



Oil Platform Ground Station Inspections

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Ground Station Inspections for oil platforms



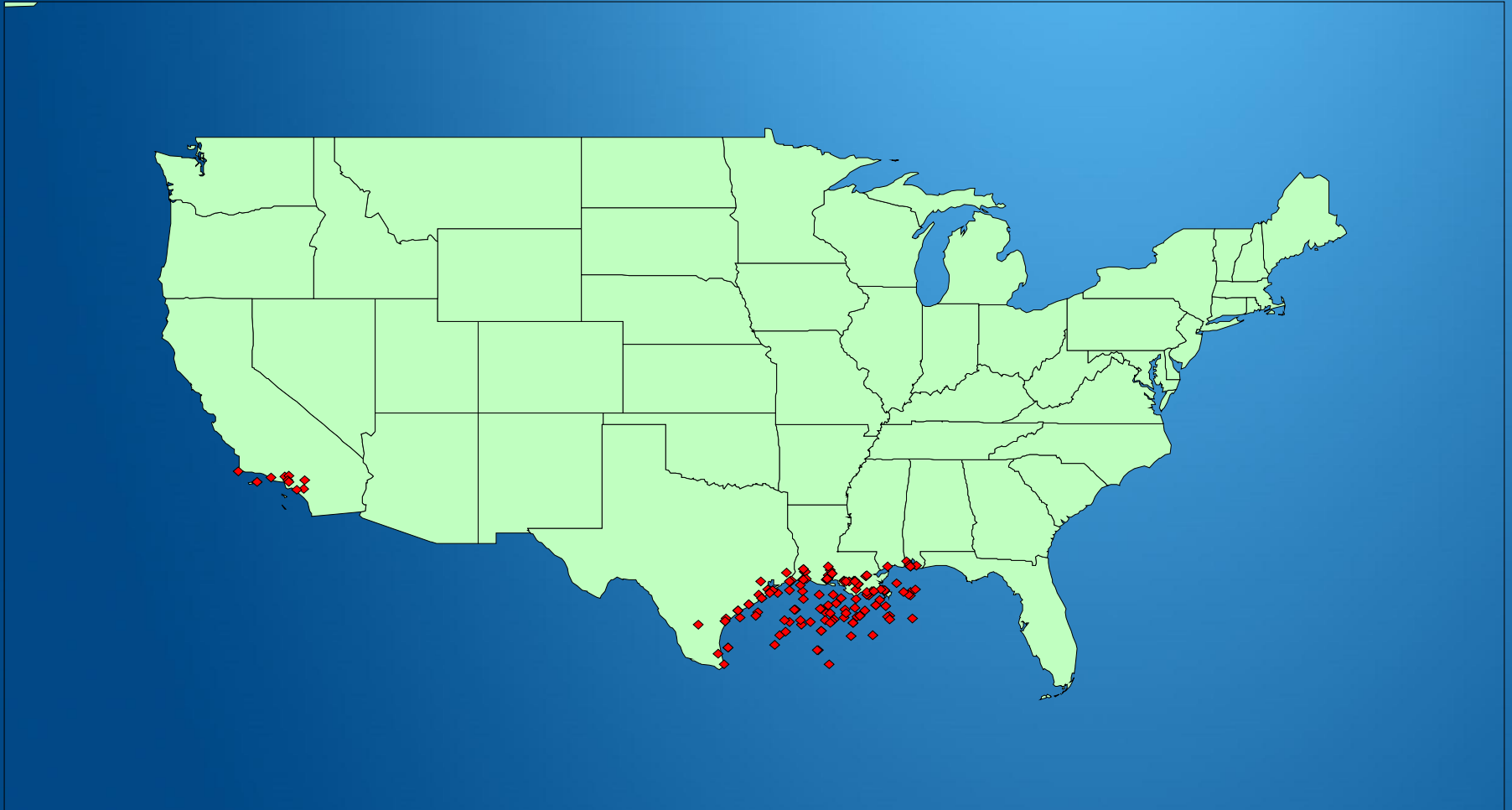
- Each year ASRI conducts about 1,000 ground station inspections of ASRI licensed stations
- In part Inspectors verify:
 - Location of radio
 - Operational Frequency
 - Radio equipment
 - Station Representative
- Inspection of oil platforms are difficult
- ASRI would like to find a method to include oil platforms in the inspection process

ASRI Oil Platform Inspections



- ASRI manages licenses for helicopter operations in the Gulf of Mexico and CA
 - About 12 different users
 - Over 200 ground stations
 - About 75 different frequencies
- What is the best way to ensure that these stations are in compliance with FCC and ASRI rules?

Location of ASRI licensed Helicopter Operations



ASRI Proposes Self Inspection for Oil Platforms



- In order to better monitor use of ASRI frequencies on oil platforms ASRI would adopt procedures for oil platforms to self inspect
 - Check location of the radio
 - GPS Coordinates
 - Confirm Operation on licensed frequency
 - Confirm radio is type approved for aviation ground
 - Provide updated station representative to ASRI

TO DO



- Over the coming months ASRI will work with ASRI oil platform customers to devise a method for self inspection to ensure compliance with FCC and ASRI regulations
- Procedures must be easy to follow and allow for accurate data to be returned
- Once established ASRI will providing briefing at a future HSAC meeting



Questions?