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Date	Version	Name	Reason
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28/09/2022	1.1	Michelle Cooper	Annual review and updates to; leases in Section 7, Port Services in Section 8 to reflect current providers, Annexures where government authorities have changed names, and ISO Certificates after recertification in 2022. Legal review of disclaimers and legislation references.

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1. Introduction

In March 2016, the Victorian Parliament passed the Delivering Victorian Infrastructure (Port of Melbourne Lease Transaction) Act 2016 (Vic). This legislation provides for the commercial operations of the port to be leased to the private sector for a period of 50 years.

On 1 November 2016, Port of Melbourne Operations Pty Ltd (as Trustee for the Port of Melbourne Unit Trust) (**PoM**) commenced a 50-year lease of the Port. Operating as a 'landlord port'. PoM is responsible for planning, development and management of port land and shipping channels. Management of navigation remains with the State, managed by Ports Victoria and particularly the Harbour Master which is appointed by and sits within Ports Victoria (under the Marine Safety Act 2010 (Vic)).

This Safety and Environment Management Plan (SEMP) is the safety management plan and the environmental plan PoM is required to have under section 91C of the Port Management Act 1995 (Vic) (PMA). PoM's SEMP and its supporting safety, environmental and risk management systems were externally audited in May 2022 and found to be fully compliant with the PMA (see audit details in Section 13).

2. Legislative Background

Port Management Act 1995 (Vic) (PMA)

Section 91(CA) of the PMA provides that the objectives of a SEMP are promoting:

- improvements in safety and environmental outcomes in the port;
- facilitating the development, maintenance and implementation of systems that enable compliance with various safety and environmental duties that apply to the operation of the port; and
- an integrated and systematic approach to risk management in relation to the operation of the port.

Section 91D of the PMA sets out the key requirements for a SEMP which include preparing the SEMP in accordance with the Ministerial Guidelines Port Safety and Environment Management Plans November 2012. PoM's SEMP has been prepared to meet these requirements:

Under Section 91C (2) of the PMA, PoM is also required to take reasonable steps to:

- implement measures and strategies specified in the SEMP to prevent or reduce hazards and risks associated with the operation of the port;
- follow processes set out in the SEMP to involve its tenants, licensees and service providers with the implementation of the plan; and
- follow the procedures set out in the plan for implementing, reviewing and revising the SEMP.



Other Key Legislation

Other relevant Victorian safety and environmental legislation includes the:

- Occupational Health and Safety Act 2004 (OHS Act);
- Dangerous Goods Act 1985;
- Environment Protection Act 2017;
- Marine and Coastal Act 2018;
- Marine (Drug, Alcohol and Pollution Control) Act 1988;
- Marine Safety Act 2010;
- Emergency Management Act 1986;
- Pollution of Waters by Oil and Noxious Substances Act 1986.

Associated regulations or other instruments under the above Acts must also be complied with. PoM is also subject to relevant obligations under other State and Commonwealth legislation regarding maritime safety, security and the protection of the environment.

Port of Melbourne Lease Transaction (PLT) and Ports Victoria Activities

Effective 1 November 2016, the following functions and activities were retained by Ports Victoria:

- management of vessel traffic in port waters
- provision and maintenance of a Vessel Traffic Service (VTS) for the safe and efficient movement of vessels in Port of Melbourne waters
- maintenance of land and water assets under its areas of management control (e.g. Station Pier, Port Operations Control Centre (POCC), Lonsdale VTS)
- provision of emergency management and Tier 1 marine pollution response capability in accordance with State Maritime Emergency (non-search and rescue) Sub-plan
- enabling the management and provision of essential port services by other parties in the port e.g. tugs and lines boats

As these are not functions of PoM they are not covered in the SEMP.



3. Key Performance Indicators

PoM's Key Performance Indicators (KPIs) aim to assess the extent to which the implementation of the SEMP achieves the planning objectives set out in section 91CA of the PMA, as shown below:

КРІ	Performance Metric
Ensure no preventable harm to people	Number of incidents and injury rates for PoM staff and contractors Number of incidents reportable to regulator(s)
Minimise impacts to the environment	Number of assurance inspections scheduled and conducted
No works to be undertaken without induction	Number of inductions completed
Facilitate and participate in consultative forums	Number of consultative forums with stakeholders facilitated and/or attended



4. Integrated Management System (IMS)

In March 2019 PoM's Integrated Management System (IMS) was independently certified by Bureau Veritas to:

- ISO 45001:2018 OH&S Management Systems
- ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management Systems
- ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management Systems
- ISO 55001:2014 Asset Management (refer Annexure 5).

As a result of the certification and ongoing surveillance audits, the latest occurring in June 2022, the IMS ensures that PoM:

- identifies and systematically meets customer, stakeholder and interested party needs, expectations and compliance requirements
- operates in a manner that minimises potential harm to staff, sub-contractors, the community and the environment
- manages its assets with consideration of stakeholder requirements and expectations and in accordance with its compliance obligations and strategic objectives
- continually improves its performance in the above areas.

The design of PoM's IMS is shown below in Figure 1.

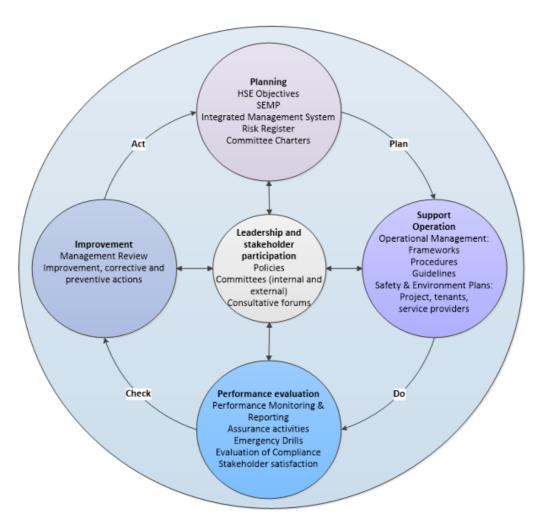


Figure 1 – Integrated Management System



The key system elements are summarised below:

Element	Metric	
SEMP	The SEMP provides a tool for PoM to work through key safety, environment and emergency management activities with its stakeholders. The SEMP is published on PoM's website (www.portofmelbourne.com).	
Port Activity Map	PoM's Port Activity Map (PAM) describes significant activities within the port that give rise to potential risks and hazards, including activities carried out by tenants, service providers and other parties (refer to Section 9 and Annexes 1, 2 and 3).	
Safety and Environment Management Systems	Certification of the IMS to ISO 45001:2018 OH&S Management Systems; ISO 14001:2015 Environmental Management Systems; ISO 9001:2015 Quality Management Systems; and ISO 55001:2014 Asset Management ensures a systematic approach to PoM's management of safety and the environment.	
Risk Management	PoM's Enterprise Risk Management Framework (ERMF) includes operational safety and environment risk registers which are regularly reviewed by PoM Management.	

Operational Management

PoM has several operational management activities and plans in place which support the objectives of the SEMP.

Operational Management	Detail
PoM Activities	 Maintain an appropriate PAM and the ERMF operational risk registers to identify risks and the required risk treatments Maintain incident reporting as a key source of information for identifying hazards and risks in the port Ensure emergency incidents are coordinated through a central point via Ports Victoria's Vessel Traffic Services (VTS) at Ports Victoria's Port Operations Control Centre Ensure incidents are recorded and managed within a central database and subject to management reviews, investigations and reporting Conduct appropriate safety and environmental inspections and maintenance works Provide contracted security services within the port Provide employee and contractor induction training to assist in advising of hazards or requirements at specific workplaces Require third parties (e.g. tenants) to obtain PoM's consent prior to undertaking any development or planning works within the port
PoM Plans	 PoM's Maritime Security Plan (MSP) and procedures to help safeguard maritime transport in accordance with the Maritime, Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act 2003 (Cth) and supporting Regulations (see Section 10 below) PoM's Emergency Management Plan that provides guidance to effectively discharge its emergency management responsibilities (see Section 11 below) Site Evacuation Plans to provide standard procedures for evacuation to reduce the loss and injury to life and property on PoM common user berths Relevant supporting business continuity and crisis management plans



Third Parties and Port users

- PoM requires third parties (e.g. tenants) to prepare safety and environment management plans in certain circumstances to provide risk management planning processes across the whole port. This requirement is generally incorporated into PoM's leases, service contracts and within development guidelines as part of the works consent process for all longer-term leases
- There is also a range of associated safety and environment documents provided on PoM's website to assist third parties with port operations and the use of port facilities. Refer to www.portofmelbourne.com

5. The Port of Melbourne

Noting PoM's SEMP applies to the functions of PoM as described in Section 1 and to PoM's Lease area, the following table summarises the broader port of Melbourne area:

Port Areas	Detail
Description of Port Areas	The Port of Melbourne is Australia's largest container and general cargo port and is located at the north of Port Phillip Bay. The Port of Melbourne contains more than 100 nautical miles of shipping channels and fairways
	between the Port Phillip Heads, the Yarra and Maribyrnong Rivers, Williamstown and Port Melbourne.
Port of Melbourne Waters	The Port of Melbourne waters cover an area of more than 1000 square kilometers, which include part of the Yarra River, Williamstown, Port Melbourne and South channels, Port Phillip entrance and three nautical miles to seaward from Port Phillip Heads.
	Figure 2 shows Port Phillip Bay and the boundaries of Port of Melbourne Waters and Figure 3 shows the 'Port Phillip Channels and distances'.
Port land and land use	The Port of Melbourne occupies defined precincts in and adjacent to the Yarra River within the municipal districts of Melbourne, Hobsons Bay, Maribyrnong, and Port Phillip. Figure 4 shows an aerial picture of the Port indicating the port of Melbourne's 'declared lands' (i.e. port boundaries). Note Ports Victoria occupies the POCC on Figure 4.
	The Port of Melbourne also supports a wide range of port related activities which are outlined in the figures and tables below. Figure 5 indicates the land use activities within the port of Melbourne.
Ecologically significant areas	Port of Melbourne waters are proximate to Commonwealth and Victorian recognised areas of ecological significance including internationally recognised Ramsar wetlands and State-managed Marine Sanctuaries and Marine National Parks.
	Figure 6 shows the location of these ecologically significant areas.
Dangerous goods and hazardous materials	Figure 7 shows the location of Dangerous Goods storage and handling areas.



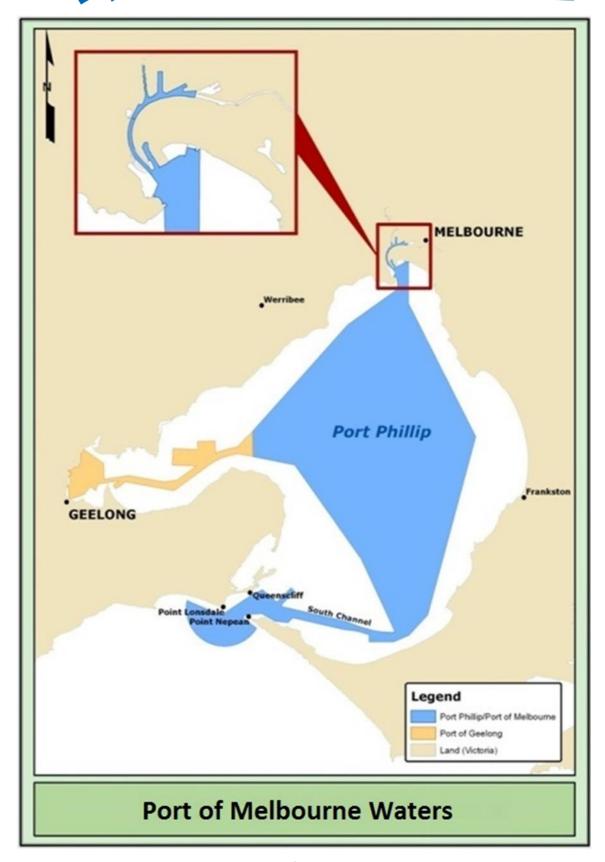


Figure 2 – Port of Melbourne Waters



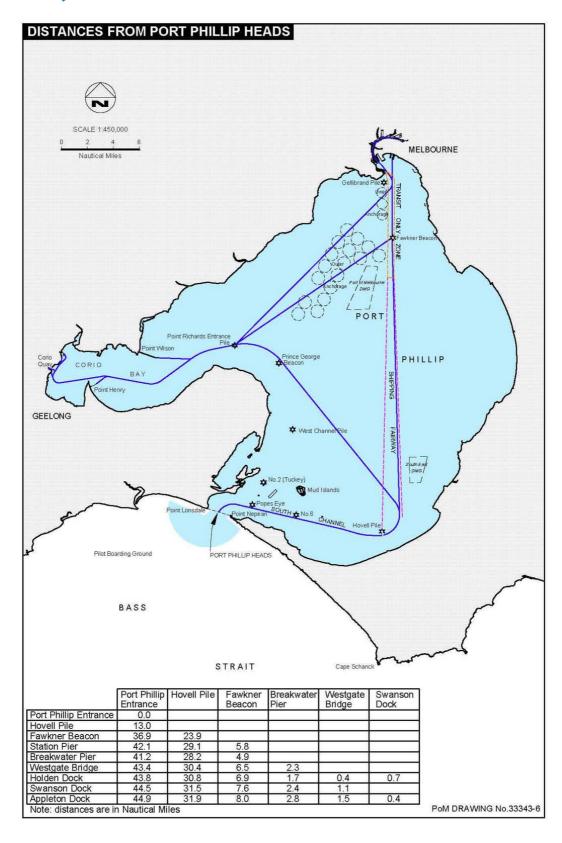


Figure 3 – Port Phillip Channels and Distances



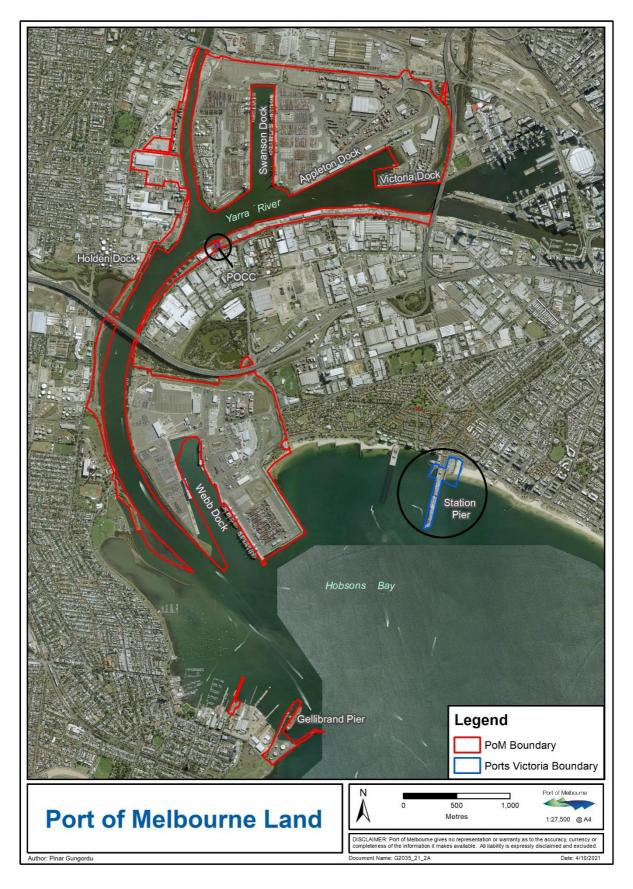


Figure 4 – Port of Melbourne Land



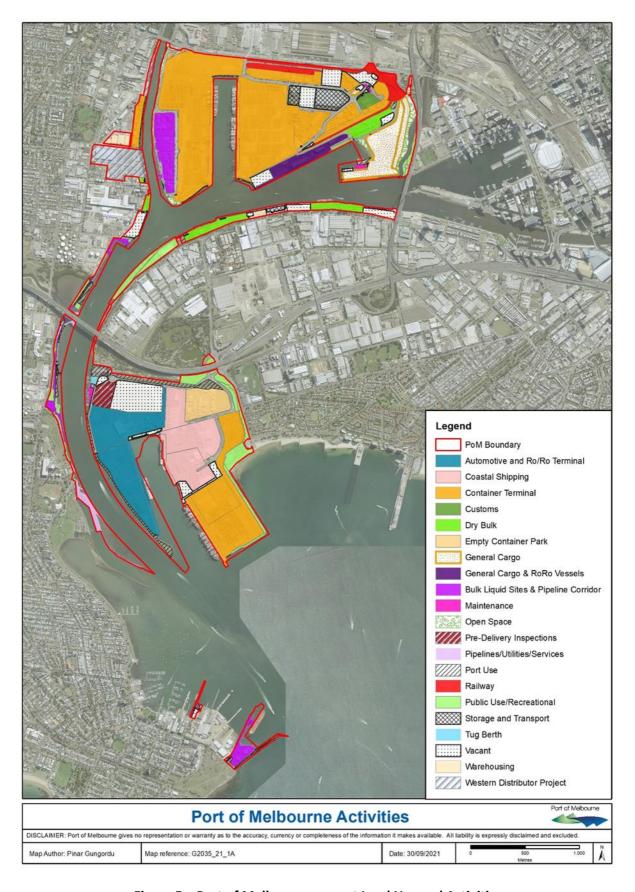


Figure 5 – Port of Melbourne current Land Use and Activities



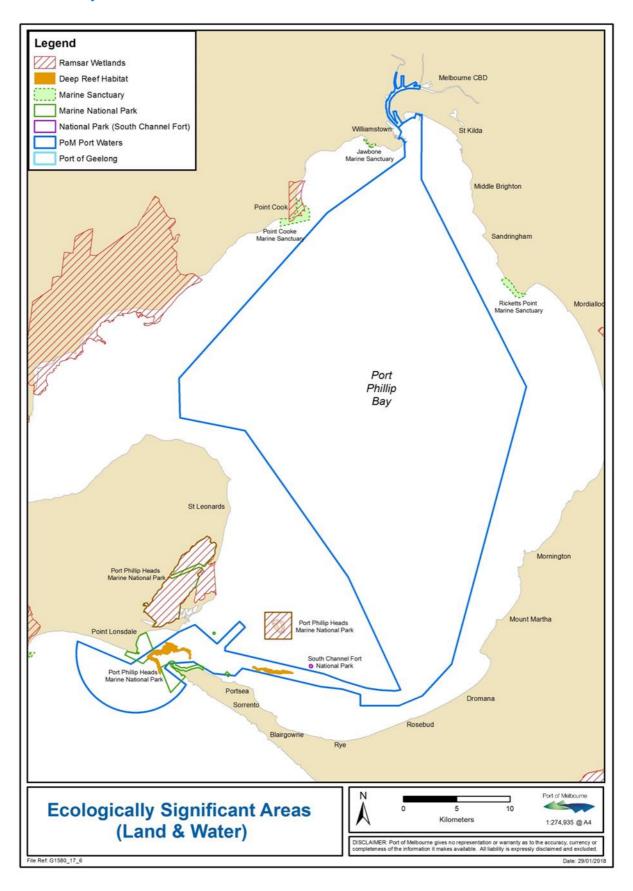


Figure 6 – Ecologically Significant Areas (Land and Water)



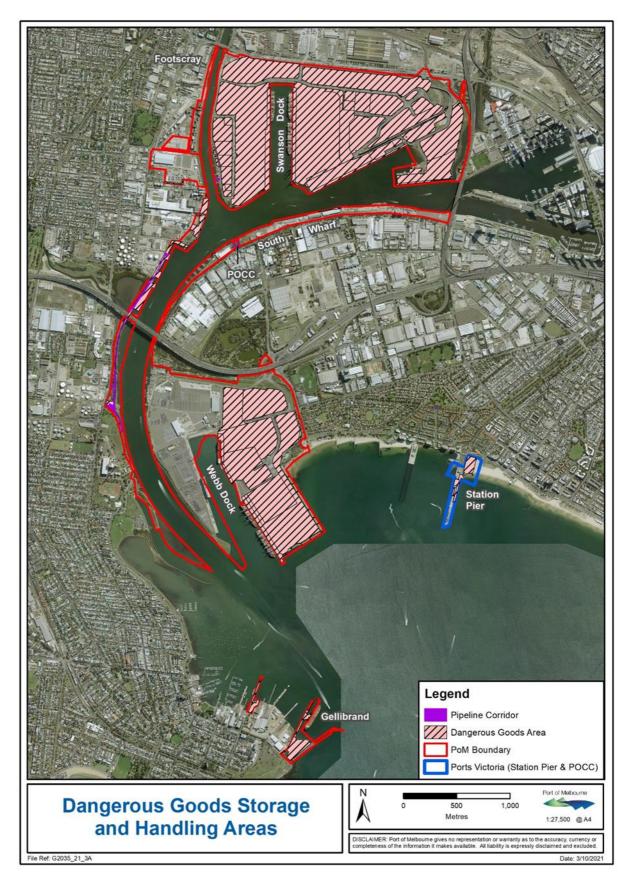


Figure 7 – Dangerous Goods Storage and Handling Areas



6. Port Facilities and Users

At the time of publishing the Port of Melbourne provides six types of commercial shipping facilities:

- Container terminals
- Multi-purpose terminals (including general cargo, motor vehicles and coastal trade)
- Dry bulk berths and storage
- Bulk liquid berths and storage
- Cruise shipping (note: Station Pier is Ports Victoria controlled)
- Storage areas (refer to Figure 5 Land use and activities).

A summary table of the berths and respective port uses and key tenants is shown below:

Berth	Port users include	Tenant/ Licensees and Users (at September 2022)
B, C, D and E Appleton Dock	Multi-purpose general cargo terminal. Low volume container storage	Australian Amalgamated Terminals (AAT)
F Appleton Dock	Dry bulk cargo terminal. Primary user Melbourne Terminals Operations (Emerald Grain) for grain exports	PoM common user facility. Emerald Grain has priority berthing
Appleton Dock	Empty container terminal and rail logistics	Zed Group Australia Pty Ltd
Gellibrand Pier	Bulk liquid terminal for import/export and storage of refined petroleum products. Pipeline connection to Altona terminal	Mobil Refining Australia Pty Ltd Jemena Electricity Networks (Vic) Ltd
Holden Dock	Bulk liquid terminal import/export of refined petroleum products. Off port land storage facilities	PoM Common User Facility
Maribyrnong No. 1	Bulk liquid terminal for import/export of hazardous and non-hazardous chemical products. Operators maintain bulk liquid storage facilities on Coode Island	PoM Common User Facility
26-27 South Wharf	Dry bulk cargo terminal. Storage of cement related materials (imported cement, blast furnace slag and fly ash). Discharge and handling of gypsum, other dry bulk imports subject to approval.	Independent Cement & Lime Pty Ltd Cement Australia Pty Ltd Boral Australia Gypsum Pty Ltd
29 South Wharf	Multi-purpose cargo terminal	PoM Common User Facility
30-31 South Wharf	Warehouse	Meyer Timber Strang Systems
32 South Wharf	Concrete batching plants and Storage of blast furnace slag	Hy-Tec Industries (Victoria) Pty Ltd
Part 32-34 South Wharf	Dry bulk cargo terminal.	PoM Common User Facility Cement Australia Holdings Pty Ltd



Berth	Port Users Include	Tenant / Licensees and Users (at September 2022)
1, 2, 3 and 4 Swanson Dock East	International container terminal storage and handling	Patrick Stevedores Pty Ltd
1, 2, 3 and 4 Swanson Dock West	International container terminal storage and handling	DP World Melbourne Ltd
24 Victoria Dock	Multi-purpose cargo terminal including container storage, warehousing and rail terminal	Qube Logistics (Vic) Pty Ltd
5 Yarraville	Dry bulk cargo terminal - privately owned berth. Storage facilities located off port land	CSR Gyprock, Wilmar Sugar and Steel Cement
6 Yarraville	Dry and liquid bulk cargo terminal – common user. Pipeline connection to bulk liquid storage facilities located on both on and off port land	PoM Common user facility Steel Cement IXOM Pty Ltd
Station Pier (Ports Victoria)	Coastal shipping, cruise ship passenger and Navy vessel terminal	Ports Victoria Common User Facility Various cruise operators, TT-Line Company Pty Ltd Naval Vessels
Breakwater Pier	Used for berthing only	Vacant
Rail infrastructure	Bulk, general and container cargo transport	Australian Rail Track Corporation Ltd
1 Webb Dock East	Coastal shipping terminal. Multi-purpose cargos and moderate container storage	Strait Link Logistics Pty Ltd
2 Webb Dock East	Coastal shipping terminal. Multi-purpose cargos and moderate container storage	SeaRoad Shipping Pty Ltd
3 Webb Dock East	Not currently occupied/in use	Unoccupied berth
4-5 Webb Dock East	International container terminal storage and handling	Victorian International Container Terminal Limited (VICT)
Webb Dock West	Automotive terminal	Melbourne International RoRo & Auto Terminal Pty Ltd (MIRRAT)
Webb Dock West	Automotive pre-delivery inspections	Prixcar Services Pty Ltd



A summary table of the berths and key activities with dangerous goods is shown below:

Berth/Area	Key Activities with Dangerous Goods	Key Tenants, Licensees and Users (at September 2022)
Coode Island Precinct	Bulk liquids (chemical and food-grade products) including Dangerous Goods are imported and exported. Coode Island is a transit storage facility for imported and exported hazardous and non-hazardous chemical and food grade bulk liquid products.	Stolthaven Coode Island Pty Ltd Anchor Tank Pty Ltd Liquid Terminals Australia Pty Ltd (Quantem) Gordon Brandon (Victoria) Proprietary Limited Terminals Pty Ltd (Quantem)
Gellibrand Pier – Williamstown	Gellibrand Pier is used for the import/export and storage of refined petroleum products. Pipeline connection to Altona terminal.	Mobil Refining Australia Pty Ltd
Holden Dock – Yarraville	Holden Dock is a bulk liquid common user berth and is used by four oil companies who import and export refined petroleum products. Mobil's Yarraville terminal situated next to Holden Dock on freehold land has storage facilities for refined oil products (petroleum, jet fuel and diesel fuel).	Mobil Oil Australia Ltd Mobil Refining Australia Pty Ltd Viva Energy Australia Pty Ltd BP Australia Pty Ltd Ampol Petroleum Pty Ltd
Yarraville No. 6 Berth	Yarraville No. 6 is a common-user berth and facilitates the importation of material including sulphuric acid.	Ixom Pty Ltd
Swanson Dock	Shipping containers noting around five per cent of these contain dangerous goods.	DP World Melbourne Ltd Patrick Stevedores Pty Ltd
Webb Dock	Minor quantities are handled in shipping containers.	Strait Link Logistics Pty Ltd SeaRoad Shipping VICT
Other areas within port	Minor quantities of dangerous or hazardous goods either in break-bulk cargo or containers at other berth areas, transport terminals or depot sites.	Station Pier (Ports Victoria)
Bulk liquid pipelines at: No. 1 Maribyrnong Gellibrand Pier Holden Dock Newport GYarraville	Bulk liquid dangerous goods transfer pipes.	Ixom Pty Ltd Stolthaven Coode Island Pty Ltd Anchor Tank Pty Ltd Liquid Terminals Australia Pty Ltd (Quantem) Gordon Brandon (Victoria) Proprietary Limited Terminals Pty Ltd (Quantem) APA Gasnet Australia (Operations) Pty Ltd Mobil Oil Australia Ltd Mobil Refining Australia Pty Ltd



Berth/Area	Key Activities with Dangerous Goods	Key Tenants, Licensees and Users (at September 2022)
		Viva Energy Australia Pty Ltd
		BP Australia Pty Ltd
		Ampol Petroleum Pty Ltd
		WAG Pipeline Pty Ltd



7. Port Services

In addition to dredging and maintaining the channels and berths and associated ancillary areas, PoM maintains navigational aids and also provides the following:

- 'first strike' marine pollution response capability at berths in accordance with the State Emergency Management Plan, Maritime Emergencies (non-search and rescue) Sub-Plan (VIC)
- security and other services under contract by a specialist provider

Ports Victoria operates the Melbourne and Lonsdale Vessel Traffic Service (VTS) which is based at the Port Operations Control Centre (POCC) on a 24/7 basis and is responsible for:

- providing a central coordination point for the ordering of pilot services, towage, line boats and mooring services
- port emergency notification and activation protocols

Ports Victoria appoints the licensed Harbour Master for the port of Melbourne.

There are a number of independent commercial businesses that operate and provide services across the wider port as shown below (refer www.vicports.vic.gov.au for the current port Information Guide).

Service	Provider
Shipping Lines	A list is maintained on the PoM website <u>www.portofmelbourne.com</u>
Pilots	Port Phillip Sea Pilots Auriga Pilots Poseidon Sea Pilots
Towage	Svitzer
Mooring	1 Port Ausport Marine
Lines Boats	LW Marine Launches Pty Ltd
Bunkering (by Sea)	Viva Energy via vessel ICS Reliance
Security	Wilson Security
Marine Facility Maintenance	Bhagwan Marine Platinum FM Quad Services Citywide T.A.M.S



8. Management of Hazards and Risks

Risk assessment methodology

The methodology employed to assess and effectively manage OHS and environmental risk is aligned to AS/NZS ISO 31000:2009 Risk Management Principles and Guidelines. The risk management process employed by PoM is depicted in Figure 8 and discussed further in the subsequent table.

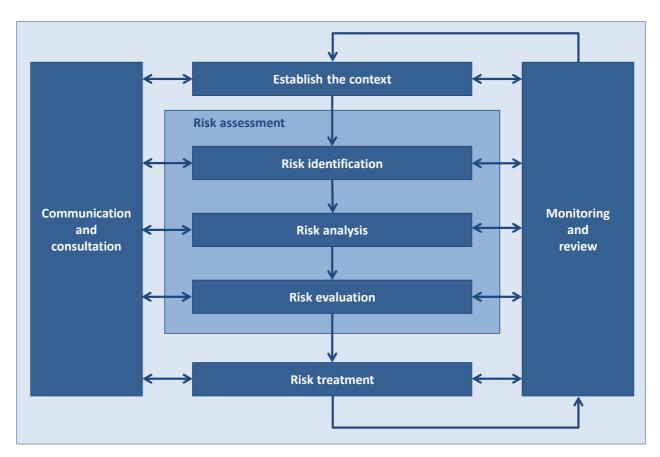


Figure 8 - Risk management methodology



Risk Item	Details
Establish the Context	PoM articulates its objectives, defines the external and internal parameters to be taken into account when managing risk, and sets the scope and risk criteria for the remaining process
Risk Identification	Involves the identification of potential sources of risk, their potential consequences and their interaction with PoM's strategic and operational risk assessments. The registers record the risks identified, the risk analysis undertaken, the risk treatments to be used and an outline of the risk reporting to be undertaken
Risk Analysis	Examines the nature and extent of each hazard and risk, including those that could result in an emergency that might be of a high consequence
Risk Evaluation	Involves a management review of the items according to criteria established under the internal PoM risk management framework
Risk Treatment	Aims to eliminate or reduce risk via treatments. Risk treatment measures may also be utilised to optimise, transfer or retain risk. A range of parties manage the various risk treatments which are identified in the PAM
Communications and consultation	PoM identifies and engages with port stakeholders to advise of the identified risks and resulting treatments (refer Annexure 1)
Monitoring and Review	The process whereby PoM ensures the controls are effective and efficient in both the design and operation by analysing and reviewing information from risk events

Risk management with tenants, licensees, and service providers

Promoting safety and environment risk management is a 'whole-of-port' approach with the support of Ports Victoria. New PoM leases and licences require tenants and licensees to prepare their own safety and environment management plans. Their plans must outline the key activities and include a risk management process that considers wider port activities.

Tenants are subject to the safety planning conditions at lease renewal or renegotiation, or whenever a development is proposed through the works consent process. Site inspections and incident reporting processes are used to identify and treat risks.

Consultation with PoM is required for any proposed development works taking place on port land. PoM's 'Port Development Guidelines' set out the process for obtaining approval from PoM to undertake developments on port land.

Consent must also be granted by PoM prior to development works commencing. PoM manages this process such that safety and environmental management strategies for the design, construction and use of a development are provided.



Port Activity Map (PAM)

The PAM divides all key port activities into three categories (refer Figure 9 below):

- Activities relating to vessels transiting port waters
- Activities relating to the berthing and mooring of vessels
- Activities relating to land and land based operations.

The PAM is shown in Annexures 1-3 (inclusive) to this SEMP and identifies the following:

- key PoM and stakeholder activities and areas within the port
- the nature and extent of the risks arising with respect to the key activity areas
- risk treatments and strategies to prevent or reduce those risks
- the third parties involved in each activity and documents the role of each party, including Ports Victoria
- the person(s) or parties responsible for implementing the treatment measures and strategies.

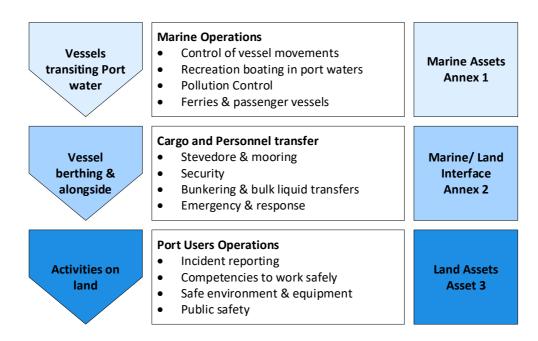


Figure 9 - Overview of Port Activity Map

The activities relating to activities on land (with the exception of the land/water interface activities identified as the responsibility of Ports Victoria) are the responsibility of PoM to manage. PoM reviews the PAM on a minimum annual basis.

9. Security

In accordance with Australian legislation (Maritime Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act (Cth) (MTOFSA) and Regulations 2003 (Cth) (MTOFSR), PoM as the operator of a security regulated port is required to implement Maritime Security Planning which is approved by the Department of Home Affairs (Aviation and Maritime Security Division).

To fulfil regulatory requirements, PoM has an approved Maritime Security Plan (MSP). The MSP is the primary mechanism for outlining the security practices necessary to protect PoM's people and assets.

10. Emergency Management

Plan/Activity	Details		
Port of Melbourne Emergency Management Plan (EMP)	PoM's Emergency Management Plan (EMP) provides an integrated framework for emergency management within PoM's areas of responsibility and seeks to support an "all agencies" and "all hazards" approach for the prevention, preparedness, response and recovery of port related emergencies. PoM's EMP is integrated with Ports Victoria's Melbourne Port Emergency Management Plan (MPEMP).		
Incident Reporting	All landside emergency and pollution events must be reported via the Ports Victoria POCC after being reported to emergency services (000). • Ports Victoria Melbourne VTS: 9644 9777 • PoM Emergency Contact: 9689 0224		
Key Emergency Plans and Linkages	 Emergency Management Manual Victoria (EMMV) National Plan to Combat Pollution of the Sea by Oil and Other Noxious and Hazardous Substances (NATPLAN) Victorian Marine Pollution Contingency Plan (VICPLAN) North West Metro Region, South West Metro Region and Municipal Emergency Response Plans Nuclear Powered Warship Visits Plan (ARPANSA) 		
Integrated "Whole of Port" planning	Ports Victoria's MPEMP Committee (MPEMPC) is an advisory emergency committee which aims to ensure the performance and integrity of Ports Victoria's MPEMP is maintained. Membership of the Committee involves PoM, key agencies and stakeholders within the port and surrounding communities.		
PoM Critical Assets	 Survey Boat – John Norgate Coordination Centre - Port Education Centre / Holden Dock 		



11. Risk Treatments

A key component of PoM's SEMP is the implementation of the following risk treatments by nominated personnel:

Responsible Manager	Treatment measures category
Head of Safety, Security & Emergency Manager	 Maintain emergency management obligations Maintain an incident reporting procedure and database
Manager Security & Emergency Response	 Maintain an approved MSP Maintain compliance with the MSP
EGM Operations	 Comply with environmental approvals for dredging activities Maintenance of navigational aids

12. SEMP Process Requirements

Activity	Process			
Involvement of Stakeholders	PoM undertakes external consultation with Ports Victoria and other stakeholders via quarterly meetings of the Port of Melbourne Safety, Health & Environment Consultative Forum (PoMSHECF) to encourage port users to share information and undertake risk and hazard identification for areas under their control. The forum is jointly chaired by PoM and Ports Victoria.			
Review of the SEMP and SEMP Annual Report	PoM Management undertakes a review of the SEMP and its implementation on an annual pasis. Additional reviews and updates may also occur due to changes in key legislation or regulation, changes in port activities, significant new hazards are identified, incident, nearmisses or other safety concerns and/or review of monitoring programs.			
Endorsement of the SEMP	EGM Operations			
SEMP Publication and Availability	PoM will hold copies of the SEMP, any certificates required to be attached to the plans and the audit reports at PoM's offices and are available for inspection by authorised persons in accordance with the PMA. The SEMP is published on PoM's website www.portofmelbourne.com			
SEMP Auditing	 In May 2022 PoM's (2021) SEMP was externally audited by an environmental auditor (Brian Eva of Eva & Associates) approved by the Minister for Ports. The auditor's findings in 2022 were: The PoM SEMP (2021) has been prepared in accordance with Ministerial Guidelines for Port SEMPS (November 2012), as required by section 91D of the PMA. The PoM SEMP (2021) adequately provides for the matters required by s.91G of the PMA. In the context of the scope of the audit, PoM as Port Manager, is complying with the documented PoM SEMP (2021). As required by the PMA, the next audit will be undertaken in 2025. 			



13. SEMP Consultation and Communication

Consultation Forum	Details					
PoM and Ports Victoria	PoM meets on a regular basis with Ports Victoria to share safety, emergency and environmental information to increase the robustness of hazard identification and assessment. These include the following:					
PoMSHECF	PoM established the Port of Melbourne Health, Safety and Environment Consultative Forum (PoMSHECF) to replace the Whole of Port Health Safety and Environment Committee (WoPHSEC) originally established by the former PoMC in 2005. PoM and Ports Victoria jointly chair the PoMHSECF.					
Other Forums	 Industry Group Forums (e.g. Bulk Cargo, Vehicle, Container) Navigation Safety Advisory Committee (NAVSAC) Port Security Committee MPEMPC Port Phillip Region Marine Pollution Contingency Plan Committee VICPLAN – State Operational and Management Committees Regional Emergency Management Planning Committees Municipal Emergency Management Planning Committees Stakeholder meetings Shipping Terminal Management meetings (Bulk Liquid) Development Planning Meetings with Regulators e.g. Australian Maritime Safety Australia (AMSA), Transport Safety Victoria (TSV), WorkSafe Victoria, Environment Protection Authority of Victoria (EPA) Community and Resident Group meetings Local Council Consultative Meetings Ports Australia Forums (Planning and Environment, Health and Safety). Noise Management Committee 					

Annexure 1: Port Activities – Marine Assets

Significant Activity	Key Risk Area	Nature of Risk	Strategy or Risk Treatment	Parties involved	Role	Treatment Allocation
			Provision of safe shipping and navigation systems and controls	Ports Victoria	Review and update VTS Operations, Harbour Masters Directions and Port Information Guide as required	Ports Victoria
				MSV	Regulation of Marine Safety Act 2010 (Vic)	Responsible Authority
				AMSA	National Regulator, provider of response and maritime and aviation search and rescue	Responsible Authority
		Shipping and navigational incidents are rated at the		Ports Victoria	Management of vessels transiting Port of Geelong Waters	Responsible Authority
	Providing for the safe	highest level of risk. The consequences may be:	External parties dedicated roles and	Vessel Owner	Seaworthiness of vessels	Responsible Authority
	movement and navigation of commercial vessels in	loss of life or serious injuries economic loss	responsibilities	Shipping Agents	Engaging suitable vessels for trade	Responsible Authority
	Port Waters	environmental harm		Vessel Master	The master or a pilot (engaged by the vessel operator) has control of navigation and control of the vessel	Responsible Authority
		Hazards include vessel collision or grounding		Towage and Mooring Service Operators	Private operators engaged to provide towage and mooring services. Compliance with Ports Victoria Towage Requirements Determination.	Responsible Authority
Commercial vessels transiting			Ensuring Pilots operating in the port are competent and licensed	TSV	TSV authorised pilots safely navigating vessels in accordance with Harbour Master's Directions	Responsible Authority
port waters			Maintain declared depth of channels and maintenance of navigational aids	PoM	Implementation of 10 year maintenance dredging program and maintenance of navigational aids	PoM EGM Operations
	Interactions between commercial and recreational vessels	incidents may involve the	Provide an ongoing "Steer Clear", or equivalent, promotion and enforcement campaign	Ports Victoria	Maintain an appropriate education and enforcement program for users of the port to keep clear of commercial vessels.	Ports Victoria
			External parties dedicated roles and responsibilities	Parks Victoria	Management and regulation of parks within Victoria including marine protected areas within Port Phillips Bay waters	Responsible Authority
				MSV and AMSA	Maintain regulatory responsibilities in relation to safety and environmental requirements for shipping, including outside Port waters	Responsible Authority
	Mitigating pollution impacts and implementing effective responses	collisions, damage, pollution events or excessive noise		Department of Agriculture, Fisheries and Forestry	Ballast Water Management	Responsible Authority
				EPA	Environmental compliance and enforcement	Responsible Authority
				PoM	Comply with approved Dredging Environmental Management Plan Air Quality and Noise Management Programs	PoM EGM Operations
				Department of Jobs, Precincts and Regions	Incident Controller for Tier 2 and Tier 3 pollution response	Responsible Authority

Significant Activity	Key Risk Area	Nature of Risk	Strategy or Risk Treatment	Parties involved	Role	Treatment Allocation
			B	Ports Victoria	Provide Incident Controller services for Tier 1 pollution events	Ports Victoria
			Provide management programs to protect the marine environment and other waters from pollution by oil and noxious substances	PoM	Ensure 'First-Strike' pollution response capability at Common User Berths	PoM Head of Safety, Security and Emergency Management
	Facilitating safe passenger operations at Station Pier		Coordinate and monitor compliance with the Station pier management plans	Ports Victoria	Provide for safe operations and facilities at Station Pier for passengers, cruise ships and TT Line operations	Ports Victoria

Annexure 2: Port Activities – Marine / Land Interface

Significant Activity	Key Risk Area	Nature of Risk	Strategy or Risk Treatment	Parties involved	Role	Treatment Allocation
	Preventing security breaches and providing security	Risks associated with security and terrorism	Implementation, development and coordination of Marine Security Plans	PoM	Ensure port compliance with Maritime Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act 2003 (excl. Station Pier)	PoM Manager Security and Emergency Response
	services			Ports Victoria	Ensure compliance of Station Pier with Maritime Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act 2003	Ports Victoria
	Dangerous goods, bunkering and bulk liquid transfers	Risks associated with Hazardous Port Activities and the handling storage and transport of Dangerous Goods (DGs)	Implementation, development and coordination of plans, guidelines and assurance activities	Ports Victoria	Monitor and audit dangerous goods, bunkering and bulk liquid transfers	Ports Victoria
		Risks associated with mooring and stevedoring	Implementation of the national Code of Practice, Managing Risks in Stevedoring	Stevedores	Implement Code of Practice into Stevedore operations	Responsible Authority
		may include: • loss of life or serious injuries	External parties dedicated roles and responsibilities	WorkSafe Victoria	Ensure safe work practices are undertaken by mooring companies	Responsible Authority
Commercial vessels during berthing and at berth	Preventing incidents during stevedoring and mooring activities	damage to property and equipment operational disruption Hazards include line snaps, falls, and mechanical failures.		Pilots and Mooring Service Operators	Safe berthing and mooring of vessels in concert with the vessel master and Harbour Master's Directions	Responsible Authority
	Condition of berth and associated infrastructure	Structural failure of asset(s) leading to sever injuries, loss of life, damage and/or operational disruption	Maintain PoM's Asset Management Strategy and supporting asset management plans	PoM	Implement Asset Management Strategy and plans, undertake supporting assurance, inspection and monitoring programs	PoM EGM Operations
	Preventing safety and	Operational risks with dangerous goods and	Provide Port Authorised Officer(s) (PAO) to monitor hazardous port activities	Ports Victoria	Maintain risk-based assurance inspection and compliance monitoring program	Ports Victoria
	environmental incidents during bunkering and bulk liquid transfers	 bunkering may include: loss of life or serious injuries damage to 		PoM	Undertake appropriate assurance regime to meet operational requirements	PoM Head of Safety, Security and Emergency Management
	Loading/ unloading, transit, storage and handling of Dangerous Goods	property and equipment • operational disruption	Maintain Dangerous Goods (DGs) booking and compliance Program	WorkSafe Victoria	Regulation of DGs over the requirements for the manufacture, storage, transport, transfer, sale and use of DGs	Responsible Authority

Significant Activity	Key Risk Area	Nature of Risk	Strategy or Risk Treatment	Parties involved	Role	Treatment Allocation	
		Hazards include pollution, mechanical failure, fire/explosion					
			Implementation of Emergency Management Planning in consultation with stakeholders	Ports Victoria	Protect staff and stakeholders by ensuring preparedness and an appropriate response to a range of potential emergencies.	Ports Victoria	
			Implementation of relevant Ports Victoria policies and State Marine Pollution Contingency Plan(s) and supporting procedures		Coordination and testing of MPEMP and supporting plans in consultation with stakeholders		
		lanning and esponding to safety and emergency events I an a mage to property and equipment operational disruption Hazards include pollution, mechanical failure, fire/explosion Coordinate and state emergency includes a property and equipment operational disruption	Implementation of PoM's business continuity procedures	PoM	Coordination and testing of Emergency Management Plan and supporting plans in consultation with stakeholders	PoM Manager Security and Emergency Response	
	Planning and			Ports Victoria		Ports Victoria	
	and emergency events Hazaro mecha		equipment operational disruption Hazards include pollution,	Provide a port-wide hazard and incident reporting process	PoM	Report incident and hazards and implement appropriate corrective actions to reduce risks	PoM Head of Safety, Security and Emergency Management
				Ports Victoria	Test the resilience of the MPEMP and integration with state emergency management plans	Ports Victoria	
			Coordinate the integration of site, port and state emergency plans including response capabilities via the MPEMPC	DELWP and MFB	Management of fire safety risks on public land. Agency for the recovery, treatment, rehabilitation and release of wildlife affected by an emergency incident	Responsible Authority	
				AMSA	Implementation and enforcement of international standards governing marine environment protection	Responsible Authority	

Annexure 3: Port Activities – Land Assets

Significant Activity	Key Risk Area	Nature of Risk	Strategy or Risk Treatment	Parties involved	Role	Treatment Allocation
		Workplace OHS&E is a high level corporate risk and may involve: • loss of life or serious injuries • damage to property and equipment • operational disruption	Undertake appropriate OHS&E assurance and due diligence activities	Ports Victoria		Ports Victoria
	Significant safety and environmental incidents			PoM	Conduct appropriate OH&S and environmental due diligence activities for OH&S, air, noise, land and marine environments, as required	PoM Head of Safety, Security and Emergency Management PoM Head of Environment
	Planning and	Hazards include pollution, excessive noise generation,		Ports Victoria		Ports Victoria
	responding to emergency events	sponding to construction activities, security incidents, maintenance works	Victorian Critical Infrastructure Resilience Arrangements	PoM	Maintain obligations to Critical Infrastructure Arrangements as appropriate	PoM Manager Security and Emergency Response
	Provision of security services	ection and orting of dents from f, tractors, d parties uding the lic Hazards include construction activities, security incidents, maintenance works.	Land Based Security Plan (excluding Station Pier)	PoM	Implement landside Security Plan	PoM Manager Security and Emergency Response
Security/ Port	Collection and reporting of incidents from staff.		Provide and coordinate the integration of Maritime Security Plans and the Joint TT Line / PoM Maritime Security Plan.	Ports Victoria	Implement Station Pier Security requirements	Ports Victoria
Asset Management				Department of Home Affairs and Maritime Security Division	Regulation and enforcement of the Maritime Transport and Offshore Facilities Security Act 2003 and Regulations.	Responsible Authority
	contractors, third parties		Maintain an appropriate hazard and incident reporting system	Ports Victoria	Maintain appropriate site assurance and inspection programs	Ports Victoria
	including the public			PoM		PoM Head of Safety, Security and Emergency Management
	Managing legislative compliance for safety in the workplace			Ports Victoria		Ports Victoria
			Maintain an appropriate Safety Management System	PoM	Maintain appropriate risk based safety management and training systems	PoM Head of Safety, Security and Emergency Management
		tne workplace			WorkSafe Victoria	Regulation of health, safety and welfare in the workplace and Dangerous Goods management.

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Annexure 4: ISO Certificates









