

## Workplan for EG MoRS 2024-2025

No	Task	Lead, responsible bodies and interlinked activities	Next steps and comments	Output
1	Updating Guidelines on the monitoring of radioactive substances in the Baltic	Lead: HELCOM Secretariat Contributing: Members of EG MoRS	Countries to review and update guideline as needed in EG MoRS meetings	Updated guideline document, following EG MoRS meeting
2	Collection, validation and evaluation of the environmental data stemming from monitoring	Lead: HELCOM Secretariat Responsible: HELCOM Secretariat Contributing: Members of EG MoRS (data submitters)	Countries to submit the data according to the guideline and agreed timeline.  2023 monitoring data expected to be reported by end of September 2024.	Annual report to EG MoRS in 2024 and 2025. Approved database available via HELCOM Metadata catalogue.
3	Collection, validation and evaluation of discharge data on radioactivity submitted to the HELCOM database	Lead: HELCOM Secretariat Responsible (data host): Finland/STUK Contributing: Members of EG MoRS (data submitters)	Countries to submit the data according to the guideline.	Annual report to EG MoRS in 2024 and 2025. Approved database available via HELCOM Metadata catalogue.
4	Coordinate and organize intercomparison exercises on seawater, and encourage participation in other proficiency tests and intercomparison exercises to assure high quality of the monitoring data	Lead: IAEA Contributing: Members of EG MoRS (data submitters)	Carrying out proficiency exercise coordinated by IAEA	Annual report to EG MoRS in 2024 and 2025.
5	Updating the Core indicator report on radioactive substances for periodic assessments	Lead: HELCOM Secretariat Responsible: Core indicator lead Contributing: Members of EG MoRS	Assuring that Core indicator meets the needs for HOLAS4 assessment (HOLAS RevDev process)	No output during 2024-2025
6	Regular updates of the HELCOM Baltic Sea Environment Fact Sheets	Lead: HELCOM Secretariat Responsible: Lead author Contributing: Members of EG MoRS		No output during 2024-2025
7	To maintain expertise for the Contracting Parties on routine and emergency monitoring and assessment of radioactivity in the Baltic Sea.	Lead: Chair of EG MoRS Contributing: Members of EG MoRS		