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# AUVs - A TECHNOLOGY WHOSE TIME HAS COME



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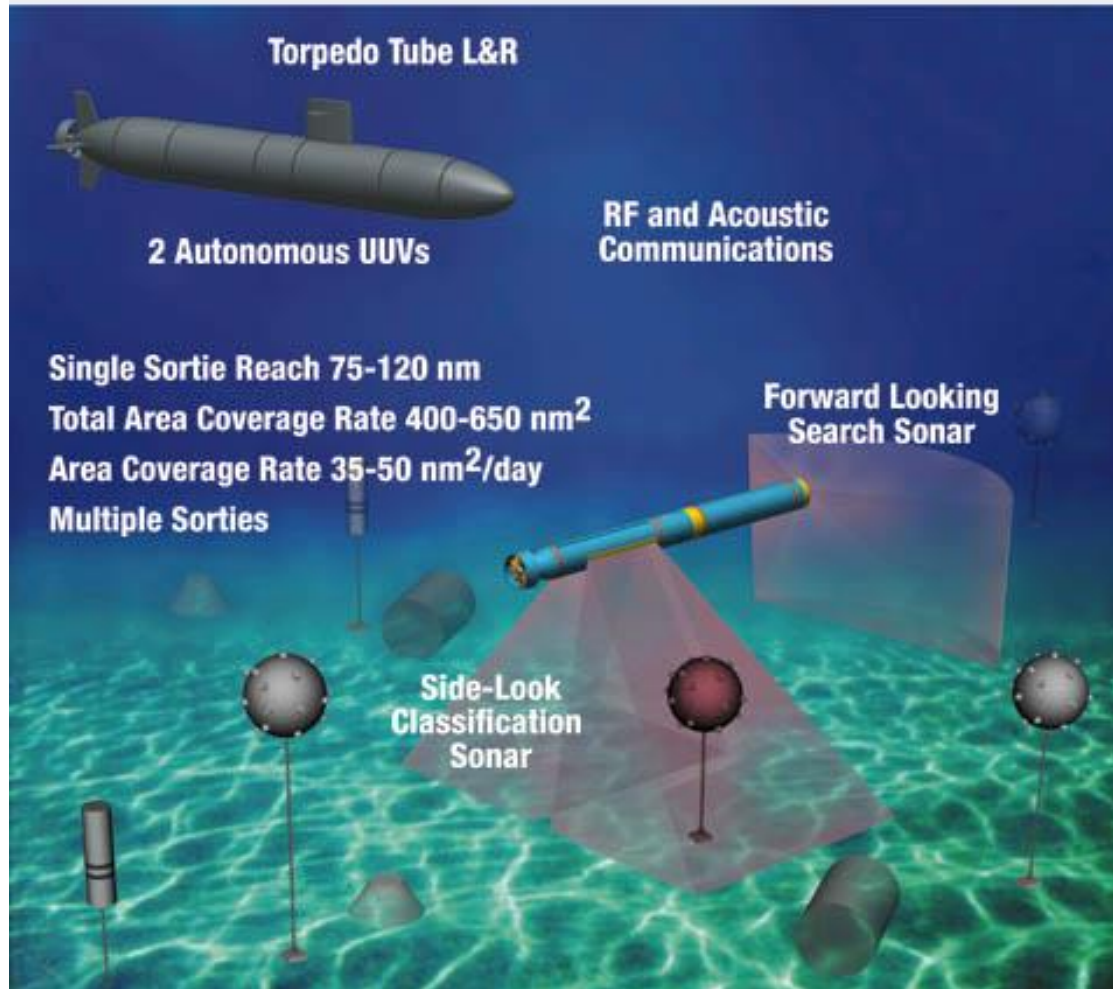
- **MILITARY**
  - **THE NAVY'S NEED**
  - **SSC SAN DIEGO'S ROLE**
- **SCIENTIFIC**
- **COMMERCIAL**
- **THE FUTURE**

# UNDERSEA ROBOTICS WILL PLAY A MAJOR ROLE IN THE NAVY'S FUTURE



# THE LONG-TERM MINE RECONNAISSANCE SYSTEM (LMRS) WILL BE CAPABLE...

## GPS Position Fix Capability



... BUT IS MISSION  
SPECIFIC...

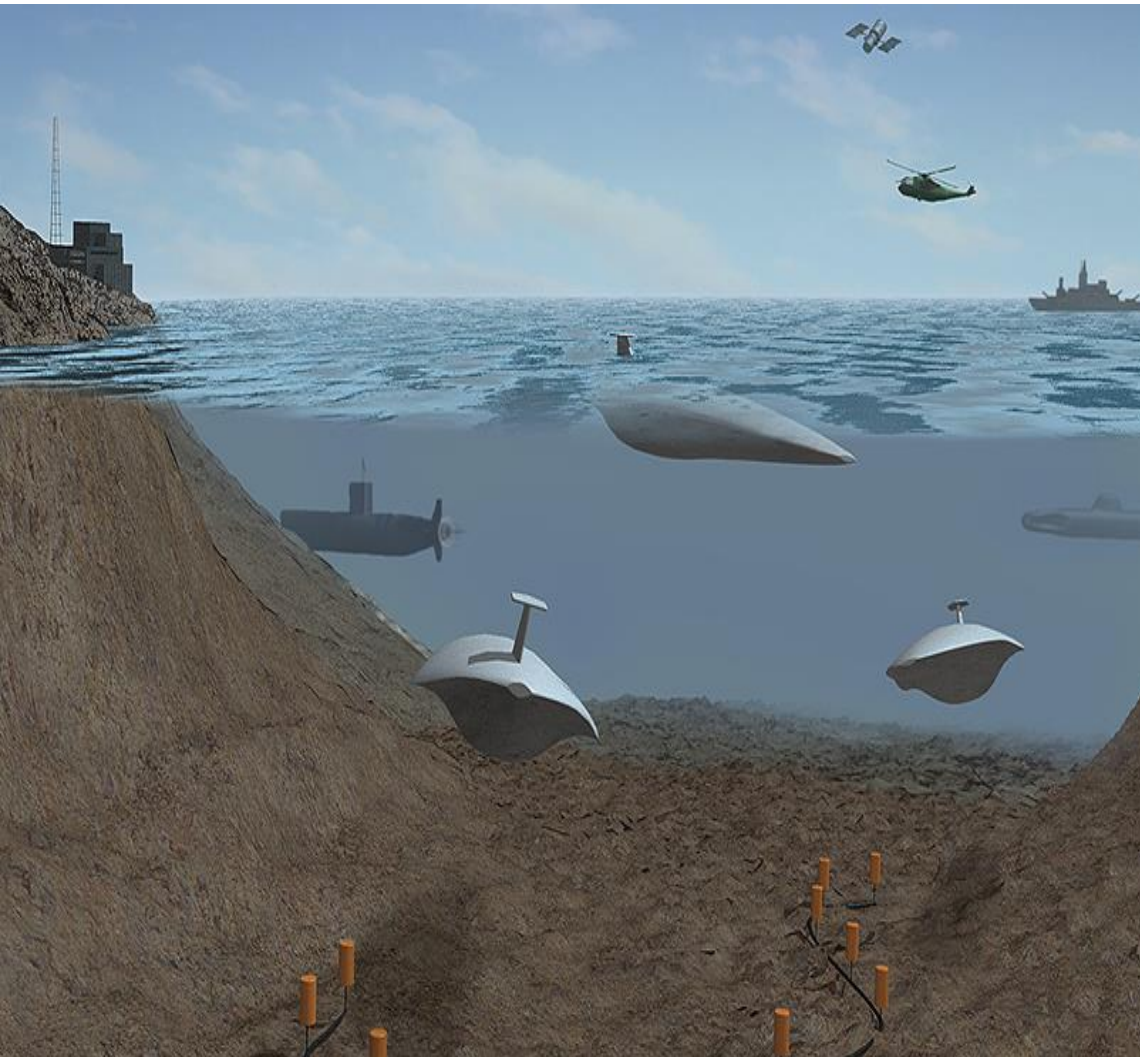
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# US NAVY'S UUV MASTER PLAN



**A First Step Towards a  
Vision of  
Dominance via  
Unmanned Systems**



# TOP 3 UUV PLAN MISSION CAPABILITIES

## Maritime Reconnaissance

- Intelligence collection
- Battle Damage Assessment
- Target Designation

## Navigation / Communication Aid

- Communications relay
- On-demand navigation aid
- Subsea data exchange

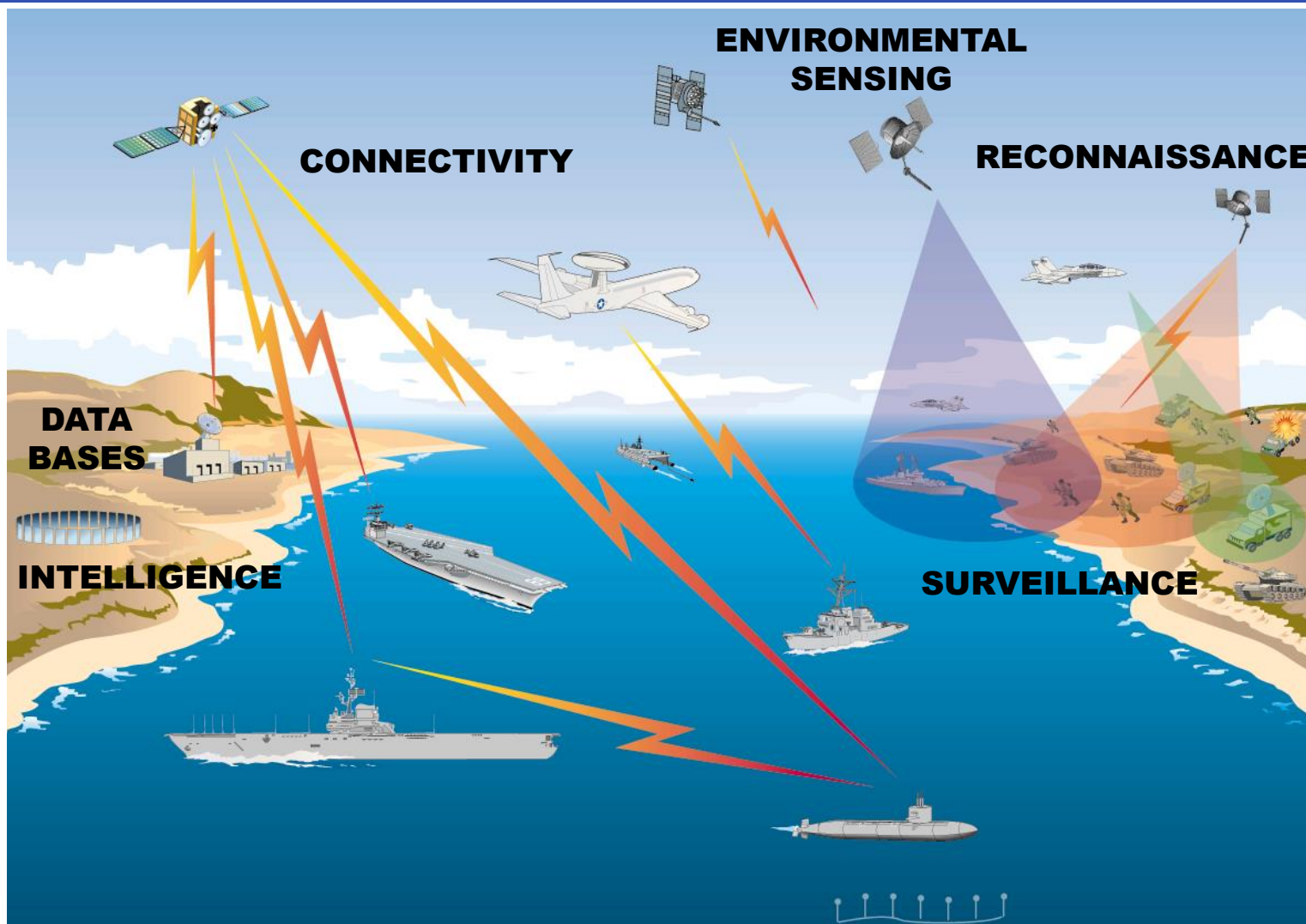
## Undersea Search and Survey

- Mine Countermeasures
- Object sensing and intervention
- Oceanography



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# SSC SAN DIEGO C4ISR IS OUR MISSION



# WHAT IS C4ISR?

- ❑ **COMMAND**
- ❑ **CONTROL**
- ❑ **COMMUNICATIONS**
- ❑ **COMPUTERS**
- ❑ **INTELLIGENCE**
- ❑ **SURVEILLANCE**
- ❑ **RECONNAISSANCE**

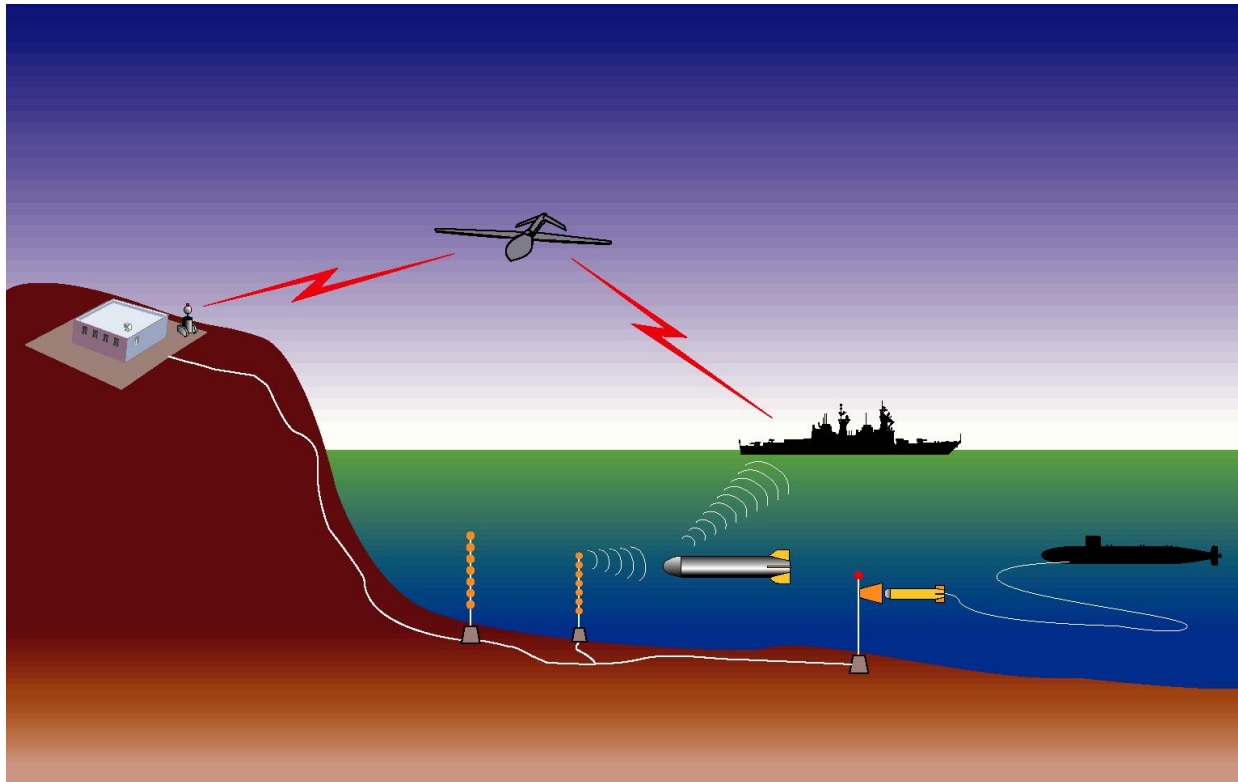


# OBTAINING AND PROVIDING RELIABLE INFORMATION IS OUR JOB



# WHAT'S THE BOTTOM LINE?

**Autonomous vehicles (including UAVs and UGVs) will play an ever increasing role in the US Navy: collecting, communicating, and acting upon data across air, land, and sea boundaries.**





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# ARE THE SCIENTISTS THE REAL AUV LEADERS?



**MORPHEUS**



**ODYSSEY**

**AUTOSUB**



**ABE**



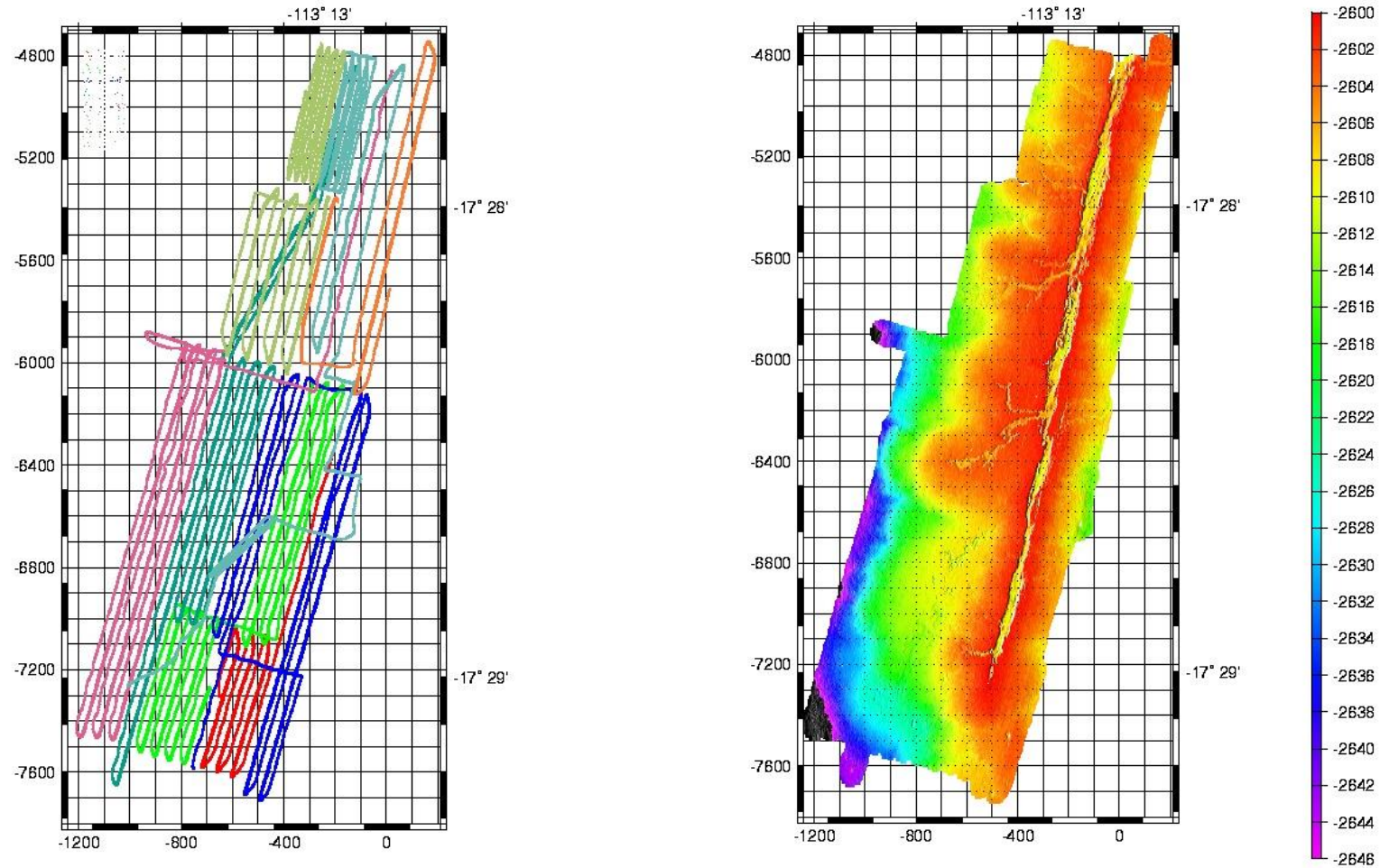
**R1**





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# ABE SEARCH RESULTS

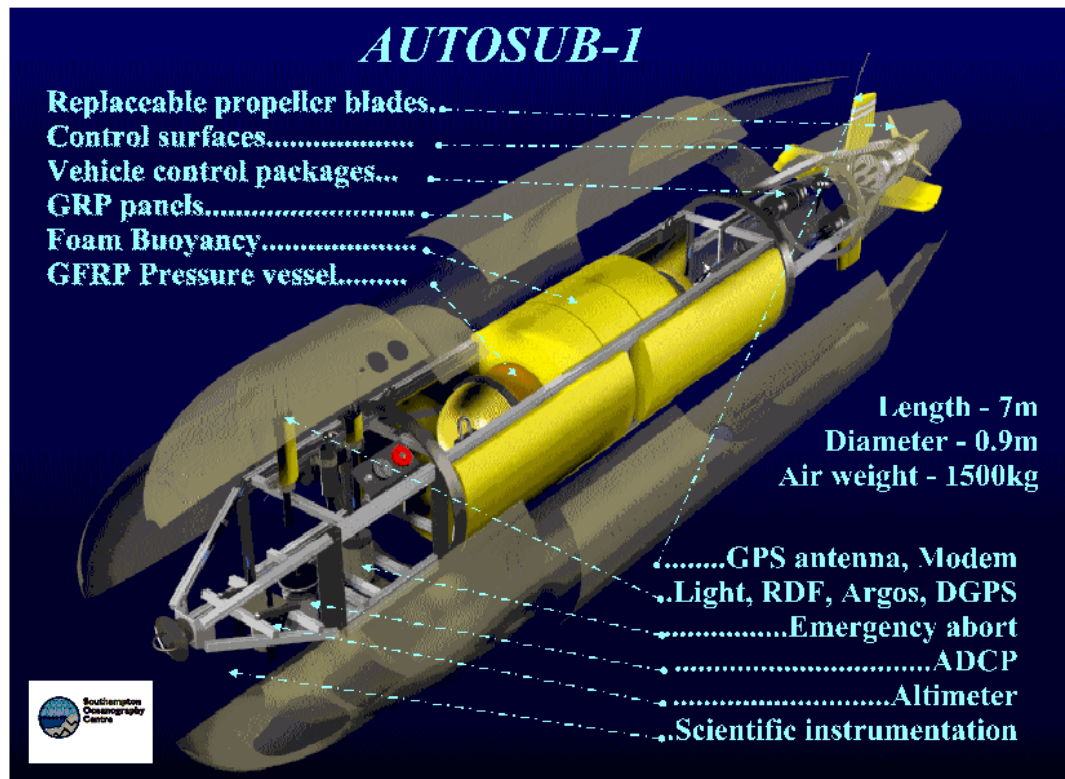


COURTESY WOODS HOLE OCEANOGRAPHIC INSTITUTION



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# AUTOSUB IS WORKING YEAR ROUND



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# THE NEW “KID” ON THE BLOCK



## JAMSTEC'S URASHIMA

# JAPAN, R1 ROBOT



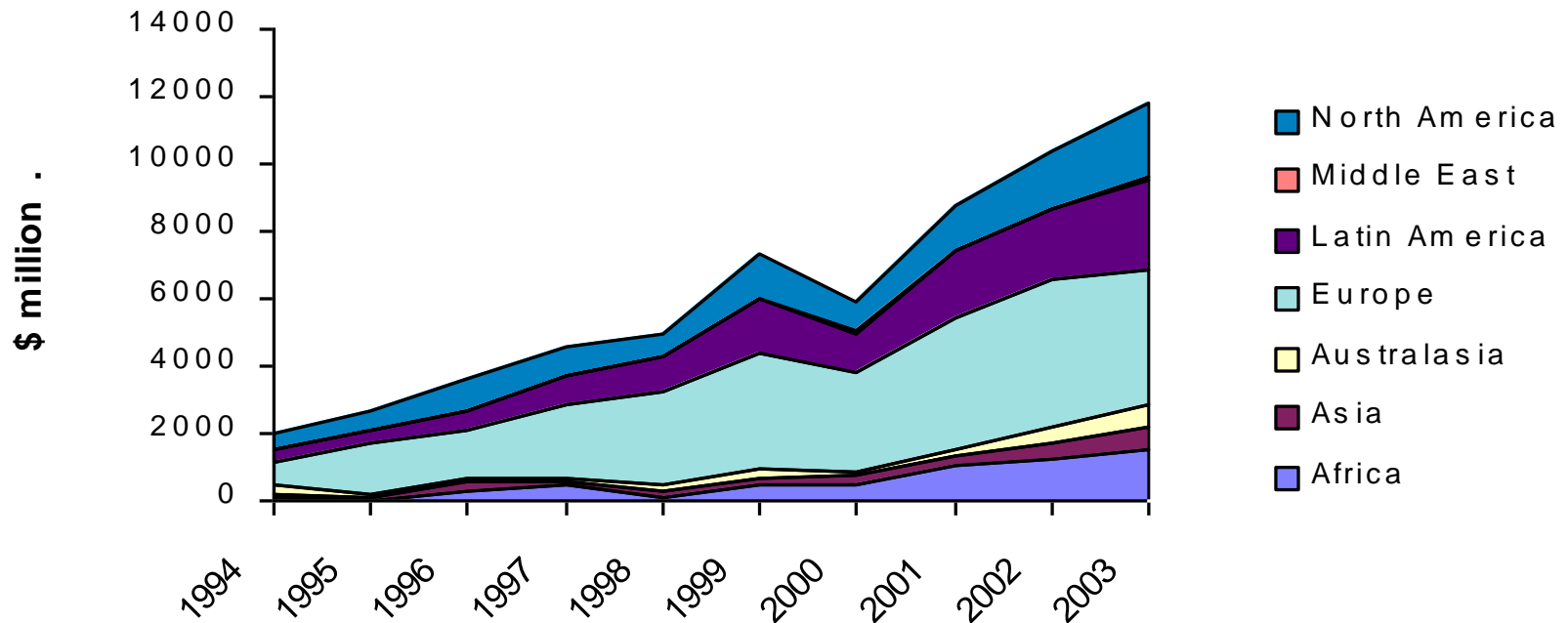
# AUV COMPARISONS

Name	Length	Range	Depth
URASHIMA	9.7 m	300 km	3,500 m
R-One (Japan)	8.3 m	100 km	400 m
AUTOSUB-1 (UK)	7.0 m	110 km	500 m
Theseus (Canada)	10.7 m	700 km	1,000 m
AUSS (USA)	5.2 m	30 km	6,000 m
UUV (USA)	6.4 m	100 km	500 m

COURTESY OF JAMSTEC

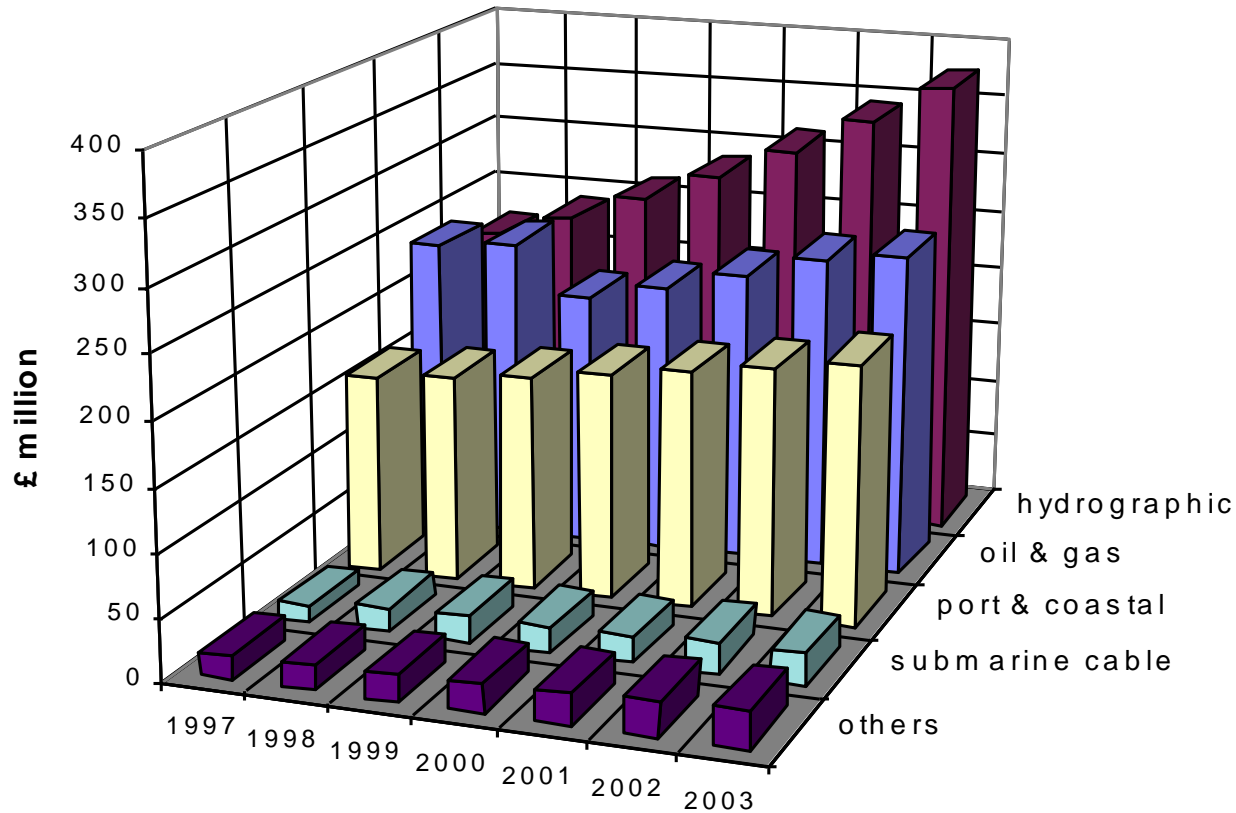
# IS THERE A COMMERCIAL MARKET OFFSHORE?

## The world subsea production market



source: The World Subsea Report

# SURVEY HAS THE LARGEST INITIAL POTENTIAL FOR AUVs



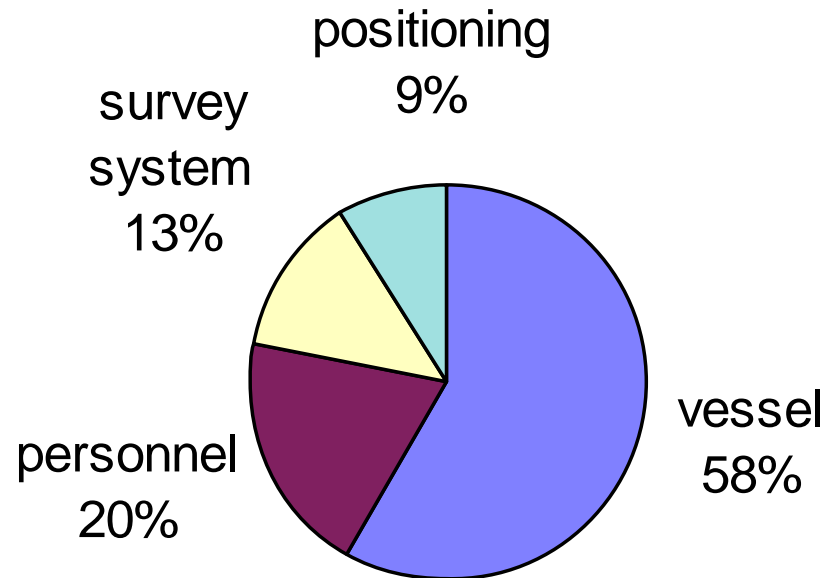
**Figure : The Survey & Positioning Market to 2003**

source: Ocean Survey – The World Market



# REDUCED SHIP TIME = \$\$\$\$\$\$\$\$ SAVED

## Survey Operation Costs



*The chart shows that a total of 78% of the costs of a typical survey operation are associated with the ship and the survey personnel.*

Source: 'Ocean Survey – The World Market'

# AUVs ARE MAKING THEIR MOVE

## UUV OPERATIONS REVENUE (\$M)

<i>Operations (\$m)</i>	<i>2000</i>	<i>2001</i>	<i>2002</i>	<i>2003</i>	<i>2004</i>	<i>00-04</i>
Work-Class ROVs	501	565	695	747	817	3325
AUVs	2	9	26	59	112	207
total \$m	503	574	720	806	928	3532

Source: Douglas-Westwood Ltd

# WHICH COMMERCIAL AUVs ARE ACTUALLY PLAYERS?



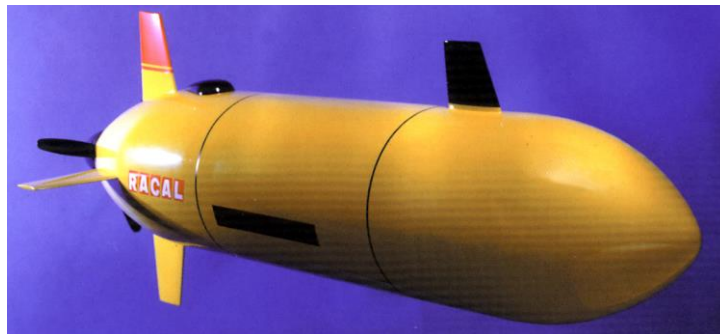
**MARIDAN 600**



**CETUS**



**HUGIN**

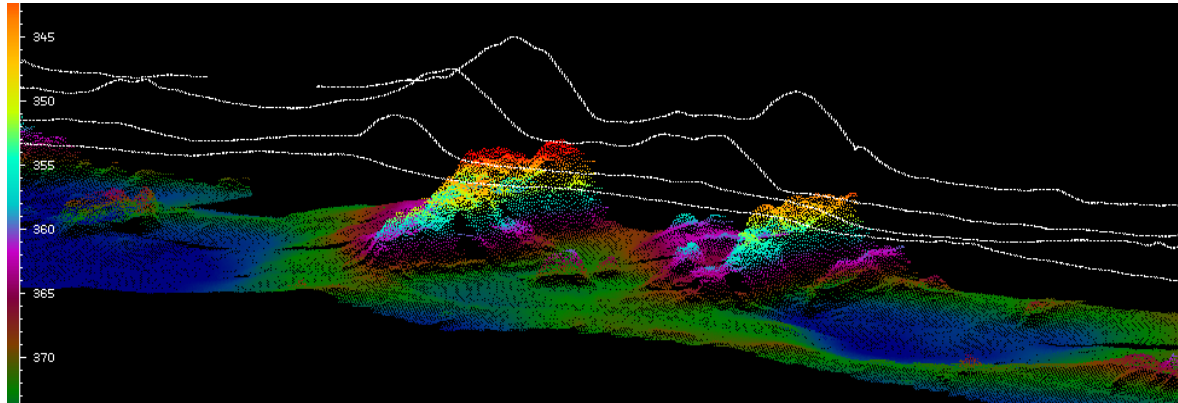


**SEA ORACLE**

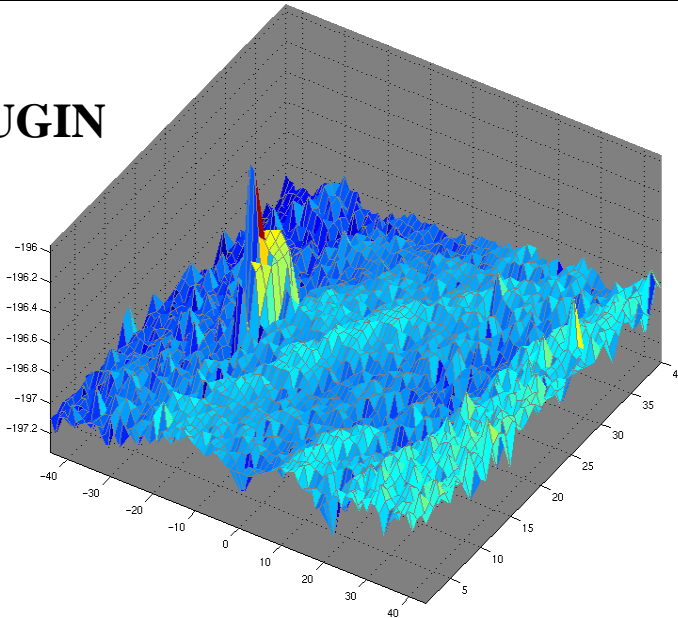
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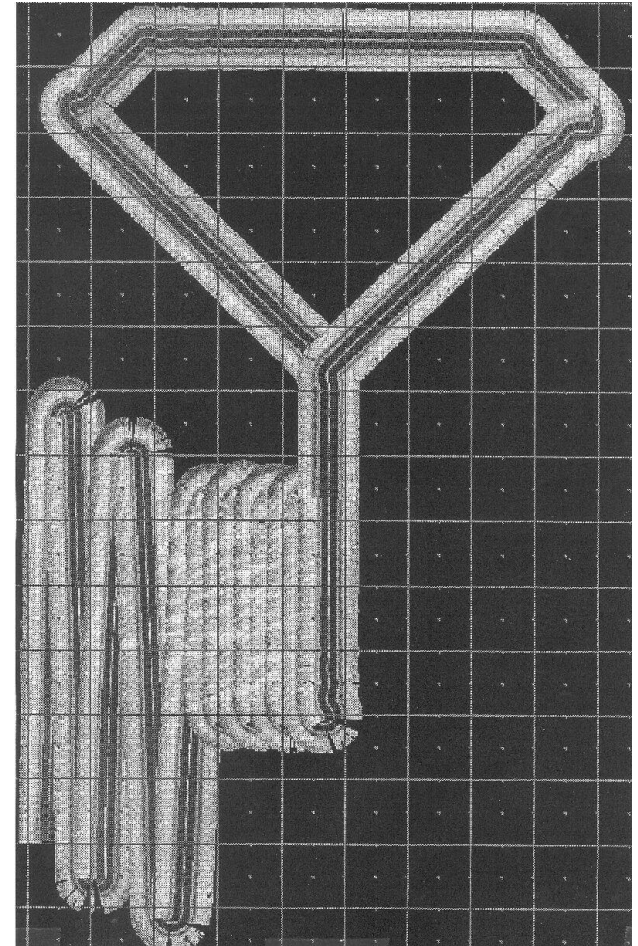
# THE DATA SHOWS THAT AUVs CAN DO THE JOB



**HUGIN**



**MARIDAN 200**





# THE AUV GRANDPARENTS ARE STILL AVAILABLE OR WORKING



**ARCS**



**AUSS**

**THESEUS**



**MUST LAB**

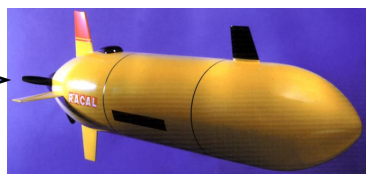
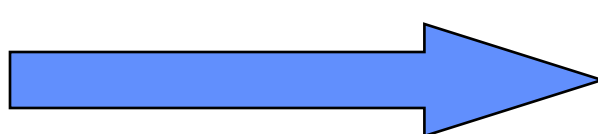
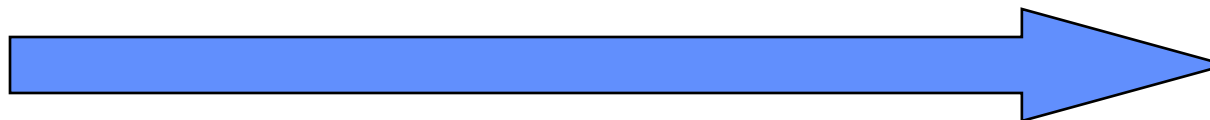
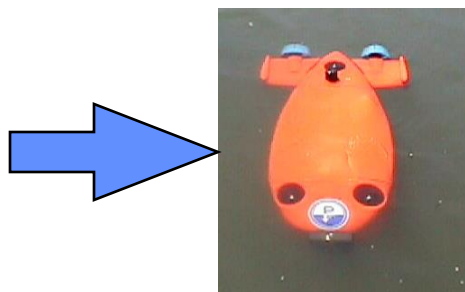




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# SO WHO'S LEADING THE PACK?

**LEADERS HAVE COMPLETED CONTRACTS, HAVE SALES AND CAN GIVE YOU A PRICE FOR PURCHASE OR LEASE.**



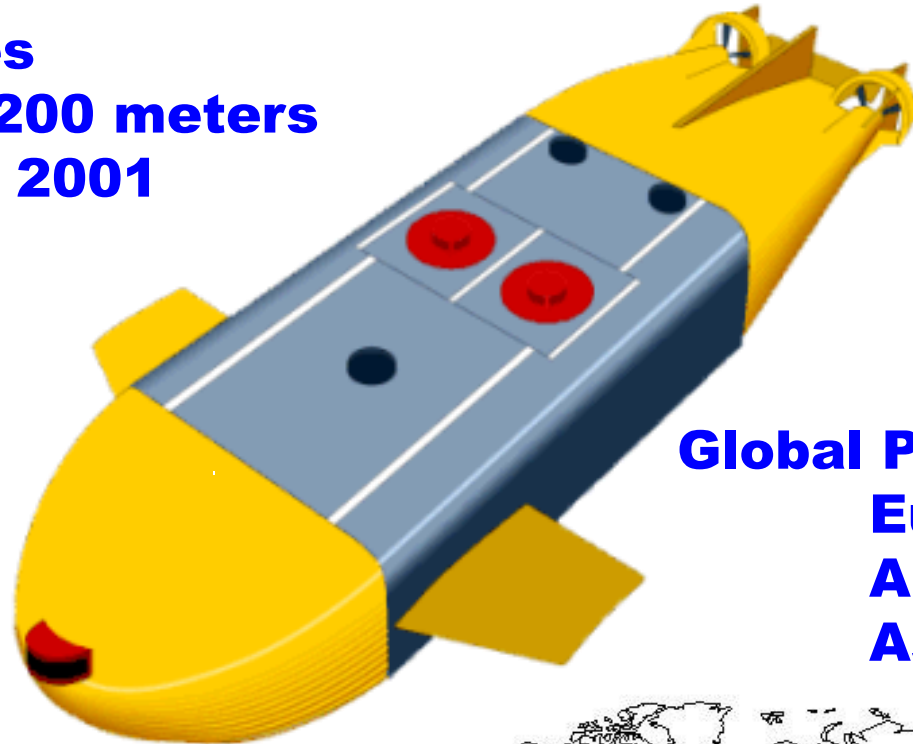
# MARIDAN

**10 years experience in AUV design,  
manufacture and operation**

**MARIDAN series**  
**150, 600 and 1200 meters**  
**3500 meters in 2001**

**Offshore Oil&Gas**  
**Telecom**  
**Scientific**  
**Military**

**Flatfish AUV design**  
**Multiple payload sensor**  
**Bathymetry**  
**Side Scan Sonar**  
**Sub Bottom Profiling**  
**Digital Still / Video**



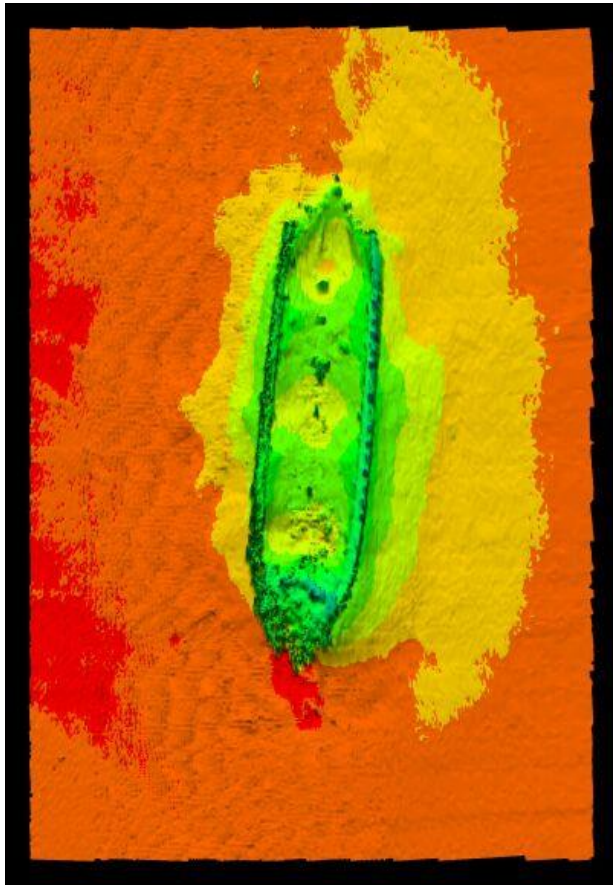
**Global Presence**  
**Europe**  
**Americas**  
**Asia**



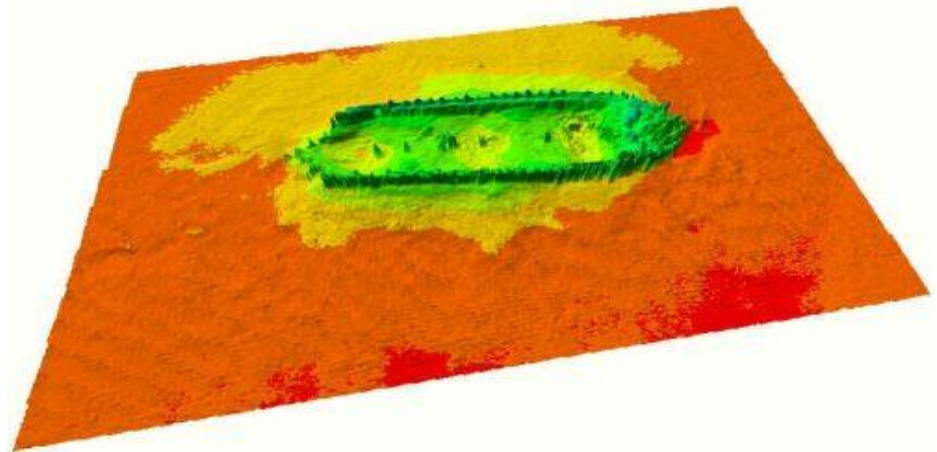


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# MARIDAN'S SELANDIA



**“Livlig” Wreck**





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# MARTIN PERFORMS UNDERICE SURVEY





# COMMERCIAL UUVs

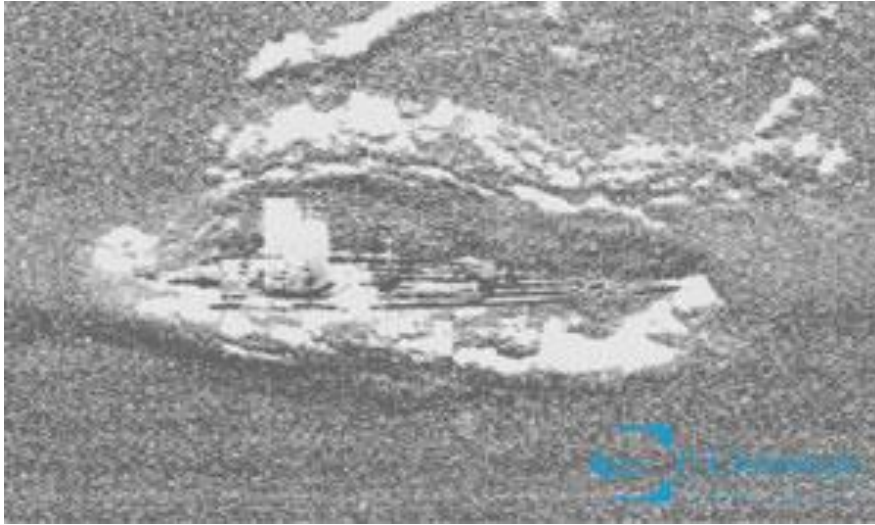
- Maridan - M600 - Diamond Offshore
- Kongsberg Simrad - Hugin C&C Tech.
- Boeing/Fugro/OI - AUV
- KDD - AE2 - Oceanscan Ltd.
- Bluefin/Thales - Sea Oracle
- Mentor/ISE - SAILARS
- SOC/Halliburton - Autosub
- SSD SD - AUSS - Ocean Workers



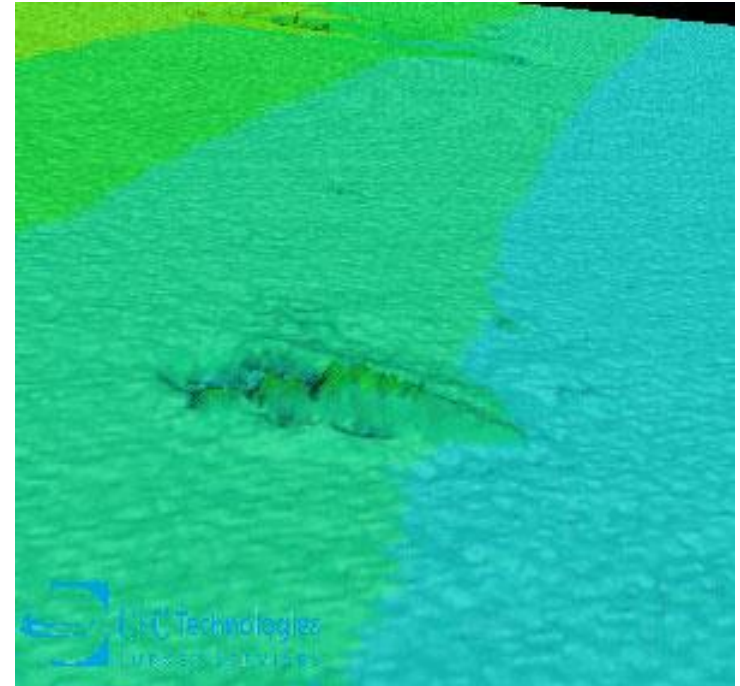


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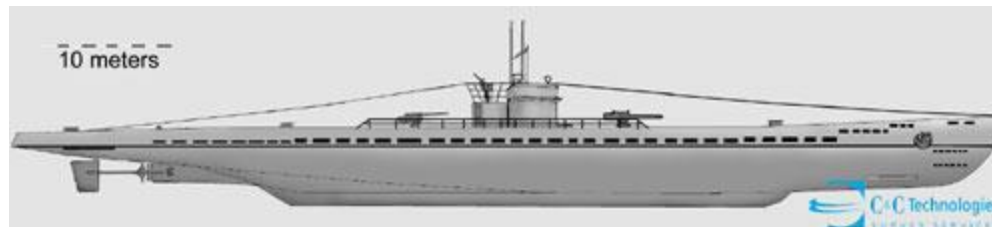
# HUGIN



**Gulf of Mexico  
U-166 German Sub  
Sidescan Sonar  
1 Mile Deep**



**Rendering of U-166 Bow**

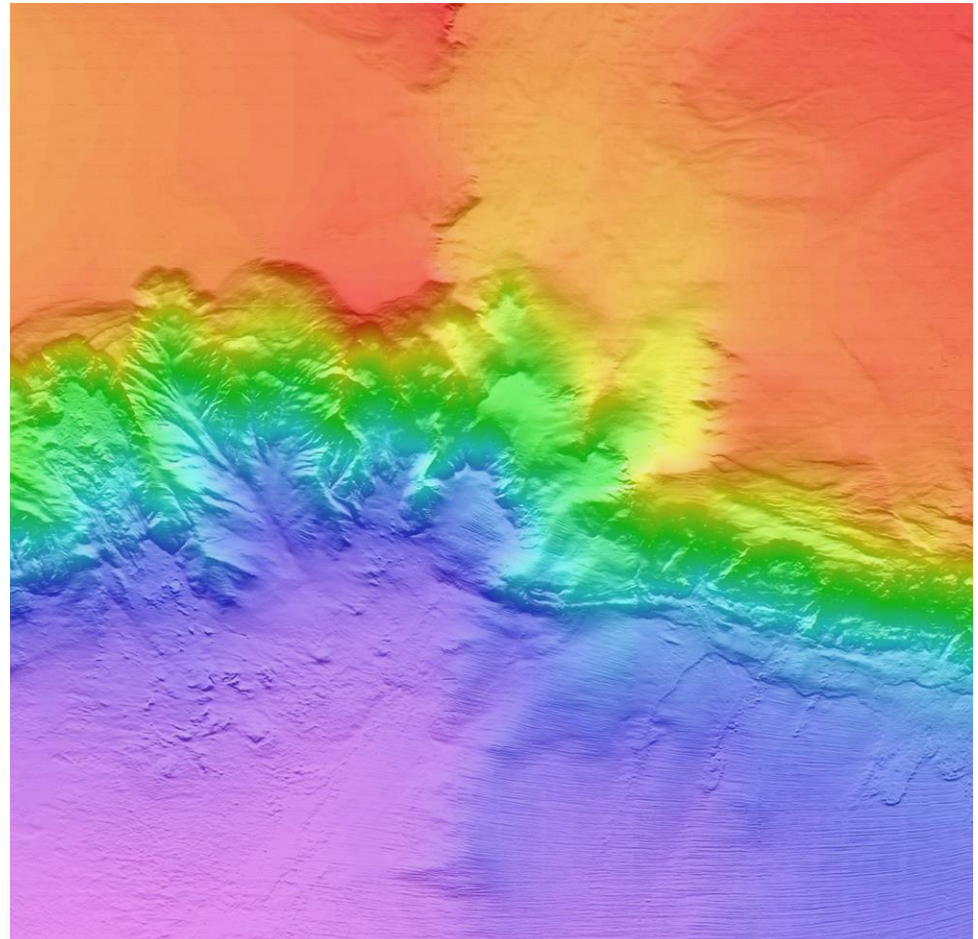


**Gulf of Mexico**

**Sigsbee Escarpment**

**1100-2200 Meter Depth**

**Resolution - 8 inches or .02%  
of water depth**

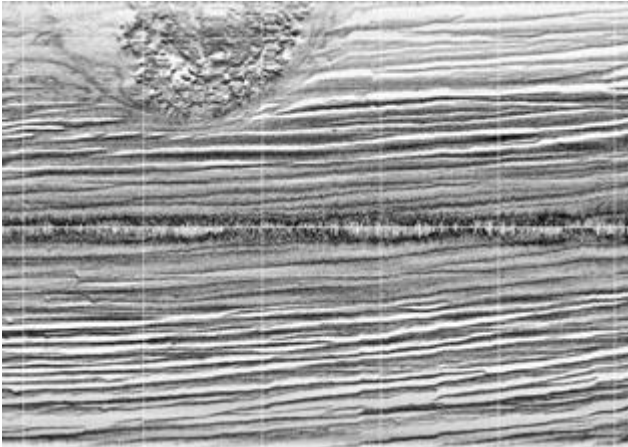


**Figure 3.** Shaded relief map with light-source shading. The bathymetric data was processed at 3-meter bins. Note the topographic expression of slump deposits and furrowed seafloor at the base of the Sigsbee Escarpment.

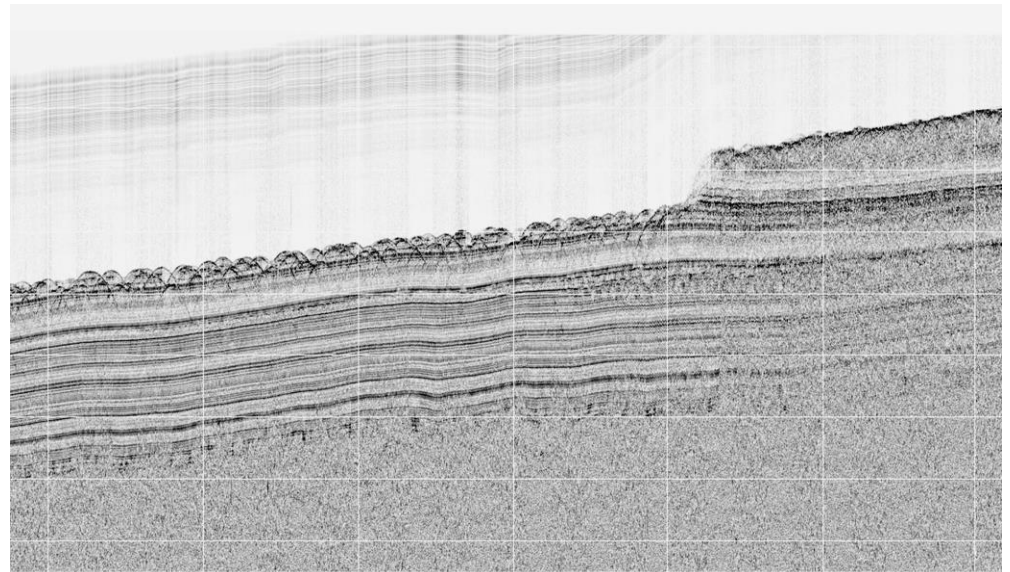
## **Gulf of Mexico - Sigsbee Escarpment**

### **Sidescan Sonar Data**

**Furrows are 5-50 meters and 1-3 meters deep**



**Slump Deposits from above  
using a Sub-bottom Profiler**

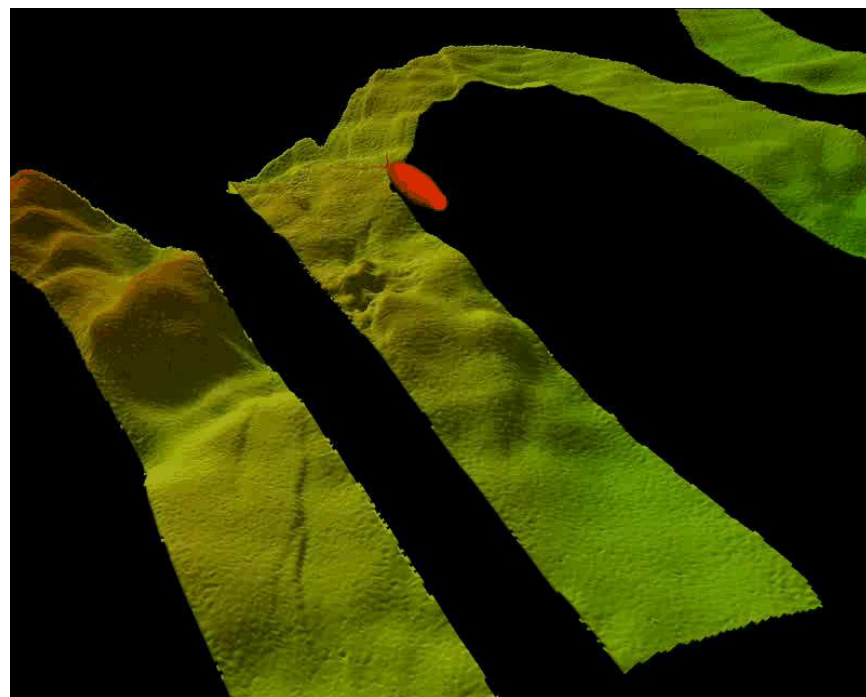
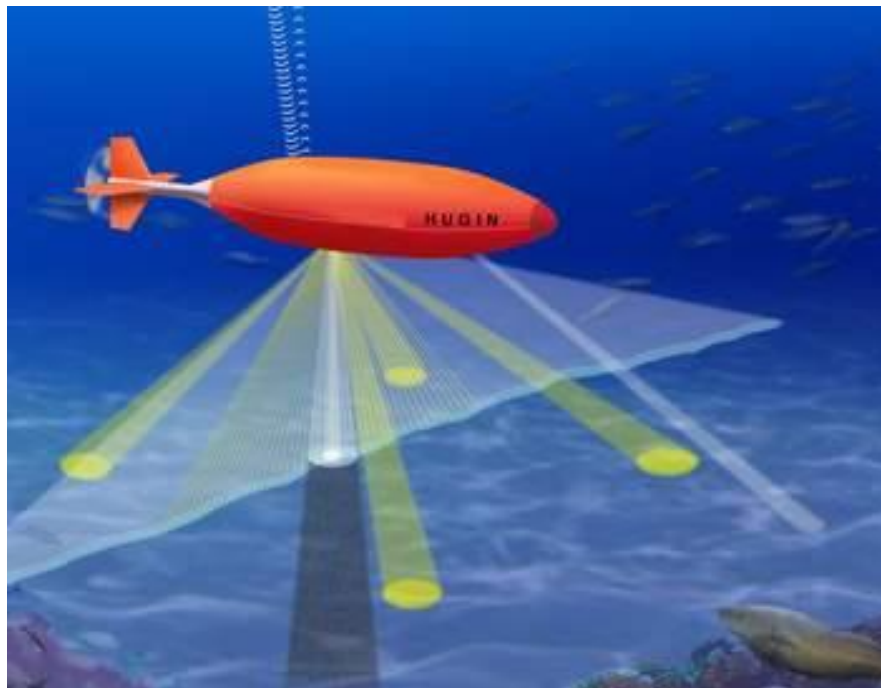






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# C & C TECHNOLOGIES

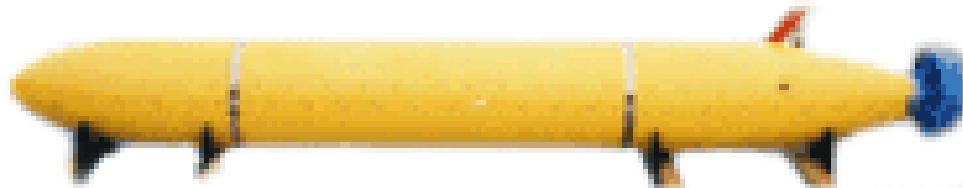






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# Bluefin's Sea Oracle for RACAL

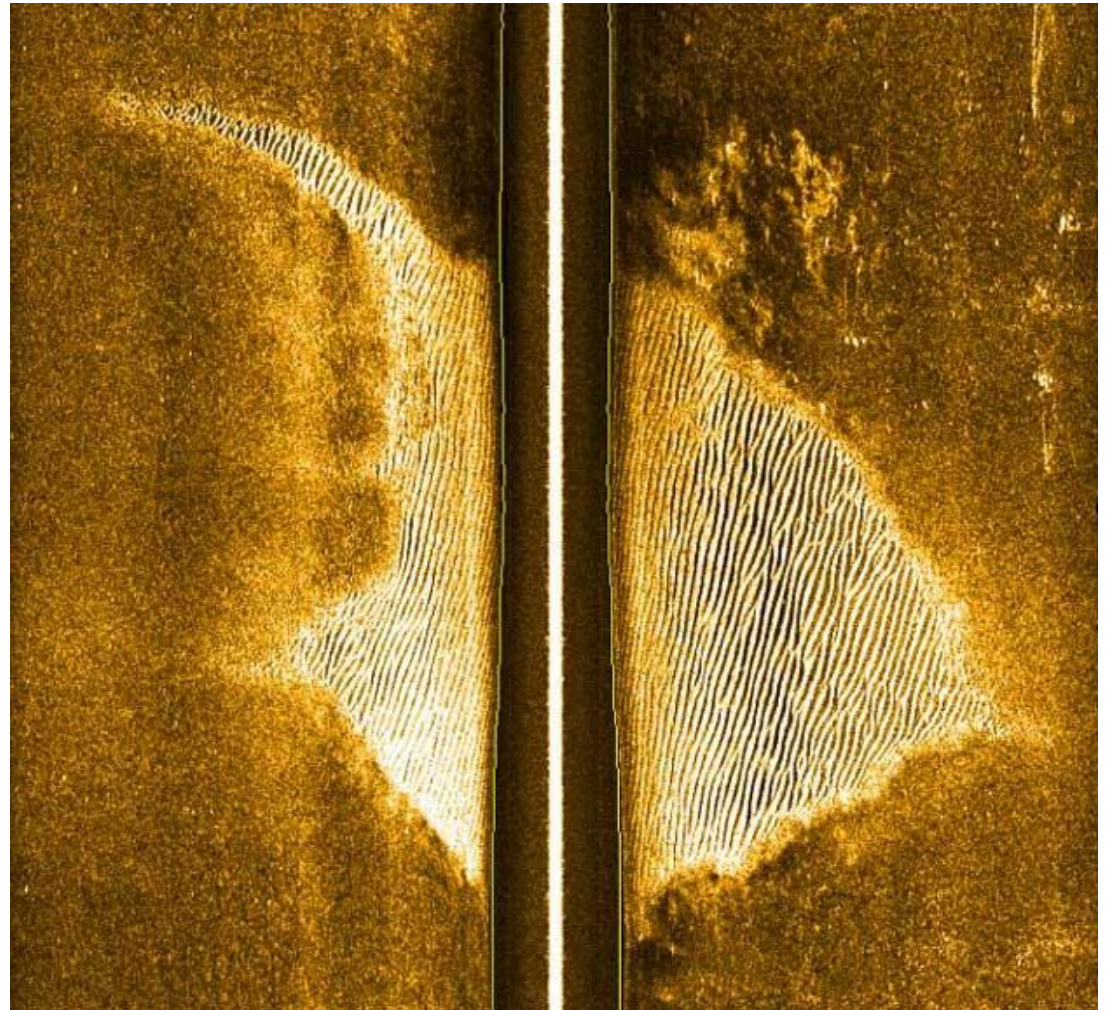


## ORACLE III

### Sidescan Sonar

Resolution - 3x4 inches

Range - 50 meters



# AUVs IN THE QUEUE

**USA:**

- **OSIRIS**

**Germany:**

- **DeepC**

**France:**

- **Alistar**

- **Alistar 3000**

- **Swimmer**

# BOEING, US - OSIRIS

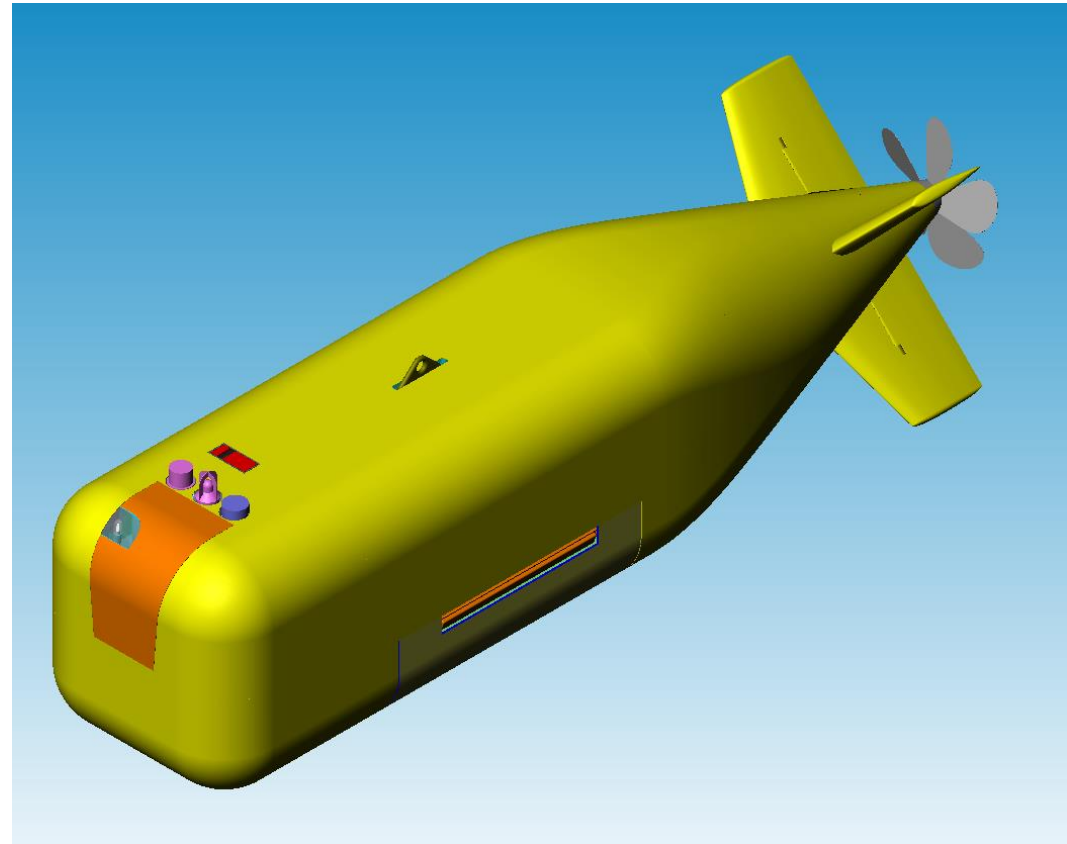
## DEVELOPMENT TEAM:

**BOEING**

**FUGRO**

**OCEANEERING**

- **Max. Depth = 10,000 fsw**
- **Max. Speed = 8 knots**
- **Vehicle Length: 18.5 ft**
- **Vehicle Width/Height: 50.0 in**
- **Vehicle Dry Weight: 10,800 lb**
- **Active Ballast & Trim**
- **Integrated Navigation System**



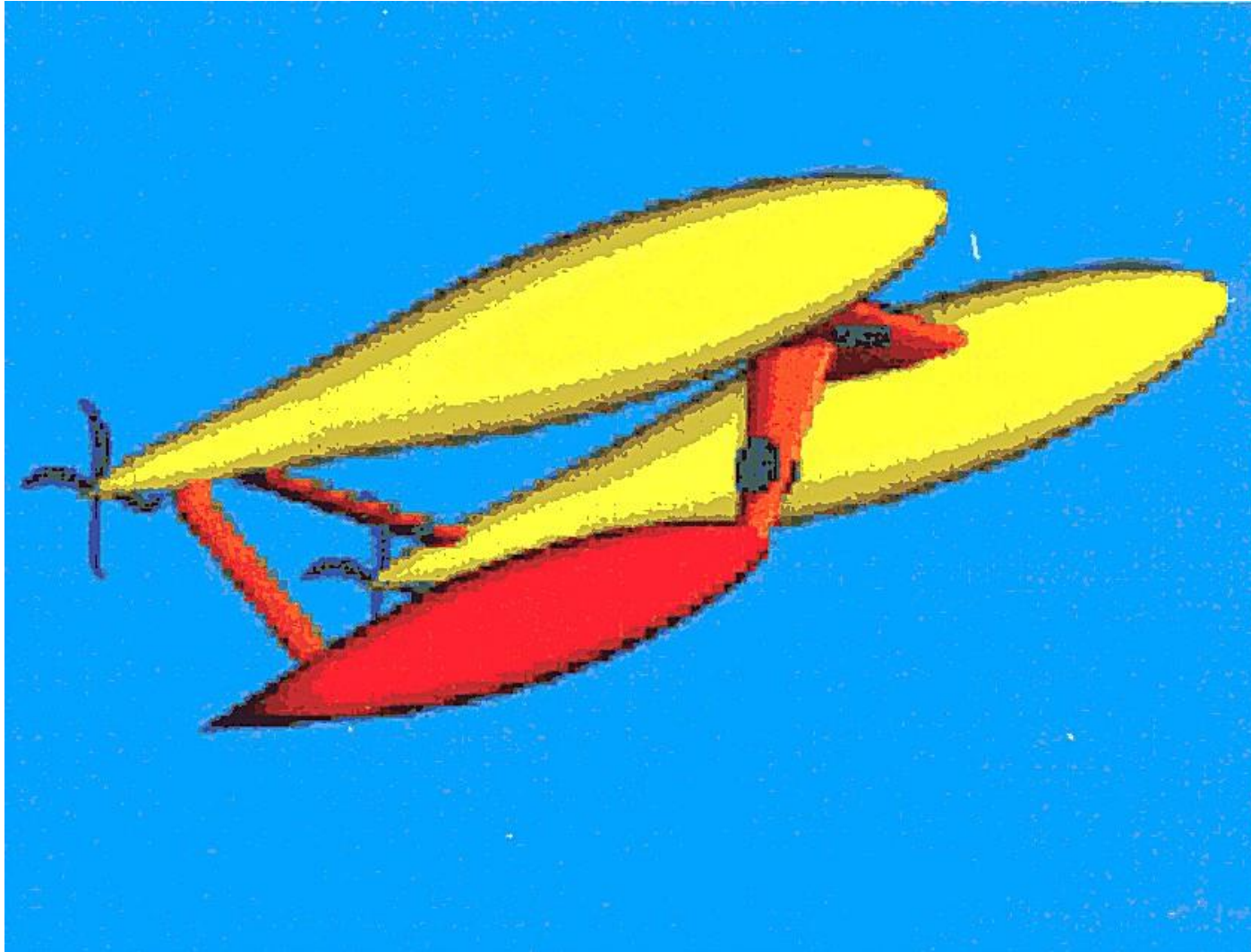
Courtesy of Boeing





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# STN ATLAS, GERMANY - DeepC



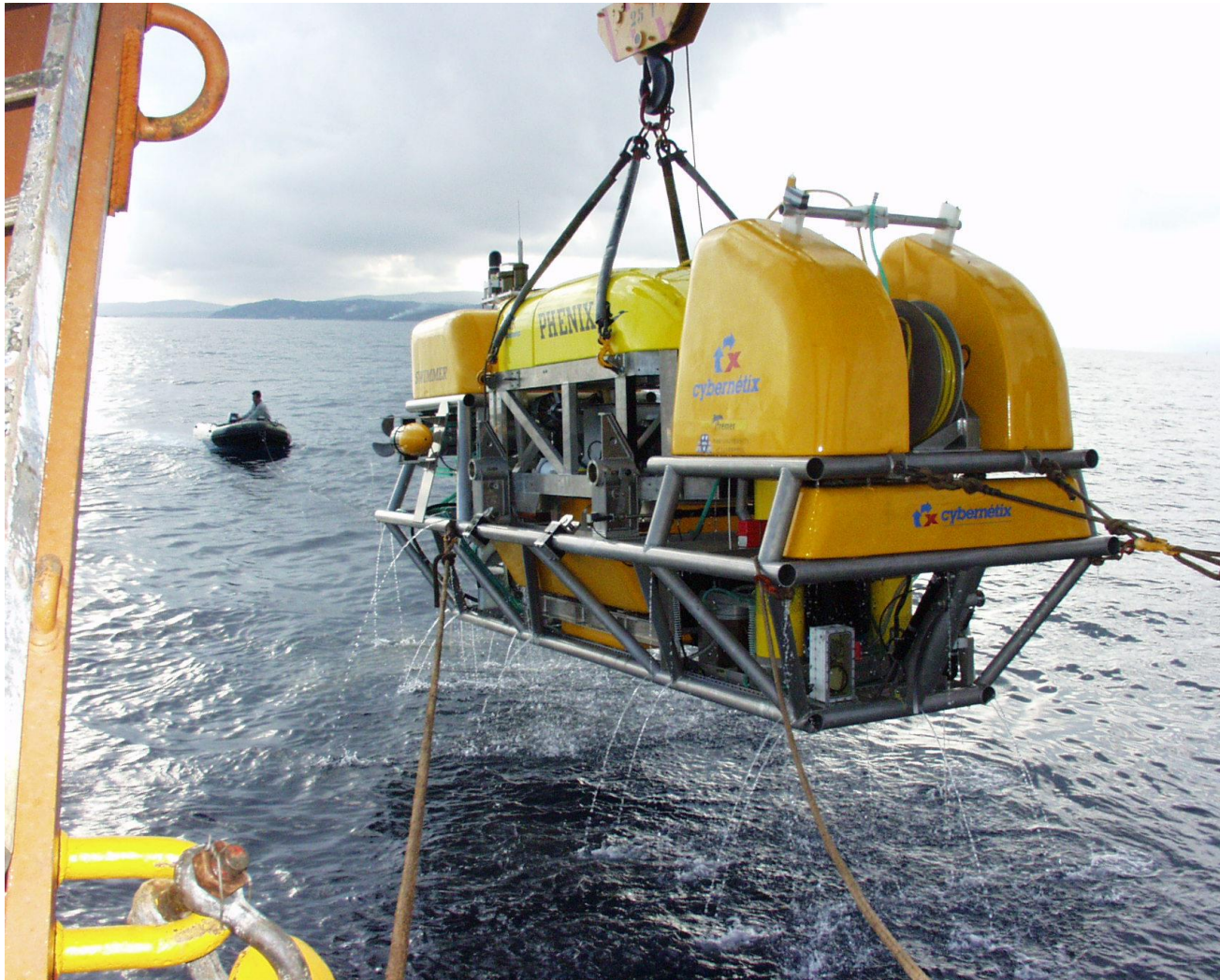
## WHOI's ABE





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# IFREMER, FRANCE - SWIMMER







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# ECA, FRANCE - ALISTER MILITARY

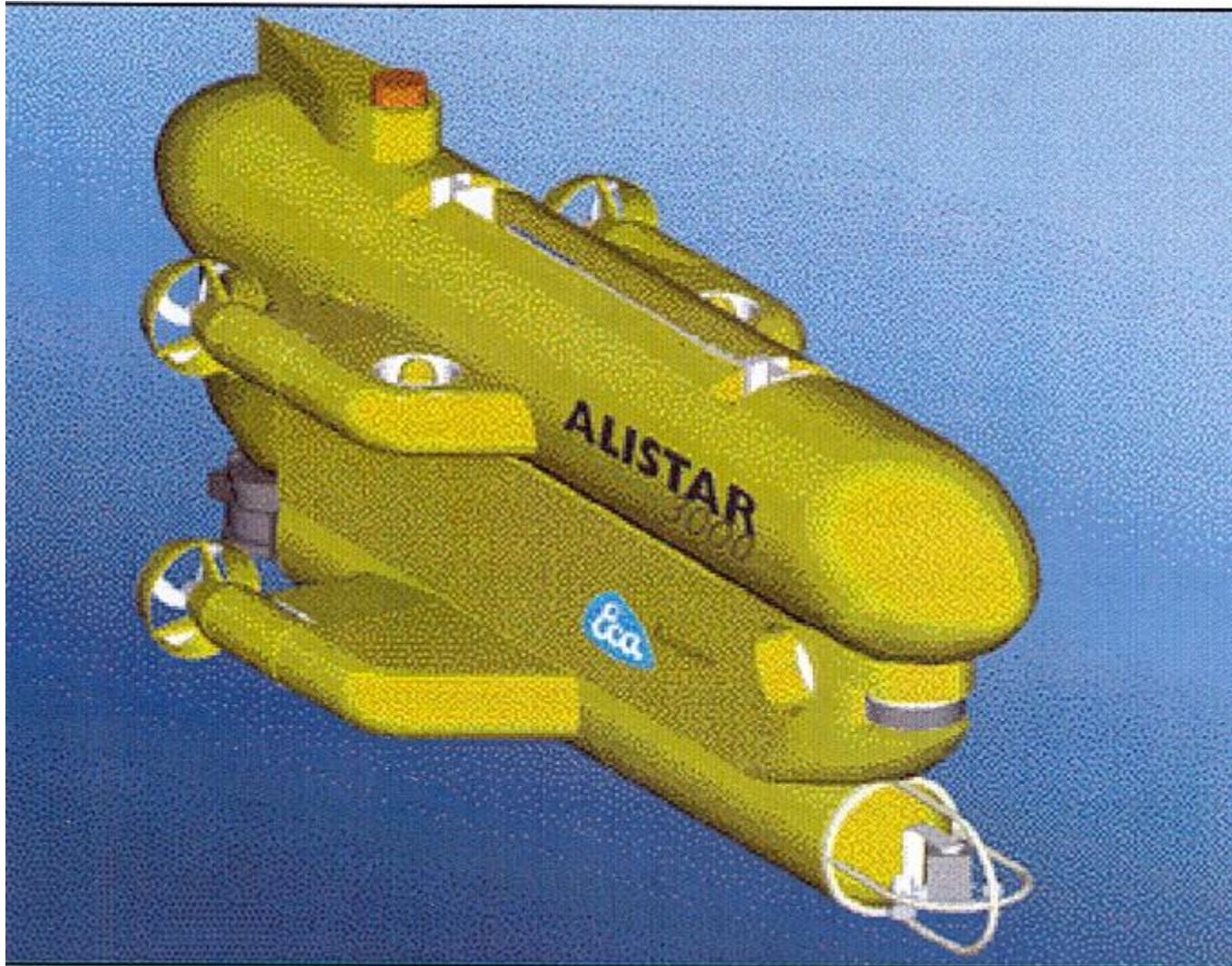






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# ECA, FRANCE - ALISTAR 3000 COMMERCIAL





# A TECHNOLOGY WHOSE TIME HAS COME?

- **DESIGN**
- **NAVIGATION**
- **ENERGY**
- **COMMUNICATIONS**
- **PROCESSING**
- **NEED**



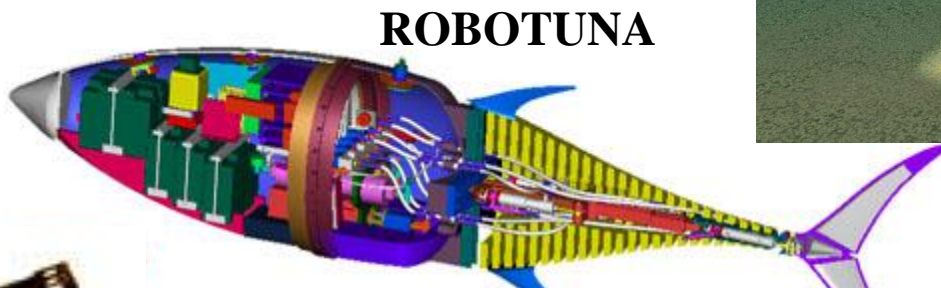
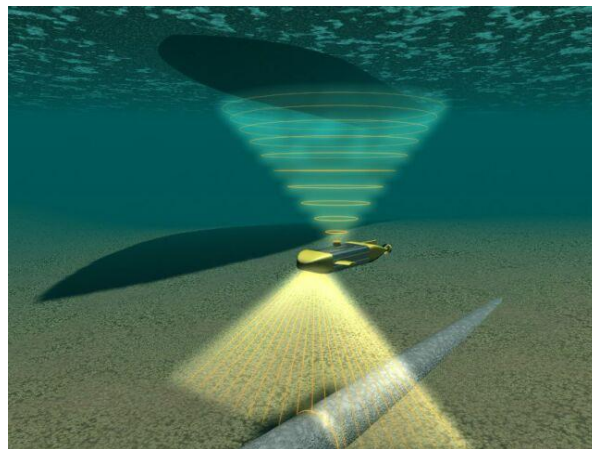
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# THE FUTURE WILL BE EXCITING



**ABE 2**

**MARIDAN**



**ROBOTUNA**



**ALUV**



**MANTA**