

PROVISIONAL AGENDA

1. Opening of the Meeting
2. Adoption of the Agenda
3. Introduction
4. Bycatch monitoring and mitigation: Updates from ASCOBANS and ACCOBAMS Areas
5. International transboundary activities
 - 5.1. Update from CIBBRiNA project
 - 5.2. CetAMBICion bycatch mitigation trials in bottom-set net and purse seine fisheries
 - 5.3. ICES Bycatch Advice 2024
 - 5.4. Bycatch Evaluation and Assessment Matrix: development of an iterative process for high throughput of bycatch estimation and providing guidelines on bycatch monitoring
6. Recreational fishing
 - 6.1. ICES Roadmap on recreational fishing
 - 6.2. Recreational fishing in Finland
 - 6.3. Welsh inshore gill net bycatch risk project: using iVMS data, species distribution models and on-board observer programme to understand bycatch risk
7. Results from the assessment process of the EU-MSFD and UNEP-MAP EcAp, and associated targets, regarding cetacean bycatch
 - 7.1. EU MSFD: Comparison between the Agreement Areas
8. Discussion and Recommendations
9. Terms of Reference
10. Programme of Work for 2025-2027
11. Election of Co-Chair of the Working Group 2025-2027
12. Any Other Business
13. Closure of the Meeting