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**MEDITERRANEAN ACTION PLAN (MAP)  
REGIONAL MARINE POLLUTION EMERGENCY RESPONSE CENTRE FOR THE  
MEDITERRANEAN SEA (REMPEC)**

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**Agenda Item 1: Adoption of the agenda**

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- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.16 Study Analysing the Impact of Biofouling on the Energy Efficiency of Ships and the GHG Abatement Potential of Biofouling Management Measures in the Mediterranean Sea region
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- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.18 Regional Workshop on the consistent implementation of IMO 2020 under Annex VI to the International Convention for the Prevention of Pollution from Ships (MARPOL) and the 0.10% sulphur limit in the Mediterranean Sea Emission Control Area for sulphur oxide and particulate matter (Med SO<sub>x</sub> ECA) (Lija, Malta, 22-23 May 2024)
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.19 Leaflet on the Effective Implementation of the Mediterranean Sea Emission Control Area for sulphur oxides and particulate matter (Med SO<sub>x</sub> ECA)
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.20 Report of the Second Coordination Meeting on the Mediterranean Strategy for the Prevention of, Preparedness, and Response to Marine Pollution from Ships (2022-2031) (Lija, Malta, 21 November 2024)
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.21 Activities related to the protection of the Marine Environment involving Mediterranean States, delivered through IMO's integrated Technical Cooperation Programme (ITCP) and long-term thematic projects in 2024 and 2025
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.22 European Maritime Transport Environmental Report 2025 (EMTER 2025)
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.23 Underwater radiated noise from ships: presentation of the outcome of the NAVISON Project
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.24 Marine Intervention in Chemical Emergencies Network (MAR-ICE service)
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.25 Relevant studies published by EMSA on the decarbonization of shipping
- REMPEC/WG.61/INF.26 MANIFESTS *Genius* (From Gases and Evaporators risk assessment towards an Integrated management of sea and land pollution incidents) training course

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