



IOTC-2014-CoC11-CR07[E] IOTC Compliance Report for: France (Territories) Report produced on: 26/04/2014

NIO	Source	Information required	Deadline/ Remark	Previous Status ¹		Current Status			
N°				Timeliness	Content	Timeliness	Content	Observations	CoC Remarks
1.	Implementation obli	gations							
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation	Session - 60 ds (02.04.2014)	L	С	L	С	Received 17.04.14.	
1.2.	Res. 10/09	Compliance Questionnaire	17.03.2014	L	С	L	С	Received 17.04.14.	
1.3.	SC04	National Report	17.11.2013			L	С	Received 14.11.13.	
1.4.	S17	Feedback letter	02.04.2014			N/C	N/C	Response not provided.	
2.	Management Standa	ırds							
		Documents listed in this resolution on board ²	02.04.2014	С	С	С	С	Decree No. 90-95 of 25.01.90.	
		Marking of vessels ²		С	С	С	С		
2.1.	Res. 13/02	Marking of gears ²		С	С	С	С		
		Marking of FADs ²		С	С	С	С		
		Logbook on board ²		С	С	С	С		
		Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions	15.02.2014	N/A N/A	N/A	No vessel in the Authorised			
2.2.	Res. 13/03	Official fishing logbooks	15.02.2014	-		N/A	N/A	Record since 01.01.14.	
2.3.	Res. 12/12	Ban on large-scale driftnets ²	02.04.2014	С	С	С	С	Prohibition in the National Legislation (Source: IOTC-2013- CoC10-IR07).	
2.4.	Res. 13/08	FADs management plan	31.12.2013			N/A	N/A	No vessel in the Authorised Record since 01.01.14.	
2.5.	Res. 12/13	Legal and administrative measures	For LL 18.12.2013	For LL N/A N/A N/A N/A Previously assessed C. No					
2.6.		to implement the area Closure	For PS 17.09.2013	С	С	N/C	N/C	No information provided.	
3.	Reporting on Vessels	5							
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02	С	P/C	С	С	Report submitted on 11.02.2014.	
3.2.	Res. 12/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP)	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)	С	С	С	С	Submission 07.01.11 (4 th Update)	
				Reference Capacity					
3.3.	Res. 12/11	List of vessels ³ for Tropical Tuna during 2006	- 31.12.2009	С	С	С	С	Letter N/Ref :1223bis dated 12.05.06.	
		List of vessels ³ for SWO and ALB during 2007		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No vessels targeting SWO and ALB.	

¹ C = Compliant; N/C= Non-compliant; N/A = Not Applicable; P/C = Partially Comply; L = Late; CQ = Compliance Questionnaire; CAP = Compliance Action Plan. 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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3.4.		List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003	С	С	N/A	N/A	No vessel in the Authorised Record since 01.01.14.	
3.5.	Res. 13/02	List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	Since 01.07.2006	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No vessel of less than 24m, operating outside its EEZ.	
3.6.		List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15.02	L	С	L	С	Received 17.04.14.	
3.7.	Res. 13/07	List of foreign vessels denied a licence	15.02			N/C	N/C	No information provided.	
3.8.		Access Agreement information	07.03.2013	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided.	
3.9.		Official coastal State fishing License	14.01.2014			L	С	Received 17.04.14.	
4. V	Vessel Monitoring S				-				
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	Since 2001. Source: IOTC-2013- SC16-NR07.	
4.2.		VMS report on the progress and implementation	30.06 Vessels > 15 m	N/C	N/C	L	С	Received 17.04.14.	
4.3.	Res. 12/13	Summary of VMS record ²	02.04.2014	N/C	N/C	L	С	Received 17.04.14.	
5. I	Mandatory statistic	al requirement – Flag State CPCs							
			1	1		ominal Catch	1		
		Coastal fisheries	30.06	L	C	L	С		
5.1.		Surface fisheries	30.06	C	C	С	С		
	-	LL Provisional	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No longliner operating in the	
		• LL Final	30.12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	IOTC area.	
			20.07	N/C	N/C	tch & Effort	N/C		
		Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C		N/C	N/C	No information provided	
5.2.		Surface fisheries	30.06	С	C	С	С		
		LL Provisional	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No longliner operating in the	
	Res. 10/02	• LL Final	30.12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	IOTC area.	
		Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C	N/C	ze Frequency N/C	N/C	No Information Provided	
5 2								No information Provided	
5.3.		Surface fisheries	30.06	С	C	С	C		
		LL Provisional	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No longliner operating in the	
		Final	30.12	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	IOTC area.	
		Supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	gating Devices N/A	(FAD) N/A		
5.4.		Days at sea by supply vessels	30.06	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	No supply vessel.	
		FADs set by type	30.06	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A	N/A N/A		
6. I	Mandatory statistic	al requirement – Coastal State CPC	50.00	11/21	11/21	11/21	11/11		
					Ca	tch & Effort			
6.1.		Surface fisheries	30.06			N/C	N/C	No information provided.	

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		Provisional	30.06			N/C	N/C		
		• LL Final	30.12			N/C	N/C		
]	Implementation of	mitigation measures and bycatch of n	on-IOTC species						
1.	Res. 05/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks	30.06	L	P/C	L	P/C	Data aggregated by species	
.2.	Res. 12/09	Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010	L	С	С	С	Prohibits the fishing of Thresher sharks through <i>Order No. 2013-14</i> (Source IOTC-2013-CoC10- IR07).	
.3.	Res. 13/06	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks (<i>Carcharhinus longimanus</i>)	Since 14.08.2013			L	С	Prohibition is prescribed in licence conditions (Source IOTC-2014- CoC11-IR07).	
4.		Sea turtles report ²	02.04.2014	С	С	С	С	Reported in IOTC-2012-SC15- NR07 and IOTC-2013-SC16- NR07.	
5.	Res. 12/04	Carry line cutters and de-hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No longliner operating in the IOTC area.	
.6.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009	L	С	С	С	Mandatory requirement through <i>Order No. 2013-14.</i> Source: IOTC-2013-CoC10-IR07.	
7.		Seabirds report ²	02.04.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No longliner operating in the IOTC area.	
8.	Res. 10/06	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	Since 01.11.2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9.	Res. 13/04	Instances of Cetaceans encircled ²	For PS 02.04.2014			L	С	Prohibition is prescribed in licence conditions (Source IOTC-2014-	
10.		Instances Whale Sharks encircled ²	For PS 02.04.2014			L	С	CoC11-IR07).	
]	Illegal, Unreported	l and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels							
1.	Res. 11/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (23.03.2014)	С	С	С	С	No vessel or national identified in IUU fishing activities. Previously	
2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	02.04.2014	C	С	С	С	assessed as N/A.	
	Transhipments								
1.	4	At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before15.09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
2.		Transhipments in port report ²	02.04.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
3.	Res. 12/05	List of Authorised carrier vessels	Since 01.07.2008	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	At sea transhipment is banned. No longliner operating in the IOTC area.	
4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	25.02.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
.5.		ROP fee	15.08.2013			N/A	N/A		
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0.1.	Res. 11/04	Regional Observer Scheme ² (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	02.04.2014	С	С	С	С	Coverage of 15% of the total catch.	

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10.2.		• 5% Mandatory, at sea (> 24m) ²	Since 01.07.2010	C	С	С	С		
0.3.		• 5% Phasing in, at sea (< 24m)	2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No vessel of less than 24m, operating outside its EEZ.	
10.4.		• 5 % Phasing in Artisanal landings ²	02.04.2014	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	First results to be reported in 2014.	
0.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip	С	С	С	С		
11. 9	Statistical documen								
11.1.		1 st Semester report	01.10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
11.2.		2 nd Semester report	01.04	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No import or export of Bigeye tuna.	
11.3.	Res. 01/06	Annual report ²	02.04.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
11.4.		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	01.07.2002	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
12.]	Port inspection								
12.1.	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
12.2.		List of designated ports	By 31.12.10	L	P/C	N/A	N/A	Does not receive foreign fishing vessels in its port (Source IOTC- 2014-CoC11-IR07).	
12.3.		Designated competent Authority		N/C	N/C	N/A	N/A		
12.4.		Prior notification periods		N/C	N/C	N/A	N/A		
12.5.	Res. 10/11	Inspection report	3 days after inspection	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
12.6.		At least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX Inspection report	Since	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
12.7.		Denial of entry in port	01/03/2011	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
13. 1	Market								
13.1.	Res. 10/10	Report on import, landing, transhipment of tuna and tuna-like fish products in ports ²	02.04.2014			N/A	N/A	Does not receive foreign fishing vessels in its port (Source IOTC- 2014-CoC11-IR07).	

<u>Feedback to France (Territories) on the level of implementation of IOTC Conservation</u> <u>and Management Measures identified by the CoC10 in 2013.</u>

Feedback: With regards to the level of compliance by France (Territories) to the decisions of the Commission, the Compliance Committee noted certain issues that required attention. These concerns were communicated to France (Territories) by the Chair of the Commission in a letter dated 10th May, 2013

- Resolution 10/02 (Minimum reporting requirements): The CoC noted the difficulties faced by France (OT) to provide data from its artisanal fisheries and acknowledged that the management of these small-scale vessels is difficult and expensive. Noting, however, that France is implementing a Fisheries Information System, the CoC ENCOURAGED France (OT) to continue to make progress to improve on the data reporting situation as soon as possible and report separately data from France OT and as Members of the EU.
- Resolution 10/11 (On port state measures to prevent, deter and eliminate illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing): Noting that France (OT) has not provided the list of the designated ports, the name of the competent authority and the prior notification period notice. The CoC **ENCOURAGED** France (OT) to report on the situation as early as possible.
- Response to the letter of feedback: Noting that France has not provided a response to the letter of feedback, the CoC **ENCOURAGED** France to provide a response to the letter of feedback of 2012.

Response: No response to the letter of the Chair of the Commission was provided by France (Territories).

<u>Current issues on the level of implementation by France (Territories) of IOTC</u> <u>Conservation and Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC11 in 2014.</u>

Having reviewed the 2014 Compliance Report for France (Territories), the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

- Has not provided a response to the Letter of Feedback.
- Has not informed on the legal and administrative measures taken to implement the area Closure, as required by Res. 12/13.
- Has not reported catch and effort and size frequency data, as required by Resolution 10/02, for coastal fisheries.
- The level of coverage of landings by artisanal fishing vessel remains unknown.