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1. Implementation obligations									
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation.	Session - 60 ds (17.03.2017)	C	C	C	C	Received 17.03.17	
1.2.	Rules Of P.	Compliance Questionnaire.	01.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Received 08.03.17	
1.3.	SC	National Scientific Report.	16.11.2016	C	C	C	C	Received 17.10.16	
1.4.	Commission	Feedback letter.	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Received 05.09.16	
2. Management Standards									
2.1.	Res. 15/04	Documents listed in this resolution on board ²	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in ATF terms & conditions, legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007 and legislation is being reviewed to transpose IOTC CMMs. Marking of vessels covered by article 40 of Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007. Source: FAD mgt plan: DFAD identified by serial number. Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: logbook onboard covered by Article 41 of Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
		Marking of vessels ²		C	C	C	C		
		Marking of gears ²		C	C	C	C		
		Marking of FADs ²		C	C	C	C		
		Logbook on board ²	C	C	C	C			
		Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions.	Since 15.02.2014	C	C	C	C	5 th update 09.03.17	
IMO number for eligible vessels.	Since 01.01.2016	C	C	C	C	Has 8 vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels 3 vessels with IMO number. Reported 5 non-eligible vessels			
2.2.	Res. 15/01	Official fishing logbooks.	Since 15.02.2016	C	C	C	C	1 st update 22.01.2016	
2.3.	Res. 12/12	Ban on large-scale driftnets ²	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2016-CoC13-IR18: Banned since 1998; provision in article 12d of Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007.	
2.4.	Res. 15/08	FADs management plan.	31.12.2013	C	C	C	C	Received 14.03.14	
		Report of progress on implementation of FADs management plan.	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Received 17.03.17	

¹ C = Compliant; N/C= Non-compliant; N/A = Not Applicable; P/C = Partially Comply; L = Late; CAP = Compliance Action Plan; CQ = Compliance Questionnaire.

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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2.5.	Res. 16/07	Prohibition of surface or submerged artificial lights to attract fish.	27.09.2016			C	C	Source - IOTC-2016-CoC13-IR18: prohibited as per Article 18 (1) of the Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007. Implemented through T&C of ATF, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17, received 09.03.07	
2.6.	Res. 16/08	Prohibition of aircrafts and unmanned aerial vehicles.	27.09.2016			L	C	Implemented through T&C of ATF, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17, received 09.03.17	
2.7.	Res. 16/01	Report on methods for achieving the YFT catch reductions.	17.03.2017			N/A	N/A	Catch reduction is not applicable to MUS	
2.8.	Res. 16/06	Report actions taken to implement reporting obligations & improve data collection of catches.	17.03.2017			C	C	Received 17.03.17 Actions are related to: Logbook, Observer, port sampling, cross check logbook/landing.	
3. Reporting on Vessels									
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02	L	C	C	C	Received 15.02.17.	
3.2.	Res. 15/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP).	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)	C	C	C	C	Submission 23.03.13 (1 st update) FDP end in 2017.	
Reference Capacity									
3.3.	Res. 15/11	List of vessels ³ for Tropical Tuna during 2006.	31.12.2009	C	C	C	C	Has reported target species for all vessels is SWO/ALB (Source: CAP).	
		List of vessels ³ for SWO and ALB during 2007		C	C	C	C		
3.4.	Res. 15/04	List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003	C	C	C	C	Last Update 21.02.17	
3.5.		List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	Since 01.07.2006	N/A	N/A	C	C	Last Update 03.04.17	
3.6.	Res. 14/05	List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15.02	C	C	C	C	Received 15.02.17: has licensed 305 FFV in 2016.	
3.7.		List of foreign vessels denied a licence	15.02	C	C	C	C	NIL report received 15.02.17: No FFV denied license in 2016.	
3.8.		Access Agreement information	26.02.2015	C	C	C	C	Has signed agreement with Seychelles & EU. Has provided information on agreement with EU & SYC.	
3.9.		Official coastal State fishing License	14.01.2014	C	C	C	C	Received 09.03.17	
4. Vessel Monitoring System									
4.1.	Res. 15/03	Adoption VMS for all vessels > 24 m and < 24 m fishing high seas	Since 01.07.2007	C	C	C	C	VMS adopted in 2005.	
4.2.		VMS report on implementation and technical failures	30.06	C	C	C	C	Received 24.05.2016	
4.3.		VMS implementation plan	30.04.2016			N/A	N/A	VMS adopted in 2005, and coverage > 50%.	

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5. Mandatory statistical requirement – Flag State CPCs										
5.1.	Res. 15/02 & Res 15/05	Nominal Catch								
		• Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C	N/C	C	P/C	Data received 30.06.17. Has provided catches of small longline. Missing catches of handline.		
		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	C	C	C	Data received 30.06.2017		
		• LL - Provisional	30.06	C	C	C	C	Data received 30.06.2017		
• LL - Final		30.12	C	C	C	C				
5.2.		Catch & Effort								
		• Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C	N/C	C	P/C	Data received 30.06.2017. Has provided catches of small longline. Missing catches of handline.		
		• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	C	C	C	Data received 30.06.2017		
		• LL - Provisional	30.06	C	C	C	C	Data received 30.06.2017		
• LL - Final		30.12	C	C	C	C				
5.3.		Size Frequency								
		• Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C	N/C	C	P/C	Data received 30.06.2017. Has provided catches of small longline. Missing catches of handline.		
	• Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30.06	C	P/C	N/C	N/C	No data provided	No sampling conducted as the 2 Mauritius Flagged purse seiners unloaded in Seychelles.		
	• LL - Provisional	30.06	C	C	C	C	Data received 30.06.2016			
• LL - Final	30.12	C	C	C	C					
5.4.	Fish Aggregating Devices (FAD)									
	Supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No supply vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels or active in 2015.			
	Days at sea by supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
	FADs set by type	30.06	C	C	C	C	Data received 30.06.2016			
6. Implementation of mitigation measures and bycatch of non-IOTC species										
6.1.	Res. 05/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks – Nominal catch	30.06	C	P/C	C	P/C	Has provided NC but only 1 species / no information for handline fishery.	Shark species has been specified as short fin mako as per data submitted in Form 1RC on the 29.03.16. Only one species has been caught by the Mauritian vessels	
		Submission of data regarding	30.06	C	P/C	C	P/C	Has provided CE but only 1 species / no	Shark species has been	

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		Sharks – Catch & effort						information for handline fishery.	specified as short fin mako in form 3CE submitted on 23/06/16.
		Submission of data regarding Sharks – Size frequency	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No data provided.	Sharks are landed head off and tail off with fins attached. We are in the process of devising a new method of sampling for size frequency.
6.2.	Res. 12/09	Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in T&C of ATF, legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007 and legislation is being reviewed to transpose IOTC CMMs. Implemented through T&C of ATF, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17, received 09.03.07	
6.3.	Res. 13/06	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks	Since 14.08.2013	L	C	C	C		
6.4.	Res. 12/04	Sea turtles report ²	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Interaction reported from the observer report, NIL encounter, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17 Progress on implementation on FAO guideline received 17.03.17	
6.5.		Carry line cutters and de-hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009	N/A	N/A	C	C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in T&C of ATF, legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007. Implemented through T&C of ATF, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17, received 09.03.07	
6.6.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009	C	C	C	C		
6.7.	Res. 12/06	Seabirds report ²	17.03.2017	N/A	N/A	C	C	Interaction reported from the observer report, NIL encounter, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17	
6.8.		Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	Since 01.11.2010	N/A	N/A	C	C	Source - IOTC-2015-CoC12-IR18: Included in T&C of ATF, legally binding under Section 36(5) Fisheries and Marine Resources Act 2007 and legislation is being reviewed to transpose IOTC CMMs. Implemented through T&C of ATF, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17, received 09.03.07	
6.9.	Res. 13/04	Data on interactions with Cetaceans	30.06 (All gears)	L	C	C	C	Data received [24.05.16] Nil interaction.	

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		Instances of Cetaceans encircled ²	For PS 17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17: has reported no encirclement reported by PS vessels in 2015; Sections 16 (c) and 17 (1) (d) of the Fisheries and Marine resources Act 2007 prohibits the fishing, landing and selling of any marine mammal.	
6.10	Res 13/05	Data on interactions with Whale Sharks	30.06 (All gears)	L	C	C	C	Data received [24.05.16] Nil interaction.	
		Instances Whale Sharks encircled ²	For PS 17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Source - IOTC-2017-CoC14-IR17: has reported no encirclement reported by PS vessels in 2015.	
7. Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels									
7.1.	Res. 11/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (07.03.2017)	C	C	C	C	No vessel listed on IOTC IUU list in 2016.	
7.2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	No nationals on board vessels listed on IOTC IUU list in 2016.	
8. Transshipments									
8.1.	Res. 14/06	At sea transshipments – CPC report	Before 15.09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the ROP.	
8.2.		Transshipments in port report ²	17.03.2017	C	C	L	C	Report received 25.04.17.	
8.3.		List of Authorised carrier vessels	Since 01.07.2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No carrier vessel in the ROP.	
8.4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	15.02.2017	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the ROP.	
8.5.		ROP fee	17.08.2016	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9. Observers									
9.1.	Res. 11/04	Regional Observer Scheme ² (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	17.03.2017	N/C	N/C	C	C	Had 7 purse seine vessels registered active in 2015 and monitored 5 trips in 2015, achieving 27% coverage for the fleet (IOTC-2016-SC19-7).	
9.2.		• 5% Mandatory, at sea (> 24m) ²	Since 01.07.2010	N/C	N/C	C	C	Coverage for purse seine vessels: 27%	
9.3.		• 5% Phasing in, at sea (< 24m)	2013	N/C	N/C	N/A	N/A	No vessel < 24 m in the RECORD OF AUTHORISED VESSELS or active in 2015.	
9.4.		• 5% Phasing in Artisanal landings ²	17.03.2017	N/C	N/C	C	C	Data received [17-10-2016]. Sources: IOTC-2016-SC19-NR18.	
9.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip	N/C	N/C	L	C	5 Observer reports provided. These are not in electronic format. All reports were provided on 04.04.16, however, the last trip ended in July 2015.	
10. Statistical document programme									

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10.1	Res. 01/06	1 st Semester report (2016)	01.10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Has indicated not applicable, source IOTC-2017-CoC14-CQ17	
10.2		2 nd Semester report (2015)	01.04	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
10.3		Annual report ² (2015)	17.03.2017	N/A	N/A	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided. JPN imported 18 Mt, EU imported 232 Mt of BET from MUS in 2015.	
10.4		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	Since 01.07.2002	C	C	C	C	Last update: 10.04.17	
11. Port inspection									
11.1	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07	C	C	C	C	Received: 23.06.16	
11.2		List of designated ports	Since 31.12.10	C	C	C	C	Has designated one port.	
11.3		Designated competent Authority		C	C	C	C		
11.4		Prior notification periods		C	C	C	C		
11.5	Res. 16/11	Inspection report	3 days after inspection	C	C	C	C	Source IOTC-2017-CoC14-CQ17: Call in port: 734 ; Foreign vessel inspected: 716 ; LAN/TRX monitored: 4. Inspection reports received: 6/emails & 48/e-PSM in 2016	
11.6		At least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX	Since 01.03.2011	C	P/C	C	P/C	Has reported 555 LAN/TRX operations under R.10/10; 4 LAN/TRX inspected. 0.7 % inspection of LAN/TRX.	
11.7		Denial of entry in port		C	C	C	C	Source Source IOTC-2017-CoC14-CQ17: Has reported 2 foreign vessels were denied entry in port.	
12. Market									
12.1	Res. 10/10	Report on import, landing and transshipment of tuna and tuna-like fish products in ports ²	17.03.2017	C	C	C	C	Received 17.03.17.	

Feedback to COUNTRY on the level of implementation of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified by the CoC13 in 2016.

Feedback: With regards to the level of compliance by Mauritius to the decisions of the Commission, the Compliance Committee noted certain issues that required attention. These concerns were communicated to Mauritius by the Chair of the Commission in a letter dated 27th May, 2016.

• Has not reported Nominal Catch on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.
• Has not reported Catch and effort on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.
• Has not reported Size frequency on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.
• Has not reported Nominal catch for the coastal fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.
• Has not reported Catch & effort for the coastal fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.
• Has not reported Size frequency for the coastal fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.
• Has not reported Size frequency for the surface fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.
• Has not implemented the observer scheme, no deployment, as required by Resolution 11/04.
• Has not implemented the observer scheme, no observer coverage at sea for vessel > 24m, as required by Resolution 11/04.
• Has not implemented the observer scheme, no observer coverage at sea for vessel < 24m, as required by Resolution 11/04.
• Has not implemented the observer scheme for artisanal landing, as required by Resolution 11/04.
• Has not provided observer report, as required by Resolution 11/04.
• Has not fully implemented the requirement of at least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX, as required by Resolution 10/11.

Response: The response to the letter of the Chair of the Commission was provided by Mauritius on 5 September 2016.

Current issues on the level of implementation by COUNTRY of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC14 in 2017.

Having reviewed the 2017 Compliance Report for Mauritius, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

Compliance issues	Current status (2017)	Previous Status (2016)
Repeated compliance issues		
• Has not reported Nominal catch for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.	P/C	N/C
• Has not reported Catch & effort for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.	P/C	N/C
• Has not reported Size frequency for the coastal fisheries to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 15/02.	P/C	N/C
• Has not reported Size frequency for the surface fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.	N/C	P/C
• Has not reported Nominal Catch on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by Resolution 05/05.	P/C	P/C
• Has not reported Catch and effort on sharks to IOTC Standard, as required by	P/C	P/C

Resolution 05/05.		
• Has not reported Size frequency on sharks, as required by Resolution 05/05.	N/C	N/C
• Has not fully implemented the requirement of at least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX, as required by Resolution 16/11.	P/C	P/C
Non-repeated compliance issues		
• Has not provided the annula report of the Statistical Document Programme, as required by Resolution 01/06.	N/C	N/A