

# Monitoring, Reporting and Verification guidelines for the inclusion of aviation in the EU-ETS

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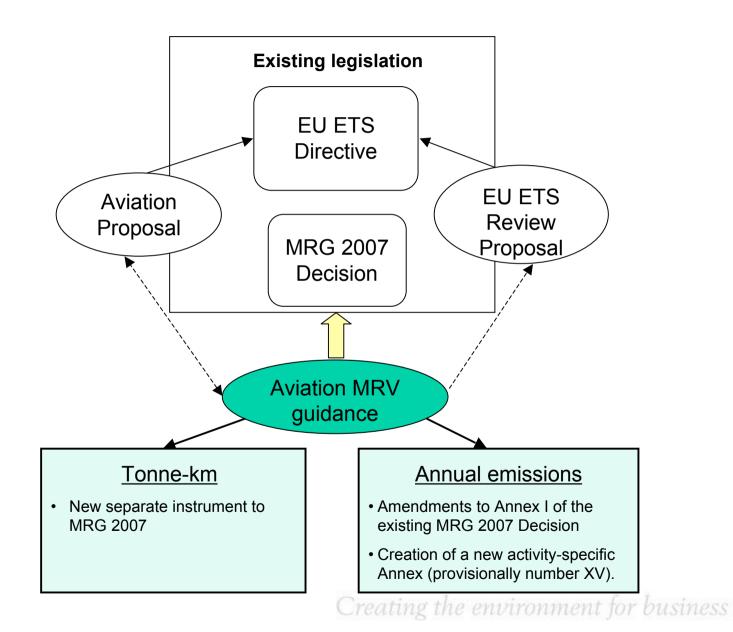
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General issues in MRV for the aviation sector

Monitoring and Reporting tonne km data

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## **Aviation MRV framework**



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# **Aviation MRV framework**

		What?	Why?	When?				
Ton data	ne-km	Distance (km) x Payload (tonnes)	Application of free allowances	Once before each trading period (+ application for special reserve)				
Ann emis	ual ssions	Fuel consumption (TJ) X Emission factor (tCO2/TJ)	Compliance	Annually				



# Calendar for compliance: Tonne-km

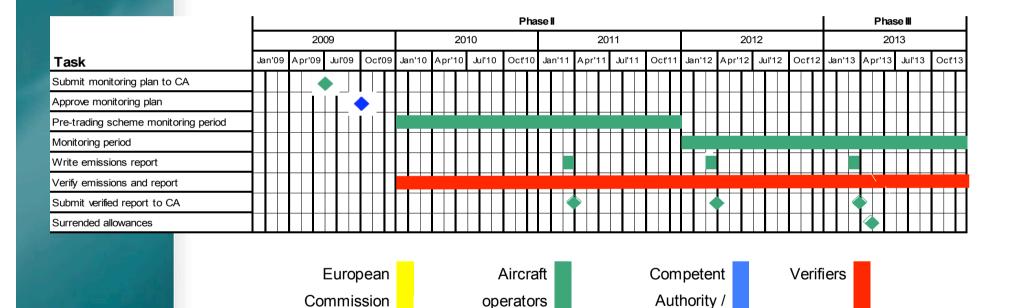
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Publish list of aircraft operators	$\diamond$																				
Submit monitoring plan																					
Obtain monitoring plan approval																					
Monitoring period																					
Write tonne-kilom etre report																					
Verify data																					
Submit verified data to CA																					
Submit applications to EC																					
Calculate allocation benchmark											4	$\diamond$									
Publish allowance allocations																					
Issue allowances																					

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 Aircraft
 Competent
 Verifiers

 Commission
 operators
 Authority /
 Member States

# Calendar for compliance: Annual emissions



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Member States

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# **Existing MRG framework**

#### **Monitoring and Reporting Principles**

- Completeness: All process and combustion emissions from all emission sources and source streams covered by Directive 2003/87/EC, while avoiding double counting
- Consistency: Monitored and reported emissions shall be comparable over time. The methodology can be changed if it increases accuracy, subject of approval of the Competent Authority.
- Transparency: Monitoring data, including assumptions, reference, activity data, emission factors, oxidation factors and conversion factors shall allow verifier and CA to reproduce the determination of emissions.
- Trueness: Identify and reduce sources of uncertainties as far as practicable. All metering or testing equipment shall be appropriately applied, maintained and calibrated and checked.
- Cost effectiveness: Balance between accuracy and costs: aim at the highest accuracy unless it is technically not feasible.
- Faithfulness: of the verified emissions report
- Improvement of performance in monitoring and reporting emissions

#### Key issues for discussion: General issues

#### Responsibility of emissions

- Key issues
  - Completeness
  - Avoid duplication
- Key questions
  - ICAO or AOC designators?

#### Eligibility for the Special Reserve

- Key issues
  - Eligibility if new or additional activity are not in whole or in part a continuation of an activity performed by another aircraft operator
- Key questions
  - How to monitor eligibility for high-growth operators?



# Key issues for discussion: Monitoring and reporting tonne-km data

#### T-km= Distance x payload

#### Key issues:

- Level playing field for all operators
- Avoid gaming
- Simplicity and cost-effectiveness
- Accuracy

#### Key questions:

- How to ensure consistency of methods among different aircraft operators?
- How to avoid under-over estimation of activity data by restricting available options?
- How to use existing procedures for measuring tonnekm to minimise cost for operators?



# Key issues for discussion: Monitoring and reporting annual emissions

#### tCO<sub>2</sub>= Fuel consumption x EF

#### • Key issues:

- Level playing field for all operators
- Consistency with the existing MRG framework
- Simplicity and cost-effectiveness
- Accuracy

#### Key questions:

- How to balance simplicity and accuracy?
- How to ensure minimum uncertainty?
- Will aircraft operators be able to adapt to new information requirements of fuel consumption at the same pace?





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