

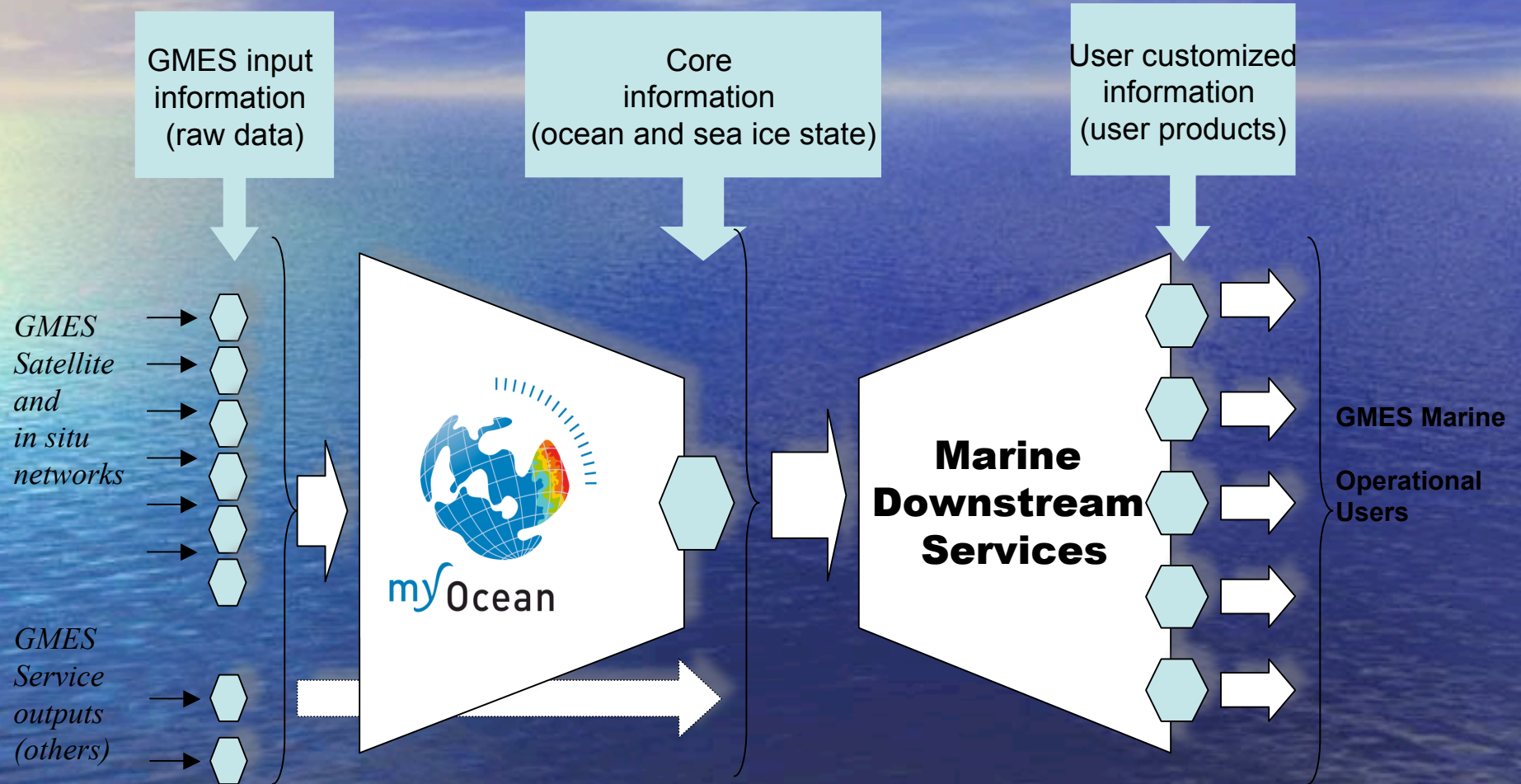
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marine monitoring for Environment and Security System**

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**WP 1-Review and Utilization of
in-situ observing system**

Marine Core Services for GMES: Structure of Products, Services and Delivery system



APPROACH

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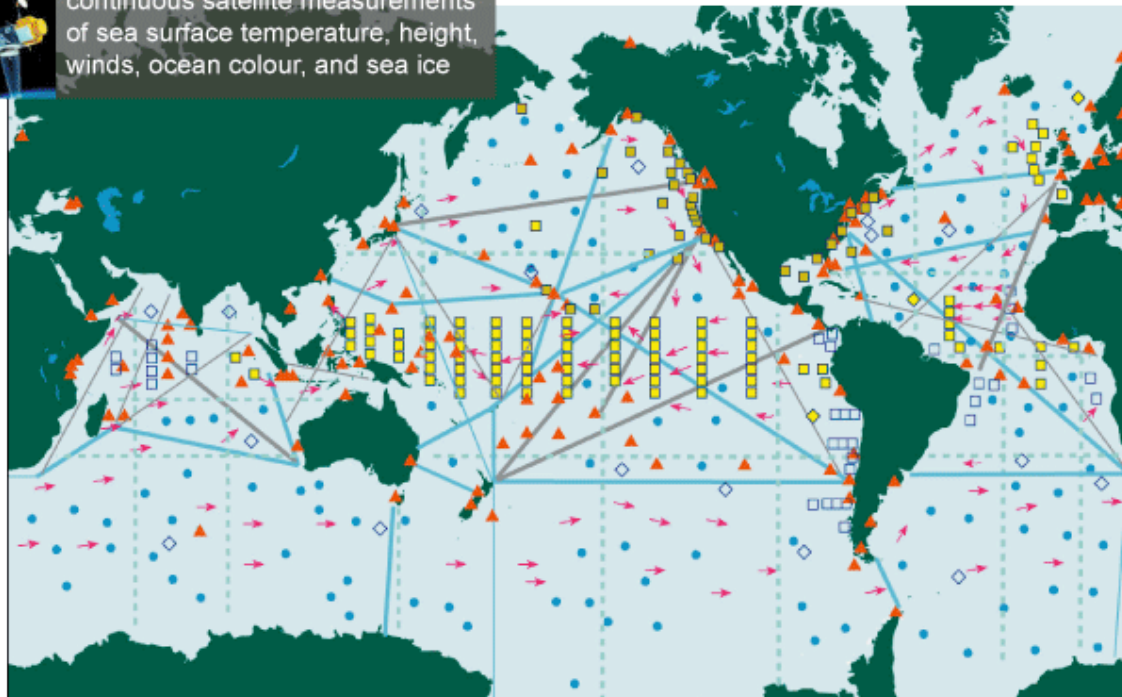
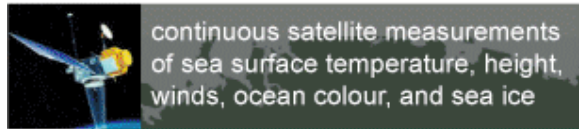
WP3

Initial Global Ocean Observing System for Climate

Status against the GCOS Implementation Plan and JCOMM targets

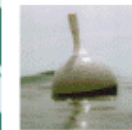
Total *in situ* networks **57%**

January 2007



57% Surface measurements from volunteer ships (VOSclim)

200 ships in pilot project



100% Global drifting surface buoy array

5° resolution array: 1250 floats



42% Tide gauge network (GCOS subset of GLOSS core network)

170 real-time reporting gauges



81% XBT sub-surface temperature section network

51 lines occupied



81% Argo profiling float network

3° resolution array: 3000 floats



43% Repeat hydrography and carbon inventory

Full ocean survey in 10 years

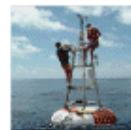
Reference time series **21%**

58 sites



48% Global reference mooring network

29 moorings planned



66% Global tropical moored buoy network

119 moorings planned



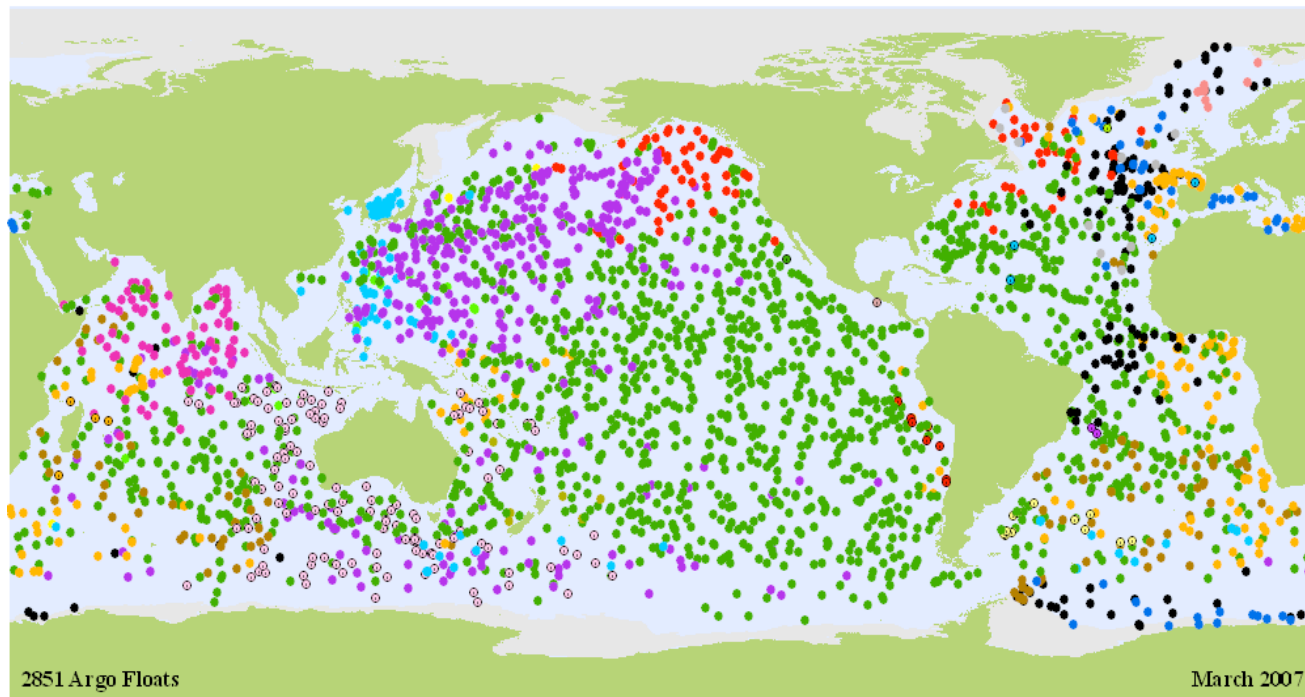
• A total of 5635 platforms are maintained globally.

ARGO

part of the integrated global observation strategy



The pre-GODAE in-situ ocean observing system was clearly inadequate for the global scope of GODAE => Argo : a joint GODAE/CLIVAR pilot project.



2851 Argo Floats

March 2007

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|-------------------|-----------------------|-----------------|---------------------|--------------------------|------------------------|
| ○ ARGENTINA (12) | ● CHILE (8) | ● FRANCE (173) | ● JAPAN (385) | ● NETHERLANDS (10) | ● SPAIN (4) |
| ○ AUSTRALIA (125) | ● CHINA (14) | ● GERMANY (140) | ● SOUTH KOREA (102) | ● NEW ZEALAND (6) | ● UNITED KINGDOM (39) |
| ○ BRAZIL (2) | ○ COSTA RICA (1) | ● INDIA (79) | ● MAURITIUS (4) | ● NORWAY (8) | ● UNITED STATES (1533) |
| ● CANADA (89) | ● EUROPEAN UNION (46) | ● IRELAND (1) | ● MEXICO (1) | ● RUSSIAN FEDERATION (3) | |



Outstanding progress thanks to international cooperation.

A global array (3000 floats) is now in place

An efficient data management system is in place.

Main issue is long term sustainability

<http://argo.jcommops.org>

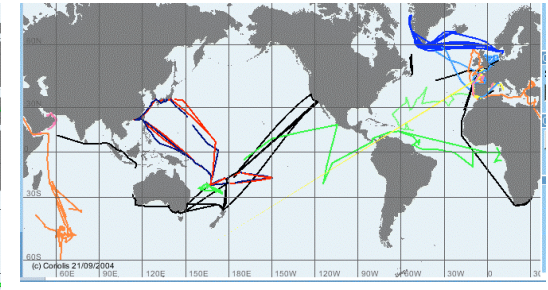
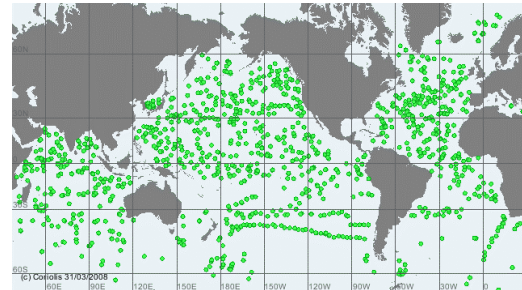
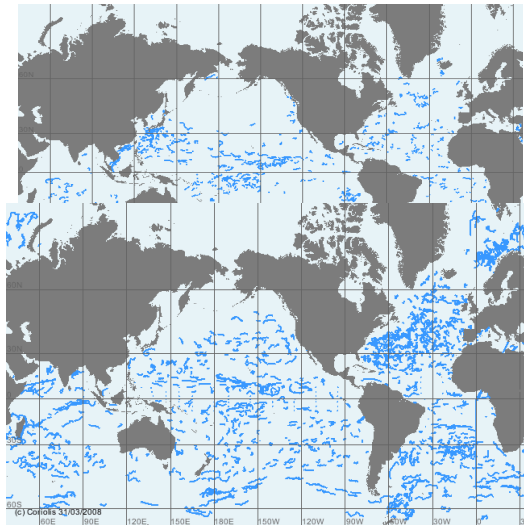
In-situ data integration and transmission to models * by 3

Drifters (DBCP)

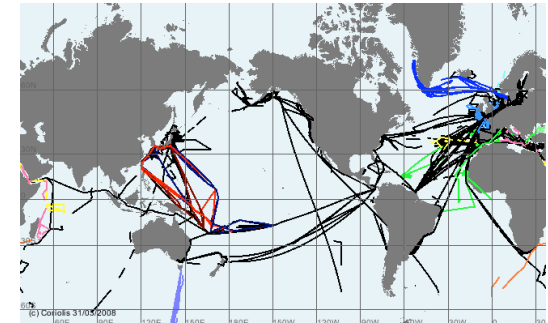
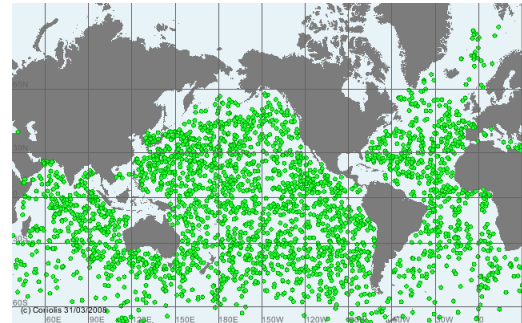
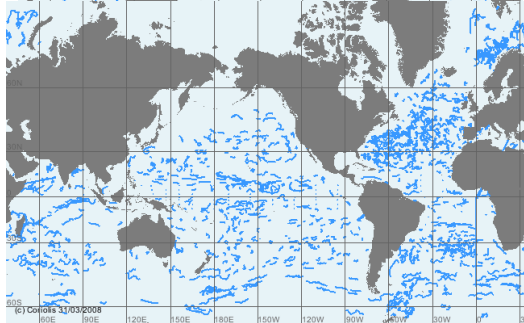
Floats(Argo)

Vessels(Gosud)

March
2004



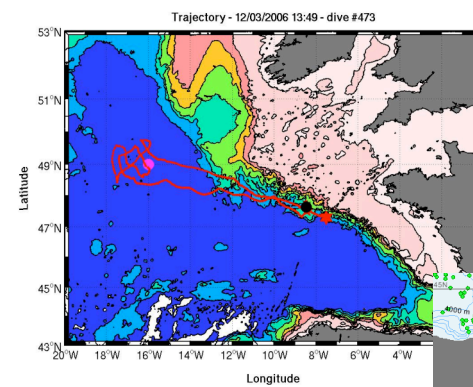
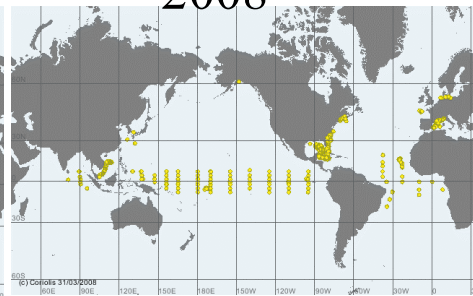
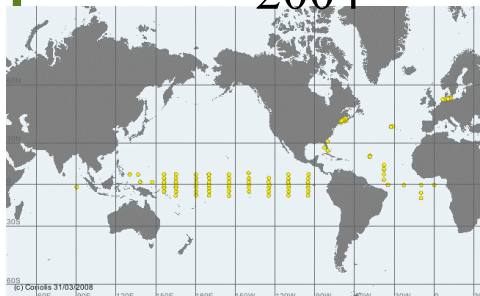
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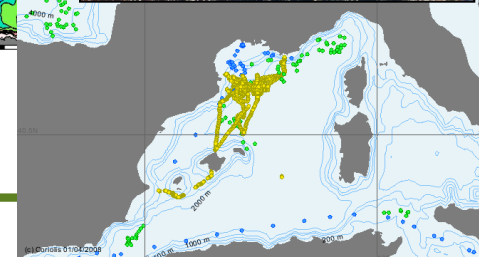
Moorings(OceanSITES)

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Gliders (EGO)



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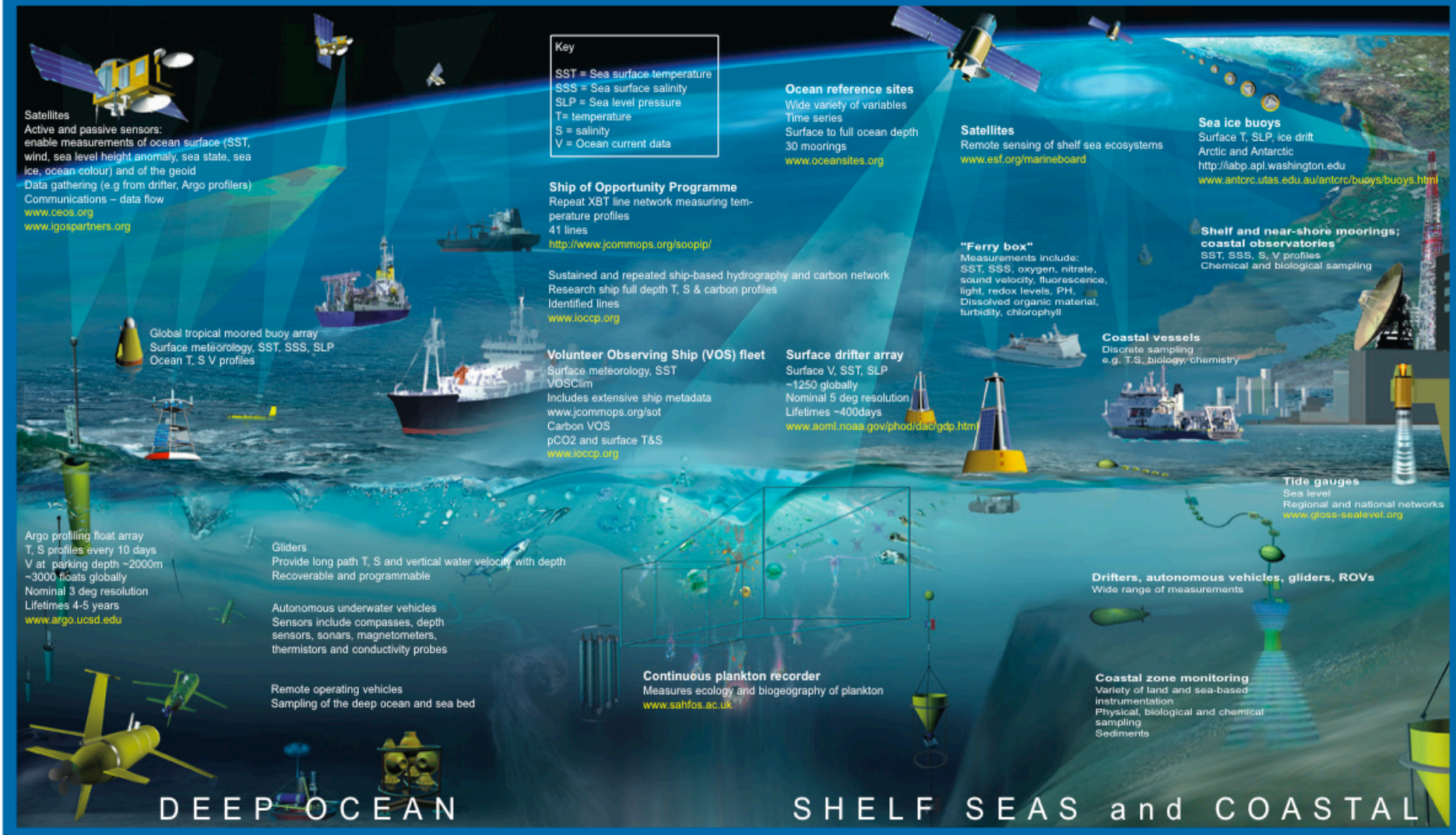
Main tasks in **EMODNET** will be to (i) build on and integrate the combined in situ and remote sensing and open ocean, shelf seas and coastal observation systems; (ii) harmonise currently different methodologies and strategies for data management under common protocols, data formats and quality control and (iii) ensure that data can be consistently distributed for user applications including regional data interpretation, environmental assessments and modelling.

Essential Components of an Observation Network



Ocean observing systems

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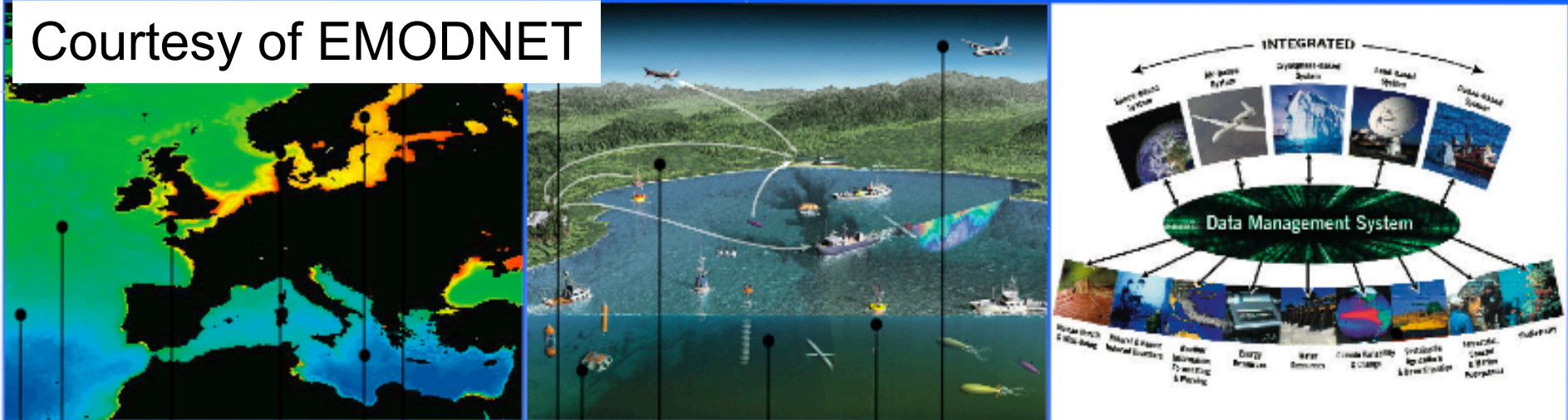


"A comprehensive system of ocean observations covering coastal and regional seas and the wider global ocean lies at the core of EMODN. This requires investment in proven technologies enabling the gathering of data from a variety of in-situ and remote sensing platforms. Examples of some in situ platforms and their measurements are shown above. Remote sensing data may come from satellites and, especially in the coastal zone, aircraft and ground based stations.

For EDMONET to be successful efforts must be made to both maintain and build the present network of observing systems and to ensure continuity in remote sensing satellite missions. Strong investment in new and emerging technologies is used data transmission into the pool of observing tools. This tendency is particularly visible with respect to the growing number of autonomous gliders and profiling floats, as well as in the more effective use of routine remotely sensed data"

Ocean Observing Systems

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<p>Channels & Coasts Transport Regulation Models</p>	<p>Polar Seas Climate Climate mod- els</p>	<p>Ships Sensors Mapping Sampling Flexibility</p>	<p>Aircraft +VE</p>	<p>Fundamental understanding</p>
<p>Ocean Margins Transport heat Climate regulation Climate models</p>	<p>Deep Ocean Transport heat Climate regulation Climate models</p>	<p>Autonomous Vehicles +VE</p>	<p>Floats +VE</p>	<p>Health & Well Being</p>
<p>Deep Ocean Transport heat Climate regulation Climate models</p>	<p>Shelf Seas Fisheries Transporting pollution</p>	<p>Satellites Temperature Chlorophyll Waves</p>	<p>Buoys +VE</p>	<p>Safety & Security</p>
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