



Initial compilation of national “input-data” reports

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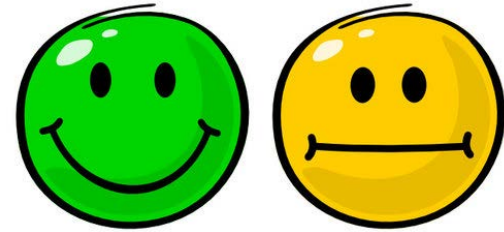


Reflections on Initial compilation of national “input-data” reports

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- Availability
 - Formats, language
 - Updating
 - Subject of fees
 - Restricted use
 - Not always meet MSP needs



How to make institutions/sectors interested in MSP?
What is advantage?

- Accessibility

- Centralized data collection

- One institution responsible
- Collection of data
- Processing

- Decentralized data collection

- Input from data-owners
- Harmonisation



How to make institutions interested in data-sharing?
Regional SDI – to be or not to be?



Data «jungle»



- Different approaches & focuses
- Variety of data sets

Only few data sets probably will be needed for transboundary MSP



What is «transboundary»?



Issues affects two or more countries

(by the Joint HELCOM-VASAB MSP working group)



10 data fields

<<transboundary issues>>



- Energy
- Data cables
- Scientific research
- Recreation & tourism
- Underwater heritage
- Defence
- Shipping
- Fisheries
- Mineral extraction
- Nature & environment



Baltic SCOPE

Towards coherence and cross-border solutions in Baltic Maritime Spatial Plans



MSP Directive themes



- aquaculture areas
- fishing areas
- installations and infrastructures
- maritime transport routes and traffic flows
- nature and species conservation sites and protected areas
- military training areas
- raw material extraction areas
- scientific research
- submarine cable and pipeline routes
- tourism
- underwater cultural heritage



Where is the balance?



curiosity vs. actual need

Countries provide diverse information & data

>> do we really need that all?

>> do we need to «harmonise» that all?