

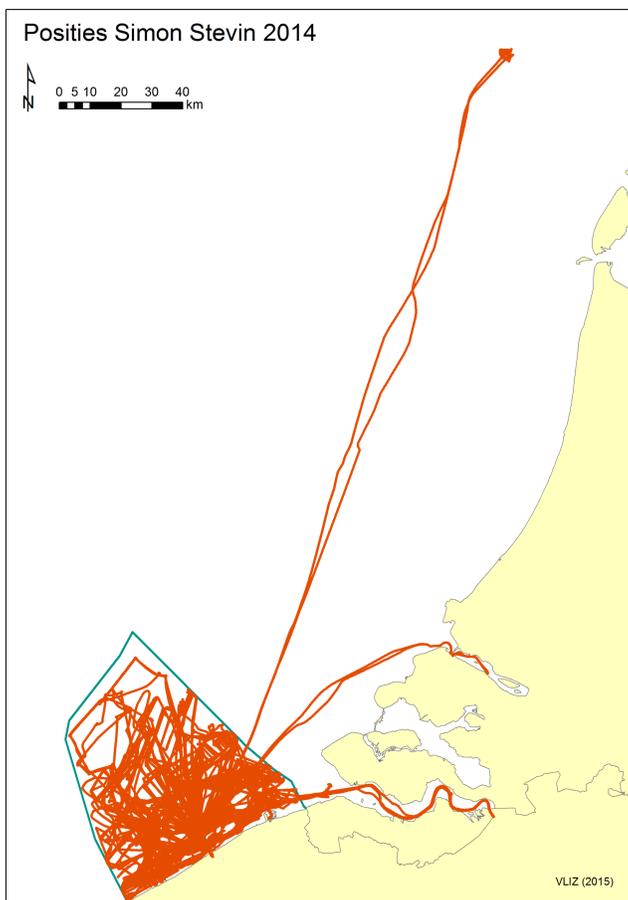
# RV SIMON STEVIN

multidisciplinary coastal research vessel



## 2014 Report

- Operational budget increased from 900k€ to 1,3M€
- 183 days at sea, 1650 hrs at sea = +20%
- Servicing different 31 research projects and 19 different research groups
- 39 educational trips for basic, secondary & higher educational levels
- VideoPlanktonRecorder and FlowCytometer operational
- Underway Measurements upgraded with pCO<sub>2</sub>, nutrients, pH and Frr Fluorometer



## 2015 Programme

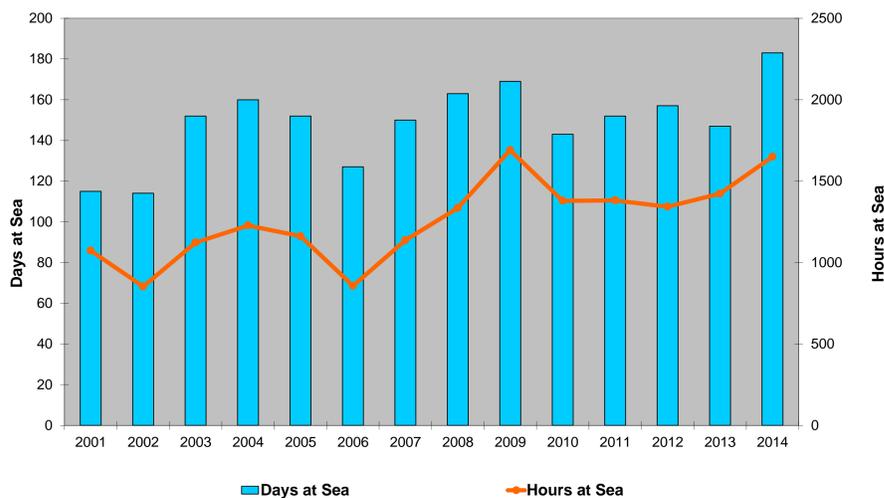
- Planning for 204 days at sea, 2500 hrs at sea
- 3,5m vibrocorer will be made operational

ERVO 2015, 10-11<sup>th</sup> June.  
Galway, Ireland.

## MAIN CHARACTERISTICS

- Length 36 m
- Beam 9.4 m
- Draught 3.5 m
- Maximum speed 12 kn
- Year of construction 2012
- Shipbuilder Damen Shipyards Group
- Area of operations Southern Bight of the North Sea & eastern English Channel
- Scientists 10
- Crew 7 / 9

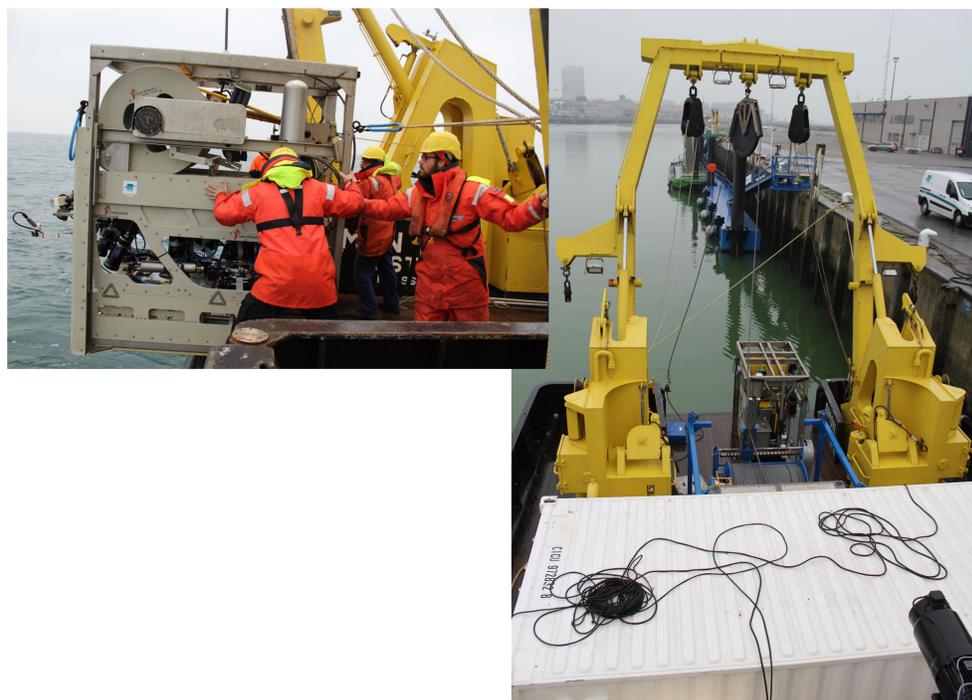
## Activity Zeeleeuw/Simon Stevin



## ROV Genesis

During 2014 the ROV Genesis was deployed during three campaigns.

- 6-11 April, onboard RV Pelagia in the Alborian Sea for observations of the KM3NeT Neutrino Telescope,
- 3-5 May, onboard RV Pelagia on the Western Iberian Margin to identify zones of Norwegian lobster fishery impact
- 2-4 December implementation of first and successful ROV operation onboard RV Simon Stevin



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