

# SeaDataNet II: Pan-European infrastructure for ocean and marine data management

## Fact Sheet

### Project Information

SEADATANET II

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[Project website](#) 

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Closed project

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Coordinated by  
**INSTITUT FRANCAIS DE  
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## Objective

The overall objective of the SeaDataNet II project is to upgrade the present SeaDataNet infrastructure into an operationally robust and state-of-the-art Pan-European infrastructure for providing up-to-date and high quality access to ocean and marine metadata, data and data products originating from data acquisition activities by all engaged coastal states, by setting, adopting and promoting common data management standards and by realising technical and semantic interoperability with other relevant data management systems and initiatives on behalf of science, environmental management, policy making, and economy. SeaDataNet is undertaken by the National Oceanographic Data Centres (NODCs), and marine information services of major research institutes, from 31 coastal states bordering the European seas, and also includes Satellite Data Centres, expert modelling centres and the international organisations IOC, ICES and ELL-IRC in its network. Its

centres and the international organisations IOC, IODE and EODNet in its network. Its 40 data centres are highly skilled and have been actively engaged in data management for many years and have the essential capabilities and facilities for data quality control, long term stewardship, retrieval and distribution.

SeaDataNet II will undertake activities to achieve data access and data products services that meet requirements of end-users and intermediate user communities, such as GMES Marine Core Services (e.g. MyOcean), establishing SeaDataNet as the core data management component of the EODNet infrastructure and contributing on behalf of Europe to global portal initiatives, such as the IOC/IODE – Ocean Data Portal (ODP), and GEOSS. Moreover it aims to achieve INSPIRE compliance and to contribute to the INSPIRE process for developing implementing rules for oceanography.

## Field of science

/social sciences/sociology/governance/public services

/natural sciences/earth and related environmental sciences/oceanography

## Programme(s)

## Topic(s)

## Call for proposal

FP7-INFRASTRUCTURES-2011-1

## Funding Scheme

CP-CSA-Infra - Combination of CP and CSA

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