

ASA Dealer Bulletin

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Changes for “NOS/NACO” Chart Products

For much of the last few decades, pilots referred to aeronautical chart products as “NOS” charts as produced by NOAA/NOS (National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration/National Ocean Service). Subsequently, those same chart products became known as “NACO” (National Aeronautical Charting Office) charts. This has all been due to organizational restructuring at the FAA—and it has changed again: the FAA now releases these chart products via the Aeronautical Navigation Products (“AeroNav Products”) Department, which is part of the National Aeronautical Navigation Services.

In an effort to keep these products associated with the FAA nomenclature, ASA is removing the references to “NOS” and “NACO” and updating product names, numbers and descriptions where applicable—the prices remain unchanged. Pardon our dust as these changes are implemented.

Changes will become effective with the release of the ASA 2011 Product Catalog. We are sorry for any inconvenience this poses, and thank you for your patience and cooperation. We feel that these changes will help avoid possible future confusion for you and your customers, and help keep us all on the same page.

“NOS/NACO” products that will be updated:

Old Product Names and Numbers

Product	Order Number	Suggested List Price
NACO Flip Binder.....	ASA-AP-BD-FLIP.....	\$12.95
NACO Approach Plate Binder.....	ASA-AP-BD-NOS.....	\$12.95
NACO Color Dividers.....	ASA-AP-DIV-NOS5.....	\$4.95
NACO Binder Kit.....	ASA-AP-KT-NOS.....	\$22.95
NACO Sheet Protectors.....	ASA-AP-SP-NOS.....	\$6.95
NACO Poly Sheet Protectors.....	ASA-AP-SP4-POLY.....	\$4.95

New Product Names and Numbers

Product	Order Number	Suggested List Price
4-Ring Flip Binder.....	ASA-AP-BD-FLIP*	\$12.95
4-Ring Approach Plate Binder.....	ASA-AP-BD-4RNG.....	\$12.95
4-Ring Color Dividers.....	ASA-AP-DIV-4RNG.....	\$4.95
4-Ring Binder Kit.....	ASA-AP-KT-4RNG.....	\$22.95
4-Ring Sheet Protectors.....	ASA-AP-SP-4RNG.....	\$6.95
4-Ring Poly Sheet Protectors.....	ASA-AP-SP4-POLY*.....	\$4.95

*NOTE: Product Numbers for ASA-AP-BD-FLIP and ASA-AP-SP4-POLY will NOT change.

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