



Marine
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Organisation



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Overview

- The Marine Pioneer Programme – what, when, where and who
- SWEEP's contribution to the Marine Pioneer in North Devon
- The impact of the SWEEP work
- Next steps



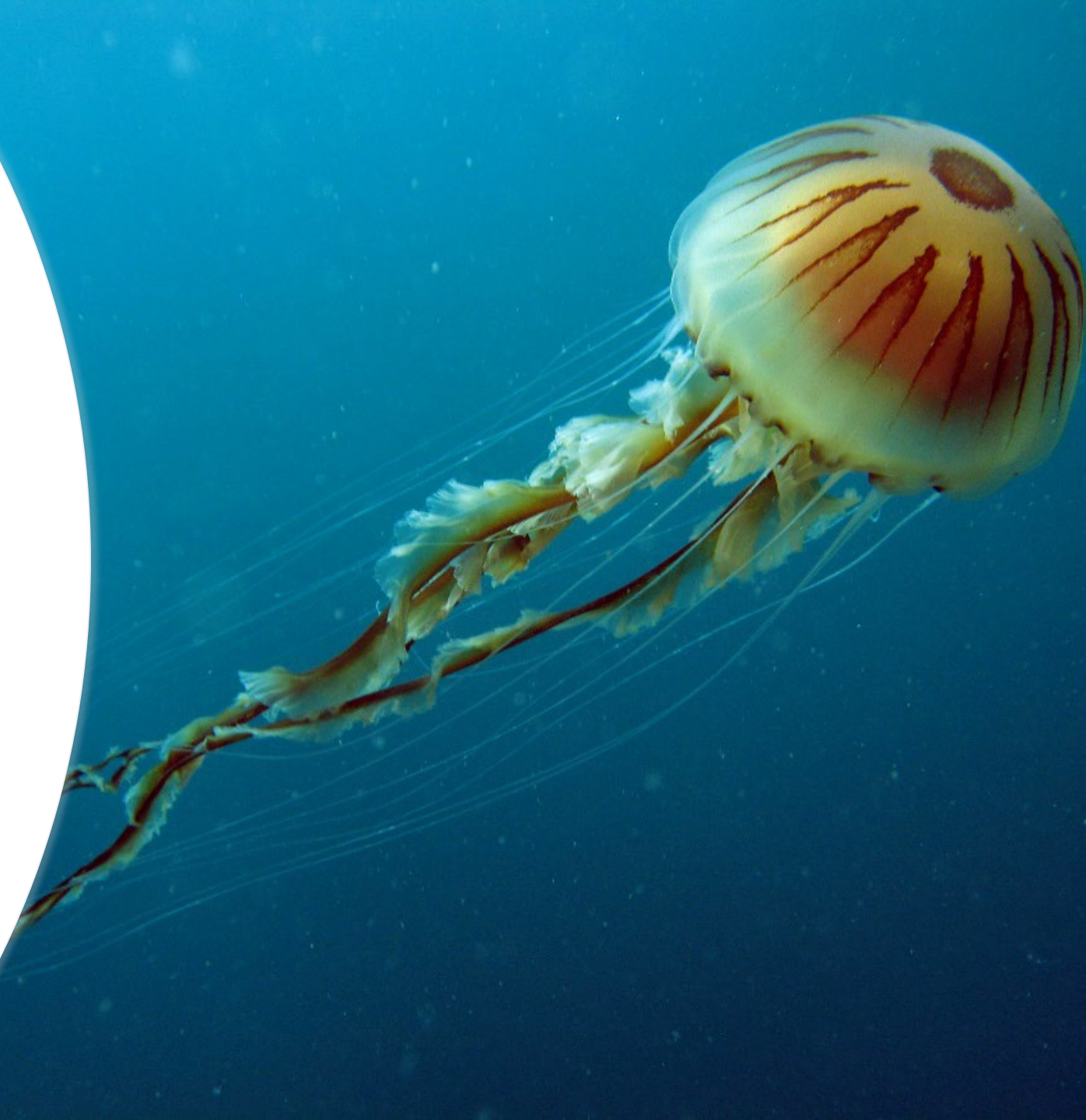
The Marine Pioneer – what and when

Marine is 1 of 4 pioneer programmes

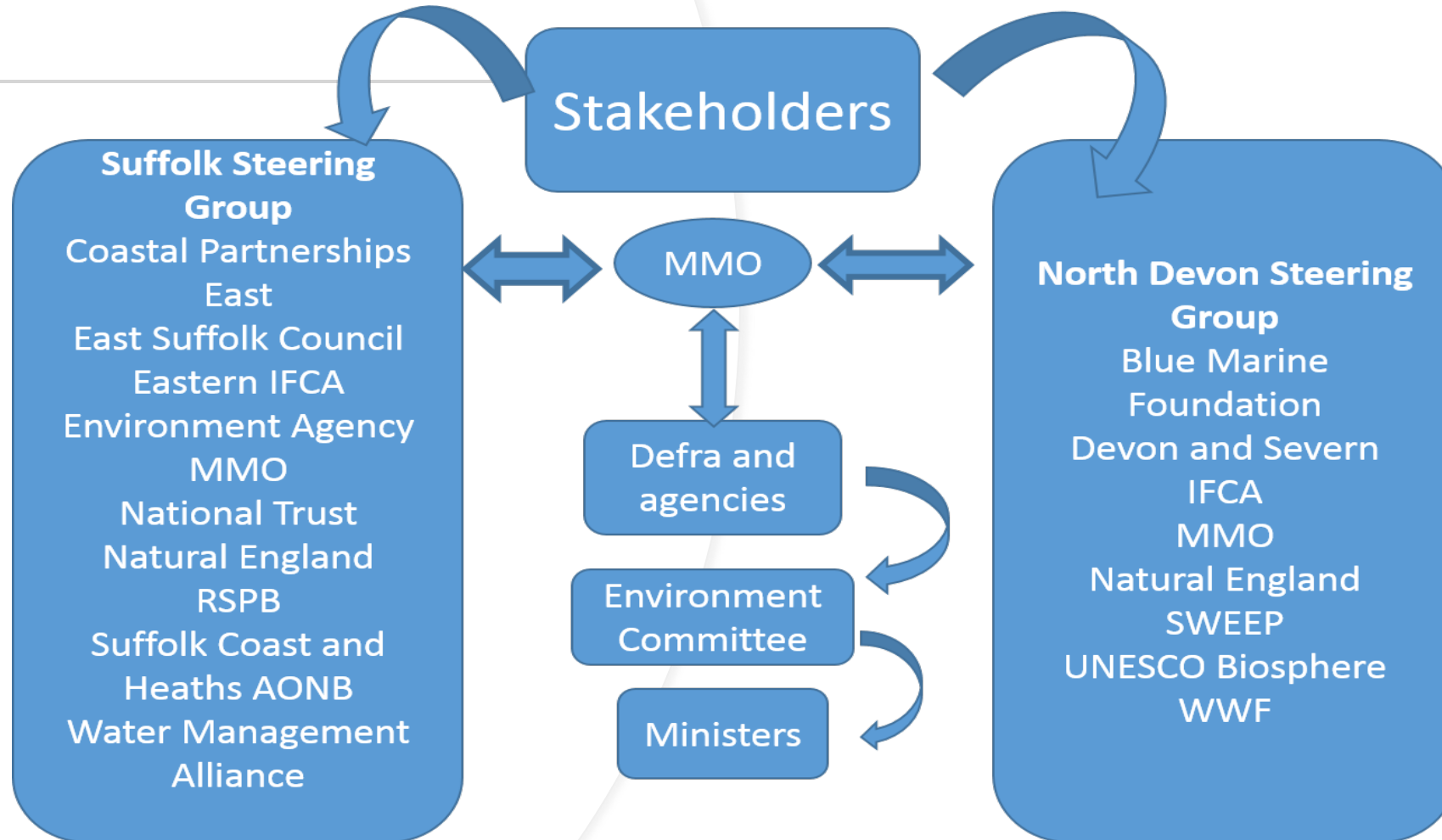
Defra asks of the pioneers:

- Test new tools and methods as part of applying a natural capital approach in practice;
- Demonstrate a joined-up, integrated approach to planning and delivery;
- Pioneer and 'scale-up' the use of new funding opportunities; and
- Grow our understanding of 'what works', sharing lessons and best practice.

March '17 – March '20



The Marine Pioneer – where and who



SWEEP's contribution to the Marine Pioneer

- Developing a marine natural capital approach
- Providing the fundamental ecological and risk information for the case studies – marine protected areas, fisheries
- Contributing to thinking on integrated planning and delivery and net gain
- Being a constructive, generous and thought provoking partner in the steering group and the programme



The Impact of SWEEP's work

- The first collation of natural capital information on assets and risks to those assets for England – a template from which others can work and develop
- A basis on which to look more cumulatively at the pressures and impacts on the services which the sea provides to people – this moves us toward being able to assess multiple use and think about the trade offs
- A blueprint for academics working in partnership with government, non-government, local conservation, fisheries and authority partners – this fruitful model could be used more to explore complex problems in local places that inform policy, implementation and management at all scales



Next steps

- Marine Natural Capital Plan implementation
- Testing learning in more case studies – decision making
- Sharing with Defra and agencies to inform their continuing work on applying a natural capital approach
- Supporting transformation in management of biodiversity



Thank you!

