

# BLUE PLANNING

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## Identification of need for MSP



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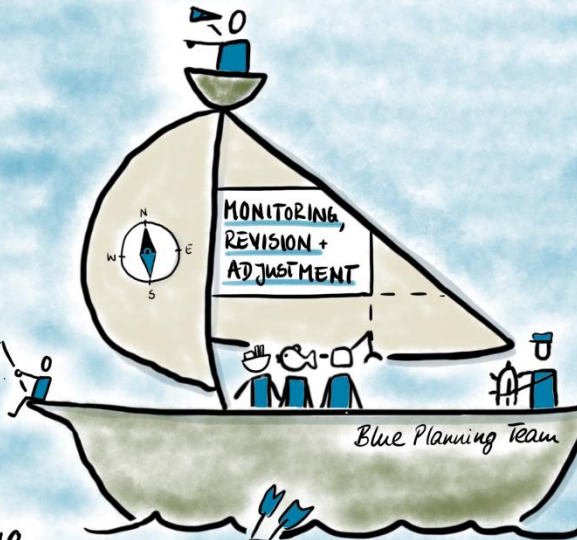
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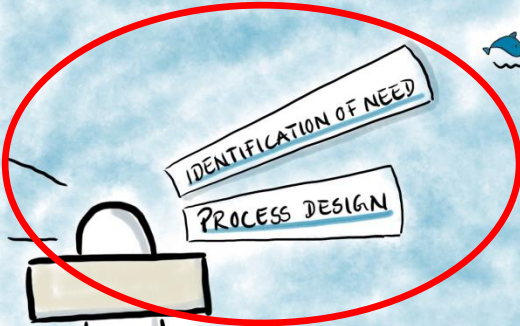
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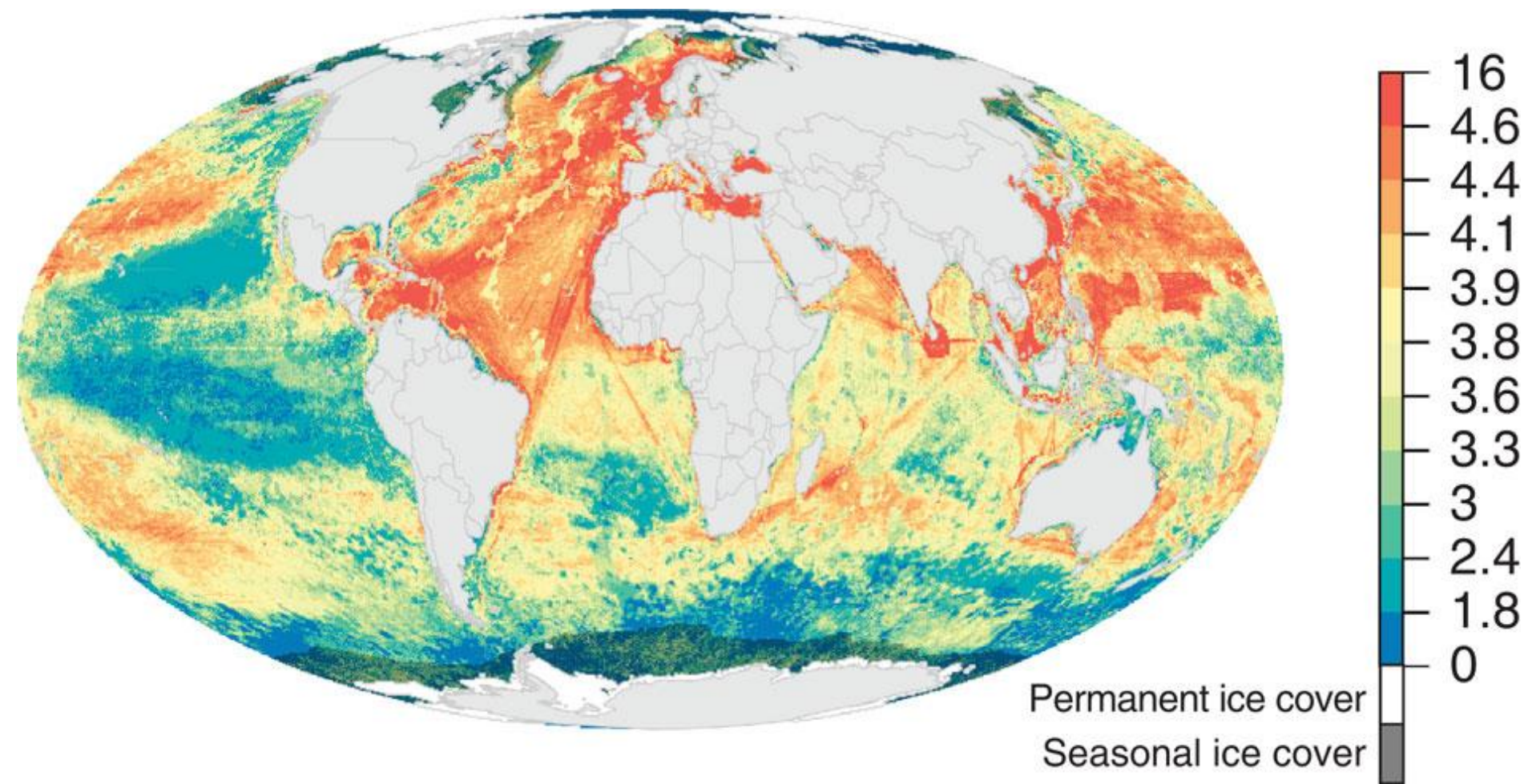
# The sea

An empty expanse...

Big enough to look after itself...

So why bother with planning?





**Cumulative human impact to marine ecosystems as of 2013 (Halpern et al 2015)**  
Impact scores are based on all 19 anthropogenic stressors

**... in fact:**

Growing number of uses

A changing marine environment

Changing societal demands

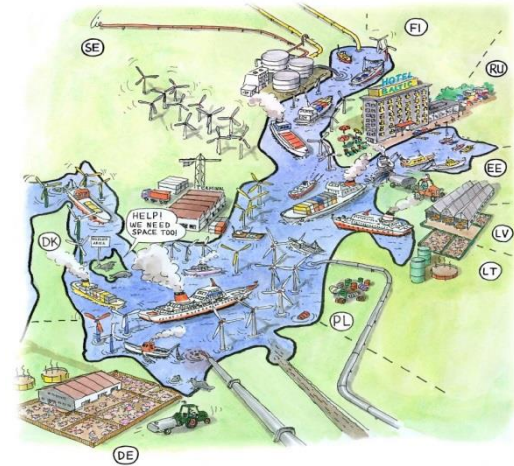
→ good reasons for Blue Planning!



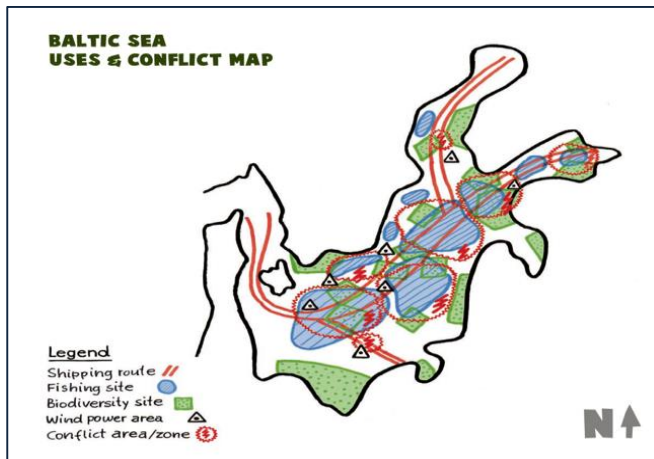
## Policy driven or legal requirement



## Problem driven



## Conflict driven



## Opportunity driven



# What exact area are we talking about?



Cabo Matapalo – Punta Burica  
(Source: [www.marviva.net](http://www.marviva.net))

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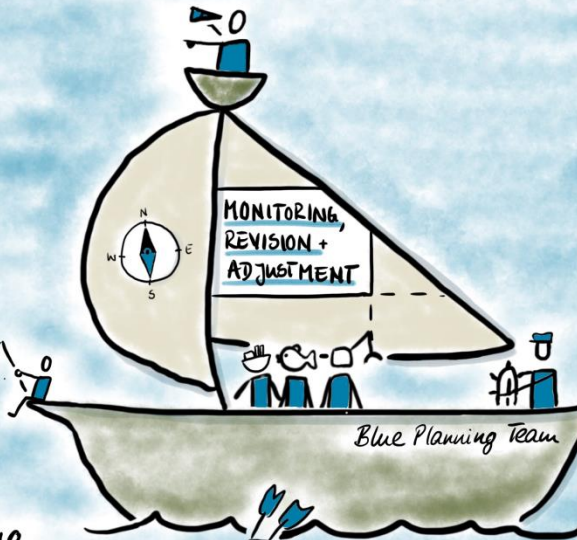
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# Case work: Identify need



## Learning objectives:

- ▷ Know how to identify & agree on the planning area
- ▷ Describe your Planning Area
- ▷ Describe uses by sectors & drivers influencing conditions of ecosystems
- ▷ Explain the reasons for BPiP

## Your task:

Define the need for BPiP



We need a plan to guide the use, conservation & protection of our Coastal/marine resources!

1

Read "Introduction to Bakul"

3

Assess current condition of ecosystems & possible future trends



2

Brainstorm existing coastal & marine ecosystems, ES & human users & drivers



4

Localize & highlight existing overlapping spatial uses



5

Assess the need for BPiP using indicators