

WEGEMT

Western European Graduate Education in
Marine Technology

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What is WEGEMT?

- WEGEMT is the Association of European Universities in Marine Technology and Related Sciences
- Founded in 1978 at TU Delft
- 38 members in 16 countries

Mission

The mission of WEGEMT is

- **To promote knowledge in engineering-related disciplines** underpinning marine technology and the interests of its associates at European level.

The promotion of knowledge seeks to serve the stakeholders in WEGEMT, namely the member universities and the staff and students in those universities, and address the needs of the European maritime industry and society.

Objectives

The specific objectives leading to fulfilment of the mission are:

- **To update and extend the skills, knowledge and competence** of practising engineers and postgraduate students working at an advanced level;
- **To enable dialogue, collaborative research and shared learning** among staff and students of member universities;
- **To promote the application of knowledge for societal benefit through collaborative research** involving staff and students of member universities and industrial organisations.

Delivery

Manner of delivering the objectives

- **Intensive, short schools** and innovative learning schemes at postgraduate levels of education
- **Workshops, colloquia and conferences** to report on technological and scientific progress
- **Collaborative educational programmes**
- **Collaborative research projects** of an academic nature
- Collaborative research projects involving **academia and industry**

All of these will be dealt with in a co-ordinated manner by the WEGEMT organisation.

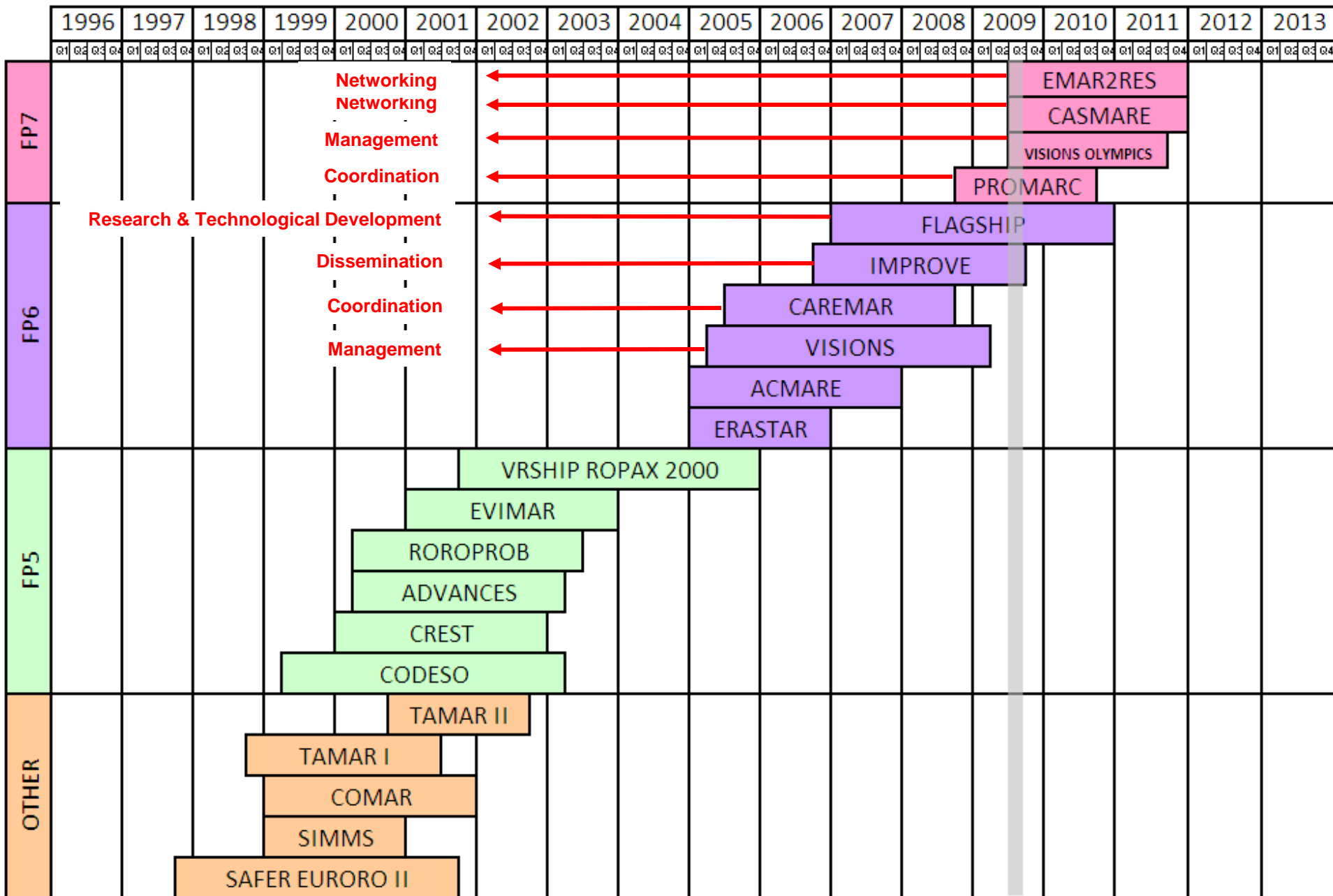
Collaborative Research Projects

- WEGEMT has been actively involved in several European educational as well as collaborative research projects throughout the years.
- WEGEMT was involved during the last 10 years in about 21 projects participating in 1 up to as much as 7 projects at any one time. Currently we have **4 projects running.**

Activities in Projects

WEGEMT's current activities in projects fall into 4 main categories:

- **Coordination & Management**
- **Networking**
- **Dissemination**
- **Research & Technological Development**



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