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COSPAS-SARSAT
French
Mission
Control Centre

Summary of FMCC activity May 2018

MOST IMPORTANT KEY FIGURES:

22	persons rescued thanks to COSPAS-SARSAT in FMCC service area
9	person(s), COSPAS-SARSAT as the only mean of distress
13	person(s), COSPAS-SARSAT as the first mean of distress

423	alerts in FMCC's service area
12	distress alerts
165	false alerts
244	undetermined alerts
2	planned tests

DISSEMINATION OF ALERTS:

(Located in FMCC's service area + Unlocated with a Country Code belonging to FMCC's service area)

	Distress	False alert	Undetermined
EPIRB	5	42	111
ELT	5	117	110
PLB	2	6	23

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pour
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DAM – DSNA – CNES

FMCC contact :

Administrative matter: fmcc@cnes.fr
Only in open hour (08h30 – 18h30 – UTC+1)

Operational matter (result): fmcc.ops@cnes.fr

Keep in attention that e-mail is not an operational mean of communication with FMCC

I. ALERTS IN FMCC SERVICE AREA



FMCC service area covers maritime and aeronautical search and rescue areas of France and overseas territories (excluding New Caledonia) and maritime and aeronautical search and rescue areas for the following countries and territories:

Europe : Azores, Germany, Andorra, Austria, Belgium, Gibraltar, Liechtenstein, Luxembourg, Madeira, Monaco, Netherlands, Portugal, Switzerland;
Africa: Chad, Djibouti, Morocco, Tunisia;
Caribbean: Anguilla, Antigua & Barbuda, Dominica, Montserrat, Saint Kitts & Nevis, Sainte Lucia, Surinam.
Indian Ocean: Comoros, Madagascar, Mauritius.
Pacific Ocean: Pitcairn.

NUMBER OF ALERTS IN FMCC SERVICE AREA			
Distress alerts (D.A.)	False alerts (F.A.)	Undetermined alerts (I.A.)	TOTAL (T.A.)
12	165	244	421

FALSE ALERT RATE (%)	
(F.A. + I.A.) / T.A.)	
This month	This year
97,1%	97,5 %

II. UTILITY OF COSPAS SARSAT

Date	FMCC ref.	Type	Mobile	Beacon Country Code	P in
01/05/2018 14:25	76708	Plane	CESSNA 172 - F-ONDU	GUADELOUPE	
02/05/2018 13:53	76879	Helico	AUGUSTA AB-206 - F-HGJL	FRANCE	
02/05/2018 14:05	76882	Plane	DIAMOND H36 - D-KFCD	ALLEMAGNE	
02/05/2018 19:38	76923	F/V	DIOUSS	GUADELOUPE	
02/05/2018 21:55	76940	F/V	L'ANMOU	MARTINIQUE	
04/05/2018 11:09	77162	S/V	BLACK BARON	MARTINIQUE	
08/05/2018 13:06	77741	Plane	AQUILA 210 - D-ERLM	ALLEMAGNE	
11/05/2018 18:26	78295	F/V	FREDON	MARTINIQUE	
13/05/2018 13:59	78546	Plane	CESSNA F152 - HB-CNK	SUISSE	
22/05/2018 04:32	79889	S/V	ISLAND BIRD	FRANCE	

28/05/2018 10:34	80797	Expedition	MOUNTAIN DWELLERS	NOUVELLE-ZELANDE	
31/05/2018 02:30	81248	Other	NAUFRAGES	POLYNESIE	
01/05/2018 14:25	76708	Plane	CESSNA 172 - F-ONDU	GUADELOUPE	
02/05/2018 13:53	76879	Helico	AUGUSTA AB-206 - F-HGJL	FRANCE	
02/05/2018 14:05	76882	Plane	DIAMOND H36 - D-KFCD	ALLEMAGNE	

TOTAL	
TOTAL – THANKS TO COSPAS-SARSAT	

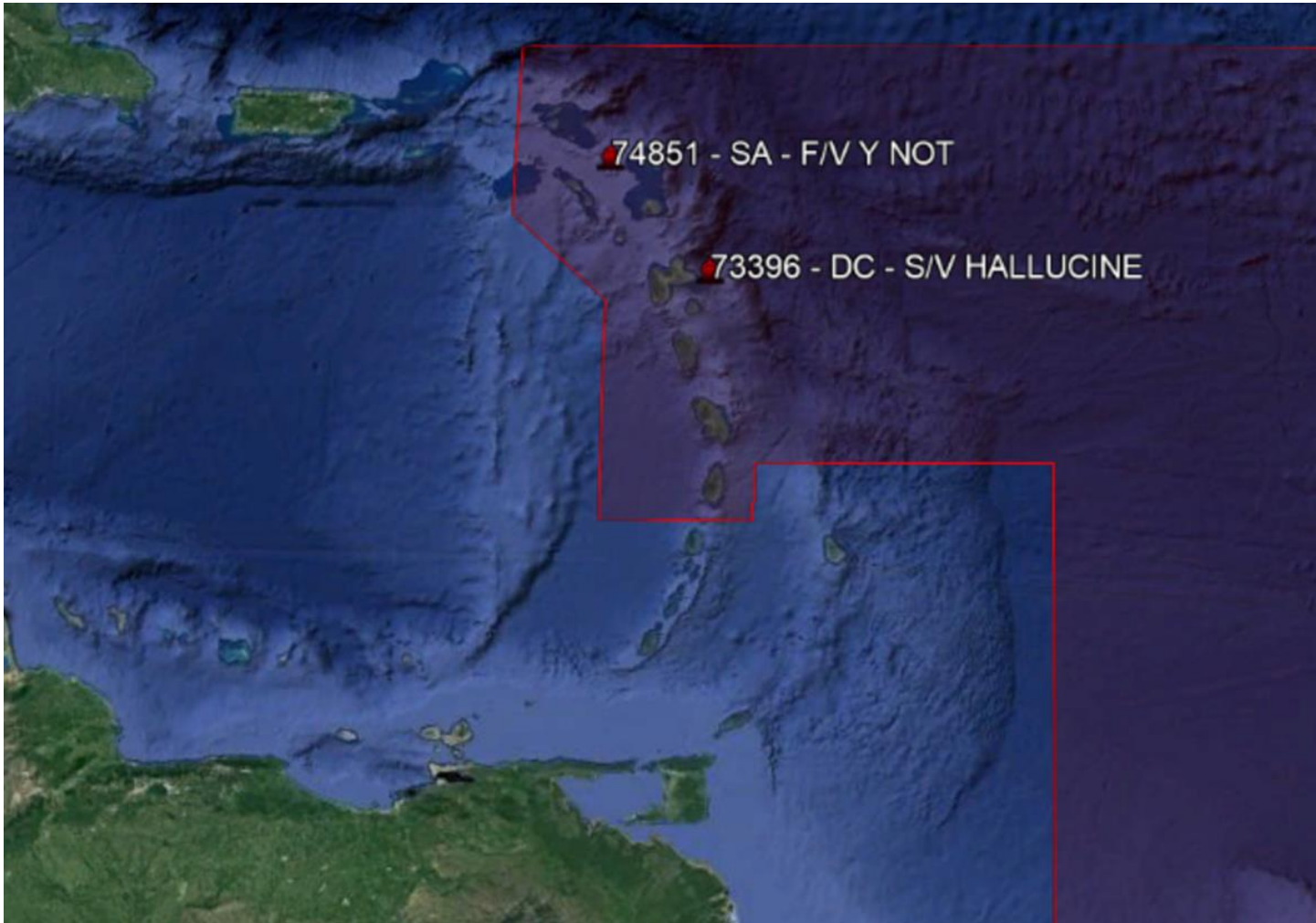
Kind of assistance ⁽¹⁾ :

S.A. => O.A.	Only Alert	Cospas-Sarsat was the unique source of information (alerting and locating)
P.A. => F.A.	First Alert	Cospas-Sarsat was the source of the first alert received by SAR forces on the distress situation.
D.C. => S.D.	Supporting Data	Cospas-Sarsat provided alert and/or location data which was used by SAR services in support of the search and rescue operation.
N.U. => N.U.	Data Not Used In SAR	Cospas-Sarsat provided alert and/or location data which was not used by SAR services in support of the search and rescue.

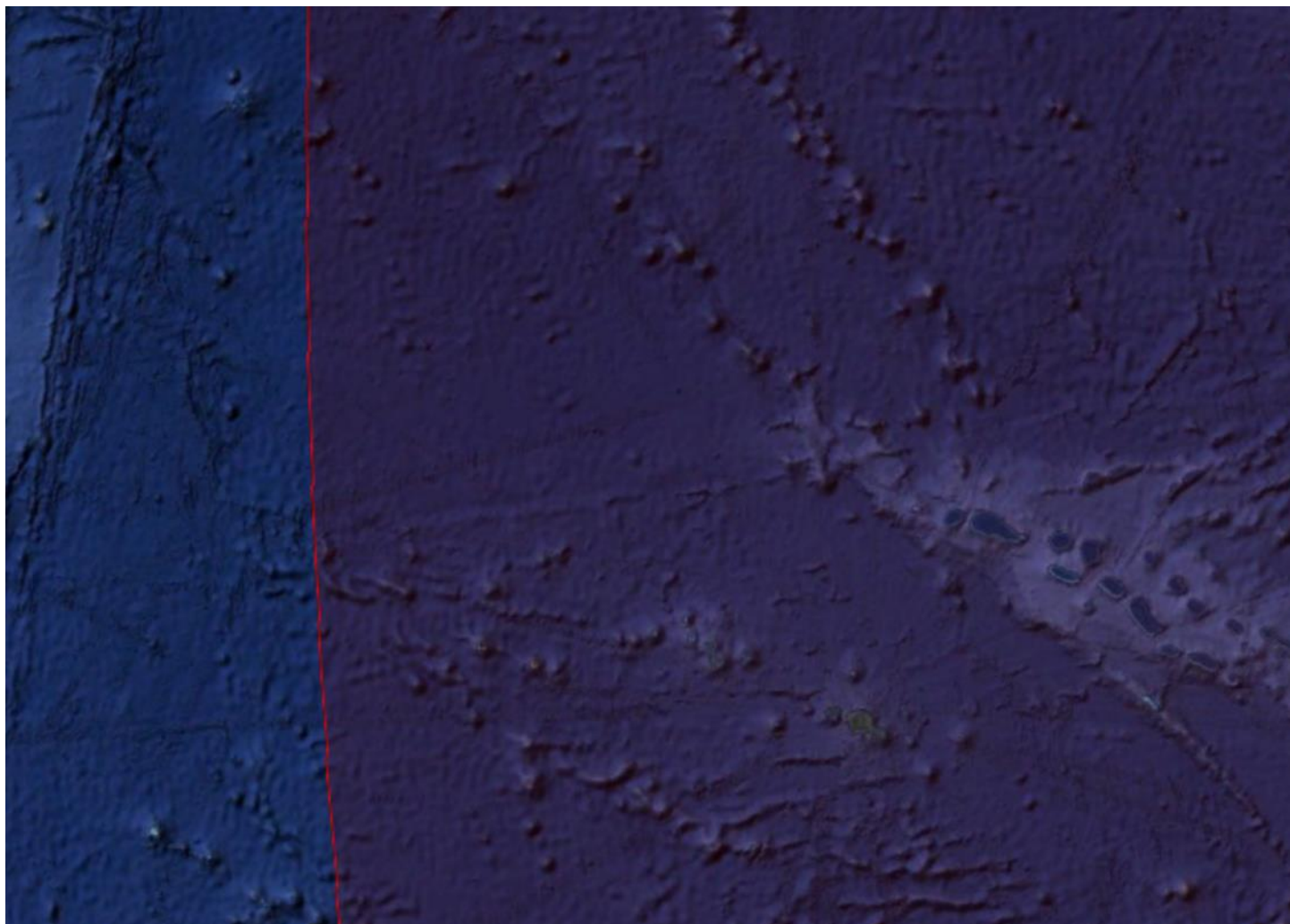
SAR EVENT – FMCC AREA – EUROPE



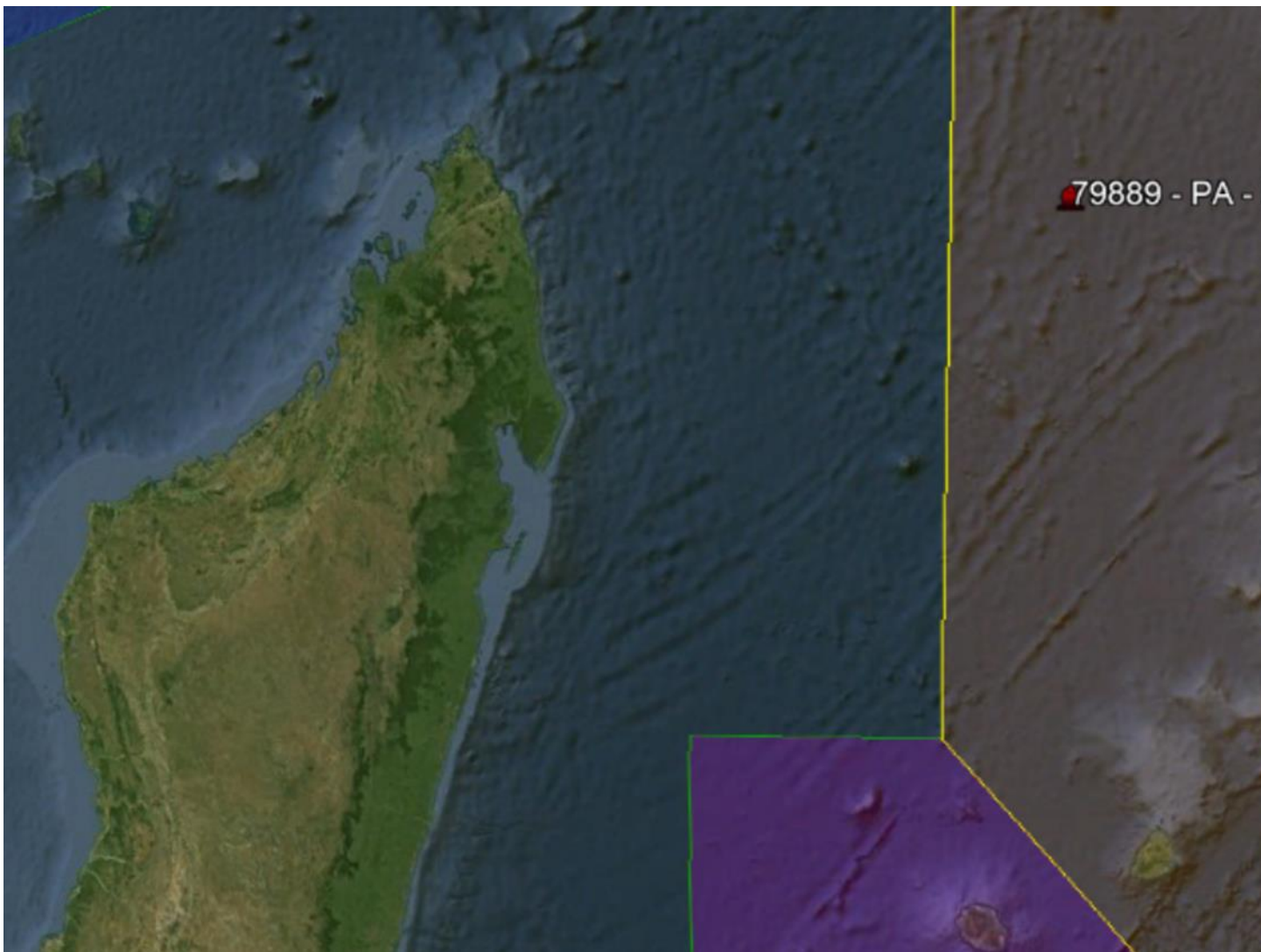
SAR EVENT – FMCC AREA – ATLANTIC OCEAN



SAR EVENT – FMCC AREA – PACIFIC OCEAN



SAR EVENT – FMCC AREA – INDIAN OCEAN



Remember: Check, on a regular basis, your “contact information” (SAR Points Of Contact, Beacon Registers, National Contacts for Beacon Matters, etc.) on the COSPAS-SARSAT website: <http://www.cospas-sarsat.int/>

