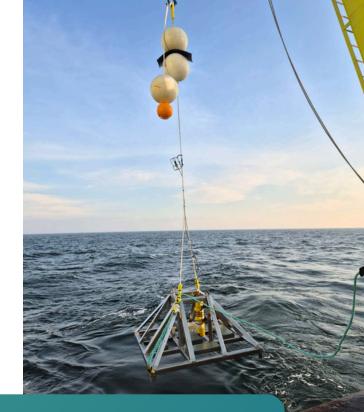
NORTH SEA PROJECT BRIEF

DEMASK

Working together to protect the marine ecosystem from noise.

DEMASK translates the most recent knowledge on noise pollution into practical solutions for marine ecosystem governance.

Niels Kinneging, Rijkswaterstaat **DEMASK project leader**



Joining forces for a quieter sea

The sea has no borders, and underwater noise spreads far and wide. Managing it requires transnational and crosssector cooperation.

DEMASK brings together policymakers, experts, NGOs and industries to protect the marine soundscape.

Turning knowledge into action

By combining sound data with ecological insight, **DEMASK** delivers practical solutions for noise reduction at sea.

Together the project works towards soundscape management that protects the marine ecosystems and species depending on them.

Supporting sound policy at every level

DEMASK contributes to underwater noise mitigation efforts of national, regional and international maritime organisations such as OSPAR, HELCOM & IMO.

The project provides data, tools and policy scenarios to guide noise reduction strategies for a quieter and thus healthier North Sea.



North Sea







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