

JSON object

Below is a description of the keys that may be included in the returned JSON object. Keys will be omitted if data is not available.

now: the time this file was generated, in seconds since Jan 1 1970 00:00:00 GMT (the Unix epoch).

aircraft: an array of JSON objects, one per observed aircraft. Each aircraft has the following keys.

seen: how long ago (in seconds before "now") a message was last received from this aircraft

type: one of the following texts:

"mode_s": messages from a Mode S transponder, using a 24-bit ICAO address.

"adsb_icao": messages from a ADS-B squitter, using a 24-bit ICAO address.

"flarm": messages retrieved from a FLARM receiver.

"ogn": messages retrieved from the Open Glider Network.

"ais": messages retrieved from an AIS receiver.

"uas": messages reported by a UAS.

hex: the 24-bit ICAO identifier of the aircraft, as 6 hex digits.

flarm_id: the identifier reported by OGN or FLARM, unless a 24-bit ICAO identifier is reported.

ais_id: the identifier reported by AIS.

uas_id: the identifier reported by the UAS.

flight: the flight name / callsign

lat: the aircraft latitude position in decimal degrees

lon: the aircraft longitude position in decimal degrees

altitude: the aircraft altitude in feet. This is either barometric height or GNSS based height above Mean Sea Level (MSL) - you can't tell the difference here, sorry!

track: true track over ground in degrees (0-359)

speed: reported speed in kt. This is usually speed over ground, but might be Indicated Air Speed (IAS) - you can't tell the difference here, sorry!

sim: false if real aircraft data, true if the data has been injected for simulation purposes.