

Welcome from Department for Transport

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DfT Maritime Decarbonisation Programme

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DfT's maritime decarbonisation programme

Maritime 2050, the Transport Decarbonisation Plan and the Clean Maritime Plan set the vision and framework for the programme across three connected work streams.

Domestic policy and regulation



Setting the policy and regulatory framework for maritime decarbonisation in the UK.

Plotting a trajectory to 2050 and a policy roadmap.

Securing strong sector engagement and collaboration.

International policy and regulation



Pursuing an ambitious target at the IMO this summer and a credible plan to achieve it.

Maintaining the UK's position as a world leader.

Leading through Clydebank declaration and green corridors.

Domestic Research and Development



Delivering the £206m UK SHORE research and development programme

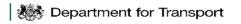
Accelerating technology development through different TRLs to commercialisation.

Leveraging private sector investment.

Clean Maritime Plan

- To send a strong signal on Government's commitment to decarbonising the shipping sector
- To incentivise the maritime sector to invest in decarbonisation through:
 - Regulatory commitments
 - Signals on the future policy pipeline
 - Ongoing support through R&D investment
 - Convening and supporting the maritime sector on the path to decarbonisation, including through the provision of analysis and evidence
- To work collaboratively with the maritime sector to ensure policies are fit for purpose





UK SHORE

In March 2022, Government allocated £206m to the UK Shipping Office for Reducing Emissions (UK SHORE) programme, which is focused on decarbonising the maritime sector. UK SHORE is delivering a suite of interventions aimed at addressing different barriers to maritime decarbonisation across a range of technology-readiness levels (TRLs).

UK SHORE Schemes

TRL1-3 [Early concept]



TRL3-7 [Testing of concept in lab conditions]



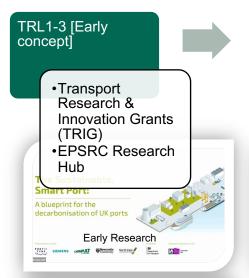
TRL7-10 [Testing of technology/ concept in real world environment]

- £7.4m Clean
 Maritime Research
 Hub
- Transport Research & Innovation Grants

£129m Clean
 Maritime
 Demonstration
 Competition Rounds
 1, 2, 3 & 4

- £77m Zero
 Emission Vessels
 and Infrastructure
- Centre for Smart Shipping

UK Shipping Office for Reducing Emissions: Supporting projects across the whole sector at every research level.



























Multi-Year CMDC

The multi-year Clean Maritime Demonstration Competition provides R&D match-funding to support the design and development of clean maritime solutions closer to commercialisation.

CMDC1

- £23m to 55 UK projects
- 208 organisations and £10m+ of private investment
- Feasibility studies and technology trials between September 2021 – March 2022

CMDC2

- £12m to 31 UK projects
- 121 organisations and £6m+ of private investment
- Feasibility studies and pre-deployment trials between January 2023 – August 2023



MJR Controls successfully completing harbour trials of their automated electric offshore vessel charging system following CMDC1 project.



CMDC1 – Optima Projects led consortia completed electric boat sea trials. Image is a computer render.

Multi-Year CMDC

CMDC3

- £60m to 19 UK projects
- 93 partners leveraging almost £30m private investment
- Technology and system demonstrations between April 2023 – March 2025

CMDC4

- £34m for demonstrations, collaborative R&D trials and feasibility studies
- Full competition scope and eligibility criteria is available now
- Application window opens on 2 August and closes on 27 September
- Winning projects deliver from April 2024 March 2025



Regional Breakdown of CMDC1-3 projects