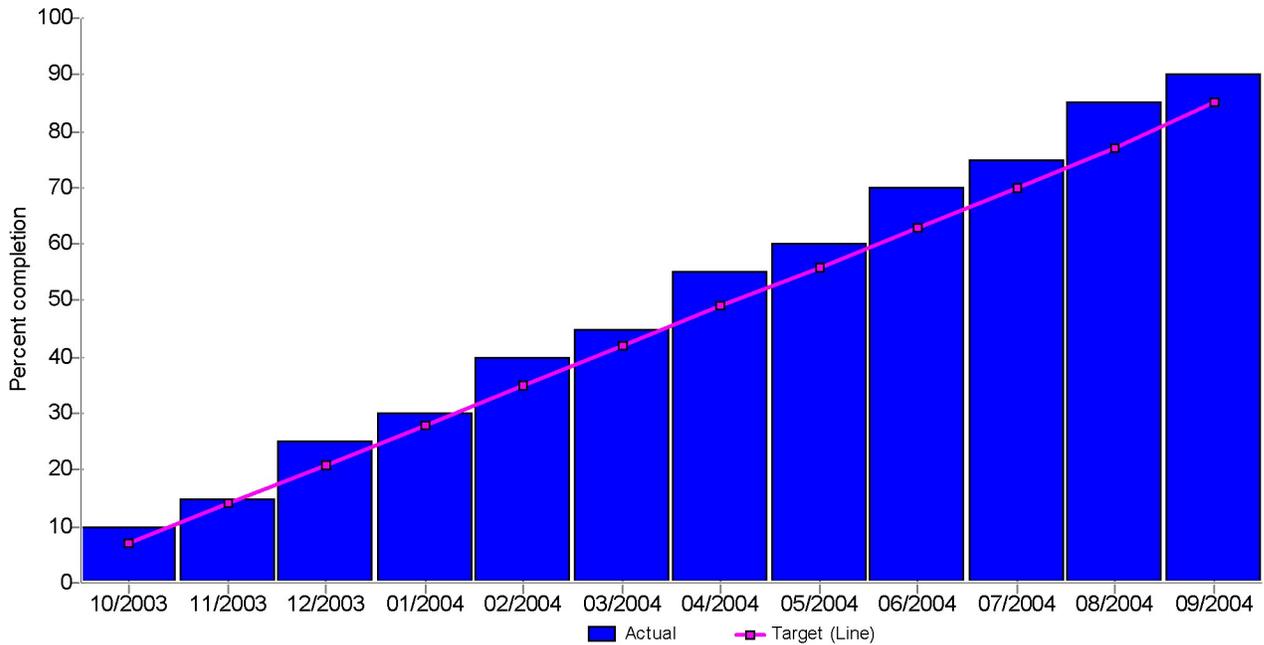


Status of FAA Performance Targets

TGT: RVSM in North America (FAA) This Year to Date (Sum)



Description

TGT: Implement Reduced Vertical Separation Minima (RVSM) in the North American Region by January 2005. (Measure is Percent of Milestones On Time.)

Period Table

	Actual	Target (Line)	Target (Line) - Index Range
10/2003	10%	7%	Green
11/2003	15%	14%	Green
12/2003	25%	21%	Green
01/2004	30%	28%	Green
02/2004	40%	35%	Green
03/2004	45%	42%	Green
04/2004	55%	49%	Green
05/2004	60%	56%	Green
06/2004	70%	63%	Green
07/2004	75%	70%	Green
08/2004	85%	77%	Green
09/2004	90%	85%	Green

Commentary (09/2004)

We met 90% of the airspace, procedural, automation, training, and handbook changes necessary to implement RVSM by January 20, 2005., exceeding the goal of achieving 85% of the milestones. The RVSM program has been actively participating in the implementation of RVSM worldwide. We organized and lead the North American RVSM Implementation Steering Committee, which agreed after analysis of preparations, to a simultaneous implementation of RVSM in Canada, Mexico and the United States. This was reported by Secretary Mineta to ICAO. Seminars have been presented in Mexico (4) Costa Rica, Panama, Peru, China (Hong Kong), and Argentina. As a result of this assistance, the entire western hemisphere will implement RVSM on January 20, 2005.