OFFSHORE WIND & ECOLOGY

Exploration and collaboration on preventive, mitigating and compensation measures

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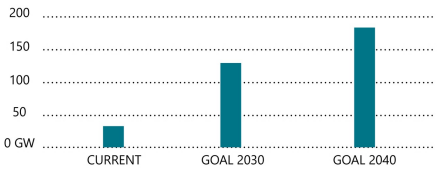
FACTS & FIGURES

Current state and goals North seas countries



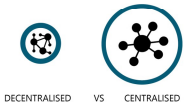
Governance

Tender publishing

In all North seas countries MSP and permitting is government led.

Tender criteria

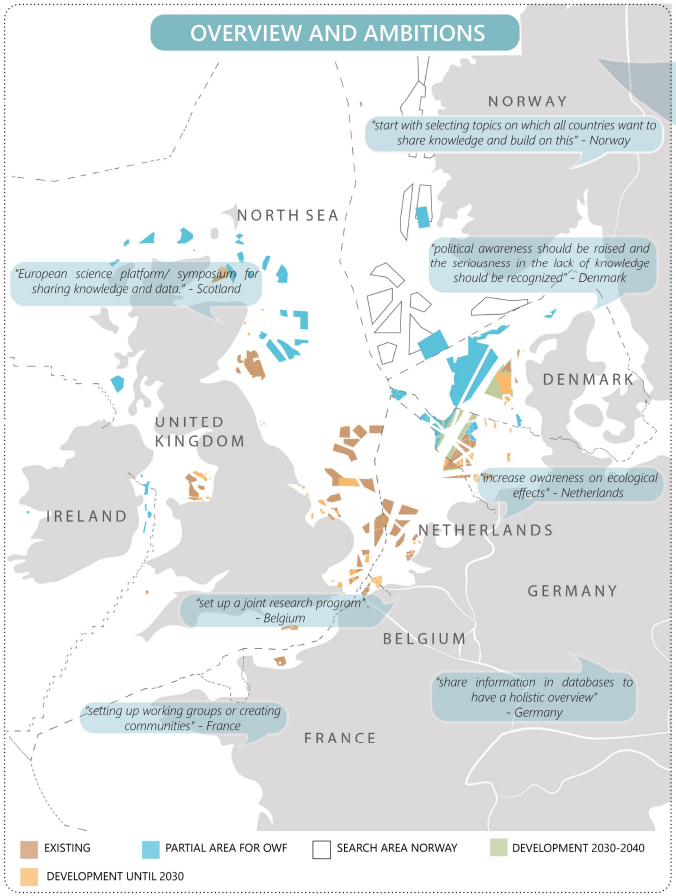
In one third of the North seas countries the market is in the lead for setting up the baseline for ecology.



EIA assessment

In France the EIA assessment is decentralised.

OVERVIEW AND AMBITIONS



SUGGESTIONS FOR INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION AND POINTS OF ATTENTION

Future cooperation wishes

Coordination in spatial planning and temporal development

Knowledge and data sharing
- Ecosystem functioning
- Location specific ecological effects of offshore wind
- Environmental Impact assessments
- Mitigation measures and their effectiveness
- Platform for knowledge and data sharing

Assessing and mitigating impacts in standardized ways

Joint research initiatives

Points of attention

Different stages of development and energy goals

Different government bodies involved

Delay in development of offshore energy

Language barrier

Different ways of gathering information

EU/non-EU countries

IMPACTS, PREVENTIVE AND MITIGATION MEASURES