

# JERICO-RI, the Joint European Research Infrastructure of Coastal Observatories: overview and willingness for operational operation



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Coastal areas: the most productive and dynamic environment of the world ocean with significant resources and services for mankind.

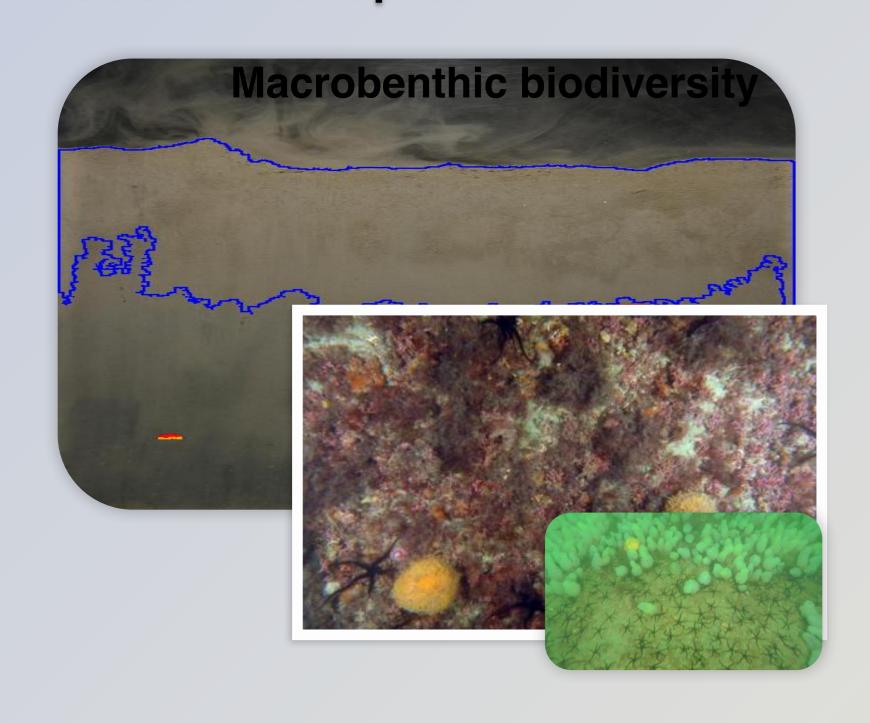
"The importance of complex processes in the coastal zone means that the JERICO-NEXT Project is investing in scientifically sound simultaneous observations of physical, chemical and biological parameters and in innovation in key areas of biogeochemical observing technologies." (The JERICO-RI consortium, 2017, Helsinki)

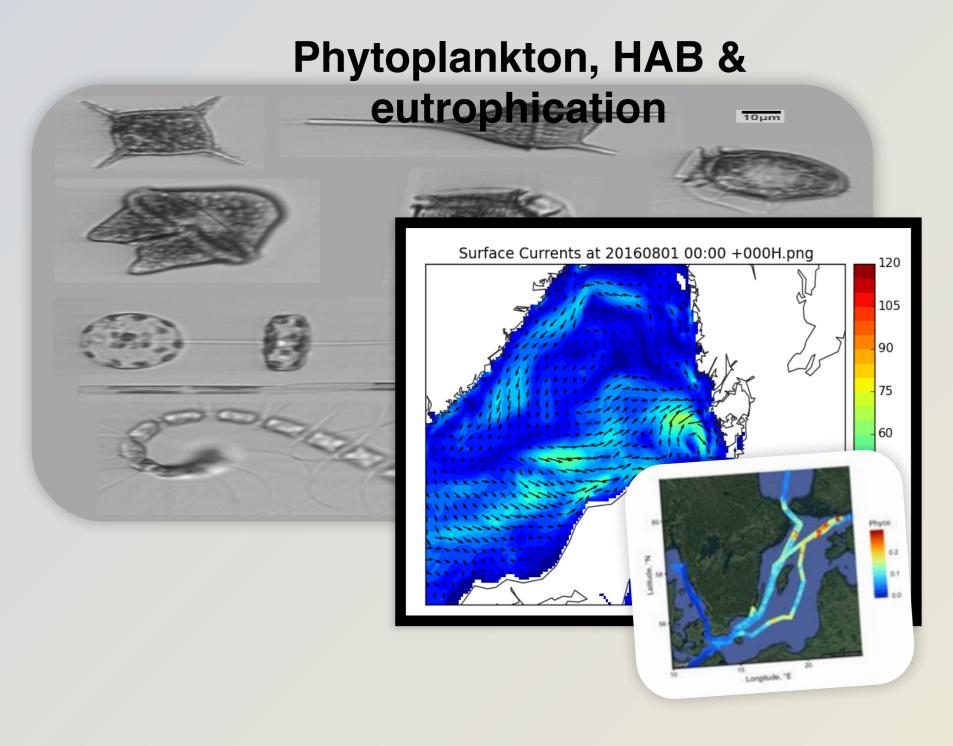
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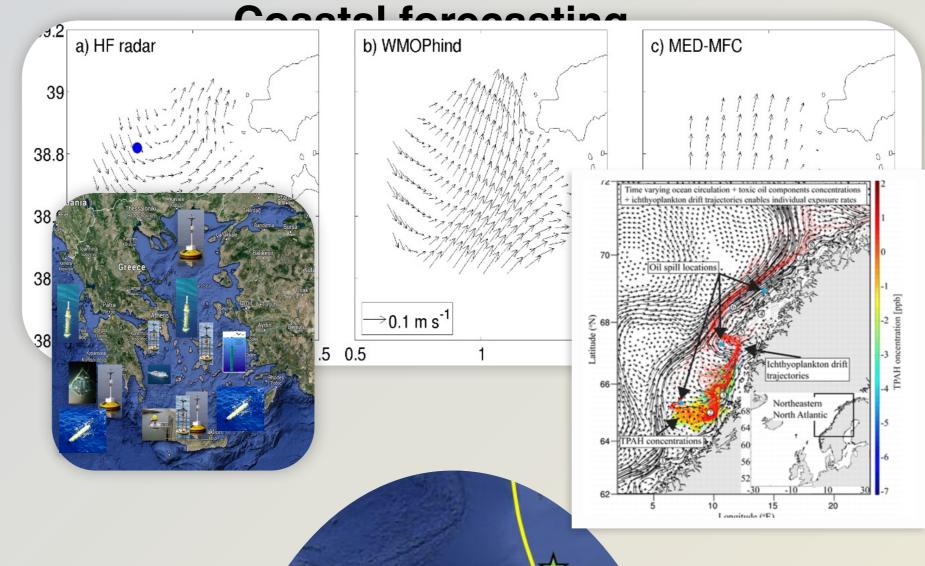
## Joint European Research Infrastructure network for Coastal Observatories Novel European eXpertise for coastal observaTories

- History
- ✓ After an FP7 project: 2011-2015, 7.5 M€ ⇒ H2020 project: 2015-2019, 10M€ ⇒ Towards a sustained research infrastructure
- ✓ Pan-European network with 34 organizations from 15 countries. Coordinated by Ifremer

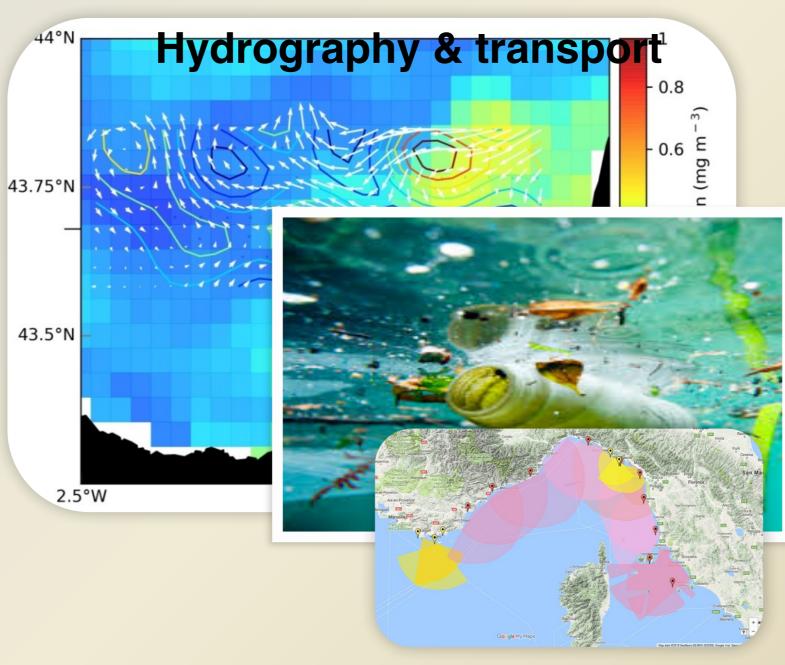
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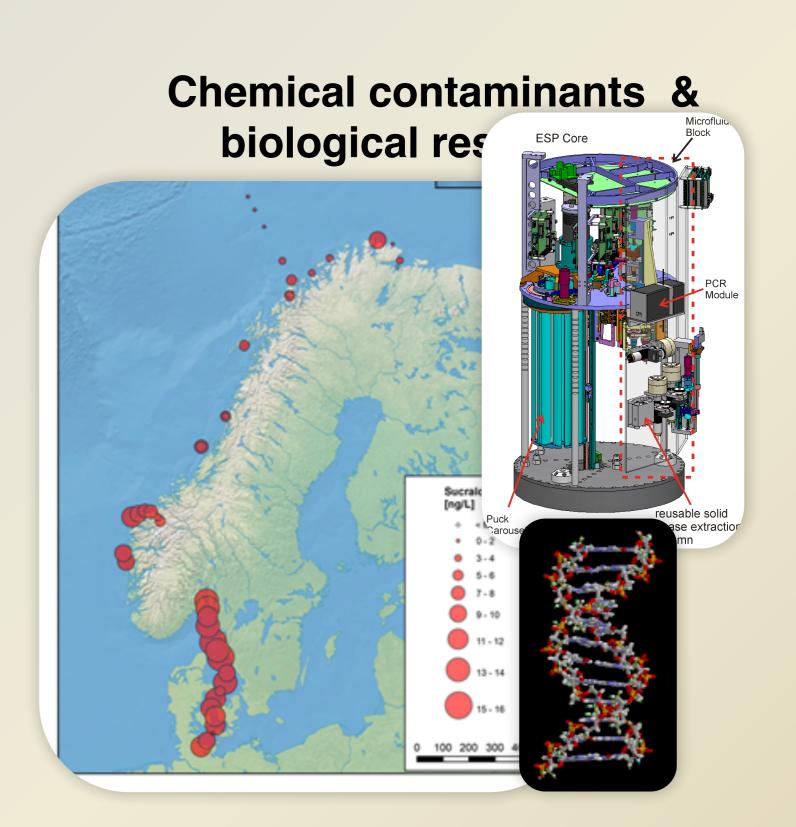


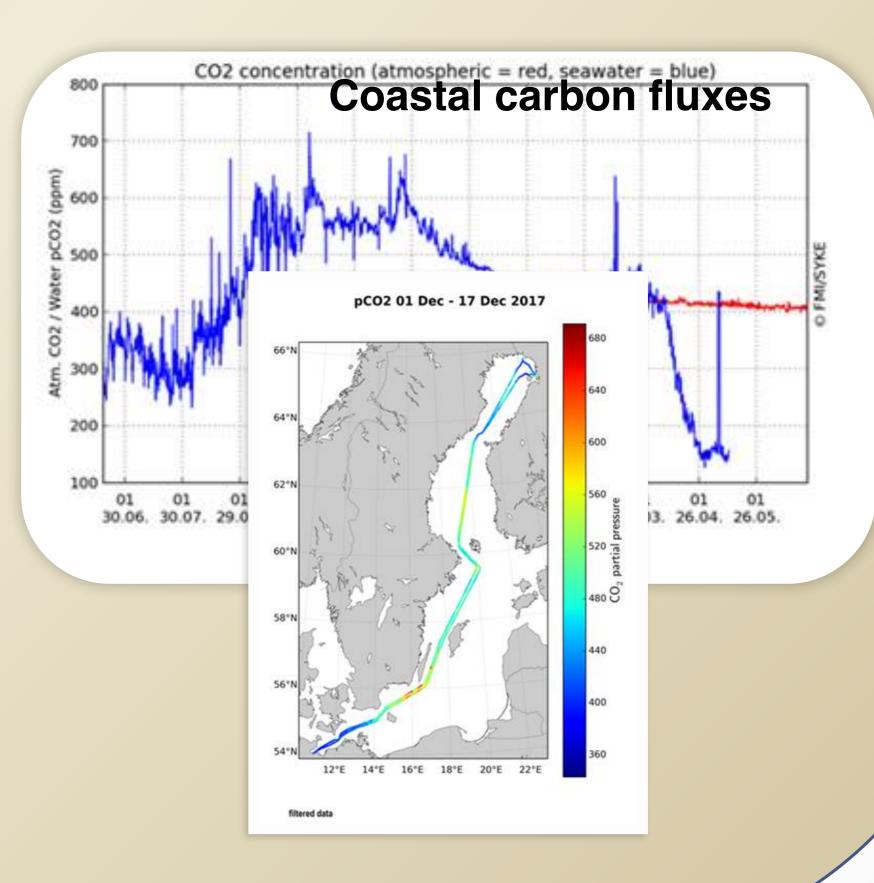












Pan-European coastal Research Infrastructure (RI) with ferryboxes, gliders, cable observatories, moorings and HF radars.



Purposes of JERICO-RI:



- Integrated study and monitoring of physical, chemical and biological variables at HF, in EU coastal waters.
- To serve the implementation of European marine policies (WFD, MSFD).

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