

Things were different in the good old days!

MSP in Europe: WWF experiences so far...

2<sup>nd</sup> Baltic MSP Forum, Riga, 23 November 2016





# EXPECTATIONS EXPECTATIONS

## Some key questions:



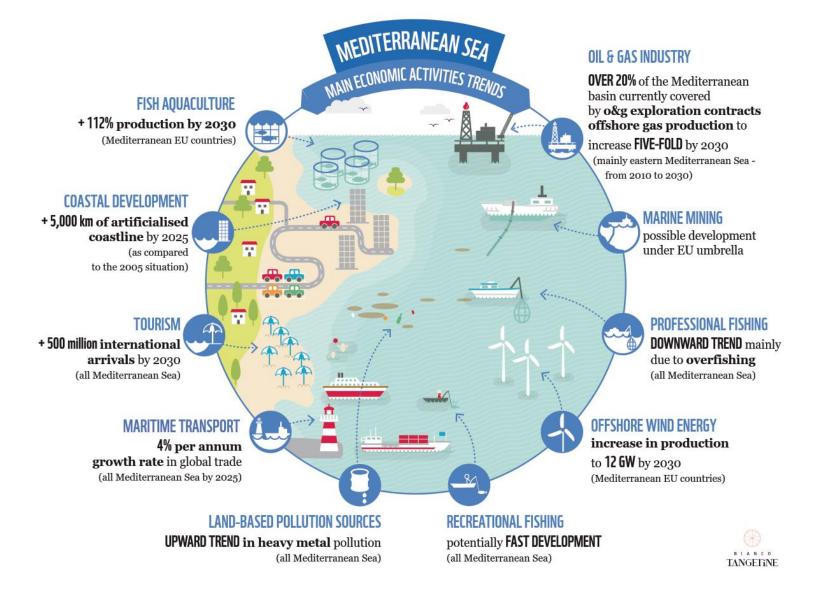
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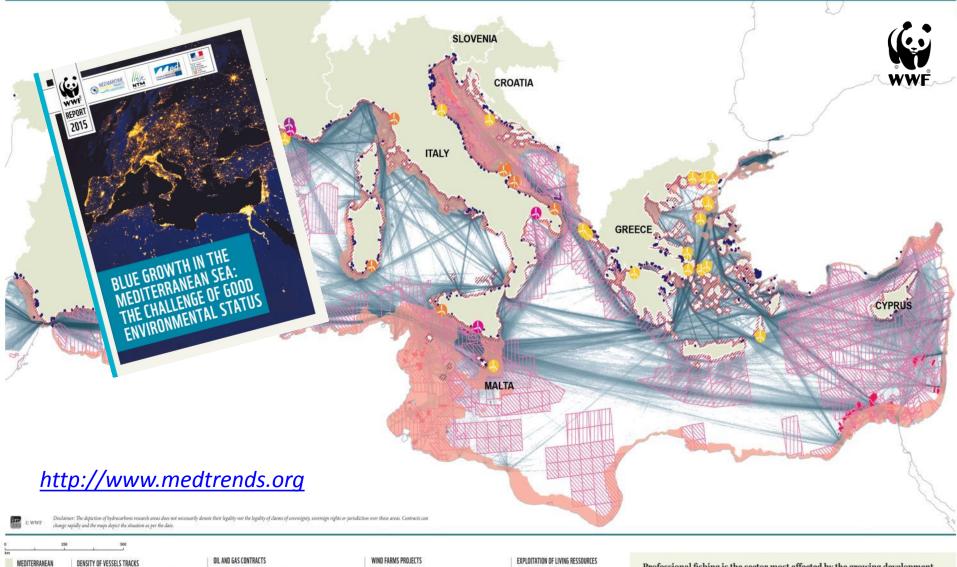
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- 3. Ecosystem-based?



## 1. Forward thinking?







AQUACULTURE FARM LOCATION

POTENTIAL EU RECREATIONAL FISHING ZONE

POTENTIAL PROFESSIONAL FISHING ZONE

Sources: WWF (2015) JRC-ISPRA (2012), national sources collected by WWF

Note: Data available only for EU countries

Figure 2. Potential spatial interactions between sectors

\*In 1 pixel of 1x1 km

Source: AIS density maps by

TOTAL OF DIFFERENT VESSELS INVOLVED: 38 897

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Interpolation / Log scaling / Year 2014

DEVELOPMENT AREA

PRODUCTION AREA

RELINQUISHED AREA

OPEN AREA

BIDBLOCK AREA

EXPLORATION AREA

Sources: DrillingInfo (april 2015)

National sources collected by WWF (2015) A drillinginfo

CONCEPT/EARLY PLANNING

CONSENT AUTHORISED

Source: Offshore4C (2014)

CONSENT APPLICATION SUBMITTED

PARTIAL GENERATION/UNDER CONSTRUCTION

**EU COUNTRY** 

#### Professional fishing is the sector most affected by the growing development of the maritime economy:

- · Fishing zones will be reduced in particular along coastal areas due to the increasing development of coastal activities;
- Pressures exerted by other sectors on marine ecosystems (e.g. additional fish catch) from recreational fisheries, some land-based pollution types, underwater noise generated by ships and by oil and gas activities) are growing and may impact fish stocks directly or indirectly.

### http://futuretrends.celticseaspartnership.eu





#### Introduction

#### Wind Energy

Shipping

Ports

Dredging

Tourism and Recreation

Oil and Gas Extraction

Pipelines and Cables

Physical Extraction

Commercial Fishing

Aquaculture

Marine Protected Areas

Industrial Pollution

Agricultural Runoff

- Nitrogen

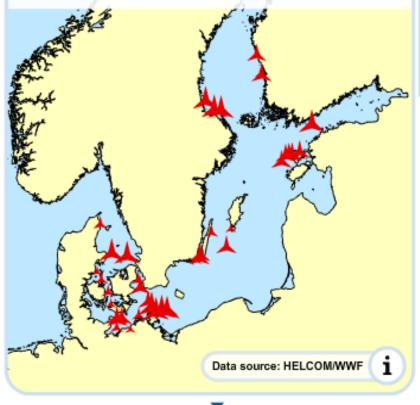
Phosphorous

All Sectors

Full report



Both the size and the number of wind parks will grow in the next 20 years. Energy production will increase from today's 436 MW to around 25,000 MW, an increase by more than 6,000 percent.



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Photo: Sarah Leen / WWF-Canon



http://wwf.panda.org/wwf\_news/?194764/Fut ure-trends-in-the-Baltic-Sea

2010

## 2. Supported by stakeholders?









# 3. Ecosystem based?



## MSP 'Hype Cycle'



