# COASTAL DATA PORTALS TO SUPPORT MARINE SCIENCE AND MANAGEMENT – THE COASTMAP APPROACH



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# coastMap - the marine Geoportal of the Institute of Coastal Research



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User groups:

- Experts
- Policy makers and interested publilc

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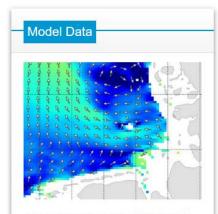


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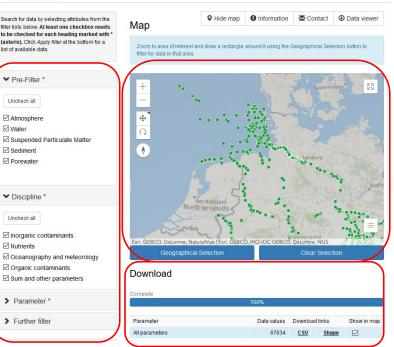
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- App for campaign planning and data collection
- Data storage in relational database

Online tool:

- Various filters
- Immediate download options
- Visualisation

#### Campaign data



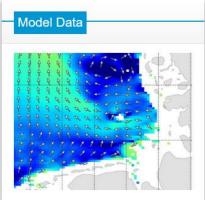
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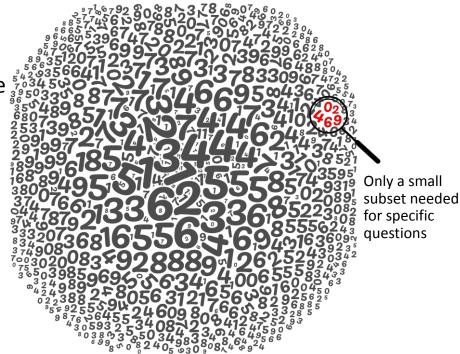
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Problem: Size of model output

- Access time intensive
- Expert knowledge in handling of huge datasets needed

Solution:

- Only relevant data delivered
- Interactive tool for selecting model derived data

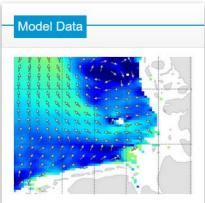




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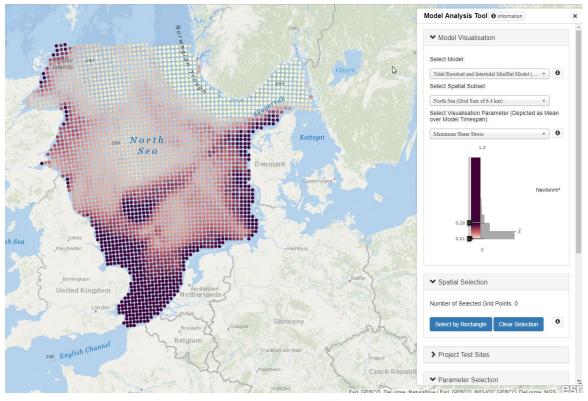
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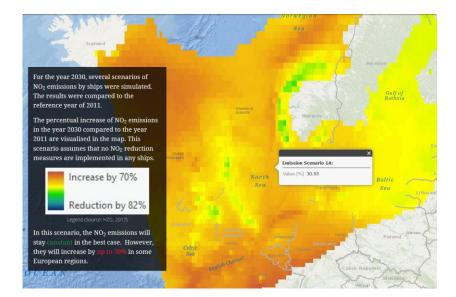


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Science in a nutshell for the interested public:

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- Interactive maps
- Images and graphics
- Videos
- Links to tools and further information



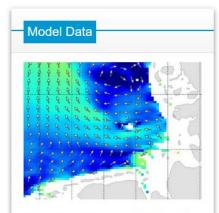


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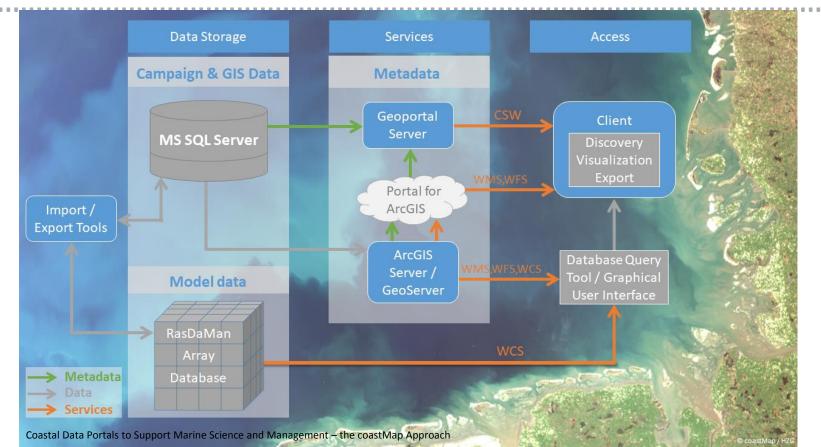
## Live demonstration: www.coastmap.org



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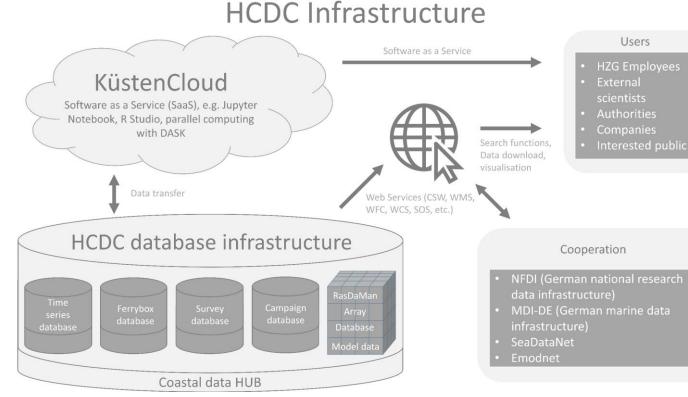
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## OUTLOOK: HELMHOLTZ COASTAL DATA CENTER (HCDC)

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## THANK YOU FOR YOUR ATTENTION!

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