# Call for marine biodiversity (monitoring) data

# Application form

## General information

Title of the proposed project

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| *Give a title for the proposed project in max. 150 characters.* |

Summary

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| *Summarize the proposed project in max. 500 words.* |

Organization(s)

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| *Give the name, type (e.g. NGO, scientific institution, government, etc.) and country of the organization(s)/institute(s)/entities involved in the implementation of the proposed project.* |

## Current situation

Current data format & storage

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| *Describe the current format of the data and where it is currently stored in max. 200 words.* |

Current challenges

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| *Describe the current challenges for making these data openly available in max. 250 words.* |

Existing data flows and other right holders

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| *Describe if and how the data are part of any existing data flows. Describe if there are other right holders to the data than the organization(s) involved in this application, and if they were contacted to check that there are no other existing or planned data flows. Max. 200 words.* |

Funding & data requirements

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| *Describe which funding was used for the data collection and if it came with any requirements towards making the data available in max. 200 words.* |

## Project details

Objectives of the proposed project

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| *Describe the objectives of the proposed project in max. 500 words.* |

Methodology of the proposed project

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| *Give a detailed description of the planned approach to accomplish the proposed project’s objectives. Include how you plan to perform the data processing and how you will establish the data flow to EMODnet Biology. Max. 750 words.* |

Sustained data flow

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| *Describe how the data flow is envisioned to continue beyond the end of the proposed project. Include a description of which funding is available / can be expected for future data collection. Include how sustained data flow to the DTO will be ensured after the end of this project. Max. 500 words.* |

Impact on existing data flows

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| *Describe how the proposed project will impact existing data flows, if those exist, in max. 200 words.* |

## Data details

Title(s) of the dataset(s) that will be part of the proposed project

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| *Give the title(s) of the dataset(s) that will be part of the proposed project, together with their first contact person and – where possible – the citation of each dataset and where additional information on their metadata can be consulted (published report, web page, …), in max. 200 words.* |

Current data description

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| *Give a description of the currently existing data that will be published during the proposed project. Make sure to include under which framework the data were originally collected (e.g. national monitoring, research project, historic data), temporal cover, geographic cover, taxonomic cover, dataset size (number of records), methodologies used to collect the data, and which parameters (e.g. counts, biomass) are included. Max. 350 words.* |

Future data description

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| *Give a description of the future data expected to flow to the DTO because of the pipelines set up in the proposed project. Make sure to include under which framework the data will be collected (e.g. national monitoring, research project, historic data), expected temporal cover, expected geographic cover, expected taxonomic cover, estimated expected order of magnitude of the dataset(s) (number of records), methodologies that will be used to collect the data, and which parameters (e.g. counts, biomass) will be included. Max. 350 words.* |

License

*Under which license will the data be made available?*

[ ]  CC-BY [ ]  Other

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| *If you indicated “Other”, specify which license and the reason for choosing this license instead of CC-BY in max. 150 words.* |

## Relevance and impact

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| *Describe the relevance and the impact of the proposed project in max. 250 words.* |

## Budget

Indicate your planned budget (max. total €60.000). Note that the grant can only be used for personnel costs related to data documentation/standardisation/quality control and setting up data flow pipelines, and travel costs for 1 or 2 persons to attend the 3-day data training workshop in Paris.

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| Requested grant amount (€ ) |  |

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| *Briefly describe how the requested budget will be used in (e.g. “N Person Months for a [profile/function name (e.g. data manager, ITer, researcher)] to perform the the following main tasks: …”, “travel costs for 1 person ([profile/function name]) to attend the workshop”, etc.). Max. 250 words.* |