

Lost communications procedure

The pilot-in-command (PIC) of the Vector-P UAV, the ground control station operator, and the observer in the chase plane will maintain continuous communication with each other using handheld UHF transceivers. The second communication method will involve the use of cell phones serving as the backup. If communication is lost between any of these three parties, the mission will be aborted and the UAV will be commanded to return to base (RTB) for landing.