

# MULTI-SYNC

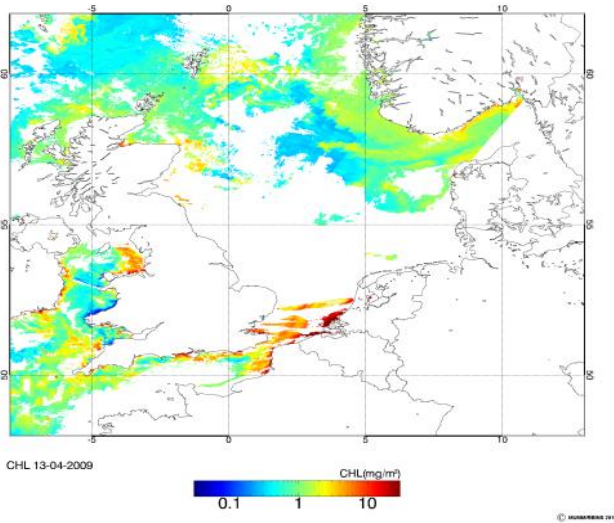
**Multi-scale synergy products for advanced coastal water quality monitoring**



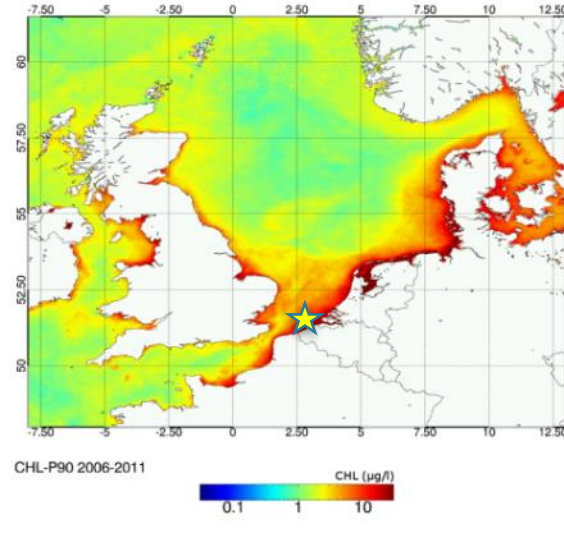
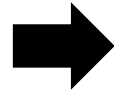
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# From ocean color to water quality assessment

## Monitoring of Eutrophication



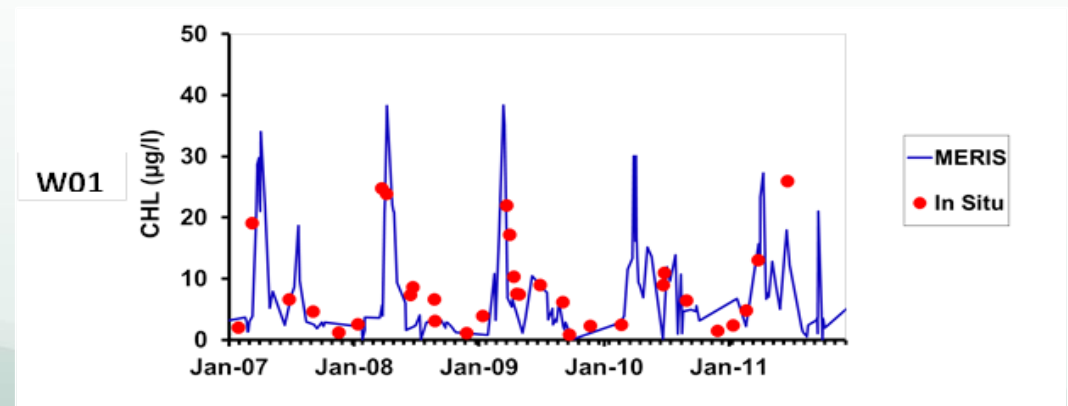
Daily snapshot of CHL  
(MERIS MEGS 7.5)



Multi-temporal  
composit of CHL  
product covering the  
whole North Sea



CHL

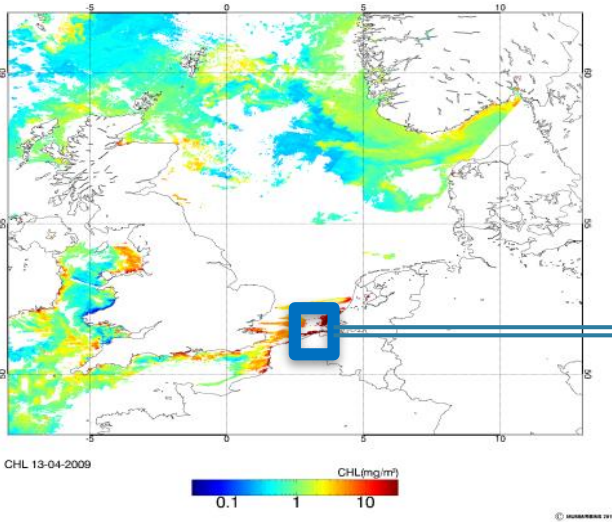


CHL time series for the Belgian W01 station used to assess  
phytoplankton dynamics

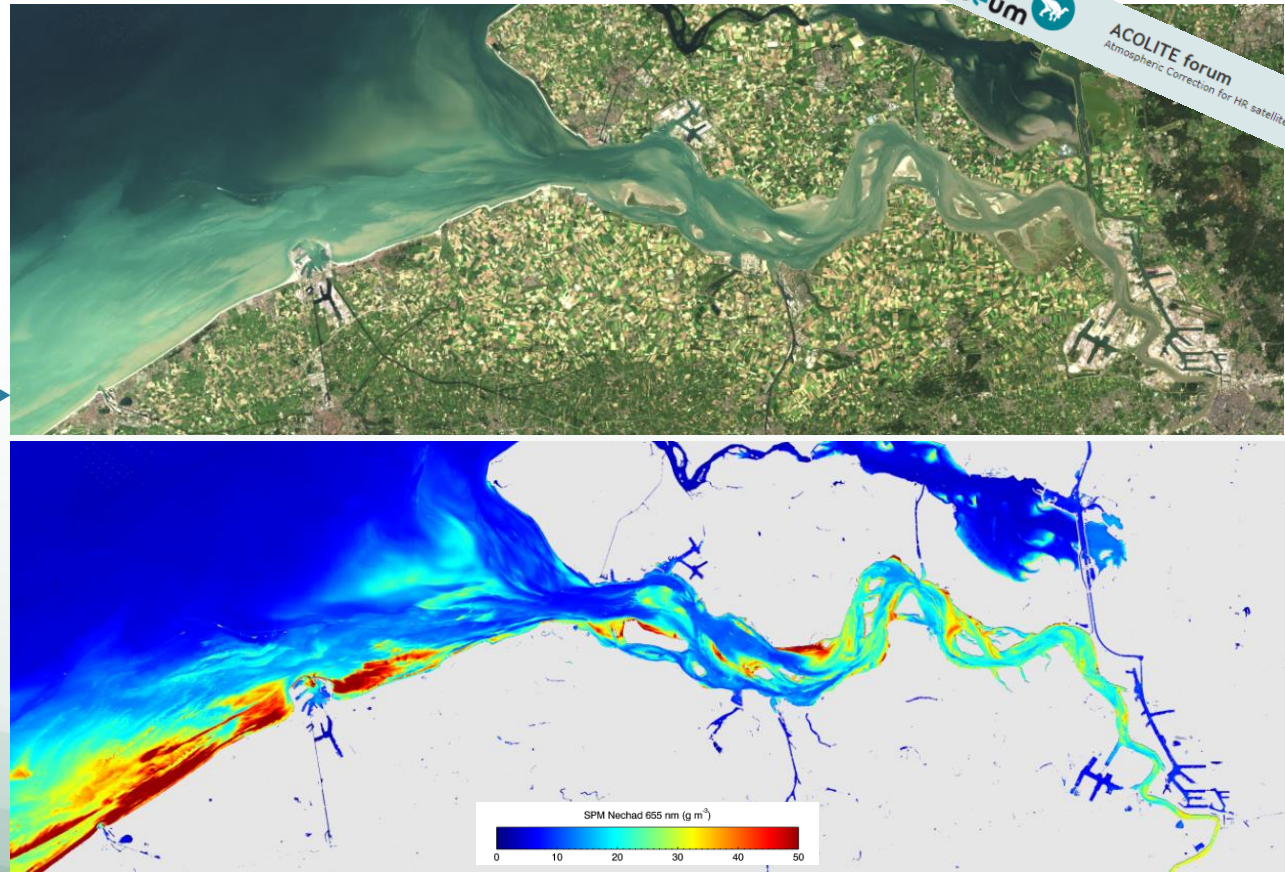
# Traditional and new 'OC' sensors

S3plus: MERIS, MODIS, VIIRS, Sentinel-3

S2Plus: Landsat-8, Sentinel-2, Proba-V, Pleiades



**CHL product**  
(1km resolution / daily)

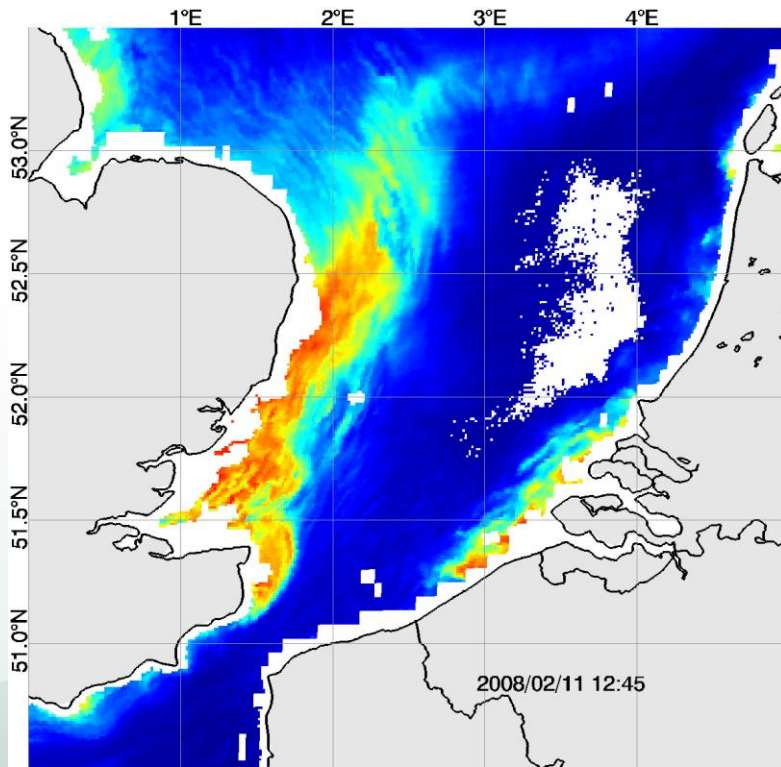


**S2 RGB and SPM product**  
(10m resolution / 5-10)

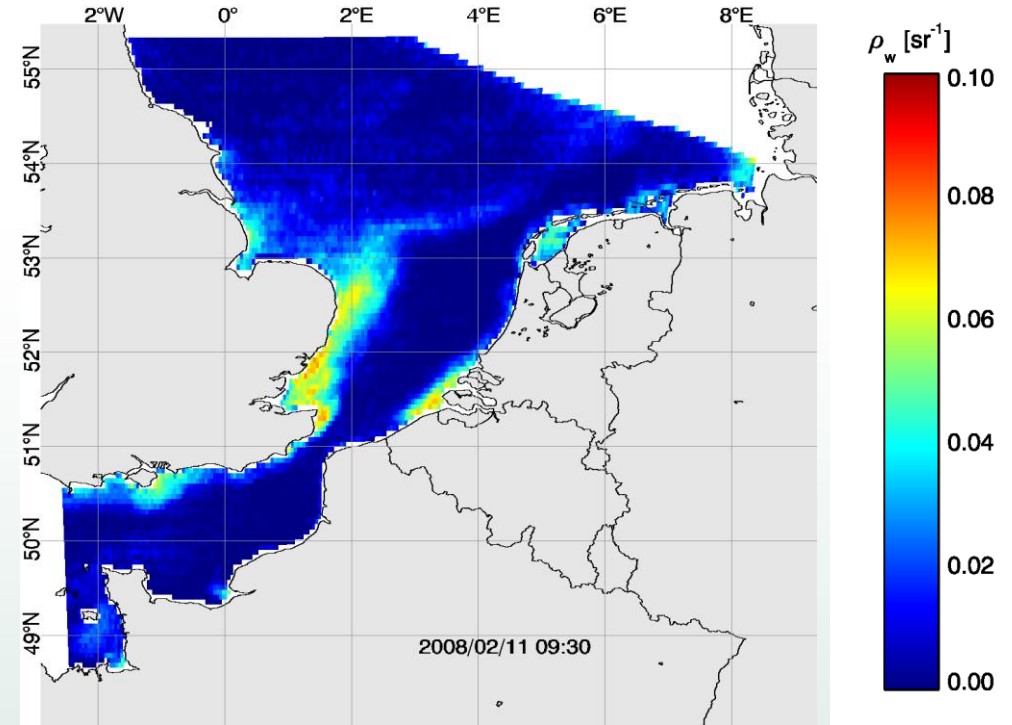
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GEO: SEVIRI



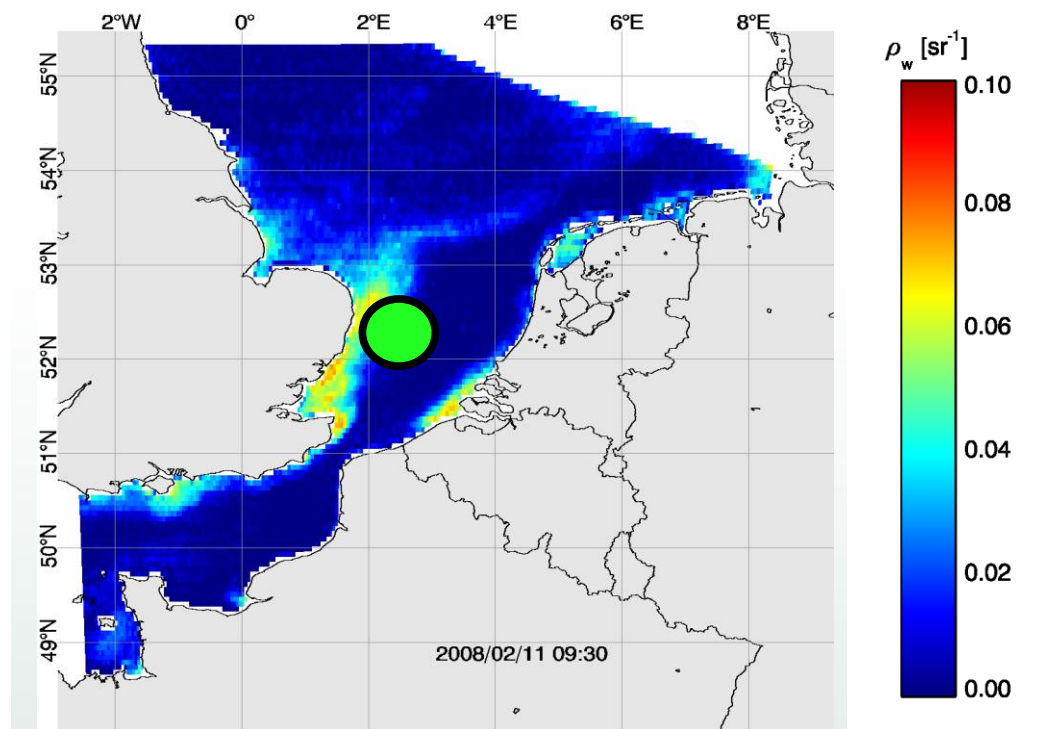
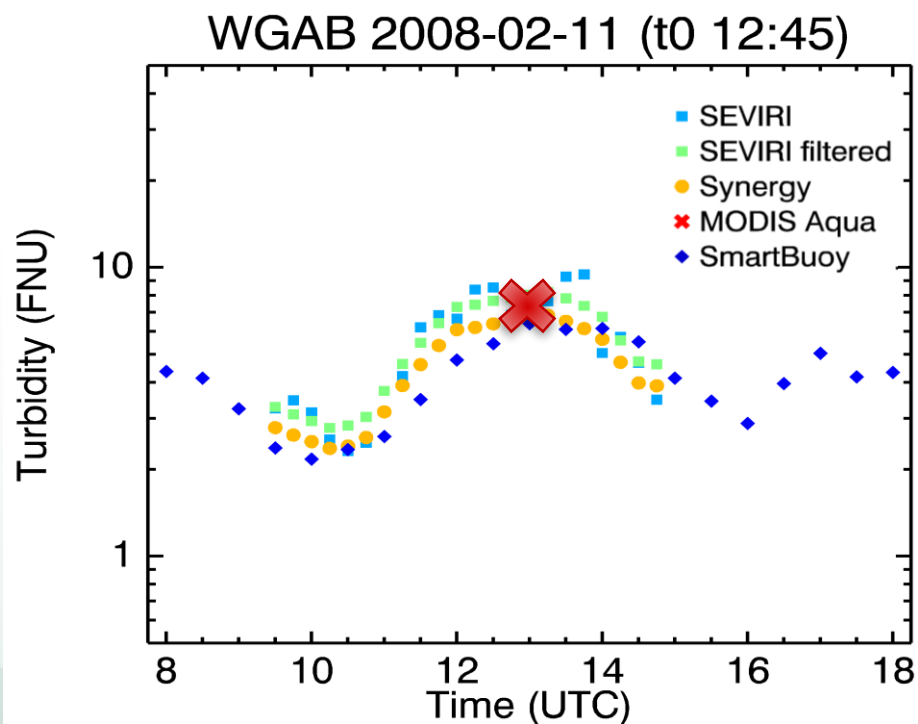
**MODIS  $\rho_w$  0.6 $\mu$ m  
product (1km resolution daily)**



**SEVIRI  $\rho_w$  0.6 $\mu$ m  
product (3x6km resolution 15min)**

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GEO: SEVIRI

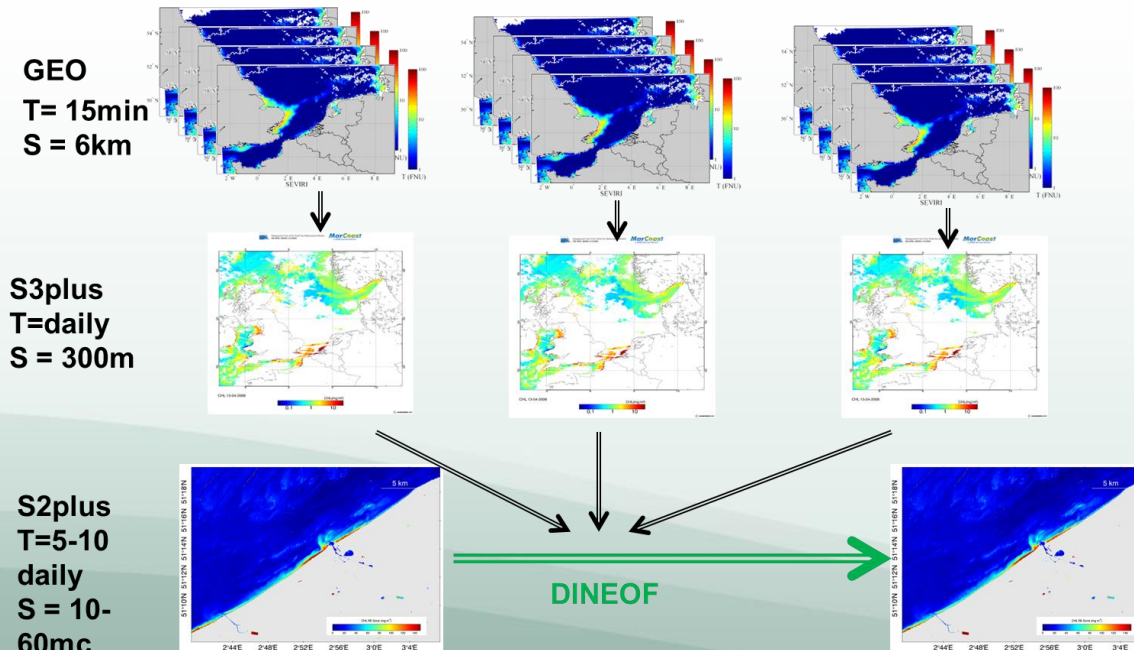


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product (3x6km resolution 15min)**

# MULTI-SYNC: general objective

To develop **advanced ocean colour products** (i.e. Rrs, TSM, Turb, Chl) through the **synergetic use of multi-scale EO data** and an **adapted DINEOF (*Data Interpolating Empirical Orthogonal Functions*)** approach taking advantage of:

- Spectral characteristics of S3plus sensors
- Spatial resolution of S2plus sensors
- Temporal resolution of GEO sensors

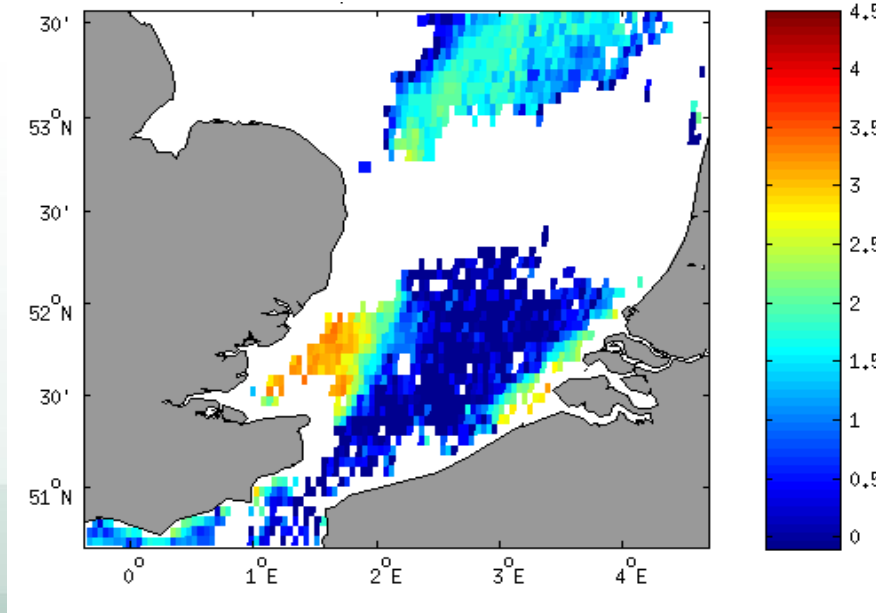


# DINEOF

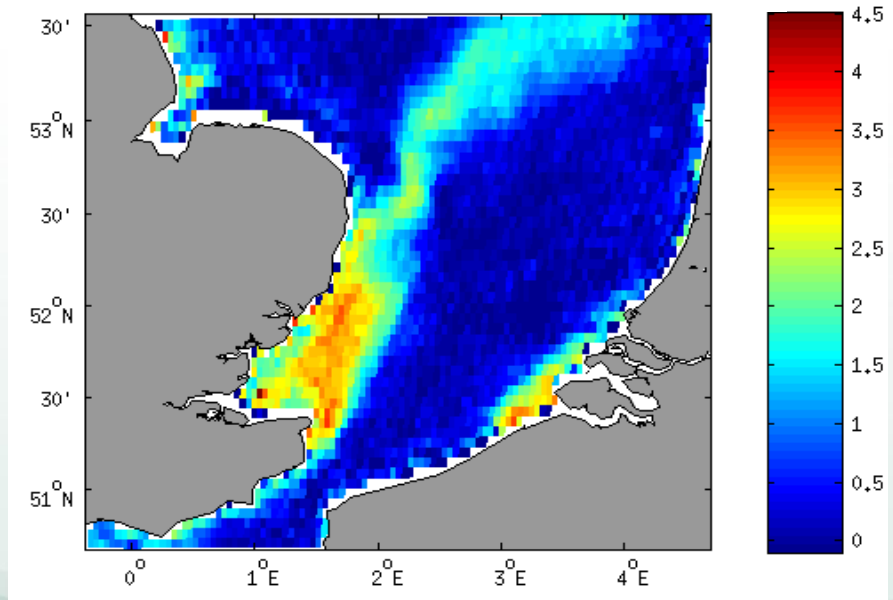
## Data Interpolating Empirical Orthogonal Functions

- Technique to **fill in missing data** in geophysical data sets, based on an EOF decomposition
- Spatio-temporal coherence exploited to calculate missing values
- Developed for S3+ and GEO data

SEVIRI SPM (1/9/2008)



DINEOF filled SPM



# DINEOF

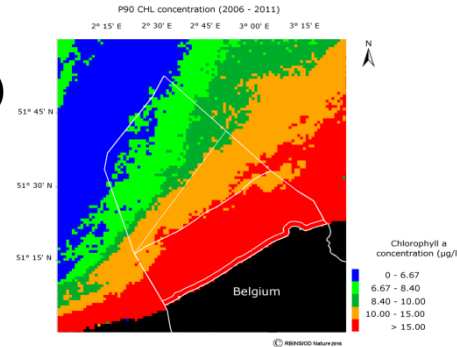
## Data Interpolating Empirical Orthogonal Functions

- Adaptation of DINEOF needed for high spatial resolution S2+ satellite data
- How to exploit the synergy between the S3plus, S2plus and GEO datasets
- Apply to three case studies

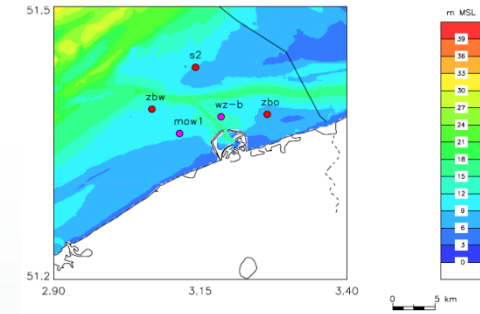




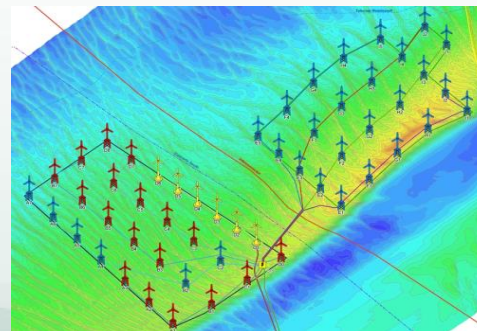
## 1. Eutrophication assessment for European Directives (MSFD / WFD)



## 2. Sediment transport monitoring near the harbour of Zeebrugge to support dredging operations



## 3. Water quality monitoring in the Belgian offshore wind farms to support aquaculture



# Thank you for your attention



Pléiades, 0.5-2M resolution