

Seychelles Marine Spatial Planning Overview



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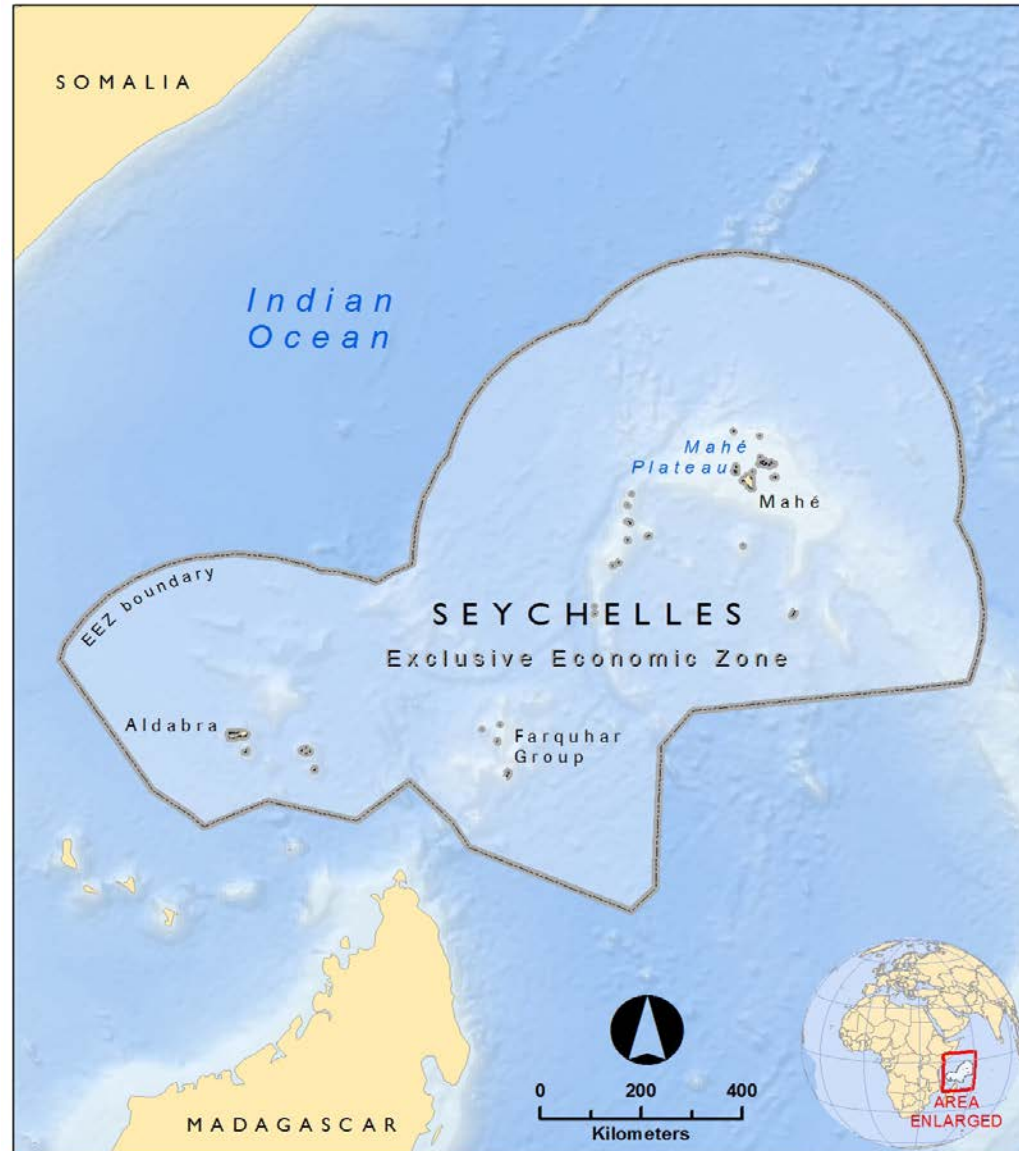
Overall Goal/Purpose



Provide a basis for developing and implementing an integrated multi-use marine zoning and climate change adaptation plan to:

- (1) optimise the sustainable use and effective management of the Seychelles marine environment while
- (2) ensuring and improving the social, cultural and economic wellbeing of its people.

Planning Scope



Africa Conservation Region

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SEYCHELLES TERRITORIAL SEA

Guiding Principles

- Adaptive
- Integrated
- Ecosystem-based
- Public Trust
- Participatory
- Precautionary
- Transparent
- Knowledge-based



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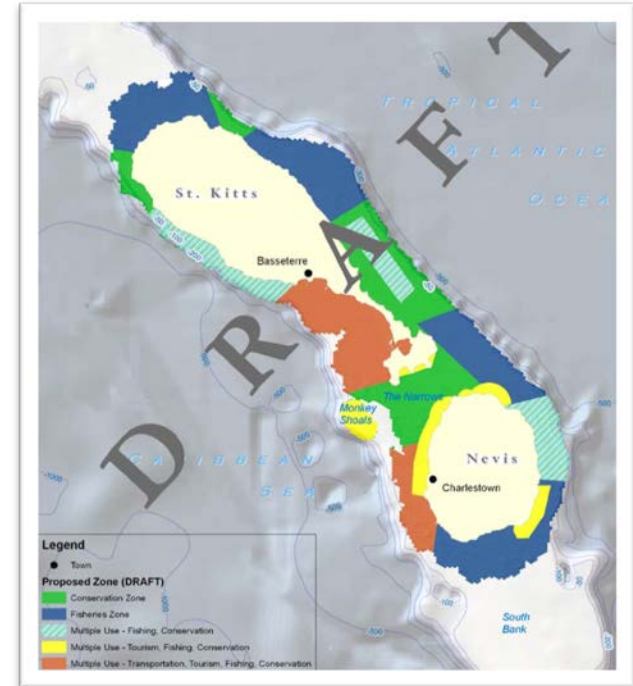
Thematic sectors/uses

- Biodiversity conservation
- Marine transportation
- Petroleum (and mining and aggregate) extraction
- Fisheries
- Tourism
- Cultural heritage
- Renewable energy

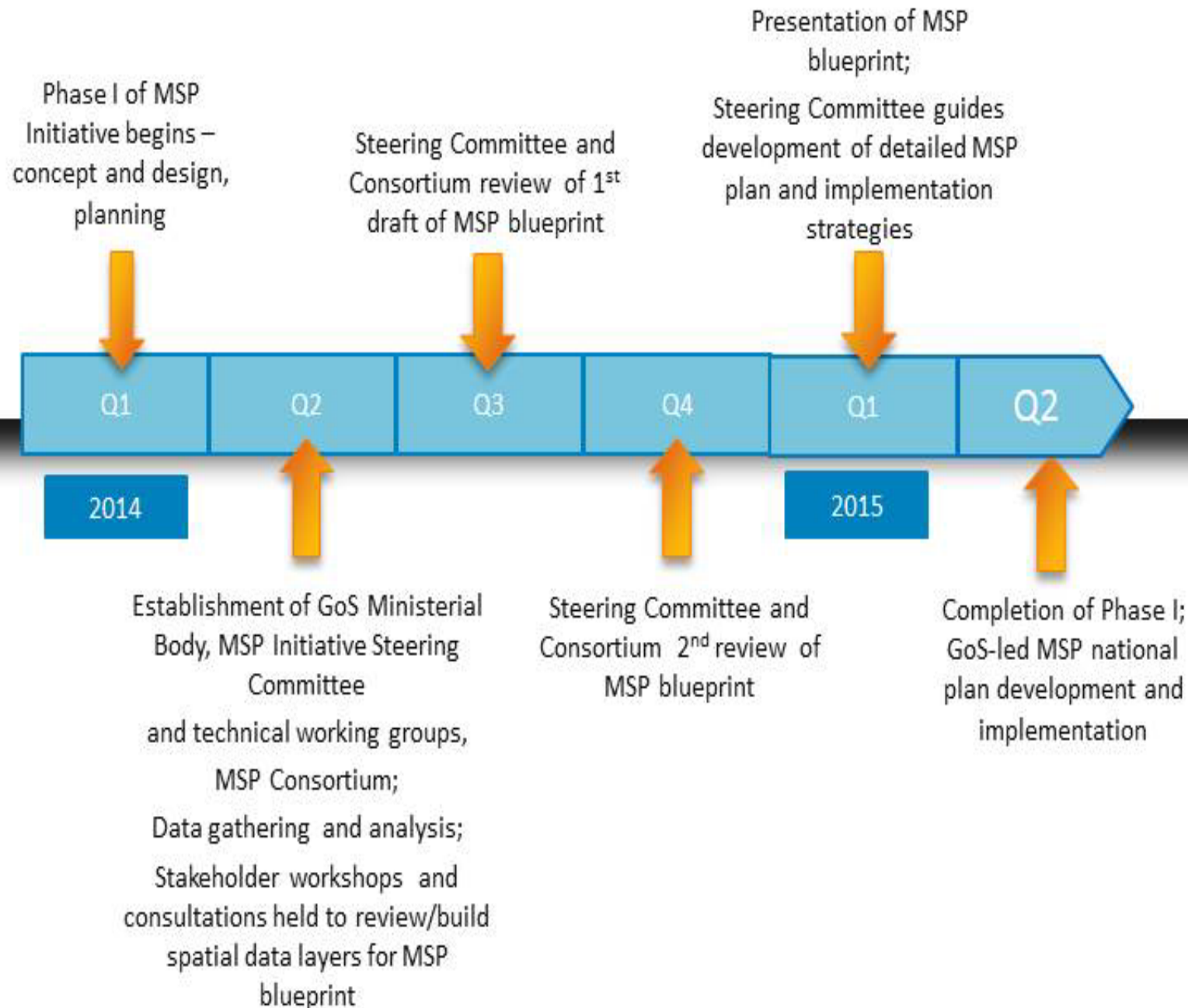


Outputs

- The blueprint : draft multi-use zoning design scenarios (maps) and associated management strategies
- Customized Decision Support Tools (DSTs)
- User Manual/'How To' document(s) to demonstrate the utility of spatial interactive tools developed
- Final report



Timeline





Vision for Planning & Implementation



Scope of Work and Guidelines

Purpose of document

- Describes the Seychelles MSP Initiative
- Defines the process and guidelines which the government, partners and stakeholders agree to follow in participating
- Outlines the purpose, guiding principles, structure, procedures, roles and responsibilities

