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ADS-B Target Reports Expansion

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DESCRIPTION OF ASTERIX EXPANSION

Compound item (fspec=8 bits)

IO21/BPS - Barometric Pressure Setting

I021/BPS/(spare)

• 4 bits [....]

IO21/BPS/BPS - Barometric Pressure Setting

- 12 bits [.....]
- unsigned quantity
- scaling factor: 0.1
- fractional bits: 0
- unit: "hPa"
- LSB = 0.1 hPa
- value >= 0 hPa
- value <= 409.5 hPa

remark Notes:

- BPS is the barometric pressure setting of the aircraft minus $800\,$ hPa
- A value of "0" indicates that in the aircraft a value of 800 hPa or less has been selected.
- A value of "409.5" indicates that in the aircraft a value of 1209.5 hPa or more has been selected.

I021/SelH - Selected Heading

I021/SelH/(spare)

• 4 bits [....]

IO21/SelH/HDR - Horizontal Reference Direction

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: True North
 - 1: Magnetic North

IO21/SelH/Stat - Selected Heading Status

- 1 bit [.]
- values:

- 0: Data is either unavailable or invalid.
- 1: Data is available and valid.

I021/SelH/SelH - Selected Heading

- 10 bits [.....]
- unsigned quantity
- scaling factor: 45
- fractional bits: 6
- unit: "deg"
- LSB = $45/2^6$ deg = 45/64 deg ≈ 0.703125 deg

remark On many aircraft, the ADS-B Transmitting Subsystem receives Selected Heading from a Mode Control Panel / Flight Control Unit (MCP / FCU). Users of this data are cautioned that the Selected Heading value transmitted by the ADS-B Transmitting Subsystem does not necessarily reflect the true intention of the airplane during certain flight modes (e.g., during LNAV mode).

I021/NAV - Navigation Mode

IO21/NAV/AP - Autopilot

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Autopilot not engaged
 - 1: Autopilot engaged

I021/NAV/VN - Vertical Navigation

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Vertical Navigation not active
 - 1: Vertical Navigation active

I021/NAV/AH - Altitude Hold

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Altitude Hold not engaged
 - 1: Altitude Hold engaged

I021/NAV/AM - Approach Mode

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: Approach Mode not active
 - 1: Approach Mode active

I021/NAV/(spare)

• 4 bits [....]

remark This data-item should only be transmitted if an ADS-B indication has been received that the mode bits have been "actively populated".by the avionics (1090 ES version 2 (as defined in I021/210) BDS 6,2, subtype 1, bit 47: "Status of MCP / FCU Mode Bits")

1021/GAO - GPS Antenna Offset

- 8 bits [.....]
- · raw value

remark The value of this field is copied from the respective bits 33-40 of version 2 (as defined in I021/210) of 1090 ES BDS register 6,5 (Aircraft Operational Status)

I021/SGV - Surface Ground Vector

Extended item with first part 16 bits long and optional 8 bits extends.

I021/SGV/STP

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Aircraft has not stopped
 - 1: Aircraft has stopped

I021/SGV/HTS

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Heading/Ground Track data is not valid
 - 1: Heading/Ground Track data is valid

I021/SGV/HTT

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Heading data provided
 - 1: Ground Track provided

I021/SGV/HRD

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: True North
 - 1: Magnetic North

I021/SGV/GSS - Ground speed

- 11 bits [.....]
- unsigned quantity
- scaling factor: 1
- fractional bits: 3
- unit: "kts"
- LSB = $1/2^3$ kts = 1/8 kts ≈ 0.125 kts

(FX)

- extension bit
 - 0: End of data item
 - 1: Extension into next extent

IO21/SGV/HGT - Heading/Ground Track information

- 7 bits [.....]
- · unsigned quantity

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• scaling factor: 45
      • fractional bits: 4
      • unit: "deg"
      • LSB = 45/2^4 deg = 45/16 deg \approx 2.8125 deg
    (FX)

    extension bit

           0: End of data item
           1: Extension into next extent
I021/STA - Aircraft Status
Extended item with first part 8 bits long and optional 8 bits extends.
    I021/STA/ES
      • 1 bit [.]
      • values:
           0: Target is not 1090 ES IN capable
           1: Target is 1090 ES IN capable
    I021/STA/UAT
      • 1 bit [.]
      • values:
           0: Target is not UAT IN capable
           1: Target is UAT IN capable
    I021/STA/(spare)
      • 5 bits [.....]
    (FX)

    extension bit

           0: End of data item
           1: Extension into next extent
I021/TNH - True North Heading
  • 16 bits [.....]

    unsigned quantity

  • scaling factor: 360
  • fractional bits: 16
  • unit: "deg"
  • LSB = 360/2^{16} deg = 360/65536 deg \approx 0.0054931640625 deg
        remark Magnetic Heading is defined in I021/152.
I021/MES - Military Extended Squitter
Compound item (FX)
    IO21/MES/SUM - Mode 5 Summary
        I021/MES/SUM/M5
         • 1 bit [.]
         · values:
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- 0: No Mode 5 interrogation
- 1: Mode 5 interrogation

I021/MES/SUM/ID

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: No authenticated Mode 5 ID reply/report
 - 1: Authenticated Mode 5 ID reply/report

I021/MES/SUM/DA

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: No authenticated Mode 5 Data reply or Report
 - 1: Authenticated Mode 5 Data reply or Report (i.e any valid Mode 5 reply type other than ID)

I021/MES/SUM/M1

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Mode 1 code not present or not from Mode 5 reply/report
 - 1: Mode 1 code from Mode 5 reply/report.

I021/MES/SUM/M2

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Mode 2 code not present or not from Mode 5 reply/report
 - 1: Mode 2 code from Mode 5 reply/report.

I021/MES/SUM/M3

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: Mode 3 code not present or not from Mode 5 reply/report
 - 1: Mode 3 code from Mode 5 reply/report.

I021/MES/SUM/MC

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Flightlevel not present or not from Mode 5 reply/report
 - 1: Flightlevel from Mode 5 reply/report

I021/MES/SUM/PO

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Position not from Mode 5 report (ADS-B report)
 - 1: Position from Mode 5 report

remark Notes:

- 1. The flag M2 refers to the contents of Subfield #6 below, M3, MC refer to the contents of data items I021/070 and I021/145 respectively. The flag M1 refers to the contents of Subfield #3 below (Extended Mode 1 Code in Octal Representation).
- 2. If a Mode 5 reply/report is received with the Emergency bit set, then the Military Emergency bit (ME) in Data Item I021/200, Target Status, shall be set.
- 3. If a Mode 5 reply/report is received with the Identification of Position bit set, then the Special Position Identification bit (SPI) in Data Item I021/200, Target Status, shall be set.
- 4. If a Mode 5 report (ID or Data) is received and fullfill the autentication criteria the corresponding authentication bit shall be set.

IO21/MES/PNO - Mode 5 PIN /National Origin

I021/MES/PNO/(spare)

• 2 bits [...]

IO21/MES/PNO/PIN - PIN Code

- 14 bits [.....]
- raw value

I021/MES/PNO/(spare)

• 5 bits [.....]

IO21/MES/PNO/NO - National Origin Code

- 11 bits [.....]
- · raw value

IO21/MES/EM1 - Extended Mode 1 Code in Octal Representation

I021/MES/EM1/V

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Code validated
 - 1: Code not validated

I021/MES/EM1/(spare)

• 1 bit [.]

I021/MES/EM1/L

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Mode 1 code as derived from the report of the transponder
 - 1: Smoothed Mode 1 code as provided by a local tracker

I021/MES/EM1/(spare)

• 1 bit [.]

I021/MES/EM1/EM1 - Extended Mode 1 Code in Octal Representation

- 12 bits [.....]
- Octal string (3-bits per digit)

remark Notes:

- Subfield #1 is present, the M1 bit in Subfield #1 indicates whether the Extended Mode 1 Code is from a Mode 5 reply or a Mode 1 reply. If Subfield #1 is not present, the Extended Mode 1 Code is from a Mode 1 reply.
- If Subfield #3 is not present the Mode 1 Code was not reported or all Code Bits were equal to 0.
- The valid bit is set if the Code was only reported once for that target.

IO21/MES/XP - X Pulse Presence

I021/MES/XP/(spare)

• 2 bits [...]

IO21/MES/XP/XP - X-pulse from Mode 5 PIN reply/report

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: X-Pulse not present.
 - 1: X-pulse present.

I021/MES/XP/X5 - X-pulse from Mode 5 Data reply or Report.

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: X-pulse set to zero or no authenticated Data reply or Report received.
 - 1: X-pulse set to one (present).

IO21/MES/XP/XC - X-pulse from Mode C reply

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: X-pulse set to zero or no Mode C reply
 - 1: X-pulse set to one (present)

IO21/MES/XP/X3 - X-pulse from Mode 3/A reply

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: X-pulse set to zero or no Mode 3/A reply"
 - 1: X-pulse set to one (present)

IO21/MES/XP/X2 - X-pulse from Mode 2 reply

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: 0 X-pulse set to zero or no Mode 2 reply
 - 1: X-pulse set to one (present)

IO21/MES/XP/X1 - X-pulse from Mode 1 reply

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: X-pulse set to zero or no Mode 1 reply
 - 1: X-pulse set to one (present)

remark Within Mode 5 reports, the X-Pulse can be set for the following cases:

- 1. In a combined Mode 1 and Mode 2 report: in this case the X5 bit and the X2 bit shall be set;
- 2. In a combined Mode 3 and Mode C report: in this case the X5 bit and the X3 bit shall be set;
- 3. In a Mode 5 PIN data report: in this case the X5 bit and the XP bit shall be set. The X1 bit and the XC bit are meaningless as in Mode 1 and Mode C replies/reports the X Pulse is not defined. They are kept for compatibility reasons.

IO21/MES/FOM - Figure of Merit

I021/MES/FOM/(spare)

• 3 bits [...]

IO21/MES/FOM/FOM - Figure of Merit

- 5 bits [.....]
- · raw value

I021/MES/M2 - Mode 2 Code in Octal Representation

I021/MES/M2/V

- 1 bit [.]
- values:
 - 0: Code validated
 - 1: Code not validated

I021/MES/M2/(spare)

• 1 bit [.]

I021/MES/M2/L

- 1 bit [.]
- · values:
 - 0: Mode-2 code as derived from the reply of the transponder
 - 1: Smoothed Mode-2 code as provided by a local tracker

I021/MES/M2/(spare)

• 1 bit [.]

I021/MES/M2/ABCD - Mode 2 Code in Octal Representation

- 12 bits [.....]
- Octal string (3-bits per digit)

remark If Subfield 6 is not present the Mode 2 Code was no reported or all Code Bits were equal to 0.

remark Notes:

- The Reserved Expansion Field is optional. When used to transmit MES, it shall be sent when the targets are represented by Mode 5 Level 2 reports.
- The information contained in this data item is specific to 1090MHz Extended Squitter messages transmitted by military aircraft (Mode 5 Level 2 squitter).

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