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The following pages contains completion guide for the digital version of the Standard Pollution Observation Format, version 18. September 2014 an Excel Template (XLT) compilation of report formats:

- General Observation Log
- Standard Pollution Reporting Format
- Pollution Observation/Detection Report on Polluters and Combatable Spills.

Before taking the compilation into use, it should be prepared according to the instruction sheet.

In the Standard Pollution Reporting Format Completion Guide the differences from the original completion guide is highlighted in yellow.

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ANNEX B

STANDARD POLLUTION OBSERVATION FORMAT COMPLETION GUIDE

GENERAL OBSERVATION LOG Digital format

ORGANISATION	Organisation. I.e. Royal Danish Airforce, Finnish Border Guard etc.
Date:	Date of mission. Format DDMMMYYYY
Take off 1:	Time of departure (UTC) of first "leg". Format MUST be HH:MM
Aircraft	Aircraft (Type and) Registration
Mission No.	Nationally Assigned Mission Number
Landing 1:	Time of landing (UTC) of first "leg". Format MUST be HH:MM
Sunrise:	Time of sunrise (UTC). Format MUST be HH:MM
Sunset:	Time of sunset (UTC). Format MUST be HH:MM
Route:	Flight Route or Area
Pilot:	INITIALS of Pilot
Copilot:	INITIALS of Pilot
Operator 1:	INITIALS of Operator
Operator 2:	INITIALS of Operator
Additional Crew 1:	INITIALS of Additional Crew
Additional Crew 2:	INITIALS of Additional Crew
Take off 2:	Time of departure (UTC) of second "leg". Format MUST be HH:MM
Landing 2:	Time of landing (UTC) of second "leg". Format MUST be HH:MM
Take off 3:	Time of departure (UTC) of third "leg". Format MUST be HH:MM
Landing 3:	Time of landing (UTC) of third "leg". Format MUST be HH:MM
Helcom Area Day:	Flight time from Coasting out to Coasting in Helcom Area during day. Format MUST be HH:MM
Helcom Area Night:	Flight time from Coasting out to Coasting in Helcom Area during night. Format MUST be HH:MM
Bonn Area Day:	Flight time from Coasting out to Coasting in Bonn Area during day. Format MUST be HH:MM
Bonn Area Night:	Flight time from Coasting out to Coasting in Bonn Area during night. Format MUST be HH:MM
Swedenger Area	Used by Denmark only. Fields may be used for time calculation. Format MUST be HH:MM
Time UTC	Time (UTC) of event.
Observations	Departure (Airport). Coasting out, Waypoint/POS passed, Observations, Coasting in and landing
Signature Pilot:	Rank, Name and Serial No. of Pilot (inserted from the "Data Hidden")
Signature OPR:	Rank, Name and Serial No. of Operator (inserted from the "Data Hidden")
	Note: As default it is OPERATOR 1 filling in and signing this report.

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STANDARD POLLUTION REPORTING FORMAT

	Manual log	Digital log
HELCOM:	Tick HELCOM Box if the	Tick HELCOM Box if the
	flight is in HELCOM Area	flight is in HELCOM Area
BONN AGREEMENT:	Tick BONN AGREEMENT	Tick BONN AGREEMENT
	Box if flight is in Bonn	Box if flight is in Bonn
	Agreement Area	Agreement Area
NO POLLUTION DETECTED:	Tick NO POLLUTION	Tick NO POLLUTION
	DETECTED if no pollution is	DETECTED if no pollution is
	detected	detected
REPORTING AUTHORITY:	National Authority	National Authority
	Responsible for Pollution	Responsible for Pollution
	Control.	Control
AIRCRAFT REG:	Aircraft Registration Letters	Inserted from the General
	/ Numbers.	Observation Log
MISSION No:	Nationally Assigned Mission	Inserted from the General
	Number.	Observation Log
FLIGHT TYPE:	National Designation for	From the rolldown menu
	Flight Type as follows:	select:
	NAT - National	National Designation for
	REG - Regional	Flight Type as follows:
	EXER - Exercises	NAT - National
	OPS - Operational Flight.	REG - Regional
	RIG - Oil Rig Patrol	EXER - Exercises
	SHIP - Shipping Patrol	OPS - Operational Flight.
	TDH - Tour de Horizon	RIG - Oil Rig Patrol
	Flight	SHIP - Shipping Patrol
	CEPCO - Co-ordinated	TDH - Tour de Horizon
	Extended Pollution Control	Flight
	Operation	CEPCO - Co-ordinated
		Extended Pollution Control
		Operation
CAPTAIN OF AIRCRAFT:	Name of Captain	Inserted from the General
		Observation Log
CO PILOT:	Name of Co Pilot	Inserted from the General
		Observation Log
OPERATOR:	Name of Operator	Inserted from the General
000001	N (C)	Observation Log
OBSERVER:	Name of Observer	Inserted from the General
100111 000111		Observation Log
ADDITIONAL CREW:		Inserted from the General
DAY:	Number Assigned to the	Observation Log Calculated from the date
DAI.	Day of the Week as follows:	Calculated Horri the date
	Monday - 01	
	Tuesday - 02	
	Wednesday - 03	
	Thursday - 04	
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	Friday - 05	

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	Saturday - 06	
	Sunday - 07	
DATE/MONTH/YEAR:	Two number designation for	Inserted from the General
	each of date/month/year of	Observation Log
	flight	
ROUTE / AREA:	Flight Route or Area	Inserted from the General
ROOTE / AREA.	I light reduce of Area	Observation Log
TIME OVER THE SEA - DAY:	Time over the Sea during	Inserted from the General
TIME OVER THE SEA - DAT.	Time over the Sea during	
TIME OVER THE OF A	Daylight	Observation Log
TIME OVER THE SEA –	Time over the Sea at Night	Inserted from the General
NIGHT:		Observation Log
TOTAL TIME OVER SEA:	Total time between	Inserted from the General
	Coasting Out and Coasting	Observation Log
	ln.	-
No:	Number allocated to	Number allocated to pollution
	pollution detection.	detection.
AREA CODE:	The international telephone	From the rolldown menu
AREA GODE:	code for the country (Area)	select:
	in	The international telephone
		<u>-</u>
	which the pollution is	code for the country (Area) in
	located:	which the pollution is located:
	Bonn Agreement	Bonn Agreement
	Belgium 32	Belgium 32
	Denmark (+ Helcom) 45	Denmark (+ Helcom) 45
	France 33	France 33
	Germany (+ Helcom) 49	Germany (+ Helcom) 49
	Netherlands 31	Netherlands 31
	Norway 47	Norway 47
	Sweden (+ Helcom) 46	Sweden (+ Helcom) 46
	United Kingdom 44	United Kingdom 44
	Ireland 353	Ireland 353
	Helcom	Helcom 372
	Estonia 372	Estonia 358
	Finland 358	Finland 371
	Latvia 371	Latvia 370
	Lithuania 370	Lithuania 48
	Poland 48	Poland 7
	Russia 7	Russia
TIME UTC:	Time of pollution detection.	Time of pollution detection.
BONN/HELCOM		Insert B or H for observation
		done in either BONN or
		HELCOM area
POSITION:	Latitude and longitude of	Latitude and longitude of
	pollution (degrees, minutes	pollution (degrees, minutes
	and decimal minutes //	and decimal minutes // WGS
	WGS / 84 Datum).	/ 84 Datum).
		Format: DDMM,MM
DIMENSIONS:	Length and width of	Length and width of pollution
	pollution in kilometres.	in kilometres.
AREA COVER OF		
AREA COVER %:	Observer's assessment of	Observer's assessment of the

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	the percentage of the boxed	percentage of the boxed
	dimensioned area (length x	dimensioned area (length x
	width), covered with	width), covered with
	pollution.	pollution.
OILED AREA:	Oiled Area covered with	Automatically calculated by
	pollution; calculated by	formula:
	multiplying length, width and	Length x width x cover%
	cover %	
	Example:	
	Length x Width x Cover %	
	2 Km x 1 Km x 50%, gives	
	[2.0] x [1.0] x [0.5]	
	= Oiled Area = 1 Km ²	
OIL APPEARANCE	Allocation of Percentage of	Allocation of Percentage of
COVERAGE %:	the `Oiled Area' to the	the 'Oiled Area' to the
OOVERAGE 70.	Appearance of the pollution.	Appearance of the pollution.
	Example:	Example:
	1/2 cover – Rainbow -	1/2 cover – Rainbow -
	Column 2 = 50%	Column 2 = 50%
		1/4 cover - Metallic - Column
	1/4 cover - Metallic -	
	Column 3 = 25%	3 = 25%
	1/4 cover - True Colour -	1/4 cover - True Colour -
	Column 5 = 25%	Column 5 = 25%
	Allocation of Percentage of	Allocation of Percentage of
	the `Oiled Area' to the	the `Oiled Area' to the
	Appearance of the pollution.	Appearance of the pollution.
	Example:	Example:
	1/2 cover – Rainbow -	1/2 cover – Rainbow -
	Column 2 = 50%	Column 2 = 50%
	1/4 cover - Metallic -	1/4 cover - Metallic –
	Column 3 = 25%	Column 3 = 25%
	1/4 cover - True Colour -	1/4 cover - True Colour -
	Column 5 = 25%	Column 5 = 25%
MINIMUM VOLUME:	Minimum Quantity of Oil	Automatically calculated by
	Pollution in cubic metres.	formula:
	Calculated as follows:	[Oiled Area] x [Appearance
	[Oiled Area] x [Appearance	Code Minimum Thickness
	Code Minimum Thickness	Value] X [Decimal
	Value] X [Decimal	Percentage of Appearance].
	Percentage of Appearance].	
	[1 Km2] x [0.3 m ³ /km2] x	
	$[0.50] = 0.15 \text{ m}^3$	
	[1 Km2] x [5.0 m ³ /km ²] x	
	$[0.25] = 1.25 \text{ m}^3$	
	[1 Km2] x [200 m ³ /km ²] x	
	$[0.25] = 50 \text{ m}^3$	
	Minimum Total Quantity =	
	[0.15] + [1.25] + [50] =	
	[0.13] + [1.23] + [30] = 51.4 m ³	
	JI:# III:	

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MAXIMUM VOLUME:	Maximum Quantity of Oil Pollution in cubic metres. Calculated as follows: [Oiled Area] x [Appearance Code Maximum Thickness Value] X [Decimal Percentage of Appearance]. [1 Km²] x [5.0 m³/km²] x [0.50] = 2.5 m³ [1 Km²] x [50 m³/km²] x	Automatically calculated by formula: [Oiled Area] x [Appearance Code Maximum Thickness Value] Note: If code 5 (Continous True Colour) is used, Maximum will be set as N/A (not applicable), since maximum volume is defined as "more the Colour" is used.
	[1 Km ²] x [>200 m ³ /km ²] x [0.25] = > 50 m ³ Maximum Total Quantity = [2.5] + [12.5] + [>50] = > 65 m ³	than 200 m ³ pr KM ²
No:	The same number as previously allocated to the pollution detection.	Automatically inserted from previous table.
POLLUTION TYPE:	Pollution Type as follows: OIL - Oil CHEM - Chemical FISH - Fish Oil or Waste VEG - Vegetable Oil or Waste OTH - Other (Amplify in Remarks) UNK - Unknown	From the rolldown menu select: Pollution Type as follows: OIL - Oil CHEM - Chemical FISH - Fish Oil or Waste VEG - Vegetable Oil or Waste OTH - Other (Amplify in Remarks) UNK - Unknown
DETECTION:	Detection Sensor. SLAR - Radar UV - Ultra Violet IR - Infrared VIS - Visual MW - Microwave LF - Laser Fluorosensor	Detection Sensor. SLAR - Radar UV - Ultra Violet IR - Infrared VIS - Visual MW - Microwave LF - Laser Fluorosensor
РНОТО:	Photographs of pollution	Photographs of pollution
VIDEO:	Video of the pollution	Video of the pollution
FLIR:	Forward Looking Infrared of the pollution Video of the pollution	Forward Looking Infrared of the pollution Video of the pollution

Note: For all Detections / Observations Boxes write:

^{&#}x27;-' Sensor was not used or not available

WEATHER:	Weather at the time of	Weather at the time of
	pollution observation /	pollution observation /

^{&#}x27;Y' Sensor used and pollution detected

^{&#}x27;N' Sensor used but pollution not detected

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	digital version detection	detection
Surface Wind:	Direction and Speed (knots	Surface Wind: Direction and
Odiface Willa.	or	Speed (knots, or
	beaufort as required by	beaufort or m/s as required
	national	by national
	authorities),	authorities),
	authornes),	Note: Caption of column has
		to be changed to reflect unit
		of measure.
Cloud:	Coverage in Octas or	From the rolldown menu
Giodd.	aviation	select:
	description (scattered /	Coverage in aviation
	overcast))	Description:
	and Base in feet,	SKC – Sky Clear
		SCT – Scattered
		BKN – Broken
		OVC - Overcast
		and Base in feet.
Visibility:	Nautical Miles or Kilometres	Nautical Miles
Sea State:	Using the description code	From the rolldown menu
	given in	select:
	the Abbreviations	Select WX type:
	Weather: Rain, Snow, Haze,	BR - Mist
	Mist etc	<mark>HZ - Haze</mark>
		FG - Fog
		DZ - Drizzle
		RA - Rain
		TS - Thunderstorm
		SN - Snow
SATELLITE CONFIRM.	Satellite confirmation.	Satellite confirmation.
	Indicate by X if observation	Indicate by X if observation
	is:	<mark>is:</mark>
	Mineral Oil	Mineral Oil
	Other pollution	Other pollution
	Natural phenomenon or	Natural phenomenon or
	Nothing found	Nothing found
REMARKS:	Any Amplifying Remarks.	Insert beginning and end of
		pollution and remark
		From the roll-down menu,
		select suspected polluter:
		UNK
		SHIP
		RIG
		OTH (ie. Harbour-spill,
		Windturbine etc.