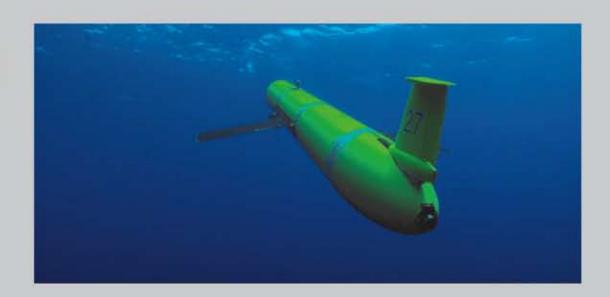
Over the last ten years, Severn Marine Technologies, LLC, and its corporate partner, Mid-Mountain Materials, Inc. have developed ClearSignal Biofouling Protection, a passive, non-toxic polymer coating whose surface properties act as a biofouling inhibitor and foul release coating. Unlike antifouling systems which rely on active biocides and whose effectiveness degrades with time, ClearSignal Biofouling Protection remains 100% effective for the intended life of the instrument.



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# ClearSignal®

### **Biofouling Protection** for Marine Instruments



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#### **Biofouling Protection for Marine Instruments**

- Offers long term effectiveness— with no diminishing of antifouling performance over time
- Complete protection of acoustic transducers from damage due to biofouling
- Formulated for cameras, lighting and optical instruments
- · Cleaning is complete, thereby breaking the fouling cycle
- Significant reduction in labor hours for cleaning
- · Robust coating is able to withstand offshore use
- Product life can be greater than 10 years
- · Non-toxic and safe for the environment

ClearSignal Biofouling Protection eliminates one of the most troublesome problems plaguing the deployment of marine instruments: the accumulation of biofouling organisms which adversely impact instrument performance, mission duration and maintenance requirements.

**Below:** PREVCO specialized instrument housing coated with ClearSignal Biofouling Protection.



Right: The Rutgers University
Scarlet Knight Glider with
ClearSignal Biofouling
Protection, on display at the
Smithsonian Museum Ocean
Hall. The Scarlet Knight Glider
was the first Glider to successfully complete a trans-Atlantic
crossing. ClearSignal was a key
and critical technology enabler
for the successful crossing.







Top: Horizontal ADCP that has been biofouled.

Center: Horizontal ADCP that has been coated with ClearSignal Biofouling Protection.

# INNOVATIVE EFFECTIVE PROVEN

ClearSignal Biofouling
Protection is proven to
virtually eliminate downtime
caused by biofouling, and
increase the performance
and intended life of your
instruments and equipment.

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- NOAA
- USACE
- Acoustic Instrument Users
   and Manufacturers
- Offshore Seismic Industry
- Ocean Observing
- Offshore Oil and Gas Industry