



Regional Plan on Marine Litter Management in the Mediterranean

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Drivers and Background

Global level

- Manila Declaration/GPA, 2012
- Honolulu Commitment
- Rio+20 target on Marine Litter

Mediterranean legal and policy context

- Barcelona Convention & LBS Protocol
- Prevention and Emergency, Dumping, Offshore Protocols
- COP 7 1991: First measures on Marine Litter
- COP 17, 2012:
 - Marine Litter Strategic Framework
 - Ecological Objective on Marine Litter based on ECAP
- COP 18: Regional Plan measures and timeframes

Other Regional Developments

- EU MSFD, NOWPAP, OSPAR and HELCOM



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Objectives

- **Prevent** Marine Litter Generation
- **Reduce** to the minimum Marine Litter and its impacts
- **Remove** to the extent possible existing Marine Litter
- **Manage** Marine Litter in line with accepted standards
- **Enhance** knowledge on sources' impacts
- **Final result: to achieve GES**

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Key Measures

- **Pollution** Control
- **Pollution** Prevention Measures
- **SCP tools** Widely agreed
- **Existing** Marine Litter removal
- **Targets** Time-bound
- **Cooperation** Partnership with Stakeholders
- **Implementation** Timetables and flexibility
- **Reporting** Periodic

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Package of Innovative Measures

- Extended Producer Responsibility
- Sustainable Procurement Policies
- Fiscal and economic instruments
- Deposits, Return and Restoration System
- Agreements with retailers to set Marine Litter reduction objective
- Work with plastic industry to minimize the decomposition characteristics of plastic in order to reduce microplastic
- No-special-fee approach where appropriate
- Fishing for Litter system/Compulsory national programmes on the removal of existing Marine Litter
- Adopt-a-Beach practices

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Enhanced Integrated Solid Waste Management Measures

By 2020:

- Close illegal land dumpsites
- Prevent Marine Litter from dredging activities
- Ensure adequate urban sewer and wastewater treatment plants
- Take enforcement measures to combat:
 - littering on the beach
 - illegal sewage disposal in the sea, coastal zone and rivers

By 2025:

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