



Master List of Uses and Activities

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Master List

- Comprehensive list for planning
- Spatial and non-spatial products
- Existing and future uses
- Draft list generated from workshops, Technical Working Group, Steering Committee
- Review by Technical Working Group (July)
- Review by Steering Committee (August)



Master List



Category	Use or Activity	Description - DRAFT
Aquaculture	Nearshore: marine plants, shellfish, other invertebrates	Marine-based aquaculture. Activities currently are located outside Mahe on Coetivy and Praslin Islands. The Prawn Farm on Coetivy is 300 km from Mahe and raises giant black prawns in the ocean, exporting more than 835 tonnes of frozen prawns. The Pearl Oyster Farm on Praslin is in the National Park, between Praslin and Curieuse. It collects juvenile oysters from the wild to produce adult oysters. The Giant Clam Farm is under the same management as the Pearl Oyster Farm and raises clams on land near the Praslin airport. (source: Seychelles.org)
	Nearshore: finfish	Marine-based aquaculture for finfish. No present activities in the Seychelles.
	Offshore: finfish	{need a definition} will it realistically occur in the future?
Biodiversity and Replenishment	Marine Protected Area (MPA)	A clearly defined geographic space that is recognised, dedicated and managed through legal or other effective means to achieve the long-term conservation of nature (source: IUCN)
	Replenishment Area	Replenishment areas for rebuilding tuna populations and other species.
Biotechnology	Biomedical technology	{need a definition}
Climate Change	Carbon sinks	Natural systems that absorb or take up carbon and store it. Plants are natural carbon sinks, taking up carbon dioxide during photosynthesis. The process where natural sinks remove carbon dioxide from the atmosphere is called carbon sequestration. Carbon sequestration can also refer to a mitigation technique to store carbon dioxide and/or other forms of carbon to defer or avoid climate changes (e.g., iron fertilisation and ocean storage).
Culture	Cultural heritage	{need a definition}; if different than Seychelles culture
	Seychelles culture	{need a definition}; as it relates to marine activities and uses
Education	Education	{need a definition}; as it relates to marine activities and uses
Energy	Renewable Energy	Energy generation from wave, wind, tidal and/or other renewable marine sources. Includes facilities and infrastructure such as generation structures fixed or anchored to the seabed or foreshore, accommodation, and industrial facilities such as maintenance buildings. Does not include transmission or distribution lines on land or in the sea, which are included under the



Master List

- 7 marine themes in the MSP Initiative
 - 15 “Categories”
 - 46 “Uses and activities”
- Two biggest Categories:
 - Fishing* – 16 uses
 - Infrastructure – 9 uses

* Fisheries definitions under review by SFA



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For Break-out Groups

Review definitions for your sector:

- What is missing for the description?
- What needs to be changed?
- Where does this activity occur?
- What is the intensity of this use?
- Is this use seasonal or year-round?
- What other uses might happen in the future?
- Can you provide definition where missing?



Questions?



Thank you!

