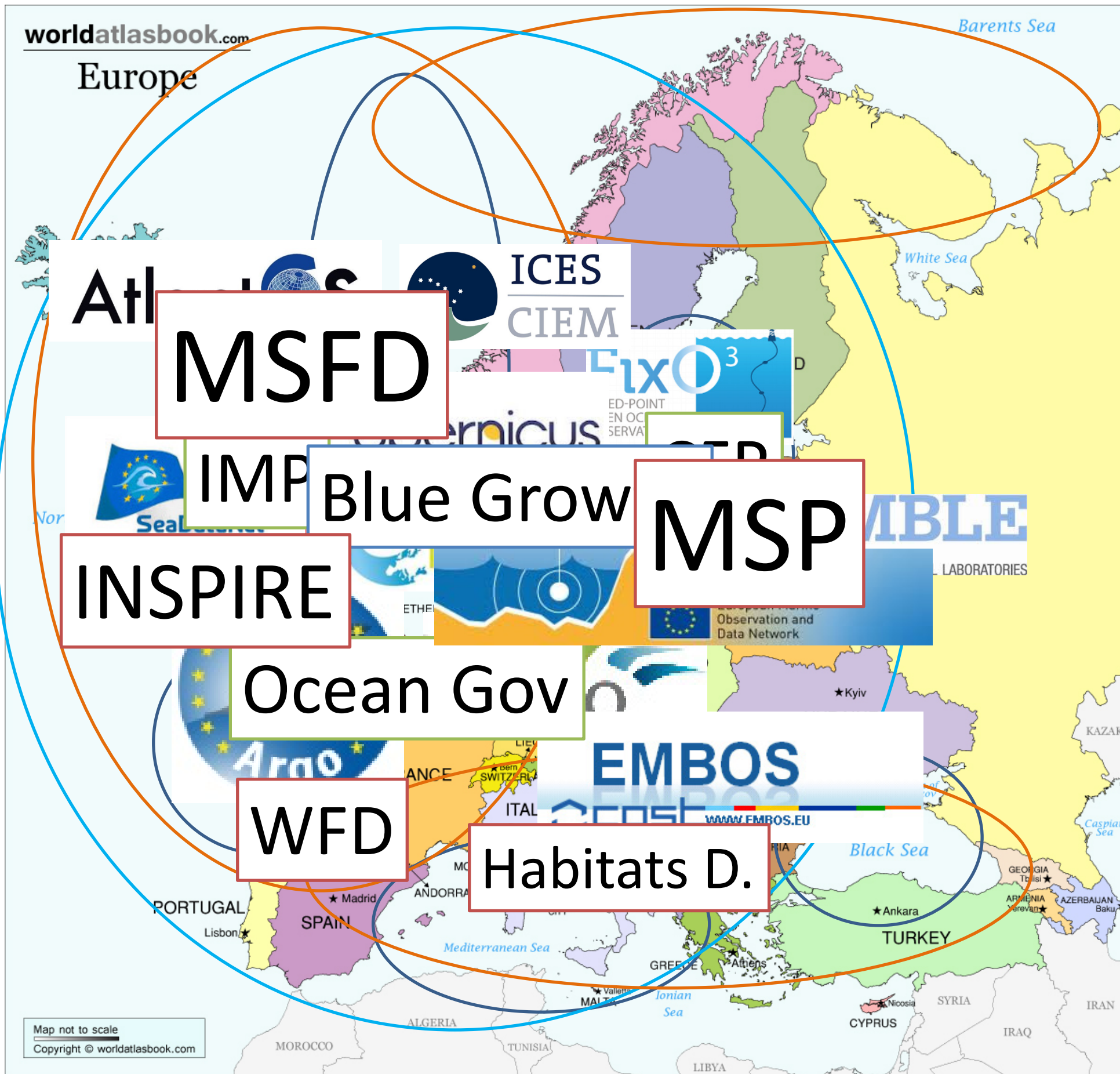




EuroGOOS

EOOS – How Argo can contribute



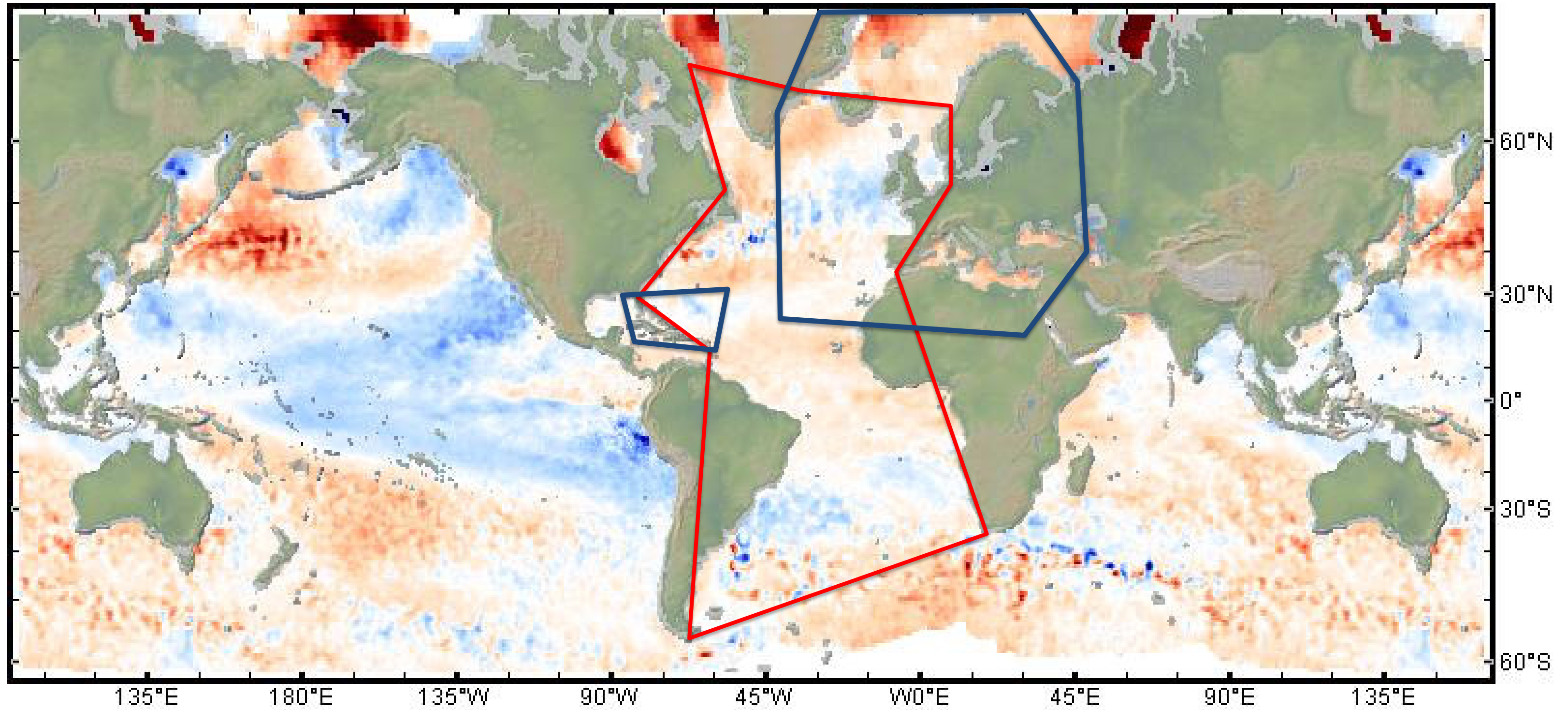
End-to-End

Inclusive

Common

Focal point

EOOS Geographic Scope

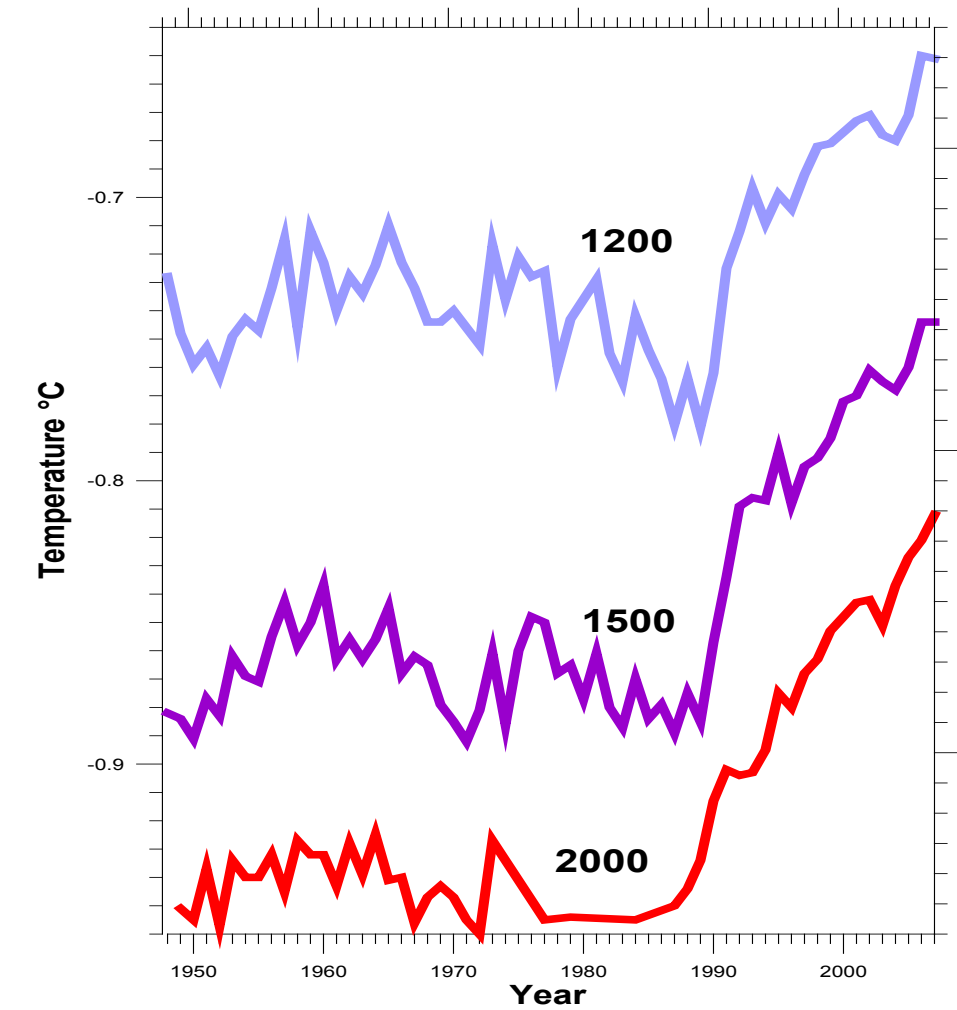


What do we have today in Europe?

- National systems (partially coordinated by EuroGOOS)
 - Variety of technologies and funding schemes; main synergies at regional level
- Research infrastructure investments (FP, ESFRI)
 - EuroARGO, EMSO,
 - AtlantOS, FixO3, JERICO-NEXT, SEADATANET, ...
 - ICOS - Carbocean
- EMODNET & Copernicus MS: integrators (and major users)
 - Not yet funding the in-situ component (observations)


What is missing ?

- **Spatial gaps**
 - horizontal – SE European seas;
 - vertical – deep sea is under-sampled;
- **Temporal gaps**
 - few complete time series;
- **Parameter gaps**
 - biogeochemical; sensors are now available;
- **Long term commitments**
 - more than 70% based on short term research funding;
- **Integrated monitoring strategy at European level**
 - Reduce overlaps; maximize synergies and benefits



EOOS Brainstorm Workshop



- Organised by EMB and EuroGOOS
- 20 observing experts
- Focus on:
 - Drivers 
 - Definition
 - Purpose
 - Roadmap for the coming 2-3 years
- Report soon

Research

Societal

Technology

Environmental

Other

EOOS

EOOS is a coordinating framework designed to:

- ***align and integrate** Europe's ocean observing capacity;*
- ***promote** a systematic and collaborative approach to collecting information on the state and variability of our seas;*
 - ***underpin sustainable management** of the marine environment and its resources*

EMB-EuroGOOS expert panel and Vision Document, 2008

‘End-to-end, integrated and inter-operable network of systems of European marine observations and data communications, management and delivery systems, supported by a comprehensive user-oriented toolkit to enable implementation of the Integrated Maritime Policy for Europe’.

EuroOCEAN 2010 Ostend Declaration

‘Truly integrated and sustainably funded European Ocean Observing System’.

May 2015: Expert brainstorming workshop in Brussels



Inclusive, integrated, and sustained

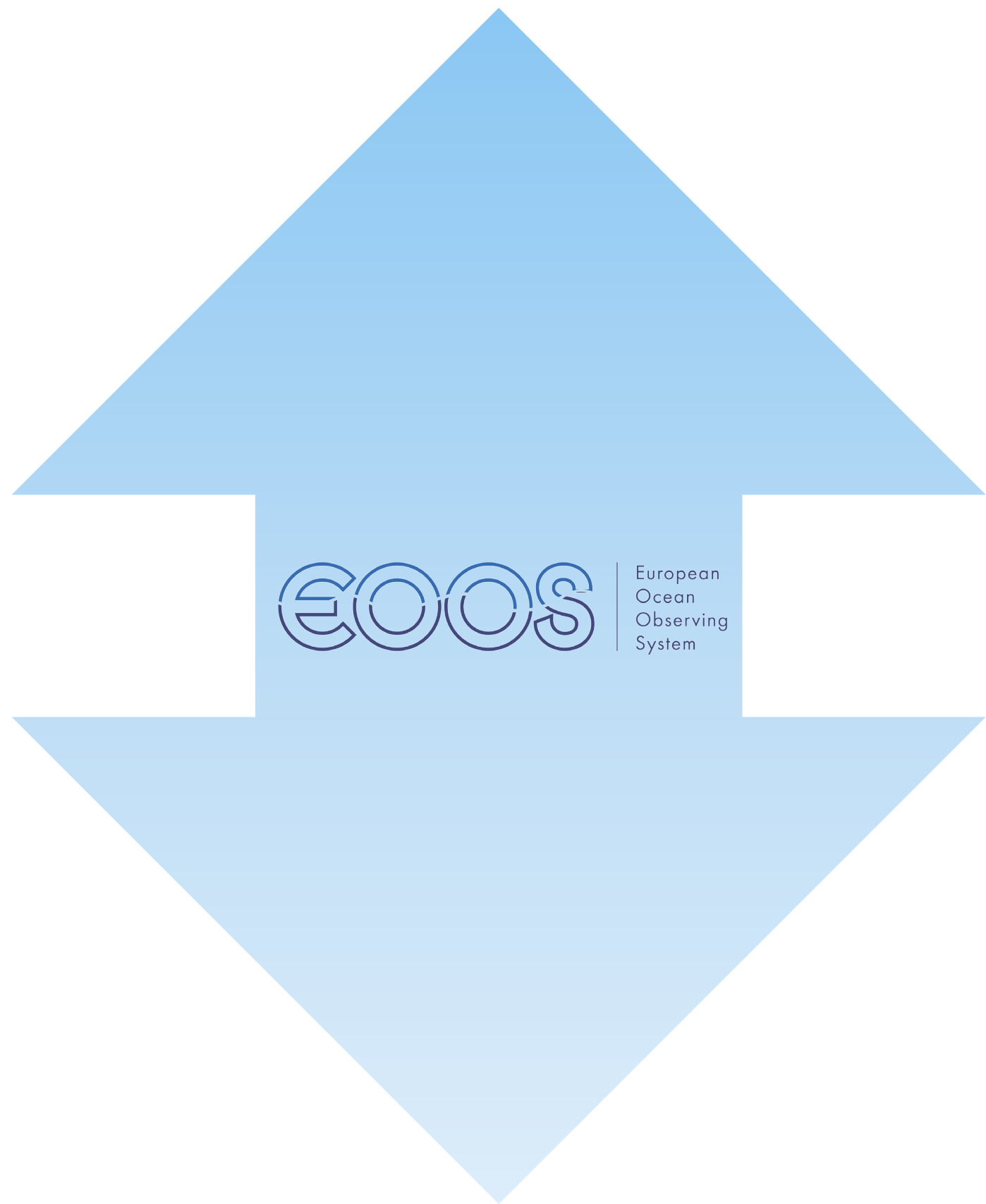
Link the currently disparate components by an overarching strategy

Maximizing the benefits of optimization, infrastructure use, standardization, open data exchange and capacity building

Light and flexible

Improving the existing efforts, for different end-users





Both bottom up: community push

Top down: policy pull and support

Not an infrastructure or a system with a central governance BUT a **common** conceptual framework and a brand, endorsed and promoted, representing a **consolidated vision of the EU Ocean Observing as a whole**

EOOS will help:

- local/national/regional prioritization and funding
- pan-EU cooperation (communal synergies and projects targeted at filling the gaps)
- EU leadership at the global level

Strong European capability and leadership in ocean observing

MSFD MSP CFP

Policy Evidence-base

Ocean Literacy & Citizen science

Operational users

Products/services for Blue Growth

Scientific knowledge and Innovation

CMEMS

EMODnet

Other

Data and Cyber-infrastructure

Integrators

Multi-discip

Optimisation & Standards

BGC

System Gaps

VFM

Alignment & Integration

Capacity building

Steering Group Forum

Common Voice for European Ocean Observing

Long-term funding

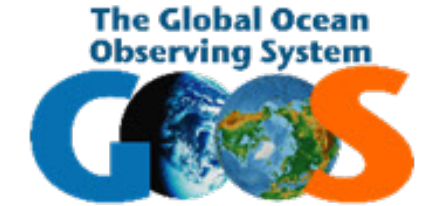
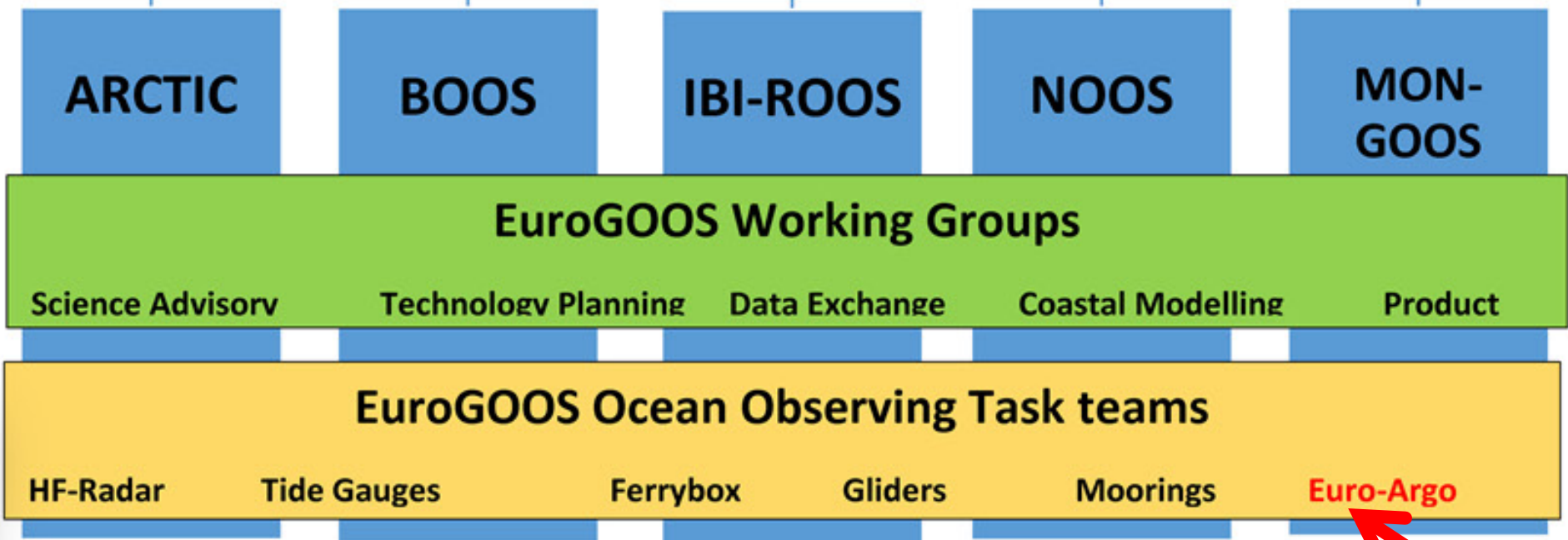


General Assembly

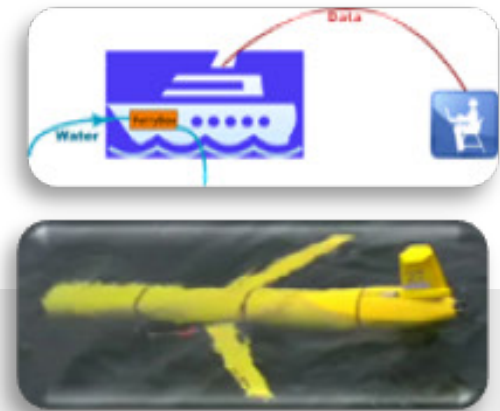
Executive Directors Board

Secretary General

EuroGOOS Office



Marine mammals



EuroGOOS Structure

BOOS
(Baltic)

IBI-ROOS
(Iberia-Biscay-
Ireland)

Mainly physical variables

Data-MEQ

Modelling

Task teams

Tide Gauge

Ferrybox

Glider

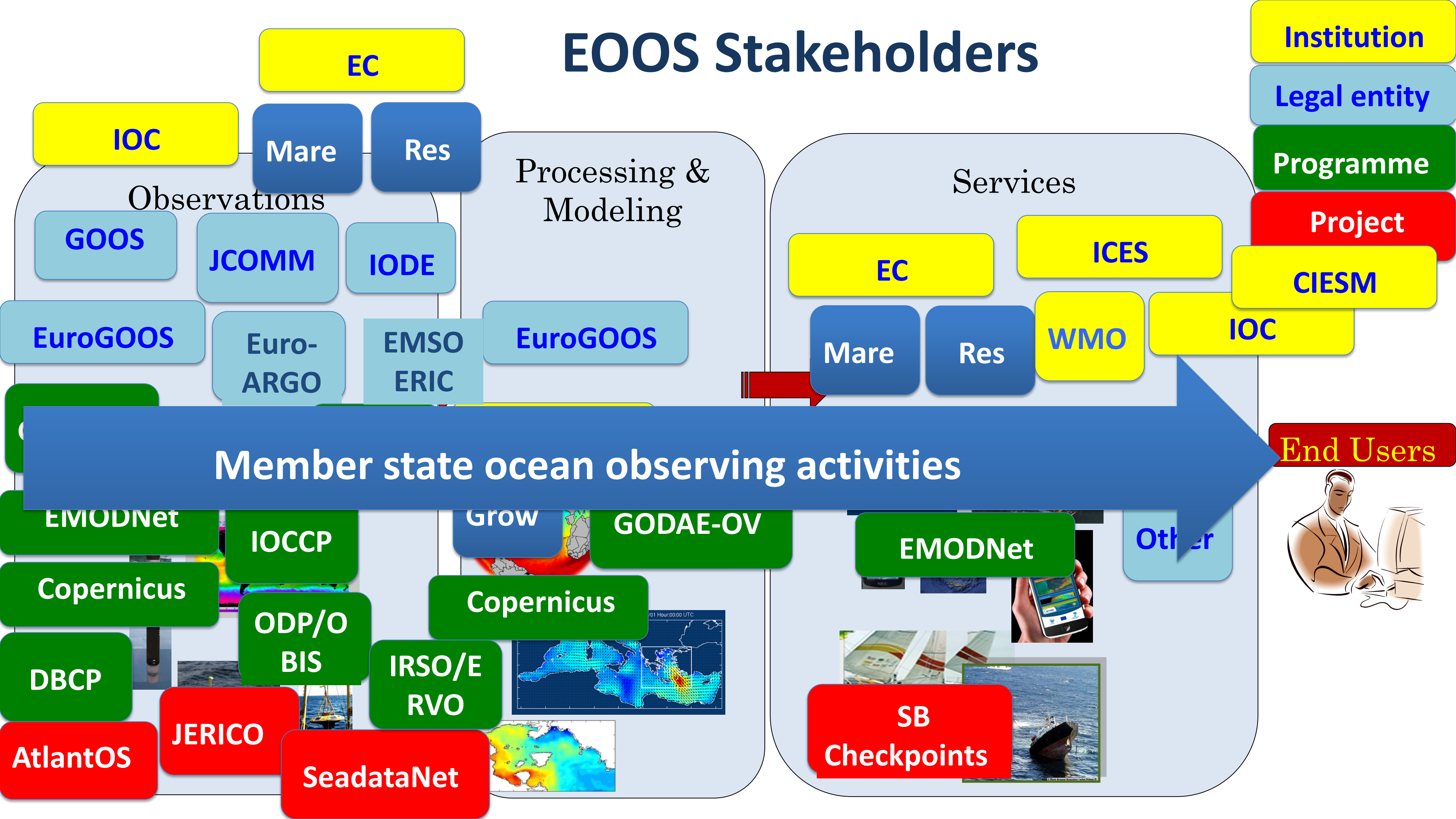
HF radar

Euro-ARGO

Fixed Platforms

Animal-Borne TT

E00S Stakeholders



EC

IOC

Mare

Res

Observations

GOOS

JCOMM

IODE

EuroGOOS

Euro-ARGO

EMSO ERIC

EuroGOOS

Processing & Modeling

Services

EC

ICES

Mare

Res

WMO

IOC

Project

CIESM

Member state ocean observing activities

End Users

EMODNet

IOCCP

Grow

GODAE-OV

EMODNet

Other

Copernicus

ODP/O BIS

Copernicus

DBCP

IRSO/E RVO

AtlantOS

JERICO

SeadataNet

SB Checkpoints



EOOS: alignment with existing activity

**Governance and
policy context**

SG members identified
Collaboration with EMB
Contact with ICES/JPI

**Observing system:
current status and
readiness**

EuroGOOS/GOOS
mapping
AtlantOS activity
JERICO NEXT
EMODNET inventory
EEA report

GOOS Activity (FOO)
AtlantOS WP1
EEA in-situ coordination
CMEMS contract (TBD)
ROOS knowledge

**Requirements for
sustained ocean
observations in Europe**

AtlantOS OSSE/OSE
JERICO/ J-NEXT
DG MARE Sea basin checkpoints
EMODNET human activities
ROOS Activities

**Gap analysis: OSE/OSSE
experiments + Seabasin CP/
MSP**

EOOS: alignment with existing activity

Unlocking
valuable
existing
observational
data sets not
currently shared

EuroGOOS members
AtlantOS WP8
Planned in BG9 and BG12

Pilot demonstrators
Observing system benefits

EMODNET Physics 2/3
New EG and ROOS members
EuroGOOS (PG work)

Logo for approval
EuroGOOS communication role
Webpage roll-out
Planning Parliament event(s)
Communication to EG members

Defining gaps in the
bathymetric mapping of
the EOOS area

EMODNET Bathymetry
EC Seabed Mapping WG
EuroGeoSurveys

Communication and citizen
science

EOOS progress to date

- **Web presence:** Initial EOOS website design and Logo
EOOS-ocean.eu domain reserved
- **Promotion:** Poster at GO-SHIP-ARGO-IOCCP Conference
AGU paper on gap analysis (Feb 2016)
Discussion with JERICO WP leads and STAC
Presentation to GOOS Regional Forum and OOPC/OCG
EC Mapping Workshop (OO representative)
EU-CA Session on Oceans
Discussions with JPI and ICES
Paper accepted for CIESM
Dissemination through COLUMBUS
- **Joint WG:** ToR for EOOS biology approved by EuroGOOS and EMB

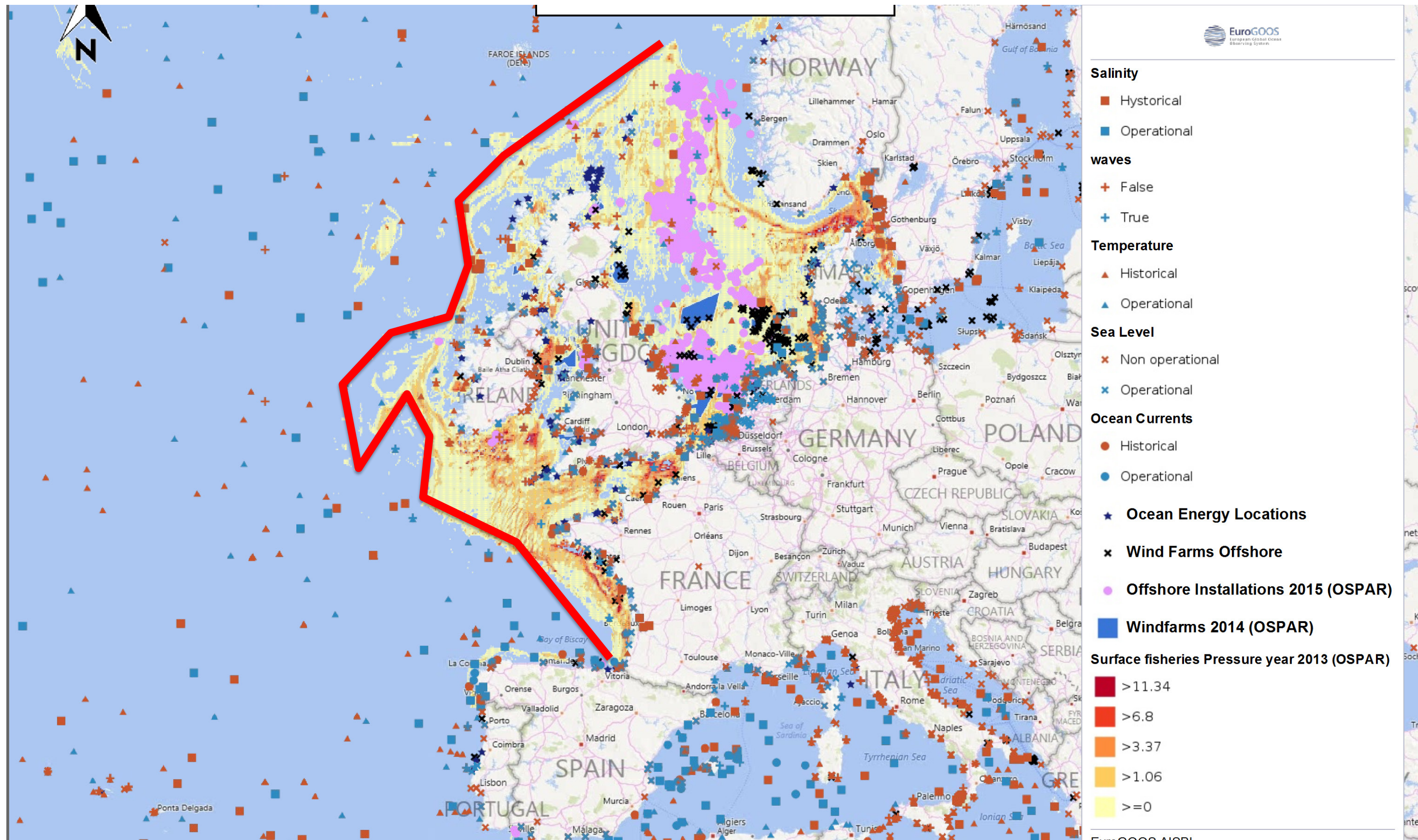
Glider missions in recent years



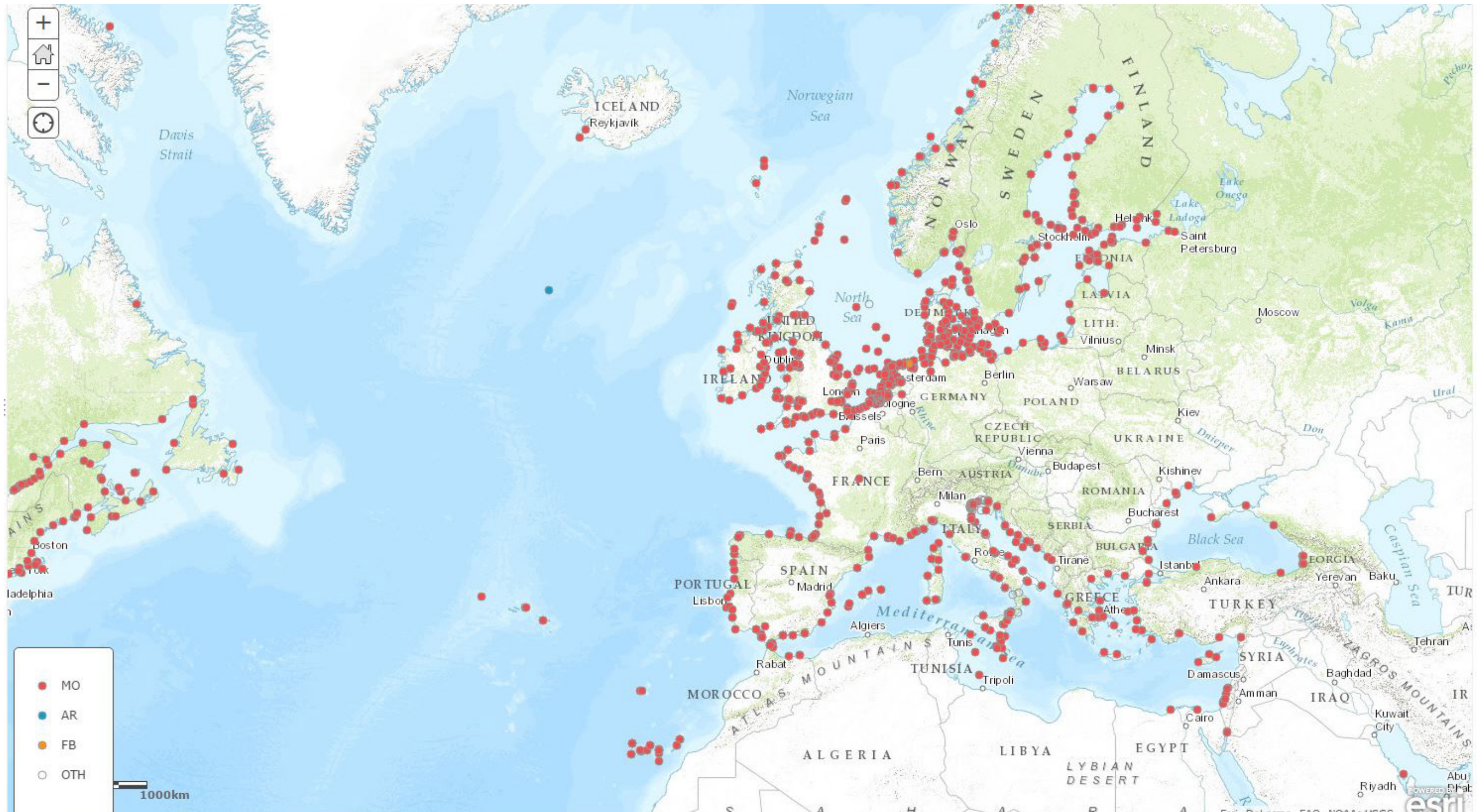
Glider mission summary

- CNRS/PLOCAN – 8 mission (Bay of Biscay, Gulf of Guinea, Western Africa, Open Atlantic)
- GEOMAR – 15 (Bay of Biscay, Gulf of Guinea, Western Africa)
- SAMS – 9 missions (UK – Iceland)
- NACO – 9 missions (Norway – Iceland)
- PLOCAN – 3 mission (Canary Island – open Atlantic ocean)
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- CMRE – 8 missions (northern Western Med)
- OGS – 2 mission (Adriatic)
- SOCIB – 3 mission (Balearic Channels, Algerian)
- MOOSE – 11 missions (Gulf of Lions, Algerian Basin)
- CYPRUS – 2 missions (South of Cyprus)

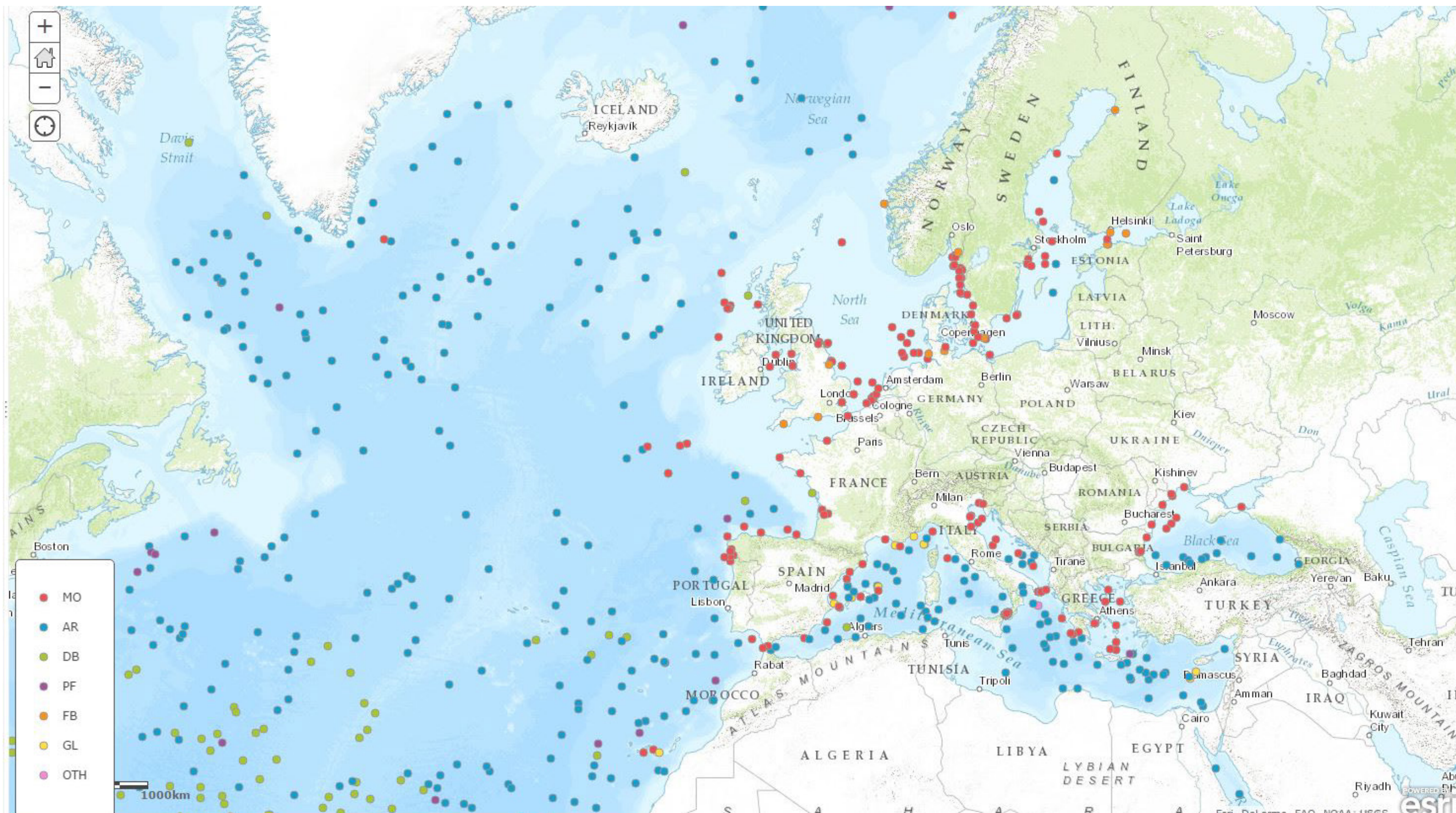
Activities and physical observations



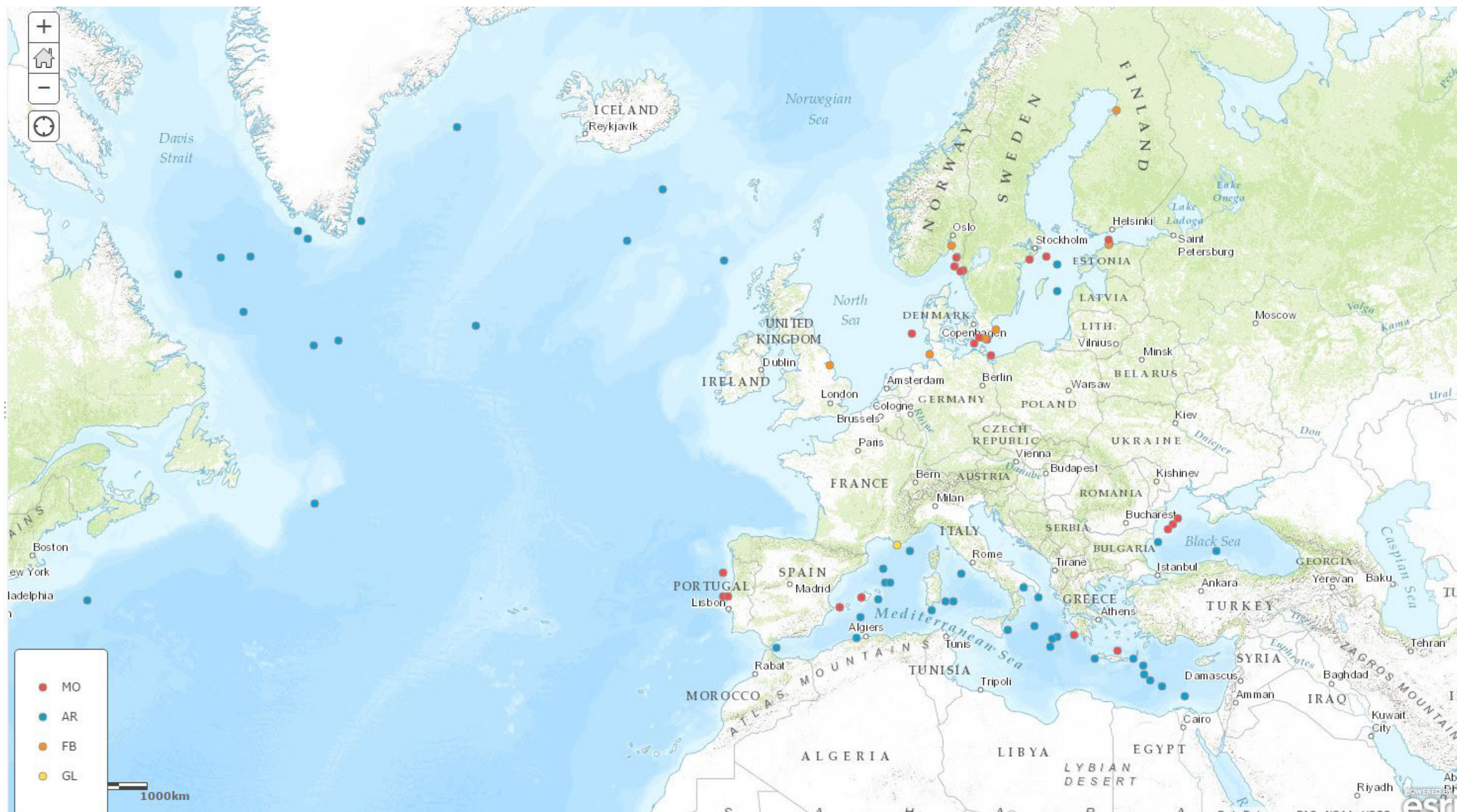
Sea level stations



Salinity stations



Chlorophyll measurements



Summary statistics from available platforms

- **Observational data Statistics (number of point observations) by Parameter within the EOOS geographical scope (without the Caribbean Sea) for the ROOS/INSTAC/SeaDataNet platforms in EMODnet portal**

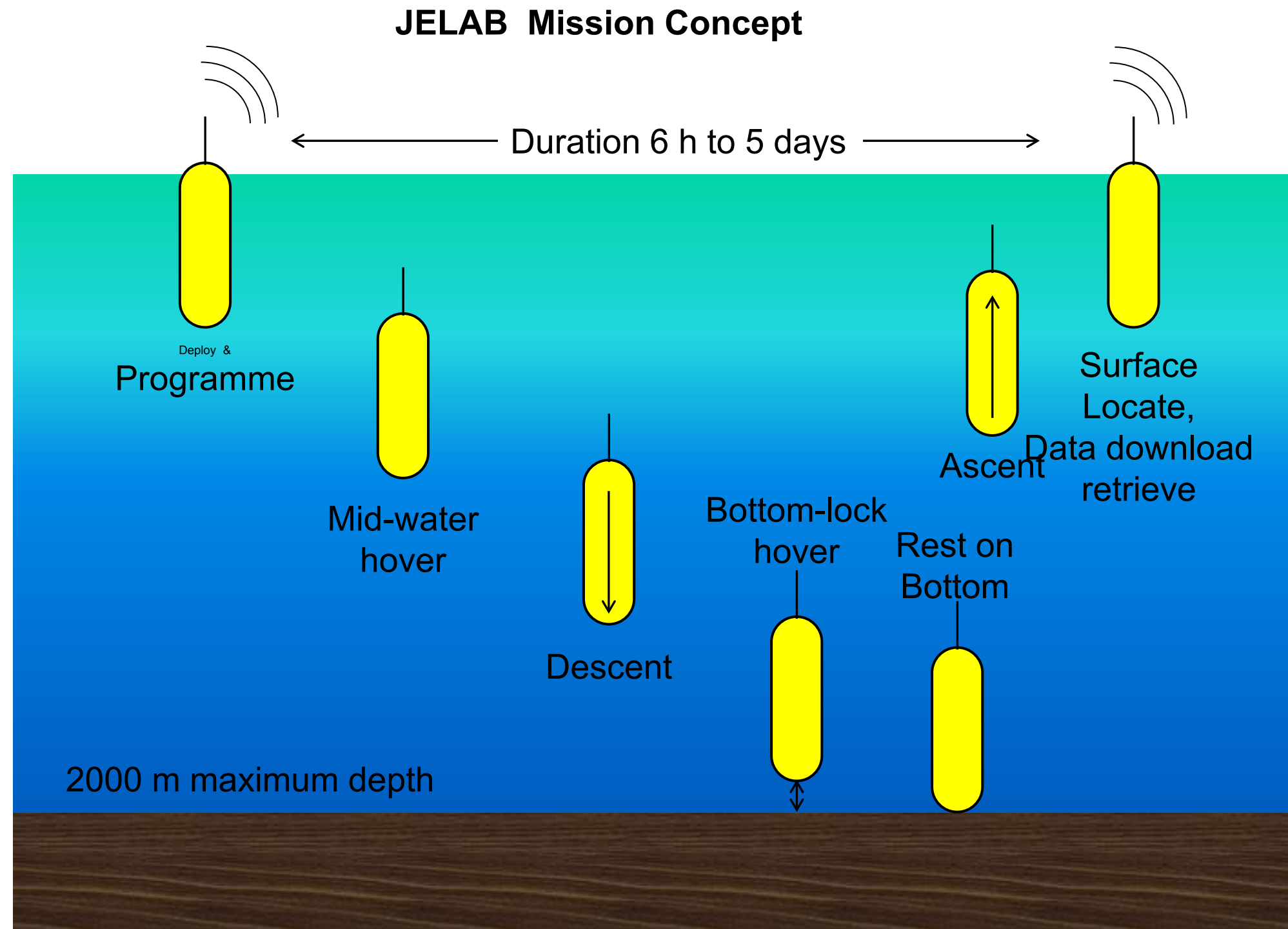
	Operational ('last 60 days')	Historical
• Temperature	545	854
• Sea Level	433	836
• Salinity	271	254
• Waves	181	207
• Currents	56	22
• Light Attenuation	21	49
• Oxygen	77	59
• Chlorophyll	52	20

tasks

Task 3.3 PROFILING COASTAL WATERS (M0-M44) - JELAB

HCMR, Ifremer, IMR

- long term, repeated profiles at a fixed location → capture key physical or biogeochemical processes at strategic locations
- expand the capacities of advanced Argo-type floats (e.g. ProvBio, BioArgo and Arvor-Cm) particularly for coastal applications



EOOS Possible Structure

