## Agenda Item 3.4.2

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<u>Report</u>	IOC/IODE-28/3s	Executive Summary Report of the 28th session of the International Oceanographic Data and Information Exchange Committee, Santa Marta, Colombia, 12–14 March 2025
<u>Information</u>	IOC/IODE-28/3	Summary Report of the 28 <sup>th</sup> session of the International Oceanographic Data and Information Exchange Committee, Santa Marta, Colombia, 12–14 March 2025
	IOC/IODE-28/3 Annex II	IODE-28 Adopted Decisions and Recommendations
	IOC/IODE-28/3 Annex V	IODE-28 Action Sheet
	IOC/IODE-28/6.3	Performance Review of the IOC Project Office for IODE 2024



Oceanographic

Commission

International
Oceanographic Data
and Information
Exchange (IODE):
Outcomes of the 28th
Session

Accelerating Ocean Knowledge for Sustainable Development

Lotta Fyrberg, IODE Co-Chair June 2025

## Highlights from the 3rd International Ocean Data Conference (IODC-3)



#### Central themes

Data Infrastructure & Interoperability
Emerging Technologies
Inclusive Data & Capacity Building

## Core message

The conference underscored the indispensable role of people in ocean data, reaffirming the urgency of building a unified and inclusive digital ocean ecosystem.



## **IODE's Core Programme Components: Progress & Impact**





ODIS now links 50 sources across 42 partners. Its Global Search portal holds over 130,000 content items.



OBIS added 32 million records to reach 141 million total. OBIS is referenced under the CBD's Global Biodiversity Framework.



OTGA delivered 106 courses, with over 5,500 learners, and is now ISO certified. OTGA plays a key role in global capacity development.



## **Network Status & Activities Progress**

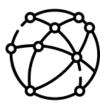




Strengthening the IODE Network



Inter-Programmatic Collaboration & Partnerships

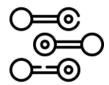


Contributions to the Ocean Decade



## **Actions and Way forward**





Restructuring ODIS: Powering a Cohesive Digital Ocean



Advancing Ocean Data Sharing



Rapid Response Mechanism



## **Project office and human resources**





Project
Office
for IODE



Permanent Head of the Project Office



Permanent OBIS Data Manager



Seconding staff to strengthen the IODE Secretariat



## **Our Collective Vision: The Way Forward**



IODE's mandate is to facilitate and coordinate the free and unrestricted international exchange of oceanographic data and information for a wide variety of purposes, including scientific research, innovation, and decision-making. This mission is vital to contribute to solving the triple crisis that the Ocean is facing: climate change, pollution and biodiversity loss



## **Our Collective Vision: The Way Forward**



#### **IODE's Strategic Direction**

Continuing the implementation of the IOC Strategic Plan for Ocean Data and Information

Driving the development of the IOC Data Architecture

Strengthening regional cooperation

#### Your engagement is key

Engage Actively
Share Data
Support Capacity Development
Invest in our Future
Collaborate Broadly

Together, we are building the data we need for the ocean we want.





# Thank you!

And we wish Peter a good retirement!