



Copernicus Marine Environment Monitoring Service

CMEMS in Support to Public Health and Water
Quality Monitoring



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EarthLab for coastal services – The case of water quality monitoring – Turbid Plumes

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Water Quality monitoring

MARKET SECTOR

Major challenge of managing coastal water quality, especially in urbanized areas with large raining events and high with large raining events and high dense summer period

Water Quality monitoring - turbid plumes - using ocean color tools, merged with 2DH and 3D numerical modelling and ground truth observations **with partner RPT Suez**



END USERS

We target end users such as local and regional stakeholders, councils, Department, Regions as well as private companies (nearshore industries)



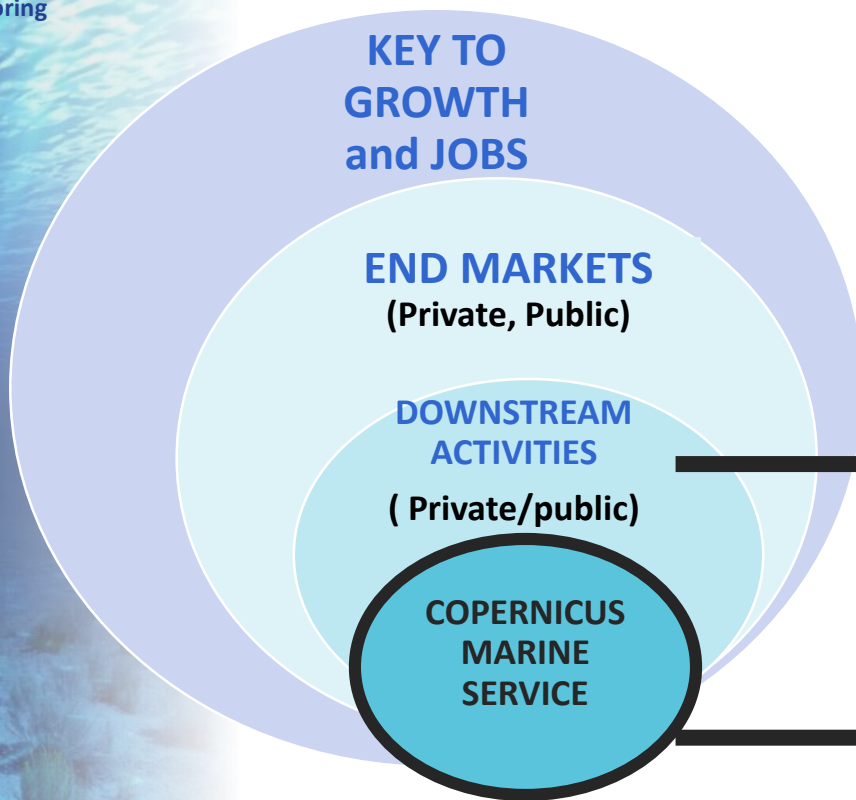


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:

2 possibilities for using CMEMS

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CMEMS USERS
(value added)

DIRECTLY(free)



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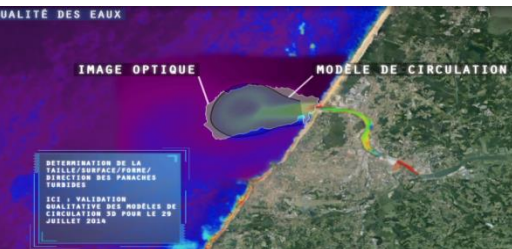




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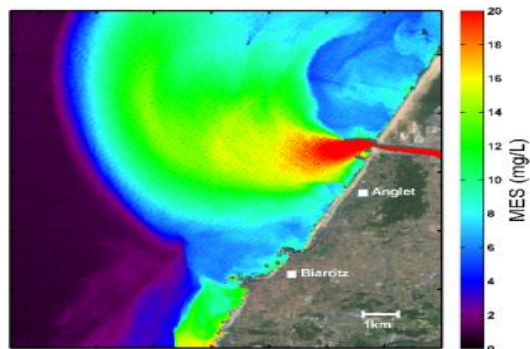
Preserving the coastal water quality:

Economic and demographic drivers over the coastline (building activities 3times higher, 7 M +50% within 2040) and increasing tourism



APPLICATION

- Follow the dispersion and fate of the fine sediment River.
- Follow dispersion and fate of fecal bacteria



CMEMS PRODUCTS IN USE

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We use CMEMS products from:

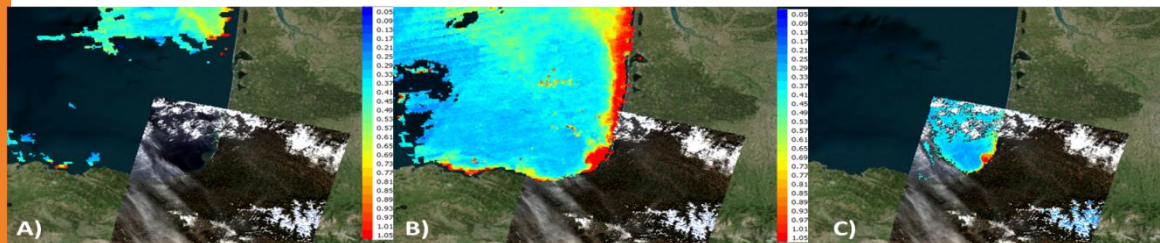
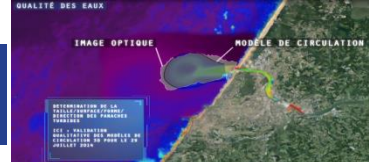
- Model
- Satellite
- In situ

We use products in:

- Real time, and delayed time for event re-analysis

We use products in various areas:
IBI, MED

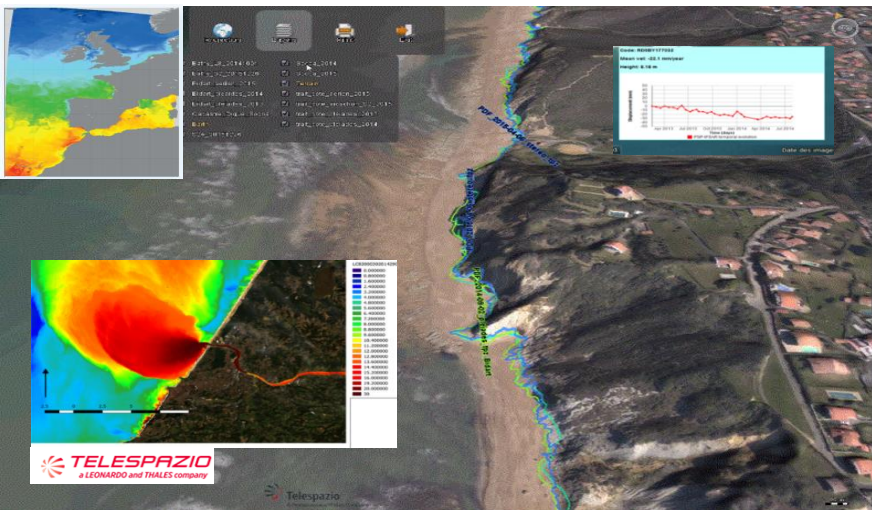
Main Parameters :
Currents, temperature, salinity, Optical properties and CHL



HOW DO WE USE CMEMS PRODUCTS?

Dynamical downscaling is the key for obtaining high-resolution (HR) refined models from lower resolution CMEMS models output (forcing conditions and/or boundary conditions), both for Satellite imagery and model suite. In situ data are use to validate HR models outputs and satellite marine optics derived products.

WHICH BENEFIT FOR US?



Robust and accurate inputs

By downloading CMEMS products, modelling can focus on downscaling processes, enriched with imagery validation outputs, we can provide more accurate near real-time and forecast service

Efficiency

Public policies can account for quantitative and qualitative model validation, near-real time correction and more accurate daily forecast (Day+1). The service is an efficient recommendation and Decisional Support Tool (DST) for the optimization of beach closure...

And much more economic issues (MPA, marine litters, fishing, shellfish farming, eutrophication...)



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CMEMS TUTORIALS AVAILABLE ONLINE

✓ In Situ data

✓ See online tutorial: <http://marine.copernicus.eu/tutorials>

✓ Satellite Observations

✓ Satellite Sea Surface Temperature

See online tutorial:

<http://marine.copernicus.eu/tutorials/cmems-sea-surface-temp-satellite/>

✓ Satellite Ocean Colour

See online tutorial:

<http://marine.copernicus.eu/tutorials/cmems-ocean-colour-satellite/>

✓ Ocean Models

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WHAT IS AN OCEAN CIRCULATION MODEL?

Ocean Models transform the continuous ocean into a discrete ocean with:

- discrete spatial grid
- discrete time steps

Ocean Models describe the ocean properties using **physical and biogeochemical relationships called the primitive equations**.

The primitive equations describe **the sum of the forces applied to the ocean, the conservation of properties and the equation of state of the ocean.**

To apply primitive equations to the Ocean Model that can be applied to the gridded discrete ocean

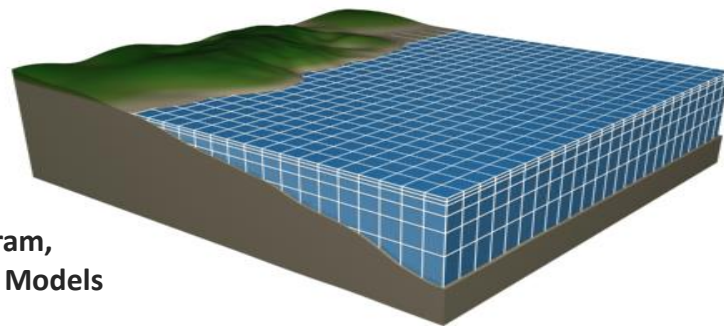


Fig Credits: The COMET Program,
Mesoscale Ocean Circulation Models



Ocean Models simulate sea water properties:

- **In 3 dimensions** (from surface to bottom, displayed on a 3D grid)
- Through a period of time:
 - A reanalysis of the past (CMEMS provides with 20 years in the past).
 - An analysis of the current conditions.
 - And continue into the future to provide a forecast. CMEMS provides with **10-day forecast**.

As a summary, one of the Ocean Models characteristics is that they simulate sea water properties **in 3D with 10-Day forecast** when satellite data only provide with **2D coverage without any forecast**.



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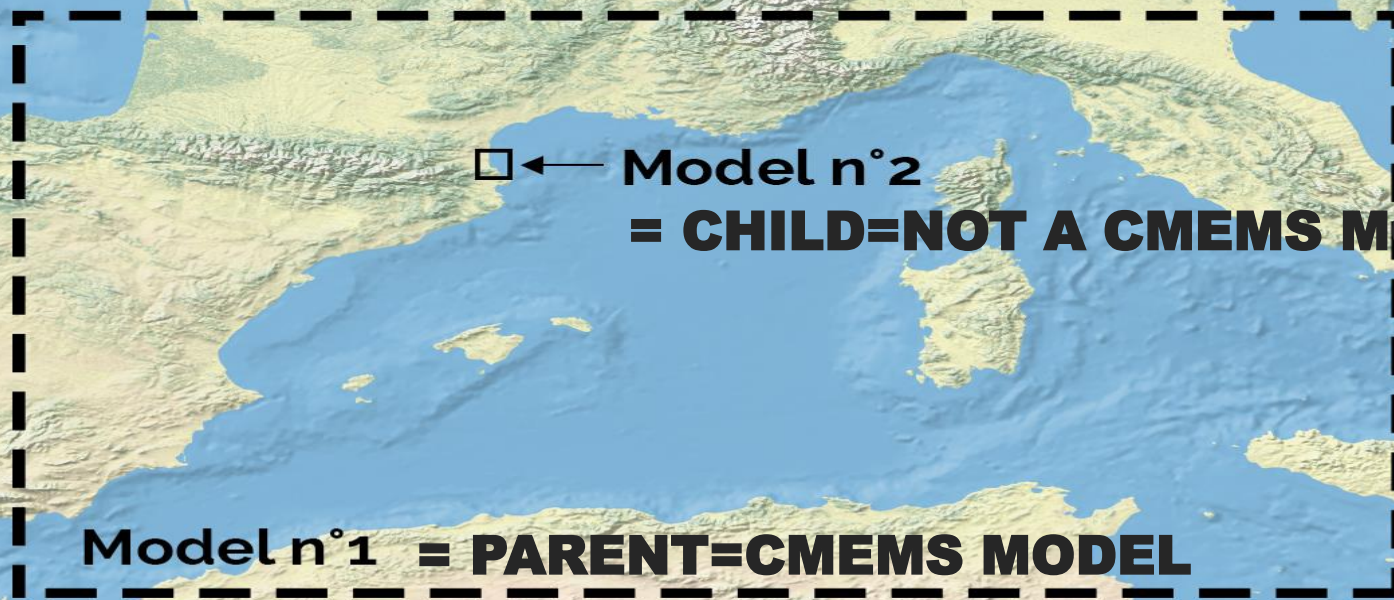
CMEMS OCEAN MODEL

CMEMS model products can be used :

- as input data for coastal models: downscaling, nesting
- As forcing of an other kind of models:
 - ecosystem models
 - sediment transport models
 - Oil drift model
 - Plastic drift model
 - Any pollutant drift model



FROM GLOBAL (PARENT) TO REGIONAL/COASTAL (CHILD)





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WHAT IS SATELLITE SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE?

- **SATELLITE SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE (SST)** is measured by a sensor called « **radiometer** » on board of several satellites.
- **CMEMS Satellite SST** is obtained by **Microwave (MW)** and/or **Thermal Infrared** radiometers (IR).



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WHICH PARAMETERS?

In order to avoid confusion between various SST at different depth, CMEMS SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE Satellite products provide with the following information:

- **SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE (SST):**
 - Foundation SST (SST at a depth of about 10 meters, i.e. not influenced by diurnal cycle) (all SST products except one)
 - Skin SST (SST at a depth of about 10 micrometers, i.e. influenced by diurnal cycle) (only 1 product SST_GLO_SST_L4_NRT_OBSERVATIONS_010_014)



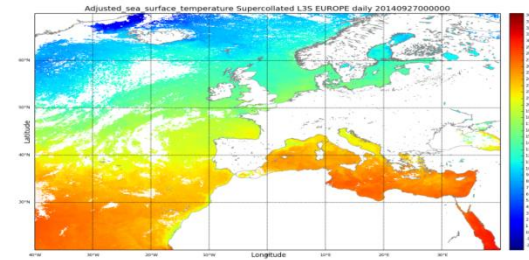
WHICH PRODUCTS IN CMEMS CATALOGUE?

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SEA SURFACE TEMPERATURE Satellite products over the **GLOBAL** Ocean and all European Seas are sorted into 2 categories:

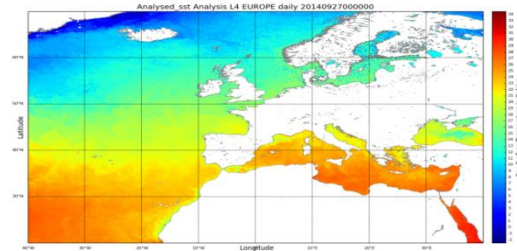
- **Gridded with gaps - Sea Surface Temperature L3 - Real Time and Reprocessed**

SST_(AREA)_SST_L3_(NRT)or(REP)_OBSERVATIONS_010_XXX



- **Gridded gap-free - Sea Surface Temperature L4 - Real Time and Reprocessed**

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WHAT IS SATELLITE OCEAN COLOUR?

- **SATELLITE OCEAN COLOUR** is measured by a sensor called « **spectrometer** » on board of several satellites.
- Depending of the sea water constituents, 3 categories of colours can be observed: **Chlorophyll-a, Non Algal Suspended Matter, Colour Dissolved Organic Matter.**



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Ocean Colour

CMEMS OCEAN COLOUR Satellite products provide with the following information:

- **CHLOROPHYLL-A CONCENTRATION**

- Chlorophyll-a concentration is a measure of phytoplankton's biomass integrated over the euphotic zone
- In Open Ocean, Chlorophyll-a uncertainty is influenced by phytoplankton's variability (Case I water).
- In Coastal Water, Chlorophyll-a uncertainty maybe influenced also by Suspended Particulate Matter and Colour Dissolved Organic Matter (Case II water).
- For each CMEMS Chlorophyll-A product, either the Case I or Case II algorithm is applied depending on the location (open ocean or coastal water).

- **OPTICAL WATER PROPERTIES**

- Reflectances
- Back scattering coefficient
- Light attenuation coefficient
- Absorption coefficient



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WHICH PRODUCTS IN CMEMS CATALOGUE?

OCEAN COLOUR Satellite products over the **GLOBAL Ocean** and all **European Seas** are sorted into 2 categories:

- **CHL: Chlorophyll-A**

L3 or L4 - Real Time and Reprocessed

OCEANCOLOUR_(AREA)_CHL_(L4)or(L3)_(NRT)or(REP)_OBSERVATIONS_009_XXX

- **OPTICS: Optical Water Properties** (as Turbidity...)

L3 or L4 - Real Time and Reprocessed

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- In-situ observations are on-site local measurements of sea water properties.
- They are obtained using ad-hoc on-site sensors on board of various platforms like buoys and ships for example.
- In-situ observations are made **locally**. CMEMS In-Situ TAC gathers them into ONE data base, hence providing a global picture based on the integration of thousands of local data.



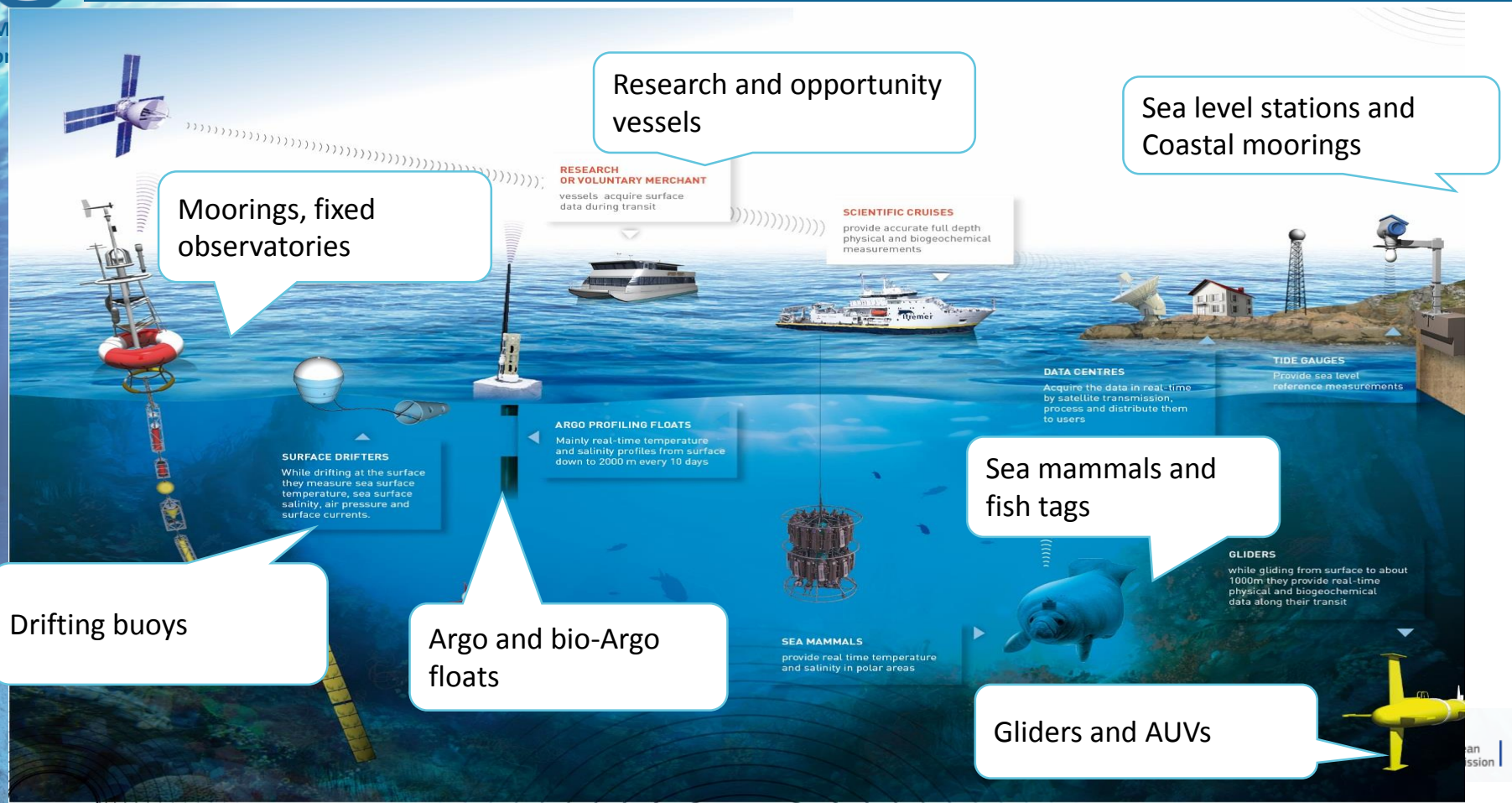
In Situ Products

- Many organizations outside of CMEMS acquire in-situ data.
- CMEMS's job is not to acquire in-situ data. It is rather to gather and integrate them into ONE DATA BASE.
- « Gathering data » from outsider organisations requires strong mutual agreements.
- « Integrating data » into ONE data base requires strong format standard definition and quality control procedures.



CMEMS integrates data from various platform

A multi-platform approach is essential





Different use of CMEMS data:

→ Use CMEMS data (model, in situ, satellite) as is

Direct use of CMEMS regional products (such as Temperature, Chlorophyll, nutrients).

→ Use CMEMS model data as Boundary Conditions/forcing conditions to higher resolution models /imagery algorithm

CMEMS products as input data for coastal models: downscaling, or forcing to other kind of models (ecosystem models, sediment transport models, oil-plastic-any pollutant drift model...)



conclusion

CMEMS data can be used

- 2.5.1 as a Forcing/boundary conditions for modelling (CMEMS MODEL)
- 2.5.2 as a Forcing for satellite image processing (CMEMS SATELLITE)
- 2.5.3 as validation for coastal model and imagery (CMEMS INSITU)





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