

# COP-92 Document issues with task list

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# Overview

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This deck was created to compile the user research so far on how task lists are implemented on the Central Operations Platform (COP).

The intention is to design solutions to address each of the identified issues.



# UX problems identified



# Problem

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As a COP user I may not fully understand what a 'Task' is



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As a COP user I want to understand what the COP dashboard is expecting me to do when tasks appear



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As a COP user I need to understand how to interpret tasks that appear on my dashboard in conjunction with alerting emails



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As a COP user I want to understand how to complete an online service that has been started by me or by my team or by somebody else in Border Force



# Problem

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As a COP user I need to understand the difference between 'My Tasks' and 'Team Tasks'





# Problem

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As a COP user I want to be able to pick the next task to perform given the service it relates to and the relative priority of all tasks that are displayed



# Problem

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As a COP user I need to be able to understand whether someone else has already opened (Claimed) a task that has appeared on my dashboard



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As a COP user I need to be able to check that tasks have been completed



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As a COP user I may need to cancel tasks that are no longer needed because someone else has already informed the service about an event, or I made an error

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# Further research required



# Screenshot

**Central Operations Platform** [My profile](#) [Support](#) [Sign out](#)

**BETA** **STAGING** This is a new service – your [feedback](#) will help us to improve it.

[Back to dashboard](#)

Your tasks

## 2 tasks assigned to you


Sort tasks by:

Group tasks by:

Search by task name:

**Low (2 tasks)**

STAGING-20200417-213 <a href="#">Review positive declarations submitted by Jade Majaba (second review)</a>	Due in 21 days	<a href="#">Action</a>
STAGING-20200417-208 <a href="#">Review positive declarations submitted by Jade Majaba (second review)</a>	Due in 21 days	<a href="#">Action</a>



Further research is needed to check users understanding of each sorting mechanism and what behaviour the user expects

# Screenshot

## 3 tasks assigned to you

Sort tasks by:

Latest due date ▾

Search by task name:

### Immediate event notification task

Complete IEN details for BF-20191220-109

due 5 minutes ago

Action

### Mandatory declarations task

Make your declarations and record your security clearance details

due in 37 minutes

Action

### Record Outcomes task

Capture outcome for Intel feedback

due in 7 days

Action

Users find it confusing when a completed form requires a new task


Some tasks open because a user has not completed a form

Users may get confused as to which task links to each service





# Screenshot

 **UK Border Force**

Operational Activities

Logout

ALPHA

DEMO

[Back to dashboard](#)  
[Start a procedure](#)

1 task assigned to you


Sort tasks by:  

Latest due date

Search by task name:

Other (1 task)

Record Actions	1234-3456-7896-8748	Tobacco Seizure Dover 29/7/19	3+hrs	15:00 30/7/19	Action
Enhance Record	1234-3456-7896-8747	Opium Seizure Dover 29/7/19	3+hrs	15:00 30/7/19	Action
Record Actions	1234-3456-7896-8748	Tobacco Seizure Dover 29/7/19	3+hrs	15:00 30/7/19	Action



Some Workflows may have minimum of 100 daily team tasks showing at any one time being processed by teams at Intel Hub or NCC and elsewhere, scrolling and paging issues

# Iterations to explore



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As a COP user I may prefer  
a unified task list



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As a COP user it may be helpful to be able to bulk delete tasks

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As a COP user it may be helpful to show where a task is being worked on already



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As a COP user it may be helpful to use a different method to separate tasks, for example personal vs operational



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As a COP user it may be helpful to provide more context in task information for example; team, location, officer name etc.



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As a COP user it may be helpful to have other methods of prioritising and finding open tasks



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