

China, from a Pilot's Perspective

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Overview

- Permits and Operational Lead Times
- Visas
- Flight Planning
- Common Destinations
- Flight Operations
- Safety and Security
- Questions





Permits and Operational Lead Times

- Operational Permit/ Slot Times 3-5 Business Days Lead Time
- Once obtained very few changes allowed, day of possible depending on location
- N-numbered aircraft restricted to 6 consecutive legs.

Sources: UAS, NBAA



Visas

- Need Flight Crew Visa, C Visa
- US Passports holders can now get 5 year, multiple entry Visas. Should be obtained at Chinese Consulate for your area, i.e. Chinese Consulate Chicago for Midwest.
- Other Nationalities might be restricted to dual entry, 6 month Visa
- Position in/out via Airline, need Business (M) Visa and Crew (C) Visa
- Caution using Business (M) Visa as operating Crew



Visas

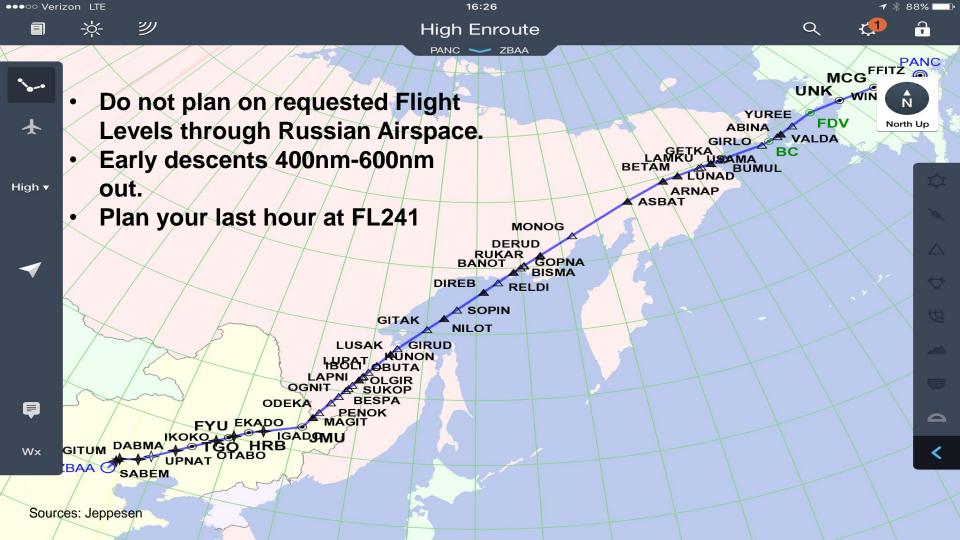
- Passport must have one or more blank pages and more than six months before expiry.
- For Multiple entry 5 year Visas, passport must have a minimum of 5 years and 6 month validity remaining.
- Application form, one passport style 2x2 photo on white background
- Original Business letter from Flight Department or Company.
- Photocopy of Flight Crew ID, must be valid and show expiration date.
- For expedited Visas, need flight itinerary showing departure in less than one week.
- Copy of State-issued drivers license

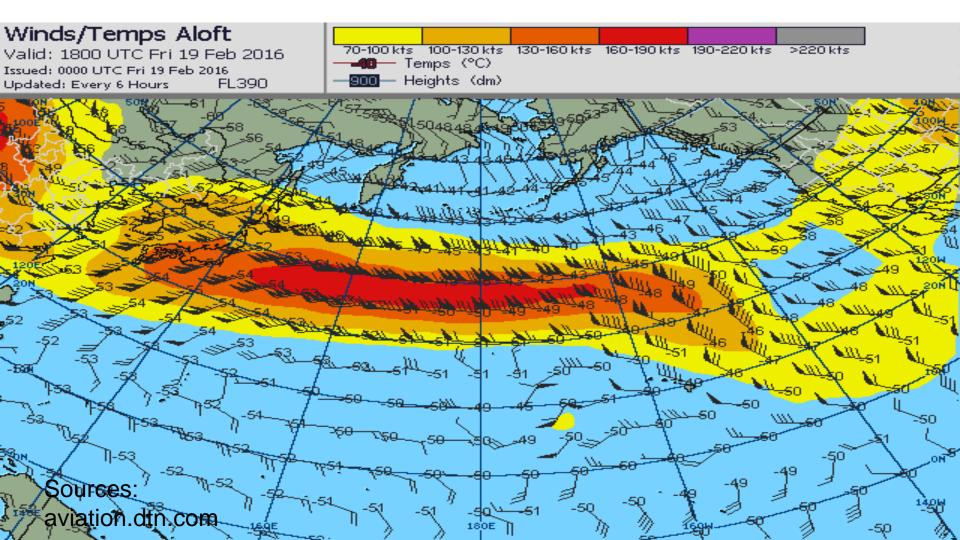


Flight Planning

- Service Providers knows the best up to date routings.
- Re-routes
- Weather
- Departures Northeast bound usually restricted to max FL400 through Russian Airspace....
- Direct departures to Taiwan (RCTP) now allowed from certain airports.
- Be very Conservative in Long-Range planning, do not plan Long Range Cruise, leaves you no options
- PANC-ZBAA, 3521NM, easy right?

Sources: Jeppesen, Chinese Consulate,







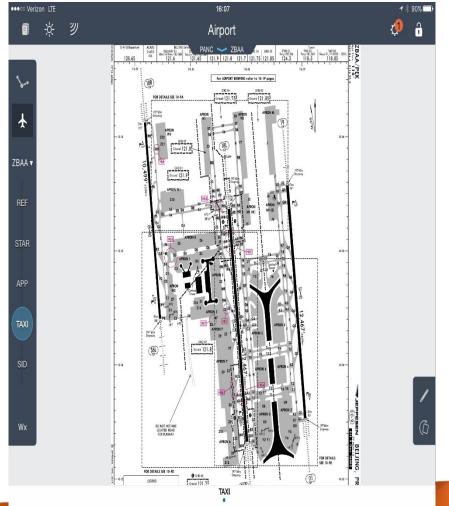
Common Destinations

- Beijing ZBAA
- Shanghai ZSPD Pudong and ZSSS Hongqiao
- Tianjin ZBTJ
- Chongqing ZUCK
- Chengdu ZUUU
- Fuzhou ZSFZ
- Wuhan ZHHH
- Hong Kong VHHH



Beijing Capital ZBAA

- Congested, parking max 24-48 hours for GA aircraft.
- One slot between 0800-2200 local per aircraft.
- No GA departures 0700-0900
- GA Terminal
- Easy CIQ in GA Terminal
- Hotels close
- Handler usually not allowed on ramp



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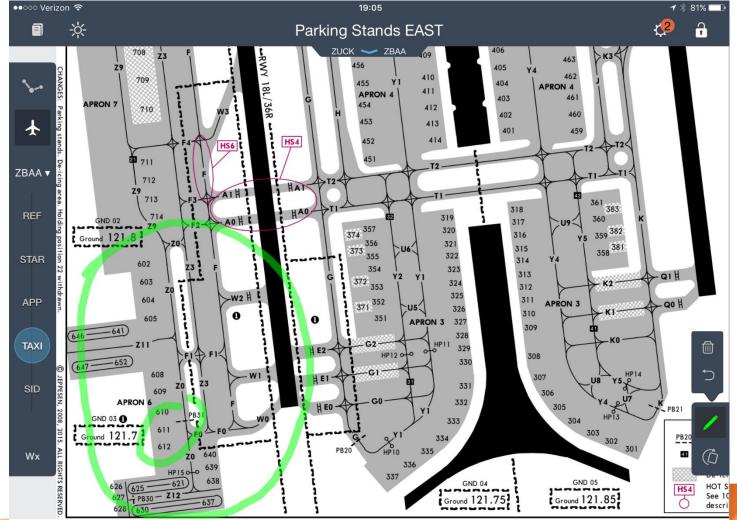


Beijing Capital ZBAA

- Reposition ZBTJ Tianjin
- Need to sign and understand departure procedure sheet



- Re-Fuel only spots
- Stand 612
- No Re-fueling with pax onboard.



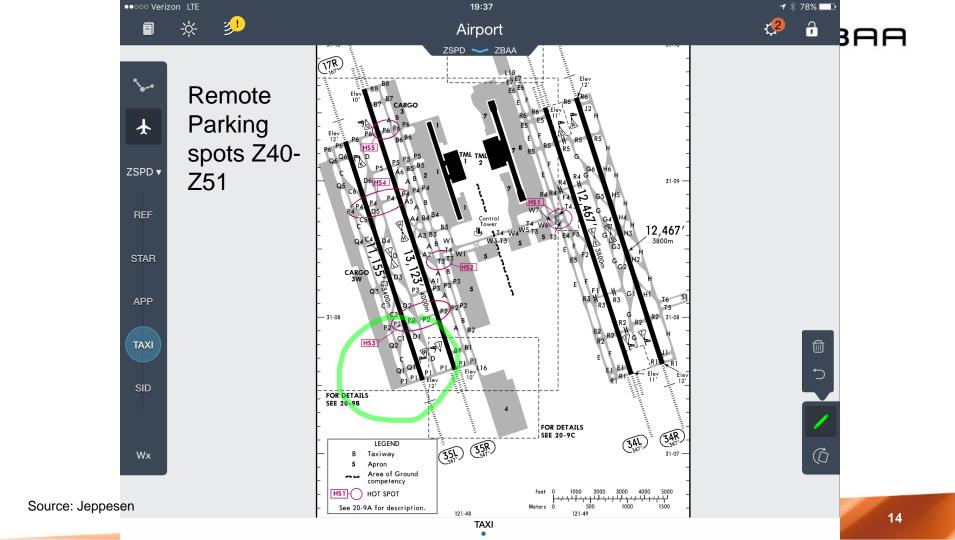
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Shanghai Pudong ZSPD

- Shanghai airports ZSPD and ZSSS can be requested, but which you get on permit depends an arrival and departures.
- Most common, busier with a lot of airline traffic
- No Executive Terminal. Clear CIQ through Terminal.
- GA Departure curfew 0700-0900 local.
- One slot 0900-2200 local.
- Unrestricted Parking.
- City 60 mins away



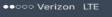




Shanghai Hongqiao ZSSS

- Less busy, but harder to get permit.
- Parking spots, east side by FBO
- GA Departure curfew 0700-0900 local.
- One slot 0900-2200 local.
- Parking max three days.
- Closer to city, 30 minutes
- Site of ABACE April 12-14th

Sources: Jeppesen, UAS



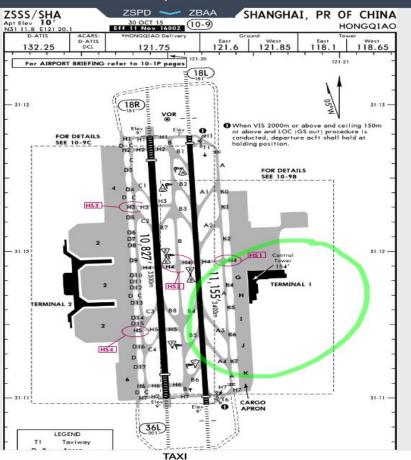
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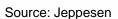










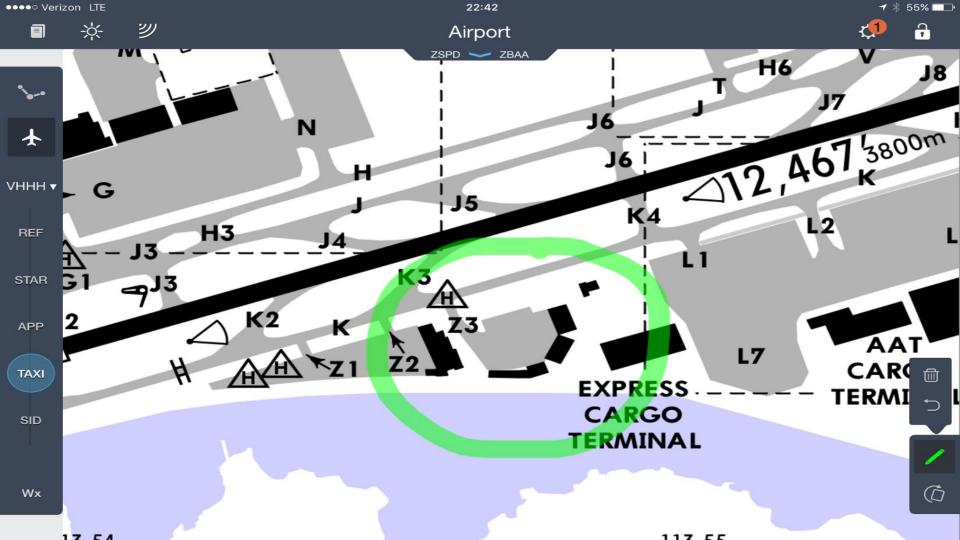


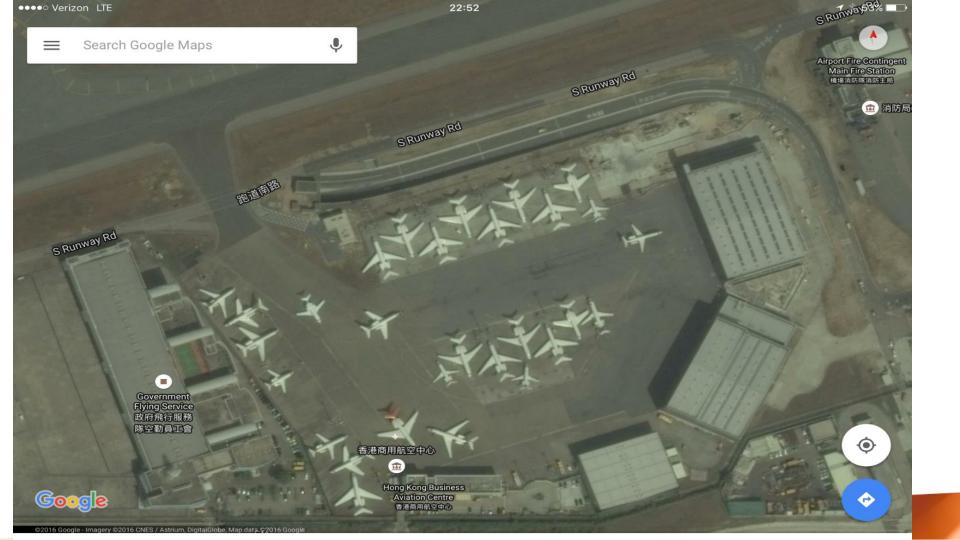


Hong Kong VHHH

- Special Administrative Region of the People's Republic of China
- Normally drop off or 24 hour parking
- Position to Macau or Clark
- Requires special insurance.
- PPR and Landing/ Departure slots. Cancel unwanted slots.

Sources: Jeppesen, NBAA













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Trans level:



HONG KONG Departure 123.8

Apt Elev 28'

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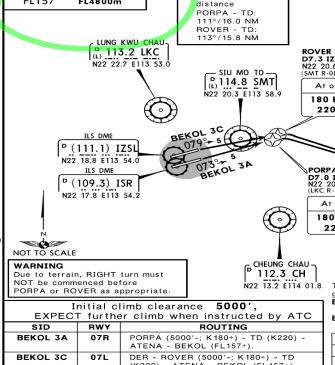
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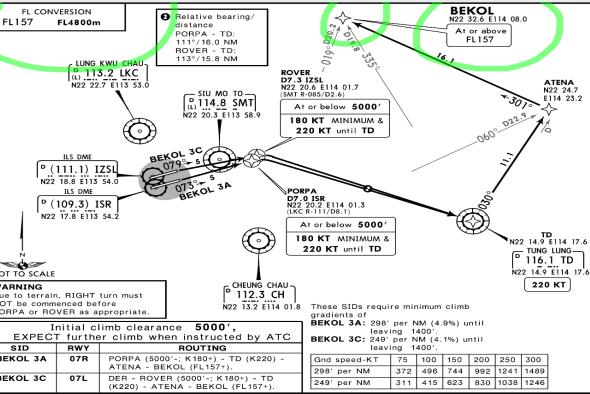
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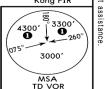


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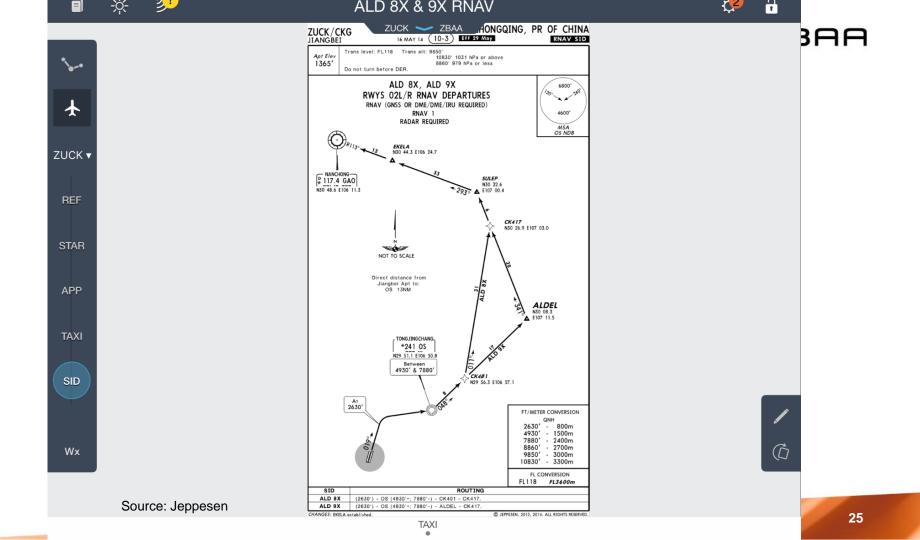
Example Flight: ZUCK-ZBAA

Sources: Jeppesen





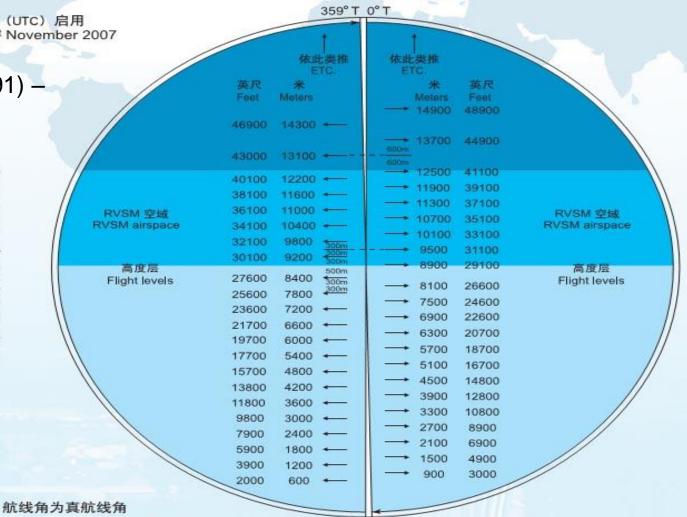




2007年11月21日16时 (UTC) 启用 Effective 1600 (UTC) 21st November 2007

RVSM 8900m (FL291) – 12500m (FL411)

注:管制员将发布米制飞行 高度层指令。航空器驾驶员 应当根据中国民航飞行高度 层配备标准示意图 (表) 层配备标准示意图 (表) 展定对应的英制飞行高度层。 航空器应当飞对应的英制飞行高度层。 航空器或当飞的英制之 行高度层。 航空器驾驶员 当知晓公英制转换带来的 高度与管制指令的米制高度 不一定完全一致,但存在的 差异不会超过30米。



Source: China eAIP

Angles are measured in True Track

100°T 170°T



Operations RVSM

- Chinese ATC will issue Flight Level clearance in meters, the aircraft shall be flown using the flight level in feet
- Rounding differences, the metric readout of the onboard avionics will not necessarily correspond to the cleared Flight Level in meters; however the difference will never be more than 30 meters.
- Aircraft equipped with metric and feet altimeters shall use the feet altimeter within RVSM airspace
- Leaving Chinese RVSM you generally descend 100' to conform to new level assigned at the respective FIR. Mongolia RVSM same as Chinese RVSM

Sources: Jeppesen, China eAIP



Operations RVSM

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180-359 Flight Levels			000-179 Flight Levels		
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15500	50900	FL509	14900	48900	FL489
14300	46900	FL469	13700	44900	FL449
13100	43000	FL430	12500	41100	FL441
12200	40100	FL401	11900	39100	FL391
11600	38100	FL381	11300	37100	FL371
11000	36100	FL361	10700	35100	FL351
10400	34100	FL341	10100	33100	FL331
9800	32100	FL321	9500	31100	FL311
9200	30100	FL301	8900	29100	FL291
8400	27600	FL276	8100	26600	FL266
7800	25600	FL256	7500	24600	FL246
7200	23600	FL236	6900	22600	FL226
6600	21700	FL217	6300	20700	FL207
6000	19700	FL197	5700	18700	FL187
5400	17700	FL177	5100	16700	FL167
4800	15700	FL157	4500	14800	FL148
4200	13800	FL138	3900	12800	FL128
3600	11800	FL118	3300	10800	FL108
3000	9800	FL98	2700	8900	FL89
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Sources: Jeppesen, China eAIP, IFALPA

Pilot Navigation Display (ND)







Offsets

- Commonly used for separation and weather
- Non Standard, could be Left or Right of course
- i.e 6 nm Right
- Could be issued on SID or STAR
- Adjusted Vertical Rates







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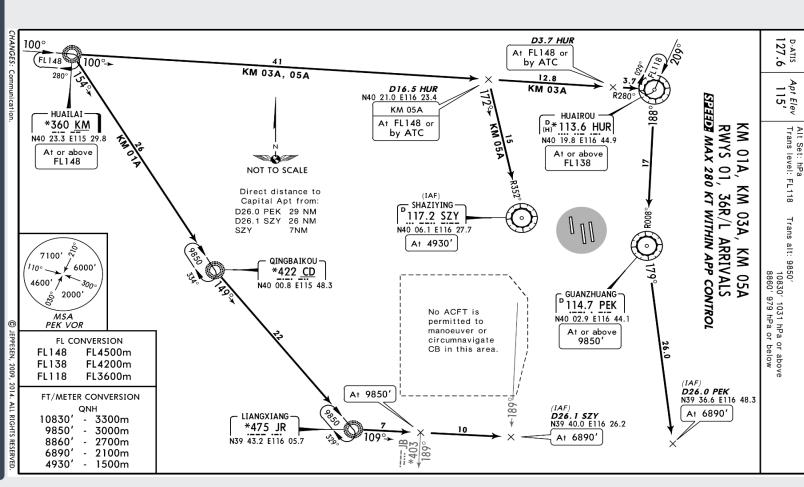
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JEPPESEN

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Safety and Security



- Pollution
- Currently no significant security issues
- China has generally low crime rates
- Excellent Hotels







Please use the NBAA International Feedback database

QUESTIONS?

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