

GEO Blue Planet

Ocean and Coastal Observations for Policy and Decision Making

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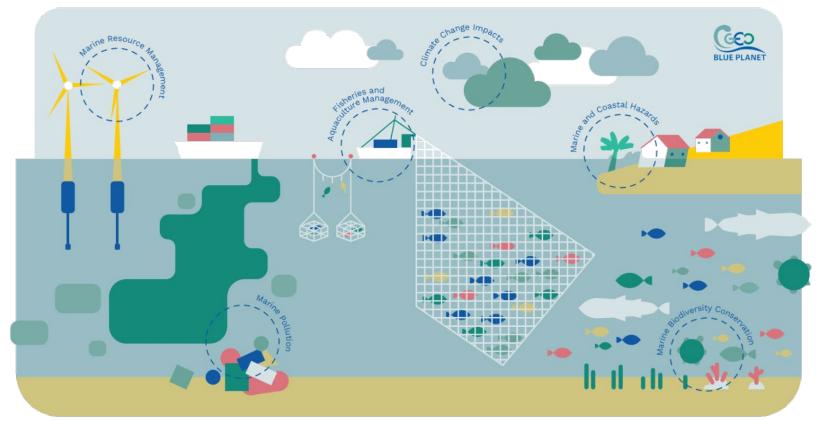
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BRIDGING THE GAP between ocean and coastal observational data and societal needs to deliver actionable information







Core Action Areas



- Stakeholder Engagement –
 Knowing what the information
 needs are
- Cooperation and Co-design Building tools that meet information needs
- Capacity Development –
 Strengthening and transferring capabilities







Activities







Eutrophication



Coastline changes



Fisheries



Sargassum



Oil spill



Climate adaptation



All activities support and contribute to the UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development





Secretariat

• US Office (2015)



• European Office (2020)





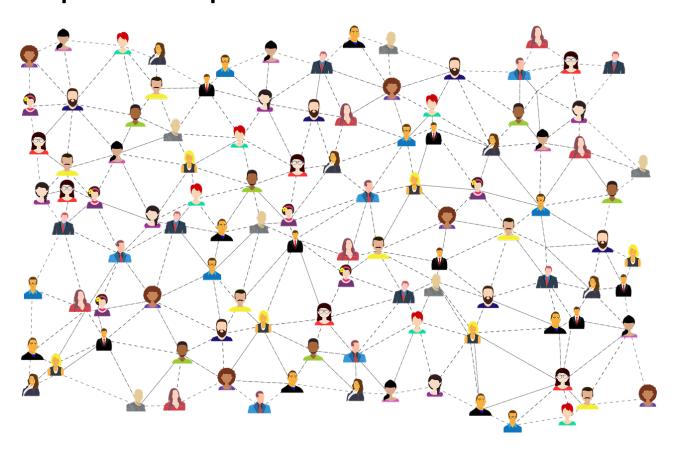


• Asian Office (2022)





Global Network – activities implemented by participants



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