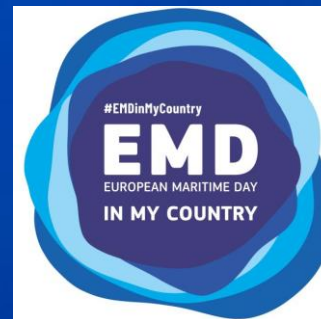


Ocean Science for a Healthy Planet

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The Institut de Ciències del Mar (ICM) is the largest marine research centre of the Spanish Research Council (CSIC)

- Most multidisciplinary marine science hub in Spain
- 2022 - 314 staff (179 women, 135 men)
- 2022 - Budget 19.7 million euro (57% soft funding)
- 2022 - >300 scientific papers, 94% in OA, 87% Q1
- Leading role in Southern Europe and the Mediterranean
- First and only marine science research center to achieve the 'Severo Ochoa Centre of Excellence' accreditation



70 years of ocean research



Opening
Instituto de Investigaciones Pesqueras
1951



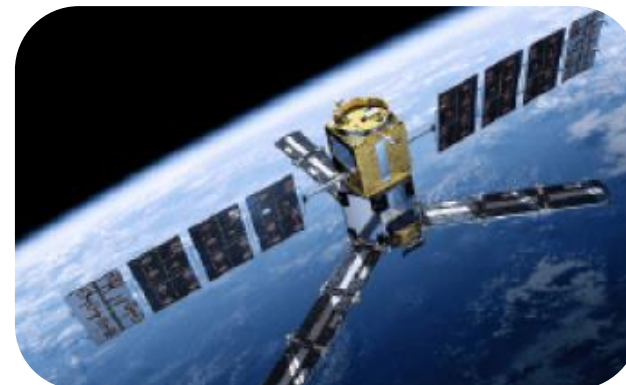
New headquarters
2001



Achievement
Severo Ochoa Excellence Award
2020



1988
First
Spanish Antarctic Research Station



2007
Leading ESA's SMOS mission
Soil Moisture and Ocean Salinity

At ICM we identify three broad, overlapping challenges that frame and guide our research

Each of the challenges includes several research lines within the fields of biology, physics, chemistry and geology



Social commitment

Social Council



ICM Transfer

Public administrations

Local, Regional, National,
European, International

Public and Private sectors

Public and private companies,
associations & foundations



Society at large (incl. Citizen Science)

General end-users, Specific end-users
(schools, museums, etc.)



RETHINKING EXCELLENCE

Science of excellence with social commitment

The ICM provides the scientific basis necessary for the sustainable development of the Blue Economy

We are committed to play a significant role in the local ecosystem of Blue Economy

