



Hydrographic Surveys Working Group (HSWG) 5

Manual on Hydrography Project Team

Plenary Summary

05th Oct 2023



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MHPT UPDATE

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- Summary of Progress
- Intersessional Workplan
- Workplan



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MHPT OBJECTIVES ACHIEVED

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- Review existing content and structure of C-13;
- Identified revisions and amendments to reflect changes of chapter layout in C-13



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ACTIONS AND DECISIONS

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- Reviewed Existing C-13 Table of Contents
 - *ACTION – Remove Existing Chapter 1 as covered in Chapter 7*
 - *ACTION – Split Chapter 2 Positioning into two chapters (1 and 2)*
 - *ACTION – Reordered Chapter Layout to place Tides and Positioning before Depth Determination*
 - *ACTION – Split Chapter 4 into two chapters (5 and 6)*
 - *ACTION – Create a Chapter 8 – Topographic and Imagery Surveys*
 - *ACTION – develop an Intersessional Workplan with a view to updating C-13 Workplan at HSWG6*



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ACTIONS AND DECISIONS

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- *ACTION – Investigate use of GiTBOOK for Editing*
- *ACTION – Speak with External Experts to develop chapter framework for Seabed Characterisation*
- *ACTION – IHO to confirm if Online Format can be produced alongside pdf*
- *ACTION – Decide Priority for Production of New Chapters*



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ACTIONS AND DECISIONS

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- *DECISION – When reviewing/amending C-13 the content should be focussed on students studying to become Cat B and more experienced Cat B qualified personnel*
- *DECISION – due to complexity of updates once reviews complete amends on a Chapter by Chapter basis*
- *DECISION – move historical content to an annex with main text focussed on what is in use/relevant in today's operations*

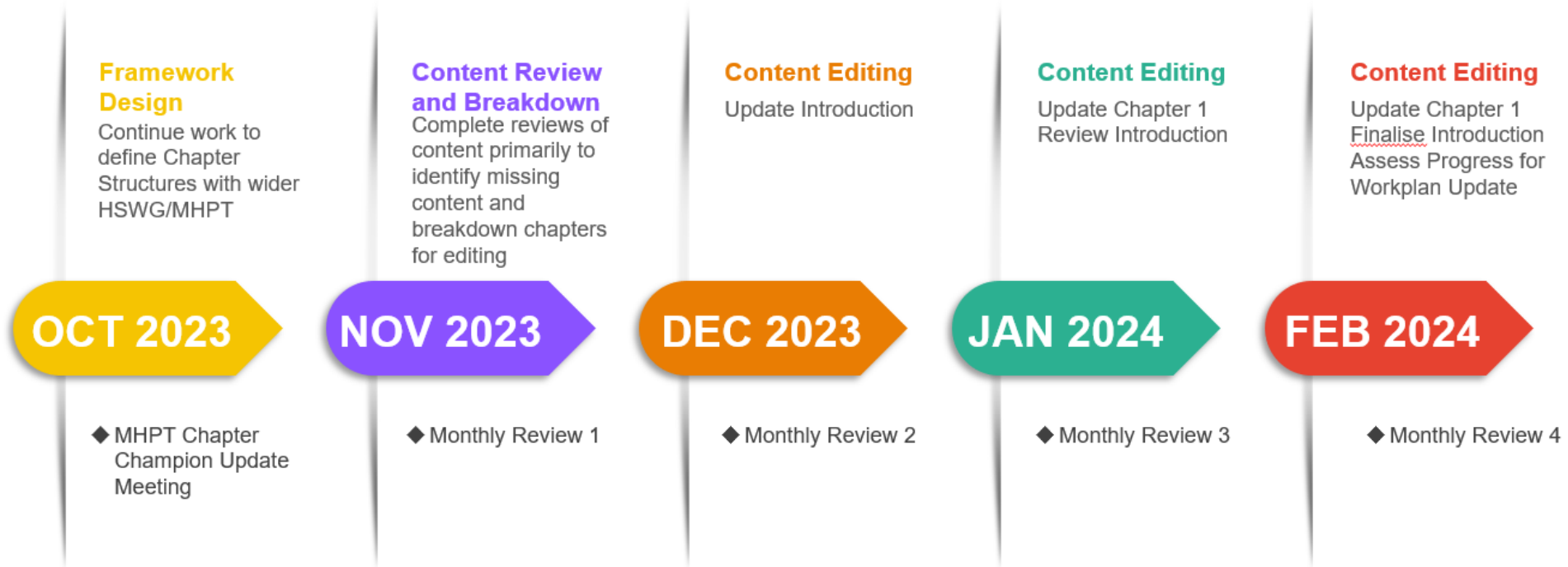


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INTERSESSIONAL WORKPLAN

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- Proposed Outline Workplan to HSWG - 6





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Any Questions