

AIRPORT CORNER

To support the effective management of the European ATM network, the Network Manager (NM) regularly captures airports information through its planning and operational processes. To enable airports to provide information in an efficient and harmonised manner, NM provides the Airport Corner service, an airport focused data repository supported by a secure web application enabling information provision from European airports to NM at any time.

The underlying process facilitates collaboration between the local ANSP and Airport Operators resulting in a “coordinated airport view”. The information scope covers a wide range of information from strategic, pre-tactical, tactical operations to post-operations and enables real time sharing between airports, NM and airlines, providing customizable subscription services and making the information available via a number of dedicated interfaces.

Airport corner for airlines

Since 2018, a dedicated interface for airlines has been available. The information contained in the Airport Corner for Airlines can add value in strategic, pre-tactical and tactical airline operations’ planning by:

- providing early situational awareness of the status of both destination and alternate airports, triggering early coordination and making for improved business decisions;
- providing background information which complements other sources, such as AIP SUPs and NOTAMs;
- providing information which is currently not available in the AIPs;
- providing information on medium and long-term airport plans. This helps airlines with their strategic decision-making (e.g. capacity vs traffic forecast; future infrastructure improvements, etc.);
- improving predictability and resource planning;
- facilitating the coordination in a diversion situation (airport-NM-airlines);
- providing post-operational analyses on events, which had a major impact on operations helping in responding to customer, claims (EC regulation 261/2004).

For more information:

<https://www.eurocontrol.int/tool/airport-corner>