

Questionnaire for monitoring the implementation of the 1995 FAO Code of Conduct for Responsible Fisheries, the International Plans of Action on Capacity, Sharks, Seabirds, Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing and the Strategies for Improving Information on Status and Trends of Capture Fisheries and Aquaculture

FAO Member Country Edition - 2018

PDF Generated On:	15 July 2021
Country:	European Union
Registered User:	MCEUR
Fully Answered:	
Current Status:	Submitted
Submitted On:	16 April 2018

Variable A

General Questions to Determine a State's Applicability to Instruments to Combat IUU Fishing

Id	Question	Type	Answer
Q32.1	Is your country land-locked?	Yes/No	No
Q32.2	Does your country flag vessels conducting fishing and fishing related activities that operate in:		
Q32.2.1	Areas within the national jurisdiction of your country including your Economic Exclusive Zone (e.g. internal waters, territorial sea and archipelagic waters of an archipelagic State)?	Yes/No	Yes
Q32.2.2	The High Seas?	Yes/No	Yes
Q32.2.3	Waters under the jurisdiction of other coastal States?	Yes/No	Yes
Q32.3	Are any of the vessels flying your flag conducting fishing and fishing related activities authorised by other States to operate in:		
Q32.3.1	Waters under the jurisdiction of the concerned State(s)?	Yes/No	No
Q32.3.2	The High Seas?	Yes/No	No
Q32.4	Does your country authorise vessels flying the flag of other States and which conduct fishing and fishing related activities, to:		
Q32.4.1	Enter and use the designated ports of your country?	Yes/No	No
Q32.4.2	Operate within waters under the jurisdiction of your country including your Economic Exclusive Zone (e.g. internal waters, territorial sea and archipelagic waters of an archipelagic State)?	Yes/No	No

Variable 1

Variable 1. the 1982 United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea - Weighting 10%

Id	Question	Type	Answer
Q41.1.1	Is your country a Party to the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea (UNCLOS)?	Yes/No	Yes
Q41.1.3	To what extent is your country implementing the provisions of the UNCLOS in relation to coastal States and flag State responsibilities for the management of fisheries, with regard to:		
Q41.1.3.1	Policy	val.1/5	5
Q41.1.3.2	Legislation	val.1/5	5
Q41.1.3.3	Institutional framework	val.1/5	5

Q41.1.3.4	Operations and procedures	val.1/5	5
	Variable score		1.00

Variable 2

Variable 2. the 1995 United Nations Fish Stocks Agreement - Weighting 10%

Id	Question	Type	Answer
Q41.2.1	Is your country a Party to the Agreement for the Implementation of the Provisions of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982 Relating to the Conservation and Management of Straddling Fish Stocks and Highly Migratory Fish Stocks (UN Fish Stocks Agreement)?	Yes/No	Yes
Q41.2.3	To what extent is your country implementing the provisions of the UN Fish Stocks Agreement in relation to coastal State and flag State responsibilities for the management of fisheries, with regard to:		
Q41.2.3.1	Policy	val.1/5	5
Q41.2.3.2	Legislation	val.1/5	5
Q41.2.3.3	Institutional framework	val.1/5	5
Q41.2.3.4	Operations and procedures	val.1/5	5
Q41.2.4	To what extent is your country engaged in sub-regional, regional and international cooperation in enforcement, as required by the UN Fish Stocks Agreement?	val.1/5	5
	Variable score		1.00

Variable 3

Variable 3. National Plan of Action to Combat IUU Fishing in Line with IPOA-IUU - Weighting 30%

Id	Question	Type	Answer
Q39a	Has your country developed a national plan of action to combat IUU fishing (NPOA-IUU)?	Yes/No	Yes
Q39a2	If yes to 39.1, to what extent has your country implemented its NPOA-IUU, with regard to:		
Q39a2.1	Policy	val.1/5	5
Q39a2.2	Legislation	val.1/5	5
Q39a2.3	Institutional framework	val.1/5	5
Q39a2.4	Operations and procedures	val.1/5	4
	Variable score		0.950

Variable 4

Variable 4. the 2009 FAO Agreement on Port State Measures - Weighting 30%

Id	Question	Type	Answer
Q42.1	Is your country Party to The FAO Agreement on Port State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing (PSMA)?	Yes/No	Yes
Q42.3	To what extent has your country implemented the provisions of the PSMA, with regard to: (even through relevant regional mechanisms)		
Q42.3.1	Policy	val.1/5	5
Q42.3.2	Legislation	val.1/5	5

Q42.3.3	Institutional framework	val.1/5	5
Q42.3.4	Operations and procedures	val.1/5	4
Q42.4	Has your country designated ports to receive vessels flying the flag of other States that are conducting fishing and fishing related activities, as required under the PSMA?	Yes/No	Yes
Q42.5	Has your country designated an authority that shall act as a contact point for the exchange of information, as required by the PSMA?	Yes/No	Yes
Variable score			0.963

Variable 5

Variable 5. Flag State Responsibilities - Weighting 20%

Id	Question	Type	Answer
Q43.1	Has your country become a Party to The FAO Agreement to Promote Compliance with International Conservation and Management Measures by Fishing Vessels on the High Seas (the Compliance Agreement)?	Yes/No	Yes
Q43.3	To what extent has the Compliance Agreement and/or other flag state responsibilities been implemented with regard to:		
Q43.3.1	Policy	val.1/5	5
Q43.3.2	Legislation	val.1/5	5
Q43.3.3	Institutional framework	val.1/5	5
Q43.3.4	Operations and procedures	val.1/5	5
Q43.4	Does your country supply a record of vessels authorized to operate on the high seas, that are conducting fishing and fishing related activities, to the FAO following the model indicated in the Compliance Agreement?	Yes/No	Yes
Q43.5	Does your country ensure that vessels authorized to fly your country's flag, that are conducting fishing and fishing related activities, have not engaged in previous activities that has undermined the effectiveness of international conservation and management measures, unless it has satisfied certain requirements in line with the provisions of the FAO Compliance Agreement?	Yes/No	Yes
Q43.6	Does your country ensure that vessels entitled to fly your country's flag, that are conducting fishing and fishing related activities, provide your country with information on its operations as may be necessary to enable your country to fulfil its obligations as a flag State?	Yes/No	Yes
Q43.7	Does your country ensure to have a fisheries access agreement with a coastal state, prior to any fishing and fishing related activities occurring in that coastal State's jurisdiction by vessels flying your flag?	Yes/No	Yes
Q43.8	Has your country undertaken an assessment of your country's performance as a flag State in accordance with The FAO Voluntary Guidelines for Flag State Performance?	Yes/No	Yes
Variable indicator			1.000

Final SDG Indicator

SDG indicator	0.974
---------------	-------