

# Ocean Observatories Initiative Overview

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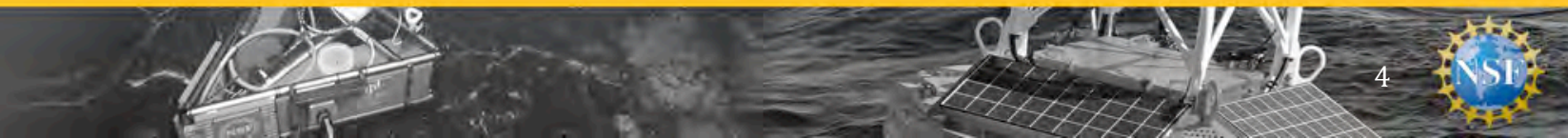
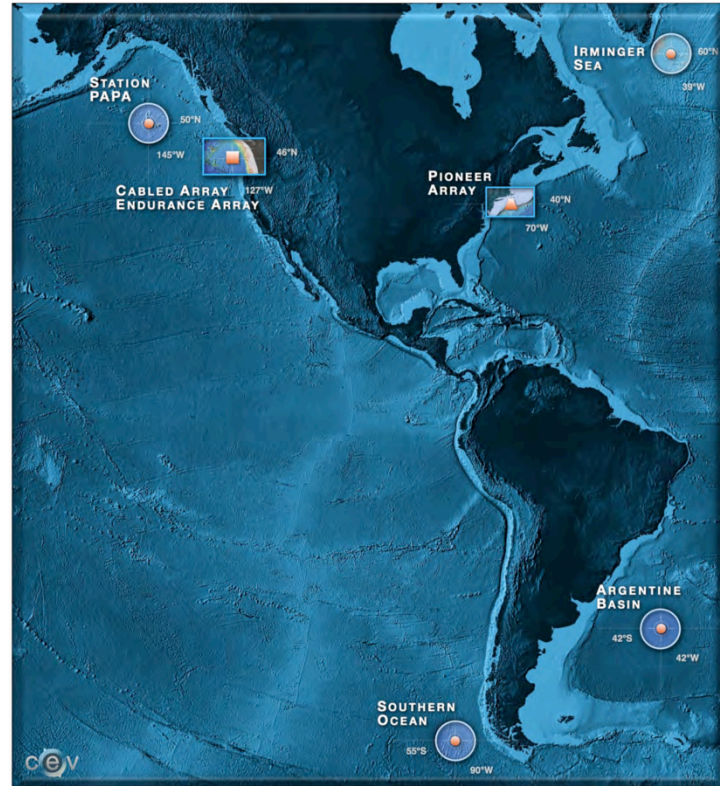
# OOI 2016 Highlights

- We're operational! 2016 marks first full year of operations.
- Data is flowing from 83 platforms, carrying 857 instruments, providing over 100,000 scientific and engineering data products.
- 5 of 9 planned “turn cruises” complete. 1 in progress.
- MREFC (Construction) phase of OOI is (officially) complete.
- NSF accepted and commissioned OOI on 03 Jun.
- CI – real, measurable success stories. Significant progress since Jan.
- Partnerships, engagement, and dialogue!

# OOI Way Ahead – Priority Next Steps

- CI – it's not (quite) there yet. Our TOP Priority.
  - Improving our data display and delivery capabilities – our “user experience”
  - Data re-ingest, verification, and making available more real time and legacy data
- Steady state operations. What does that look like?
- Long term budgets. How much does OOI cost to run? What can we do to make it run leaner, and more efficiently?
- Lessons Learned!
- Partnerships, engagement, and dialogue!

# OOI Is Open For Business! How Are We Doing?



# Thank You!

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