Ship Observations Team

~ integrating & coordinating international ship-based observing programmes for JCOMM ~

VOS Automation and Electronic Logbook Software

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Chair VOSP

2008 Summary

E-Logbooks in 2008

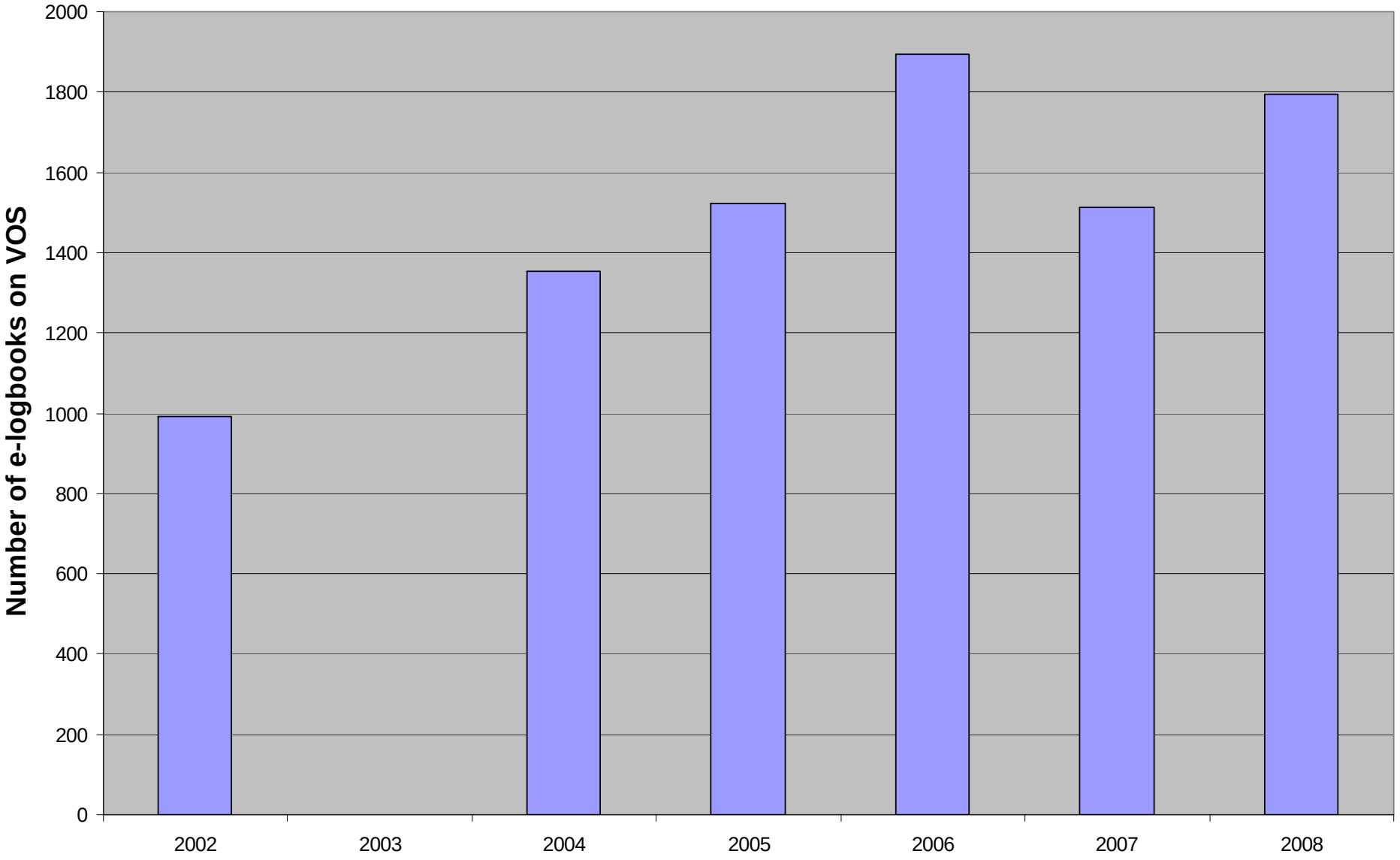
3 Logbook types – 16 countries – 1795 ships

- 76% TurboWin
- 19% SEAS
- 5% OBSJMA

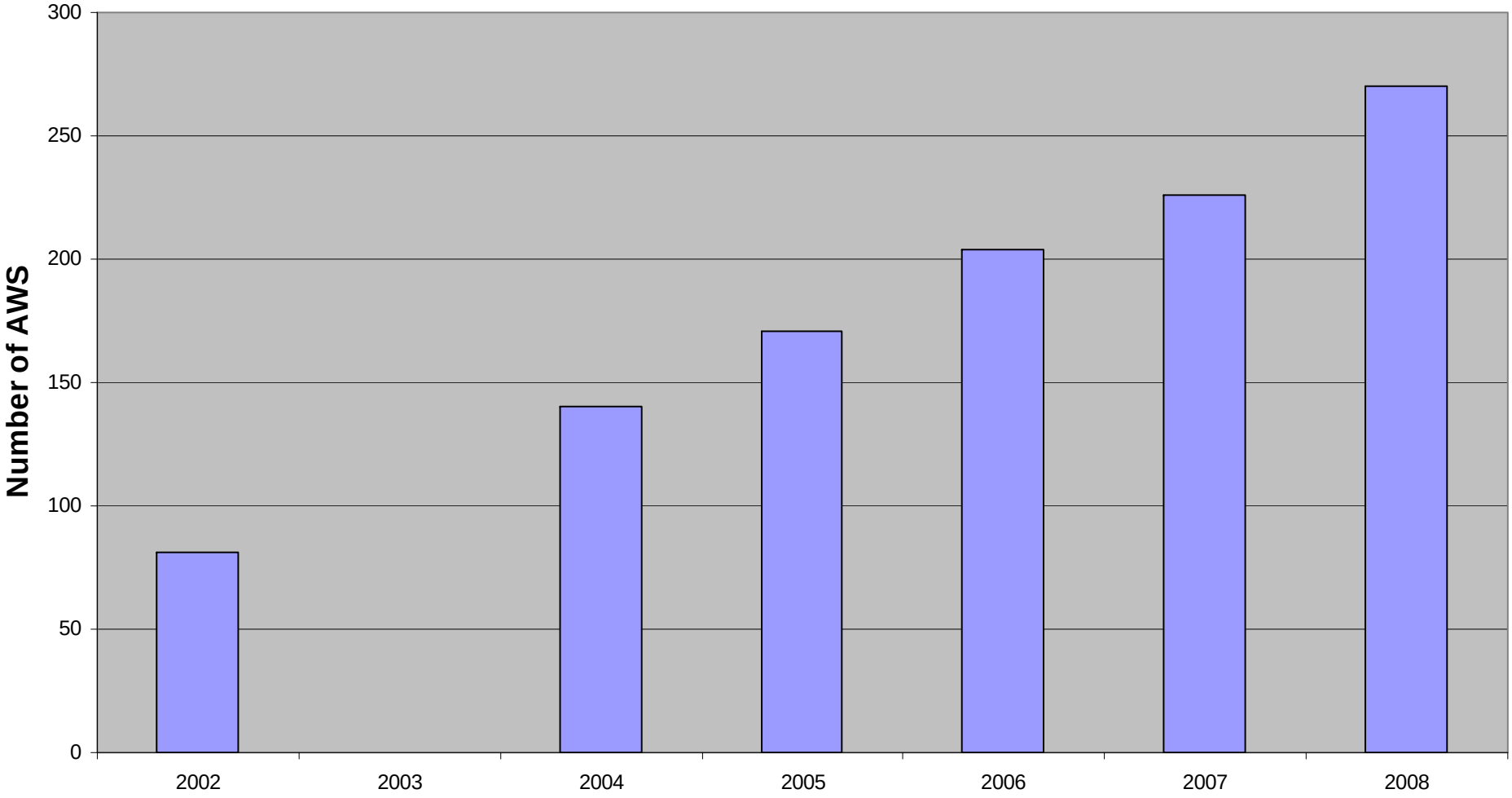
AWS

15 countries – 270 Automated systems

Increase in use of Electronic Logbooks on Global VOS since 2002



Increase in Global VOS AWS since 2002



Recommendations and Actions

- Recommendation :
  - » That NMS take steps to insert all Ship AWS data, including Hourly observations onto GTS for global distribution

- Action :
  - » That members notify VOSP Chair if their Automation details are incorrect or missing from the report.

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