

2nd IHO Geospatial Information (GI) Registry Workshop

Introduction of IHO GI Registry

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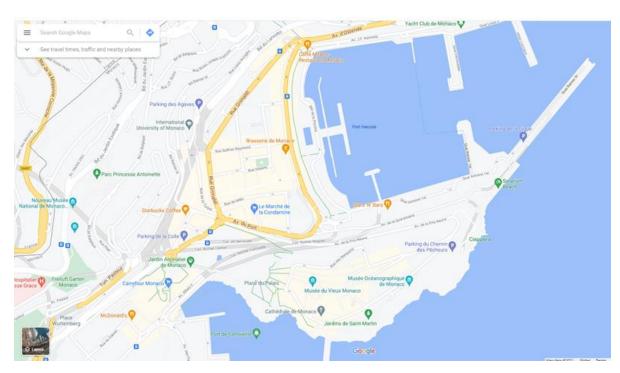
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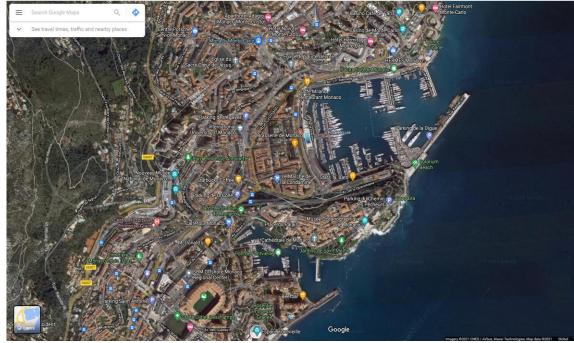
- Introduction to the IHO GI Registry
- Understanding structure of the IHO GI Registry
- Understanding the GI Registry Interface
- Discuss possible improvements to the Registry Interface
- Advance development of "conventions and guidelines" for the IHO GI Registry
 - Rationalization of Registry content
 - Discuss possible new data modelling concepts for the Registry (for example utilization of concept specializations (URNs, Namespaces))
- Introduction to Registry associated tools
 - Feature Catalogue Builder
 - Portrayal Catalogue Builder



INTRODUCTION

- Modern Geoinformation software has the ability to combine geodata from various themes and domains.
 - Example : Google Maps™ (position and directions, but also links to restaurants and services; satellite imagery, real time traffic information)



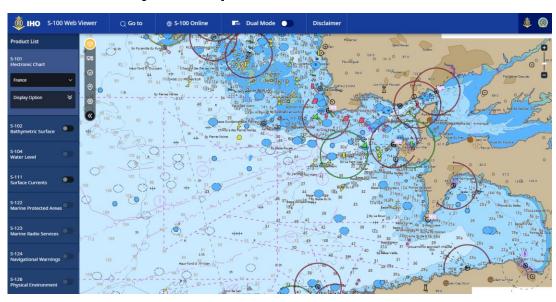


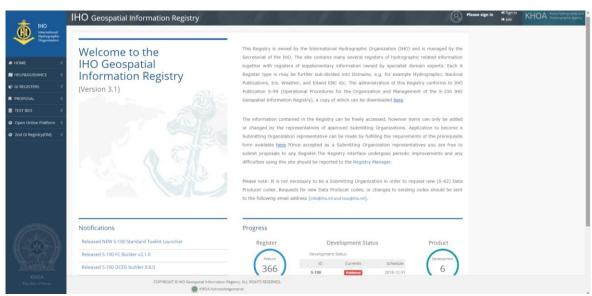


INTRODUCTION (2)

- The underlaying data model for the incoming data must be consistent to seamlessly integrate data from a multitude of sources.
 - At the same time this data model needs to be expandable for new sorts of Geoinformation

 analogous with installing a new app.
- The IHO geospatial Information (GI) Registry concept complies with this paradigm for the maritime domain, but in contrast to Google's commercial approach the Registry is open source and depends on the engagement of subject-specific domains who wish to be included.





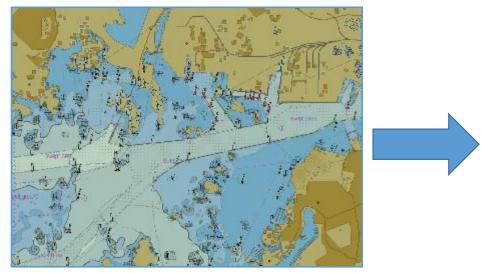


S-100 – THE COMMON MARITIME DATA STRUCTURE

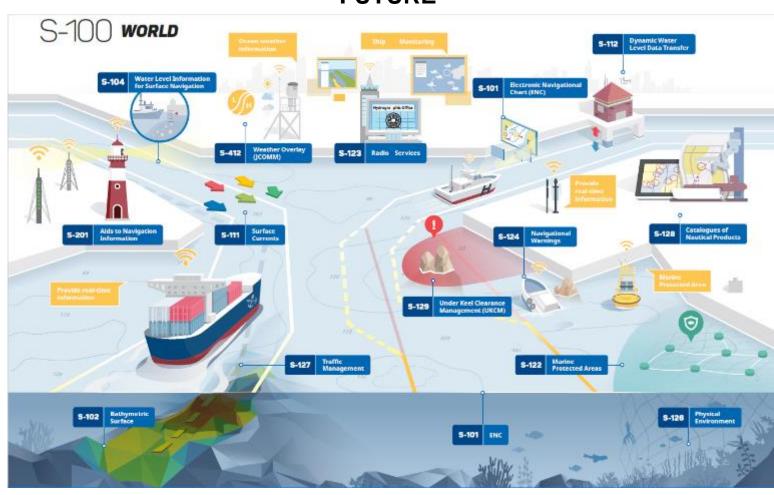
FUTURE

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CURRENT



2D ECDIS (S-57/S-52)

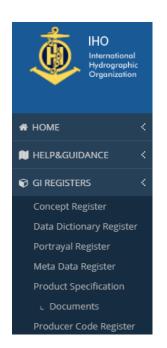


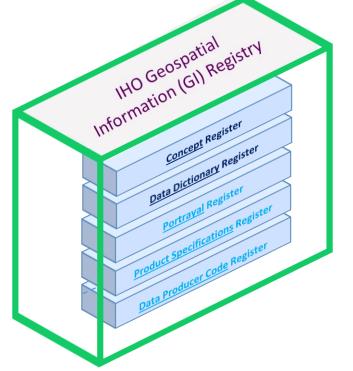
4D ECDIS and shore-based systems: Additional vertical and real time information dimension (S-100)



IHO GI REGISTRY

- The IHO GI Registry itself is **an easily expandable library** of named and attributed features to describe real world and administrative entities; based on the principles described in ISO 19135 *Procedures for registration of items of geographic information*.
- In order to keep it manageable, The GI Registry contains several Registers, some of which
 are sub-divided into thematic Domains to host subject-related collections of these features.





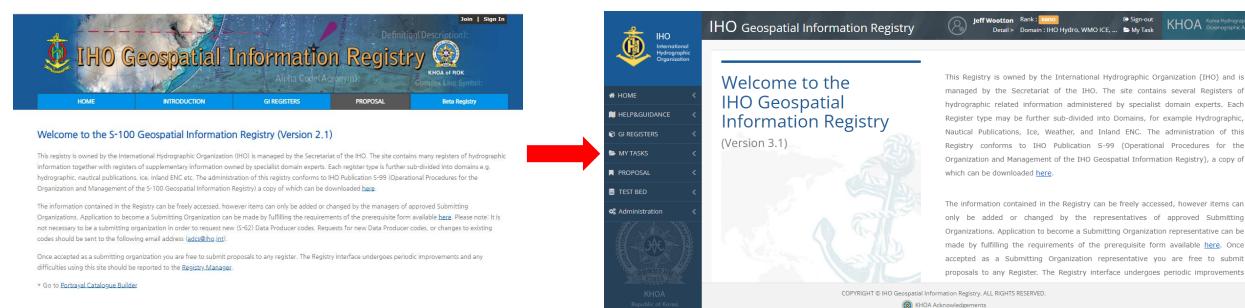


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No	Name &	Camelcase	Definition $\mbox{$\phi$}$	Status	Date Accepted ▼
6761	Sea Wall	seaWall	An embankment or wall for protection against waves or tidal action alo	Valid	2020-03-27
6762	Landing Steps	landingSteps	Steps at the shoreline as the connection between land and water on di	Valid	2020-03-27
6763	Slipway	slipway	The prepared and usually reinforced inclined surface on which keel- an	Valid	2020-03-27
6764	Fender	fender	A protective structure designed to cushion the impact of a vessel and p	Valid	2020-03-27
6765	Solid Face Wharf	solidFaceWharf	A wharf consisting of a solid wall of concrete, masonry, wood etc., such	Valid	2020-03-27
6766	Open Face Wharf	openFaceWharf	A wharf supported on piles or other structures which allow free circulat	Valid	2020-03-27
6767	Log Ramp	logRamp	An inclined plane used to dump logs into the water for transport, or to	Valid	2020-03-27
6768	Quay	quay	A wharf approximately parallel to the shoreline and accommodating sh	Valid	2020-03-27
6769	Causeway	causeway	A raised way across low or wet ground or water.	Valid	2020-03-27
6770	Canal	canal	An artificial waterway with no flow, or a controlled flow, used for naviga	Valid	2020-03-27
6771	Category of Canal	categoryOfCanal	Classification of an artificial waterway used for travel, drainage, or irriga	Valid	2020-03-27
6772	Transportation	transportation	A canal used for navigation as part of a transport system.	Valid	2020-03-27
6773	Drainage	drainage	A canal used to drain excess water from surrounding land.	Valid	2020-03-27
6774	Irrigation	irrigation	A canal used to supply water for the purpose of irrigation.	Valid	2020-03-27
6775	Distance Mark	distanceMark	A distance mark indicates the distance measured from an origin and co	Valid	2020-03-27
6776	Category of Distance Mark	categoryOfDistanceMark	Classification of fixed and virtual distance marks.	Valid	2020-03-27
6777	Distance Mark Not Physically Insta	distanceMarkNotPhysicallyInstalled	A point at which a distance from an origin along a feature is given for in	Valid	2020-03-27
6778	Visible Mark, Pole	visibleMarkPole	A point at which a distance from an origin along a feature is given for in	Valid	2020-03-27
6779	Visible Mark, Board	visibleMarkBoard	A point at which a distance from an origin along a feature is given for in	Valid	2020-03-27
6780	Visible Mark, Unknown Shape	visibleMarkUnknownShape	A point at which a distance from an origin along a feature is given for in	Valid	2020-03-27



IHO GI REGISTRY (2)

- Registry became operational (Version 3.1) in October 2016.
- Migration of content from Version 2.1 to Version 3.1 March-September 2020.
- Management of IHO Data Producer Codes transferred to Data Producer Code Register in November 2021.

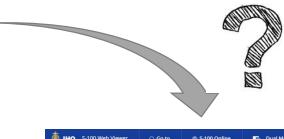




REGISTERS

- The items maintained in the Registers are abstract descriptions
 - Characteristics described through associated attributes and portrayal specifications. These attributed features are used in Catalogues to specify the feature in a product.
 - A typical feature from the Hydrography Domain is a wreck:









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Name Definition ...

Type of feature Attributes, relations ...

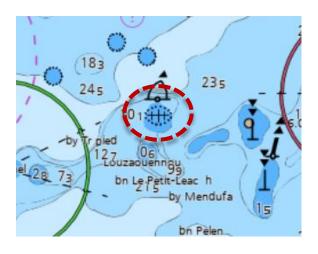
Symbol, colours, fonts ...

Feature Concept
Dictionary
Product Specification Register
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Product Catalogue
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Concept (Dictionary)

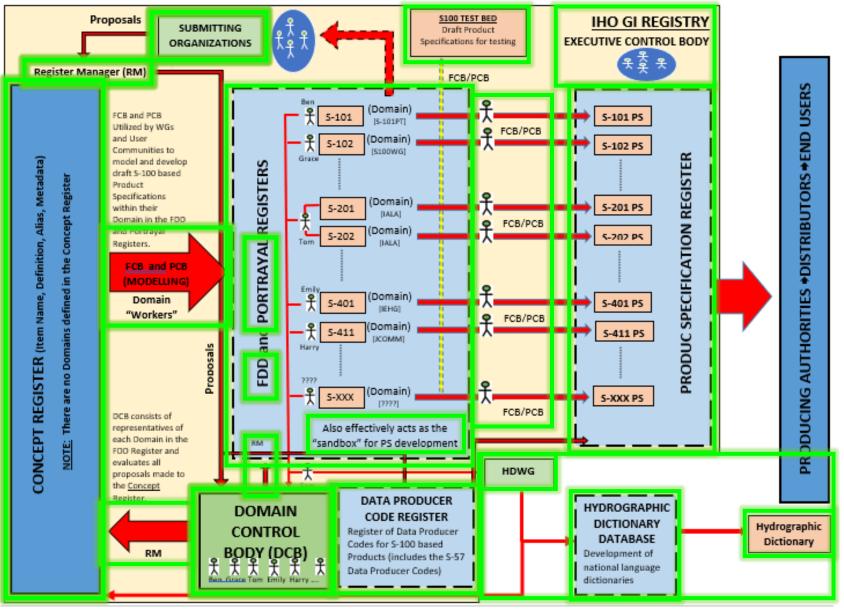
Data Dictionary (Structure)

Portrayal (Representation)





REGISTERS: STRUCTURE AND PROCESS



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Remarks

REGISTERS: CONCEPT

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- The Concept Register specifies unique, independent sets of definitions of concepts that may be used to describe information.
 - These concepts as registered in the Concept Register may then be used within Data Dictionaries.

Status

Valid

Date Accepted

2020-10-21

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2020-04-08

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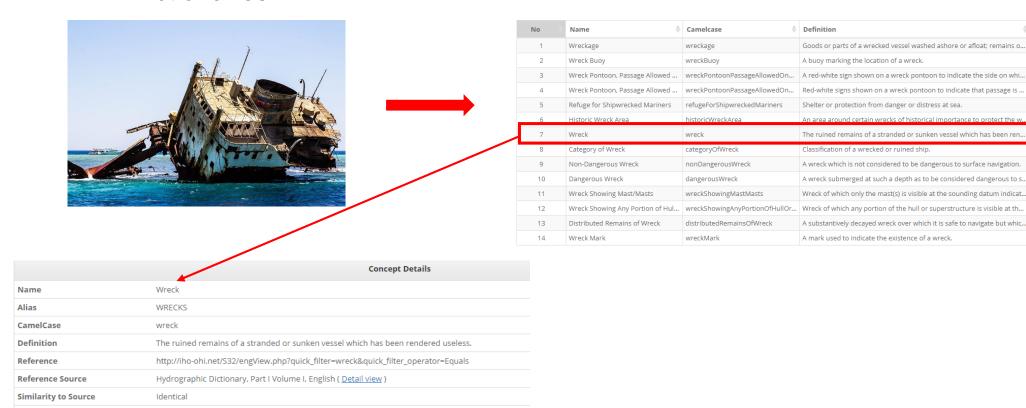
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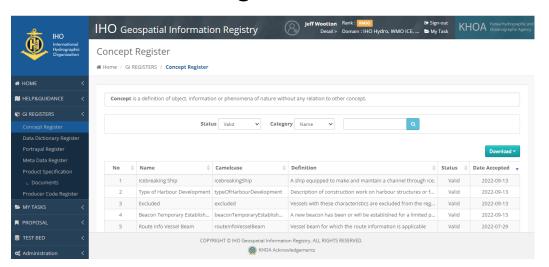
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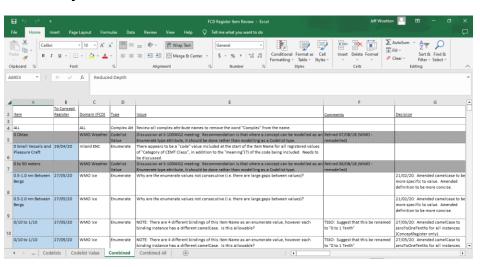




REGISTERS: CONCEPT (2)

- Includes concept name, definition and associated metadata only.
 - No association to modelling (feature/attribute/enumerate binding).
- Current contents of the Concept Register.
 - 7930 individual registered items (December 2022).
 - Registered contents intended for use in the IHO Hydro, IALA, IEC, Inland ENC and WMO Domains.
 - Includes entire content of the IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.
- Outstanding issues recorded in maintained spreadsheet.





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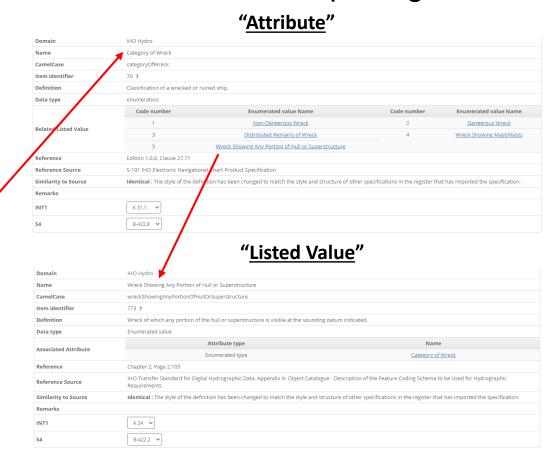


REGISTERS: DATA DICTIONARY



International Hydrographic Organization The Data Dictionary Register specifies independent sets of definitions/structures of features, attributes, listed values, and information types through assignment of binding to items from the Concept Register.

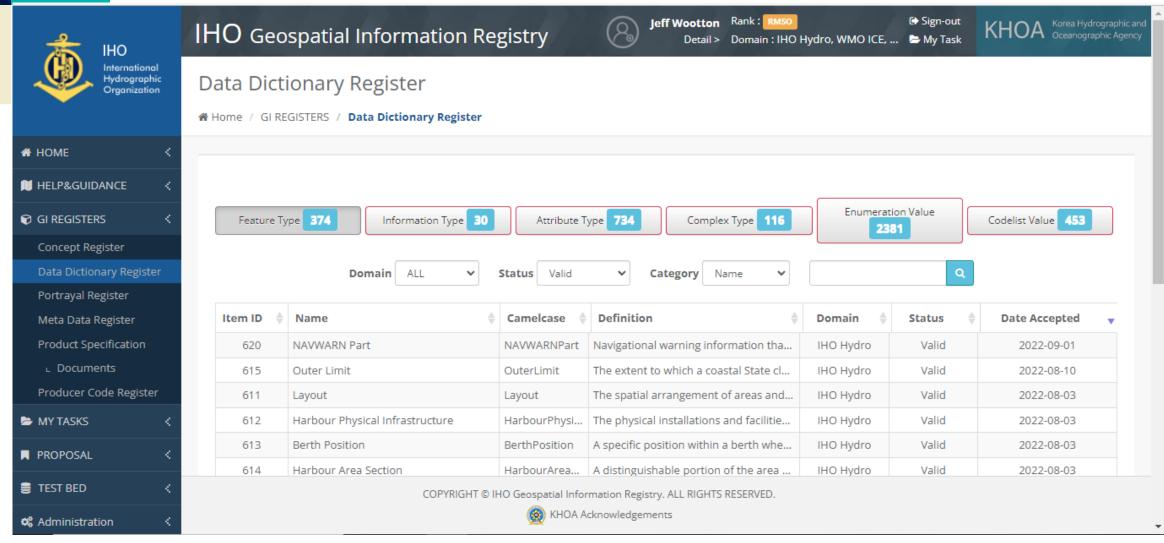
"Feature" IHO Hvdro Name Wreck CamelCase 597 2 Item Identifie Geographic: Carries the descriptive characteristics of a real world entity. Use Type Definition The ruined remains of a stranded or sunken vessel which has been rendered useless Reference http://iho-ohi.net/532/engView.php?quick_filter=wreck&quick_filter_operator=Equals Reference Source Similarity to Source Identical: The style of the definition has been changed to match the style and structure of other specifications in the register that has imported the specification Remarks K 20-31 💙 B-422.1-8 V Attribute name Display Uncertainties (Valid) Surrounding Depth (Valid) Default Clearance Depth (Valid) Scale Minimum (Valid) Water Level Effect (Valid Visual Prominence (Valid) Value of Sounding (Valid) Recommended Attributes Technique of Vertical Measurement (Valid) Status (Valid) Reported Date (Valid) Radar Conspicuous (Valid) Quality of Vertical Measurement (Val Feature Name (Valid



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REGISTERS: DATA DICTIONARY (2)

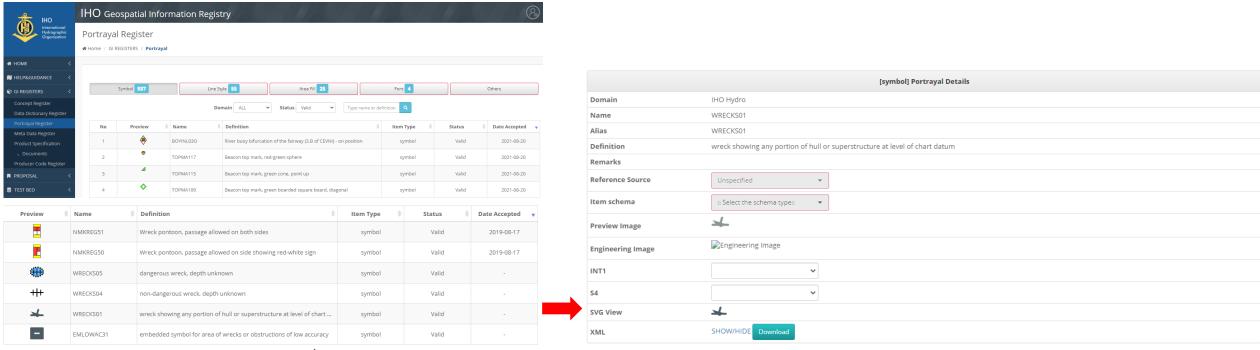




REGISTERS: PORTRAYAL



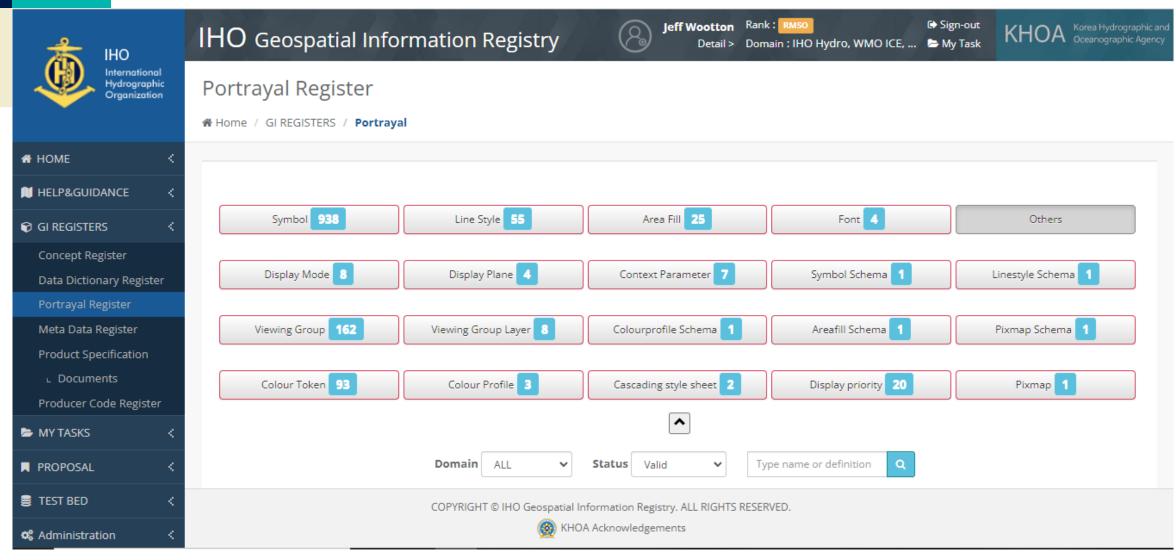
- The Register of attributed features as an abstract description of entities is only one element of the overall concept. As long as human interaction with geoinformation is dominated by visualization, visual elements to be associated with the various attributed features are required.
- Therefore a second type of Register has been implemented for different types of visualizations. The basic three types are for points, lines and areas - all coming with patterns and colours.



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REGISTERS: PORTRAYAL (2)

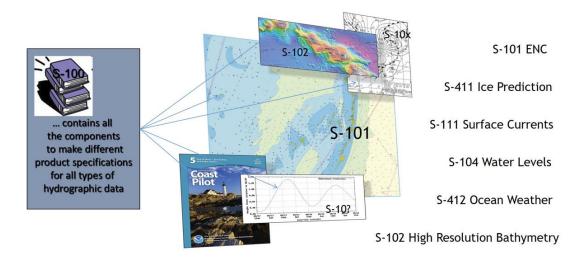




REGISTERS → DATA PRODUCTS

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S-100 and Product Specifications



Name	S-100 Standard Toolkit Launcher
Version	1.0.0
Uploader	IHO (S-100WG)
Date Updated	2021-02-10
File Name	S-100 Toolkit_Setup ver.1.1.7594.33491.msi DownLoad [142 Downloads]
Description	S-100 Standard Toolkit Launcher has been released in order to maintain and provide efficient S-100 applications. The Toolkit contains the following S-100 applications; - Feature Catalogue Builder - Portrayal Catalogue Builder - DCEG Composer - Symbol Editor

	No	Product ID $\qquad \qquad \qquad$	Name	Version	Status	Domain 🏺	Date updated	Document view
Vers	1	S-100	Universal Hydrographic Data Model	4.0.0	Published	IHO Hydro	2020-12-17	C'
Uplo	2	S-101	Electronic Navigational Chart	1.0.0	Published	IHO Hydro	2021-07-22	C*
Date Upda	3	S-102	Bathymetric Surface	2.0.0	Published	IHO Hydro	2019-12-09	C*
File !	4	S-111	Surface Currents Product Specification	1.0.0	Published	IHO Hydro	2021-05-06	ď
	5	S-121	Maritime Limits and Boundaries	1.0.0	Published	IHO Hydro	2020-11-24	₫

The Toolkit contains the following S-100 applications;

Description

- DCEG Compose - Symbol Editor

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REGISTERS → DATA PRODUCTS (2)

"Portrayal"



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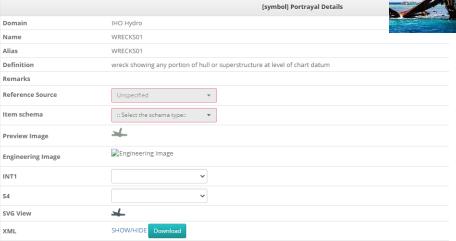
"Concept"

	Concept Details
Name	Wreck
Alias	WRECKS
CamelCase	wreck
Definition	The ruined remains of a stranded or sunken vessel which has been rendered useless.
Reference	http://iho-ohi.net/S32/engView.php?quick_filter=wreck&quick_filter_operator=Equals
Reference Source	Hydrographic Dictionary, Part I Volume I, English (<u>Detail view</u>)
Similarity to Source	Identical
Remarks	

"Data Dictionary"



		[Feature] Dictionary Details		
Domain	IHO Hydro			
Name	Wreck			
CamelCase	Wreck			
Item Identifier	597 ?			
Use Type	Geographic : Carries the des	criptive characteristics of a real world entity.		
Definition	The ruined remains of a stranded or sunken vessel which has been rendered useless.			
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	2	Surrounding Depth (Valid)		
	3	<u>Default Clearance Depth</u> (Valid)		
	4	Scale Minimum (Valid)		
	5	Water Level Effect (Valid)		
	6	<u>Visual Prominence</u> (Valid)		
	7	<u>Value of Sounding</u> (Valid)		
Recommended Attributes	8	<u>Technique of Vertical Measurement</u> (Valid)		
	9	<u>Status</u> (Valid)		
	10	Reported Date (Valid)		
	11	Radar Conspicuous (Valid)		
	12	Quality of Vertical Measurement (Valid)		
	13	<u>Height</u> (Valid)		
	14	Feature Name (Valid)		



"Catalogue"





"Product"



Mast (1-2) WK	Wreck, hull never covers, on large-scale charts
Mast (1 ₂)	Wreck, hull covers and uncovers, on large-scale charts
5 wx 6 wx	Submerged wreck, depth known, on large-scale charts
/w	Submerged wreck, depth unknown, on large-scale charts
*	Wreck showing any part of hull or superstructure at the level of Chart Datum
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Masts



Wreck over which the depth has been obtained by sounding but not by wire

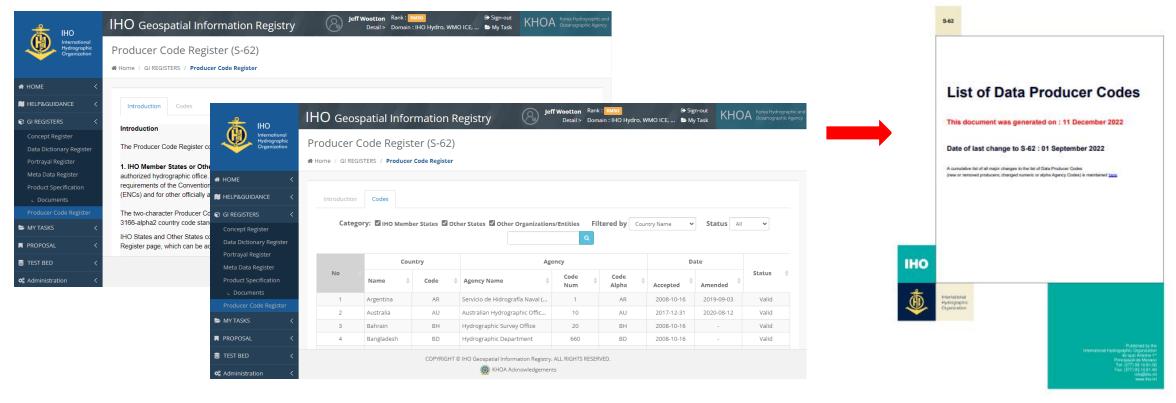
visible at Chart Datum



REGISTERS: DATA PRODUCER CODE



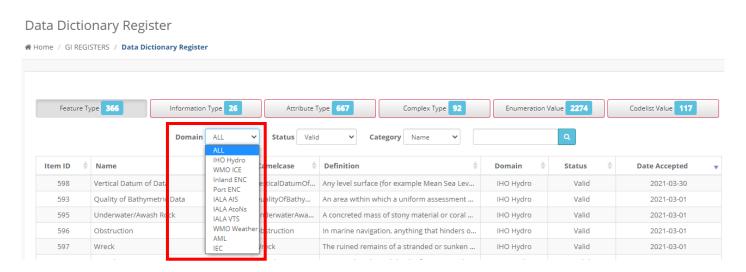
- IHO Publication S-62 List of Data Producer Codes, formerly managed as bespoke stand-alone database.
- Management transferred to Data Producer Code November 2021.
 - Currently being updated to manage S-100 Data Producer Codes.





REGISTERS: DOMAINS (NOT JUST FOR THE IHO)

International Hydrographic Organization The Data Dictionary and Portrayal Registers are organized into a number of Domains, aligned with affiliated Organizations and related subject matter experts within the overarching maritime domain.











New Domains can be added as required. The IHO invites other ocean science disciplines to participate in the activities of the GI Registry. For information contact the IHO GI Registry Manager at jeff.wootton@iho.int





S-100 BASED PRODUCT SPECIFICATIONS

International Hydrographic Organization IHO S-100 based Product Specifications:



S-102 – Bathymetric Surface

• S-103 – Sub-Surface Navigation

✓ • S-104 – Water level Information for Surface Navigation

✓ • S-111 – Surface Currents

✓ • S-122 – Marine Protected Areas

✓ • S-123 – Marine Radio Services

• S-124 – Navigational Warnings

• S-125 – Marine Aids to Navigation (AtoNs)

• **S-126** – Marine Physical Environment

✓ • S-127 – Marine Traffic Management

• **S-128** – Catalogue of Nautical Products

✓ • S-129 – Under Keel Clearance management (UKCM)

• S-130 - Polygonal Demarcations of Global Sea Areas

• **S-131** – Marine Harbour Infrastructure

• S-164 – IHO Test Datasets for S-100 ECDIS

Non-IHO S-100 based Product Specifications:

• IALA **S-201** - Aids to Navigation Information

• IALA **S-211** – Port Call Message Format

• IALA S-212 – VTS Digital Information Service

• IALA S-240 - DGNSS Station Almanac

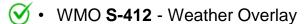
• IALA S-245-247 - eLoran related Product Specifications

IEHG S-401 - Inland ENC



• IEHG S-402 - Bathymetric Contour Overlay for Inland ENC

WMO JCOMM S-411 - Ice Information





✓ • IEC S-421 - Route Plan



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REGISTRY ADMINISTRATION

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• IHO Publication S-100 Part 2 – Management of Registers

Registry (Edition 1.1.0, November 2012)

lists of hydrographic related information

- IHO Publication S-99 Operational Procedures for the Organization and Management of the IHO Geospatial Information Registry
- Registry/Registers Manager: Staff position with the IHO Secretariat, Monaco
- Register content oversight: Register Domain Control Body (subject matter experts)
- Registry development, support and maintenance: With great appreciation to the support of the Korea Hydrographic and Oceanographic Agency (KHOA), Republic of Korea
- International technical input and oversight: IHO S-100 Working Group (S-100WG) and IHO Hydrographic Services and Standards Committee (HSSC)

S-100 Edition 4.0.0

Registry

IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model (Edition 4.0.0, December 2018 **English** Please note: the S-100 (Part 15) Security Scheme applications document for OEMs and ata Servers are available from the Data Protection Scheme S-100 based Product Specifications may be based on a previous Edition of S-100. For reference, revious Editions of S-100 are available here: IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model (Edition 1.0.0, January 2010) - English IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model (Edition 2.0.0, June 2015) IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model (Edition 3.0.0, April 2017) IHO Geospatial Information (GI) Registry

perational Procedures for the Organization and Management of the S-100 Geospatial Information

S-100WG

Ms Julia POWELL (USA)

100 - Technical

Standardization

- develop and extend the S-100 Universal Hydrographic Data Models and S-99 Operational Procedures
- he management and development of the S-100 Geospatial Information Registry advise and support the development and maintenance of S-100-based product specifications in liaison with the relevant IHI bodies and non-IHO entities:

S-100 - Part 2

Management of Registers

https://iho.int/en/standards-and-specifications

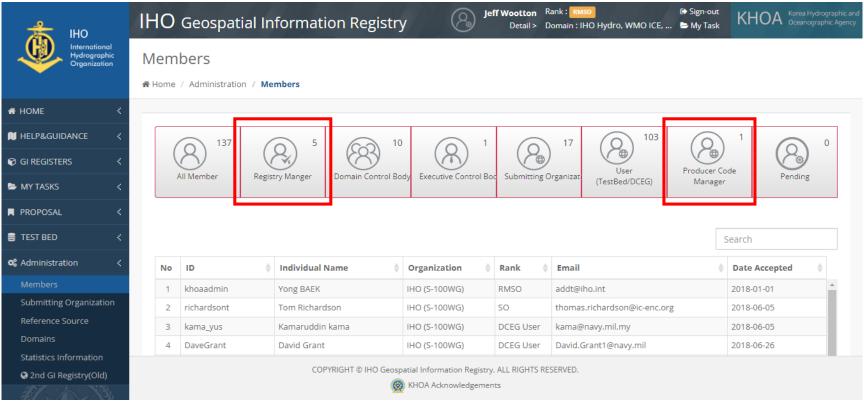
The IHO GI Registry is an online resource that comprises several Registers which contain organised

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Published by the International Hydrographic Bureau

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REGISTRY ROLES



- Registry/Register Owner: IHO
- Registry/Register Manager: IHO Secretariat on behalf of the IHO.
 - Registry content (including Producer Code Manager): IHO Secretariat (TSSO).
 - Registry infrastructure development and maintenance: Republic of Korea (KHOA) on behalf of the IHO.



REGISTRY ROLES (2) – REGISTRY/REGISTER MANAGER RESPONSIBILITIES

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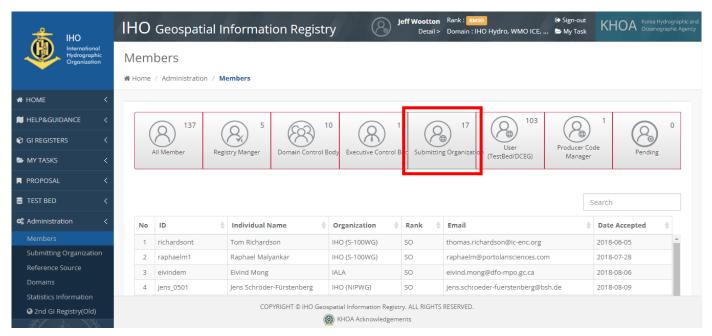
A Register Manager is responsible for the administration of a Register. This includes:

- sustaining the necessary coordination between Submitting Organizations, Control Bodies and the Registry Manager;
- inspecting and processing the various application forms;
- maintaining items within the Register;
- maintaining and publishing a list of Submitting Organizations; and
- providing periodic reports at intervals no greater than 12 months to the Executive Control Body and to the HSSC. Each report shall take account of all notable events since the last report, including:
 - proposals received and the decisions taken;
 - any new enrolments of representatives of Submitting Organizations; and
 - all other matters of interest and relevance to the Executive Control Body or the HSSC.



REGISTRY ROLES (3)

- Submitting Organization: Represent a recognized body or stakeholder group (such as from government, industry, academia, and relevant user groups).
 - Registered Submitting Organizations appoint representatives (normally no more than 2) to make submissions on behalf of the Organization (Concept, Data Dictionary, Portrayal and Product Specification Registers).
 - Submissions to the Data Producer Code Register is by email to the Register Manager by Data Producers (no requirement to be registered as a Submitting Organization).



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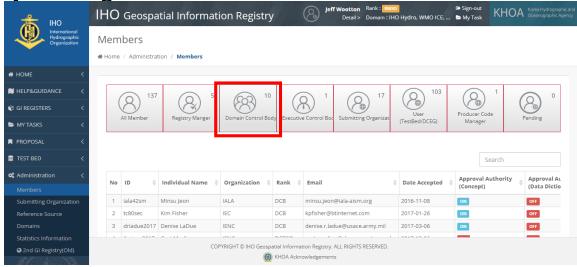


REGISTRY ROLES (4)

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- Domain Control Body Representative (Concept, Data Dictionary and Portrayal Registers): Responsible for acting as the spokesperson for their Domain.
 - For the Concept Register, a representative of each of the Domains included in the Data Dictionary Register; a representative from the IHO Hydrographic Dictionary Working Group and the Nautical Cartography Working Group; and the Registry Manager.
 - For the Data Dictionary Register, currently the Registry Manager.

 For the Portrayal Register, a representative of each Domain in the Portrayal Register; and the Registry Manager.



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REGISTRY ROLES (5) – DOMAIN CONTROL BODY RESPONSIBILITIES

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1.1.1.1 Domain Control Body Responsibilities

Domain Control Body members are responsible for:

- acting as the spokesperson for their Domain;
- canvassing other members in their Domain for an opinion on the acceptability of any new proposal. How this is organized is at the discretion of the Domain Owners; and
- forwarding a decision to the Register Manager within 60 days through the approval process in the IHO GI Registry interface (NOTE; Nil returns will be taken as acceptance of the proposal).

The overriding purpose of the DCB is to assess the suitability of every new proposal submitted to a Register.

Any rejection of a proposal by a member of the DCB must be fully justified.

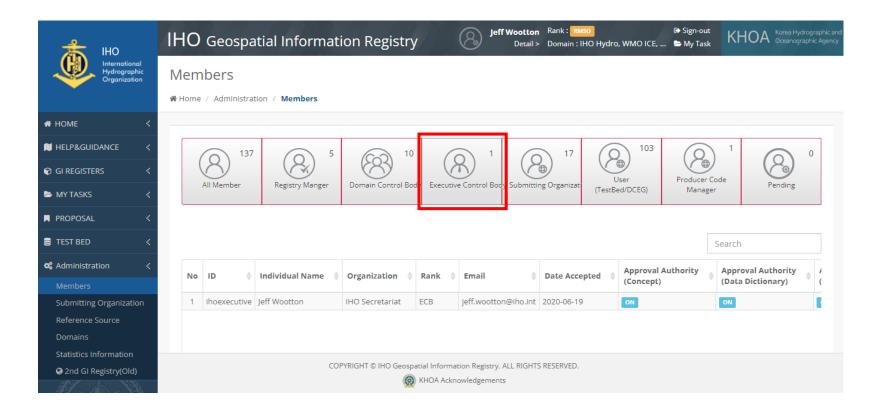
Criteria for not accepting a proposal includes:

- the specification of the item is incomplete or incomprehensible;
- an identical or very similar item already exists in the Register or in another Register in the Registry;
- the proposed item does not belong to an item class included in a Register;
- the proposed item does not fall within the scope of a Register; or
- the justification for the proposal is inadequate.



REGISTRY ROLES (6)

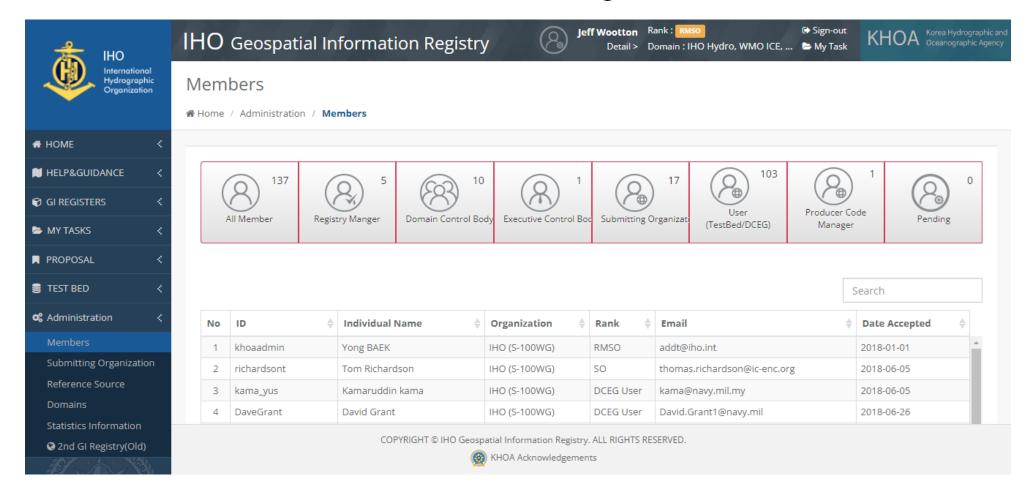
- Executive Control Body: Monitors and advises the Register Manager(s); and acts as arbiters for any decisions or disputes in the Register process.
 - Currently not activated (Registry Manager only).





REGISTRY ROLES (7)

International Hydrographic Organization Register User: A Register User is any person or Organization requiring access to and use of the contents of a Register.

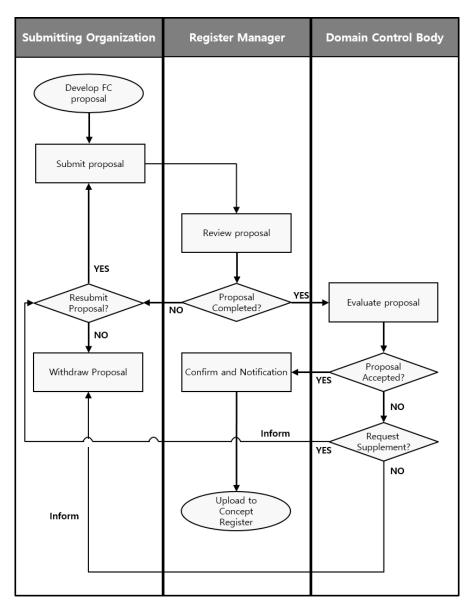


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PROPOSAL PROCESS (CONCEPT REGISTER)

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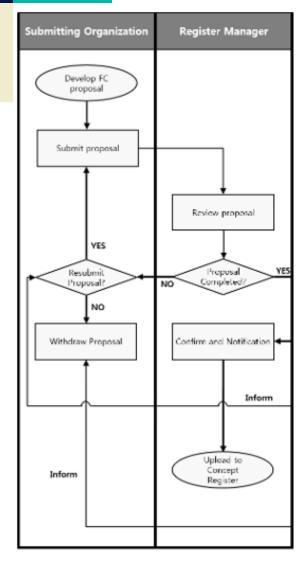


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PROPOSAL PROCESS (CONCEPT REGISTER) (2)

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The Submitting Organization representative shall:

- receive proposals for the registration of items from proposers within their respective Working Groups, communities or organizations;
- ensure that all proposals are logical and complete and are consistent with other registered items within the Register; and
- submit proposals to the appropriate Register through the submission process in the IHO GI Registry interface.

The Register Manager shall:

- receive proposals from Submitting Organizations representatives;
- review proposals for completeness;
- return proposals to the Submitting Organization representative if incomplete or inconsistent; and
- d) update the item management record, with the <u>proposalStatus</u> set to 'notYetDetermined'.

The Register Manager shall use the following criteria to determine if a proposal is complete:

- a) the proposal is from a recognized Submitting Organization representative;
- the proposed item falls within the scope of the Register or domain; and
- a registered item (or similar) to the proposed item does not already exist.

If the decision of the Register Manager is positive, the proposal shall be forwarded to the Register Domain Control Body for approval. If the decision of the Register Manager is negative, the proposal shall be returned to the Submitting Organization representative for rework or cancellation as required.



PROPOSAL PROCESS (CONCEPT REGISTER) (3)

International Hydrographic Organization **Domain Control Body** Evaluate proposal Accepted? NO Request NO

The Register Domain Control Body can decide to:

- a) accept the proposal without change;
- b) accept the proposal subject to changes negotiated with the Submitting Organization; or
- c) not accept the proposal.

Criteria for not accepting a proposal include:

- a) the specification of the item is incomplete or incomprehensible;
- b) an identical or very similar item already exists in the Register or in another Register of the Registry;
- c) the proposed item does not belong to an item class included in the Register;
- d) the proposed item does not fall within the scope of the Register; or
- e) the justification for the proposal is inadequate.

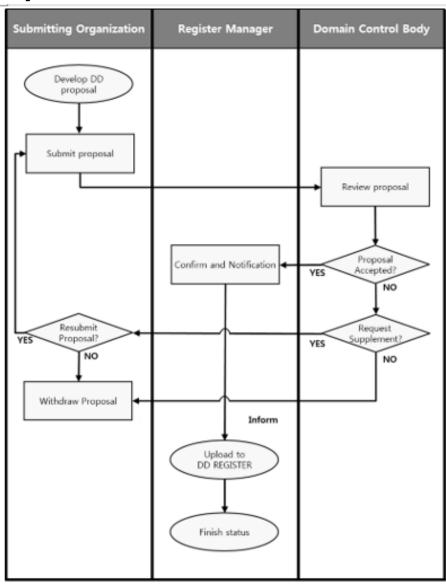
Each Domain Control Body member shall inform the Register Manager of their Working Group / organization's decision, and the rationale for that decision, within 60 days of receipt of the proposal through the approval process in the IHO GI Registry interface. Nil returns will be taken as acceptance of the proposal.

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PROPOSAL PROCESS (DATA DICTIONARY AND PORTRAYAL REGISTERS)

International Hydrographic Organization

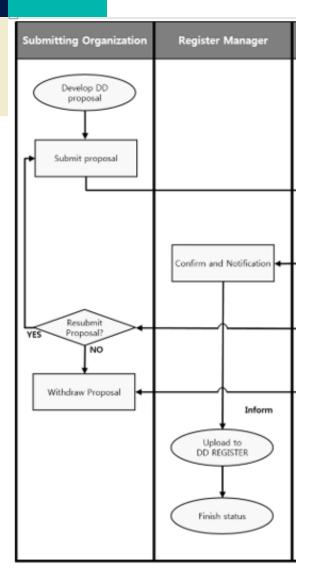


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PROPOSAL PROCESS (DATA DICTIONARY AND PORTRAYAL REGISTERS) (2)

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The Submitting Organization representative shall:

- receive proposals for the registration of items from proposers within their respective Working Groups, communities or organizations;
- ensure that all proposals are logical and complete and are consistent with other registered items within the Register; and
- submit proposals to the appropriate Register through the submission process in the IHO GI Registry interface.

The Register Manager shall:

- receive proposals from Submitting Organizations representatives;
- review proposals for completeness;
- return proposals to the Submitting Organization representative if incomplete or inconsistent; and
- d) update the item management record, with the <u>proposalStatus</u> set to 'notYetDetermined'.

The Register Manager shall use the following criteria to determine if a proposal is complete:

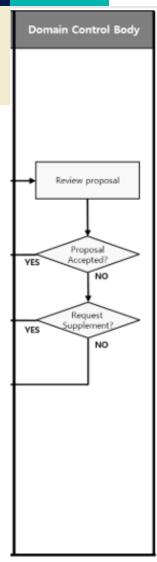
- a) the proposal is from a recognized Submitting Organization representative;
- the proposed item falls within the scope of the Register or domain; and
- a registered item (or similar) to the proposed item does not already exist.

If the decision of the Register Manager is positive, the proposal shall be forwarded to the Register Domain Control Body for approval. If the decision of the Register Manager is negative, the proposal shall be returned to the Submitting Organization representative for rework or cancellation as required.



PROPOSAL PROCESS (DATA DICTIONARY AND PORTRAYAL REGISTERS) (3)

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The process for determining the acceptability of proposals is illustrated in Figures 4-1 and 4-2 above. The approval process shall normally be completed within a time period of 60 days. In the case of appeal this period shall be extended to 90 days.

The Register Manager shall ensure the following:

- if the proposal is for clarification or retirement of a Register item, set the itemStatus
 of the item to 'processing'; and forward the proposal to the Register Domain
 Control Body; or
- if the proposal is for registration of a new item or supersession of an existing Register item:
 - assign an <u>item/dentifier</u> to the new or superseding item,
 - set the itemStatus of the item to 'processing'; and
 - inform the Register Domain Control Body of the new proposal within five working days.

The Register Domain Control Body can decide to:

- a) accept the proposal without change;
- b) accept the proposal subject to changes negotiated with the Submitting Organization; or
- not accept the proposal.

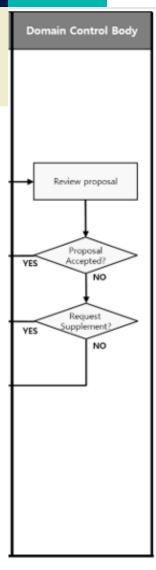
Criteria for not accepting a proposal include (but may not be restricted to):

- a) the specification of the item is incomplete or incomprehensible;
- an identical or very similar item already exists in the Register or in another Register of the Registry;
- the proposed item does not belong to an item class included in the Register;
- the proposed item does not fall within the scope of the Register; or
- e) the justification for the proposal is inadequate.



PROPOSAL PROCESS (DATA DICTIONARY AND PORTRAYAL REGISTERS) (4)

International Hydrographic Organization



Each Domain Control Body member shall inform the Register Manager of their Working Group / organization's decision, and the rationale for that decision, within 60 days of receipt of the proposal through the approval process in the IHO GI Registry interface. Nil returns will be taken as acceptance of the proposal.

The Register Manager shall:

- serve as the point of contact if there is a need for negotiations between a Submitting Organization and the Register Domain Control Body regarding any changes required to a proposal that may be specified by the Domain Control Body as a condition of acceptance; and
- inform the Submitting Organization representative of the results of processing the proposal.

If the decision of the Register Domain Control Body is positive, the Register Manager shall, in accordance with policies for the Register:

- complete the proposal management record with proposal Status set to 'accepted', and date Accepted to the date of the Domain Control Body's decision;
- b) make approved changes to the content of the Register item; and
- set the Register item <u>itemStatus</u> to 'valid', 'clarified', 'superseded', or 'retired', as appropriate.

If the decision of the Register Domain Control Body is negative, the Register Manager shall:

- update the proposal management record by setting <u>proposalStatus</u> to 'rejected', and <u>dateAmended</u> to the date of the Domain Control Body's decision;
- inform the Submitting Organization of the 60 working day deadline for appealing the decision of the Domain Control Body; and
- make the results of the approval process available to all interested parties.

Submitting Organization representatives shall:

- negotiate with the Register Domain Control Body through the Register Manager, regarding any changes to their proposals that are specified by the Domain Control Body as a condition of acceptance; and
- b) make known to the proposer and within their respective Submitting Organization communities or organizations the decisions taken on proposals by the Domain Control Body as transmitted to them by the Register Manager.



SUBMITTING ORGANIZATION PROCESS (CONCEPT)

- Login using your personal Submitting Organization login and password.
- PROPOSAL/Concept.

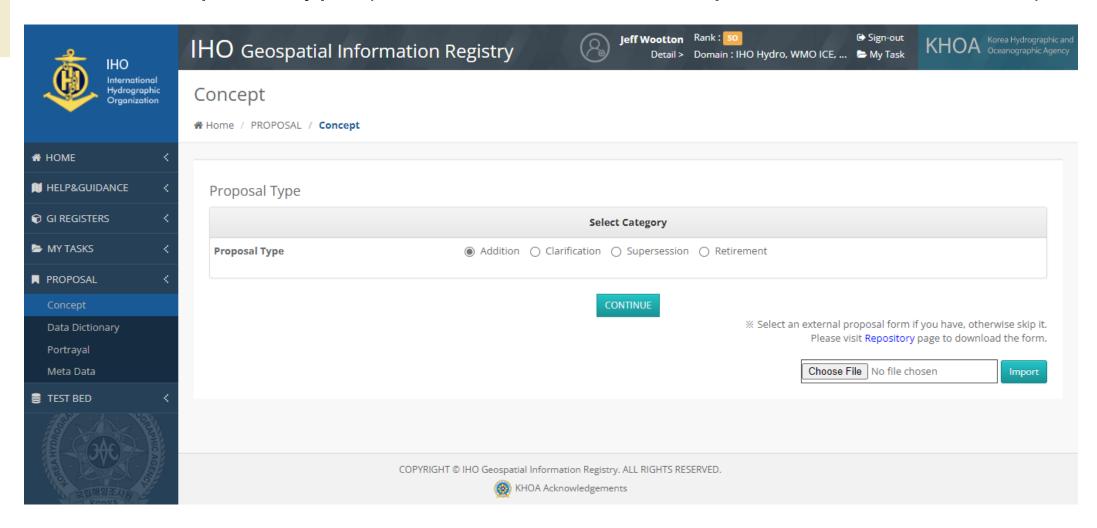


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SUBMITTING ORGANIZATION PROCESS (CONCEPT) (2)

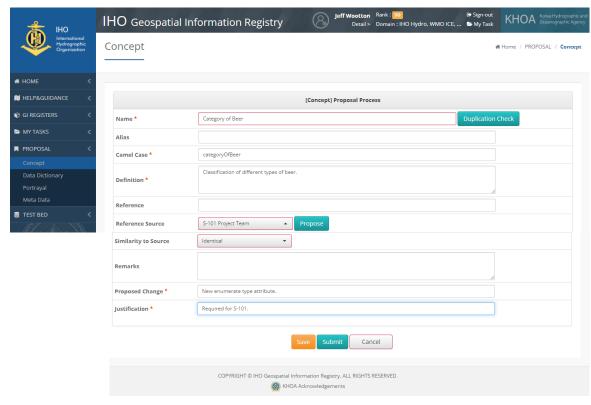
International Hydrographic Organization Select Proposal Type (Addition/Clarification/Supersession/Retirement).





SUBMITTING ORGANIZATION PROCESS (CONCEPT) (3)

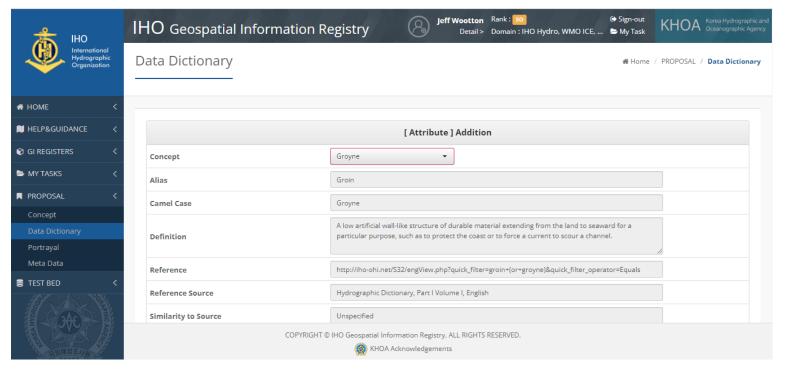
- Complete fields in the Proposal form as appropriate and submit.
 - All mandatory fields <u>must</u> be populated.
 - NOTE: camelCase fiels is populated as part of the Name duplication check.
 - Detailed procedures and conventions will be included in S-99 Annex A.





IHO SUBMITTING ORGANIZATION PROCESS (DATA DICTIONARY)

- Similar to Concept Register.
 - PROPOSAL/Data Dictionary.
 - Select Proposal Type, Item Type and Domain.
 - Select Concept from drop-down list. Complete all other required fields.
 - Detailed procedures and conventions will be included in S-99 Annex A.

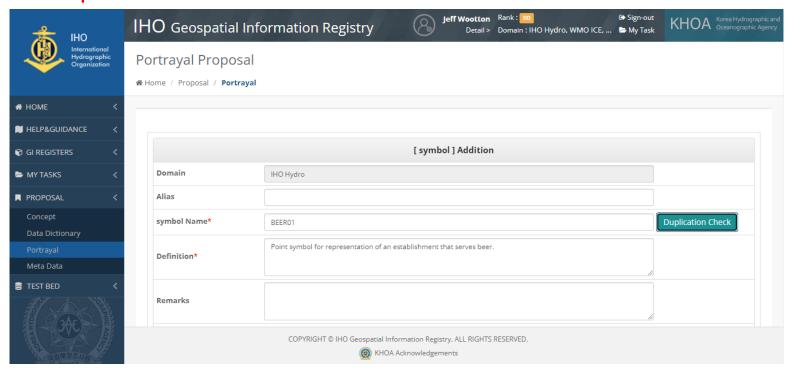


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SUBMITTING ORGANIZATION PROCESS (PORTRAYAL)

- Similar to Concept Register.
 - PROPOSAL/Portrayal.
 - Select Proposal Type, Portrayal Type and Domain.
 - Complete all required fields.
 - Detailed procedures and conventions will be included in S-99 Annex A.

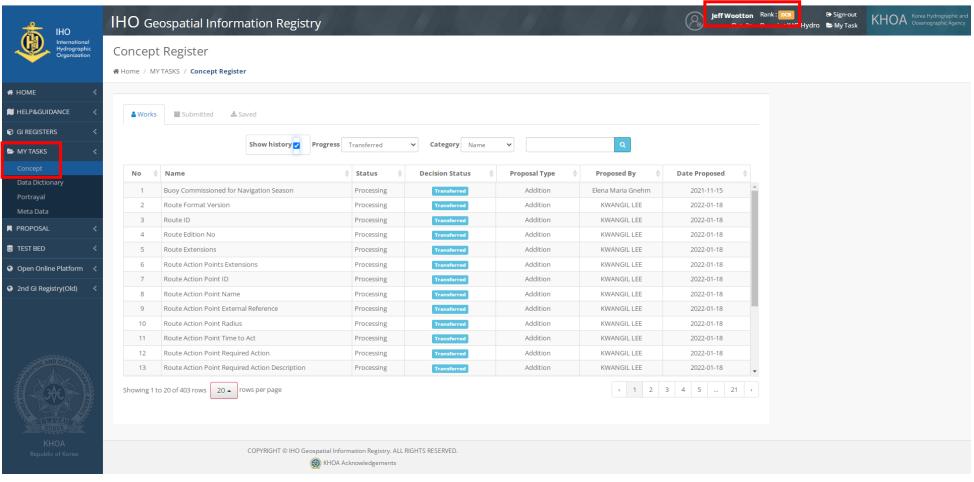


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DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT)

- Login using your personal DCB login and password.
- MY TASKS/Concept.

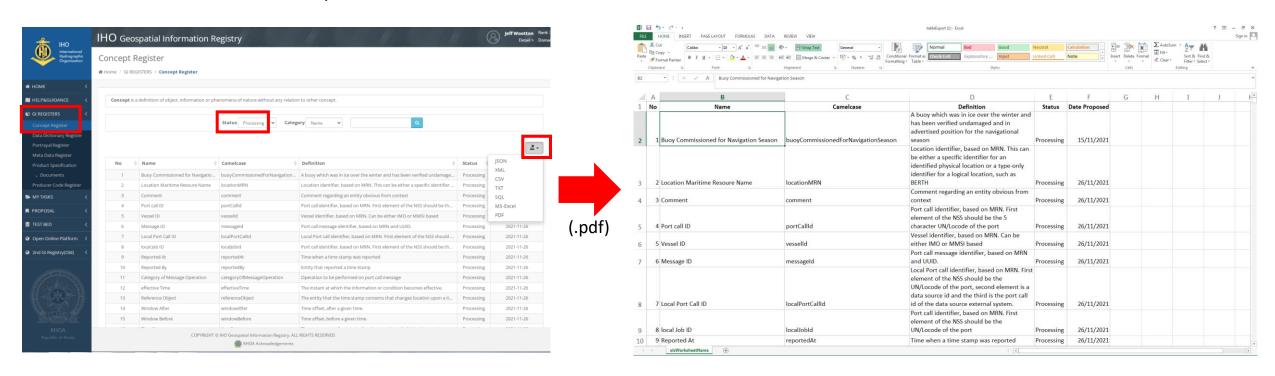


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DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT) (2)

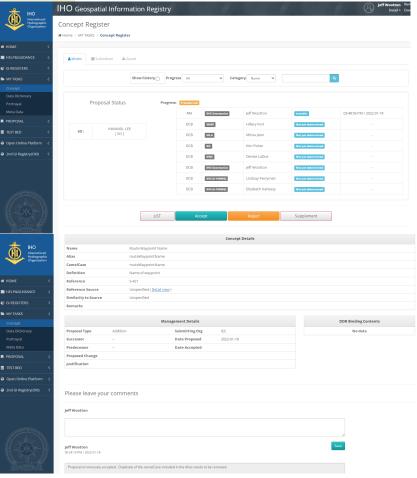
- For a batch export of a long list of pending proposals for examination/forwarding to relevant SMEs:
 - GI REGISTERS/Concept Register; select Status = "Processing".
 - Select (Export data) and choose preferred export format (JSON, XML, CSV, TXT, SQL, Excel, PDF).





DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT) (3)

International Hydrographic Organization Open proposal for evaluation and processing:



The Register Domain Control Body can decide to:

- a) accept the proposal without change;
- b) accept the proposal subject to changes negotiated with the Submitting Organization; or
- c) not accept the proposal.

Criteria for not accepting a proposal include (but may not be restricted to):

- a) the specification of the item is incomplete or incomprehensible;
- b) an identical or very similar item already exists in the Register or in another Register of the Registry;
- c) the proposed item does not belong to an item class included in the Register;
- d) the proposed item does not fall within the scope of the Register; or
- e) the justification for the proposal is inadequate.

Each Domain Control Body member shall inform the Register Manager of their Working Group / organization's decision, and the rationale for that decision, within 60 days of receipt of the proposal through the approval process in the IHO GI Registry interface. Nil returns will be taken as acceptance of the proposal.



DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT) (4)

International Hydrographic Organization Evaluation:

 Should be carried out in regard to the subject-matter expertise of the DCB representative, in accordance with individually established processes (internal consultation etc).

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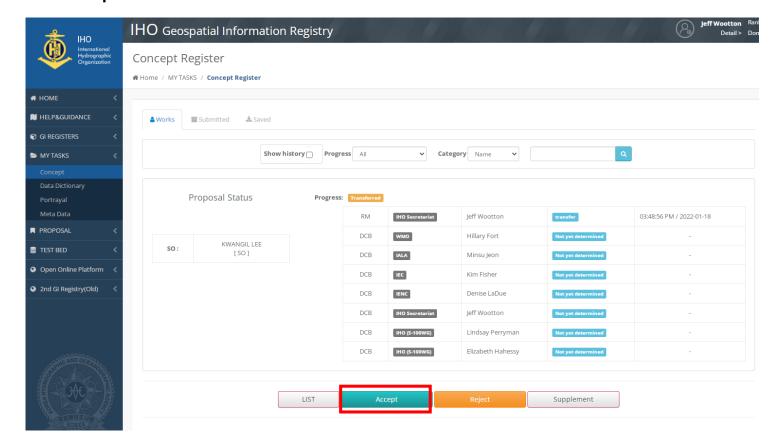
 NOTE: All proposals submitted to the DCB have already been assessed by the Register Manager for completeness and content.

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DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT) (5)

- Accepting the proposal:
 - Simply select the "Accept" option.
 - There is no requirement to leave a comment in the Comments section.



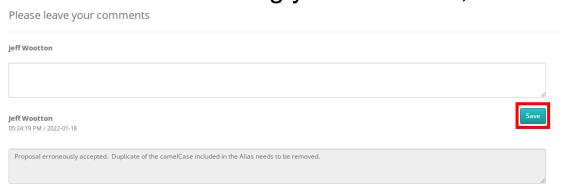


DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT) (6)

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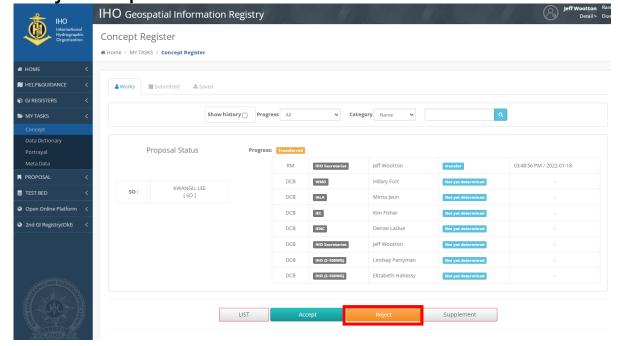
- Rejecting the proposal:
 - Before rejecting the proposal, a comment <u>must</u> be included in the "Comments" box at the bottom of the form.
 - Ensure that after inserting your comment justifying the rejection, the comment is saved by clicking on the "save" button.

After saving your comment, select the "Reject" option.



Criteria for not accepting a proposal include (but may not be restricted to):

- a) the specification of the item is incomplete or incomprehensible;
- b) an identical or very similar item already exists in the Register or in another Register of the Registry;
- c) the proposed item does not belong to an item class included in the Register;
- d) the proposed item does not fall within the scope of the Register; or
- e) the justification for the proposal is inadequate.





IHO DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (CONCEPT) (7)

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- Accept the proposal subject to changes:
 - A comment <u>must</u> be included in the "Comments" box at the bottom of the form that fully describes the suggested change and the reason for the change
 - Ensure that after inserting your comment justifying the rejection, the comment is saved by clicking on the "save" button.

 After saving your comment, select the "Supplement" option (note – the proposal will remain in your DCB queue until resolved with the Submitting Organisation representative

and accepted).

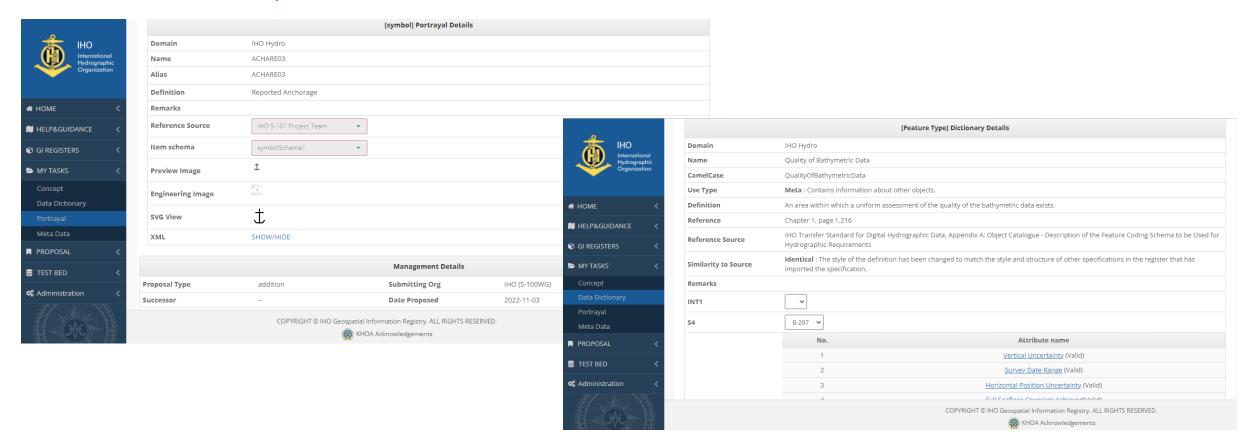
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Proposal erroneously accepted. Duplicate of the camelCase included in the Alias needs to be removed.	

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DOMAIN CONTROL BODY PROCESS (DATA DICTIONARY AND PORTRAYAL)

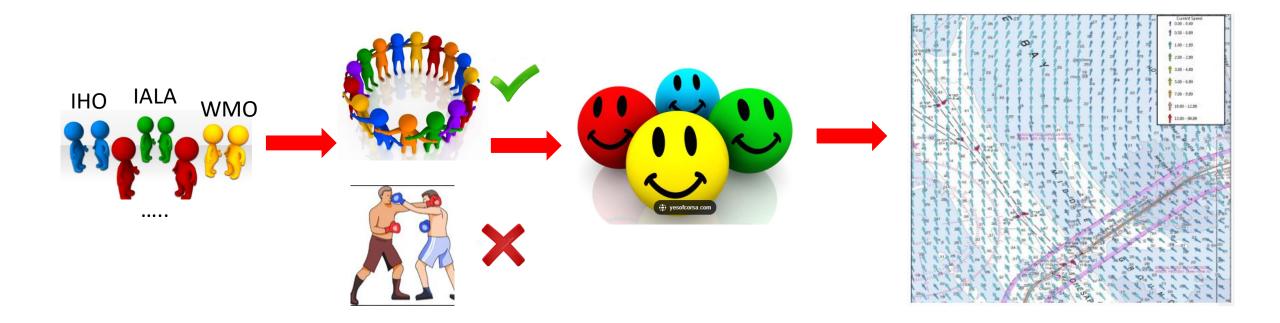
- Similar to Concept Register.
 - Only difference is in fields to be evaluated.
 - Detailed procedures and conventions will be included in S-99 Annex A.





CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – COMMUNICATION

- Communication between developers is important!
 - Particularly important for Product Specifications intended to be interoperable in an end-user system





CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – COMMUNICATION (2)

International Hydrographic Organization End-user testing and feedback

• Providing the best outcome for the intended end-user (standardized, fit for purpose, usability, interpretation/understanding, consistency) within the operational environment

is key

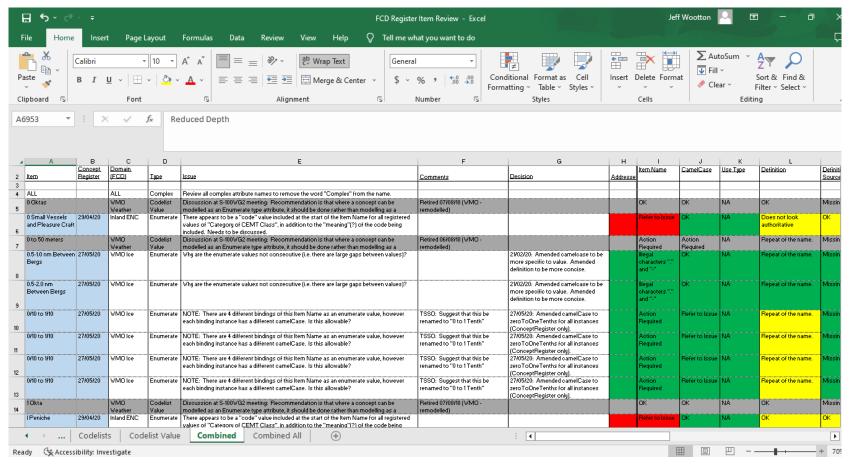






CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW

- "Registry Item Review" Spreadsheet.
 - Maintained so as to identify inconsistencies/issues related to all items included in the Concept and Data Dictionary Registers.



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CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW (2)

International Hydrographic Organization

- Definition Harmonization IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.
 - All terms included in the Hydrographic Dictionary have been registered. However many of these terms do not have definitions aligned to the Dictionary.
 - Some definitions for Dictionary terms have been derived from Product Specifications (for example S-57, S-121) and not the Hydrographic Dictionary.

Boundary	02/06/20	IHO Hydro	Feature	Note that there is an IHO Hydrographic Dictionary definition for this term that has not been	TSSO: Discussion required as to
				used in the IHO GI Registry (term has been defined by the S-121PT).	an authoritative definition for
					inclusion in the Registry and the
					IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.

• Some definitions have been derived from other IHO Standards (for example B-6 – Standardization of Undersea Feature Names).

Abyssal Hills	31/03/20	IHO Hydro	Enumerate	Note that there is a difference between the B-6 (Register) definition for this item and the IHO	TSSO: Suggest that the IHO
				Hydrographic Dictionary definition.	Hydrographic Dictionary
					definition is amended to match
					the Registry definition.
Abyssal Hills		S-32	None	Note that there is an IHO Hydrographic Dictionary definition for this term that has not been	TSSO: Suggest that the IHO
				used in the IHO GI Registry (term has been defined by B-6).	Hydrographic Dictionary
					definition is amended to match
			<u> </u>		the Registry definition.

• Terms having a different name to the term included in the Hydrographic Dictionary but an identical definition (two terms registered with identical definitions).

Aid to Navigation	16/07/20	S-32	None		
Aids to Navigation	29/05/20	IALA AtoNs			TSSO: Suggest that this be
				Hydrographic Dictionary registered term aidToNavigation.	ameded to the IHO Hydrographic
					dictionary term.



CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW (3)

International Hydrographic Organization Terms having a different name in Product Specifications and the Registry to that included in the Hydrographic Dictionary.

Alternating Light	S-32	None	Note that the term used for the definition in the Registry is "Alternating". Needs to be	
			reconciled.	

Items that are essentially the same but having different names and slightly different definitions.

Anchorage	29/05/20	IHO Hydro	Feature			10/04/19: Concept added as a new
						feature - IHO Hydrographic Dictionary
						term.
Anchorage Area	02/04/20	IHO Hydro	Feature	Should this feature simply be "Anchorage"? Note that the definition is almost the same	TSSO: Suggest that the feature	
				(noting also that the "seaplane" part of the definition is suggested not required as a	should be "Anchorage" and this	
			I	seaplane becomes a "vessel" when it has touched down).	item retired.	

 Items having a definition derived from other international Standards (for example ISO, UNCLOS, IALA) but a different definition in the Hydrographic Dictionary.

Application Profile	29/05/20	IHO Hydro		used in the IHO GI Registry (term has been defined by ISO 19115::2014).	TSSO: Discussion required as to an authoritative definition for inclusion in the Registry and the IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.
Application Profile		S-32	None	Note that there is an IHO Hydrographic Dictionary definition for this term that has not been used in the IHO GI Registry (term has been defined by ISO 19115::2014).	TSSO: Discussion required as to an authoritative definition for inclusion in the Registry and the IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.





CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW (4)

International Hydrographic Organization • Terms having definitions in Product Specifications and Registry that have been <u>derived</u> from the Hydrographic Dictionary (that is, same term but slightly different definition).

Area To Be Avoided 31/03/20 IHO Hydro Enu		Enumerate	Register definition has been taken from S-4. S-101 DCEG definition has been adapted from	TSSO: Recommend amending the	12/04/19: Definition amended to	
			IHO Dictionary. Needs to be reconciled.	definition for this item to the	adaptation of the Hydrographic	
					Hydrographic Dictionary	Dictionary definition as used for S-101.
Area To Be Avoided		S-32	None	Note that the IHO Hydrographic Dictionary definition for this term has been adapted in the	TSSO: Discussion required as to	
				IHO GI Registry. Does this require reconciliation?	an authoritative definition for	
					inclusion in the Registry and the	
					IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.	

 Terms having definitions in the Registry derived (authorized?) by other Domains to the definition in the Hydrographic Dictionary.

Atmospheric	29/05/20	WMO	Feature	Note that there is an IHO Hydrographic Dictionary definition for this term that has not been	TSSO: Discussion required as to
Pressure		Weather		used in the IHO GI Registry (term has been defined by WMO Weather).	an authoritative definition for
					inclusion in the Registry and the
					IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.
Atmospheric		S-32	None	Note that there is an IHO Hydrographic Dictionary definition for this term that has not been	TSSO: Discussion required as to
Pressure				used in the IHO GI Registry (term has been defined by WMO Weather).	an authoritative definition for
					inclusion in the Registry and the
					IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.



CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW (6)

International Hydrographic Organization General "tidying up" – consistency.

Always Under	23/03/20	IHO Hydro	Enumerate	Suggest that this should be either "Always Under Water" or "Always Submerged" and the	TSSO: Suggest use "Always
Water/Submerged				alternative registered as an Alias.	Submerged" as the principle term
					to be consistent with WATLEV

Acronyms included in name.

Amsterdam	30/04/20	Inland ENC	Enumerate	Item Name includes bracketed acronym.	TSSO: Recommend that the
Ordnance Datum					bracketed acronym be removed
(NAP)					from the Item Name and added as
					an Alias.

- Identical terms having different definitions in different Product Specifications.
 - Allowable in the previous Version of the Registry but against basic Registry principles.

Anchoring	29/05/20	IHO Hydro	Codelist Value		
Anchoring		IALA VTS		Needs to be reconciled with the Concept Register definition for the term (taken from the IHO	
			Value	Hydro codelist va;ue for actionOrActivity).	

Items no longer included in Product Specifications or the Dictionary.

Anna 1 Astro 1965	29/05/20	IHO Hydro	Enumerate	Note that this concept has been removed from S-101. Need to determine whether this is	TSSO: Suggest this item can be
				required. Note also that in the GeoRepository database this datum appears to be named	retired. However, if retained,
				the "Cocos Islands 1965" datum.	suggest rename to "Cocos Islands
					1965".



CHALLENGES - HARMONIZATION - REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW (7)

International Hydrographic Organization Aliases for registered terms that have also been registered with a different definition.

Articulated	21/07/20	S-32	None	Note that the alias "Buoyant Beacon" has also been registered with a different definition	
Beacon				(derived from S-57). Needs to be reconciled.	

Generic terms with specific definitions.

Assessed	18/03/20	IHO Hydro	Enumerate	Generic Item Name with a specific definition (to data quality). Needs to be reconciled.	TSSO: Suggest that, as the
					relationship of the definition to
					quality is relatively important, the
					Item Name be amended to
					"Quality Assessed".

Specific terms with generic definitions.

Bearing	02/06/20	IHO Hydro	Complex	The definition is the definition for a bearing, and not the bearing "information". Needs to be	02/06/20: Remark removed, as it it
Information			Att	addressed.	pertains to modelling as a complex
					attribute, which is not applicable at
					the concept level (Concept Register

Items that are essentially the same, but having slightly different syntax.

Baseline	29/05/20	IHO Hydro	Feature	NOTE that the generalization of the definition as derived from UNCLOS is incomplete as there	23/04/19: Add definition as derived
				are insufficient characters in this field from which to derive a generalization of all the	from UNCLOS.
				UNCLOS articles quoted. Note also that there is an item "Base Line", which is the same	
				concept in regard to definition. These items need to be reconciled and addresssd	
				appropriately in the IHO Hydrographic Dictionary.	



CHALLENGES – HARMONIZATION – REGISTRY ITEM REVIEW (8)

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Items having identical name and definition.

Bergy Bit (1-<5 m	02/06/20	WMO Ice	Enumerate	"ASL" = "above sea level"? Needs to be addressed. The definition for this item is exactly the	TSSO: Suggest the Item Name
ASL; 5-<15 m				same as the Item Name. Needs to be addressed.	should be just "Bergy Bit" and the
Length)					bracketed part of this Item Name
					should be the definition (spelled
					out in full).

 Items having different definitions for specific scopes. Discussion required on introducing a new (Codelist) Register?

В	erthing	08/04/20	IHO Hydro	Enumerate	Generic Item Name for a specific definition (to signal stations). Needs to be reconciled.	TSSO: Suggest amend Iten Name
					Note that the definition for the Codelist Value type is a more generic definition.	to "Berthing Signal Station".
						[RM: This and the next row are
						why I suggest limiting the scope of
						enumerates to their containers.]
В	erthing		IHO Hydro	Codelist	Needs to be reconciled with the Concept Register definition for the term (taken from the	[RM: defined by NIPWG]
				Value	enumerate for categoryOfSignalStationTraffic).	

 Possible enhancements to data modelling that may impact on items in the Concept Register.

Bunker Vessel	30/04/20	Inland ENC	Enumerate	Suggest that this be remodelled for Inland ENC as a Boolean type attribute, having the same	
Available				name.	
Bunker Vessel,	30/04/20	Inland ENC	Simple att	Suggest that this be remodelled for Inland ENC as a Boolean type attribute, having the same	TSSO: Suggest that this be a
Availability				name.	Boolean type of name "Bunker
					Vessel Available".



RELATED DISCUSSIONS/REFERENCES

- 1st IHO GI Registry Workshop Aarlborg, Denmark, 25-26 March 2019.
- IHO GI Registry DCB Workshop 03 February 2022 (VTC).
- Joint IHO/IALA Workshop on S-100/200 Development and Portrayal Development of S-101 – ENC; Shared Experiences (lessons learned).
- Joint IHO/IALA Workshop on S-100/200 Development and Portrayal Portrayal from an IHO Perspective.



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