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## Introduction

S-101 is the Electronic Navigational Chart Product Specification, produced by the International Hydrographic Organization. S-101 is designed to allow content, content definition (Feature Catalogues) and presentation (Portrayal Catalogues) to be updateable without breaking system implementations.

Based on the IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model S-100, S-101 includes all the necessary components for both Hydrographic Offices to produce Electronic Navigational Charts (ENCs) and marine navigation systems (principally Electronic Chart Display and Information Systems (ECDIS)) to be able to ingest and properly display them. This Product Specification is designed to be flexible with the introduction of machine readable Feature and Portrayal Catalogues that will allow for managed change; and will enable the introduction of new navigationally significant features and their portrayal using a “just in time” methodology.

# 1 Overview

## 1.1 Scope

This document describes an S-100 compliant product specification for Electronic Navigational Charts, which will form the base navigation layer for an S-100 based marine navigation system. It specifies the content, structure, and metadata needed for creating a fully compliant S-101 ENC and for its portrayal within an S-100 system. This product specification includes the content model, the encoding, the feature catalogue, portrayal catalogue, metadata, and implementation guidance for developers.

## 1.2 References

### 1.2.1 Normative

S-52 IHO Specifications for Chart Content and Display Aspects of ECDIS, Edition 6.0.1

S-100 IHO Universal Hydrographic Data Model, Edition 4.0.0

ISO 3166-1 Codes for the Representation of Names of Countries and their Subdivisions – Part 1: Country Codes

ISO/IEC 8211:1994 Specification for a Data Descriptive File for Information Interchange Structure Implementations

ISO 8601:2004 Data Elements and Interchange Formats – Information Interchange – Representation of Dates and Times

ISO 19103:2005 Geographic Information – Conceptual Schema Language

ISO 19111:2007 Geographic Information – Spatial Referencing by Coordinates

ISO 19115:2003 Geographic Information – Metadata

ISO 19131:2008 Geographic Information – Data Product Specifications

ISO/IEC 19501:2005 Information Technology – Unified Modelling Language (UML) Version 1.4.2

FIPS 186 Federal Information Processing Standards – Digital Signature Standard

### 1.2.2 Informative

ISO 19101:2003 Geographic Information – Reference Model

ISO 19103-2:2005 Geographic Information – Conceptual Schema Language – Part 2

ISO 19105:2000 Geographic Information – Conformance and Testing

ISO 19107:2003 Geographic Information – Spatial Schema

ISO 19108:2002 Geographic Information – Temporal Schema

ISO 19109:2005 Geographic Information – Rules for Application Schema

ISO 19110:2005 Geographic Information – Methodology for Feature Cataloguing

ISO 19113:2002 Geographic Information – Quality Principles

ISO 19117:2012 Geographic Information – Portrayal



ISO 19118:2005 Geographic Information – Encoding

ISO/TS 19138:2006 Geographic Information – Data Quality Measures

ISO 19157:2013 Geographic Information – Data Quality

### 1.3 Terms, definitions and abbreviations

#### 1.3.1 Use of Language

Within this document:

- “Must” indicates a mandatory requirement.
- “Should” indicates an optional requirement, that is the recommended process to be followed, but is not mandatory.
- “May” means “allowed to” or “could possibly”, and is not mandatory.

#### 1.3.2 Terms and Definitions

##### **Accuracy**

Closeness of agreement between a test result and the accepted reference values.

NOTE A test result can be from an observation or measurement.

##### **Aggregation**

Special form of **association** that specifies a whole-part relationship between the aggregate (whole) and a component part.

##### **Alarm**

(MSC.302/A) a high-priority **alert**. Condition requiring immediate attention and action by the bridge team, to maintain the safe navigation of the ship.

##### **Alert**

(MSC.302/A) announcement of abnormal situations and conditions requiring attention. Alerts are divided in four priorities: emergency alarms, **alarms**, warnings and cautions. An alert provides information about a defined state change in connection with information about how to announce this event in a defined way to the system and the operator.

##### **Application Schema**

Conceptual schema for data required by one or more applications.

##### **Association**

Semantic relationship between two or more classifiers that specifies connections among their instances.

##### **Attribute**

Named property of an entity.

NOTE Describes a geometrical, topological, thematic, or other characteristic of an entity.

##### **Boundary**

Set that represents the limit of an entity.

NOTE Boundary is most commonly used in the context of geometry, where the set is a collection of points or a collection of objects that represent those points.

**Caution**

(MSC.302/A) lowest priority of an **alert**. Awareness of a condition which does not warrant an **alarm** or warning condition, but still requires attention out of the ordinary consideration of the situation or of given information.

**CIE Colours**

One of the first mathematically defined colour spaces the CIE XYZ colour space was created by the International Commission on Illumination 1931.

**Class**

Description of a set of objects that share the same **attributes**, operations, methods, **relationships**, and semantics.

NOTE A class represents a concept within the system being modelled. Depending on the kind of model, the concept may be real-world (for an analysis model), or it may also contain algorithmic and computer implementation concepts (for a design model). A classifier is a generalization of class that includes other class-like elements, such as data type, actor and component.

**Classification**

The process of determining the appropriate **data type** within a **feature catalogue** for a particular real world feature, including consideration of **data quality**.

**Colour Token**

An alphanumeric code identifying a colour and its use in systems. The day and night colours which are identified by the token are given in the colour tables (in **CIE colour** coordinates). Note that several colour tokens may share the same colour.

EXAMPLE: CHBLK – black/grey (general)

**Complex Line Styles**

Lines that are themselves symbols, or that have symbols interlaced. Examples of a line as a symbol are a submerged pipeline LC(PIPSOL05), or the T T T lines indicating the inside of an area LC(ENTRES51). A simple or complex line may have a symbol interlaced, such as an anchor for anchorage area LC(ACHARE51).

**Coordinate**

One of a sequence of n numbers designating the position of a **point** in n-dimensional space.

NOTE In a **coordinate reference system**, the coordinate numbers are qualified by units.

**Coordinate Reference System**

**Coordinate** system that is related to an object by a datum.

NOTE For geodetic and vertical datums, the object will be the Earth.

**Coordinate Tuple**

Ordered list of **coordinates**.

**Curve**

1-dimensional **geometric primitive**, representing the continuous image of a line.

NOTE The boundary of a curve is the set of points at either end of the curve. If the curve is a cycle, the two ends are identical, and the curve (if topologically closed) is considered to not have a boundary. The first point is called the start point, and the last is the end point. Connectivity of the curve is guaranteed by the "continuous image of a line" clause. A topological theorem states that a continuous image of a connected set is connected.

**Curve Segment**

1-dimensional geometric object used to represent a continuous component of a **curve** using homogeneous interpolation and definition methods.

NOTE The geometric set represented by a single curve segment is equivalent to a curve.

**Data Product**

A **dataset** or dataset series that conforms to a data product specification.

**Data Quality**

A set of elements describing aspects of quality, including a measure of quality, an evaluation procedure, a quality result, and a scope.

**Data Type**

Specification of a value domain with operations allowed on values in this domain.

NOTE Data types include primitive predefined types and user-definable types.

NOTE A data type is identified by a term, for example Integer.

EXAMPLES: Integer, Real, Boolean, String, DirectPosition and Date

**Dataset**

An identifiable collection of data.

NOTE A dataset may be a smaller grouping of data which, though limited by some constraint such as spatial extent or feature type, is located physically within a larger dataset. Theoretically, a dataset may be as small as a single feature contained within a larger dataset. A hardcopy map or chart may be considered a dataset.

**Datum**

Parameter or set of parameters that define the position of the origin, the scale, and the orientation of a **coordinate** system.

**Display Category**

The IMO ECDIS Performance Standard establishes three display categories for the presentation of SENC features. Display base: always on the display. Standard display: the system default display. Other: all other features in the SENC.

**Display Priority**

Hierarchy to determine which **feature** is to be displayed when two features overlap. Priority 2 overwrites 1.

**ECDIS**

A navigation information system which with adequate back-up arrangements can be accepted as complying with the up-to-date chart required by regulations V/19 and V/27 of the 1974 SOLAS Convention, as amended, by displaying selected information from a System Electronic Navigational Chart (SENC) with positional information from navigation sensors to assist the Mariner in route planning and route monitoring, and if required display additional navigation-related information.

**ECDIS Chart 1**

An ECDIS version of INT 1, including all symbols, line styles and colour coding used for chart presentation. Intended for the Mariner for both familiarization with ECDIS and to look up specific symbols.

**ENC**

The **dataset**, standardized as to content, structure and format, issued for use with **ECDIS** by or on the authority of a Government authorized Hydrographic Office or other relevant government institution, and conforming to IHO standards. The ENC contains all the chart information necessary for safe

navigation and may contain supplementary information in addition to that contained in the paper chart which may be considered necessary for safe navigation.

**Enumeration**

A fixed list of valid identifiers of named literal values. **Attributes** of an enumerated type may only take values from this list.

**Feature**

Abstraction of real world phenomena [ISO 19101:2003].

NOTE A feature may occur as a type or an instance. Feature type or feature instance should be used when only one is meant.

EXAMPLE The phenomenon named 'London Eye' may be classified as a feature instance with other phenomena into a feature type 'landmark'.

**Feature Association**

**Relationship** that links instances of one **feature** type with instances of the same or a different **feature** type.

**Feature Attribute**

Characteristic of a **feature**.

NOTE A feature **attribute** may occur as a type or an instance. Feature attribute type or feature attribute instance is used when only one is meant.

NOTE A feature **attribute** type has a name, a **data type** and a domain associated to it. A feature **attribute** instance has an attribute value taken from the value domain of the feature **attribute** type.

NOTE In a **feature catalogue**, a feature **attribute** may include a value domain but does not specify **attribute** values for feature instances.

EXAMPLE 1: A feature attribute named *colour* may have an attribute value *green* which belongs to the data type *text*

EXAMPLE 2: A feature attribute named *length* may have an attribute value *82.4* which belongs to the data type *real*

**Feature Catalogue**

A catalogue containing definitions and descriptions of the **feature** types, **feature attributes**, and **feature associations** occurring in one or more sets of geographic data.

**Geometric Primitive**

A plain **point**, a plain **curve**, a plain **surface** as defined in geometry (that is without any meaning attached).

**Human Readable**

A representation of information that can be naturally read by humans.

**Identifier**

A linguistically independent sequence of characters capable of uniquely and permanently identifying that with which it is associated.

**Indication**

Visual indication giving information about the condition of a system or equipment.

**Instance**

Entity to which a set of operations can be applied and which has a state that stores the effects of the operations.

NOTE See **feature**.

**Machine Readable**

A representation of information that can be processed by computers.

**Maximum Display Scale**

The larger value of the ratio of the linear dimensions of features of a dataset presented in the display and the actual dimensions of the features represented (largest scale) of the scale range of the dataset.

**Metadata**

Data about data.

**Minimum Display Scale**

The smaller value of the ratio of the linear dimensions of features of a dataset presented in the display and the actual dimensions of the features represented (smallest scale) of the scale range of the dataset.

**Model**

Abstraction of some aspects of universe of discourse.

NOTE A semantically complete abstraction of a system.

**Multiplicity**

Specification of the number of possible occurrences of a property, or the number of allowable elements that may participate in a given relationship.

EXAMPLES: 1..\* (one to many); 1 (exactly one); 0..1 (zero or one)

**No Symbol Feature**

In some cases, the database contains information that is not intended for display. (An example might be a general area such as 'Great Australian Bight' which would be available for an answer to cursor interrogation of the sea area.)

**Opaque Fill**

The background is completely filled with the colour fill (for example, depth area). The **point** and **curve** SENC features may be overwritten. The raw radar image is a special case of opaque fill which overwrites all other features except those with "priority over radar" (OVERRADAR).

**Overscale Indication**

The overscale indication is intended to remind the mariner that the size of chart errors is magnified as the display scale increases. A 1 mm error at compilation scale of 1:20,000 becomes a 1.3 mm error at a display scale of 1:15,000 and a 2 mm error at 1:10,000. This overscale indication is displayed as a factor (for instance "X1.3" and "X2" using the examples above), and a pattern when overscale is beyond a factor of X2; and is required by the IMO Performance Standards for ECDIS whenever the display scale exceeds the **dataset** compilation scale.

**Pattern Fill**

A method of identifying areas by large, faintly coloured symbols well spaced out across the area. A pattern spacing algorithm ensures that the pattern symbols are visible without being so dense as to cause clutter. Used to ensure pattern symbols are always visible at any display scale.

**Pivot Point**

The point around which a symbol gets scaled and rotated. When the symbol is placed in the world space, the symbol's pivot point is positioned exactly on the feature's position and all elements of the symbol are geometrically related to that position.

**Point**

0-dimensional **geometric primitive**, representing a position.

NOTE The **boundary** of a point is the empty set.

**Portrayal Catalogue**

Collection of defined portrayals for a **feature catalogue**.

NOTE Content of a portrayal catalogue includes portrayal functions, symbols, and portrayal context.

**Radar Priority**

The IMO ECDIS Performance Standard requires that radar can be switched off with a "single action control" in order to see SENC and Mariners information clearly. However certain other information, such as planned route, safety contour, coastline should always be written over the radar.

**Radar Transparency**

A method of varying the transparency of radar in a continuous progression from no radar to a totally opaque radar overlay, by merging the radar colour with the colour of the feature it overlays at each pixel.

**Record**

Finite, named collection of related items (objects or values).

NOTE Logically, a record is a set of pairs <name, item >.

**Relationship**

Semantic connection among model elements.

NOTE Kinds of relationships include association, generalization, metarelationship, flow, and several kinds grouped under dependency.

**Scale Minimum**

The smallest scale at which a feature is displayed (for example, a minor light, with a scale minimum of 1:45,000, would not be displayed at a scale of 1:90,000).

**SENC**

In **ECDIS** means a database, in the manufacturer's internal ECDIS format, resulting from the loss-less transformation of the entire **ENC** contents and its updates. It is this database that is accessed by ECDIS for the display generation and other navigational functions, and is at least equivalent to an up-to-date paper chart. The SENC may also contain information added by the mariner and information from other sources.

**Simple Line Styles**

Solid lines, dots and dashes.

**Skin of the EARTH**

A defined set of non-overlapping geographic features of geometric primitive surface, covering an area equivalent to that of meta-features **Data Coverage**.

**Surface**

Connected 2-dimensional **geometric primitive**, representing the continuous image of a region of a plane.

NOTE The boundary of a surface is the set of oriented, closed **curves** that delineate the limits of the surface.

**Symbol Size**

The size is specified in normalized units of 0.01 mm. The minimum dimension is always more than 4 mm. This size applies to display on a standard minimum screen.

### Symbology Instruction

A machine readable symbolization order used in look-up tables to link feature-classes to symbols, in straight forward cases (that is where a conditional symbology instruction is not required).

### Temporal Reference System

Reference system against which time is measured.

### Text Label

A textual description of a **feature**. Can be formatted to include standard text as well as **feature attribute** values. For example, light descriptions, place names etc.

### Transparent Fill

A method of identifying features of **geometric primitive surface** by covering a given percentage of each 4 pixel square with the fill colour, leaving the remainder "transparent". Used to ensure the information underneath shows through.

### Vertical Datum

Datum describing the relation of gravity-related heights or depths to the Earth.

### Warning

(MSC.302/A) **alert** for condition requiring immediate attention, but no immediate action by the bridge team. Warnings are presented for precautionary reasons to make the bridge team aware of changed conditions which are not immediately hazardous, but may become so if no action is taken.

### 1.3.3 Abbreviations

|         |   |
|---------|---|
| CRS     | Coordinate Reference System                     |
| DCEG    | Data Classification and Encoding Guide          |
| ECDIS   | Electronic Chart Display and Information System |
| ENC     | Electronic Navigational Chart                   |
| EPSG    | European Petroleum Survey Group                 |
| GFM     | General Feature Model                           |
| IEC     | International Electrotechnical Commission       |
| IHO     | International Hydrographic Organization         |
| IMO     | International Maritime Organization             |
| ISO     | International Organization for Standardization  |
| MSVS    | Mariners Selected Viewing Scale                 |
| PDF     | Portable Document Format                        |
| SENC    | System Electronic Navigational Chart            |
| SOLAS   | Safety of Life at Sea                           |
| SVG     | Scalable Vector Graphics                        |
| S-100WG | IHO S-100 Working Group                         |
| S-101PT | S-101 Project Team                              |

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|------|----------------------------|
| TIFF | Tagged Image File Format   |
| UML  | Unified Modelling Language |
| URL  | Universal Resource Locator |
| XML  | Extensible Markup Language |

## 1.4 S-101 General Data Product Description

**NOTE** This information contains general information about the data product.

**Title:** Electronic Navigational Chart

**Abstract:** An Electronic Navigational Chart (ENC) is a vector chart produced on the authority of a government authorized Hydrographic Office or other relevant government institution. Its primary purpose is for use within an Electronic Chart Display and Information System (ECDIS) to meet International Maritime Organization (IMO) and Safety of Life at Sea (SOLAS) chart carriage requirements; however it may also be used as the base dataset in other S-100 based marine navigation systems. The ENC contains an extraction of real world information necessary for the safe navigation of vessels.

**Content:** The Product Specification defines all requirements to which ENC data products must conform. Specifically it defines the data product content in terms of features and attributes within the feature catalogue. The display of features is defined by the symbols and rule sets contained in the portrayal catalogue. The Data Classification and Encoding Guide (DCEG) provides guidance on how data product content must be captured. (Annex A.)

### Spatial Extent:

**Description:** Areas specific to marine navigation.

**East Bounding Longitude:** 180°

**West Bounding Longitude:** -180°

**North Bounding Latitude:** 90°

**South Bounding Latitude:** -90°

**Purpose:** The purpose of an ENC dataset is to provide official navigational data for navigation systems for the safe passage and route planning of vessels between destinations.

## 1.5 Data product specification metadata

**NOTE** This information uniquely identifies this Product Specification and provides information about its creation and maintenance. For further information on dataset metadata see clause 12.

**Title:** The International Hydrographic Organization Electronic Navigational Chart Product Specification

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**Maintenance:** Changes to the Product Specification S-101 are coordinated by the S-101 Project Team (S-101PT), a Project Team under the IHO S-100 Working Group (S-100WG), and must be made available via the IHO web site. Maintenance of the Product Specification must conform to IHO Technical Resolution 2/2007, as amended.

## 1.5.1 IHO Product Specification Maintenance

### 1.5.1.1 Introduction

Changes to S-101 will be released by the IHO as a new edition, revision, or clarification.

### 1.5.1.2 New Edition

*New Editions* of S-101 introduce significant changes. *New Editions* enable new concepts, such as the ability to support new functions or applications, or the introduction of new constructs or data types. *New Editions* are likely to have a significant impact on either existing users or future users of S-101. All cumulative *revisions* and *clarifications* must be included with the release of approved New Editions.

### 1.5.1.3 Revisions

*Revisions* are defined as substantive semantic changes to S-101. Typically, revisions will change S-101 to correct factual errors; or introduce necessary changes that have become evident as a result of practical experience or changing circumstances. A *revision* must not be classified as a clarification. *Revisions* could have an impact on either existing users or future users of S-101. All cumulative *clarifications* must be included with the release of approved corrections revisions.

Changes in a revision are minor and ensure backward compatibility with the previous versions within the same Edition. Newer revisions, for example, introduce new features and attributes. Within the same Edition, a dataset of one version could always be processed with a later version of the feature and portrayal catalogues.

In most cases a new feature catalogue or portrayal catalogue will result in a revision of S-101.

### 1.5.1.4 Clarification

*Clarifications* are defined as non-substantive changes to S-101. Typically, clarifications: remove ambiguity; correct grammatical and spelling errors; amend or update cross references; and insert improved graphics. A *clarification* must not cause any substantive semantic change to S-101.

Changes in a clarification are minor and ensure backward compatibility with the previous versions.

### 1.5.1.5 Version Numbers

The associated version control numbering to identify changes (n) to S-101 must be as follows:

New Editions denoted as **n.0.0**

Revisions denoted as n.**n.0**

Clarifications denoted as n.n.**n**

## 2 Specification Scopes

**Scope ID:** Global

**Level:** 006- series

**Level name:** ENC Dataset

## 3 Dataset Identification

A dataset that conforms to this Product Specification may be identified by its discovery metadata as defined in clause 12.

**Title:** Electronic Navigational Chart

**Alternate Title:** ENC

**Abstract:** S-101 ENCs must be produced in accordance with the rules defined in the S-101 Product Specification. The S-101 Product specification contains all the information necessary to enable Hydrographic Offices to produce a consistent ENC, and manufacturers to use that data efficiently within navigation systems.

**Topic Category:** Transportation (ISO 19115 Domain Code 018)

**Geographic Description:** Areas specific to marine navigation.

**Spatial Resolution:** An ENC dataset and **Data Coverage** must carry a value for maximum display scale. Each **Data Coverage** must also carry a value for minimum display scale. Values must be taken from the following table:

| Scale   |
|---|
| NULL (only allowed on minimum display scale where the maximum display scale = 10,000,000) |
| 1:10,000,000  |
| 1:3,500,000   |
| 1:1,500,000   |

|           |
|-----------|
| 1:700,000 |
| 1:350,000 |
| 1:180,000 |
| 1:90,000  |
| 1:45,000  |
| 1:22,000  |
| 1:12,000  |
| 1:8,000   |
| 1:4,000   |
| 1:3,000   |
| 1:2,000   |
| 1:1,000   |

**Table 1- ENC Minimum Display and Maximum Display Scales**

|                                     |   |
|-------------------------------------|---|
| <b>Purpose:</b>                     | Electronic Navigational Chart for use in Electronic Chart Display and Information Systems                                 |
| <b>Language:</b>                    | English (Mandatory), other (Optional)   |
| <b>Classification:</b>              | Data may be classified as one of the following:<br><br>Unclassified<br>Restricted<br>Confidential<br>Secret<br>Top Secret |
| <b>Spatial Representation Type:</b> | Vector  |
| <b>Point of Contact:</b>            | Producing Agency  |
| <b>Use Limitation:</b>              | Not to be used for navigation on land.  |

## 4 Data Content and structure

### 4.1 Introduction

An S-101 ENC is a feature-based product. The content information is described in terms of a General Feature Model and a Feature Catalogue.

### 4.2 Application Schema

S-101 conforms to the General Feature Model (GFM) from S-100 Part 3. The GFM is the conceptual model and the implementation is defined in the Feature Catalogue. The S-101 Application Schema is realised in the feature catalogue and the product specification only contains specific examples.

## 4.3 Feature Catalogue

### 4.3.1 Introduction

The S-101 Feature Catalogue describes the feature types, information types, attributes, attribute values, associations and roles which may be used in an ENC.

The S-101 Feature Catalogue is available in an XML document which conforms to the S-100 XML Feature Catalogue Schema and can be downloaded from the IHO website. S-101 Annex A – Data Classification and Encoding Guide, constitutes a human readable interpretation of the Feature Catalogue.

### 4.3.2 Feature Types

#### 4.3.2.1 Geographic

Geographic (geo) feature types form the principle content of the ENC and are fully defined by their associated attributes and information types.

##### 4.3.2.1.1 Skin of the Earth

Each area covered by a meta-feature **Data Coverage** must be totally covered by a set of geo features of geometric primitive type surface that do not overlap each other (the Skin of the Earth). Feature types that comprise the Skin of the Earth are listed below:

**Depth Area**

**Dredged Area**

**Land Area**

**Unsurveyed Area**

**Dock Area**

**Lock Basin**

The geometry of coincident boundaries between Skin of the Earth features in a dataset must not be duplicated.

##### 4.3.2.2 Meta

Meta features contain information about other features within a dataset. Information defined by meta features override the default metadata values defined by the dataset descriptive records. Meta attribution on individual features overrides attribution on meta features.

##### 4.3.2.3 Cartographic

Cartographic features contain information about the cartographic representation (including text) of real world entities.

### 4.3.3 Feature Relationship

A feature relationship links instances of one feature type with instances of the same or a different feature type. There are four types of defined feature relationships in S-101 as described in the following sub clauses.

#### 4.3.3.1 Information Association

An association is used to describe a relationship between a feature type, spatial object, or information type on one side and an information type on the other side.

EXAMPLE A **Nautical Information** information type provides additional information to any geo feature using an information association called **additional information**.

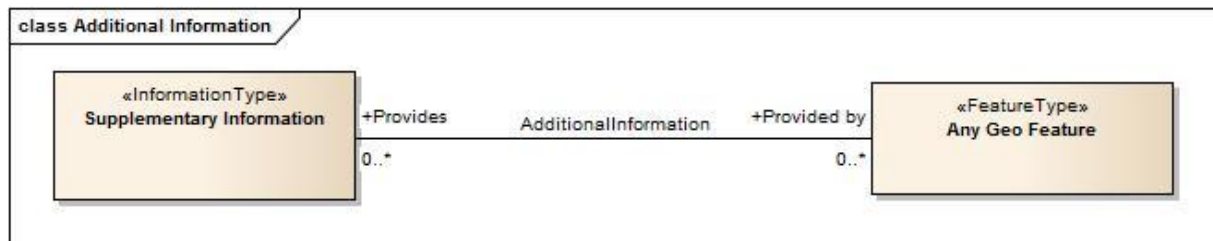


Figure 1 - Information Association

#### 4.3.3.2 Feature Association

An association is used to describe a relationship between two feature types that involves connections between their instances.

EXAMPLE A **Caution Area** feature provides additional caution information to the **Archipelagic Sea Lane** feature. An association named **Caution Area Association** is used to relate the two features; roles are used to convey the meaning of the relationship.

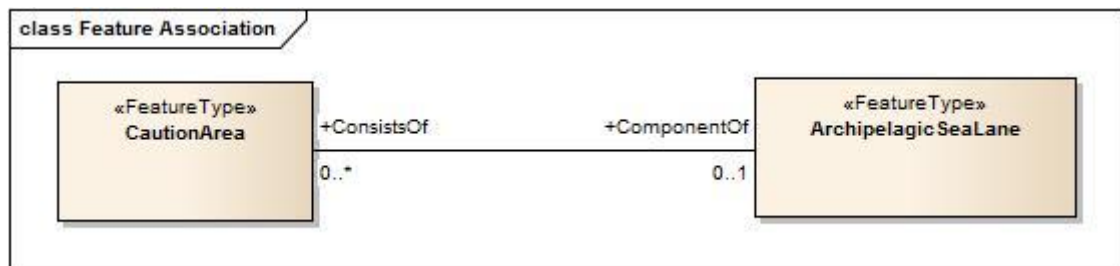


Figure 2 – Feature Association

#### 4.3.3.3 Aggregation

An aggregation is a relationship between two or more feature types where the aggregation feature is made up of component features.

EXAMPLE An **Island Group** feature may be composed of multiple **Land Area** features to indicate the name of a group of island.

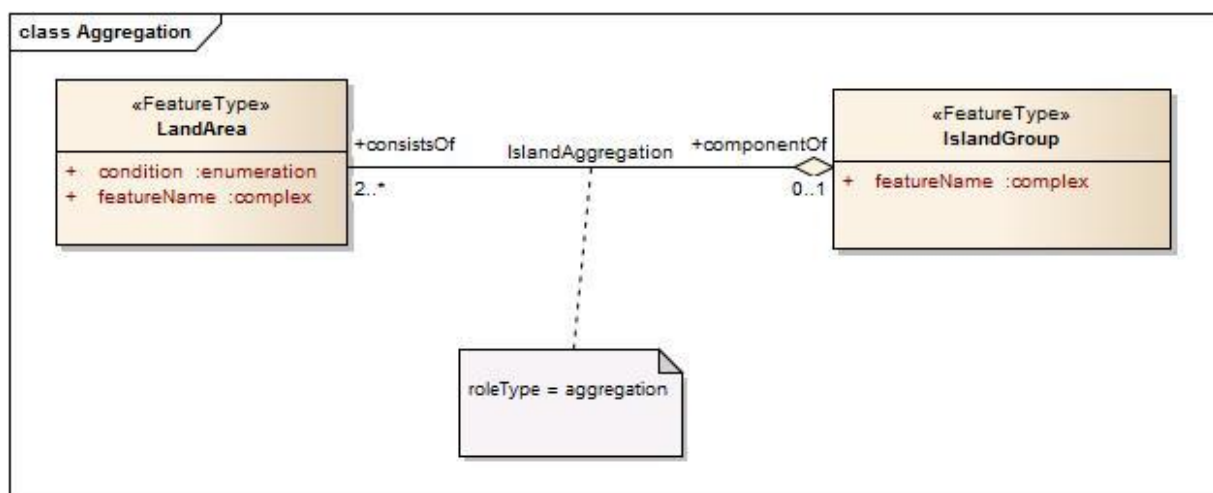


Figure 3 - Aggregation

#### 4.3.3.4 Composition

A composition is a strong aggregation. In a composition, if a container feature is deleted then all of its containee features are deleted as well.

**EXAMPLE** If a feature type that is considered a structure feature, such as a beacon, is deleted, then all of its component feature types that make up the equipment composition, such as lights and fog signals must be deleted as they make up the **Structure/Equipment** Composition.

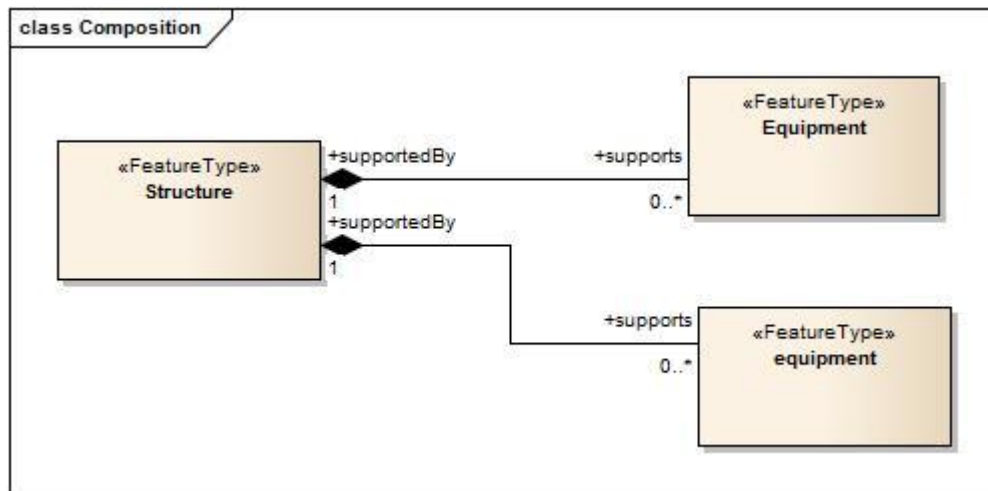


Figure 4 - Composition

#### 4.3.4 Information Types

Information types define identifiable pieces of information in a dataset that can be shared between other objects such as feature types, spatial objects and other information types. They have attributes but have no relationship to any geometry.

##### 4.3.4.1 Spatial Quality

Spatial quality attributes are carried in an information class called **Spatial Quality**. Only points, multipoints and curves can be associated with spatial quality. Currently no use case for associating surfaces with spatial quality attributes has been identified, therefore this is prohibited. Vertical uncertainty is prohibited for curves as this dimension is not supported by curves.

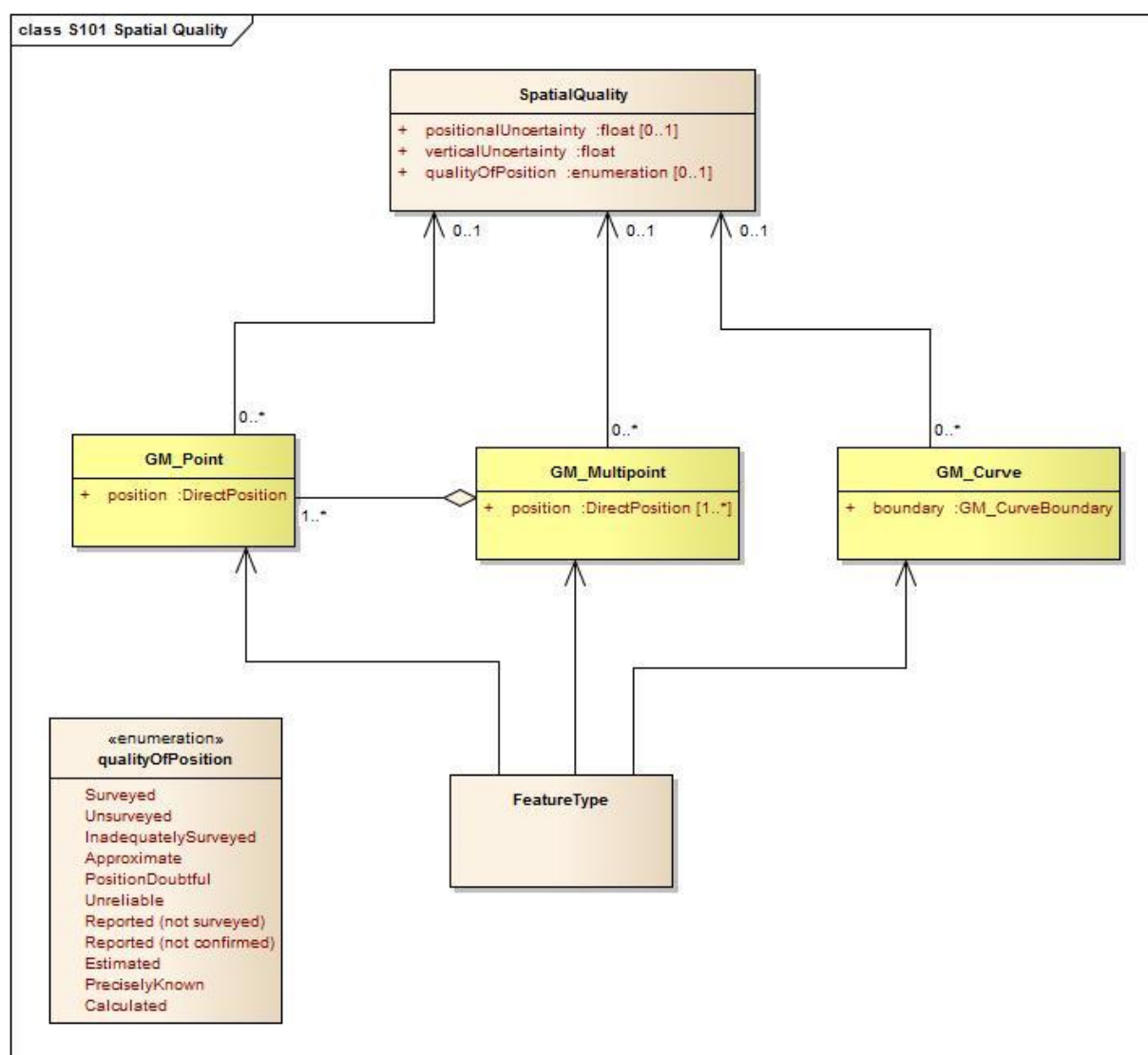


Figure 4 - Spatial Quality Information Type

### 4.3.5 Attributes

S-101 defines attributes as either simple or complex.

#### 4.3.5.1 Simple Attributes

S-100 uses nine types of simple attributes; they are listed in the following table:

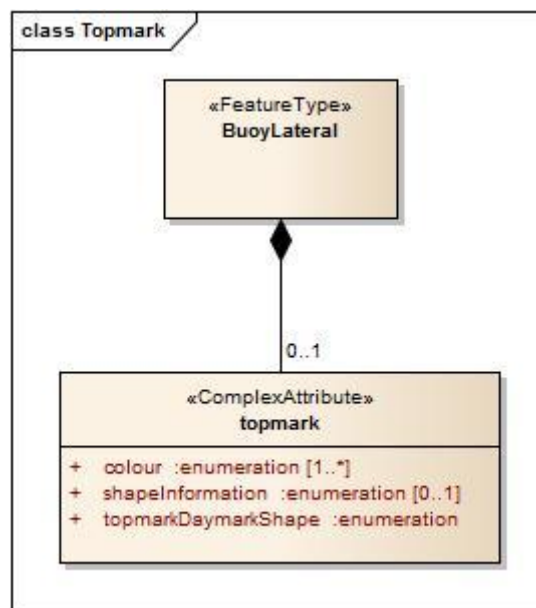
| Type        | Definition  |
|-------------|---|
| Boolean     | the value is a logical value either 'True' or 'False'   |
| Integer     | the value is an integer number  |
| Real        | the value is a floating point number  |
| Enumeration | the value is one of a list of predefined values   |
| Codelist    | the value is an open enumeration, or the identifier of a vocabulary (mapping between codes, labels and definitions) [Not currently used in S-101] |

|                |  |
|----------------|--|
| Text           | the value is general text. This is also defined as CharacterString   |
| Date and Time  | the value marks a point in time, consisting of a date in the Gregorian calendar and a 24 hour time. The time may contain a time zone [Not currently used in S-101] |
| Truncated Date | the value is a date according to the Gregorian calendar, and allows for partial dates to be provided   |
| Time           | the value is a 24 hour time, it may contain a time zone  |

**Table 2 - Simple Attribute Types**

#### 4.3.5.2 Complex Attributes

Complex attributes are aggregations of other attributes that are either simple or complex. The aggregation is defined by means of attribute bindings.



**Figure 5 - Complex Attribute**

**EXAMPLE** In this example the complex attribute **topmark** has three sub attributes. The **Buoy Lateral** feature may optionally include one instance of **topmark**.

#### 4.4 Feature Object Identifier

Each real world feature within an ENC must have a unique universal Feature Object Identifier. This identifier is formed by the binary concatenation of the contents of the subfields of the “Feature Object Identifier” [FOID] field. Information types must not have a FOID.

The FOID may be used to identify that the same feature has instances in separate datasets. For example the same feature included in different maximum display scale datasets, or a feature being split by the ENC dataset limits within the same maximum display scale.

FOIDs must not be repeated in a dataset. Where a real-world feature has multiple parts within a single ENC dataset due to ENC dataset limit truncations, the feature will reference each spatial part of the feature within the dataset. This is accomplished in the ISO/IEC 8211 encoding by including a Spatial Association for each disjoint component. When a feature’s geometry is split each component must be represented by a separate spatial feature that the feature refers to.

Where a real-world feature is repeated in datasets of different maximum display scale, the FOID should be repeated for each instance of the feature across the maximum display scale range. Where



this occurs, all instances of the geo feature must be identical, that is same feature class and attribute values.

Feature Object Identifiers must not be reused by another feature, even when a feature has been deleted. The same feature can be deleted and added again later using the same FOID.

## 4.5 Dataset

### 4.5.1 Introduction

A dataset is a grouping of features, attributes, geometry and metadata which comprises a specific coverage.

### 4.5.2 Dataset rules

In order to facilitate the efficient processing of ENC data the geographic coverage of a given **maximum display scale** may be split into multiple datasets.

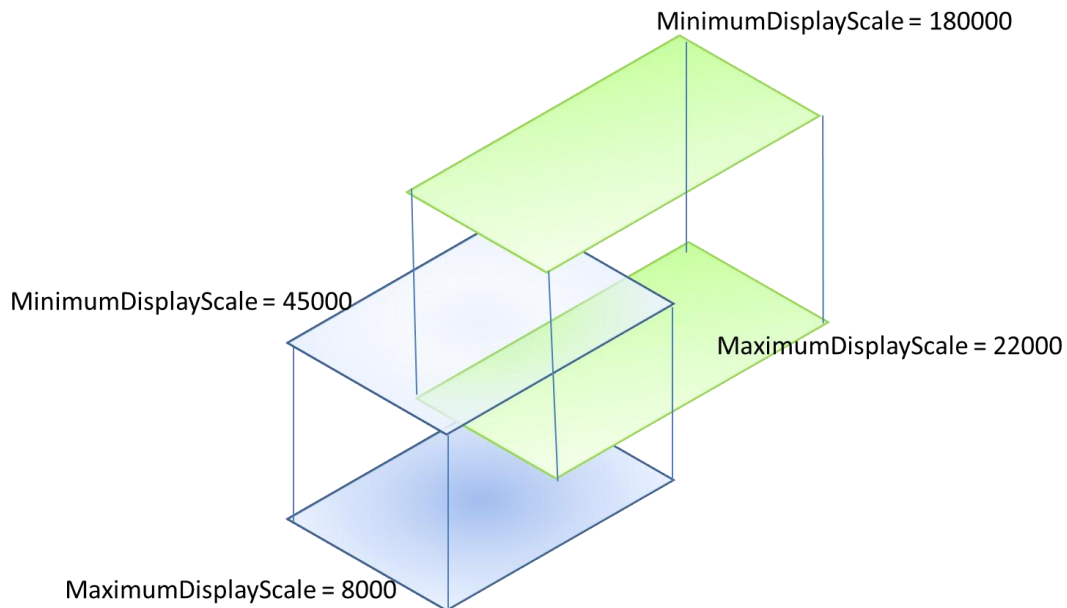
The discovery metadata of a dataset must list all the **Data Coverage** features contained within that dataset and their assigned scale attributions.

An ENC update dataset must not change the limit of a **Data Coverage** feature for the base ENC dataset. Where the limit of a **Data Coverage** feature for a base ENC dataset is to be changed, this must be done by issuing a new edition of the dataset.

Datasets must not cross the 180° meridian; this includes both the **Data Coverage** features and the bounding box for the dataset.

### 4.5.3 Data Coverage rules

- All base datasets (new dataset, new edition and re-issue) must contain at least one **Data Coverage** feature, but must not contain more than three **Data Coverage** features.
- The data boundary of the base dataset is defined by the extent of the **Data Coverage** features and must be contained within the bounding box.
- The **Data Coverage** features within a dataset must not overlap, however **Data Coverage** features from different datasets may overlap if they have differing maximum display scales.
- Datasets may overlap, however there must be no overlapping **Data Coverage** features of the same **maximum display scale**, except at the agreed adjoining national data limits, where, if it is difficult to achieve a perfect join, a 5 metre overlapping buffer zone may be used; and for this situation, there must be no gaps in data.
- When a dataset has multiple **Data Coverage** features, then the **minimum display scale** must be the same for all **Data Coverage** features within the dataset. The **maximum display scale** for multiple **Data Coverage** features within a dataset may be different.
- When a dataset has a single **Data Coverage** feature then the **maximum display scale** of the dataset must be equal to the **maximum display scale** of the **Data Coverage** feature. When a dataset has multiple **Data Coverage** features then the **maximum display scale** of the dataset must be equal to the value corresponding to the largest scale **maximum display scale** value of the **Data Coverage** features.
- The **maximum display scale** is considered to be the equivalent of the compilation scale of the data.



**Figure 7 - Data Coverage Rules**

#### 4.5.4 Dataset size

Datasets must not exceed 10MB.

Update datasets should not normally be larger than 50kb and must not be larger than 200kb.

#### 4.6 Display Scale Range

A scale range of a dataset is used to indicate a range of scales between which a producer considers the data is intended for use. (See clause 4.7 for how datasets are to be loaded and unloaded within a navigation system.) The smallest scale is defined by the **minimum display scale** and the largest scale by the **maximum display scale**. These scales must be set at one of the scales specified in clause 3 (spatial resolutions).

When the systems viewing scale is smaller than the value indicated by **minimum display scale**, features within the **Data Coverage** feature are not displayed, except where the SENC does not contain a dataset covering the area at a smaller scale, in which case the dataset will be displayed at all smaller scales. As required by the IMO Performance Standards for ECDIS, when the viewing scale is larger than the value indicated by **maximum display scale**, the overscale indication is shown.

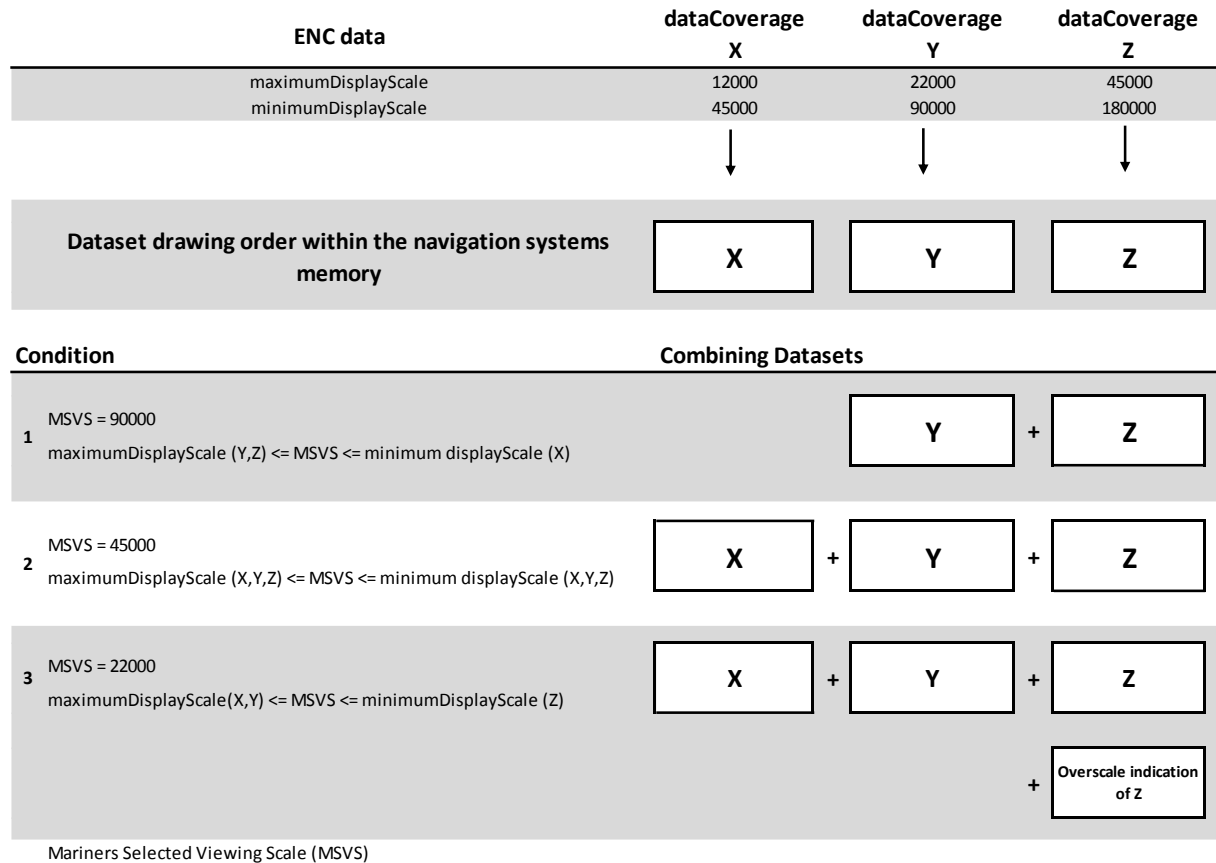
#### 4.7 Dataset Loading and Unloading

A new algorithm based on producer defined dataset display scales (minimum and maximum) for dataset loading and unloading within a navigation system is prescribed in S-101 in order for the appropriate ENC to be viewed at the mariner's selected viewing scale. This will simplify the process for navigation systems, giving clear and concise rules on how and when data is loaded and unloaded. The concept of navigation purpose is restricted for use in presenting ENCs in a visual catalogue and must not be used for determining which dataset should be displayed.

#### 4.7.1 Dataset Loading and Unloading Algorithm

This clause defines the dataset loading and unloading algorithm for use within marine navigation systems.

In order for systems to properly load and unload data as the mariner is zooming in and out using the mariner's selected viewing scale (MSVS) the following algorithm must be used.



**Figure 6 - Data Loading and Unloading Algorithm**

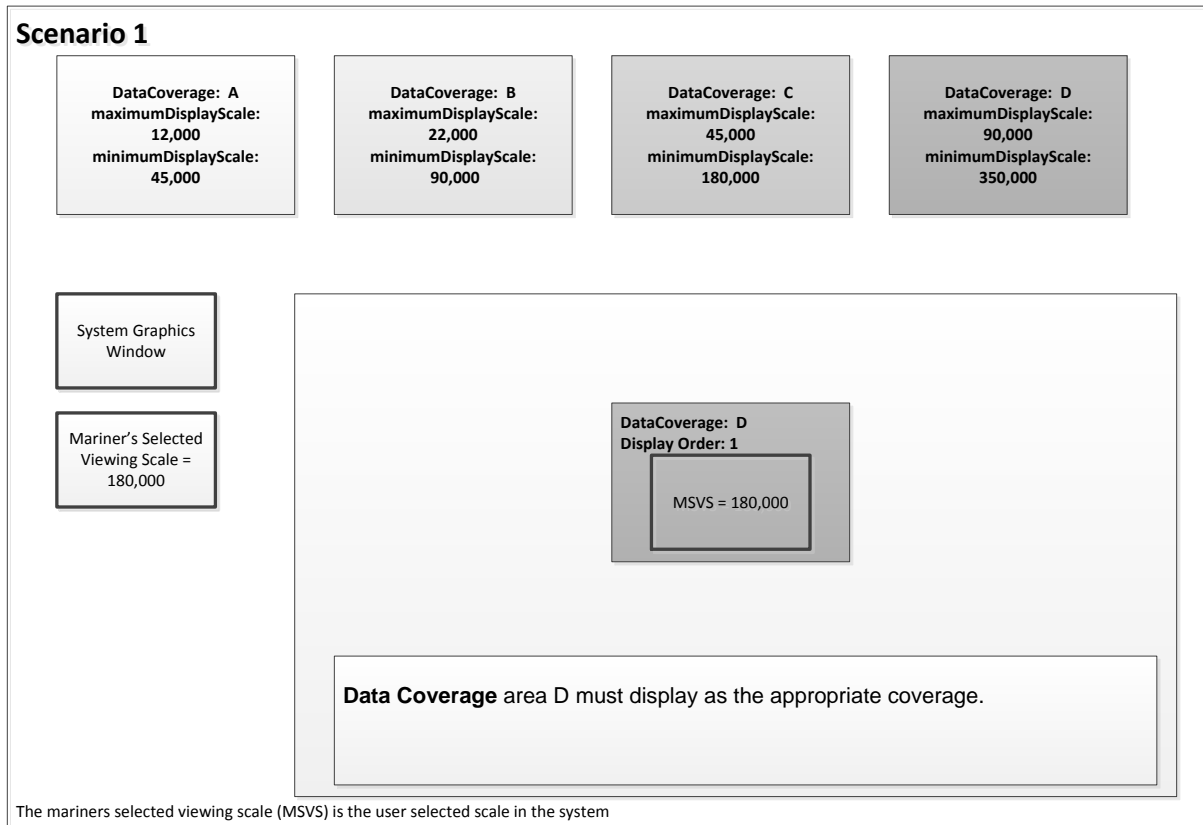
**1. Create selection List**

- a. All **Data Coverage** areas within the graphics window within scale range (covered by the MSVS) are firstly ordered by **maximum display scale** and secondly by the largest percentage of coverage if **Data Coverage** areas have the same **maximum display scale**
- b. All other smaller scale **Data Coverage** areas within the graphics window are firstly ordered by **maximum display scale** and secondly by the largest percentage of coverage if **Data Coverage** areas have the same **maximum display scale**
- c. The display order is from the smallest **maximum display scale** to the largest **maximum display scale**, that is the **Data Coverage** area with largest **maximum display scale** will be displayed with the highest priority
- d. If adjacent data coverages have the same **maximum display scale** they should be drawn so that all objects of a given display priority from the adjacent data coverages are drawn prior to drawing objects of the next display priority

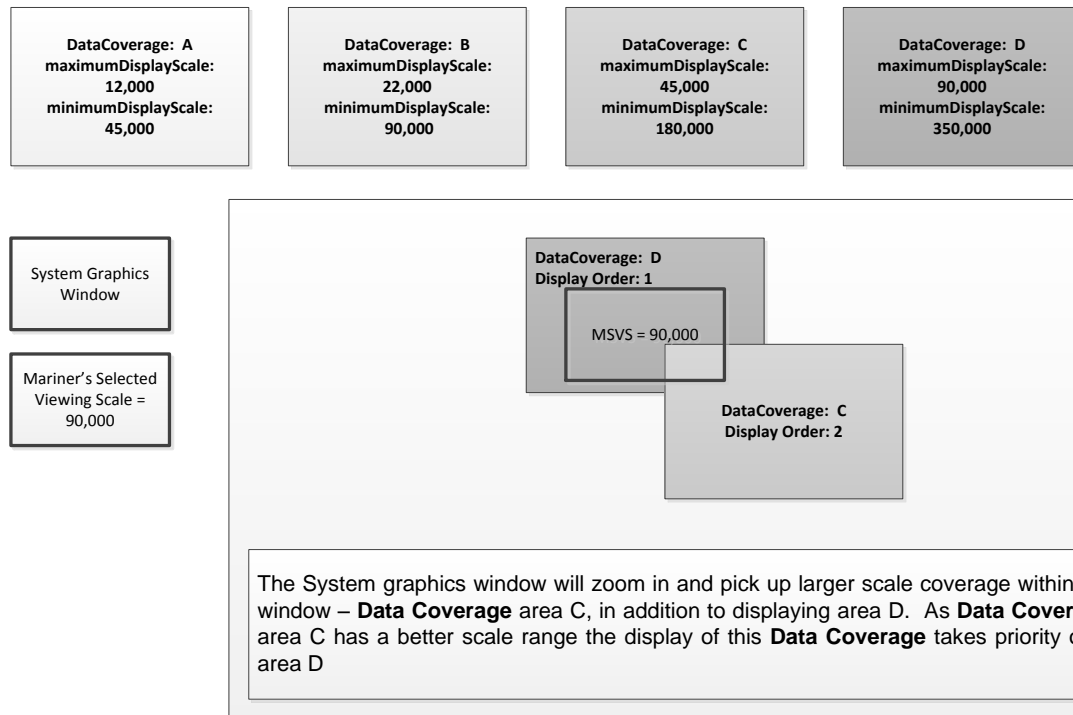
**2. If the MSVS is larger than the maximum display scale of an area within the window, turn on overscale indication.**

3. If the mariner selects an individual dataset to load it must be displayed at its **maximum display scale**, that is MSVS is set to the **maximum display scale** of the selected dataset, and then the algorithm is used to fill the graphics window.

The example below works through four scenarios and uses four different types of **Data Coverage** with different **maximum display scale** and **minimum display scale**. They are denoted as areas A, B, C and D.

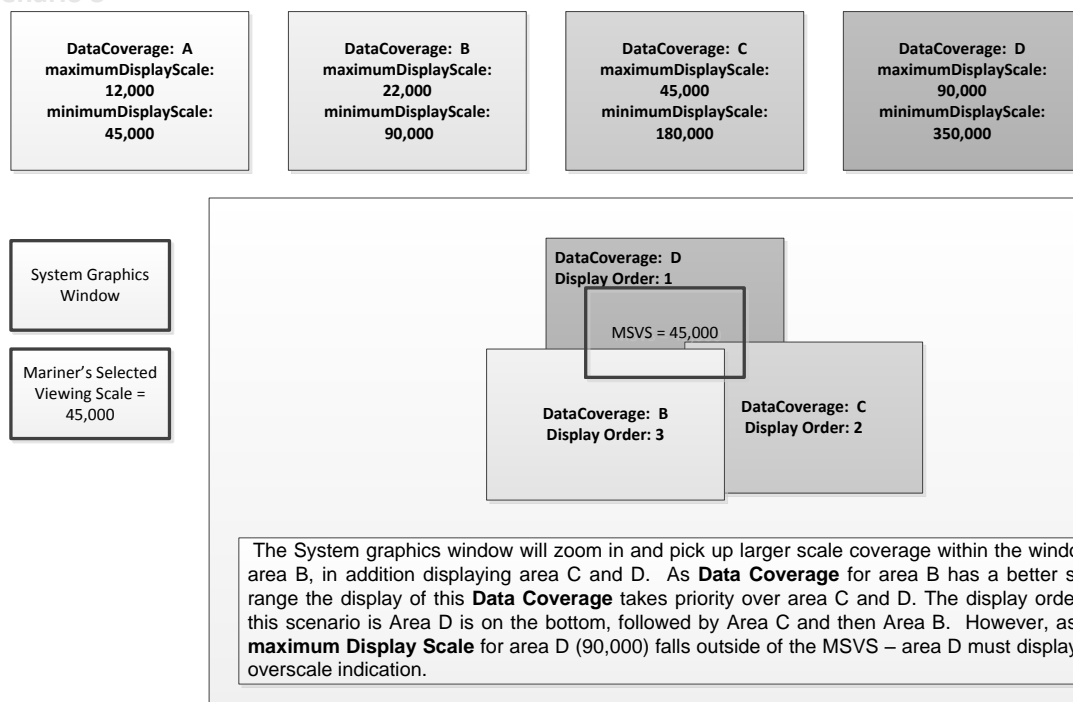


**Figure 7 – Scenario 1: Simple Data Coverage Display**

**Scenario 2**

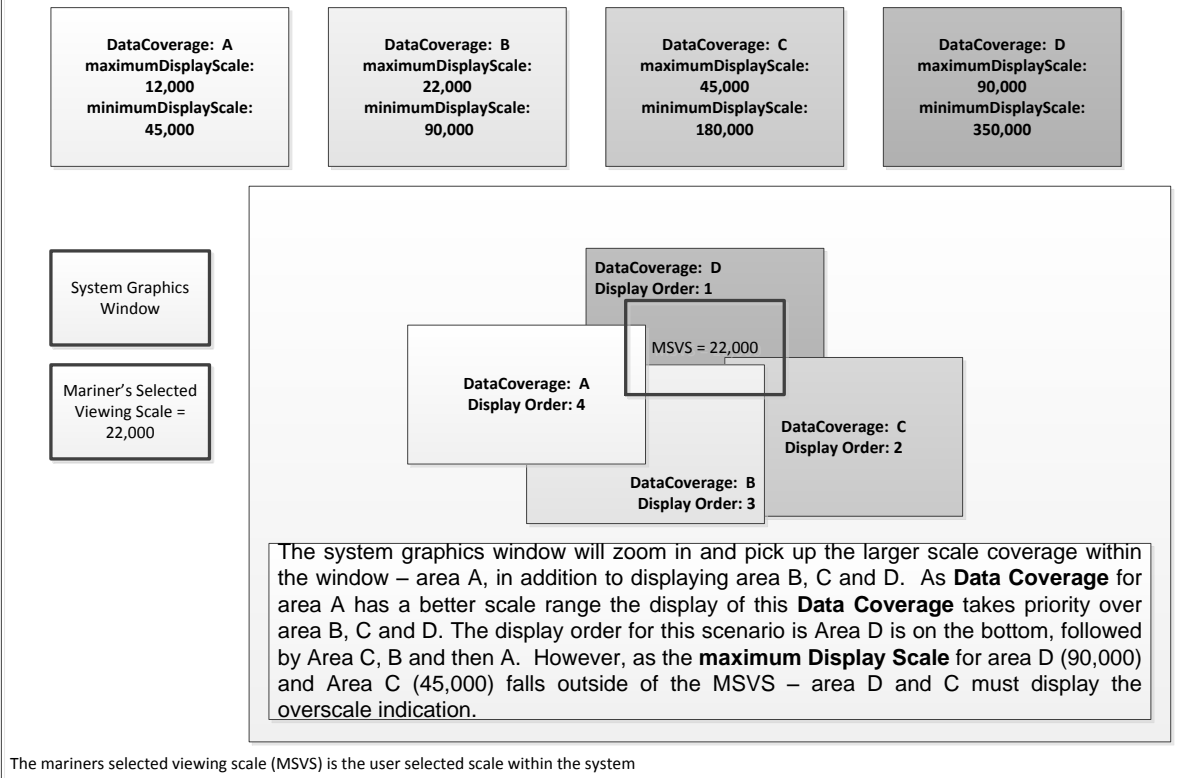
The mariners selected viewing scale (MSVS) is the user selected scale in the system

**Figure 8 - Scenario 2: Display of two different overlapping Data Coverages**

**Scenario 3**

The mariners selected viewing scale (MSVS) is the user selected scale in the system

**Figure 9 - Scenario 3: Display of three different overlapping Data Coverages**

**Scenario 4****Figure 10 - Scenario 4: Display of four different overlapping coverages****4.8 Geometry****4.8.1 S-100 Level 3a Geometry**

The underlying geometry of an ENC is constrained to level 3a which supports 0, 1 and 2 dimensional features (points, curves and surfaces) as defined by S-100 Part 7 – Spatial Schema.

Level 3a is described by the following constraints:

- Each curve must reference a start and end point (they may be the same).
- Curves must not self intersect. See Figure 13.
- Areas are represented by a closed loop of curves beginning and ending at a common point.
- In the case of areas with holes, all internal boundaries must be completely contained within the external boundary and the internal boundaries must not intersect each other or the external boundary. Internal boundaries may touch other internal boundaries or the external boundary tangentially (that is at one point) as shown in Figure 14.
- The outer boundary of a surface must be in a clockwise direction (surface to the right of the curve) and the curve orientation positive. The inner boundary of a surface must be in a counter-clockwise direction (surface to the right of the curve) and the curve orientation negative. See Figure 15.

S-101 further constrains Level 3a with the following:

- Coincident linear geometry must be avoided when there is a dependency between features.
- The interpolation of GM\_CurveSegment must be loxodromic.
- Linear geometry is defined by curves which are made of curve segments. Each curve segment contains the geographic coordinates as control points and defines an

interpolation method between them. The distance between two consecutive control points must not be less than 0.3 mm at the maximum display scale.

The following exception applies to S-101:

- The use of coordinates is restricted to two dimensions, except in the case of features **Depth – No Bottom Found** and **Sounding** which use GM\_Point or GM\_Multipoint with three dimensional coordinates.

## Example: Self intersection of a curve

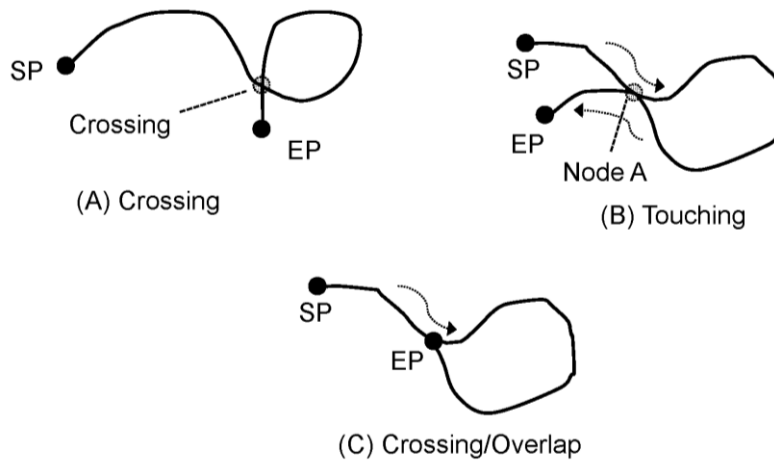


Figure 11 - Self Intersect Example

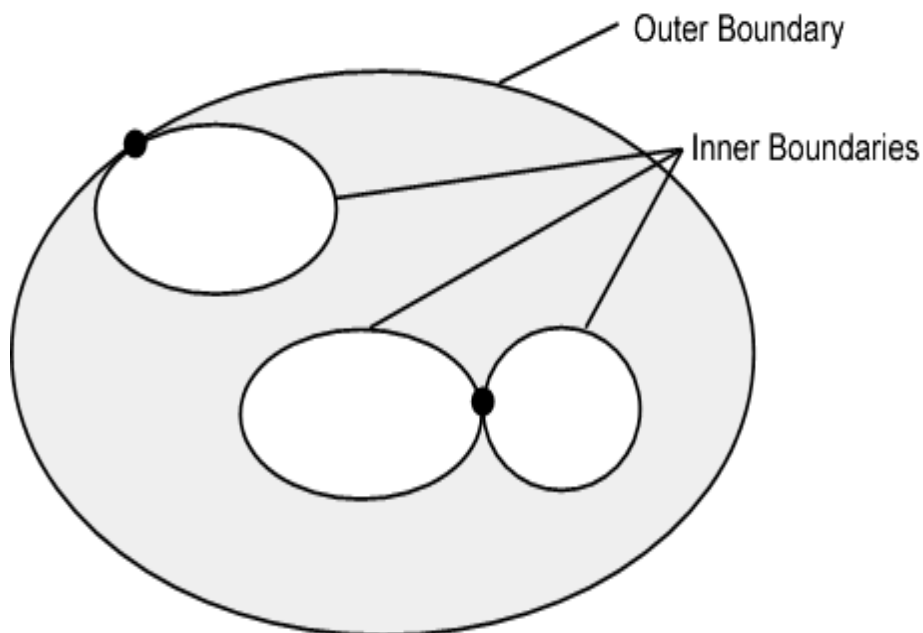
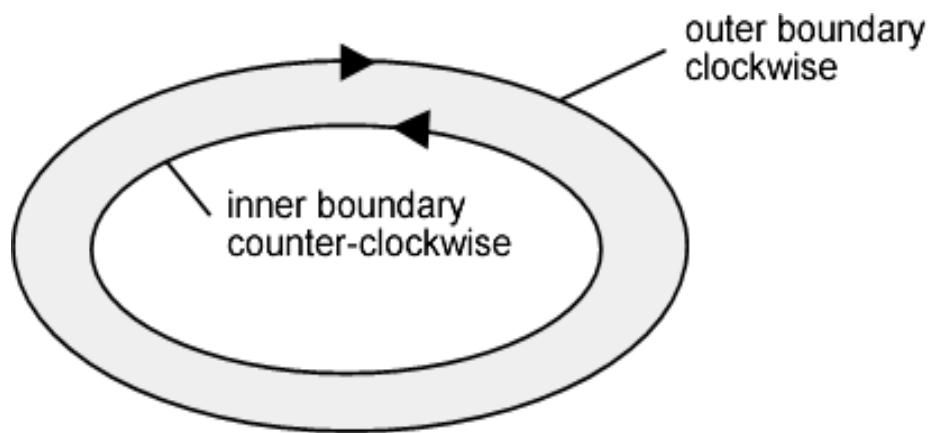


Figure 14 - Area Holes

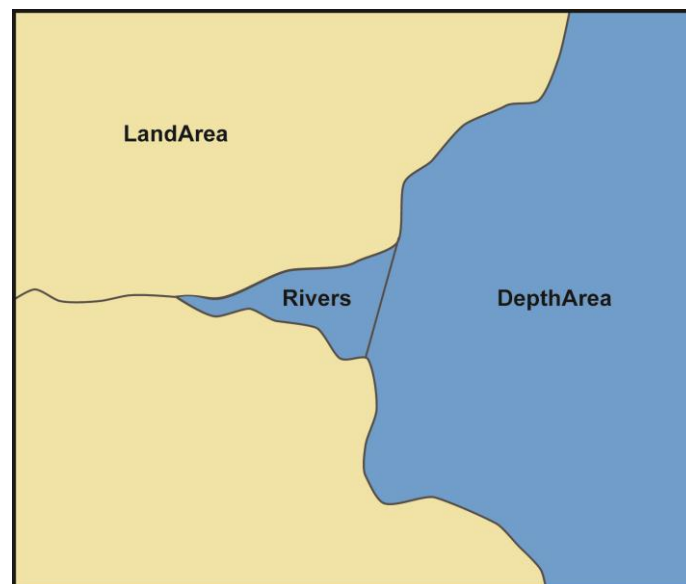


**Figure 15 - Boundary Direction**

#### 4.8.2 Masking

In certain circumstances, the symbolisation of a curve may need to be suppressed. This is done using the Masked Spatial Type [MASK] field of the Feature Type record. The Mask Update Instruction [MUIN] must be set to {1} and Referenced Record name [RRNM] and Referenced Record identifier [RRID] fields must be populated with the values of the referenced spatial record. The Mask Indicator [MIND] must be set to either {1} or {2} (see Annex B – clause B5.1.33).

Figure 16 is an example without masking and Figure 17 is an example of a masked edge between **River** and **Depth Area** features, where the seaward edge of the **River** should be masked. In this example MIND is set to {2} – suppress portrayal.



**Figure 16 - Example without masking**



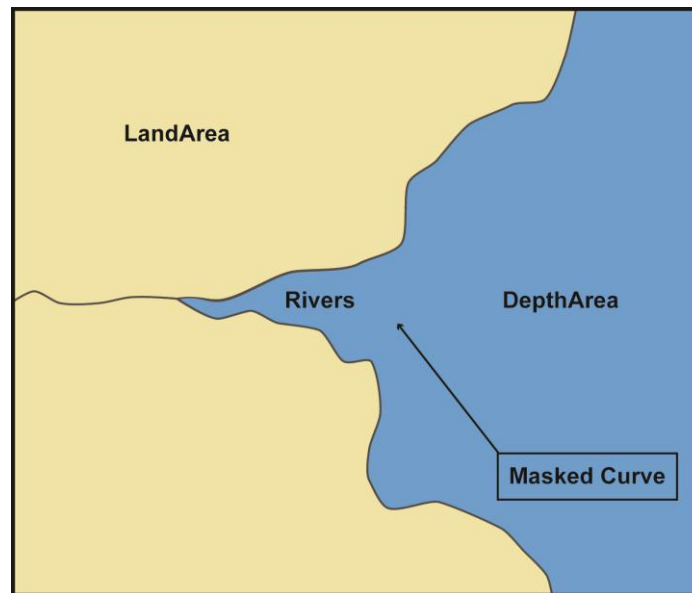


Figure 17 - Example with masking

## 5 Coordinate Reference Systems (CRS)

### 5.1 Introduction

An ENC dataset must define at least one compound CRS, which must be composed of one geodetic CRS and one vertical CRS. All compound CRSs within the same dataset must use the same geodetic CRS.

### 5.2 Horizontal Coordinate Reference System

For ENC the horizontal CRS must be EPSG:4326 (WGS84). The full reference to EPSG: 4326 can be found at [www.epsg-registry.org](http://www.epsg-registry.org).

**Horizontal coordinate reference system:** EPSG:4326 (WGS84)

**Projection:** None

**Temporal reference system:** Gregorian calendar

**Coordinate reference system registry:** [EPSG Geodetic Parameter Registry](http://www.epsg-registry.org)

**Date type (according to ISO 19115):** 002- publication

**Responsible party:** International Organisation of Oil and Gas Producers (IOGP)

**URL:** <http://www.iogp.org>

### 5.3 Vertical CRS for Soundings

For ENC the vertical CRS must be in metres. Depths are represented by positive values, while negative values indicate intertidal (drying) soundings.

Although all coordinates in a dataset must refer to the same geodetic CRS, different Vertical Datums can be used for the depth component of a coordinate tuple. Therefore the vertical CRS can be repeated. For each vertical CRS a unique identifier is defined. Those identifiers will be used to indicate which Vertical CRS is used.

The encoding of the Coordinate Reference System record will be demonstrated with the following

examples. The example at Table 3 specifies a compound CRS. The first component is a 2D Geographic CRS (WGS84). The second component is a Vertical CRS for depth using the Vertical Datum: Lowest Astronomical Tide.

| Field       | Subfield | Value                            | Description   |
|-------------|----------|----------------------------------|---|
| <b>CSID</b> |          |                                  | <b>Coordinate Reference System Record Identifier</b>      |
|             | RCNM     | 15                               | Record Name (15 = Coordinate Reference System Identifier) |
|             | RCID     | 1                                | Record Identification Number                              |
|             | NCRC     | 2                                | Number of CRS Components                                  |
| <b>CRSH</b> |          |                                  | <b>Coordinate Reference System Header</b>                 |
|             | CRIX     | 1                                | CRS Index   |
|             | CRST     | 1                                | CRS Type (1 = 2D Geographic)                              |
|             | CSTY     | 1                                | Coordinate System Type (1 = Ellipsoidal CS)               |
|             | CRNM     | WGS84                            | CRS Name  |
|             | CRSI     | 4326                             | CRS Identifier  |
|             | CRSS     | 2                                | CRS Source (2 = EPSG)                                     |
|             | SCRI     |                                  | CRS Source Information (omitted)                          |
| <b>CRSH</b> |          |                                  | <b>Coordinate Reference System Header</b>                 |
|             | CRIX     | 2                                | CRS Index   |
|             | CRST     | 5                                | CRS Type (5 = Vertical)                                   |
|             | CSTY     | 3                                | Coordinate System Type (3 = Vertical)                     |
|             | CRNM     | Depth - lowest astronomical tide | CRS Name  |
|             | CRSI     |                                  | CRS Identifier (omitted)                                  |
|             | CRSS     | 255                              | CRS Source (255 = Not Applicable)                         |
|             | SCRI     |                                  | CRS Source Information (omitted)                          |
| <b>CSAX</b> |          |                                  | <b>Coordinate System Axes</b>                             |
|             | AXTY     | 12                               | Axis Type (12 = Gravity Related Depth)                    |
|             | AXUM     | 4                                | Axis Unit of Measure (4 = Metres)                         |
| <b>VDAT</b> |          |                                  | <b>Vertical Datum</b>                                     |
|             | DTNM     | lowest astronomical tide         | Datum Name  |
|             | DTID     | 23                               | Datum Identifier (23 = Lowest Astronomical Tide)          |
|             | DTSR     | 2                                | Datum Source (2 = Feature Catalogue)                      |
|             | SCRI     |                                  | Datum Source Information (omitted)                        |

**Table 3 – Compound CRS (WGS84 and Lowest Astronomical Tide)**

The example at Table 4 is similar to the above except that its second component is encoded with the Vertical Datum: Mean Sea Level.

| Field       | Subfield | Value | Description   |
|-------------|----------|-------|---|
| <b>CSID</b> |          |       | <b>Coordinate Reference System Record Identifier</b>      |
|             | RCNM     | 15    | Record Name (15 = Coordinate Reference System Identifier) |
|             | RCID     | 1     | Record Identification Number                              |
|             | NCRC     | 2     | Number of CRS Components                                  |
| <b>CRSH</b> |          |       | <b>Coordinate Reference System Header</b>                 |
|             | CRIX     | 1     | CRS Index   |
|             | CRST     | 1     | CRS Type (1 = 2D Geographic)                              |
|             | CSTY     | 1     | Coordinate System Type (1 = Ellipsoidal CS)               |
|             | CRNM     | WGS84 | CRS Name  |
|             | CRSI     | 4326  | CRS Identifier  |
|             | CRSS     | 2     | CRS Source (2 = EPSG)                                     |
|             | SCRI     |       | CRS Source Information (omitted)                          |
| <b>CRSH</b> |          |       | <b>Coordinate Reference System Header</b>                 |
|             | CRIX     | 2     | CRS Index   |
|             | CRST     | 5     | CRS Type (5 = Vertical)                                   |
|             | CSTY     | 3     | Coordinate System Type (3 = Vertical)                     |

|             |      |                        |  |
|-------------|------|------------------------|--|
|             | CRNM | Depth - mean sea level | CRS Name                               |
|             | CRSI |                        | CRS Identifier (omitted)               |
|             | CRSS | 255                    | CRS Source (255 = Not Applicable)      |
|             | SCRI |                        | CRS Source Information (omitted)       |
| <b>CSAX</b> |      |                        | <b>Coordinate System Axes</b>          |
|             | AXTY | 12                     | Axis Type (12 = Gravity Related Depth) |
|             | AXUM | 4                      | Axis Unit of Measure (4 = Metres)      |
| <b>VDAT</b> |      |                        | <b>Vertical Datum</b>                  |
|             | DTNM | mean sea level         | Datum Name                             |
|             | DTID | 3                      | Datum Identifier (3 = Mean Sea Level)  |
|             | DTSR | 2                      | Datum Source (2 = Feature Catalogue)   |
|             | SCRI |                        | Datum Source Information (omitted)     |

Table 4 – Compound CRS (WGS84 and Mean Sea Level)

## 6 Data Quality

### 6.1 Introduction

Data quality allows users and user systems to assess fitness for use of the provided data. Data quality measures and the associated evaluation are reported as metadata of a data product. This metadata improves interoperability with other data products and provides usage by user groups that the data product was not originally intended for. The secondary users can make assessments of the data product usefulness in their application based on the reported data quality measures.

For S-101 the following data quality elements have been included;

- Conformance to this Product Specification;
- Intended purpose of the data product;
- Completeness of the data product in terms of coverage;
- Logical Consistency;
- Positional Uncertainty and Accuracy;
- Thematic Accuracy;
- Temporal Quality;
- Aggregation measures;
- Anything specifically required for S-101; and
- Validation checks or conformance checks including:
  - General tests for dataset integrity;
  - Specific tests for compliance against the S-101 data model.

For S-101 data quality is divided into two parts – data compliance and integrity against all requirements of S-101; and bathymetric data quality.

#### 6.1.1 Data Compliance and Integrity

All S-101 datasets must be validated against the above data quality elements using conformance checks that are located in Annex C – ENC Validation Checks.

S-101 datasets must conform to all mandatory elements of Annex A – Data Classification and Encoding Guide, where the word 'must' is used.

#### 6.1.2 Bathymetric Data Quality

Bathymetric data quality comprises the following:

- completeness of data (for example, seafloor coverage);
- currency of data (for example, temporal degradation);
- uncertainty of data;
- source of data.

Data quality can be encoded at three different metadata levels (dataset, feature, feature instance). All horizontal position (2D), vertical (1D), horizontal distance (1D) and orientation (1D) uncertainty attributes concern the 95% confidence level of the variation associated with all sources of measurement, processing and visualization error. Uncertainty due to temporal variation should not be included in these attributes.

The meta feature for Bathymetric data quality is **Quality Of Bathymetric Data**.

### 6.1.3 Non-bathymetric Data Quality

The meta feature **Quality Of Non-bathymetric Data** allows for data quality to be expressed for non-bathymetric items.

### 6.1.4 Survey Data Quality

The quality of the surveys from which charted features are derived can be further expressed using the meta feature **Quality of Survey**. **Quality of Survey** can apply to bathymetry (for example, underwater rocks), non-bathymetry (for example, navigational aids) and a combination of these (for example, LIDAR survey).

## 7 Data Capture and Classification

The S-101 ENC Data Classification and Encoding Guide (DCEG) describes how data describing the real world should be captured using the types defined in the S-101 Feature Catalogue. This Guide is located at Annex A.

## 8 Maintenance

### 8.1 Introduction

This clause describes the requirement to adequately maintain datasets; use of newly acquired source data; maintenance requirements within the overall production process; and how Feature and Portrayal Catalogues are to be managed within an S-100 based marine navigation system.

### 8.2 Maintenance and Update Frequency

Datasets must be maintained as needed; and the overall production process must include mechanisms for ENC updating designed to meet the needs of the mariner regarding safety of navigation.

### 8.3 Data Source

Data Producers must use all available and applicable sources, as evaluated against a robust data assessment process, to maintain and update ENC datasets as required.

### 8.4 Production Process

Data Producers should follow their established production processes for maintaining and updating datasets. Data must be maintained against S-101 Annex A – Data Classification and Encoding Guide, checked against S-101 Annex C – ENC Validation Checks, and encapsulated in ISO/IEC 8211.

Only maintained datasets that conform to the mandatory requirements outlined in S-101 will be considered to be an ENC satisfying the SOLAS chart carriage requirements for use in an ECDIS.

## 8.5 Feature and Portrayal Catalogue Management

For each new version of the S-101 Product Specification a new Feature and Portrayal Catalogue will be released. The end user system must be able to manage datasets and their corresponding catalogues that are created using different versions of the S-101 Product Specification.

## 9 Portrayal

### 9.1 Introduction

S-101 portrayal is intended to contribute to the safe operation of an S-100 based marine navigation system by:

- Ensuring base and supplementary levels of display for ENC data; standards of symbols, colours and their standardized assignment to features; scale limitations of data presentation; and appropriate compatibility with paper chart symbols as standardized in the Chart Specifications of the IHO (IHO Publication S-4);
- Ensuring the display is clear and unambiguous;
- Establishing an accepted pattern for presentation that becomes familiar to mariners and so can be recognized instantly without confusion; and
- Utilizing the S-100 portrayal model to ensure interoperability.

S-101 portrayal is covered by the portrayal model as defined in S-100. This model reflects how the Portrayal Catalogue is defined for use in marine navigation systems. The Portrayal Catalogue defines symbology and the portrayal rules for each feature/attribute combination contained in the Feature Catalogue.

S-101 uses the portrayal process defined in S-100 Part 9A.

### 9.2 Portrayal Catalogue

| Item Name               | Description   | M/O | Card | Type                    |
|-------------------------|---|-----|------|-------------------------|
| S101_PortrayalCatalogue | Catalogue containing the mechanisms to portray S-101 ENCs | M   | 1    | CI_Citation (ISO 19115) |

**Table 5 – S-101 Portrayal Catalogue**

The Portrayal Catalogue contains the mechanisms for the system to portray information found in S-101 ENCs. The S-101 Portrayal Catalogue contains the following types of mechanisms and structures:

- Set of portrayal rules;
- Set of pixmaps, symbols, complex line styles, area fills, fonts and colour profiles.

The portrayal catalogue model is defined in S-100 Part 9.

The S-101 Portrayal Catalogue will be available in an XML document which conforms to the S-100 XML Portrayal Catalogue Schema and is structured as follows:

Root ---- (contains the catalogue named “**portrayal\_catalogue.xml**”)

- |-- Pixmaps (contains XML files describing pixmaps)
- |-- ColorProfiles (contains XML files with colour profiles and CSS2 style sheets)
- |-- Symbols (contains SVG files with symbols)
- |-- LineStyles (contains XML files with line styles)
- |-- AreaFills (contains XML files area fills)
- |-- Fonts (contains TrueType font files)
- |-- Rules (contains files with rules which map features to drawing instructions)

## 10 Data Product format (encoding)

### 10.1 Introduction

This clause specifies the encoding for S-101 datasets. See Annex B for a complete description of the data records, fields and subfields defined in the encoding.

**Format Name:** ISO/IEC 8211

**Character Set:** ISO 10646 Base Multilingual Plane

**Specification:** S-100 profile of ISO/IEC 8211 (S-100 Part 10A)

#### 10.1.1 Encoding of Latitude and Longitude

Coordinates are stored as integers. Latitude and longitude are converted to integers using a multiplication factor held in the Dataset Structure Information field under [CMFX] and [CMFY] (see Annex B – clause B5.1.2).

These coordinate multiplication factors must be set to  $\{10000000\}$  ( $10^7$ ) for all datasets.

EXAMPLE      A longitude = 42.0000 is converted into  $X = \text{longitude} * \text{CMFX} = 42.0000 * 10000000 = 420000000$ .

#### 10.1.2 Encoding of Depths

Depths are converted from decimal metres to integers by means of the [CMFZ] (see Annex B – clause B5.1.2). This Product Specification limits the resolution to two decimal places and therefore the [CMFZ] must be set to  $\{100\}$ .

EXAMPLE: A depth = 4.2 is converted in  $Z = \text{depth} * \text{CMFZ} = 4.2 * 100 = 420$

#### 10.1.3 Numeric Attribute Encoding

Floating point and integer attribute values must not contain leading zeros. Floating point attribute values must not contain non-significant trailing zeros.

#### 10.1.4 Text Attribute Values

Character strings must be encoded using the character set defined in ISO 10646-1, in Unicode Transformation Format-8 (UTF-8).

### 10.1.5 Mandatory Attribute Values

The following are reasons why attribute values may be considered mandatory:

- They are required to support correct portrayal by determining
  - whether a feature is in the display base
  - which symbol is to be displayed;
- Certain features make no logical sense without specific attributes;
- Some attributes are required for safety of navigation.

All mandatory attributes are identified in the Feature Catalogue and summarised in Annex A – Data Classification and Encoding Guide.

### 10.1.6 Unknown Attribute Values

In a Base dataset and an Update dataset, when an attribute code is present but the attribute value is missing, it means that the producer wishes to indicate that this attribute value is unknown.

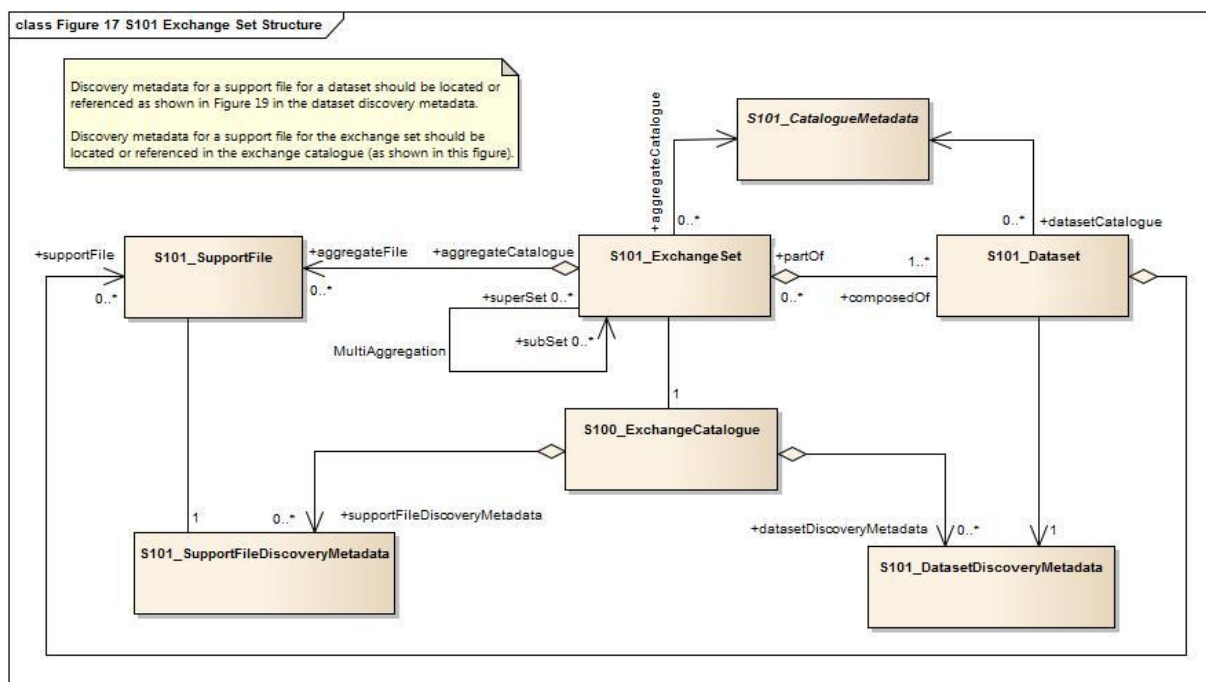
In an Update dataset, when an attribute code is present but the attribute value is missing it means:

- that the value of this attribute is to be replaced by an empty (null) value if it was present in the original dataset; or
- that an empty (null) value is to be inserted if the attribute was not present in the original dataset.

## 11 Data Product Delivery

## 11.1 Introduction

This clause specifies the encoding and delivery mechanisms for an S-101 ENC. Data which conforms to this Product Specification must be delivered by means of an exchange set.



### Figure 18 - Exchange Set Structure

## 11.2 Exchange Set

S-101 datasets are grouped into exchange sets. Each exchange set consists of one or more ENC datasets with an associated XML metadata file and a single Exchange Catalogue XML file containing metadata. It may also include one or more support files.

|                           |                       |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|
| <b>Units of Delivery:</b> | Exchange Set          |
| <b>Transfer Size:</b>     | Unlimited             |
| <b>Medium Name:</b>       | Digital data delivery |

### Other Delivery Information:

Each dataset must be contained in a physically separate, uniquely identified file on the transfer medium.

Each exchange set has a single exchange catalogue which contains the discovery metadata for each dataset and references to any support files.

Support files are supplementary information which are linked to the features by the following simple attributes within the dataset:

- **file reference**
- **pictorial representation.**

An exchange set is encapsulated into a form suitable for transmission by a mapping called an encoding. An encoding translates each of the elements of the exchange set into a logical form suitable for writing to media and for transmission online. An encoding may also define other elements in addition to the exchange set contents (this is media identification, data extents etc...) and also may define commercial constructs such as encryption and compression methods.

If the data is transformed in S-101 it must not be changed.

This Product Specification defines the encoding which must be used as a default for transmission of data between parties.

The encoding encapsulates exchange set elements as follows:

### 11.2.1 Mandatory Elements

- ENC datasets – ISO/IEC 8211 encoding of features/attributes and their associated geometry and metadata.
- Exchange Catalogue – the XML encoded representation of exchange set catalogue features [discovery metadata].

### 11.2.2 Optional Elements

- Supplementary files – These are contained within the exchange set as files; and the mapping from the name included within the dataset and the physical location on the media is defined within the Exchange Catalogue.
- S-101 Feature Catalogue – If it is necessary to deliver the latest Feature Catalogue to the end user it may be done using the S-101 exchange set mechanism for datasets.
- S-101 Portrayal Catalogue - If it is necessary to deliver the latest Portrayal Catalogue to the end user it may be done using the S-101 exchange set mechanism for datasets.



## 11.3 Dataset

### 11.3.1 Datasets

Four types of dataset files may be produced and contained within an exchange set:

- New dataset and new edition of a dataset (Base dataset): Including new information which has not been previously distributed by updates. Each new edition of a dataset must have the same name as the dataset that it replaces. A new edition can also be ENC data that has previously been produced for this area and at the same maximum display scale. The encoding structure is located in Annex B – clause B5.
- Update: Changing some information in an existing dataset. The encoding structure for an Update is located in Annex B – clause B6.
- Re-issue of a dataset: Including all the updates applied to the original dataset up to the date of the reissue. A Re-issue is intended to avoid unnecessary loading of the Base cell and all applicable updates individually for new users of the dataset, therefore does not contain any new information additional to that previously issued by updates, and can be issued at any time. The encoding structure is located in Annex B – clause B5.
- Cancellation: The dataset is cancelled and is deleted from the system. The encoding structure for a Cancellation file is located in Annex B – clause B7.

### 11.3.2 Dataset file naming

101CCXXXXXXXXXX.EEE

The file name forms a unique S-101 identifier where:

- 101 - the first 3 characters identify the dataset as an S-101 dataset (mandatory).
- CC - the fourth and fifth characters identify the country code of the issuing agency, according to ISO 3166 (mandatory for S-101).
- the sixth to the maximum fifteenth characters are optional and may be used in any way by the producer to provide the unique file name. The following characters are allowed in the dataset name: A to Z, 0 to 9 and the special character \_ (underscore).
- .EEE – new editions use 000, updates start at 001 and increment until a limit of 999 (mandatory). Re-issues use the same number as the last Update applied to the dataset.

### 11.3.3 New Editions, Re-issues, Updates and Cancellations

This section defines the sequencing of S-101 datasets for New Editions, Updates and Re-issues. In order to ensure that feature type updates are incorporated into an end user system in the correct sequence without any omission, a number of parameters encoded in the data are used in the following way:

|                       |   |
|-----------------------|---|
| <b>Edition number</b> | When a dataset is initially created (Base dataset), the Edition number 1 is assigned to it. The Edition number is increased by 1 at each New Edition.   |
| <b>Update number</b>  | Update number 0 is assigned to a new dataset and a New Edition. The first Update dataset file associated with this new dataset must have Update number 1. The Update number must be increased by one for each subsequent Update, until a New Edition is released.<br><br>A <b>Re-issue</b> of a dataset must have the Update number of the last Update applied to the dataset, and use the same Edition number. |
| <b>Update comment</b> | Comment for describing the change introduced by an Update.  |
| <b>Issue date</b>     | Date up to which the data producer has incorporated all applicable changes. The issue date must be greater than the previous issue date of the dataset.   |

In order to cancel a dataset, an Update dataset file is created for which the Edition number must be set to 0. This message is only used to cancel a Base dataset file. Where a dataset is cancelled and its name is reused at a later date, the issue date must be greater than the issue date of the cancelled dataset. When the dataset is cancelled it must be removed from the system.

An exchange set may contain Base dataset files and Update dataset files for the same datasets. Under these circumstances the Update dataset files must follow on in the correct sequential order from the last Update applied to the Base dataset file.

## 11.4 Support Files

Dataset support files offer supplementary information that can be included in an ENC exchange set.

- Text files must contain only general text as defined by this standard. (Extensible mark-up language (XML) supports UTF-8 character encoding.) **(TXT), (XML), (HTM)**.
- Picture files must be in TIFF (6.0 specification) or PDF format. **(TIFF), (PDF)**.

| File Types     | Extensions | Comment  |
|----------------|------------|--|
| <b>Text</b>    | TXT        |  |
|                | HTM        | HTML files must only include inline or embedded Cascading Style Sheet (CSS) information and must not contain embedded Javascript or other dynamic content, for example DHTML, Flash etc.                   |
|                | XML        | XML documents must only be included in accordance with guidance provided within the Data Classification and Encoding Guide (S-101 Annex A). This may include a schema for the validation of XML documents. |
| <b>Picture</b> | TIF        | Baseline TIFF 6.0.   |
|                | PDF        |  |

**Table 6 - Support file extensions**

### 11.4.1 Support File Naming

All support files must have unique universal file identifiers. The file identifier of support information should not be used to describe the physical content of the file. The support file metadata that accompanies the file will inform the user of the name and purpose of the file (that is new, replacement and deletion).

In this encoding the support files are named according to the specifications given below:

CCXXXXXXXXX.EEE

The main part forms an identifier where:

- the first two characters identify the country code of the issuing agency, according to ISO 3166 (mandatory).
- the third to the maximum tenth characters are optional and can be used in any way by the producer to provide the unique file name. The following characters are allowed in the support file name: A to Z, 0 to 9 and the special character \_ (underscore).
- .EEE – support file extension. (TXT, HTM, XML, TIF or PDF).

### 11.4.2 Support File Management

When a support file is created or a subsequent version is issued it must carry its own issue date and be supported with a digital signature which authenticates it against the producer's public key included in the exchange set metadata.

The type of support file is indicated in the “purpose” field of the discovery metadata. Support files carrying the “deletion” flag must be removed from the system. When a feature pointing to a text, picture or application file is deleted or updated so that it no longer references the file, the system software must check to see whether any other feature references the same file, before that file is deleted.

Each support file required must be included only once in the exchange set.

Support files should be stored in a separate folder within the exchange set.

Further information about support file management can be found in Annex A – Data Classification and Encoding Guide.

## **11.5 S-101 Exchange Catalogue**

The S-101 exchange catalogue acts as the table of contents for the S-101 exchange set. The catalogue file of the exchange set must be named S101ed1.CAT. No other file in the exchange set may be named S101ed1.CAT. The contents of the S-101 exchange catalogue are described in Clause 12.

## **11.6 Data integrity and encryption**

### **11.6.1 ENC data integrity measures**

Where there is a high impact on the integrity of data as a result of data corruption, such as to ENC data, there is a need for a mechanism within the ENC data itself to ensure it has not changed during transmission/delivery. The mechanism chosen for this assurance is a Digital Signature. File integrity checks are based on the Digital Signature Algorithm (DSA) as defined in the United States Federal Information Processing Standard FIPS 186-4.

S-101 discovery metadata includes a mandatory field for each included dataset file’s digital signature (both data and auxiliary files are included) called “digitalSignature”. The digital signature uniquely authenticates the dataset content against the individual producer’s public key issued and authenticated by the IHO. The combination of the digital signature, the dataset file and the producer’s identity allows the end user to be assured of the origin of the ENC data.

### **11.6.2 Producer Identity and Authentication**

In order to produce a digital signature a producing agency must first have a certified identity. This describes how to define a public/private keypair specific to the producer and how a data producer or distributor is able to have their identity (as embodied in the public/private keypair) certified by the IHO acting as the data protection scheme administrator.

### **11.6.3 Digital Signatures and metadata**

In addition to the metadata included for each dataset file and its digital signature, an exchange set must also provide a public key for every dataset data producer included within the exchange set. The public key is termed “public” because its existence is not kept confidential. Each producer’s public key is included in a “publicKeys” field within the exchange set. These keys are referred to by the digital signature.

Authentication is done in two stages:

1. Verifying that the public key information included in the exchange set validates correctly against the IHOs root level certificate.
2. Verifying that the exchange set ENC data has not changed and the file based digital signatures are valid against the producer’s public key. The IHOs root certificate (certifying the IHOs identity) should be held externally on the implementing system and is not part of the dataset metadata.

### 11.6.4 ENC data encryption

If data encryption is required then it must be provided only by the mechanisms provided in S-100 Part [??] – it is not mandatory. If it is used then the entire dataset file is encrypted using the [????] algorithm (as defined in S-100) and is included in its encrypted form. IHO S-100 (Part [??]) also allows dataset files to be compressed using the zip algorithm prior to encryption.

## 12 Metadata

### 12.1 Introduction

For information exchange, there are several categories of metadata required: metadata about the overall exchange catalogue; metadata about each of the datasets contained in the catalogue; and metadata about the support files that make up the package.

Figures 19 to 22 outline the overall concept of an S-101 exchange set for the interchange of geospatial data and its relevant metadata. Figure 19 depicts the realization of the ISO 19139 classes which form the foundation of the exchange set. The overall structure of S-101 metadata for exchange sets is modelled in Figures 20 and 21. More detailed information about the various classes is shown in Figure 22 and a textual description in the tables at clause 12.3.

The discovery metadata classes have numerous attributes which enable important information about the datasets and accompanying support files to be examined without the need to process the data, for example decrypt, decompress, load etc. Other catalogues can be included in the exchange set in support of the datasets such as feature and portrayal. The attribute “purpose” of the support file metadata provides a mechanism to update support files more easily.

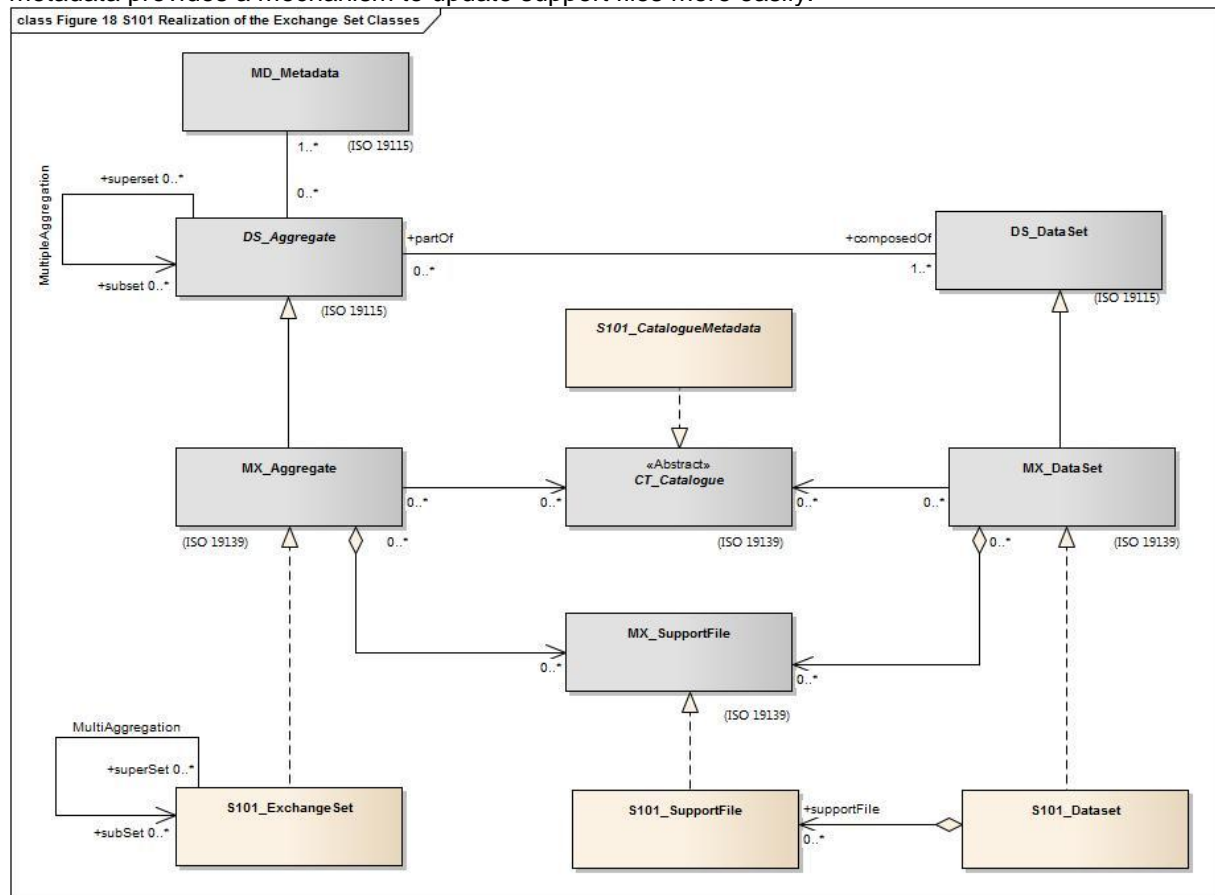


Figure 19 Realization of the Exchange Set Classes



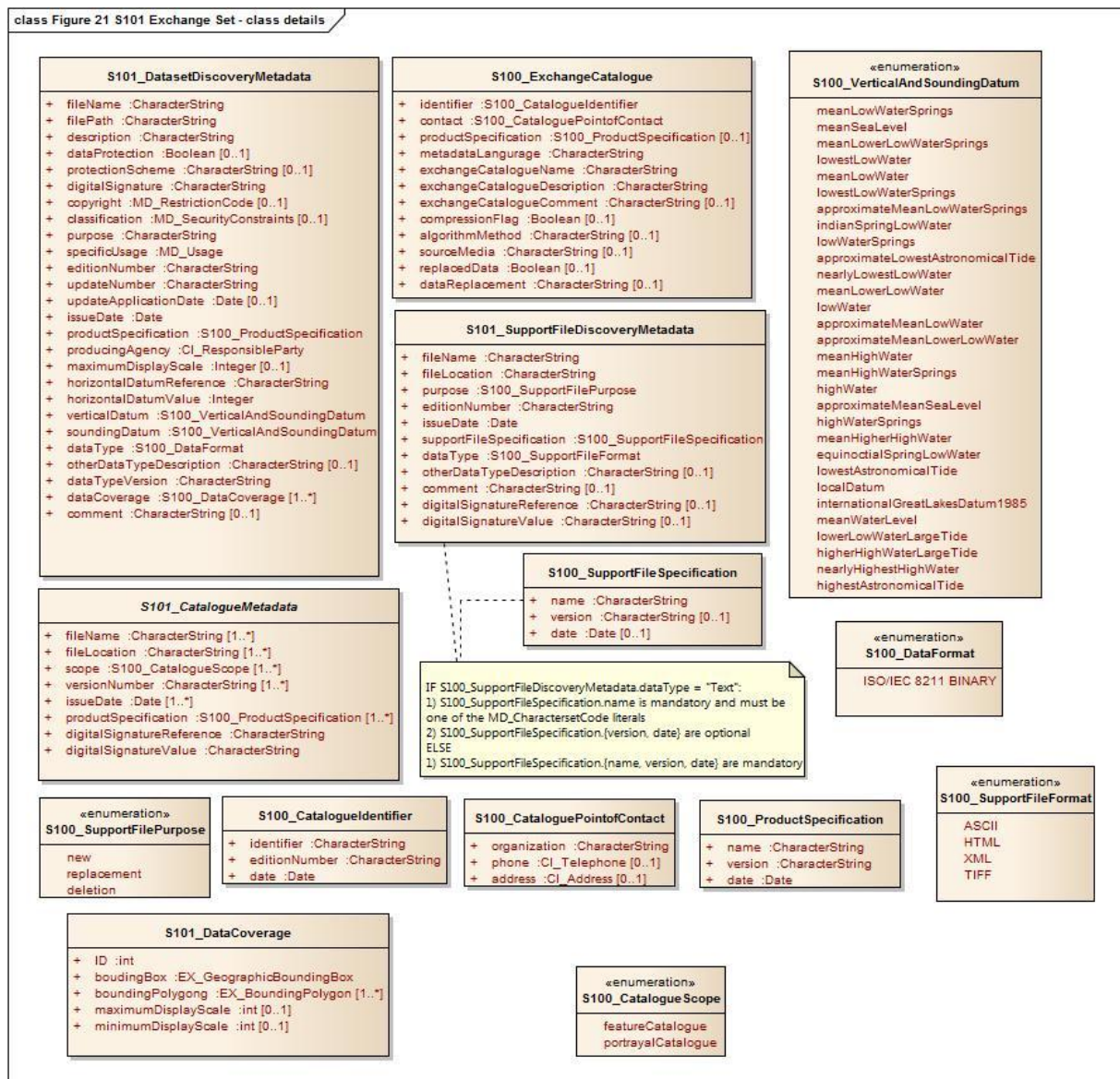


Figure 22 S-101 Exchange Set - Class Details

The following clauses define the mandatory and optional metadata needed for S-101. In some cases the metadata may be repeated in a national language. If this is the case it is noted in the Remarks column.

### 12.1.1 S101\_ExchangeCatalogue

The catalogue file is defined in XML schema language. The Exchange catalogue inherits the dataset discovery metadata and support file discovery metadata.

| Name                         | Multiplicity | Value       | Type  | Remarks   |
|------------------------------|--------------|-------------|---|---|
| S101_ExchangeCatalogue       | -            |             |   | An exchange catalogue contains the discovery metadata about the exchange datasets and support files |
| identifier                   | 1            |             | CharacterString<br>S100_CatalogueIdentifier         | Uniquely identifies this exchange catalogue   |
| contact                      | 1            |             | S100_CataloguePointofContact<br>CI_ResponsibleParty |   |
| productSpecification         | 1            |             | S101_ProductSpecification                           |   |
| metadataLanguage             | 1            | English     | CharacterString                                     | All datasets conforming to S-101 PS must use English language                                       |
| exchangeCatalogueName        | 1            | S101ed1.CAT | CharacterString                                     | Catalogue filename  |
| exchangeCatalogueDescription | 1            |             | CharacterString                                     | Description of what the exchange catalogue contains<br>NATIONAL LANGUAGE enabled                    |
| exchangeCatalogueComment     | 0..1         |             | CharacterString                                     | Any additional Information<br>NATIONAL LANGUAGE enabled   |
| compressionFlag              | 0..1         |             | Boolean   | Yes or No   |
| algorithmMethod              | 0..1         |             | characterString                                     | For Example, RAR or ZIP   |
| sourceMedia                  | 1            |             | characterString                                     |   |
| replacedData                 | 1            |             | Boolean   | If a data file is cancelled is it replaced by another data file                                     |
| dataReplacement              | 0..1         |             | characterString                                     | Dataset name  |

**12.1.1.1 S100\_CatalogueIdentifier**

| Role Name | Name                     | Description   | Mult | Type            | Remarks   |
|-----------|--------------------------|---|------|-----------------|---|
| Class     | S100_CatalogueIdentifier | An exchange catalogue contains the discovery metadata about the exchange datasets and support files | -    | -               | -   |
| Attribute | identifier               | Uniquely identifies this exchange catalogue   | 1    | CharacterString | The file name must be unique. Each file name must have a MD prefix added to the S-101 file name.<br><br>Dataset:<br>101GB45678.000<br>Metadata:<br>MD_101GB45678_000.xml<br><br>Update 1:<br>101GB45678.001<br>Metadata:<br>MD_101GB45678_001.xml |
| Attribute | editionNumber            | The edition number of this exchange catalogue   | 1    | CharacterString |   |
| Attribute | date                     | Creation date of the exchange catalogue   | 1    | Date            |   |

**12.1.1.2 S100\_CataloguePointOfContact**

| Role Name | Name                         | Description  | Mult | Type            | Remarks   |
|-----------|------------------------------|--|------|-----------------|---|
| Class     | S100_CataloguePointOfContact | Contact details of the issuer of this exchange catalogue | -    | -               | -   |
| Attribute | organization                 | The organization distributing this exchange catalogue    | 1    | CharacterString | This could be an individual producer, value added reseller, etc |
| Attribute | phone                        | The edition number of this exchange catalogue            | 0..1 | CI_Telephone    |   |
| Attribute | address                      | The address of the organization                          | 0..1 | CI_Address      |   |



### 12.1.2 S101\_DatasetDiscoveryMetadata

| Name                          | Multiplicity | Value      | Type  | Remarks  |
|-------------------------------|--------------|------------|---|--|
| S101_DatasetDiscoveryMetadata | -            |            | -   | -  |
| fileName                      | 1            |            | CharacterString   | Dataset file name  |
| filePath                      | 1            |            | CharacterString   | Path to the dataset file, relative to the root directory of the exchange set. The location of the dataset file after the exchange set is unpacked into directory <EXCH_ROOT> will be:<br><EXCH_ROOT>/<filePath>/<fileName> |
| description                   | 1            |            | CharacterString   | Short description of the area covered by dataset<br>harbour or port name, between two named locations etc<br>NATIONAL LANGUAGE enabled   |
| dataProtection                | 1            |            | Boolean   | True = Encrypted<br>False = Unencrypted<br><br>A value of True indicates the presence of encryption.<br>Otherwise, the value must be False   |
| protectionScheme              | 0..1         |            | CharacterString   | For example, S-100   |
| digitalSignature              | 1            |            | CharacterString   |  |
| copyright                     | 0..*         |            | MD_LegalConstraints ->MD_RestrictionCode<br><copyright> (ISO 19115)     |  |
| classification                | 1            | {1} to {5} | Class<br><br>MD_SecurityConstraints>MD_ClassificationCode<br>(codelist) | 1. unclassified<br>2. restricted<br>3. confidential<br>4. secret<br>5. top secret  |
| purpose                       | 1            | {1} to {5} | CharacterString<br><br>MD_Identification>purpose (character string)     | 1. New Dataset<br>2. New Edition<br>3. Update<br>4. Re-issue<br>5. Cancellation  |

| Name                  | Multiplity | Value      | Type  | Remarks   |
|-----------------------|------------|------------|---|---|
| specificUsage         | 1          | {1} to {3} | CharacterString<br>MD_USAGE>specificUsage (character string)<br>MD_USAGE>userContactInfo<br>(CI_ResponsibleParty) | <p>1. Port Entry – A dataset containing data required:<br/>for navigating the approaches to ports<br/>for navigating within ports, harbours, bays, rivers<br/>and canals<br/>for anchorages<br/>as an aid to berthing<br/>or any combination of the above.</p> <p>2. Transit – A dataset containing data required:<br/>for navigating along the coastline either inshore or<br/>offshore<br/>for navigating oceans, approaching coasts<br/>for route planning<br/>or any combination of the above.</p> <p>3. Overview – A dataset containing data required for:<br/>ocean crossing<br/>route planning</p> |
| editionNumber         | 1          |            | CharacterString   | <p>When a dataset is initially created, the edition number 1 is assigned to it. The edition number is increased by 1 at each new edition. Edition number remains the same for Update and Re-issue</p> <p>Characters forming the editionNumber must be integers.</p>   |
| updateNumber          | 1          |            | CharacterString   | <p>Update number 0 is assigned to a new dataset.</p> <p>Characters forming the updateNumber must be integers.</p>   |
| updateApplicationDate | 0..1       |            | Date  | This date is only used for the base dataset files (that is new dataset, re-issue and new edition), not update dataset files. All updates dated on or before this date must have been applied by the producer  |
| issueDate             | 1          |            | Date  | Date on which the data was made available by the data producer  |
| productSpecification  | 1          |            | S101_ProductSpecification   | This must be encoded as S-101.X.X.X – with the X representing the version number  |
| producingAgency       | 1          |            | CI_ResponsibleParty   | Agency responsible for producing the data   |

| Name                     | Multiplicity | Value           | Type                          | Remarks   |
|--------------------------|--------------|-----------------|-------------------------------|---|
| maximumDisplayScale      | 1            | {1} to {15}     | Integer                       | 1: 1,000<br>2: 2,000<br>3: 3,000<br>4: 4,000<br>5: 8,000<br>6: 12,000<br>7: 22,000<br>8: 45,000<br>9: 90,000<br>10: 180,000<br>11: 350,000<br>12: 700,000<br>13: 1,500,000<br>14: 3,500,000<br>15: 10,000,000 |
| horizontalDatumReference | 1            | EPSG            | CharacterString               |   |
| horizontalDatumValue     | 1            | 4326            | Integer                       | WGS84   |
| verticalDatum            | 1            |                 | S100_VerticalAndSoundingDatum |   |
| soundingDatum            | 1            |                 | S100_VerticalAndSoundingDatum |   |
| dataType                 | 1            | ISO 8211 BINARY | S100_DataFormat               |   |
| otherDataTypeDescription | 0..1         |                 | CharacterString               |   |
| dataCoverage             | 1..3         |                 | S101_DataCoverage             | Provides information about data coverages within the dataset  |
| comment                  | 0..1         |                 | CharacterString               |   |

#### 12.1.2.1 S101\_DataCoverage

| Name              | Multiplicity | Value | Type    | Remarks                          |
|-------------------|--------------|-------|---------|----------------------------------|
| S101_DataCoverage | -            | -     | -       | -                                |
| ID                | 1            |       | Integer | Uniquely identifies the coverage |

| Name                | Multiplicity | Value       | Type                     | Remarks   |
|---------------------|--------------|-------------|--------------------------|---|
| boundingBox         | 1            |             | EX_GeographicBoundingBox |   |
| boundingPolygon     | 1..*         |             | EX_BoundingPolygon       |   |
| maximumDisplayScale | 1            | {1} to {15} | Integer                  | 1: 1,000<br>2: 2,000<br>3: 3,000<br>4: 4,000<br>5: 8,000<br>6: 12,000<br>7: 22,000<br>8: 45,000<br>9: 90,000<br>10: 180,000<br>11: 350,000<br>12: 700,000<br>13: 1,500,000<br>14: 3,500,000<br>15: 10,000,000 |
| minimumDisplayScale | 1            | {1} to {15} | Integer                  | 1: 1,000<br>2: 2,000<br>3: 3,000<br>4: 4,000<br>5: 8,000<br>6: 12,000<br>7: 22,000<br>8: 45,000<br>9: 90,000<br>10: 180,000<br>11: 350,000<br>12: 700,000<br>13: 1,500,000<br>14: 3,500,000<br>15: 10,000,000 |

**12.1.2.2 S100\_VerticalAndSoundingDatum**

| Role Name | Name                              | Description                            | Mult | Type | Remarks |
|-----------|-----------------------------------|--|------|------|---------|
| Class     | S100_VerticalAndSoundingDatum     | Allowable vertical and sounding datums | -    | -    | -       |
| Value     | meanLowWaterSprings               |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanSeaLevel                      |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanLowerLowWaterSprings          |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | lowestLowWater                    |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanLowWater                      |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | lowestLowWaterSprings             |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | approximateMeanLowWaterSprings    |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | indianSpringLowWater              |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | lowWaterSprings                   |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | approximateLowestAstronomicalTide |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | nearlyLowestLowWater              |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanLowerLowWater                 |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | lowWater                          |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | approximateMeanLowWater           |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | approximateMeanLowerLowWater      |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanHighWater                     |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanHighWaterSprings              |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | highWater                         |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | approximateMeanSeaLevel           |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | highWaterSprings                  |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanHigherHighWater               |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | equinoctialSpringLowWater         |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | lowestAstronomicalTide            |  |      |      |         |
| Value     | localDatum                        |  |      |      |         |

| Role Name | Name                             | Description | Mult | Type | Remarks |
|-----------|----------------------------------|-------------|------|------|---------|
| Value     | internationalGreatLakesDatum1985 |             |      |      |         |
| Value     | meanWaterLevel                   |             |      |      |         |
| Value     | lowerLowWaterLargeTide           |             |      |      |         |
| Value     | higherHighWaterLargeTide         |             |      |      |         |
| Value     | nearlyHighestHighWater           |             |      |      |         |
| Value     | highestAstronomicalTide          |             |      |      | (HAT)   |

### 12.1.2.3 S101\_DataFormat

| Role Name | Name                | Description         | Mult | Type | Remarks |
|-----------|---------------------|---------------------|------|------|---------|
| Class     | S101_DataFormat     | The encoding format | -    | -    | -       |
| Value     | ISO/IEC 8211 BINARY |                     |      |      |         |

### 12.1.2.4 S100\_ProductSpecification

| Role Name | Name                      | Description  | Mult | Type            | Remarks                              |
|-----------|---------------------------|--|------|-----------------|--------------------------------------|
| Class     | S100_ProductSpecification | The Product Specification contains the information needed to build the specified product | -    | -               | -                                    |
| Attribute | name                      | The name of the product specification used to create the datasets                        | 1    | CharacterString | S-101 Electronic Navigational Charts |
| Attribute | version                   | The version number of the product specification  | 1    | CharacterString | X.X.X                                |
| Attribute | date                      | The version date of the product specification  | 1    | Date            |                                      |

### 12.1.3 S101\_SupportFileDiscoveryMetadata

| Name                              | Multiplicity | Value      | Type                             | Remarks   |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|------------|----------------------------------|---|
| S101_SupportFileDiscoveryMetadata | -            |            | -                                | -   |
| fileName                          | 1            |            | CharacterString                  |   |
| fileLocation                      | 1            |            | CharacterString                  | Full location from the exchange set root directory  |
| purpose                           | 1            | {1} to {3} | class<br>S100_SupportFilePurpose | 1: New – A file which is new<br>2: Replacement – A file which replaces an existing file<br>3: Deletion – deletes an existing file   |
| editionNumber                     | 1            |            | CharacterString                  | When a support file is initially created, the edition number 1 is assigned to it. The edition number is increased by 1 at each new edition of the support file. Characters forming the editionNumber must be integers from 0 to 9 |
| issueDate                         | 1            |            | Date                             | Date on which the data was made available by the data producer  |
| productSpecification              | 1            |            | S101_ProductSpecification        | Version of S-101  |
| dataType                          | 1            | {1} to {4} | class<br>S101_SupportFileFormat  | 1: TXT =ASCII Text files<br>2: XML = Text files<br>3: HTM = Text files<br>4: TIFF = Picture files   |
| dataTypeVersion                   | 1            |            | CharacterString                  | The version number of the dataType  |
| comment                           | 0..1         |            | CharacterString                  | Any additional Information<br>NATIONAL LANGUAGE enabled   |
| digitalSignature                  | 0..1         |            | CharacterString                  |   |
| digitalSignatureValue             | 1            |            | CharacterString                  |   |

### 12.1.3.1 S101\_SupportFormat

| Role Name | Name               | Description                          | Mult | Type | Remarks |
|-----------|--------------------|--------------------------------------|------|------|---------|
| Class     | S100_SupportFormat | The format used for the support file | -    | -    | -       |
| Value     | ASCII              |                                      |      |      | Text    |
| Value     | HTML               |                                      |      |      |         |
| Value     | XML                |                                      |      |      |         |
| Value     | TIFF               |                                      |      |      |         |
| Value     | PDF                |                                      |      |      |         |

### 12.1.3.2 S100\_SupportFilePurpose

| Role Name | Name                    | Description   | Mult | Type | Remarks   |
|-----------|-------------------------|---|------|------|---|
| Class     | S100_SupportFilePurpose | The reason for inclusion of the support file in this exchange set | -    | -    | -   |
| Value     | new                     | A file which is new   |      |      | Signifies a new file                                |
| Value     | replacement             | A file which replaces an existing file                            |      |      | Signifies a replacement for a file of the same name |
| Value     | deletion                | Deletes an existing file  |      |      | Signifies deletion of a file of that name           |

### 12.1.4 S101\_CatalogueMetadata

This is an optional element that allows for the delivery of S-101 feature and portrayal catalogues to be delivered within the exchange set.

| Name                   | Multiplicity | Value | Type            | Remarks   |
|------------------------|--------------|-------|-----------------|---|
| S101_CatalogueMetadata | -            |       | -               | -   |
| filename               | 1..*         |       | CharacterString |   |
| fileLocation           | 1..*         |       | CharacterString | Path relative to the root directory of the exchange set. The location of the file after the exchange set is unpacked into directory <EXCH_ROOT> will be <EXCH_ROOT>/<filePath>/<filename> |



| Name                      | Multiplicity | Value | Type                      | Remarks  |
|---------------------------|--------------|-------|---------------------------|--|
| scope                     | 1..*         |       | S100_CatalogueScope       |  |
| versionNumber             | 1..*         |       | CharacterString           |  |
| issueDate                 | 1..*         |       | Date                      |  |
| productSpecification      | 1..*         |       | S100_ProductSpecification |  |
| digitalSignatureReference | 1            |       | CharacterString           | Reference to the appropriate digital signature algorithm |
| digitalSignatureValue     | 1            |       | CharacterString           |  |

#### 12.1.4.1 S100\_CatalogueScope

| Role Name | Name                | Description | Mult | Type | Remarks |
|-----------|---------------------|-------------|------|------|---------|
| Class     | S100_CatalogueScope |             | -    | -    | -       |
| Value     | featureCatalogue    |             |      |      |         |
| Value     | portrayalCatalogue  |             |      |      |         |

## 12.2 Language

The exchange language must be English. Other languages may be used as a supplementary option. National geographic names can be left in their original national language using the complex attribute Feature Name.

Character strings must be encoded using the character set defined in ISO 10646-1, in Unicode Transformation Format-8 (UTF-8). A BOM (byte order mark) must not be used.

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## **ANNEX A - Data Classification and Encoding Guide**

The “Data Classification and Encoding Guide” has been developed to provide consistent, standardized instructions for encoding S-100 compliant ENC data. This document has been laid out, as far as possible, along the lines of the IHO publication S-4, Part B “Chart Specifications of the IHO – Medium and Large-Scale National and International (INT) Charts”.

The purpose of the Data Classification and Encoding Guide is to facilitate S-101 encoding to meet IHO standards for the proper display of ENC in an S-100 based marine navigation system such as ECDIS. The document describes how to encode information that the cartographer considers relevant to an ENC. The content of an ENC is at the discretion of the producing authority provided that the conventions described within this document are followed. A “producing authority” is a Hydrographic Office (HO) or an organization authorized by a government, HO or other relevant government institution to produce ENCs.

The S-101 Data Classification and Encoding Guide can be found in the Standards and Publications page of the IHO web site, <http://www.iho.int>.

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## ANNEX B - NORMATIVE

### Data Product format (encoding)

#### Introduction

S-101 uses the S-100 profile of ISO/IEC 8211 (refer to S-100 Part 10A) to encapsulate data. This annex specifies the interchange format to facilitate the moving of files containing data records between computer systems. It defines a specific structure which can be used to transmit files containing data type and data structures specific to S-101.

#### B1 Dataset files

The order of data in each base or update dataset file is described below:

##### Dataset file

- Dataset general information record
- Dataset structure information field structure
- Dataset Coordinate Reference System record structure

##### Information records

- Information

##### Vector records

- Point
- Multi point
- Curve
- Composite Curve
- Surface

##### Feature records

- Meta features
- Geo features
- Aggregated features

This order of records will enable the import software to check that the child record exists each time the parent record references it (that is it will already have read the child record so it will know if it exists or not).

#### B2 Records

Records and fields that do not appear in the following tree structure diagrams are prohibited. The order of records in the files must be the same as that described in these tree structure diagrams.

The combination of the file name and the "Name" of the record must provide a unique world-wide identifier of the record. The "Name" of the record is the combination of the subfields RCNM and RCID in the appropriate Identifier field of the record.

#### B3 Fields

For base dataset files, some fields may be repeated (indicated by <0..\*> or <1..\*>) and all of their content may be repeated (indicated by \*). In order to reduce the volume of data, the encoder should repeat the sequence of subfields, in preference to creating several fields.

## B4 Subfields

Mandatory subfields must be filled by a non-null value.

Prohibited subfields must be encoded as missing subfields values. The exact meaning of missing attribute values is defined in Annex A.

In the tables following the tree structure diagrams, prescribed values are indicated in the “Values” column.

When encoding new base datasets the Record Update Instruction (RUIN) subfield must be set to “Insert”. When encoding updates RUIN may be set to “Insert”, “Modify” or “Delete”.

## B5 Base dataset structure

NOTE: The number contained in parenthesis () is the number of subfields that are contained in the field.

Base dataset file

```

|
|--<1>- Dataset General Information record
|
|  |
|  |--<1>-DSID (13\\*1): Dataset Identification field
|
|    |
|    |--<1>-DSSI (13): Dataset Structure Information field
|
|      |
|      |--<0..1>-ATCS (*2): Attribute Codes field
|
|        |
|        |--<0..1>-ITCS (*2): Information Type Codes field
|
|          |
|          |--<0..1>-FTCS (*2): Feature Type Codes field
|
|            |
|            |--<0..1>-IACS (*2): Information Association Codes field
|
|              |
|              |--<0..1>-FACS (*2): Feature Association Codes field
|
|                |
|                |--<0..1>-ARCS (*2): Association Role Codes field
|
|
|
|--<1>--Dataset Coordinate Reference System record
|
|  |
|  |--<1>-CSID (3): Coordinate Reference System Record Identifier field
|
|    |
|    |--<1..*>-CRSH (7): Coordinate Reference System Header field
|
|      |

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|           |--<0..1>-CSAX (*2): Coordinate System Axes field
|           |
|           |--<0..1>-VDAT (4): Vertical Datum field
|
|
|--<0..*>--Information record
|   |
|   |--<1>-IRID (5): Information Type Record Identifier field
|   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-ATTR (*5): Attribute field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |
|
|--<0..*>-- Point record
|   |
|   |--<1>-PRID (4): Point Record Identifier field
|   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |   |
|   |   | alternate coordinate representations
|   |   |
|   |   *--<1>-C2IT (2): 2-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field
|   |   |
|   |   *--<1>-C3IT (4): 3-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field
|   |
|
|--<0..*>-- Multi Point record
|   |
|   |--<1>-MRID (4): Multi Point Record Identifier field
|   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |   |
|   |   | alternate coordinate representations
|   |   |
|   |   *--<0..*>-C2IL (*2): 2-D Integer Coordinate List field
|   |   |
|   |   *--<0..*>-C3IL (1\\*3): 3-D Integer Coordinate List field
|   |
|
|--<0..*>-- Curve record
|   |
|   |--<1>-CRID (4): Curve Record Identifier field
|   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<1>-PTAS (*3): Point Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<1>-SEGH (1): Segment Header field
|   |   |
|   |   |   |--<1..*>-C2IL (*2): 2-D Integer Coordinate List field
|   |
|
|--<0..*>-- Composite Curve record
|   |
|   |--<1>-CCID (4): Composite Curve Record Identifier field
|   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0..*>-CUCO (*3): Curve Component field
|   |

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|
|--<0...*>-- Surface record
|
|   |--<1>-SRID (4): Surface Record Identifier field
|   |
|   |   |--<0...*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<1...*>-RIAS (*5): Ring Association Field
|   |
|   |--<0...*>-- Feature Type record
|   |
|   |   |--<1>-FRID (5): Feature Type Record Identifier field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<1>-FOID (3): Feature Object Identifier field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0...*>-ATTR (*5): Attribute field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0...*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0...*>-SPAS (*6): Spatial Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0...*>-FASC (5\\*5): Feature Association field
|   |   |
|   |   |--<0...*>-MASK (*4): Masked Spatial Type field

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## B5.1 Field Content

### B5.1.1 Dataset Identification field - DSID

| Subfield name                  | Label | Value                       | Format | Comment  |
|--------------------------------|-------|-----------------------------|--------|--|
| Record Name                    | RCNM  | {10}                        | b11    | {10} - Dataset Identification  |
| Record Identification number   | RCID  | {1}                         | b14    | Only one record  |
| Encoding Specification         | ENSP  | 'S-100<br>Part 10a'         | A()    | Encoding specification that defines the encoding                                 |
| Encoding Specification Edition | ENED  | "1.1"                       | A()    | Edition of the encoding specification  |
| Product Identifier             | PRSP  | "INT.IHO<br>.S-<br>101.1.0" | A()    | Unique identifier for the data product as specified in the product specification |
| Product Edition                | PRED  | "1.0"                       | A()    | Edition of the product specification   |
| Application Profile            | PROF  | "1"                         | A()    | "1" – EN Profile   |
| Dataset File Identifier        | DSNM  |                             | A()    | The file name including the extension but excluding any path information         |
| Dataset Title                  | DSTL  |                             | A()    | The title of the dataset   |
| Dataset Reference Date         | DSRD  |                             | A(8)   | The reference date of the dataset<br>Format: YYYYMMDD according to ISO 8601      |
| Dataset Language               | DSLG  | "EN"                        | A()    | The (primary) language used in this dataset                                      |
| Dataset Abstract               | DSAB  | omitted                     | A()    | The abstract of the dataset  |
| Dataset Edition                | DSED  |                             | A()    | See clause 11.3.3  |
| Dataset Topic Category         | *DSTC | {14}{18}                    | b11    | A set of topic categories  |



**B5.1.2 Dataset Structure Information field - DSSI**

| Subfield name                                     | Label | Value              | Format | Comment  |
|---|-------|--------------------|--------|--|
| Dataset Coordinate Origin X                       | DCOX  | {0.0}              | b48    | Shift used to adjust x-coordinate before encoding  |
| Dataset Coordinate Origin Y                       | DCOY  | {0.0}              | b48    | Shift used to adjust y-coordinate before encoding  |
| Dataset Coordinate Origin Z                       | DCOZ  | {0.0}              | b48    | Shift used to adjust z-coordinate before encoding  |
| Coordinate Multiplication Factor for X-coordinate | CMFX  | {10 <sup>7</sup> } | b14    | Floating point to integer multiplication factor for the x-coordinate or longitude        |
| Coordinate Multiplication Factor for Y-coordinate | CMFY  | {10 <sup>7</sup> } | b14    | Floating point to integer multiplication factor for the y-coordinate or latitude         |
| Coordinate Multiplication Factor for Z-coordinate | CMFZ  | {100}              | b14    | Floating point to integer multiplication factor for the z-coordinate or depths or height |
| Number of Information Type records                | NOIR  |                    | b14    | Number of information records in the dataset   |
| Number of Point records                           | NOPN  |                    | b14    | Number of point records in the dataset   |
| Number of Multi Point records                     | NOMN  |                    | b14    | Number of multi point records in the dataset   |
| Number of Curve records                           | NOCN  |                    | b14    | Number of curve records in the dataset   |
| Number of Composite Curve records                 | NOXN  |                    | b14    | Number of composite curve records in the dataset   |
| Number of Surface records                         | NOSN  |                    | b14    | Number of surface records in the dataset   |
| Number of Feature Type records                    | NOFR  |                    | b14    | Number of feature records in the dataset   |

**B5.1.3 Attribute Code field structure - ATCS**

| Subfield name          | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Attribute Code         | ATCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Attribute Numeric Code | ANCD  |       | b12    | The code used within the NATC subfield       |

**B5.1.4 Information Type Codes field structure - ITCS**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Information Type Code         | ITCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Information Type Numeric Code | ITNC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NITC subfield       |

**B5.1.5 Feature Type Codes field structure - FTCS**

| Subfield name             | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Feature Type Code         | FTCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Feature Type Numeric Code | FTNC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NFTC subfield       |

**B5.1.6 Information Association Codes field structure - IACS**

| Subfield name                        | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Information Association Code         | IACD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Information Association Numeric Code | IANC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NIAC subfield       |

**B5.1.7 Feature Association Codes field structure - FACS**

| Subfield name                    | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Feature Association Code         | FACD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Feature Association Numeric Code | FANC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NFAC subfield       |

**B5.1.8 Association Role Codes field structure - ARCS**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Association Role Code         | ARCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Association Role Numeric Code | ARNC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NARC subfield       |

**B5.1.9 Attribute field - ATTR**

| Subfield name          | Label | Value | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Numeric Attribute Code | *NATC |       | b12    | A valid attribute code as defined in the ATCS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Attribute Index        | ATIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the attribute in the sequence of attributes with the same code and the same parent (starting with 1)                                       |
| Parent Index           | PAIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the parent complex attribute within this ATTR field (starting with 1). If the attribute has no parent (top level attribute) the value is 0 |
| Attribute Instruction  | ATIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert   |
| Attribute Value        | ATVL  |       | A()    | A string containing a valid value for the domain of the attribute specified by the subfields above   |

**B5.1.10 Information Association field - INAS**

| Subfield name                              | Label | Value | Format | Subfield content and specification   |
|--|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name                     | RRNM  | 150   | b11    | Record name of the referenced record   |
| Referenced Record Identifier               | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record   |
| Numeric Information Association Code       | NIAC  |       | b12    | A valid code for the information association as defined in the IACS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Numeric Association Role Code              | NARC  |       |        | A valid code for the role as defined in the ARCS field of the Dataset General Information Record   |
| Information Association Update Instruction | IUIN  |       | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Numeric Attribute Code                     | *NATC |       | b12    | A valid attribute code as defined in the ATCS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Attribute Index                            | ATIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the attribute in the sequence of attributes with the same code and the same parent (starting with 1)                                       |
| Parent Index                               | PAIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the parent complex attribute within this INAS field (starting with 1). If the attribute has no parent (top level attribute) the value is 0 |
| Attribute Instruction                      | ATIN  |       | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Attribute Value                            | ATVL  |       | A()    | A string containing a valid value for the domain of the attribute specified by the subfields above   |

**B5.1.11 Coordinate Reference System Record Identifier field - CSID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {15}  | b11    | {15} - Coordinate Reference System Identifier                                   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  | {1}   | b14    | Only one record   |
| Number of CRS Components     | NCRC  |       | b11    | {1} - Single CRS (No C3IT or C3IL fields in the dataset)<br>>{1} - Compound CRS |

**B5.1.12 Coordinate Reference System Header field - CRSH**

| Subfield name          | Label | Value   | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------|-------|---|--------|--|
| CRS Index              | CRIX  |   | b11    | 1 – for the horizontal CRS<br>>1 – for the vertical CRSs |
| CRS Type               | CRST  | {1} or {5}  | b11    | {1} – 2D Geographic<br>{5} - Vertical                    |
| Coordinate System Type | CSTY  | {1} or {3}  | b11    | {1} - Ellipsoidal CS<br>{3} - Vertical CS                |
| CRS Name               | CRNM  | "WGS84" for horizontal CRS<br>"Depth - *" for vertical CRS where *<br>is the name of the vertical datum | A()    |  |
| CRS Identifier         | CRSI  | "4326" – for horizontal CRS<br>"omitted for vertical CRS  | A()    |  |
| CRS Source             | CRSS  | {2} for horizontal CRS<br>{255} for vertical CRS  | b11    | {2} - EPSG<br>{255} - Not Applicable                     |
| CRS Source Information | SCRI  | omitted   | A()    |  |

**B5.1.13 Coordinate System Axes field - CSAX**

This field is only used for vertical CRS.

| Subfield name        | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|----------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Axis Type            | *AXTY | {12}  | b11    | {12} – Gravity related depth (orientation down) |
| Axis Unit of Measure | AXUM  | {4}   | b11    | {4} - Metre                                     |

**B5.1.14 Vertical Datum field - VDAT**

This field is only used for vertical CRS.

| Subfield name            | Label | Value   | Format | Comment  |
|--------------------------|-------|---------|--------|--|
| Datum Name               | DTNM  |         | A()    | Name of the enumeration value of the attribute <b>vertical datum</b> |
| Datum Identifier         | DTID  |         | A()    | Enumeration value of the attribute <b>vertical datum</b>             |
| Datum Source             | DTSR  | {2}     | b11    | {2} - Feature Catalogue  |
| Datum Source Information | SCRI  | omitted | A()    |  |

**B5.1.15 Information Type Identifier field - IRID**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value | Format | Comment  |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Record Name                   | RCNM  | {150} | b11    | {150} - Information Type   |
| Record Identification number  | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$   |
| Numeric Information Type Code | NITC  |       | b12    | A valid information type code as defined in the ITCS field of the Dataset General Information Record |
| Record Version                | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition  |
| Record Update Instruction     | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert   |

**B5.1.16 Point Record Identifier field - PRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {110} | b11    | {110} - Point   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} – Insert  |

**B5.1.17 2-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field structure - C2IT**

| Subfield name        | Label | Value | Format | Comment                   |
|----------------------|-------|-------|--------|---------------------------|
| Coordinate in Y axis | YCOO  |       | b24    | Y-coordinate or latitude  |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  |       | b24    | X-coordinate or longitude |

**B5.1.18 3-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field structure - C3IT**

| Subfield name        | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                 |
|----------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Vertical CRS Id      | VCID  |       | b11    | Internal identifier of the Vertical CRS |
| Coordinate in Y axis | YCOO  |       | b24    | Y- coordinate or latitude               |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  |       | b24    | X- coordinate or longitude              |
| Coordinate in Z axis | ZCOO  |       | b24    | Z - coordinate (depth)                  |

**B5.1.19 Multi Point Record Identifier field - MRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {115} | b11    | {115} - Multi Point                                   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert  |

**B5.1.20 2-D Integer Coordinate List field structure - C2IL**

| Subfield name        | Label | Format | Subfield content and specification |
|----------------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| Coordinate in Y axis | *YCOO | b24    | Y-coordinate or latitude           |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  | b24    | X-coordinate or longitude          |

**B5.1.21 3-D Integer Coordinate List field structure - C3IL**

| Subfield name        | Label | Format | Subfield content and specification      |
|----------------------|-------|--------|---|
| Vertical CRS Id      | VCID  | b11    | Internal identifier of the Vertical CRS |
| Coordinate in Y axis | *YCOO | b24    | Y- coordinate or latitude               |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  | b24    | X- coordinate or longitude              |
| Coordinate in Z axis | ZCOO  | b24    | Z - coordinate (depth or height)        |

**B5.1.22 Curve Record Identifier field - CRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {120} | b11    | {120} - Curve   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert  |

**B5.1.23 Point Association field - PTAS**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Referenced Record Name       | *RRNM |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record                                    |
| Referenced Record Identifier | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record                              |
| Topology Indicator           | TOPI  |       | b11    | {1} - Beginning point<br>{2} - End point<br>{3} - Beginning & End point |

**B5.1.24 Segment Header field - SEGH**

| Subfield name | Label | Value | Format | Comment          |
|---------------|-------|-------|--------|------------------|
| Interpolation | INTP  | {4}   | b11    | {4} - Loxodromic |

**B5.1.25 Composite Curve Record Identifier field - CCID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {125} | b11    | {125} - Composite Curve                               |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert  |

**B5.1.26 Curve Component field - CUCO**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                    |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name       | *RRNM |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record       |
| Referenced Record Identifier | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record |
| Orientation                  | ORNT  |       | b11    | {1} - Forward<br>{2} - Reverse             |

**B5.1.27 Surface Record Identifier field - SRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {130} | b11    | {130} - Surface                                       |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to 2 <sup>32</sup> -2                        |
| Record Version               | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} – Insert  |

**B5.1.28 Ring Association field - RIAS**

| Subfield name                       | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                    |
|-------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name              | RRNM  |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record       |
| Referenced Record Identifier        | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record |
| Orientation                         | ORNT  |       | b11    | {1} - Forward<br>{2} - Reverse             |
| Usage indicator                     | USAG  |       | b11    | {1} - Exterior<br>{2} - Interior           |
| Ring Association Update Instruction | RAUI  | {1}   | b11    | {1} – Insert                               |

**B5.1.29 Feature Type Record Identifier field - FRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {100} | b11    | {100} - Feature type   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to 2 <sup>32</sup> -2   |
| Numeric Feature Type Code    | NFTC  |       | b12    | A valid feature type code as defined in the FTCS field of the Dataset General Information Record |
| Record Version               | RVER  |       | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition  |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert   |

**B5.1.30 Feature Object Identifier field - FOID**

| Subfield name                      | Label | Value | Format | Comment                        |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--------------------------------|
| Producing Agency                   | AGEN  |       | b12    | Agency code                    |
| Feature Identification Number      | FIDN  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to 2 <sup>32</sup> -2 |
| Feature Identification Subdivision | FIDS  |       | b12    | Range: 1 to 2 <sup>16</sup> -2 |

**B5.1.31 Spatial Association field - SPAS**

| Subfield name                          | Label | Value | Format | Comment  |
|--|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name                 | *RRNM |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record   |
| Referenced Record Identifier           | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record   |
| Orientation                            | ORNT  |       | b11    | {1} Forward<br>{2} Reverse<br>{255} NULL (Not Applicable)  |
| Scale Minimum                          | SMIN  |       | b14    | Denominator of the largest scale for which the feature type can be depicted by the referenced spatial feature. If the value is 0 it does not apply           |
| Scale Maximum                          | SMAX  |       | b14    | Denominator of the smallest scale for which the feature type can be depicted by the referenced spatial feature. If the value is $2^{32}-1$ it does not apply |
| Spatial Association Update Instruction | SAUI  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert   |

**B5.1.32 Feature Association field – FASC**

| Subfield name                          | Label | Value | Format | Comment  |
|--|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name                 | RRNM  |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record   |
| Referenced Record Identifier           | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record   |
| Numeric Feature Association Code       | NFAC  |       | b12    | A valid code for the feature association as defined in the FACS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Numeric Association Role Code          | NARC  |       | b12    | A valid code for the role as defined in the ARCS field of the Dataset General Information Record   |
| Feature Association Update Instruction | FAUI  | {1}   | b11    | {1} - Insert   |
| Numeric Attribute Code                 | *NATC |       | b12    | A valid attribute code as defined in the ATCS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Attribute Index                        | ATIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the attribute in the sequence of attributes with the same code and the same parent (starting with 1)                                       |
| Parent Index                           | PAIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the parent complex attribute within this FASC field (starting with 1). If the attribute has no parent (top level attribute) the value is 0 |
| Attribute Instruction                  | ATIN  |       | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Attribute Value                        | ATVL  |       | A()    | A string containing a valid value for the domain of the attribute specified by the subfields above   |

**B5.1.33 Masked Spatial Type field - MASK**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value      | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------------|-------|------------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name       | *RRNM |            | b11    | Record name of the referenced record                             |
| Referenced Record Identifier | RRID  |            | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record                       |
| Mask Indicator               | MIND  | {1} or {2} | b11    | {1} – Truncated by the dataset limit<br>{2} – Suppress portrayal |
| Mask Update Instruction      | MUIN  | {1}        | b11    | {1} - Insert   |

## B6 Update dataset structure

Update dataset file

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|
|--<1>- Dataset General Information record
|
|   |
|   |--<1>-DSID (13\\*1): Dataset Identification field
|       |
|       |--<1>-DSSI (13): Dataset Structure Information field
|           |
|           |--<0..1>-ATCS (*2): Attribute Codes field
|               |
|               |--<0..1>-ITCS (*2): Information Type Codes field
|                   |
|                   |--<0..1>-FTCS (*2): Feature Type Codes field
|                       |
|                       |--<0..1>-IACS (*2): Information Association Codes field
|                           |
|                           |--<0..1>-FACS (*2): Feature Association Codes field
|                               |
|                               |--<0..1>-ARCS (*2): Association Role Codes field
|                                   |
|                                   |
|                                   |--<0..*>--Information record
|                                       |
|                                       |--<1>-IRID (5): Information Type Record Identifier field
|                                           |
|                                           |--<0..*>- ATTR (*5): Attribute field
|                                               |
|                                               |--<0..*>- INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|                                                   |
|                                                   |
|                                                   |--<0..*>-- Point record
|                                                       |
|                                                       |--<1>-PRID (4): Point Record Identifier field
|                                                           |
|                                                           |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|                                                               |
|                                                               | alternate coordinate representations
|                                                                   |
|                                                                   *-<1>-C2IT (2): 2-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field
|                                                                       |
|                                                                       *-<1>-C3IT (4): 3-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field
|                                                                           |
|                                                                           |
|                                                                           |--<0..*>-- Multi Point record
|                                                                               |
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|  |--<1>-MRID (4): Multi Point Record Identifier field
|  |
|  |  |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|  |  |
|  |  |--<0..1>-COCC (3): Coordinate Control field
|  |  |
|  |  |  alternate coordinate representations
|  |  |
|  |  *--<0..*>-C2IL (*2): 2-D Integer Coordinate List field
|  |  |
|  |  *--<0..*>-C3IL (1\\*3): 3-D Integer Coordinate List field
|  |
|  |--<0..*>-- Curve record
|  |
|  |  |--<1>-CRID (4): Curve Record Identifier field
|  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<1>-PTAS (*3): Point Association field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..1>-SECC (3): Segment Control field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<1>-SEGH (1): Segment Header field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |--<0..1>-COCC (3): Coordinate Control Field
|  |  |  |  |
|  |  |  |  |--<1..*>-C2IL (*2): 2-D Integer Coordinate List field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |
|  |--<0..*>-- Composite Curve record
|  |
|  |  |--<1>-CCID (4): Composite Curve Record Identifier field
|  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..1>-CCOC (3): Curve Component Control field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-CUCO (*3): Curve Component field
|  |  |
|  |--<0..*>-- Surface record
|  |
|  |  |--<1>-SRID (4): Surface Record Identifier field
|  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<1..*>-RIAS (*5): Ring Association Field
|  |  |
|  |--<0..*>-- Feature Type record
|  |
|  |  |--<1>-FRID (5): Feature Type Record Identifier field
|  |  |
|  |  |  |--<1>-FOID (3): Feature Object Identifier field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-ATTR (*5): Attribute field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-INAS (5\\*5): Information Association field
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |--<0..*>-SPAS (*6): Spatial Association field

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|
| -<0..*>-FASC (*5): Feature Association field
|
| -<0..*>-MASK (*4): Masked Spatial Type field

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## B6.1 Field Content

### B6.1.1 Dataset Identification field - DSID

| Subfield name                  | Label | Value               | Format | Comment  |
|--------------------------------|-------|---------------------|--------|--|
| Record Name                    | RCNM  | {10}                | b11    | {10} - Dataset Identification  |
| Record Identification number   | RCID  | {1}                 | b14    | Only one record  |
| Encoding Specification         | ENSP  | 'S-100 Part 10a'    | A()    | Encoding specification that defines the encoding                                 |
| Encoding Specification Edition | ENED  | "1.1"               | A()    | Edition of the encoding specification  |
| Product Identifier             | PRSP  | "INT.IHO.S-101.1.0" | A()    | Unique identifier for the data product as specified in the product specification |
| Product Edition                | PRED  | "1.0"               | A()    | Edition of the product specification   |
| Application Profile            | PROF  | "2"                 | A()    | "2" – ER Profile   |
| Dataset File Identifier        | DSNM  |                     | A()    | The file name including the extension but excluding any path information         |
| Dataset Title                  | DSTL  |                     | A()    | The title of the dataset   |
| Dataset Reference Date         | DSRD  |                     | A(8)   | The reference date of the dataset<br>Format: YYYYMMDD according to ISO 8601      |
| Dataset Language               | DSLGL | "EN"                | A()    | The (primary) language used in this dataset                                      |
| Dataset Abstract               | DSAB  | omitted             | A()    | The abstract of the dataset  |
| Dataset Edition                | DSED  |                     | A()    | [edition number].[update number] for example 4.20                                |
| Dataset Topic Category         | *DSTC | {14}{18}            | b11    | A set of topic categories  |

### B6.1.2 Dataset Structure Information field - DSSI

| Subfield name                                     | Label | Value              | Format | Comment  |
|---|-------|--------------------|--------|--|
| Dataset Coordinate Origin X                       | DCOX  | {0.0}              | b48    | Shift used to adjust x-coordinate before encoding  |
| Dataset Coordinate Origin Y                       | DCOY  | {0.0}              | b48    | Shift used to adjust y-coordinate before encoding  |
| Dataset Coordinate Origin Z                       | DCOZ  | {0.0}              | b48    | Shift used to adjust z-coordinate before encoding  |
| Coordinate Multiplication Factor for X-coordinate | CMFX  | {10 <sup>7</sup> } | b14    | Floating point to integer multiplication factor for the x-coordinate or longitude        |
| Coordinate Multiplication Factor for Y-coordinate | CMFY  | {10 <sup>7</sup> } | b14    | Floating point to integer multiplication factor for the y-coordinate or latitude         |
| Coordinate Multiplication Factor for Z-coordinate | CMFZ  | {100}              | b14    | Floating point to integer multiplication factor for the z-coordinate or depths or height |
| Number of Information Type Records                | NOIR  |                    | b14    | Number of information records in the dataset   |
| Number of Point records                           | NOPN  |                    | b14    | Number of point records in the dataset   |
| Number of Multi Point records                     | NOMN  |                    | b14    | Number of multi point records in the dataset   |
| Number of Curve records                           | NOCN  |                    | b14    | Number of curve records in the dataset   |
| Number of Composite Curve records                 | NOXN  |                    | b14    | Number of composite curve records in the dataset   |
| Number of Surface records                         | NOSN  |                    | b14    | Number of surface records in the dataset   |
| Number of Feature Type Records                    | NOFR  |                    | b14    | Number of feature records in the dataset   |

**B6.1.3 Attribute Code field structure - ATCS**

| Subfield name          | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Attribute Code         | ATCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Attribute Numeric Code | ANCD  |       | b12    | The code used within the NATC subfield       |

**B6.1.4 Information Type Codes field structure - ITCS**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Information Type Code         | ITCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Information Type Numeric Code | ITNC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NITC subfield       |

**B6.1.5 Feature Type Codes field structure - FTCS**

| Subfield name             | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|---------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Feature Type Code         | FTCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Feature Type Numeric Code | FTNC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NFTC subfield       |

**B6.1.6 Information Association Codes field structure - IACS**

| Subfield name                        | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|--------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Information Association Code         | IACD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Information Association Numeric Code | IANC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NIAC subfield       |

**B6.1.7 Feature Association Codes field structure - FACS**

| Subfield name                    | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|----------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Feature Association Code         | FACD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Feature Association Numeric Code | FANC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NFAC subfield       |

**B5.1.8 Association Role Codes field structure - ARCS**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                      |
|-------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Association Role Code         | ARCD  |       | A      | The code as defined in the feature catalogue |
| Association Role Numeric Code | ARNC  |       | b12    | The code used within the NARC subfield       |

**B6.1.9 Attribute field - ATTR**

| Subfield name          | Label | Value           | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------|-------|-----------------|--------|--|
| Numeric Attribute Code | *NATC |                 | b12    | A valid attribute code as defined in the ATCS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Attribute Index        | ATIX  |                 | b12    | Index (position) of the attribute in the sequence of attributes with the same code and the same parent (starting with 1)                                       |
| Parent Index           | PAIX  |                 | b12    | Index (position) of the parent complex attribute within this ATTR field (starting with 1). If the attribute has no parent (top level attribute) the value is 0 |
| Attribute Instruction  | ATIN  | {1}, {2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Attribute Value        | ATVL  |                 | A()    | A string containing a valid value for the domain of the attribute specified by the subfields above   |

**B6.1.10 Information Association field - INAS**

| Subfield name                              | Label | Value | Format | Subfield content and specification   |
|--|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name                     | RRNM  |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record   |
| Referenced Record Identifier               | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record   |
| Numeric Information Association Code       | NIAC  |       | b12    | A valid code for the information association as defined in the IACS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Numeric Association Role Code              | NARC  |       | b12    | A valid code for the role as defined in the ARCS field of the Dataset General Information Record   |
| Information Association Update Instruction | IUIN  |       | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Numeric Attribute Code                     | *NATC |       | b12    | A valid attribute code as defined in the ATCS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Attribute Index                            | ATIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the attribute in the sequence of attributes with the same code and the same parent (starting with 1)                                       |
| Parent Index                               | PAIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the parent complex attribute within this ATTR field (starting with 1). If the attribute has no parent (top level attribute) the value is 0 |
| Attribute Instruction                      | ATIN  |       | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Attribute Value                            | ATVL  |       | A()    | A string containing a valid value for the domain of the attribute specified by the subfields above   |

**B6.1.11 Information Type Identifier field - IRID**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value          | Format | Comment  |
|-------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|--|
| Record Name                   | RCNM  | {150}          | b11    | {150} - Information Type   |
| Record Identification number  | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to 2 <sup>32</sup> -2   |
| Numeric Information Type Code | NITC  |                | b12    | A valid information type code as defined in the ITCS field of the Dataset General Information Record |
| Record Version                | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition  |
| Record Update Instruction     | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |

**B6.1.12 Point Record Identifier field - PRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value          | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {110}          | b11    | {110} - Point   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} – Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify          |

**B6.1.13 2-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field structure - C2IT**

| Subfield name        | Label | Value | Format | Comment                   |
|----------------------|-------|-------|--------|---------------------------|
| Coordinate in Y axis | YCOO  |       | b24    | Y-coordinate or latitude  |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  |       | b24    | X-coordinate or longitude |

**B6.1.14 3-D Integer Coordinate Tuple field structure - C3DI**

| Subfield name        | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                 |
|----------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Vertical CRS Id      | VCID  |       | b11    | Internal identifier of the Vertical CRS |
| Coordinate in Y axis | YCOO  |       | b24    | Y- coordinate or latitude               |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  |       | b24    | X- coordinate or longitude              |
| Coordinate in Z axis | ZCOO  |       | b24    | Z - coordinate (depth)                  |

**B6.1.15 Multi Point Record Identifier field - MRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value          | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {115}          | b11    | {115} - Multi Point                                   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} – Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify          |

**B6.1.16 2-D Integer Coordinate List field structure - C2IL**

| Subfield name        | Label | Format | Subfield content and specification |
|----------------------|-------|--------|------------------------------------|
| Coordinate in Y axis | *YCOO | b24    | Y-coordinate or latitude           |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  | b24    | X-coordinate or longitude          |

**B6.1.17 3-D Integer Coordinate List field structure - C3IL**

| Subfield name        | Label | Format | Subfield content and specification      |
|----------------------|-------|--------|---|
| Vertical CRS Id      | VCID  | b11    | Internal identifier of the Vertical CRS |
| Coordinate in Y axis | *YCOO | b24    | Y- coordinate or latitude               |
| Coordinate in X axis | XCOO  | b24    | X- coordinate or longitude              |
| Coordinate in Z axis | ZCOO  | b24    | Z - coordinate (depth or height)        |

**B6.1.18 Coordinate Control field - COCC**

| Subfield name                 | Label | Value          | Format | Comment  |
|-------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|--|
| Coordinate Update Instruction | COUI  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Coordinate Index              | COIX  |                | b12    | Index (position) of the addressed coordinate tuple within the coordinate field(s) of the target record |
| Number of Coordinates         | NCOR  |                | b12    | Number of coordinate tuples in the coordinate field(s) of the update record                            |

**B6.1.19 Curve Record Identifier field - CRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value          | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {120}          | b11    | {120} - Curve   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify          |

**B6.1.20 Point Association field - PTAS**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|---|
| Referenced Record Name       | *RRNM |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record                                    |
| Referenced Record Identifier | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record                              |
| Topology Indicator           | TOPI  |       | b11    | {1} - Beginning point<br>{2} - End point<br>{3} - Beginning & End point |

**B6.1.21 Segment Control field - SECC**

| Subfield name              | Label | Value          | Format | Comment  |
|----------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|--|
| Segment Update Instruction | SEUI  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify                   |
| Segment Index              | SEIX  |                | b12    | Index (position) of the addressed segment in the target record |
| Number of Segments         | NSEG  |                | b12    | Number of segments in the update record                        |

**B6.1.22 Segment Header field - SEGH**

| Subfield name | Label | Value | Format | Comment          |
|---------------|-------|-------|--------|------------------|
| Interpolation | INTP  | {4}   | b11    | {4} - Loxodromic |

**B6.1.23 Composite Curve Record Identifier field - CCID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value          | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {125}          | b11    | {125} - Composite Curve                               |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify          |

**B6.1.24 Curve Component Control field - CCOC**

| Subfield name                      | Label | Value | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Curve Component Update Instruction | CCUI  |       | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Curve Component Index              | CCIX  |       | b12    | Index (position) of the addressed Curve record pointer within the CUCO field(s) of the target record |
| Number of Curve Components         | NCCO  |       | b12    | Number of Curve record pointer in the CUCO field(s) of the update record                             |

**B6.1.25 Curve Component field - CUCO**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value | Format | Comment                                    |
|------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name       | *RRNM |       | b11    | Record name of the referenced record       |
| Referenced Record Identifier | RRID  |       | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record |
| Orientation                  | ORNT  |       | b11    | {1} - Forward<br>{2} - Reverse             |

**B6.1.26 Surface Record Identifier field - SRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value          | Format | Comment   |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|---|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {130}          | b11    | {130} - Surface                                       |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$                                |
| Record Version               | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify          |

**B6.1.27 Ring Association field - RIAS**

| Subfield name                       | Label | Value      | Format | Comment                                    |
|-------------------------------------|-------|------------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name              | RRNM  |            | b11    | Record name of the referenced record       |
| Referenced Record Identifier        | RRID  |            | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record |
| Orientation                         | ORNT  |            | b11    | {1} - Forward<br>{2} - Reverse             |
| Usage indicator                     | USAG  |            | b11    | {1} - Exterior<br>{2} - Interior           |
| Ring Association Update Instruction | RAUI  | {1} or {2} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete               |

**B6.1.28 Feature Type Record Identifier field - FRID**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value          | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------------|-------|----------------|--------|--|
| Record Name                  | RCNM  | {100}          | b11    | {100} - Feature type   |
| Record Identification number | RCID  |                | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$   |
| Numeric Feature Type Code    | NFTC  |                | b12    | A valid feature type code as defined in the FTCS field of the Dataset General Information Record |
| Record Version               | RVER  |                | b12    | RVER contains the serial number of the record edition  |
| Record Update Instruction    | RUIN  | {1},{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |

**B6.1.29 Feature Object Identifier field - FOID**

| Subfield name                      | Label | Value | Format | Comment                |
|------------------------------------|-------|-------|--------|------------------------|
| Producing Agency                   | AGEN  |       | b12    | Agency code            |
| Feature Identification Number      | FIDN  |       | b14    | Range: 1 to $2^{32}-2$ |
| Feature Identification Subdivision | FIDS  |       | b12    | Range: 1 to $2^{16}-2$ |

**B6.1.30 Spatial Association field - SPAS**

| Subfield name                          | Label | Value      | Format | Comment  |
|--|-------|------------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name                 | *RRNM | {1} to {5} | b11    | Record name of the referenced record<br>{1} - 110<br>{2} - 115<br>{3} - 120<br>{4} - 125<br>{5} - 130  |
| Referenced Record Identifier           | RRID  |            | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record   |
| Orientation                            | ORNT  |            | b11    | {1} Forward<br>{2} Reverse<br>{255} NULL (Not Applicable)  |
| Scale Minimum                          | SMIN  |            | b14    | Denominator of the largest scale for which the feature type can be depicted by the referenced spatial feature. If the value is 0 it does not apply           |
| Scale Maximum                          | SMAX  |            | b14    | Denominator of the smallest scale for which the feature type can be depicted by the referenced spatial feature. If the value is $2^{32}-1$ it does not apply |
| Spatial Association Update Instruction | SAUI  | {1} or {2} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete   |



**B6.1.31 Feature Association field – FASC**

| Subfield name                          | Label | Value           | Format | Comment  |
|--|-------|-----------------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name                 | RRNM  |                 | b11    | Record name of the referenced record   |
| Referenced Record Identifier           | RRID  |                 | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record   |
| Numeric Feature Association Code       | NFAC  |                 | b12    | A valid code for the feature association as defined in the FACS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Numeric Association Role Code          | NARC  |                 | b12    | A valid code for the role as defined in the ARCS field of the Dataset General Information Record   |
| Feature Association Update Instruction | FAUI  | {1} ,{2} or {3} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Numeric Attribute Code                 | *NATC |                 | b12    | A valid attribute code as defined in the ATCS field of the Dataset General Information Record  |
| Attribute Index                        | ATIX  |                 | b12    | Index (position) of the attribute in the sequence of attributes with the same code and the same parent (starting with 1)                                       |
| Parent Index                           | PAIX  |                 | b12    | Index (position) of the parent complex attribute within this ATTR field (starting with 1). If the attribute has no parent (top level attribute) the value is 0 |
| Attribute Instruction                  | ATIN  | {1},{2} or {3}  | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete<br>{3} - Modify   |
| Attribute Value                        | ATVL  |                 | A()    | A string containing a valid value for the domain of the attribute specified by the subfields above   |

**B6.1.32 Masked Spatial Type field - MASK**

| Subfield name                | Label | Value      | Format | Comment  |
|------------------------------|-------|------------|--------|--|
| Referenced Record Name       | *RRNM |            | b11    | Record name of the referenced record                             |
| Referenced Record Identifier | RRID  |            | b14    | Record identifier of the referenced record                       |
| Mask Indicator               | MIND  | {1} or {2} | b11    | {1} - Truncated by the dataset limit<br>{2} - Suppress portrayal |
| Mask Update Instruction      | MUIN  | {1} or {2} | b11    | {1} - Insert<br>{2} - Delete                                     |

## B7 Dataset cancellation structure

Dataset cancelation file

```
|
|--<1>- Dataset General Information record
|
|--<1>-DSID (13\\*1): Dataset Identification field
```

### B7.1 Field Content

#### B7.1.1 Dataset Identification field - DSID

| Subfield name                  | Label | Value               | Format | Comment  |
|--------------------------------|-------|---------------------|--------|--|
| Record Name                    | RCNM  | {10}                | b11    | {10} - Dataset Identification  |
| Record Identification number   | RCID  | {1}                 | b14    | Only one record  |
| Encoding Specification         | ENSP  | 'S-100 Part 10a'    | A()    | Encoding specification that defines the encoding                                 |
| Encoding Specification Edition | ENED  | "1.1"               | A()    | Edition of the encoding specification  |
| Product identifier             | PRSP  | "INT.IHO.S-101.1.0" | A()    | Unique identifier for the data product as specified in the product specification |
| Product Edition                | PRED  | "1.0"               | A()    | Edition of the product specification   |
| Application Profile            | PROF  | "2"                 | A()    | "2" - ER Profile   |
| Dataset File Identifier        | DSNM  |                     | A()    | The file name including the extension but excluding any path information         |
| Dataset Title                  | DSTL  |                     | A()    | The title of the dataset   |
| Dataset Reference Date         | DSRD  |                     | A(8)   | The reference date of the dataset<br>Format: YYYYMMDD according to ISO 8601      |
| Dataset Language               | DSLG  | "EN"                | A()    | The (primary) language used in this dataset                                      |
| Dataset Abstract               | DSAB  | omitted             | A()    | The abstract of the dataset  |
| Dataset Edition                | DSED  | "0"                 | A()    | 0 - indicates the cancelation  |
| Dataset Topic Category         | *DSTC | {14}{18}            | b11    | A set of topic categories  |

## **ANNEX C - S-101 Validation Checks**

This Annex specifies the minimum checks that producers of S-101 ENC validation tools should include in their validation software. This software must be used by hydrographic offices to help ensure that their ENC data are compliant with the S-101 ENC Product Specification. The checklist has been compiled for the IHO from lists of checks provided by a number of hydrographic offices and software companies. The Annex provides checks for individual ENC cells however additional checks applicable to ENC Exchange Sets are included in part X.X.

The S-101 Validation Checks can be found in the Standards and Publications page of the IHO web site,.

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