

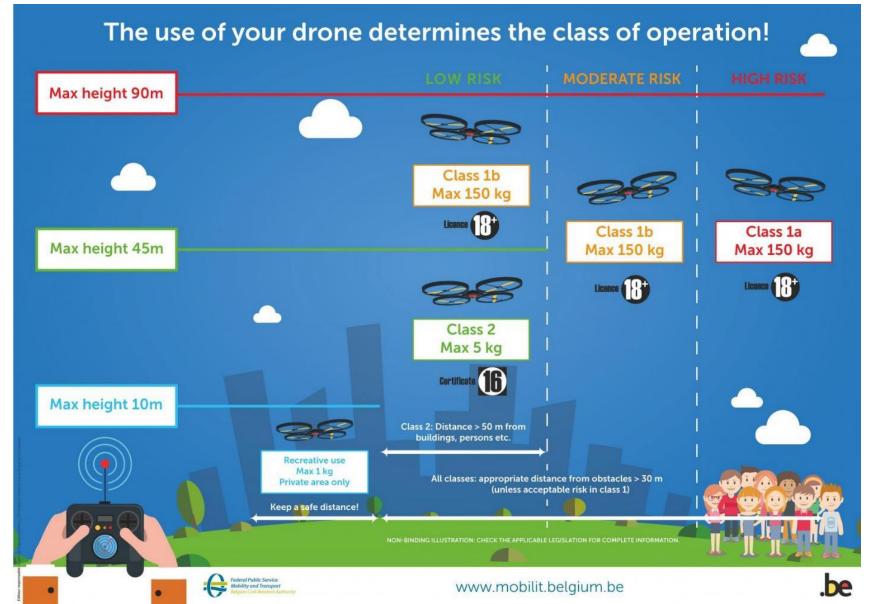
DE NIEUWE EUROPESE DRONE WETGEVING: WAT KOMT ER MIDDEN VOLGEND JAAR OP ONS AF?

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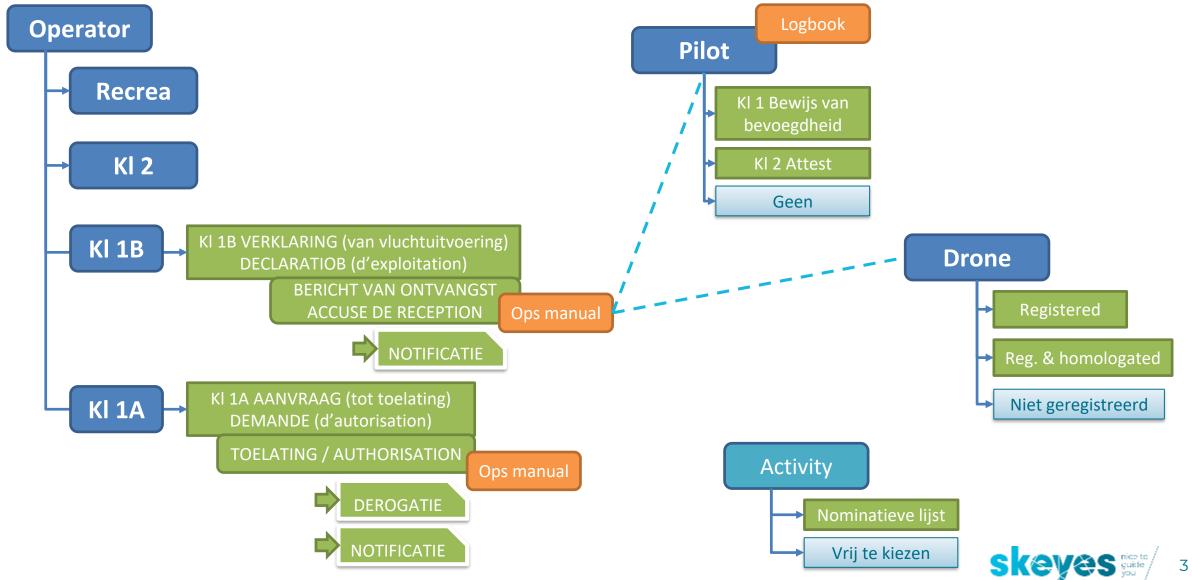


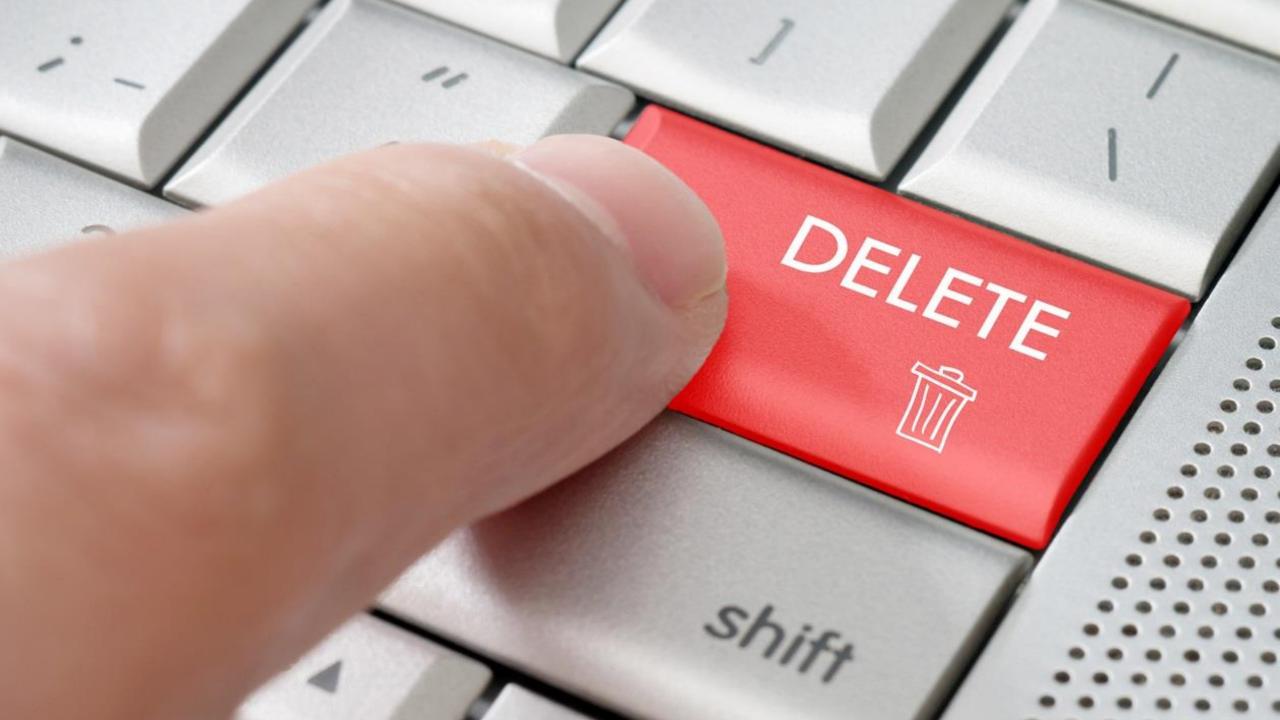


The current regulatory landscape



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New legal basis



Regulation EU 1139/2018 (EASA basic regulation) extends the EU competence to all UAS

Only civil drones but
possibility to opt in for state
and military aircraft



Delegated act

Political agreement between Commission, Council and Parliament on new Basic Regulation

□ Implementing act (IA)

Requirements related to operation and registration

□ Delegated act (DA)

Requirements related to CE marking, technical requirements, maintenance of UAS and third-country operators



Delegated Act: C-classes of drones category for Open cat.















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Remote ID real-time broadcast (open cat)

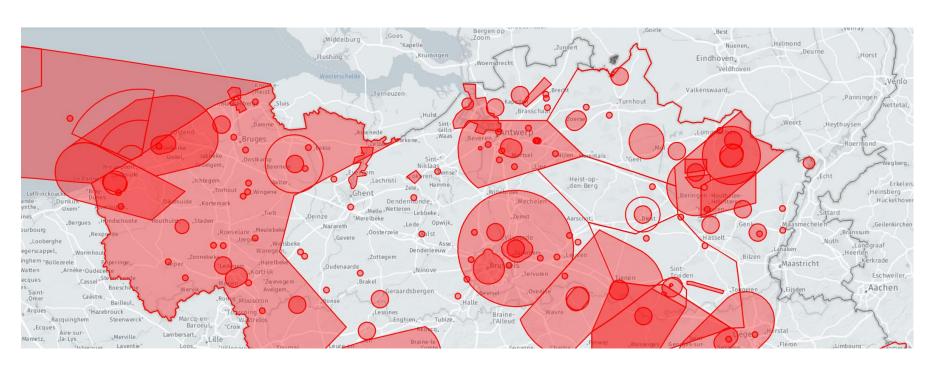
- UAS operator registration nr
- SN of UA
- Position & height AGL
- Direction and ground speed
- Position of pilot or the take-off point





Geo-awareness

- Embedded map and pilot warning
- Not geo-fencing
- Pilot responsible for update prior to each flight





Implementing Act

New EU legislation as from July 1st 2020













LOW RISK

No authorisation or declaration required by operator before start of flight

VLOS, 25kg MTOM, 120m AGL







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General public

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OPEN

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declaration

UAS:

<25kg MTOM with 3 possibilities:

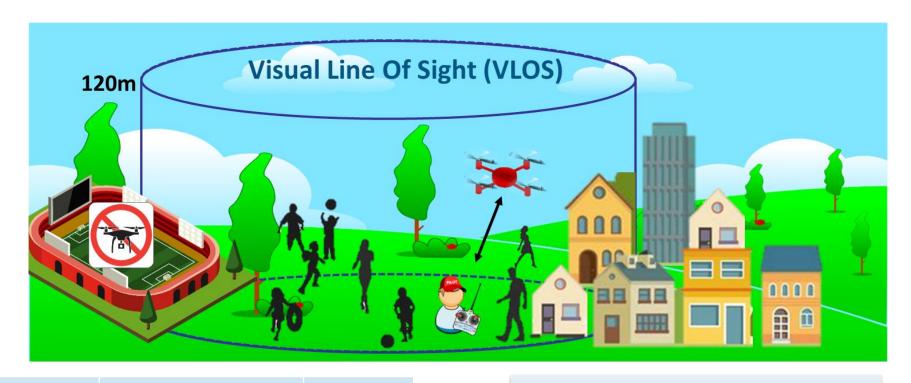
- 5 newly defined classes with CE marking (C0, C1,C2,C3 and C4)
- privately build
- certain existing drones

Operation:

- Not over assemblies of people
- (E)VLOS only
- Max 120m AGL
- Not carry dangerous goods and no dropping of any material
- 3 subcategories: over people (A1), close to people (A2) & far from people (A3)

OPEN A1/C0

- You can fly over uninvolved people
- ➤ No flying over assemblies of people



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'Toy drone'

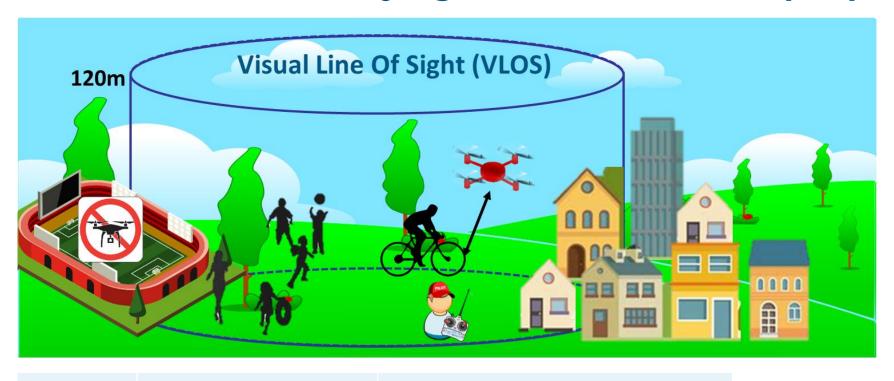
<250g

or

Privately build <250g

OPEN A1/C1

- ➤ You cannot intentionally fly over uninvolved people
- ➤ No flying over assemblies of people

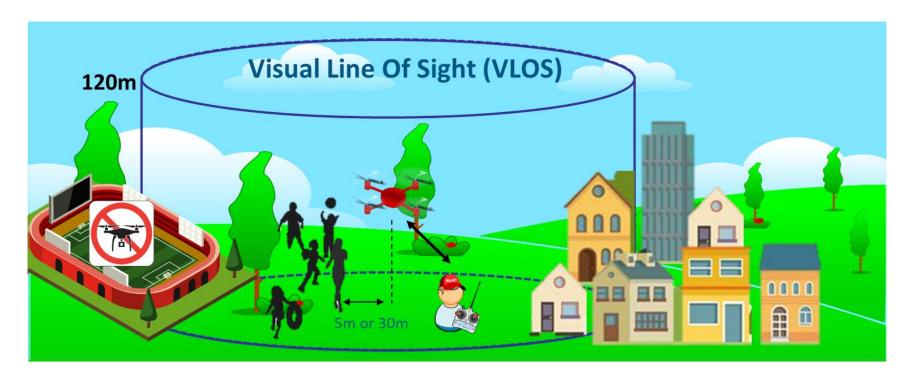




'Hobby drone' <80J at V_{term} or <900g

OPEN A2

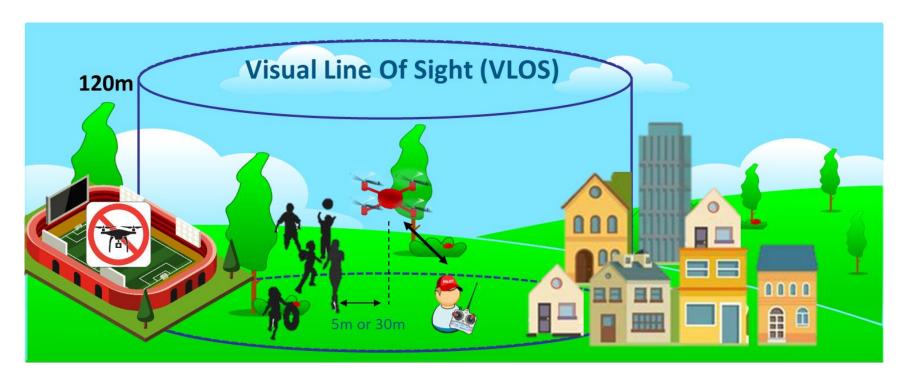
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OPEN A2

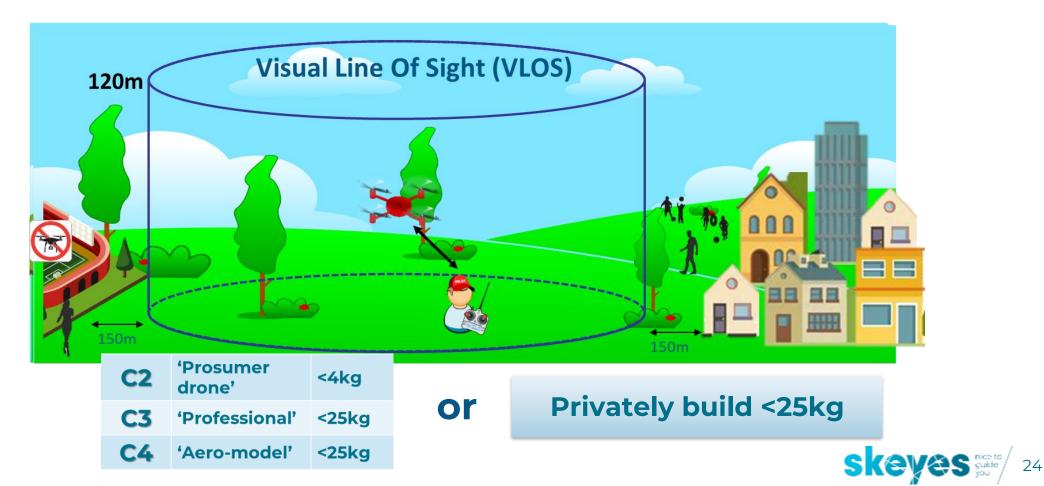
UAS at a horizontal distance of at least 30m from uninvolved persons, or up to a distance of 5m when low-speed mode function is activated





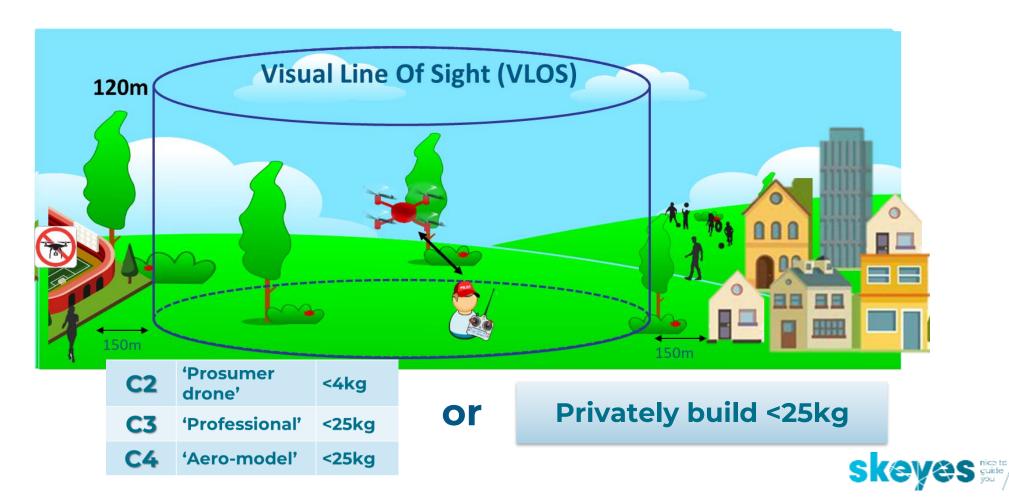
OPEN A3

fly in an area where the remote pilot reasonably expects that no uninvolved person will be present endangered



OPEN A3

keep a safe horizontal distance of 150m from residential, commercial, industrial or recreational areas



OPEN

LOW RISK
No authorisation or declaration

Pilot responsibility:

- Explicit OK from all involved people after risk briefing (otherwise they are consider 'uninvolved')
- Keep VLOS, eventually through help of observer (e.g. FPV)
- Not fly close to or inside area where an emergency response effort is ongoing



OPEN

Table made available for ease of overview

OPEN CATEGORY: not over assemblies of people; up to 120m AGL* VLOS/EVLOS only, except in follow-me mode within 50m distance from pilot; not drop any material

Operation			UAS					
Sub- cat.	Area of operation	Remote pilot competency	class	MTOM / Joule (J)	Main technical requirements ID/ (CE marking) geo		registration	
	You can fly over uninvolved people (not over assemblies)	No minimum age Familiarised with the user's manual	Privately build		Max speed 19m/s		No, for as long as not equipped	
A1			C0 (toy drone) < 250g		Max speed 19m/s, max attainable height above the take-off point of 120m, no sharp edges, follow-me within max 50m	No	with a sensor able to captur personal data 250g or 80J impact	
Fly over people	You cannot intentionally fly over uninvolved people	Minimum age to be set by Member States between 12 and 16 Familiarised with the user's manual Online training Online test	C1 (hobby drone)	< 80J impact at V _{term} or <900g	Max speed 19m/s, max height above the take-off point of 120m or selectable and visualised height limitation, no sharp edges, follow-me within max 50m, mechanical strength, lost-link management, geo-awareness pilot warning, battery warning, max sound power level			
A2 Fly close to people	You cannot fly over uninvolved people and need to keep a safe horizontal distance of 30m from them, reduced to 5m when flying in low speed mode	Minimum age to be set by Member States between 12 and 16 Familiarised with the user's manual Hold a certificate of remote pilot competency after: Online training (idem as for cat A1/C1) Online test (idem as for cat A1/C1) Declaring practical self-training Additional cat A2 theoretical knowledge examination	C2 (prosumer drone)	< 4kg	Max height above the take-off point of 120m or selectable and visualised height limitation, no sharp edges, mechanical strength, lost-link management, geo-awareness pilot warning, low-speed mode (3m/s), battery warning, max sound power level, be equipped with lights, protected C2 link	Yes + unique SN for identification		
	You should: • fly in an area where it is reasonably expected that no uninvolved people will be endangered • keep a safe horizontal distance of 150m from residential, commercial, industrial or recreational areas	fly in an area where it is reasonably expected that no uninvolved people will be endangered keep a safe horizontal distance of 150m from residential, commercial, industrial or recreational areas	C2 (prosumer drone)	< 4kg	Max height above the take-off point of 120m or selectable and visualised height limitation, no sharp edges, mechanical strength, lost-link management, geo-awareness pilot warning, low-speed mode (3m/s), battery warning, max sound power level, be equipped with lights, protected C2 link		Yes	
A3 Fly far from people			C3 (professional)	< 25kg < 3m in size	Max height above the take-off point of 120m or selectable and visualised height limitation, mechanical strength, lost-link management, geo- awareness pilot warning, battery warning, max sound power level, be equipped with lights, protected C2 link			
			C4 (aero-model)	< 25kg	No automatic flight, lost-link management	if required by		
			Privately build		N/A	zone of operations		

^{*:} When flying a drone within a horizontal distance of 50m from an artificial obstacle taller than 105m, the maximum height of the operation may be increased up to 15 meters above the height of the obstacle at the request of the entity responsible for the obstacle



OPEN A1

Operation		Remote pilot competency	UAS	
Sub-cat.	Area of operation	itemote phot competency	class	MTOM/ Joule (J)
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A1	You can fly over uninvolved people (not over assemblies)	 No minimum age Familiarised with the user's manual 	C0 (toy drone)	< 250g
Fly over people	over	 Minimum age to be set by Member States between 12 and 16 Familiarised with the user's manual Online training Online test with proof of completion 	C1 (hobby drone)	< 80J impact at <u>V_{term}</u> or <900g



OPEN A2

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OPEN A3

Operation		Remote pilot competency	UAS		
Sub-cat.	Area of operation	itemote phot competency	class	MTOM/ Joule (J)	
I	from • Keep a safe norizontal distance of 150m from	 Minimum age to be set by Member States between 12 and 16 Familiarised with the user's manual Online training (idem as for cat A1/C1) Online test with proof of completion (idem as for cat A1/C1) 	C2 (prosumer drone)	< 4kg	
A3 Fly far from			C3 (professional)	< 25kg and < 3m in size	
people			C4 (aero-model)	< 25kg	
			Privately build		



OPEN A3

OPEN A3 Pilot competencies		Remote pilot	me as AllCi	ally fly ople "
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	You should: • fly in an area where it is reasonably expected that no	Minimum age to be set by Me r	C2 (prosumer drone)	< 4kg
A3 Fly far from	uninvolved people will be endangered keep a safe horizontal distance of 150m from	States between 12 and 16 Familiarised with the user's manual Online training (idem as for cat A1/C1) Online test with proof of completion	C3 (professional)	< 25kg and < 3m in size
people		(idem as for cat A1/C1)	C4 (aero-model) Privately build	< 25kg



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CERTIFIED

RISK AS MANNED AVIATION

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RISK AS MANNED
AVIATION

UAS:

Certified because of:

- Characteristic dimension >3m and is designed to be operated over assemblies of people
- Is designed for transporting people
- Is designed for transport of dangerous goods, requiring high level of robustness to mitigate risk

Operation:

- Is conducted in following conditions:
 - over assemblies of people
 - involves transport of people
 - Is designed for transport of dangerous goods, resulting in high risk
- risk assessment shows risk cannot be mitigated without certification of the UAS and the operator, and where needed without licensing the pilot
- Manned aviation operational procedures

SPECIFICINCREASED RISK



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SPECIFIC INCREASED RISK

Authorisation required before flight, granting by CA based on assessment of **Specific Operational Risk Assesment** (SORA)



LUC self-authorisation

Declaration suffices if standard scenario is followed, confirmation of receipt by CA required **before flight**

UAS:

Any UAS

Operation:

- Any operation which is not 'Open' nor 'Certified'
- Registration of operator
- Operational conditions defined in either the authorisation or the standard scenario
- Rules of the air apply

SPECIFIC INCREASED RISK

Pilot competency:

- Minimum age 16 (possibility by MS to lower to 14)
- · Defined in either the authorisation or the standard scenario
- At least:
 - ability to apply operational procedures (normal, contingency and emergency procedures, flight planning, pre-flight and post-flight inspections)
 - ability to manage aeronautical communication
 - manage the unmanned aircraft flight path and automation;
 - leadership, teamwork and self-management;
 - problem solving and decision-making;
 - situational awareness;
 - workload management;
 - coordination or handover, as applicable.

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SPECIFIC INCREASED RISK

Specific authorisation:

- SORA based risk analysis
 - injuries to third parties on the ground
 - injuries to third parties in the air
 - Damage to critical infrastructure





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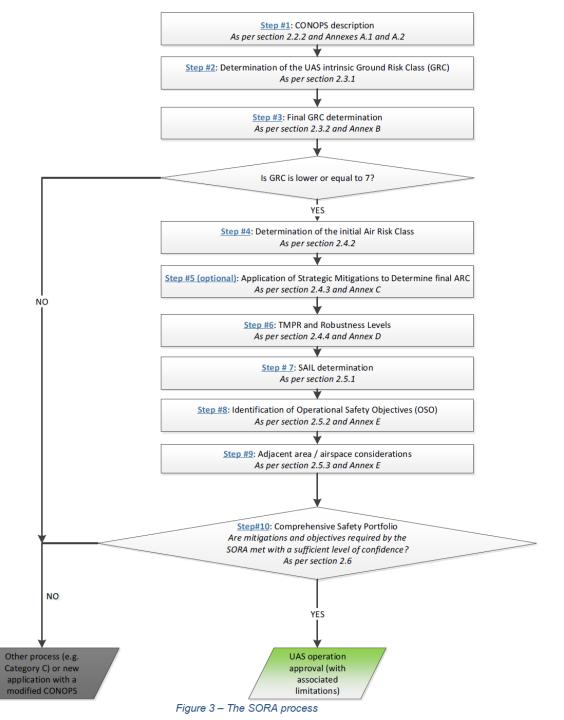
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*: Only involved people present

Standard scenario:

SPECIFIC INCREASED RISK

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SPECIFIC INCREASED RISK

Standard scenario:

- Declaration only, conf. of receipt required
- EASA working on it
- Can be nationally defined at interim
- Options:
 - <3m UAS in VLOS over 'controlled ground area'* with no assemblies of people
 - <1m UAS in VLOS except over assemblies of people
 - <1m UAS in BVLOS over sparsely populated areas
 - <3m UAS in BVLOS over 'controlled ground area'* with no assemblies of people
- Below 120m AGL in un controlled or controlled airspace with ATS authorisation



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SPECIFICINCREASED RISK

Authorisation granted by CA of registration based on assessment of SORA



Declaration with conf. of receipt by CA of registration based on standard scenario

Coss border operations or operation outside state of registration

- Operator revises mitigation measures for:
 - local airspace
 - terrain
 - population
 - climate
- Revision sent by operator to CA of operation
- Other CA assesses the update and issues statement of acceptance to operator and CA of registration

 Operator forwards declaration and confirmation of receipt (sent by CA of registration) to the CA of operation







OPEN category - Low risk NO-PRE APPROVAL

LIMITATIONS: 25 kg, VLOS, height <120m, system of zones

3 Sub-categories: fly over, close, far from people

SPECIFIC - Increased risk

Authorisation by NAA based on specific operation risk assessment (SORA)

Declaration in case of standard scenario; LUC

CERTIFIED - Risk as manned aviation

Certification of UAS, approval of the operator and licensed pilot (unless autonomous flight)

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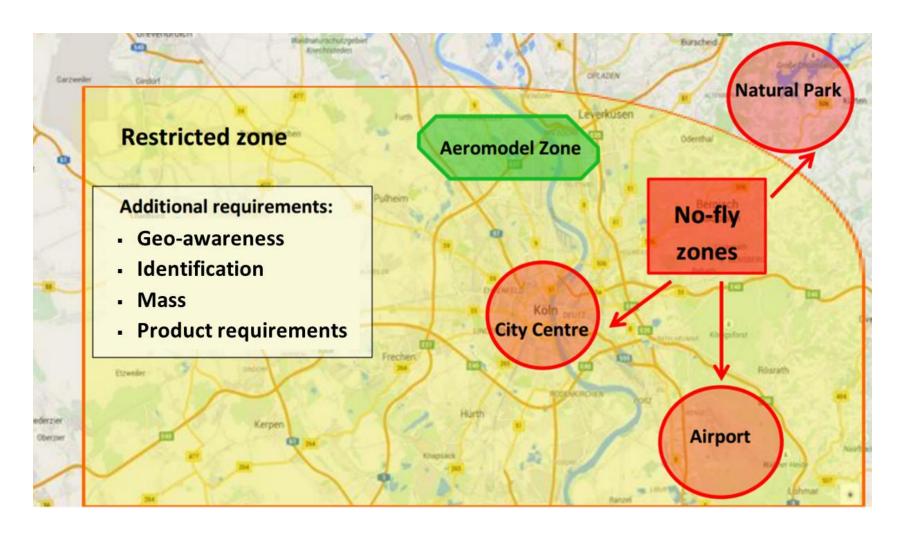
Geographical zoning (made publicly available in digital format)

- Prohibit certain or all operations
- Request particular conditions for certain or all operations
- Request a prior operational authorisation for certain or all operations
- Subject operations to specific environmental standards
- Allow access to certain UAS classes only
- Allow access only to UAS equipped with certain technical features, e.g. remote ID or geo-awareness systems

OR

Designate zones where operations are exempt from one or more 'open' category requirements

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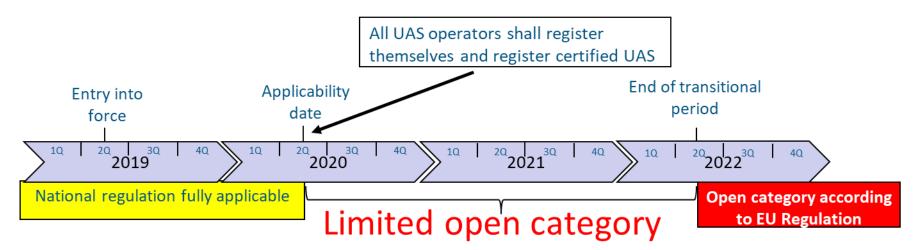


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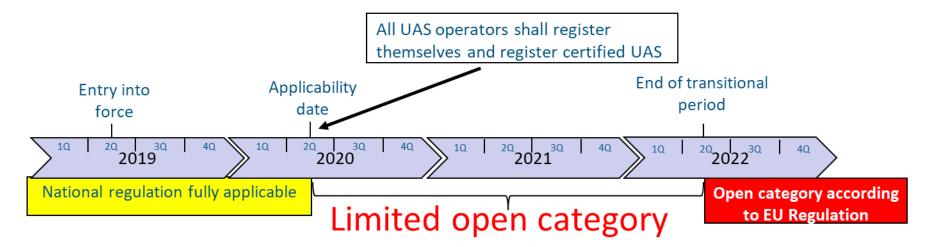
Q&A



Open category



Open category



- In A1/C1 conditions if MTOM < 500g (i.s.o. 900g)
 you cannot intentionally fly over uninvolved people
- Keeping a safe horizontal distance of 50m from people if MTOM < 2kg
- In A3 conditions if 2kg < MTOM < 25kg
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New EU legislation as from July 1st 2020 Quid for my existing drone?

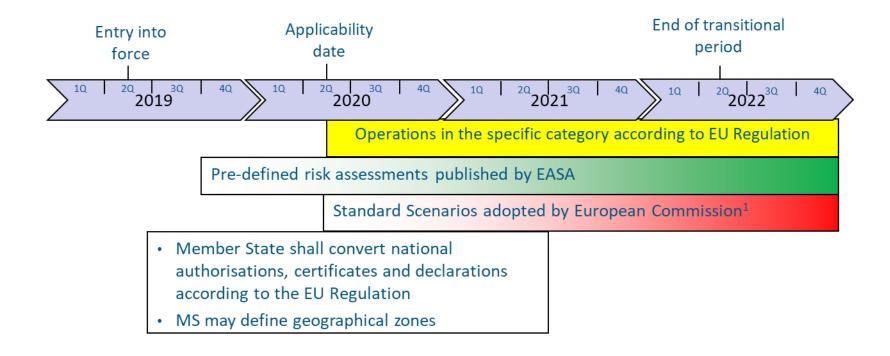
Limited OPEN CATEGORY

NON-Cx-COMPLIANT drones are still allowed to be operated up to 1st of July 2022:

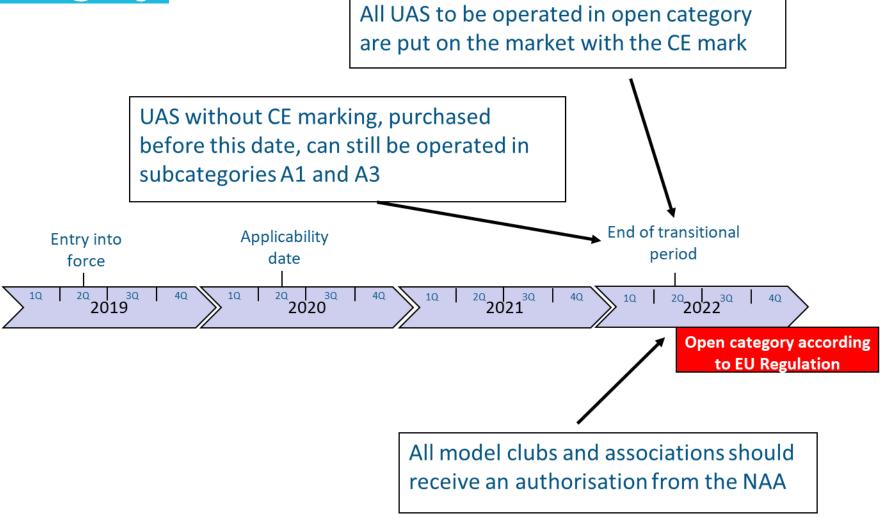
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By a remote pilot having competency level defined by MS

Specific category & generic zoning



Open category



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Non-privately build NON-Cx-COMPLIANT drones are still allowed to be operated, when placed on the market before 1 July 2022:

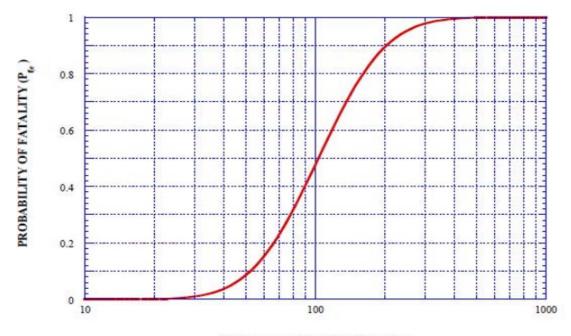
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New EU legislation as from July 1st 2020 Quid for my existing 1B declaration, 1A authorisation & derogations?

- Authorisations granted to UAS operators, certificates of remote pilot competency and declarations made by UAS operators or equivalent documentation, issued on the basis of national law, shall remain valid until 1 July 2021
- By 1 July 2021 Member States shall convert their existing certificates of remote pilot competency and their UAS operator authorisations or declarations, or equivalent documentation, including those issued until that date, in accordance with this Regulation

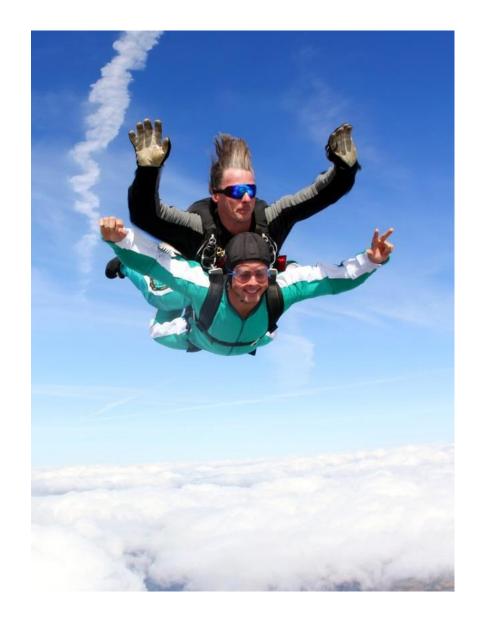
How about 80J?

m	v (m/s)	km/h	mv2/2 (J)	h
0,43	22	79,2	104	25
0,73	34	122,4	422	59



KINETIC ENERGY (KE) (Joules)

LETHALITY CRITERIA FOR DEBRIS GENERATED FROM ACCIDENTAL EXPLOSIONS





- ➤ New EU Regulation will start to apply from mid 2020 and become fully applicable in mid 2022
- Registration of UAS operator and certified UAS
- ➤ Open category:



Specific category:



- ➤ Be aware of all risks and do not pose an unnecessary risk to third parties on the ground or in the air
- Be respectful of privacy and other peoples' rights



