## Developing protocols for data collection, handling and analysis protocols

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## Description

The Sea Trust is a non-profit community interest company, committed to studying and raising awareness of local marine wildlife. The aim of this project is to develop observation, data handling, data analysis and interpretation protocols which Seatrust could use in the future to best assist Transition Bro Gwaun, whilst acting as a stakeholder liaison between Transition Bro Gwaun and local community. Seatrust also wish to conduct scientific surveys to the standard required by Natural Resources Wales (NRW).







## Results

The production of a technical report and protocol, with recommendations for cetacean and seabird observations and data analysis, will assist the organization in acting as stakeholder liaison for the community energy project as well as develop their capacity to conduct environmental monitoring.

## Outcome

This project will assist the company in their environmental monitoring and community engagement and aid with the consenting process and as such increase marine renewable energy installations in Wales.

