

SEC4.10C – FAA COTS Risk Mitigation Workshop

Audience	Program Management and other employees dealing with NAS systems throughout their lifecycle, especially those assigned to or supporting acquisition programs.
Overview	The FAA Commercial Off-the-Shelf (COTS) Risk Mitigation Workshop is part of the overall ATO Integrated Curriculum on Project/Program Management and System Engineering. It is a follow-up to the FAA Programmatic Risk Management course and addresses the needs of individuals involved in project or program management across the agency, particularly performing system engineers, project managers, and IPT/PT members engaged in acquiring new and supporting already fielded COTS-based systems.
Learning Objectives	<p>At the conclusion of this workshop, participants will be able to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Define the relationship between FAA System Engineering, FAA Programmatic Risk Management and COTS Risk Mitigation▪ Identify COTS-based system risk mitigation strategies and how they are applied during all life cycle phases of the FAA Acquisition Management System (AMS)▪ Analyze the benefits and risks of COTS product use▪ Apply COTS risk mitigation planning strategies and obsolescence risk analysis techniques▪ Assess and communicate COTS product obsolescence risk▪ Collect and analyze market research information.
Instructional Methods	(Contact course POC for information)
Prerequisites	SEC 4.10 - FAA Programmatic Risk Management course
Length	2 day sessions (16 hours)
Location	Refer to ATO web-based Training Tracking System for current locations.
To Register	Register via the ATO web-based Training Tracking System (http://arms.faa.gov/). Print and submit a copy of your training request to your directorate training coordinator.

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Cost No tuition cost to ATO directorate (centrally funded through ATO's Intellectual Capital Investment Council). Travel expenses, if applicable, will be the responsibility of the participant's organization.

Reasonable Accommodation We are committed to providing equal access to this training for our employees with disabilities. Any participant requiring reasonable accommodation should contact his/her directorate training coordinator.

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