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CMEMS

Copernicus Marine Environment Monitoring Service: An in situ operational data provision system for operational oceanography

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In Situ Observations

"Without sufficient observations, useful prediction will likely never be possible. Models will evolve and improve, but, without data, will be untestable, and observations not taken today are lost forever"

C. Wunsch et al. (2010) PNAS

From an idea from Fernando Manzano Muños (PdE)



Outlines

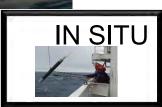
- Copernicus general presentation
- CMEMS Copernicus Marine Environment Monitoring Service
- The IN SITU Component of the CMEMS (INSTAC)
 - Rationale
 - Challenges are to maintain:
 - Near real-time data delivery
 - Reprocessed datasets delivery (CORA)
 - Catalogue and visibility of the products
 - Documentation
 - Enhanced data delivery facilities
 - Service desk
 - Next steps



Copernicus, EU program with a strong marine component

SATELLITES







Copernicus includes 3 components (space, in situ and services)

The services component includes a Marine Monitoring service



ATMOSPHERE

LAND

SECURITY

EMERGENCY

CLIMATE







The Copernicus Marine Environmental Monitoring Service CMEMS



REAL-TIMEDaily, hourly

FORECAST 2 to 10 days

IN SITU
OBSERVATION

Delayed mode

REANALYSES10 to 45 years







2 Arctic

3 Baltic

4 NWS

5 IBI

6 Med Sea

Black Sea



VIEW

DOWNLOAD

Open & Free











Areas of benefits















Marine resources











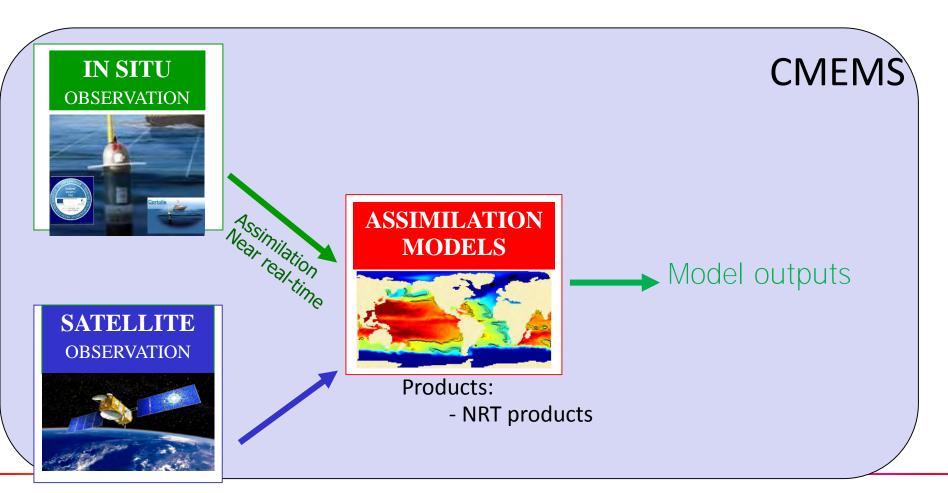




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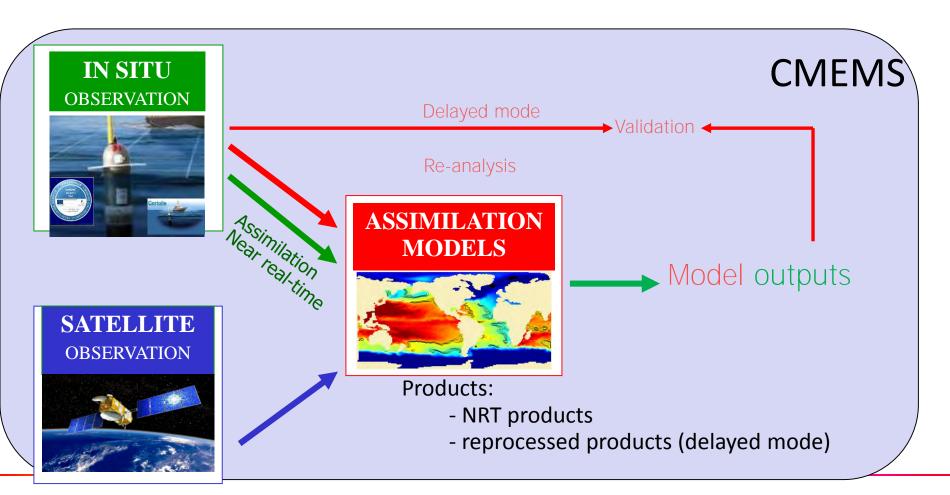


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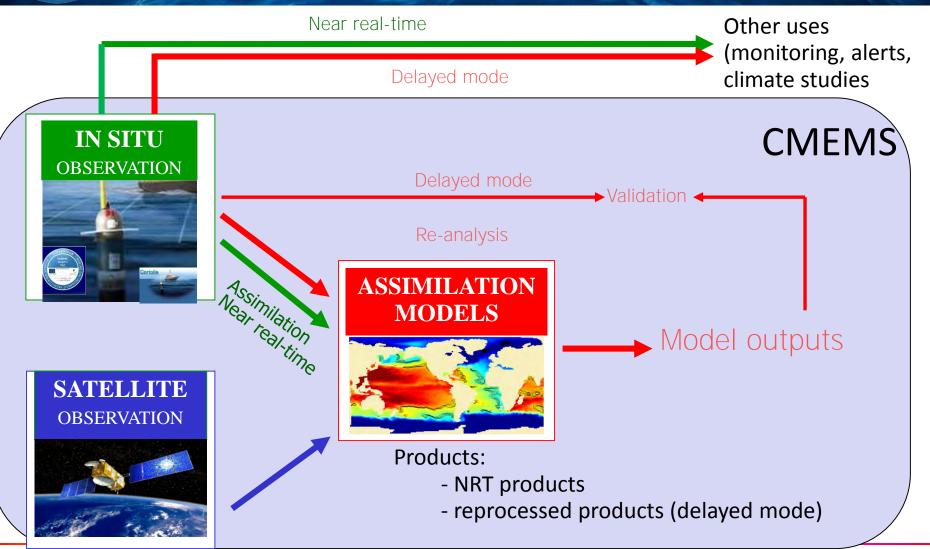


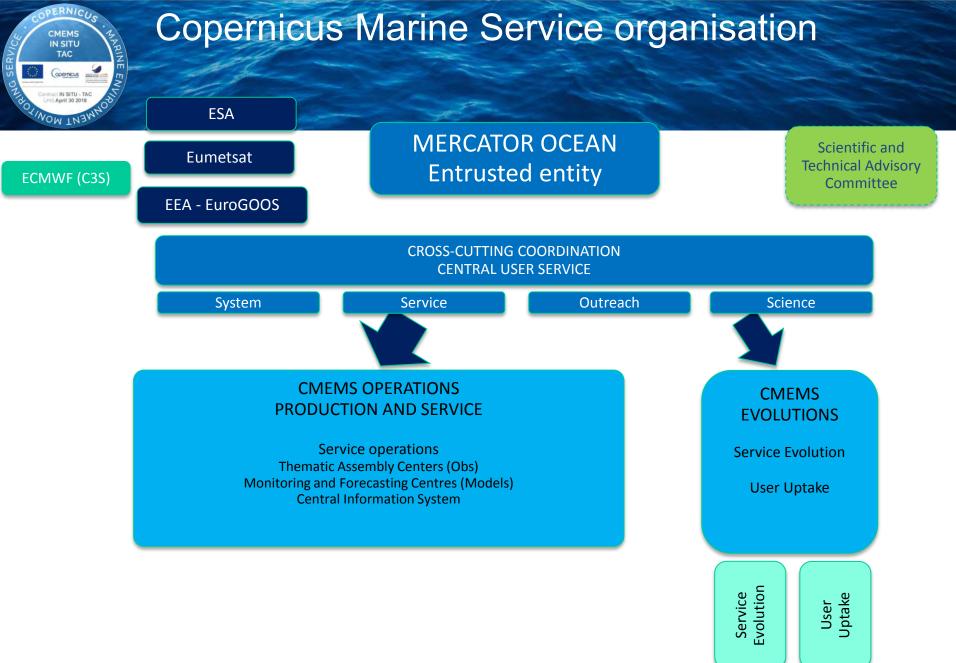
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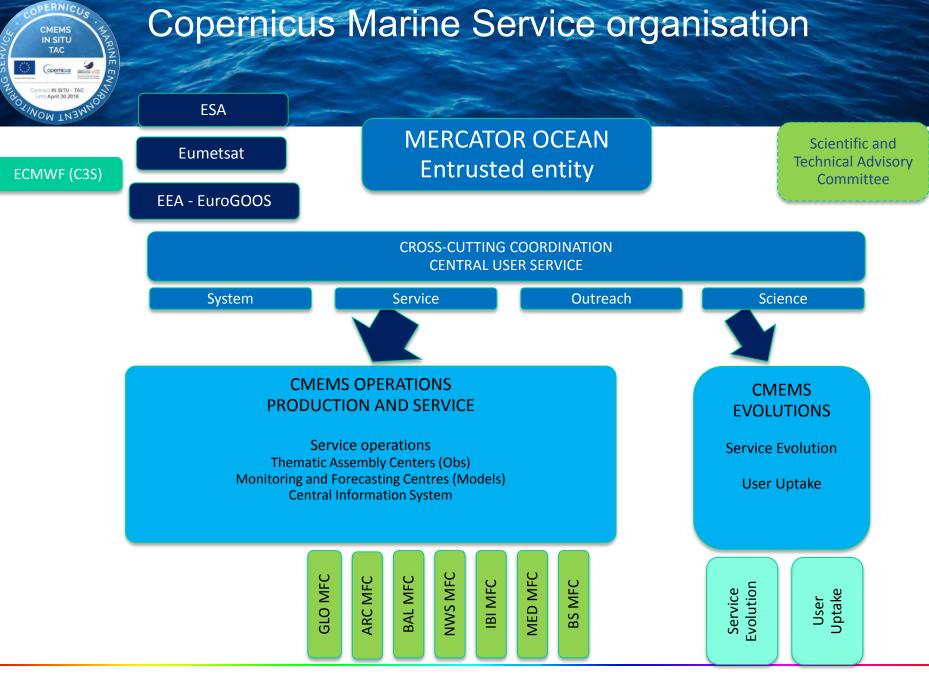


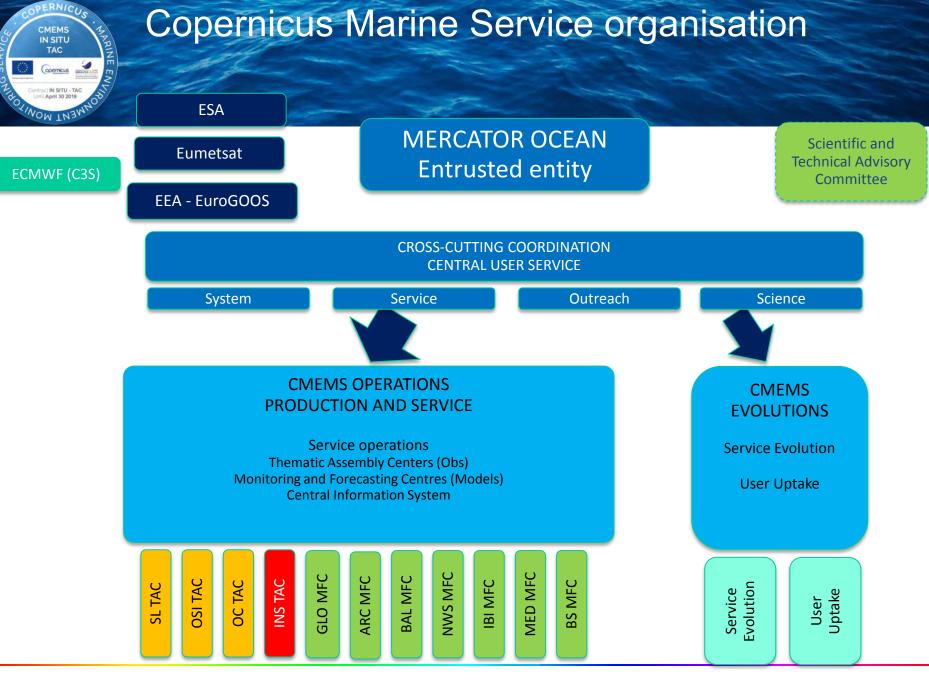


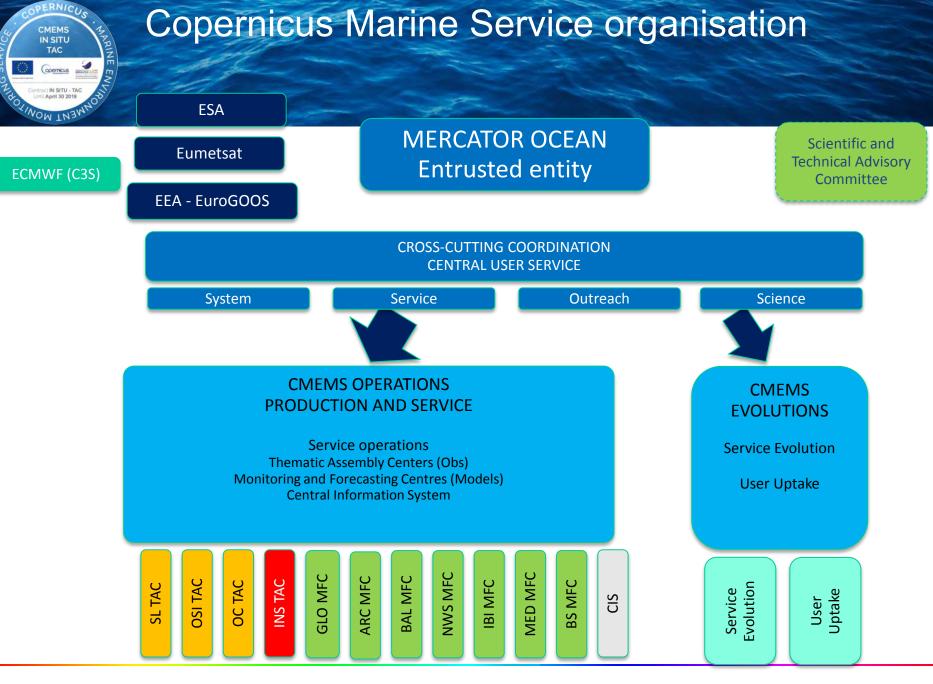
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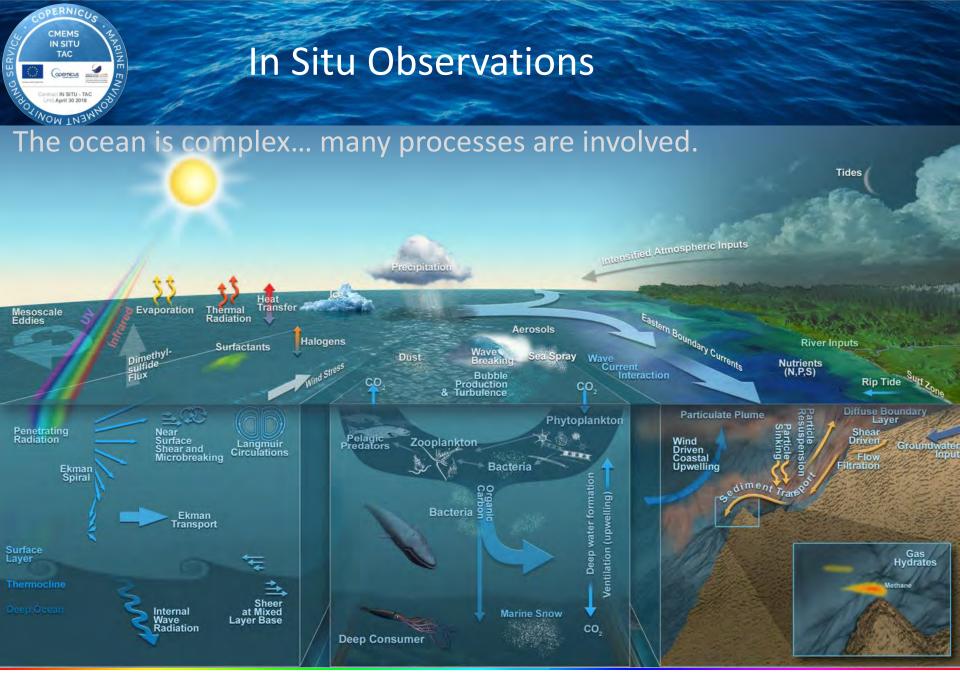
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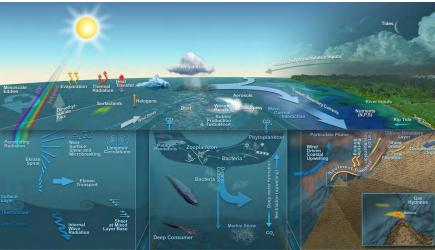
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- Versions 1 focussed on Temperature & Salinity data
- Versions 2 is focussing on Temperature & Salinity data + Current data
- Version 3 will take into account Version 2 + waves parameters
- Version 4 will take into account Version 3 + Biogeochemical parameters





In Situ Observations



The ocean is complex... many processes are involved.

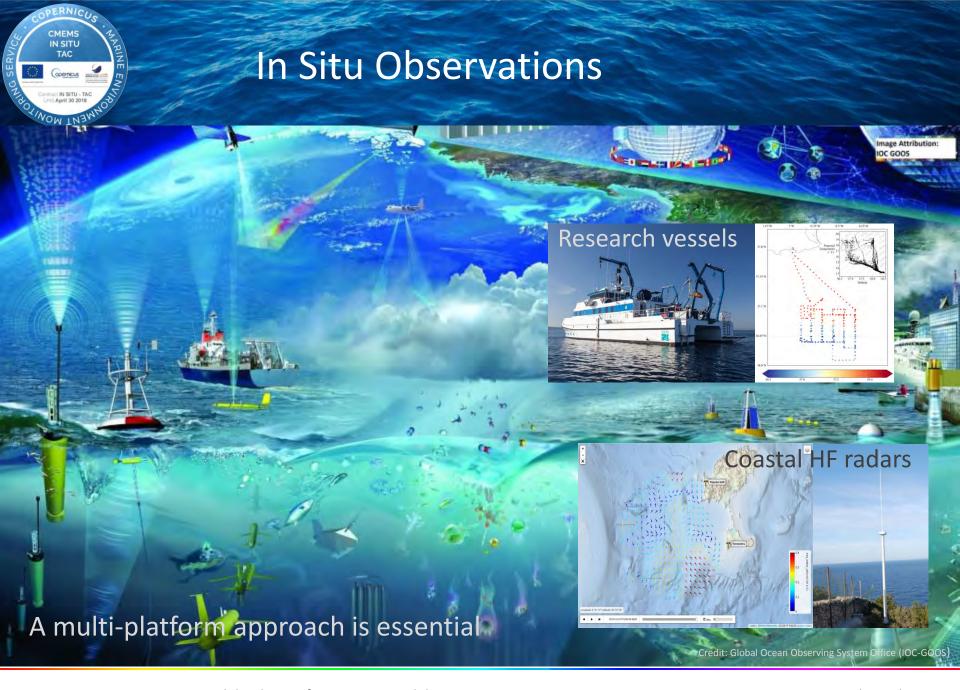
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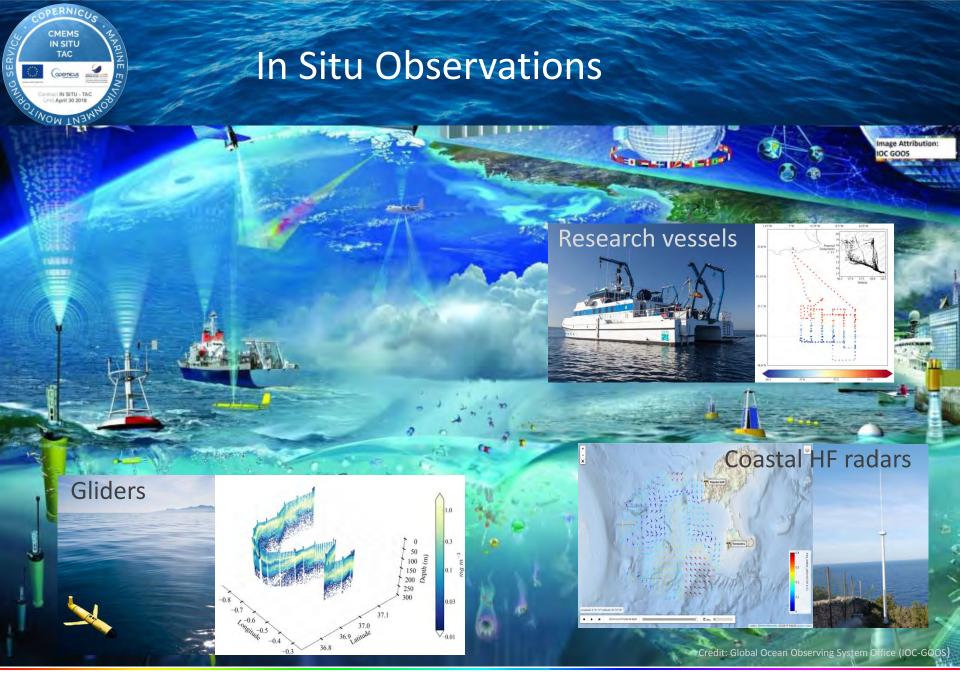


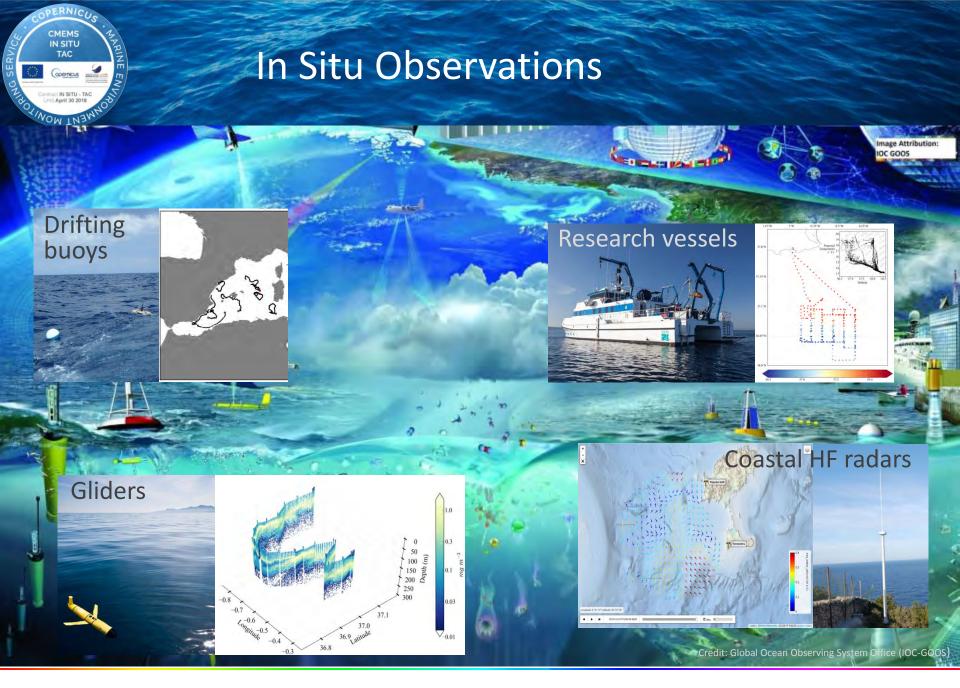
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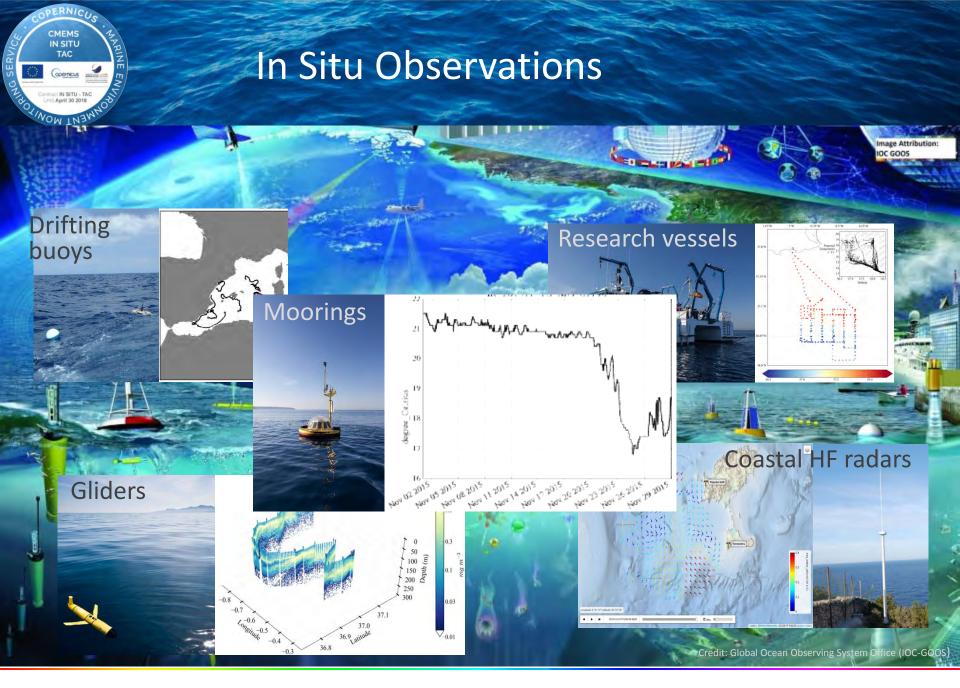


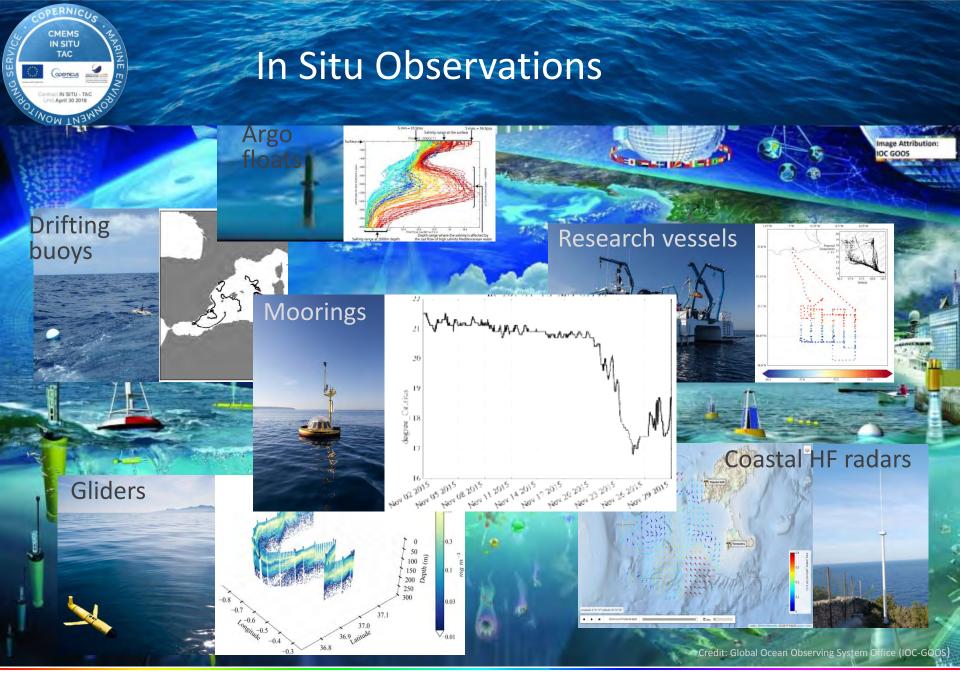










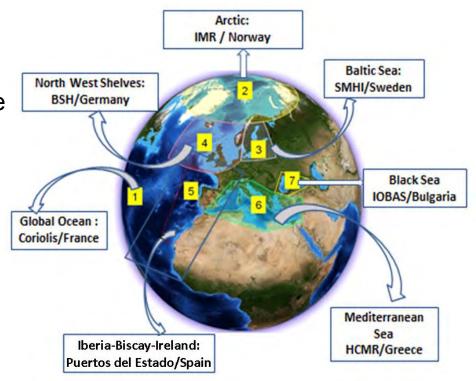




To provide an operational NRT ocean data delivery service

We decided to organised the INSTAC operations with both a regional approach and a global approach

- each region activity is coordinated by a research institute
- Coriolis is in charge of the links with the global networks (JCOMM networks Argo, OceanSites, DBCP, ...)
- The INSTAC activity is coordinated by Ifremer



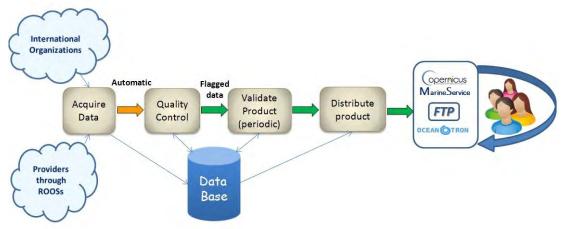


Challenge 1: provide an operational NRT ocean data delivery service

- Distribute in a single place (regional or global) the most comprehensive dataset
 - from different sources or networks
 - from different platforms
 - with different parameters
 - collected at different time periods

-But

- with a unique format
- which pass through consistant and common QC steps



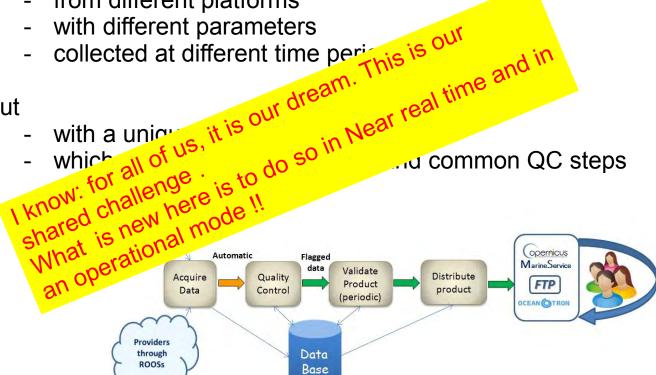


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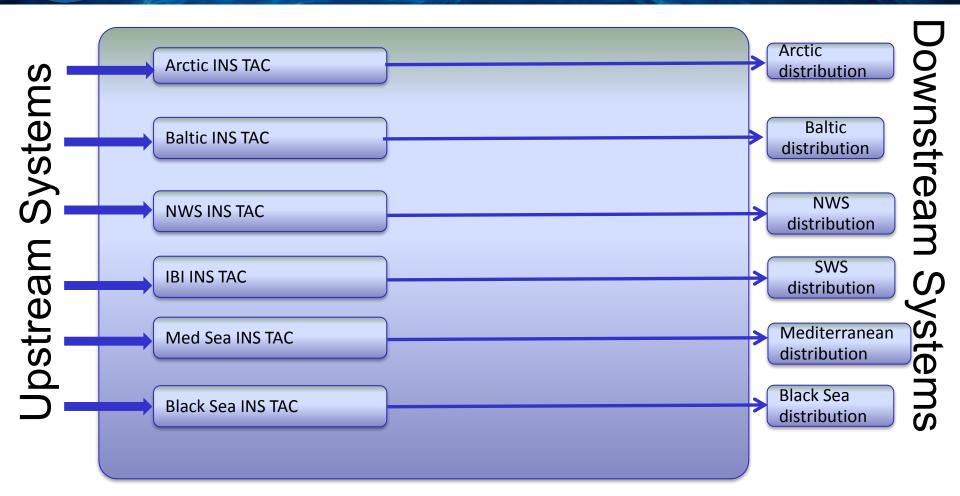
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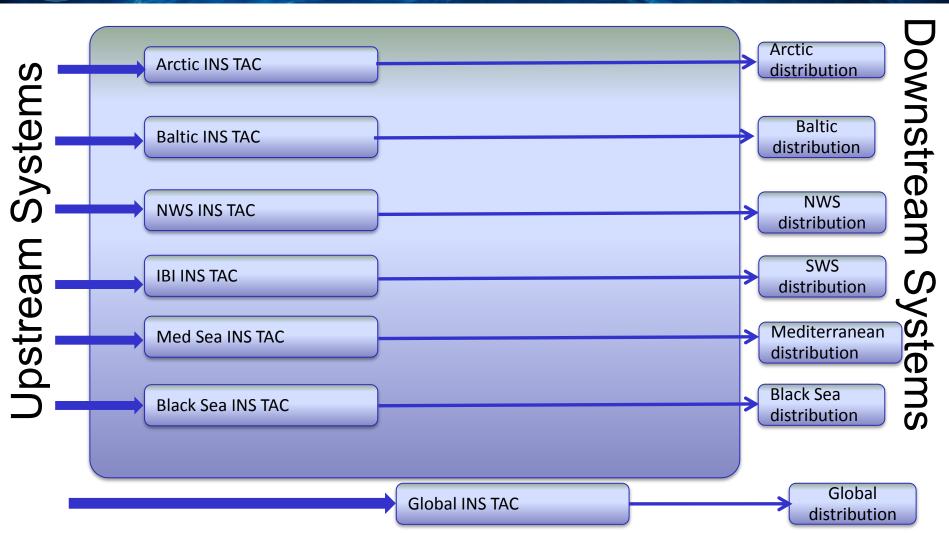
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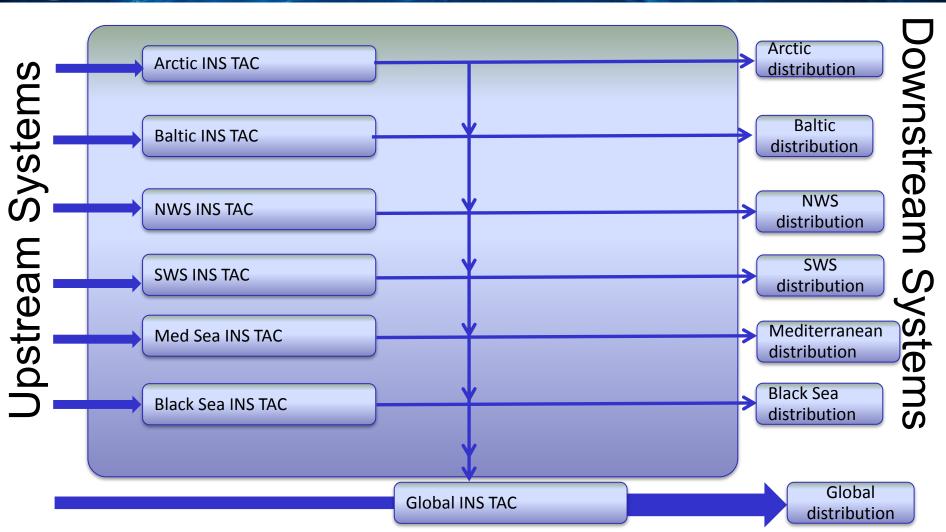




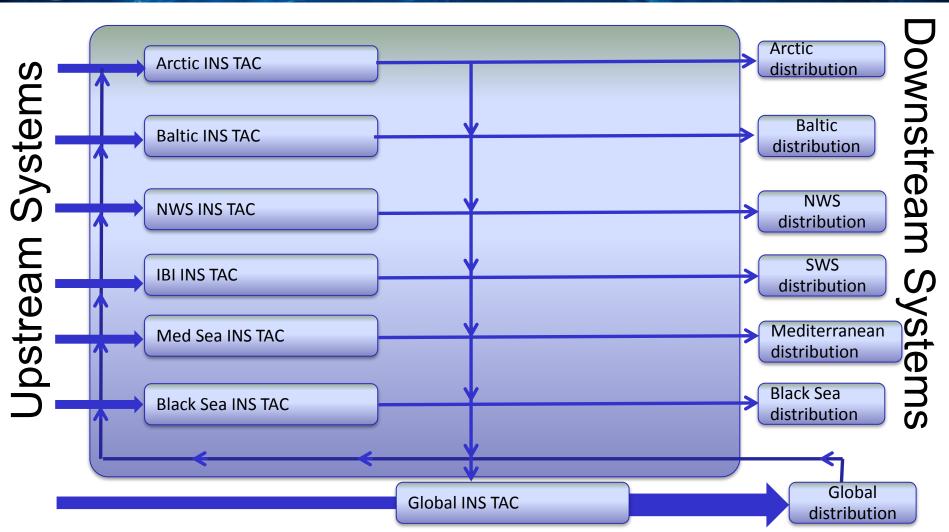






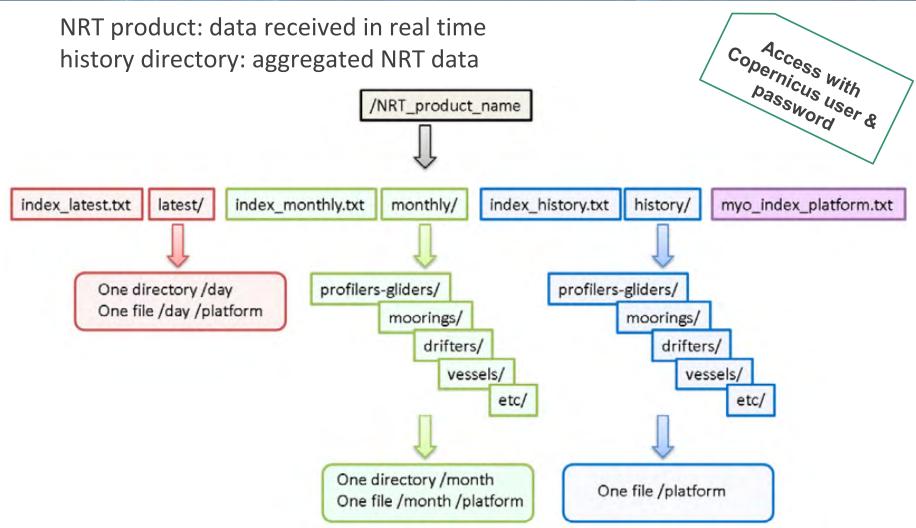








The result is available on an FTP server (NRT)





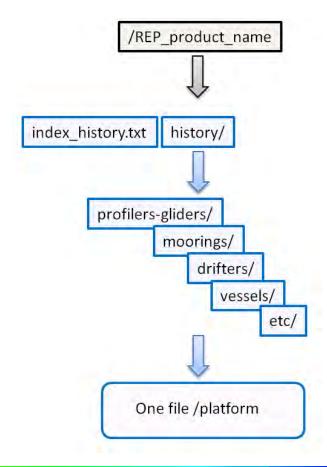
Challenge 2: provide an operational delayed mode ocean data delivery service

- This includes:
 - Regional reprocessed datasets (rep products)
 - A global reprocessed dataset (CORA Product)



FTP Structure (REP)

REP product: validated and assessed data history directory: validated and assessed data from providers or NRT product







Metadata Index Files

index_latest.txt

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- # Description : catalog of available IBI in-situ observations per platform.
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File Naming

File naming convention in the latest directory:

RR_LATEST_XX_YY_CODE_YYYYMMDD.nc

Example: GL_LATEST_PR_GL_58970_20151112.nc

• RR: region bigram

• LATEST: fixed name

• YYYYMMDD: year month day of observations

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• YY: data type

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File naming convention in the history directory:

RR_XX_YY_CODE.nc

Example: IR_TS_MO_MotrilTG.nc

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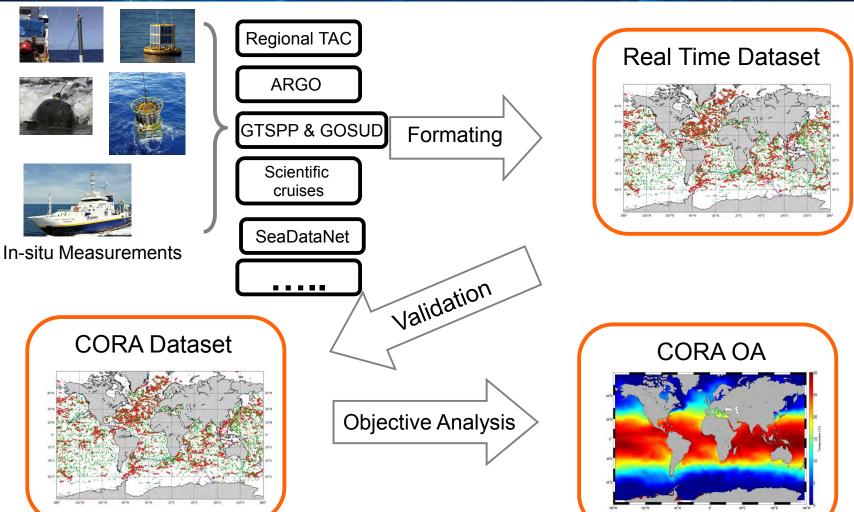
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The global reprocessed dataset (CORA)



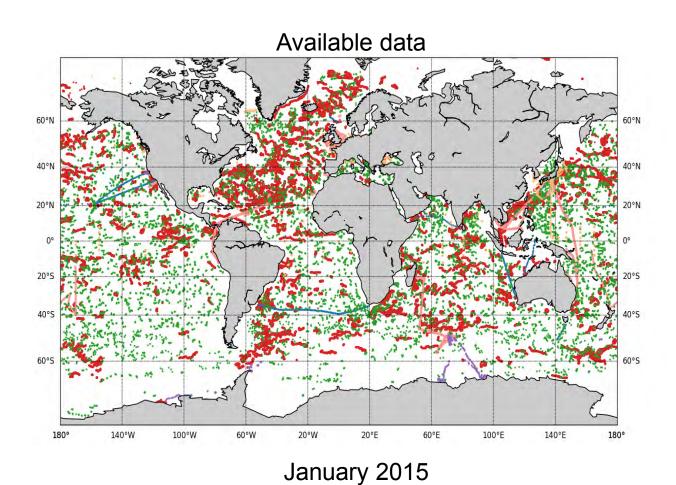


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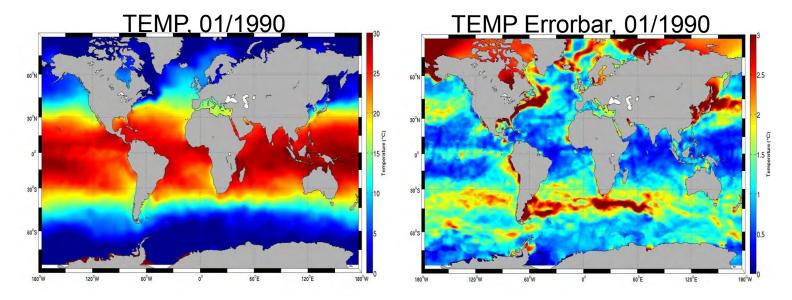




CORA dataset



Objective analysis





- Objective analysis on a standard 3d grid
- Global coverage, 1990-2015
- 152 vertical levels
- Easy to handle



CORA aggregation

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Cora 5.0 is taking advantage from Cora previous versions + EN.4 and WOD 13 contents



CORA usage

Global Temperature and salinity datasets

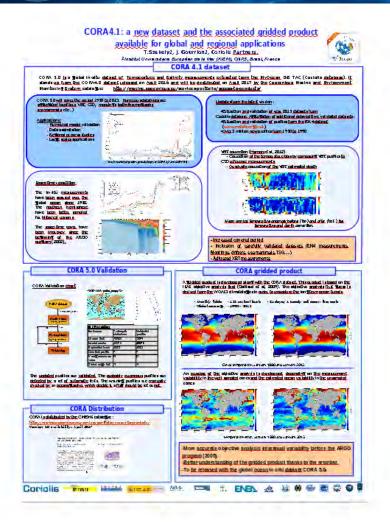
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- Designed for Reanalysis purposes
- All profiles are validated and distributed, fitted for scientific studies
- Timeseries (surface/subsurface studies)



Challenge 2:

provide an operational delayed mode ocean data delivery service



Have a look on the poster describing the CORA 4.3 dataset

CORA 4.3: A global delayed time mode validated in situ dataset

Tanguy Szekely (CNRS) & Jérome Gourrion (Ifremer)

Poster 114 session 3



Challenge 3: to maintain a regulary updated catalogue of the products

Copernicus catalogue: http://marine.copernicus.eu/





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Challenge 4: to provide an easy access to the all CMEMS INSTAC products: an advanced data access for in situ dataset

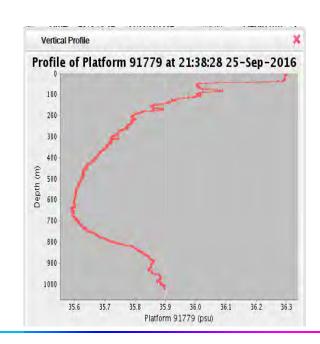
Visualization with OGC/WMS back-end:

Implemented with Oceanotron at Dissemination Unit level (7 deployed servers).

Connected to the web portal since 2014

One month salinity at surface from profiles







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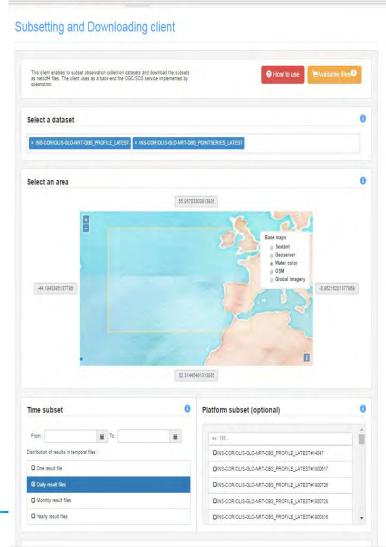
Advanced data access (in-situ)

Download with subsetting or advanced access:

Implemented with Oceanotron, OGC/SOS service for NetCDF or OGC/O&M or GeoJSON formats

Démonstration client under development

Demonstration client in oceanotron





interpolated

maps, view

from the web

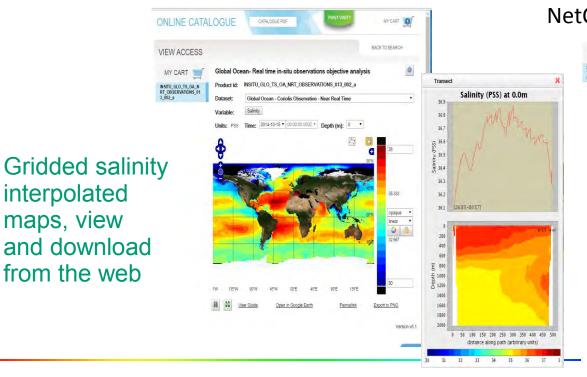
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Gridded datasets (THREDDS Data Server)

Gridded datasets are published through THREDDS Data Server:

OGC/WMS for visualization

OPenDAP + MOTU dedicated gateway for NetCDF download with subsetting



CORIOLIS-GLOBAL-NRTOA-OBS TIME SERIE CORIOLIS-GLOBAL-NRTOA-OBS_TIME_SERIE 1 DOWNLOAD END DATE 2014-10-15 * END DEPTH 0.0001 * 1 DOWNLOAD

Session: Marine environmental database infrastructures and data access system

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Challenge 5: Maintain an operational user service desk

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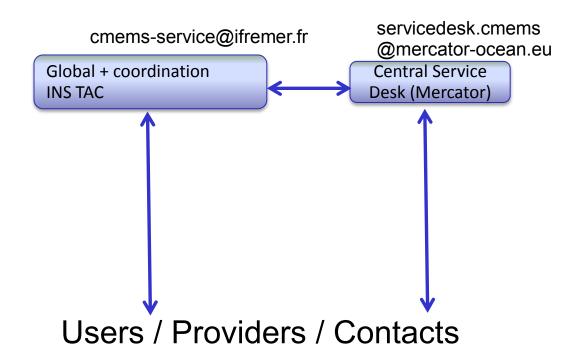
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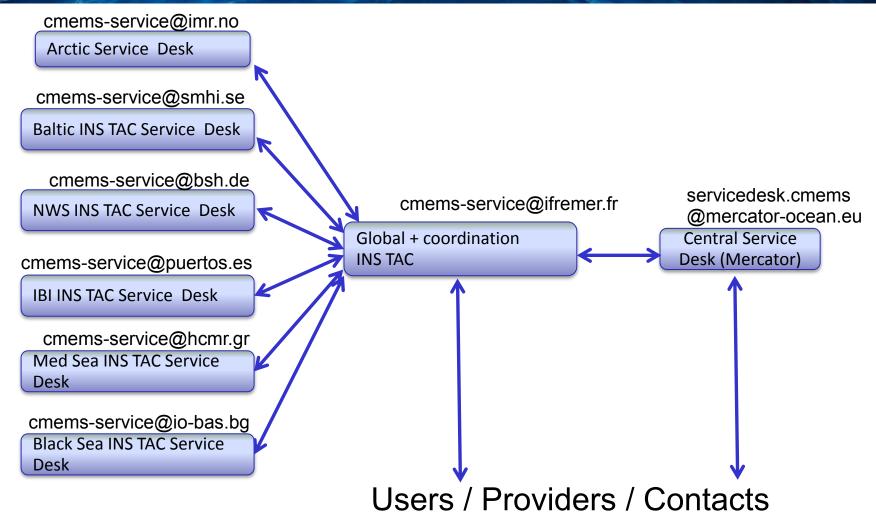
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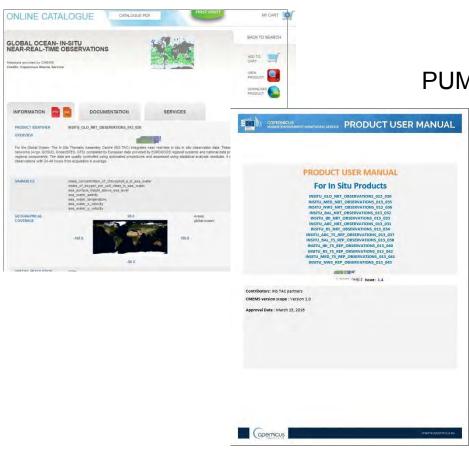


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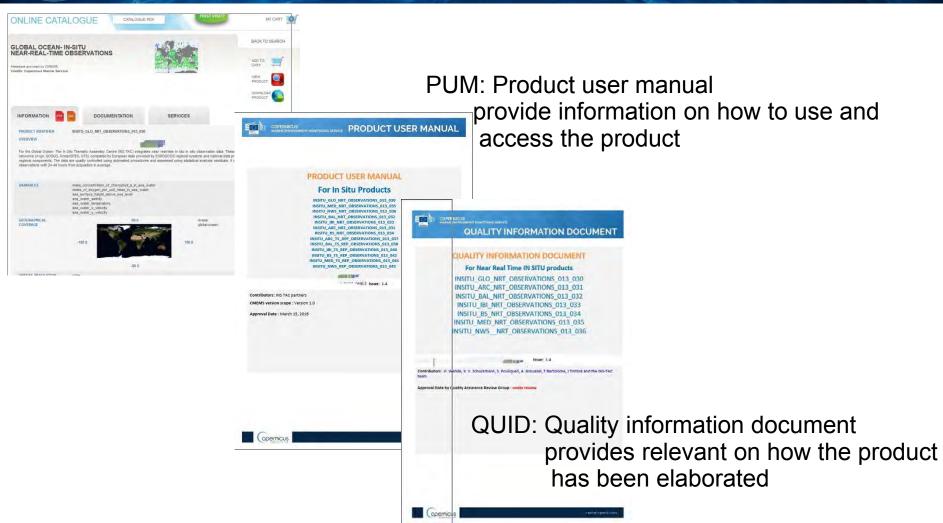


PUM: Product user manual

provide information on how to use and access the product



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- pass to a long process of design review and acceptance review before any operational entry into service (EIS) of a new product
- communicate on all INSTAC activities provide use cases every 3 months



Next steps

Prepare Version 3 (EIS April 2017 which will iclude wave products

Prepare Version 4 'EIS (April 2018) which will include Bio-geochemical data

Prepare phase 2 (After april 2018) which will include new datasets (ie ADCP data, HF Radar,)



How to join and contribute?

By using the INSTAC products (NRT and delayed mode) and provide us any feedback on the data quality, level of metadata, lack of data or need of further infomations

By sharing any datasets relevant to the project. Contact the regional distribution unit or the global one



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