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**CONCERTED ACTION
FOR THE
SPERM WHALES (*Physeter macrocephalus*)
OF THE EASTERN TROPICAL PACIFIC***

Proposed Activities for 2020-2023

Updating [UNEP/CMS/CONCERTED ACTION 12.2](#)

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<p>Activities and expected outcomes</p>	<p>Proposed Activities</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1) Regional Workshop (perhaps virtually, to save costs) with the goal of establishing protocols and data sharing between research groups across the Range States 2) Collaborative analysis of previously collected observational, photographic and acoustic data 3) Gathering of additional observational, photographic and acoustic data <p>Expected outcomes</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Efficient use of previously collected data and additional research funds • Improved understanding of vocal clan segregation • More effective collaboration between research groups
<p>Timeframe</p>	<p>1 and 2 to be completed by end of 2021 3 to be progressed from 2020 to end of 2022</p>