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Planet Ocean logo at the top left. Below it, a photograph of a diver in a blue suit swimming underwater. The text is mostly illegible but appears to be promotional material for the company.

Seastick

Two Seastick AUV vehicles are shown side-by-side. The one on the left is tall and slender, while the one on the right is shorter and wider. Both have a cylindrical body and a conical base.

Planet Ocean logo at the bottom.

2011 Marine Technology Review

A photograph showing a group of people in a meeting or conference setting. They are seated around a table, and one person is standing and speaking.

Planet Ocean logo at the bottom left of the page.

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several unique features that set it apart in the world of AUVs, according to Planet Ocean.

The company said: "Together with the traditional forward dive controls and stern rudders, the Seastick incorporates two variable pitch thrusters using low power, silent, frictionless, magnetic induction motors which make it extremely manoeuvrable allowing hovering and vertical movement in the water column.

"Seastick can also be used with a tether turning it into a powerful ROV. The all-plastic construction gives it an extremely low magnetic signature.

"Fully customisable payload drawers and choice of telemetry facilitate a huge range of mission options which can run for ten hours from a single charge."

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