

Mediterranean and Black Seas Hydrographic Commission (MBSHC)

Black and Azov Seas WG (BASWG) Meetings

Outcome of MBSHC-20 affecting BASWG



Introduction

- Coordination is of paramount importance
- Full Agenda:
 - ✓ Capacity building;
 - ✓ Cooperation and coordination in surveying, charting (both paper charts and ENC's) and MSI dissemination
- Cooperation is crucial, especially as regards ENC's



Introduction

- Overlapping is detrimental to safety
- Fill in the present gaps
- Efforts coordinated by the Region F charting coordinator
 - ✓ Need support from all Members to develop a consistent ENC scheme



Analysis/Discussion - Outcomes of MBSHC20

MBSHC20/03	MS are encouraged to populate the CATZOC values (1 to 5) of their ENC cells iaw HSSC8 action 38.	All	MBSHC21
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- Importance of populating ENCs with assessed CATZOC values (1 to 5)
- MSs review their current ENC production processes and make changes where necessary



Analysis/Discussion - Outcomes of MBSHC20

MBSHC20/17	MS to use the IHO online port database to update their port priority list and report to the Regional Charting Coordinator (RCC).	All	End of 2017
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- Related to the ENC gap analysis
- Prerequisite for the coordination of the ENC schema at Regional level



Analysis/Discussion - Outcomes of MBSHC20

MBSHC20/22	MS to use the RENCs' template report to provide the RCC with: <ul style="list-style-type: none">- evaluation of risk level on the most critical ENC overlaps based on the IC-ENC risk assessment regional database (level: MEDIUM);- their views and comments on the IC-ENC risk assessment methodology.	All	October 2017
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- IHO resolution on the elimination of overlapping ENC data (See IHO CL 19/2018);
- WENDWG risk assessment experimentation;



Analysis/Discussion - Outcomes of MBSHC20

MBSHC20/26	MS to provide their needs in terms of CB to the CB Coordinator, copy to the MBSHC Chair.	All	2019 CBWP: 31 Jan 2018 2020 CBWP: 31 Jan 2019
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- MBSHC Letter N°3/2018 - outcome of the questionnaire;
- Important to check:
 - ✓ the mailing list, and
 - ✓ your mail server settings, to be sure that you can receive emails from CB Coordinator.



Analysis/Discussion – Decision A1/10

Decision A1/10

The Assembly urged Member States to ensure consistency between their paper and digital charts and publications through the provision of the appropriate updates

- To clarify the situation, and
- To update the INT Chart Web Catalogue accordingly.



Conclusions

- BAS sub-region has a number of peculiarity
- Develop into a new RHC
- More cooperation and coordination



Action requested of BASWG

The BASWG Members are invited to:

- a) Note this report;
- b) Provide views and appropriate actions to apply the new Resolution on the elimination of overlapping ENC data;
- c) Take any actions deemed necessary.

