



# Ocean Energy Technologies an Enabler of Environamental and Economic Development of Small Island Development States (SIDS)

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### MANDATE

To promote the widespread adoption and sustainable use of **all forms of renewable energy** worldwide

### **OBJECTIVE**

To serve as a **network hub**, an **advisory resource** and an **authoritative**, **unified**, **global voice** for renewable energy

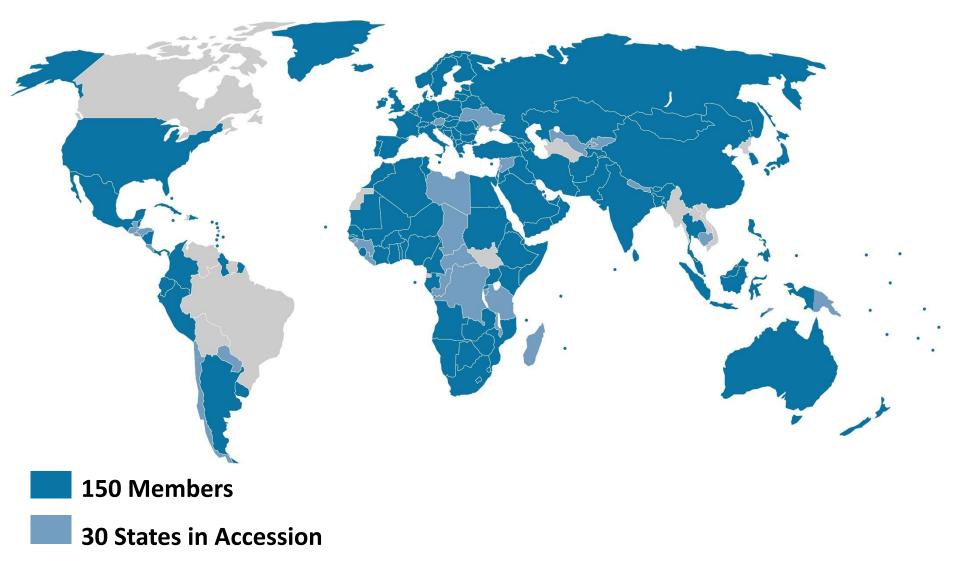
### **SCOPE**

All renewable energy sources produced in a sustainable manner



### **MEMBERSHIP**





# **SIDS LIGHTHOUSES INITIATIVE**



- » Agenda of mobilising USD 500 million over next five years
- » Joined by **34 Small Island Developing States (SIDS)** and 19 additional State and non-State partners
- » Committed to transformation of island energy systems
- » Enabling SIDS to:
  - Accelerate renewable energy development harness their wealth of domestic resources
  - Demonstrate leadership in climate change mitigation

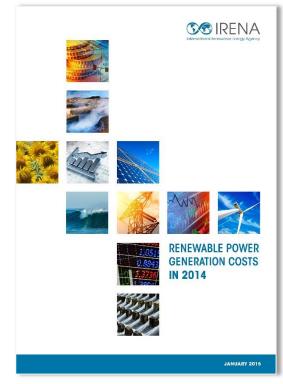


# **COST ANALYSIS**



- » Provides accurate, up-to-date, reliable and transparent data
- » Highlights growing competitiveness of renewables worldwide
- » IRENA Renewable Costing Alliance:
  - Builds data partnerships with real-world projects
  - Database of 15,000 renewable energy power generation projects





RENEWABLES READINESS ASSESSMENTS

- » Country-led, collaborative process to shape
  national action plans
- » Identifies effective policies for renewable energy deployment
- » Helps craft investor-friendly regulations
- » Framework for future IRENA engagement and advice
- » Undertaken by 22+ countries



# **TECHNOLOGY BRIEFS**



- » Ocean Energy Technology Briefs 2014
- » Ocean Energy Technology Readiness, Patents, Deployment Status and Outlook 2014



# CONTENT

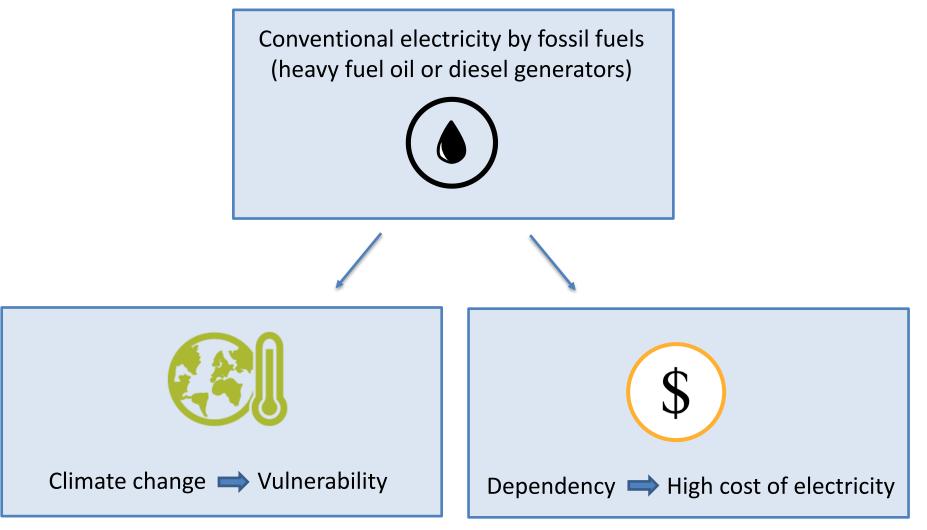


- » Opportunities
- » Sector Coupling
- » Electricity Cost
- » Challenges
- » Standards
- » Tidal Energy
- » Wave Energy
- » Ocean Thermal Energy Conversion (OTEC)
- » Next Steps

# **OPPORTUNITIES (1)**

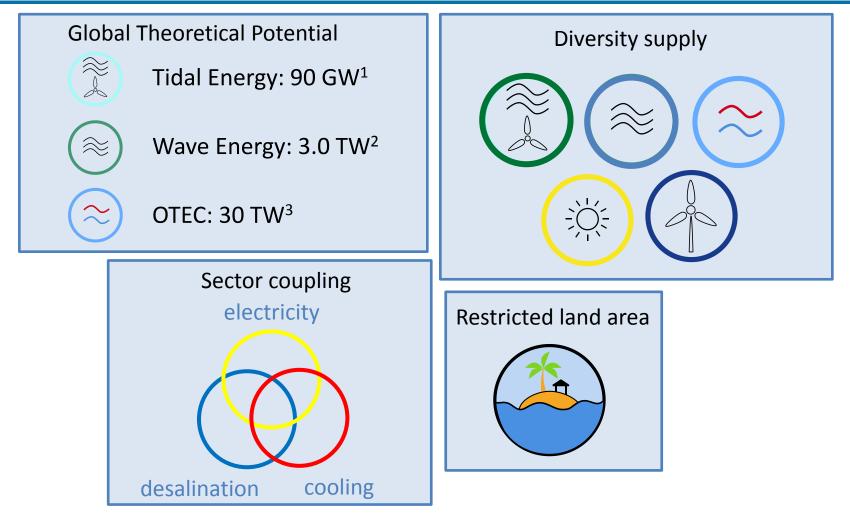


Why should we look at renewable energy on islands?



# **OPPORTUNITIES (2)**





<sup>1</sup>http://tidalenergytoday.com/2015/02/17/estimate-of-global-potential-tidal-resources/

<sup>2</sup> G. Mork, S. Barstow, A. Kabuth, M. Teresa Pontes, 2010. Assessing the Global Wave Energy Potential. *Proceedings of OMAE2010* Shanghai, China https://pdfs.semanticscholar.org/d7fd/7fc8b4ec97db3cec84648b3303e9f267b581.pdf

<sup>3</sup> K. Rajagopalan and G. Nihous, 2013. An Assessment of the Global Ocean Thermal Energy Conversion Resources with a High-

© IRENA 2017 Resolution Ocean General Circulation Model. http://hinmrec.hnei.hawaii.edu/wp-content/uploads/2010/01/Global-OTEC-Resources\_2013.pdf

# **SECTOR COUPLING**

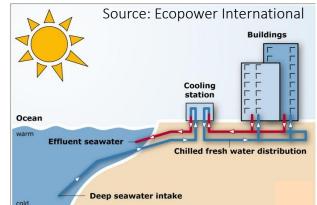


### SWAC

sea water air conditioning

Method: OTEC Location: Bora Bora, Intercontinental Resort and Thalasso Spa Time: 2006





### Aquaculture

Method: OTEC Location: Kumejima, Japan Time: 2013



Source: OTEC Okjnawa



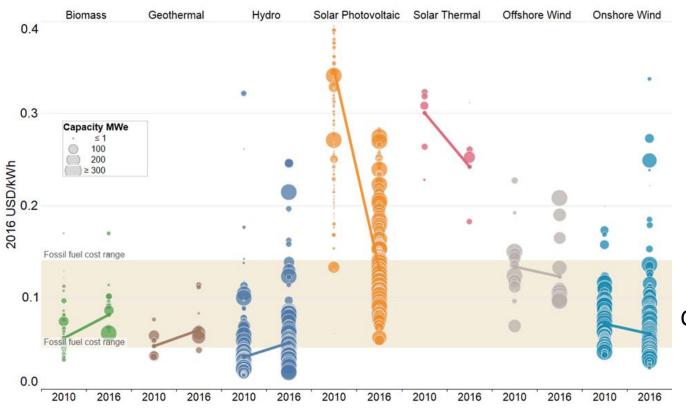
### Desalination

Device: Atmocean wave energy converter Method: reverse osmosis Location: Chile Time: 2015 (3 weeks demonstration project)





### **Renewables: Highly competitive for new capacity**



Traditional renewables highly competitive

Cost reductions for wind and solar, make them increasingly competitive

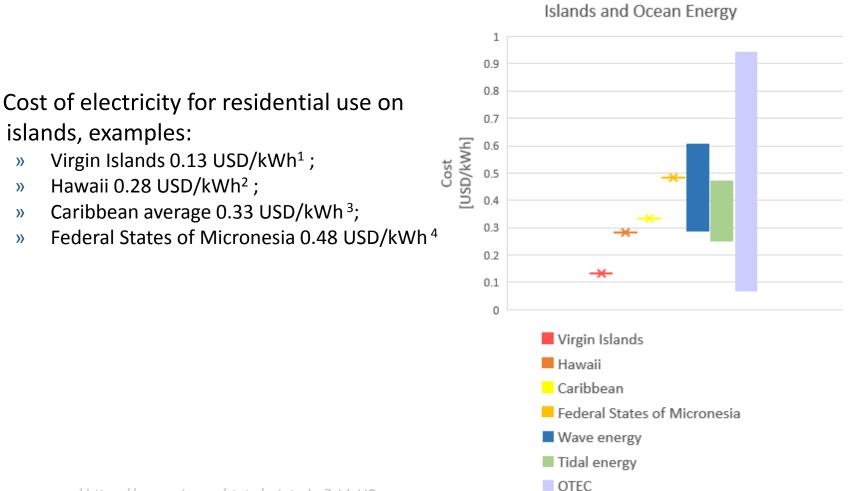
Cost rise for average hydro projects, geo & biomass data needs more work

Each circle represents one project, centre of circle is LCOE value on Y axis, diameter is size of project. Year is the year commissioned.

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Electricity Cost



<sup>1</sup> https://www.eia.gov/state/print.php?sid=VQ

<sup>2</sup> https://www.hawaiianelectric.com/my-account/rates-and-regulations/average-price-of-electricity

<sup>3</sup> http://www.nrel.gov/docs/fy15osti/62691.pdf

<sup>4</sup> http://www.nrel.gov/docs/fy15osti/64294.pdf

# **CHALLENGES**



- » Technology
- » Economic
- » Social
- » Environment (impact largely unknown)
- » Infrastructure

Key hurdles to overcome

TECHNICAL FUNDAMENTALS Does the technology work?

ECONOMIC PRESSURES Can the technology compete in the market?

ENVIRONMENTAL AND SOCIAL ISSUES Are the impacts considered acceptable?

#### INFRASTRUCTURAL PRACTICALITIES Are the necessary enablers in place for roll-out?

Source: Ocean Energy Technology Readiness, Patents, Deployment Status and Outlook 2014, IRENA

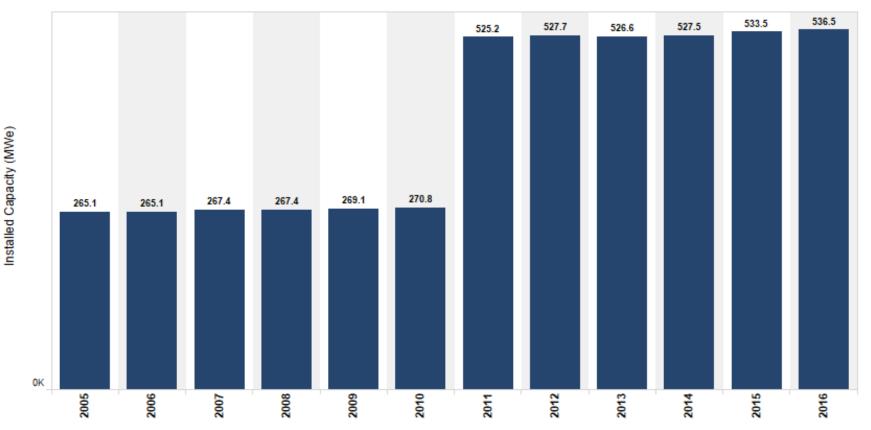
### **STANDARDS**



» IEC-TC 114 Marine Energy – Wave, tidal and other water current converters system definition, performance measurement of wave tidal and water current energy converters, resource assessment requirements, design and survivability, safety requirements, power quality, manufacturing and factory testing, evaluating and mitigation of environmental impacts

| Number                  | Name   |
|-------------------------|--|
| IEC TS 62600 – 1:2011   | Part 1: Terminology  |
| IEC TS 62600 – 2:2016   | Part 2: Design requirements for marine energy systems  |
| IEC TS 62600 – 10:2015  | Part 10: Assessment of mooring system for marine energy converters (MECs)  |
| IEC TS 62600 – 100:2012 | Part 100: Electricity producing wave converters – Power performance assessment                                   |
| IEC TS 62600 – 101:2015 | Part 101: Wave energy resource assessment and characterization   |
| IEC TS 62600 – 102:2016 | Part 102: Wave energy converter power performance assessment at a second location using measured assessment data |
| IEC TS 62600 – 200:2013 | Part 200: Electricity producing tidal energy converters – Power performance assessment                           |
| IEC TS 62600 – 201:2015 | Part 201: Tidal energy resource assessment and characterization  |

### **Cumulative Installed Capacity Ocean Energy**



The highest share (> 90%) of installed ocean energy capacity is tidal range energy, with the 240 MW plant in France in 1966 and 254 MW in South Korea in 2011. The latter is clearly shown in this graph.

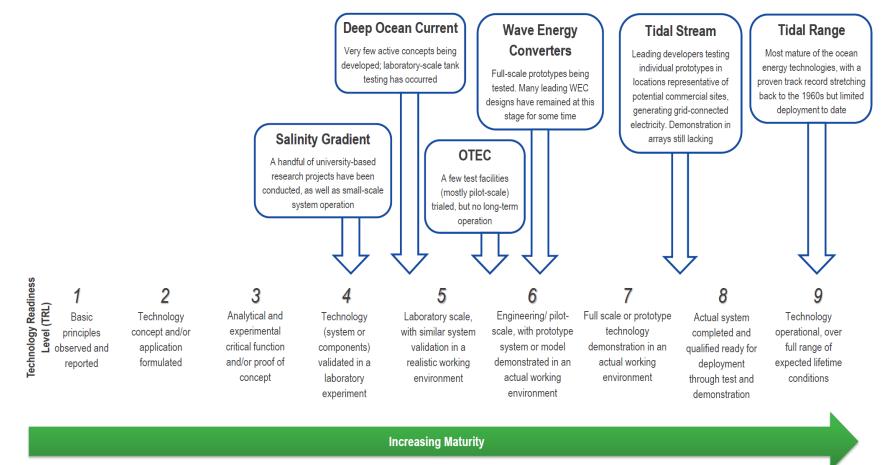
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# **TECHNOLOGY READINESS LEVEL**



# Diverse technologies to use ocean energy resources at different technology readiness levels (TRL)



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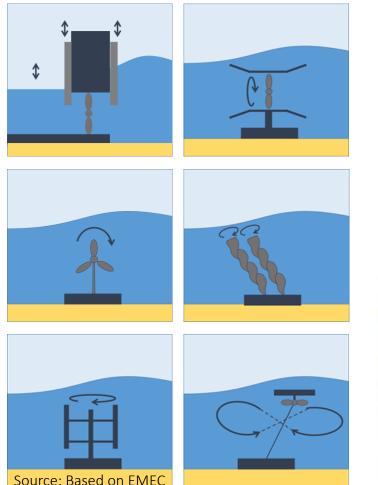




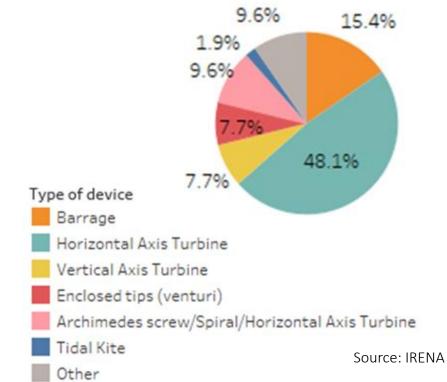
### Energy extraction tidal current and tidal range

Cost range

### 0.25 - 0.47 USD/kWh<sup>1</sup>



# Percentage of number of tidal energy projects deployed up to June 2017 (48 projects)

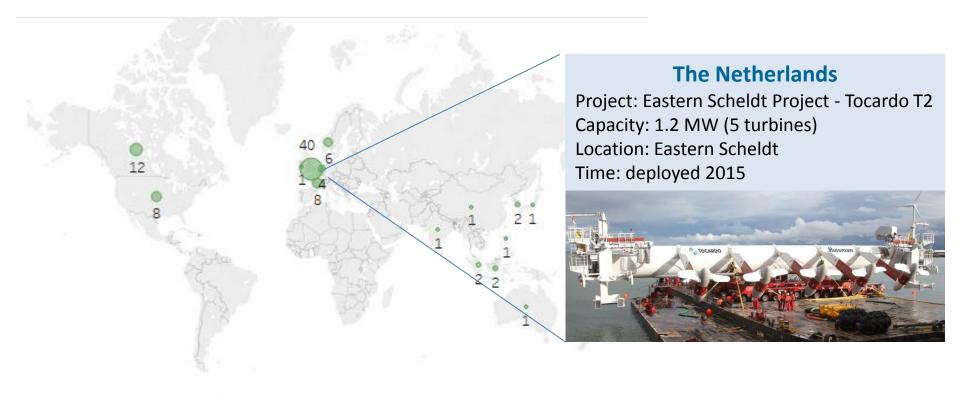


<sup>1</sup> http://www.irena.org/DocumentDownloads/Publications/Tidal\_Energy\_V4\_WEB.pdf





### **Number of Tidal Energy Projects**

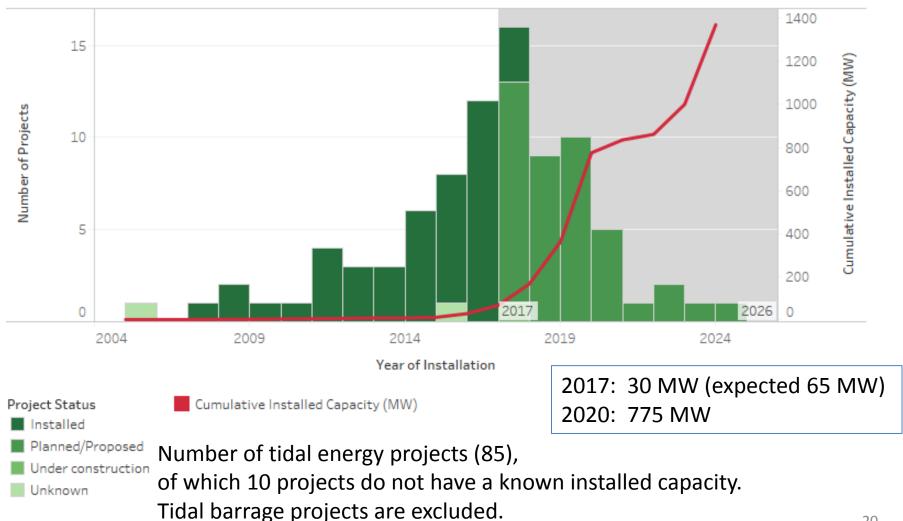


Number of tidal energy projects that have been installed, are under construction or planned/proposed up to 2026 (87 projects), excluding tidal barrage (9 projects), unknown status (2 projects) and unknown year of installation (5 projects).





### Number of projects & Cumulative installed capacity







### Energy extraction Surge, sway and heave motion of the wave 0.29-0.61 USD/kWh1 Cost range Percentage of number of wave energy projects deployed up to June 2017 (94 projects) 4.3%<sup>7.4%</sup> 2.1% 22.3% 2 1.% 11.7% 10.6% Type of WEC 39.4% Attenuator Source: IRFNA Point absorber Oscillating wave surge converter OWC Overtopping/Terminator Submerged pressure differential Rotating Mass Source: Based on EMEC 21 Other © IRENA 2017

<sup>1</sup> http://www.irena.org/DocumentDownloads/Publications/Wave-Energy V4 web.pdf





### **Number of Wave Energy Projects**

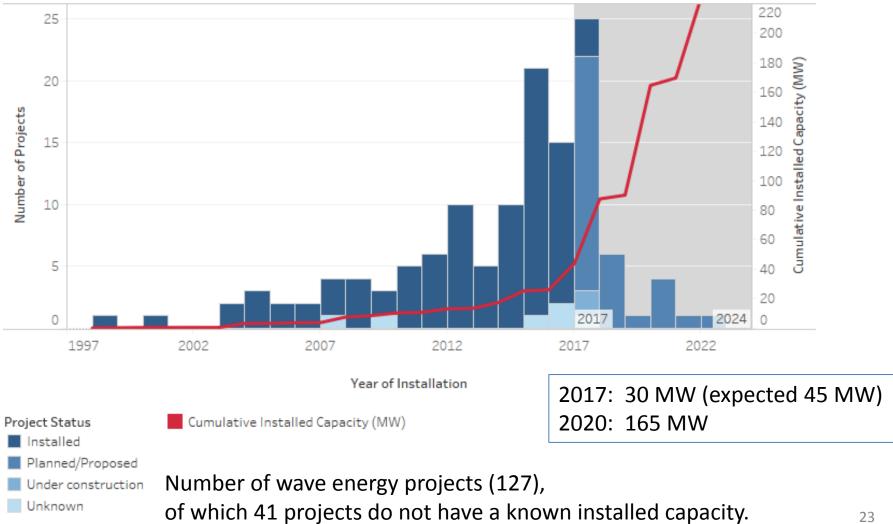


Number of wave energy projects that have been installed, are under construction or planned/proposed up to 2024 (122 projects), excluding the projects with unknown status (5 projects) and unknown year of installation (8 projects).





### Number of projects & Cumulative installed capacity

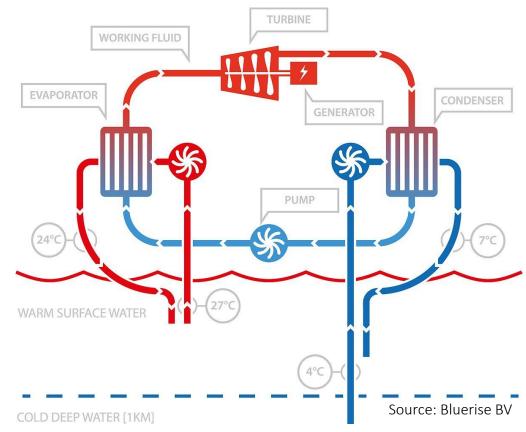






# Energy extractionThermal gradientExample projectExample project: NEMO (DCNS; Akuo Energy)Cost range0.07 - 0.94 USD/kWh¹ (depending on plant size)





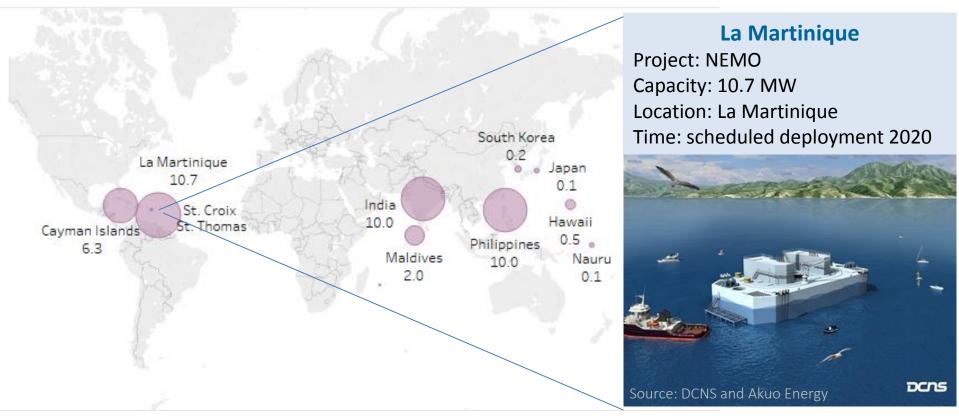
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### **Installed Capacity OTEC**

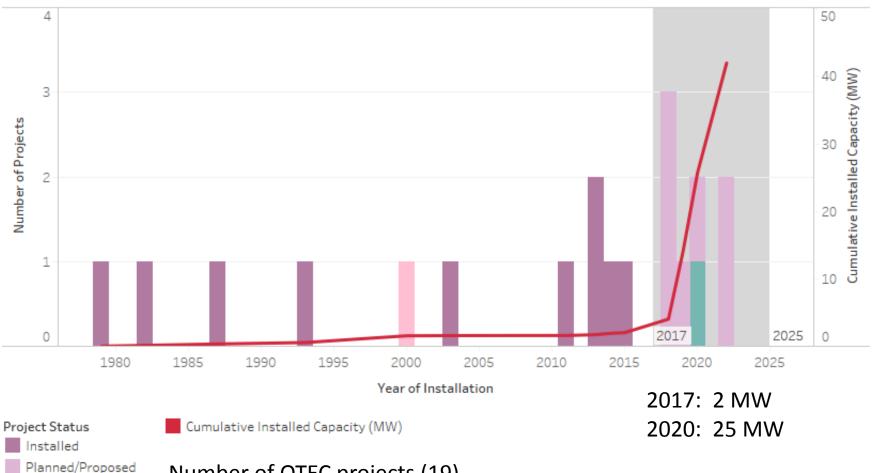


Installed Capacity of OTEC projects that have been installed, are under construction and planned/proposed up to 2025 (19 projects), excluding the projects of which the status is unknown (5 projects), and of which the year of installation is unknown (12 projects).





### Number of projects & Cumulative installed capacity



### Number of OTEC projects (19),

of which 3 projects do not have a known installed capacity.

Unknown

nder construction



### » NER300

"Financing instrument managed jointly by the European Commission, European Investment Bank and Member States."<sup>1</sup>

» FORESEA (Funding Ocean Renewable Energy through Strategic European Action) "Help bring ocean energy technologies to the market by providing access to North-West Europe's world-leading network of test centres."<sup>2</sup>

### » OCEANERA-NET

"Coordinate funding programmes between European countries and regions to support research and innovation in the ocean energy sector." <sup>3</sup>

- » Horizon 2020 TP Ocean
- » Abu Dhabi Fund for Development (ADFD)

<sup>2</sup> http://www.nweurope.eu/projects/project-search/funding-ocean-renewable-energy-through-strategic-european-action/

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# **PROJECT NAVIGATOR**

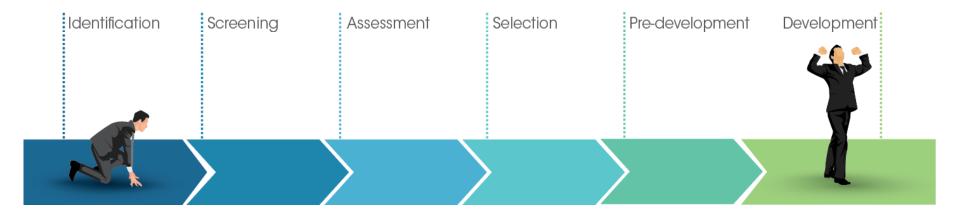
### The challenge of RET projects

- Failing to prove project bankability to funding institutions
- » Insufficient knowledge on project proposal development
  - » Higher project development costs
  - » Higher risk of project failure

#### Objectives

- » Increase the bankability of projects by:
  - » Strengthening the project development base
  - » Enhancing the quality of project proposals
  - » Reducing costs and mitigating risks through proper planning and efficient use of funds
  - » Facilitating effective implementation









### **Unlocking financing for RE projects**





- » Document Technology Development from the last three years
- » Assess ocean energy market potential for Caribbean islands
- » Develop tailor-made project development guidelines for ocean energy projects
- » Would you like to engage?







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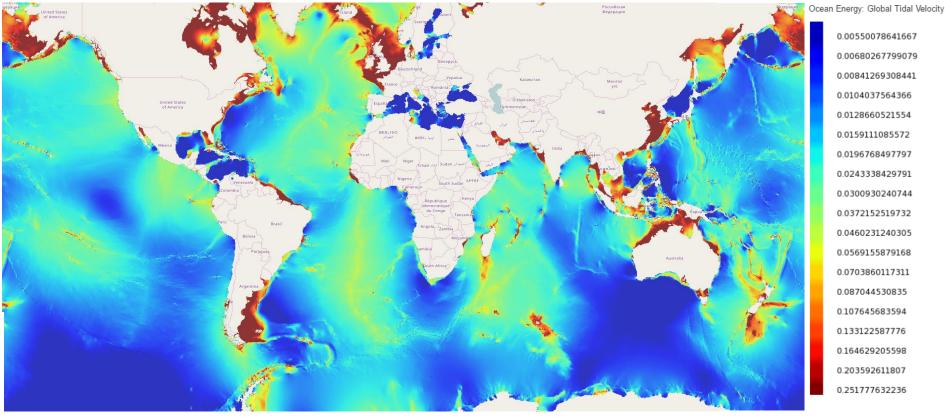


# Extra slides





» Global Theoretical Potential: 90 GW

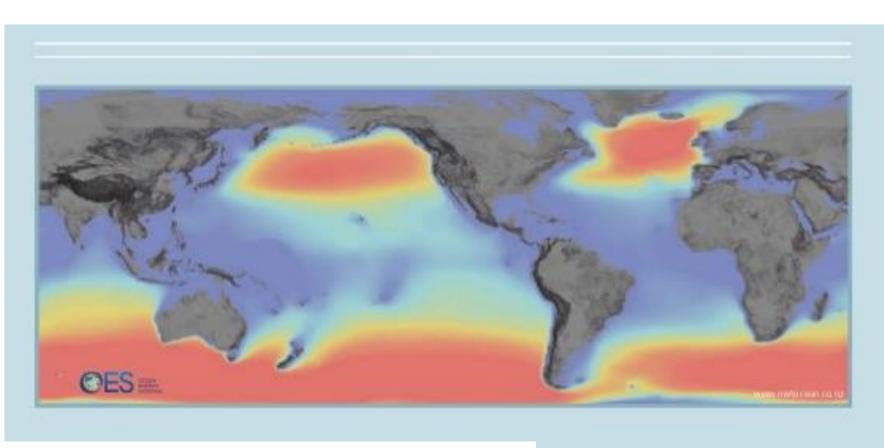


Source: Global Atlas IRENA

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Source: IEA – OES 2014

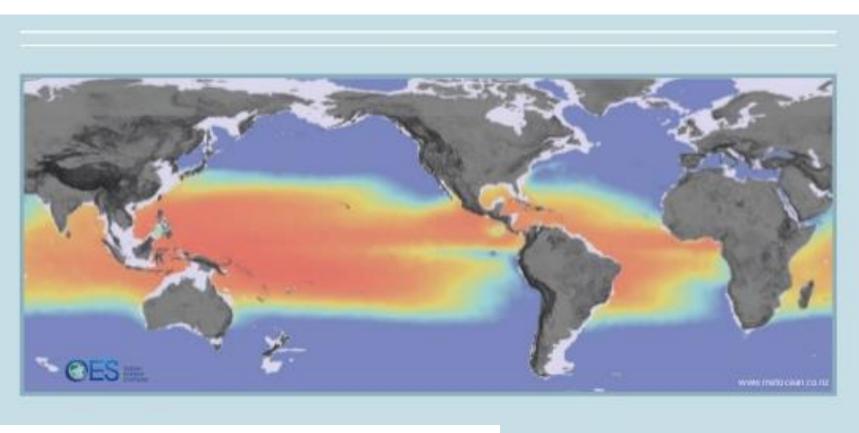
### » Global Theoretical Potential: 3.0 TW<sup>1</sup>



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 *Proceedings of OMAE2010* Shanghai, China
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Source: IEA – OES 2014

### Global Theoretical Potential: 30 TW<sup>1</sup>



<sup>1</sup> K. Rajagopalan and G. Nihous, 2013. An Assessment of the Global Ocean Thermal Energy Conversion Resources with a High-Resolution Ocean General Circulation Model.

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### Market share ocean energy technologies 2017

