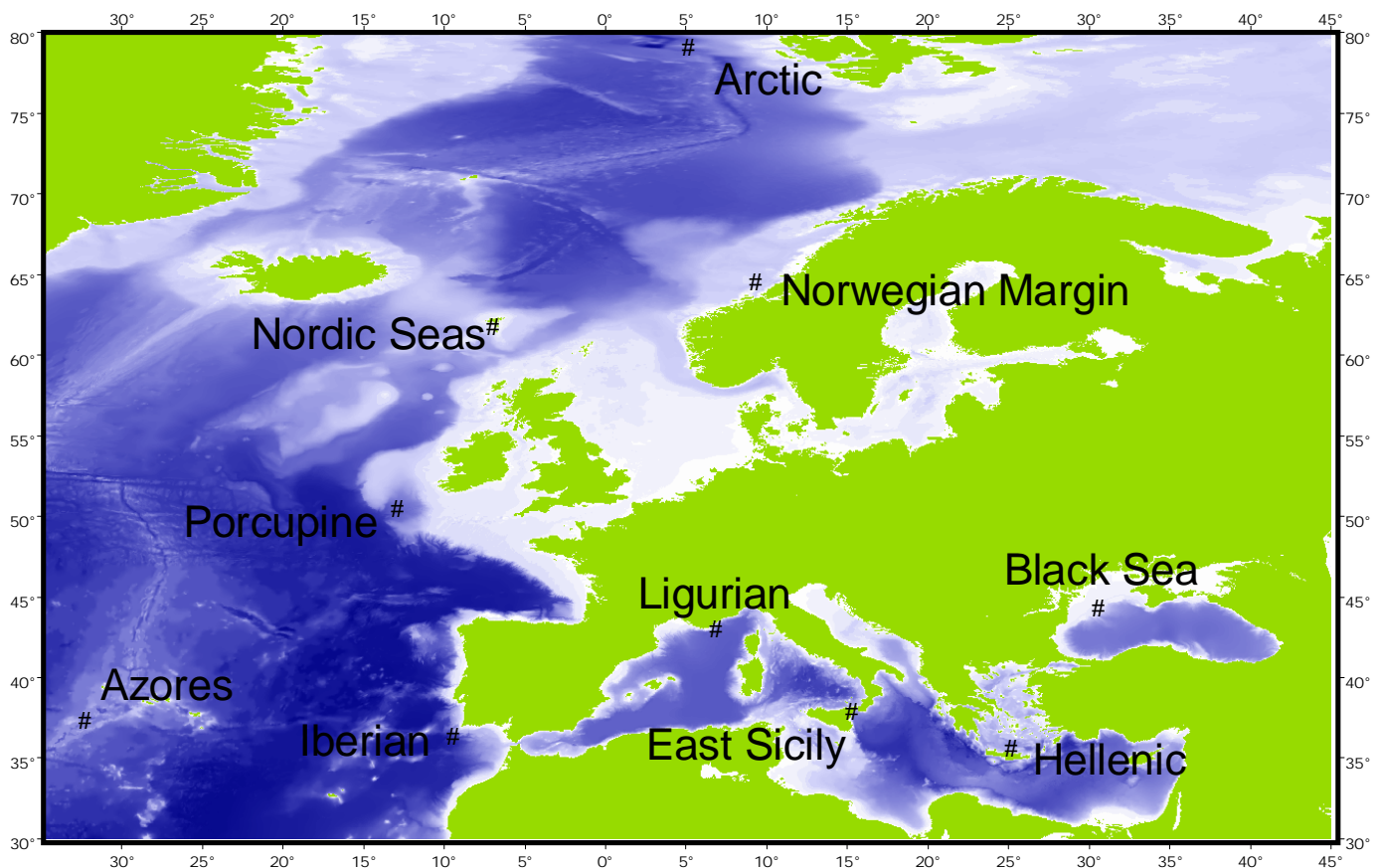




# European Seafloor Observatory Network

*a practical plan for long term monitoring of the ocean margin environment around Europe*



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