Ghost nets (DFG) in the Baltic Sea

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The problem
Caused by..
A solution
Reducing the impact of marine litter in the form of derelict fishing gear in the Baltic Sea

2016-2019
8 partners

Lead: Municipality of Simrishamn
Why a solution?
It covers the entire process

Mapping
“designation of DFG host areas”

Retrieval
How to recover the located nets

Recycling
Waste management solutions

Prevention
How to reduce gear loss during fishing
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A roadmap and a guide
Post MARELITT Baltic
Technical development finding the DFG
Cleaning hot-spot areas
Cost-efficient cleaning in non hot-spot areas
Spreading the knowledge
Three recommendations to BSAP!
Now we have the knowledge

1. Acknowledge and prioritize actions to mitigate the problem
2. Use
3. HELCOM
Host the map!