

**Decision Number Eight  
to the Treaty on Open Skies  
Intervals at Which Data Shall Be  
Annotated with Information**

The Open Skies Consultative Commission, pursuant to the provisions of Annex B, Section II, paragraph 2, subparagraphs (A)(1), (B) and (C)(1) of the Treaty on Open Skies, has decided as follows:

The intervals at which data shall be annotated with information are:

1. In the case of optical cameras, on every frame.
2. In the case of infra-red line-scanning devices recording data on photographic film, at intervals not greater than every thirty-one centimetres.
3. In the case of video cameras using a frame-imaging device, once per frame.
4. In the case of video cameras using a line-imaging device, infra-red line-scanning devices recording on magnetic tape, and sideways-looking synthetic aperture radars, at least every 512 lines.

This Decision shall enter into force simultaneously with the Treaty on Open Skies and shall have the same duration as the Treaty.

Decided in Vienna, in the Open Skies Consultative Commission, on 16 July 1993, in each of the six languages specified in Article XIX of the Treaty on Open Skies, all texts being equally authentic.