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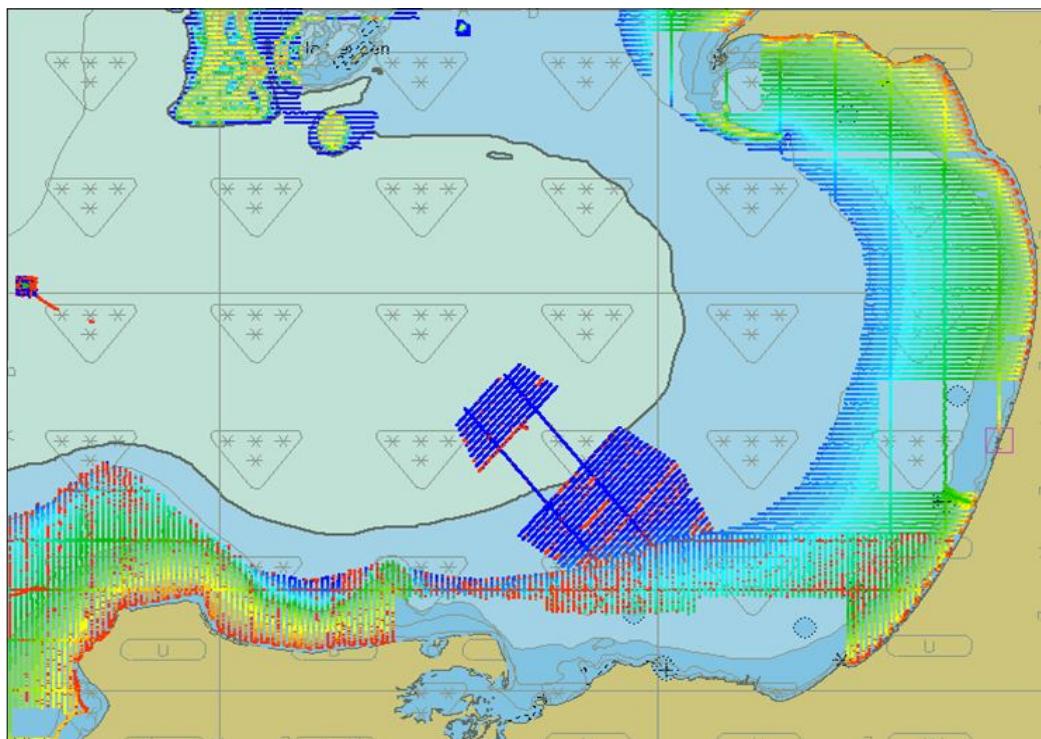


1. Hydrographic Office /Service:

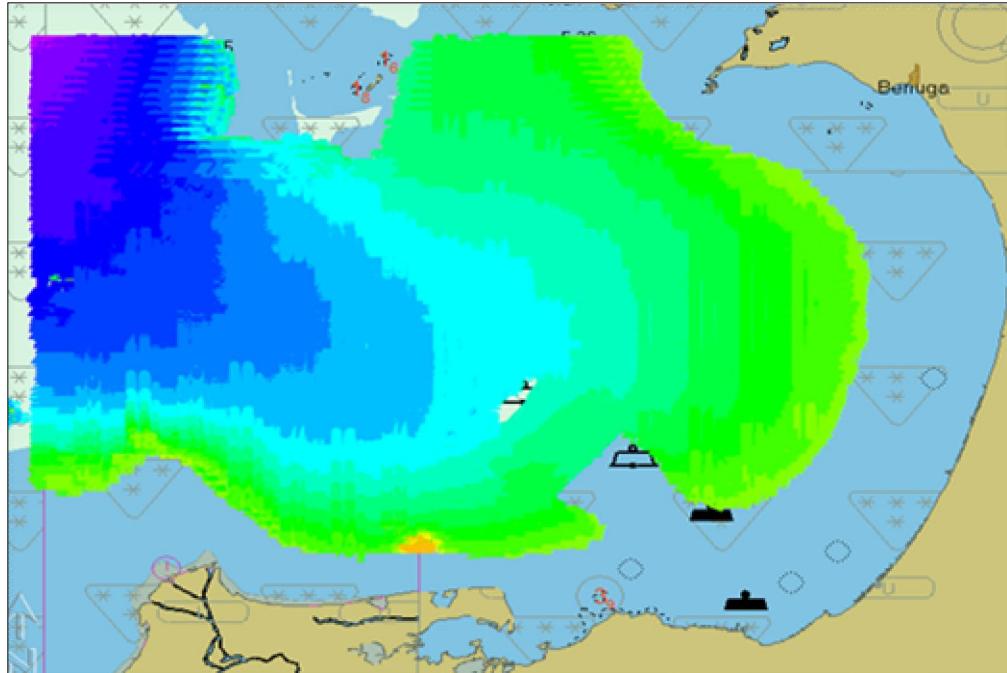
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2. Surveys (06)

Bahía de Cartagena
Golfo de Morrosquillo
Aproximación a la isla de Providencia
Río Magdalena (canal navegable, desembocadura)
Canal de acceso a la Estación de Guardacostas de San Andrés



Área levantada 618 Golfo de Morrosquillo – Shallow waters

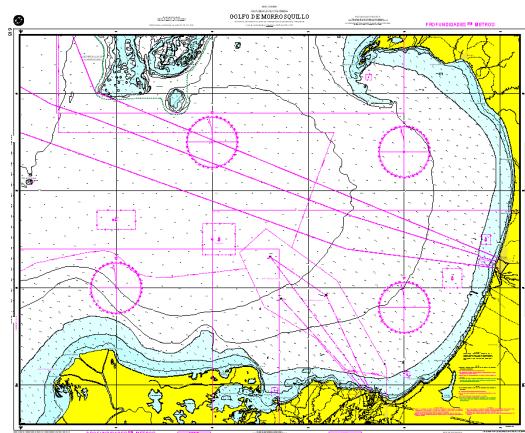


Área levantada 618 Golfo de Morrosquillo – Depth waters

3. New charts and updates: (6 news and 09 updates)

010 Barranquilla a Península de Paraguana
 262 Bahía de Cartagena
 263 Bahía Interna de Cartagena
 618 Golfo de Morrosquillo
 654 Aproximación a Isla de Providencia
 833 Canal de Acceso a la Bahía de Cartagena

011 Canal de Panamá a Barranquilla
 040 Península de La Guajira
 041 Barranquilla a Riohacha
 042 Isla Fuerte a Barranquilla
 043 Cabo Tiburón a Isla Fuerte
 253 Rio Magdalena
 407 Puerto Colombia a Santa Marta
 409 Bajo Tortugilla a Punta Canoas
 612 Aproximación a Barranquilla

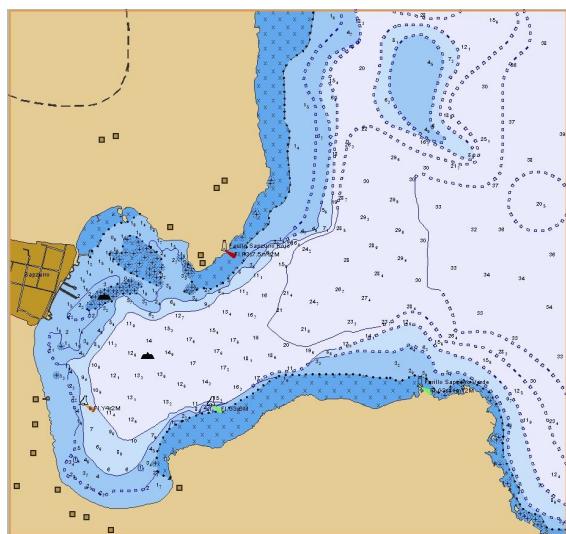


Nautical route of Caribbean Colombian for sailing

12 Nautical charts. Esc 1:5.000 to 1:15.000

New ENC according new ECNN (25)

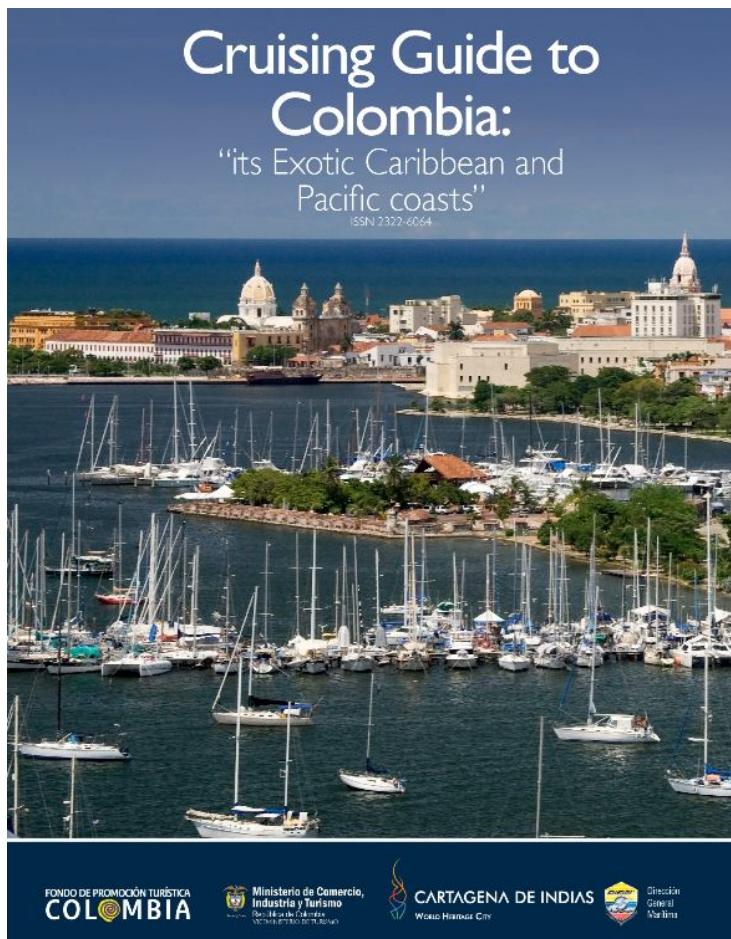
CO200008	Cabo Gracias a Dios a Santa Marta
CO300020	Pedro Bank a Gorda Bank
CO300021	Cabo Gracias a Dios a Isla de Providencia
CO300022	Isla de San Andrés a Golfo de los Mosquitos
CO300023	Golfo de los Mosquitos a Punta Mosquito
CO300024	Cabo Tiburón a Bahía de Cartagena
CO300025	Punta Canoas a Santa Marta
CO300026	Punta Chengue a Punta Espada
CO400201	Isla de San Andrés
CO400244	Bahía de Taganga A Ciénaga
CO400606	Aproximación a Riohacha
CO400612	Aproximación a Barranquilla
CO400615	Punta Barbacoas A Punta Canoas
CO400618	Golfo de Morrosquillo
CO400660	Aproximación a Cayos de Serranilla
CO400662	Bajo Alicia
CO500200	Puerto de San Andrés
CO500213	Serrana (Cayo Serrana)
CO500218	Isla de Providencia
CO500229	Bahía Portete
CO500253	Río Magdalena (Bocas de Ceniza – Puente Laureano)
CO500261	Bahía de Cartagena
CO500804	Bahía de Santa Marta
CO600843	Bahía de Cartagena (Canales de Acceso)
CO600879	Bahía de Sapzurro



CO600879 Bahía de Sapzurro

4. New Publications and updates

Guía Náutica turística de Colombia
Atlas Cartográfico de los Océanos y Costas de Colombia 4th version
Resumen Aviso a los navegantes 2011
Actualización Derrotero digital
Ayudas a la navegación



5. MSI

SERVICE	YES	NO	PARTIAL	NOTES
Local Warning	X			
Coastal Warnings	X			
Navarea Warnings	X			
Information on Ports and Harbours	X			Via NAVAREA XII Coordinator

GMDSS IMPLEMENTATION (IMO 970 – GMDSS Handbook)

SERVICE	YES	NO	PARTIAL	NOTES
Master plan		X		
A1 Area			X	
A2 Area			X	
A3 Area		X		
NAVTEX		X		
SafetyNET		X		

6. C-55. Last update in web IHO, June 8/2009.

The data will be updated

6.1 HYDROGRAPHICS SURVEYS

1.1 Status of hydrographic survey of all navigable waters, including internal waters, out to the limits of the EEZ:

Survey coverage, where:

A = percentage which is adequately surveyed.

B = percentage which requires re-survey at larger scale or to modern standards.

C = percentage which has never been systematically surveyed

	A	B	C
Depths < 200m	88	0	12
Depths > 200m	22	0	78

Amplifying information: The concept of EEZ is not applicable

6.2 NAUTICAL CHARTING

If do you have a nautical charting capability, complete the details below

2.1 Status of nautical charting within the limits of the EEZ

Coverage of charts published by your organization, where:

A = percentage covered by INT series, or a paper chart series meeting the standards M-4.

B = percentage covered by Raster Navigational Charts (RNCs) meeting the standards in S-61.

C = percentage covered by ENCs meeting the standards in S-57.

Purpose/Scale	A	B	C
Offshore passage/Small	100	0	100
Landfall and Coastal passage/Medium	73.3	0	85.7
Approaches and Ports/Large	88.2	0	35.1
Percentage of Group A showing depths in	100	0	100

meters			
Percentage of Group A referenced to a satellite datum	100	0	100

7. CAPACITY BUILDING

7.1 Training received:

- 01 Electronic Charting Training UKHO UK
- 01 MSDI IHO-CBC Brazil

7.2 Training needed:

- Submarine Topography Training
- NAVTEX training
- Development of Printing by demand
- Development of Hydrographic Data Base

7.3 Training and courses offered:

- Escuela Naval de Suboficiales. ARC Barranquilla.
Hydrographic and Oceanography technology.
www.escuelanavalsuboficiales.edu.co

7.4 Projects under development:

- Cartographic and hydrographic project 2012
- Cartographic and hydrographic project 2013 apply to DIMAR
- Information management model for strengthening the National Hydrographic Service 2013-2014 (phase 1 of 2) apply to DIMAR.

8. OCEANOGRAPHIC ACTIVITIES

- Measurement of oceanographic parameters and marine meteorology
- Numerical modeling of oceanographic processes: of wave and presentation of virtual buoys; assessor in B and R operations; forecast pursuit spots hydrocarbons
- Oceanographic and marine meteorology forecast
- Studies and assessor in oceanographic subjects and coastal erosion
- Land reception satellites station GOES
- Directional wave buoys

9. OTHER ACTIVITIES

- Determination of DIMAR jurisdiction in the Colombian Caribbean
- Geomorphology and sedimentology of coasts

- Studies of circulation of currents and sediments
- Studies of winds and tides.
- IBCSEP Chairman
- IBCCA Chairman
- Member of GEBCO
- Celebration of World Hydrographic Day 2012. Cooperation between MS

10. THINGS THAT KEEP US AWAKE AT NIGHT

- How to solve the overlapping between cells CO-VE Solved
- Implement the Base data base project
- Increase the surveys in depth water
- Edit the IBCCA sheets 1-10, 1-12 and 1-16

11. CONCLUSIONS

Is necessary to continue the increase of the cooperation between members states for the development of the MACHC region.

The contribution of hydrographic for the development

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