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Blue/Ocean Economy and Ocean Governance

NATIONAL INITIATIVES

MADAGASCAR

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Current Status

Available coastal and marine data and information form

- MSP National legislative & institutional framework
- Maritime atlas (shape files)
- Maritime activities diagnosis (physic and electronic)
- Local maritime governance scenario (shape files, electronic)

Other Blue Economy related documents

- National Ocean Policy
- Blue Economy Strategy & Investment plan
- Maritime Transport National Strategy
- Short term strategy for Fishery sector recovery

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- Blue Economy Strategy for Fishery and Aquaculture
- National Strategy for Aquaculture Development





Institutions participating in BE



"Blue economy & ocean governance cluster"

regrouping all department with ocean related activities (research, conservation, tourism, transport, fishery and aquaculture, energy, mining, land planning, foreign affair, national defence), conventions, NGOs, civil societies, private sector representative (small scale and industrial).

Sub committee in charge of MSP within the BE&OG Cluster coordinated by :

- ✓ Ministry of Land Planning and Services
- ✓ Ministry of Fishery and Blue Economy
- ✓ Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development

Partners and sponsoring : Nairobi Convention, WWF, USAID, World Bank, African Development Bank group, etc. UN @ environment programme





Government arrangements for interventions



Sub committee in charge of MSP within the BE&OG Cluster :

- Design national MSP ;
- Coordinate local MSP with regional BE&OG clusters (14);
- > Participate, initiate resolution of users conflicts.

Departmental own attribution:

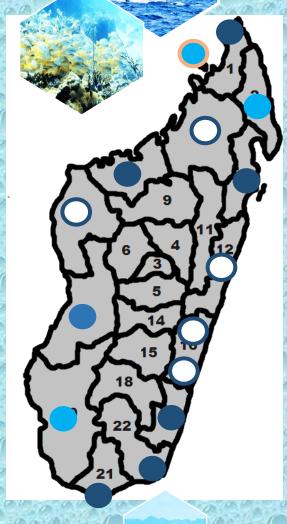
- Ministry of Land Planning and Services : co-developing and applying maritime space planning tools, initiate reflections and studies on the development of the Malagasy maritime territory
- Ministry of Environment and Sustainable Development : promote environmental governance, ensure of conservation coastal and marine biodiversity and habitats, ensure environmental, social and economic assessment of coastal and maritime activities.
- Ministry of Fishery and Blue Economy : Ocean governance and State actions at the sea coordination, develop MSP as tool for blue economy implementation, promote and develop blue economy.

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Malagasy state of MSP and readiness



- 14 coastal regions ;
- 9 with maritime atlas (Diana, Melaky, Menabe, Atsimo Andrefana, Androy, Anosy, Atsimo Atsinanana, Analanjirofo, Sava);
- 7 with "activity & users spatial analysis" (Diana, Melaky, Menabe, Androy, Anosy, Atsimo Atsinanana, Analanjirofo);
- 6 with proposed MSP scenario for best maritime space management (Diana, Melaky, Androy, Anosy, Atsimo Atsinanana, Analanjirofo).

Particular settings for Diana : subdivided in 4 sub regions ; subdivision 4 having its own **activity based MSP** (around Nosy Be) due to its particular BE development potential (conservation, tourism, fishery, aquaculture, maritime transport).





Data collection and management

Scattered across our partners and different sectors :

National Oceanographic Data Center (Scientific research Ministry)

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- Land use planning Observatory (Land planning Ministry)
- Maritime and River Port Agency (Transport Ministry)

Fishery and Aquaculture Statistics Department (Fishery Ministry)
NGOs : WWF, BV, WCS, IC, etc.

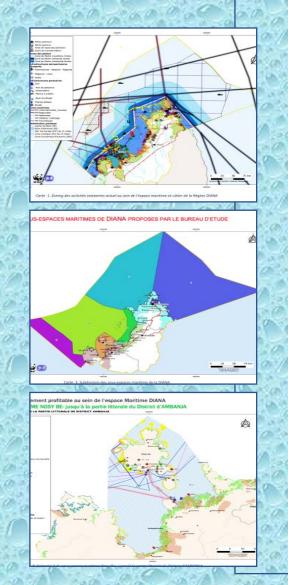
Several **MoU** signed between Blue Economy Ministry and ocean related institutions/NGOs on data sharing for MSP and blue economy development.







Case study on MSP in Madagascar : DIANA



- Subdivided in 4 districts : Diego I, Diego II, Ambilobe, Ambanja, Nosy Be.
 Hosts key coastal and marine ecosystems : mangrove, coral reefs, sea grass beds,
- □ 132 islets, hosts 33.4% of Malagasy MPAs (2,367,026 Ha),
- □ Key BE activities in the region :
 - cultural activities
 - > conservation,
 - ecosystem restauration
 - > ecotourism,
 - > port and services, maritime transport
 - maritime surveillance,
 - Fishery & aquaculture
 - > research.
- □ Maritime area has been subdivided into 4 sub regions.

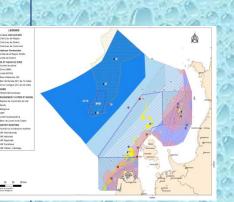






Case study on MSP in Madagascar : DIANA







- Implemented the Diana regional BE & OG Cluster : coordinated by the Governor's office and the regional Prefect, animated by local blue economy department ;
- □ Sub-region 4 (around Nosy Be) is the most active one :
 - home to critical coastal and marine ecosystems,
 - > all BE activities represented,
 - > around 52 islets,
 - Presence of IUU fishing risks
 - Very active fishermen unions, associations.
- Had a local cluster (for the 4th sub-region) for Ocean governance & MPS implemented in Nosy Be coordinated by the Mayor office and Prefecture ;
- Made a participatory mapping of the maritime sub-region with all local stakeholders.
- Divided in 7 areas : Hell-ville, Dzamanjar, Antanamitarana, Befotaka, Bemanondrobe, Ambatozavavy and Nosy Komba.

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Proposed planning process, activities taken and next step

Simplified process :



Stakeholder mapping



Maritime atlas



Spatial use

diagnosis

Scenario proposition

- Empower local EB & OG clusters ;
- Provide MSP tool for the remaining coastal regions, local MSP for Ste Marie ;
- Implement elaborated strategies and regulations ;
- Elaborate and implement a "database collection and management strategy".



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