

Hydrographic Services and Standards Committee

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Report to the IHO 8 HSSC Meeting Monaco (14-18 November 2016)

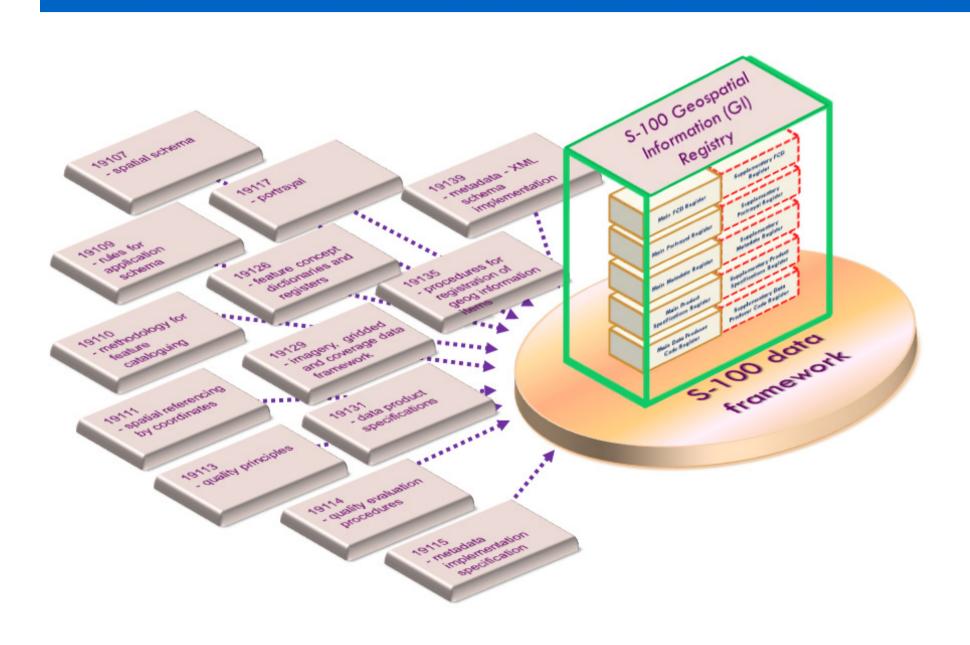
ISO Activities Affecting HSSC



Principal activities and achievements

- + Scope standardization in the field of digital geographic information.
- + IHO is a Class A liaison members and has contributed to TC211 standards development activities for a number of years.
- + As of July 2016 TC211 has
- + 37 Participating (P) members
- + 30 Observing (O) members
- + 36 External Liaison Organizations
- + Since HSSC7 Mexico became a P member
- Mongolia became a O members
- Small Business Standards Organization (Class A liaison)
 - -- UN Statistics Division (UNSD) (Class A liaison)
- The TC has published 67 International Standards or Technical Specifications

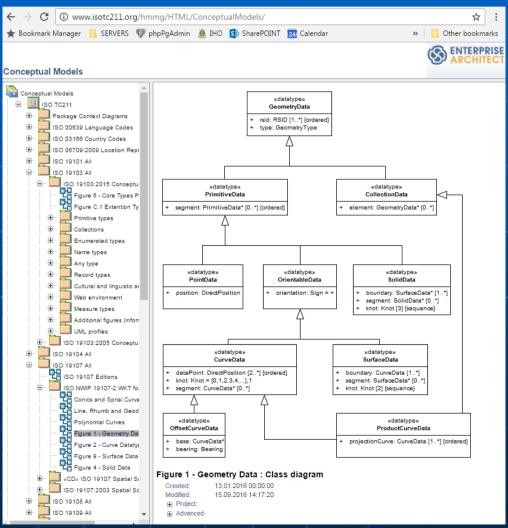
Relevance to IHO



Relevance to IHO - TC211 harmonised UML model

The TC211 have developed a harmonised UML model can be downloaded from the ISO web site http://www.isotc211.org/hmmg/HTML/root.html

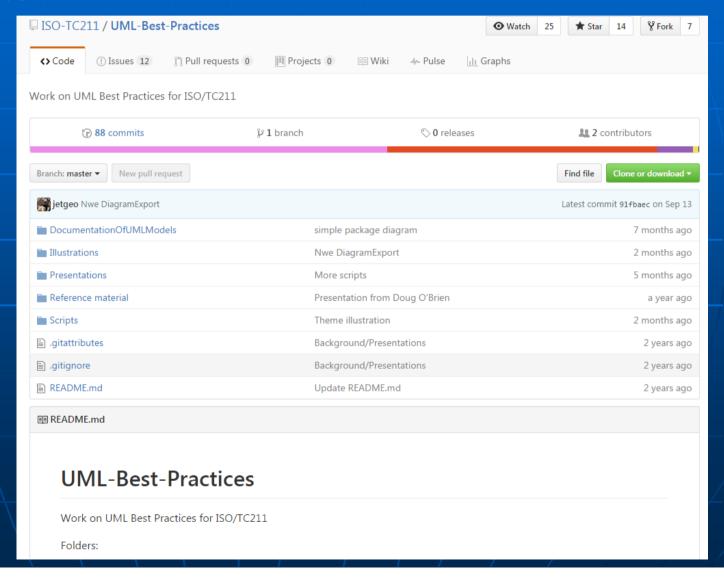
Model can also be viewed as Web pages





Relevance to IHO – UML Best Practices WIKI

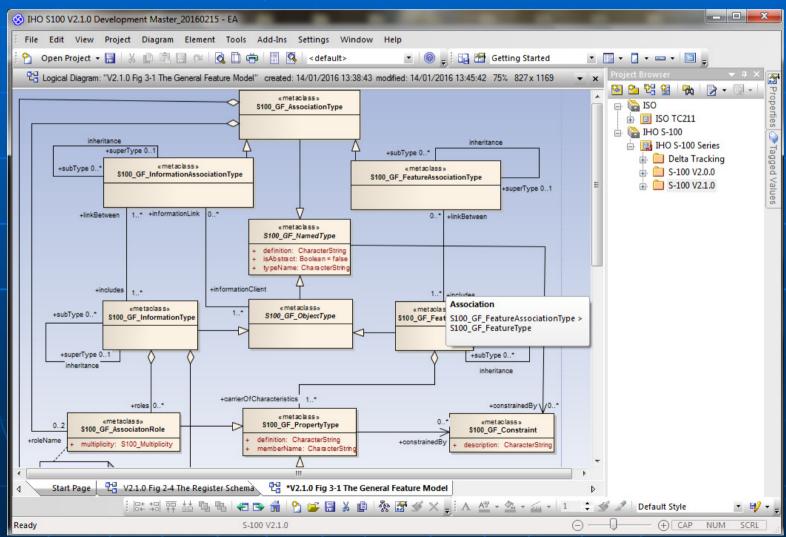
The ISO/TC 211 have developed a "**UML best practices**" WIKI to assist users of the harmonised model.





Relevance to IHO - S-100 UML Model

S-100 UML model is based on the TC211 harmonised model – S-100 UML model is available (https://basecamp.com/)





Relevance to IHO – other resources

CEN Technical Reports – Spatial Data Infrastructures

- Part 1 Reference Model
- Part 2 Best practices
- Part 3 Data centric view
- Part 4 Service centric view
- Part 5 Validating and testing









Problems or outstanding issues

Issues raised in paper HSSC7.7B INF Action HSSC7/43)

- 1. only the latest versions of 19100 standards are available for purchase.
- 2. recommended that, where possible, a crosswalk referencing changes to previous 19100 document editions should be maintained;

Resolution 744: "ISO/TC 211 strongly recommends that revisions of standards and technical specifications include an informative annex which describes how backward compatibility is addressed. This annex may include crosswalks, mappings or similar mechanisms, which evidence the degree of compatibility"



Thanks to ...

Olaf Østensen and Bjørnhild Sæterøy (Standards Norway)

The Swedish Standards Institute will take over the secretariat of the TC from January 2017.





Action requested of HSSC

The HSSC is invited to:

- a. note the paper,
- b. invite the IHO Secretariat to inform the MSDIWG of relevant developments,
- c. agree that the IHO Secretariat continues to monitor these activities, and
- d. take any other actions considered necessary.

