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Description: Researchers used climate forecast systems to develop global marine heatwave (MHW) forecasts, which have significant skill in many regions. They also created a MHW website that provides current ocean maps, experimental forecasts, and interactive tools.

Keywords: Marine heatwave, prediction, forecast

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Image:

Ocean Region: Atlantic Ocean

Sea:

Large Marine Ecosystem Area:

Country:

Other Geography: global ocean Format Type: Journal Article, website

Data Type:

Primary Use: Research, Weather/Climate, Environmental Management, Commercial Fishing,

Aquaculture, Recreation

User Type: Government Professional, Academic

Data Type: Physical

Ocean Observing System (OOS) Variable: Sea surface temperature, Subsurface temperature

Information Type: In situ data, Remote sense data, Model output

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Industries which benefit: Commercial Fishing, Aquaculture, Recreational Fishing, Marine Research and

Education, Coastal and ocean tourism and recreation

Benefits to ecosystems: Ecosystem Health, Biodiversity, Endangered Species

Ecosystem Services: Ecosystem Services: Provisioning, Ecosystem support of goods and services,

Fisheries (commercial or recreational, Aquaculture Ecosystem Regulation and Maintenance Services:

Cultural Ecosystem Services: Are benefits documented?: No Are the benefits documented by: Are the benefits quantified?: No

Are the quantified benefits reported as monetary values?:

Other Benefits: