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Role of Manufacturers to support Geodetic Infrastructure

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Hexagon's Corporate Strategic Direction



End User - Manufacturer Relationship

What is expected ?

- Deliver / Provide Appropriate products for Measurement tasks
 - Total Stations Mechanical, Automated, Imaging...
 - GNSS GIS, GPS, GNSS, Single Frequency, Multi Frequency
 - Laser Scanners Fixed, Mobile
 - UAS
 - Lasers, Levels, Accessories etc
- Reliable products
 - Local Servicing and scheduled Maintenance, upgradability
- Usable products
 - Simple User Interfaces ... Customised User Interfaces
- Value for money
 - Cost of ownership
- Strong reliable partner...



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GNSS Hardware – "Future Proofing"

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<u>CRS1000</u> : GPS : C1, P2





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What can manufacturers do to further assist with CORS infrastrcture ?

Respond to <u>Requests For Information in order for you to put together a feasible operating CORS.</u>

- Will provide detailed advice on what needs to be considered.
 - Monumentation, Communication, Power
 - Business Models

Some key points to consider...

- GNSS Antennas should rarely be changed. Get antennas that are able to track all planned Satellite Signals now.
- Examine the upgrade path of GNSS Receivers to ensure they are upwards compatible with tracking appropriate Satellite Signals WHEN you need them.
- Get the GNSS receiver to log native RINEX on the sensor and FTP push to central archive store directly. Allows for greater manufacturer interoperability at the Central Server
- Reliable, Robust **Communication** system
- Set up front conditions that when Central Software has additional sites added there is a single fee, not manufacturer independent.





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The "Higgins" Model

Specify

Stations

Network

Process

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Copy of Network

Data Processing

Streams

Production of Data

Data Wholesaling

Retailer Support

Deliver

Deliver Service

- Retail Sale of Data
 Products
- Marketing
- Rover Equipment
 Support
- End User Support
- Liaison with User Comms Providers

Specify System

- Target Density, Coverage, Accuracy, Reliability and Availability
- Site Quality
- Equipment Quality
- Geodetic
 Reference Frame
- Data Services
 Produced
- Data Access Policy

Own Stations

- Site Selection
- Site Construction
- Equipment Purchasing
- Station Data Comms
- Site Maintenance
- Equipment Replacement Cycle

Network the Data

- Data Comms from Network Stations
- Control Centre
- Quality Control of Raw Data
- Data Archive

Governance

HEXAGON



Courtesy of M.Higgins, DERM, QLD, Australia



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Data Flow - Business Model





Agreements



Work Smart Choose Leica SmartNet







Managing Day-Day operations of a CORS Network through provision of Internet based GNSS Products:

- Monitoring of CORS Data Streams
- Real Time Streaming (RTCM) of Single Base and Network RTK services via NTRIP
- Providing RINEX download service and Coordinate computation through RINEX upload
- Sharing in the user generated revenue to owners and operators of infrastructure

SmartNet UK has been operational from Jan 2006(10.5 years)SmartNet AUS operational since Nov 2010(6 years)





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CORS Project References

Regional

916 Sites Managed with Leica Spider Suite of Software

Jenoba in Japan 600/1300 Sites





CORS Project References









CORS Project References Americas

>1,100 Sites

36 US States 8 Canadian Provinces

...Mexico coming soon







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