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MEETINGS 2021

MEDAC and other events



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DATE	MEETING	LOCATION	MEDAC ATTENDANCE
14 Jan	MIACO – ICES meeting with ACs	Online	Caggiano - Piron
18 Jan	INTERAC	Online	Buonfiglio – Buzzi-Romiti Caggiano
18-30 Jan	GFCM WGs on Stock Assessments Demersals (WGSAD) and small pelagics (WGSASP)	Online	Marzia Piron
3-4 Feb	Bluefin Symposium - WWF and The Pew Charitable Trusts	Online	Rosa Caggiano
3-4 Feb	Expert Meeting on Stock Assessment Methodology	Online	Marzia Piron
16 -17 Feb	WG1 + WG5 FG Equal Opportunities/FG WestMed	Online	

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18 Feb	General Assembly	Online	
17-19 Feb	Sub-Regional Committee West MED	Online	
23-24 Feb	FAIRSEA project- Second Stakeholder meeting	Online	
25-26 Feb	WG Recreational Fishery	Online	
1-5 Mar	West Med assessments: conversion factors, closures, effort data and recreational fisheries	Online	
9-11 Mar	SubRegional Committee Centr-MED	Online	
22-26 Mar	STECF – Spring Plenary meeting	Online	
29 Mar	GFCM - Coordination meeting on the new strategy	Online	

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8-9 Apr	WG on Fishing Technology (WGFiT)	Online	
12-16 Apr	EWG STECF - Methods for supporting stock assessment in the Mediterranean	Online	
12-16 Apr	Benchmark for common sole in the Adriatic Sea	Online	
20-22 Apr	SRC-AS, including a session on establishment of Adriatic FRAs	Online	
17-21 May	EWG STECF – MSE Adriatic small pelagics	online	
17-21 May	EWG STECF – Evaluation of Landing obligation joint recommendations	online	
20-21 May	European Maritime Day	online	
24-27 May	Benchmark assessment for round sardinella	Online	

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28-29 May	Sub-Regional Committee Eastern MED	Online	
9-10 June	High-level meeting on the new strategy, MedFish4Ever initiatives and the post-Covid response	Greece/Online TBC	
Spring TBD	WG4	Online	
Spring TBD	WG1	Online	
Spring TBD	FG Adriatic	Online	
Spring TBD	FG Strait of Sicily	Online	

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Spring TBD	ExCom	Online	
Spring TBD	WG1-WG5	Online	
22-25 June	SAC session - including a side event for the validation of data on the characterization of SSF (TBD)	Beirut, Lebanon or FAO HQ Online or in person	
July	FAIRSEA project- Last Stakeholder meeting	Split (TBD)	
5-9 July	STECF Summer Plenary meeting	online	

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6-11 Sep	EWG STECF - Stock assessments in the West Med	Arona (TBC)	
27 Sep-1 Oct	EWG STECF – Fishing effort regime for demersal fisheries in West Med	Brussels/JRC-Ispra (TBD)	
Oct	WG 2 Highly Migratory Species (BFT/SWO/ALB)	TBD	
Oct	WG4 Recreational fisheries	TBD	
Oct	FG Equal opportunities/ FG WMED	TBD	

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18-22 Oct	EWG STECF - Stock assessments in the Med Sea – Adriatic, Ionian and Aegean Seas	Rome (TBC)	
Late Oct	EWG STECF – Review of the Technical Measures Regulation	online	
Nov	Executive Committee	TBD	
Nov	WG1	TBD	
8-12 Nov	Forty-fourth session of the GFCM	Tirana, Albania	
15-19 Nov	STECF Winter Plenary meeting	Brussels	