



# SCIENCE AND EDUCATION **FOR** **SUSTAINABLE** **LIFE**





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SVEA



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# Swedish Government mission:

- Joint project between authorities
- Concept study – August 2014
- Management study – February 2015
- Responsible for future management the Swedish maritime administration
- Decision by Swedish Government – April 2015, SLU owner and responsible for the procurement and project



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# Specification of requirement



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- SLU-fish surveys, bottom and pelagic trawling, hydroacoustics, oceanography
- Low noise ICES crr 209
- SMHI-oceanography, advanced laboratories
- All year round in Skagerrak, Kattegat and the Baltic (North Sea, Norwegian Sea)
- Flexibility for research projects, aft deck, cranes winches and container labs etc.





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# Procurement:

- Procurement design (restricted procedure, qualification)  
– contract December 2015 - Skipsteknisk AS
- Technical specification and design –September 2016
- Procurement vessel (restricted procedure, qualification)  
– contract Armon shipyard, Vigo in Spain January 2017

Concept 2014





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# Time schedule:

- Delivery planned to May 2019
- Test period May – September 2019
- The vessel in full operation oktober 2019
- 1 year guarantee, May 2019 – May 2020.



# Examples of tomorrow's benefits from SVEA

- Use of a multitude of measuring instruments producing huge amounts of data, for example ROTV, meteorological monitors, ferryboxes and so on
- Continuous video monitoring of the seabed
- High resolution profiling of oxygen, physical parameters and climate indicators
- Continuous surface measurements with ferryboxes modelling acidification
- High resolution monitoring of phytoplankton
- Capacity for using autonomous platforms like gliders, buoys, sub-surface rigs
- Monitoring current directions and current speed with ADCP

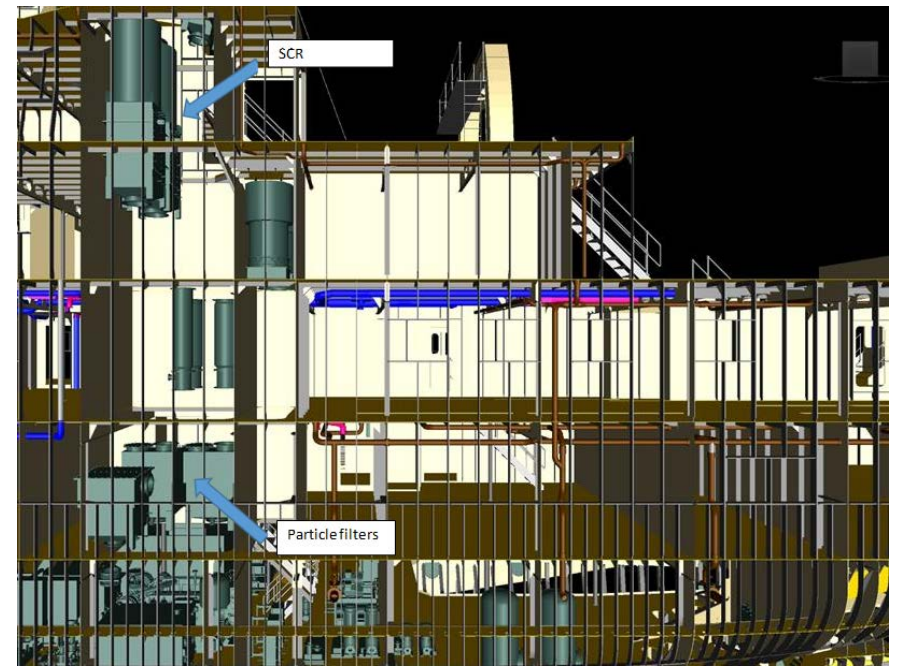
# Also:

- Plenty of space for researchers on board
- Preparations for monitoring of climate, air, meteorology and so on
- Sea Truthing for evaluation of satellite data
- Acoustic oceanography



# Built and run with the aim of a low environmental foot print

- The vessel will run on Hydrogenated vegetable oils (HVO) based on surplus materials from the paper industry
- SCR for cleaning exhaust gas from engines
- Latest technology in reduction of emissions including particle filters in serie with SCR exhaust cleanings system (DEC Marine)
- Connection to shore based heating and electrical power at port
- Silicon based anti fouling of hull and seawater cooling systems
- Onboard sewage treatment plant (Marinefloc)



**MARINFLOC**   
a clean sea

Length O.A. 69.5 m

Beam 15.8 m

Accommodation 28 single cabins

Crew 9-15

Scientists >13

Class: DNV 1A1, EO, ICE-1B,

Dynpos-auts, SPS, TMON, BWM-T,

Comf-C(2)V(2), CLEAN, NAUT-AW

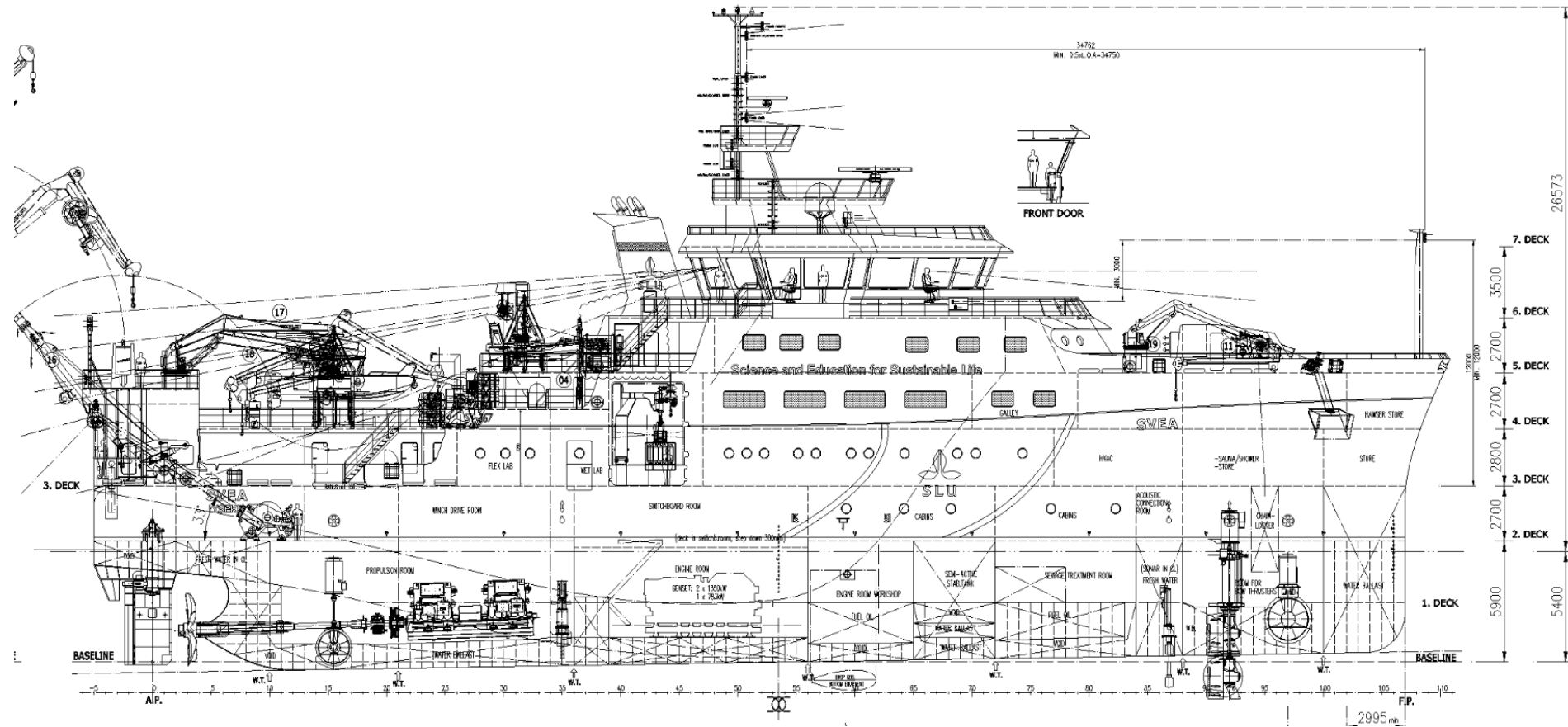
Endurance 16 days



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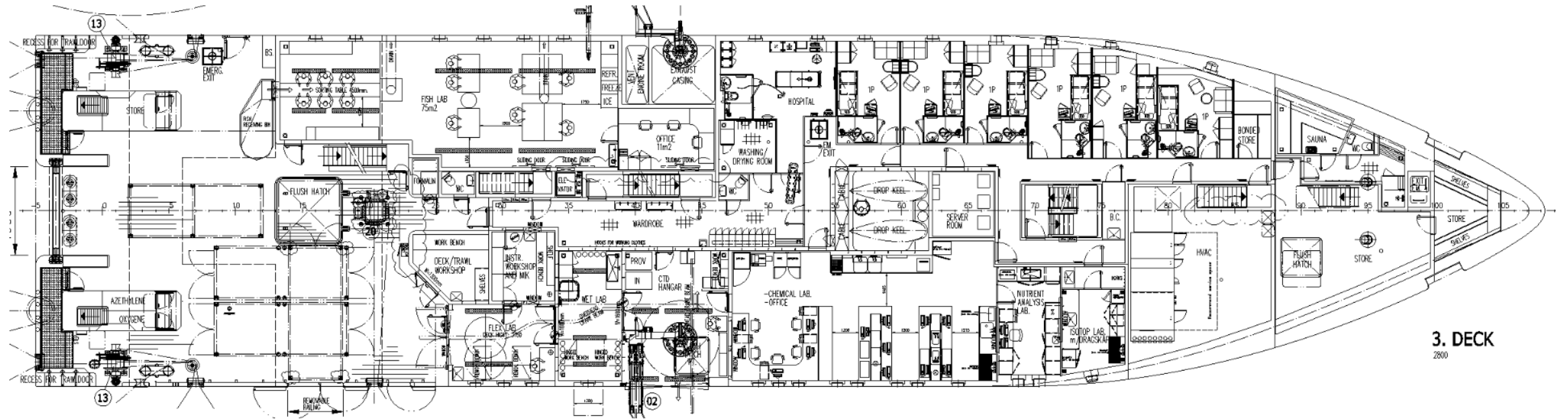


# SVEA



General arrangement

# SVEA

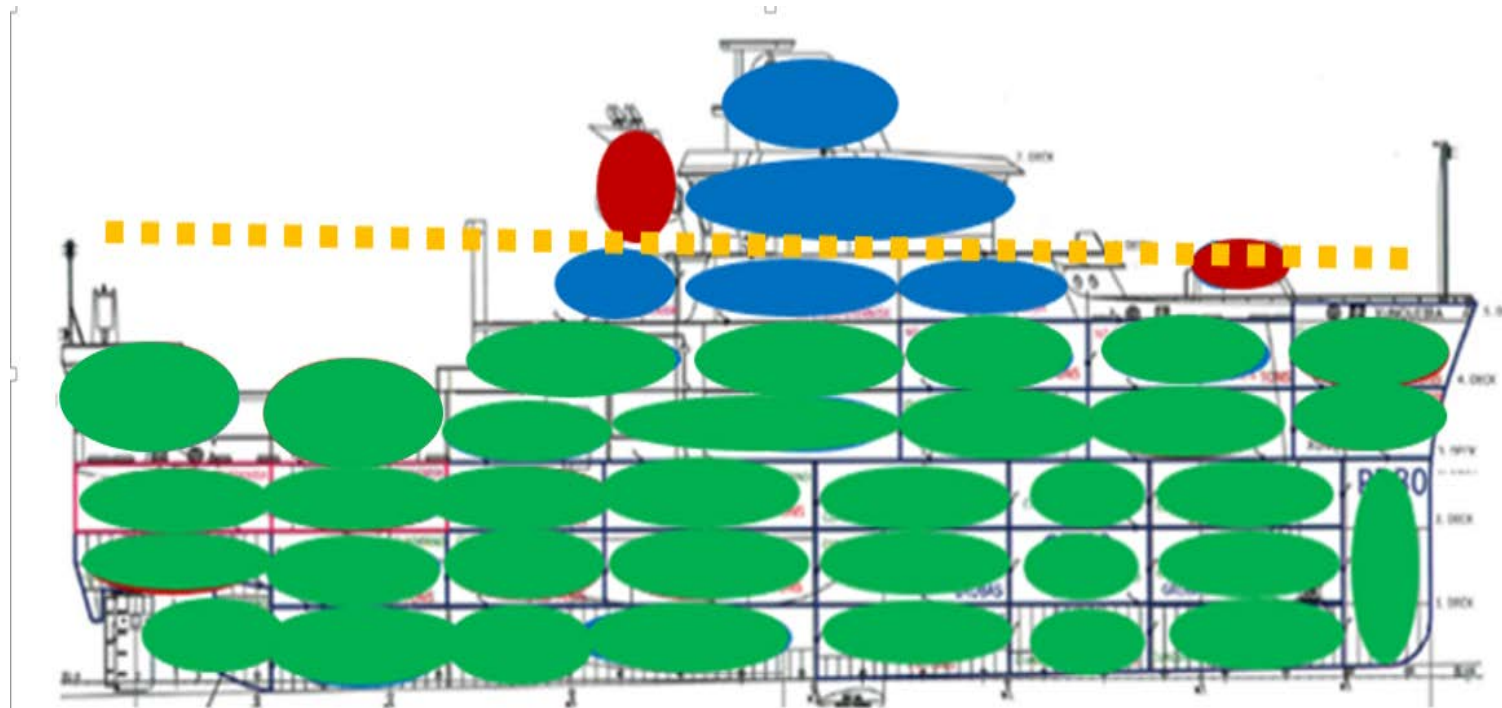


3. DECK  
2800

Deck 3

# SVEA

- Green= assembled sections, assembled together into the hull
- Blue= sections where the welding has started but not is fully finalized
- Red= sections ready and waiting for assembling into the hull



Section assembling on Svea

# Site office



Project meeting at SLU site office which is manned during the whole building process.

# Armon Shipyard



Welding hall at the shipyard where Svea is being built right now.

# Armon Shipyard



Here sections are being assembled to the hull. The bow on its way in place.



# Armon Shipyard



Fore ship mounted up to 7,6 m height from the keel. At full height up to the railing it will be 15 meters.

# Armon Shipyard



Section ET40, part of the switchboard room, during turning before assembling into the hull.

# Armon Shipyard



Aft ship and you can see part of the bed for the machine for electrical propulsion engines.

# Armon Shipyard



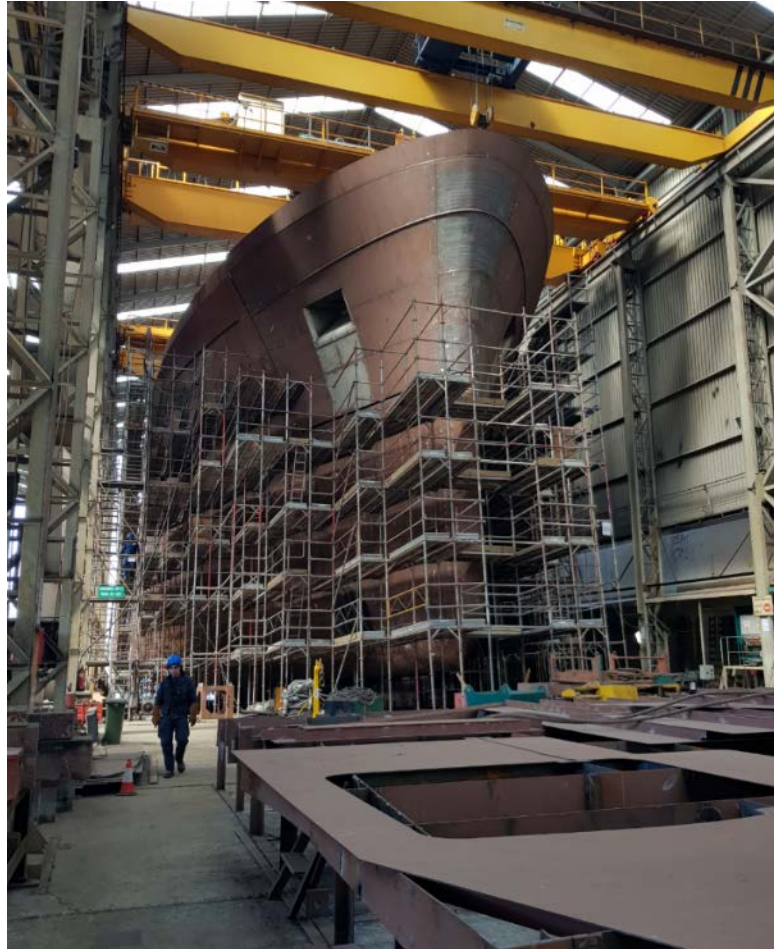
Here is the aft ship seen from the machinery space.

# Armon Shipyard



Engines transported by barge and lifted onboard

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Here also the fore ship is in place.

# Armon Shipyard



Sound insulation is mounted with thin top plate in cabin area deck 2.

# Armon Shipyard



The shipyard has built up a mock-up of the stations on bridge to be able to design this as good as possible together with crew and scientists.



# SVEA



Photo taken at the time of the official keel laying.

**Monitoring**

# SLU operation areas

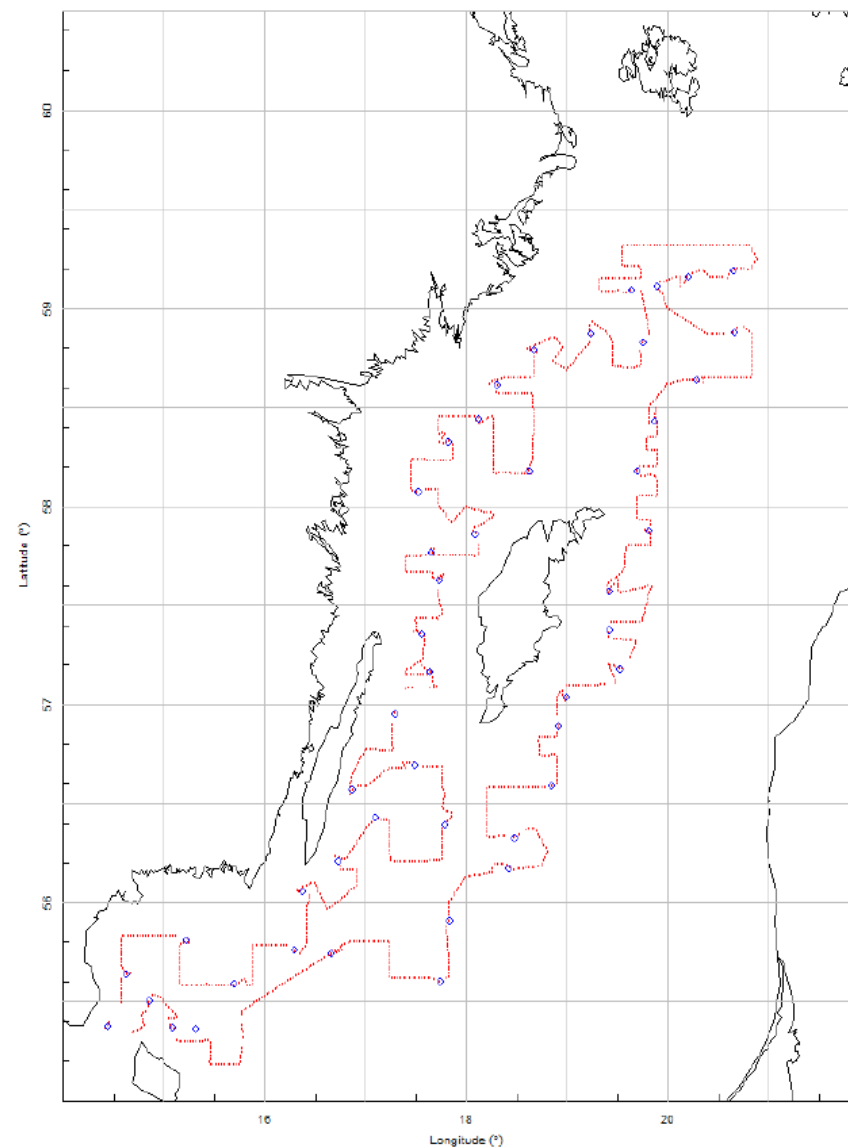
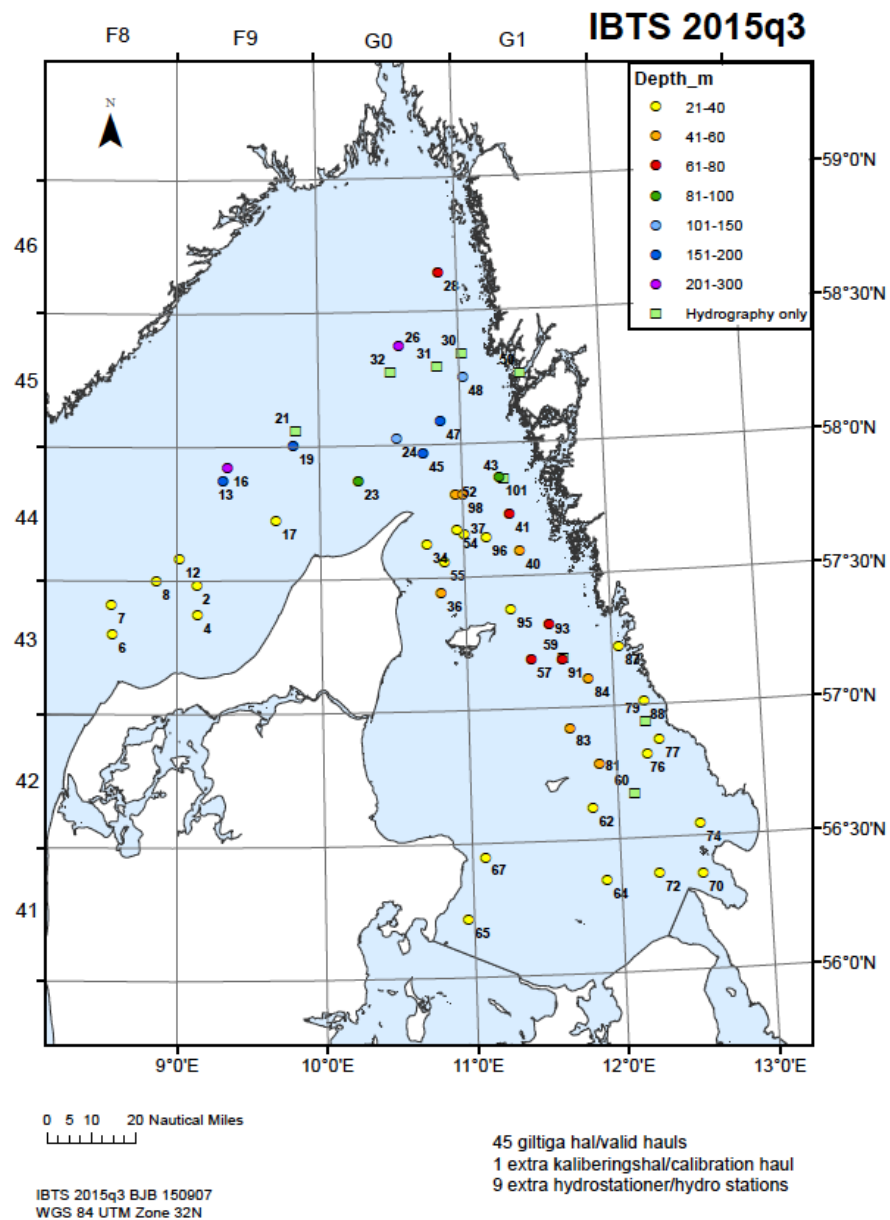
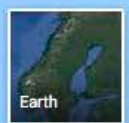


Figure 2: cruise track(red), positions of trawl hauls (blue) and survey grid (ICES squares)(grey)

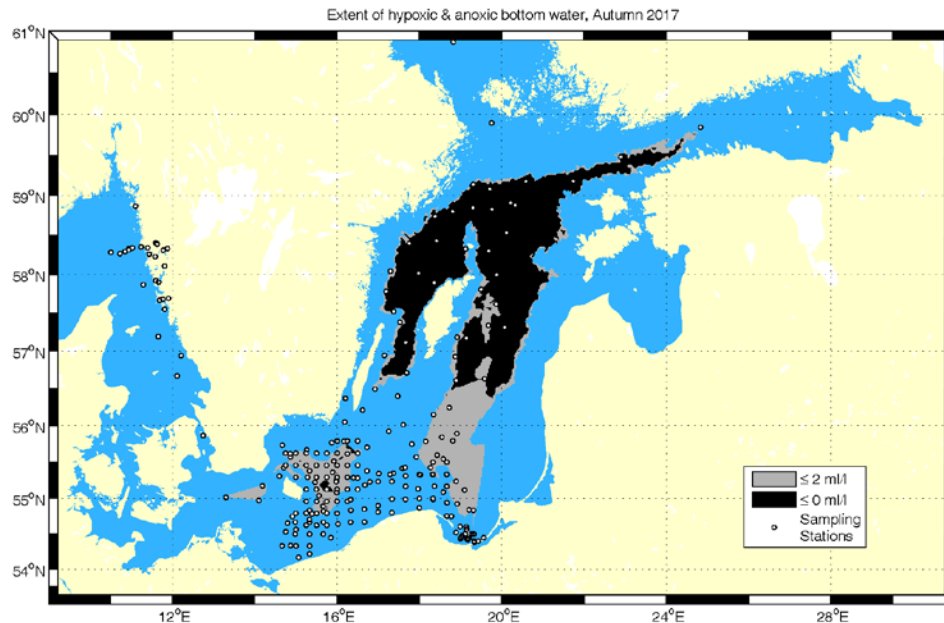


# Marine monitoring of the seas surrounding Sweden



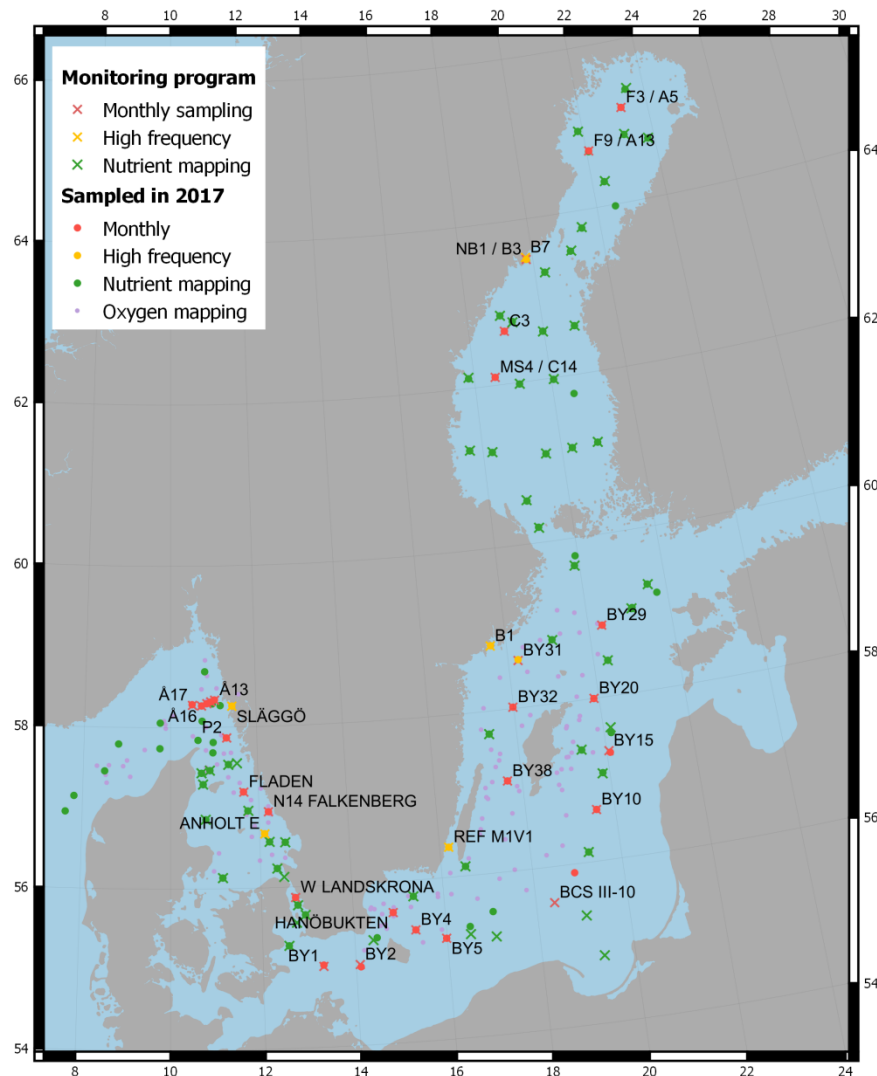
Water Chemistry, Physic  
Oceanography & Marine  
Biology

- Eutrophication
- Anoxia & Hypoxia
- Algal blooms
- Marine acidification
- Climate
- Fishery's Oceanography
- RT monitoring (Buoys etc)
- Data assimilation
- Waves and currents
- Marine research



# Swedish monitoring programme

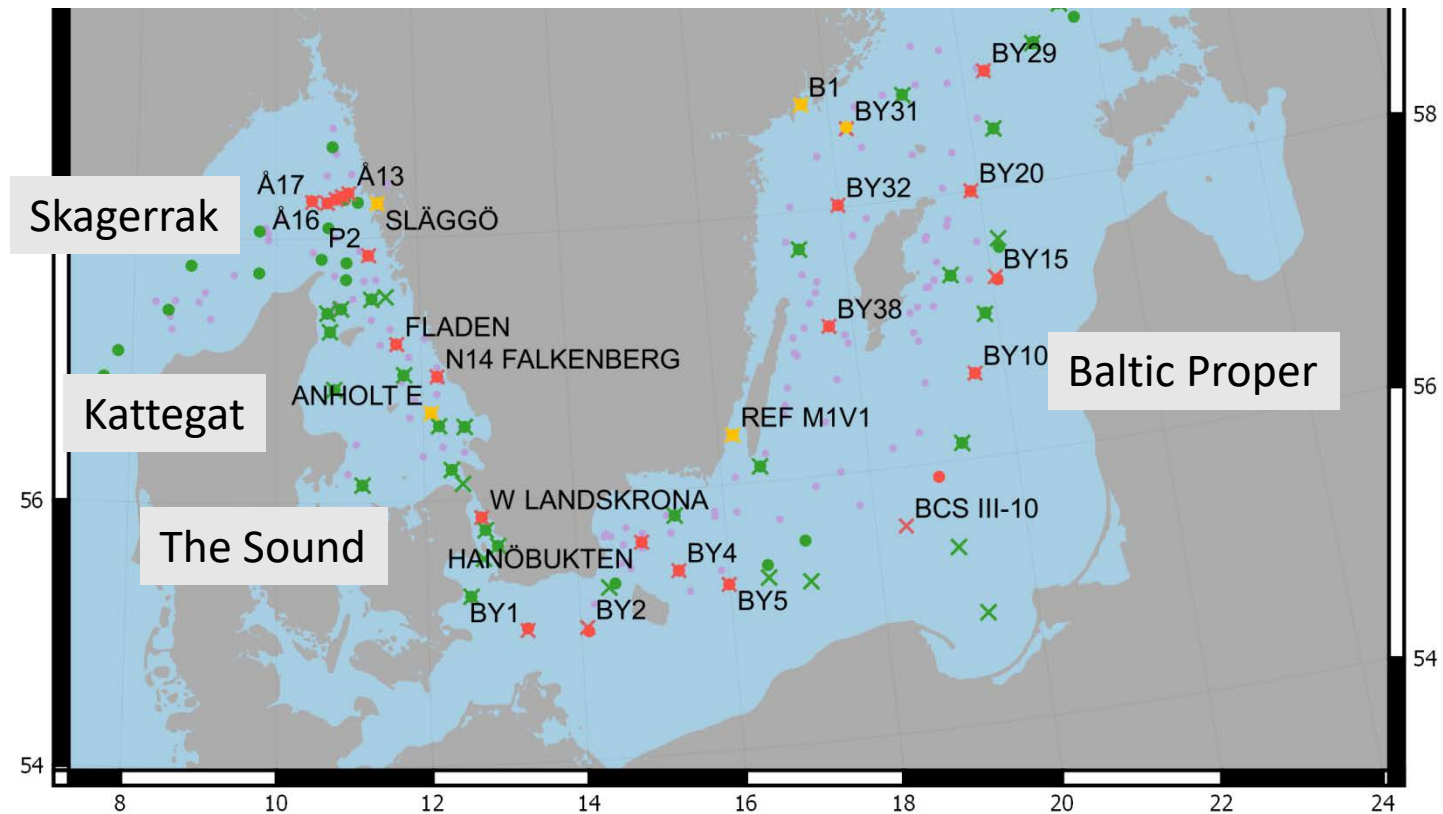
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- Monthly cruises  
~7 days  
5-6 SMHI crew (+guests)
- Stations:  
25 Regular stations, 12 visits/year  
7 High frequency stations, 24 visits/year  
>80 mapping stations. 1-2 visits/year
- Mapping surveys:  
Kattegat: Winter pool of nutrients  
Skagerrak: Winter pool of nutrients (IBTS)  
Baltic Proper: Winter pool of nutrients  
Gulf of Bothnia: Winter pool of nutrients  
Baltic Proper: Oxygen survey (BIAS)  
Kattegat: Oxygen survey (IBTS)
- Co-operation: National, SYKE, FMI, IOPAN, IOW, DTU

# National marine monitoring performed by SMHI. Approximately one survey/month. Duration: 5-7 days

- Skagerrak: 7 stations
- Kattegat and the strait: 4 stations
- Baltic Proper: 14 stations







Equipment

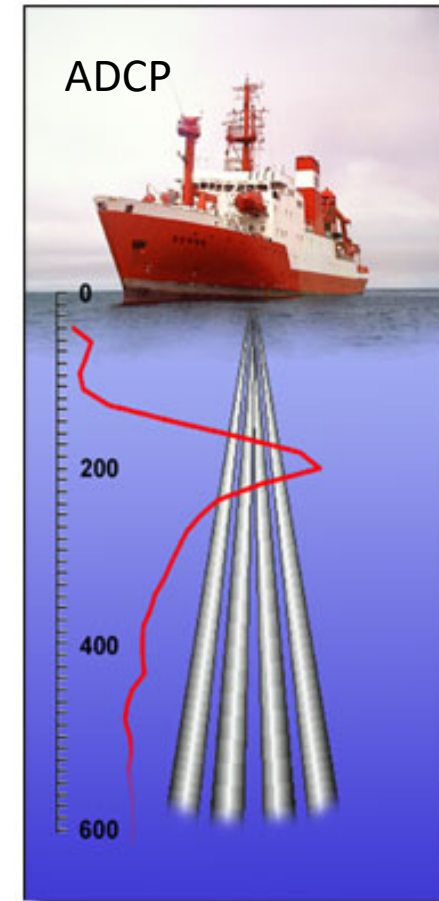
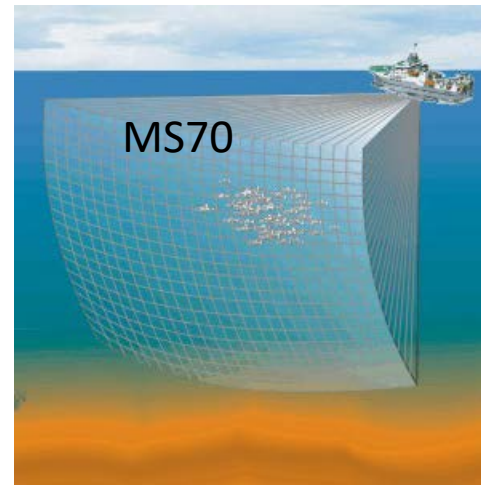
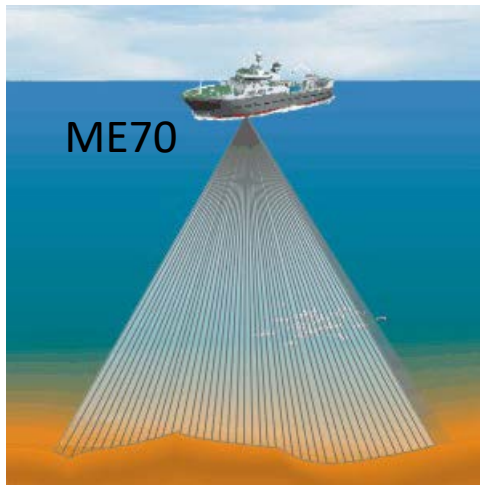
# SVEA Oceanographic equipment

- Three oceanographic winches with telemetric system with fiber optics
  - CTD-winch/davit: 24 bottle CTD-rosette with uv-video in HD
  - Multipurpose-winch/A-frame: Aft ROTV, uv-video, deployments, CTD-rosette
  - Fore-winch: Fore ROTV for fishery acoustics
- Wetlab with external platform for nets, hose, bottom sampling,
- Modern and flexible labs och workshops
- ADCP - 150 & 600 kHz
- Imaging flow cytobot - automatic plankton recorder
- Moving vessel profiler - CTD/SVP
- Weather station and instruments for satellite sea truthing
- A-frames, cranes and winches for handling; buoys, vehicles, bottom rigs, trawls.
- Under water reference system for ROVs
- Water flow through system
  - Ferrybox with pH & pCO<sub>2</sub>
  - Sampling of marine litter & pollutants



# Scientific equipment

- Two drop keels for hydroacoustics (multibeam sonar, multibeam echosounder, wideband multifrequency echo sounder system, low and high frequency fish finding sonars, current profilers ADCP (150 and 600 kHz) - Simrad
- Towed fish (ROTV) for hydroacoustics (wideband multifrequency echo sounder system)
- Towed ROTV undulating for hydrography (MacArtney)



# Environmental monitoring of the seas around Sweden

- Chemistry, physics and biology
- Eutrophication
- Lack of oxygen
- Algal bloom
- Data to models
- Fishery hydrographic
- Bottom and pelagic trawling surveys

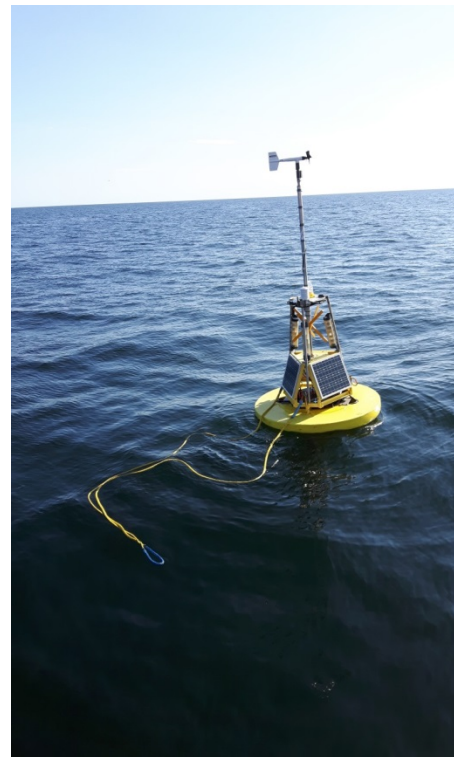


# Sampling of plant-, zoo plankton and jellyfish. Measuring of sight depth.



## Buoys, ferrybox and fixed platforms

- 2 offshore ocean buoys
- 2 coastal buoys
- 4 Wave buoys
- Ferrybox; Svea & Tavastland
- Bottom rigs  
CTD(DO) & currents



# DTU – SLU

- Close collaboration on the DCF fish surveys IBTS, BITS, ASH and UWTV - *Nephrops*



On the RV Dana and the RV Havfisken

# Research ships

- U/F Argos 1974-2011
- R/V Franklin
- Coast Guard, KBV001 och KBV002
- R/V Aranda (SYKE-Finland)
- M/S Meri och M/S Aura (Finland)
- New R/V Aranda (July?)
- R/V Svea (2019)









# De nya möjligheterna med Svea

- Möjlighet att sätta en stor mängd nya instrument som producerar stora datamängder på CTD-rosett, ROTV, väderstation och ferrybox etc.
- Filma botten med droppkamera eller släde för habitatkartering
- Mycket tätare profiler: Syrekartering, Fys-data (NRT) till modeller, klimat
- Kontinuerliga ytvattenmätningar med ferrybox: Klimat, Fys-kem-bio, marin försurning
- Större kapacitet att samla in data om växtplanktonsamhället
- Större kapacitet att drifva autonoma plattformar: flöten, bojar, gliders, undervattensriggar för högupplöst datainsamling i tid och rum. Både realtid och loggad data.
- Mäta strömriktning och hastighet under expedition med skrovmonterad ADCP
- Mycket större kapacitet för gästforskare att följa med och göra sina mätningar parallellt med miljöövervakningen
- Mycket bra meteorologiska mätningar under expedition
- Sea truthing för evaluering av satellitdata
- Akustisk oceanografi