

## **IOTC** Compliance Report for MALDIVES (Compliance Committee Session 8, 2011)

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## 1. General information

Status: Cooperating non-Contracting Party since March 2010

Number of authorised vessels: 193 A Fleet Development Plan exists: No

Number of active vessels reported:  $\boldsymbol{0}$ 

Baseline capacity for tropical tunas available: No

Baseline capacity for albacore and swordfish available: No

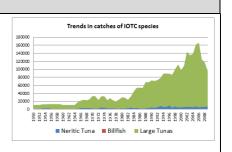
Catch of IOTC species (average 2005-2008):

142,472 t

Large tunas: 136,050 t

Billfish: 0 t

Neritic tuna: 6,422 t



2. Annual Reports	Status	Observations	Actions adopted at the SC13, CoC 07 and 14 <sup>th</sup> Commission meeting	Progress Evaluation - Post CoC 08
2.1. Level of participation in the Commission meetings.	Compliant	100%	Create an assistant fund to facilitate participation of scientists in the SC, WGs and meetings of the Commission.	
2.2. Report of Implementation	Non- compliant	Has not submitted its Report of Implementation for the 14 <sup>th</sup> of the Commission.	CPCs that did not submit their national report should fulfil their obligation as soon as possible.	
2.3. Level of participation in the Scientific Committee meetings.	Compliant	100%	Create an assistant fund to facilitate participation of scientists in the SC, WGs and meetings of the Commission.	
2.4. National Report to the Scientific Committee	Compliant	Has submitted its National Report for the 13 <sup>th</sup> of the SC.	The SC recalled that it was agreed at the 4th session that all CPCs would provide written national reports to the SC even when not attending the meeting.	
2.5. IOTC Compliance Questionnaire	Non- compliant	Has not submitted its Compliance Questionnaire.	The Compliance Committee will now review annually the compliance of each CPC with the conservation and management measures adopted by the Commission.	
3. Resolutions on control of fishing capacity and flag State responsibilities	Status	Observations	Actions adopted at CoC 07 and 14 <sup>th</sup> Commission meeting	Progress Evaluation  – Post CoC 08
3.1. Res. 09/02 and earlier resolutions: On Fleet Development Plan (FDP).		Has not submitted a FDP.	A new deadline for submission of FDPs and revised FDPs was set for the 31 <sup>st</sup> December 2010; unless the concerned CPCs indicated an earlier deadline.	
3.2. Res. 09/02 and earlier resolutions: On the limitation of fishing capacity.	Non- compliant	Has not reported its list of active vessels targeting tropical tunas during 2006. Has not reported a list of active vessels targeting swordfish and albacore during 2007.	CPCs were encouraged to submit the missing information within the shortest possible time.	
3.3. Res. 10/08 and earlier resolutions: On monitoring of domestic vessels.	Non- compliant	Has not reported a list of active vessels.	CPCs were encouraged to submit the missing information within the shortest possible time.	

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3.	Resolutions on control of fishing capacity and flag State responsibilities	Status	Observations	Actions adopted at CoC 07 and 14 <sup>th</sup> Commission meeting	Progress Evaluation - Post CoC 08
3.4	Res.06/03: On a satellite-based vessel monitoring system (VMS).	Non- compliant	No information on if a VMS exists.		
	Res. 10/07 and earlier resolutions: On licensing of foreign vessels.	Non- compliant	Has not reported a list of licensed foreign vessels.	The Committee expressed great concern about the low levels of compliance of some CPC and urged them to provide the information required within the shortest time possible	
3.6	Res. 07/02: On the IOTC Record of Vessels Authorised to operate in the IOTC Area.	Compliant	Currently have 193 fishing vessels.  Some mandatory information missing and some information not to IOTC standard.	The Committee also reiterated the importance of reporting vessel volume as Gross Tonnage (GT) instead of GRT, as GT is the standard measurement of vessel volume, in accordance with Resolution 07/02.	
	Res. 09/03: On establishing a list of vessels presumed to have carried out illegal, unreported and unregulated fishing in the IOTC Area.	Compliant	Has not provided any information to list vessels on the 2011 Draft IUU Vessels List. None of its vessels have been proposed for the 2011 Draft IUU Vessels List.		
3.8	Res. 08/02: On a Regional Observer Programme (ROP) to monitor at-sea transhipments.		Is not participating in the ROP.	All at-sea transhipments should be in conformity with the IOTC regional observer programme for monitoring at-sea transhipments.	
3.9	Res. 01/02 and 05/07: Concerning Management Standards and controls of fishing vessels.	Non- compliant	No information has been provided on the level of implementation during 2009.		
4.	Resolutions relating to scientific data	Status	Observations	Actions adopted at CoC 07 and 14 <sup>th</sup> Commission meeting	Progress Evaluation - Post CoC 08
4.1.	Res. 10/02 and earlier resolution, plus other related	Compliant	Nominal catch – Data submitted.	The Committee reiterated its concern that many data sets received from Members were incomplete, in particular catch-	
	resolutions (R.05/05; 09/06 and 10/0506): On Mandatory Statistical Requirements.	Partially comply	Catch and effort – Data partially submitted. Size frequency – Data partially submitted. By-catch of sharks – Data partially submitted.	and-effort and size frequency data. The Committee urged all CPCs to take the necessary steps to meet IOTC fisheries data requirements.	
		Non- compliant	By-catch of marine turtles – Data not submitted. By-catch of seabirds - Data not submitted		

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4.2. Res earlineso Reg Obs	s. 10/04 and lier olution: On a gional server neme.	Non- compliant	Has not provided information on the level of implementation.		
& R (LL Rec cate	s. 10/03 (PS) Res. 08/04 L) On the cording of ch by fishing sels.	Non- compliant	Has not provided information on the level of implementation.  Logbook forms and a Aggregated data have not been submitted for foreign licensed vessels.		
Red inci- byca bird	s. 10/06 On ducing idental eatch of sea- ds in longline neries.	Non- compliant	Has not provided information on the level of implementation.	Resolution 10/06, which supersedes Res. 08/03, increased the range of applicability of the mitigation measures.	
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esta an I prog	s. 05/03: The ablishment of IOTC gramme of pection in t.	Non- compliant	Has not reported a list of foreign vessels, which have landed IOTC species in its port(s).	The Committee expressed great concern about the low levels of compliance of some CPC and urged them to provide the information required within the shortest time possible	
Stat to p and	s. 10/11: Port te measures prevent, deter l eliminate U fishing.	Non- compliant	Has not provided information on its designated port(s).		
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6.1. Res 03/0 Con IOT tuna doc	s. 01/06;		List of institution(s) and individual(s) authorised to validate IOTC statistical documents has not been submitted.		
Mar	s. 10/10. ncerning rket Related asures.	Compliant	No CPCs have reported products having been landed or transhipped by Maldivian vessels in their ports that would have resulted in a proposed identification of Maldives.		
7. <b>Otl</b>	her Issues	Status	Observations	Actions adopted at CoC 07 and 14 <sup>th</sup> Commission meeting	Progress Evaluation – Post CoC 08
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