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**Contribution of Portugal to the development of meteorology, oceanography
and geophysics**

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A brief summary on the contribution of Portugal to the development of meteorology, oceanography and geophysics since the XV century, including the epic navigations and discoveries during the XV, XVI and XVII centuries, the implementation of the surface networks in the Portuguese mainland, Azores and Madeira islands during the second half of the XIX century and the global networks implemented in the Portuguese colonies during the first half of the XX century.