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# 1. Entity Relation model

The tables that we are going to use in this assignment are listed below. They contain real-world data from the maritime domain [<https://zenodo.org/record/1167595#.W9BgcFUzapo>] which monitor, analyze and visualize the sea movements. There are tables that contain info of the whole maritime activities and their impact on the environment, tables that contain a set of complementary data having spatial and temporal information and tables with information about ships positions within Celtic sea, the Channel and Bay of Biscay (France).

More specifically, there are four categories of data: Navigation data, vessel-oriented data, geographic data, and environmental data. It covers a time span of six months, from October 1st, 2015 to March 31st, 2016.

Tables are:

- aton
- pg\_catalog
- country\_codes
- pg\_temp\_1
- geographic\_features
- pg\_toast.
- geography\_columns
- pg\_toast\_temp\_1
- geometry\_columns
- ports.
- information\_schema
- public.
- raster\_overviews
- receiver
- ship\_types\_detailed\_list
- natura2000
- ship\_types\_list
- navigational\_status
- spatial\_ref\_sys
- raster\_columns
- nari\_ais\_static
- nari\_dynamic
- nari\_dynamic\_aton
- nari\_dynamic\_sar

We are going to use most of the tables at the next section at which we will try to understand the data.

### Create tables

We have added all the above tables at the database.

## 2. Preliminary data analytics

### 2.1. Null values

By observing the data, we discovered many columns that contain multiple null values. We decided it would be a good practice not to remove them in this step, but include them in the dataset and decide in one of the next steps how to handle those cases.

Preliminary data analysis refers to some simple and basic analysis by running some SQL queries. This analysis will be helpful in understanding the data.

### 2.2. SQL commands:

1. How many ships there are based on shipname?

```
SELECT Count (DISTINCT shipname)
FROM   nari_ais_static;
```

Count: 4824

Note: Extract this info from static information about ships

2. How many ships have imo number?

```
SELECT Count (DISTINCT imo)
FROM   nari_ais_static;
```

Count: 4033

Note: There are ships with no imo number



3. How many ships there are based on mmsi( dynamic table)?

```
SELECT Count (DISTINCT mmsi)
FROM nari_dynamic;
```

Count: 5055

Note: Extract this info from dynamic information about ships (ais messages). Here we can see that there are ships which send ais messages but there is no info about them at the static table of ships (nari\_static)

4. How many ships there are based on mmsi (static table)?

```
SELECT Count (DISTINCT sourcemmsi)
FROM nari_ais_static;
```

Count: 4842

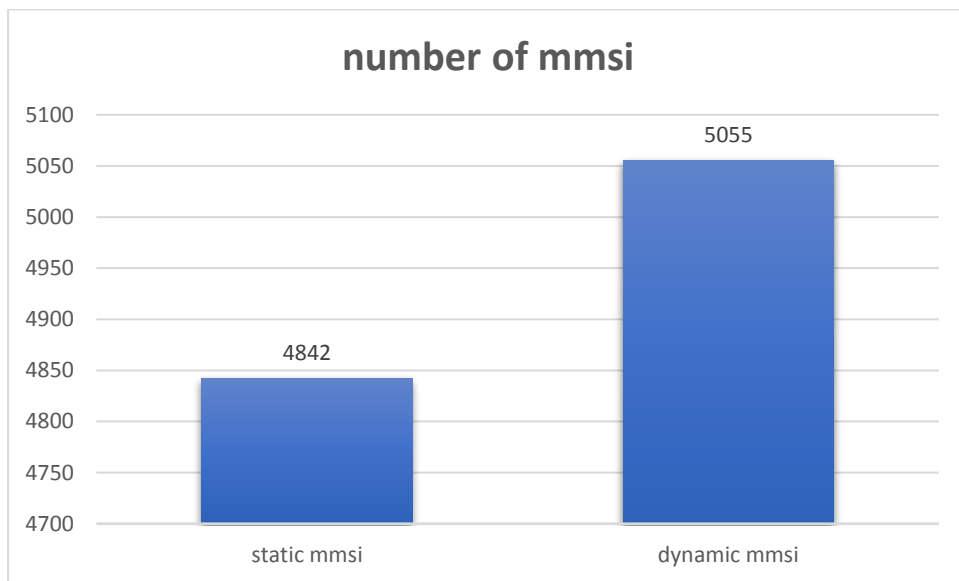


Figure 1: Number of mmsis at 2 tables (static, dynamic)

5. How many ships have mothershipmmsi (ships that other ships use them as start point)?

```
SELECT Count (DISTINCT mothershipmmsi)
FROM nari_ais_static;
```

Count: 228

6. Display 5 ships that have mothermmsi?

```
SELECT shipname,
       callsign,
       imo,
       sourcemmsi,
       mothershipmmsi,
       detailed_type
FROM   public.nari_ais_static,
       public.ship_types_list,
       public.ship_types_detailed_list
WHERE  nari_ais_static.shiptype = ship_types_detailed_list.id
       _detailedtype
       AND ship_types_detailed_list.id_shiptype = ship_types_
list.id_shiptype
       AND nari_ais_static.mothershipmmsi > 0
LIMIT 5;
```

	shipname text	callsign text	imo integer	sourcemmsi integer	mothershipmmsi integer	detailed_type text
1	KINGSTON	MZXE7		235013963	16847107	Suction Dredger
2	IZAR	DGYN		211232180	33558785	Inland Dredger
3	CARRIED AWAY	2HGE4		235103401	23072961	Inland Dredger
4	IZAR	DGYN		211232180	33558785	Inland Dredger
5	KINGSTON	MZXE7		235013963	16847107	Suction Dredger

Figure 2: Ships with mothermmsi

7. Display the most popular mothershipmmsi ship.

```
SELECT mothershipmmsi,
       Count(DISTINCT sourcemmsi) AS num
FROM   nari_ais_static
WHERE  mothershipmmsi > 0
GROUP BY mothershipmmsi
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

Mothershipmmsi | count

6320258		6
4223106		5

8. Display the ships that have as mothershipmmsi the most popular mothershipmmsi ship

```
SELECT DISTINCT sourcemmsi,
                shipname,
                callsign,
                imo,
                mothershipmmsi,
                detailed_type
FROM   PUBLIC.nari_ais_static,
        PUBLIC.ship_types_list,
        PUBLIC.ship_types_detailed_list
WHERE  nari_ais_static.shiptype = ship_types_detailed_list.id_
_detailedtype
        AND ship_types_detailed_list.id_shiptype = ship_types_
list.id_shiptype
        AND nari_ais_static.mothershipmmsi = 6320258;
```

	sourcemmsi integer	shipname text	callsign text	imo integer	mothershipmmsi integer	detailed_type text
1	227316100	JEANCANI	FG9660		6320258	Cutter Suction Dredger
2	227591030	SPONTUS	FU5007		6320258	Cutter Suction Dredger
3	227736540	ELORN	FGF6010		6320258	Waste Disposal Vessel
4	227549890	LAITERIE MALO-ESPOIR	FGD2321		6320258	Inland Dredger
5	227635650	ARTEMIS 3	FS5834		6320258	Cutter Suction Dredger
6	227322690	MAM GOZ	FI3738		6320258	Cutter Suction Dredger

Figure 3: Ships with the same mothermmsi

9. How many ship types there are at the static table?

```
SELECT Count (DISTINCT shiptype)
FROM   nari_ais_static;
```

Count: 45

# 10. Display the number of ships based on ship type

```
SELECT type_name,
       Count(DISTINCT source_mmsi) AS num
FROM   PUBLIC.nari_ais_static,
       PUBLIC.ship_types_list
WHERE  ship_types_list.shiptype_min <= nari_ais_static.shi
iptype
       AND ship_types_list.shiptype_max >= nari_ais_stati
c.shiptype
GROUP BY type_name
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

	type_name text	num bigint
1	Cargo	2450
2	Tanker	787
3	Fishing	357
4	Cargo - Hazard A (Major)	293
5	Sailing Vessel	222
6	Tanker - Hazard B	123
7	Other	113

Figure 4: Ships per type

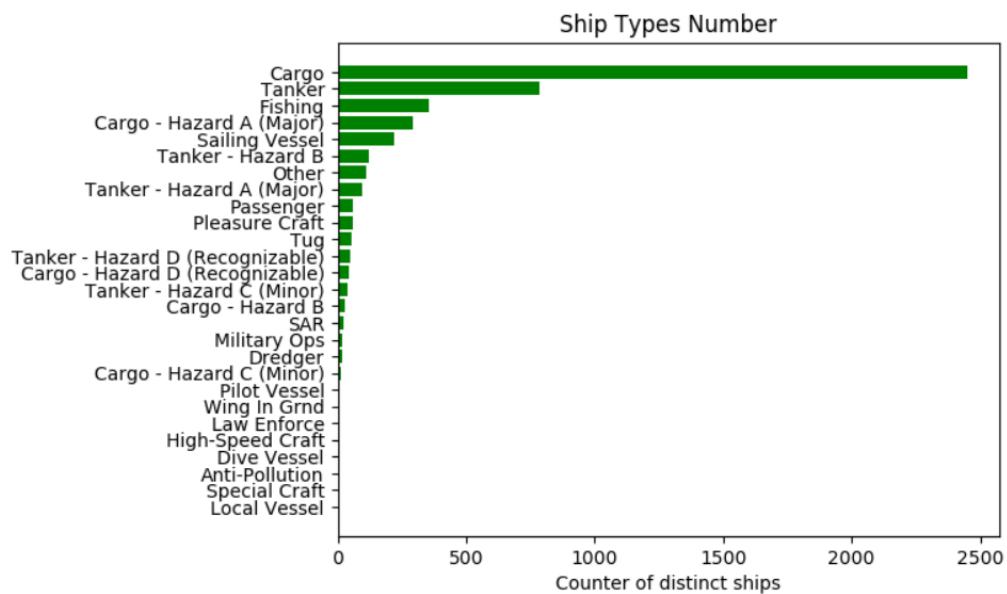


Figure 5 Visualization of number of each vessel type.

11. Find the shipnames that have no ship type defined

```
SELECT DISTINCT shipname
FROM   nari_ais_static
WHERE  nari_ais_static.shiptype IS NULL;
```

	shipname text
1	TORR PENN
2	SEA-EYE
3	RAW ONE
4	NADIA TONY
5	MANEVAI
6	TAMARIND
7	DOLEMM

Figure 6: Ships with no type defined

12. Display the number of vessels per country. The first 3 digits of MMSI declare the region country of the ship.

```
SELECT Count(DISTINCT sourcemmsi),
       country
FROM   public.country_codes,
       public.nari_ais_static
WHERE  Left(nari_ais_static.sourcemmsi :: text, 3) :: INTEGER
=
       country_codes.mmsi_country_code
GROUP BY country;
```

	num bigint	country text
1	715	France
2	368	Netherlands (Kingdom of the)
3	347	Liberia (Republic of)
4	336	Marshall Islands (Republic of the)
5	303	Malta
6	298	Antigua and Barbuda
7	243	Panama (Republic of)

Figure 7: Ships per country

### 13. Display the number of ships and their type per country

```

SELECT Count(DISTINCT( sourcemmsi )),
       country,
       ais_type_summary
FROM   public.country_codes,
       public.nari_ais_static,
       public.ship_types_list
WHERE  Left(nari_ais_static.sourcemmsi :: text, 3) :: INT
      EGER =
       country_codes.mmsi_country_code
      AND ship_types_list.shiptype_min <= nari_ais_stati
c.shiptype
      AND ship_types_list.shiptype_max >= nari_ais_stati
c.shiptype
GROUP BY country,
       ais_type_summary;

```

	num bigint	country text	ais_type_summary text
1	324	France	Fishing
2	307	Netherlands (Kingdom of the)	Cargo
3	284	Antigua and Barbuda	Cargo
4	252	Liberia (Republic of)	Cargo
5	196	Panama (Republic of)	Cargo
6	174	Marshall Islands (Republic of the)	Cargo
7	155	Hong Kong (Special Administrative Region of China)	Cargo

Figure 8: Detailed info for ships per country

14. Find the ship types for French vessels.

```
SELECT DISTINCT mmsi_country_code
FROM   PUBLIC.country_codes
WHERE  country LIKE 'France';
```

Note: mmsi codes for France are: 226, 227, 228

```
SELECT shiptype,
       detailed_type,
       Count(DISTINCT shipname)
FROM   public.nari_ais_static,
       public.ship_types_list,
       public.ship_types_detailed_list
WHERE  nari_ais_static.shiptype = ship_types_detailed_list.id_
_detailedtype
       AND ship_types_detailed_list.id_shiptype = ship_types_
list.id_shiptype
       AND ( Left(nari_ais_static.sourcemmsi :: text, 3) :: IN
TEGER = 226
           OR Left(nari_ais_static.sourcemmsi :: text, 3) :
: INTEGER = 227
           OR Left(nari_ais_static.sourcemmsi :: text, 3) :
: INTEGER = 228 )
GROUP BY shiptype,
         detailed_type;
```

	shiptype integer	detailed_type text	count bigint
1	20	Tractor Tug	1
2	30	Cutter Suction Dredger	331
3	31	Cutter Suction Hopper Dredger	1
4	33	Bucket Dredger	9
5	34	Trailing Suction Hopper Dredge	1
6	35	Trailing Suction Dredger	3
7	36	Trailing Suction Dredger	143

Figure 9: Ships of France

15. Display the most popular destinations

```
SELECT destination,
       Count(DISTINCT source_mmsi) AS num
FROM   nari_ais_static
WHERE  Length(destination) > 0
GROUP BY destination
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

	destination text	num bigint
1	ROTTERDAM	431
2	ANTWERP	231

Figure 10: Most popular destinations

16. Display the type of messages that are sent from ship with shiptype=0.

```
SELECT Count(*),
       n.status
FROM   (
        SELECT mmsi,
               status
        FROM   PUBLIC.nari_dynamic) a,
       (
        SELECT DISTINCT(source_mmsi),
               shiptype
        FROM   nari_ais_static)
       b,
       navigational_status AS n mmsi=source_mmsi
AND     b.shiptype=0
AND     n.code=a.status
GROUP BY n.status;
```

	count bigint	status text
1	12584	aground
2	8867	at anchor
3	4	constrained by her draught
4	180719	moored
5	1270566	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
6	791	not under command
7	210105	restricted manoeuvrability

Figure 11: Messages sent from ships with type=0



17. Display the number of messages that are sent from ships based on their type.

```
SELECT Count(*),
       n.status,
       shl.ais_type_summary
FROM   (SELECT mmsi,
              status
        FROM   PUBLIC.nari_dynamic) a,
       (SELECT DISTINCT( sourcemmsi ),
              shiptype
        FROM   nari_ais_static) b,
       ship_types_list AS shl,
       navigational_status AS n
WHERE  mmsi = sourcemmsi
       AND shl.shiptype_min <= b.shiptype
       AND shl.shiptype_max >= b.shiptype
       AND b.shiptype != 0
       AND n.code = a.status
GROUP BY n.status,
        shl.ais_type_summary;
```

	count bigint	status text	ais_type_summary text
1	2055	aground	Fishing
2	12584	aground	Other
3	316	aground	Passenger
4	72556	at anchor	Cargo
5	105	at anchor	Fishing
6	3472	at anchor	Other
7	9	at anchor	Passenger
8	1187	at anchor	Sailing Vessel
9	24004	at anchor	Search and Rescue

Figure 12: Number of messages sent based on ship type

## 18. Display the number of fishing messages per month

```
SELECT    Count(*) AS num,
          m_month
FROM      (
            SELECT status,
                   date_part('month', timestamp 'epoch' + t
                             * interval '1 second') AS m_month
            FROM    nari_dynamic) m
WHERE     m.status=7
GROUP BY m_month
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

	num bigint	m_month double precision
1	266961	2
2	190729	3
3	169513	11
4	151189	10
5	119942	12
6	115142	1

Figure 13:Fishing messages per month

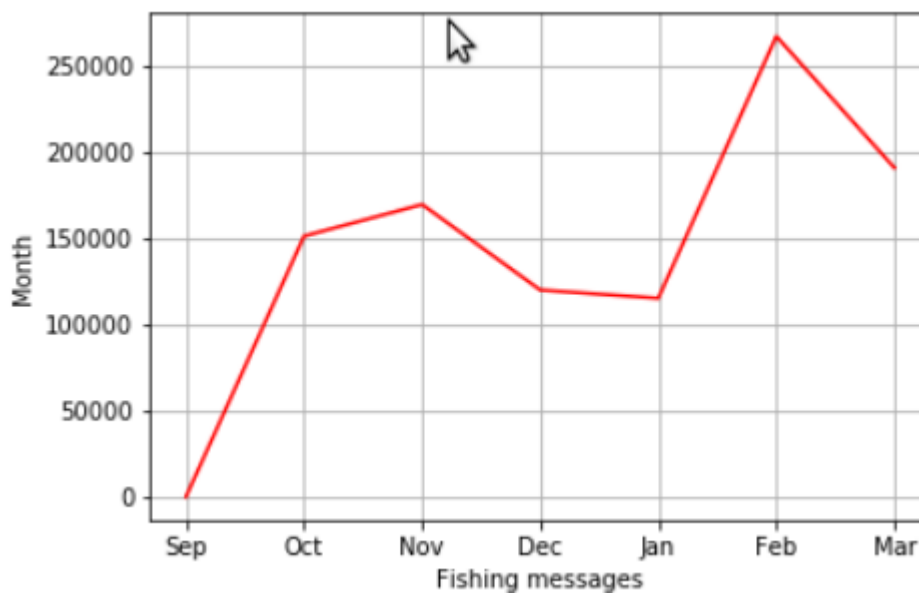


Figure 14:Visualization of fishing messages per month

## 19. Display the number of messages per month

```

SELECT      Count(*) AS num,
            m_month,
            n.status
FROM        (
                SELECT status,
                        date_part('month',timestamp 'epoch
' + t * interval '1 second') AS m_month
                FROM    nari_dynamic) m,
            navigational_status AS n
WHERE       m.status=n.code
GROUP BY   m_month,
            n.status
ORDER BY   num DESC;

```

	num bigint	m_month double precision	status text
1	1501657	1	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
2	1396348	3	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
3	1243249	2	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
4	758044	11	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
5	735396	10	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
6	621065	12	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)

Figure 15;Number of messages per month

## 20. Display the types of messages inside a fishing area

```
SELECT Count(*) AS num,
       n.status
FROM   (SELECT DISTINCT maxlong,
                        maxlat,
                        minlong,
                        minlat
        FROM   geographic_features.fishing_areas_eu) g,
       (SELECT lat,
              lon,
              status
        FROM   nari_dynamic) d,
       navigational_status AS n
WHERE  maxlong >= lon
      AND minlong <= lon
      AND maxlat >= lat
      AND minlat <= lat
      AND n.code = d.status
GROUP BY n.status
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

	num bigint	status text
1	6268535	not defined = default (also used by AIS-SART under test)
2	1839818	moored
3	1013596	engaged in fishing
4	391688	restricted manoeuvrability
5	179548	at anchor
6	95417	reserved for future amendment of navigational status for ships carrying DG, HS, or MP, or IMO hazard or pollutant category C, high speed craft (HSC)
7	77165	under way sailing

Figure 16:Type of messages inside a fishing area

21. Display the number of fishing messages inside a fishing area

```
FROM      (SELECT DISTINCT maxlong,
                           maxlat,
                           minlong,
                           minlat
            FROM      geographic_features.fishing_areas_eu) g,
            (SELECT lat,
                   lon,
                   status
            FROM      nari_dynamic) d,
            navigational_status AS n
WHERE maxlong >= lon
      AND minlong <= lon
      AND maxlat >= lat
      AND minlat <= lat
      AND n.code = d.status
      AND n.code = 7;
```

Count: 1013596

Whereas the total number of messages inside this area is:

```
SELECT Count(*)
FROM      (SELECT DISTINCT maxlong,
                           maxlat,
                           minlong,
                           minlat
            FROM      geographic_features.fishing_areas_eu) g,
            (SELECT lat,
                   lon,
                   status
            FROM      nari_dynamic) d,
            navigational_status AS n
WHERE maxlong >= lon
      AND minlong <= lon
      AND maxlat >= lat
      AND minlat <= lat
      AND n.code = d.status;
```

Count: 9092197

Note: fishing messages is 11,147977% of the total messages

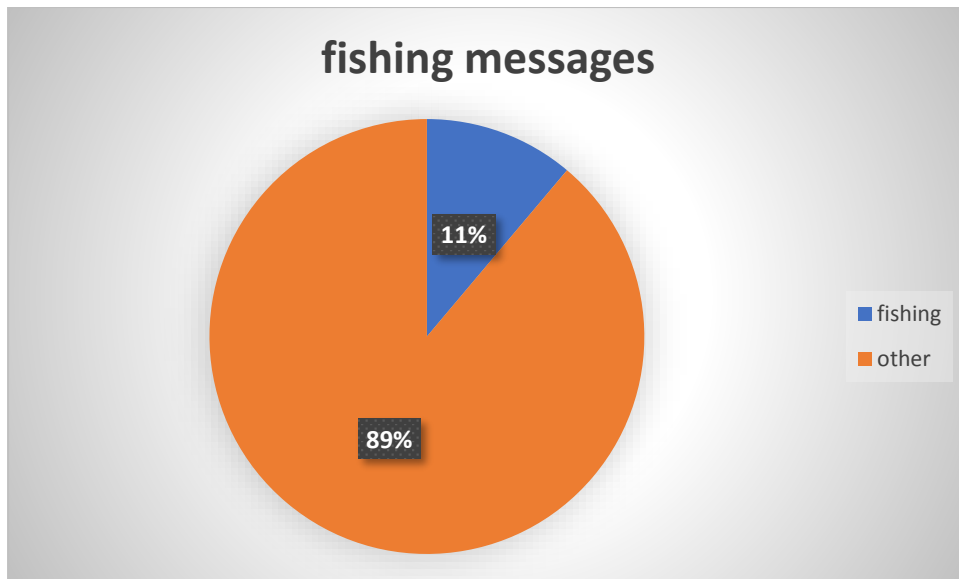


Figure 17: Visualization of total and fishing messages inside a fishing area

22. Display the number of ships that have navigational status “fishing” but out of fishing areas.

```
SELECT Count(*) AS num,
       n.status
FROM   (SELECT DISTINCT maxlong,
                        maxlat,
                        minlong,
                        minlat
        FROM   geographic_features.fishing_areas_eu) g,
       (SELECT lat,
              lon,
              status
        FROM   nari_dynamic) d,
       navigational_status AS n
WHERE  ( maxlong < lon
        OR minlong > lon )
        AND (maxlat < lat
        OR  minlat > lat)
        AND n.code = d.status
        AND n.code = 7
GROUP BY n.status
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

Count:0

Note: All ships that have navigational status “fishing” are inside fishing areas.

23. Display the number of ships per type that send fishing messages

```
SELECT type_name,  
       Count(DISTINCT source_mmsi) AS num  
FROM   PUBLIC.nari_ais_static,  
       PUBLIC.ship_types_list,  
       PUBLIC.nari_dynamic  
WHERE  ship_types_list.shiptype_min <= nari_ais_static.shiptyp  
e  
       AND ship_types_list.shiptype_max >= nari_ais_static.shi  
ptype  
       AND status = 7  
GROUP BY type_name  
ORDER BY num DESC;
```

## 24. Display the traffic per month

```
SELECT Count(mmsi) ,  
       Extract(month FROM To_timestamp(t)) a  
FROM   nari_dynamic  
GROUP BY a  
ORDER BY Count(mmsi) DESC;
```

	count bigint	a double precision
1	3358741	1
2	3353163	3
3	3243176	11
4	3183877	2
5	3130207	10
6	2762531	12
7	3935	4

Figure 18:Traffic per month

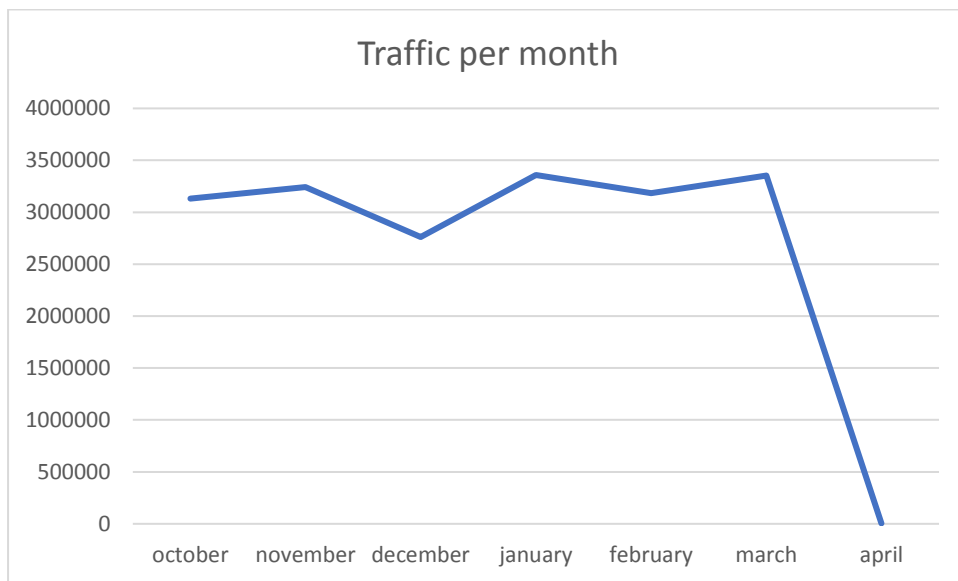


Figure 19:Visualization of traffic per month



## 25. Display the average speed per Month

```
SELECT Avg(speed) ,  
       Extract(month FROM To_timestamp(t)) a  
FROM   nari_dynamic  
GROUP BY a;
```

avg	a
17.0591974493276	1
10.554037420406	2
11.9571499208403	3
13.799288437103	4
4.09282450010901	10
4.28085302802243	11
4.82032302986167	12

Figure 20: Average speed of vessels per month

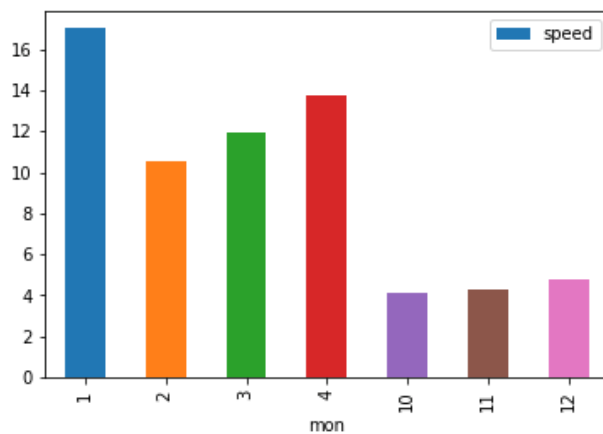


Figure 21: Visualization of Average speed of vessels per month

## 26. Display average speed, draught, length and width per ship type

```

SELECT b.shiptype,
       type_name,
       Avg(speed),
       Avg(b.draught),
       Avg(b.to_stern),
       Avg(b.to_starboard)
FROM   (SELECT mmsi,
               speed
        FROM   nari_dynamic) a,
       (SELECT DISTINCT( sourcemmsi ),
               shiptype,
               draught,
               to_stern,
               to_starboard
        FROM   nari_ais_static) b,
       (SELECT type_name,
               shiptype_min
        FROM   ship_types_list
        WHERE  shiptype_min > 0
              AND shiptype_max < 100) c
WHERE  a.mmsi = b.sourcemmsi
       AND c.shiptype_min = b.shiptype
GROUP BY b.shiptype,
         type_name;

```

shiptype	type_name	avg	avg	avg	avg
20	Wing In Grnd	1.59777777777778	3.69333333333333	3.26666666666667	2.33333333333333
30	Fishing	4.93609060771588	1.69934889735548	8.7148782672699574	2.9680948984657168
31	Tug	1.13113637359268	4.10060673763447	19.9533666272396723	5.0599071275244228
32	Tug	0.401223575806678	8.22813871889022	11.4028552649679776	12.0715191904987543
33	Dredger	5.86106486779064	5.2487830952067	28.5842464311174592	7.4229458788190912
34	Dive Vessel	4.06092478311422	7.4	15.9828280118057419	2.9967802522135766
35	Military Ops	2.02956284041059	0.295931659940151	48.6979140566410599	6.3613189084889254
36	Sailing Vessel	3.30649045114843	2.67791987122098	5.1056841225280591	2.4062964239113858
37	Pleasure Craft	1.35407869610842	2.36412262655531	3.8067907187618868	0.90086334418116780076
40	High-Speed Craft	8.27206595538279	2.15322156020505	12.0644312041014272	6.0000000000000000
50	Pilot Vessel	13.1632146855069	0.00544528576859713	2.0970330122924851	1.9973862628310734
51	SAR	56.5769604530518	6.0189955040196	55.6060352110197233	9.5298548616081381
52	Tug	0.70210101010101	4.00000000000000	24.11000000000000	5.00000000000000

Figure 22: Average speed, draught, length and width per ship type

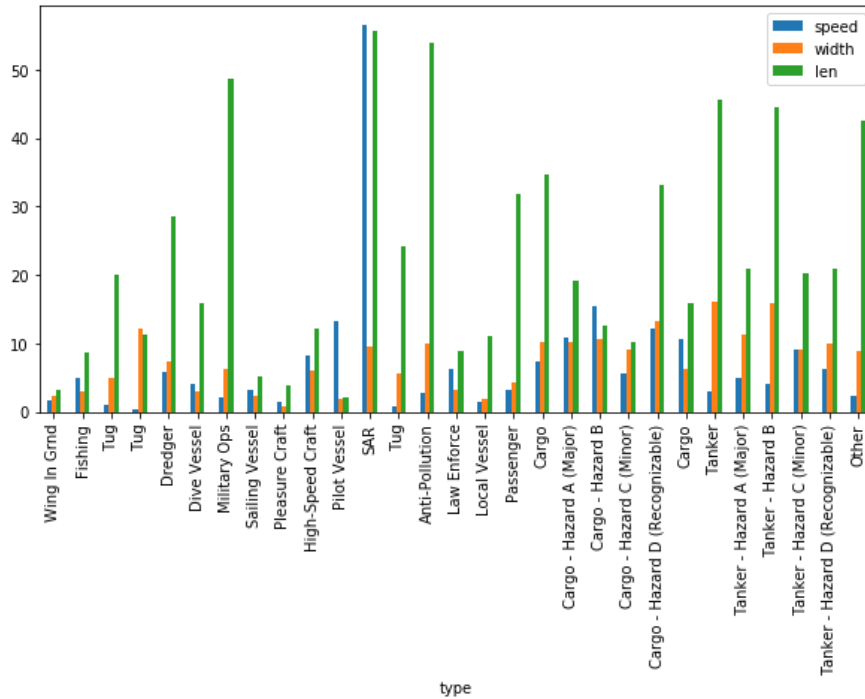


Figure 23: Visualization of average speed, draught, length and width per ship type

## 27. Display the traffic of Brest port

```
SELECT Count(*)
FROM nari_ais_static
WHERE destination LIKE '%BREST%'
      OR destination LIKE '%BES'
      OR destination LIKE ' ';
```

Count of vessels connected with Brest port :640060

Count of all vessels; 1078617

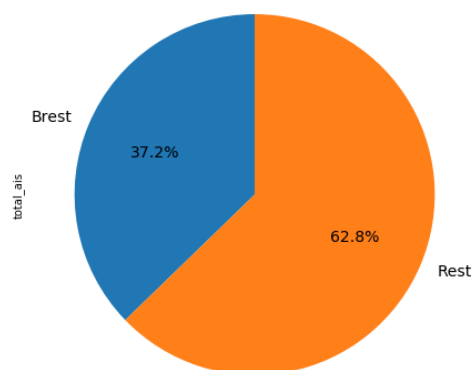


Figure 24: Visualization with the vessels that are connected with Brest Port

28. Display the average of draught, width per month for each ship type

```

SELECT b.shiptype,
       type_name,
       Avg(b.draught)      avg_draught,
       Avg(b.to_starboard) avg_len,
       a.c
FROM   (SELECT mmsi,
              speed,
              Extract(month FROM To_timestamp(t)) c
        FROM   nari_dynamic) a,
       (SELECT DISTINCT( sourcemmsi ),
              shiptype,
              draught,
              to_starboard
        FROM   nari_ais_static) b,
       (SELECT type_name,
              shiptype_min
        FROM   ship_types_list
        WHERE  shiptype_min > 0
              AND shiptype_max <= 100) c
WHERE  a.mmsi = b.sourcemmsi
      AND c.shiptype_min = b.shiptype
GROUP BY b.shiptype,
        type_name,
        a.c,
        type_name
ORDER BY a.c;

```

shiptype	type_name	avg_draught	avg_len	c
30	Fishing	1.43644674187529	2.9665094031885342	1
31	Tug	4.10019957015558	5.0379183297513049	1
32	Tug	8.25	12.7500000000000000	1
33	Dredger	5.6850466537058	5.9940454279713314	1
34	Dive Vessel		3.0000000000000000	1
35	Military Ops	0.0013614388398278	6.1129593600895586	1
36	Sailing Vessel	3.48623101036894	3.0082228813877520	1
37	Pleasure Craft	2.29964285714285	1.1814503415659485	1
40	High-Speed Craft	3.7	6.0000000000000000	1
50	Pilot Vessel	0.00258456923846026	2.0021163139476754	1
51	SAR	6.097275797042	9.7340892585258838	1
52	Tug	5.09820913560387	5.5713431697314346	1
54	Anti-Pollution	5.849999999999912	10.0000000000000000	1
55	Law Enforce	1.4	3.5000000000000000	1
57	Local Vessel	2.200000000000024	2.0000000000000000	1
60	Passenger	1.15724124482264	3.9223039814669126	1
70	Cargo	6.65079479312786	10.3411853085653853	1
71	Cargo - Hazard A (Major)	7.34735017483756	10.2153479215794378	1
72	Cargo - Hazard B	7.4023500000000000	10.0000000000000000	1

Figure 25: Average of draught,width per month for each ship type

## 29. Display the usage of SAR vessels every month

```
SELECT Count(mmsi),
       Extract(month FROM To_timestamp(t)) a,
       Avg(speed)
FROM   nari_dynamic_sar
GROUP BY a
ORDER BY Count(mmsi) DESC;
```

count	a	avg
1336	2	178.172155688623
1027	3	211.499513145083
918	10	139.102396514161
792	1	105.010101010101
447	11	71.324384787472
46	12	26

Figure 26:SAR vessels per month

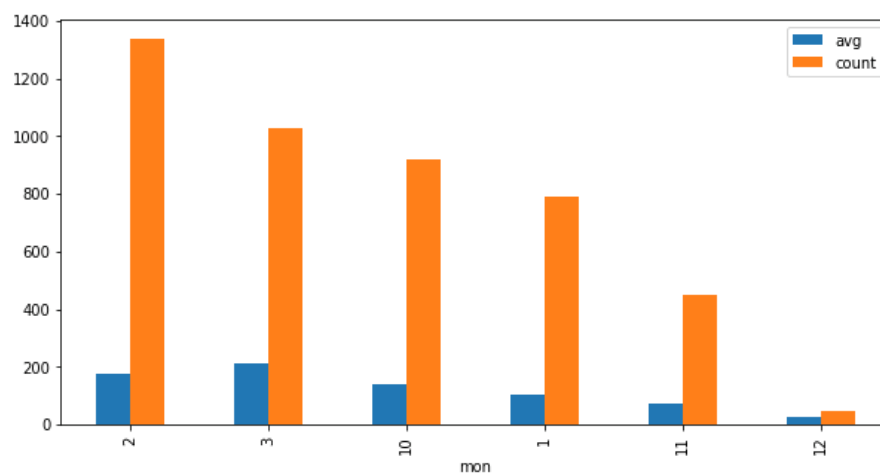


Figure 27:Visualization of SAR vessels per month

### 30. Display the type of atons

```
SELECT typeofaid,  
       Count(typeofaid),  
       at.definition,  
       virtual  
FROM   nari_dynamic_aton a,  
       aton at  
WHERE  a.typeofaid = at.code  
GROUP BY typeofaid,  
          at.definition,  
          virtual;
```

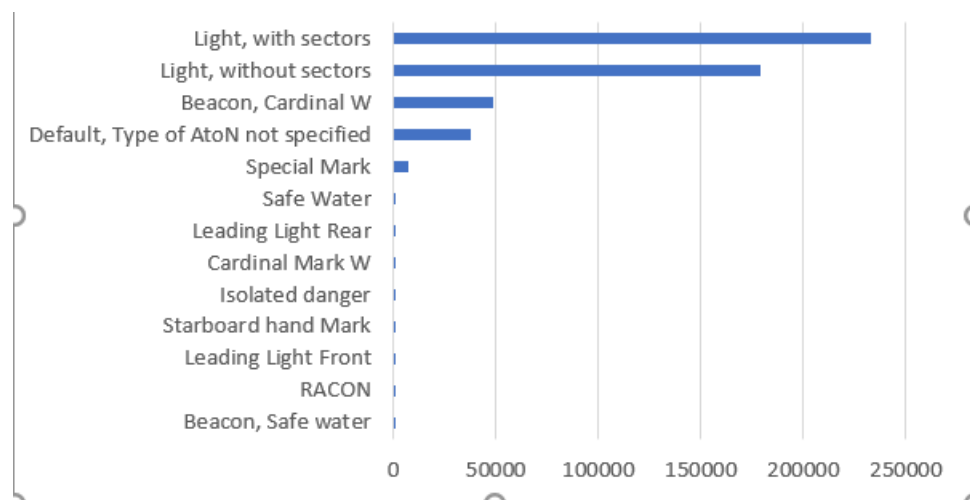


Figure 28: Visualization of type of atons

31. Make a plot for a specific ship according its ais messages (python)  
Source code: vessel\_route.py

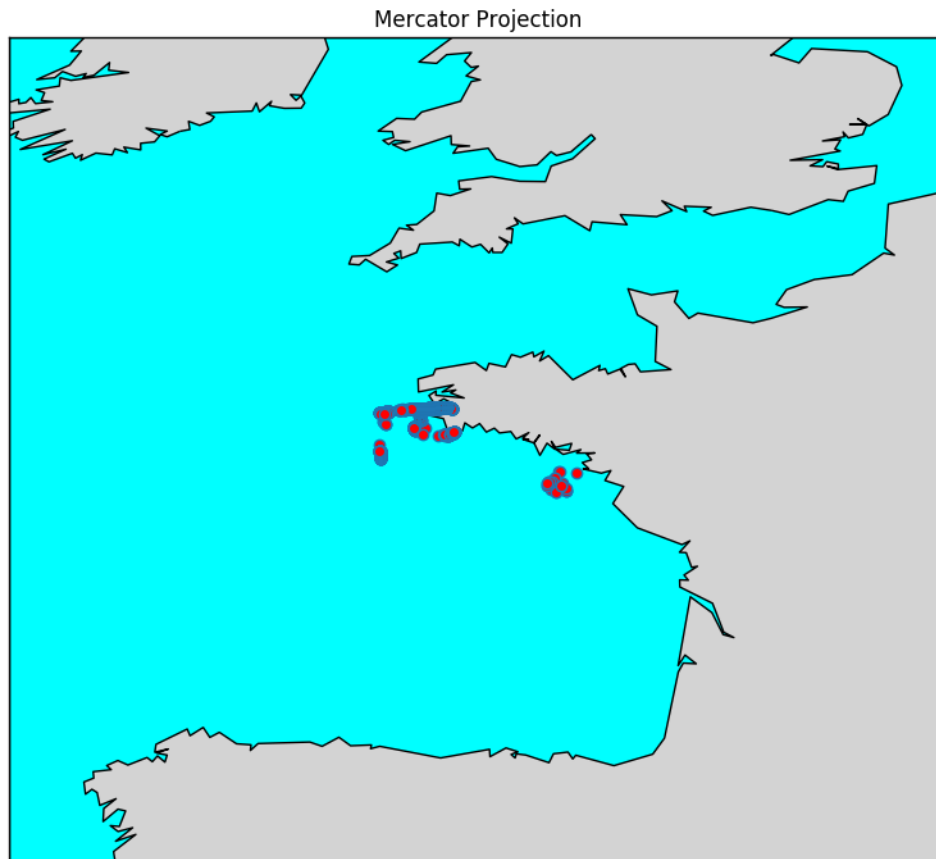


Figure 29:Route of a specific vessel with mmsi= 228931000

32. Make a plot for a specific ship according its fishing ais messages. All these messages are inside a fishing area (QJIS)

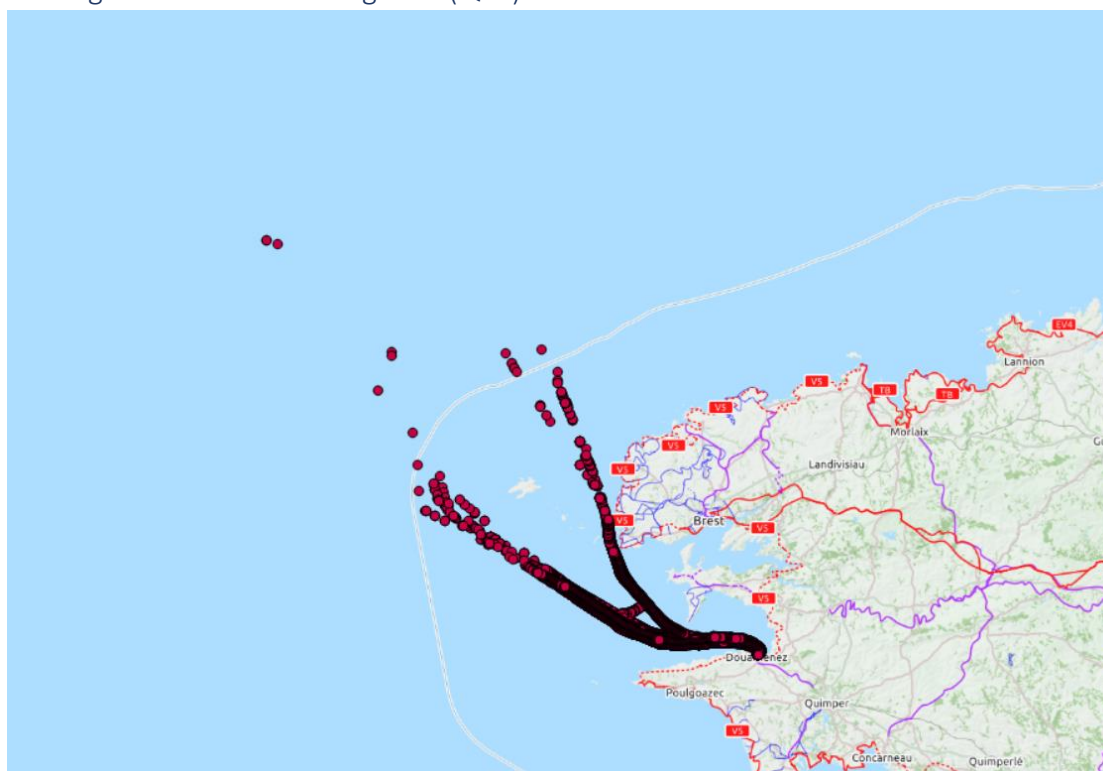


Figure 30: Route of a specific vessel with mmsi= 228931000 with fishing messages



33. Make a plot for a specific ship according its fishing ais messages. All these messages are inside a fishing area. Fishing areas are presented. (QJIS)

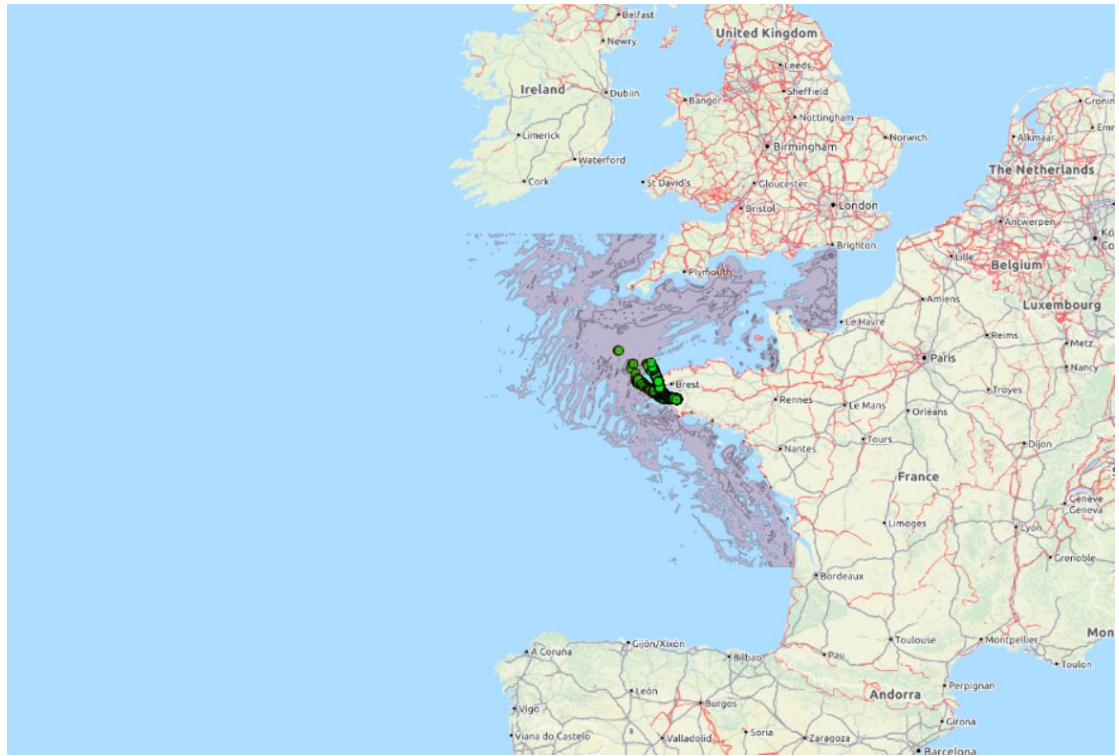


Figure 31: Route of a specific vessel with mmsi= 228931000 with fishing messages, fishing areas are presented

34. Make a plot for a specific ship according its fishing ais messages. All these messages are inside a fishing area. Fishing areas and constraint fishing areas are presented. (QJIS)

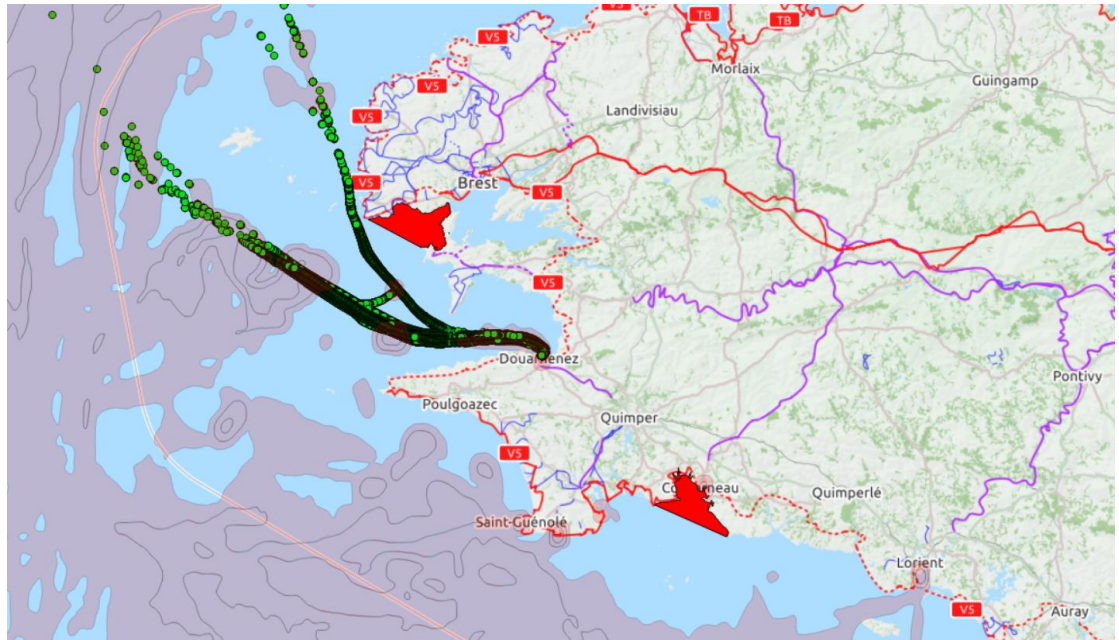


Figure 32:Route of a specific vessel with mmsi= 228931000 with fishing messages, fishing areas and constrained fishing areas are presented (fishing: purple, constraint: red)

35. Plot the route of a specific vessel inside a fishing area (python)

Source code: vessel\_at\_fishing\_area.py

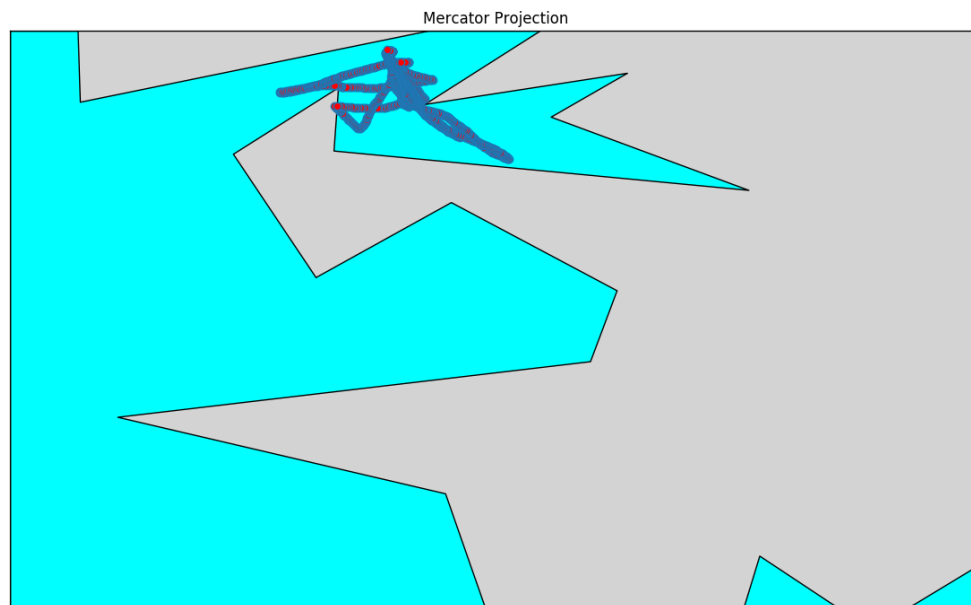
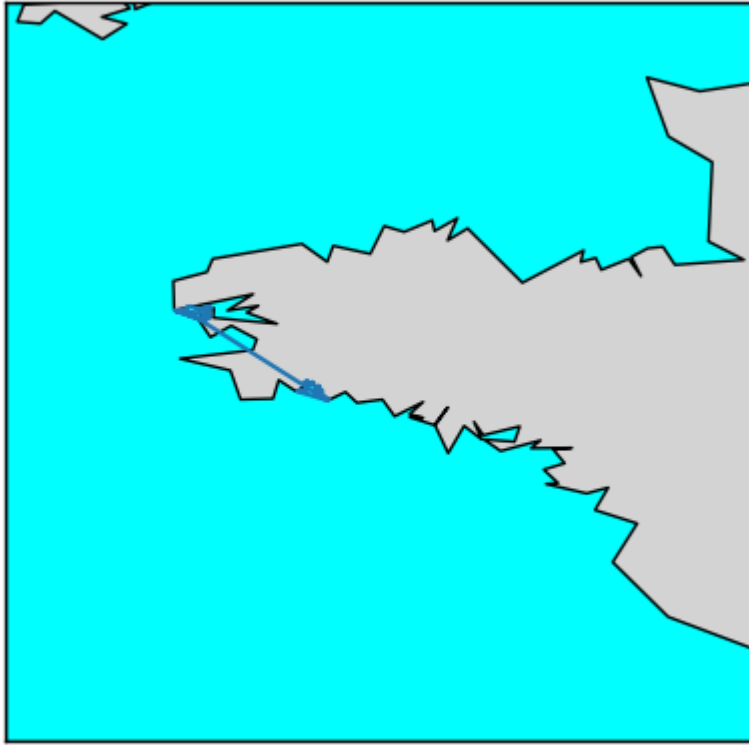


Figure 33: Specific route inside a fishing area for vessel with mmsi= 227741610

36. Plot constrain fishing areas (python)  
Source code: `constrain_fishing/constrain_fish.py`



*Figure 34: Fishing constraint areas*

### 37. Plot fishing areas(python)

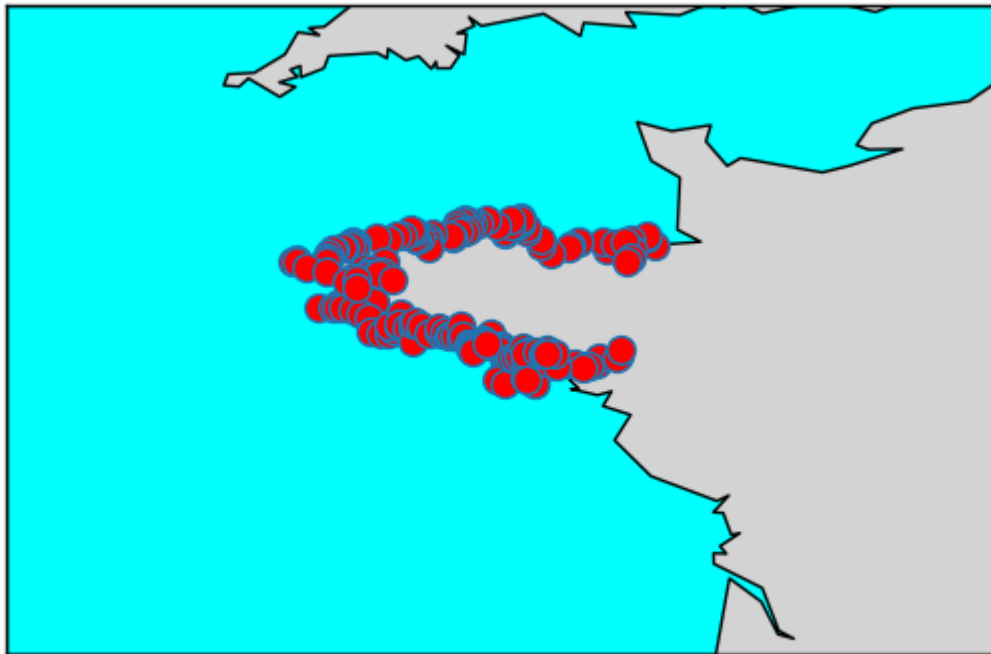
Source code: `fishing_area/fishing.py`



*Figure 35:Fishing areas*

38. Plot ports of Brittany(python)

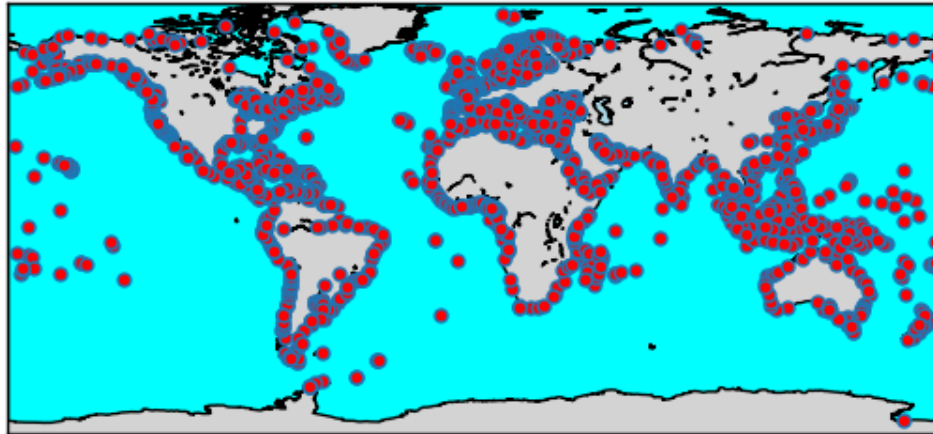
Source code: port\_brittany/ port\_brittany.py



*Figure 36: Ports of Brittany*

39. Plot the ports of the Europe (python)

Source code: `world_port_index/wpi.py`



*Figure 37: Ports all over the world*

## 3. Complex event detecting with automata-based framework

Since we have already understand the dataset, a system for online monitoring marine activity over streaming positions from numerous vessels sailing at sea will be presented. The system detects abnormal behavior in AIS messages emitted from vessels across time. AIS messages will be used to recognize suspicious events of one or multiple vessels.

### 3.1. System Architecture

The online monitoring system is a combination of the following systems: kafka and Apache Flink. Kafka is an open source streaming platform which is used for stream processing and apache Flink is a real time processing engine for stateful computations.

A Flink program is defined data streams and their transformations. A stream is a flow of events, and a transformation is an operation that takes one or more streams as input, and produces one or more output streams as an output. When executed, Flink programs are mapped to directed acyclic graphs, consisting of streams and transformation operators. Each graph starts with one or more sources and ends in one or more sinks.

### 3.2. System Deployment

The system implemented detects complex patterns in a stream of AIS messages. AIS messages are stored in a PSQL database. A python script has been written in order to fetch these messages from database and forward them to a kafka topic named “AIS”.

The system consists of 2 different jobs. The 1<sup>st</sup> one is used to detect trajectory events for one vessel and the 2<sup>nd</sup> to detect complex event for more than one vessels based on the trajectory events that have been already detected at the previous step. The 1st project’s “flinkcep” input is what is written at topic AIS (the AIS messages fetched from database). The output of this project is forwarded to other kafka topics like OUT\_GAP, OUT\_COTRAVEL, OUT\_COURSE that given as input to the kafka producer of the 2<sup>nd</sup> project “cep\_flinkcep”. The results of both projects are written in txt and csv files. Each row of the txt/csv files contains information for the detected event. Csv files will be used to make some visualizations.



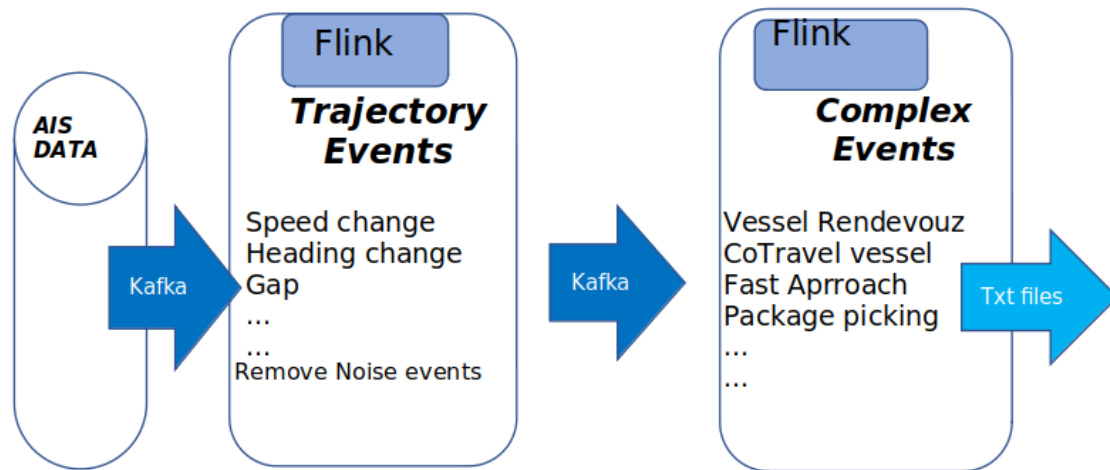


Figure 38: System deployment

### 3.3. Online Noise Reduction

AIS dataset, is a dataset that contains data which can be noisy, and as a result, difficult to be processed. Aiming to have better and more accurate results in the monitoring system, we should remove these noisy messages. In this implementation critical conditions have been added at the flinkcep patterns to identify noisy AIS messages, for examples emitted messages where the shift of the heading is more than 60 degrees. These conditions are checked while processing the patterns in order to improve the performance of the system.

#### Out of order events

As it is known, transmission delays may frequently occur between the original message and its arrival. Successive positional messages from a single vessel may often arrive intermingled at a distorted order. In our case, we used custom watermarks to handle the timestamp of events and we specifically decided to not accept events arriving out of order. The main reason behind the decision was that the program's execution time was exponentially bigger if we should consider as pattern candidates the unordered events. If this system was in a real world at which we would have delays, we should take care of messages that arrived out of order by adding a small time window of accepted events despite the fact of having out of order timestamps.

### 3.4. Grid partitioning

We decided to translate use the coordinates of a vessel and check how far is from an area or how far is from other vessels *geohash*, a grid portioning method has been used. Geohash is a geocoding system based on a hierarchical spatial data structure which subdivides space into buckets of grid ([github.com/davidmoten/geo](https://github.com/davidmoten/geo)).

Each cell is labeled using a geohash which is of user-definable precision:

- High precision geohash have a long string length and represent cells that cover only a small area.
- Low precision geohash have a short string length and represent cells that each cover a large area.

GeoHash, can have a choice of precision between 1 and 12. As a consequence of the gradual precision degradation, nearby places will often present similar prefixes. The longer a shared prefix is, the closer the two places are. In the current implementation the below cell dimensions have been used.

We preferred geohash over haversine distance because it produced must faster results for the given latitudes/longitudes.

The following table is presented as an example of the translation between geohash string length and actual distance metric units.

Precision	Cell dimension
4	39,1 km x 19,5 km
5	4,9 km x 4,9 km
6	1,2 km x 600,4m
7	152,9km x 152.4m

## 4. Trajectory Events

Trajectory Detection is the main module of the project since the Complex Event Recognition module uses its outcome to compute the patterns that satisfy the conditions predefined. Trajectory Movement can be vessel Speed Change Events, gap in communication and generally events that related with the movement and the behavior of one vessel or more, but mainly serve as a filter for complex events that will be checked for pattern recognition in the following project.

At this phase, system deduce instantaneous events by examining the trace of each vessel alone. This system consumes a stream of AIS tracking messages from vessels and continuously detects important patterns that characterize their movement.

A sample AIS message that is consumed by the patterns written for trajectory detection is:

```
"lat":2.541122,"lon":3.90484,"mmsi":14,"status":7,"speed":30,"turn":,"heading":36,"course":13,1,"t":1443650402
```

Trajectory detection creates a stream of important pattern of events that will be used from the complex event recognition system. Each such event is accompanied by the coordinates or some other characteristics of each corresponding vessel. At each class of trajectory events there is a message serializer class that serializes the accepted events and create another stream. These produced streams will either be used from the 2<sup>nd</sup> complex event recognition system or either they will be written on txt/csv files if there is no need to forward the stream to the 2<sup>nd</sup> monitoring system.

Below are described the trajectory events we have implemented.

## 1. Gaps in communication

System detects vessels which has communication gaps on sending AIS messages. We can define a gap as *“the absence of emitted AIS messages from a specific vessel for a specific period”*. In our approach, the ground truth of this time is 600 seconds . So, if the system won't receive an AIS message from a vessel between 600 seconds an its far away from a port (grid 1,2 km x 600,4m), this vessel is tagged as suspicious. This pattern characterized by the critical events “gap\_start” – “gap\_end”. Information about the geohash of ports has been fetched from database.

The flinkcep pattern is written bellow. As time window we have used 900 seconds. That all the continuous AIS messages have to differ 600 seconds in order to be detected from the pattern and the message gap must not exceed the value of 900. For larger windows we faced problem with the ram (heap exceeded).

Table 1: Gap Pattern

```
private static int gapTime=600;
private static int geoHashLen=6;
public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternGap(){
Pattern<AIS Message, ?> rendezvouzPattern = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("gap_start",
AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())
    .next("gap_end")
    .where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>())
@Override
public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception { for (AIS Message
ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("gap_start")) {
    if ((event.getT() - ev.getT()) > gapTime && (event.getT() - ev.getT()) > 0
        && listOfPorts.contains(GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(), event.getLon(), geoHashLen)) ==
false)
        {return true;
        }
    }.within(Time.seconds(1200));
```

## 2. Vessel speed according its type

In this case, the system detects vessels which have very small or very big speed for the vessel type. Each vessel type has its own min and max speeds defined, so in any case that a vessel overcomes these limits can be considered as an event worth recognizing. We obtained and store the information about the ship type of each vessel we have created a csv file which contains all vessel types and all the mmsis for each type (these data fetched from nari\_static table on database). For the maximum and minimum speed of each vessel type, there is also a csv file that contains max and min speed per vessel type. This file created from information that is available on web.

The flinkcep pattern is written bellow. As time window we have 30 seconds . That means at the time window of 30 seconds all the AIS messages comes from one mmsi have to satisfy the following conditions in order to be detected from the pattern.

Table 2: Too slow or too fast vessel pattern

```
public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternSpeedVesselType(){  
    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> spaciousSpeedPattern = Pattern.<AIS  
    Message>begin("speed_spacicious_start",  
  
    AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())  
    .followedBy("speed_spacicious_stop")  
    .where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {  
        public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {  
            for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("suspicious_heading_start")) {  
                String mmsi_ = String.valueOf(event.getMmsi());  
                String type="";  
                for (Object o : listOfVesselsType.keySet()) {  
                    if (Arrays.asList(listOfVesselsType.get(o)).contains(mmsi_))  
                        {  
                            type = o.toString();  
                        }  
                    }  
                }  
                if (type.equals("")==false) {  
                    String speed [] = listOfVesselsMaxMinSpeed.get(type);  
                    if ( ((event.getSpeed()<Float.valueOf(speed[0])) ||  
                        (event.getSpeed()>Float.valueOf(speed[1]))) && (event.getT() - ev.getT()) > 0) {  
  
                        return true;  
                    } else {  
                        .....  
                }  
            }  
        }  
    }).within(Time.seconds(30));
```

### 3. Adrift - Course of ground (COG) differentiates from the heading of a vessel

In this case, the system detects vessels with different heading and course. This can happen when there are extreme weather conditions and vessels are unable to follow the desired route. Heading describes the direction that a vessel is pointed at any time relative to the magnetic north pole or geographic north pole, of 511 degrees indicates noise. As such, a stationary vessel ex. a vessel which has been tied to a dock will have a heading associated with the vessel's orientation. COG describes the direction of motion with respect to the ground that a vessel has moved relative to the magnetic north pole or geographic north pole. An alert sign could be sent in this case. COG equals to 511 means unavailable gps, and these messages will be excluded. Accepted difference between heading and course over ground is every difference less than 10 degrees whereas suspicious can be considered every difference bigger than 10 and smaller than 60 degrees. At this case we also check the speed of a vessel, if the speed of the vessel is less than 1 KNOT it means that the vessel is anchored, and we do not accept those events. We care about vessels whose speed is between 1-48.6 KNOTS, this indicates that the vessel is under way. [1]

The flinkcep pattern is a simple condition and there is no window time.

Table 3: Heading and CoG pattern

```
static int minDiff=10;
static int maxDiff=60;
static double max_speed=48.6;
static double min_speed=1;
public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternSpaciousHeading(){
Pattern<AIS Message, ?> spaciousHeading = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("suspicious_heading_start")
    .where(new SimpleCondition<AIS Message>() {
        @Override
        public boolean filter(AIS Message event) throws Exception {
            float courseDiffToHead=(Math.abs(event.getHeading()-event.getCourse()));
            if (courseDiffToHead>minDiff && courseDiffToHead<maxDiff && event.getSpeed()>min_speed
                && event.getSpeed()<max_speed) {                return true;                .....
            }
        }
    }
}
```

#### 4. High speed near port

At this case system detects vessels whose speed is bigger than 5KNOTS, they are near ports (grid 1,2 km x 600,4m) and at least 10 consecutive messages of a vessel satisfy those conditions. From the moment that we identify this behavior, the program does not search for intermediate patterns and follows “*skip after match strategy*”. Ships that overcome these speed limits can be considered as an ongoing suspicious vessel following a dangerous route. Information about the geohash of ports has been fetched from database.

The flinkcep pattern is written bellow. As time window we have 600 seconds . That means at the time window of 600 seconds all the AIS messages from one mmsi, have to satisfy the following conditions in order to be detected from the pattern.

Table 4:High Speed near port

```
static int indexNearPorts=6;
static int maxSpeed=5;
static int patternTime=600;
static int patternTime=600; public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternSpeedNearPort(){
    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> fastForwardPattern = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("acceleration_start",
    AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())
        .where(new SimpleCondition<AIS Message>() {
            @Override
            public boolean filter(AIS Message event) throws Exception {
                if (listOfPorts.contains(GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(), event.getLon(),
indexNearPorts))== true
                    && event.getSpeed()>maxSpeed) {
                    return true;
                }return false;
            }}).times(10)
        .consecutive()
        .within(Time.seconds(patternTime));
```

## 5. Long Term Stop

Long-Term stop is only triggered if the vessel is noticed to move slowly after a pause. Pause means that vessel's speed is less than 1KNOT. [1] If the next M messages, within 200 seconds are inside a predefined area (grid 1,2 km x 600,4m) , a long term stop is identified. More specifically, this pattern first detects vessels whose speed is smaller than 1KNOT and far away from ports (grid 1,2 km x 600,4m). After check if the detected vessels don't change their speed more than 2 KNOTS within 1800 seconds and they send AIS messages inside an area (grid 1,2 km x 600,4m), means they haven't moved away. Information about the geohash of ports has been fetched from database.

The flinkcep pattern is written bellow. As time window we have 7200 seconds . That means at the time window of 7200 seconds all the AIS messages from one mmsi have to satisfy the following conditions in order to be detected from the pattern.

Table 5: Long Term Stop

```
public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternLongStop() {

    int longterm = 3600;

    int time_window=7200;

    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> LongTermStopPattern = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("start",
    AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())

        .next("stop")

        .where(new SimpleCondition<AIS Message>() {

            @Override

            public boolean filter(AIS Message event) throws Exception {

                if((event.getSpeed() <1 && listOfPorts.contains(GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),
event.getLon(), 8)) == false)){

                    String geoHash1=GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),8);

                    return true;

                }

                return false;

            }

        })

        .followedBy("stop_ends")

        .where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {

            @Override

            public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {
```



```

for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("stop")) {
    if ( ev.getMmsi() == event.getMmsi()) {
        String geoHash1=GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),6);
        String geoHash2=GeoHash.encodeHash(ev.getLat(),ev.getLon(),6);
        if((geoHash1.equals(geoHash2)) && (event.getSpeed()<2) && ev.getSpeed()<2 &&
(Math.abs(event.getT() - ev.getT()) > 1800)){
            return true;
        }
        else{
            return false;
        }
    }.within(Time.seconds(time_window));
    ....
    return false;  })

```

## 6. Vessels with false status

The dataset contains vessels with wrong status for example vessels with speed more than 5KNOTS and status moored or at anchor (status =1, status=5). Those ships could be identified as noise.

The flinkcep pattern is a simple condition and there is no window time.

Table 6: Vessels with false status

```
public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternFalseType() {  
  
    Pattern<AIS Message, AIS Message> alarmPattern = Pattern.<AIS  
Message>begin("first")  
  
    .where(new SimpleCondition<AIS Message>()) {  
  
        @Override  
  
        public boolean filter(AIS Message event) {  
  
            if ((event.getStatus() == 1 || event.getStatus() == 5)) {  
  
                if (event.getSpeed() > 5) {  
  
                    return true;  
  
                } else  
  
                    return false;  
  
                .....  
  
            };
```

## 5. Complex event

Complex event Recognition module consumes the output of the Trajectory detection module process the results and recognize in real time potentially complex maritime situations. Below will be described some patterns used for complex event recognition. For some of them, two monitoring systems needed. The 1<sup>st</sup> system for the trajectory events that are analyzed at the previous section and the 2<sup>nd</sup> one for combining these events to detect more complex patterns.

### 1. Two vessels co-travelling

The pattern, checks that the AIS messages from 2 different vessels are between a time period of 15 seconds . The pattern will detect events that happened closely in the time dimension. Next thing that will be checked is if the ships are on route and not paused. The speed of the vessel should be bigger than 1KNOT (trajectory event - 1 KNOT is the minimum speed of a vessel that isn't in anchor). [1] At the end, the geohash of the 2 vessels will be checked, ensuring by that, that the two vessels were located in the same grid. The precision of geohash is 6 (grid: 1.2 km x 600m). Two vessels seem to cotravel if they are close enough (grid: 1.2 km x 600m) for more than 180 seconds. This pattern characterized from events “vessel\_1” – “vessel\_2”.

In the end, all the detected patterns will be inserted into a kafka topic and will be given as input stream at the 2<sup>nd</sup> online monitoring system “cep\_flincep” to detect the desired events.

In order to make the second job more efficient, we decided to insert the id of the vessel that is the smallest between mmsi 1 and 2 as MMSI\_1 and to collect all the events per vessel. With that, instead of search through all the accepted events we will consider only the pairs that at least one of the MMSI does not change.

As time window we have used 35 seconds for the 1<sup>st</sup> pattern and 300 seconds for the 2<sup>nd</sup>. 35 seconds of the 1<sup>st</sup> pattern means all the AIS messages (for all vessels) in a time window of 35 seconds should be at the same geohash in order to be detected from the system. The second pattern checks that vessels emitted from the first pattern, follow the following rules:

- Two different messages for two different ships that co-exist in the same grid must at worst be differentiated by a margin of 35 seconds.
- Going backwards to the accepted messages following the first rule, we check whether those messages surpass in total the 180 seconds margin. Base event is considered the latest, and we move iteratively backwards until we find a series of messages that the difference between an event and the base event is more than 180 seconds.
- All this should happen between 300 seconds.

The 1<sup>st</sup> pattern is :

Table 7: Cotravel for 2 vessels pattern – trajectory events

```
static int minSpeed=1;

static int geoHashLength=6;

static int timeBetweenVesselsMsgs=15;

public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternCoTravel(){

    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> coTravelPattern = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("vessel_1")

    .subtype(AIS Message.class)

    .followedBy("vessel_2")

    .subtype(AIS Message.class)

    .where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {

        @Override

        public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {

            for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("vessel_1")) {

                if(ev.getSpeed()>minSpeed

                && event.getSpeed()>minSpeed

                && ev.getMmsi()!=event.getMmsi()){

                    String geoHash1=

                        GeoHash.encodeHash(ev.getLat(),ev.getLon(),geoHashLength);

                    String geoHash2=

                        GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),geoHashLength);

                    if(geoHash1.equals(geoHash2)==true){

                        return true;

                    }else{return false;

                    }.....

                    .within(Time.seconds(timeBetweenVesselsMsgs));

                }

            }

        }

    })

}
```

The 2<sup>nd</sup> pattern is:

Table 8: Cotravel for 2 vessels pattern – complex events

```
static int coTravelTime=35;

static int coTravellingTotalTime=180;

Pattern<CoTravelInfo, ?> coTravelPattern =
Pattern.<CoTravelInfo>begin("msg_1",AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())

.subtype(CoTravelInfo.class)

.oneOrMore()

.followedBy("msg_2")

.where(new IterativeCondition<CoTravelInfo>() {

@Override

public boolean filter(CoTravelInfo event, Context<CoTravelInfo> ctx) throws Exception{

    int base = event.getTimestamp();

    int currTime = event.getTimestamp();

    List<CoTravelInfo> l = Lists.newArrayList(ctx.getEventsForPattern("msg_1"));

    for (CoTravelInfo ev : Lists.reverse(l)) {

        if ((currTime - ev.getTimestamp()) < coTravelTime) {

            if (event.getMmsi_2() == ev.getMmsi_2()) {

                if ((base - ev.getTimestamp()) > coTravellingTotalTime) {

                    return true;

                } else {

                    currTime = ev.getTimestamp();

                } } } else {

                return false;

            } } } }

}.....

.within(Time.seconds(300));
```

## 2. Fishing Activity

This pattern combines two trajectory events in order to detect a complex event. Specifically, it checks the sequence of continuous changes of the heading (changes between 15 and 60 degrees) , followed by a gap in communication (600 seconds ) and a final turn in the end (change between 15 and 60 degrees). This can be considered as an alert sign for illegal fishing. The captain checks the area and afterwards closes its GPS. At that point the system will check just the events that have been characterized by the tag “gap\_start” – “gap\_end” in order to detect some more changes in heading of the vessels. The trajectory events of heading change and gap in communication have been already analyzed.

The.flinkcep pattern is written bellow. As time window we have used 1200 seconds . That means at the time window of 1200 seconds the AIS messages from one mmsi have to satisfy the following conditions in order to be detected from the pattern.

Table 9: Fishing pattern

```
static int headingChangeMin=15;
static int headingChangeMax=60;
static int gapTime=600;
public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternFishing(){
    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> fishingPattern = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("start")
.subtype(AIS Message.class)
.followedBy("gap_start")
.subtype(AIS Message.class)
.where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {
    @Override
public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {
    for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("start")) {
        if(Math.abs(ev.getHeading()-event.getHeading())>headingChange)
        {return true;
        }else{
            return false;..... }}
.subtype(AIS Message.class)
.followedBy("gap_end")
.subtype(AIS Message.class)
}
```

```

.where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {
    @Override
    public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {
        for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("gap_start")) {
            if((event.getT()-ev.getT())>gapTime){
                return true;
            }else{
                return false; }}
        return false;}})
.followedBy("change in heading again")
.subtype(AIS Message.class)
.where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {
    @Override
    public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {
        for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("gap_end")) {
            if(Math.abs(ev.getHeading()-event.getHeading())>headingChange){
                return true;
            }else{
                return false; }}
        return false;}})
        .within(Time.seconds(600));

```

### 3. Vessel Rendezvous

The pattern, checks that the AIS messages from 2 different vessels if they have gap in their communication are in the same geohash grid. The precision of geohash is 6 (grid: 1,2 km x 600,4m). The information about the geohash of each vessel is given by the previous pattern “gap-communication” whose outcome is used as input stream in this pattern. Two vessels may have arranged a rendezvous while on the sea, when they have both gap in their communication at the same time as long as they are at the same geohash grid.

This pattern characterized from events “vessel\_1” – “vessel\_2”.

The flinkcep patterns are written bellow. As time window we have used 900 seconds for the 1<sup>st</sup> pattern and 120 seconds for the 2<sup>nd</sup>. 900 seconds of the 1<sup>st</sup> pattern means all the continuous AIS messages of a mmsi have to differ 600 seconds in order to be detected. With the second pattern, we aim to identify vessels that their gap end event differs at most to 120 seconds.



The 1<sup>st</sup> pattern is:

Table 10: Vessel Rendezvous pattern - trajectory events

```
private static int gapTime=600;

private static int geoHashLen=6;

public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternGap(){

    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> rendezvousPattern = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("gap_start",
    AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())

        .followedBy("gap_end")

        .where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>()

@Override

public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception { for (AIS
Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("gap_start")) {

    if ((event.getT() - ev.getT()) > gapTime && (event.getT() - ev.getT()) > 0

        && listOfPorts.contains(GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(), event.getLon(), geoHashLen)) ==
false)

    {

        return true;

    }

    .....

}).within(Time.seconds(1200));
```

The 2<sup>nd</sup> pattern is:

Table 11: Vessel Rendezvous pattern - complex events

```
public static int gapTime=120;  
public static Pattern<GapMessage, ?> patternRendezvous(){  
    Pattern<GapMessage, ?> rendezvousPattern =  
Pattern.<GapMessage>begin("Vessel_1")  
.subtype(GapMessage.class)  
.followedBy("Vessel_2")  
.subtype(GapMessage.class)  
.where(new IterativeCondition<GapMessage>() {  
    @Override  
public boolean filter(GapMessage event, Context<GapMessage> ctx) throws Exception {  
    for (GapMessage ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("Vessel_1")) {  
        if ((ev.getGeoHash().equals(event.getGeoHash())) == true)  
            && ev.getMmsi()!=event.getMmsi()) {  
                return true;  
            } else { return false;  
        }}  
    return false;}}  
.within(Time.seconds(gapTime));
```

#### 4. Adrift

The pattern, detects vessels that may have a problematic route. The vessels checked at this pattern are already detected as vessels with suspicious difference between heading and course of ground.

As far as the second pattern is concerned, the following prerequisites must be met:

- Two consecutive messages for a vessel must be on a time range of 20 seconds.
- Going backwards to the accepted messages following the first rule, we check whether those messages surpass in total the 180 seconds margin. Base event is considered the latest, and we move iteratively backwards until we find a series of messages that the difference between an event and the base event is more than 120 seconds.
- All this should happen between 240 seconds.

The 1<sup>st</sup> pattern is:

Table 12: Big difference between heading and course – trajectory event

```
static int minDiff=10;

static int maxDiff=60;

static double max_speed=48.6;

static double min_speed=1;

public static Pattern<AIS Message, ?> patternSpaciousHeading(){

    Pattern<AIS Message, ?> spaciousHeading = Pattern.<AIS
    Message>begin("suspicious_heading_start")

        .where(new SimpleCondition<AIS Message>() {

            @Override

            public boolean filter(AIS Message event) throws Exception {

                float courseDiffToHead=(Math.abs(event.getHeading()-event.getCourse()));

                if (courseDiffToHead>minDiff && courseDiffToHead<maxDiff &&
event.getSpeed()>min_speed

                    && event.getSpeed()<max_speed) {

                        return true;

                    } else {

                        return false; .....
```

The 2<sup>nd</sup> pattern is:

Table 13: Problematic route - complex events

```
static int messagesTimeGap=20;

static int problematicRouteTime=120;

public static Pattern<courseHead, ?> patternSpaciousHeading(){

    Pattern<courseHead, ?> spaciousHeading =
Pattern.<courseHead>begin("suspicious_heading_start", AfterMatchSkipStrategy.skipPastLastEvent())

    .oneOrMore()

    .followedBy("suspicious_heading_stop")

    .where(new IterativeCondition<courseHead>() {

        @Override

        public boolean filter(courseHead event, Context<courseHead> ctx) throws Exception {

            int base = event.getTimestamp();

            int currTime = event.getTimestamp();

            List<courseHead> l =
Lists.newArrayList(ctx.getEventsForPattern("suspicious_heading_start"));

            for (courseHead ev : Lists.reverse(l)) {

                if ((currTime - ev.getTimestamp()) < messagesTimeGap) {

                    if ((base - ev.getTimestamp()) > problematicRouteTime) {

                        return true;

                    } else {

                        currTime = ev.getTimestamp();

                    }

                } else {

                    return false; .....

                }

            }

        }

    }).within(Time.seconds(240));
```

## 5. Package Picking

This pattern detects possible interaction between two vessels. A possible interaction is when one of them drops a package at some area and another vessel appears later in order to pick it up. By joining the previous long stop events using geohash area (grid: 1,2 km x 600,4m) we find ships that have long stops in the same area where the package picking is possible. As described before the ships should be away from ports. The timestamp between the vessels to be in the same geohash area is 60seconds .

The flinkcep patterns are written bellow. As time window we have used 3600 seconds . That means at the time window of 3600 seconds the AIS messages satisfy the following conditions in order to be detected from the pattern.

```
Pattern<SuspiciousLongStop, ?> alarmPattern = Pattern.<SuspiciousLongStop>begin("first")

    .where(new SimpleCondition<SuspiciousLongStop>() {

@Override

public boolean filter(SuspiciousLongStop suspiciousLongStop) throws Exception {

    if(suspiciousLongStop.getMmsi(>0) {

        return true; }else{

        return false; }}})

.followedBy("picking")

.where(new IterativeCondition<SuspiciousLongStop>() {

@Override

public boolean filter(SuspiciousLongStop event, Context<SuspiciousLongStop> ctx) throws Exception {

    String geoHash1= GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),6);

    for (SuspiciousLongStop ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("first")) {

        if ( ev.getMmsi() != event.getMmsi()) {

            String geoHash2=GeoHash.encodeHash(ev.getLat(),ev.getLon(),6);

            if((geoHash1.equals(geoHash2)) && (event.getGapEnd() - ev.getGapEnd())<60){

                return true; }

            else{return false; }}}) .....

.within(Time.seconds(3600));
```

## 6. Loitering

Loitering is the act of remaining in a particular area for a long period without purpose. Vessels with low speed, anchored or moored must be filtered out. If the messages from a single vessel are in the same area for 1800 seconds (loitering time , Ltrtime) this vessel is considered to be loitering. So firstly detects vessels that are far away from ports (grid: 1,2 km x 600,4m) with speed bigger than 2.87 KNOTS and smaller than 8 KNOTS and after check id this vessel remain at the same area. Information about the geohash of ports has been fetched from database. [1]

The flinkcep patterns are written bellow. No pattern window is applied we simply search for vessels for loitering. Optional time window would be 3600 (1 hour)

```
Pattern<AIS Message, ?> Loitering = Pattern.<AIS Message>begin("stop")
```

```
.subtype(AIS Message.class)
```

```
.where(new SimpleCondition<AIS Message>() {
```

```
    @Override
```

```
    public boolean filter(AIS Message event) throws Exception {
```

```
        boolean near_ports = false;
```

```
        for(String str: Ports) {
```

```
            String ship_geohash = GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),6);
```

```
            if(str.equals(ship_geohash))
```

```
                near_ports = true;
```

```
        }
```

```
        if((event.getSpeed() >2.87 && near_ports == false)){
```

```
            if(event.getSpeed() < 8){
```

```
                String geohash1=GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),6);
```

```
                return true;}
```

```
            else{
```

```
                return false;
```

```
            ..... })
```

```
.followedByAny("stop_ends")
```

```
.where(new IterativeCondition<AIS Message>() {
```

```
    @Override
```

```
    public boolean filter(AIS Message event, Context<AIS Message> ctx) throws Exception {
```

```
        for (AIS Message ev : ctx.getEventsForPattern("stop")) {
```

```
            String geoHash1=GeoHash.encodeHash(event.getLat(),event.getLon(),6)
```

```
            if ( ev.getMmsi() == event.getMmsi()) {
```

```
                String geoHash2=GeoHash.encodeHash(ev.getLat(),ev.getLon(),6);
```

```
                if((geoHash1.equals(geoHash2)) && ev.getSpeed()< 8 && (event.getSpeed()< 8 && (event.getT()-ev.getT())>Itrtime))){
```

```
                    if(event.getSpeed()>2.87 && ev.getSpeed() > 2.87){
```

```
                        return true;
```

```
                    }
```



## 6. Producer of AIS messages for the kafka topic

The AIS messages are fetched from database with a python script and after given as input at a kafka topic. The python script is inside the path flinkcep/producer and the script is :AIS .py. Running the script kafka topic's name should be defined.

## 7. Watermark Pattern

We take care of the time in our events by introducing the watermark functionality. Watermark is the assigning of a timestamp into an event by using one of its fields instead of using the time that the event was consumed by the system.

Thus, the following implementation is made to retrieve and assign the timestamp of the ais message to the event.

We also extended this functionality to the second project. We wanted also there to have events based on event time and not on the system time. The only variation with respect to the first project is that we use a different field for time extraction.

Table 14: Watermark pattern

```
DataStream<AIS Message> messageStream = env .addSource(new  
FlinkKafkaConsumer09<>(  
    parameterTool.getRequired("INPUT"),new AIS MessageDeserializer(),props))  
    .assignTimestampsAndWatermarks(new Watermarks());
```

## 8. Running Apache Flink Jobs

As analyzed before system consists of 2 projects. For each project there is a different job running on flinkcep. For each job there are different patterns that are checked. The following screenshots show a sample execution of them. The system is running for 1h 48 min, that means system receives AIS messages for 1h 48 min. During this period of time, system detects trajectory and complex events.

You can check how long the job runs as long as the number of events which has been detected.

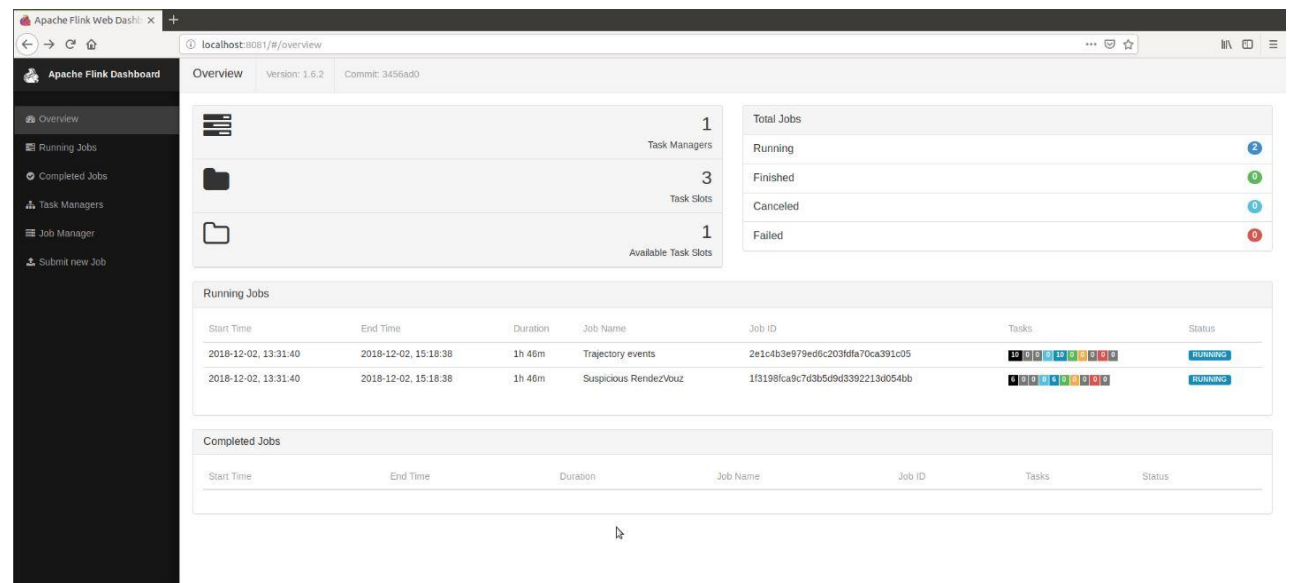


Figure 39: Two jobs are running: trajectory and complex events

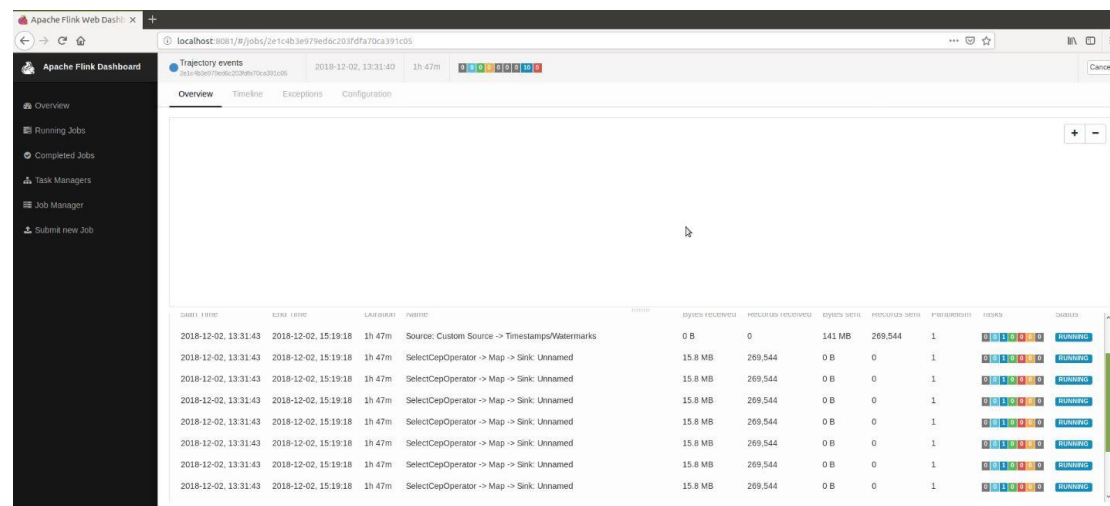


Figure 40: Patterns for job Id: trajectory event (part a)

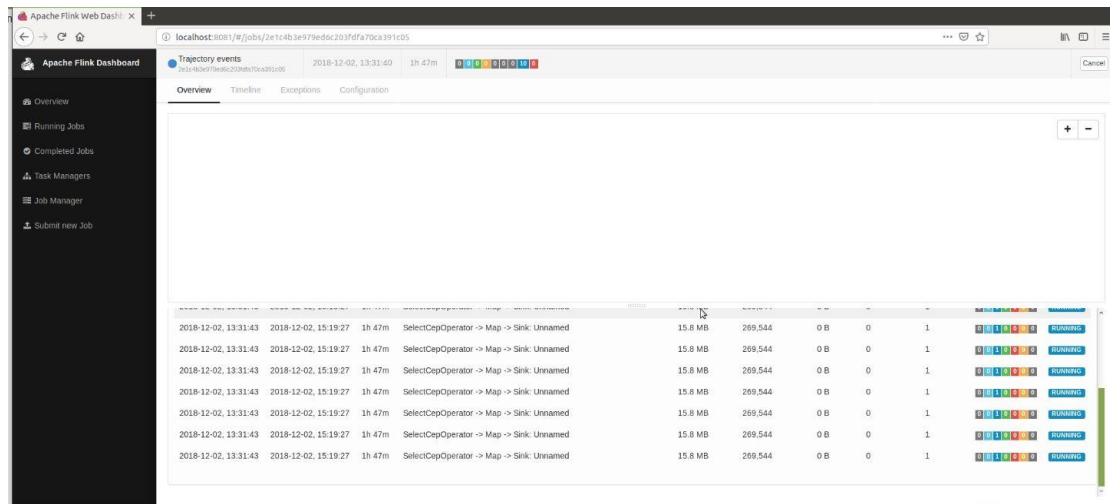


Figure 41: Patterns for job Id: trajectory event (part b)

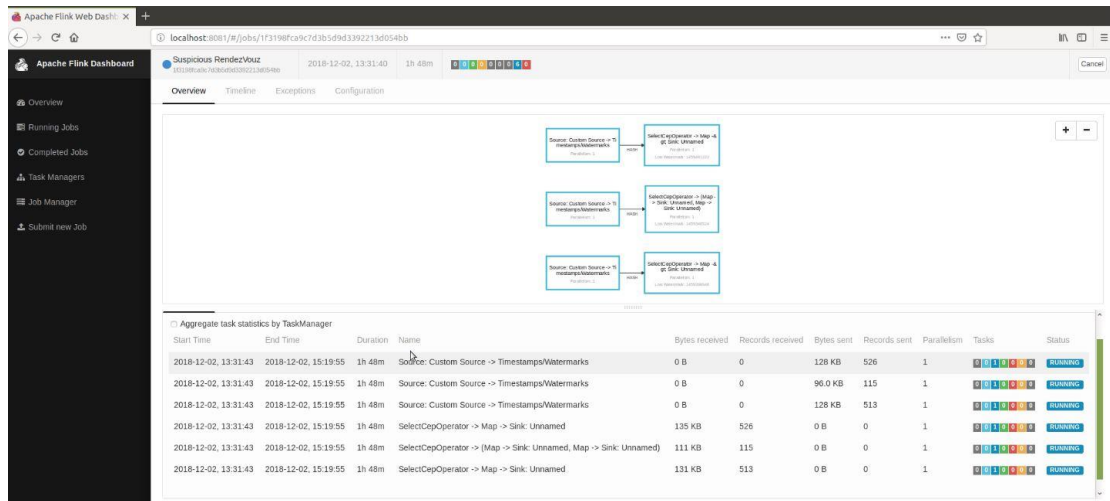


Figure 42: Patterns for job Id: complex event

At this job, which takes as input the output of the 1<sup>st</sup> job the acyclic graphs are shown, consisting of streams and transformation operators. Each graph starts with one source and end in one sink.

## 9. Outcomes of the running jobs

All the above patterns, while running they write their results (information about the detected events) into .txt files at the path /Desktop/temp. After that, some python scripts will be executed (at the path /conver\_txt\_to\_csv ) for parsing these .txt files and make .csv files which contain just the values of fields that are needed to make visualizations on qgis.

The .txt files are listed below:

- speed\_near\_port.txt, fishing.txt, false\_speed.txt, loitering.txt, longstop.txt, packages.txt, rendezvous.txt, cotravel.txt, coursehead.txt, suspicious\_speed.txt

The scripts used for these files are:

files	script
coursehead.txt	decode.py
cotravel.txt	decode5.py
loitering.txt	decode1.py
Packages.txt	decode2.py
rendezvous.txt	decode3.py
speed_near_port.txt	decode6.py
fishing.txt	decode4.py

## 10. Empirical Evaluation

Changing the values on mobility tracking parameters eg: seconds of gap in communication, seconds of gap in a suspected fishing etc we can see that the number of events that are detected changes dramatically. Doing some tests with 1.000.000 AIS messages, we conclude at the below results. Due to the fact that some patterns required excessive amount of memory, affected the pattern processing and slow down the whole process. The selection below are for patterns whose output was emitted in a reasonable time for the above amount of AIS messages. We decided to use as parameters values these that were giving us more realistic results (the bold values).

The below results came after running the monitoring system for **1.000.000** ais messages.

### Rendezvous

GeoHash	Detected events
5 <i>4.9km x 4.9km</i>	476
6 <b><i>1.2km x 609.4m</i></b>	432
<b>7</b> <i>152m x 152m</i>	<b>195</b>
8 <i>38.2m x 19m</i>	58

### Illegal Fishing

Seconds of gap in a suspected fishing activity(max 1200)	Detected illegal fishing events
300	16
<b>600</b>	<b>10</b>
900	9
1200	8

### Speed near port

GeoHash for near port	Detected events
5 <i>4.9km x 4.9km</i>	1545
<b>6</b> <b><i>1.2km x 609.4m</i></b>	<b>41</b>
7 <i>152m x 152m</i>	0
8 <i>38.2m x 19m</i>	0

## 11. Visualization of the detected events

The below pictures come from QGIS framework using the .csv files with the several complex or trajectory events. These visualizations represent the detected patterns using the bold empirical values on patterns (see previous Section). These are also the values that are written at the patterns' description on this report.

### 1. Cotraveling activity

The involved mmsis at this plot are 7: 227730220,227005550, 28051000,356101000,227004390,235095836,244740921 and the pattern is the one described at the complex event section.



Figure 43: Cotraveling activity (a)

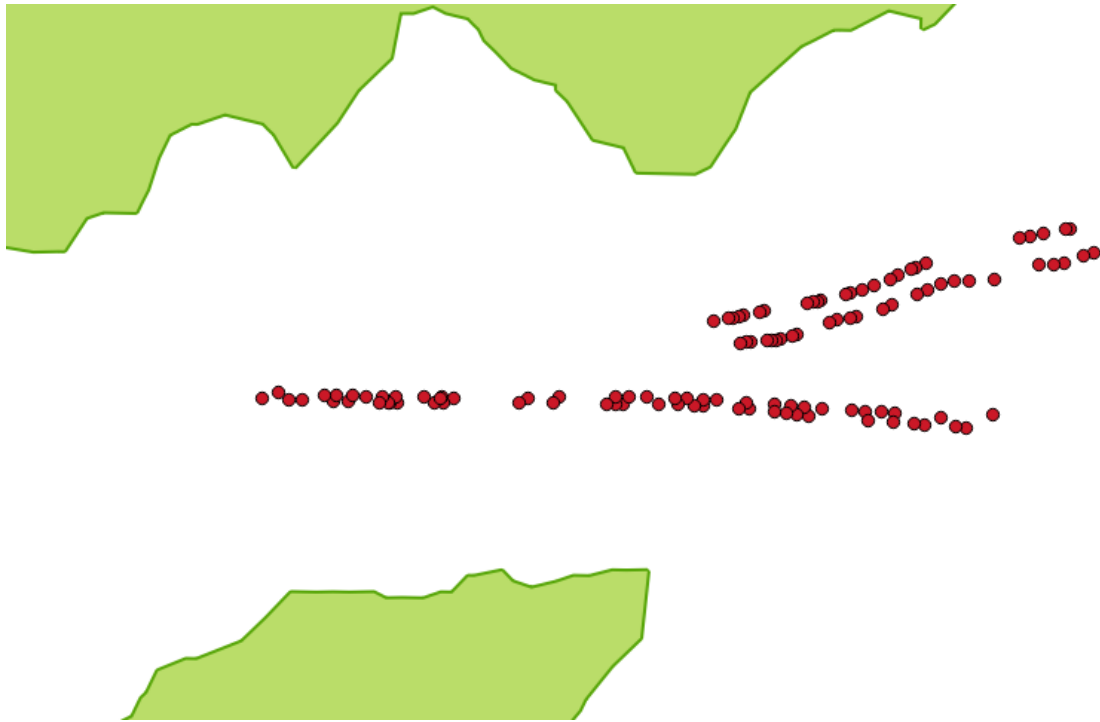


Figure 44: Cotraveling activity with zoom

## 2. Loitering activity

The involved mmsi at this plot is 1: 228037700 and the pattern is the one described at the section of trajectory events.



Figure 45: Loitering activity

3.     Adrift activity

The involved mmsi at this plot is 1: 228064900 and the pattern is the one described at the complex events section.



Figure 46: Adrift activity



#### 4. High speed near port

The first plot has as geohash index 6 (1.2 km x 609.4 m near port) and the involved mmsis are 6: 227577000, 227002330, 228051000, 246254000, 227730220, 227005550. The detected events at this case are 41.

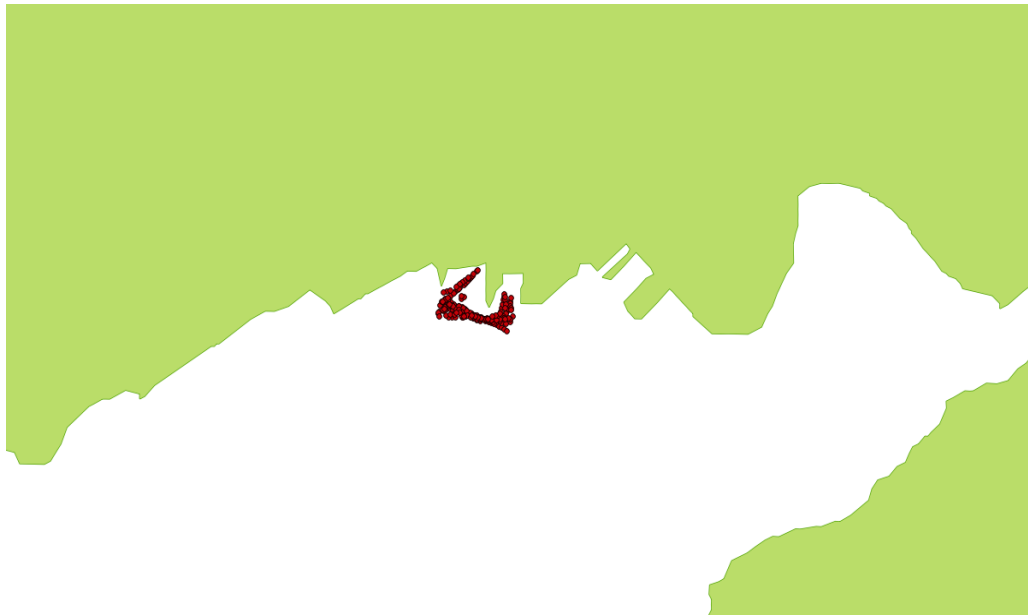


Figure 47: High speed near port, grid of 1.2km x 609.4m

The second plot has as geohash index 5 (4.9 km x 4.9km near port) and the involved mmsis are 108. The detected events at this case are 1545.



Figure 48: High speed near port, grid of 4.9km x 4.9km (1545 detected events)

As we can see the vessels that detected at 2<sup>nd</sup> case are also detected at the 1<sup>st</sup>. Using bigger grid as accepted distance more vessels will be detected. Events that have been detected in distance\_a are also detected in distance\_b where distance\_a ≤ distance\_b. We decided to choose the 1<sup>st</sup> case.

## 5. Fishing activity

The blue points on the plot used to describe the case of 300 secs as gap of communication and the involved mmsis are 11: ['228929000', '227003050', '228160000', '226177000', '228017700', '228213700', '227142200', '227318010', '227008170', '228064900', '227300000']. The detected events at this case are 16.

The purple points on the plot used to describe the case of 600 seconds as gap in communication and the involved mmsis are 7: ['227003050', '228160000', '228017700', '228213700', '227142200', '227318010', '227008170']. The detected events at this case are 10.

We can see that the 10 detected events on the 2<sup>nd</sup> case (600 secs) are also detected in the 1<sup>st</sup> case (300 secs – 16 events).

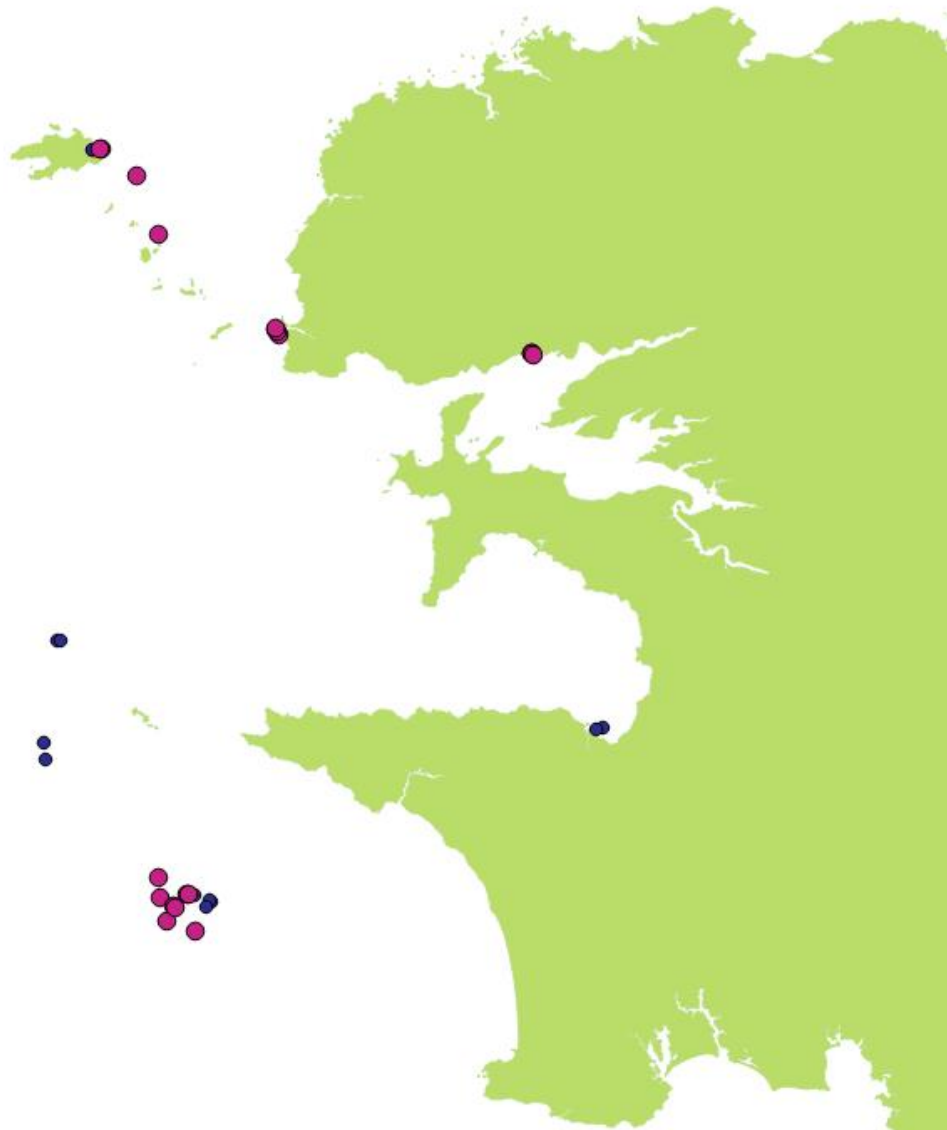


Figure 49: Fishing activity, 300 – 600 seconds gap in communication (blue:300 secs, purple:600 secs)

The black points on the plot used to describe the case of 900 secs as gap of communication and the involved mmsis are 6: ['227003050', '228160000', '228017700', '227142200', '227318010', '227008170']. The detected events at this case are 9.

The purple points on the plot used to describe the case of 600 secs gap in communication (10 detected events).

We can see that the 9 detected events on the 2<sup>nd</sup> case (900 secs) are also detected in the 1<sup>st</sup> case (600 secs – 10 events).

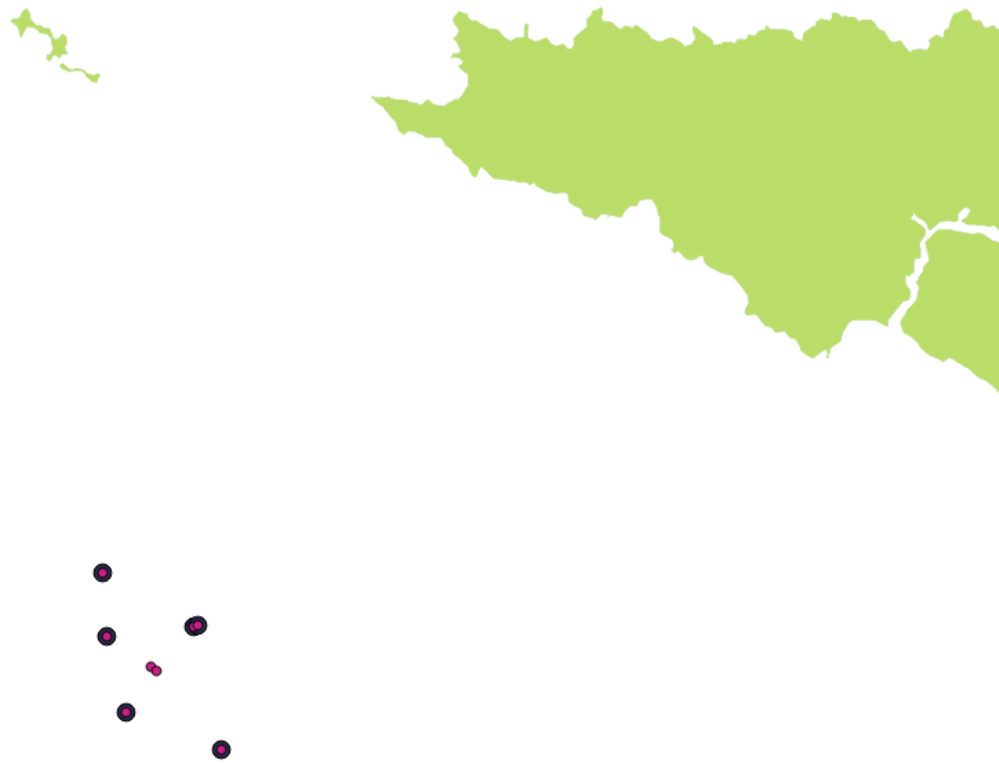


Figure 50: Fishing activity, 600 – 900 seconds gap in communication (purple:600 secs, black:900 secs)

The green points on the plot used to describe the case of 1200 secs of gap in communication and the involved mmsis are 5: ['228160000', '227008170', '227003050', '227318010', '228017700']. The detected events at this case are 8.

The black points on the plot used to describe the case of 900 secs of gap in communication (9 detected events).

We can see that the 8 detected events on the 2<sup>nd</sup> case (1200 secs) are also detected in the 1<sup>st</sup> case (900 secs – 9 events).

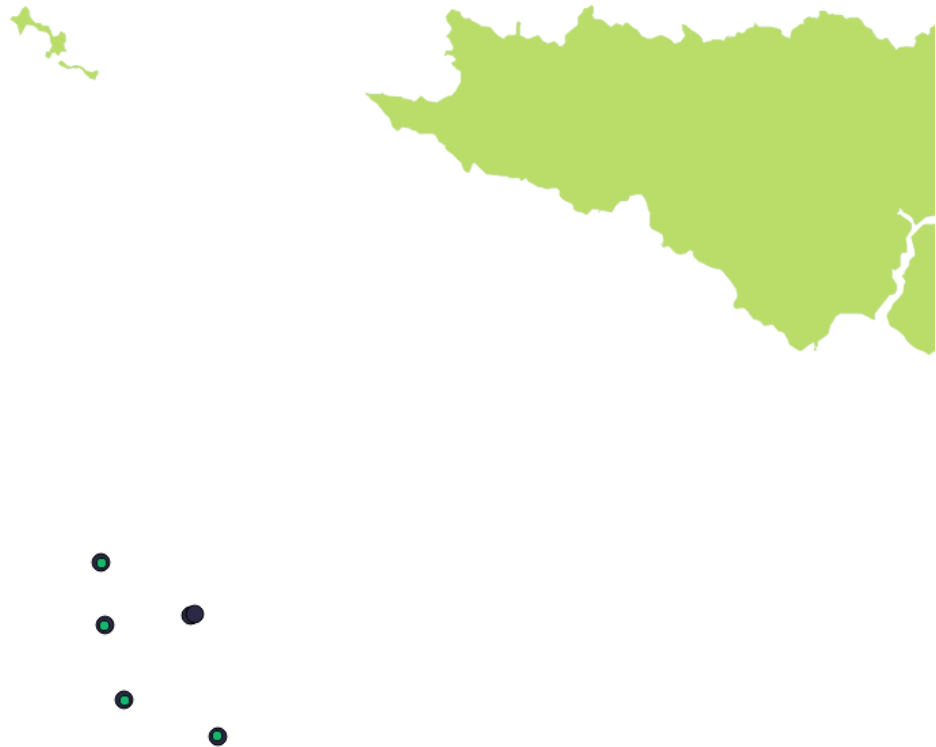


Figure 51: Fishing activity, 900 - 1200 seconds gap in communication (green:1200 secs, black:900 secs)

In other words, increasing the seconds, the pattern detects less events. Events that have been detected in sec\_b are also detected in sec\_a where  $\text{sec\_a} \leq \text{sec\_b}$ . We decided to use 600 secs (2<sup>nd</sup> case).

6. Vessels rendezvous

The blue points on the plot used to describe the case of 4.9km x 4.9km as grid and the involved mmsis are 209. The detected events at this case are 476.

The purple points on the plot used to describe the case of 1.2km x 609.4m as grid and the involved mmsis are 179. The detected events at this case are 432.

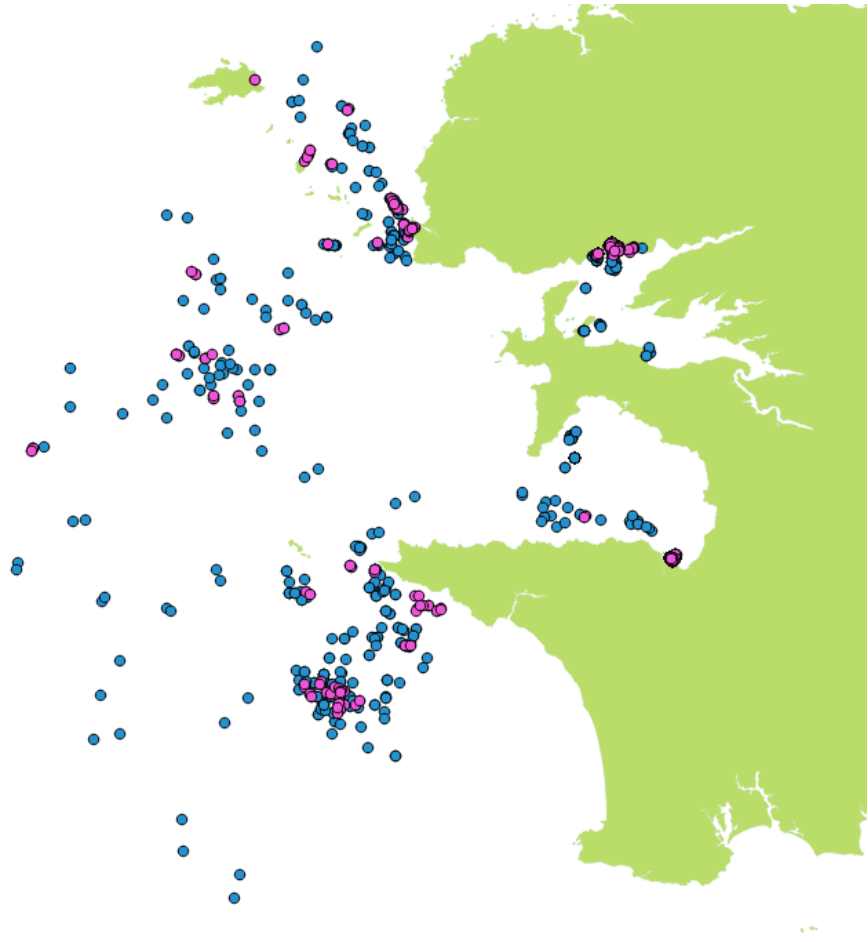


Figure 52: Vessels Rendezvous (blue: grid of 4.9km x 4.9km , purple: grid 1.2km x 609.4m)

The black points on the plot used to describe the case of 152m x 152m as grid and the involved mmsis are 101. The detected events at this case are 195.

The purple points on the plot used to describe the case of 1.2km x 609.4m as grid (432 detected events).

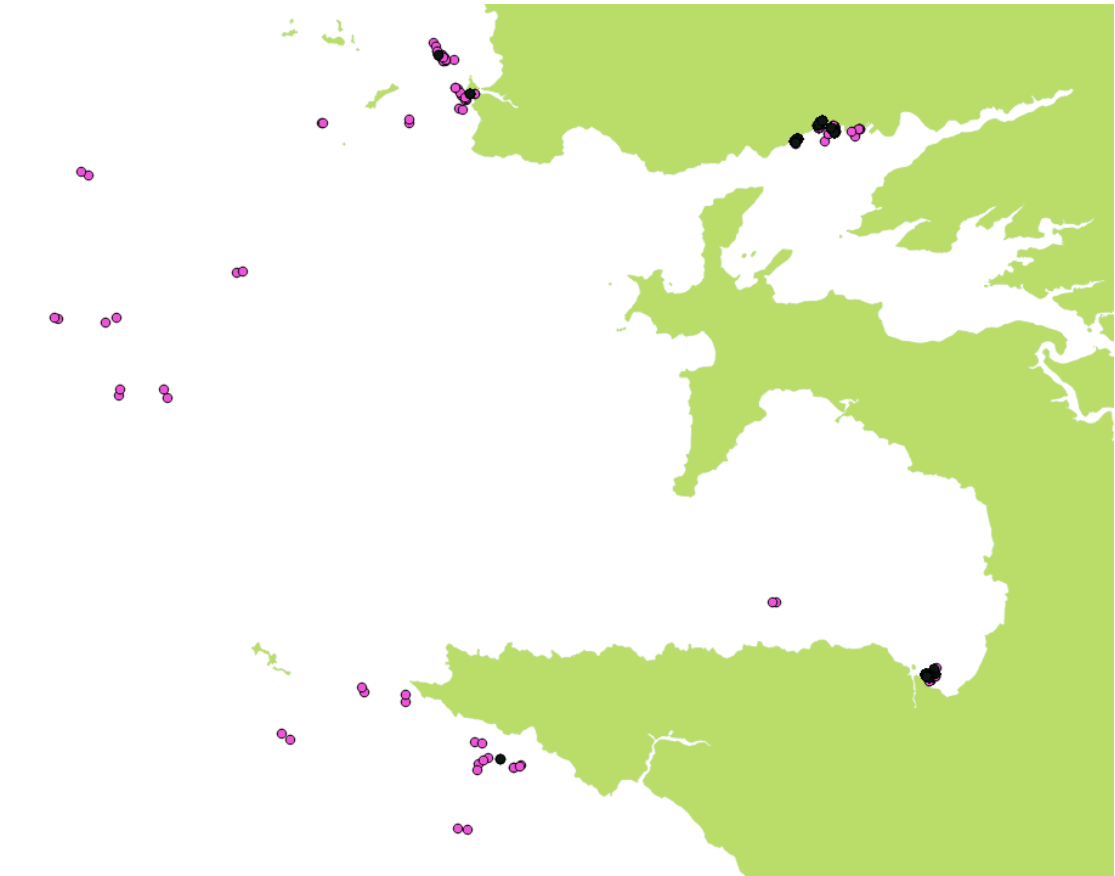


Figure 53: Vessels Rendezvous (black: grid of 152 m x 152m , purple: grid 1.2km x 609.4m)

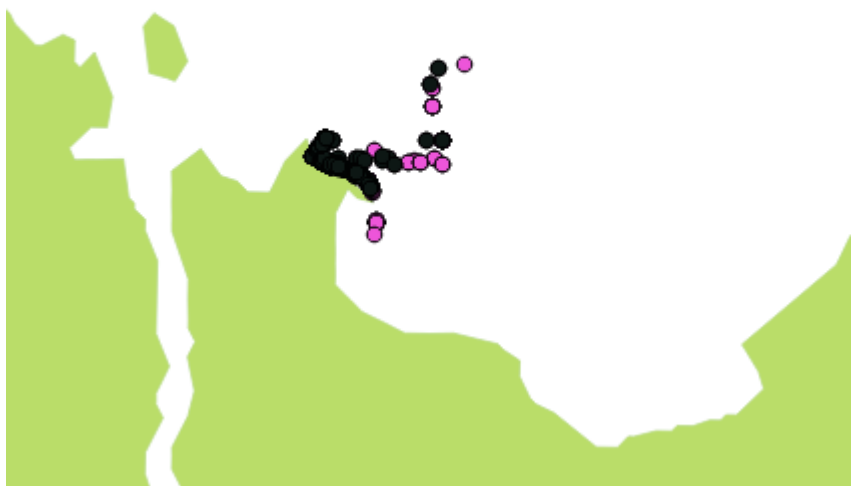


Figure 54: Vessels Rendezvous (black: grid of 152 m x 152m , purple: grid 1.2km x 609.4m) with zoom

The yellow points on the plot used to describe the case of 38.2m x 19m as grid and the involved mmsis are 40. The detected events at this case are 58.

The black points on the plot used to describe the case of 152m x 152m as grid (195 detected events).



Figure 55: Vessels Rendezvous (black: grid of 152 m x 152m , yellow: grid 38,2 m x 19m)

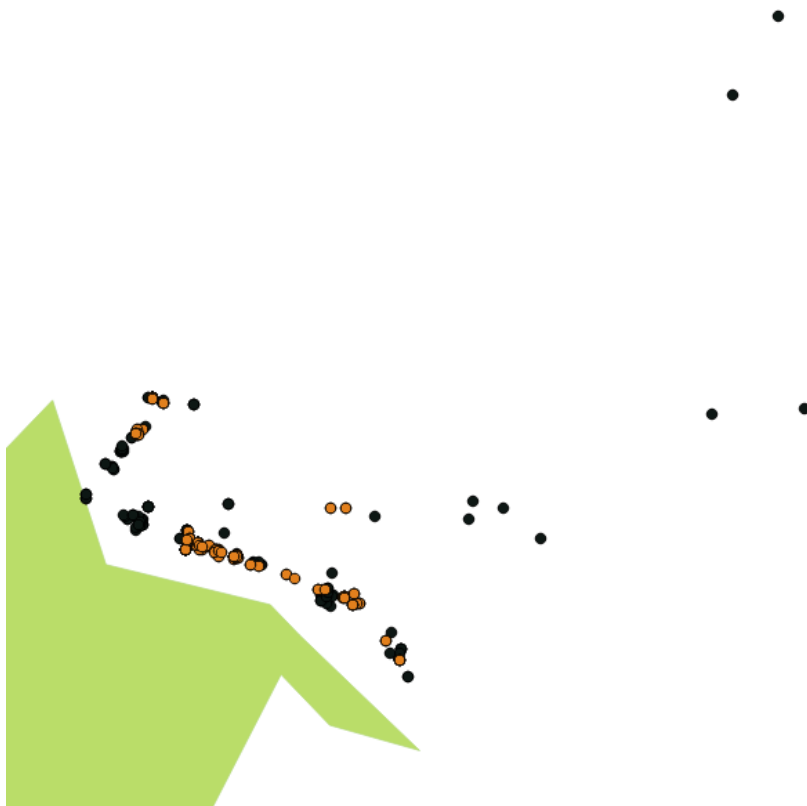


Figure 56: Vessels Rendezvous (black: grid of 152 m x 152m , yellow: grid 38,2 m x 19m) with zoom





Figure 57: Vessels Rendezvous with zoom for all different grid values

## 12. Running commands

First you need to run 3 servers: flink cluster server, zookeeper and kafka server. The next step is to create 4 topics on kafka. Also, there are 2 java projects that will run and one python script which will be used as producer for the main topic of the system (the one contains AIS messages).

The commands you need to execute are described below:

- ***\$ flink\_1.6.2/bin/start-cluster.sh***
  - start the cluster of flink
  - Check that server is running on <http://localhost:8081/#/overview>
- ***\$ kafka2.2/bin/zookeeper-server-start.sh config/zookeeper.properties***
- ***\$ kafka2.2/bin/kafka-server-start.sh config/server.properties***
  - Start the kafka and zookeeper servers
- ***\$ kafka2.2/bin/kafka-topics.sh --create --zookeeper localhost:2181 --replication-factor 1 partitions 1 --topic AIS***
- ***\$ kafka2.2/bin/kafka-topics.sh --create --zookeeper localhost:2181 --replication-factor 1 --partitions 1 --topic OUT\_GAP***
- ***\$ kafka2.2/bin/kafka-topics.sh --create --zookeeper localhost:2181 --replication-factor 1 --partitions 1 --topic OUT\_COTRAVEL***
- ***\$ kafka2.2/bin/kafka-topics.sh --create --zookeeper localhost:2181 --replication-factor 1 --partitions 1 --topic OUT\_COURSE***
  - Create the topics on kafka
- ***sudo /home/cer/Desktop/flink-1.6.2/bin/flink run /home/cer/Desktop/cer/flinkcep/cep\_flinkcep/target/flinkicu\_cep-1.0-jar-with-dependencies.jar --IN\_GAP GAP --bootstrap.servers localhost:9092 --zookeeper.connect localhost:2181 --IN\_COTRAVEL COTRAVEL --IN\_COURSE COURSE***
- ***sudo /home/cer/Desktop/flink-1.6.2/bin/flink run /home/cer/Desktop/cer/flinkcep/flinkcep/target/flinkicu-1.0-jar-with-dependencies.jar calhost:9092 --zookeeper.connect localhost:2181 --OUT\_GAP GAP --OUT\_COTRAVEL COTRAVEL --OUT\_COURSE COURSE***
- ***\$ Kafka2.2/bin/kafka-console-consumer.sh --bootstrap-server localhost:9092 topic AIS***
  - You can check the events that detected at each job at this url. <http://localhost:8081/#/overview>
  - You can see what is send at each topic running the consumer of each topic. For example for topic AIS , running the consumer you will see the AIS messages
- ***./AIS.py AIS***
  - Run the python script in order to full fill the topic that contains all the AIS messages and 1<sup>st</sup> module starts receiving AIS messages
  - Producer is inside the project at the path 'flinkcep/producer'

Running the script suspicious events will start to be detected. All of these will be written at the path *home/cer/Desktop/temp/* as .txt /.csv files. There will be a .txt /.csv file for each trajectory and suspicious event.

## 13. Repository

- The source code for the preliminary data analysis is located at:  
<https://github.com/salevizo/cer.git>
- The source code for the flink project is located at:  
<https://github.com/salevizo/flinkcep.git>

### Source code of flink project

- 2 java maven projects: implement flink patterns for detecting trajectory or complex events
  - *Flinkcep*
  - *Cep\_flinkcep*
- 1 python script *AIS.py* inside flinkcep that send AIS messages inside kafka producer
- 7 python scripts to convert the outcomes of the projects .txt files to csv in order to plot them on qgis, located inside folder */convert\_txt\_to\_csv*.
- 1 folder */outcomes* which contains all the generated outcomes of 4 different executions of the project.
- Running the project, the outcomes will be saved at the path */home/cer/Desktop/temp*
- README file
- The project is located at the path:
  - */home/cer/Desktop/cer\_2/flinkcep/*
- Kafka is located at the path:
  - */home/cer/Desktop/*
- Flink is located at the path:
  - */home/cer/Desktop/*

## 14. Running environment

OS	PRETTY_NAME="Ubuntu 18.04.1 LTS" VERSION_ID="18.04"
Postgres	postgres=# SELECT version(); PostgreSQL 10.5 (Ubuntu 10.5- 0ubuntu0.18.04) on x86_64-pc-linux-gnu, compiled by gcc (Ubuntu 7.3.0-16ubuntu3) 7.3.0, 64-bit
QGIS	2.18.0
Python	Python 2.7.15
Kafka	kafka_2.11-1.0.0
Flink	flink-1.6.2
Scala	Scala code runner version 2.11.12 -- Copyright 2002-2017, LAMP/E

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