

Combining multiple maritime uses in European seas: the MUSES project

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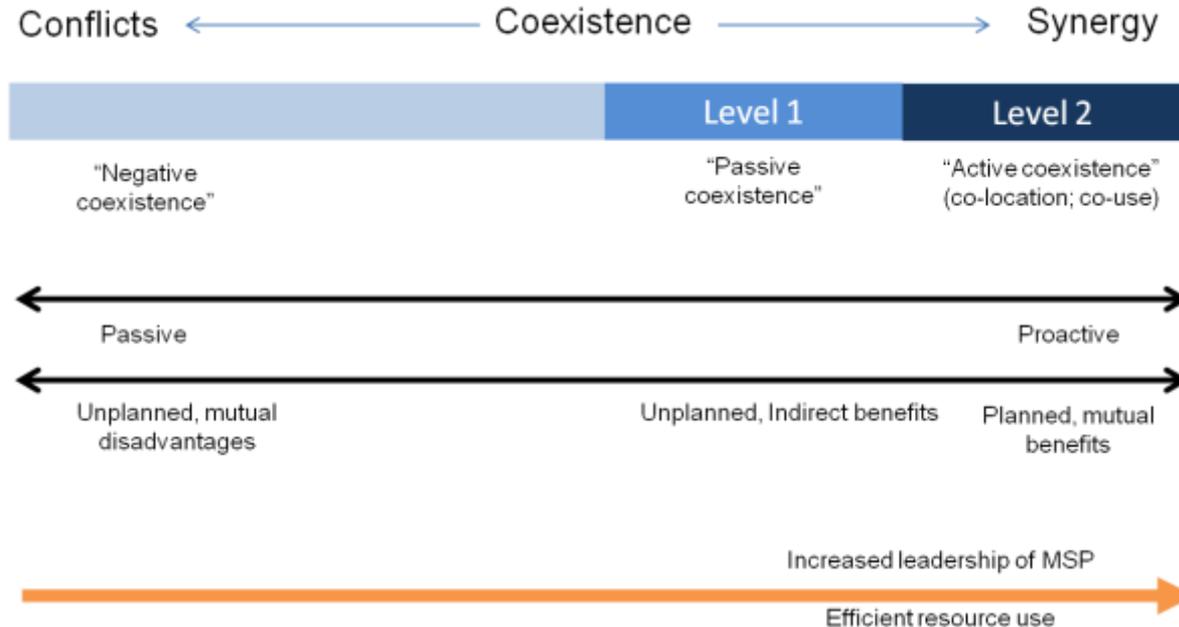
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Why Multi-use?



ICES WGMPCZM (2018) Workshop on Coexistence and Synergies in Marine Spatial Planning. Edinburgh

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EASTERN ATLANTIC OCEAN

Azores

Scotland

NORTH SEA

BALTIC SEA

Poland

Germany

Netherlands

Italy

BLACK SEA

Portugal

Greece

MEDITERRANEAN SEA

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RESEARCHERS
AT WORK



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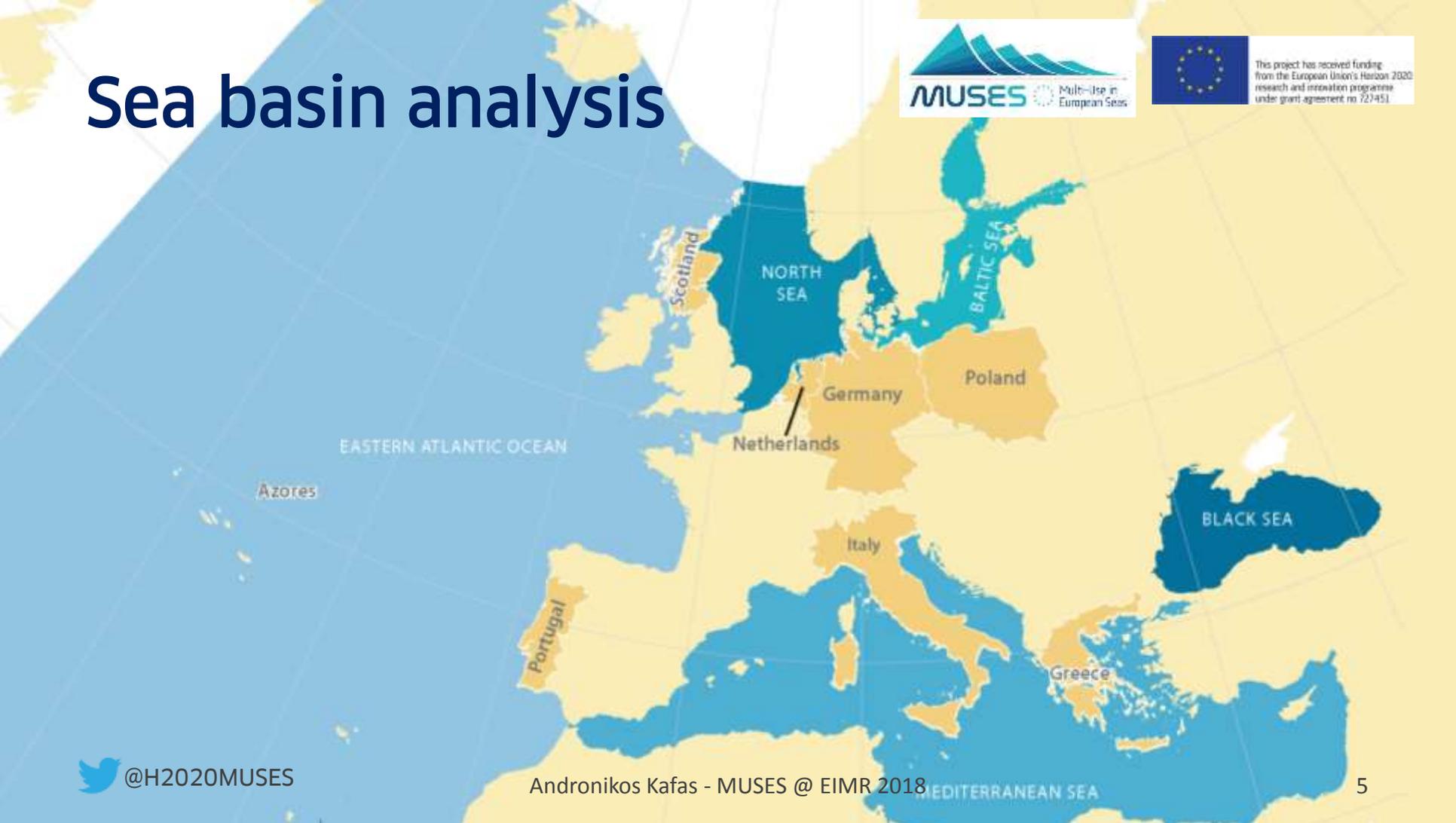
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Building on existing knowledge



Sea basin analysis



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5 EU Sea
BASINS
ANALYSED

23 EU
COUNTRIES
REVIEWED

195
STAKEHOLDER
INTERVIEWS

14 MU
COMBINATIONS
ANALYSED

Case studies

ENGAGEMENT:
117 INTERVIEWS
1 WORKSHOP
1 FOCUS GROUP
EXTENDED NETWORKING

15 MOST PROMISING MULTI-USE COMBINATIONS IDENTIFIED

MORE THAN 90 ACTIONS SUGGESTED



Multi-Use definition



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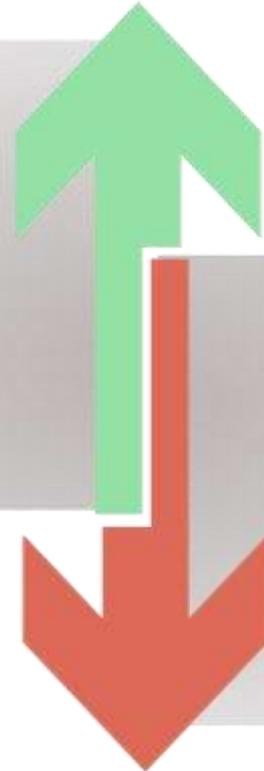


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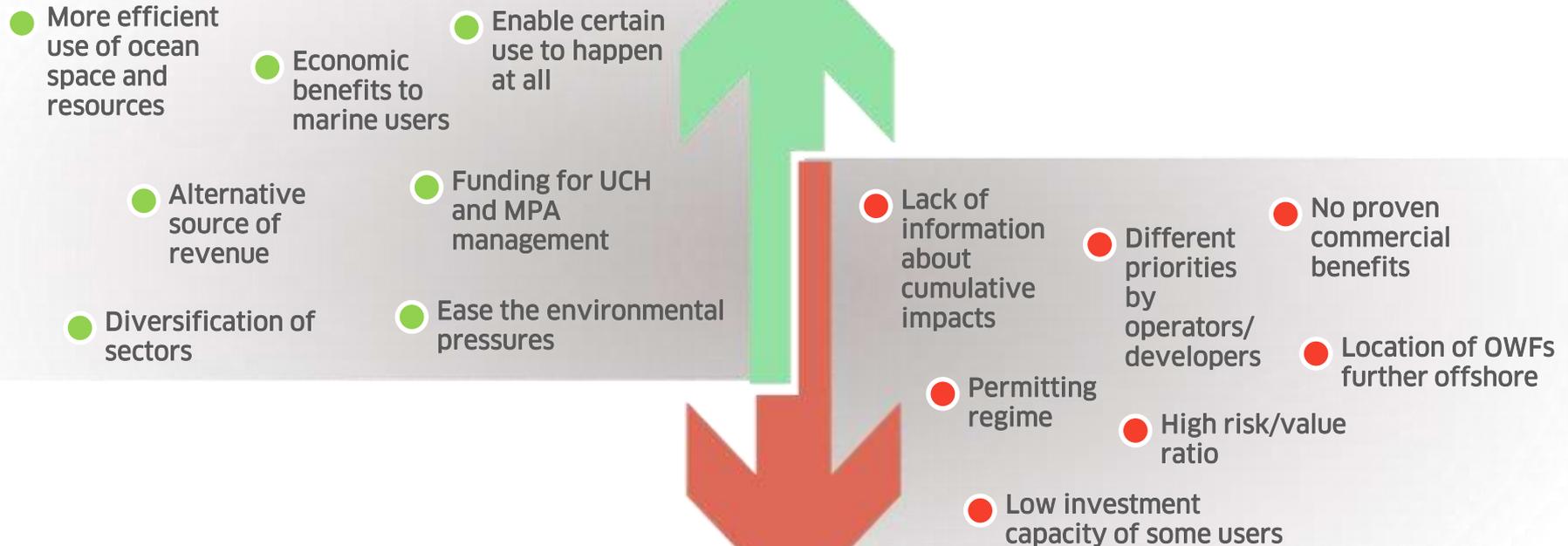
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MU drivers & barriers



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MU in strategic & legal documents by EU country

MU in national strategic documents	ATLANTIC					MEDITERRANEAN SEA								BLACK SEA		BALTIC SEA								NORTH SEA					
	UK	RI	PT	ES	FR	ES	FR	IT	SI	HR	GR	MT	CY	RO	BG	FI	EE	LV	LT	PL	SE	DK	DE	DE	DK	NL	BE	UK	FR
MU in national legislation																													
MU at individual administrative decision level																													
Economic incentives for MU																													
MU at MSP level - explicit reference of MU in National Marine Plans																													
MU in strategic documents																													

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 MU reference present

 MU reference absent

MU combinations by EU country

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	UK	RI	PT	ES	FR	ES	FR	IT	SI	HR	GR	MT	CY	RO	BG	FI	EE	LV	LT	PL	SE	DK	DE	DE	DK	NL	BE	UK	FR
1 QW & Aquaculture																													
2 QW & Tourism	E																												
3 QW & Fisheries																													
4 Aquaculture & Tourism																													
5 Fisheries & Tourism & Environmental Protection																													
6 UCH & Tourism & Environmental Protection																													
7 Tide & Wave																													
8 QW & Wave																													
9 QW & Environmental Protection																													
10 QW & Shipping terminal																													
11 Wave & Aquaculture																													
12 O&G & Renewables																													
13 O&G & Tourism & Aquaculture																													
14 Aquaculture & Environmental Protection																													



Pilot/test trials experience ("E" for existing initiatives)



MU Potential with min. one use in place



MU Potential with none use in place

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	MU name																										EA	NS	BSR	MED	BS
1 QW & Aquaculture	MU1 Offshore Wind and Aquaculture																										1/2	3/1	1/3	1/1	-
2 QW & Tourism	MU2 Offshore Wind and Tourism																										1/1	1	3/2	-	-
3 QW & Fisheries	MU3 Offshore Wind and Fisheries																										1	4	1	-	-
4 Aquaculture & Tourism	MU4 Aquaculture and Tourism																										3/1	-	1	3/3	2
5 Fisheries & Tourism & Environmental Protection	MU5 Fisheries and Tourism and Environmental Protection																										3	-	1	5/3	2
6 UCH & Tourism & Environmental Protection	MU6 Underwater Cultural Heritage and Tourism and Environmental Protection																										3	-	4/2	1/4	2
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Num. of countries that MU exists

Num. of countries with MU potential

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	Wind energy	Wave energy	Tidal energy	Renew. energy (general)	Oil & Gas	Tourism	Fisheries	Aquacult.	UCH	Desalin.	Maritime transport	Env. protection	Env. Monitoring
Wind energy						4, 5	1A, 1C	1C, 4, 5				5	
	Wave energy							2					
		Tidal energy										1B	1B
			Renew. energy (general)		6					7	2		
				Oil & Gas		6		6					
					Tourism		3A, 3B, 6, 7	3A, 6	3B, 6			3A, 3B, 6, 5	
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1A	North Sea - East Coast of Scotland
1B	North Sea - North coast of Scotland
1C	North Sea – German EEZ
2	Northern Atlantic Sea
3A	Southern Atlantic Sea –South coast of mainland Portugal
3B	Southern Atlantic Sea – Azores Archipelago
4	Baltic Sea – Island of Gotland – Sweden
5	Baltic Sea Southern Denmark
6	Mediterranean sea -Northern Adriatic Sea
7	Mediterranean sea - Aegean Sea

Offshore wind farms & Fisheries



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Offshore wind farms & Fisheries

Drivers

- Administrative: Satisfy marine licence conditions & avoid licensing delays
- Indirect economic: Avoid unnecessary costs
- Societal: food security & clean energy, links to CSR
- Technological: most tools & techniques currently available

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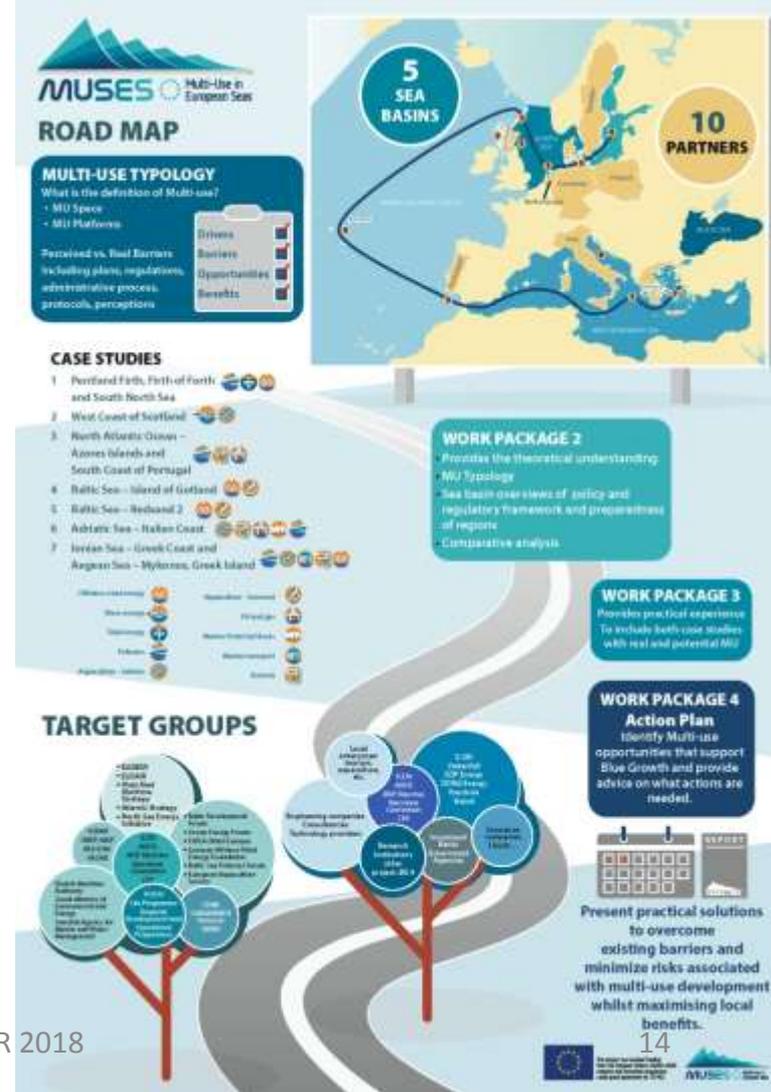
Barriers

- Single-sector challenges
- Ineffective consultation processes
- No spatial policies for commercial fisheries
- No legal requirement for compensation & non-statutory consultee
- Spatial data issues
- Current EIA practice
- Perceptions about safety of operations
- Power imbalances & negative attitudes

MUSES Action Plan

- Total of 629 targeted stakeholders so far.
- Undertaking analysis of Stakeholder Profiles:
 - Considers the diverse and complex set of MU stakeholders.
 - Better understanding of the various actors
 - Assist targeting the right stakeholders with right action.

MUSES Stakeholder workshop
 “Working towards **Action Plan**”
 28 June 2018, Venice, Italy



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