

TOWARDS LONG TERM MANAGEMENT PLANS

Adriatic Sea – GSA 17 Sardine and Anchovy

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OVERVIEW

- **Legal Basis:** Articles 9 and 10 of Regulation (EU) 1380/2013
- **Main elements of the LTMP::**
 - Objectives and targets (Achieve levels of fishing mortality consistent with the principle of MSY);
 - Conservation reference points expressed in spawning biomass levels and specific conservation measures;
 - Provisions related to the landing obligation;
 - Framework of technical measures;
 - Periodic evaluation of the plan based on scientific advice.

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Art.9: Principles and objectives of LTMP

Multiannual plans shall cover either:

(a) single species; or

(b) in the case of mixed fisheries, fisheries exploiting several stocks in a relevant geographical area, taking into account knowledge about the interactions between fish stocks, fisheries and marine ecosystems.

The measures to be included in multiannual plans, and the calendar for implementing them, shall be proportionate to the objectives and targets pursued and to the time-frame envisaged. Before measures are included in the multiannual plans, account shall be taken of their likely economic and social impact.

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Art.10: Content of multiannual plans

- (a) the scope, in terms of stocks, fishery and the area to which the multiannual plan shall be applied;**
- (b) objectives that are consistent with the objectives set out in Article 2 and with the relevant provisions of Articles 6 and 9;**
- (c) quantifiable targets such as fishing mortality rates and/or spawning stock biomass;**
- (d) clear time-frames to reach the quantifiable targets;**

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- (e) conservation reference points consistent with the objectives set out in Article 2;
- (f) objectives for conservation and technical measures to be taken in order to achieve the targets set out in Article 15, and measures designed to avoid and reduce unwanted catches;
- (g) safeguards to ensure that quantifiable targets are met, as well as remedial action, where needed, including for situations where the deteriorating quality of data or non-availability put the sustainability of the stock at risk

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A multiannual plan may also include:

(a) other conservation measures, in particular measures to gradually eliminate discards or to minimise the negative impact of fishing on the ecosystem;

(b) quantifiable indicators for periodic monitoring and assessment of progress in achieving the targets of the multiannual plan;

A multiannual plan shall provide for its revision after an initial ex-post evaluation, in particular to take account of changes in scientific advice.

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First example of long term management plan (6/10/2014):

- Proposal for a Regulation of the PE and the EC establishing a multiannual plan for the stocks of cod, herring and sprat in the Baltic Sea and the fisheries exploiting those stocks (COM/2014/0614 final)
- **Ordinary legislative procedure**
- The proposed plan takes into account the dynamics between the stocks of cod, herring and sprat, and also considering the by-catch species of the fisheries for these stocks, namely the Baltic stocks of plaice, brill, flounder and turbot.
- Objective of this plan: to aim at achieving and maintaining maximum sustainable yields for the 3 stocks concerned and aim at ensuring the conservation of by-catch stocks above biomass levels corresponding to precautionary approach.

RECOMMENDATION GFCM/37/2013/1

- **Multiannual management plan for small pelagic stocks in the GSA 17 and on transitional conservation measures in GSA 18**
- **Multi-annual management plan for the fisheries exploiting the small pelagic stocks in GFCM-GSA 17 "Northern Adriatic"**
- **Coherent with the precautionary approach**
- **Designed to provide high long-term yields consistent with the MSY and to guarantee a low risk of stocks collapse**

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Contents:

- Specific objectives of the multiannual management plan for GSA 17 and of the transitional measures for GSA 18. (Exploitation rate; SSBpa;SSBlim)
- Target species: Anchovy and sardine
- Management measures (problems – formula – emergency measures for 2015)
- Technical Conservation Measures (Minimum size...)
- Fishing effort and fish capacity control (List of all trawlers, purse seiners at the date of 31/10/2013...)

The current situation in GSA 17

- **As decided in Split, last October:**
- **Focus group to work towards a LTMP in GSA 17 with Croatian, Italian and Slovenian representatives**
- **First step:**
- **1) Survey of the current situation (HR, ITA, SLO)**
 - Is there a National Management plan in GSA 17?
 - Technical measures?
 - Fleet concerned?
 - Marine protected areas?
 - Other protected areas?

The situation in Italy

- National Management Plan on purse seiners and pelagic trawlers fleet in GSA 17
- Adopted D.D. MIPAAF 10/10/2011
- Technical measures
- D.M. 23/7/2014 (“fermo pesca”) only trawlers
- D.M. 18/3/2002 (Disciplina pesca piccoli pelagici)

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Marine Protected Areas in Italy



ITALY – SIC Natura 2000

codice	denominazione	regione biogeografica	regione
IT3250047	Tegnue di Chioggia	Continentale	Veneto
IT3250048	Tegnue di Porto Falconera	Continentale	Veneto
IT3330009	Trezze San Pietro e Bardelli	Continentale	Friuli
IT4070026	Relitto della piattaforma Paguro	Continentale	Emilia Romagna
IT7120215	Torre del Cerrano	Continentale	Abruzzo
IT9110011	Isole Tremiti	Mediterranea	Puglia

ITALY – ZPS Natura 2000

ZPS	Denominazione	Regione biogeografica	Regione
IT3320037	Laguna di Marano e Grado	Continentale	Friuli
IT3330005	Foce dell'Isonzo - Isola della Cona	Continentale	Friuli
IT3330006	Valle Cavanata e Banco Mula di Muggia	Continentale	Friuli
IT3250041	Valle Vecchia - Zumelle - Valli di Bibione	Continentale	Veneto
IT4060005	Sacca di Goro, Po di Goro, Valle Dindona, Foce del Po di Volano	Continentale	Emilia Romagna
IT9110040	Isole Tremiti	Mediterranea	Puglia
IT3250040	Foce del Tagliamento	Continentale	Veneto

ITALY – ZTB

Nome	Dove	DECRETO ISTITUTIVO	Sit.	DIVIETI DECRETO 22/01/2009	Pesca Professionale 22/01/2009
Area Barbare	al largo delle Marche	16 marzo 2004	attiva	pesca del novellame	consentito l'uso di reti da posta e a circuizione e l'uso delle nasse. Ammesso l'uso di palangari, ma solo di superficie
Area fuori Ravenna	al largo delle coste di fronte Ravenna	16 marzo 2004	attiva	pesca del novellame	consentito uso di nasse,reti da posta e palangari
Area Tremiti	Isole Tremiti	18 febbraio 2004	attiva	pesca del novellame	consentita la pesca e a strascico e con reti volanti nel periodo compreso tra il 1 novembre e il 31 marzo. Consentito reti da posta, palangari, circuizione e uso nasse
Area Tenue-Chioggia	Chioggia	16 marzo 2004	sospesa	pesca del novellame	consentito l'uso di reti da posta solo nei canali di collegamento tra le 4 zone rocciose oggetto del primo decreto di ZTB
Area Tegnue di Porto Falconera	Caorle	16 dicembre 2004	attiva	pesca del novellame	divieto di tutte le forme di pesca
Area Miramare	in prossimità di Trieste	16 marzo 2004	attiva	pesca del novellame	consentito l'uso di reti da posta e a circuizione e l'uso delle nasse solo per la cattura di seppie e cannocchie