

FAQs:

Safety and Situational Awareness, Automatic Dependent Surveillance — Light (ADS-L)

Question:

Will ADS-L be visible to other airspace users, such as commercial airliners or military aircraft?

Answer:

It is not expected that certified avionics for commercial aircraft will support ADS-L in the near future. However, EASA is working on promoting the use of ADS-L also for ATM use cases such as improving air traffic controllers' situational awareness in complex airspaces. The visibility of ADS-L to controllers and other airspace users will enhance safety and reduce the risk of collisions.

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