

NASA Headquarters Perspectives

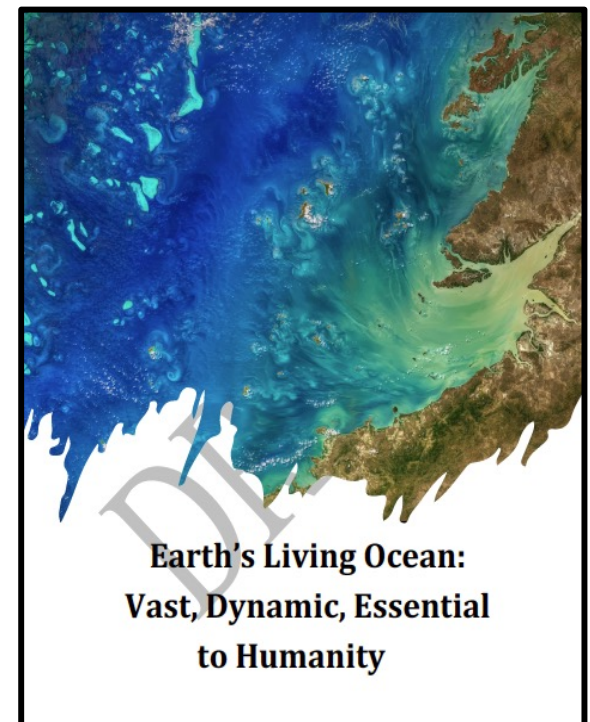
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NASA OCEAN BIOLOGY & BIOGEOCHEMISTRY'S SCIENCE VISION

GRAND CHALLENGE: LEVERAGING BIG OCEAN DATA

- Access and Utility of Ocean Observational Data
 - *Data Access*: Accessibility of different data streams through networked computational and data facilities
 - *Skills*: Tools and training for researchers and others to work with 'Big Data'
 - *Syntheses*: Syntheses and common currencies for diverse and multi-dimensional data
 - *Machine Learning*: Integrate machine learning specialists and statisticians within ocean biology and biogeochemical research groups
 - *Ocean Digital Twin*: Ocean version of 'Earth Digital Twin'



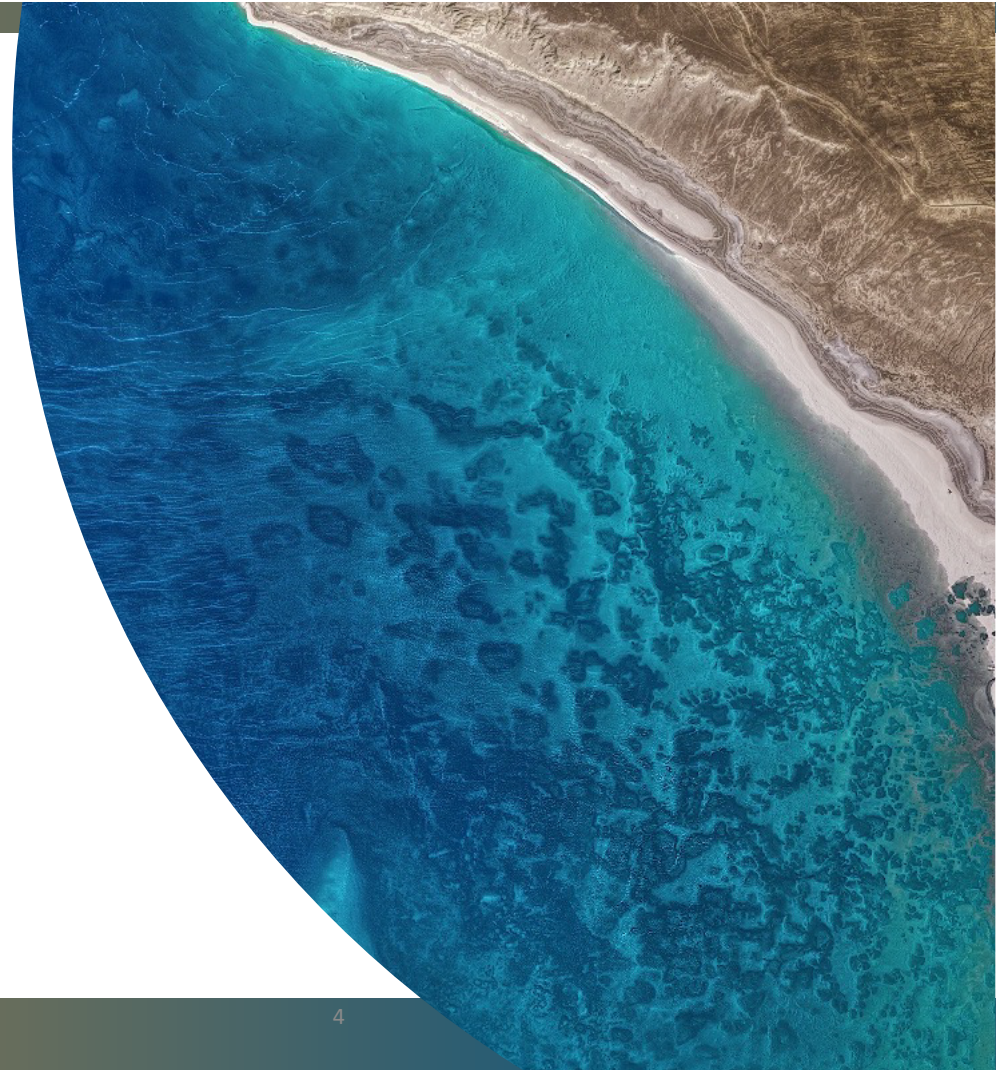
OB.DAAC Active & Heritage Missions

Global Processing & Distribution

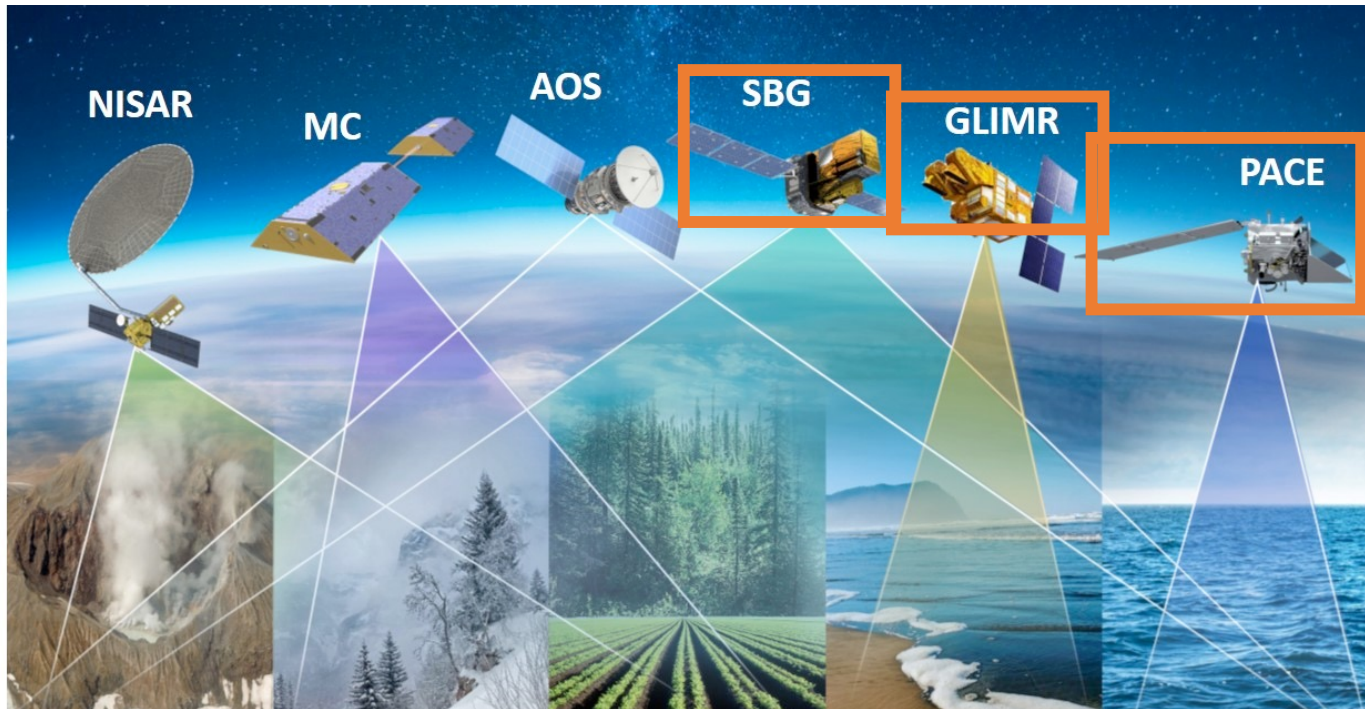
- **VIIRS/JPSS1** (USA)
- **VIIRS/SNPP** (USA)
- **MODIS/Aqua** (USA)
- **MODIS/Terra** (USA)
- **OLCI/S3A** (Europe)
- **OLCI/S3B** (Europe)
- **SeaWiFS** (USA)
- **MERIS** (Europe)
- **OCTS** (Japan)
- **CZCS** (USA)

Regional Processing & Distribution

- **Hawkeye** (USA)
- **GOCI** (South Korea)
- **HICO** (USA)



Multi- and Cross-mission Synergies



Aerosols — AOS
 Gases — SBG
 Surface Deformation — NISAR
 Surface Composition and Geologic Hazards — SBG

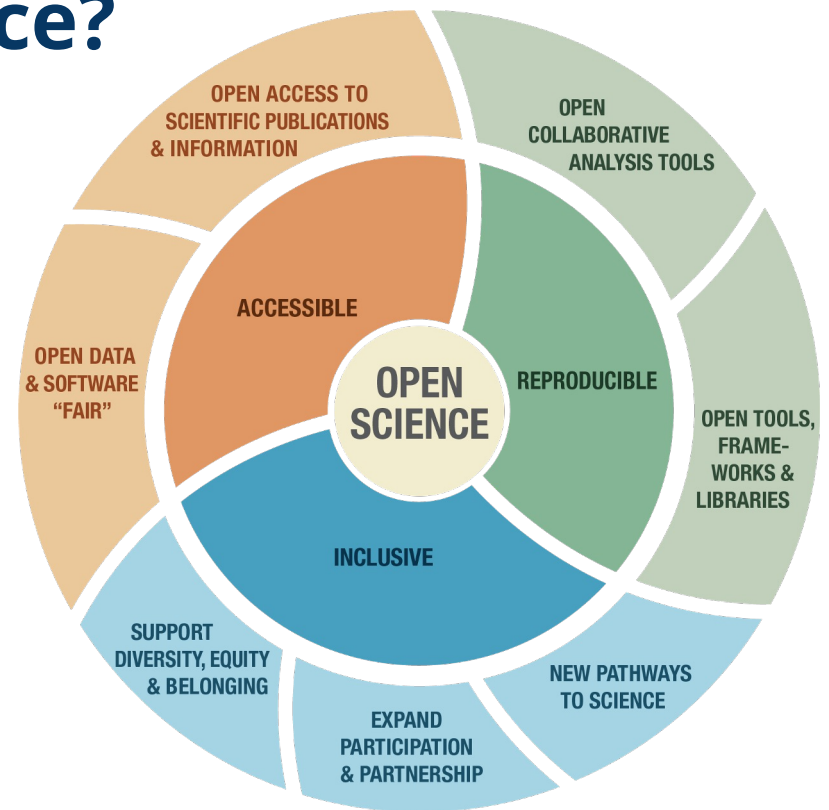
Precipitation — AOS
 Ice Mass Evolution — NISAR
 Snow Albedo and Melt — SBG
 Water storage-MC

Boundary Layers — AOS
 Ecosystem Structure — NISAR
 Vegetation Type and Physiology — SBG

Phytoplankton, Organic Matter, Sediment — SBG, GLIMR, PACE

What is Open Science?

- **Open** the entirety of the scientific process, *from start to finish*
- **Broaden** community involvement in the scientific process
- **Increase** accessibility of data, software, & publications
- **Facilitate** inclusion, transparency, and reproducibility of science



Why Open Science?

We are facing **Big** Challenges:

COVID, climate change, marine heat waves, increases in HABs & hypoxia, ocean acidification, ecosystem shifts, loss of biodiversity

We need **more** people – more hands, more eyes, more minds – with diverse experiences to be engaged and participate in the science and applications to ask the best questions and find the best solutions

Open Science:

- Accelerates the **pace** of science
- Increases the **impact** of science
- Expands the **applications** of data and science
- Shares hidden **knowledge** and expands **participation** in science



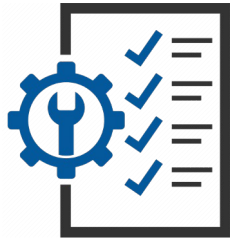
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Open-Source Science Initiative

Unlocking the full potential of a more equitable, impactful, efficient, scientific future



Policy development, education, compliance tools
Updating NASA policies on scientific information to better enable the activation of open science



ROSES Elements
Supporting open-source software, tools, frameworks, libraries, platforms, and training with over \$5 million dollars in grants



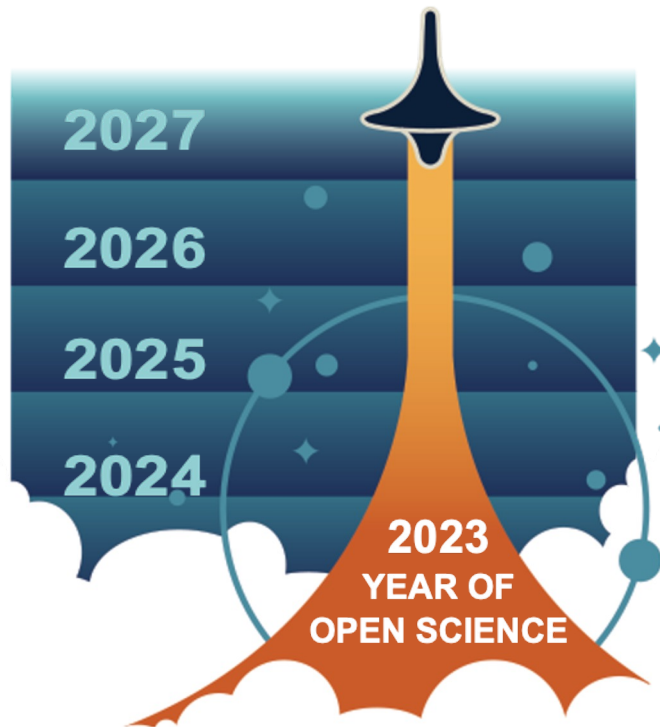
Core Services for Science Discovery
Developing core data and computing services to enable open science



Community Building & Partnerships - Transform to Open Science (TOPS)
Accelerating adoption of open science



Leading the Path to Open-Source Science



Transform to Open Science (TOPS) is a \$40 million* 5-year NASA Science Mission Directorate mission geared towards accelerating the adoption and understanding of open science

Key Goals:

- Increase understanding & adoption of open science
- Accelerate major scientific discoveries.
- Broaden participation by historically underrepresented communities

TOPS mailing list: <https://go.nasa.gov/3Lwlb87>

*pending appropriations

The Future is in your hands!

- Thank **you** for your involvement and support of the OB.DAAC User Working Group!

