

### NAVAL OCEANOGRAPHIC OFFICE

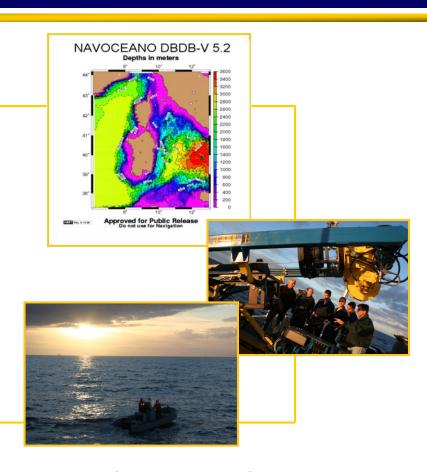




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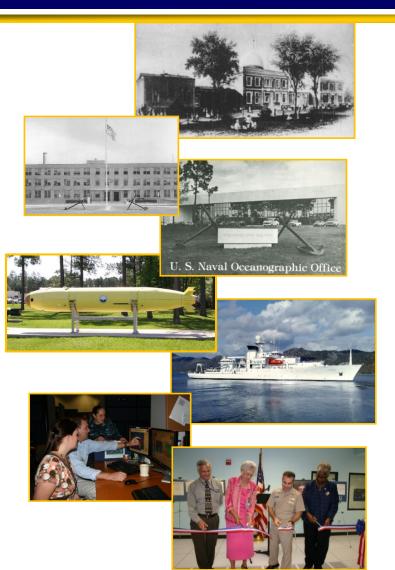




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# Naval Oceanographic Office History and Milestones



| • | 1830              | Depot of Charts and Instruments<br>established; later renamed U.S<br>Hydrographic Office |  |  |
|---|-------------------|--|--|--|
|   | 1962              | Renamed U.S. Naval Oceanographic Office  |  |  |
| • | 1977              | Relocated from Washington, D.C. to Stennis Space Center, Miss.                           |  |  |
| • | 1987              | Operational Oceanography Center established  |  |  |
|   | 1991              | Supercomputer became operational   |  |  |
| • | 1994<br>operation | T-AGS 60 Class military survey ships became  |  |  |
| • | 2000              | Inaugural Underwater Unmanned Systems operations.  |  |  |
| • | 2004              | Began daily runs of world's only 3-D<br>Operational Global Ocean Model                   |  |  |
| • | 2005              | O05 Restructured as Oceanographic Reach-Back Center to support Naval Operations          |  |  |
| • | 2008<br>of U.S. M | Began Maritime Homeland Defense surveys  |  |  |
| • | 2011              | Daniel H. Williams Oceanographic Information Technology Center Dedicated                 |  |  |



#### **Mission**

# To optimize sea power by applying relevant oceanographic knowledge in support of U.S. National Security





#### **Vision**

We will assure the Navy's oceanographic knowledge superiority and reduce risk by providing the forecast battlespace through:

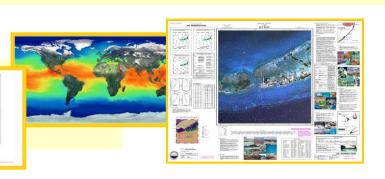
**Smart Collection** (Focused on ASW, MIW, NSW & EXW needs)



Responsive Delivery (Decreased turnaround time)

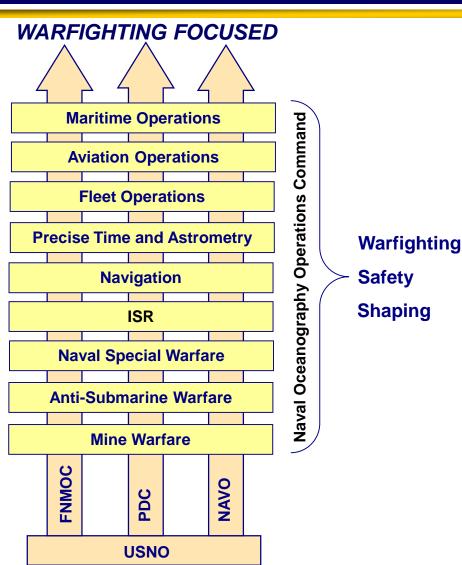


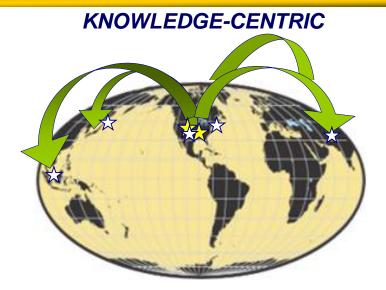
Focused Analysis
(Direct Support)





### **Naval Oceanography**

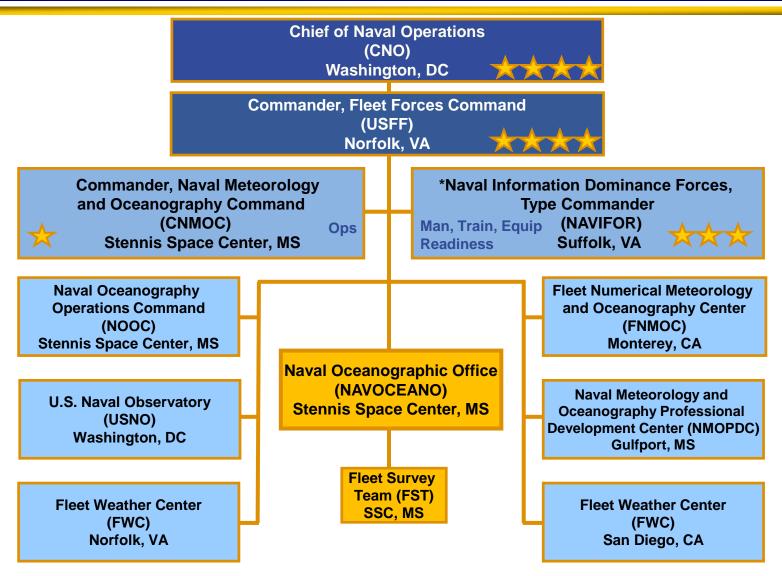




Teamwork
Technical Excellence
Clear Communications
Manage Risk
Measure Results
Continuous Improvement

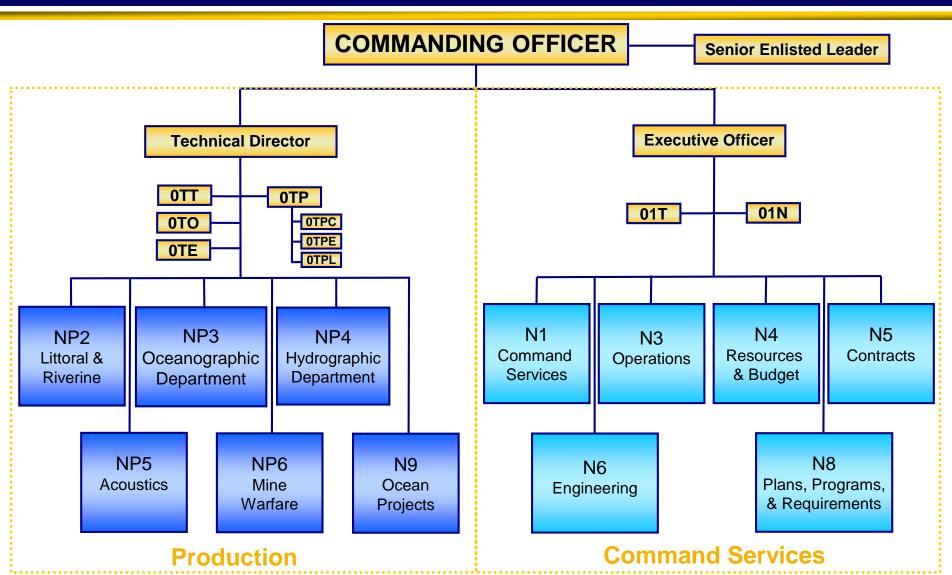


### Fleet Aligned





#### **NAVOCEANO** Organization





# Highly Skilled Operational Oceanography Workforce



#### **NAVOCEANO**

Over 800 Civilian, Contractor and Military personnel

#### Fleet Survey Team

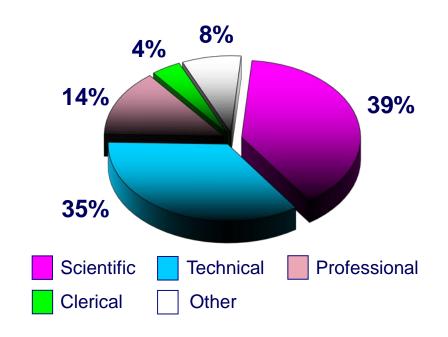
Over 50 Military and Civilian personnel

Total Workforce:

**Over 800** 

#### **NAVOCEANO** Personnel

| Education     | % Total NAVO Workforce |
|---------------|------------------------|
| Ph.D.         | 5%                     |
| M.A./M.S.     | 23%                    |
| B.A./B.S.     | 43%                    |
| Associate Deg | ree 11%                |
| Other         | 18%                    |





# **Core Competencies**







GEOSPATIAL
INTELLIGENCE









HYDROGRAPHY



Fleet OPS

CSG

ESG

USMC





**GEOPHYSICS** 

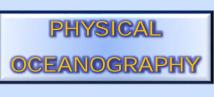








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# **Collection and Processing Assets**

Military Survey Ships (T-AGS) w/HSL

Fleet Survey Team (FST)

**Airborne Coastal Survey Program** 

Underwater Autonomous Vehicles (UUV) / Sea Gliders

**Profiling Floats** 

**Drifting Buoys** 

**Naval Platforms (TTS)** 

**Satellites** 

**Maury Oceanographic Library** 

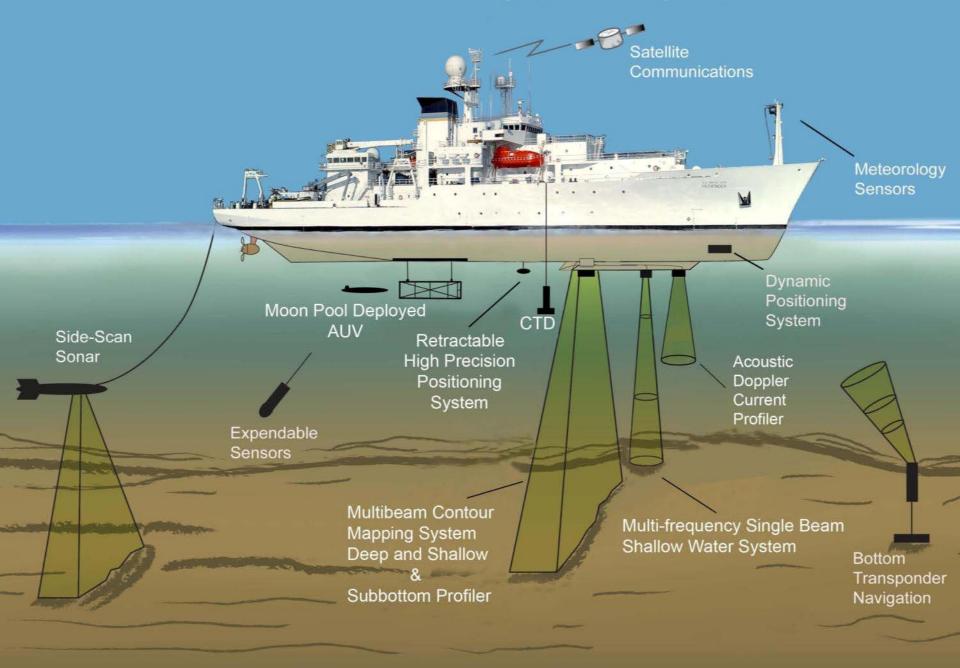
High Performance Computing (DSRC)

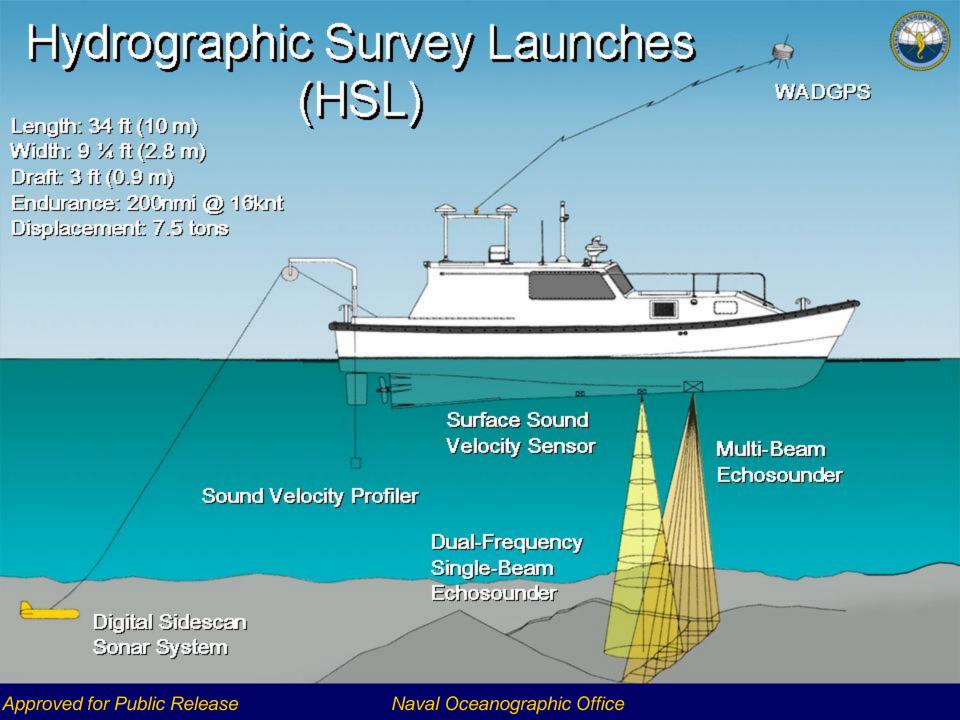
National and International Data Exchange Agreements

**Data Warehouse** 



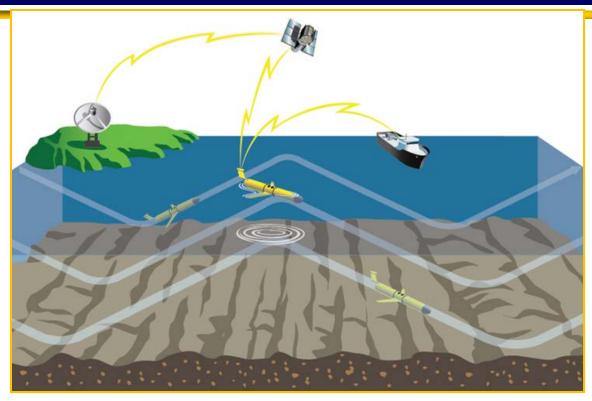
#### T-AGS Oceanographic Survey Ship

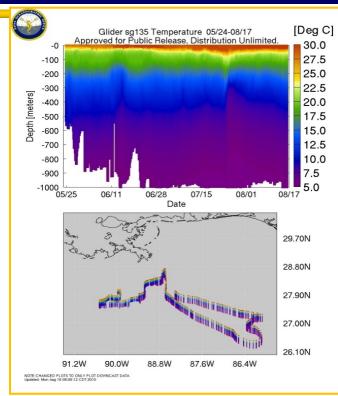






#### **Ocean Gliders**





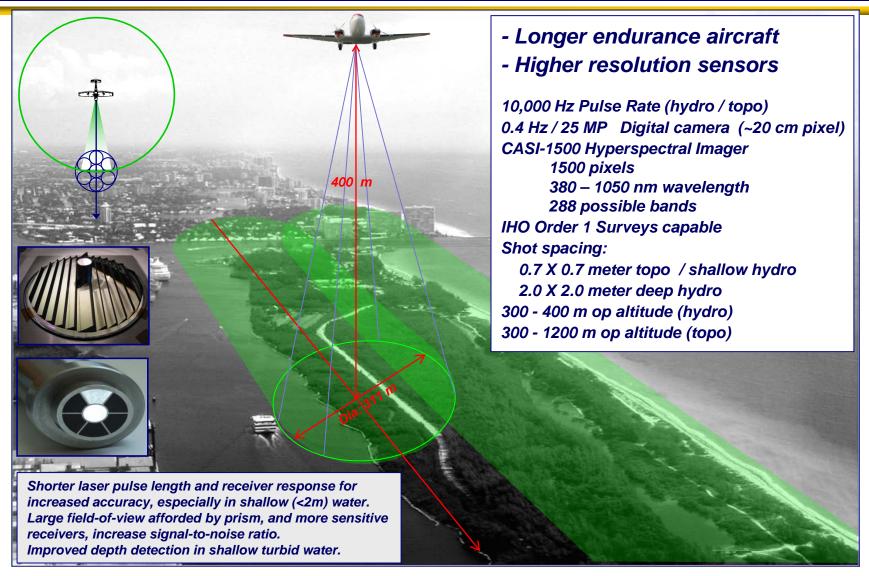
#### **LBS-Glider Specifications:**

| Weight    | 60kg    | Max Depth   | 200/1000 m   |
|-----------|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Hull Dia. | 22 cm   | Endurance . | 4-6 months   |
| Length    | 1.5 m   | Range       | 4000 km      |
| Speed     | 31 cm/s | Energy      | Li-oxyhalide |



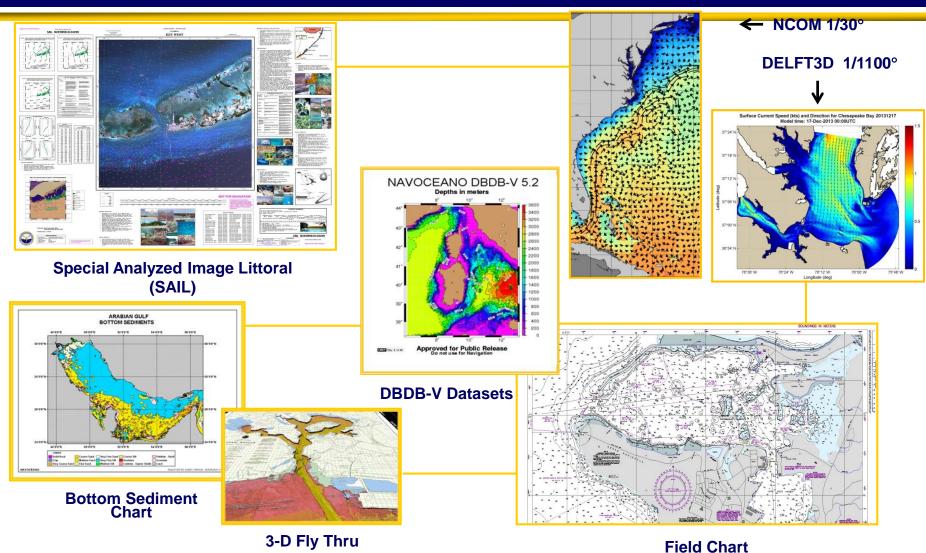


# Airborne Coastal Surveys Program Coastal Zone Mapping and Imaging Lidar (CZMIL)



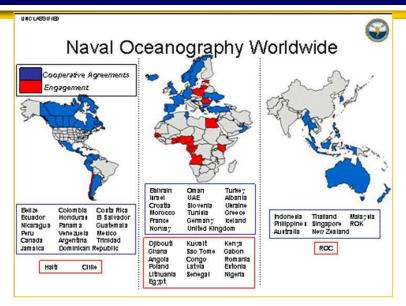


# **Specialized Products**





# **Theater Security Cooperation**





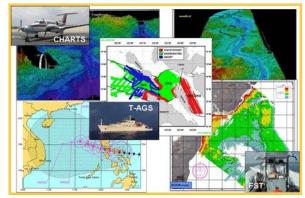
**Ecuador** 



Montenegro



Gabon



**Philippines** 



Vietnam



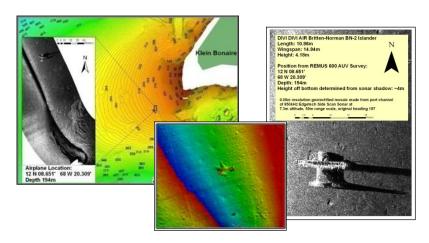
Congo



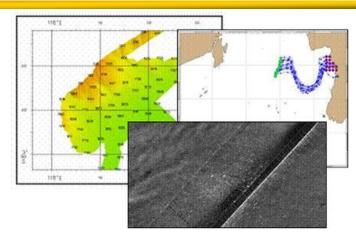
# **Proactive HA/DR (Shaping)**



Indonesia Tsunami Relief



Divi Divi Air, Netherlands Antilles



Adam Air



Operation Unified Response (Haiti)



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# Fleet Survey Team (FST)

A specialized team of military and civilian experts providing hydrographic and oceanographic knowledge of the littoral environment to support safety of navigation





Tailored Products and delivery in the field

#### Rapidly deployable teams

 4 to 6 personnel, 9 m RHIB or fly-away survey kit for boat of opportunity

#### Rapid Littoral Surveys – Beaches and Rivers

- Rapid Littoral Survey Vessels (RLSV), w/bolt-on sensor package for near-shore assessments.
- Deployable to Amphibious Squadrons (PHIBRONs)

#### **International Cooperative Surveys**

- Host country participation, boats of opportunity

#### **Theater Security Cooperation**

Global partnership building through Maritime Safety,
 Security, and Training

#### **Humanitarian Assist / Disaster Relief**

- Post-hurricane surveys Katrina, Rita, Gustav, Ike
- Post-earthquake surveys Indonesia, Haiti, Chile
- 96 hours to departure upon tasking

