Implementation of the Shared Environmental Information System (SEIS) principles and practices in the ENP South region ENI SEIS South Support Mechanism (2016-2019)

> Guidelines for preparation of National Work Plan Parallel sessions SEIS vision and national needs



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Building the knowledge base on SEIS pillars





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Elaboration of national work plan : from needs to actions

- Activation/creation SEIS National Team
 - NFPs, Primary Contact Points
- State of Play, Identification of needs and areas of work
- Translation of needs into actions to fulfil SEIS vision
- Detailed activity plan (what, who, when, how?)
- Identification of support/assistance needed
- Adoption of work plan/signature of SSFA
- Mobilisation of funds
- Implementation
- Regular monitoring of progress



National team – building relevant networking structure

- Developing the SEIS national vision, designation of National Committee for steering the implementation of national work plan based on SEIS principles
- > Inputs and drafting of the national work plan
- Coordination of activities and establishment of platform for sharing data and information
 - Networking structure hierarchy of roles and responsibilities
 - Identify Primary Contact Points
- Influence the decisions and formalise the working model for the cooperation with all partners concerned;
- Review and advise on the planning of the work to ensure coordination, promote synergies between all institutions involved, and foresee potential future challenges;
- Advise on the implementation of project activities, in particular concerning proper linkages with core work of each institution involved;
- Advise on the allocation of resources
- > Ensure appropriate contributions to the ENI SEIS II south project regional processes

Content

Assistance in developing indicators, collection methods and validation of the data, measuring the quality levels of indicators and establishing a set of quality assurance mechanisms

Further development of water accounts by establishing a platform for data exchange among the different stakeholders

Identification/inventory of data sources Bridging data gaps

State of Environment (indicator-based)





Governance/cooperation

Develop exchange protocols in order to enhance cooperation among different institutions.

Review and harmonization of all methodological standards used





Infrastructure

Support in establishing institutional arrangement and IT tools for sharing data among different stakeholders to feed regional indicators demands

Building a national geographic industrial data base for pollution control

Quality Control/Quality assurance





Identification of needs and areas of work – initial steps toward national work plan

- State of play (initial situation) who does what, how, why?
- What's needed to progress toward better integration, application of SEIS principles?
- Expected outcomes from the action (landing situation)
- Key milestones of the action
- Links with national priorities /plans (including NAPs, and obligations toward Barcelona Conventions)/strategies - How the activity is contributing the existing national plans and obligations?
- Links with H2020 Programme of work 2015-2020 how this activity contributes to achieving the H2020 objectives (as specified in the H2020 work plan table)?
- Links with the project how the activity contributes to the expected results of SEIS II (R1, R2, R3, R4)
- SEIS pillars to which SEIS pillar the activity contribute?



ENI SEIS Support Mechanism South – expected results

- Result 1- The H2020 indicator set is stabilized, refined and complemented in order to be able to serve multiple purposes, as well as to ensure that the progress of achieving H2020 objectives is properly measured, while also contributing to assessing compliance with commitments under the Barcelona Convention.
- Result 2- The in-country processes for organising sharing of data sets underlying the H2020 indicators are stabilised.
- Result 3 The infrastructure for reporting offered by the EEA ('Reportnet') and UNEP (UNEP/MAP Reporting Network) is more widely used.
- Result 4 Indicator-based H2020 report(s) and assessments are produced in line with good practices from the EU region.
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The project timeframe

H2020 initiative for a Cleaner Mediterranean			DEVELOPMENT G ALS	
2020	2014) Eco me of work 2015- rs and assessment Quality Status Report IMAP InfoSystem	 NAP implementation IMAP – set of common indicators MSSD Indicator management, data service 	2 nd H2O2O indicator based assessment UNEPMAP SoED	2020/2021 Next reporting cycle
NATIONAL Inception phase • Establishment of national work plans	2017 Anchoring the work in national setting • National Team (mandate, objectives) • National pilot/case • National support • Links to other initiatives • H2020 Indicators • Assessment framework	2018 Results available • Sharing of experiences among countries • National achievements in regional setting • Data quality • H2020 Country Profile • Endorsement of results	 2019 "Evidence-based policy making" Country level assessments Contribution to H2020 report Reporting/availability of indicators Policy briefs 	EU Euro-MED Global

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