

Better off Blue: Baltic Sustainable Aquaculture WG.

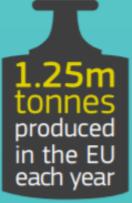
EATIP & the Role of Mirror Platforms in EU Aquaculture

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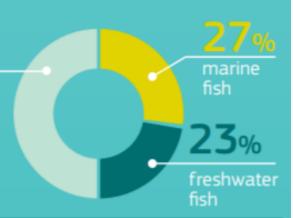
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AQUACULTURE IN THE EU



50% molluscs & crustaceans



5 EU aquaculture producers



EU aquaculture provides a fresh, local supply of healthy seafood and follows strict rules to protect the consumer, the fish and the environment.

Top 7 aquaculture species produced in the EU

- Mussel
- 2 Trout
- 3 Salmon
- 4 Oyster
- 5 Carp
- 6 Sea Bream
- Sea Bass



- + Norway
- + Iceland
- + Turkey

60% is coming from third country* imports

Source:

Farmed in the EU – EC - DG MARE

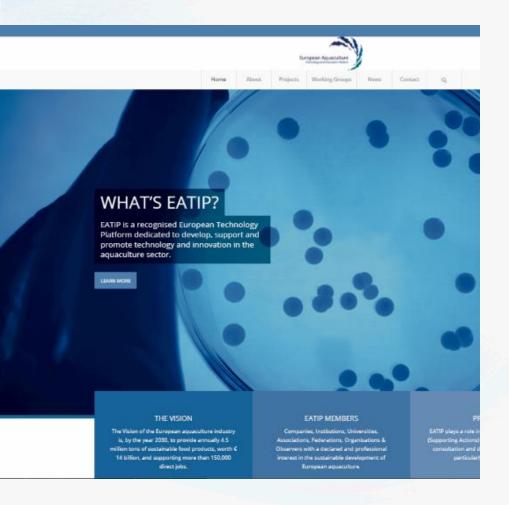
Ambitions / challenges for European aquaculture:





What is EATiP?





- ➤ One of 39 ETPs
- Established 2007
- Not for profit (ASBL)
- Membership funded
- Multi Stakeholder
- > Industry led
- Finfish, Shellfish, Algae
- > Marine, FW, RAS
- http://eatip.eu
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Aquaculture value chain:





EATIP Goals:



Working across 3 thematic areas we aim to:

- Build strong relationships between aquaculture & the consumer
- Promote a sustainable aquaculture industry
- Consolidate the role of aquaculture in society

Focus remaining on technology & innovation.

Innovation **Technology**

Collaboration & Co-creation Safe and healthy seafood

Responsible Aquaculture Growth

Thematic Areas:



Aquaculture and the Consumer

Product Quality, Consumer Safety & Health

Sustainable Feed Production

Assuring a Sustainable Industry

Technology & Systems

Managing the Biological Lifecycle

Aquatic Animal Health & Welfare

Aquaculture in Society

Integration with the Environment

Knowledge Management Governance & Socio-Economics

Social Licence

Members:









































































Industry:

- **Producers**
- Feed
- Value Chain
- KTE
- Consultancy

Academic / Education

Universities, Colleges, Institutes

Research Organisations

Public / Public-Private / Private

Members #2:



































Associations

- > Finfish
- > Shellfish
- > Research / Education
- > Feed

NGOs

Includes Board Representation

Collaborations

- European Commission
- Agencies & Networks
- > FAO

Mirror Platforms:



16 National Mirror Platforms / Clusters:

- > 11 Countries, 800+ members
- > av. 65% industry membership
- Vehicles to mobilise SMEs
- Drives "bottom up" approach
- Strengthen public / private alliances
- Reduces disconnect between research & application
- Access funds / R&D investment
- Dissemination of R&D results
- Surveying / Communication / Consultation

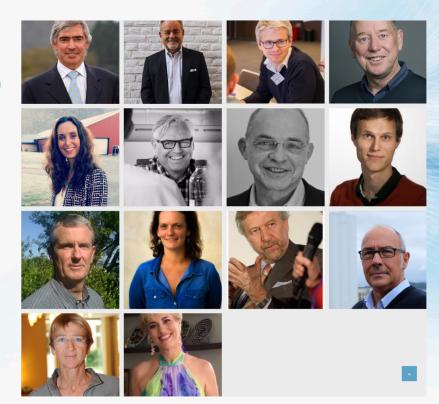




Who we are & how we operate:

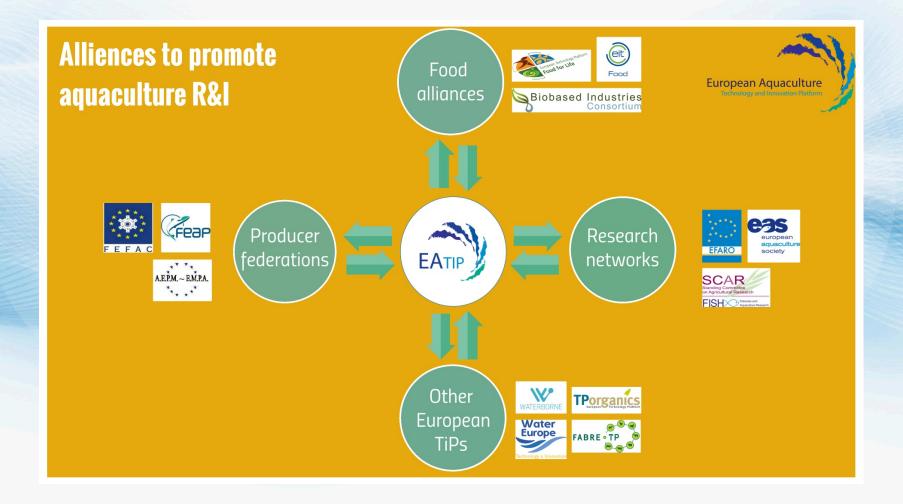
- ➤ Board of Directors

 (Industry, Research, Academia & NGO)
- > Secretariat
- Working Groups
- Mirror Platform
- INCO



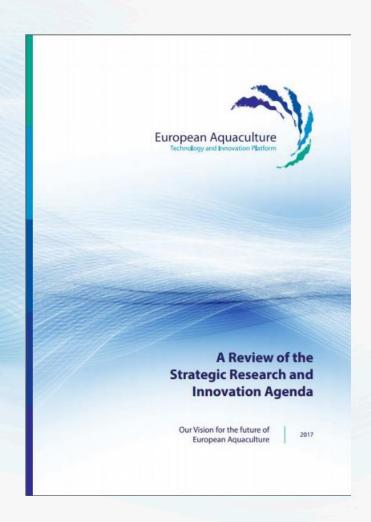
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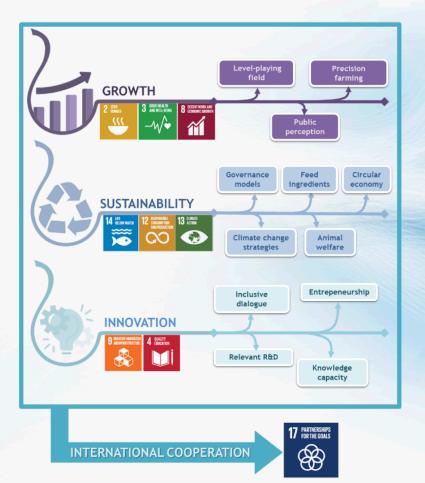




EATIP SRIA & Recommendations:







Thematic areas:



PRODUCT QUALITY, CONSUMERS SAFETY AND HEALTH **TECHNOLOGY AND SYSTEMS** SUSTAINABLE FEED PRODUCTION INTEGRATION WITH THE ENVIRONMENT KNOWLEDGE MANAGEMENT AQUATIC ANIMAL HEALTH AND WELFARE SOCIO-ECONOMICS, MANAGEMENT & GOVERNANCE

Policy Involvement:

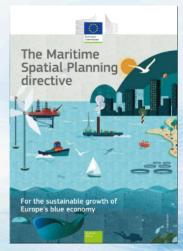




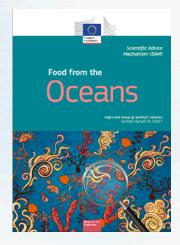


















Horizon Europe

The next EU R&I Investment programme (2021 – 2027)





Actions & Events:

Projects: EATIP Forums:





Life AQUAPEF







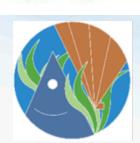












Current Priorities:

EU Level

- BlueBioEconomy
- Green Deal
- Farm2Fork Strategy
- Strategic Guidelines for EU Aquaculture
- MSP / IMTA / Algae Strategy
- Food Systems
- Nature Based Solutions
- Social Licence
- Knowledge Transfer / Ocean Literacy
- Data / Al

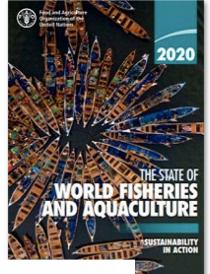
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All Atlantic Collaboration (Belem)
FAO Guidelines / MSP working.
EU – China Joint Working











Mirror Platform Engagement:



- Industry (& SME) Link
- Stakeholder representation / mapping
- Communication / Dissemination
- Knowledge Transfer
- Consultation and Policy Development
- > SRIA Development
- Funding Calls / Project Partnerships
- International Collaboration

"The total is greater than the sum of each part"

