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**Executive Summary**

Since 1999 the WAAS Group at the William J. Hughes Technical Center has reported GPS performance as measured against the GPS Standard Positioning Service (SPS) Signal Specification. These quarterly reports are known as the PAN (Performance Analysis Network) Report. In addition to that report, the WAAS/NSTB Team reports on the performance of the Wide-Area Augmentation System (WAAS). This report is the eighth such WAAS quarterly report. This report covers WAAS performance during the period from January 1, 2004 to March 31, 2004. This period is the 3rd quarter in which the WAAS is a fully commissioned system in the National Airspace System (NAS).

During this quarter the first upgrade to the WAAS was installed. One part of this upgrade was to change the configuration for the WAAS External Interface (WEI) configuration for the Technical Center. The WEI is the source for all WAAS data that is presented in this document. This upgrade lowered dramatically the number of lost messages over the WEI.

The following table shows observations for accuracy and availability made during the reporting period. See the body of the report for additional results in accuracy, availability, continuity, safety index, range accuracy, WAAS broadcast message rates and GEO ranging availability. Please note that the results in the below table are valid when the Localizer Approach with Vertical Guidance (LPV) service is available. LPV service is available when the calculated Horizontal Protection Level (HPL) is less than 40 meters and the Vertical Protection Level (VPL) is less than 50 meters.

| <b>Parameter</b>  | <b>Site/Maximum</b>         | <b>Site/Minimum</b>           |
|---|-----------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 95% Horizontal Accuracy   | Minneapolis<br>1.184 meters | Kansas City<br>0.728 meters   |
| 95% Vertical Accuracy   | Oakland<br>2.138 meters     | Washington DC<br>1.063 meters |
| LPV<br>Instantaneous Availability<br>(HPL < 40 meters &<br>VPL < 50 meters) | Dallas<br>99.977%           | San Angelo<br>98.5%           |
| 95% HPL   | San Angelo<br>28.230 meters | Chicago<br>17.132 meters      |
| 95% VPL   | San Angelo<br>44.234 meters | Kansas City<br>27.663 meters  |

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## 1.0 INTRODUCTION

The FAA began monitoring GPS SPS performance in order to ensure the safe and effective use of the satellite navigation system in the National Airspace System (NAS). The Wide Area Augmentation System (WAAS) adds more timely integrity monitoring of GPS and improves position accuracy and availability of GPS within the WAAS coverage area.

Objectives of this report are:

- a. To evaluate and monitor the ability of WAAS to augment GPS by characterizing important performance parameters.
- b. To analyze the effects of GPS satellite operation and maintenance, and ionospheric activity on the WAAS performance.
- c. To investigate any GPS and WAAS anomalies and determine their impact on potential users.
- d. To archive performance of GPS and WAAS for future evaluations.

The WAAS data transmitted from GEO satellite PRN#122 (AORW) and PRN#134 (POR) were used in the evaluation. Table 1.1 and Table 1.2 list NSTB and WAAS reference station receivers used in Precision Approach (PA) and Non-Precision Approach (NPA) evaluation process, respectively. This report presents results from three months of data, collected from January 1, 2004 to March 31, 2004.

**Table 1-1 PA Sites**

|                | <b>Number of Days Evaluated</b> | <b>Number of Samples</b> |
|----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| <b>NSTB:</b>   |                                 |                          |
| Anderson       | 90                              | 7744203                  |
| Atlantic City  | 73                              | 6319741                  |
| Grand Forks    | 82                              | 7067400                  |
| Great Falls    | 89                              | 7723673                  |
| Oklahoma City  | 76                              | 6576257                  |
| Prescott       | 79                              | 6806389                  |
| San Angelo     | 84                              | 7229837                  |
| <b>WAAS:</b>   |                                 |                          |
| Albuquerque    | 90                              | 7792782                  |
| Atlanta        | 90                              | 7794391                  |
| Billings       | 80                              | 6870955                  |
| Boston         | 90                              | 7785899                  |
| Chicago        | 90                              | 7791643                  |
| Cleveland      | 90                              | 7794242                  |
| Dallas         | 90                              | 7787534                  |
| Denver         | 90                              | 7792233                  |
| Houston        | 88                              | 7607554                  |
| Jacksonville   | 90                              | 7794961                  |
| Kansas City    | 85                              | 7360058                  |
| Los Angeles    | 90                              | 7792815                  |
| Memphis        | 90                              | 7790328                  |
| Miami          | 90                              | 7787438                  |
| Minneapolis    | 90                              | 7790793                  |
| New York       | 90                              | 7791136                  |
| Oakland        | 90                              | 7788559                  |
| Salt Lake City | 90                              | 7790554                  |
| Seattle        | 84                              | 7291339                  |
| Washington DC  | 90                              | 7800920                  |

**Table 1-2 NPA Sites**

| <b>Location</b> | <b>Number of Days Evaluated</b> | <b>Number of Samples</b> |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------|
| Albuquerque     | 90                              | 7797365                  |
| Anchorage       | 90                              | 7804681                  |
| Atlanta         | 90                              | 7798287                  |
| Billings        | 88                              | 7572069                  |
| Boston          | 90                              | 7792723                  |
| Cleveland       | 90                              | 7799185                  |
| Cold Bay        | 90                              | 7751008                  |
| Honolulu        | 90                              | 7758547                  |
| Houston         | 88                              | 7613448                  |
| Juneau          | 88                              | 7624640                  |
| Kansas City     | 85                              | 7372170                  |
| Los Angeles     | 90                              | 7800895                  |
| Miami           | 90                              | 7794614                  |
| Minneapolis     | 90                              | 7797499                  |
| Oakland         | 90                              | 7797241                  |
| San Juan        | 90                              | 7800877                  |
| Salt Lake City  | 90                              | 7799995                  |
| Seattle         | 86                              | 7424468                  |
| Washington DC   | 90                              | 7805770                  |

The report is divided to seven performance categories listed below. This report also includes WAAS LPV Service Availability at Selected Airports, WAAS Deterministic Code Noise and Multipath (CNMP) Bounding Analysis, and WAAS Equipment Outage Report. In addition, an analysis of the comparison of GPS broadcast orbits versus the International Geodynamics GPS Service (IGS) precise orbits is presented. This analysis includes data from January 1, 2002 to December 31, 2003. This analysis will be included in this report once per year.

1. WAAS Position Accuracy
2. WAAS Operational Service Availability
3. Coverage
4. Continuity
5. Integrity
6. WAAS Range Domain Accuracy
7. GEO Ranging Performance

Table 1.3 lists the performance parameters evaluated for the WAAS in this report. Please note that these are the performance parameters associated with the WAAS IOC system. These requirements are extracted from the FAA Specification FAA-E-2892B Change 1. In future reports the performance parameters will be derived from FAA Specification FAA-E-2976, as applicable.



**Table 1-3 WAAS Performance Parameters**

| <b>Performance Parameter</b>                     | <b>Expected WAAS Performance</b>   |
|--|--|
| PA Accuracy Horizontal                           | ≤ 7.6m error 95% of the time   |
| PA Accuracy Vertical                             | ≤ 7.6m error 95% of the time   |
| NPA Accuracy Horizontal                          | ≤ 100m error 95% of the time<br>≤ 556m error 99.999% of the time                         |
| Availability LPV*                                | Not Defined for Current WAAS phase   |
| Availability LNAV/VNAV*                          | Not Defined for Current WAAS phase   |
| Coverage LPV                                     | Not Defined for Current WAAS phase<br>For this report - 95% availability of 75% of CONUS |
| Coverage LNAV/VNAV                               | 95% availability of 75% of CONUS   |
| Coverage NPA                                     | 99.9% availability of 75% of service volume  |
| NPA Continuity of Navigation                     | ≥ 99.999% of the time  |
| NPA Continuity of Fault Detection                | ≥ 99.999% of the time  |
| PA Continuity of Function<br>(LNAV/VNAV and LPV) | 1-5.5 x 10 <sup>-5</sup> per approach  |
| LPV Availability                                 | ≥ 95% of the time within the service volume  |
| LNAV/VNAV Availability                           | ≥ 95% of the time within the service volume  |
| Integrity  | ≤ 4 X 10e-8 HMI's per approach   |

\* Instantaneous availability (i.e. Availability is calculated every second.)

**1.1 Event Summary**

Table 1.4 lists test events that occurred during the reporting period that affected WAAS performance or the ability to determine the WAAS performance. These events include GPS or WAAS anomalies, relevant receiver malfunctions, and receiver maintenance conducted.

**Table 1-4 Test Events**

| <b>Date</b>              | <b>Sites</b>  | <b>Events</b>  |
|--------------------------|---------------|--|
| 1/1/04 to<br>1/2/04      | Grand Forks   | Grand Forks outage (since 1250 day 3, 12/24/03).   |
| 1/15/04 to<br>1/16/04    | Bangor        | Bangor outage.   |
| 1/20/04 to<br>1/22/04    | Seattle       | Seattle outage.  |
| 1/21/04 to<br>1/22/04    | Atlantic City | Atlantic City outage.  |
| 1/23/04 to<br>1/28/04    | Grand Forks   | Grand Forks outage.  |
| 1/22/04 to<br>1/30/04    | Prescott      | Prescott outage.   |
| 1/26/04 to<br>1/28/04    | Greenwood     | Greenwood outage.  |
| 2/2/04 to<br>2/4/04      | Seattle       | Seattle outage.  |
| 2/4/04 to<br>end of Qtr. | Bangor        | Bangor outage.   |
| 2/13/04                  | N/A           | SV decommissioned—PRN 23.  |
| 2/19/04 to<br>3/25/04    | Greenwood     | Greenwood outage.  |
| 2/21/04 to<br>2/25/04    | Kansas City   | Kansas City outage.  |
| 2/28/04 to<br>3/4/04     | Oklahoma City | Oklahoma City outage.  |
| 3/8/04 to<br>3/17/04     | Billings      | Billings outage. WRE-B used for analysis instead of WRE-A  |
| 3/9/04 to<br>3/12/04     | All sites     | Iono Storm. Max Kp 5, 6, 5, 5. LPV Coverage 94%, 67%, 96%, 95%. This storm was a primary factor in the tripping of the WAAS User Position Monitor (UPM). |
| 3/10/04 to<br>3/12/04    | Houston       | Houston outage.  |
| 3/12/04 to<br>3/26/04    | Atlantic City | Atlantic City outage.  |

## 1.2 Report Overview

Section 2 provides the vertical and horizontal position accuracies from data collected, on a daily basis, at one-second intervals. The 95% accuracy index and the maximum accuracy for the reporting period are tabulated. The daily 95% accuracy index is plotted graphically for each receiver. Histograms of the vertical and horizontal error distribution are provided for three receivers within the WAAS service area.

Section 3 summarizes the WAAS instantaneous availability performance, at each receiver, for three operational service levels during the reporting period. Daily availability is also plotted for each receiver evaluated.

Section 4 provides the percent of coverage provided by WAAS on a daily basis. Monthly roll-up graphs presented indicate the portions of service volume covered, and the percentage of time that WAAS was available.

Section 5 provides the percentage of time continuity requirements were met during the reporting period for each receiver. Please note that these continuity requirements are from the WAAS Specification FAA-E-2892B Change 1. The definition for continuity is being evaluated from an operational perspective. The continuity analysis will be reported to reflect this new definition in future reports.

Section 6 summarizes the number of HMI's detected during the reporting period and presents a safety margin index for each receiver. The safety index reflects the amount of over bounding of position error by WAAS protection levels. This section also includes update rates of WAAS messages transmitted from AORW and POR.

Section 7 provides the UDRE and GIVE bounding percentage and the 95% index of the range and ionospheric accuracy for each satellite tracked by the WAAS receiver in Houston.

Section 8 provides the GEO ranging performance for AORW and POR.

Section 9 summarizes WAAS anomalies and problems identified during the reporting period, which adversely affect WAAS performance described in Table 1.3.

Section 10 provides WAAS LPV availability and outages at selected airports.

Section 11 provides the assessment of WAAS CNMP bounding for 75 WAAS receivers.

Section 12 summarizes WAAS equipment outages and GUS switchovers.

Section 13 compares GPS broadcast orbits versus the IGS precise orbits.

**2.0 WAAS POSITION ACCURACY**

Navigation error data, collected from WAAS and NSTB reference stations, was processed to determine position accuracy at each location. This was accomplished by utilizing the GPS/WAAS position solution tool to compute a MOPS-weighted least squares user navigation solution, and WAAS horizontal and vertical protection levels (HPL & VPL), once every second. The user position calculated for each receiver was compared to the surveyed position of the antenna to assess position error associated with the WAAS SIS over time. The position errors were analyzed and statistics were generated for two operational service levels: WAAS LPV, and WAAS LNAV/VNAV, as shown in Table 2.1. For this evaluation, the WAAS operational service level is considered available at a given time and location, if the computed WAAS HPL and VPL are within the horizontal and vertical alarm limits (HAL & VAL) specified in Table 2.1.

**Table 2-1 Operational Service Levels**

| WAAS Operational Service Levels | Horizontal Alert Limit HAL (meters) | Vertical Alert Limit VAL (meters) |
|---------------------------------|-------------------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| LPV (LOC/VNAV)                  | 40                                  | 50                                |
| LNAV/VNAV                       | 556                                 | 50                                |

Table 2.2 shows PA horizontal and vertical position accuracy maintained for 95% of the time at LPV and LNAV/VNAV operational service levels for the quarter. The table also includes 95% SPS accuracy for certain locations. Figures 2.1 to 2.4 show the daily horizontal and vertical 95% accuracy for LNAV/VNAV operational service level for the period. Note that WAAS accuracy statistics presented are compiled only when all WAAS corrections (fast, long term, and ionospheric) for at least 4 satellites are available. This is referred to as PA navigation mode. The percentage of time that PA navigation mode was supported by WAAS at each receiver is also shown in Table 2.2. A user is considered to be in NPA navigation mode if only WAAS fast and long term corrections are available to a user (no ionospheric corrections). Table 2.3 shows NPA horizontal position accuracy for 95% and 99.999% of the time. This table also shows the maximum NPA horizontal position error for the quarter. Figures 2.5 shows the daily horizontal 95% accuracy for NPA.

During the evaluated period, the 95% horizontal and vertical accuracy at all evaluated sites were less than 7.6 meters for both WAAS operational service levels. The maximum horizontal and vertical LPV errors are 1.184 at Minneapolis and 2.138 meters at Oakland, respectively. The minimum horizontal and vertical LPV errors are 0.728 meters at Kansas City and 1.063 meters at Washington DC, respectively. The maximum 95% and 99.999% horizontal errors are 7.026 meters and 18.642 meters both at Honolulu. The minimum 95% and 99.999% horizontal errors are 2.154 meters and 4.189 meters, both at Anchorage.

Table 2.4 shows the maximum horizontal and vertical position errors while the calculated HPL and VPL met the LPV service levels. Also shown is the ratio of the maximum position error divided by the calculated protection level for that second. In future reports the maximum of the quantity position error divided by protection level will be reported.

Figures 2.6 to 2.14 show the distributions of the vertical and horizontal errors in triangle charts and 2-D histogram plots for the quarter at three locations, Oklahoma City, Washington DC and Seattle. The triangle charts show the distributions of vertical position errors (VPE) versus vertical protection levels (VPL) and horizontal position errors (HPE) versus horizontal protection levels (HPL). The horizontal axis is the position error and the vertical axis is the WAAS protection levels. Lower protection levels equate to better availability. The diagonal line shows the point where error equals protection level. Above and to the left of the diagonal line in the chart, errors are bounded (WAAS is providing integrity in the position domain); below and to the right, errors are not bounded (HMI could be present). The horizontal lines at various protection levels represent the various operational service levels as defined in Table 2.1. The 2-D histogram plots contain four histograms showing the distributions of vertical and horizontal position errors and normalized position errors. The left top and bottom histograms show the distributions of the actual vertical and horizontal errors. The horizontal axis is the position errors and the vertical axis is the total count of data samples (log scale) in each 0.1-meter bin. The right top and bottom histograms show the distributions of the actual vertical and horizontal errors normalized by one-sigma value of the protection level; vertical - (VPL/5.33) and horizontal - (HPL/6.0). The horizontal axis is the standard units and vertical axis is the observed distribution of

normalized errors data samples in each 0.1-sigma bin. Narrowness of the normalized error distributions shows very good observed safety performance.

**Table 2-2 PA 95% Horizontal and Vertical Accuracy**

| Location       | Horizontal LPV (HAL=40m) (Meters) | Horizontal LNAV (HAL=556m) (Meters) | Vertical LPV/VNAV, LPV (VAL=50m) (Meters) | Percentage in PA mode (%) | SPS Accuracy            |                       |
|----------------|-----------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---|---------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------------|
|                |                                   |                                     |   |                           | 95% Horizontal (Meters) | 95% Vertical (Meters) |
| Anderson       | 0.827                             | 0.828                               | 1.243                                     | 99.98667                  | *                       | *                     |
| Atlantic City  | 0.864                             | 0.868                               | 1.273                                     | 99.98361                  | *                       | *                     |
| Grand Forks    | 0.903                             | 0.907                               | 1.488                                     | 99.97800                  | *                       | *                     |
| Great Falls    | 0.983                             | 0.984                               | 1.352                                     | 99.98994                  | *                       | *                     |
| Oklahoma City  | 0.775                             | 0.775                               | 1.095                                     | 99.98587                  | *                       | *                     |
| Prescott       | 0.975                             | 0.977                               | 1.312                                     | 99.99943                  | *                       | *                     |
| San Angelo     | 0.877                             | 0.878                               | 1.477                                     | 99.98603                  | *                       | *                     |
| Albuquerque    | 0.784                             | 0.784                               | 1.171                                     | 99.98669                  | 4.215                   | 5.418                 |
| Atlanta        | 0.744                             | 0.744                               | 1.238                                     | 99.98691                  | 4.340                   | 5.730                 |
| Billings       | 0.913                             | 0.914                               | 1.530                                     | 99.98615                  | 4.175                   | 5.448                 |
| Boston         | 0.894                             | 0.898                               | 1.339                                     | 99.98659                  | 4.096                   | 5.331                 |
| Chicago        | 0.746                             | 0.749                               | 1.086                                     | 99.97962                  | *                       | *                     |
| Cleveland      | 0.832                             | 0.834                               | 1.247                                     | 99.98261                  | 4.258                   | 5.307                 |
| Dallas         | 0.900                             | 0.900                               | 1.755                                     | 99.98671                  | *                       | *                     |
| Denver         | 0.841                             | 0.842                               | 1.427                                     | 99.97910                  | *                       | *                     |
| Houston        | 0.890                             | 0.890                               | 1.333                                     | 99.98644                  | 4.433                   | 5.974                 |
| Jacksonville   | 1.062                             | 1.063                               | 1.391                                     | 99.98672                  | *                       | *                     |
| Kansas City    | 0.728                             | 0.729                               | 1.071                                     | 99.97816                  | 4.279                   | 5.974                 |
| Los Angeles    | 1.090                             | 1.090                               | 1.746                                     | 99.99905                  | 4.407                   | 5.733                 |
| Memphis        | 0.897                             | 0.898                               | 1.250                                     | 99.98272                  | *                       | *                     |
| Miami          | 0.994                             | 0.995                               | 1.669                                     | 99.98671                  | 4.572                   | 6.445                 |
| Minneapolis    | 1.184                             | 1.189                               | 1.710                                     | 99.97955                  | 4.283                   | 5.367                 |
| New York       | 1.062                             | 1.066                               | 1.270                                     | 99.98663                  | *                       | *                     |
| Oakland        | 0.969                             | 0.970                               | 2.138                                     | 99.99896                  | 4.368                   | 5.604                 |
| Salt Lake City | 0.898                             | 0.898                               | 1.445                                     | 99.99913                  | 4.284                   | 5.373                 |
| Seattle        | 1.150                             | 1.150                               | 1.719                                     | 99.99899                  | 4.366                   | 5.392                 |
| Washington DC  | 0.864                             | 0.867                               | 1.063                                     | 99.98709                  | 4.111                   | 5.246                 |

\* SPS accuracy not computed for this location.

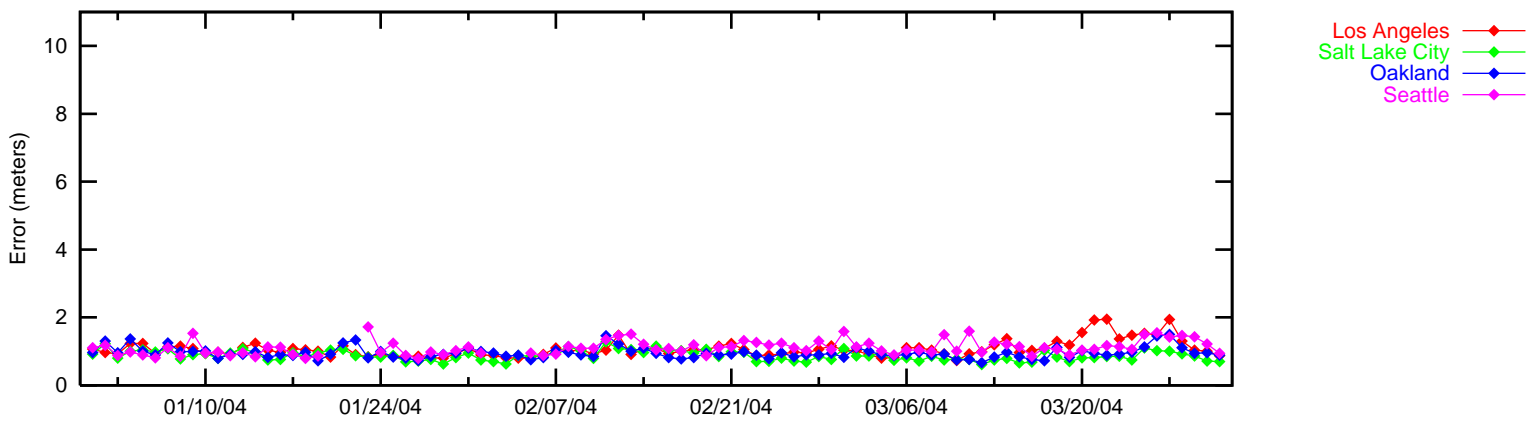
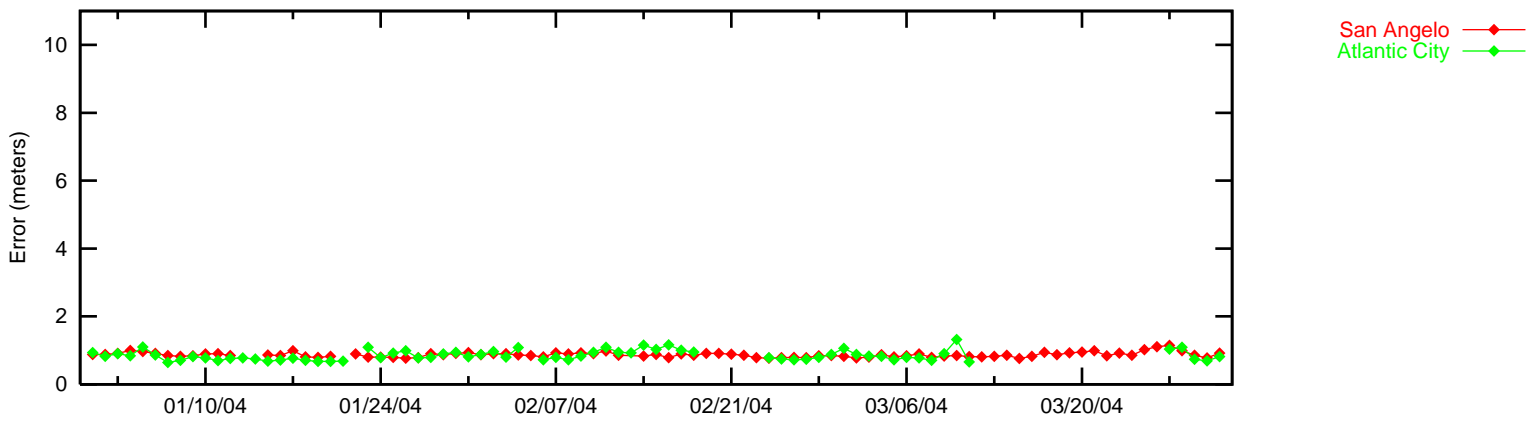
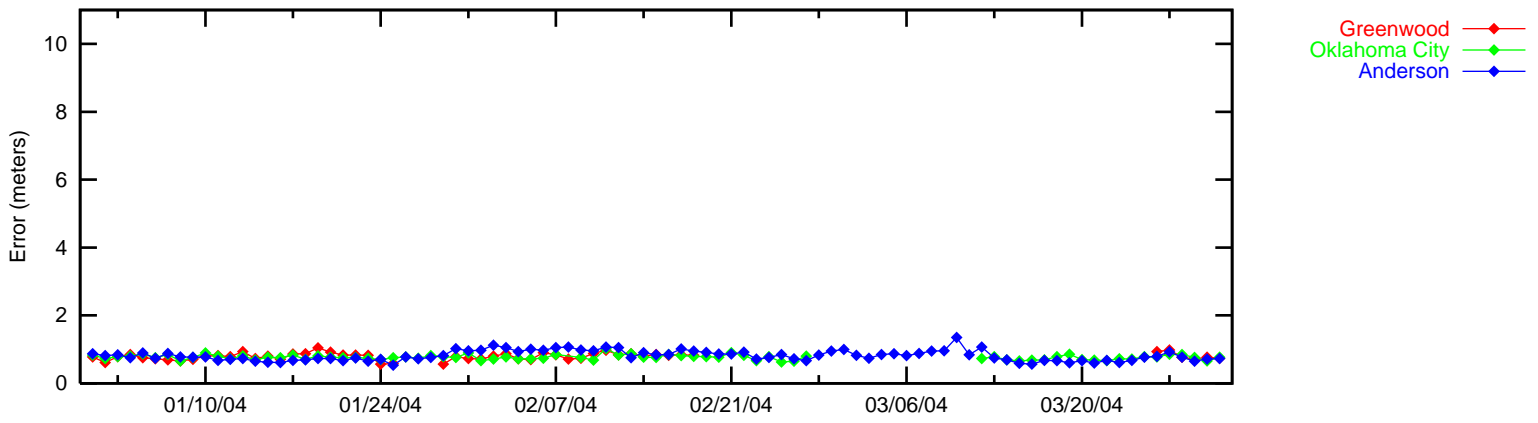
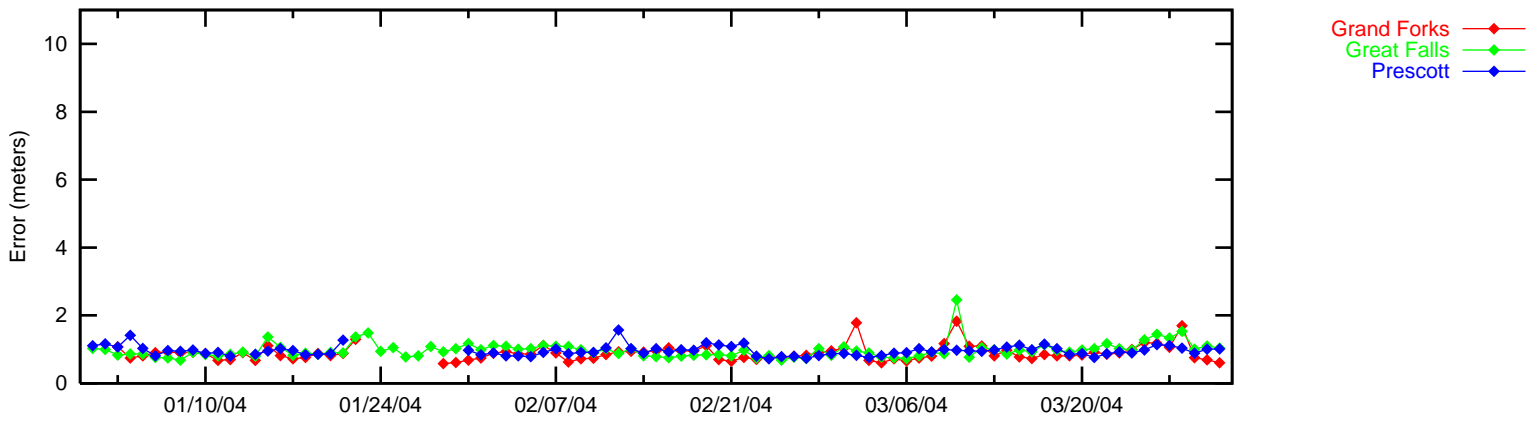
**Table 2-3 NPA 95% and 99.999% Horizontal Accuracy**

| <b>Location</b> | <b>95%<br/>Horizontal<br/>(meters)</b> | <b>99.999%<br/>Horizontal<br/>(meters)</b> | <b>Percentage in<br/>NPA mode<br/>(%)</b> | <b>Maximum<br/>Horizontal<br/>Error</b> |
|-----------------|--|--|---|---|
| Albuquerque     | 2.534                                  | 8.589                                      | 99.983865                                 | 13.401                                  |
| Anchorage       | 2.154                                  | 4.189                                      | 99.981701                                 | 4.365                                   |
| Atlanta         | 2.459                                  | 6.534                                      | 99.984688                                 | 15.916                                  |
| Billings        | 2.617                                  | 7.182                                      | 99.986821                                 | 9.305                                   |
| Boston          | 2.165                                  | 6.634                                      | 99.984539                                 | 7.081                                   |
| Cleveland       | 2.249                                  | 6.907                                      | 99.984473                                 | 10.851                                  |
| Cold Bay        | 2.567                                  | 5.749                                      | 99.982786                                 | 8.244                                   |
| Honolulu        | 7.026                                  | 18.642                                     | 99.978763                                 | 20.797                                  |
| Houston         | 2.846                                  | 6.317                                      | 99.983853                                 | 6.689                                   |
| Juneau          | 2.210                                  | 4.740                                      | 99.988085                                 | 5.044                                   |
| Kansas City     | 2.443                                  | 7.794                                      | 99.982131                                 | 20.569                                  |
| Los Angeles     | 2.916                                  | 7.473                                      | 99.997091                                 | 15.529                                  |
| Miami           | 2.686                                  | 6.958                                      | 99.983805                                 | 12.511                                  |
| Minneapolis     | 3.165                                  | 7.325                                      | 99.985325                                 | 14.247                                  |
| Oakland         | 2.764                                  | 8.322                                      | 99.996716                                 | 9.702                                   |
| Salt Lake City  | 2.578                                  | 6.947                                      | 99.996728                                 | 7.952                                   |
| San Juan        | 3.171                                  | 9.947                                      | 99.983555                                 | 10.368                                  |
| Seattle         | 2.655                                  | 8.816                                      | 99.996024                                 | 14.553                                  |
| Washington DC   | 2.470                                  | 5.604                                      | 99.984866                                 | 7.520                                   |

Table 2-4 Maximum Position Errors and Position Error/Protection Level Ratio

| <b>Location</b> | <b>Horizontal Error (m)</b> | <b>Horizontal Error/HPL</b> | <b>Vertical Error (m)</b> | <b>Vertical Error/VPL</b> |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------|---------------------------|---------------------------|
| Anderson        | 3.108                       | 0.128                       | 6.003                     | 0.311                     |
| Atlantic City   | 4.111                       | 0.115                       | 4.293                     | 0.089                     |
| Grand Forks     | 3.894                       | 0.180                       | 8.605                     | 0.325                     |
| Great Falls     | 3.586                       | 0.131                       | 5.640                     | 0.122                     |
| Oklahoma City   | 2.711                       | 0.076                       | 4.860                     | 0.099                     |
| Prescott        | 2.816                       | 0.076                       | 5.051                     | 0.102                     |
| San Angelo      | 3.082                       | 0.092                       | 6.503                     | 0.139                     |
| Albuquerque     | 2.549                       | 0.088                       | 5.231                     | 0.121                     |
| Atlanta         | 5.190                       | 0.176                       | 7.460                     | 0.151                     |
| Billings        | 4.027                       | 0.239                       | 7.054                     | 0.263                     |
| Boston          | 3.484                       | 0.142                       | 6.770                     | 0.154                     |
| Chicago         | 3.010                       | 0.101                       | 7.541                     | 0.152                     |
| Cleveland       | 4.984                       | 0.195                       | 7.051                     | 0.280                     |
| Dallas          | 4.464                       | 0.278                       | 7.329                     | 0.265                     |
| Denver          | 2.908                       | 0.112                       | 5.979                     | 0.223                     |
| Houston         | 2.662                       | 0.114                       | 5.904                     | 0.217                     |
| Jacksonville    | 4.611                       | 0.185                       | 6.087                     | 0.235                     |
| Kansas City     | 2.611                       | 0.075                       | 4.424                     | 0.102                     |
| Los Angeles     | 4.751                       | 0.173                       | 6.461                     | 0.149                     |
| Memphis         | 4.080                       | 0.133                       | 4.883                     | 0.108                     |
| Miami           | 2.961                       | 0.084                       | 6.092                     | 0.184                     |
| Minneapolis     | 5.798                       | 0.233                       | 9.133                     | 0.244                     |
| New York        | 4.171                       | 0.104                       | 5.419                     | 0.131                     |
| Oakland         | 4.800                       | 0.187                       | 7.979                     | 0.194                     |
| Salt Lake City  | 3.772                       | 0.176                       | 5.130                     | 0.203                     |
| Seattle         | 4.222                       | 0.156                       | 6.437                     | 0.133                     |
| Washington DC   | 3.234                       | 0.119                       | 5.320                     | 0.116                     |

**Figure 2•1 95% Horizontal Accuracy at LNAV/VNAV**  
**LNAV/VNAV 95% Horizontal Accuracy**





**Figure 2•2 95% Horizontal Accuracy at LNAV/VNAV**  
**LNAV/VNAV 95% Horizontal Accuracy**

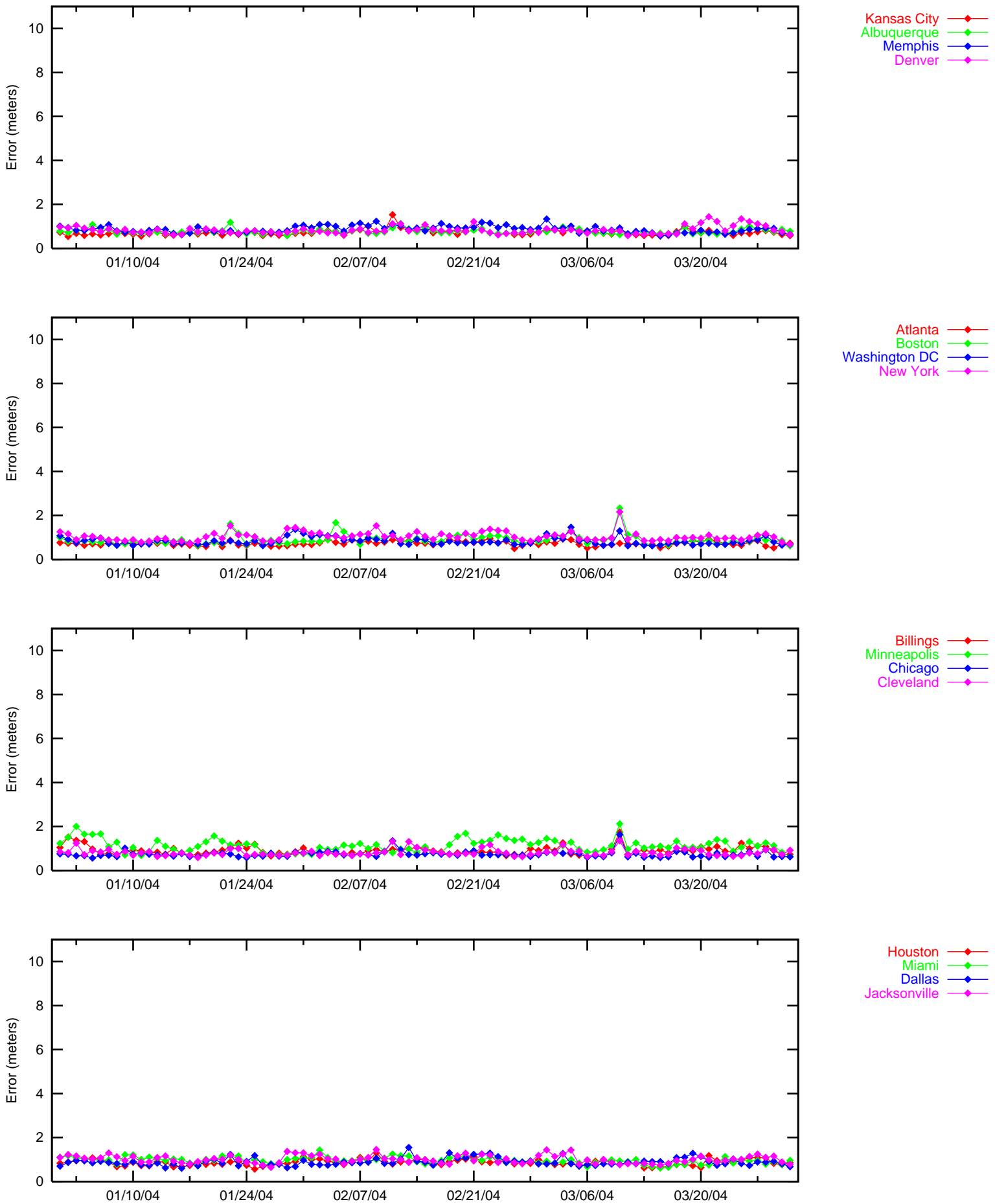
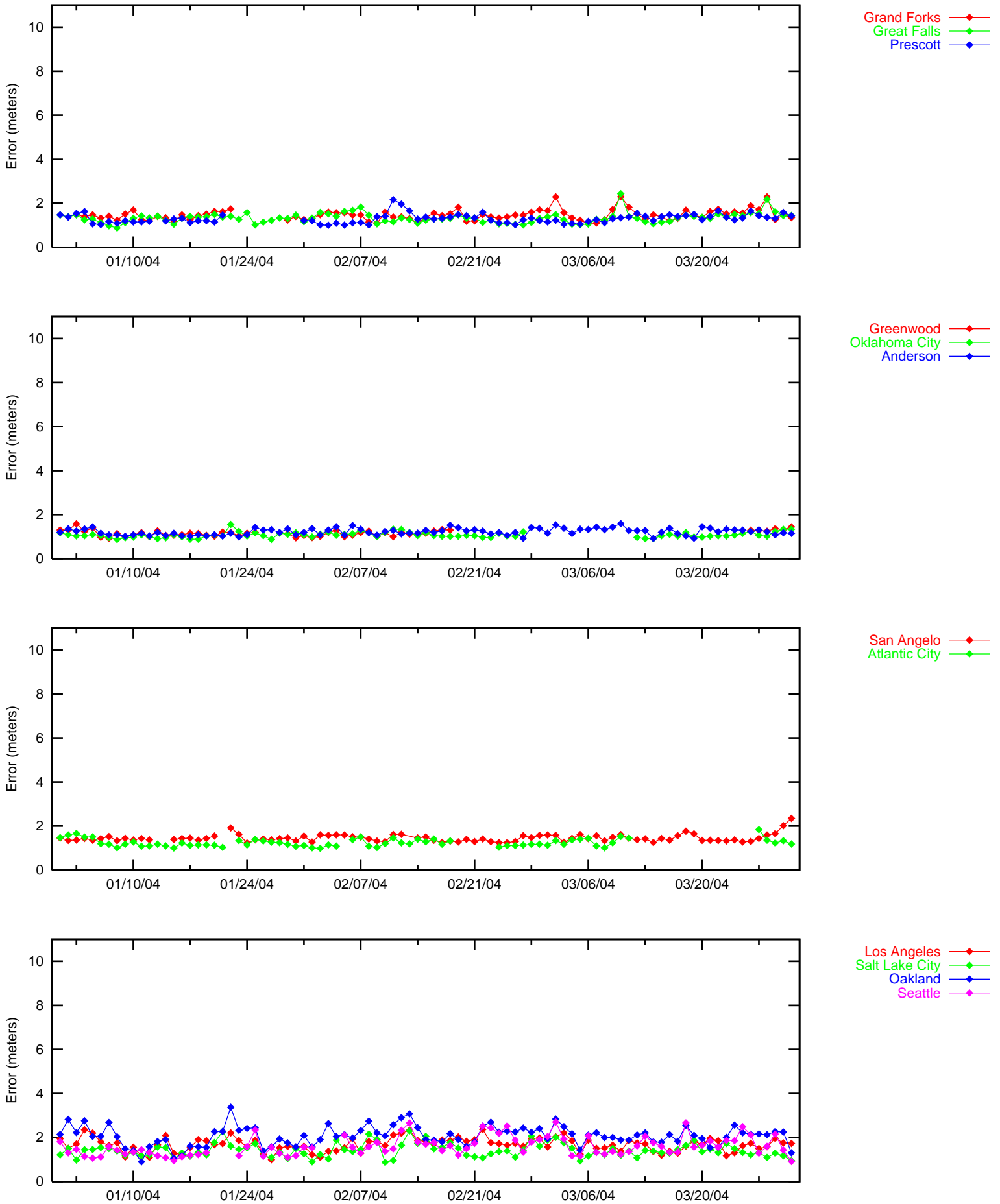


Figure 2•3 95% Vertical Accuracy at LNAV/VNAV

LNAV/VNAV 95% Vertical Accuracy



**Figure 2•4 95% Vertical Accuracy at LNAV/VNAV**  
**LNAV/VNAV 95% Vertical Accuracy**

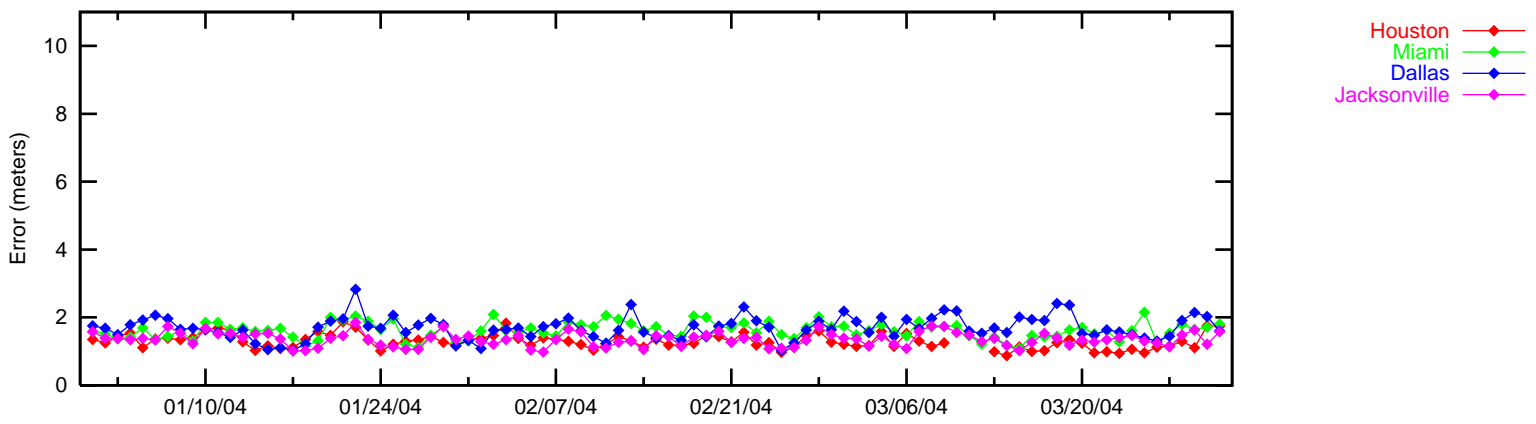
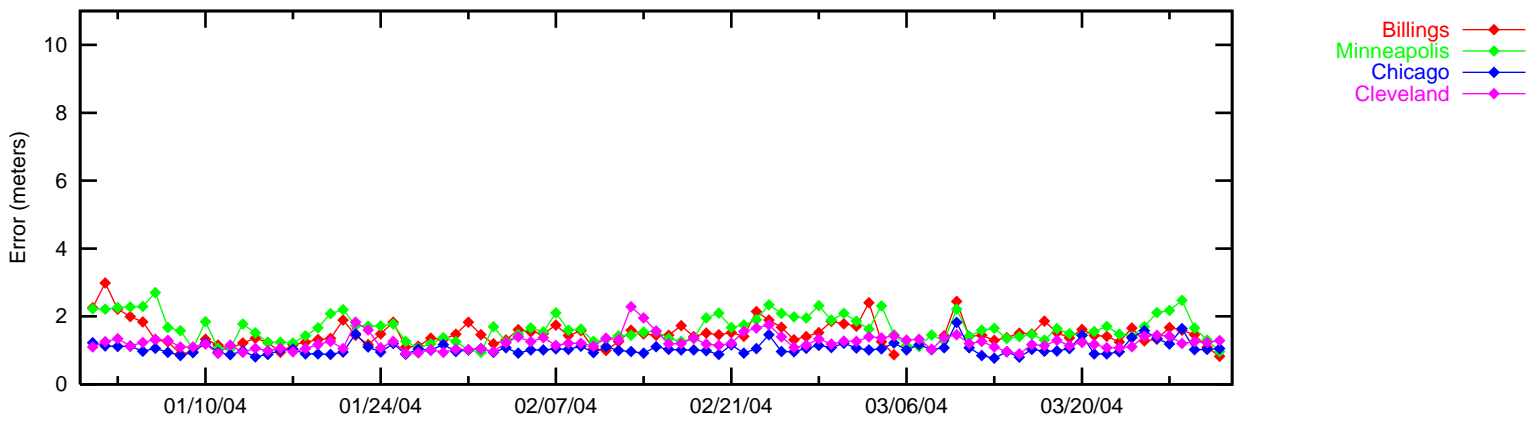
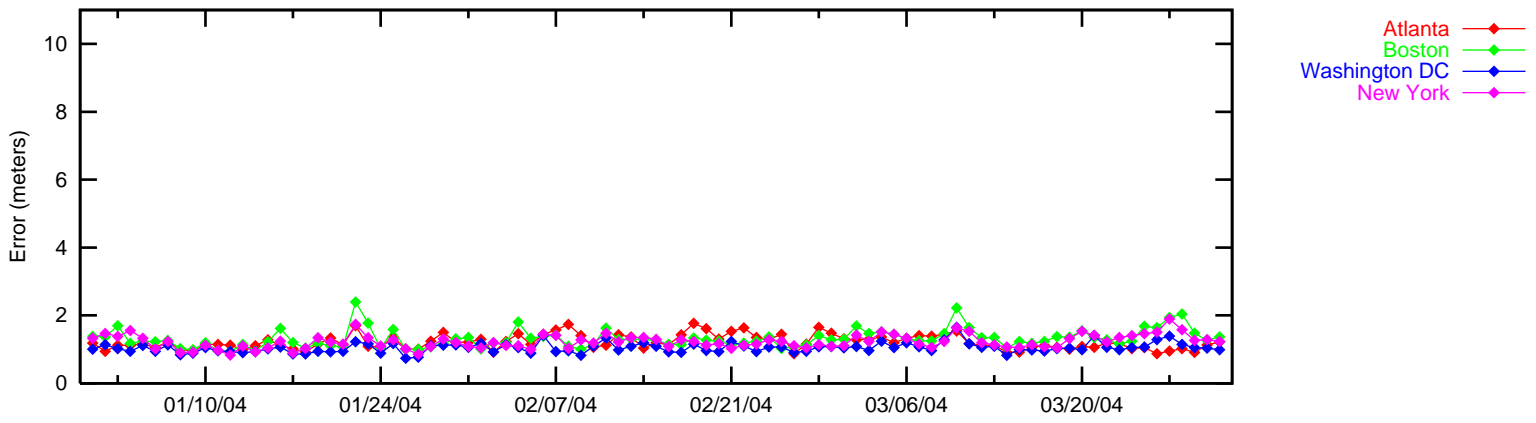
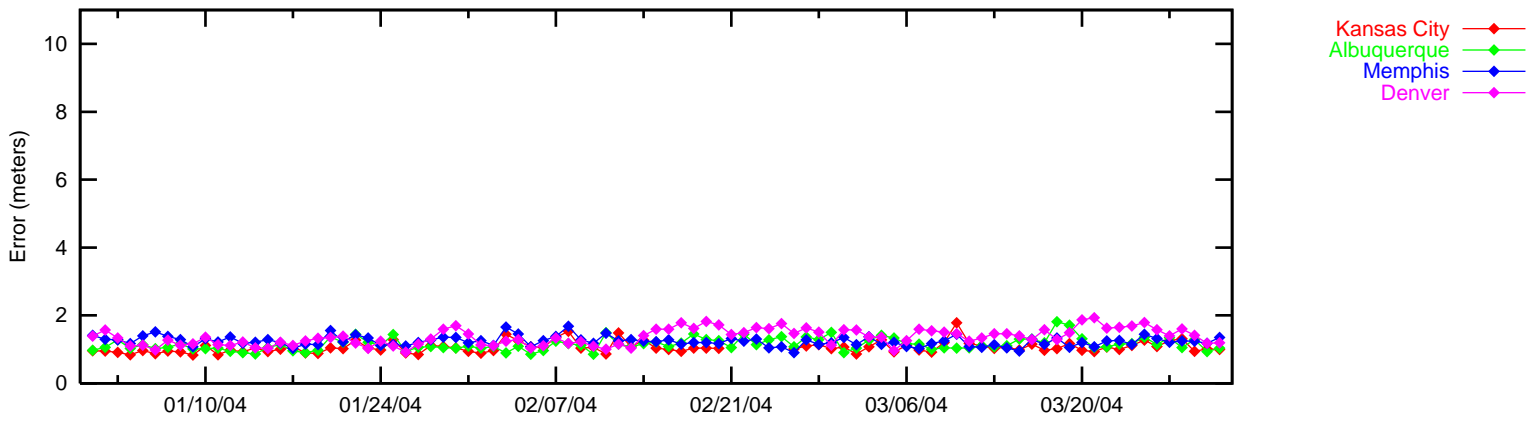
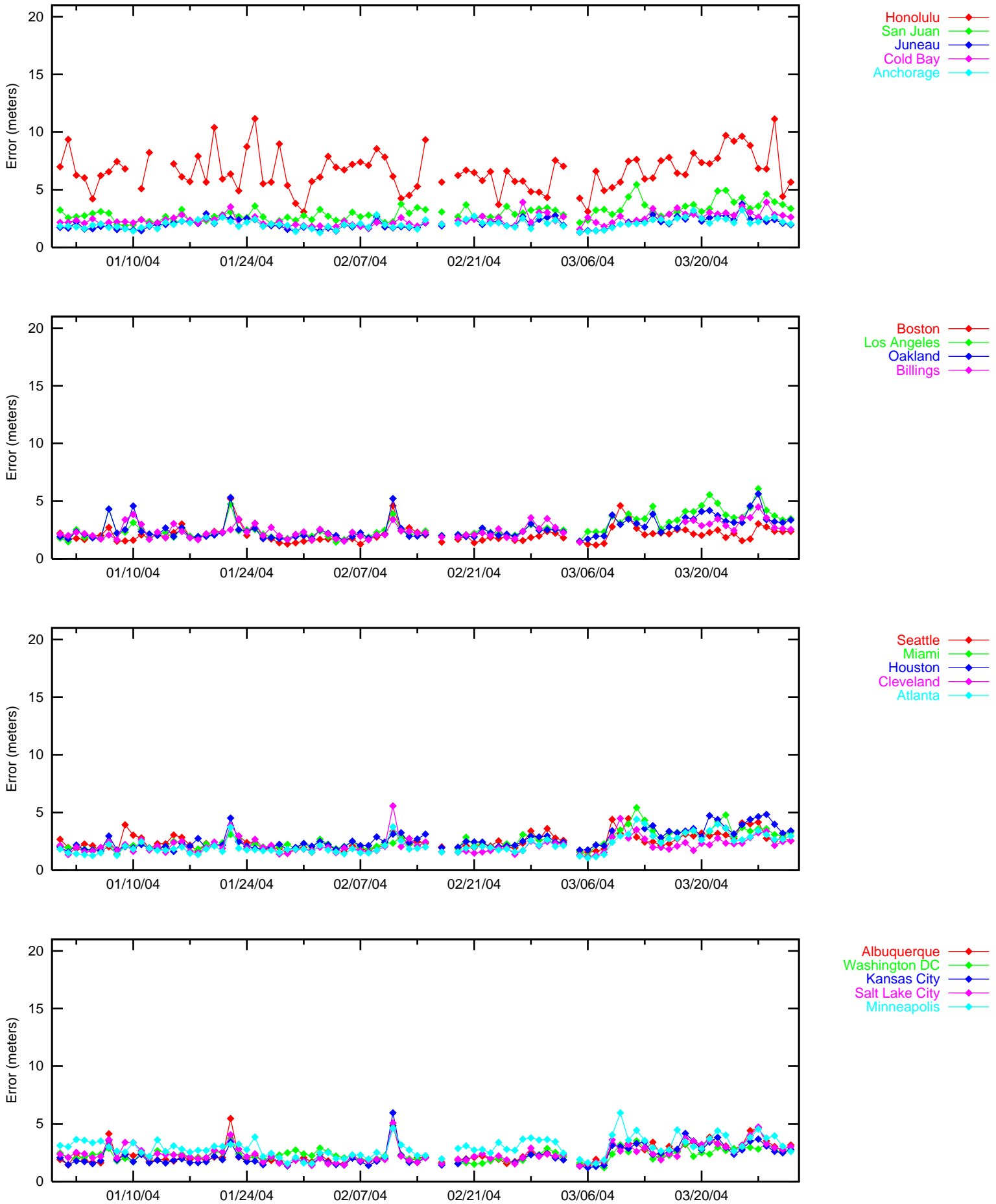


Figure 2•5 NPA 95% Horizontal Accuracy  
 NPA 95% Horizontal Accuracy



PA mode Unavailable(>556m)

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00

# Figure 2•6 Horizontal Triangle Chart for Oklahoma City

Site: Oklahoma\_City      Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04

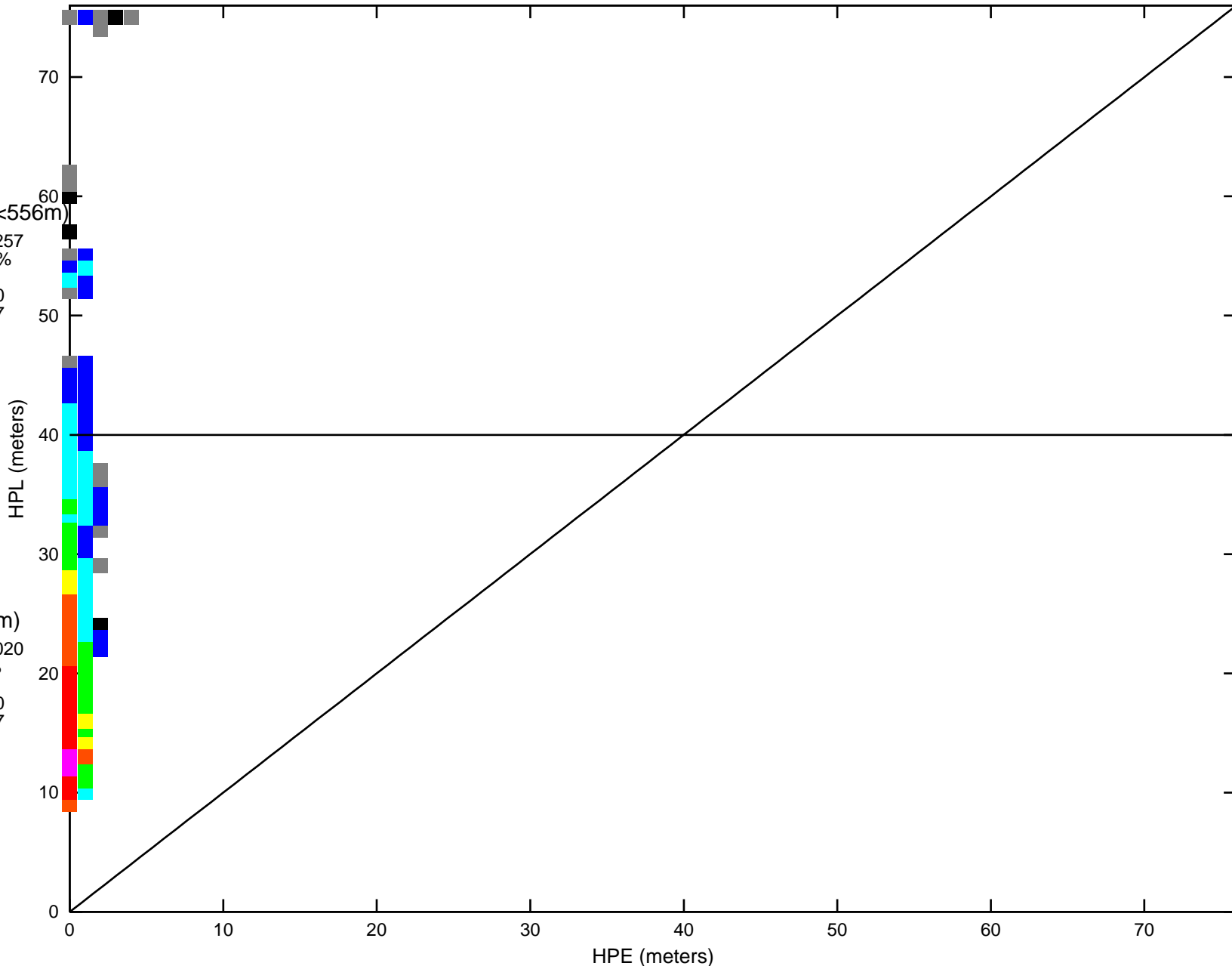
HPE vs HPL 3D PA Histogram

All Modes  
L/VNAV(= $\leq 556m$ )  
Count: 6576257  
100.000000 %  
Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.20  
Index95: 0.77

LPV(= $\leq 40m$ )  
Count: 6574020  
99.965981 %  
Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.20  
Index95: 0.77

- =1
- <10
- <100
- <1000
- <5000
- <10000
- <100000
- <1000000
- <10000000

Alarm Condition  
Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00



Samples: 6576257

Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.20  
Index95: 0.77

PA Samples: 6575328

Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.20  
Index95: 0.77

Not PA Samples: 929

Mean: 1.70  
StdDev: 0.96  
Index95: 3.06

# Figure 2•7 Vertical Triangle Chart for Oklahoma City

Site: Oklahoma\_City

Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04

PA mode Unavailable(>50m)

Count: 11924  
 0.181319 %  
 Mean: 0.07  
 StdDev: 1.39  
 Index95: 2.73

VPE vs VPL 3D PA Histogram

L/VNAV(=<50m)

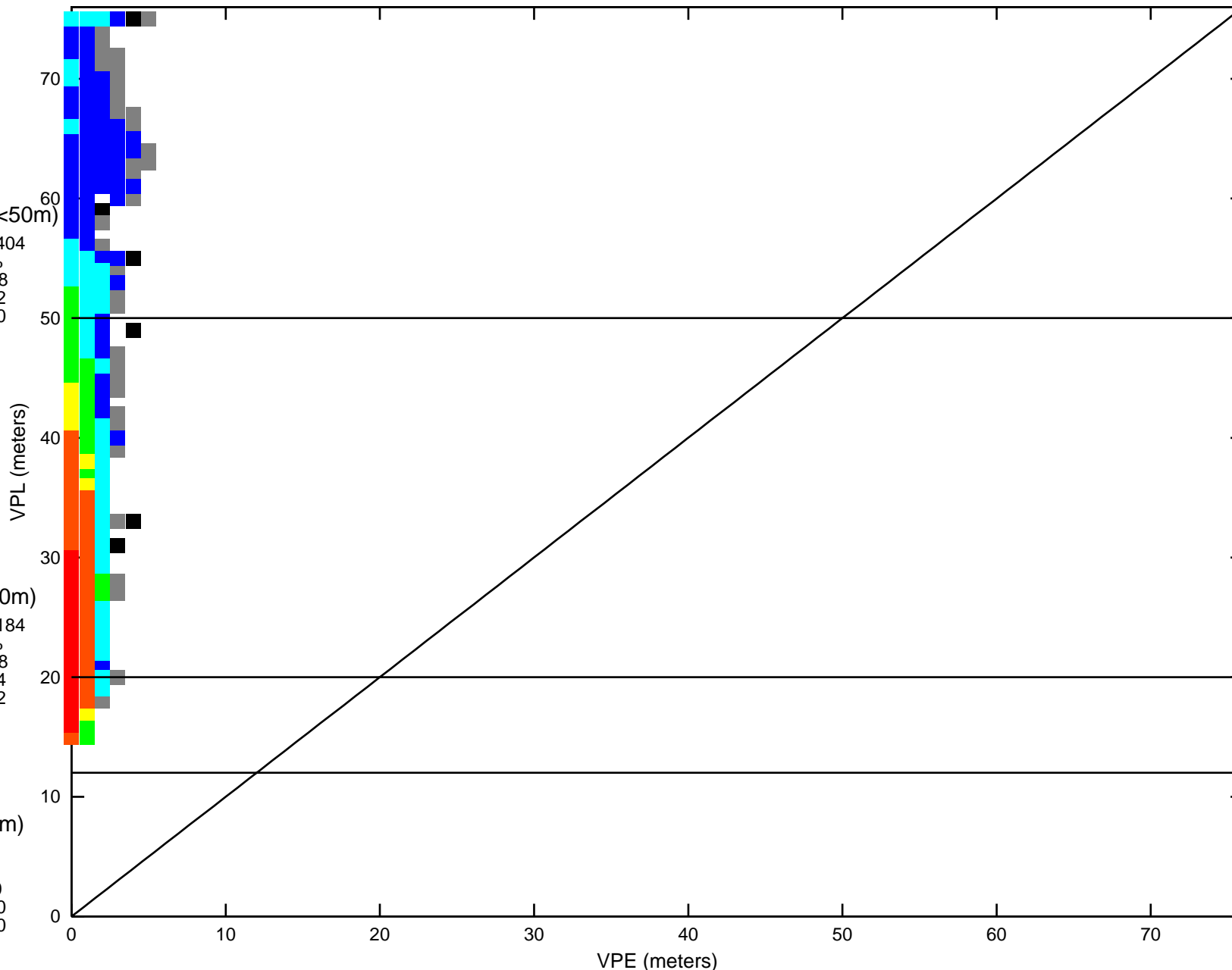
Count: 6563404  
 99.804558 %  
 Mean: -0.18  
 StdDev: 0.52  
 Index95: 1.10

APV2(=<20m)

Count: 1562184  
 23.754911 %  
 Mean: -0.18  
 StdDev: 0.44  
 Index95: 0.92

GLS(=<12m)

Count: 0  
 0.000000 %  
 Mean: 0.00  
 StdDev: 0.00  
 Index95: 0.00



- =1
- <10
- <100
- <1000
- <5000
- <10000
- <100000
- <1000000
- <10000000

Alarm Condition

Count: 0  
 0.000000 %  
 Mean: 0.00  
 StdDev: 0.00  
 Index95: 0.00

Samples: 6576257

Mean: -0.18  
 StdDev: 0.53  
 Index95: 1.10

PA Samples: 6575328

Mean: -0.18  
 StdDev: 0.53  
 Index95: 1.10

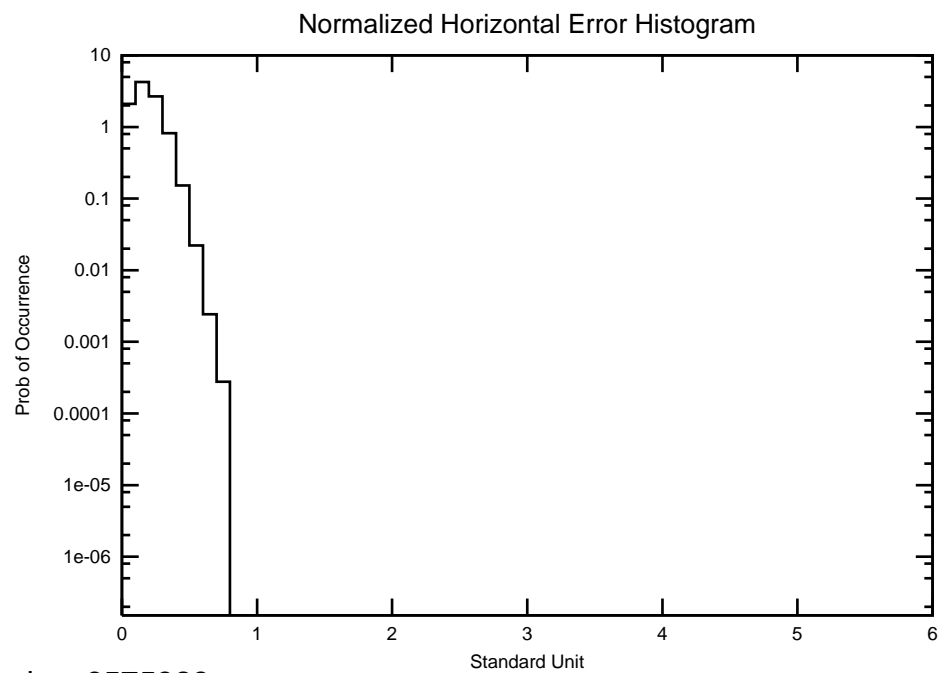
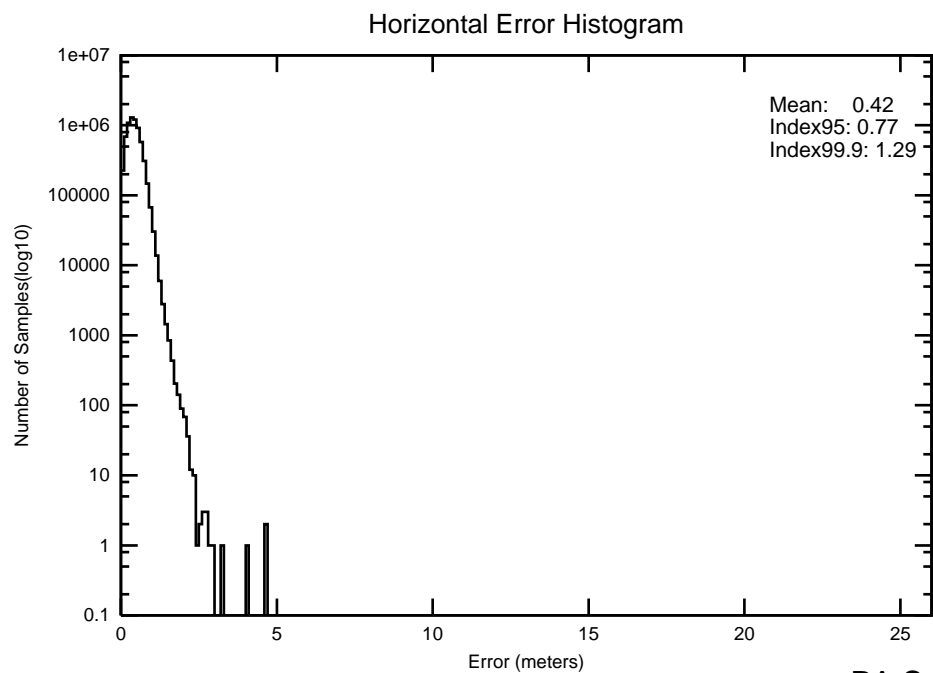
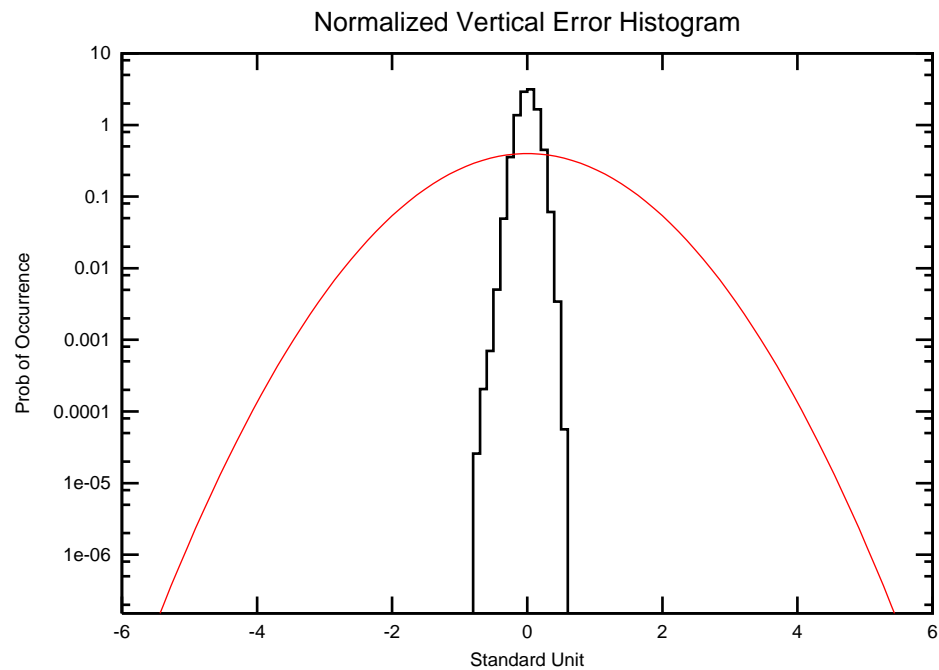
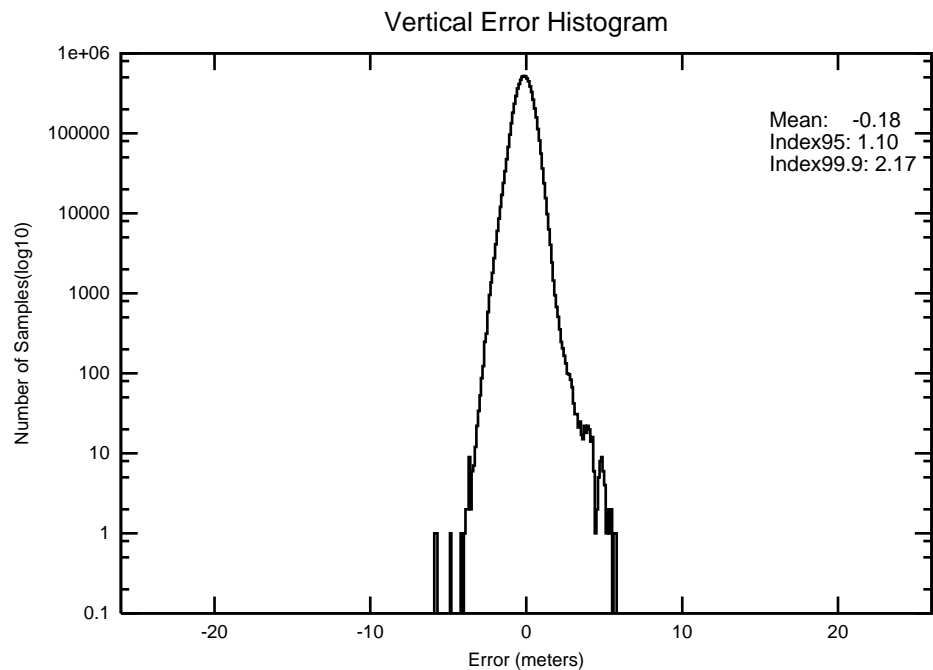
Not PA Samples: 929

Mean: -1.84  
 StdDev: 3.14  
 Index95: 9.33

# Figure 2•8 2-D Histogram for Oklahoma City

Site: Oklahoma\_City

Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04



PA Samples: 6575328

PA mode Unavailable(>556m)

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00

### Figure 2•9 Horizontal Triangle Chart for Washington, DC

Site: WashingtonDC

Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04

HPE vs HPL 3D PA Histogram

All Modes  
L/VNAV(=<556m)

Count: 7800920  
100.000000 %  
Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.24  
Index95: 0.87

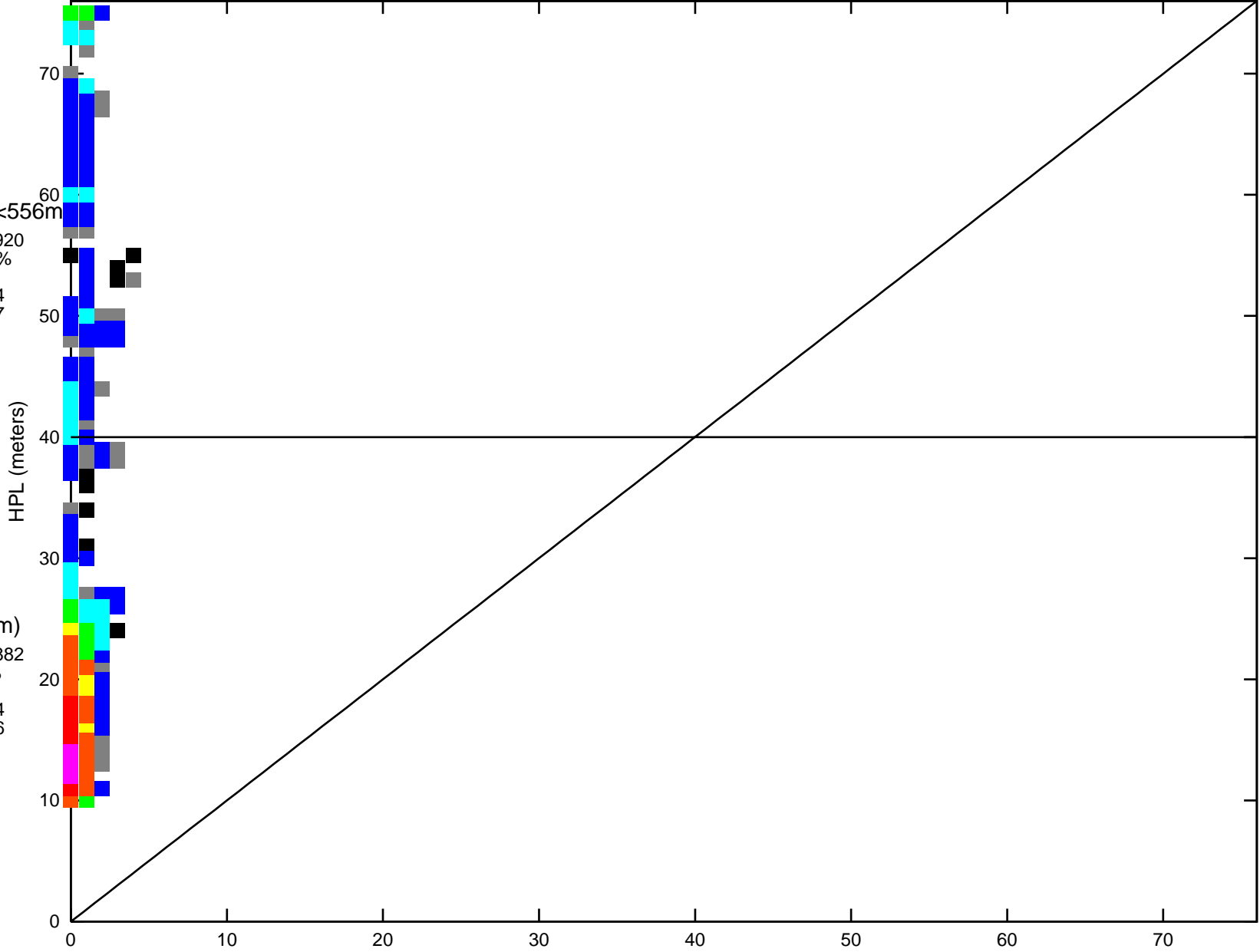
LPV(=<40m)

Count: 7792882  
99.896965 %  
Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.24  
Index95: 0.86

- =1
- <10
- <100
- <1000
- <5000
- <10000
- <100000
- <1000000
- <10000000

Alarm Condition

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00



Samples: 7800920

Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.24  
Index95: 0.87

PA Samples: 7799913

Mean: 0.42  
StdDev: 0.24  
Index95: 0.87

Not PA Samples: 1007

Mean: 1.80  
StdDev: 1.07  
Index95: 4.26



PA mode Unavailable(>50m)

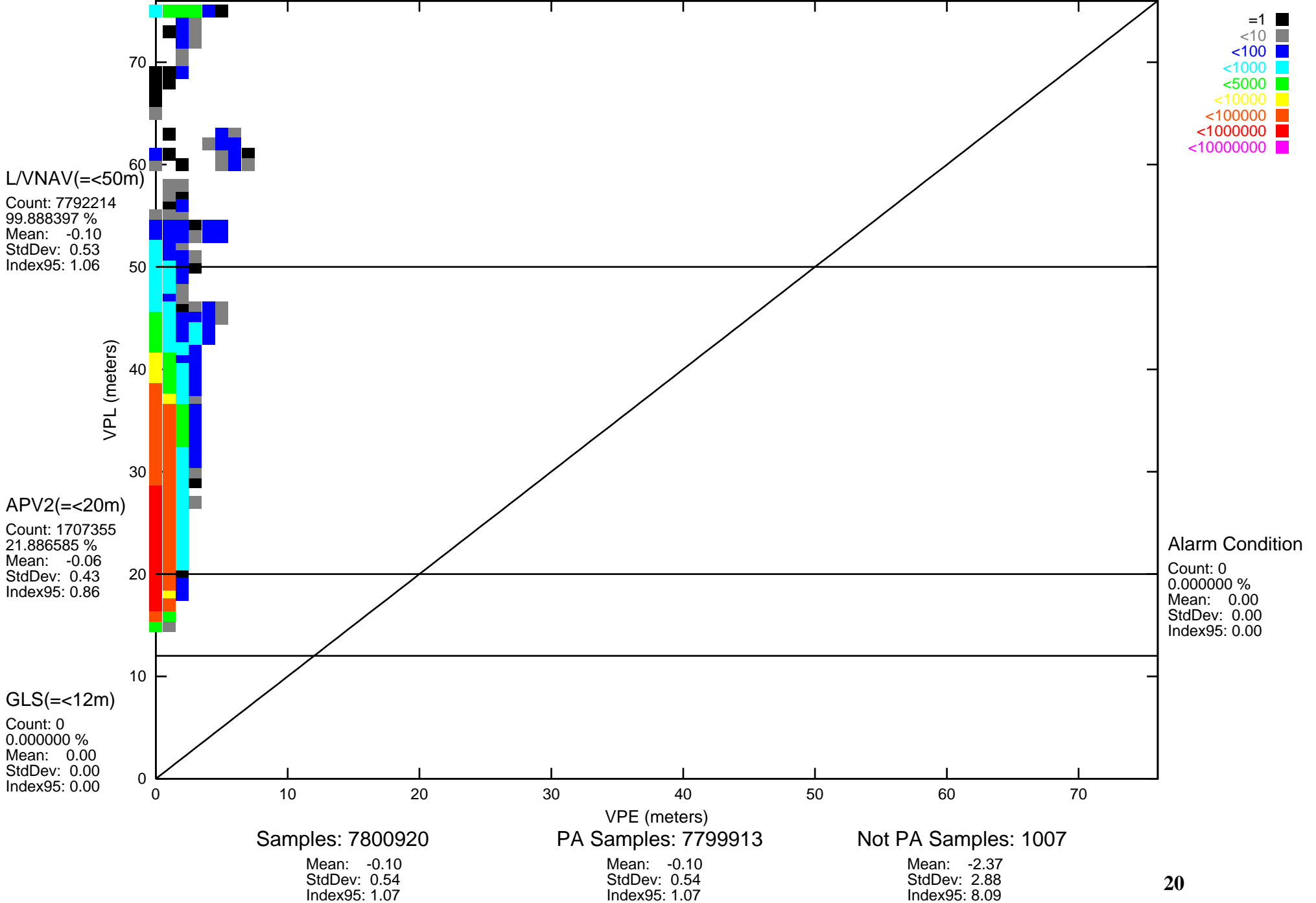
Count: 7699  
0.098693 %  
Mean: -1.96  
StdDev: 1.50  
Index95: 3.70

### Figure 2-10 Vertical Triangle Chart for Washington, DC

Site: WashingtonDC

Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04

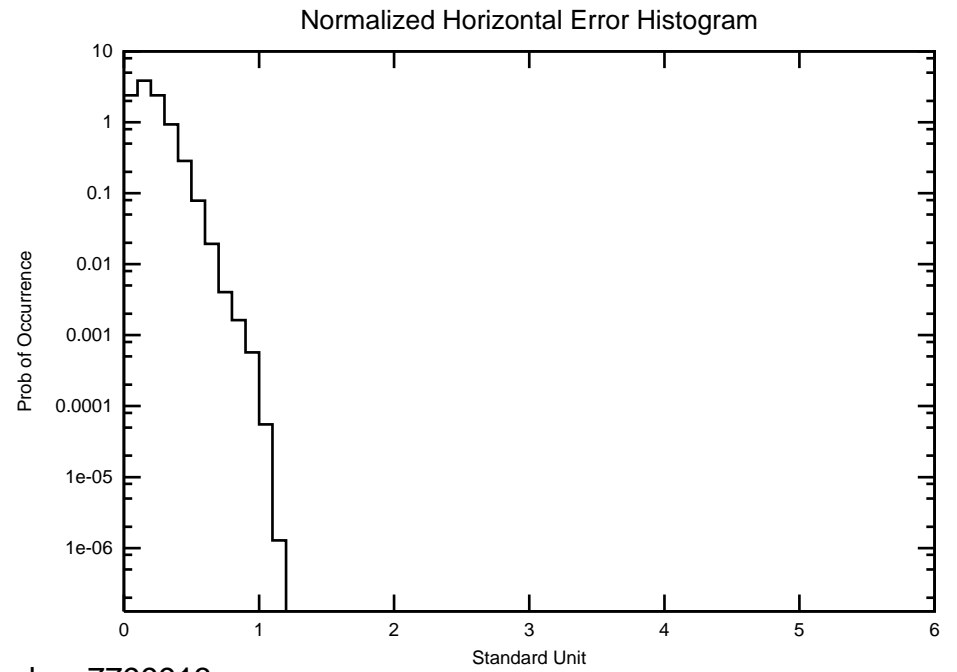
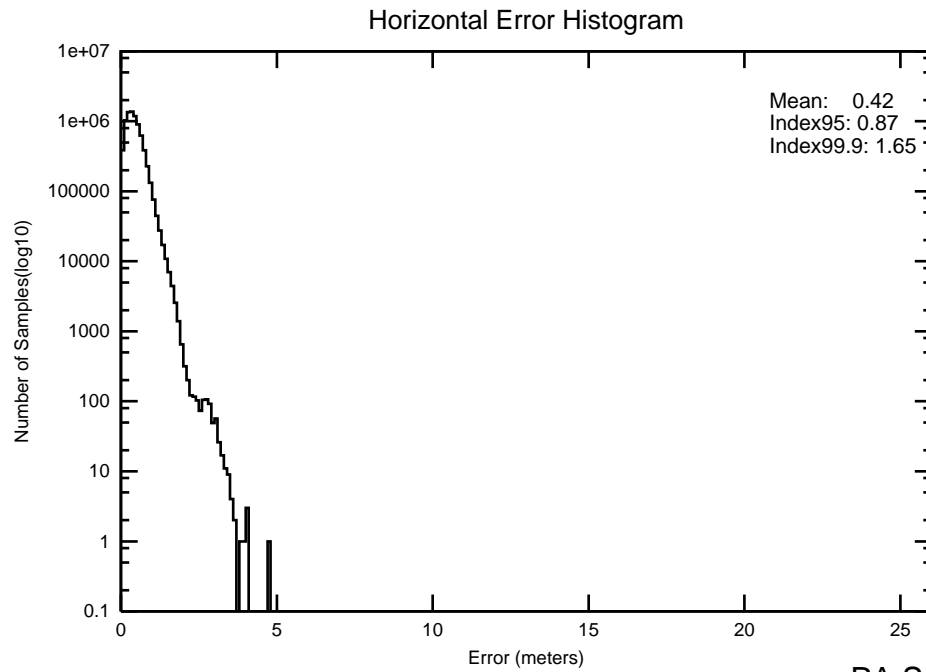
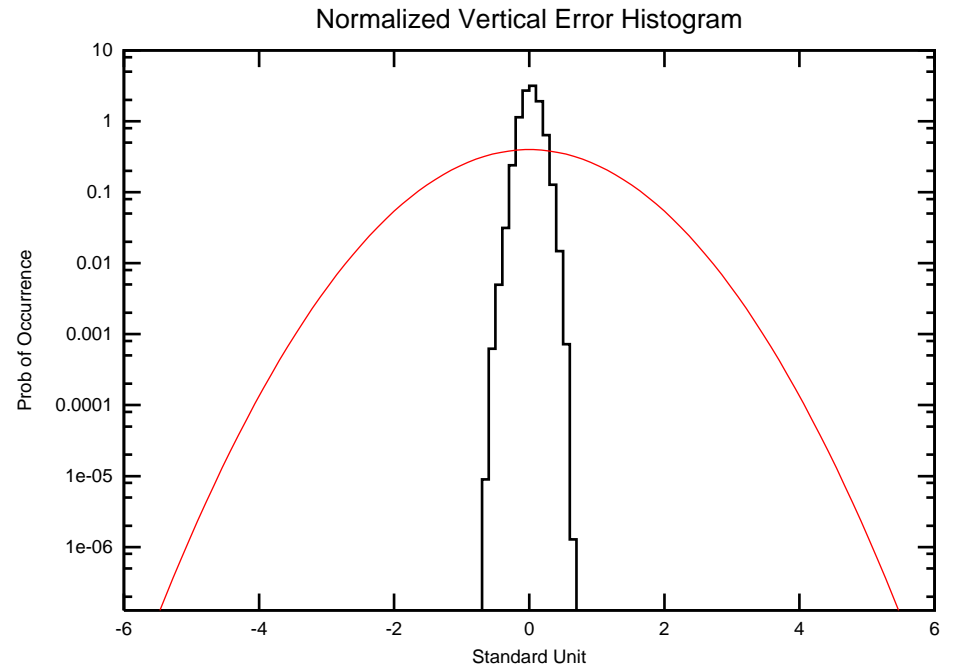
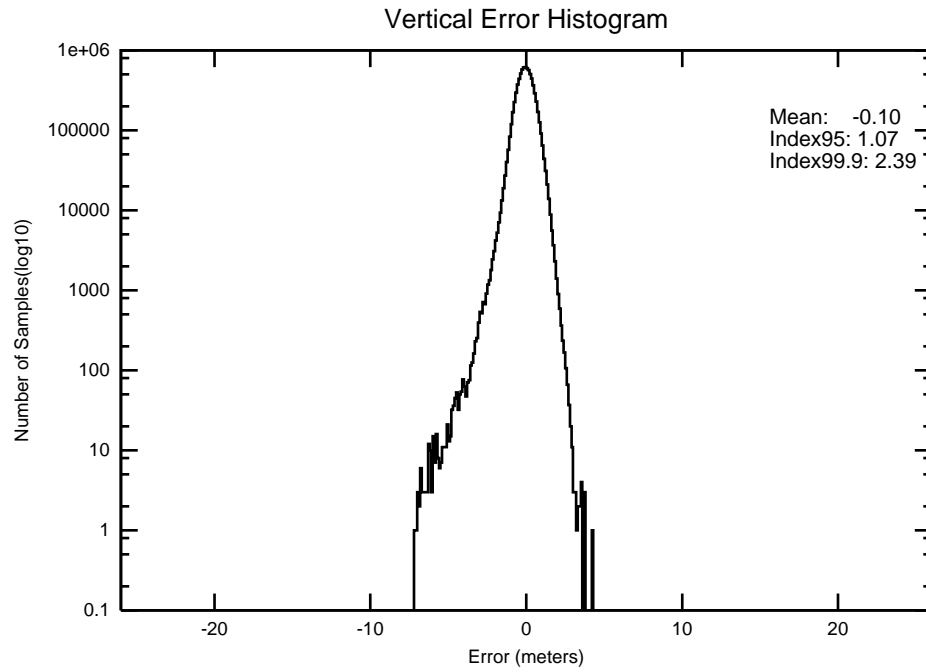
VPE vs VPL 3D PA Histogram



# Figure 2•11 2-D Histogram for Washington, DC

Site: WashingtonDC

Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04



PA Samples: 7799913

Figure 2-12 Horizontal Triangle Chart for Seattle

Site: Seattle Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04

PA mode Unavailable(>556m)

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00

HPE vs HPL 3D PA Histogram

All Modes

L/VNAV(=<556m)

Count: 7291339  
100.000000 %  
Mean: 0.54  
StdDev: 0.34  
Index95: 1.15

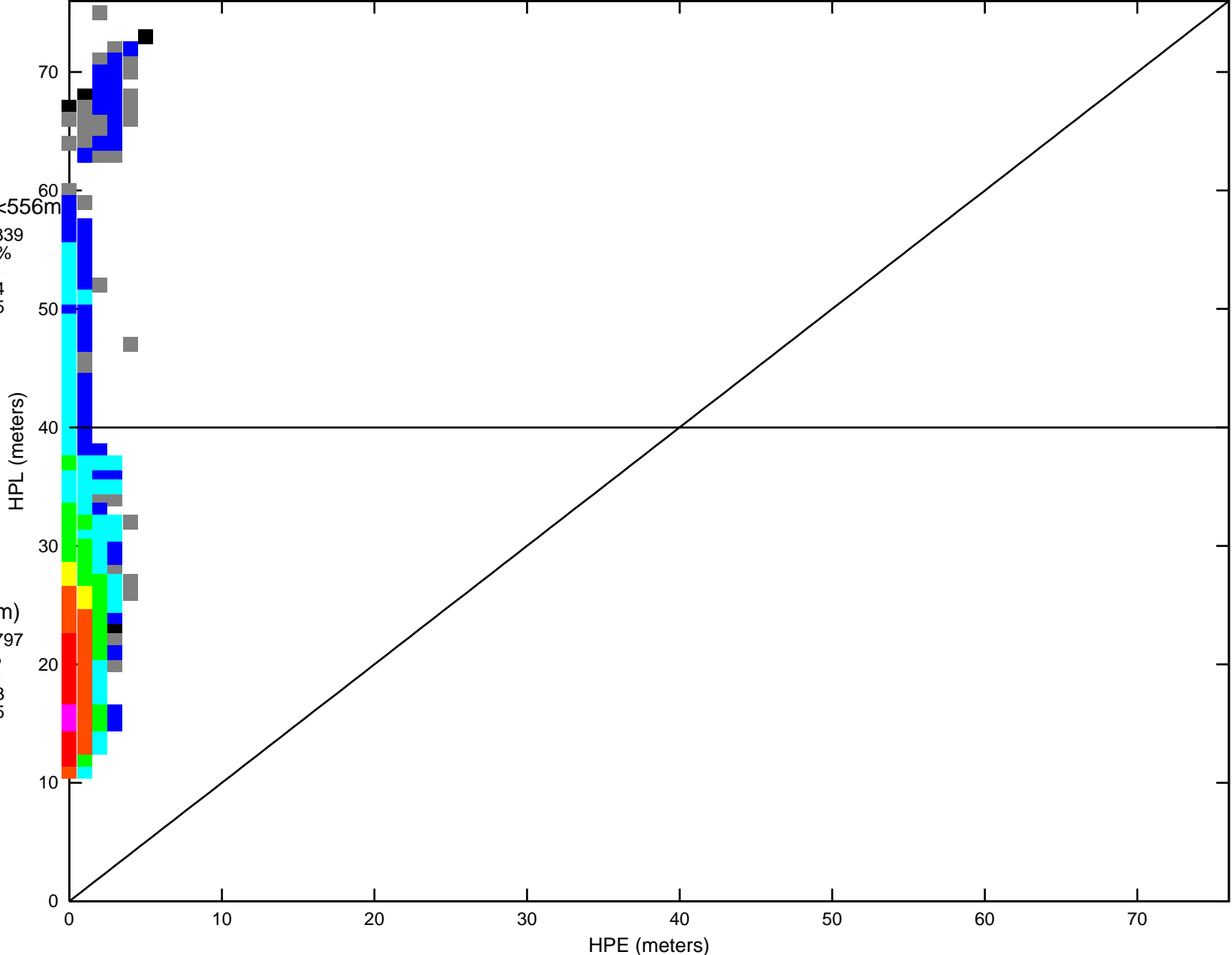
LPV(=<40m)

Count: 7284797  
99.910278 %  
Mean: 0.54  
StdDev: 0.33  
Index95: 1.15

- =1
- <10
- <100
- <1000
- <5000
- <10000
- <100000
- <1000000
- <10000000

Alarm Condition

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00



Samples: 7291339

Mean: 0.54  
StdDev: 0.34  
Index95: 1.15

PA Samples: 7291265

Mean: 0.54  
StdDev: 0.34  
Index95: 1.15

Not PA Samples: 74

Mean: 2.36  
StdDev: 0.82  
Index95: 2.92

PA mode Unavailable(>50m)

Count: 7368  
0.101051 %  
Mean: -0.05  
StdDev: 1.69  
Index95: 2.88

# Figure 2•13 Vertical Triangle Chart for Seattle

Site: Seattle Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04

VPE vs VPL 3D PA Histogram

L/VNAV(= $\leq$ 50m)

Count: 7283897  
99.897934 %  
Mean: -0.29  
StdDev: 0.80  
Index95: 1.72

APV2(= $\leq$ 20m)

Count: 1840941  
25.248325 %  
Mean: -0.20  
StdDev: 0.71  
Index95: 1.48

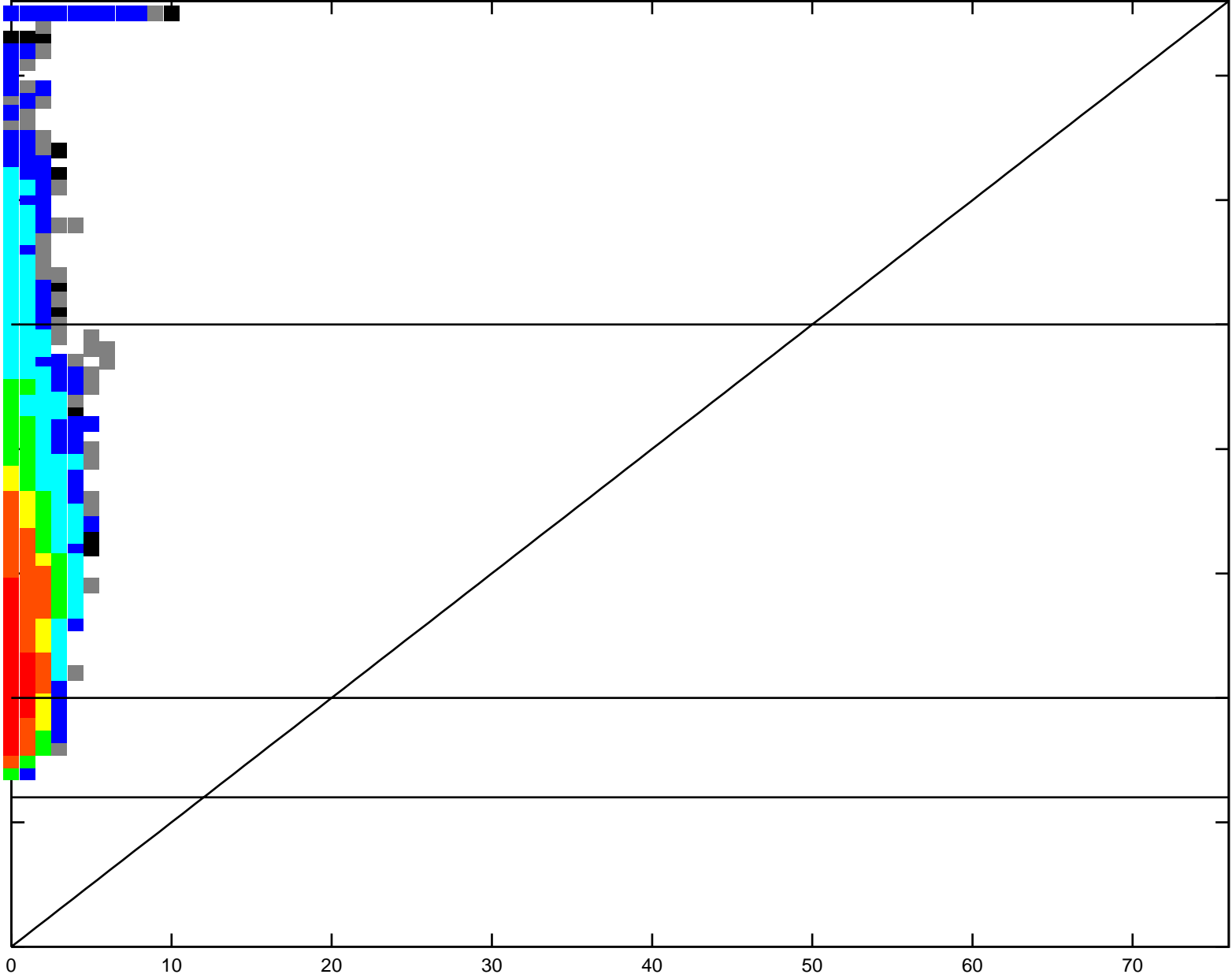
GLS(= $\leq$ 12m)

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00

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- <100
- <1000
- <5000
- <10000
- <100000
- <1000000
- <10000000

Alarm Condition

Count: 0  
0.000000 %  
Mean: 0.00  
StdDev: 0.00  
Index95: 0.00



Samples: 7291339

Mean: -0.29  
StdDev: 0.80  
Index95: 1.72

PA Samples: 7291265

Mean: -0.29  
StdDev: 0.80  
Index95: 1.72

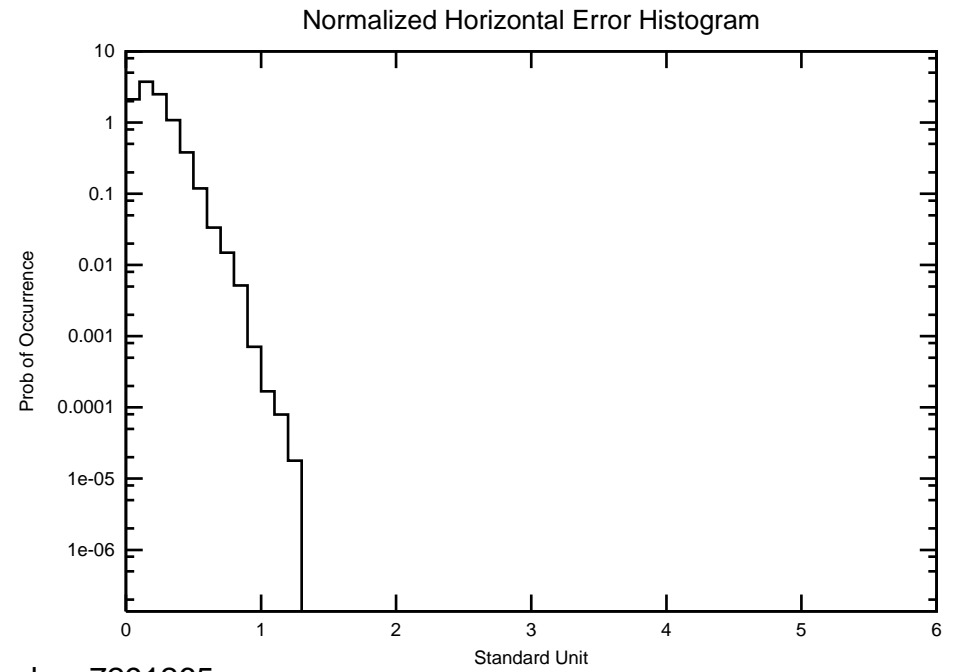
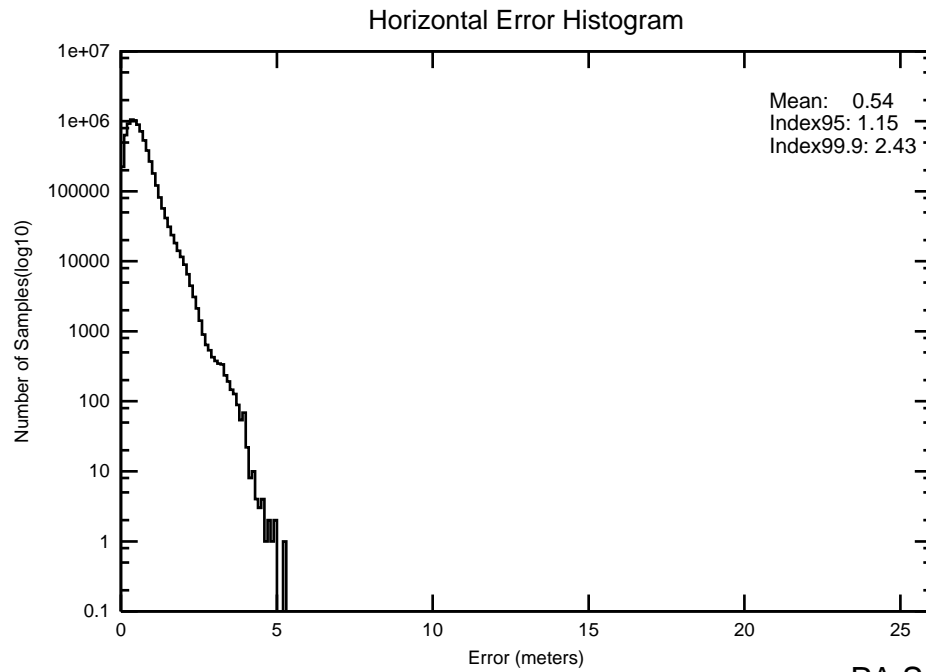
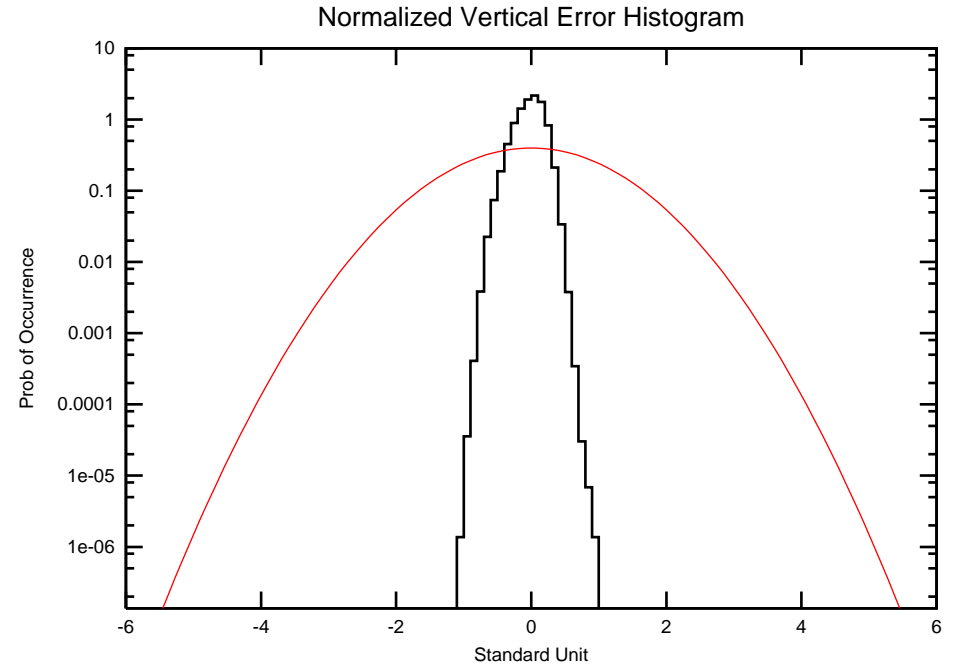
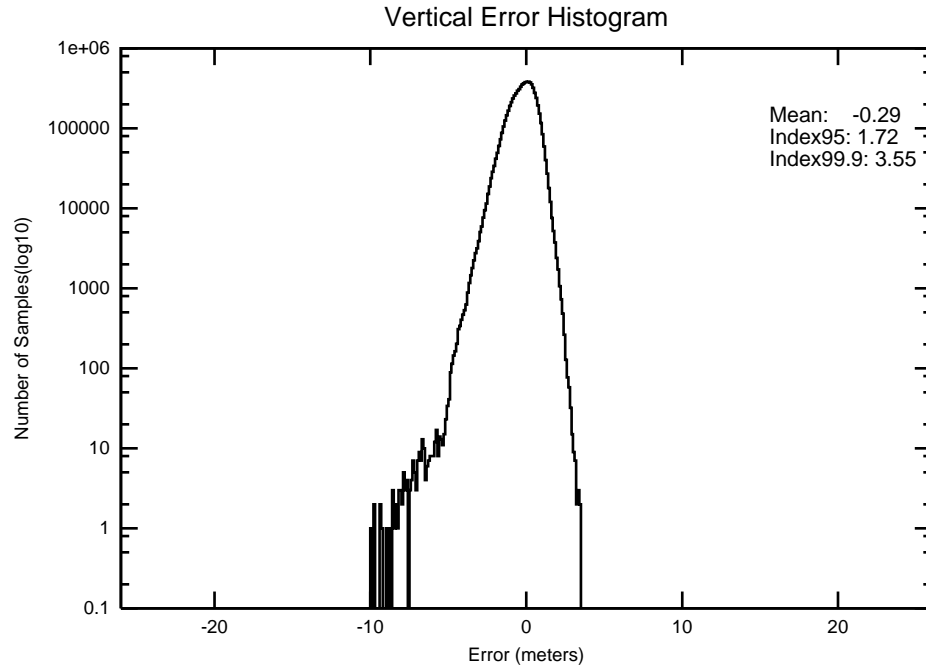
Not PA Samples: 74

Mean: -4.71  
StdDev: 2.33  
Index95: 5.96

# Figure 2-14 2-D Histogram for Seattle

Site: Seattle

Date: 1/1/04-3/31/04



PA Samples: 7291265

### 3.0 AVAILABILITY

WAAS availability evaluation estimates the probability that the WAAS can provide service for the operational service levels (LPV and LNAV/VNAV) defined in Table 2.1. At each receiver, the WAAS message, along with the GPS/GEO satellites tracked, were used to produce WAAS protection levels in accordance with the WAAS MOPS. Table 3.1 shows the protection levels that were maintained for 95% of the time for each receiver location for the quarter. The table also included the percentage in PA mode as described in section 2.0. Table 3.2 presents the percentage of time that WAAS operational service levels were available at each receiver location. Figures 3.1 through 3.4 show the daily instantaneous availability of LNAV/VNAV and LPV service levels for the evaluated period.

The geographic location of each receiver evaluated is depicted in Figure 3.5 and 3.6, along with the 95% VPL value, the WAAS LPV and the LNAV/VNAV instantaneous availability percentage at each location for the quarter.

**Table 3-1 95% Protection Level**

| Location       | 95% HPL<br>(meters) | 95% VPL<br>(meters) | Percentage in PA mode |
|----------------|---------------------|---------------------|-----------------------|
| Anderson       | 17.871              | 31.021              | 99.98667              |
| Atlantic City  | 21.224              | 36.590              | 99.98361              |
| Grand Forks    | 25.622              | 35.405              | 99.97800              |
| Great Falls    | 25.045              | 35.887              | 99.98994              |
| Oklahoma City  | 20.703              | 34.622              | 99.98587              |
| Prescott       | 27.041              | 43.271              | 99.99943              |
| San Angelo     | 28.230              | 44.234              | 99.98603              |
| Albuquerque    | 20.059              | 32.434              | 99.98669              |
| Atlanta        | 17.284              | 30.109              | 99.98691              |
| Billings       | 19.590              | 27.989              | 99.98615              |
| Boston         | 24.289              | 41.234              | 99.98659              |
| Chicago        | 17.132              | 28.742              | 99.97962              |
| Cleveland      | 18.498              | 31.127              | 99.98261              |
| Dallas         | 18.666              | 32.060              | 99.98671              |
| Denver         | 17.958              | 28.581              | 99.97910              |
| Houston        | 21.688              | 36.109              | 99.98644              |
| Jacksonville   | 17.985              | 34.179              | 99.98672              |
| Kansas City    | 16.250              | 27.633              | 99.97816              |
| Los Angeles    | 27.815              | 41.470              | 99.99905              |
| Memphis        | 16.610              | 30.298              | 99.98272              |
| Miami          | 21.694              | 40.847              | 99.98671              |
| Minneapolis    | 18.892              | 29.366              | 99.97955              |
| New York       | 21.177              | 37.512              | 99.98663              |
| Oakland        | 27.836              | 40.608              | 99.99896              |
| Salt Lake City | 19.489              | 28.568              | 99.99913              |
| Seattle        | 22.693              | 30.928              | 99.99899              |
| Washington DC  | 18.047              | 32.076              | 99.98709              |

**Table 3-2 Average Quarterly Availability Statistics**

| <b>Location</b> | <b>LPV<br/>(HAL = 40m<br/>VAL = 50m)<br/>Percentage of time</b> | <b>LNAV/VNAV<br/>(HAL= 556m<br/>VAL = 50m)<br/>Percentage of time</b> |
|-----------------|---|---|
| Anderson        | 0.99964   | 0.99972   |
| Atlantic City   | 0.99674   | 0.99738   |
| Elko            | 0.99773   | 0.99797   |
| Grand Forks     | 0.98908   | 0.98913   |
| Great Falls     | 0.99869   | 0.99907   |
| Oklahoma City   | 0.99804   | 0.99805   |
| Prescott        | 0.99083   | 0.99247   |
| San Angelo      | 0.98498   | 0.98567   |
| Albuquerque     | 0.99961   | 0.99967   |
| Atlanta         | 0.99955   | 0.99955   |
| Billings        | 0.99937   | 0.99949   |
| Boston          | 0.99275   | 0.99335   |
| Chicago         | 0.99825   | 0.99833   |
| Cleveland       | 0.99839   | 0.99852   |
| Dallas          | 0.99977   | 0.99977   |
| Denver          | 0.99976   | 0.99977   |
| Houston         | 0.99939   | 0.99939   |
| Jacksonville    | 0.99966   | 0.99966   |
| Kansas City     | 0.99932   | 0.99933   |
| Los Angeles     | 0.98927   | 0.99022   |
| Memphis         | 0.99948   | 0.99949   |
| Miami           | 0.99242   | 0.99255   |
| Minneapolis     | 0.99848   | 0.99860   |
| New York        | 0.99637   | 0.99664   |
| Oakland         | 0.99275   | 0.99365   |
| Salt Lake City  | 0.99982   | 0.99983   |
| Seattle         | 0.99876   | 0.99898   |
| Washington DC   | 0.99878   | 0.99888   |

During the evaluated period, the maximum 95% HPL and VPL are 28.230 meters and 44.234 meters, both at San Angelo. The minimum 95% HPL and VPL are 16.250 meters in Kansas City and 27.633 meters, both at Kansas City. LNAV/VNAV instantaneous availability ranges between 98.6% and 100%. LPV instantaneous availability ranges between 98.5% and 100%. Note that there were no major ionospheric storms during this quarter that would lower the availability of WAAS.

Figure 3•1 LNAV/VNAV Instantaneous Availability

LNAV/VNAV Availability (HAL = 556m & VAL = 50m)

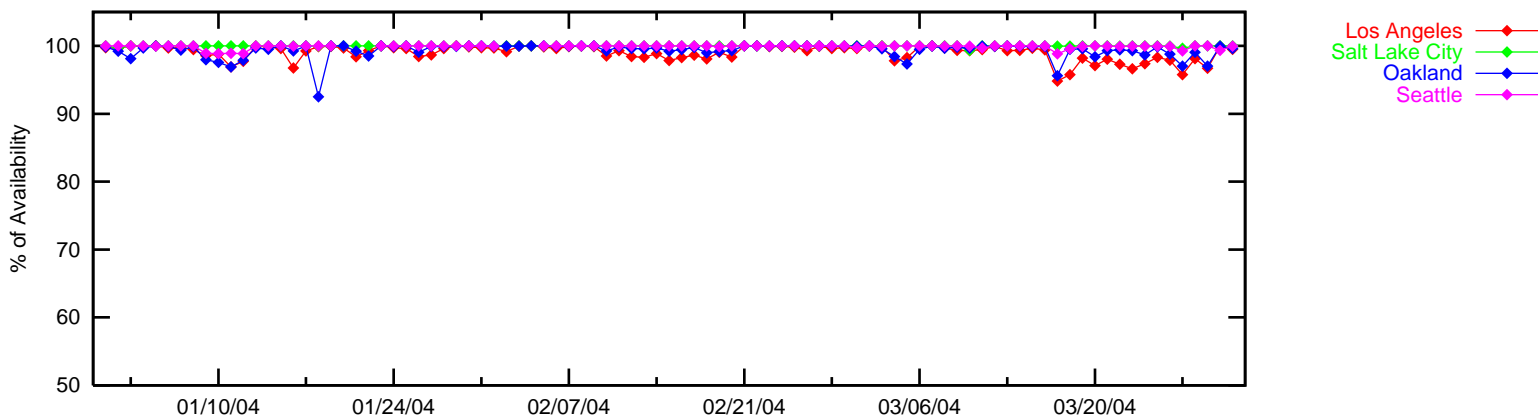
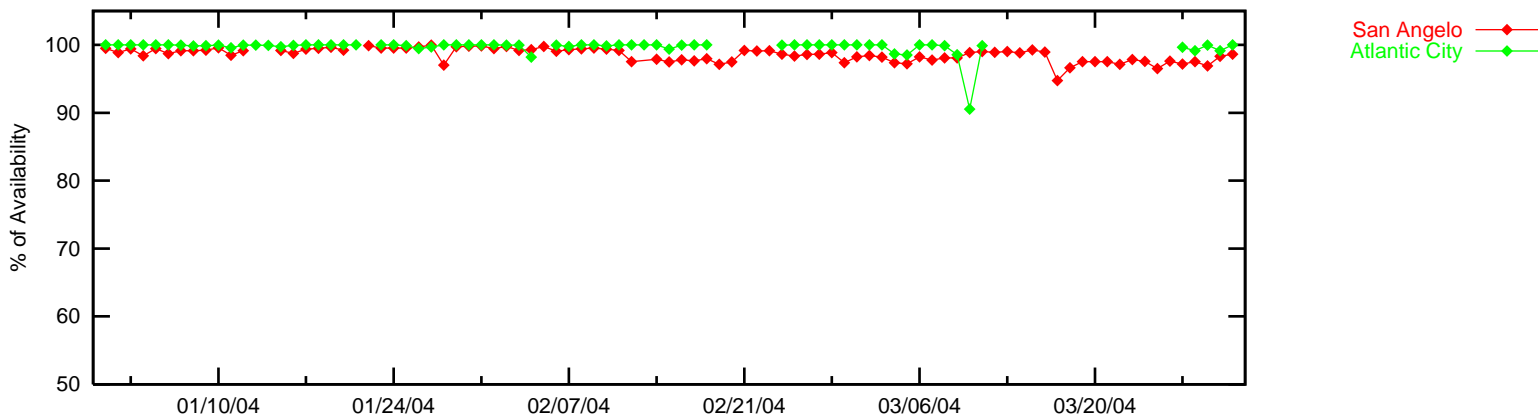
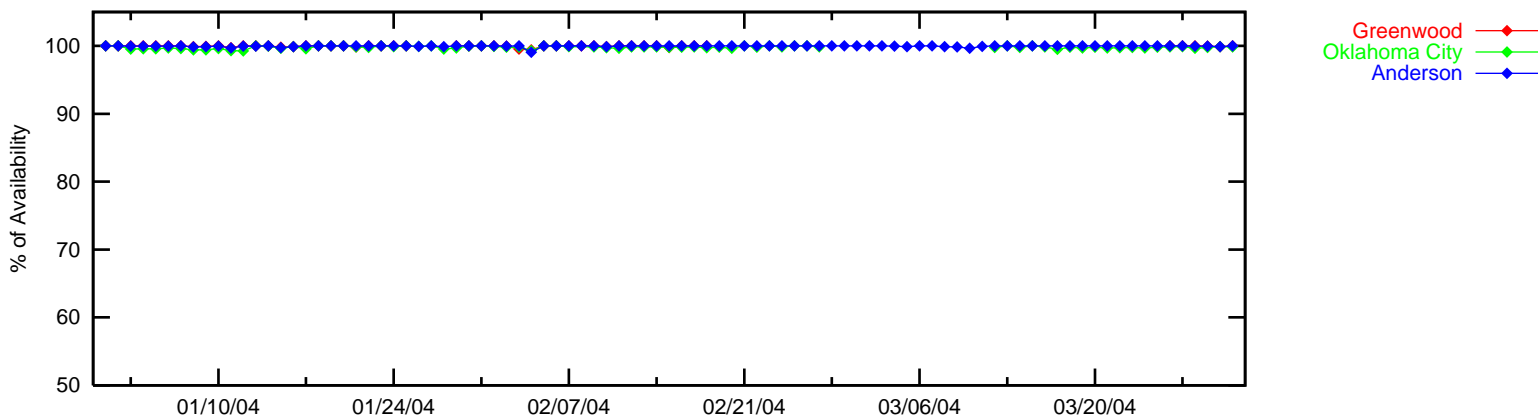
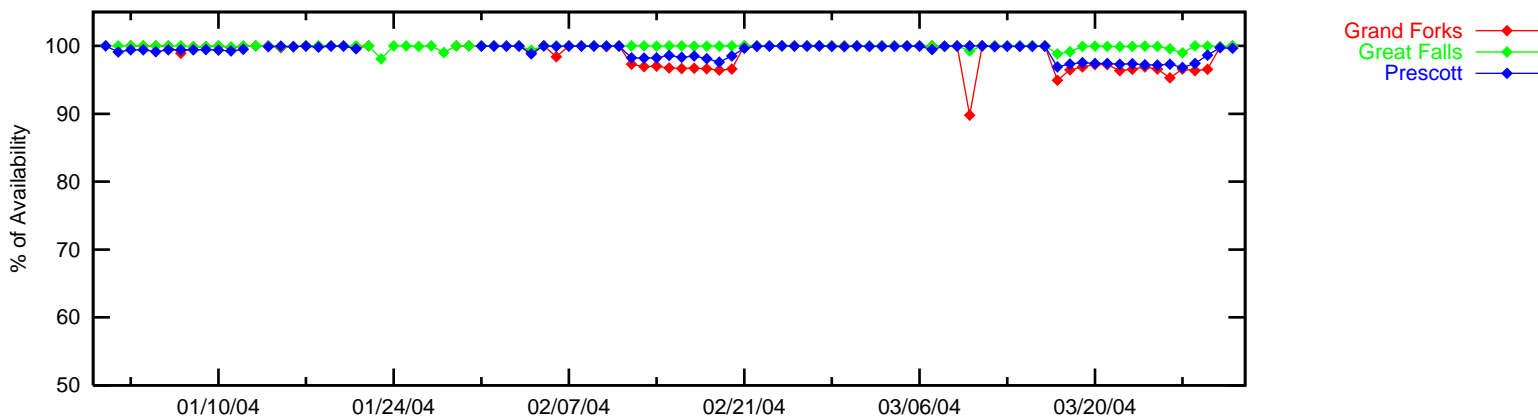




Figure 3•2 LNAV/VNAV Instantaneous Availability

LNAV/VNAV Availability (HAL = 556m & VAL = 50m)

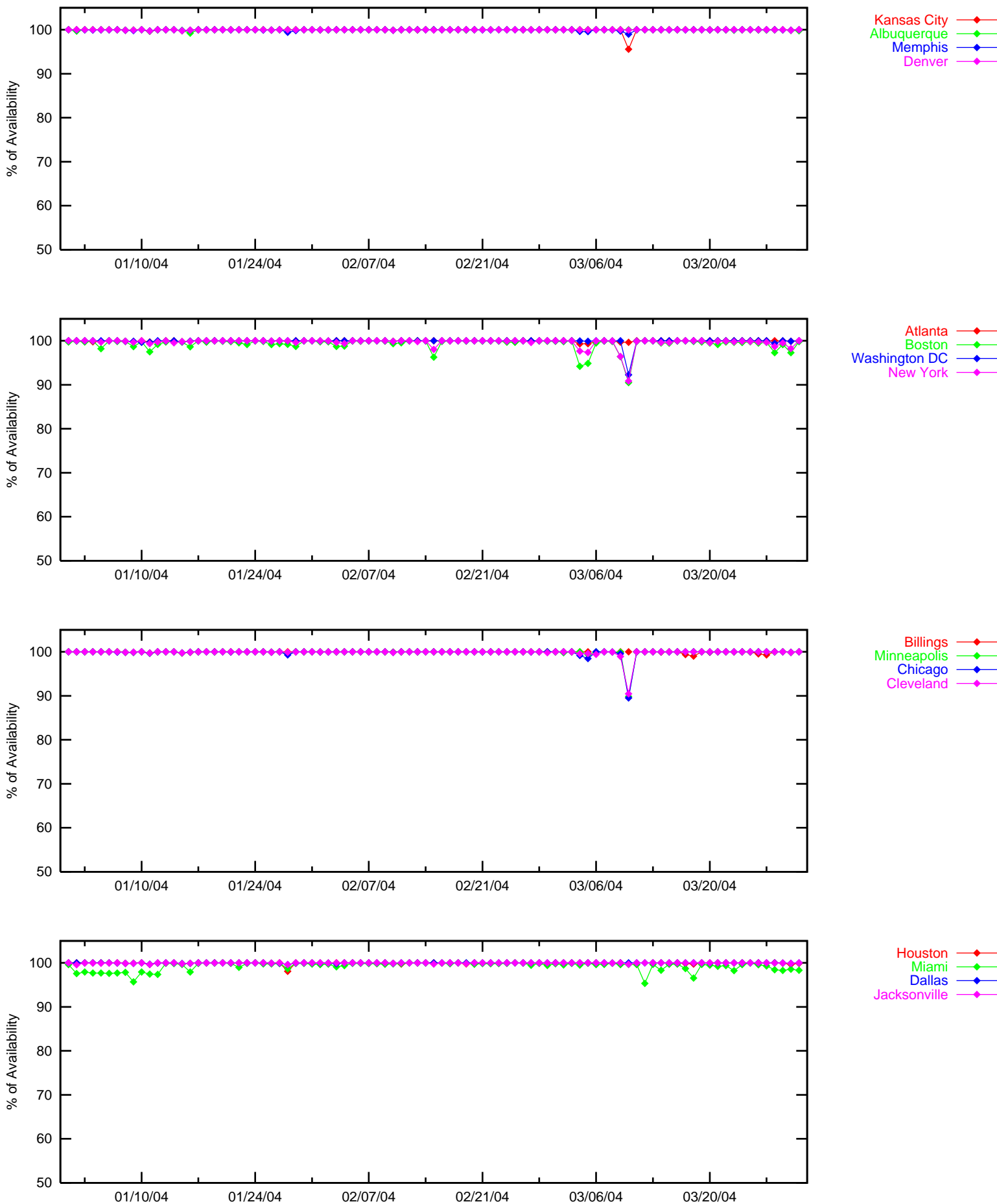


Figure 3•3 LPV Instantaneous Availability

LPV Availability (HAL = 40m & VAL = 50m)

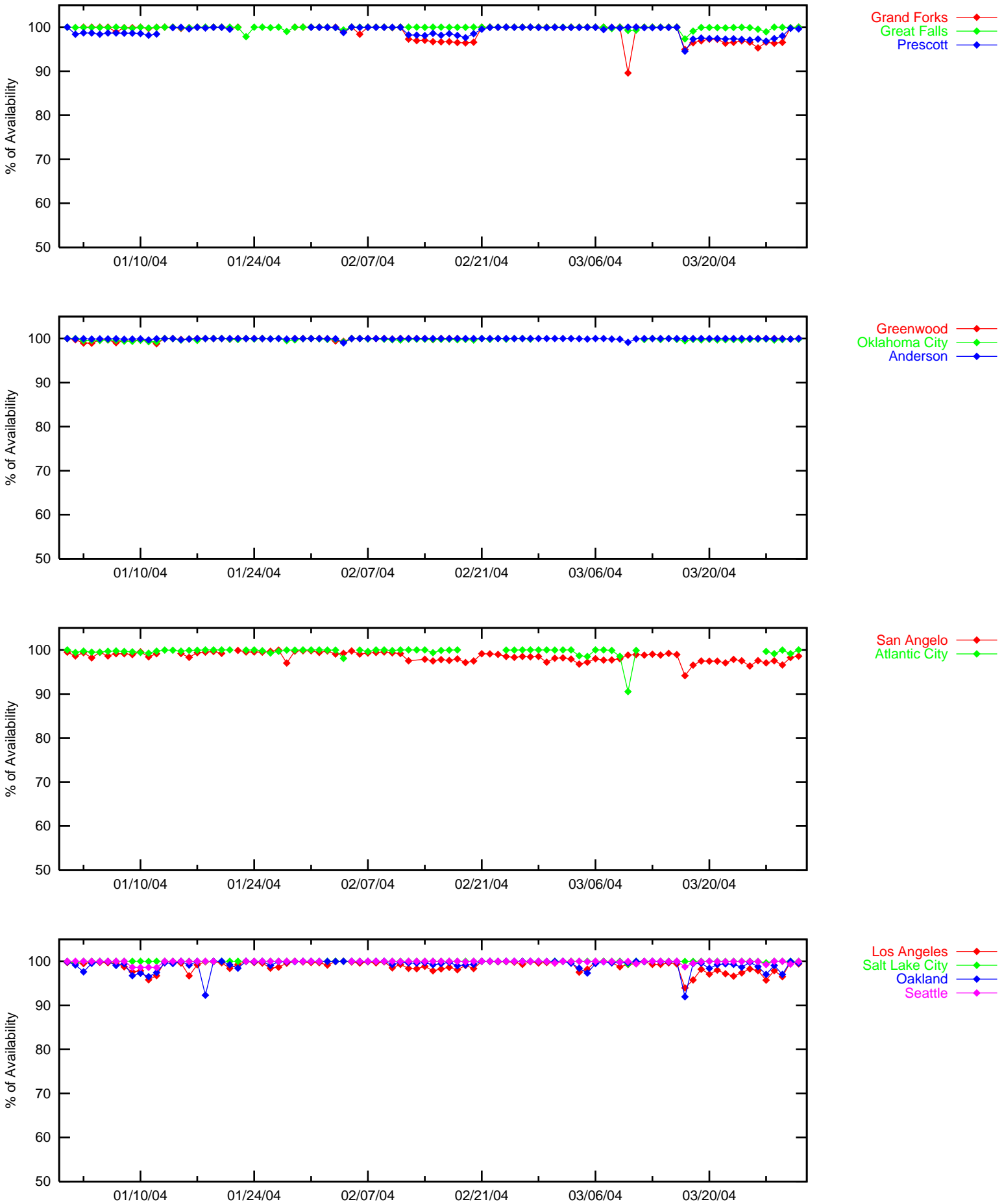


Figure 3•4 LPV Instantaneous Availability

LPV Availability (HAL = 40m & VAL = 50m)

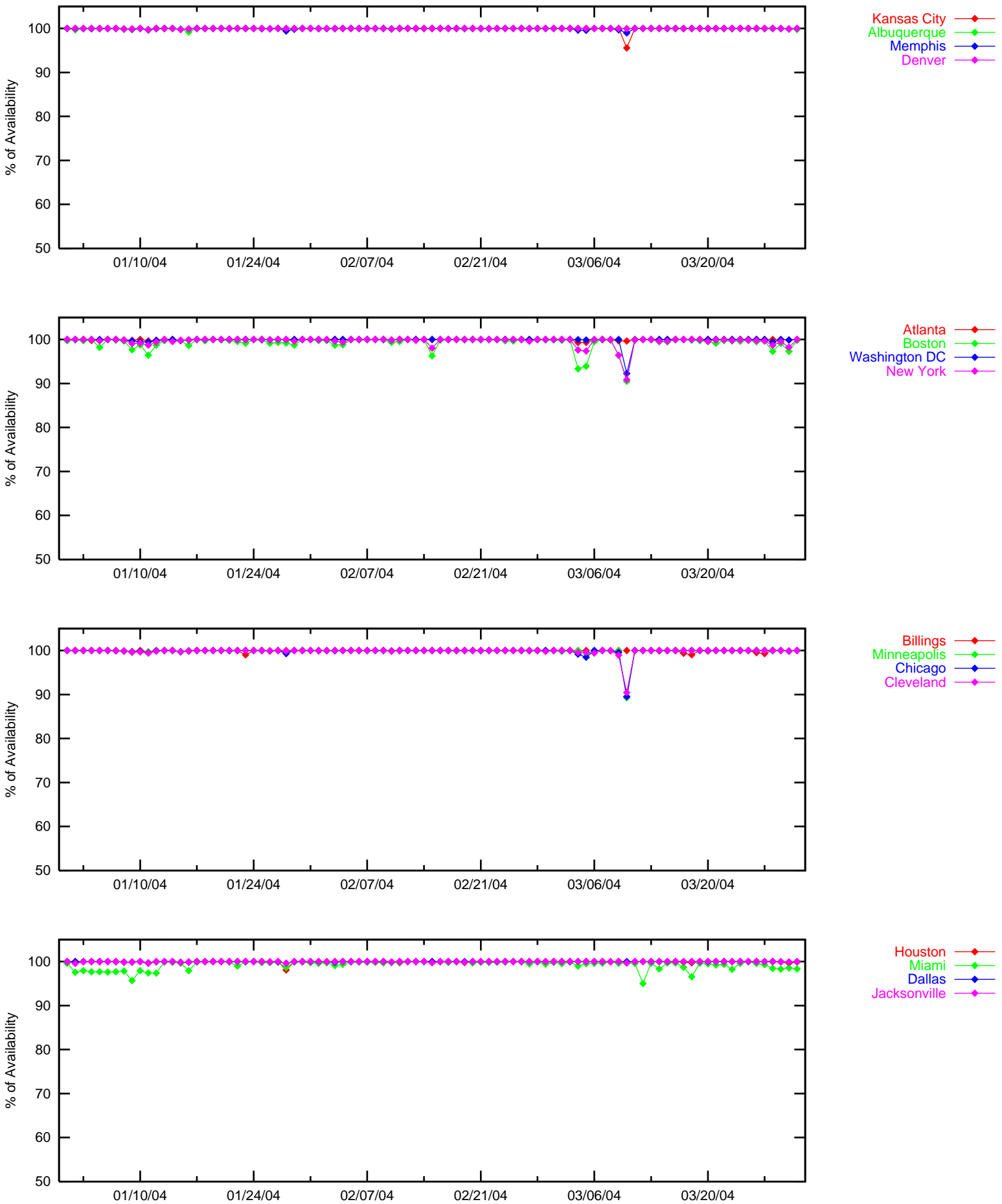


Figure 3-5 95% VPL, LPV and LNAV/VNAV Availability – NSTB

sites

95% VPL, LPV and LNAV/VNAV Availability - NSTB Sites

January 1 - March 31, 2004

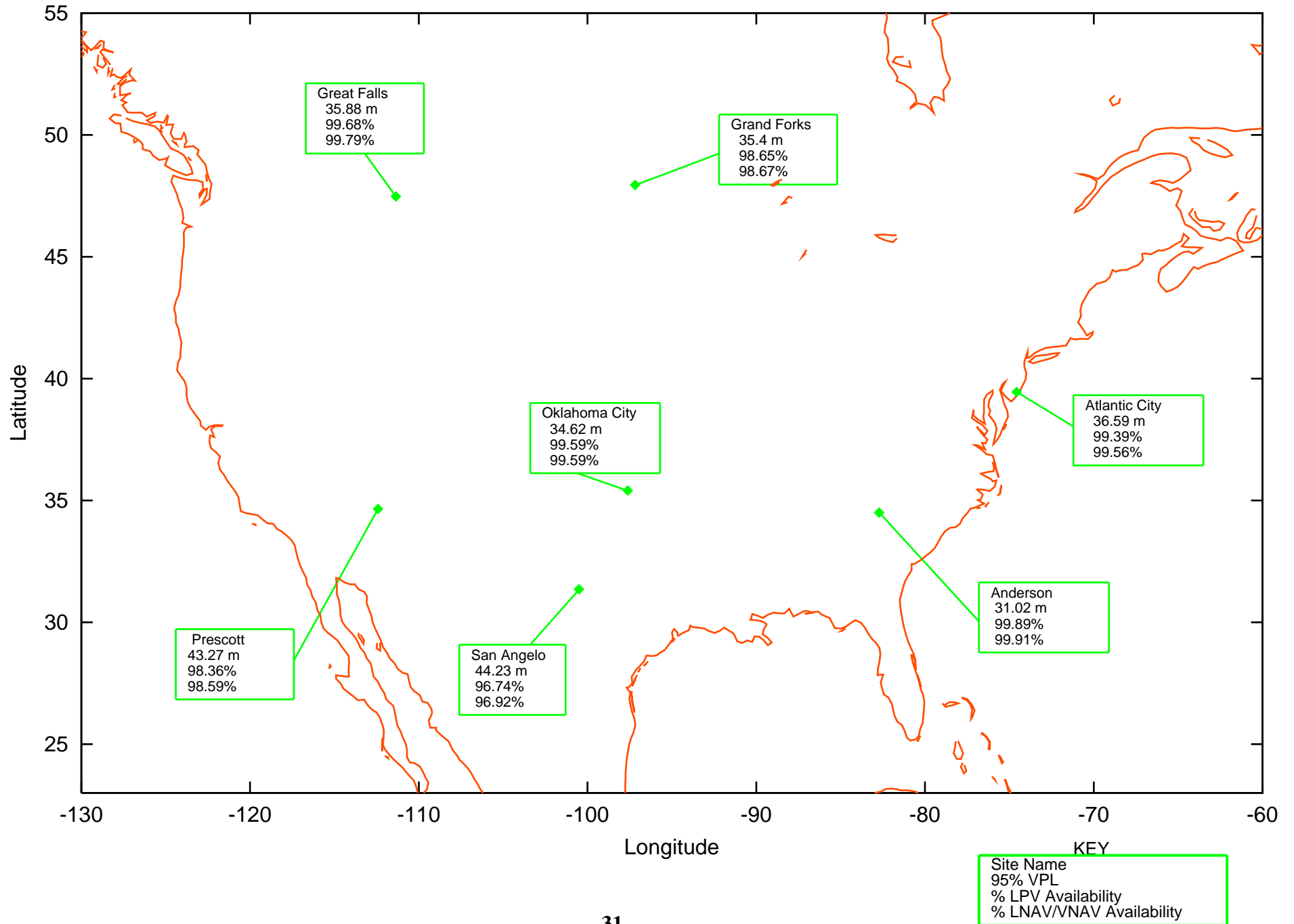
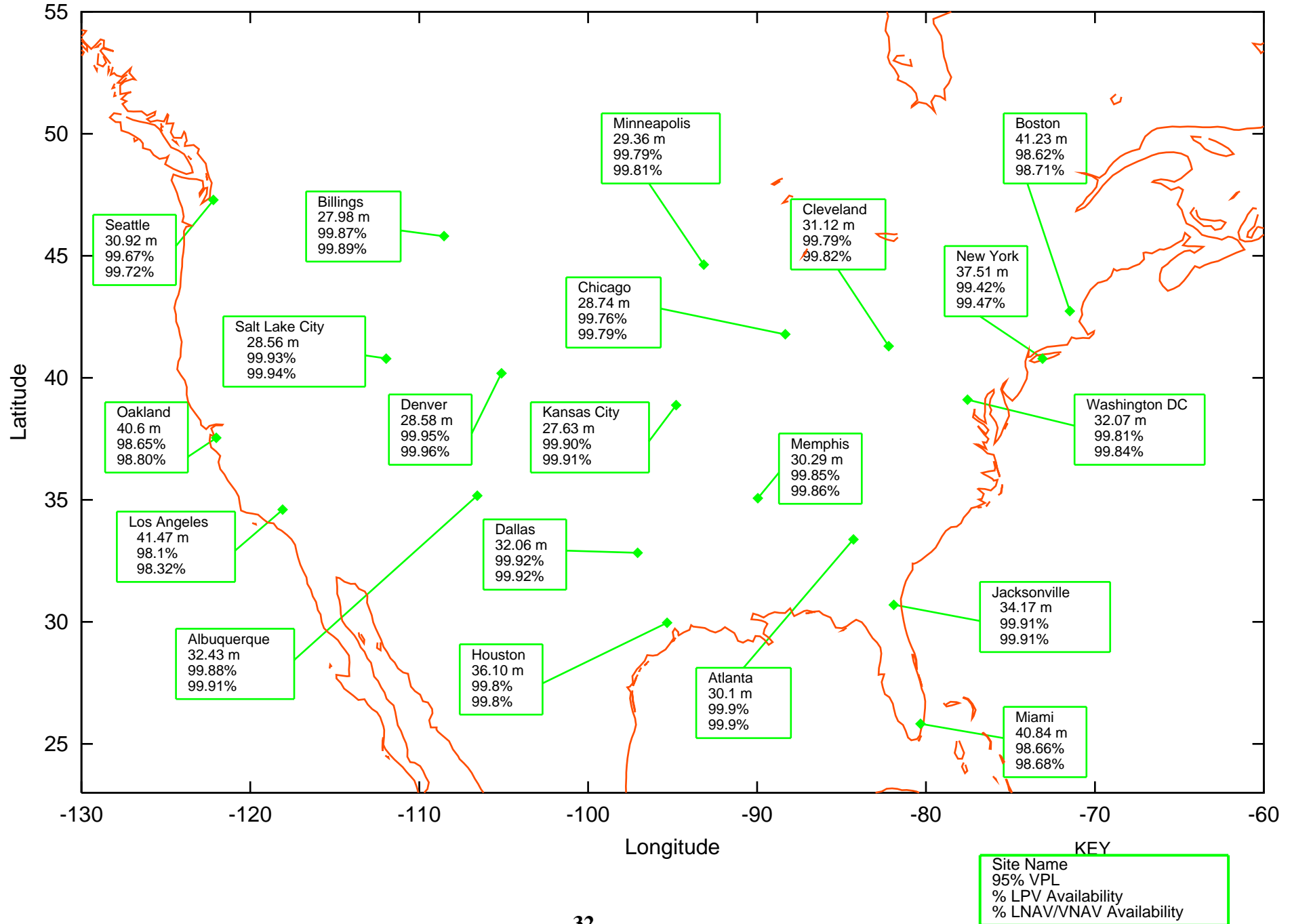


Figure 3•6 95% VPL , LPV and LNAV/VNAV Availability – WAAS sites

95% VPL, LPV and LNAV/VNAV Availability - WAAS Sites

January 1 - March 31, 2004



#### 4.0 COVERAGE

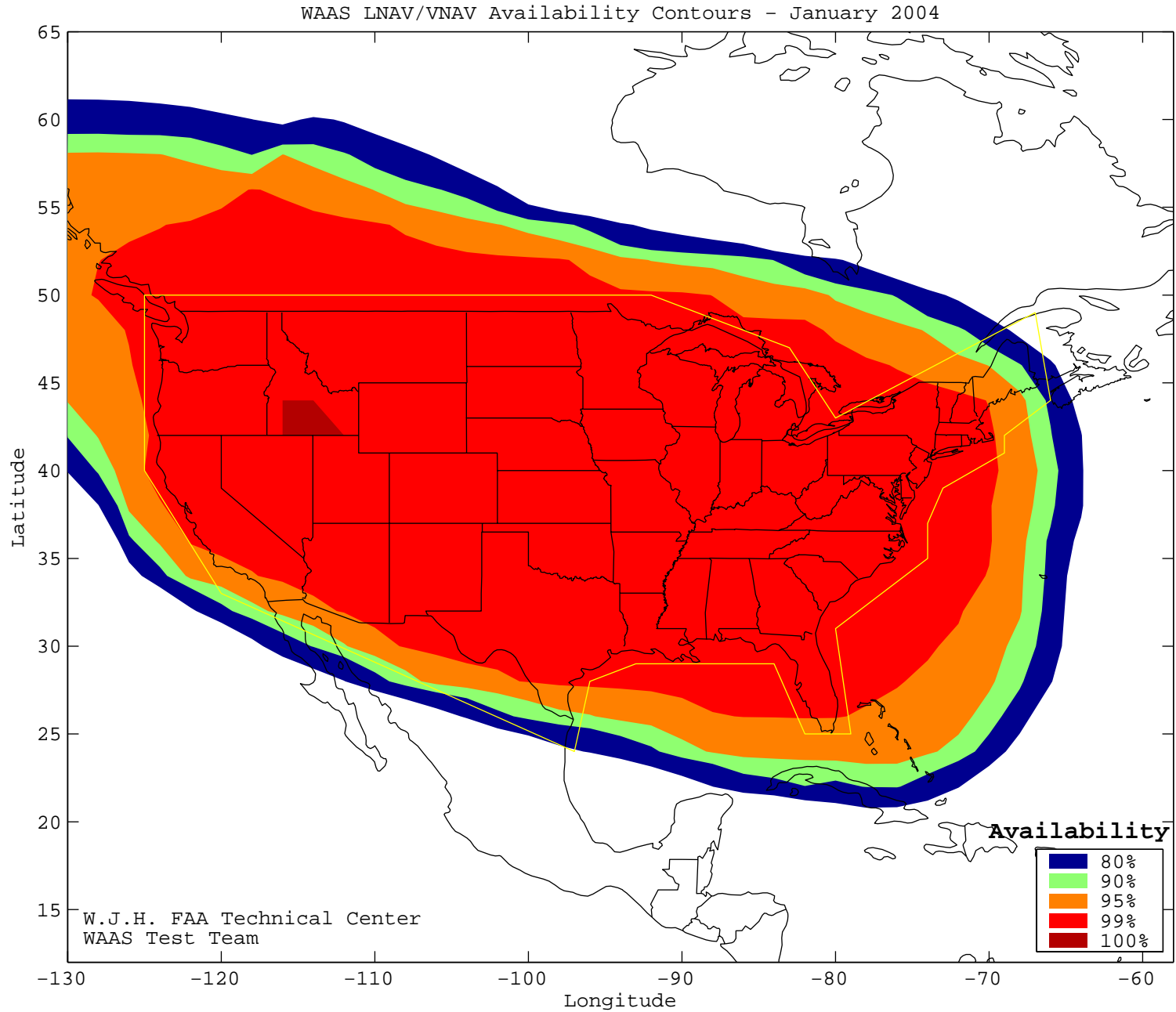
WAAS coverage area evaluation estimates the percent of service volume where WAAS is providing LPV, LNAV/VNAV and NPA services. The WAAS message and the GPS/GEO satellite status are used to determine WAAS availability across North America. For PA coverage, protection levels were calculated at two-minute intervals and at two degree spacing over PA service volume, while NPA coverage was calculated at two-minute intervals and five degree spacing over NPA service volume.

Daily analysis for PA was conducted for both LPV and LNAV/VNAV service levels. Figures 4.1 to 4.3 and 4.5 to 4.7 show the WAAS LNAV/VNAV and LPV coverage area for each month for this quarter, respectively. Figures 4.4 and 4.8 show the rollup WAAS LNAV/VNAV and LPV coverage for the quarter. The coverage plots also provide 100, 99, 95, 90 and 80% availability contours. Figure 4.13 shows the daily WAAS LNAV/VNAV and LPV coverage at 99% availability and ionosphere Kp index values for this quarter. The drop in the LNAV/VNAV and LPV coverage on March 10 is due to all satellites being set to Not Monitored. The reason all the satellites were set to Not Monitored is due to the trip of the User Position Monitor (UPM) at the Minneapolis reference station. The UPM is part of the WAAS safety architecture that ensures no HMI is transmitted to users. In this case, the trip only occurred for the POR satellite. The root cause of the problem was higher than normal ionospheric activity on this day so there were differences in the measured versus calculated ionospheric delays. The monitor tripped only on the POR satellite because the WAAS message scheduler permits the long term corrections to be calculated separately for each GEO. Raytheon continues to research this anomaly.

In Figure 4-14, the most of the drops in NPA coverage is due to GUS switchovers. The switchovers cause a loss of WAAS service for a period of up to 5 minutes, for LNAV/VNAV and LPV users. For enroute/NPA users the time of lost service is shorter. On March 8, March 10, and March 17 the cause of the drop is not due to GUS switchovers. On March 8 a type 0 message was transmitted by WAAS for one second causing, per the MOPS, all data in the user to be discarded and then reacquired. Note that there was 100% WAAS NPA coverage at 99% availability. On March 10 the WAAS UPM tripped. This caused all satellites to go to 'Not Monitored' and therefore caused a loss of NPA service. Please see the previous paragraph for more information on the UPM. On March 17 two satellites, PRN 5 and 6 were out of service. The reduction in the number of available GPS satellites caused a loss of 100% coverage with 100% availability at the far western edge of the WAAS service volume. This loss of NPA coverage is in the Pacific Ocean between Alaska and Hawaii.

Figure 4.9 to 4.11 show the NPA coverage area of each month and Figure 4.12 shows the rollup NPA coverage for the quarter. Daily analysis for NPA was based on a 99.9% availability requirement. The NPA coverage plots also provide 100, 99.9 and 99% availability contours. Figure 4.14 shows the daily NPA coverage at 99.9% availability and ionosphere Kp index values for this quarter. Drops in NPA coverage on October 2, October 15, November 20, December 2, December 12, December 18, and December 20 are caused by GUS switchovers.

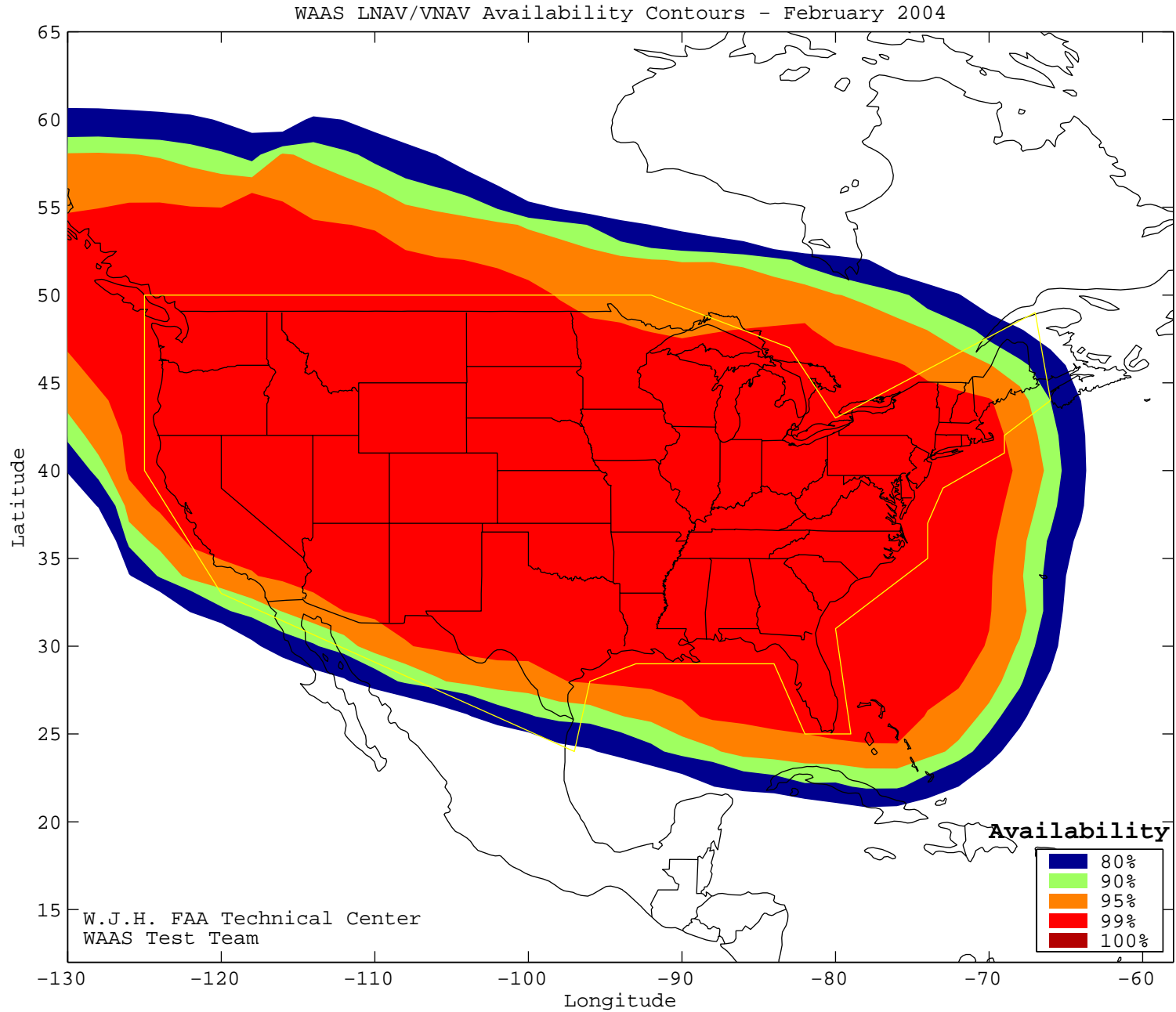
**Figure 4•1 WAAS LNAV/VNAV Coverage - January**



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 97.17  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 92.71  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 2.024

SL = LNAV

Figure 4•2 WAAS LNAV/VNAV Coverage - February

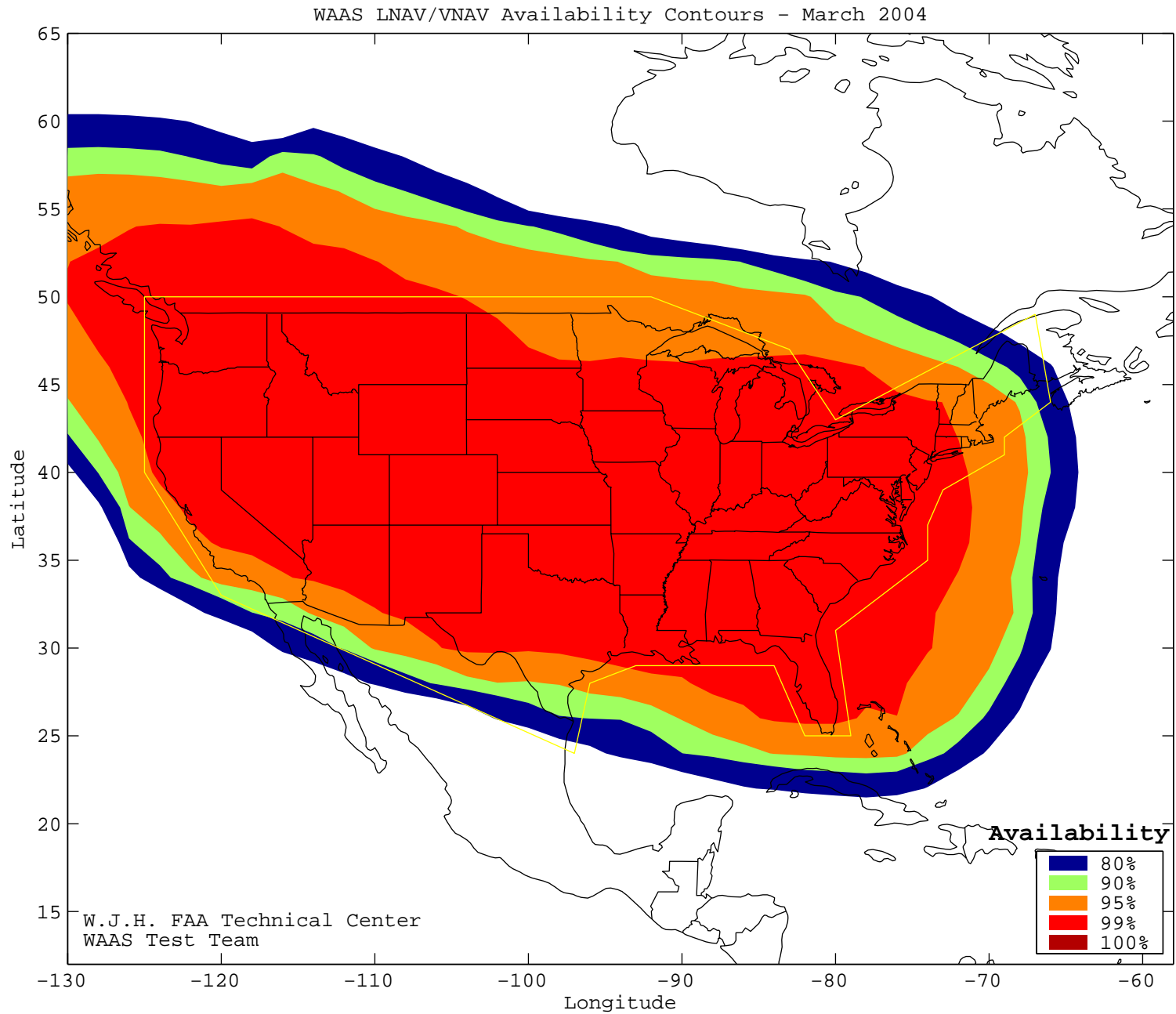


CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 97.17  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 90.69  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = LNAV



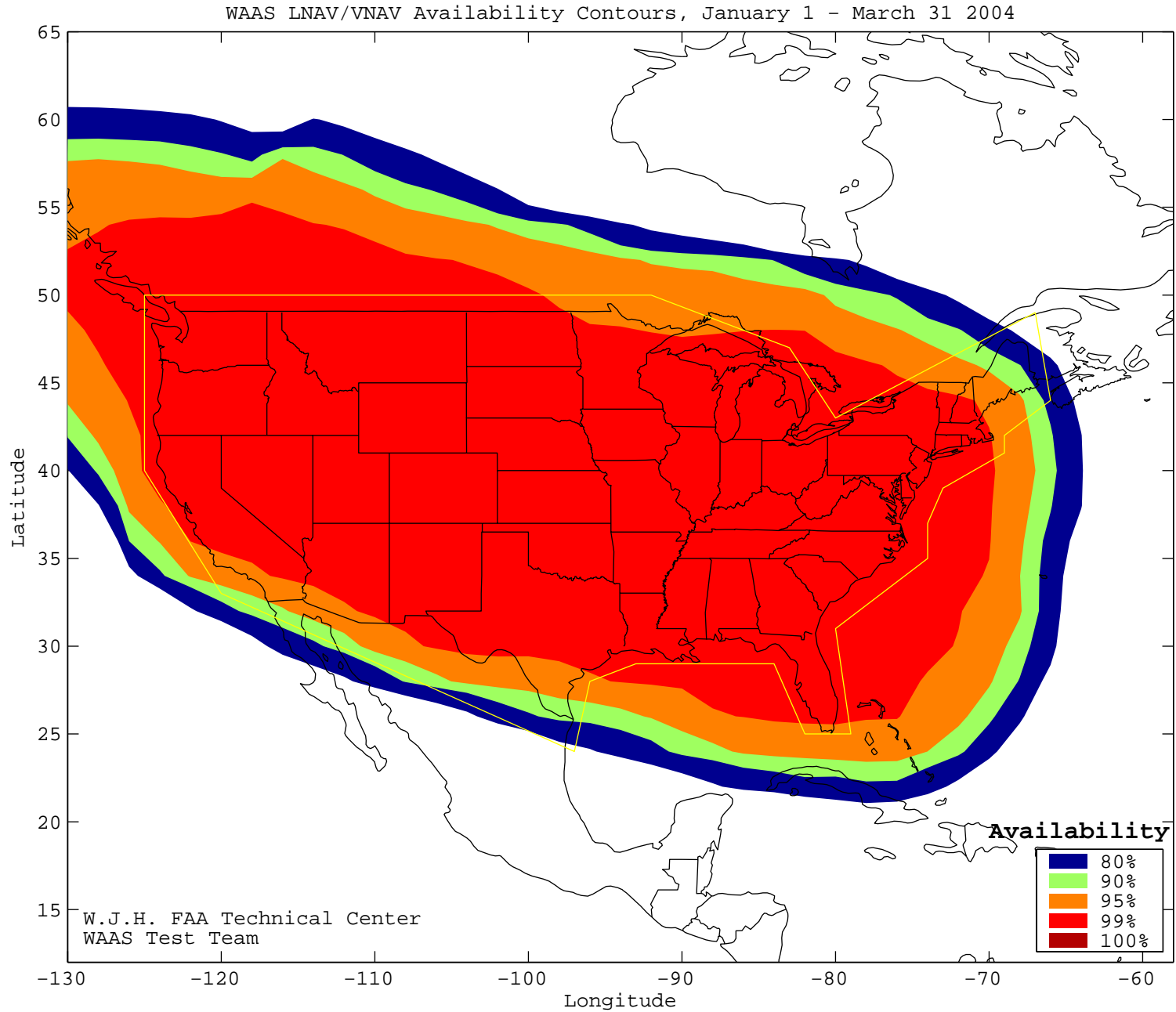
**Figure 4•3 WAAS LNAV/VNAV Coverage – March**



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 94.33  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 85.02  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = LNAV

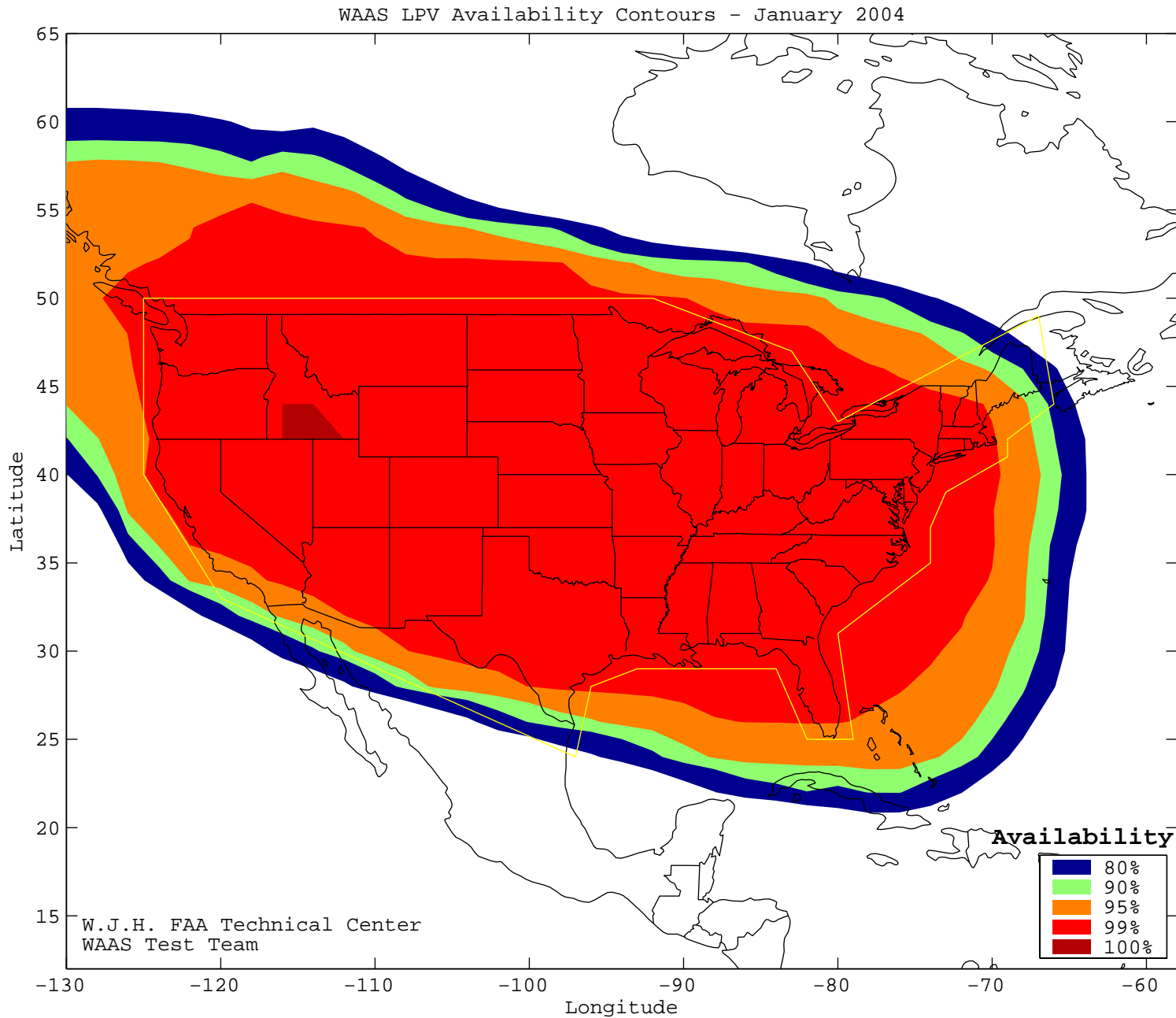
**Figure 4•4 WAAS LNAV/VNAV Coverage for the Quarter**



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 96.36  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 89.47  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = LNAV

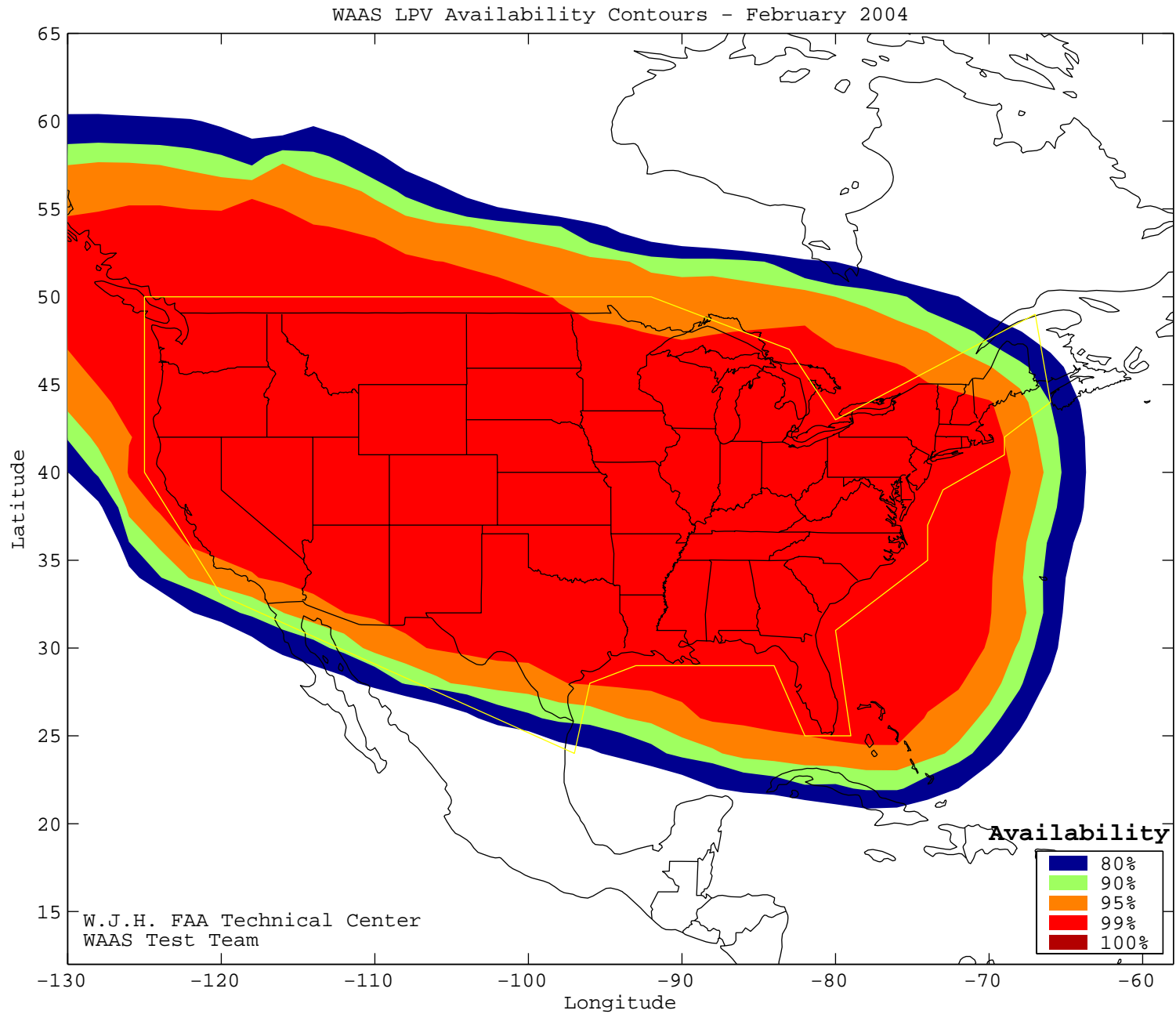
Figure 4•5 WAAS LPV Coverage - January



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 97.17  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 91.5  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 2.024

SL = LPV

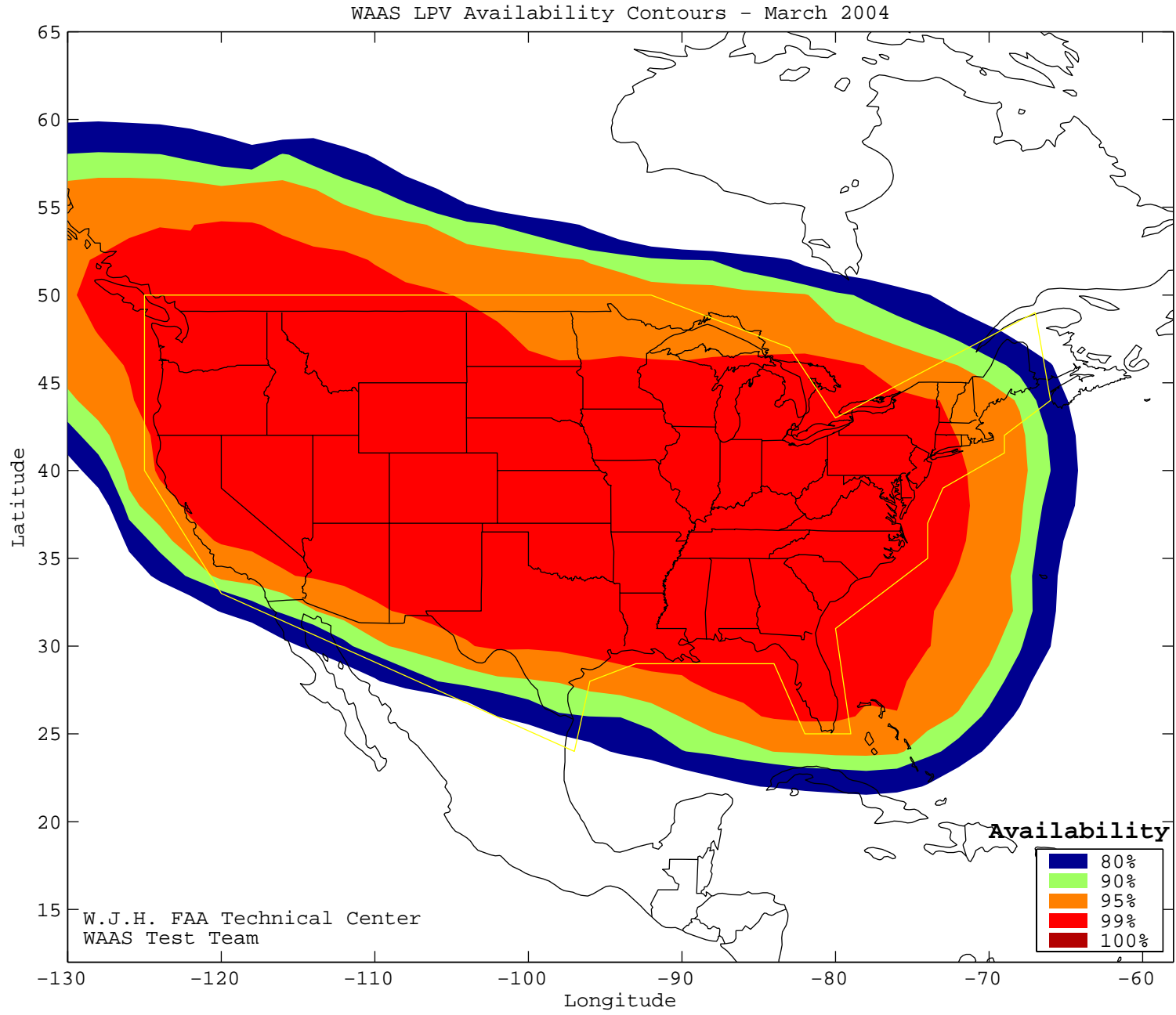
Figure 4•6 WAAS LPV Coverage - February



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 96.76  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 90.28  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = LPV

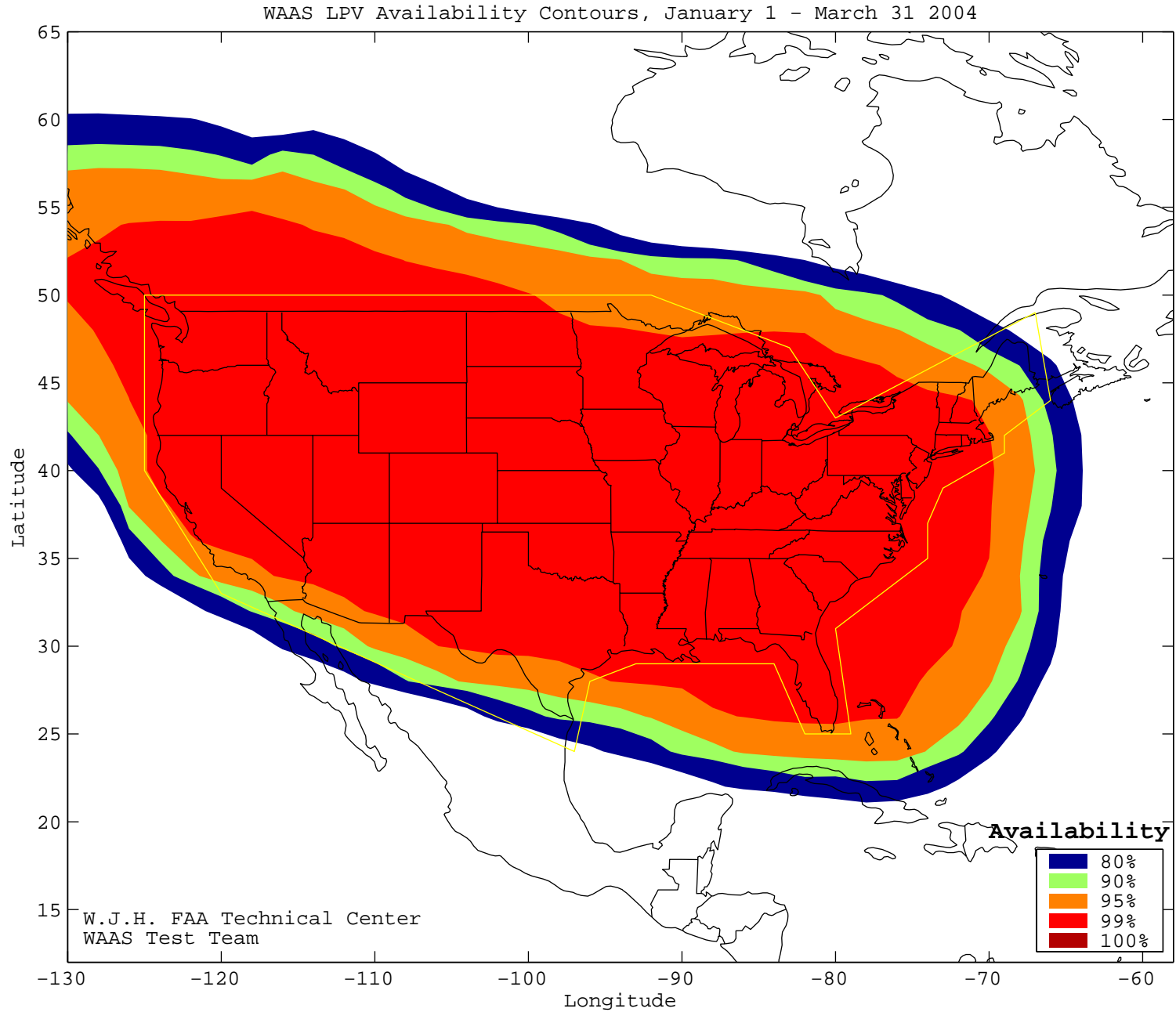
Figure 4•7 WAAS LPV Coverage - March



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 93.52  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 84.62  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = LPV

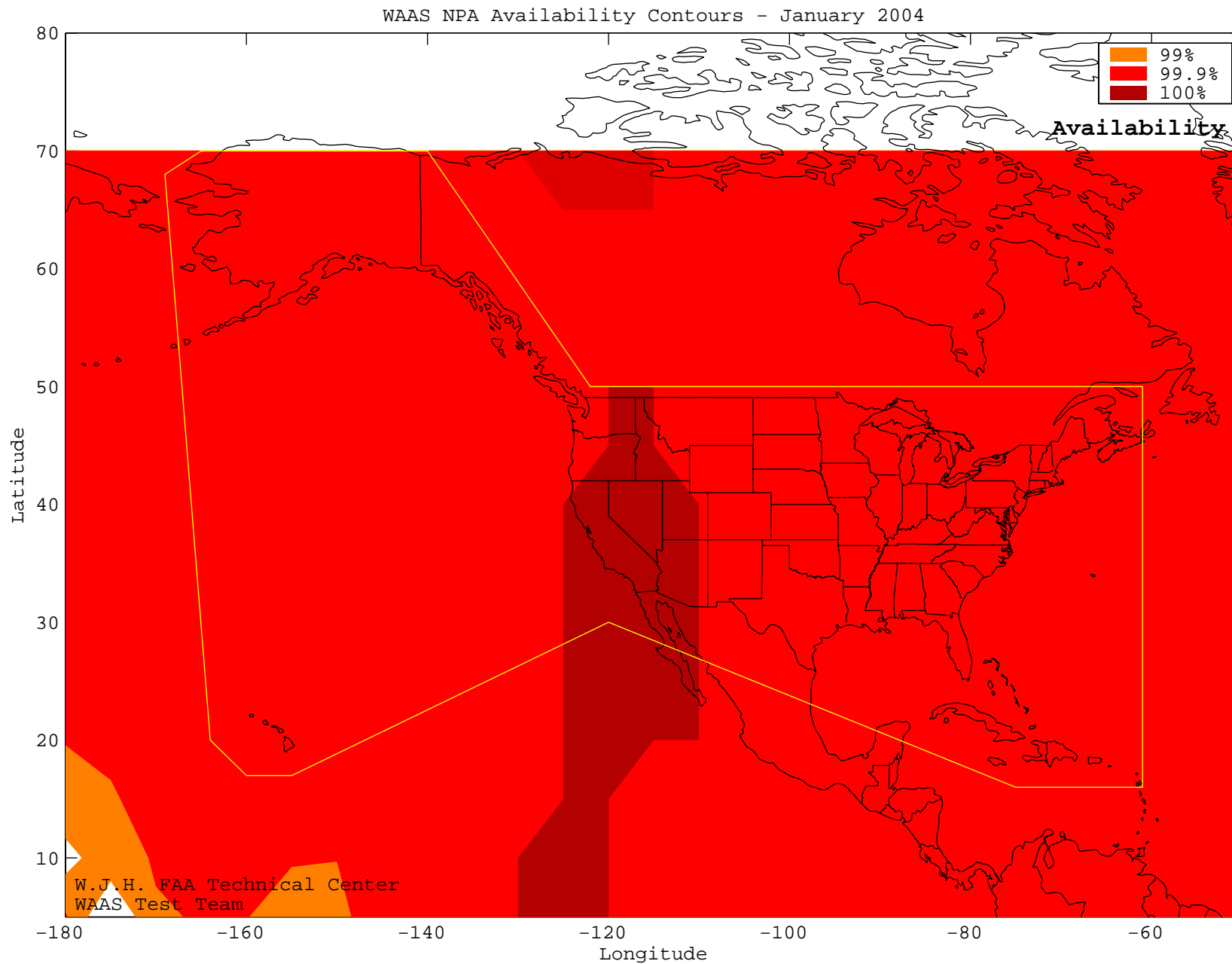
Figure 4•8 WAAS LPV Coverage for the Quarter



CONUS Coverage at 95% Availability = 96.36  
CONUS Coverage at 99% Availability = 88.66  
CONUS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = LPV

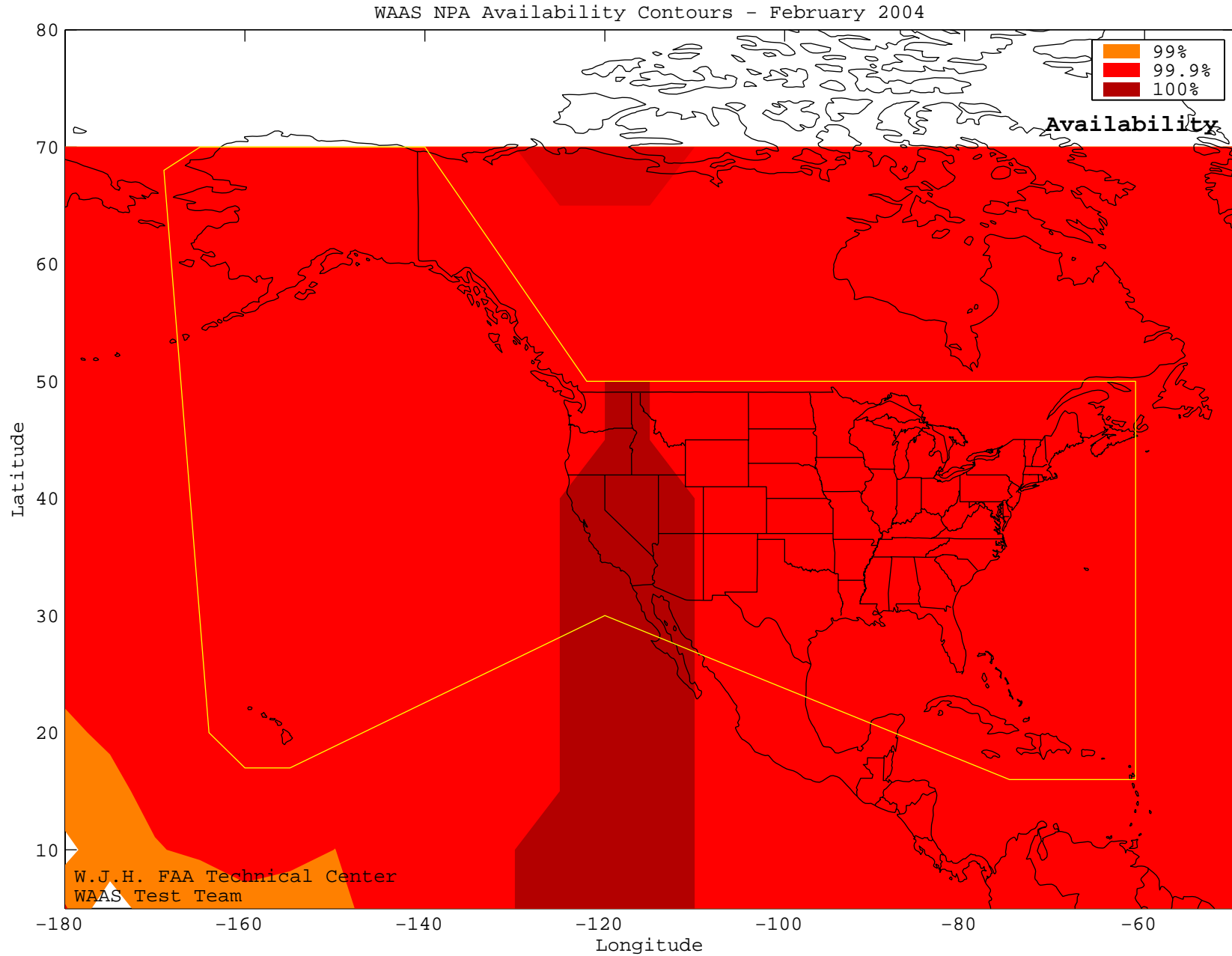
Figure 4•9 WAAS NPA Coverage - January



WAAS Coverage at 99% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 99.9% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 100% Availability = 10.29

SL = NPA

Figure 4•10 WAAS NPA Coverage – February

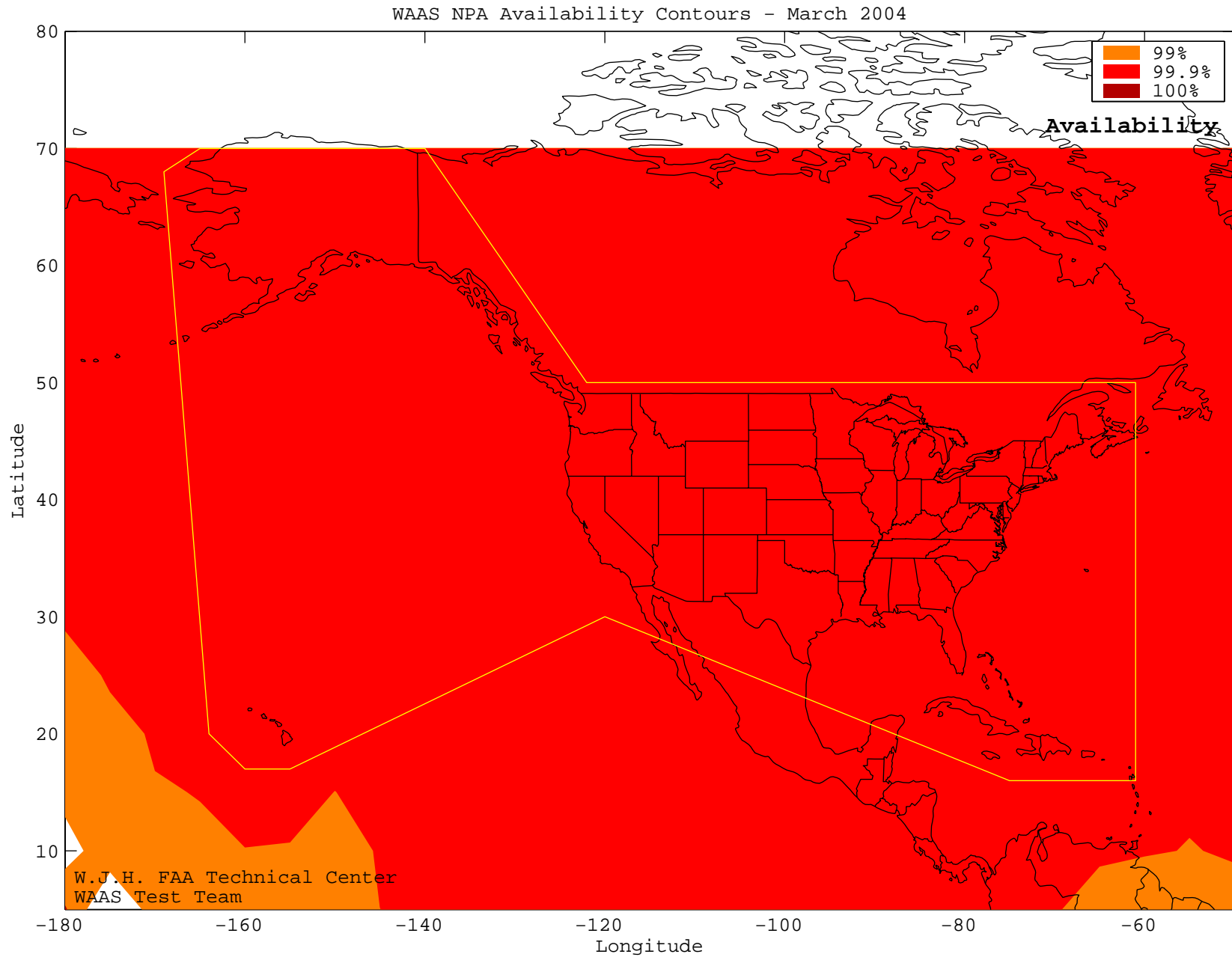


WAAS Coverage at 99% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 99.9% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 100% Availability = 10.29

SL = NPA



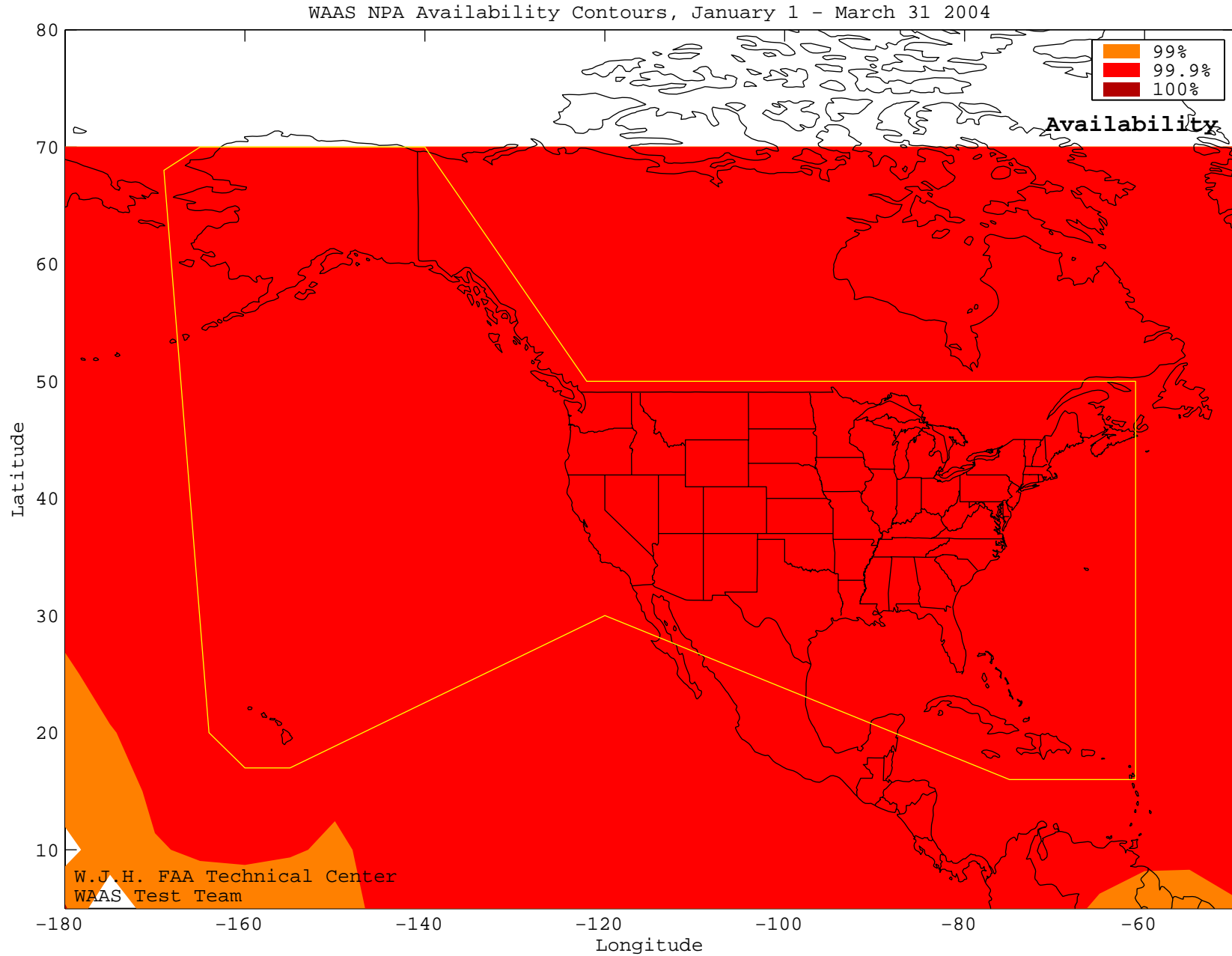
Figure 4•11 WAAS NPA Coverage - March



WAAS Coverage at 99% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 99.9% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = NPA

Figure 4-12 WAAS NPA Coverage for the Quarter



WAAS Coverage at 99% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 99.9% Availability = 100  
WAAS Coverage at 100% Availability = 0

SL = NPA

Figure 4-13 Daily WAAS LNAV/VNAV and LPV Coverage

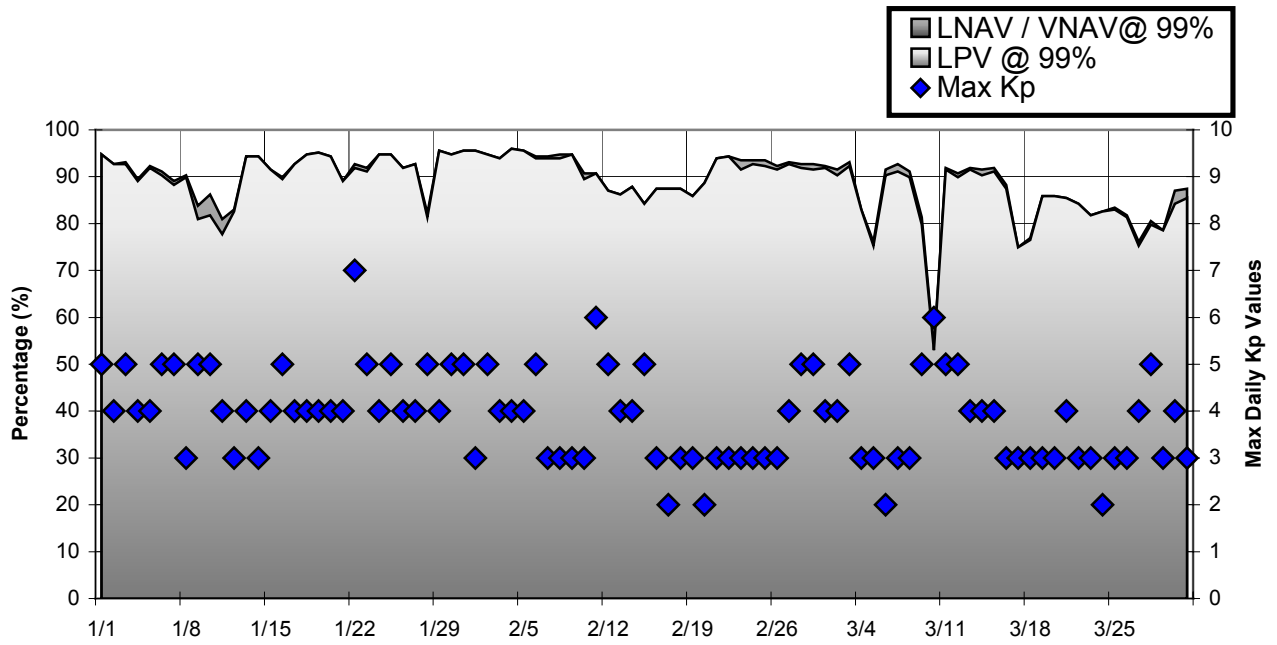
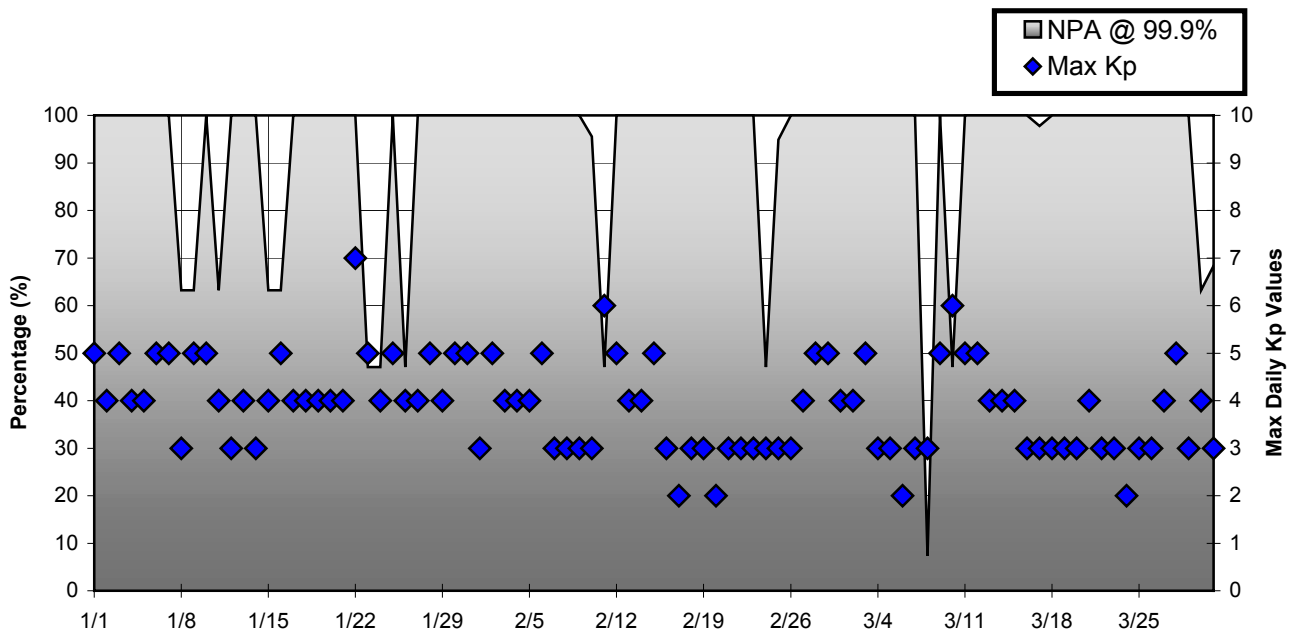


Figure 4-14 Daily NPA Coverage



**5.0 CONTINUITY**

The definition of PA and NPA continuity and availability definitions are based on the definition from the WAAS specification FAA-E-2892B Change 1. Future reports will use a different definition for continuity and availability to better reflect how these parameters affect operational performance of WAAS.

**5.1 PA Continuity of Function**

PA continuity of function was evaluated by monitoring the WAAS accuracy and integrity performance. Navigation error data for each reference site was divided into multiple bins consisting of 150 data samples. The position accuracy and integrity performance data for each bin was analyzed and statistics were generated to evaluate the data as follows:

- The horizontal and vertical position errors are less than 7.6 meter 95% of the time for each bin.
- No HMIs have occurred in the horizontal or vertical dimensions.
- User position tool maintains PA mode of operation as defined in Section 2.0.

If the above conditions are met, then the continuity flag is set to “1” to indicate the continuity of function is met for that particular flight segment. The continuity of function percentile statistic was computed for each site by summing the continuity flags of “1” together and dividing by the total number of test segments (bins) accumulated. Table 5.1 shows the PA Continuity of Function probability ranges from 0.999735 (Kansas City) to 0.999961 (Salt Lake City).

**Table 5-1 PA Continuity of Function**

| Location       | PA<br>Continuity of Function |
|----------------|------------------------------|
| Anderson       | 0.999787                     |
| Atlantic City  | 0.999739                     |
| Grand Forks    | 0.999745                     |
| Great Falls    | 0.999806                     |
| Oklahoma City  | 0.999772                     |
| Prescott       | 0.999912                     |
| San Angelo     | 0.999751                     |
| Albuquerque    | 0.999788                     |
| Atlanta        | 0.999788                     |
| Billings       | 0.999782                     |
| Boston         | 0.999769                     |
| Chicago        | 0.999769                     |
| Cleveland      | 0.999769                     |
| Dallas         | 0.999788                     |
| Denver         | 0.999769                     |
| Houston        | 0.999783                     |
| Jacksonville   | 0.999788                     |
| Kansas City    | 0.999735                     |
| Los Angeles    | 0.999942                     |
| Memphis        | 0.999769                     |
| Miami          | 0.999769                     |
| Minneapolis    | 0.999653                     |
| New York       | 0.999788                     |
| Oakland        | 0.999884                     |
| Salt Lake City | 0.999961                     |
| Seattle        | 0.999877                     |
| Washington DC  | 0.999788                     |

### 5.2 NPA Continuity of Navigation

NPA continuity of navigation was evaluated by monitoring the accuracy performance throughout each flight hour. Navigation error data for each site was divided into multiple bins consisting of 3600 data samples. The position accuracy data for each bin was analyzed and statistics were generated to evaluate the data. If the horizontal position error is less than 100 meters 95% of the time, then the continuity of navigation flag is set to “1” to indicate the continuity of navigation is met for that particular flight hour. The continuity of navigation percentile statistic was computed for each reference site by summing the continuity of navigation flags of “1” together and dividing by the total number of test hours (bins) accumulated. The NPA Continuity of Navigation column of Table 5.2 shows all evaluated sites passed the requirements with the maximum probability of 1.

### 5.3 NPA Continuity of Fault Detection

NPA continuity of fault detection was evaluated by monitoring the integrity performance throughout each flight hour. Navigation error data for each reference site was divided into multiple bins consisting of 3600 data samples. The horizontal and vertical position error data for each bin was analyzed and statistics were generated to evaluate the data as follows:

- No HMIs have occurred in the horizontal dimension.
- User maintains NPA navigation mode of operation as defined in Section 2.0.

If the above conditions are met, then the continuity of fault detection flag is set to “1” to indicate the continuity of fault detection is met for that particular flight hour. The continuity of fault detection percentile statistic was computed for each reference site by summing the continuity of fault detection flags of “1” together and dividing by the total number of test hours (bins) accumulated. The NPA Continuity of Fault Detection column of Table 5.2 shows the probability ranges from 1.00 (Bangor) to 0.988863 (Honolulu). These statistics do not include Receiver Autonomous Integrity Monitoring (RAIM)/Fault Detection and Exclusion (FDE) integrity functions.

**Table 5-2 NPA Continuity**

| <b>Location</b> | <b>Continuity of Navigation</b> | <b>Continuity of Fault Detection (Excluding RAIM/FDE)</b> |
|-----------------|---------------------------------|---|
| Albuquerque     | 1                               | 0.993075  |
| Anchorage       | 1                               | 0.994001  |
| Atlanta         | 1                               | 0.993539  |
| Billings        | 1                               | 0.993821  |
| Boston          | 1                               | 0.993531  |
| Cleveland       | 1                               | 0.993536  |
| Cold Bay        | 1                               | 0.994891  |
| Honolulu        | 1                               | 0.988863  |
| Houston         | 1                               | 0.992904  |
| Juneau          | 1                               | 0.994332  |
| Kansas City     | 1                               | 0.993649  |
| Los Angeles     | 1                               | 0.997231  |
| Miami           | 1                               | 0.993068  |
| Minneapolis     | 1                               | 0.993998  |
| Oakland         | 1                               | 0.997230  |
| Salt Lake City  | 1                               | 0.997693  |
| San Juan        | 1                               | 0.993078  |
| Seattle         | 1                               | 0.997092  |
| Washington DC   | 1                               | 0.993542  |

#### 5.4 LPV Availability

LPV availability was evaluated by monitoring the accuracy, integrity and availability performance throughout each flight segment. Navigation error data for each reference site was divided into multiple bins consisting of 150 data samples. The position accuracy, integrity and availability performance data for each bin was analyzed and statistics were generated to evaluate the data as follows:

- The horizontal and vertical position errors are less than 7.6 meter 95% of the time for each bin.
- No HMIs have occurred in the horizontal or vertical dimensions.
- User maintains PA mode of operation as defined in section 2.0.
- VPL is less than or equal to 50m and HPL is less than or equal to 40 m.

If the above conditions are met, then the continuity of function flag is set to “1” to indicate the LPV availability is met for that particular flight segment. The availability percentile statistic was computed for each reference site by summing the continuity of function flags of “1” together and dividing by the total number of test segments (bins) accumulated. LPV Availability column of Table 5.3 shows the probability for availability ranges from 96.7402% (San Angelo) to 99.9519% (Denver).

#### 5.5 LNAV/VNAV Availability

LNAV/VNAV availability was evaluated by monitoring the accuracy, integrity and availability performance throughout each flight segment. Navigation error data for each reference site was divided into multiple bins consisting of 150 data samples. The position accuracy, integrity and availability performance data for each bin was analyzed and statistics were generated to evaluate the data as follows:

- The horizontal and vertical position errors are less than 7.6 meter 95% of the time for each bin.
- No HMIs have occurred in the horizontal or vertical dimensions.
- User maintains PA mode of operation as defined in section 2.0.
- VPL is less than or equal to 50m and HPL is less than or equal to 556 m.

If the above conditions are met, then the continuity of function flag is set to “1” to indicate the LNAV/VNAV availability is met for that particular flight segment. The availability percentile statistic was computed for each reference site by summing the continuity of function flags of “1” together and dividing by the total number of test segments (bins) accumulated. LNAV/VNAV Availability column of Table 5.3 shows the availability ranges from 96.9269% (San Angelo) to 99.9653% (Denver).

#### 5.6 NPA Availability

NPA availability was evaluated by monitoring the accuracy, integrity and availability performance throughout each flight hour. Navigation error data for each reference site was divided into multiple bins consisting of 3600 data samples. The horizontal and vertical position error data for each bin was analyzed and statistics were generated to evaluate the data as follows:

- The horizontal position errors are less than 100 meters 95% of time for each bin
- No HMIs have occurred in the horizontal dimension.
- User maintains NPA navigation mode of operation as defined in Section 2.0.
- HPL is less than or equal to 556 meters.

If the above conditions are met, then the availability flag is set to “1” to indicate NPA availability is met for that particular flight hour. The NPA availability percentile statistic was computed for each reference site by summing the availability flags of “1” together and dividing by the total number of test hours (bins) accumulated.

The NPA Availability column of Table 5.4 shows the availability ranges from 100% (Bangor) to 98.7007% (Honolulu). These statistics do not include RAIM/FDE integrity functions.

**Table 5-3 LPV and LNAV/VNAV Availability**

| <b>Location</b> | <b>LPV<br/>Availability</b> | <b>LNAV/VNAV<br/>Availability</b> |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| Anderson        | 0.998935                    | 0.999186                          |
| Atlantic City   | 0.993994                    | 0.995656                          |
| Grand Forks     | 0.986561                    | 0.986731                          |
| Great Falls     | 0.996873                    | 0.997922                          |
| Oklahoma City   | 0.995871                    | 0.995894                          |
| Prescott        | 0.983604                    | 0.985984                          |
| San Angelo      | 0.967402                    | 0.969269                          |
| Albuquerque     | 0.998864                    | 0.999114                          |
| Atlanta         | 0.999018                    | 0.999057                          |
| Billings        | 0.998712                    | 0.998908                          |
| Boston          | 0.986281                    | 0.987148                          |
| Chicago         | 0.997689                    | 0.997921                          |
| Cleveland       | 0.997921                    | 0.998229                          |
| Dallas          | 0.999210                    | 0.999229                          |
| Denver          | 0.999519                    | 0.999653                          |
| Houston         | 0.998067                    | 0.998087                          |
| Jacksonville    | 0.999115                    | 0.999153                          |
| Kansas City     | 0.999062                    | 0.999123                          |
| Los Angeles     | 0.981002                    | 0.983235                          |
| Memphis         | 0.998575                    | 0.998652                          |
| Miami           | 0.986649                    | 0.986880                          |
| Minneapolis     | 0.997939                    | 0.998171                          |
| New York        | 0.994281                    | 0.994743                          |
| Oakland         | 0.986577                    | 0.988021                          |
| Salt Lake City  | 0.999365                    | 0.999442                          |
| Seattle         | 0.996750                    | 0.997264                          |
| Washington DC   | 0.998154                    | 0.998404                          |

**Table 5-4 NPA Availability**

| <b>Location</b> | <b>NPA Availability<br/>(Excluding RAIM/FDE)</b> |
|-----------------|--|
| Albuquerque     | 0.993075   |
| Anchorage       | 0.994001   |
| Atlanta         | 0.993078   |
| Billings        | 0.993821   |
| Boston          | 0.993531   |
| Cleveland       | 0.993075   |
| Cold Bay        | 0.994891   |
| Honolulu        | 0.987007   |
| Houston         | 0.992904   |
| Juneau          | 0.994332   |
| Kansas City     | 0.993161   |
| Los Angeles     | 0.997231   |
| Miami           | 0.993068   |
| Minneapolis     | 0.993536   |
| Oakland         | 0.997230   |
| Salt Lake City  | 0.997693   |
| San Juan        | 0.993078   |
| Seattle         | 0.997092   |
| Washington DC   | 0.993081   |



**6.0 INTEGRITY**

**6.1 HMI Analysis**

Analysis of integrity includes the identification and evaluation of HMI (hazardously misleading information), as well as the generation of a safety index to illustrate the margin of safety that WAAS protection levels are providing. The safety margin index (shown in Table 6.1) is a metric that shows how well the protection levels are bounding the maximum observed error. The process for determining this index involves normalizing the largest error observed at a site. This is accomplished by dividing this maximum observed error by the WAAS estimated standard deviation of the error. The safety margin requirement, 5.33 standard units for vertical and 6 standard units for horizontal, is then divided by this maximum normalized error.

**Table 6-1 Safety Margin Index and HMI Statistics**

| Location       | Safety Index |          | Number of HMIs |
|----------------|--------------|----------|----------------|
|                | Horizontal   | Vertical |                |
| Anderson       | 5.45         | 3.14     | 0              |
| Atlantic City  | 6.67         | 6.66     | 0              |
| Grand Forks    | 5.00         | 3.14     | 0              |
| Great Falls    | 5.45         | 6.66     | 0              |
| Oklahoma City  | 8.57         | 6.66     | 0              |
| Prescott       | 6.67         | 7.61     | 0              |
| San Angelo     | 4.29         | 6.66     | 0              |
| Albuquerque    | 5.00         | 4.85     | 0              |
| Atlanta        | 5.45         | 5.33     | 0              |
| Billings       | 4.29         | 3.81     | 0              |
| Boston         | 5.00         | 5.33     | 0              |
| Chicago        | 6.00         | 4.85     | 0              |
| Cleveland      | 5.00         | 3.55     | 0              |
| Dallas         | 3.75         | 3.81     | 0              |
| Denver         | 5.45         | 4.10     | 0              |
| Houston        | 7.50         | 4.44     | 0              |
| Jacksonville   | 5.00         | 4.10     | 0              |
| Kansas City    | 6.67         | 6.66     | 0              |
| Los Angeles    | 6.00         | 5.92     | 0              |
| Memphis        | 4.62         | 5.92     | 0              |
| Miami          | 7.50         | 5.33     | 0              |
| Minneapolis    | 4.00         | 3.81     | 0              |
| New York       | 6.00         | 6.66     | 0              |
| Oakland        | 5.45         | 4.44     | 0              |
| Salt Lake City | 6.00         | 4.85     | 0              |
| Seattle        | 5.00         | 4.85     | 0              |
| Washington DC  | 5.45         | 7.61     | 0              |

An observed safety margin index of greater than one indicates safe bounding of the greatest observed error, less than one indicates that the maximum error was not bounded, and a result equal to one means that the error was equal to the protection level. As evidenced by the statistics in the above table, the safety margin index never drops below 2.0 at any site. Also, Table 6.1 shows the number of HMIs that occurred during the quarter, of which there were none.

An HMI occurs if the position error exceeds the protection level in the vertical or horizontal dimensions at any time and 6.2 seconds or more passes before this event is corrected by WAAS.

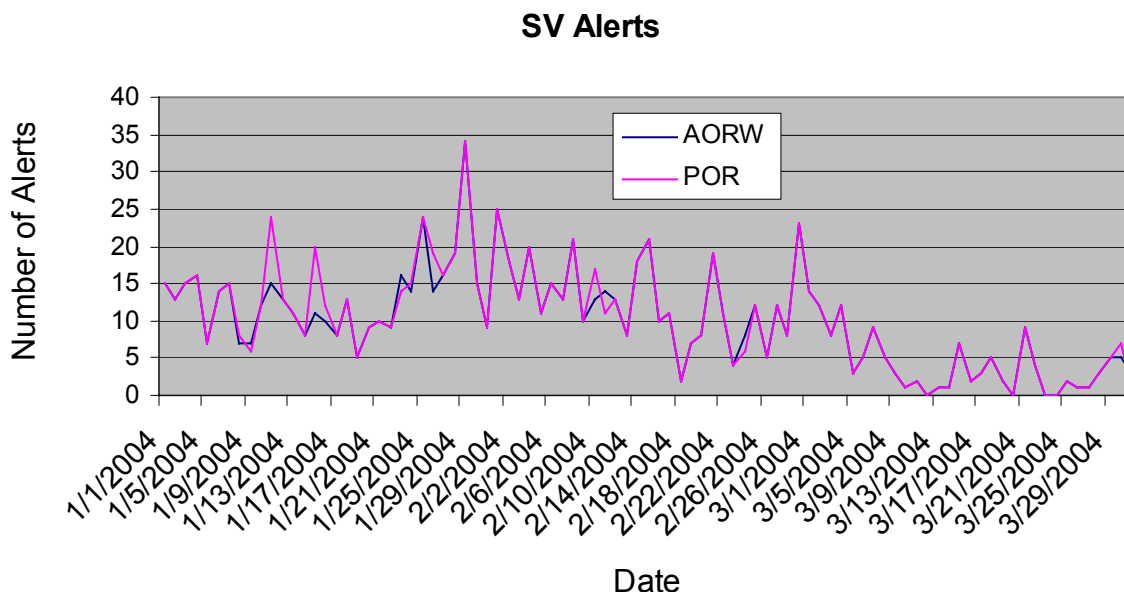
## 6.2 Broadcast Alerts

The WAAS transmits alert messages to protect the users from satellite degradation or severe ionospheric activity, both of which can cause unsafe conditions for a user. Space Vehicle (SV) alerts increase the User Differential Range Error (UDRE) of satellites, which can reduce the weighting of the satellite in the navigation solution, or completely exclude it from the navigation solution. Ionospheric Grid Point (IGP) alerts increase the Grid Ionospheric Vertical Error (GIVE) of IGP's, which can affect the usage of satellites whose pierce points are in the vicinity of the IGP. An increase in either UDRE's or GIVE's after an alert effectively increases the user protection levels (HPL and VPL), which affect the availability. Additionally, if an alert message sequence lasts for more than 12 seconds, WAAS fast corrections can time out, causing continuity of fault detection to not be met for that flight segment. Table 6.2 shows the total number of alerts and the average number of alerts per day. Figure 6.1 shows the number of SV alerts that occurred daily during the reporting period. Often the number of alerts on one GEO is the same as the number of alerts on the other GEO. Therefore, lines tend to overlap in most points on this plot. Note that after March 11 the number of alerts drops dramatically. This is a result of the upgrade made to the WAAS on that date.

**Table 6-2 WAAS SV Alert**

| Message Type        | Number of Alerts |            | Average Alerts Per Day |                 |
|---------------------|------------------|------------|------------------------|-----------------|
|                     | AORW             | POR        | AORW                   | POR             |
| 2                   | 402              | 401        | 4.41758                | 4.40659         |
| 3                   | 335              | 335        | 3.68131                | 3.68131         |
| 6                   | 4                | 4          | 0.04395                | 0.04395         |
| 24                  | 164              | 188        | 1.80219                | 2.06593         |
| 26                  | 0                | 0          | 0                      | 0               |
| <b>Total Alerts</b> | <b>905</b>       | <b>928</b> | <b>9.94505</b>         | <b>10.19780</b> |

Figure 6-1 SV Daily Alert Trends



**6.3 Availability of WAAS Messages (AORW & POR)**

For an accurate and current user position to be calculated, the content of the WAAS message must be broadcast and received within precise time specifications. This aspect of the WAAS is critical to maintaining integrity requirements. Each message type in the WAAS SIS has a specific amount of time for which it must be received anew. Although the content of every message is relevant to the functionality of the system, the importance of different messages varies along with the frequency with which they must be received. Table 6.3 lists the maximum intervals at which each message must broadcast to meet system requirements.

GUS switchovers or broadcast WAAS alerts can interrupt the normal broadcast message stream. If these events occur at a time when the maximum interval of a specific message is approaching, that message may be delayed, resulting in its late transmittal.

All late messages statistics reported during the quarter were caused by GEO SIS outages, GUS switchovers and SV alerts except message type 7 and 10. Occasionally, message type 7 and 10 were late and they were not caused by GEO SIS outages, GUS switchovers or SV alerts. The lateness of type 7 and type 10 messages has little or no impact on user performance and safety. Tables 6.4 to 6.8 show fast correction, long correction, ephemeris covariance, ionosphere correction, and ionospheric mask message rates statistics broadcasted on AORW. The message rates statistics for POR are shown in table 6.9 to 6.13.

**Table 6-3 Update Rates for WAAS Messages**

| <b>Data</b>                 | <b>Associated Message Types</b> | <b>Maximum Update Interval (seconds)</b> | <b>En Route, Terminal, NPA Timeout (seconds)</b> | <b>Precision Approach Timeout (seconds)</b> |
|-----------------------------|---------------------------------|--|--|---|
| WAAS in Test Mode           | 0                               | 6  | N/A  | N/A   |
| PRN Mask                    | 1                               | 60                                       | None   | None  |
| UDREI                       | 2-6, 24                         | 6  | 18   | 12  |
| Fast Corrections            | 2-5, 24                         | See Table A-8 in RTCA DO-229C            | See Table A-8 in RTCA DO-229C                    | See Table A-8 in RTCA DO-229C               |
| Long Term Corrections       | 24, 25                          | 120                                      | 360  | 240   |
| GEO Nav. Data               | 9                               | 120                                      | 360  | 240   |
| Fast Correction Degradation | 7                               | 120                                      | 360  | 240   |
| Weighting Factors           | 8                               | 120                                      | 240  | 240   |
| Degradation Parameters      | 10                              | 120                                      | 360  | 240   |
| Ionospheric Grid Mask       | 18                              | 300                                      | None   | None  |
| Ionospheric Corrections     | 26                              | 300                                      | 600  | 600   |
| UTC Timing Data             | 12                              | 300                                      | None   | None  |
| Almanac Data                | 17                              | 300                                      | None   | None  |

**Table 6-4 WAAS Fast Correction and Degradation Message Rates - AORW**

| <b>Message Type</b> | <b>On Time</b> | <b>Late</b> | <b>Max Late Length (seconds)</b> |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------|----------------------------------|
| 1                   | 139638         | 0           | 0                                |
| 2                   | 1310886        | 340         | 29                               |
| 3                   | 1310667        | 384         | 25                               |
| 7                   | 74538          | 139         | 144                              |
| 9                   | 92133          | 2           | 179                              |
| 10                  | 74566          | 112         | 145                              |
| 17                  | 29685          | 1           | 535                              |
| 24                  | 1310063        | 508         | 25                               |

**Table 6-5 WAAS Long Correction Message Rates (Type 24 and 25) - AORW**

| <b>SV</b> | <b>On Time</b> | <b>Late</b> | <b>Max Late Length<br/>(seconds)</b> |
|-----------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1         | 49908          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 2         | 34064          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 3         | 53616          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 4         | 58184          | 1           | 168                                  |
| 5         | 50420          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 6         | 39206          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 7         | 54397          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 8         | 49872          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 9         | 52150          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 10        | 57636          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 11        | 53405          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 13        | 50110          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 14        | 53342          | 1           | 185                                  |
| 15        | 50112          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 16        | 56698          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 17        | 53810          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 18        | 50700          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 20        | 49762          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 21        | 48435          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 22        | 40578          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 23        | 8540           | 0           | 0                                    |
| 24        | 56900          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 25        | 59102          | 1           | 167                                  |
| 26        | 52843          | 1           | 345                                  |
| 27        | 48215          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 28        | 46178          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 29        | 53666          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 30        | 51576          | 0           | 0                                    |

**Table 6-6 WAAS Ephemeris Covariance Message Rates (Type 28) - AORW**

| SV  | On Time | Late | Max Late Length (seconds) |
|-----|---------|------|---------------------------|
| 1   | 42513   | 0    | 0                         |
| 2   | 25433   | 1    | 192                       |
| 3   | 44351   | 1    | 184                       |
| 4   | 43250   | 0    | 0                         |
| 5   | 43769   | 1    | 182                       |
| 6   | 32387   | 0    | 0                         |
| 7   | 43063   | 0    | 0                         |
| 8   | 41474   | 0    | 0                         |
| 9   | 44831   | 0    | 0                         |
| 10  | 43735   | 0    | 0                         |
| 11  | 45829   | 0    | 0                         |
| 13  | 42238   | 0    | 0                         |
| 14  | 41991   | 0    | 0                         |
| 15  | 41354   | 0    | 0                         |
| 16  | 43748   | 0    | 0                         |
| 17  | 41772   | 0    | 0                         |
| 18  | 41862   | 0    | 0                         |
| 20  | 42356   | 0    | 0                         |
| 21  | 35886   | 0    | 0                         |
| 22  | 32115   | 0    | 0                         |
| 23  | 6699    | 0    | 0                         |
| 24  | 41696   | 1    | 121                       |
| 25  | 41952   | 1    | 192                       |
| 26  | 41350   | 0    | 0                         |
| 27  | 34869   | 0    | 0                         |
| 28  | 36698   | 1    | 161                       |
| 29  | 42266   | 0    | 0                         |
| 30  | 42946   | 0    | 0                         |
| 31  | 40243   | 0    | 0                         |
| 122 | 83425   | 0    | 0                         |
| 134 | 83457   | 1    | 192                       |

**Table 6-7 WAAS Ionospheric Correction Message Rates (Type 26) - AORW**

| Band | Block | On Time | Late | Max Late Length (seconds) |
|------|-------|---------|------|---------------------------|
| 0    | 0     | 27300   | 8    | 375                       |
| 1    | 0     | 27302   | 7    | 334                       |
| 1    | 1     | 27317   | 4    | 315                       |
| 1    | 2     | 27306   | 3    | 511                       |
| 1    | 3     | 27321   | 3    | 495                       |
| 1    | 4     | 27308   | 4    | 504                       |
| 2    | 0     | 27297   | 7    | 500                       |
| 2    | 1     | 27312   | 4    | 487                       |
| 2    | 2     | 27301   | 3    | 440                       |
| 2    | 3     | 27288   | 4    | 420                       |
| 2    | 4     | 27323   | 5    | 397                       |
| 2    | 5     | 27310   | 2    | 350                       |
| 3    | 0     | 27311   | 6    | 331                       |

**Table 6-8 WAAS Ionospheric Mask Message Rates (Type 18) - AORW**

| <b>Band</b> | <b>On Time</b> | <b>Late</b> | <b>Max Late Length<br/>(seconds)</b> |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 0           | 67541          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 1           | 67485          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 2           | 67516          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 3           | 67539          | 0           | 0                                    |

**Table 6-9 WAAS Fast Correction and Degradation Message Rates - POR**

| <b>Message Type</b> | <b>On Time</b> | <b>Late</b> | <b>Max Late Length<br/>(seconds)</b> |
|---------------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1                   | 138258         | 0           | 0                                    |
| 2                   | 1310892        | 339         | 30                                   |
| 3                   | 1310672        | 383         | 26                                   |
| 7                   | 73836          | 106         | 189                                  |
| 9                   | 92133          | 2           | 179                                  |
| 10                  | 73809          | 106         | 139                                  |
| 17                  | 29582          | 2           | 442                                  |
| 24                  | 1310102        | 503         | 31                                   |

**Table 6-10 WAAS Long Correction Message Rates (Type 24 and 25) - POR**

| <b>SV</b> | <b>On Time</b> | <b>Late</b> | <b>Max Late Length<br/>(seconds)</b> |
|-----------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 1         | 51577          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 2         | 38638          | 1           | 186                                  |
| 3         | 55392          | 1           | 171                                  |
| 4         | 59831          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 5         | 52023          | 2           | 161                                  |
| 6         | 42118          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 7         | 56237          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 8         | 51487          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 9         | 53863          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 10        | 59558          | 1           | 176                                  |
| 11        | 55177          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 13        | 51796          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 14        | 55040          | 1           | 166                                  |
| 15        | 51746          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 16        | 58561          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 17        | 55547          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 18        | 52355          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 20        | 51404          | 1           | 164                                  |
| 21        | 50017          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 22        | 42077          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 23        | 10527          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 24        | 58786          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 25        | 61083          | 1           | 178                                  |
| 26        | 54764          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 27        | 49818          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 28        | 47686          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 29        | 55420          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 30        | 53234          | 1           | 172                                  |
| 31        | 53802          | 1           | 176                                  |



**Table 6-11 WAAS Ephemeris Covariance Message Rates (Type 28) – POR**

| SV  | On Time | Late | Max Late Length (seconds) |
|-----|---------|------|---------------------------|
| 1   | 42511   | 1    | 194                       |
| 2   | 25434   | 0    | 0                         |
| 3   | 44349   | 2    | 191                       |
| 4   | 43246   | 2    | 186                       |
| 5   | 43771   | 0    | 0                         |
| 6   | 32387   | 0    | 0                         |
| 7   | 43061   | 1    | 192                       |
| 8   | 41472   | 1    | 146                       |
| 9   | 44829   | 1    | 193                       |
| 10  | 43735   | 0    | 0                         |
| 11  | 45827   | 0    | 0                         |
| 13  | 42239   | 0    | 0                         |
| 14  | 41989   | 1    | 168                       |
| 15  | 41354   | 0    | 0                         |
| 16  | 43745   | 0    | 0                         |
| 17  | 41774   | 0    | 0                         |
| 18  | 41860   | 0    | 0                         |
| 20  | 42352   | 0    | 0                         |
| 21  | 35884   | 0    | 0                         |
| 22  | 32114   | 0    | 0                         |
| 23  | 6698    | 0    | 0                         |
| 24  | 41696   | 0    | 0                         |
| 25  | 41954   | 0    | 0                         |
| 26  | 41350   | 0    | 0                         |
| 27  | 34868   | 1    | 193                       |
| 28  | 36700   | 1    | 161                       |
| 29  | 42264   | 1    | 193                       |
| 30  | 42946   | 0    | 0                         |
| 31  | 40241   | 1    | 192                       |
| 122 | 83423   | 2    | 146                       |
| 134 | 83452   | 2    | 192                       |

**Table 6-12 WAAS Ionospheric Correction Message Rates (Type 26) – POR**

| Band | Block | On Time | Late | Max Late Length (seconds) |
|------|-------|---------|------|---------------------------|
| 0    | 0     | 27303   | 8    | 375                       |
| 0    | 1     | 27318   | 6    | 576                       |
| 0    | 2     | 27302   | 6    | 578                       |
| 1    | 0     | 27312   | 9    | 316                       |
| 1    | 1     | 27303   | 7    | 311                       |
| 1    | 2     | 27310   | 8    | 309                       |
| 1    | 3     | 27304   | 6    | 311                       |
| 1    | 4     | 27314   | 4    | 304                       |
| 2    | 0     | 27322   | 3    | 368                       |
| 2    | 1     | 27299   | 2    | 319                       |
| 2    | 2     | 27331   | 2    | 306                       |
| 2    | 3     | 27301   | 4    | 311                       |

**Table 6-13 WAAS Ionospheric Mask Message Rates (Type 18) - POR**

| <b>Band</b> | <b>On Time</b> | <b>Late</b> | <b>Max Late Length<br/>(seconds)</b> |
|-------------|----------------|-------------|--------------------------------------|
| 0           | 67154          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 1           | 67168          | 0           | 0                                    |
| 2           | 67192          | 0           | 0                                    |

## 7.0 SV RANGE ACCURACY

Range accuracy evaluation computes the probability that the WAAS User Differential Range Error (UDRE) and Grid Ionospheric Vertical Error (GIVE) statistically bound 99.9% of the range residuals for each satellite tracked by the receiver. A UDRE is broadcast by the WAAS for each satellite that is monitored by the system and the 99.9% bound (3.29 sigma) of the residual error on a pseudorange after application of fast and long-term corrections is checked. The pseudorange residual error is determined by taking the difference between the raw pseudorange and a calculated reference range. The reference range is equal to the true range between the corrected satellite position and surveyed user antenna plus all corrections (WAAS Fast Clock, WAAS Long-Term Clock, WAAS Ionospheric delay, Tropospheric delay, Receiver Clock Bias, and Multipath). Since the true ionospheric delay and multipath error are not precisely known, the estimated variance in these error sources are added to the UDRE before the comparing it to the residual error.

GPS satellite range residual errors were calculated for seven WAAS receivers during the quarter. Table 7.1 and 7.2 show the range error 95% index and 99.9% (3.29 sigma) bounding statistics for each SV at the selected locations. Last quarter 12 sites were evaluated but due processing issues the number of sites evaluated were reduced. During the evaluated period, all GPS satellite residual errors were less than 4.093 meters 95% of the time, and all satellites range errors were bounded 99.9% of the time by the UDRE except for PRN 25 at Minneapolis which was bounded 99.77%.

A GIVE is broadcast by the WAAS for each IGP that is monitored by the system and the 99.9% (3.29 sigma) bound of the ionospheric error is checked. The WAAS broadcasts the ionospheric model using IGP's at predefined geographic locations. Each IGP contains the vertical ionospheric delay and the error in that delay in the form of the GIVE. The ionospheric error is determined by taking the difference between the WAAS ionospheric delay interpolated from the IGP's and GPS dual frequency measurement at that GPS satellite.

GPS satellite ionospheric errors were calculated for seven WAAS receivers during the quarter. Table 7.3 and 7.4 show the ionospheric error 95% index and 99.9% (3.29 sigma) bounding statistics for each SV at the selected locations. All GPS satellite ionospheric errors were less than 3.095 meters 95% of the time and all satellites were bounded 100% of the time. Figures 7.1 to 7.4 show the daily trend of the 95% Range and Ionospheric Errors for Billings MT.

In this report seven sites are used for the range and ionosphere analysis. Due to data processing issues more sites could not be included in this report. Future reports will use more sites for this analysis.

**Table 7-1 Range Error 95% Index and 3.29 Sigma Bounding**

| Site →<br>SV ↓ | Billings              |                           | Washington DC         |                           | Salt Lake City        |                           | Miami                 |                           |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
|                | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding |
| 1              | 1.959                 | 100.00                    | 1.591                 | 100.00                    | 1.367                 | 100.00                    | 1.485                 | 100.00                    |
| 2              | 1.843                 | 100.00                    | 1.176                 | 100.00                    | 1.840                 | 100.00                    | 1.522                 | 100.00                    |
| 3              | 1.836                 | 100.00                    | 2.111                 | 100.00                    | 1.988                 | 100.00                    | 1.570                 | 100.00                    |
| 4              | 2.332                 | 100.00                    | 1.776                 | 100.00                    | 2.286                 | 100.00                    | 1.625                 | 100.00                    |
| 5              | 1.602                 | 100.00                    | 1.228                 | 100.00                    | 1.885                 | 100.00                    | 1.962                 | 100.00                    |
| 6              | 1.843                 | 99.9994                   | 1.987                 | 100.00                    | 1.481                 | 100.00                    | 1.728                 | 100.00                    |
| 7              | 1.752                 | 100.00                    | 1.321                 | 100.00                    | 1.383                 | 100.00                    | 2.009                 | 100.00                    |
| 8              | 1.842                 | 100.00                    | 1.822                 | 100.00                    | 1.199                 | 100.00                    | 1.507                 | 100.00                    |
| 9              | 1.890                 | 100.00                    | 1.833                 | 100.00                    | 1.526                 | 100.00                    | 1.765                 | 100.00                    |
| 10             | 1.742                 | 100.00                    | 1.164                 | 100.00                    | 1.428                 | 100.00                    | 1.943                 | 100.00                    |
| 11             | 2.055                 | 99.9769                   | 1.424                 | 100.00                    | 1.242                 | 100.00                    | 1.990                 | 100.00                    |
| 12             | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         |
| 13             | 2.032                 | 100.00                    | 1.470                 | 100.00                    | 1.141                 | 100.00                    | 1.802                 | 100.00                    |
| 14             | 1.725                 | 99.9592                   | 1.158                 | 100.00                    | 1.230                 | 100.00                    | 1.862                 | 100.00                    |
| 15             | 1.598                 | 100.00                    | 1.451                 | 100.00                    | 1.302                 | 100.00                    | 1.662                 | 100.00                    |
| 16             | 2.017                 | 100.00                    | 1.082                 | 100.00                    | 1.507                 | 100.00                    | 1.771                 | 100.00                    |
| 17             | 1.906                 | 99.9928                   | 1.137                 | 100.00                    | 1.291                 | 100.00                    | 1.481                 | 100.00                    |
| 18             | 1.585                 | 100.00                    | 1.005                 | 100.00                    | 1.291                 | 100.00                    | 2.463                 | 100.00                    |
| 19             | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         |
| 20             | 2.123                 | 99.9938                   | 1.562                 | 100.00                    | 1.928                 | 100.00                    | 2.159                 | 100.00                    |
| 21             | 1.757                 | 100.00                    | 1.431                 | 100.00                    | 1.549                 | 100.00                    | 2.359                 | 100.00                    |
| 22             | 3.268                 | 99.9318                   | 3.016                 | 100.00                    | 2.823                 | 99.9919                   | 4.093                 | 100.00                    |
| 23             | 1.377                 | 100.00                    | 1.902                 | 100.00                    | 1.410                 | 100.00                    | 1.060                 | 100.00                    |
| 24             | 2.445                 | 99.9977                   | 1.572                 | 100.00                    | 1.961                 | 100.00                    | 1.523                 | 100.00                    |
| 25             | 2.268                 | 99.9998                   | 1.363                 | 100.00                    | 1.819                 | 100.00                    | 1.788                 | 100.00                    |
| 26             | 2.066                 | 100.00                    | 2.125                 | 100.00                    | 2.143                 | 100.00                    | 1.241                 | 100.00                    |
| 27             | 1.917                 | 100.00                    | 1.706                 | 100.00                    | 1.403                 | 100.00                    | 1.586                 | 100.00                    |
| 28             | 1.967                 | 99.9895                   | 1.279                 | 100.00                    | 1.431                 | 100.00                    | 1.987                 | 100.00                    |
| 29             | 1.765                 | 100.00                    | 2.036                 | 100.00                    | 1.389                 | 100.00                    | 1.670                 | 100.00                    |
| 30             | 2.196                 | 99.9919                   | 2.222                 | 100.00                    | 2.232                 | 100.00                    | 1.559                 | 100.00                    |
| 31             | 1.991                 | 100.00                    | 1.093                 | 100.00                    | 1.146                 | 100.00                    | 1.830                 | 100.00                    |
| 122            | 5.195                 | 100.00                    | 3.132                 | 100.00                    | 5.177                 | 100.00                    | 2.670                 | 100.00                    |
| 134            | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | 4.636                 | 100.00                    | -                     | -                         |

**Table 7-2 Range Error 95% index and 3.29 Sigma Bounding**

| Site →<br>SV ↓ | Minneapolis           |                           | Atlanta               |                           | Juneau                |                           |
|----------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|---------------------------|
|                | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding | 95%<br>Range<br>Error | 3.29<br>Sigma<br>Bounding |
| 1              | 2.723                 | 99.9170                   | 1.356                 | 100.00                    | 1.832                 | 100.00                    |
| 2              | 2.028                 | 100.00                    | 1.197                 | 100.00                    | 1.481                 | 100.00                    |
| 3              | 2.270                 | 100.00                    | 1.622                 | 100.00                    | 1.802                 | 100.00                    |
| 4              | 2.412                 | 100.00                    | 1.626                 | 100.00                    | 2.112                 | 100.00                    |
| 5              | 1.893                 | 100.00                    | 1.215                 | 100.00                    | 2.302                 | 100.00                    |
| 6              | 2.364                 | 100.00                    | 1.510                 | 100.00                    | 2.194                 | 100.00                    |
| 7              | 1.633                 | 100.00                    | 1.343                 | 100.00                    | 2.229                 | 100.00                    |
| 8              | 1.909                 | 100.00                    | 1.328                 | 100.00                    | 2.052                 | 100.00                    |
| 9              | 2.205                 | 100.00                    | 1.534                 | 100.00                    | 2.013                 | 100.00                    |
| 10             | 1.990                 | 100.00                    | 1.360                 | 100.00                    | 2.213                 | 100.00                    |
| 11             | 1.597                 | 99.9999                   | 1.209                 | 100.00                    | 2.273                 | 100.00                    |
| 12             | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         |
| 13             | 2.170                 | 100.00                    | 1.383                 | 100.00                    | 1.806                 | 100.00                    |
| 14             | 1.479                 | 99.9040                   | 1.491                 | 100.00                    | 2.529                 | 100.00                    |
| 15             | 1.858                 | 100.00                    | 1.244                 | 100.00                    | 2.085                 | 100.00                    |
| 16             | 2.145                 | 99.9555                   | 1.441                 | 100.00                    | 2.198                 | 100.00                    |
| 17             | 1.985                 | 100.00                    | 1.118                 | 100.00                    | 1.976                 | 100.00                    |
| 18             | 1.381                 | 100.00                    | 1.469                 | 100.00                    | 2.532                 | 100.00                    |
| 19             | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         |
| 20             | 1.597                 | 99.9829                   | 1.476                 | 100.00                    | 2.376                 | 100.00                    |
| 21             | 1.235                 | 100.00                    | 1.785                 | 100.00                    | 2.980                 | 100.00                    |
| 22             | 2.517                 | 100.00                    | 3.309                 | 99.9231                   | 3.422                 | 100.00                    |
| 23             | 1.729                 | 100.00                    | 0.984                 | 100.00                    | 1.428                 | 100.00                    |
| 24             | 2.508                 | 99.9799                   | 1.684                 | 100.00                    | 2.178                 | 100.00                    |
| 25             | 2.171                 | 99.7682                   | 1.292                 | 100.00                    | 2.073                 | 100.00                    |
| 26             | 3.130                 | 100.00                    | 1.992                 | 100.00                    | 2.105                 | 100.00                    |
| 27             | 1.981                 | 100.00                    | 1.459                 | 100.00                    | 1.981                 | 100.00                    |
| 28             | 1.479                 | 100.00                    | 1.249                 | 100.00                    | 2.500                 | 100.00                    |
| 29             | 2.170                 | 100.00                    | 1.645                 | 100.00                    | 1.838                 | 100.00                    |
| 30             | 2.261                 | 99.9810                   | 1.693                 | 100.00                    | 2.358                 | 100.00                    |
| 31             | 1.898                 | 100.00                    | 1.206                 | 100.00                    | 2.339                 | 100.00                    |
| 122            | 6.202                 | 99.9995                   | 3.590                 | 100.00                    | -                     | -                         |
| 134            | -                     | -                         | -                     | -                         | 3.372                 | 100.00                    |

**Table 7-3 Ionospheric Error 95% index and 3.29 Sigma Bounding**

| Site →<br>SV ↓ | Billings       |                     | Washington DC  |                     | Salt Lake City |                     | Miami          |                     |
|----------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
|                | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding |
| 1              | 0.780          | 100.00              | 0.729          | 100.00              | 0.554          | 100.00              | 0.967          | 100.00              |
| 2              | 0.716          | 100.00              | 0.681          | 100.00              | 0.876          | 100.00              | 0.886          | 100.00              |
| 3              | 0.696          | 100.00              | 1.000          | 100.00              | 0.920          | 100.00              | 0.807          | 100.00              |
| 4              | 1.141          | 100.00              | 1.260          | 100.00              | 1.470          | 100.00              | 0.929          | 100.00              |
| 5              | 0.654          | 100.00              | 0.589          | 100.00              | 0.661          | 100.00              | 0.901          | 100.00              |
| 6              | 0.813          | 100.00              | 1.170          | 100.00              | 1.013          | 100.00              | 1.240          | 100.00              |
| 7              | 0.984          | 100.00              | 0.641          | 100.00              | 0.671          | 100.00              | 1.069          | 100.00              |
| 8              | 0.691          | 100.00              | 0.817          | 100.00              | 0.547          | 100.00              | 0.665          | 100.00              |
| 9              | 0.672          | 100.00              | 0.979          | 100.00              | 0.681          | 100.00              | 0.709          | 100.00              |
| 10             | 0.898          | 100.00              | 0.566          | 100.00              | 0.475          | 100.00              | 0.981          | 100.00              |
| 11             | 0.779          | 100.00              | 0.537          | 100.00              | 0.436          | 100.00              | 1.002          | 100.00              |
| 12             | -              | -                   | -              | -                   | -              | -                   | -              | -                   |
| 13             | 0.758          | 100.00              | 0.849          | 100.00              | 0.498          | 100.00              | 0.978          | 100.00              |
| 14             | 0.994          | 100.00              | 0.638          | 100.00              | 0.558          | 100.00              | 0.967          | 100.00              |
| 15             | 0.627          | 100.00              | 0.952          | 100.00              | 0.597          | 100.00              | 0.967          | 100.00              |
| 16             | 0.791          | 100.00              | 0.548          | 100.00              | 0.585          | 100.00              | 0.639          | 100.00              |
| 17             | 1.075          | 100.00              | 0.835          | 100.00              | 0.849          | 100.00              | 0.881          | 100.00              |
| 18             | 0.891          | 100.00              | 0.457          | 100.00              | 0.587          | 100.00              | 1.332          | 100.00              |
| 19             | -              | -                   | -              | -                   | -              | -                   | -              | -                   |
| 20             | 0.994          | 100.00              | 0.540          | 100.00              | 0.618          | 100.00              | 1.241          | 100.00              |
| 21             | 1.204          | 100.00              | 0.770          | 100.00              | 0.791          | 100.00              | 1.410          | 100.00              |
| 22             | 2.715          | 100.00              | 2.314          | 100.00              | 2.152          | 100.00              | 2.923          | 100.00              |
| 23             | 0.415          | 100.00              | 0.966          | 100.00              | 0.700          | 100.00              | 0.845          | 100.00              |
| 24             | 1.483          | 100.00              | 1.078          | 100.00              | 1.357          | 100.00              | 1.068          | 100.00              |
| 25             | 1.023          | 100.00              | 0.920          | 100.00              | 1.045          | 100.00              | 1.294          | 100.00              |
| 26             | 0.947          | 100.00              | 1.246          | 100.00              | 1.140          | 100.00              | 0.902          | 100.00              |
| 27             | 0.745          | 100.00              | 0.779          | 100.00              | 0.762          | 100.00              | 0.857          | 100.00              |
| 28             | 0.933          | 100.00              | 0.650          | 100.00              | 0.557          | 100.00              | 1.079          | 100.00              |
| 29             | 0.726          | 100.00              | 1.114          | 100.00              | 0.729          | 100.00              | 0.761          | 100.00              |
| 30             | 0.855          | 100.00              | 1.082          | 100.00              | 1.036          | 100.00              | 0.865          | 100.00              |
| 31             | 0.780          | 100.00              | 0.605          | 100.00              | 0.577          | 100.00              | 0.710          | 100.00              |

**Table 7-4 Ionospheric Error 95% index and 3.29 Sigma Bounding**

| Site →<br>SV ↓ | Minneapolis    |                     | Atlanta        |                     | Juneau         |                     |
|----------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
|                | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding | 95% Iono Error | 3.29 Sigma Bounding |
| 1              | 0.998          | 100.00              | 0.767          | 100.00              | 1.197          | 100.00              |
| 2              | 0.931          | 100.00              | 0.669          | 100.00              | 0.842          | 100.00              |
| 3              | 0.874          | 100.00              | 1.035          | 100.00              | 1.182          | 100.00              |
| 4              | 1.217          | 100.00              | 1.141          | 100.00              | 1.135          | 100.00              |
| 5              | 0.661          | 100.00              | 0.728          | 100.00              | 1.300          | 100.00              |
| 6              | 1.222          | 100.00              | 1.045          | 100.00              | 1.140          | 100.00              |
| 7              | 0.695          | 100.00              | 0.660          | 100.00              | 1.500          | 100.00              |
| 8              | 0.690          | 100.00              | 0.764          | 100.00              | 1.389          | 100.00              |
| 9              | 0.913          | 100.00              | 0.880          | 100.00              | 1.222          | 100.00              |
| 10             | 0.767          | 100.00              | 0.697          | 100.00              | 1.438          | 100.00              |
| 11             | 0.544          | 100.00              | 0.622          | 100.00              | 1.302          | 100.00              |
| 12             | -              | -                   | -              | -                   | -              | -                   |
| 13             | 0.962          | 100.00              | 0.760          | 100.00              | 1.331          | 100.00              |
| 14             | 0.576          | 100.00              | 0.769          | 100.00              | 1.835          | 100.00              |
| 15             | 0.794          | 100.00              | 0.723          | 100.00              | 1.448          | 100.00              |
| 16             | 0.712          | 100.00              | 0.558          | 100.00              | 1.554          | 100.00              |
| 17             | 1.054          | 100.00              | 0.736          | 100.00              | 1.354          | 100.00              |
| 18             | 0.510          | 100.00              | 0.813          | 100.00              | 2.083          | 100.00              |
| 19             | -              | -                   | -              | -                   | -              | -                   |
| 20             | 0.798          | 100.00              | 0.778          | 100.00              | 1.515          | 100.00              |
| 21             | 0.712          | 100.00              | 1.100          | 100.00              | 2.048          | 100.00              |
| 22             | 2.277          | 100.00              | 2.460          | 100.00              | 3.095          | 100.00              |
| 23             | 0.818          | 100.00              | 0.713          | 100.00              | 0.679          | 100.00              |
| 24             | 1.441          | 100.00              | 1.153          | 100.00              | 1.361          | 100.00              |
| 25             | 0.885          | 100.00              | 0.873          | 100.00              | 1.434          | 100.00              |
| 26             | 1.355          | 100.00              | 1.341          | 100.00              | 1.081          | 100.00              |
| 27             | 0.757          | 100.00              | 0.928          | 100.00              | 1.366          | 100.00              |
| 28             | 0.639          | 100.00              | 0.636          | 100.00              | 1.850          | 100.00              |
| 29             | 0.912          | 100.00              | 1.068          | 100.00              | 1.109          | 100.00              |
| 30             | 0.979          | 100.00              | 0.992          | 100.00              | 1.101          | 100.00              |
| 31             | 0.660          | 100.00              | 0.623          | 100.00              | 1.387          | 100.00              |

**Figure 7•1 95% Range Error (SV 1—SV 16) – Washington,  
95% Index Range Error**

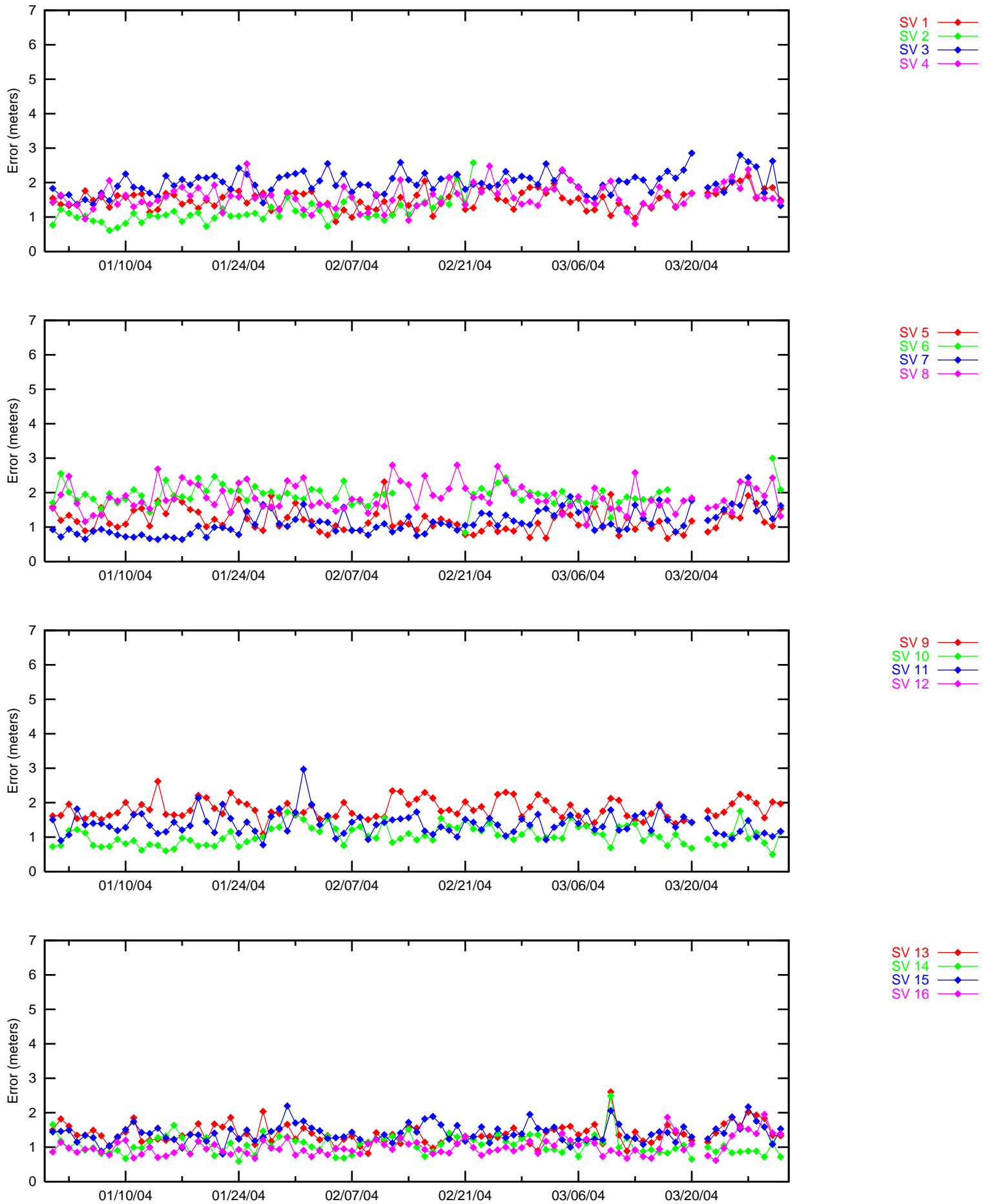




Figure 7-2 95% Range Error (SV 17—SV 31 and SV 122) – Washington, DC

95% Index Range Error

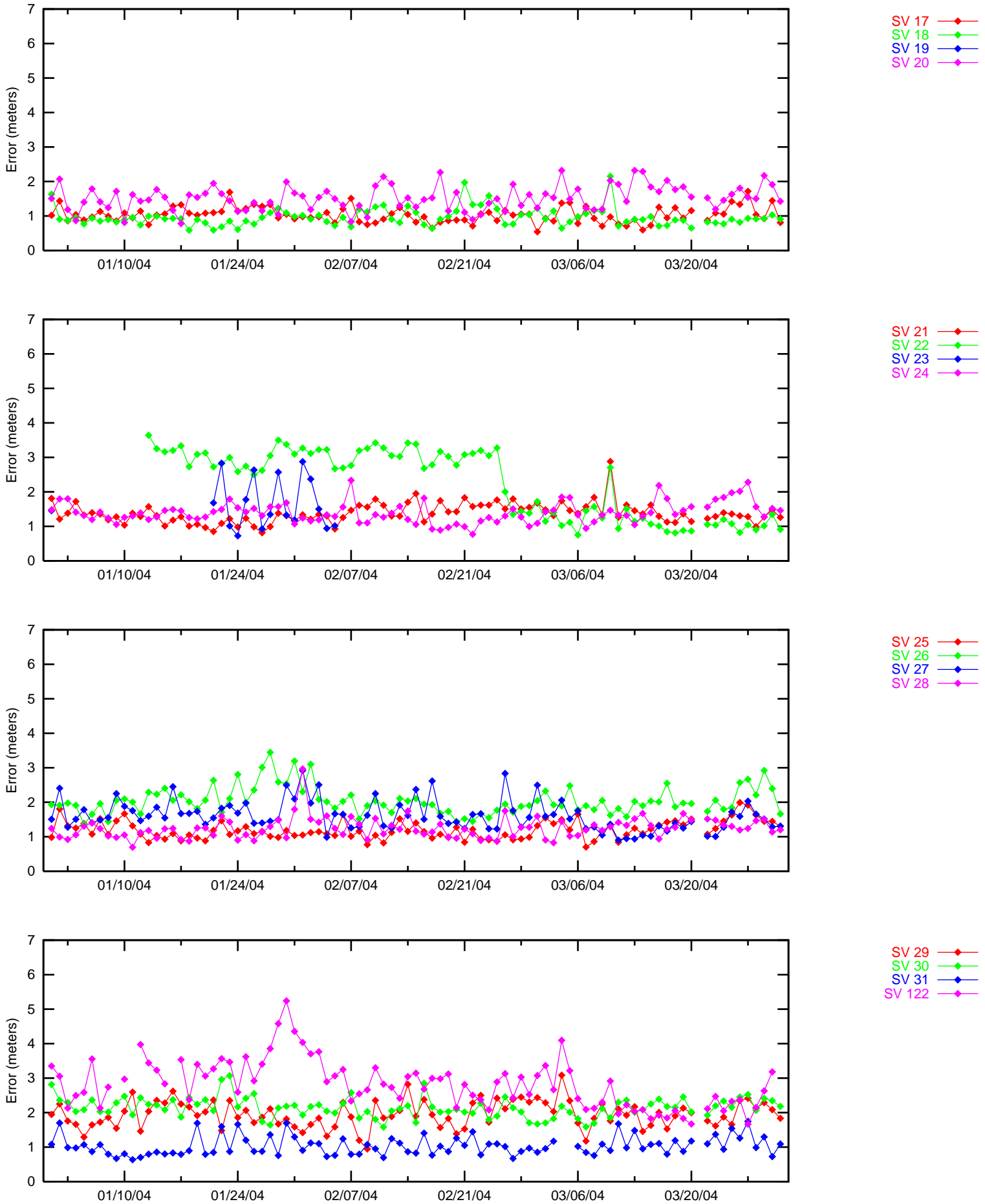


Figure 7•3 95% Ionospheric Error (SV 1—SV 16) – Washington, DC

95% Index Iono Error

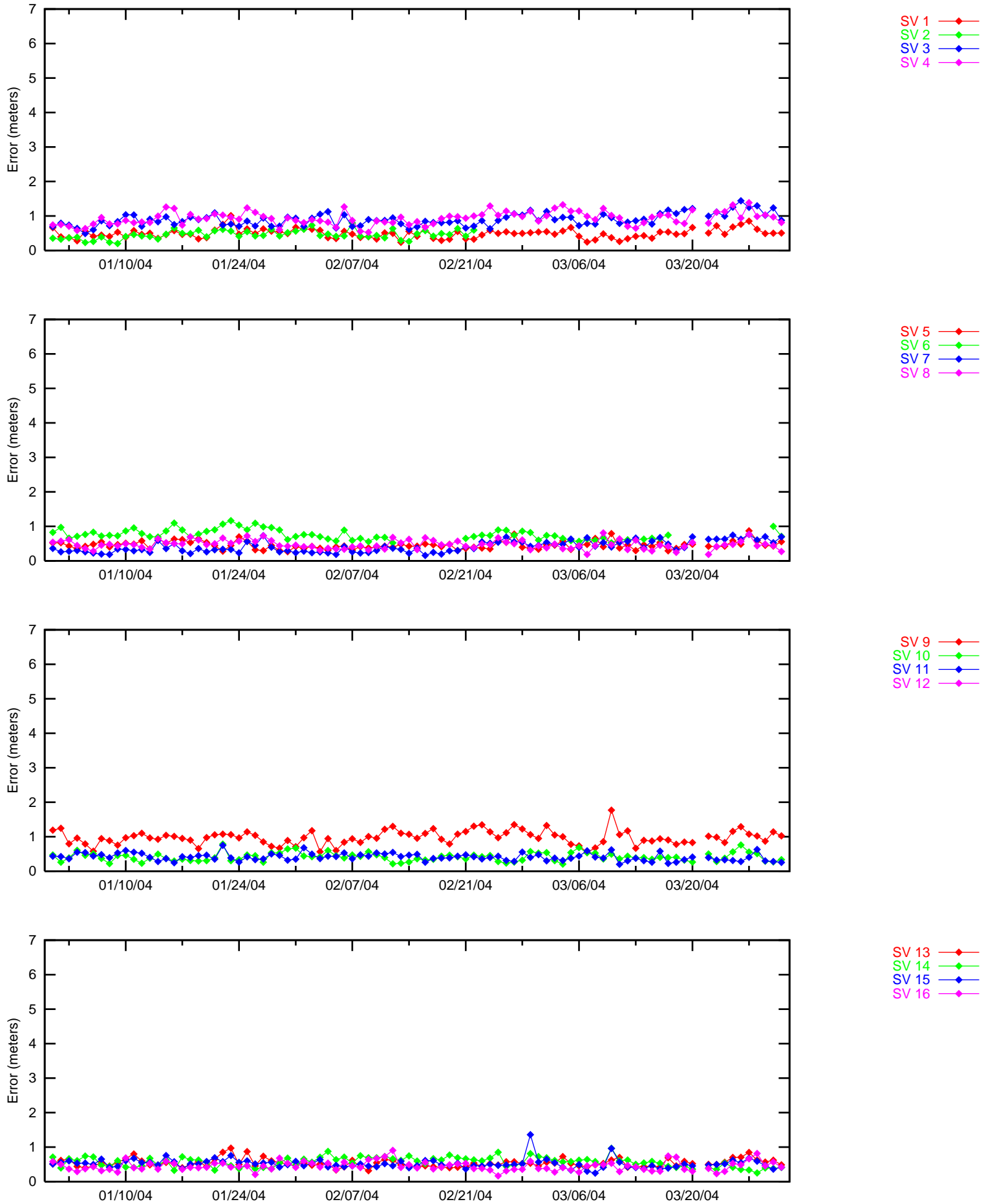
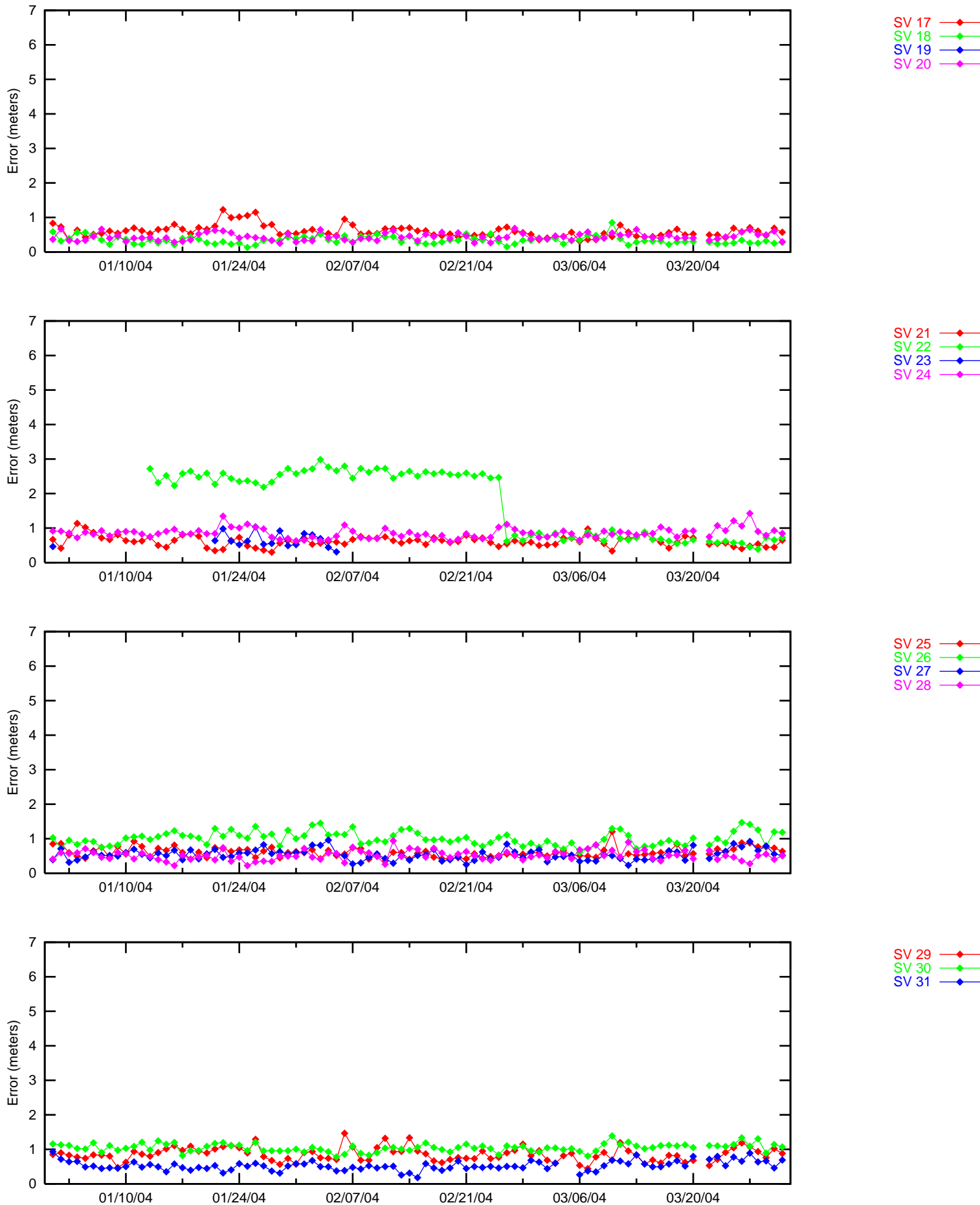


Figure 7•4 95% Ionospheric Error (SV 17—SV 31) – Washington, DC

95% Index Iono Error



**8.0 GEO RANGING PERFORMANCE**

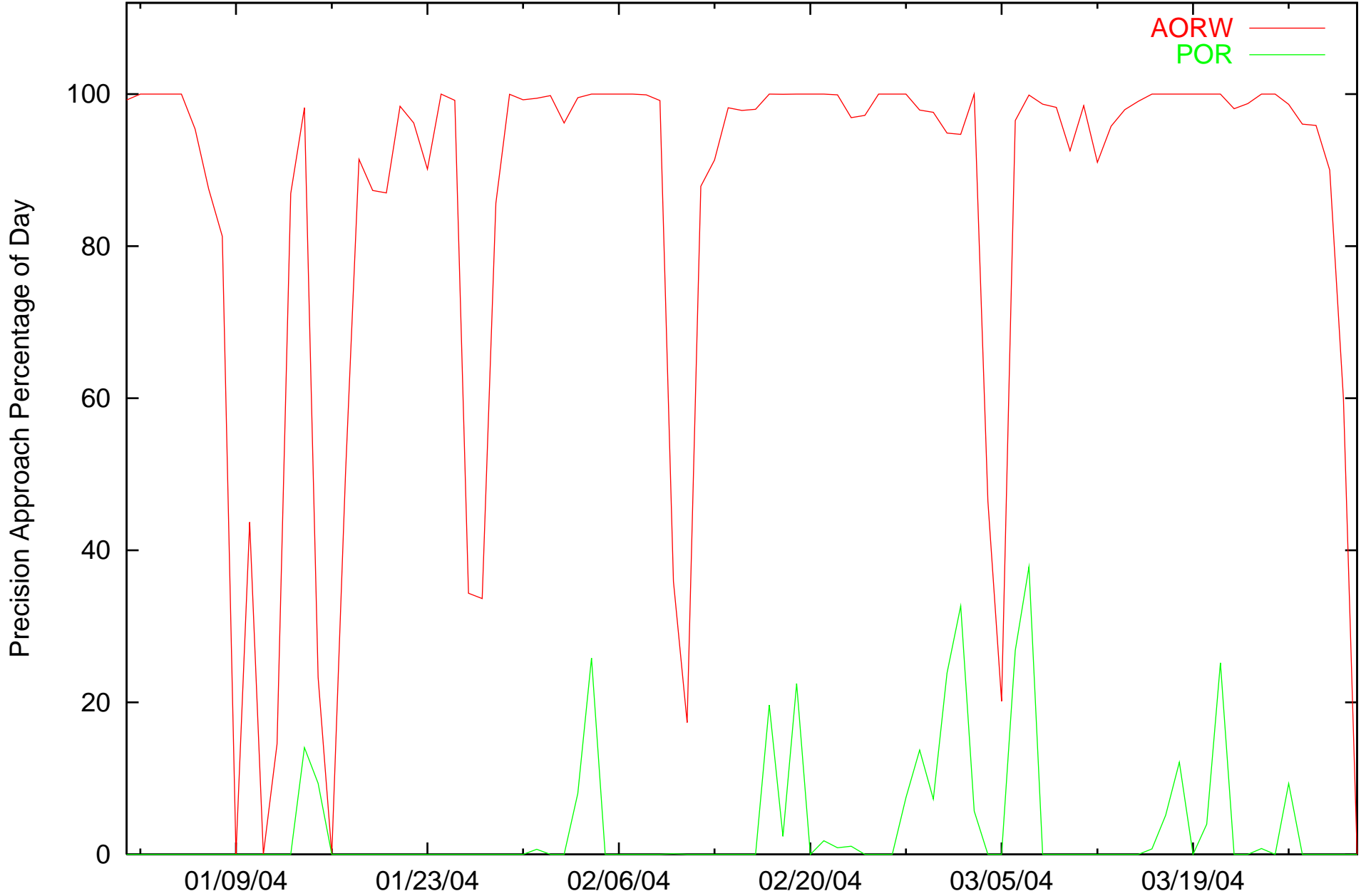
Table 8.1 shows the GEO-Ranging performance for AORW and POR satellites throughout the evaluated period. The percentage of PA ranging availability (i.e. the percentage of time a user receiver can use the GEO as a ranging source in a LNAV/VNAV or LPV position solution) for the AORW and POR is 85.21% and 3.5%, respectively. Figure 8.1 shows the trend of PA Ranging Availability for the AORW and POR satellite. The large drops in PA ranging availability for the AORW satellite is due to GUS switchovers. As in the past, the POR satellite as a ranging source has very low PA availability.

**Table 8-1 GEO Ranging Availability**

| <b>GEO</b> | <b>PA (%)</b> | <b>NPA (%)</b> | <b>Not Monitored (%)</b> | <b>Do Not Use (%)</b> |
|------------|---------------|----------------|--------------------------|-----------------------|
| AORW       | 85.21         | 13.40          | 0.40                     | 0.99                  |
| POR        | 3.50          | 85.76          | 9.06                     | 1.68                  |

Figure 8•1 Daily PA GEO Ranging Availability Trend

AORW/POR GEO-Ranging Performance



## 9.0 WAAS PROBLEM SUMMARY

Title: WAAS IGP's in central CONUS were set to "Not Monitored" state during ionospheric storm.

Description: IGP's located between N40 latitude and N55 latitude and W95 longitude and W105 longitude were set to not monitored state on 3/10/04 (GPS week 1261 day 3) from GPS time of week 264395 to 264977. This caused WAAS users in north central CONUS to drop into NPA service. Before the IGP's were set to not monitored several IGP's in the same area were in ionospheric storm state (GIVE = 45 meters), which occurred due to increased ionospheric activity (KP = 6) during the beginning of the GPS day.

Title: Anomaly on WAAS POR GEO (PRN 134) set all GPS satellites to not monitored for approximately 600 seconds

Description: WAAS POR GEO (PRN 134) changed all satellite UDRE's to not monitored beginning at GPS time of week 264226 until 264820 on 3/10/04 (GPS week 1261 day 3). At the same time WAAS AORW GEO (PRN 122) broadcast UDRE's were set to normal values and did not change form being monitored. Users that only tracked WAAS POR GEO dropped from PA/NPA operation to SPS operation (GPS only) for the duration of the WAAS anomaly. This anomaly was due to the tripping of the WAAS User Position Monitor (UPM). The UPM is one of the monitors in WAAS that ensures integrity.

Title: WAAS Type 2 alert set 6 satellites to not monitored and do not use for 6 seconds

Description: A WAAS anomaly was found. On 2/2/04 Grand Fork, Greenwood, Prescott, San Angelo, Boston, Kansas City, Minneapolis and Oakland failed continuity at 132613-132628 GPS time of week. A WAAS Type 2 alert broadcast during that time for 6sec caused the continuity failure. The UDREI for PRN 1, 2, 3 and 13 changed from 5 to 14 (not monitored), PRN 10 from 7 to 15(do not use) and PRN 8 from 6 to 15(do not use) by the WAAS alert. The UDREI was set back to normal when the next WAAS Type 2 was received.

Title: WAAS type 0 messages broadcast after a 1 second loss of signal in space

Description: On 3/8/04 there was a one second gap on AORW and a simultaneous two second gap on POR. These gaps occurred at GPS time 129022 and both were followed by a string of four T 0s starting at GPS time 129025. This anomaly caused a loss in the 99.9% NPA coverage availability.

**10.0 WAAS AIRPORT AVAILABILITY**

The WAAS airport availability evaluation determines the number and length LVP service outages at selected airports from the transmitted WAAS navigation message. The navigation messages transmitted from both AORW and POR GEO satellites are processed simultaneously, and WAAS protection levels (VPL and HPL) are computed at each airport once a second in accordance with the WAAS MOPS. Once the protection levels have been produced at each airport an LPV service evaluation is conducted to identify outages in service (i.e. when protection levels exceed alert limits). WAAS LPV service is available for a user when the vertical protection level (VPL) is less than or equal to vertical alert limit (VAL) of 50 meters and the horizontal protection level (HPL) is less than or equal to horizontal alert limit (HAL) of 40 meters. If both conditions are met at a specified airport location then WAAS LPV service is available at that airport. If either one of the conditions are not met at a specified airport location then WAAS LPV service at that airport is unavailable and an outage in LPV service is recorded with its duration. When the LPV service becomes unavailable it is not considered available again until protection levels are below or equal to alert limits for at least 15 minutes. Although this will reduce LPV service availability minimally, it substantially reduces the number of service outages and prevents excessive switching in and out of service availability. When computing LPV service availability an extra two minutes of outage time was prefixed to each outage. The number of WAAS LPV service outages and the availability at selected airports for the period from 12/21/03 to 3/27/04 of WAAS operation is presented in Table 10.1. Figures 10.1 and 10.2 provide a graphical representation of WAAS LPV service availability and outage counts for the same period, respectively.

**Table 10-1 WAAS LPV Outages and Availability**

| Airport ID | Airport Name                             | City                               | State | Outages | Availability |
|------------|--|------------------------------------|-------|---------|--------------|
| EET        | SHELBY COUNTY                            | ALABASTER                          | AL    | 25      | 0.999106     |
| 79J        | ANDALUSIA-OPP                            | ANDALUSIA/OP                       | AL    | 21      | 0.999072     |
| KBHM       | BIRMINGHAM INTL                          | BIRMINGHAM                         | AL    | 25      | 0.999073     |
| KDHN       | DOTHAN REGIONAL                          | DOTHAN                             | AL    | 19      | 0.999170     |
| HSV        | HUNTSVILLE INTL-<br>CARL T JONES FIELD   | HUNTSVILLE                         | AL    | 25      | 0.999098     |
| MOB        | MOBILE REGIONAL                          | MOBILE                             | AL    | 32      | 0.998732     |
| KVBT       | BENTONVILLE MUNICIPAL/<br>LM THADDEN FLD | BENTONVILLE                        | AR    | 14      | 0.999493     |
| CDH        | HARRELL FIELD                            | CAMDEN                             | AR    | 20      | 0.999421     |
| KXNA       | NORTHWEST<br>ARKANSAS REGIONAL           | FAYETTEVILLE/<br>SPRINGDALE/ROGERS | AR    | 14      | 0.999493     |
| KFSM       | FORT SMITH REGIONAL                      | FORT SMITH                         | AR    | 14      | 0.999485     |
| LIT        | ADAMS FIELD                              | LITTLE ROCK                        | AR    | 20      | 0.999379     |
| SRC        | SEARCY MUNICIPAL                         | SEARCY                             | AR    | 20      | 0.999313     |
| ASG        | SPRINGDALE MUNICIPAL                     | SPRINGDALE                         | AR    | 14      | 0.999492     |
| KARG       | WALNUT RIDGE REGIONAL                    | WALNUT RIDGE                       | AR    | 23      | 0.998964     |
| IFP        | LAUGHLIN/BULLHEAD INTL                   | BULLHEAD CITY                      | AZ    | 62      | 0.996984     |
| KGCN       | GRAND CANYON NATL PARK                   | GRAND CANYON                       | AZ    | 35      | 0.998661     |
| KPHX       | PHOENIX SKY HARBOR INTL                  | PHOENIX                            | AZ    | 123     | 0.992028     |
| KPRC       | ERNEST A LOVE FIELD                      | PRESCOTT                           | AZ    | 53      | 0.997066     |
| KTUS       | TUCSON INTL                              | TUCSON                             | AZ    | 164     | 0.983343     |
| RQE        | WINDOW ROCK                              | WINDOW ROCK                        | AZ    | 18      | 0.999466     |
| KCRQ       | MC CLELLAN-PALOMAR                       | CARLSBAD                           | CA    | 326     | 0.963353     |
| O60        | CLOVERDALE MUNICIPAL                     | CLOVERDALE                         | CA    | 127     | 0.991454     |
| KDAG       | BARSTOW-DAGGETT                          | DAGGETT                            | CA    | 118     | 0.990818     |
| IYK        | INYOKERN                                 | INYOKERN                           | CA    | 94      | 0.993966     |
| KLAX       | LOS ANGELES INTL                         | LOS ANGELES                        | CA    | 310     | 0.968819     |
| KOAK       | METROPOLITAN OAKLAND INTL                | OAKLAND                            | CA    | 136     | 0.990681     |
| ONT        | ONTARIO INTL                             | ONTARIO                            | CA    | 264     | 0.976225     |

| Airport ID | Airport Name                         | City                         | State | Outages | Availability |
|------------|--------------------------------------|------------------------------|-------|---------|--------------|
| KPMD       | PALMDALE PROD FLT/<br>TEST INSTLN    | PALMDALE                     | CA    | 222     | 0.981857     |
| KMHR       | SACRAMENTO MATHER                    | SACRAMENTO                   | CA    | 61      | 0.995863     |
| KSMF       | SACRAMENTO INTL                      | SACRAMENTO                   | CA    | 65      | 0.995531     |
| SAN        | SAN DIEGO INTL-<br>LINDBERGH FIELD   | SAN DIEGO                    | CA    | 417     | 0.951640     |
| KSFO       | SAN FRANCISCO INTL                   | SAN FRANCISCO                | CA    | 157     | 0.988646     |
| SJC        | SAN JOSE INTL                        | SAN JOSE                     | CA    | 135     | 0.990786     |
| SVE        | SUSANVILLE MUNICIPAL                 | SUSANVILLE                   | CA    | 46      | 0.998000     |
| TNP        | TWENTYNINE PALMS                     | TWENTYNINE PALMS             | CA    | 150     | 0.988514     |
| AKO        | AKRON-COLORADO PLAINS<br>REGIONAL    | AKRON                        | CO    | 17      | 0.999455     |
| CEZ        | CORTEZ MUNICIPAL                     | CORTEZ                       | CO    | 19      | 0.999541     |
| KDEN       | DENVER INTL                          | DENVER                       | CO    | 19      | 0.999435     |
| HDN        | YAMPA VALLEY                         | HAYDEN                       | CO    | 15      | 0.999575     |
| LHX        | LA JUNTA MUNICIPAL                   | LA JUNTA                     | CO    | 19      | 0.999485     |
| LAA        | LAMAR MUNICIPAL                      | LAMAR                        | CO    | 19      | 0.999501     |
| 2V2        | VANCE BRAND                          | LONGMONT                     | CO    | 15      | 0.999571     |
| EEO        | MEEKER                               | MEEKER                       | CO    | 17      | 0.999544     |
| TAD        | PERRY STOKES                         | TRINIDAD                     | CO    | 21      | 0.999447     |
| 2V5        | WRAY                                 | WRAY                         | CO    | 17      | 0.999467     |
| KBDL       | BRADLEY INTL                         | WINDSOR LOCKS                | CT    | 84      | 0.993543     |
| KDCA       | RONALD REAGAN<br>WASHINGTON INTL     | WASHINGTON                   | DC    | 26      | 0.998419     |
| KIAD       | WASHINGTON DULLES INTL               | WASHINGTON                   | DC    | 28      | 0.998452     |
| KFLL       | FORT LAUDERDALE/<br>HOLLYWOOD INTL   | FORT LAUDERDALE              | FL    | 116     | 0.991924     |
| KRSW       | SOUTHWEST FLORIDA INTL               | FORT MYERS                   | FL    | 71      | 0.995058     |
| KGNV       | GAINESVILLE REGIONAL                 | GAINESVILLE                  | FL    | 29      | 0.999016     |
| KJAX       | JACKSONVILLE INTL                    | JACKSONVILLE                 | FL    | 25      | 0.999425     |
| KMIA       | MIAMI INTL                           | MIAMI                        | FL    | 136     | 0.990130     |
| KAPF       | NAPLES MUNICIPAL                     | NAPLES                       | FL    | 99      | 0.993290     |
| KOCF       | OCALA INTL-JIM TAYLOR FLD            | OCALA                        | FL    | 32      | 0.998646     |
| KMCO       | ORLANDO INTL                         | ORLANDO                      | FL    | 35      | 0.997977     |
| KPFN       | PANAMA CITY-BAY COUNTY INTL          | PANAMA CITY                  | FL    | 20      | 0.999134     |
| KPNS       | PENSACOLA REGIONAL                   | PENSACOLA                    | FL    | 35      | 0.998616     |
| SRQ        | SARASOTA/BRADENTON INTL              | SARASOTA/BRADENTON           | FL    | 52      | 0.996804     |
| KPIE       | ST PETERSBURG-<br>CLEARWATER INTL    | ST PETERSBURG-<br>CLEARWATER | FL    | 37      | 0.997739     |
| KTLH       | TALLAHASSEE REGIONAL                 | TALLAHASSEE                  | FL    | 20      | 0.999267     |
| TPA        | TAMPA INTL                           | TAMPA                        | FL    | 35      | 0.997777     |
| KVRB       | VERO BEACH MUNICIPAL                 | VERO BEACH                   | FL    | 48      | 0.996721     |
| KPBI       | PALM BEACH INTL                      | WEST PALM BEACH              | FL    | 64      | 0.994961     |
| KACJ       | SOUTHER FIELD                        | AMERICUS                     | GA    | 19      | 0.999375     |
| KATL       | WILLIAM B HARTSFIELD ATLANTA<br>INTL | ATLANTA                      | GA    | 19      | 0.999367     |
| KSAV       | SAVANNAH INTL                        | SAVANNAH                     | GA    | 15      | 0.999601     |
| KTBR       | STATESBORO-<br>BULLOCH COUNTY        | STATESBORO                   | GA    | 15      | 0.999606     |
| KIKV       | ANKENY REGIONAL                      | ANKENY                       | IA    | 21      | 0.998399     |
| CID        | THE EASTERN IOWA                     | CEDAR RAPIDS                 | IA    | 25      | 0.998160     |
| DSM        | DES MOINES INTL                      | DES MOINES                   | IA    | 20      | 0.998441     |



| Airport ID | Airport Name                                | City                   | State | Outages | Availability |
|------------|---|------------------------|-------|---------|--------------|
| KMXO       | MONTICELLO REGIONAL                         | MONTICELLO             | IA    | 26      | 0.998084     |
| KBOI       | BOISE AIR TERMINAL/<br>GOWEN FIELD          | BOISE                  | ID    | 22      | 0.999432     |
| EUL        | CALDWELL INDUSTRIAL                         | CALDWELL               | ID    | 24      | 0.999393     |
| SUN        | FRIEDMAN MEMORIAL                           | HAILEY                 | ID    | 21      | 0.999495     |
| SZT        | SANDPOINT                                   | SANDPOINT              | ID    | 31      | 0.998123     |
| KENL       | CENTRALIA MUNICIPAL                         | CENTRALIA              | IL    | 26      | 0.998511     |
| KORD       | CHICAGO-O'HARE INTL                         | CHICAGO                | IL    | 30      | 0.997941     |
| MDW        | CHICAGO MIDWAY                              | CHICAGO                | IL    | 29      | 0.997981     |
| KARR       | AURORA MUNICIPAL                            | CHICAGO/AURORA         | IL    | 31      | 0.997969     |
| KFOA       | FLORA MUNICIPAL                             | FLORA                  | IL    | 27      | 0.998373     |
| MLI        | QUAD-CITY                                   | MOLINE                 | IL    | 26      | 0.998102     |
| KPIA       | GREATER PEORIA REGIONAL                     | PEORIA                 | IL    | 28      | 0.998134     |
| KPPQ       | PITTSFIELD PENSTONE MUNI                    | PITTSFIELD             | IL    | 22      | 0.998464     |
| KTIP       | RANTOUL NATL AVN CTR/<br>FRANK ELLIOT FLD   | RANTOUL                | IL    | 28      | 0.998158     |
| KRFD       | GREATER ROCKFORD                            | ROCKFORD               | IL    | 31      | 0.998002     |
| KSLO       | SALEM-LECKRONE                              | SALEM                  | IL    | 26      | 0.998403     |
| KANQ       | TRI-STATE STEUBEN COUNTY                    | ANGOLA                 | IN    | 22      | 0.997970     |
| KBMG       | MONROE COUNTY                               | BLOOMINGTON            | IN    | 26      | 0.998172     |
| 0I2        | BRAZIL CLAY COUNTY                          | BRAZIL                 | IN    | 28      | 0.998134     |
| FWA        | FORT WAYNE INTL                             | FORT WAYNE             | IN    | 22      | 0.998037     |
| KIND       | INDIANAPOLIS INTL                           | INDIANAPOLIS           | IN    | 20      | 0.998187     |
| SER        | FREEMAN MUNICIPAL                           | SEYMOUR                | IN    | 19      | 0.998265     |
| SBN        | MICHIANA REGIONAL<br>TRANSPORTATION CTR     | SOUTH BEND             | IN    | 23      | 0.997989     |
| KCBK       | SHALTZ FIELD                                | COLBY                  | KS    | 20      | 0.999347     |
| EHA        | ELKHART-MORTON COUNTY                       | ELKHART                | KS    | 13      | 0.999638     |
| KHYS       | HAYS RGNL                                   | HAYS                   | KS    | 15      | 0.999496     |
| KMHK       | MANHATTAN REGIONAL                          | MANHATTAN              | KS    | 19      | 0.999195     |
| KOJC       | JOHNSON COUNTY EXECUTIVE                    | OLATHE                 | KS    | 19      | 0.999160     |
| TOP        | PHILIP BILLARD MUNICIPAL                    | TOPEKA                 | KS    | 19      | 0.999165     |
| KULS       | ULYSSES                                     | ULYSSES                | KS    | 13      | 0.999632     |
| ICT        | WICHITA MID-CONTINENT                       | WICHITA                | KS    | 15      | 0.999461     |
| KWLD       | STROTHER FIELD                              | WINFIELD/ARKANSAS CITY | KS    | 12      | 0.999613     |
| KCVG       | CINCINNATI/NORTHERN KY INTL                 | COVINGTON/CINCINNATI   | KY    | 18      | 0.998373     |
| KLEX       | BLUE GRASS                                  | LEXINGTON              | KY    | 18      | 0.998510     |
| SDF        | LOUISVILLE INTERNATIONAL-<br>STANDIFORD FLD | LOUISVILLE             | KY    | 20      | 0.998295     |
| KK22       | BIG SANDY REGIONAL                          | PRESTONBURG            | KY    | 18      | 0.998745     |
| KAEX       | ALEXANDRIA INTL                             | ALEXANDRIA             | LA    | 29      | 0.999071     |
| L39        | LEESVILLE                                   | LEESVILLE              | LA    | 30      | 0.999076     |
| MSY        | NEW ORLEANS INTL/<br>MOISANT FIELD          | NEW ORLEANS            | LA    | 35      | 0.998628     |
| SHV        | SHREVEPORT REGIONAL                         | SHREVEPORT             | LA    | 21      | 0.999364     |
| KBOS       | GEN EDWARD LAWRENCE<br>LOGAN INTL           | BOSTON                 | MA    | 175     | 0.987198     |
| OWD        | NORWOOD MEMORIAL                            | NORWOOD                | MA    | 168     | 0.988327     |
| KPVC       | PROVINCETOWN MUNICIPAL                      | PROVINCETOWN           | MA    | 227     | 0.982881     |
| KBWI       | BALTIMORE-WASHINGTON INTL                   | BALTIMORE              | MD    | 27      | 0.998293     |
| FDK        | FREDERICK MUNICIPAL                         | FREDERICK              | MD    | 28      | 0.998399     |

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| GAI        | MONTGOMERY COUNTY AIRPARK                  | GAITHERSBURG     | MD    | 28      | 0.998404     |
| W00        | FREEWAY                                    | MITCHELLVILLE    | MD    | 26      | 0.998366     |
| RJD        | RIDGELY AIRPARK                            | RIDGELY          | MD    | 28      | 0.997959     |
| DMW        | CARROLL CNTY REGIONAL/ JACK B. POAGE FLD   | WESTMINSTER      | MD    | 29      | 0.998319     |
| PWM        | PORTLAND INTL JETPORT                      | PORTLAND         | ME    | 270     | 0.977217     |
| KPQI       | N MAINE REGIONAL AIRPORT AT PRESQUE        | PRESQUE ISLE     | ME    | 1005    | 0.829371     |
| AMN        | ALMA/GRATIOT COMMUNITY                     | ALMA             | MI    | 24      | 0.997611     |
| KARB       | ANN ARBOR MUNICIPAL                        | ANN ARBOR        | MI    | 22      | 0.997977     |
| Y15        | CHEBOYGAN COUNTY                           | CHEBOYGAN        | MI    | 31      | 0.997335     |
| KDTW       | DETROIT METROPOLITAN WAYNE CTY             | DETROIT          | MI    | 22      | 0.998081     |
| KFNT       | BISHOP INTL                                | FLINT            | MI    | 23      | 0.997770     |
| KGRR       | GERALD R FORD INTL                         | GRAND RAPIDS     | MI    | 24      | 0.997667     |
| KCMX       | HOUGHTON COUNTY MEMORIAL                   | HANCOCK          | MI    | 65      | 0.990153     |
| BIV        | TULIP CITY                                 | HOLLAND          | MI    | 23      | 0.997765     |
| HTL        | ROSCOMMON COUNTY                           | HOUGHTON LAKE    | MI    | 24      | 0.997511     |
| KMKG       | MUSKEGON COUNTY                            | MUSKEGON         | MI    | 25      | 0.997581     |
| 5D3        | OWOSSO COMMUNITY                           | OWOSSO           | MI    | 23      | 0.997689     |
| KMBS       | MBS INTL                                   | SAGINAW          | MI    | 23      | 0.997660     |
| CIU        | CHIPPEWA COUNTY INTL                       | SAULT STE. MARIE | MI    | 52      | 0.993896     |
| KAXN       | CHANDLER FIELD                             | ALEXANDRIA       | MN    | 44      | 0.996073     |
| KBDE       | BAUDETTE INTL                              | BAUDETTE         | MN    | 68      | 0.988425     |
| KBRD       | BRAINERD-CROW WING CO REGIONAL             | BRAINERD         | MN    | 49      | 0.992998     |
| KDLH       | DULUTH INTL                                | DULUTH           | MN    | 55      | 0.991937     |
| KMSP       | MINNEAPOLIS-ST PAUL INTL/ WOLD CHAMBERLAIN | MINNEAPOLIS      | MN    | 23      | 0.998272     |
| KRGK       | RED WING REGIONAL                          | RED WING         | MN    | 26      | 0.998145     |
| KRST       | ROCHESTER INTL                             | ROCHESTER        | MN    | 27      | 0.998188     |
| KJYG       | ST JAMES MUNICIPAL                         | ST JAMES         | MN    | 22      | 0.998440     |
| M05        | CARUTHERSVILLE MEMORIAL                    | CARUTHERSVILLE   | MO    | 26      | 0.998808     |
| KMCI       | KANSAS CITY INTL                           | KANSAS CITY      | MO    | 18      | 0.999044     |
| KLBO       | FLOYD W JONES LEBANON                      | LEBANON          | MO    | 19      | 0.999183     |
| LXT        | LEE'S SUMMIT MUNICIPAL                     | LEE'S SUMMIT     | MO    | 17      | 0.999060     |
| H41        | MEXICO MEMORIAL                            | MEXICO           | MO    | 20      | 0.998704     |
| KDMO       | SEDALIA MEMORIAL                           | SEDALIA          | MO    | 18      | 0.998881     |
| SGF        | SPRINGFIELD-BRANSON REGIONAL               | SPRINGFIELD      | MO    | 15      | 0.999309     |
| KSTL       | LAMBERT-ST LOUIS INTL                      | ST LOUIS         | MO    | 22      | 0.998453     |
| KMO6       | WASHINGTON MEMORIAL                        | WASHINGTON       | MO    | 23      | 0.998602     |
| 0M6        | PANOLA COUNTY                              | BATESVILLE       | MS    | 25      | 0.999191     |
| JAN        | JACKSON INTL                               | JACKSON          | MS    | 27      | 0.999127     |
| MPE        | PHILADELPHIA MUNICIPAL                     | PHILADELPHIA     | MS    | 27      | 0.999068     |
| KBIL       | BILLINGS LOGAN INTL                        | BILLINGS         | MT    | 23      | 0.998814     |
| 6S5        | RAVALLI COUNTY                             | HAMILTON         | MT    | 19      | 0.999031     |
| KHLN       | HELENA REGIONAL                            | HELENA           | MT    | 21      | 0.998865     |
| KLWT       | LEWISTOWN MUNICIPAL                        | LEWISTOWN        | MT    | 30      | 0.998411     |
| KMLS       | FRANK WILEY FIELD                          | MILES CITY       | MT    | 33      | 0.997923     |
| KHBI       | ASHEBORO MUNICIPAL                         | ASHEBORO         | NC    | 16      | 0.999059     |

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| KAVL       | ASHEVILLE REGIONAL                           | ASHEVILLE      | NC    | 17      | 0.999202     |
| MRH        | MICHAEL J. SMITH FIELD                       | BEAUFORT       | NC    | 22      | 0.998576     |
| KCLT       | CHARLOTTE/DOUGLAS INTL                       | CHARLOTTE      | NC    | 16      | 0.999096     |
| ECG        | ELIZABETH CITY CGAS                          | ELIZABETH CITY | NC    | 24      | 0.998369     |
| KFAY       | FAYETTEVILLE REGIONAL/<br>GRANNIS FIELD      | FAYETTEVILLE   | NC    | 17      | 0.999079     |
| GSO        | PIEDMONT TRIAD INTL                          | GREENSBORO     | NC    | 17      | 0.999040     |
| PGV        | PITT-GREENVILLE                              | GREENVILLE     | NC    | 17      | 0.998706     |
| HSE        | BILLY MITCHELL                               | HATTERAS       | NC    | 27      | 0.998162     |
| HKY        | HICKORY REGIONAL                             | HICKORY        | NC    | 16      | 0.999066     |
| KISO       | KINSTON REGIONAL JETPORT AT<br>STALLINGS FLD | KINSTON        | NC    | 19      | 0.998867     |
| MEB        | LAURINBURG                                   | MAXTON         | NC    | 15      | 0.999120     |
| KEQY       | MONROE                                       | MONROE         | NC    | 16      | 0.999140     |
| KRDU       | RALEIGH-DURHAM INTL                          | RALEIGH/DURHAM | NC    | 17      | 0.999046     |
| KRUQ       | ROWAN COUNTY                                 | SALISBURY      | NC    | 16      | 0.999079     |
| KTTA       | SANFORD-LEE COUNTY RGNL                      | SANFORD        | NC    | 17      | 0.999047     |
| SUT        | BRUNSWICK COUNTY                             | SOUTHPORT      | NC    | 18      | 0.999295     |
| OCW        | WARREN FIELD                                 | WASHINGTON     | NC    | 20      | 0.998632     |
| MCZ        | MARTIN COUNTY                                | WILLIAMSTON    | NC    | 17      | 0.998686     |
| KILM       | WILMINGTON INTL                              | WILMINGTON     | NC    | 17      | 0.999122     |
| W03        | WILSON INDUSTRIAL<br>AIR CENTER              | WILSON         | NC    | 19      | 0.998919     |
| KFAR       | HECTOR INTL                                  | FARGO          | ND    | 46      | 0.991709     |
| MOT        | MINOT INTL AIRPORT                           | MINOT          | ND    | 44      | 0.991814     |
| KANW       | AINSWORTH MUNICIPAL                          | AINSWORTH      | NE    | 18      | 0.999083     |
| AUH        | AURORA MUNICIPAL                             | AURORA         | NE    | 21      | 0.999024     |
| BIE        | BEATRICE MUNICIPAL                           | BEATRICE       | NE    | 22      | 0.999056     |
| CSB        | CAMBRIDGE MUNICIPAL                          | CAMBRIDGE      | NE    | 20      | 0.999278     |
| CEK        | CRETE MUNICIPAL                              | CRETE          | NE    | 22      | 0.998990     |
| GRN        | GORDON MUNICIPAL                             | GORDON         | NE    | 15      | 0.999447     |
| KEAR       | KEARNEY MUNICIPAL                            | KEARNEY        | NE    | 20      | 0.999046     |
| KLBF       | NORTH PLATTE REGIONAL<br>LEE BIRD FLD        | NORTH PLATTE   | NE    | 20      | 0.999183     |
| OMA        | EPPLEY AIRFIELD                              | OMAHA          | NE    | 20      | 0.998469     |
| OKS        | GARDEN COUNTY                                | OSHKOSH        | NE    | 14      | 0.999613     |
| SCB        | SCRIBNER STATE                               | SCRIBNER       | NE    | 20      | 0.998463     |
| SNY        | SIDNEY MUNICIPAL                             | SIDNEY         | NE    | 16      | 0.999496     |
| VTN        | MILLER FIELD                                 | VALENTINE      | NE    | 18      | 0.999102     |
| MHT        | MANCHESTER                                   | MANCHESTER     | NH    | 170     | 0.988350     |
| KACY       | ATLANTIC CITY INTL                           | ATLANTIC CITY  | NJ    | 36      | 0.997112     |
| KMMU       | MORRISTOWN MUNICIPAL                         | MORRISTOWN     | NJ    | 44      | 0.996514     |
| KEWR       | NEWARK INTL                                  | NEWARK         | NJ    | 45      | 0.996162     |
| 7N7        | SPITFIRE AERODROM                            | PEDRICTOWN     | NJ    | 34      | 0.997428     |
| K3NJ6      | INDUCTOTHERM HELIPORT                        | RANCOCAS       | NJ    | 37      | 0.996937     |
| KABQ       | ALBUQUERQUE INTL SUNPORT                     | ALBUQUERQUE    | NM    | 28      | 0.999298     |
| KFMN       | FOUR CORNERS REGIONAL                        | FARMINGTON     | NM    | 21      | 0.999510     |
| KLRU       | LAS CRUCES INTL                              | LAS CRUCES     | NM    | 57      | 0.997453     |
| ELY        | ELY AIRPORT/YELLAND FELD                     | ELY            | NV    | 27      | 0.999186     |
| KLAS       | MC CARRAN INTL                               | LAS VEGAS      | NV    | 50      | 0.997822     |
| ALB        | ALBANY INTL                                  | ALBANY         | NY    | 65      | 0.994499     |
| BUF        | BUFFALO NIAGARA INTL                         | BUFFALO        | NY    | 25      | 0.998057     |

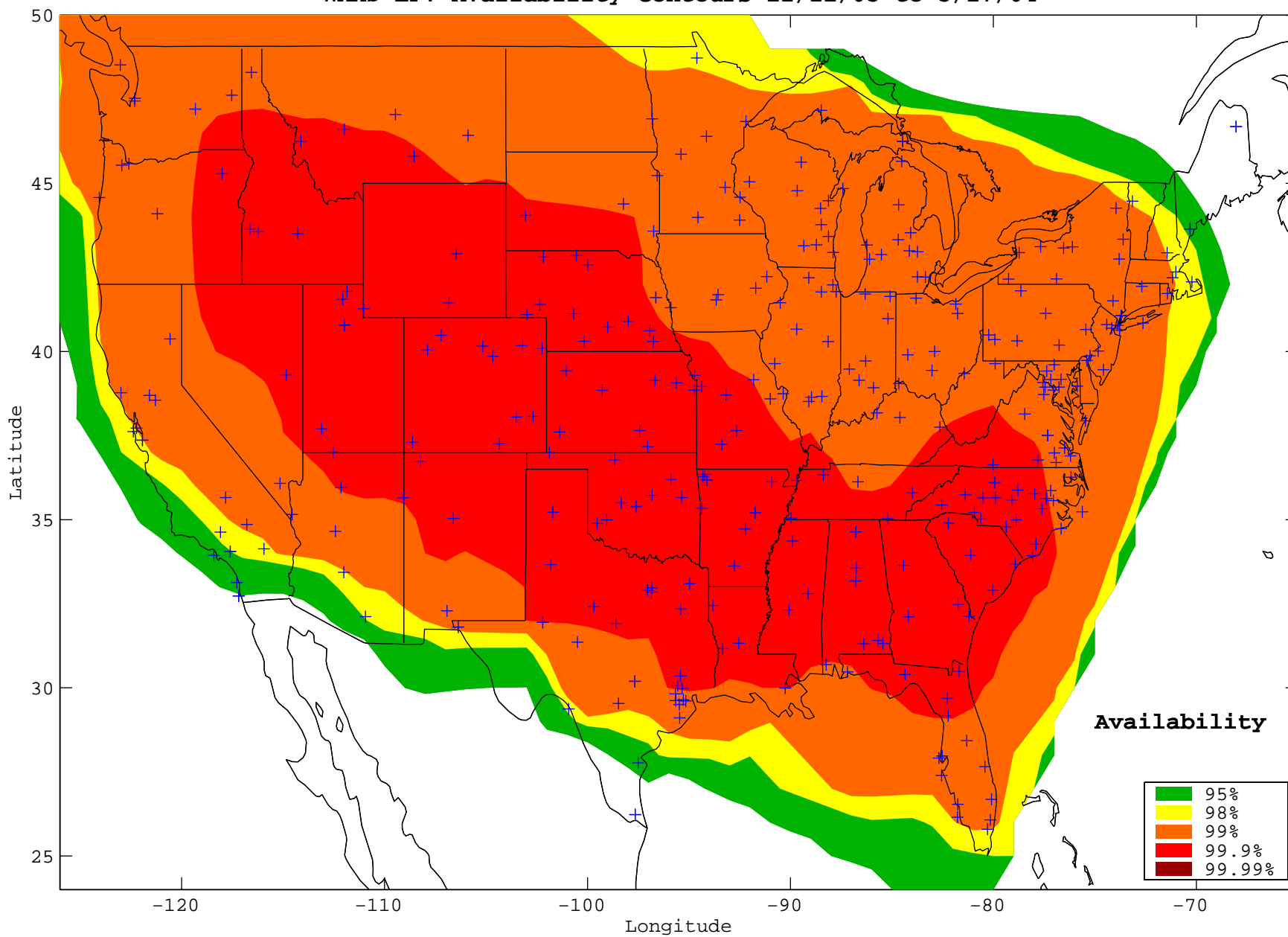
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| KELM       | ELMIRA/CORNING REGIONAL                  | ELMIRA            | NY    | 32      | 0.997559     |
| LGA        | LA GUARDIA                               | FLUSHING          | NY    | 49      | 0.995903     |
| GFL        | FLOYD BENNETT MEMORIAL                   | GLENS FALLS       | NY    | 77      | 0.994082     |
| KJHW       | CHAUTAUQUA COUNTY/<br>JAMESTOWN          | JAMESTOWN         | NY    | 22      | 0.998265     |
| LKP        | LAKE PLACID                              | LAKE PLACID       | NY    | 82      | 0.993844     |
| KJFK       | JOHN F KENNEDY INTL                      | NEW YORK          | NY    | 48      | 0.995873     |
| KSWF       | STEWART INTL                             | NEWBURGH          | NY    | 50      | 0.995777     |
| PBG        | PLATTSGURGH INTL                         | PLATTSGURGH       | NY    | 105     | 0.992401     |
| ROC        | GREATER ROCHESTER INTL                   | ROCHESTER         | NY    | 29      | 0.997633     |
| KSYR       | SYRACUSE HANCOCK INTL                    | SYRACUSE          | NY    | 45      | 0.996876     |
| B16        | WHITFORDS                                | WEEDSPORT         | NY    | 40      | 0.997310     |
| FOK        | THE FRANCIS S. GABRESKI                  | WESTHAMPTON BEACH | NY    | 69      | 0.994363     |
| HPN        | WESTCHESTER COUNTY                       | WHITE PLAINS      | NY    | 50      | 0.995613     |
| KRZT       | ROSS COUNTY                              | CHILLICOTHE       | OH    | 22      | 0.998423     |
| KCLE       | CLEVELAND-HOPKINS INTL                   | CLEVELAND         | OH    | 23      | 0.998259     |
| KCMH       | PORT COLUMBUS INTL                       | COLUMBUS          | OH    | 23      | 0.998373     |
| KDAY       | JAMES M COX DAYTON INTL                  | DAYTON            | OH    | 22      | 0.998205     |
| 1G5        | MEDINA MUNICIPAL                         | MEDINA            | OH    | 24      | 0.998298     |
| KTOL       | TOLEDO EXPRESS                           | TOLEDO            | OH    | 22      | 0.998026     |
| KAVK       | ALVA REGIONAL                            | ALVA              | OK    | 13      | 0.999630     |
| KCQB       | CHANDLER MUNICIPAL                       | CHANDLER          | OK    | 12      | 0.999613     |
| 208        | HINTON MUNICIPAL                         | HINTON            | OK    | 13      | 0.999630     |
| KHBR       | HOBART MUNICIPAL                         | HOBART            | OK    | 14      | 0.999617     |
| K2K4       | SCOTT FIELD                              | MANGUM            | OK    | 14      | 0.999617     |
| KMKO       | DAVIS FIELD                              | MUSKOGEE          | OK    | 13      | 0.999519     |
| OKC        | WILL ROGERS WORLD AIRPORT                | OKLAHOMA CITY     | OK    | 12      | 0.999645     |
| KTUL       | TULSA INTL                               | TULSA             | OK    | 12      | 0.999613     |
| S07        | BEND MUNICIPAL                           | BEND              | OR    | 37      | 0.998053     |
| HIO        | PORTLAND-HILLSBORO                       | HILLSBORO         | OR    | 51      | 0.997429     |
| LGD        | UNION COUNTY                             | LA GRANDE         | OR    | 35      | 0.998842     |
| KONP       | NEWPORT MUNICIPAL                        | NEWPORT           | OR    | 77      | 0.995785     |
| PDX        | PORTLAND INTL                            | PORTLAND          | OR    | 46      | 0.997581     |
| S47        | TILLAMOOK                                | TILLAMOOK         | OR    | 75      | 0.995808     |
| ABE        | LEHIGH VALLEY INTL                       | ALLENTOWN         | PA    | 38      | 0.997271     |
| KBFD       | BRADFORD REGIONAL                        | BRADFORD          | PA    | 24      | 0.998228     |
| MDT        | HARRISBURG INTL                          | HARRISBURG        | PA    | 28      | 0.998021     |
| KJST       | JOHN MURTHA JOHNSTOWN-<br>CAMBRIA COUNTY | JOHNSTOWN         | PA    | 22      | 0.998396     |
| LHV        | WILLIAM T. PIPER MEMORIAL                | LOCK HAVEN        | PA    | 29      | 0.998011     |
| PHL        | PHILADELPHIA INTL                        | PHILADELPHIA      | PA    | 35      | 0.997252     |
| KAGC       | ALLEGHENY COUNTY                         | PITTSBURGH        | PA    | 21      | 0.998504     |
| KPIT       | PITTSBURGH INTL                          | PITTSBURGH        | PA    | 21      | 0.998444     |
| PVD        | THEODORE FRANCIS GREEN<br>STATE          | PROVIDENCE        | RI    | 139     | 0.990187     |
| AND        | ANDERSON REGIONAL                        | ANDERSON          | SC    | 18      | 0.999492     |
| KCHS       | CHARLESTON AFB/INTL                      | CHARLESTON        | SC    | 14      | 0.999441     |
| KCAE       | COLUMBIA METROPOLITAN                    | COLUMBIA          | SC    | 15      | 0.999422     |
| KGSP       | GREENVILLE-<br>SPARTANBURG INTL          | GREER             | SC    | 15      | 0.999190     |
| KMYR       | MYRTLE BEACH INTL                        | MYRTLE BEACH      | SC    | 16      | 0.999342     |
| KHON       | HURON REGIONAL                           | HURON             | SD    | 20      | 0.998824     |

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| 1D1        | MILBANK MUNICIPAL                          | MILBANK               | SD    | 34      | 0.997905     |
| KRAP       | RAPID CITY REGIONAL                        | RAPID CITY            | SD    | 17      | 0.999474     |
| FSD        | JOE FOSS FIELD                             | SIOUX FALLS           | SD    | 18      | 0.998565     |
| CHA        | LOVELL FIELD                               | CHATTANOOGA           | TN    | 19      | 0.999163     |
| TYS        | MC GHEE TYSON                              | KNOXVILLE             | TN    | 19      | 0.998859     |
| KMEM       | MEMPHIS INTL                               | MEMPHIS               | TN    | 24      | 0.999196     |
| KBNA       | NASHVILLE INTL                             | NASHVILLE             | TN    | 26      | 0.998466     |
| PHT        | HENRY COUNTY                               | PARIS                 | TN    | 27      | 0.998788     |
| KABI       | ABILENE REGIONAL                           | ABILENE               | TX    | 35      | 0.998973     |
| AMA        | AMARILLO INTL                              | AMARILLO              | TX    | 16      | 0.999594     |
| KLBX       | BRAZORIA COUNTY                            | ANGLETON/LAKE JACKSON | TX    | 74      | 0.996590     |
| AUS        | AUSTIN-BERGSTROM INTL                      | AUSTIN                | TX    | 59      | 0.997137     |
| 7F9        | COMANCHE                                   | COMANCHE              | TX    | 28      | 0.999127     |
| KCXO       | MONTGOMERY COUNTY                          | CONROE                | TX    | 33      | 0.998979     |
| CRP        | CORPUS CHRISTI INTL                        | CORPUS CHRISTI        | TX    | 228     | 0.964864     |
| KDAL       | DALLAS LOVE FIELD                          | DALLAS                | TX    | 19      | 0.999477     |
| ADS        | ADDISON                                    | DALLAS                | TX    | 18      | 0.999495     |
| KDFW       | DALLAS-FT WORTH INTL                       | DALLAS-FT WORTH       | TX    | 18      | 0.999495     |
| KDRT       | DEL RIO INTL                               | DEL RIO               | TX    | 127     | 0.993563     |
| ELP        | EL PASO INTL                               | EL PASO               | TX    | 82      | 0.995775     |
| KHRL       | VALLEY INTL                                | HARLINGEN             | TX    | 532     | 0.906648     |
| KAXH       | HOUSTON-SOUTHWEST                          | HOUSTON               | TX    | 51      | 0.998253     |
| KDWH       | DAVID WAYNE HOOKS<br>MEMORIAL              | HOUSTON               | TX    | 36      | 0.998861     |
| KEFD       | ELLINGTON FIELD                            | HOUSTON               | TX    | 44      | 0.998455     |
| KHOU       | WILLIAM P HOBBY                            | HOUSTON               | TX    | 44      | 0.998472     |
| KIAH       | GEORGE BUSH<br>INTERCONTINENTAL/HOUSTON    | HOUSTON               | TX    | 37      | 0.998848     |
| KIWS       | WEST HOUSTON                               | HOUSTON               | TX    | 45      | 0.998614     |
| KSGR       | SUGAR LAND MUNI/HULL FLD                   | HOUSTON               | TX    | 50      | 0.998292     |
| KLBB       | LUBBOCK INTL                               | LUBBOCK               | TX    | 19      | 0.999525     |
| MAF        | MIDLAND INTL                               | MIDLAND               | TX    | 35      | 0.999024     |
| OSA        | MOUNT PLEASANT MUNICIPAL                   | MOUNT PLEASANT        | TX    | 19      | 0.999475     |
| KSJT       | SAN ANGELO RGNL/MATHIS FLD                 | SAN ANGELO            | TX    | 59      | 0.997906     |
| KSAT       | SAN ANTONIO INTL                           | SAN ANTONIO           | TX    | 90      | 0.994579     |
| KTYR       | TYLER POUNDS REGIONAL                      | TYLER                 | TX    | 21      | 0.999411     |
| BMC        | BRIGHAM CITY                               | BRIGHAM CITY          | UT    | 17      | 0.999576     |
| KCDC       | CEDAR CITY REGIONAL                        | CEDAR CITY            | UT    | 28      | 0.998969     |
| KKNB       | KANAB MUNICIPAL                            | KANAB                 | UT    | 27      | 0.998982     |
| LGU        | LOGAN-CACHE                                | LOGAN                 | UT    | 15      | 0.999604     |
| SLC        | SALT LAKE CITY INTL                        | SALT LAKE CITY        | UT    | 20      | 0.999507     |
| KCHO       | CHARLOTTESVILLE-ALBEMARLE                  | CHARLOTTESVILLE       | VA    | 18      | 0.998628     |
| FKN        | FRANKLIN MUNICIPAL-<br>JOHN BEVERLY ROSE   | FRANKLIN              | VA    | 20      | 0.998576     |
| LVL        | BRUNSWICK MUNICIPAL                        | LAWRENCEVILLE         | VA    | 18      | 0.998843     |
| JYO        | LEESBURG MUNICIPAL/<br>GODFREY FIELD       | LEESBURG              | VA    | 28      | 0.998445     |
| HEF        | MANASSAS REGIONAL/<br>HARRY P. DAVIS FIELD | MANASSAS              | VA    | 27      | 0.998486     |
| MTV        | BLUE RIDGE                                 | MARTINSVILLE          | VA    | 17      | 0.998975     |
| KPHF       | NEWPORT NEWS/<br>WILLIAMSBURG INTL         | NEWPORT NEWS          | VA    | 24      | 0.998446     |

| Airport ID | Airport Name                          | City           | State | Outages | Availability |
|------------|---------------------------------------|----------------|-------|---------|--------------|
| KORF       | NORFOLK INTL                          | NORFOLK        | VA    | 26      | 0.998307     |
| RIC        | RICHMOND INTL                         | RICHMOND       | VA    | 19      | 0.998564     |
| AKQ        | WAKEFIELD MUNICIPAL                   | WAKEFIELD      | VA    | 22      | 0.998543     |
| WAL        | WALLOPS FLIGHT FACILITY               | WALLOPS ISLAND | VA    | 29      | 0.997871     |
| BTV        | BURLINGTON INTL                       | BURLINGTON     | VT    | 104     | 0.992183     |
| FHR        | FRIDAY HARBOR                         | FRIDAY HARBOR  | WA    | 65      | 0.996288     |
| KMWH       | GRANT COUNTY INTL                     | MOSES LAKE     | WA    | 34      | 0.998415     |
| KSEA       | SEATTLE-TACOMA INTL                   | SEATTLE        | WA    | 54      | 0.997323     |
| BFI        | BOEING FIELD/<br>KING COUNTY INTL     | SEATTLE        | WA    | 53      | 0.997291     |
| KGEG       | SPOKANE INTL                          | SPOKANE        | WA    | 30      | 0.998500     |
| KATW       | OUTAGAMIE COUNTY REGIONAL             | APPLETON       | WI    | 32      | 0.997663     |
| 3T3        | BOYCEVILLE MUNICIPAL                  | BOYCEVILLE     | WI    | 30      | 0.998057     |
| FLD        | FOND DU LAC COUNTY                    | FOND DU LAC    | WI    | 31      | 0.997703     |
| KGRB       | AUTIN STRAUBEL INTL                   | GREEN BAY      | WI    | 32      | 0.997656     |
| MSN        | DANE COUNTY REGIONAL-<br>TRUAX FIELD  | MADISON        | WI    | 30      | 0.997909     |
| MKE        | GENERAL MITCHELL INTL                 | MILWAUKEE      | WI    | 30      | 0.997892     |
| KCWA       | CENTRAL WISCONSIN                     | MOSINEE        | WI    | 33      | 0.997600     |
| RHI        | RHINELANDER-ONEIDA COUNTY             | RHINELANDER    | WI    | 43      | 0.997130     |
| SUE        | DOOR COUNTY CHERRYLAND                | STURGEON BAY   | WI    | 34      | 0.997492     |
| RYV        | WATERTOWN MUNICIPAL                   | WATERTOWN      | WI    | 30      | 0.997899     |
| ETB        | WEST BEND MUNICIPAL                   | WEST BEND      | WI    | 31      | 0.997844     |
| KMGW       | MORGANTOWN MUNICIPAL-<br>WLB HART FLD | MORGANTOWN     | WV    | 22      | 0.998539     |
| KPKB       | WOOD CO-<br>GILL ROBB WILSON FLD      | PARKERSBURG    | WV    | 20      | 0.998572     |
| KCPR       | NATRONA COUNTY INTL                   | CASPER         | WY    | 16      | 0.999572     |
| EVW        | EVANSTON-UNITA CNTY-<br>BURNS FLD     | EVANSTON       | WY    | 18      | 0.999536     |
| SAA        | SHIVELY FIELD                         | SARATOGA       | WY    | 15      | 0.999573     |

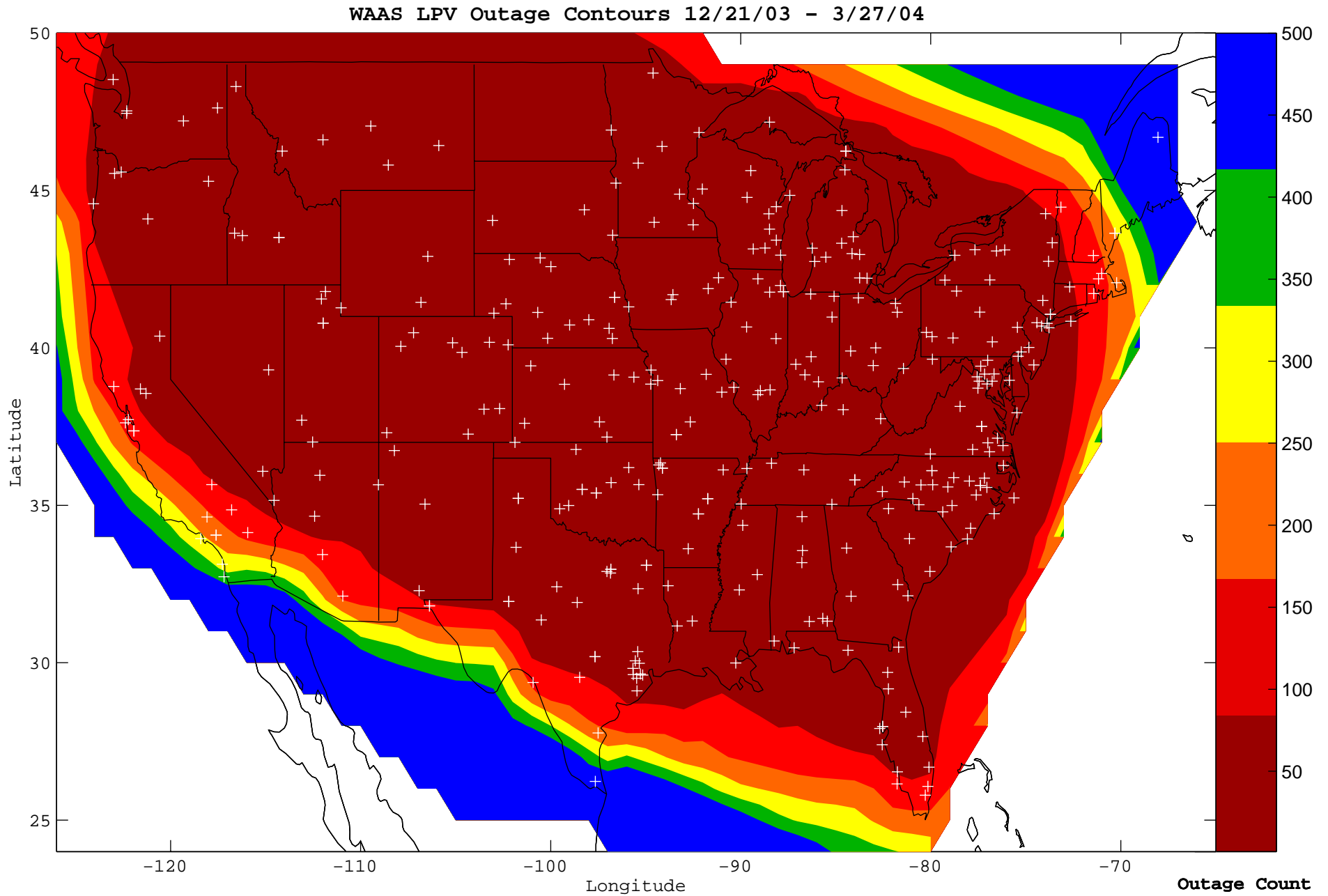
Figure 10•1 WAAS LPV Availability

WAAS LPV Availability Contours 12/21/03 to 3/27/04



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Figure 10•2 WAAS LPV Outage



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## **11.0 WAAS DETERMINISTIC CODE NOISE AND MULTIPATH BOUNDING ANALYSIS**

WAAS utilizes a deterministic model to estimate the residual CNMP noise after the application of standard dual frequency carrier smoothing techniques to minimize the effects of multipath and code noise. This analysis performs an assessment of how well that deterministic model bounds the actual errors. This analysis is periodically performed as part of the WAAS Test Team's off-line monitoring to ensure that there are no drastic detrimental changes to the multipath environment at the WAAS Reference Stations (WRSs). This analysis also ensures that WAAS system is not indefinitely exposed to conspiring receiver failure symptoms that would invalidate the CNMP bounding estimate in a manner that would exceed the assumption that no more than one receiver is conspiring to deceive the WAAS monitors at any time by underestimating the residual measurement noise the safety monitors. Although some failures mechanisms that cause CNMP bounding issues are occasionally seen, no "conspiring" errors have ever been detected. That is, data has caused the safety monitors to trip unnecessarily versus missing a necessary trip.

The analysis post processes measurement data to estimate the pseudorange code to carrier ambiguity for each entire arc of measurements for each satellite pass. The ambiguity estimate is then used to level the carrier measurement. The leveled carrier is then used as a multipath free truth estimate. The WAAS real time deterministic CNMP smoothing algorithm is then applied to the original measurements. The difference between the smoothed measurements and the leveled truth measurements is compared to the deterministic noise estimates. Only arcs with continuous carrier phase greater in length than 7200 seconds are utilized for this analysis to minimize the impacts of non-zero mean multipath biasing the truth estimates. The WAAS dual frequency cycle slip detector algorithm is used to detect any discontinuities in the carrier phase.

Statistics are calculated on how well the 0.1 multiples of the deterministically estimated standard deviation bounds the difference between the leveled truth and the real time smoothed measurements. Those statistics are then compared to a theoretical gaussian distribution and an extensive set of plots are generated and manually reviewed. Table 11.1 recaps the results of that manual analysis.

Table 11-1 CNMP Bounding Statistics

| WAAS Site    | WRE | Jul 03 | Aug 03 | Sep 03 | Oct 03 | Nov 03 | Dec 03 | Jan 04 | Feb 04 | Mar 04 |
|--------------|-----|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Albuquerque  | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Anchorage    | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Atlanta      | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Billings     | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Boston       | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Chicago      | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Cleveland    | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Cold Bay     | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Dallas       | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Denver       | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Honolulu     | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Houston      | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Jacksonville | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Juneau       | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Kansas City  | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Los Angeles  | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Memphis      | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Miami        | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Minneapolis  | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| New York     | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|              | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |

| WAAS Site      | WRE | Jul 03 | Aug 03 | Sep 03 | Oct 03 | Nov 03 | Dec 03 | Jan 04 | Feb 04 | Mar 04 |
|----------------|-----|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|--------|
| Oakland        | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Salt Lake City | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| San Juan       | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Seattle        | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
| Washington, DC | A   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | B   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |
|                | C   | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      | ●      |

▲ **Excellent** - 3.29σ bounded 100%

▲ **Good** - 4σ bounded 100%

▲ **Fair** - 4σ bounded 100% with one worst satellite excluded  
(Requires manual review)

▲ **Poor** – Requires manual review

## 12.0 WAAS EQUIPMENT OUTAGE

To determine if outages of any WAAS assets affects the SIS performance, failures to WAAS equipment is tracked. Some events, such as a GUS switchover, definitely affect SIS performance. Other events, like multiple WRE outages at a single WRS, may or may not affect SIS performance. During this quarter none of the WRS outages negatively affected SIS performance.

Data was collected from all WAAS sites to determine if any failures occurred. This data is made available through the WAAS External Interface (WEI). ACB-430 developed software parses the data so it is available for analysis. Any equipment failures are confirmed with AOS-240 and/or WAAS operations personnel.

During this reporting period there were a total of seventeen GUS switchovers. The dates and times of the switchovers are shown in Table 12.1. The reasons for the switchovers include maintenance action, preventative maintenance, and operations policy. The operations policy refers to the policy that two GUSs cannot be in primary at the same site, in this case Santa Paula. To further explain, each GEO satellite for the WAAS has two uplink locations. The AORW satellite's uplinks are located at Clarksburg MD and Santa Paula CA. The POR satellite's uplinks are located at Brewster WA and Santa Paula CA (note that this uplink is physically independent from the AORW Santa Paula uplink, they are just located at the same facility). An uplink is normally in one of two modes: primary or backup. The primary uplink transmits the WAAS information to the respective GEO satellite. The backup uplink is a hot standby. When a switchover occurs there is a loss of the WAAS signal, for that particular GEO satellite, for approximately 10 seconds while the backup GUS locks in the GEO signal. The number of switchovers continues to be a concern due to the negative impact on WAAS users. The WAAS Operations organizations have been informed on the negative impacts of GUS switchovers. Policies have been implemented to help prevent the large number of switchovers that have occurred since WAAS commissioning.

There were also a large number of WRE outages during this quarter. Once again this quarter, the primary reason for WRE outages was the so called three card reset. This event occurs when the WAAS receiver ceases to send data to the WRE processor. This causes the WRE to fault. This problem continues to be investigated by second level engineering. Table 12.2 lists all the outages that affected reference stations.

There were several outages at the National Operations Command Center (NOCC) and Pacific Operations Command Center (POCC). None of these outages affected the WAAS SIS or WAAS operations. Table 12.3 lists all the outages at the NOCC and POCC for this reporting period.

During this quarter the FAA installed the first changes to the WAAS since commissioning. The software and hardware upgrades occurred March 2 – March 4 (NSTB Week 1260, GPS days 2 through 4). Several problems occurred during this upgrade that caused the ZLA C&V to fault. That is the reason for most of the C&V faults during this quarter. The C&V failures during the upgrade did not affect system performance. The other outage of the ZLA C&V was due to maintenance and this also did not affect system performance.

*NOTE: The tables below show dates and times according to GPS nomenclature. This quarter began on Week 1251, Day 4 (January 1, 2004) and ended Week 1264, Day 3 (March 31, 2004). Here is an explanation for the related column headings in all the following tables:*

- *NSTB Week #: The GPS week begins 12:00:00 AM Sunday and ends 11:59:59 PM Saturday. The NSTB week is equal to the GPS week plus 1024.*
- *GPS Day: The first GPS day is Day 0 (Sunday) and Day 6 is Saturday.*
- *GPS Time: Number of seconds into the week since 12:00:00 AM Sunday.*

**Table 12-1 WAAS GUS Switchovers from January 1, 2004 to March 31, 2004**

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Satellite</b> | <b>GPS Time (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| 1264             | 2              | AOR-W            | 244464                    |
| 1259             | 2              | POR              | 202631                    |
| 1259             | 3              | POR              | 288512                    |
| 1254             | 5              | POR              | 501910                    |
| 1252             | 5              | AOR-W            | 453766                    |
| 1253             | 0              | AOR-W            | 40327                     |
| 1255             | 1              | AOR-W            | 116918                    |
| 1253             | 4              | AOR-W            | 359821                    |
| 1252             | 4              | AOR-W            | 428828                    |
| 1264             | 3              | POR              | 289120                    |
| 1255             | 1              | POR              | 96710                     |
| 1257             | 2              | AOR-W            | 203824                    |
| 1253             | 4              | AOR-W            | 421216                    |
| 1253             | 4              | POR              | 374489                    |
| 1257             | 3              | POR              | 289995                    |
| 1253             | 0              | AOR-W            | 15185                     |
| 1253             | 5              | AOR-W            | 464566                    |

**Table 12-2 WRE Outages from January 1, 2004 to March 31, 2004**

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Site</b> | <b>Start Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>End Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>Duration (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1251             | 6              | BIL-C       | 555323                          | 558535                        | 3212                      |
| 1252             | 0              | ZMP-B       | 13424                           | 16922                         | 3498                      |
| 1252             | 2              | ZMP-A       | 257794                          | 264370                        | 6576                      |
| 1252             | 3              | ZJX-C       | 328572                          | 333411                        | 4839                      |
| 1252             | 4              | ZMP-B       | 431219                          | 436686                        | 5467                      |
| 1252             | 6              | JNU-B       | 530639                          | 534145                        | 3506                      |
| 1252             | 6              | HNL-A       | 560595                          | 600382                        | 39787                     |
| 1252             | 6              | JNU-A       | 579858                          | 583955                        | 4097                      |
| 1253             | 0              | ZAB-B       | 15292                           | 17674                         | 2382                      |
| 1253             | 0              | ZLC-A       | 82791                           | 85408                         | 2617                      |
| 1253             | 1              | ZAB-C       | 141464                          | 338491                        | 197027                    |
| 1253             | 1              | ZOA-B       | 157565                          | 161668                        | 4103                      |
| 1253             | 2              | HNL-A       | 226351                          | 330103                        | 103752                    |
| 1253             | 2              | ZSE-C       | 230984                          | 237121                        | 6137                      |
| 1253             | 2              | CDB-C       | 233976                          | 249234                        | 15258                     |
| 1253             | 5              | ZOA-A       | 482084                          | 486326                        | 4242                      |
| 1253             | 6              | ZKC-B       | 526498                          | 529250                        | 2752                      |
| 1253             | 6              | ZAN-C       | 563974                          | 566954                        | 2980                      |
| 1254             | 0              | ZLA-C       | 34903                           | 36379                         | 1476                      |

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Site</b> | <b>Start Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>End Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>Duration (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1254             | 2              | ZSE-B       | 194435                          | 374689                        | 180254                    |
| 1254             | 2              | ZSU-C       | 207388                          | 210228                        | 2840                      |
| 1254             | 4              | ZOB-B       | 402888                          | 405627                        | 2739                      |
| 1254             | 4              | HNL-C       | 410902                          | 415811                        | 4909                      |
| 1254             | 4              | ZBW-C       | 416840                          | 421726                        | 4886                      |
| 1254             | 6              | ZTL-B       | 553988                          | 557181                        | 3193                      |
| 1254             | 6              | CDB-C       | 556946                          | 587793                        | 30847                     |
| 1254             | 6              | ZTL-C       | 588138                          | 591775                        | 3637                      |
| 1254             | 6              | ZLA-B       | 589029                          | 593080                        | 4051                      |
| 1255             | 0              | ZTL-A       | 4096                            | 6986                          | 2890                      |
| 1255             | 0              | ZBW-C       | 80610                           | 83727                         | 3117                      |
| 1255             | 1              | ZBW-A       | 120668                          | 123439                        | 2771                      |
| 1255             | 3              | ZOB-B       | 325745                          | 332755                        | 7010                      |
| 1255             | 5              | HNL-B       | 507216                          | 511243                        | 4027                      |
| 1256             | 3              | ZJX-C       | 314307                          | 318957                        | 4650                      |
| 1256             | 3              | ZJX-C       | 329690                          | 333249                        | 3559                      |
| 1256             | 3              | ZSE-B       | 339387                          | 342777                        | 3390                      |
| 1256             | 4              | ZBW-B       | 371425                          | 375599                        | 4174                      |
| 1256             | 4              | ZHU-B       | 372880                          | 376743                        | 3863                      |
| 1256             | 4              | ZLC-C       | 408338                          | 420844                        | 12506                     |
| 1257             | 3              | ZME-B       | 302978                          | 306257                        | 3279                      |
| 1257             | 4              | ZMP-C       | 398397                          | 403838                        | 5441                      |
| 1257             | 5              | ZOB-C       | 488634                          | 493025                        | 4391                      |
| 1257             | 5              | ZDV-C       | 488846                          | 491862                        | 3016                      |
| 1258             | 0              | ZNY-C       | 37739                           | 41041                         | 3302                      |
| 1258             | 1              | JNU-A       | 97978                           | 101160                        | 3182                      |
| 1258             | 1              | JNU-B       | 102229                          | 106267                        | 4038                      |
| 1258             | 1              | JNU-A       | 153254                          | 155834                        | 2580                      |
| 1258             | 1              | JNU-B       | *                               | *                             | *                         |
| 1258             | 2              | ZKC-C       | *                               | *                             | *                         |
| 1258             | 2              | ZME-A       | *                               | *                             | *                         |
| 1258             | 3              | JNU         | *                               | *                             | *                         |
| 1258             | 4              | JNU-A       | 354360                          | 432660                        | 78300                     |
| 1258             | 4              | ZJX-C       | 416820                          | 419417                        | 2597                      |
| 1258             | 4              | ZAB-A       | 422902                          | 427502                        | 4600                      |
| 1258             | 5              | JNU-B       | 501002                          | 507323                        | 6321                      |
| 1258             | 6              | ZKC-A       | 521963                          | 346417                        | 429254                    |
| 1258             | 6              | ZAN-C       | 599375                          | 600133                        | 758                       |
| 1259             | 3              | ZNY-C       | 311092                          | 314113                        | 3021                      |
| 1259             | 3              | ZKC-B       | 339801                          | 342759                        | 2958                      |
| 1259             | 4              | ZMP-C       | 428119                          | 435593                        | 7474                      |
| 1259             | 5              | ZSU-A       | 468017                          | 483148                        | 15131                     |

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Site</b> | <b>Start Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>End Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>Duration (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1259             | 5              | ZLC-C       | 496069                          | 497776                        | 1707                      |
| 1259             | 5              | ZLC-B       | 498592                          | 506472                        | 7880                      |
| 1259             | 5              | JNU-C       | 499289                          | 502022                        | 2733                      |
| 1259             | 6              | ZSE-A       | 523753                          | 526779                        | 3026                      |
| 1259             | 6              | HNL-A       | 548878                          | 550474                        | 1596                      |
| 1260             | 3              | ZDC-C       | 314266                          | 321242                        | 6976                      |
| 1261             | 2              | JNU-A       | 236453                          | 239279                        | 2826                      |
| 1261             | 2              | JNU-B       | 237655                          | 255270                        | 17615                     |
| 1261             | 3              | JNU-A       | 260457                          | 321917                        | 61460                     |
| 1261             | 3              | HNL-A       | 317656                          | 320454                        | 2798                      |
| 1261             | 3              | ZHU-A       | 318180                          | 508812                        | 190632                    |
| 1261             | 3              | ZOA-C       | 334581                          | 347262                        | 12681                     |
| 1261             | 3              | ZDC-B       | *                               | *                             | *                         |
| 1261             | 5              | JNU-A       | 443428                          | 446139                        | 2711                      |
| 1261             | 5              | JNU-B       | 443439                          | 463900                        | 20461                     |
| 1261             | 5              | ZJX-B       | 507244                          | 510779                        | 3535                      |
| 1261             | 6              | ZME-C       | 542995                          | 547111                        | 4116                      |
| 1262             | 0              | ZJX-A       | 55309                           | 60631                         | 5322                      |
| 1262             | 1              | ZNY-C       | 115668                          | 119452                        | 3784                      |
| 1262             | 2              | HNL-C       | 220781                          | 220927                        | 146                       |
| 1262             | 2              | ZJX-C       | 222525                          | 223827                        | 1302                      |
| 1262             | 2              | ZAU-B       | 235887                          | 239378                        | 3491                      |
| 1262             | 3              | ZAU-C       | 279880                          | 309765                        | 29885                     |
| 1262             | 3              | ZAU-A       | 303130                          | 306557                        | 3427                      |
| 1262             | 3              | ZBW-C       | 310446                          | 311859                        | 1413                      |
| 1262             | 3              | ZBW-C       | 314538                          | 323836                        | 9298                      |
| 1262             | 3              | BIL-A       | 543947                          | 262968                        | 885779                    |
| 1262             | 4              | ZLA-A       | 383311                          | 387478                        | 4167                      |
| 1262             | 5              | ZHU-C       | 498523                          | 501529                        | 3006                      |
| 1262             | 6              | ZFW-C       | 527787                          | 531080                        | 3293                      |
| 1263             | 0              | ZDC-A       | 69113                           | 71474                         | 2361                      |
| 1263             | 1              | ZNY-C       | 145393                          | 151963                        | 6570                      |
| 1263             | 1              | ZOA-C       | 147419                          | 152024                        | 4605                      |
| 1263             | 3              | ZLC-C       | 336343                          | 344377                        | 8034                      |
| 1263             | 3              | ZNY-A       | 341384                          | 346246                        | 4862                      |
| 1263             | 4              | ZNY-B       | 397212                          | 400260                        | 3048                      |
| 1263             | 4              | CDB-B       | 401257                          | 404450                        | 3193                      |
| 1263             | 4              | ZNY-C       | 412979                          | 418418                        | 5439                      |
| 1263             | 4              | ZNY-B       | 414839                          | 418118                        | 3279                      |
| 1263             | 5              | ZFW-B       | 465741                          | 468613                        | 2872                      |
| 1263             | 5              | ZOA-C       | 482978                          | 485569                        | 2591                      |
| 1263             | 5              | ZMA-A       | 494398                          | 497359                        | 2961                      |

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Site</b> | <b>Start Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>End Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>Duration (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1263             | 6              | ZMA-B       | 525832                          | 528798                        | 2966                      |
| 1263             | 6              | CDB-A       | 539820                          | 10298                         | 75278                     |
| 1263             | 6              | ZFW-A       | 597604                          | 601053                        | 3449                      |
| 1263             | 6              | ZAN-C       | 598279                          | 601031                        | 2752                      |
| 1264             | 0              | ZDV-C       | 76327                           | 79483                         | 3156                      |
| 1264             | 1              | ZDV-A       | 95342                           | 98813                         | 3471                      |
| 1264             | 1              | ZKC-A       | 149549                          | 156811                        | 7262                      |
| 1264             | 1              | ZMA-C       | 149985                          | 153582                        | 3597                      |
| 1264             | 2              | ZAN-A       | 197598                          | 200534                        | 2936                      |
| 1264             | 2              | ZAN-B       | 242283                          | 245771                        | 3488                      |
| 1264             | 2              | ZBW-C       | 242532                          | 245073                        | 2541                      |
| 1264             | 3              | ZLA-B       | 279983                          | 283412                        | 3429                      |
| 1264             | 3              | BIL-A       | 292762                          | 295622                        | 2860                      |

\* - There was a WEI outage for the Technical Center for these days. No times for the outages are available for these days.

**Table 12-3 O&M Outages from January 1, 2004 to March 31, 2004**

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Site</b> | <b>Start Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>End Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>Duration (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1252             | 1              | POCC        | 119460                          | 123637                        | 4177                      |
| 1255             | 5              | NOCC        | 481991                          | 483259                        | 1268                      |
| 1260             | 3              | POCC        | 261165                          | 268734                        | 7569                      |
| 1260             | 3              | NOCC        | 311921                          | 320741                        | 8820                      |
| 1264             | 2              | POCC        | 192932                          | 199955                        | 7023                      |

**Table 12-4 C&V Outages from January 1, 2004 to March 31, 2004**

| <b>NSTB Week</b> | <b>GPS Day</b> | <b>Site</b> | <b>Start Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>End Time (GPS Seconds)</b> | <b>Duration (Seconds)</b> |
|------------------|----------------|-------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------------|---------------------------|
| 1253             | 4              | ZLA-CP1     | 376608                          | 380271                        | 3663                      |
| 1260             | 2              | ZLA-CP1     | 248574                          | 253803                        | 5229                      |
| 1260             | 2              | ZLA-CP2     | 248574                          | 253803                        | 5229                      |
| 1260             | 3              | ZLA-CP1     | 261907                          | 273171                        | 11264                     |
| 1260             | 3              | ZLA-CP1     | 320437                          | 322215                        | 1778                      |
| 1260             | 3              | ZLA-CP1     | 324304                          | 344339                        | 20035                     |

### **13.0 GPS Broadcast Orbit vs. IGS Precise Orbits Analysis**

As part of the WAAS off-line monitoring process, the accuracy of the GPS broadcast ephemeris is periodically compared to the IGS precise orbit information to monitor the validity of an a priori assumption concerning the accuracy of the GPS broadcast ephemeris information that is part of a brute force computer simulation analysis



utilized as part of the safety proof of the WAAS MT-28 functionality. That brute force analysis searches a simulated error sphere around a GPS satellite for a worst case projection of post correction ephemeris error to any user. A pessimistic extrapolation of historical data was used as an a priori to limit the radius of the searched sphere to a finite distance. This periodic off-line monitoring verifies that the original logic of the a priori assumption remains sound. The assumption being validated is:

- Height Error: +/- 15 meters,
- Along Track Error: +/- 65 meters,
- Cross Track Error: +/- 30 meters.

24 hour global GPB broadcast ephemeris information files and IGS precise orbit files are downloaded from the National Geodetic Survey (NGS). GPS satellite positions are computed every 15 minutes and differenced with the precise orbits. The resulting error information is then segregated into the Height, Along Track, Cross Track (HAC) error data. The standard deviation of the error is then computed for each dimension for each satellite. The assumption is valid if a 5.33 scaling of the standard deviation across all satellites is within the a priori. Only data points where GPS is healthy and valid IGS data is available are considered.

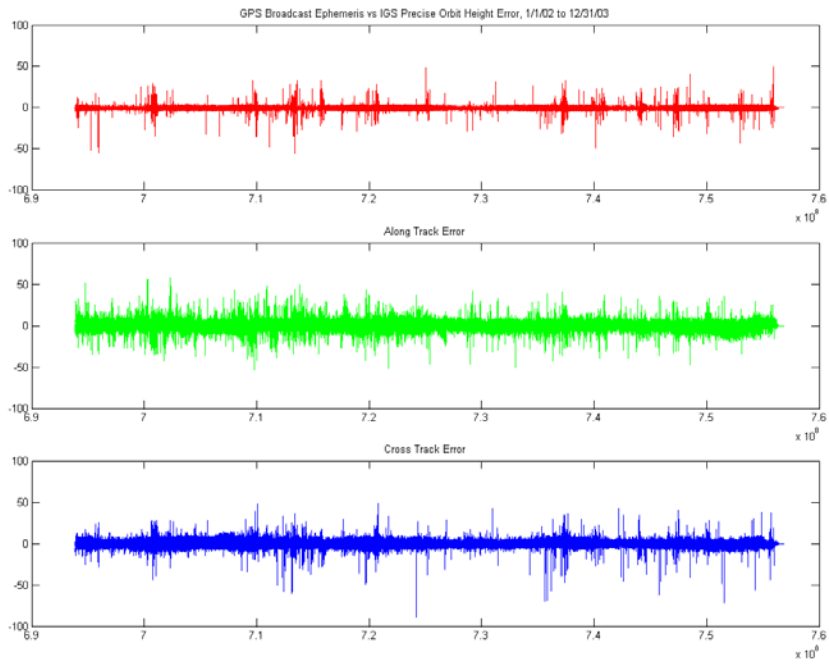
Two years of data from 1/1/02 to 12/31/03 (GPS week 1147 day 2 to week 1251 day 3) is presented. Figure 13-1 is a plot of the standard deviations. The worst case standard deviations meet the criteria ( PRN 6 Height, PRN 17 Along Track, PRN 6 Cross Track), therefore the assumption is validated.

Figure 13-2 is provided for information. It contains a plot of the errors versus time for all satellites. The occasional "spikiness" is the result of missing data problems in the NGS broadcast ephemeris files which results in the prior ephemeris being utilized longer than would actually have been observed. For this analysis, a time window of 4 hours from the time of ephemeris was allowed. The NGS broadcast files contain a fair number of "false lock" ephemeris records that result in astronomical errors and what appear to be occasional bit errors. In particular, records repeated 16 seconds later with only the time of ephemeris changed by 16 seconds were a particular problem. These errors have been removed by a validation screen that requires consensus agreement across all the records for a particular PRN for that day and enforces the IODE and IODC update rules.

**Figure 13-1 Standard Deviations for Height, Along Track, and Cross Track**



**Figure 13-2 Broadcast vs. Precise Orbit Errors – All Satellites**



## Appendix A: Glossary

### General Terms and Definitions

**Alert.** An alert is an indication provided by the GPS/WAAS equipment to inform the user when the positioning performance achieved by the equipment does not meet the integrity requirements.

**APV-ILNAV/VNAV.** APV-I is a WAAS operational service level with an HAL equal to 556 meters and a VAL equal to 50 meters.

**Availability.** The availability of a navigation system is the ability of the system to provide the required function and performance at the initiation of the intended operation. Availability is an indication of the ability of the system to provide usable service within the specified coverage area.

**AVP-II.** APV-II is a WAAS operational service level with an HAL equal to 40 meters and a VAL equal to 20 meters.

**CONUS.** Continental United States.

**Continuity.** The continuity of a system is the ability of the total system (comprising all elements necessary to maintain aircraft position within the defined airspace) to perform its function without interruption during the intended operation. More specifically, continuity is the probability that the specified system performance will be maintained for the duration of a phase of operation, presuming that the system was available at the beginning of that phase of operation.

**Coverage.** The coverage provided by a radio navigation system is that surface area or space volume in which the signals are adequate to permit the user to determine position to a specified level of accuracy. Coverage is influenced by system geometry, signal power levels, receiver sensitivity, atmospheric noise conditions, and other factors that affect signal availability.

**Dilution of Precision (DOP).** The magnifying effect on GPS position error induced by mapping GPS ranging errors into position through the position solution. The DOP may be represented in any user local coordinate desired. Examples are HDOP for local horizontal, VDOP for local vertical, PDOP for all three coordinates, and TDOP for time.

**Fault Detection and Exclusion (FDE).** Fault detection and exclusion is a receiver processing scheme that autonomously provides integrity monitoring for the position solution, using redundant range measurements. The FDE consists of two distinct parts: fault detection and fault exclusion. The fault detection part detects the presence of an unacceptably large position error for a given mode of flight. Upon the detection, fault exclusion follows and excludes the source of the unacceptably large position error, thereby allowing navigation to return to normal performance without an interruption in service.

**GEO.** Geostationary Satellite.

**Global Positioning System (GPS).** A space-based positioning, velocity, and time system composed of space, control, and user segments. The space segment, when fully operational, will be composed of 24 satellites in six orbital planes. The control segment consists of five monitor stations, three ground antennas, and a master control station. The user segment consists of antennas and receiver-processors that provide positioning, velocity, and precise timing to the user.

**GLS.** GLS is a WAAS operational service level with HAL equal to 40 meters and VAL equal to 12 meters.

**Grid Ionospheric Vertical Error (GIVE).** GIVEs indicate the accuracy of ionospheric vertical delay correction at a geographically defined ionospheric grid point (IGP). WAAS transmits one GIVE for each IGP in the mask.

**Hazardous Misleading Information (HMI).** Hazardous misleading information is any position data, that is output, that has an error larger than the current protection level (HPL/VPL), without any indication of the error (e.g., alert message sequence).

**Horizontal Alert Limit (HAL).** The Horizontal Alert Limit (HAL) is the radius of a circle in the horizontal plane (the local plane tangent to the WGS-84 ellipsoid), with its center being at the true position, which describes the region that is required to contain the indicated horizontal position with a probability of  $1-10^{-7}$  per flight hour, for a particular navigation mode, assuming the probability of a GPS satellite integrity failure being included in the position solution is less than or equal to  $10^{-4}$  per hour.

**Horizontal Protection Level (HPL).** The Horizontal Protection Level is the radius of a circle in the horizontal plane (the plane tangent to the WGS-84 ellipsoid), with its center being at the true position, which describes the region that is assured to contain the indicated horizontal position. It is based upon the error estimates provided by WAAS.

**Ionospheric Grid Point (IGP).** IGP is a geographically defined point for which the WAAS provides the vertical ionospheric delay.

**LNAV.** Lateral Navigation.

**MOPS.** Minimum Operational Performance Standards.

**Navigation Message.** Message structure designed to carry navigation data.

**Non-Precision Approach (NPA) Navigation Mode.** The Non-Precision Approach navigation mode refers to the navigation solution operating with a minimum of four satellites with fast and long term WAAS corrections (no WAAS ionospheric corrections) available.

**Position Solution.** The use of ranging signal measurements and navigation data from at least four satellites to solve for three position coordinates and a time offset.

**Precision Approach (PA) Navigation Mode.** The Precision Approach navigation mode refers to the navigation solution operating with a minimum of four satellites with all WAAS corrections (fast, long term, and ionospheric) available.

**Selective Availability.** Protection technique employed by the DOD to deny full system accuracy to unauthorized users.

**Standard Positioning Service (SPS).** Three-dimensional position and time determination capability provided to a user equipped with a minimum capability GPS SPS receiver in accordance with GPS national policy and the performance specifications.

**SV.** Satellite Vehicle.

**User Differential Range Error (UDRE).** UDRE's indicate the accuracy of combined fast and slow error corrections. WAAS transmits one UDRE for each satellite in the mask.

**Vertical Alert Limit (VAL).** The Vertical Alert Limit is half the length of a segment on the vertical axis (perpendicular to the horizontal plane of WGS-84 ellipsoid), with its center being at the true position, which describes the region that is required to contain the indicated vertical position with a probability of  $1-10^{-7}$  per flight hour, for a particular navigation mode, assuming the probability of a GPS satellite integrity failure being included in the position solution is less than or equal to  $10^{-4}$  per hour.

**Vertical Protection Level (VPL).** The Vertical Protection Level is half the length of a segment on the vertical axis (perpendicular to the horizontal plane of WGS-84 ellipsoid), with its center being at the true position, which describes the region that is assured to contain the indicated vertical position. It is based upon the error estimates provided by WAAS.

**VNAV.** Vertical Navigation.

**Wide Area Augmentation System (WAAS).** The WAAS is made up of an integrity reference monitoring network, processing facilities, geostationary satellites, and control facilities. Wide area reference stations and integrity monitors are widely dispersed data collection sites that contain GPS/WAAS ranging receivers that monitor all signals from the GPS, as well as the WAAS geostationary satellites. The reference stations collect measurements from the GPS and WAAS satellites so that differential corrections, ionospheric delay information, GPS/WAAS accuracy, WAAS network time, GPS time, and UTC can be determined. The wide area reference station and integrity monitor data are forwarded to the central data processing sites. These sites process the data in order to determine differential corrections, ionospheric delay information, and GPS/WAAS accuracy, as well as verify residual error bounds for each monitored satellite. The central data processing sites also generate navigation messages for the geostationary satellites and WAAS messages. This information is modulated on the GPS-like signal and broadcast to the users from geostationary satellites.