

#### SPACE-BASED POSITIONING NAVIGATION & TIMING

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# GPS.gov "2.0"

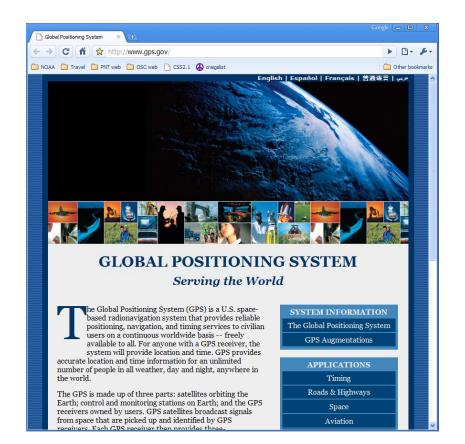
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- Static descriptions of:
  - GPS & augmentations
  - GPS applications (11)
- Links to:
  - NAVCEN, GPSOC, FAA
  - PNT.gov
  - GPS Wing
- Translations in 4 other languages



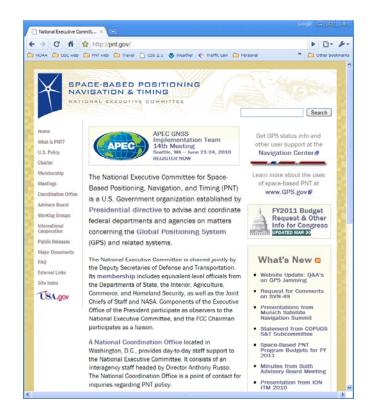
#### Out of date and not very useful







- Focuses on U.S. GPS policy and organizations
- Provides some info that may belong on GPS.gov:
  - FAQ's about GPS
  - GPS-related press releases, public presentations
  - Program funding status
  - Document library
  - Image library
  - Upcoming events



#### Not as easily remembered/well-visited as GPS.gov



Vision: GPS.gov as Central Pillar of U.S. GPS Outreach Campaign



- Promote positive U.S. message that builds public confidence and trust in GPS
- Provide up-to-date information and official USG response to news events
- Dispel myths, correct misinformation
- Offer one-stop portal for information
- Reduce need for printed outreach materials
- Engage GPS stakeholders

### Partnership between NCO and NAVCEN/CGSIC



### **Stakeholder Groups To Be Served**

YOU



- General Public/Users
- Experts/Developers
- Media
- Congressional Staff
- Internationals
- Students/Educators



## **Ideas for Expanded Content**



- Current GPS Status
  - Constellation size
  - Known issues (in English)
- Latest News
  - Feature stories on current topics
  - Press releases, presentations
  - Upcoming events
- Tutorials & Multimedia
  - Outreach videos
  - How GPS works
  - How augmentations work
  - Launch videos
  - Image library
- Applications
  - Application of the month
  - PDF brochure (5 languages)
  - Searchable database

- GPS Modernization
  - Description and status info
- Augmentation Systems
  - Descriptions and status info
- U.S. Policy & Funding
  - Overview (in English)
  - International cooperation
  - Reference documents
  - Legislation
  - Congressional funding status
  - Newsletter
- Technical Support
  - FAQ
  - Anomaly reporting overview w/ link to NAVCEN
  - ICD's, ICWG info





- Animated tutorials
- Videos
- Quiz/game
- RSS feeds
- Email list signup
- Calendar of events
- Geocaching tie-in?
- Blog/Twitter/Facebook?
- Message board?
- GPS applications wiki?

Note: Enabling usergenerated content requires policy/legal/security reviews and major IT investments





- Default homepage will be designed to serve general public
  - Lots of graphics, videos, interactives
  - Minimal text, written for lay audience
- Visitors can switch homepage layouts to view content most useful to them
  - For experts: technical documents, policy
  - For media: releases, upcoming events, images
  - For Congress: budget requests, funding/bill status
  - For internationals: policy, cooperation, translation
  - For students: tutorials, quiz, applications





- What does the general public expect to find at a website called "GPS.gov"?
  - A consumer guide to GPS user equipment?
  - A place to report erroneous map data?
  - A forum to voice concerns about GPS privacy?
  - Information about Galileo?
- What does a GPS expert expect to find?
- Which of the proposed website improvements matter the most to you? The least?

### **Comments/inputs welcome – this is not a survey**



### **Contact Information**





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