

# NOC Launches Collaborative Platform for Oil and Gas Industry



The National Oceanography Centre (NOC, UK) has launched a collaborative way of working with the oil and gas industry. NOC will provide science and technology to enable industry to work safely and efficiently, with minimum impact on the marine environment. NOC has expertise in marine autonomous and robotic systems and sensors, for operations in challenging, hazardous and deep-sea environments. NOC's fleet of autonomous underwater vehicles, remotely operated vehicles, unmanned surface vehicles and submarine gliders have all been developed to operate in extreme conditions.

NOC's science teams have had many years of experience in testing and demonstrating the capabilities of our autonomous platforms and sensors, in such hazardous environments.

The launch comes off the back of many years of working with the industry on both an individual and collaborative basis, to develop science and technology to enhance competitive advantage, maximise investment and reduce operational costs during exploration, production and decommissioning.

## Annual Subscription

The collaboration package is an annual subscription including access to efficient, authoritative and rigorous science research services, responsive to the industry's needs, expert interpretation of valuable data-sets, access to software and data-products and alerts for public funding opportunities. Collaborators will also have Associate Membership of the NOC's Marine Robotics Innovation Centre.

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