

**List of Operations as per Article 119 of Regulation (EU) No 508/2014**

Beneficiary Name	Community Fleet Register (CFR)	Operation Name	Operation Summary	Operation Start Date	Operation End Date	Total Eligible Expenditure	Amount of Union Contribution	Operation Postcode	Country	Name of Union Priority
Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Ministry for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change	N/a	Data Collection Framework Multi-annual Programme 2014 - 2016	This operation includes the collection, use and management of fisheries data in line with Council Regulation EC No. 199/2008 and Commission Decision (2010/93/EU) and as outlined in the National Programme for the collection of primary biological, technical, environmental and socio-economic data in the fisheries sector of the Republic of Malta, 2011 - 2013 National Programme.	1/1/2014	30/6/2017	€ 1,822,425.00	€ 1,457,940.00	MRS3303	Malta	Union Priority 3
Environment and Resources Authority	N/a	Marine Environmental Monitoring: Towards Effective Management of Malta's Marine Waters	The project will initiate the implementation of sustained environmental monitoring in marine waters with the aim to assess the state of Malta's marine waters on a continuous basis and address current knowledge gaps. This monitoring would provide a sound knowledge base for effective management of anthropogenic activities and work towards achievement of Good Environmental Status in marine waters.	1/1/2017	31/3/2019	€ 1,600,000.00	€ 1,200,000.00	MRS1441	Malta	Union Priority 6
Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Ministry for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change	N/a	The Construction and Finishing of an Office on the Fish Landing Site in the Marsaxlokk Designated Port	The Marsaxlokk Landing Site shall be a state of the art facility, aimed at facilitating fish landing in the South Eastern region of the Maltese Islands. The building shall house an office where fisheries officers can carry out checks and controls, a small chiller where fish can be stored, and a weighing station facility. The building shall be built following environmental friendly principles also ensuring full accessibility to persons with a disability. This investment shall complement EFF316 project, where the adjacent quay was extended to accommodate more landing vessels and manoeuvrability in the area.	1/1/2017	31/12/2018	€ 249,638.10	€ 187,228.58	MRS3303	Malta	Union Priority 1
Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Ministry for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change	N/a	A scientific study to improve trawl gear selectivity	This operation includes a desktop study, marine surveys and analysis of data so as to improve the gear selectivity of the 40mm square mesh size currently in use by the Maltese otter board trawling fleet so as to reduce discards of Merluccius merluccius (European hake) and Parapenaeus longirostris (Deep-water rose shrimp). Two methods to improve the gear selectivity for each of these two species will be tested. The majority of the project will be sub-contracted through a tendering procedure. This project	1/1/2017	31/7/2019	€ 200,000.00	€ 150,000.00	MRS3303	Malta	Union Priority 1

Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Ministry for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change	N/a	Training for Fishers	<p>A number of high standard training courses shall be provided to all interested registered fishers. The courses shall be aimed at improving the knowledge and skill of local fishers, targeting to increase the overall standard of the local fishing industry. Courses and seminars are projected to start during the first quarter of 2018; such activities are projected to span over a period of four months.</p> <p>This project shall also include an awareness media campaign, aimed at encouraging course participation. A number of mediums shall be used including: informative application letters to be sent to all professional (MFA/MFB) fisher vessel owners, posters, roll up banners and also television adverts. An information session will also be held to bridge the gap with potentially interested applicants, thus answering any difficulties or queries one might have and aiding applicants in the filling in of application forms. The Department will also be working with cooperatives and other relevant entities to facilitate the dissemination of information and increase awareness at end user level, hoping to maximise the course participation.</p> <p>After all courses and seminars are delivered, a closing ceremony will be held where all participants will be handed over participation certificates and respective certifications. A gift pack will be also given to all attendees which shall include items related to health and safety.</p>	1/6/2017	31/10/2018	€	500,000.00	€	375,000.00	MRS3303	Malta	Union Priority 1
Department of Fisheries and Aquaculture, Ministry for Sustainable Development, the Environment and Climate Change	N/a	Data-Collection Programme 2017-2019 Multi-annual	<p>This operation includes the collection, use and management of fisheries data in line with Council Regulation (EC) No. 199/2008 and Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2016/1251 () and as outlined in the Work Plan for data collection in the fisheries and aquaculture sectors 2017-2019.</p>	1/1/2017	31/12/2020	€	3,361,332.00	€	2,689,065.60	MRS3303	Malta	Union Priority 3
Transport Malta	N/a	Refurbishment and upgrading of slipways in the port of Marsaxlokk	<p>The project shall involve the refurbishment and upgrading of ten slipways within the port of Marsaxlokk. This shall include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- the cleaning of all slipway surfaces from marine growth and other encrustations;</li> <li>- the reinstatement of all cracked, pitted and dilapidated concrete surfaces including the side walls of the slipways on seven slipways;</li> <li>- the lowering of three slipways in order to have their toe submerged in water;</li> <li>- the refurbishment of slipway toes where required, the filling up of scoured areas, and the installation of new timber sleepers;</li> <li>- one slipway shall have its toe extended to accommodate larger fishing vessels</li> </ul> <p>This project shall be of benefit to the fishermen using this port by improving these slipways' condition, this fishing port's infrastructure and the fishermen's safety and working conditions.</p>	1/9/2016	31/12/2018	€	601,000.00	€	450,750.00	MRS1917	Malta	Union Priority 1

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