

IOTC-2013-CoC10-CR20 [E]

IOTC Compliance Report for: Oman Report produced on: 02/04/2013

N°	Source	Information required	Deadline/	Previous Status ¹		Current Status		Observations CoC Remark	C C D		
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1. Implementation obligations											
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation	Session - 60 ds (07.03.2013)	N/C	N/C	L	С				
.2.	Res. 10/09	Compliance Questionnaire	20.02.2013	N/C	N/C	L	С				
. N	Ianagement St	andards									
		Documents listed in this resolution on board ²	07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	L	С				
.1.	Res. 01/02	Marking of vessels ²		N/C	N/C	L	С				
	Res. 01/02	Marking of gears ²		N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Passive gears are not marked.			
		Marking of FADs ²		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
		Logbook on board ²		N/C	N/C	L	P/C	To be implemented next year.			
2.2.	Res12/12	Ban on large-scale driftnets ²	07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	L	С	Fishing law does not allow using of Large Scale Driftnet in high seas.			
2.3.	D 10/10	Legal and administrative measures to implement the area Closure	For LL 18.12.2012	С	С	N/C	P/C	Has informed the Omani Flagged Vessels owners.			
2.4.	Res. 12/13		For PS 17.09.2012	С	С	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
3. R	Reporting on V	essels									
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory information not provided.			
3.2.	Res. 12/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP)	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)	С	P/C	С	P/C	Some mandatory information missing: capacity and origin of vessels not provided.			
3.3.	Res. 12/11	List of vessels ³ for Tropical Tuna during 2006	31.12.2009	P/C	P/C	P/C	P/C	Company in heat lists			
		List of vessels ³ for SWO and ALB during 2007		P/C	P/C	P/C	P/C	Some vessels appear in both lists.			
3.4.	Res. 07/02	List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003	P/C	P/C	P/C	P/C	Some mandatory information missing: operating port, owner details.			

 $^{^{1}}$ C = Compliant; N/C= Non-compliant; N/A = Not Applicable; P/C = Partially Comply; L = Late 2 Information is to be provided in the Report of Implementation. 3 24 meters overall length and over, and under 24 meters if they fished outside their EEZ

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3.5.			orized vessels (less than ing in waters outside flag state)	Since 01.07.2006	P/C	P/C	P/C	P/C	Some mandatory information missing: operating port, owner details.			
3.6.		List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ List of foreign vessels denied a licence		15.02	N/C	N/C	N/A	N/A	Does not licensed foreign vessels.			
3.7.	Res. 12/07			15.02	N/C	N/C						
3.8.		Access Agreement information		07.03.2013			N/A	N/A				
4. V												
4.1.	Res. 06/03	Adoption VMS for all vessels greater than 15 metres in length overall		Since 01.07.2007	С	С	С	С				
4.2.		VMS report implementat	on the progress and tion	30.06 Vessels > 15 m	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided.			
4.3.	Res. 12/13	Summary of VMS record ²		07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	L	N/C	No information provided.			
5. N	Iandatory stati	stical require	ement									
							minal Catch					
		Coastal fisheries		30.06	N/C	N/C	L	С				
5.1.		Surface fisheries		30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
		• LL	Provisional	30.06	N/C	N/C	L	C				
		• LL	Final	30.12	L	P/C	С	C				
		Catch & Effort										
		Coastal fi		30.06	N/C	N/C	L	С				
5.2.	Res. 10/02	Surface fi	sheries	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
		• LL	Provisional	30.06	N/C	N/C	L	P/C	Data not by IOTC grid.			
		• LL	Final	30.12	L	P/C	С	P/C	Data not by 101C grid.			
		Size Frequency										
		Coastal fi	sheries	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory information not provided.			
5.3.		 Surface fi 	sheries	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
		• LL	Provisional	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory information not provided.			
		• LL	Final	30.12	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory information not provided.			
							gating Devices					
5.4.		Supply vessels		30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
5.4.		Days at sea by supply vessels		30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
	FADs set by type		30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A					
6. Implementation of mitigation measures and bycatch of non-IOTC species												
6.1.	Res. 05/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks		30.06	N/C	N/C	L	P/C	Catches not by species.			
6.2.	Res. 12/09		on thresher sharks of all of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010	N/C	N/C	N/C	P/C	Has ordered vessels owners to fully comply.			

NTO	Source	Information required	Deadline/	Previous Status ¹		Current Status		Olympia Comm	C CP 1		
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6.3.		Sea turtles report ²	07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	L	N/C	Monitoring system through logbooks to be implemented.			
6.4.	Res. 12/04	Carry line cutters and de-hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No information provided.			
6.5.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No purse seine fleet.			
6.6.		Seabirds report ²	07.03.2013	N/A	N/A	L	P/C	No interaction reported.			
6.7.	Res. 10/06	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S.	Since 01.11.2010	С	С	С	С				
7. II											
7.1.	Res. 11/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (8.02.2012)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No vessel or national identified in IUU			
7.2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	07.03.2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	fishing activities.			
	ranshipments			T	1		ı		,		
8.1.		At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before15.09	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory reports not provided.			
8.2.	=	Transhipments in port report ²	07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C				
8.3.	Res. 12/05	List of Authorised carrier vessels	Since 01.07.2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No carrier vessel.			
8.4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	01.02.2013			N/C	N/C	Possible infractions: 10. Responses received: 1.			
9. C	9. Observers										
9.1.		Regional Observer Scheme ² (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	07.03.2013	С	P/C	С	P/C	No indication of coverage.			
9.2.	D 11/04	• 5% Mandatory, at sea (> 24m) ²	Since 01.07.2010	С	P/C	С	P/C				
9.3.	Res. 11/04	• 5% Phasing in, at sea (< 24m)	2013	С	P/C	С	P/C				
9.4.		• 5 % Phasing in Artisanal landings ²	07.03.2013	С	С	С	С				
9.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No information provided.			
10. S	tatistical docur	nent programme									
10.1.		1 st Semester report	01.04	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C				
10.2.	Res. 01/06	2 nd Semester report	01.10	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No information provided.			
10.3.		Annual report ²	07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C				
10.4.		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	01.07.2002	С	С	С	С				
11. Port inspection											
11.1.	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No information provided.			
11.2.	Res. 10/11	List of designated ports	By 31.12.10	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	F-2 (100)			

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11.3.		Designated competent Authority		N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C		
11.4.		Prior notification periods		N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C		
11.5.		Inspection report	3 days after inspection	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C		
11.6.		Denial of entry in port	Since 01/03/2011	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		

Feedback to Oman on the level of implementation of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified by the CoC09 in 2012.

Feedback: With regards to the level of compliance by Oman to the decisions of the Commission, the Compliance Committee noted certain issues that required attention. These concerns were communicated to Oman by the Chair of the Commission in a letter dated 26 April 2012.

The CoC **ACKNOWLEDGED** the important work that Oman had undertaken in addressing the concerns raised by CoC08 in 2011, as well as the difficulties that Oman continues to face in fully implementing a number of the CMMs adopted by the Commission, including the following:

- IOTC Implementation Report (Article X of the IOTC Agreement) and IOTC Compliance Questionnaire: Noting that Oman has provided the two reports very late, the CoC **REQUESTED** Oman to make special effort to respect the deadline for future submissions.
- Resolution 09/02 (Fleet development plan). Noting that Oman has not reported origin and capacity of vessels in its FDP, the CoC **URGED** Oman to complete its FDP and to provide the requested information as soon as possible.
- Resolutions 09/06, 10/12 (Marine turtles, thresher sharks): Noting that Oman has not incorporated the provisions of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures on marine turtles and thresher sharks into domestic legislation, the CoC **URGED Oman** to transpose those measures into domestic legislation as early as possible.
- Resolution 10/02 (Minimum reporting requirements): Noting the progress that Oman has made over the past year in implementing and improving upon data collection and reporting systems, the CoC noted that Oman is not fully compliant with the IOTC data reporting requirements, in particular catch and effort, and size frequency data have not been reported. The CoC URGED Oman to make further improvements in data collection and reporting during the intersessional period.
- Resolution 10/08 (list of active vessels): Noting that Oman has not reported its list of active vessels for 2011, the CoC **URGED** Oman to provide the information as soon as possible.
- Resolution 10/11 (On port state measures to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported
 and unregulated fishing): Noting that Oman has not provided the list of the designated
 ports, the name of the competent authority, the notification periods notice and the
 inspection reports, the CoC URGED Oman to report the information during the
 intersessional period.
- Resolution 11/05 (ROP at-sea-transhipments): Noting that Oman has not provided its report on at-sea transhipments and has not paid its 2010-11 contributions for the programme, the CoC **ACKNOWLEDGED** Oman's commitment to remedy this situation as soon as possible.

Response: No response to the letter of the Chair of the Commission was provided by Oman.

<u>Current issues on the level of implementation by Oman of IOTC Conservation and</u> <u>Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC10 in 2013.</u>

Having reviewed the 2013 Compliance Report for Oman, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

• Has not provided the mandatory report of vessels active in the IOTC Area during 2012,

as required by Res. 10/08.

- Has not provided the mandatory VMS report on the progress and implementation, as required by Res. 06/03.
- Has not reported size frequency data for the coastal and longline fisheries, as required by Res. 10/02.
- Has not provided the mandatory report on transhipments carried out at sea, has not provided the mandatory report on transhipments in port, has not provided its feedback on all observer reports which highlight possible infractions, as required by Res. 12/05.
- Has not provided the mandatory reports / information on port inspection scheme as required by Res. 05/03 and 10/11.