



# Integrated Management of the Marine and Coastal Resources of the Northern Mozambique Channel (NOCAMO) Project

## **1<sup>st</sup> Project Steering Committee Meeting, Project Result Framework**

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# NOCAMO Project Participating Countries



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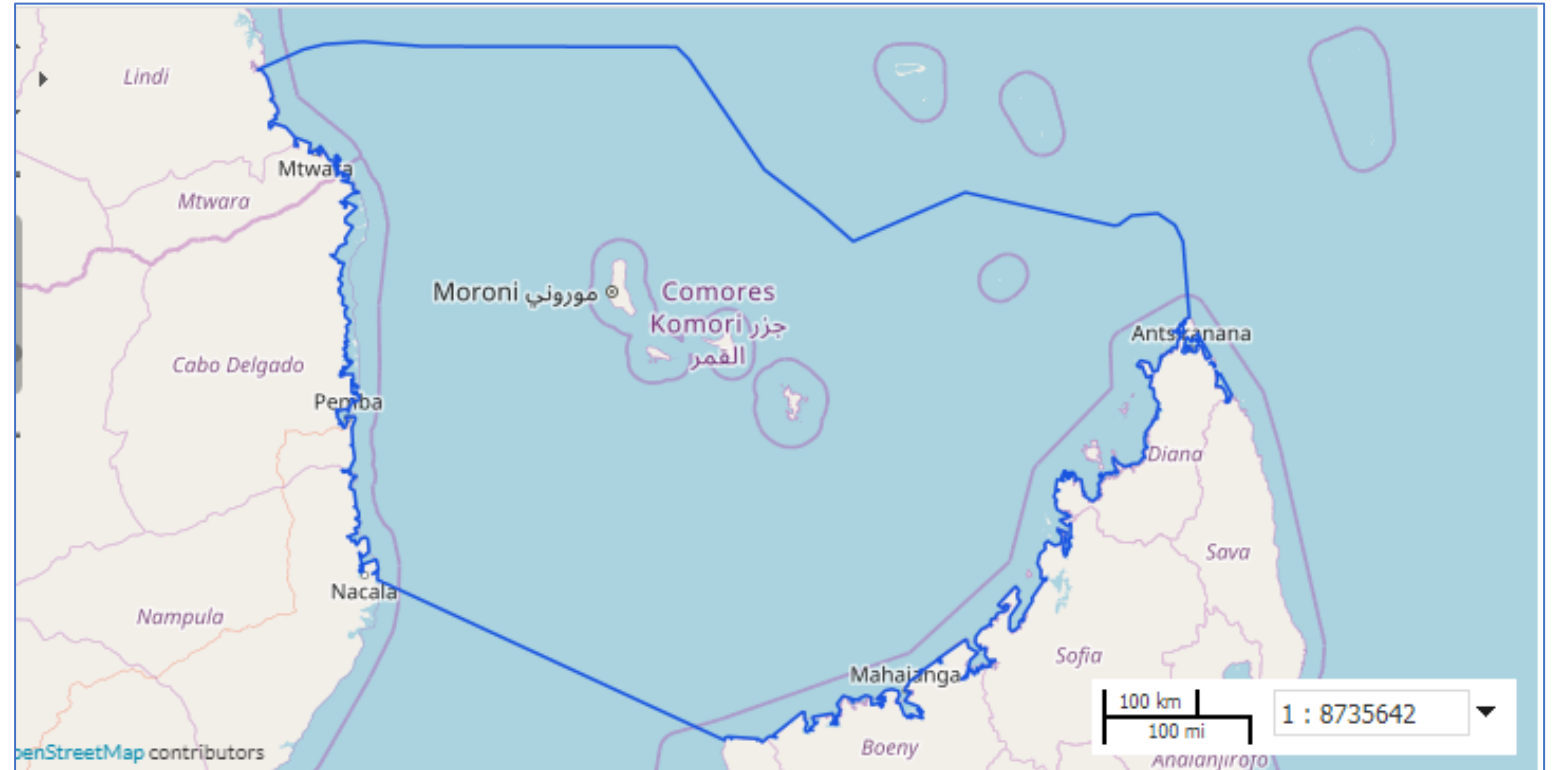
Tanzania



Madagascar



Mozambique



# NOCAMO Key Components and Outcomes

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<p><b>COMPONENT 1:</b> By 2026, the institutional and knowledge foundations are laid for a multi-stakeholder based Marine Spatial Planning (MSP) process for the NMC</p>	<p><b>Outcome 1.1</b> The institutional bases are laid, the countries are engaged in the MSP process and share the same vision for the region's future</p>
	<p><b>Outcome 1.2</b> Knowledge elements and decision support tools are available for well-informed decisions</p>
	<p><b>Outcome 1.3</b> A regional framework for MSP in the NMC region has been developed and validated through a multi-stakeholder process</p>
<p><b>COMPONENT 2:</b> By 2026, effective planning is promoted and best practices in the oil and gas sector are adopted by Governments and private sector champions, leading to mitigation of impacts of the sector to the biodiversity and ecosystem services in the NMC</p>	<p><b>Outcome 2.1</b> Policy and application of law are strengthened to implement regulation of the oil and gas sector in countries in the NMC region</p>
	<p><b>Outcome 2.2</b> Tailored guidance of best practices leading to the protection of priority biodiversity and ecosystem services of the NMC area, are proposed for the development and evaluation of environmental case law for oil and gas exploration and exploitation</p>

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<b>Component 2</b>	<b>Outcome 2.3</b> Governments, regional bodies and CSOs/NGOs have increased capacity to implement best practice policy and guidelines for developments of the oil and gas sector in the NMC region
<b>Component 3:</b> By 2026, community livelihoods and well-being are incrementally secured through the sharing and replication of best practices in community-based marine resource management.	<b>Outcome 3.1</b> The elements for a community-based learning network in natural marine resource management and community welfare are put in place
	<b>Outcome 3.2</b> The learning networks are active and allow scaling of effective practices at the levels of Community Based Natural Resource Management (CBNRM)

# NOCAMO Result framework

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<p><b>Component 1:</b> By 2026, the institutional and knowledge foundations are laid for a multi-stakeholder based Marine Spatial Planning (MSP) process for the NMC</p>	<p><b>Outcome 1.1</b> The institutional bases are laid, the countries are engaged in the MSP process and share the same vision for the region's future</p> <p><b>Outcome 1.2</b> Knowledge elements and other decision support tools are available for informed decision-making</p> <p><b>Outcome 1.3</b> A regional MSP framework for the NMC has been developed and validated through a multi-stakeholder process</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• A common vision for the future of the NMC is officially shared by the countries</li> <li>• Regional and national institutional mechanisms and networks for MSP operational and capacitated</li> <li>• Thematic cartographic atlases available online.</li> <li>• Scenarios for future SDG 14 / blue economy implementation are understood and in use in national and regional planning processes.</li> <li>• A common vision for the future of the NMC region agreed in the form of a regional MSP roadmap, with national-level implementation.</li> </ul>

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Expected results	Activities	Outcome Indicators	Means of Verification
<p><b>1.1</b> The institutional bases are laid, the countries are engaged in the MSP process and share the same vision for the region's future</p>	<p><b>Activity 1.1.1.</b> Organize national and regional consultations to build a common vision towards SDG implementation (SDG 14 in particular) in the region, ensuring countries commitment for a regionally coordinated and nationally aligned MSP process.</p> <p><b>Activity 1.1.2.</b> Building on the existing national ICZM platforms, establish and support a regional MSP working group, as well as multiple stakeholder groups at sub-national and national levels, to interact with the government on national discussions on MSP.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Regional vision for MSP and SDG 14 established between governments and partners</li> <li>• Government and partner commitment to MSP process</li>   <li>• MSP Working Group formed and functional</li> <li>• Framework of national and regional MSP partnerships</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Vision document officially validated</li> <li>• Number of senior government representatives present in each workshop</li>   <li>• Annual report of technical working group meetings</li> <li>• Official declaration documents for the establishment and functioning of national platforms</li> <li>• Proceedings and other productions of national and regional workshops (with list of participants, including CSO members)</li> <li>• Annual road sheets</li> </ul>

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<p><b>1.1</b> The institutional bases are laid, the countries are engaged in the MSP process and share the same vision for the region's future</p>	<p><b>Activity 1.1.3.</b> Establish links with relevant regional bodies, including Regional Economic Commissions (IOC, SADC, EAC, COMESA, RFMOs).</p> <p><b>Activity 1.1.4.</b> Facilitate experience exchanges with relevant regional conventions (e.g. HELCOM) as well as other ongoing regional IOM processes (regional seas, EBSAs, Oceanscapes, etc.).</p> <p><b>Activity 1.1.5.</b> Support additional capacity in the NCS for a regional coordinating role in support of project implementation and guiding the MSP process.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Links with relevant regional bodies established – possible MOUs</li>   <li>• Experience exchange missions and meetings undertaken</li>   <li>• Coordinator based at NCS</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Minutes of meeting</li> <li>• MOUs established</li>   <li>• Report on exchange missions and meetings</li> <li>• Documents prepared to share these exchanges with the actors of the region</li>   <li>• Annual activity reports</li> </ul>

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<p><b>1.2.</b> Knowledge elements and decision support tools are available for informed decision-making</p>	<p><b>Activity 1.2.1.</b> Establish a dedicated interactive / online atlas that harmonizes, collects and shares data across natural, social, economic, and governance capitals</p> <p><b>Activity 1.2.2</b> Map and value coastal and marine goods and services in the NMC region. Connect them with the national Natural Capital accounts</p> <p><b>Activity 1.2.3</b> Develop a set of scenarios for the NMC with respect to future developments in key economic sectors, demographics and climate change patterns.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online database</li> <li>• Interactive atlas</li> <li>• Thematic mapping (natural, social, economic capitals) and cross-mapping for decision making</li> <li>• Assessment of current health and economic value of NMC ecosystem</li> <li>• Mapping of values</li> <li>• Future scenarios developed and validated</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Online database operational</li> <li>• Thematic mapping online</li> <li>• Study reports</li> <li>• Mapping of values online</li> <li>• Report of the corresponding workshop</li> <li>• Scenario presentation documents</li> <li>• Report of the corresponding workshop</li> </ul>



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<p><b>1.2</b> Knowledge elements and decision support tools are available for informed decision-making</p>	<p><b>Activity 1.2.4</b> Assess the specific implications for each scenario in terms of blue economy potential and the SDG 14 targets</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Value of each scenario evaluated by sector and globally</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evaluation report</li> <li>• Report of the corresponding workshop</li> </ul>
<p><b>1.3</b> A regional framework for MSP in the NMC region has been developed and validated through a multi-stakeholder process</p>	<p><b>Activity 1.3.1</b> Assess the appropriateness of existing spatial and temporal management tools and institutional arrangements, their gaps and potential points of conflict.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Assessment of existing spatial and temporal management tools and institutional mechanisms undertaken</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Evaluation report</li> </ul>

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<p><b>1.3</b> A regional framework for MSP in the NMC region has been developed and validated through a multi-stakeholder process</p>	<p><b>Activity 1.3.2.</b> Based on the preferred scenario, develop an initial MSP roadmap for the region, providing recommendations for temporal and spatial management measures, incentive schemes and institutional arrangements, as a framework for national-level MSP/ICZM processes.</p> <p><b>Activity 1.3.3.</b> Facilitate national and regional level consultative processes to validate the regional MSP roadmap, with a focus on integration with national level (MSP/ICZM) decision processes.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Draft of regional MSP framework with chapter for each country</li> <li>• Regional roadmap</li>   <li>• MSP Regional Framework validated</li> <li>• MSP regional framework integrated into national MSP / ICZM processes</li> <li>• Political commitment for the road map</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Scoping document and roadmap</li>   <li>• A high-level official commitment is produced by each country</li> </ul>

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