



FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION



FLIGHT ADVISORY
GPS Testing
NAFC GPS 12-02
March 3, 2012 – March 16, 2012
Beatty, NV

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

A. Location: Centered at 372941N/1161219W or the BTY VOR 31.7 degree radial at 49NM.

B. Dates and times:

03 MAR 12	0430Z - 0930Z	
05 MAR 12	2115Z – 2300Z	
06 – 09 MAR 12	0430Z – 0930Z	2115Z – 2300Z
13 – 16 MAR 12	0330Z – 0830Z	

C. Duration: Each event may last the entire requested period.

D. During testing, the GPS signal may be unreliable or unavailable within a 498NMR centered at 372941N/1161219W or the BTY VOR 31.7 degree radial at 49 NM at FL400 and above, decreasing in area with decrease in altitude to 451NMR at FL250, 371NMR at 10,000 FT MSL, 344NMR at 4,000 FT AGL and 279NMR at 50 FT AGL.

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.

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INTERFERENCE TESTING**

