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## Partnership Council MGUE Test Program

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### **GYPSY Juliett: Overview**

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- GJ operational exercise
  - USSTRATCOM-sponsored PNT Operational Field Assessment
  - Location: Pacific Missile Range Facility (PMRF)
  - Executed by Joint Navigation Warfare Center (JNWC)
  - Operations in various GPS denied and degraded (D2) environments
    - Focused on Intelligence, Surveillance, & Reconnaissance (ISR) platforms
- SMC/GP participation
  - Evaluate performance of prototype MGUE cards on Non-Interference Basis
    - Test in representative operational threat environments
    - Utilization of Live Sky MNAV signals
  - MGUE Test Operations
    - Racks: Static Tests
    - RQ-11B Raven: Integration, Static/Dynamic Tests



### First Successful Flight Data Collection of Integrated M-Code Receiver

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### MGUE RED FLAG Performance

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- RED FLAG testing allowed MGUE to test in an operationally representative threat environment utilizing live sky signals
- Utilized C-12J as a platform
- Success:
  - First time M-Code signal was tracked during flight with an airborne receiver
  - First INS Aiding of GRAM-S/M in flight
  - M-Code receivers held lock longer and re-acquired signal faster than Y-Code receivers in a jamming environment.



### First time in-flight aviation receiver acquired and tracked M-Code

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### MGUE T-38 Demo Performance

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- Utilized T-38 to showcase MGUE capabilities
  - "Fighter-type" dynamic profiles
    - Quick Accelerations / Inertial forces (g's)
    - Rapid vector changes (altitude & directional)
  - Jamming environment
- Success -- MGUE card held lock!
  - Both in contested and benign environments



A Rear Cockpit Pallet mounted in the back of a T-38 Talon



Aviation receiver acquired and tracked M-Code w/ fighter dynamics

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