

COA #9 Sustainable Fisheries – Preliminary Analysis

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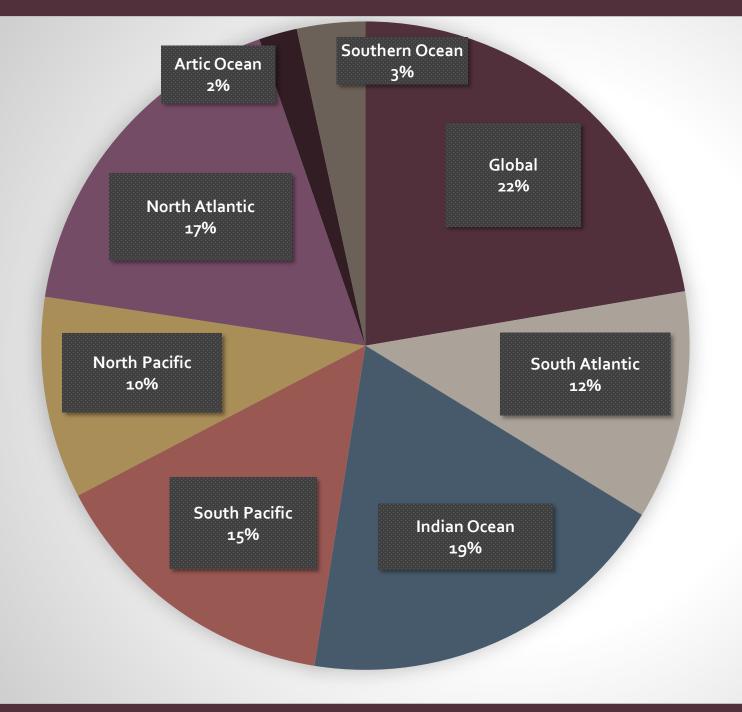
#### **COMMUNITIES OF OCEAN ACTION**

## SÚSTAINABLE FISHERIES

COMMITMENTS	MEMBERS	UPDATES	O JOIN COMMUNITY	REGISTER COMMITMENT
513	453	91		

### Thematic Foci of COA 9

- Improve fisheries management
  - Ecosystem approach to fisheries
  - Science-based fisheries management plans
  - Reduce harmful fishing practices
- Ensure access to resources and markets
- Build capacity to empower communities & improve human and institutional knowledge & transfer fishing technologies
- improve compliance, monitoring and enforcement & combat IUU
  remove and reduce of harmful subsidies
- > Apply market measures, i.e. eco-labeling, traceability



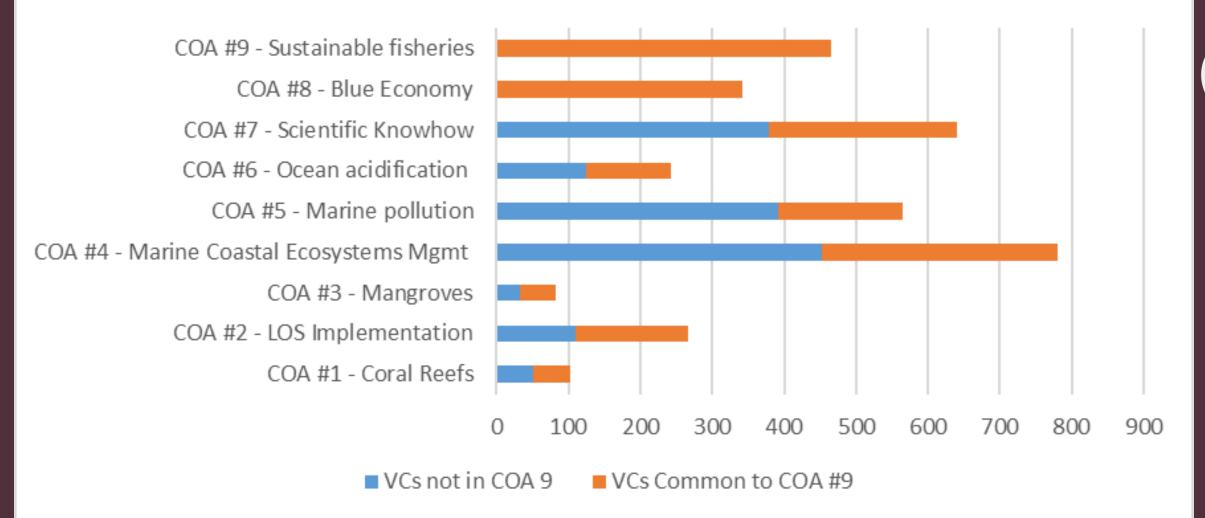
Geographic Spread of VCs in COA #9

#### COA #9 Partners by Sector

COA #9 VC by Type	% of total
Government	35.7
Non-governmental Organization	22.4
Civil Society Organization	9.7
United Nations Entity	8.8
Intergovernmental Org	7.1
Private Sector	6.7
Academic	3.4
Partnerships	2.4
Philanthropic	1.5
Scientific Community	1.3
Others	1.1

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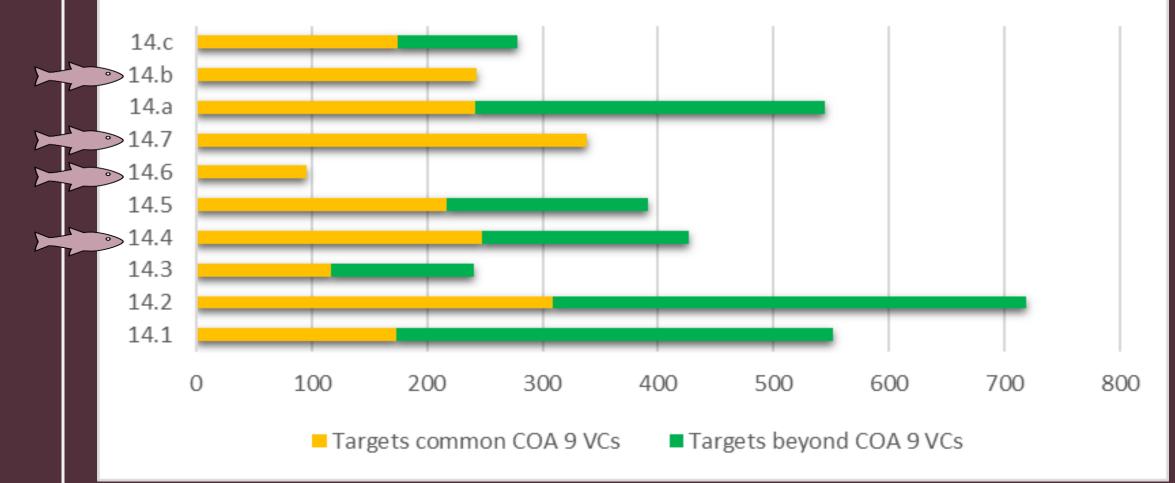
#### COA #9 VCs and Overlap with other COAs



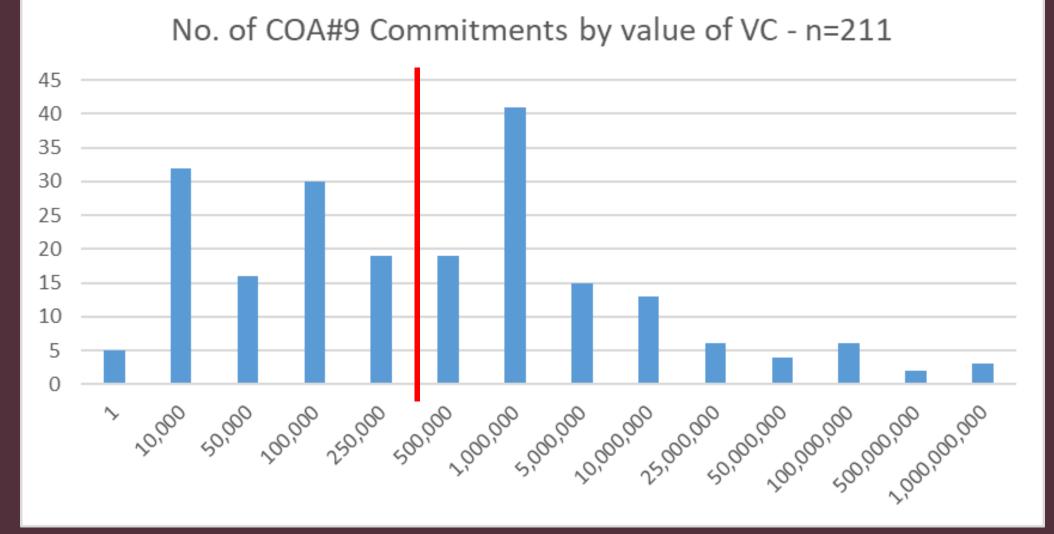
The following chart indicates total number of voluntary commitments (VCs) per COA; overlap of those VCs across the other COAS, indicated in orange. Approx 30 VCs unique to COA 9.

#### SDG 14 Targets covered by VCs in COA #9

COA #9 SDG Targets in VCs overlap with other COAs



#### Examining the dollar value of VCs in COA #9



This graph shows the 'binned' values of VCs assigned to COA #9, bars represent number of VCs above stated value (and below value of bar to the right)

### Timeline of Voluntary Commitment in COA #9

COA #9 VCs by completion date through 2030 - n=404

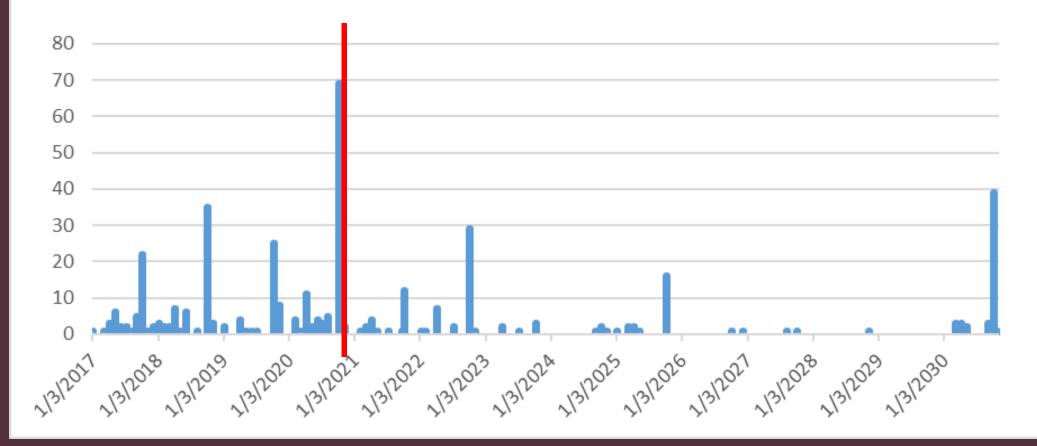


Table represents VC with completion dates through 2030. Red line is on 2020.

### Accomplishments

- Completion of interim report and analysis
- Regular updates to COA members
- Mainstreaming of COA
- Meetings, conferences, workshops, events
- Ocean Action Volunteers Campaign

#### What's next?

International Symposium on Fisheries Sustainability

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