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(h) Continuous transmission of weather data products through the LCN to ACCC at the peak rate defined in NAS-IR-21012501.

(i) Transmissic of weather data products to WMSCR at the peak rate defined in NAS-IR-25072511.

(j) Transmission of all radar data received from up to 11 directly connected NEXRADs within the ARTCC/ACF to up to 7 neighboring RWPs at the peak rate defined in NAS-IR-43020001.

3.1.2 Threat. Not Applicable.

3.1.3 System Modes and States, The RWP will exist in three modes which are mutually exclusive. The three modes are OFF, INITIALIZE/REINITIALIZE, and OPERATIONAL. Transition paths between the three modes are depict& in Figure 1.

3.1.3.1 OFF Mode. The OFF mode will exist when the RWP is not in either INITIALIZE/REINITIALIZE or OPERATIONAL modes.

3.1.3.2 INITIALIZE/REINITIALIZE Mode. The INITIALIZE/REINITIALIZE mode will exist when the RWP is performing initialization or reinitialization functions.

3.1.3.3 OPERATIONAL Mode. The OPERATIONAL mode will provide for the operation Of all System functions. The OPERATIONAL mode has two states, normal and degraded, which are mutually exclusive.

3.1.3.3.1 NORMAL State. In the NORMAL state, all RWP functions will be available and will perform within specification limits,

Mosaics, in accordance with the Mosaic Product adaptation as defined in 60.3.2.4.

3.1.4.1.5.2 Mosaic Area. The mosaic area shall be an adaptable RWP area of interest, in accordance with the RWP Area Definition adaptation as defined in 60.4.3.

3.1.4.1.5.3 Coverage Determination for Image Mosaics.

3.1.4.1.5.3.1 Coverage Priority. Each mosaic altitude class shall have an associated mosaic coverage priority in accordance with the NEXRAD Mosaic Parameter adaptation as defined in 60.2.6, which contains for each grid cell a hierarchical list (primary, secondary, tertiary, quaternary, or no NEXRAD coverage) of NEXRADs from which to choose the value for that grid cell.

3.1.4.1.5.3.2 Product Generation. Each mosaic product shall be generated using the coverage priority of one of the three mosaic altitude classes, in accordance with the NEXRAD Mosaic Parameter adaptation as defined in 60.2.6. The class used for each product shall be adaptable, in accordance with the Mosaic Product adaptation as defined in 60.3.2.4.

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3.1.4.1.5.4 Reconfiguration and Restoration for Image Mosaics.

3.1.4.1.5.4.1 Determination Of Unavailability. A NEXRAD shall be declared unavailable:

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3.1.4.1.5.4.2 Mosaic Coverage Reconfiguration. When a NEXRAD, based on the preceding criteria, is determined by the RWP to be unavailable, grid cells in the most current retained versions of mosaic products to which the NEXRAD had been supplying data shall be supplied with data available from NEXRADs with overlapping coverage so that each cell has the highest priority data level available, as defined in section 3.1.4.1.5.3.1. The RWP shall provide coverage from each available overlapping NEXRAD within a volume scan period plus 45 seconds from the time of the determination of the NEXRAD's unavailability.

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NEXRAD Technical Requirements and UNISYS Interface Control Documents [2.2.1 (a) & (b) 1. This adaptation shall consist of at least the following parameters:

(a) Number of NEXRAD sites interfacing with this RWP [Static A].

(b) Individual site information:

(1) Site ID [Static A].

(2) Site coordinates including latitude, longitude, and elevation [Static A].

(3) Site address [Static A].

(4) Interface type (direct/indirect) [Static A].

(5) RWP address(es) [Static A] (source RWP if indirect, destination RWPs if direct)

There shall be one value for (a), above. For (b) above, there shall be one set of parameters for each of the NEXRAD sites that are required by the RWP, up to a maximum of 27 sites. There shall be up to 7 destination RWP addresses in (b) (5) for sites with a direct interface type.

60.2.2 Individual Radar Product Specification List. This adaptation is used to identify the RIPs sent to an RWP by NEXRAD routinely. This adaptation list shall consist of at least the following parameters:

(a) Product ID [Static A; Static B for addition].

There shall be a minimum of one set of parameters for each RIP identified in 30.1.1 (maximum of 14).

60.2.3 Image RIP Alert Criteria. This adaptation is used to identify the criteria used in generating alerts based upon NEXRAD image RIPs. This adaptation shall consist of the following parameters:

(a) Product ID [Static A].

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