

## VOS and VOSClm Report for 2007

## GREECE

a. Programme description:		
Category	No. of ships at 31 Dec 2007	Comments
<i>Selected</i>	6	1 research vessel, 5 passenger ferries
<i>Supplementary</i>	-	
<i>Auxiliary</i>	3	3 passenger ferries
<i>Other (specify)</i>	-	
<b>Total National VOS Fleet</b>	9	

b. VOS:	
<i>Number of VOS vessels recruited in 2007</i>	-
<i>Number of VOS vessels de-recruited in 2007</i>	-
<i>Target number of ships in the national VOS Fleet</i>	15

c. VOSClm:	
<i>Number of VOSClm vessels at 31 December 2007</i>	-
<i>Number of VOSClm vessels recruited in 2007</i>	-
<i>Number of VOSClm de-recruitments in 2007</i>	-
<i>Number of VOSClm recruitments planned for 2008</i>	1
<i>Target number of ships to participate in VOSClm</i>	1

d. Automated observing systems:				
Type	No. of ships at 31 Dec 2007	Manual Input Yes / No	Method of Comms	2008 Planned installations

e. Data management:	
<i>Total number of ship observations (BBXX) distributed on the GTS in 2007</i>	525
<i>Frequency of VOS data submitted for the GCC in 2007</i>	-

f. Electronic logbooks:		
Software & version	No. of ships at 31 Dec 2007	Implementation plans
TurboWin 4.0	1	To be Implemented on all VOS

**g. Major challenges and difficulties:**

Maintain the number of VOS. Keep observers active and reactivating those who are not, by increasing PMO visits on board.  
Increase the number observations and improve report quality training observers and keep instruments calibrated.  
Any automization of VOS is considered impossible at this time due to financial restrictions among lack of personnel in the Service.

**h. Research / development / testing:**

**i. Other comments:**