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UNEP-WCMC RELEVANT EXPERTISE

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Presentation outline

UNEP-WCMC's marine data products

Marine Spatial Planning

Business Platform – Proteus

ABNJ Deep Seas Project

Capacity Development

Science Policy Communication

UN ENVIRONMENT WORLD CONSERVATION MONITORING CENTRE STRATEGY

To provide decision makers with information about biodiversity and ecosystem services

CENTRE THEME

Intergovernmental agreements,
Sustainable development,
Area-based planning,
Sustainable wildlife,
Healthy ocean,
Private sector

PRIORITY ACTIVITIES

UNEP-WCMC's digital data products

Ocean Data Viewer
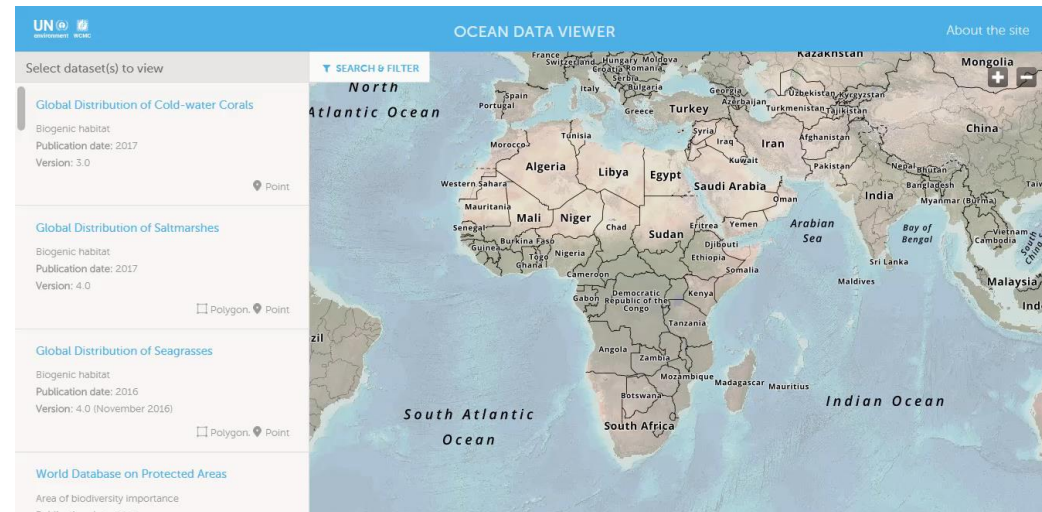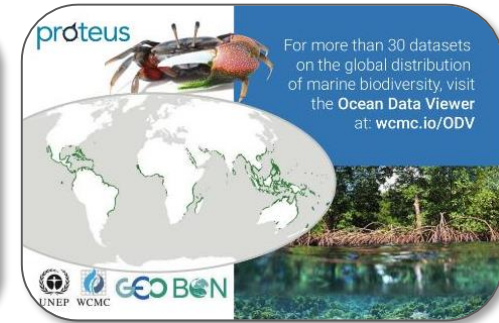

Marine and coastal habitats records

2.52 million

Datasets available

> 30

Marine and coastal areas mapped

2.1 million km²

UNEP-WCMC's digital data products

Manual of marine and coastal datasets of biodiver[...]e

Datasets
128

Metadata sheets
69

Policy analysis

ABNJ
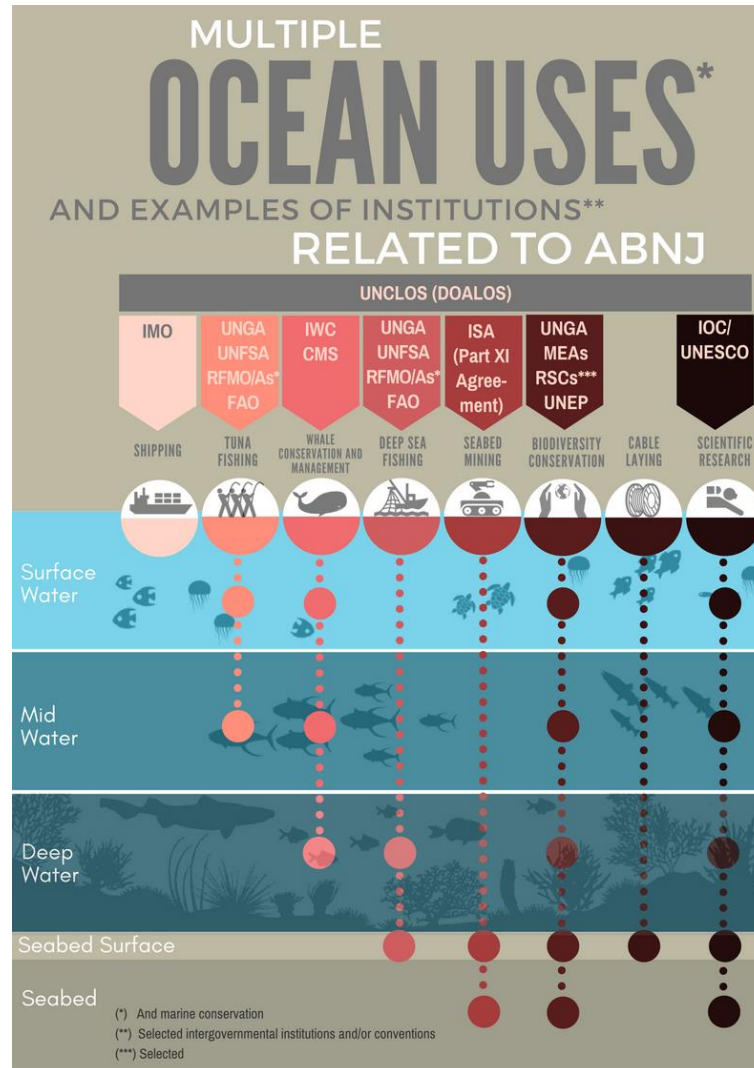
WESTERN INDIAN OCEAN REGION

KEY ABNJ MILESTONES

1946 / 1948 — IWC
1948 / 1958 — IMO

1982 / 1984 — IOC
1982 / 1994 — UNCLOS
1982 / 1994 — ISA
1985 / 1996 — Nairobi CONVENTION

1992 — Rio DECLARATION ON ENVIRONMENT AND DEVELOPMENT
1992 / 1993 — CBD
1993 / 1996 — IOTC
1994 / 1996 — Part XI of UNCLOS
1995 / 2001 — UNFSA

2006 / 2012 — SIOFA
2006 — SIODFA

2010 / not yet in force — Nairobi CONVENTION Amendment
2014 — AU 2050 AIM Strategy
2015 — AMCEN Cairo Declaration

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AIM African Integrated Maritime
AMCEN African Ministerial Conference on Environment
AU African Union
CBD Convention on Biological Diversity
EBSA Ecologically or Biologically Significant Areas
IOC Indian Ocean Commission
IOTC Indian Ocean Tuna Commission
IMO International Maritime Organisation
ISA International Seabed Authority
IWC International Whaling Commission
Part XI of UNCLOS Agreement relating to the implementation of Part XI of UNCLOS
SIODFA Southern Indian Ocean Deep Sea Fishers Association
SIOFA Southern Indian Ocean Fisheries Agreement
SWIOFC Southwest Indian Ocean Fisheries Commission
UNCLOS UN Convention on the Law of the Sea
UNFSA UN Fish Stocks Agreement

Global POLITICAL DECLARATION
Regional POLITICAL DECLARATION
Global LEGAL INSTRUMENT
Regional LEGAL INSTRUMENT
Private Sector
INTER-GOVERNMENTAL ORGANISATION

2000 / 2010 Refers to the year of adoption and the year of entry into force
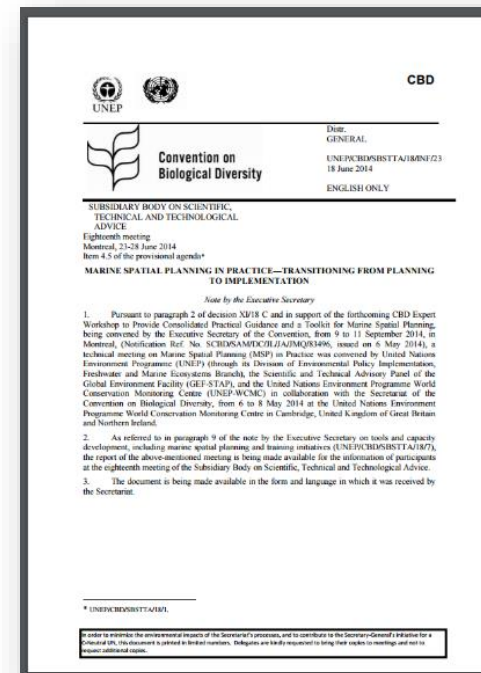
Marine Spatial Planning in Practice:
Evidence based analysis and practical guidance on the challenges and enabling factors for successful MSP

- **Analysis of 73 Marine Spatial Planning processes**

- **Understanding of what are the conditions which support successful planning processes**

Thank you for listening!

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