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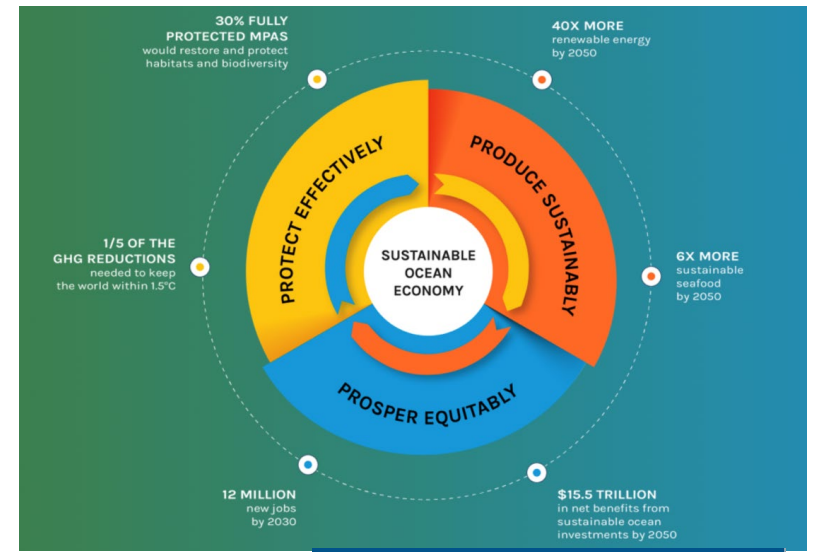


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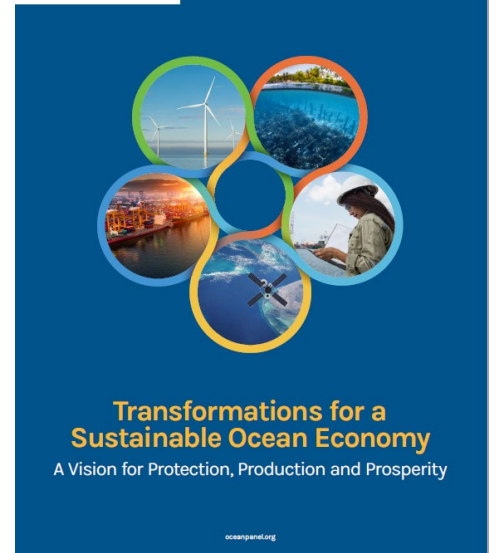
4.5 Proposal for IOC-wide Strategy on Sustainable Ocean Planning & Management



Drivers for integrated ocean management and planning



+ Regional ocean governance



International Water Strategy



High Level Objective 4

Scientifically-founded services for the sustainable ocean economy

Sustainability of ocean economy relates to the long-term capacity of ocean ecosystems to support human activities. Maintaining this equilibrium requires ocean observations, fit-for purpose data products and services, scientific assessments, and monitoring and forecasting of ocean ecosystem health. Knowledge-based ocean management tools such as marine spatial planning, coastal zone management, marine protected areas, and management of Large Marine Ecosystems (LMEs) can help ocean stakeholders to set environmental and socioeconomic objectives, develop operational plans, define safe boundaries and guidelines for operations, as well as reduce conflicts among multiple uses of ocean space.



FOCUS OF IOC WORK IN THE LAST 2 DECADES

- Lead the development of science-based marine management tools and guidelines related to Integrated Coastal Management, Marine Spatial Planning, coastal hazard mitigation and adaptation (ref. to Decision ICAM strategy IOC-XXX/10.2) and document best practices
- Develop and manage regional coastal management projects and provide technical secretariat to Community of Large Marine Ecosystem projects (GEF IW/LME: Learn), advancement of the ecosystem science and management, through Annual LME Consultation
- Implement regional training in relevant EBM areas
- Working with IOC Sub-commissions in development of ICAM and MSP related activities
- Building partnership with other institutions (European Commission, UNDP, GEF, WB, Ocean Action Coalition)



Marine Spatial Planning: A pillar to build on

FRAMEWORK



2017-2022

2022-2027

MSProadmap target:

Support the achievement of covering at least 1/3 of the global maritime areas under national jurisdictions with marine spatial plans by 2030.



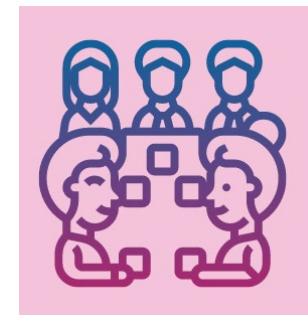
PROJECT



(re)Starting
June 23!



COMMUNITY OF PRACTICE

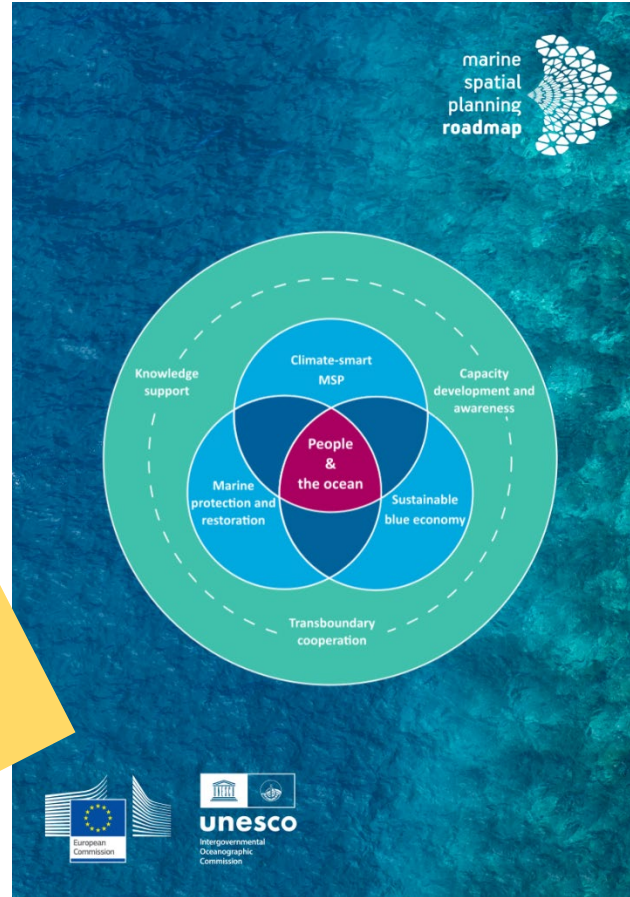


Updated Joint MSP Roadmap (2022-2027)

Cross-cutting pillars:

1. Knowledge support
2. Capacity development & awareness
3. Transboundary cooperation

3rd International MSP
Conference, Barcelona,
Nov 2022



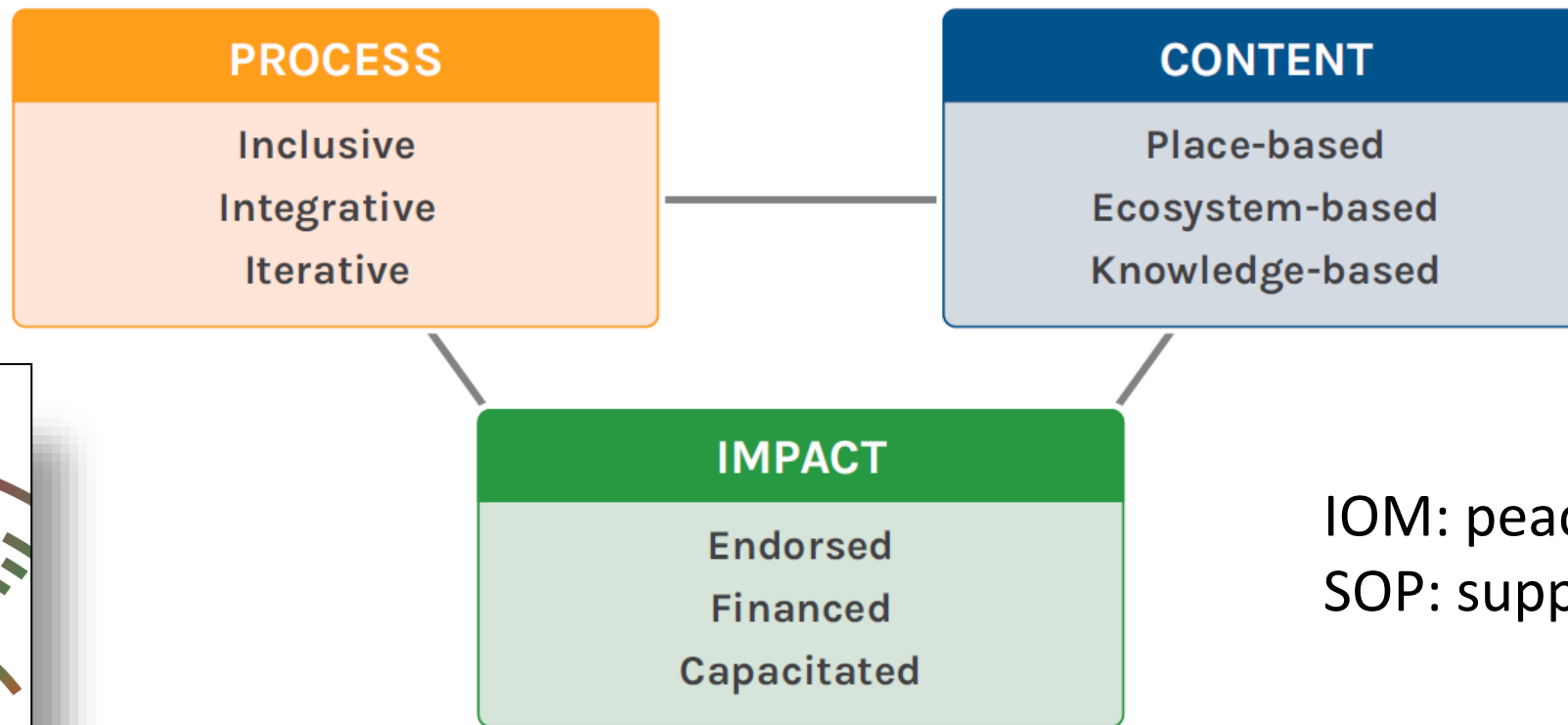
Thematic pillars:

4. Climate-smart MSP
5. Marine protection and restoration
6. Sustainable blue economy

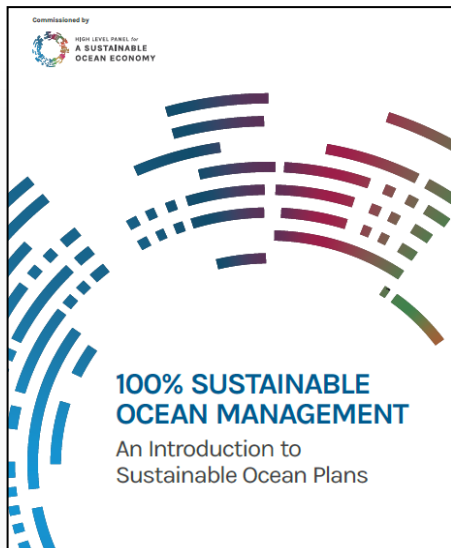
Guidance, Policy briefs, CD interventions, Global and Regional Fora, Thematic Dialogues, information products...

Sustainable Ocean Plan

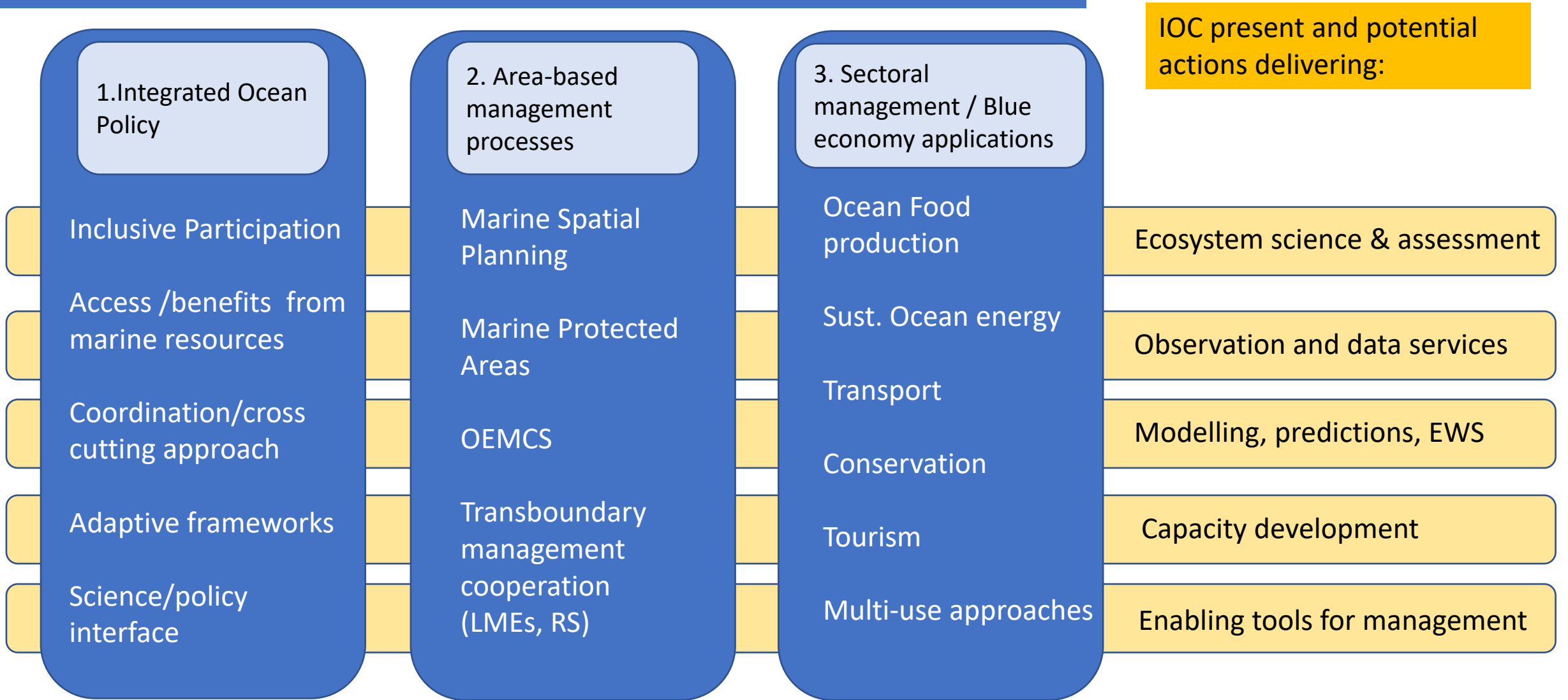
Although *there is no 'one size fits all'* approach, an effective plan should reflect **nine attributes** regarding process of development, content and ability to convert planning into impact.



IOM: peaceful coexistence
SOP: supporting the SDGs



A possible IOC Science-based Framework fo Sustainable Ocean Management



Purpose of Strategy

- Mapping existing and potential IOC contribution to ocean planning and management processes
- Guidance to IOC programmes on needs and potential areas of growth and further investment
- Making visible to the outside ocean management community the IOC support
- Identify contributions to the development of the Decade Programme Sustainable Ocean Planning

Process for development (2023- 2024)

- Presentation of development process of IOC wide strategy at IOC Assembly
- Development of draft paper by external consultant
- Consultation with HoS, Chairs of programmes, subsidiary programmes
- Consultation with external stakeholders
- Circulation of draft Strategy to IOC MS by correspondence
- Revision of Strategy and endorsement by EC 56 (2024)