

# M **MARINE PROTECTED AREAS** **PA** EUROPE

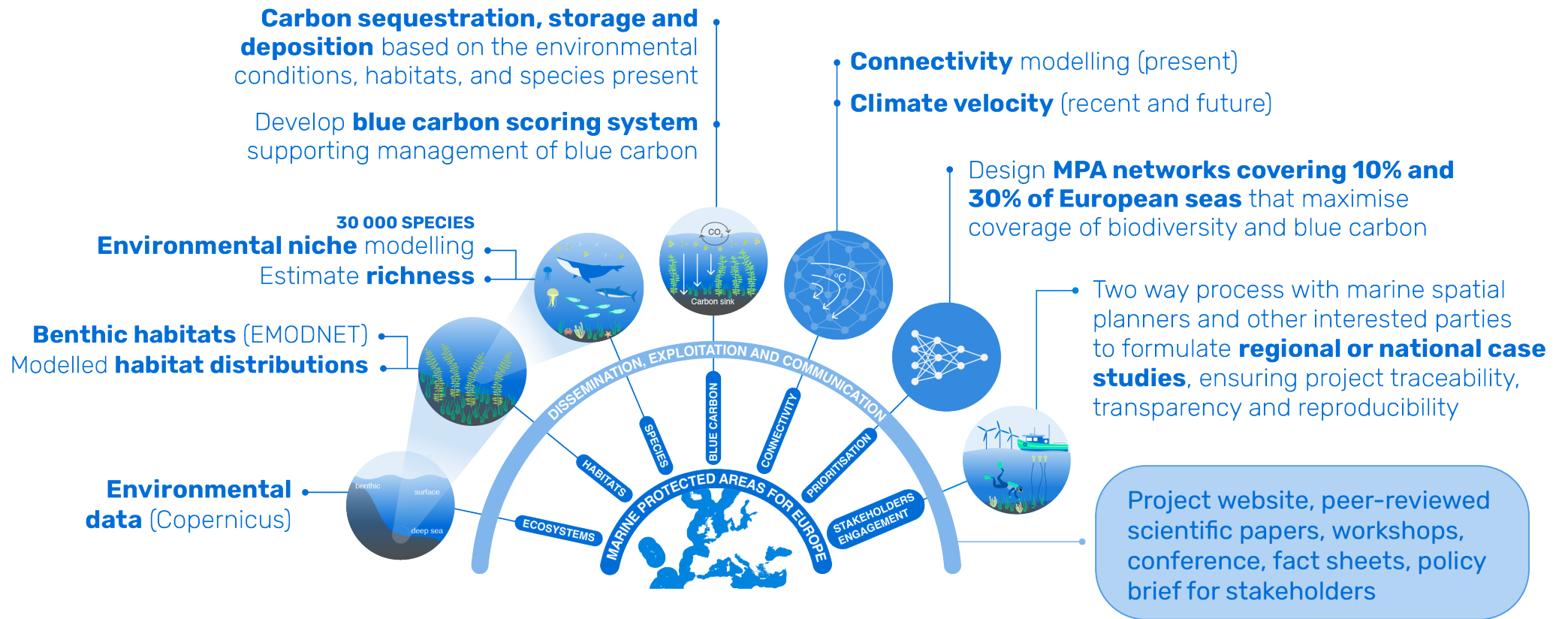
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Mapping the optimal locations for Marine Protected Areas in **all European seas** for a network including **high biodiversity of species, habitats, and ecosystems**, and **blue carbon stores** to support science-based Marine Spatial Planning in a changing climate.





-  Adding >3 million species records into OBIS and providing current and future scenarios for their distributions
-  Marine ecosystem classification of surface and near seabed waters of Europe
-  Compiling >33,650 entries on sediment organic carbon stocks in European seas from 30 countries and high seas
-  Calculating wave exposure for all European coasts
-  Engaging with marine and maritime stakeholders across European sea basins
-  Project presentation/participation in 58 events across different countries and platforms from January 2023 until April 2024

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