### Wind farm zone Borssele

Status and progress of site studies carried out for the Borssele wind farm zone

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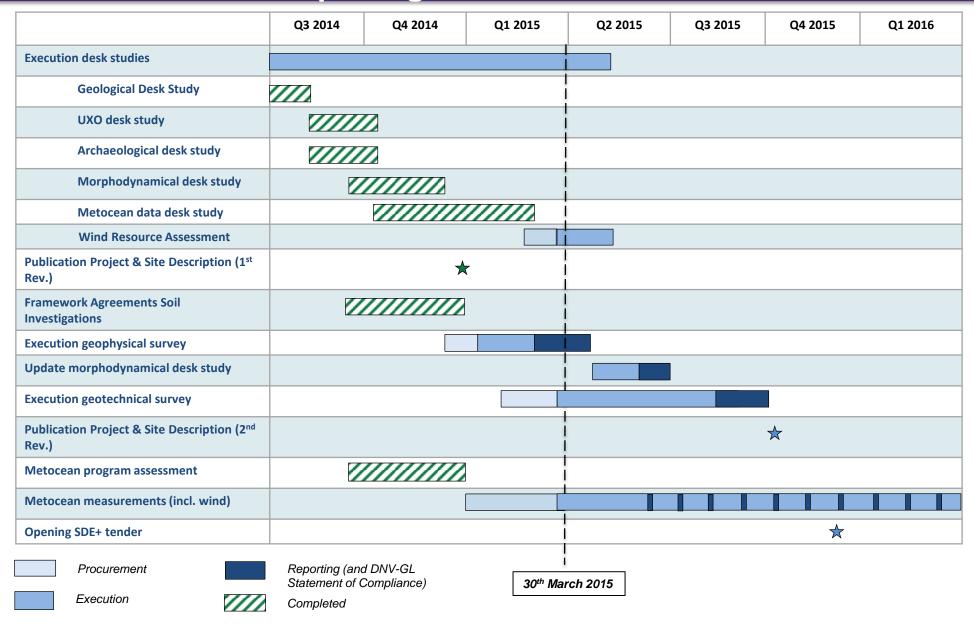


#### Site investigations: steps

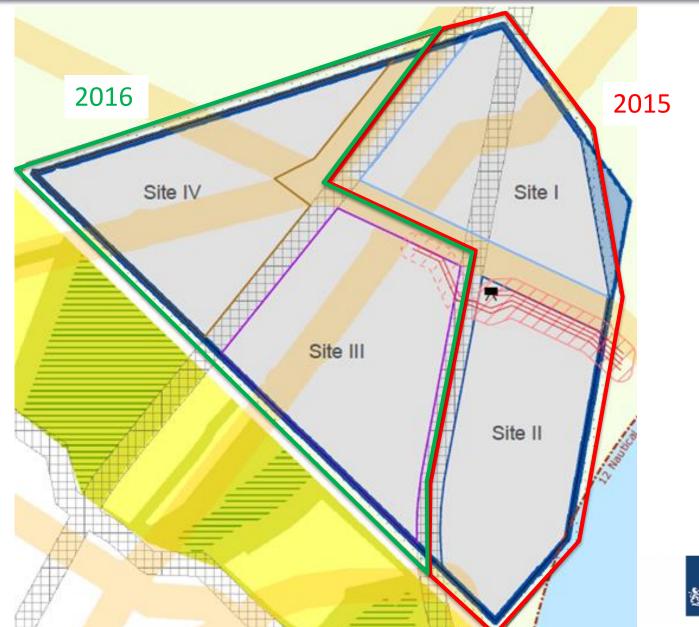
- ➤ Start works Borssele (July 2014)
  - First round desk studies
- Project and site description 1<sup>st</sup> Revision
  - Geophysical and geotechnical surveys (WFS I&II);
  - metocean measurement campaign
  - Update desk studies
- **▶** Project and site description 2<sup>nd</sup> Revision
  - Geophysical and geotechnical surveys (WFS III&IV)
- ➤ Project and site description 3<sup>rd</sup> Revision



# Progress of studies and investigations on target for delivery of the information package for first tender in Q4 2015



# Borssele wind farm zone is divided into four wind farm sites. Site I and II will be tendered in 2015, sites III and IV in 2016





# Desk studies indicate that there are no specific constraints for developing offshore wind farms

- Geology and Geomorphology (CRUX)
   To be replaced by geological model resulted from geophysical survey
- UXO (REASeuro)
   Possible presence of UXO's but no constraint for OWF related activities
- Archeology (Vestigia)
   Prehistoric sites not likely. Historic wrecks could be present
- Morphodynamics (Deltares)
   BWFZ is highly dynamic. To be updated with results geophysical survey
- Metocean (Deltares)
   Full set data for each site available
- Wind resource assessment (Ecofys)
   Ongoing, expected end of April 2015
- Wind Measurement Program Assessment (DNV-GL)
   Advice: Floating Lidar measurement campaign in BWFZ.



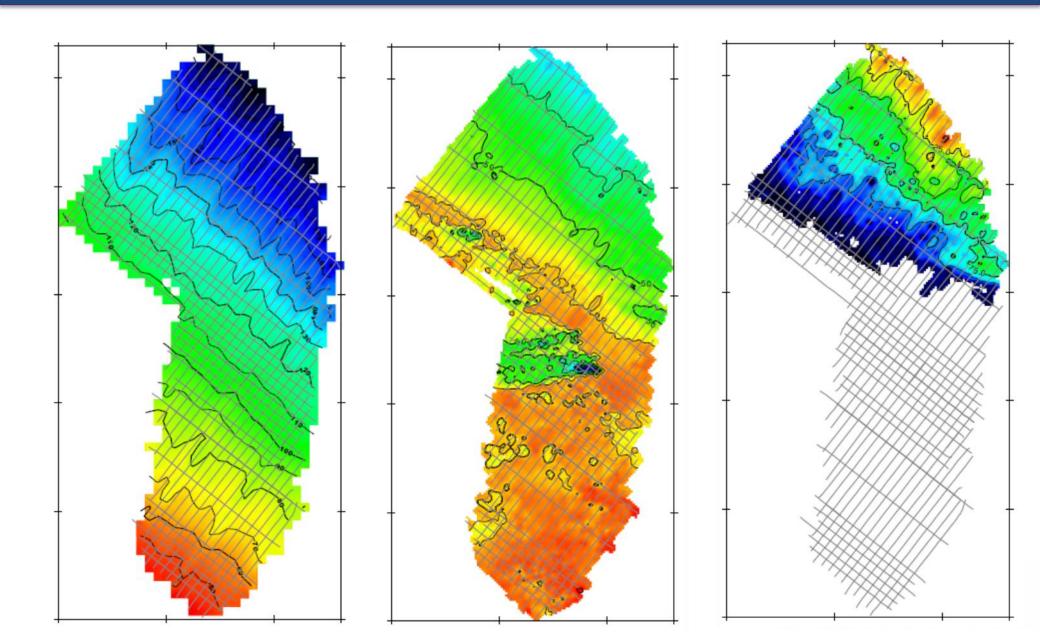


#### Site investigations on track

- Geophysical survey BWFZ Sites I&II (Deep)
   Survey and reporting completed, Report planned to be available mid
   April 2015
- Geotechnical investigations BWFZ Sites I&II (Fugro)
  Started. Offshore works expected to start April 2015
- Metocean campaign
   Starts shortly. Alcatel period ends 31-3-2015
- Geophysical survey BWFZ Sites III&IV Procurement ongoing.



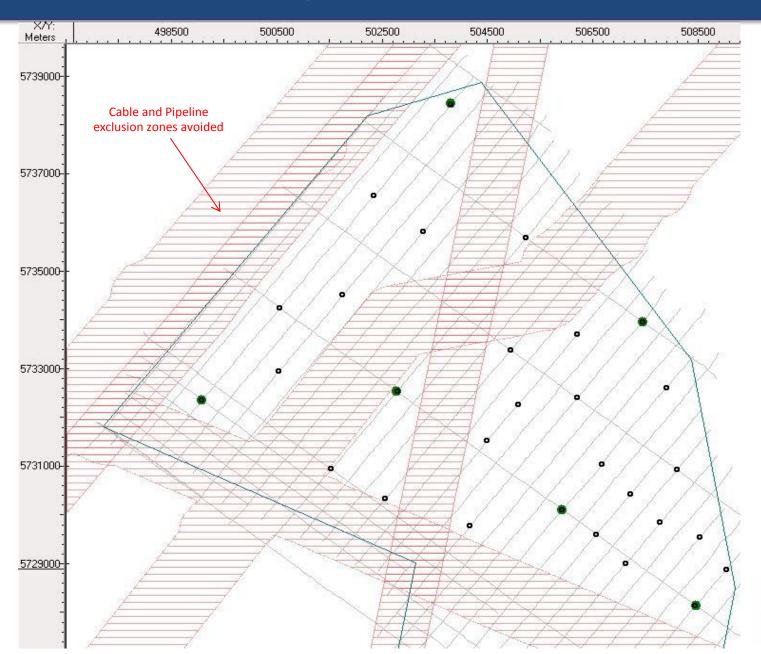
### Geological model developed based on geophys results



### **Geotechnical Investigation contract awarded to Fugro**



#### **Geotechnical sample locations - WFS I**

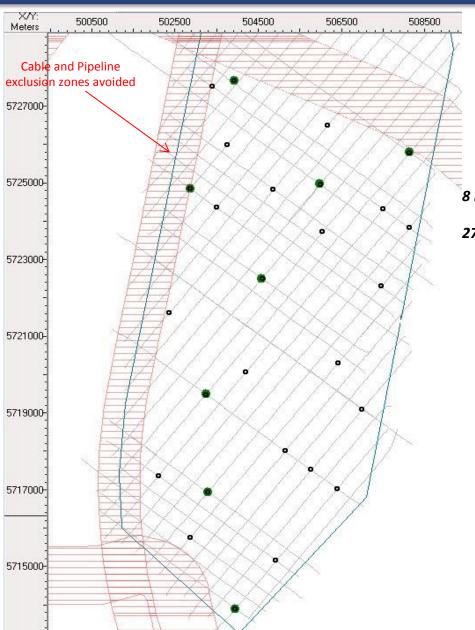


Borehole Locations • CPT Locations •

6 Boreholes / PCPT's (target depths 3 x 60m / 3 x 80m) 28 PCPT's (target depth 50m)



#### **Geotechnical sample locations - WFS II**



Borehole Locations • CPT Locations •

8 Boreholes / PCPT's (target depths 5 x 50m / 1 x 60m / 1 x 65m / 1 x 80m)
27 PCPT's (target depth 50m)



#### Post survey updates

Geology and Geomorphology (CRUX)
 To be replaced by geological model resulted from geophysical survey.

#### Morphodynamics (Deltares)

To be updated after geophys campaign WFS I&II, will be published as 2<sup>nd</sup> revision

To be updated after geophys campaign WFS III&IV, will be published as 3<sup>rd</sup> and final revision

Wind resource assessment (Ecofys)
 Update after 6 months wind data from metocean campaign available

#### Project and site description

To be updated after geotech campaign WFS I&II, will be published as 2<sup>nd</sup> revision

To be updated after geotech survey WFS III&IV, will be published as 3<sup>rd</sup> revision (if available including 6 months metocean data )

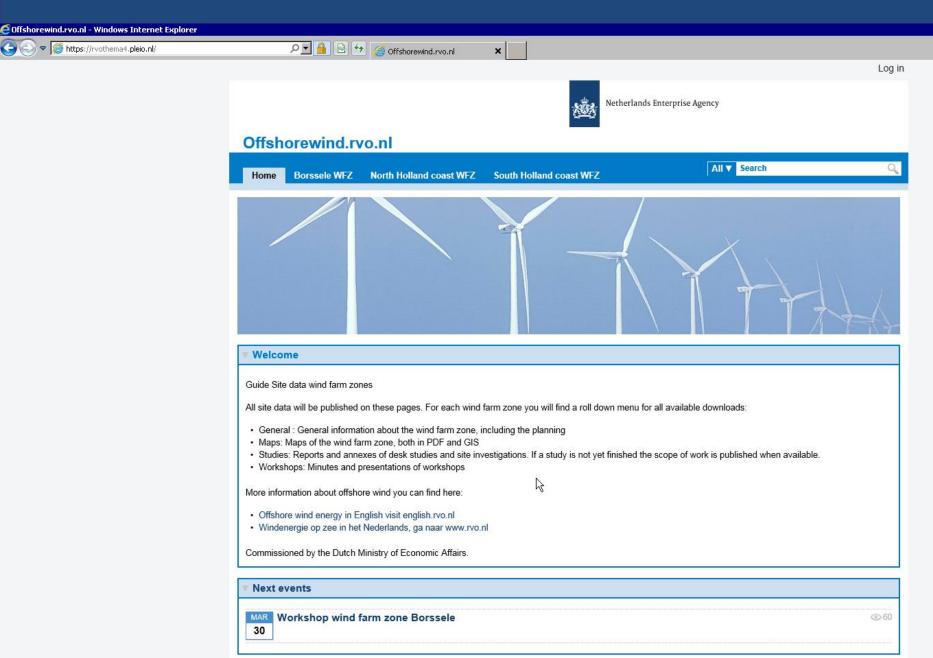


# Several quality checks have been implemented in order to provide a complete and reliable information package

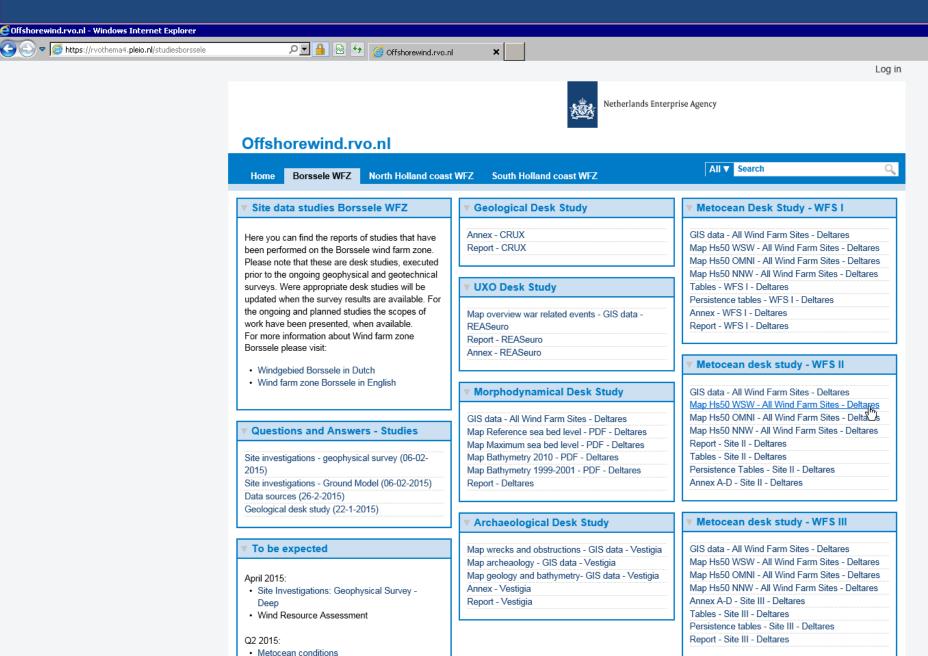
- Project management: RVO & BLIX
- Market consultations and workshops
- Review SoW's by internal and external experts (i.e. NWEA, Reynolds, Wind Support, RPS Energy)
- Verification of scopes by certifying body (DNV-GL)
- Review of results by project team and experts
- Statement of Compliance by certifying body (DNV-GL)



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