



IOTC-2014-CoC11-CR09 Rev1[E] **IOTC Compliance Report for: India**

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N°	Source	Information required	Deadline/ Remark	Previous Status ¹		Current Status					
				Timeliness	Content	Timeline ss	Content	Observations	CoC Remarks		
1.											
1.1.	Art. X Agreement	Report of Implementation	Session - 60 ds (02.04.2014)	L	С	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided.			
1.2.	Res. 10/09	Compliance Questionnaire	17.03.2014	C	С	L	С	Received 08.04.14.			
1.3.	SC04	National Report	17.11.2013			L	С	Received 19.11.13.			
1.4.	S17	Feedback letter	02.04.2014			N/C	N/C	Response not provided.			
2.	Management Stands	ards									
		Documents listed in this resolution on board ²	02.04.2014	С	С	L	С	Source CQ 2013.			
	Res. 13/02	Marking of vessels ²		С	С	L	С				
		Marking of gears ²		С	С	L	С				
2.1.		Marking of FADs ²		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No industrial purse seiners.			
		Logbook on board ²		С	С	С	С	Source CQ 2013.			
		Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions	15.02.2014			N/A	N/A	Not applicable (Objection S17).			
2.2.	Res. 13/03	Official fishing logbooks	15.02.2014			N/A	N/A				
2.3.	Res. 12/12	Ban on large-scale driftnets ²	02.04.2014	С	P/C	С	С	No large scale drift nets (Source IOTC-2013-CoC10-IR09).			
2.4.	Res. 13/08	FADs management plan	31.12.2013			N/A	N/A	No purse seiner.			
2.5.	Res. 12/13	Legal and administrative measures to implement the area Closure	For LL 18.12.2013	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No information provided.			
2.6.	Res. 12/13		For PS 17.09.2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No industrial purse seiners.			
3.	Reporting on Vessel	s					•				
3.1.	Res. 10/08	List of Active vessels	15.02	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided.			
3.2.	Res. 12/11	Fleet Development Plan (FDP)	By 31.12.2010 (10 years)	С	С	С	С	Received 14.01.11 (Initial)			
						Referei	nce Capacity	y			
3.3.	Res. 12/11	List of vessels ³ for Tropical Tuna during 2006	31.12.2009	С	С	C	С	Source F.No. 43-40/2003 Fy.II Vol.II dated 20.07.11.			
		List of vessels ³ for SWO		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not 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.

²Information is to be provided in the Report of Implementation.

³24 meters overall length and over, and under 24 meters if they fished outside their EEZ.

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		and ALB during 2007							
3.4.	Res. 13/02	List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	Since 01.07.2003	С	P/C	С	P/C	Mandatory information not to IOTC standard: provided GRT instead of GT.	
3.5.		List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	Since 01.07.2006	С	P/C	С	P/C	Mandatory information missing: Registration Number, Port of Registration.	
3.6.		List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15.02	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Does not licence foreign vessel (Source: Fy II Vol II dated 20.07.11).	
3.7.	Res. 13/07	List of foreign vessels denied a licence	15.02			N/A	N/A		
3.8.	Kes. 15/07	Access Agreement information	07.03.2013	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
3.9.		Official coastal State fishing License	14.01.2014			N/A	N/A	Not applicable (Objection S17).	
4.	Vessel Monitoring S						1		T
4.1.	Res. 06/03	Adoption VMS for all vessels greater than 15 metres in length overall	Since 01.07.2007	С	P/C	C	P/C	Industrial vessel monitored by Automatic Information System (Source IOTC-2013-CoC10-IR09).	
4.2.		VMS report on the progress and implementation	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	02.04.2014	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Summary of VMS record not provided.	
5.		al requirement – Flag State		1	1		J	ı ı	1
						Nom	inal Catch		
		Coastal fisheries	30.06	С	C	C	C		
5.1.		Surface fisheries	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No industrial purse seiner.	
		• LL Provisional	30.06	C	P/C	C	P/C	Data not reported for all the fleets	
		Final	30.12	C	P/C	C	P/C	Data not reported for all the fleets	
					T	·	h & Effort		I
		Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Data not provided	
5.2.	D 10/00	Surface fisheries	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No industrial purse seiner.	
	Res. 10/02	• LL Provisional	30.06	C	P/C	C	P/C	Data not reported for all the fleets	
		Final	30.12	C	P/C	C	P/C	*	
			20.06	N/C	N/C		Frequency	Data and associated	
5.2		Coastal fisheries	30.06	N/C N/A	N/C N/A	N/C N/A	N/C N/A	Data not provided	
5.3.		Surface fisheries Provisional	30.06	N/A N/C	N/A N/C	N/A N/C	N/A N/C	No industrial purse seiner.	
		• LL Provisional Final	30.06	N/C N/C	N/C N/C	N/C N/C	N/C N/C	Data not provided	
		ГШаі	30.12	IN/C		Fish Aggregat		(FAD)	
5.4.		Supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No supply vessel.	
		suppry vessers	30.00	I V/A	11/17	14/71	14/71	110 supply vessel.	

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		Days at sea by supply vessels	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
		FADs set by type	30.06	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
6.	Mandatory statistic	al requirement – Coastal Sta	ate CPC								
		Catch & Effort									
6.1.	Res. 10/02	Surface fisheries	30.06			N/A	N/A	Does not licence foreign vessel (Source F.No. 43-40/2003 Fy.II Vol.II dated 20.07.11).			
0.1.	10,02	• LL Provisional	30.06			N/A	N/A				
		Final	30.12			N/A	N/A				
7.	Implementation of	mitigation measures and byc	atch of non-IOT	C species	T		1				
7.1.	Res. 05/05	Submission of data regarding Sharks	30.06	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	No data provided.			
7.2.	Res. 12/09	Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family <i>Alopiidae</i>	Since 07.07.2010	С	P/C	С	P/C	Indian tuna vessels in the IOTC record are instructed to strictly implement this resolution (Source IOTC–2013–SC16–NR09).			
7.3.	Res. 13/06	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks (Carcharhinus longimanus)	Since 14.08.2013			N/A	N/A	Not applicable (Objection S17).			
7.4.		Sea turtles report ²	02.04.2014	С	С	С	С	Protected species (Source Indian Wildlife (Protection) Act 1972).			
7.5.	Res. 12/04	Carry line cutters and de- hookers on board (Longliners)	Since 06.08.2009	С	P/C	C	P/C	LLs are advised to carry line cutters and dehookers (Source IOTC–2013–SC16–NR09).			
7.6.		Carry dip nets (Purse seiners)	Since 06.08.2009	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	No industrial purse seiner.			
7.7.		Seabirds report ²	02.04.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A				
7.8.	Res. 10/06	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	Since 01.11.2010	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Does not have vessels fishing south of 25° S (Source IOTC–2013–SC16–NR09).			
7.9.	Res. 13/04	Instances of Cetaceans encircled ²	For PS 02.04.2014			N/A	N/A	N- industrial access of			
7.10.		Instances Whale Sharks encircled ²	For PS 02.04.2014			N/A	N/A	No industrial purse seiner.			
8.	Illegal, Unreported	and Unregulated (IUU) Vess									
8.1.	Res. 11/03	IUU listing	Session - 70 ds (23.03.2014)	С	C	С	C	No vessel or national identified in IUU fishing activities. Previously assessed as N/A.			
8.2.	Res. 07/01	Compliance by nationals	02.04.2014	C	C	C	C	activities. I reviously assessed as IV/A.			
9.	Transhipments	,									
9.1.		At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before 15.09	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the IOTC ROP.			
9.2.	Res. 12/05	Transhipments in port report ²	02.04.2014	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Previously assessed as N/A. No information provided.			
9.3.		List of Authorised carrier	Since	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Not participating in the IOTC ROP.			

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		vessels	01.07.2008						
9.4.		Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	25.02.2014	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
9.5.		ROP fee	15.08.2013			N/A	N/A		
10.	Observers				1		1		
10.1.		Regional Observer Scheme ² (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	02.04.2014	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	An observer programme is under consideration. No information provided on when it will be implemented (Source IOTC–2013–SC16–NR09).	
10.2.	Res. 11/04	• 5% Mandatory, at sea (> 24m) ²	Since 01.07.2010	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C		
10.3.	Res. 11/04	• 5% Phasing in, at sea (< 24m)	2013	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C		
10.4.		• 5 % Phasing in Artisanal landings ²	02.04.2014	С	С	С	С		
10.5.		Observer reports	150 days after trip	N/C	N/C	N/C	N/C	Previously assessed as N/A. No observer deployed (Source IOTC–2013–SC16–NR09).	
	Statistical documen						1		
11.1.		1 st Semester report	01.10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Does not import Bigeye tuna (Source IOTC-	
11.2.		2 nd Semester report	01.04	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	2013-CoC10-IR09)	
11.3.	Res. 01/06	Annual report ²	02.04.2014	L	P/C	N/C	N/C	No information provided.	
11.4.		Information on authorised institutions and personnel	01.07.2002	N/C	N/C	N/A	N/A	Source CQ 2013.	
12.	Port inspection						1		
12.1.	Res. 05/03	Port inspection programme	01.07	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	India does not allow foreign fishing vessel to	
12.2.		List of designated ports		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
12.3.		Designated competent Authority	By 31.12.10	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A		
12.4.		Prior notification periods		N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	enter its ports (Source F.No. 43-40/2003 Fy.II	
12.5.	Res. 10/11	Inspection report	3 days after inspection	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	Vol.II dated 20.07.11).	
12.6.		At least 5% inspection of LAN or TRX	Since 01/03/2011	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.	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	India is not importing tuna, nor is tuna being landed by any foreign vessels in Indian ports (Source IOTC-2013-CoC10-IR09).	

Feedback to India on the level of implementation of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified by the CoC10 in 2013.

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

- Resolution 01/06 (Bigeye statistical document program): The CoC **ENCOURAGED** India to implement the Bigeye Statistical Document Program.
- Resolution 12/09 (Thresher sharks): The CoC noted that India has difficulties on the implementation of the ban of thresher sharks in the IOTC Area and **ENCOURAGED** India to provide information as early as possible on the measures it has taken to transpose the resolution.
- Resolution 10/02 (Mandatory statistical requirements): While noting the difficulties faced by India in meeting the data reporting requirements for its coastal fisheries, largely due to resource limitations and the difficulty to sample small-scale fisheries over an extensive coastline and has not reported size frequency data for all the coastal and longline fisheries, the CoC ENCOURAGED India to continue its efforts to report data, in particular catch and effort, and size frequency data for artisanal fisheries and longline fisheries.
- Resolution 11/04 (Regional Observer Scheme): The CoC noted that India has not implemented an observer programme. The CoC **URGED** India to make further improvements in the intersessional period.
- Resolution 06/03 (VMS report on the progress and implementation): Noting that India has not provided the mandatory report on VMS, the CoC **URGED** India to provide the mandatory VMS report on the progress and implementation as required by the resolution.
- Response to the letter of feedback: Noting that India has not provided a response to the letter of feedback, the CoC **ENCOURAGED** India 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 India.

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

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

- Has not provided its Report of Implementation, in accordance to Article X of the Agreement.
- Has not provided a response to the Letter of Feedback.
- Has not provided the mandatory report of vessels active in the IOTC Area during 2012 and 2013, 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 catch and effort data, and size frequency information as required by Resolution 10/02.
- Has not reported catch data of sharks, as required by Res. 05/05.
- Has not implemented an observer programme, as required by Res. 11/04.