# NATIONAL REPORT - FRANCE (NEW CALEDONIA)

#### **GENERAL INFORMATION**

Signatory/Range State: France / New-Caledonia

Which agency or institution has been primarily responsible for the preparation of this report? French marine protected area Agency (AAMP) French agriculture forest and environment service New Caledonia government Northern Province of New Caledonia Southern Province of New Caledonia

List any other agencies, institutions, or NGOs that have provided input: Opération Cétacés (NGO) WWF (NGO) CIE (Association) ASNNC (Association) Lagon aguarium (...)

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## **INSTRUCTIONS FOR COMPLETION:**

The purpose of completing the national report is to provide information on your country's implementation of the Dugong MoU including, as far as possible, contributions of cooperating non-governmental partners. For each main objective and its associated sub-objectives, you are a required to rate an order of priority (High, Medium or Low) from a national perspective, as well as a regional perspective where this is possible. This information will allow us to collate regional and global priorities for conservation and management actions. It will also provide an indication of what has been done already (helping to avoid duplication of effort); what is generally not being done (gaps that need to be addressed); and what interventions or specific assistance may be required.

The reporting template is divided into these nine main objectives, and asks specific questions in relation to the activities that need to be carried out to fulfil those objectives.

To check the boxes on the left hand side, bring the cursor to the middle of the check box and double click with left mouse button on the box field, select "checked" and "ok".

Text boxes can be expanded to accommodate longer answers or to explain and provide additional information, beyond what is requested. Details of future plans are especially encouraged. Wherever possible, please try to indicate the source of information used to answer a particular question, if a published reference is available. Remember that you are sharing information with other countries about your progress, so it may be of benefit to them.

Implementation will be assessed in terms of the nine objectives of the Conservation and Management Plan (CMP). You may find it useful to refer to the CMP document when completing the National Report. The CMP can be found at: <u>http://www.cms.int/species/dugong/pdf/Dugong\_CMP\_Eng.pdf</u>.

**Deadline for submission of National Reports is 15 October 2012**. Reports must be received by this date to allow time for collation of results prior to presentation at the Second Signatory State Meeting (SS2) on 4 - 5 December 2012.

Please submit the completed report to the UNEP/CMS Office – Abu Dhabi by email (<u>CmsOffice.ae@cms.int</u>) as a Word attachment. Feel free to attach additional material (published reports, maps, etc.) to this template and send them by e-mail or by post.

NB. If a Range State has more than one territory, a National Report should be submitted for each territory and addressed in the specific context of the particular sub-region or region.

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## **OBJECTIVE 1: REDUCE DIRECT AND INDIRECT CAUSES OF DUGONG MORTALITY**

## 1.1 Threats Facing Dugong Populations

What has your country done to identify, assess and evaluate the threats to dugong populations? What kind of measures has your country developed to address these threats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
				$\square$		Established baseline data collection and mo	pnitoring programmes to gather information on the nature and magnitude of threats			
				$\boxtimes$		Regularly updated existing data on threats	o dugong populations and their habitats			
		Determined those populations affected by traditional subsistence and customary use, incidental capture in fisheries, and other sources		traditional subsistence and customary use, incidental capture in fisheries, and other sources of	Γ					
Ø						mortality				
$\square$						Conducted socio-economic studies among communities that interact with dugongs and their habitats				
				$\boxtimes$		Implemented programmes to correct adverse social and economic incentives that threaten dugong populations				
				$\boxtimes$		Facilitated the development of means of su	psistence to minimise resultant adverse social and economic impacts			
	Δ					Enacted, where not already in place, legis	lation and prohibited the direct use (capture or killing) of, and domestic trade in, dugongs their	Γ		
	$\square$					parts or products, whilst allowed exceptions	for traditional subsistence or customary use			
$\boxtimes$						Established management programmes to e	nforce such legislation			
	$\boxtimes$					Negotiated, where appropriate, manageme	nt agreements in consultation with other concerned States			
$\square$						Identified resources and sources of funding for the above programmes				
						Other, please describe:				

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Some work has been carried out on stranded animals to identify threats (Necroscopy) on a few dugongs only

Rate Objective 1.1 as a National priority:	High 🖾 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌	
Rate Objective 1.1 as a Regional priority:	High 🛛 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌 (Optional)	)

## 1.2 Dugong Mortality in Fishing Activities

What has your country done in order to reduce, to the greatest extent practicable, the incidental capture and mortality of dugong in the course of fishing activities? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\square$	Developed and used gear, devices and techniques to minimise incidental capture of dugongs in artisanal and commercial fisheries, such as the		iques to minimise incidental capture of dugongs in artisanal and commercial fisheries, such as the use							
	of alternative gears and spatial closures or limit or control the use of gears known to be harmful to dugongs throughout the range of dugong									
$\boxtimes$						Developed procedures and extension programmes to promote implementation of these measures				
			$\square$			Exchanged information and, upon request, provide technical assistance to together Signatory and cooperating States to promote these activities				
$\boxtimes$						Liaised and coordinated with fishing industr	ies, fisheries management organisations and community groups to develop and implement these			
						activities				
			$\square$			Developed and implemented net retention an	d recycling schemes to minimise the disposal of fishing gear at sea and on beaches			
			$\square$			Provided and ensured the use of onshore facilities for the disposal of ship-borne waste				
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\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. According to available data (although limited) by-catch doesn't seem to be a major problem in New Caledonia.

Rate Objective 1.2 as a National priority:	High 🗌 Medium 🛛 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 1.2 as a Regional priority:	High 🗌 Medium 🖂 Low 🗌 (Optional)

### **1.3 Dugong Mortality due to Human Activities**

What has your country done in order to reduce, to the greatest extent practicable, the incidental mortality of dugongs arising from other anthropogenic activities? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		Assessed the level, location and impact of anthropogenic impacts on dugongs at ecologically relevant scales				
$\square$						Reduced, as much as possible, all other human impacts on dugongs and their habitats in areas that sustain subsistence and customary use				
						Established appropriate management progra	mmes to ensure that anthropogenic impacts are addressed, taking account of the temporal and spatial			-
				$\boxtimes$		variability of dugong reproductive rates and o	ther impacts on the species in a precautionary manner			
						Other, please describe:				

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. According to the Northern Province rules, catching dugongs is forbidden, except for some customary uses.

However, no permit has been delivered for many years.

In the Southern Province, catch of dugongs is totally forbidden in all case.

Rate Objective 1.3 as a National priority:	High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 1.3 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

1.4 Illegal Take of Dugongs

What has your country done in order to reduce, to the greatest extent practicable, the illegal take of dugong? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\boxtimes$						Assessed the level, location and impacts of th	e illegal take of dugongs			
$\boxtimes$					Established appropriate management programmes to ensure that the illegal take of dugongs is addressed					
	C C Other, please describe:									

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Illegal take of dugong is banned since 1963 In the case of the sensibilisation part of the New-caledonia dugong actions plan. Ongoing awareness, Marine Police

Rate Objective 1.4 as a National priority:	High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 1.4 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

## 1.5 Sustainable Dugong Use

What has your country done in order to ensure that subsistence and customary use of dugong is sustainable (in areas where it is permitted)? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
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		$\square$	Reduced as much as possible all other human impacts on dugongs and their habitats in areas that sustain subsistence and customary use		
		$\boxtimes$	Determined the cultural and subsistence values and uses of dugongs (both consumptive and non-consumptive)		
		$\boxtimes$	Established culturally appropriate management programmes to ensure that subsistence and customary use is sustainable, taking account of the		
			temporal and spatial variability of dugong reproductive rates and other impacts on the species in a precautionary manner		
	$\bowtie$		Ensured that such programmes do not have adverse unintended consequences (e.g. increase use of other threatened species such as marine		
			turtles)		
	$\bowtie$		Considered the development of alternative means of subsistence in areas where the subsistence and customary use of dugong is permitted to		
			alleviate adverse social and cultural impacts		
	$\bowtie$		Negotiated, where appropriate, management agreements on the sustainable level of subsistence and customary use (where it is permitted), in		
			consultation with other concerned States, to ensure that such use does not undermine conservation efforts		
	$\bowtie$		Ensured that the management of other species (including fisheries) does not have adverse unintended consequences on the subsistence and		
			customary use of dugongs where it is permitted		
			Other, please describe:		

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. According to the Northern and southern Provinces rules, fishing of dugongs is forbidden, except for some customary uses in northern province only. However, no permit has been delivered for many years.

 Rate Objective 1.5 as a National priority:
 High
 Medium
 Low

 Rate Objective 1.5 as a Regional priority:
 High
 Medium
 Low
 (Optional)

## **OBJECTIVE 2: IMPROVE UNDERSTANDING THROUGH RESEARCH AND MONITORING**

#### 2.1 Dugong Populations and Habitats

What has your country done so as to determine the distribution and abundance of dugong populations to provide a base for future conservation efforts and actions? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

Status of Completion

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						Conducted baseline studies or gather secon community-based monitoring	dary information on dugong populations using cost effective techniques where possible, including			
	$\boxtimes$		C C Other, please describe:							
						Conducted four aerial survey to count dugo	ng in order to get minimum abundance estimates			

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. 4 surveys have been planned in the National Dugong Action Plan.

Data are in course of being analysed as part of a phD.

Rate Objective 2.1 as a National priority:	High 🖾 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 2.1 as a Regional priority:	High 🛛 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌 (Optional)

## 2.2 Dugong Research

What has your country done to conduct research and monitoring into dugong? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		Initiated and/or continued long-term monitorin	g of priority dugong populations at appropriate spatial scales			
$\boxtimes$				Identified migratory routes through the use of techniques such as genetic studies and/or satellite tracking where appropriate       []			X			
			Carried out studies on dugong population dynamics and survival rates							
				$\square$		Promoted the use of traditional ecological kno	wledge in research and management studies, where possible			

Involved local communities in research and monitoring programmes with training as required		
Reviewed periodically and evaluated research and monitoring activities		
Identified and included priority research and monitoring needs in regional and sub-regional action plans		
Conducted collaborative studies and monitoring of genetic identity, conservation status, migrations, and other biological and ecological aspects of dugongs	X	
Other, please describe:		

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.

Rate Objective 2.2 as a National priority:	High 🖾 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 2.2 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

### 2.3 Data Collection and Analysis

What has your country done in order to collect and analyse data that supports the identification of sources of mortality, the mitigation of threats, and improved approaches to dugong conservation practices? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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$\square$				$\boxtimes$		Identified and prioritised populations for cons	ervation actions			
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		Identified population trends using local inform	nation where appropriate			
				$\boxtimes$		Used research results to improve manageme	ent, mitigate threats and assess the efficacy of conservation activities (e.g. habitat loss)			
				$\boxtimes$		Involved local communities in research and r	nonitoring programmes with training as required			
$\boxtimes$						Developed and harmonised data collection and analysis protocols				
$\square$						Where appropriate, developed and harmonis	ed the reporting format that can be used for informing decision-making (local, national and regional)			

	Other, please describe:	
* Free text field for specif	ic descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date de	tails.
Rate Objective 2.3 as a N	ational priority: High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌	

## **OBJECTIVE 3: PROTECT, CONSERVE AND MANAGE HABITATS FOR DUGONG**

Rate Objective 2.3 as a Regional priority: High 🛛 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌 (Optional)

#### 3.1 Dugong Habitat Mapping

What kind of actions has your country implemented in terms of identifying and mapping areas of important dugong habitat? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.				
$\boxtimes$				$\square$		Identified and mapped areas of critical habitation	t such as seagrass beds and migratory corridors, using rapid assessment technique where appropriate				
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\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.

Rate Objective 3.1 as a National priority:	High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 3.1 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

### 3.2 Protect Dugong Habitats

What has your country done to establish necessary measures in order to protect and conserve dugong habitats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
						Designated and managed protected/conser	vation areas, sanctuaries or temporary exclusion zones in areas of critical habitat, or took other			
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		measures (e.g. modification of fishing gear, b	anning destructive fishing practices, restrictions on vessel traffic) to remove threats to such areas and			
						involving the local community as much as pos	ssible			
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		Developed incentives for adequate protection	of areas of critical habitat outside protected areas			
$\square$				$\boxtimes$		Consider protecting dugong habitats as part of ecosystem based management (e.g., networks of marine protected areas)				
			$\square$			Assessed the environmental impact of marine	and coastal development and other human activities on dugong populations and their habitats			
	J					Monitor and promote the protection of water	quality from land-based and maritime pollution, including marine debris, which may adversely affect			
				$\square$		dugongs and their habitats				╎└┘
	$\boxtimes$					Strengthened the application of existing bans	on the use of poisonous chemicals and explosives in the exploitation of marine resources			
						Other, please describe:				
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\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Important areas have been mapped in the Southern Province. However no conservation management has followed yet. Seagrass areas are protected in the Southern Province

Rate Objective 3.2 as a National priority:	High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 3.2 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

#### 3.3 Actions to Address Habitat Loss

What has your country done to assess the risk of the degradation of dugong habitats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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				$\square$		Identified and enhanced recovery of degrade	d seagrass habitats used by dugongs					
			$\square$			Identified and enhanced recovery of degrade	d mangrove and coral reef habitats used by dugong					
			$\square$			Undertook measures to restore degraded hal	pitats					
						Other, please describe:						

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Except around some urban zones, marine habitats (reefs, mangroves and sea grass beds) within New-Caledonia (the 3 provinces included) are in a good to very good state. Seagrass habitat data to be integrated into the National Dugong Action Plan 2010-2015

Rate Objective 3.3 as a National priority:	High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 3.3 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

## 3.4 Degraded Dugong Habitats

What has your country done concerning degraded dugong habitats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
						Identified and undertook measures, where ap	propriate, to enhance recovery of degraded seagrass habitats used by dugongs			

	* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.
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F	Rate Objective 3.4 as a National priority: High 🗌 Medium 🛛 Low 🗌
F	Rate Objective 3.4 as a Regional priority: High 🗌 Medium 🖾 Low 🗌 (Optional)

# **OBJECTIVE 4: IMPROVE UNDERSTANDING OF DUGONG HABITATS THROUGH RESEARCH AND MONITORING**

### 4.1 Research of Habitats

What has your country done with regards to conducting research into and monitoring of important dugong habitats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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		$\boxtimes$		ondary information on dugong habitats using cost effective techniques where possible, including				
		$\boxtimes$	Initiated and/or continued long-term monitoring	ated and/or continued long-term monitoring of priority dugong habitats				
		$\boxtimes$	Promoted the use of traditional ecological knowledge in research and management studies, where possible					
		$\boxtimes$	Involved local communities in research and mo	nitoring programmes with training as required				
		$\boxtimes$	Reviewed periodically and evaluate research and	nd monitoring activities				
$\boxtimes$			Identified and include priority research and mor	nitoring needs in regional and sub-regional action plans				
			Other, please describe:					

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Herbarium cartography (ZONECO program)

Rate Objective 4.1 as a National priority:	High 🖂 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 4.1 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

## **OBJECTIVE 5: RAISE AWARENESS OF DUGONG CONSERVATION**

#### 5.1 Information Programmes

What has your country done with regards to establishing education, awareness and information programmes? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

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			PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable activities. May require assistance in the future.						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Collected, developed, co-ordinated and disseminated education materials (e.g. dedicated regional website)						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Identified key persons/champions to help disseminate messages about the need to conserve dugongs and their habitats						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Established community learning/information centres						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Developed and implemented mass media information programmes						
		$\boxtimes$	eloped and conducted focused education and awareness programmes for target groups (e.g. policy makers, teachers, schools, fishing munities, subsistence and customary users, media) buraged the incorporation of dugong biology and conservation issues into school curricula						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Encouraged the incorporation of dugong biology and conservation issues into school curricula						
		$\boxtimes$	Organised special events related to dugong conservation and biology (e.g. Dugong Day, Year of the Dugong, symposia, community education workshops)						
		$\boxtimes$	Promoted public participation in conservation activities						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Involved stakeholders, including key policymakers, subsistence and customary users, and local communities in particular, in planning and implementation of conservation and management measures						
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$	Encouraged the participation of government institutions, intergovernmental governmental organisations, the private sector and the general community (e.g. students, volunteers, fishing communities, local communities) in research, conservation and management efforts						
$\square$		$\square$	Implemented, where appropriate, incentive schemes to encourage public participation (e.g. T-shirts, public acknowledgement and certificates)						

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. In the Southern Province:

- education and awareness programme were conducted at school level, which a Scholl drawing contest planned in 2010;

- TV spot broadcast planned.

In the Northern Province :

- education and awareness programme are in project

2010: Year of the Dugong in New Caledonia, with specific communication spots to be displayed

Additional awareness and education measures planned within the framework of the National Dugong Action Plan : for example, Education material distributed in schools (puzzle, poster...)

Rate Objective 5.1 as a National priority:	High 🖾 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌	
Rate Objective 5.1 as a Regional priority:	High 🛛 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌 (Optiona	I)

#### 5.2 Encourage Local Community Participation

What has your country done with regards to encouraging local communities to actively participate in conservation efforts? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

					Sta	atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation			
						<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise			
ь	с	0	м	Ы	NA	O – Completed, but out of date	$\mathbf{M}$ – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.	E	м	D
F	C	0		FI	ΝA	N – Not done, not planned	${f D}$ – Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment of other	E	IVI	
						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
						Identified, developed and facilitated alternativ	ve programmes (including means of subsistence and incentives) that are not detrimental to dugongs			
						and their habitats, in consultation with local co	ommunities and other stakeholders			
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\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. General Managements Plans of MPAs or World heritage (Unesco) zones are either conducted or established involving communities and others stakeholders to protect habitats and marine biodiversity, including dugongs.

Rate Objective 5.2 as a National priority:	High 🖂	Medium 🖂	Low 🗌
Rate Objective 5.2 as a Regional priority:	High 🖂	Medium 🖂	Low (Optional)

## **OBJECTIVE 6: ENHANCE NATIONAL, REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION**

#### 6.1 Combat Illegal Trade

What has your country done in order to collaborate with and assist Signatory and non-Signatory States to combat illegal international and domestic trade? What kind of measures have been developed to cooperate in enforcement activities relating to dugong products? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

Status of Completion				Ease of Implementation			
ь		P – Partially Completed	C – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise	-		
Р	P C O N PI	<b>O</b> – Completed, but out	of date	M – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.	E	IVI	U

			N – Not done, not planned D – Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment of other		
			PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable activities. May require assistance in the future.		
			Encouraged Signatory States, that have not already done so, to become Parties to the Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species		
Image: Pl - Plant         Image: Plant         Image	of Wild Fauna and Flora (CITES)				
		$\square$	Reviewed at a national level, compliance with obligations under CITES relating to illegal international trade in dugong parts or products		
			Facilitated better compliance with CITES through training of relevant authorities in cooperation with other Signatory States, the CITES Secretariat		
			and other relevant organisations		
			Identified routes of international illegal trade through monitoring, and sought cooperation to take action to prevent, deter and, where possible,		
			eliminate it		
			Exchanged and discussed information on compliance and illegal trade issues at regular intervals, such as through annual reporting to the MoU		
			Secretariat and at meetings of the Signatory States		
			Identified, prevented, deterred and, where possible, eliminated domestic illegal trade through monitoring, implementation of legislation, identification		
			of gaps in enforcement capabilities in each country, and training of enforcement officers		
			Other, please describe:		

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. National level essentially

 Rate Objective 6.1 as a National priority:
 High
 Medium
 Low
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#### 6.2 Information Exchange

What has your country done to develop and implement mechanisms for effective exchange of information? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Ease of Implementation			
Б			<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise	E	м	
F	P C O N PI	NA	O – Completed, but out of date	M – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.	E	IVI	D

				N – Not done, not planned D – Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment	of other		
				PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\boxtimes$				Identified and strengthened existing mechanisms for cooperation at the regional and sub-regional level			
		$\boxtimes$		Developed a website and/or newsletter to facilitate networking and exchange of information			
		$\boxtimes$		Developed a web-based information resource for dugong conservation (including data on populations, migration, on-going projects) based of website	on IUCN		
$\boxtimes$				Regularly updated a directory of experts and organisations concerned with dugong conservation			
		$\boxtimes$		Developed networks for cooperative management of shared populations, within or across sub-regions, and where appropriate, for cooperative management arrangements	ormalise		
		$\boxtimes$		Cooperated where possible in the establishment of transboundary marine protected areas using ecological rather than political boundaries			
$\boxtimes$				Developed a streamlined format for reporting and exchanging information (through the MoU Secretariat and among Signatory States) on the of dugong conservation at the national level	he state		
			$\square$	Encouraged MoU signatory States that have not already done so tot become Parties to the Convention on Migratory Species (CMS)			
			$\boxtimes$	Encouraged Signatory States to become contracting parties to global fisheries agreements such as the UN Fish Stocks Agreement (1995) FAO Compliance Agreement (1993) and implemented the FAO Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries (1995)	and the		
				Established relationships with regional fisheries bodies with a view to obtaining data on incidental capture and encouraged them to adopt conservation measure within Exclusive Economic Zones (EEZ) and territorial waters	dugong		
		$\boxtimes$		Determined the most appropriate methods for information and expertise among nations, scientific institutions, non-governmental and inter organisations, in order to develop and implement best practice approaches to conservation of dugongs and their habitats	national		
$\boxtimes$		$\boxtimes$		Exchanged at regular intervals scientific and technical information and expertise among nations, scientific institutions, non-governmer international organisations, in order to develop and implement best practice approaches to conservation of dugongs and their habitats	ntal and		
		$\boxtimes$		Disseminated traditional knowledge on dugongs, their habitats and traditional practices for conservation and management in a culturally app manner	ropriate		
		$\boxtimes$		Updated data on dugong populations of regional interest on a regular basis (e.g. country status reports)			
				Other, please describe:			

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.

Rate Objective 6.2 as a National priority: High  $\boxtimes$  Medium  $\square$  Low  $\square$ 

Rate Objective 6.2 as a Regional priority: High 🛛 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌 (Optional)

## 6.3 Improve Coordination

What has your country done in order to improve coordination among government and non-government sectors and communities in the conservation of dugongs and their habitats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Sta	atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation							
		P – Partially Completed C – Completed		P – Partially Completed C – Completed E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise									
Р	с	~	N				PI NA	NIA	O – Completed, but out of date	M – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.	E	м	
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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.						
$\boxtimes$						Reviewed the roles and responsibilities of government agencies related to the conservation and management of dugongs and their habitats							
$\boxtimes$						Designated a led agency responsible for coordinating national dugong conservation and management policy							
$\boxtimes$						Identified non-governmental organisation with	an interest in dugong conservation and management						
$\boxtimes$	1					Encouraged cooperation within and among	povernment and non-government sectors, including through the development and/or strengthening of	Π	Π				
	Cher, please describe:		Other, please describe:										

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 Rate Objective 6.3 as a National priority:
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6.4 Database

In relation to dugong conservation and management, what has your country done to develop and implement a regional database of relevant information? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Sta	atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation									
						PI NA	<b>N</b> – Not done, not planned <b>D</b> – Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment of other	<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise						
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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.								
						Collated and managed information relevant	for dugong conservation and management in a regional database that is easily accessible to all								
						interested parties									
						Other, please describe:									

ſ	* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.
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	Rate Objective 6.4 as a National priority: High 🗌 Medium 🛛 Low 🗌

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Rate Objective 6.4 as a Regional priority:	High I Medium I Low (Optional)

## **OBJECTIVE 7: PROMOTE IMPLEMENTATION OF THE MOU**

#### 7.1 Encourage participation in the MoU

What has your country done to encourage all Range States to participate in the MoU and its conservation and management activities? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Sta	tus of Completion	Ease of Implementation				
		P – Partially Completed C – Completed		P – Partially Completed C – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise					
Р			Ы	NA	O – Completed, but out of date	M – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.	F			
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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
					$\boxtimes$	Encouraged non-Signatory States to sign the MoU				
					$\boxtimes$	Arranged regional and sub-regional worksho	ps involving non-Signatory States to raise awareness of the MoU			
					$\boxtimes$	Considered at the first meeting of the Signat	ory States the development of a timetable for regular review of implementation the MoU			
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\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. National level essentially

Rate Objective 7.1 as a National priority:	High 🗌 Medium 🗌 Low 🖂
Rate Objective 7.1 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

#### 7.2 Support the Secretariat

What has your country done to support the Secretariat of the MoU to ensure the objectives of the Conservation and Management Plan are met? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			atus of Completion		Ease of Implementation				
Р	CO	N C	Ы	NA	P – Partially Completed	C – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise	Е	М	D

			O – Completed, but out of date	M – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.		
			N – Not done, not planned	<b>D</b> – Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment of other		
			PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.		
		$\boxtimes$	Secured reliable sources of funding to support the MoU Secretariat			
			Other, please describe:			

* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked O for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details	s.
National level essentially	

Rate Objective 7.2 as a National priority:	High 🗌 Medium 🗌 I	Low🖂
Rate Objective 7.2 as a Regional priority:	High 🗌 Medium 🗌 🛛	Low 🛛 (Optional)

## 7.3 Seek Resources

What kind of actions has your country taken to seek resources to support the implementation of the MoU, either at a national or international level? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Sta	atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation				
	P – Partially Completed C – Completed		<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise						
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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\boxtimes$						Prioritised conservation and management activities for funding				
Explored funding options with governments and other donors such as the Asian Development GEF, etc.		Explored funding options with governments a	and other donors such as the Asian Development Bank, World Bank, UNDP, European Union, UNEP,							
		GEF, etc.								
						Solicited funding and other contributions from	m industries that have impacts on dugongs and their habitats (e.g. fisheries, tourism, oil industry, real			
	Explored international funding support and other incentives for Signatory States that effectively manage populations									
Image:										

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.

 Rate Objective 7.3 as a National priority:
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 Low
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#### 7.4 Synergy with Other Conventions

What has your country done to create links and develop synergies with other relevant regional conservation conventions, MoUs and Agreements? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Sta	atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation				
						P – Partially Completed C – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise			
Р	с		O – Completed, but out of date	M – Moderate: Had to seek specialised expertise of invest substantial resources to complete.						
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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.			
$\boxtimes$	Identified, facilitated and explored links to other international, regional, sub-regional fora, conventions, agreements and MoUs									
Cher, please describe:										
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\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Exchange between PROE & MoU secretaries

Rate Objective 7.4 as a National priority: High ☐ Medium ⊠ Low ☐ Rate Objective 7.4 as a Regional priority: High ☐ Medium ⊠ Low ☐ (Optional)

# **OBJECTIVE 8: IMPROVE LEGAL PROTECTION OF DUGONGS AND THEIR HABITATS**

#### 8.1 Incorporation into national legislation

What has your country done to encourage all Range States, and ensure Signatory States, to incorporate dugong and habitat conservation and protection measures into national legislation? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion			Sta	atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation												
	P – Partially			<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed														
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	C	U		FI							NA	NA	INA	N – Not done, not planned	D - Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment of other	E	IVI	
						PI – PlannedNA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.											
					$\boxtimes$	Encouraged MoU Signatory States that have not already done so to become Parties to the Convention on Migratory Species (CMS)												
						Encouraged the establishment of legislation to protect dugongs and their habitats while recognising existing traditional management systems												
						Reviewed domestic policies and laws to addre	Reviewed domestic policies and laws to address gaps or impediments to dugong conservation											
	Ensured corporate sanctions for harming duge				Ensured corporate sanctions for harming du	ugongs or destroying habitat, trained law enforcement authorities, raised public awareness to boost												
						surveillance for reporting of illegal activities												
			Other, please describe:															

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details. Environnment legislation exist in Southern et Northern Provinces. On going in Loyalty islands province

Rate Objective 8.1 as a National priority:	High 🖾 Medium 🗌 Low 🗌
Rate Objective 8.1 as a Regional priority:	High Medium Low (Optional)

#### 8.2 Legal Protection

What kind of measures your country has developed to review and, where necessary, strengthen legal protection for dugongs and their habitats? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

	Status of Completion					tus of Completion	Ease of Implementation							
	с									<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise		1	
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						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.							
	Cooperated in law enforcement to ensure cor		Cooperated in law enforcement to ensure co	ompatible application of laws across and between jurisdictions (including through bilateral/multilateral										
	$\square$					agreements and intelligence sharing)								
	Cher, please describe:				Other, please describe:									

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.

Rate Objective 8.2 as a National priority:HighRate Objective 8.2 as a Regional priority:High

$\boxtimes$	Medium 🗌	Low 🗌
$\boxtimes$	Medium 🗌	Low (Optional)

# **OBJECTIVE 9: ENHANCE NATIONAL, REGIONAL AND INTERNATIONAL COOPERATION ON CAPACITY BUILDING**

9.1 Promote Capacity Building

What has your country done to promote capacity building at all levels to strengthen conservation measures? Please check box when applicable and provide a specific description on the free text field\* below.

Status of Completion						atus of Completion	Ease of Implementation								
						<b>P</b> – Partially Completed <b>C</b> – Completed	E – Easy: The country has the required resources and expertise								
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	C	U	IN	ГІ	NA	N – Not done, not planned	$\mathbf{D}$ – Difficult: Expended all available resources on this activity / possibly to the detriment of other		IVI	U					
						PI – Planned NA – Not Applicable	activities. May require assistance in the future.								
$\square$				$\square$		Identified needs for capacity-building in terms	of human resources, knowledge and facilities								
$\boxtimes$	Provided training (e.g. through workshops) in conservation and management techniques for dugongs and their habitats to relevant		in conservation and management techniques for dugongs and their habitats to relevant agencies,												
						individuals and local communities									
$\square$				$\boxtimes$		Coordinated training programmes and workshops									
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		Developed partnerships with universities, res	earch institutions, NGOs, training bodies and other relevant organisations to support capacity building								
						initiatives									
$\boxtimes$									$\boxtimes$		Identified assess, develop and implement trai	ning programmes for local communities, NGOs, community-based organisations, media, enforcement			
						officers, policy makers, law makers and decis	ion makers								
$\boxtimes$				$\boxtimes$		Enhanced capacity at all levels to develop and undertake joint research programmes on dugong and their habitats									
			X			Organised forums (local, national and region	al as appropriate) with the involvement of all relevant stakeholders to enable knowledge sharing and								
						capacity building									
			$\square$			Provided training on development, implementation and monitoring of community rehabilitation programmes									
	Supported local communities and relevant national organizations with possessary basis equipment and facilities to enable pro-		ational organisations with necessary basic equipment and facilities to enable protection, conservation												
				$\bowtie$		and management of dugong and their habitat	S								
						Other, please describe:									

\* Free text field for specific descriptions of actions taken. Use additional paper if necessary. If you ticked <u>O</u> for Completed but out of Date, above, please provide date details.

Rate Objective 9.1 as a National priority:	High 🗌	Medium 🖂	Low 🗌
Rate Objective 9.1 as a Regional priority:	High 🗌	Medium 🖂	Low (Optional)

## Other Remarks

Provide additional information not covered above.