

Abbreviations and acronyms

ANZSIC	Australian and New Zealand Standard Industrial Classification
AUV	Autonomous Underwater Vehicle
BWM	Ballast Water Management
BWMC	Ballast Water Management Convention
BWMS	Ballast Water Management System
BWTS	Ballast Water Treatment System
CICES	Common International Classification for Ecosystem Services
CMEMS	Copernicus Marine Environment Service
CPC	Central Product Classification
DGMARE	Directorate-General Maritime Affairs and Fisheries
DGMP	Portugal's Directorate-General for Maritime Policy
EC	European Commission
eDNA	Environmental DNA (Deoxyribonucleic acid)
EEZ	Exclusive Economic Zone
EFESE	Evaluation française des écosystèmes et des services écosystémiques
EIA	Environmental Impact Assessment
EMODnet	European Marine Data Observation Network
ENOW	US Economics: National Ocean Watch
EO	Earth Observation
EOV	Essential ocean variable
EPA	US Environmental Protection Agency
ESA	European System of Accounts
ESCAP	UN Economic and Social Commission of Asia and the Pacific
EU	European Union
EUMETSAT	European Organisation for the Exploitation of Meteorological Satellites
EuroGOOS	European Ocean Observing System
FAO	Food and Agriculture Organisation of the United Nations
GCOS	Global Climate Observing System
GEO	Group of Earth Observations
GEOSS	Global Earth Observing System of Systems
GIS	Geographic Information System
GOC	Global Ocean Commission
GOOS	Global Ocean Observing System
GVA	Gross Value Added
GWEC	Global Wind Energy Council
HAB-OFS	Harmful Algal Bloom Operational Forecast System
HABs	Harmful Algal Blooms
ICSU	International Council for Science
IEA	International Energy Agency
Ifremer	French Research Institute for Exploitation of the Sea
IMO	International Maritime Organisation
IMOS	Integrated Marine Observing System of Australia

IMP	Integrated Maritime Policy
IMTA	Integrated Multitrophic Aquaculture
IOC	Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission (of UNESCO)
IODE	International Oceanographic Data and Information Exchange Programme (IOC)
IOOS	US Integrated Ocean Observing System
ISIC	International Standard Industrial Classification of all Economic Activities
MaREI	Marine and Renewable Energy in Ireland
MARSIC	Marine Autonomous and Robotics Innovation Centre
MAS	Marker-Assisted Sequencing
MPA	Marine Protected Area
MRE	Marine Renewable Energy
MSP	Marine Spatial Planning
NACE	General Industrial Classification of Economic Activities within the European Communities
NAICS	North American Industry Classification System
NOAA	US National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
OECD	Organisation for Economic Co-Operation and Development
OFI	Ocean Frontier Institute
ORE	Offshore Renewable Energy
OSPAR	Convention for the Protection of the Marine Environment of the North-East Atlantic
PLOCAN	Oceanic Platform of the Canary Islands
PRIs	Public Research Institutes
ROV	Remotely Operated Underwater Vehicle
SAIC	Scottish Aquaculture Innovation Centre
SAS	Satellite Account for the Sea
SDGs	Sustainable Development Goals
SEEA	System of Environmental-Economic Accounting
SEEA-CF	System of Environmental-Economic Accounts – Central Framework
SEEA-EEA	System of Environmental-Economic Accounts – Experimental Ecosystem Accounting
SNA	System of National Accounts
SUTs	Supply and Use Tables
TEEB	The Economics of Ecosystems and Biodiversity
TRL	Technological Readiness Level
UNESCO	UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization
UNSC	United Nations Statistical Commission
WMO	World Meteorological Organization



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