

## Concerted Action on Offshore Wind Energy in Europe



### Review of Offshore Wind Energy

# Research, Projects and Market Developments

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### Introduction

- Research
- Offshore Windfarms
- Markets
- Other Activities
- CA-OWEE Project







### Research

- European & National
- Topics:
  - Resource
  - Wind-turbines
  - Windfarms
  - Installation
  - O & M
  - Also non-wind energy, i.e. wave energy,
     offshore & coastal engineering





### Research

- Some Current Key Projects
  - POWER (resource assessment, RAL)
  - WEMSAR (satellite, Nansen)
  - RECOFF (design recommendations, Risø)
  - OWTES (Blyth, Garrad Hassan)
  - ENDOW (windfarm development, Risø)
  - Many at national level





#### **Installed Onshore:**

• Last year ~ 4 GW

#### Installed Offshore

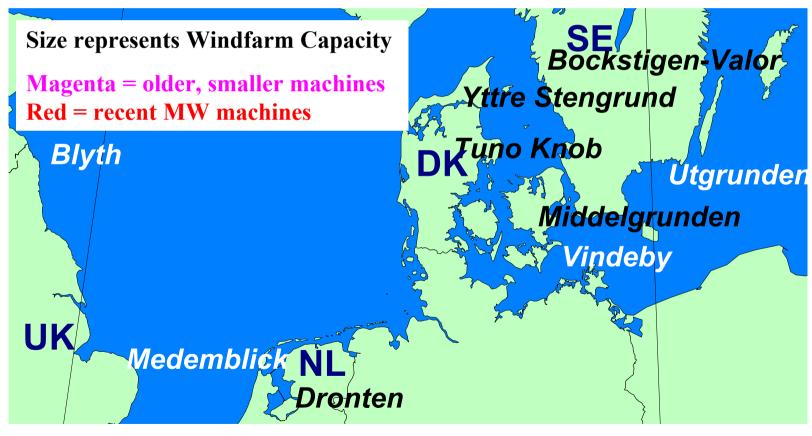
- Last year (2000) ~ 54 MW
- This year (2001) = 10 MW
- Next year (2002) ~ 300 MW (?)





### **Existing Offshore Windfarms**

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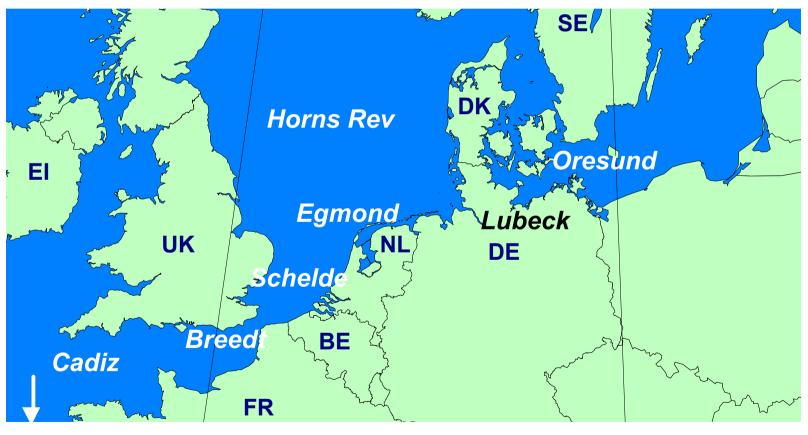






### Planned Offshore Windfarms

### Some of the Planned Windfarms







# The First Offshore Wind Turbine

- Nogersund, Baltic (SE)
- Constructed 1991
- 220kW WindWorld Turbine
- In 7m water, 250m from shore







#### The First Offshore Wind Farm

- Vindeby (DK)
- Constructed 1991
- 11 x 450kW Bonus Wind Turbines
- In 3-5m water, 1.5km from shore
- Gravity-base foundation







# Further Early Prototype Farms with Small Turbines [500-600 kW]

• Medemblik (NL); 1994; 4 turbines; monopile; inland-sea



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# Further Early Prototype Farms with Small Turbines [500-600 kW]

- Tunø Knob (DK); 1995; 10 turbines; similar to Vindeby
- Dronten (NL); 1996; 28 turbines; 20m from shore; inland-sea
- Bockstigen-Valor (SE); 1998; 5 turbines; monopiles in Baltic





# Recent Prototype Farms with Large Turbines [>1 MW]

- Middelgrunden (DK); 2000; 20 x 2MW Bonus turbines; gravity-base; 3km off Copenhagen shore
- Utgrunden (SE); 2000; 7 x 1.4MW Enron turbines; monopile; on 7-10m deep reef 8km from shore in the Baltic
- Yttre Stengrund (SE); 2001; 5 x 2MW NEG Micon turbines





# Recent Prototype Farms with Large Turbines [>1 MW]

• Blyth (UK); 2000; 2 x 2MW Vestas turbines; 8m water 800m from shore in the North-Sea







### Plans & Markets

- National Offshore Windenergy Targets
  - Denmark 4,000 MW by 2030
  - Netherlands 1,250 MW by 2020
  - United Kingdom 2,600 MW by 2010
- National Renewable Energy Targets
  - all other countries





### Other Activities

- Information Resources
  - Electronic / Internet Sites
  - Print
- Education
  - MSc in Renewable Energy
  - MSc in Wind Energy
- Conferences & Seminars
  - From Wind Energy Community
  - From Offshore Engineering





### Other Activities

- Conferences & Seminars
  - From Wind Energy Community
  - From Offshore Engineering
- Organisations
  - International: EWEA
  - National: OWEN,



## **CA-OWEE Project**



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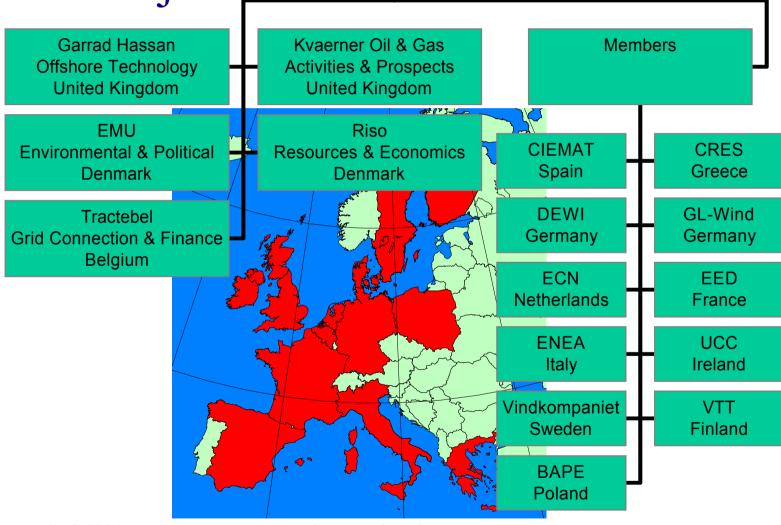
- Objective: Define the State of the Art
- 17 partners from 13 countries
- Finish at the end of this year
- Information freely available, via:
  - The EWEA Special Topic Conference, here
  - Internet site www.offshorewindenergy.org
     (December 2001)
  - Report (at end of project)
- Funded by the European Commission



Partners in the Project

Delft University of Technology Co-ordinator Netherlands





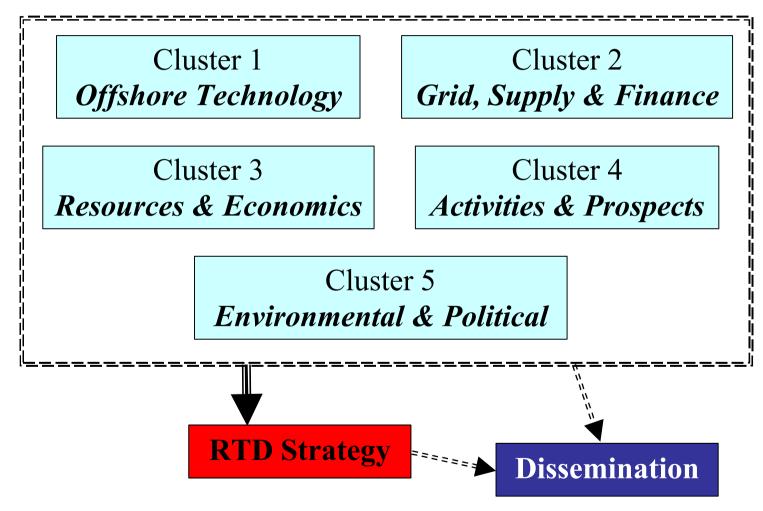
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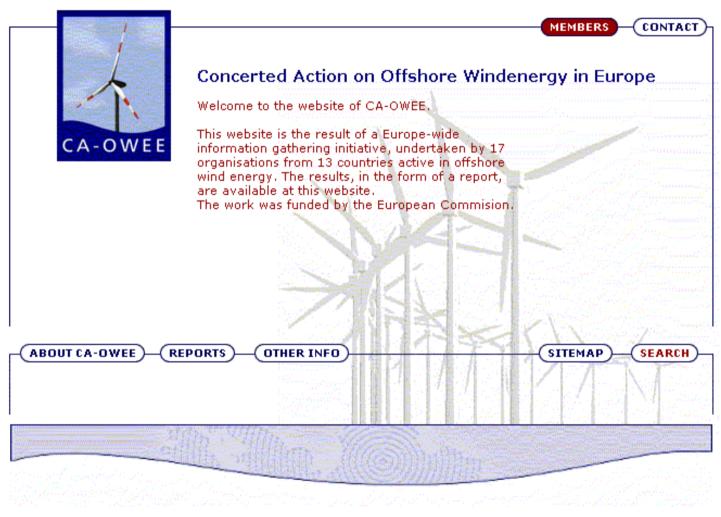
### Project Tasks







### Internet Site - Welcome







### More Information

If you would like further information about the CA-OWEE project, please:

- Visit the website at www.offshorewindenergy.org
- Read the report (in the delegate bag)
- Contact me here or email me at A.Henderson@CiTG.TUDelft.nl

