



# **GLONASS Status and Modernization Plans**

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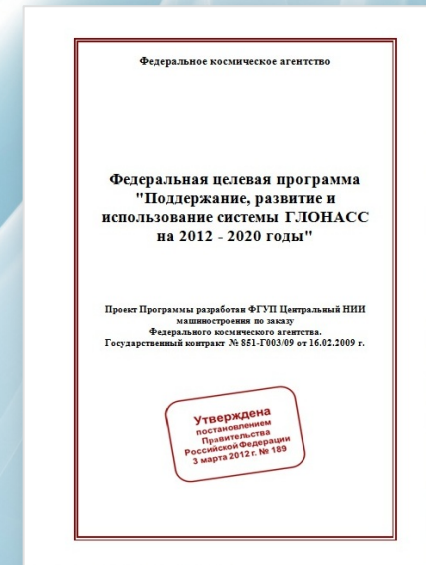


# Government Policy

## The Presidential Decree № 638 of May, 17, 2007

“On Use of GLONASS (Global Navigation Satellite System) for the Benefit of Social and Economic Development of the Russian Federation”

- GLONASS is the **core element of the national PNT infrastructure** ensuring national security and economic development
- PNT infrastructure sustainment and development are **Government’s function**
- GLONASS civil services are **free and unlimited** globally
- **Mandatory use** of GLONASS for government applications and critical industries
- **GLONASS Federal Program** is the instrument for implementing national policy in PNT
- **GLONASS Federal Program 2012-2020**
  - Budget for 9 years secured
  - Most contracts awarded



**Federal GLONASS Program is a basis for Russian Policy in PNT**





## **GLONASS Federal Program Goals**

- **Improving system performance in terms of accuracy and integrity**
- **Ensuring guaranteed positioning, navigation and timing solutions in restricted visibility, interference and jamming conditions**
- **Enhancing current application efficiency and broadening application domains**

**Key Quality Indicator of Program – guaranteed provision of announced GLONASS performance characteristics**



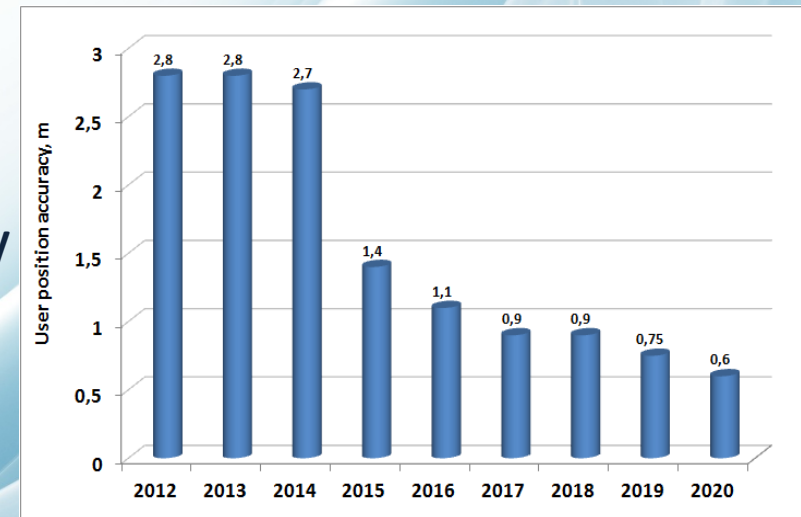
# Performance Improvement Plan

## ❖ Four-fold accuracy improvement

*by means of*

- ground control segment modernization
- introduction of new onboard atomic frequency standards (2 CAFs + 2 RAFs)
- introduction of advanced satellite control and command, orbit and clock determination technologies based on crosslinks in RF and optical bands
- transition to PZ-90.11 Geodetic System aligned to ITRF with mm level
- synchronization of GLONASS Time Scale with UTC(SU) at less than 2ns while keeping UTC(SU) long-term stability at  $10^{-17}$

SIS User Positioning Accuracy, m



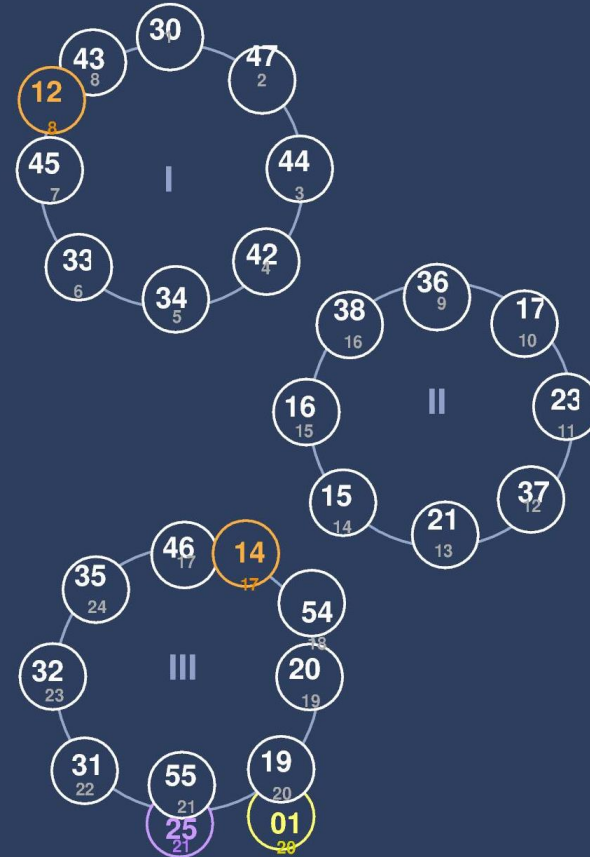


# GLONASS Orbital Constellation Status

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## Orbital Constellation and Satellite Status

In total	28
Glonass-M	27
Glonass-K	1
Used for navigation	24
On maintenance	0
Orbital spares	2
In-orbit flight test	1
In commissioning phase	0
Prime Contractor Check	1



The constellation provides global continuous navigation

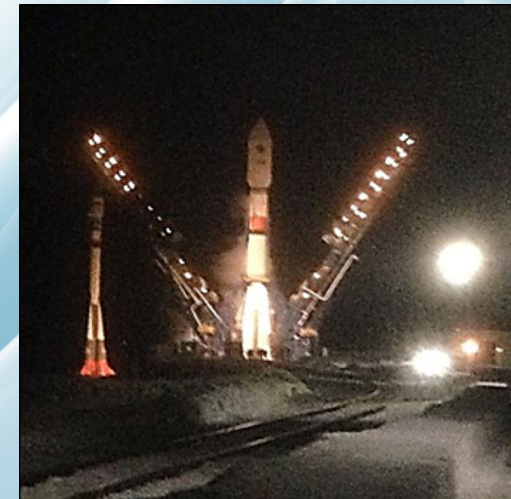




## Latest Launches and Short-term Sustainment

- **1 Glonass-M (#54) launched March 24, 2014**
- **1 Glonass-M (#55) launched June 14, 2014**
- **2015-2016 – up to 9 Glonass-M launches**
- **Further launches by Soyuz or Proton will be determined by operational necessity**
  - **triple launch planned for the beginning of 2015**
- **1 Glonass-K in ground storage to be launched in the end of 2014**

Glonass-M # 54 launch





# GLONASS Architecture

## Fundamental segment

UTC (SU), Earth Rotation  
Model and parameters,  
reference systems

## Space Complex

MEO orbit constellation  
Ground control  
Launch facilities

## Augmentations

Space-based systems

- High accuracy
- Integrity

Regional and local  
differential systems for  
transport and geodesy

## User Capabilities

Integrated user equipment (communication, inertial sensors and other sources of navigation information)





# Space Segment Modernization



*Glonass-M*





*Glonass-K*

- increase of guaranteed life-time
- evolution of satellite service systems
- more stable on-board clocks
- new control, command and ODTS technologies
- introduction of SAR payload
- new signals

**Phased build-up of capabilities**



# GLONASS Signal Implementation Plan

Satellite	FDMA Signals		CDMA Signals		
	L1	L2	L1	L2	L3
 <b>Glonass-M</b>	L1OF L1SF	L2OF L2SF	-	-	L3OC (2014+) 7 SVs
 <b>Glonass-K</b>	L1OF L1SF	L2OF L2SF			L3OC
<b>Modernized Glonass-K</b>	L1OF L1SF	L2OF L2SF	L1OC L1SC	L2OC L2SC	L3OC



# System of Differential Correction and Monitoring (SDCM)

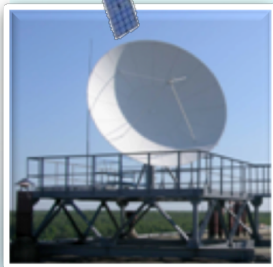
## Objectives

- SBAS L1 full coverage over Russian territory by 2016
- SBAS L1 dual coverage and L5 service in the central part of Russia by 2018
- SDCM SBAS service certification by 2019
- Precise point positioning service through signals from GEO in GLONASS bands

## System Architecture

### Broadcasting channels

- ✓ 3 L1 GEO
- ✓ 1 L1/L5 GEO
- ✓ SiSnet server



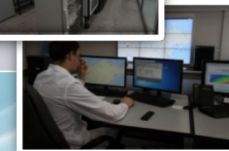
### RIMS network

- ✓ 46 stations in Russia
- ✓ up to 8 stations abroad



### Processing Facilities

- ✓ Main (Moscow)
- ✓ 2 Regional



## Constellation Status

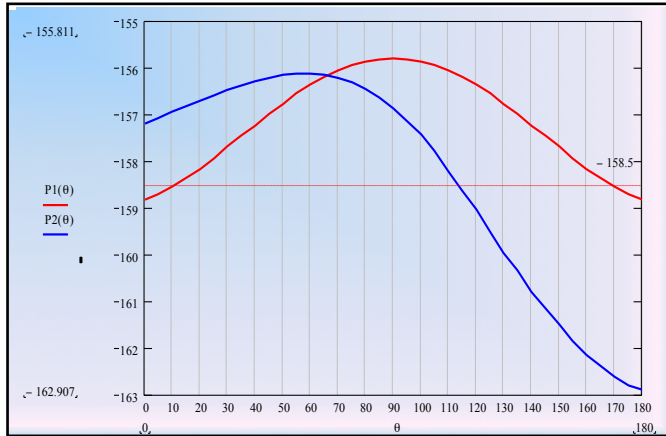
- Luch-5A launched at 16° W on December 11, 2011
- Luch-5B launched at 167° E on November 3, 2012
- Luch-5V launched at 95° E on April 28, 2014



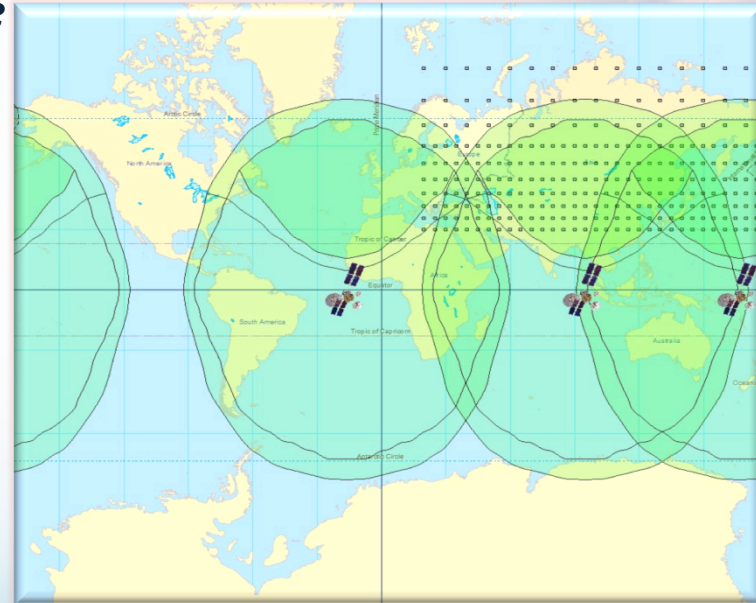


# SDCM Performance

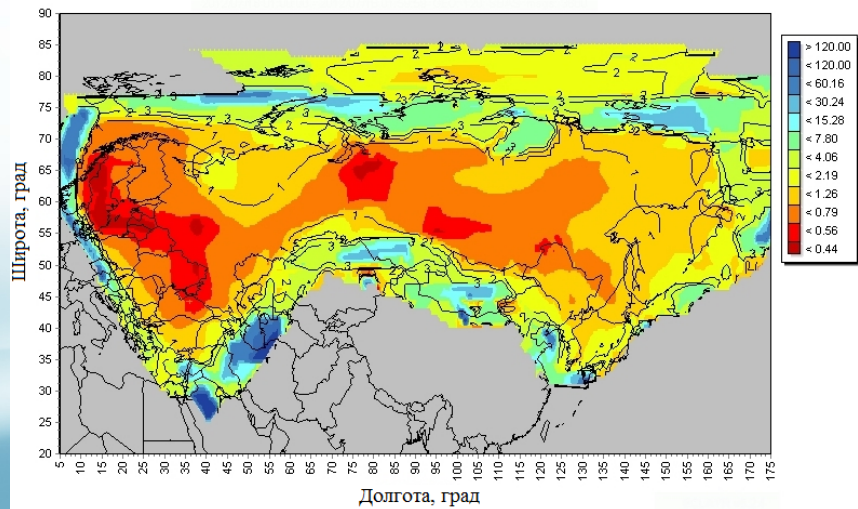
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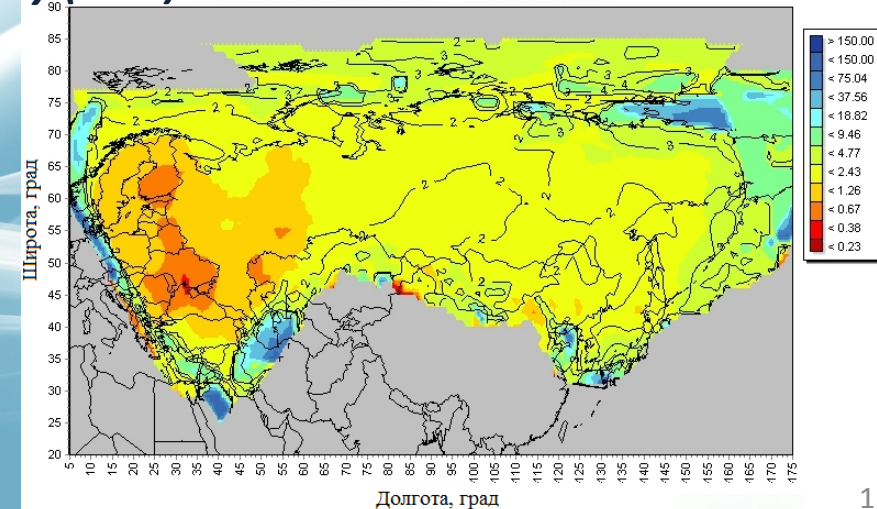
- Q - elevation angle
- P1 (Q) - SDCM signal level at the surface (direct beam)
- P2 (Q) - SDCM signal level at the surface (7 deg to the north)



## Accuracy (0.95)



Plane



Height



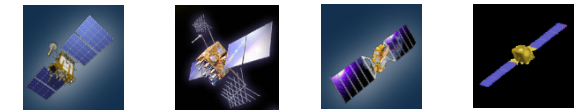
# Global Precise Positioning System Architecture

## BROADCASTING FACILITY

### Objectives:

- Global Precise Point Positioning service (real time)
- Precise Orbit and Clock generation (real-time and post-processed)

## GNSS CONSTELLATION





# International Cooperation

## International Cooperation on GNSS

**Provision of  
Compatibility and  
Interoperability of  
GLONASS with other  
GNSS**

**Promoting Global Use  
of GLONASS**

**Pursuing  
competitiveness of  
GLONASS  
Enhancing System  
Performance**





# Bilateral Cooperation

## China

- 13 October 2014 – Signing Memorandum of Understanding
- Committee on Strategic Projects on Satellite Navigation
- Deployment of monitoring stations on mutual basis

## Brazil

- Deployment of GLONASS tracking stations

## USA

- 9 June 2012 - Renewed Statement of Cooperation between GLONASS and GPS

## EU

- Consultations on Agreement on Cooperation in Satellite Navigation



# Summary

- **GLONASS Program is among priorities of the Russian Government Policy**
- **GLONASS open service is free for all users**
- **GLONASS Program (2002-2011) completed, goal achieved**
  - Performance is comparable with GPS
  - Full constellation (24 sats) deployed
- **New GLONASS Program (2012 – 2020) approved 3 March 2012**
  - Government commitments for major performance characteristics
  - GLONASS sustainment, development, use
- **GLONASS will continue**
  - Keep the GLONASS traditional frequency bands
  - Transmit existing FDMA signals
  - Introduce new CDMA signals
- **International cooperation aims at making GLONASS one of the essential elements of the international GNSS infrastructure for worldwide user benefits**



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