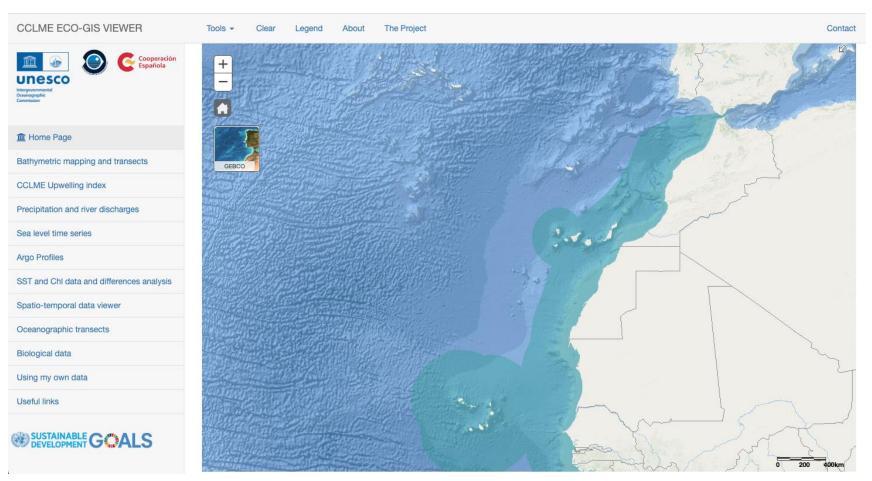


# Brief Introduction of the CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer

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#### **CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer**

#### **Enhancing Oceanography Capacities in the CCLME**









web-based geospatial information portal designed to support environmental and oceanographic research in the Canary Current Large Marine Ecosystem.

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CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer: <a href="http://www.ideo-cclme.ieo.es">http://www.ideo-cclme.ieo.es</a>

Launched in 2017 (Project's Phase II)

Current Project's Phase IV

Implementing Body: IOC-UNESCO

Hosting Partner: Instituto Español de Oceanografía -IEO-

Funding: 100% Spanish Agency for International Development Cooperation -AECID-

# **CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer Analysis Tools**

**10 Analysis Tools** 







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Sea Level Biological Oceano-Bathymetric graphic Data Transects Discharges Transects Service Gauge) Argo3D Oceano-Spatio-Upwelling Using My Own Floats **Temporal** graphic Data Tool **Profiles** Anomalies Viewer

#### **CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer**

#### **Functionalities**



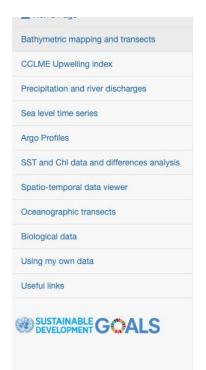


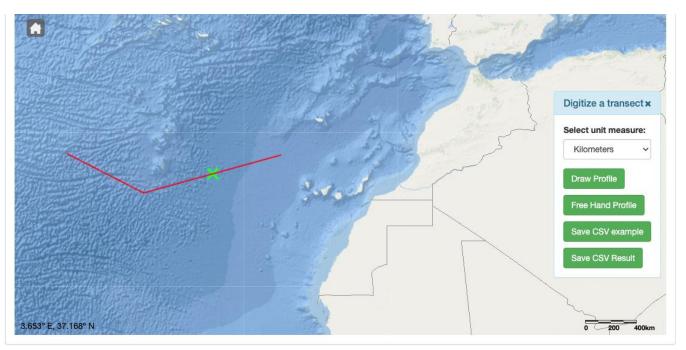
The platform provides a range of functionalities and tools, that allow:

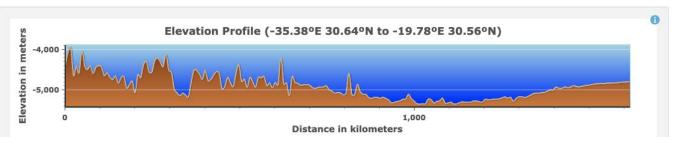
- **Spatial Data Visualization**: to visualize various spatial data layers on a map, such as bathymetric profiles, biological data, and oceanographic transects.
- Environmental Study: to study various ocean stressors, and their impact on the marine ecosystem.
- Educational and Decision-Making Support: to serve as an educational resource and aids in decision-making processes for marine resource management and conservation efforts.
- Custom Data Analysis: users can upload and analyse their own datasets within the viewer.
- **Data Download:** it provides options to download data in several formats like CSV, PNG, JPEG, PDF, and SVG for offline analysis and use in publications or reports.

# **Bathymetry Mapping and Transects Analysis Tool**

**Understanding Bathymetry in the CCLME region** 













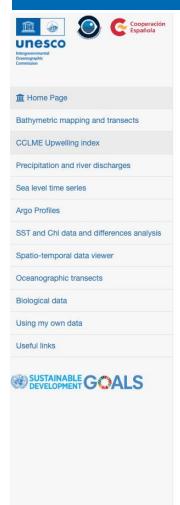
The tool provides the capability to create detailed bathymetric profiles utilizing ESRI's elevations service.

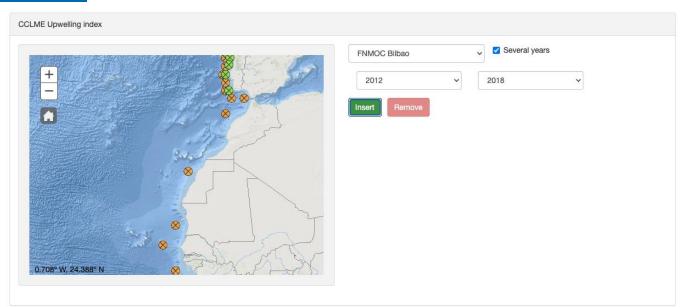
It leverages a comprehensive digital elevation model (DEM), incorporating data from the Shuttle Radar Topography Mission (SRTM), the USGS's GTOPO30, and the General Bathymetry Chart of the Oceans (GEBCO).

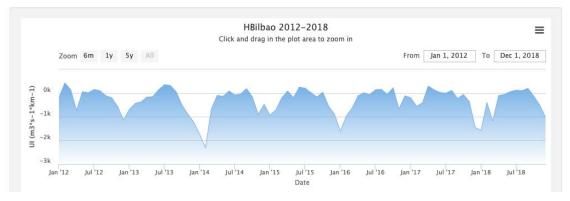
**Data Sources:** SRTM, GTOPO30, and GEBCO datasets, offer high-resolution topographic and bathymetric data globally.

## **Upwelling Index Analysis Tool**

#### **Understanding Ocean Upwelling in the CCLME Region**













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The tool provides monthly and annual data, facilitating the exploration and analysis of upwelling data.

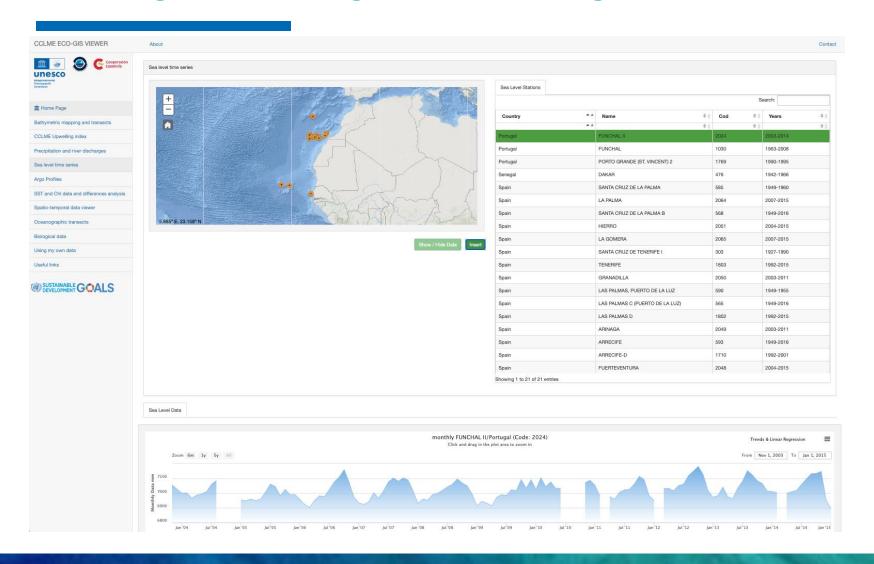
The upwelling index time series, used in this tool, is provided by the Spanish Institute of Oceanography (IEO)

Analysis Capabilities: Users can create annual series graphs for different stations and years, enabling comparative analysis.

**Data Sources:** Includes Meteogalicia and FNMOC series.

# **Sea level time series Analysis Tool**

#### Monitoring Sea Level Changes in the CCLME Region





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The tool offers access to sea level data collected from tide gauges and bottom pressure recorders, enabling the study of sea level changes over time.

Data Source: Permanent Service for Mean Sea Level (PSMSL), is the global data bank for long-term sealevel change information from tide gauges and bottom pressure recorders.

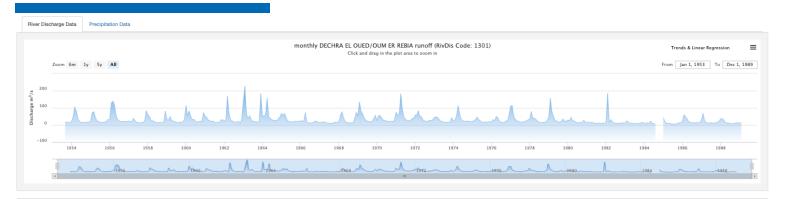
# **Precipitation and River Discharges Analysis Tool**

#### **Understanding Precipitation and River Discharges in the CCLME region**





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Anomalies with respect to the above annual cycle Click and drag in the plot area to zoom in

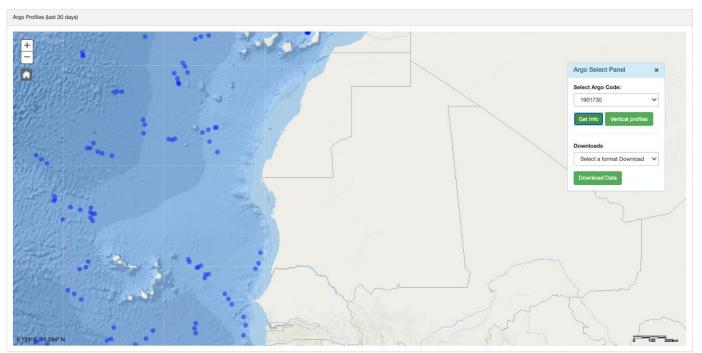


The tool offers access to Northwest Africa Rivers Discharge stations from the Global River Discharge Database and the Global Historical Climatology Network-Monthly (GHCN-M), providing historical data for the region.

Analysis Capabilities: Users can generate and analyze graphs for precipitation and river discharges, aiding in the understanding of regional water cycles and climate patterns.

## **Argo3D Profiles Analysis Tool**

#### **Exploring Ocean Dynamics with Argo3D in the CCLME region**













The tool provides comprehensive oceanographic data from the Argo float network.

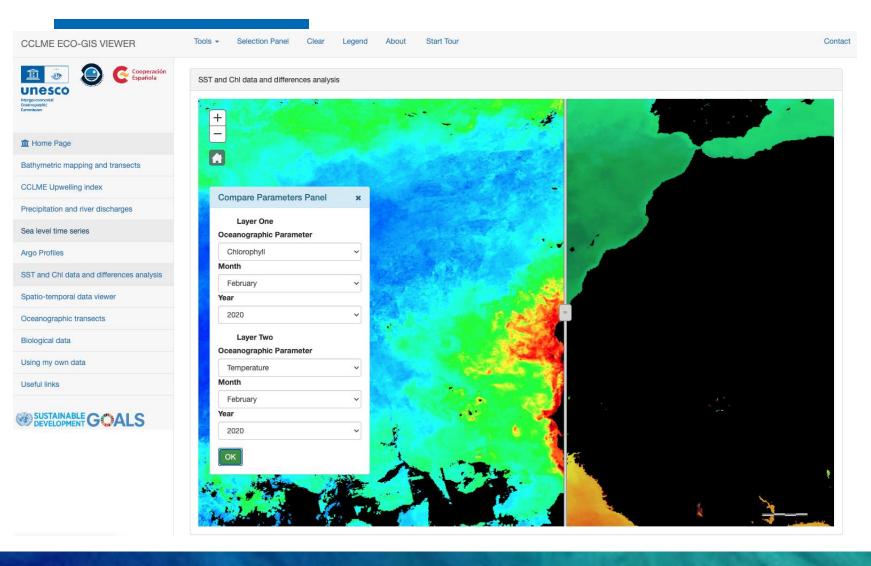
It uses services provided by Euro-Argo, including fleet monitoring and data selection services.

Analysis Capabilities: Selection and retrieval of data from the Argo float network for targeted oceanographic research.

**Download Options:** Data available for download in CSV and JSON formats.

# **SST** and Chl differences Analysis Tool

#### **Understanding Oceanographic Anomalies in the CCLME Region**







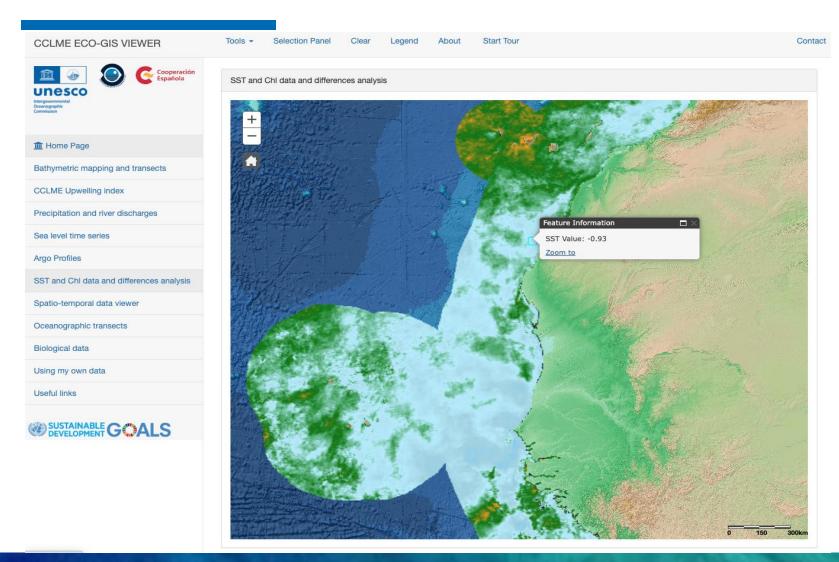


The tool enables the analysis of sea surface temperature and chlorophyll concentration, aiding in the study of marine ecosystem health and dynamics.

Data Sources: AQUA MODIS Satellite Data by NASA provide oceanographic parameters like sea surface temperature and chlorophyll concentration.

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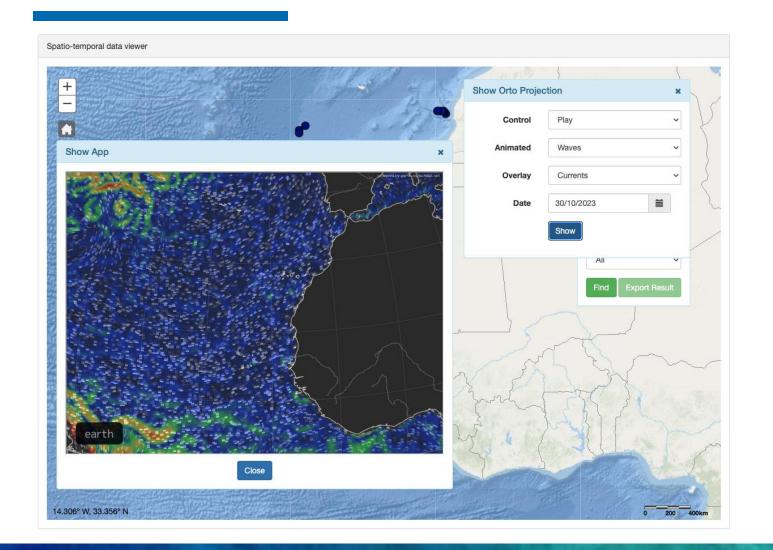
The tool assists in monitoring environmental changes and their potential impacts.

**Analysis Capabilities:** Users can explore anomalies in oceanographic parameters.

**Download Options:** Oceanographic data can be downloaded in formats such as CSV, PNG, JPEG, PDF, and SVG, facilitating various uses in research and presentation.

# **Spatio-Temporal Data Viewer Analysis Tool**

#### **Exploring Oceanographic Data in the CCLME Region**









The tool provides access to the Earth Viewer and Windytv Viewer and interact with both through the CCLME GIS Viewer.

The Earth Viewer shows information about SST, waves, currents, and significant wave height, and it is possible select the date of the layers loaded.

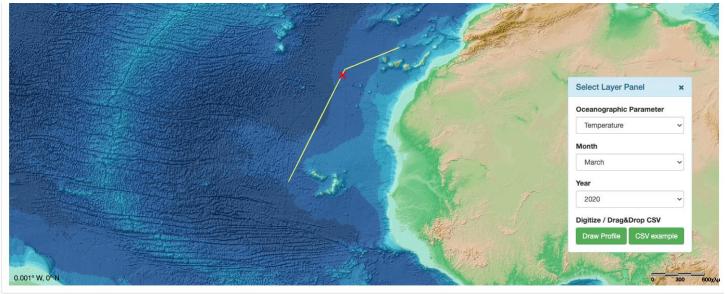
**Analysis Capabilities:** Users can interact with the tool to explore and analyze spatio-temporal data layers.

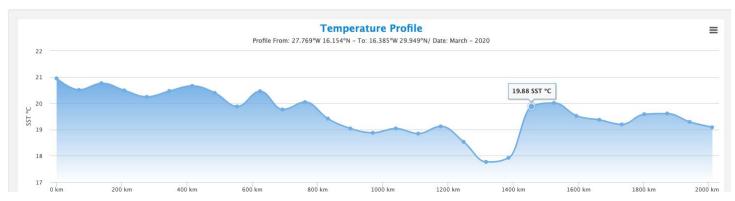
The tool assists in understanding the dynamic processes of the ocean and atmosphere.

# **Oceanographic Transects Analysis Tool**

#### **Exploring Oceanographic Transects in the CCLME Region**









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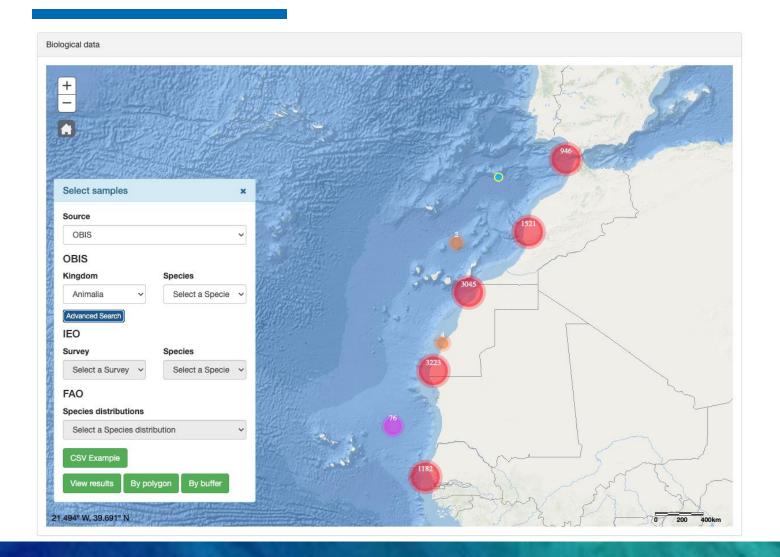
The tool provides detailed insights into Sea Surface Temperature (SST) and Chlorophyll concentration in the Canary Current Large Marine Ecosystem, using satellite-based data from NASA's Ocean Color datasets.

**Analysis Capabilities:** Ability to create transects and analyze spatial variations in SST and Chlorophyll over time.

Data Sources: Utilizes AQUA MODIS Satellite Data provided by NASA.

#### **Biological Data Analysis Tool**

#### **Analyzing Marine Biodiversity in the CCLME Region**









The tool provides analysis of biological data from the Instituto Español de Oceanografía's SIRENO database, OBIS API, and FAO maps, focusing on indices like abundance.

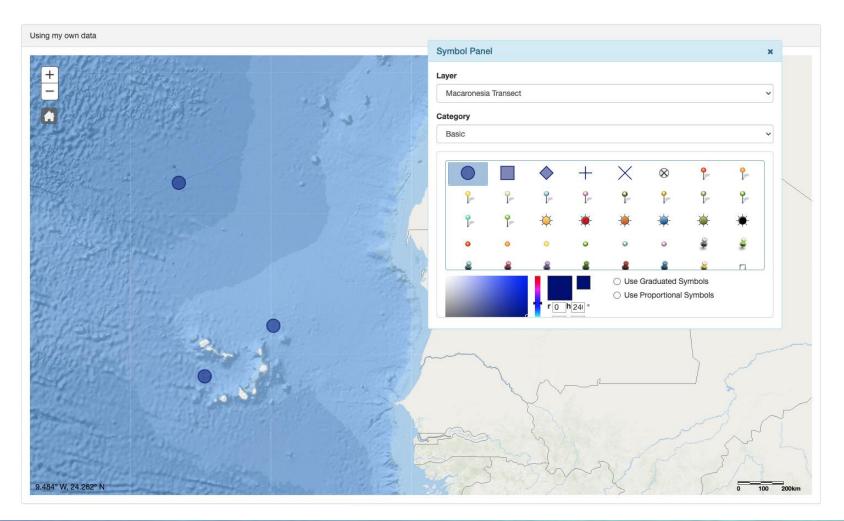
**Analysis Capabilities:** Examination of species distribution and abundance patterns.

#### **Data Sources:**

- SIRENO Database from the IEO
- OBIS API for marine species records
- FAO Aquatic Species Distribution Maps

## **Using My Own Data Analysis Tool**

#### **Empowering Analysis with Personal Data in the CCLME Region**







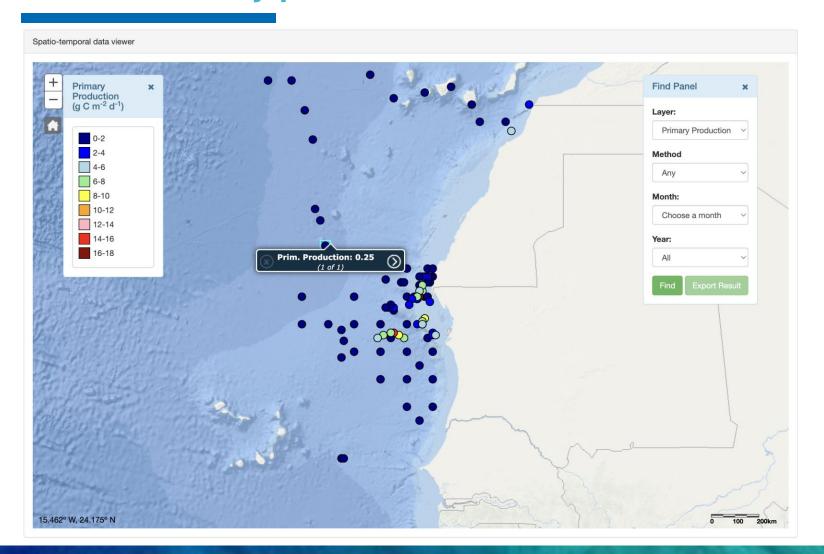


The tool enables users to upload and analyze their CSV-formatted data within the CCLME ECO-GIS Viewer. Supports integration of user-provided data with existing functionalities, facilitating personalized analysis and comparison.

#### **Features:**

- Interactive map for user data visualization.
- Drag and drop CSV files onto the map to create a point layer representing the data.
- Various tools available for further analysis, including Geodesic Tools, Graph Tool, and Interpolation Tool.

# PHASE III **Results Primary production database**









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**EBUS** primary production database prepared, compiling 327 primary production in situ data points from 20 studies.

The archive contains: 164 measurements for the CCLME

Data was prepared in an additional data archive for integration in the CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer.

The data will be available to search and analyse at the **Spatio-Temporal Data** Viewer

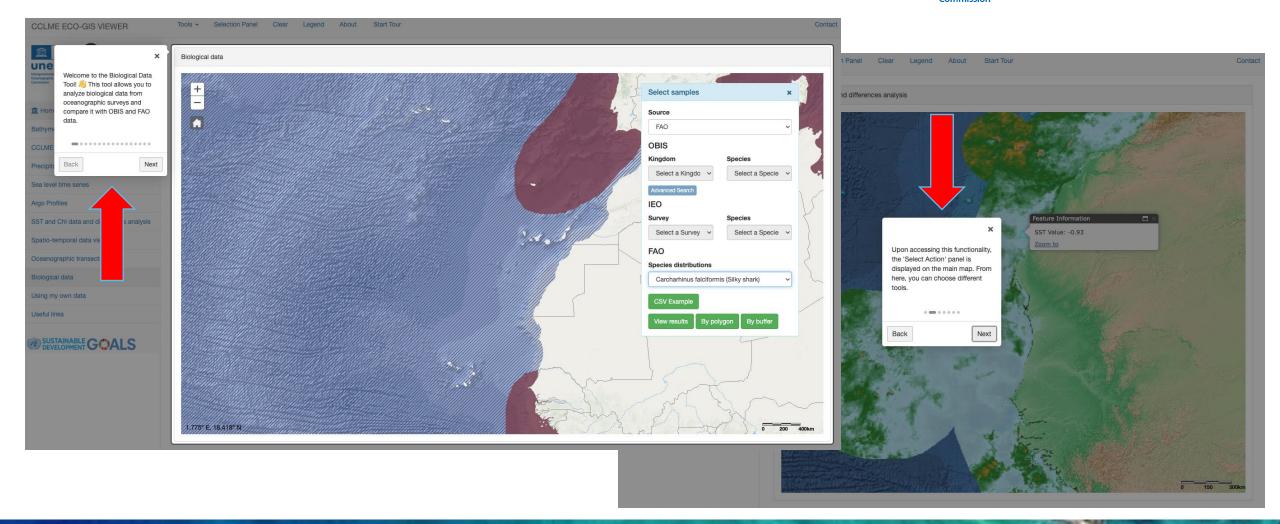
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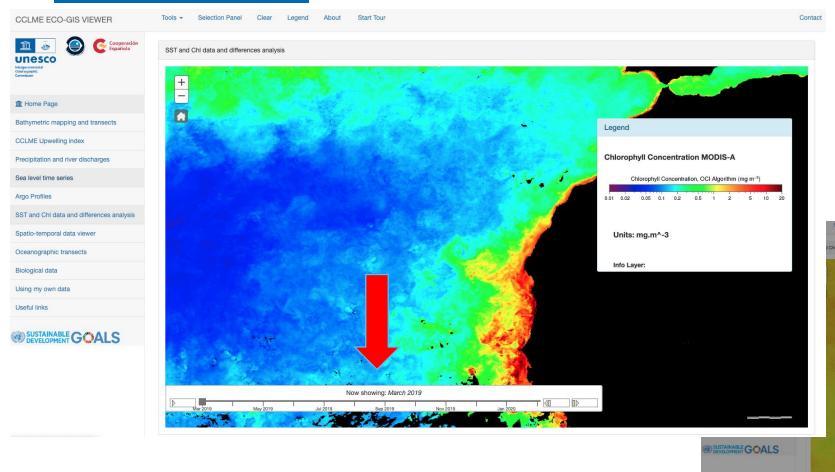


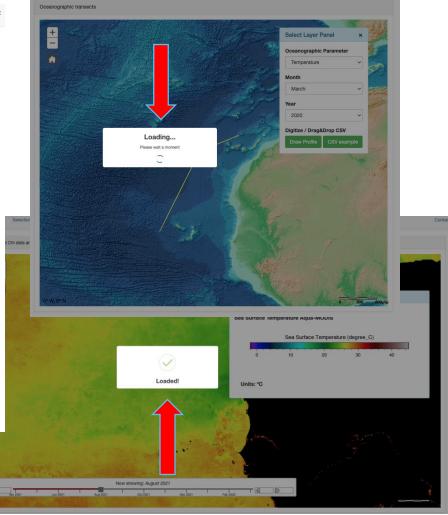






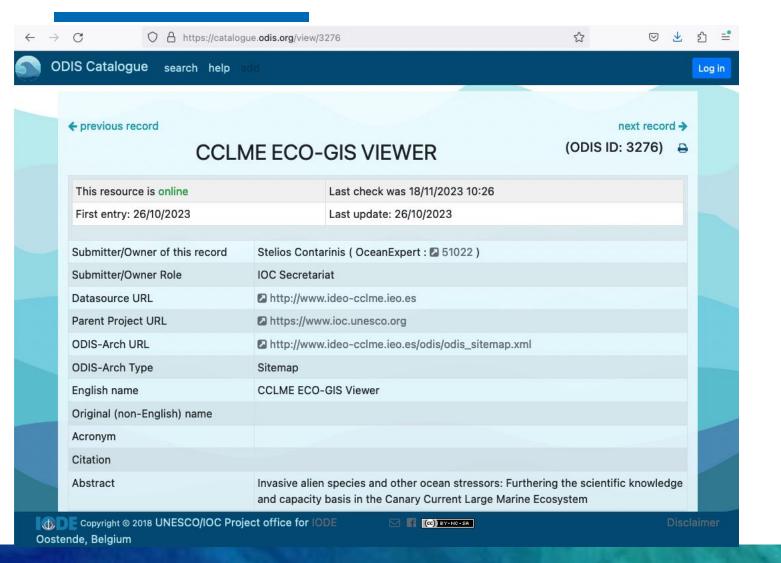
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# **Listed in ODIS Catalogue**

As 1 project with 10 services (the viewer tools)









ODIS Catalogue is part of the Ocean Data and Information System (ODIS) architecture, an integrated strategy to support interoperability and integration of ocean data and information services.

The ODIS Catalogue serves as a registry and directory of ocean-related data sets, services, and systems.

It includes metadata information that makes it easier to discover, access, and use the oceanographic data.

It aligns with international efforts to promote the sharing of ocean data, following the FAIR principles (Findable, Accessible, Interoperable, Reusable).

## **CCLME Eco-GIS Viewer Improvements**

# **Proposal of an Internal Workshop**





We are thinking about the possibility of organizing a project meeting to present of the updates and improvements, as an "Avant première".

It could be a full day hands-on workshop. This will be an opportunity to:

- Showcase the improvements
- Collect your feedback and spot any details before launching the communication campaign

If you are interested, please let us know so that we can fix a date:

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You may contact us with your ideas.



# **CCLME** Alien Species Database

Discussion on the presentation of the data in the CCLME Eco-GIS VIEWER will follow after the health break



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