



U.S. AIRPORTS

known to be “in the hearing loop”



Arizona

Phoenix

Sky Harbor International Airport

Terminal 3: All departure gates, Terminal 4*: Departure gates

California

Los Angeles*

Los Angeles International Airport

Consolidated Rent-A-Car Facility

Colorado

Colorado Springs*

Colorado Springs Municipal Airport

Departure gates

Florida

Sarasota

Sarasota-Bradenton Airport

All departure gates

Georgia

Atlanta

Hartsfield-Jackson Atlanta International Airport

Information booths, testing at some Delta departure gates

Indiana

Fort Wayne

Fort Wayne International Airport

Departure gates

South Bend

South Bend International Airport

Some departure gates

Michigan

Detroit

Detroit Metropolitan Wayne County Airport

Delta Airlines departure gates

Grand Rapids

Gerald R. Ford International Airport

Departure gates, concourse

Kalamazoo

Kalamazoo/Battle Creek International Airport

Ticket counters, arrivals area, departure gates

Muskegon

Muskegon County Airport

Departure gates

Minnesota

Minneapolis

Minneapolis-St Paul International Airport

Terminal 1: Baggage claim, some gate areas, international arrivals area, rest area, information desks, terminal 2* departure gates

Additional Information:

The Port Authority of NY & NJ now requires the installation of hearing loops at specified locations in all of their air, bus, train and ferry terminals when new ones are built or existing facilities are significantly updated.

Virgin Atlantic now offers passengers on their international flights the choice of ear buds or a neckloop.

Recommended resource: HEARING LOOP SYSTEMS in an AIRPORT ENVIRONMENT. Presented at the Sixth Annual National Civil Rights Training Conference for Airports, August 11-12, 2015 - visit: www.loopnm.com/Workshop.html.

Montana

Billings*

Billings Logan International Airport

Departure gates

New Mexico

Albuquerque*

Albuquerque International Sunport

Portable counter loops being tested in partnership with Delta Airlines

New York

Queens

La Guardia Airport

All departure gates in Delta Airlines terminal C

Countertop loops in Delta terminals A and B

Rochester

Greater Rochester International Airport

Departure gates, airline and car rental counters, food and beverage concessions

Syracuse

Syracuse Hancock International Airport

Airline and car rental counters

Oregon

Eugene

Eugene Airport

Car rental and ticket counters looped, gates pending

Portland

Portland International Airport

Oregon welcome center – baggage claim area

Rhode Island

Providence*

T.F. Green International Airport

All departure gates, concourses, ticket counters

Tennessee

Memphis

Memphis International Airport

Concourse, departure gates

Texas

Austin

Austin-Bergstrom International Airport

12 departure gates looped, more in progress

Houston*

William P. Hobby International Airport

Currently in planning stage

Washington

Seattle

Seattle-Tacoma International Airport

Alaska Airlines, Delta Air Lines and Jet Blue ticketing and service counters, gates and baggage claim

Wisconsin

Oshkosh

Wittman Regional Airport

Departure gates

* Indicates work in planning or progress stage.



Airports and Hearing Loop Technology

Hearing gate change and other important announcements in a busy airport is problematic even for those with good hearing but often it's mission impossible for those with hearing loss. Good communication access is a basic requirement for the effective use of airport terminals by the traveling public and it is increasingly being provided in airports around the world in the form of audio frequency induction loop systems (AFILS) - commonly called hearing loops. Hearing loops offer barrier free communication for the hearing disabled at ticket and information counters, in the concourse and baggage claim and most importantly, at departure gates.

A VERY PARTIAL LIST OF KNOWN FOREIGN AIRPORTS USING ONE OR MORE FORMS OF HEARING LOOP TECHNOLOGY

Australia

Adelaide Airport
Brisbane Airport
Cairns International
Canberra Airport
Launceston Airport
Melbourne Airport
Onslow Airport
Perth Airport
Sydney Airport
Toowoomba Wellcamp Airport

CANADA

Calgary International Airport
Edmonton International Airport
Hamilton Airport
Red Deer Regional Airport
Ottawa International Airport
Toronto Pearson International
Vancouver International Airport
Victoria International Airport

Croatia

Zračna luka Dubrovnik
Zračna luka Zadar
Zračna luka Franjo Tuđman Zagreb

Denmark

Copenhagen Airport

France

Paris Charles de Gaulle Airport

Germany

Berlin Brandenburg Airport

India

Bangalore International Airport

Ireland

Dublin Airport

Japan

Tokyo Haneda International

Malta

Malta International airport

Netherlands

Amsterdam Airport Schiphol

New Zealand

Christchurch International Airport

Oman

Muscat International Airport
Salalah Airport

Qatar

Doha Hammond Airport

Russia

Moscow
Domodedovo International Airport
Sheremetyevo International Airport
Vnukovo International Airport
Zhukovsky International Airport
Airport of Petropavlovsk-Kamchatsky

Singapore

Changi Airport

South Korea

Incheon Airport

Spain

Adolfo Suárez Madrid-Barajas Airport

Sweden

Are Ostersund Airport
Bromma Stockholm Airport
Kiruna Airport
Landvetter Airport
Lulea Airport
Malmo Airport
Ronneby Airport
Stockholm Arlanda Airport
Umea Airport
Visby Airport

Switzerland

Geneve International

UK

London
Gatwick airport
Heathrow Airport
London Luton Airport
Birmingham Airport
East Midlands Airport
Edinburgh Airport
Manchester Airport
Newcastle Airport



HEARING LOOPS - AN INTERNATIONAL TECHNOLOGY

In any color and any language, a sign bearing this symbol tells you there is a hearing loop in operation that will help you to hear any important announcements or to converse with an attendant at that location. The signal from a hearing loop in any country will connect with telecoil equipped hearing aids or cochlear implants purchased anywhere in the world.



Departure gate prepared for installation of phased array hearing loop