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MEA+ Innovation Tour in collaboration with MIIN

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UNITED KINGDOM





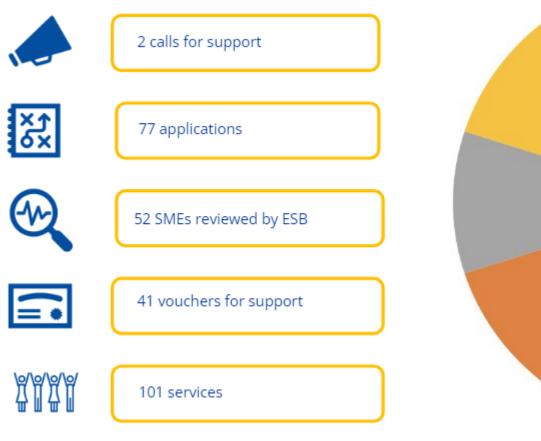
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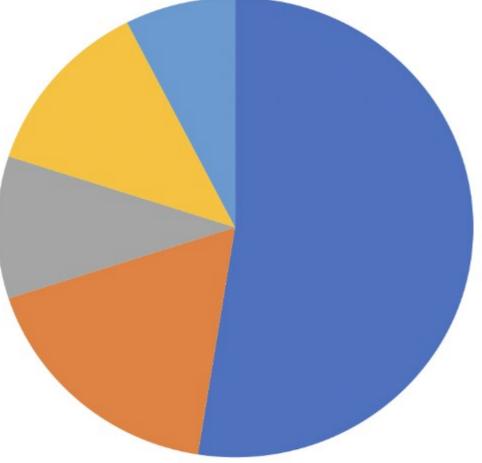


Service Delivery Overview





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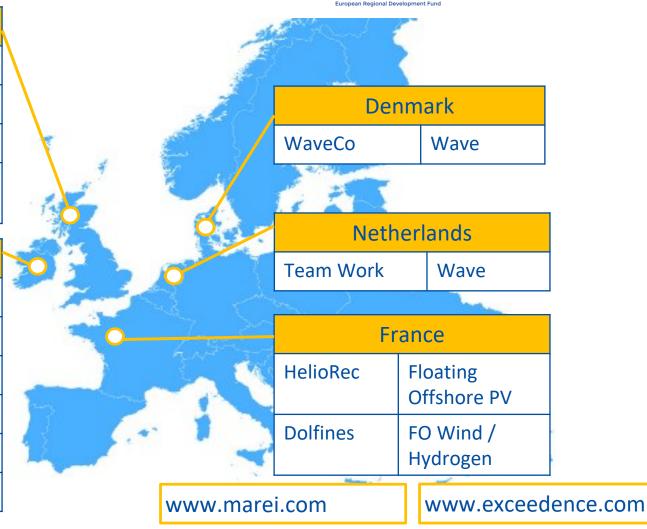


Service Delivery Exceedence and MaREI



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

| IRELAND | | |
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| Wave | | |
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| Tidal | | |
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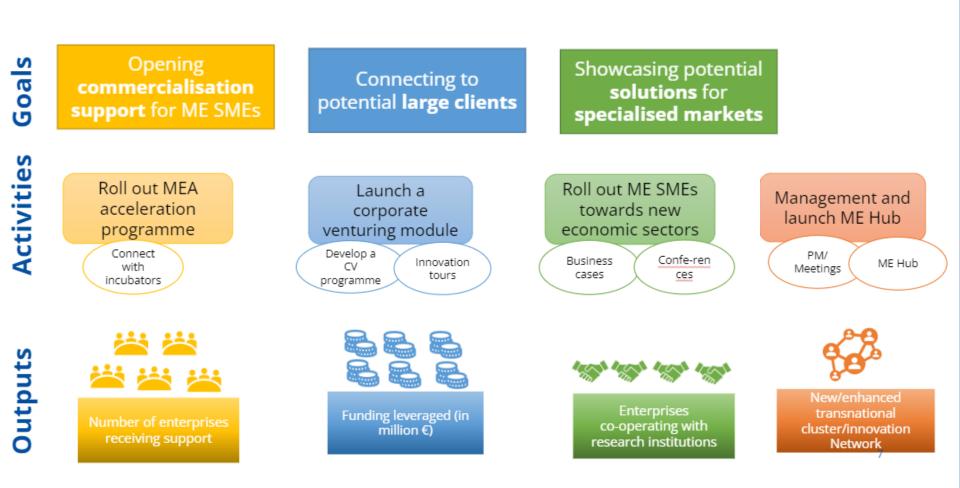


| Commercial | | |
|------------------------------|------------------------------|--|
| Item | Support | |
| Enterprise development | National & regional supports | |
| Business Services | MEA | |
| Business model validation | EIC Accelerator | |
| Networking & Partnerships | OPIN | |
| Investment training | 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



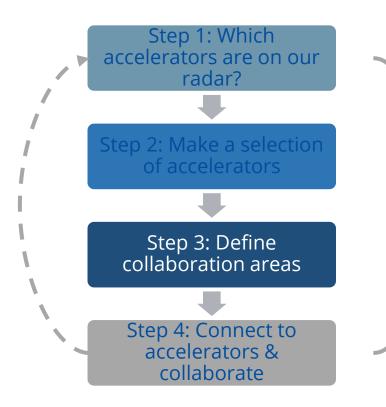
Goal: Developing **Business Case Blueprints** for selected markets as fundamental base to build new partnerships and projects.



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

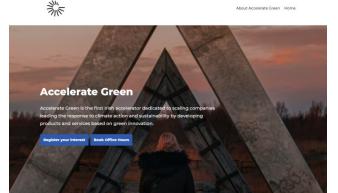


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We need YOUR perspective



- 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 24th

Events

- OEEC 2022
- TPL workshop December 5th

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



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Thank you!