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### **EU GALILEO GNSS**

**Action required: Members are to note the information provided by the European Union Agency for the Space Programme (EUSPA) regarding the Global Navigation Satellite System (GNSS) Galileo.**

The information provided in the PowerPoint comes after the ICS secretariat had a meeting with EUSPA regarding Galileo and its uses in the maritime sphere.

In particular, members are to note the system is fully operational of January 2021 and multi-signal receivers are available.

The secretariat continues work on recognition of additional GNSS systems through the IMO and will update members accordingly.

Please find the PowerPoint on Galileo from EUSPA attached at **Annex A**.

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# Galileo in Maritime

Teleconference with ICS - 30th June 2021

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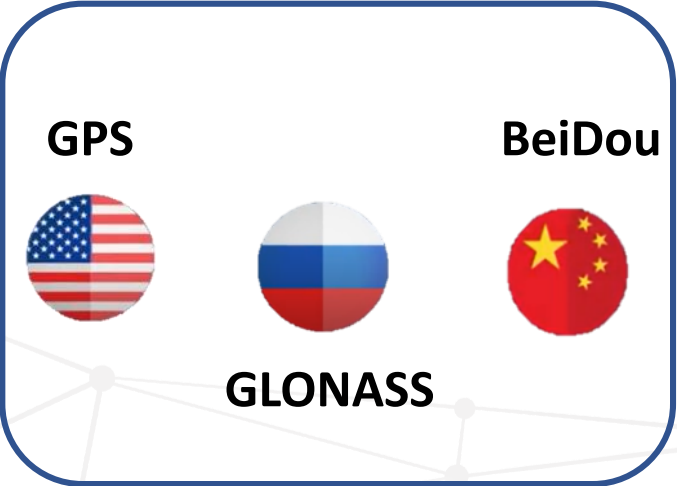
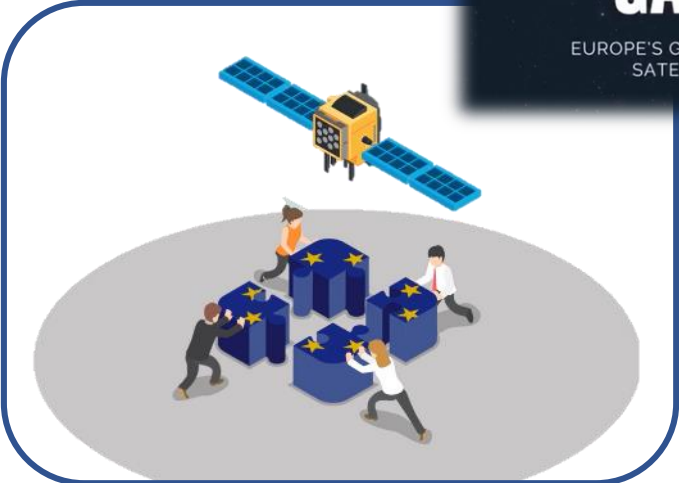
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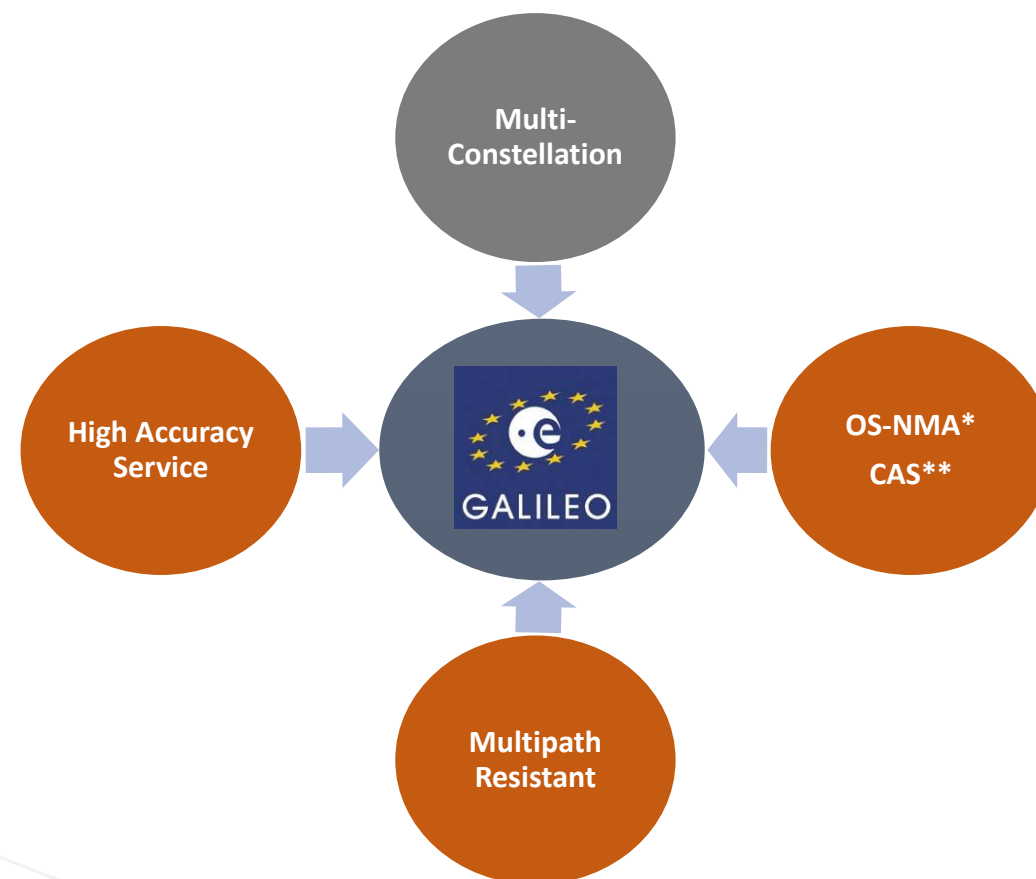
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# Galileo Introduction



# Galileo Introduction

- Galileo is the European global satellite-based navigation system (GNSS)
- Worldwide navigation system **“made in EU” under civilian control**
- Fully **interoperable** with other GNSS constellations
- Open service **free of charge**, delivering multiple frequencies
- Modern signal is more **resistant to multipath**
- Only constellation that provides **Signal and data authentication**, offering trustability for civilians
- Global **high-accuracy** service for free, delivering down to 20 cm accuracy



○ Galileo differentiators

○ Galileo + other GNSS



# Galileo Services

**Freely accessible** service for positioning, timing and **navigation message authentication**

Encrypted service for registered users designed for greater robustness and higher availability

Assists locating people in distress and confirms that help is on the way

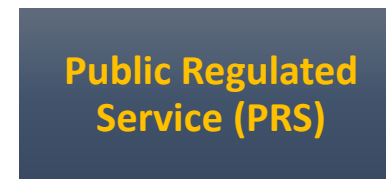
Freely accessible global **high accuracy positioning** service

Authentication service based on the E6 signal code encryption and OS-NMA, allowing for increased robustness of professional applications



## Open Service (OS)

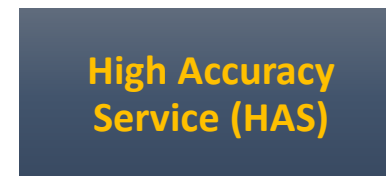
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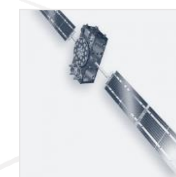
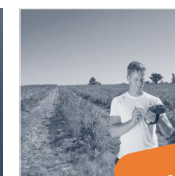
## Public Regulated Service (PRS)



## Search and Rescue Service (SAR)



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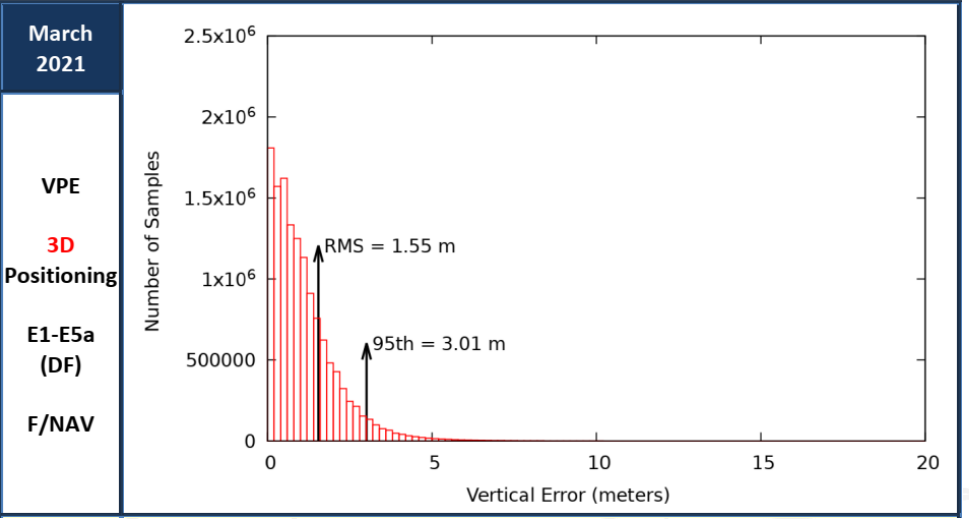
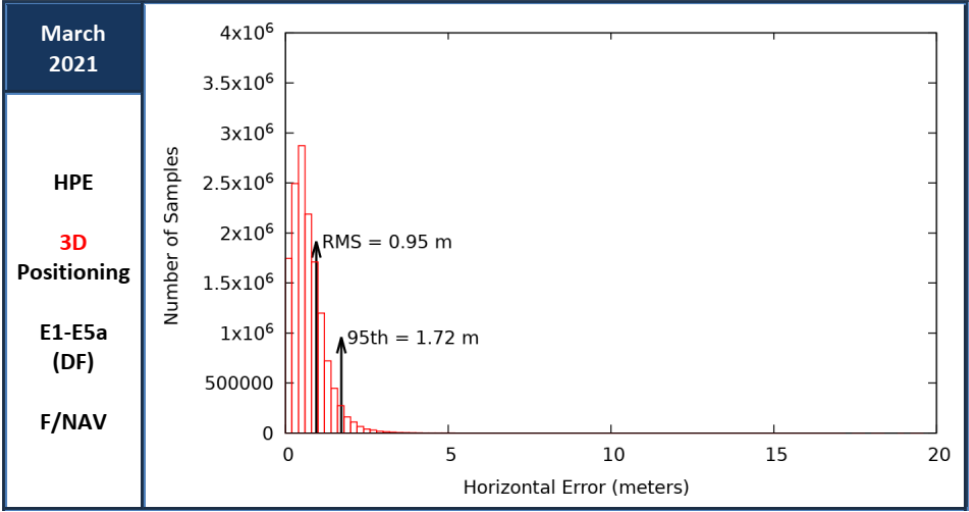
## Commercial Authentication Service (CAS)

New services on the horizon

# Galileo OS Accuracy



EUROPEAN GNSS (GALILEO) SERVICES  
**OPEN SERVICE**  
 QUARTERLY PERFORMANCE REPORT  
 JANUARY - MARCH 2021





# Galileo Navigation Message Authentication (OS NMA)

**Galileo OS-NMA** is a new public and free of charge **antispoofing service** within Galileo that:

- will authenticate the Galileo data using the navigation message
- will allow to detect spoofing attacks
- will be free of charge to Galileo Users

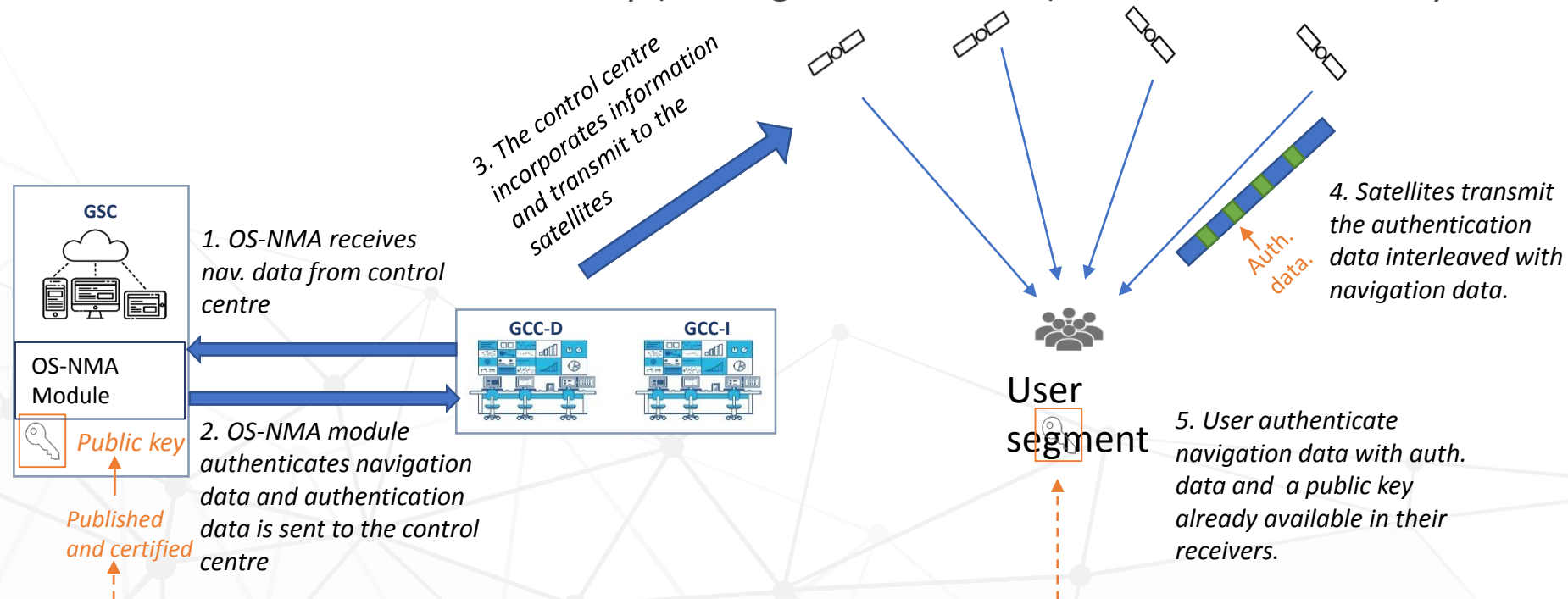
This mechanism provides users with an additional safety layer to trust the Galileo signals.

Initial OS-NMA Signal-in-Space transmission in test mode started in 2021 while service provision is planned for 2022.

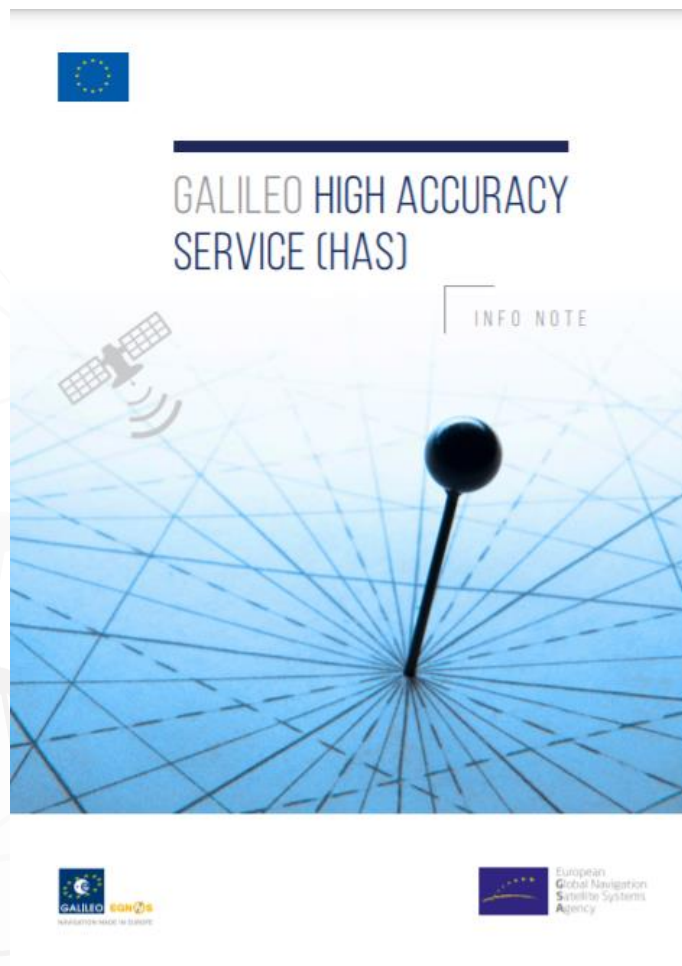
# Galileo Navigation Message Authentication (OS NMA)

Galileo OS-NMA is based on:

- 1) the publication of public keys, to be stored in GNSS receivers, allowing the authentication of the Signal In Space E1 I/NAV data through a hybrid symmetric/asymmetric scheme; and
- 2) the transmission of data to authenticate the Galileo OS navigation message (e.g. Digital Signatures, Message Authentication Codes and associated Keys) through the E1 I/NAV (20 bits in E1-B currently unused)



# Galileo High Accuracy Service



- The **Galileo** High Accuracy Service (**HAS**) will provide free of charge **high accuracy Precise Point Positioning (PPP)** corrections through the Galileo signal (E6-B) and by terrestrial means (Internet).
- **Galileo HAS** will offer real-time improved user positioning performances with accuracy less than **20 cm** (in nominal conditions).

Galileo will be the first constellation able to provide such High Accuracy Service Globally

# Galileo HAS

- **HAS** will be based on the provision of accurate satellite data (clocks, orbits and biases) and atmospheric data (for Europe) to enable PPP
- **HAS** PPP corrections data will be transmitted through an open format in the Galileo E6B signal, using 448 bits per satellite per second (also, planned to be available through auxiliary channels)
- The format is based on RTCM-CSSR (Compact State-Space Representation messages) adapted to the Galileo E6B channel
- Multi-constellation (at least Galileo + GPS)
- Enabling GLOBAL Positioning with **Accuracies < 20 cm (H) / 40 cm (V)**
- Improved Convergence for the Regional Service in Europe

# Galileo HAS in Maritime & IWW



## MARITIME & INLAND WATERWAYS

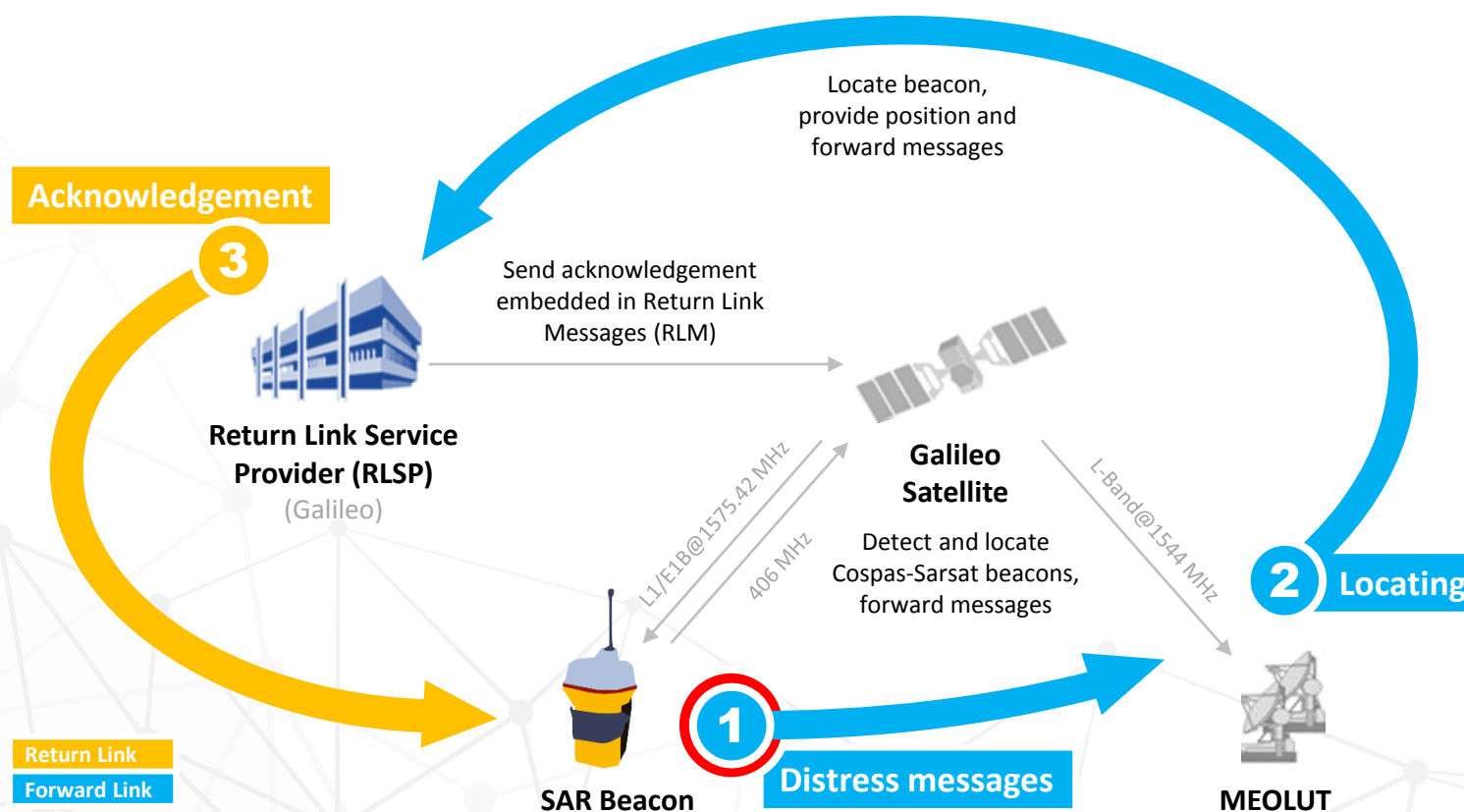
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- PILOTAGE OPERATIONS IN PORTS
- PILOTAGE OPERATIONS IN IWW
- PORT OPERATIONS
- PORT BATHYMETRY
- RIVERBED SURVEY
- COASTAL SEABED SURVEY
- OFFSHORE SUPPLY VESSELS WITH DYNAMIC POSITIONING
- PORT TERMINAL CRANES AND STRADDLE CARRIERS NAVIGATION
- AUTONOMOUS SURFACE VESSELS

Waterborne transportation (passengers and cargo) and engineering operations will benefit in terms of efficiency and safety thanks to the increased level of accuracy provided by the HAS, especially in those applications where the cost of a three-frequency receiver and antenna is negligible in comparison with the savings in operational costs.



# Galileo Search And Rescue (SAR)

## SAR/Galileo Forward Link and Return Link (FL/RL)



SAR – Search and Rescue,  
MEOLUT – Medium Earth Orbit Local User Terminal

The SAR/Galileo **Forward Link** detects and locates people in distress and makes their position known to Rescue Coordination Centres worldwide. The **Return Link** Service provides an automatic confirmation to the beacon **acknowledging** that the localisation of the alert has been confirmed by the Cospas-Sarsat system.

1. Activated beacon sends **distress alert messages**
2. Messages are detected and beacon is **located** by Galileo
3. Receipt of distress messages is **acknowledged**

# Galileo Search And Rescue (SAR)

## First Galileo Return Link SAR beacons



First shipment 1<sup>st</sup> March 2021

### Orolia

- First Worldwide provider of distress beacons with Galileo
- Investment to consolidate positioning in global market



# Galileo User Segment



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**Constellation Information**

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Constellation Status

Satellite Name <sup>1</sup>	SV ID <sup>2</sup>	Clock <sup>3</sup>	Status <sup>4</sup>	Active NAGU <sup>5</sup>	NAGU Type <sup>6</sup>	NAGU Subject <sup>7</sup>
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Estimated number of Galileo enabled smartphones sold until today.




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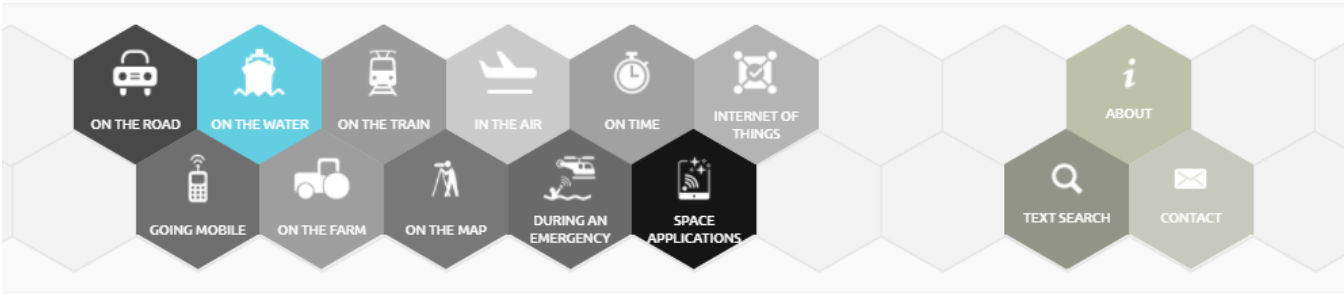


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## On The Water

JSON XML

Officially recognised by the International Maritime Organisation as part of its Worldwide Radio Navigation System, Galileo plays an important role in maritime navigation. Whether at sea, in a busy port or moving through a narrow canal, Galileo helps ensure safer navigation on the water.  
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### Maritime navigation application

- Recreational vessels
- Merchant marine
- Inland waterways
- Fishing vessels
- Work boats
- Portable pilot units
- Marine engineering

### SAR beacons

- EPIRB devices
- PLB devices
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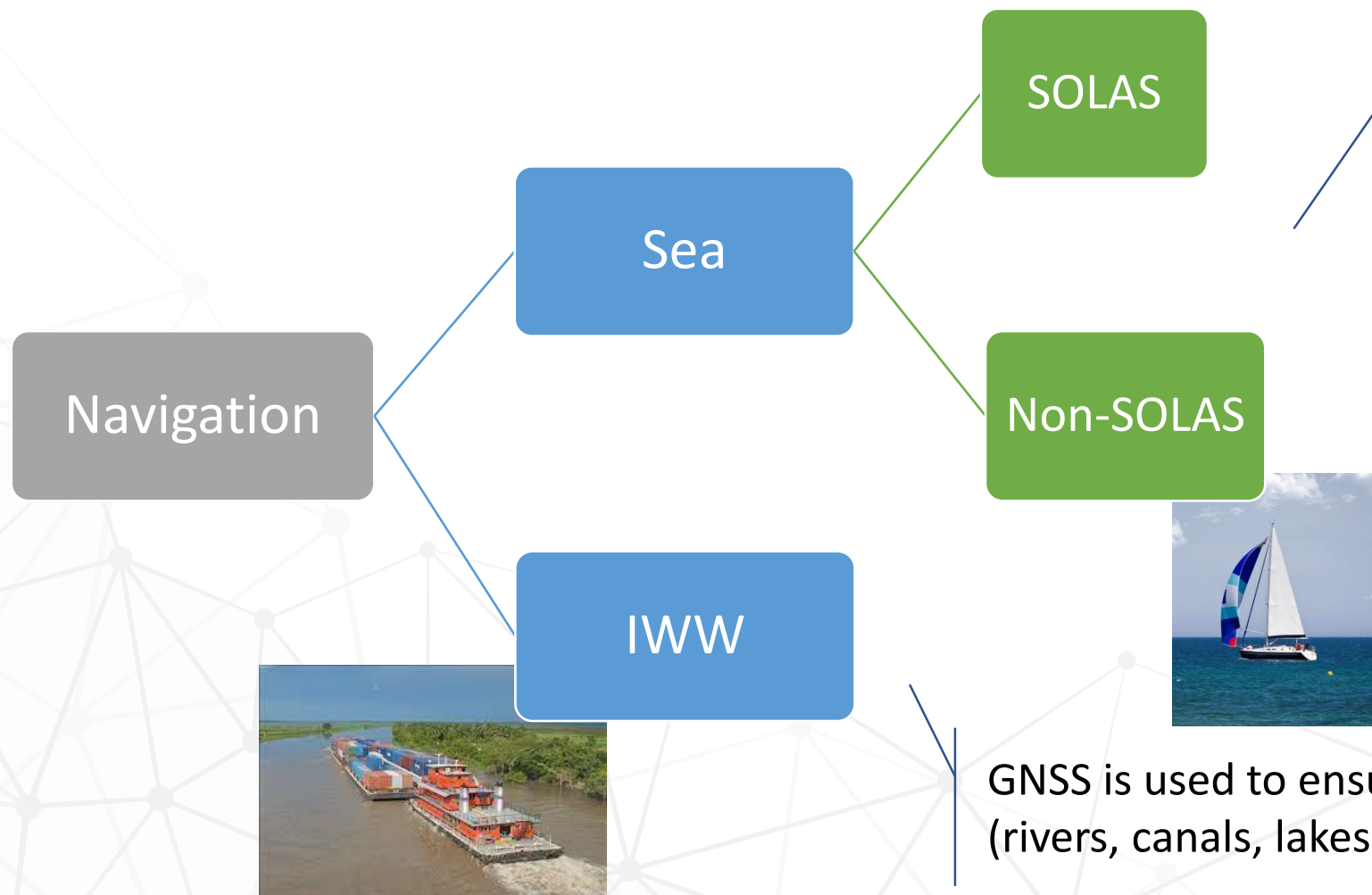


# Galileo in Maritime

- The Maritime community is one of the first communities to use GNSS systems
- Regulated vessels (SOLAS) equipped with GNSS receivers
- **Galileo was officially recognised by IMO as part of its Worldwide Radio Navigation Systems (WWRNS) in 2016.**
- Galileo plays an important role in maritime navigation. Whether at sea, in a busy port or moving through a narrow canal, Galileo helps ensure safer navigation on the water.
- Galileo enables many other positioning applications: surveillance, fishing vessels monitoring, port operations, search and rescue, marine engineering.



# Applications

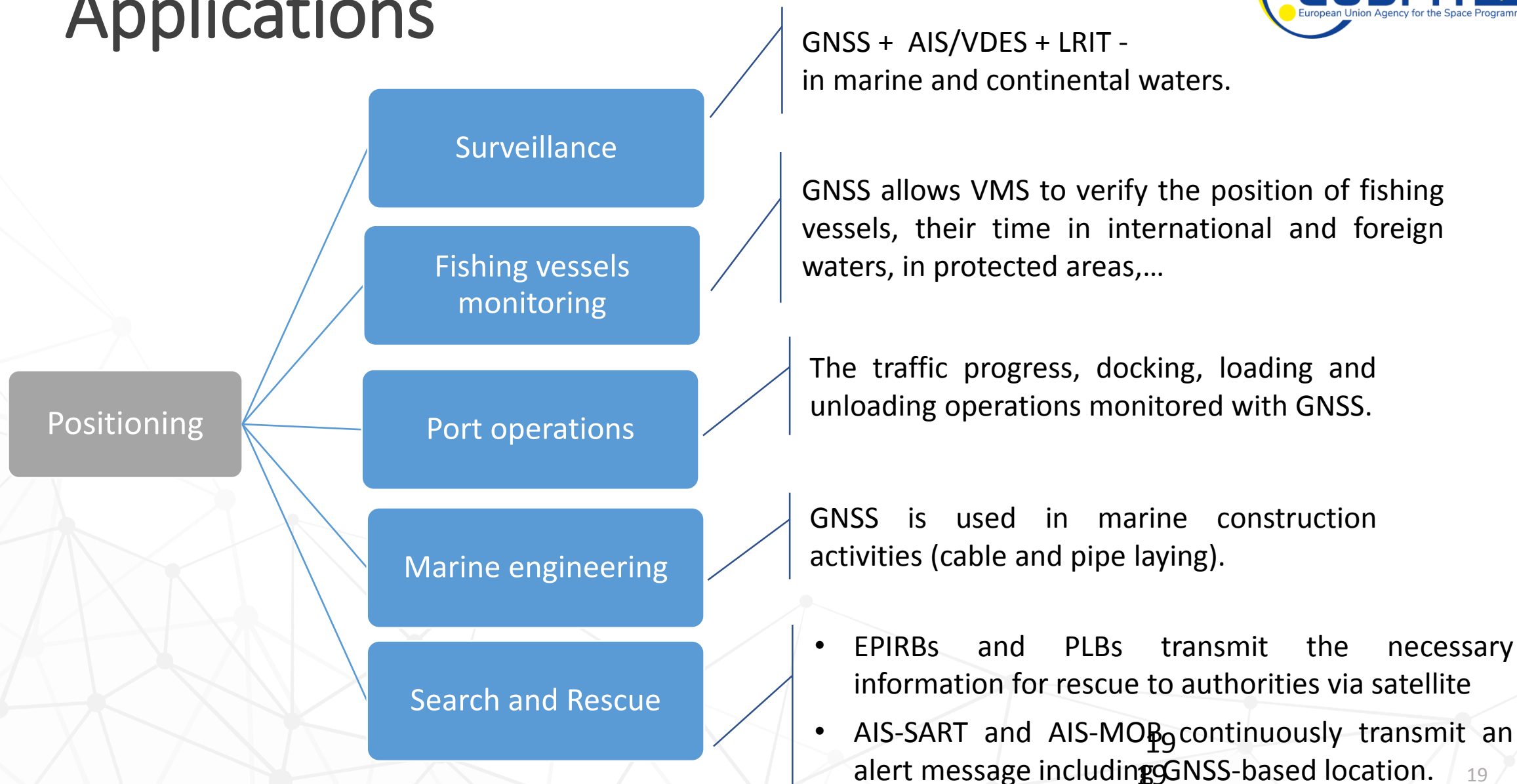


GNSS is the main source of positioning in maritime navigation

- SOLAS: passenger or cargo ships over 500 tons are regulated and use GNSS to navigate (at least 3 devices).
- Non-SOLAS: use of GNSS is very widespread not only in commercial vessels, but also in recreational ones. They are used both abroad and in high traffic areas.

GNSS is used to ensure safe navigation on inland waterways (rivers, canals, lakes and estuaries).

# Applications



# EGNSS demand increases to enable new applications and resilient Maritime Navigation

## Availability

Enhanced **performance** in challenging environments, thanks to more satellites in view

## Accuracy

Increased **accuracy** thanks to Dual Frequency and High Accuracy Service

## Integrity

## Authentication

Increased **safety and security** thanks to integrity and Galileo Authentication



High accuracy, authentication and integrity for future **Autonomous vessels**



Galileo Search and Rescue for **Vessels in distress**



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