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EuroGOOS, the European Global Ocean Observing System, is an international non-profit association of governmental agencies and research organisations, established in 1994 within the context of the UNESCO Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission's Global Ocean Observing System. Today, EuroGOOS has 41 members from European countries providing operational services and carrying out marine research.

EuroGOOS regional operational oceanographic systems (ROOS) feed quality-assured data to pan-European portals, e.g. European Marine Observation and Data Network (EMODnet) and Copernicus Marine Environment Monitoring Service (CMEMS). EuroGOOS working groups and networks of marine observing platforms deliver strategies, priorities and standards, towards an integrated European Ocean Observing System.

EuroGOOS works hand in hand with partners in the European ocean research and observations community, towards the integration of scientific knowledge and innovation for different users spanning science, policy, industry and society. These activities feed into national and European agendas, enhance coordination and synergy and promote the European leadership in ocean research infrastructures, science and technology.