

Political level


Helsinki Commission
 (HELCOM)
















Heads of Delegation
 (HODs)

Policy coordination level

 **WG GEAR** 

EG ESA
 EG MSFD
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Working groups: management / policy level

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|  WG BioDiv STATE  |  WG Source to sea ACTIVITY, PRESSURE  |  WG Fish ACTIVITY  |  WG Sea-based pressures PRESSURE  |  WG Maritime ACTIVITY  |  WG Response ACTIVITY  |  HELCOM-VASAB MSP WG ACTIVITY  |
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Expert groups and networks: scientific / technical level

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| EG Benthic EG Birdmove EG Foodweb EG MaMa EG MPA EG Phyto EG Stur EG Zoo JWG Bird MPA MaNet | EG Eutro EG Haz EG MoRS EG RedCore | EG FishData EG Fish-M | EG DreDS EG Marine Litter EG Noise EG Submerged JEG NIS | CP PRF EG AIS EG Safe Nav Green Team JTG Ballast & Biofouling | EG Shore EG Surveillance EG Wildlife | BSR MSP Data ESG |
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BSAP focus:

-  Biodiversity
-  Hazardous substances and litter
-  Sea-based activities
-  Eutrophication
-  Horizontal topics

Full names of the working groups:

- WG GEAR = HELCOM Working Group for the Implementation of the Ecosystem Approach
- WG BioDiv = HELCOM Working Group on Biodiversity, Protection and Restoration
- WG Source to sea = HELCOM Working Group on the Source to Sea Management of Nutrients and Hazardous Substances and Sustainable Agricultural Practices
- WG Fish = HELCOM Working Group on Ecosystem-based Sustainable Fisheries
- WG Sea-based pressures = HELCOM Working Group on Reduction of Pressures from Sea-based Sources
- WG Maritime = HELCOM Maritime Working Group
- WG Response = HELCOM Response Working Group
- HELCOM-VASAB MSP WG = Joint HELCOM-VASAB Maritime Spatial Planning Working Group