

G20 Resource Efficiency and Marine Plastic Litter Symposium Panel Discussion

Towards realization of the "Osaka Blue Ocean Vision"

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Regional Action Plans on Marine Litter (map is only indicative)

18 Regional Seas:



environment GPA

11 Regional Action Plans on Marine Litter

4 Draft Regional Action Plans (various stages)

1 Assessment underway → Action Plan in 2020 (Abidjan C.)

5-6 Regional nodes – Global Partnership on Marine Litter

Ongoing: National source inventories pilots to guide action plan development in Kenya & Seychelles



- An implementation mechanism of sustainable Development Goal 12
- The One Planet network: a multi-stakeholder partnership for Sustainable Development
- A network that leads the shift to sustainable consumption and production, providing unified and coherent direction, tools and solutions

• OP5: develop guidelines for the use and production of plastics for consumers, incl. standards and labels; to incentivize businesses/retailers to commit themselves to using sustainable practices and products;

12 RESPONSIBLE CONSUMPTION

AND PRODUCTION

5

Municipal Solid Waste Flow in Mombasa – Based on Pilot Data Collection of SDG 11.6.1 in Mombasa

Future Waste Flow in Mombasa

Guidance – priority interventions

 Providing advice on the prioritizing of activities upon request based on best available scientific knowledge, and the most environmentally sound, risk-based and cost-effective measures to prevent and reduce marine litter and microplastics

Joint Group of Experts on the Scientific Aspects of Marine Environmental Protection (GESAMP):

Working Group 40 on Sources, fate and effects of plastics and microplastics in the marine environment; Risk Assessment (upcoming report 103)

Working Group 43 on Sea-based sources of marine litter including fishing gear and other shipping related litter;

Ad hoc open ended experts group -

extended by 4/6 OP7

- Take stock of existing activities and actions towards long-term elimination of discharges into the oceans;
- Identify technical and financial resources or mechanisms for supporting countries in addressing marine plastic litter and microplastics;
- Encourage partnerships as well as increased cooperation in relations to the prevention of marine litter including plastic litter and microplastics that undertake activities, such as development of source inventories, improvement of waste management, awareness raising, and promotion of innovation;

assembly

• Analyse the effectiveness of existing and potential response options and activities on marine litter and microplastics at all levels to determine the contribution in solving the global problem;

CAPACITY BUILDING: ONLINE COURSES

2-week in all UN languages & Portuguese, Bahasa in 2019

LEADERSHIP TRACK: 5 hours of learning consist of 2 blocks

EXPERT TRACK (English & Spanish):

32 additional hours consisting of 6 blocks some optional;

TRAINING OF TRAINERS

Needs GESAMP Joint Group of Experts on the Scientific Aspects of Warne 99 assessment **STUDIES** GUIDELINES FOR THE MONITORING AND ASSESSMENT OF PLASTIC Eastern **LITTER IN THE OCEAN** Africa AND **East Asian** Seas S **REPOR** Next: **Webinars** 🛞 💮 🏛 🏾 🔄 🕸 🛞 🛞 🛄 🛄 🍔

Next:

Masterclass on "Addressing single-use and disposable plastics"

Open Universiteit

Environment Programme

United Nations

Third Meeting of the Ad hoc open-ended experts group on marine litter and microplastics, 18-22 November 2019, Bangkok, Thailand

Thank you for your attention

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