

OUTFIT MANAGEMENT Newsletter - week 12

Impact from the Coronavirus/COVID-19 Pandemic

UKHO: In response to the current issues created by the Coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic, the UKHO has advised that it is being notified of impacts to the availability of Foreign Government Hydrographic Office products and services, which in turn will impact their own products.

This notification highlights information from France and the Philippines, we will provide further updates as we learn more.

France

The French Hydrographic Office (SHOM) has advised that with effect from Wednesday 18 March, until further notice, no updates – including Notices To Mariner, SNC New Editions and ENC updates will be made to their products. This is in response to the current issues created by the Coronavirus/COVID-19 pandemic.

NAVAREA warnings will be used by France to issue the most critical navigational information.

As the respective ADMIRALTY services use French data to be kept up to date, UKHO's own products which are reliant on that data from France will likewise be affected and will not receive updates.

Caution is advised when navigating using these products.

Philippines

The Philippines Hydrographic Office has advised;

Due to the recent Government imposition of the Enhanced Community Quarantine for the whole island of Luzon, the NAMRIA - Hydrography Branch will stop its regular activities until further notice.

Navigational Warnings and monthly Notices to Mariners will still be promulgated in order to ensure safety of navigation.

IMO: Due to the ongoing Coronavirus (COVID-19) Emergency, IMO Publishing is currently only able to provide customers with digital products.

THIS WEEK'S NEW EDITIONS

Top picks from this week's latest maritime publication releases and important regulatory guidance for each title to help you decide if its requirement for your vessels.

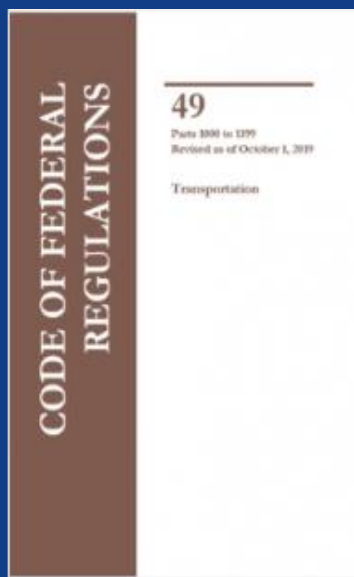
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Code of Federal Regulations 47 (Telecommunication) – Part 1 to 5 (CFR 47) *Recommended requirement for all vessels*

Telecommunication is composed of five volumes. Chapter I-Federal Communications Commission. The last volume, includes chapter II-Office of Science and Technology Policy and National Security Council, chapter III-National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce, and chapter IV-National Telecommunications and Information Administration, Department of Commerce, and National Highway Traffic Safety Administration, Department of Transportation. The contents of these volumes represent all current regulations codified under this title of the CFR as of October 1, 2019.



**Code of Federal Regulations 49
(Transportation) – Parts 1, 3, 4, 5 & 6
(CFR49)**

Recommended requirement for all vessels

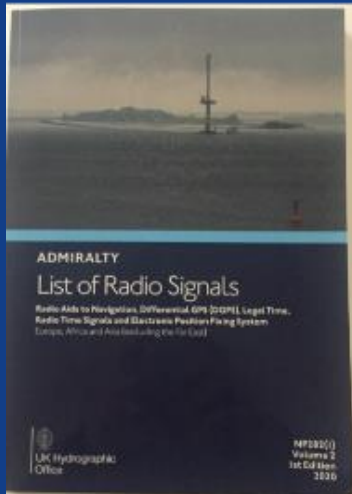
Title 49 of the Code of Federal Regulations records rules and regulations governing transportation in the United States. The CFR contains policies and procedures that make up administrative law for departments and agencies of the U.S. federal government.



**American Practical Navigator (Bowditch) –
2019 (USPUB9-2019)**

Recommended requirement for all vessels

The latest edition of the Bowditch. The American Practical Navigator, first published in 1802, was billed as the "epitome of navigation" by its original author, Nathaniel Bowditch. The text has evolved with the advances in navigation practices since that first issue and continues to serve as a valuable reference for marine navigation in the modern day. The publication describes in detail the principles and factors of navigation, including piloting, electronic navigation, celestial navigation, mathematics, safety, oceanography and meteorology. It also contains various tables used in typical navigational calculations and solutions, including the formulas used to derive the tabular data.



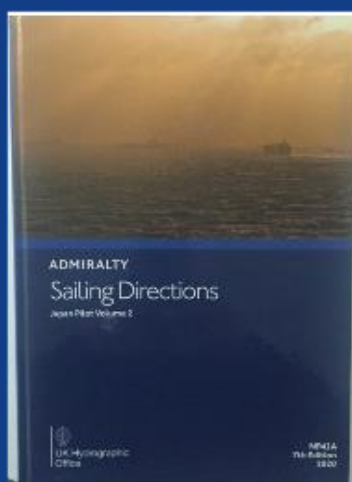
List of Radio Signals Vol 2 – Part 1 – 2020 edition (NP282-1)

List of Radio Signals Vol 2 – Part 2 – 2020 edition (NP282-2)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

Split across two publications, Volume includes radio details for:

- Listing of VHF Radio Direction-Finding Stations
- Radar Beacons (Racons and Ramarks)
- Known operational Automatic Identification System (AIS)
- Aids to Navigation (AtoN)
- Radio beacons transmitting DGPS corrections
- International Standard and Daylight Saving Times and Dates
- International Radio Time Signal Broadcast details.



Japan Pilot Vol 2 – 2020 edition (NP42A)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

Covers the South Coast of Shikoku from Komo Saki to Kanda Saki: South Coast of Honshu from Hi-no Misaki to Taito Saki and the islands of Nanpo Shoto.



Recommendations for Relief Valves on Gas Carrier – 3rd edition (WITH 091)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

Relief valves perform a safety critical function. Proper design and robust maintenance procedures are essential to ensure that this equipment will function as required. The purpose of this document is to provide information to support this goal.

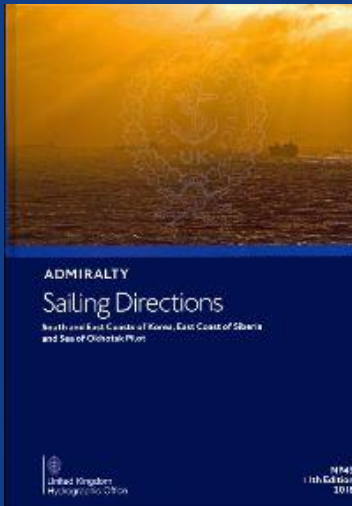
This publication is the third edition of SIGTTO's guidance on relief valves and it updates the previous edition *An Introduction to the Design and Maintenance of Cargo System Pressure Relief Valves on Board Gas Carriers, 1998*.



Ships and Naval Architecture (WITH 670)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

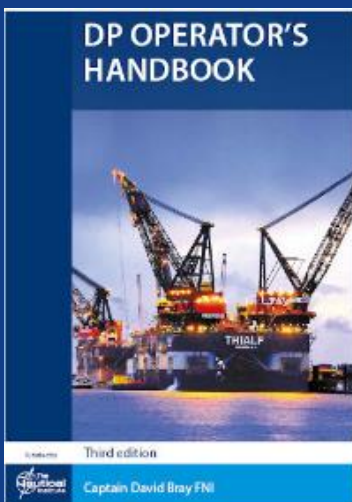
This detailed guide describes the key features of ships, the stresses of the marine environment and the science of naval architecture. It has primarily been written to meet the needs of engineers and navigators serving in the Merchant Navy, but will also be useful to those in shipbuilding and shipping, and other interested parties.



ADMIRALTY Sailing Direction, South & East Coasts of Korea, East Coast of Siberia and Sea of Okhotsk (NP 43)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

The NP₄₃ Admiralty Sailing Directions Pilot covers South & East Korea, the East coast of Siberia, and Sea of Okhotsk. It includes Jeju and the Coast from the South West Point of Korea to the South Point of Kamchatka, including Ostrov Sakhalin. The publication includes full colour photography, views, pilotage, harbours and approaches and information on local facilities.



DP Operators Handbook (NI 507)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

This 3rd edition has been revised to take account of advances in technology and its application aboard DP-equipped vessels. It is a practical guide for serving and trainee DPOs and trainers, so concentrates on operational functions, setting up and testing equipment, bridge management and communications.



US Coast Pilot Vol 5 – Gulf of Mexico, Puerto Rico & Virgin Islands (USP CP05)
Recommended requirement for all vessels

Coast Pilot 5 - 48th Edition, 2020 covers the Gulf of Mexico from Key West, FL to the Rio Grande. This area is generally low and mostly sandy, presenting no marked natural features to the mariner approaching from seaward. Coast Pilot 5 also covers Puerto Rico and the Virgin Islands

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Shiphandling – Passenger Ships without Tugs (WITH 648)

Recommended requirement for all vessels

Written by an industry expert, this detailed, illustrated publication provides guidance and practical advice relating to the handling of cruise liners and ferries.

OUTFIT MANAGEMENT UPDATE

Forthcoming New Charts/New Edition Charts to be Published in Week 12

Chart Title	Chart Title	NE/NC	Date
197	West Indies, North West Approaches to Saint Lucia	NE	19.03.2020
1062	Aegean Sea - Greece, Nísioi Vóreiioi Sporádes	NE	19.03.2020
1408	North Sea, Harwich and Rotterdam to Cromer and Terschelling	NE	19.03.2020
1427	International Chart Series, Norway -West Coast, Stavanger to Florø	NE	19.03.2020
1502	China - Yellow Sea, Outer Approaches To Qingdao Gang	NE	19.03.2020
2010	International Chart Series, England - West Coast, Morecambe Bay and Approaches	NE	19.03.2020
2255	International Chart Series, England - South Coast, Approaches to Portland and Weymouth	NE	19.03.2020
2610	England - South Coast, Portland Bill to Anvil Point	NE	19.03.2020
2615	England - South Coast, Portland Bill to The Needles	NE	19.03.2020
2692	England - East Coast, Sunk Inner Precautionary Area	NE	19.03.2020
3164	England -West Coast, Barrow Harbour and Approaches	NE	19.03.2020
3315	England - South Coast, Berry Head to Portland Bill	NE	19.03.2020
SLB101	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Anchorages in Guadalcanal Island	NE	19.03.2020
SLB102	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Plans in the New Georgia Group	NE	19.03.2020
SLB106	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Bougainville Strait	NE	19.03.2020
SLB201	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Sealark Channel and Approaches to Honiara	NE	19.03.2020
SLB301	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Bougainville Island to Ghizo Island	NE	19.03.2020
SLB302	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Choiseul Island to New Georgia Island	NE	19.03.2020
SLB303	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Santa Isabel Island to Guadalcanal Island	NE	19.03.2020
SLB304	South Pacific Ocean - Solomon Islands, Indispensable Strait	NE	19.03.2020

Forthcoming Charts to be Withdrawn in Week 12

Chart Number	Chart Title	Replacement Chart number
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