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# The SESAME project 1 [and 2]

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# What is the SESAME Straits project?

## **SESAME Straits –**



e-Navigatio  
Intelligent Ship  
Traffic Manager

**Secure,  
Efficient and  
SAfe maritime traffic  
ManagEment in the  
Straits of Malacca and Singapore**

Clear synergies between the MEH project and e-Navigation

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# A Project with 10 Work Packages

## SESAME Straits - partners

- **Project members:** MPA, NCA, RCN, Vestfold University, Navtor, Marintek, SimPlus, KONGSBERG



- **Country Agreement:** Singapore/Norway R&D MoU



- **Funding - MAROFF programme:** Budget approx. NOK 25 mil



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- **Project Owner:** Kongsberg Norcontrol IT



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# SESAME Straits - objectives

The primary objective is to develop and validate shared situational awareness and cooperative decision making between ship's bridge team and shore based Vessel Traffic Service (VTS) personnel.

Secondary objectives are:

- Just In Time arrival within a Regional Maritime Service Portfolio
- Use existing systems/equipment as far as possible



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# SESAME Straits – existing systems today



e-Navigation  
Intelligent Ship  
Traffic Management

Planning station

ARPA/ECDIS

VHF voice/AIS

C-Scope VTS with decision support



Shipping provided by  
International Chamber of Shipping  
(ICS)



C-Scope VTS system provided by  
the Maritime and Port Authority  
of Singapore (MPA)



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# SESAME Straits – New systems



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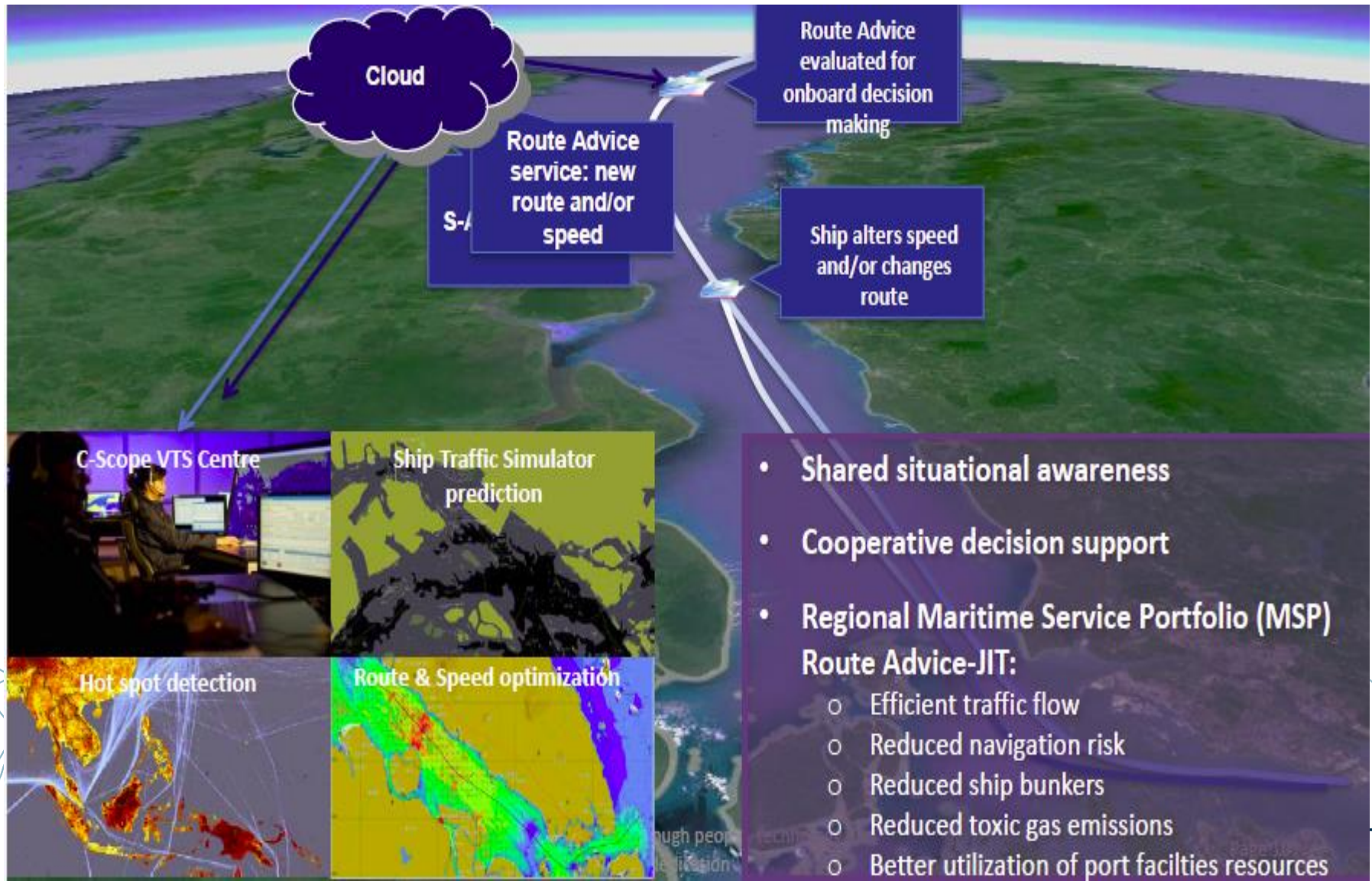
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# Operational Concept





# Project Conclusions

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- Three technology legs are necessary for e-Navigation: ship systems, shore-based systems, and communications systems. These three must work together in an integrated and harmonised way to exchange and present safety and security information for safe navigation of vessels, berth to berth. Therefore:
- The SESAME Straits project has demonstrated that the e-Navigation concept is viable. Information can be exchanged ship to shore using both VDES and a cloud solution.



# The SESAME Straits e-Navigation test bed project

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- Demonstrated that shared situational awareness and cooperative decision making between ship and shore is possible as a means of organizing vessel traffic in a Ship Traffic Management System (STMS).
- Demonstrated this by developing and testing at sea five demonstrators:
  1. Shore-based VTS system with a route monitor web client,
  2. Ship-based ECDIS,
  3. Ship-based planning station,
  4. Shore-based Ship Traffic Simulator, and
  5. VDES transponder

# The Success

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- The SESAME project demonstrated that predicting possible vessel traffic hot-spots in congested waterways is possible, and that new strategies to avoid such congestions can be used to improve safety and increase efficient traffic flow, enabling "Just-in-time" arrival of vessels, and reducing the environmental footprint.



# For more information

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**e-Navigation**  
Intelligent Ship  
Traffic Management

## ***SESAME Straits Project***

***Final Report***




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# [SESAME 2]

## Guiding principles

A graphic on the left side of the table consisting of several concentric white arcs on a dark teal background, resembling a stylized radar or signal waves.

Build upon the existing SESAME test bed
Use international standards and protocols
Cooperate with other projects
Use Human Centered Design principles
Seek additional regional partners
Expand the test bed coverage
Continue under the Norway-Singapore R&D <u>MoU</u>



# Background and ambition

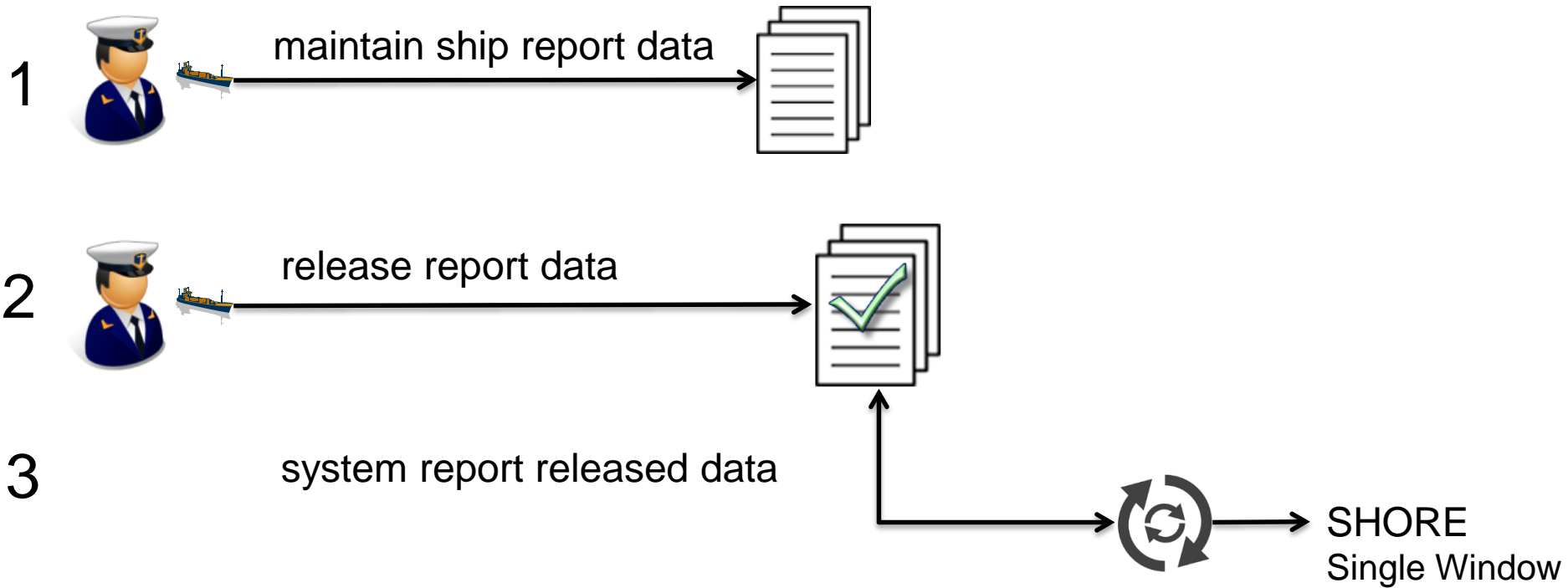
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- The e-navigation Strategy Implementation Plan (**SIP**)
- Strategy Implementation Plan for the five prioritized e-navigation solutions
  - S1: improved, harmonized and user-friendly bridge design;
  - **S2: means for standardized and automated reporting;**
  - S3: improved reliability, resilience and integrity of bridge equipment and navigation information;
  - S4: integration and presentation of available information in graphical displays received via communication equipment; and
  - S5: improved Communication of VTS Service Portfolio
- Proposal at NCSR (3/10 from Singapore, Norway and Brazil) to establish a testbed for automatic and standardised ship reporting (2016). A successful report about the trials was presented to IMO in 2017.



# Automatic Reporting principle

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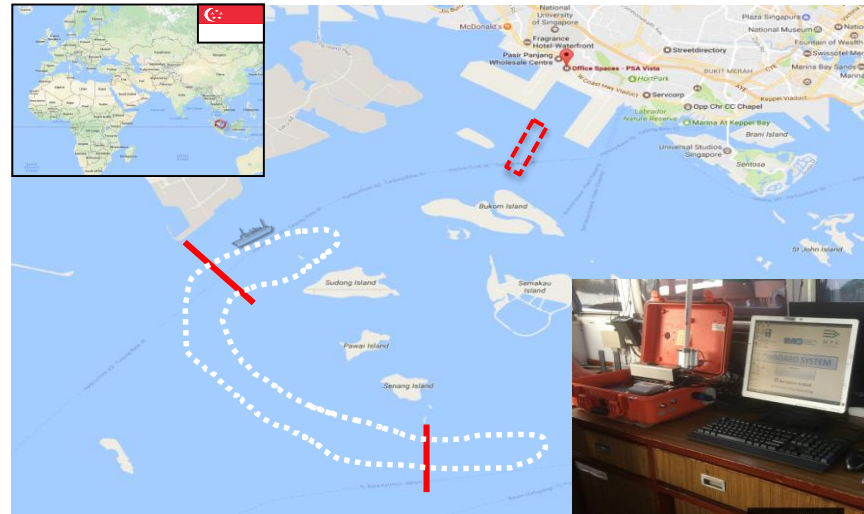
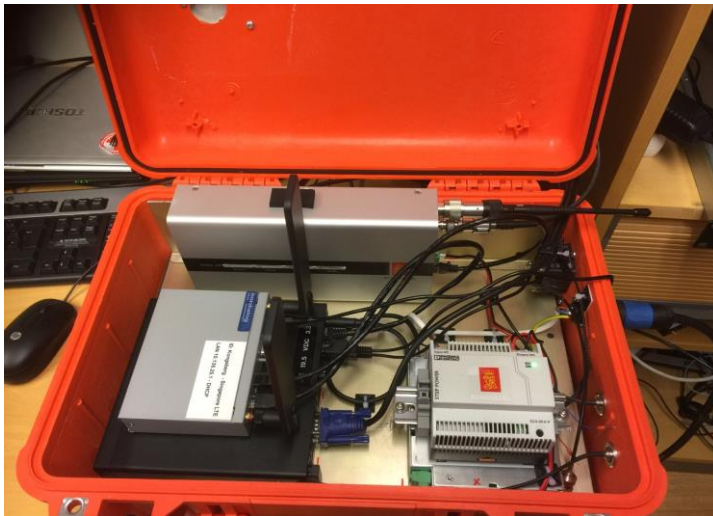




# Automatic Reporting, Singapore

**Singapore** - February 2017

- 2<sup>nd</sup> generation HW/SW/concept
- VDES and mobile communication
- Ship<sup>2</sup>Shore

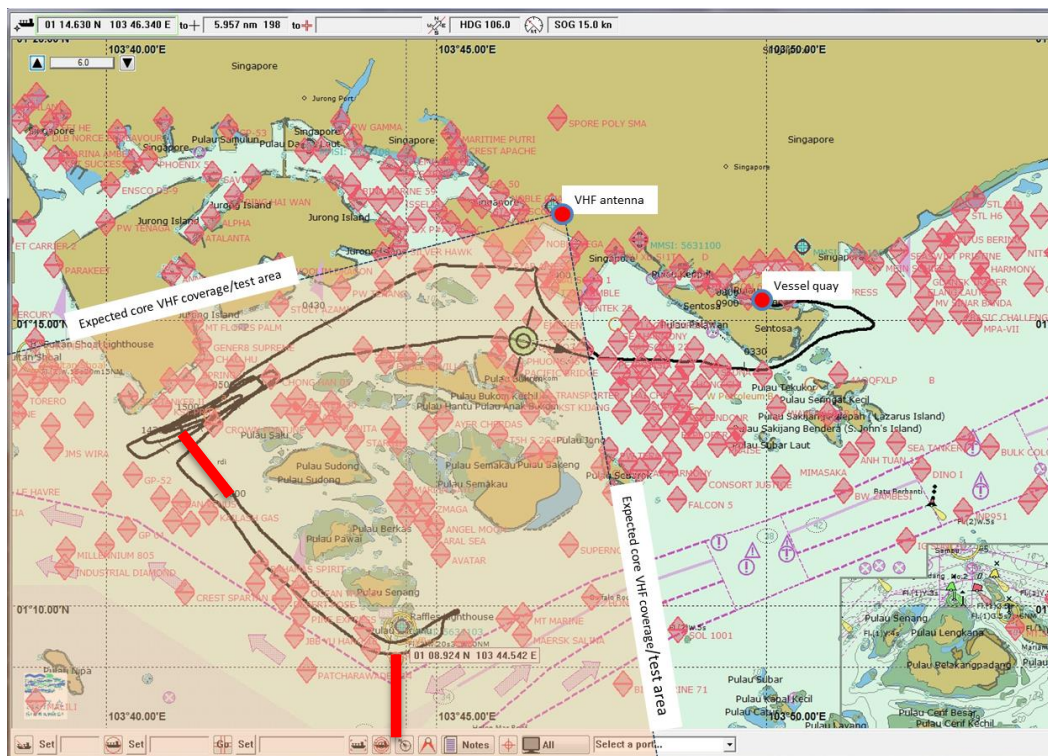


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# Trials 22<sup>nd</sup> February



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11:44 Pre	test 3 Mata Ikan	N_OK	poor coverage
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11:56 Pre	test 5 Mata Ikan	OK	
11:58 Pre	test 6 Mata Ikan	OK	
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13:35 Pre	test Line 2 Mata Ikan	OK	manual after line
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14:50 AUT	test Line 1 south	OK	automatic, sailing South, after restart service
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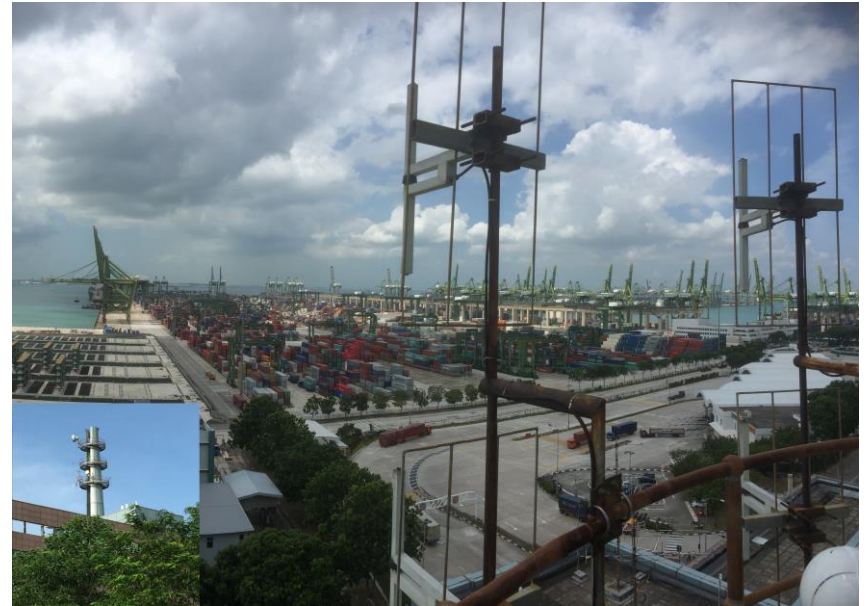
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# Results from the trials

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## Summary of the VDES results

Overall success rate for reports in the testbed	
Overall (all reports submitted)	83,3 %
Manual submitted reports	84,3 %
Automatic submitted reports	80,0 %



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First Satellitt with VDES to be tested during [SESAME 2]



# Conclusions

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- ✓ Results from the testbeds shows that Automatic Reporting is feasible and a part of the future
- ✓ Single Window central element when it comes to reporting
- ✓ Solutions such as VDES\* will solve communications needs for *Automatic Reporting*
- ✓ Technical and operational concepts for reporting needs to be further explored and developed
- ✓ Focus on standards, harmonisation and security
- ✓ SESAME 1 is good platform for the development of [SESAME 2]

\*along with other types of technology



# Way forward of a [SESAME 2] project

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## ➤ Digitalization, Automation and Single Window

- ✓ Further explore concepts for ship reporting
- ✓ Use experience to further develop Automatic Reporting
- ✓ Harmonisation
- ✓ Integration
- ✓ Test beds (full scale)

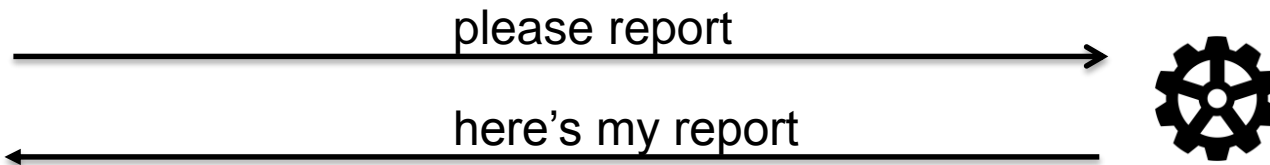


# Way forward *today* has been....

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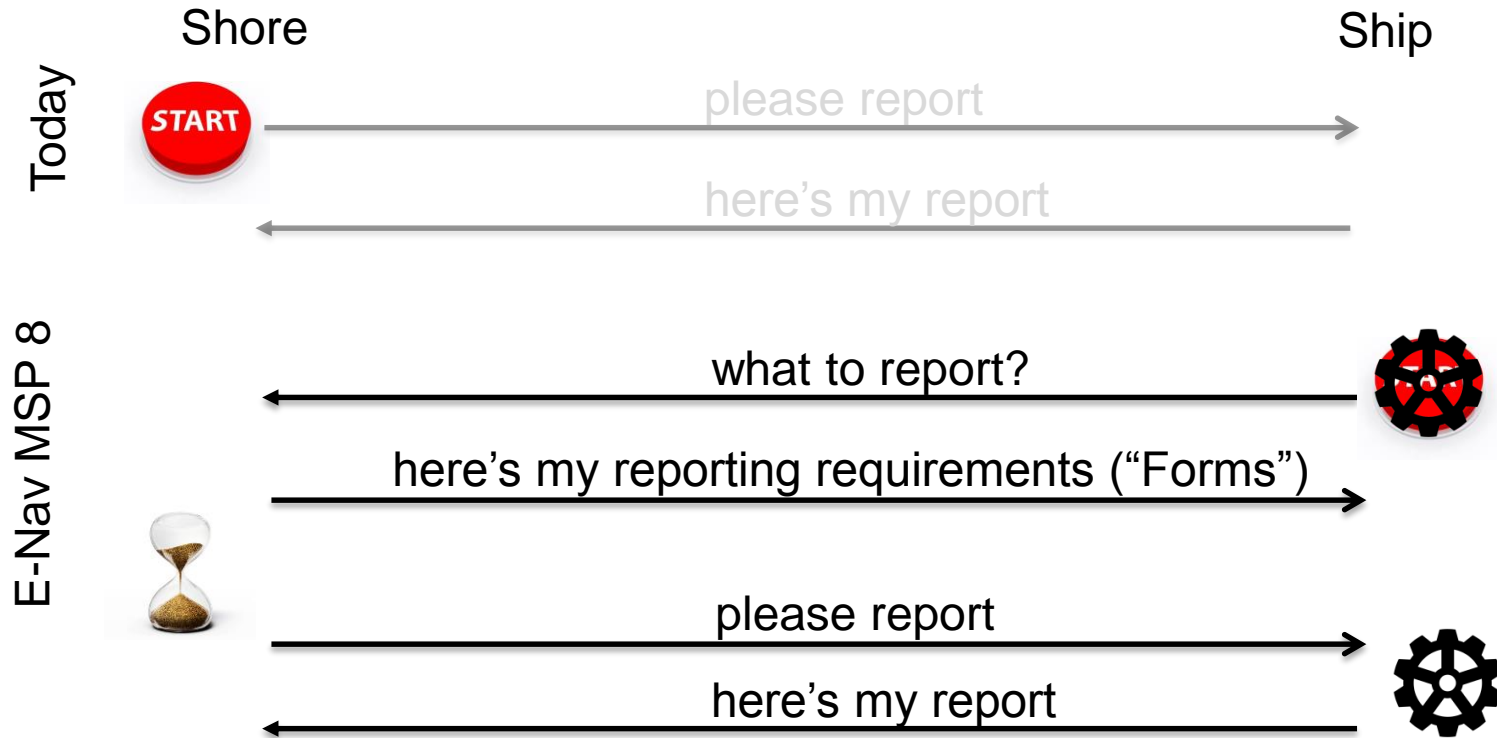


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# Way forward *tomorrow* could be.....



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