

## **French Manual on Tides submitted by IHB**

1. As reported at IHOTC8 the French Manual of Tides, prepared by former IHOTC member Bernard Simon, was published in 2007.
2. The translation into English is progressing although progress remains very slow. The IHB understands that Chapters 1 – 4 have been completed, significant progress has been made with Chapters 5 and 6 and that the translator intends to complete “in a few months”. The IHB has been approached by the translator regarding certain terms used in the first 4 chapters and these requests have been answered promptly.
3. Once complete the IHB will be seeking support from “tidal experts” to proof read the manual, on a chapter per person, principle. Our requests for the English text to be released as each chapter has been finalised have not been answered!