



IOTC-2023-CoC20-CR19_rev1[E] IOTC Compliance Report for: Oman Report produced on: 05 April 2023 - 14:02

1. Implementation obligations

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current timeliness	Current assessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
1.1	Article X Agreement (2022)	Report of Implementation	Session -60d 9/3/2023	NC	NC	N/C		Mandatory report not provided. Missing in e-MARIS and no IR received by email.	
	Rules of P. (4.1) (2022)	Compliance questionnaire	13/2/2023	L	С	L	С	Received 29.03.2023. Mandatory report provided. All sections applicable completed. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in CQ.	
1.3	SC04 (111) (- 2021)	National Scientific Report	20/11/2022	С	С	N/C	N/C	No NR received	
1.4	Commission (S17, 52) (2022)	Response to Feedback letter	9/3/2023	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Had compliance issues at CoC19 2022, no response to feedback letter provided.	

2. Management Standards

Re n°	q. Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
2.	Res. 19/04 (11.c & 17.c) (2022)	Certificates of registration & valid authorisation to fish/tranship on board	13/2/2023	L	С	С	С	IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1. Legal reference: Art 22 in the Living Aquatic Resources Law, Article 35 and Article 43 in the Executive regulation of the Law.	
2.:	Res. 19/04 (18) (2022)	Marking of vessels	9/3/2023	L	PC	L	P/C	Fishing vessels are marked in 2022? Has provided 2 responses in the Compliance Questionnaire Yes – Partially and Yes – Complete. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Legal Reference: Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law, Chapter 2, Article 4.3 and Executive regulations of Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law, Article 40.	
2.:	Res. 19/04 (19.a & b) (- 2022)	Marking of gears	9/3/2023	L	PC	L	С	IOTC-2023-CoC20-CQ19: Has declared all passive fishing gears used by fishing vessels are marked. No legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Legal Reference: Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81.	
2.	Res. 19/04 (20) (2022)	Fishing logbook on board, bound, consecutive numbered pages, 12 months recording	9/3/2023	L	С	L	P/C	IOTC-2023-CoC20-CQ19: All national fishing logbooks were found to be on board with consecutively numbered pages in 2022? Has provided 2 responses in the Compliance Questionnaire Yes – Partially and Yes – Complete. No legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Legal reference: Article 43 of the Executive Regulation of the Law.	
2.	Res. 19/04 (6) (2022)	Official authorisation to fish outside National Jurisdictions (ATF)	13/2/2023 Since 15/02/2014	С	С	С	С	Update received 25.08.2021: For Competent authority, official stamp, ATF template. No update received for 2022.	

2.6	Res. 19/04 (3.b & c) (- 2022)	IMO number for eligible vessels	13/2/2023 Since 01/01/2016	L	PC	P/C	P/C	Has 4 eligible vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels and 4 with IMO numbers. Has 6 non-eligible vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels and reported 0 non-eligible vessels.
2.7	Res. 15/01 (4) (2022)	Official national fishing logbooks	13/2/2023 Since 15/02//2016	С	С	P/C	P/C	Received 20.08.2020 for LL. Interactive data browser - catches for IOTC species Coastal fisheries for Line trolling/HandLine/LL Fresh/GN. No fishing logbook reported for vessels (Line trolling/HandLine/LL Fresh/GN) less than 24 metres operating within the EEZ (Res 15/01 para 11).
2.8	Res. 17/07 (2) / PAK: 12/12 (2) (- 2022)	Ban on large-scale driftnets in IOTC Area	9/3/2023	-	-	С	С	Banned since 2019, by national law. Legal Reference: article 27 of executive regulations of the marine fishing and living aquatic re- sources protection law states it is not al- lowed to use nets. Has declared "all com- mercial fishing not allowed to use gillnet+ large scale driftnet banned by law . Art 12 in drifting gillnet by law (its not allowed for the length of drift net to be more then 2.5 KM.). IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1.
2.9	Res. 17/07 (6) / PAK: 12/12 (5) (- 2022)	MCS actions related to large-scale driftnets in IOTC Area	9/3/2023	-	-	N/C	N/C	Interactive data browser: catches for IOTC species: Coastal fisheries for GN. No information provided.
2.10	Res. 19/02 (21) & 19/04 (19.c) (2022)	Marking of FADs	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2013	NA	NA	L	P/C	Received 29.03.2023. One PS on the RAV in 2022. Has declared All Fish Aggregating Devices used by purse seine vessels in 2022 are marked, no type of marking specified. No 2023 FAD management plan provided. No law, no legal reference provided in 2022.
2.11	Res. 19/02 (12) (2023)	FADs management plan	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2013	NA	NA	N/C	N/C	No information provided. Has 1 purse seine vessel fishing on DFAD on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.
2.12	Res. 19/02 (16) (2022)	Progress report on implementation of FADs management plan	13/2/2023	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	In 2022 no purse seine vessels / supply vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels and fishing on Drifting Fish Aggregating Devices. No 2022 FADs management plan was implemented & submitted to the IOTC Secretariat.

2.13	Res. 16/07 (1&2) (2022)	Prohibition of surface and submerged artificial lights to attract fish	13/2/2023 Since 27/09/2016	L	PC	L	P/C	Has declared "banned by national legislation", no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Banned by T&C of ATF: 'Preventing the use of lighting on the ship or submerged lighting to attract .fish during fishing operations'. No explicit prohibition, no reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81.	
2.14	Res. 16/08 (1) (2022)	Prohibition of aircrafts & unmanned aerial vehicles	13/2/2023 Since 27/09/2016	L	PC	L	P/C	Has indicated "banned by T&C of ATF," In the new law its not allowed to use any means to follow fish schools". No legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition of aircrafts and unmanned aerial vehicles'. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81.	
2.15	Res. 21/01 (15) (2021)	CPC subject to catch reductions, over-catch: report corrective actions taken to adhere to prescribed catch levels	9/3/2023	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	Objection to Resolution 21/01.	
2.16	Res. 21/01 (12) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (12) / IND: 18/01 (7) (- 2022)	Report methods for achieving YFT catch reductions	9/3/2023	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	Not subject to yellowfin catch reduction.	
2.17	Res. 21/01 (20) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (18) (2023)	Purse seiners served by supply vessel in 2023	Before 1/1/2023	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No SP vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.	

2.18	Res. 21/01 (18) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (16) / IND: 18/01 (3c) (- 2022)	Status/Plan reducing the use of supply vessels	9/3/2023	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	Has 1 PS vessel and no Supply Vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.	
2.19	Res. 21/01 (5-15) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (5-15) / IND: 18/01 (3-6) (2021)	Catch limits - Nominal catch of YFT in 2021	9/3/2023 Since 03/10/2017	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	Not subject to yellowfin catch reduction.	
2.20	Res. 21/01 (21-24) / OMN IDN IRN MDG SOM: 19/01 (20/23) (- 2022)	Gillnet - Report level of implementa- tion of paragraphs 21-23	9/3/2023	NC	NC	N/A	N/A	No gillnet fishing vessels registered on the IOTC Record of Authorized Vessels in 2022.	
2.21	Res. 18/07 (1) (2022)	Report actions taken to implement reporting obligations & improve data collection of catches	9/3/2023	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	No information provided for all Fisheries.	
2.22	Res 11/02 (6) (2022)	Reports observations of damaged data buoys	9/3/2023	-	-	N/C	N/C	No information provided	
2.23	Res 11/02 (2) (2022)	Prohibition from intentionally fishing within 1 nautical mile of or interacting with data buoy	13/2/2023 Since 2011	PC	PC	L	N/C	Banned by T&C of ATF. No law, no text of law, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared "banned by national legislation since 2012". Banned by T&C of ATF: Prohibition from intentionally fishing within 1 nautical mile of or interacting with data buoy'. No reference to T&C of ATF having power of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
2.24	Res 11/02 (3) (2022)	Prohibition from taking on board data buoy	13/2/2023 Since 2011	PC	PC	L	N/C	Banned by T&C of ATF. No law, no text of law, no legal reference provided in 2022.	

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2.25	Res. 13/04 (2) (2022)	Prohibition of intentionally setting purse seine net around cetacean	13/2/2023 Since 2013. For PS	NA	NA	L	N/C	Has 1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorized Vessel in 2022. Has declared has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no legal reference, no T&C of ATF provided in 2022.	
2.26	Res. 13/05 (2) (2022)	Prohibition of intentionally setting purse seine net around whale shark	13/2/2023 Since 2013. For PS	NA	NA	L	N/C	Has 1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. Has declared has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no legal reference, no T&C of ATF provided in 2022.	
2.27	Res. 19/03 (2) (2022)	Prohibition of intentionnally setting any gear type on mobulid rays	13/2/2023 Since 2019. All gears	PC	PC	L	N/C	Has 1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC Record of Authorized Vessels in 2022. Has declared has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no legal reference, no T&C of ATF provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has indicated banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition of intentionnally setting any gear type on mobulid rays'. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
2.28	Res. 19/04 (11&12) (- 2022)	Report on review of flag State inter- nal actions & measures, punitive ac- tions and sanctions on flag vessels on the RAV	9/3/2023			N/C	N/C	No information provided. Has vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels.	

3. Reporting on Vessels

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
3.1	Res. 10/08 (1) (2022)	List of Active vessels	15/2/2023	NC	NC	L	С	Received 29.03.2023. Has 10 vessels on the Record of Authorised Vessels and 4 vessels active in 2022.	
3.2	Res. 19/07 (8) (2022)	Particulars of charter agreements, catches, effort, observer coverage (Chartering CP)	28/2/2023	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No charter vessels and no chartering agreement in 2022.	
3.3	Res. 19/07 (4.1) (2022)	Information on the particulars of the charter agreements and detail of vessels (Chartering CP)	13/2/2023 Within 15 days before fishing	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No charter vessels and no chartering agreement in 2022.	
3.4	Res. 19/07 (4.2) (2022)	Consent, measures, agreement implementation of IOTC CMMs (Flag CPC)	13/2/2023 Within 15 days before fishing	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No charter vessels and no chartering agreement in 2022.	
3.5	Res. 19/07 (6) (2022)	Start, suspension, resumption and termination of the fishing operations of chartering agreement	13/2/2023 Since 2018	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No charter vessels and no chartering agreement in 2022.	
3.6		List of Authorized vessels 24 metres in length overall or more	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2003	С	PC	С	С	Last update in 2022 13.07. All mandatory information provided.	
3.7	Res. 19/04 (3) (2022)	List of Authorized vessels (less than 24m, operating in waters outside EEZ of the flag state)	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2006	L	PC	С	P/C	Last update in 2022 13.07. Information not provided at IOTC standard; mandatory information missing IRCS, Total volume of Fish hold, Operate name and address, beneficial owner name and address, company name and addresss, out-dated authorisation period, photographs.	
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3.8	Res. 14/05 (1) (2022)	List of foreign vessels licensed in EEZ	15/2/2023 Since 01/07/2006			N/A	N/A	CPC does not license foreign flag vessels to fish in the EEZ for species managed by the IOTC in the IOTC area of competence.	
3.9	Res. 14/05 (6) (2022)	Foreign vessels denied a licence	15/2/2023 Since 01/07/2006	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	CPC does not license foreign flag vessels to fish in the EEZ for species managed by the IOTC in the IOTC area of competence.	
3.10	Res. 14/05 (3&5) (2022)	Access Agreement information	13/2/2023 Since 26/02/2015	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	CPC does not have CPC-CPC agreement in 2022.	
3.1	Res. 14/05 (7,8) (2022)	Official coastal State fishing License	13/2/2023 Since 14/01/2014	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	CPC does not license foreign flag vessels to fish in the EEZ for species managed by the IOTC in the IOTC area of competence.	
3.12	Res. 21/01 (26) (2022)	List of vessels fishing for yellowfin tuna	15/2/2023			Not Assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	

4. Vessel Monitoring System

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
4.1		Adoption VMS for all vessels > 24 m, and for vessels < 24 m fishing outside flag State's EEZ	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2007	С	С	L	P/C	IOTC-2023-CoC20-CQ19: Has declared VMS adopted by law, no date of adoption specified. Has not submited national VMS legislation. No law, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2016-CoC13-IR20. VMS adopted in 2000.	
4.2	Res. 15/03 (12) (2021)	VMS report on implementation & technical failures	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided.	
4.3	Res. 15/03 (2) (2021)	VMS implementation plan	13/2/2023 Since 30/04/2016	NA	NA	L	P/C	IOTC-2023-CoC20-CQ19: Has declared Coverage for vessels outside EEZ is 100%; inside EEZ is 75%. Has not submited national VMS legislation.	

5.Mandatory statistical requirement – Flag State CPCs

Req nº	. Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
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Nominal catch

5.1	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Coastal fisheries	30/6/2022	L	С	L	P/C	Received 28.09.2022; Data partially provided by IOTC standards. Not using IOTC format, missing metadata.
5.2	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30/6/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No Purse Seine, Bait boat, Gillnet fishing vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2021.
5.3	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Longline fisheries	30/6/2022	L	PC	L	P/C	Received 28.09.2022; Data partially provided by IOTC standards. Not using IOTC format, missing metadata, limited species available.
5.4	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Discards	30/6/2022			N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.
5.5	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Report on zero catches matrix	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.

Catch & Effort

5.6	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Coastal fisheries	30/6/2022	L	PC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided; Data submitted for RC contained effort, however, all other data requirements are missing.
5.7	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30/6/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No Purse Seine, Bait boat, Gillnet fishing vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2021.
5.8	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Longline fisheries	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided; LL data provided in various worksheets, however no data collation in CE format.

Size frequency

5.9	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Coastal fisheries	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	
5.1	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Surface fisheries: PS, BB, GN	30/6/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No Purse Seine, Bait boat, Gillnet fishing vessels on the IOTC Record of Authorised Vessels in 2021.	
5.1	Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Longline fisheries	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	

Fish Aggregating Devices (FAD)

5.1	2 Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Supply vessels	30/6/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No supply vessels on the IOTC Record of Fishing Vessels.	
5.1	3 Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	Days at sea by supply vessels	30/6/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No supply vessels on the IOTC Record of Fishing Vessels.	
5.1	4 Res. 15/02 (1 to 7), 18/05 (8), 18/07 (4), 19/02 (4, 22 & 24) (2021)	FADs set by type	30/6/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No supply/purse seine vessels on the IOTC Record of Fishing Vessels.	
5.1	5 Res. 19/02 (4.24) (2022)	Number of active FAD	Before 1st of month	NA	NA	С	С	Monthly data received on time and provided by IOTC standards.	

6.Implementation of mitigation measures and bycatch of non-IOTC species

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current con- tent	Official observations	CPC remarks
6.1	Res. 17/05 (6) (2021)	Sharks nominal catch data	30/6/2022	L	С	L	P/C	Received 28.09.2022; Data partially provided by IOTC standards. Not using IOTC format, missing metadata. Data for LL aggregated as SKH.	
6.2	Res. 17/05 (6) (2021)	Sharks catch & effort data	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	
6.3	Res. 17/05 (6) (2021)	Sharks size frequency data	30/6/2022	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	
6.4	Res. 17/05 (3) (2022)	Prohibition on sharks finning	13/2/2023 Since 03/10/2017	С	С	С	С	Has been banned by national legislation & Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Banned by national law. Legal Reference: Ministerial Decision No.4.94.	
6.5	Res. 12/09 (2) (2022)	Prohibition on thresher sharks - all species of family <i>Alopiidae</i>	13/2/2023 Since 07/07/2010	PC	PC	L	N/C	Has implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition on thresher sharks of all the species of the family Alopiidae. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
6.6	Res. 13/06 (3) (2022)	Prohibition on oceanic whitetip sharks (Carcharhinus longimanus)	13/2/2023 Since 14/08/2013	PC	PC	L	N/C	Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No	

								law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition on oceanic whitetip shark'. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
6.7	Res. 19/03 (3) (2022)	Prohibition to retain onboard, tran- ship, land, store mobulid rays	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019	PC	PC	L	N/C	Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared not banned by law. Has declared banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition to retain onboard, tranship, land, store mobulid rays'. No legal reference provided. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
6.8	Res. 19/03 (5, Annex 1) (- 2022)	Prohibition to gaff, lift by the gill slits/spiracles, punch holes through the bodies. Obligation to release alive, implementation of live release handling procedures of mobulid rays	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019	PC	PC	L	N/C	Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition to gaff, lift by the gill slits/spiracles, punch holes through the bodies. Obligation to release alive, implementation of live release handling procedures of mobulid rays'. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
6.9	Res. 12/04 (5) (2022)	Report on progress of implementa- tion of Res. 12/04	9/3/2023 Since 29/10/2019	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided.	
6.10	Res. 12/04 (3) (2021)	Data on interactions with marine turtles	30/6/2022 Since 29/10/2019	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	

6.11	Res. 12/04 (8) (2022)	Longliner carry & employ line cutters & de-hookers on board	13/2/2023 Since 06/08/2009	L	PC	L	N/C	LL on the IOTC RAV in 2022. Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared required by national legislation since 2019 by Art11)2019) of the law (its forbidden to set fishing gear to target marine mammals or turtles). No reference on the obligation to carry line cutters and de-hookers on board. Has declared required by T&C of ATF since 2003. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
6.12	Res. 12/04 (9) (2022)	Purse seiners carry & employ dip nets on board	13/2/2023 Since 06/08/2009	NA	NA	N/C	N/C	Had 1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022.	
6.13	Res. 12/06 (1 & 2) (2021)	Data on seabirds interactions	30/6/2022 Since 06/08/2009	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	
6.14	Res. 12/06 (5) (2022)	Implementation of mitigation measures south of 25°S	13/2/2023 Since 01/11/2010	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	9 LL vessels on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. IOTC-2021-SC24-NR19: Has declared "Oman will make these requirements, mandatory in the new proposed law for commercial fishing vessels". No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.	
6.15	Res. 13/04 (7) (2021)	Data on interactions with Cetaceans	30/6/2022 (All gears)	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	

6.16	Res. 13/04 (8) (2022)	Instances of Cetaceans encircled	9/3/2023 (For PS)	NA	NA	N/C	N/C	1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. No information provided in 2022.
6.17	Res 13/05 (7) (2021)	Data on interactions with Whale Sharks	30/6/2022 (All gears)	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.
6.18	Res 13/05 (8) (2022)	Instances Whale Sharks encircled	9/3/2023 (For PS)	NA	NA	N/C	N/C	1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. No information provided in 2022.
6.19	Res 18/02 (4) (2021)	Information on actions taken do- mestically to monitor catches of Blue Shark	20/11/2022 (SC)	NC	NC	L	С	No NR submitted. Actions: Fishing logbook on board / Observer in port/landing site.
6.20	Res 18/05 (9) (2021)	Information on actions taken do- mestically to monitor catches & manage fisheries of Striped Mar- lin, Black Marlin, Blue Marlin and Indo-pacific Sailfish	20/11/2022 (SC)	NC	NC	L	С	No NR submitted. Actions: Fishing logbook on board / Observer in port/landing site.
6.21	Res 18/05 (5) (2022)	Prohibition to retain on board, tranship, land, any Striped Marlin, Black Marlin, Blue Marlin, Indo-pacific Sailfish smaller than 60 cm Lower Jaw Fork Length	13/2/2023 Since 04/10/2018	PC	PC	N/C	N/C	Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022. IOTC-2022-CoC19-CR19_Rev1: Has declared banned by T&C of ATF: 'Prohibition to gaff, lift by the gill slits/spiracles, punch holes through the bodies. Obligation to release alive, implementation of live release handling procedures of mobulid rays'. No reference to T&C of ATF having force of law in Ministerial decision No. 4/94; in Marine Fishing and Aquatic Resources Protection Law Royal decree No 53/81. No additional legal reference provided.
6.22	Res 19/05 (1) (2022)	Retention of target tuna species (YFT/SKJ/ BET) on board	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019			N/C	N/C	Had 1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation

			(PS)				to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022.	
6.23	Res 19/05 (2) (2022)	Retention of non target species on board	13/2/2023 Since 29/10/2019 (PS)		N/C		Had 1 purse seine vessel on the IOTC record of authorized vessel in 2022. Has been implemented by terms & conditions of authorisation to fish with force of law. No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided in 2022.	
6.24	Res 19/03 (8) (2021)	Data on interactions with mobulid rays	30/6/2022 (All gears)		N/C	N/C	Mandatory data not provided.	

7. Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated (IUU) Vessels

Red n°	J. Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous as- sessment	Current time- liness	Current con- tent	Official observations	CPC remarks
7.1	Res. 18/03 (5 & 18) (2022)	IUU listing	13/2/2023	С	С	N/C	N/C	Three vessels included in the IOTC IUU list in 2022.	
7.2	Res. 07/01 (2) (2022)	Compliance by nationals	13/2/2023	С	С	N/C	, , ,	Nationals on board vessel listed on IOTC IUU list in 2022.	

8. Transhipments

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
8.1	Res. 22/02 (28) (2021)	At sea transhipments – CPC report	Before 15/9/2022	L	С	N/C	N/C	Received 29.03.2023. Has provided 2 reports for transhipments conducted in 2022. No information provided for the year 2021 which is year to be reported on (deadline was 15.09.2022)	
8.2	Res. 22/02 (Annex 1, p.6) (2022) [Annex 2 p7 MDV]	Transhipments in port report	9/3/2023	NC	NC	L	P/C	Conctradiction CQ/e-PSM. IOTC-2023-CoC20-CQ19: Has declared one (PS) vessel transhipped 6,176 T in 2022. Data from e-PSM: 3LL 1PS, 8 TRX operations 3,697 T.	
8.3	Res. 22/02 (8&9) (2022)	List of Authorised carrier vessels	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2008	С	С	L	С	Received 15.03.2023. Has provided a list of 3 Carrier Vessels registered on the IOTC Record of Carrier Vessels (RCV).	
8.4	Res. 22/02 (31) (2022)	Report on results of investigations on possible infractions	15/1/2023	С	С	L	P/C	Received 29.03.2023. Possible infractions: 2. Two responses received after the WPICMM06 meeting. Response to be pre- sented at the CoC20. IOTC-2023-WPICMM06-R: The WPICMM06 NOTED that Oman did not provide any re- sponse to the possible infractions notified. The WPICMM06 EXPRESSED CONCERN that Oman had not responded and not attend- ed the WPICMM repeatedly. The WPICMM06 RECOMMENDED that Compliance Commit- tee 20 consider the outstanding cases on the outcomes of the assessments of possible infractions.	
8.5	Res. 22/02 (Annex 4, p.13) (2022)	Payment ROP fee (Call for fund 03/03/2022)	1/4/2022	NA	NA	С	С	Participating in the IOTC regional observer programme (ROP) to monitor transhipment at sea. Call for fund 03 March 2022. Payment received.	

9. Observers [NOT TO BE ASSESSED FOR THE YEAR 2021 AT THE COMPLIANCE COMMITTEE 20]

Req.	Source (para n°) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
9.1	(2021)	Regional Observer Scheme (No. of vessels monitored and coverage by gear type)	9/3/2023	NA	NA	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	
9.2	Res. 11/04 (2) (2021)	5% Mandatory, at sea (All vessels)	13/2/2023 Since 2013	NA	NA	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	
9.3	Res. 11/04 (4) (2021)	5% Artisanal landings	13/2/2023 Since 2013	NA	NA	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	
	Res. 11/04 (11) (2021)	Observer reports	13/2/2023 150 days after trip	NA	NA	Not assessed	Not As- sessed	N/A	

10. Statistical document programme

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
10.1	Res. 01/06 (5) (2022)	1st Semester report (2022)	1/10/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	Did not import bigeye tunas during the 1st semester 2022.	
10.2	Res. 01/06 (5) (2021)	2nd Semester report (2021)	1/4/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	Did not import bigeye tunas during the 2nd semester 2021.	
10.3	Res. 01/06 (6) (2021)	Annual report (2021)	9/3/2023	NC	NC	N/C	N/C	Mandatory report not provided	
10.4	Res. 01/06 (2) (2022)	Information on authorised institu- tions and personnel	13/2/2023 Since 01/07/2022	-	-	С	С	Last Update 21.08.2021. No information provided in 2022.	

11. Port inspection

Req.	Source (para nº) (year)	Information required	Deadline	Previous timeliness	Previous assessment	Current time- liness	Current as- sessment	Official observations	CPC remarks
11.1	Res. 05/03 (8) (2021)	Port inspection programme : foreign vessels landings	1/7/2022	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No landing of IOTC Species in my ports in 2021.	
11.2	Res. 16/11 (5.1 & 19.1a) (2022)	List of designated ports	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2010	С	С	С	С	Has designated 2 ports: Salalah Port, Duqm Port; Competent Authority: Ministry of Agri- culture, Fisheries Wealth and Water Resources; Period Advance Notice: 72H. No update for 2022.	
11.3	Res. 16/11 (5.1 & 19.1c) (2022)	Designated competent Authority	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2010	С	С	С	С	Has designated 2 ports: Salalah Port, Duqm Port; Competent Authority: Ministry of Agri- culture, Fisheries Wealth and Water Resources; Period Advance Notice: 72H. No update for 2022.	
11.4	Res. 16/11 (5.1 & 19.1b) (2022)	Prior notification periods	13/2/2023 Since 31/12/2010	С	С	С	С	Has designated 2 ports: Salalah Port, Duqm Port; Competent Authority: Ministry of Agri- culture, Fisheries Wealth and Water Resources; Period Advance Notice: 72H. No update for 2022.	
11.5	Res. 16/11 (13.1) (2022)	Port inspection reports	13/2/2023 3 days after inspection	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No calls in ports made by foreign vessels in 2022.	
11.6	Res. 16/11 (10.1) (2022)	At least 5% inspection of LAN / TRX	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No calls in ports made by foreign vessels in 2022.	
11.7	Res. 16/11 (7.3) (2022)	Denial of entry in port	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011	NA	NA	N/A	N/A	No calls in ports made by foreign vessels in 2022.	
11.8		Denial of use of port	13/2/2023			N/A	N/A		

	Res. 16/11 (9.3) (2022)		Since 01/03/2011				No calls in ports made by foreign vessels in 2022.	
11.	9 Res. 16/11 (9.4) (2022)	Withdrawal of denial of use of port	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011		N/A	N/A	No calls in ports made by foreign vessels in 2022.	
11.	1 Res. 16/11 (15.1) (2022)	Report vessel engaged in IUU fishing following an inspection	13/2/2023 Since 01/03/2011		N/A	N/A	No calls in ports made by foreign vessels in 2022.	

Current issues on the level of implementation by **Oman** of IOTC Conservation and Management Measures identified for discussion in the CoC20 in 2023

Having reviewed the 2023 Compliance Report for Oman, the Chair of the Compliance Committee has identified the following significant non-compliance issues for discussion.

Repeated compliance issues:

e-Maris CR Ref (1)	Compliance Issue	Current status (2022)	Previous status (2021)
1.1 to 1.4	Has not presented the compulsory reports (Implementation report, National Scientific Report and Response to Feedback letter) on IOTC Resolutions. Compliance questionnaire provided late, 29.03.2023., No law, no text of law, no T&C of ATF, no legal reference provided with the CQ.	-	-
2.1 to 11.10	Lack of compliance for several years with IOTC measures and lack of responses from Oman.	-	-
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Non-repeated compliance issues:

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