

## Towards sustainable fisheries: mainstreaming biodiversity – what are our commitments and how do we deliver

**Relates to Working Documents:** 

COFI/2018/3,4,5,8,9,10

**Information Documents:** 

**COFI/2018/Inf.**7,**9**,12,14,23,24,26,**28**,31







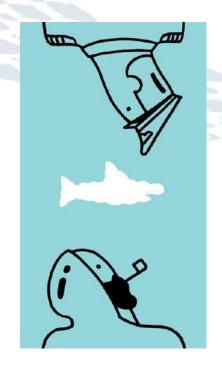






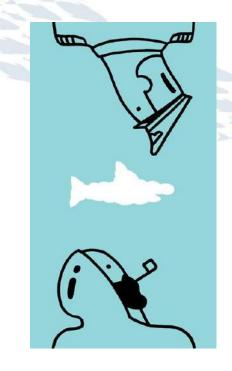


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### **TARGET ELEMENTS**

### **STATUS**

### COMMENT

All fish and invertebrate stocks and aquatic plants are managed and harvested sustainably, legally and applying ecosystem based approaches



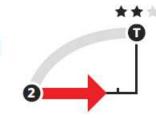
Great regional variation, positive for some countries but data limited for many developing countries

Recovery plans and measures are in place for all depleted species



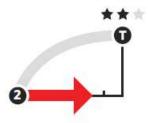
Variable, progress in some regions

Fisheries have no significant adverse impacts on threatened species and vulnerable ecosystems



Some progress e.g. on long-lining used in tuna fisheries, but practices still impacting vulnerable ecosystems

The impacts of fisheries on stocks, species and ecosystems are within safe ecological limits, i.e. overfishing avoided



Overexploitation remains an issue globally, but with regional variation



### FAO Questionnaires for Monitoring the Implementation of the Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries

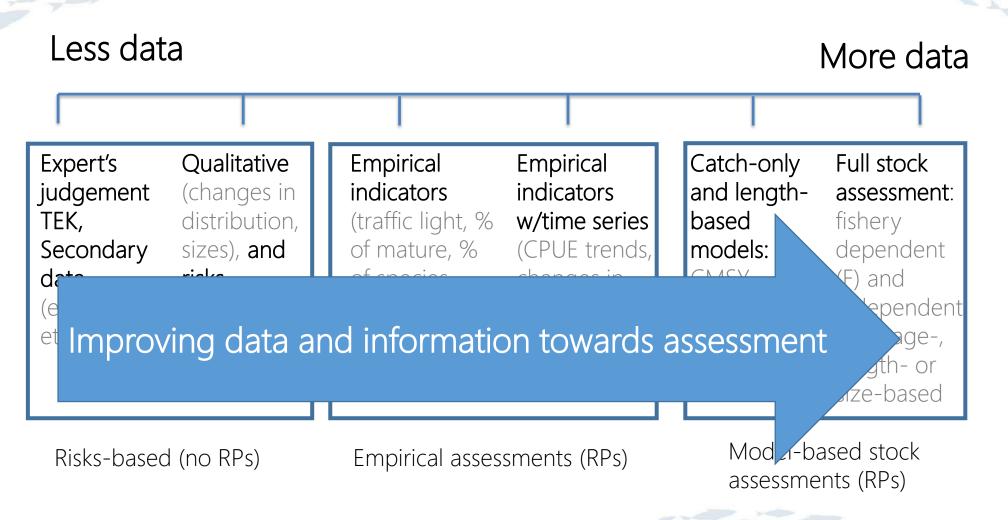
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Australia

Questionnaire for monitoring the implementation of the 1995 FAO Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries, the International Plans of Action on Capacity, Sharks, Seabirds, Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing and the Strategies for Improving Information on Status and Trends of Capture Fisheries and Aquaculture

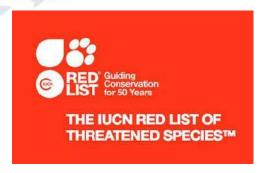
Log Out Questionnaire Pilot SDG Indicators QUESTIONNAIRE STATUS Reference Documents General Questions: Not Answered Minimum Requirements Fisheries Management: Partially Answered Contact Us Fishing Operations: About Aquaculture Development: **Fully Answered** Integration of Fisheries into Coastal Area Management: Post-harvest Practices and Trade: Fisheries Research: International Plans of Action: FAO Strategies for improving information on Status and Trends: Small-Scale Fisheries: Concluding Questions: Click to go directly to the question QUESTIONNAIRE SUMMARY Country: Australia Registered User: kimMC Last Access: Registered Current Status: Attention! The deadline for the submission of the questionnaire has elapsed. The questionnaire can no longer be modified or submitted. View Questionnaire Generate Questionnaire PDF Generate Blank Questionnaire PDF

## 'Assessment' Options

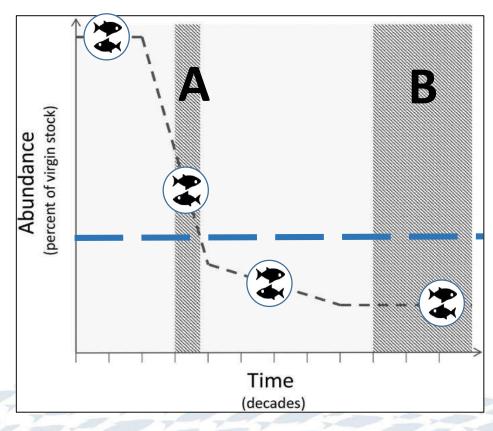


All data is (can be) used to inform management!

## Building Consensus on What is Threatened









Historical Extent of Change



PROCTIVITY FILTER

Long Term (as long as possible)



Recent Rate (2-3 generations)



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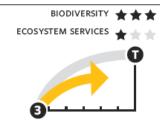
At least 10 per cent of coastal and marine areas are conserved



Marine protected areas are accelerating but extrapolations suggest we are not on track to meet the target. With existing commitments, the target would be met for territorial waters but not for exclusive economic zones or high seas

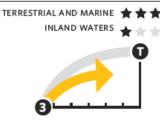


Areas of particular importance for biodiversity and ecosystem services conserved



Progress for protected Key Biodiversity Areas, but still important gaps. No separate measure for ecosystem services

Conserved areas are ecologically representative



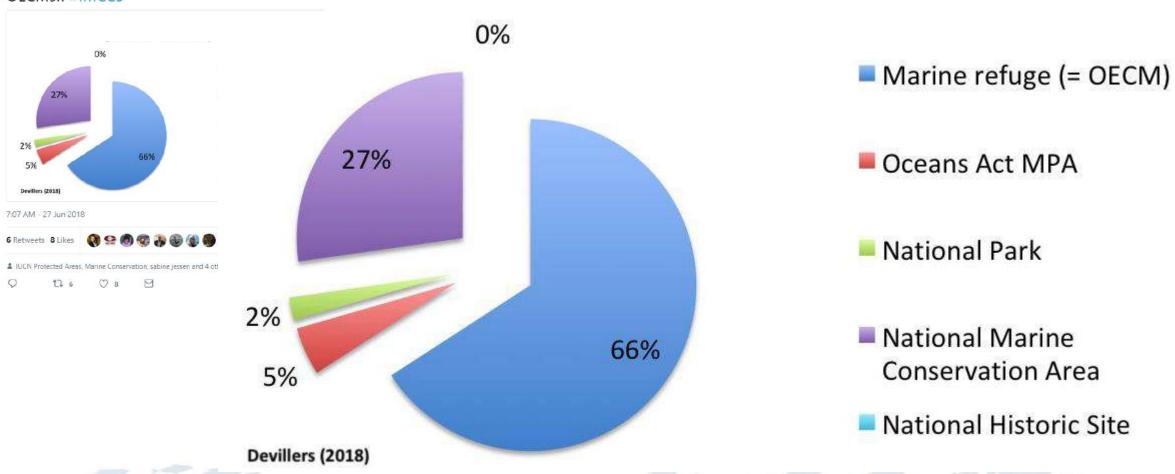
Progress, and possible to meet this target for terrestrial ecosystems if additional protected areas are representative. Progress with marine and freshwater areas, but much further to go





## Canada & Target 11

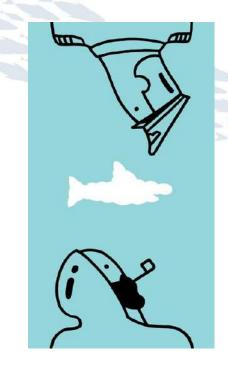
where Canada stands today with types of areas contributing to @AichiTargets 11- Only 5% of our waters are @FishOceansCAN MPAs while 66% are OECMs!! #IMCC5



http://www.dfo-mpo.gc.ca/oceans/oeabcm-amcepz/index-eng.html



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WILEY PISH and FISHERIES

Examining the impact of CITES listing of sharks and rays in Southeast Asian fisheries

### Mainstreaming biodiversity in fisheries

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Mainstreaming

Biodiversity mainstreaming, the consideration of l

### 1. Introduction

Mainstreaming biodiversity considerations in sectoral management on Biological Diversity (CBD) in 1992. In the case of fisheries, the consideration of biodiversity through the adoption of more broadly

"Mainstreaming" of biodiversity has a variety of definitions and

"the process of embedding biodiversity considerations into policies, stra-

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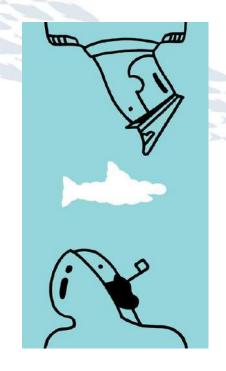
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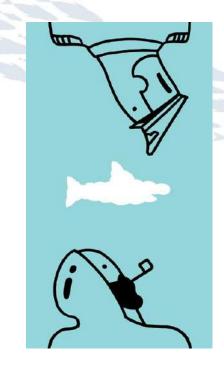




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## CITES CRITERIA





## **TERRESTRIAL**

## POPULATIONS

Small Number = 5000

Area of Distribution = 10,000 Km<sup>2</sup>

## **MARINE-FW**



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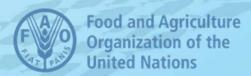
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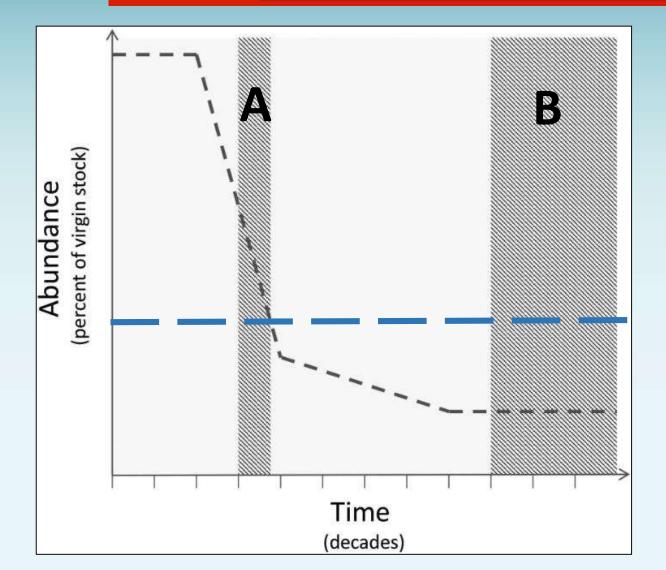
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