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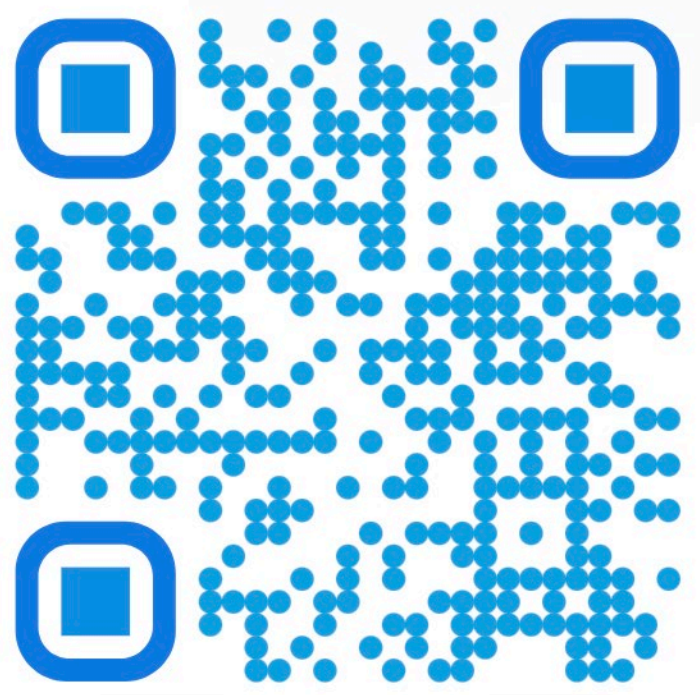
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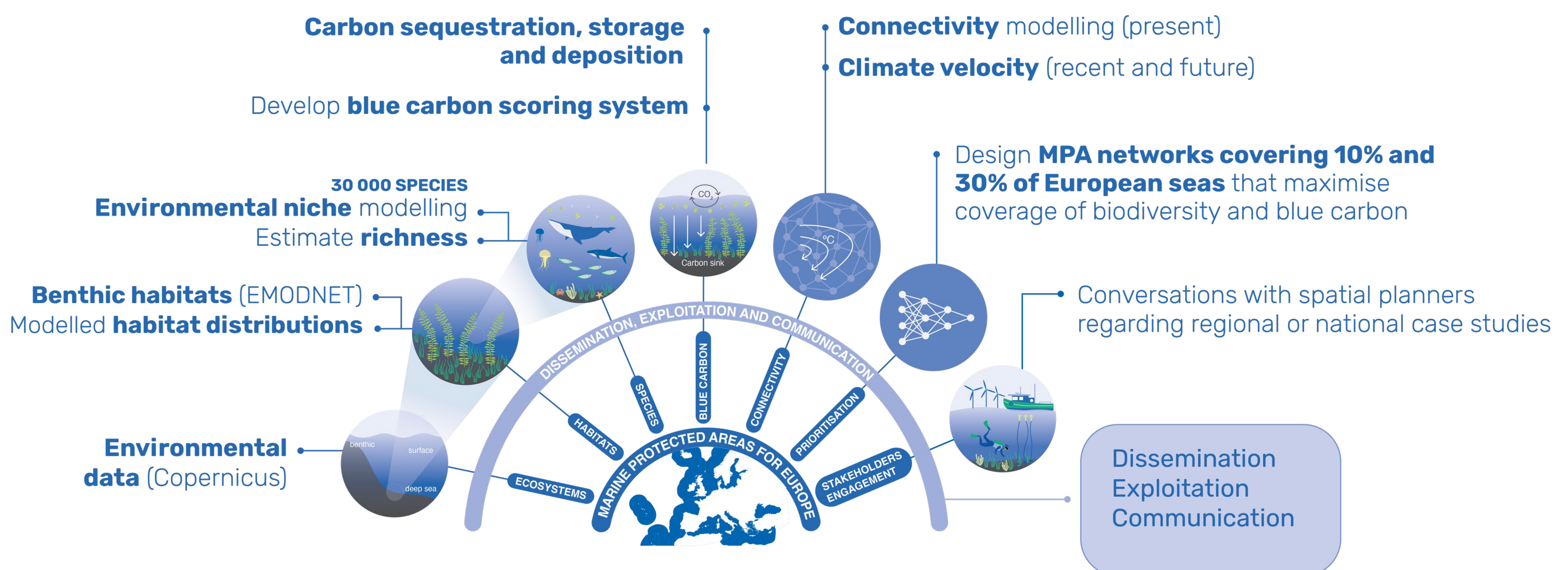
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Mapping optimal locations for Marine Protected Areas in all European seas for a network including high biodiversity of species, habitats, and ecosystems, and blue carbon stores for improving Marine Spatial Planning in a changing climate, from January 2023 to April 2026.



Progress to date:

- 1 Compiling a compendium of environmental and habitat data;
- 2 Adding over 3 million species records into OBIS;
- 3 Engaging with stakeholders in the Baltic, Black Sea, Atlantic and Mediterranean ocean basins;
- 4 Compiling a new database on sediment organic carbon stocks in European regional seas;
- 5 Calculating wave exposure for all European coasts.



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