



# Copernicus Marine Environment Monitoring Service: products, service and users

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# Outline

- La struttura del Servizio Ambientale Marino di Copernicus
- I progetti di implementazione: MyOcean & MyOcean2
- I prodotti e il servizio agli utenti
- Gli utenti e le loro applicazioni



# EU operational oceanography: the Copernicus Marine Environment Service

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The goal

Buildi an operational oceanographic **common observing, modeling and service infrastructure for ocean analysis, re-analyses and forecasting.**

The strategy

Develop and operate a pan-European **public good** marine 'core' service, using state-of-the-art science and have a user-oriented strategy for product development

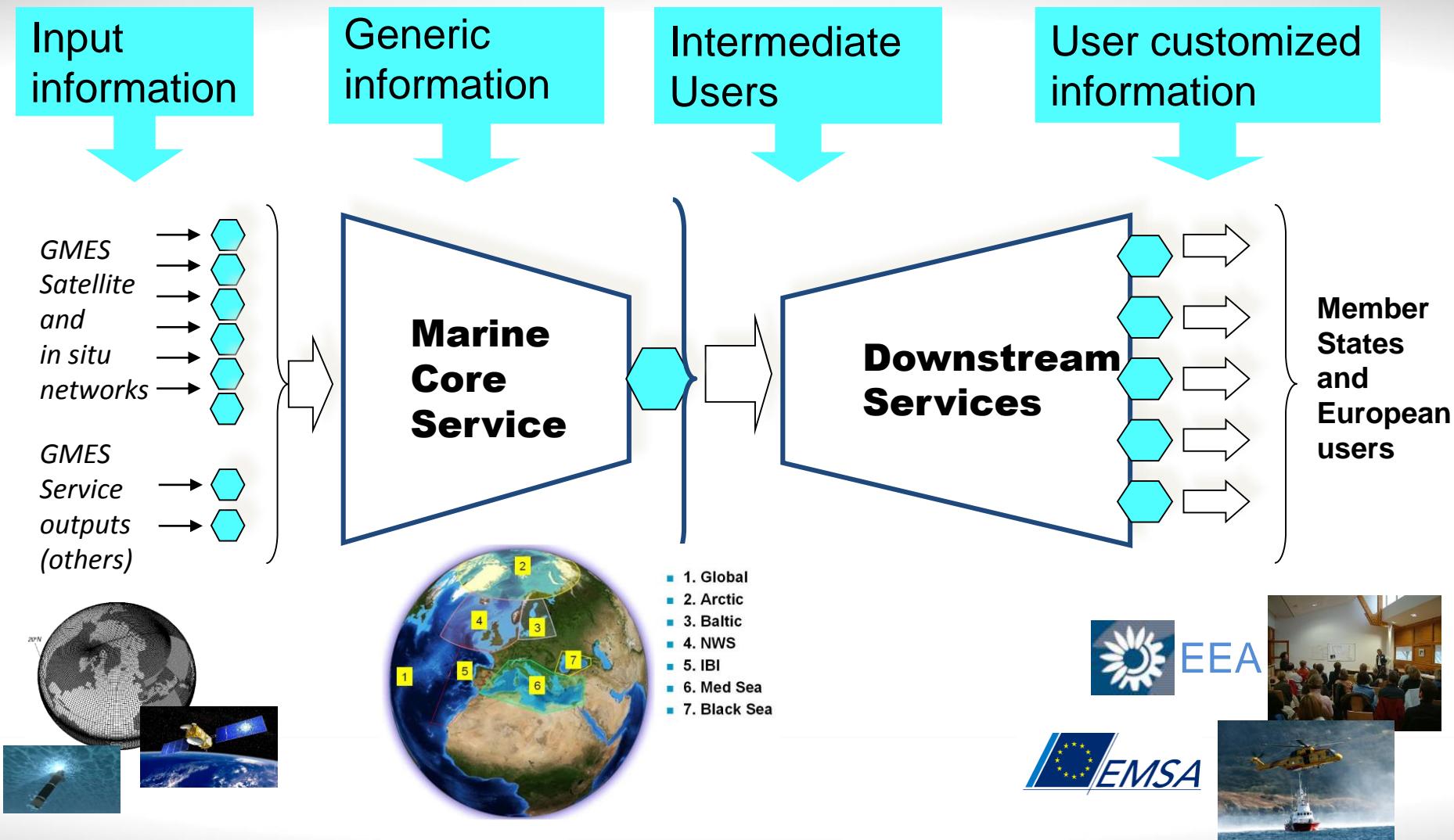
The challenge

Incorporate the research innovations in the service



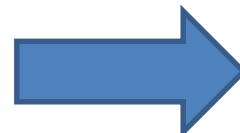


# The high level structure of the Copernicus Marine Service





# The development line



GMES Initial Phase  
1998-2004

GMES Implementation  
Phase 2004-2013

Copernicus Operational  
Phase 2014-2020

For Marine:  
MFS, MERSEA

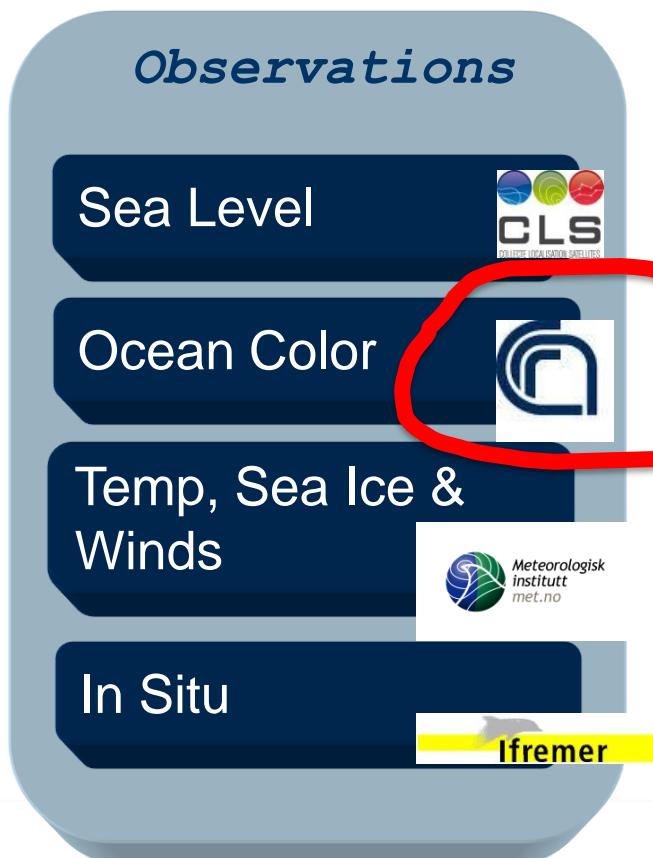
For Marine:  
MyOcean 1 & 2



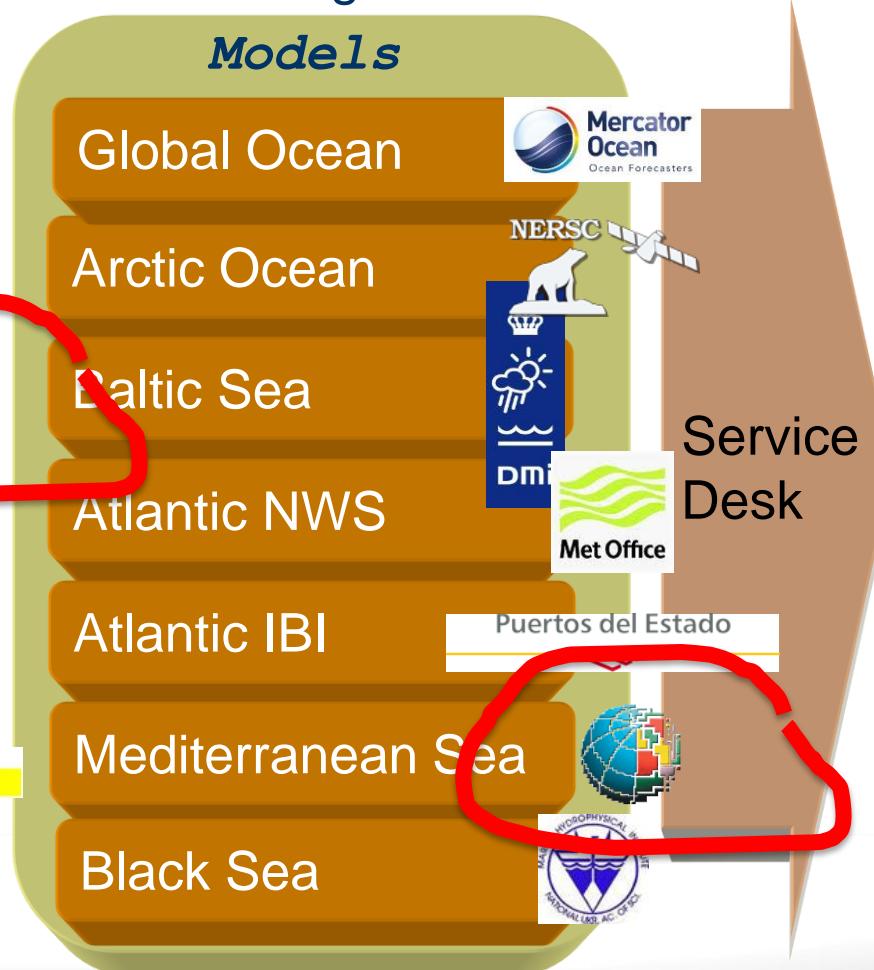


# The Copernicus marine service: a distributed system to leverage expertise

4 Thematic Assembly  
Centres



7 Monitoring and  
Forecasting Centres



Service  
Desk





# The Copernicus Marine Service products

QC  
**OBSERVATIONS** in  
real time and 10-  
20 years t.s.

FORECASTS  
2 to 10 days

REANALYSES  
10 to 45 years



- 1 Global
- 2 Arctic
- 3 Baltic
- 4 NWS
- 5 IBI
- 6 Med Sea
- 7 Black Sea

**DISCOVER**

**VIEW**

**DOWNLOAD**

**Open & Free**

## ESSENTIAL MARINE VARIABLES



CURRENTS



TEMPERATURE  
SALINITY



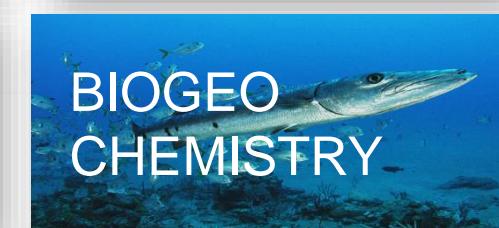
SEA LEVEL



SEA ICE



SEA WIND



BIOGEO  
CHEMISTRY





# The Marine Service for users: 4 areas of benefits

- MyOcean delivers a daily service to:
  - Member State Users: National / Regional Service Providers (public or private)
  - European agencies (EEA, EMSA, EDA, ...)
  - Intergovernmental bodies (OSPAR, UNEP-MAP, HELCOM, ICES, ...)
  - Private companies



MARINE AND COASTAL ENVIRONMENT



MARINE RESOURCES



MARINE SAFETY

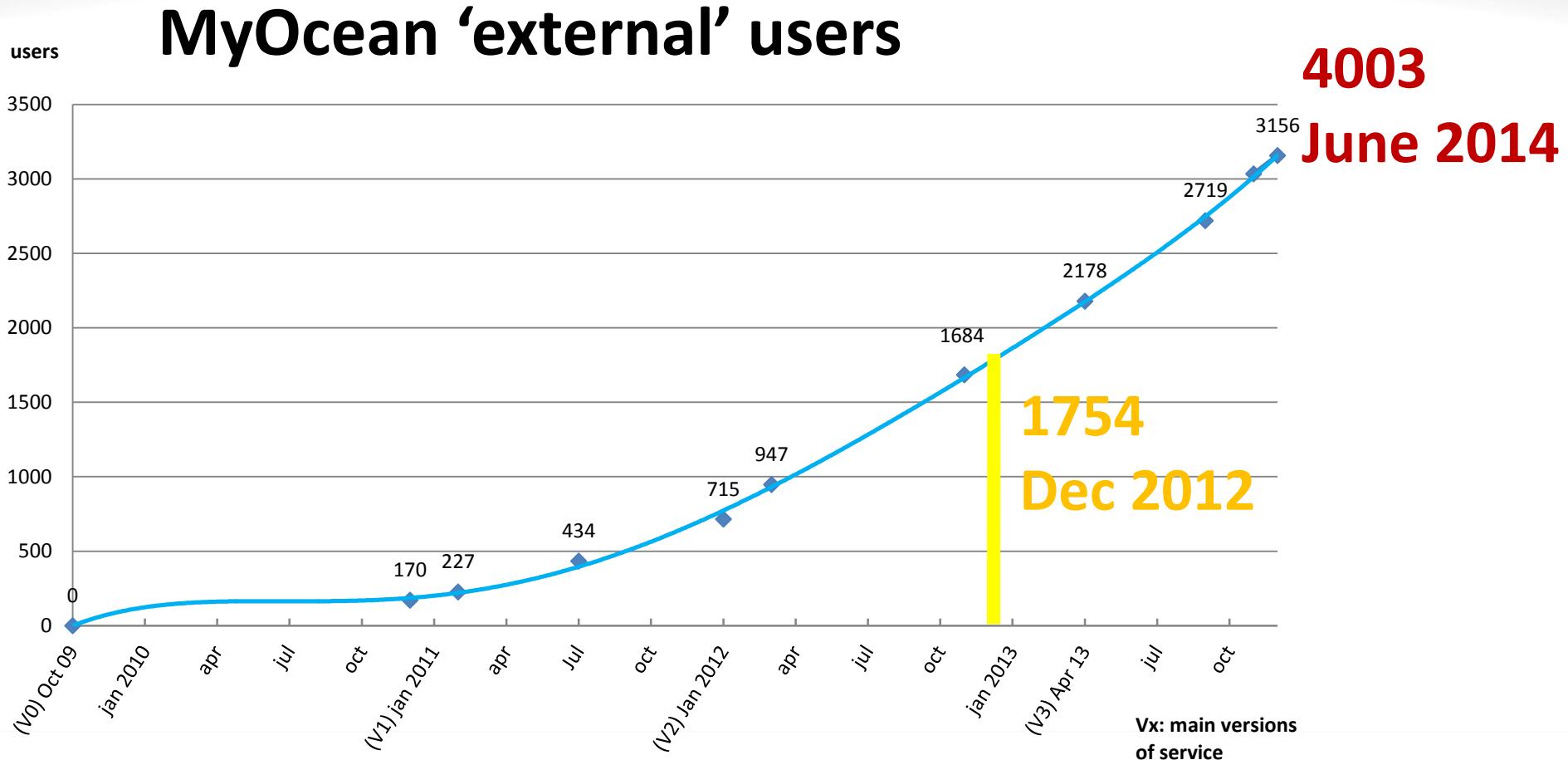


WEATHER, CLIMATE & SEASONAL FORECASTING





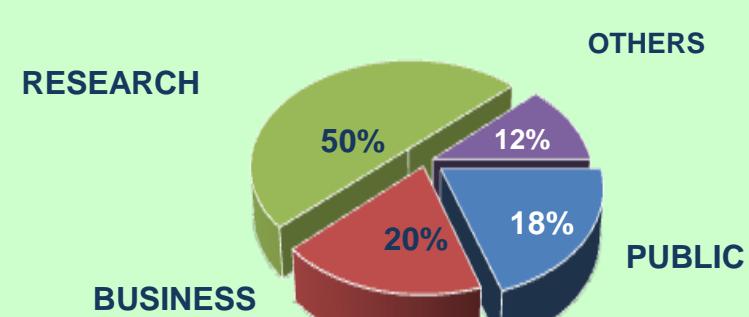
# MyOcean service users from the start





# MyOcean service stakeholders/users identification

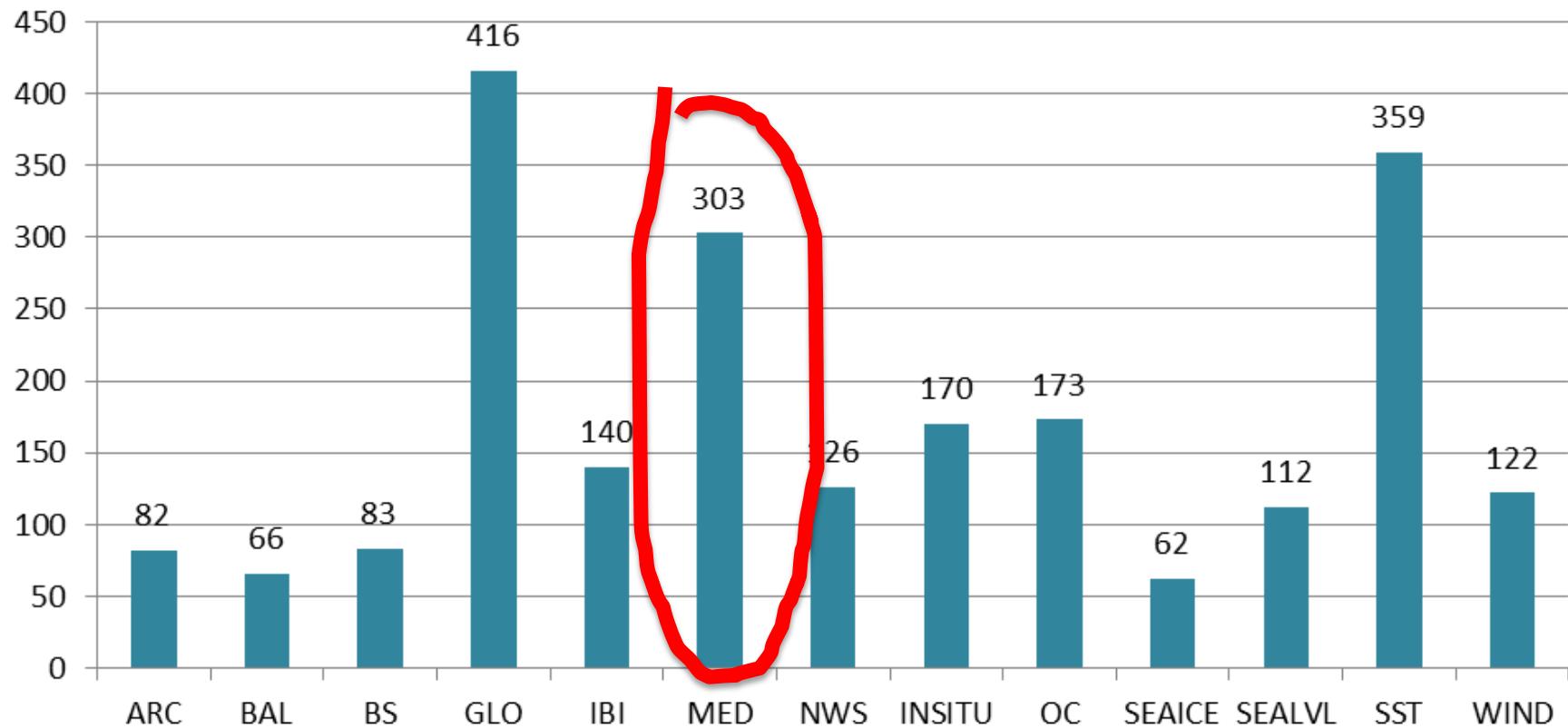
**4000 Users in 101 different countries**





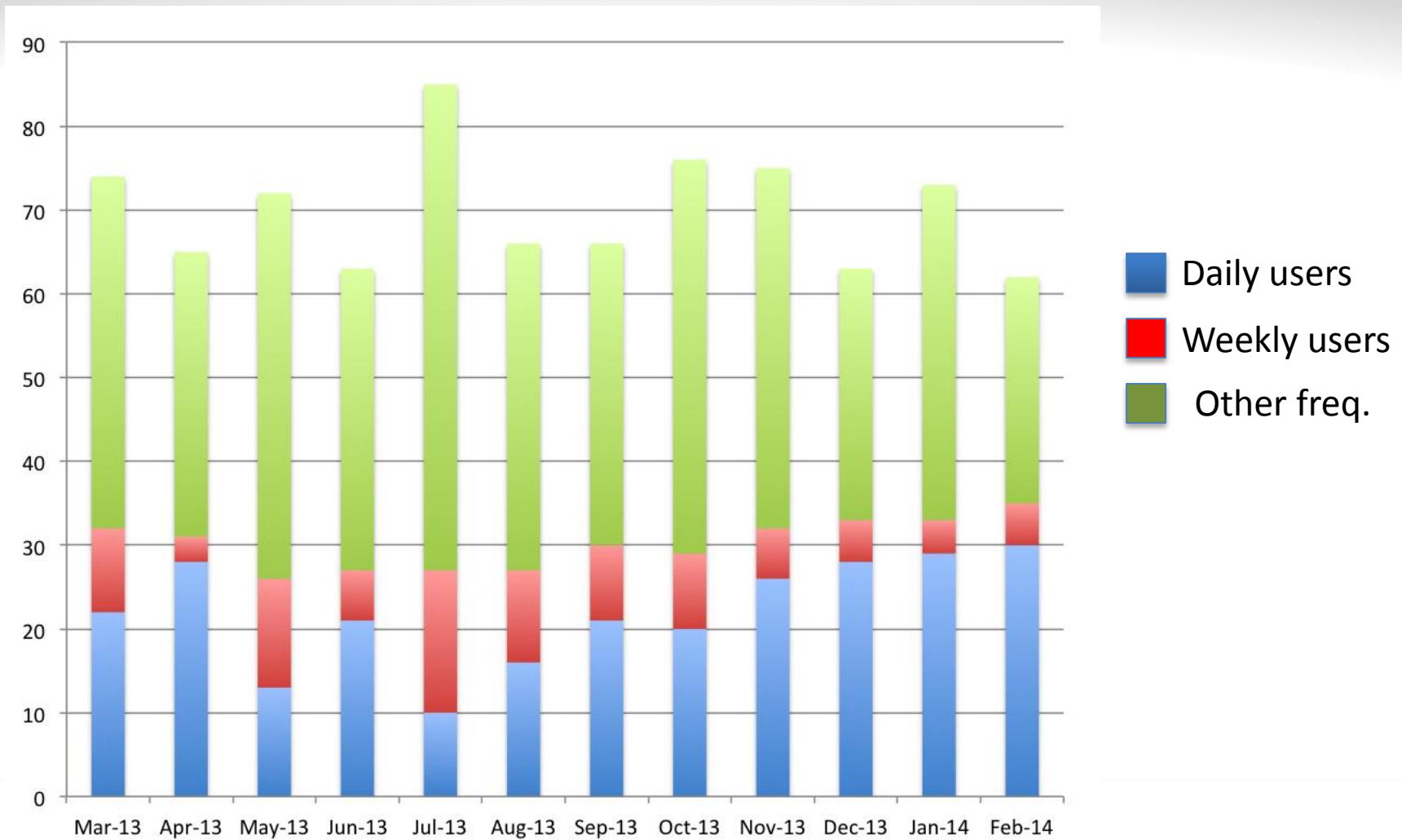
# Products downloaded by users averaged over the year

**MyOcean 2013, number of users per product family**





# The specific Med-MFC users in 2013-14





# Uptake of MyOcean products: oil spill emergency service

- Daily scenario forecasts of the possible oil spill drift and spreading during emergencies



Currents  
forecasted in  
the area



Oil spill  
scenario  
derived locally



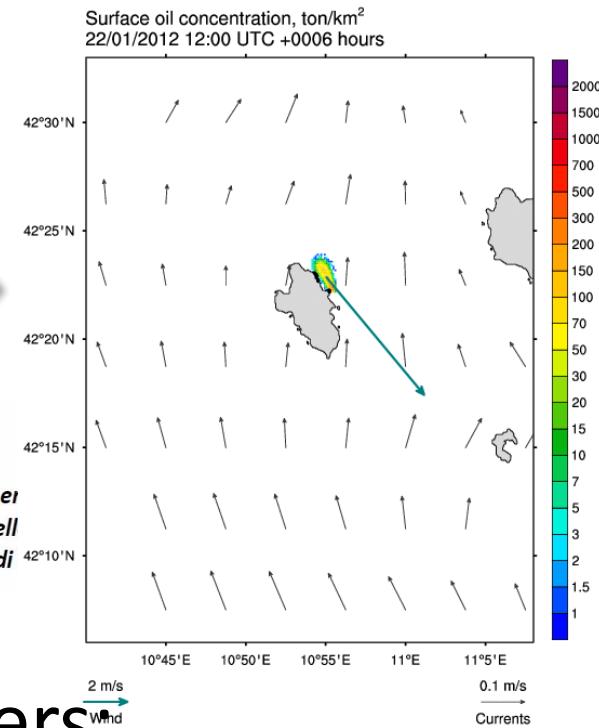
Decision  
support for  
operations



ITALIAN COAST GUARD HEADQUARTERS



Comando Generale  
Corpo delle  
Capitanerie di



Intermediate Users:  
Coast Guards, Civil protection



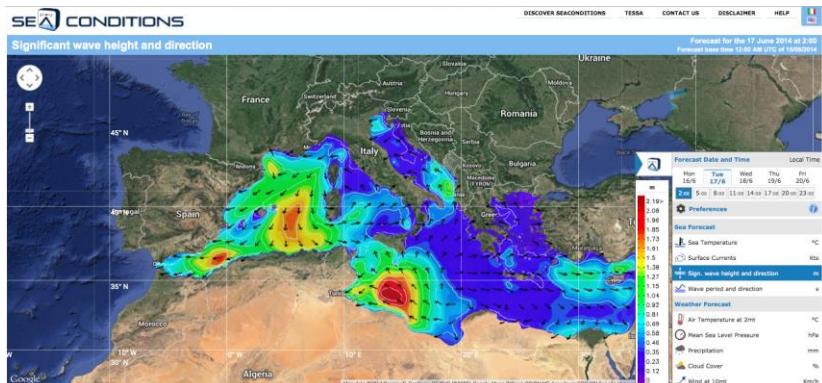


# Uptake of MyOcean products: situational sea awareness services

- Situational Sea Awareness integrated multi-channel services, customized for general public and special users

Smartphone...

Web Portal...



Tablet...



Intermediate Users: software companies



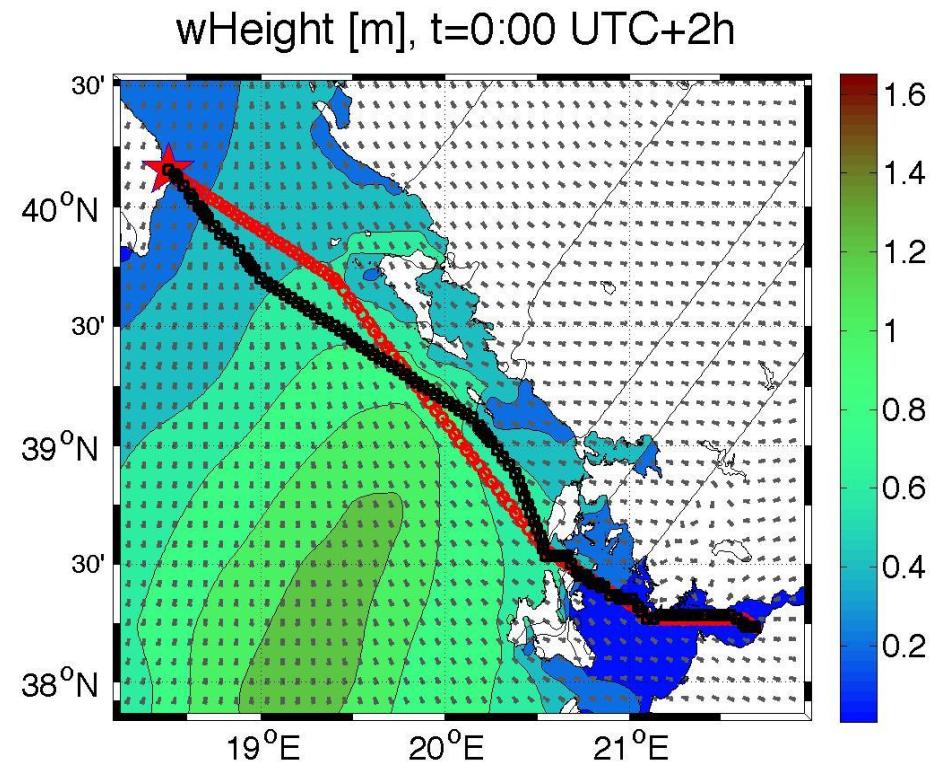
# Uptake of MyOcean products: maritime safety services

- Shortest time Ship routing with realistic sea conditions

Ferry Boat & Yatch ship routing: shortest time with IMO safety constraints



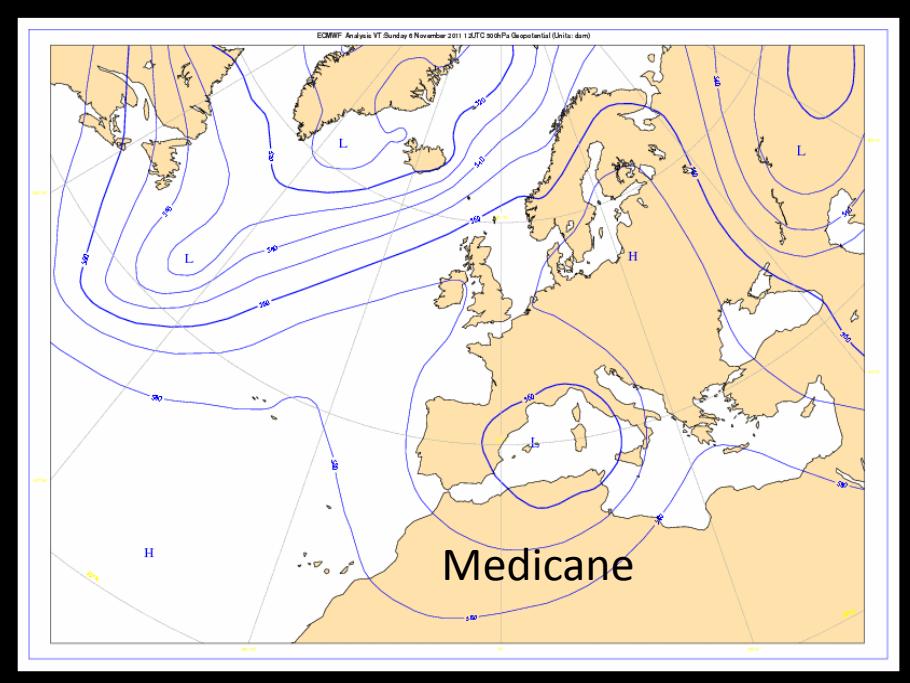
Intermediate Users:  
Research and companies



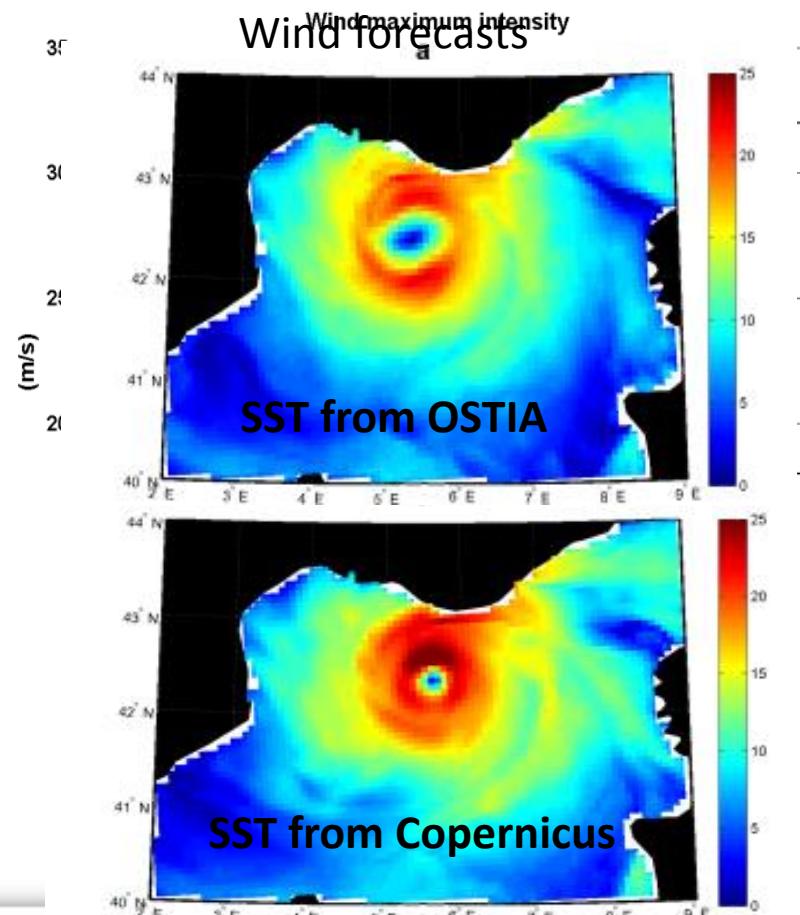


# Uptake of MyOcean products: better weather forecasts

- Medicane forecast improved with MyOcean forecast SST  
(in collaboration with Italian Met Office)



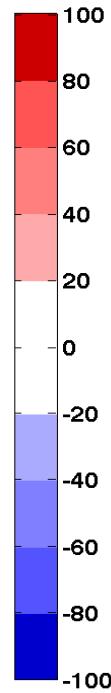
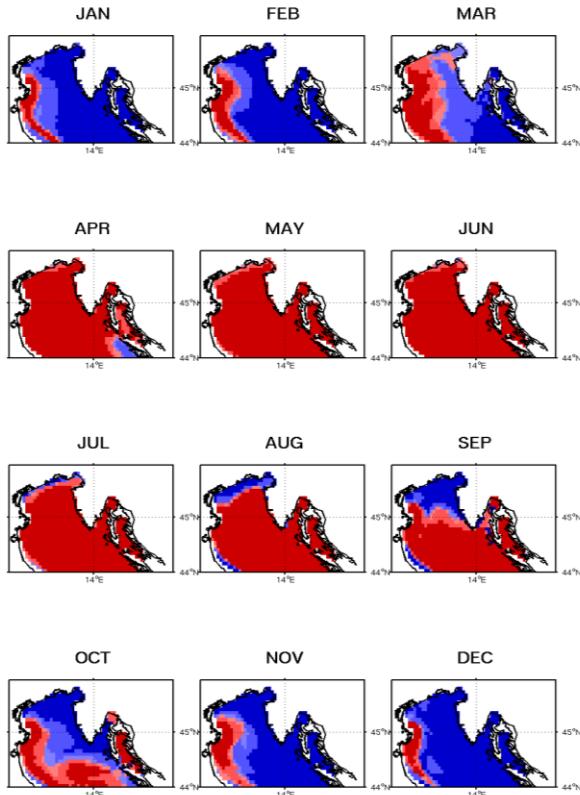
Intermediate Users:  
ARPA, Met Office, etc.



# Uptake of MyOcean products: environmental assessments

- MSFD indicators are extracted from MyOcean reanalyses/reprocessed satellite data

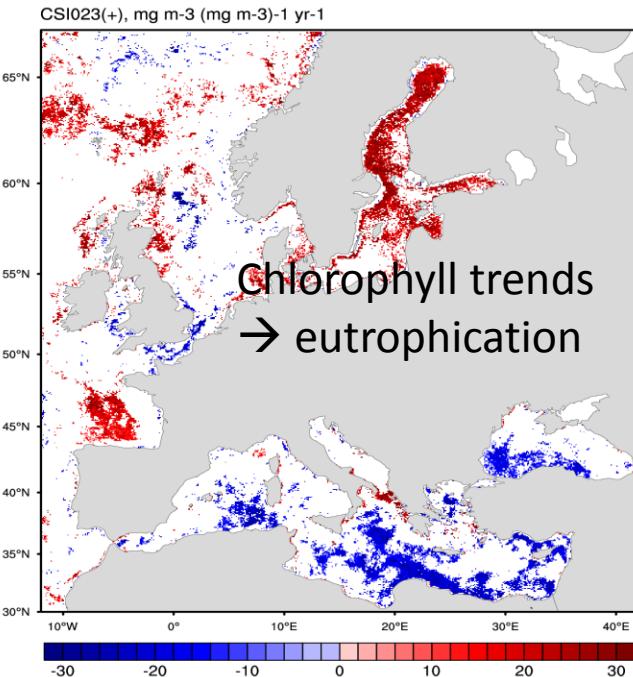
Northern Adriatic Mixing index



Possible  
hypoxia

Well  
oxygenated  
waters

Intermediate Users:  
ARPA, ISPRA, etc.





# Considerazioni finali

- Il Servizio Ambientale Marino del Copernicus e' un esempio di sistema innovativo e allo stato dell'arte per il monitoraggio e lo sfruttamento sostenibile delle risorse marine.
- E' un esempio di sistema distribuito che capitalizza sulle conoscenze e strutture dei Paesi Membri
- L'Italia partecipa a diverse componenti del Servizio Marino:
  - 1) coordina il Monitoring and Forecasting Center del Mare Mediterraneo realizzando la maggior parte dei prodotti del Servizio (INGV con il supporto dell' Aeronautica Militare)
  - 2) coordina il Thematic Assembly Center per Ocean Color realizzando una parte dei prodotti del Servizio (CNR-ISAC)
  - 3) produce le previsioni biochimiche del Mare Mediterraneo come parte del Med-MFC (OGS)
  - 4) contribuisce alle ri-analisi dell'oceano globale (CMCC)
  - 5) contribuisce alla fornitura di dati osservativi per il servizio (OGS, ISPRA, CNR)



# Considerazioni finali

- Per realizzare cio' l'Italia ha costituito negli scorsi 10 anni un Gruppo Nazionale di Oceanografia Operativa all'INGV che ha coordinato le attivita' nazionali per partecipare a Copernicus e connettersi agli utenti nazionali
- Utenti nazionali del Servizio Marino sono:
  - 1) la Guardia Costiera
  - 2) L'Istituto Idrografico della Marina
  - 3) L'Aeronautica militare e il Centro Meteorologico Nazionale
  - 4) Le ARPA, in particolare EMR, Liguria, FVG, Toscana, Puglia
  - 5) Il Ministero Ambiente e I suoi programmi internazionali
  - 6) L'Universita' e la ricerca
  - 7) Il settore privato, in particolare quello delle tecnologie informatiche