Beacon Light. FAC: 1362

CATCODE: 136635
OPR: AFFSA
OCR: AFNIC, AF/A3O, AFCEC/COS

1.1. Description. The airport beacon is the internationally recognized lighted signal indicating an airfield. The beacon generally is mounted on the highest structure on the installation.

1.2. Requirements Determination. Airfield lighting facilities may be provided according to UFC 3-535-01.

1.3. Scope Determination. Centerline measurements should be used in programming for runway, taxiway, and approach lighting. For example, runway lights programmed for a runway 3,250 m (10,650 ft) long are shown as 3,250 m (10,650 linear feet) of runway lights and not as 6,500 m (21,300 ft). Instruction for providing airfield lighting is contained in AFI 32-1044. Guidance on design and installation of airfield lighting is in UFC 3-535-01.

1.4. Dimensions. See UFC 3-535-01.

1.5. Design Considerations. See UFC 3-535-01.