



Establishing a stakeholder cooperation and coordination platform for implementing Ecosystem-Based Integrated Coastal Zone Management (EB-ICZM) in the Gulf of Aqaba (Jordan)

Second Workshop

Ecosystem Context Analysis: recognizing connections within and across ecological and human systems spanning over the focused area

25th March, 1st April 2021



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Agenda

The First Workshop, carried out the 2nd, 3rd, 8th and 10th of March (2021), focused the participatory thematic scoping for the EB-ICZM-DSS application.

During the Second Workshop the stakeholders continue their participatory activity and elaborate diagrams, visual representations of the thematic scoping reports.

The workshops are executed in the framework of the of the *Mediterranean Forum For Applied Ecosystem-Based Management (MED4EBM)* partnership project. More specifically, the workshops are part of the project activities functional to the establishment of a stakeholders' cooperation and coordination platform for implementing Ecosystem-Based Integrated Coastal Zone Management (EB-ICZM) in the Gulf of Aqaba.

1 - Objectives

The expected outcomes will be (1) a set of diagrams, created using the software ISP, for the EB-ICZM-DSS application in the Gulf of Aqaba. Moreover, for each diagram, the stakeholders will be asked (2) to identify and explicit the relations between the components, relations that will be reported in the diagram as arrows. The stakeholders will suggest a short expression, such as a verb expressing an action, to write on the arrow, in order to describe the nature of the relations between components. The Workshop is organised and executed through two webinars using Microsoft Teams (meetings and working channels). Each of the webinars last max four hours.

2 – Meetings

Meeting #1	
Type of meeting	Plenary
Meeting focus	Drafting of Diagrams: focus on Ecosystems and Socio-Economic aspects.
Duration	4 hours.
Date and time	25 th March 2021
Local Coordinator/s	Mohammed Al-Tawaha
EBM Team	Edoardo Scepi and Francesca Pella
Webinar link	The link will be sent by email to registered attendees
Time	Subject
10:00-11:40	Ecosystems and Socio-Economic aspects. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⇒ Biophysical systems. ⇒ Flora. ⇒ Fauna. ⇒ Tourist infrastructures. ⇒ Fishery facilities. ⇒ Port and industrial infrastructures.
11:40 - 12:00	Break.
12:00-13:30	Ecosystems and Socio-Economic aspects. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⇒ Biophysical systems. ⇒ Flora. ⇒ Fauna. ⇒ Tourist infrastructures. ⇒ Fishery facilities. ⇒ Port and industrial infrastructures.
13:30-13:55	Revision and finalisation of meeting products.
13:55-14:00	Closure of meeting

Meeting #2	
Type of meeting	Plenary
Meeting focus	Drafting of Diagrams: focus on Ecosystems and Socio-Economic aspects.
Duration	4 hours.
Date and time	1 st of April 2021
Local Coordinator/s	Mohammed Al-Tawaha
EBM Team	Edoardo Scepi and Francesca Pella
Webinar link	The link will be sent by email to registered participants
Time	Subject
10:00-12:00	Ecosystems and Socio-Economic aspects. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ⇒ Biophysical systems. ⇒ Flora. ⇒ Fauna. ⇒ Tourist infrastructures. ⇒ Fishery facilities. ⇒ Port and industrial infrastructures.
12:00- 12:20	Break.
12:20-13:55	Revision and finalisation of meeting products.
13:55-14:00	Closure of meeting.

3 - Schedule of Meetings: Plenary and Working Groups

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		Meeting #1	Meeting #2
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