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Mr Aidan Thorn

Business Development Manager NOC

**Session Chair Opportunities for
Collaboration and Funding**



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Welcome to Day Three

AIDAN THORN – BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT MANAGER
NATIONAL OCEANOGRAPHY CENTRE

WEDNESDAY 16 NOVEMBER 2016



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Programme for the Day

- 0900 - Enterprise Opportunities - Aidan Thorn NOC
- 0930 - Modelling / Marine Data Products and their interactions with Marine Autonomous Systems - Christine Sams NOC
- 1000 - South Coast Marine Cluster - Kevin Forshaw NOC
- 1030 - Year of Autonomy 2017 - Tessa Darley Knowledge Transfer Network
- 1100 - Refreshments**
- 1130 - MAS Council Survey Review - Dan Hook ASV
- 1200 - European Union Funding for Research, Development and Innovation
Louise Mothersole Innovate UK
- 1230 - Innovate UK Autonomy Roadmap and Funding - Andrew Tyrer Innovate UK
- 1300 - Networking Lunch**

Programme for the Day

1400 - Use of Marine Autonomous Systems and Technologies in Defence
Applications - Peter Pipkin - RN

1430 - Marine Autonomous Systems helping mix Water and Electricity -
Simon Cheeseman - Offshore Renewable Energy

Catapult

1500 - Use of Marine Autonomous Systems and Technologies for the Oil
and Gas Industry Peter Collinson, Joe Little & Alistair Fox - BP

1530 - Refreshments

1600 - Group Discussions (sessions will operate on a 30 minute
rotation)
- Engaging with NOC
- South Coast Marine Cluster
- Funding

Engaging with the NOC for Research & Development Support



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Creating Impact from our Research

We seek to actively engage with business to generate positive socio-economic impacts based upon our research outputs



What do we mean by impact?

Immediate impacts on your business may include:

- Development on new products or services
- That generate additional sales / exports
- And mean that you create new jobs

Secondary impacts may include:

- Lower carbon emissions from renewables
- Greater understanding of ocean processes
flood defence, etc, etc,

It is key for us to report this back to UK Government and any new products created may reduce the cost of our ongoing research effort



How can we engage with you to create this impact?

1. Funded collaborative research, with NOC as a partner
2. Accessing NOC developed technology for development into commercial products
3. Access to NOC expertise and knowledge to improve your business operation
4. Providing added value information products
5. Access to specialist equipment and test facilities Or, any mixture of the above to meet your specific company need



Funded collaborative research, with NOC as a partner

- The NOC seeks to engage with both individual companies, and groups of companies for collaborative research
- Many sources of funding exist to support the costs of R&D to help bring new developments to market, which then stimulate economic development



Examples of Collaborative R&D Projects

£5m Innovate UK competition for Collaborative R&D, for which the NOC engaged with 3 consortia that successfully won 38% of the funding available

- **Launch & Recovery of Multiple AUVs from an USV**
Planet Ocean as Lead, and ASV, University of Southampton and NOC
- **Pressure Tolerant Lithium Sulfur Battery for Marine Autonomous Systems**
Steatite as Lead, and partners Oxis, Msubs and NOC
- **Autonomous Surface / Sub-surface Survey System**
ASV as Lead and partners Sonardyne, Seebyte and NOC

STEATITE
BATTERIES


MSubs Ltd
underwater vehicles & equipment


Planet
Ocean Ltd

oxis ENERGY
Next Generation Battery Technology

 **Sonardyne**
SOUND IN DEPTH

ASV unmanned
marine systems


seebyte

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Innovate UK Projects leading to additional work - Pipeline Tracking



South Coast

Centre of Excellence in Satellite Applications

Marine & Maritime

Renewables
Agri- tech
Manufacturing

Transport

Autonomous Systems



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NOC's Aims from the Centre of Excellence

Develop Collaborative projects that:

- Better enable MAS to avoid hazardous conditions
- Can help direct MAS to areas of scientific interest
- Use the Marine Robotics Innovation Centre as a hub to introduce Space organisations to the broad and varied MAS industry



Accessing NOC developed technology for development into commercial products

- The NOC has a long history of developing new technology to enable our research in the ocean's most challenging environments
- This includes pioneering AUV platforms, and component systems, and world-leading sensor developments
- The NOC develops this technology for its own research purposes, but does not seek to develop commercial products
- Where companies can conceive a commercial angle, the NOC can License this technology on an exclusive or non-exclusive basis



Thank you for listening

Enjoy the remainder of MATS 2016



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**Modelling / Marine Data Products and
their Interactions with Marine
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Marine Physics & Ocean Climate Group

The Marine Physics and Ocean Climate (MPOC) research group studies fundamental physical processes in the marine environment and their connection with, and influence on, the rest of the Earth system. Our research spans microphysics to global scales, extends from the coast to the abyssal ocean, and includes sea-ice, turbulence, surface waves, sediment transport, tides and storm surges. [Read more →](#)

Marine Systems Modelling Group

The Marine Systems Modelling (MSM) group are world-leaders in numerical modelling of the global oceans and shelf seas. This includes modelling the ocean circulation and heat transport, marine ecosystems, sea-ice, turbulence, surface waves, sediment transport, tides and storm surges. [Read more →](#)

<p>Shelf & coastal processes</p>	<p>Shelf & coastal impacts</p>	<p>Global modelling</p>
<p>Biogeochemical models</p>	<p>Climate & uncertainty</p>	<p>High performance computing</p>

<p>Tidal predictions</p>	<p>Offshore data products</p>	<p>Software</p>
<p>Tidal harmonic analysis</p>	<p>Multimedia</p>	<p>anyTide app</p>

Offshore Technology and Engineering



This 'Synthetic Aperture' image is generated much in the same way as satellite-flown radar imagery, however here we use marine navigational radar data recorded from a moving vessel. Complex geo-referencing and image registration is performed utilising the Discovery's navigation data and state-of-the-art algorithms developed at NOC. The data were recorded as the Discovery sailed into Liverpool for the NERC 'Into the blue' event on the 4th October 2016.

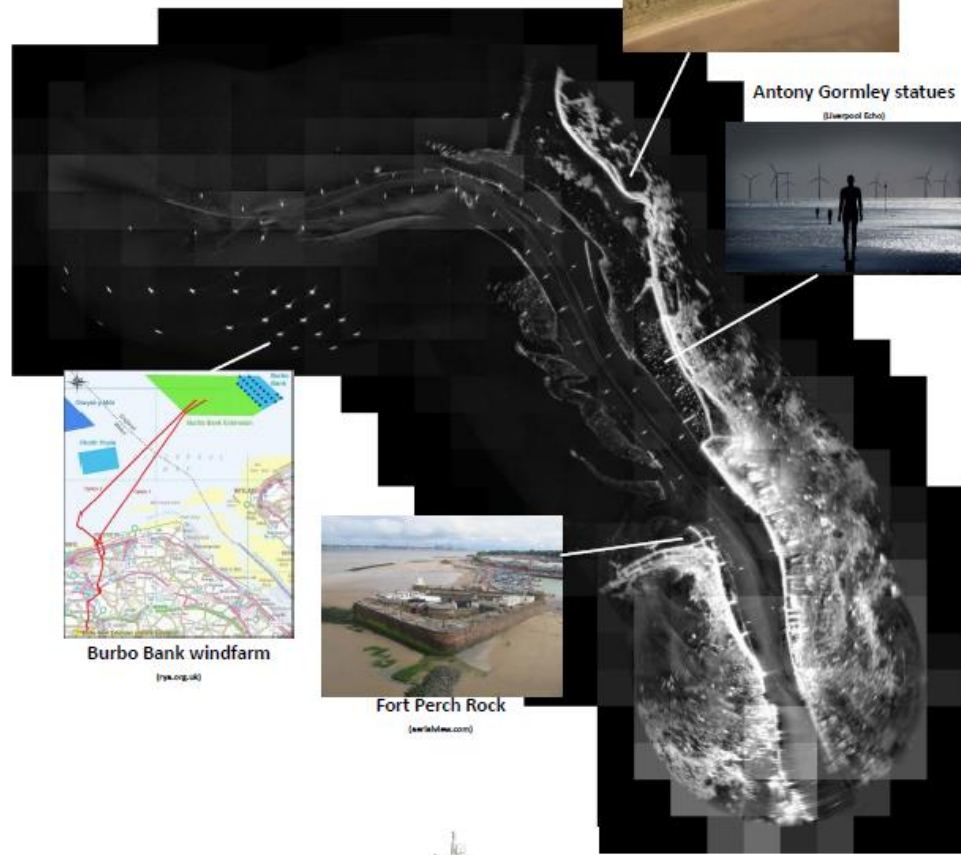
Altcar military ranges

(Panorama/pw123)



Antony Gormley statues

(Liverpool Echo)



Burbo Bank windfarm

(rpa.org.uk)



Fort Perch Rock

(wvshme.com)

Premise: We are only just scratching the surface of the capabilities that can be unlocked through connecting marine modelling expertise with the marine autonomy and remote sensing sectors



Modelling expertise at NOC

Core Expertise

- Ocean modelling at a range of scales:
 - Global (NEMO)
 - Regional seas (NEMO)
 - Coastal (FVCOM)
- Model coupling
- Development
- Analysis/interpretation
- Application/dissemination

Key facilities

- Cluster computers: Southampton, Liverpool
- Access to MONSOON / ARCHER
- JASMIN Big Data Service

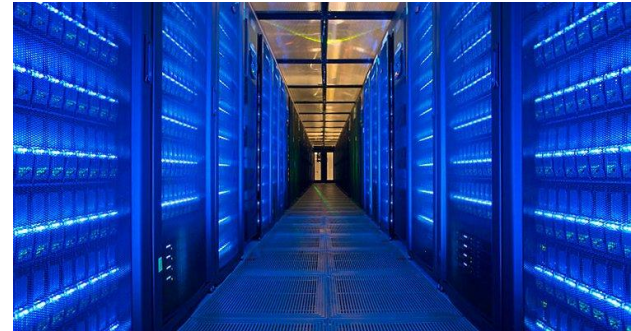
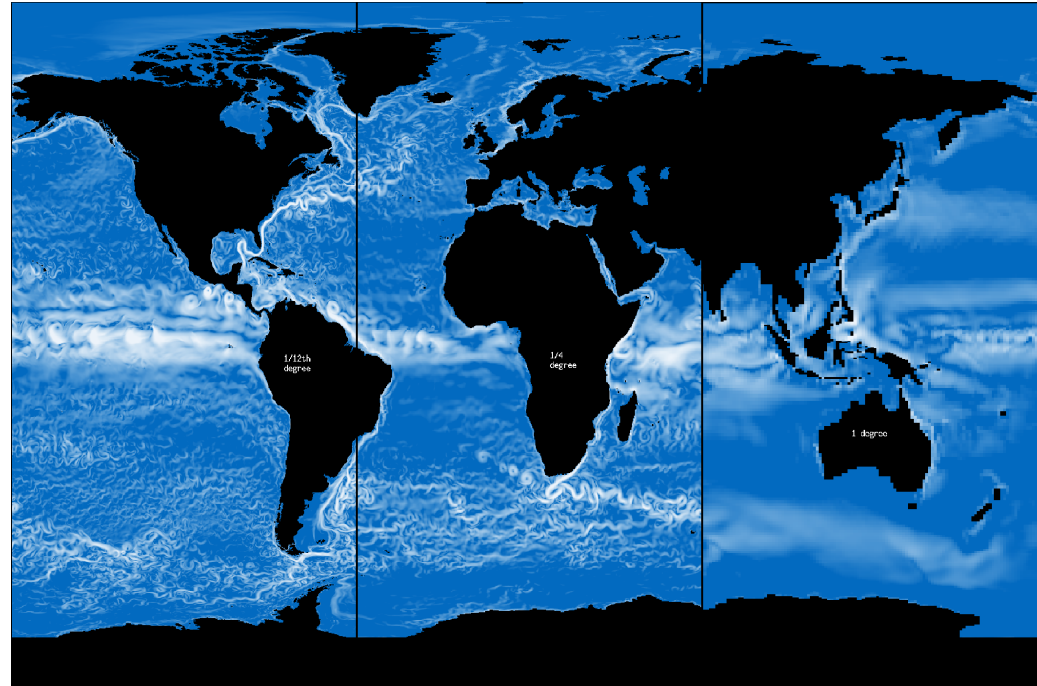


Image courtesy of Stephen Kill, STFC



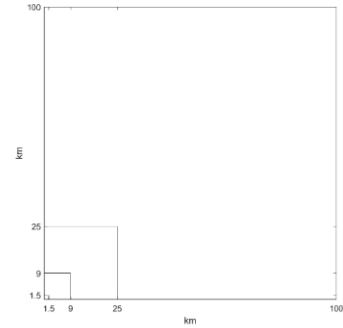
Ocean modelling at different scales... global..



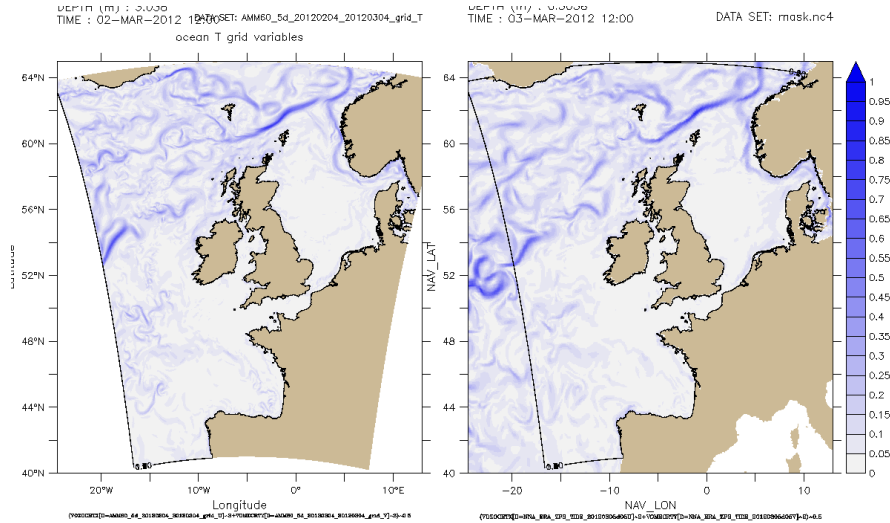
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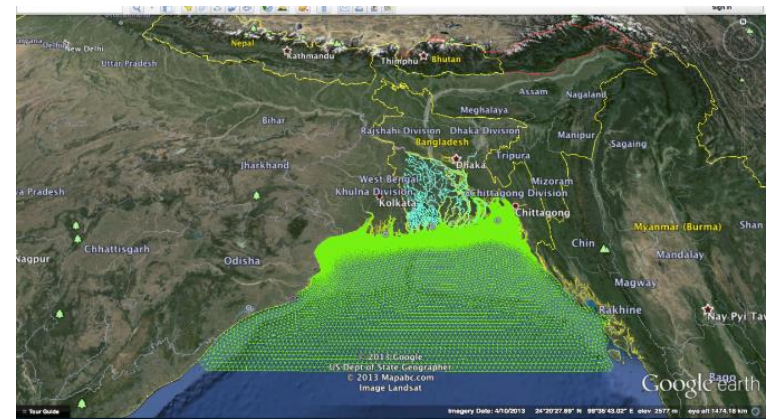


...to regional and 'local'



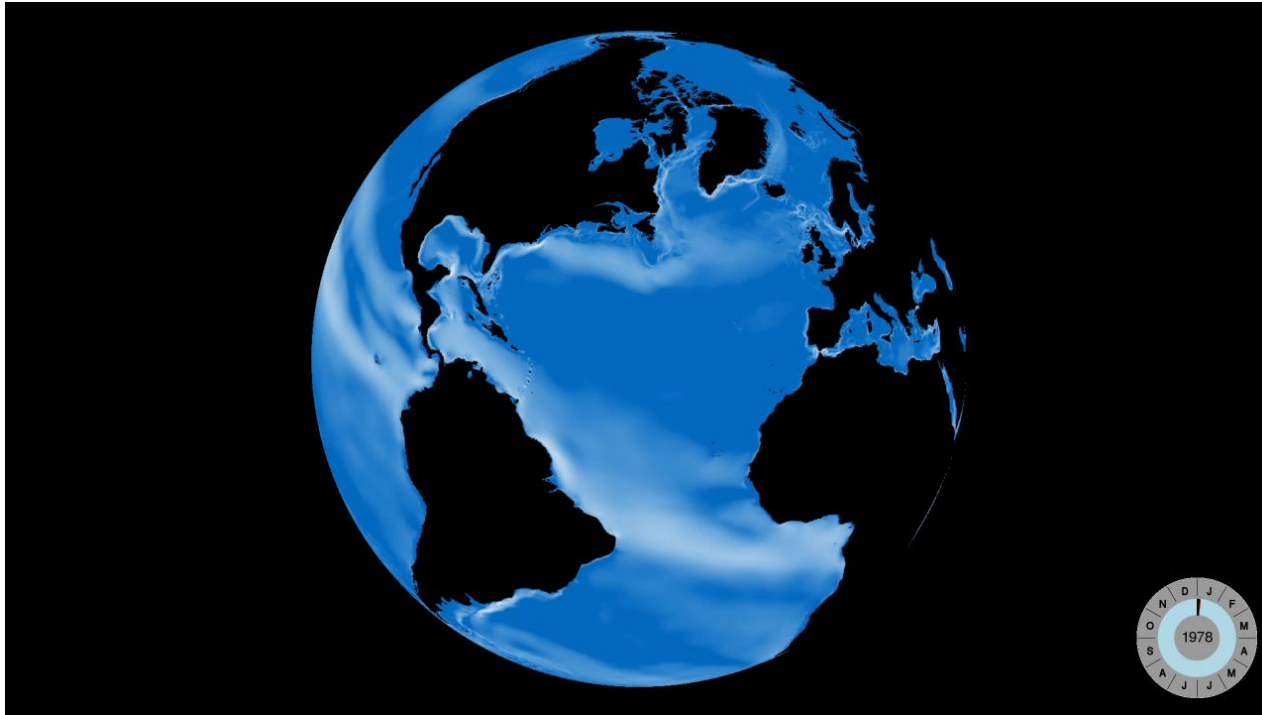
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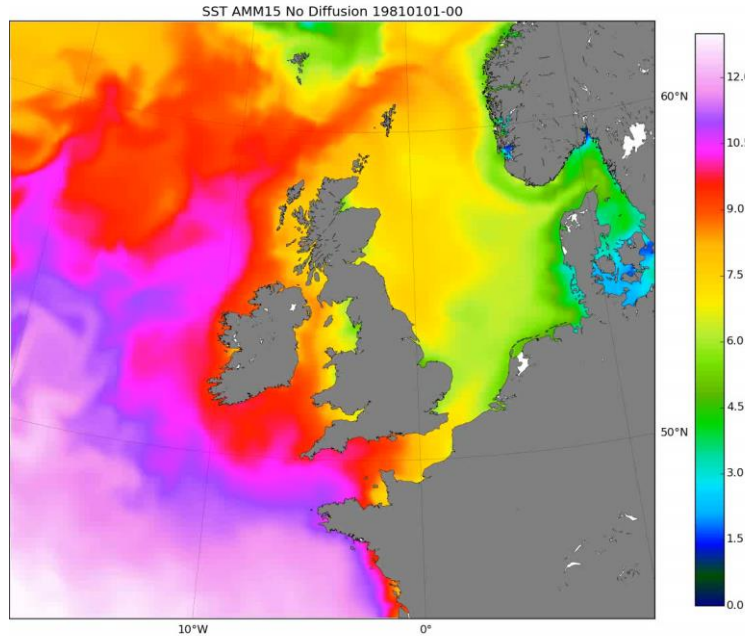


1km -50m

Global NEMO circulation model in action..



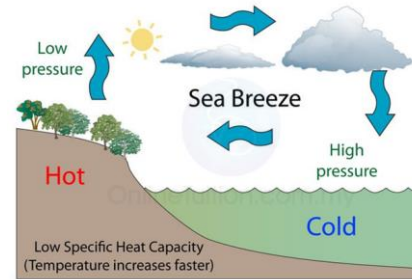
Next Generation Model for NW European Seas



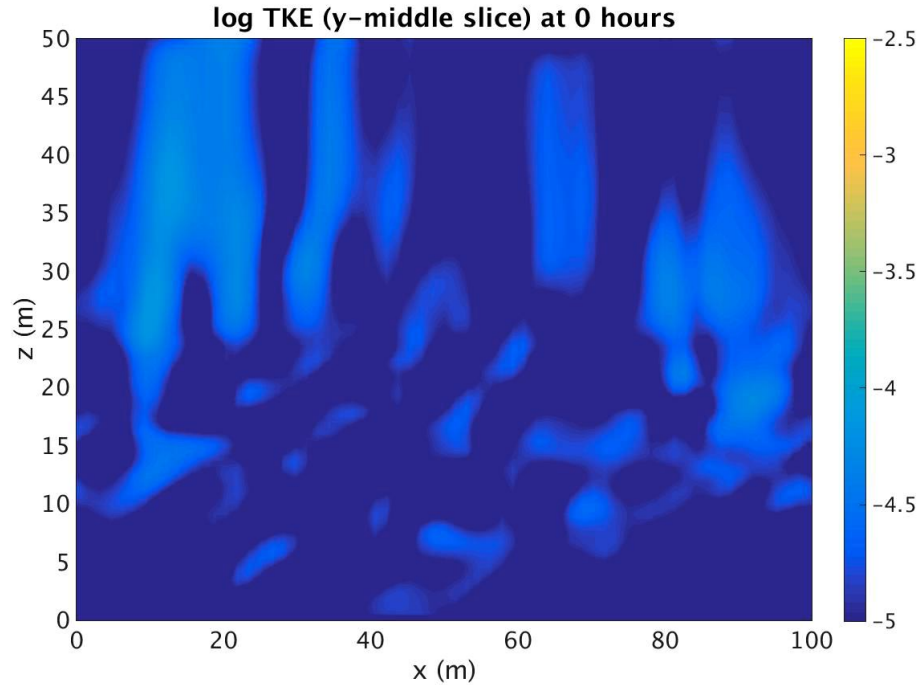
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UK Environmental Prediction
Part of a fully coupled System

Coastal-Ocean – Land- Atmosphere



Modelling turbulence

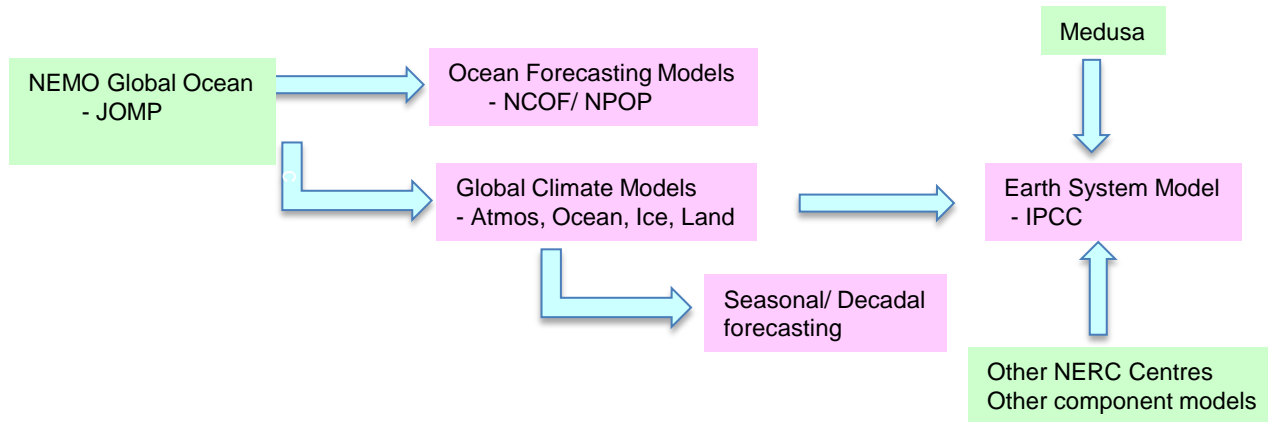


Turbulent kinetic energy generated from friction as a result of tide over the sea bed (1hr per second!)

Video from work by Ash Brereton, led by Mathew Palmer

How do we use our models? How can MAS contribute?

Scientific focus is mainly on environmental predictions, to deliver a better understanding of the changing environment and inform UK Govt policy



How do we use our remote sensing capabilities? How can MAS contribute?

- C-RISe project - using satellite altimetry to understand sea level changes
- OCIMS platform is developing toolkits for monitoring pollution, fisheries, MPA's and coastal hazards..
- Potential for MAS / USV to complement these services by providing in-situ real time information



National Oceans & Coastal IMS Web Portal
An Operation Phakisa Initiative

environmental affairs science & technology

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What are Showcases?
Datasets have been used to build apps, websites and visualizations. They've been featured in articles, and written about in news reports and blog posts. Showcases collect together the best examples of datasets in use, to provide further insight, ideas, and inspiration.

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Search showcases...

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Atlas of Seabirds at Sea (AS@S)
The Atlas of Seabirds at Sea (AS@S), pronounced "ay-sass", was launched on 16 October 2009, as part of the "Save Our Seabirds Festival" by BioLife South Africa's Seabird.

Blue Flag Water Quality
A Blue Flag is an international award given to beaches, boats and marinas™ that meet EXCELLENCE in the areas of safety, amenities, cleanliness and environmental standards. The.

CoastShelf
South Africa's economy is, to a large extent, dependent on maritime activities. 35% of the GDP is linked to the coast. 50% of all South African earnings are considered to be...

DEA Coastal Viewer
Information regarding the Coastal Public Property (CPP) and Coastal Protection Zone (CPZ) can be found in the

Harmful Algal Bloom
The South African coast is

Hazard line flood scenarios

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Vessels in MPAs
Submitted by lauren

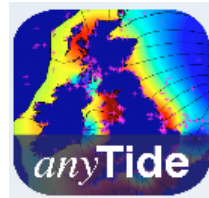
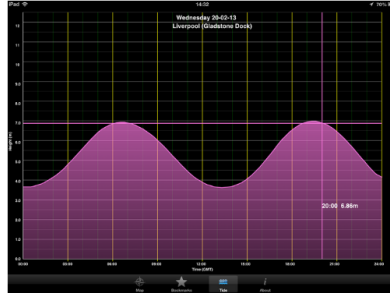
Launch website

Datasets in Showcase
In-Situ Data - Summary - Saldanha Bay
In-Situ Data - Salinometer - Saldanha Bay
In-Situ Data - Air Temperature - Saldanha Bay
In-Situ Data - Virtual Buoy- Saldanha Bay
In-Situ Data - Wave Direction- Saldanha Bay

Vessels in MPAs
Regular surveillance of territorial sea areas is increasingly important for coastal nations. Signatories to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS) can establish a territorial sea out to 12 nautical miles from the coastline and an Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ) of up to 200 nautical miles. These

Suite of commercial software products and apps

Predictions based on Known Ports/Observation Points



POLTIPS-3 - coastal tidal software

Find out about POLTIPS 3 tidal prediction software. This software allows the user to do predictions up to 5 years ahead, especially useful for planning coastal activities.

[Read more →](#)



POLPRED - offshore tidal information system

Find out about POLPRED V.2 an offshore tidal information system. This software allows users to predict tidal currents and elevations. It has been used successfully during the Olympics by the British Yachting Team and in UK/Irish waters by Team Douglas.

[Read more →](#)



Hydro-DLL - for software developers

If you are involved in developing software and have a requirement for the inclusion of tides or currents in your program, then the Applications Team has developed two Windows DLLs which could meet your needs.

[Read more →](#)



MASSMO 3



MASSMO 3

- Inactive
- Part of MASSMO
- Began on 2016-09-15 (2 months ago)
- Last Updated 2016-11-01 12:14:04
- Finished on 2016-10-02 (a month ago)

MASSMO3 involves up to ten surface and submarine gliders collecting marine environmental data over a two-week period off northwest Scotland, in support of the Royal Navy's Unmanned Warrior. This is the largest simultaneous deployment of marine robotic vehicles attempted in UK waters, and includes seven submarine gliders operating southwest of Barra to the shelf edge, and three surface gliders operating north of Lewis.

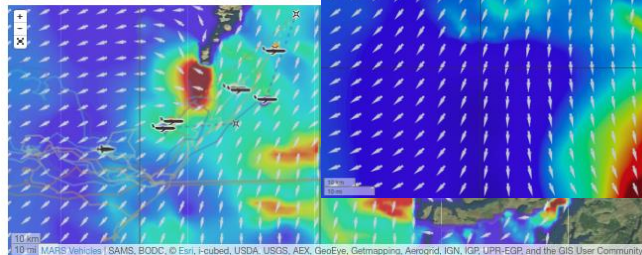
Vehicle Activity

Vehicle	Deployed	Recovered	Last Update	Distance (N. Mi.)	
• Nelson	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-10-01 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-01 14:39:05 (a month ago)	179.22	No Public Data Available
• Drake	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-10-01 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-01 14:21:15 (a month ago)	167.98	No Public Data Available
• Talisker	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-09-30 (a month ago)	2016-09-30 14:22:28 (a month ago)	157.51	No Public Data Available
• Blue Ocean unit_491	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-10-01 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-01 12:10:19 (a month ago)	233.27	No Public Data Available
• Royal Navy unit_544	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-10-01 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-01 18:06:10 (a month ago)	200.40	No Public Data Available
• Royal Navy unit_552	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-10-01 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-01 17:50:58 (a month ago)	269.87	No Public Data Available
• Royal Navy unit_553	2016-09-15 (2 months ago)	2016-10-01 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-01 15:16:37 (a month ago)	266.59	No Public Data Available
• Waimea	2016-09-19 (2 months ago)	2016-10-02 (a month ago) - End of Mission	2016-10-02 23:58:06 (a month ago)	406.63	No Public Data Available
• Boeing SHARC 117	2016-09-19 (2 months ago)	2016-10-03 (a month ago)	2016-10-03 00:00:00 (a month ago)	458.31	No Public Data Available
• Boeing SHARC 127	2016-09-19 (2 months ago)	None	2016-10-02 23:55:36 (a month ago)	472.53	No Public Data Available

Sensor Data

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Boeing SHARC 117 Boeing SHARC 127

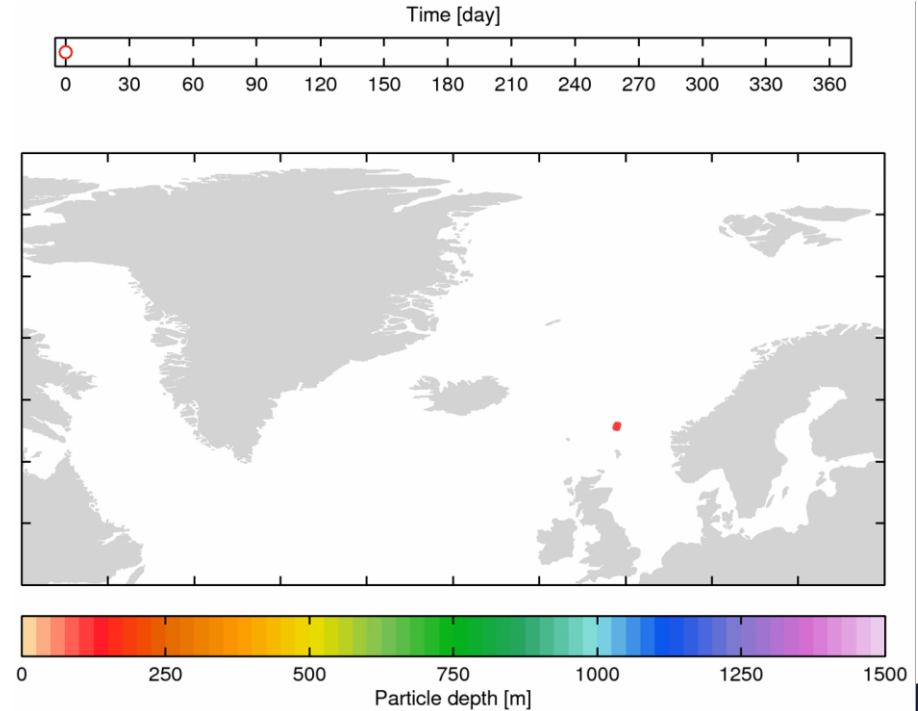
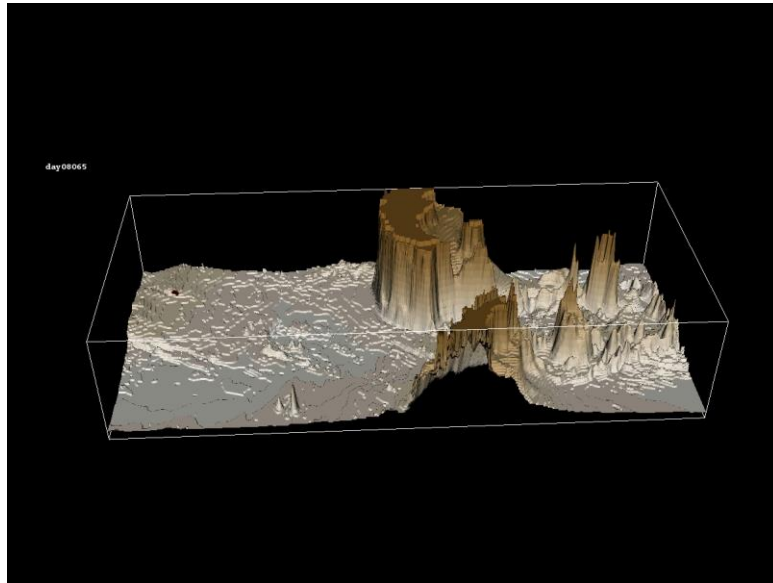
Map



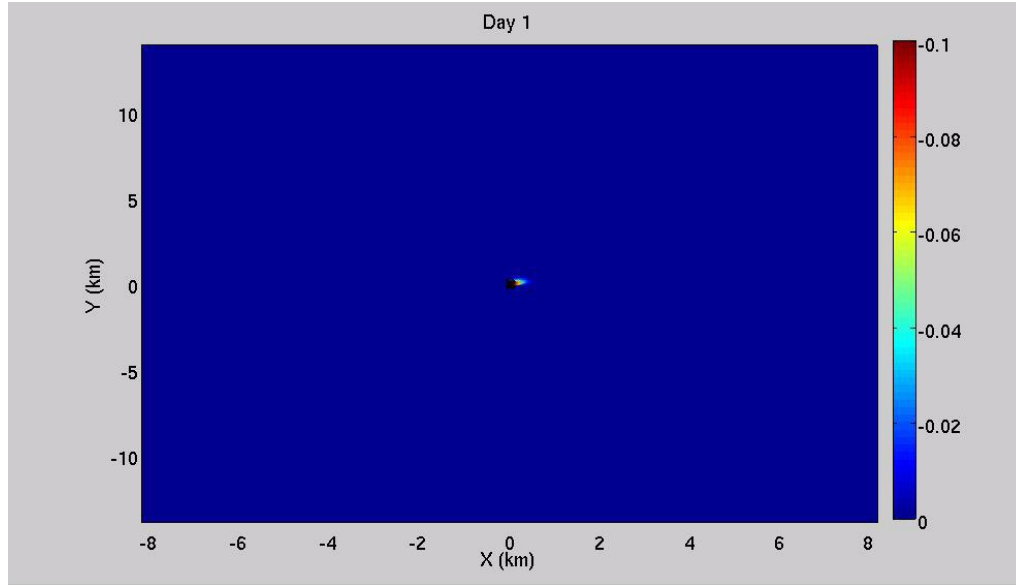
Partners



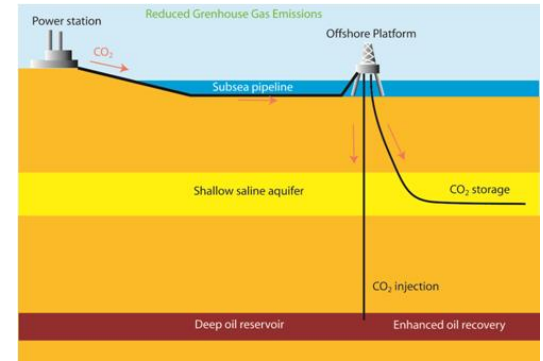
Mission planning e.g. particle tracking



Dispersion from a CCS Sea-Floor Leak



Carbon Capture and Storage



Where next ?

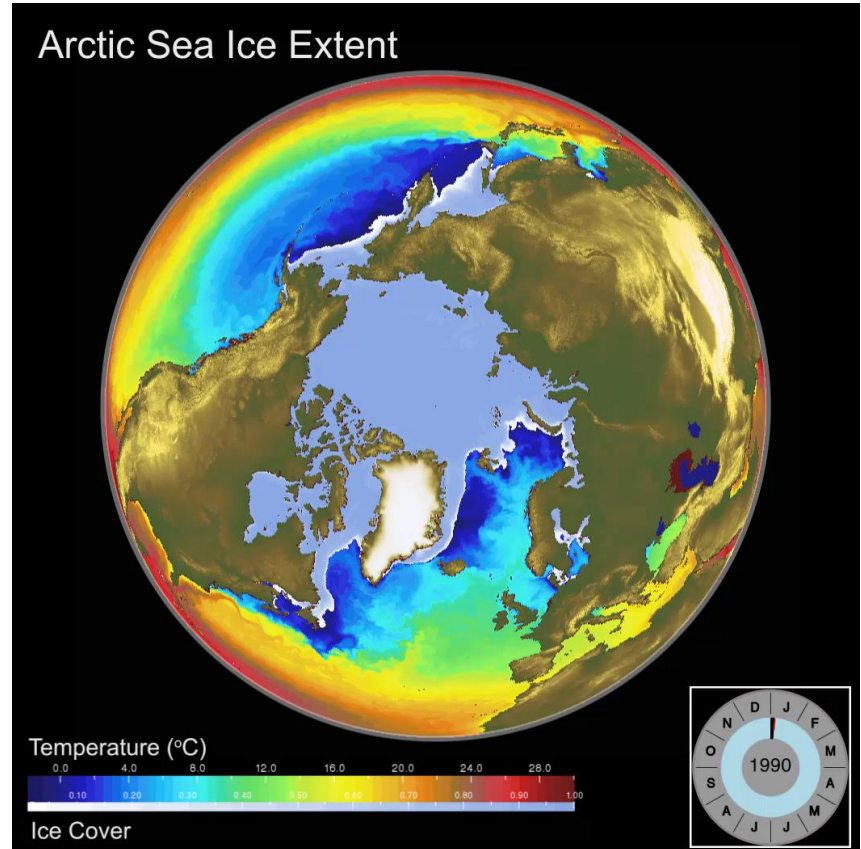
We have access to a powerful suite of models, we are keen to collaborate with others to do more with what we have.. and to create new tools using our skills and knowledge

- MAS has a role to play in complementing and enhancing model and remote sensing data
- MAS operators can benefit from using model and remote sensing data to guide operations

In Liverpool: Aiming to create a **marine data applications hub**, a physical space with IT infrastructure and resources to enable the co-creation and implementation of tools, products and services from marine data and models



Predictions out to 2100





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World Leading Innovation-led Marine
& Maritime Cluster

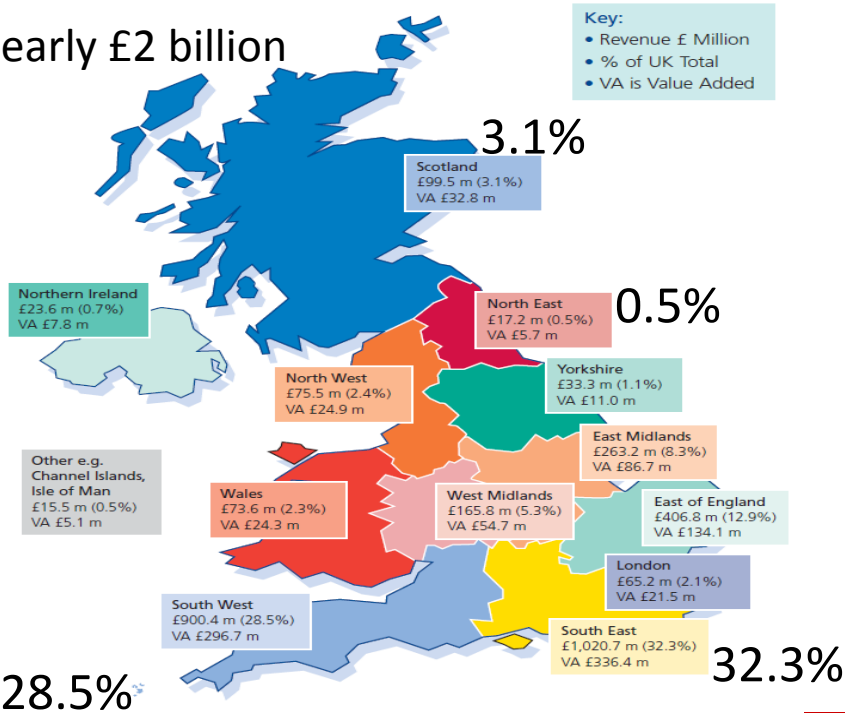


Southern England: Centre for UK's Marine & Maritime industry

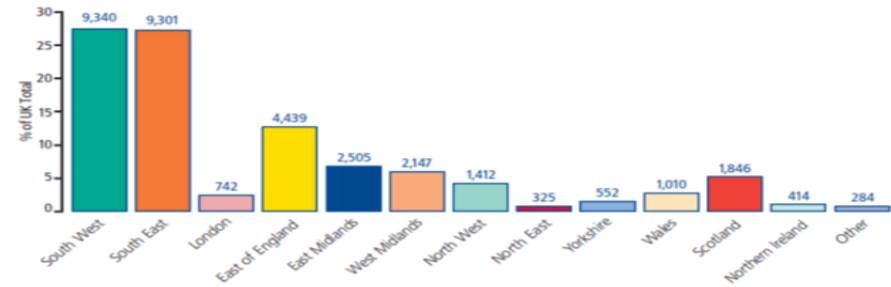


Industry Revenue by Region

Nearly £2 billion



Employment (FTE) by Region



UK LEISURE, SUPERYACHT AND SMALL COMMERCIAL MARINE INDUSTRY

Southern England: centre for UK's Marine & Maritime industry



UK's largest concentration of natural harbours and associated ports



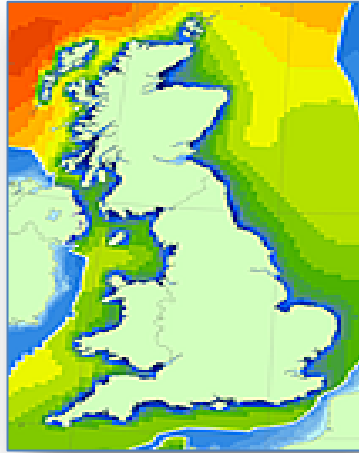
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Only region with all renewable energy resources close to major ports & infrastructure



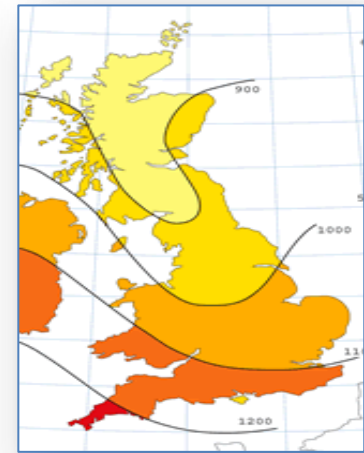
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Wind



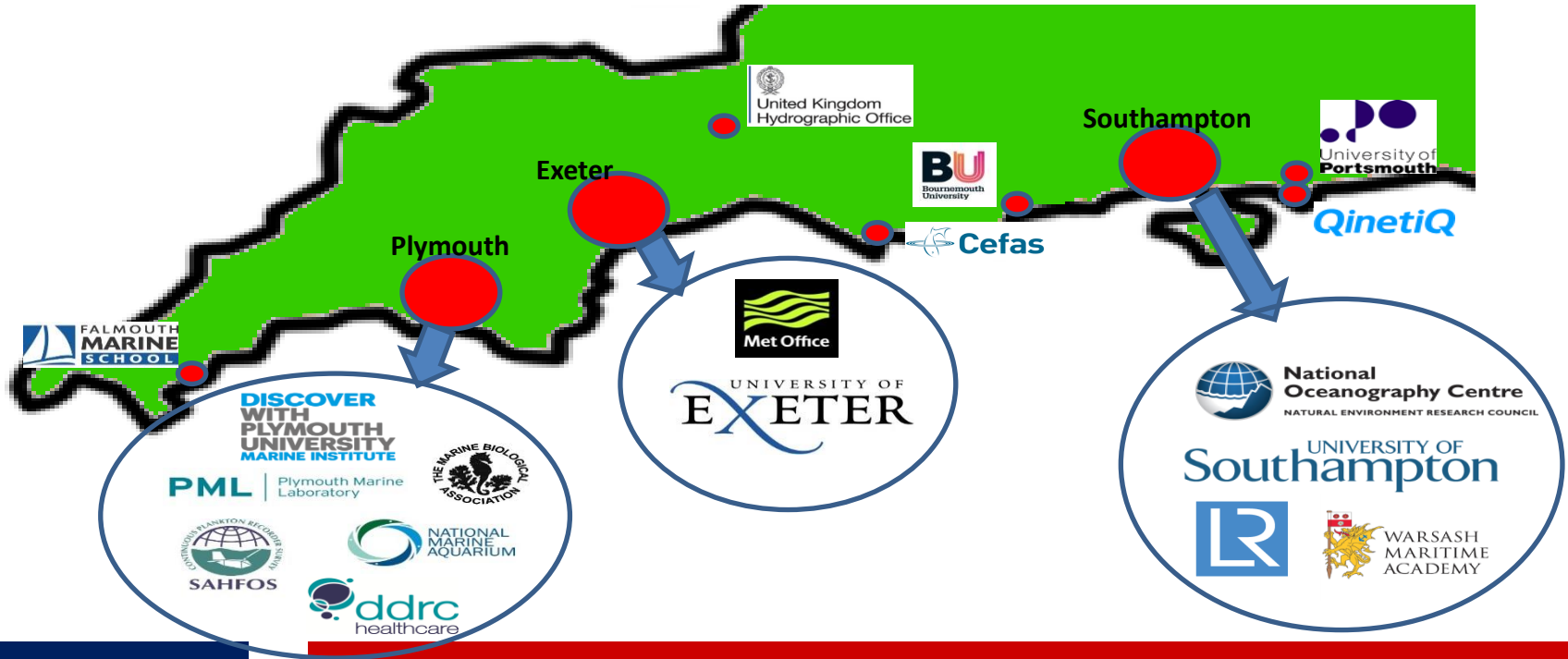
Tidal



Solar



South coast centres of expertise in marine research, innovation and training



Research Capacity Highlights

South Coast includes...



- Two of UK's leading Russell Group Universities
- World top 100 universities (QS/THE)
- UK top 10 (NatureIndex)
- The UK's two top post-92 universities
- World "top 100 under 50" ranking 2015 (THE)



"Education and research solutions for the global marine sector"

Research Capacity Highlights

South Coast includes...



UK's two largest University Marine Institutes

**DISCOVER
WITH
PLYMOUTH
UNIVERSITY
MARINE INSTITUTE**



500+ marine staff/researchers
2600 marine-themed students

UNIVERSITY OF
Southampton

Southampton Marine and Maritime Institute



500+ marine staff/researchers
1000 marine themed students

Research Capacity Highlights



South Coast includes...

UK's four largest and most renowned non-university institutions undertaking marine research



65+ marine scientists



160+ staff



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- 350+ staff at Southampton
- UK's largest institution for integrated marine science

Research Assets

Unparalleled suite of world-class facilities



Innovation & Knowledge Exchange



South Coast can offer...

Marine Robotics Innovation Centre at the NOC



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ASV unmanned
marine systems

seebyte

**Planet
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Associate Members



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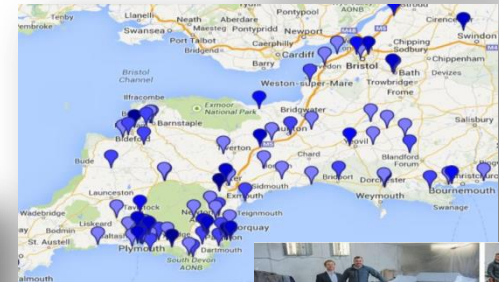
Marine Innovation Centre (MARIC)

- Since 2012 MARIC has engaged with hundreds of businesses on a global scale
- Work closely with core group of companies to maintain a reciprocal relationship through focused knowledge exchange
- Blue Environmental Hub, Brixham (inward investment)

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INNOVATION
CENTRE
WITH
PLYMOUTH
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**BRIXHAM
LABORATORY
WITH
PLYMOUTH
UNIVERSITY**



Innovation & Knowledge Exchange

South Coast can offer...



Southampton Marine and Maritime Institute



- Lloyd's Register - Global Technology Centre (Marine)
- Aim: A world-leading centre for innovation, business and education
- A focal point for industries, enterprises and universities to conduct leading edge research and technology application

World-leading marine autonomous and robotic system expertise on the South Coast



UK Maritime Robotics:

-  Universities and Research Institutions
-  Government Organisations
-  Commercial Organisations



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Marine & Maritime Training

South Coast can offer...



Next generation of maritime professionals



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**MLA
COLLEGE**



Maritime Strengths



Shipping

The Port of Southampton is:

- The UK's number one vehicle handling port
- Europe's leading turnaround cruise, welcoming 1.7m passengers every year
- Contributes over £1bn to UK economy every year
- Home to the new 500m deepwater quay SCT5, which was purpose built to handle the biggest ships in the world



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Maritime Strengths

Defence - Plymouth

The Naval Base & Dockyard directly support 8.4% of Plymouth's total Full-Time Equivalent (FTE) employment and 11.8% of its Gross Value Added (GVA).

It is the primary UK location for deep maintenance of surface and submarine vessels, including up-graded facilities for nuclear submarine work .

Devonport is the largest Naval Base in Western Europe (650 acres).



South Coast...In Summary



- The South Coast of England is clearly and incontrovertibly the centre for marine science and technology in the UK
- Capacity available is of global significance
- Well developed mechanisms of Knowledge Exchange and innovation support
- Significant maritime sector

Thanks to...



The South Coast Marine Cluster



Concept

Began as a cross- local authority and LEP partnership initiative through the GREAT UK Challenge Fund



£100,000 funding +
£114,000 match

Companies introduced to UKTI export team

- International events
- Oceans '15
 - Blue Tech San Diego
 - METS Amsterdam
 - Marintec China
 - Miami International Boat Show
 - Marseille Trade Mission

21 companies showcased
~ 300 leads

£1.2m export and one landed inward investment target – Monitor in November '16

collaboration with public sector, higher education and research institutions

2017 events



Oceanology International – San Diego February 2017

Year of Autonomy – Multiple events across the South Coast

Ocean Business – Southampton April 2017



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Tessa Darley

Knowledge Transport Network

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Roger Gardner

University of Southampton

Year of Autonomy 2017



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Marine – Land -Air Autonomy 2017

A series of events across the south coast to build on the complementarities and contrasts in innovation between water, land and air autonomy



2017 – Year of Autonomy

Vision

To bring together innovators and users from across marine, land and air autonomy to address key challenges and share learning. With the aim of developing cross sector collaboration to address these challenges

2017 – Year of Autonomy



Why?

- Improve industry access to information on cross-sector challenge areas
- Shared understanding of research base and industry approaches to issues they have in common across the autonomy landscape
- Development of cross-sector industry collaborative projects and programmes
- Engage funders and key stakeholders on the key challenge areas
- Create a recognised South Coast Cluster of Excellence for Autonomy

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How?

- Five Workshops on the common Key Challenge Areas
- Develop a roadmap of capabilities and challenge areas
- Funding
 - Engage Funders (Traditional and User community)
 - Horizon scan funding landscape for opportunities

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Working Group

- Industry and Academia Representation
- Water / Land / Air Representation
- Chair – Tessa Darley – Knowledge Transfer Network



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Challenge Area 1 – Collaborative Autonomy

- Swarming
- Command and Control Software
- Artificial Intelligence
- Water / Land / Air Combined Systems

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Challenge Area 2 – Regulation

- Codes of Practice
 - What exists / on the horizon
- Safe Operation
 - Human elements
 - Interactions with infrastructure and transport
- Legal Perspectives

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Challenge Area 3 – Energy Management

- Energy Harvesting
- Battery / Power Management Systems
- Power Storage / Docking and Charging

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Challenge Area 4 – Risk and Reliability

- Testing and Standards
- Safety
- Probability of mission success
- Fault analysis and diagnosis
- Maintenance

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Challenge Area 5 – Societal Acceptance

- Impact of automation on the Workforce
 - Changing and emergent roles
 - Skills
- Public perception – ‘Rise of the Machines’
- Ethics

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Date	Topic	Host Venue
November '16	Launch	National Oceanography Centre (NOC)
January '17	Collaborative Autonomy	QinetiQ
March '17	Regulation	University of Southampton
May '17	Energy Management	Plymouth – Venue TBC
July '17	Risk and Reliability	University of Portsmouth
September '17	Societal Acceptance	Cornwall – Venue TBC
November '17	Review & Outcomes	NOC

Website coming soon for registrations

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Additional Elements

- Bi-Monthly Autonomy Community newsletter
- Network Building
- Report on findings and actions

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Questions and Suggestions



Mid Morning Refreshments



30 Minute Break



Mr Dan Hook

Managing Director ASV

MAS Council Survey Review



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The UK MAS Industry

November 2016

Dan Hook, CEng, MRINA
Managing Director



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Materials



Aerospace

Digital

Marine Robotics



Automotive



Medical





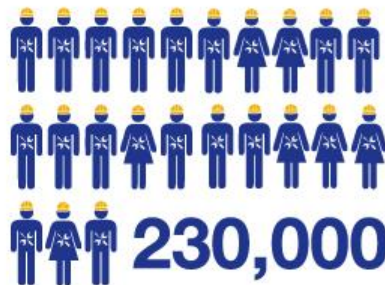


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Aerospace

Supports 230,000 jobs across the breadth of the UK



Contributes £24billion to the economy every year



Every 2.5 seconds an aircraft takes off or lands, powered by a Rolls-Royce engine



Potential growth by 2031 for civil aerospace market is in excess of \$4.4trillion

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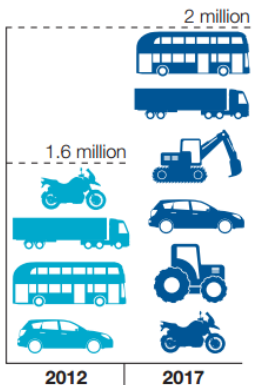
Automotive



There are **141,000** people directly employed in the UK automotive sector.



A new vehicle rolls off a production line in UK every **20 seconds**.



The UK currently makes nearly 1.6 million vehicles each year, this is expected to **rise to over 2 million** by 2017.



GROWING THE AUTOMOTIVE SUPPLY CHAIN THE OPPORTUNITY AHEAD

The automotive sector is worth **£10.7 billion** to the UK economy in GVA.





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Subsea Overview Video



over 53,000 employees



£8.9 billion industry



over 750 companies



News story

UK aerospace industry receives £2 billion investment

From: [Department for Business, Innovation & Skills](#)
First published: 18 March 2013
Part of: [Industrial strategy](#)



Press release

Billion pound commitment to power UK auto sector to the future

From: [Department for Business, Innovation & Skills and The Rt Hon Dr Vince Cable](#)
First published: 12 July 2013
Part of: [Industrial strategy](#)

SMI MAS Council



Society of
**Maritime
Industries**

“Our activities follow our objectives of presenting members with business opportunities, assisting with research and innovation, lobbying government and NGOs to improve the business environment, facilitating network opportunities and providing marketing and other services.”

Chairman: Dan Hook, ASV Global

Frank Cotton, BAE Systems Naval Ships

David Etherington-Smith, EP Barrus

James Fanshawe, AutoNaut

Kevin Forshaw, National Oceanography Centre

Matthew Hart, Thales

Andy Horler, Lockheed Martin

Neil Hunt, Frazer-Nash Consultancy

Tim Kent, Lloyd's Register

Ryan Mowat, RS Aqua

Frederic Perdrix, Houlder

Chris Pontet, SCISYS

Anita Teo, Rolls-Royce

Stephen Turnock, Southampton University

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Nigel Whybrow, Babcock International

Julian Woolley, BMT Cadence

Council Director: John Murray, Society of Maritime Industries (SMI)



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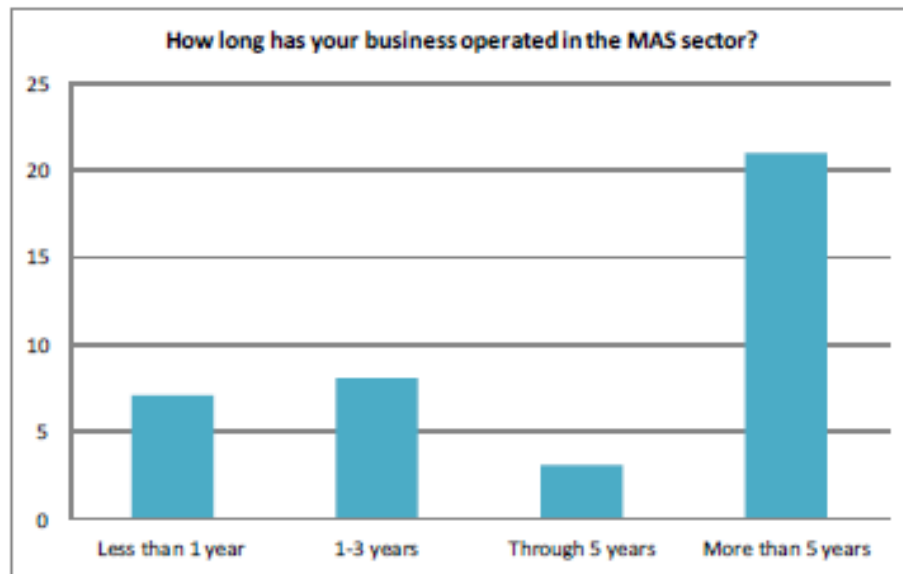
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Action

Establish a baseline. What is the industry now?

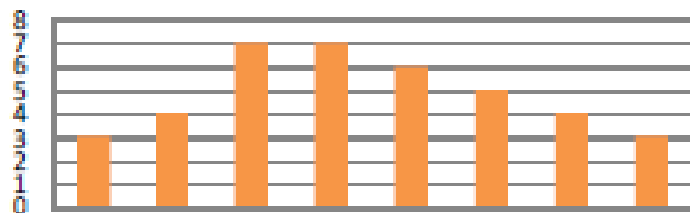
Identify a target. What could we be?

Plan actions to achieve it.



	No of Companies
Less than 1 year	7
1-3 years	8
Through 5 years	3
More than 5 years	21
	39

What is your main area of business?



Academic Institution

Agent Distributor (e.g. equipment supplier)

Equipment Manufacturer

Platform Manufacturer

Services

System Integrator

Sub System Manufacturer

Naval Architecture/Design

No. of Companies

Academic Institution

3

Agent Distributor (e.g. equipment supplier)

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Equipment Manufacturer

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Platform Manufacturer

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Services

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System Integrator

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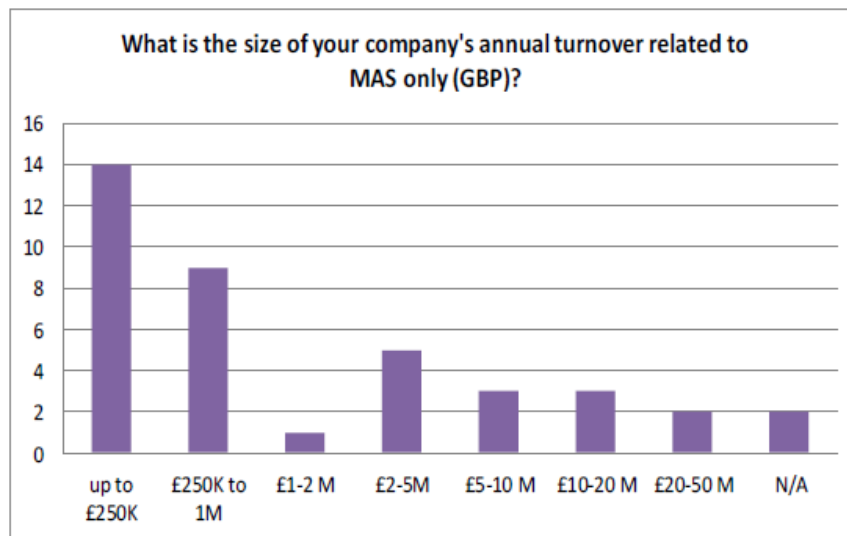
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Naval Architecture/Design

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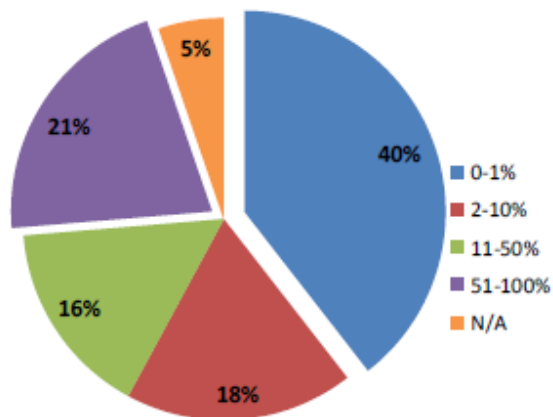
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No of Companies	
up to £250K	14
£250K to 1M	9
£1-2 M	1
£2-5M	5
£5-10 M	3
£10-20 M	3
£20-50 M	2
N/A	2

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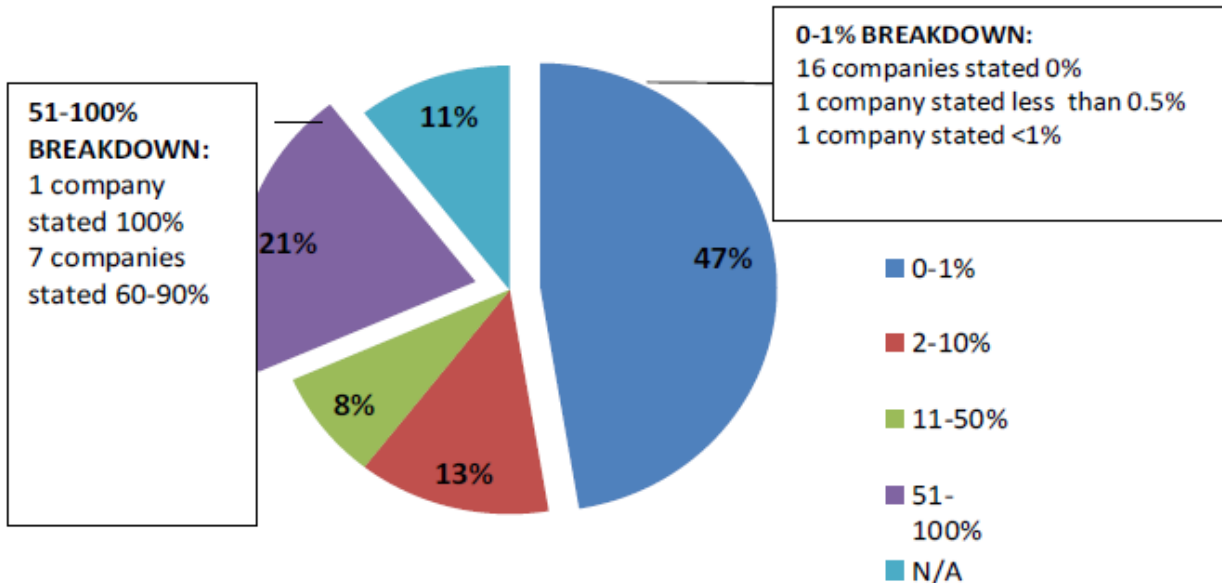
**What proportion of your overall company turnover
is your MAS turnover? (%)**



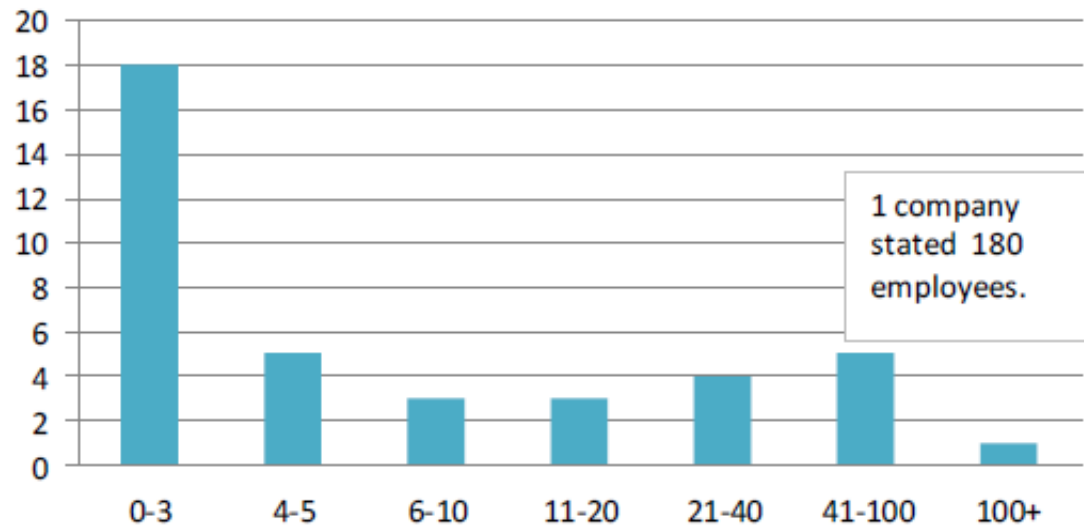
No of Companies

0-1%	15 (incl. negible)
2-10%	7
11-50%	6
51-100%	8
N/A	2
	38
Varies too much to give a figure	(not incl.)

What proportion of your company's MAS turnover is export sales from the UK (%)?

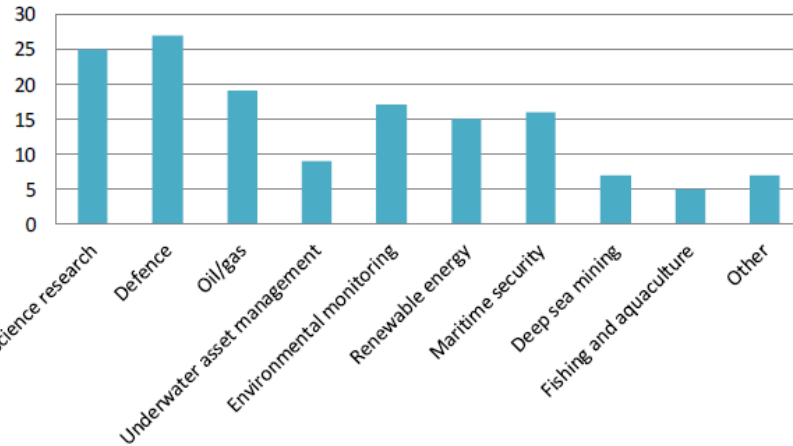


How many people does your company employ in the UK working in MAS? (FTE)



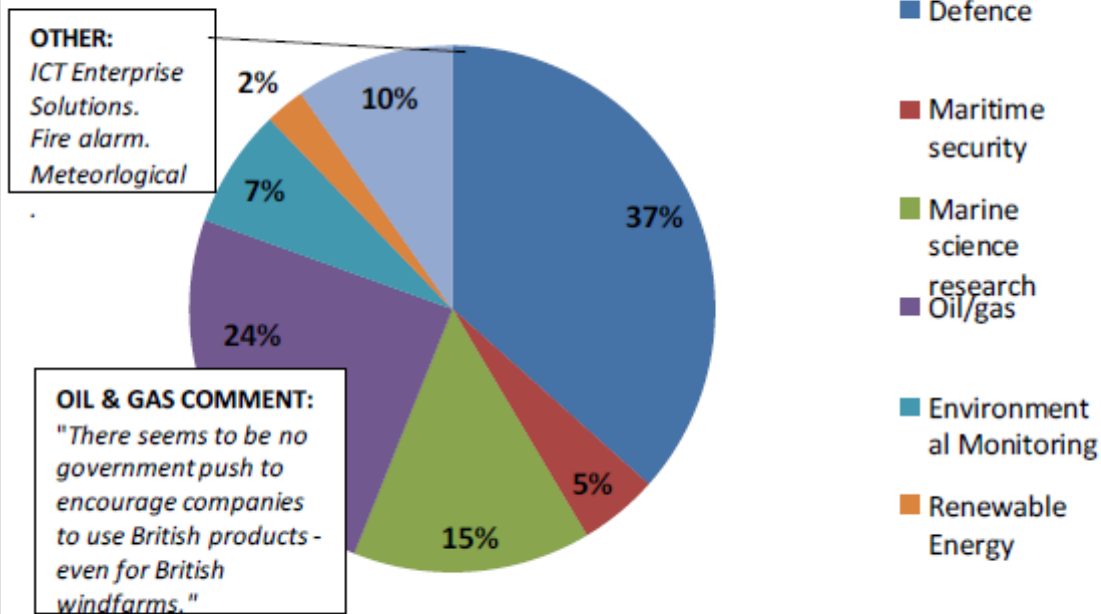
	No of Companies
0-3	18
4-5	5
6-10	3
11-20	3
21-40	4
41-100	5
100+	1
	39

Which of these are your MAS market sectors? (select all that apply)

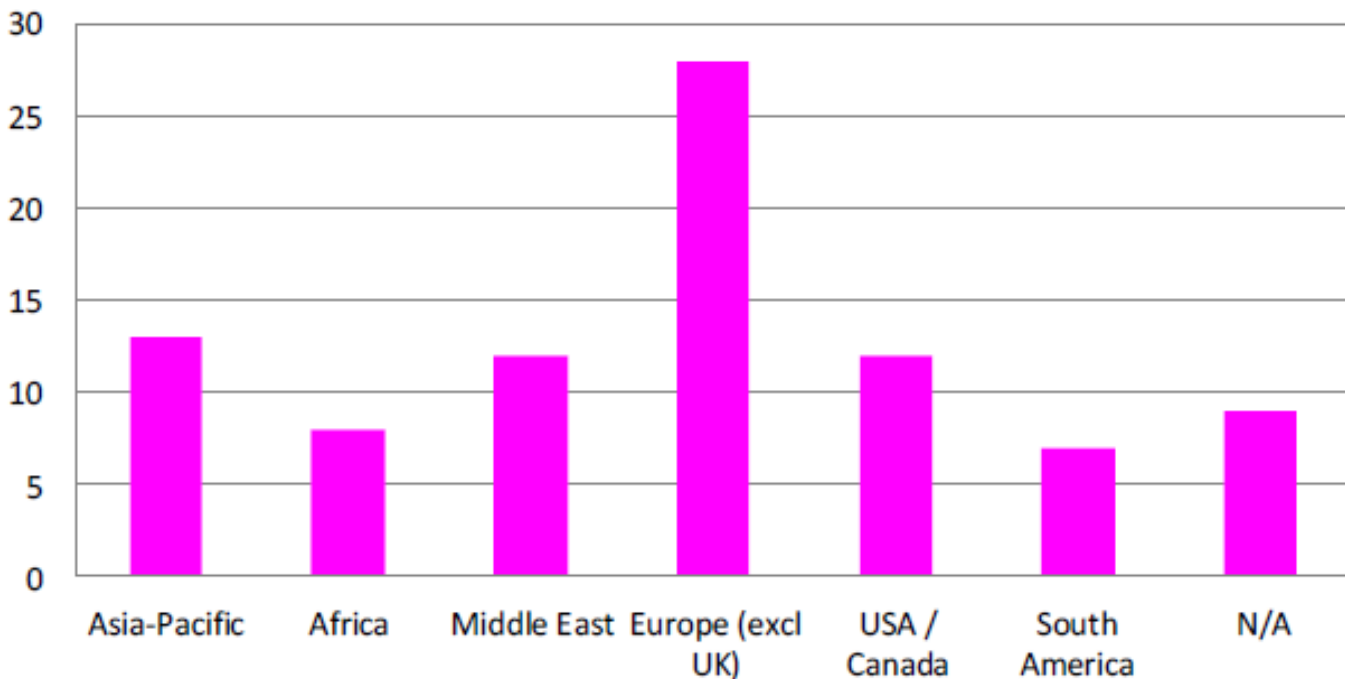


	No of Companies
Marine science research	25
Defence	27
Oil/gas	19
Underwater asset management	9
Environmental monitoring	17
Renewable energy	15
Maritime security	16
Deep sea mining	7
Fishing and aquaculture	5
Other	7

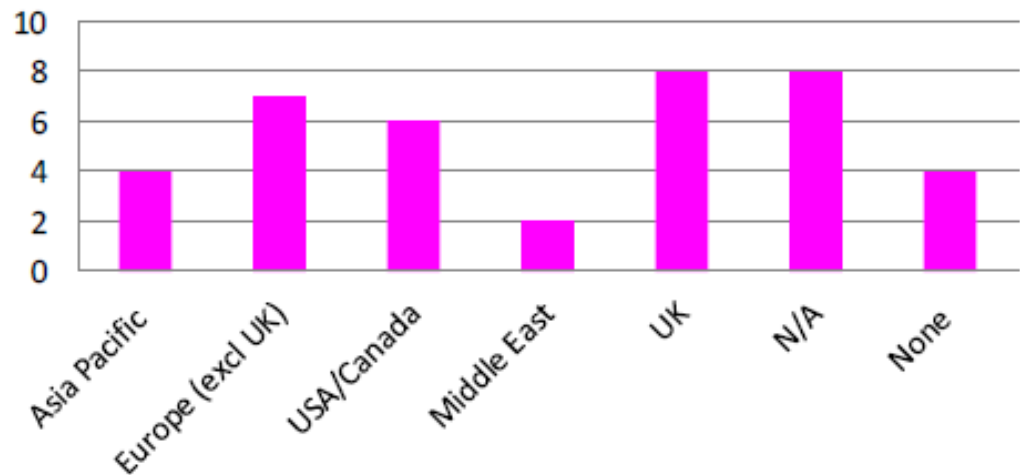
Which of the above was your main market sector?



To which of these market areas do you export MAS (select all that apply)



Which of the above was your main market sector for MAS last year?

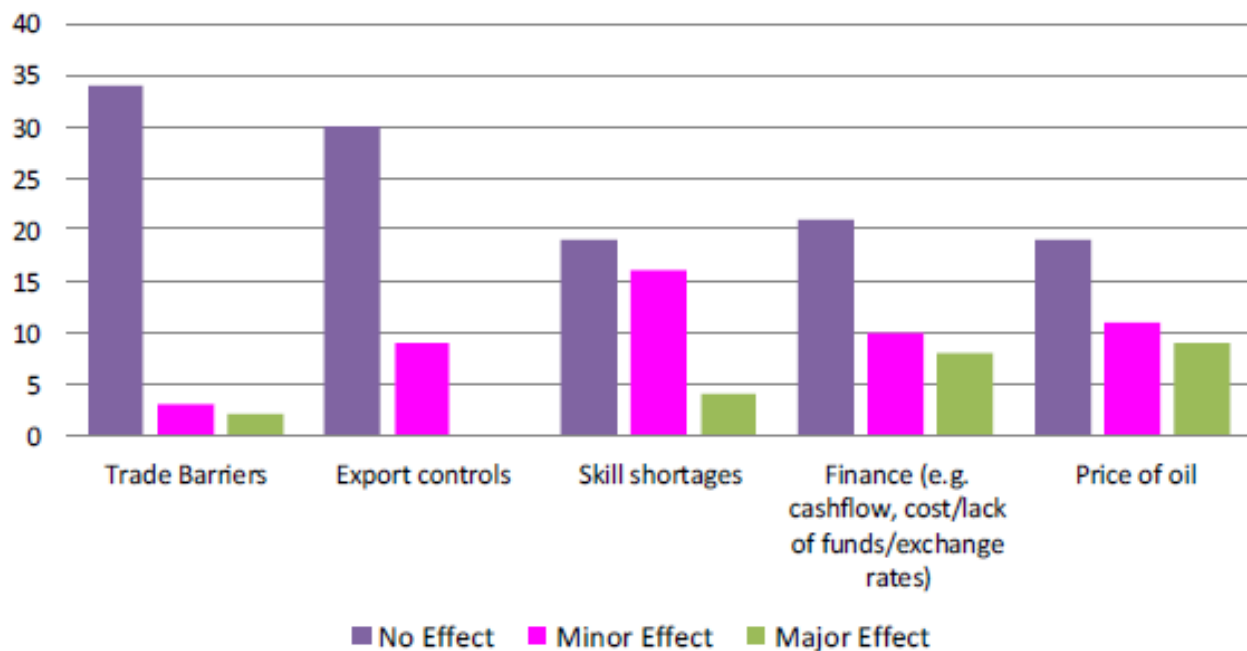


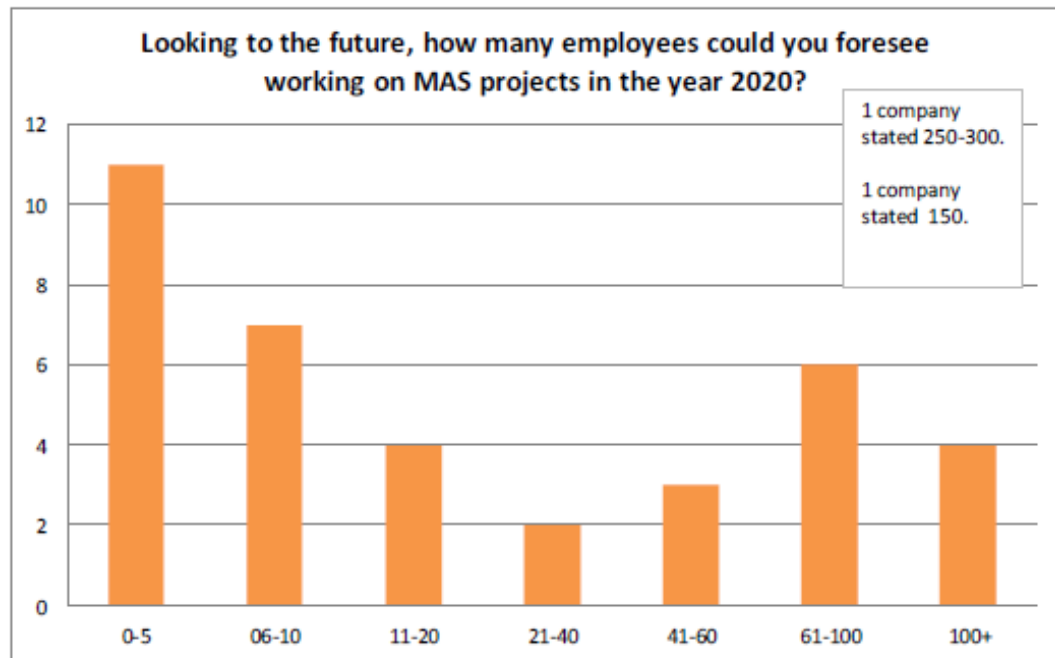
No of Companies

Asia Pacific	4
Europe (excl UK)	7
USA/Canada	6
Middle East	2
UK	8
N/A	8
None	4

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Have the following had a negative effect on your MAS business over the past 12 months?





	No of Companies
0-5	11
06-10	7
11-20	4
21-40	2
41-60	3
61-100	6
100+	4
	37

Fig. 12 : Looking to the future, how many employees could you foresee working on MAS projects in the year 2020?

Summary

- 40 respondents. We know we are missing many of the ROV related companies.
- It will be repeated, improved and grown.
- Principally design, build and supply companies have responded.
- Annual Revenue of approximately £200m.
- Approximately 500 people employed directly in MAS.
- 1000+ employees by 2020.
- 2020 Revenue target of £500m+

Look at other countries

The global unmanned surface vehicle (USV) market is projected to grow from USD 437.57 Million in 2016 to USD 861.37 Million by 2021, at a CAGR of 14.51% during the forecast period from 2016 to 2021 – marketsandmarkets.com

The autonomous underwater vehicles (AUV) market is expected to grow from USD 211.8 Million in 2016 to USD 497.9 Million by 2022, at a CAGR of 15.31% during the forecast period. – marketsandmarkets.com

2014- 2019. ROV operational expenditure for the forecast period is expected to total \$14.2 billion, an increase of nearly 19% over the previous five-year period.- Douglas Westwood

Worldwide MAS market ~ \$3.5bn
UK – 8% of this.



Maritime Autonomous Systems MADE IN BRITAIN

2016

£200m +

500 People

50 Companies

S BUILD **SUBSEA** **L** DESIGN
E OFFSHORE ENERGY **A** COMMUNICATIONS
A AIR **EXPORT** **D** ENERGY
SCIENCE AN SENSORS

2020

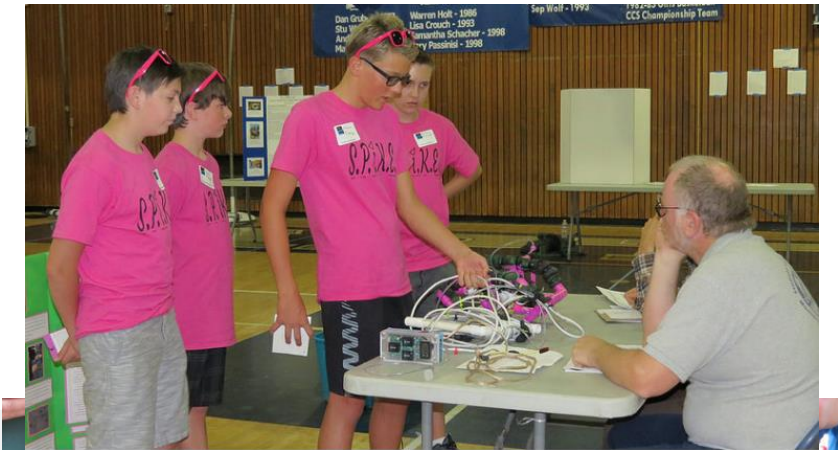
£500m +

1000 People

60 Companies

Personal Note

- Many of us have been in this MAS industry for a while, some are new
- This is the most exciting time and this period will be remembered.
- The market is growing fast, faster than any of us can grow.
- Encourage collaboration. Share information. Form a UK MAS community and culture.
- I promise to pass on opportunities I find, lets all help each other.





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EU Funding for Research Development and Innovation

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Horizon 2020 UK National Contact Point for Transport

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What is Horizon 2020?

- The biggest EU Research and Innovation programme ever with nearly €80 billion of funding available over 7 years (2014 to 2020)
- The goal is to ensure Europe
 - produces world-class science,
 - removes barriers to innovation
 - makes it easier for the public and private sectors to work together in delivering innovation.
- Emphasis on excellent science, industrial leadership and tackling societal challenges

Post EU Referendum (1)

From [Jo Johnson](#), Minister of State for Universities and Science:

“The referendum result has no immediate effect on those applying to or participating in Horizon 2020. UK researchers and businesses can continue to apply to the programme in the usual way. The future of UK access to European research and innovation funding will be a matter for future discussions. Government is determined to ensure that the UK continues to play a leading role in European and international research and innovation”

From [European Commission](#):

“The Statement of 29 June of the Heads of State or Government of 27 Member States, as well as the Presidents of the European Council and the European Commission, confirms that until the UK leaves the EU, EU law continues to apply to and within the UK, both when it comes to rights and obligations. This includes the eligibility of UK legal entities to participate and receive funding in Horizon 2020 actions”

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Horizon 2020

Excellent Science

- *European Research Council*
- *Future and Emerging Technologies*
- *Marie Curie actions*
- *Research Infrastructures*

Industrial Leadership

- *Leadership in Enabling and Industrial Technologies*
- *Access to risk finance*
- *Innovation in SMEs*

Societal Challenges

- *Health, demographic change and wellbeing*
- *Food security, sustainable agriculture, marine and maritime research & the bio-economy*
- *Secure, clean and efficient energy*
- *Smart, green and integrated transport*
- *Climate action, resource efficiency and raw materials*
- *Inclusive societies*
- *Secure societies*

Specific Programme Activities in Blue Growth (part of Food Security, Sustainable Agriculture & Forestry, Marine & Maritime and Inland Water Research and the Bioeconomy)

- Demonstrate the innovative potential of the Oceans by bringing technology to market
- Foster innovation and business opportunities for rural and coastal areas through new approaches and business models

Specific Programme Activities in Mobility for Growth (part of Smart, green and integrated transport)

- Resource efficient transport that respects the environment
- Better mobility, less congestion, more safety and security
- Global leadership for European transport industry
- Socio-economic and behavioural research and forward looking activities for policy making

2017 topics open 20th Sept (MG) and 4th Oct (BG)

- [BG-02-2016-2017](#): High value-added specialised vessel concepts enabling more efficient servicing of emerging coastal and offshore activities
- [BG-04-2017](#): Multi-use of the oceans marine space, offshore and near-shore: Enabling technologies
- [BG-07-2017](#): Blue green innovation for clean coasts and seas
- [MG-2.1-2017](#): Innovations in energy efficiency and emission control in waterborne transport
- [MG-2.4-2017](#): Complex and value-added specialised vessels
- [MG-7.3-2017](#): The Port of the future

Types of Action

Main types of action:

- Research and Innovation Action
- Innovation Action
- Coordination and Support Action
- SME Instrument (subject of separate presentation – ask me for details)

Research and Innovation Action (RIA)

- Complete definition of RIA can be found in [Part D of the General Annexes](#) of the General Work Programme
- Relatively low(ish) Technology Readiness Level (TRL)
 - EU definitions [can be seen here](#)
- Basic eligibility is at least three independent organisations from three different qualifying countries
 - Full list of eligible nations (not just European Member States) [can be seen here](#)
- Funding level for all participants is 100% of all Direct Costs plus additional 25% to cover Indirect Costs
- Template for proposals can be [downloaded here](#)

Innovation Action (IA)

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 - EU definitions [can be seen here](#)
- Basic eligibility is at least three independent organisations from three different qualifying countries
 - Full list of eligible nations (not just European Member States) [can be seen here](#)
- Funding level for
 - all non-profit participants is 100% of all Direct Costs plus additional 25% to cover Indirect Costs
 - All for-profit participants is 70% of all Direct Costs plus additional 25% to cover Indirect Costs

Coordination and Support Action (CSA)

- Complete definition of CSA can be found in [Part D of the General Annexes](#) of the General Work Programme
- Activities generally include standardisation, dissemination, awareness-raising and communication, networking, coordination or support services, policy dialogues, mutual learning exercises and studies, etc.
- Basic eligibility is one organisation from one qualifying country
 - Full list of eligible nations (not just European Member States) [can be seen here](#)
- Funding level for all participants is 100% of all Direct Costs plus additional 25% to cover Indirect Costs
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Evaluation

- Three Criteria each scored out of 5
 - Excellence (how good is the idea)
 - Impact (what will it achieve)
 - Quality and Efficiency of the Implementation
- Minimum threshold is 10 out of 15
- Proposals over threshold are ranked (within declared budget allocation) with the top ones funded until all budget is allocated
- For Innovation Actions, Impact is weighted 1.5 times when proposals are ranked

What is a National Contact Point (NCP)?

- Team of Government funded, UK based individuals (many, but not all, are part of Innovate UK)
- Free help, support, advice and guidance to any UK organisation considering participating in Horizon 2020
- One specifically for Transport: Louise Mothersole
louise.mothersole@innovateuk.gov.uk
- One specifically for Blue Growth: Ian Holmes
ian.holmes@innovateuk.gov.uk
- Full [list with contact details](#) of all UK NCPs

Any Questions?

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..... so please do talk to us.



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organisations
supported



of GVA for every
£1 invested



> **7 jobs** created for every business invested in

Our 5-point plan

1

Turn scientific excellence into economic impact

2

Scale up high-potential businesses into highly-productive, mid-sized companies

3

Build innovation excellence throughout the UK

4

Develop Catapults at the heart of a high-impact national innovation network

5

Find new ways of funding innovation

The 4 Investment Criteria

- WW Market Size
 - What is the current and projected size, growth, competition?
- UK Capability to address it
 - Does the UK have a strong research base in the area, the skills, the business capacity?
- Timing and Impact
 - When and how big?
- Added-Value of an Innovate UK Programme
 - Why should the taxpayer support this project?

Sector Groups

Emerging and Enabling Technologies

Emerging Technologies, Space, Digital, Electronics, Photonics, Sensors, Robotics and Autonomous Systems, Design, Creative Economy, Open (former “Smart”/KTP)

Health and Life Sciences

Health, Healthcare, Agriculture & Food, Biosciences

Infrastructure Systems

Energy, Transport, Future Cities, Urban Living

Manufacturing and Materials

High Value Manufacturing, Advanced Materials (including nanotechnology)



In Emerging & Enabling Technologies

- **Two Foundation Competitions**
- Additional competitions in 2016:
 - Quantum Technologies (Open)
 - **Robotics & Autonomous Systems (Closed)**
 - Compound Semiconductor Applications (Closed)
 - Others in planning
- Infrastructure:
 - CSIT IKC
 - Digital Catapult
 - Satellite Applications Catapult
 - Compound Semiconductors Catapult
 - Open Data Institute
 - Others in planning
- Entrepreneur missions: Space III
- Partnerships: UKSA/ESA



Live funding competitions (www.gov.uk)

- [Funding competition: technology solutions for society in India](#)
- [SBRI funding competition: advanced nuclear manufacturing and materials](#)
- [Funding competition: urban innovation in Brazil](#)
- [SBRI funding competition: using technology to improve dermatology](#)
- [Improving care for stroke patients: apply for innovation funding](#)
- [Funding competition: manufacturing and materials round 2](#)
- [Managing sickness absence: funding available for innovative solutions](#)
- [CDE themed competition: the future of aviation security](#)
- [SBRI funding competition: vaccines for global epidemics - preclinical](#)
- [GP practices of the future: apply for business contracts](#)
- [Funding competition: cell & gene therapies industrial manufacture](#)
- [Funding competition: emerging & enabling technologies round 1](#)
- [Funding competition: innovation in health and life sciences round 1](#)
- [Funding competition: Agri-Tech Catalyst](#)
- [CDE themed competition: autonomy in hazardous scene assessment](#)
- [Reducing animal use in research: apply for innovation funding](#)
- [Funding competition: agri-food innovation in Turkey](#)
- [Knowledge Transfer Partnerships: what they are and how to apply](#)
- [Funding competition: Aerospace Technology Institute R&T programme](#)



Emerging & Enabling Technologies Foundation Competition Round 1

- **Competition brief: emerging & enabling technologies round 1**
- Competition opens Monday 3 October 2016
- Launch event for applicants London, Friday 30 September 2016
- Briefing events Manchester Monday 10 October 2016
- Belfast Friday 14 October 2016
- Cardiff Thursday 20 October 2016
- Bristol Wednesday 26 October 2016
- Glasgow Wednesday 26 October 2016
- Registration deadline Noon on Wednesday 30 November 2016
- Application deadline Noon on Wednesday 7 December 2016

- <https://www.gov.uk/government/collections/innovation-grants-for-business-apply-for-funding#live-funding-competitions>

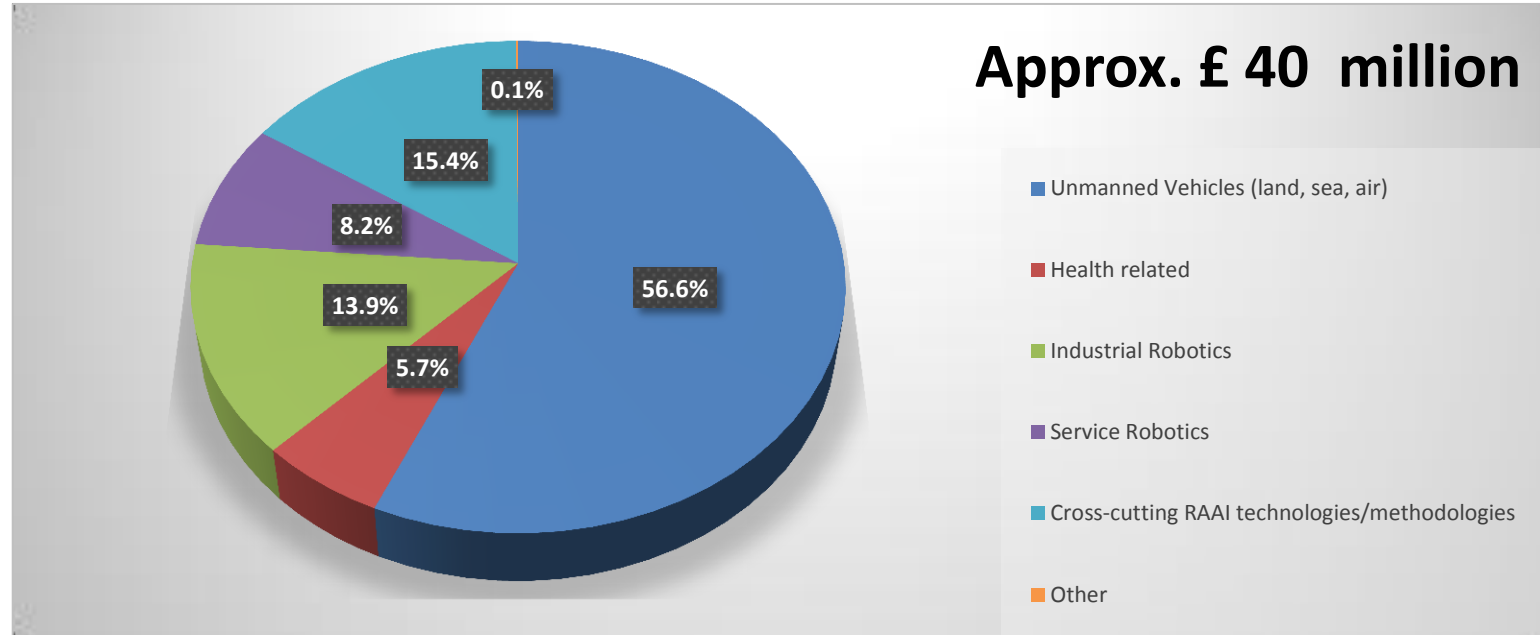
RAS applications competition Autumn 2016

- Innovate UK and EPSRC are to invest up to £5m in innovation projects to stimulate new partnerships across robotics and autonomous systems.
 - Competition opened Monday 18 July 2016
 - Application deadline Wednesday 26 October 2016
- The aim of this competition is to enable the development of successful RAS products, services or processes. Examples of the application areas for RAS include, but are not limited to: service robotics, demanding environments, agriculture, healthcare, mobile production, and logistics.
- The systems can be physical (for example, a next generation robot) or digital only (for example, an automated decision-making system).
- Developing RAS involves combining many complementary disciplines. These must work seamlessly together to achieve the necessary functionality.
- Proposals should show how they can speed up the development of RAS technologies towards demonstration and commercialisation.
- Range in size from total costs of £50,000 to £500,000.
- A business must lead the project. Projects with costs of £100,000 or above must be collaborative.

Innovate UK RAS related funding

- The Robotics & Autonomous Systems (RAS) is a broad area, with unclear boundaries
- Over £40m has been allocated since 2009 including co-funding
- Most of this funding allocation has been committed during since 2014, with focussed competitions that may involve RAS technology
 - 2013:
 - Developing novel concepts in autonomous service robotics £0.8m
 - 2014:
 - Flexible manufacturing £5.6m
 - Maritime Autonomous Systems £5m
 - 2015:
 - Next generation autonomous vehicles £15.4m
 - CHIRON Revolutionising Long Term Care Phase 2 £2m
 - Software Verification & Validation for Complex Systems £0.6m
 - 2016 - Currently in progress
 - Robotics & Autonomous Systems Applications £5m

RAS related Innovate UK funding 2009-16

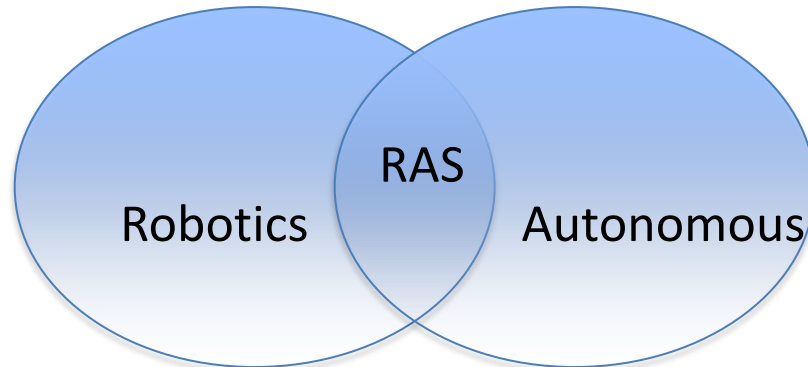


Maritime Autonomous Systems Projects

	Project
1	Unmanned Safe Maritime Operation Over The Horizon (USMOOTH)
2	Autonomous Surface/Sub-surface Survey System
3	Safe Intelligent Launch and Recovery Solution (SILARS)
4	Launch & Recovery of Multiple AUVs from an USV
5	Robust Machine Executable Collision Regulations at Sea
6	Pressure Tolerant Lithium Sulphur Battery for Marine Autonomous Systems
7	Autonomous Operation and Collision Avoidance
8	USV Environmental Efficiency

What is RAS?

- Robotics
 - Robotics is the branch of science and engineering & technology that deals with the design, construction, operation, and application of robots/robotic systems, which in turn are machines capable of carrying out a series of actions on behalf of humans.
- Autonomous systems
 - Broad view: systems that operate without a Human-in-the-Loop during the execution of their tasks
 - Narrow view: systems that can “learn” and thus create their own logic, situation awareness, planning capabilities and their “own” laws or logic



Current status of RAS

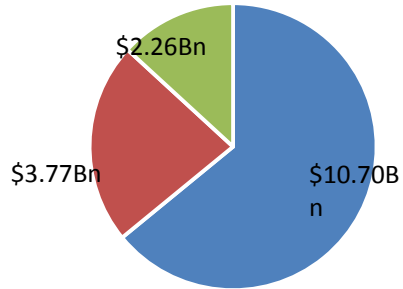
- Robotic systems are heavily used for repetitive industrial applications
 - Manufacturing
 - Automotive, packaging and process industries
 - Mainly in guarded and interlocked environments
 - 80% of cost is programming, guarding and H&S, 20% cost of the Robot
 - Also used in some Hazardous Environments
 - Nuclear, Deep Sea
 - Normally controlled directly by a human
- Autonomous Systems are mainly used in a virtual environment
 - High Frequency Trading, Chat Bot's
 - Autonomous Systems are not prevalent but are emerging
 - NEST, Dyson Vacuum, Military Applications (Drones, Missiles), DLR
 - Typified by ability to learn and make independent decisions

Future Opportunities in RAS

- RAS technologies are estimated to have a potential global economic impact of \$1.9 - \$6.4 trillion by 2025 and to impact UK sectors by £218 billion (15% of GVA)
- A whole new set of application areas are emerging where the UK can be at the forefront of technology development;
 - Demanding and hazardous areas
 - Assistive robots
 - Companion robots
 - Mobile production
- Need to develop core competences;
 - Soft solids handling technology; non-guarded environments; spatial awareness and management; power management; autonomy

Market Size 2014-2018

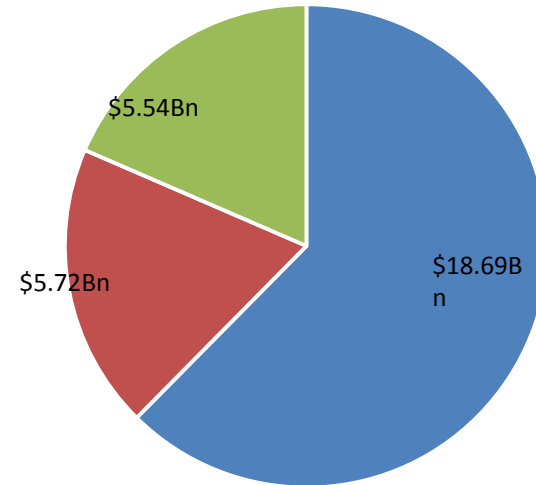
Market size 2014



- Industrial Robotics
- Professional Service Robots

Total Market size \$16.73BN

Market size 2018



- Industrial Robotics
- Professional Service Robots

Total Market size \$29.95BN

* All figures taken from The International Federation of Robotics market analysis and forecast reports

RAS 2020 strategy

- **Recommended the following next steps:**
- Invest further in the five RAS strategy strands: assets, challenges, coordination, clusters and skills
- Establish the means for funding agencies to formally work together
- Establish a RAS Leadership Council
- Further develop engagement with EU, Investors and UK/overseas corporate resources
- Consult more widely on potential Asset and cross sector Grand Challenges.
- Further develop dialogue with those involved in standards and regulation
- Extend outreach and public engagement activities to continue changing public perceptions.
- Articulate internationally to make businesses and investors aware that UK aims to be the best place to invest in taking RAS technologies to market.



For the UK to lead:

- Build a critical mass of expertise and equipment in:

Hardware	Software	Cross-cutting
Sensors, electronics, power management, valves, motors, haptics	Data, control, autonomy, machine learning, artificial intelligence	Integrating Hardware and Software, and broader capability: test, validation, security, cyber, legislative, standards, processes, missions, design, usability, ethics, user acceptance

- Take a lead in key areas;
 - Service Robotics (health, services, IoT etc.)
 - Demanding Environments (off-shore energy, chemicals, O&G)
 - Mobile Production (agriculture, power distribution, etc.)
- Understand the user environment
 - Cities, Farm, Factory, Home – we know well from our sectors
- Providing a higher level of integration across current activities
- See outputs of recent House of Commons science and technology committee on RAS <http://bit.ly/2fNytPG>

RAS Summary

Key points:

- UK is underinvested in use of robotics by industry – holding back national productivity - UK should use more industrial robots
- Some markets already well served, and developing:
 - Industrial Robots (HVM)
 - RPAS (HVM, ATI) and Satellites (SAC)
 - Autonomous Vehicles (TSC, NOC)
 - Nuclear (UK AEA)
- Supply of existing industrial robots mainly dominated by overseas companies (ABB, iRobot, Yaskawa Electric, Kawasaki Heavy Industries, KUKA)
- UK has potential to:
 - Increase sales to industrial robots supply chain
 - Develop and supply next generation robots (such as service robots)
 - Create a strong position in service robots supply chain (software, hardware etc.)
- Integrated UK programme proposed, including a UKRI funded facilities to realise this potential

Overall Summary

- There is significant change:
 - Brexit
 - Machinery of Government
 - UKRI
- But the opportunities for business remain significant
 - in global markets,
 - from advances in technology
- Collaboration is key for success
- We remain committed to help UK business

We can't stop thinking
about the future

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Networking Lunch



1 Hour Break



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Royal Navy

**Use of Autonomous Systems and
Technologies in Defence
Applications**



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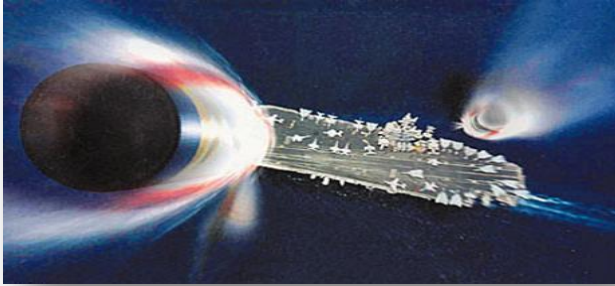
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Maritime Capability From Concept to Reality



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Maritime Capability



Rise of Autonomous Systems



Bad guys have this stuff



THE TINY SPY IN THE SKY

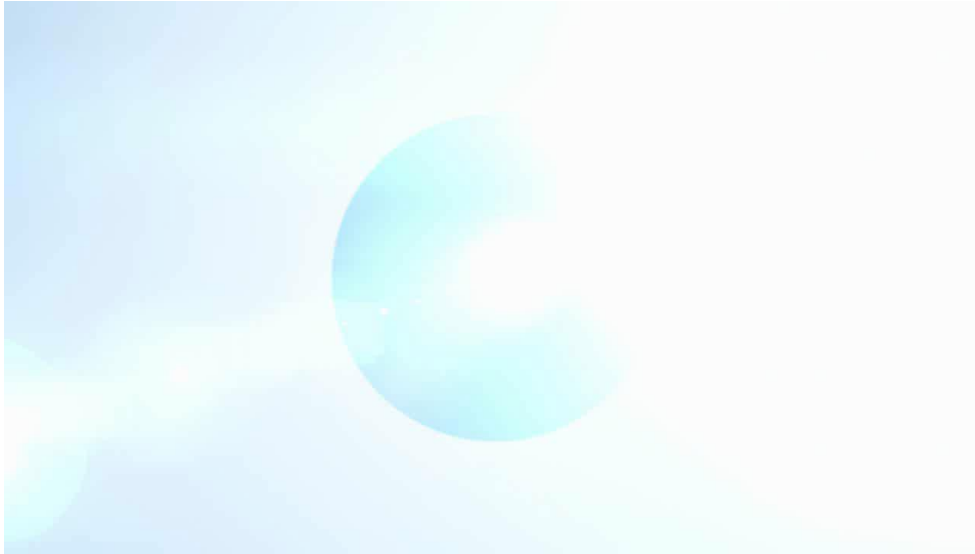
- Two cameras allow the drone to record video footage or beam live images back
- Automatically returns to base when the battery runs low
- Highly sensitive microphones let the mission commander listen in to conversations
- Operated from anywhere in the world by remote control via a touch-screen computer or by programming in coordinates

■ Weight: 7oz
■ Diameter: 9inches
■ Flight duration: 30minutes
■ Operational range: 1.5miles
■ Operational altitude: 400metres
■ Speed: 6.5metres per second



Unmanned Warrior

“The Royal Navy will lead and win through the innovative and robust exploitation of Maritime Autonomous Systems.”



Aim: Through collaborative MAS Enterprise behaviours, collective effort and clear leadership; to **demonstrate, trial and experiment** with the tactical employment of unmanned and autonomous systems in the maritime and littoral environments in order to mature **credible capability choices** for the mainstream adoption of MAS.

Operating Locations

Stornoway – ASW Primary Location

- SHARC/waveglider (USV) (Boeing)
- Autonaut (USV) (MOST-AV)
- AUV 62AT (Acous Tgt)(UUV) Saab

Benbecula Airfield (ISTAR)

- NRQ-21 UAS
- Airborne Computer Vision
- Seahunter UAS w/ PILLS (GEO)

- Schiebel S-100 UAV Boeing (ASW/ISTAR)
- Scan Eagle UAV Boeing
- Solo (UAV) Leonardo Heli
- Hoverbike (UAV) Malloy Aero
- ACER C2

BUTEC Kyle of Lochalsh – (MCM/GEO)

- TTCP Hell Bay IV Trials
- UUV / UAS C2 node VAPOR 55
- REA Ops for MCM using IVER UUV
- CC-UUV TACMEMO
- NOMWC Data Fusion Cell
- NOMWC UUV pltn (REMUS 100)
- Waterside Rapid Deployment Security System (ASW)

Northern River

- P950 RIB ISTAR/ASW (Aeroenvir) w/ KraitArray Demonstrator payload (SEA)
- Puma & Wasp (UAV) (BAE)
- Indago (UAV) (LM)
- P24 & P950 (USV)
- Scan Eagle & Schiebel S-100 UAV Boeing
- ACER C2

BUTEC Applecross RCB

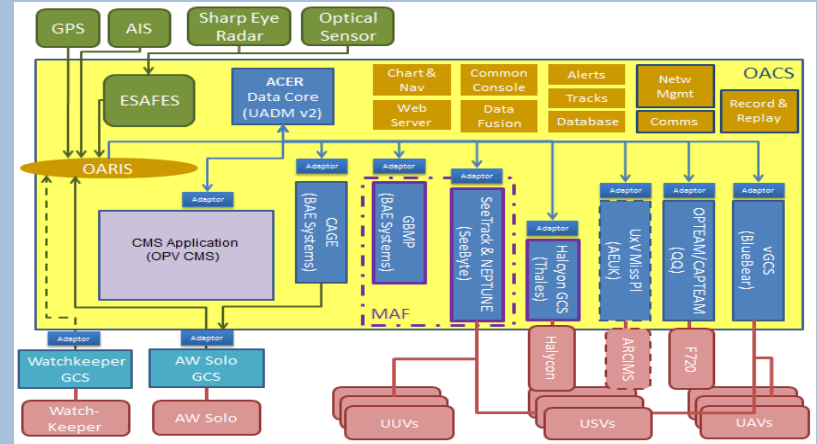
- Mine Hunt Challenge
- ARCIMS USV (Atlas Elektronik)
- Halcyon (USV) Thales
- Sea Wasp (UUV) SAAB Seaeye

HellBay IV

- PSS-R (USV) RN
- REMUS 100/600 (UUV) RN
- Black Start UAV (Blue Bear Sys)
- IVER 2/3 & SeaRobotics 260 (DRDC UUV)
- IVER 3, REMUS 100/600, V8 M500 (UUV)
- REMUS 100 (DSTO UUV) Maybe
- RNMB Hazard MASTT
- ACER C2

C2 - UXV Integration and Automation

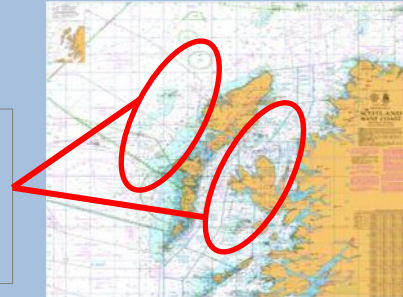
Build once, use many times.



Serials conducted:



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- Cardigan Bay
 - Outer Hebrides
 - The Minches



MCM serials

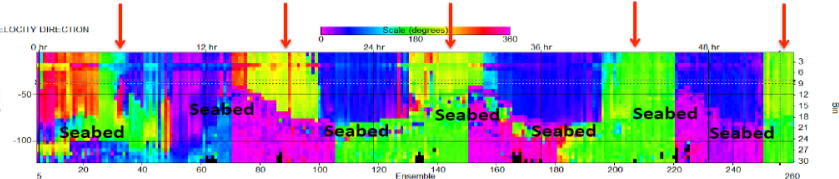
- BUTEC



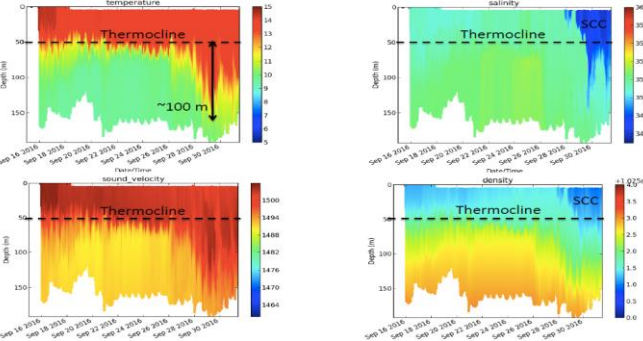
Geographical Intelligence

Wave Glider ADCP data from northern Minch on 25-27 Sept 2016

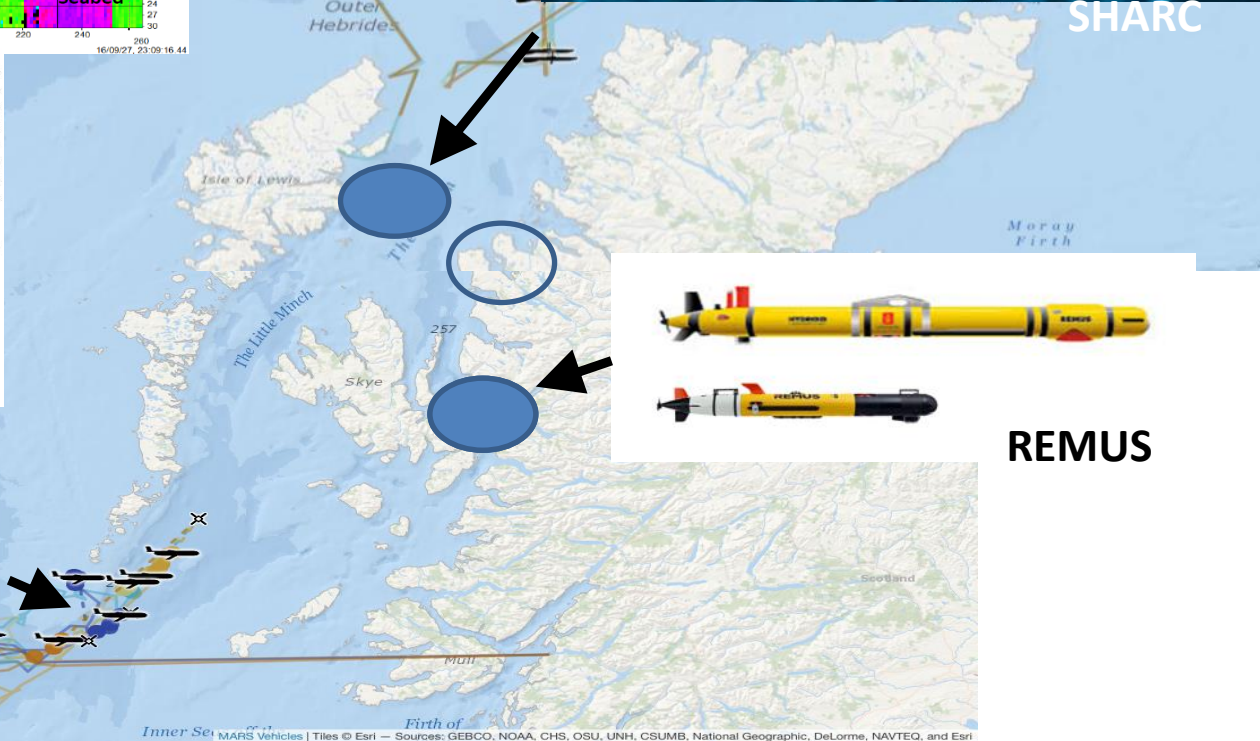
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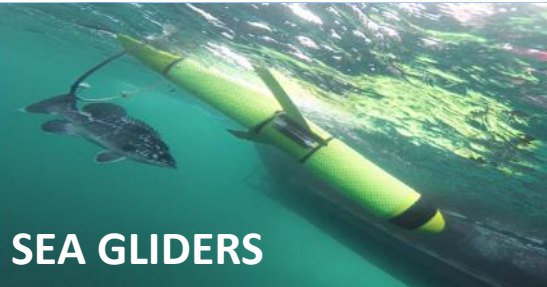
BOM491 data collected during MASSMO3, showing transition into Scottish Coastal Current



SHARC



REMUS



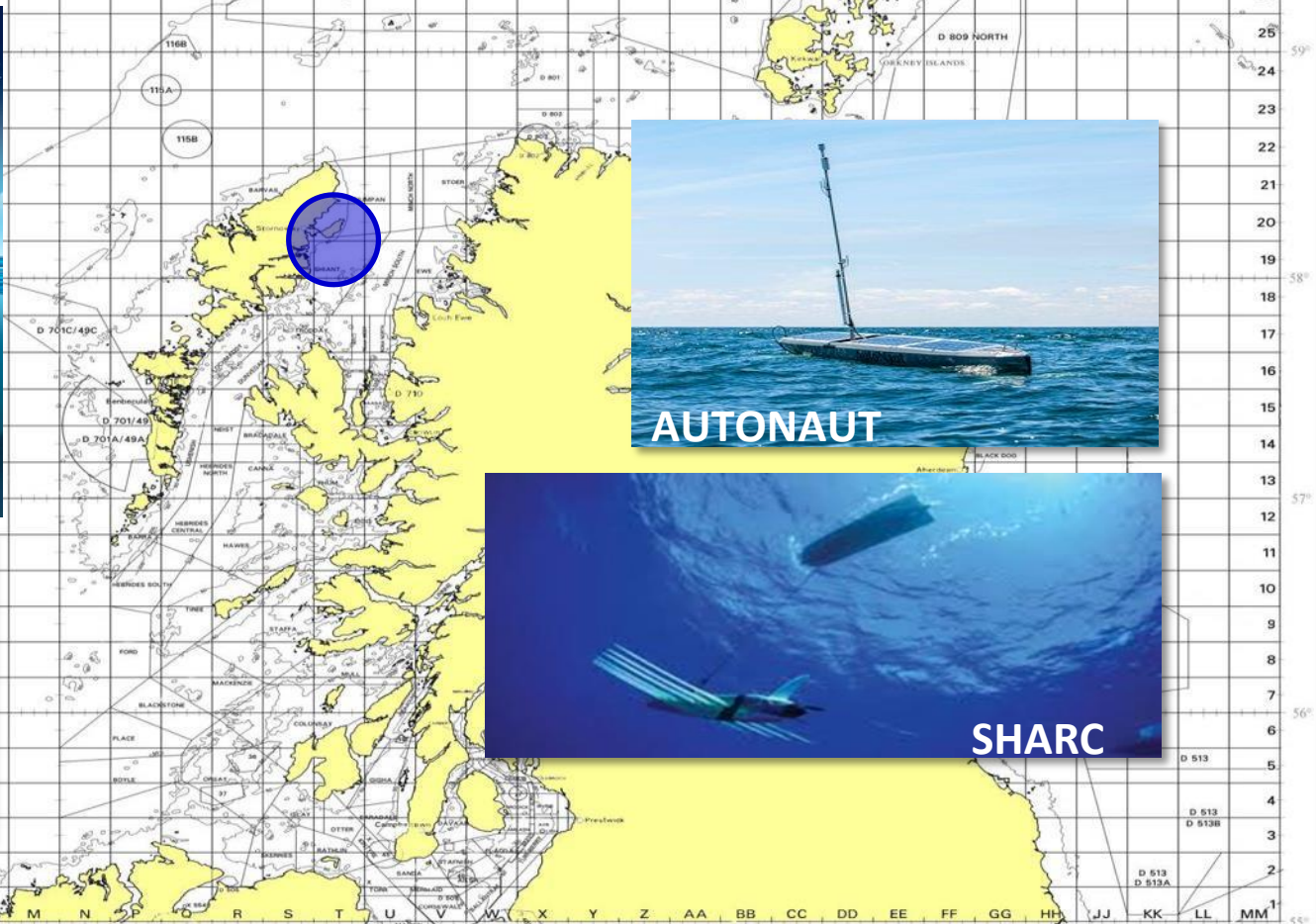
SEA GLIDERS

30 km
20 mi

Anti-Submarine Warfare (ASW)



P-950



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MCM at BUTEC

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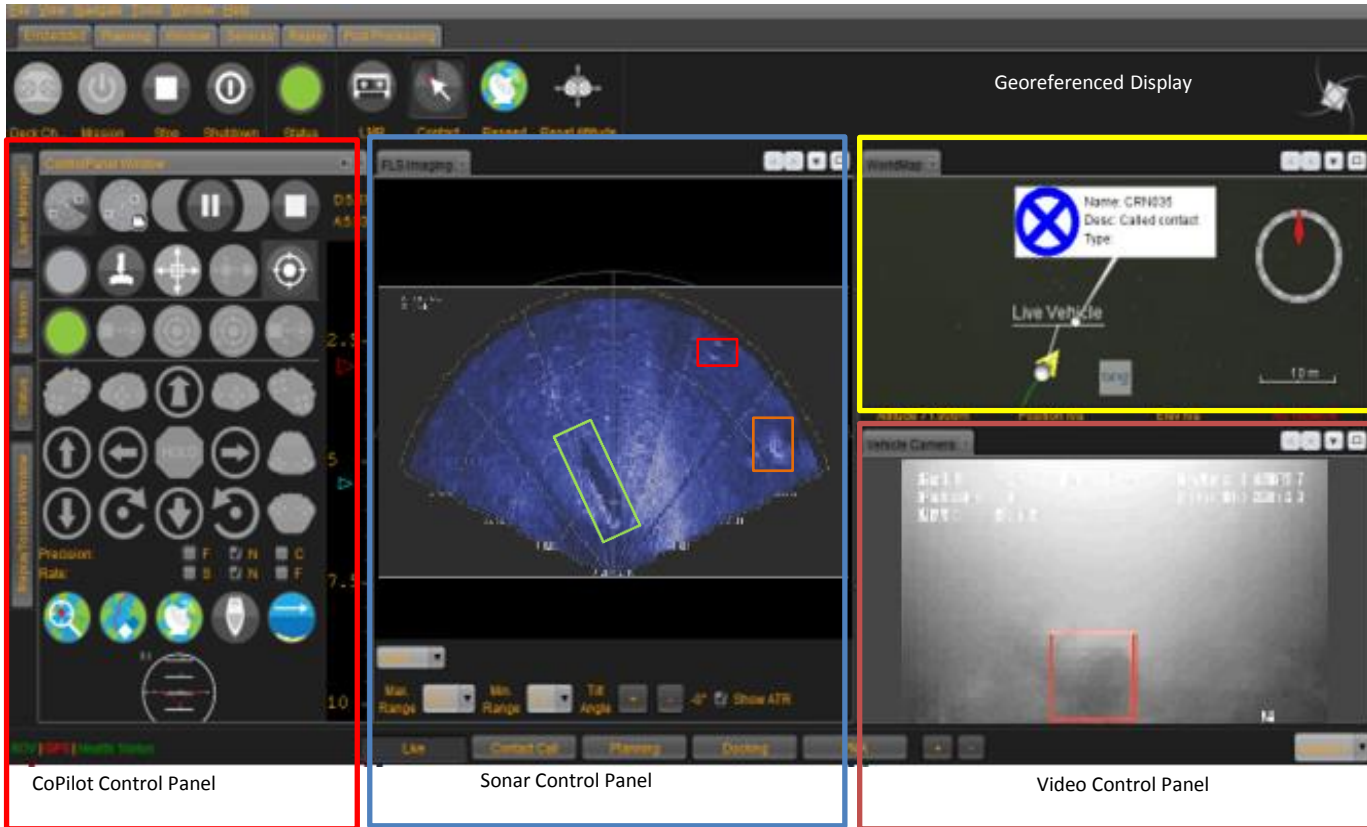
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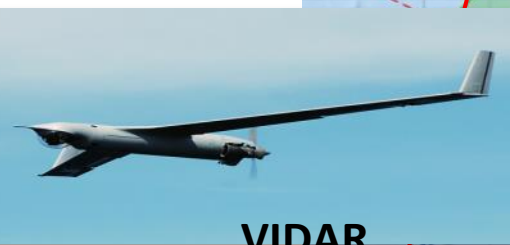
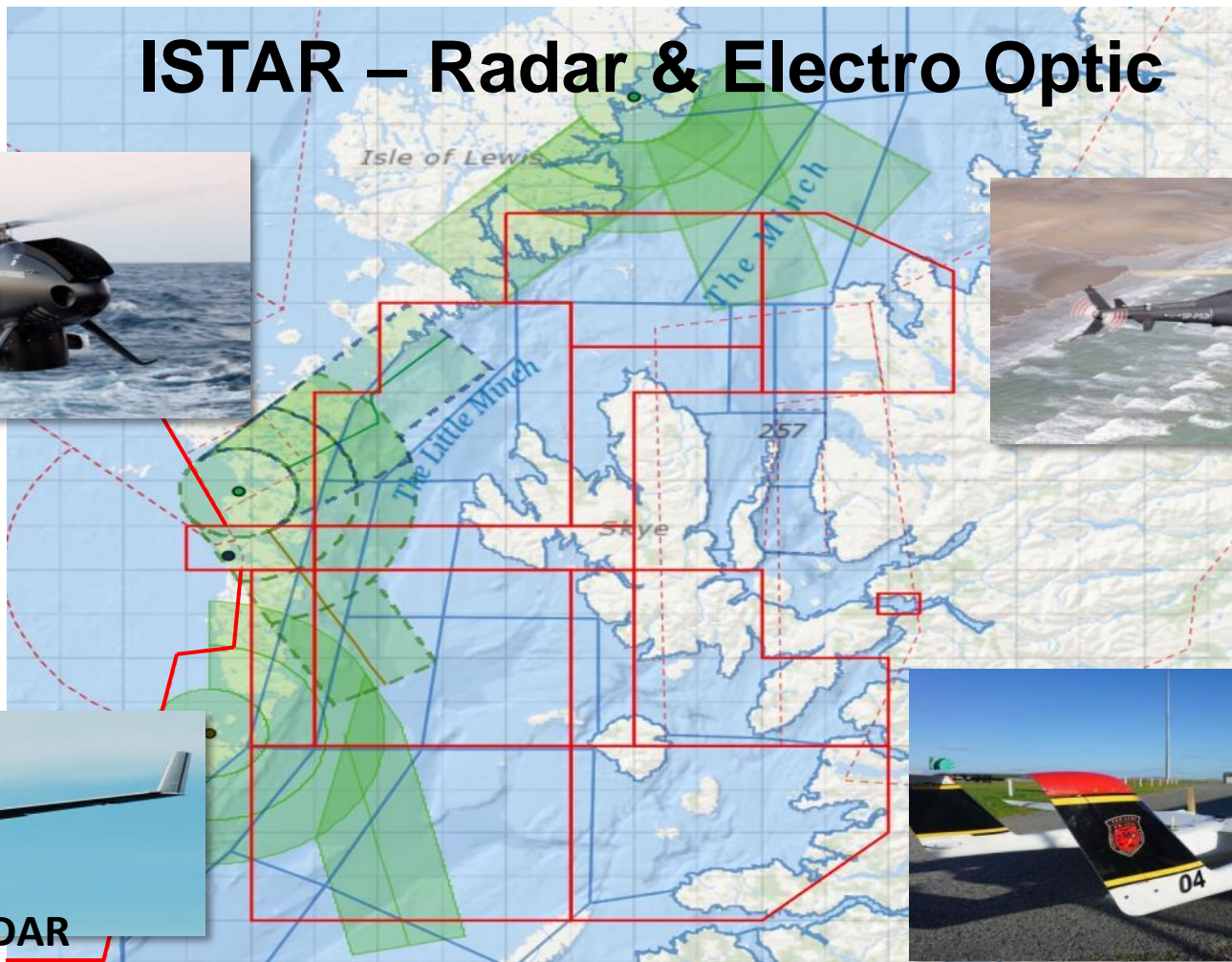
MCM at BUTEC



Autonomy Developed

- Waypoint navigation
- Sonar ATR
- Video ATR
- Target homing

ISTAR – Radar & Electro Optic



VIDAR



LIDAR

Exploiting Innovation in the Air

From this



High Cost
Resource Intensive
Bespoke UK Solutions

Through this



Operational Concept Demonstration
of current platforms to inform.....

To this



Investment in high
persistence, lower cost of
ownership capabilities

Working with UK Industry to develop exportable solutions to a global requirement

Force Development Capability Plans

Mine Countermeasures & Hydrographic Capability



- Offboard systems
- Non-complex mothership

Type 26 Global Combat Ship



- Versatile Flightdeck
- Modular Mission Bay

Anti Submarine Warfare Vision



- Manned & unmanned systems
- Networked
- Big Data

Adaptability – Mission Modules



- NATO interface standards
- Agility
- Force Multiplier

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Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult

**Marine Autonomous Systems
Helping Mix Water and Electricity**



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Marine Autonomy & Technology Showcase

Mixing Water and Electricity

Simon Cheeseman

Wave & Tidal sector Specialist

16 November 2016



Agenda

1. Offshore Renewables – Wind, Tidal and Wave Energy
 2. Introduction to the Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult
 - ORE Catapult Impact (You Tube clip)
 - Our skills and capabilities
 3. AUV support across the project life cycle
 - Site investigation
 - Installation
 - Operations & Maintenance
 - Disposal
 4. Summary
 5. Questions
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Offshore Renewables

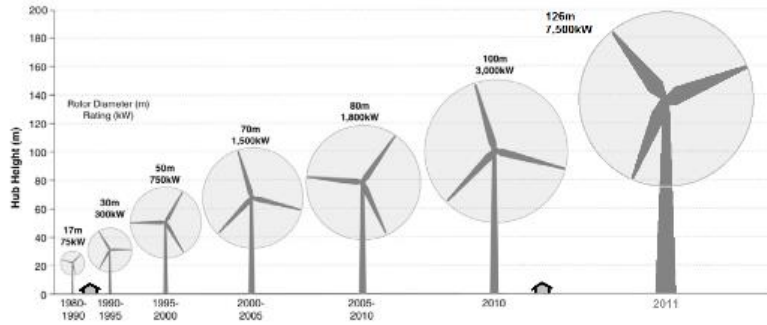
Wind, Tidal and Wave

Offshore Renewables - The Size of the Prize

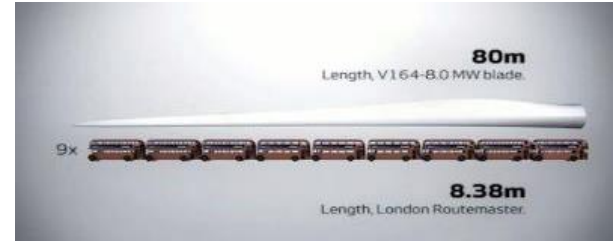
- UK has a large natural energy resource comprising offshore wind, wave, tidal energy sources. This resource is free, emits zero carbon, is secure, and is largely predictable
- The Renewable Energy Association (REA) predicts that meeting the UK's mandatory target of producing 15 per cent of its energy from renewable sources by 2020 would result in annual revenues across the sector rising from £12.5bn currently to £50bn by the end of the decade
- **Offshore Wind:** The UK already has the most Offshore Wind installations of any country
- **Wave & Tidal:** The UK is currently the global leader in marine energy, with around 10MW of wave and tidal stream devices being tested in UK waters, more than the rest of the world combined. The UK currently leads the way in the development and testing of wave and tidal stream technology.

The Challenges

State of the art technology is taking a large leap in a short space of time



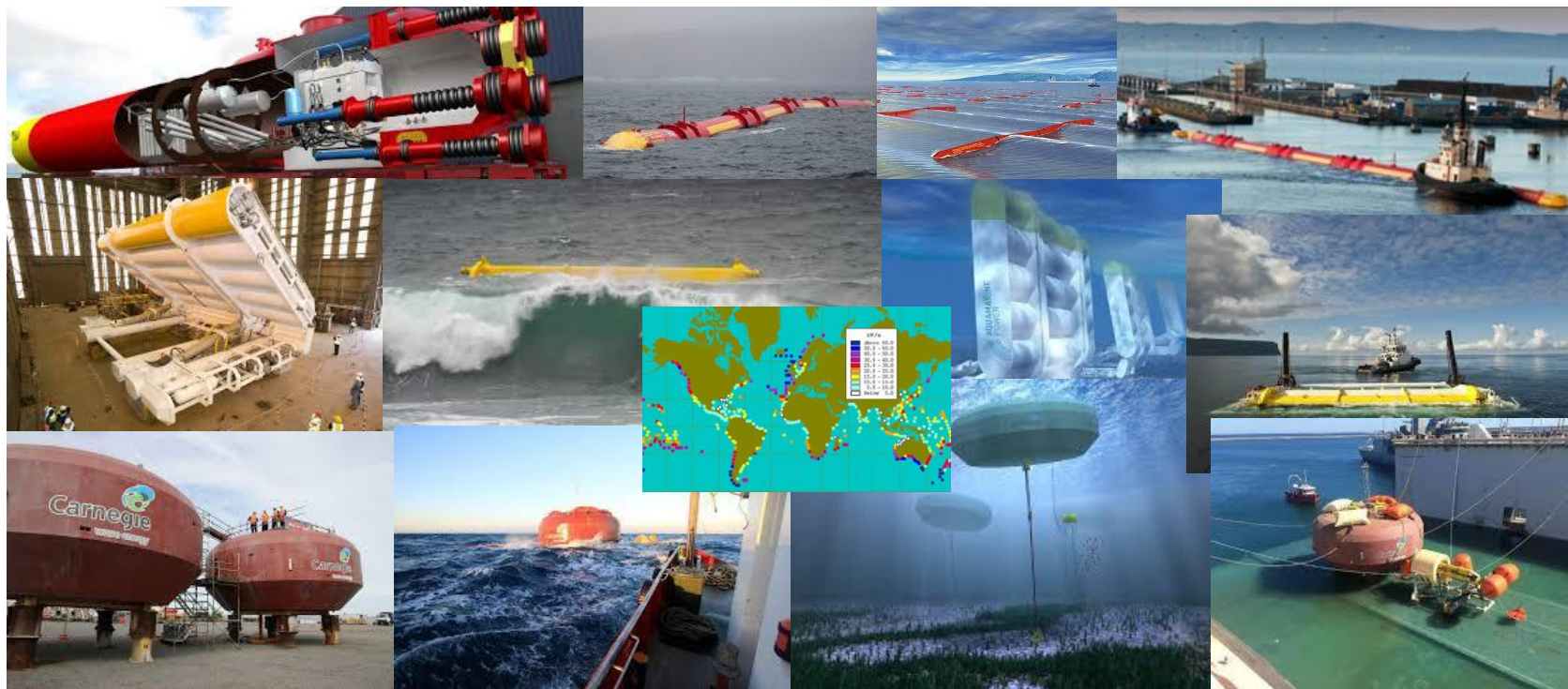
Samsung S7.0 171.2m rotor diameter



Images: Vestas V164 8MW and the Samsung S7.0 prototypes



Wave Devices



Introduction to ORE Catapult

Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult

Advice, collaboration, design, industrial research, testing

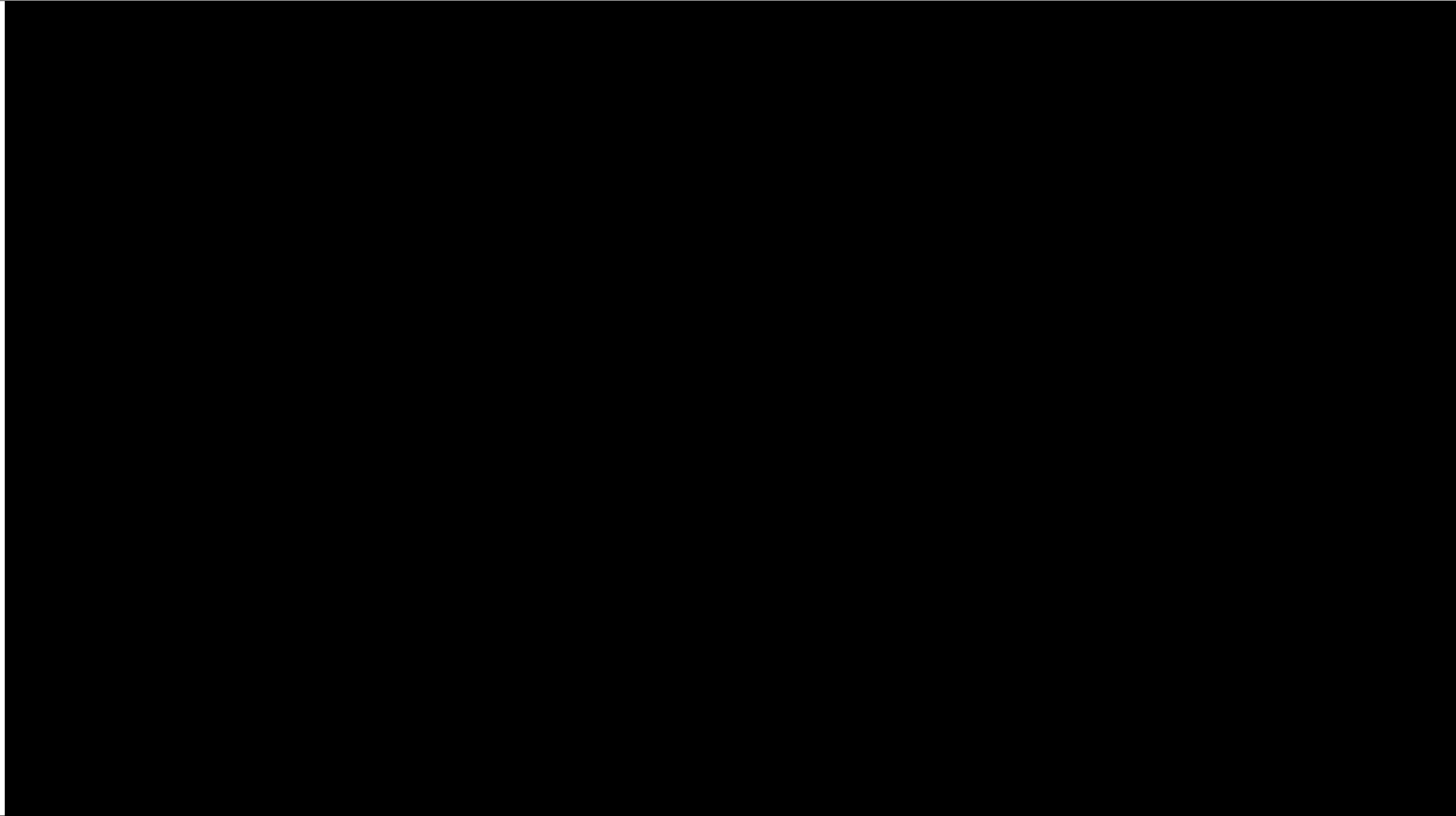
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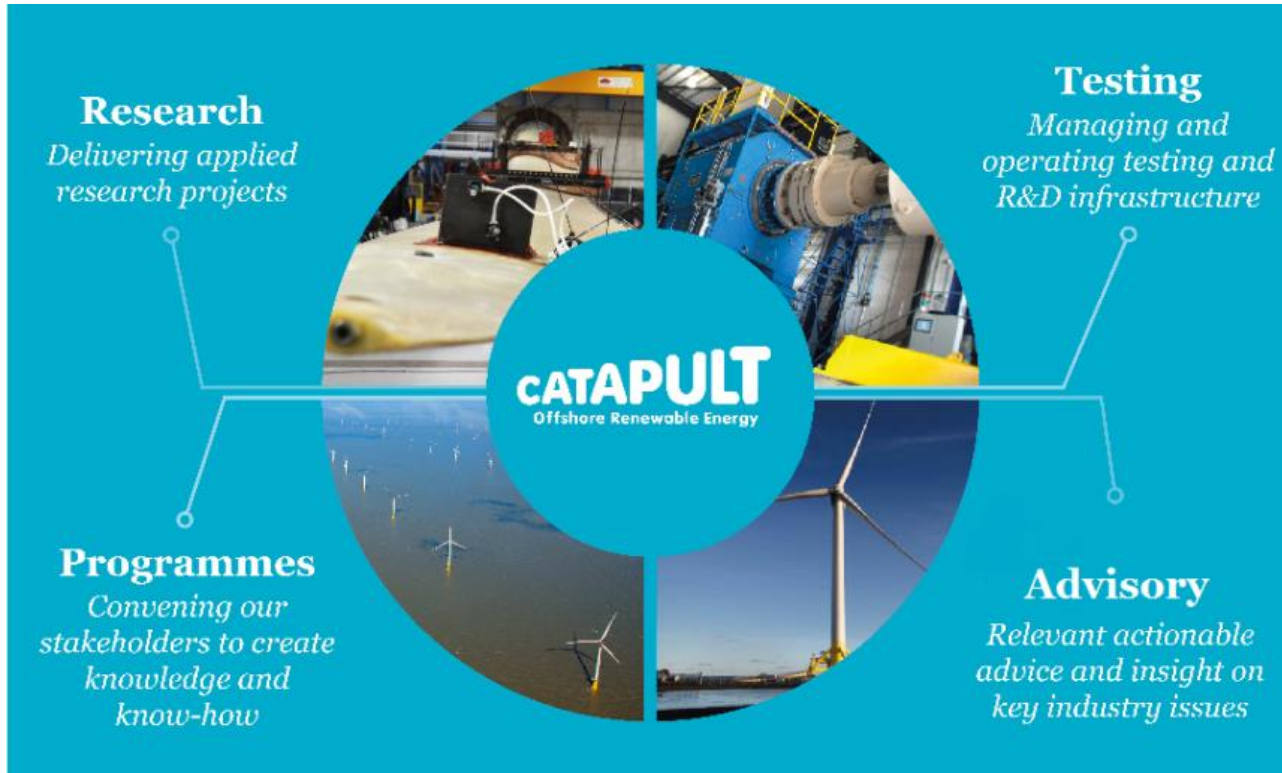


Skills



Offshore Renewable Energy Catapult





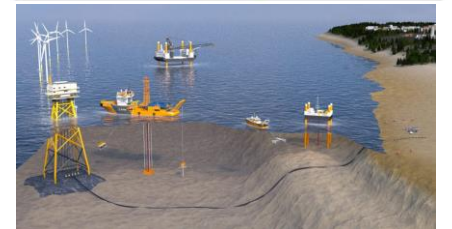
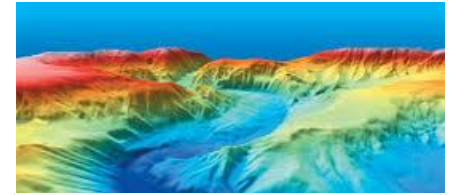
Our Knowledge Areas

- We focus on 6 Knowledge Areas
- Key areas to drive technology innovation to lower the cost of offshore renewable energy



AUV support across a project lifecycle

- Environmental Impact Assessment
 - Environmental data collection
 - Resource analysis
 - Wave height, tidal velocity, turbidity, salinity, temperature
- Seabed survey
 - Topography
 - Obstructions
 - Cable routes
 - Foundation positions



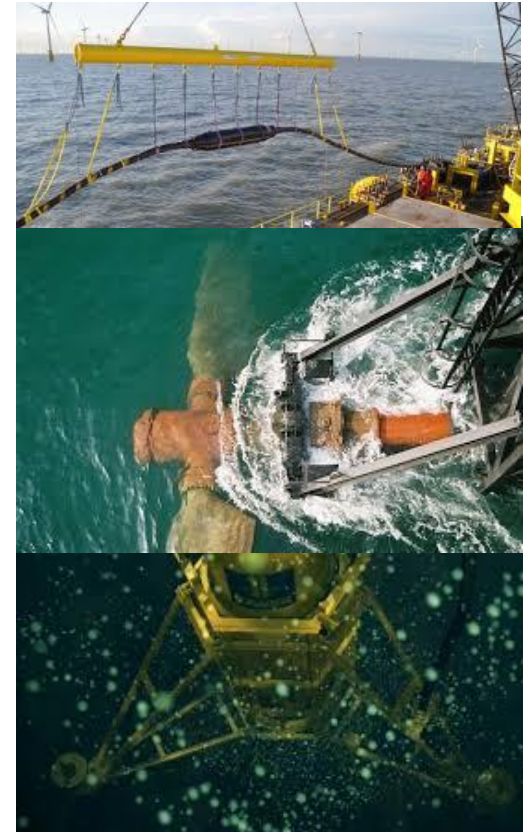
AUVs – Support to Installation

- Eyes on
- Light weight lift and handling operations
- Concerns generally:
 - Power (battery technology) – options for seabed garage/charging?
 - Station keeping in high tidal flows
 - Payload capability

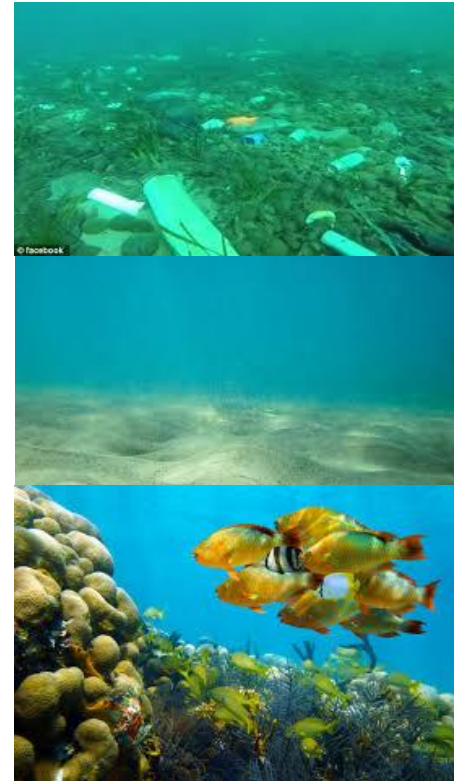


AUVs – Support to Operations & Maintenance

- Asset surveillance
 - Seabed cabling stability
 - Foundations/scour
 - Fatigue analysis - imaging
 - Tidal turbine blade erosion/damage
 - Marine growth monitoring
 - (and cleaning - tooling ports?)
- Security
 - Anchor drag
 - Sensors, marker buoys
 - Communications relay (with ASV)



- Eyes on:
 - recording for record keeping
 - monitoring drifting debris
 - cleared site monitoring



Summary

Pros	Cons
Potential wide utility in ORE	Battery life
Does the dull, dangerous, repetitive	Performance in high tidal flow
Fire and forget from the shore (no mother ship)	No umbilical cable (safety chain)
Disposable asset?	Limited mechanical power
Variety of vehicle types – gliders, sledges, vessels	
Payload capability	

Way ahead: *We are interested in carrying out a more detailed comparative analysis of capability, cost, and service provision options*

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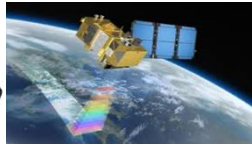
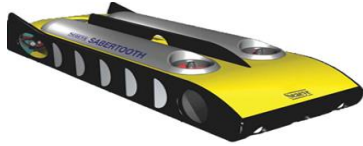
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Use of Marine Autonomous Systems and Technologies for the Oil and Gas Industry

Peter Collinson, Joe Little and Al Fox
BP International Ltd.

The oil and gas business environment



- The reduced oil price has produced a shock to the industry
- O&G companies are still re-basing themselves in the financial environment
- All options to increase efficiency, profitability and survivability are being examined
- Relevant not only to O&G operators but also the key players who provide essential support services

Global Oil And Gas Job Losses: 350,000 And Counting

By Jason DeGroot - May 12, 2016, 12:40 PM CST



North Sea

Enquest gets costs down to \$23 per barrel, shaves \$150million off Kraken bill

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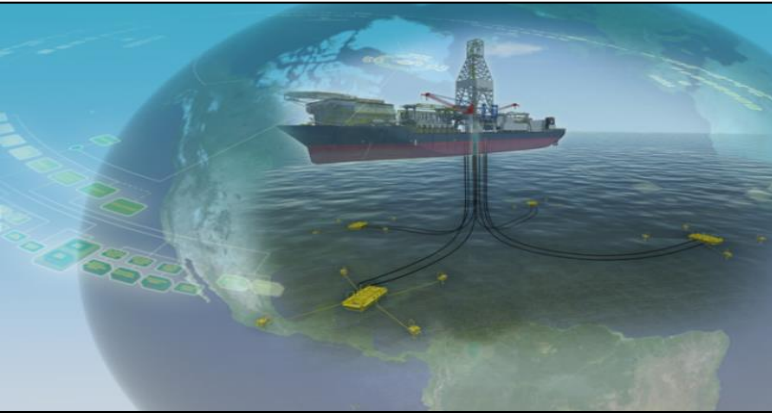
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Two main areas of opportunity for marine autonomous systems



Subsea production - inspection

- Significant capital expenditure.
- High reliability needed.
- Scope for efficiency through Marine Autonomous Systems (MAS).

Environmental & regulatory

- Increasing legislation.
- Improved understanding of environmental 'baseline'.
- MAS to deliver regulatory compliance tasks (e.g. 'in-perpetuity' monitoring).



Key issues for the use of MAS



- **Subsea (infrastructure) inspection**
 - A lot of activity SUBSEA = \$\$\$.
 - Understanding the infrastructure failure modes – more precisely.
 - Knowing what DATA is required – more precisely.
 - Focus on the DATA AND ANALYTICS – not so much hardware and logistics.
 - Cultural change.
- **Environmental**
 - Business and safety cases
 - What will the future look like? Can we continue to use ‘operations’ ship time?
 - Data, data, data – transparency and timeliness to inform decision making for business, investment community and regulatory audiences.
 - Cultural change.

Use case for subsea inspection



- Analysis based on current inspection plan+, 39 out of 140 days (per annum) could be moved to AUVs (28% of inspection work share)

- This has the potential to significantly reduce cost

Opportunity

Near future Inspection Scope
(e.g. using Subsea 7 AUV)

- 800 FMRs assessed
- 3000 hours of work annually

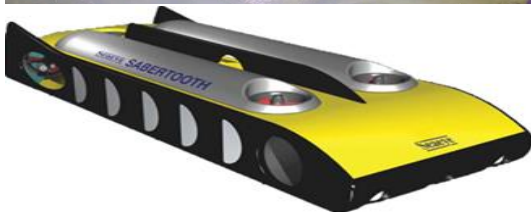
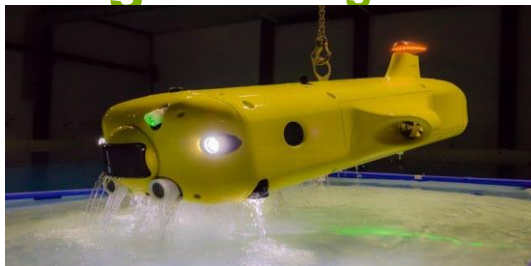
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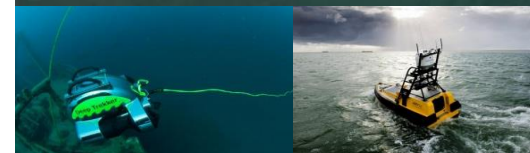
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Large and high cost



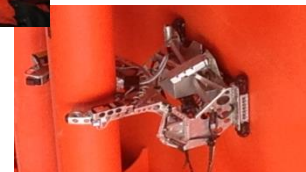
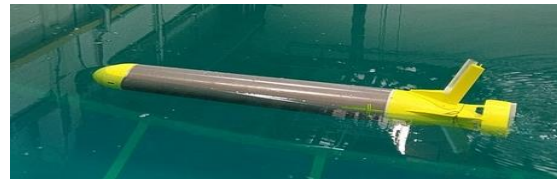
Small and low cost



Selected project activity in 2016



- **Micro AUV development:** Ultra low cost, small inspection vehicle for pipeline monitoring, environmental monitoring and crisis response.
- **Autonomous Surface Vehicle (ASV):** Persistent and low cost, data gathering (PAM, Metocean, visual) and monitoring platform.
- **Micro ROV/Crawlers:** Mooring chain inspections, diver replacement work and riser inspection.



Where do we want to get to?



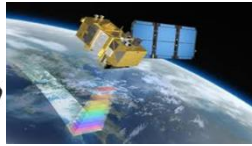
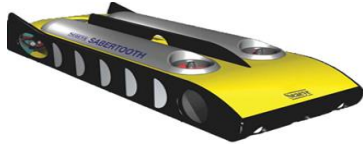
- We want safe, reliable, fit for purpose systems.
- Focus on Data NOT Activity.
- Obtain only the data we need when we need it.
- Use low risk / low cost methods to obtain it.
- Drive out risk and cost and deliver new agile operating model.



Summary



- We have **STARTED** the ‘journey’, there is much to play for.
- We need to change the paradigm from **ACTIVITY (logistics) UTILISATION to DATA FOCUS.**
- There is a significant prize in cost efficiency, data quality and **RISK REDUCTION.**
- We are still **LEARNING** and exploring how these new systems will integrate/replace existing ways of how we do things.



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Afternoon Refreshments



30 Minute Break

Discussion Sessions

- Engaging with NOC Christine Sams and Sofia Alexiou NOC
- South Coast Marine Cluster Mr Kevin Forshaw NOC
Amanda Beable HCC
- Funding in General Andrew Tyrer and Louise Mothersole
Innovate UK

**Sessions will operate on a 30 minute rotation enabling
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Session Close

Thank You



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