

**Aerospace and Electronic Systems Society**  
**Membership Development Status and Activity Report**  
**October 2002 – May 2003**

As of March 2003, AESS membership included 4,316 members, 449 student members, and 21 affiliates. This represents an overall drop of 13.8% in membership since 2002.

Beginning in March 2003, we have reinitiated sending welcome letters to new and reinstated AESS members.

Follow-up letters are being sent to SYSTEMS authors.

Membership Development Materials Sent to AESS-sponsored Conferences:

2002 AUTOTESTCON  
2002 IEEE International Carnahan Conference on Security Technology  
2002 IEEE/AIAA 21<sup>st</sup> Digital Avionics Systems Conference (DASC 2002)  
2002 International Non-Volatile Memory Technology Symposium  
2002 Technologies for the Space Century Symposium, Colorado Springs  
2003 IEEE Aerospace Conference  
2003 Military & Aerospace Electronics East Show  
2003 17<sup>th</sup> Annual International Symposium on Aerospace/Defense Sensing, Simulation, and Controls

Membership Development Materials Arranged for future AESS-sponsored Conferences:

2003 IEEE Radar Conference  
2003 10<sup>th</sup> Saint Petersburg International Conference on Integrated Navigation Systems  
2003 International Conference on Ground Penetrating Radar  
2003 American Control Conference  
2003 IEEE Intelligent Vehicles Symposium

Membership Development Materials Planned for future AESS-sponsored Conferences:

2003 6<sup>th</sup> International Conference on Information Fusion  
2003 Military and Aerospace Applications of Programmable Devices and Technologies  
2003 20<sup>th</sup> International Congress on Instrumentation in Aerospace Simulation Facilities  
2003 International Conference on Radar (RADAR 2003)  
2003 AUTOTESTCON  
2003 IEEE/AIAA 22<sup>nd</sup> Digital Avionics Systems Conference (DASC 2003)  
2003 Symposium on Phased Array Systems and Technology  
2003 International Radar Symposium (IRS 2003)  
2003 IEEE Intelligent Transportation Systems Conference (ITSC 2003)  
2003 IEEE International Carnahan Conference on Security Technology  
2003 International Conference on Recent Advances in Space Technologies (RAST 2003)

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Downloaded AESS “pink files” through March 2003. IEEE is preparing to roll out a new web-based membership database.

Status of action item from August 2001 BoG meeting to examine percentage of members that drop after one year in order to evaluate benefit of free membership offers – no action last period.