



FEDERAL AVIATION ADMINISTRATION



FLIGHT ADVISORY
GPS Testing
NAFC GPS 13 – 16
14 – 31 August, 2013
Beatty, NV

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

A. Location: Centered at 373718N/1155946W or the BTY VORTAC 036 degree radial at 61NM.

B. Dates and times:

14-31 AUG 13 0300Z - 1230Z

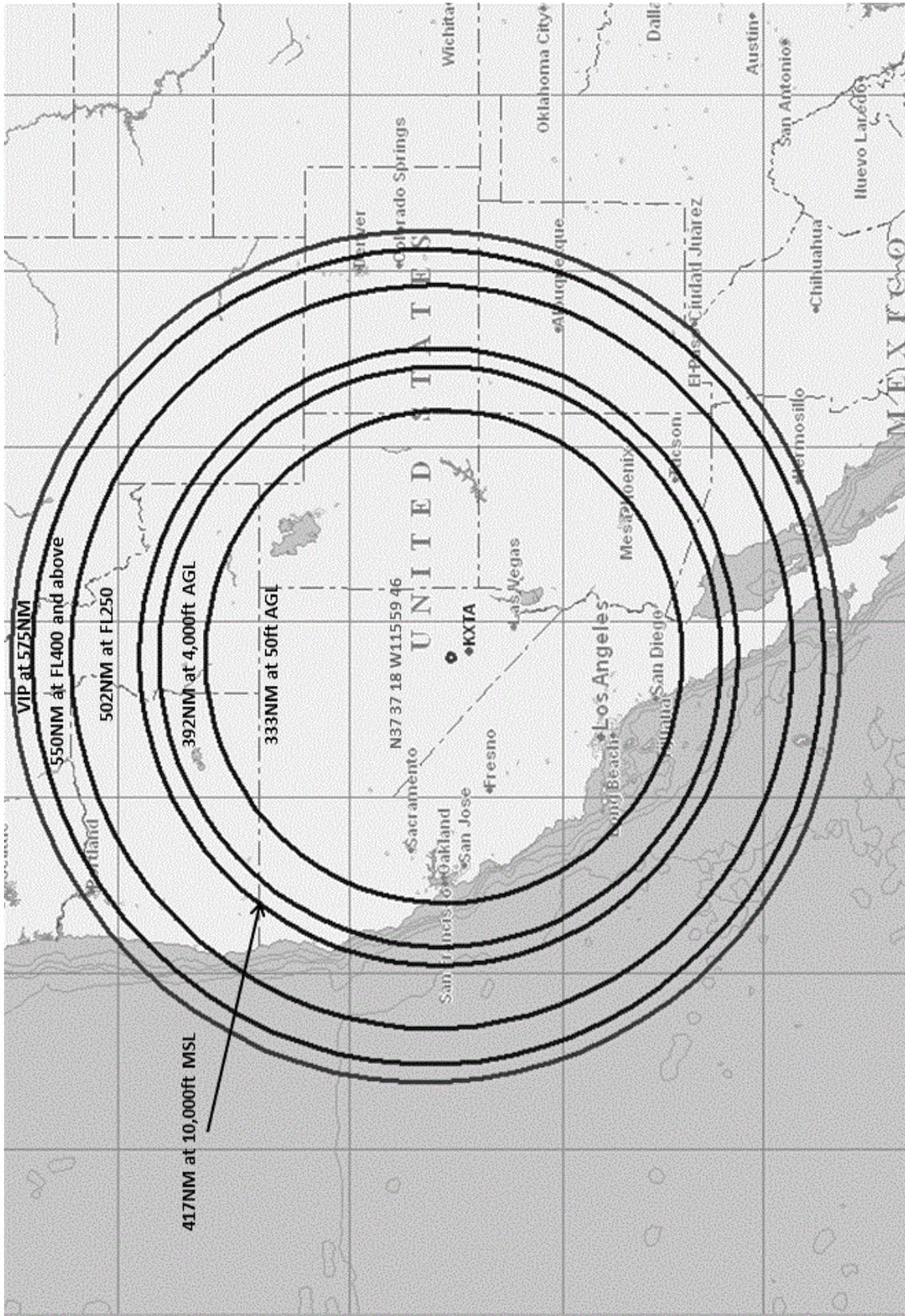
C. Duration: Each event may last the entire requested period.

D. During testing, the GPS signal may be unreliable or unavailable within a radius of 550NM and centered at 373718N/1155946W or the location also known as the Beatty, NV VORTAC (BTY) 036 degree radial at 61NM at FL400 and above; decreasing in area with a decrease in altitude to a radius of 502NM at FL250; a radius of 417NM at 10,000ft MSL; a radius of 392NM at 4,000ft AGL; and a radius of 333NM at 50ft AGL.

THE IMPACT AREA ALSO EXTENDS INTO THE MEXICAN FIR.

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 time periods discussed in this advisory may be reduced or cancelled 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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GPS INTERFERENCE TESTING