



Building a coherent set of marine spatial biodiversity priorities for inclusion into MSP

Session introduction and overview

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3. Into the MSP Process

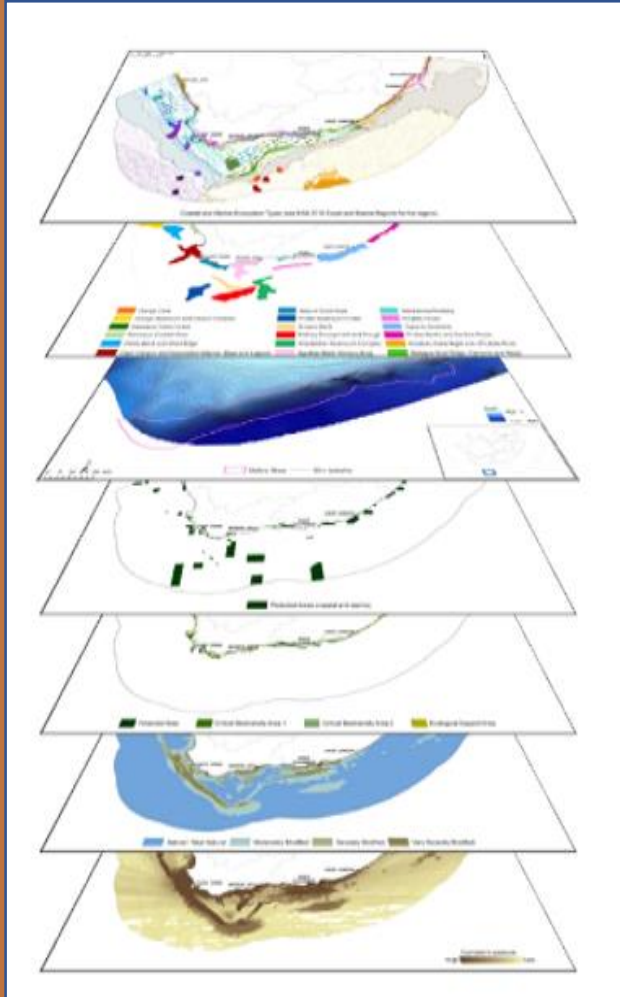
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1. Evidence Base

Pool of data



Systematic Approach Assessment & Prioritization

OMPA & Phakisa MPA

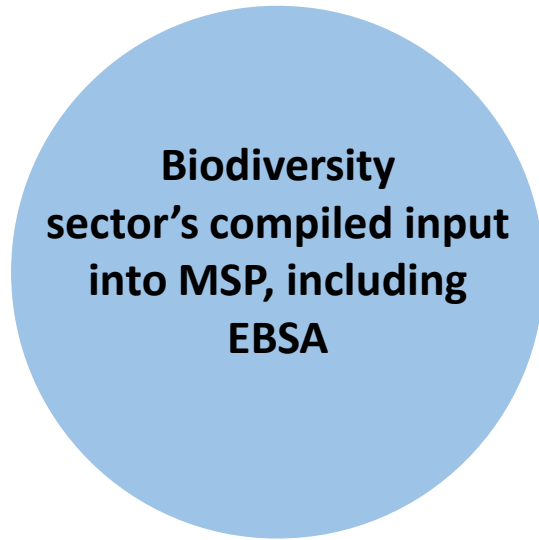
National Biodiversity
Assessment

EBSA
Ecologically or Biologically Significant Marine
Areas

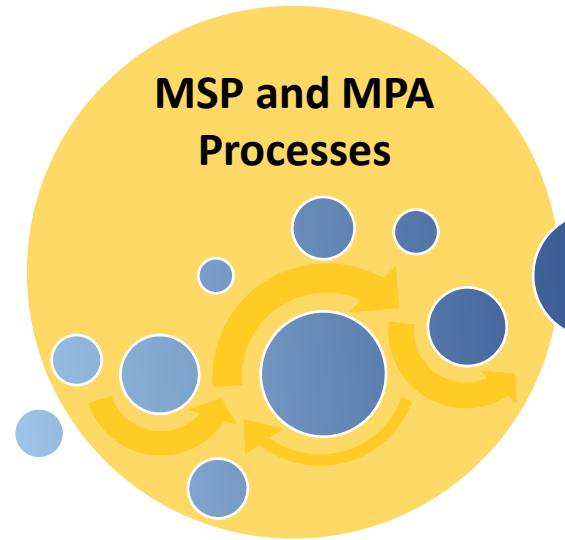
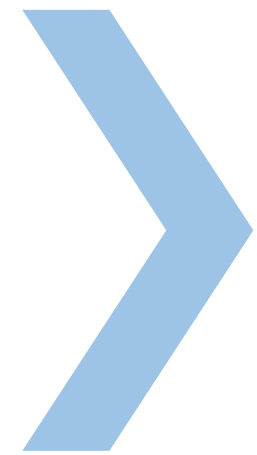
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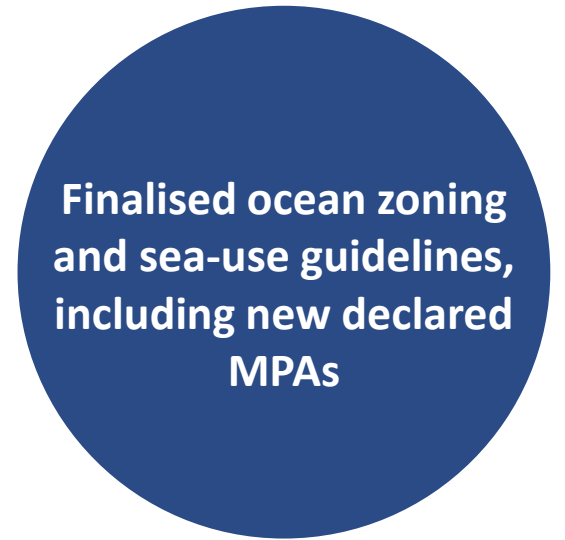
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CBA Map with sea-use guidelines

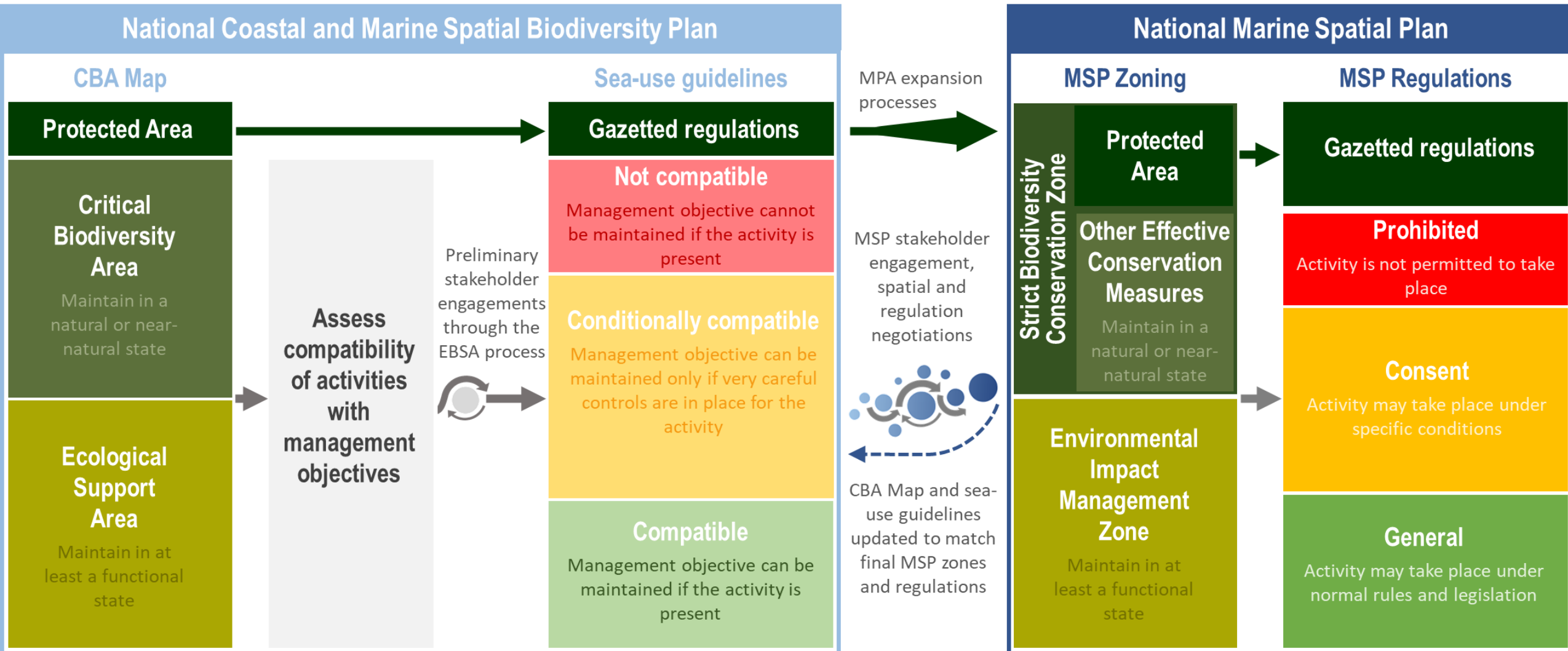


Stakeholder engagement, negotiations, revisions and compromises



MSP zoned ocean space with gazetted regulations & MPAs

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