



FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION



FLIGHT ADVISORY
GPS Testing
PAXR GPS 11-04
April 21, 2011 – May 27, 2011
Patuxent River, MD

GPS testing scheduled as follows may result in unreliable or unavailable GPS signal.

A. Location: Centered at 381542N/0762602W or the PXT VOR 225.3 degree radial at 2.2NM.

B. Dates and times:

21 APR – 22 APR	1300Z – 2200Z
25 APR – 29 APR	1300Z – 2200Z
02 MAY – 06 MAY	1300Z – 2200Z
09 MAY – 13 MAY	1300Z – 2200Z
16 MAY – 20 MAY	1300Z – 2200Z
23 MAY – 27 MAY	1300Z – 2200Z

C. Duration: Tests may be conducted continuously during the requested periods.

D. During testing, the GPS signal may be unreliable or unavailable within a 15NMR centered at 381542N/0762602W or the PXT VOR 225.3 degree radial at 2.2NM at and below FL400.

E. Pilots are strongly encouraged to report anomalies during testing to the appropriate ARTCC to assist in the determination of the extent of GPS degradation during tests.

The NOTAMs discussed in this advisory may change with little or no notice. Pilots are advised to check NOTAMs frequently for possible changes prior to operations in the area. NOTAMs will be published at least 24 hours in advance of any GPS tests.

