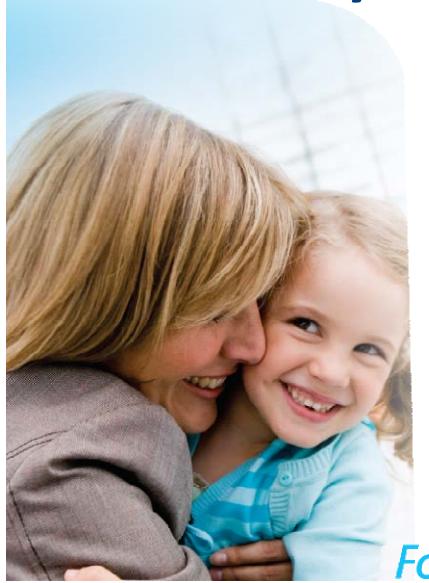
## **Early Turns & Prop Turns**



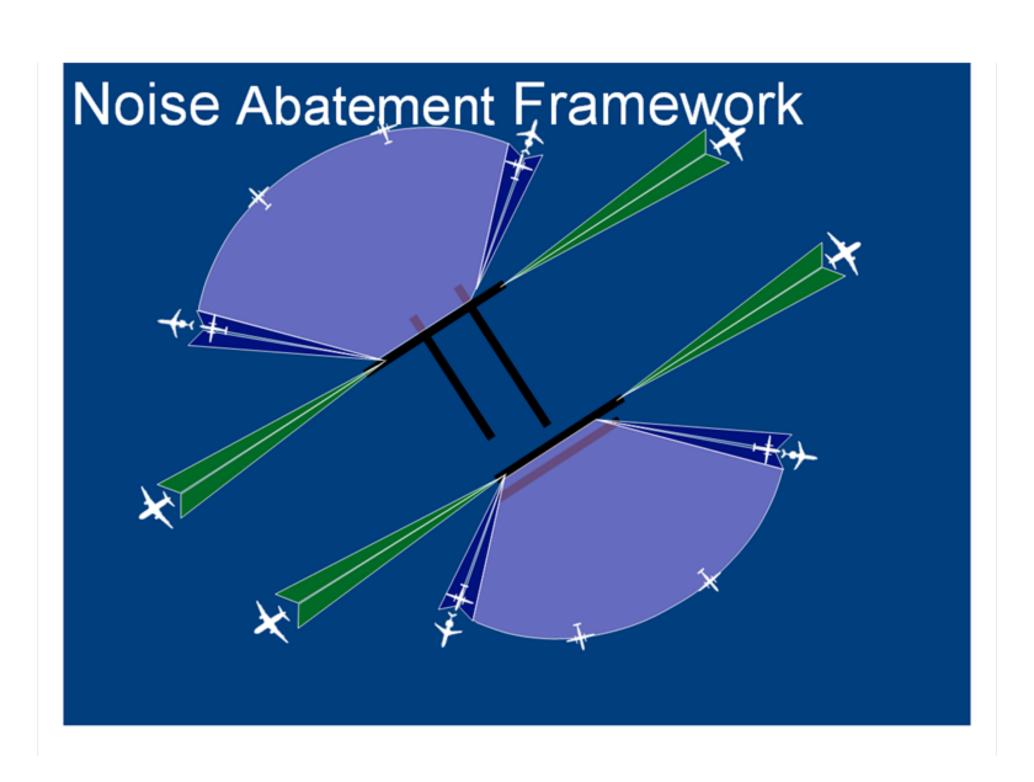
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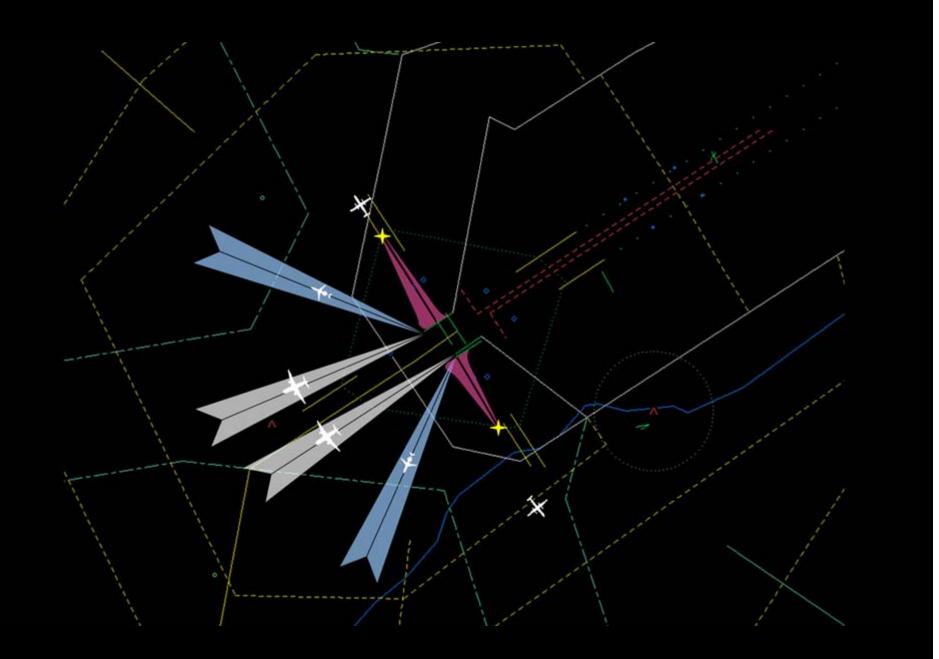
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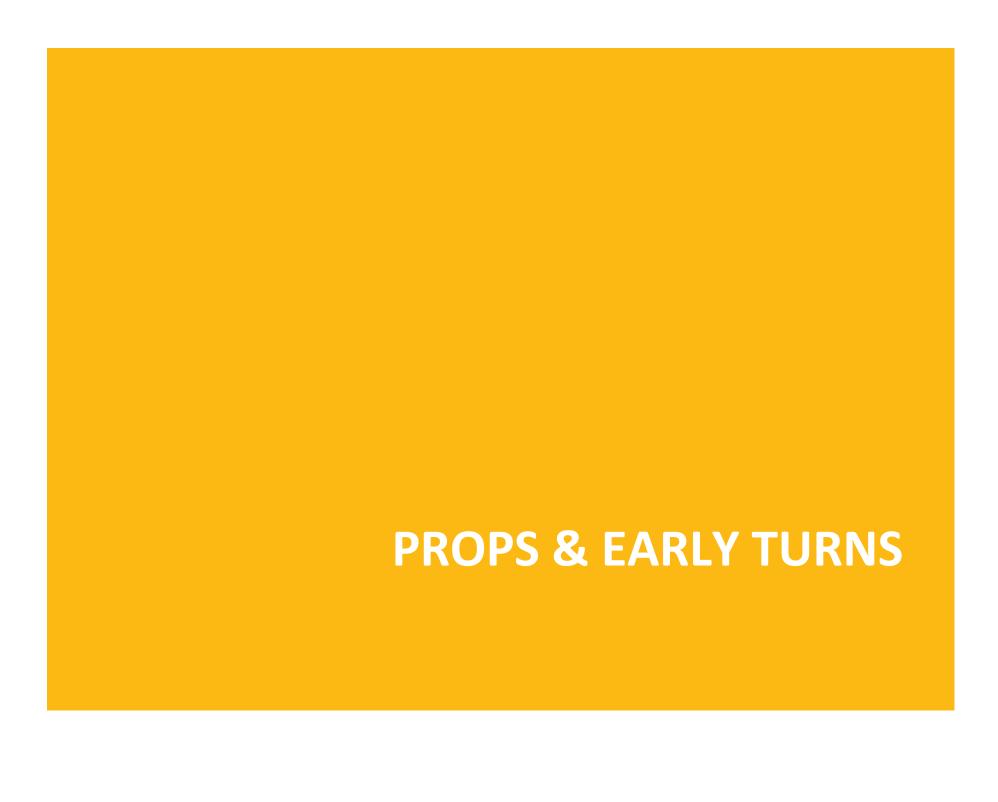
## NAV CANADA BACKGROUND ON PROCEDURES



# Why Turn Airplanes?







### **Background - General**

- Propeller Turns and Early Turns are departure procedures specifically designed to:
  - Allow aircraft to take a more direct route towards their destination, getting aircraft en route sooner
  - Increase runway capacity and efficiency
  - Reduce line-ups on the ground
  - Reduce fuel consumption and Greenhouse Gas emissions
- Used only if there is an operational advantage based on destination or aircraft line-up in the departure queue
- Initiatives undertaken in collaboration with the airline industry and NAV Canada
  - CENAC briefed and engaged; outcomes will continue to be reported through CENAC

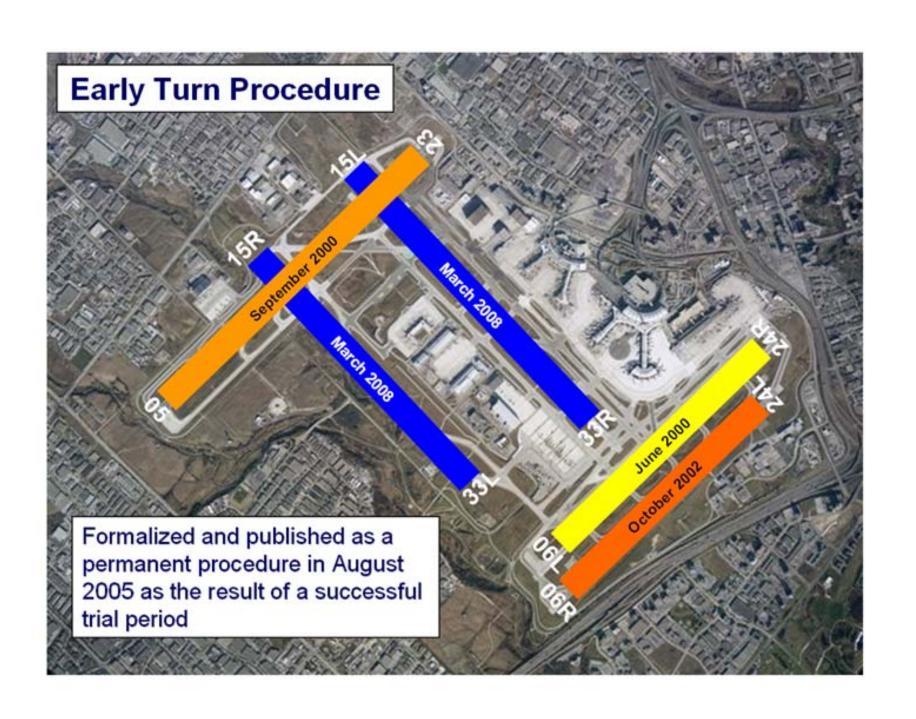
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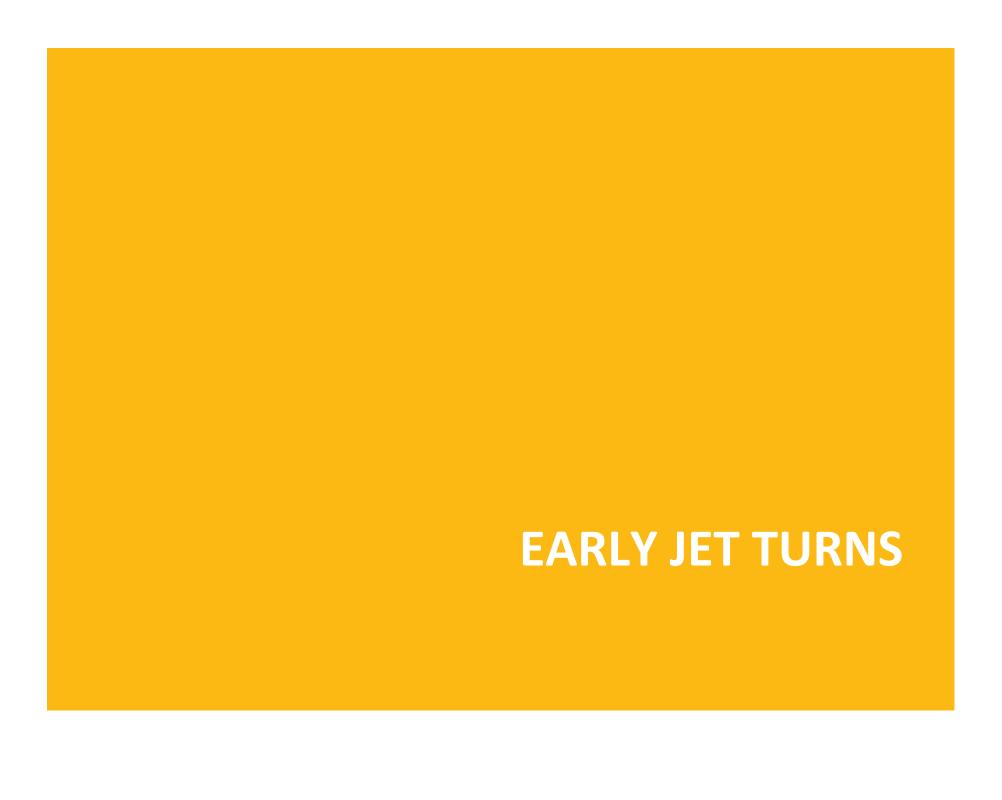
- Restricted to the hours of 7:00 am-11:00 pm
- Limited to:
- East/west runways
- Specified headings
- Particular aircraft types (CRJ1,CRJ2, E135, E145, E45X, J328, CL60, C750, GLEX, GLF4 and GLF5)

### Background – Early Turn Trials (2000 to 2005)

### Trial Findings:

- Improved runway utilization
- Reduced emissions while airborne and by aircraft on the ground in the departure queue
- Minimal noise impact on surrounding communities





### **Early Turn Procedure**

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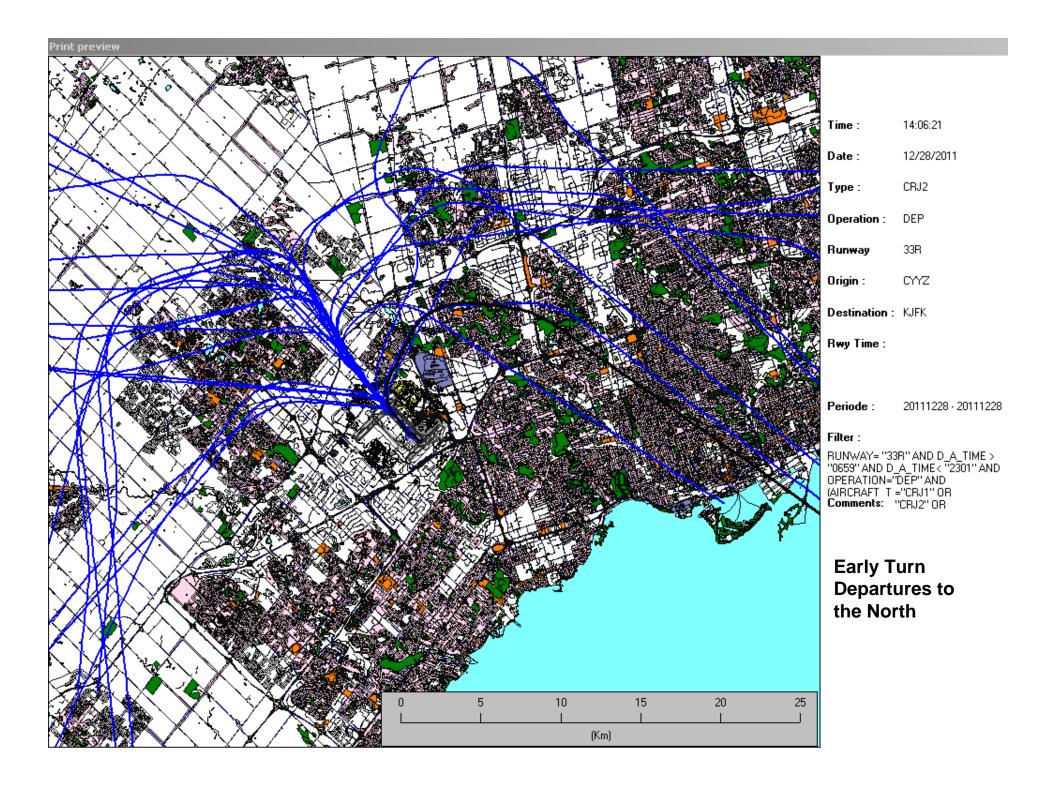
- Permit immediate departure turns shortly after takeoff for certain smaller jet aircraft
- Procedure was initiated on the east/west runways in 2000
- Became a formalized and published procedure in 2005

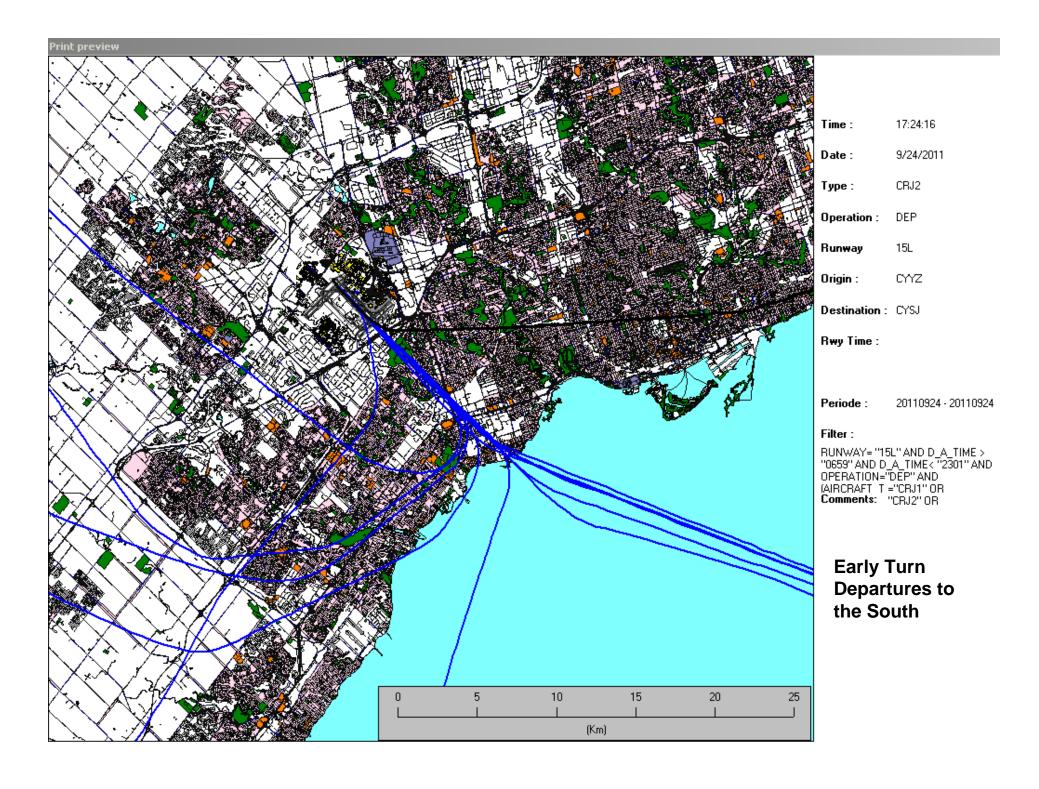
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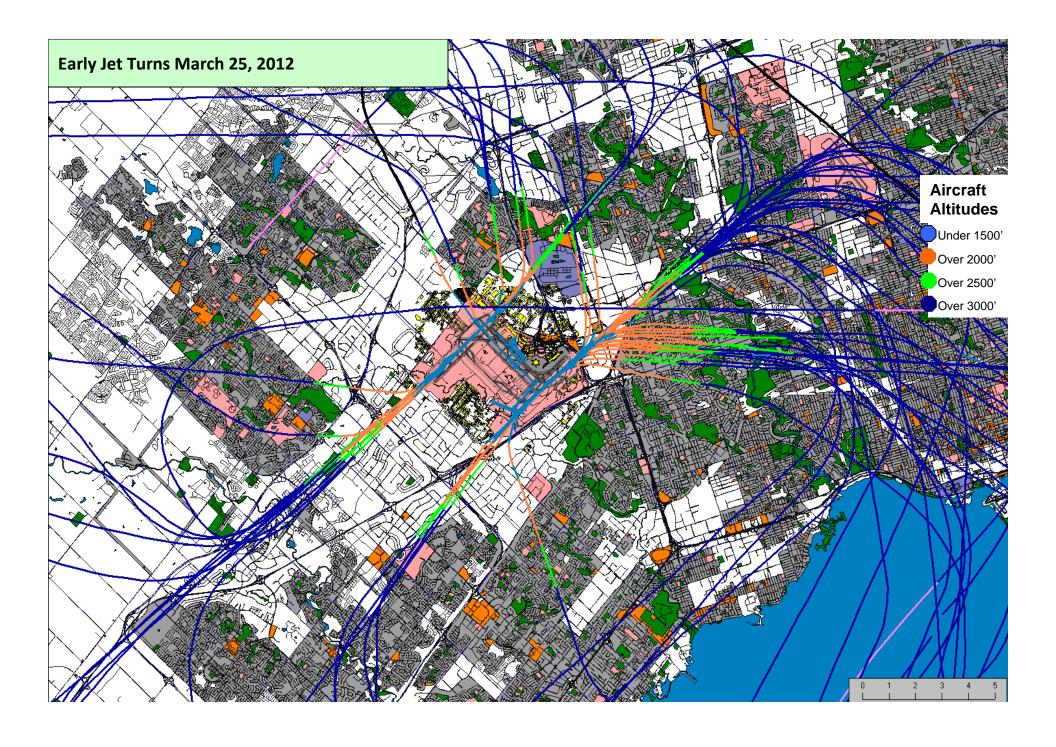
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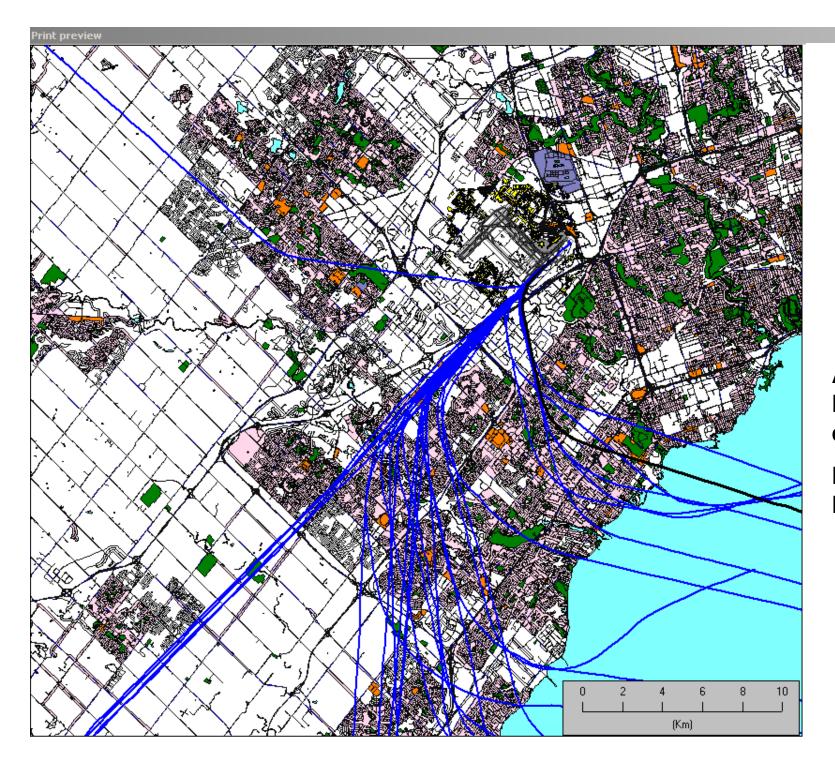
### **Early Turn Trial**

- Expansion of the procedure to the north/south runways
- Started in March 2008, currently still under review
- Noise complaints related to the trials are tracked and recorded

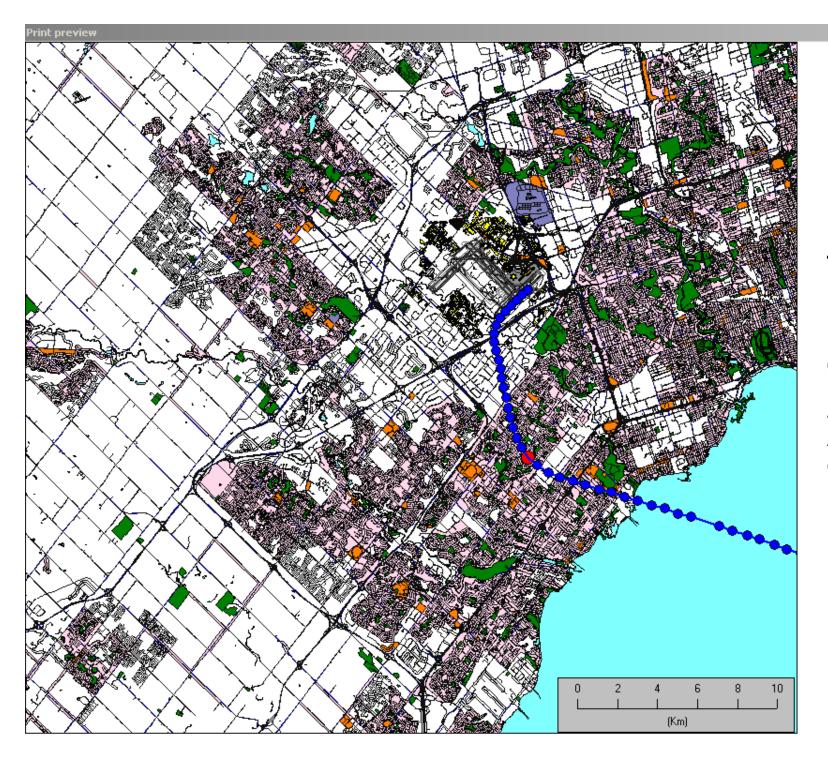




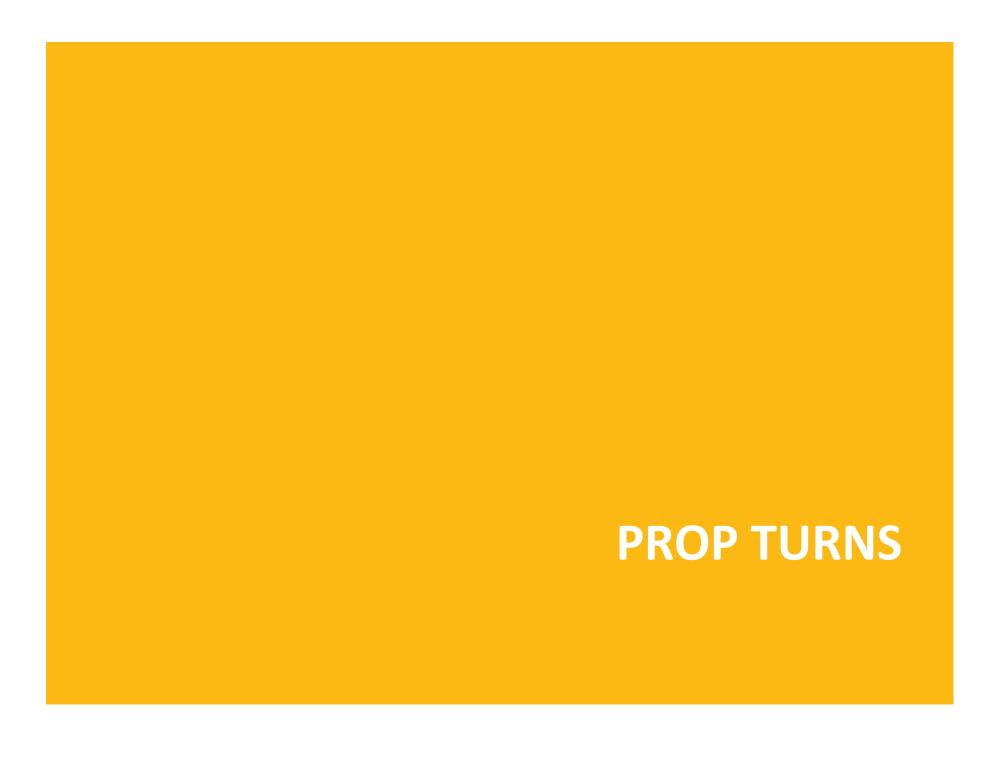




Approved ETP jet departures Runway 24 Right



Early Jet
Turn
Runway 24
Right
CRJ2
At 4200'
Above
Ground



### **Prop Turns**

#### **Propeller Turns**

- Slower departing propeller aircraft turn after takeoff
- Faster, larger jets continue to use the standard departure flight paths
- Utilized on all runways
- Standard procedure since the 1970s

#### Hours

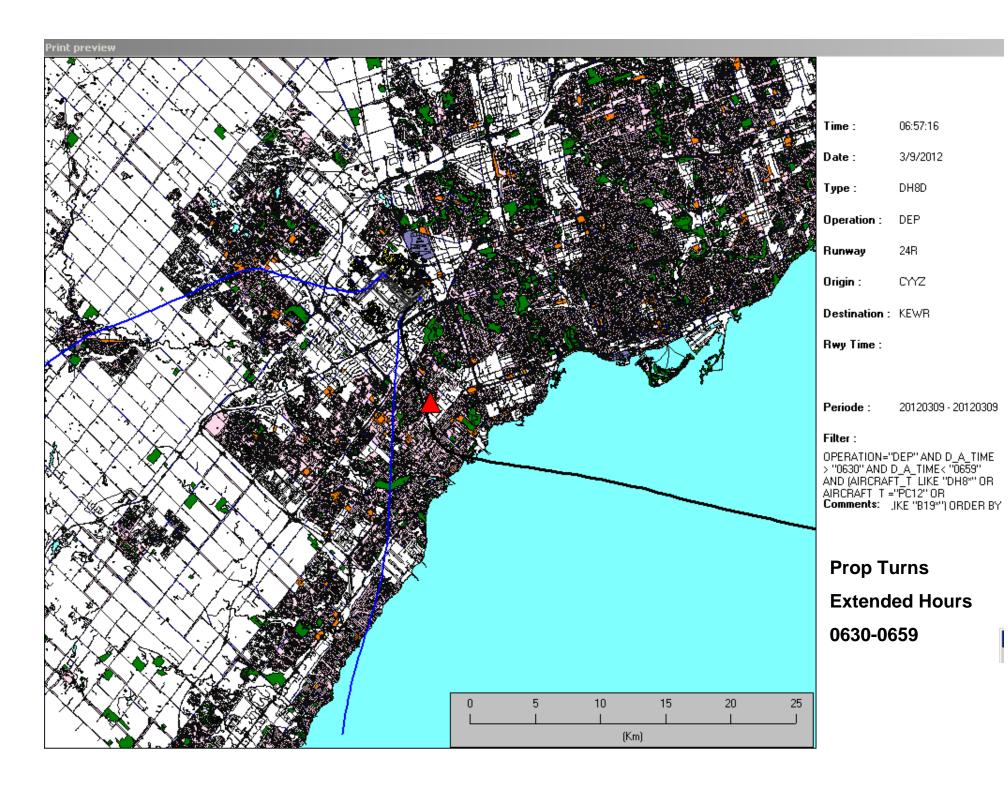
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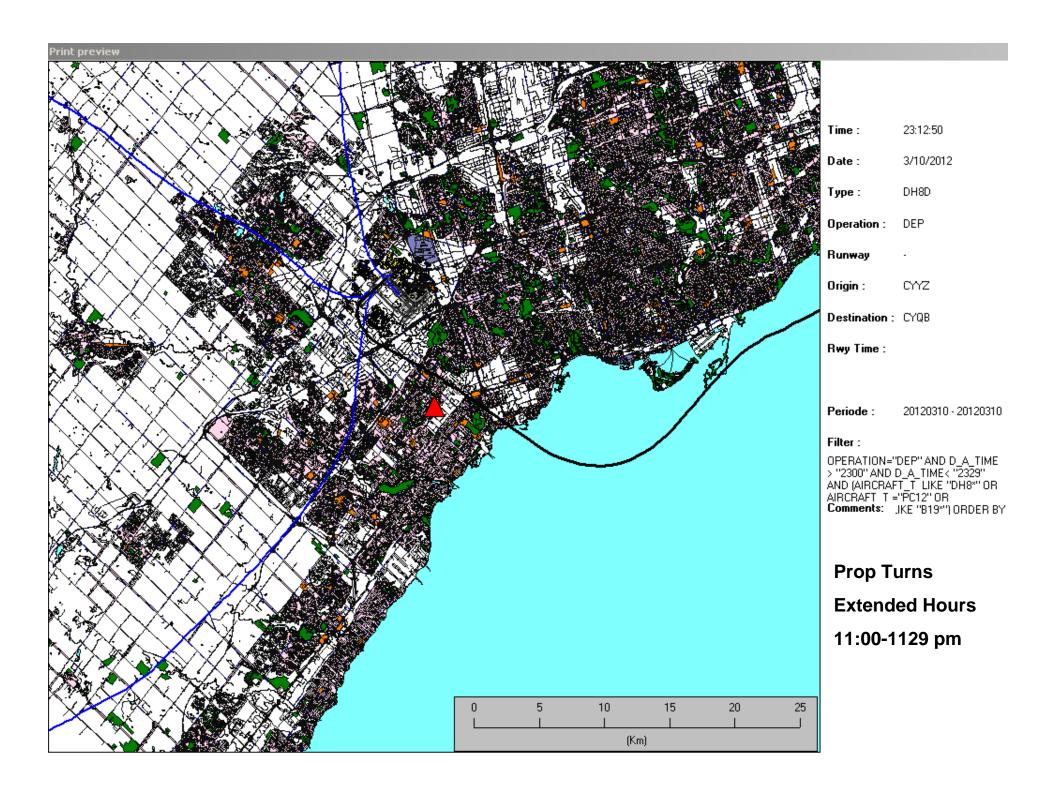
### **Prop Turn Extended Hours Trial**

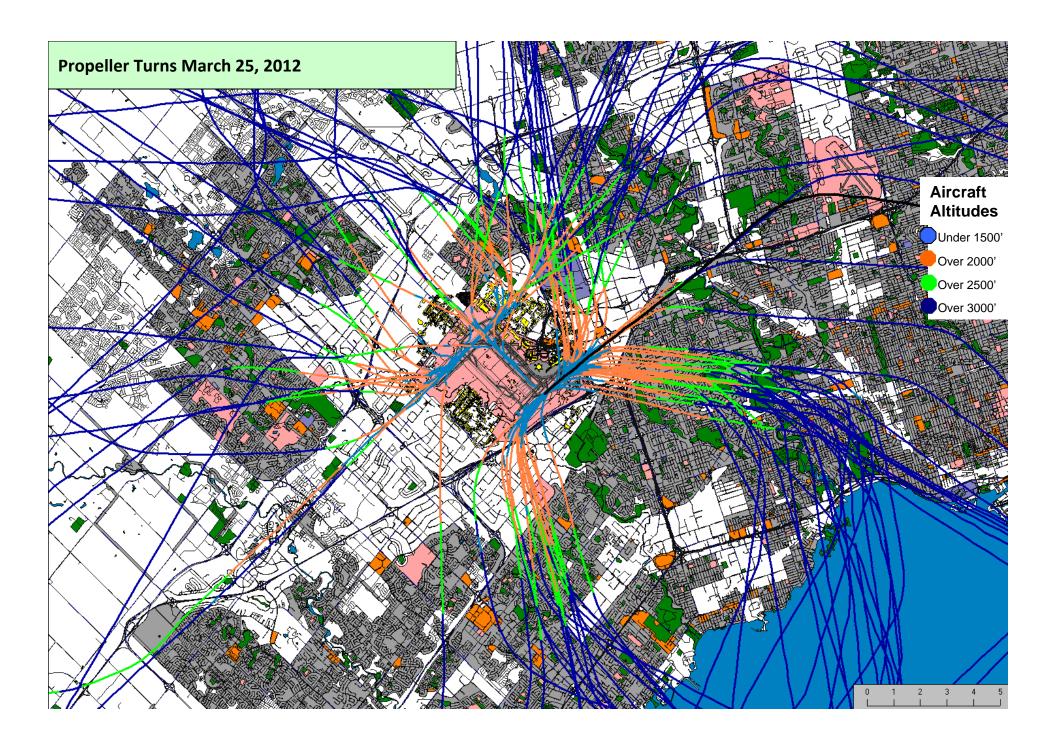
- Extension of hours of the propeller turns from 7:00 am to 11:00 pm to 6:30 am to 11:30 pm
- Started in March 2008, currently still under review
- Noise complaints related to the trials are tracked and recorded

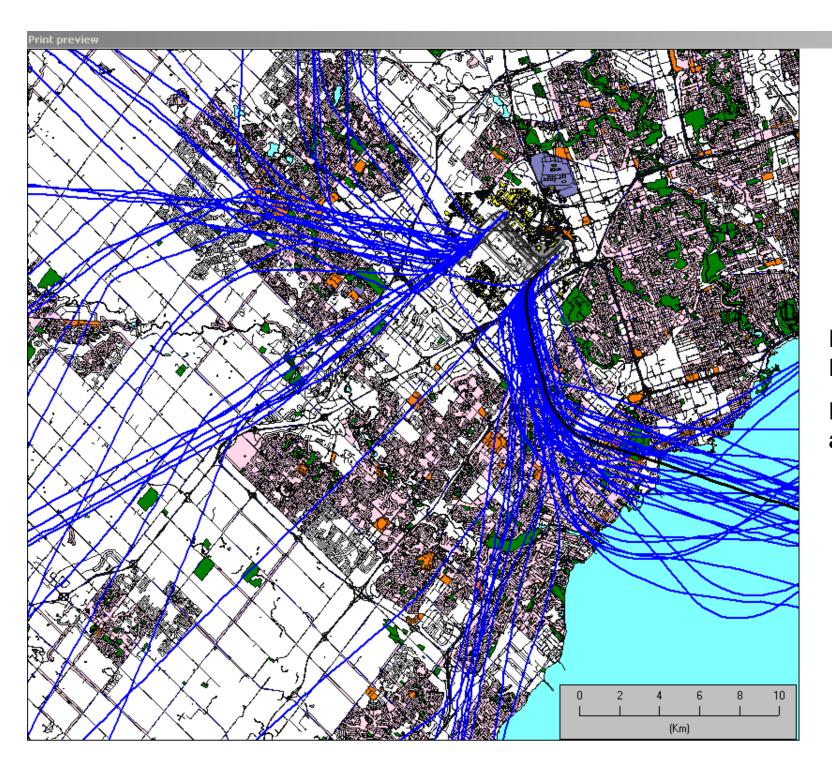
### **Prop Turns**

- 6:30 7:00 am
  - Heavily loaded with departures
  - Departure queue based on demand coming out of the restricted hours
  - Average 2 to 3 prop departures daily (approximately)
- 11:00 11:30 pm
  - Mixed with large/heavy aircraft (overseas) and small commuter aircraft (Sudbury, London, etc.)
  - Departure queue based on mix of traffic
  - Average 4 to 5 prop departures daily (approximately)

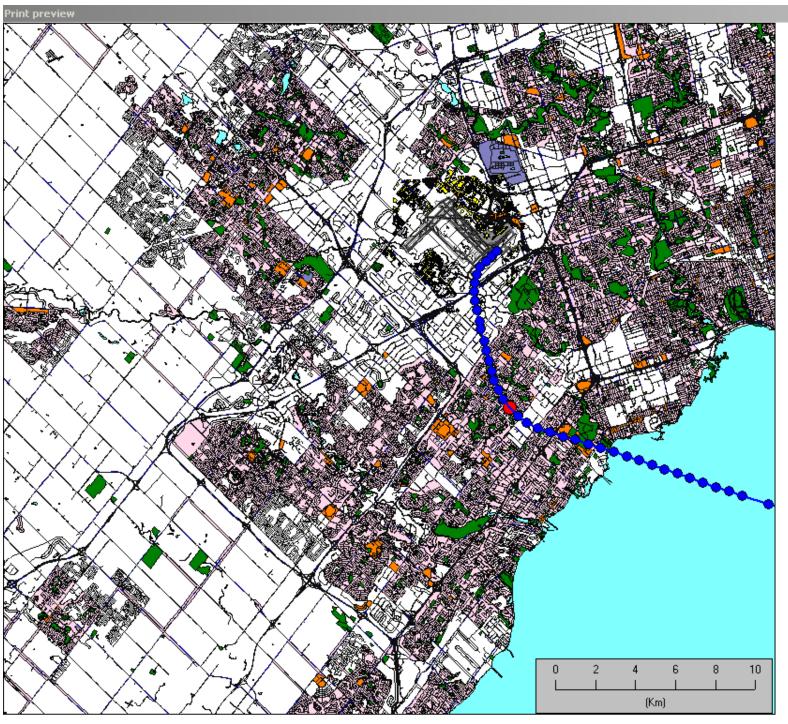








Prop Departures Runways 23 and 24 Right



Prop Turn

Dash 8

At 4300'
Above
Ground

Runway 24
Right

## **Trial Statistics**

6:30 to 7:00 am	Prop Turns		
	Eligible	Turned	% turned
Mar-Dec 2008	934	857	91.80%
Jan-Dec2009	722	695	96.30%
Jan-Dec2010	255	246	96.50%
Jan-Dec 2011	504	455	90.30%
Total	2415	2253	93.30%

11:00 to 11:30 pm	Prop Turns		
	Eligible	Turned	% turned
Mar-Dec 2008	783	626	79.90%
Jan-Dec2009	777	670	86.20%
Jan-Dec2010	871	768	88.20%
Jan-Dec2011	972	851	87.60%
Total	3403	2915	85.70%

Date	Early Turns North/South Runways		
Date	Eligible	Turned	% turned
Mar-Dec 2008	1525	305	20.00%
Jan-Dec2009	3110	651	20.93%
Jan-Dec2010	2562	623	24.32%
Jan-Dec 2011	2027	307	15.15%
Total	9224	1886	20.45%

## **Trial Complaint Statistics**

#### **Prop Trial Complaints**

Year	6:30 - 7:00 am	11:00 - 11:30 pm	Total
2008	12	8	20
2009	7	1	8
2010	0	1	1
2011	1	2	3
2012 YTD	21	8	29
	41	20	61

#### **Prop Turns Complaints**

Year	Total
2008	128
2009	76
2010	11
2011	8
2012 YTD	128
	351

Early Turn Trial Complaints - North/South Runways

Year	Total
2008	2
2009	3
2010	1
2011	0
2012 YTD	0
	6

#### **Early Turn Complaints**

Year	Total
2008	167
2009	65
2010	18
2011	8
2012 YTD	1
	259

## **Moving Forward**

- Continue to communicate trial details to elected officials, communities, stakeholders and flight crews
- Portable noise monitoring in the areas impacted by trial procedures to quantify the noise impacts on surrounding communities
- Noise complaints related to the trials continue to be tracked and recorded
- Emission savings related to the trials to be further analyzed
- Trial updates to be reported back to CENAC

# **Emission Savings**

### **Summary of Trials – Greenhouse Gases**

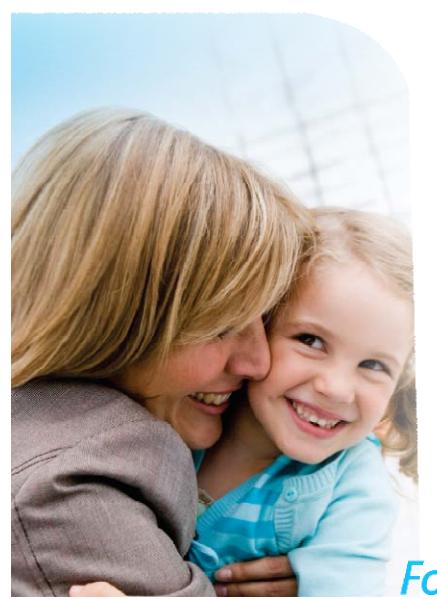
### Prop Aircraft Extended Hours Trial – All Runways:

- •5 types of turboprop aircraft
- •6:30 am 7:00 am and 11:00 pm 11:30pm
- March 2008 December 2011, 5818 eligible flights and 5168 made the turn

### Early Jet Turn Trial – North/South Runways:

- •11 types of smaller jet aircraft
- 7:00 am 11:00 pm
- •March 2008 December 2011, 9224 eligible and 1886 of made the turn





# Thank you





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