

Supporting marine management from the bottom up

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Are managers missing a trick

PP is an Intermediate or Supporting Ecosystem Service (ES) supporting further ecosystem functions and...

global carbon cycle- sequestering CO₂ from atmosphere

(ES climate regulation

atmospheric O2 (ES clean -breathable- air)

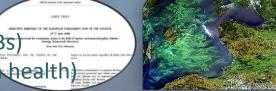
base of marine food web (ES fish and food) (cultural ES, e.g. bird and whale-watching)

Harmful Algal Blooms (HABs) (Oceans and human health)





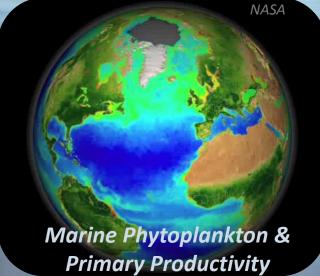




- indicators of climate change (policy driver)
- indicators of eutrophication (e.g. for GES)









Services provided by ecosystems that contribute to making human life both possible and worth living (UK NEA)











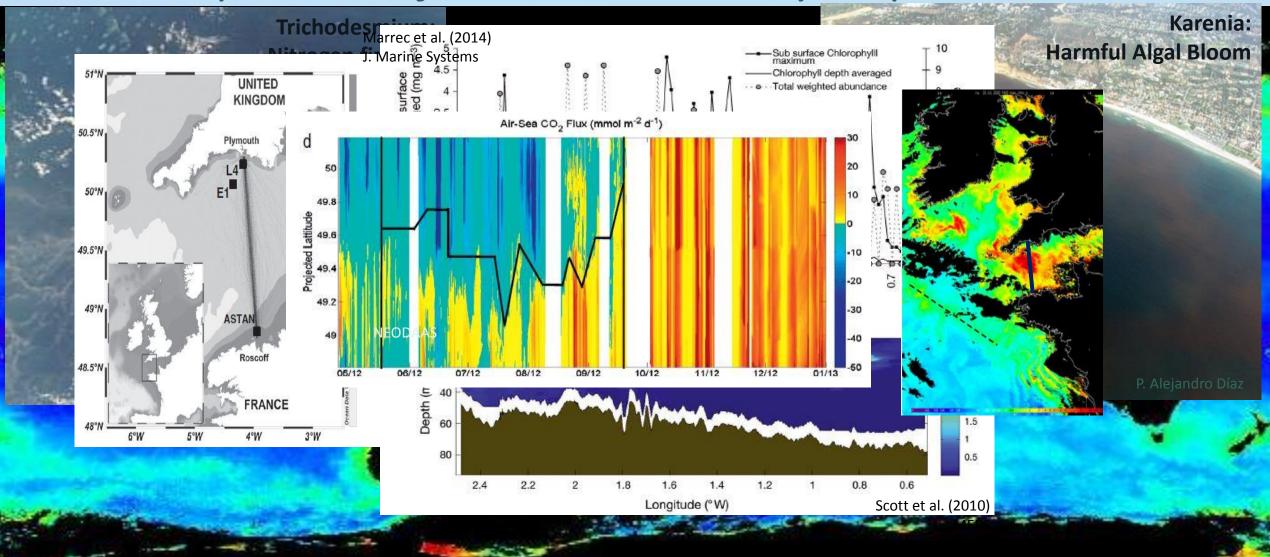






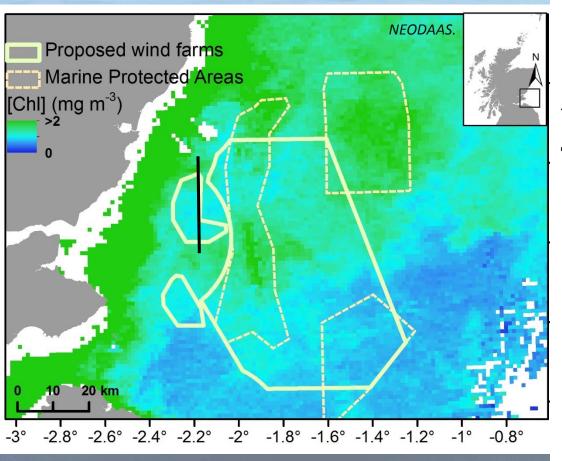


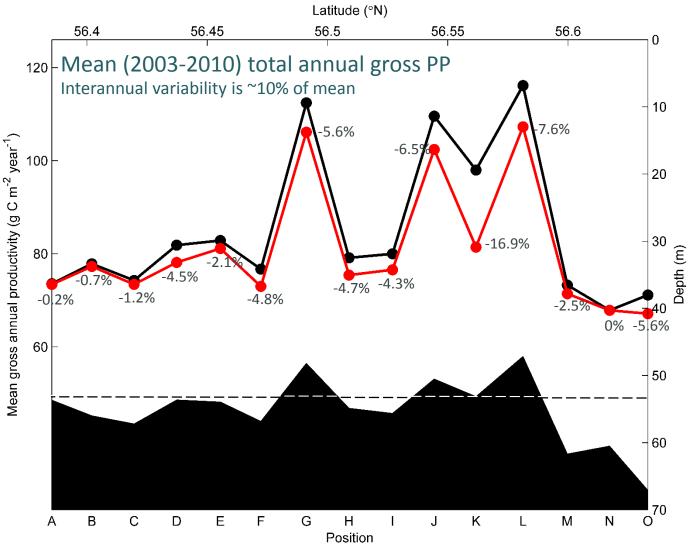
The importance of scale and variability in space



Integrating consideration of phytoplankton into marine

management







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The "CORPORATES" Knowledge Exchange Project

CORPORATES: Cooperative participatory assessment of the impact of renewable technology on ecosystem services

Introduce <u>Ecosystem Services</u> and design with Stakeholders a decision-support framework which addresses potential ecological trade-offs such as climate change, renewable developments, and MPAs

- Involved
 - Natural scientists
 - Social scientists
 - Law & policy experts
 - Regulatory/Advisory partners
 - Stakeholders (Renewables, Fishing, Conservation, Recreation/Tourism)



CORPORATES: Process

Participatory Mapping

Identifying benefits, and commonalities and differences

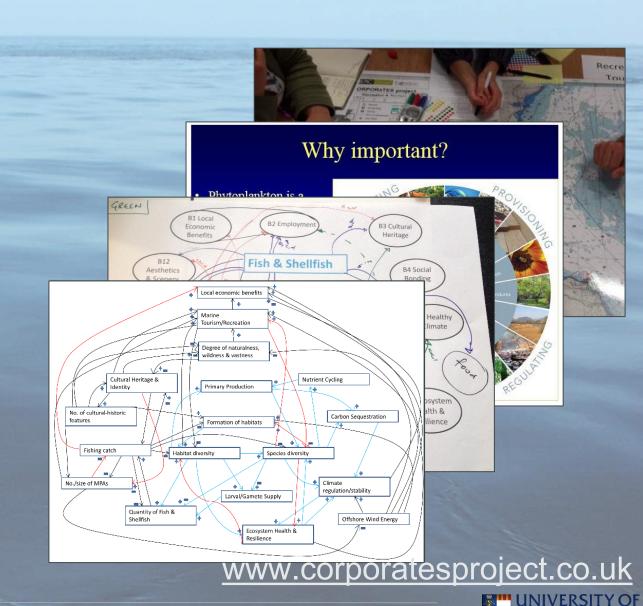
Ecosystem 'interlude'

Linking benefits and ecosystem services

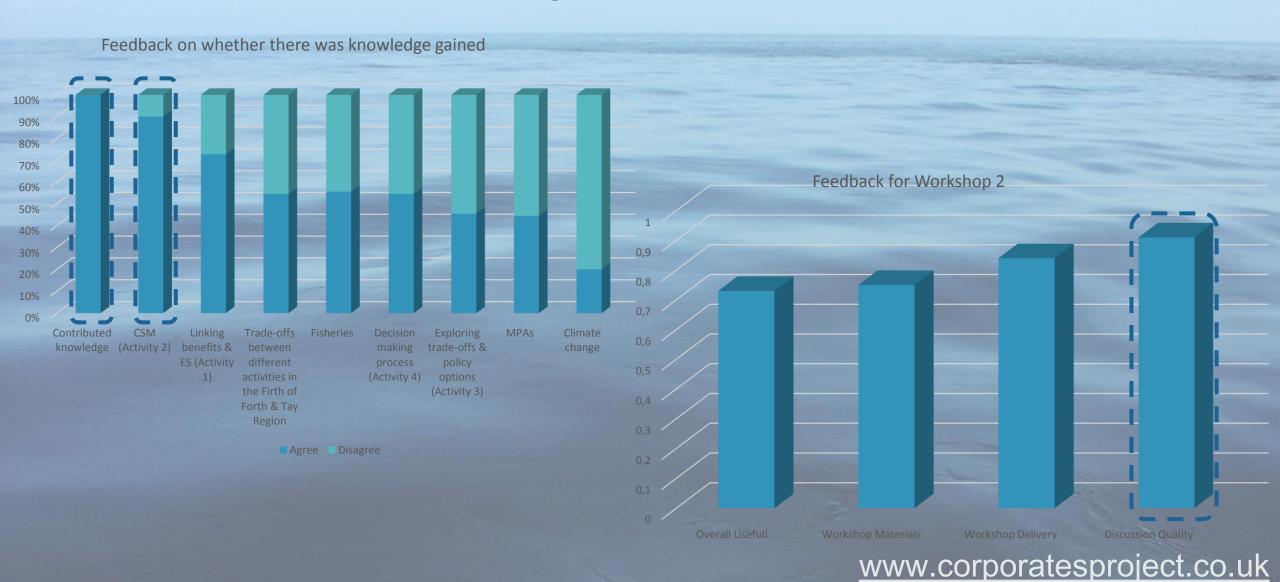
Conceptual systems model building

Policy 'interlude'

Exploring trade-offs and policy options

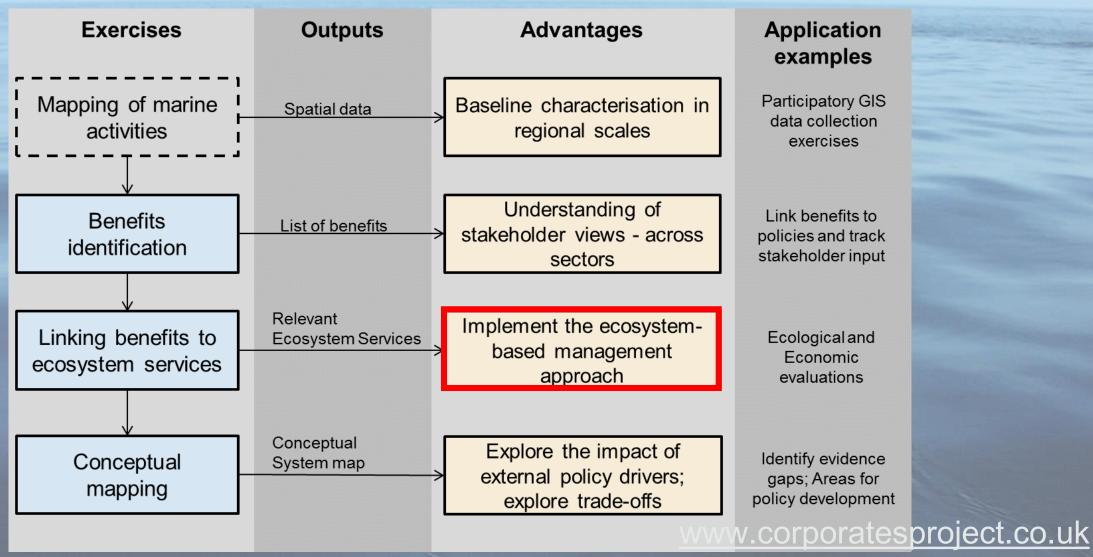


CORPORATES: Feedback from stakeholders





How do marine planning practitioners see it?



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