



**Federal Aviation  
Administration**

**Airport Surveying-GIS Program  
Vertically Guided  
Airport Airspace Analysis Checklist**

Airport Name		City		State
Airport Identifier	Low End Runway Number	Elevation	High End Runway Number	Elevation

Instructions: Analyze the surfaces according to the following criteria for each runway end. Where an object meets multiple requirements (highest and most penetrating, highest and highest man-made etc.) reference the point only once. Left or Right side is relative to an observer facing forward in a landing aircraft.

**1. Vertically Guided Runway Primary Surface (VGRPS) Evaluation**

Section	Object	Object Elevation (ft.)	Object Selection
First 1/3 of runway (Left Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
First 1/3 of runway (Right Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Second 1/3 of runway (Left Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Second 1/3 of runway (Right Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Third 1/3 of runway (Left side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Third 1/3 of runway (Right Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Low numbered end of runway to 200 feet			Highest object outward from runway end to 200 feet
High numbered end of runway to 200 feet			Highest object outward from runway end to 200 feet

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**2. Vertically Guided Primary Connection (VGPCS) Evaluation**

*Analysis Exception: If the representative objects selected in the adjacent VGRPS section is higher, check the VGRPS object higher box and go to the next section.*

Section	Object	Object Elevation (ft.)	Object Selection
First 1/3 of runway (Left Side) <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
First 1/3 of runway (Right Side) <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Second 1/3 of runway (Left Side) <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Second 1/3 of runway (Right Side) <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Third 1/3 of runway (Left Side) <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Third 1/3 of runway (Right Side) <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Low numbered end of runway to 200 feet (Right Side)  <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest object outward from runway end to 200 feet
Low numbered end of runway to 200 feet (Left Side)  <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest object outward from runway end to 200 feet
High numbered end of runway to 200 feet (Right Side)  <input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			Highest object outward from runway end to 200 feet

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Vertically Guided Primary Connection (VGPCS) Evaluation (continued)			
High numbered end of runway to 200 feet (Left Side)			Highest object outward from runway end to 200 feet
<input type="checkbox"/> VGRPS object higher			
3. Vertically Guided Approach Surface (VGAS) Evaluation			
Section	Object	Object Elevation (ft.)	Object Selection
Entire VGAS			1 <sup>st</sup> Most Penetrating
			2 <sup>nd</sup> Most Penetrating
			3 <sup>rd</sup> Most Penetrating
			4 <sup>th</sup> Most Penetrating
			5 <sup>th</sup> Most Penetrating
Within 10,200 feet of threshold (Left Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Within 10,200 feet of threshold (Right Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
> 10,200 to 20,200 feet from threshold (Left Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
> 10,200 to 20,200 feet from threshold (Right Side)			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
4. Vertically Guided Protection Surface (VGPS) Evaluation			
Section	Object	Object Elevation (ft.)	Object Selection
Right side of centerline			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Left side of centerline			Highest Manmade object
			Highest Natural object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object
Entire VGPS			Penetrating Object





