



EMFF POST-2020

Sea Basin

Analyses

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Why Sea Basin Analyses?

- The Regional Sea Basin Analyses provide a sea basin perspective to **guide the post-2020 programming period** for the future EMFF
- They identify **key common challenges** for each sea basin and focus on **possible EMFF actions** to respond to them
- They are intended to **complement** MS own programming process as **additional background**, along with the national SWOT analyses, and are based on the **most recent scientific data**

Content

The Sea Basin Analyses are composed of **3 main parts**:

- **an introduction**: main CFP challenges at EU level
- **7 regional chapters**: in-depth analyses of each sea basin
- **an annex** (**'EMFF toolbox'**): possible actions supported by the EMFF matching the main CFP challenges

They are in line with the **Commission's main political priorities for 2021-2027** (*EU Green Deal, Biodiversity and Farm to Fork strategies, etc..*) and address the **impact of the COVID-19 crisis** on the fisheries sector

Introduction

Overview of the main CFP challenges at EU level

- 1) Reducing the **impacts of fishing on ecosystems**
- 2) Providing conditions for an **economically viable and competitive fishing sector**
- 3) Improving **enforcement and control of fisheries** and the **provision of data**
- 4) Promoting **a sustainable and profitable aquaculture**
- 5) Enabling **climate change adaptation and mitigation**
- 6) Improving the **value chain and marketing of fishery and aquaculture products**
- 7) Fostering the **local development of a sustainable blue economy** in coastal areas

Regional chapters

In-depth Analyses of Sea Basin

On the basis of the main CFP challenges, the regional chapters provide **a specific assessment** of the **strengths** and **weaknesses** at sea basin level

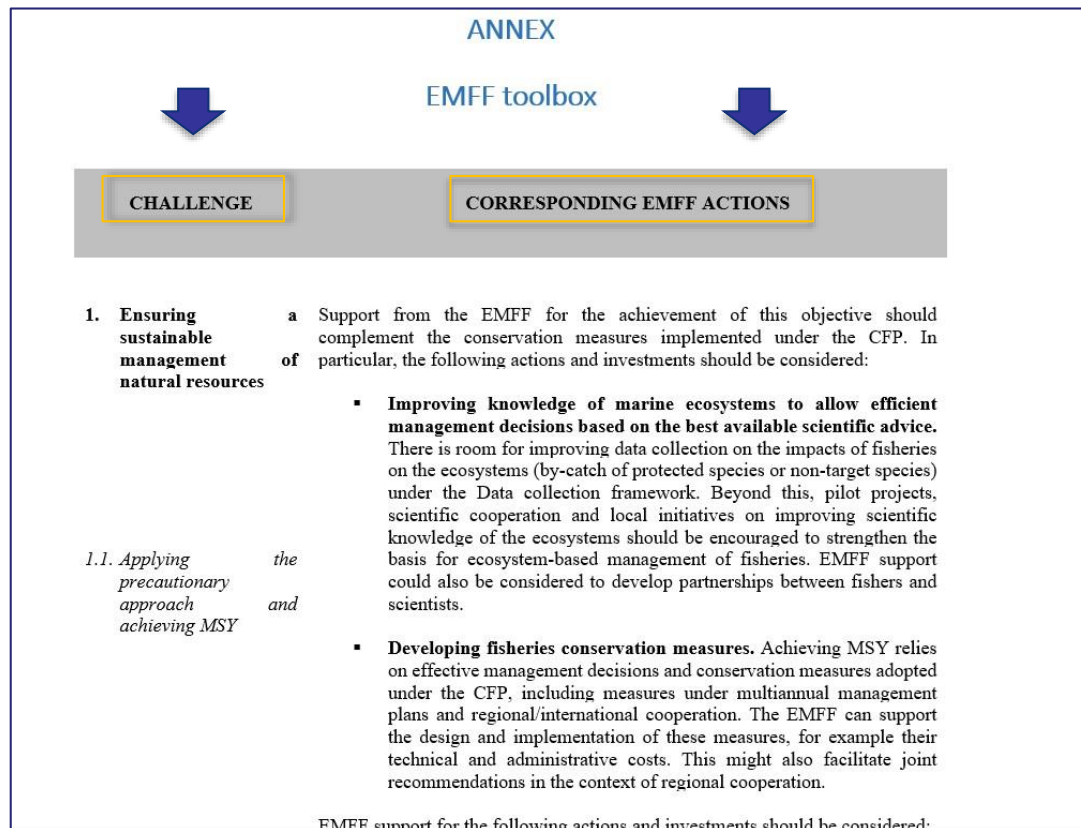
They cover the following **geographical areas**:

- **Baltic Sea**
- **North Sea**
- **Western Waters**
- **Mediterranean Sea**
- **Black Sea**
- **Outermost Regions**
- **Inland Areas**

Annex

EMFF Toolbox

The toolbox summarizes the main CFP challenges and suggests corresponding **EMFF actions/investments** for MS to consider when preparing their own programmes



Annex

EMFF Toolbox

It is intended to:

- provide MS with **indicative guidance, suggestions and ideas** to design actions meant to tackle specific sea basin challenges
- give MS more **comprehensive frameworks of action** that can be used flexibly in case of evolving circumstances
- help MS devise **innovative support initiatives** in their programmes to achieve the main CFP objectives



**Thank you for your
attention**