Datalink Applications

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Outline

- Datalink Applications
 - ACARS A623 (DCL, OCL, D-ATIS)
 - DLIC service: CM or AFN
 - CPDLC
 - ADS
- Programme LINK 2000+
- FANS and ATN
- Conclusion



Data link onboard





Dedicated HMI for Request/response

Non dedicated HMI





ACARS applications

DCL OCL D-ATIS



ACARS applications

- ARINC 623
 - DCL
 - Departure Clearance
 - OCL
 - Oceanic Clearance
 - D-ATIS
 - Digital Automatic Terminal Information Service

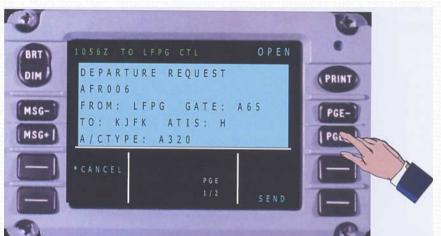


(623) DCL phases

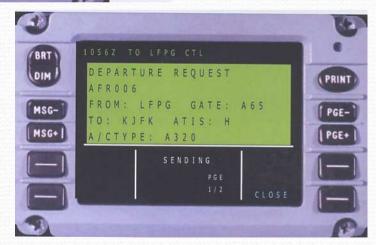
- Departure clearance request
 - The pilot fills in the required information
 - Type of aircraft and ATIS information letter
- Ground computing
 - Check flight plans
- Air traffic Controller response
- Response reception
- Ack or reject by the pilot



(623) DCL onboard









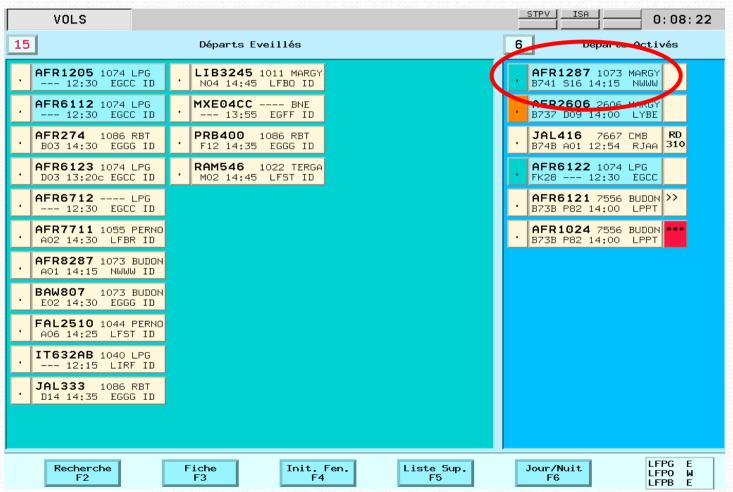


(623) DCL

- Request is transferred through ACARS
- Ground computing
 - Flight Plan correlation
 - Display on ATC Controller's screen
- ATC Controller send the response



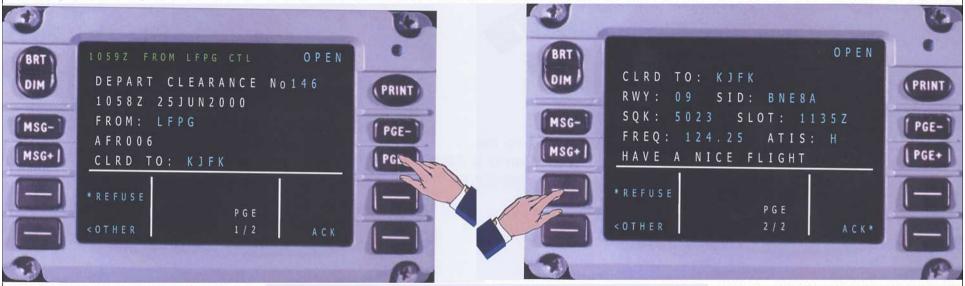
(623) DCL ground side - Example

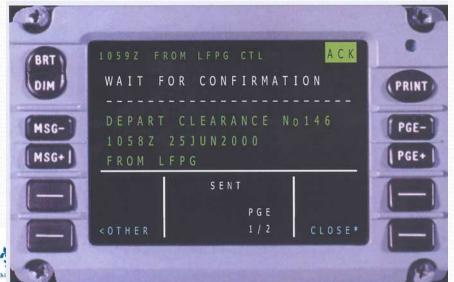






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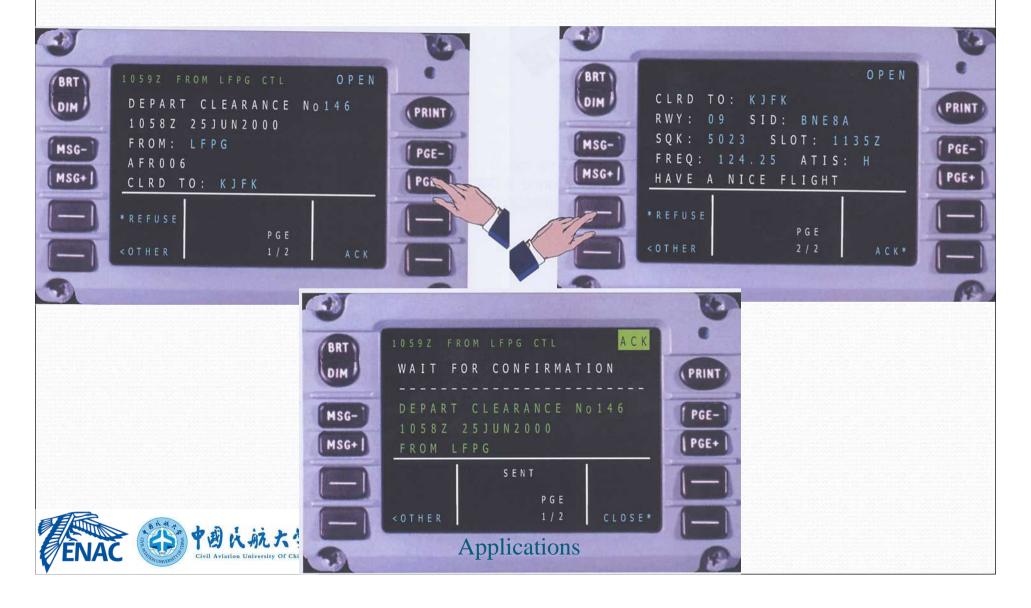








(623) DCL onboard



(623) DCL

- Ack updates the Flight Plan
 - Copy of the clearance
- In case of reject revert to the voice

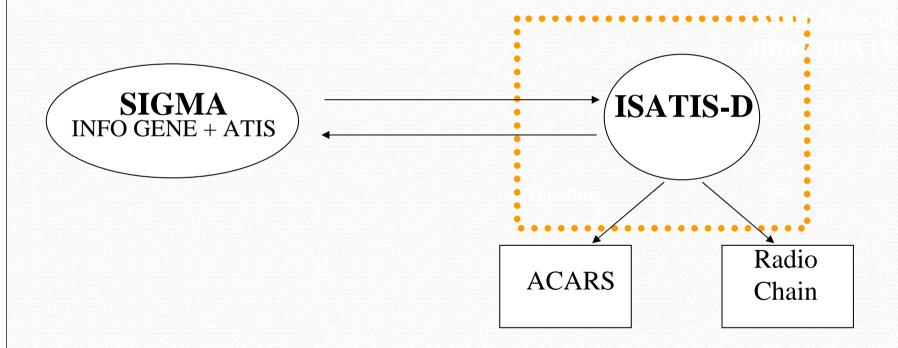


(623) OCL

- ATC clearance for oceanic
- Before entering oceanic controlled area
 - North atlantic
- Message sequence and phases similar to DCL
 - Content, of course, are different



(623) D-ATIS example







ATIS Screen

Data preparation 10: 38 42 SYNTH TEXTE SIGMA **ATIS** SYNTH TEXTE SIGMA MAJ ATIS Type App: ILS 05R Piste Att: Approche Piste déc : 05L 130/80 150/80 10 20 160 Etat des pistes **⊢79** +14 **⊢79** PISTE 05L FERME(ES) NT 60 Niveau de transition : 50 Moindre Informations opérationnelles VOR LUC HS - VOR CNM HS - VOR STP HS - DME STP HS <1100 ft GREVE SERVICES METEO X 05 L TA / TD +22/+23 250° 10 Kt 25 Kt Visibilité : 3500 mètres SOLEIL 3500 mètres 0852 SOLEIL remps: Nuage 22 Nuage 33 Nuage 11 Nuage 33 Plafond .: Phénomène 2 +12° DP: +08° Température : MOYENS AIRNAV HS > 6 ACTI QFE: 05L 1015 05R 1015 1013 ILS NA VOR LUC VOR STP DME STP LIC NO R544 VOR CGS Phénomènes : Dom 1: Phénomène 2 PISTE 05R COUVERTE D' POUR CAUSE DE RISQUE AVIAIRE - un deux trois Acquitter Validation sssssssssssssssssssssss - VFR SPECIAL A LFMC - RADAR DU HAUT-MONTET RADAR PRIMAIRE HORS SERVICE - VFR SPECIAL A LFMD - VFR SPECIAL A LFMC - RAI Préparer ATIS Moyens HS Zones Actives Texte Synthèse Page Texte Procédures





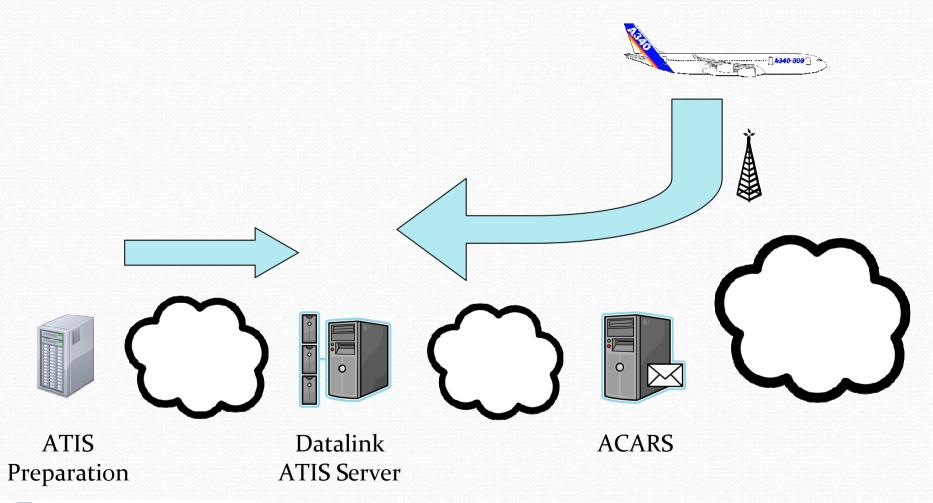






Applications

(623) D-ATIS example







FANS and ATN applications

DLIC service
CPDLC
ADS



DLIC service

- Network side: aircraft known as an address
- ATC systems: aircraft is linked with its Flight Plan
- → Automatic correlation is needed
- Service : Data Link Initiation Capability (DLIC)
 - Logon
 - Addresses & Version of the applications
 - Application
 - FANS 1/A: ATS Facility Notification (AFN)
 - ATN: Context Management (CM)



DLIC service (ex. in CM application)

• Is executed prior to any other DL service



- Aircraft send to the CM server
 - Its ICAO 24 bits' address
 - Flight Id
 - From/to airports
 - Transport address of its applications + version
- FDPS looks for the aircraft to make a unique correlation
- Case of success: Data link is switch on
 - Connections for data link applications will follow

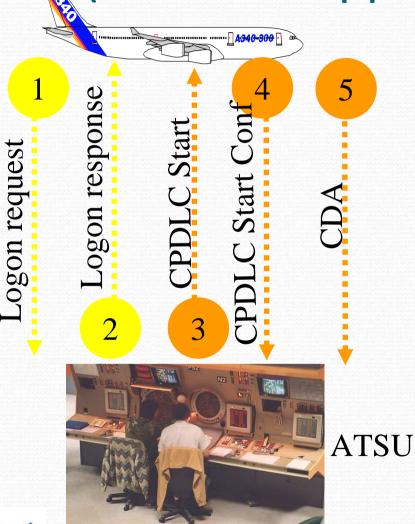
Applications

• Otherwise : revert to the voice





DLIC service (ex. in CM application)







CPDLC

- Controller Pilot Data Link Communication
- Exchange of short text messages between controllers and pilots
- Offers an additional com., complement of voice
- Services:
 - ACM : ATC Communication Management
 - AMC : ATC Microphone Check
 - ACL: ATC clearance

- ...





ACM

- ACM = ATC Communication Management
- Transfer of ATC communications (voice and CPDLC)
 - Transfer of CPDLC will coincide with transfer of voice
- Initial establishment of CPDLC with an ATSU
- Transfer of CPDLC and voice for a flight
- Termination of CPDLC with an ATSU



AMC

- AMC = ATC Microphone Check
- Broadcasted to all aircraft on a sector



ACL

- ACL = ATC Clearances and information
- Issue of clearances and instructions to pilots
- Receipt of pilot requests and reports
- Available only after successful ACM



ACL (example)



IBE4189 turn left heading 160 and climb to FL 70. 270 and confirm heading, please?
IBE4189 turn left heading 160 degrees.
160 degrees turning 1730 xxxxxx IBE4189. Thank you. By.

IBE4189 just confirm maintaining FL70.
Oh! We have to maintain 70, sorry IBE4189, we have the traffic in sight, sorry.
Expedite descent now.
Yes we'll do.

0846Z

FROM XXXCTL

OPEN

IBE4189 TURN LEFT HEADING 160 CLIMB TO 70



ADS

- Automatic Dependant Surveillance
- ADS-C: Contract (sometimes called ADS-Addressed)
 - Point to point (VHF / VDL / SATCOM / HF)
 - Currently only FANS 1/A
 - Oceanic and remote areas
 - No or poor radar coverage



ADS

- ADS-B: Broadcast
 - Use of 1090ES, UAT, VDL4...
 - Used by A/G et A/A
 - Sending ADS-B: ADS-B out
 - Onboard usage of ADS-B: ADS-B in
 - Surrounding traffic awareness
 - In trail procedure



Lip60+





- Objective
 - To increase airspace <u>capacity</u> with a benefit in <u>safety</u>



- Capacity increase
 - To reduce controller workload (Voice represents 1/3 of controller workload)
 - To reduce voice channel occupancy (Voice channels are saturated)
 - Frequency availability limits creation of sectors
 - Data-Link allows to speak less with more pilots
 - To increase the knowledge of the ground system
 - To improve trajectory prediction
 - To improve conflict detection
 - To offer more powerful tools to the controller
 - Data-Link allows integration of data into the system

Applications

- Clearances issued via an HMI
- Computer to computer link





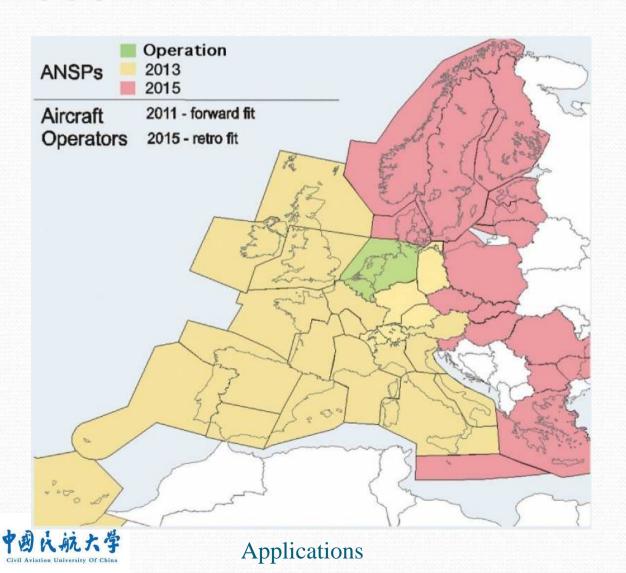
- Benefits in safety
 - Data-Link helps to avoid misunderstanding
 - Results in a written clearance
 - Data-Link offers a 2nd communication channel
 - Allows to exchange in case no voice is available (jamming, missed selection of voice frequency)
 - Data-Link introduces flight plan consistency check
 - Ensures common air and ground data for a flight



- Goal
 - Operational implementation of Data-Link
 - ICAO compliant
- Infrastructure
 - VDL mode 2 as ATN subnet
 - ACARS 623 for DCL and D-ATIS



LINK 2000+

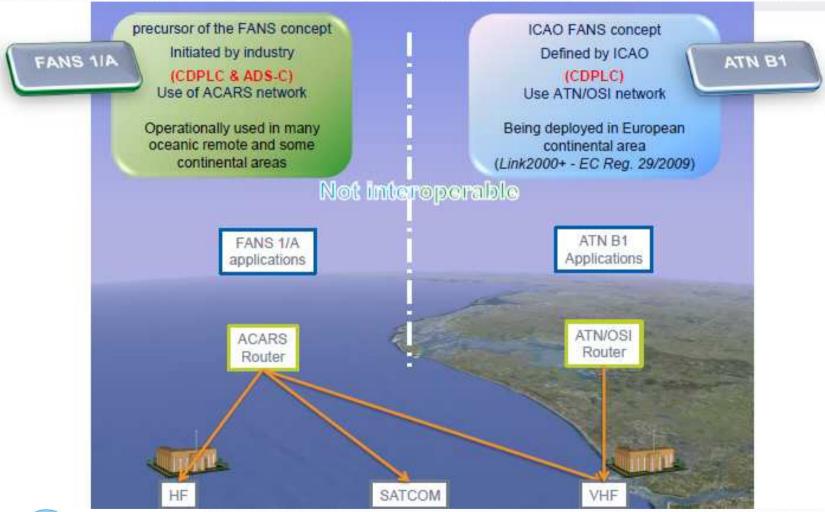


IR DLS

- Mandate
 - CPDLC (DLIC, ACM, ACL, AMC)
 - ATN through VDL2
 - European airspaces
 - Above FL 285
- Initial Implementing Rule 29/2009
- Amendment 2015/310
 - Deadline for ANSP: 2018
 - Deadline for Avionic: 2020



FANS 1/A vs. ATN B1







FANS 1/A vs. ATN

- Reminder FANS 1/A
 - A set of applications (A622)
 - AFN, CPDLC, ADS-C
 - Using a network
 - ACARS (A620 on the ground / A618 for aircraft)
 - Using A622 additional features
 - FMS integration
 - Interoperability standard: ED100/DO-258
 - Safety and Performance Req: ED122/DO-306



FANS 1/A vs. ATN

- Reminder ATN
 - Not the same "network" (vs. ACARS)
 - ADS-C not used yet (not in current ICAO Doc 9880)
 - Definition of a CPDLC "Logical Ack" message
 - "Real" end to end acknowledgement
 - Between pilot's HMI and controller's HMI
 - "Message sent" vs. "Message received"
 - ATN CPDLC not compatible with FANS 1/A CPDLC
 - Slight differences in messages
 - Accommodation is possible (double stack)
 - See ED-154/DO-305



FANS 1/A vs. FANS 2/B

- ATN implementation baseline 1
 - Standards
 - SPR: ED-120/DO-290
 - Interoperability: ED-110/DO-280
 - CPDLC subset (ACM, ACL, AMC)
 - Additional preformatted message
 - "CURRENT ATC UNIT"
 - When flight is assumed by a controller
 - FMS integration not achieved
- Airbus FANS B+
 - Compliant with European requirements (ATN B1)
 - ATC frequency loading capability





Other services

- DCL, ATIS, OCL
 - Use of ACARS until included in ATN (B2)
 - With additional features of A622
 - Applications described in A623
 - Standards
 - DCL: ED-85
 - ATIS: ED-89
 - OCL: ED-106



Status



Europe







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~25% of flights are capable of performing CPDLC over the ATN



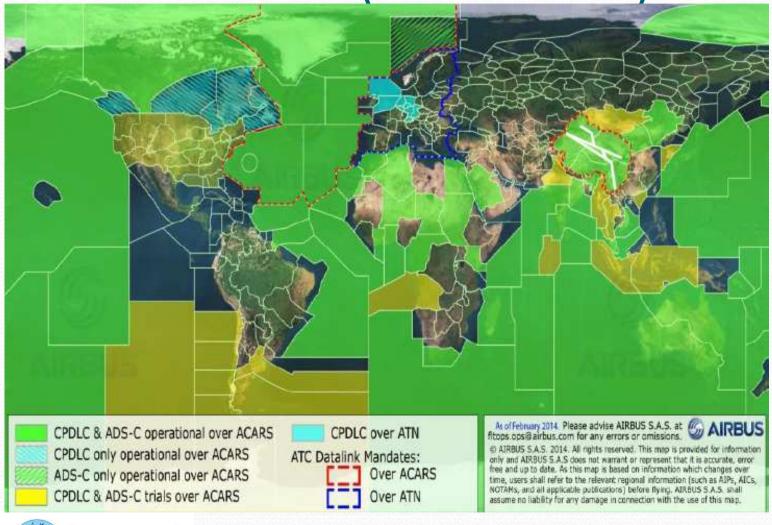


United States

- CPDLC Build 1
 - Miami
 - Operational use of CPDL in 2002
 - Data Link via VDL mode 2
 - Stopped
- NextGen
 - ADS-B out mandate in 2020 (1090ES and UAT)
 - Wait for ATN B2 (FMS integration)
 - FANS1/A meanwhile



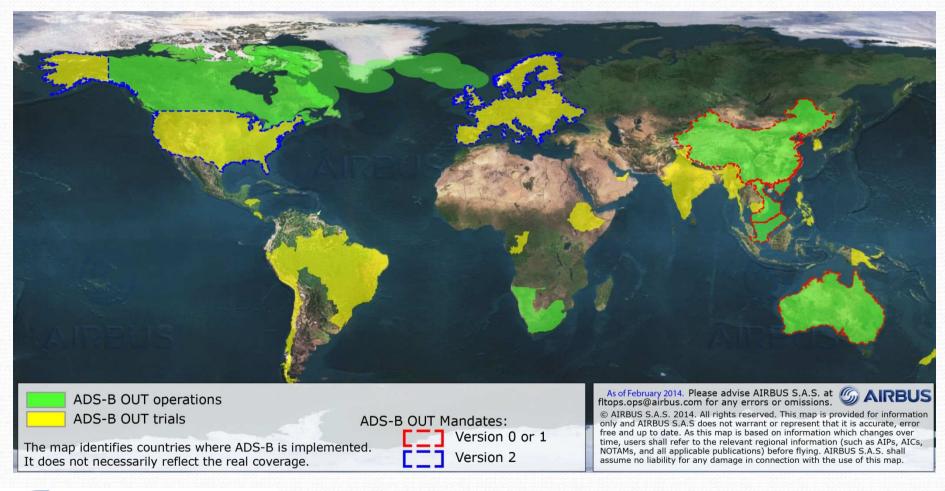
FANS in the world (March 2016)







ADS-B in the world (February 2014)







Future

- And now?
 - New air ground subnetworks
 - LDACS (L-band Digital Aeronautical Com. System)
 - WiMax?
 - Satcom in Europe (only for availability purposes)
 - ATN using the IP suite
 - Handling mix of ATN OSI and ATN IPS?



