



**MSDIWG14**

**14<sup>th</sup> Meeting of the International Hydrographic Organization  
Marine Spatial Data Infrastructures Working Group**

**Portugal – Hydrographic Institute**

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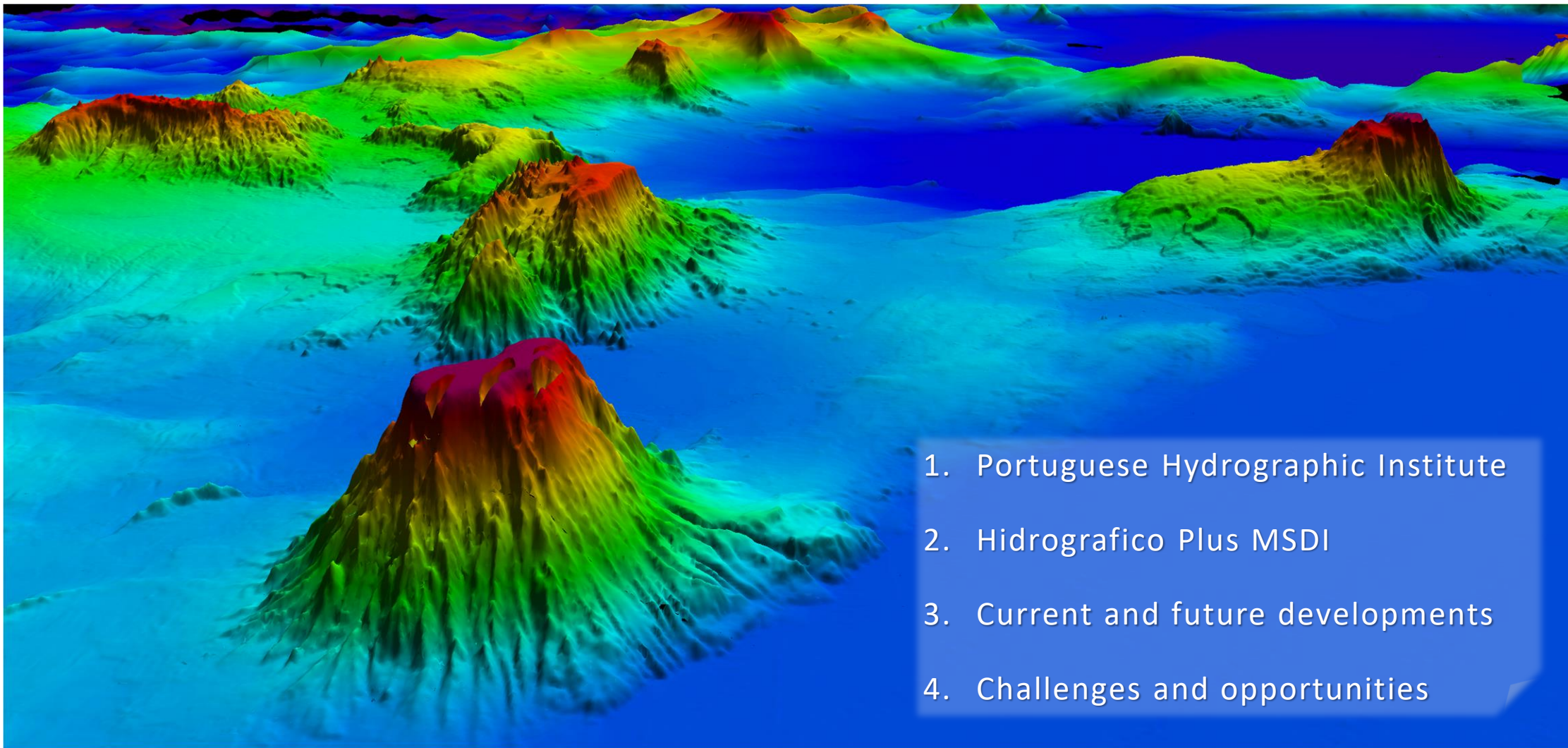
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# Agenda

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1. Portuguese Hydrographic Institute
2. Hidrografico Plus MSDI
3. Current and future developments
4. Challenges and opportunities

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# 1. Portuguese Hydrographic Institute

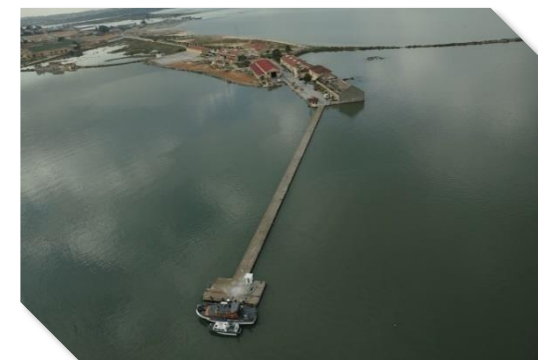
## 1.1. Data domains

International Hydrographic Organization

- ➔ Navy Body
- ➔ Hydrographic Office
- ➔ State Laboratory



Headquarters, Lisbon

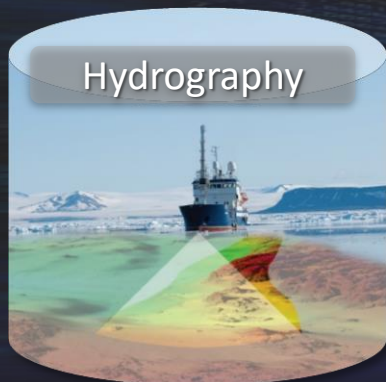


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EXTERNAL DATA

INTERNAL DATA

Hydrography



Oceanography



Navigation



Marine Geology



Marine Chemistry





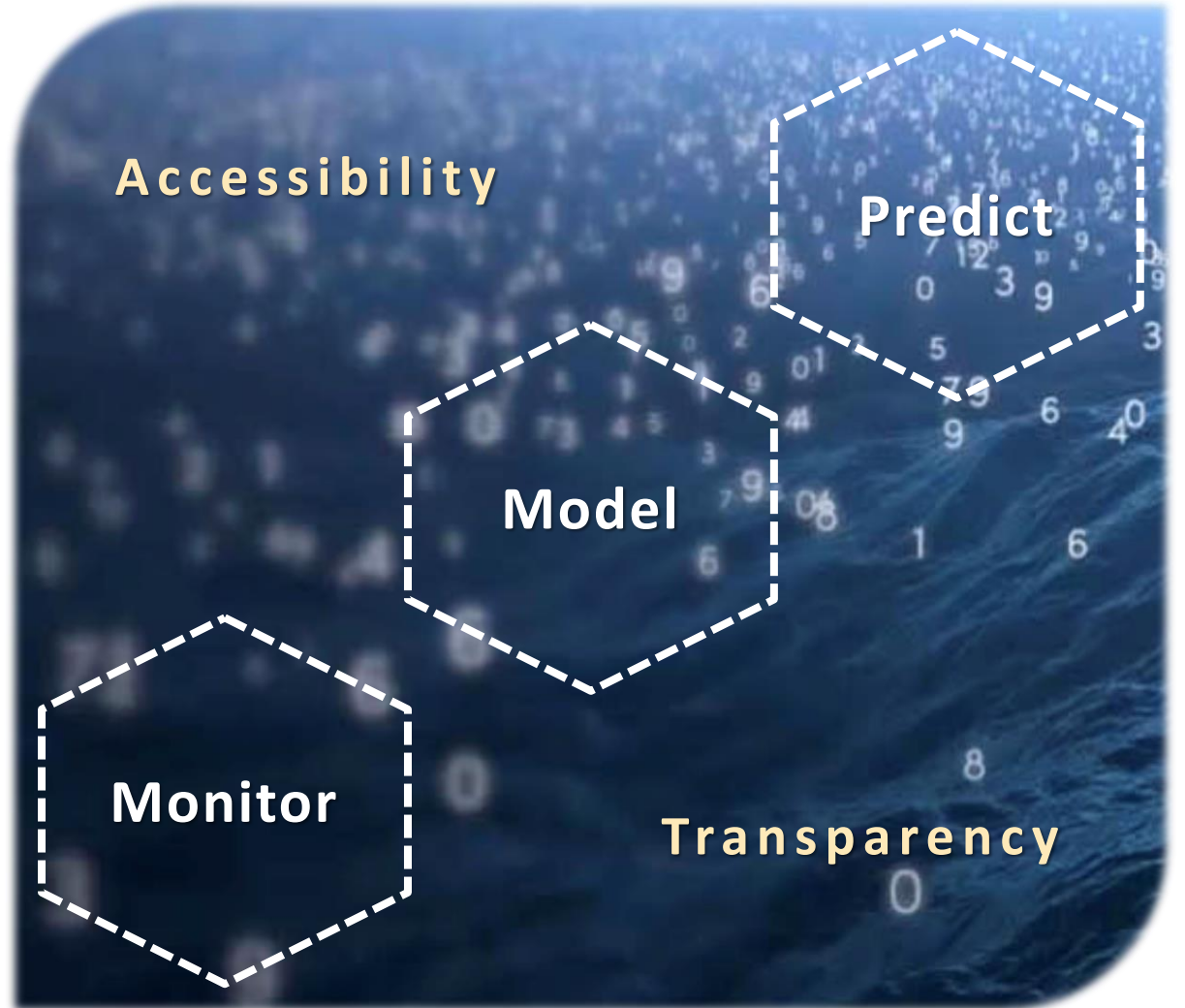
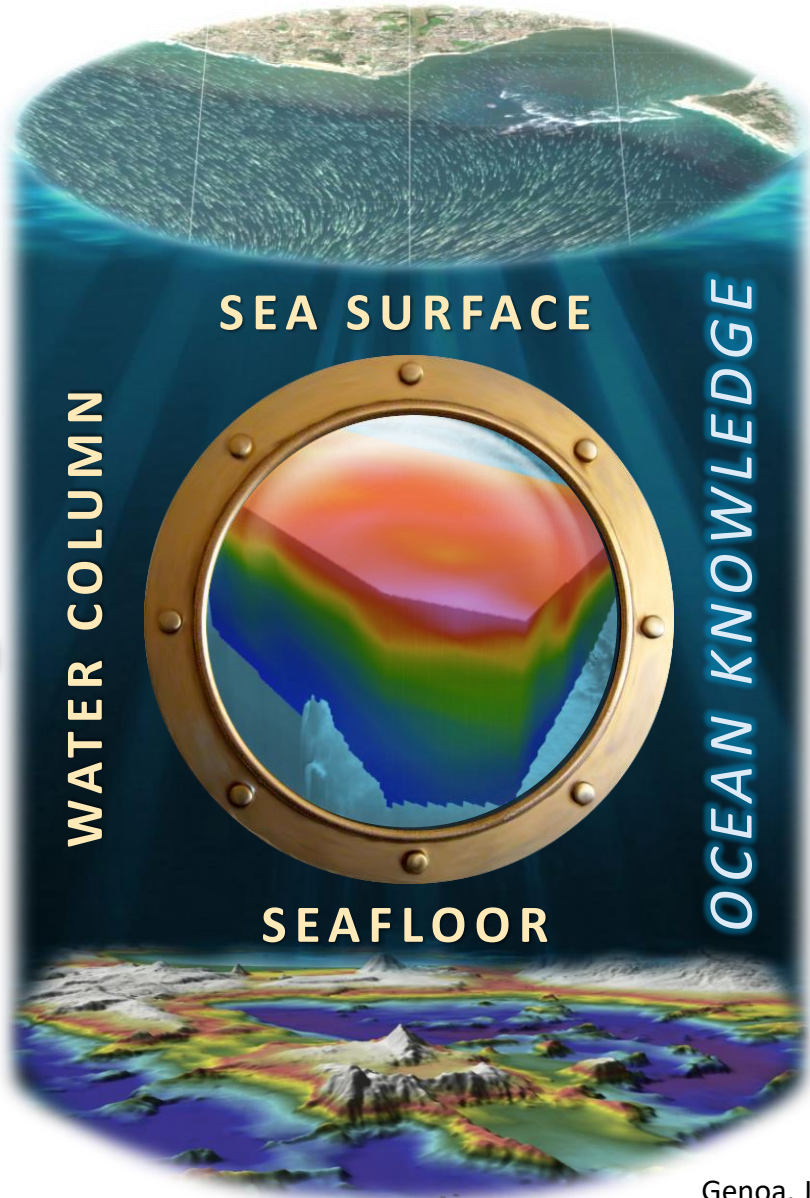
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## 2. Hidrografico Plus MSDI

### 2.1. Vision: build a digital twin of the ocean

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hidrográfico





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## 2. Hidrografico Plus MSDI

### 2.2. Mission: increase the use of hydrographic data for the benefit of society

International Hydrographic Organization

#### FAIR – TLC

**FINDABLE**  
Data has rich metadata and unique identifier

Metadata

**ACCESSIBLE**  
Data can be easily downloaded or used by using standard protocols

Interface

**INTEROPERABLE**  
Metadata use an accessible and standard language

Standards

**REUSABLE**  
Data is well-described and provides clear usage of licences

Data value

Traceable

Licensed

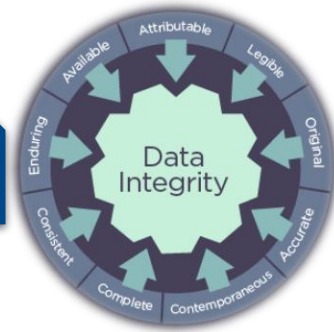
Connected

One data source

Multiple formats



Extended use



Involve and enable **citizens, industries, and governments** to make **better-informed decisions** (Blue Economy).



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## 2. Hidrografico Plus MSDI 2.3. Components

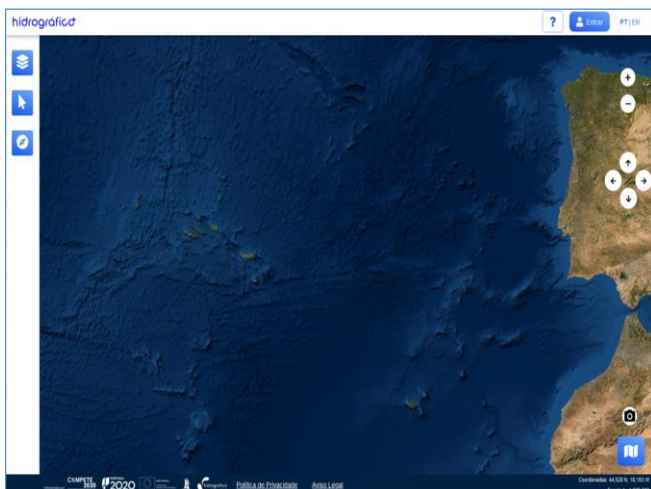
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# hidrográfico



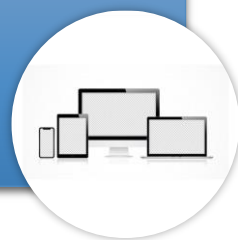
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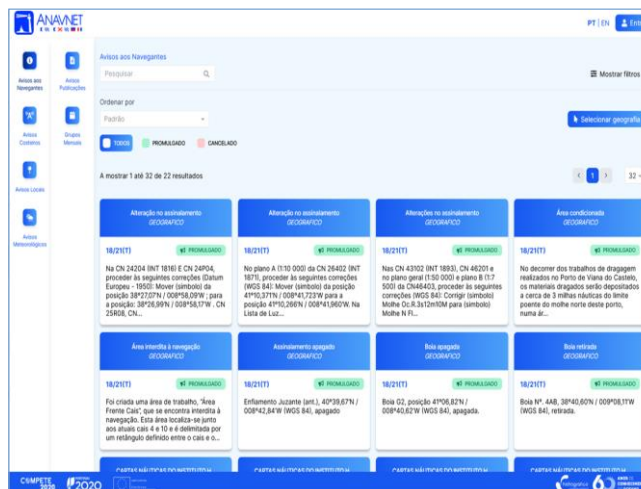


### GeoPortal H+

Data download  
OGC Services  
API

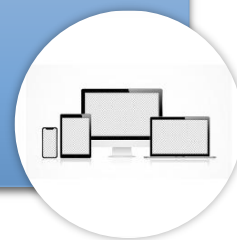


<https://geomar.hidrografico.pt>

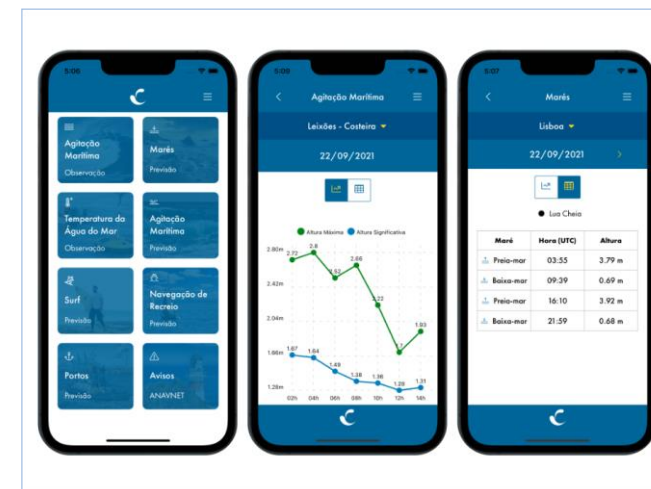


### AnavNet

Notices to Mariners  
Navigational Warnings  
Weather Warnings



<https://geonanavnet.hidrografico.pt>



### App H+

Tide / Sea State  
Seawater Temperature  
AnavNet



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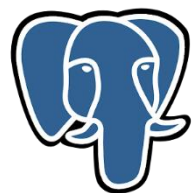
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## 2. Hidrografico Plus MSDI

### 2.4. Architecture

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#### Databases



PostgreSQL

#### Analytics



#### Geoservers



Web Map Service  
Web Feature Service  
Web Coverage Service  
Web Map Tile Service

#### Webportal



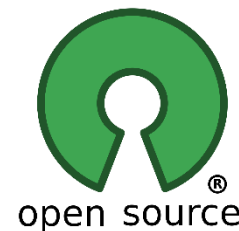
#### Helpdesk



#### Data catalogue



#### User management



INTEROPERABILITY  
MODULARITY  
SCALABILITY



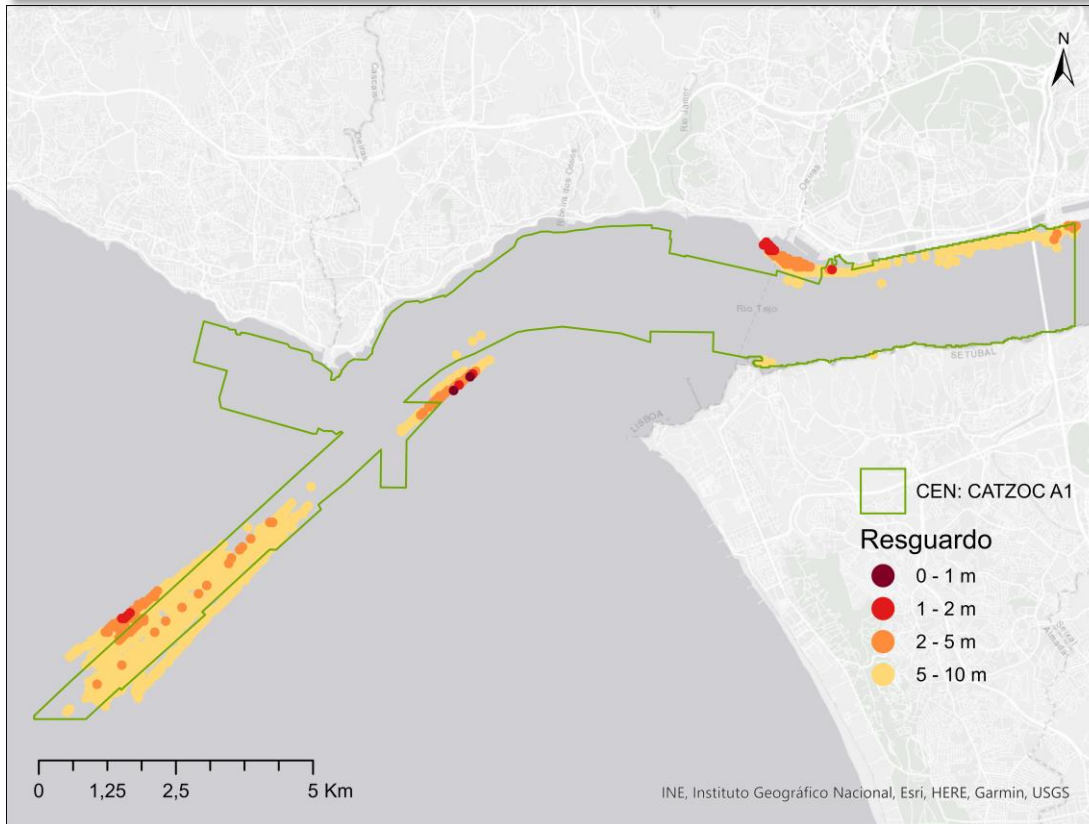
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### 3. Current and future developments

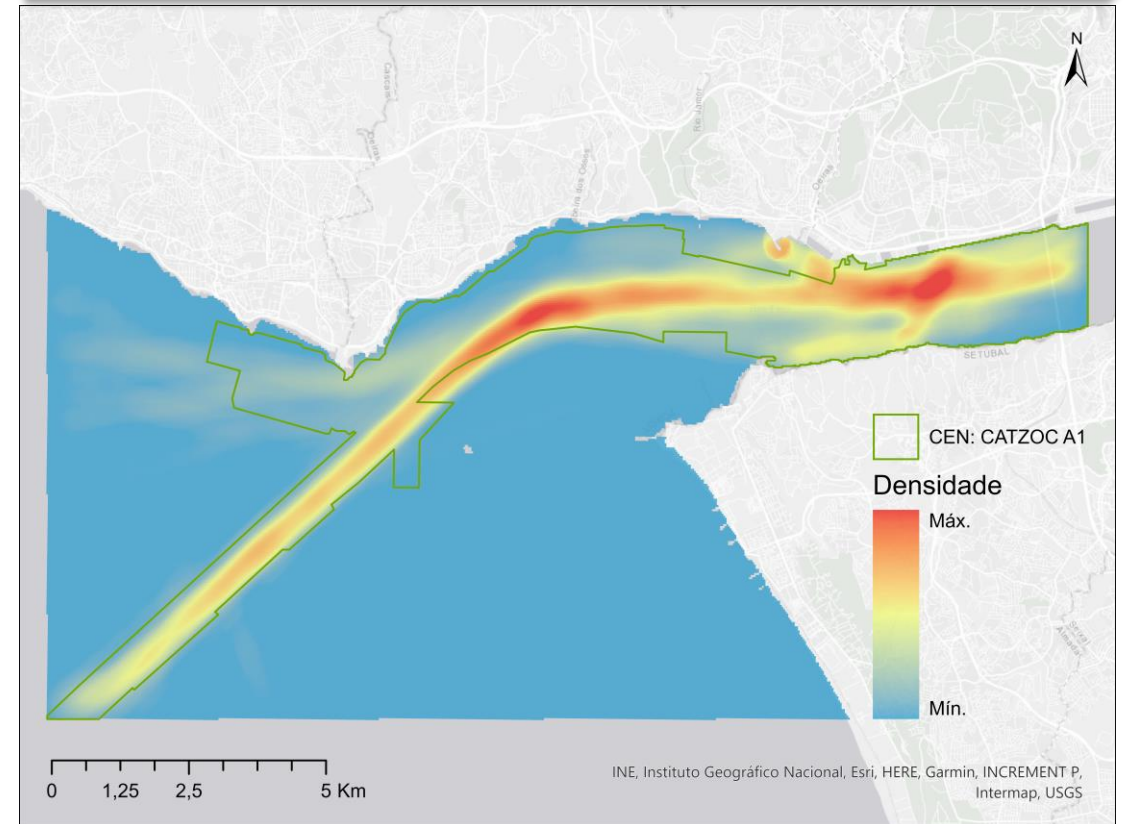
#### 3.1. IHO Strategic Plan – Goal 1

- ✓ Evolving the hydrographic support for **safety and efficiency of maritime navigation**, undergoing profound transformation.

➔ CATZOC A1 (ENC) – Under Keel Clearance (AIS)



➔ CATZOC A1 (ENC) – Ship Track Density (AIS)







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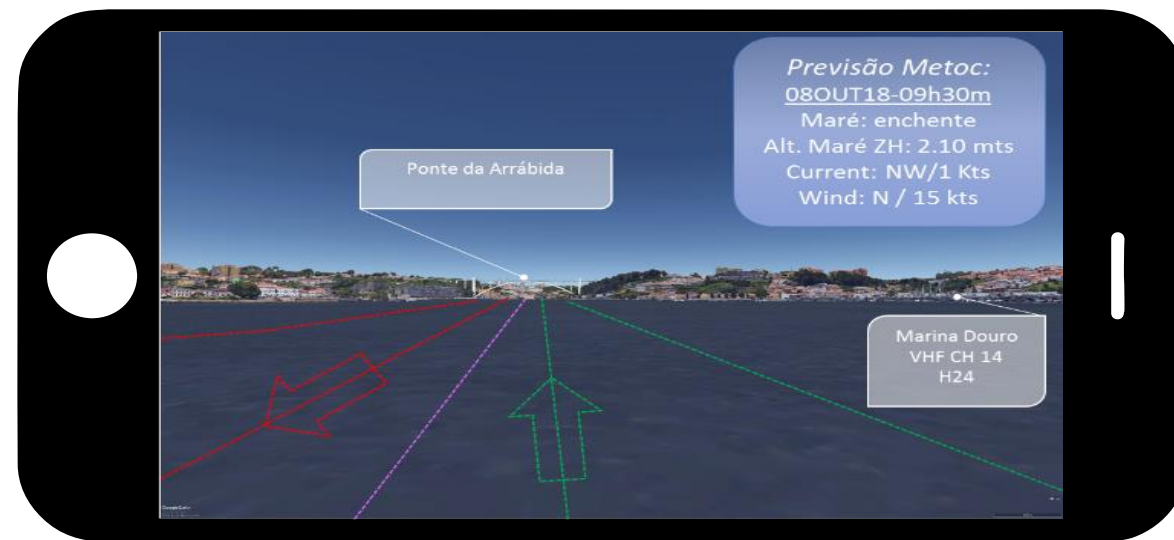
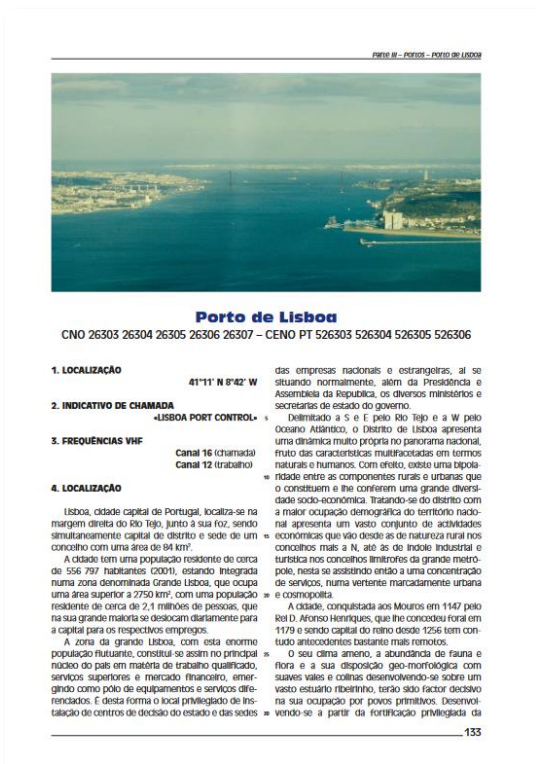
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➔ **Digital pilots (sailing directions)**





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### 3. Current and future developments

#### 3.2. IHO Strategic Plan – Goal 2

- ✓ Increasing the **use of hydrographic data** for the benefit of society.

#### ➔ High-value datasets

- (...) “associated with **important benefits for society, the environment and the economy**, in particular, because of their suitability for the **creation of value-added services**, applications and new, high-quality and decent jobs, and of the number of potential beneficiaries of the value-added services and applications based on those datasets”.
- EU Directive 2019/1024 – Open data and the re-use of public sector information (20JUN2019)  
<https://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/?uri=CELEX%3A32019L1024>
- EU Implementing Regulation 2023/138 – laying down a list of specific high-value datasets and the arrangements for their publication and re-use (21DEC2022)  
[https://eur-lex.europa.eu/eli/reg\\_impl/2023/138](https://eur-lex.europa.eu/eli/reg_impl/2023/138)



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### 3. Current and future developments

#### 3.2. IHO Strategic Plan – Goal 2

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✓ Increasing the use of hydrographic data for the benefit of society.

#### ➔ WMS ENC Server (Web Map Service of Electronic Navigational Charts)

- SevenCs WMS ChartServer
- Provide users a ENC basemap
- Support marine and blue economy activities

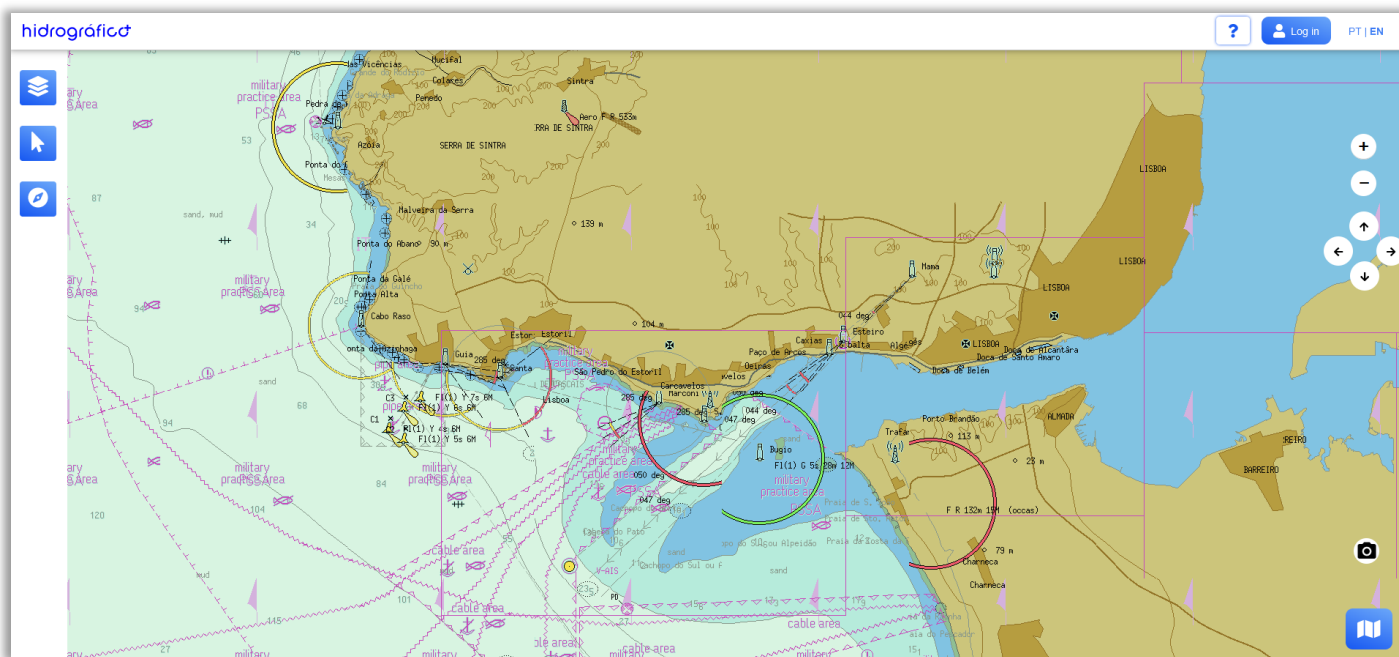
#### ➔ ENC Inland

- Douro river

<https://www.hidrografico.pt/vn.douro>

- Guadiana river

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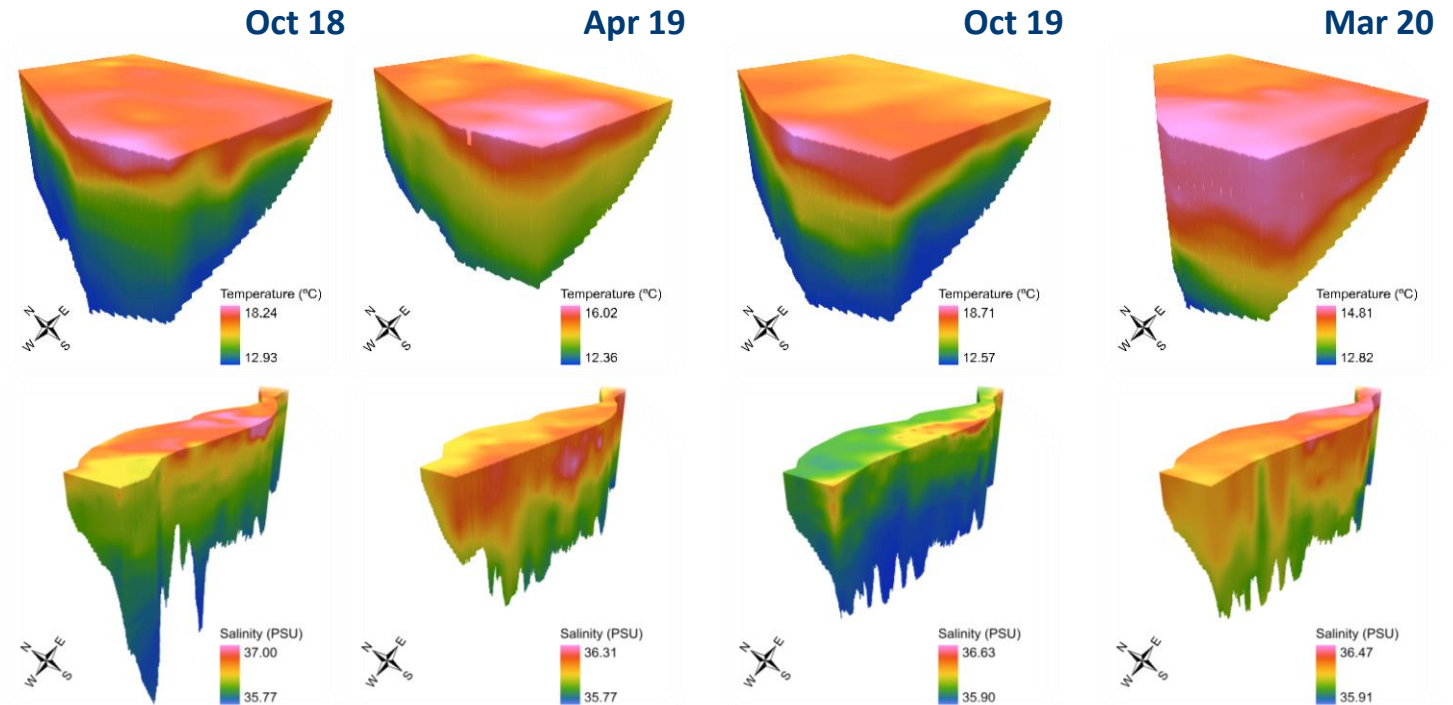
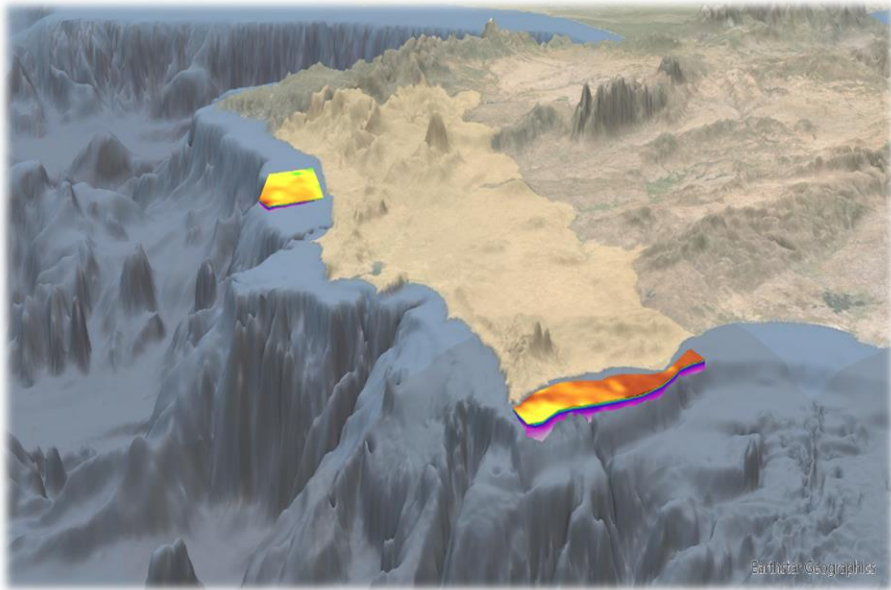
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➔ 3D mapping of ocean variables



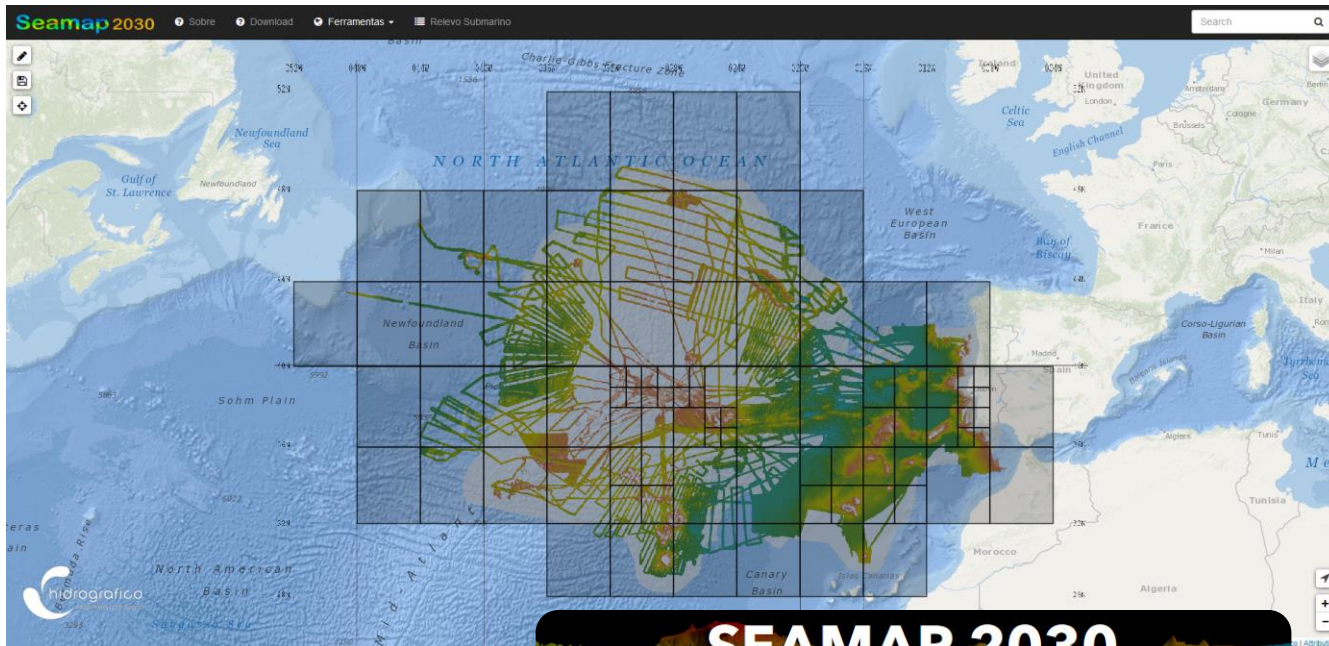


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### 3. Current and future developments

#### 3.3. IHO Strategic Plan – Goal 3

✓ Participating actively in international initiatives related to the **knowledge** and the sustainable use of the ocean.



#### RESOLUTION(S)

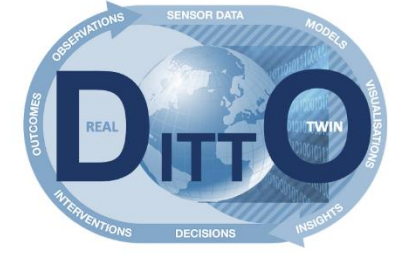
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- Depth 1000m-2000m – Res. 128m
- Depth 2000m-4000m – Res. 256m
- Depth +4000m – Res. 512m

**SEAMAP 2030**  
100 % of the national maritime spaces mapped by 2030

<https://gridmar.hidrografico.pt>



2021 United Nations Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development 2030



DITTO - Digital Twins of the Ocean

#### VISION

The **Vision** of the DITTO Programme is a world where Digital Twins of the Ocean are used to support ocean protection, ocean governance and a sustainable Blue Economy.

#### MISSION

The **Mission** of DITTO is to develop and share a common understanding of digital twins of the ocean (DTO); to establish best practice in the development of DTOs; and advance a digital framework for DTOs to empower ocean professionals from all sectors around the world including scientific users, to effectively create their own digital twins.



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## 4. Challenges and opportunities

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### → People:

- Human resources (GIS, IT);
- People awareness (metadata, data policy, data integrity);
- Financing (projects).

### → Information systems:

- Storage, servers.

### → Data:

- Data integrity.

