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## Symbology for GENOBJ of S-57 3.1.1

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On another subject, I'm still not happy with the GENOBJ and it's attributes in 3.1.1. More particularly the symbology. It's fine using grey - and ?s for unknown objects, but we only intend releasing a GENOBJ for navigationally and safety significant features, i.e. a Emergency Wreck Buoy. A light grey ? would not emphasise the danger enough. There are already plenty of magenta ?s littered over ENCs. Why was this added to the P.L., it tells the user nothing useful. What's the point of indicating that a feature has something missing because the producer doesn't have the information? We don't do this on the paper chart, it's a case of what the user doesn't know he won't miss.

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