

Japanese Activities on MDA

Hydrographic Office as a Key Player of MDA

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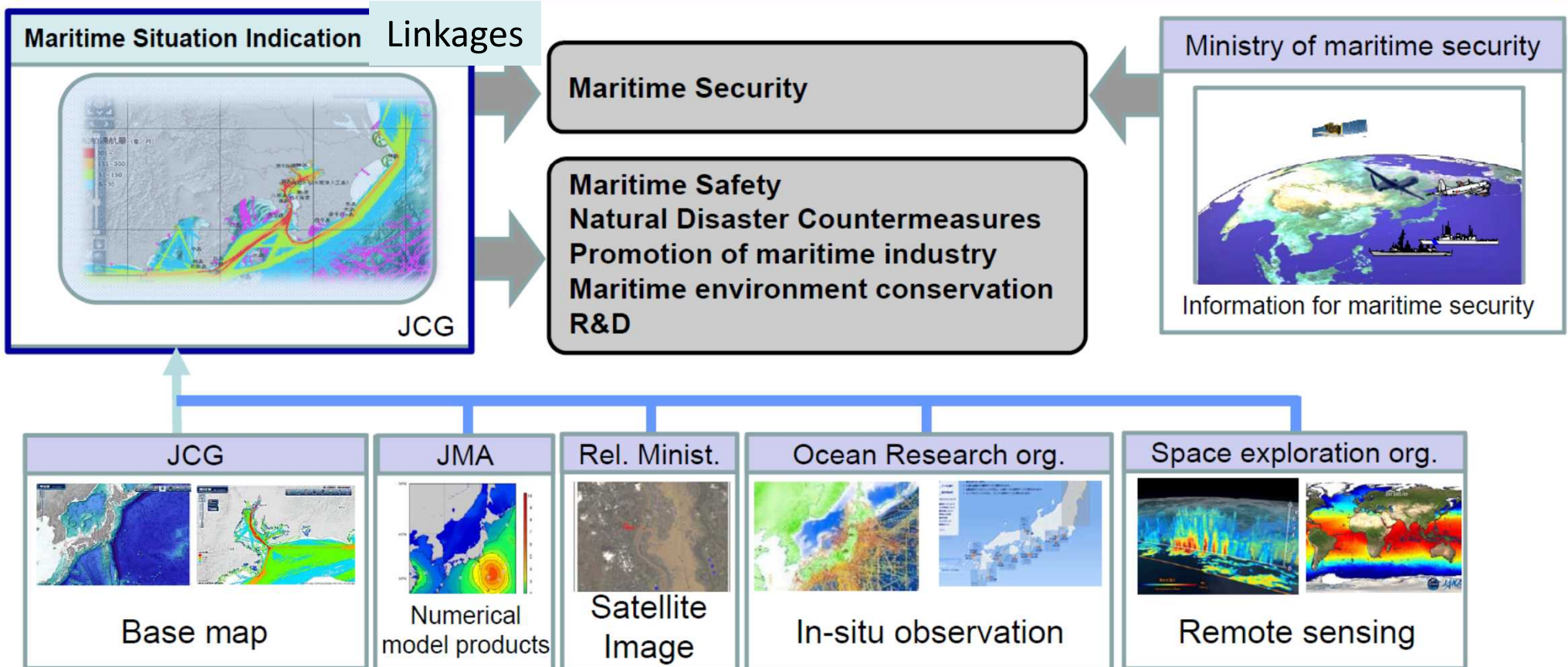
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Concept of Japan's MDA

Points of the Decision

1. **Establishment of the Framework for Information Collection, Sharing and Provision**
→Development of “Maritime Situation Indication System”
2. **Enhancement of Gathering Marine-related Information**
→Promoting the Ocean observation and Monitoring, R&D
3. **Promoting International Corporation and Collaboration**
→Data and Information exchange by the international framework, Bilateral corporation and collaboration with other country



Organization of Japan Coast Guard

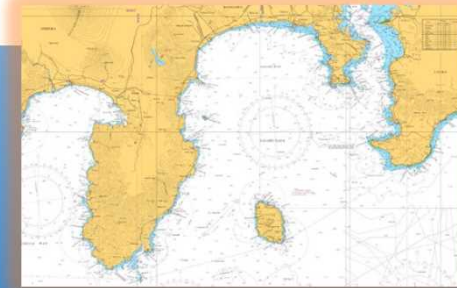


Ministry of Land, Infrastructure, Transport and Tourism



Japan Coast Guard

Hydrographic Department
(National Nautical Chart Publication Division)



Guard and Rescue Department

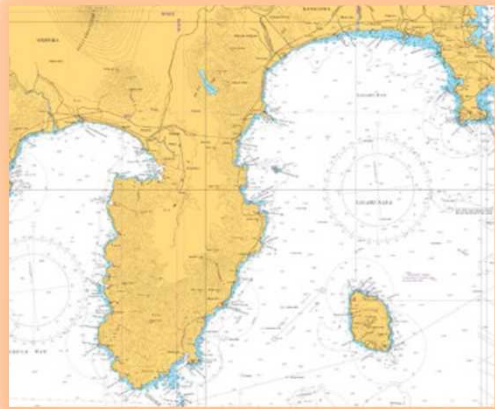


Maritime Traffic Department



Navigational use

Navigation-related information



Paper Chart



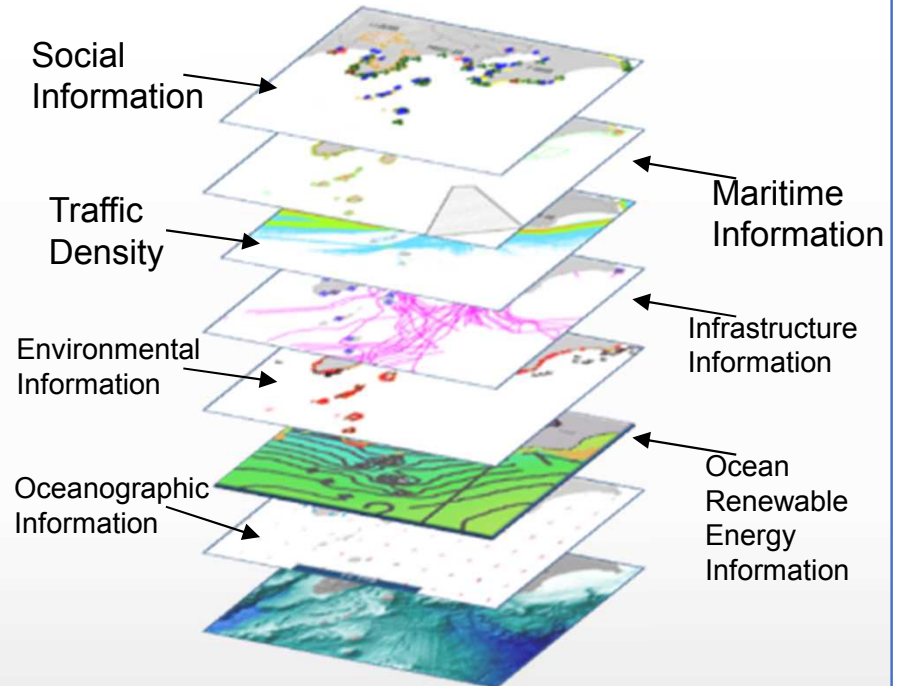
Electric Nautical Chart (ENC)



Notice to Mariners & Navigational Warnings

General use

Marine-related information



Leisure activities



Ocean development



Environment protection



Users choose information and overlap them onto a web-based map.

Marine Cadastre & MSIL



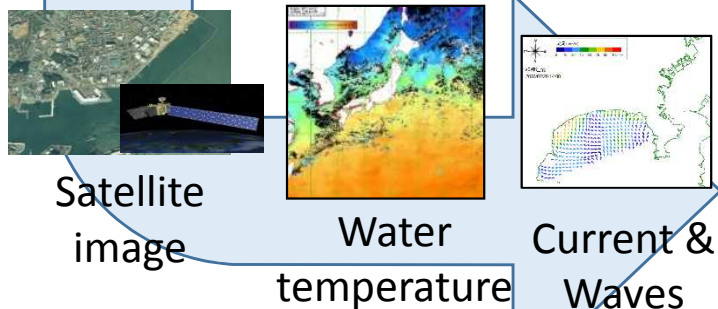
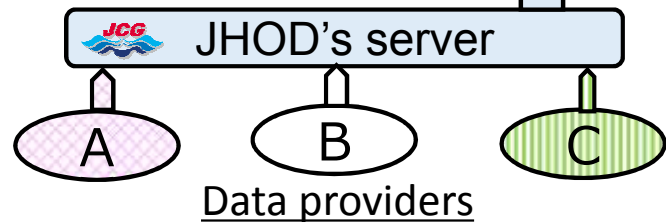
• JHOD is developing real-time WebGIS as part of Japanese MDA.

Marine Cadastre

Non-real-time WebGIS



Data are centralized to JHOD and provided.

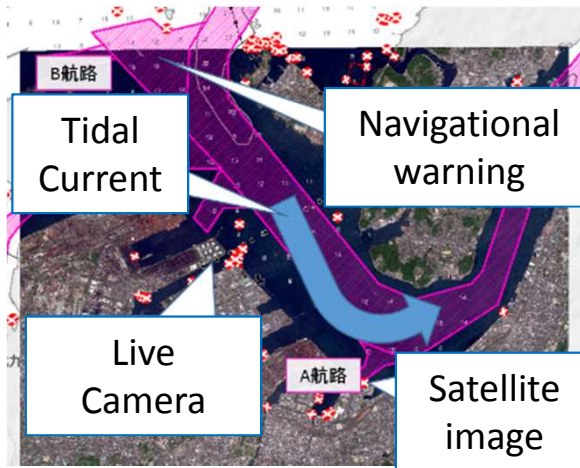


Real-time & Global

MSIL

Real-time WebGIS

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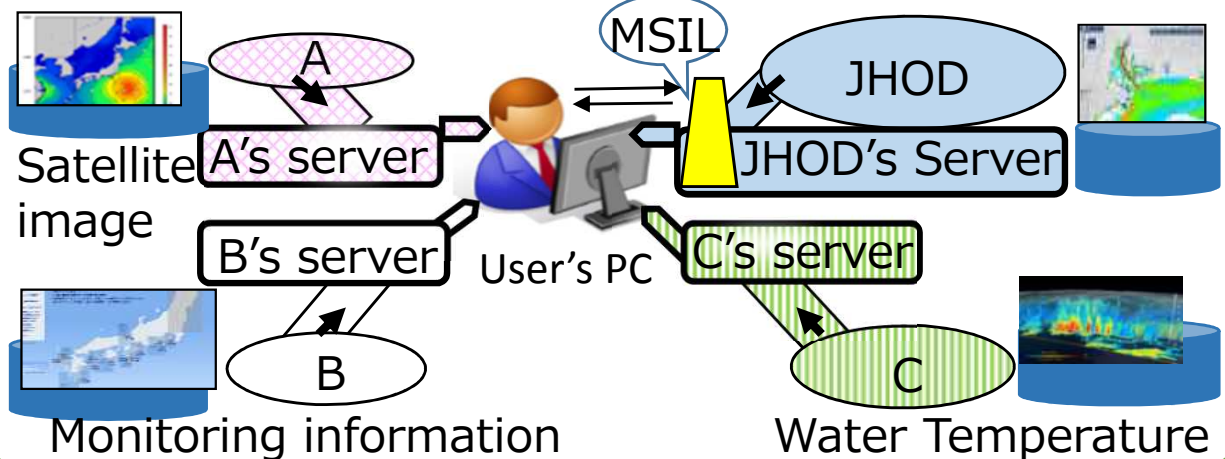


The usage when disaster

- Grasp the damage using satellite image
- Sharing the damage situation with relevant organizations
- Grasp the shift of weather and marine phenomenon

Image of cooperation with data providers

To implement providing real-time data, each data owner has to change their policies about data provision.



- National hydrographic offices (NHO) are familiar to the information provision technology, which is key to MDA. NHOs have a long history to collect various information.
- Most NHOs have also good international communication via International Hydrographic Organization (IHO) framework. Most NHOs belong to navy.

National Hydrographic Offices have potential
to be a good player of MDA
with essential technical assets and experiences

National Hydrographer in each (example)



- Australia: Navy
- USA: NOAA, NGA, CNMOC
- UK: Navy
- Malaysia: Navy
- Thailand: Navy
- Viet Nam: Navy, Maritime Department
- India: Navy
- Indonesia: Navy
- Philippine: Resource Department
- Singapore: Maritime Department
- China: Maritime Department