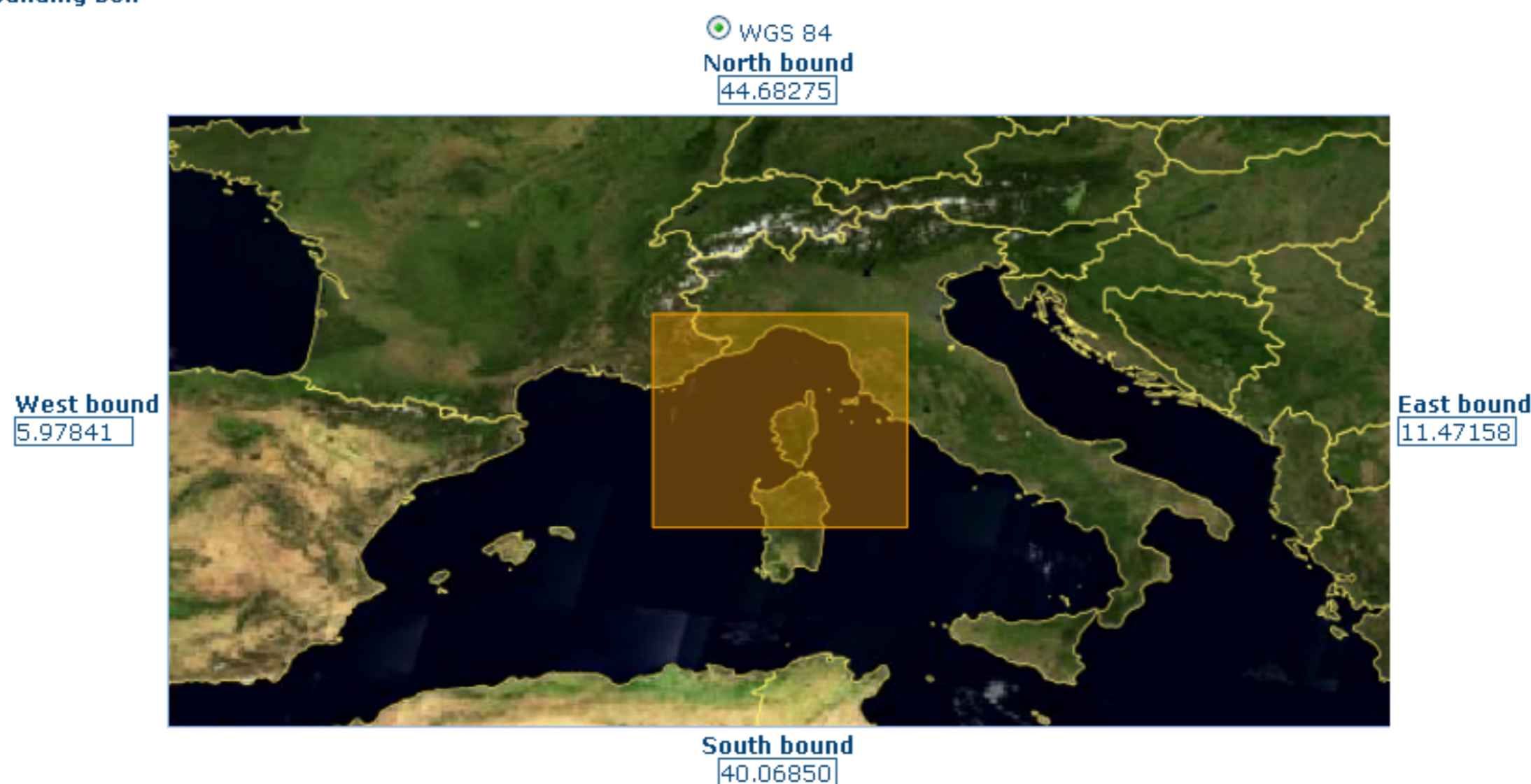
**Identification info**

Title	passenger vessel density from AIS [CIMA Foundation, 2015]
Date	2015-02-16T09:00:00
Date type	Publication: Date identifies when the resource was issued
Presentation form	Digital map: Map represented in raster or vector form
Abstract	Density of passenger vessel transits, expressed in kilometres per squared kilometre, within the spatial reference EPSG: 3035 at a 10km spatial resolution and including the INSPIRE compliant cell identifier. Transit distance was calculated from the CIMA foundations AIS dynamic point data which was recorded from an antennae located at 44.30°N and 8.45°E between May 2013 and October 2014. After an initial preparation, cleaning and filtering procedure a GIS platform was used to create line transits from the positional points for each unique vessel for each day. The length of the passenger vessel transits were then summed within each grid cell for total and monthly composites covering the North West Mediterranean Sea. The data is part of the Pelagos Convention No. 01/2014 project to provide a description of the vessel traffic in order to address the impact to cetacean species as part of the Pelagos Sanctuary MPA regulations.
Status	Completed: Production of the data has been completed
Maintenance and update frequency	Not planned: There are no plans to update the data
Descriptive keywords	BIO , environmental impact assessment , marine environment , Pelagos Sanctuary , shipping , marine transportation , Automatic Identification System (AIS) , transport networks .
Use constraints	Other restrictions: Limitation not listed
Spatial representation type	Grid: Grid data is used to represent geographic data

Equivalent scale

Denominator	1000000
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