



Scotland's Flood Risk Management Conference 2018

Conference slides

Working together to manage flood risk



Flood Risk Management Conference 2018

5 – 6 February 2018

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Ruth Wolstenholme, Sniffer

Chair session 1a Scotland's FRM policy landscape

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Four conference themes:

Monday am – Scotland's FRM policy landscape

Monday Pm -- Coastal flood risk management

Tuesday am – Surface Water Management

Tuesday pm - Innovation

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**The Flood Risk Management (Scotland)
Act 2009 promotes coordination and
cooperation between all organisations
involved in flood risk management**



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Who's who in Scotland FRM

SNIFFER Conference 2018

James McLeod

National Flood Management Advisory Group (NFMAG)

- * Brings together a number of key organisations - representatives from SEPA, Scottish Water, Local Authorities, FCS, SNH and many others to consider the progress that is being made to implement flood management protocol and strategies.

Chair: David Pirie, SEPA



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SCOTS - Society of Chief Officers Of Transportation In Scotland - FRM Group

Membership:

- * Local Authorities, Scottish Water, SEPA, Scottish Government, Network Rail, COSLA, Emergency Resilience, Heads of Planning Scotland (HoPS)

Aims:

- * The group enables sharing of good practice, development of guidance, partnership working and dissemination of information relating to Flood Risk Management in Scotland.
- * www.scotsnet.org.uk

Chair: Susan Veitch

Vice Chair: Ross Speirs

Secretary: David MacPherson



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Lead Local Authority Forum (LLAF)

- * Shares good practice, exchanges information and addresses common issues arising through the work of the Local Partnerships in Scotland.
- * Membership includes Lead Local Authorities, Scottish Water, Scottish Government and SEPA.

Joint chairs: Walter Scott,
Angus Council; Elliot
Robertson, SEPA



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The Scottish Advisory and Implementation Forum for Flooding (SAIFF)

A partnership between the Scottish Government, Scottish public bodies and stakeholders and comprises a series of **working groups** convened to help develop specific guidance or undertake further analysis of important technical issues.

<http://www.gov.scot/Topics/Environment/Water/Flooding/FRMAct/saif>

(I don't know why the link only has one "f" in SAIFF)

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SAIFF – Policy Management Group (PMG)

Membership:

- * COSLA, SCOTS, Scottish Water, Heads of Planning Scotland, Lead Local Authorities, SEPA and Scottish Government.

Role:

- * To support the delivery of the first cycle and preparation for the second and those organisations involved.
- * In doing so it commissions and supports individual task and finish groups.

Chair: Neil Ritchie



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SAIFF - Surface Water Management Plans (SWMP) Group

Membership:

- * Local Authority (Flooding and Roads), Scottish Water – FRM Team and SW Strategy Team, Scottish Government, SEPA

Aims:

- * Act as a forum to support responsible authorities with the implementation of SWMP and integrated drainage;
- * Support capacity building to enable the implementation of surface water management planning;
- * Provide advice on the production and implementation of surface water management plans;
- * Provide advice to responsible authorities on potential funding routes for surface water flooding measures;
- * Identify and share best practice in relation to surface water management and integrated drainage e.g. identify and collect best practice case studies, consider emerging issues and opportunities; and
- * Review progress of SWMP in Scotland

Chair: Graeme Hedger, West Lothian Council



Police Scotland

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SAIFF – Quality and Standards (Q&S) Group

Aims:

- * Make recommendations to the Scottish Government and Scottish Ministers on objectives for the Quality and Standards Ministerial Directions in the specified investment period to ensure Scottish Water duties under the Flood Risk Management Act are met.
- * Monitor the progress of projects in the Technical Expression to ensure Scottish Water meets the Ministerial Quality and Standards Objectives in relation to the FRM Act.
- * Sign off projects in the Technical Expression on behalf of the Scottish Government to confirm that Ministerial Quality and Standards Objectives have been met in relation to the FRM Act.
- * SAIFF Q&S group recommendations require agreement by the SAIFF PMG before being presented to Scottish Water.

Chair: Ruth Ellis, SEPA



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SAIFF – Appraisal and Prioritisation Group

Aims:

- * Provide advice on the development of strategic appraisal and prioritisation methods for the Flood Risk Management Strategies. This may include revised appraisal and re-prioritisation of actions from the current Flood Risk Management Strategies and Local Flood Risk Management Plans, as well as new actions proposed for the next sets of Strategies and Plans.
- * Support method development during current and future flood risk management planning cycles
- * Focus on developing technical, evidence-based methods
- * Have an awareness of the implications of strategic appraisal and prioritisation on funding and other political decisions (but will not be responsible for making decisions on funding or aspects of flood risk management that require political input)

Chair: Ruth Ellis, SEPA



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SAIFF – Natural Flood Management (NFM) Group

Membership:

- * SEPA, Scottish Government, SNH, FCS, CPE Consultancy, Cairngorms National Park, PKC, Scottish Land and Estates, RSPB, Tweed Forum, James Hutton Institute.

Aims:

- * Identifying areas where further work is required to inform policy and practice, and support the delivery of NFM;
- * Promoting and facilitating engagement and collaboration between organisations and individuals with an interest in NFM;
- * Disseminating reliable, practical, evidence-based information and guidance to the wider NFM community;
- * Helping those participating in the work of the Group to keep abreast of emerging issues, share best practice and develop new knowledge and understanding;
- * Providing a strategic review of delivery of NFM actions in FRM Strategies and Local FRM Plans and associated deliverables such as NFM mapping updates and NFM action appraisal;
- * Identifying any other activities and/or outputs that would help support responsible authorities in the delivery of the NFM actions identified in the Local Flood Risk Management Plans.

Chair: Heather Forbes, SEPA



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Land Use Planning and Flooding (LUPF) Group

Membership:

- * includes SEPA (Flood Risk, Hydrology, & Planning), Scottish Government, Heads of Planning Scotland (HoPS) and Royal Town Planning Institute Scotland (RTPIS)

Aims:

- * To strengthen the links between the Land Use Planning and Flood Risk Hydrology functions within SEPA to enable the development of a clear, robust and managed approach to providing appropriate advice on flood risk to Planning Authorities
- * The group also seeks to strengthen links between SEPA and external stakeholders involved in the land use planning process

Chair: Marc Becker, SEPA



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SAIFF Flood Risk Management (FRM) Planning group (Phase 4)

Membership:

- * Local Authorities, Scottish Government, SEPA, SCOTS (although can be changed as considered necessary when the focus of the group changes from interim reporting to consultation and final publication arrangements)

Aims:

- * Addresses Section 37 of the FRM(S)A09 regarding interim reporting on the Local Flood Risk Management Plans.
- * However, the group will progress to look at consultation and final publication arrangements of the Local FRM Plans.

Chair: David Hay, Glasgow City Council



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SAIFF – Local Authority Implementation Group (LAIG)

Membership:

- * Scottish Government, Local Authorities, (SEPA as appropriate)

Aims:

- * To develop further detail on the implementation of Part 4 of the FRM Act, including considering whether further provision should be made by Regulation and/or guidance to better assist local authorities.
- * The Group will also consider other aspects of local authority work involved in implementation of the Act, including mechanisms to ensure co-operative working and sharing resources where necessary.
- * Published Part IV Guidance and Clearance and Repair Guidance

Chair: Antje Branding, Scottish Government



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SAIFF Flood Risk & Climate Change Group

Membership:

- * SEPA, Local Authority, Scottish Water, Adaptation Scotland, Scottish Government (Flood Policy, Climate Change Hub)

Aims:

- * Provide a forum for the consideration of climate change in relation to flood risk from all sources;
- * Steer the development of new information on climate change and flood risk;
- * Provide direction and consistency to support flood risk management including the development of guidance;
- * Inform the development of a plan for the effective communication of climate change and flood risk information;
- * Strengthen links with other stakeholders and areas of research into the potential impacts of climate change on flood risk

Chair: Mark McLaughlin, SEPA



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Cross Border Advisory Group (CBAG)

- * This Group advises relevant authorities (Environment Agency, SEPA and local authorities) on the manner in which they should exercise certain functions with respect to English and Scottish cross border areas within the Solway Tweed River Basin District.

Chair: Elliot Robertson, SEPA



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Local Partnerships

- * There are 14 Local Partnerships corresponding with the Local Plan Districts.
- * Membership includes key partners (local authorities, SEPA and Scottish Water)
- * Inform the production of FRM Strategies and Local FRM Plans.

Contact: Elliot Robertson, SEPA
Managers: David, Steve and
Andrea



Bannermans in the Cowgate

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SAIFF - Communications

Membership:

- * SEPA, Scottish Government (and previously Local Authorities, Scottish Water)

Aims:

- * Flood Risk Management – celebrating success; refreshing the FRM Glossary and a flooding literature review (particularly across SEPA, SW, LAs, SG and SFF) to improve clarity and consistency across RAs, for public
- * National FRA – clear messaging and consultation/engagement coordination
- * NFM - products: generally celebrate successes; encouraging scrutiny of draft products (e.g. guidance docs) encouraging best practice through publications and workshops (e.g. SFF and use/workshops around NFM film)

Chair: Stewart Prodger, SEPA



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Flood Risk Management Local Advisory Groups (FRM LAGs)

- * There are currently 10 FRM LAGs corresponding with the Area Advisory Groups used for river basin management planning and help provide a key link between the two processes.
- * These groups include wider stakeholders with an interest in flood risk and provide advice to Lead Local Authorities on the preparation of the Local FRM Plans.

Contact: Elliot Robertson, SEPA



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Co-ordination and Co-operation

- * This conference was co-created by a number of organisations:
 - * SNIFFER, Scottish Government, SEPA, Local Authorities and Scottish Water.
- * We value cooperation
- * We welcome ideas for how to be even more inclusive
- * Interested in being involved in current or future SAIFF groups:
 - * contact Scottish Government (Antje Branding)

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Scottish Flood Forum

- * The Scottish Flood Forum is a Scottish based Charitable Organisation that provides support for and represents those who are affected by or are at risk of flooding and is funded by the Scottish Government.

Kirsty MacRae, Director



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Roseanna Cunningham, MSP
**Cabinet Secretary for Environment, Climate
Change and Land Reform**

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Programme for Government & Scotland's Economic Strategy

Antje Branding
Scottish Government



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A NATION WITH AMBITION

THE GOVERNMENT'S
PROGRAMME FOR SCOTLAND

2017-18



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year of young people
bliadhna na h-òigridh
2018

Programme for Government (PfG)

Why do we do it?

- The new parliamentary year starts in September after the summer recess
- The First Minister sets out her government's priorities for the next parliamentary year
 - The policies the government will deliver
 - The legislative programme the government will pursue
 - First debated by opposition parties 5 – 7 September, then rolled out until June 2018

KEY SCOTTISH GOVERNMENT SUPPORTED PROJECTS SINCE 2007

South Yell – Mid Yell Water Treatment Works Upgrade

Lerwick Harbour Quayside Upgrades

Shapinsay Water Treatment Works Upgrade

European Marine Energy Centre

Subsea fibre optic network

Scrabster Harbour

Wick High School – one of 651 school building projects completed

Stornoway Harbour

Ullapool Harbour

Subsea fibre optic network

Tain Health Centre

New ferry points for Raasay, Armadale, Mallaig & Uig

UHI Campus

Great Glen Cycle Way

Sabhal Mòr Ostaig

Lochaber Smelter

A9 – 90 miles of carriageway with cycle lanes

Mull & Iona Progressive Care Centre

Stirling Care Village

Bathgate to Airdrie Railway

Greenock Sports Centre

Queen Elizabeth University Hospital Campus

Kilmarnock Campus

M74, M73 & M8 Improvements

Dumfries & Galloway Primary Care

Stranraer and Cairnryan Strategic Ports

A96 Carriageway Dualling

Forres Hospital

Peterhead HMP Grampian

Elgin Flood Protection

Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route

Key Worker Accommodation

Brechin Flood Protection

V&A Museum of Design Dundee

68,000 new affordable homes across Scotland

Queensferry Crossing

Borders Railway

Selkirk Flood Protection

Glencorse Water Treatment Works



The legislative programme

BILLS FOR INTRODUCTION IN 2017-18

BUDGET BILL

CLIMATE CHANGE BILL

CROWN ESTATE BILL

DAMAGES BILL

EDUCATION BILL

LAND AND BUILDINGS TRANSACTION TAX BILL

MANAGEMENT OF OFFENDERS BILL

MINIMUM AGE OF CRIMINAL RESPONSIBILITY BILL

ORGAN AND TISSUE DONATION BILL

PLANNING BILL

PRESCRIPTION BILL

SAFE STAFFING BILL

SEXUAL OFFENCES (PARDONS AND DISREGARDS) BILL

TRANSPORT BILL

VULNERABLE WITNESSES AND PRE-RECORDED
EVIDENCE BILL

WARM HOMES BILL

BILLS ALREADY ANNOUNCED

CHILDREN AND YOUNG PEOPLE
(INFORMATION SHARING) BILL

CHILD POVERTY BILL

CIVIL LITIGATION (EXPENSES AND GROUP
PROCEEDINGS) BILL

CONTRACT (THIRD PARTY RIGHTS) BILL

DOMESTIC ABUSE BILL

FORESTRY AND LAND MANAGEMENT BILL

GENDER REPRESENTATION ON PUBLIC BOARDS BILL

HOUSING (AMENDMENT) BILL

ISLANDS BILL

SOCIAL SECURITY BILL

WILD ANIMALS IN TRAVELLING CIRCUSES BILL

BILLS PASSED SINCE 2016-17 PROGRAMME FOR GOVERNMENT

AIR DEPARTURE TAX BILL

BUDGET BILL

LIMITATION (CHILDHOOD ABUSE) BILL

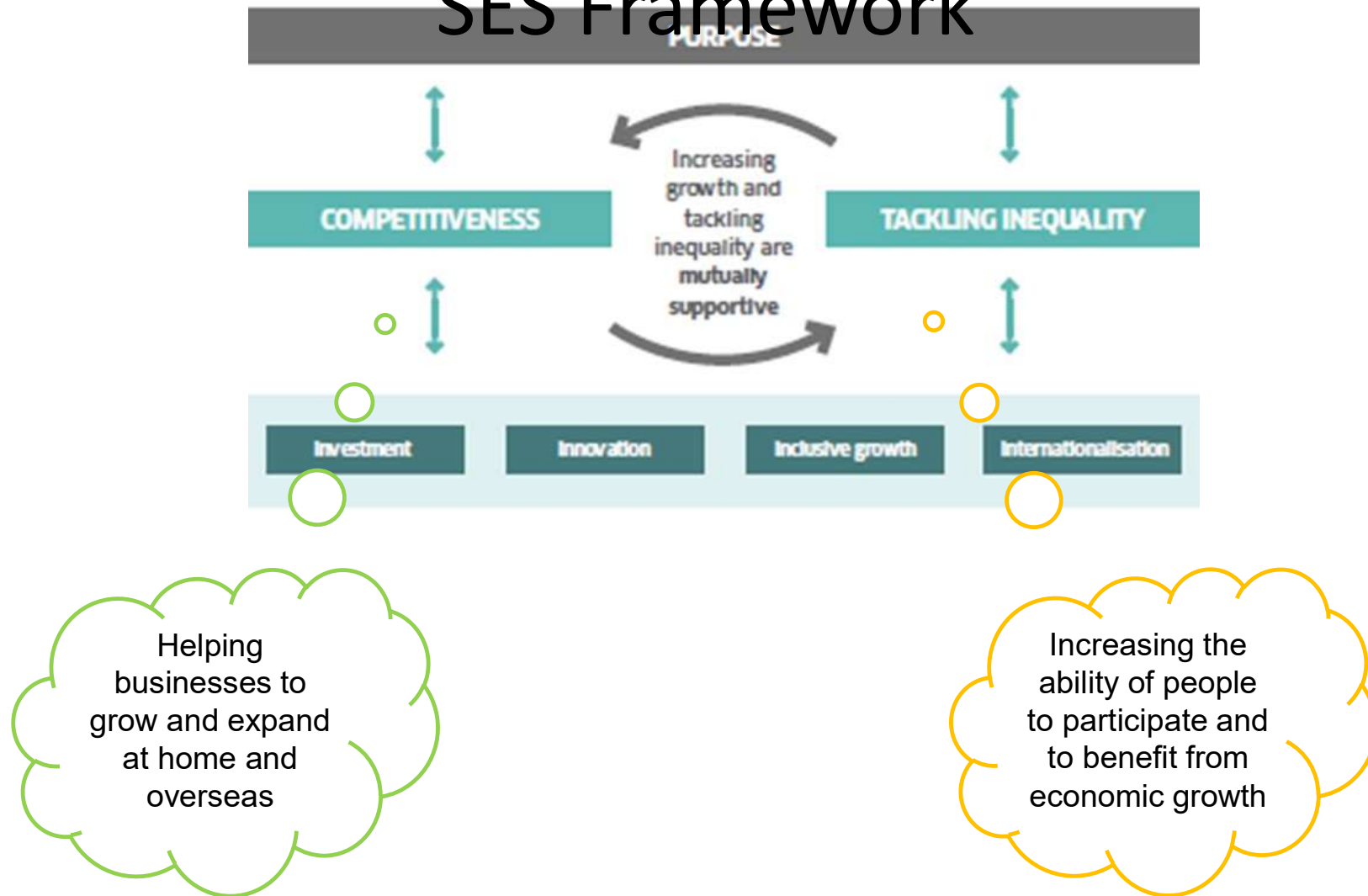
RAILWAY POLICING BILL

Scotland's Economic Strategy (SES)

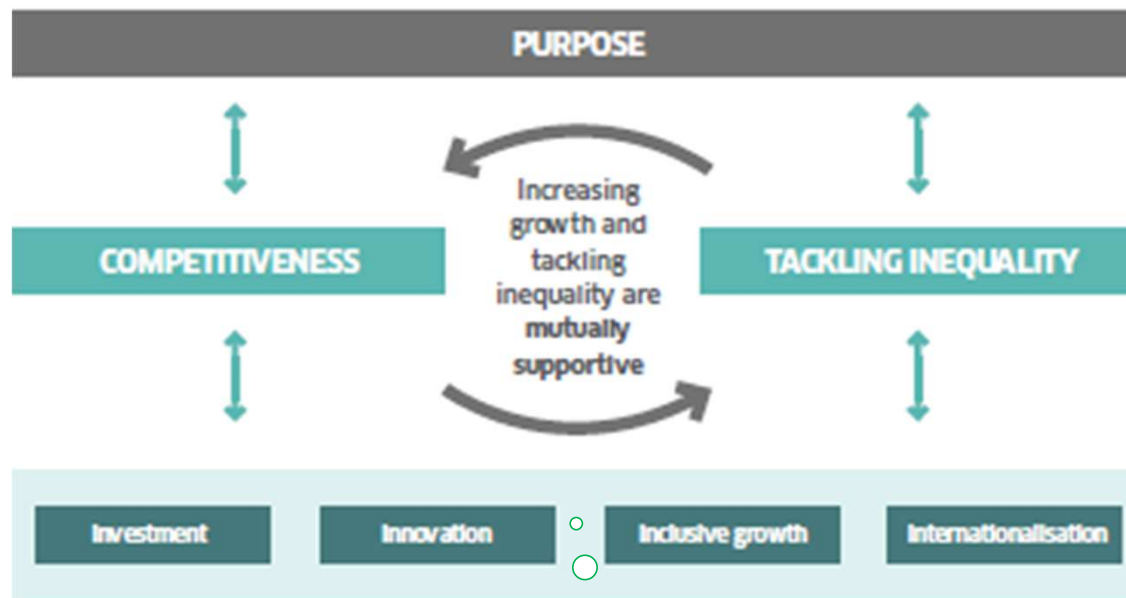
- sets ambition to create a more cohesive and resilient economy that improves the opportunities, life chances and wellbeing
- Government's purpose is to create a more successful country with opportunities for all to flourish, through increasing sustainable economic growth
- Approach based on two key pillars
 - Increasing competitiveness
 - Tackling inequality



SES Framework

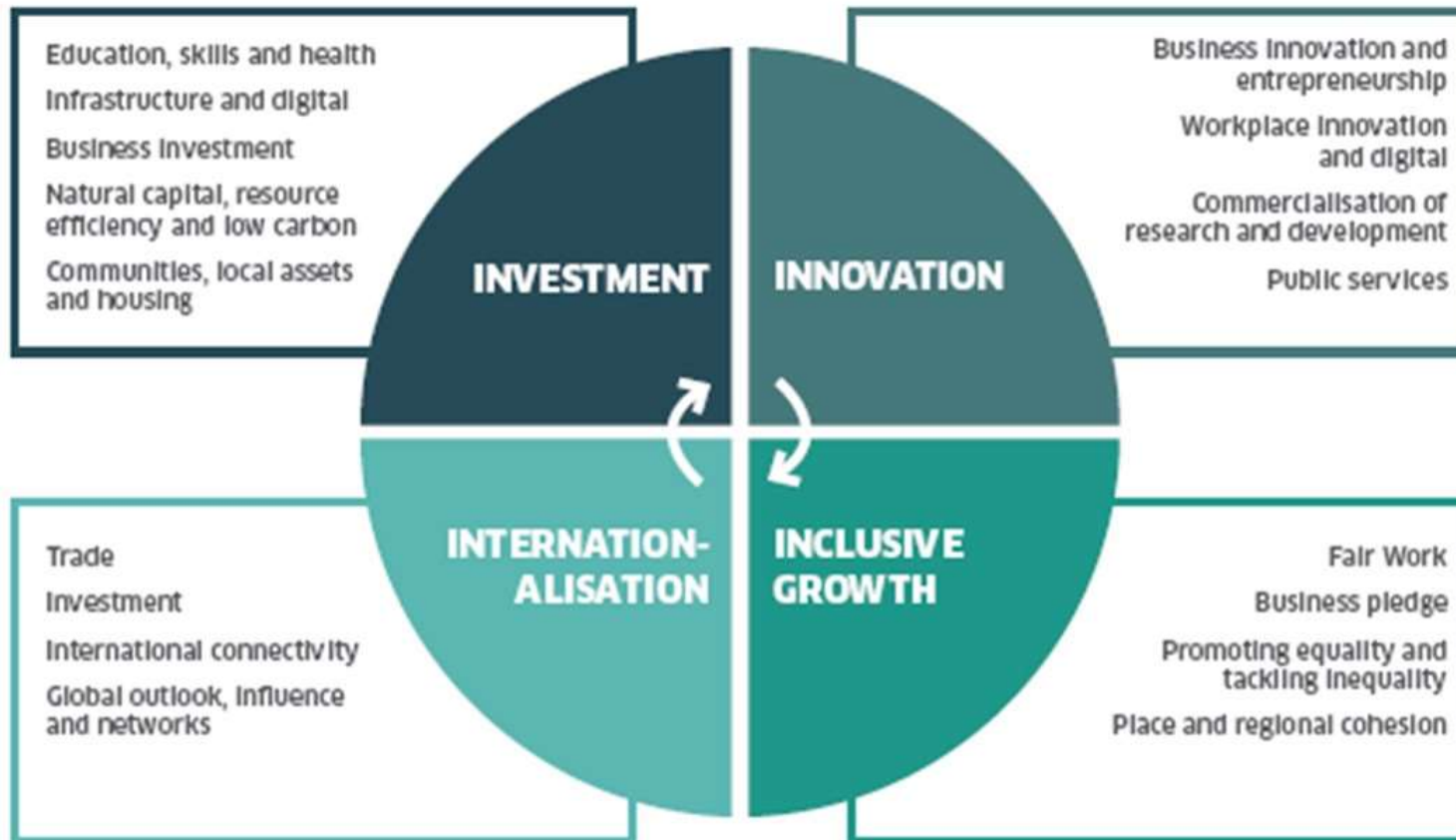


SES: The Framework



Four priority areas for
Government action –
four Is

Key Priorities And Focus



PfG – Flood Risk Management

Roads

We have just seen the Queensferry Crossing open to the public and earlier in the summer the opening of the upgrade to the M8, M73 and M74 motorways. We continue to deliver the Aberdeen Western Peripheral Route and progress the dualling of the A9, underlining our commitment to major infrastructure across Scotland.

This year, we will also focus on maintaining the trunk road network in line with international best practice.

This approach will help to sustain the economic health of our nation and meet the expectations of the travelling public. We will invest in further essential road maintenance schemes, our bridge strengthening programme and ancillary assets and increase the resilience of the network to unplanned events such as flooding and high winds. The Transport Bill will contain provisions on obstructive and inconsiderate parking. It will also enhance and improve the role of the Scottish Road Works Commissioner and the wider regulation of road works.

Transport Scotland will continue its work to deliver a national 'e-purse' system for use on saltirecards allowing cash free travel on public transport across Scotland.



**IN 2017-18 WE WILL PRESS FOR
FURTHER DEVOLUTION OF NETWORK
RAIL IN SCOTLAND**

Buses

The Transport Bill will provide local transport authorities with improved options to influence the provision of bus services in their area to better meet local users' needs, through partnerships with

Flood risk and the water environment

We have supported delivery of flood protection and improvements to Scotland's rivers and lochs as set out in the second River Basin Management Plans. We will continue to invest in the Water Environment Fund to deliver further improvements and associated additional community and economic benefits.

We will work with partners to deliver the first round of flood risk strategies. This will be supported by funding to projects and initiatives like the Scottish Flood Forum, to raise awareness of flooding and share information on how to be prepared. This will improve Scotland's resilience to an increasing likelihood of severe weather events and the associated risk of flooding. We will also support the Scottish Environment Protection Agency in their development of the second National Flood Risk Assessment, due in 2018.

2018 – an important year



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CIWEM Events

Network – Learn – Debate

Working with Natural Processes: The Evidence Behind Natural Flood Management

14 March 2018 | CIWEM One-Day Conference

ECCL, High School Yards, Edinburgh EH1 1LZ

#ciwemevents @CIWEM

NFM Network
Launch:
Improving the
evidence base

PUBLICATION - SPEECH / MINISTERIAL STATEMENT

Compulsory Purchase Order National Assembly 2017: minister's speech

Published: **12 Dec 2017**

Directorate: [Local Government and Communities Directorate](#)

Part of: [Building, planning and design](#)

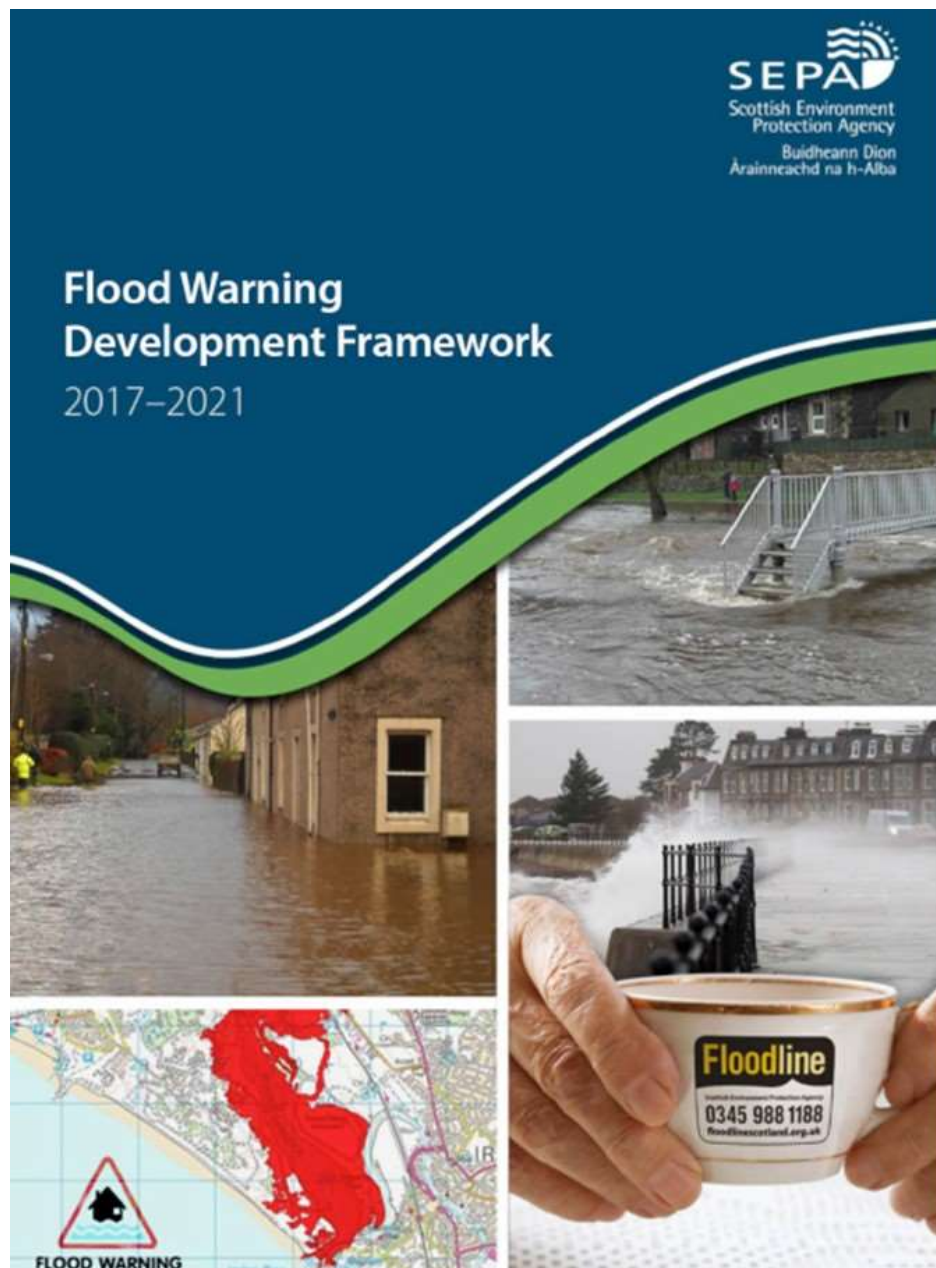
Date of speech: **12 Dec 2017**

Delivered by: **Minister for Local Government and Housing, Kevin Stewart**

Location: **Edinburgh**

The Minister for Local Government and Housing's speech at the Compulsory Purchase Order (CPO) National Assembly held on 12 December 2017.

- <https://beta.gov.scot/publications/compulsory-purchase-order-national-assembly-2017-ministers-speech/>
- <https://beta.gov.scot/publications/compulsory-purchase-orders-introduction/>



New Flood Warning Schemes in 2017:

- Loch Lomond & River Leven
- River Garnock
- Upper Nith, River Esk and River Cree
- Coastal areas of the Firth of Forth around Airth and Alloa

To sum up:

Flood Risk Management is key to the PfG and the delivery of Scotland's Economic Strategy.



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Update on Climate Change Adaptation Policy

Anna Beswick | Adaptation Scotland Programme Manager

FRM conference | 5 February 2018

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Adaptation Scotland

supporting climate change resilience

Enabling organisations, businesses
and communities to adapt to the
impacts of climate change

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- Advice service
- Guidance
- Adaptation Learning Exchange
- Task groups
- Case studies
- Partnership projects



Paris Agreement:

- Put adaptation on a par with mitigation, and linked the two.
- Set a global goal of *'enhancing adaptive capacity, strengthening resilience and reducing vulnerability to climate change'*.
- All countries expected to undertake adaptation planning and action, and communicate actions to global community.



Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme (I)

Adaptation
Scotland
supporting climate change resilience

The Climate Change (Scotland) Act requires a statutory climate change adaptation programme

First Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme published May 2014 – risk led approach

Aim: to increase the resilience of Scotland's people, environment and economy to the impacts of climate change

- Annual progress reports and two independent assessments by the CCC Adaptation Sub-Committee

Second Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme due 2019



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Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme (I)

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supporting climate change resilience

Climate Change (Scotland) Act includes Public Bodies Climate Change Duties:

- Requires that Public Bodies exercise their functions in a way best calculated to deliver the statutory adaptation programme;
- Report compliance annually.

Significant progress is being made.

Scotland's historic sites at high risk from climate change, report says

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Scotland
supporting climate change resilience

Exclusive: Many of the country's most famous ancient sites, from Holyrood Park to the Neolithic village of Skara Brae, need urgent protection, say experts



Dozens of Scotland's most famous historic sites are at very high risk of being badly damaged by climate change and need urgent protection, an expert survey has found.

Historic Environment

- 
- **Assessment of climate change risks to Historic Environment Scotland estate – over 300 Properties in Care.**
 - **£6.6 million capital boost to support investment in conservation work and repairs.**
 - **Collaboration – Scottish Water, SEPA, NHS Facilities, Aberdeen City Council**

Green Infrastructure Fund

**Adaptation
Scotland**
supporting climate change resilience

**Improving Scotland's urban environment
By increasing and enhancing greenspace:**

- Prioritising areas of multiple deprivation
- £5.8m awarded in 2017 – match funding
= total investment of £19.6 million

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Edinburgh Adapts Vision and Action Plan

100 actions to be implemented between 2015 - 2020

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Climate**Ready**Clyde



Dynamic Coast: Scotland's Coastal Change Assessment

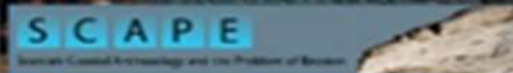
About the Project

See the Web Maps

Watch 2 min Summary



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Climate and adaptation science

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UKCP18 release
November 2018



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Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme (II)

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Second Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme due 2019

Scoping Phase

- November 2017 – event with Scottish Government Adaptation Policy leads to review progress and gather feedback on options for SCCAP 2
- January 2018 – Options appraisal to identify preferred structure for SCCAP 2



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Scottish Climate Change Adaptation Programme (II)

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Suggested new approach: Outcomes focused

- Provides a positive narrative and language
- Familiar approach
- Will show how adaptation can enable progress with broader strategic outcomes
- Better reflect how adaptation works in practice

Open and consultative process



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Katriona Carmichael, Scottish Government

Chair session 1b Scotland's FRM policy landscape (cont)

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2018 National Flood Risk Assessment & Potentially Vulnerable Areas Development Update



FRM Conference

5th February 2018

Ruth Ellis – Principal Policy Officer Flood Risk Management

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THANKS

BRINGING THEIR
SKILLS IN IMPACT
ASSESSMENT, GIS
MODELLING,
REPORT WRITING,
STATISTICAL
ANALYSIS,
PROJECT
MANAGEMENT &
MORE:

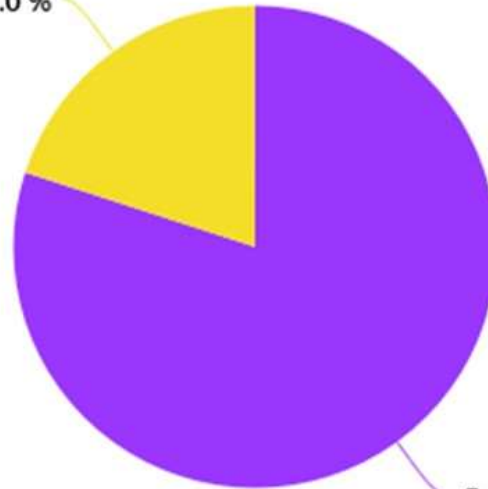


>44 INDIVIDUALS

RPS

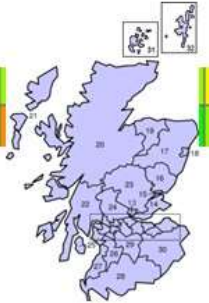
Direction & Method Development

Male: 20.0 %



Female: 80.0 %

#WomeninSTEM
#womenindata



SOCIETY OF CHIEF OFFICERS OF
TRANSPORTATION IN SCOTLAND

Protection Agency

CONTEXT

Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009

Statutory Requirements

- Section 10 & 14
- Review and update Consult on changes
- Publish by December 2018

Section 10

GENERAL DUTY, DIRECTION AND GUIDANCE

1. General duty
2. Direction and guidance

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PROVISIONAL APPROPRIATION

Improvement Opportunity

- Comprehensive review
 - Gap analysis
 - Horizon scanning
- Need and impact based
- Targeted development

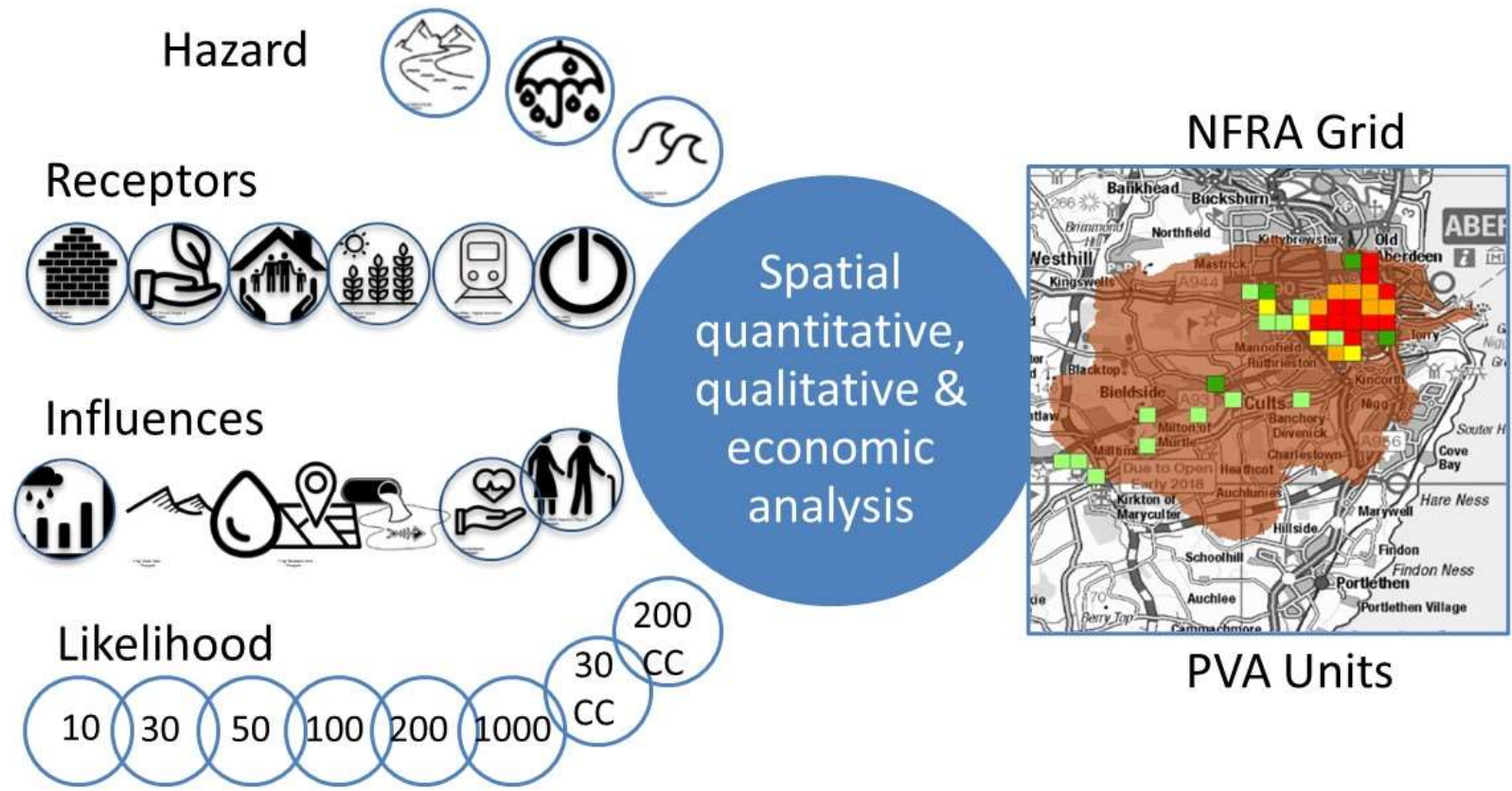
Lessons Learned

- Proactive
- >400 comments
- Good / bad / indifferent
 - Provided focus
- Grounded in reality

Efficiency and Consistency

- Underpins FRMP activity
- Consistency from cycle start
- Focus energy on appraisal and prioritisation earlier
 - Robust for partners

CONTINUITY: ASSESSMENT FRAMEWORK



CONTINUITY: PRINCIPLES

Predictive

- Proactive & forward-looking

Climate
Change

- Future hazard & risk

FRM Actions

- Account for FRM Actions
- Role in reducing flood risk

Best Data

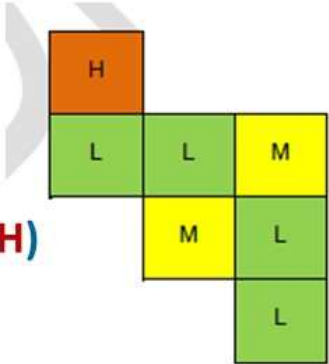
- Nationally consistent & informed by observed flood events

Communities

- Impact on people, place, business, heritage & environment
- Flood Disadvantage

CONTINUITY: RISK GRID & BASE UNITS

Assess Risk to Receptors
Assess Risk Influences
Apply Thresholds
OUTPUTS: Categorised risk grids (VL/L/M/H/VH)
risk clusters



Sub-catchment unit
building blocks

Table 3-1: NERA 2 500 x 500m grid scores for receptors (Chapter 6)					
	Very Low 1	Low 2	Medium 3	High 4	Very High 5
Homes	1-10 homes at potential flood risk	10-40 homes at potential flood risk	40-80 homes at potential flood risk	80-120 homes at potential flood risk	>120 homes at potential flood risk
Businesses	1-10 businesses at potential flood risk	10-40 businesses at potential flood risk	40-80 businesses at potential flood risk	80-120 businesses at potential flood risk	>120 businesses at potential flood risk
Communities	1-10 communities at potential flood risk	10-40 communities at potential flood risk	40-80 communities at potential flood risk	80-120 communities at potential flood risk	>120 communities at potential flood risk
Transport & Travel	1-10 transport & travel at potential flood risk	10-40 transport & travel at potential flood risk	40-80 transport & travel at potential flood risk	80-120 transport & travel at potential flood risk	>120 transport & travel at potential flood risk
Utilities Infrastructure	1-10 utilities infrastructure at potential flood risk	10-40 utilities infrastructure at potential flood risk	40-80 utilities infrastructure at potential flood risk	80-120 utilities infrastructure at potential flood risk	>120 utilities infrastructure at potential flood risk
Cultural Heritage	1-10 cultural heritage at potential flood risk	10-40 cultural heritage at potential flood risk	40-80 cultural heritage at potential flood risk	80-120 cultural heritage at potential flood risk	>120 cultural heritage at potential flood risk
Designated and Protected Environmental Sites	1-10 designated and protected environmental sites at potential flood risk	10-40 designated and protected environmental sites at potential flood risk	40-80 designated and protected environmental sites at potential flood risk	80-120 designated and protected environmental sites at potential flood risk	>120 designated and protected environmental sites at potential flood risk
Agriculture	1-10 agriculture at potential flood risk	10-40 agriculture at potential flood risk	40-80 agriculture at potential flood risk	80-120 agriculture at potential flood risk	>120 agriculture at potential flood risk

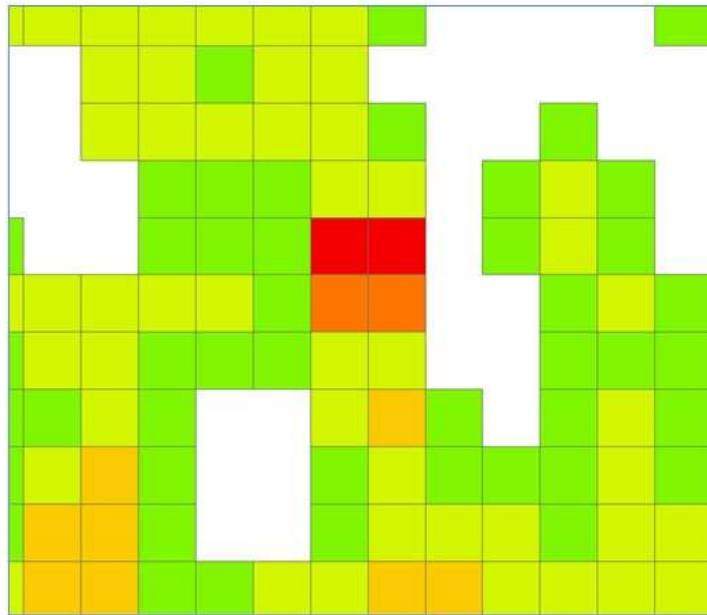
Risk matrix by receptor

Thresholds used as trigger to identify sub-catchments which may make up PVAs

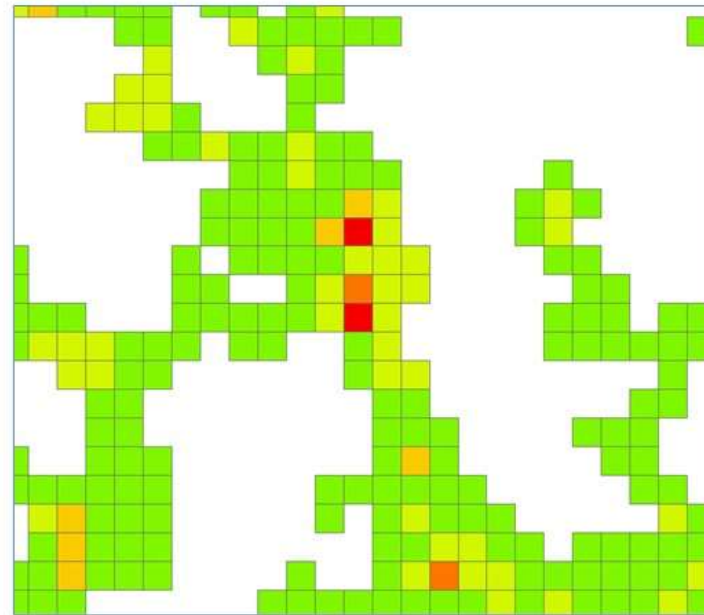
DEVELOPMENTS: GRID SIZE

Striking the balance: flattening risk profile vs appropriate detail

NFRA 2011: 1km x 1km

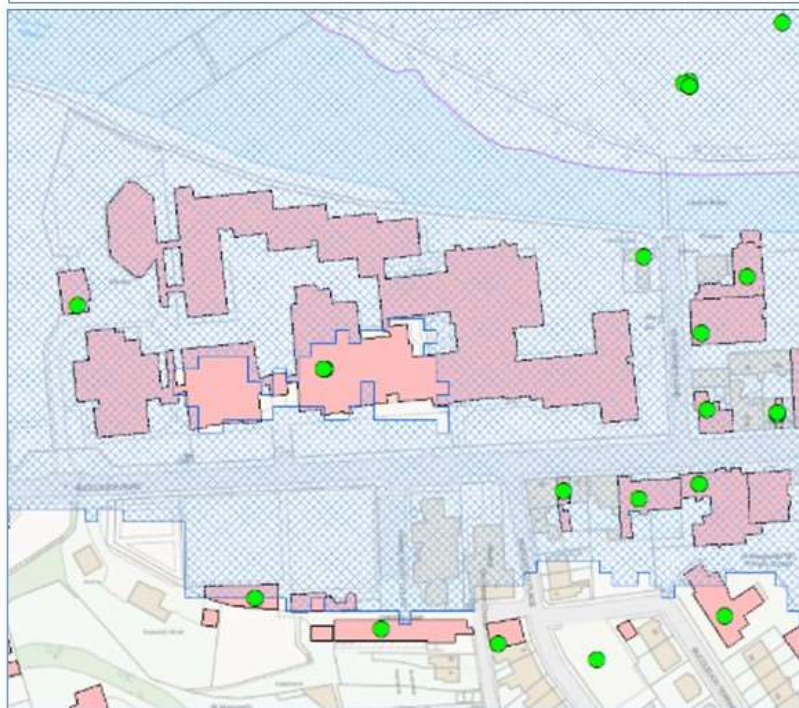


NFRA 2018: 500m x 500m

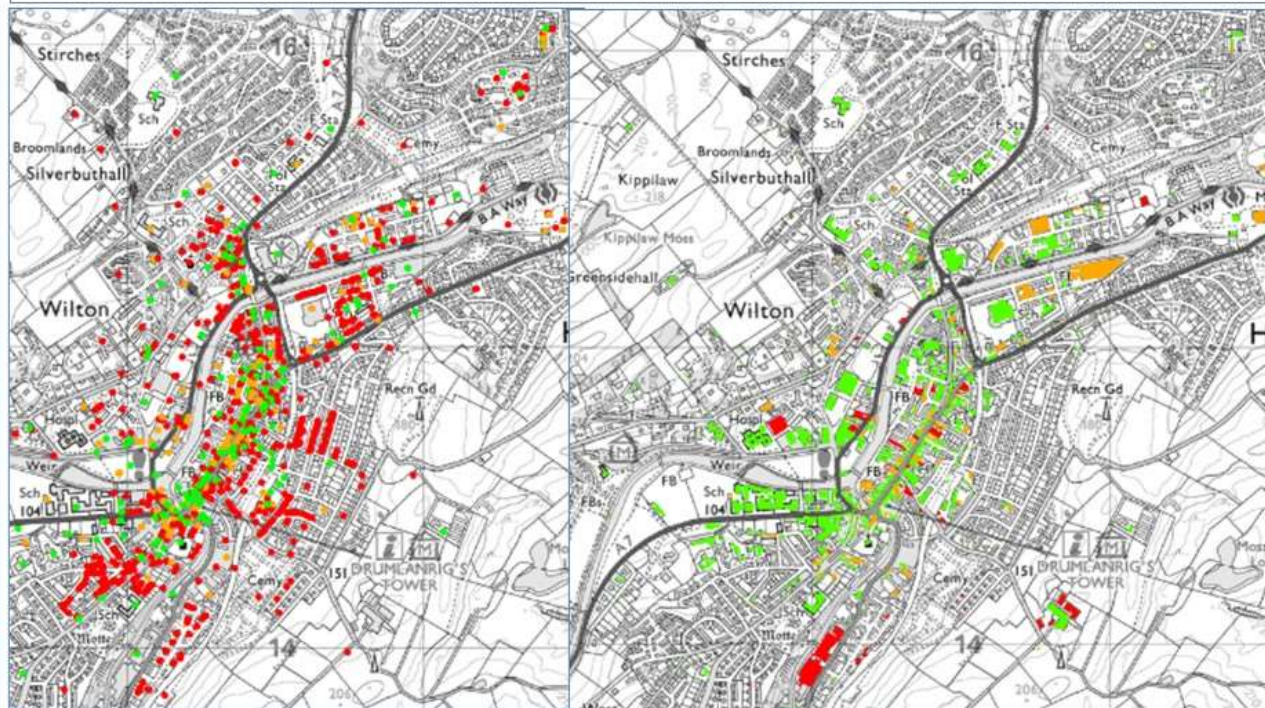


DEVELOPMENTS: PROPERTY COUNTING

Point to building polygon



Improved non-residential building classification



DEVELOPMENTS: NEW ELEMENTS



Communities

- Receptors expanded to reflect functionality
- Scale of community impacted (resilience)

Climate Change

Data embedded from outset
Absolute and change impacts

Recent Research

National Coastal Change Assessment
Mapping Flood Disadvantage Scotland



Scottish Environment
Protection Agency

OUTPUTS: PVA REVIEW – STRUCTURED EVIDENCE

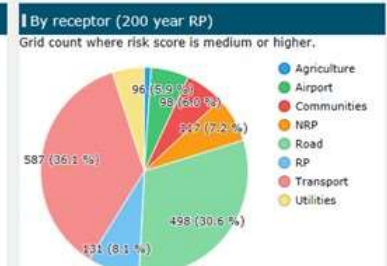
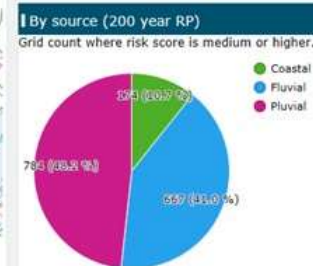


Location Description	Overall_Score	Source of Information	Summary Flood Event
Troon, 45 Lugal Place		SEPA Staff	Concern about flooding at the back of property - unsure of extent or impact - Info Source; SCC
Troon, Pearc... Avenue	1.00	SEPA Staff	heavy rain caused flooding of nearby fields - Info Source; member of public via SCC
troon, beach road	0.00	SEPA Staff	flooding in drive of property - 28 beach road troon - Info Source; member of public via SCC

FWTA				LA Studies			
Scheme Name	Target Area Name	Type	Quick Dial Code	Project Name	Date Produced	Source	Purpose of study
Irvine	Irvine Waterside and Low Green	Fluvial	24213	Troon Town Centre FRA	May-12	Coastal	Flood risk assessment
Firth of Clyde	Troon Coastal	Coastal	24237				
Firth of Clyde	Troon Central	Coastal	24234				
Firth of Clyde	Prestwick Links	Coastal	24222				

Filter the map to area of interest:	Settlement:	LPD:
SCU:	Type to search in list	Type to search in list
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1284.00	Annbank	Clyde and Loch Lo...
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1341.00	Auchagallon	Findhorn, Nairn an...
1342.00	Auchensoul	Forth

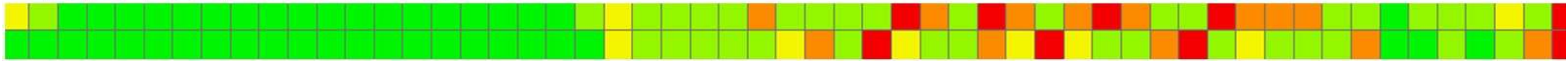
Select SCU/s of interest on the map below



OUTPUT: ANTICIPATED CHANGES

Change	Summary
Increased 'at-risk' counts	Due to dataset and counting improvements, numbers at risk will increase.
Better understanding of risk composition	Improved data capture and manipulation – clearer narrative of risk
New PVAs	Hazard or receptor changes – increase in risk Climate change risk
De-designated PVAs	Hazard or receptor changes – decrease in risk
'No change' PVAs	Understanding of risk refined – no PVA impacts
Boundary adjustment PVAs	Refinement of existing risk Pragmatic logistical changes

MILESTONES 2018



Partners & Stakeholders

- Phased pre-consultation engagement
- Mid February – May
- Local Authority workshops scheduled 19th Feb – 2nd March
- National stakeholders subsequently
- Formal consultation too

Public

- Web-based consultation
- May/June/July
- Consultation summary
- Post-consultation updates

Publication

- Ministerial review / approval
- Publication by 22nd December 2018

QUESTIONS

- How can we use this understanding to drive forwards sustainable Flood Risk Management?
- How can we maximise the worth of this and future assessments?
- How do we communicate continually evolving risk?





Scotland's Flood Risk Management Conference 2018



Ian Aikman
Chief Planning Officer
Scottish Borders Council

1. To focus on the practical links between planning and flood risk management and SBC's approaches to working together - Projects (Selkirk & Hawick FPS), Development Planning & Development Management
2. A secondary focus on changes to planning regulation and implications for flood risk management – Planning Bill



Selkirk Flood Protection Scheme

£31.4m

Opened 27th
Feb 2017



Selkirk Flood Protection Scheme

- In August 2012, the [Selkirk Flood Protection Scheme](#) became the first major flood protection scheme with an environmental statement to be approved under the Flood Risk Management (Scotland) Act 2009.
- Learning curve for the authority in terms of process and procedure
- Collaborative and inclusive approach necessary to deliver corporate project

Key Points

- Project Board representation – Environmental Assurance Role
- Development of Environmental Working Group – planning and specialist advice
- Environmental protection and enhancement
- Project Leader (Conor Price) and Team
- Consultants – CH2M (Halcrow) - Steve Vint
- Lessons learned
- Material Variations protocol

Key Points

- Communication plan for public and wider stakeholder engagement
- Consulted 125 organisations and individuals in the form of one to one discussions, working groups, exhibitions, presentations and the Scheme website.
- Public Art Projects / School projects
- Cross fertilisation - Selkirk CARS scheme
- Economic benefits – Riverside Ind Estate

Saltire Civil Engineering Awards

- **Environmental Award 2017**
- This £32.1million flood protection scheme used an extensive consultative framework, it harnessed multi-agency collaborative working, achieving multiple benefits. The scheme protects 595 properties from major flood events. Varying levels of protection up to 0.2% AEP provided. Achieves identifiable economic benefits, demonstrates value for money, and complements the natural and built environment.

Development Planning

- NPF 2 - Supports catchment scale approach to sustainable flood risk management”
- SPP – para’s 254 – 268 - Managing Flood Risk and Drainage
- SESPlan
- Scottish Borders LDP – policy development and site allocation
- Guidance - SG/SPG/SPZ’s
- SEPA guidance

Development Management

- Pre-application consultation
- Formal consultation on applications - internal and with SEPA
- Project workshops
- Practical solutions
- SEPA Guidance

Planning Bill

Introduced to Parliament 4 Dec 2017

The proposals identify four key areas of change:

- Making plans for the future
- People make the system work
- Building more homes and delivering infrastructure
- Stronger leadership and smarter resourcing

Planning Bill

- SPP incorporated into National Planning Framework
- Strategic City-Region Plans abolished
- Local Development Plans revised on 10-year cycle
- Frontloading of process
- Closer alignment with community planning
- New right for communities to prepare Local Place Plan
- Encourages greater use of SDZs

Planning Bill

- Following Parliamentary scrutiny of the Bill work will commence on developing the required secondary legislation and guidance through a longer term, collaborative programme of work

Into the unknown

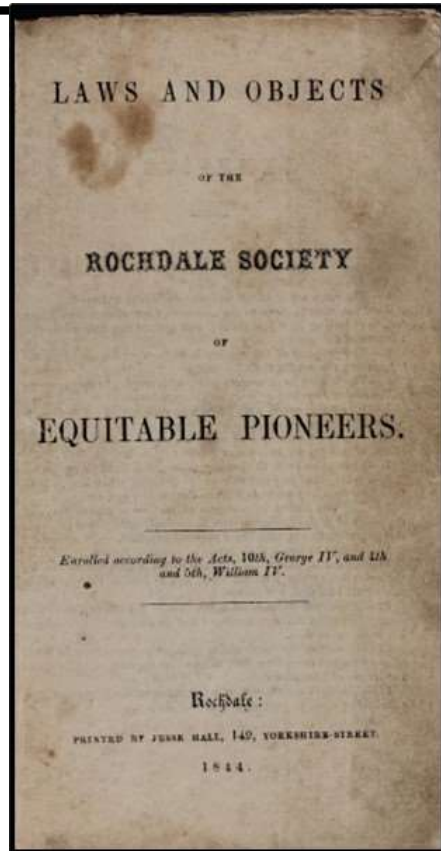
- Brexit – land use implications
- changing regulatory regime
- Impacts of removing subsidies
- Pressure for afforestation
- Opportunities for NFM

Empowering the Community

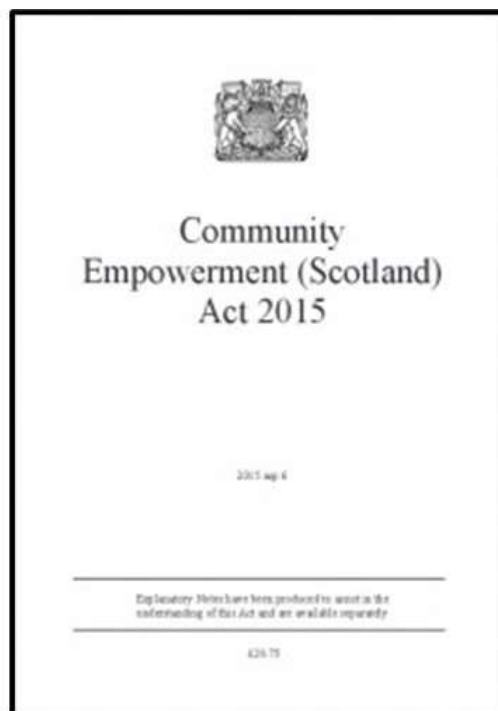
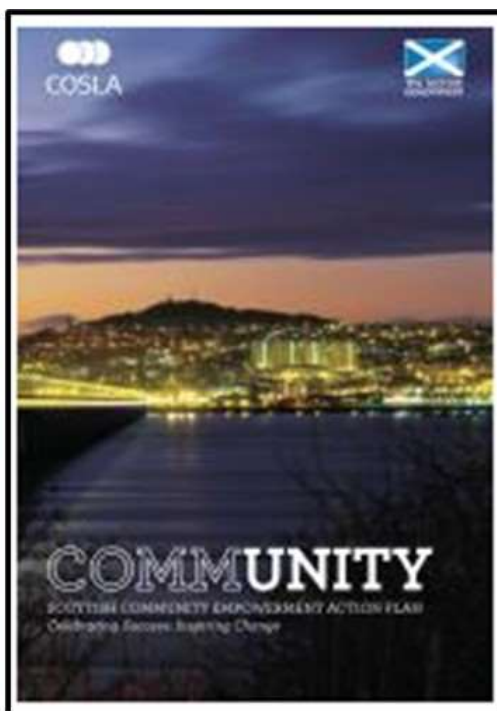
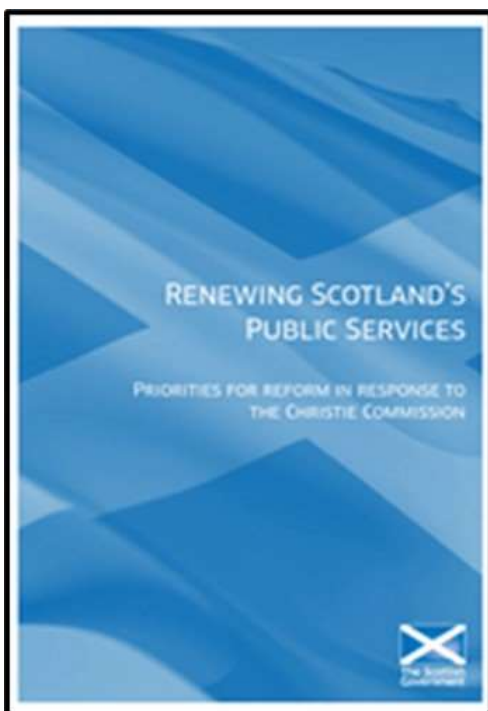
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Glasgow City Council



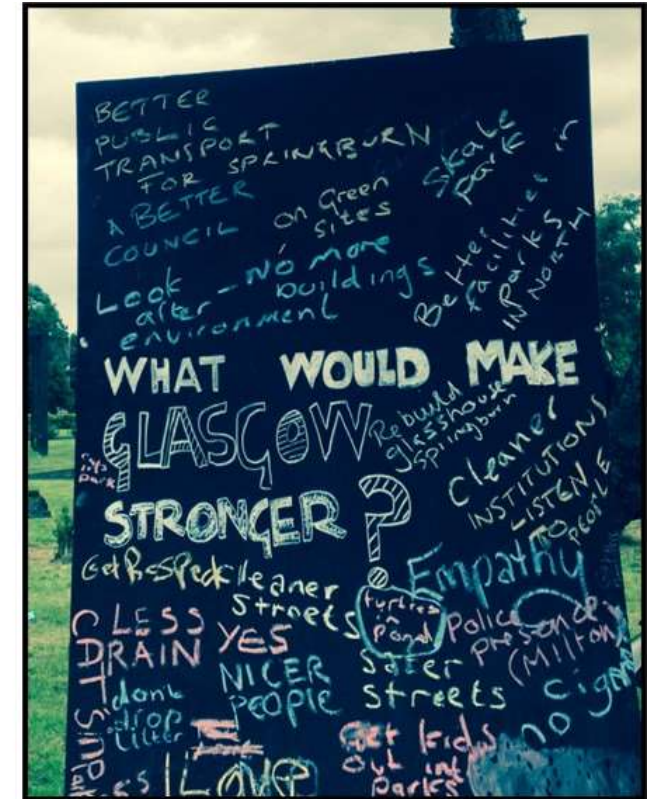
Community Empowerment



A Potted History of Community Empowerment



Understanding Stories



What is your Resilience Story?

Facilitating Connections



Weathering Change

Co-Creating Outcomes



Resilient Possilpark



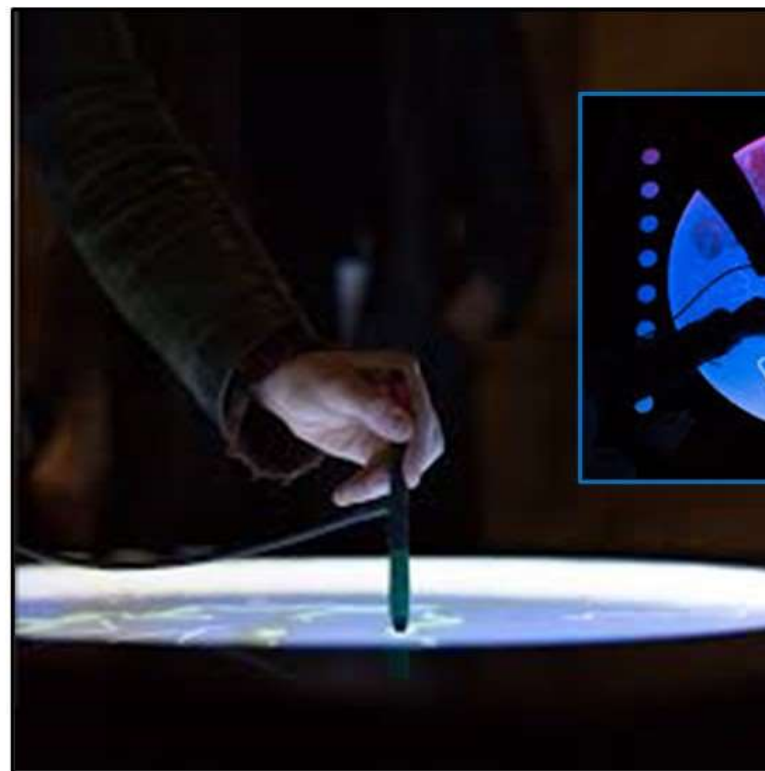
**PEOPLE
MAKE
GLASGOW**

Building Capacity



Stalled Spaces

Building Interest



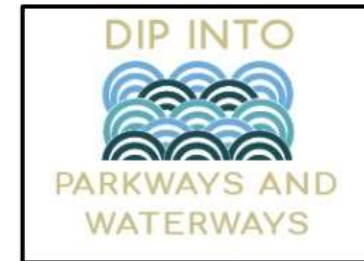
Submerge

Building Understanding



Living, Working & Playing with Water

Enabling Co-Design



Dip In to Waterways & Parkways

Concluding Thoughts

- Community Empowerment is not a destination;
- It is complex and does not happen in isolation;
- Multi-disciplinary team – the art & science of engineering places;
- Consider scale & stages of consultations;
- Manage expectation but also inspire;
- Get hands on with the engagement.

Concluding Thoughts

“Dull, inert cities, it is true, do contain the seeds of their own destruction and little else. But lively, diverse, intense cities contain the seeds of their own regeneration, with energy enough to carry over for problems and needs outside themselves.”

Jane Jacobs

Empowering the Community

Thanks for Listening

Any Questions?

Working together to manage flood risk

Flood Risk Management Conference 2018

5 – 6 February 2018

Follow the conversation on Twitter at #FRM2018
Wifi network: WiFi Guest



In the beginning...



Complex risk scenarios

High quality data required for coastal management:

Strategic planning

*Operational
management*

Planning new schemes

Performance evaluation





Little/no monitoring of
undefended coastlines

Historically...



- Inconsistent approach regionally
- No strategic programmes

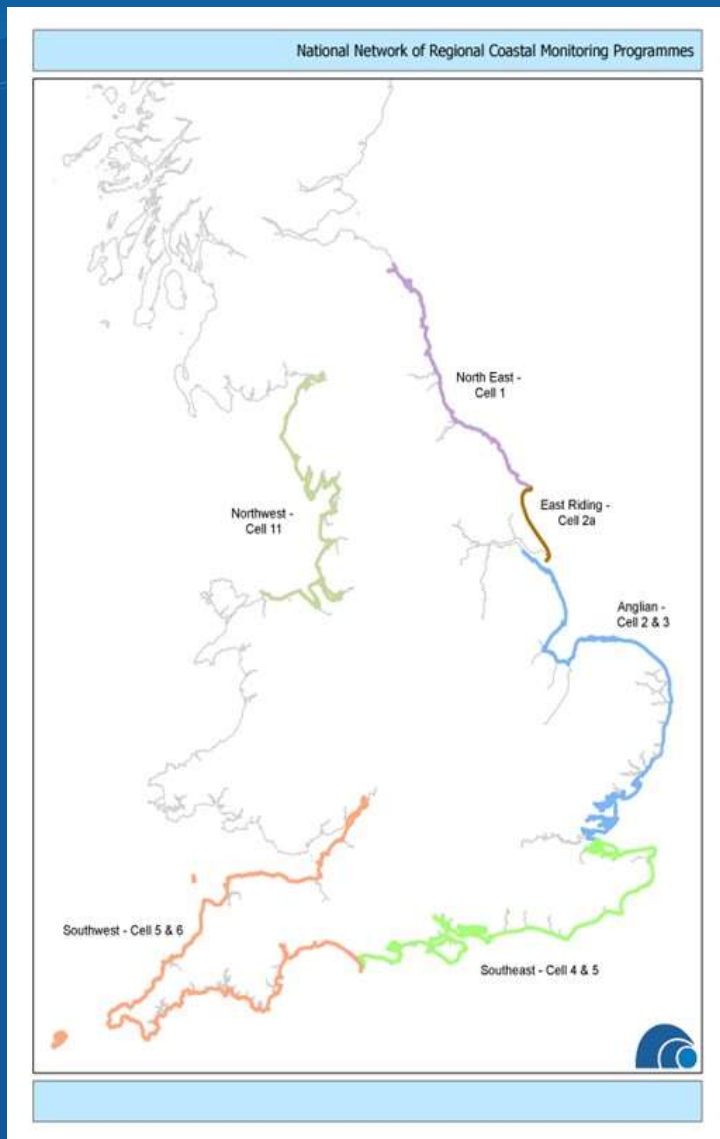
Aim

To promote a standard,
repeatable and cost effective
method of monitoring the
coastal environment



Risk-based programme design

- Geomorphology
- Exposure
- Tidal range
- Management Policy
 - *Hold the Line*
 - *Do Nothing*
 - *Advance the Line*
 - *Managed re-alignment*
(Beach Management Plan)



National Network of Regional Coastal Monitoring Programmes

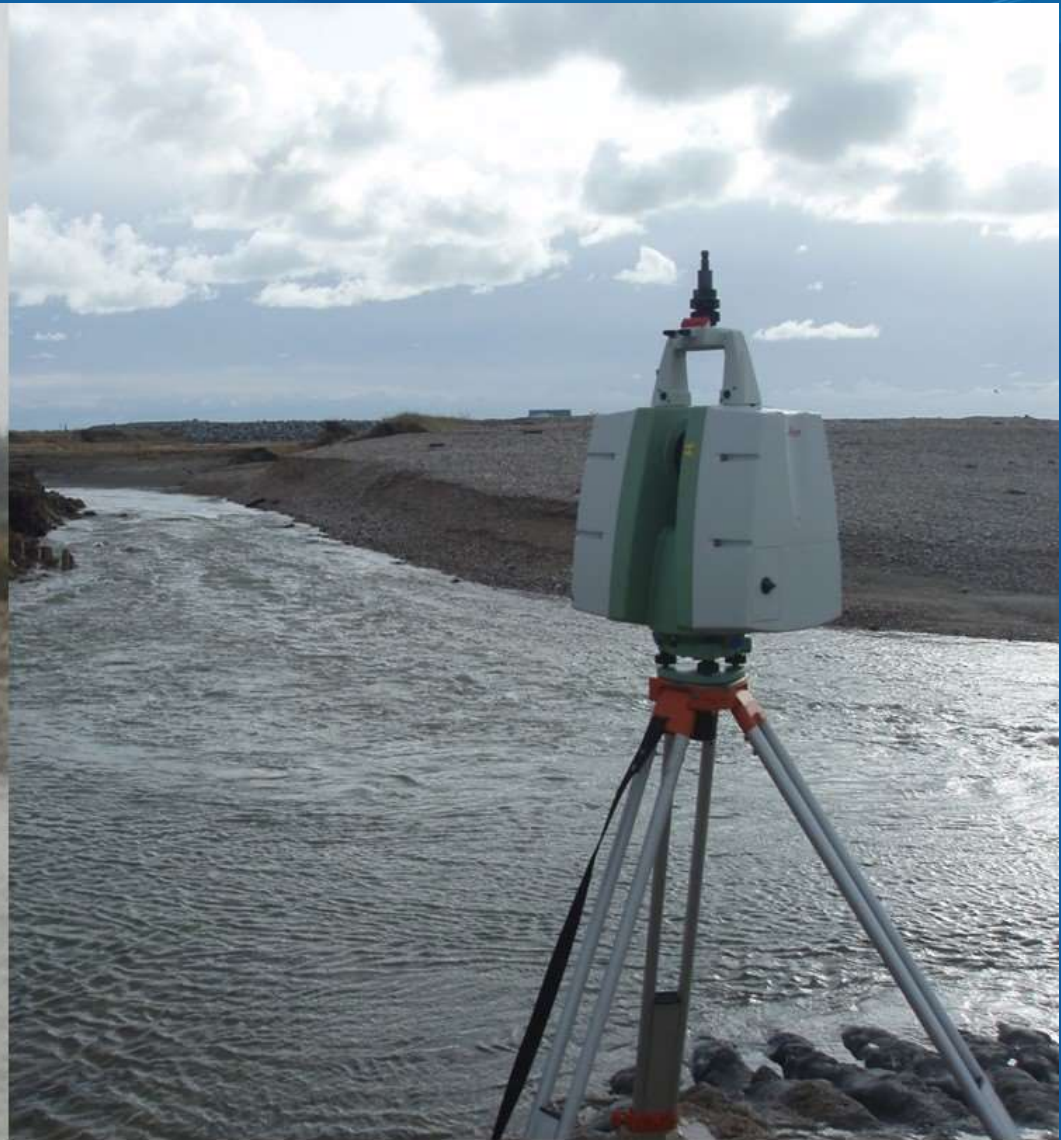
- Northeast
- East Riding of Yorkshire
- Anglian
- Southeast
- Southwest
- Northwest

Benefits of approach

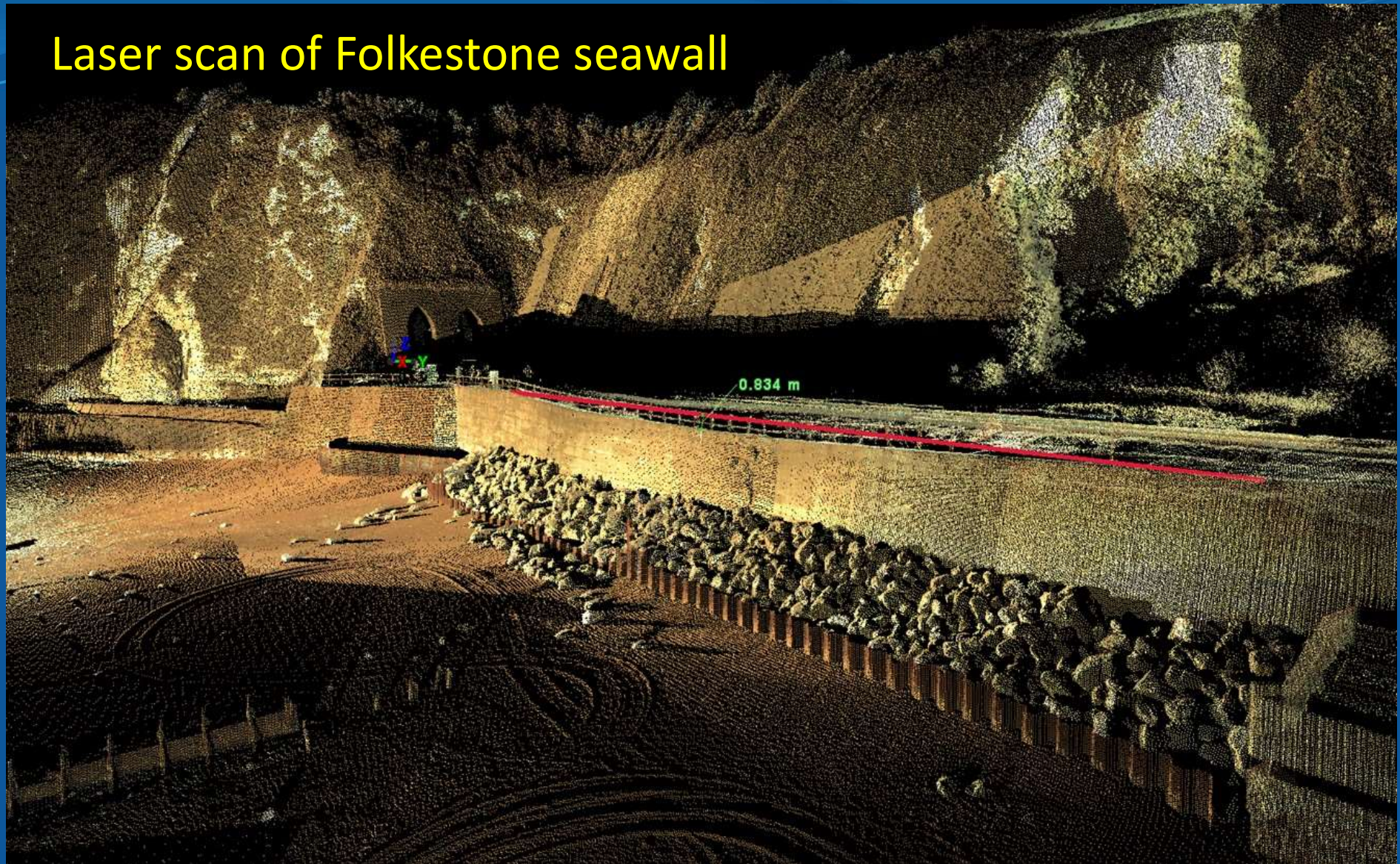
- Consistency of data collection, whilst leaving room for local adaptation
- Closer collaboration amongst coastal engineers
- Economies of scale (*e.g.* Waveriders)
- Standard specifications & data management (INSPIRE responsibilities)
- Links with UK-wide institutions *e.g.* MCA, BGS



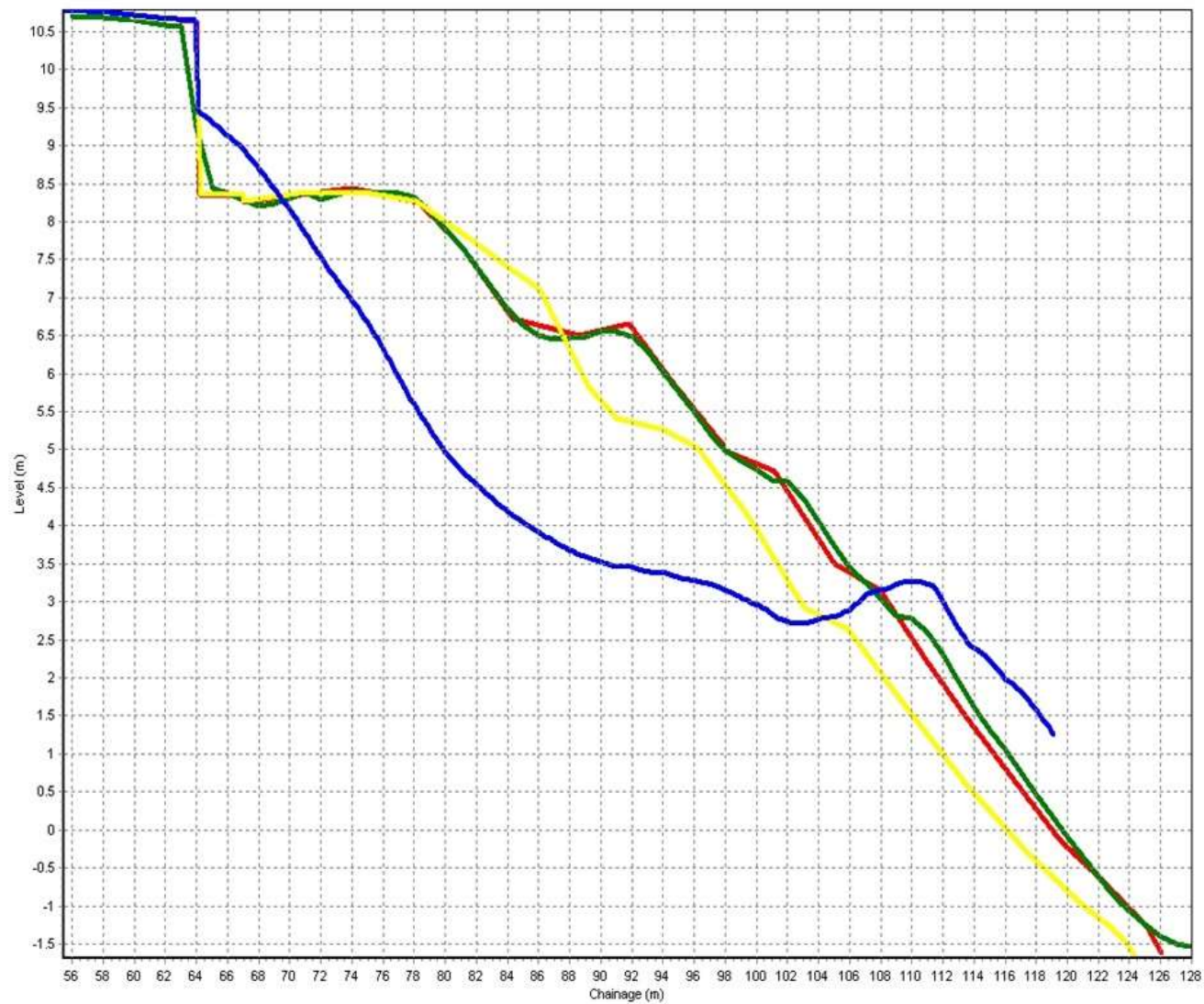




Laser scan of Folkestone seawall



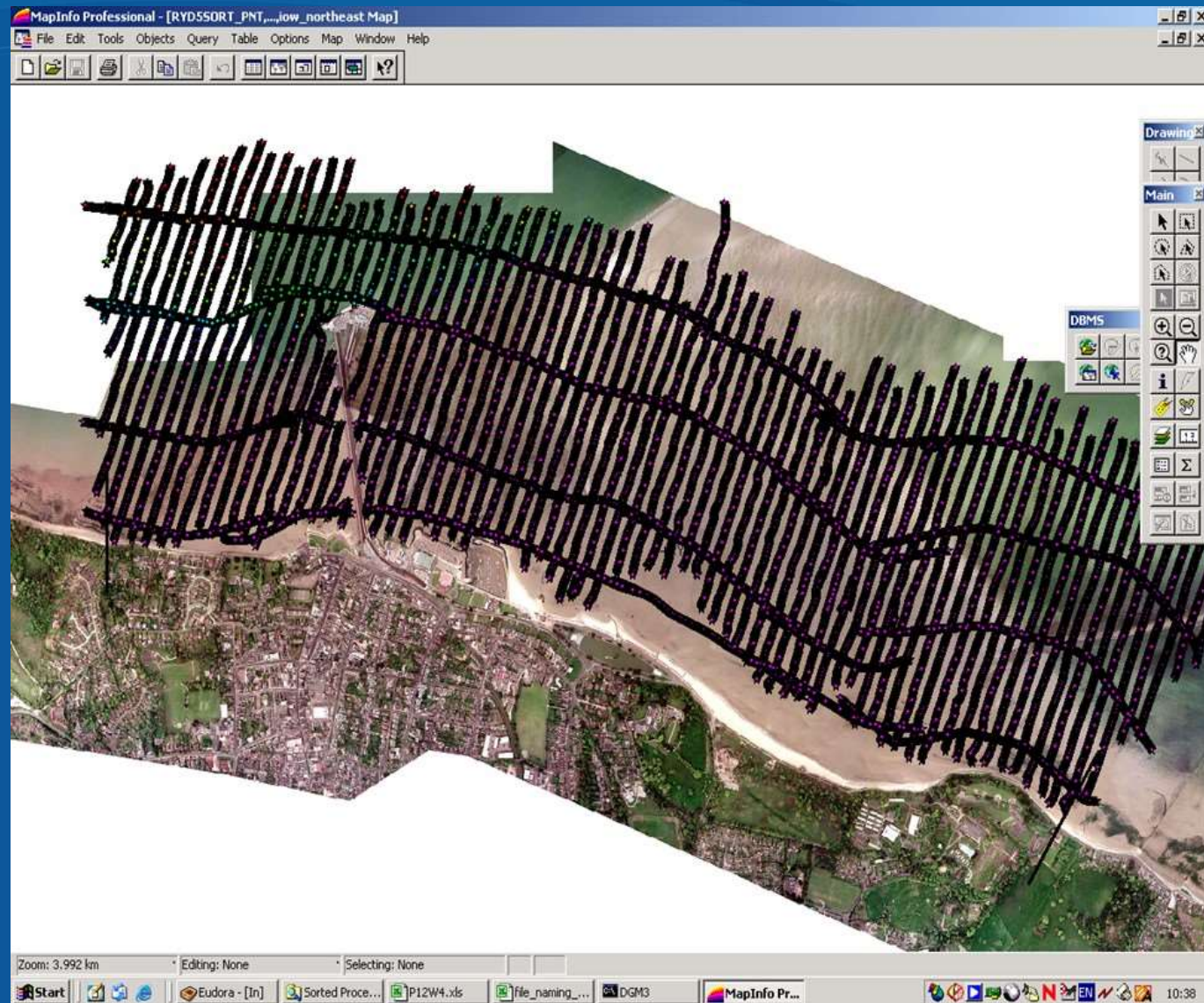
Beach Profiles: 6a00115

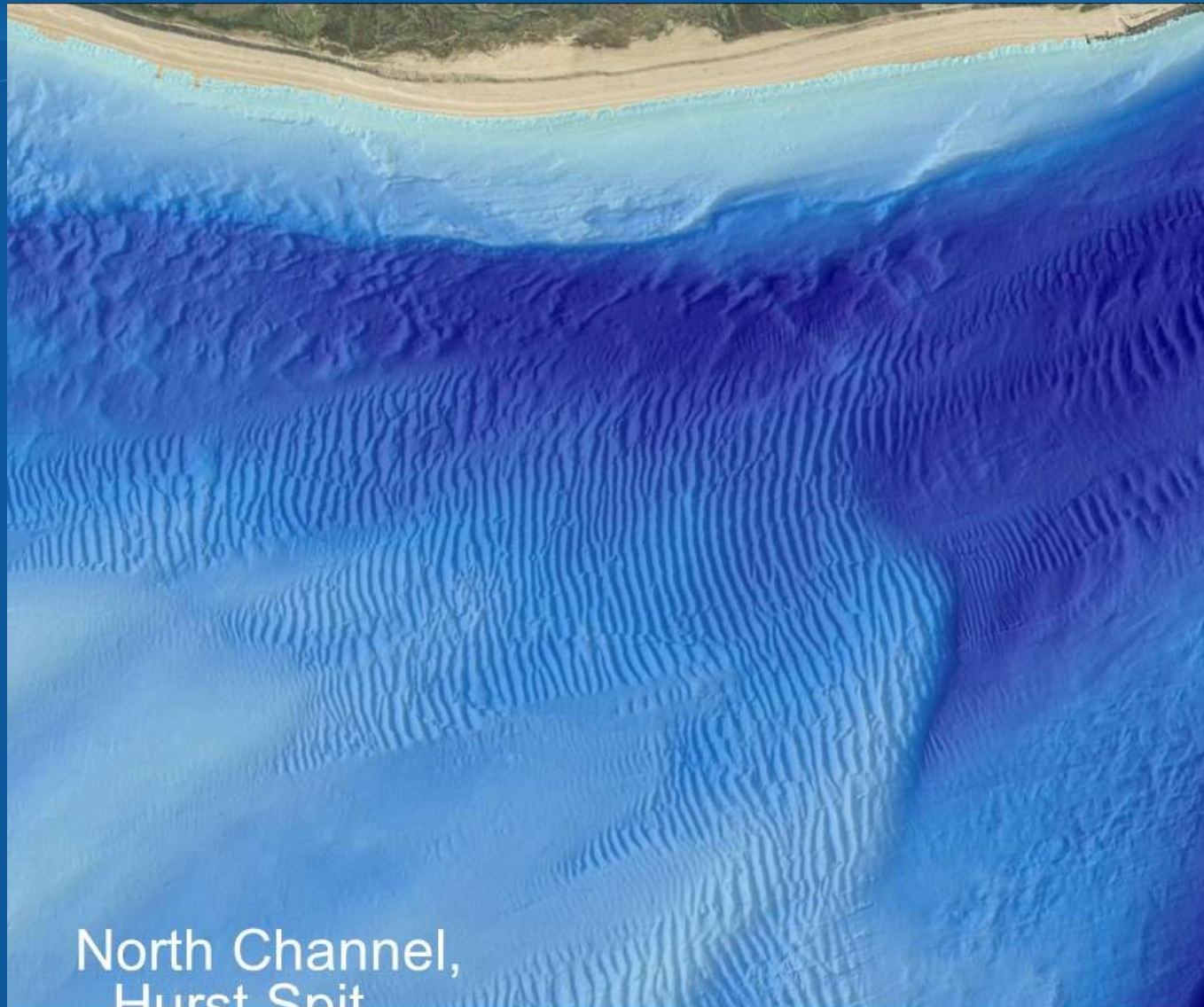


- ✓ 11/03/2009
- ✓ 04/01/2010
- ✓ 22/03/2011
- ✓ 08/01/2014

SANDS

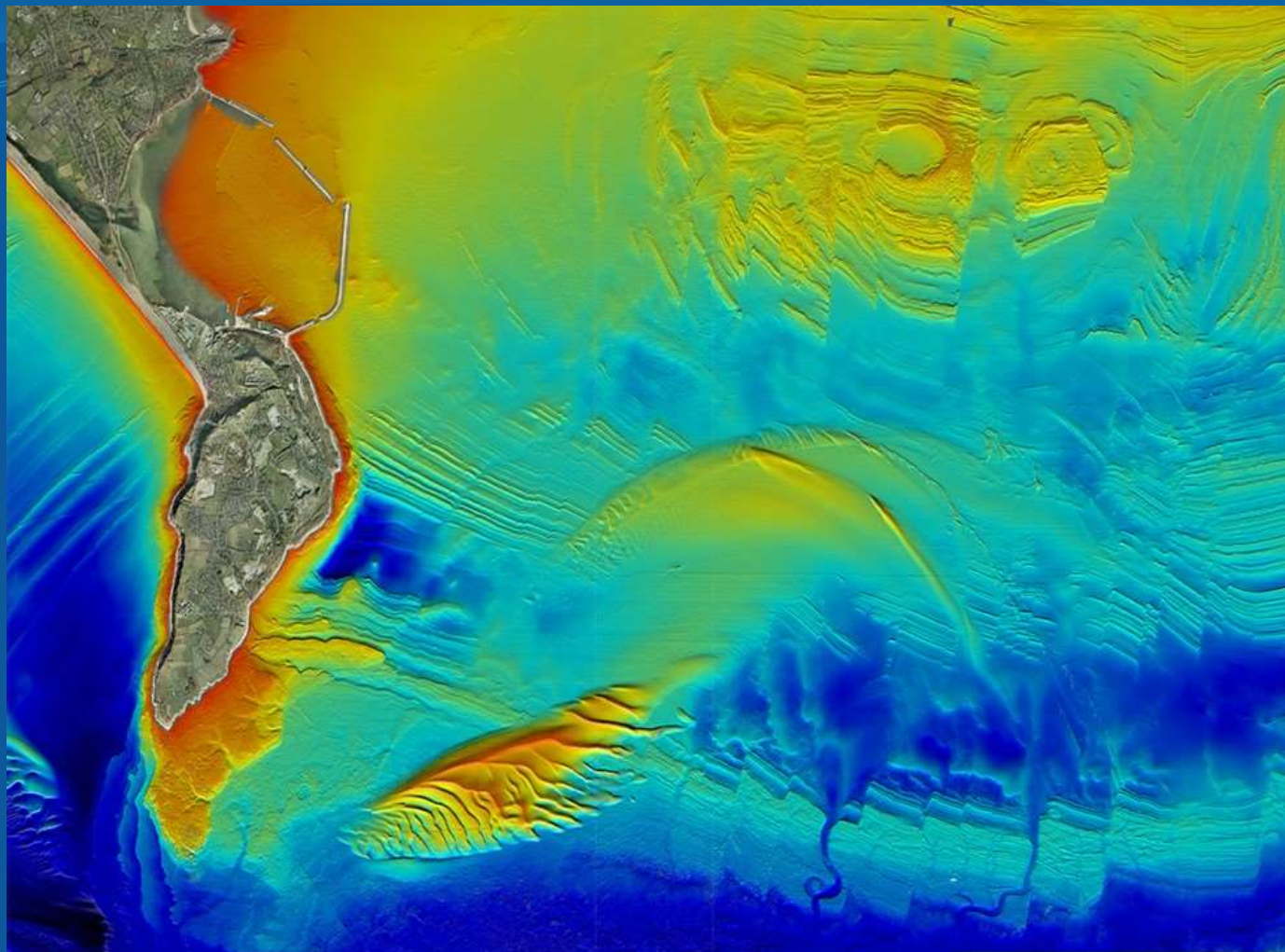






North Channel,
Hurst Spit

The “DORIS” survey



Combined multibeam and lidar

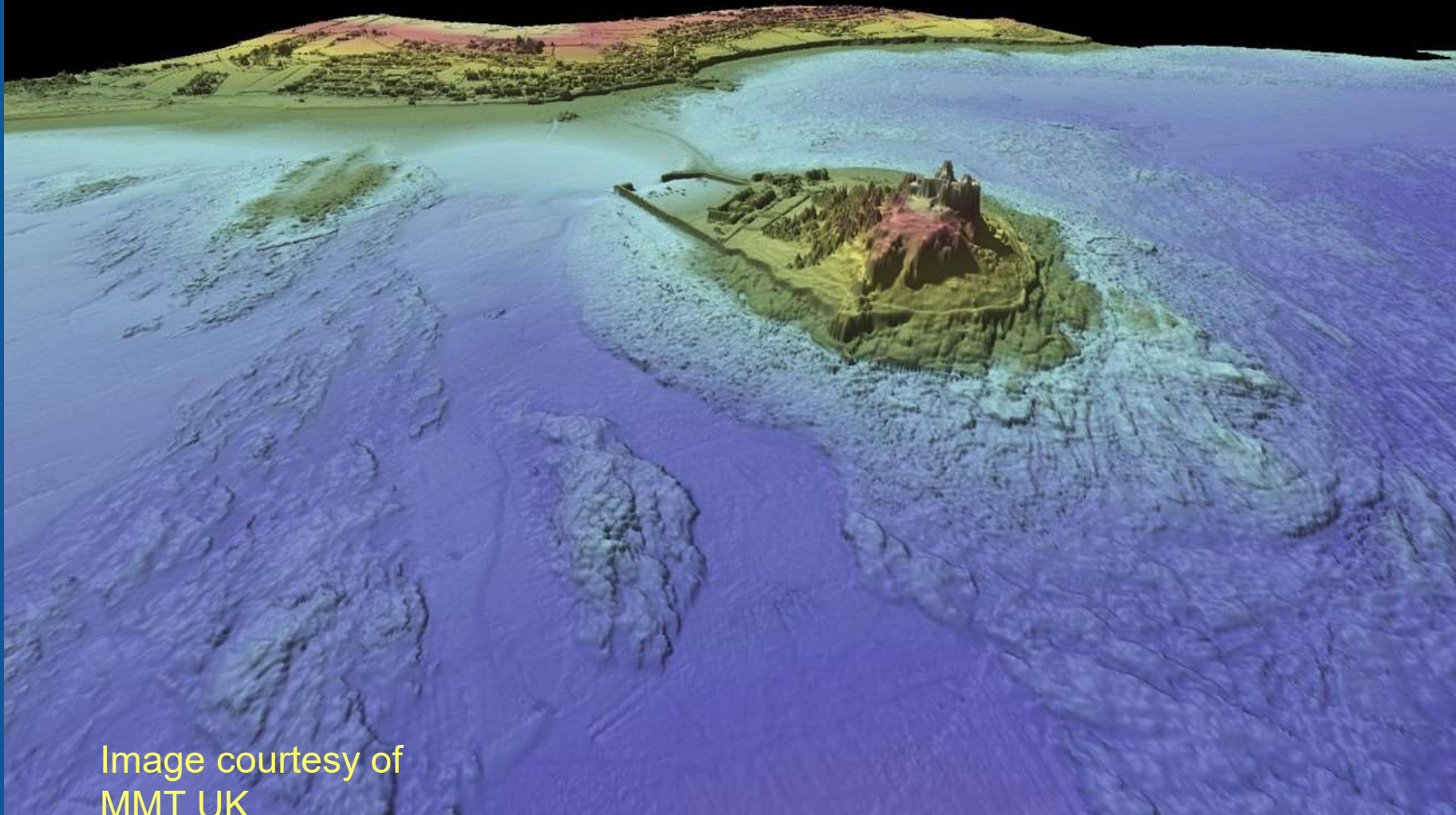
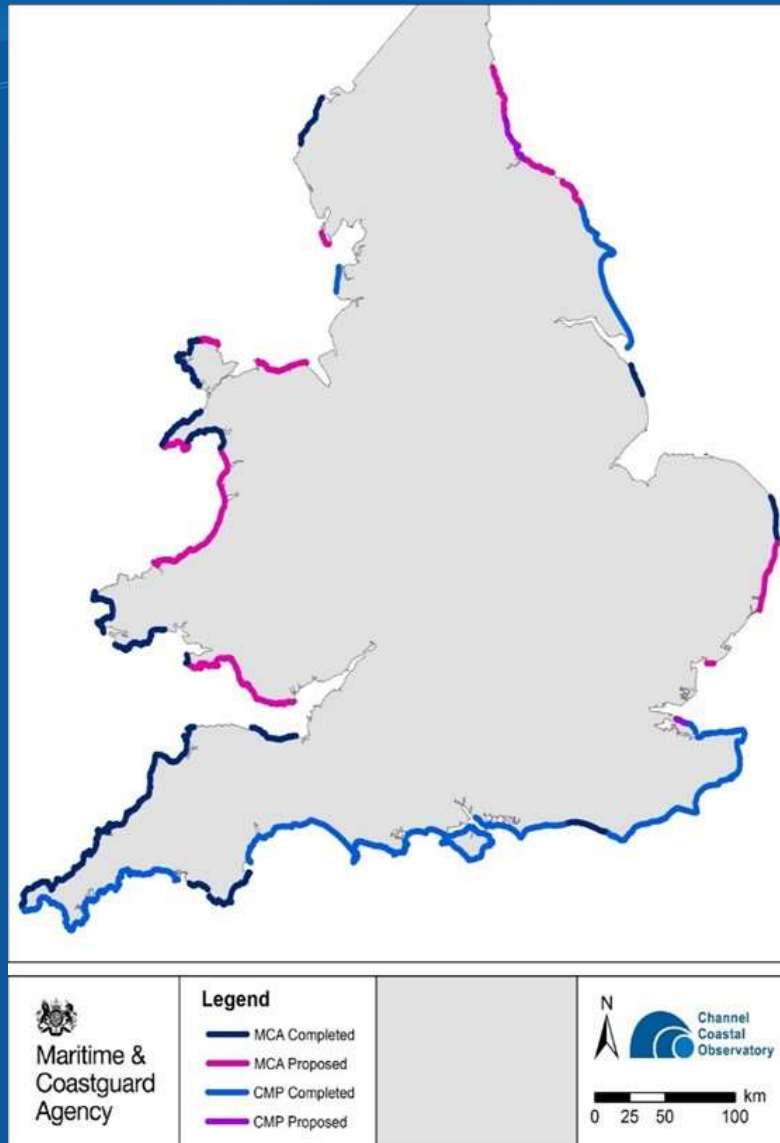


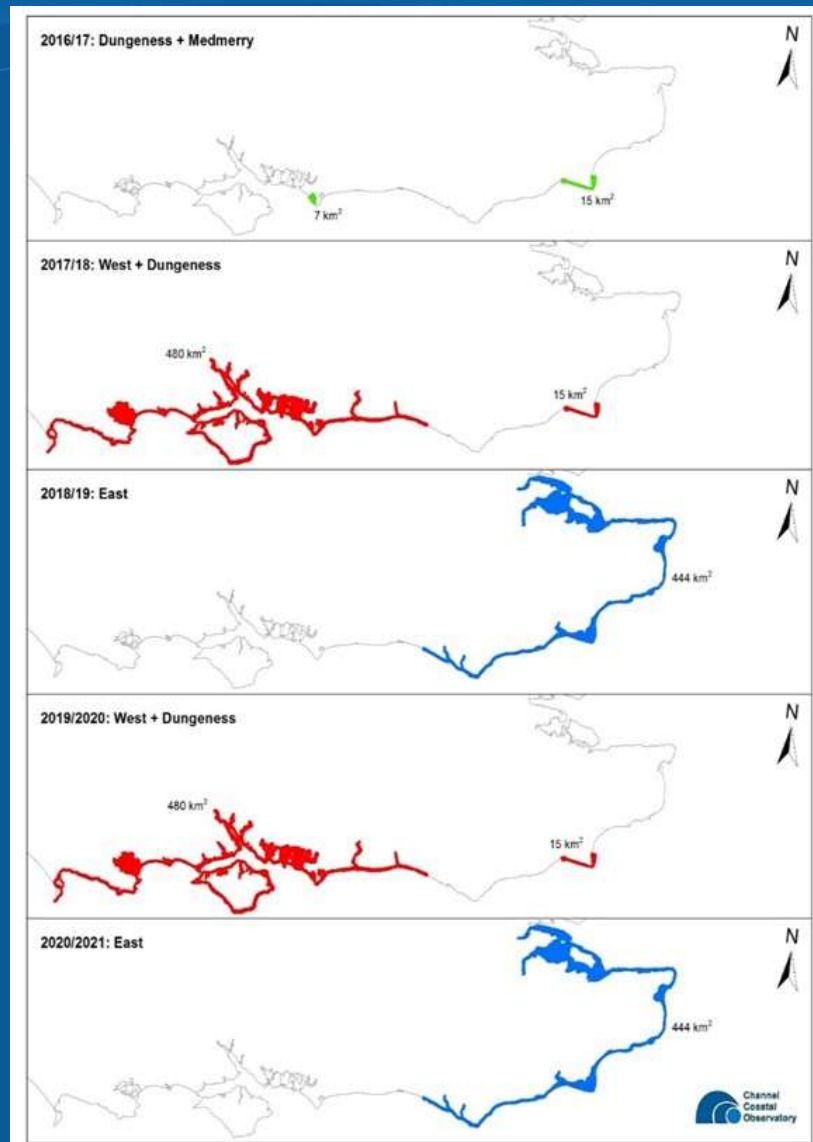
Image courtesy of
MMT UK

CHP and Coastal Monitoring Programmes

70% of English and Welsh coastline has Order 1a swath bathymetry



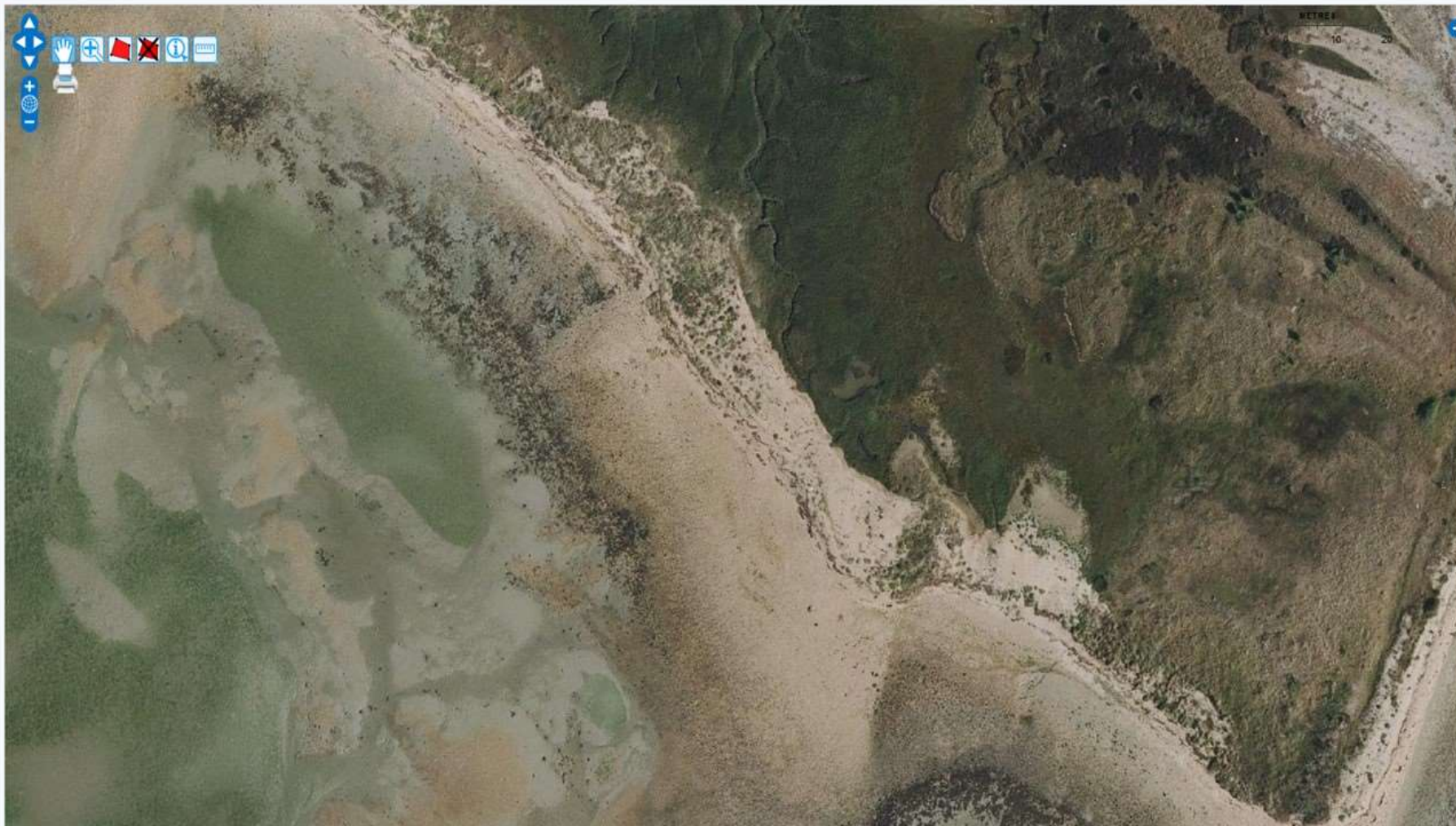
5-year survey programmes



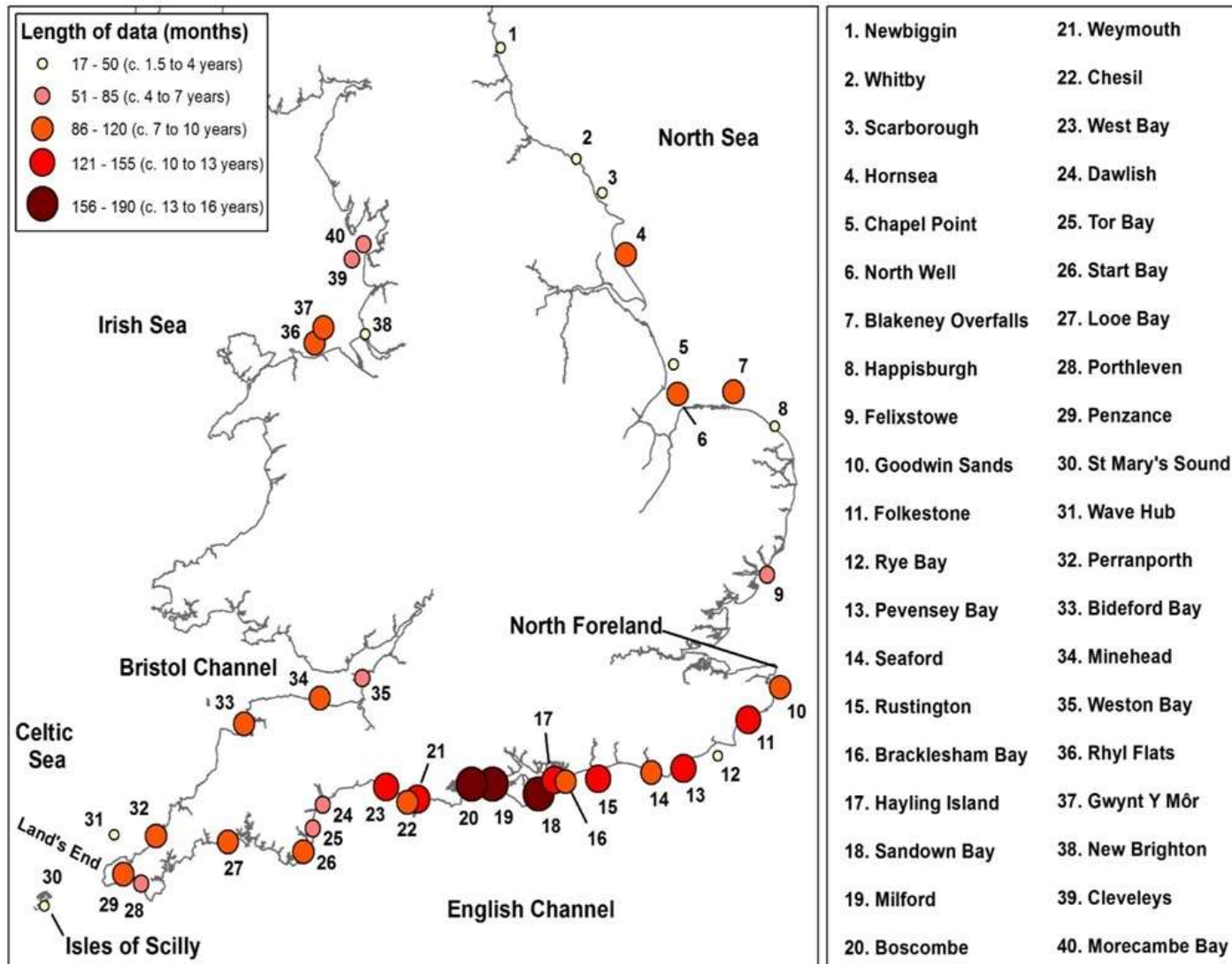
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37 Directional Waveriders

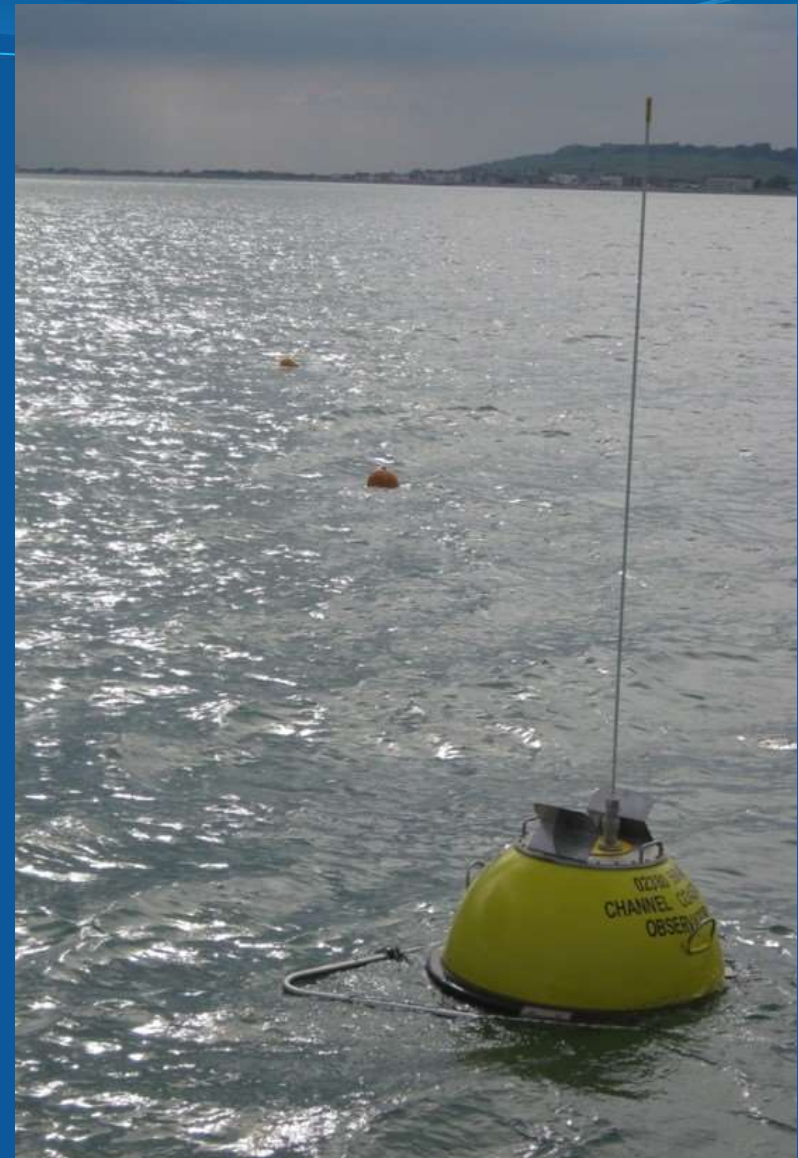


Measured waves

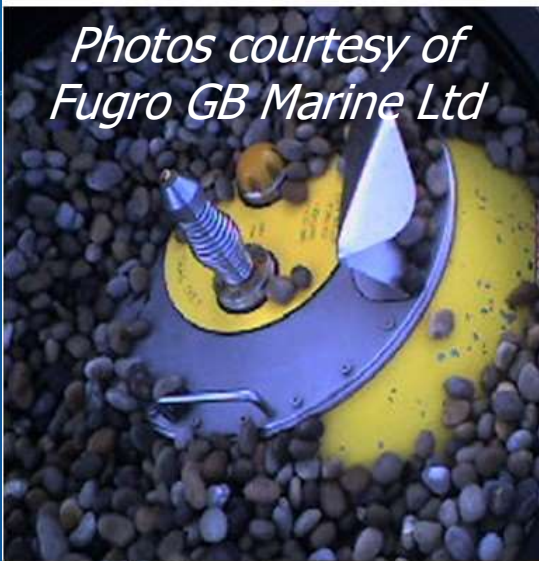
Datawell Directional Waverider buoys



Half-hourly wave parameters in real-time

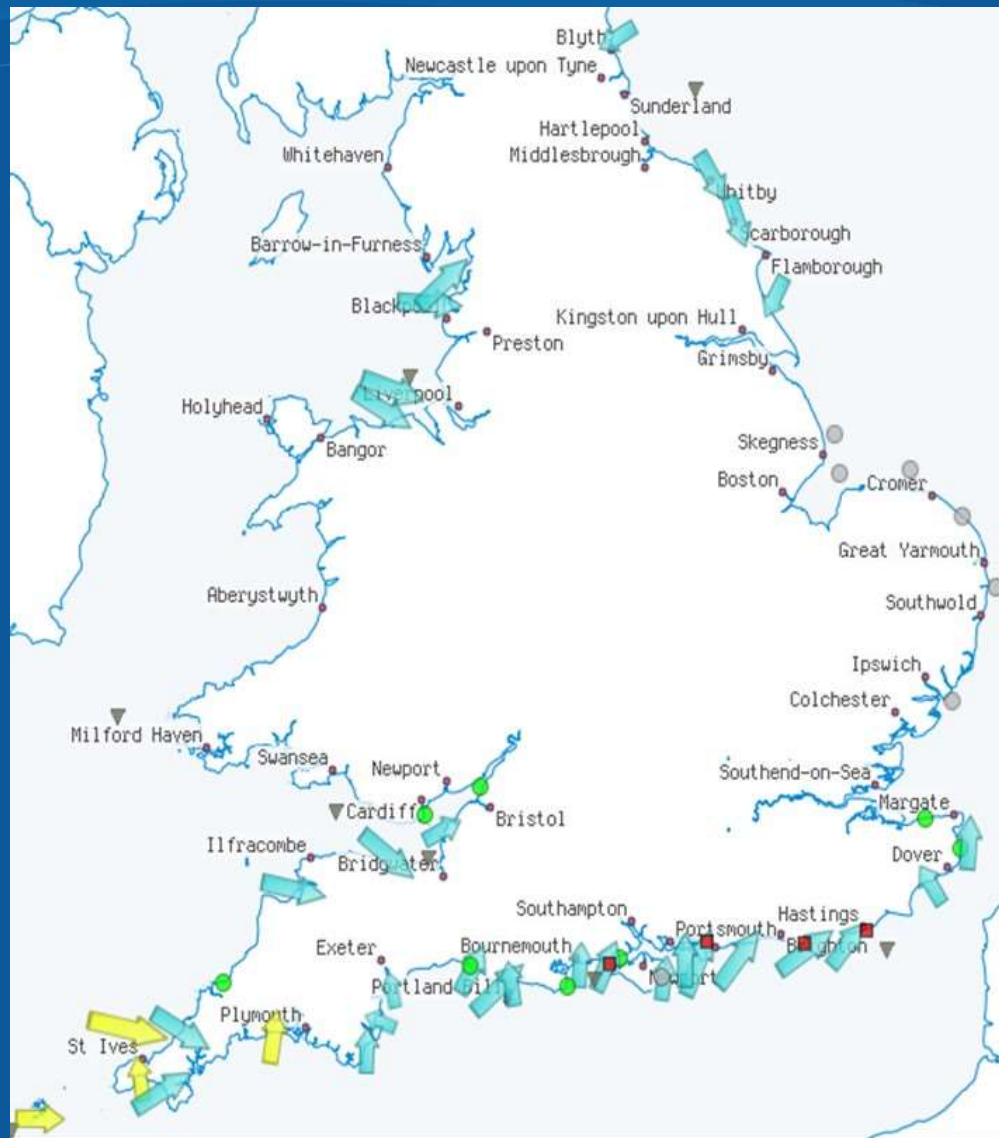


*Photos courtesy of
Fugro GB Marine Ltd*



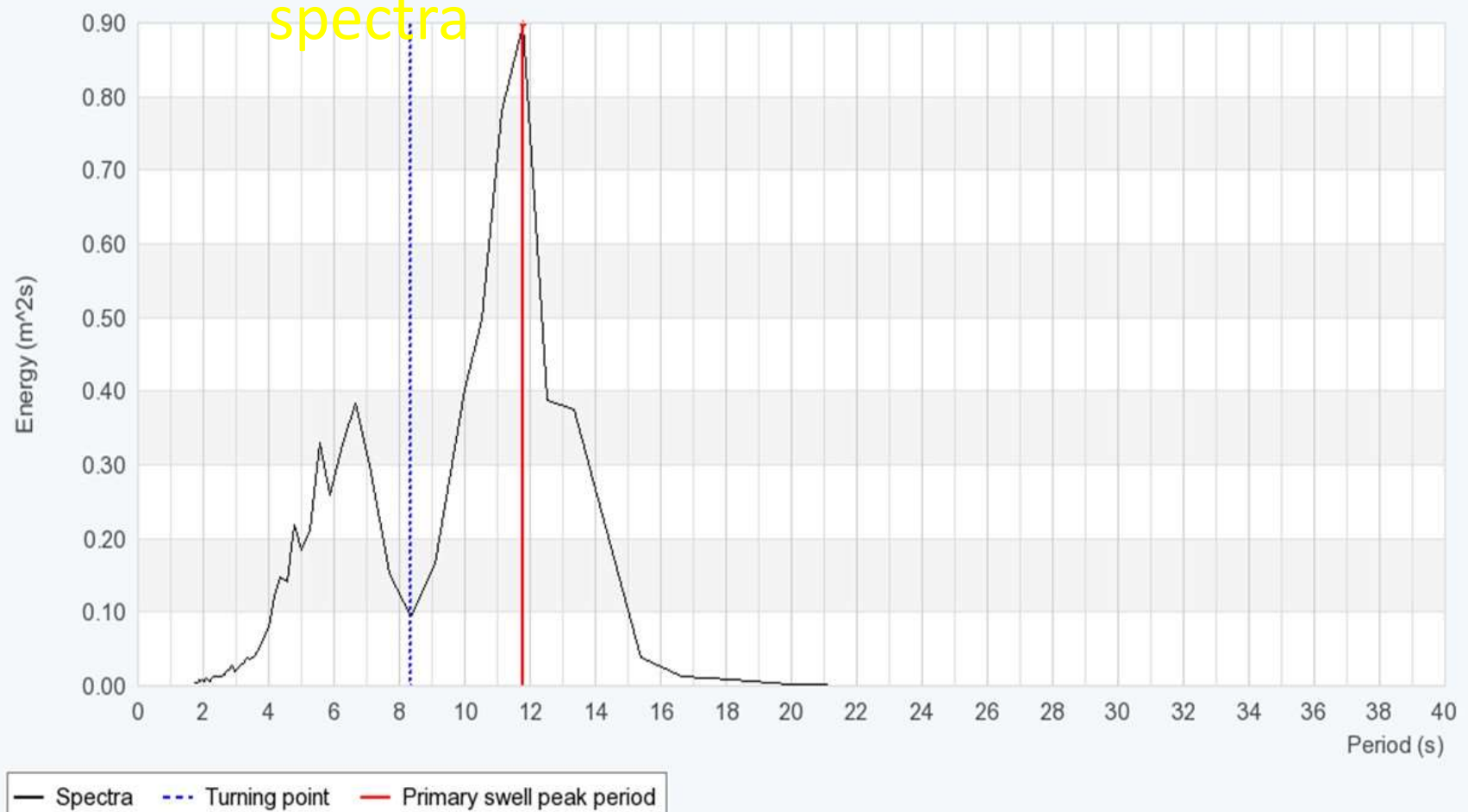
Rebecca @floss Feb 8
Oh dear, this is the perranporth buoy. Too dangerous / heavy for us
to move, hope it doesn't go on the rocks pic better com15ACTZKCHDJ





Real-time wave buoy sites

Real-time data includes wave spectra

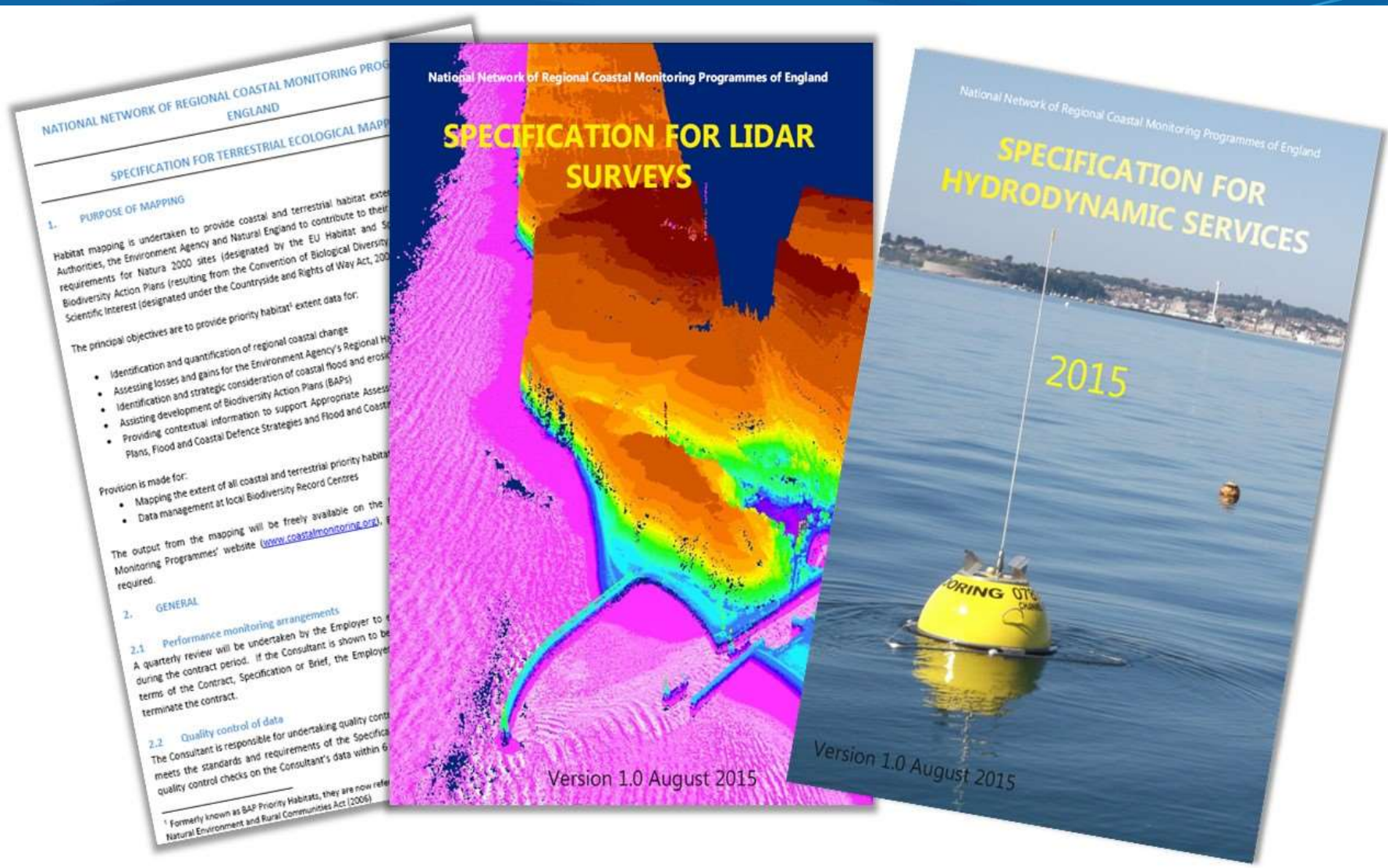




5 x Rosemount WaveRadar REX



4 x Etrometa step gauge





What do we use the data
for?

Survey Unit	5bSU03
Location	Browndown to Lee-on-Solent Airfield



Survey type	Survey dates	Comments
Autumn to Spring	27/10/2015 12/02/2016	Profile 5b00212 has shown minor erosion, mostly at the back of the beach. Otherwise, little change has occurred across the unit.
Spring to Spring	04/02/2015 12/02/2016	Generally, any change over the past year is minor with profile 5b00212 eroding the most, losing 7.5%.
Baseline to Spring	16/06/2003 12/02/2016	In the long term, there is a general pattern of erosion, with the highest erosion across the centre of the unit. Profiles 5b00172 and 5b00175, towards the south, have slightly accreted.
Spring to Summer	12/02/2016 01/07/2016	Over the past few months there has been little with profile 5b00199 showing minor accretion.
Summer to Autumn	01/07/2016 21/09/2016	There has been no change across the unit since the summer.
Summer to Summer	19/06/2015 01/07/2016	Over the past year, there has been a significant loss of sediment at Lee-on-Solent, a reduction in volume of 29%.
Baseline to Summer	16/08/2007 01/07/2016	In the long term, the beach the beach has shown moderate accretion, increasing in volume by 19% since 2007.

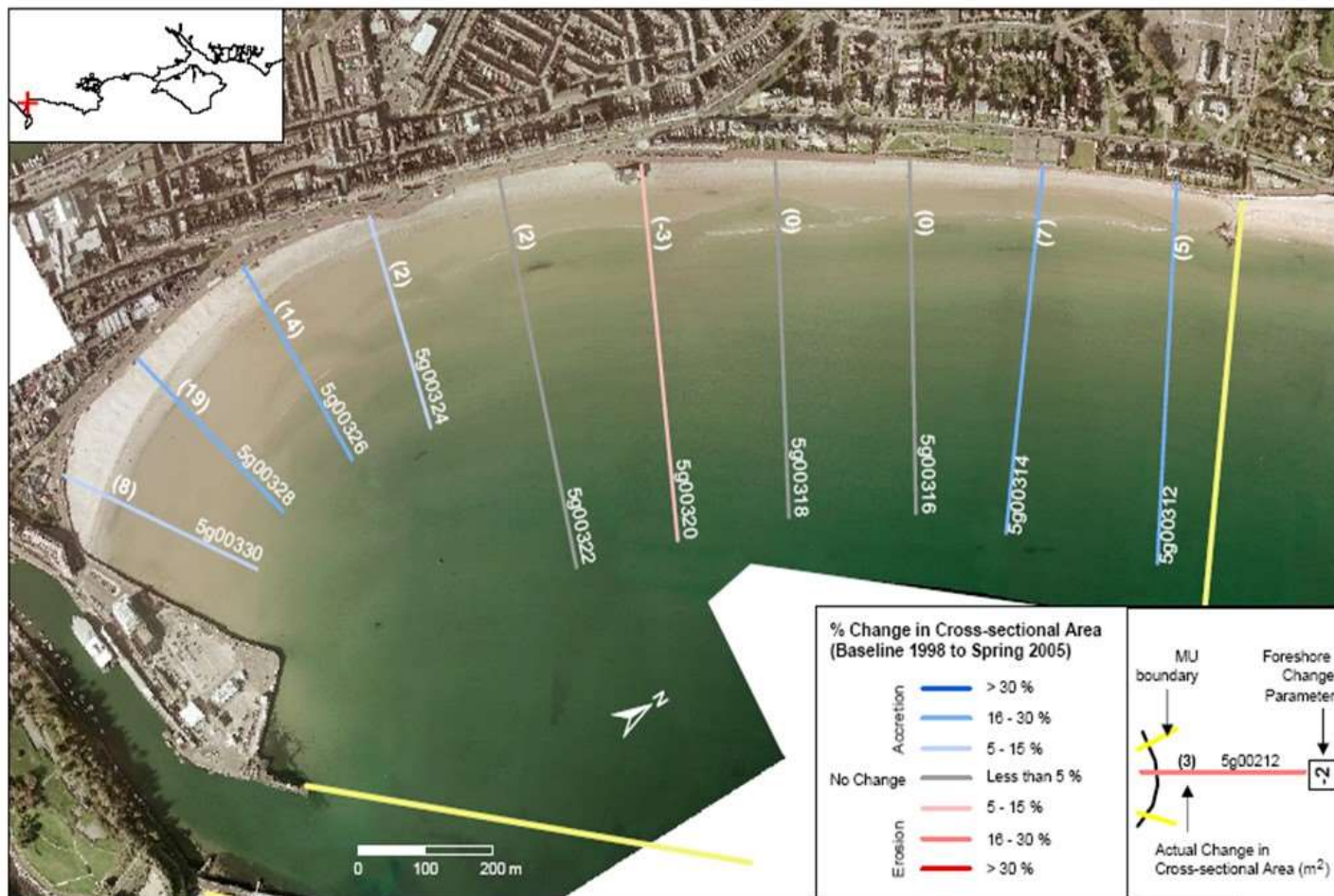
Baseline to Summer		01/07/2016		since 2007			
Profile cross-sectional area change: seasonal changes							Elevation of Reference Surface (OD)
Profile	Autumn to Spring		Spring to Summer		Summer to Autumn		
	Oct 2015 to Feb 2016		Feb to Jul 2016		Jul to Sept 2016		
	(m ²)	%	(m ²)	%	(m ²)	%	
5b00166	-3	-2%	5	3%	-1	-1%	MLWS (-1.74 m)
5b00169	-6	-6%	5	5%	-2	-2%	
5b00172	11	6%	-4	-2%	-3	-2%	
5b00175	6	3%	-3	-1%	-2	-1%	
5b00178	2	1%	3	2%	-5	-2%	
5b00181	-7	-5%	1	1%	-3	-2%	

Survey Unit	5cSU05
Location	Cliff House to Woolston Sewage Works



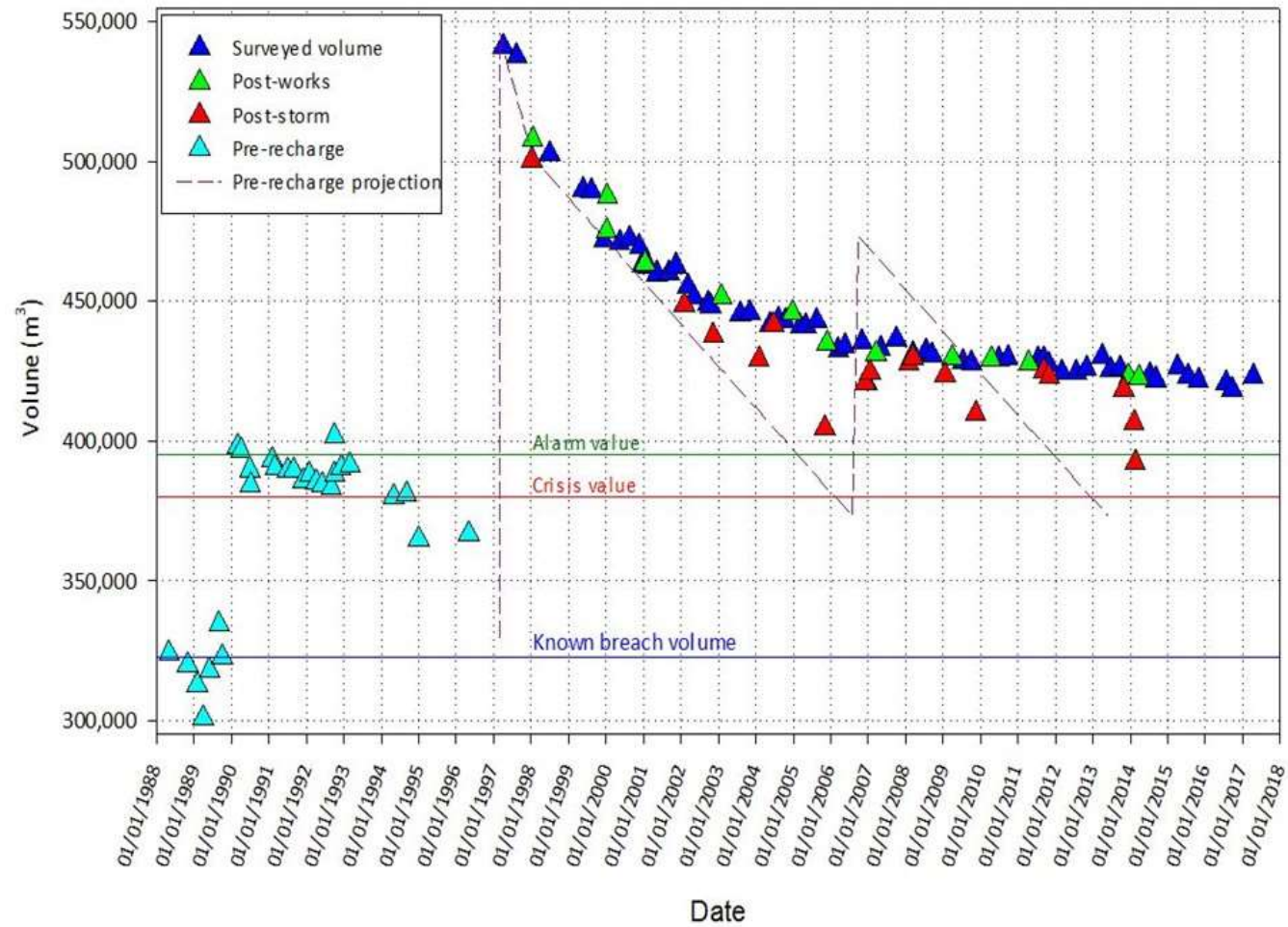
Survey type	Survey dates	Comments
Spring to Spring	21/05/2015 09/05/2016	This unit has remained stable over the past year with slight erosion observed along profile 5c00076.
Baseline to Spring	29/04/2005 09/05/2016	In the longer term, the unit has remained stable with the exception of profile 5c00152 which has significantly accreted across the whole length of the profile.

Profile cross-sectional area change: annual and longer-term changes					
Profile	Spring to Spring		Baseline to Spring		Elevation of Reference Surface (OD)
	May 2015 to May 2016		Feb 2003/Apr 2005 to May 2016		
	(m ²)	%	(m ²)	%	
5c00065	-1	-2%	-2	-3%	MLWS (-2.24 m)
5c00076	-1	-5%	0	1%	
5c00089	2	2%	0	0%	
5c00100	0	0%	1	2%	
5c00107	-1	-1%	-1	-1%	
5c00119	-6	-2%	-3	-1%	
5c00132	0	0%	3	4%	
5c00145	-1	-2%	-2	-4%	
5c00152	-2	-2%	26	31%	



Hurst Spit (HU20-HU6)

Comparison of surveyed and projected volumetric change above MLWS (-1.13m OD)



Storm season October 2013 to February 2014



Southeast Regional Coastal Monitoring Programme

Review of south coast beach response to wave conditions in the winter of 2013-2014



SR 01

April 2014

- *Erosion rates greater than 25 times the annual average observed at numerous sites*
- *Large scale erosion found at all the sites analysed, except one. Average beach volume losses of 25,000 m³ per km of coastline length were typical**
- *More than 470,000 m³ losses in total observed across just 25 km of frontage*

*At beaches where there was enough material to permit this level of erosion



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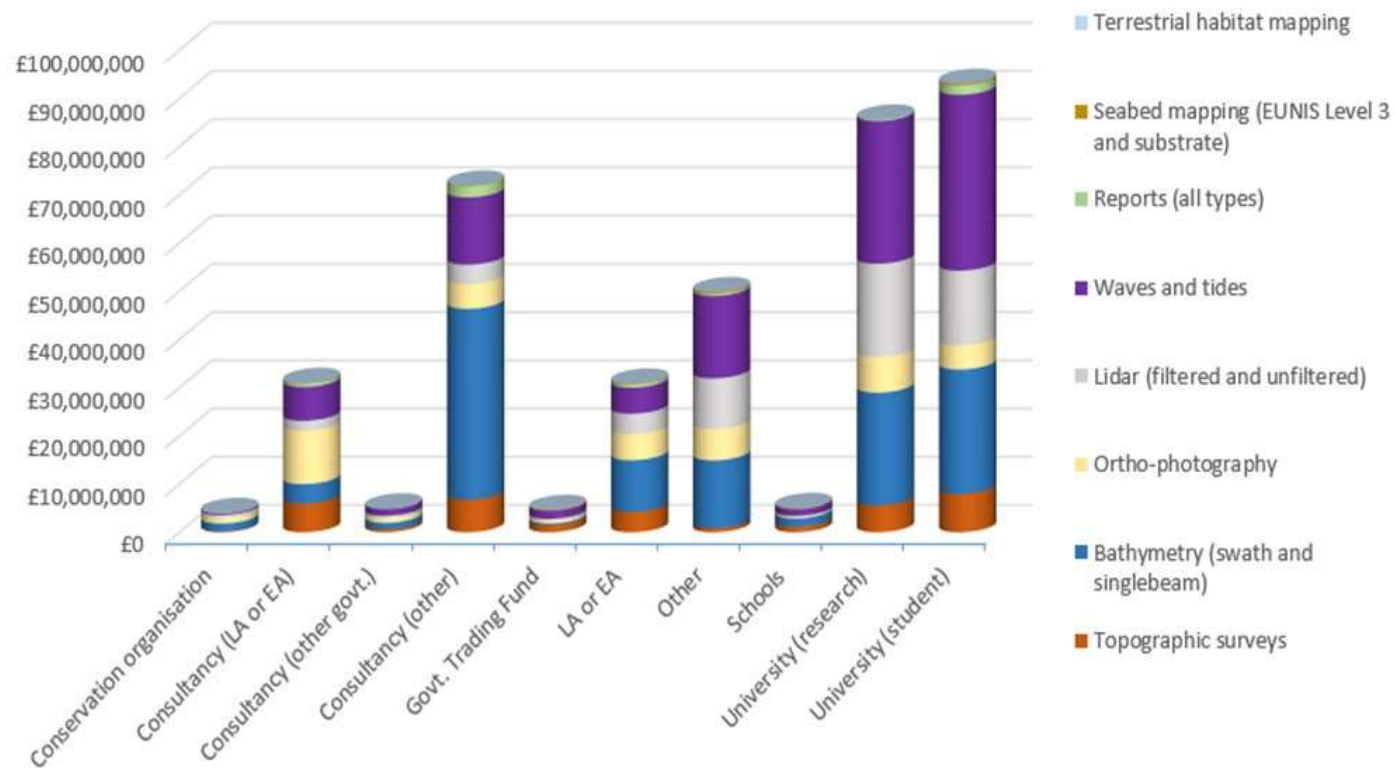
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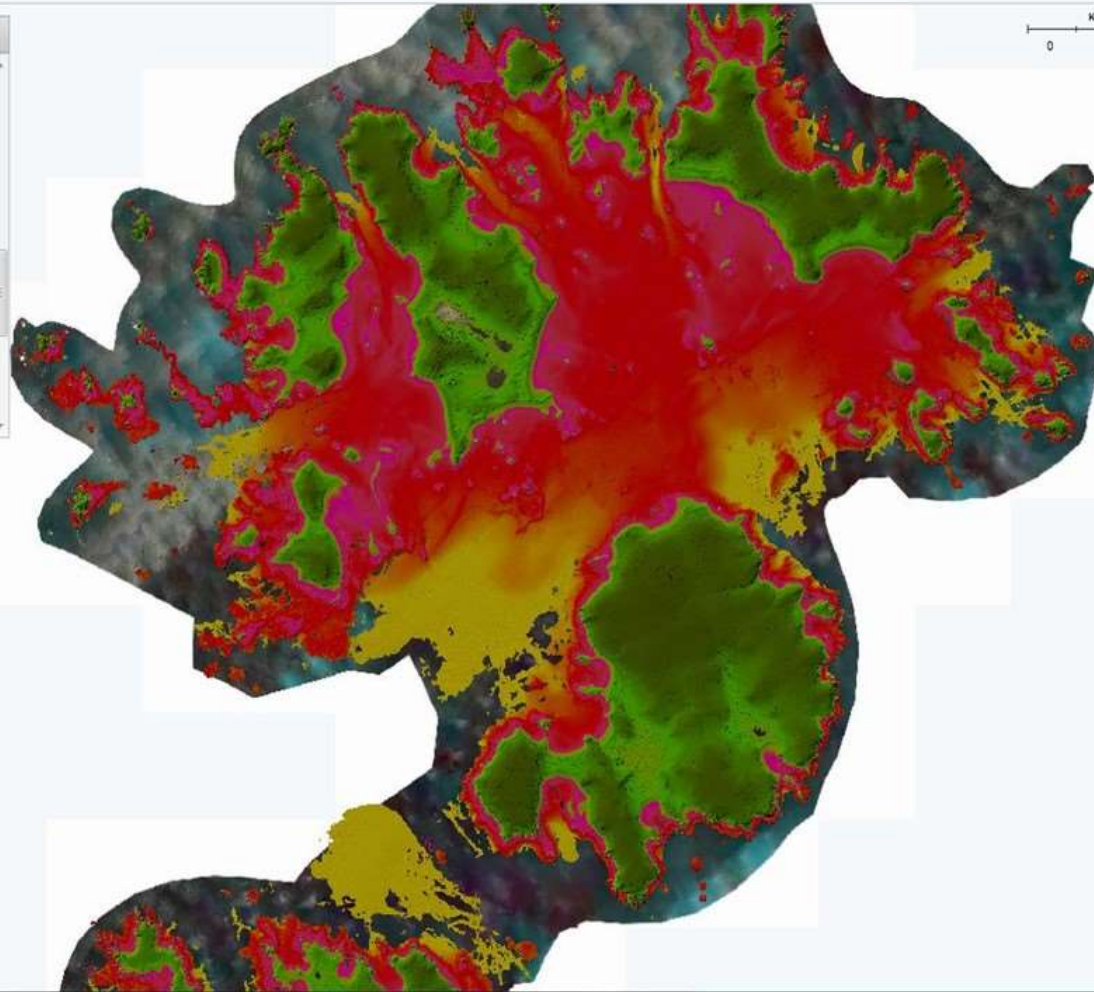
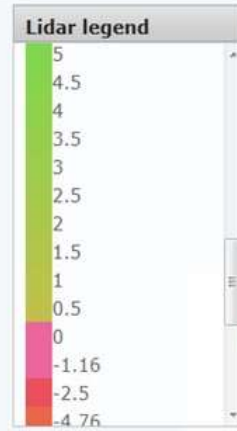
Year

2011 2012 2013 2014
2015 2016 2017

Region

Anglia East Riding Northeast
Northwest Southeast Southwest

① Map search Next



Bathy
lidar



4D Ocean's
ASV Harry



View from the beach



The same view from the UAV collected data

Combined with AUV data to provide a
seamless nearshore DTM



How to make
coastal monitoring
data work for
operational beach
management in
the short- and
long-term

COASTAL FLOOD PROTECTION

Low lying, far below average sea level.

Larger urbanized dike rings.

Therefore high safety standards (up to 1 in 10000 storms).

The coast is property of the state.

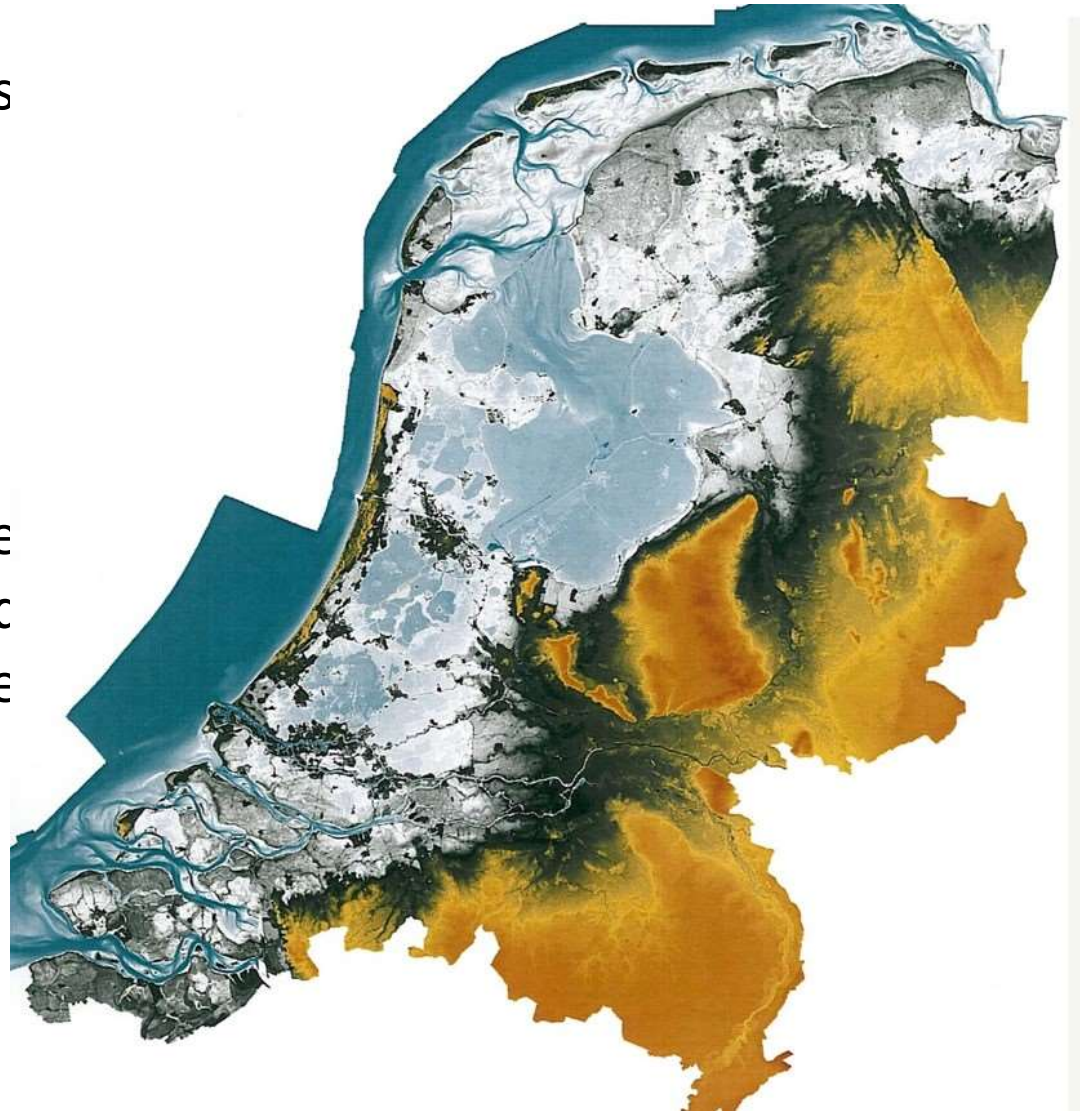


COASTAL FLOOD PROTECTION

State is responsible for upgrading and nourishments

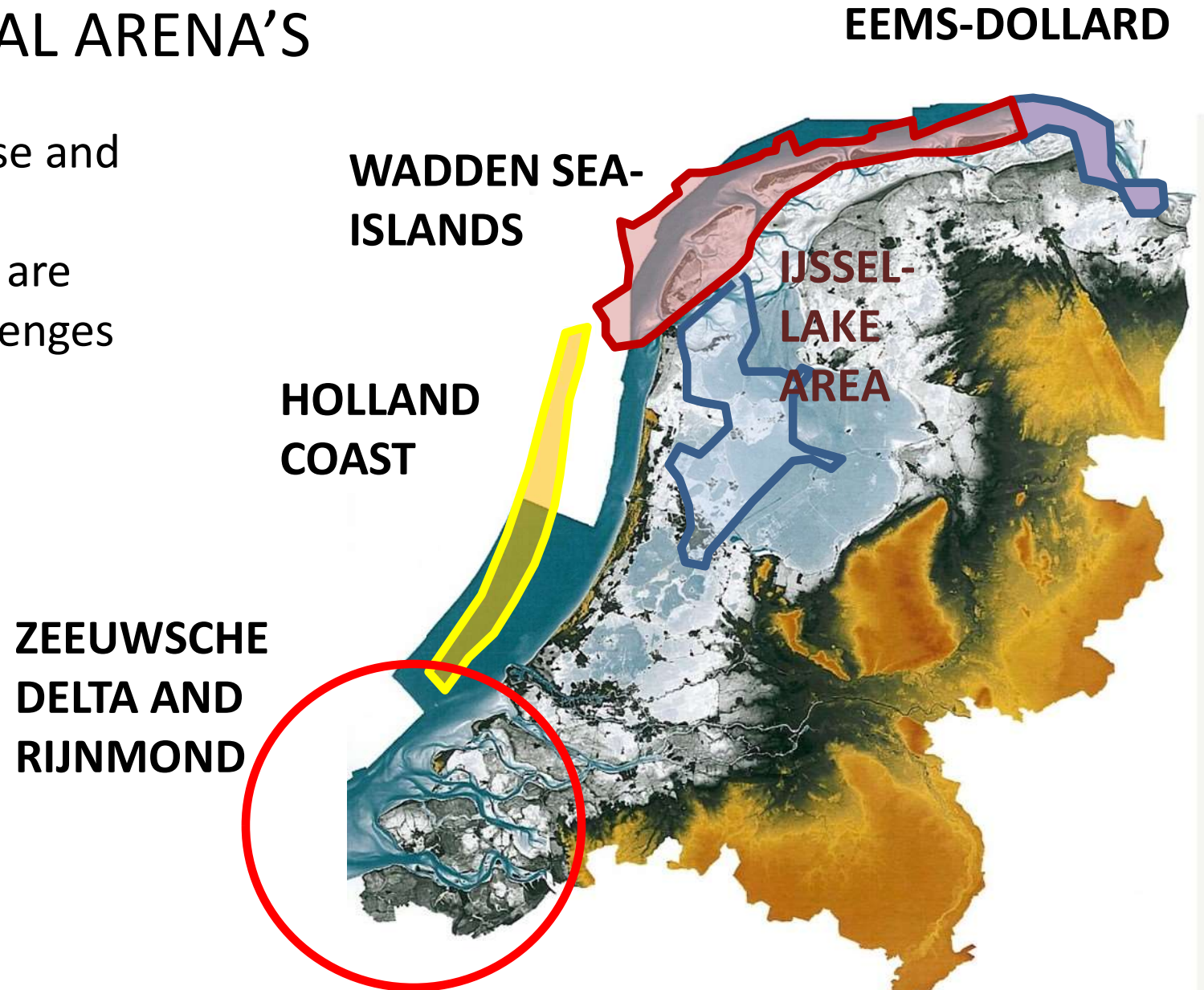
State is not responsible for maintaining recreational beaches.

Waterboards are responsible for maintenance of dikes and the management of the outer dunes.



REGIONAL ARENA'S

Sea level rise and ecological restoration are major challenges



ZEEUWSCHE DELTA/RIJNMOND

RETHINKING THE DELTA
WORKS, REINTRODUCING THE
SEA, FLOOD-ENERGY NEXUS



DUTCH COAST

PRINS HENDRIK SAND
DIKE, new intertidal
area



OPTIMIZING NOURISHMENT
REGIMES AND NATURAL DUNE
FORMATION

SAND MOTOR,
stimulates dune
formation



HONDSCH BOSSCHE
PETTEMER SEA DIKE,
new dune areas



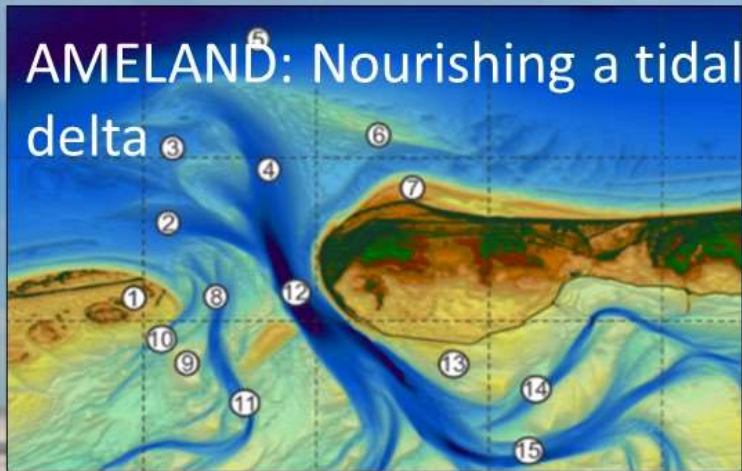
LAKE IJSSEL AREA



COMBINING SOFT DEFENCES,
ECOSYSTEM RESTORATION AND
MINERAL MANAGEMENT



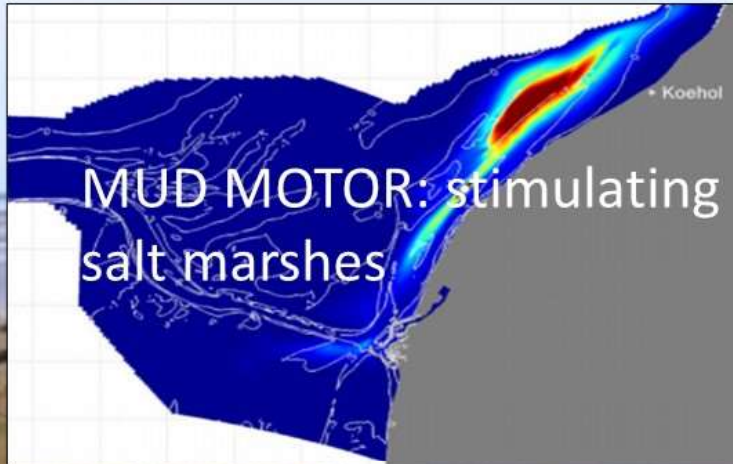
WADDEN SEA



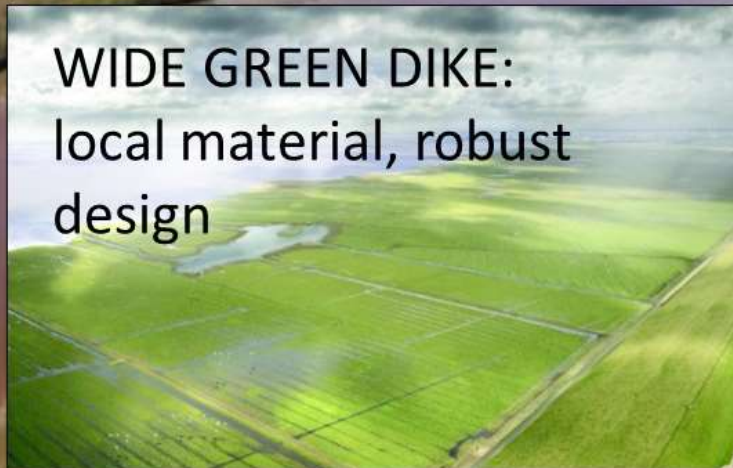
BUILDING SALT MARSHES AND LONGER TERM PERSPECTIVES



EEMS-DOLLARD



MANAGING MUD AND BUILDING WITH MUD



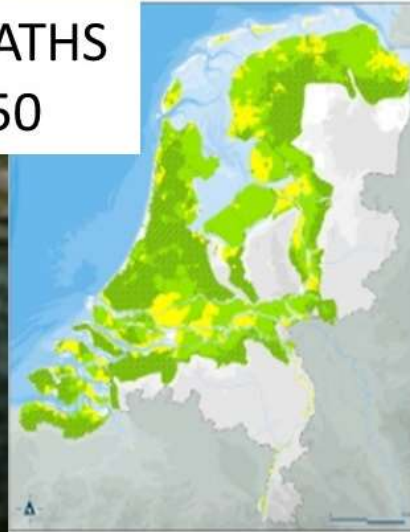
NEW SAFETY STANDARDS (WBI 2017)

Based on dike failure and risks
Safety aligned with environmental
safety standards
New instruments and hydraulic
conditions

DEATHS
2017



DEATHS
2050



RISKS
REDUCTION
FACTOR 20



DEATH
REDUCTION
FACTOR 17

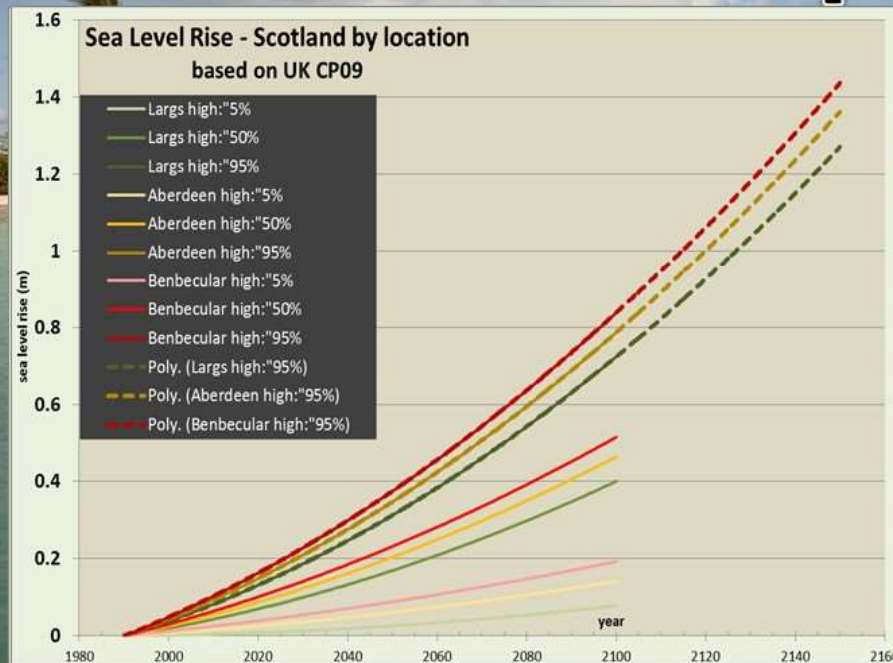


Changing Policy on a Changing Coast

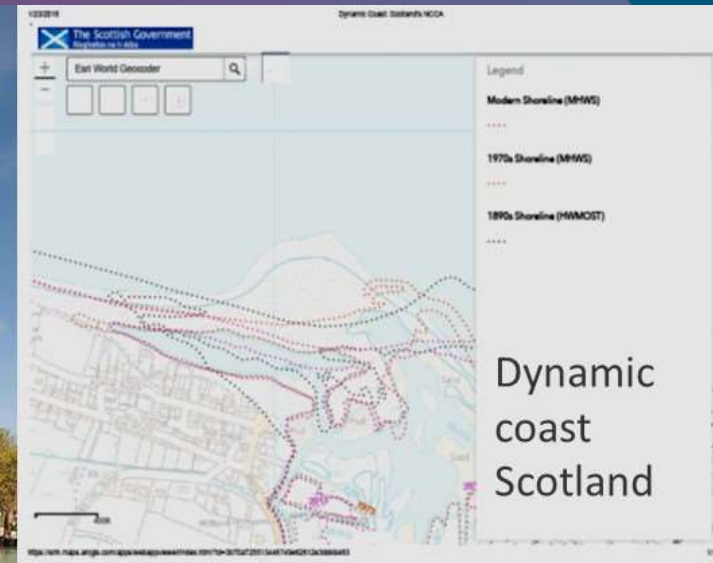
*It is the customary fate of new truths to begin as
heresies and end as superstitions*

Gregor Guthrie
5th. February 2018

*In a
galaxy
far far away*

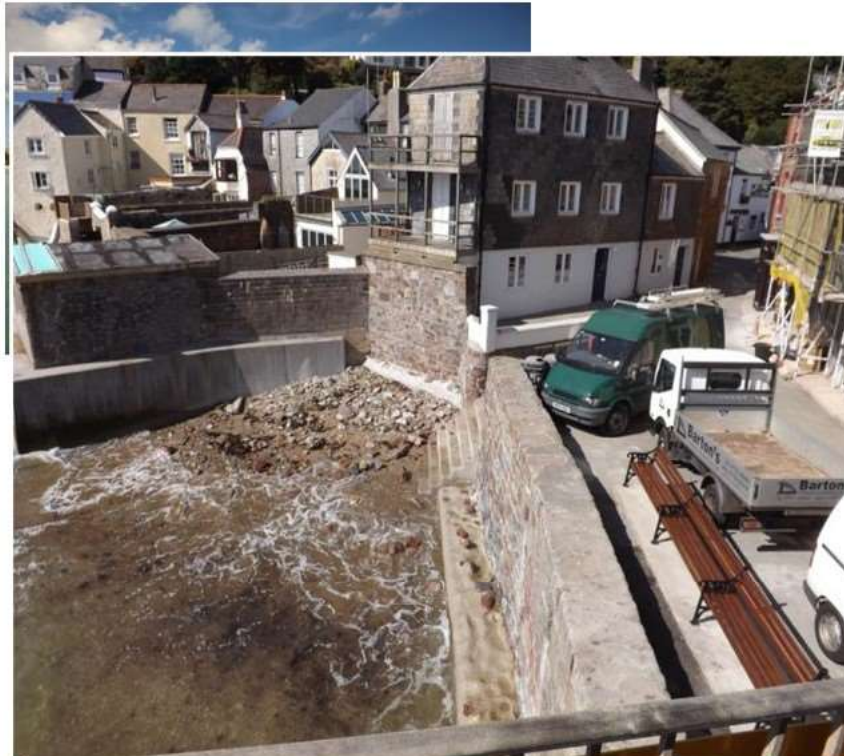


Requiring different ways of
thinking



Far far closer to home
Coastal Change happens
Climate change is
happening
But in different ways

What does this look



lands 2014



"adaptation cannot be solved through a single action, but is rather a process to be managed over time."

Same problem,
Different scales
Different solutions.

Coastal change and interactions



Understanding



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Broad enough perspective

Requiring different
ways of thinking

At war with the sea?

Local decisions pre - 1900

Coast Protection Act 1949 – taking time by the forelock

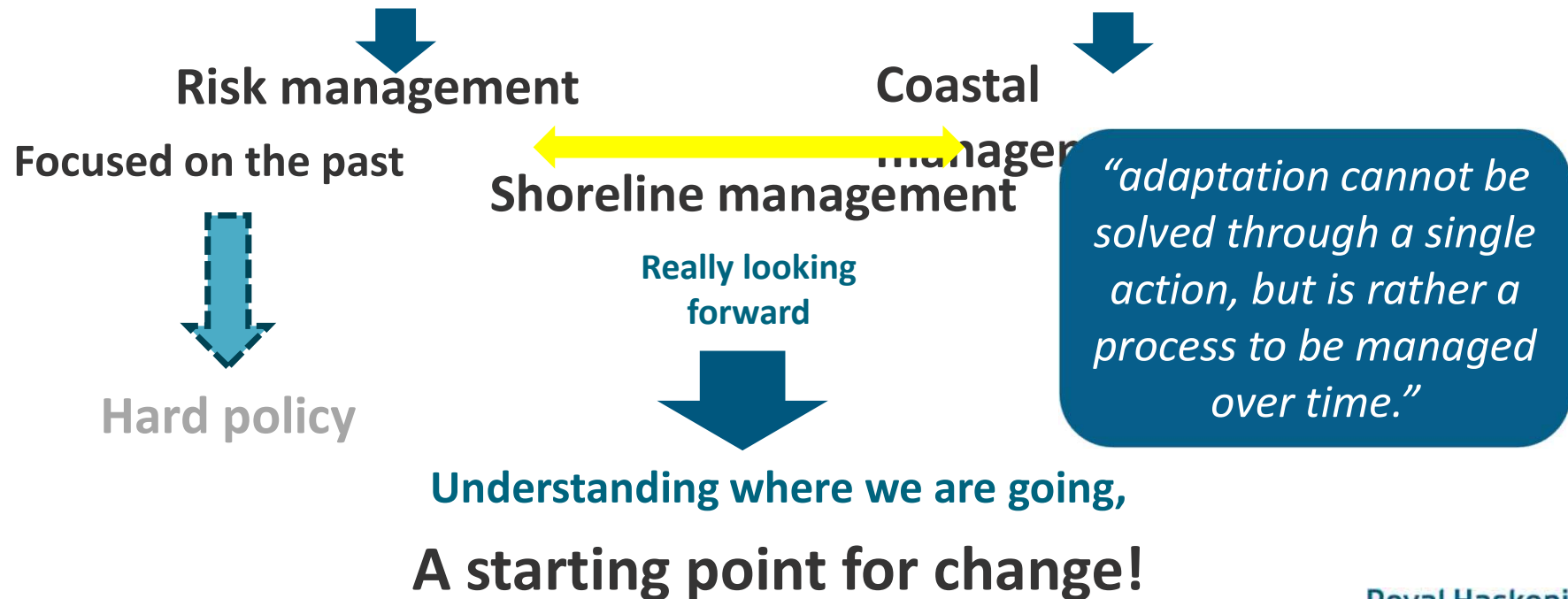
- Focus on defences
- Partnership funding

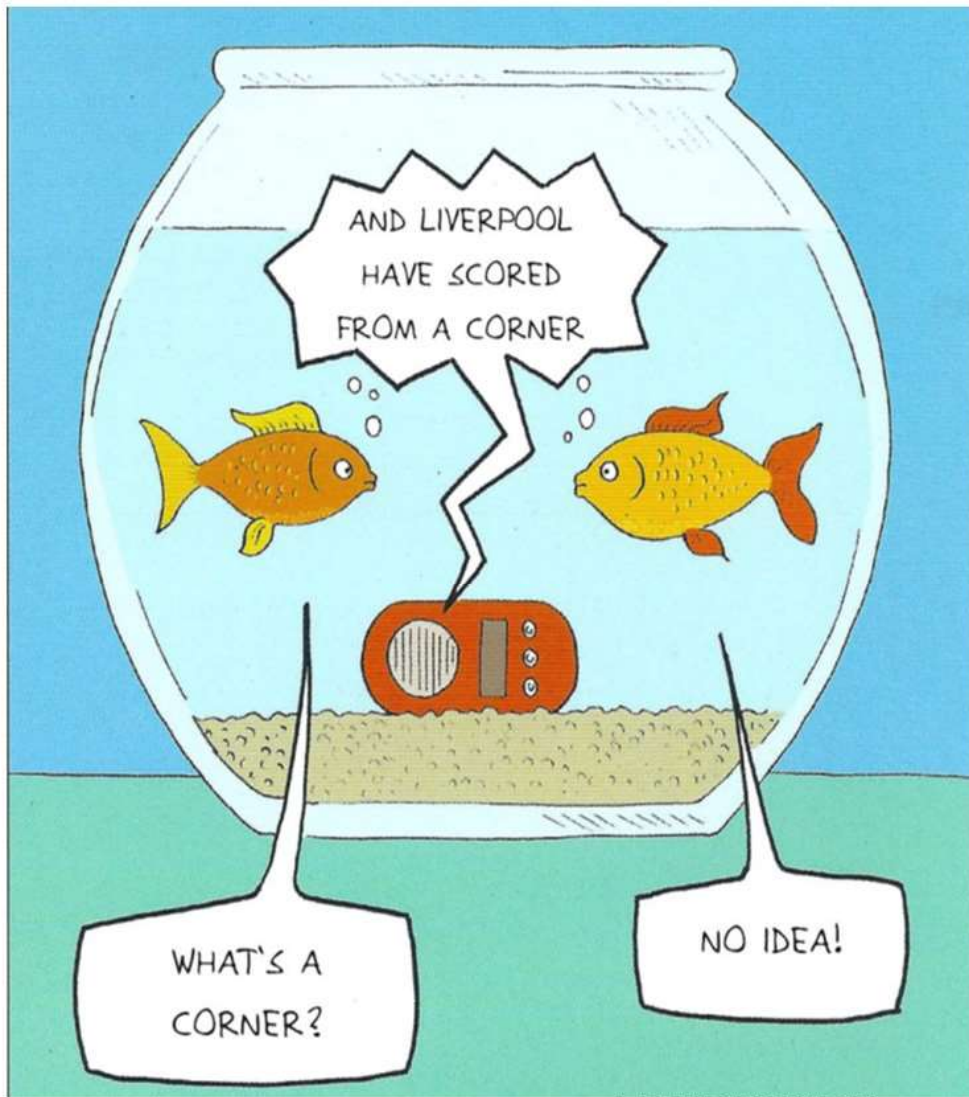
Coastal Zone Protection and Planning 1992

- inextricably linked

Fundamental changes and new challenges

That works should form part of a properly co-ordinated scheme for the frontage as a whole. The sea coast is an amenity...for its health and recreation.
Duvivier 1947





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Fundamental changes and new challenges

Managed Realignment?

Understanding specifically what we are talking about!



gDHV

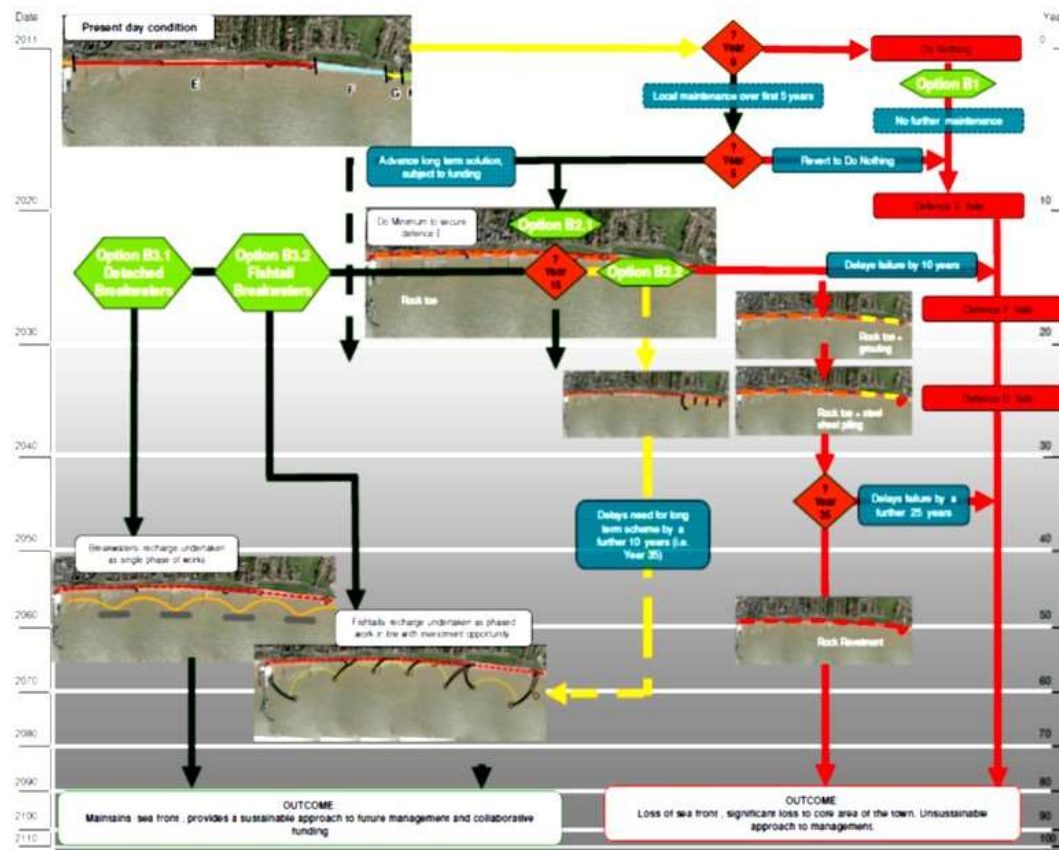


Figure 6-12: Zone B Decision Pathway

Adaptation pathways, looking for possibilities

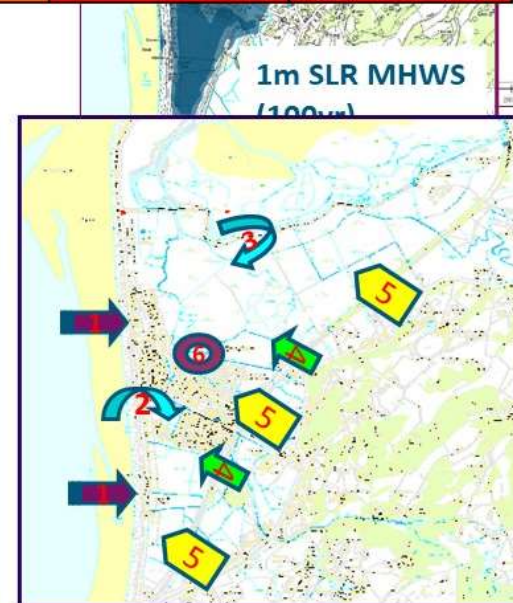
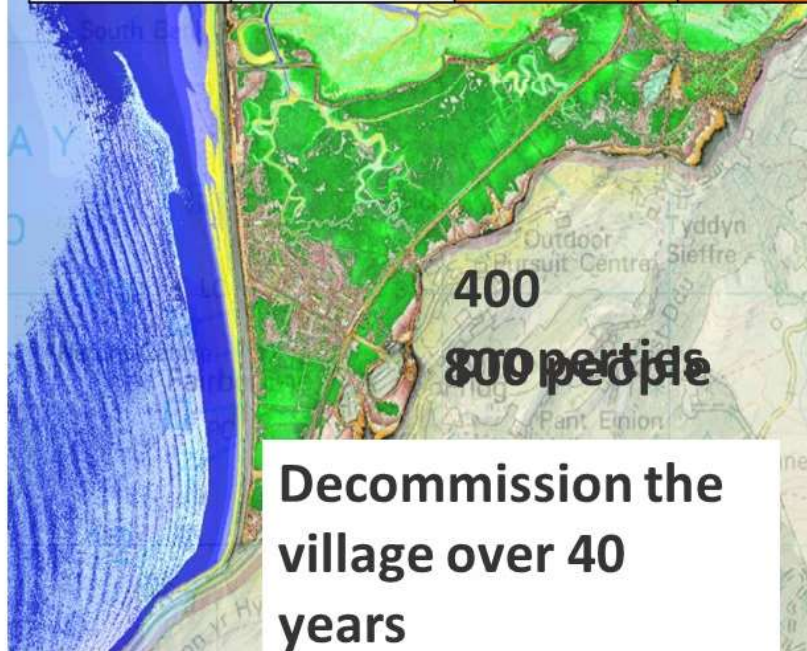


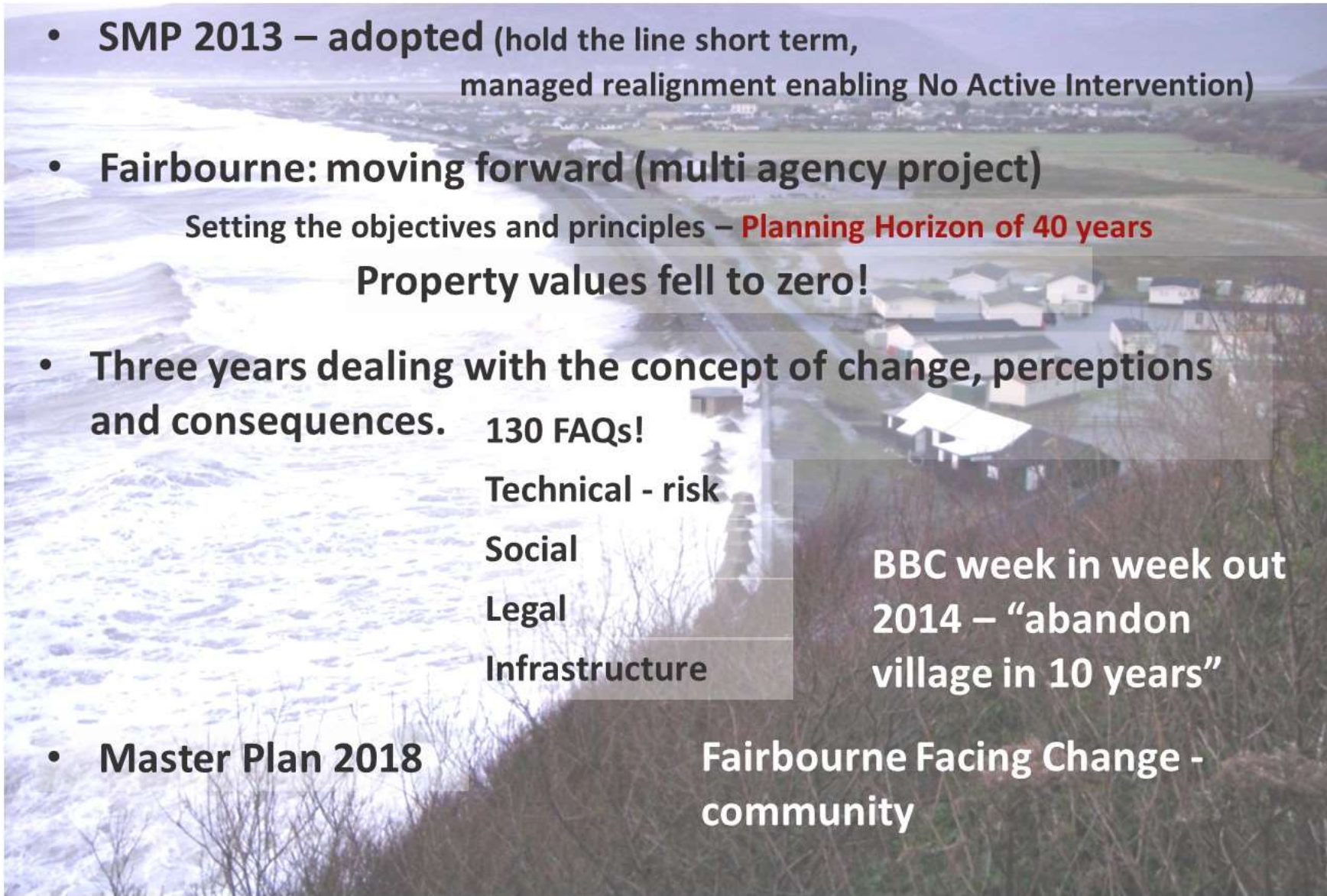
“adaptation cannot be solved through a single action, but is rather a process to be managed over time.”

“Clacton has the capacity to reinvent itself as a truly 21st Century Resort offering a high quality all round visitor experience,

Fundamental changes and new

Htl scenario					
time/slr line	present	0.36m	0.5m	1m	2m
defences	manageable	minor improvement	step change	step change	step change
erosion	manageable	some strengthening	significant strengthen	harden coast	harden coast
overtopping	manageable	minor improvement	raise defence	new sea wall	raise sea wall
direct flooding	manageable	minor improvement	increase embankment	raise defence	new embankment?
fluvial	low	maintain	maintain	maintain	maintain
ground water	manageable	pumping?	pumping	continuous pumping	continuous pumping
risk	medium residual risk	high residual risk	high residual risk	unacceptable residual risk	unacceptable residual risk



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- **SMP 2013 – adopted** (hold the line short term,
managed realignment enabling No Active Intervention)

- **Fairbourne: moving forward (multi agency project)**

Setting the objectives and principles – **Planning Horizon of 40 years**

Property values fell to zero!

- **Three years dealing with the concept of change, perceptions
and consequences.** 130 FAQs!

Technical - risk

Social

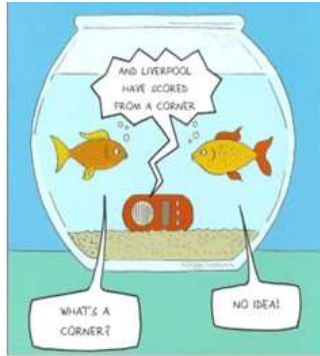
Legal

Infrastructure

**BBC week in week out
2014 – “abandon
village in 10 years”**

- **Master Plan 2018**

**Fairbourne Facing Change -
community**



- Clear honest communication.
- Involve all

- **Going down dead ends is part of the process!**

"adaptation cannot be solved through a single action, but is rather a process to be managed over time."

**Eating jelly with your fingers
Get the flavour**

But difficult to grasp the substance

Who makes decisions – on what basis?

- National
- Regional
- Local

Long term / short term - vision – financial – economic – political pressures

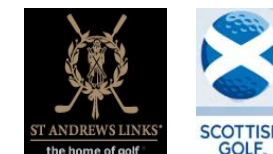
Delivery and responsibilities

Changing attitudes and perceptions

Dynamic Coast

Scotland's National Coastal Change Assessment

Alistair Rennie, Jim Hansom & James Fitton



Dynamic Coast

National Coastal Change Assessment

Special thanks to our funder:



Dynamic Coast has shown:

*Climate change is very likely affecting
Scotland's coastline.*

National trends: ↑ erosion, ↓ accretion
erosion rates doubling

Regional trends: differing patterns

*Compared with the projected near future rates,
recent changes to driving processes are modest.*

‘Business as usual’ plans will fail.

Dynamic Coast launch, 4 Aug 17



James Fitton, GIS

Jim Hansom, PI Science

Roseanna Cunningham, Cab Sec

Alistair Rennie, Project manager

Evidence is available via DynamicCoast.com and should be used to support public sector statutory advice. Inclusion of CC is expected in all sectors.

- Maps
- Reports
- Videos
- Presentations
- Blogs & articles
- Storymap

Website has had over 3k hits in 6 months since launch



Method:

1. Over 1m data points to analyse the changes in MHWS on all of Scotland's soft coast, between 1890, 1970 & modern.
2. Projected **recent** rate landward to 2050, and intersected this with all coastal asset database (NFRA).

Whole Coast Assessment

Results

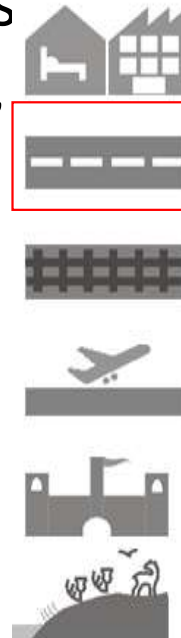
e.g. 156km of roads lie within 10m of MHWS, 53km on soft

Asset / Receptor	Unit	Within 10m of MHWS					Within 50m of MHWS				
		All	Coastal Type			Erodable (UPSM 40+)	All	Coastal Type			Erodable (UPSM 40+)
			Hard & Mixed	Soft	Artificial			Hard & Mixed	Soft	Artificial	
Community Services		1	1	0	0	0	78	48	20	10	45
Non Residential Property		463	197	103	163	245	9,045	4,393	2,309	2,343	5,101
Residential Prop	#	458	107	109	242	332	24,449	9,966	7,194	7,289	15,276
Septic Water Tanks		367	219	139	9	181	1,656	954	677	25	769
Utilities		25	10	7	8	14	312	137	80	95	184
Rail		15	2	9	3	9	104	27	58	18	61
Roads	km	156	87	53	16	68	1,336	733	497	107	590
Clean Water Network		87	50	22	16	41	931	507	304	120	452
Cultural Heritage		135	63	55	17	74	1,029	471	438	120	529
Environment	ha	4,204	2,575	1,586	43	1,790	23,430	14,873	8,424	133	8,615
Runway		0	0	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	2

Results available via webmaps on www.DynamicCoast.com

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Total number of assets within 50m of MHWS

Anticipated (2050) recent rate	Anticipated (2050+) double rate	All	Hard & Mixed	Soft	% in soft coast	Artificial	
52	150	33,494	14,359	9,503	27%	9,632	Buildings
5	10	1,336	733	497	37%	107	Roads (km)
2	2	104	27	58	56%	18	Rail (km)
1	4	3	2	0	11%	1	Runways (ha)
26	27	1,029	471	438	43%	120	Cultural (ha)
447	670	23,430	14,873	8,424	36%	133	Natural (ha)

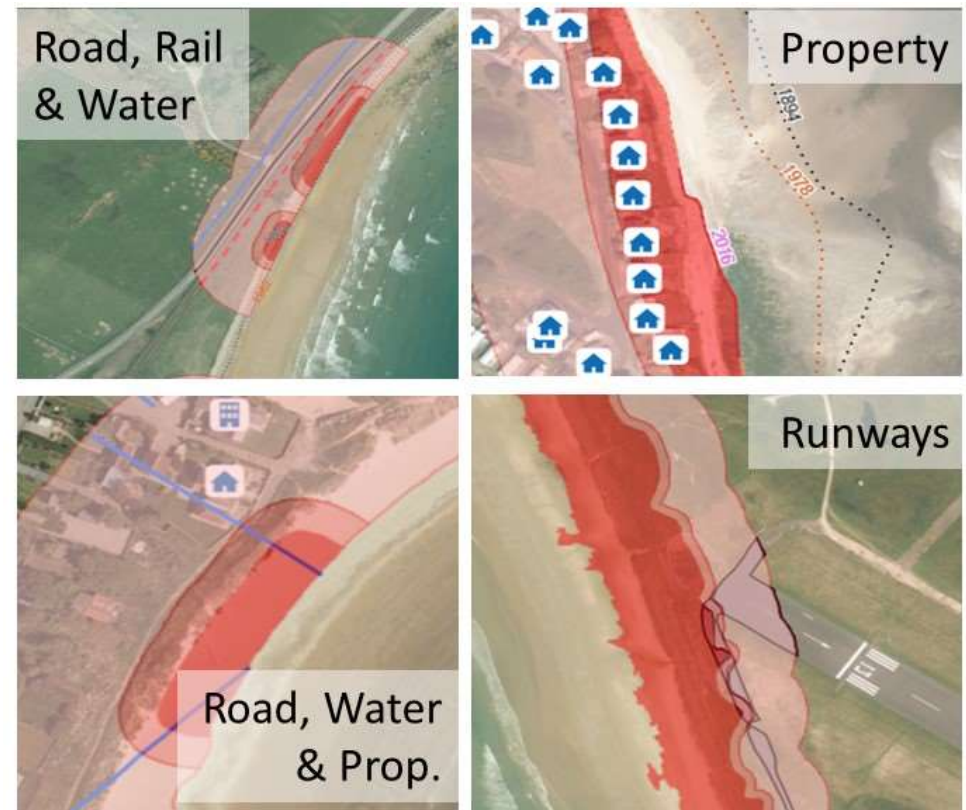
19% of the Scottish coast is soft or 'erodible' (3,802 km).

Between $\frac{1}{2}$ and $\frac{1}{3}$ of all coastal buildings, roads, rail and water network lie in these erodible sections.

A large proportion of our coastal assets are at risk from erosion and erosion-exacerbated flooding.

£13bn protected by natural defences, whilst £5bn by sea walls.

Nature is protecting more valuable assets than we are.



NCCA Results

Generally:

75% soft coast dynamic stability
 25% directional changes

Before the 1970s:

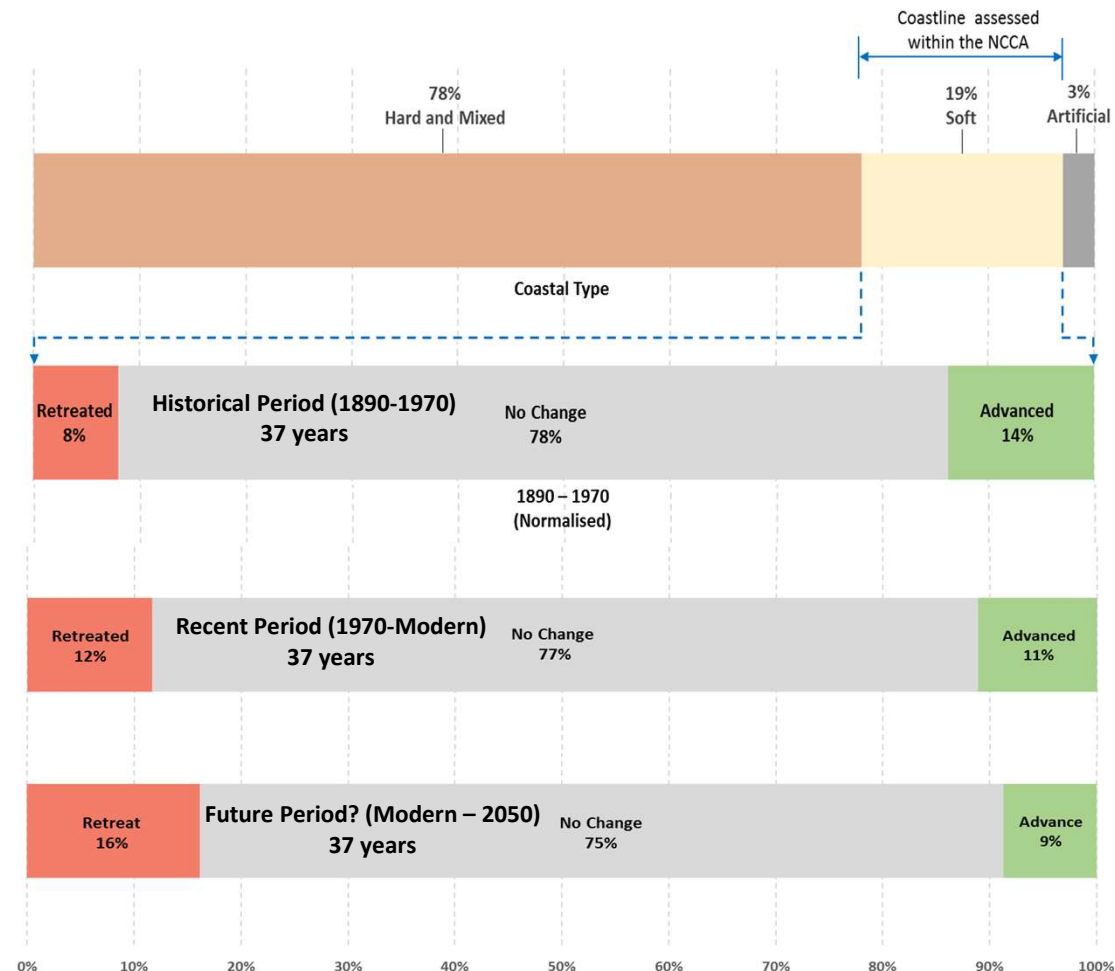
(normalised for time period)
 8% extent of erosion
 14% extent of accretion

Since the 1970s:

39% ↑ in extent of erosion
 22% ↓ in extent of accretion

+ Doubling of erosion rates to 1m/yr

National picture dilutes more significant changes and regional patterns.



Climate change is a likely driver: (sea level, increasing wave impact & exacerbating storms; added to human

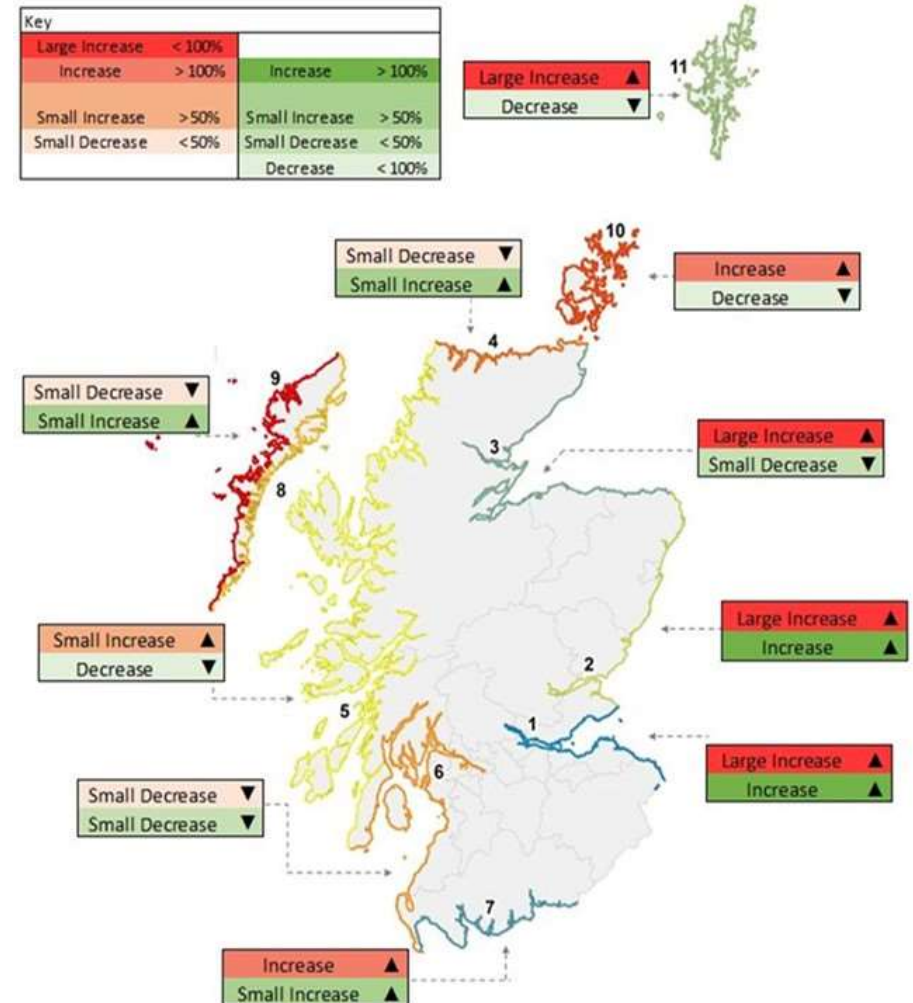
Regional results show geographic bias.

East coast:

- is more susceptible to erosion,
- has seen greatest increase in erosion
- has a large % of assets.

North, West & South coast:

- less susceptible,
- less change from baseline
- has a lower % of assets.



What's at risk if this trend continues to 2050? next 32 years

- at least 50 residential and non-residential buildings,
 - 1.6 km of railtrack,
 - 5.2 km of roadway,
 - 2.4 km of clean water network
 - as well as significant areas of runways, cultural and natural heritage sites
- ... all expected to be affected by coastal erosion.

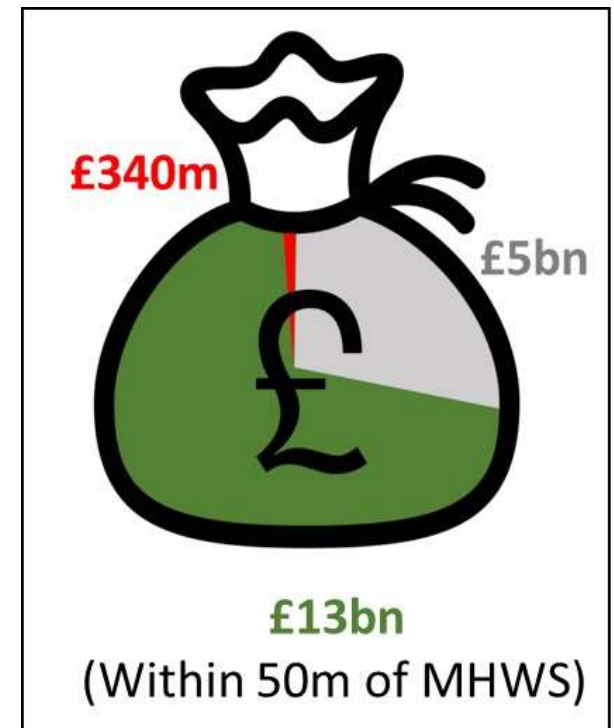
These span all Coastal Cells, all Local Authorities and all asset types.

Of the **£13bn** of coastal assets protected by natural defences, **£340m** are at risk in the next 30 years if recent erosion continues.

.. alongside the **£5bn** behind coastal defences.

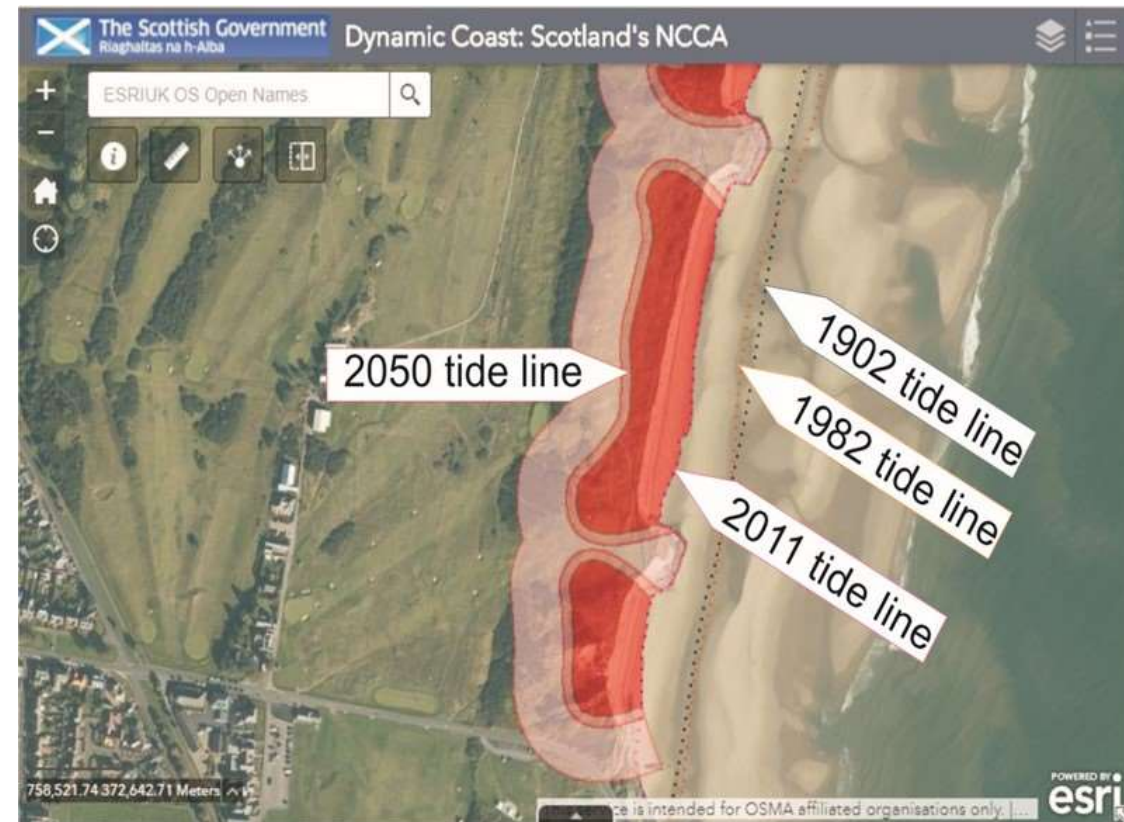
Scotland's society and assets are not immune from erosion.

This is not just about golf courses!



Results show an increase in extent and rate of erosion, so anticipated losses are underestimated. We've used recent rates not future rates nor values.

So Dynamic Coast displays
the minimum likely impacts.
Business, communities and
statutory advisors should plan now.



Sea level rise estimates are being uplifted by 20-30% (Met Office)

.... See UKCP18 (this session)

Accelerating erosion rates
need to be part of routine planning.
E.g. Fife SMP2 or
Newquay Neighborhood Plan

Considered further in next phase of
Dynamic Coast research.

 **Gerd Masselink**
@gmasselink Following

How to curb coastal cliff-top development?
The Newquay Neighbourhood Plan
(newquayplan.org) has articulated some very
useful policy advice based on Coastal Change
Management Area plan
([newquayplan.org/consultation-m ...](https://newquayplan.org/consultation-m...)). Red
line is anticipated 100-yr erosion line plus 10-
m buffer.



Anticipated SLR will have significant impact on flood frequency.

M.E.S. Leith +0.3 m
of sea level by 2090 =
1:100 yr event → 1:8 yr.

In Scotland we now have a
Window of Opportunity,
and the Policies in place,
to choose to adapt, mitigate
or defend according to the local, regional and national contexts.

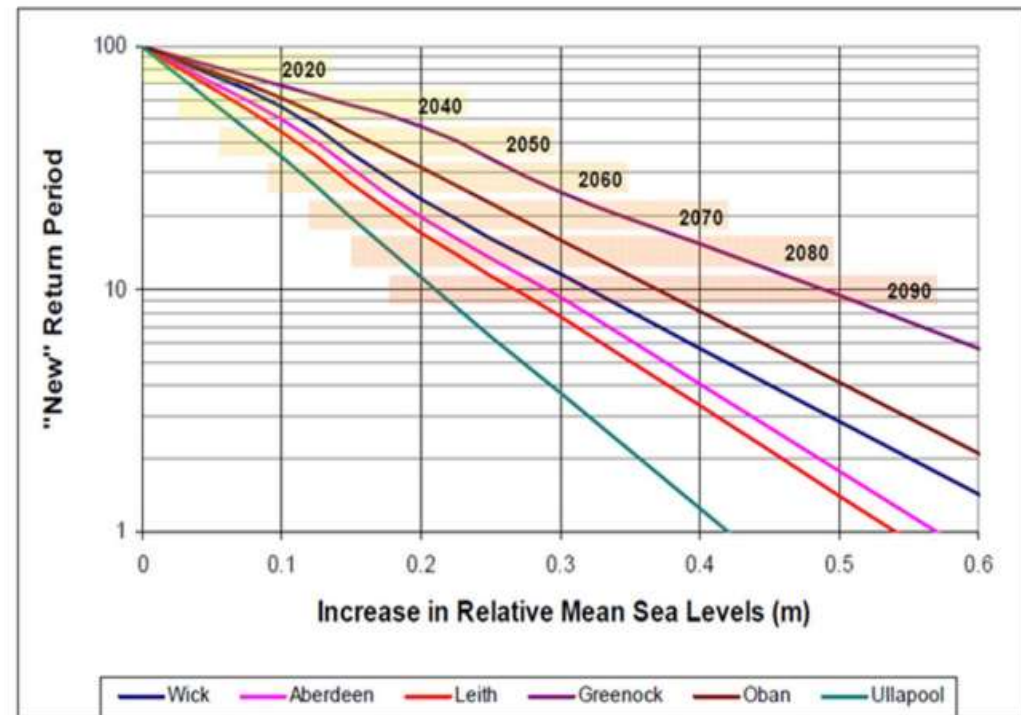


Figure 4.6: Reduction in flood return period given increases in mean sea level (Defra (2012) UKCCRA for Scotland – Technical Report. Fig3.5 p43, based on the central estimate of the Medium Emissions Scenario, locations are approximate)

Dynamic Coast 2 is about to start, using 3-D modelling to:

- Appraise resilience of soft natural defences,
- ID the breach-points for erosion enhanced flooding (this is how cc will impact people),
- consider impact of acceleration in future erosion extents and rates.



2nd phase will also:

- Encourage adaptation (super sites)

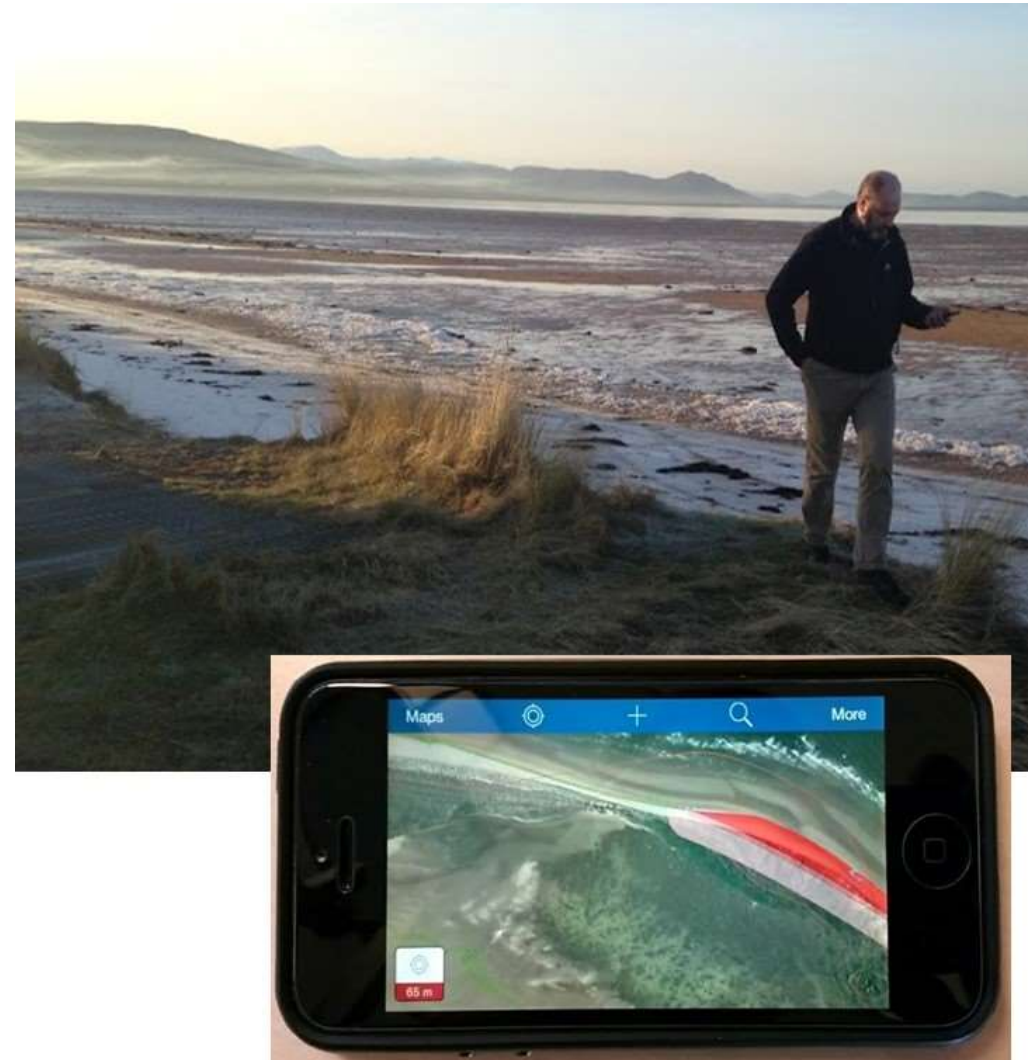
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@AdaptNHeritage [Follow](#)

Climate change could damage one fifth of Scotland's coast. @ScotGov is now extending [DynamicCoast.com](#), a project monitoring soft coasts near @HistEnvScot #HistoricPlaces at #StAndrews and #SkaraBrae. Check out the project's online #GIS #mapping tool [news.gov.scot/news/forecasti ...](#)



2nd phase will also:

- Encourage adaptation (super sites)
- Incorporate latest smart phone GPS+tech to ID coastal change.. vegetation edge etc
- Use UAV drones for coastal position updates at key sites
- Produce a coastal erosion disadvantage mapping



And a final word...

“Dynamic Coast gives Scotland it’s most advanced nationally consistent and locally informed understanding of the causes and consequences of coastal change that it has ever had so we have to use it and build on it now.”

Environment Secretary Roseanna Cunningham

(August 2018)



More info: www.DynamicCoast.com

Dynamic Coast phase 2 ... continues!

Funder:

Proj. Manager:

Research team:



UKCIP18: The UK's next generation climate change projections

“A Scottish FRM perspective”

Fiona McLay – Strategic Flood Risk SEPA

Introduction

- Why do we need climate change projections?
- If we already have climate projections why do we need new ones?
- Who's producing them?
- What information will be available?
- When will the new projections be available?
- What are the implications for my project?
- What is SEPA going to do with the new information?

Why do we need climate change projections?

HM Government

UK Climate Change Risk Assessment

January 2017

Climate Ready Scotland: Change Adaptation Programme



Laid before the Scottish Parliament
of the Climate Change (Scotland) Act
May 2014
SG/2014/83

SCREENING FOR NATURAL HAZARDS TO INFORM A CLIMATE CHANGE RISK ASSESSMENT OF THE PROPERTIES IN CARE OF HISTORIC ENVIRONMENT SCOTLAND



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ALBA



Millport Coastal Flood Risk Assessment

North Ayrshire Council

March 2015
Draft Report
PB3030

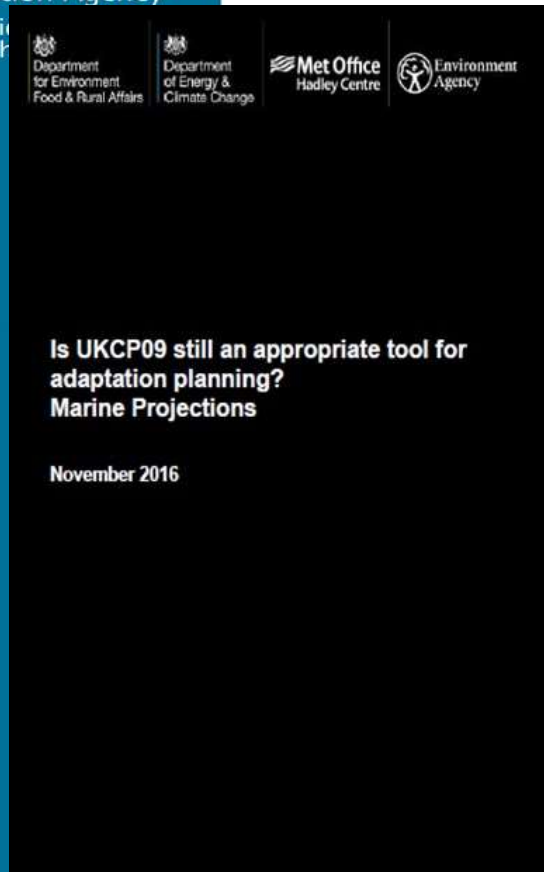


Why do we need new climate projections?

- Improved models, new observations, faster supercomputers.
- Information relevant to surface water flooding now possible.
- IPCC AR5 projections for global sea level rise greater than in AR5.

Q. Is UKCP09 still an appropriate tool for adaptation planning?

A. Not if you are interested in sea level rise or summer rainfall extremes.

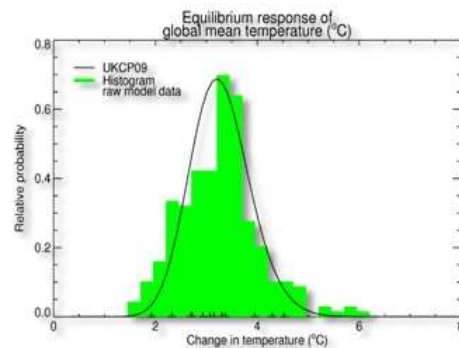


UKCIP98



Global model
projections
with HadCM2

UKCIP02



HadCM3 +
downscaling
with RCM

UKCIP09

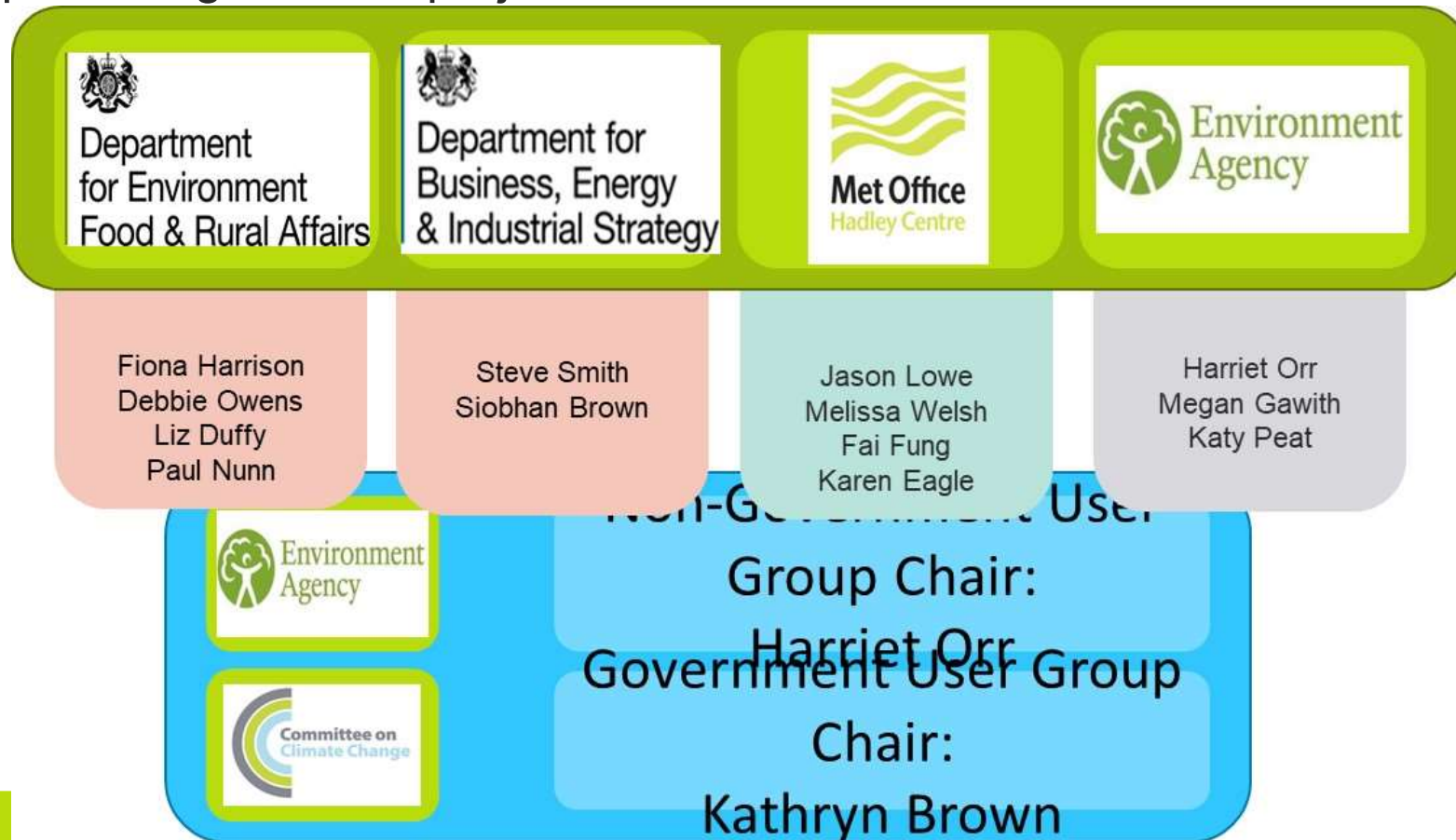


- Treatment of uncertainty and risk
- 11 Spatial realisations

UKCIP18

- Treatment of uncertainty and risk
- Approx. 20 spatially coherent realisations
- Better treatment of global and local scale physics

Who's producing the new projections?



What will be available?



New
projections
over UK land
areas



Updated
projections of
sea-level



Observati
onal data
and
trends

**A climate service
to help involve the
user in
development**

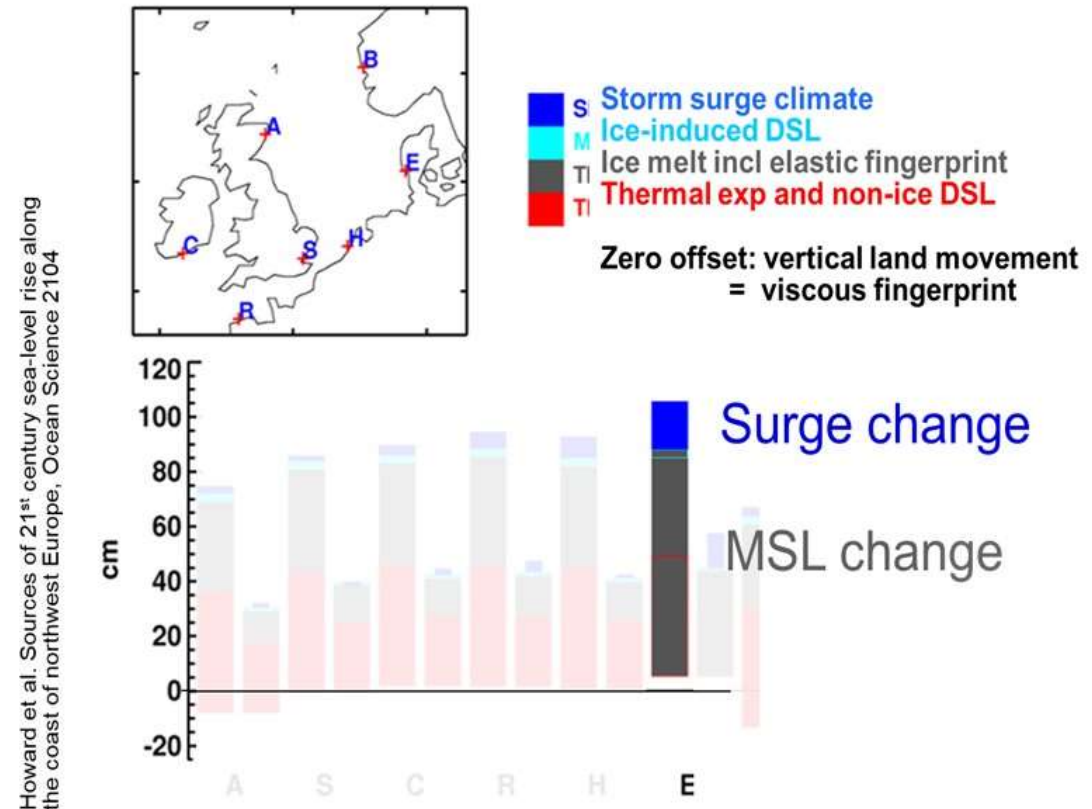
Marine Projections



- Projections extending to 2100
- Year to year changes in sea level rise and plausible H++ scenarios
- Updated storm surge projections
- Historical case studies placing actual historical storm events in future sea levels.
- **Metrics:** Sea level rise, storm surge

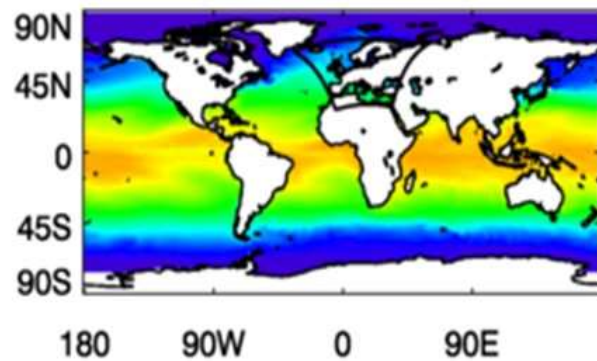
Storm surge

Some studies have suggested significant changes in surge climate at some locations, for example at Esbjerg under a climate model which simulates an increase in westerlies

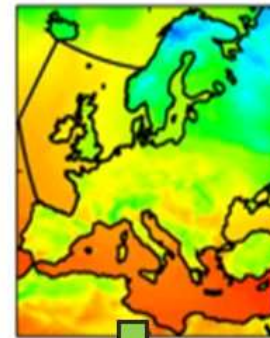


Projected changes in storm surge activity

CMIP5 Climate Model

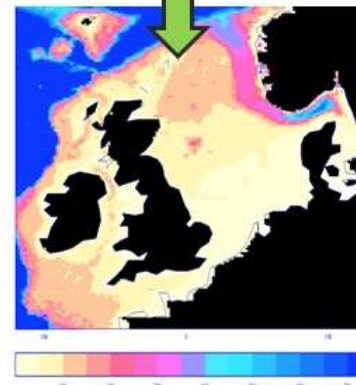


EURO-CORDEX



~ 10km
regional
atmospheric
model

CS3 Storm Surge Model



~ 10km
barotropic
surge model

What won't be produced?

Coastal erosion

What people want

- Maps of future coastal erosion risk and extent for the UK
- Data on location and condition of existing flood defences
- To understand how changes in coastal erosion risk could impact on flood defences and infrastructure

What already exists

- National quantitative assessments of present coastal erosion risk
- Interactive maps of future coastal erosion extent for some areas
- Case studies of coastal erosion for specific locations
- Shoreline management plans
- Current research on shore and cliff erosion

Flood risk

What people want

- Inland flood risk estimates
- Sea level rise estimates
- Surface water and groundwater flood risk projections
- Catchment-scale maps of flood risk

What already exists

- Catchment-scale hydrological models
- National flood risk assessments/maps
- National Coastal Erosion Risk Map
- Flood risk guidance for developers and the design of new assets

What needs to be done

- Develop estimates of surface water and ground water flood risk
- Assess impacts on coastal flood risk from factors other than sea level rise
- Link future flood severity to impacts and communities at risk
- Update guidance for developers and risk management authorities

Next steps

- Propose a researchers, funders and practitioners event on potential products
- Knowledge exchange workshop around UKCP18 and flood guidance
- Update existing products with UKCP18 data

- Information on changes in wave climate.
- Impact information including;
 - change in flood risk
 - coastal erosion
 - flood defence asset deterioration
- Environment Agency gap analysis and road maps

When will the new projections be available?

- Data – May 2018
- Guidance and headline messages – Nov 2018
- **Publication embargo until – Nov 2018**
- High resolution rainfall projections ~ Nov 2018.
- Revised flood flow projections based on UKCP18~ Nov 2018.

What will be the implications for my work?

- Use UKCP18 for studies publishing after Nov 2018.
- Data use likely to be similar to UKCP09.
- No single allowance for flood schemes.
 - Managed adaptive rather than precautionary approach.
 - May need to consider a range of time horizons, emissions scenarios and probabilities.

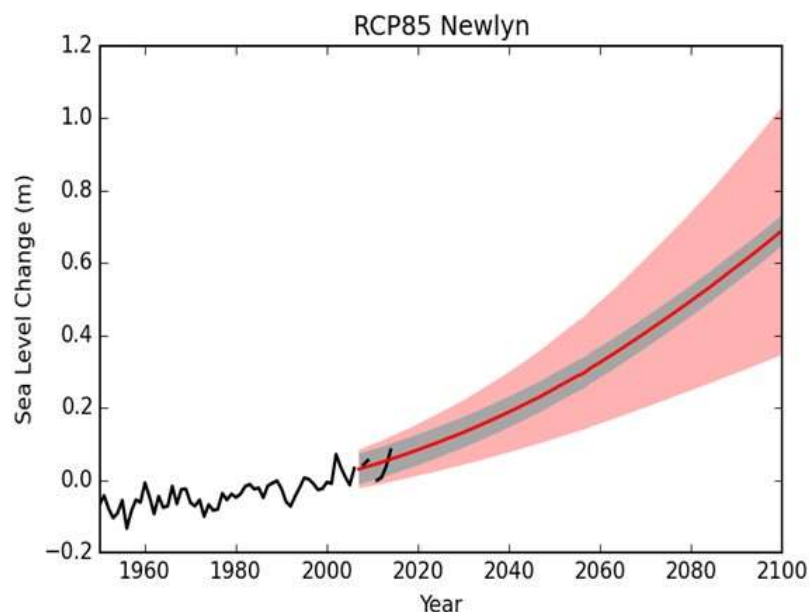


Figure from Met Office

What will SEPA do with the data?

- Updated guidance.
 - Land Use Planning
 - Flood prevention schemes?
- Flood hazard maps
- Future NFRAs and FRM Strategies.

Coastal Flood Boundary Updates 2017

Jennifer Hornsby, JBA Consulting

5 February 2018

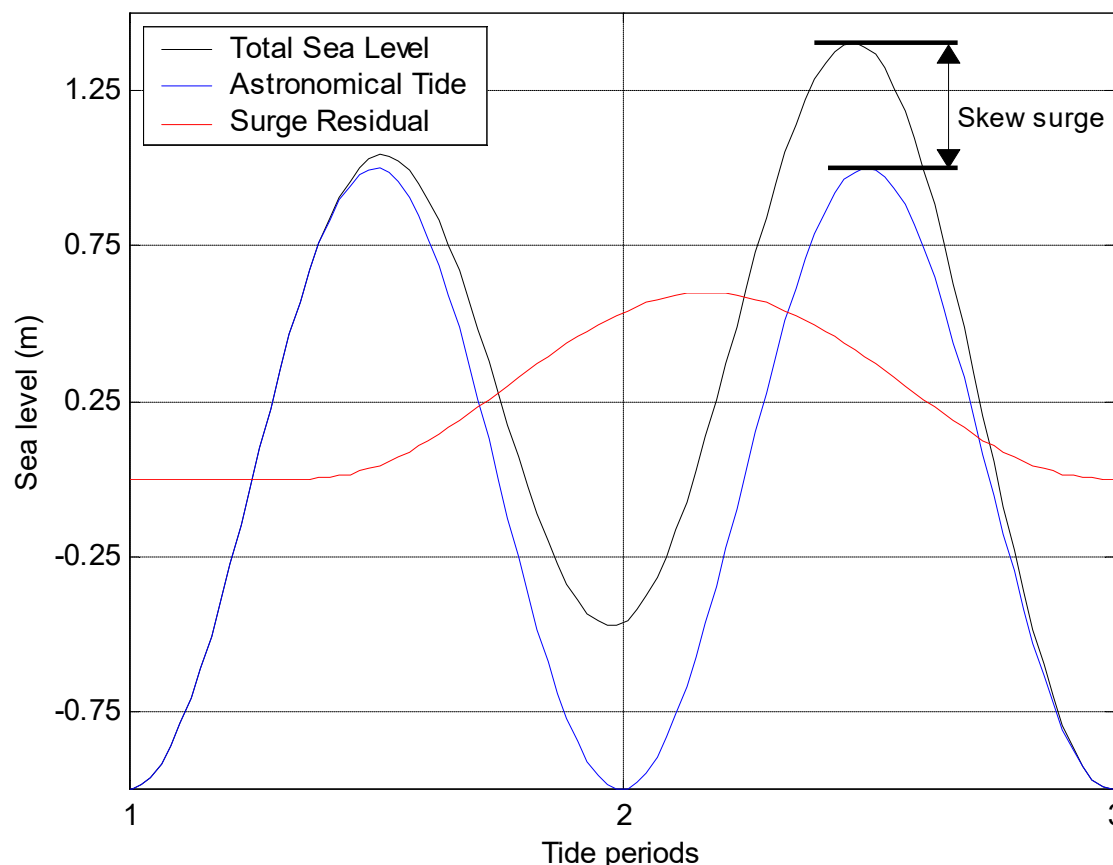
Introduction

- What are the Coastal Flood Boundaries (CFB)?
- What has been undertaken for the 2017 update?
- What can we expect from the new dataset?
- **Key partners** are the EA, SEPA in Scotland, NRW in Wales. All work together under the UK Coastal Flood Forecasting (UKCFF) group

Extreme sea-levels

Sea-level = tide + surge

- **Used for** understanding and modelling flood risk for flood risk management and coastal projection work
- **Used by** engineering consultants, coastal analysts, hydrologists, climatologists and academics.



What are the Coastal Flood Boundaries (CFB)?

- A robust and consistently derived evidence base to support flood risk management and coastal protection work
- The current CFB data includes:
 - a continuous and spatially consistent set of extreme sea levels, uncertainty data and design surge profiles
 - a spatially consistent set of extreme swell wave conditions
 - practical guidance how to use these datasets



CFB dataset (2011) - Spatial Coverage

What will the new CFB dataset include?

- Updated extreme sea-levels at the same point locations BUT with:
 - Additional extreme sea-levels along estuaries and around islands
 - Incorporating new science and new recorded sea-level data
 - New practical guidance on how to use the datasets
 - **No waves**



CFB dataset (2011) - Spatial Coverage

Project objectives – consult with users

- Task 1: Identify users and agree wider consultation pool
- **Task 2: Consultation with key users**
- Task 3: Data/Models collection
- Task 4: Data/Models quality review
- Task 5: Finalise scope
- Task 6: Science/method improvements
- Task 7: Modelling phase including **calibration/verification** with
- **Task 8: Consultation on draft results**
- Task 9: Address issues from consultation and review
- Task 10: Project team sign off
- Task 11: Final reporting and deliverables

Project objectives – improve confidence in CFB data

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Updates included – additional data

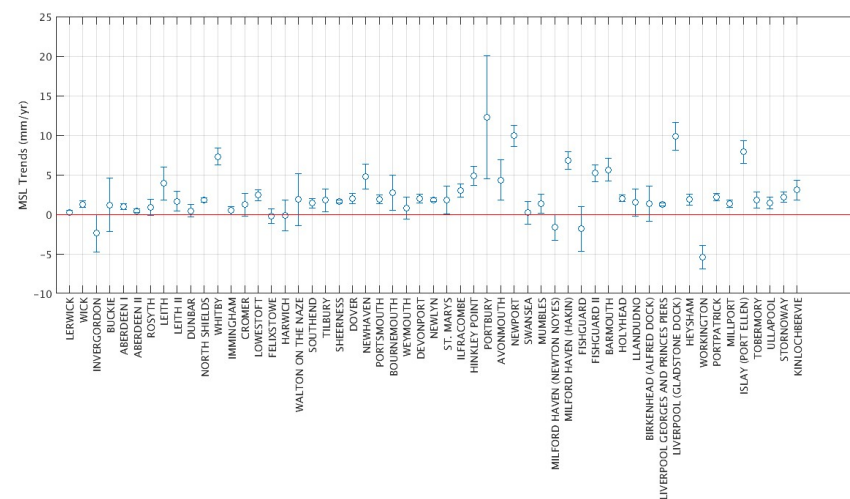
- % increase in record after extending the record to include data to 2016 (left) and secondary channel data (right)



Updates included – science updates

With the National Oceanographic Centre and Professor Jonathan Tawn

- Re examine the code/methods used for the skew surge joint probability method
 - Choice of threshold
 - Smoothing
 - Extremal Index
 - Tidal analysis / peak tides over node cycle calculation
 - Mean Sea Level trends



Project outcomes

- Due March 2018
- Draft results currently being reviewed
- Extended dataset
- Small changes in general
- Most significant change at Lerwick
- Confidence intervals have changed
- Still have lower confidence where we have no tidal gauges or modelling



Coastal Flood Risk Mapping Phase 1

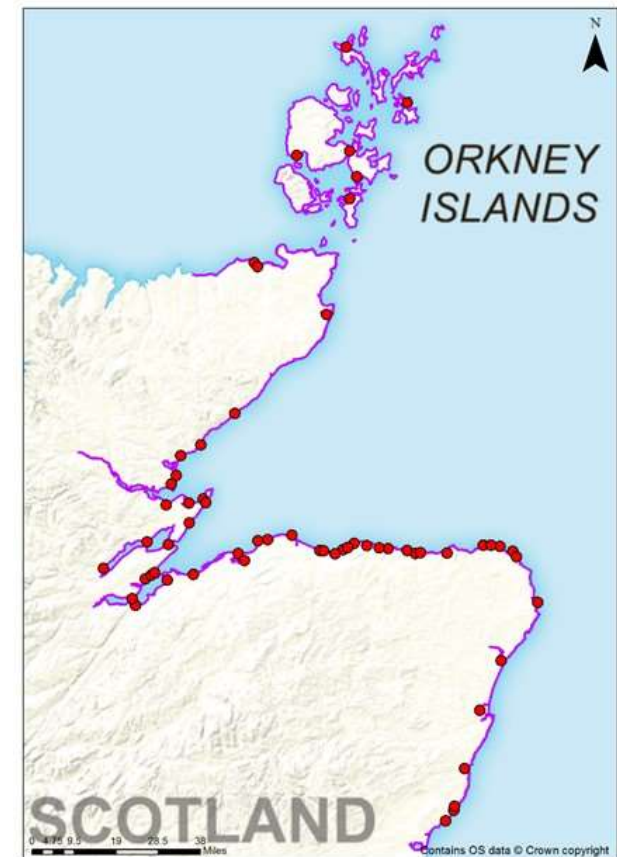
Douglas Pender, JBA Consulting

5 February 2018

Introduction

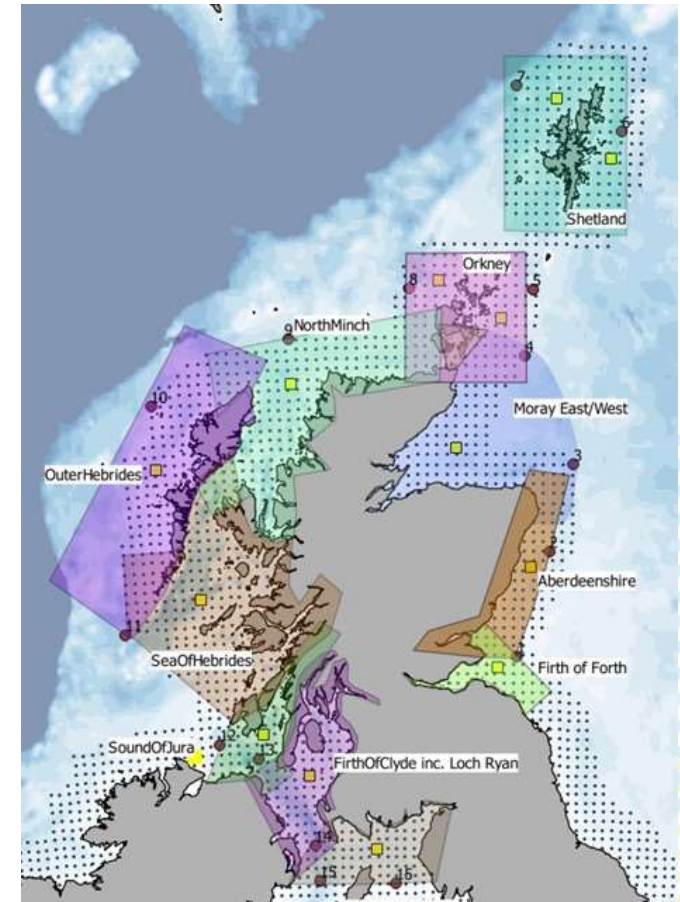
Phase 1 update to SEPA's Coastal Flood Risk Maps

- Northeast Scotland and Orkney
- Multiple components
 - Extreme sea levels
 - Wave overtopping
 - Wave runup
- Updated method
 - Simplified mapping
 - Detailed modelling
- Use of new datasets
 - Multivariate offshore wave and wind data
 - Updated CFBD data
 - UKCP18 climate change projections

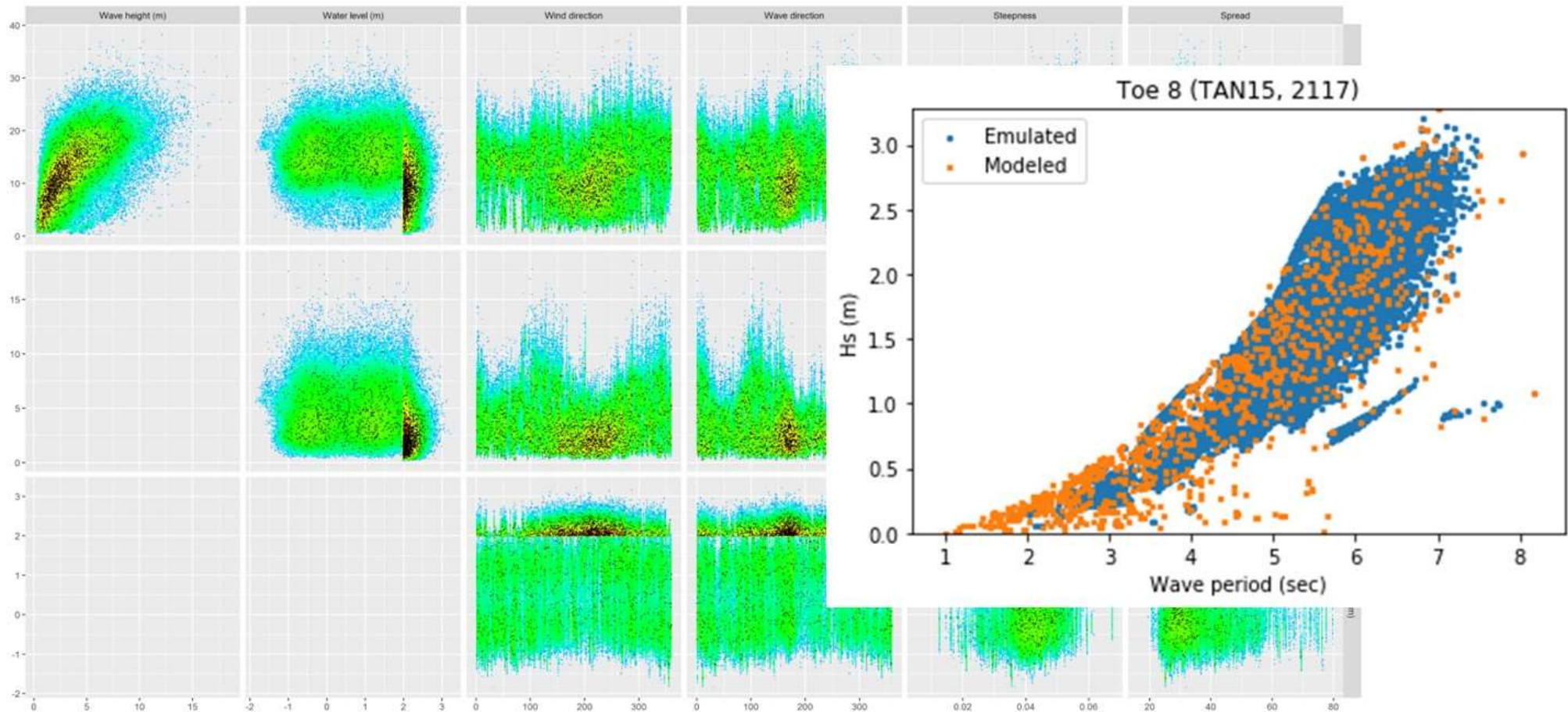


Offshore multivariate datasets

- Developed by RHDHV and HR Wallingford
- 16 points around the Scottish coastline
- Joint probability modelling of overtopping drivers
- 10,000-year synthetic event dataset
- Supersedes Defra Simplified JP Method
- Used to quantify extreme overtopping rates and wave runup heights
- Used in FFS and flood studies



Offshore multivariate datasets



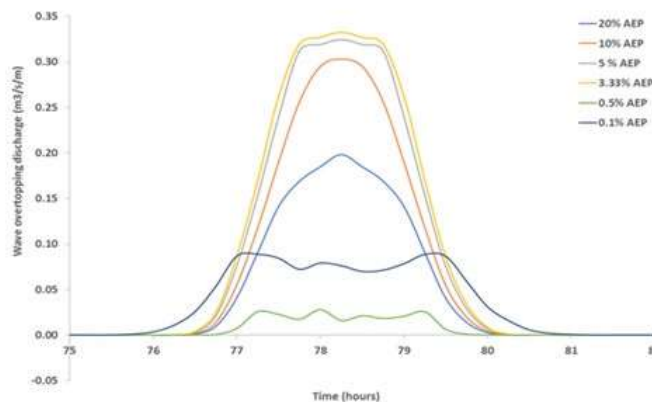
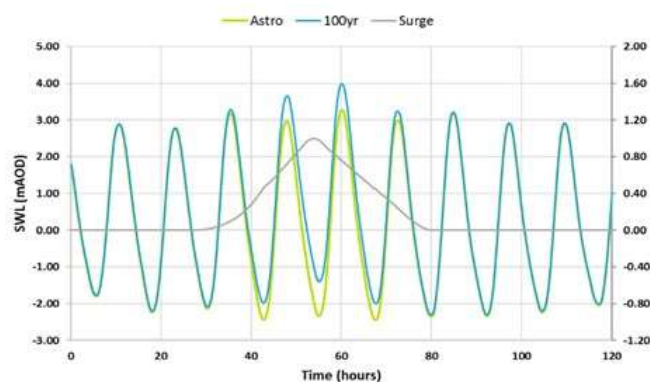
Simplified mapping

- GIS projection of ESL at rocky coasts
- GIS projection of ESL + wave runup on beaches
- Approx. 50 locations that include runup
- Sand and gravel beaches
- Wave conditions from multivariate dataset to estimate extremes



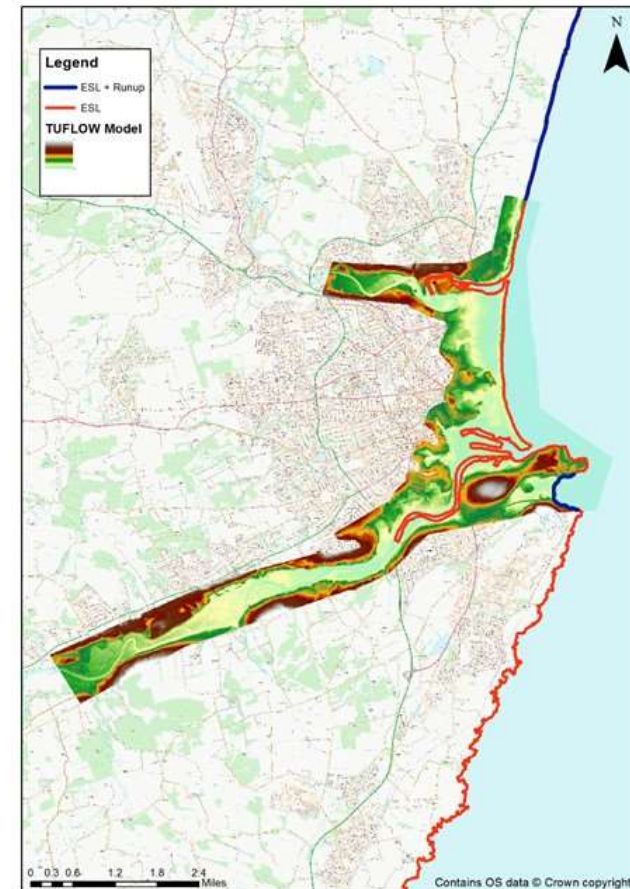
Detailed mapping

- TUFLOW inundation models at 5m resolution
- ESL boundary from CFDB
- Overtopping boundaries from multivariate dataset and EurOtop
- Defended and undefended runs



Final product

- Seamless maps merging simplified and detailed extents
- Replacement of current web maps
- Present day, 2050, 2100 and 2300
- Defended and undefended
- **RELEASED EARLY 2019**



Working together to manage flood risk

Flood Risk Management Conference 2018

5 – 6 February 2018

Follow the conversation on Twitter at #FRM2018
Wifi network: WiFi Guest



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Jeremy Jones, CIWEM

Chair session 3 Surface Water Management

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Partnership Working and Innovation Delivers Regeneration – Case Study

David Hay, Group Manager, Glasgow City Council

SNIFFER - 6 February 2018



- ❑ Funding
- ❑ Canal and North Gateway
- ❑ North Glasgow Integrated Water Management System (NGIWMS)
- ❑ Sighthill Regeneration
- ❑ Challenges for Partnership Working
- ❑ Lessons Learnt



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Funding

- Complex funding package with multiple funders

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**Green
Infrastructure**
making places for people
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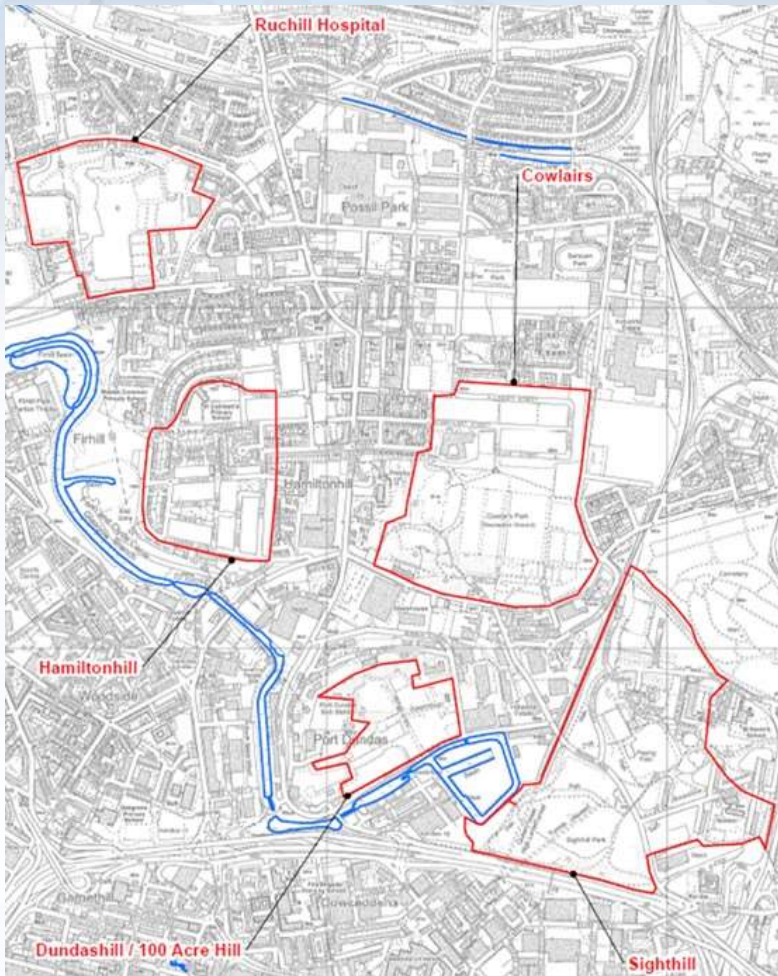
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City Deal





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Canal and North Gateway



- Unlocks 2,500+ homes

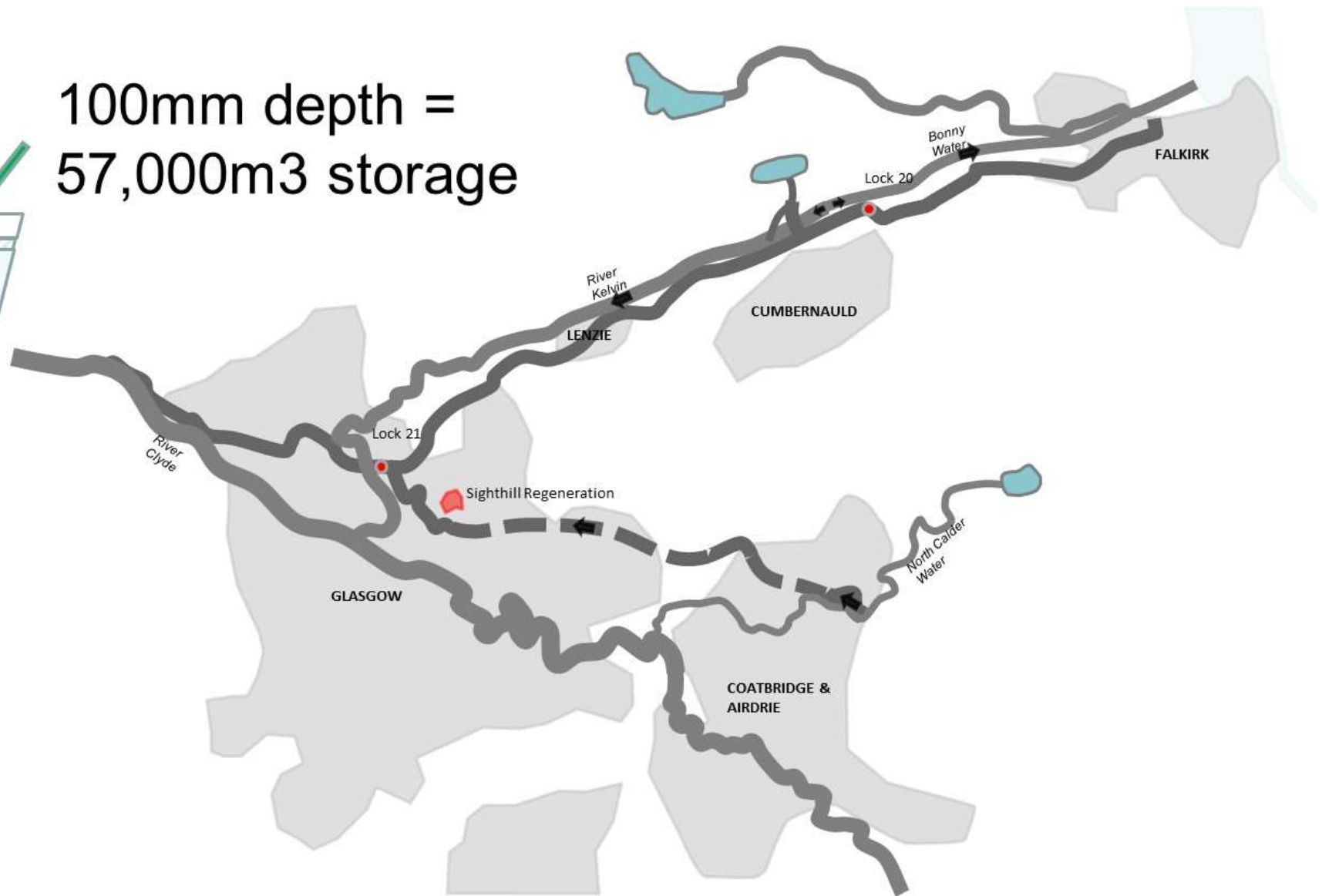


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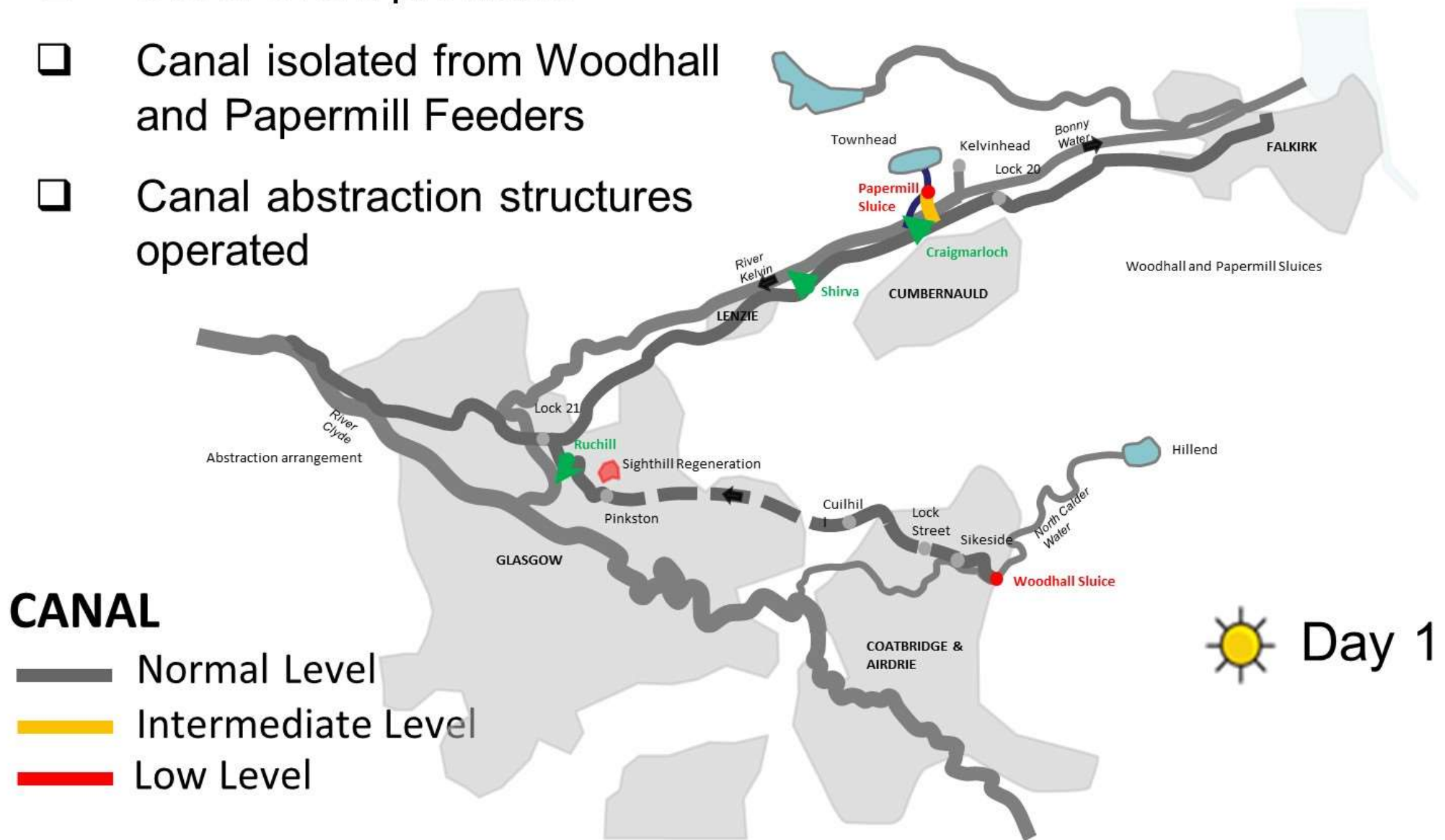
NGIWMS

- ❑ Partnership between Scottish Canals, Scottish Water and Glasgow City Council
- ❑ Utilises Forth & Clyde Canal as a drainage conduit linking regeneration areas to River Kelvin
- ❑ Levering value from a Scheduled Ancient Monument
- ❑ Dynamic management of water level provides flood storage
- ❑ Alternative to £45m+ surface water tunnel

100mm depth =
57,000m³ storage



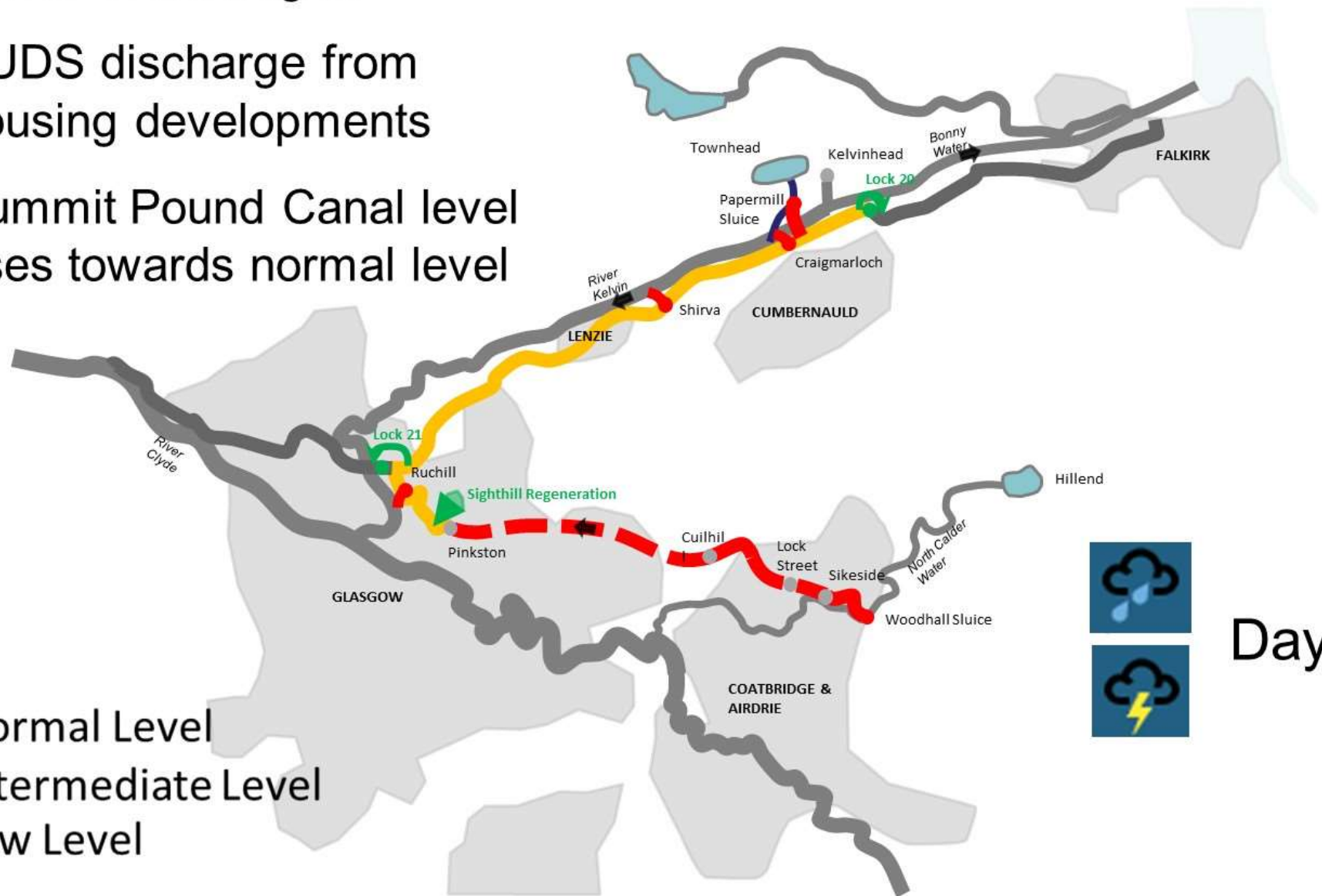
- ☐ Storm event predicted
- ☐ Canal isolated from Woodhall and Papermill Feeders
- ☐ Canal abstraction structures operated



- ☐ Storm event begins
- ☐ SUDS discharge from housing developments
- ☐ Summit Pound Canal level rises towards normal level

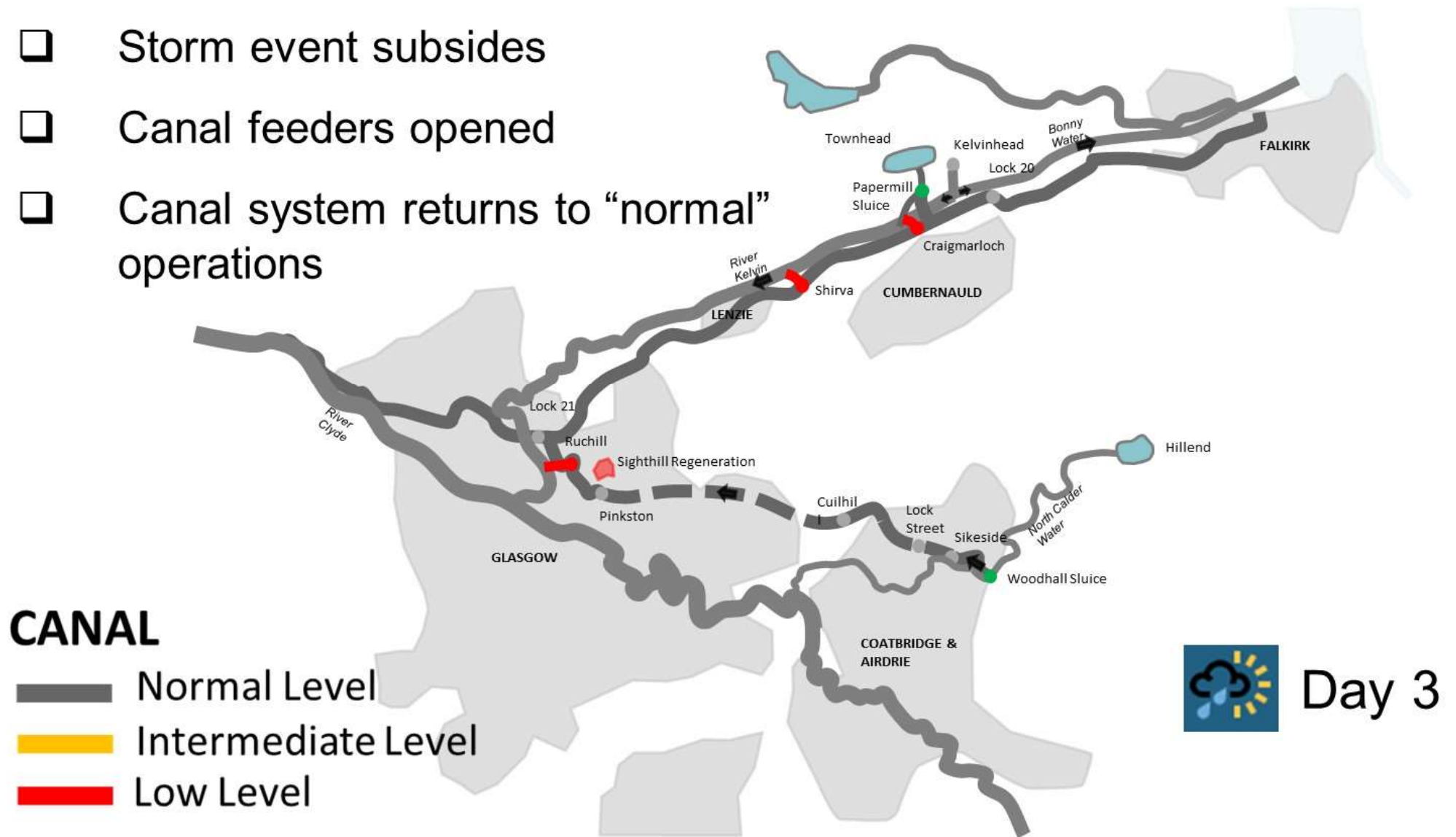
CANAL

- Normal Level
- Intermediate Level
- Low Level



Day 2

- ❑ Watercourses convey storm
- ❑ Storm event subsides
- ❑ Canal feeders opened
- ❑ Canal system returns to “normal” operations



Day 3



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Sighthill TRA Regeneration

- ❑ 46ha masterplan led regeneration project
- ❑ Contract 1 – Remediation
- ❑ Contract 2 – Infrastructure including SuDS
- ❑ Keepmoat to deliver 826 new homes
- ❑ Community campus and park
- ❑ Links City Centre to North Glasgow



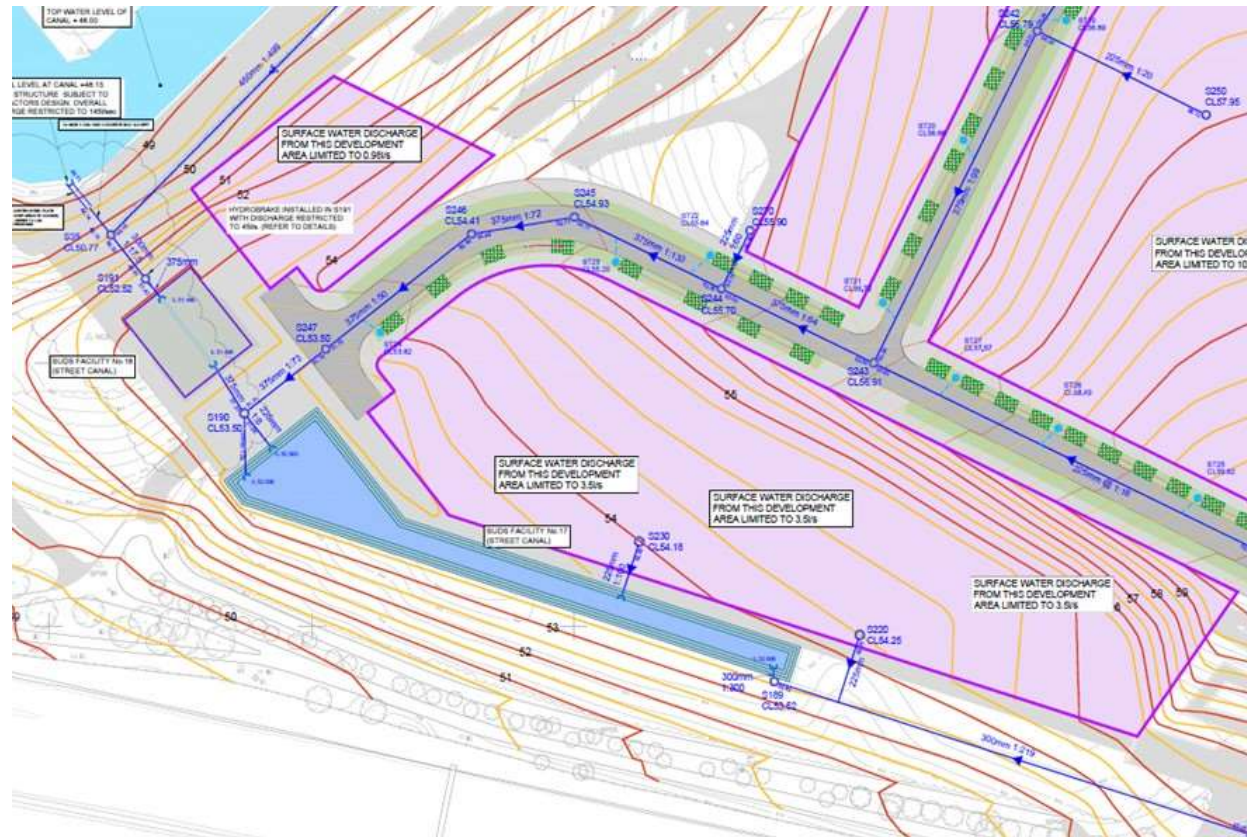


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Sighthill Regeneration







Canal Feature

Northern SuDS Train



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Common Theme?





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To Fence or Not to Fence?

For Fencing

- ❑ Reduces safety risk
- ❑ Delineates working space

Against Fencing

- ❑ Integrates with landscape
- ❑ Reduces maintenance burden
- ❑ Encourages risk learning





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The Challenges

- ❑ Drainage Partnership Agreement
- ❑ Funding (Capital & Revenue)
- ❑ Allocation of Risk
- ❑ Proving the Concept
- ❑ Masterplan vision vs Sewers for Scotland



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Lessons Learnt

- ❑ Seeing beyond the next stage
- ❑ Complex, tri-partite legal agreements take a long time
- ❑ Partnership working facilitates problem solving
- ❑ Cross cutting project has advantages and disadvantages
- ❑ Key messages need to reach the right people



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Future Drainage Structure?



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Partnership Working and Innovation is Delivering Regeneration

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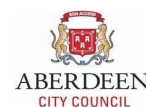
Joint Approach to Optioneering in Merchant Quarter, Aberdeen

Will Burnish
Aberdeen City Council

Dawn Lochhead
Scottish Water



Collaboration: integrated catchment partners

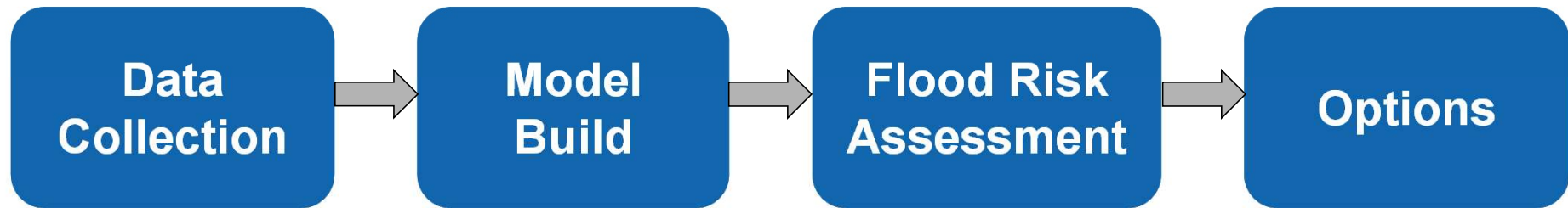


Aberdeen Integrated Catchment Study

Purpose:

- Improve **knowledge** and understanding of the **urban drainage network**
- Identify **interactions** between **sewers, culverts, rivers** and the **sea**
- Better understand **flood risk** from all of these sources

ICS Process



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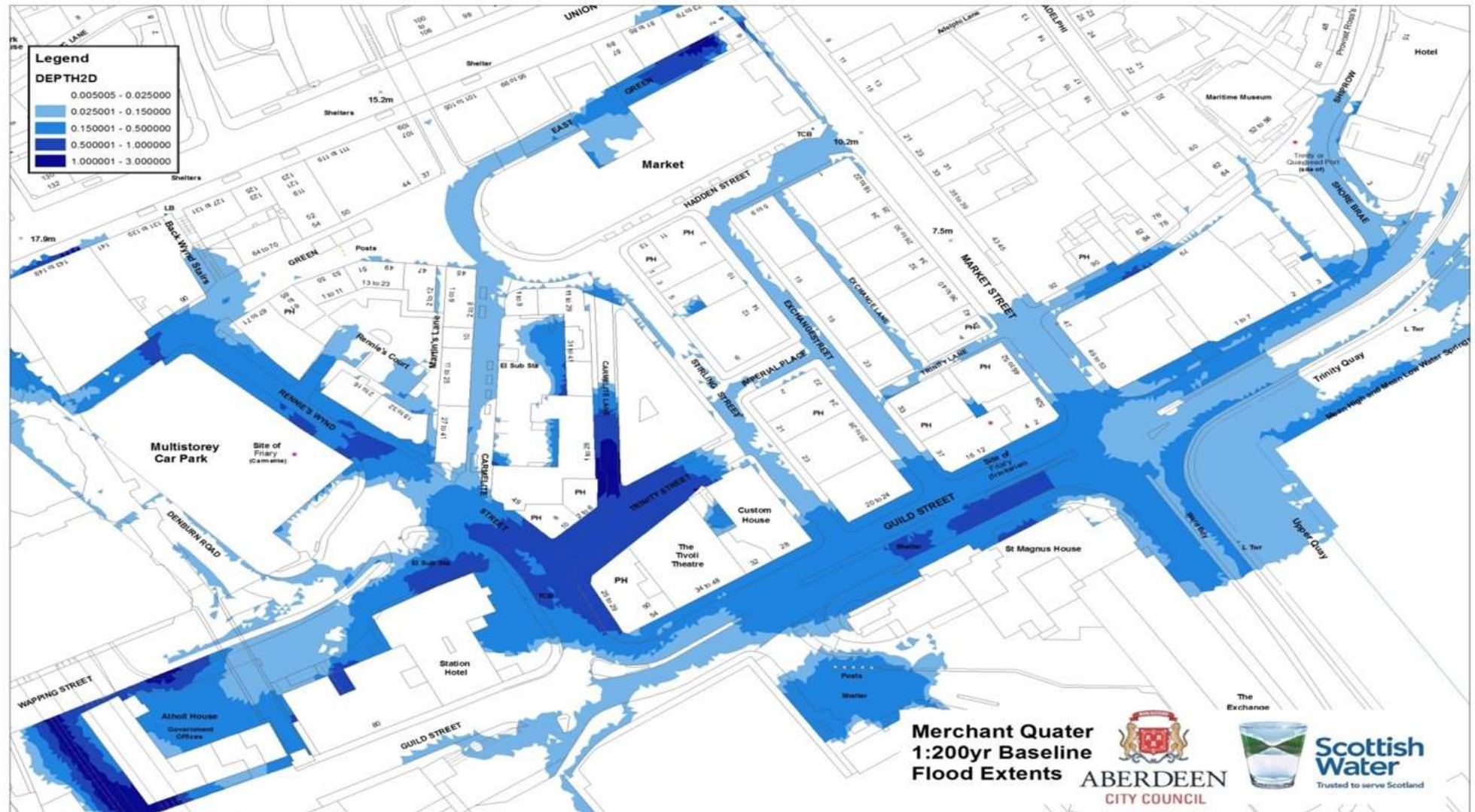


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MQ: Baseline flood risk



MQ: Project Aims

Key Performance Target:
0.5% probability event

Max150mm
water on the
street

Uninterrupted
Business
Use

Safe for
pedestrians

No sewer
flooding in
3.3% event

No water
quality
detriment



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MQ: Joint Project Governance

MQ Board

- Set project aims and outcomes
- Approval technical documents, processes and solutions
- Approved budgets

MQ Working Group

- Compliance with project aim and scope
- Developed Technical Process and Design
- Advice on Project Process



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MQ: Options Appraisal Process

Long
list

- Workshop produced ~50 potential actions
- Above and below ground actions

Short
list

- Refined long list to short list of possible actions
- Actions were grouped into combinations

Viable
option

- 3 proposed options – combination of above/below ground actions
- Modelled to understand reduction in flood risk



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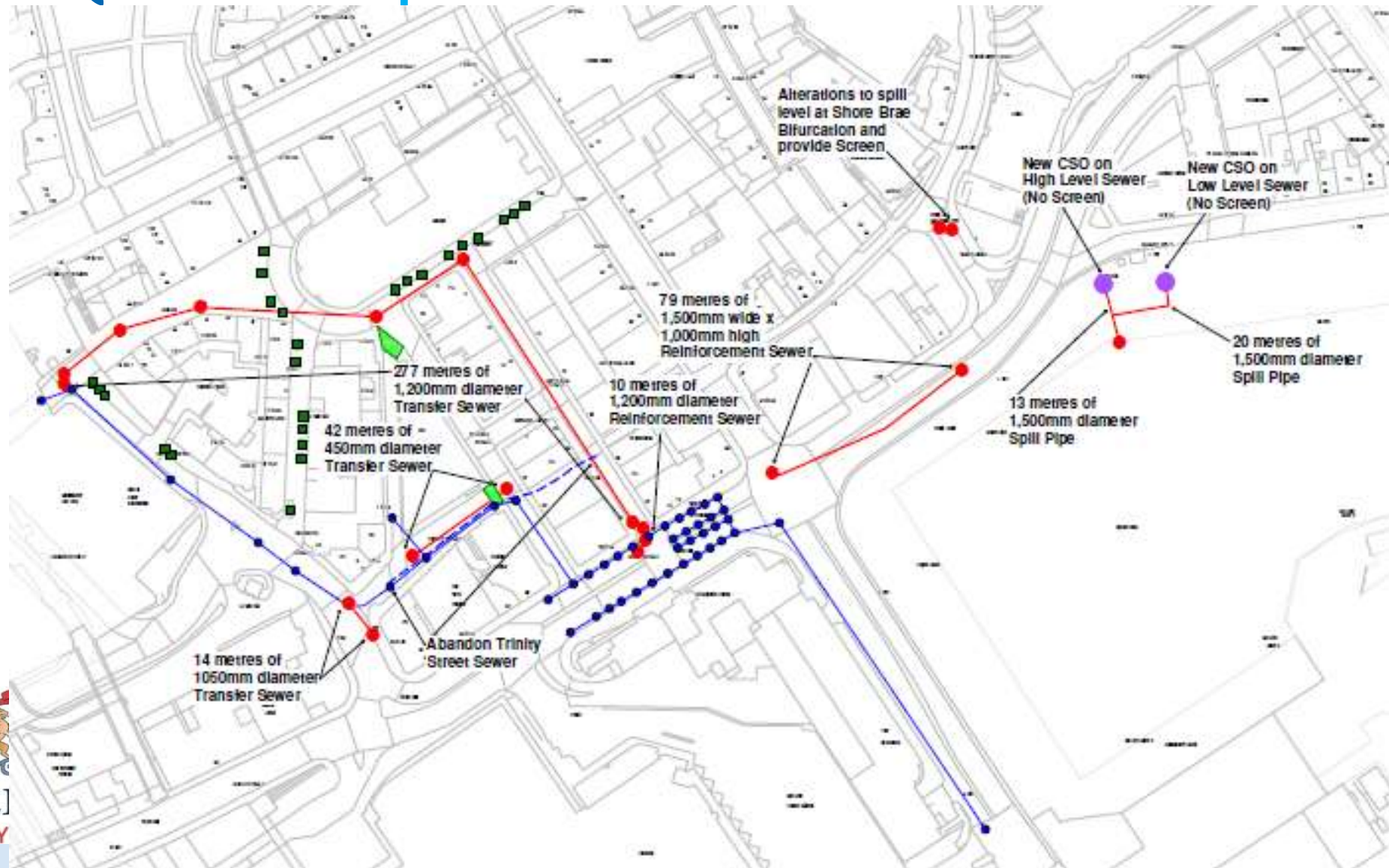
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MQ: Options Appraisal Process

Project Name: Merchant Quarter	Baseline	Jupiter	Oden	Thor
Delivers Required Project Specific Benefits Are assessed (Low 0 - 5 High)				
uninterrupted business use (200yr)	0	2	4	4
able to access properties safely on foot (200yr)	0	2	4	4
no velocities that take people of their feet (200yr) - no greater than moderate hazard in 200yr, no > Low in 30yr	0			
no standing water in roads or footpaths after the event (200yr)	0	3	3	3
no flooding in the train and bus station and uninterrupted access to them (200yr)	0	3	3	3
hydraulic gradient in the drainage systems below ground level (200yr)	0	2	4	4
no flooding from combined sewers in a 1:30 year probability event.	0	1	4	3
not >150mm surface water in 200yr RP (assessed 10 locations)	0	2	3	3
Screen all CSO discharges up to a 1:5 year probability event (incl. climate change)	0	2	5	5
Meet long term water quality targets in the Den Burn	0	0	0	0
Consider the long term habitat improvements to the Den Burn to meet WFD targets				
Achieve Formula A pass forward flow at all CSOs in the Merchant Quarter catchment area to demonstrate compliance with the UWWTD.	0	1	1	4
Cost				
Estimated Capital Cost	£0.00	£4,040,520.00	£5,006,445.00	£5,370,656.00
Estimated cost of traffic disruption during construction	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00	£0.00
Estimated Annual Opex	£0.00	£2,000.00	£2,000.00	£2,000.00
Estimated Whole Life Cost	£0.00	£4,087,320.00	£5,053,245.00	£5,417,456.00
Expected annual flood damage cost	£176,263.00	£176,263.00	£15,761.00	£16,050.00
Expected annual cost of traffic disruption due to flooding	£162,721.00	£162,721.00	£0.00	£0.00
Estimated whole life damage costs	£7,932,225.60	£7,932,225.60	£368,807.40	£375,570.00
Estimated whole life total costs	£7,932,225.60	£12,019,545.60	£5,422,052.40	£5,793,026.00
Benefit Cost Ratio	1.00	0.66	1.46	1.37

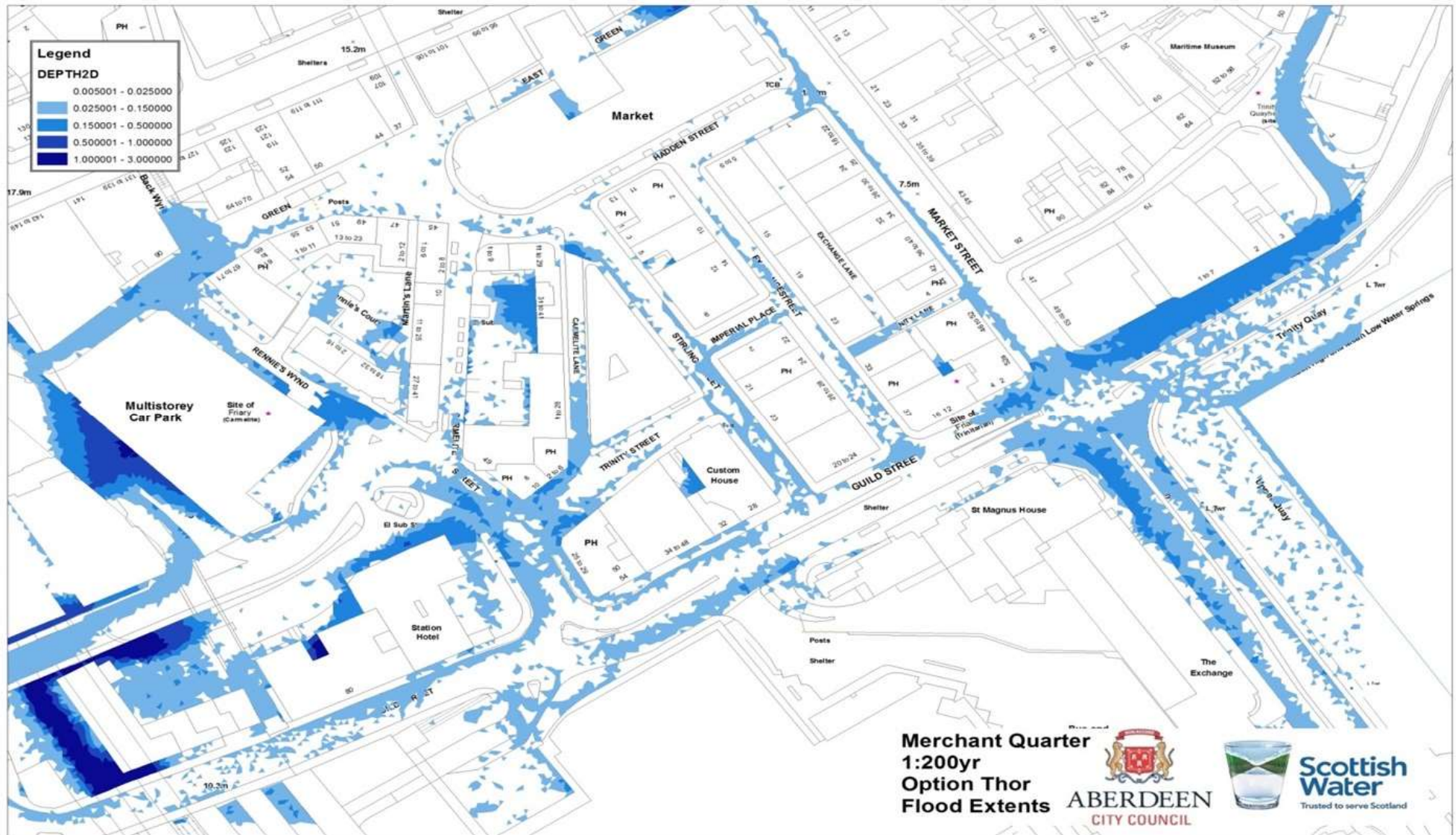
MQ: Preferred Option



MQ: Preferred Option



MQ: Preferred Option residual risk



MQ: Ongoing challenges/next steps

Approvals governance:
ACC & SW

Align funding
opportunities

Early SW
intervention
effect on CBA

Phase/align
delivery

Detailed
design of
option

Ensure
community
engagement



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Key messages

Joint working possible: **agreement of scope** of works

Focus on principles of **reducing the risk of flooding** to the public

Governance approach is **key to building trust** between organisations





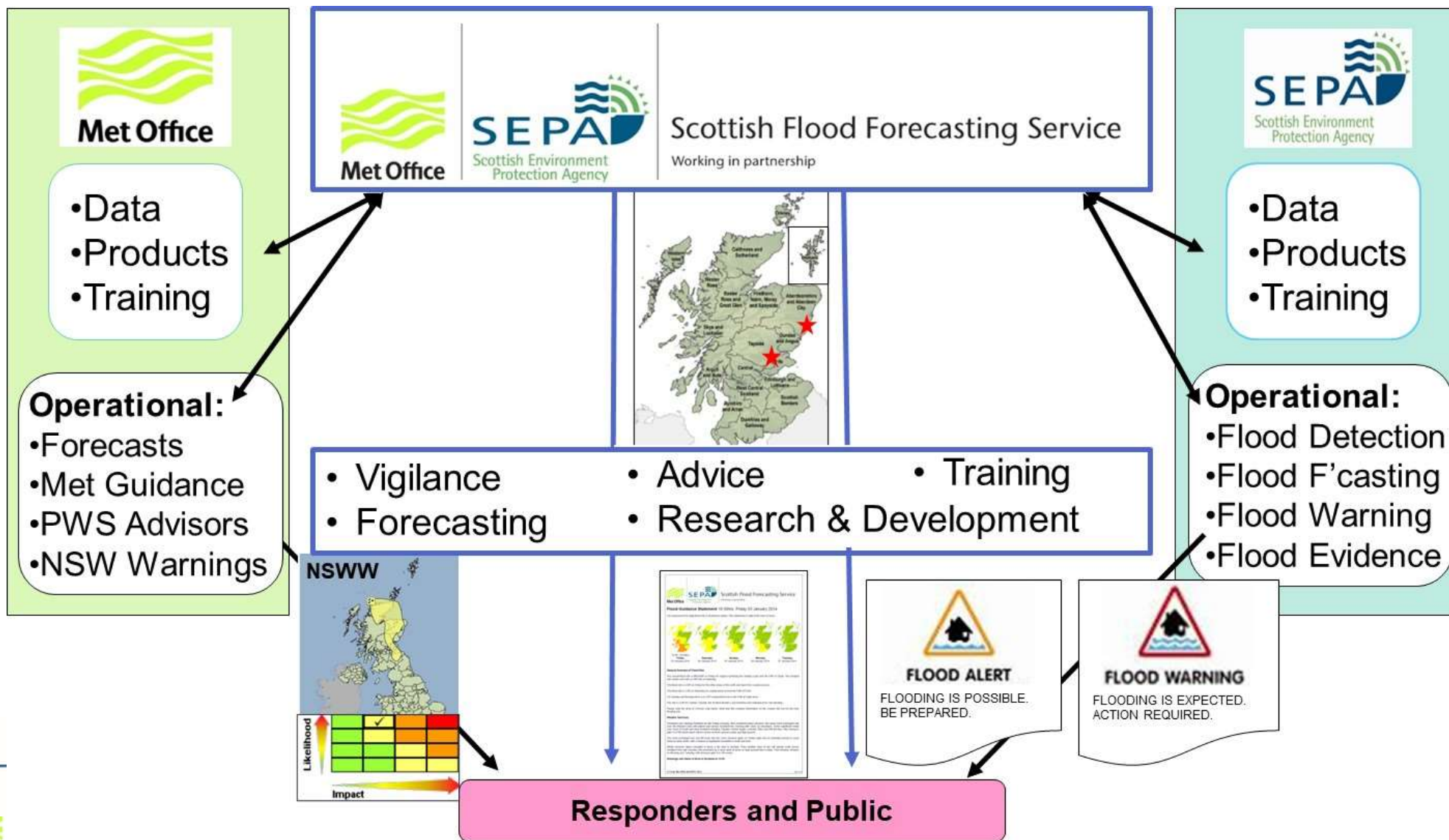
The SFFS Partnership & Surface Water Flood Forecasting In Scotland

Presenters:

Diane McKain, Met Office

Louise Parry, SEPA

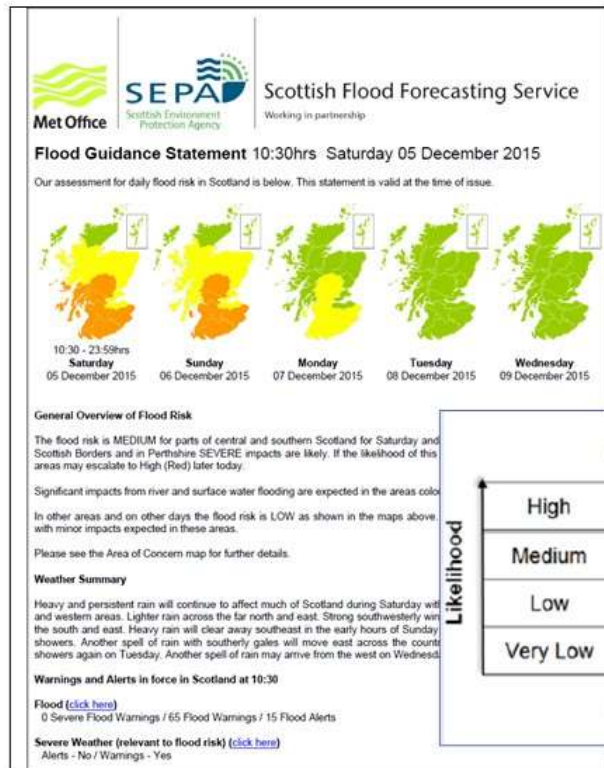
Scotland's Flood Risk Management Conference, 06/02/2018



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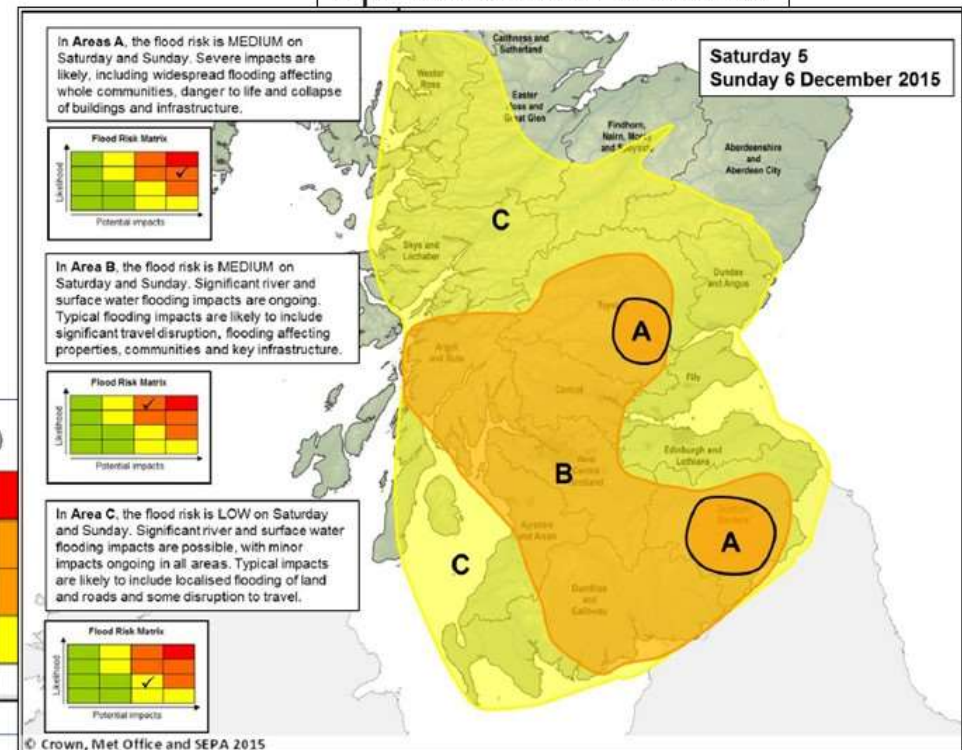
The Flood Guidance Statement (FGS)

Specific Area of Concern

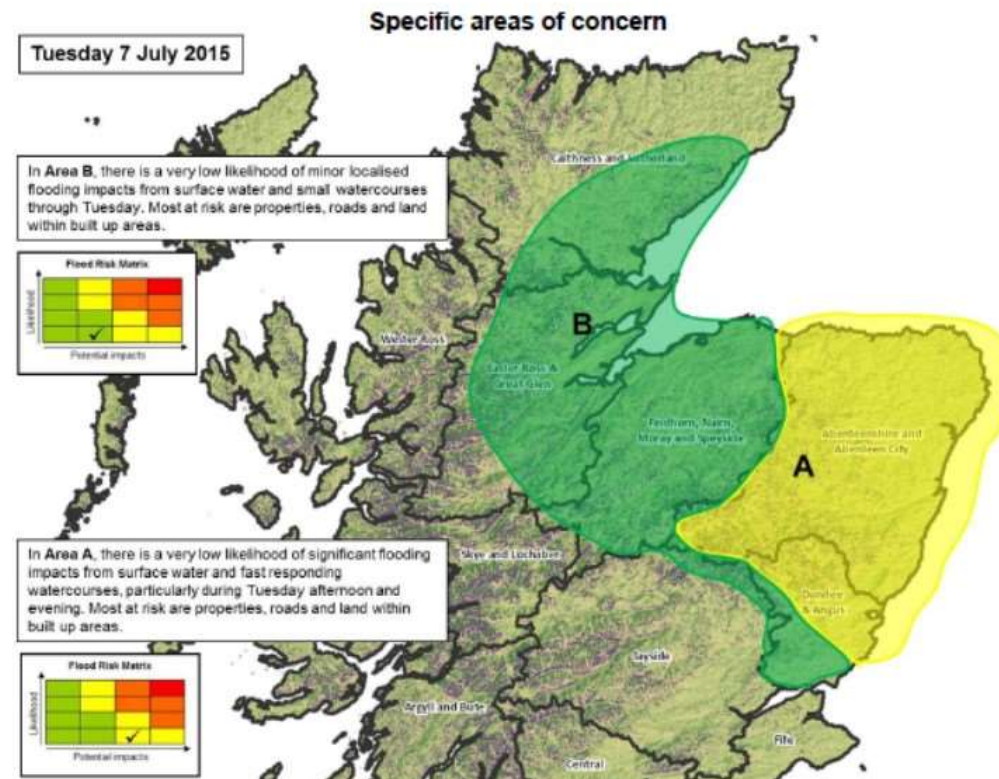


Flood Risk Matrix
(river, tidal/coastal & surface water flooding)

Likelihood	High				
	Medium		✓		
	Low			✓	
	Very Low		✓		
		Minimal	Minor	Significant	
		Potential Impacts			



The Flood Guidance Statement (FGS) Example- Surface Water



Surface Water Flooding (SWF)

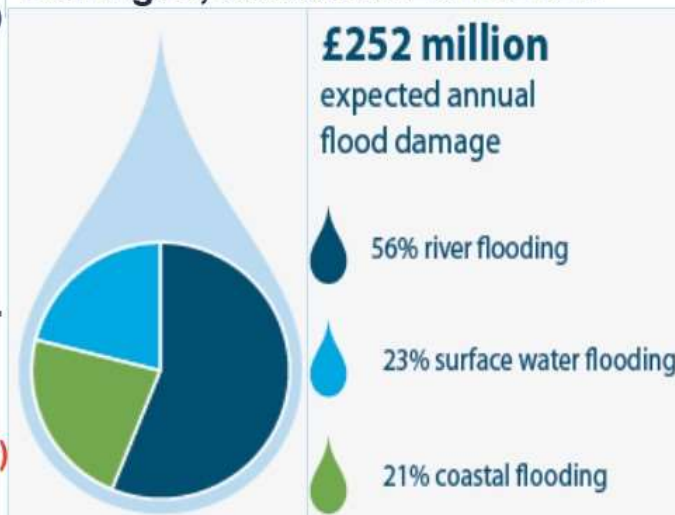
a.k.a. Pluvial Flooding

Definition:
Overland flow or ponding



- Occurs when rainwater does not (cannot) drain away through drainage systems or by soaking into the ground
- Often results from heavy showers and thunderstorms where intense rainfall can overwhelm local drainage: natural and man-made.
- 23% of flood damages estimated to be from SWF in Scotland between 2016-21 (FRM Strategy, 2015)**

Predicted Sources of Flood Risk Damages, Scotland: 2016-2021

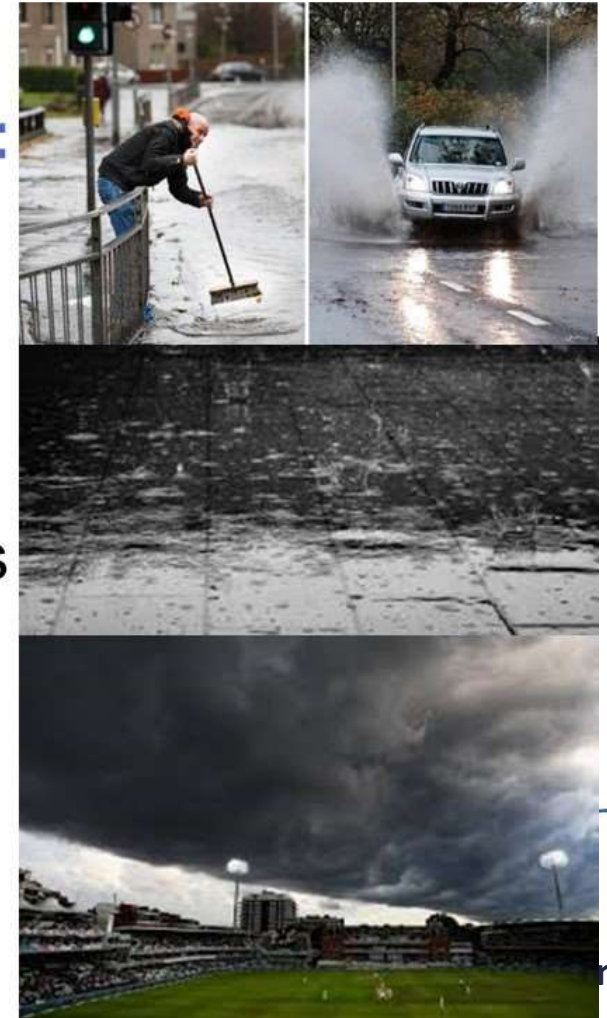


Flood Forecasting and Warning

The Challenges of SWF Forecasting

Difficult to predict or pinpoint, much more so than fluvial or coastal flooding because:

- 💧 Local system conditions affect it
 - 💧 E.g. level of the river/tidal levels reducing sewer outflows, etc
- 💧 Temporal conditions affect it
 - 💧 e.g. autumn fallen leaves and tree debris, antecedent rainfall
- 💧 Typically driven by convective rainfall events
- 💧 Complex modelling requirements to be forecast well in an urban environment



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Operational SWF Forecasting: Present

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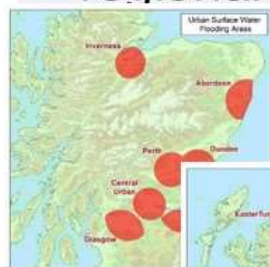
Present

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Where we were...

- Guideline rainfall depth-duration thresholds
- Probabilistic Heavy Rainfall Alert (HRA) tool-regional

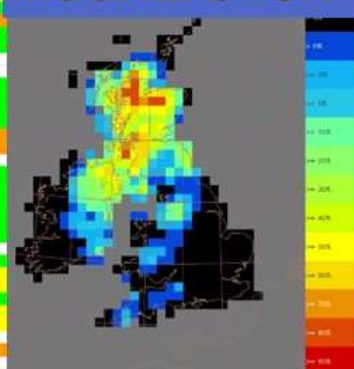


PLUVIAL FORECAST		Probability of Impacts			Overall
		Minor	Significant	Severe	
Urban areas					
Glasgow		VL	VL	VL	
Perry		M	L	L	
Gumdie		L	L	L	
Aberdeen		VL	VL	VL	
Central Urban		M	L	L	
Inverness		VL	VL	VL	
Edinburgh		L	VL	VL	
North East Rural					
Orkney		VL	VL	VL	
	Shen	L	VL	VL	
	nd Speyside	VL	VL	VL	
	deen City	M	L	L	
		H	H	M	
		VL	VL	VL	
		VL	VL	VL	
		VL	VL	VL	
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Where we are...

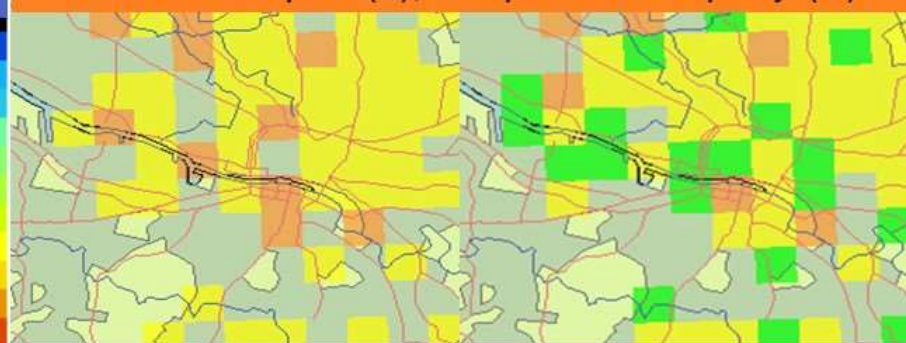
- HRA tool: regional, cities, rapid response catchments
- MOGREPS-UK forecasts
- FEWS Glasgow

**HRA &
MOGREPS- UK**



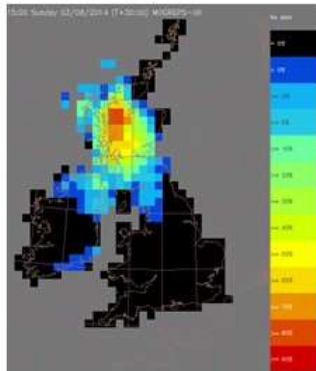
Where we're going...

FEWS Surface Water Example (17/7/15)



Glasgow Pilot, Summer 2014

- Built on early work of the Natural Hazards Partnership SWF Hazard Impact Model (HIM) work

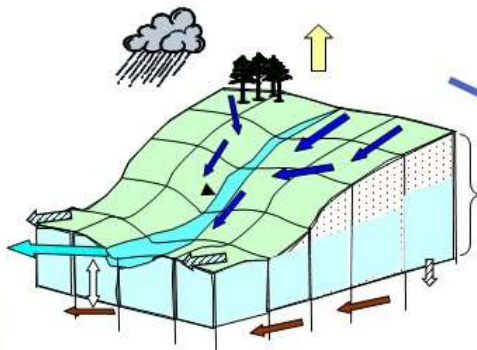


Forecast rainfall
Blended ensemble
and
Nowcast ensemble

Library
SEPA's regional
pluvial flood maps
and impact
assessments

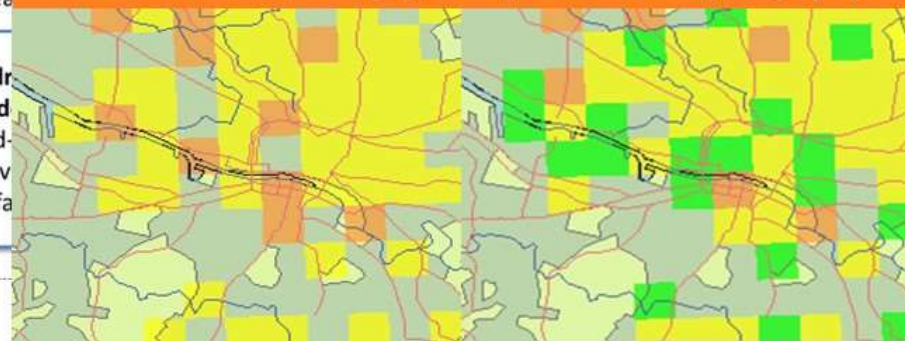
Flood Risk
Assess overall flood risk

	High			
Likelihood	Medium	✓		
	Low			
	Very Low			
	Minimal	Minor	Significant	Severe
	Potential Impacts			



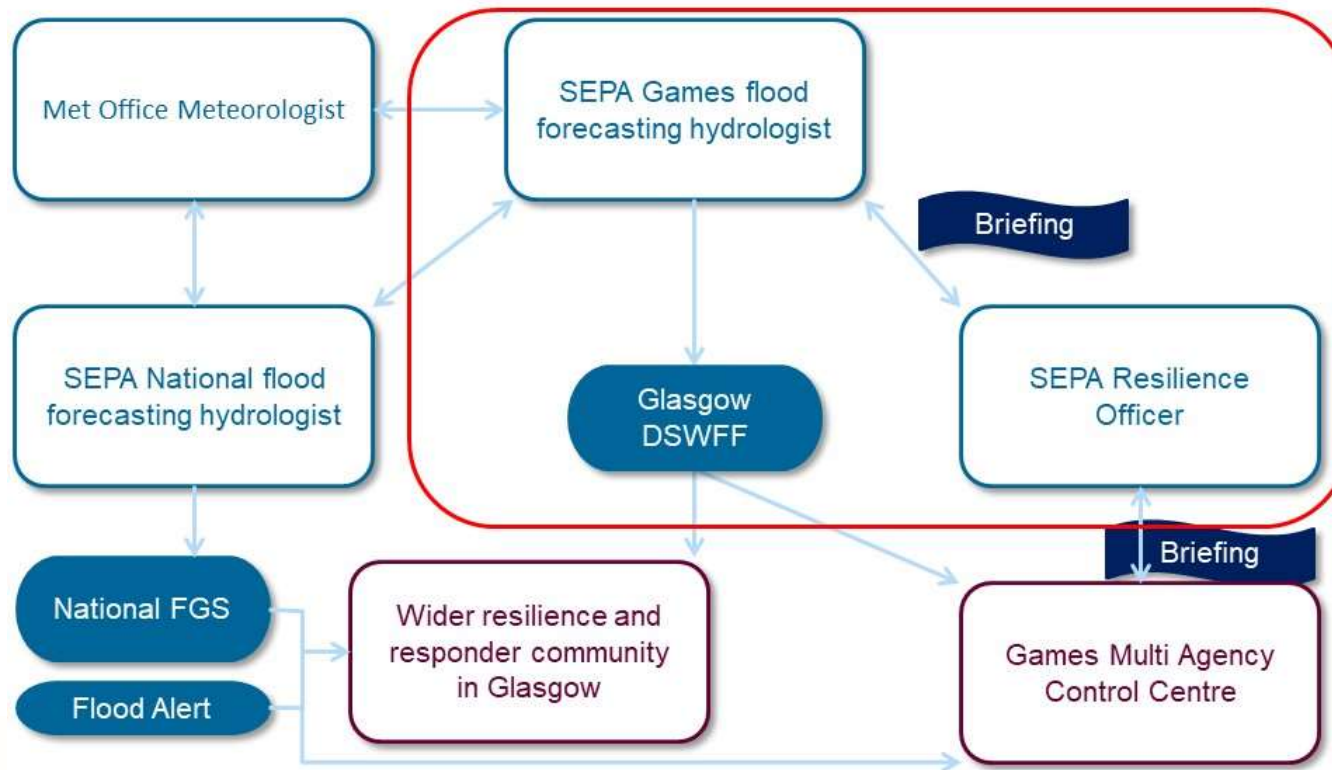
FEWS Surface Water Example (17/7/15)
risk to Transport (L); People and Property (R)

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Probability
How many
members exceed
the thresholds?

SFFS: Glasgow Games Operations



Met Office **SEPA** **Scottish Flood Forecasting Service**
Working in partnership

Glasgow Surface Water Flood Forecast
Issued at 17:00hrs Sunday 03 August 2014

Our assessment of surface water flood risk in Central Glasgow for the next 24 hours is below. This statement is valid at the time of issue.

Headline surface water flood risk
The overall surface water flood risk for Glasgow for Sunday evening is LOW. The flood risk on Monday is VERY LOW.

Flood Risk Matrix (surface water flooding)				Overall Flood Risk	
Likelihood	Potential impacts				Overall Flood Risk
	Minor	Minor	Significant	Severe	
High	Yellow	Orange	Red	Red	HIGH
Medium	Green	Yellow	Orange	Red	MEDIUM
Low	Green	Green	Yellow	Orange	LOW
Very Low	Green	Green	Green	Yellow	VERY LOW

Minor disruption is possible including flooding and disruption to infrastructure and transport links. The risk is highest in the north and centre of Glasgow.

Weather Situation
Further rain this afternoon, evening and overnight, occasionally heavy but becoming patchier and unlikely to be as heavy as this afternoon. Rain gradually clearing north during Monday morning.

General overview of surface water flood risk in Glasgow
The surface water flood risk for Glasgow for Sunday evening is LOW and on Monday is VERY LOW. Following heavy rain witnessed on Sunday afternoon and further lighter rain forecast throughout the evening, there is an increase in the flood risk to the north and centre of Glasgow, primarily to main transport routes in these areas. Typical impacts will include standing water and spray on the road network. Transport links to and from event venues, especially the city centre, may be impacted. Rail links and infrastructure may also be at risk. Residual impacts may continue into Monday however these are expected to be very isolated and minor, if at all.

Potential flooding impacts may include:
Transport
• City centre roads
• M8 J14-18

Surface water flood risk heightened from: 15:00hrs 3rd August 2014
Expected time of highest risk: 17:00hrs 3rd August 2014
Expected end of heightened risk: 18:00hrs 3rd August 2014

General overview of other sources of flood risk in West Central Scotland (See the Scottish Flood Forecasting Service Flood Guidance Statement issued daily at 10:30hrs for details)
River Flood Risk: Very Low
Coastal Flood Risk: Very Low

No further Glasgow Surface Water Flood Forecast daily assessments are scheduled, unless the situation changes significantly.

Flood Forecasting and Warning

Feedback from Glasgow Pilot

- 💧 Review of runoff thresholds required and of the impacts library, including inclusion of additional receptor information
- 💧 Extension of forecasting period
- 💧 Improvement in graphics to improve interpretation and aid identification of inter-forecast variation
- 💧 The level of resource and level of service expected needs to be balanced in a wider roll-out in alignment with the risk

Forecasting SWF: Future

2011

2015/16

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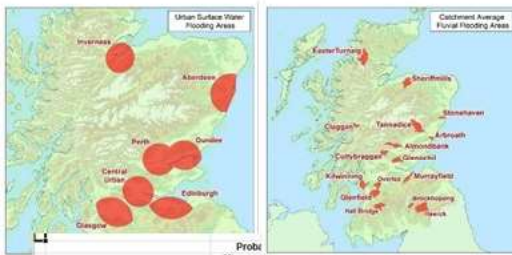
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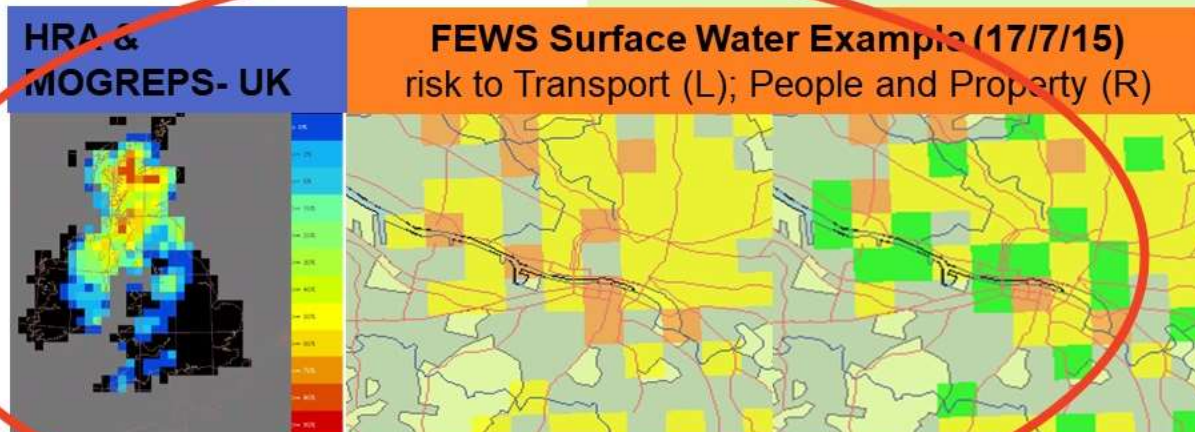
Where we're going?...

a robust, verified and risk appropriate service

meet end-user needs within resource and science capability.



PLUVIAL FORECAST	Probable	Minor	significant	severe	Overall risk
Urban areas					
Glasgow	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Perth	M	L	L	L	M
Dundee	L	L	VL	VL	L
Aberdeen	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Central Urban	M	L	L	L	M
Inverness	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Edinburgh	L	VL	VL	VL	VL
North East Rural					
Orkney	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
East Ross and Great Glen	L	VL	VL	VL	VL
Findhorn, Nairn, Moray and Speyside	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Aberdeenshire and Aberdeen City	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Central	M	L	L	L	M
Tayside	H	H	H	M	M
North West					
West Ross	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Argyll and Bute	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Caithness and Sutherland	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Shetland	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Western Isles	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Glen and Lochaber	L	VL	VL	VL	VL
Eastern & Central Belt					
Ayrshire and Arran	VL	VL	VL	VL	VL
Fife	M	L	L	VL	M
West Central Scotland	L	L	VL	VL	L
Scottish Borders	L	VL	VL	VL	L
Edinburgh and Lothians	L	L	VL	VL	L
Dundee and Angus	L	L	VL	VL	L
South West					
Dumfries and Galloway	M	L	L	L	M



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To Develop the SWF Forecasting Service We need

1. A better idea of the end-user **service level requirements**
2. Better understanding of the **computational, time and monetary costs** of the service at a national level
3. To enable **better observations and modelling** of rainfall and of surface water impacts
4. To **improve communication** of risk to the end-user, including the public.
5. Better **information on the causes and impacts** of SWF

1: Service Level Requirements & 2: National Scale Developments

- 💧 NFRA update (2018) and Surface Water Hazard Map Updates
- 💧 HRA Tool Development
 - 💧 Review of thresholds
- 💧 Stakeholder Workshops
 - 💧 Discussion of options, e.g. focus on cities, transport network etc
 - 💧 Requirements of the service for this hazard

2: National SWF HIM Pilot- England & Wales

- Similar approach to Glasgow Pilot, but with developments
- Major changes to how the impacts are evaluated and how results are displayed

FLOODFORECASTINGCENTRE

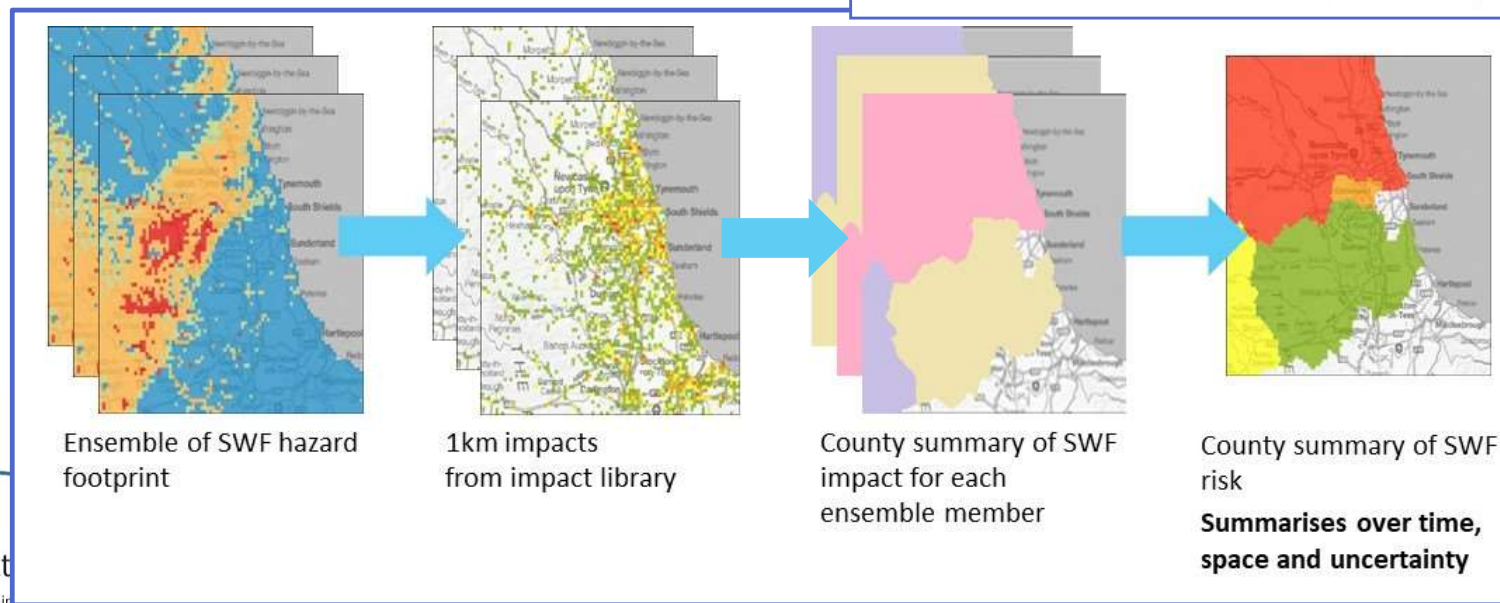
a working partnership between



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3: Improvements to Rainfall Observations & Modelling

15 OPERATIONAL RADARS



...provide coverage over more than 99% of the UK and detect precipitation in real time.

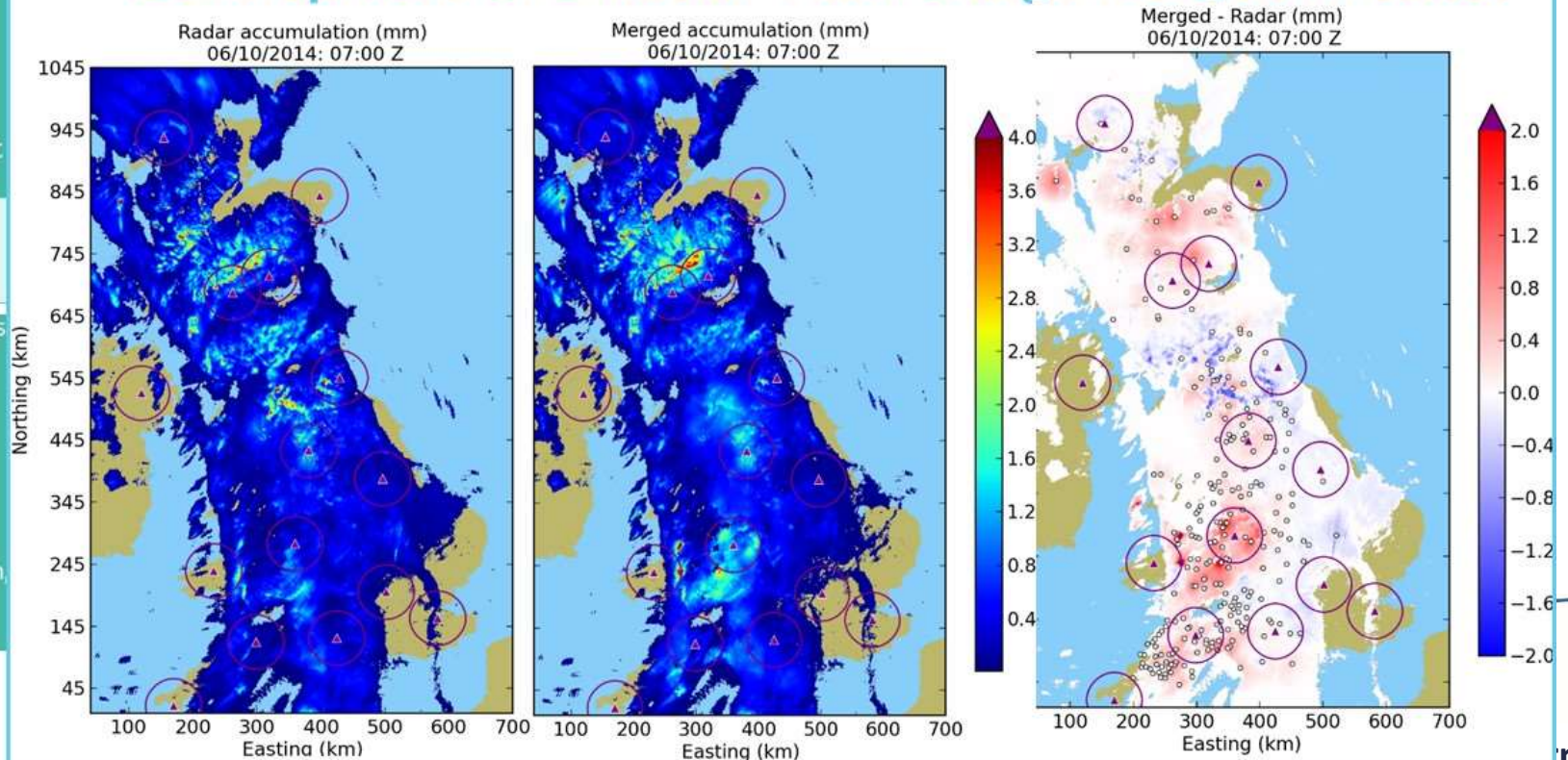
Radar Developments

Our new dual-polarisation radars



...can discriminate between rain, snow and hail and provide improved rainfall estimates.

Development of a Radar- Rain Gauge Merged Product



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4: Effective Communication

- 💧 Crew Project: ***Effectiveness of Scotland's public flood warning service.*** Community Flood Alerting Session, 3pm.
 - 💧 review of messaging for public
 - 💧 feeds into the developments of a future public facing FGS (FW Framework, 2016-2021)
 - 💧 **Results:** Local/specific information required
 - 💧 **Results:** Clear messaging required
- 💧 NSWWS Changes
- 💧 Management of public expectations required.

4: Effective Communication

Next Generation NSWWS – March 2018

What to expect:

- ‘Headline’ (140 characters)
- ‘What to expect’
- ‘Further details’
- Focussed local display
- ‘Thunderstorms’ and ‘Lightning’ - new warning elements
- 7 day warning capability

4: Effective Communication

Map scaled to warning area

Next Gen NSWWS – PDF test

Further details

Headline

What to expect

Met Office National Severe Weather Warning Service

Yellow warning
Rain

Between **12:00 Wed 8 Nov 2017** and **23:00 Wed 8 Nov 2017**

Rain, heavy at times, will spread across Scotland later on Wednesday.

What to expect

- There is a small chance that homes and businesses could be flooded, causing damage to some buildings
- There is a small chance of fast flowing or deep floodwater causing danger to life
- There is a small chance that some communities become cut off by flooded roads
- There is a slight chance of power cuts and loss of other services to some homes and businesses

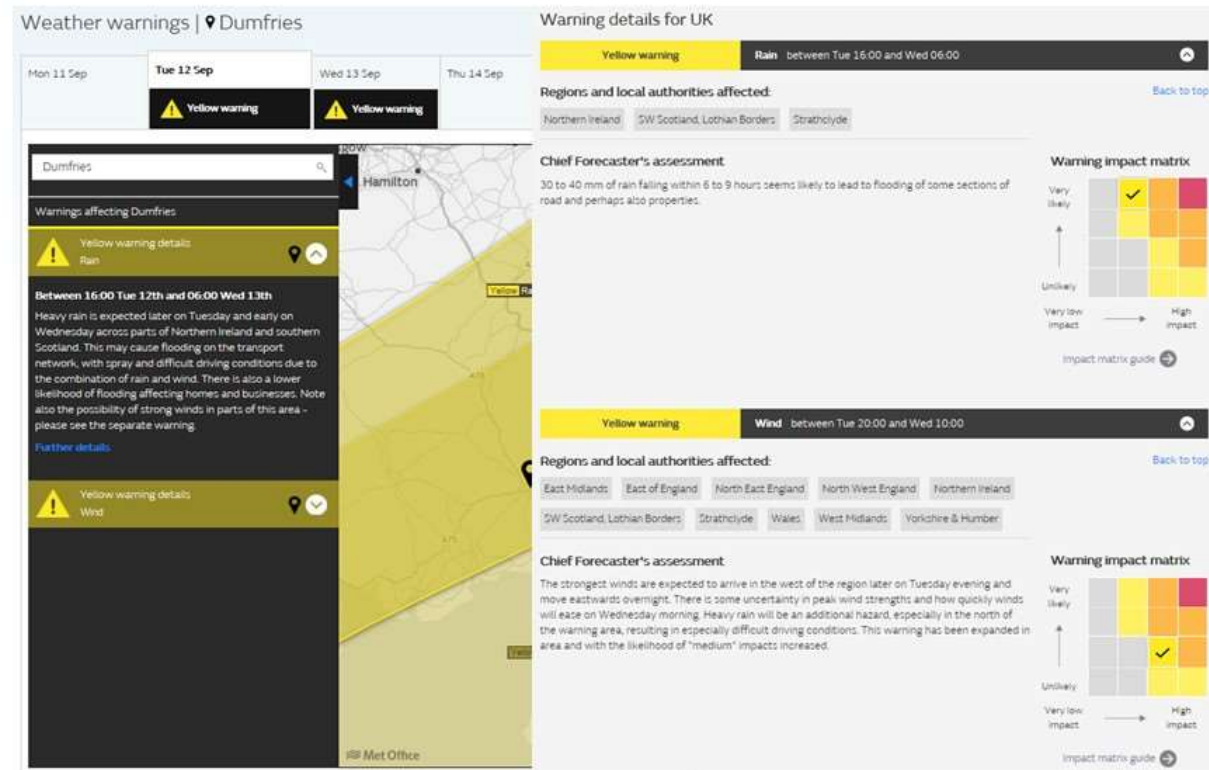
Further details

B1. A band of rain, sometimes heavy will move across Scotland this afternoon and evening. 20-25mm of rain may fall in some spots in less than 6 hours, with the chance of some spots seeing 30-35mm in less than 6 hours. There is some slight uncertainty on the start time of the rain, but it is expected to reach Dumfries and Galloway by midday and then move over the rest of Scotland through the afternoon and overnight.

Issued at 14:49 Mon 6 Nov, 2017
For enquiries regarding this warning please contact the Met Office Weather Desk
Phone: 0370 900 0100 E-mail: enquiries@metoffice.gov.uk
Visit: www.metoffice.gov.uk/premium/hazardmanager

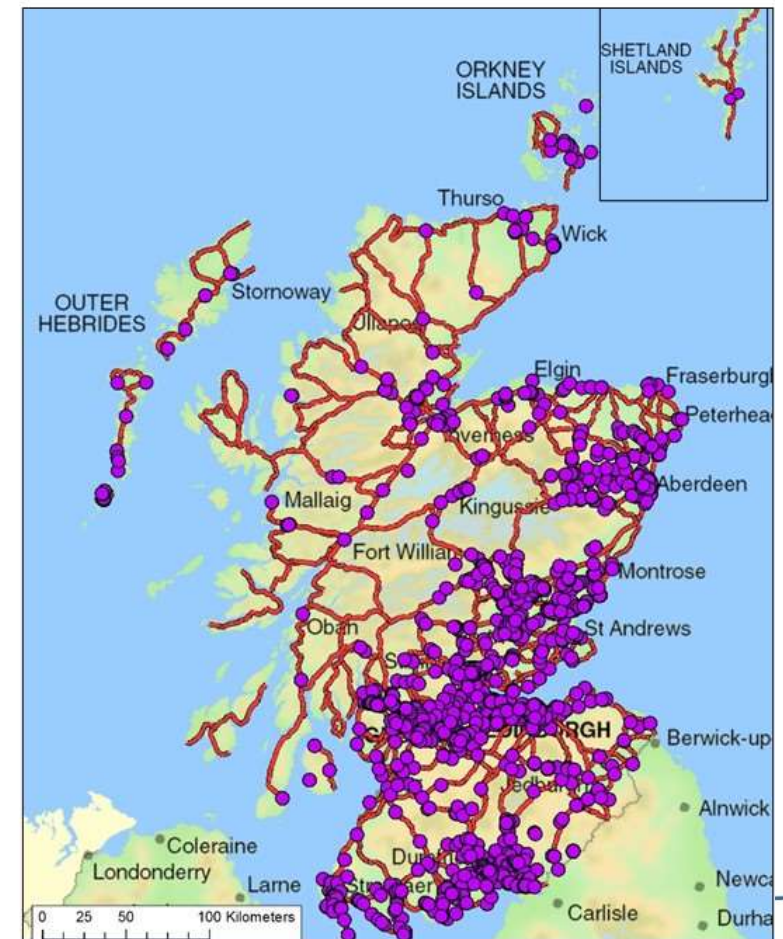
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Local Display



5: Surface Water Flooding Causes & Impacts

- 💧 Observed Flood Event Database (OFED)
- 💧 Report- A- Flood
- 💧 Surface Water Hazard Map Development
- 💧 *What is important to you? What are we forecasting for?*



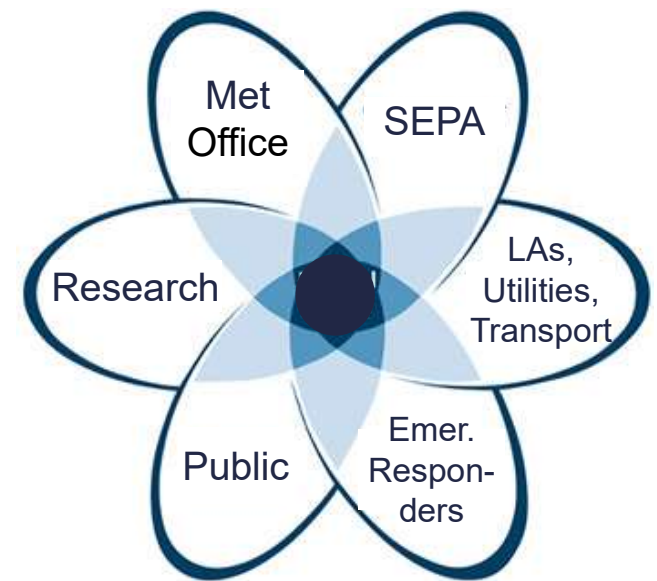
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Key Messages

- 💧 **The success of a SWF forecasting service depends heavily on the engagement of the appropriate stakeholders and end-users**
- 💧 It has to meet the needs of end-users within resource and science capability.
- 💧 The science is evolving; we need to future proof the service.
- 💧 Manage expectations through effective communications
- 💧 the sustained investment required to support a robust, verified and risk appropriate operational system should not be underestimated.

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