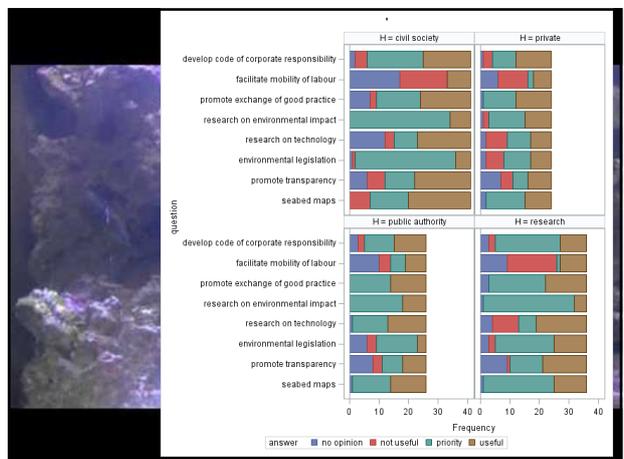
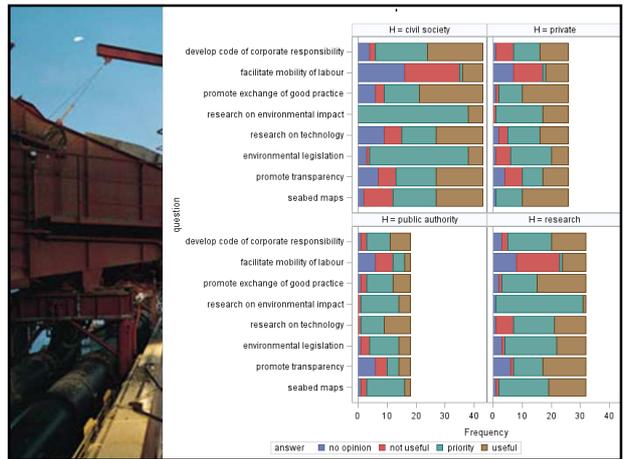


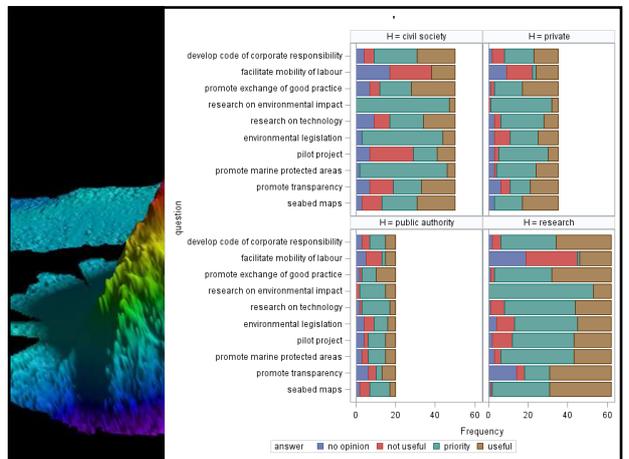
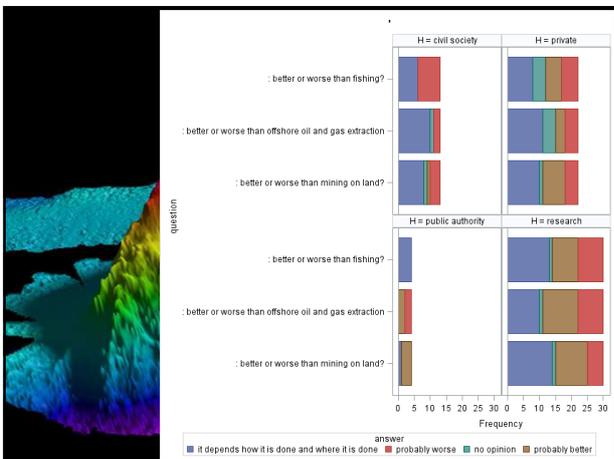
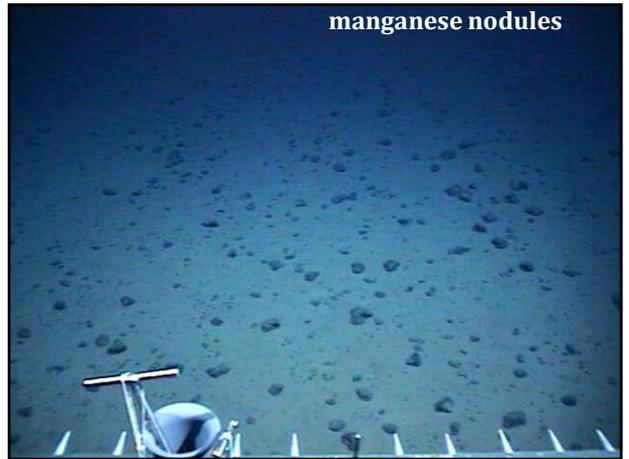
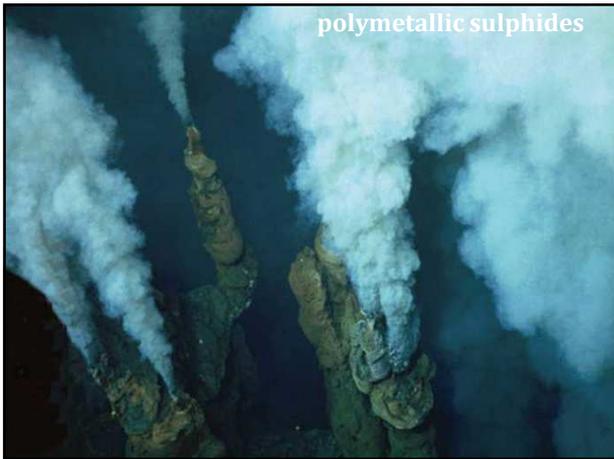


seabed mining

16 May 2014

mining	consultation to be completed 16 June	study to finish 28 August
aggregates	yes	
shallow-water mining	yes	
polymetallic sulphides	yes	yes
manganese nodules	yes	yes
cobalt-rich crusts	yes	yes





What could EU do?



- research
 - *environmental impact*
 - *pilot project*
- transparency
 - *royalties*
 - *monitoring*
- mapping

timetable



event	deadline
consultation checked with respondents	16 June 2014
consultation results on-line	30 June 2014
final report study	28 August 2014
draft consultation feedback	September 2014
note to Commissioner	September 2014
"options" paper	January 2015

Data audit

Data Set	Consideration	ValueCriteria	VCFIag	ValueCriteriaReason
D1-NS001-EA Lidar bathymetry UK East Coast	NotConsidered	Contribution	True	Gridded bathymetry data need for windfarm siting
NSChlge-001-Windfarm Siting		Location	False	challenge so not used on challenge
		Price	True	Open government licence - no fee
		Attributes	True	Spatial resolution sufficient for windfarm siting
		Delivery	False	No mechanism to obtain the data
		Usability	True	LAS files
Temperature	NotConsidered	Contribution	False	citing in the North Sea
NSChlge-001-Windfarm Siting		Location	Null	
		Price	Null	
		Attributes	Null	
		Delivery	Null	
		Usability	Null	
Gridded Bathymetry: 1 arc second resolution	Used	Contribution	True	Gridded bathymetry data need for windfarm siting
NSChlge-001-Windfarm Siting		Location	True	Data set covers north sea region
		Price	True	Open government licence - no fee
		Attributes	True	Spatial resolution sufficient for windfarm siting
		Delivery	True	Data can be downloaded from website
		Usability	True	XYZ files - bulky to use but ok
RQ-NS005-Bird feeding and migration	Null	Contribution	Null	
NSChlge-001-Windfarm Siting		Location	Null	
		Price	Null	
		Attributes	Null	
		Delivery	Null	
		Usability	Null	