



WPD: Develop a decision support framework (DSF)

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Overall WP6 objective:



"To develop, test and adapt a DSF to provide an evidence basis for policy makers and other stakeholders about the trade-off between various management options on a multispecies basis"

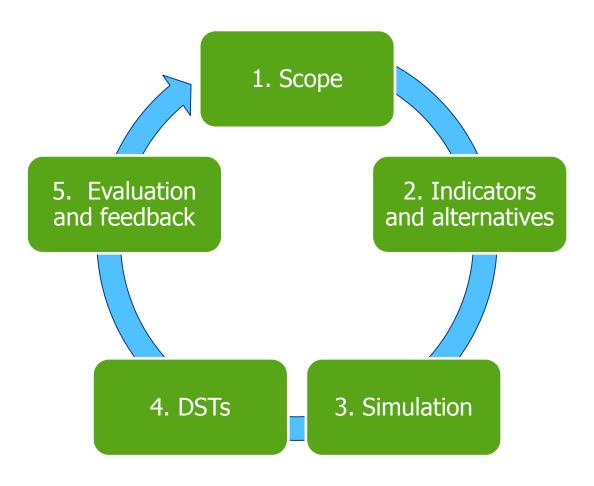
- 1. The co-creation process
- 2. Ecosystem models
- 3. Decision Support Tools
- 4. Educational resources





Development and use of the DSF in case studies









Specific objectives

- Prepare case studies for decision support (D6.1)
- Develop DST toolbox (D6.2, D6.3, D6.4)
- Apply DSTs to case studies
- Develop DSF platform
- Use DSF to support development of "iterative management plans" (D6.5)



Main challenges

- User-friendly DSTs?
- Weightings in MCA: Rationale accepted but difficult to do
- Uncertainty
- Timeliness (dependencies)



DST toolbox (08.12.17)



DST	Scen. Vis.	MCA	BBN	ToyM	GreenM
Baltic	✓	-	✓	-	-
North Sea	(Green M)	-	-	-	✓
Iceland	✓	✓	-	-	-
WcoS	✓	✓	-	-	-
SWW	(Toy M)	✓	-	✓	-
Med.	✓	-	-	-	-
Black S.	✓	-	(✓)	-	-

DST improved, e.g. using EAG feedback





Keeping the DSF platform alive

- Tøkni can host the DSF platform min. 3 years (cost = €0)
- Debugging, help to apply MCA and BBN to new cases or new development work at hourly rates
- H2020 projects REEEM and FarFish will use DTS



Publications (in prep.)



Rahikainen & al.: Mareframe toolbox supporting informed multi-attribute fisheries management decisions

Nielsen & al.: Participatory planning and decision support for the West coast of Scotland mixed fisheries

Nielsen & al.: Tools and processes to support scenario based planning in Ecosystem Based Fisheries Management: lessons from seven European case studies

Rahikainen & al. Decision support disentagles the multiple EAFM goals of the mixed shrimp and hake fishery in the Strait of Sicily

(Others in cooperation with/led by WP5 persons)

