

Civil Report Card On GPS Performance

May 2009

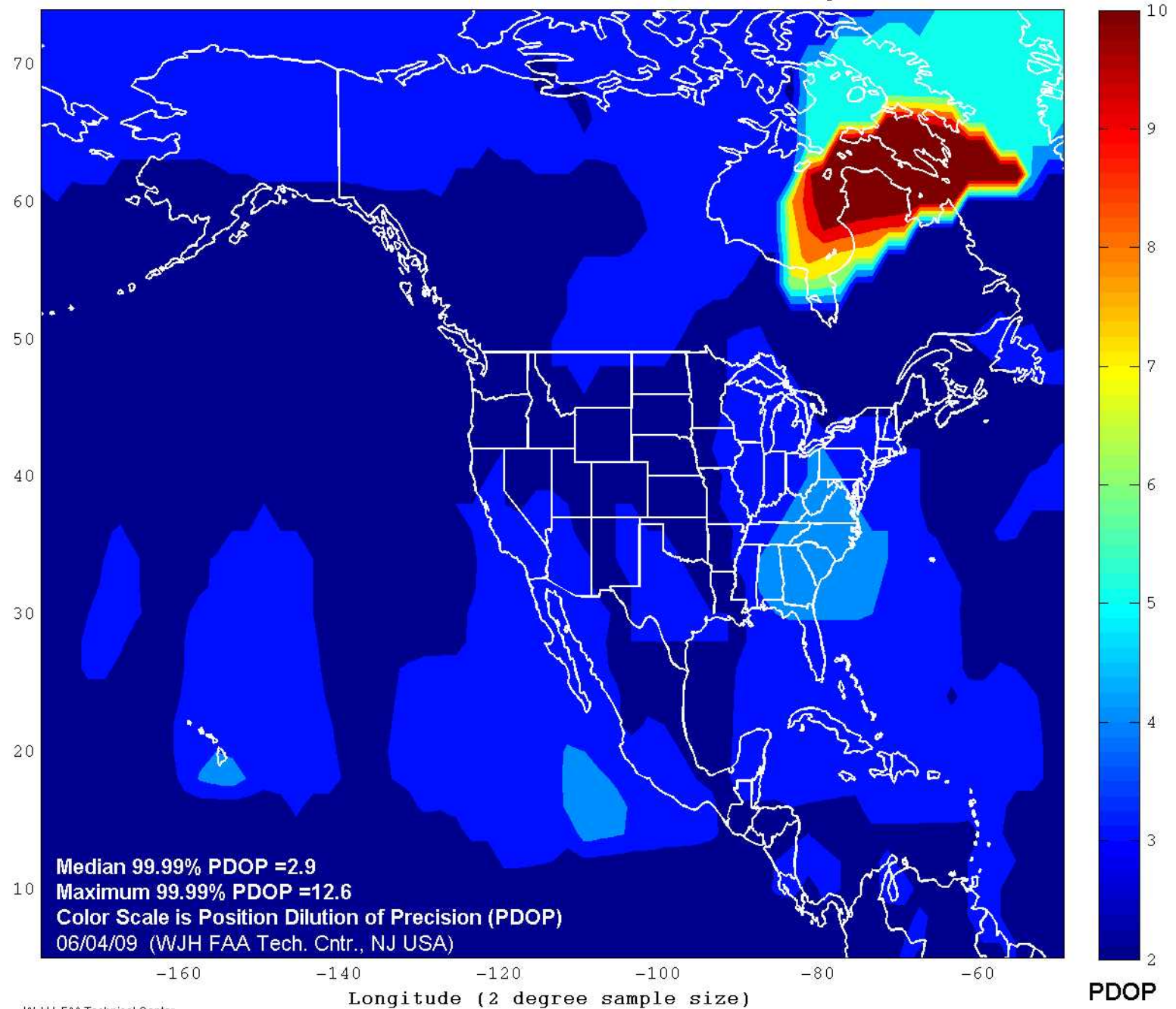
Operational Performance Parameter	CY 2008	Apr 2009	May 2009	Long term	Short term
Availability Parameters					
<i>Average Number of satellites usable</i>	30.48	30.98	30.98	↑	→
<i>Average number of satellites usable in primary slots</i>	23.95 (99.80%)	23.98 (99.92%)	23.98 (99.90%)	↑	→
<i>Average availability of 6 satellites in view</i>	99.99%	99.99%	99.99%	→	→
99.99% Horizontal DOP					
<i>Area Median</i>	1.8	1.5	1.4	↑	→
<i>Worst Site</i>	5.8	4.9	4.6	↑	↑
99.99% Vertical DOP					
<i>Area Median</i>	3.3	2.7	2.5	↑	↑
<i>Worst Site</i>	17.6	12.1	11.7	↑	↑
99.99% Position DOP (PDOP)					
<i>Area Median</i>	3.6	3.0	2.9	↑	→
<i>Worst Site</i>	18.3	13.0	12.6	↑	↑
Accuracy Parameters					
RMS Single Frequency User Range Error					
<i>Constellation Median</i>	1.72	1.86	1.57	↑	↑
<i>Worst Satellite</i>	2.14	2.34	1.96	↑	↑
95% Horizontal Error					
<i>Area Median</i>	2.36	2.20	2.08	↑	↑
<i>Worst Site</i>	3.35	3.79	2.99	↑	↑
<i>Availability (% <4.5m (historical 3-sigma))</i>	99.77%	99.89%	99.98%	↑	↑
95% Vertical Error					
<i>Area Median</i>	4.46	5.02	3.90	↑	↑
<i>Worst Site</i>	4.95	5.96	4.65	↑	↑
<i>Availability (% < 9m (historical 3-sigma))</i>	99.94%	99.98%	99.99%	↑	↑

Key: ↑ improving ↓ worsening → no significant change

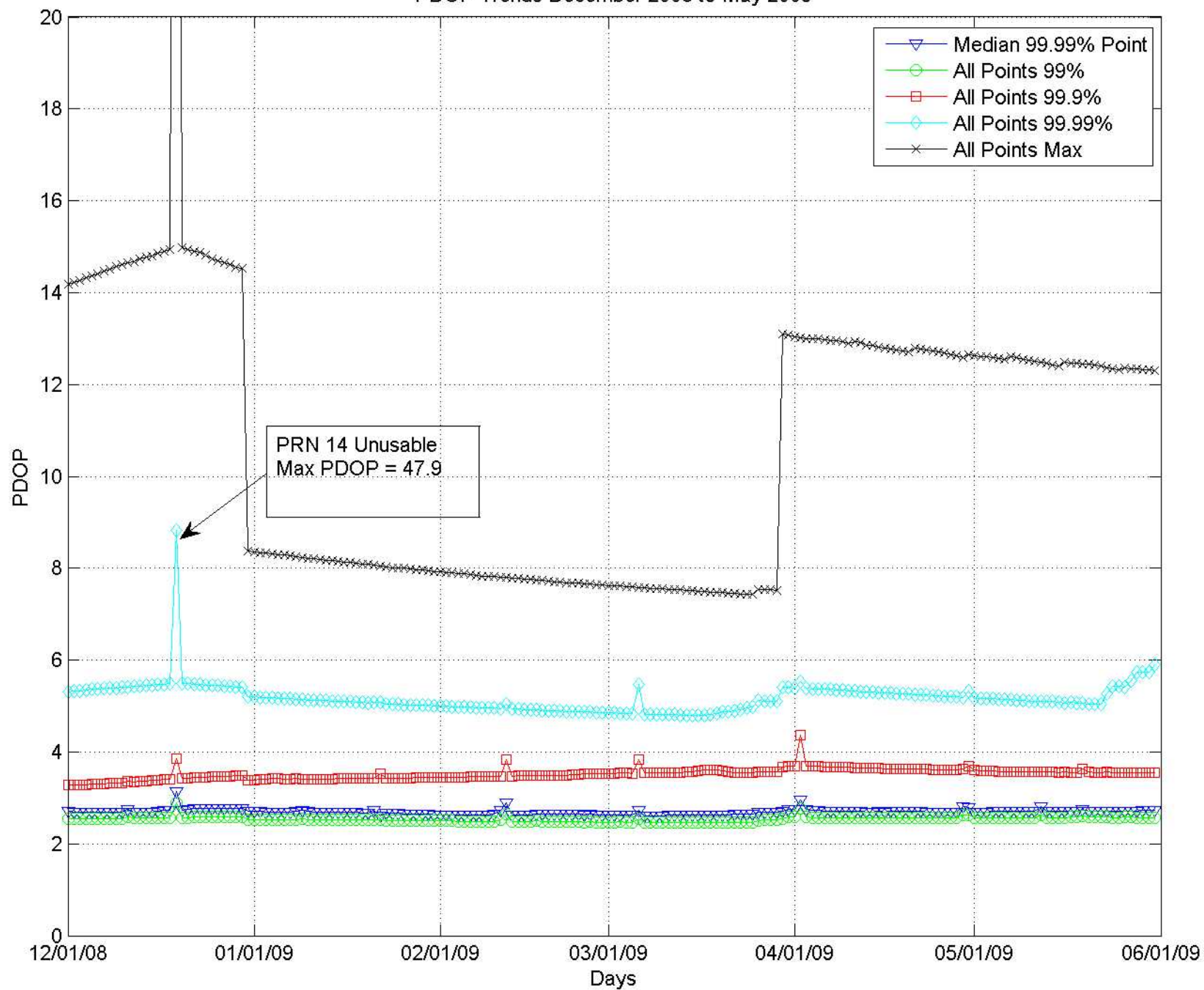
Long Term is current month vs. prior 24 months; Short Term is current month vs. prior month

Compiled from WAAS network as requested by the Defense Science Board

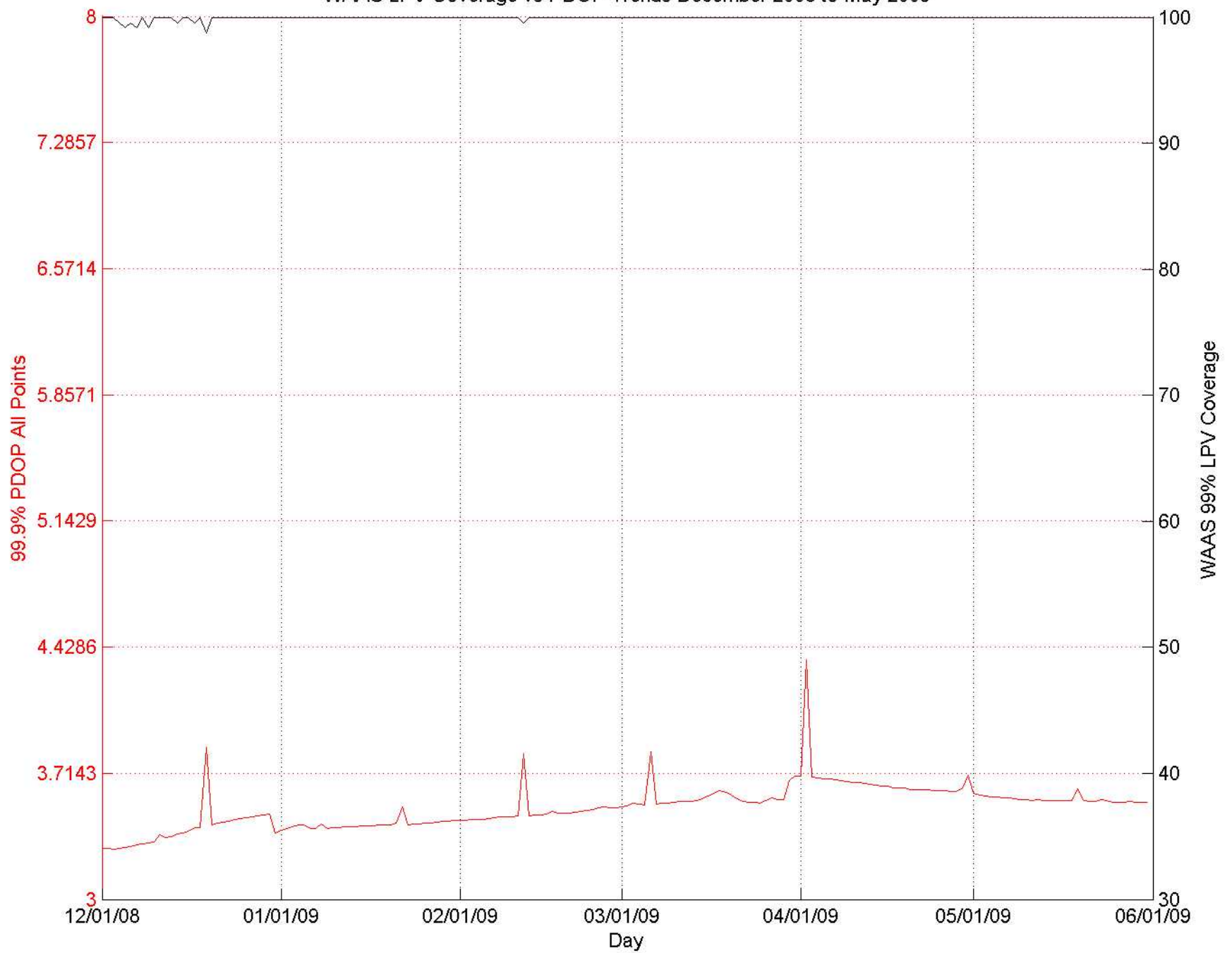
North America GPS PDOP 99.99% Index May 2009



PDOP Trends December 2008 to May 2009



WAAS LPV Coverage vs PDOP Trends December 2008 to May 2009



Six Satellite Availability Trends December 2008 to May 2009

