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FAME update, September 2021

29th EMFF expert group meeting
08 September 2021, Online
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EMFF implementation 2020

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EMFF implementation advanced at cruising speed despite the storm created by the COVID-19 outbreak

**Measures** adopted helped to mitigate the negative effects of the coronavirus crisis

**New forms of management** – online meetings, web-based solutions as well as further easing of the administrative burden

**Sanitary crisis** was the major challenge mentioned in AIRs
Number of operations

The total number of operations reached 68,000
EMFF implementation – commitments

**EUR 4.1 billion or 71.7% of total allocation**

Cumulative

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Per year

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**EMFF commitments as percentage of total EMFF allocation – EUR 5.7 billion**
EMFF implementation – spent

**EUR 2.37 billion or 41.6% of total allocation**

Cumulative

Per year

**EMFF spent as percentage of total EMFF allocation – EUR 5.7 billion**
EMFF committed per Article

Top 5 articles = 55% of EMFF committed
Top 10 articles = 75%
Commitments versus OP diversification

**Level of OP diversification** (commitments to top five measures as a percentage of total EMFF funding committed, and total number of measures in the OP)
EMFF contribution to specific topics (1) – support to fishing fleet

EUR 671.9 million (or 16.5% of total EMFF committed) was dedicated to 35,756 operations linked to an FFR vessel number.

Of that, 13,580 (38.0%) operations were for SSCF vessels. SSCF received 25% of the EMFF spending dedicated to vessels (EUR 124 million out of EUR 500 million).
EMFF contribution to specific topics (2)

MS selected 4,111 operations related to the landing obligation with a total EMFF funding of EUR 147.7 million.

In total, 1,092 operations with a total EMFF budget of EUR 226.7 million were related to innovation.

EUR 108.7 million of the EMFF funding in 5,913 operations was committed to mitigating the coronavirus impact.

These commitments correspond to 2.7% of total EMFF funding committed. 74.0% (EUR 80.5 million) of the funding for coronavirus support was allocated via the Article 33.
The next steps

*EMFF implementation report* 2020 is expected to be released in *October 2021.*

It will include the *synthesis of information* provided in *Infosys and AIR reports.*

*EMFF implementation reports will continue until 2024* (two years of implementation left).
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FAME peer review channel 2021

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# Peer review sessions, topics and dates

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FAME evaluation 2021

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FAME evaluation 2021, frame

2021 is FAME’s final year…

**Key questions:**

Are the objectives and tasks of FAME still **relevant** now and in the future?

*How effective* have the tasks been implemented?

*How efficiently* have the tasks been implemented?

How did FAME contribute to **capacity building** at the MS level?

How did FAME contribute to the **CMES implementation**?

Will the FAME tasks have a **sustainable effect** after the project ends?

Did FAME address the **horizontal principles**?
FAME evaluation 2021, timing

- **Survey among Managing Authorities about FAME support**
  - September 2021

- **Interviews with COM officers**
  - September/October 2021

- **Validation workshop**
  - November 2021

- **FAME final report**
  - December 2021
Thank you for your attention!

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