



MARINE WEATHER SERVICES USER'S NEEDS SURVEY

In order to evaluate the information and products provided by the Marine Weather Services available to maritime users and how requirements are being met, the World Meteorological Organization has proposed to carry out the following survey. Your answers may help us to improve the communication and utility of current benefits by generating the necessary adjustments.

1. Information about your job (optional)

Name: _____

Agency: _____

Position: _____

Mark with an "X" all the choices that represents you and adding any comments needed.

2. In wich maritime area(s) are developing your job?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | general cargo transport | <input type="checkbox"/> | industrial trawlers | <input type="checkbox"/> | government |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | container vessels | <input type="checkbox"/> | small fisheries | <input type="checkbox"/> | research vessels |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | pasenger shipping | <input type="checkbox"/> | sport fishing | <input type="checkbox"/> | port administration |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | gas / oil / chemical tanker | <input type="checkbox"/> | aqua culture | <input type="checkbox"/> | Yachting |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | tugs and auxiliaries | <input type="checkbox"/> | diving | <input type="checkbox"/> | other nautical sports |

others:

3. In wich geographical area(s) you operate?

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| <input type="checkbox"/> | bays and harbors | <input type="checkbox"/> | Arica – Constitucion | <input type="checkbox"/> | till 12 Mn from coast |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | lakes and rivers | <input type="checkbox"/> | Constitución – Chiloe | <input type="checkbox"/> | till 60 Mn from coast |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | inner chaneln fjjords | <input type="checkbox"/> | Chiloe – Magellan | <input type="checkbox"/> | till 200 Mn from coast |
| <input type="checkbox"/> | oceanic islands | <input type="checkbox"/> | Drake Pass & Antarctica | <input type="checkbox"/> | international waters |

others:

4. Is your activity covered with the proper meteorological information?

Yes Not

comments:

5. What products best meet your information needs to develop your maritime activities? What is your opinion regarding their timely reception, reliability and easy understanding?

- Climate Statistics
- Weather Stations Data
- Maritime Forecasts
- Special Warnings
- Storm Warnings
- Heavy Swell Warnings
- Satellite Images
- Surface Charts
- Wind Charts
- Wave Charts
- Marine Ice
- Numerical Modelling

comments:

6. For how long before do you need to have meteorological information in advance to plan and develop your maritime activities?

06 hours 12 hours 24 hours 48 hours 72 hours other (point it)

7. Based on your experience, wich broadcast means is most used to receipt weather informations?

- marine radio stations
- radiofacsimile
- NavTex
- SafetyNet
- E-mail
- web pages
- mobile applications
- news, radio & TV
- social network

comments:

8. Do you remember any extreme weather event occured (storm gale, heavy swell, visibility closures or other)? and in wich way affected the plannification or developping of your activity? Did you count on proper meteorological information and in the due time?

On behalf of the Chile Navy Weather Service, we appreciate your valuable cooperation.

Please deliver us this survey to your closest Maritime Governature Meteorological Center, or by sending this form directly to our e-mail <servimet@dgtm.cl>