

Version 2.6 (WIP)

Data file changes:

- Added support for various coordinate formats
- Added FAST data file
- Updated SSR data file syntax (A1000 related items, bottom/top altitudes to areas)
- Updated Maps and Areas data file syntax (//version added)
- Updated STCA data file syntax (final1/2 added for basic support for curved approaches)
- Updated AUP & remote activation file syntax (refresh_interval added)

Setup/system changes:

- Added option to handle code 7601 as a special code
- Added time option to a/c-a/c QDM label
- Added option to not fail PDC request for a/c type mismatch
- Added tag function to toggle RFL field display
- Added settings to check for updated maps & areas data files online
- Added tag items and controls for list sorting
- Added settings to disable specific CPDLC message categories
- Added a few hardcoded options for downloading SNOWTAM and AIREP data
- Added FAST system (indications, tag items and functions, list)
- Added settings for fixed-width fonts 2 and 3

General changes:

- Updated DCL Window (ATIS letter editable)
- Changed SEP tool to hide track vector

COOPANS version specific:

- Updated General Information Window

Non-COOPANS version specific:

- none

Version 2.5 (December 2024)

Data file changes:

- Updated Airspace data file syntax (appline_ext, no_fix)
- Updated Areas data file syntax (area, categorydef changed, active:aup/aup_group/callsign/notam_group, and_active, f pca_seps and stca_* added)
- Updated CPDLC data file syntax (freetext:unicorn added)
- Updated Maps data file syntax (style changed, active:aup/aup_group/callsign/map/notam_group, and_active, hidden, coord_* and linestyledef added)
- Updated MSAW data file syntax (apm related lines added)

- Updated SSR data file syntax (callsign_code added)
- Updated STCA data file syntax (soir changed)
- Updated default symbols and Symbols data file syntax

Setup/system changes:

- Added code to synchronize area activations and certain other data across EuroScope instances on the same computer
- Added more options for FPL equipment code handing
- Added possibility for areas remote activation
- Added possibility for hard filters (hiding all track components)
- Added possibility for TSA area labels to show next activity period as well
- Added possibility to define a minimized track label
- Added scaling setting for radar screen mouse click areas
- Added sending metric levels for CPDLC depending on system & flight unit settings and parsing for metric level downlinks
- Updated MTCD code to enable use of defined FPCA's
- Updated STCA code to enable use of defined STCA areas
- Deprecated tag items "RI (Release indicator)" and "COORD (Coordination Message) part2", both now included in tag item "COORD"

General changes:

- Added ARC HOP
- Added CMT Text Pop-up
- Added Departure Clearance Window
- Added "Weather" manual alert
- Added Oceanic Time Restriction Window
- Added Upper Winds Window
- Added possibility to move MINSEP/FPLSEP/QDM vector label positions
- Changed Document Viewer Window name to Miscellaneous Information Window
- Changed OP_TEXT and OP_TEXT2 fields to be editable also by the downstream controller
- Changed SID/STAR allocation color logic
- Changed weather radar display to show by default horizontal lines instead of filled areas
- Updated AFL, AHDG, ARC, ASP, Callsign, CFL, Hold, RFL, Waypoint and SSR menus
- Updated Airspace Management Window
- Updated Brightness Window
- Updated CARD
- Updated CPDLC Settings Window
- Updated Flight Plan Window
- Updated Holding List(s), added possibility to define point-specific lists
- Updated Lost List
- Updated NAT List Window (NAT trk msgs now available in Miscellaneous Information Window)
- Updated NAT maps
- Updated Pre-Departure Clearance Window
- Updated Runway In Use Window

- Updated SAP Window
- Updated SEP List
- Updated Time menu
- Updated Vertical Aid Window

COOPANS version specific:

- Added Air Traffic Flow Management Window
- Added Airfield Data Window
- Added Clock Window
- Added Current Operational Load Window
- Added FPCA Status Window
- Added Global Menu SIGMET number functionality
- Added individual quick look
- Added Multi-QDM
- Added Operational Load Forecast Window
- Added QDM/MINSEP vector preview
- Added Shortcut Window
- Added Small QNH/TL Window
- Added STCA Alerts List
- Added possibility to temporarily hide CFL/RFL/AHDG/ASP/ARC/NPT tactical coordination and CPDLC values in selected labels to see active values
- Updated CJI Filtering Window
- Updated QDM vector labels
- Updated RWL Window (OFF, NM, NME and KM options)
- Updated scale marker

Non-COOPANS version specific:

- Updated Track Control Window

Version 2.4.1 (October 2022)

- Service release with some bug fixes

Version 2.4 (April 2022)

Data file changes:

- Added Aircraft data file (and Flight Plan Window entries checked against it)
- Added Airports data file
- Added ICAO_Aircraft.txt and ICAO_Aircraft.json data files
- Updated airspace data file syntax (initial_cfl, cfl_*, ta_circle and ta_polygon added)
- Updated areas and maps data file syntax (active changed – second rwy type, circle added)
- Updated areas data file syntax (noaiw added)
- Updated maps data file syntax (sctdata, sctfiledata, sctfilepath added, active – area added)
- Removed TopSkyCallsigns.txt data file (now checks only for ICAO_Airlines.txt)

- Removed TopSkyCallsignsLocal.txt data file (renamed ICAO_Airlines_Virtual.txt)

Setup/system changes:

- Added adjustable refresh rate for AHDG/QDM vectors
- Added AIW callsign and SSR code inhibits (the same as for the other safety nets)
- Added APW warning sound (and controls in Settings/Setup menu)
- Added automatic ASSR assignment when clicking "Assume" on Callsign menu when no code assigned
- Added auto-update to weather data
- Added code to check the used EuroScope version and enable/disable affected plugin features
- Added dedicated SSR code range for automatic assignment from the Create APL Window
- Added enhanced AFL display option and related tag function
- Added FIC position setting
- Added FPASD track filtering based on sector state
- Added GUI font options
- Added ICAO FPL implementation (partial, can't influence EuroScope's mode S radars)
- Added key shortcuts to toggle maps and send manual transfers
- Added line option for RDF (antenna position setting)
- Added new ICAO format options to "use equipment codes"
- Added setting to make TSA Areas display respond to altitude filtering
- Added settings for APW and MSAW filtering on sector state
- Added settings to highlight WTC item based on ATYP/WTC
- Added sound options for ROF, RTI and TIP
- Added support for RECAT-EU and ICAO eWTS wake turbulence groups
- Added tag functions to toggle GS and WTC item highlights
- Implemented division into uncontrolled and controlled tracks (affects for example entry into plugin custom flight lists, track coloring, eligibility for filtering)
- Changed alert sound file naming
- Changed Info points to be automatically enabled when specified key is down (<ALT> by default)
- Changed Sign In to be automatic (can be disabled in local settings file)
- Updated cursor files, changed file naming
- Updated default colors
- Updated label field highlights to be synchronized between instances (on same computer)
- Updated MTCD code (general updates, potential predicted and potential risk added, CARD and VAW View menus updated accordingly)

General changes:

- Added "+/-" options to ASP menu
- Added Document Viewer Window (to browse/search aircraft, location and operator databases)
- Added VCI menu
- Added Waypoint menu for answering coordinations, responding to route downlinks and sending uplinks
- Changed "R/T" button to "R/T" and "CPDLC" in menus
- Moved SBY/UNABLE response buttons to level requests from RFL to CFL menu
- Moved STCA warning sound toggle to Settings/Setup menu

- Updated Create APL Window
- Updated MTCD Status Window

COOPANS version specific:

- Changed ROF function: "ROF" indication shown also for sender
- Added "Resume" button to ASP menu
- Changed CFL menu to show RFL value
- Added Sector, Load Factor, Uncontrolled 1/2, ETWR, Resectorisation and Traffic Management 1/2 lists
- Added vertical separation tool (subfunction of the separation tool)
- Increased available separation tools to 7
- Updated Radar Menu and Track Control Window

Non-COOPANS version specific:

- Added Sector, Pre-Activation and Main/Secondary VFR lists

Version 2.3.1 (February 2021)

Data file changes:

- Updated Areas and Maps data file syntax (hatch fills now possible in addition to percentages)
- Updated Areas data file syntax (noclamram added, dd area type added)
- Updated CPDLC data file syntax (available data fields for the datalink clearances)
- Updated Maps data file syntax (layer/global/default_global/default_screen-specific/override_sct_map/textalign added, color changed)

Setup/system changes:

- Added 4th extended label F15/F18/OPTEXT/OPTEXT2 tag items, allowing for wider extended label
- Added custom CLAM and RAM alerting
- Added EST/DEP/ABT tag item and function
- Added possibility to save/load screen-specific map states in Plugin Status menu
- Added possibility to manually override login callsign used for loading settings in Plugin Status menu
- Added setting to exclude non-departed traffic from MTCD processing
- Added setting to limit max time from sector entry for CPDLC logon auto-accept
- Added settings to adjust Airspace Management Window column widths
- Added settings to use metric-specific levels in plugin menus and to customize the rounding of metric levels

General changes:

- Added APW alert coloring to callsign field
- Added Departure Coordination Window
- Added Unit Settings submenu
- Changed flight leg point labels (available fields and their order)

Non-COOPANS version specific:

- Updated Track Control Window (added flight leg fields)

Version 2.3 (August 2020)

Data file changes:

- Updated Areas and AreasManualAct data files syntax
- Updated Callsign data file syntax (added possibility to point to another file)
- Updated Maps data file syntax (screen-specific, active, asrdata, added possibility to adjust font size/style, draw polygons, etc.)
- Updated Radars data file syntax (terrain masking)
- Updated SSR data file syntax (OAT/GAT, remarks, group definitions, priority, type, descr)
- Updated STCA data file syntax (NTZ)

Setup/system changes:

- Added Informed 2 & 3 colors, adjusted corresponding settings syntax
- Added possibility to automatically set the EuroScope "dcenter" value
- Added possibility to save Manual area activity data (Plugin status menu)
- Added possibility to scale various plugin graphical elements
- Added separate colors for Proposition In & Out as well as for the auto-generated maps
- Added setting to enable automatic Sign In
- Added settings to adjust font styles and other ones
- Changed code so that R flag accepts PRNAV capable aircraft also as BRNAV capable
- Changed code so that setting AHDG via RPS selects aircraft as ASEL
- Changed datalink clearance formats (messages split to header and message parts)
- Changed NOTAM area activation code to handle also metric level references
- Changed primary radar video to use ESE file radar hole data if no terrain masking data available

General changes:

- Added code to keep certain controller-entered data for a while for disconnected tracks, and automatically re-apply the data if the track reconnects within that time
- Added NAT Track Messages Window and auto-generated NAT maps
- Added REGIONS maps from sector file
- Changed Holding List ETO column to show holding start time once holding entered
- Changed Track Control Window selections to be radar screen specific
- Updated Weather Messages Window (SNOWTAMs added)

COOPANS version specific:

- Changed maximum number of Min Sep Tools to 5

Non-COOPANS version specific:

- Updated Global Menu (filters part)

Version 2.2.0.1 (December 2019)

- Service release with some bug fixes

Version 2.2 (March 2018)

Data file changes:

- Added AreasManualAct data file
- Added CallsignsLocal data file
- Updated Airspace data file syntax (Custom level values possible in level menus)
- Updated Areas data file syntax
- Updated Maps data file syntax
- Updated SSRcodes data file syntax
- Updated STCA data file syntax

Setup/system changes:

- Added custom magnetic declination model (IGRF and WMM models, years 2000-2020)
- Added settings to save window states and positions
- Added option for 4D FPCP
- Added option to use ESE defined squawk codes
- Added plugin update check
- Updated area/map activation by NOTAM - possible also without a specified text
- Updated ASSR assignment code
- Updated mouse wheel functionality to work with Windows 10
- Updated MTCD/SAP code
- Updated STCA code

General changes:

- Added area user text to area label
- Added CPDLC & DCL/PDC features
- Added DSQ menu
- Added FPASD tracks controlling via Global Menu (have to be enabled in ES settings to get the data)
- Added LFUNC Frequency Plan Window
- Added Mode S features
- Added Primary Frequency Messages Window
- Added Time menu
- Changed area labels, added area hotspots
- Changed RADSEP vectors - drawn as great circles instead of straight lines
- Changed RADSEP/FPLSEP/QDM - from any label item with a mouse function, not just RPS
- Changed RAM alerts - inhibited for holding flights
- Changed rejected RTI/TIP - value is removed from the label after 60 seconds
- Updated AHDG and QDM vectors - can be set to be either rhumb lines or great circles
- Updated General Information Window
- Updated Lost List
- Updated Stack Manager Window

COOPANS version specific:

- Added TOC and TOD markers flight leg

Non-COOPANS version specific:

- Added flight plan minimum separation lines (5)
- Changed radar minimum separation lines, now 5 possible (previously only 1)
- Changed RPS's
- Updated Callsign menu
- Updated Radar menu
- Updated TSA Areas Window

Version 2.1.1 (April 2015)

Service release with some bug fixes

Version 2.1 (April 2015)

Data file changes:

- Updated Areas data file syntax

Setup/system changes:

- Added area activation based on NOTAMs
- Added Informed state
- Added possibility to filter PSR-only uncorrelated tracks based on groundspeed
- Added possibility to select METAR source (VATSIM/FAA)
- Updated Message In/Out Window code

General changes:

- Added Aerodrome Window
- Added airways, navaids, airports and fixes from sector file in Maps Window
- Added auto-generated maps in MISC folder
- Added keyboard shortcuts for some plugin functions
- Added Lost List
- Added NOTAM List Window
- Added possibility to assign direct-to also with the AHDG vector
- Added possibility to switch Maps Window auto-closing off
- Added RTI and TIP coordinations
- Added Runway In Use Window
- Added Tactical Info Window
- Added Tactical Transfer Menu
- Changed Radar menu to open by <ALT>+<rightclick> on the radar screen background
- Changed SID/STAR/ARWY coloring
- Changed STCA alert to override any filtering
- Updated CARD
- Updated Weather Messages Window

COOPANS version specific:

- Added “HS” (high speed) option in the ASP menu
- Added SEP List
- Changed Callsign, Radar and CFL menus
- Changed SEP tool (3+1 lines available)

Version 2.0.1 (December 2014)

Performance related fixes, improvements to SSR code allocation and a couple of bug fixes

Version 2.0 (June 2014)

Major update, plugin name changed to TopSky plugin

Version 1.1 (August 2010)

Added areas, NOTAM downloads, APW, SAP, ...

Version 1.0 (January 2010)

First release (EUROCAT 2000 E plugin)