



Safety recommendation no. 23

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Safety deficit	<p>The accident has shown that insufficiently detailed planning of a formation flight, in particular with regard to flight paths and the visibility conditions of all aircraft involved, as well as the procedures to be followed in case of an unexpected loss of visibility, can lead to misunderstandings with a high level of risk.</p>
Safety recommendation	<p>Topic: Planning of formation flights Target group: Pilots of aircraft performing formation flights</p> <p>Crews are reminded that detailed planning and a comprehensive briefing with all pilots involved are crucial for the safe execution of formation flights. The complexity of the flight manoeuvres and the planned flight paths should be planned based on the level of experience of the pilots involved and the aircraft used, with their specific performance characteristics and visibility conditions. All pilots must be aware of the responsibilities and procedures in the event of unclear situations during the flight.</p>
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