Crowd-Sourced Bathymetry





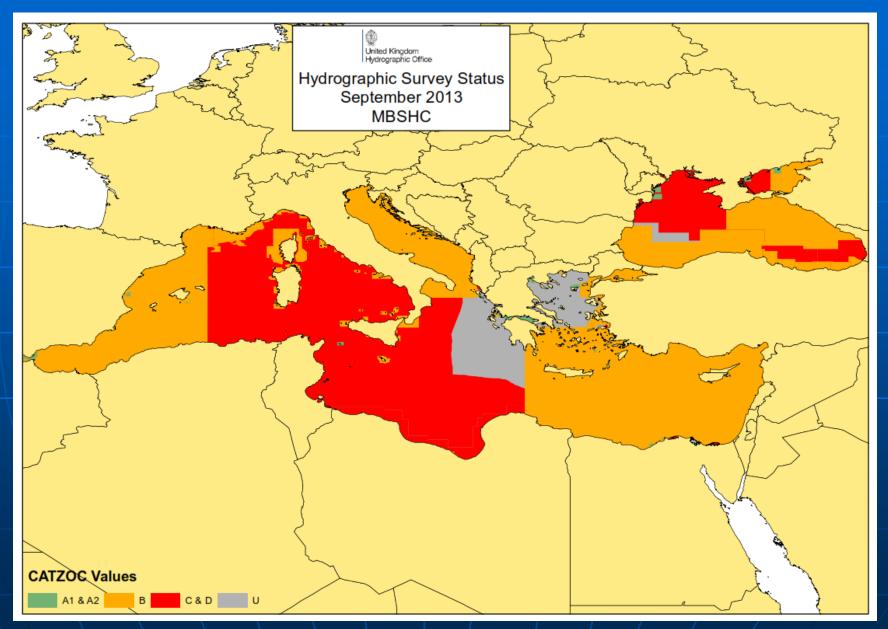
The Problem

Less than 10 percent of the world's seas and oceans are surveyed to modern standards. There are higher resolution maps of the Moon and Mars than most of the world's sea and ocean areas.

There is no indication of any significant improvement, in the last three decades the numbers of surveying vessels has declined by 34% for offshore vessels and 35% for coastal vessels.

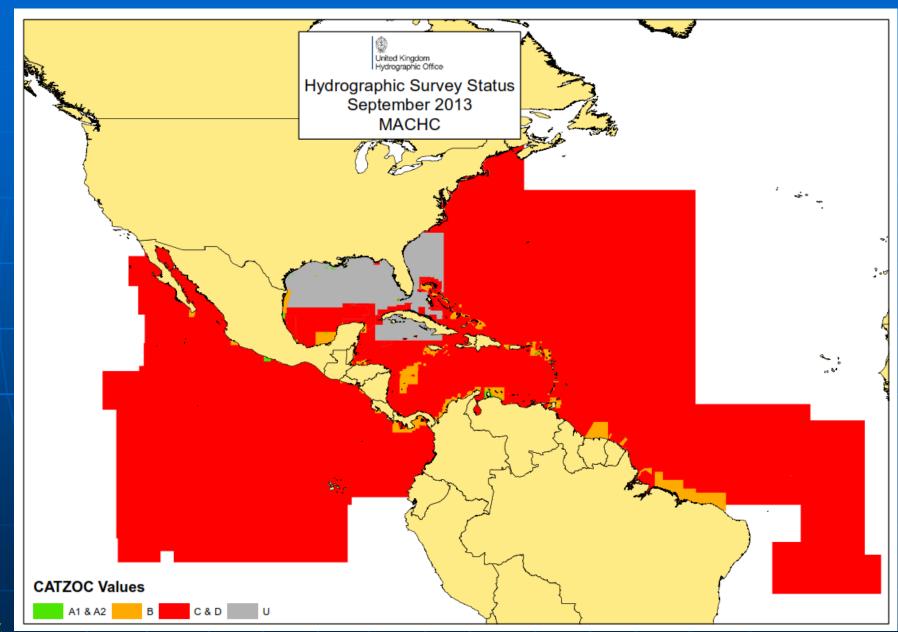
This reduction has not been matched by an increase in capacity through the use of more efficient technology or through governments opting to use commercial surveying contractors.

Data Coverage in Mediterranean Sea



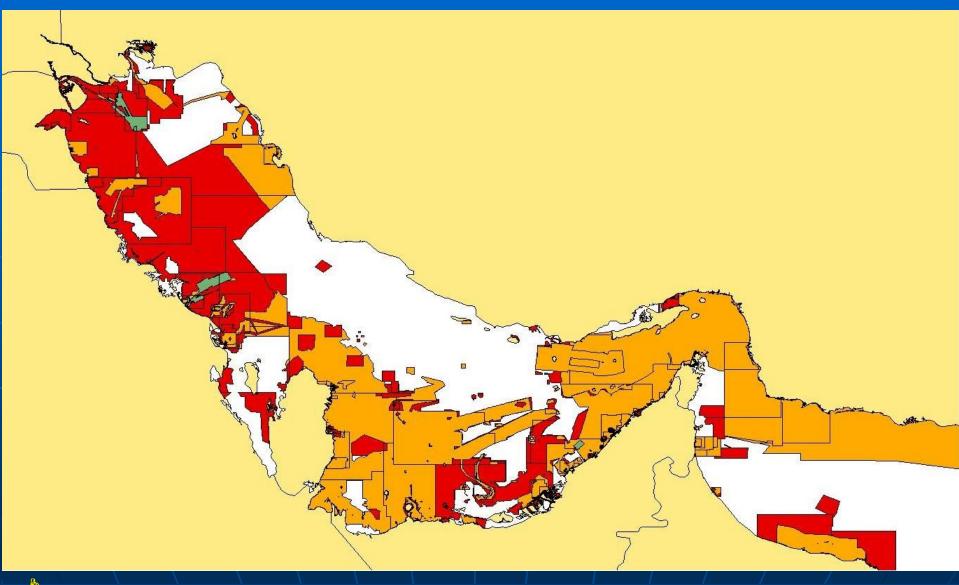


Data Coverage in Caribbean Sea



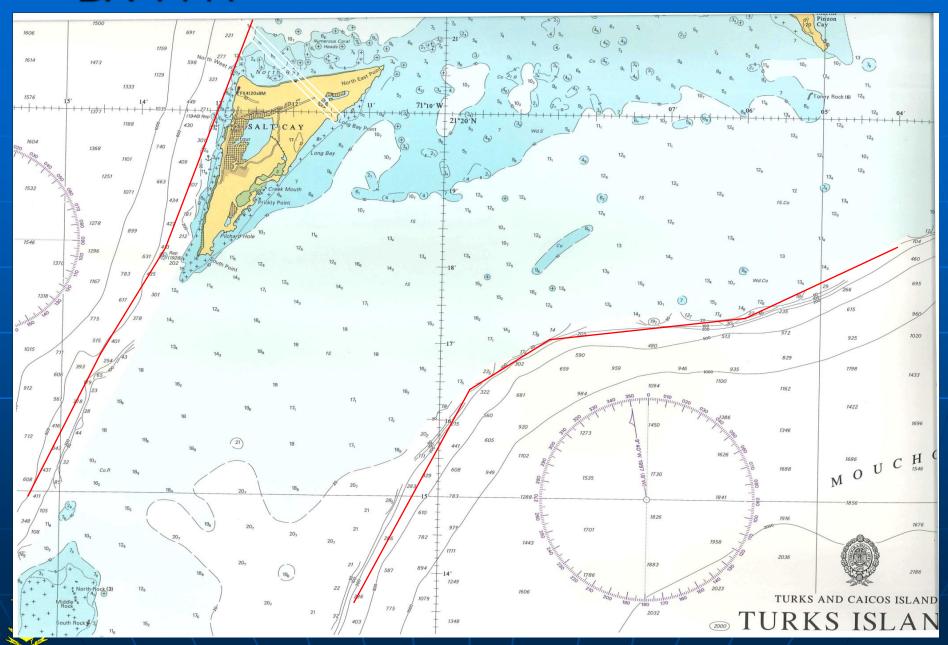


Data Coverage in Persian Gulf

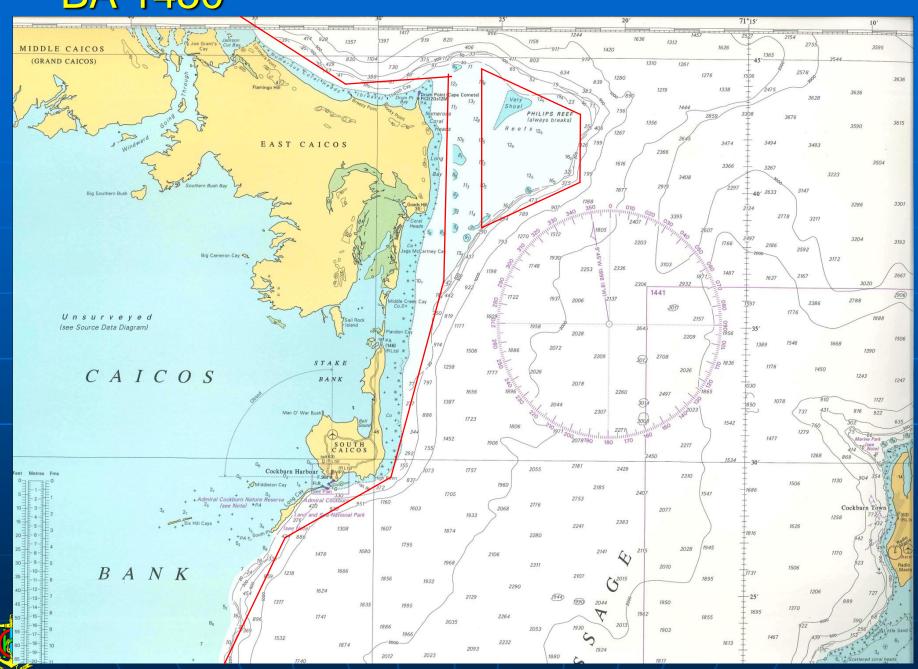




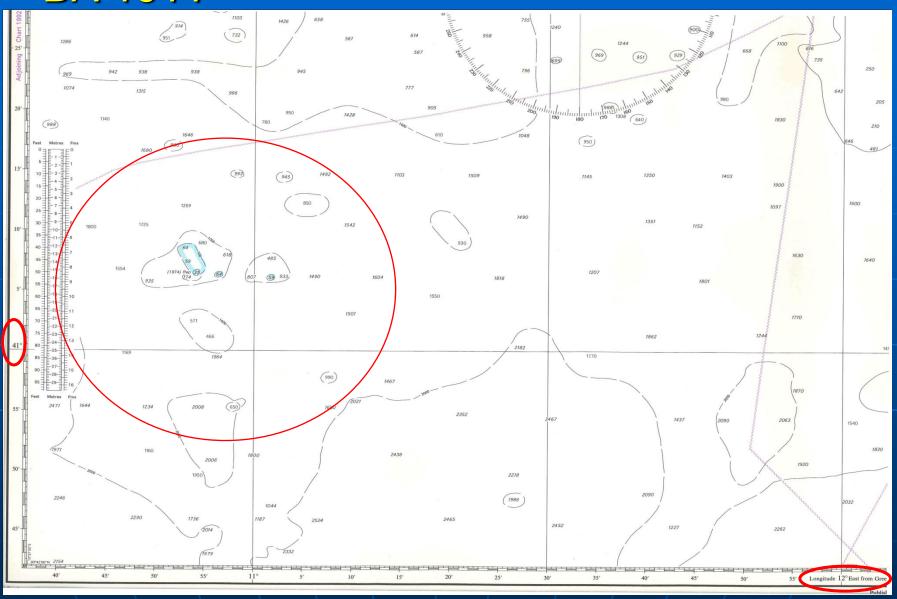
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BA 1911



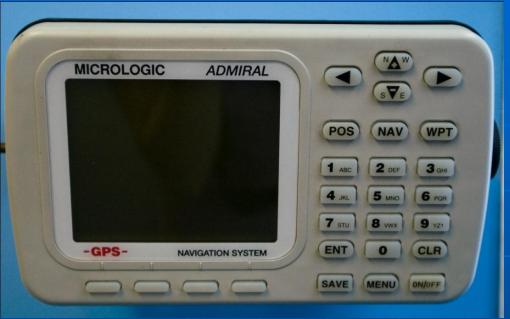


Modern luxury survey launch





Modern survey equipment











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New IHO initiative

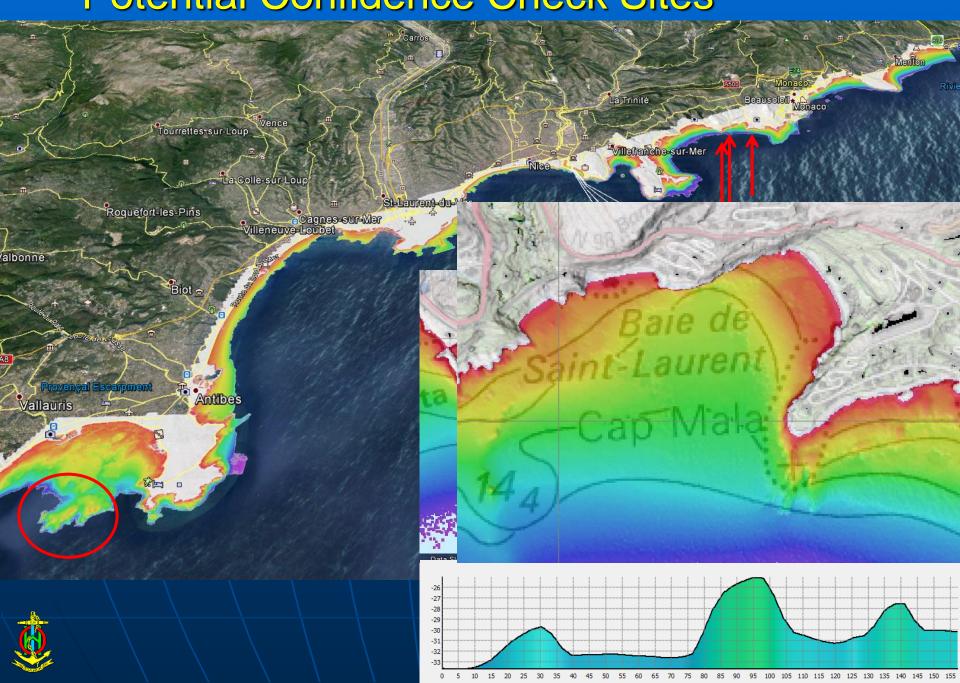
Mariners self-help programme

- Logger in every ship
- Low cost high impact
- Starting in 2014 ?

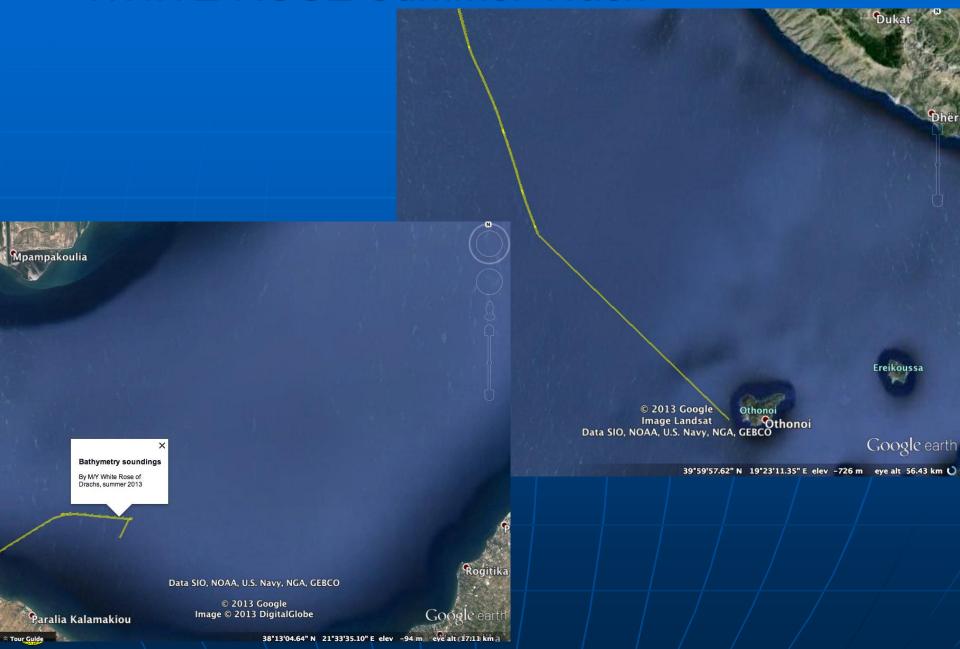




Potential Confidence Check Sites



WHITE ROSE Summer Track





data
uploaded at
mariners'
convenience





near real-time
update and viev

(if required)

normal chart updating cycle

new or revised chart





Thank you, any questions?



