

Welcome to the CERES & ClimeFish Policy Session with EC & REA

Online conference Thursday 11th of June at 10.00 CEST

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Agenda:

- 10.00-10.05 Sign-in, switch off your camera and mute your microphone after you say hello
- 10.05-10.20 Welcome and goals for the meeting (Zampoukas, DG RTD)
- 10.20-10.40 Marine aquaculture (Aschan, Papandroulakis, Peck)
- 10.40-11.00 Freshwater (Peck, Aschan)
- 11.00-11.10 Stretch your legs and fetch a coffee
- 11.10-11.30 Marine fisheries (Aschan, Peck)
- 11:30-11:40 General conclusions and advice (Peck, Aschan)
- 11.40-11.50 Arctic impact on weather and climate, Blue-Action, (Payne, DTU)
- 11.50-12.00 Closing remarks (Zampoukas, DG RTD)

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Climate change and European
aquatic RESources

March 2016
26 partners
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Prof. Myron A. Peck
University of Hamburg

Co-creating a decision support framework
to ensure sustainable fish production in
Europe under climate change

April 2016
21 partners
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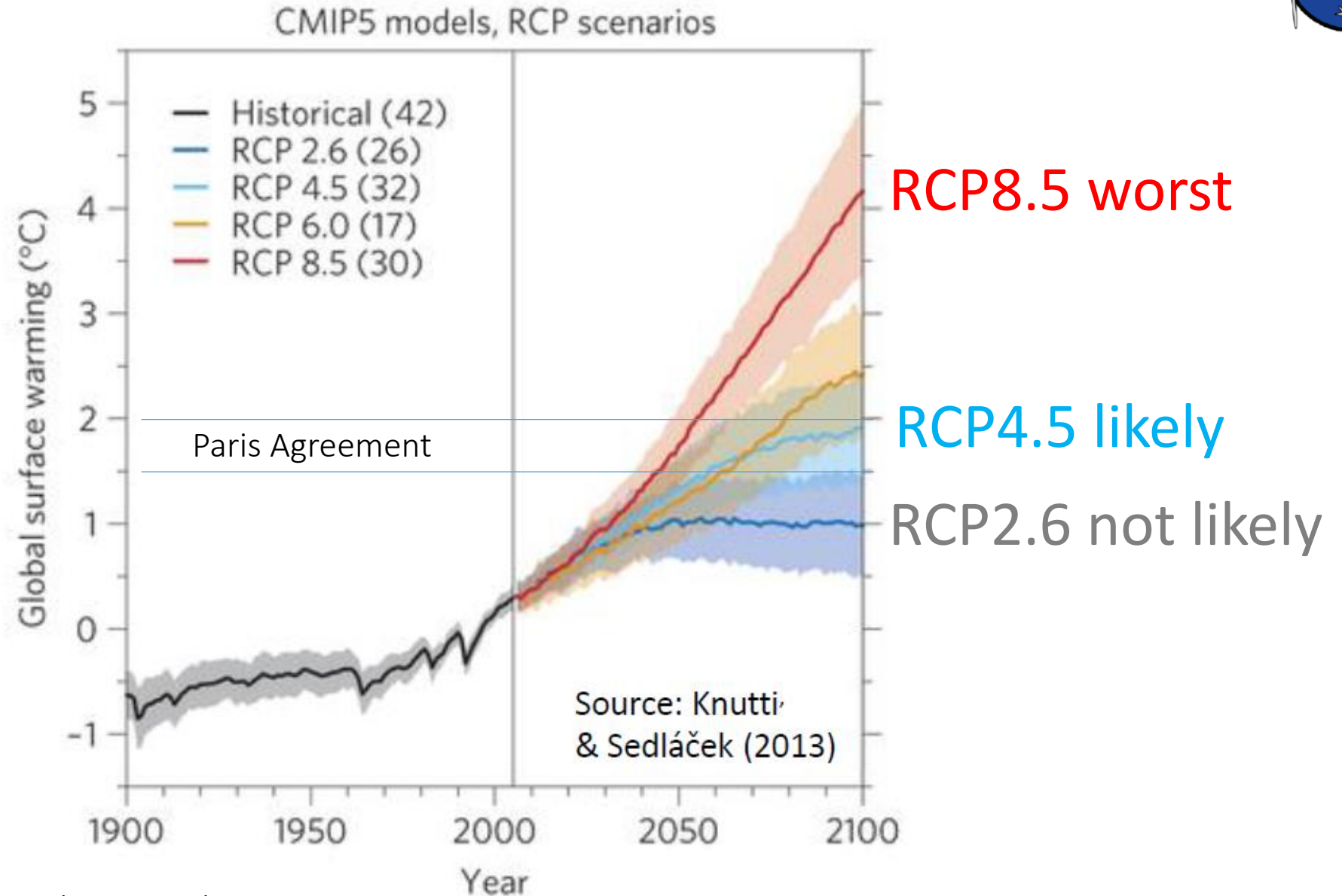


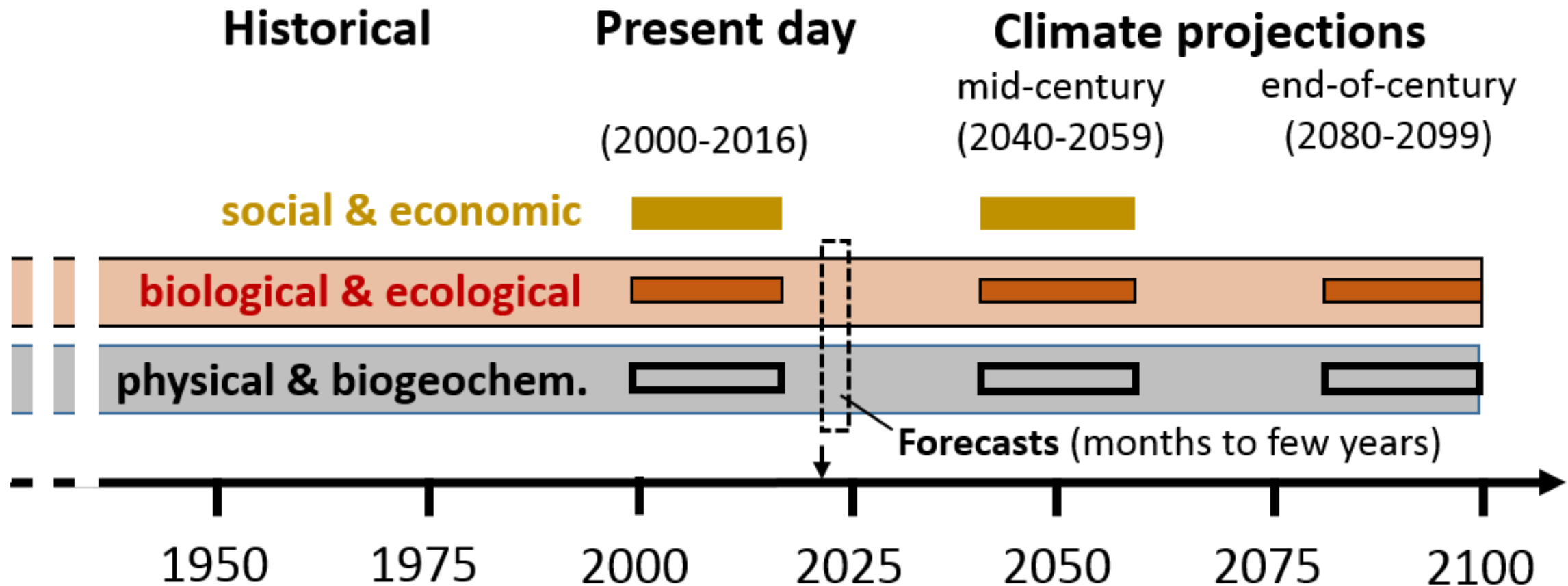
Prof. Michaela Aschan
UiT The Arctic University of Norway

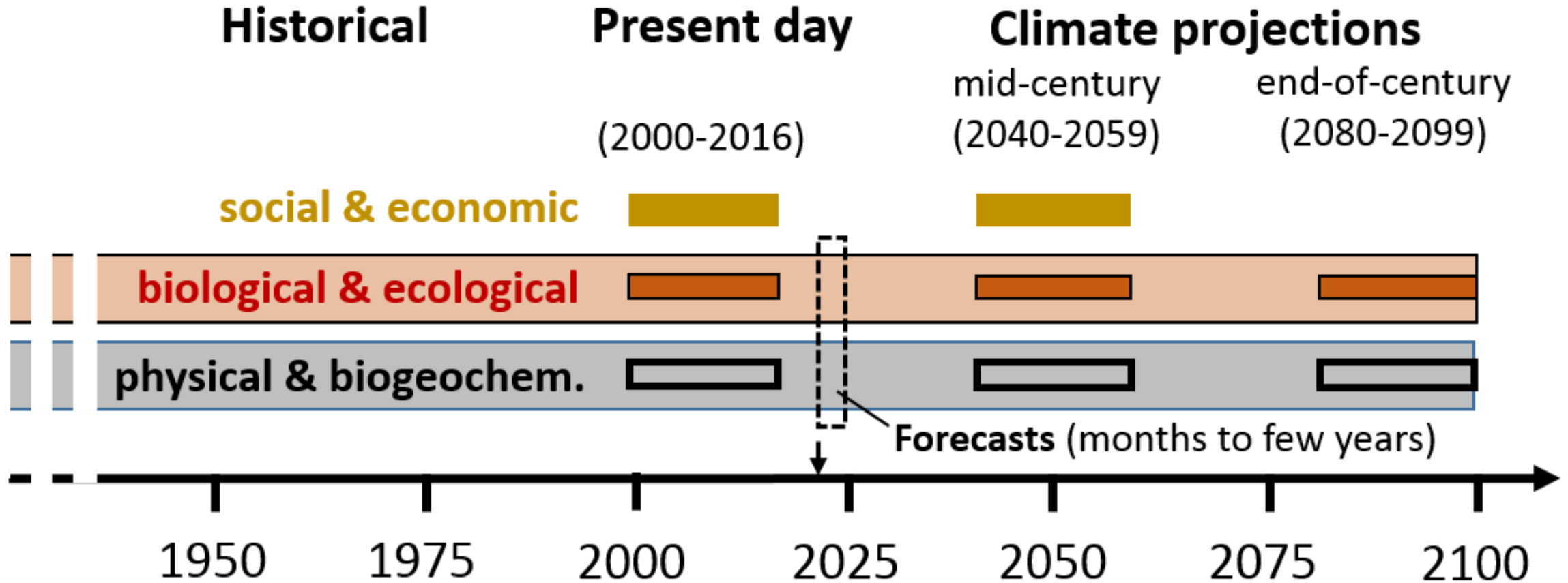
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Two IPCC Scenarios (RCP4.5 and RCP8.5)







CERES Storylines [\(ceresproject.eu\)](http://ceresproject.eu)



#1 Rainbow trout in north-east Europe



#2 Rainbow trout in the eastern Mediterranean



#3 Carp in north-east Europe



#4 Pike-perch in south-east Europe



#5 Mussels in the North Sea



#6 Oysters in the North Sea



#7 Mussels in the Atlantic coast



#8 Oysters and clams in the Atlantic coast



#9 Mussels in the Mediterranean



#10 Salmon in the north-east Atlantic



#11 Meagre at the Atlantic coast



#12 Seabass and seabream in West Med and European south Atlantic



#13 Seabass and seabream in the eastern Mediterranean



#14 Herring, capelin, and cod in the Barents and Norwegian Seas



#15 Herring, sprat and cod in the Baltic Sea



#16 Herring in the North Sea



#17 Gadoids in the North Sea



#18 Mackerel in the north-east Atlantic



#19 Flatfish in the North Sea and north-east Atlantic



#20 Dolphinfish in the north-west Mediterranean



#21 Sardines and anchovies in the Bay of Biscay



#22 Sardines and anchovies in the north-west Mediterranean



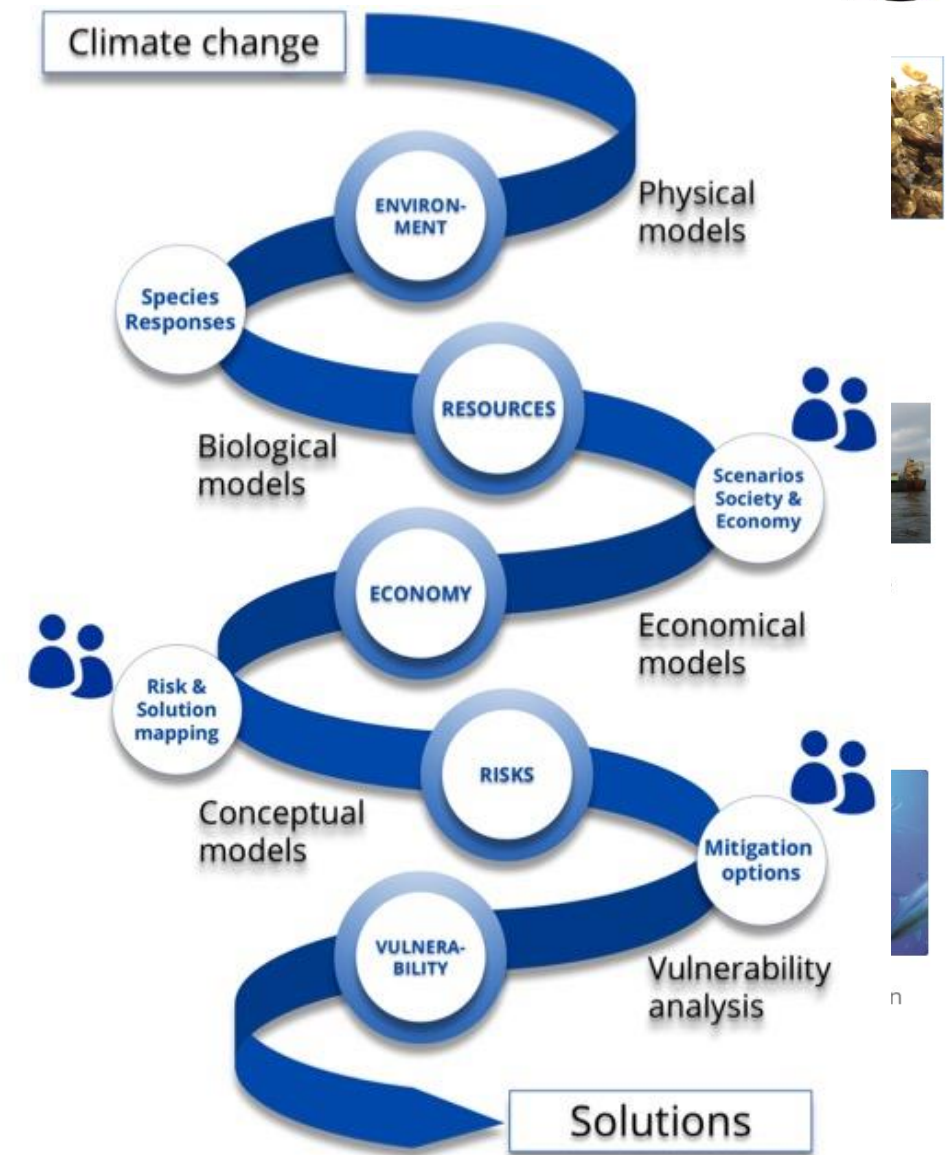
#23 Hake in the Aegean Sea and eastern Mediterranean



#24 Bluefin Tuna in the north-west Mediterranean

Physics / biogeochemistry \longleftrightarrow **Ecology** \longleftrightarrow **Economics** \longleftrightarrow **Sociology**

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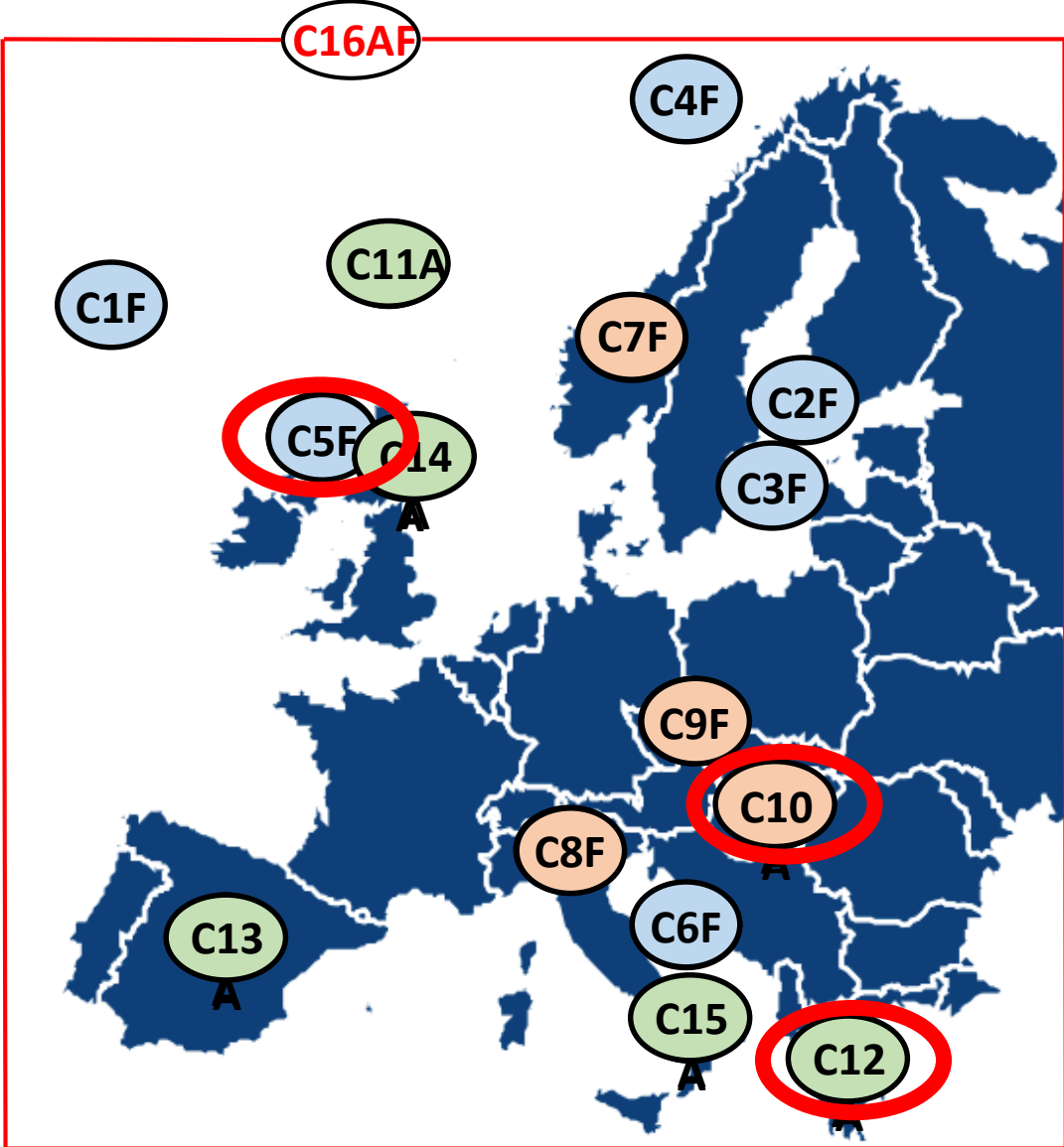


ClimeFish Case Studies in 3 sectors

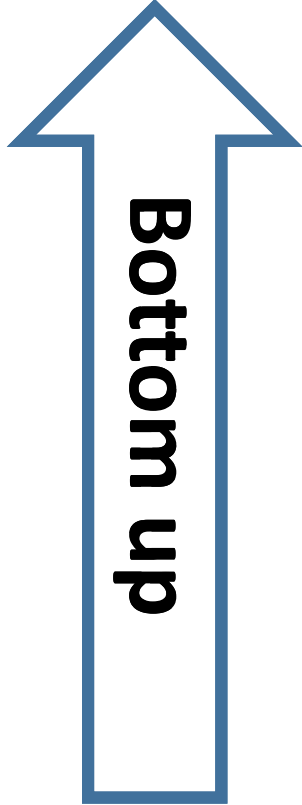
Fisheries

Aquaculture

Lakes and ponds



European level



Case study level



Seafood Sectors and ClimeFish Case Studies

Fisheries

Northeast Atlantic
Pelagic Fisheries

West of Scotland:
Demersal fisheries

Lakes and Ponds

Hungarian Pond
Production

Lake Garda Fisheries

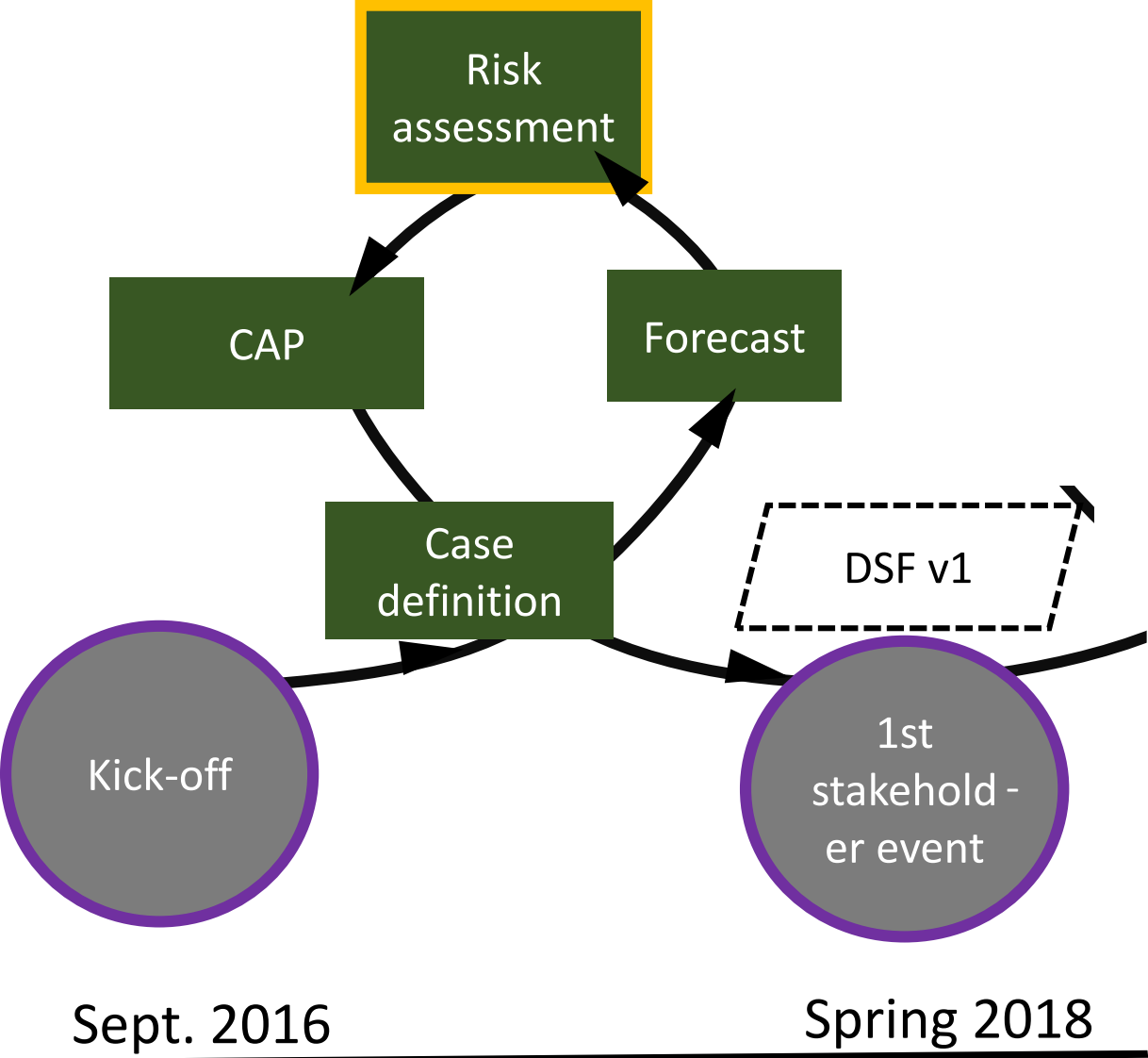
Aquaculture

Northeast Atlantic:
Marine Aquaculture

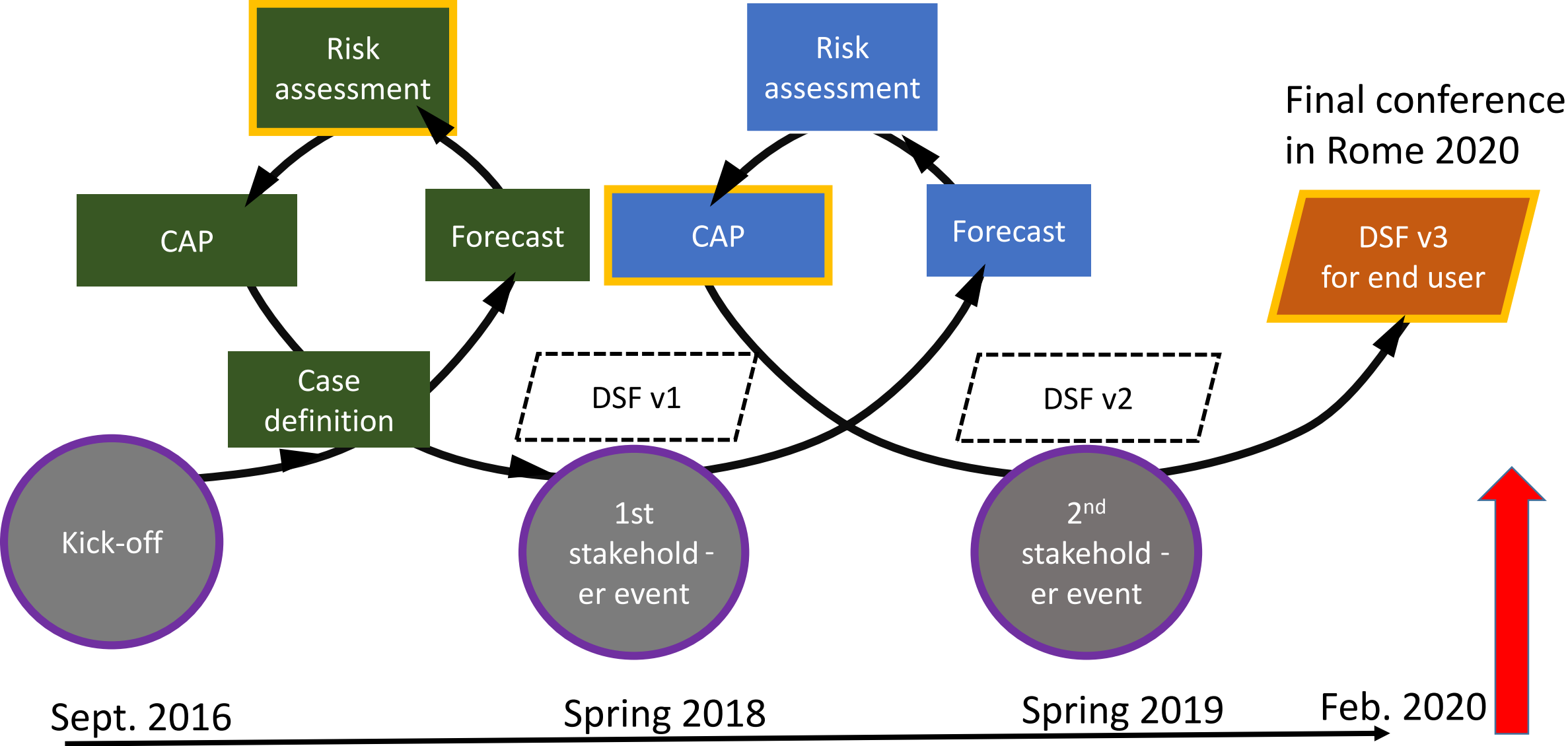
Greece: Marine
Aquaculture

Shellfish production in
Galicia

ClimeFish Decision Support Framework developed with stakeholders

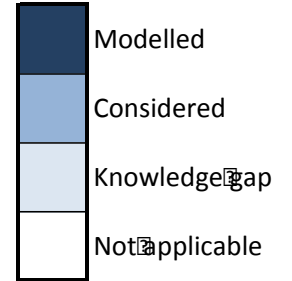


ClimeFish Decision Support Framework developed with stakeholders



What was included in ClimeFish models?

		C1F	C2F	C3F	C5F	C6F	C7F	C8F	C9F	C10A	C11A	C12A	C13A	C14A	C15A		
stressors/drivers	climate-related	Sea level rise									Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled		
		wind (including storms)	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Considered	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	
		temperature	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	
		heat waves						Knowledge gap	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Considered	Considered	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
		salinity	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap					Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
		dissolved oxygen	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Considered	Knowledge gap	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Considered	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
		nutrients (eutrophication)	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Modelled		Considered	Considered	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
		pH	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap					Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
		food availability	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Considered	Considered	Modelled	Modelled				Modelled	Modelled	Modelled
		invasions/HABs	Knowledge gap	Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Considered	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
		diseases/treatment										Considered	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	
managerial	fishing mortality	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled								
	feeding									Modelled	Modelled	Modelled					
	seeding/stocking time									Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Modelled		
	seeding/stocking den. / size							Modelled		Modelled	Modelled	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap	Knowledge gap		



Aquaculture

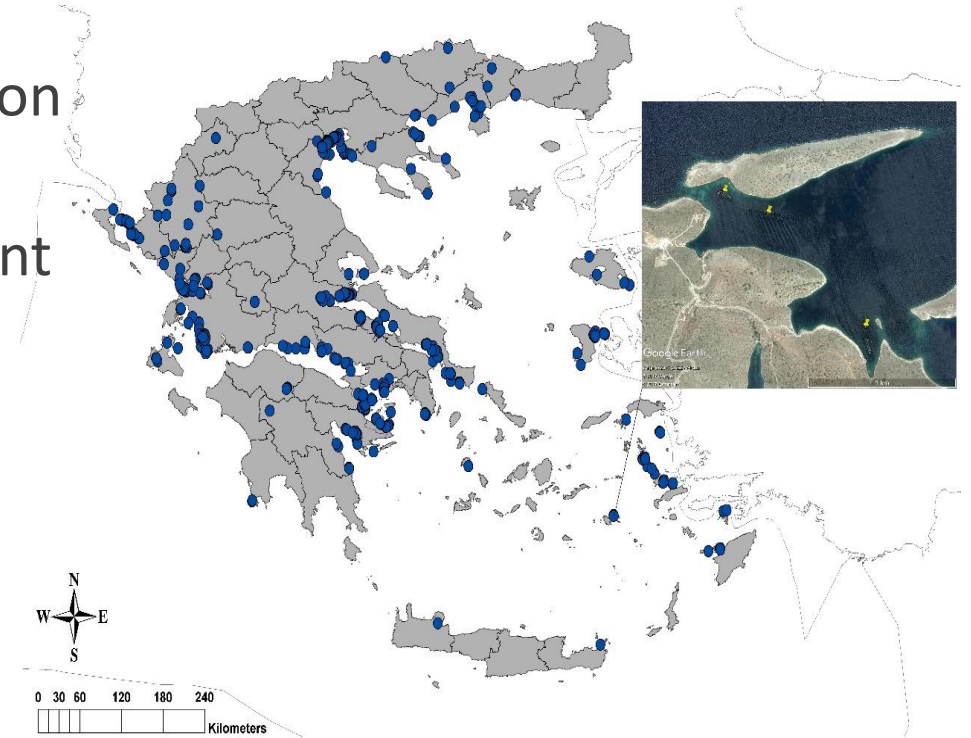


Greek marine aquaculture is a growing sector

- Stands for more than 63% of national fish production
- 63 companies run 318 finfish farms
- European sea bass and gilthead seabream important

ClimeFish studied CC effects

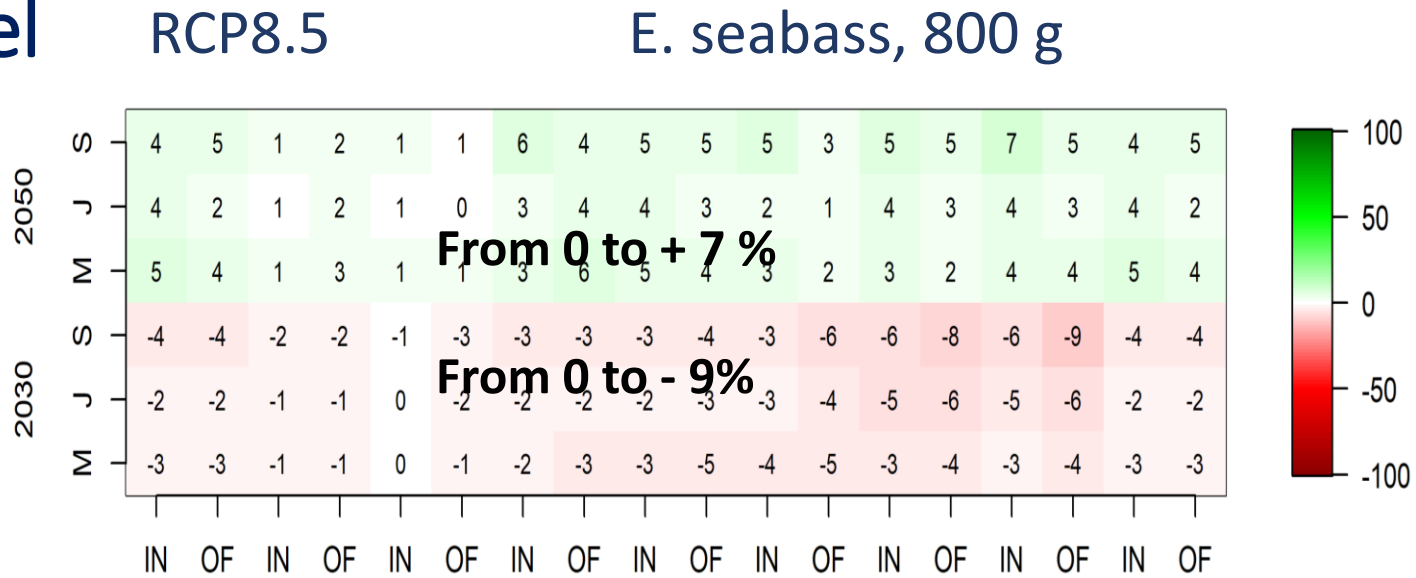
- European sea bass and meagre (emerging)



Effects at the individual level

Change in days to reach harvest size

- 2030: no – negative effect
- 2050: positive effect

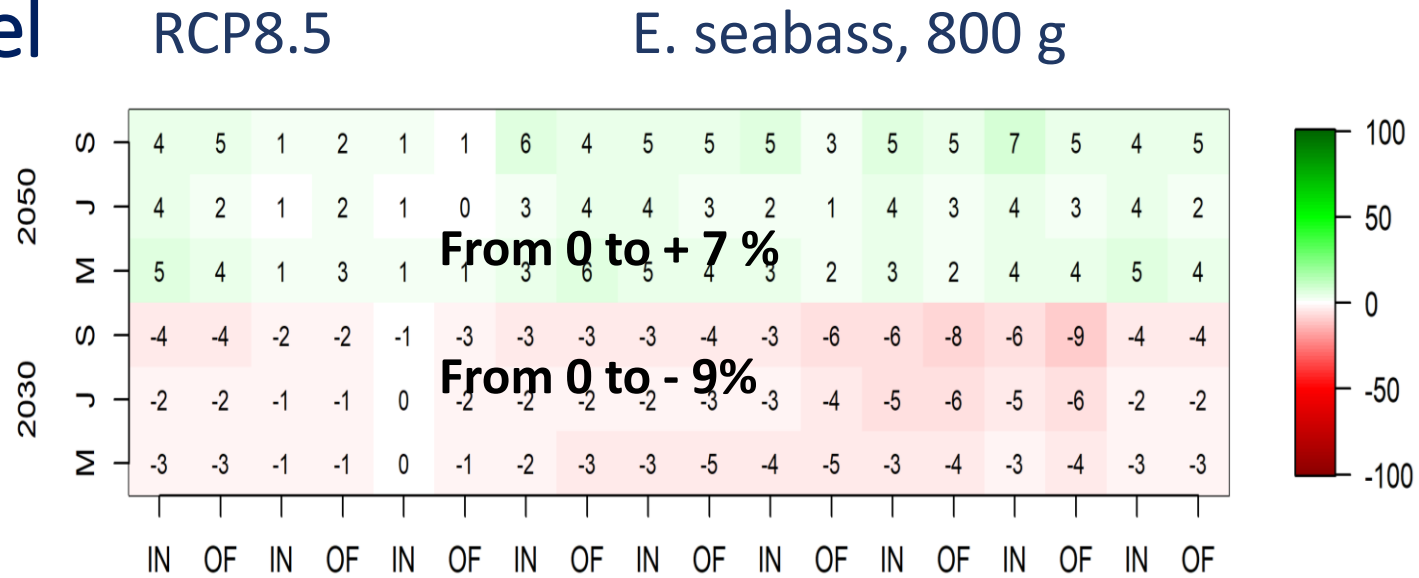


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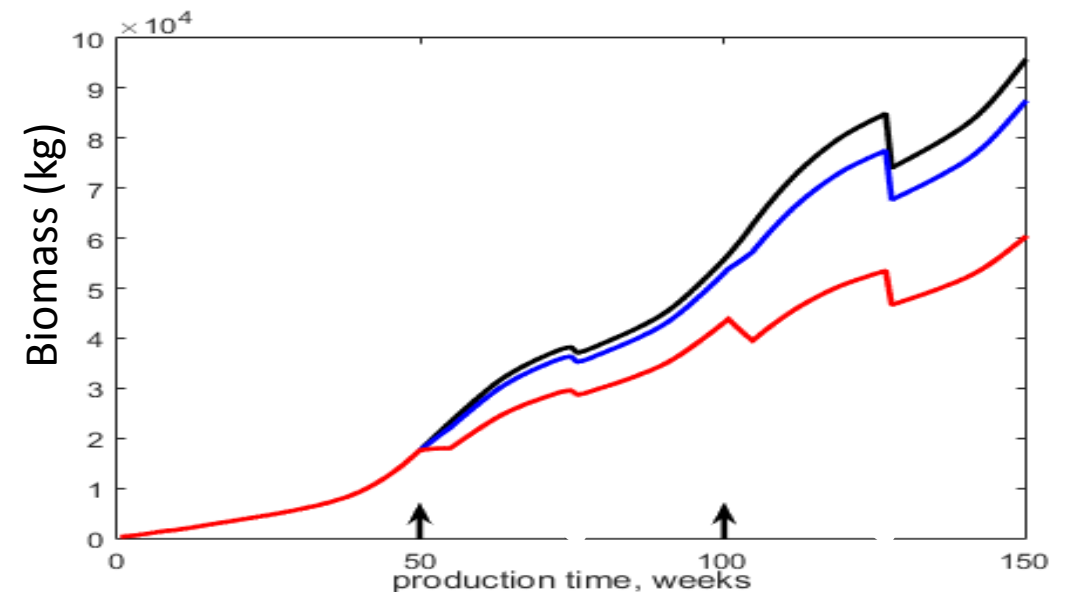


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Effect at the farm level

Extreme events

- higher mortality rates
- negative effect on biomass production



Shared Impacts of CC across Aquaculture CS

Hungarian Ponds, North Atlantic Salmon, Mediterranean Seabass, Iberian Upwelling Shelfish

Growth/size variability and mortality

Growth rates and yields

Increased size variability

Changes to growing season

Increased mortality

Escapees, predation and HABs

Increased Escapees / Detachment

Increased predation

HABs and jellyfish blooms

Occurrence of pathogens

Suboptimal conditions

Increased fouling

Anoxic conditions

Accessibility and human safety issues

Infrastructure deterioration

Suitability of sites

Change site productivity

Conflicts of space and farm allocation

Harvesting closures

Changes in productivity

Changes in production capacity

Changes in feed conversion rates

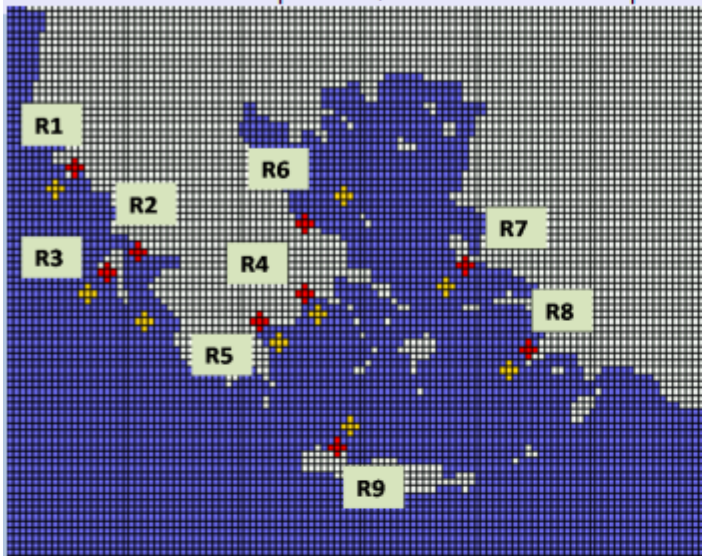
Increased production costs



A Decision Support Software

risk assessment compare RCP / inshore -offshore optimize seeding

Background



select simulation
 climate scenario species

define farm
 select farm location inshore offshore

year seeding starts natural mortality in % (1-100)

mortality from heatwaves in % (1-100) mortality from storms in % (1-100)

Please select seeding scheme

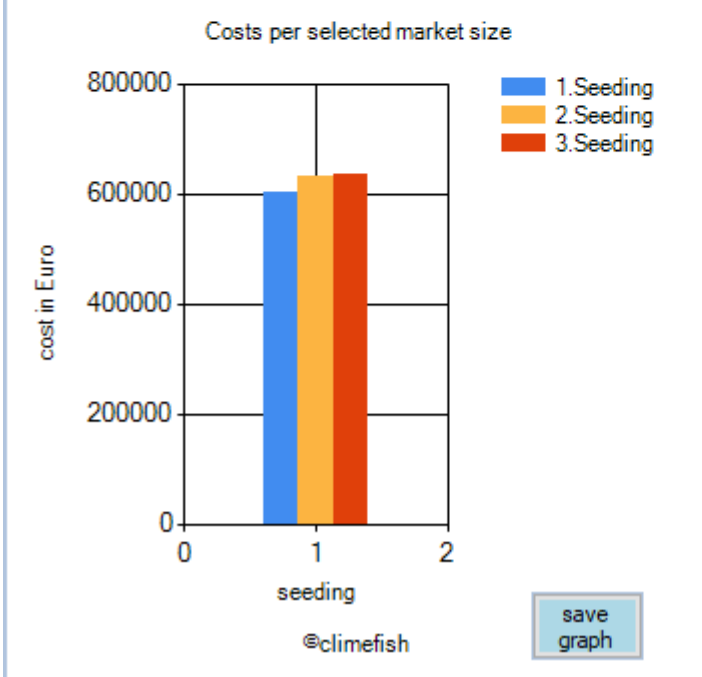
seeding scheme

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3. seeding month	<input type="text" value="September"/>	stocking population	<input type="text" value="250000"/>

bio. production results

please fill in desired market size in g

time to market size in weeks	1. seeding	2. seeding	3. seeding
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	<input type="button" value="show graph"/>		
feed required in kg	1. seeding	2. seeding	3. seeding
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total biomass in kg	1. seeding	2. seeding	3. seeding
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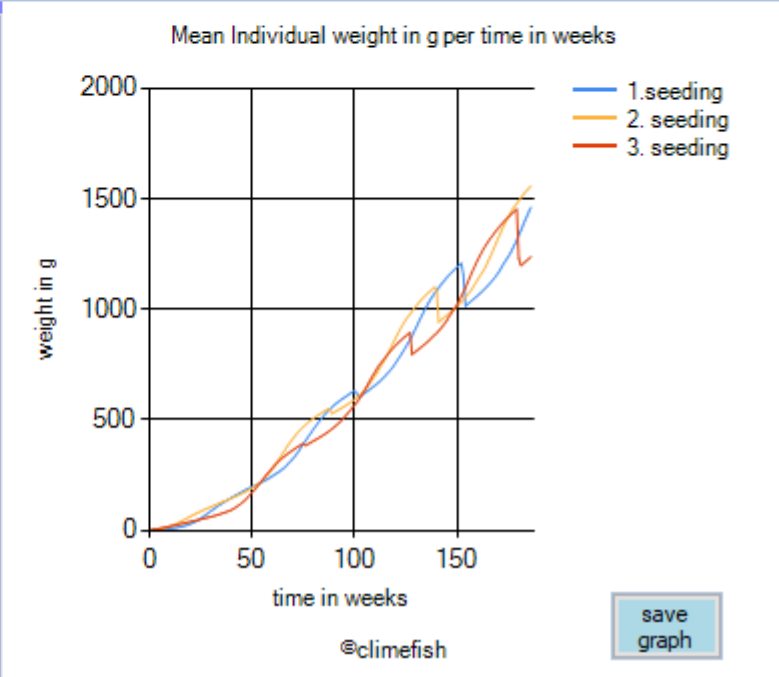
economic simulation

Please enter for the economic calculations the following prices / cost.

	medium value for standard farm	medium value for standard farm
Feed price	<input type="text" value="1.05"/> <input type="text" value="1.15"/>	Other costs (maintenance and other costs)
Species sales price /market price	<input type="text" value="6.0"/> <input type="text" value="6.44"/>	<input type="text" value="47.5"/> <input type="text" value="47.5"/>
Prices of juveniles	<input type="text" value="0.23"/> <input type="text" value="0.23"/>	Cost of depreciations (the equipment, buildings, storage,
Price of labour	<input type="text" value="37.41"/> <input type="text" value="37.41"/>	<input type="text" value="8.73"/> <input type="text" value="8.73"/>
		Interest rate in % (1-100)
		<input type="text" value="2"/> <input type="text" value="2"/>

calculate business economics based on user input

Total costs for selected market size	<input type="text" value="1,870,791.9"/>	<input type="button" value="show graph (costs/market size)"/>
Profit for selected market size	<input type="text" value="1,558,698.7"/>	<input type="button" value="show graph (profit/market size)"/>



Risk assessment Adaptation measures

Stakeholders have a say!

2 stakeholder meetings:
Athens, April 2018, June 2019



In total 24 adaptation measures/ actions identified on 4 levels

- Technical/ Industry
- Research and knowledge building
- Policy and Regulation
- Funding

Contribution to a sectoral Adaptation Plan
at Regional and EU level

Towards a national Climate Adaptation Plan

- Industry

- increase collaboration between farms in a wider organizational level (zones of development)

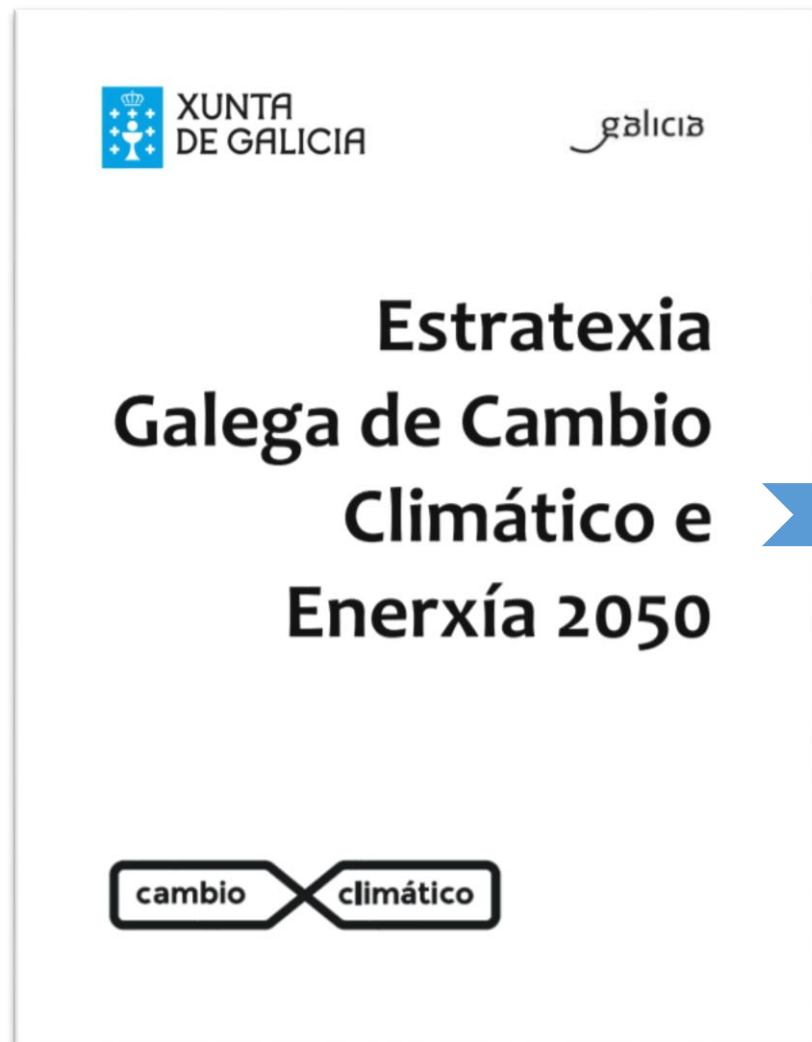
- Research community

- understand the biological mechanisms implicated in response to various climate change drivers

- Administration

- establish a flexible legal framework for the operation of the farms and designation of new sites
- support research and innovation

ClimeFish in the Galician Climate Change Strategy



6.2.3.2.-Vulnerabilidade e risco do sector pesqueiro en Galicia

En Galicia, a pesca considérase un sector característico da economía galega por ser fonte de ingresos, subministro de alimentos e actividade dinamizadora do mercado laboral. Segundo o Instituto Galego de Estatística (IGE), no ano 2015, o sector da pesca supuxo un **1,9% do PIB** de Galicia, empregou a 33.503 persoas e un VAB de 1.097.577€.

Segundo os últimos rexistros nas lonxas galegas a especie máis capturada en 2017 foi a xarda pintada, cun 27,5% do total de capturas, seguida da merluza (16,5%), o xurelo (14,4%) e o lirio (12,3%).

Actualmente, a importancia da repercusión do cambio climático sobre o comportamento e a distribución das especies mariñas de maior interese comercial está a ser analizada no marco do proxecto europeo **Climefish**. España e Portugal tamén traballan conxuntamente no proxecto MarRisk para analizar e monitorar a evolución do clima litoral, así como impulsar a resiliencia dos sectores económicos estratéxicos da costa galega, como é o caso da explotación do mexillón.



Implementation of advice on EU level:

ClimeFish provided recommendations for the new “Strategic guidelines for sustainable development of EU aquaculture” at Aquaculture Technical Seminar with the MS in Brussels 10th of October 2020.

- This event was organized by DG Mare
- Advice on how to include climate change adaptation into the Multi Annual Plans for Aquaculture in Member States and how the new knowledge can be utilized



Top-value species to European Aquaculture Examined

Salmon
Salmo salar



Trout
Oncorhynchus mykiss

Sea bass
Dicentrarchus labrax



Carp
Cyprinus carpio

Sea bream
Sparus aurata



Blue mussel
Mytilus edulis

Cupped oyster
Crassostrea gigas



Mediterranean mussel
Mytilus galloprovincialis



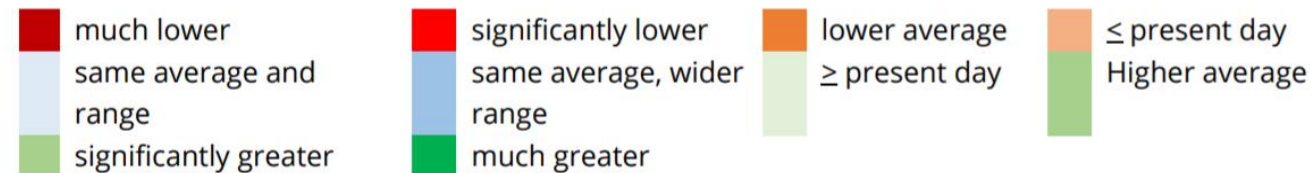
European clam
Ruditapes decussatus

Impacts of Climate Change on Growth Performance of Aquaculture Species

- **Physiological-based cultivation model** calibrated against specific farms (same model for all species / countries).
- Climate change **'winners' and 'losers'** depending on location and species.
- Some **shellfish farms do particularly poorly** due to warming and reduced primary production projected for 2100 (**much less change by 2050**).
- Only direct and no indirect effects included here.

Year 2100

Country	Species	Harvest weight		Total Prod	
		RCP4.5	RCP8.5	RCP4.5	RCP8.5
Ireland	Salmon	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average
Norway	Salmon	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average
Turkey	Sea bass	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average
Spain	Sea bream	much lower	significantly lower	much lower	significantly lower
Poland	Carp	Higher average	lower average	Higher average	significantly lower
Turkey	Rainbow trout	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average	Higher average
Denmark	Blue mussels	lower average	lower average	lower average	much lower
Netherlands	Blue mussels	much lower	significantly lower	lower average	lower average
Netherlands	Pacific oysters	lower average	lower average	much lower	lower average
Portugal	Med mussels	Higher average	significantly lower	Higher average	significantly lower

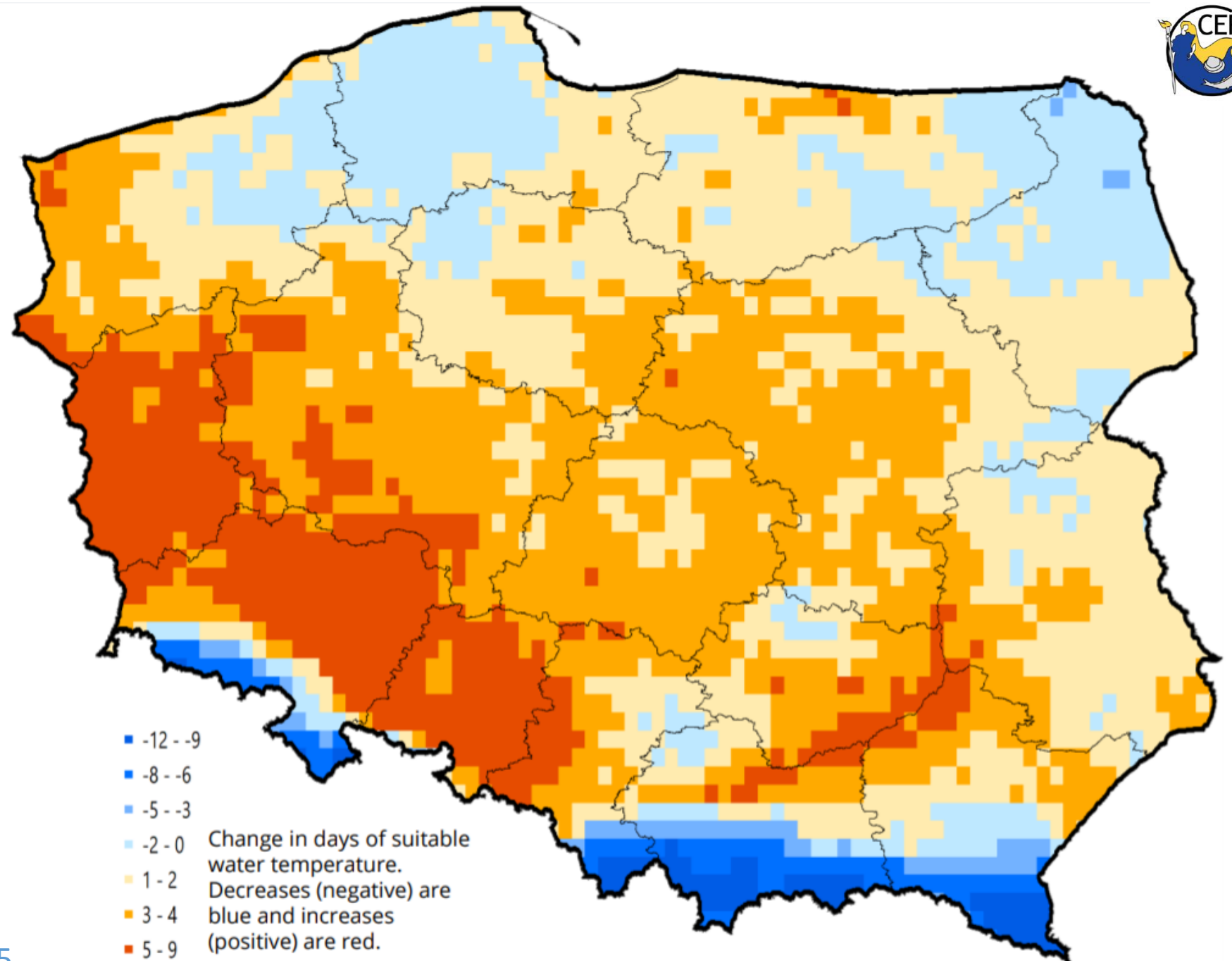


Indirect Effects of Climate Change

- Examples: Disease, HABs, Jellyfish.
- Focus on disease –global significance & major stakeholder concern.
- Tools developed to study impacts under present day and future climate scenarios.
- >20 diseases, across 6 host species and 10 countries investigated.
- Other EU and national programs creating short-term (1- to 2-wk) forecasts for HABs. More work needed on jellyfish.



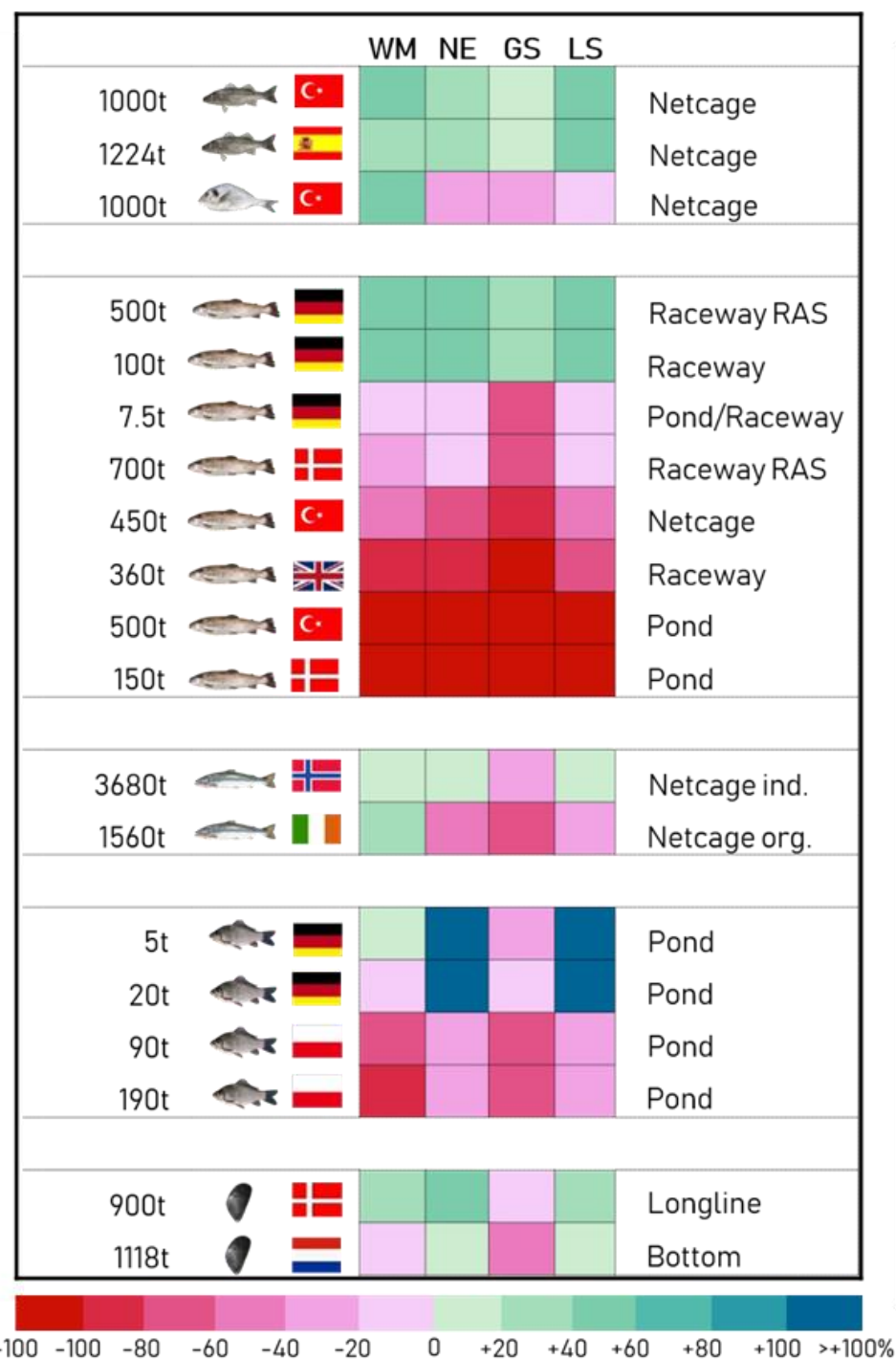
- Projection of change in suitable days for specific diseases
- Shown is example for Spring Viraemia of carp in Poland (RCP8.5, 2050)





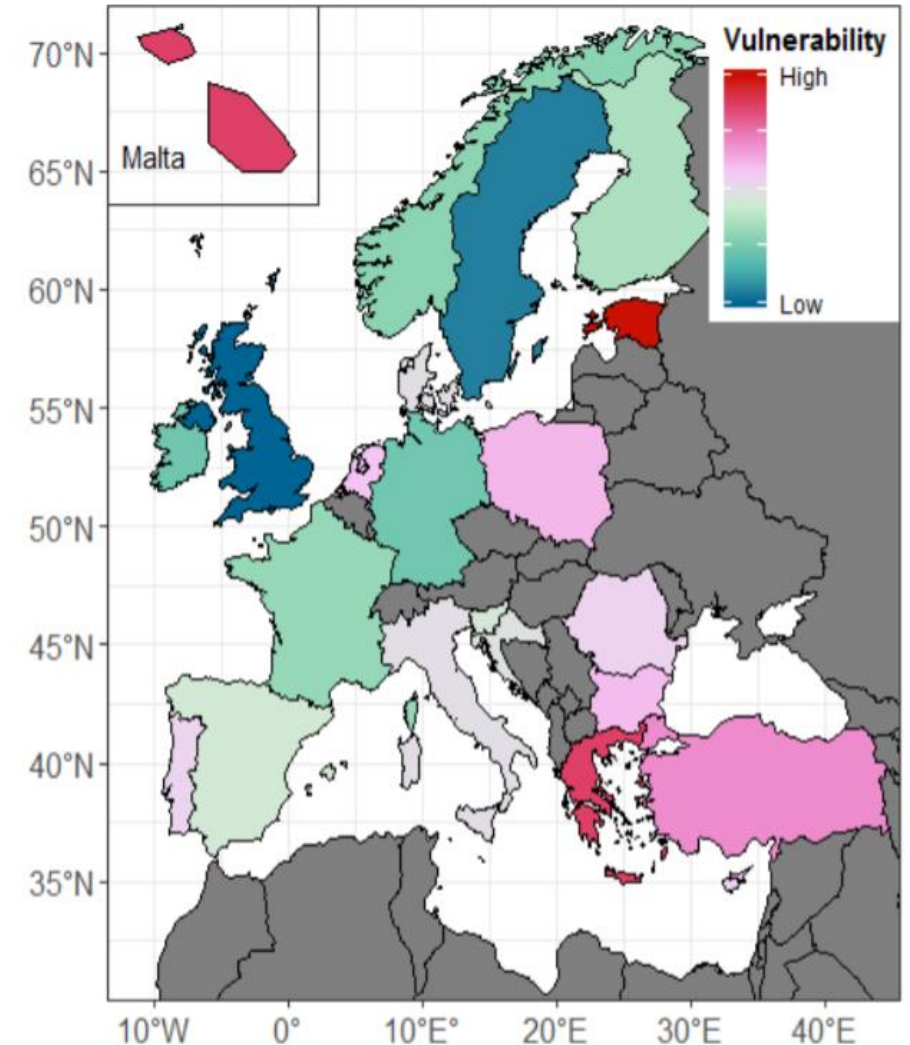
Economic Impacts on Aquaculture: Typical Farms

- **Typical farm models** constructed for species / regions and four scenarios tested: World Markets (WM), National Enterprise (NE), Global Sustainability (GS) and Local Stewardship (LS).
- Projections indicated **sea bass, salmon and best-practice trout farms were most profitable**
- Substantial losses in profit projected for some farms of same / other species (trout and carp in ponds).
- **Losses or gains often scenario-dependent.** Results depend more on future social-economic trajectories than on direct effects of climate change.
- For example, fish price relatively low in more global (GS) compared to nationalistic scenarios (NE & LS). Innovation needed to **control fishmeal / oil prices.**

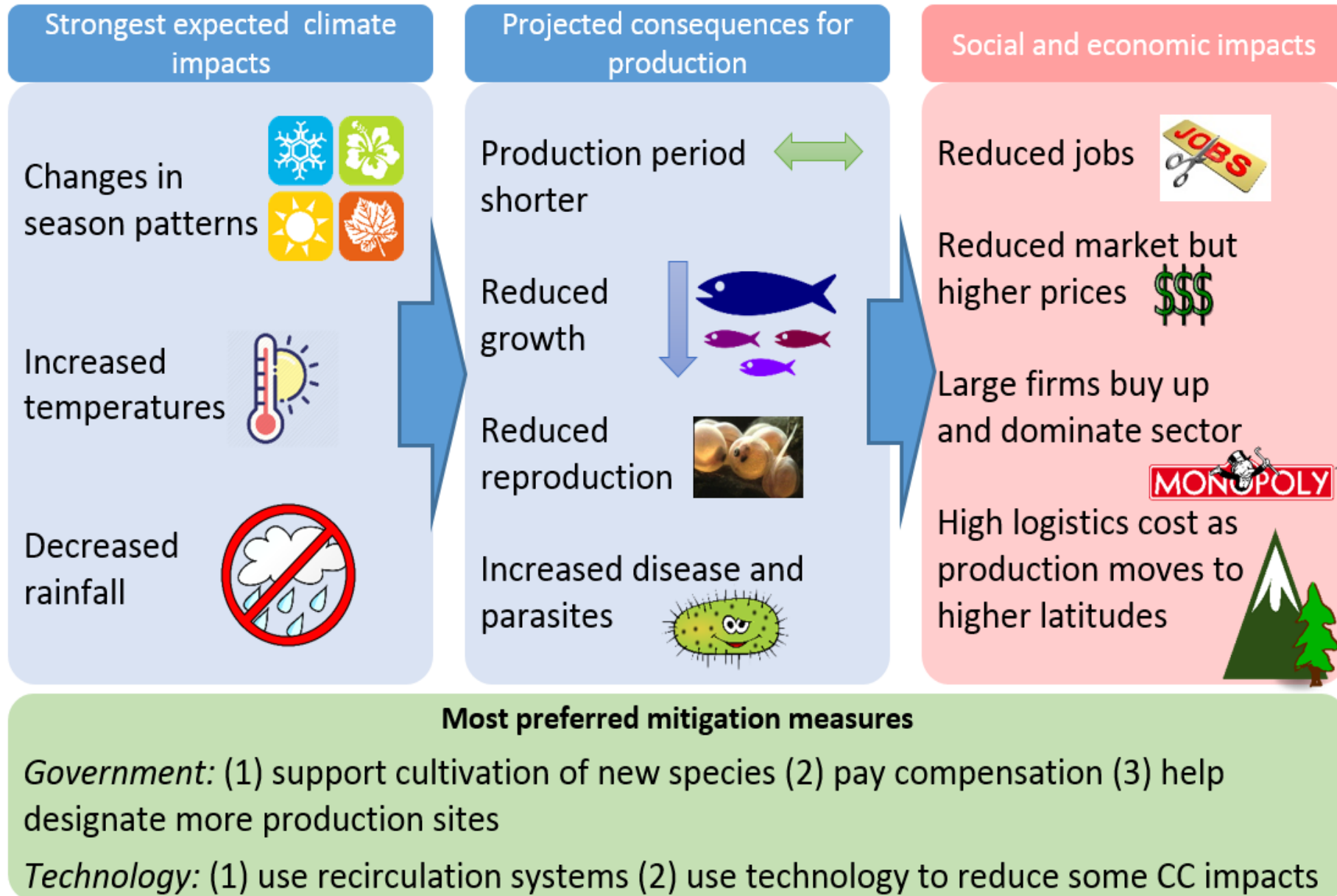


Climate Change Vulnerability Assessment

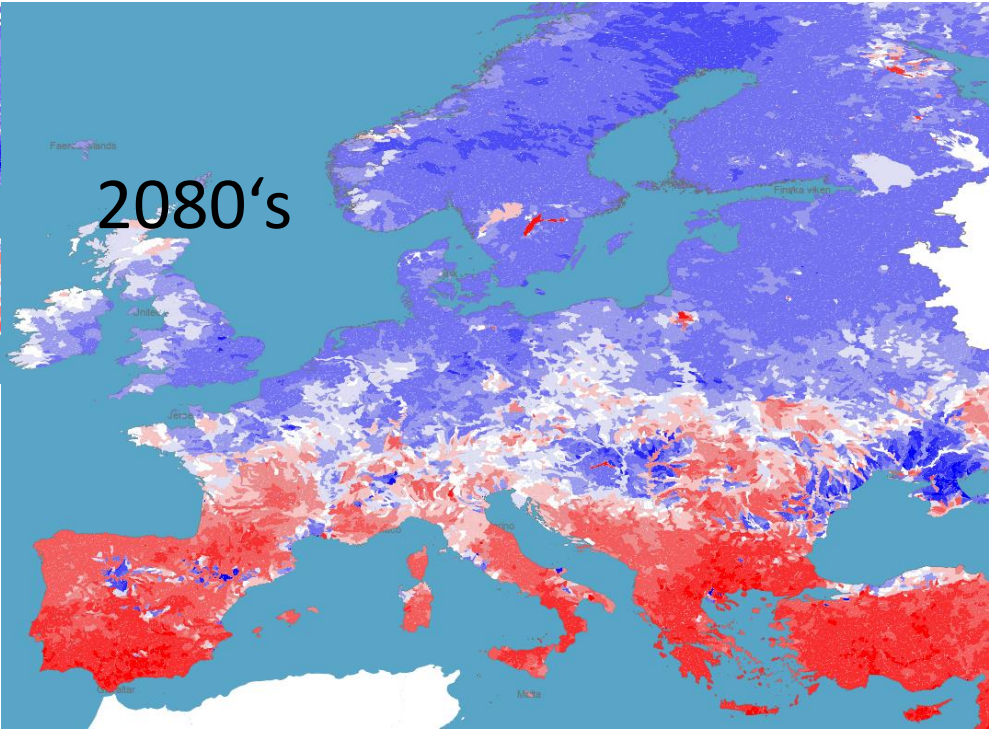
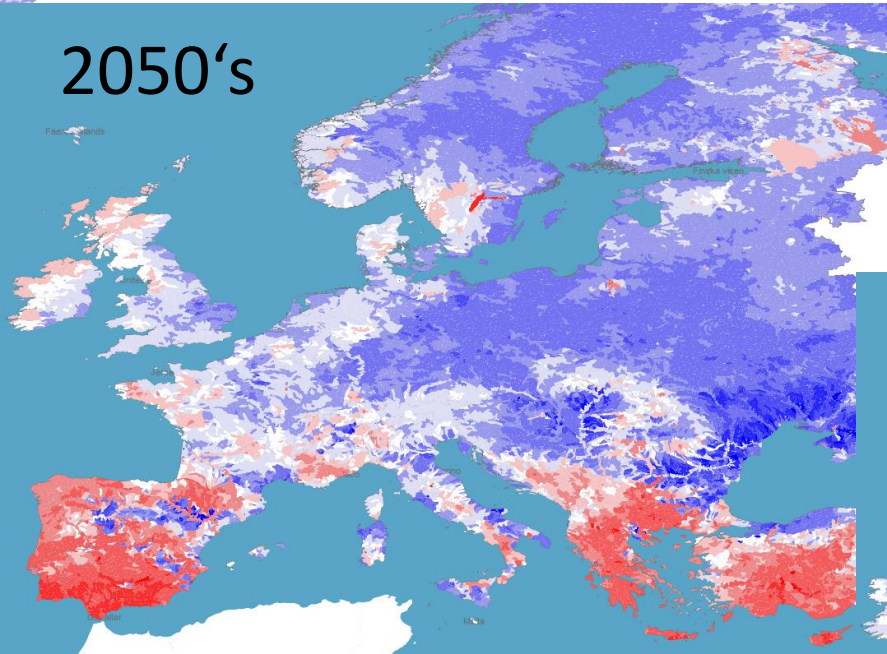
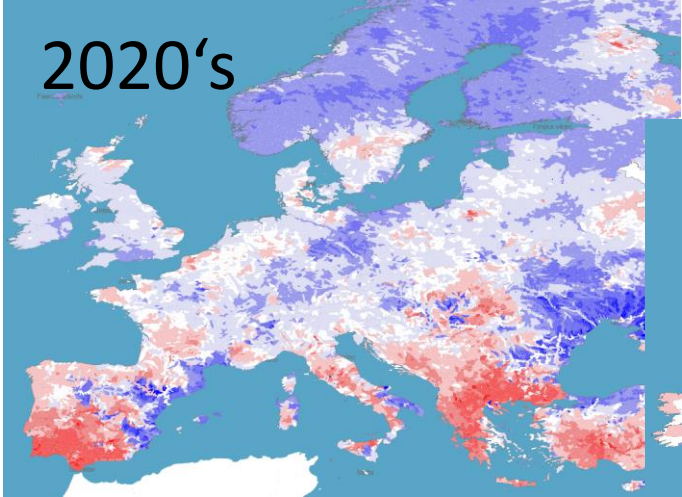
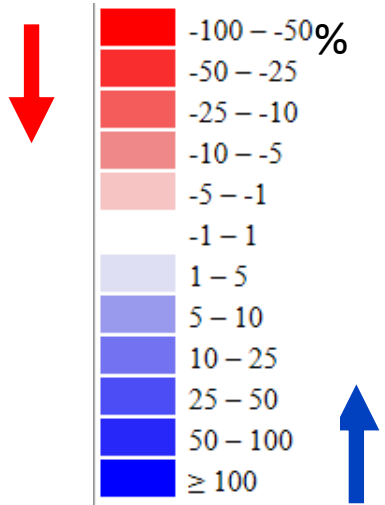
- Ranked national vulnerability based on farmed species, methods, economic indicators, expert evaluation.
- climate-driven warming (RCP8.5, 2050) caused **little reduction in habitat suitability** based on species thermal growth performance.
- Small farms lacking environmental control (e.g. **traditional trout, carp and shellfish farms**) **more vulnerable** (low adaptive capacity by technological innovation).
- **SE Europe vulnerable** due to relative importance of aquaculture to GDP, smaller portfolio of species, and status of national climate adaptation plans.
- Measures **increasing economic performance** (e.g. vertical integration, RAS) will also reduce climate change vulnerability.



Stakeholder Mind-mapping: Turkish Trout Farms



Future Changes in River Flow

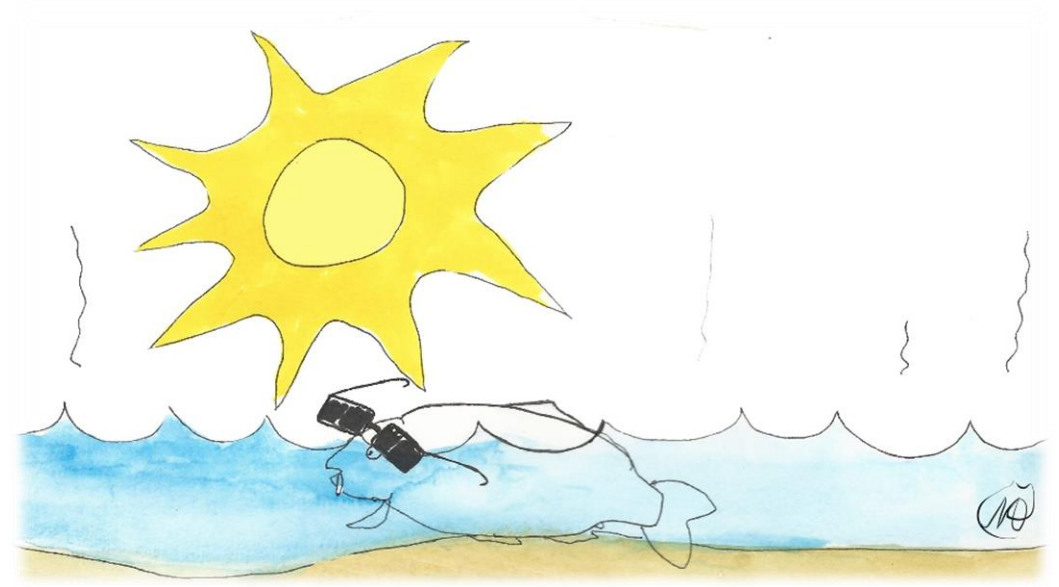


RCP8.5
Worst-case Scenario

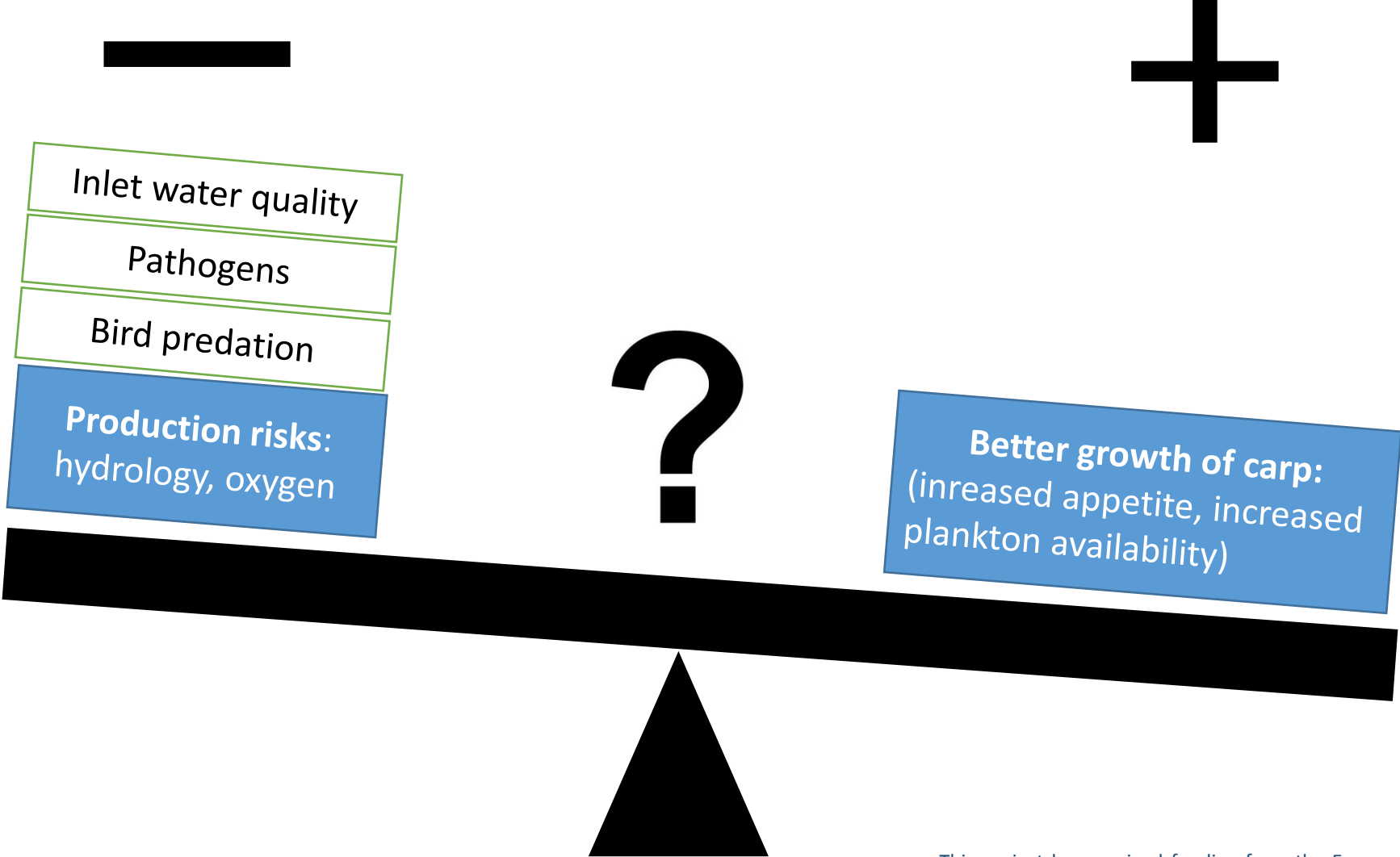
- Rainfall pattern projected to change across Europe (drier in south)
- River discharge projected to decrease in south and increase across northern Europe
- High degree of uncertainty within ensemble of different models but large-scale pattern is robust

Biological forecasting Hungarian pond aquaculture

- Higher change in yield at lower stocking density
- Increased evaporation, more supplementary water will be needed
- Increasing occurrence of sub-optimal oxygen levels



The prospects of the industry: modelled & non-modelled forecasts



Adaptation measures identified

- Monitoring (real time diagnostics)
- Develop infrastructures to withstand floods
- Use of aerators, oxygen manipulation
- Adequate stocking rate and biomass management

Industry-level

- More detail in official statistics

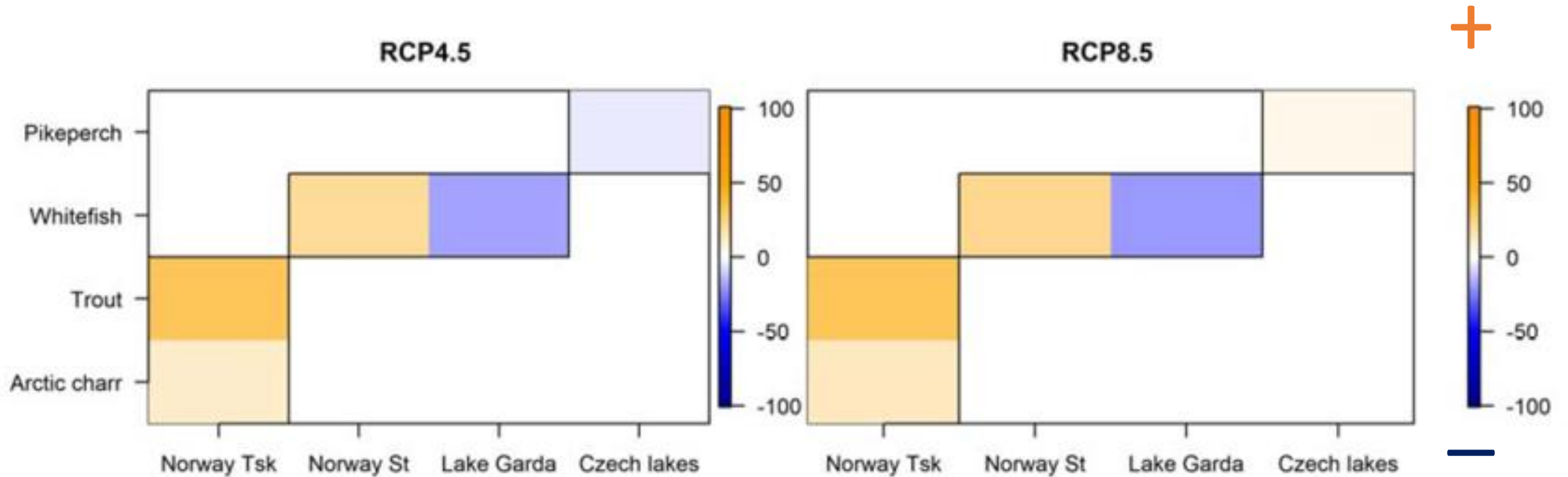
Governance

- Breeding programmes
- Monitoring and mapping disease outbreaks
- Preventive treatments and vaccines

Research & knowledge building

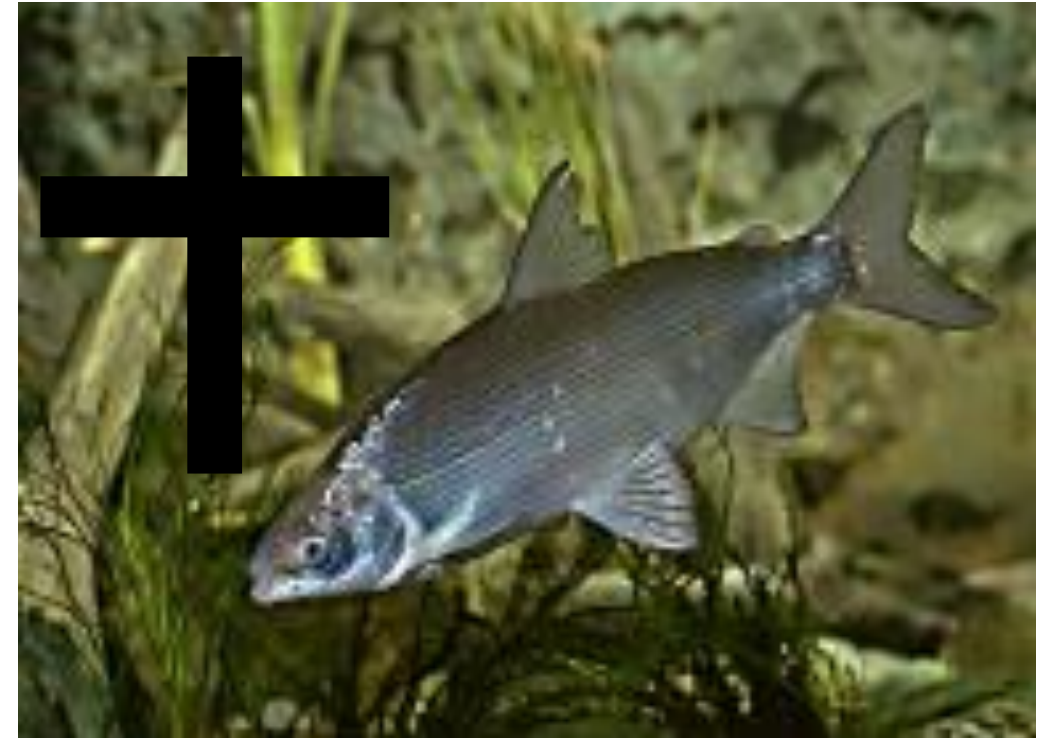
Aquaculture: Questions?

Lake fishery: Relative change by 2050 with present day fishing pressure



Decline in whitefish in South and Central Europe

- Despite potential for increased growth and production
- Predation by invading species- e.g. pike-perch is a threat
- Reduced reproduction due to increase in predation, siltation, oxygen deficit, too high incubation temperatures.



In Czech whitefish **lost 90%** of original distribution

Consequences for the good ecological status (GES)

- **Salmonid fish** are considered the indicators of GES everywhere
- Expect decline in ES in southern and central Europe
- Slowing or reversing this trend requires huge effort
- **Protect, prevent invasive species, conduct (semi)artificial reproduction**



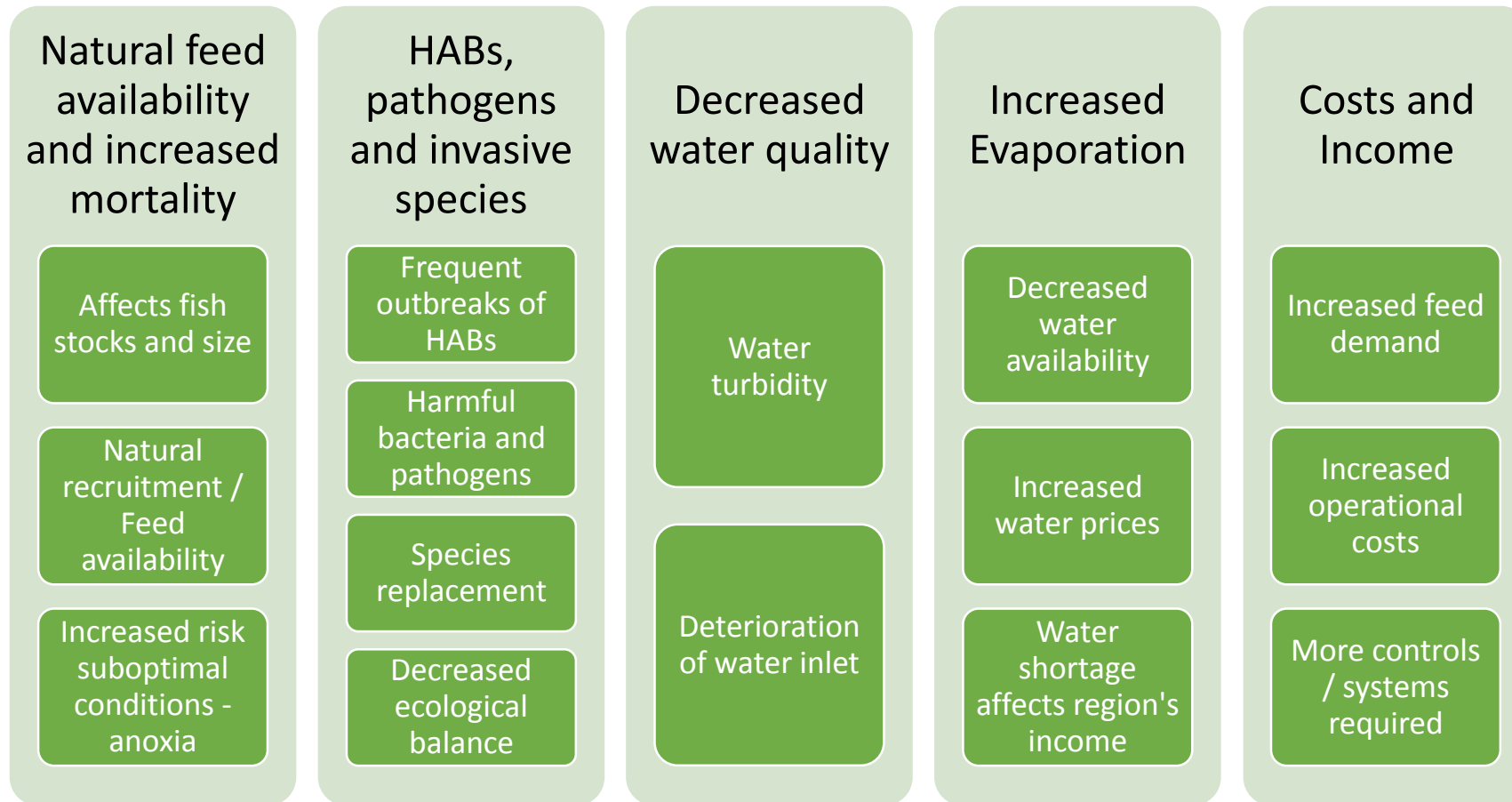
Consequences for the good ecological status (GES)

- **Cyprinid fish** are considered the indicators of degraded Ecological state
- Many will competitively benefit from warming
- ES is very likely to decline



Shared Impacts CC on Freshwater Operations

Italian Lake Garda – Hungarian Ponds



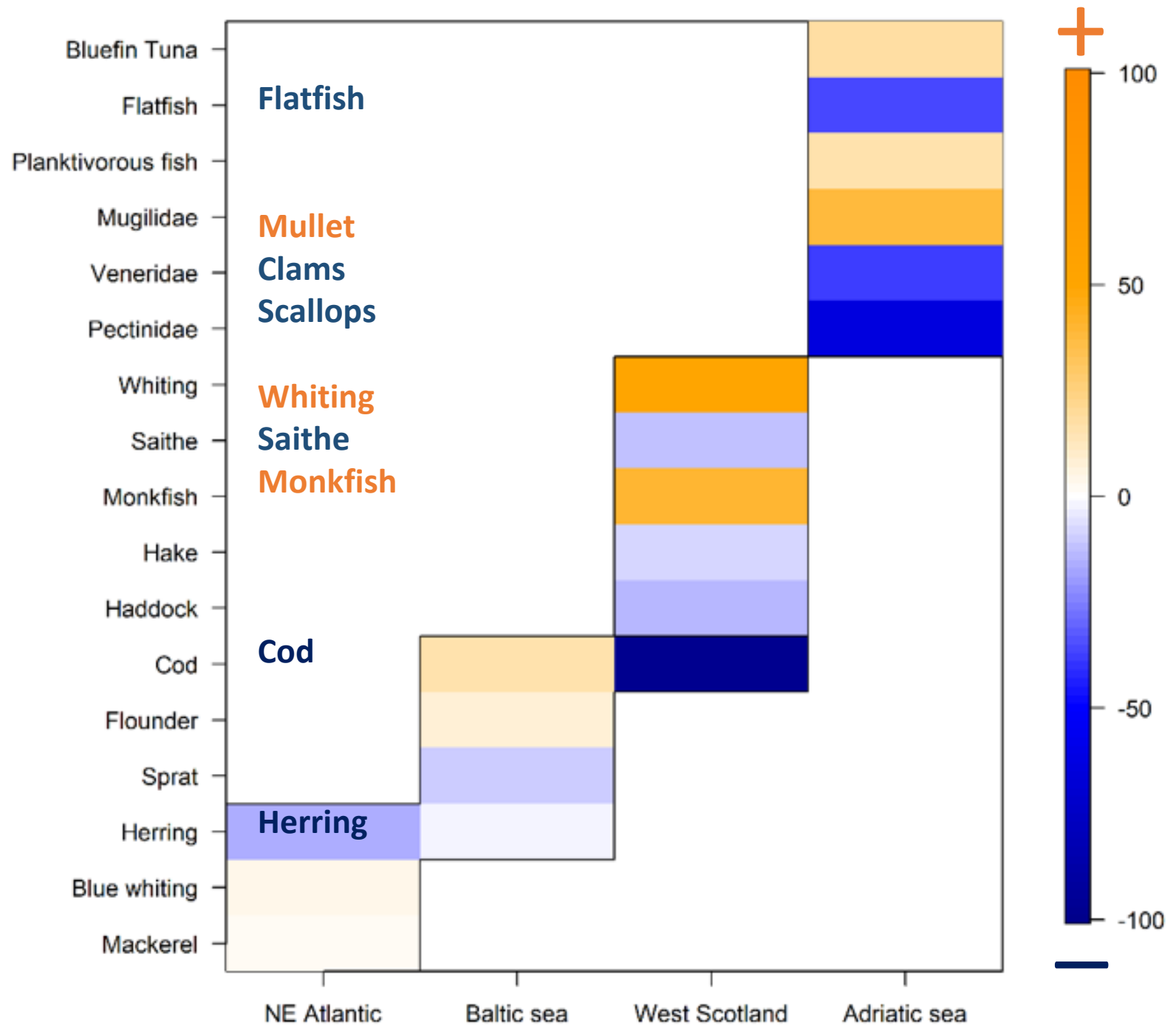


Stretch your legs!

Marine fisheries next

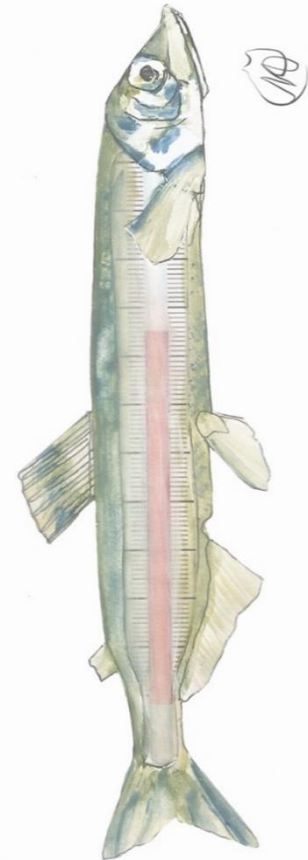
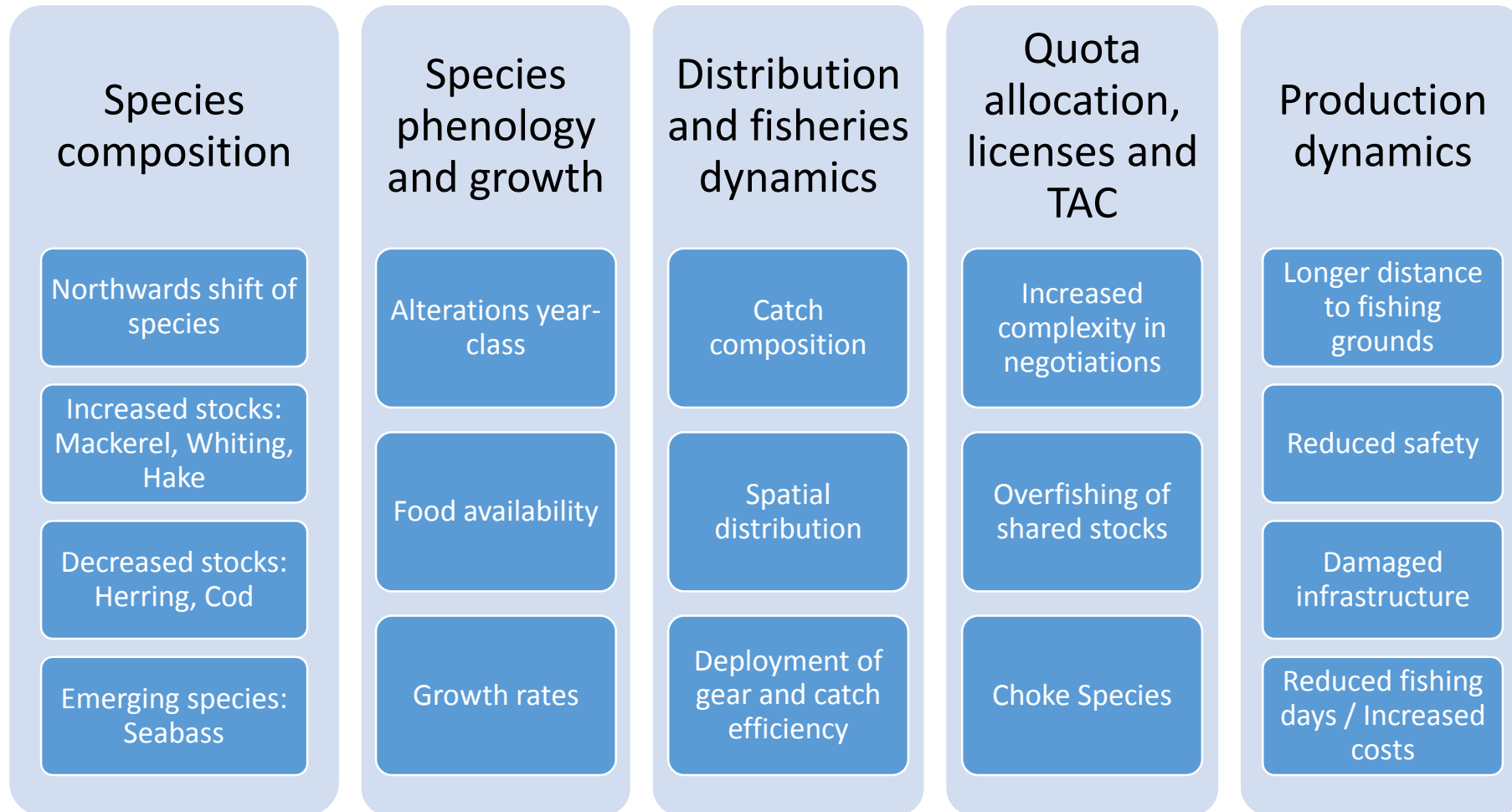
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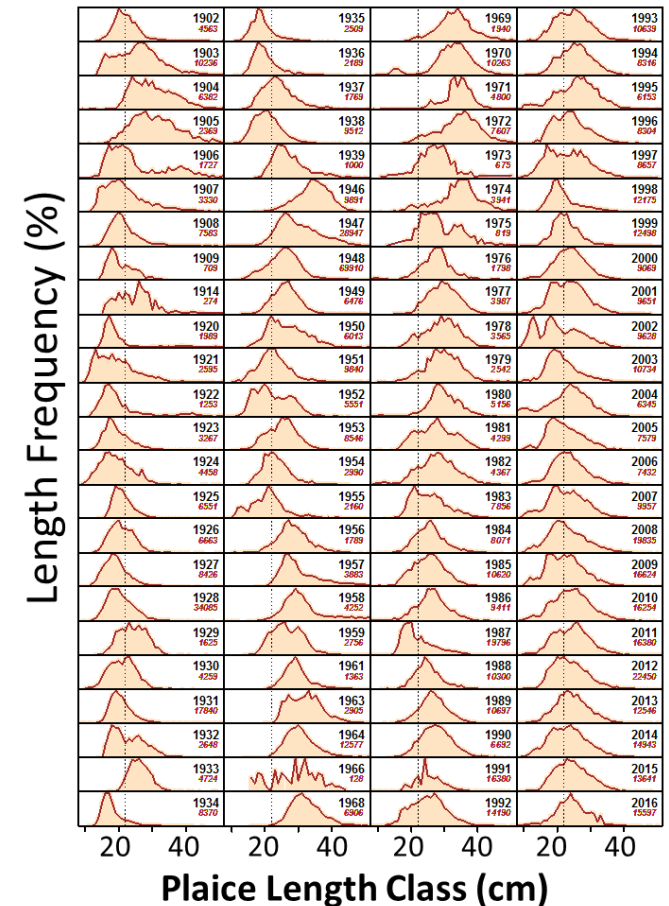
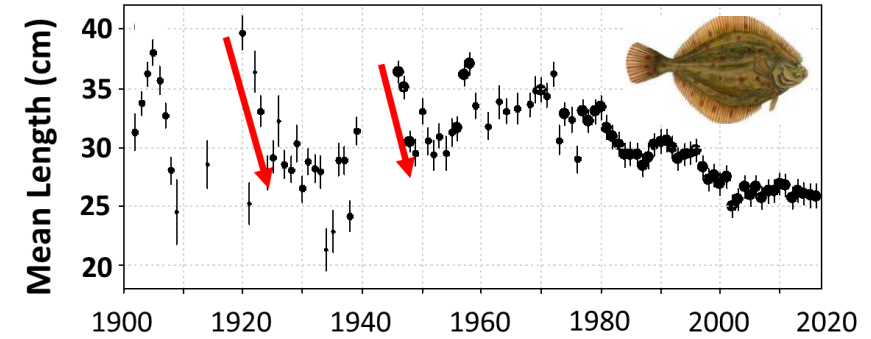
Shared Impacts CC across marine Fisheries:

North Atlantic pelagic, WoS demersal



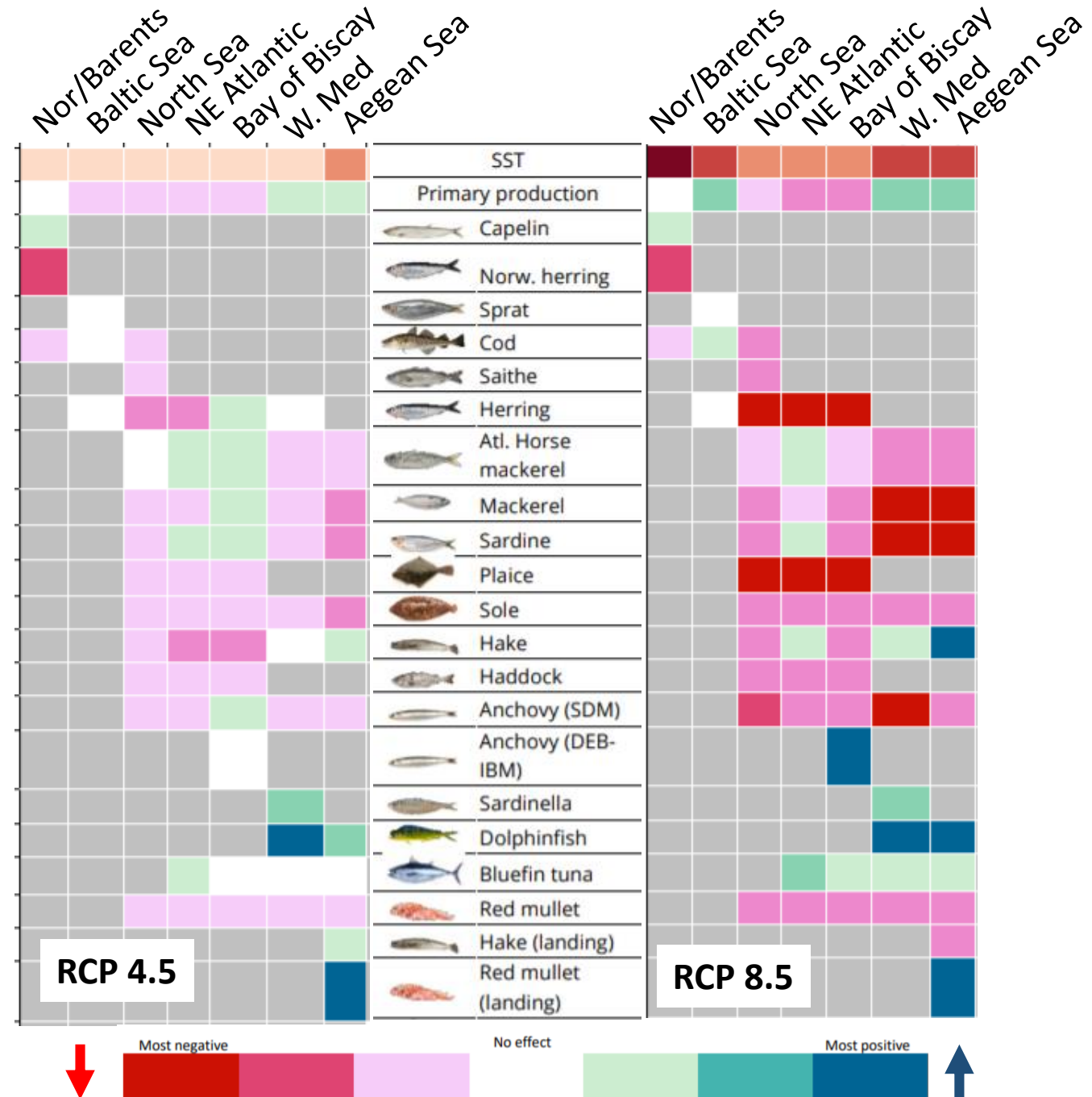
Attribution - Importance of Biological Time Series

- Time series analyses (11 applications) of single or multiple species within 8 European regions.
- Historical changes in stocks mainly driven by fishing but **climate variability has triggered (amplified or weakened) observed responses.**
- Capacity to build reliable projection models requires robust (long, continuous, data-rich) time series for the main European Seas and inland waters. Such **time series are scarce and in only a few areas.**
- Healthy stocks will display less climate-driven variation (until physiological thresholds are passed) underscoring **importance of sustainable, ecosystem-based management for climate adaptation**



Projected Climate Change Effects on Marine Fishery Targets

- Applied 12 state-of-the-art biological projection models (often 2 models per region).
- Projections of shift are consistent across different types of models – shown is % change by 2050
- Markedly stronger effects of RCP8.5 (right) compared to RCP4.5 (left)
- Winners and losers (e.g. also when comparing stocks of same species)
- Models projected change for species currently in region – future, novel species not considered



Economic Impacts on Fleets

- Profitability at 2050 tested under four scenarios (consistent narratives of environmental, economic, legal, technological and political change)
- Changes in policy (e.g. access) and economics (fuel / fish price) more important than direct, biological effects of climate change.
- Shifts in profitability between fleet segments projected in Norwegian / Barents Sea.

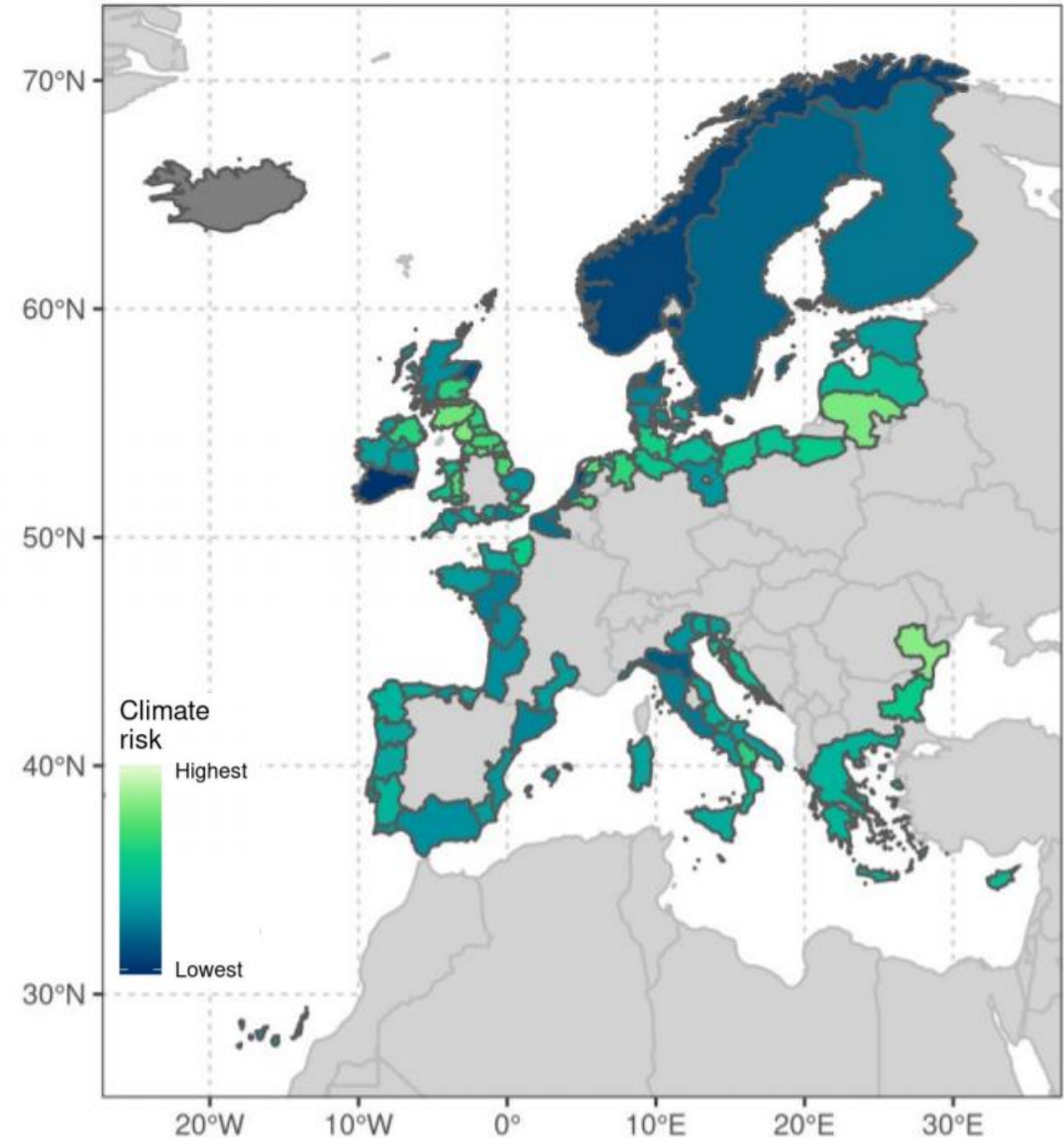
World Markets (RCP8.5, SSP5)	National Enterprise (RCP8.5, SSP3)
<p>“Growth is good”</p>	<p>“Pull up the drawbridge”</p>
<p>“We’ve got the whole world in our hands”</p>	<p>“Think local, act local”</p>
Global Sustainability (RCP4.5, SSP1)	Local Stewardship (RCP6.0, SSP2)

Regions	Pelagic Fleets				Demersal Fleets			
	WM	NE	GS	LS	WM	NE	GS	LS
Norwegian and Barents Sea*								
Baltic Sea						+/-		
North Sea/ North East Atlantic	+/-	++/--		++/--				
Western Mediterranean Sea								
Aegean Sea						+/-		

Most negative No effect Most positive No data

Climate Change Risk Analysis

- **Regions in SE Europe and UK have highest risk** to both fleets and communities (low GDP, few targeted species)
- In other regions, risk is greatest at fleet or community level but **considerable differences exist, even within a country**
- **Smallest vessels (less than 6m) had much higher risk** than other size classes (Mediterranean - Croatia, Bulgaria, France, Malta and Greece)
- In some regions (e.g. SE Baltic) increasing resilience needed (e.g. creating **alternative employment opportunities** in community)
- In regions where fleet risks dominate, **prioritize increasing fleet efficiency / diversity.**

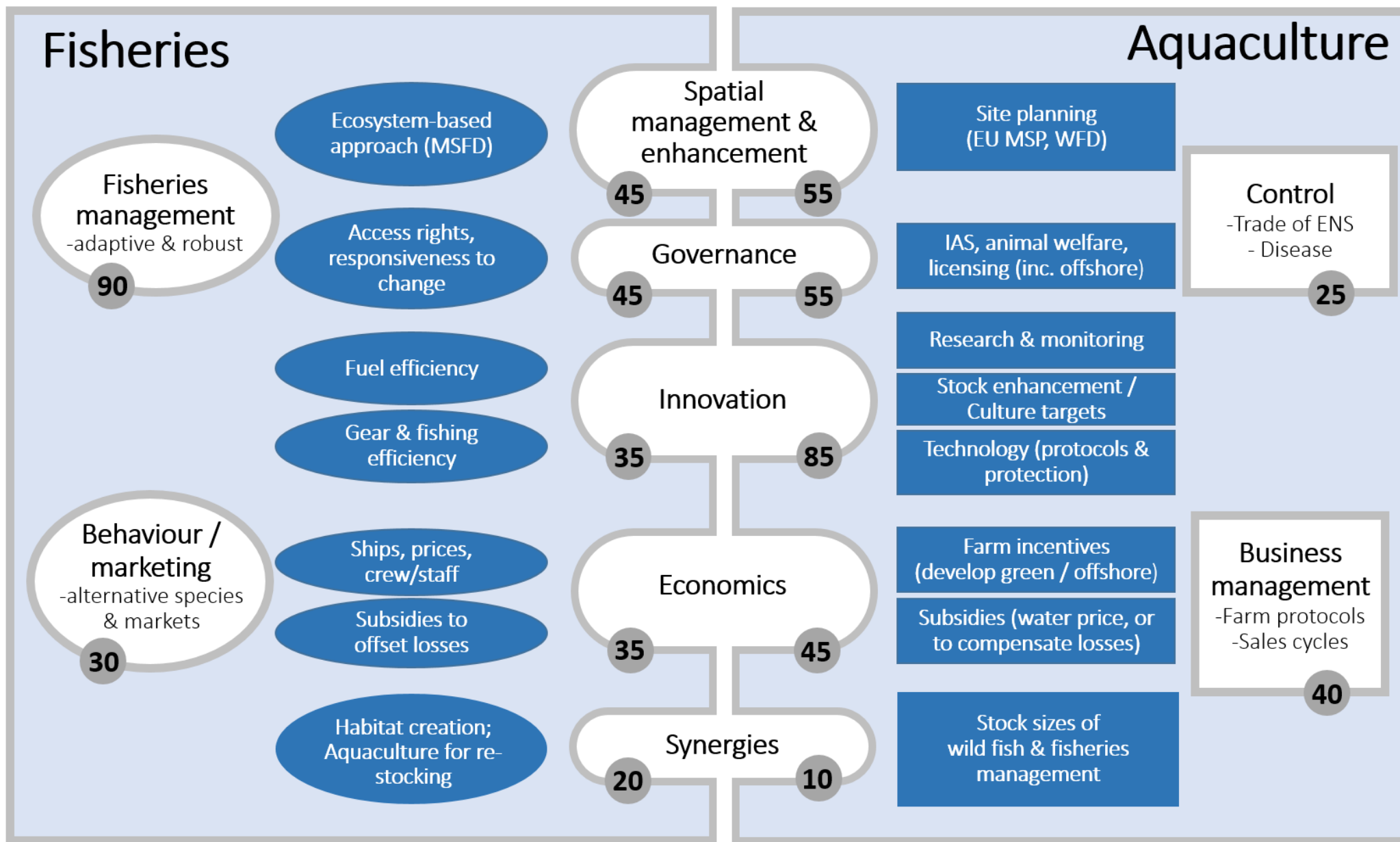


Stakeholder Mind-mapping: Example for dolphinfish Western Mediterranean





Stakeholder Mind-mapping: Tranformative Climate Change Adaptation



General: outcomes and recommendations



Key exploitable outcomes at case study level

- Identified knowledge gaps (published papers)
- Forecasting models for fish production
- Identified risks and opportunities
- Climate Adaptation Plans for fisheries and aquaculture
- The ClimeFish Decision Support Framework
- Decision Support Software



Key exploitable outcomes at EU level

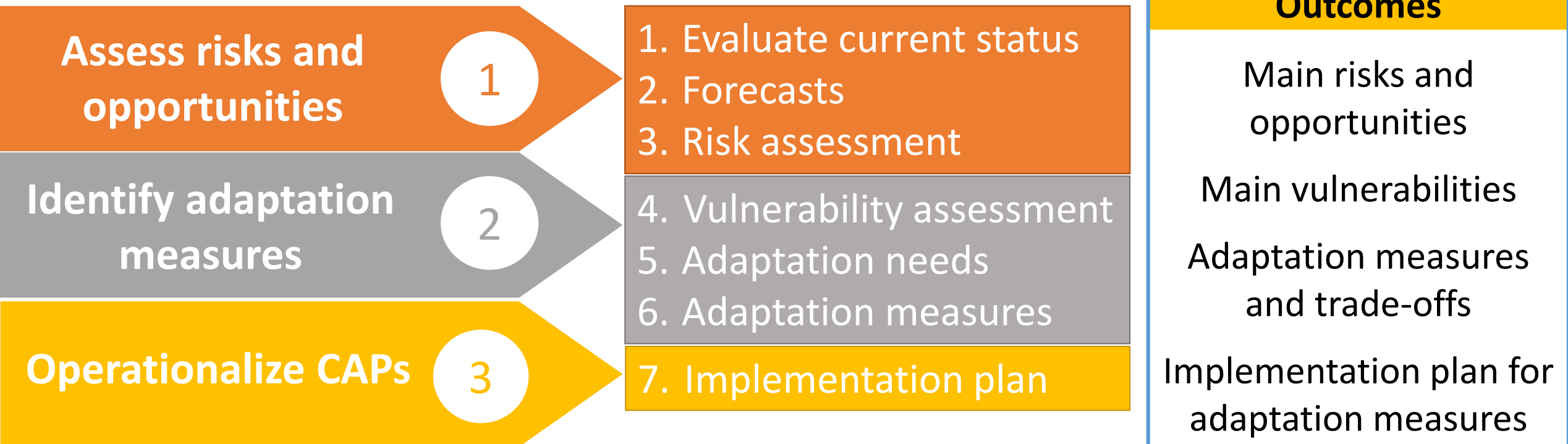


- E-learning course on “Climate Change Adaptation and Mitigation in Fisheries and Aquaculture” at FAO learning Academy
- Guidelines for establishing legal good practice
- Recommendations for co-creation practices
- Guidelines for making Climate Adaptation plans for fisheries and aquaculture - European voluntary standard (CWA)
- Contribution to the EU Adaptation Strategy Package for fisheries and aquaculture

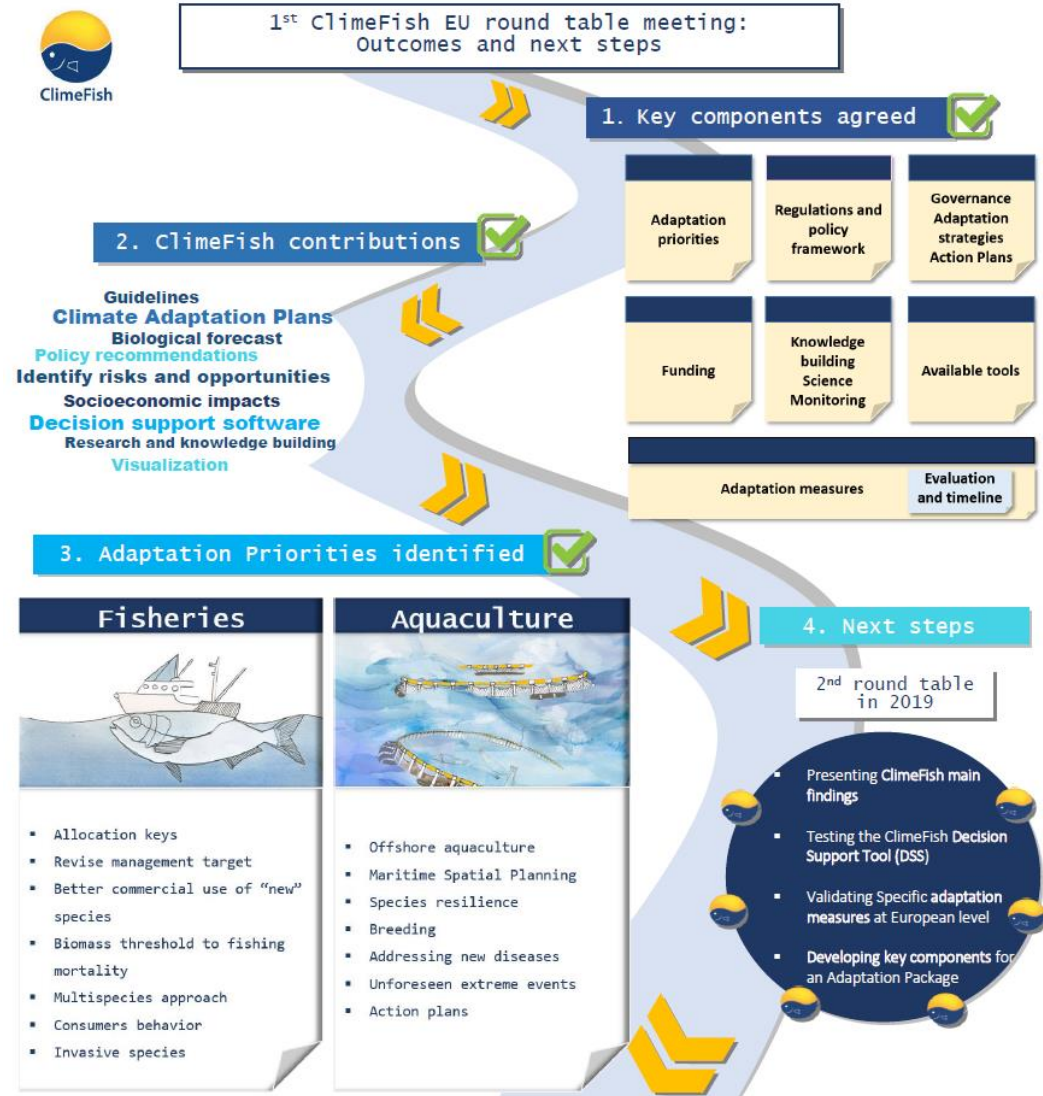


Guidelines for creating Climate Adaptation Plans (CAPs)

Good practice recommendations for making Climate Adaptation Plans for fisheries and aquaculture



Adaptation Strategy Package for EU fisheries and aquaculture

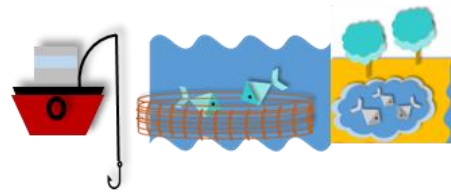


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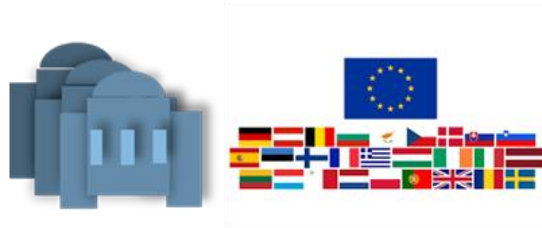
1. Adaptation priorities
2. Regulation and policy framework
3. Funding
4. Available tools
5. Knowledge building
6. Adaptation strategies and action plans
7. Adaptation measures identified
8. Evaluation and timeline for implementation

Stakeholders that participated in the case study events

64 Industry representatives
and fishers



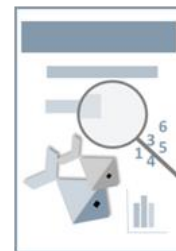
44 policy makers



6 NGOs



5 Advisory bodies



12 external scientists

45 Climefish scientists

Recommendations for Future Research

1) Integrating climate research across disciplines: It is inherently challenging to conduct inter-disciplinary science, foster training programs. Need to embed social scientists as facilitators of stakeholder engagement. Perceived N-S gradient in European emphasis.

2) Conducting trans-disciplinary climate change science: Barriers to cooperation between climate scientists and industry (aquaculture and fisheries) are disappearing. Calls needed that focus on artisanal fishers and farmers.



Pelagic Freeze-trawler Association
Association of 9 European pelagic freezer-trawler companies



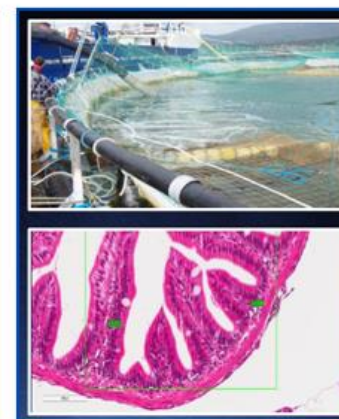
VisNed:
Association of producer organizations in Dutch Demersal Fisheries



Inskie Centrum Rybactwa :
Large ponds: carp, whitefish, pikeperch



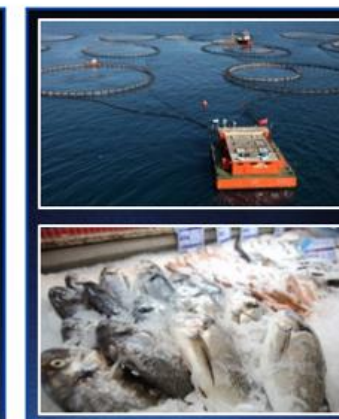
Longline Environment
Consultancy for aquaculture companies, risk assessment



Vet Aqua International:
Veterinary practice & consultancy for aquaculture companies



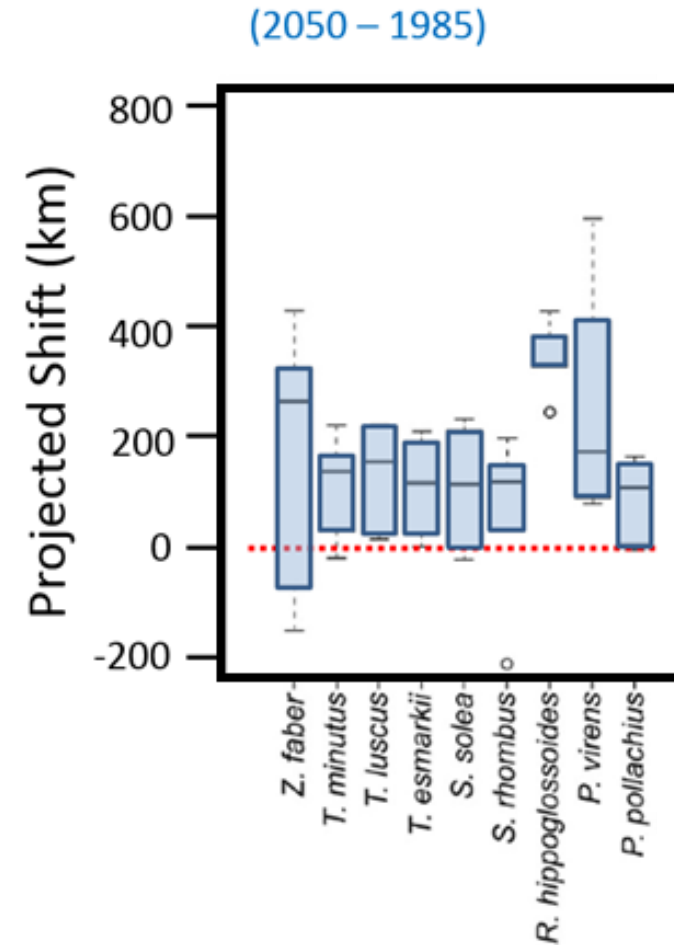
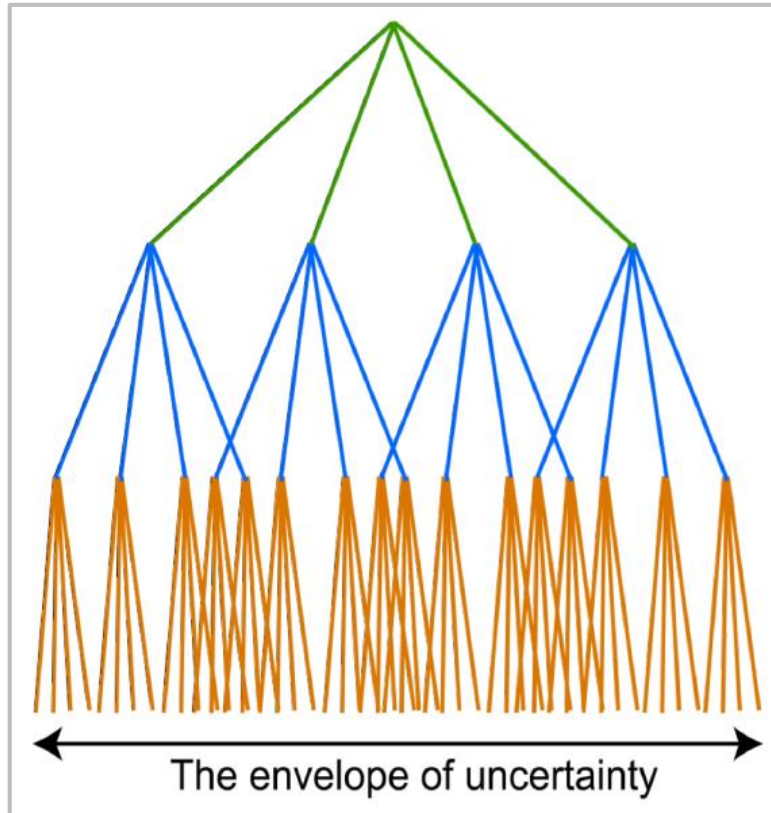
Sagremarisco Viveiros de Marisco
Interface between industry, education and scientific research



Kiliç:
Large aquaculture facilities: trout, seabass, seabream, meagre

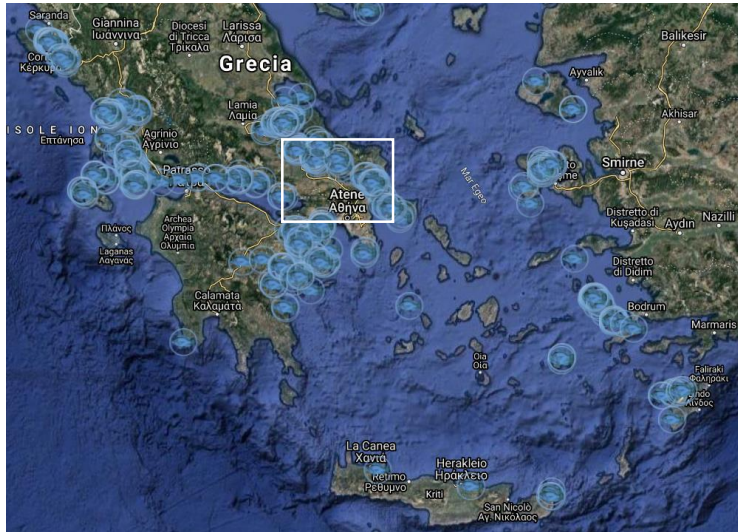
Recommendations for Future Research

3) Capturing uncertainty in physical & biological projections: Multiple RCPs (scenarios), multiple GCMs downscaled to regional hydrodynamic models, multiple biological models...

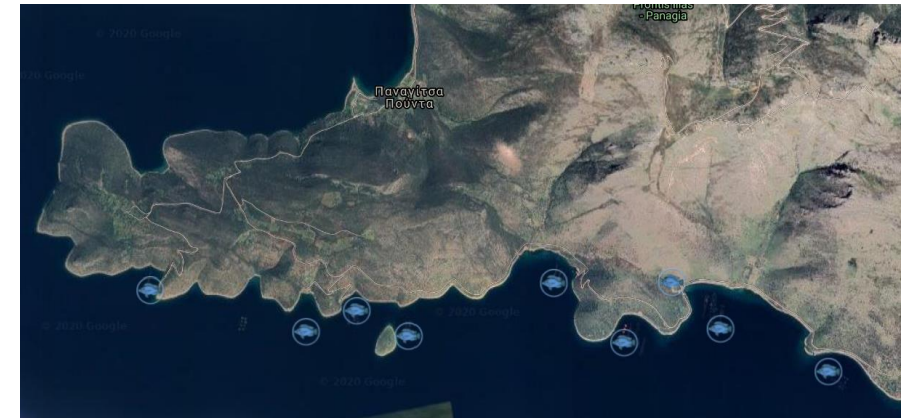
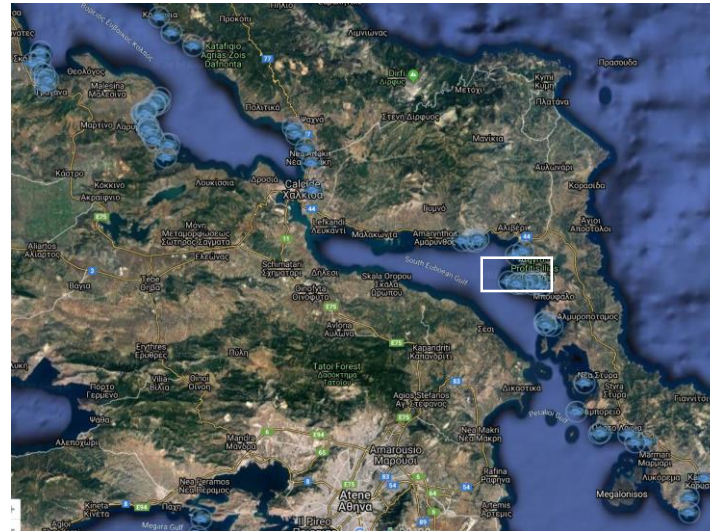


Recommendations for Future Research

4) Spatial and temporal resolution of physical impacts: Move from regional climate change (sub-basin scales). Need projections with higher spatial resolution... local scale



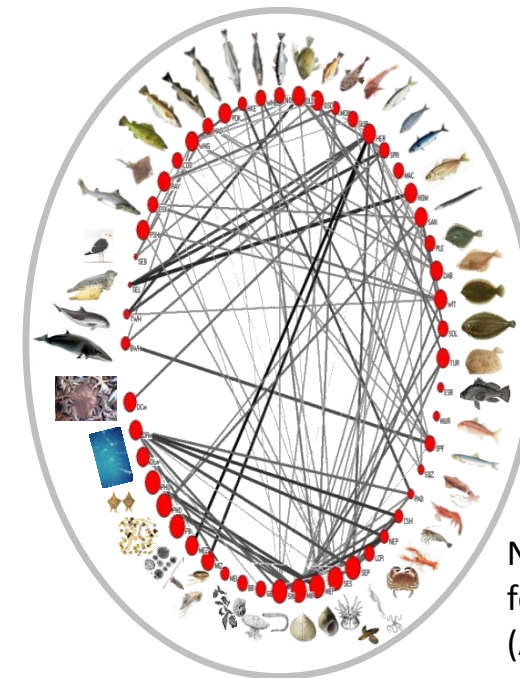
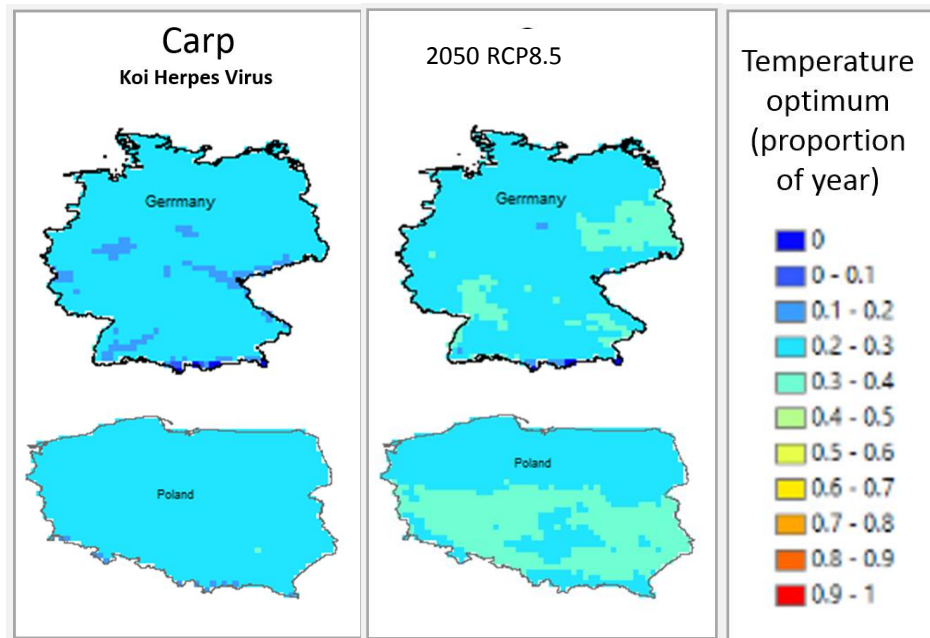
NASO Maps Greece
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Recommendations for Future Research

5) Direct biological effects of climate change on aquatic living resources: Gap analysis identified research needs on interacting factors and life stage responses.

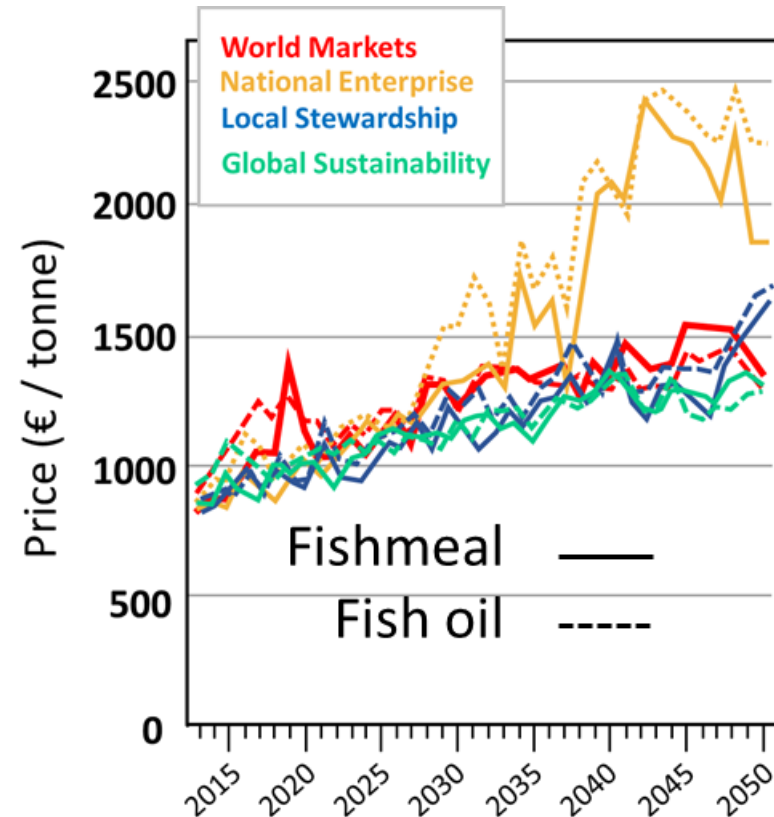
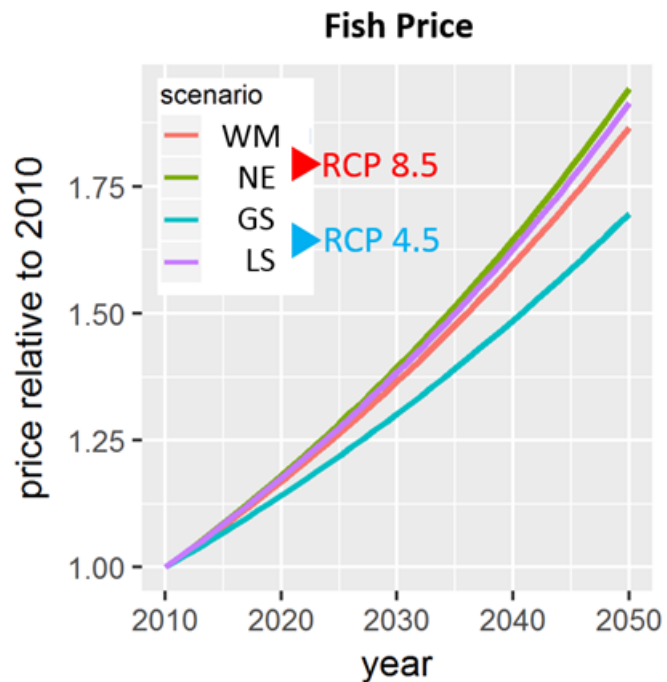
6) Indirect biological effects of climate change need to be better represented in models such as (novel) food webs or future prevalence of disease.



North Sea food web (Atlantis)

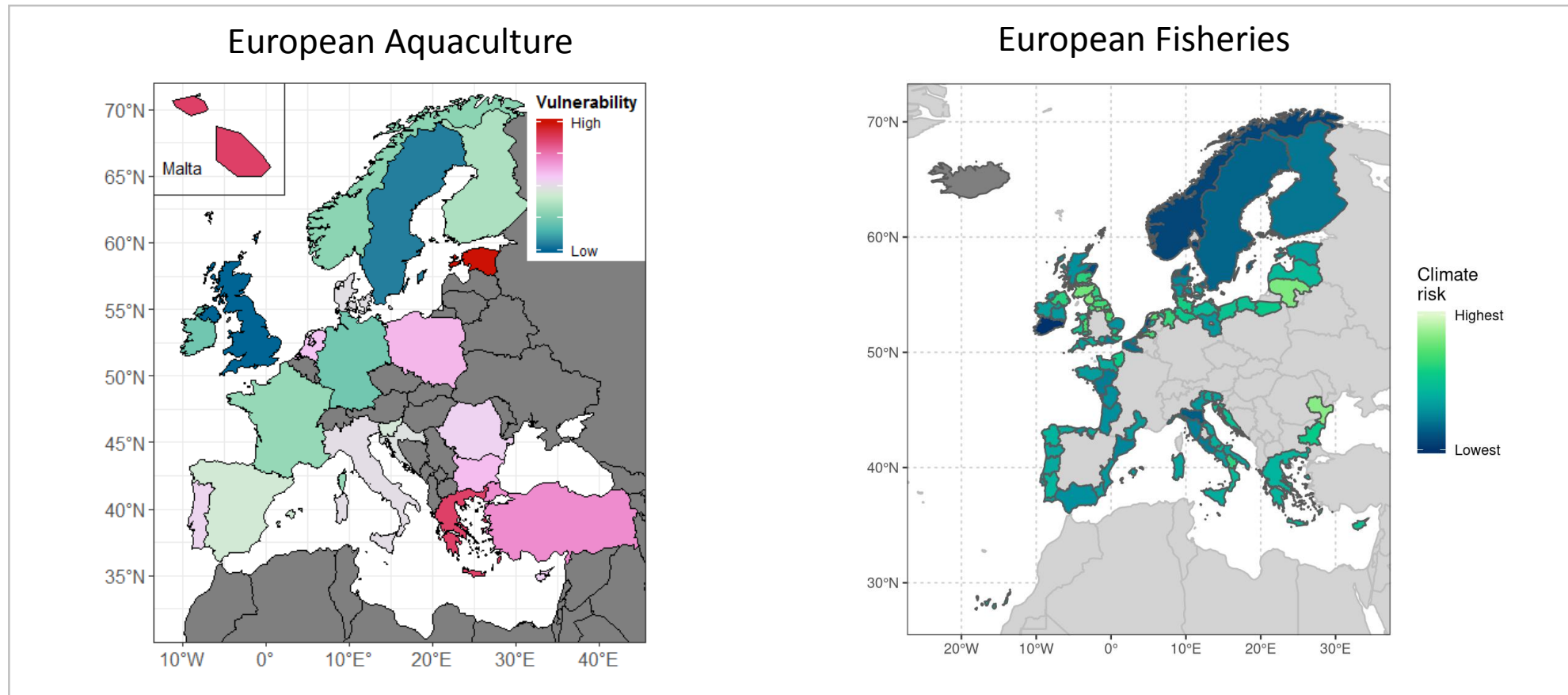
Recommendations for Future Research

7) More effort on producing bioeconomic scenarios for mid- to late-century: For both sectors, future changes in policy or economics often more important than direct, biological effects of climate change (e.g. scenarios considered now would differ because of Covid-19).



Recommendations for Future Research

8) Climate change vulnerability / risk: better represent sensitivity and adaptive capacity of dependent human communities (bottom-up approach) – social-ecological systems.



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Use WATER to map depth, wave height, oxygen, and other parameters in regional seas. You can also use it to find out how well a particular species will grow in marine waters.

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Strong internal and external collaboration in both projects



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Thank you for your work and support!



More productivity metrics (8 babies – 6 shown)



**Arthur
(2017)**



**Matilda
(2018)**



**Sene
(2018)**



**Mila
(2018)**



**George
(2019)**



**Samuel
(2020)**

... and likely a few more „in prep“



15+ ClimeFish Babies

Hanne – Bjørk and August

Andrea – Erica

Rosa – Martinio

Gergő – Anna and Marcel

David – Lada

Anne – Helena Jane

Scott – Emery

Juliana – Aurora

Unn – Jonas

Ragga – Arndis Anna and Edda Margrét

Szilivia – Ariana

Charlie – Freja



General thoughts and advice after four years

- Good to run two projects in parallel. Request cooperative measures and budget in topic text and in DoA
- Request that Climate-ADAPT and other established platforms are used
- Encourage and support cooperation across Areas and Pillars in Horizon Europe
- Flexibility to move resources between WPs and Partners is essential when workforce moves or goes on parental leave
- Thanks to our very supportive and friendly Project officer and Policy Officer!



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