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State Hydrographic Service of Ukraine is an authorized state body on maritime and inland waterways charts production.

Ukraine represented by State Hydrographic Service is a member of International Hydrographic Organization and producer of data according to S-57 Standard (see Special Publication S-62 *IHO codes for agencies producing S-57 data*).

Currently the Black Sea and the Sea of Azov charting, maintained by our Service, is coming to an end with the navigational charts production in electronic (according to IHO S-57 Standard) and paper form. Inland waterways charts on Ukrainian area of the Danube river (from Reni Port to Mouth) and electronic charts according to Standard Electronic Chart Display and Information System for Inland Navigation (Edition 1.02) are prepared for production. It has been started work on navigational charts for other navigable rivers of Ukraine.

In view of integration processes and the Ukraine's aspiration to join the European Community, and, in particular, the plans of our Service to standardize navigational charts for navigable rivers of Ukraine, we kindly ask you to consider the possibility of assigning the special code to the Dnipro river taking into account the length of navigable section of the river and its tributaries. The problem is that there is no codification data in SECTION 2 Inland ECDIS Data Standard, Annex A of Appendix A: *Codes for Producers and Waterways* (In addition to IHO – S-57 IHO Codes).

River	Navigable section length, km	Codification proposals	Notes
Dnipro	1004	DN	
Prypiat'	62,5	DP	Dnipro tributary
Desna	505	DD	Dnipro tributary
Vorskla	42	DV	Dnipro tributary
Sula	64	DS	Dnipro tributary