



Maritime regional cooperation through S3

*BLUEAIR Interreg ADRION - Fostering transregional S3 based cooperation:
Advancing the sustainable blue economy through macroregional innovation
collaboration*

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NEW APPROACH FOR A SUSTAINABLE BLUE ECONOMY (2021)

IMPLEMENTATION

- **MONITORING IMPLEMENTATION** OF THE SBE COMMUNICATION, INCLUDING DELIVERABLES BY DG MARE + THE OTHER DGs
- **PERMANENT INTER-SERVICE GROUP (ISG) ON SBE**, MEETING REGULARLY TO DISCUSS PROGRESS ON FILES
- EXTRA EFFORTS IN **COMMUNICATING ACHIEVEMENTS** AND RESULTS
- REPORT ON **PROGRESS** (BY 2024)



MARITIME REGIONAL COOPERATION (1)

Sea Basin Strategies

Atlantic Maritime Strategy:

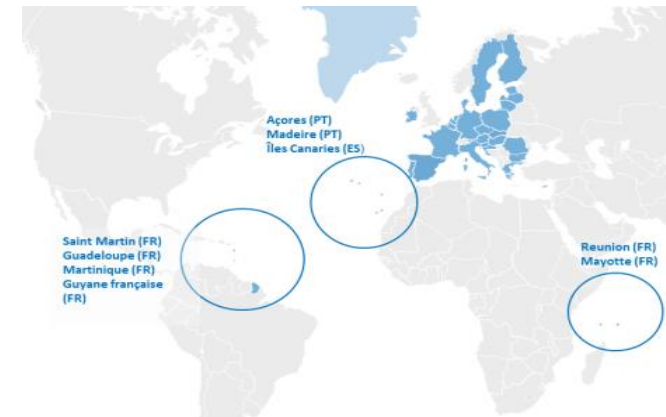
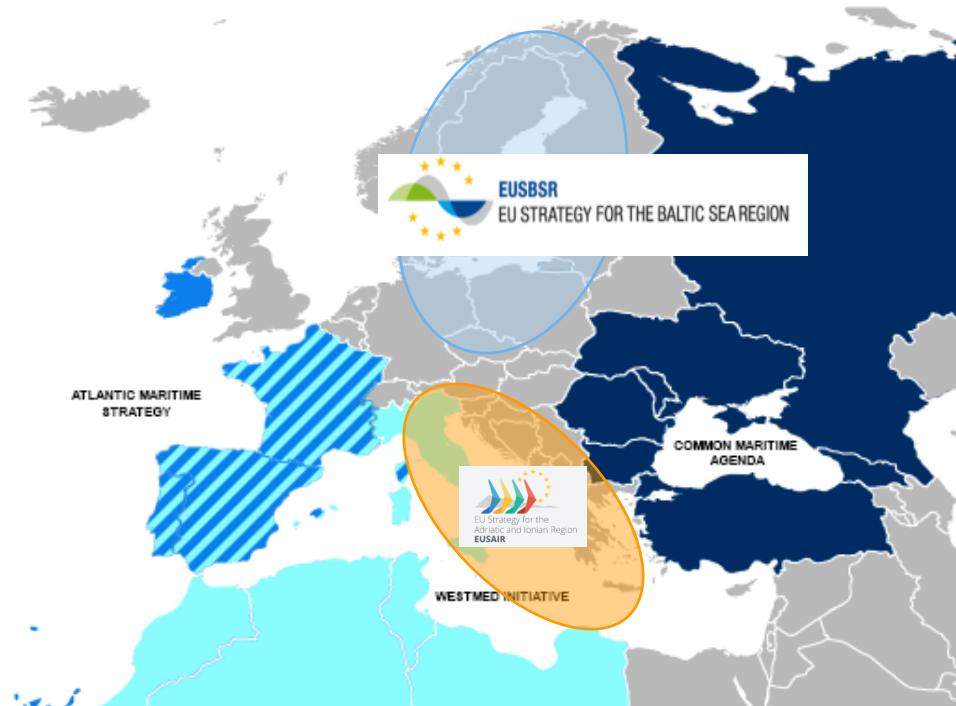
- France
- Ireland
- Portugal
- Spain

Common Maritime Agenda for the Black Sea:

- Bulgaria
- Georgia
- Moldova
- Romania
- Russia
- Turkey
- Ukraine

West Mediterranean Initiative:

- Algeria
- France
- Italy
- Libya
- Malta
- Mauritania
- Morocco
- Portugal
- Spain
- Tunisia



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MARITIME REGIONAL COOPERATION TECHNICAL ASSISTANCE AND FINANCIAL SUPPORT

➤ **NEW ASSISTANCE MECHANISM TO THE THREE EU SEA BASIN STRATEGIES**

- NEW APPROACH OF ONE SINGLE SERVICE FOR THE THREE SEA BASIN STRATEGIES (ATLANTIC, WEST MED AND BLACK SEA)
- DEVELOPS AND MONITORS BLUE ECONOMY PROJECTS AND INITIATIVES, IN SYNERGY WITH RELEVANT EU PROGRAMMES AND INITIATIVES, AND FOSTERS STAKEHOLDER ENGAGEMENT

➤ **EMFAF SUPPORT**

- ANNUAL DEDICATED CALLS FOR PROPOSALS FOR REGIONAL FLAGSHIPS SUPPORTING A SUSTAINABLE BLUE ECONOMY IN THE EU SEA BASINS

➤ **EMBEDDING**

- ERDF, INTERREG, NDICI, EMFAF (PROGRAMMING/IMPLEMENTATION 2021-2027)

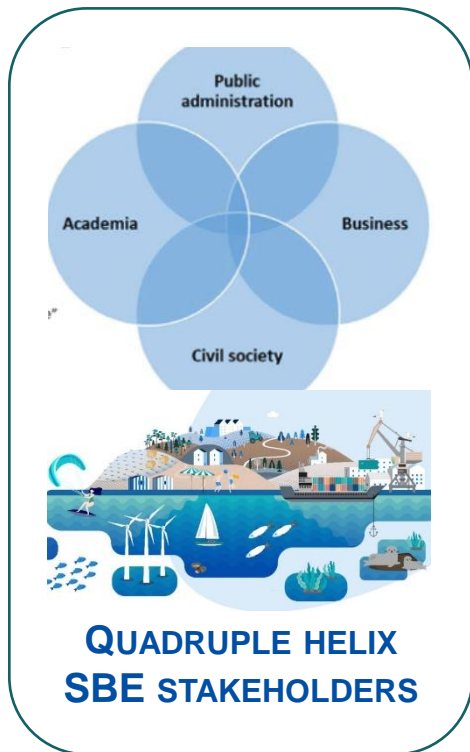


SMART SPECIALIZATION FOR SUSTAINABLE BLUE ECONOMY

INTERREGIONAL PARTNERSHIPS AND VALUE CHAINS

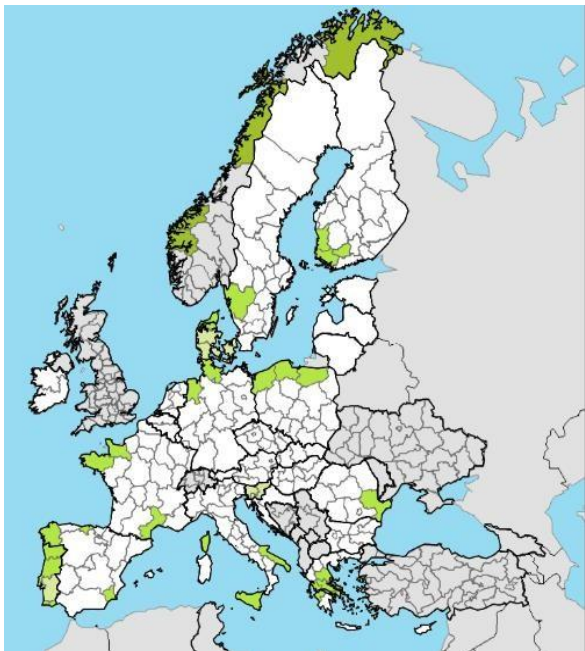


DG MARE + DG REGIO: a new S3 thematic platform on Sustainable Blue Economy

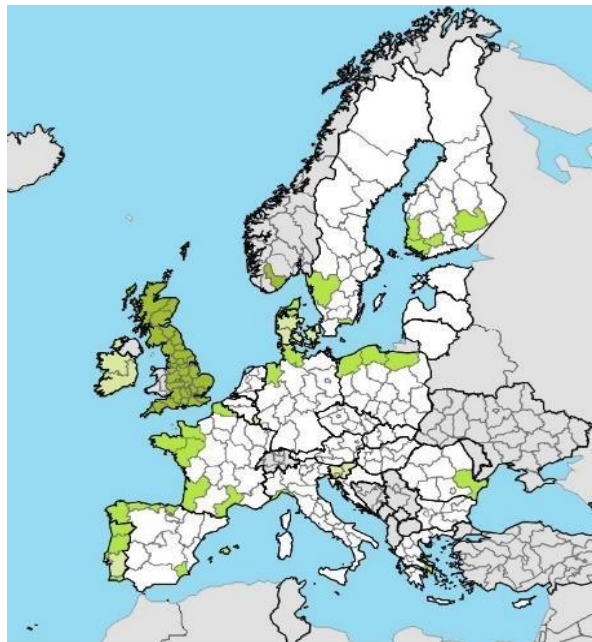


30th March: Smart Specialization Community of Practice (S3 CoP) official launch (on line)

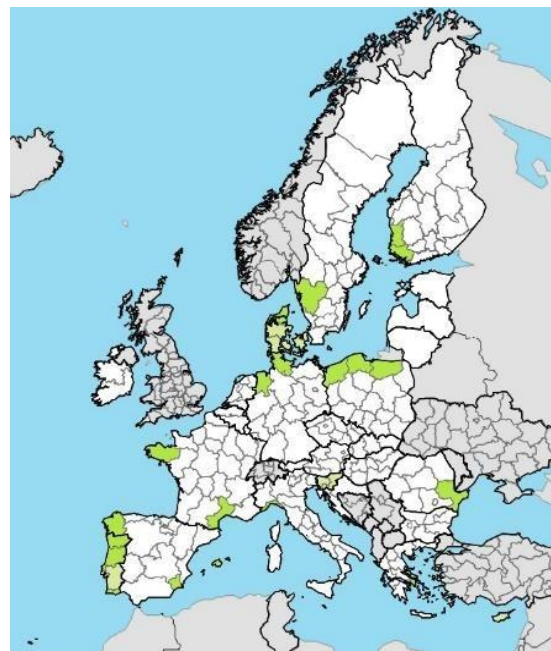
Regions with Blue economy priorities included in their smart specialisations strategies in the programming period 2014-2020



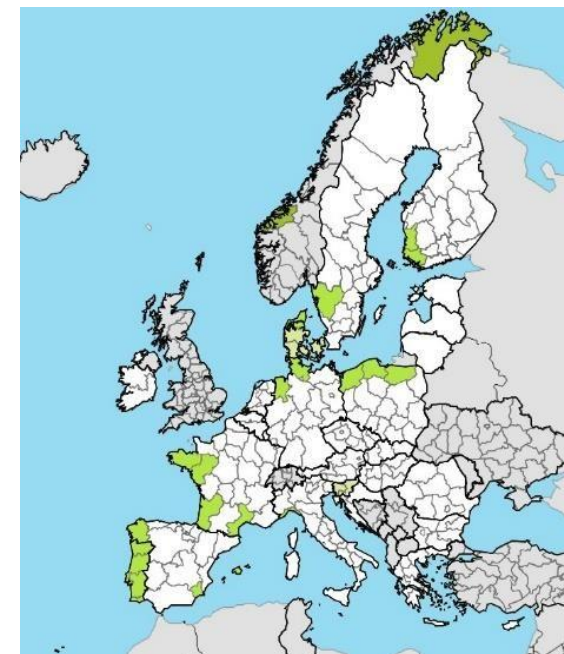
Fisheries/Aquaculture



Marine renewable energies



Coastal and maritime tourism



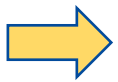
Blue biotechnology

Mobilising Stakeholders: 5 thematic workshops (May-July 2022): With a 3fold overall objective

1. **inform and mobilise blue economy stakeholders** on the opportunities of setting up S3 interregional partnerships, in particular in the framework of the new Interregional Innovation Investments ERDF instrument and related open call
2. with a broader perspective, **promote blue economy interregional value chains and related cooperation**
3. **identify stakeholders' needs** in order to fine-tune the services of the S3 platform for sustainable blue economy.

And a follow up hybrid event in October 2022 back to back with CPMR GA

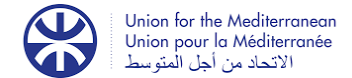
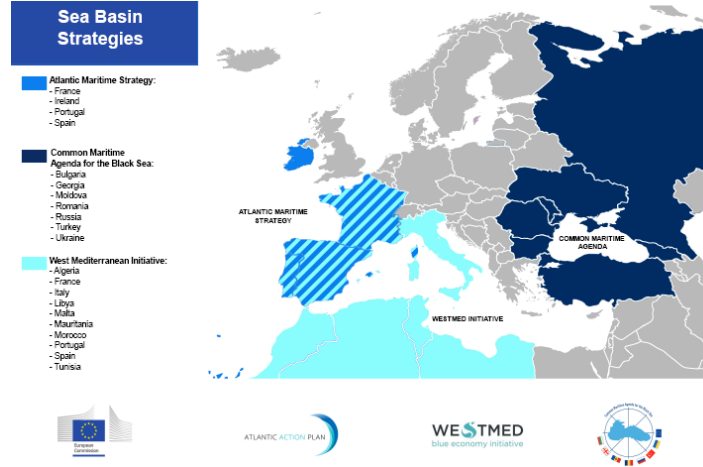
Having a clear output



- A list of priorities with innovation potential
- Stakeholders needs to follow up and support

MARITIME REGIONAL COOPERATION SYNERGIES

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CPMR
CRPM



European Aquaculture
Technology and Innovation Platform



Thank you