

Working Group	Transportation Working Group - Unmanned Aircraft Systems (UAS) Canada lead - Gerard McDonald, Assistant Deputy Minister, Safety & Security, Transport Canada U.S. Lead - Susan McDermott, Deputy Assistant Secretary, Aviation & International Affairs, Department of Transportation	
Action Plan Initiative	Establish a mechanism to share experiences on regulations related to unmanned aircraft systems, with a view to aligning regulatory approaches.	
Deliverable outcome	Canada and the United States will implement an ongoing information sharing program on their experiences with the development of Unmanned Aircraft Systems regulation with a view to aligning approaches in future, where feasible.	
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Action items	Action Item 1: • Discuss program experiences with a view to align regulatory approaches.	Action Item 2: • Explore the feasibility of developing a cooperation framework between both countries .
	Interim Deliverables	
3-6 Months	<i>Teleconference between Transport Canada and the Federal Aviation Administration to share experiences and discuss proposed policy and regulations with respect to unmanned aircraft systems operating within visual line-of-sight.</i>	<i>Identify scope and elements to be included in the cooperation framework to align the regulatory process.</i>
6-12 Months	<i>Federal Aviation Administration and Transport Canada meeting to discuss status of Notice of Proposed Rulemaking (NPRM) after the unmanned aircraft systems NPRM proceedings close.</i>	<i>Initiate process to establish a joint cooperation framework between both countries that will align the regulatory regime.</i>
12-18 Months	<i>Federal Aviation Administration and Transport Canada meeting to discuss proposed regulations by Canada after the Canadian Aviation Regulation Advisory Council proceedings close.</i>	<i>Implement joint cooperation framework that aligns the regulatory regime between both countries.</i>
Beyond 18 Months	<i>Federal Aviation Administration to brief Transport Canada on the US Road Map for all unmanned aircraft systems in conjunction with stakeholder meetings and identify areas of cooperation and agreement between Canada and the U.S. on unmanned aircraft systems regulations. Continuation of sharing of experiences on unmanned aircraft systems with an eye toward harmonization of unmanned aircraft systems regulations globally.</i>	