob or pressing the **ENT** Key until the ChartView database information is shown.

The ChartView database cycle number shown in the figure, 1304, is deciphered as follows:

- 13 Indicates the year 2013
- 04 Indicates the fourth issue of the ChartView database for the year

The EXPIRES date 05-MAR-13 is the date that this database should be replaced with the next issue.

The DISABLES date 14-MAY-13 is the date that this database becomes inoperative.



Figure 8-47 AUX – System Status Page, ChartView Current and Available



The ChartView database is obtained directly from Jeppesen. Refer to Updating Jeppesen Databases in Appendix B for instructions on revising the ChartView database.

Other possible AUX - System Status page conditions are shown in Figure 8-48. The EXPIRES date, in yellow, is the revision date for the next database cycle. The DISABLES date, in yellow, is the date that this database cycle is no longer viewable. CYCLE NOT AVAILABLE in blue, indicates no ChartView data is available on the database card or no database card is inserted.



Figure 8-48 AUX – System Status Page, ChartView Database Status



# 8.4 FLITECHARTS

FliteCharts resemble the paper version of AeroNav Services terminal procedures charts. The charts are displayed with high-resolution and in color for applicable charts.

The geo-referenced aircraft position is indicated by an aircraft symbol displayed on the chart when the current position is within the boundaries of the chart. Not all charts are geo-referenced. These charts will display an Aircraft Not Shown Icon in the lower right corner of the MFD, as in Figure 8-54.

An aircraft symbol may be displayed within an off-scale area depicted on some charts. Figure 8-49 shows examples of off-scale areas, indicated by the grey shading. Note, these areas are not shaded on the published chart. These off-scale areas appear on the chart to convey supplemental information. However, the depicted geographical position of this information, as it relates to the chart planview, is not the actual geographic position. Therefore, when the aircraft symbol appears within one of these areas, the aircraft position indicated is relative to the chart planview, not to the off-scale area.

The FliteCharts database subscription is available from Garmin. Available data includes:

• Arrivals (STAR)

Approaches

• Departure Procedures (DP)

• Airport Diagrams

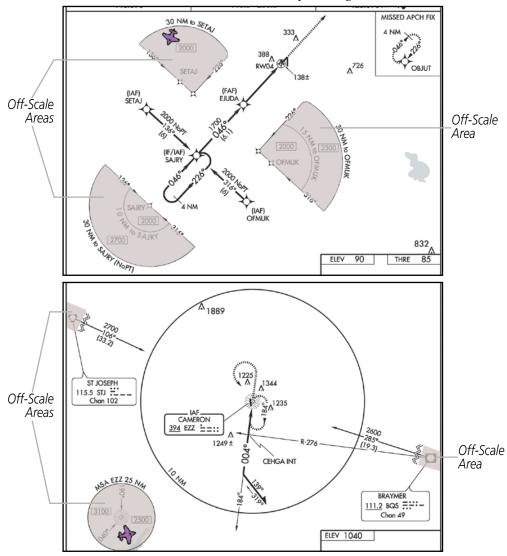


Figure 8-49 Sample Chart Indicating Off-Scale Areas





**NOTE:** Do not maneuver the aircraft based solely upon the geo-referenced aircraft symbol.

### FLITECHARTS SOFTKEYS

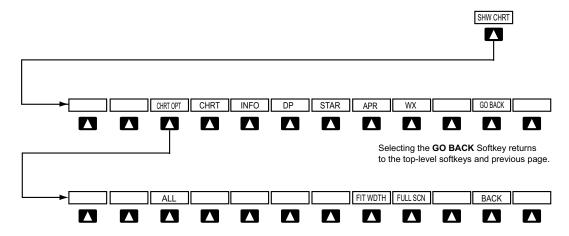
FliteCharts functions are displayed on three levels of softkeys. While on the Navigation Map Page, Nearest Airports Page, or Flight Plan Page, selecting the **SHW CHRT** Softkey displays the available terminal chart and advances to the chart selection level of softkeys: **CHRT OPT**, **CHRT**, **INFO**, **DP**, **STAR**, **APR**, **WX**, and **GO BACK**. The chart selection softkeys appear on the Airport Information Page.

Selecting the **GO BACK** Softkey reverts to the top level softkeys and previous page.

Selecting the **CHRT OPT** Softkey displays the available terminal chart and advances to the next level of softkeys: **ALL**, **FIT WDTH**, **FULL SCN**, and **BACK**.

While viewing the **CHRT OPT** Softkeys, after 45 seconds of softkey inactivity, the system reverts to the chart selection softkeys.

NOTAMs are not available with FliteCharts. The NOTAM Softkey label appears subdued and is disabled.



Selecting the **BACK** Softkey returns to the Chart Selection Softkeys.

Figure 8-50 FliteCharts SHW CHRT, Chart Selection, and Chart Option Softkeys



#### **TERMINAL PROCEDURES CHARTS**

## **Selecting Terminal Procedures Charts:**

While viewing the Navigation Map Page, Nearest Airport Page, or Flight Plan Page, select the **SHW CHRT** Softkey.

#### Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the PAGE MENU.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the OPTIONS Menu to Show Chart.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key to display the chart.





Navigation Map Page OPTIONS Menu

Waypoint Airport Information Page OPTIONS Menu

PAGE MENU

OPTIONS\_

Figure 8-51 Option Menus

On the Waypoint Airport Information Page OPTIONS Menu, select the desired chart and press the **ENT** Key to display the chart.

When no terminal procedure chart is available, the banner CHART NOT AVAILABLE appears on the screen. The CHART NOT AVAILABLE banner does not refer to the FliteCharts subscription, but rather the availability of a particular airport chart selection or procedure for a selected airport.



Figure 8-52 Chart Not Available Banner

If there is a problem in rendering the data (such as a data error or a failure of an individual chart), the banner UNABLE TO DISPLAY CHART is then displayed.



Figure 8-53 Unable To Display Chart Banner



When a chart is not available by selecting the **SHW CHRT** Softkey or selecting a Page Menu Option, charts may be obtained for other airports from the WPT Pages or Flight Plan Pages.

If a chart is available for the destination airport, or the airport selected in the active flight plan, the chart appears on the screen. When no flight plan is active, or when not flying to a direct-to destination, selecting the **SHW CHRT** Softkey displays the chart for the nearest airport, if available.

The chart shown is one associated with the WPT – Airport Information page. Usually this is the airport runway diagram. Where no runway diagram exists, but Take Off Minimums or Alternate Minimums are available, that page appears. If Airport Information pages are unavailable, the Approach Chart for the airport is shown.

### **Selecting a chart:**

- 1) While viewing the Navigation Map Page, Flight Plan Page, or Nearest Airports Page, select the **SHW CHRT** Softkey. The airport diagram or approach chart is displayed on the Airport Information Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select either the Airport Identifier Box or the Approach Box. (Select the **APR** Softkey if the Approach Box is not currently shown).
- **4)** Turn the small and large **FMS** Knob to enter the desired airport identifier.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the airport selection.
- **6)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Approach Box.
- 7) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to show the approach chart selection choices.
- **8)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to scroll through the available charts.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key to complete the chart selection.



Figure 8-54 Approach Information Page, Chart Selection



While the APPROACH Box is selected using the **FMS** Knob, the G1000 softkeys are blank. Once the desired chart is selected, the chart scale can be changed and the chart can be panned using the **Joystick**. Pressing the **Joystick** centers the chart on the screen.

The aircraft symbol is not shown on FliteCharts. The Chart Scale Box displays a banner NOT TO SCALE, and the Aircraft Not Shown Icon is displayed in the lower right corner of the screen.

Selecting the **CHRT** Softkey switches between the FliteCharts diagram and the associated map in the WPT page group. In the example shown, the **CHRT** Softkey switches between the Gainesville, FL (KGNV) Airport Diagram and the navigation map on the WPT – Airport Information page.

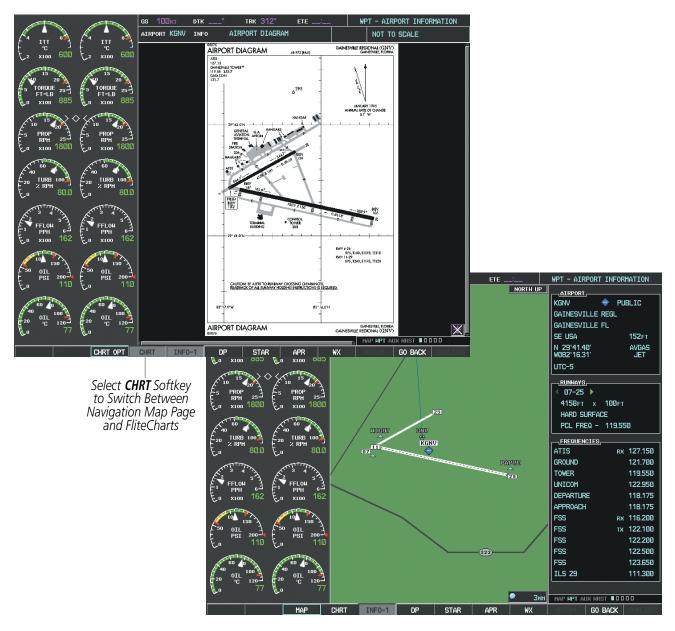


Figure 8-55 CHRT Softkey, Airport Information Page



Selecting the **INFO-1** or **INFO-2** Softkey returns to the airport diagram when the view is on a different chart. If the displayed chart is the airport diagram, the **INFO-1** or **INFO-2** Softkey has no effect.

Another source for additional airport information is from the INFO Box above the chart (Figure 8-62) or to the right of the chart (Figure 8-56) for certain airports. This information source is not related to the **INFO-1** or **INFO-2** Softkey. When the INFO Box is selected using the **FMS** Knob, the G1000 softkeys are blank. The DeKalb Peachtree Airport has three additional charts offering information; the Airport Diagram, Alternate Minimums, and Take-off Minimums.



Figure 8-56 Airport Information Page, INFO View with Airport Information



In the example shown in Figure 8-56, ALTERNATE MINIMUMS is selected. Pressing the **ENT** Key displays the IFR Alternate Minimums Chart (Figure 8-57).

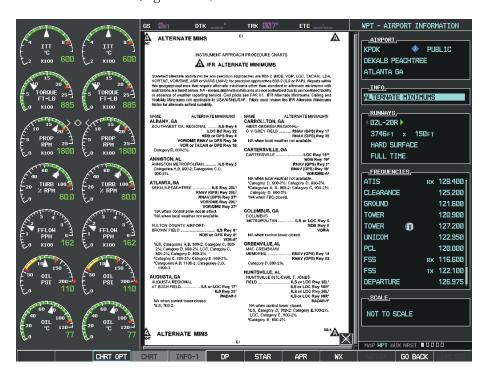


Figure 8-57 Airport Information Page, ALTERNATE MINIMUMS Selected from INFO View

Selecting the **DP** Softkey displays the Departure Procedure Chart if available.

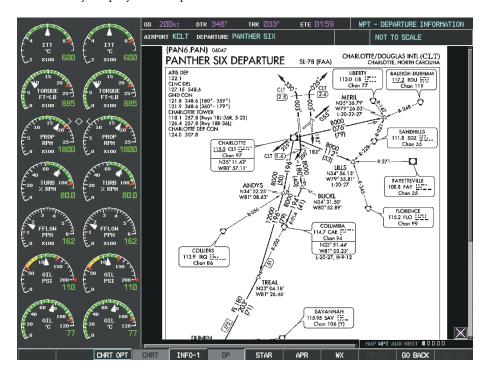


Figure 8-58 Departure Information Page



Selecting the **STAR** Softkey displays the Standard Terminal Arrival Chart if available.

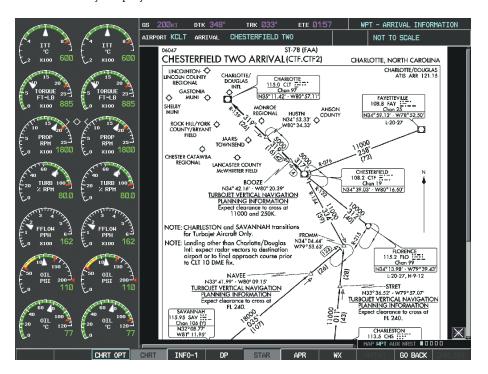


Figure 8-59 Arrival Information Page

Selecting the **APR** Softkey displays the approach chart for the airport if available.



Figure 8-60 Approach Information Page



Selecting the **WX** Softkey shows the airport weather frequency information, when available, and includes weather data such as METAR and TAF from the SiriusXM Data Link Receiver. Weather information is available only when a SiriusXM Data Link Receiver is installed and the SiriusXM Weather subscription is current.

### **Selecting Additional Information:**

- 1) While viewing the Airport Taxi Diagram, select the **WX** Softkey to display the information windows (AIRPORT, INFO).
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the INFO Box.
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the INFO Box choices. When the INFO Box is selected the G1000 softkeys are blank. If multiple choices are available, scroll to the desired choice with the large **FMS** Knob and press the **ENT** Key to complete the selection.
- **5)** Press the **FMS** Knob again to deactivate the cursor.



Figure 8-61 Weather Information Page, WX Softkey Selected

Selecting the **GO BACK** Softkey reverts to the previous page (Navigation Map Page or Flight Plan Page).



## **CHART OPTIONS**

Selecting the **CHRT OPT** Softkey displays the next level of softkeys, the chart options level (Figure 8-50). Selecting the **ALL** Softkey shows the complete chart on the screen.



Figure 8-62 Airport Information Page, ALL View Selected



Selecting the **FIT WIDTH** Softkey fits the width of the chart in the display viewing area. In the example shown, the chart at close range is replaced with the full width chart.

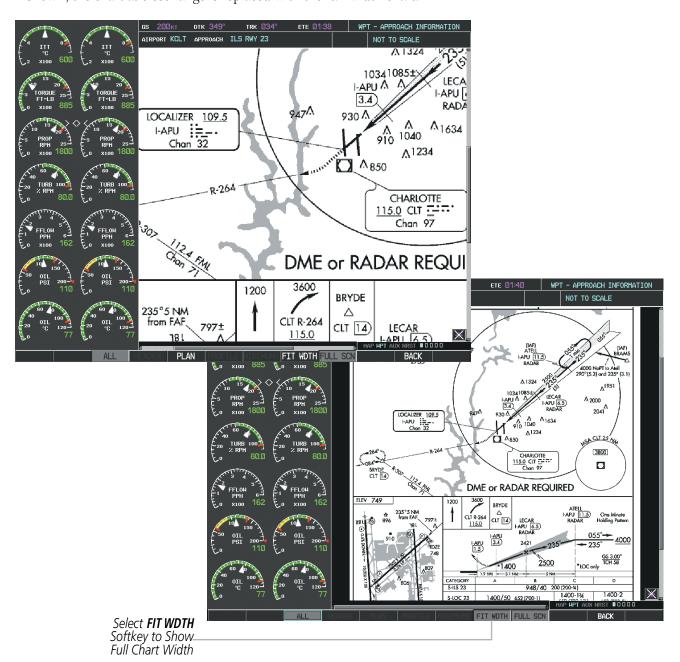


Figure 8-63 Approach Information Page, FIT WDTH Softkey Selected



Selecting the **FULL SCN** Softkey alternates between removing and replacing the data window to the right.

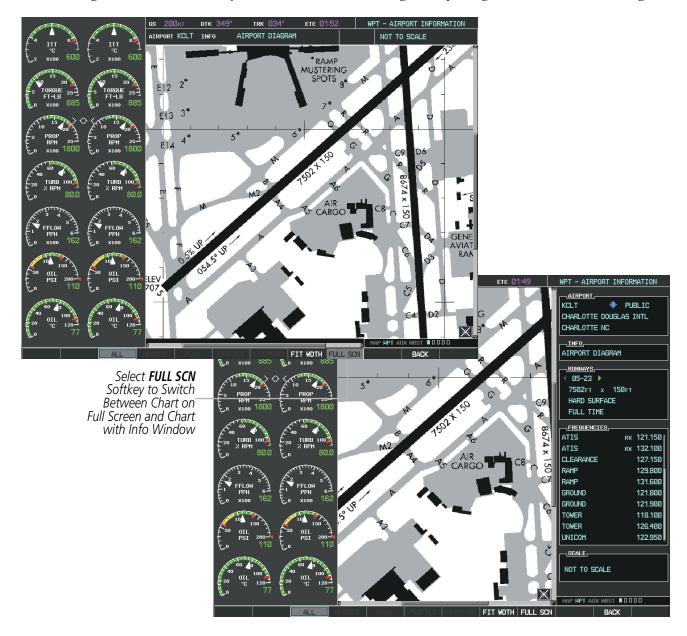


Figure 8-64 Airport Information Page, Full Screen and Info Window

Selecting the **BACK** Softkey, or waiting for 45 seconds reverts to the chart selection softkeys.



The full screen view can also be selected by using the page menu option.

## Selecting full screen On or Off:

- 1) While viewing a terminal chart press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu OPTIONS.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Chart Setup Menu Option and press the **ENT** Key.
- 3) Turn the large FMS Knob to move between the FULL SCREEN and COLOR SCHEME Options.
- 4) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to choose between the On and Off Full Screen Options.





Chart Setup Option

Full Screen On/Off Selection

Figure 8-65 Page Menus

# **DAY/NIGHT VIEW**

FliteCharts can be displayed on a white or black background for day or night viewing. The Day View offers a better presentation in a bright environment. The Night View gives a better presentation for viewing in a dark environment. When the CHART SETUP Box is selected the MFD softkeys are blank.

### Selecting Day, Night, or Automatic View:

- 1) While viewing a terminal chart press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu OPTIONS.
- 2) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the Chart Setup Menu Option and press the **ENT** Key.



Figure 8-66 Waypoint Information Page, OPTIONS Menu



- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to move to the COLOR SCHEME Option (Figure 8-67).
- 4) Turn the small FMS Knob to choose between Day, Auto, and Night Options.
- 5) If Auto Mode is selected, turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the percentage field. Use the small **FMS** Knob to change the percentage value. The percentage value is the day/night crossover point based on the percentage of backlighting intensity. For example, if the value is set to 15%, the day/night display changes when the display backlight reaches 15% of full brightness.
  - The display must be changed in order for the new setting to become active. This may be accomplished by selecting another page or changing the display range.
- **6)** Press the **FMS** Knob when finished to remove the Chart Setup Menu.

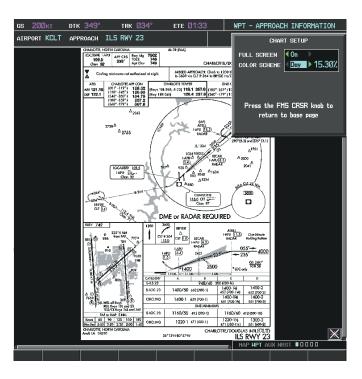


Figure 8-67 Approach Information Page, Day View





Figure 8-68 Approach Information Page, Night View

# FLITECHARTS CYCLE NUMBER AND EXPIRATION DATE

FliteCharts data is revised every 28 days. Charts are still viewable during a period that extends from the cycle expiration date to the disables date. FliteCharts is disabled 180 days after the expiration date and are no longer available for viewing upon reaching the disables date. When turning on the system, the Power-up Page displays the current status of the FliteCharts database. See the table below for the various FliteCharts Power-up Page displays and the definition of each.

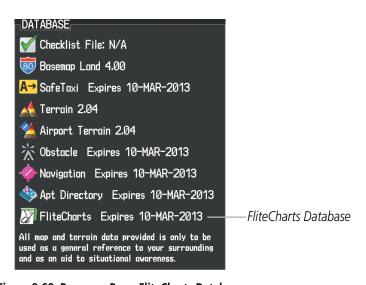


Figure 8-69 Power-up Page, FliteCharts Database



Power-up Page Display	Definition
	Blank Line. system is not configured for FliteCharts. Contact a Garmin-authorized service center for configuration.
Chart Data: N/A	System is configured for FliteCharts but no chart database is installed. Refer to Updating Garmin Databases in Appendix B for the FliteCharts database
FliteCharts Expires 10-MAR-2013	Normal operation. FliteCharts database is valid and within current cycle.
Chart data is out of date!	FliteCharts database is beyond the expiration date, but still within the 180 day viewing period.
Chart data is disabled.	FliteCharts database has timed out. Database is beyond 180 days after expiration date. FliteCharts database is no longer available for viewing.

Table 8-3 FliteCharts Power-up Page Annunciations and Definitions

Other possible AUX - System Status page conditions are shown in Figure 8-70. 'FliteCharts Expires' plus a date in white, indicates the chart database is current. 'Chart data is out of date!' in yellow, indicates charts are still viewable, but approaching the disable date.

When the 180 day grace period has expired, 'Chart data is disabled.' in yellow indicates that the FliteCharts database has expired and is no longer viewable. 'Chart Data: N/A' appears in white if no FliteCharts data is available on the database card or no database card is inserted.

FliteCharts time critical information can also be found on the AUX - System Status page. The FliteCharts database REGION, CYCLE number, EFFECTIVE, EXPIRES, and DISABLES dates of the subscription appear in either blue or yellow text. Dates shown in blue are current data. Dates shown in yellow indicate the data is not within the current subscription period.

FliteCharts becomes inoperative 180 days after the FliteCharts EXPIRES date is reached, and is no longer available for viewing. This date is shown as the DISABLES date. After the disable date the **SHW CHRT** Softkey label appears subdued and is unavailable until a revised issue of FliteCharts is installed.



**NOTE:** A subdued softkey label indicates the function is disabled.



Select the **MFD1 DB** Softkey to place the cursor in the DATABASE window. Scroll through the listed information by turning the **FMS** Knob or pressing the **ENT** Key until the FliteCharts database information is shown.

The FliteCharts database cycle number shown in the figure, 1305, is deciphered as follows:

- 13 Indicates the year 2013
- 05 Indicates the fifth issue of the FliteCharts database for the year

The FliteCharts EFFECTIVE date 07–MAY–13 is the first date that this database is current.

The FliteCharts EXPIRES date 04–JUN–13 is the last date that this database is current.

The DISABLES date 01–DEC–13 is the date that this database becomes inoperative.

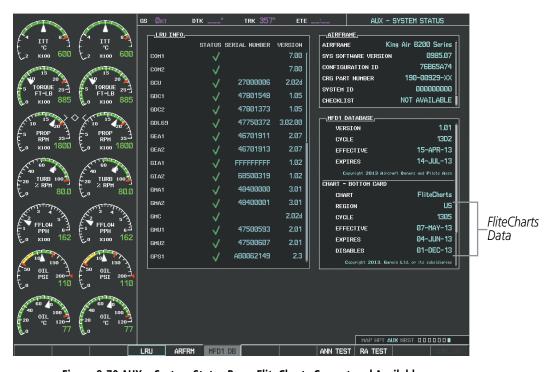
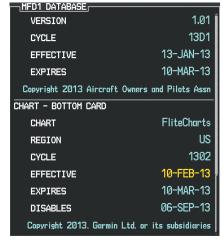


Figure 8-70 AUX – System Status Page, FliteCharts Current and Available

The FliteCharts database is provided from Garmin. Refer to Updating Garmin Databases in Appendix B for instructions on revising the FliteCharts database.



The other three possible AUX - System Status page conditions are shown here. The EXPIRES date, in yellow, is the revision date for the next database cycle. The DISABLES date, in yellow, is the date that this database cycle is no longer viewable. REGION and CYCLE NOT AVAILABLE in blue, indicate that FliteCharts database is not available on the database card or no database card is inserted.







Current Date is Before Effective Date

FliteCharts Expired, but is not Disabled

FliteCharts Database is Disabled



FliteCharts Database is Not Available

Figure 8-71 AUX – System Status Page, FliteCharts Datbase Status



# **8.5 AIRPORT DIRECTORY**

The Aircraft Owners and Pilots Association (AOPA) and optional AC-U-KWIK Airport Directory databases offer detailed information regarding services, hours of operation, lodging options, and more. This information is viewed on the Airport Information Page by selecting the INFO Softkey until **INFO-2** is displayed as shown in Figure 8-72.

Both Airport Directories are available for downloading at flygarmin.com. However, copy only one of the databases to the Supplemental Data Card. The system cannot recognize both databases simultaneously.

# **Selecting the Airport Directory Page:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the 'WPT' page group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the AIRPORT INFORMATION Page. Initially, information for the airport closest to the aircraft's present position is displayed.
- 3) If necessary, select the INFO softkey until INFO-2 is displayed.



Figure 8-72 AOPA Information on the Airport Information Page



### AIRPORT DIRECTORY DATABASE CYCLE NUMBER AND REVISION

The Airport Directory databases are revised every 56 days and offered on a subscription basis. Check fly. garmin.com for the current database. The Airport Directory is always available for use after the expiration date. When turning on the system, the Power-up Page indicates whether the databases are current, out of date, or not available.



Figure 8-73 Power-up Page, Airport Directory Database

Power-up Page Display	Definition
Apt Directory Expires 10-MAR-2013	Normal operation. Airport Directory database is valid and within current cycle.
Apt Directory Expires 10-MAR-2013	Airport Directory database has expired.
♦ Apt Directory N/A	Database card contains no Airport Directory data.

**Table 8-4 Airport Directory Annunciation Definitions** 



The Airport Directory Region, Version, Cycle, Effective date and Expires date of the database cycle can also be found on the AUX - System Status page, as seen in Figure 8-74.

Select the **MFD1 DB** Softkey to place the cursor in the DATABASE window. Scroll through the listed information by turning the **FMS** Knob or pressing the **ENT** Key until the Airport Directory database information is shown.

The Airport Directory database cycle number shown in the figure, 11D2, is deciphered as follows:

- 11 Indicates the year 2011
- D Indicates the data is for Airport Directory
- 2 Indicates the second issue of the Airport Directory database for the year

The Airport Directory EFFECTIVE date 15–APR–11 is the beginning date for the current database cycle. The Airport Directory EXPIRES date 14–JUL–11 is the revision date for the next database cycle.



Figure 8-74 AUX – System Status Page, Airport Directory Current Information

Airport Directory information appears in blue and yellow text. The EFFECTIVE date appears in blue when data is current and in yellow when the current date is before the effective date. The EXPIRES date appears in blue when data is current and in yellow when expired (Table 8-4). NOT AVAILABLE appears in blue in the REGION field if Airport Directory data is not available on the database card. An expired Airport Directory database is not disabled and will continue to function indefinitely.



# **8.6 SATELLITE TELEPHONE**



**NOTE:** An account must be established to access the Iridium satellite network for voice/SMS.

The GSR 56 Iridium Transceiver provides an airborne low speed data link, Iridium Satellite Telephone service, and Short Message Service (SMS). The GSR 56 can also be paired with the optional GDL 59 Data Link, providing a high speed (IEEE 802.11g) Wi-Fi data link between the aircraft and a ground computer network while the aircraft is on the ground.

The telephone is available to the flight crew through the audio panel and headsets. An optional handset may be installed in the aircraft cabin to be used for voice communication between the aircraft cabin and the cockpit and for Iridium telephone service in the aircraft cabin.

Operation of these features in the cockpit is accomplished through the AUX-TELEPHONE, AUX-TEXT MESSAGING, and AUX-WI-FI SETUP Pages. For operation using the cabin handset, consult the instructions provided with the handset.

# REGISTERING WITH GARMIN CONNEXT™

A subscriber account must be established prior to using the Iridium Satellite System. Before setting up an Iridium account, obtain the serial number of the Iridium Transceiver (GSR1) and the System ID by selecting the AUX- SYSTEM STATUS Page as shown in Figure 8-75. Contact Garmin at 1-866-739-5687 in the United States or 913-397-8200, ext. 1135.

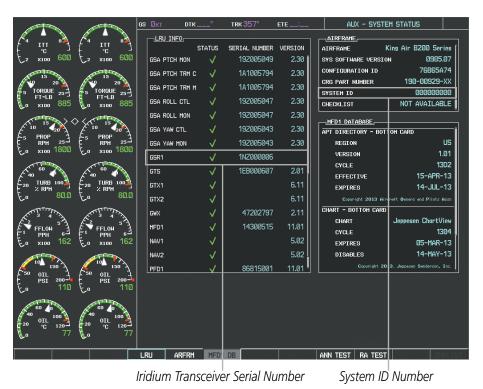


Figure 8-75 Identification Needed for Iridium Registration



### DISABLE/ENABLE IRIDIUM TRANSCEIVER

Iridium telephone and data communications may be turned on or off by performing these simple steps.

# Disabling/enabling telephone and low speed data services:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob on the MFD to select the AUX page group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the AUX-TELEPHONE Page as in Figure 8-76.



Figure 8-76 Report Status Page

- 3) Press the **MENU** Key. The Page Menu window is now displayed as seen in Figure 8-77.
- 4) Turn the **FMS** Knob to select 'Disable Iridium Transmission' in the menu list.



Figure 8-77 Select Disable Iridium Transmission

- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key. The Iridium transceiver is now disabled.
- **6)** To enable the Iridium transceiver, repeat steps 1 through 3, then select 'Enable Iridium Transceiver'.



### **TELEPHONE COMMUNICATION**

The pilot or copilot can place and answer calls on the Iridium satellite network as well as to or from the telephone handset in the cabin. Calls can also be answered or made from the optional cabin phone, however, only actions initiated from the cockpit will be discussed here. See the cabin handset user guide for more information. Control and monitoring of telephone functions are accomplished through the AUX-TELEPHONE Page.

# Viewing the Telephone Page:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob on the MFD to select the AUX page group.
- 2) Turn the small FMS Knob to select the AUX TELEPHONE or AUX TEXT MESSAGING Page.
- **3)** If necessary, select the **TEL** Softkey to display the AUX-TELEPHONE Page.

The phone status display, as shown in Figure 8-78, gives a graphical representation of the current disposition of voice and/or data transmissions. Table 8-5 describes symbology used on Phone Status display.

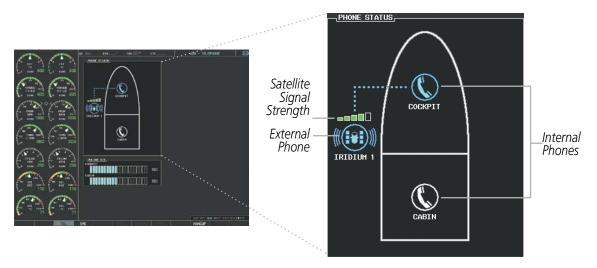


Figure 8-78 Phone Status Display



Internal Phone	External Phone	Description
		Phone is Idle
		Phone is ringing
		Phone has a dial tone (off hook) or connected to another phone
<b>O</b> x		Phone dialed is busy
		Phone is dialing another phone
		Phone has failed
		Phone status not known
		Phone is disabled
	DATA TX	Phone is reserved for data transmission
•••••	••••	Calling other phone or incoming call from other phone
		Other phone is on hold
		Phones are connected

**Table 8-5 Telephone Symbols** 



### **INCOMING CALLS**

When viewing MFD pages other than the AUX-TELEPHONE Page, a pop-up alert similar to Figure 8-79 will be displayed and an aural alert "Incoming Call" will be heard. If the call is from the cabin, CABIN will be displayed as seen in Figure 8-79. If the incoming call is an Iridium network call, IRIDIUM will be displayed. The pop-up alert may be inhibited at times, such as during takeoff. In addition to the pop-up alert, a ringing phone symbol will be displayed to the right of the MFD page title as shown in Figure 8-79. Also, the voice alert "Incoming Call" will be heard on the selected cockpit audio.







Incoming Call Symbol on MFD Page

Figure 8-79 Incoming Call

# Answering an incoming call in the cockpit:

- 1) Press the **TEL** Key on the appropriate audio panel.
- 2) Select the **ANSWER** Softkey on the MFD.

Or:

While viewing the AUX-TELEPHONE Page



**NOTE:** The Push-to-Talk switch is not utilized for telephone communication. The microphone is active after selecting the **ANSWER** Softkey, and stays active until the call is terminated.

- 1) Press the **TEL** Key on the appropriate audio panel.
- 2) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- 3) Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Answer Incoming Call'.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key.

Selecting the **IGNORE** Softkey will extinguish the pop-up window and leave the call unanswered. Selecting the **TEL** Softkey will display the AUX-TELEPHONE Page allowing additional call information to be viewed before answering.

### Muting incoming call alerts:

- 1) With the AUX-TELEPHONE Page displayed, press the **MENU** Key on the MFD to display the Page Menu.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Mute Incoming Call Alerts'.
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key. The voice and pop-up alert will not be displayed now when an incoming call is received.



# **OUTGOING CALLS**

Voice calls can be made from the cockpit to the handset in the cabin, or to an external phone through the Iridium Satellite Network.

# Making a call to the cabin:

- 1) Press the **TEL** Key on the appropriate audio panel.
- 2) Select the **DIAL** Softkey on the MFD. A display similar to Figure 8-80 will be shown.



Figure 8-80 Initiating a Cabin Call

3) Press the ENT Key. The cursor will move from 'CABIN' to 'OK'.



**4)** Press the **ENT** Key again. The cabin phone will now ring as seen in Figure 8-81.



Figure 8-81 Cabin Phone Ringing

When the cabin phone is answered, the connection is established as shown in Figure 8-82. To exit the call, select the **HANGUP** Softkey.



Figure 8-82 Cabin Phone Answered



# Making an external call from the cockpit using the Iridium satellite network:

- 1) Press the **TEL** Key on the appropriate audio panel.
- 2) Select the **DIAL** Softkey on the MFD. A display similar to Figure 8-83 will be shown.



Figure 8-83 Initiating an External Call

3) Turn the small FMS Knob to select 'IRIDIUM' as seen in Figure 8-84.

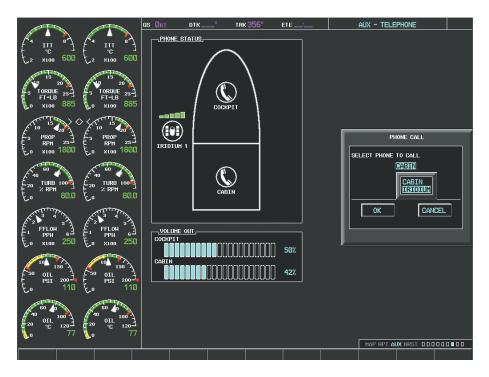


Figure 8-84 Selecting the Iridium Satellite System

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4) Press the ENT Key. The cursor has now moved to the phone number entry field as shown in Figure 8-85.



Figure 8-85 Enter Phone Number

- **5)** Enter the desired telephone number (country code first) by selecting the number softkeys on the MFD or by pressing the numeric keys on the MFD Control Unit.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. 'OK' is highlighted as in Figure 8-86.



Figure 8-86 Make the Call



**7)** Press the **ENT** Key. The system will begin calling the number, as in Figure 8-87.



Figure 8-87 System is Making the Connection

When the phone is answered, the connection is established as shown in Figure 8-88. To exit the call, select the **HANGUP** Softkey.

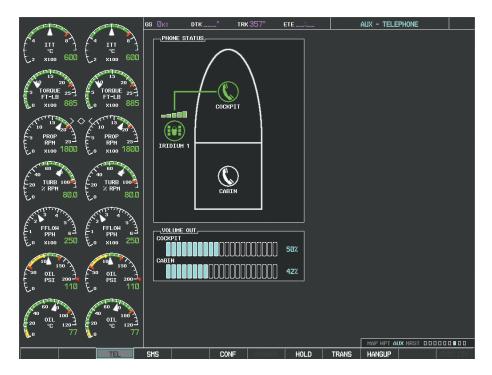


Figure 8-88 Phone is Answered, Connection Complete



### PLACING THE COCKPIT PHONE ON HOLD

# Placing a call on hold:

Select the **HOLD** Softkey on the MFD.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Put Current Call On Hold'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.

The cockpit phone is now isolated from the call as seen in Figure 8-89. This figure illustrates a conference call between the cockpit, cabin, and an external phone in which the cockpit phone has been put on hold. Select the **HOLD** Softkey again to resume the call.



Figure 8-89 Cockpit Phone on Hold

### TRANSFERRING A CALL FROM THE COCKPIT

From the cockpit phone, a external call can be transferred to the cabin phone, or a call with the cabin phone can be transferred to an external phone, or (when two Iridium Transceivers are installed) an external call can be transferred to another external phone.

# Transfering a call:

1) Select the **TRANS** Softkey on the MFD.

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Transfer Current Call'.
- c) Press the ENT Key.



A window similar to that shown in Figure 8-90 will be displayed. In this example, an active call to the cabin is transferred to an external number. Therefore, the window shows the 'Iridium' option. If the active call is with an external phone, 'CABIN' would be the option.

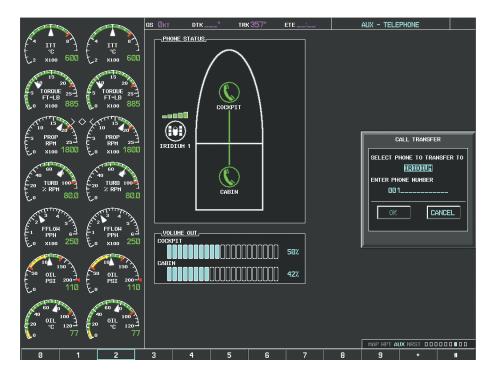


Figure 8-90 Enter Phone Number to Receive Transferred Call

- **2)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor now highlights the phone number entry field.
- **3)** Enter the phone number to which the call is being transferred, as discussed earlier for making an external call on the Iridium satellite network.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. 'OK' is now highlighted.



**5)** Press the **ENT** Key again to place the call as shown in Figure 8-91.



Figure 8-91 Call Transfer to an External Phone

When the external phone is answered, the call connection is indicated as in Figure 8-92.



Figure 8-92 Call Transfer Complete



### MAKING A CONFERENCE CALL FROM THE COCKPIT

The cabin or an external phone (two external phones if two Iridium Transceivers are installed) can be added to a call already in progress.

### Adding another phone to an active call:

1) Select the **CONF** Softkey on the MFD.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Conference Current Call'.
- c) Press the ENT Key.

A window similar to that shown in Figure 8-93 will be displayed. In this example, an external phone will be added to an active call to the cabin. Therefore, the window shows the 'IRIDIUM' option. If the active call is with an external phone, 'CABIN' would be the option.

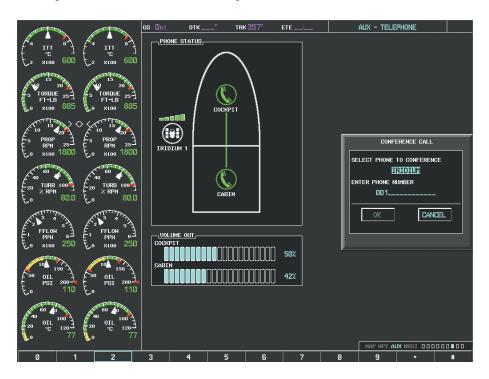


Figure 8-93 Initiate a Conference Call

- 2) Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor now highlights the phone number entry field.
- **3)** Enter the phone number to be added to the call, as discussed earlier for making an external call on the Iridium satellite network.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key. 'OK' is now highlighted.



**5)** Press the **ENT** Key again to place the call as shown in Figure 8-94.



Figure 8-94 Conference in External Phone

When the external phone is answered, the call connection is indicated as in Figure 8-95.



Figure 8-95 External Phone Added



# **TEXT MESSAGING (SMS)**

The pilot or copilot can send and receive text messages on the Iridium satellite network. Messages may be sent to an email address or text message capable cellular telephone. Message length is limited to 160 characters, including the email address.

The text messaging user interface is mainly through the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page.

# **Viewing the Text Messaging Page:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob on the MFD to select the AUX page group.
- 2) Turn the small FMS Knob to select the AUX TELEPHONE or AUX TEXT MESSAGING Page.
- 3) If necessary, select the SMS Softkey to display the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page as shown in Figure 8-96.



Figure 8-96 Text Messaging Page



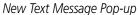
Message Symbol	Description
$\boxtimes$	Received text message that has not been opened
$\boxtimes$	Received text message that has been opened
	Saved text message, draft not sent
	System is sending text message
<u> </u>	Text message has been sent
×	System failed to send text message
<b>I</b>	Predefined text message

**Table 8-6 Text Message Symbols** 

# **VIEWING A TEXT MESSAGE WHEN RECEIVED**

When viewing MFD pages other than the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, a pop-up alert similar to Figure 8-97 will be displayed when a new text message is received.







New Text Message Symbol on MFD Page

Figure 8-97 New Text Message Received



Select the **VIEW** Softkey to view the message (Figure 8-98). Selecting the **IGNORE** Softkey will extinguish the pop-up window and leave the text message unopened. Selecting the **IGNR ALL** Softkey will extinguish the pop-window and ignore all future incoming text messages. Selecting the **SMS** Softkey will display the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page.



Figure 8-98 Text Message Displayed from Pop-Up Alert

The pop-up alerts may be enabled or disabled through the Page Menu.



## Enabling/disabling incoming text message pop-up alerts:

- 1) With the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page displayed, press the **MENU** Key on the MFD to display the Page Menu.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Disable New Message Popups' or 'Enable New Message Popups'.
- 3) Press the ENT Key. The pop-up alert will not be displayed when an incoming text message is received.



Figure 8-99 Disabling New Text Message Pop-Ups

### REPLY TO A TEXT MESSAGE

After reading a text message, a reply may be sent.

# Replying to a text message:

While viewing the text message, select the **REPLY** Softkey.

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Reply To Message'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.



### **SENDING A TEXT MESSAGE**

Text messages may be sent from the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page.

## Sending a new text message:

1) While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **NEW** Softkey.

- **a)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Draft New Message'.
- c) Press the ENT Key.



Figure 8-100 Composing a New Text Message

- 2) The TEXT MESSAGE DRAFT Window is now displayed with the cursor in the 'TO' field. Enter the desired telephone number or email address. Entry can be accomplished through the alphanumeric keys on the MFD Controller, or combination of the FMS Knob on the controller and softkeys on the MFD. The FMS Knob is used to enter letters and numbers, or numbers can be entered from the MFD by selecting the NUMBERS Softkey. Select the CAP LOCK Softkey to create upper and lower case alpha characters. Special characters can be accessed by selecting the SYMBOLS Softkey. See Figure 8-100.
- 3) Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed in the 'MESSAGE' field.
- **4)** Enter the desired message using any combination of entry methods as described in step 2.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 6) Select the **SEND** Softkey to send the message immediately, or select the **SAVE** Softkey to save the message in Outbox for sending at a later time. Select the **CANCEL** Softkey to delete the message.



### PREDEFINED TEXT MESSAGES

Time and effort can be saved in typing text messages that are used repeatedly by saving these messages as a predefined message.

# Creating a predefined text message:

1) While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.



Figure 8-101 Creating/Editing Predefined Messages

- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select 'Edit Predefined Messages' as shown in Figure 8-101.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The PREDEFINED MESSAGES view is now displayed.
- **4)** Select the **NEW** Softkey.

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Draft New Predefined Message'.



c) Press the ENT Key. The PREDEFINED SMS TEXT MESSAGE Window is now displayed as shown in Figure 8-102.

Figure 8-102 Composing a Predefined Message

- 5) The cursor is displayed in the 'TITLE' field. Enter the desired message title. Entry can be accomplished through the alphanumeric keys on the MFD Controller, or combination of the FMS Knob on the controller and softkeys on the MFD. The FMS Knob is used to enter letters and numbers, or numbers can be entered from the MFD by selecting the NUMBERS Softkey. Select the CAP LOCK Softkey to create upper and lower case alpha characters. Special characters can be accessed by selecting the SYMBOLS Softkey.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor is now displayed in the 'MESSAGE' field.
- **7)** Enter the desired message using any combination of entry methods as described in step 5.
- **8)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- 9) Select the **SAVE** Softkey. The new predefined message is now shown in the displayed list. Selecting the **CANCEL** Softkey will delete the message without saving.
- **10)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **11)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Stop Editing Predefined Message'.
- **12)** Press the **ENT** Key.

### Sending a predefined text message:

- 1) While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **NEW** Softkey.
- 2) The TEXT MESSAGE DRAFT Window is now displayed with the cursor in the 'TO' field. Enter the desired telephone number or email address. Entry can be accomplished through the alphanumeric keys on the MFD Controller, or combination of the **FMS** Knob on the controller and softkeys on the MFD. The **FMS** Knob is used to enter letters and numbers, or numbers can be entered from the MFD by selecting the **NUMBERS** Softkey.



Select the **CAP LOCK** Softkey to create upper and lower case alpha characters. Special characters can be accessed by selecting the **SYMBOLS** Softkey. See Figure 8-103.

3) Press the ENT Key. The cursor is now displayed in the 'MESSAGE' field (Figure 8-103).



Figure 8-103 Predefined Message Softkey Shown When Composing a Message

4) Select the **PREDEFD** Softkey. The PREDEFINED MESSAGE MENU Window is displayed as seen in Figure 8-104.



Figure 8-104 Predefined Message List



- **5)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired predefined message.
- **6)** Press the **ENT** Key. The predefined message text is inserted into the message field. If desired, the message can be edited by using the FMS Knobs.
- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Select the **SEND** Softkey to transmit the message.

### **TEXT MESSAGE BOXES**

Received text messages reside in the Inbox as 'Read' or 'Unread' messages. The Outbox contains 'Sent" and 'Unsent' text messages. Saved messages that are meant to be sent later are stored as Drafts. Each text message box may be viewed separately, or together in any combination.

# Show Inbox messages:

While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **ARRANGE** Softkey, then select the **INBOX** Softkey (Figure 8-105).

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- 2) Turn either FMS Knob to place the cursor on 'Show Inbox Messages'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The message box selected for viewing is indicated at the bottom left of the list window.



Figure 8-105 Text Message Inbox



## Show Outbox messages:

While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **ARRANGE** Softkey, then select the **OUTBOX** Softkey.

Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Show Outbox Messages'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The message box selected for viewing is indicated at the bottom left of the list window.

# **Show Draft messages:**

While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **ARRANGE** Softkey, then select the **DRAFTS** Softkey.

Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Show Draft Messages'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The message box selected for viewing is indicated at the bottom left of the list window.

### MANAGING TEXT MESSAGES

The viewed messages may be listed according to the date/time the message was sent or received, the type of message (read, unread, sent, unsent, etc.), or by message address.

### Viewing messages sorted by message date/time:

While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **ARRANGE** Softkey, then select the **TIME** Softkey (Figure 8-105).

Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Sort By Date/Time'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The sorting selection is indicated at the bottom center of the list window (Figure 8-106).

### Viewing messages sorted by message type:

While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **ARRANGE** Softkey, then select the **TYPE** Softkey.

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Sort By Type'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The sorting selection is indicated at the bottom center of the list window.



# Viewing messages sorted by address:

While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the **ARRANGE** Softkey, then select the **ADDRESS** Softkey.

Or:

- 1) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- 2) Turn either FMS Knob to place the cursor on 'Sort By Address'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. The sorting selection is indicated at the bottom center of the list window.

# Viewing the content of a text message:

- 1) While viewing the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, select the desired message box.
- **2)** Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **3)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired message.
- **4)** Select the **VIEW** Softkey.

Or:

Press the **ENT** Key.

Or:

- **a)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'View Selected Message'.
- **c)** Press the **ENT** Key.

Message content is displayed as shown in Figure 8-106).



Figure 8-106 Veiwing Message Content



**5)** To close the text message, select the **CLOSE** Softkey.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Close Message'.
- c) Press the ENT Key.

#### Marking selected message as read:

- 1) While viewing the Inbox on the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired message.
- **3)** Select the **MRK READ** Softkey.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Mark Selected Message As Read'.
- c) Press the **ENT** Key.

The message symbol now indicates the message has been opened.

## Marking all messages as read:

- 1) While viewing the Inbox on the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Mark All New Messages As Read'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key. A confirmation window is displayed.
- **4)** With cursor highlighting 'YES', press the **ENT** Key. The message symbols now indicate all the message have been opened.

#### Delete a message:

- 1) While viewing the Inbox on the AUX-TEXT MESSAGING Page, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired message.
- **3)** Select the **DELETE** Softkey.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Delete Selected Message'.
- c) Press the ENT Key.



# 8.7 WI-FI CONNECTIONS

The optional GDL 59 Data Link provides a high speed IEEE 802.11g Wi-Fi data link between the aircraft and a ground computer network while the aircraft is on the ground and located within range of the network.

The system is capable of WEP64, WEP128,WPA-PSK, and WPA2-PSK encryption formats. WPA-Enterprise and WPA2-Enterprise are not supported. Connections that require web proxies, captive portals, or other elements that require user credentials, including a username and password or a redemption or access code; or require action such as accepting a user agreement, are not supported.

Control and monitoring of Wi-Fi functions are accomplished through the AUX-WI-FI SETUP Page.

# **Viewing the Wi-Fi Setup Page:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob on the MFD to select the AUX page group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the AUX WI-FI SETUP Page.

#### Setting up a new Wi-Fi connection:

1) Select the **AVAIL** Softkey on the MFD. A list of available networks will be displayed in the AVAILABLE NETWORKS window as shown in Figure 8-107. Signal strength is shown for each network, as well as security requirements and whether the network has been saved in the system's memory.



Figure 8-107 Available Wi-Fi Networks

2) If necessary, select the **RESCAN** Softkey to have the system scan again for available networks.

Or:

- **a)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Rescan Available Networks'.
- **c)** Press the **ENT** Key.



- 3) Press the **FMS** Knob to place the cursor in the list of networks.
- **4)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to select the desired network. See Figure 8-108.



Figure 8-108 Desired Network Selected

**5)** Select the **CONNECT** Softkey.

Or:

- a) Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **b)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Connect To Selected Network'.
- c) Press the ENT Key.
- 6) If the network is secured, a window similar to Figure 8-109 will be displayed in order to enter the necessary passcode. Use the **FMS** Knobs to enter the desired alpha numeric characters. Select the **CAP LOCK** Softkey to enter upper case letters. If there is no security associated with the network, proceed to step 9.



Figure 8-109 Enter Security Code



- **7)** Press the **ENT** Key. 'OK' will be highlighted.
- 8) Press the ENT Key again.
- **9)** The SAVE SETTINGS window is now displayed with the cursor highlighting 'SAVE CONNECTION'.



Figure 8-110 Save Option

**10)** The selected network can be saved to system memory to make re-connection easier at a later time.

Connecting the selected network without saving:

- a) Turn the large FMS Knob to move the cursor to highlight 'CONNECT'.
- **b)** Press the **ENT** Key.

Saving and connect the selected network:

- a) Press the **ENT** Key. A checkmark is placed in the checkbox and the cursor moves to the airport field as shown in Figure 8-111.
- **b)** Using the **FMS** Knobs, enter an airport identifier to be associated with the saved network. This aids in identifying the network later in the event of duplicate network names.
- c) Press the **ENT** Key. The cursor moves to 'CONNECT'.
- **d)** Press the **ENT** Key again to connect to the selected network.



Figure 8-111 Save Connection



## Editing a saved network:

- 1) While viewing list of saved networks, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor as seen in Figure 8-112.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to highlight the network to be edited.
- **3)** Pressing the **ENT** Key at this point will check or uncheck the AUTO CONNECT checkbox. When a checkmark is present, the system will automatically connect to the network when within range.



Figure 8-112 Select Network to be Edited

4) Select the **EDIT** Softkey. The cursor now appears in the CONNECTION SETTINGS window as shown in Figure 8-113.



Figure 8-113 Select Attributes to Edit



- **5)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the network attribute to be edited.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to begin editing the field.
- 7) When the entry is complete, press the **ENT** Key.
- **8)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob or press the **ENT** Key until 'SAVE' is highlighted.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key.

# **Disconnecting a Wi-Fi network:**

Select the **DISCNCT** Softkey.

Or:

- **1)** Press the **MENU** Key to display the Page Menu.
- **2)** Turn either **FMS** Knob to place the cursor on 'Disconnect From Network'.
- **3)** Press the **ENT** Key.

# Deleting a saved Wi-Fi network:

- 1) While viewing the list of saved networks, press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 2) Turn either **FMS** Knob to highlight the network to be deleted.
- 3) Select the **DELETE** Softkey. The selected network is removed from the list.



# 8.8 SIRIUSXM RADIO ENTERTAINMENT



**NOTE:** Refer to the Hazard Avoidance Section for information about SiriusXM Weather products.

The optional SiriusXM Satellite Radio entertainment feature of the GDL 69A Data Link Receiver is available for the pilot's and passengers' enjoyment. The GDL 69A can receive SiriusXM Satellite Radio entertainment services at any altitude throughout the Continental U.S. Entertainment audio is available only on the GDL 69A Data Link Receiver, not the GDL 69.

SiriusXM Satellite Radio offers a variety of radio programming over long distances without having to constantly search for new stations. Based on signals from satellites, coverage far exceeds land-based transmissions. SiriusXM Satellite Radio services are subscription-based. For more information on specific service packages, visit www.siriusxm.com.

#### **ACTIVATING SIRIUSXM SATELLITE RADIO SERVICES**

The service is activated by providing SiriusXM Satellite Radio with either one or two coded IDs, depending on the equipment. Either the Audio Radio ID or the Data Radio ID, or both, must be provided to SiriusXM Satellite Radio to activate the entertainment subscription.

It is not required to activate both the entertainment and weather service subscriptions with the GDL 69A. Either or both services can be activated. SiriusXM Satellite Radio uses one or both of the coded IDs to send an activation signal that, when received by the GDL 69A, allows it to play entertainment programming.

These IDs are located:

- On the label on the back of the Data Link Receiver
- On the XM Information Page on the MFD (Figure 8-116)
- On the XM Satellite Radio Activation Instructions included with the unit (available at www.garmin.com, P/N 190-00355-04)

Contact the installer if the Data Radio ID and the Audio Radio ID cannot be located.



**NOTE:** The **LOCK** Softkey on the XM Information Page (Auxiliary Page Group) is used to save GDL 69A activation data when the SiriusXM services are initially set up. It is not used during normal SiriusXM Satellite Radio operation, but there should be no adverse effects if inadvertently selected during flight. Refer to the GDL 69/69A XM Satellite Radio Activation Instructions (190-00355-04, Rev H or later) for further information.

#### **Activating the SiriusXM Satellite Radio services:**

- 1) Contact SiriusXM Satellite Radio. Follow the instructions provided by SiriusXM Satellite Radio services.
- **2)** Select the Auxiliary Page Group.
- 3) Select the next to last page in the AUX Page Group.
- **4)** Select the **INFO** Softkey to display the XM Information Page.
- **5)** Verify that the desired services are activated.



- **6)** Select the **LOCK** Softkey.
- 7) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight YES.
- 8) To complete activation, press the ENT Key.



Figure 8-114 XM Information Page

If SiriusXM Weather services have not been activated, all the weather product boxes are blank on the XM Information Page and a yellow Activation Required message is displayed in the center of the Weather Data Link Page (Map Page Group). The Service Class refers to the groupings of weather products available for subscription.



#### **USING SIRIUSXM RADIO**

The XM Radio Page provides information and control of the audio entertainment features of the SiriusXM Satellite Radio.

## **Selecting the XM Radio Page:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the Auxiliary Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the displayed AUX XM Information Page.
- 3) Select the **RADIO** Softkey to show the XM Radio Page where audio entertainment is controlled.



Figure 8-115 XM Radio Page

#### ACTIVE CHANNEL AND CHANNEL LIST

The Active Channel Box on the XM Radio Page displays the currently selected channel that the SiriusXM Radio is using.

The Channels List Box of the XM Radio Page shows a list of the available channels for the selected category. Channels can be stepped through one at a time or may be selected directly by channel number.

#### Selecting a channel from the channel list:

- 1) While on the XM Radio Page, select the **CHNL** Softkey.
- Select the CH + Softkey to go up through the list in the Channel Box, or move down the list with the CH Softkey.Or:



- 1) Press the **FMS** Knob to highlight the channel list and turn the large **FMS** Knob to scroll through the channels.
- 2) Press the **ENT** Key to activate the selected channel.

#### Selecting a channel directly:

- 1) While on the XM Radio Page, select the **CHNL** Softkey.
- 2) Select the **DIR CH** Softkey. The channel number in the Active Channel Box is highlighted.
- 3) Select the numbered softkeys located on the bottom of the display to directly select the desired channel number.
- **4)** Press the **ENT** Key to activate the selected channel.

#### **CATEGORY**

The Category Box of the XM Radio Page displays the currently selected category of audio. Categories of channels such as jazz, rock, or news can be selected to list the available channels for a type of music or other contents. One of the optional categories is PRESETS to view channels that have been programmed.

#### Selecting a category:

- 1) Select the **CATGRY** Softkey on the XM Radio Page.
- 2) Select the **CAT** + and **CAT** Softkeys to cycle through the categories.

#### Or:

Turn the small **FMS** Knob to display the Categories list. Highlight the desired category with the small **FMS** Knob and press the **ENT** Key. Selecting All Categories places all channels in the list.



Figure 8-116 Categories List

#### **PRESETS**

Up to 15 channels from any category can be assigned a preset number. The preset channels are selected by selecting the **PRESETS** and **MORE** Softkeys. Then the preset channel can be selected directly and added to the channel list for the Presets category.



#### Setting a preset channel number:

- 1) On the XM Radio Page, while listening to an Active Channel that is wanted for a preset, select the **PRESETS** Softkey to access the first five preset channels (**PS1 PS5**).
- 2) Select the MORE Softkey to access the next five channels (PS6 PS10), and again to access the last five channels (PS11 PS15). Selecting the MORE Softkey repeatedly cycles through the preset channels.
- 3) Select any one of the (PS1 PS15) softkeys to assign a number to the active channel.
- 4) Select the **SET** Softkey on the desired channel number to save the channel as a preset.

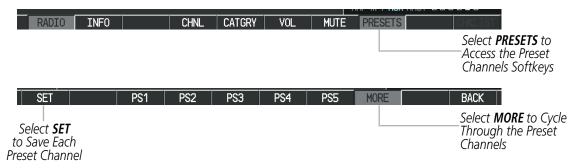


Figure 8-117 Accessing and Selecting SiriusXM Preset Channels

Selecting the **BACK** Softkey, or 45 seconds of softkey inactivity, returns the system to the top level softkeys.

#### VOLUME

Radio volume is shown as a percentage. Volume level is controlled by selecting the **VOL** Softkey, which brings up the **MUTE** Softkey and the volume increase and decrease softkeys.

#### Adjusting the volume:

- 1) With the XM Radio Page displayed, select the **VOL** Softkey.
- 2) Select the VOL Softkey to reduce volume or select the VOL + Softkey to increase volume. (Once the VOL Softkey is selected, the volume can also be adjusted using the small FMS Knob.)

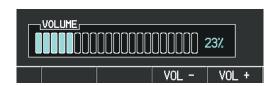


Figure 8-118 Volume Control

SiriusXM Radio volume may also be adjusted on each passenger headset.

#### Mute SiriusXM audio:

- 1) Select the XM Radio Page or XM Information Page.
- 2) Select the **MUTE** Softkey to mute the audio. Select the **MUTE** Softkey again to unmute the audio.



# 8.9 SCHEDULER

The Scheduler feature can be used to enter and display reminder messages (e.g., Change oil, Switch fuel tanks, or Altimeter-Transponder Check) in the Alerts Window on the PFD. Messages can be set to display based on a specific date and time (event), once the message timer reaches zero (one-time; default setting), or recurrently whenever the message timer reaches zero (periodic). Message timers set to periodic alerting automatically reset to the original timer value once the message is displayed. When power is cycled, all messages are retained until deleted, and message timer countdown is resumed.



Figure 8-119 Scheduler (Utility Page)

## **Entering a scheduler message:**

- **1)** Select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- 3) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the first empty scheduler message naming field.
- **4)** Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the message text to be displayed in the Messages Window and press the **ENT** Key.
- 5) Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the field next to Type.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the message type:
  - Event—Message issued at the specified date/time
  - One-time—Message issued when the message timer reaches zero (default setting)
  - Periodic—Message issued each time the message timer reaches zero
- 7) Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the next field.
- **8)** For periodic and one-time messages, use the **FMS** Knob to enter the timer value (HH:MM:SS) from which to countdown and press the **ENT** Key.



- **9)** For event-based messages:
- a) Use the **FMS** Knob to enter the desired date (DD-MM-YY) and press the **ENT** Key.
- **b)** Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to the next field.
- c) Use the FMS Knob to enter the desired time (HH:MM) and press the ENT Key.
- **10)** Press the **ENT** Key again or use the large **FMS** Knob to move the cursor to enter the next message.

#### Deleting a scheduler message:

- **1)** Select the AUX Utility Page.
- 2) Press the **FMS** Knob momentarily to activate the flashing cursor.
- **3)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to highlight the name field of the scheduler message to be deleted.
- **4)** Press the **CLR** Key to clear the message text. If the **CLR** Key is pressed again, the message is restored.
- **5)** Press the **ENT** Key while the message line is cleared to clear the message time.

Scheduler messages appear in the Messages Window on the PFD. When a scheduler message is waiting, the **ALERTS** Softkey label changes to ADVISORY. Pressing the **ADVISORY** Softkey opens the Messages Window and acknowledges the scheduler message. The softkey label reverts to ALERTS when pressed. Pressing the **ALERTS** Softkey again removes the Messages Window from the display, and the scheduler message is deleted from the message queue.



Figure 8-120 PFD Messages Window



# 8.10 FLIGHT DATA LOGGING



**NOTE:** Some aircraft installations may not provide all aircraft/engine data capable of being logged by the system.

The Flight Data Logging feature will automatically store critical flight and engine data on an SD data card (up to 16GB) inserted into the top card slot of the MFD. Approximately 1,000 flight hours can be recorded for each 1GB of available space on the card.

Data is written to the SD card once each second while the MFD is powered on. All flight data logged on a specific date is stored in a file named in a format which includes the date, time, and nearest airport identifier. The file is created automatically each time the G1000 system is powered on, provided an SD card has been inserted.

The status of the Flight Data Logging feature can be viewed on the AUX-UTILITY Page. If no SD card has been inserted, "NO CARD" is displayed. When data is being written to the SD card, "LOGGING DATA" is displayed.

The .csv file may be viewed with Microsoft Excel® or other spreadsheet applications.

The following is a list of data parameters the G1000 system is capable of logging for the Beechcraft 200/B200 aircraft.

- Date
- Time
- GPS altitude (MSL)
- GPS altitude (WGS84 datum)
- Baro-Corrected altitude (feet)
- Baro Correction (in/Hg)
- Indicated airspeed (kts)
- Vertical speed (fpm)
- GPS vertical speed (fpm)
- OAT (degrees C)
- True airspeed (knots)
- Pitch Attitude Angle (degrees)
- Roll Attitude Angle (degrees)
- Lateral and Vertical G Force (g)
- Ground Speed (kts)
- Ground Track (degrees magnetic)

- Latitude (degrees; geodetic; +North)
- Longitude (degrees; geodetic; +East)
- Magnetic Heading (degrees)
- HSI source
- Selected course
- Com1/Com2 frequency
- Nav1/Nav2 frequency
- CDI deflection
- VDI/GP/GS deflection
- Wind Direction (degrees)
- Wind Speed (knots)
- Active Waypoint Identifier
- Distance to next waypoint (nm)
- Bearing to next waypoint (degrees)
- Magnetic variation (degrees)

- Autopilot On/Off
- AFCS roll/pitch modes
- AFCS roll/pitch commands
- GPS fix
- GPS horizontal alert limit
- GPS vertical alert limit
- SBAS GPS horizontal protection level
- SBAS GPS vertical protection level
- Fuel Qty (right & left)(gals)
- Fuel Flow (gph)
- Turbine RPM
- Oil Pressure (psi)
- Oil Temperature (deg. F)
- ITT (deg. F)
- Torque



The file containing the recorded data will appear in the format shown in Figure 8-121. This file can be imported into most computer spreadsheet applications.

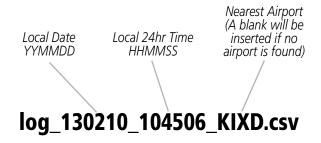


Figure 8-121 Log File Format

Data logging status can be monitored on the AUX-UTILITY Page.



# 8.11 ELECTRONIC STABILITY & PROTECTION (ESP™)

Electronic Stability and Protection ( $ESP^{\mathbb{M}}$ ) is an optional feature that is intended to discourage the exceedance of attitude, established airspeed and angle of attack parameters. This feature will only function when the aircraft is above 200 feet AGL and the autopilot is not engaged.

ESP engages when the aircraft exceeds one or more conditions (pitch, roll, Vmo, Mmo, and/or angle of attack) beyond the normal flight parameters. Enhanced stability for each condition is provided by applying a force to the appropriate control surface to return the aircraft to the normal flight envelope. This is perceived by the pilot as resistance to control movement in the undesired direction when the aircraft approaches a steep attitude, high airspeed, or when a stall is imminent.

As the aircraft deviates further from the normal attitude, angle of attack, or airspeed continues to increase, the force increases (up to an established maximum) to encourage control movement in the direction necessary to return to the normal attitude and/or airspeed range. Except in the case of high airspeed, when maximum force is reached, force remains constant up to the maximum engagement limit. Above the maximum engagement limit, forces are no longer applied. There is no maximum engagement related to a high airspeed condition.

When ESP has been engaged for more than ten seconds (cumulative; not necessarily consecutive seconds) of a 20-second interval, the autopilot is automatically engaged with the flight director in Level Mode, bringing the aircraft into level flight. An aural "Engaging Autopilot" alert is played and the flight director mode annunciation will indicate 'LVL' for vertical and lateral modes.

The pilot can interrupt ESP by pressing and holding either the Control Wheel Steering (**CWS**) or Autopilot Disconnect (**AP/YD DISC TRIM INTRPT**) switch. Upon releasing the **CWS** or **AP/YD DISC TRIM INTRPT** switch, ESP force will again be applied, provided aircraft attitude, angle of attack and/or airspeed are within their respective engagement limits. ESP can also be overridden by overpowering the servo's mechanical torque limit.

ESP can be enabled or disabled on the AUX-SYSTEM SETUP 2 Page on the MFD.

#### To enable or disable ESP:

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page Group.
- 2) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Setup Page.
- 3) If necessary, select the **SETUP 2** Softkey to display the AUX-SYSTEM SETUP 2 Page. If the AUX-SYSTEM SETUP 2 is already displayed, proceed to step 4.
- **4)** Press the **FMS** Knob to activate the cursor.
- 5) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to place the cursor in the STABILITY & PROTECTION field.
- **6)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select 'ENABLE' or 'DISABLE'.
- 7) Press the **FMS** Knob to remove the cursor.

ESP is automatically enabled on system power up.



## ROLL ENGAGEMENT

Roll Limit Indicators are displayed on the roll scale at 45° right and left, indicating where ESP will engage (see Figure 8-122). As roll attitude exceeds 45°, ESP will engage and the on-side Roll Limit Indicator will move to 30°, as shown in Figure 8-123. The Roll Limit Indicator is now showing where ESP will disengage as roll attitude decreases.

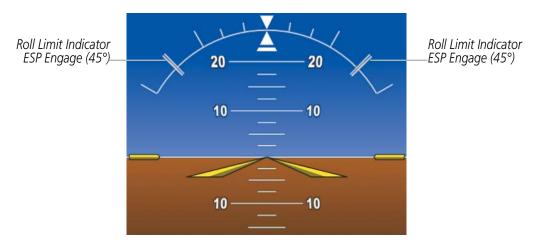


Figure 8-122 ESP Roll Engagement Indication (ESP NOT Engaged)

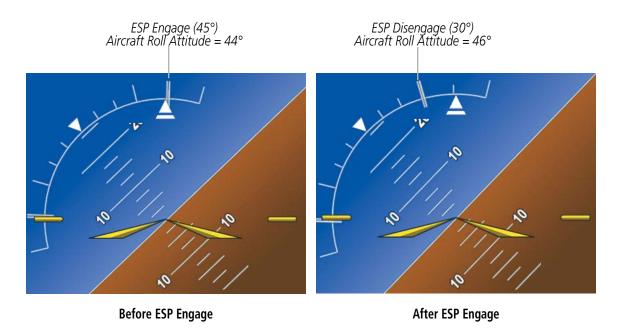


Figure 8-123 Roll Increasing to ESP Engagement



Once engaged, ESP force will be applied between 30° and 75°, as illustrated in Figure 8-124. The force increases as roll attitude increases and decreases as roll attitude decreases. The applied force is intended to encourage pilot input that returns the airplane to a more normal roll attitude. As roll attitude decreases, ESP will disengage at 30°.

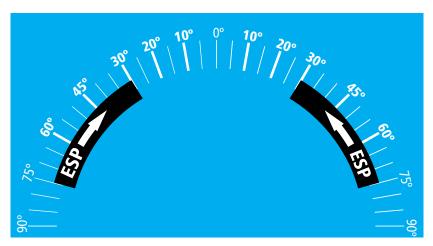


Figure 8-124 ESP Roll Operating Range When Engaged (Force Increases as Roll Increases & Decreases as Roll Decreases)

ESP is automatically disengaged if the aircraft reaches the autopilot roll engagement attitude limit of 75° (Figure 8-125).

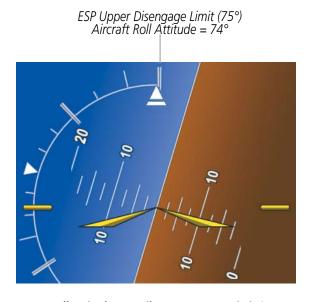


Figure 8-125 Roll Attitude Autopilot Engagement Limit (ESP Engaged)



#### PITCH ENGAGEMENT

ESP engages at 20° nose-up and 17° nose-down. Once ESP is engaged, it will apply opposing force between 15° and 50° nose-up and between 12° and 50° nose-down, as indicated in Figure 8-126. Maximum opposing force is applied between 25° and 50° nose-up and between 22° and 50° nose-down.

The opposing force increases or decreases depending on the pitch angle and the direction of pitch travel. This force is intended to encourage movement in the pitch axis in the direction of the normal pitch attitude range for the aircraft.

There are no indications marking the pitch ESP engage and disengage limits in these nose-up/nose-down conditions.

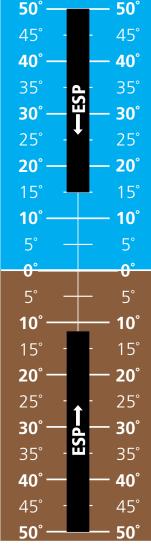


Figure 8-126 ESP Pitch Operating Range When Engaged (Force Increases as Pitch Increases & Decreases as Pitch Decreases)



## ANGLE OF ATTACK PROTECTION

When a compatible lift computer is installed with the G1000 retrofit, angle of attack protection is provided as part of the ESP feature. ESP force may be applied if the lift computer determines a stall warning condition is imminent. In this condition, the Pitch Limit Indicator will be initially displayed 4° below this computed pitch attitude (Figure 8-127). When pitch attitude equals that indicated by the Pitch Limit Indicator, ESP will engage, applying a force in the direction necessary to lower the nose of the aircraft.

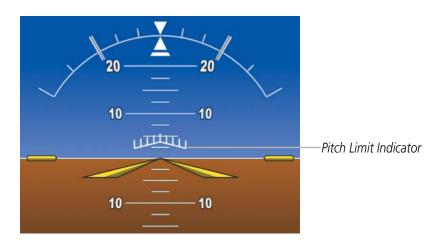


Figure 8-127 Pitch Limit Indicator

# **HIGH AIRSPEED PROTECTION**

Exceeding Vmo or Mmo will result in ESP applying force to raise the nose of the aircraft. When the high airspeed condition is remedied, ESP force is no longer applied.



# **8.12 ABNORMAL OPERATION**

## **SVT TROUBLESHOOTING**

SVT is intended to be used with traditional attitude, heading, obstacle, terrain, and traffic inputs. SVT is disabled when valid attitude or heading data is not available for the display. In case of invalid SVT data, the PFD display reverts to the standard blue-over-brown attitude display.

SVT becomes disabled without the following data resources:

- Attitude data
- Heading data
- GPS position data
- 9 Arc-second Terrain data
- Obstacle data
- TAWS function is not available, in test mode, or failed
- The position of the aircraft exceeds the range of the terrain database.

#### **REVERSIONARY MODE**

SVT can be displayed on the Multifunction Display (MFD) in Reversionary Mode. If it is enabled when switching to Reversionary Mode, SVT will take up to 30 seconds to be displayed. The standard, non-SVT PFD display will be shown in the interim.



Figure 8-128 SVT Reversionary Mode



#### **UNUSUAL ATTITUDES**

Unusual attitudes are displayed with red chevrons overlaid on the display indicating the direction to fly to correct the unusual attitude condition. The display shows either a brown or blue colored bar at the top or bottom of the screen to represent earth or sky. This is intended to prevent losing sight of the horizon during extreme pitch attitudes.





Figure 8-129 Unusual Attitude Display

The blue colored bar is also displayed when terrain gradient is great enough to completely fill the display.



Figure 8-130 Blue Sky Bar with Full Display Terrain



## GSR 56 & GDL 59/69/69A TROUBLESHOOTING

For troubleshooting purposes, check the LRU Information Box on the AUX - System Status Page for GSR 56, GDL 59, or GDL 69/69A status, serial number, and software version number. If a failure has been detected in the GDL 69/69A the status is marked with a red X.

## **Selecting the AUX - System Status Page:**

- 1) Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page Group.
- **2)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Status Page.

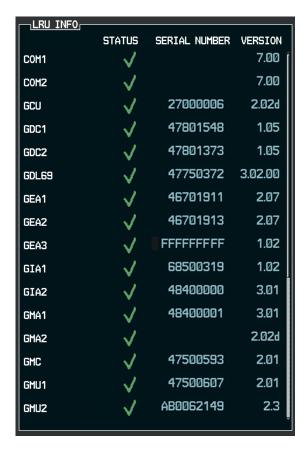


Figure 8-131 LRU Information Window on System Status Page

Some quick troubleshooting steps listed below can be performed to find the possible cause of a failure.

- Ensure the installed Data Link Receiver or Iridium Trasceiver has an active subscription or account
- Perform a quick check of the circuit breakers to ensure that power is applied to the Data Link Receiver or Iridium Transceiver



## GDL 69/69A

Ensure that nothing is plugged into the MUSIC 1 or MUSIC 2 jacks because that would prevent SiriusXM radio from being heard

If a failure still exists, the following messages may provide insight as to the possible problem:

Message	Message Location	Description
CHECK ANTENNA	XM Information Page (MFD)	Data Link Receiver antenna error; service required
UPDATING	XM Information Page (MFD))	Data Link Receiver updating encryption code
NO SIGNAL	XM Information Page Weather Datalink Page (MFD)	Loss of signal; signal strength too low for receiver
LOADING	XM Radio Page (MFD)	Acquiring channel audio or information
OFF AIR	XM Radio Page (MFD)	Channel not in service
	XM Radio Page (MFD)	Missing channel information
WEATHER DATA LINK FAILED	Weather Datalink Page (MFD)	No communication from Data Link Receiver within last 5 minutes
<b>ACTIVATION REQUIRED</b>	XM Information Page (MFD)	SiriusXM subscription is not activated
<b>DETECTING ACTIVATION</b>	Weather Datalink Page (MFD)	SiriusXM subscription is activating.
WAITING FOR DATA	Weather Datalink Page (MFD)	SiriusXM subscription confirmed downloading weather data.

Table 8-7 GDL 69/69A Data Link Receiver Messages



# ANNUNCIATIONS AND ALERTS



**NOTE**: The Pilot's Operating Handbook and FAA Approved Airplane Flight Manual (AFM/POH) supersedes information found in this document.

The G1000 Alerting System conveys alerts using the following:

- **Annunciation Window:** The Annunciation Window displays abbreviated annunciation text. Text color is based on alert levels described later in the Alert Levels Definitions section. The Annunciation Window is located to the right of the Altitude and Vertical Speed boxes on the display. All annunciations can be displayed simultaneously in the Annunciation Window. A white horizontal line separates annunciations that are acknowledged from annunciations that are not yet acknowledged. Higher priority annunciations are displayed towards the top of the window. Lower priority annunciations are displayed towards the bottom of the window.
- **Alerts Window:** The Alerts Window displays text messages for up to 64 prioritized alert messages. Pressing the **ALERTS** Softkey displays the Alerts Window. Pressing the **ALERTS** Softkey a second time removes the Alerts Window from the display. When the Alerts Window is displayed, the **FMS** Knob can be used to scroll through the alert message list.
- **Softkey Annunciation:** During certain alerts, the **ALERTS** Softkey may appear as a flashing annunciation to accompany an alert. The **ALERTS** Softkey assumes a new label (ADVISORY). By selecting the softkey when flashing an annunciation, the alert is acknowledged. The softkey label then returns to **ALERTS**. If alerts are still present, the **ALERTS** label is displayed in white with black text. Selecting the **ALERTS** Softkey a second time views the alert text messages.
- **System Annunciations:** Typically, a large red 'X' appears over instruments whose information is supplied by a failed Line Replaceable Unit (LRU). See the G1000 System Annunciations Section for more information.

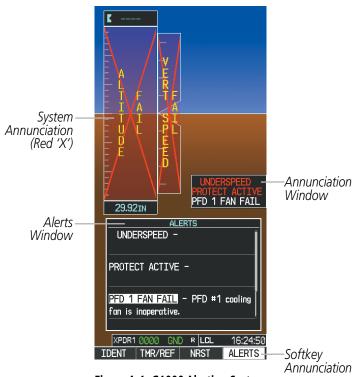


Figure A-1 G1000 Alerting System



• **Audio Alerting System:** The *G*1000 System issues audio alert tones when specific system conditions are met. See the Alert Level Definitions Section for more information. The annunciation tone may be tested from the AUX - System Status Page.

#### Testing the system annunciation tone and annunciator lights:

- 1) Use the **FMS** Knob to select the AUX System Status Page.
- **2)** Select the **ANN TEST** Softkey.

Or:

- a) Press the MENU Key.
- **b)** Highlight 'Enable Annunciator Test Mode' and press the **ENT** Key.



Press to Test -Annunciation Tone and Annunciation Lights

Figure A-2 System Status Page, System Annunciation Testing

#### **ALERT LEVEL DEFINITIONS**

The G1000 Alerting System, as installed in Beechcraft 200/B200 Series aircraft, uses one alert level.

• **ANNUNCIATION OR MESSAGE ADVISORY:** This level of alert provides general information.

An annunciation alert is accompanied by a flashing 'ADVISORY' Softkey annunciation (see Figure A-3). Pressing the **ADVISORY** Softkey acknowledges the presence of the annunciation alert.

Message advisory alerts issue a flashing 'ADVISORY' Softkey annunciation (see Figure A-3). Pressing the **ADVISORY** Softkey acknowledges the presence of the message advisory alert and displays the alert text message in the Alerts Window.



Figure A-3 Softkey Annunciation (ALERTS Softkey Labels)



#### **AIRCRAFT ALERTS**

The following alerts are configured specifically for the Beechcraft 200/B200 Series. Red annunciation window text signifies warnings. White annunciation window text signifies advisories. See the Aircraft Flight Manual (AFM) for recommended pilot actions.

#### WARNING ANNUNCIATIONS

<b>Annunciation Window Text</b>	Alerts Window Message	Audio Alert
UNDERSPEED	None	None
<b>PROTECT ACTIVE</b>		

## **ADVISORY ANNUNCIATIONS**

Annunciation Window Text	Alerts Window Message	Audio Alert
AVN FAN 1 FAIL	Avionics cooling fan #1 is inoperative.	None
AVN FAN 2 FAIL	Avionics cooling fan #2 is inoperative.	None
MFD FAN FAIL	MFD cooling fan is inoperative.	None
PFD 1 FAN FAIL	PFD #1 cooling fan is inoperative.	None
PFD 2 FAN FAIL	PFD #2 cooling fan is inoperative.	None

#### MESSAGE ADVISORY ALERTS

Advisory alerts issue a flashing 'ADVISORY' Softkey annunciation. Pressing the **ADVISORY** Softkey acknowledges the presence of the advisory alert and displays the alert text message in the Alerts Window.

Alerts Window Message	Audio Alert/Voice Message
<b>TAWS GEAR FAULT</b> – Landing Gear detected in the DOWN position.	None
TAWS FLAP FAULT – Flaps detected in the LDG position.	None
<b>WOW FAULT</b> – Miscompare between weight on wheels inputs.	None
WOW INVALID – Weight on wheels inputs invalid.	None
<b>ESP OFF</b> – ESP selected off.	None
<b>ESP FAIL</b> — ESP is inoperative.	None
<b>ESP DEGRADE</b> – ESP AOA mode is inoperative*.	None
<b>ESP DEGRADE</b> – ESP IAS mode is inoperative.	None
<b>ESP CONFIG</b> – ESP config error. Config service req'd.	None
YD OFF – AP engaged without Yaw Damper	None
*only available when compatible lift computer is installed.	



## **VOICE ALERTS**

The following voice alerts are announced by the system using a male or female gender (see the AUX - System Setup Page for the default configured voice gender; contact a Garmin-authorized service center to change the audio alert voice). Terrain Awareness and Warning System voice alerts are also generated (refer to the TAWS Alerts section).

Voice Alert	Description
"Minimums"	The aircraft has descended below the preset minimum descent altitude or decision altitude.
"Vertical track"	The aircraft is one minute from Top of Descent. Issued only when vertical navigation is enabled.
"Airspeed"	The aircraft is in an underspeed condition. See the AFCS section for more details.
"Engaging autopilot"	The ESP system is engaging the autopilot. See the AFCS section for more details.
"Traffic"	Played when a Traffic Advisory (TA) is issued with the TIS system, the optional GTS 800/820/825 TAS system, or the optional GTS 850/855 TCAS I system. See the Hazard Avoidance section for additional details on GTS 800/820/825/850/855 voice alerts.
"TIS Not Available"	The aircraft is outside the Traffic Information Service (TIS) coverage area.
"Traffic, Traffic"	Played when a Traffic Advisory (TA) is issued with the optional SKY 497/SKY899 TAS system, or the optional KTA 870 TAS system. See the Skywatch PG or KTA 870 PG for additional details on voice alerts.
"Traffic"	Played for each subsequent TA (KTA 870 only).
	Played when the optional traffic system passes a pilot-initiated self test.
"Traffic Advisory System Test Passed"	- SKY 497 TAS
"SKYWATCH System Test Passed"	- SKY 899 TAS
"TAS System Test OK"	- KTA 870 TAS
"TAS System Test Passed"	- GTS 800/820/825 TAS
"TCAS System Test Passed"	- GTS 850 TCAS I
"TCAS One System Test Passed"	- GTS 855 TCAS I
"TCAS Two System Test Passed"	- GTS 8000 TCAS II
	Played when the optional traffic system fails a pilot-initiated self test.
"Traffic Advisory System Test Failed"	- SKY 497 TAS
"SKYWATCH System Test Failed"	- SKY 899 TAS
"TAS System Test Fail"	- KTA 870 TAS
"TAS System Test Failed"	- GTS 800/820/825 TAS
"TCAS System Test Failed"	- GTS 850 TCAS I
"TCAS One System Test Failed"	- GTS 855 TCAS I
"TCAS Two System Test Failed"	- GTS 8000 TCAS II
"One o'clock" through	Intruder bearing (GTS 800/820/825/850/855 only)
"Twelve o'clock"	
or "No Bearing"	



Voice Alert	Description
"High", "Low", "Same Altitude" (if within 200 feet of own altitude), or "Altitude not available"	Intruder relative altitude (GTS 800/820/825/850/855 only)
"Less than one mile", "One Mile" through "Ten Miles", or "More than ten miles"	Intruder distance (GTS 800/820/825/850/855 only)

## **COMPARATOR ANNUNCIATIONS**

The Comparator monitors critical values generated by redundant sensors. If differences in the sensors exceed a specified amount, this discrepancy is annunciated in the Comparator Window as a 'MISCOMP' (miscompare). If one or both of the sensed values are unavailable, it is annunciated as a 'NO COMP' (no compare) as seen in Figure A-4. The following is a list of the possible annunciations:



Figure A-4 Sensor Comparator Window

Comparator Window Text	Condition
ALT MISCOMP	Difference in altitude sensors is $\geq$ 200 ft.
	If both airspeed sensors detect < 35 knots, this is inhibited.
IAS MISCOMP	If either airspeed sensor detects $\geq$ 35 knots, and the difference in sensors is $>$ 10 knots.
	If either airspeed sensor detects $\geq$ 80 knots, and the difference in sensors is $>$ 7 knots.
HDG MISCOMP	Difference in heading sensors is > 6 degrees.
PIT MISCOMP	Difference in pitch sensors is > 5 degrees.
ROL MISCOMP	Difference in roll sensors is $>$ 6 degrees.
ALT NO COMP	No data from one or both altitude sensors.
IAS NO COMP	No data from one or both airspeed sensors.
HDG NO COMP	No data from one or both heading sensors.
PIT NO COMP	No data from one or both pitch sensors.
ROL NO COMP	No data from one or both roll sensors



#### REVERSIONARY SENSOR ANNUNCIATIONS

Reversionary sensor selection is annunciated in the Reversionary Sensor Window, as shown in Figure A-5. These annunciations reflect reversionary sensors selected on one or both PFDs. Pressing the **SENSOR** Softkey gives access to **ADC1**, **ADC2**, **AHRS1**, and **AHRS2** Softkeys. These softkeys allow manual switching of sensors. In the case of certain types of sensor failures, the G1000 may make some sensor selections automatically. The GPS sensor cannot be switched manually.



Figure A-5 Reversionary Sensor Windows

Reversionary Sensor Window Text	Condition
BOTH ON ADC1	Both PFDs are displaying data from the number one Air Data Computer.
BOTH ON ADC2	Both PFDs are displaying data from the number two Air Data Computer.
<b>BOTH ON AHRS1</b>	Both PFDs are displaying data from the number one Attitude & Heading Reference System.
BOTH ON AHRS2	Both PFDs are displaying data from the number two Attitude & Heading Reference System.
BOTH ON GPS1	Both PFDs are displaying data from the number one GPS receiver.
BOTH ON GPS2	Both PFDs are displaying data from the number two GPS receiver.
USING ADC1	PFD2 is displaying data from the #1 Air Data Computer.
USING ADC2	PFD1 is displaying data from the #2 Air Data Computer.
USING AHRS1	PFD2 is displaying data from the #1 AHRS.
USING AHRS2	PFD1 is displaying data from the #2 AHRS.
USING GPS1	PFD2 is displaying data from the #1 GPS.
USING GPS2	PFD1 is displaying data from the #2 GPS.

#### G1000 SYSTEM ANNUNCIATIONS

When a new message is issued, the **ALERTS** Softkey flashes to alert the flight crew of a new message. It continues to flash until acknowledged by pressing the softkey. Active messages are displayed in white text. Messages that have become inactive change to gray text. The **ALERTS** Softkey flashes if the state of a displayed message changes or a new message is displayed. The inactive messages can be removed from the Message Window by pressing the flashing **ALERTS** Softkey.

The G1000 System Messages convey messages to the flight crew regarding problems with the G1000 system. Typically, a large red 'X' appears in a window when a related LRU fails or detects invalid data.



The following section describes various system annunciations. Refer to the AFM/POH for additional information regarding pilot responses to these annunciations.



**NOTE:** Upon power-up of the G1000 system, certain windows remain invalid as G1000 equipment begins to initialize. All windows should be operational within one minute of power-up. Should any window continue to remain flagged, the G1000 system should be serviced by a Garmin-authorized repair facility.

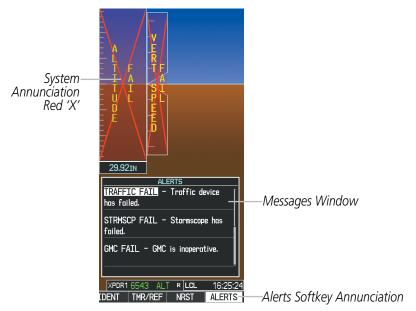


Figure A-6 G1000 System Messages

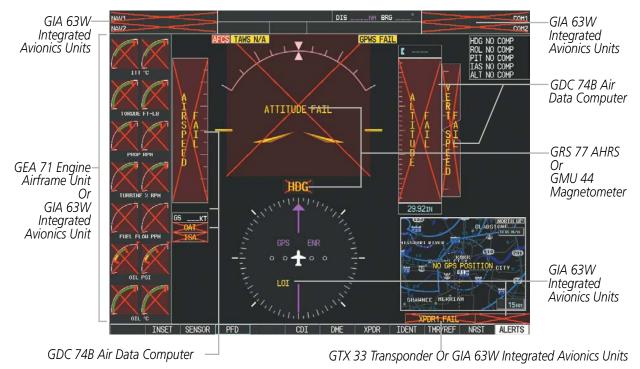


Figure A-7 G1000 System Failure Annunciations



System Annunciation	Comment
AHRS ALIGH: Keep Hings Level	Attitude and Heading Reference System is aligning.
ATTITUDE FAIL	Display system is not receiving attitude information from the AHRS.
ZO ZO ZO CALIBRATE AHRS/MAG	AHRS calibration incomplete or configuration module failure.
20 20	This annunciation is only seen when the autopilot is engaged. The annunciation indicates an AHRS monitor has detected an abnormal flight parameter, possibly caused by strong turbulence. In this case, the situation should correct itself within a few seconds. If there is an actual failure, a red "X" soon appears over the Attitude Indicator.
GPS ENR LOI	GPS information is either not present or is invalid for navigation use. Note that AHRS utilizes GPS inputs during normal operation. AHRS operation may be degraded if GPS signals are not present (see POH).
A /- RS /A - P / L - D	Display system is not receiving airspeed input from air data computer.

System Annunciation	Comment
THE HERMAN	Display system is not receiving vertical speed input from the air data computer.
A A T A I U D L	Display system is not receiving altitude input from the air data computer.
HDG	Display system is not receiving valid heading input from AHRS.
VOR1	CDI is not receiving valid data from the corresponding GIA.  Does not apply when the CDI is set to GPS.
ISA	Display system is not receiving valid ISA information from air data computer.
⊃0AT<	Display system is not receiving valid OAT information from air data computer.
XPDR1 FAIL	Display system is not receiving valid transponder information.  GPS information is either
GRS ENR  LOT  LOT  LOT  LOT  LOT  LOT  LOT  LO	not present or is invalid for navigation use.  Note that AHRS utilizes GPS inputs during normal operation. AHRS operation may be degraded if GPS signals are not present (see AFM/POH).
Other Various Red X Indications	A red 'X' through any other display field (such as engine instrumentation display) indicates that the field is not receiving valid data.



#### G1000 SYSTEM MESSAGE ADVISORIES

This section describes various G1000 system message advisories. Certain messages are issued due to an LRU or an LRU function failure. Such messages are normally accompanied by a corresponding red 'X' annunciation as shown previously in the G1000 System Annunciation section.



**NOTE:** This Section provides information regarding G1000 message advisories that may be displayed by the system. Knowledge of the aircraft, systems, flight conditions, and other existing operational priorities must be considered when responding to a message. Always use sound pilot judgment. The AFM/POH takes precedence over any conflicting guidance found in this section.

#### MFD & PFD MESSAGE ADVISORIES

Message	Comments
<b>DATA LOST</b> — Pilot stored data was lost. Recheck settings.	The pilot profile data was lost. System reverts to default pilot profile and settings. The pilot may reconfigure the MFD & PFD with preferred settings, if desired.
<b>XTALK ERROR</b> – A flight display crosstalk error has occurred.	The MFD and PFD are not communicating with each other. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>PFD1 SERVICE</b> – PFD1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	
<b>PFD2 SERVICE</b> – PFD2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The PFD and/or MFD self-test has detected a problem. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MFD1 SERVICE</b> – MFD1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	
<b>MANIFEST</b> – PFD1 software mismatch. Communication halted.	
<b>MANIFEST</b> – PFD2 software mismatch. Communication halted.	The PFD and/or MFD has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MANIFEST</b> – MFD1 software mismatch. Communication halted.	
<b>PFD1 CONFIG</b> – PFD1 configuration error. Config service req'd.	The PFD configuration settings do not match backup configuration memory. The
<b>PFD2 CONFIG</b> – PFD2 configuration error. Config service req'd.	G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MFD1 CONFIG</b> – MFD1 configuration error. Config service req'd.	The MFD configuration settings do not match backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>PFD1 SOFTWARE</b> – PFD1 mismatch, communication halted.	
<b>PFD2 SOFTWARE</b> – PFD2 mismatch, communication halted.	The specified GDU has different software versions installed. The system should be serviced.
<b>MFD1 SOFTWARE</b> — MFD1 mismatch, communication halted.	



Message	Comments	
<b>PFD1 COOLING</b> – PFD1 has poor cooling. Reducing power usage.		
<b>PFD2 COOLING</b> – PFD2 has poor cooling. Reducing power usage.	The PFD and/or MFD is overheating and is reducing power consumption by dimming the display. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.	
<b>MFD1 COOLING</b> – MFD1 has poor cooling. Reducing power usage.		
<b>PFD1 KEYSTK</b> – PFD1 [key name] Key is stuck.		
<b>PFD2 KEYSTK</b> – PFD2 [key name] Key is stuck	A key is stuck on the PFD and/or MFD bezel. Attempt to free the stuck key by pressing it several times. The G1000 system should be serviced if the problem persists.	
MFD1 KEYSTK — MFD1 [key name] Key is stuck.		
<b>CNFG MODULE</b> – PFD1 configuration module is inoperative.	The PFD1 configuration module backup memory has failed. The G1000 system should be serviced.	
<b>PFD1 VOLTAGE</b> – PFD1 has low voltage. Reducing power usage.	The PFD1 voltage is low. The G1000 system should be serviced.	
<b>PFD2 VOLTAGE</b> – PFD2 has low voltage. Reducing power usage.	The PFD2 voltage is low. The G1000 system should be serviced.	
<b>MFD1 VOLTAGE</b> – MFD1 has low voltage. Reducing power usage.	The MFD voltage is low. The G1000 system should be serviced.	
[PFD1, PFD2, or MFD1] BKLT CAL INV  — calibration lost or mismatch. Return for repair.	The PFD1, PFD2 and/or MFD backlight calibration cannot be found or is invalid. The system should be serviced.	

# **DATABASE MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>MFD1 DB ERR</b> – MFD1 navigation database error exists.	The MFD and/or PFD detected a failure in the navigation database. Attempt to reload the navigation database. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>PFD1 DB ERR</b> – PFD1 navigation database error exists.	
<b>PFD2 DB ERR</b> – PFD2 navigation database error exists.	
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 basemap database error exists.	The MFD and/or PFD detected a failure in the basemap database. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>PFD1 DB ERR</b> – PFD1 basemap database error exists.	
<b>PFD2 DB ERR</b> – PFD2 basemap database error exists.	
<b>MFD1 DB ERR</b> – MFD1 terrain database error exists.	The MFD and/or PFD detected a failure in the terrain database. Ensure that the terrain card is properly inserted in display. Replace terrain card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>PFD1 DB ERR</b> – PFD1 terrain database error exists.	
<b>PFD2 DB ERR</b> – PFD2 terrain database error exists.	



Message	Comments
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 terrain database missing.  PFD1 DB ERR — PFD1 terrain database missing.  PFD2 DB ERR — PFD2 terrain database missing.	The terrain database is present on another LRU, but is missing on the specified LRU. Ensure that the terrain card is properly inserted in the specified display. Replace terrain card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 obstacle database error exists.  PFD1 DB ERR — PFD1 obstacle database error exists.  PFD2 DB ERR — PFD2 obstacle database error exists.	The MFD and/or PFD detected a failure in the obstacle database. Ensure that the data card is properly inserted. Replace data card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 obstacle database missing.  PFD1 DB ERR — PFD1 obstacle database missing.  PFD2 DB ERR — PFD2 obstacle database missing.	The obstacle database is present on another LRU, but is missing on the specified LRU. Ensure that the terrain card is properly inserted in the specified display.  Replace terrain card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 airport terrain database error exists.  PFD1 DB ERR — PFD1 airport terrain database error exists.  PFD2 DB ERR — PFD2 airport terrain database error exists.	The MFD and/or PFD detected a failure in the airport terrain database. Ensure that the data card is properly inserted. Replace data card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 airport terrain database missing.  PFD1 DB ERR — PFD1 airport terrain database missing.  PFD2 DB ERR — PFD2 airport terrain database missing.	The airport terrain database is present on another LRU, but is missing on the specified LRU. Ensure that the terrain card is properly inserted in the specified display. Replace terrain card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 Safe Taxi database error exists.  PFD1 DB ERR — PFD1 Safe Taxi database error exists.  PFD2 DB ERR — PFD2 Safe Taxi database error exists.	The MFD and/or PFD detected a failure in the Safe Taxi database. Ensure that the data card is properly inserted. Replace data card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 Chartview database error exists.	The MFD detected a failure in the Chartview database (optional feature). Ensure that the data card is properly inserted. Replace data card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MFD1 DB ERR</b> – MFD1 FliteCharts database error exists.	The MFD detected a failure in the FliteCharts database (optional feature). Ensure that the data card is properly inserted. Replace data card. If problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.



Message	Comments
MFD1 DB ERR — MFD1 Airport Directory database error exists.	The MFD detected a failure in the Airport Directory database. Ensure the data card is properly inserted. Replace data card. If problem persists, the system should be serviced.
<b>DB MISMATCH</b> — Navigation database mismatch. Xtalk is off.	The PFDs and MFD have different navigation database versions or regions installed. Crossfill is off. Check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page to determine versions or regions. Also, check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page for a database synchronization function not completed. After synchronization is complete, power must be turned off, then on.
<b>DB MISMATCH</b> — Standby Navigation database mismatch.	The PFDs and MFD have different standby navigation database versions or regions installed. Check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page to determine versions or regions. Also, check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page for a database synchronization function not completed. After synchronization is complete, power must be turned off, then on.
<b>DB MISMATCH</b> – Terrain database mismatch.	The PFDs and MFD have different terrain database versions or regions installed. Check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page to determine versions or regions. Also, check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page for a database synchronization function not completed. After synchronization is complete, power must be turned off, then on.
<b>DB MISMATCH</b> — Obstacle database mismatch.	The PFDs and MFD have different obstacle database versions or regions installed. Check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page to determine versions or regions. Also, check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page for a database synchronization function not completed. After synchronization is complete, power must be turned off, then on.
<b>DB MISMATCH</b> — Airport Terrain database mismatch.	The PFDs and MFD have different airport terrain database versions or regions installed. Check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page to determine versions or regions. Also, check the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page for a database synchronization function not completed. After synchronization is complete, power must be turned off, then on.
<b>NAV DB UPDATED</b> – Active navigation database updated.	System has updated the active navigation database from the standby navigation database.
<b>TERRAIN DSP</b> – [PFD1, PFD2 or MFD1] Terrain awareness display unavailable.	One of the terrain, airport terrain, or obstacle databases required for TAWS in the specified PFD or MFD is missing or invalid.

# **GMA 1347D MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GMA1 FAIL</b> – GMA1 is inoperative.	The audio panel self-test has detected a failure. The audio panel is unavailable. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GMA2 FAIL</b> – GMA2 is inoperative.	
<b>GMA XTALK</b> – GMA crosstalk error has occurred.	An error has occurred in transferring data between the two GMAs. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GMA1 CONFIG</b> – GMA1 configuration error. Config service req'd.	The audio panel configuration settings do not match backup configuration memory.  The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GMA2 CONFIG</b> – GMA2 configuration error. Config service req'd.	
<b>GMA1 MANIFEST</b> – GMA1 software mismatch. Communication halted.	The audio panel has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GMA2 MANIFEST</b> – GMA2 software mismatch. Communication halted.	



<b>GMA1 SERVICE</b> – GMA1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The audio panel self-test has detected a problem in the unit. Certain audio functions may still be available, and the audio panel may still be usable. The G1000 system should be
<b>GMA2 SERVICE</b> – GMA2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	serviced when possible.

## **GIA 63W MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GIA1 CONFIG</b> – GIA1 config error. Config service req'd.	The GIA1 and/or GIA2 configuration cottings do not match backup configuration
GIA2 CONFIG — GIA2 config error.	The GIA1 and/or GIA2 configuration settings do not match backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
Config service req'd.	memory. The droop system should be serviced.
GIA1 CONFIG – GIA1 audio config	
error. Config service req'd.	The GIA1 and/or GIA2 have an error in the audio configuration. The G1000 system
<b>GIA2 CONFIG</b> – GIA2 audio config error. Config service req'd.	should be serviced.
GIA1 COOLING – GIA1 temperature	
too low.	The GIA1 and/or GIA2 temperature is too low to operate correctly. Allow units to
GIA2 COOLING — GIA2 temperature too low.	warm up to operating temperature.
GIA1 COOLING — GIA1 over	
temperature.	The GIA1 and/or GIA2 temperature is too high. If problem persists, the G1000 system
GIA2 COOLING – GIA2 over	should be serviced.
temperature.	
<b>GIA1 SERVICE</b> – GIA1 needs service.	
Return the unit for repair.	The GIA1 and/or GIA2 self-test has detected a problem in the unit. The G1000 system
<b>GIA2 SERVICE</b> – GIA2 needs service.	should be serviced.
Return the unit for repair.	
<b>G/S1 SERVICE</b> – G/S1 needs service.	
Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in glideslope receiver 1 and/or receiver 2. The receiver
<b>G/S2 SERVICE</b> – G/S2 needs service.	may still be available. The system should be serviced when possible.
Return unit for repair.	
<b>HW MISMATCH</b> – GIA hardware	
mismatch. GIA1 communication halted.	A GIA mismatch has been detected, where only one is SBAS capable. The G1000
HW MISMATCH — GIA hardware	system should be serviced.
mismatch. GIA2 communication	system should be serviced.
halted.	
GIA1 MANIFEST — GIA1 software	
mismatch, communication halted.	The GIA1 and/or GIA 2 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GIA2 MANIFEST</b> – GIA2 software mismatch, communication halted.	
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GFC software mismatch, communication halted.	Incorrect servo software is installed, or gain settings are incorrect.



Message	Comments
<b>COM1 MANIFEST</b> – COM1 software mismatch, communication halted.	COM1 and/or COM2 software mismatch. The system should be serviced.
<b>COM2 MANIFEST</b> – COM2 software mismatch, communication halted.	CONT analor Coniz software mismatch. The system should be serviced.
<b>NAV1 MANIFEST</b> – NAV1 software mismatch, communication halted.	
NAV2 MANIFEST — NAV2 software mismatch, communication halted.	NAV1 and/or NAV2 software mismatch. The system should be serviced.
<b>COM1 CONFIG</b> – COM1 config error. Config service req'd.	COM1 and/or COM2 configuration settings do not match backup configuration
COM2 CONFIG – COM2 config error. Config service req'd.	memory. The system should be serviced.
COM1 TEMP — COM1 over temp. Reducing transmitter power.	The system has detected an over temperature condition in COM1 and/or COM2. The transmitter operates at reduced power. If the problem persists, the G1000 system
<b>COM2 TEMP</b> – COM2 over temp. Reducing transmitter power.	should be serviced.
com1 service – com1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The system has detected a failure in COM1 and/or COM2. COM1 and/or COM2 may still be usable. The G1000 system should be serviced when possible.
service. Return unit for repair.	·
com1 PTT — COM1 push-to-talk key is stuck.	The COM1 and/or COM2 external push-to-talk switch is stuck in the enable (or "pressed") position. Press the PTT switch again to cycle its operation.
<b>COM2 PTT</b> – COM2 push-to-talk key is stuck.	If the problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>COM1 RMT XFR</b> – COM1 remote transfer key is stuck.	The COM1 and/or COM2 transfer switch is stuck in the enabled (or "pressed") position. Press the transfer switch again to cycle its operation. If the problem
<b>COM2 RMT XFR</b> – COM2 remote transfer key is stuck.	persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>LOI</b> – GPS integrity lost. Crosscheck with other NAVS.	GPS integrity is insufficient for the current phase of flight.
GPS NAV LOST — Loss of GPS navigation. Insufficient satellites.	Loss of GPS navigation due to insufficient satellites.
<b>GPS NAV LOST</b> – Loss of GPS navigation. Position error.	Loss of GPS navigation due to position error.
GPS NAV LOST – Loss of GPS navigation. GPS fail.	Loss of GPS navigation due to GPS failure.
<b>ABORT APR</b> – Loss of GPS navigation. Abort approach.	Abort approach due to loss of GPS navigation.
<b>APR DWNGRADE</b> – Approach downgraded.	Vertical guidance generated by SBAS is unavailable, use LNAV only minimums



Message	Comments
<b>TRUE APR</b> – True north approach. Change HDG reference to TRUE.	Displayed after passing the first waypoint of a true north approach when the nav angle is set to 'AUTO'.
GPS1 SERVICE – GPS1 needs service. Return unit for repair. GPS2 SERVICE – GPS2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the GPS1 and/or GPS2 receiver. The receiver may still be available. The G1000 system should be serviced.
GPS1 FAIL — GPS1 is inoperative.  GPS2 FAIL — GPS2 is inoperative.	A failure has been detected in GPS receiver #1 and/or GPS receiver #2. The system should be serviced.
NAV1 SERVICE — NAV1 needs service. Return unit for repair. NAV2 SERVICE — NAV2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the NAV1 and/or NAV2 receiver. The receiver may still be available. The G1000 system should be serviced.
NAV1 RMT XFR — NAV1 remote transfer key is stuck.  NAV2 RMT XFR — NAV2 remote transfer key is stuck.	The remote NAV1 and/or NAV2 transfer switch is stuck in the enabled (or "pressed") state. Press the transfer switch again to cycle its operation. If the problem persists, the G1000 system should be serviced.
G/S1 FAIL – G/S1 is inoperative.  G/S2 FAIL – G/S2 is inoperative.	A failure has been detected in glideslope receiver 1 and/or receiver 2. The G1000 system should be serviced.
G/S1 SERVICE — G/S1 needs service. Return unit for repair. G/S2 SERVICE — G/S2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in glideslope receiver 1 and/or receiver 2. The receiver may still be available. The G1000 system should be serviced when possible.
<b>FAILED PATH</b> – A data path has failed.	A data path connected to the GDU or the GIA 63/W has failed.
COM1 RMT XFR — COM1 remote transfer key is stuck.  COM2 RMT XFR — COM2 remote	The COM1 and/or COM2 transfer switch is stuck in the enabled (or "pressed") position. Press the transfer switch again to cycle its operation. If the problem persists, the system should be serviced.  The estimated GPS position error exceeds the RNP limits. Check GPS sensors.
transfer key is stuck.  UNABLE RNP – Estimated position	
error exceeds RNP.  UNABLE RNP APR – GPS integerity lost. Check GPS sensors.	The estimated GPS position error exceeds the requirements for the current approach. Check GPS sensor
APR ADVISORY — SBAS VNAV not available. Using Baro VNAV.	SBAS VNAN not available. Check GPS sensor.



## **GSD 41 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GSD1 CONFIG</b> – GSD1 config error. Config service req'd.	GSD1 and the CDU have different copies of the GSD1 configuration.
<b>GSD1 COOLING</b> – GSD1 temperature too low.	GSD1 is reporting a low temperature condition.
<b>GSD1 SERVICE</b> – GSD1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	GSD1 is reporting an internal error condition. The GSD may still be usable.
<b>GSD1 MANIFEST</b> – GSD1 software mismatch. Communication halted.	GSD1 has incorrect software installed. The system should be serviced.

## **GEA 71 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GEA1 CONFIG</b> – GEA1 config error. Config service req'd.	The GEA1 configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GEA2 CONFIG</b> — GEA2 config error. Config service req'd.	The GEA2 configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GEA1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The #1 GEA 71 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GEA2 software mismatch, communication halted.	The #2 GEA 71 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.

## GTX 33/33D/33ES/33DES/3000 MESSAGE ADVISORIES

Message	Comments
<b>XPDR1 CONFIG</b> – XPDR1 config error. Config service req'd.	The transponder configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>XPDR2 CONFIG</b> – XPDR2 config error. Config service req'd.	The transponder configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GTX1 MANIFEST</b> – GTX1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The transponder has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GTX2 MANIFEST</b> – GTX2 software mismatch, communication halted.	The transponder has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>XPDR1 SRVC</b> — XPDR1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The #1 transponder should be serviced when possible.
<b>XPDR2 SRVC</b> — XPDR2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The #2 transponder should be serviced when possible.
<b>XPDR1 FAIL</b> – XPDR1 is inoperative.	There is no communication with the #1 transponder.
<b>XPDR2 FAIL</b> – XPDR2 is inoperative.	There is no communication with the #2 transponder.
XPDR1 ADS-B FAIL – XPDR1 is	
unable to transmit ADS-B messages.	ADS-B is inoperative. The transponder may not be receiving a valid GPS position. Other transponder functions may be available. Service when possible.
<b>XPDR2 ADS-B FAIL</b> – XPDR2 is unable to transmit ADS-B messages.	



## **GRS 77/7800 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
AHRS1 TAS — AHRS1 not receiving valid airspeed.	The #1 AHRS is not receiving true airspeed from the air data computer. The AHRS relies on GPS information to augment the lack of airspeed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS2 TAS — AHRS2 not receiving valid airspeed.	The #2 AHRS is not receiving true airspeed from the air data computer. The AHRS relies on GPS information to augment the lack of airspeed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS1 GPS — AHRS1 using backup GPS source.	The #1 AHRS is using the backup GPS path. Primary GPS path has failed. The G1000 system should be serviced when possible.
AHRS2 GPS — AHRS2 using backup GPS source.	The #2 AHRS is using the backup GPS path. Primary GPS path has failed. The G1000 system should be serviced when possible.
<b>AHRS1 GPS</b> – AHRS1 not receiving any GPS information.	The #1 AHRS is not receiving any or any useful GPS information. Check AFMS limitations. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS2 GPS — AHRS2 not receiving any GPS information.	The #2 AHRS is not receiving any or any useful GPS information. Check AFMS limitations. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS1 GPS — AHRS1 not receiving backup GPS information.	The #1 AHRS is not receiving backup GPS information. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS2 GPS — AHRS2 not receiving backup GPS information.	The #2 AHRS is not receiving backup GPS information. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS1 GPS – AHRS1 operating exclusively in no-GPS mode.	The #1 AHRS is operating exclusively in no-GPS mode. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS2 GPS — AHRS2 operating exclusively in no-GPS mode.	The #2 AHRS is operating exclusively in no-GPS mode. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS MAG DB — AHRS magnetic model database version mismatch.	The #1 AHRS and #2 AHRS magnetic model database versions do not match.
AHRS1 SRVC — AHRS1 Magnetic-field model needs update.	The #1 AHRS earth magnetic field model is out of date. Update magnetic field model when practical.
AHRS2 SRVC — AHRS2 Magnetic-field model needs update.	The #2 AHRS earth magnetic field model is out of date. Update magnetic field model when practical.
GEO LIMITS — AHRS1 too far North/ South, no magnetic compass.  GEO LIMITS — AHRS2 too far North/ South, no magnetic compass.	The aircraft is outside geographical limits for approved AHRS operation. Heading is flagged as invalid.
<b>GRS1 MANIFEST</b> – GRS1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The #1 AHRS has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GRS2 MANIFEST</b> – GRS2 software mismatch, communication halted.	The #2 AHRS has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
AHRS1 SERVICE – AHRS1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the #1 AHRS. The system should be serviced.
AHRS2 SERVICE — AHRS2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the #2 AHRS. The system should be serviced.



Message	Comments
<b>AHRS1 CONFIG</b> — AHRS1 config error. Config service req'd.	AHRS configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The system should be serviced.
AHRS2 CONFIG — AHRS2 config error. Config service req'd.	AHRS configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory.  The system should be serviced.
AHRS1 CAL — AHRS1 calibration version error. Srvc req'd.	The #1 AHRS calibration version error. The system should be serviced.
AHRS2 CAL — AHRS2 calibration version error. Srvc req'd.	The #2 AHRS calibration version error. The system should be serviced.

## **GMU 44 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>HDG FAULT</b> – AHRS1 magnetometer fault has occurred.	A fault has occurred in the #1 GMU 44. Heading is flagged as invalid. The AHRS uses GPS for backup mode operation. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>HDG FAULT</b> – AHRS2 magnetometer fault has occurred.	A fault has occurred in the #2 GMU 44. Heading is flagged as invalid. The AHRS uses GPS for backup mode operation. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GMU1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The GMU 44 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GMU2 software mismatch, communication halted.	

## **GDL 69A MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GDL69 CONFIG</b> – GDL 69 config error. Config service req'd.	GDL 69 configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
GDL69 FAIL — GDL 69 has failed.	A failure has been detected in the GDL 69. The receiver is unavailable. The G1000 system should be serviced
<b>GDL69 MANIFEST</b> – GDL software mismatch, communication halted.	The GDL 69 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.

## **GDC 74B/7400 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>ADC1 ALT EC</b> – ADC1 altitude error correction is unavailable.	GDC1 or GDC2 is reporting that the altitude error correction is unavailable. The
<b>ADC2 ALT EC</b> – ADC2 altitude error correction is unavailable.	G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>ADC1 AS EC</b> – ADC1 airspeed error correction is unavailable.	GDC1 or GDC2 is reporting that the airspeed error correction is unavailable. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>ADC2 AS EC</b> – ADC2 airspeed error correction is unavailable.	
<b>ADC1 SERVICE</b> – ADC1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The GDC1 should be serviced
<b>ADC2 SERVICE</b> – ADC2 needs service. Return unit for repair.	The GDC2 should be serviced



Message	Comments
<b>GDC1 MANIFEST</b> – GDC1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The CDC1 or CDC 2 has inserrest software installed. The system should be serviced
<b>GDC2 MANIFEST</b> – GDC2 software mismatch, communication halted.	The GDC1 or GDC 2 has incorrect software installed. The system should be serviced.
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GDC1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The CDC 74D has incorrect software installed. The C1000 system should be conjugated
<b>MANIFEST</b> – GDC2 software mismatch, communication halted.	The GDC 74B has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.

## **GCU 477 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GCU CNFG</b> – GCU Config error. Config service req'd.	GCU 477 configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GCU FAIL</b> – GCU is inoperative.	A failure has been detected in the GCU 477. The GCU 477 is unavailable.
<b>GCU1 MANIFEST</b> – GCU software mismatch, ommunication halted.	The GCU 477 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
GCU KEYSTK — GCU [keyname] Key is stuck	A key is stuck on the GCU 477 bezel. Attempt to free the stuck key by pressing it several times. The G1000 system should be serviced if the problem persists.

## **GMC 710 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GMC CNFG</b> – GMC Config error. Config service req'd.	Error in the configuration of the GMC 710.
<b>GMC FAIL</b> – GMC is inoperative.	A failure has been detected in the GMC 710. The GMC 710 is unavailable.
<b>GMC MANIFEST</b> – GMC software mismatch, communication halted.	The GMC 710 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GMC KEYSTK</b> – GMC [keyname] Key is stuck	A key is stuck on the GCMC 710 bezel. Attempt to free the stuck key by pressing it several times. The G1000 system should be serviced if the problem persists.

## **GWX 68/70 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GWX CONFIG</b> – GWX config error. Config service req'd.	GWX 68/70 configuration settings do not match those of the GDU configuration. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GWX FAIL</b> — GWX is inoperative.	The GDU is not recieving status packet from the GWX 68/70 or the GWX 68/70 is reporting a fault. The GWX 68/70 radar system should be serviced.
<b>GWX SERVICE</b> – Needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the GWX 68/70. The GWX 68/70 may still be usable.
<b>WX ALERT</b> – Possible severe weather ahead.	The GWX 68/70 indicates severe weather within $\pm 10$ degrees of the aircraft heading at a range of 80 to 320 nm.
<b>GWX MANIFEST</b> – GWX software mismatch, communication halted.	The GWX 68/70 has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.



#### GTS 800/820/825/850/855/8000 MESSAGE ADVISORIES

Message Advisory	Comments
<b>GTS CONFIG</b> – GTS Config error. Config service req'd.	The GTS and GDU have different copies of the GTS configuration, or the Mode S address is invalid. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>GTS MANIFEST</b> — GTS software mismatch, communication halted.	The GTS has incorrect software installed. The G1000 system should be serviced.

## **GSR 56 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GSR1 FAIL</b> – GSR1 has failed.	A failure has been detected in the #1 GSR 56. The system should be serviced.

## **GDL 59 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GDL59 CONFIG</b> — GDL 59 config error. Config service req'd.	GDL 59 configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The system should be serviced.
GDL59 FAIL — GDL 59 has failed.	A failure has been detected in the GDL 59. The receiver is unavailable. The system should be serviced.
<b>GDL59 SERVICE</b> – GDL 59 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the GDL 59. The system should be serviced.
<b>GDL59 RTR FAIL</b> – The GDL 59 router has failed.	A failure has been detected in the GDL 59 router. The system should be serviced.
<b>REGISTER CONNEXT</b> – Data services are inoperative, register w/ CONNEXT.	The GDL 59 is not registered with Garmin Flight Data Services, or its current registration data has failed authentication.
<b>GDL59 MANIFEST</b> – GDL59 software mismatch, communication halted.	The GDL 59 has incorrect software installed. The system should be serviced.

## **GRA 5500 MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments
<b>GRA1 CONFIG</b> – GRA1 config error. Config service req'd.	The GRA configuration settings do not match those of backup configuration memory. The system should be serviced.
<b>GRA1 SERVICE</b> – GRA1 needs service. Return unit for repair.	A failure has been detected in the GRA. The system should be serviced.
<b>GRA1 CAL</b> — GRA1 calibration error. Service req'd.	A calibration error has been detected in the GRA. The system should be serviced.
<b>GRA1 TEMP</b> — GRA1 over temperature.	The GRA temperature is too high. If the problem persists, the system should be serviced.
<b>GRA1 MANIFEST</b> – GRA1 software mismatch, communication halted.	The GRA has incorrect software installed. The system should be serviced.



## **MISCELLANEOUS MESSAGE ADVISORIES**

Message	Comments	
<b>FPL WPT LOCK</b> — Flight plan waypoint is locked.	Upon power-up, the G1000 system detects that a stored flight plan waypoint is locked. This occurs when an navigation database update eliminates an obsolete waypoint. The flight plan cannot find the specified waypoint and flags this message. This can also occur with user waypoints in a flight plan that is deleted. Remove the waypoint from the flight plan if it no longer exists in any database, Or - update the waypoint name/identifier to reflect the new information.	
<b>FPL WPT MOVE</b> — Flight plan waypoint moved.	The system has detected that a waypoint coordinate has changed due to a new navigation database update. Verify that stored flight plans contain correct waypoint locations.	
<b>TIMER EXPIRD</b> — Timer has expired.	The system notifies the pilot that the timer has expired.	
<b>DB CHANGE</b> – Database changed. Verify user modified procedures.	This occurs when a stored flight plan contains a procedure that is no longer consistent with the navigation database. This alert is issued only after an navigation database update. Verify that the user-modified procedures in stored flight plans are correct and up to date.	
<b>DB CHANGE</b> – Database changed. Verify stored airways.	This occurs when a stored flight plan contains an airway that is no longer consistent with the navigation database. This alert is issued only after an navigation database update. Verify use of airways in stored flight plans and reload airways as needed.	
FPL TRUNC — Flight plan has been truncated.	This occurs when a newly installed navigation database eliminates an obsolete approach or arrival used by a stored flight plan. The obsolete procedure is removed from the flight plan. Update flight plan with current arrival or approach.	
LOCKED FPL — Cannot navigate locked flight plan.	This occurs when the pilot attempts to activate a stored flight plan that contains locked waypoint. Remove locked waypoint from flight plan. Update flight plan with current waypoint.	
<b>WPT ARRIVAL</b> – Arriving at waypoint -[xxxx]	Arriving at waypoint [xxxx], where [xxxx] is the waypoint name.	
STEEP TURN — Steep turn ahead.	A steep turn is 15 seconds ahead. Prepare to turn.	
INSIDE ARSPC — Inside airspace.	The aircraft is inside the special use airspace.	
<b>ARSPC AHEAD</b> – Airspace ahead less than 10 minutes.	Special use airspace is ahead of aircraft. The aircraft will penetrate the special use airspace within 10 minutes.	
<b>ARSPC NEAR</b> – Airspace near and ahead.	Special use airspace is near and ahead of the aircraft position.	
<b>ARSPC NEAR</b> – Airspace near – less than 2 nm.	Special use airspace is within 2 nm of the aircraft position.	
<b>APPR INACTV</b> — Approach is not active.	The system notifies the pilot that the loaded approach is not active. Activate approach when required.	
<b>SLCT FREQ</b> – Select appropriate frequency for approach.	The system notifies the pilot to load the approach frequency for the appropriate NAV receiver. Select the correct frequency for the approach.	
<b>SLCT NAV</b> – Select NAV on CDI for approach.	The system notifies the pilot to set the CDI to the correct NAV receiver. Set the CDI to the correct NAV receiver.	
<b>PTK FAIL</b> — Parallel track unavailable: bad geometry.	Bad parallel track geometry.	



Message	Comments
PTK FAIL — Parallel track unavailable: invalid leg type.	Invalid leg type for parallel offset.
<b>PTK FAIL</b> – Parallel track unavailable: past IAF.	IAF waypoint for parallel offset has been passed.
<b>UNABLE V WPT</b> – Can't reach current vertical waypoint.	The current vertical waypoint can not be reached within the maximum flight path angle and vertical speed constraints. The system automatically transitions to the next vertical waypoint.
<b>VNV</b> – Unavailable. Unsupported leg type in flight plan.	The lateral flight plan contains a procedure turn, vector, or other unsupported leg type prior to the active vertical waypoint. This prevents vertical guidance to the active vertical waypoint.
<b>VNV</b> – Unavailable. Excessive crosstrack error.	The current crosstrack exceeds the limit, causing vertical deviation to go invalid.
<b>VNV</b> – Unavailable. Excessive track angle error.	The current track angle error exceeds the limit, causing the vertical deviation to go invalid.
<b>VNV</b> – Unavailable. Parallel course selected.	A parallel course has been selected, causing the vertical deviation to go invalid.
NO WGS84 WPT — Non WGS 84 waypoint for navigation -[xxxx]	The position of the selected waypoint [xxxx] is not calculated based on the WGS84 map reference datum and may be positioned in error as displayed. Do not use GPS to navigate to the selected non-WGS84 waypoint.
<b>TRAFFIC FAIL</b> – Traffic device has failed.	The system is no longer receiving data from the traffic system. The traffic device should be serviced.
<b>STRMSCP FAIL</b> – Stormscope has failed.	Stormscope has failed. The G1000 system should be serviced.
<b>FAILED PATH</b> – A data path has failed.	A data path connected to the GDU or the GIA 63/W has failed.
<b>MAG VAR</b> – Large magnetic variance. Verify all course angles.	The GDU's internal model cannot determine the exact magnetic variance for geographic locations near the magnetic poles. Displayed magnetic course angles may differ from the actual magnetic heading by more than 2°.
<b>SCHEDULER</b> [#] — <message>.</message>	Message criteria entered by the user.
<b>SVT</b> — SVT DISABLED: Out of available terrain region.	Synthetic Vision is disabled because the aircraft is not within the boundaries of the installed terrain database.
<b>SVT</b> — SVT DISABLED: Terrain DB resolution too low.	Synthetic Vision is disabled because a terrain database of sufficient resolution (9 arcsecond or better) is not currently installed.
<b>USER MAG VAR</b> – User magnetic variation is active.	User magnetic variation mode was selected during previous operation and is still active (checked at power-up.)
CHECK CRS — Database course for LOC1 / [LOC ID] is [CRS]°.	Selected course for LOC1 differs from published localizer course by more than 10 degrees.
CHECK CRS – Database course for LOC2 / [LOC ID] is [CRS]°.  Selected course for LOC2 differs from published localizer course by more degrees.	
[PFD1, PFD2, or MFD1] CARD 1 REM — Card 1 was removed. Reinsert card.	The SD card was removed from the top card slot of the specified PFD or MFD. The SD card needs to be reinserted.
[PFD1, PFD2, or MFD1] CARD 2 REM — Card 2 was removed. Reinsert card.	The SD card was removed from the bottom card slot of the specified PFD or MFD. The SD card needs to be reinserted.



Message	Comments
[PFD1, PFD2, or MFD1] CARD 1 ERR — Card 1 is invalid.	The SD card in the top card slot of the specified PFD or MFD contains invalid data.
[PFD1, PFD2, or MFD1] CARD 2 ERR — Card 2 is invalid.	The SD card in the bottom card slot of the specified PFD or MFD contains invalid data.
<b>TRN AUD FAIL</b> – Trn Awareness audio source unavailable.	The audio source for terrain awareness is offline. Check GIA1 or GIA 2.
<b>TERRAIN AUD CFG</b> – Trn Awareness audio config error. Service req'd.	Terrain audio alerts are not configured properly. The system should be serviced
<b>HOLD EXPIRED</b> – Holding EFC time expired.	Expect Further Clearance (EFC) time has expired for the User Defined Hold.
<b>BARO MISMATCH</b> – Correct baro mismatch for VNAV guidance.	Altimeter setting is not the same on PFD1 and PFD2. Synchronize settings for VNAV guidance.
<b>TERRAIN DISABLED</b> – Terrain Awareness DB resolution too low.	TAWS is disabled because a terrain database of sufficient resolution (9 arc-second or better) is not currently installed.



## **AFCS ALERTS**

Figure A-8 AFCS System Status Field

The following alert annunciations appear in the AFCS System Status field on the PFD.

Condition	Annunciation	Description
Pitch Failure	PTCH	Pitch axis control failure. AP is inoperative.
Roll Failure	ROLL	Roll axis control failure. AP is inoperative.
MET Switch Stuck, or Pitch Trim Axis Control Failure	PTRM	If annunciated when AP is engaged, take control of the aircraft and disengage the autopilot. If annunciated when AP is not engaged, move each half of the MET switch separately to check if a stuck switch is causing the annunciation.
Yaw Damper Failure	WAY	YD control failure; AP also inoperative
System Failure	AFCS	AP and MET are unavailable. FD may still be available.
Elevator Mistrim Up	<b>↑ELE</b>	A condition has developed causing the pitch servo to provide a sustained force. Be prepared to apply nose up control wheel force upon autopilot disconnect.
Elevator Mistrim Down	<b>↓ELE</b>	A condition has developed causing the pitch servo to provide a sustained force. Be prepared to apply nose down control wheel force upon autopilot disconnect.
Aileron Mistrim Left	<b>←AIL</b>	A condition has developed causing the roll servo to provide a sustained left force. Ensure the slip/skid indicator is centered and observe any maximum fuel imbalance limits.
Aileron Mistrim Right	AIL→	A condition has developed causing the roll servo to provide a sustained right force. Ensure the slip/skid indicator is centered and observe any maximum fuel imbalance limits.
Rudder Mistrim Left	<b>←RUD</b>	A condition has developed causing the yaw servo to provide a sustained force. Ensure the slip/skid indicator is centered and observe any maximum fuel imbalance limits.
Rudder Mistrim Right	RUD→	A condition has developed causing the yaw servo to provide a sustained force. Ensure the slip/skid indicator is centered and observe any maximum fuel imbalance limits.
Preflight Test	PFT	Performing preflight system test. Upon completion of the test, the aural alert will be heard.
	PFT	Preflight system test has failed.



**NOTE:** Do not press the **AP/YD DISC TRIM INTRPT** switch during servo power-up and preflight system tests as this may cause the preflight system test to fail or never to start (if servos fail their power-up tests). Power must be cycled to the servos to remedy the situation.



## **TAWS ALERTS**

Annunciations appear on both PFDs and the MFD. Pop-up alerts appear only on the MFD.

Alert Type	PFD/MFD‡ Alert Annunciation	MFD Pop-Up Alert (except TAWS Page)	Voice Message
Reduced Required Terrain Clearance Warning (RTC)	PULL UP	TERRAIN-PULL-UP  or  TERRAIN AHEAD-PULL-UP	"Terrain, Terrain; Pull Up, Pull Up" † or "Terrain Ahead, Pull Up; Terrain Ahead, Pull Up"
Imminent Terrain Impact Warning (ITI)	PULL UP	TERRAIN AHEAD-PULL-UP  or  TERRAIN-PULL-UP	Terrain Ahead, Pull Up; Terrain Ahead, Pull Up" or "Terrain, Terrain; Pull Up, Pull Up" †
Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance Warning (ROC)	PULL UP	OBSTACLE-PULL-UP or OBSTACLE AHEAD-PULL-UP	"Obstacle, Obstacle; Pull Up, Pull Up" † or "Obstacle Ahead, Pull Up; Obstacle Ahead, Pull Up"
Imminent Obstacle Impact Warning (IOI)	PULL UP	OBSTACLE AHEAD-PULL-UP or OBSTACLE-PULL-UP	"Obstacle Ahead, Pull Up; Obstacle Ahead, Pull Up" or "Obstacle, Obstacle; Pull Up, Pull Up" †
Excessive Descent Rate Warning (EDR)	PULL UP	PULL-UP	"Pull Up" or " [Whoop, Whoop]"Pull Up"
*Excessive Closure Rate Warning (ECR)	PULL UP	PULL-UP	[Whoop, Whoop]"Pull Up"
Reduced Required Terrain Clearance Caution (RTC)	TERRAIN	CAUTION-TERRAIN or TERRAIN AHEAD	"Caution, Terrain; Caution, Terrain" † or "Terrain Ahead; Terrain Ahead"
Imminent Terrain Impact Caution (ITI)	TERRAIN	TERRAIN AHEAD  or  CAUTION-TERRAIN	"Terrain Ahead; Terrain Ahead" or "Caution, Terrain; Caution, Terrain" †
Reduced Required Obstacle Clearance Caution (ROC)	TERRAIN	CAUTION-OBSTACLE or OBSTACLE AHEAD	"Caution, Obstacle; Caution, Obstacle" † or "Obstacle Ahead; Obstacle Ahead"
Imminent Obstacle Impact Caution (IOI)	TERRAIN	OBSTACLE AHEAD or CAUTION-OBSTACLE	"Obstacle Ahead; Obstacle Ahead" or "Caution, Obstacle; Caution, Obstacle" †
Premature Descent Alert Caution (PDA)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW-TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
Excessive Descent Rate Caution (EDR)	TERRAIN	SINK RATE	"Sink Rate"

<sup>\*</sup> TAWS-A Only

<sup>†</sup> Default Selection

<sup>‡</sup> Annunciation is shown on the TAWS Page and the Navigation Map Page when Terrain is enabled



Alert Type	PFD/MFD‡ Alert Annunciation	MFD Pop-Up Alert (except TAWS Page)	Voice Message
*Excessive Closure Rate Caution (ECR)	TERRAIN	TERRAIN	"Terrain, Terrain"
Negative Climb Rate Caution (NCR)	TERRAIN	DON'T SINK  or  TOO LOW-TERRAIN	"Don't Sink" † or "Too Low, Terrain"
*Flight Into Terrain High Speed Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW-TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
*Flight Into Terrain Gear Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW-GEAR	"Too Low, Gear"
*Flight Into Terrain Flaps Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW-FLAPS	"Too Low, Flaps"
*Flight Into Terrain Takeoff Caution (FIT)	TERRAIN	TOO LOW-TERRAIN	"Too Low, Terrain"
*Glide Slope Deviation Caution (GSD) (depends on approach type)	GLIDESLOP or GLIDEPATH	GLIDESLOPE or GLIDEPATH	"Glide Slope" or "Glide Path"
Altitude Voice Callout (VCO)  (all except "Five-Hundred" are configurable)	None	None	"Five-Hundred" or *"Four-Hundred" or *"Three- Hundred" or *"Two-Hundred" or *"One-Hundred"

<sup>\*</sup> TAWS-A Only † Default Selection

<sup>‡</sup> Annunciation is shown on the TAWS Page and the Navigation Map Page when Terrain is enabled



## TAWS SYSTEM STATUS ANNUNCIATIONS

Alert Type	PFD/MFD‡ Alert Annunciation	TAWS Page Center Banner Annunciation	Voice Message
System Test in progress	TAWS TEST	TAWS TEST	None
System Test pass	None	None	"TAWS System Test OK"
TAWS System Test Fail; Terrain, Airport Terrain or Obstacle database unavailable or invalid on all GDUs; software mismatch among GDUs; TAWS audio fault	TAWS FAIL  †		"TAWS System Failure"
MFD Terrain or Obstacle database unavailable or invalid. TAWS operating with PFD Terrain or Obstacle databases	None	TERRAIN DATABASE FAILURE	None
No GPS position	TAWS N/A	NO GPS POSITION	"TAWS Not Available"
Excessively degraded GPS signal, or out of database coverage area	TAWS N/A	None	"TAWS Not Available"
Sufficient GPS signal reception restored	None	None	"TAWS Available" (aural message only in flight)
TAWS Alerting is disabled	TAWS INH	None	None
*Radar Altimeter invalid, Vertical Speed Invalid, GPS and Baro Altitude invalid, Software mismatch among GDUs, TAWS configuration mismatch among GDUs, TAWS audio fault	GPWS FAIL	None	"GPWS System Failure"
*GPWS Alerting is disabled	GPWS INH	None	None
*Flap Override is enabled	FLAP OVR	None	None
*Glideslope/Glidepath Alerting is disabled	GS INH Or GP INH	None	None

<sup>\*</sup> TAWS-A Only

<sup>†</sup> VCO alerts are not issued if both TAWS and GPWS systems have failed or are not available.

<sup>‡</sup> Annunciation is shown on the TAWS Page and the Navigation Map Page when Terrain is enabled.



## FLIGHT PLAN IMPORT/EXPORT MESSAGES

In some circumstances, some messages may appear in conjunction with others.

Flight Plan Import/Export Results	Description
'Flight plan successfully imported.'	A flight plan file stored on the SD card was successfully imported as a stored flight plan.
'File contained user waypoints only. User waypoints imported successfully. No stored flight plan data was modified.'	The file stored on the SD card did not contain a flight plan, only user waypoints. These waypoints have been saved to the system user waypoints. No flight plans stored in the system have been modified.
'No flight plan files found to import.'	The SD card contains no flight plan data.
'Flight plan import failed.'	Flight plan data was not successfully imported from the SD card.
'Flight plan partially imported.'	Some flight plan waypoints were successfully imported from the SD card, however others had errors and were not imported. A partial stored flight plan now exists in the system.
'File contained user waypoints only.'	The file stored on the SD card did not contain a flight plan, only user waypoints. One or more of these waypoints did not import successfully.
'Too many points. Flight plan truncated.'	The flight plan on the SD card contains more waypoints than the system can support. The flight plan was imported with as many waypoints as possible.
'Some waypoints not loaded. Waypoints locked.'	The flight plan on the SD card contains one or more waypoints that the system cannot find in the navigation database. The flight plan has been imported, but must be edited within the system before it can be activated for use.
'User waypoint database full. Not all loaded.'	The flight plan file on the SD card contains user waypoints. The quantity of stored user waypoints has exceeded system capacity, therefore not all the user waypoints on the SD card have been imported. Any flight plan user waypoints that were not imported are locked in the flight plan. The flight plan must be edited within the system before it can be activated for use.
'One or more user waypoints renamed.'	One or more imported user waypoints were renamed when imported due to naming conflicts with waypoints already existing in the system.
'Flight plan successfully exported.'	The stored flight plan was successfully exported to the SD card.
'Flight plan export failed.'	The stored flight plan was not successfully exported to the SD card. The SD card may not have sufficient available memory or the card may have been removed prematurely.

# PILOT PROFILE IMPORT/EXPORT MESSAGES

Pilot Profile Import/Export Results	Description
'No pilot profile plan files found to import.'	Displayed if the SD card does not have one or more valid pilot profile filenames.
'Overwrite existing profile?'	Displayed if the profile name matches the name of existing profile.
'Profile name invalid. Enter a different profile name.'	Displayed if the profile name is invalid.
'All available pilot profiles in use. Delete a profile before importing another.'	Displayed if the maximum number for pilot profiles has been reached.
'Pilot profile import failed.'	Displayed if the importing operation fails for any other reason.
'Pilot profile import succeeded.'	Displayed if the importing operation succeeds.
'Overwrite existing file?'	Displayed if the filename matches the name of an existing file on the SD card.
'Pilot profile export failed.'	Displayed if the export operation fails.
'Pilot profile export succeeded.'	Displayed if the export operation succeeds.



## **DATABASE MANAGEMENT**

Database information is obtained from third party sources. Inaccuracies in the data may be discovered from time to time. Garmin communicates this information by issuing a Database Alert. These notifications are available on http://fly.garmin.com.

Garmin requests the flight crew report any observed discrepancies related to database information. These discrepancies could come in the form of an incorrect procedure; incorrectly identified terrain, obstacles and fixes; or any other displayed item used for navigation or communication in the air or on the ground. Go to http://fly.garmin.com and select "Aviation Data Error Report.



**CAUTION:** Never disconnect power to the system when loading a database. Power interuption during the database loading process could result in maintenance being required to reboot the system.

The system uses Secure Digital (SD) cards to load and store various types of data. For basic flight operations, SD cards are required for database storage as well as Jeppesen navigation and ChartView database updates. Not all SD cards are compatible with the system. Use only SD cards supplied by Garmin or the aircraft manufacturer.



**CAUTION:** When downloading updates to the Jeppesen Navigation Database, copy the data to an SD card other than a Garmin Supplemental Data Card. Otherwise, data corruption can occur.



**NOTE:** When loading database updates, the 'DB Mismatch' message will be displayed until database synchronization is complete, followed by turning system power off, then on. Synchronization can be monitored on the AUX-SYSTEM STATUS Page.



**NOTE:** Loading a database in the system prior to its effective date will result in the expiration date on the power-up screen and the effective date on the AUX-System Status Page being displayed in yellow.

#### JEPPESEN DATABASES

The Jeppesen navigation database is updated on a 28-day cycle. The ChartView database is updated on a 14-day cycle. If the ChartView database is not updated within 70 days of the expiration date, ChartView will no longer function. Both of these databases are provided directly from Jeppesen.

The ChartView database should be copied to the Garmin supplied Supplemental Data Card which will reside in the bottom card slot on the MFD. The navigation database must be installed from the Jeppesen or user supplied SD data card. Contact Jeppesen (www.jeppesen.com) for subscription and update information.



**NOTE:** After the navigation database is installed, the card may be removed.

Updating the active Jeppesen navigation database (not using the Dual Navigation Database or Automatic Database Synchronization Features):

- 1) With the system OFF, insert the SD card containing the new navigation database version into the top card slot of the display (PFD1, PFD2 or MFD) to be updated (label of SD card facing left).
- 2) Turn the system ON. A prompt similar to the following is displayed in the upper left corner of the display:



```
DO YOU WANT TO UPDATE THE STANDBY NAVIGATION DATABASE ON THE BOTTOM CARD?
THE STANDBY DATABASE WILL BE ACTIVATED UPON THE FIRST ON-GROUND POWER CYCLE ON OR
AFTER 00:00 SYSTEM TIME ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE.
            FROM
REGION:
            WORLDWIDE
                             WORLDWIDE
CYCLE:
            0904
                             0905
                             07-MAY-2009
EFFECTIVE:
            09-APR-2009
            07-MAY-2009
                             04-JUN-2009
EXPIRES:
NO WILL BE ASSUMED IN 21 SECONDS.
```

Figure B-1 Standby Navigation Database Prompt

- **3)** Press the **NO** Softkey to proceed to loading the active database.
- 4) A prompt similar to the following is displayed, press the **YES** Softkey to update the active navigation database.

```
DO YOU WANT TO UPDATE THE ACTIVE NAVIGATION DATABASE?
SELECTING YES WILL OVERWRITE THE ACTIVE NAVIGATION DATABASE.
            FROM
                             TO
REGION:
            WORLDWIDE
                             WORLDWIDE
CYCLE:
            0904
                             0905
EFFECTIVE:
            09-APR-2009
                             07-MAY-2009
EXPIRES:
            07-MAY-2009
                             04-JUN-2009
NO WILL BE ASSUMED IN 8 SECONDS.
UPDATING THE ACTIVE NAVIGATION DATABASE, PLEASE WAIT.
UPDATED 1 FILES SUCCESSFULLY!
PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE.
CONTINUING IN 8 SECONDS.
```

Figure B-2 Database Update Confirmation

- **5)** After the update completes, the display starts in normal mode. Do not remove power while the display is starting.
- **6)** Turn the system OFF and remove the SD card from the top card slot.
- 7) Repeat steps 1 through 6 for the other displays (PFD1, PFD2 or MFD). Remove the SD card when finished.
- **8)** Apply power to the system and press the **ENT** Key to acknowledge the startup screen.
- **9)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page group on the MFD.
- **10)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Status Page.
- 11) Press the Display Database Selection Softkey to show active navigation database information for each display (MFD1 DB, PFD1 DB, PFD2 DB). Verify the correct active navigation database cycle information is shown for each display.

#### **DUAL NAVIGATION DATABASE FEATURE**

The dual navigation database feature allows each display to store an upcoming navigation database on the bottom SD card so that the system can automatically load it to replace the active database when the new database becomes effective (the next cycle becomes available seven days prior to its effective date).



If a navigation database loader card is inserted into the top SD card slot of a display, and an SD card is in the bottom slot, the system will prompt the user (upon on-ground power up) as to whether the database should be stored on the bottom SD card as the standby database. If the user responds affirmatively, the system will copy the navigation database from the top SD card to the bottom SD card. As long as the bottom SD card remains in the card slot, this standby navigation database will be available for the system to use as the active database as soon as it becomes effective.

The system checks the active and standby databases upon (on-ground only) power-up. If the standby database is current and the active database is out of date, the display will upload the standby database into the active internal database location. Uploading the standby database to the active location takes approximately 45-55 seconds. The pilot is alerted that the update is complete by a system alert message, 'NAV DB UPDATED'.

#### Loading a standby navigation database:

- 1) With the system OFF, insert the SD card containing the new navigation database version into the top card slot of the MFD.
- 2) Verify that an SD card is inserted in the bottom slot of each PFD and the MFD.
- **3)** Turn the system ON. A prompt similar to the following is displayed.

```
DO YOU WANT TO UPDATE THE STANDBY NAVIGATION DATABASE ON THE BOTTOM CARD?
THE STANDBY DATABASE WILL BE ACTIVATED UPON THE FIRST ON-GROUND POWER CYCLE ON OR
AFTER 00:00 SYSTEM TIME ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE.
            FROM
                            TO
            WORLDWIDE
                            WORLDWIDE
REGION:
CYCLE:
            0904
                            0905
EFFECTIVE:
                            07-MAY-2009
            09-APR-2009
EXPIRES:
            07-MAY-2009
                            04-JUN-2009
NO WILL BE ASSUMED IN 21 SECONDS.
```

Figure B-3 Standby Navigation Database Prompt

- 4) Press the **YES** Softkey. The navigation database is copied to the SD card in the bottom card slot of the MFD.
- 5) After the navigation database files are copied to the bottom SD card, the display will appear as shown in Figure B-4.

```
INITIALIZING SYSTEM
DO YOU WANT TO UPDATE THE STANDBY NAVIGATION DATABASE ON THE BOTTOM CARD?
THE STANDBY DATABASE WILL BE ACTIVATED UPON THE FIRST ON-GROUND POWER CYCLE ON OR
AFTER 00:00 SYSTEM TIME ON THE EFFECTIVE DATE.
            FROM
                             TO
REGION:
            WORLDWIDE
                            WORLDWIDE
CYCLE:
            1009
                             1012
            26-AUG-2010
                             18-NOV-2010
EFFECTIVE:
EXPIRES:
            23-SEP-2010
                             16-DEC-2010
NO WILL BE ASSUMED IN 18 SECONDS.
UPDATING STANDBY NAVIGATION DATABASE, PLEASE WAIT.
UPDATED STANDBY NAVIGATION DATABASE SUCCESSFULLY.
PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE.
CONTINUING IN 9 SECONDS.
```

Figure B-4 Standby Navigation Database Update Complete



**6)** As instructed on the display, press any key to continue. The display will now appear as shown in Figure B-5.

DATABASE NAVIGATION WILL BE VERIFIED BEFORE USE.
DATABASE STANDBY NAV WILL BE VERIFIED BEFORE USE.
PRESS ANY KEY TO CONTINUE.
CONTINUING IN 6 SECONDS.

Figure B-5 Navigation Database Verification Prompt

**7)** Press any key to continue. The display will now appear as shown in Figure B-6.

```
DO YOU WANT TO UPDATE THE ACTIVE NAVIGATION DATABASE?
SELECTING YES WILL OVERWRITE THE ACTIVE NAVIGATION DATABASE.
            FROM
REGION:
            WORLDWIDE
                             WORLDWIDE
CYCLE:
            0904
                             0905
            09-APR-2009
                             07-MAY-2009
EFFECTIVE:
EXPIRES:
            07-MAY-2009
                             04-JUN-2009
NO WILL BE ASSUMED IN 8 SECONDS.
```

Figure B-6 Active Navigation Database Prompt

- **8)** Press the **NO** Softkey. The display now starts in normal mode. Since the database effective date is not yet valid, it should not be loaded as the active database. The display now starts in normal mode. Do not remove power while the display is starting.
- **9)** Press the **ENT** Key to acknowledge the startup screen.
- **10)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page group on the MFD.
- **11)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Status Page.
- **12)** The new database is copied to the SD card in the bottom card slot of each PFD. Progress can be monitored in the SYNC STATUS field. When copying is finished, 'Complete' is displayed.
- **13)** Turn system power OFF.
- **14)** Remove the SD card from the top card slot of the MFD.
- **15)** Turn system power ON.
- **16)** Press the **ENT** Key to acknowledge the startup screen.
- **17)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page group on the MFD.
- **18)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Status Page.
- **19)** Press the Display Database Selection Softkey to show standby navigation database information for each display (**MFD1 DB, PFD1 DB, PFD2 DB**). Verify the correct standby navigation database cycle information is shown for each display.



**NOTE:** The system compares the active databases on each PFD and the MFD, and displays a system alert message 'DB Mismatch' if they are not identical. Similarly, if the standby databases on each PFD and the MFD are not identical, the system will display a 'DB Mismatch' alert for the standby navigation databases.



#### GARMIN DATABASES

The following databases are stored on Supplemental Data Cards provided by Garmin:

- Expanded basemap
- Airport terrain
- SafeTaxi
- Airport Directory

• Terrain

- Obstacle
- FliteCharts

After subscribing to the desired database product, these database products will be downloaded to three Supplemental Data Cards (with the exception of FliteCharts, which is loaded on only one card). Insert each Supplemental Data Card into the correct location shown in Figure B-5. These cards must not be removed except to update the databases stored on each card.

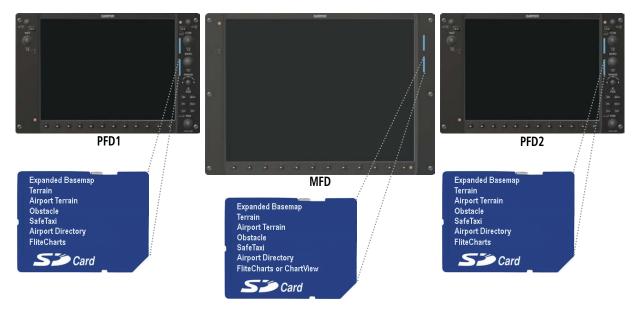


Figure B-7 Correct Database Locations

Since these databases are not stored internally in the displays, a Supplemental Data Card containing identical database versions must be kept in each display unit.

The basemap database contains data for the topography and land features, such as rivers, lakes, and towns. It is updated only periodically, with no set schedule. There is no expiration date.

The terrain database contains the terrain mapping data. The airport terrain database contains increased resolution terrain data around airports. These databases are updated periodically and have no expiration date.

The obstacle database contains data for obstacles, such as towers, that pose a potential hazard to aircraft. Obstacles 200 feet and higher are included in the obstacle database. It is very important to note that not all obstacles are necessarily charted and therefore may not be contained in the obstacle database. This database is updated on a 56-day cycle.



**NOTE:** The data contained in the terrain and obstacle databases comes from government agencies. Garmin accurately processes and cross-validates the data, but cannot guarantee the accuracy and completeness of the data.



The AOPA or AC-U-KWIK Airport Directory provides data on airports and heliports throughout the U.S. or worldwide, respectively. The AOPA Directory offers detailed information for over 5,300 U. S. airports, along with the names and phone numbers of thousands of FBOs. These databases are updated every 56 days. The AC-U-KWIK Directory offers detailed information for more than 8,000 airports with runways longer than 3,000 feet worldwide.

The SafeTaxi database contains detailed airport diagrams for selected airports. These diagrams aid in following ground control instructions by accurately displaying the aircraft position on the map in relation to taxiways, ramps, runways, terminals, and services. This database is updated on a 56-day cycle.

The FliteCharts database contains procedure charts for the United States only. This database is updated on a 28-day cycle. If not updated within 180 days of the expiration date, FliteCharts will no longer function.

#### **AUTOMATIC DATABASE SYNCHRONIZATION FEATURE**

The automatic database synchronization feature automatically transfers the database from a single SD database card to the SD cards on each PFD and the MFD to ensure that all databases are synchronized throughout the system. After power-up, the system compares all copies of each applicable database. If similar databases do not match, the most recent valid database is automatically copied to each card in the system that does not already contain that database.

The following databases are checked and synchronized: Basemap, Safetaxi, Airport Terrain, Obstacle, Airport Directory, and Terrain. This feature applies only to databases that are stored on the SD card that resides in the bottom slot of each display. This feature does not apply to the active navigation database which is stored internally in each display, or to the charts databases (FliteCharts and ChartView) which are only required to be present on the MFD. The typical procedure would be to download new databases to the MFD card, then synchronize the data to the PFD(s).



**NOTE:** The 9-arc second terrain database may take as long as 100 minutes to synchronize using this method. Therefore the user may want to transfer the data using a PC, or connect the system to a ground power source while performing the database synchronization.

The synchronization progress may be monitored on the AUX-System Status Page in the Sync Status section of the Database Window (Figure B-8). This section shows the synchronization status of each applicable database, including the percent complete, time remaining, and to which displays the databases are being copied. When the synchronization is complete, the status is listed as 'Complete', followed by the displays to which the databases were copied. This sub-section is only present when a sync is occurring or has occurred on the current power-up.

An indication of 'Complete' still requires a power cycle before the synchronized databases will be used by the system.





Figure B-8 AUX-System Status Page, Database Window

The Display Database Softkey (Figure B-11) is used to place the cursor in the Database Window. Upon first press of the Display Database Softkey, the softkey will change to a selected state (black text on gray background) and the cursor will appear in the Database Window. At this point the user can scroll through all databases in the Database Window to view status information. If the Display Database Softkey is pressed repeatedly, the softkey will cycle through PFD1, PFD2, and MFD. Database status information in the Database Window will reflect the database of the selected PFD or MFD. After a successful sync and restart, verify that the proper databases are now in use on the AUX–System Status Page (Figure B-8).

If an error occurs during the synchronization, an error message will be displayed, followed by the affected display in the Sync Status section of the Database Window (Figure B-9). If a synchronization completes on one display, but an error occurs on another, the error message will be displayed with the affected diaplay listed after it. When an error message (Table B-1) is displayed, the problem must be corrected before the synchronization can be completed. A power cycle is required to restart synchronization when 'Card Full' or 'Err' is shown.



Database Synchronization Error Message

Figure B-9 Synchronization Error Message

Error Message	Description	
Canceled	Database synchronization has been canceled by removing the bottom SD card in display being updated	
Card Full	SD card does not contain sufficient memory	
Err	Displayed for all other errors that may cause the synchronization process to be halted	
Timeout	System timed-out prior to the database transfer completing	

Table B-1 Database Synchronization Error Messages



#### UPDATING GARMIN DATABASES

The Garmin database updates can be obtained by following the instructions detailed in the 'Aviation Databases' section of the Garmin website (fly.garmin.com). Once the updated files have been downloaded from the website, a PC equipped with an appropriate SD card reader is used to unpack and program the new databases onto an existing Supplemental Data Card. Equipment required to perform the update is as follows:

- Windows-compatible PC computer (Windows 2000, Windows XP, Vista, or Windows 7)
- SD Card Reader: SanDisk SDDR-93, SanDisk SDDR-99, Verbatim #96504, or equivalent
- Updated database obtained from the Garmin website
- Existing Supplemental Database SD Cards (010-00330-42, or -43) from both PFDs and MFD

In some cases it may be necessary to obtain an unlock code from Garmin in order to make the database product functional. It may also be necessary to have the system configured by a Garmin authorized service facility in order to use some database features.

# UPDATING BASEMAP, SAFETAXI, AIRPORT TERRAIN, OBSTACLE, AND AIRPORT DIRECTORY DATABASES

These databases may be copied to one Supplemental Data Card, then automatically synchronized to other card in the system:

- 1) With system power OFF, remove the MFD database card from the bottom card slot of the MFD.
- 2) Update the basemap, SafeTaxi, airport terrain, obstacle and/or airport directory databases on the MFD card.
- 3) Insert the MFD database card into the bottom card slot of the MFD.
- **4)** Apply power to the system, check that the databases are initialized and displayed on the power-up screen (Figure B-10). If a 'Verifying' message is seen, wait for the system to finish loading before proceeding to step 5.



Figure B-10 Database Information on the Power-up Screen

- **5)** Acknowledge the Power-up Page agreement by pressing the **ENT** Key or the right most softkey.
- **6)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page group on the MFD.
- 7) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Status Page.
- **8)** Monitor the Sync Status in the Database Window. Wait for all databases to complete synching, indicated by 'Complete' being displayed as seen in Figure B-9.



- **9)** Remove and reapply power to the system.
- **10)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page group on the MFD.
- 11) Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Status Page.
- **12)** Press the Display Database Selection Softkey to show database information for each display (**MFD1 DB**, **PFD1 DB**, **PFD2 DB**). Verify the correct database cycle information is shown for each database for each display.



Figure B-11 Display Database Softkey

## UPDATING TERRAIN, FLITECHARTS, AND CHARTVIEW DATABASES

- 1) With system power OFF, remove the Supplemental Data Card from the bottom card slot of the MFD and PFDs.
- 2) Copy the updated terrain database to each of the Supplemental Data Cards. Copy the updated FliteCharts or ChartView database to one Supplemental Data Card.
- 3) Insert the updated Supplemental Data Cards into the bottom card slot of the MFD and PFDs. The Supplemental Data Card containing the FliteCharts or ChartView database is inserted in the MFD.
- **4)** Apply power to the system, check that the databases are initialized and displayed on the power-up screen (Figure B-10). A 'Verifying' message may be seen. If this message is present, wait for the system to finish loading before proceeding to step 5.
- **5)** Acknowledge the Power-up Page agreement by pressing the **ENT** Key or the right most softkey.
- **6)** Turn the large **FMS** Knob to select the AUX Page group on the MFD.
- **7)** Turn the small **FMS** Knob to select the System Status Page.
- 8) Press the Display Database Selection Softkey to show database information for each display (MFD1 DB, PFD1 DB, PFD2 DB). Verify the correct database cycle information is shown for each database for each display.
- **9)** Remove power from the system.

#### MAGNETIC FIELD VARIATION DATABASE UPDATE

A copy of the current magnetic field variation database (MV DB) is included with the navigation database. At startup, the system compares this version of the MV DB with that presently being used by each AHRS (GRS1 and GRS2). If the system determines the MV DB needs to be updated, a prompt is displayed on the Navigation Map Page, as shown in Figure B-12. Note, in the following example, GRS1 is the first AHRS to indicate an update is available. In actuality, this is dependent on which AHRS is the first to report status to the system. GRS2 may be displayed before GRS1. The order is not important, only that both AHRS be updated.

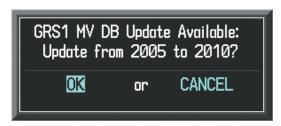


Figure B-12 GRS1 Magnetic Field Variation Database Update Prompt



#### Loading the magnetic field variation database update:

1) With 'OK' highlighted, as seen in Figure B-12, press the **ENT** Key on the MFD. A progress monitor is displayed as shown in Figure B-13.

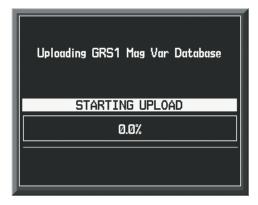


Figure B-13 Uploading Database to GRS1

2) When the upload is complete, the prompt for the next GRS upload is displayed, as seen in Figure B-14.

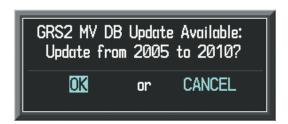


Figure B-14 GRS2 Magnetic Field Variation Database Update Prompt

3) With 'OK' highlighted, press the **ENT** Key on the MFD. A progress monitor is displayed as shown in Figure B-15. When the upload is complete, the system is ready for use.

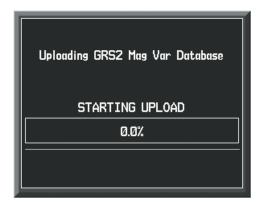


Figure B-15 Uploading Database to GRS2



# **GLOSSARY**

ACC	accuracy	AUX	auxiliary
ACT, ACTV	active, activate	AWOS	Automated Weather Observing System
ADC	air data computer		
ADF	Automatic Direction Finder	B ALT	barometric altitude
ADI	Attitude Direction Indicator	BARO	barometric setting
AF	Arc to fix	BATT	battery
AFCS	Automatic Flight Control System	BC	backcourse
AFM	Airplane Flight Manual	Bearing	The compass direction from the
AFMS	Airplane Flight Manual Supplement		present position to a destination
AFRM	airframe	BFO	waypoint.
AGL	Above Ground Level		beat frequency oscillator
AHRS	Attitude and Heading Reference	BKSP	backspace
	System	BRG	bearing
AIM	Airman's Information Manual		
AIRMET	Airman's Meteorological Information	C	center runway
ALRT	alert	°C	degrees Celsius
ALT	altitude	CA	Course to Altitude
ALT, ALTN	alternator	CALC	calculator
AMPS	amperes	Calibrated	Indicated airspeed corrected for installation and instrument errors.
ANNUNC	annunciation	Airspeed	
ANT	antenna	CD	Course to DME distance
AP	autopilot	CDI	Course Deviation Indicator
AP DISC	autopilot disconnect	CDU	Control Display Unit
APR	approach	CF	Course to Fix
APT	airport, aerodrome	CHT	Cylinder Head Temperature
ARINC	Aeronautical Radio Incorporated	CHKLIST	checklist
ARSPC	airspace	CHNL	channel
ARTCC	Air Route Traffic Control Center	Cl	Course to Intercept
ARV	arrival	CLD	cloud
AS	airspeed	CLR	clear
ASB	Aviation Support Branch	cm	centimeter
ASOS	Automated Surface Observing System	CNS	Communication, Navigation, &
ATC	Air Traffic Control		Surveillance
ATCRBS	ATC Radar Beacon System	CO	carbon monoxide
ATIS	Automatic Terminal Information Service	COM	communication radio
ATK	along-track	CONFIG	configuration
AUTOSEQ	automatic sequence	COOL	coolant
NOTOJEŲ	automatic sequence	COPLT	co-pilot



Course	The line between two points to be followed by the aircraft.	DH Dilution of	decision height A measure of GPS satellite geometry
Course to Steer	The recommended direction to steer in order to reduce course error or stay on course. Provides the most efficient heading to get back to the desired	Precision	quality on a scale of one to ten (lower numbers equal better geometry, where higher numbers equal poorer geometry).
	course and proceed along the flight	DIR	direction
CD	plan.	DIS	distance
CR	Course to Radial	Distance	The 'great circle' distance from the
CRG CRNT	Cockpit Reference Guide current		present position to a destination waypoint.
Crosstrack	The distance the aircraft is off a	DME	Distance Measuring Equipment
Error	desired course in either direction, left	DOP	Dilution of Precision
	or right.	DP	Departure Procedure
CRS	course	DPRT	departure
CRS	Course to Steer	DR	dead reckoning
CRSR	cursor	DSBL	disabled
CTA	Control Area	DTK	Desired Track
CTRL	control		
Cumulative	The total of all legs in a flight plan.	E	empty, east
CVR	Cockpit Voice Recorder	ECU	Engine Control Unit
CVRG	coverage	Efficiency	A measure of fuel consumption,
CWS	control wheel steering	j	expressed in distance per unit of fuel.
CYL	cylinder	EGNOS	European Geostationary Navigation Overlay Service
D ALT	density altitude	EGT	Exhaust Gas Temperature
DB, DBASE	database	EIS	Engine Indication System
dBZ	decibels 'Z' (radar return)	ELEV	elevation
DCLTR,	declutter	ELEV	elevator
DECLTR		EMERGCY	emergency
DEC FUEL	decrease fuel	EMI	Electromagnetic Interference
deg	degree	ENDUR	endurance
DEIC, DEICE	de-icing	Endurance	Flight endurance, or total possible
DEP	departure		flight time based on available fuel on
Desired Track	The desired course between the active	FNIC	board.
DECE	"from" and "to" waypoints.	ENG	engine
DEST	destination	ENGD	engaged
DF	Direct to Fix	ENR	enroute
DFLT	default		
DGRD	degrade		



Enroute Safe	The recommended minimum altitude	FL	flight level
Altitude	within ten miles left or right of the	FLC	Flight Level Change
	desired course on an active flight plan or direct-to.	FM	Course From Fix to Manual Termination
ENT	enter	FMS	Flight Management System
EPE	Estimated Position Error	FOB	Fuel On Board
EPU	Estimated Position Uncertainty	FPL	flight plan
ERR	error	fpm	feet per minute
ESA	Enroute Safe Altitude	FREQ	frequency
ESP	Electronic Stability and Protection	FRZ	freezing
Estimated	A measure of horizontal GPS position	FSS	Flight Service Station
Position Error	error derived by satellite geometry	ft	foot/feet
	conditions and other factors.	Fuel Flow	The fuel flow rate, expressed in units of fuel per hour.
Estimated Time of	The estimated time at which the aircraft should reach the destination	Fuel On	The total amount of usable fuel on
Arrival	waypoint, based upon current speed	Board	board the aircraft.
	and track.		
Estimated	The estimated time it takes to reach	G/S, GS	glideslope
Time Enroute	the destination waypoint from the present position, based upon current	GA	go-around
	ground speed.	gal, gl	gallon(s)
ETA	Estimated Time of Arrival	GBOX	gearbox
ETE	Estimated Time Enroute	GDC	Garmin Air Data Computer
EXPIRD	expired	GDL	Garmin Satellite Data Link
	·	GDU	Garmin Display Unit
°F	degrees Fahrenheit	GEA	Garmin Engine/Airframe Unit
FA	Course From Fix to Altitude	GEO	geographic
FAA	Federal Aviation Administration	GFC	Garmin Flight Control
FADEC	Full Authority Digital Engine Control	GFDS	Garmin Flight Data Services
FAF	Final Approach Fix	GIA	Garmin Integrated Avionics Unit
FAIL	failure	GLS	Global Navigation Satellite Landing System
FC	Course From Fix to Distance	GMA	Garmin Audio Panel System
FCC	Federal Communication Commission	GMT	Greenwich Mean Time
FCST	forecast	GMU	Garmin Magnetometer Unit
FD	Course From Fix to DME Distance	GND	ground
FD	flight director	gph	gallons per hour
FDE	Fault Detection and Exclusion	GPS	•
FFLOW	fuel flow	OI 3	Global Positioning System
FIS-B	Flight Information Services-Broadcast		
FISDL	Flight Information Service Data Link		



Grid MORA	Grid Minimum Off-Route Altitude; one degree latitude by one degree	ICAO	International Civil Aviation
	longitude in size and clears the highest	ICS	Organization Intercom System
	elevation reference point in the grid by	ID	Identification/Morse Code Identifier
	1000 feet for all areas of the grid	IDENT, IDNT	identification
Groundspeed	The velocity that the aircraft is	IF	Initial Fix
Constant Total	travelling relative to a ground position.	IFR	Instrument Flight Rules
Ground Track	see Track	IG	Imperial gallon
GRS	Garmin Reference System	ILS	Instrument Landing System
GS	Ground speed	IMC	Instrument Meteorological Conditions
GTX	Garmin Transponder	in	inch
114	Hald Tamain ations at Altituda	INACTV	inactive
HA	Hold Terminating at Altitude	INC FUEL	increase fuel
HDG	heading	IND	indicated
Heading	The direction an aircraft is pointed, based upon indications from a	Indicated	Information provided by properly
	magnetic compass or a properly set directional gyro.	marcatea	calibrated and set instrumentation on the aircraft panel.
HF	Hold Terminating at Fix	INFO	information
HFOM	Horizontal Figure of Merit	in HG	inches of mercury
Hg	mercury	INT	intersection(s)
HI	high	INTEG	integrity (RAIM unavailable)
HI SENS	High Sensitivity	IrDA, IRDA	Infrared Data Association
HM	Hold with Manual Termination		
Horizontal	A measure of the uncertainty in the	KEYSTK	key stuck
Figure of	aircraft's horizontal position.	kg	kilogram
Merit	hastonassal	kHz	kilohertz
hPa	hectopascal Horizontal Protection Level	km	kilometer
HPL hr		kt	knot
hr	hour		
HSDB HSI	High-Speed Data Bus Horizontal Situation Indicator	L	left, left runway
нт	heat	LAT	latitude
		LBL	label
HUL Hz	Horizontal Uncertainty Level	lb	pound
ПΖ	Hertz	LCD	Liquid Crystal Display
ı	Inner Marker	LCL	local
i IAF		LED	Light Emitting Diode
IAT	Initial Approach Fix	Left Over Fuel	The amount of fuel remaining on
	Indicated Air Temperature	On Board	board after the completion of one or
IAU	Integrated Avionics Unit		more legs of a flight plan or direct-to.



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Left Over Fuel Reserve	The amount of flight time remaining, based on the amount of fuel on board	MIN	minimum
Neserve	after the completion of one or more legs of a flight plan or direct-to, and a	Minimum Safe Altitude	Uses Grid MORAs to determine a safe altitude within ten miles of the aircraft present position.
Leg	known consumption rate. The portion of a flight plan between	MSAS	Multi-functional Satellite Augmentation System
	two waypoints.	MKR	marker beacon
LIFR	Low Instrument Flight Rules	MOA	Military Operations Area
LNAV	Lateral Navigation	MOV	movement
LO	low	mpm	meters per minute
LOC	localizer	MSA	Minimum Safe Altitude
LOI	loss of integrity (GPS)	MSG	
LON	longitude	MSL	message Mean Sea Level
LPV	Localizer Performance with Vertical	MT	meter
	guidance	mV	millivolt(s)
LRU	Line Replaceable Unit	MVFR	Marginal Visual Flight Rules
LT	left	IVIVIN	Marginal Visual Flight Rules
LTNG	lightning	N	north
LVL	level	NAV	
			navigation
M	Middle Marker	NAVAID	NAVigation AID
m	meter	NDB	Non-directional Beacon
MAG	Magnetic	NEXRAD	Next Generation Radar
MAG VAR	Magnetic Variation	nm	nautical mile(s)
MAHP	Missed Approach Hold Point	NoPT	No Procedure Turn Required (Procdeure shall not be executed
MAN IN	manifold pressure (inches Hg)		without ATC clearance)
MAN SQ	Manual Squelch	NRST	nearest
MAP	Missed Approach Point		
MASQ	Master Avionics Squelch	0	Outer Marker
MAX	maximum	OAT	Outside Air Temperature
MAXSPD	maximum speed (overspeed)	OBS	Omni Bearing Selector
MDA	barometric minimum descent altitude	OFST	offset
MET	manual electric trim	OXY	oxygen
METAR	Meteorological Aviation Routine	5711	<i>5.</i> , yg
MEPT	manual electric pitch trim	P ALT	pressure altitude
MFD	Multi Function Display	PA	Passenger Address
MGRS	Military Grid Reference System	PA	Proximity Advisory
MHz	megahertz	PASS	passenger(s)
MIC	microphone	PC	personal computer
	•	1 C	personal compater



PFD	Primary Flight Display	RVRSNRY	reversionary
PI	Procedure Turn to Course Intercept	RX	receive
PIT, PTCH	pitch		
POSN	position	S	south
PPM	parts per million	SA	Selective Availability
P. POS	Present Position	SAT	Static Air Temperature
PRES, PRESS	pressure	SBAS	Satellite-Based Augmentation System
PROC	procedure(s), procedure turn	SCIT	Storm Cell Identification and Tracking
psi	pounds per square inch	SD	Secure Digital
PT	Procedure Turn	sec	second(s)
PTK	parallel track	SEL, SLCT	select
PTT	Push-to-Talk	SFC	surface
PWR	power	SIAP	Standard Instrument Approach Procedures
QTY	quantity	SID	Standard Instrument Departure
•	4	SIGMET	Significant Meteorological Information
R	right, right runway	Sim	simulator
RAD	radial	SLP/SKD	slip/skid
RAIM	Receiver Autonomous Integrity	SMBL	symbol
	Monitoring	SPD	speed
RAM	random access memory	SPI	Special Position Identification
REF	reference	SPKR	speaker
REM	remaining (fuel remaining above	SQ	squelch
	Reserve)	SRVC, SVC	service
REQ	required	STAL	stall
RES	reserve (fuel reserve entered by pilot)	STAR	Standard Terminal Arrival Route
REV	reverse, revision, revise	STATS	statistics
RF	Constant Radius Turn to Fix	STBY	standby
RMI	Radio Magnetic Indicator	STD	standard
RMT	remote	STRMSCP	Stormscope
RNG	range	SUA	Special Use Airspace
RNWY	runway	SUSP	suspend
ROL	roll	SVS	Synthetic Vision System
ROM	read only memory	SW	software
rpm	revolutions per minute	SYS	system
RST FUEL	reset fuel		
RSV	reserve (fuel reserve entered by pilot)	T	true
RT	right	TA	Traffic Advisory



TACAN	Tactical Air Navigation System		
TAF	Terminal Aerodrome Forecast	V, Vspeed	velocity (airspeed)
TAS	True Airspeed	VA	Heading Vector to Altitude
TAS	Traffic Advisory System, true airspeed	VAPP	VOR approach
TAT	Total Air Temperature	VAR	variation
TAWS	Terrain Awareness and Warning System	VD	Heading Vector to DME Distance
TCA	Terminal Control Area	Vdc	volts, direct current
TCAS	Traffic Collision Avoidance System	VERT	vertical
TEL	telephone	Vertical Figure	A measure of the uncertainty in the
TEMP	temperature	of Merit	aircraft's vertical position.
TERM	terminal	Vertical Speed	The vertical speed necessary to
TF	Track Between Two Fixes		descend/climb from a current position and altitude to a defined target
TFR	Temporary Flight Restriction		position and altitude, based upon
T HDG	True Heading		current groundspeed.
TIS	Traffic Information System	VFOM	Vertical Figure of Merit
TIT	Turbine Inlet Temperature	VFR	Visual Flight Rules
TKE	Track Angle Error	VHF	Very High Frequency
TMA	Terminal Maneuvering Area	VI	Heading Vector to Intercept
TMR/REF	Timer/Reference	VLOC	VOR/Localizer Receiver
Торо	topographic	VM	Heading Vector to Manual Termination
Track	Direction of aircraft movement relative	VMC	Visual Meteorological Conditions
	to a ground position; also 'Ground	VNAV, VNV	vertical navigation
To al. A. al.	Track'	VOL	volume
Track Angle Error	The angle difference between the desired track and the current track.	VOR	VHF Omni-directional Range
TRG	target	VORTAC	very high frequency omnidirectional
TRK	track		range station and tactical air
TRSA	Terminal Radar Service Area	VDI	navigation
TRUNC	truncated	VPL	Vertical Protection Level
TTL	total	VPROF	VNV profile, vertical profile
TURN	procedure turn	VPTH	VNV path, vertical path
TX	transmit	VR	Heading Vector to Radial
171	tansmit	VS	vertical speed
UNAVAIL	unavailable	VSI	Vertical Speed Indicator
USR	user	VSR	Vertical Speed Required
UTC	Coordinated Universal Time	VTF	vector to final
UTM/UPS	Universal Transverse Mercator /	۱۸/	watt/s) wast
J 1141/ UT J	Universal Polar Stereographic Grid	W MAA A S	Wide Area Augmentation System
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# FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS

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#### WHAT IS SBAS?

The Satellite Based Augmentation System (SBAS) uses a system of ground stations to correct any GPS signal errors. These ground stations correct for errors caused by ionospheric disturbances, timing, and satellite orbit errors. It also provides vital integrity information regarding the health of each GPS satellite. The signal correction is then broadcast through geostationary satellites. This correction information can then be received by any SBAS-enabled GPS receiver.

SBAS is designed to provide the additional accuracy, availability, and integrity necessary to enable users to rely on GPS for all phases of flight.

There are several SBAS systems serving different parts of the world. The Wide Area Augmentation System (WAAS) is currently available in the United States, including Alaska and Hawaii. The European Geostationary Navigation Overlay Service (EGNOS) offers coverage of Europe, parts of the middle east and northern Africa. The Multi-functional Satellite Augmentation System (MSAS) covers mainly Japan and parts of northern Australia.

#### How does SBAS affect approach operations?

LP and LPV approaches use the accuracy of SBAS to provide additional precision for lateral (LP, LPV) and vertical (LPV) guidance capability. LPV approaches also allow lower approach minimums. When SBAS is not available, LP and LPV approaches cannot be added to the active flight plan. An LP or LPV approach already loaded will be downgraded to an LNAV or LNAV/VNAV approach, using LNAV or LNAV/VNAV minima.

#### WHAT IS RAIM AND HOW DOES IT AFFECT APPROACH OPERATIONS?

RAIM is an acronym for Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring. RAIM is a GPS receiver function that performs the following functions:

- Monitors and verifies integrity and geometry of tracked GPS satellites
- Notifies the pilot when satellite conditions do not provide the necessary coverage to support a certain phase of flight
- Predicts satellite coverage of a destination area to determine whether the number of available satellites is sufficient to satisfy requirements



**NOTE:** If RAIM is not predicted to be available for the final approach course, the approach does not become active, as indicated by the "RAIM not available from FAF to MAP" message and the LOI annunciation flagging on the HSI.



For RAIM to work correctly, the GPS receiver must track at least five satellites. A minimum of six satellites is required to allow RAIM to eliminate a single corrupt satellite from the navigation solution.

RAIM ensures that satellite geometry allows for a navigation solution calculation within a specified protection limit (2.0 nm for oceanic and en route, 1.0 nm for terminal, and 0.3 nm for non-precision approaches). The G1000 System monitors RAIM and issues an alert message when RAIM is not available (see Appendix A). Without RAIM, GPS position accuracy cannot be monitored. If RAIM is not available when crossing the FAF, the pilot must fly the missed approach procedure.

#### WHAT IS GSL ALTITUDE?

GSL (Geodetic Sea Level) altitude is the height above Mean Sea Level (MSL), as calculated geometrically, generally using a global positioning system (GPS) as the primary data source. The calculated result may or may not include a barometric component, but the primary source is geometric.

#### WHY ARE THERE NOT ANY APPROACHES AVAILABLE FOR A FLIGHT PLAN?

Approaches are available for the final destination airport in a flight plan or as a direct-to (keep in mind that some VOR/VORTAC identifiers are similar to airport identifiers). If a destination airport does not have a published approach, the G1000 indicates "NONE" for the available procedures.

# What happens when an approach is selected? Can a flight plan with an approach, a departure, or an arrival be stored?

When an approach, departure, or arrival is loaded into the active flight plan, a set of approach, departure, or arrival waypoints is inserted into the flight plan, along with a header line showing the title of the selected instrument procedure. The original en route portion of the flight plan remains active, unless the instrument procedure is activated. This may be done either when the procedure is loaded or at a later time.

Flight plans can also be stored with an approach, a departure, or an arrival. Note that the active flight plan is erased when the system is turned off. Also, the active flight plan is overwritten when another flight plan is activated. When storing flight plans with an approach, a departure, or an arrival, the G1000 uses the waypoint information from the current database to define the waypoints. If the database is changed or updated, the G1000 System automatically updates the information, provided the procedure has not been modified. Should an approach, departure, or arrival procedure no longer be available, the flight plan becomes locked until the procedure is deleted from the flight plan.

## CAN "SLANT GOLF" ("/G") BE FILED USING THE G1000?

"/G" may be filed for a flight plan. The G1000 system meets the requirements of TSO-C145a Class 3 or TSO-C145c Class 3, and ETSO C145 Class 3 installations. GPS approaches are not to be flown with an expired database. See the approved AFM/POH as well as the Aeronautical Information Manual (AIM) for more information.

#### WHAT DOES THE OBS SOFTKEY DO?

The **OBS** Softkey is used to select manual sequencing of waypoints. Activating OBS mode sets the current active-to waypoint as the primary navigation reference and prevents the system from sequencing to the next waypoint in a flight plan. When OBS mode is cancelled, automatic waypoint sequencing is continued, and the G1000 automatically activates the next waypoint in the flight plan once the aircraft has crossed the present active waypoint.



Normal (OBS not activated)	OBS
Automatic sequencing of waypoints	Manual sequencing - 'holds' on selected waypoint
Manual course change on HSI not possible	Manually select course to waypoint from HSI
Always navigates 'TO' the active waypoint	Indicates 'TO' or 'FROM' waypoint
Must be in this mode for final approach course	Cannot be set for final approach course or published holding patterns

When OBS mode is active, the G1000 allows the pilot to set a desired course to/from a waypoint using the **CRS/BARO** Knob and HSI (much like a VOR).

The most common application for using the **OBS** Softkey is the missed approach. The G1000 suspends automatic waypoint sequencing (indicated by a 'SUSP' annunciation placed on the HSI) when the missed approach point (MAP) is crossed. This prevents the G1000 from automatically sequencing to the missed approach holding point (MAHP). During this time, the **OBS** Softkey designation changes to **SUSP**. Pressing the **SUSP** Softkey reactivates automatic waypoint sequencing. The **OBS** Softkey then resumes its normal functionality.

#### WHY DOES THE G1000 NOT AUTOMATICALLY SEQUENCE TO THE NEXT WAYPOINT?

The G1000 only sequences flight plan waypoints when automatic sequencing is enabled (i.e., no "OBS" or 'SUSP' annunciation). For automatic sequencing to occur, the aircraft must also cross the "bisector" of the turn being navigated. The bisector is a line passing through the waypoint common to two flight plan legs at an equal angle from each leg.

#### HOW CAN A WAYPOINT BE SKIPPED IN AN APPROACH, A DEPARTURE, OR AN ARRIVAL?

The G1000 allows the pilot to manually select any approach, departure, or arrival leg as the active leg of the flight plan. This procedure is performed on the MFD from the Active Flight Plan Page by highlighting the desired waypoint and selecting the **ACT LEG** Softkey then the **ENT** Key to approve the selection. The GPS then provides navigation along the selected flight plan leg.

#### When does turn anticipation begin?

The G1000 smooths adjacent leg transitions based on a normal 15° bank angle (with the ability to roll up to 30°) and provides three pilot cues for turn anticipation:

- A waypoint alert ('Next DTK ###° in # seconds' or 'Next HDG ###° in # seconds') appears on the PFD 10 seconds before the turn point and flashes as it counts down to zero.
- A flashing turn advisory ('Turn [right/left] to ###° in # seconds') appears on the PFD 10 seconds before the turn and flashes as it counts down to zero. 'Turn [right/left] to ###° now' or 'Next [DTK/HDG] to ###° now' is displayed when the pilot is to begin the turn and the HSI (GPS mode) automatically sequences to the next DTK or HDG value.
- The To/From indicator on the HSI flips momentarily to indicate that the midpoint of the turn has been crossed.



#### When does the CDI scale change?

Once a departure is activated, the G1000 Course Deviation Indicator (CDI) full scale deflection is set to 0.3 nm. The CDI scale changes to 1.0 nm (terminal mode) then ramps up to 2.0 nm (enroute mode) at 30 nm from the departure airport. When 31 nm from the destination, the CDI scale smoothly transition from 2.0 nm back to 1.0 nm (terminal mode). At 2.0 nm before the FAF during an active approach, the CDI scale transitions down further based on the type of approach activated (LNAV, LNAV/VNAV, LP, LPV). When a missed approach is activated, the CDI is set to 0.3 nm. See the Flight Instruments Section for more details on CDI scaling.

## WHY DOES THE HSI NOT RESPOND LIKE A VOR WHEN OBS MODE IS ACTIVE?

Unlike a VOR, the CDI scale used on GPS equipment is based on the crosstrack distance to the desired course, not on the angular relationship to the destination. Therefore, the CDI deflection on the GPS is constant regardless of the distance to the destination and does not become less sensitive when further away from the destination.

#### WHAT IS THE CORRECT MISSED APPROACH PROCEDURE? How IS THE MISSED APPROACH HOLDING POINT SELECTED?

To comply with TSO specifications, the G1000 does not automatically sequence past the MAP. The first waypoint in the missed approach procedure becomes the active waypoint when the **SUSP** Softkey is selected *after* crossing the MAP. All published missed approach procedures must be followed, as indicated on the approach plate.

To execute the missed approach procedure prior to the MAP (not recommended), select the Active Flight Plan Page and use the **ACT LEG** Softkey to activate the missed approach portion of the procedure.

# After a missed approach, how can the same approach be re-selected? How can a new approach be activated?



**NOTE:** Do not attempt to reactivate the current approach prior to crossing the missed approach point (MAP). If an attempt to do so is made, an alert message "Are you sure you want to discontinue the current approach?" appears. The G1000 directs the pilot back to the transition waypoint and does not take into consideration any missed approach procedures, if the current approach is reactivated.

After flying the missed approach procedure, the pilot may reactivate the same approach for another attempt by pressing the **PROC** Key. Once the clearance is given for another attempt, activate the approach by highlighting 'ACTIVATE APPROACH' using the large **FMS** Knob and pressing the **ENT** Key. The G1000 provides navigation along the desired course to the waypoint and rejoins the approach in sequence from that point.

To activate a new approach for the same airport, select the new procedure by pressing the **PROC** Key. Choose 'SELECT APPROACH', select the desired approach from the list shown, and press the **ENT** Key. Select the desired transition, then activate the approach using the **ENT** Key.

To activate a new approach to a different airport, press the **Direct-to** Key and select the desired airport using the **FMS** Knobs. Press the **ENT** Key to accept the selected airport, then follow the steps in the preceding paragraph to select an approach for the new airport.



# **MAP SYMBOLS**



**NOTE:** Refer to the Flight Management Section for the topography legend and the Hazard Avoidance Section for XM Weather Product legends.

## **AIRPORT**

Item	Symbol
Unknown Airport	
Non-towered, Non-serviced Airport	
Towered, Non-serviced Airport	0
Non-towered, Serviced Airport	<b></b>
Towered, Serviced Airport	<b></b>
Restricted (Private) Airport	R
Heliport	•

#### **NAVAIDS**

ltem	Symbol
Intersection	
LOM (compass locator at outer marker)	
NDB (non-directional radio beacon)	
VOR	•
VOR/DME	
VOR/ILS	•
VORTAC	<b>⇔</b>
TACAN	<b>₩</b>

## **LINE SYMBOLS**

Item	Symbol
Interstate Highway	
State Highway	
US Highway	
National Highway	
City	•
State or Province Border	STZPRV BORDER
International Border	INTL BORDER
Road	
Railroad	<del></del>
Latitude/Longitude	

## **AIRSPACE BOUNDARIES**

Item	Symbol
ICAO Control Area Class B Airspace	
Mode C Tower Area	
Warning Area Prohibited Area Alert Area Restricted Area Caution Area Training Area Danger Area Unknown Area	
Class C Terminal Radar Service Area Mode C Area	
Military Operations Area (MOA)	



## **MISCELLANEOUS**

Item	Symbol
ARTCC Frequency or FSS Frequency	湴
Default Map Pointer	W
Elevation Pointer	∜
Wind Vector	23
Measuring Pointer	
Overzoom Indicator	Q
User Waypoint	
Vertical Navigation Along Track Waypoint	
Parallel Track Waypoint	•
Unanchored Flight Path Waypoint	
Top of Descent (TOD)	© TOD
Bottom of Descent (BOD)	0
Navigating using Dead Reckoning	DR

## STORMSCOPE LIGHTNING STRIKES

Item	Symbol
Lightning Strike (0-6 sec ago)	4
Lightning Strike (6-20 sec ago)	4
Lightning Strike (20-60 sec ago)	+
Lightning Strike (60-120 sec ago)	<b>.</b>

# **TRAFFIC**

Item	Symbol
Non-threat Traffic (hollow diamond)	<b></b>
Proximity Advisory	$\Diamond$
Traffic Advisory, Out of Range	<u> </u>
Traffic Advisory	0
Traffic Advisory (TA) arrow with ADS-B directional information. Points in the direction of the intruder aircraft track.	>
Proximity Advisory (PA) arrow with ADS-B directional information. Points in the direction of the aircraft track .	$\triangleright$
Non-threat traffic arrow with ADS-B directional information. Points in the direction of the intruder aircraft track .	<b>&gt;</b>
PA or Non-threat traffic arrow with ADS-B directional information, but positional accuracy is degraded. Points in the direction of the aircraft track	$\supset$



#### TERRAIN AVOIDANCE COLORS AND SYMBOLS

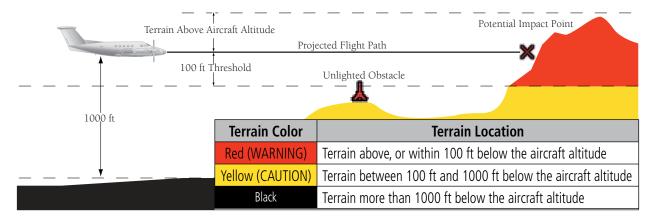


Figure E-1 TAWS Color Chart



Figure E-2 TAWS Potential Impact Points

	Unlighted Obstacle		Lighted Obstacle		Obstacle	Obstacle Location
Height	< 1000 ft AGL	> 1000 ft AGL	< 1000 ft AGL	> 1000 ft AGL	Color	Obstacle Location
loqu			*	*	Red (WARNING)	Obstacle within 100 ft of or above aircraft altitude
Obstacle Symbol			**	***	Yellow (CAUTION)	Obstacle within 1000 ft of aircraft altitude
Obst			**	***	Gray	Obstacle more than 1000 ft below aircraft altitude

**Obstacle Symbols and Colors** 



## **HAZARD AVOIDANCE FEATURES**

This table identifies the symbols displayed in the lower right corner of PFD or MFD maps to indicate which hazard avoidance features are activated for display.

Feature	Symbol
TAWS display enabled	*
Traffic display enabled	<b></b>
Data Link Weather Radar display enabled	<b>*</b>
Cloud Top display enabled	
Echo Top display enabled	4
Lightning display enabled	‡
Cell Movement display enabled	
SIGMETs/AIRMETs display enabled	SIGMET AIRMET
METARs display enabled	<b>*</b>

Feature	Symbol
City Forecast display enabled	12862
Surface Analysis display enabled	1
Freezing Levels display enabled	
Winds Aloft display enabled	<b>*</b>
County Warnings display enabled	**
Cyclone Warnings display enabled	9
Icing Potential (CIP and SLD) (ICNG)	••••
Pilot Weather Report (PIREPs)	<b>-</b>
Air Report (AIREPs)	
Turbulence (TURB)	$\triangle$
Loss of hazard avoidance feature, (a white X is shown over the symbol to indicate not available; e.g., traffic)	×



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