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## MEA+ Innovation Tour in collaboration with MIIN

23<sup>rd</sup> November 2022

#### **UNITED KINGDOM**





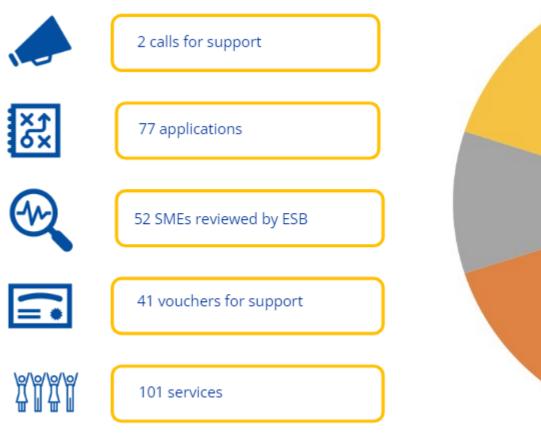
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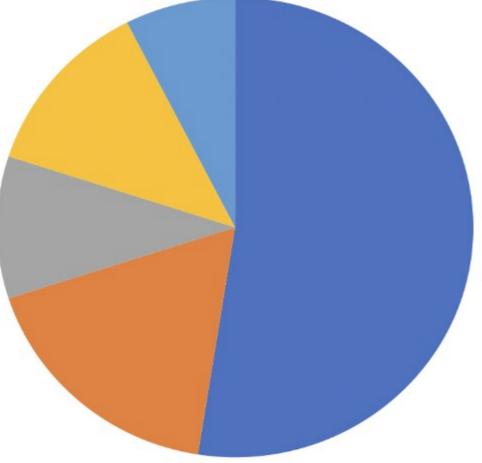


# Service Delivery Overview





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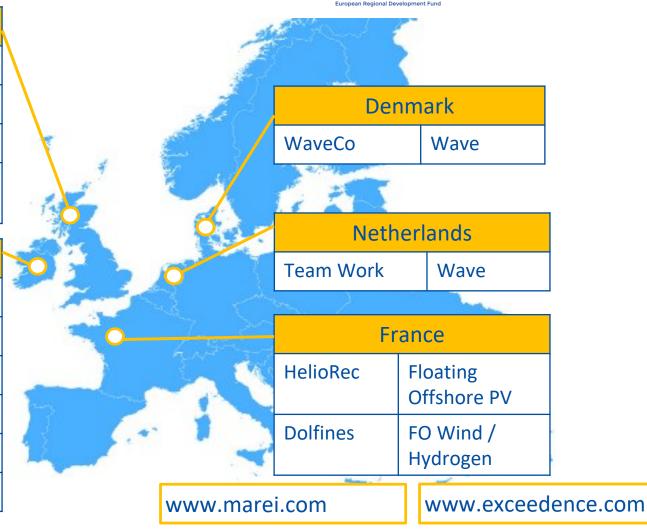


# Service Delivery Exceedence and MaREI



UK		
Mocean	Wave	
Centipod	Wave	
Witt	Wave/Tidal	
Floating Energy Systems	FO Wind	

IRELAND		
Wave		
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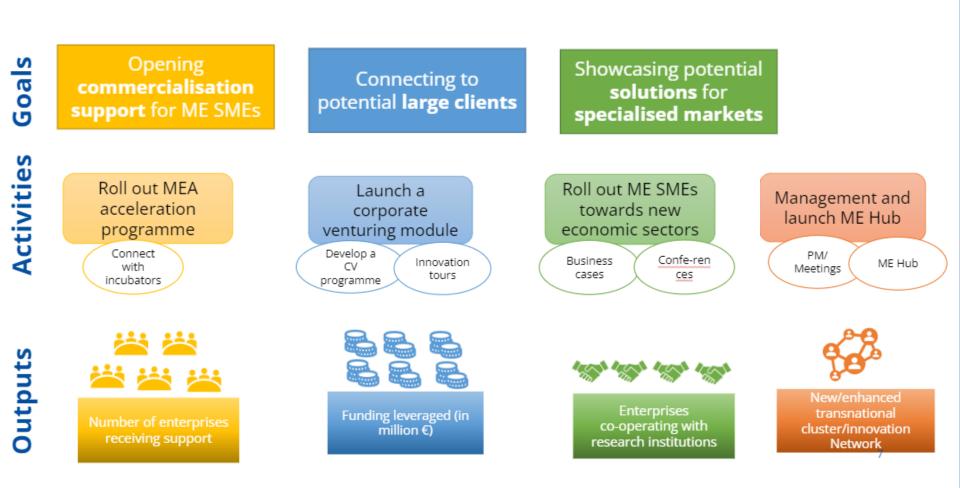


Commercial		
Item	Support	
Enterprise development	National & regional supports	
Business Services	MEA	
Business model validation	EIC Accelerator	
Networking & Partnerships	OPIN	
Investment training	Blue Invest	
Proposal Prep	OPIN	

Technical Development		
Item	Support	
Testing	Marinet FORESEA OCEAN DEMO Bluegift	
Engineering Services	MEA	
Pre Commercial Pilots	Horizon Europe TIGER	
	ITEG Met certified	
Pre Commercial Procurement	WES EU WES	
Accelerators	OESA	

# MEA+ Capitalise results of the MEA project





## Specialised markets

- Offshore wind
- Aquaculture/Desalination
- Hydrogen
- Harbours



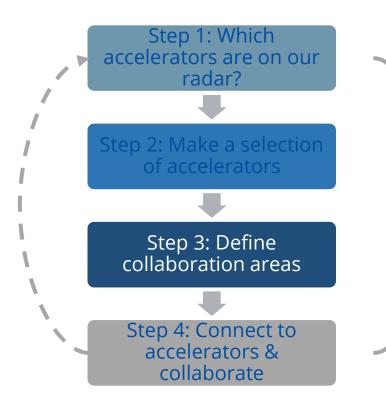
**Goal:** Developing **Business Case Blueprints** for selected markets as fundamental base to build new partnerships and projects.



#### **Marine Energy Solutions**

- Analysis of merits of ME
- e.g. site studies, LCOE studies
- Generalised and public

# Increased access to accelerators





#### **1. List for developers**

#### 2. High level GAP analysis

- Inform accelerators to improve their program
- Set up own accelerator program

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# General impression accelerator outreach



A₄ Name	Status MEA+
Hatch Incubator	Collaboration
Katapult Ocean	Collaboration
Sustainable Ocean Alliance	Collaboration
Techleap	Connected
Blue Accelerator Belgium	Connected
Unknown Group	Connected
PortXL	First selection
Startupbootcamp Smart City Dubai	First selection
Dubai Future Accelerators	First selection
World Ocean Council	Identify
BlueInvest	Identify
Starter Business Accelerator	Identify
Centrale Audencia Ensa	Identify
Free Electrons	Identify
KIC InnoEnergy	Identify
59 records	

- Promising programs, but no particular focus towards marine energy
- Several collaboration opportunities;
  - Mentor/expert network
  - Exchange and develop programs/modules/services
  - Share network and connect to investors and corporates

# **Relevance & Opportunity**

- Re-ignition of local development
- Existing support and development infrastructure
- Support supply chain and expert services both technical and commercial
- Expertise in existing accelerator programmes
- Building upon existing programmes
- Leveraging European funding
- Engaging corporates
- Blueprint of a Marine Energy Accelerator

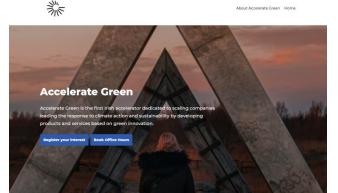


#### Alliance

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## We need YOUR perspective



- Services on offer as part of accelerator
- Type and size of Support on offer grants, prizes, investment, inkind
- Applicant company maturity
- Applicant company needs
- How competitive is entry
- Duration of programme
- Expected milestones and exit point
- Other

### **MEA+ Final Tasks**



#### **Innovation Tours**

- UK (Scottish Virtual Innovation Tour) 17th January
- Netherlands January 24<sup>th</sup>

#### **Events**

- OEEC 2022
- TPL workshop December 5<sup>th</sup>

# **Questionnaire** and QR code <u>https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/P2GDYG8</u>



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Thank you!