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# Observing systems at Spain

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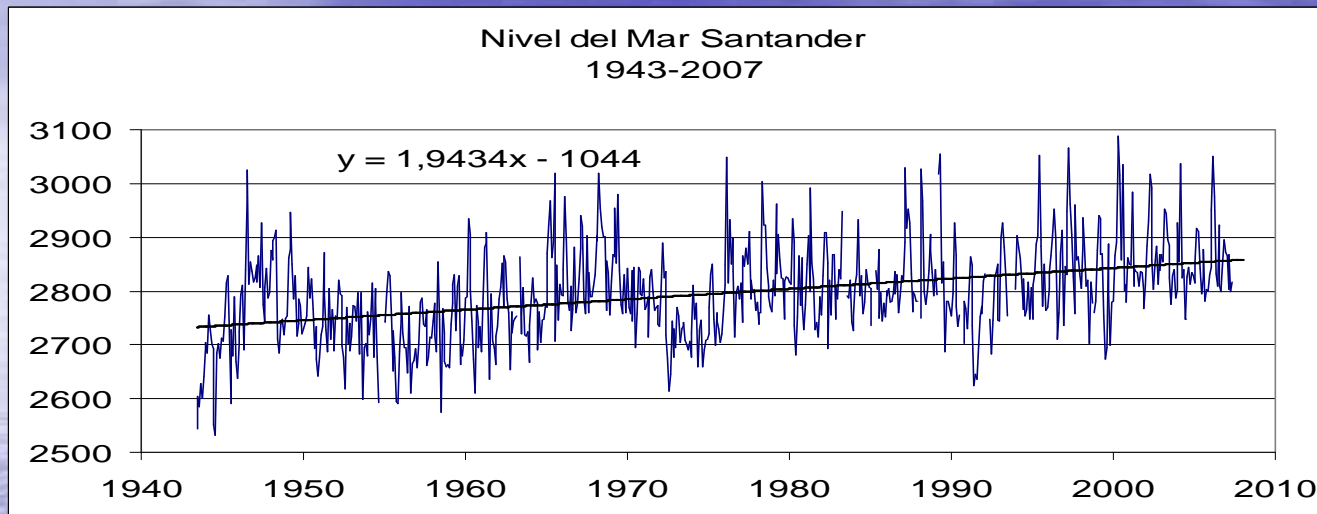


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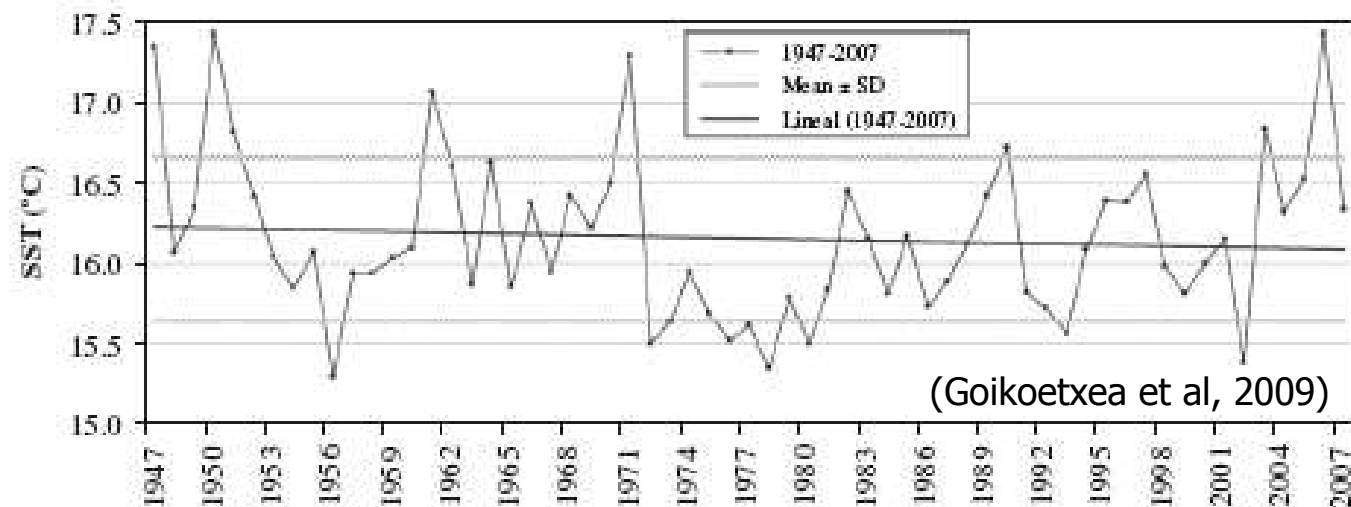
# Historic time series: sea level and SST



Santander 1886



San Sebastian  
1908

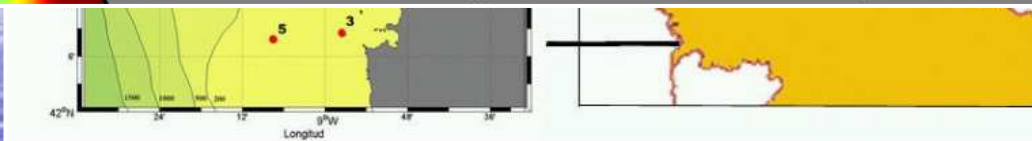
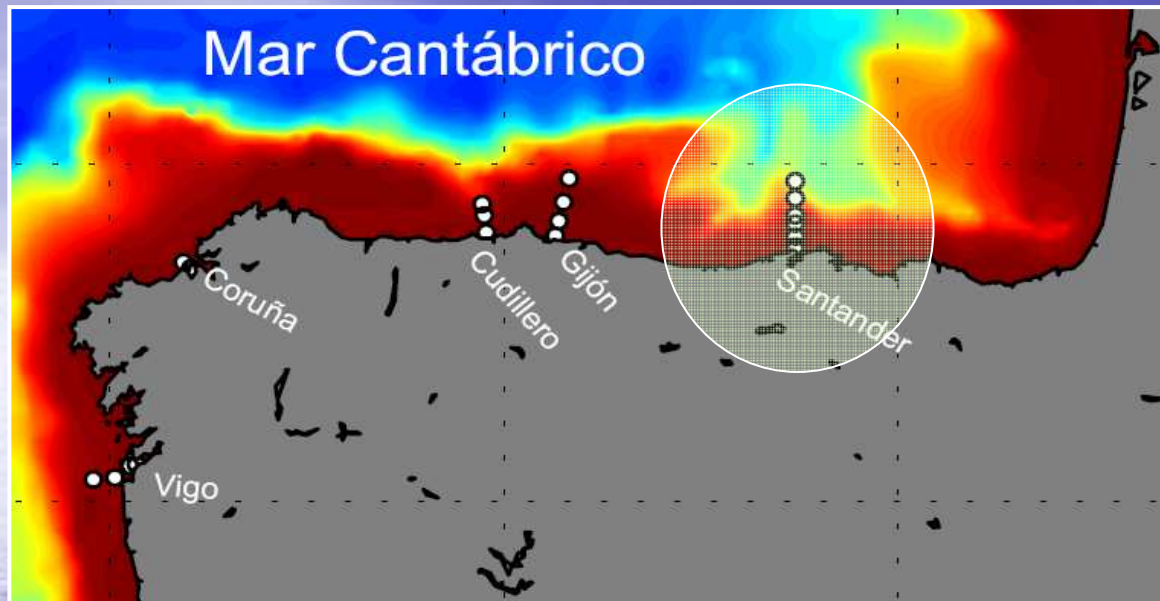




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## IEO: The Radiales Program



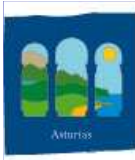
Scientific origin, late 80` s

Systematic sampling (hydrographical and biological) in 8 standard sections around Spanish waters.

Monthly sampling in the Galician-Cantabrian area.

Santander Section. 7 stations, 1 in the shelf break, two over the deep ocean (2400 and 2800)

<http://www.seriestemporales-ieo.net/>



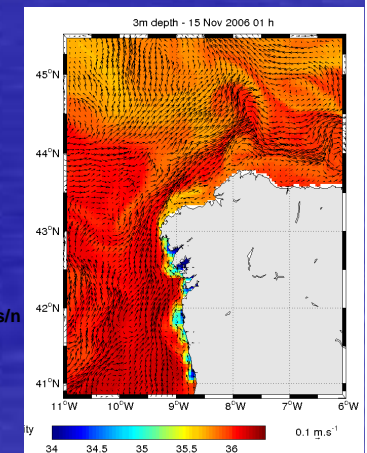
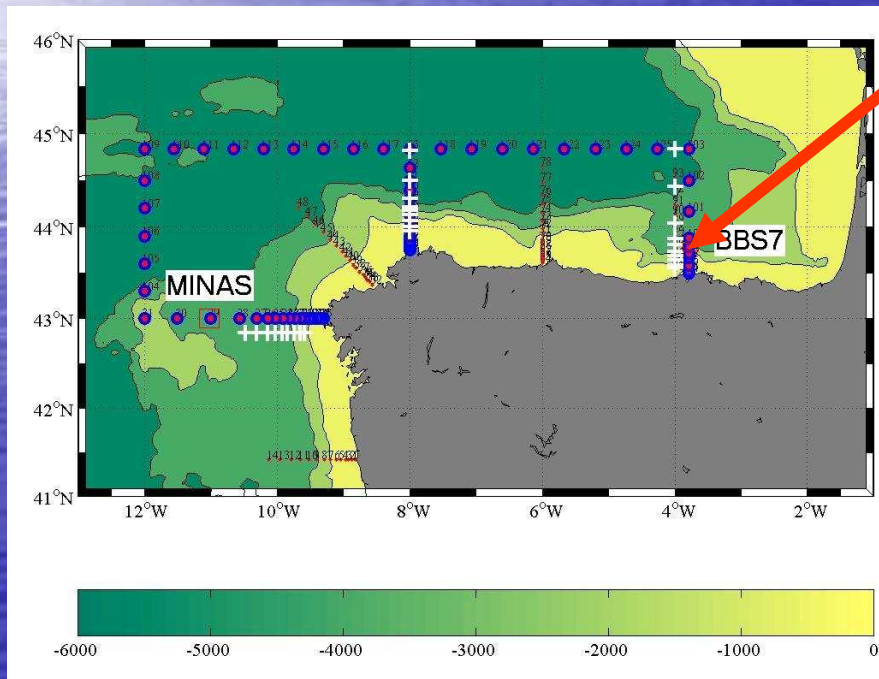
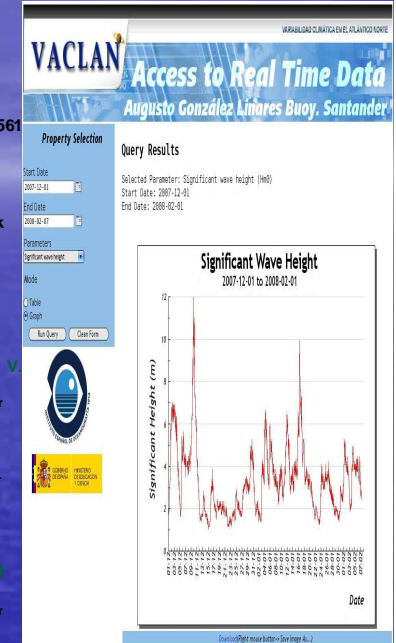
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# Climatic Variability on Eastern North Atlantic waters CO/VACLAN project: Repeated Deep Standard Sections

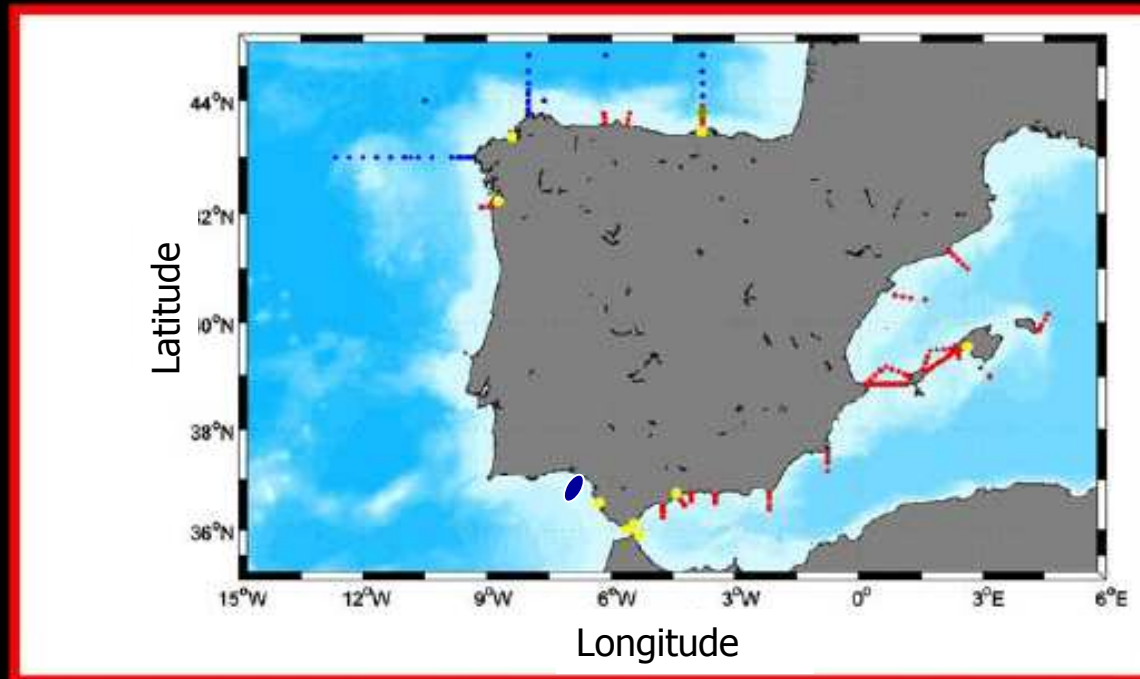
RAPROF0208 cruises since 2003, twice a year

Uncalibrated CTD data sent to Coriolis,

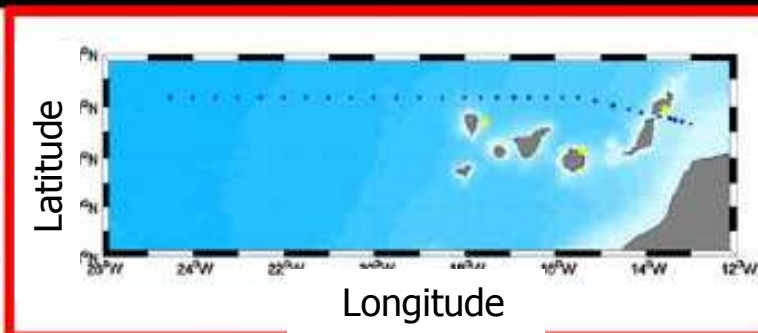




# IEO Observing System



- Monthly or term st. ●
- Semestral Stations ●
- Oceanographic buoy ○
- Current meter. mooring ●
- Tide gauges net ●





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# IEO: Monitoring Program

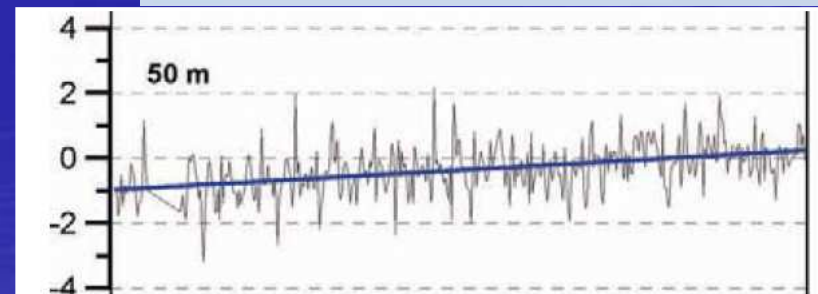
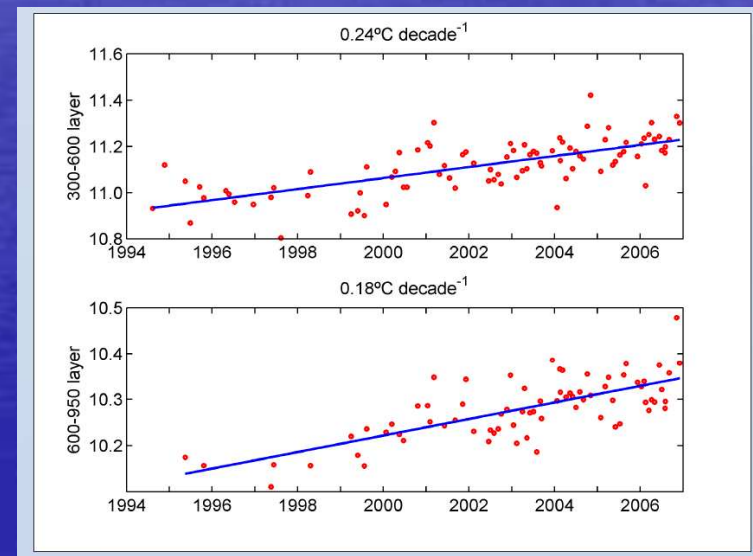
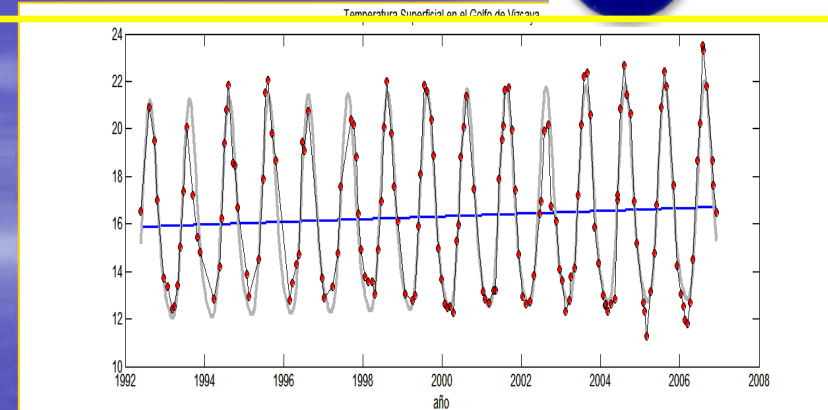


## Warming at the Bay of Biscay and Mediterranean Sea

From the IEO monitoring, Increase in temperature in surface waters are around  $0.5^{\circ}\text{C dec}^{-1}$

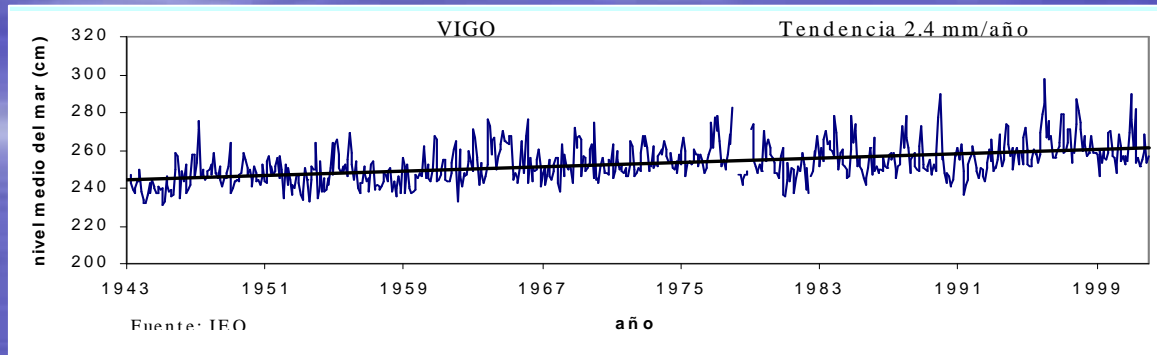
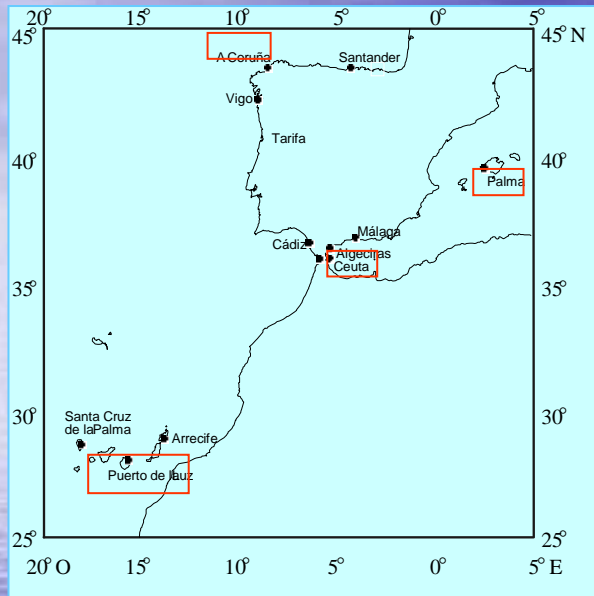


Deep water  $\sim 0.2^{\circ}\text{C dec}^{-1}$   
Mediterranean  $\sim 0.1\text{-}0.5^{\circ}\text{C dec}^{-1}$





# IEO: Mareographs



Sea-level trend at Vigo from 1943: 2,4 mm/yr

Tsunami in Palma after the Algeria earthquake (may 2003)



Fig 1.4. Mareógrafo histórico del IEO (Foto: Joaquín Molinero).

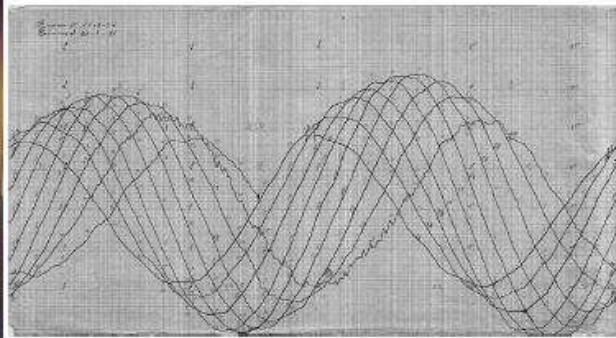
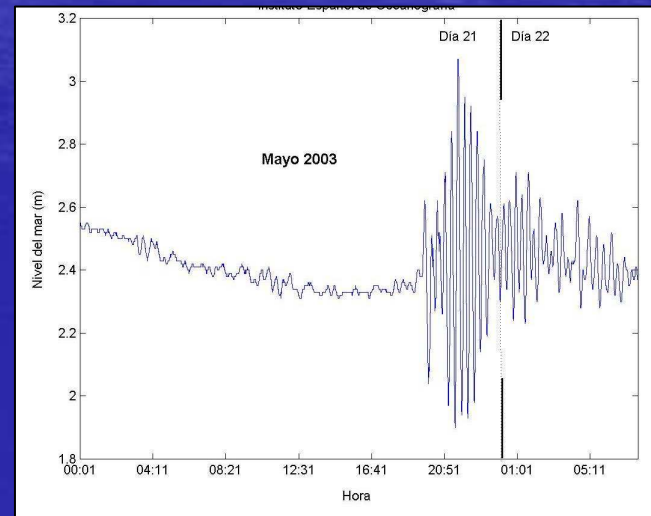


Fig. 1.5. Mareograma. Cádiz, 11-Ago-1954. (Archivo IEO).





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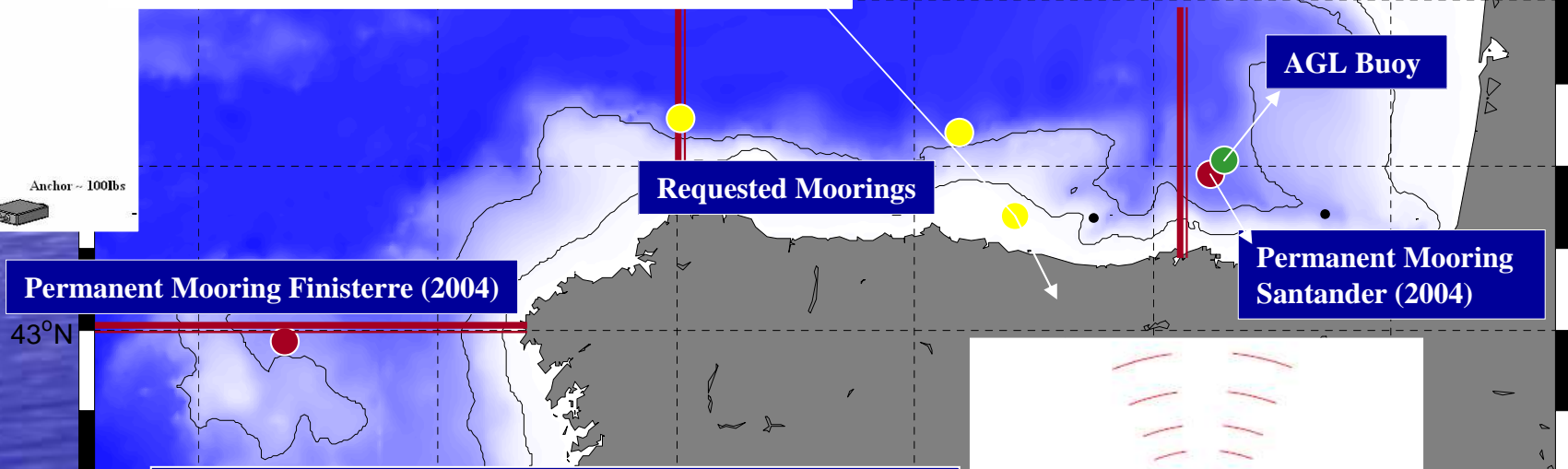
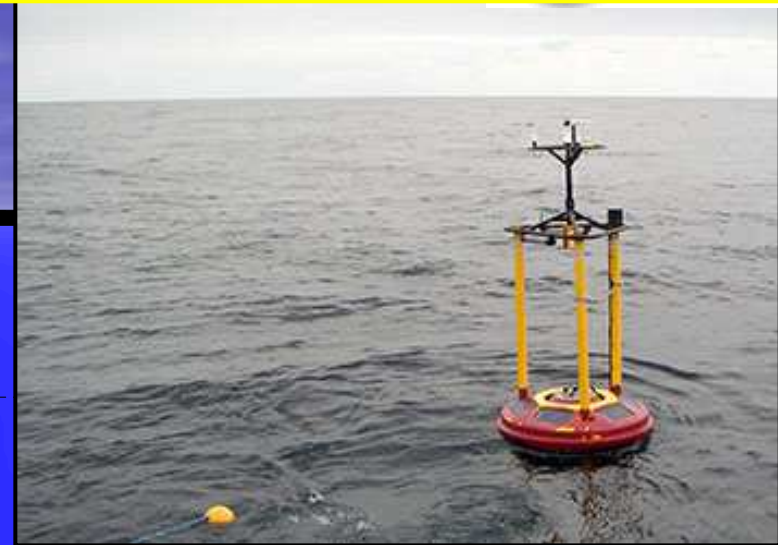
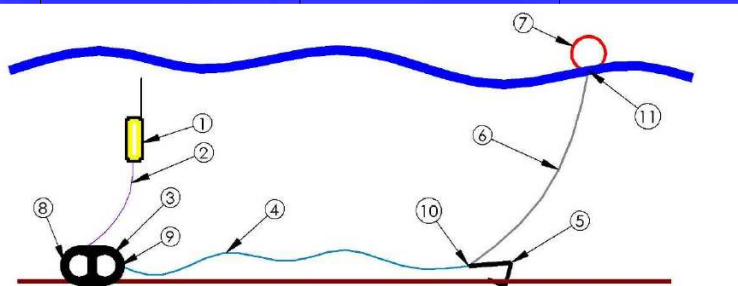
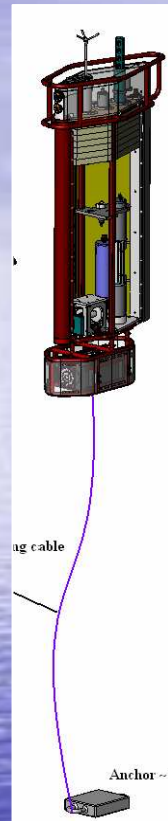


# Other IEO monitoring programs

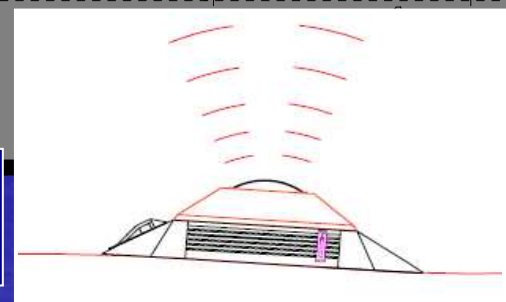


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Oceano-meteorological buoy  
Augusto González de Linares.  
Moored in June 2007.



Experiences with shelf permanent monitoring equipments



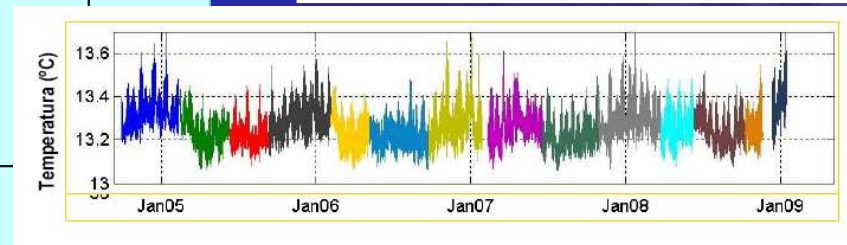
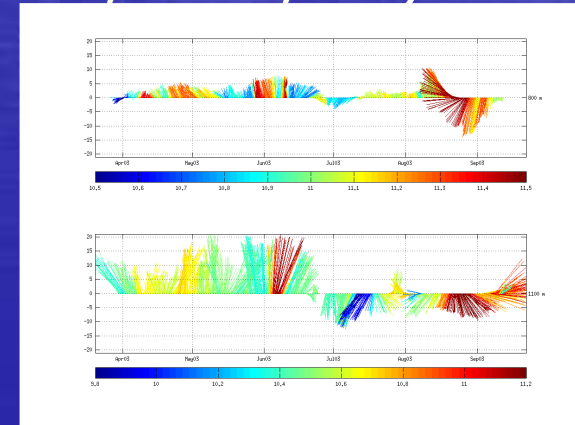
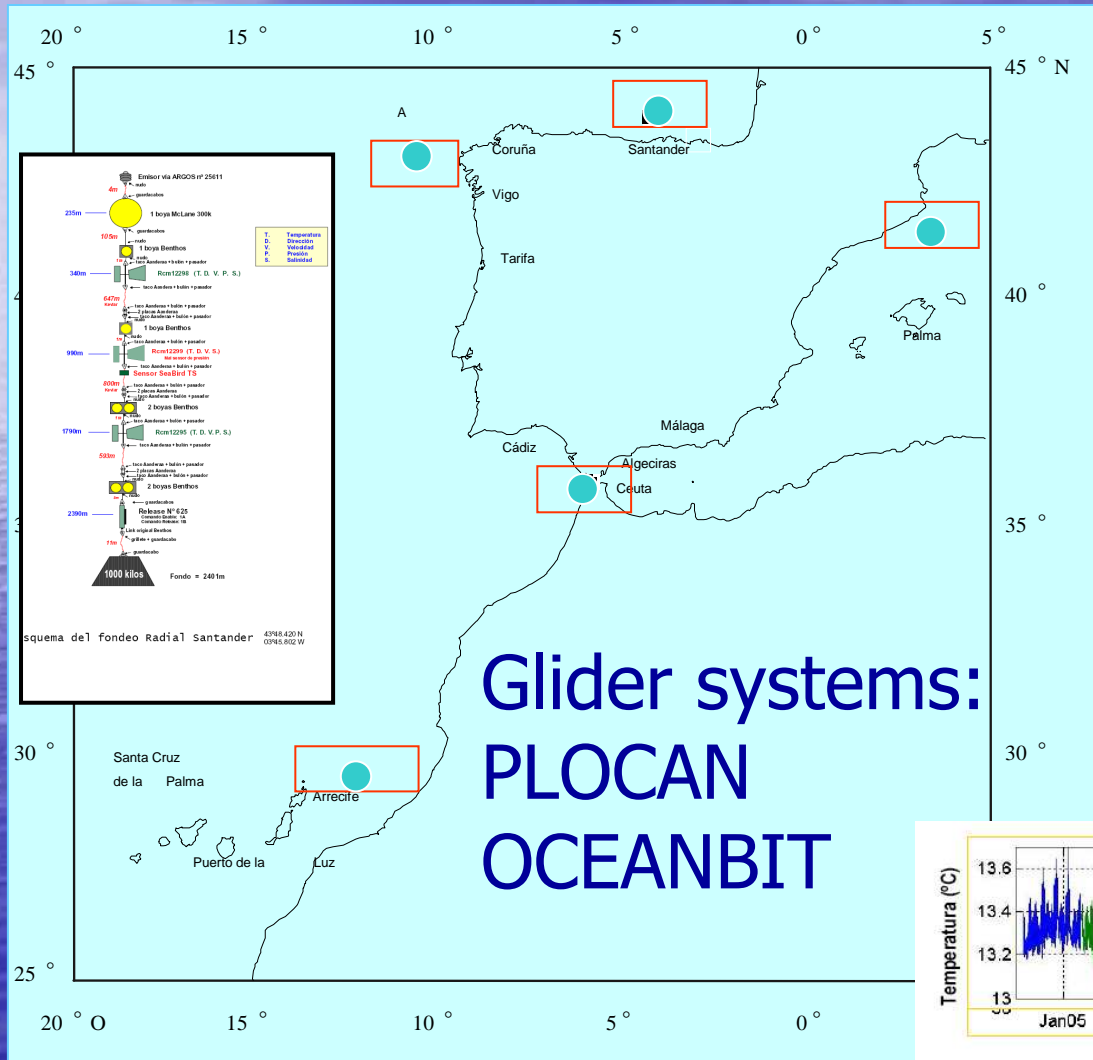




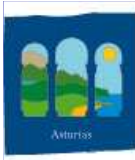
# Deep Current meters permanent moorings



- Bay of Biscay (IEO)
- Finisterre (IEO)
- Gibraltar (UMalaga/IEO)
- Canary basin (IEO /ESTOC ICCM)
- Blanes Canyon (ICM, CSIC, UB)



**Strong necessity: Moorings over the shelf-break/slope !!**



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# Puertos del Estado networks

Tide gauges



Coastal buoys

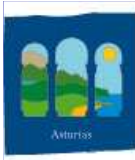


Deep Water buoys



Current meters





# Puertos del Estado networks

## Real Time Data Access

Deep Sea Network
Coastal Network
Tide Gauge Network
RadarHF Demo
Propagations

Access to the latest data from every instrument

[Simultaneous Data Table](#)

Data Links by stations and sensors how do I use the table?

	PreAtm	TempAir	VelYi	DirYi	VelCo	DirCor	TempAg	SalAg	Olas	Posic
Bilbao-Vizcaya	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Santander-IEO (AGL)	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Cabo de Peñas	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Estaca de Bares	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Villano-Sisargas	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Cabo Silleiro	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●	●
Golfo de Cádiz	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Cabo de Gata	●	●	●	●	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Cabo de Palos	TG	TG	TGP	●	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Valencia	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Tarragona	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Cabo Begur	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	-	-	-	-	TGP	T
Dragonera	●	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	-	TGP	T
Mahón	TG	TG	●	TGP	-	-	-	-	TGP	T
Gran Canaria	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T
Tenerife Sur	TG	TG	TGP	TGP	TG	TG	TG	TG	TGP	T

Sensors : ● correct; ● dubious; ● incorrect.

Data : T->table; G->graphs; F->forecast.

Data measurements displayed are collected in real time with a soft quality control, for this reason Puertos del Estado won't accept any responsibility from the use of the data.



Doubts, comments and suggestions:



# Puertos del Estado networks

Silleiro - Microsoft Internet Explorer


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### Variables description

**Date:** Measurement date (day/month)  
**Hour:** Measurement time (GMT)  
**Hs:** Significant wave height (m)  
**Tp:** Peak wave period (s)  
**Dirp:** Wave proced. direction (deg)  
**Tm:** Mean wave period (s)

**Angle convention**



[Oceanogr.](#) [Meteor.](#)

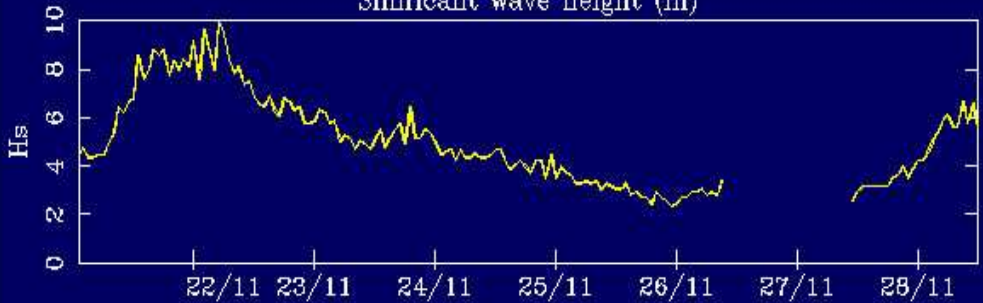
### Other data from this instr.

[This data in table format](#)

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### Data graphics

#### Significant wave height (m)

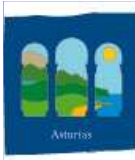


Date	Hs (m)
22/11	4.5
23/11	8.5
24/11	5.5
25/11	4.5
26/11	3.5
27/11	3.5
28/11	6.5

#### Mean wave period (s)



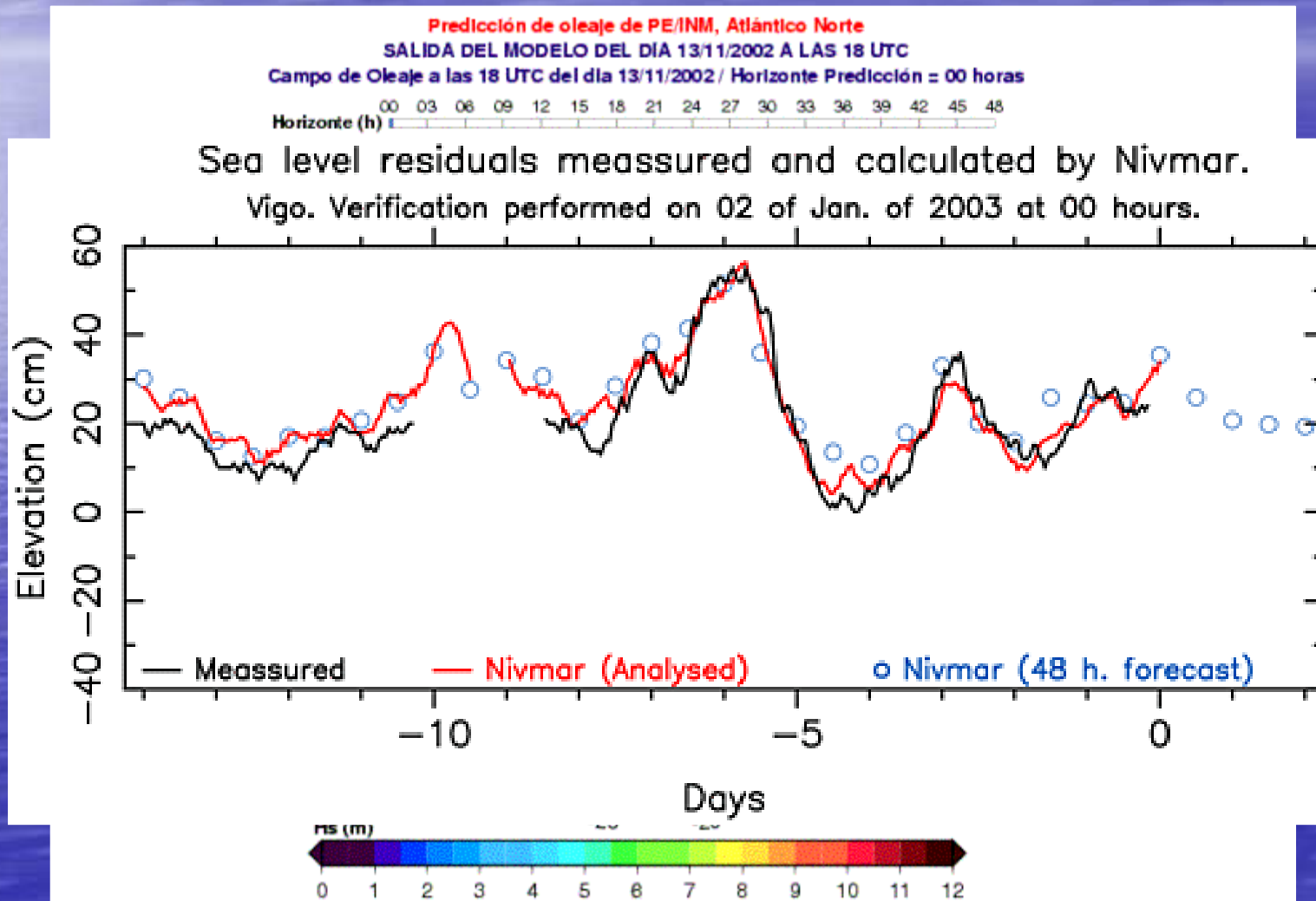
Date	Tm (s)
22/11	7.5
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24/11	9.5
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26/11	6.5
27/11	6.5
28/11	10.5



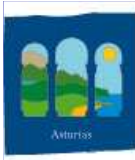
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# Puertos del Estado/AEMET wave and sea-level forecast



Puertos is participant in Mersea and MyOcean E.U. projects



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# Puertos del Estado networks

Red aguas profundas

Red costera

Red correntímetros

Red mareógrafos

Red Radares AF

La tecnología Radar de Alta Frecuencia permite la monitorización remota en tiempo real de corrientes y oleaje en un área con rango entre centenas y miles de kilómetros cuadrados. La red de radar HF, fruto de una serie de acuerdos interinstitucionales, consta actualmente de dos instalaciones: Galicia y Barcelona.

Descripción de las Estaciones

Mapa Sensible

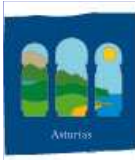


Enlaces :

[Últimos datos recibidos](#)

[Informe validación \(inglés\)](#)

Puertos del Estado, Ports Authorities, Autonomic Governments



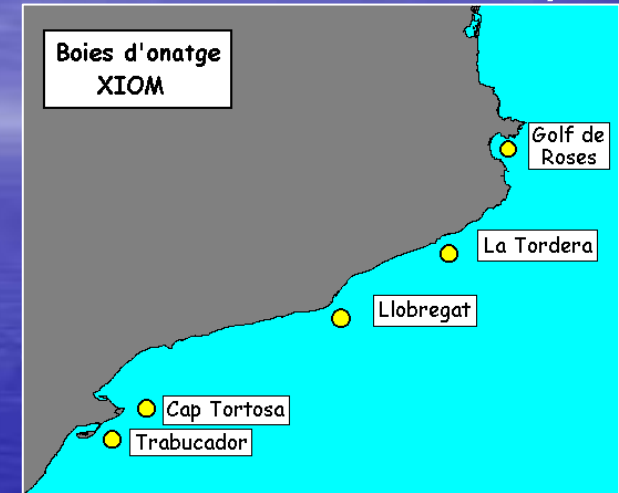
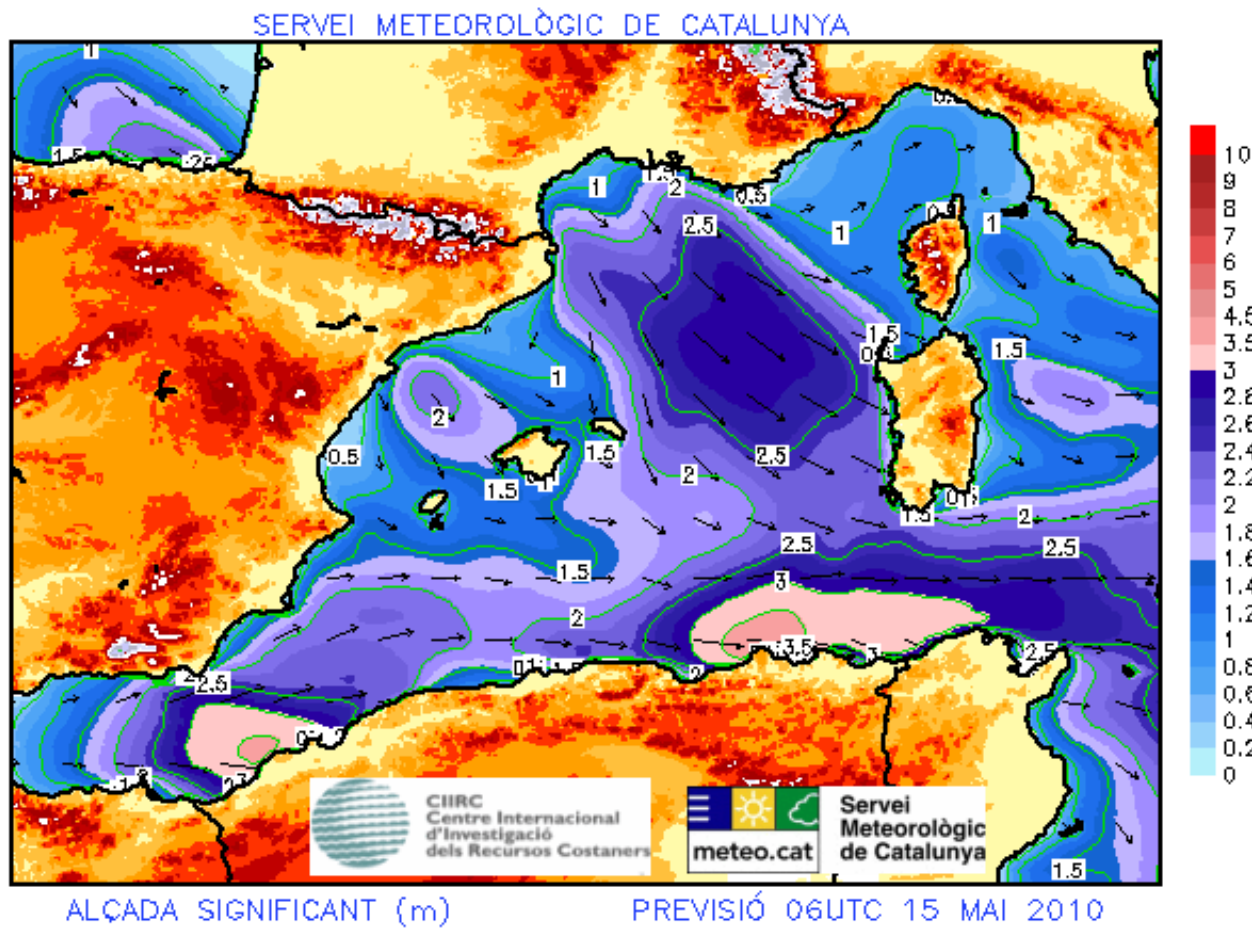
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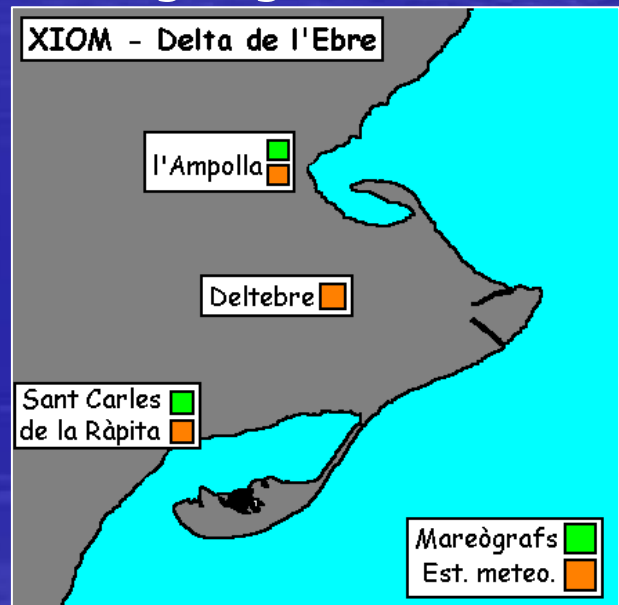
# UPC and Catalunya Gover.

## XIOM, measuring and forecast.

## Coastal buoys



## Tide gauges and Met.





# Euskalmet & AZTI Basque Government Observation and modelling

ESTACIÓN EN FUNCIONAMIENTO  
GRACIAS A LA COLABORACIÓN DE

## estación oceano-meteorológica de Pasaja

Las medidas se actualizan cada 10 minutos y la hora se muestra en GMT. 08:48:40 Consulta: [Históricas](#)

**DATOS METEOROLÓGICOS**

- TEMPERATURA
- VIENTO
- RADIACIÓN
- VISIBILIDAD

**DATOS OCEANOGRÁFICOS**

- MAREA
- OLEAJE
- TEMPERATURA AGUA
- CORRIENTE

**DATOS REGISTRADOS A LAS 15/05/2010 08:30**

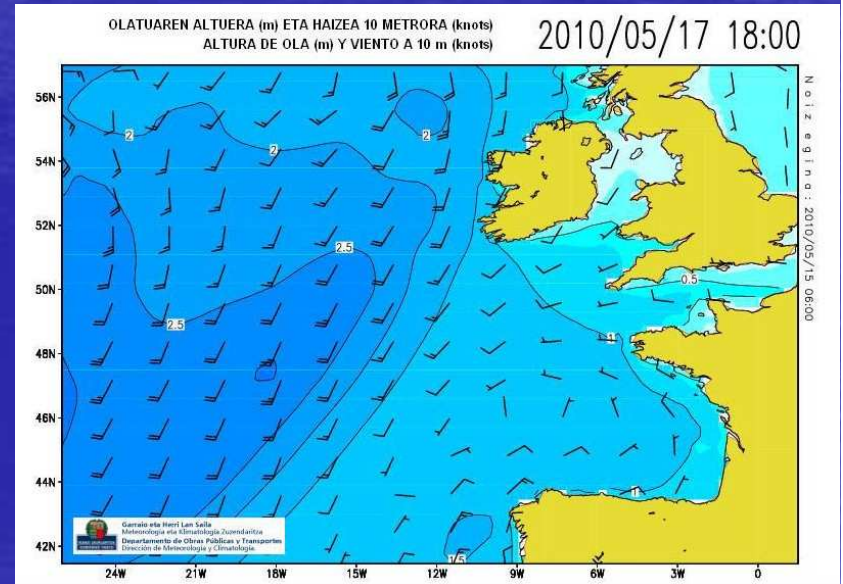
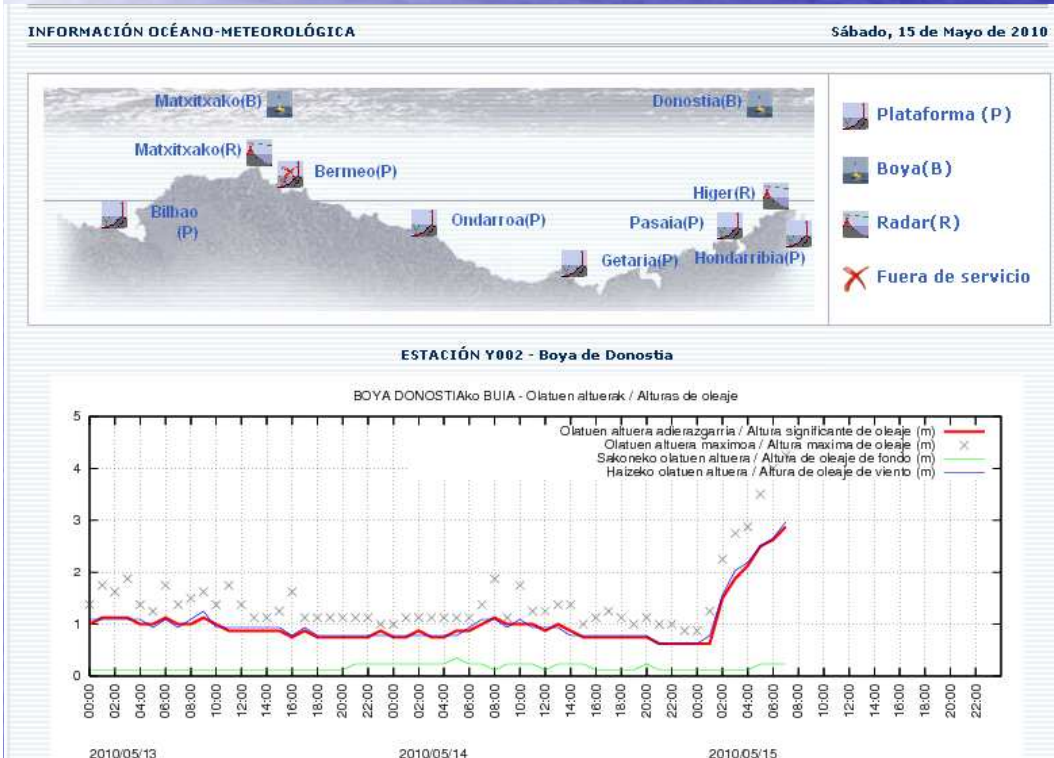
- VIENTO: **25 nudos**  
IW 330°
- PRESIÓN: **1.017 hPa**
- T: **13.2 °C**
- ALT. DE OLA: **3.0 m**
- T° DEL AGUA: **14.2 °C**
- ALT. DE MAREA: **1.32 m**

MAREA: 15 5 2010

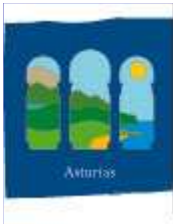
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- Pilar de Rande [WMO: 6201039] (Redondela)
- Boia de Cies [WMO: 6201040] (Vigo)
- Plataforma de Cortegada [WMO: 6201038] (Vilagarcía)

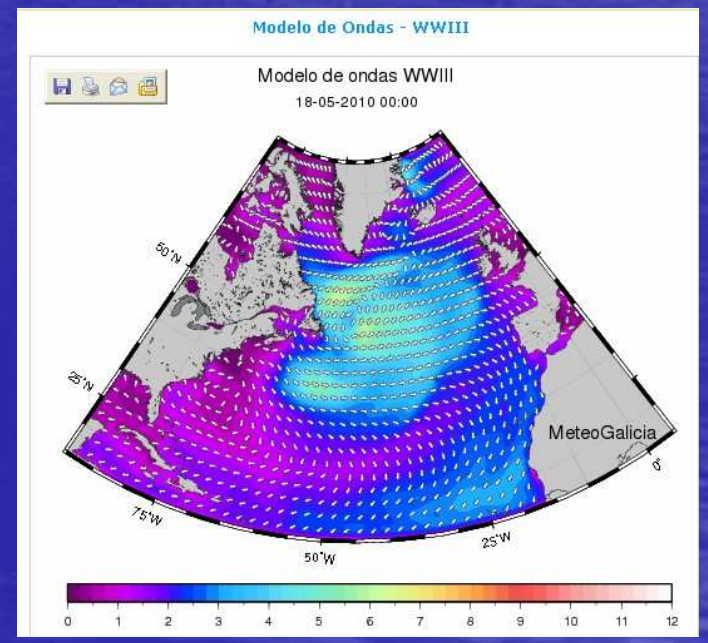
Plataforma de Cortegada



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Provincia:	Pontevedra
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Latitude:	4719483 UTMX-29T ED-50

Información da plataforma

**INTERREG RAIA**  
**project**  
**Xunta de Galicia**  
**INTECMAR**  
**CETMAR**  
**U. Vigo**  
**IIM**  
**IEO**  
**CIMAR**





**Euskalmet - Azti - DMC**  
**Basque Coast**  
 6 Met-Ocean stations  
 2 Met-Ocean buoys  
 Waves - Sea level  
 Meteorological par.

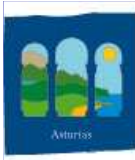
• **Developing the new IBI in-situ data System**

**IEO - Santander**  
**Deep water buoy**  
 AirTemp - AirPress - Winds  
 Waves - T/S - Currents (0-100 m)  
 Biochemical parameters

**MeteoGalicia - Intecmar**  
**Galician Coast**  
 Met-Ocean platforms  
 1 Met-Ocean buoy

**Euskalmet - Azti - DMC**  
**Basque Coast**  
 6 Met-Ocean stations  
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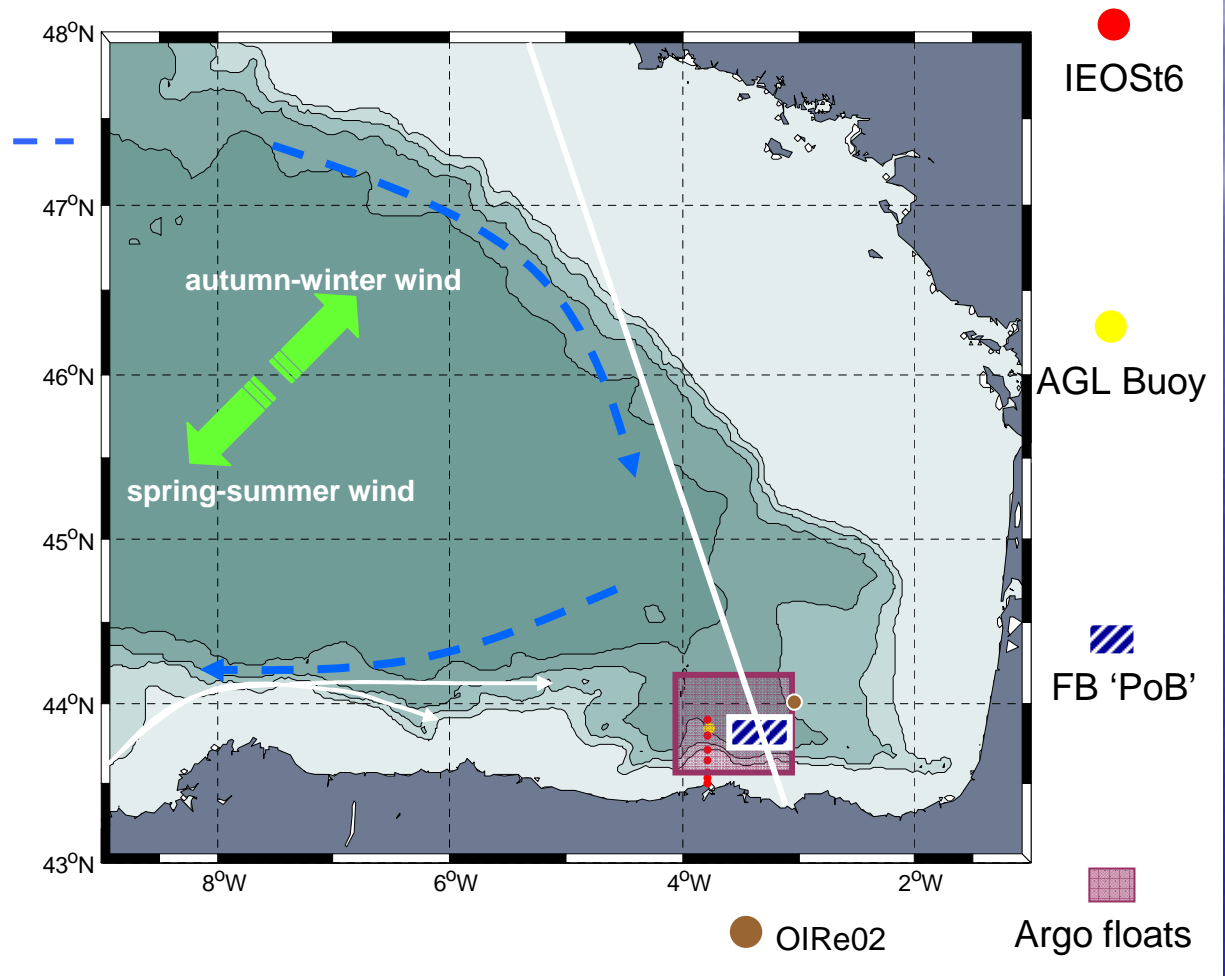
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# AGL Buoy: Combination of Observing Systems



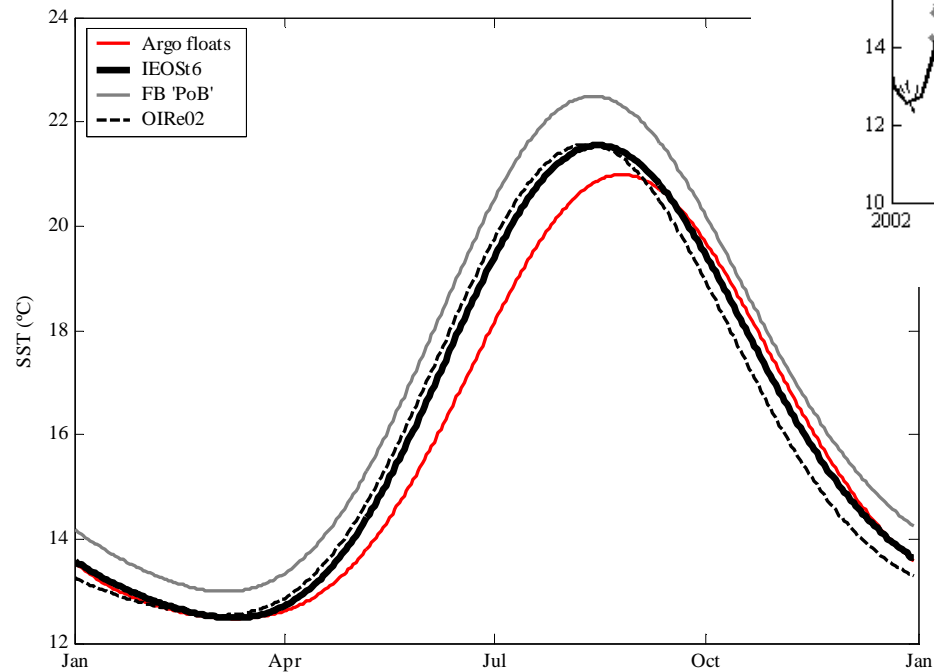
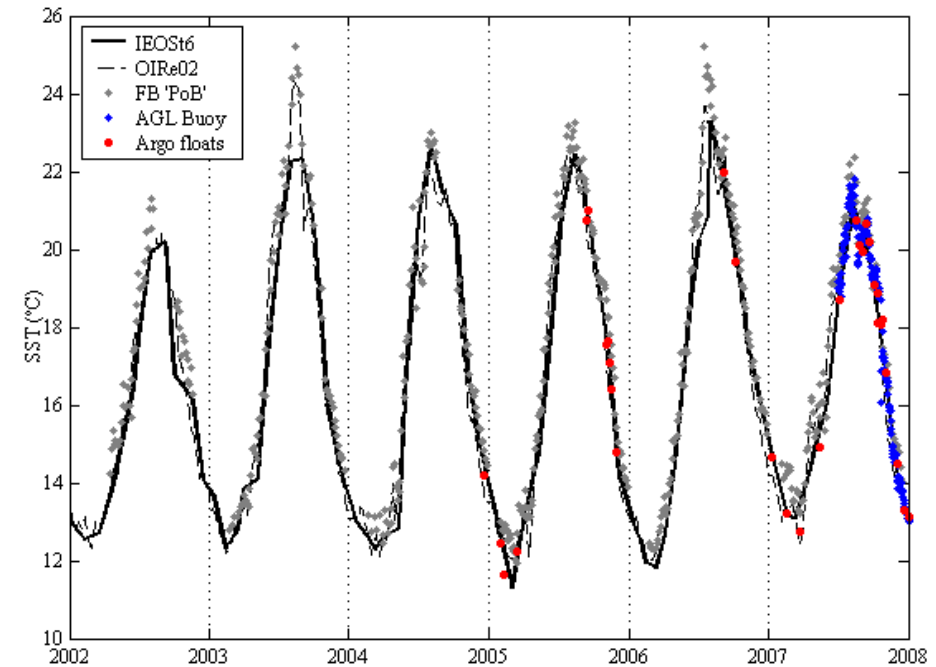
Sampling methods gathering in the Bay of Biscay.



<http://www.cdc.noaa.gov/>

## Inter-annual variability and seasonal cycle

SST at Santander section St6 (solid black line) and from OIRe02 (dash black line), FerryBox 'Pride of Bilbao' (grey diamonds), AGL buoy (blue diamonds) and Argo floats (red circles).



Mean SST seasonal cycle from IEOSt6 (solid black line), OIRe02 (dash black line), FerryBox 'Pride of Bilbao' (grey line), and Argo floats (red line).



# ESA Soil Moisture and Ocean Salinity Mission (SMOS)

SMOS Co-Lead Investigator: Jordi Font, ICM/CSIC, Barcelona (Ocean Salinity)



SMOS-BEC

Personnel

Objectives

Links

BEC news

Location

Publications

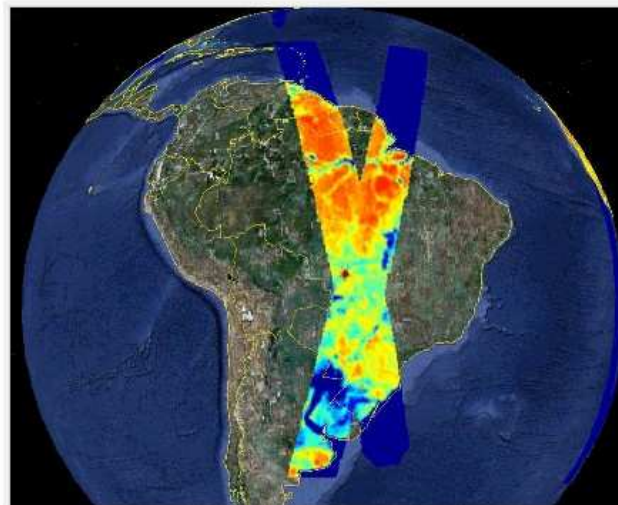
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Projects

Intranet

Search

South America seen by SMOS



SMOS news

- First images from ESA's water mission
- First image of Catalonia
- First SMOS non-calibrated data
- MIRAS has sent its first signal
- SMOS successfully launched and MIRAS radiometer deployed

# Scientific and Technological Infrastructures

PLOCAN: Canary Island Oceanic Platform

## The Marine ICTS Network

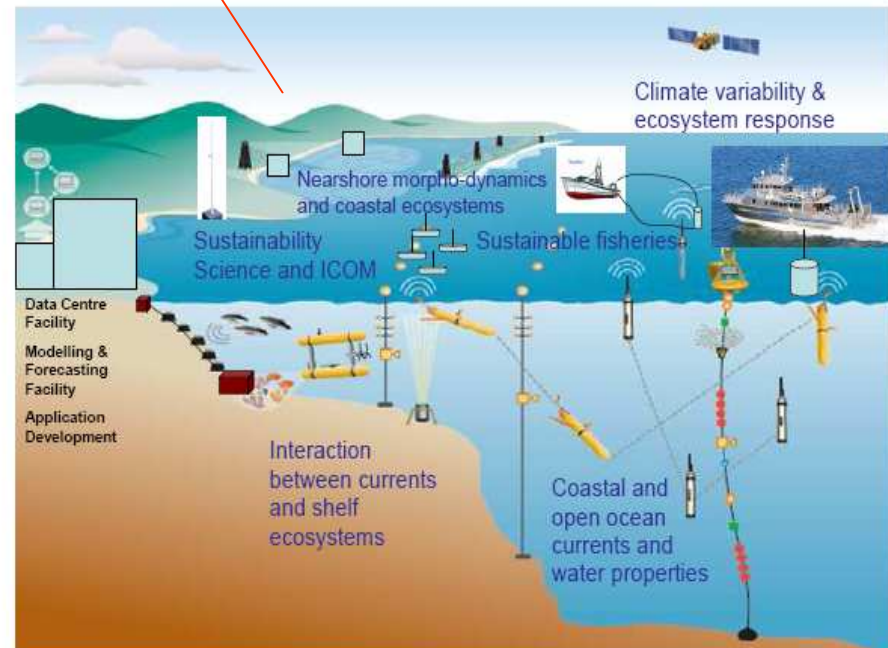
is constituted by five newly-created Unique Scientific and Technological Infrastructures (ICTS), within the research area of Sea, Life and Earth Sciences, which join other already existing ICTS such as the Antarctic Bases and Oceanographic Research Vessels managed by the Marine Technology Unit (UTM-CSIC), and other programs and initiatives.



OceanBit Observing and forecast system for the Balearic Island



View of the Platform and mooring area



## Discussion:

Spanish Institutions are members of international programs: GOOS, EUROGOOS, ESEAS, ICES, Mersea, MyOcean etc.

Data Centres are integrated in European Initiatives (SeaDataNet, SEPRISE)

Observing Systems are financed with institution's funds and National or European projects.

Regional governments have developed systems in their areas.

Long term Initiatives (National + Regional funds) as ICTS could have significant impact.



**Thanks for your attention**

