

## HYDROMETCENTRE OF RUSSIA

### SOCIO-ECONOMIC BENEFITS OF METEOROLOGICAL AND HYDROLOGICAL SERVICES

#### INVENTORY OF DECISION SUPPORT TOOLS

ITEM	DESCRIPTION
Sector	Water Management, Energy, Transport, Media, Tourism
Sub-sector	Hydropower, water supply, water allocation, water delivery, water demand, urban water management, water application, hydrological design, etc.
Tool Name	Bulatov's Model
Tool Description	The model of ice cover destruction
Weather, Climate or Water inputs	Climatic and hydrological data for the hydrological processes modeling
Specific weather, climate, water data required	The actual and forecasting data of air temperature, dew point, precipitation, wind velocity and cloudiness. The actual data of water levels (discharges), snow water equivalents and snow depth
Spatial resolution	The hydrometeorological stations and posts
Temporal resolution	The temporal resolution of the actual meteorological data is four times per day and for the cold period of the year. The temporal resolution of the actual hydrological data is one time per day (the temporal resolution of snow water equivalent and snow depth are one time per 10 days).
Delivery methodology	For the model development it is necessary to have the historical data for the 15-20 years. For the developed model using in the operational practice it is necessary to have the operational (actual) daily data.
Frequency of data requirement	Daily
Other	-
Detailed Tool Description	This model allows heads in the field of power, water use, preservation of the environment and transport to make of optimum decisions in view of forecast development of the hydrological situation.
Spatial resolution	The hydrological stations within the basin of large river system
Temporal resolution	1 time per day and the lead time up to 5 days
Delivery methodology	Daily forecasts of ice thickness and ice strength
Frequency of provision	Various variants forecasting ice thickness and ice strength can be simulated in view of various variants of weather forecasts
Other	
Benefits of tool application	The results of modelling with use of this model are used by the persons accepting the decisions for mitigation of possible negative

	consequences of dangerous ice phenomena, and also for development of optimum decisions in various branches of economy.
Possible future advances	It is possible to increase the lead-term of ice forecasts under the condition of increasing the lead-term and reliability of meteorological forecasts.
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Other	