

Medspiration A pioneer product for a major Media

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A bit of background...



ESA & TV5 Monde Communication Partnership using ESA contents (in particular -but not only-Earth Observation) in a automatic (or semi automatic) feed –using xml technologies for example.

TV5 MONDE is the only international French-language channel to offer general-interest and quality programmes promoting knowledge and understanding of the world to a captive audience of local elites and travelers.

TV5 MONDE is the world's 2nd largest television network (after MTV and ahead of CNN) with a multimedia website reaching (www.tv5.org) 4 million visits/month from 210 countries, 2 million unique visitors/month.

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Were identified as source of "basic" contents to start the partnership:

- ESA web new stories published in French
- ESA Earth Observation Image of the Week published in French
- A selection of ESA videos published in French

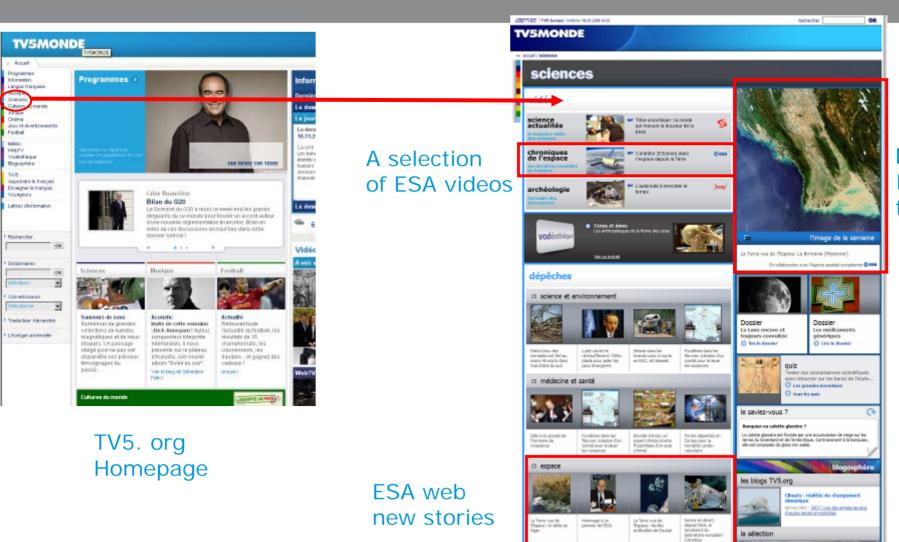
In addition, pioneering the idea of publishing a first "Planet Earth Health Bulletin", **two specific products** were identified by TV5 Monde:

- The Ozone Hole monitoring
- The Sea Surface Temperature monitoring through the **Medspiration project**.

Other products/developments are under investigation on a longer term plan to feed this partnership.

Some results: the TV5.org Science part



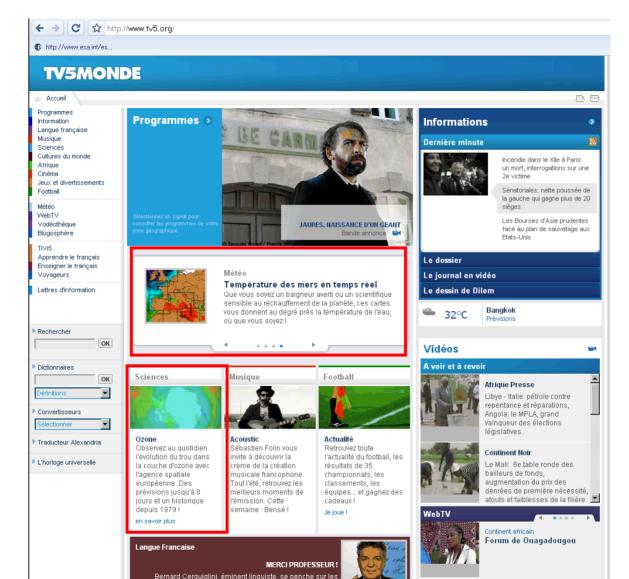


ESA EO Image of the Week

European Space Agency

Some results: focus on the pioneering products





Medspiration on TV5.org homepage

Ozone Hole on TV5.org homepage

European Space Agency

Medspiration on TV5 Monde in details: access

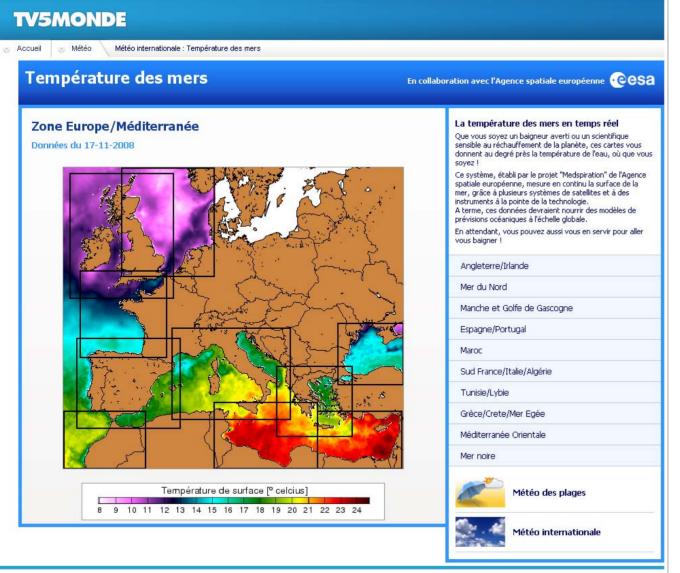




When not on TV5.org homepage (previous slide), direct access through the part "Meteo Internationale"

A customised interface





A dedicated interface was developed by Boost Technologies in line with requirements provided by TV5 Monde.

This approach is rare enough (the user here is a Media) to be noted!

European Space Agency

... with a very "General Public" approach



La température des mers en temps réel

Que vous soyez un baigneur averti ou un scientifique sensible au réchauffement de la planète, ces cartes vous donnent au degré près la température de l'eau, où que vous soyez!

Ce système, établi par le projet "Medspiration" de l'Agence spatiale européenne, mesure en continu la surface de la mer, grâce à plusieurs systèmes de satellites et à des instruments à la pointe de la technologie.

A terme, ces données devraient nourrir des modèles de prévisions océaniques à l'échelle globale.

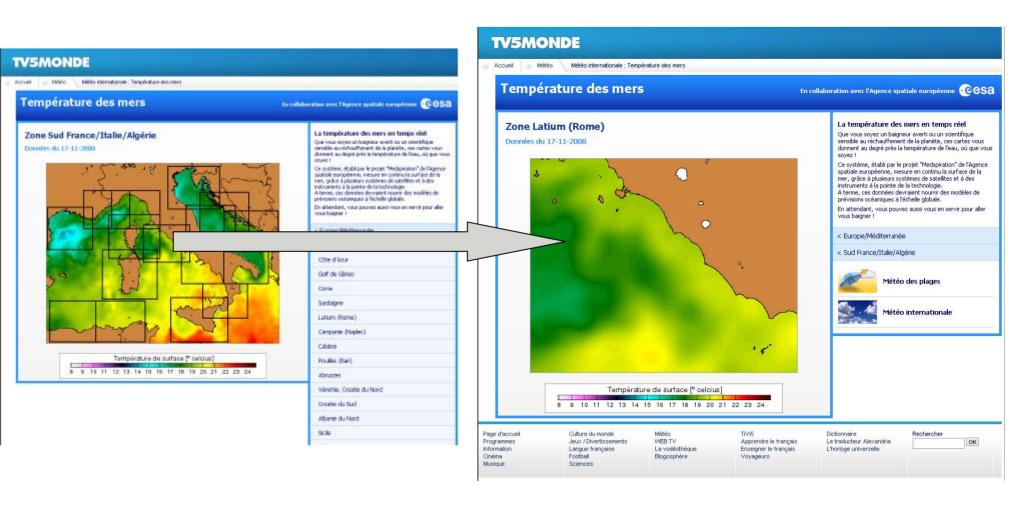
En attendant, vous pouvez aussi vous en servir pour aller vous baigner!

It is not about Science, it is not about Algorithm, it is not about complicated stuff needing to be an expert to understand...

It is about **providing to the citizen a new set of information** – obtained thanks to space technologies – **useful to his daily life!**

...and with zooming effect.





Two days ago, the sea surface temperature around Roman coasts was about 19-20°C

After all, why such an initiative?



- From TV5 Monde point of view:

Medspiration is a typical product **aiming at "general public" interest**: it represents a pioneer in this domain – a bit like the first satellite weather pictures were.

- From ESA point of view:

First of all, it is ESA mandate to promote its achievement: **Medspiration is one of them** and through it, it is **space applications that are promoted** and communicated to the general public world-wide,

Second, using such a channel, Medspiration (and through it, space and ESA) finds its place through a multimedia website reaching (www.tv5.org) 4 million visits/month from 210 countries, **2 million unique visitors/month**.

Finally, as mentioned earlier Medspiration is also pioneer in the fact that a Media has become a specific "user" of a "space service provider".

What about the Future?





From a point of view of the partnership itself, the idea of passing from "pioneering" products - such as Medspiration - towards a "Planet Earth Health Bulletin" (general public oriented) is still actual but very difficult to be settled...

Thank you for your attention.