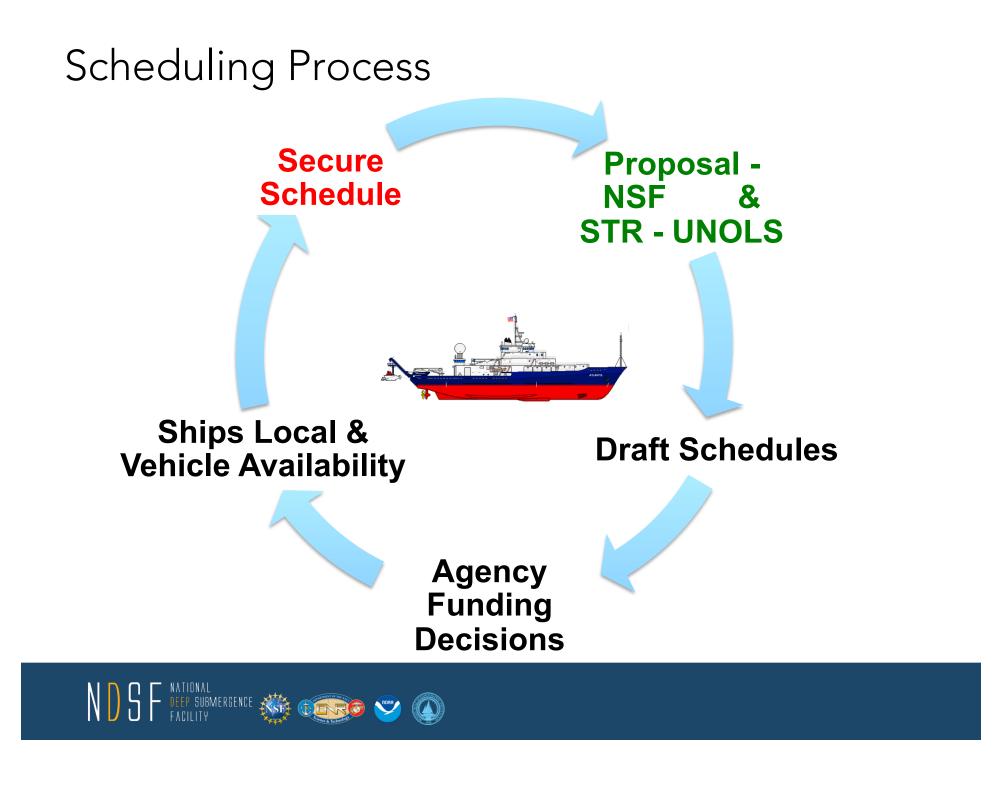
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- Scheduling Process
- How (& why) to be FLEXIBLE
- Vehicle Reports
- Looking forward

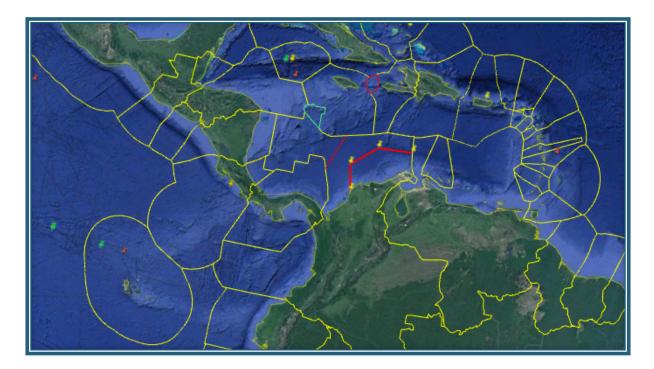
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How (& why) to be FLEXIBLE!

- 1. Get your proposals/ STR's in early
- 2. Can you use a Global or an Ocean class vessel
- 3. Propose options: Alvin or Jason and/ or Sentry
- 4. Are there multiple locations to do your science
- 5. Give a wide weather/ operations window
- 6. Talk with schedulers early & throughout the process

Exclusive Economic Zones "EEZ"



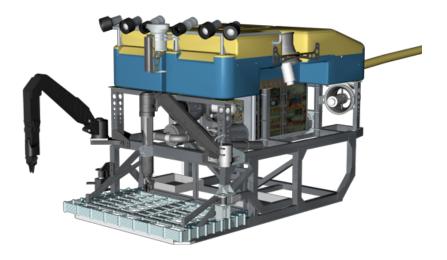
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<u>Alvin 2020</u>		<u>Alvin 2021</u>	
Funded	10	Funded	0
Pending	44	Pending	34
TBS	0	TBS	14
Total Days	54	Total Days	48
Cruises	5	Cruises	3





<u>Jason 2020</u>		
Funded	49	
Pending	83	
TBS	13	
Total Days	147	
Cruises	17	

<u>Jason 2021</u>	
Funded	12
Pending	37
TBS	34
Total Days	83
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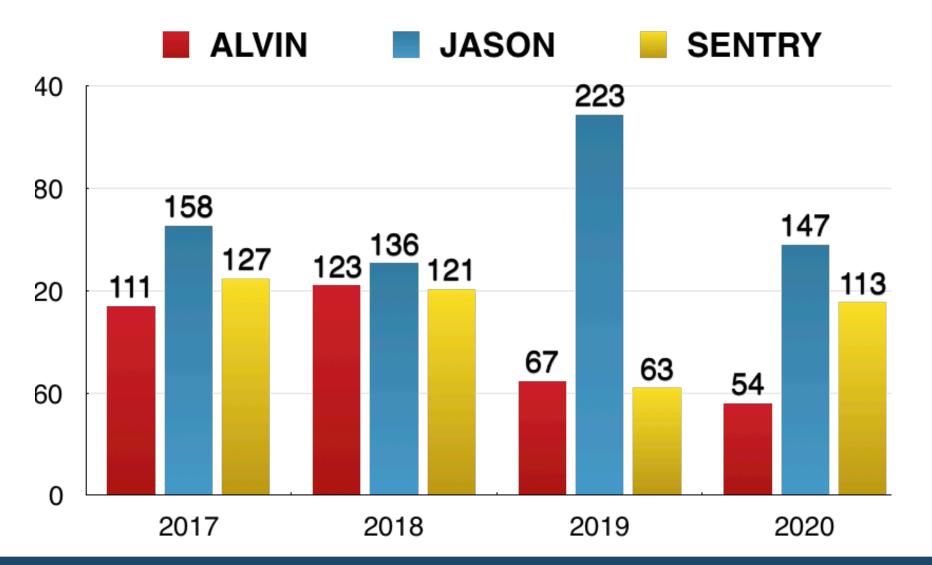


<u>Sentry 2020</u>		5
Funded	81	F
Pending	18	F
TBS	14	Т
Total Days	113	Т
Cruises	8	(

<u>Sentry 2021</u>	
Funded	11
Pending	14
TBS	26
Total Days	51
Cruises	4



Days Funded from 2017 to 2019 (2020 Requested)



2018 Alvin, Jason & Sentry Operation Areas



☆	121	Sentry days
\bigstar	136	Jason days
\bigstar	123	Alvin days

6 Cruises	
9 Cruises	
6 Cruises	





Looking forward

- ➢ Good mix of funding sources: NSF, ONR & NOAA
- Utilization rates are consistent
- > Engineering dives are valuable to the facility & users success
- ➤ AGOR 23 Class Mid-life Refit:
 - Revelle due in April 2019
 - Atlantis mid 2020, coordinate w/ Alvin overhaul
 - Mid 2021 all vessels back in operation







I'm here to help

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