



Centre for
Ecology & Hydrology

NATURAL ENVIRONMENT RESEARCH COUNCIL

BUSINESS OPPORTUNITIES WITH CEH

IMPROVING PERFORMANCE OF EXISTING BUSINESSES

CEH is working in partnership with many companies to develop novel solutions. These include:

- Modelling and mapping the fate of titanium dioxide nanoparticles used in innovative sunscreens
- Examining climate change-driven future water availability to provide evidence for long-term capital asset decisions
- Providing the UK Land Cover Map for environmental assessment and protection, and transport planning
- CEH's Flood Estimation Handbook enables insurance companies to estimate flood risk

CREATING INNOVATIVE NEW BUSINESSES

CEH has set up four spin-out companies since 2000:

- **Wallingford HydroSolutions Ltd** – consultancy to the water and environmental sectors
- **Microbial Solutions Ltd** – treatment and disposal of industrial fluid wastes
- **Oxford Expression Technologies Ltd** – developing baculovirus protein expression products
- **IXO Therapeutics Ltd** – biologics development derived from natural sources

CEH provides integrated environmental assessments and solutions.



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