



FF-161 – “Aéropostale”

The French airline Société des Lignes was formed in 1918 with the intention of providing airmail services from France to her colonies in North Africa and South America; becoming Aéropostale in 1927.



Breguet XIV

Suggested Aircraft: Farman F70, Breguet 14. (CMCO: With their primitive instrumentation and even the lack of a compass (!) it is suggested that pilots substitute aircraft such as the Cessna 208 or Pilatus PC-12 for this mission.)

Flight Schedule:

1. Toulouse (LFBO) – Perpignan (LFMP) – Barcelona (LEBL) - Alicante (LEAL) - Malaga (LEMG) – Tangier (GMTT) – Rabat (GMME) - 806nm.
2. Rabat (GMME) - Casablanca (GMMN) - 58nm.
3. Casablanca (GMMN) – Al Massira, Agadir (GMAD) – Hassan I, Laayoune (GMML) – Dakhla (GMMH) - Nouakchott (GQNN) – Dakar (GOOY) – 1,292nm.
4. Algiers (DAAG) – Biskra (DAUB) - 168nm.

NOTAMS:

Transit stops as required.

Total distance 2,324nm.

Please start PIREP Comments with, eg, FF161-1/4.