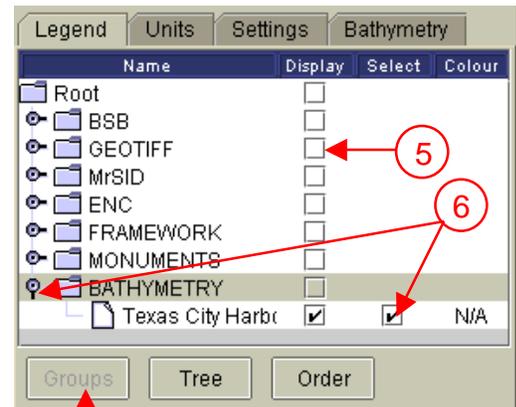


1. In your web browser type in the following address <http://beams.swg.usace.army.mil>
2. If you have not already done so previously, click on the "Download Java Runtime Environment" link to download the Java Environment needed to run BEAMS Web or double-click on the executable named "j2re-1\_4\_0\_04-windows-i586.exe" if you have a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers Beams Web Demo CD. **(Note: You only have to do this once, if you already have installed the Java Environment previously, you can skip this step)**
3. Click the "Start BEAMS Web" link, and enter your User Name and Password when prompted.

4. Once you have entered BEAMS Web, click on the "Groups" button to bring up the layers that are available to display.



5. Under the legend, you can then click on what layers you wish to be displayed. Remember once you make any changes, the changes will not take effect until after you hit the  "Refresh" button.
6. You can also, double-click on the folders to display the individual layers that make up these groups. This is important when viewing Bathymetry or Databases, so you can click on what individual layer you want to "Select" from, enabling you to select features on the screen to view additional information.

7. Below is a brief explanation of the some of the tools on the toolbar, if additional help is needed you can click on the  "Help" button.



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| 8. Refresh View:      | Used to redraw the Main window and display the most current view of your data.   |
| 9. Overview:          | Used to view the full geographic extent of the map.  |
| 10. Zoom In:          | Used to zoom into a map.   |
| 11. Zoom Out:         | Used to zoom out of a map.   |
| 12. Zoom Window:      | Used to zoom into a specific area on the map.  |
| 13. Pan:              | Used to shift the area displayed while maintaining the same map scale, While holding the mouse button down, drag the cursor in the direction to pan. |
| 14. Select by Range:  | Used to select objects or features within a particular layer by defining a rectangular area with the mouse.  |
| 15. Measure Distance: | Used to measure the distance between two points.   |
| 16. Create Profile:   | Used to view a cross-section of bathymetric data.  |
| 17. Print to HTML:    | Used to create an HTML page that contains an image and description of the current view in the Main window.   |
| 18. Help Topics:      | Used to better understand tools and functions available on BEAMS Web.  |

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