

DAIMON 2: Decision Aid for Marine Munitions – Practical Application

E-learning, Trainings

E-learning

On the PNA e-learning platform are available training (lesson) in Polish and English on the history of dumped ammunition, rules of conduct in the event of contact with ammunition on a vessel and the rules of notification during contact with chemical ammunition on the beach. There are also available trainings on DSS service in English and in Polish. Institutions that are interested in getting access to the materials should contact PhD Edyta Łońska (e.lonska@amw.gdynia.pl) to set the institutional account. After the trainings, the participants will be prepared to use the DSS tool.

National practical training

In October, an on-line DSS training was conducted for Area Control Centre (COAS) staff, the training was designed to prepare for national exercises related to crisis management response. In November, as a support, partners from PNA took part in a nationwide exercise checking crisis management procedures. Due to the pandemic situation, the training was mainly lead on-line and the number of participants in the exercise was significantly limited.

DSS on-line trainings

PNA offers an on-line training from using the DSS tool. We have already conducted training for the employees of the Regional Directorates for Environmental Protection from Gdańsk and Szczecin, and for the General Directorate for Environmental Protection on DSS tool. The training was aimed at familiarizing with the possibilities of DSS and the operation of the system. The General Directorate for Environmental Protection is government administration office reporting to the competent minister for the environment.

We also would like to invite other institutions that are interested in dealing with chemical and conventional munitions and threats that they pose to the environment. The scope of the training includes software operating, introducing new findings of chemical and conventional munitions to the system and generating a final report containing proposed actions to be taken in the event of incidents involving dumped chemical and conventional weapons.

Proposed training dates:

- April 22, 29, 2021
- May 13, 27, 2021
- June 10, 17, 2021

Applications in the form of a list of participants (name, surname, e-mail address, institution) should be sent to e.lonska@amw.gdynia.pl by April 15, 2021 at the latest. In the case of applications exceeding the planned number of participants, we will propose additional training dates, enabling effective training of all interested persons. In the event of an insufficient number of applications for a given training date, it will be individually consulted with the interested parties. Any questions you may have will be answered by PhD Edyta Łońska (e-mail: e.lonska@amw.gdynia.pl). We cordially invite all people interested in participating in the training to contact us.

Participation in the training is free of charge.

Training agenda for each meeting

9.00 – 9.15	Logging in to an on-line system
9.15 – 13.00	Presentation of the project and DSS DAIMON combined with an on-line exercise
13.00 – 13.15	Discussion