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**GEN 3.5 METEOROLOGICAL SERVICES****1. Meteorological Authority.**

The military meteorological service is provided by The Danish Meteorological Institute on behalf of CHODDEN. The main meteorological office (MET CENTRE KARUP) is established at Tactical Air Command, Karup (TACDEN).

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**2. Area of Responsibility**

Meteorological services are provided for the entire København FIR.

**3. General**

*Meteorologists* are available for consultation as specified in GEN 3.5-2.

**Aerodrome forecasts** are issued by the meteorological office designated as responsible for preparing such forecasts. Aerodrome forecasts (TAF) and amendments hereto (TAF AMD) are issued as specified in GEN 3.5-3.

**Landing forecasts** (TREND) are issued as specified in GEN 3.5-2. MET information for flights with destinations outside Danish FIR should normally be requested at least 3 hours before departure.

Requests from abroad for MET information should be made to MET CENTRE KARUP.

**Runway Visual Range** (RVR) is available for main runways at RDAF stations.

*Note: In wintertime the routine weather reports (METAR) will be followed by runway conditions given in MOTNE runway state six-figured group.*

#### 4. Aerodrome Meteorological Services

AERODROME LOCATION INDICATOR	MET CENTRE KARUP	KARUP	SKRYDSTRUP	AALBORG
	EKMK	EKKA	EKSP	EKYT
<b>RESPONSIBLE MO HOURS</b>	MO EKMK: H24	MO EKKA: MON-THU 0500-1430+ FRI 0500-1300+ MO EKMK: OUTSIDE MO EKKA HR	MO EKSP: MON-THU 0430-1430+ FRI 0430-1300+ MO EKMK: OUTSIDE MO EKSP HR	MO EKYT MON-THU 0630-1430 (0530-1330)+ FRI 0630-1300 (0530-1200)+ MO EKMK: OUTSIDE MO EKYT HR
<b>AERODROME FORECASTS</b>		9 HR	9 HR	9 HR + 18 HR
<b>LANDING FORECASTS (TREND TYPE)</b>		MON-THU 0600-1430 FRI 0600-1300	MON-THU 0530-1430 FRI 0530-1300	MON-THU 0630-1430 (0530-1330) FRI 0630-1300 (0530-1200)
<b>BRIEFING CONSULTATION</b>	H24 : P/T	Within MO EKKA HR: P/T Outside MO EKKA HR: T	Within MO EKSP HR: P/T Outside MO EKSP HR: T	Within MO EKYT HR: P/T Outside MO EKYT HR: T
<b>DOCUMENTATION LANGUAGES</b>	TB, C, PL/ DA, EN	C, PL/ DA, EN	C, PL/ DA, EN	C, PL/ DA, EN
<b>OBSERVATIONS / HOURS OF OBSERVATIONS</b>		h/ H24	h/ H24	h/ H24
<b>MO TEL</b>	MO EKMK: +45 97101550 ext. 5671	MO EKKA: +45 97101550 ext. 3456	MO EKSP: +45 74590900 ext. 3451	MO EKYT: +45 98195663

+ Outside normal duty hours meteorologist will be on duty as follows:

- a. During exercise period.
- b. To meet other operational requirement - on request.

**5. Aerodrome Forecasts (TAF)**

VALIDITY	<u>KARUP</u> EKKA	<u>SKRYDSTRUP</u> EKSP	<u>AALBORG</u> EKYT
0000-0900	0000-0900x	0000-0900x	0000-2400x
0300-1200	0300-1200x	0300-1200x	0300-0300x
0600-1500	0600-1500 SAT-SUN-HOLx	0600-1500 SAT-SUN-HOLx	0600-0600 SAT-SUN-HOLx
0900-1800	0900-1800 SAT-SUN-HOLx	0900-1800 SAT-SUN-HOLx	0900-0900 SAT-SUN-HOLx
1200-2100	1200-2100 SAT-SUN-HOLx	1200-2100 SAT-SUN-HOLx	1200-1200 SAT-SUN-HOLx
1500-2400	1500-2400 FRI-SAT-SUN-HOLx	1500-2400 FRI-SAT-SUN-HOLx	1500-1500 FRI-SAT-SUN-HOLx
1800-0300	1800-0300x	1800-0300x	1800-1800x
2100-0600	2100-0600x	2100-0600x	2100-2100x
ISSUED BY	EKKA x EKMK	EKSP x EKMK	EKYT x EKMK

**6. Explanatory Notes:**

MO: Meteorological Office

P : Meteorologist AVBL at aerodrome

PL: Abbreviated plain language texts

T : Consultation by TEL (MO MET CENTRE KARUP)

TB: Documentation in tabular and/or coded form

C : Chart documentation

DA: Documentation in Danish

EN: Documentation in English

R : On request

h : Halfhourly

H : Hourly

S : In summertime

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