



Polish data policy (and other comments)

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- INSPIRE Directive is implemented into Polish law
- Spatial Data Infrastructure Council created
- Geodetic and Cartographic Agency responsible for all INSPIRE-related services "channelling"
- Leaders for different themes have been nominated
- Minister responsible for maritime economy "awarded" for some themes
- Some sea-related themes maintained by other















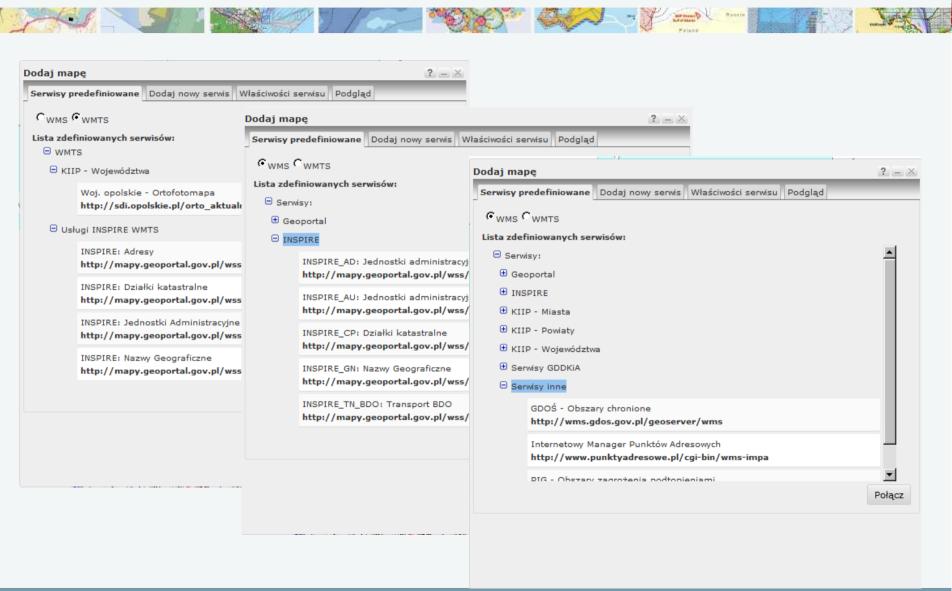




- geoportal.gov.pl
- Ready to serve both INSPIRE and non-INSPIRE geodata
- Ready to "channel" both INSPIRE and non-INSPIRE geodata services











- Implementation schedule synchronised with latest dates in INSPIRE Directive – risk of delays
- Web Catalogue expected in December 2013
- Built only on existing datasets thus in limited relevance for sea
- Focusing only on legally enforced registers limited scope of the data – a lot of datasets held outside of those ones
- Non-resolved issues of access to real data access regulated in number of different acts/orders, partially allowing for remuneration
- No "incentives" for becoming third party in the INSPIRE Directive sense
- Driver for sea layers required



Bottom-up approach – NODC case



- Movement of non-enforced legally data registers owners
- Mostly research institutes at the moment
- Actions towards National Oceanographic Data Committee creation
- INSPIRE compliant, but outside of the INSPIRE framework
- To be connected to Polish Geoportal as national datasets
- More live data exchange already occurring
- Focused on free access to data



Other comments



- EMODNET does need guidance on what can be delivered for MSP purposes
- Probably data products should be used out of the EMODNET data but
- Transparency of analysis and data products development methods should be requested
- EMODNET Sea Uses contract should be monitored and inspected for the suitability for MSP