



Systems Engineering Analysis Cohort 24 (SEA-24)

“High Altitude ASW for the P-8A”

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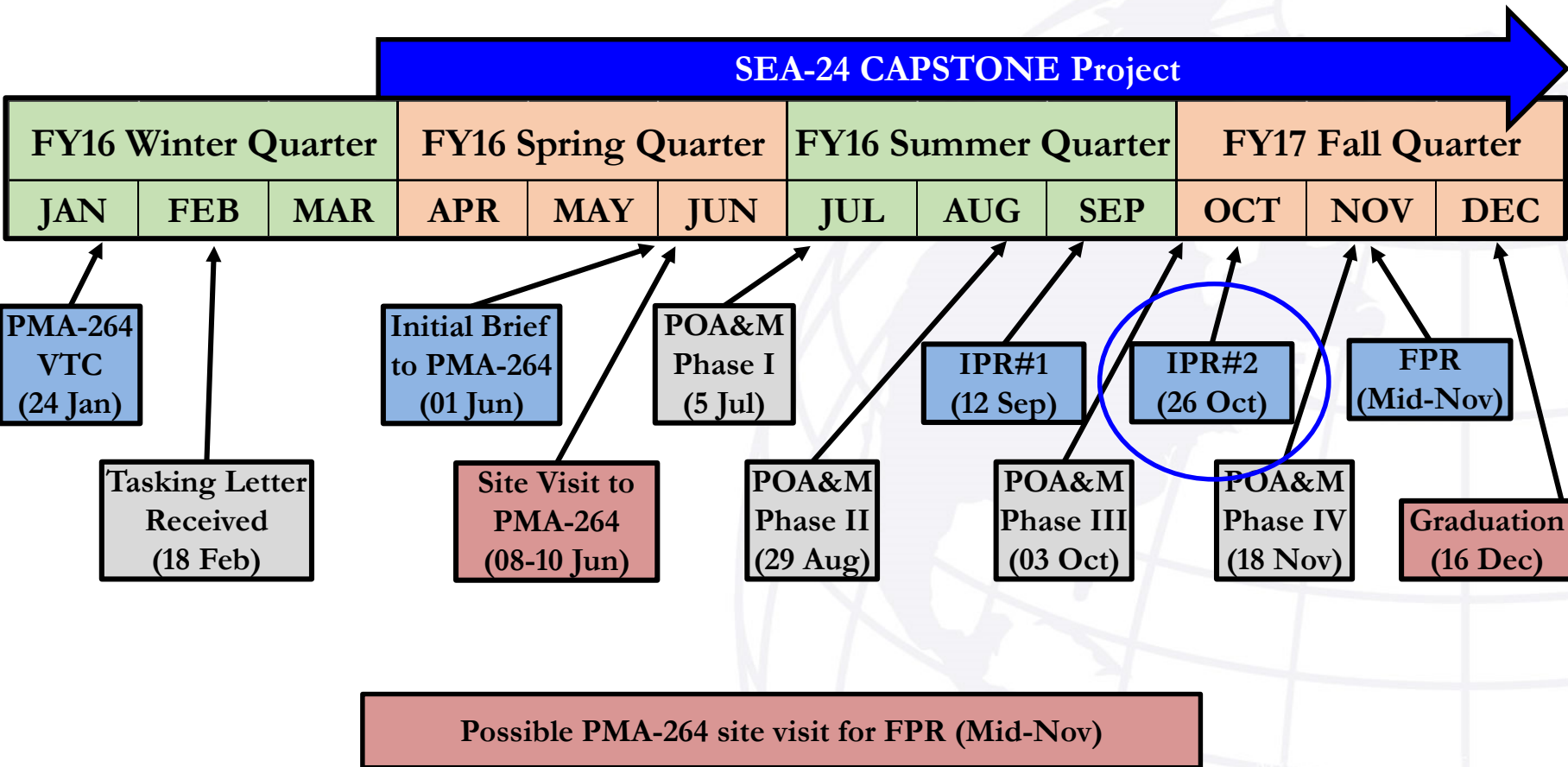


CAPSTONE Timeline



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| Briefing |
| Project Deliverable |
| Travel |





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(U) Scoped Tasking:

(U) SEA-24 will investigate a systems of systems (SoS) centered around the P-8A Poseidon and the Coyote® Unmanned Targeting Air System (UTAS) with MAD sensor in an attempt to reduce the time to Find, Fix, Track, Target, and Engage (F2T2E) a submarine while carefully considering cost, operator task saturation, P-8A sonobouy storage capacity, and projected technological advancements in the 2025-2030 timeframe to ensure each system architecture is a viable system in support of High Altitude ASW (HAASW) operations.



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(U) Phase III: Development of Alternative Solutions

- **Finalize Key Performance Parameters (KPP)**
- **Generate System Design Alternatives**
- **Conduct Analysis of Design Alternatives (AoA)**
- **Cost Analysis of Alternatives**

(U) Completion: 30 October 2016



Scenario Recap



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Scenario Description (SIPR)



What does this mean?



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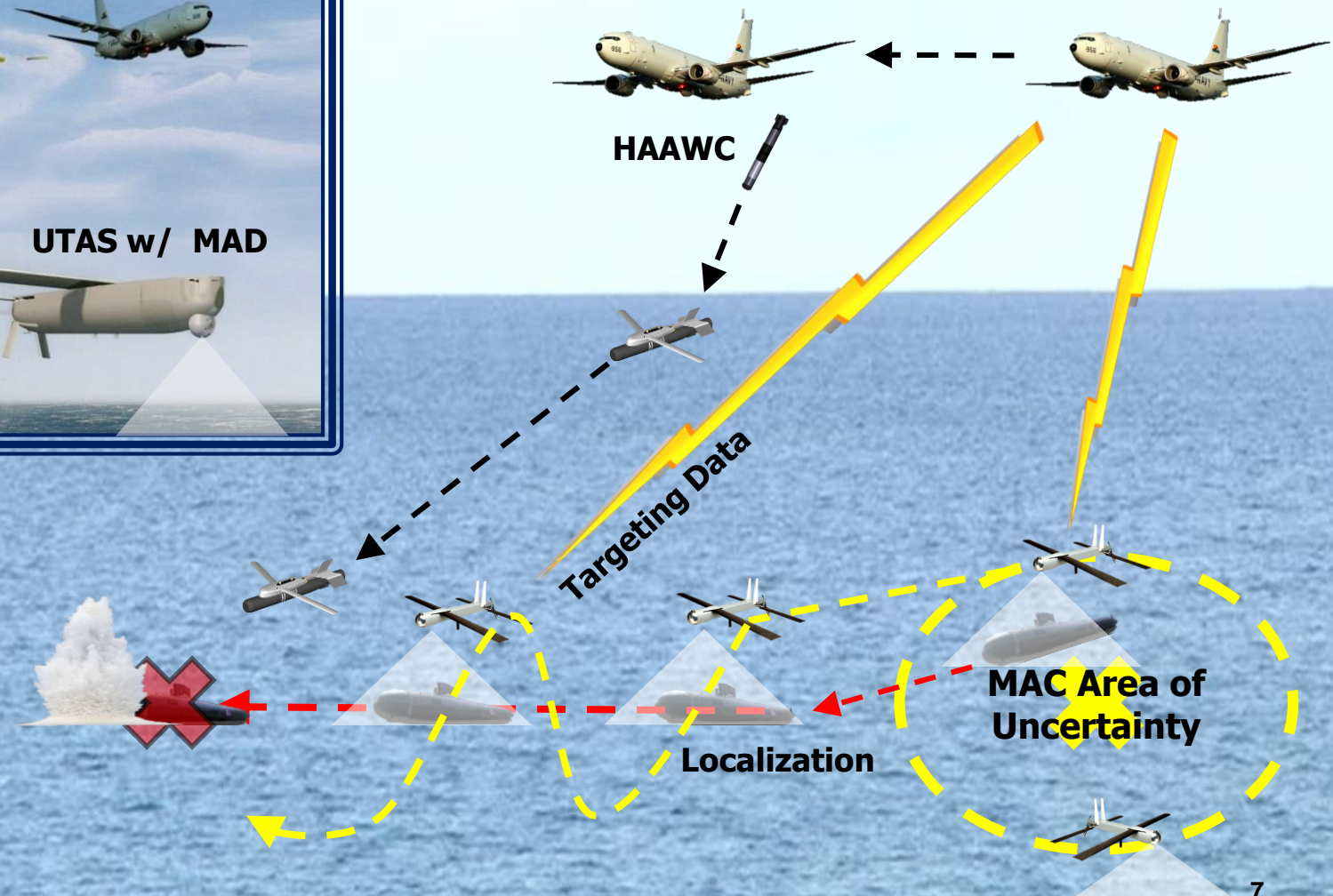
(U) SEA-24 must develop a System of Systems design where system architecture becomes the focus of the analysis.

- (U) How can we employ a UTAS with MAD sensor to sufficiently support the P-8A during High Altitude ASW (HAASW) operations?
- (U) How can we reduce the time required to Find, Fix, Track, Target, and Engage a submarine with a P-8A?
- (U) What becomes the more important UTAS performance trait for each SoS architecture design?
 - UTAS speed vs. UTAS endurance

(U) Is a SoS employing UTAS with MAD better than the current doctrine of using DIFAR/DICASS sonobuoys in the Find, Fix, Track, Target, and Engage sequence in terms of time, mission cost, and added functionality to the P-8A ASW mission?

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High Altitude ASW w/ P-8A





Critical Operational Issues



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| COI | Issue | Question |
|-----|--------------------------|---|
| 1 | Endurance | Are the achievable SWaP endurance rates of a UTAS platform sufficient to support effective P-8A ASW operations? |
| 2 | Transportability | Can the UTAS platform be stored and launched from a P-8A platform to support effective ASW operations? |
| 3 | Compatibility | Is the UTAS platform compatible with P-8A ASW mission and communication systems? |
| 4 | Command and Control (C2) | Can UTAS provide sufficient information to support effective P-8A ASW operations? |
| 5 | Speed | Can the UTAS platform operate at sufficient speeds to support effective P-8A ASW operations? |
| 6 | Automation | Can the UTAS platform operate autonomously in support of effective P-8A ASW operations? |
| 7 | Employment | Can the UTAS platform be readily employed from the P-8A platform to support effective ASW operations? |
| 8 | Survivability | Can the UTAS platform survive a challenging electromagnetic (EM) and physical environment? |
| 9 | Reliability | Does UTAS platform reliability align with the required reliability for P-8A ASW operations? |
| 10 | Availability | Does UTAS platform availability align with the required availability for P-8A ASW operations? |



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(U) Key Performance Parameters mapped to applicable MOE/MOP will be focus point of modeling/simulation and follow-on analysis

(U) Primary KPP: Time to Complete F2T2E

- MOE 7.1 – Effectiveness of system at ASW operations given varying architectures
 - MOP 7.1.3 – Mean time to complete F2T2E

(U) Secondary KPP: Probability of Detection

- MOE 7.1 – Effectiveness of system at ASW operations given varying architectures
 - MOP 7.1.1 – Total probability of detection given architecture
 - MOP 7.1.2 – Mean time to lay MAC field

(U) Tertiary KPP: Endurance

- MOE 1.1 – UTAS operational endurance
 - MOP 1.1.2 – Probability of detection given UTAS endurance

(U) CAIV: Cost as an Independent Variable



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(U) Extensive list of potential variables for DoE explored. Four critical variables selected based on stakeholder desires to minimize simulation and maximize analysis output.

(U) Design Variables

- **UTAS endurance:**
60, 90, 120, 150 (minutes)
- **UTAS speed:**
70, 85, 100, 115 (knots)
- **Sub speed:**
3, 6.5, 10 (knots)
- **Number of MAC “hits”:**
TBD

(U) Design Constants

- **Op Area dimensions**
- **# MAC buoys**
- **P-8A sonobuoy storage**
- **MAD sweep width**
- **P-8A on-station time**
- **UTAS SWaP**
- **P-8A speed**



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- **(U) Type of sound propagation ignored**
 - Treated as “event” within simulation model

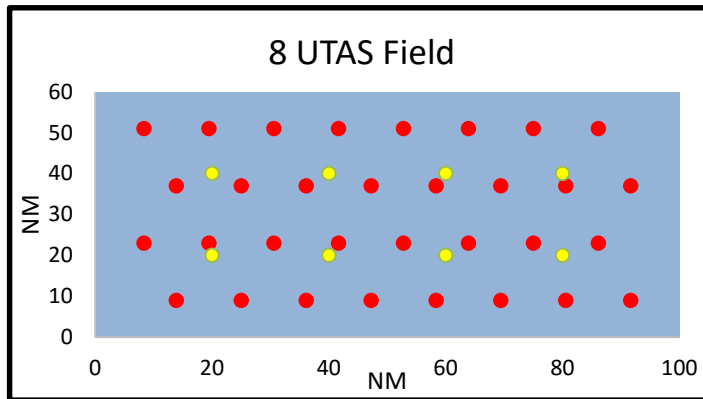
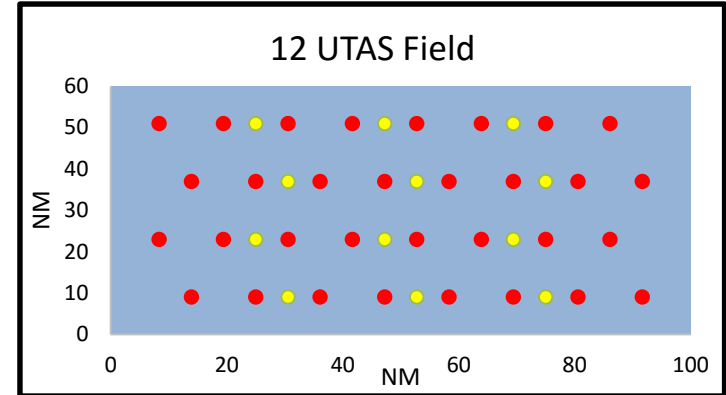
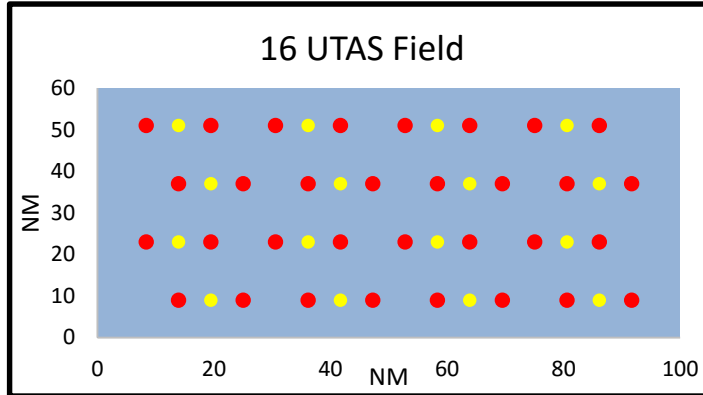
- **(U) Probability of False Alarm (P_f) ignored**
 - Treated as a MAC event with projected MAD P_d for each event

- **(U) Battery power/life assumed to peak at 2.5 hours**
 - Projected estimate to the 2025-2030 timeframe

- **(U) AN/SSQ-125 (MAC) “Field” pattern & distances set as constant**
 - Initial MAC Area of Uncertainty (AOU) set as constant (**XX** meters)

- **(U) 32-36 UTAS allocated for total P-8A mission**
 - Based upon 129 total SLC storage

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1. Laying 16 UTAS with MAC
2. Laying 12 UTAS with MAC
3. Laying 8 UTAS with MAC
4. P-8A fly to and Deploy 1
5. P-8A fly to and Deploy 2
6. P-8A fly to and Deploy 3
7. P-8A fly to and Deploy 4
8. P-8A fly to and localize with DIFAR/DICASS

(U) Time-based model analyzing F2T2E sequence across multiple architectures using a Design of Experiments of critical input factors



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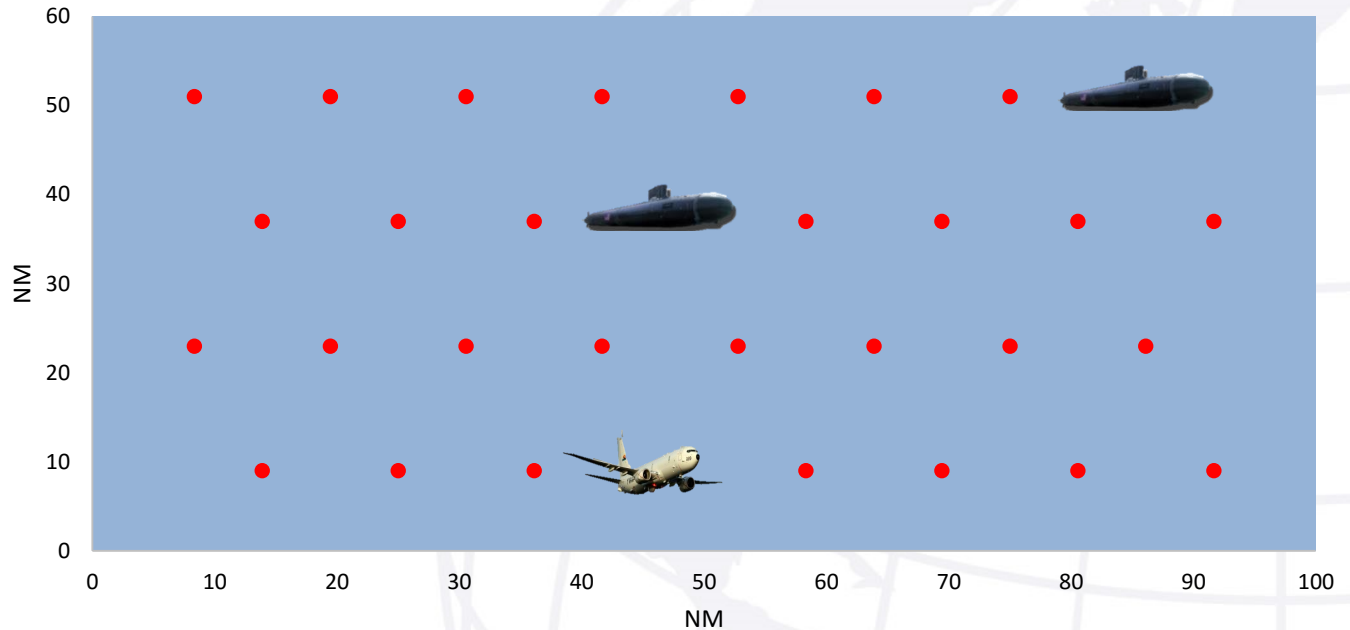
(U) Building the Buoy Field

| SSQ-125 | X | Y | Time |
|---------|----------|----|----------|
| 1 | 13.88889 | 9 | 0 |
| 2 | 25 | 9 | 0.031746 |
| 3 | 36.11111 | 9 | 0.063492 |
| 4 | 47.22222 | 9 | 0.095238 |
| 5 | 58.33333 | 9 | 0.126984 |
| 6 | 69.44444 | 9 | 0.15873 |
| 7 | 80.55556 | 9 | 0.190476 |
| 8 | 91.66667 | 9 | 0.222222 |
| 9 | 86.11111 | 23 | 0.265257 |
| 10 | 75 | 23 | 0.297003 |
| 11 | 63.88889 | 23 | 0.328749 |
| 12 | 52.77778 | 23 | 0.360495 |
| 13 | 41.66667 | 23 | 0.392241 |
| 14 | 30.55556 | 23 | 0.423987 |
| 15 | 19.44444 | 23 | 0.455733 |
| 16 | 8.333333 | 23 | 0.487479 |
| 17 | 13.88889 | 37 | 0.530513 |
| 18 | 25 | 37 | 0.562259 |
| 19 | 36.11111 | 37 | 0.594005 |
| 20 | 47.22222 | 37 | 0.625751 |
| 21 | 58.33333 | 37 | 0.657497 |
| 22 | 69.44444 | 37 | 0.689243 |
| 23 | 80.55556 | 37 | 0.720989 |
| 24 | 91.66667 | 37 | 0.752735 |
| 25 | 86.11111 | 51 | 0.79577 |
| 26 | 75 | 51 | 0.827516 |
| 27 | 63.88889 | 51 | 0.859262 |
| 28 | 52.77778 | 51 | 0.891008 |
| 29 | 41.66667 | 51 | 0.922754 |
| 30 | 30.55556 | 51 | 0.9545 |
| 31 | 19.44444 | 51 | 0.986246 |
| 32 | 8.333333 | 51 | 1.017992 |
| Center | 50 | 30 | 1.151305 |

| UTAS | | |
|-----------|----|-------|
| Speed | 70 | NM/hr |
| Endurance | 2 | hr |

| P-8A | | |
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| On Station | 5 | hr |
| Speed | 350 | NM/hr |

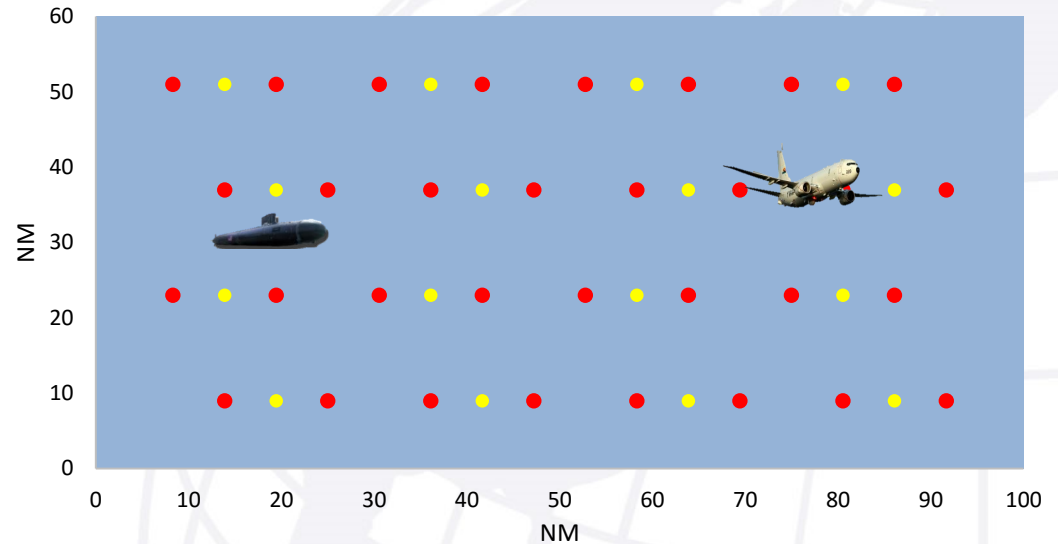
| Enemy Sub | |
|-----------|----------|
| X | 91.23797 |
| Y | 31.09635 |
| Time | 0.109312 |



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(U) Laying the Buoy Field with UTAS

| UTAS | X | Y | Fly to Sub |
|------|-------------|----|------------|
| 1 | 19.44444444 | 9 | 0.274178 |
| 2 | 41.66666667 | 9 | 0.586602 |
| 3 | 63.88888889 | 9 | 0.902548 |
| 4 | 86.11111111 | 9 | 1.219281 |
| 5 | 80.55555556 | 23 | 1.14514 |
| 6 | 58.33333333 | 23 | 0.830471 |
| 7 | 36.11111111 | 23 | 0.519214 |
| 8 | 13.88888889 | 23 | 0.225931 |
| 9 | 19.44444444 | 37 | 0.422365 |
| 10 | 41.66666667 | 37 | 0.66882 |
| 11 | 63.88888889 | 37 | 0.958024 |
| 12 | 86.11111111 | 37 | 1.260898 |
| 13 | 80.55555556 | 51 | 1.254816 |
| 14 | 58.33333333 | 51 | 0.976166 |
| 15 | 36.11111111 | 51 | 0.729932 |
| 16 | 13.88888889 | 51 | 0.560592 |

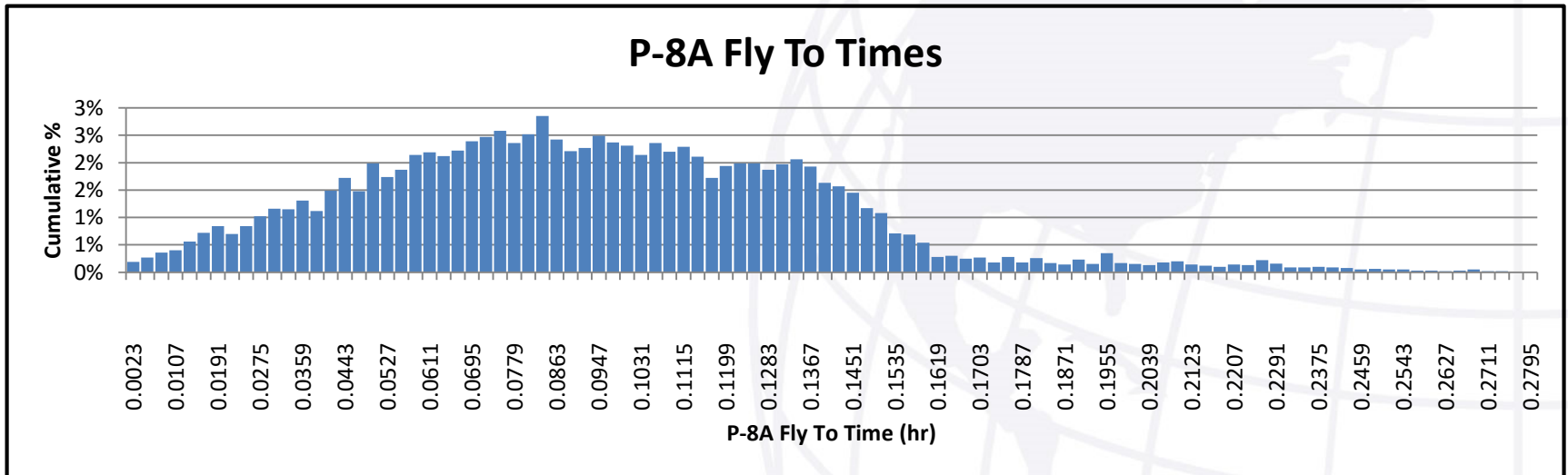
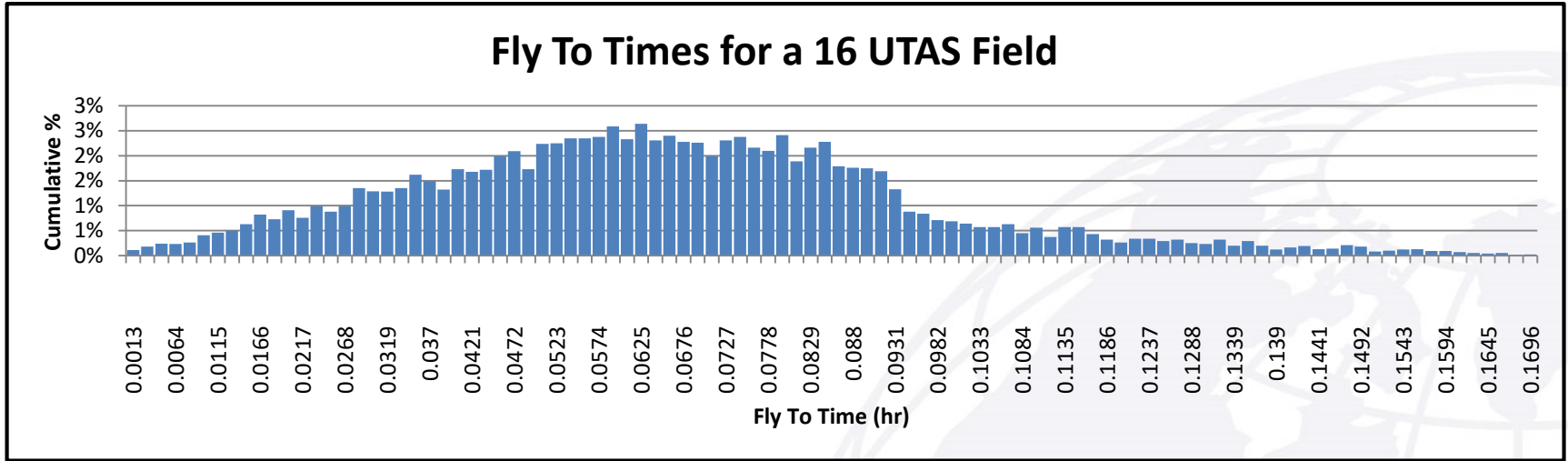




Distribution of Fly To Times



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(U) Origin:

- The Flaming Datum problem is one of relocating an enemy target that is fleeing after momentarily revealing its position (i.e. submarine engagement)
- Time-varying area resulting from latency of ASW asset on-station time

(U) Why is it relevant to our problem?:

- We have very accurate information about the specific location of the submarine at a specific point in time (MAC 'hit' Datum)

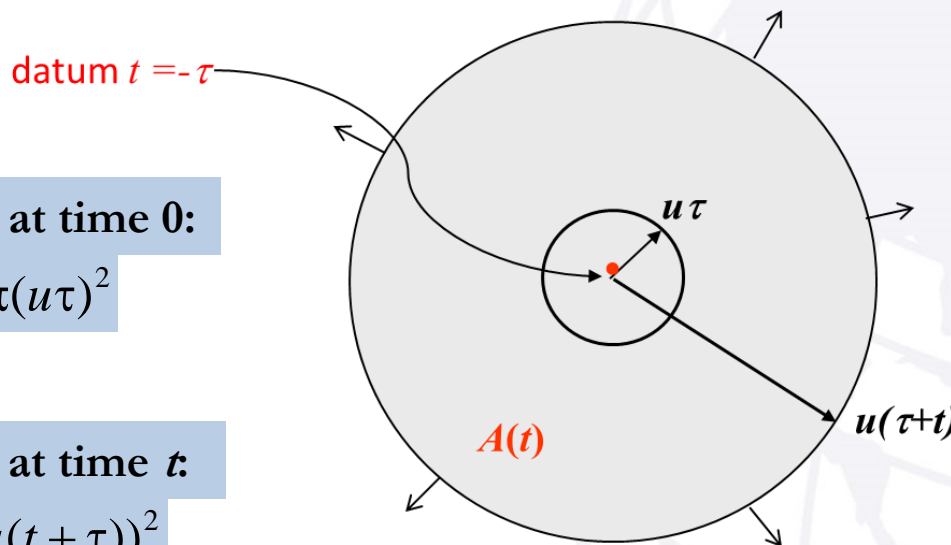
(U) Challenge:

- How can we get ASW asset to the MAC Datum as quickly as possible?

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(U) How does it work?:

- Consider target detected at random time at a random location
- Target begins evading at constant speed in random direction which can change at any time
- Searcher arrives at a calculated time late and commences random search at chosen speed
- At $t = 0$, target is located somewhere in a MAC AOU circle, centered at datum, of radius determined from calculated time latency



- Target evasion speed, u
- Search speed, v
- Time late, τ

Search area at time 0:

$$A(0) = \pi(u\tau)^2$$

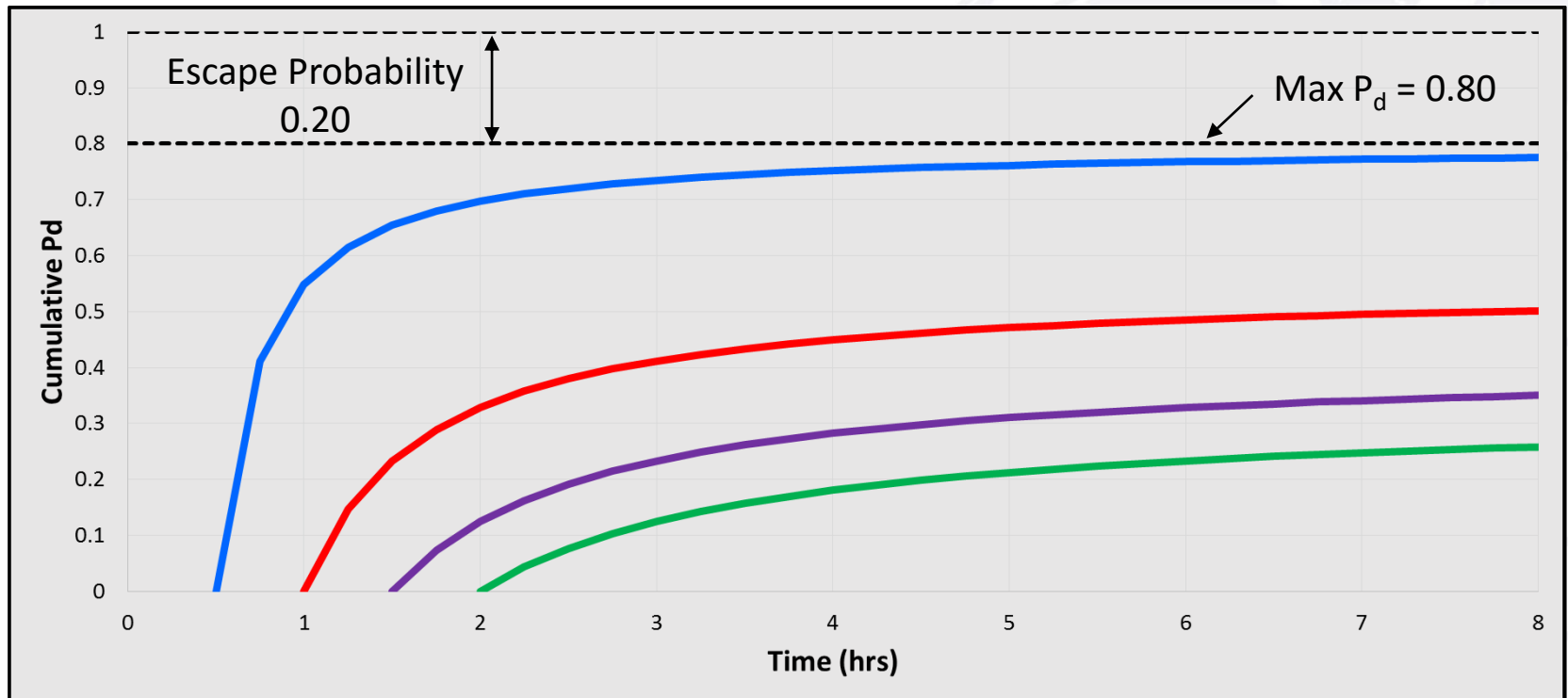
Search area at time t :

$$A(t) = \pi(u(t + \tau))^2$$

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$$F_T(t) = 1 - \exp\left(-\frac{wv}{\pi u^2} \left(\frac{1}{\tau} - \frac{1}{\tau + t}\right)\right)$$

- Target evasion speed, u
- Search speed, v
- Time late, τ
- Sweep width, w



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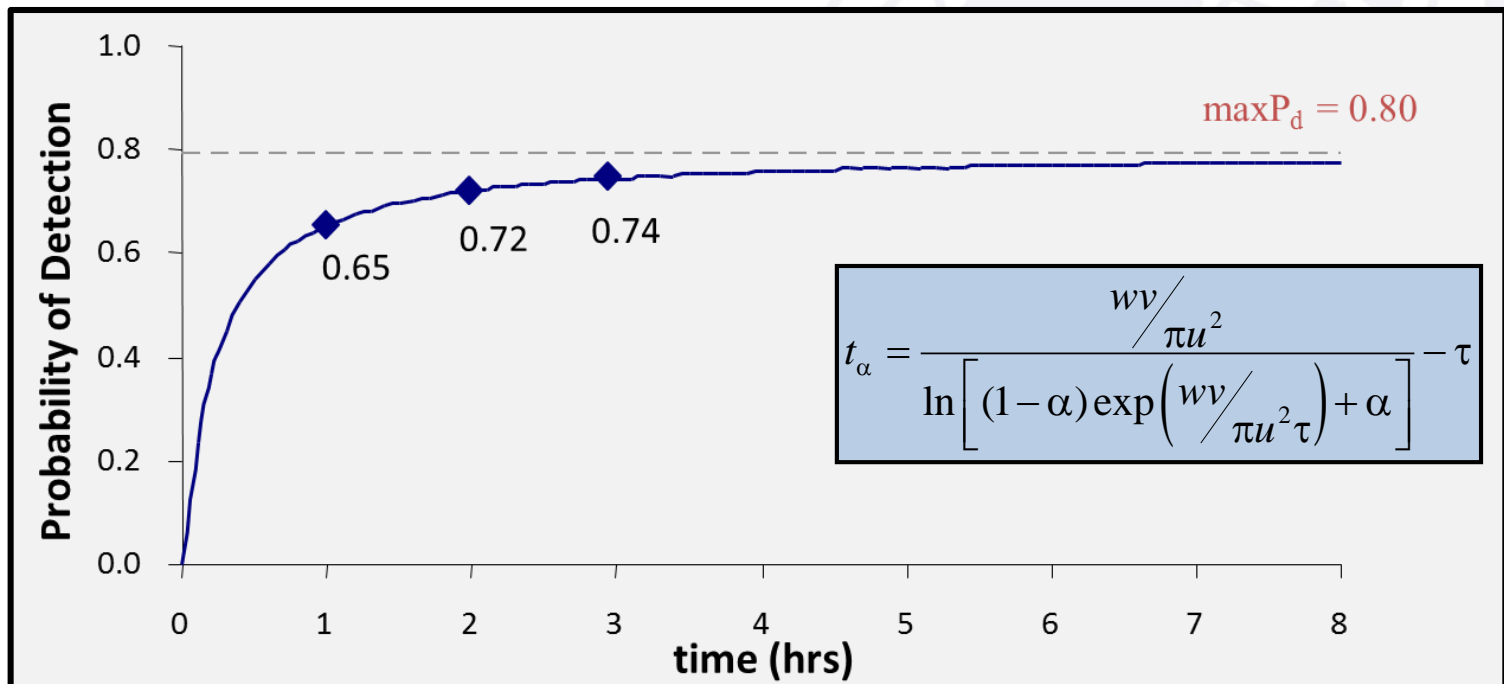
(U) “Knee of the curve” or “diminishing returns”?

82% of $\max P_d$ is attained after 1 hour of search

90% of $\max P_d$ after 2 hours

93% of $\max P_d$ after 3 hours

- An infinite amount of time is needed to get the remaining %





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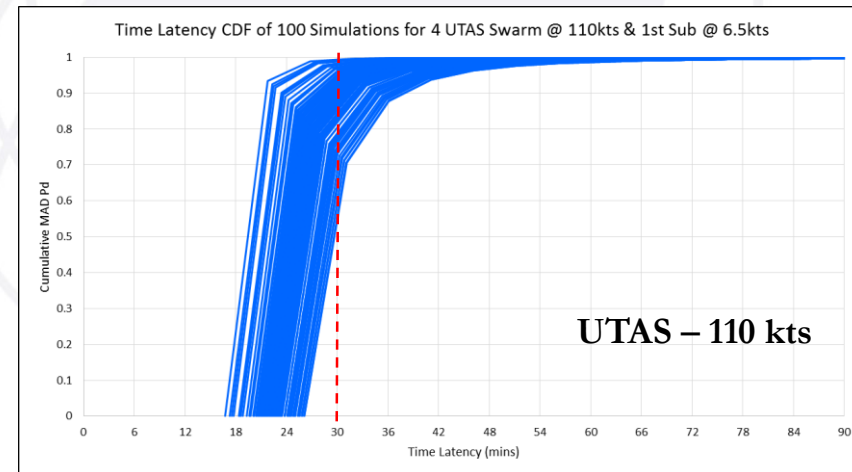
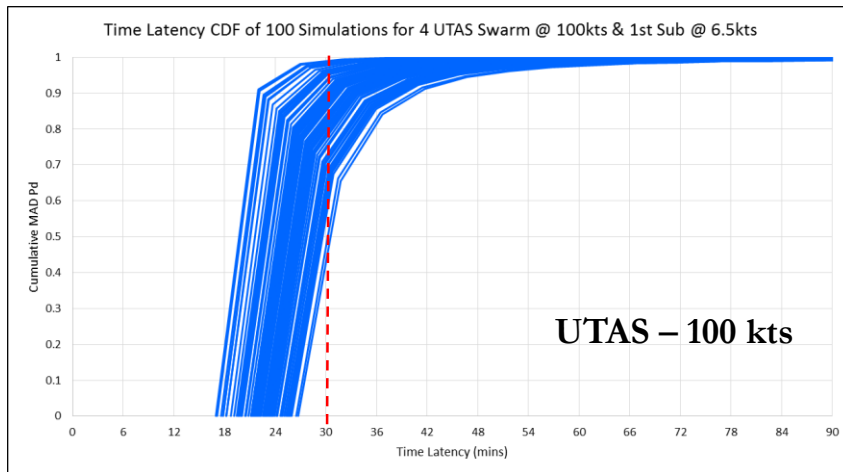
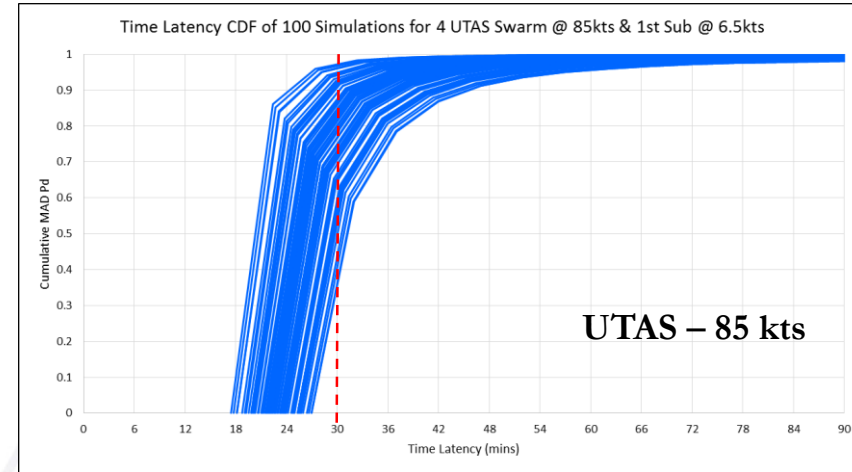
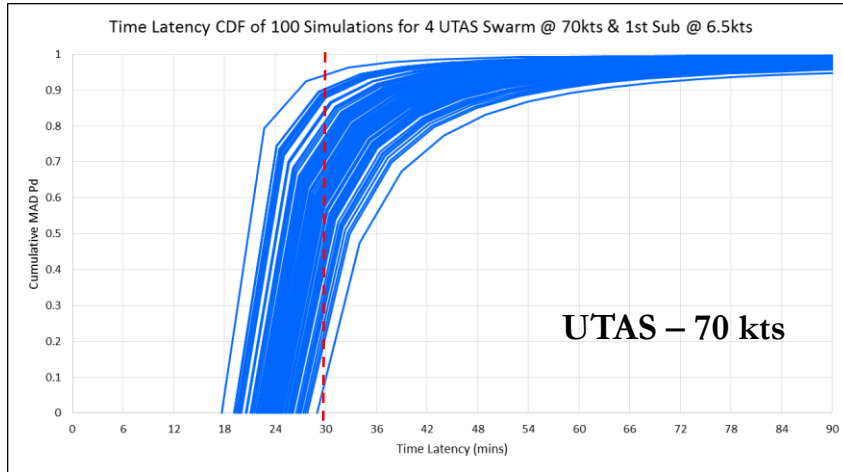
MAD Sweep Width/Depth (SIPR)



2x Swarm & 1 Sub 6.5kts



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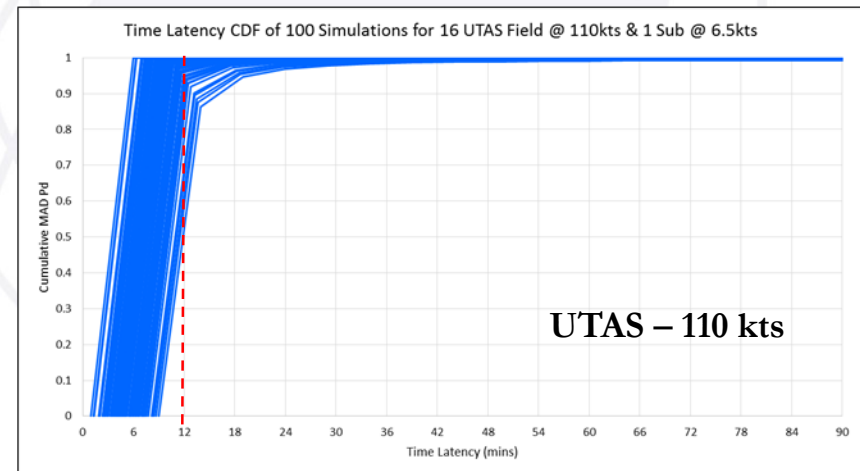
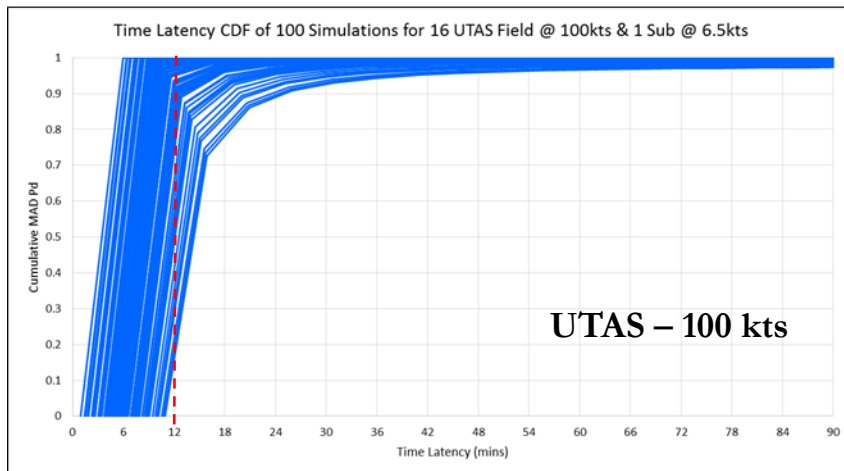
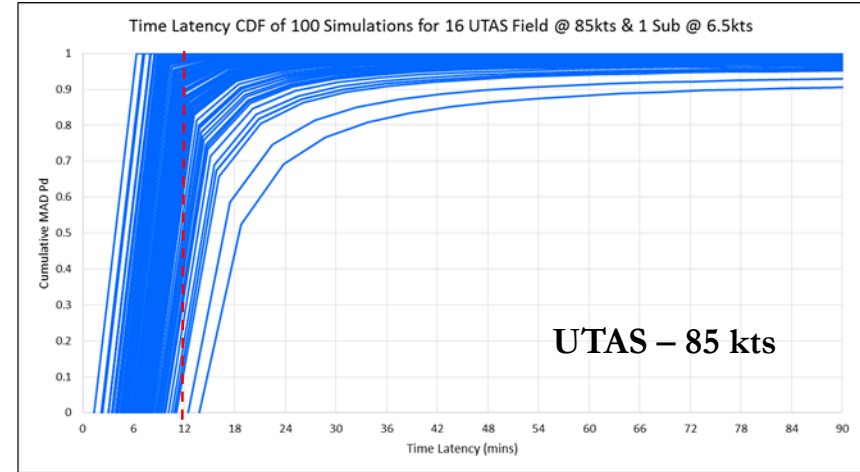
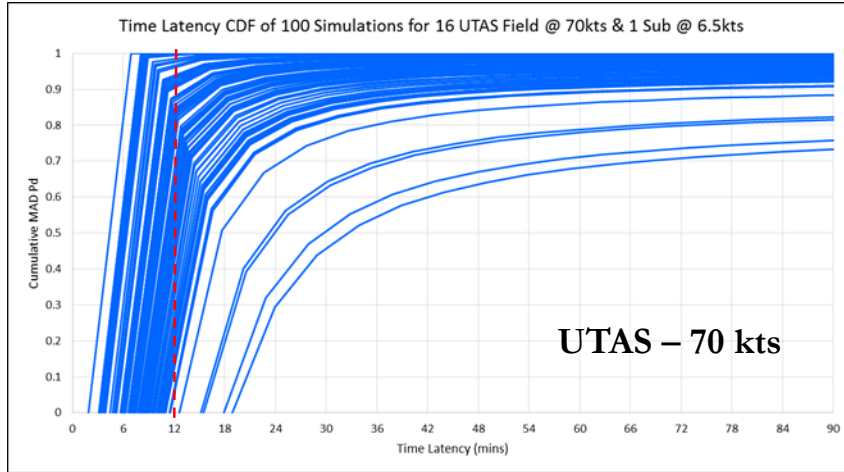




16x Field & 1 Sub 6.5 kts



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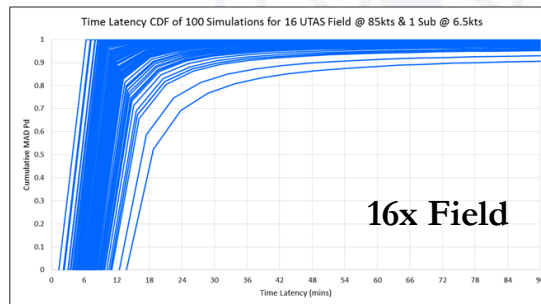
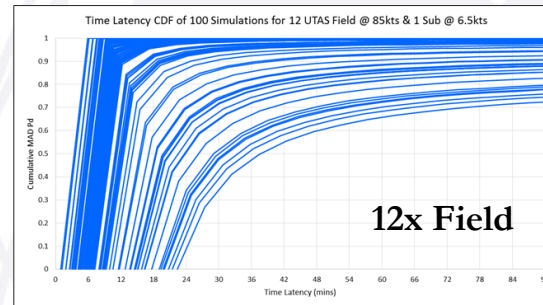
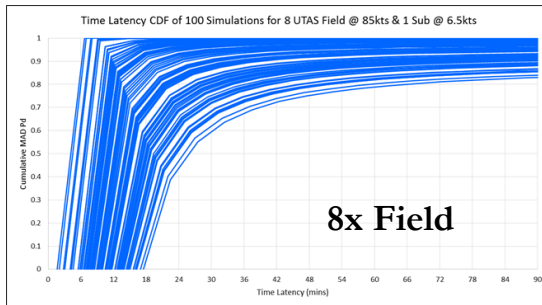
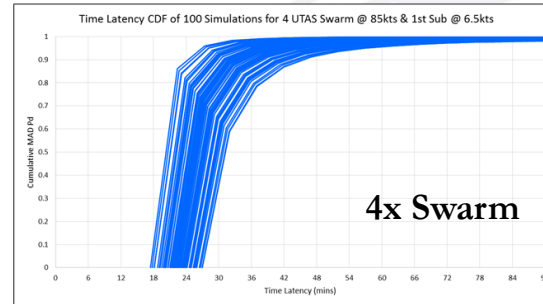
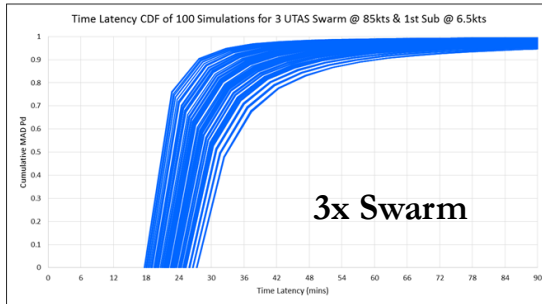
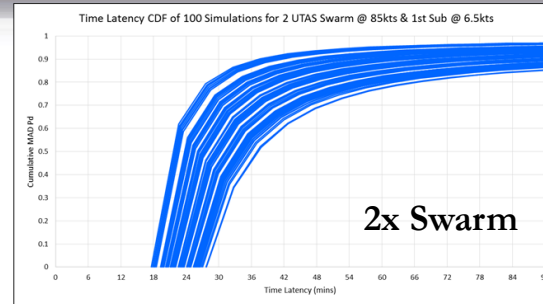
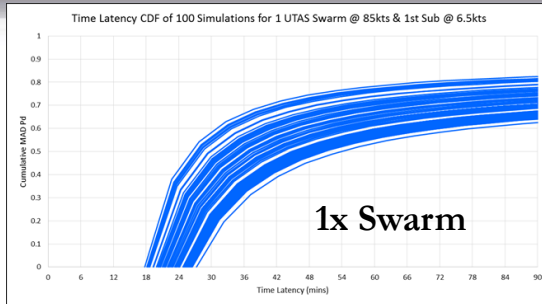




Architecture Comparison



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UTAS - 85kts
Sub - 6.5kts

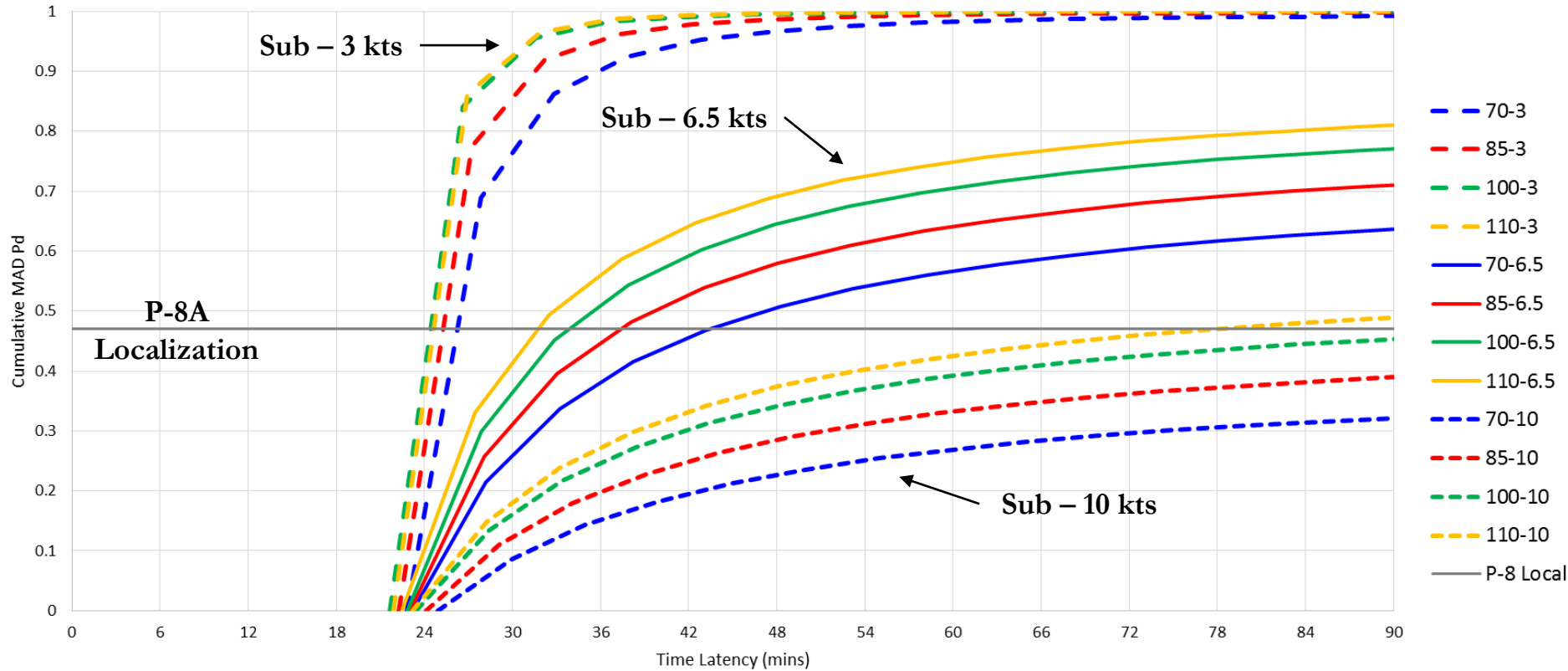


Comparison for 1x Swarm



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Time Latency CDF Comparison of 100 Simulations for 1 UTAS Swarm



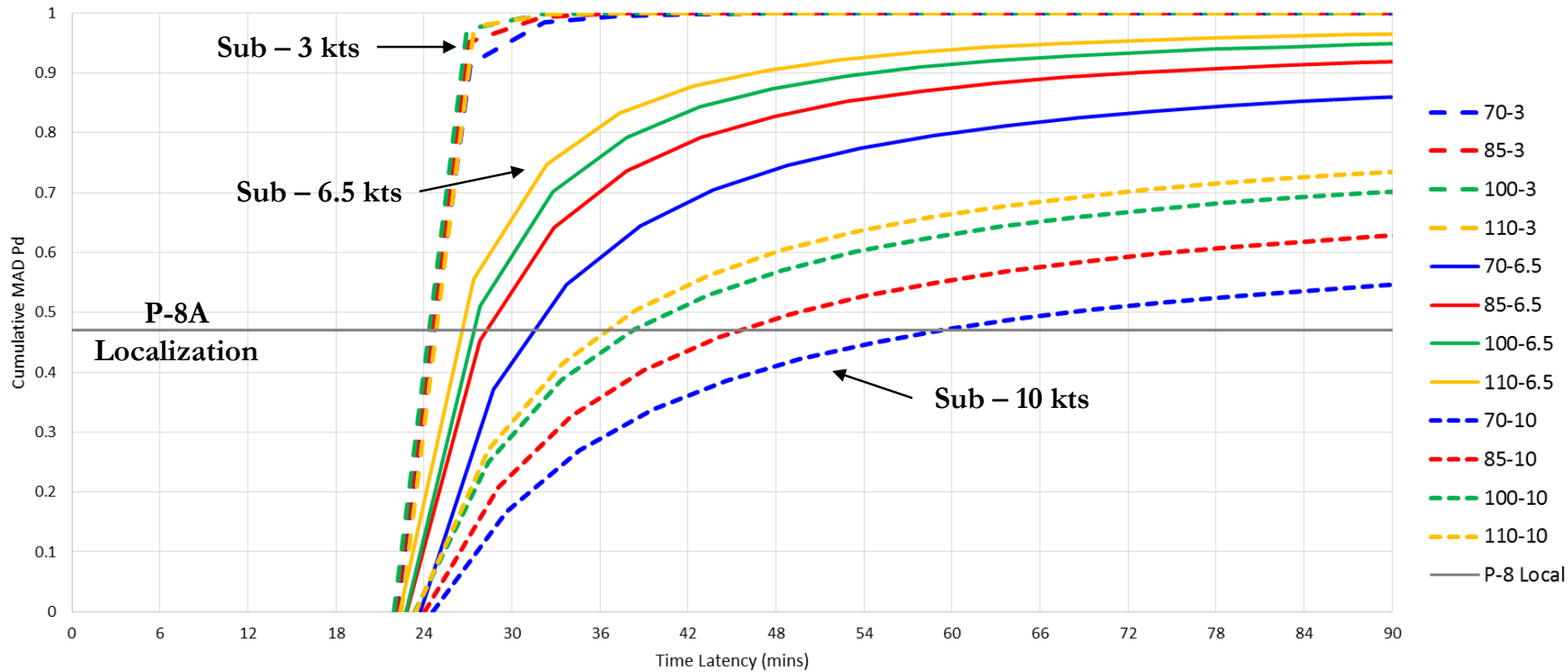


Comparison for 2x Swarm



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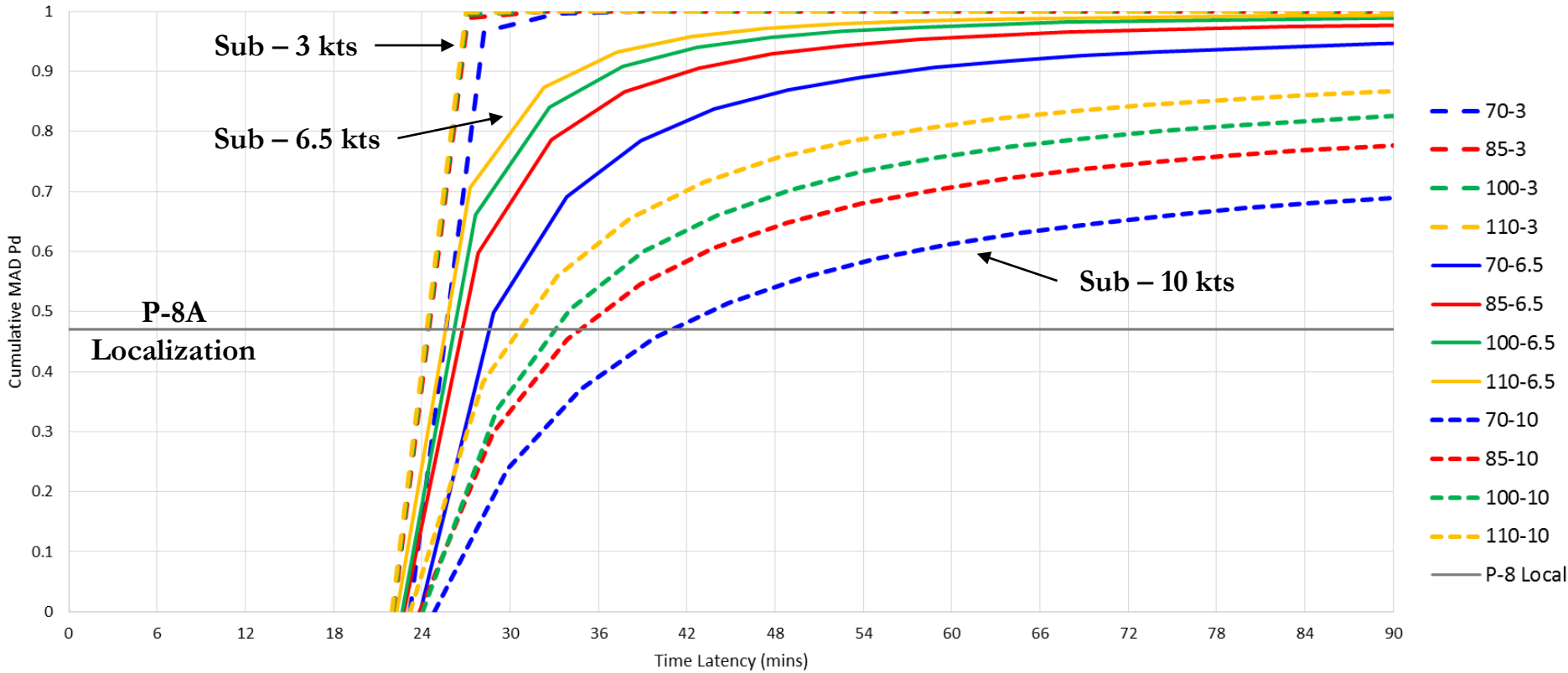


Comparison for 3x Swarm



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Time Latency CDF Comparison of 100 Simulations for 3 UTAS Swarm



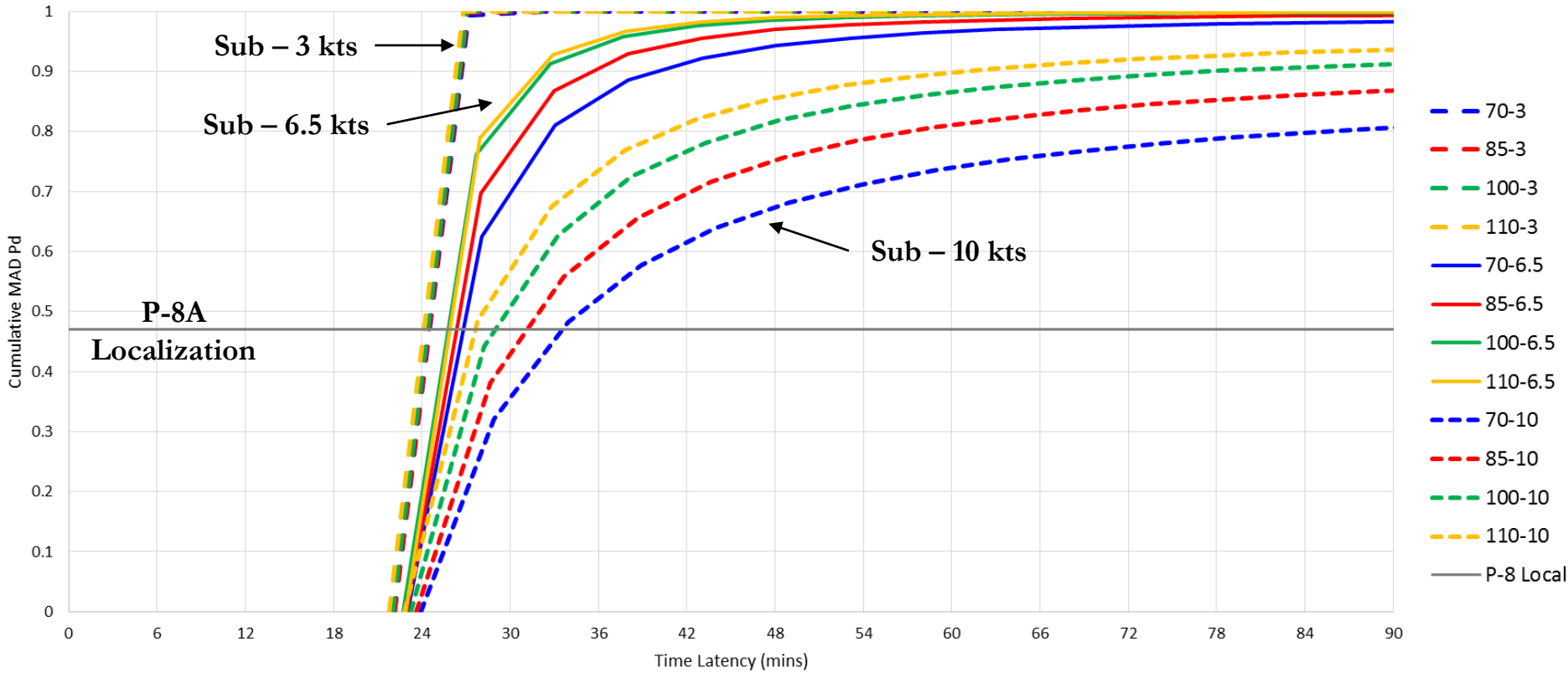


Comparison for 4x Swarm



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Time Latency CDF Comparison of 100 Simulations for 4 UTAS Swarm

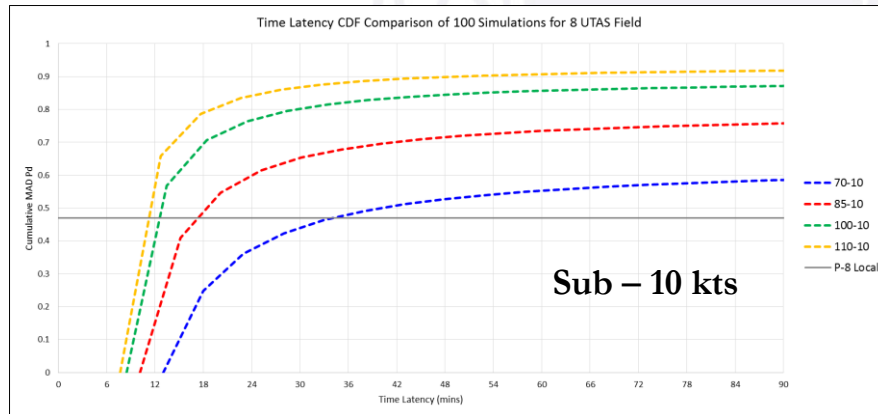
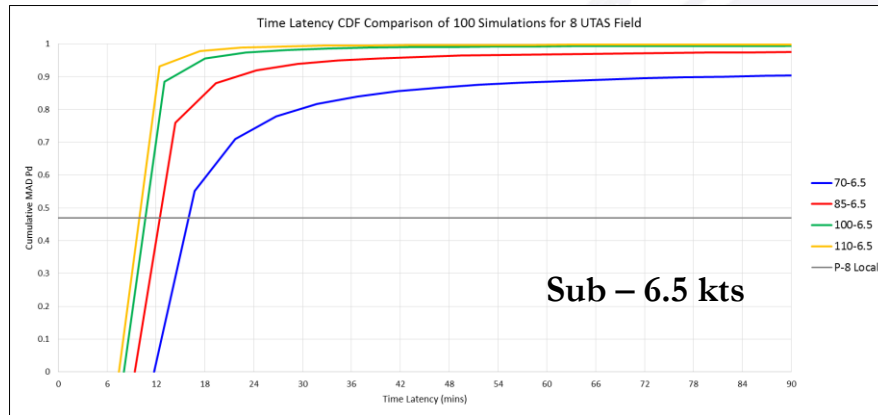
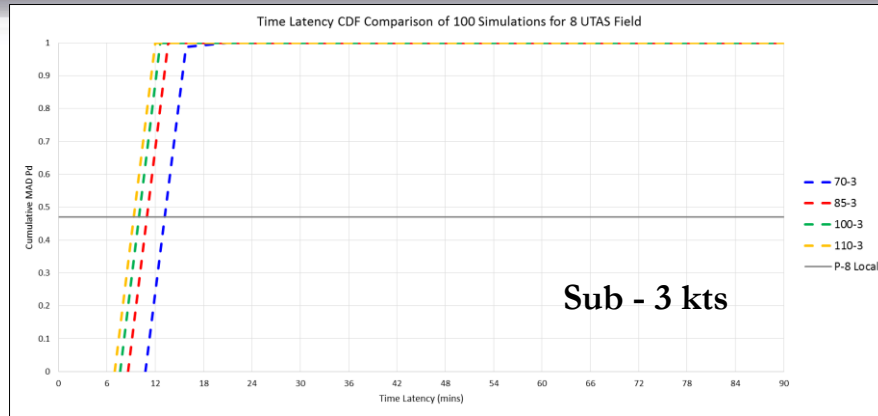




Comparison for 8x Field



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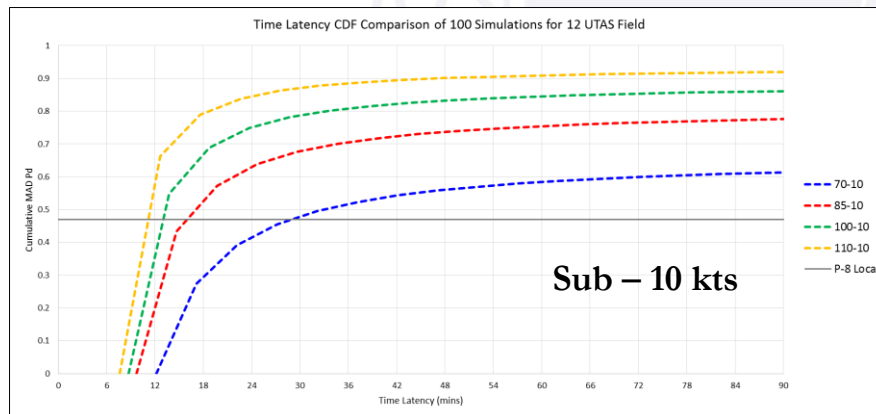
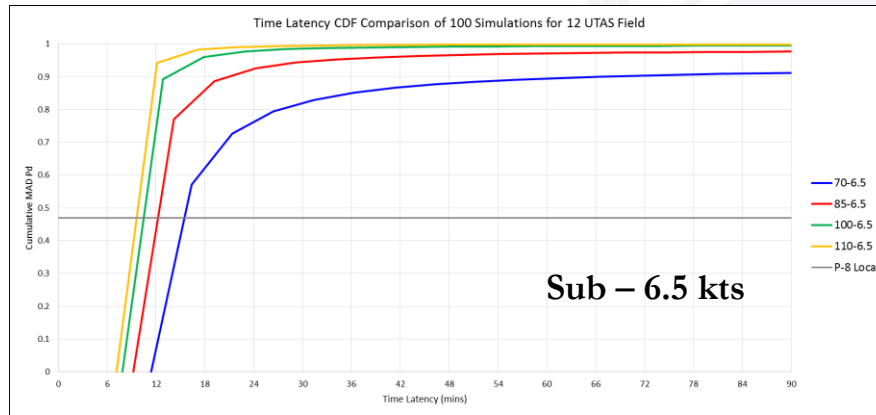
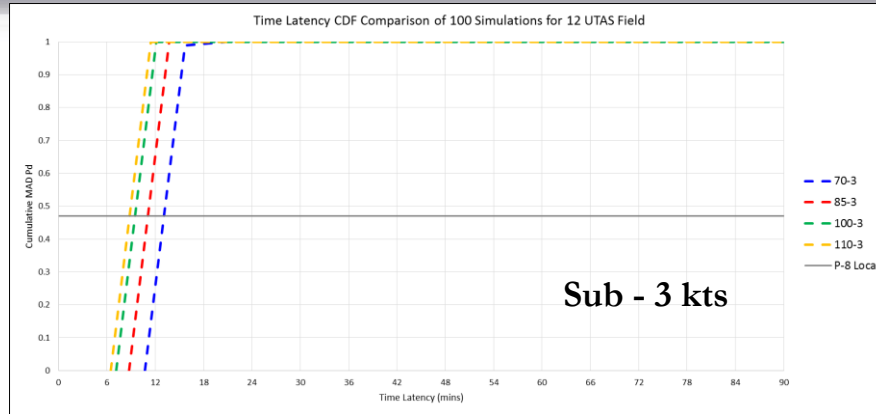




Comparison for 12x Field



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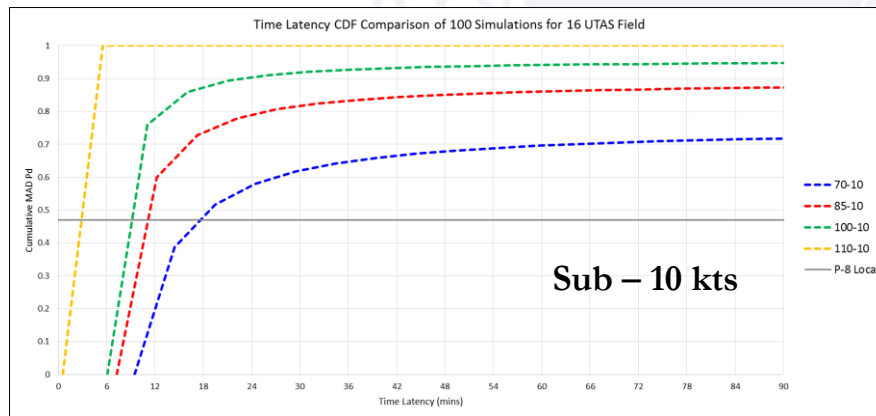
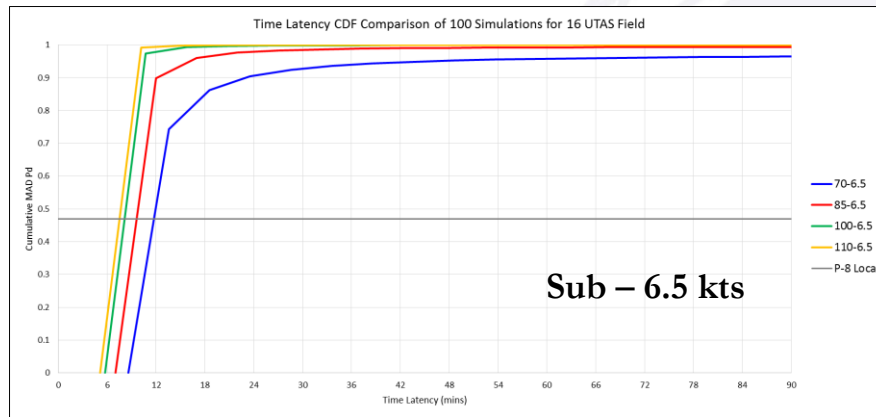
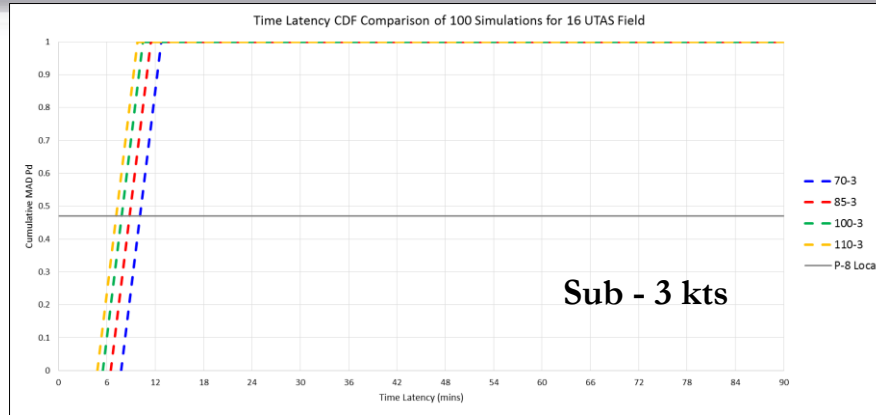




Comparison for 16x Field



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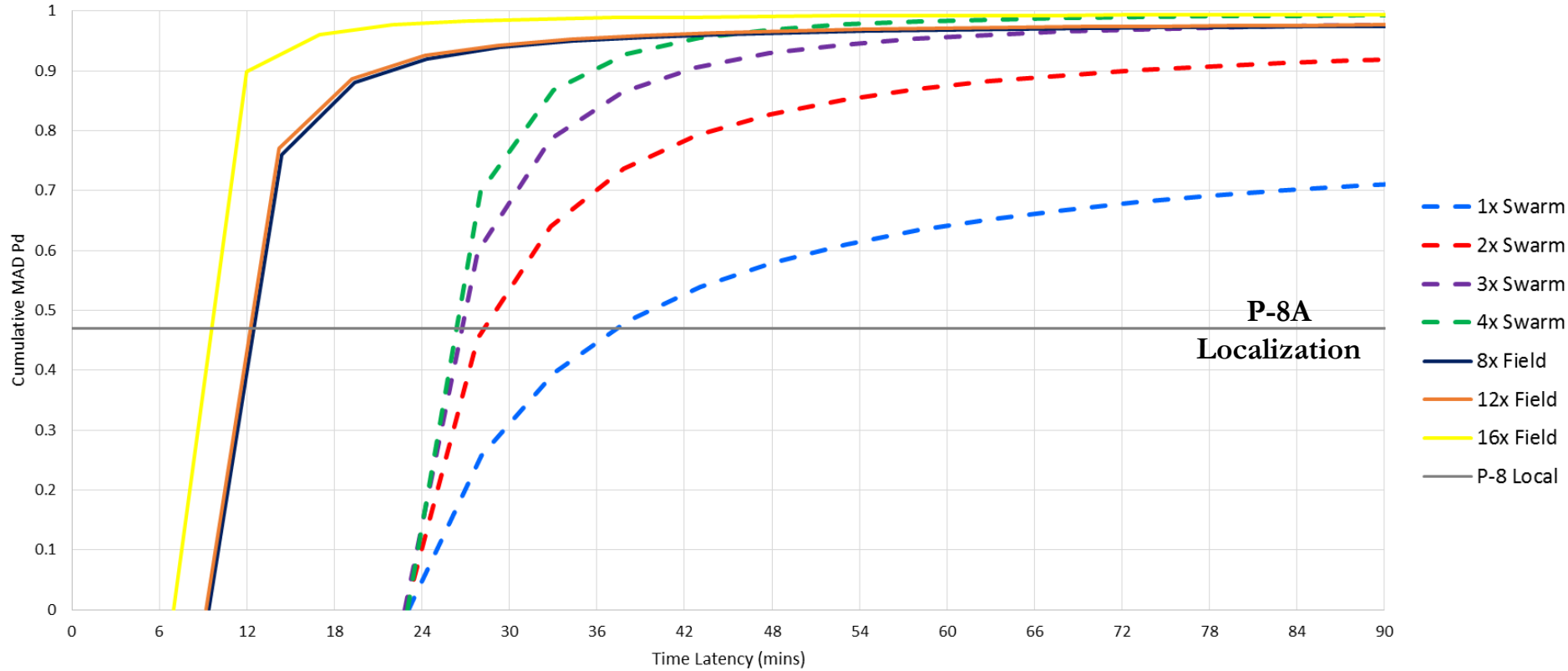


Architecture Comparison



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Time Latency CDF Comparison of 100 Simulations for UTAS @ 85kts & 1 Sub @ 6.5kts



P-8A
Localization



Future Analysis Goals



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- (U) Incorporate UTAS Endurance into model & analysis
- (U) Incorporate multiple MAC “hits” into model & analysis
- (U) Utilize Minitab program for further analysis of time latency
- (U) Analyze impact of 2nd, 3rd, and 4th best UTAS employment
- (U) Complete minimization analysis to determine most effective UTAS positioning for each field architecture
- (U) Analyze the mean time to lay the MAC field
- (U) Complete architecture cost comparison analysis



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(U) Phase IV: Completion of Report/Analysis

- **Validate Capability w/ Gap Analysis**
- **Build Decision Matrix of Alternatives**
- **Discuss POM Implications**
- **Complete Final Report**

(U) Completion: 18 November 2016



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Initial Project Brief

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(U) 12 September 2016

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(U) In Progress

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(U) Mid-November



Questions?



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