



# Use cases for Maritime Surveillance DSS

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# Types of Information Systems

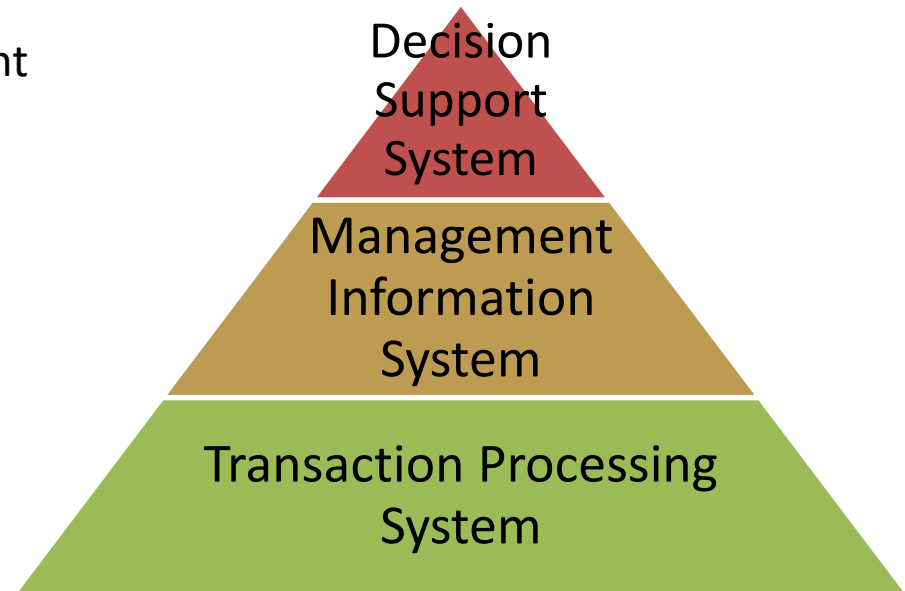
An information system is a formal ,sociotechnical , organisational system designed to

- a. collect ,
- b. process,
- c. store and
- d. distribute information.

Used by senior management  
for Decision making

Used by managers  
for operational efficiency

Used by workers for basic  
reporting

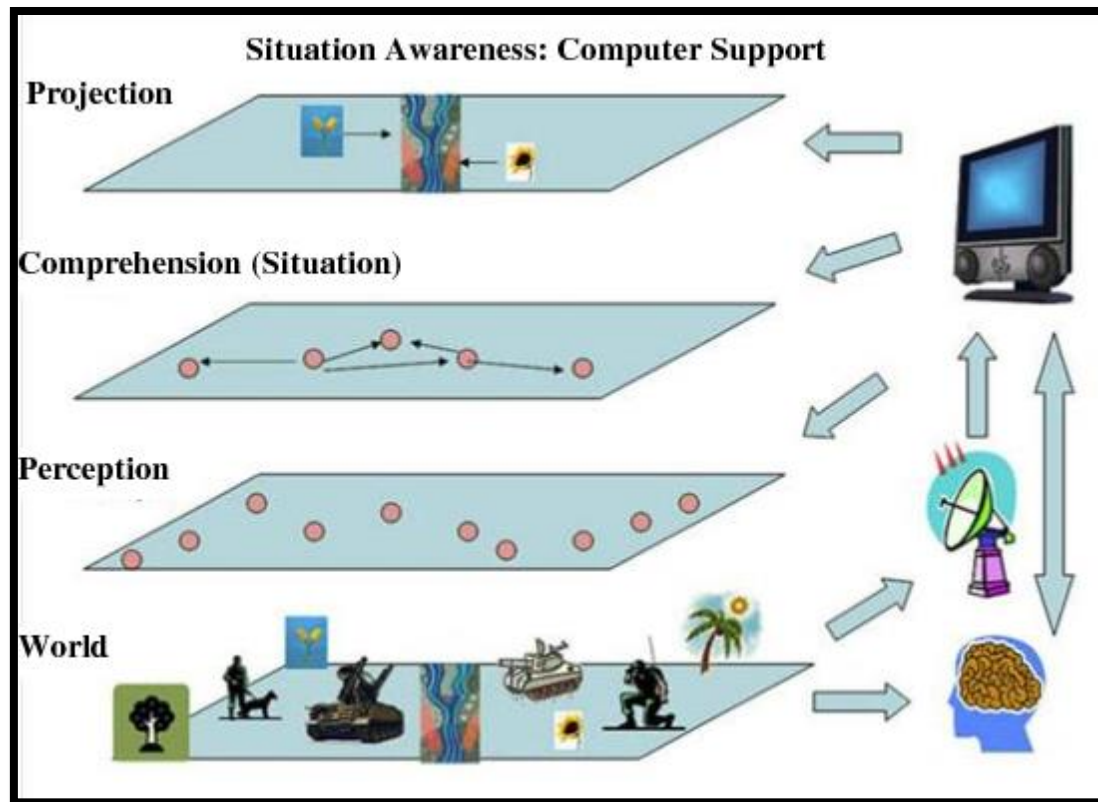




# Maritime Situational Awareness System

**Situation awareness can be described as**

*“the perception of the elements in the environment within a volume of time and space, the comprehension of their meaning and the projection of their status in the near future.”*

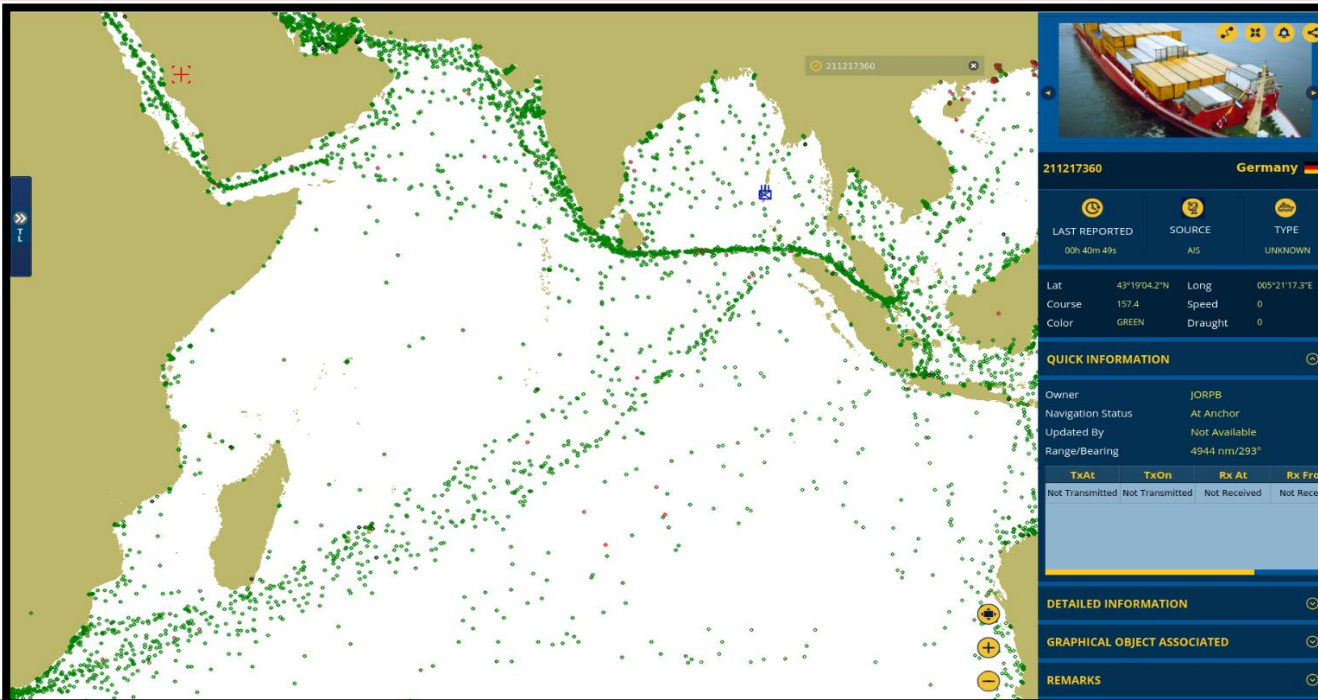




# COP

A common operational picture is a single identical display of relevant information shared by more than one command. COP facilitates

- 1) Collaborative planning
- 2) Combined execution
- 3) Assists all echelons to achieve situational awareness



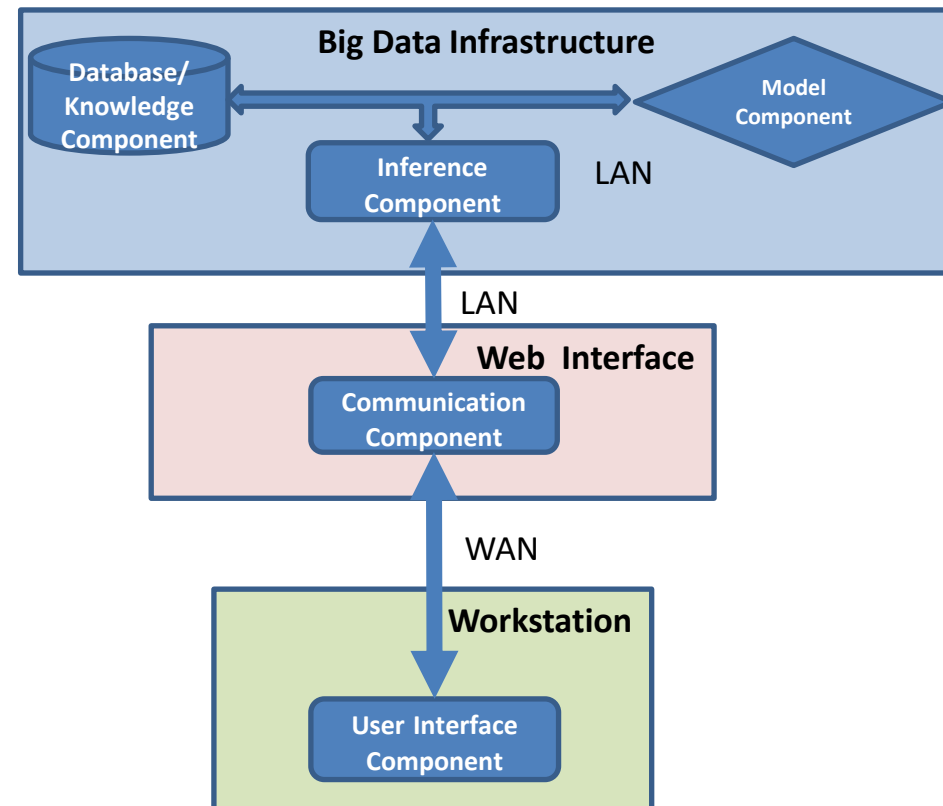


# Maritime Surveillance Decision Support System

**A Maritime Surveillance DSS is an information system that supports Maritime surveillance related decision-making activities.**

## **Components of a DSS System:**

- 1) The Database (or Knowledge base)**
- 2) The Model (ie , the decision context and user criteria)**
- 3) The User interface**

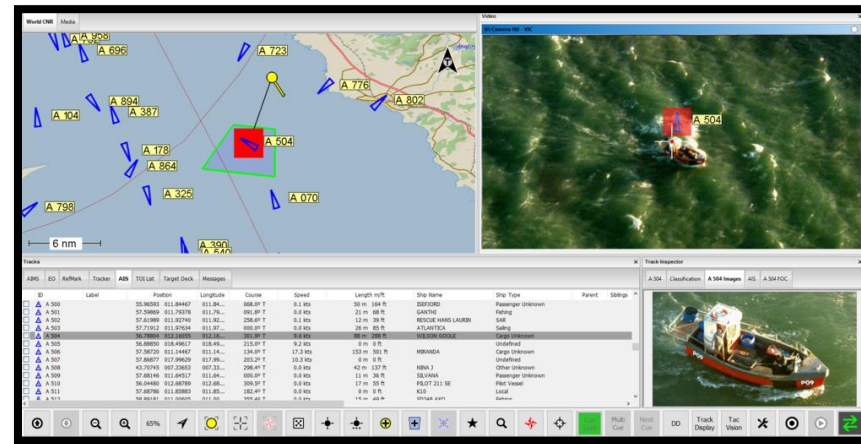




# Maritime Surveillance DSS Operational Requirement

Naval Analyst shall use DSS sub system for enhanced situational awareness and Strategic Mission Planning by using following features:

- Leveraging various data sources, to extract insights for *detecting suspicious maritime behavior and situations.*
- Integrate heterogeneous data sources to create *correlated information about suspected maritime behavior and situations.*
- Advanced features for *strategic/tactical mission planning.*



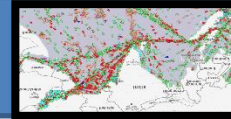


# DSS for Maritime Surveillance

DSS Console



User Applications



Maritime Situational Awareness Console

## Level1 Analytics Features:

- 1) Spatio-Temporal Analysis
- 2) Track Trajectory Extraction
- 3) Object Clustering
- 4) Maritime Route Extraction
- 5) Density Maps
- 6) Video/Image Analysis:
  - 1) Object Detection and Tracking

## Level2 Analytics Features:

- 1) Track Information Fusion and Retrieval
- 2) Video/Image Geo Tagging and Track info tagging
- 3) Behaviour Analysis
- 4) Anomaly Detection & Classification
- 5) Business Intelligence
- 6) Multi Track Activity Detection

## Level3 Analytics Features:

- 1) Track Path Prediction
- 2) Mission Planning

Data Analysis and Information Fusion Services

Access Control

Data Integration

Data Dissemination

Networking and Integration Services

Track Data

UAV Video/Image Data

Satellite Imagery /Satellite Orbital Data

Internet Open Source Data/ Repositories

Weather Data

Users Operational Systems

DSS Data and Information Sources



# Track Behavior Modeling for Anomaly Detection

Develop data driven model of anomalous vessel behavior based on historical position reports

- 1) Vessels abnormal movement (Deviations from maritime routes)
- 2) Vessel Loitering
- 3) Vessel switching off transponder (Dark Ship)
- 4) Vessel in Drifting
- 5) Fishing Vessel Not Fishing
- 6) Fishing Vessel in Non Fishing Zone
- 7) Trans shipment at Sea
- 8) Abnormal port entry/exit pattern
- 9) Ghost Ship (Disguise origin and destination)
- 10) Change of heading higher than a threshold
- 11) Sudden change of speed





# Track Behavior Modeling for Anomaly Detection

Develop data driven model of anomalous vessel behavior based on historical position reports

12) Frequency of vessel position report higher than expected

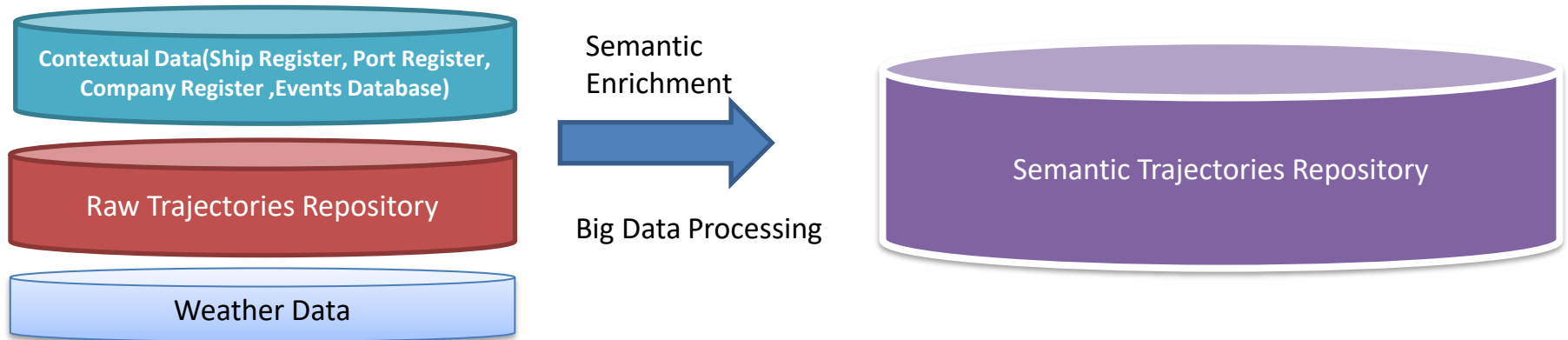
13) Passage of vessel close to shore

14) Passage of vessel close to AOI

15) Vessels approaching one another closer than an indicated distance with a speed below threshold



# Semantic Trajectory Analytics

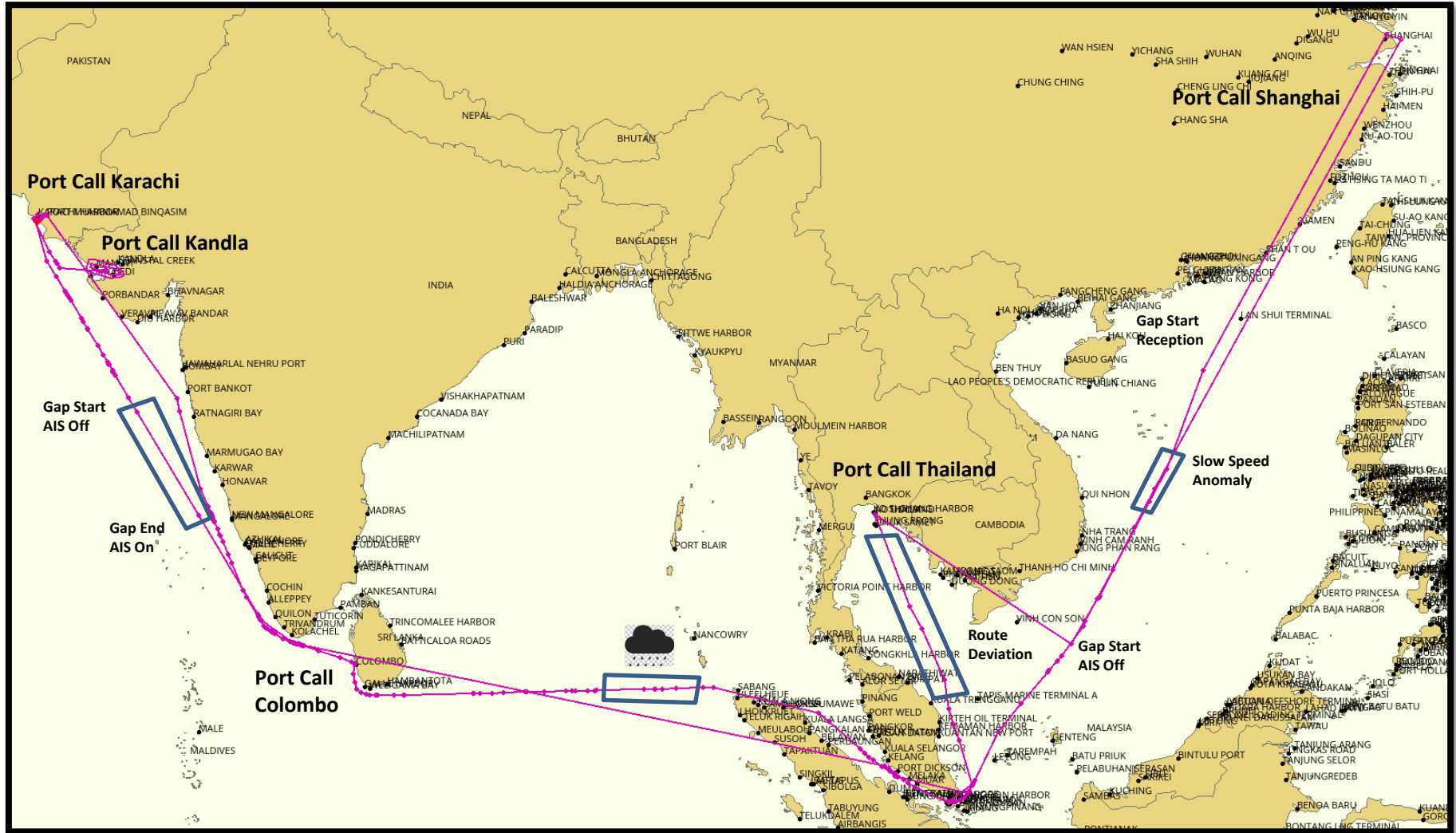


*A semantic trajectory is a trajectory that has been enhanced with annotations and/or one or several complementary segmentations. It is defined as a tuple:*

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(trajectoryID, movingObjectID, trajectoryAnnotations, trace:  
  LISTOF position (instant, point,  $\delta$ , positionAnnotations),  
  semanticGaps: LISTOF gap (t1, t2),  
  segmentations: SETOF segmentation (segmentationID,  
  episodes: LISTOF episode (t3, t4, definingAnnotation, episodeAnnotations)  
  ))
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# Representative Semantic Trajectory





# Predictive Analytics Usecases

## Unknown Vessel Type Classification

- I. Fishing/Non Fishing Classification**
- II. Merchant/Non Merchant Classification**
- III. Naval/Merchant Classification (Fleet Movement pattern)**

## Multi Vessel Interaction Classification

- i. Merchant – Tug Interaction**
- ii. Merchant – Merchant Interaction**
- iii. Merchant – fishing boat Interaction**

## Vessel Prediction

- I. Next Port of Call**
- II. Route Prediction**



# Visual Analytics(Imagery/Videos)

Being a self-reporting system AIS is prone to intentional/unintentional errors in data. For instance

- Error exists in the AIS information due to poor reception.
- Information may be input erroneously by operator.
- a ship may never update the AIS information.
- if the AIS equipment is switched off

## The Automatic Identification System (AIS) information

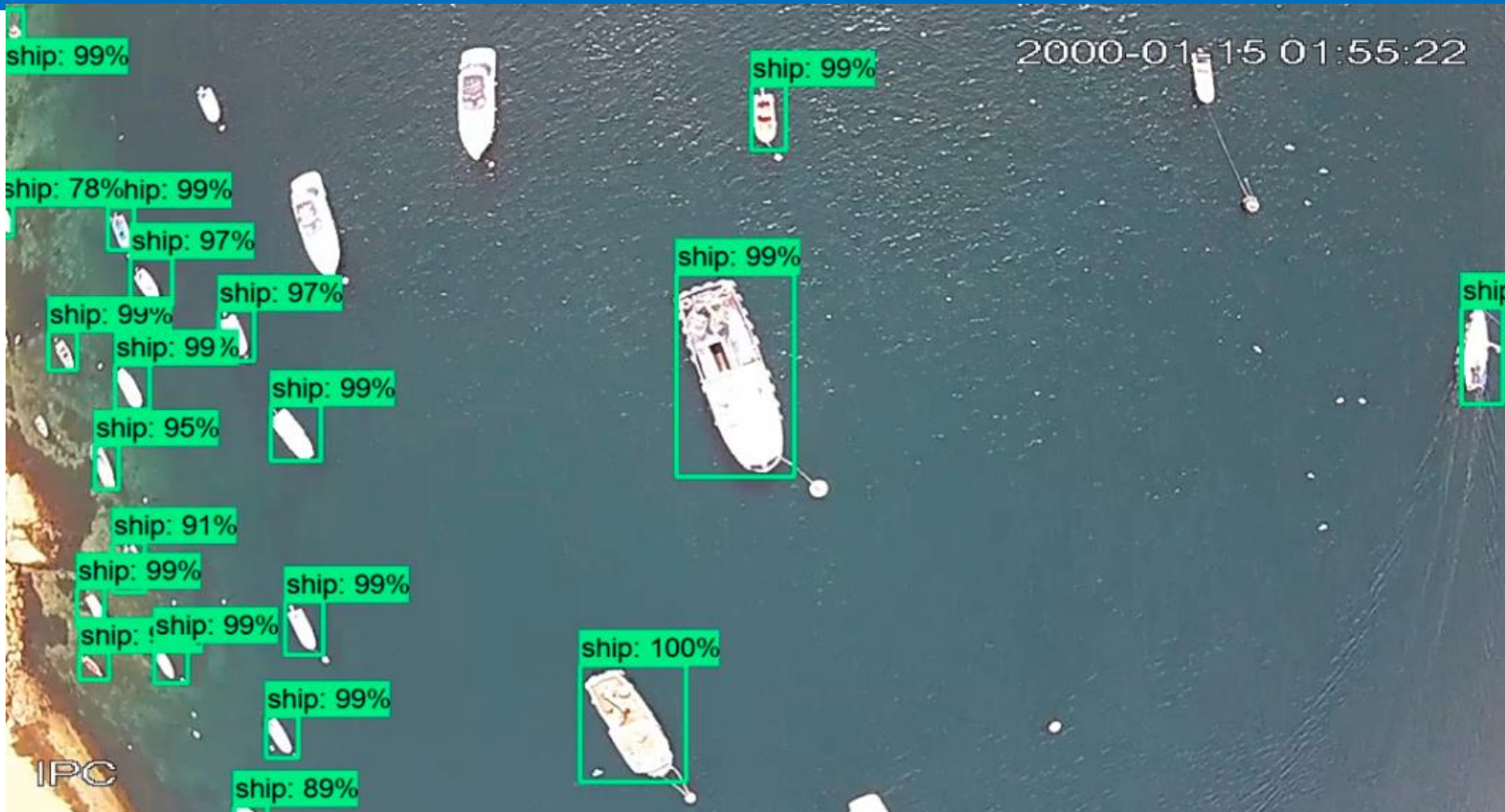
- Dynamic** – Position ,Speed ,Course
- Static** – MMSI no ,IMO no ,Callsign ,Length ,Width ,Type
- Semi Static** – Voyage and Cargo Related Information (ETA ,Cargo Type ,Source , Destination)

## Automatic Physical Verification of a vessel based on

1. UAV video data
  2. SAR/Optical Imagery
- By extracting Vessel features and associating with AIS information



# Verification of AIS information with image/video data



- 1) Extract the ship features such as Position/Type from a UAV video stream .
- 2) Analyse the extracted ship position with the historical AIS data of the area.
- 3) Verify and highlight the ships that have given incorrect data.

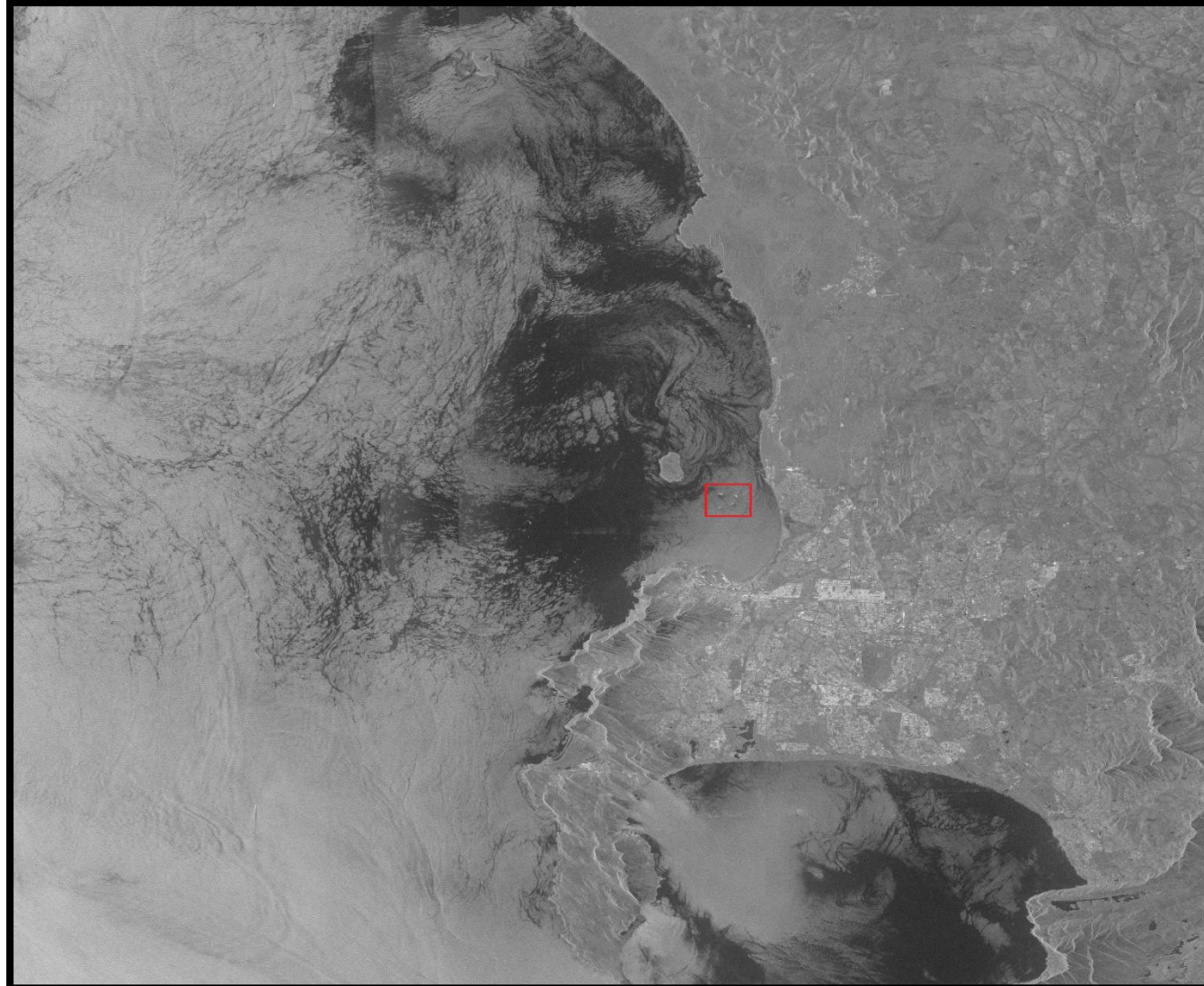




# Satellite SAR/optical Imagery Analysis

## Analysis Use cases

1. Extraction of Ship position and Kinematics from SAR data
2. Track Association with AIS-Video(Extracted Ship) data





# Video/Image Server

- 1. Store Video/Image data received from various sources**
- 2. Geotag the video/Image data**
- 3. Tag the video/image data with Track information**
- 4. Provide interface to search video/image data and deliver video streams simultaneously to many clients**
- 5. Interface to share video data with external systems**

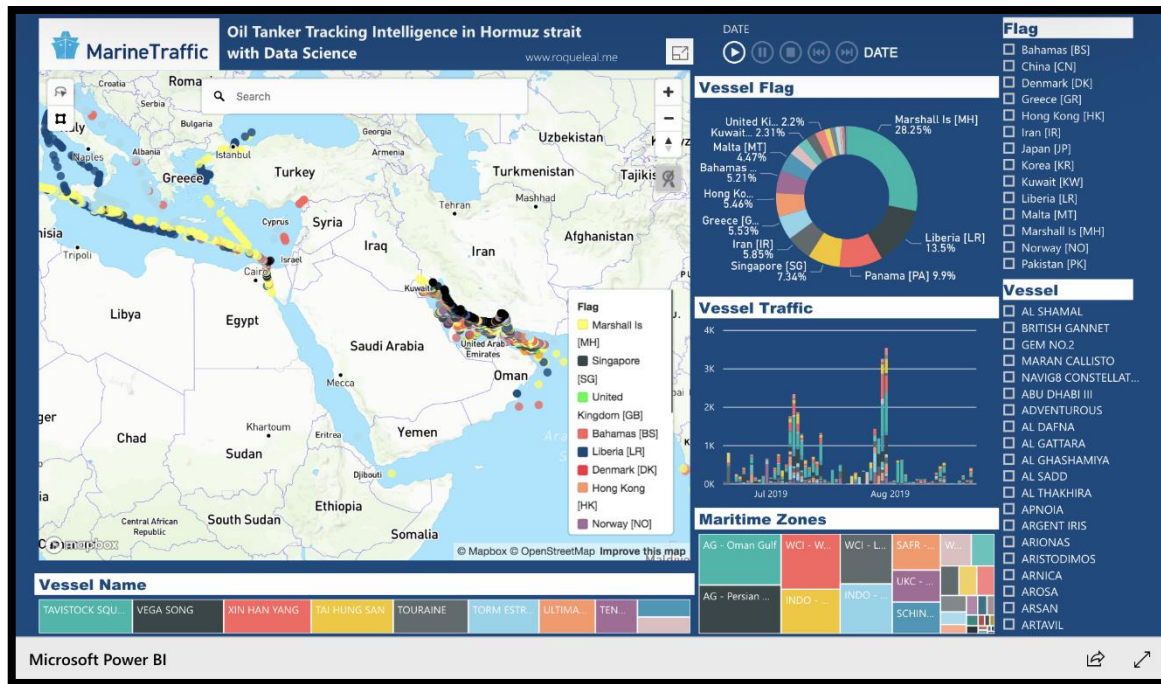




# Advanced Visualization(DSS dashboard)

DSS dashboard with Charts and Graphs to visualize large amount of complex data to convey concepts and summarize

- 1) Line Charts
- 2) Area charts
- 3) Pie Charts
- 4) Bar Charts
- 5) Heat and Tree maps



Representative Image of a DSS Dashboard



# Text Analytics

- 1. Deriving information about Tracks from text dataset generated by**
  - 1. Remarks added by user,**
  - 2. Web scrapping,**
  - 3. Intelligence inputs etc.**
- 2. To understand the contextual information of a text data using NLP and automatically take appropriate action such as**
  - 1. generate alert (Track not sending AIS info)**
  - 2. find anomalous behaviour of a Track (Find last port call, current position from web resources)**
  - 3. Event Detection.(oil spill etc)**
- 3. OSINT : Open-source intelligence is the collection and analysis of data generated from open sources (overt and publically available sources ) to produce actionable intelligence.**



# Web Scrapping Resources

## Cargo vessel MV Jag Anand to bring 23 Indian sailors stuck in China back home today

India

Times Now Digital

Updated Jan 14, 2021 | 06:39 IST



Cargo vessel MV Jag Anand was on anchorage near Jingtang port in China since June 13.

MV Jag Anand. | Pic courtesy: Fleetmon



**New Delhi:** The 23 Indian sailors onboard bulk cargo vessel MV Jag Anand, who were stuck in China since June 13, will likely be reaching the country on Thursday. Union Ports, Shipping and Waterways Minister Mansukh Mandaviya had earlier confirmed said that the Indian crew members would reach India on January 14.

"Our seafarers stuck in China are coming to India. Ship MV Jag Anand, having 23 Indian crew, stuck in China is set to SAIL toward China, Japan, to carry out crew change, will reach India on 14th January," Mandaviya had tweeted.

Cargo vessel MV Jag Anand was on anchorage near Jingtang port in China since

June 13. Another vessel, MV Anastasia, which has 16 Indian nationals is on anchorage near the Caofeidian port in China since September 20.

Despite, several requests from the Indian government, China had cited COVID-19-related restrictions and didn't allow the ships to either dock or go for a crew change for months.

Notably, Beijing on December 25 had stated that there was no 'link' between the stranded Indian ship crew on its Chinese

Month. Ministry of External Affairs Spokesperson Anurag Srivastava earlier this month had said the Indian Embassy in Beijing n at Briga... following up the issue with Chinese authorities.

**JAG ANAND**  
Bulk Carrier, IMO 9463308  
VesselFinder » Vessels » Cargo vessels » JAG ANAND



### Ship Electronic Record books

Comply with international laws and regulations, tamperproof, non-editable and automate.  
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The current position of **JAG ANAND** is at Red Sea (coordinates 29.00513 N / 32.79056 E) reported 7 days ago by AIS. The vessel is en route to **TUNA PORT KANDLA**, sailing at a speed of 11.1 knots and expected to arrive there on **Feb 20, 06:30**.

The vessel **JAG ANAND** (IMO: 9463308, MMSI 419001180) is a Bulk Carrier built in 2011 (11 years old) and currently sailing under the flag of **India**.

### POSITION & VOYAGE DATA



TUNA PORT KANDLA	
ETA:	Feb 20, 06:30
Predicted ETA	-
Distance / Time	-
Course / Speed	159.0° / 11.1 kn
Current draught	14.5 m
Navigation Status	-
Position received	7 days ago
IMO / MMSI	9463308 / 419001180
Callsign	AWRM
Flag	India
Length / Beam	292 / 45 m

- Track on Map
- Add Photo
- Add to fleet

### MAP POSITION & WEATHER



### PORT CALLS

Port Said Anch., Egypt		
Arrival (UTC)	Departure (UTC)	In Port
Feb 7, 14:37	Feb 8, 02:17	11h 42m
Gibraltar West Anch., Gibraltar		
Arrival (UTC)	Departure (UTC)	In Port
Jan 30, 17:10	Jan 31, 07:52	14h 42m
Baltimore, USA, United States (USA)		
Arrival (UTC)	Departure (UTC)	In Port
Jan 8, 19:25	Jan 12, 05:40	3d 10h
Ijmuiden, Netherlands		
Arrival (UTC)	Departure (UTC)	In Port
-	Dec 22, 08:08	-

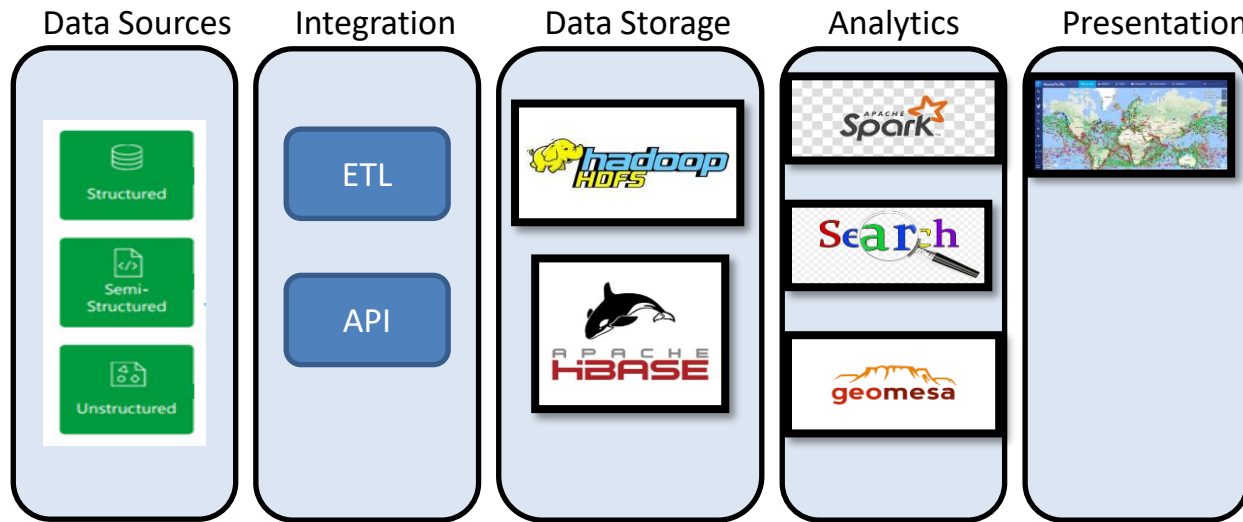
Historical AIS Data



# POC for DSS system



# Maritime Traffic Analysis System



## System Features

1. Implemented Using Big Data Technologies
2. High Availability and Horizontally Scalable
3. Data Repository for 10 Years
4. Features
  - I. High Performance Spatio Temporal Analysis on Large Dataset
  - II. Anomaly Detection and Classification
  - III. Record and replay
  - IV. Track Association



# Analytics Use Cases

## High Performance Spatio Temporal Query Analysis

1. Track Trajectory Analysis
2. Track Proximity Analysis
3. Port Call Analysis
4. Int Report Analysis
5. Track Association
6. Track Interaction Detection
7. Density Map

## Unsupervised Learning

1. Vessel Movement Pattern Extraction
2. Abnormal Movement Detection
3. Vessel Next Port of Call Prediction

## Supervised Learning

1. Vessel Type Classification as Fishing/Non Fishing based on Kinematic Features

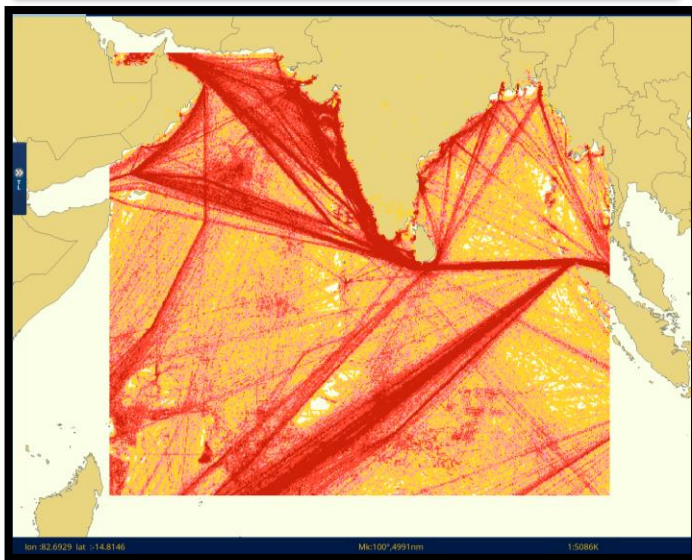
## Deep Learning for Computer Vision

1. Ship feature detection from SAR/EO imagery





# Big Data Analytics on Large Spatiotemporal Dataset



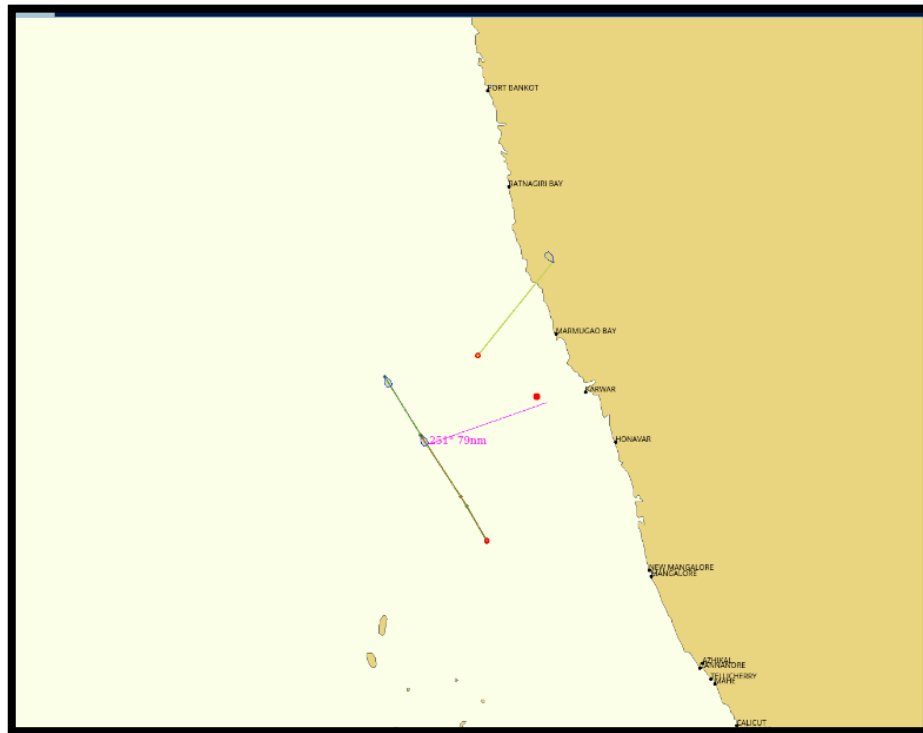
## High Performance Spatiotemporal Analysis

- a) Dataset size of hundreds of millions Records
- b) Query Response in seconds

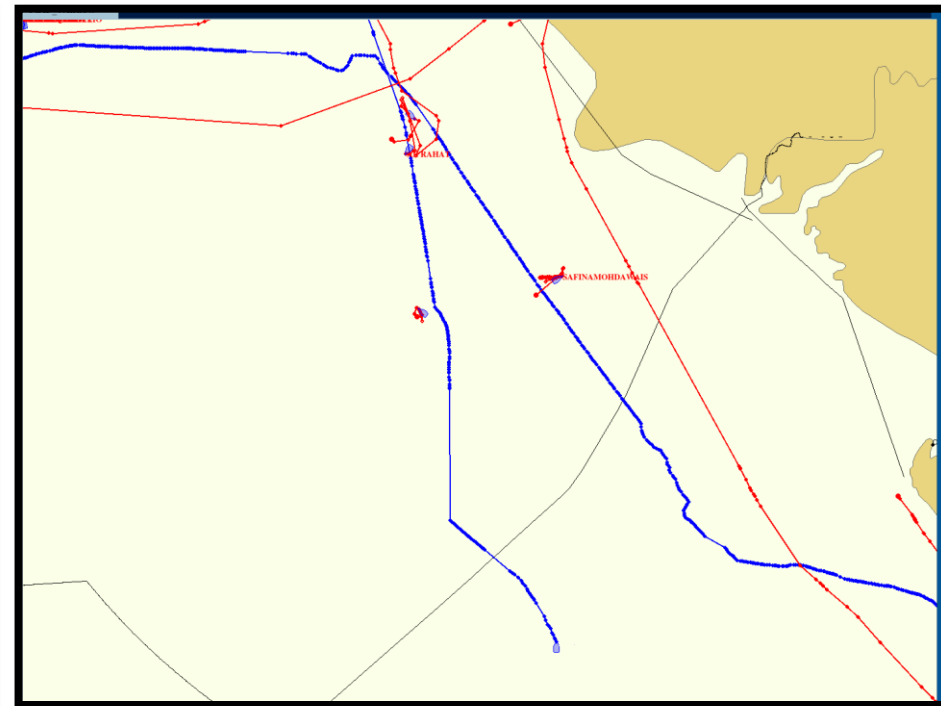




# Spatio Temporal Analysis



Track Movement Near Point of Interest



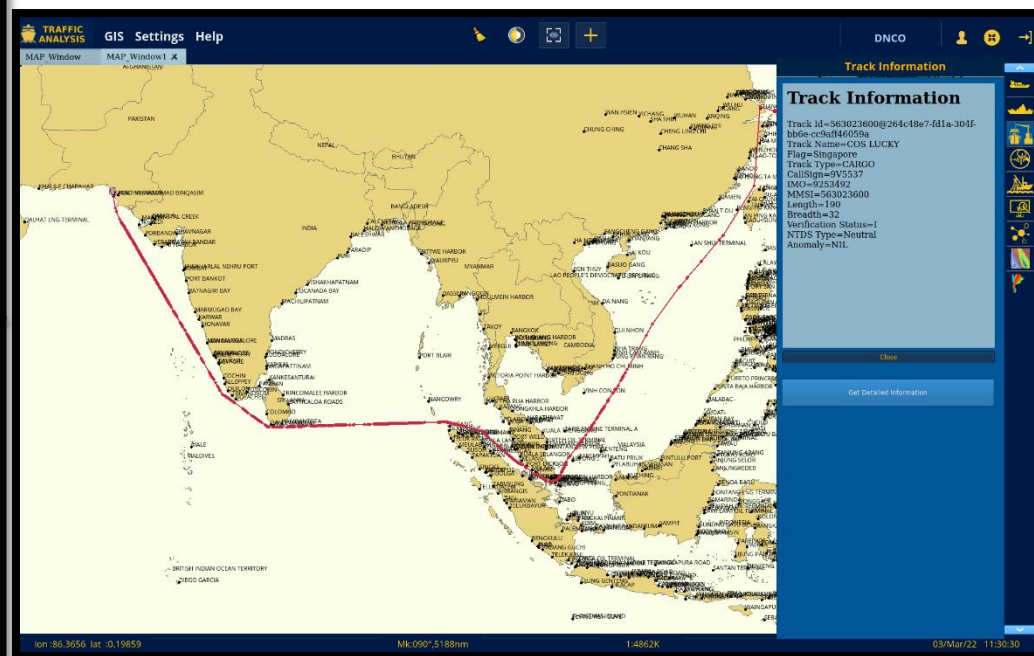
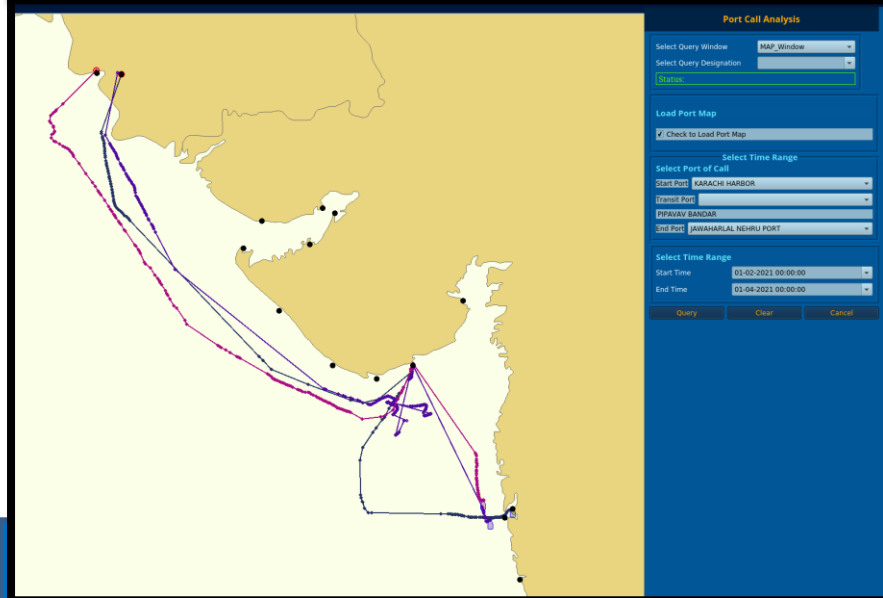
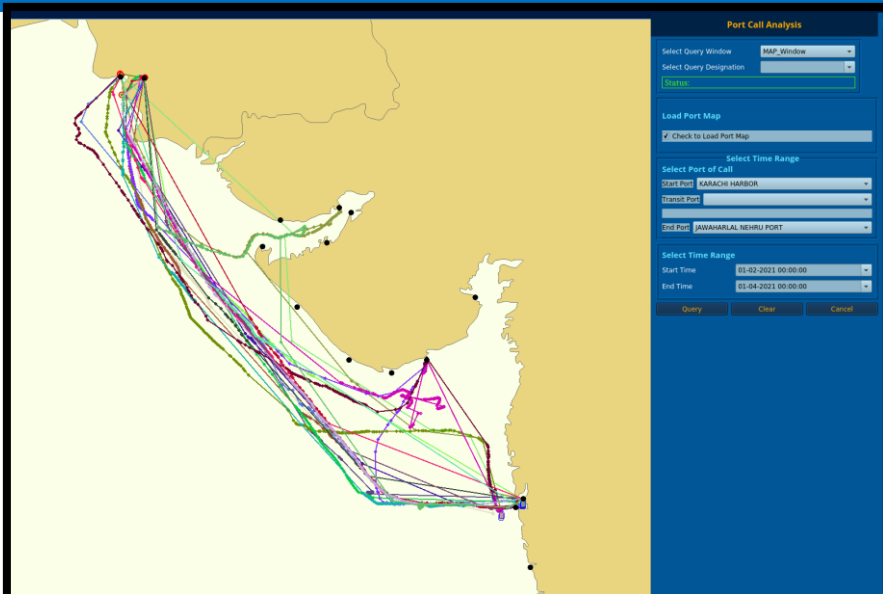
Track Movement Near Track of Interest





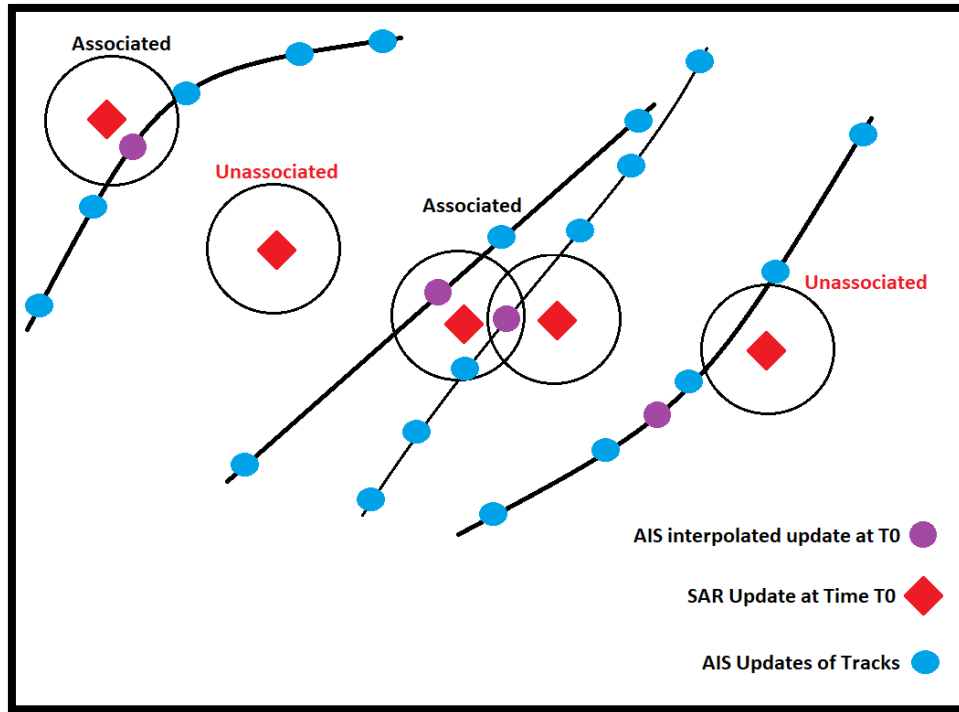
# Port Call Analysis

Fetch Tracks Travelled between Given Ports:  
Start Port  
Transit Port  
End Port





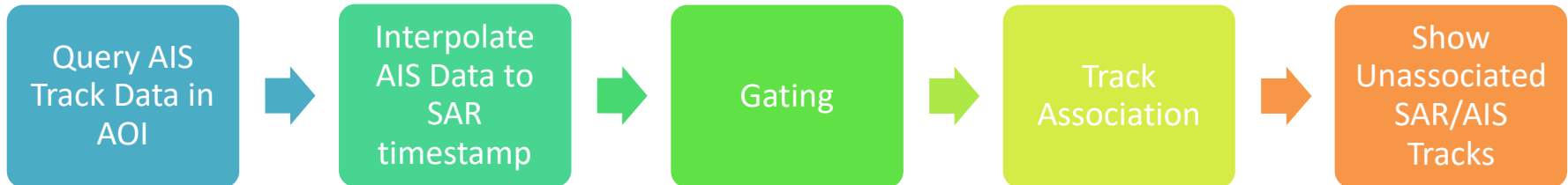
# Track association



Aim : To associate the SAR Track positions with available AIS picture

Multi Target Tracking Problem:  
Point To Track Association

In case the Gate of a SAR updated has more than one AIS updates Hungarian Assignment Algorithm is used for optimal SAR-AIS assignment based on great circle distance cost matrix.





# Artificial Intelligence

**Artificial intelligence (AI)** is intelligence demonstrated by machines, as opposed to the **natural intelligence** displayed by animals including humans. Leading AI textbooks define the field as the study of

“intelligent agents”: any system that perceives its environment and takes actions that maximize its chance of achieving its goals



## **Artificial Intelligence:**

Mimicking the intelligence or behavioural pattern of humans or any other living entity.

## **Machine Learning:**

A technique by which a computer can "learn" from data, without using a complex set of different rules. This approach is mainly based on training a model from datasets.

## **Deep Learning:**

A technique to perform machine learning inspired by our brain's own network of neurons.



# Machine Learning

*Machine learning (ML) is the study of computer algorithms that can improve automatically through experience and by the use of data.*

**Machine learning algorithms build a model based on sample data, known as training data, in order to make predictions or decisions without being explicitly programmed to do so.**



# Broad Types of Learning

## 1. Supervised learning

algorithms build a mathematical model of a set of data that contains both the inputs and the desired outputs. The data is known as training data, and consists of a set of training examples.

## 2. Unsupervised learning

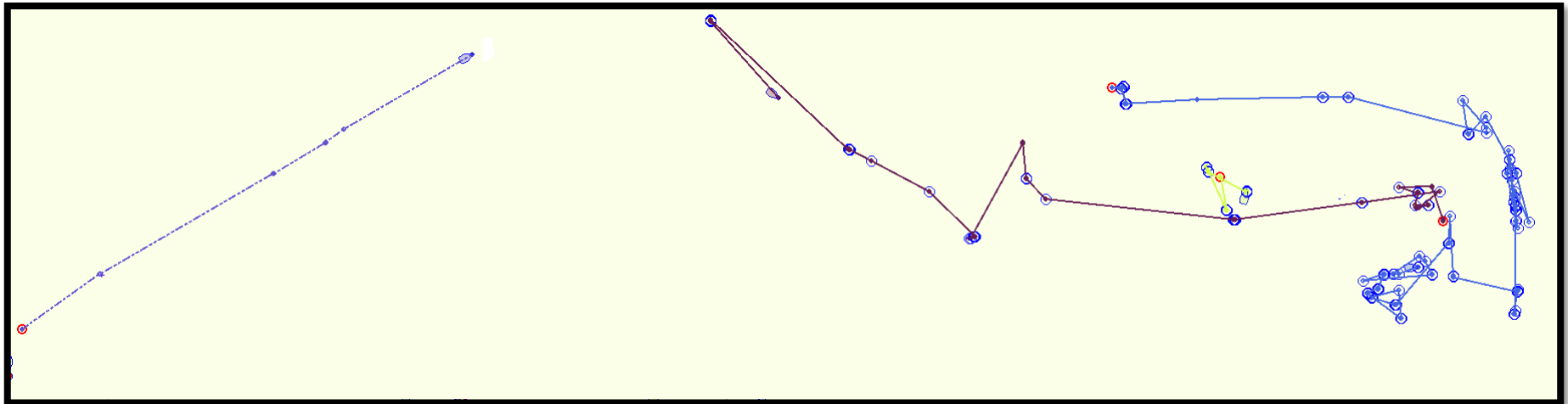
algorithms take a set of data that contains only inputs, and find structure in the data, like grouping or clustering of data points. The algorithms, therefore, learn from test data that has not been labeled, classified or categorized.



# Fishing Anomaly Detection

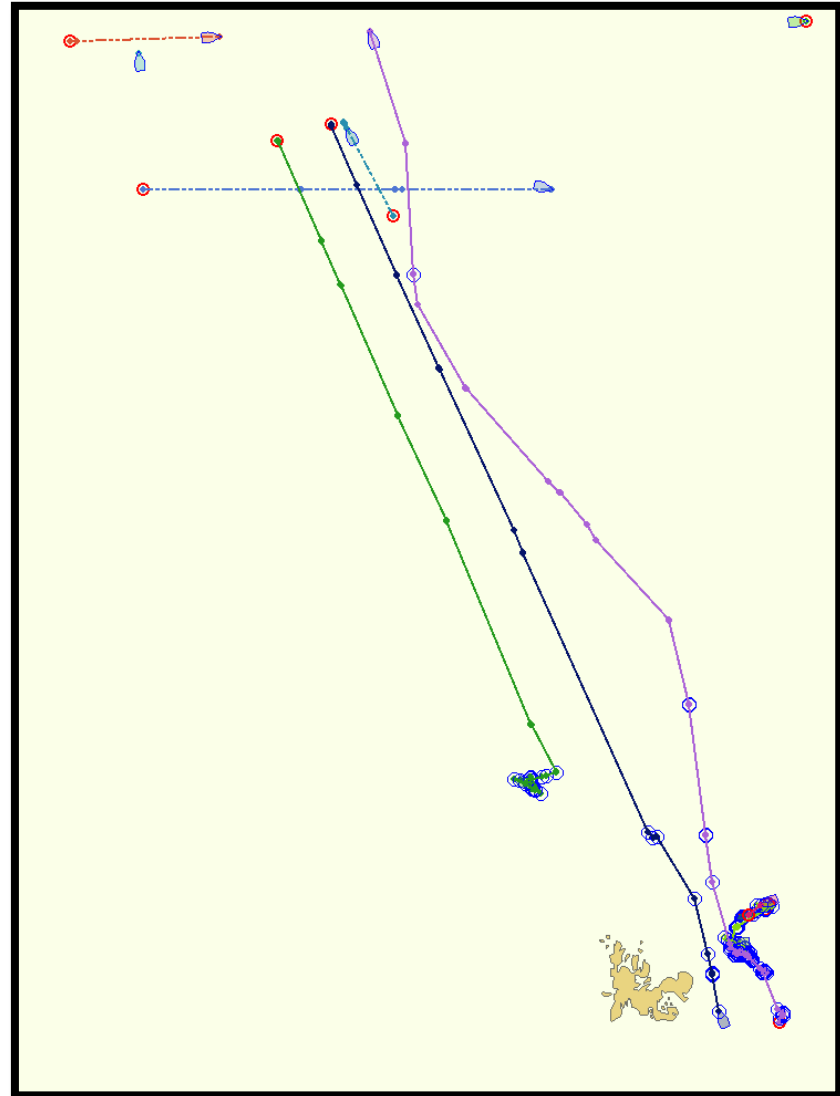
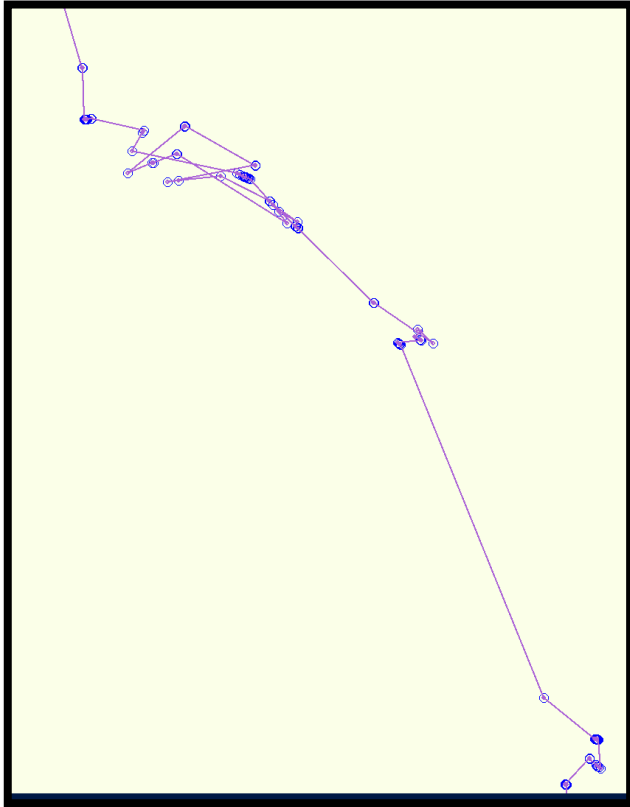
Aim: To detect Fishing Tracks that are not Fishing in AOI

1. Using Logistic Regression model from Global Fishing Watch of movement of fishing vessel while it is fishing.
2. The Model following vessel derived features for various time windows:
  - a) Average speed
  - b) Speed Standard deviation
  - c) Course Standard deviation





# Unknown Vessel Classification







# Track Movement Anomaly Detection

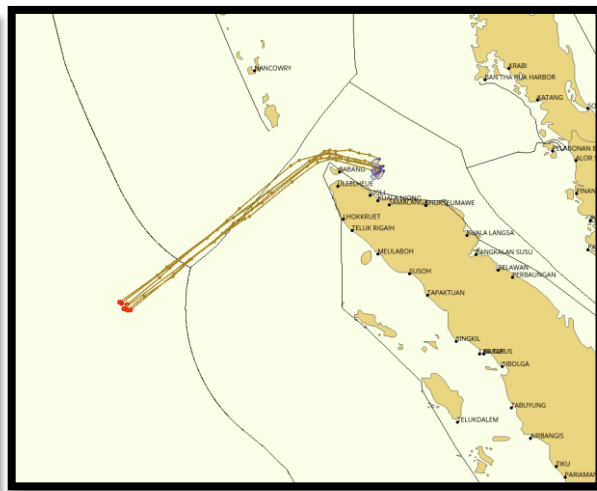
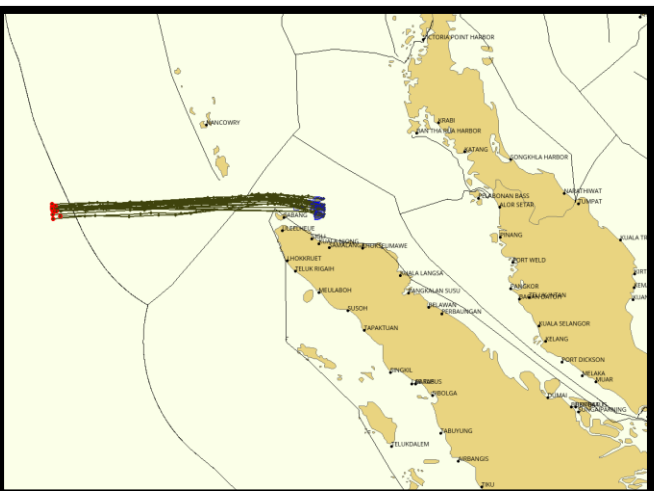
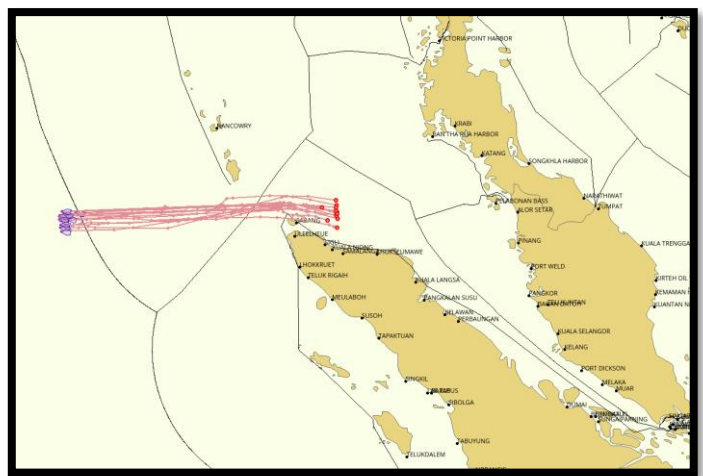
Aim: To detect Tracks not following Movement Pattern in AOI

1. Find Normalcy model for track movement in AOI
  - a) Find set of trajectory clusters in a AOI
2. Associate a track trajectory with all valid trajectory clusters
3. Show un-associated tracks as Anomalous Tracks



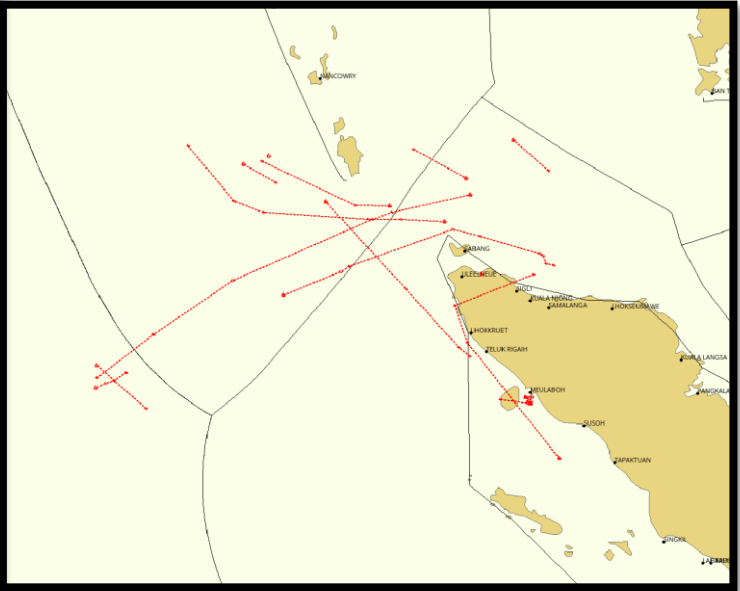
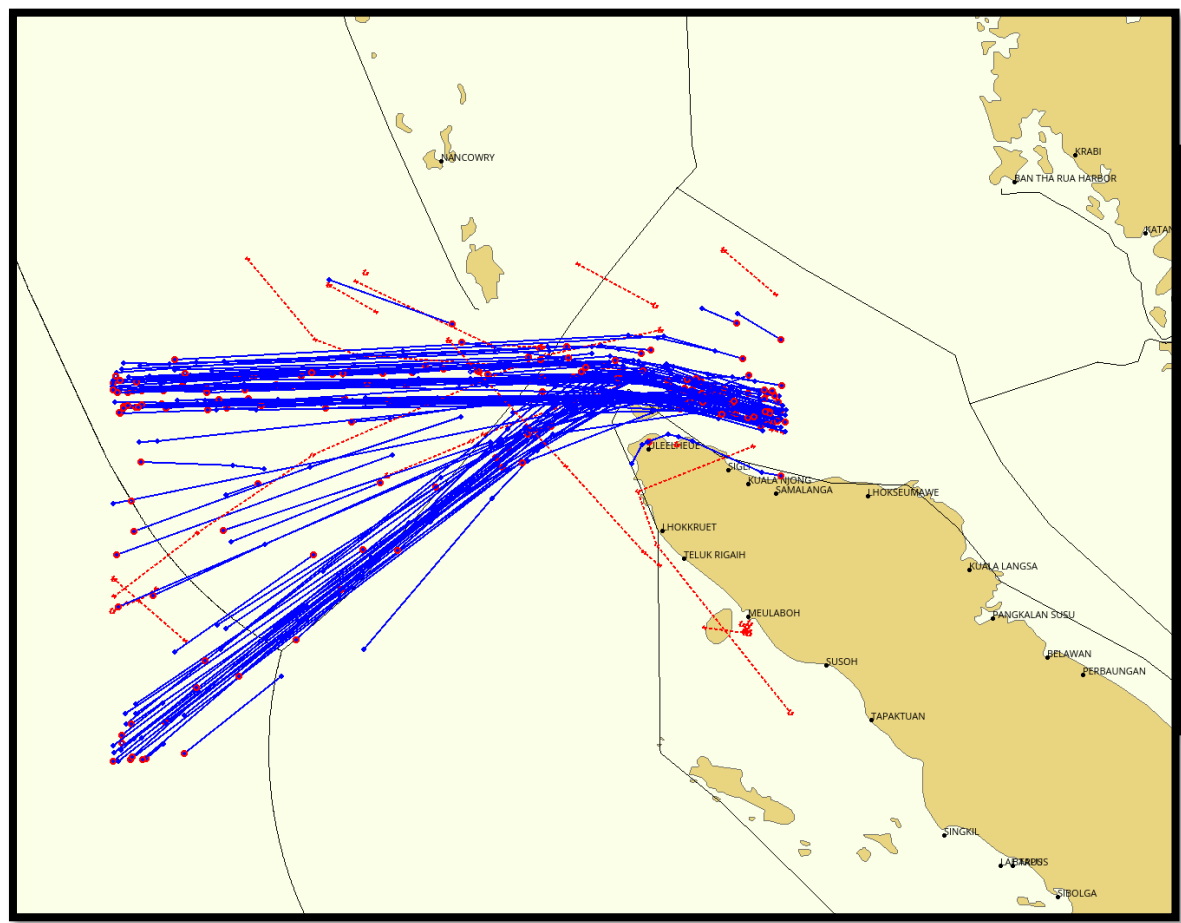


# Movement Pattern Extraction near Malacca Strait



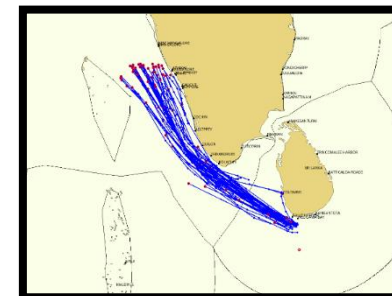
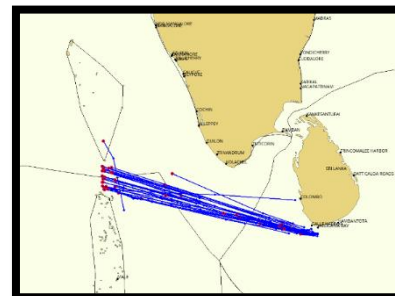
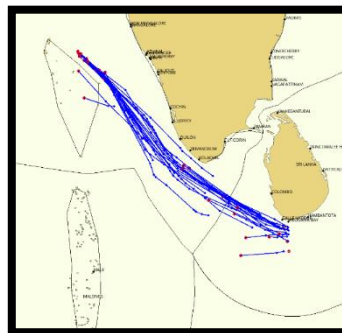
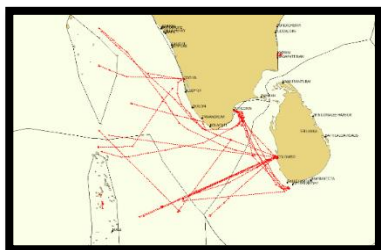
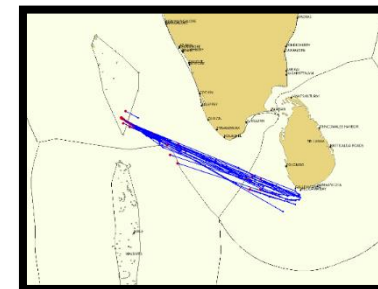
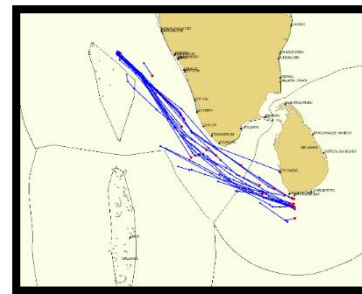
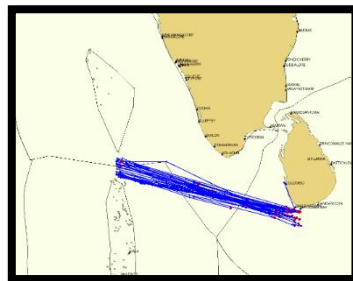
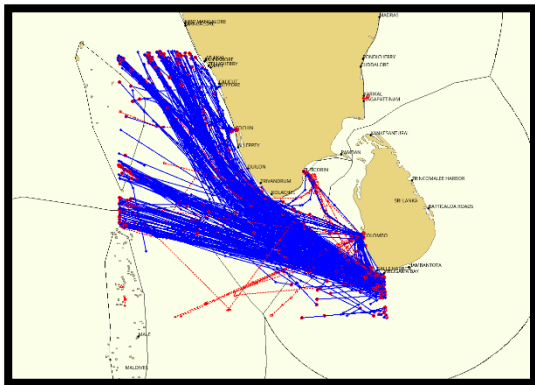


# Abnormal Movement Detection





# Movement Analysis : Prediction of Next Port Call



Associated Track To Route



Get The Port of Call Of Tracks Following the Route Historically



Select the Port of Call with Maximum instances



# Vessel Engagement Analysis

Aim: To detect Vessel Engagements in AOI

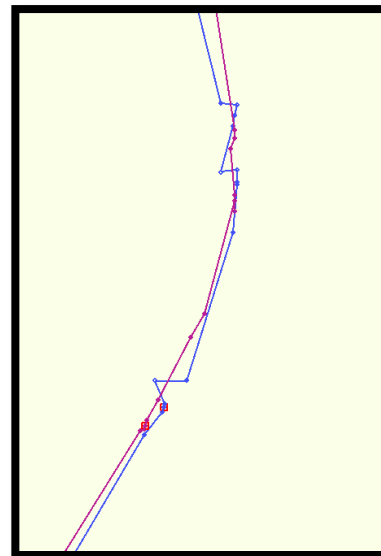
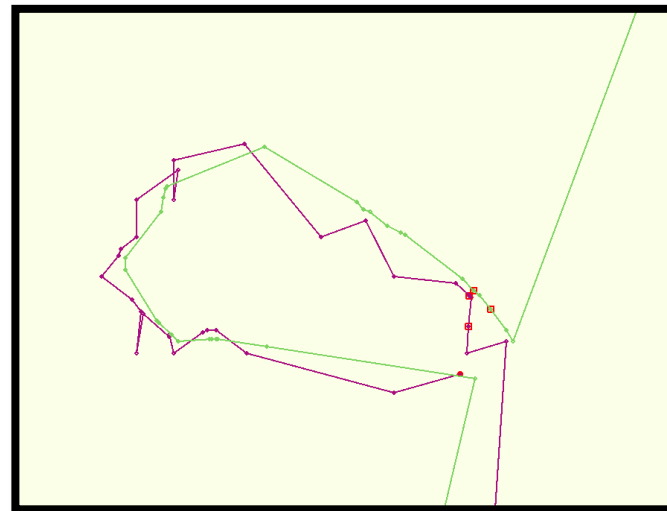
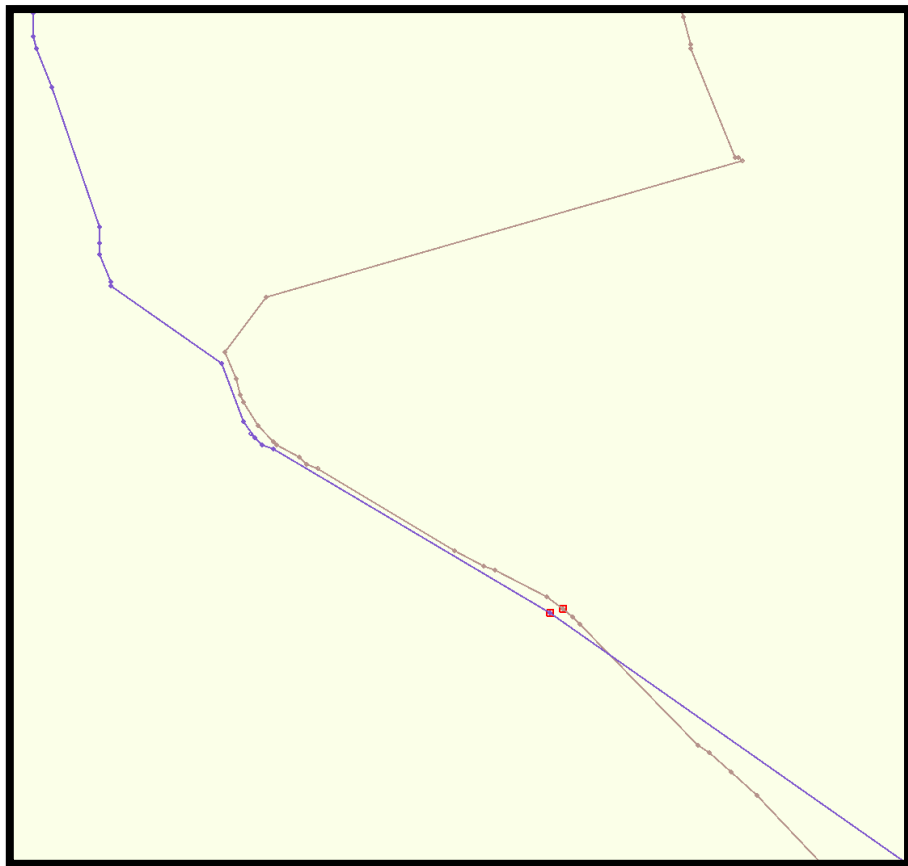
## 1. Rules for vessel engagement

- a) Distance between vessels  $< 250$  meters
- b) Moving with slow speed  $< 5$  Knots
- c) Course should be converging





# Vessel Engagement Analysis






# Ship Risk Profiling(SRP)

DSS system will calculate SRP Based on Customized algorithm

- i. Ports Call History
- ii. User defined scenarios/rules
- iii. Anomalies detected by system
- iv. Type of ship
- v. Flag and change of flag
- vi. Detentions



**General Information**

Trackname: **VALADON** Length: **229**  
IMO: **9677387** Draught: **12.199998**  
MMSI: **538005483** Gross tonnage:  
Callsign: **VTEK2** Track type: **CARGO**  
Width: Flag: **Marshall Islands**  
Breadth: **32** Verification flag: **M**  
Anomaly status: **false** Verification time: **21/03/2022 11:45**

**High Risk Vessel**

**Course/Position**

Latitude: **-39.8946** Status: **0**  
Longitude: **-7.0877** Source type: **MSIS**  
Course: **91.9000015** Destination: **ID CIG**  
Speed: **10.3999996** Last update: **30/03/2022 10:37**  
ETA: **24/04/2022 21:00**

**Anomaly Details**


Anomaly	Description	From	To	Duration
{109}	INVALID IMO CHECKSUM	30/11/21 01:12/21 01:34	01/12/21 14:24	1d 12h 49m 33s
{101}	DUPLICATE MMSI	16/07/21 01:25	16/07/21 01:32	0d 0h 7m 10s
{101}	DUPLICATE MMSI	15/07/21 18:08	15/07/21 23:58	0d 5h 49m 53s
{101}	DUPLICATE MMSI	15/07/21 08:35	15/07/21 16:59	0d 8h 24m 45s
{101}	DUPLICATE MMSI	11/05/21 04:48	11/05/21 06:10	0d 1h 21m 37s

**Voyage Details**

Destination	From	To	Duration
BR RIG	02/03/22 10:17	16/03/22 18:45	14d 8h 27m 12s
RECALADAO	17/02/22 15:30	25/02/22 11:27	7d 19h 57m 28s
TUBARAO	10/02/22 16:36	17/02/22 13:30	6d 20h 54m 17s
ZA PLZ	02/02/22 02:33	10/02/22 16:27	8d 13h 53m 30s
FOR ORDERS	28/01/22 22:36	02/02/22 01:00	4d 2h 24m 8s
NA	16/01/22 11:45	17/01/22 07:00	0d 19h 15m 38s
SIN SG PEBGC	10/01/22 16:06	12/01/22 18:25	2d 2h 18m 50s
SIN SG	28/12/21 07:12	07/01/22 13:33	10d 6h 20m 36s
AU PKL	14/12/21 01:26	23/12/21 10:14	9d 8h 48m 31s
NA	30/11/21 01:34	01/12/21 14:24	1d 12h 49m 33s
KR TAEAN	29/10/21 08:14	23/11/21 06:22	24d 22h 8m 23s
ROBERTS BANK	20/10/21 19:06	29/10/21 06:43	8d 11h 37m 35s
CA VAN	13/10/21 10:34	20/10/21 16:30	7d 5h 56m 8s
CA VAN	12/10/21 19:01	13/10/21 07:26	0d 12h 24m 51s
SG SIN	12/09/21 23:20	12/10/21 04:10	29d 4h 50m 11s
ZA PLZ	23/08/21 03:16	09/09/21 05:31	17d 2h 15m 25s
BR SFS	04/08/21 08:52	19/08/21 06:57	14d 22h 5m 45s

**Report** [X]

Type [1]  
Detention [1]  
Anomaly [1]  
Change of nationality/flag/name/id [1]  
Port call history [1]  
Total Weighting points [5]  
Ship Risk Profile [High]







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