



IOTC-2024-CoC21-FL13[E]-MDG

Annex: Compliance issues from CoC20

CPC: MADAGASCAR	Responses/clarifications
 Has not transposed the prohibition of intentionally setting any gear type on mobulid rays into national legislation, no legal reference provided for all fishing vessels authorized to fish for tuna or tuna like species, as required by Resolution 19/03 	These measures have already been incorporated in the Terms and Conditions of the Authorization to fish for industrial vessels but their transposition for coastal fisheries is ongoing.
 Has not reported nominal catch for coastal fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02. 	Following a restructuring within the Ministry of Fisheries and the Blue Economy, data collection and compilation activities from coastal fisheries haven't been completed on time. Data were submitted by email to the IOTC Secretariat in November 2023.
 Has not reported catch and effort for coastal fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02. 	Following a restructuring within the Ministry of Fisheries and the Blue Economy, data collection and compilation activities from coastal fisheries haven't been completed on time. Data were submitted by email to the IOTC Secretariat in November 2023.
 Has not reported size frequency for coastal fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02. 	Following a restructuring within the Ministry of Fisheries and the Blue Economy, data collection and compilation activities from coastal fisheries haven't been completed on time. Data were submitted by email to the IOTC Secretariat in November 2023.
• Has not reported size frequency for longline fisheries, as required by Resolution 15/02.	No longliner authorized to fish for tunas in 2022 in Madagascar.
 Has not provided nominal catch data on sharks, for all fleets, to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 17/05. Data submitted for BSH caught by longline fisheries only. 	Data collection and compilation activities from the coastal fisheries haven't been completed on time. Data were submitted by email to the IOTC Secretariat in November 2023. Only blue sharks are reported in the fishing logbook.
 Has not provided catch and effort data on sharks, for all fleets, to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 17/05. Data only provided for BSH. 	Data collection and compilation activities from the coastal fisheries haven't been completed on time. Data were submitted by email to the IOTC Secretariat in November 2023. Only blue sharks are reported in the fishing logbook.
 Has not provided size frequency data on sharks to IOTC standard (mandatory data not provided), as required by Resolution 17/05 	Data collection and compilation activities from the coastal fisheries haven't been completed.
 Has reported information but no actions taken domestically to monitor catches of Blue Shark, as required by Resolution 18/02 	Monitoring has been completed but no interaction has been observed, hence a nil report.
 Has reported information but no actions reported domestically to monitor catches & manage fisheries of Striped Marlin, Black Marlin, Blue Marlin and Indo- pacific Sailfish, as required by Resolution 18/05. 	Monitoring has been completed but no interaction has been observed, hence a nil report.

 Has not provided a template of the official coastal State fishing licence to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 14/05. Conflicting information between IOTC specimen and e-PSM. 	Madagascar uses colour codes for fishing licences every year. The template for 2023 has already been provided to the IOTC Secretariat. For 2024, a new template is in the course of being sent.
 Has not reported nominal catch for longline fisheries to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 15/02. Use of aggregated fishery code LLTU instead of LLFR. 	Misuse of the code. This will be taken into account for the next reporting.
• Has not reported discards to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 15/02. Information only reported for LL fishery.	Following a restructuring within the Ministry of Fisheries and the Blue economy, data collection and compilation activities from coastal fisheries haven't been completed.
• Has not reported the zero catches matrix to IOTC standard, as required by Resolution 18/07. Information only reported for LL fishery.	Following a restructuring within the Ministry of Fisheries and the Blue economy, data collection and compilation activities from coastal fisheries haven't been completed.
• Has not reported data on interactions with seabirds, as requested by Resolution 12/06.	Monitoring has been completed but no interaction has been observed, hence a nil report.
 Has not reported data on interactions with whale- sharks, as required by Resolution 13/05. 	Monitoring has been completed but no interaction has been observed, hence a nil report.
 Has not reported data on interactions with mobulid rays, as required by Resolution 19/03. 	Monitoring has been completed but no interaction has been observed, hence a nil report.