Ocean Observing Decade Coordination Office

The Ocean Decade's Data & Information Strategy recognises three key underpinning components that need to be well coordinated and interconnected to create a productive Digital Ecosystem: 'observations and data collection', 'data management and sharing', and 'analytics modelling and predictions'.

The Data Coordination Office (DCO) for Ocean Observing unites a community of 11 Programmes and 91 Projects working collaboratively with the Global Ocean Observing System (GOOS) to expand, revolutionise and operationalise a truly inclusive ocean observing system, where both public and private sector entities collaborate to deliver tangible societal benefits.



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