



Ocean Energy: International overview and Vision

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Structure



- **IEA International Vision**
- **European Programmes**
- **Country examples**





AN INTERNATIONAL VISION FOR **OCEAN** ENERGY 2017

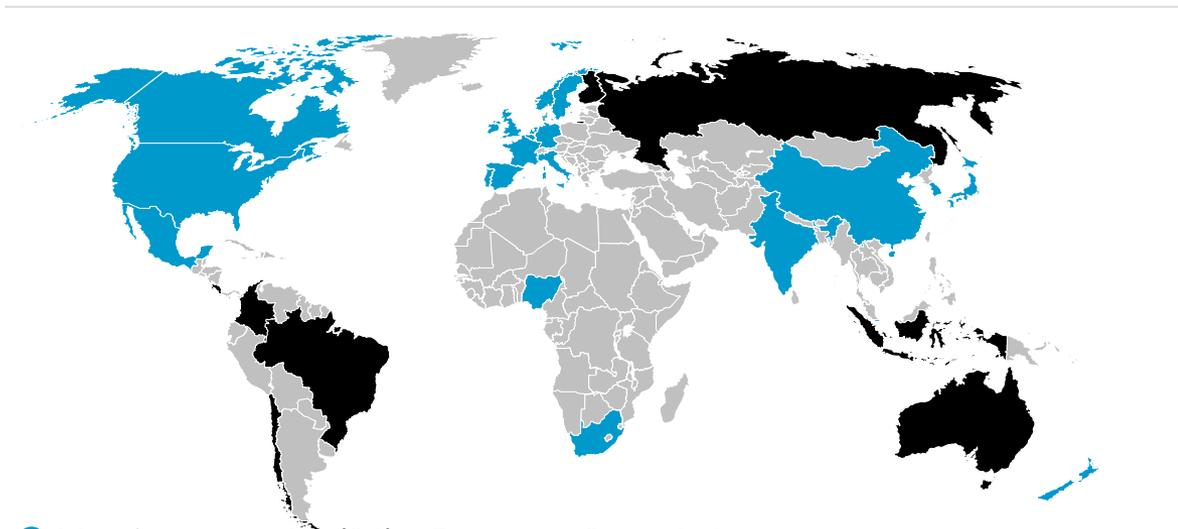
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Membership diversification

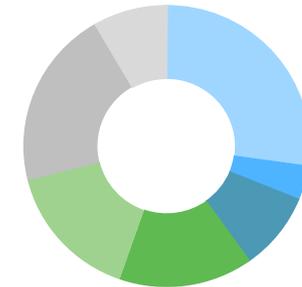


● Member countries (24) + European Commission

● Countries invited to join (8)



Diversified representation of interests in the ExCo



- GOVERNMENTAL DEPARTMENTS
- INDUSTRY ASSOCIATIONS
- UTILITIES
- ENERGY AGENCIES
- GOVERNMENTAL AGENCIES
- RESEARCH ORGANIZATIONS
- UNIVERSITIES

The OES Vision for International Deployment of Ocean Energy



Utilization of ocean energy resources will:

- › Contribute to the world's future sustainable energy supply.
- › Supply electricity, drinking water and other products at competitive prices, creating jobs and reducing dependence on fossil fuels.
- › Reduce the world energy sector's carbon emissions, whilst minimizing impacts on marine environments.

Ocean energy may experience similar rates of rapid growth between 2030 and 2050 as offshore wind experienced in the last 20 years.

OES GLOBAL OCEAN ENERGY DEPLOYMENT VISION

Installed Capacity (GW)	300
Direct Jobs	680
Investment in 2050 year (US\$)	35 Billion
Carbon Savings (million tonnes of CO2)	500

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Development Themes

- › Despite the relatively large number of ocean energy devices which have undergone sea trials, future technical developments will have to address improved reliability and survivability.

- › Most critical element to insure that ocean energy technologies become competitive with other energy generation options
- › Challenges similar to those that faced offshore wind



- › Improve efficiency and performance, and enhanced load factor
- › Enhancing operability and access for servicing
- › Increase device availability

Cost Reduction

Cost reduction efforts are a critical theme for the successful introduction of ocean energy into a very competitive energy supply

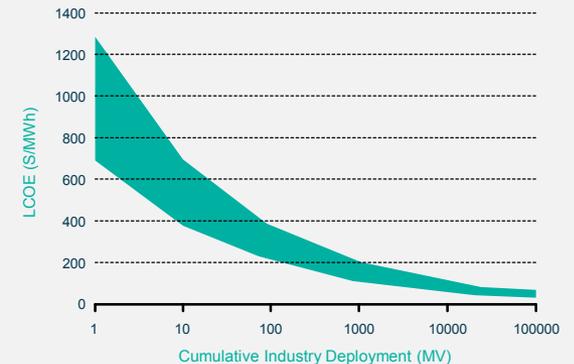


Cost reductions are likely to arise from:

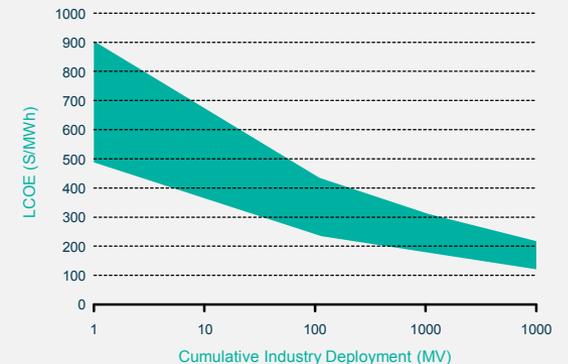
- › Manufacturing at scale
- › Fundamental design modifications as technologies mature
- › Standardization of components, e.g., PTOs, foundations, moorings
- › Deployment in arrays (modular development)
- › Operational efficiencies: installation, maintenance and recovery
- › Performance data gathering for improved reliability and availability
- › Integration with other technologies
- › Resource analysis and forecasting
- › Improved grid and network connections

Learning Curves

WAVE ENERGY



TIDAL CURRENT



Development Areas

Different devices require different development activities.

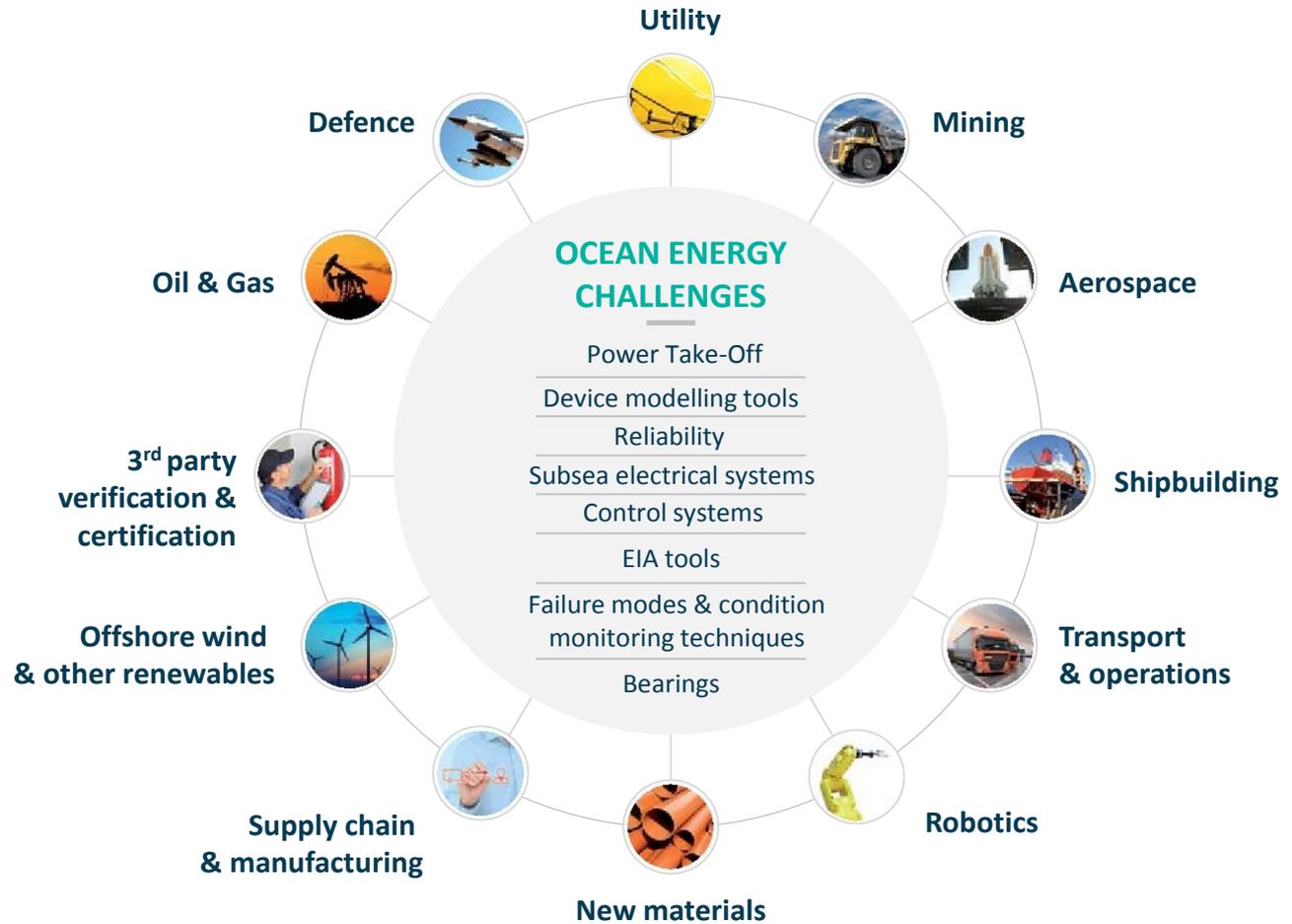
Three encouraging developments:

- › Increased knowledge and technology transfer
- › Spread of industry standards
- › Collaboration between competing device developers to design common components, e.g., power take-offs.

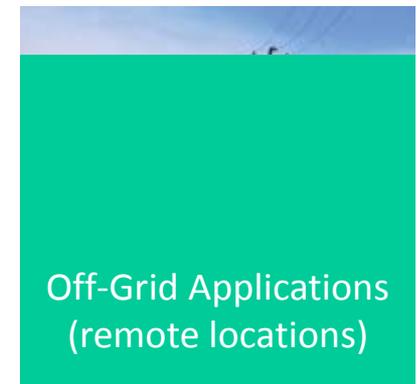
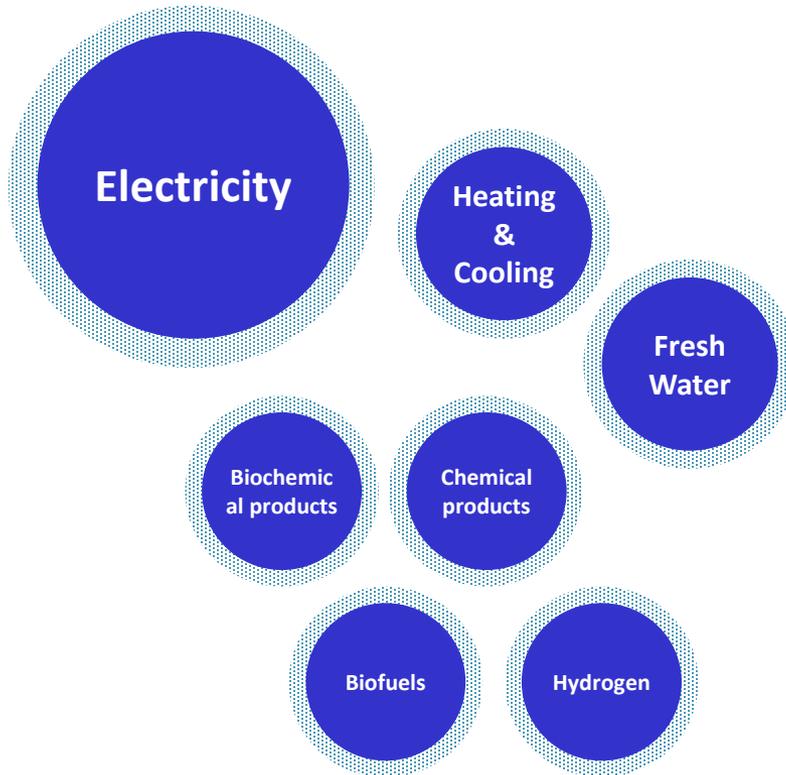




Technology Transfer



Products and Markets for Ocean Energy



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Horizon 2020 Work Programme for Research & Innovation 2018-2020

DG Research and Innovation
unit Renewable Energy Sources

Research and
Innovation

LC-SC3-RES-1-2019 (-2020)

Bringing these new energy conversion solutions, new renewable energy concepts and innovative renewable energy uses faster to commercialization

Type of action:

RIA to TRL 3-4

Budget:

EUR 20 million

Project funding:

EUR 2-5 million

Deadline:

16/10/2018

+25/4/2019

2 stage procedure

Developing the next generation of renewable energy technologies

Subchallenges

-The challenge is to develop energy technologies currently in the early phases of research.

Developments in sectors other than energy may provide ideas, experiences, technology contributions, knowledge, new approaches, innovative materials and skills that are of relevance to the energy sector

Expected impact: On its completion, the project is expected to advance the knowledge and prove the technological feasibility of the concept including the environmental, social and economic benefits.



Achieving or maintaining global leadership in renewable energy technologies requires cost reductions

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23/8/2018

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Developing solutions to reduce the cost and increase performance of renewable technologies

Subchallenge

Ocean: New integrated design and testing of tidal energy devices with behavioural modelling to achieve extended lifetime and high resistance in marine environment

Expected impact: the proposed solution will reduce the CAPEX and/or OPEX of energy generation from any of the mentioned renewable sources making it comparable to generation costs from competing fossil fuel sources.



Optimisation of several key processes in their respective value chains

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Optimising manufacturing and system operation

Monitoring system for marine energy (ocean and offshore wind) New intelligent sensors, fault detection and communication systems for accurate condition and structural health monitoring will enable predictive and preventive operation and preventive maintenance processes; crucial for innovative wind farm control and the realization of virtual power plants. Sufficient knowledge of potential failures and the right tools to detect and locate failures are crucial.

Expected impact: The improved performance of manufacturing processes and system operation is expected to lead to increased efficiency of the system and/or reduced operational costs of the renewable technologies.

LC-SC3-JA-3-2019: European Pre-Commercial Procurement Programme for Wave Energy Research & Development

- ***The challenge is:***
- **The design, development and validation of cost-effective Wave energy convertors that can survive in a harsh and unpredictable ocean environment as the ocean through demand-driven Pre-Commercial Procurement.**
- **The challenge is open to proposals seeking to steer wave energy research and development in an effective way at a European level establishing convergence of wave energy technologies and to bring these technologies to the market.**

Several cut-off dates per year.

SME instrument

Business innovation grants for [feasibility assessment purposes](#) (optional phase I): EUR 50,000 (lump sum) per project (70% of total cost of the project);

Business innovation grants for [innovation development & demonstration purposes](#) (possible phase II): an amount in the indicative range of EUR 500,000 and 2,5 million (70% of total cost of the project as a general rule);

[Free-of-charge business coaching](#) (optional) in order to support and enhance the firm's innovation capacity and help align the project to strategic business needs;

Access to a wide range of innovation support services and facilitated [access to risk finance](#), to facilitate the commercial exploitation of the innovation.

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Breaking Through : Innovation & Collaboration in Ocean Energy



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- **Ireland**
- **Mexico**
- **Korea**
- **United states**





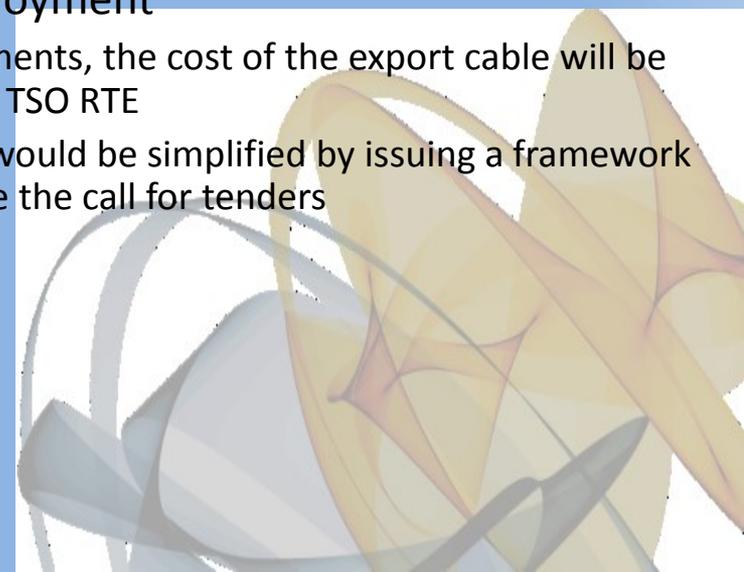
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- 3. RESEARCH & DEVELOPMENT
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- 5. OTHER RELEVANT NATIONAL ACTIVITIES

Actualités	Politiques publiques	Ministère
Politiques publiques de A à Z	Énergies	Énergies renouvelables et de récupération
	Prix et fiscalité >	
Évaluation des politiques publiques de projets	Pétrole et Gaz >	Biocarburants
	Nucléaire >	Biogaz
Intégration et évaluation environnementale	Énergies renouvelables et de récupération >	Biomasse énergie
Énergies	Électricité >	Chaleur de récupération des processus industriels
Littoral et milieux	Économies d'énergie >	Dispositifs de soutien aux énergies renouvelables
Mobilités et territoires	Chaleur et froid >	
Risques naturels	Certificats économies d'énergie >	
Risques technologiques		Éolien en mer
		Éolien terrestre

• Ministerial facts & announcements

- Ongoing update of the targets of the “Pluri-annual Energy Policy”
 - Timeframe: 2018-2028, milestone 2023
 - Figures to be defined: XX MW installed, YY MW consented
- A new law is being discussed to favour renewable energies by **simplifying** their deployment
 - For all offshore developments, the cost of the export cable will be supported by the French TSO RTE
 - The consenting process would be simplified by issuing a framework permit for the site before the call for tenders



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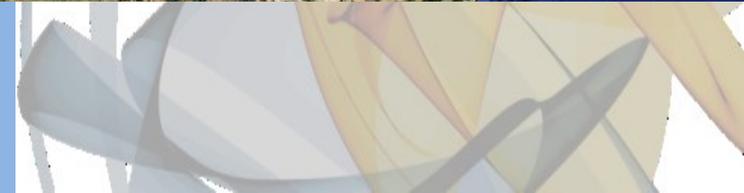
FRENCH existing & future MRE DEVELOPMENTS

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 Test sites



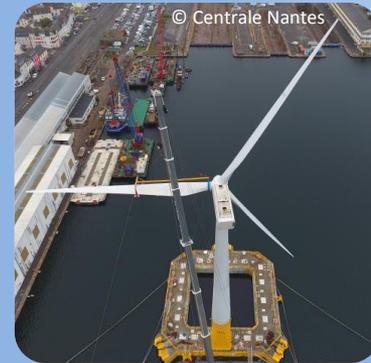
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FLOATGEN Hook Up

- Towing in
- Mooring hook up
- Electrical connection (equipment + operation)

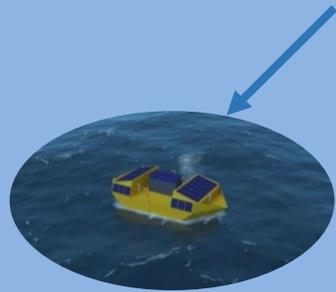


FORESEA first demonstrators

- IHES (GEPS Techno)
- iBOCS (FMGC)
- FLEXSENSE

S3 project setup:

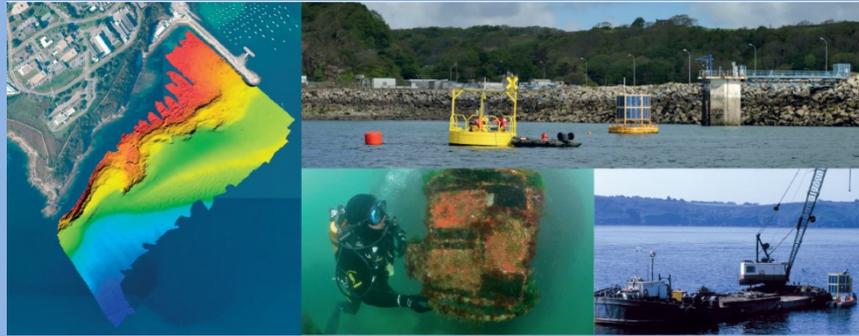
- Direct energy conversion:
- Electro active polymers (EAP)
- Rubber tube filled with water
- 100 m long, 1 m diameter



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Brest Saint-Anne
Test site
for scaled projects



PH4S project (GEPS Techno)

Tests to optimize the management of the 4 energy sources (wave, tidal, solar & wind) - 2017

SCENES

Scientific buoy integrating wave energy conversion. Tests performed prior to operational deployment - 2017



Towing of the PH4S buoy on site



PH4S buoy on site during tests



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Eolink 10 (Eolink)

Tests of an innovative floating offshore wind turbine scale 1/10 planned in 2018



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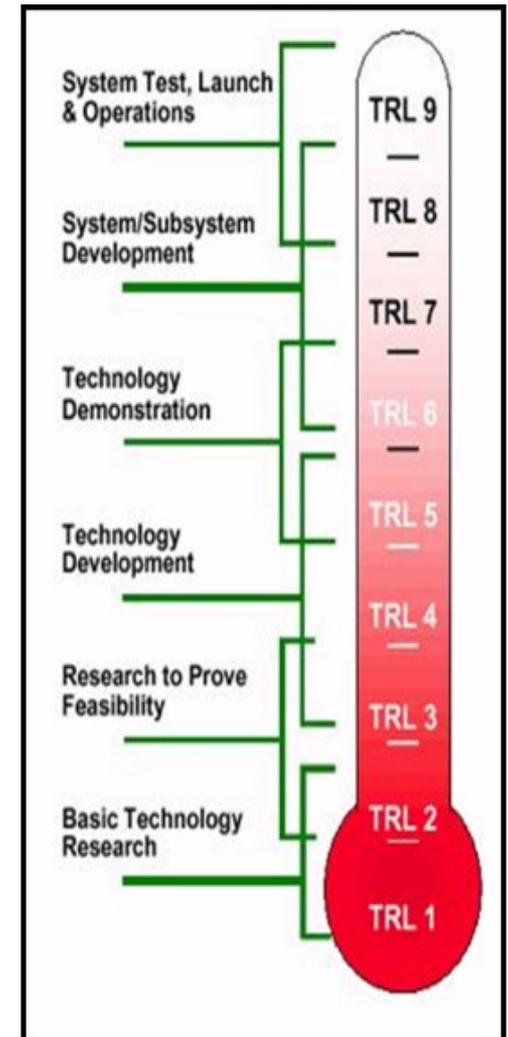
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Prototype Fund – range of projects

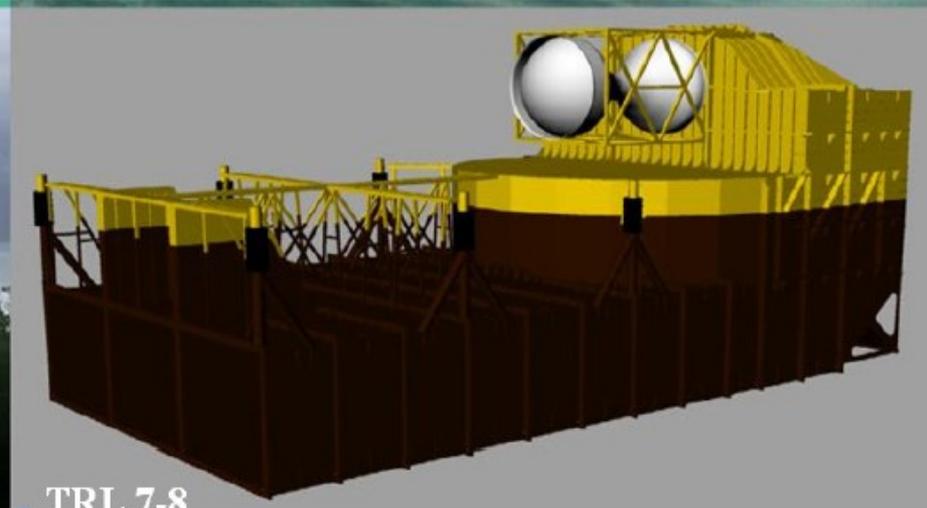
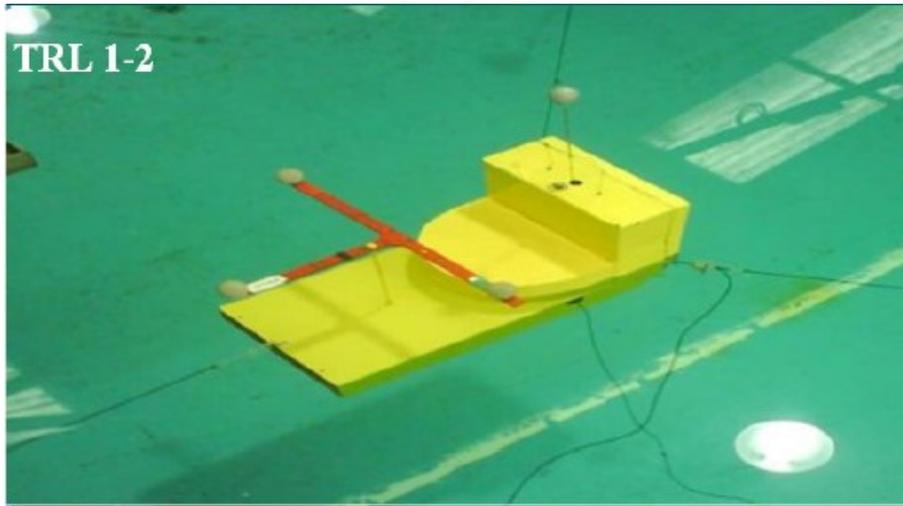
- Development and testing of wave and tidal energy devices and components
- Commissioned reports and data dissemination
- Consent requirements
- 100 projects supported since 2009
- €14M Grant Aided
- 25 projects currently in process



Ireland Prototype Projects



OE Buoy



Ireland Prototype Projects



Sea-Power



Test Facilities



3 **Atlantic Marine Energy Test Site (AMETS)**
Belmullet, Co. Mayo

2 **Galway Bay Marine and Renewable Energy Test Site**
Spiddal, Co. Galway

1 **Lir National Ocean Test Facility**
Ringaskiddy, Co. Cork

CEMIE-Océano

Mexican Center for Innovation in Ocean Energy

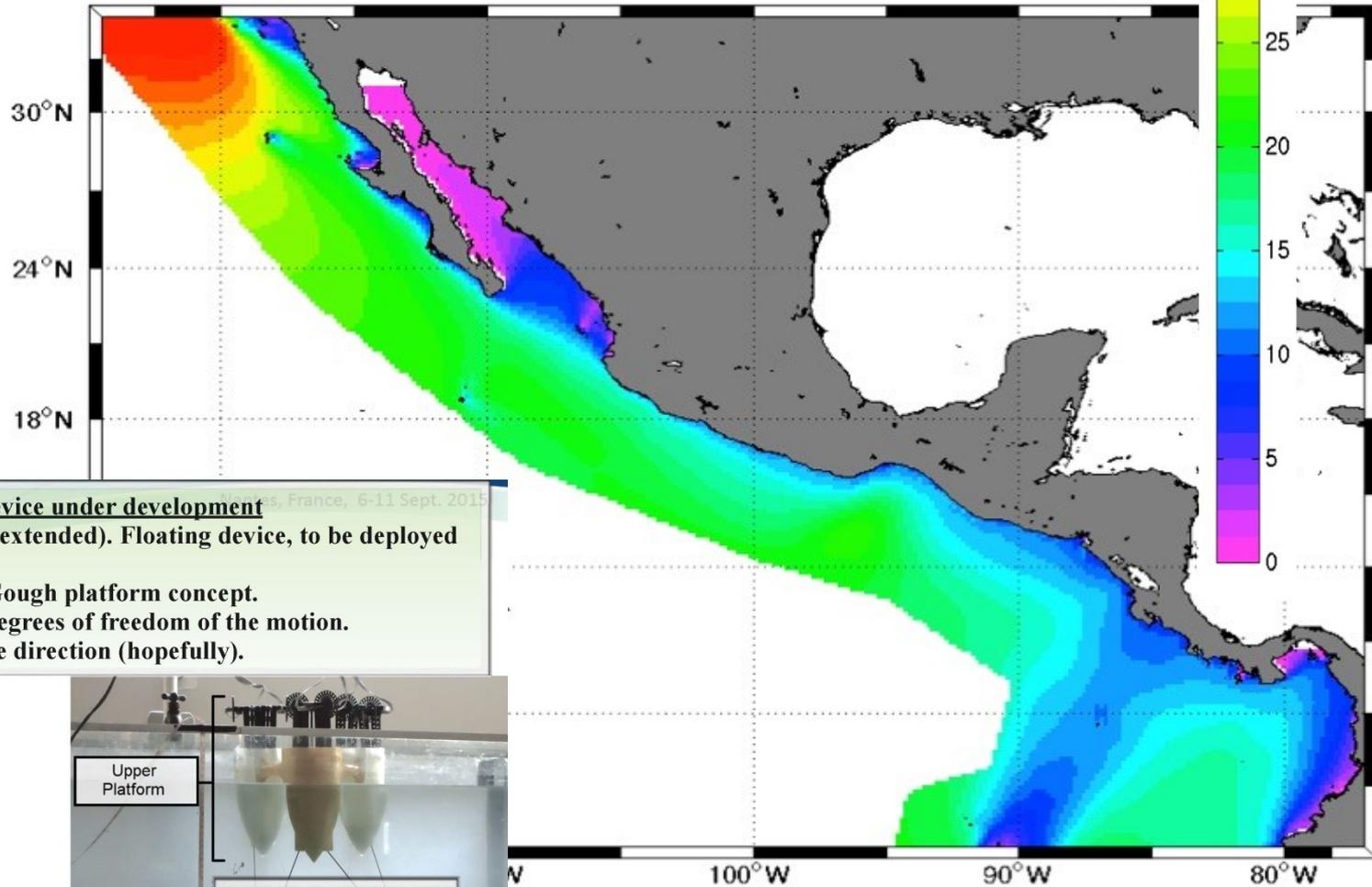


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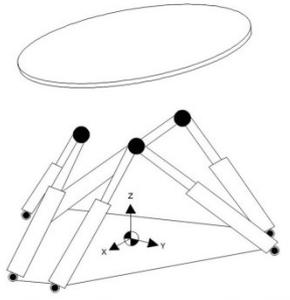


Waves

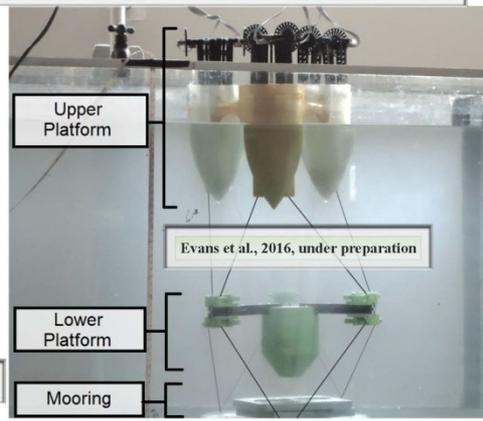
Average wave power along the Eastern Tropical Pacific 1994-2012.



Brief description of WEC device under development Paris, France, 6-11 Sept. 2015
 Mechanical point absorber (extended). Floating device, to be deployed and moored nearshore.
 Inspired from the Stewart-Gough platform concept.
 Intention to exploit the six degrees of freedom of the motion.
 Regardless of incoming wave direction (hopefully).



Davliakos & Papadopoulos, 2008, Mechanism and Machine Theory



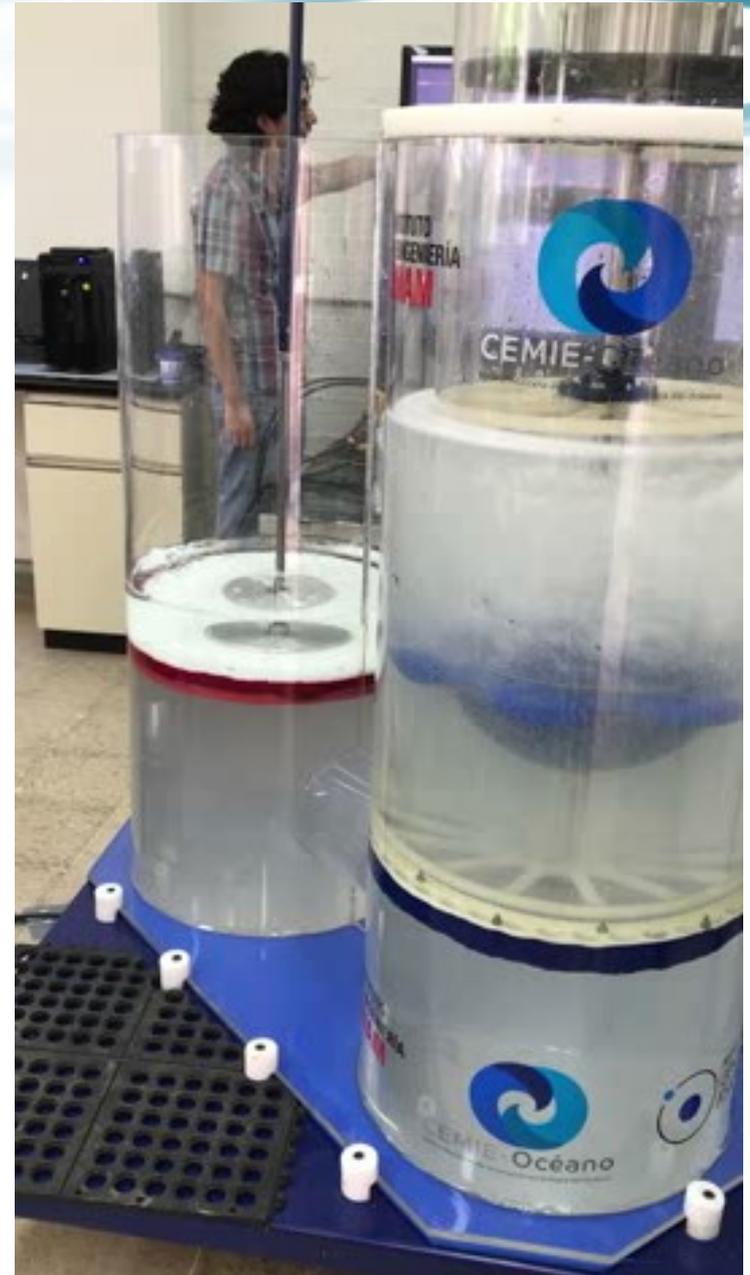
Upper Platform
 Lower Platform
 Mooring



CEMIE-Océano

Testing devices

System for cathodic protection with neodymium permanent magnet and Wells turbine



2030 strategy of Ministry of Oceans and Fisheries (MOF)

■ Energy Policy of President Moon Government

Strategy (20% of national electricity demand from renewable resources by 2030) for reducing CO2 emission, solving fine dust issue, etc.

- MOF is planning to construct large-scale ocean energy farms to follow up the governmental energy policy including wave energy, tidal current energy and wave-wind/tidal current-wind hybrid energy farms in several hundred MW total installed capacity after 2025.

Key Actions

- Priority on infrastructures and accelerating commercial development
- Construction of open sea testing facilities for wave and current energy converters
- Activating open sea tests of WEC & TEC pilot plants
- Enhancing promotion policy on ocean energy by adjusting the REC for WECs and TECs
- Training program for graduate students in ocean energy systems

○ Floating Pendulum WEC (Dr. Seungho Shin@KRISO)

■ Principal specification

- Dimension: 23m (B) x 30.5m (L) x 10m (H)
- PTO : Hydrostatic Power Transmission
- Synchronous Generator(300kW)
- 4 Points 8 lines Catenary mooring
- Grid Connection

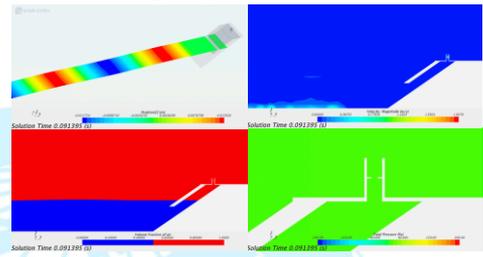
■ Key schedule

- R&D Periods : Aug. 2010~
- Completion of Prototype Pilot Plant : May. 2016 (now waiting for Real sea test)
- Installation and Real sea demonstration at Jeju Wave energy test site : June 2018

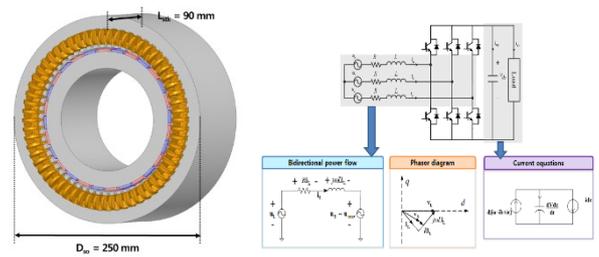


Basic Design of Wave Energy Converter applicable to Breakwater (2016~2017)

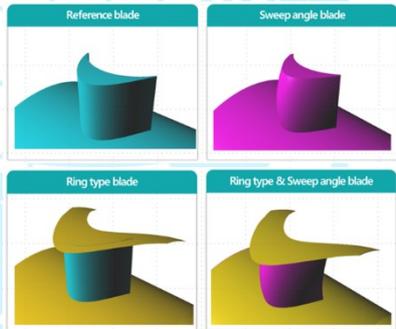
- Sloped OWC : Principal dimension, arrangement of OWCs
- Impulse Turbine : Principal dimension, effect of sweep angle & ring
- Generator(PMSG)/PCS : Pole & slot design, generator- & grid-side controller
- ESS/Micro-Grid : Load analysis, PCS design, operational plan, SCADA control level



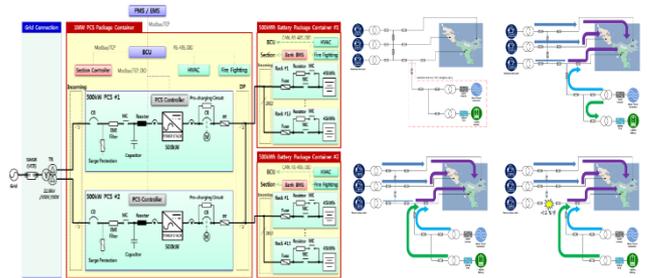
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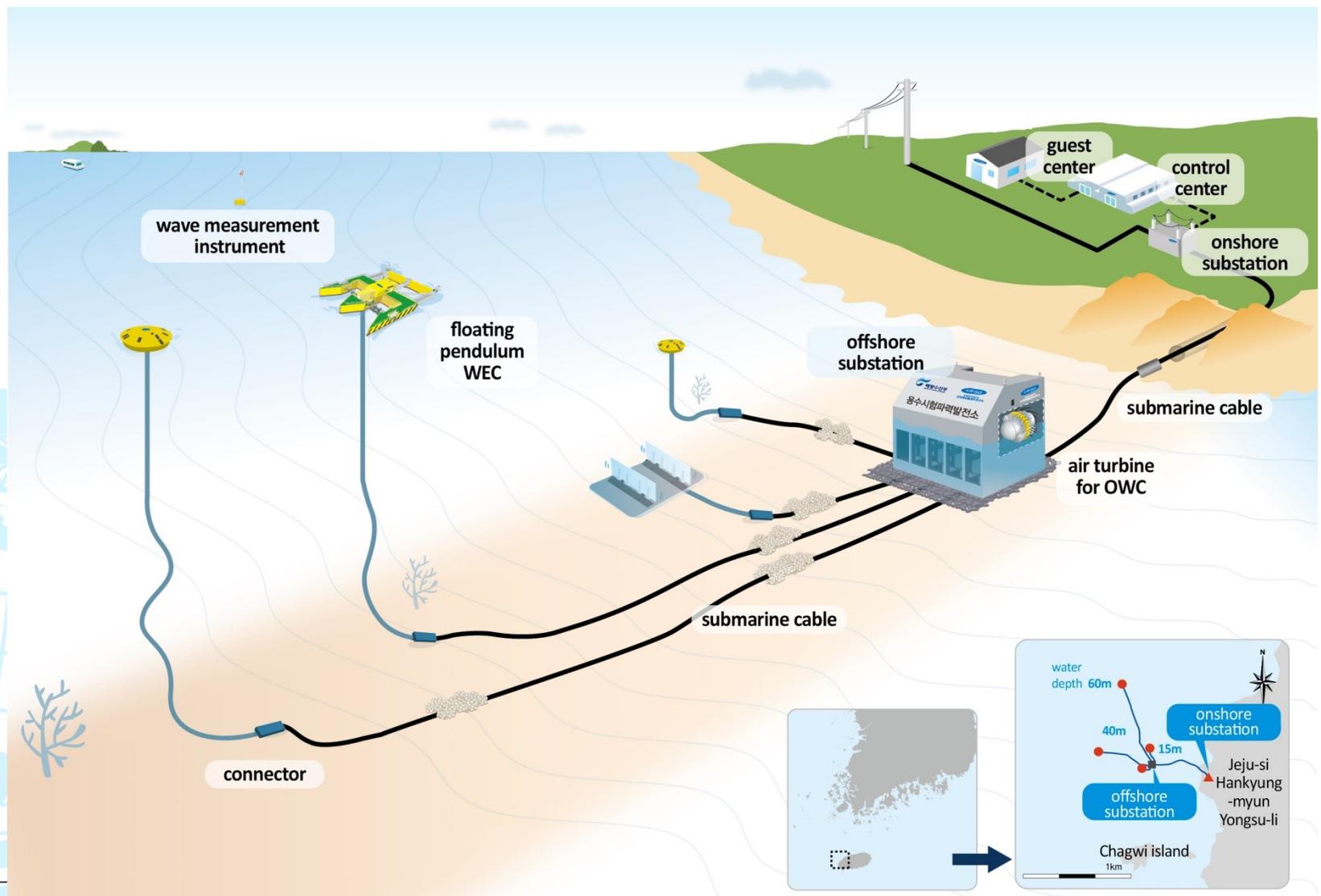
ESS/Micro-grid



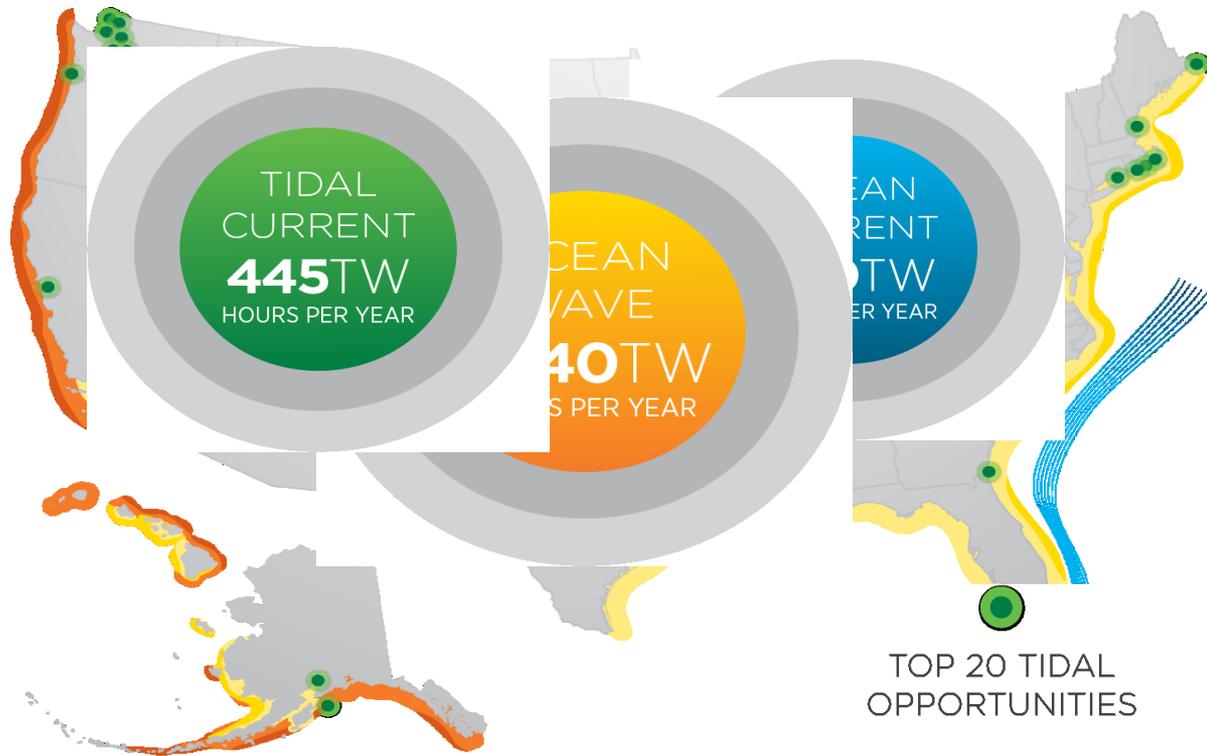
Turbine & Generator



K-WETEC (Korea Wave Energy Test Center)



Marine energy resources in the U.S.



Create jobs



Strengthen energy security



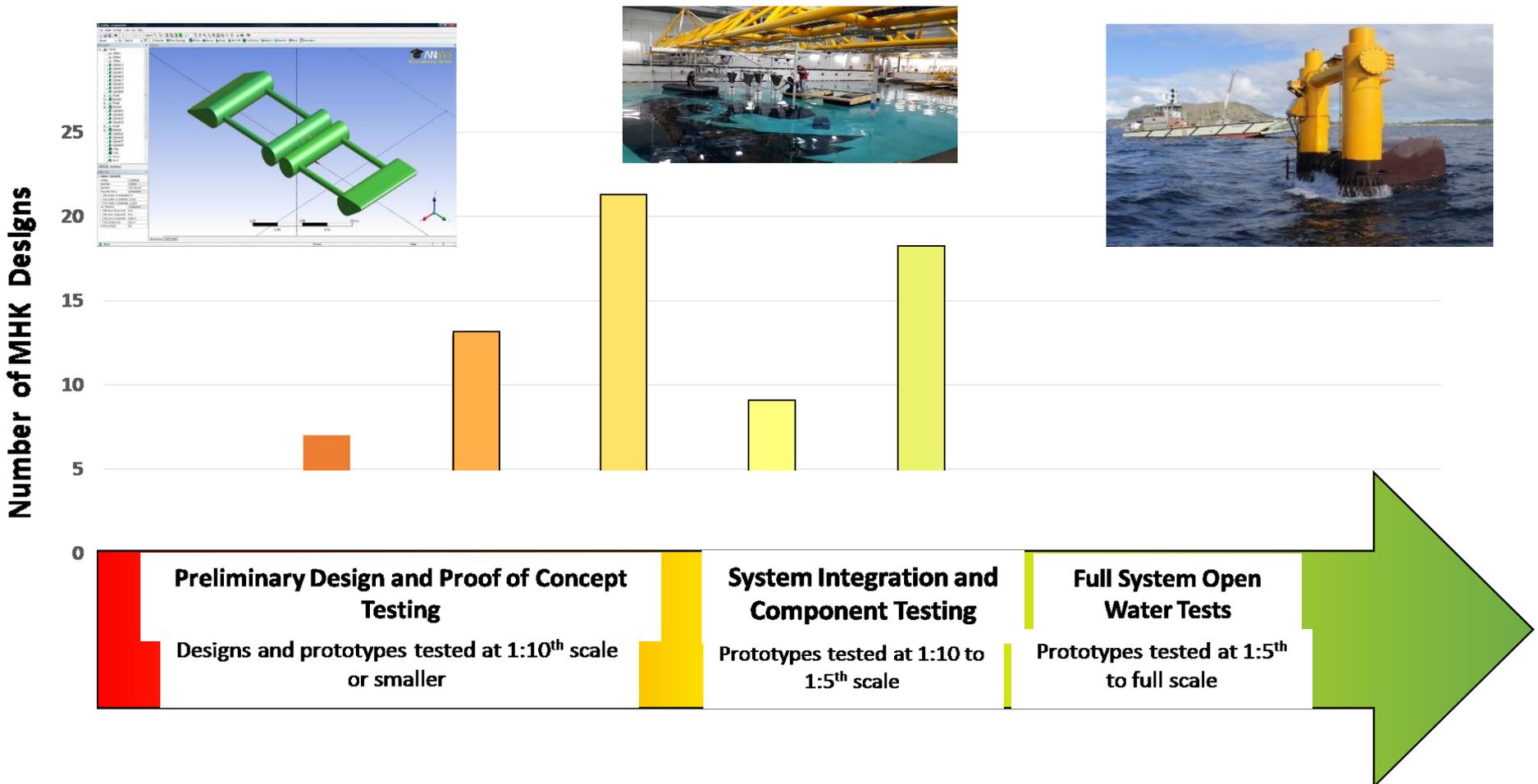
Revitalize seaports



Increase domestic manufacturing



DOE is focused on developing a healthy pipeline of marine energy projects, from component and system design to tank testing to open water tests.



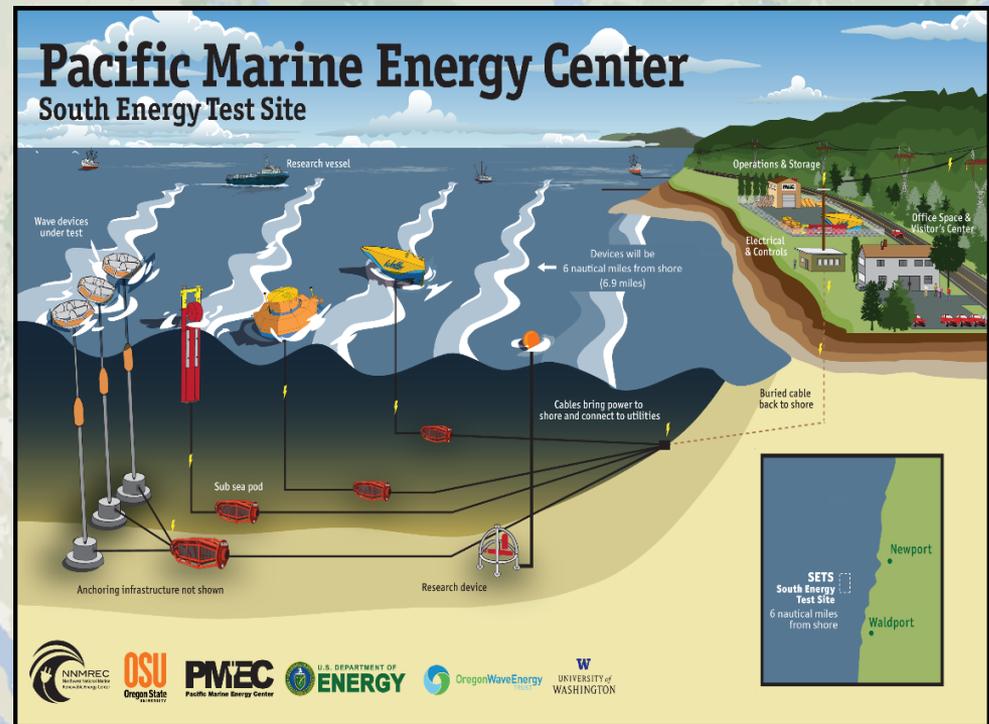
Test Site Locations

- 📍 Lab Testing Facilities
- 🌊 Ocean Testing Facilities

The U.S. has 41 unique testing sites and facilities throughout the country that can accommodate devices ranging in size from prototype to utility-scale.

- Led by Oregon State University, co-located with Hatfield Marine Sciences Center + wave tank
- Nearby availability of marine logistics and port facilities
- Fully permitted and grid connected
- High wave energy resources
- Four-berth test site
- Max of 20 WECs at site
- Total capacity: 20 MW

New four-berth, 20 MW facility coming in 2021-2022



The U.S. Navy also has a long-standing marine energy R&D program

Congress has appropriated \$90+ million over the past 10 years for Navy marine energy R&D.

Full and scale devices are now deployed at U.S. Navy Wave Energy Test Site (WETS) expansion to 3 berths completed in 2015.

Funded tidal energy R&D activities in the Puget Sound (Univ. of WA and Verdant Power).

Supported study of global Navy facilities that have wave/tidal energy potential



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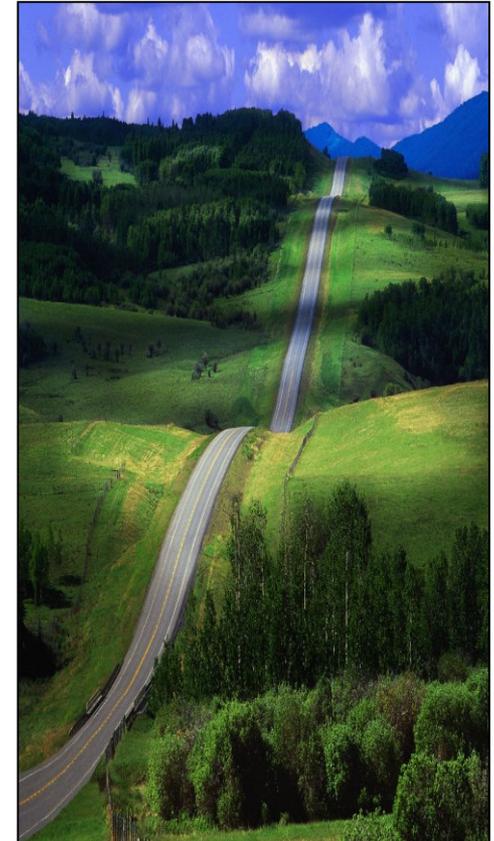
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OFFSHORE MARINE ENERGY TECHNOLOGY SYMPOSIUM

Summary: Ocean energy is a priority



- **European and International overview**
- **Continued high level political support for development of marine energy**
- **Support across the TRL levels**
- **Tech Push and Market Pull**
- **Knowledge and information sharing**



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