



HARMONISATION AND STANDARDISATION OF NAVIGATION SYSTEMS

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IMO

Develops Performance Standards

26 Resolutions for navigation equipment
and systems

Carriage requirements to comply with
performance standards



TECHNICAL COMMITTEE 80

IMO Performance Standards give operational requirements

TC80 produces test standards

Long Association with IMO



The Problems

Different Standards require different displays, different ages/states of technology

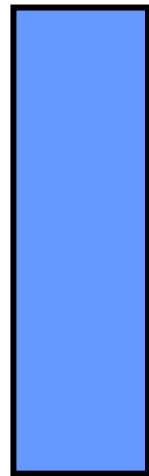
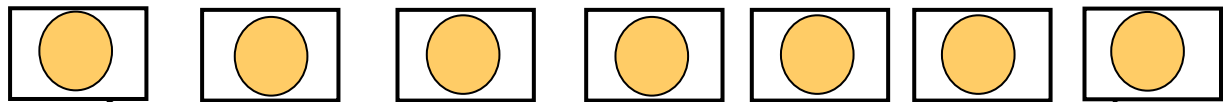
Definitions, terms, abbreviations, units, symbols and colours are not harmonised

Future need to merge/fuse data and need for indication of integrity/accuracy of information



Current 'Stand-alone' Concept

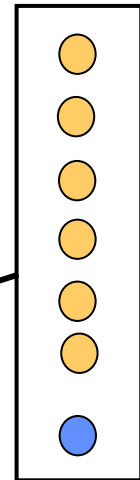
Electronic Chart
Radar+(Plotting Aid)
2nd Radar+(Plotting)
AIS
Conning/Manoeuvring
Weather routing
Track Control



FILTER and FUSION

by the

OoW ?



Plus many other

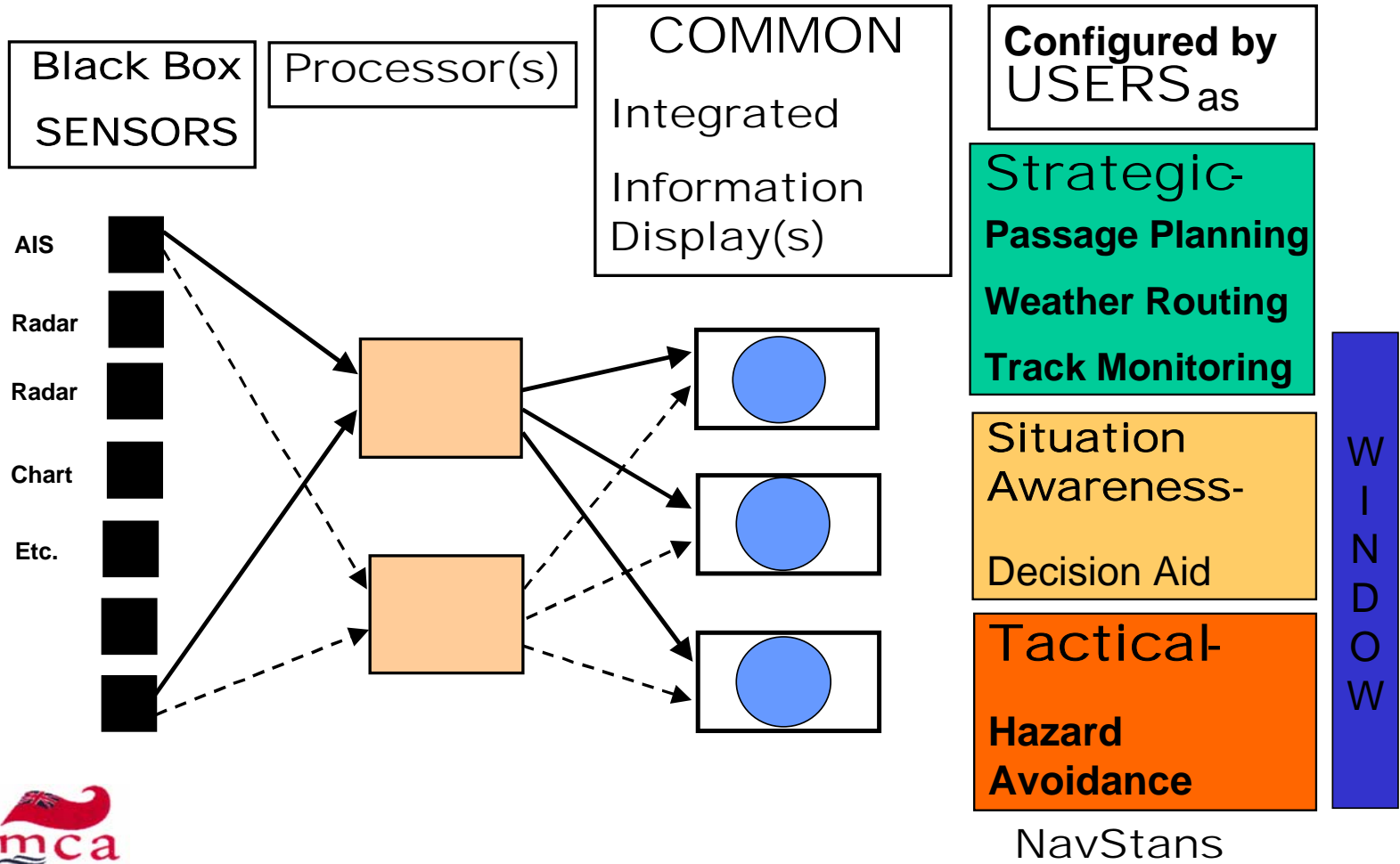
Navigation Instruments

ROT, Heading,

Position, etc.

GMDSS and Comms.

INTEGRATED INFORMATION DISPLAYS





IMO Sub-Committee on Safety of Navigation

NAV 48 – July 2002

- Guidelines for the Operation of IBS
- AIS installation guidelines

NAV 49 – July 2003

- Shipborne navigational displays
- Performance standards for radar
- Performance standards for INS



Integrated Bridge Systems (IBS)

Support two or more of:

- Passage execution
- Communications
- Machinery control
- Cargo control
- Safety and security



Integrated Navigation Systems (INS)

Combine navigational aids to provide added functions:

- INS(A) Minimum functions
- INS(B) Information for avoiding hazards
- INS(C) Automatic control functions





INS – NAV 49

Functional description of route planning
and route monitoring

Clarification between INS and external
components such as heading/track
control

Clear definition of the HMI

Clearer definition of alarm handling



Automatic Identification System (AIS)

Provides information about a ship to other ships and shore stations:

Display currently limited to the Minimum Keyboard Display (MKD)





IMO - Radar review of performance standards

Minimum range and range discrimination

Detection of SARTs and Racons

Target detection including clutter

Probability of detection and false alarm rate

Hazard and acceptable risk of interference

Maximum range of radar



Proposal to NAV 49 Draft Standards

Better recognition of mariners needs

Combines and harmonises all current standards

More demanding radar performance
requirements

Embraces new technology

Recognises new display and INS standards

Meets ITU requirements for emissions



Display harmonisation:

Display and Interaction Objects

Multifunction displays

Co-location, merging, processing, fusion of graphical information and

Indication of quality, status, integrity and accuracy of information.



IMO Specification:

Take account of appropriate IMO Resolutions

Take account of IMO Decisions on the Human Element

Take account of appropriate decisions of the IHO



Working Group 13

Met 7 times to date

Members from 10 national standards committees

Experts from other IEC Working Groups

Experts from IHO, IALA, RTCM and IMO



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TRANSMIT
X-BAND

AIS
ACT
D ACT
SEA MAN
RAIN MAN
TRACK OFF
TRAILS 0.5min
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ENH OFF



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REL 211.3 °
N 50°43.031'
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COG 000.0 °
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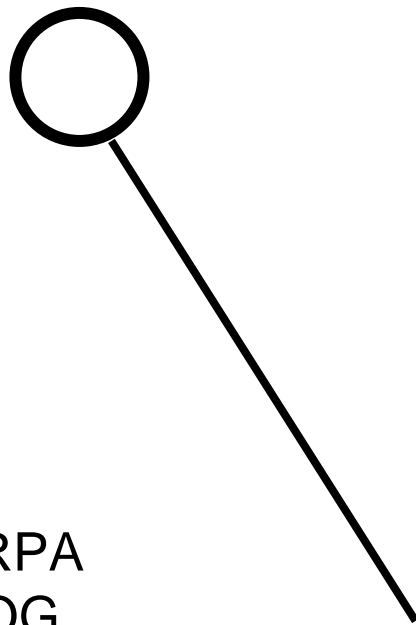
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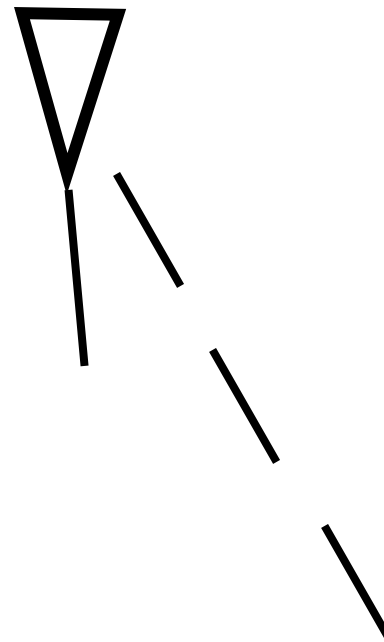
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AIS/ARPA Symbology



ARPA
COG



AIS
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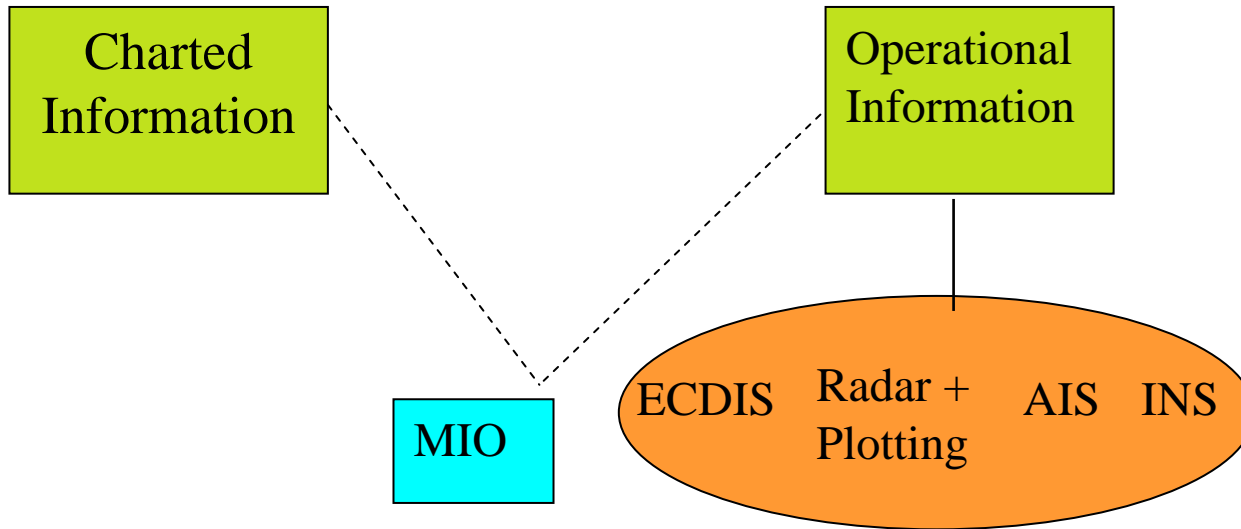
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PRESENTATION OF NAVIGATIONAL INFORMATION

To be harmonised





Annex B of IEC 62288

Standard terms and abbreviations

Symbols



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Draft IMO performance standard – Presentation of Navigation Related Information

Principles:

Conform with IMO general requirements

Support IMO performance standards

Conform with IEC 62288

Present information consistently irrespective of
source



Draft IMO performance standard – Presentation of Navigation Related Information (Continued)

Additionally:

Permit composite presentations appropriate to
specific navigation tasks providing:

- The source of the information is defined
- Conflicting or confusing combinations are avoided
- For chart information the screen area should be at least 270 x 270mm



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IEC 62288

Technical details of displays and
processing of information

Harmonised list of definitions

Harmonised list of Abbreviations and Units

Harmonised list of symbols and colours

Harmonised list of controls



NAV 49

NAV 49/4 would not solve the problem of conflicts and inconsistencies

NAV 49/4/1 should be an IMO document

Provision should be made to display NAVTEX information



NAV 49 – New performance standards

Take precedence

Include details of display arrangements

Ideally apply to all bridge displays not just navigational displays

Publish harmonised terms and symbols as a SN/Circ



Next Steps

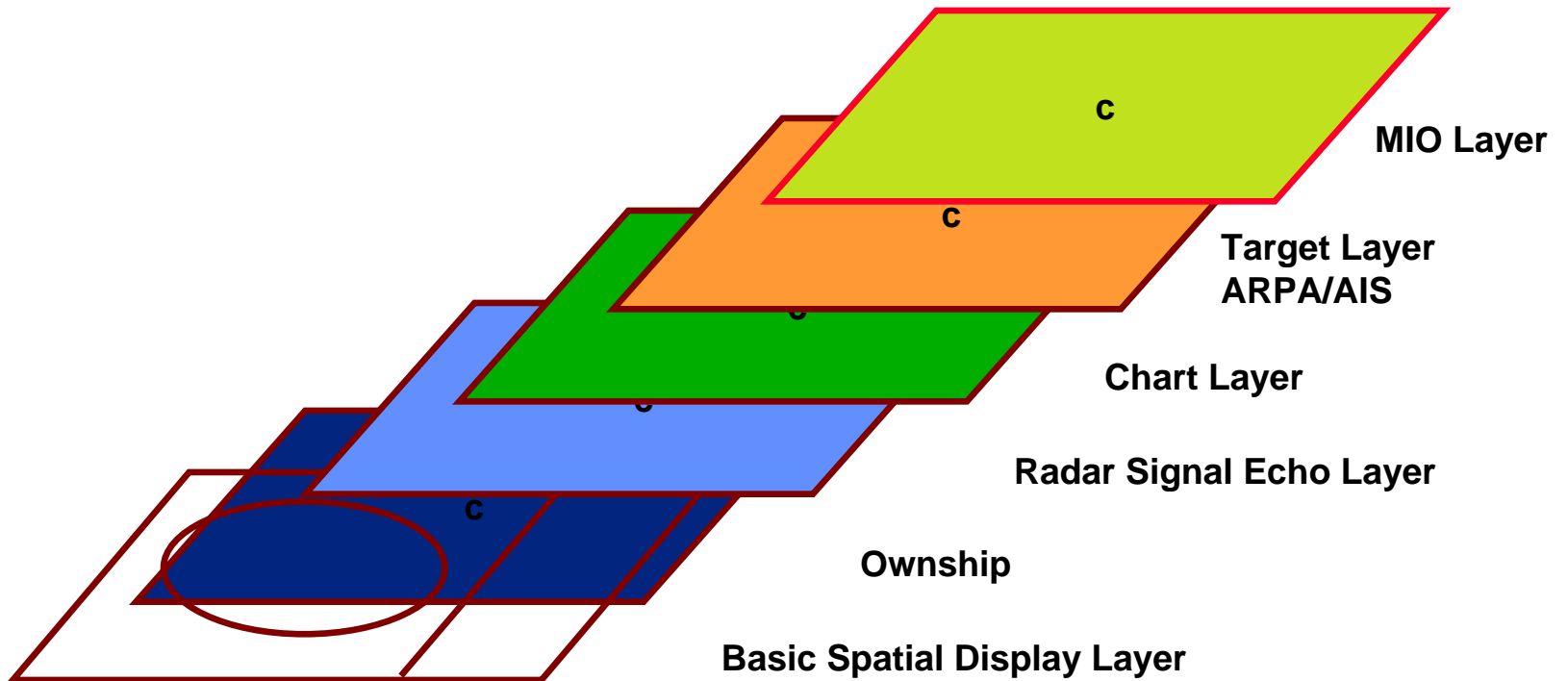
Develop draft performance standards for radar – IMO correspondence group

Develop draft performance standards for displays – IMO correspondence group

Develop IEC 62288 to a stage for public comment



DISPLAYS derived from Layers of Information





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