

Rapid Assessment of Issues and Responses

Instruction:

In the space below, please provide information about the issues (including stresses and changes) facing small-scale fishing people in a location that you're familiar with. Information obtained through this process will be compiled into TBTI e-book publication, with contributors' names appeared as the 'authors' of the individual contribution. This exercise is conducted as part of the Too Big To Ignore project (www.toobigtoignore.net). The completed form, as well as any questions and comments should be sent as an attachment to toobigtoignore@mun.ca.

General information

Name of contributor:

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Affiliation:

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Name of SSF study area:

Location:

Country:

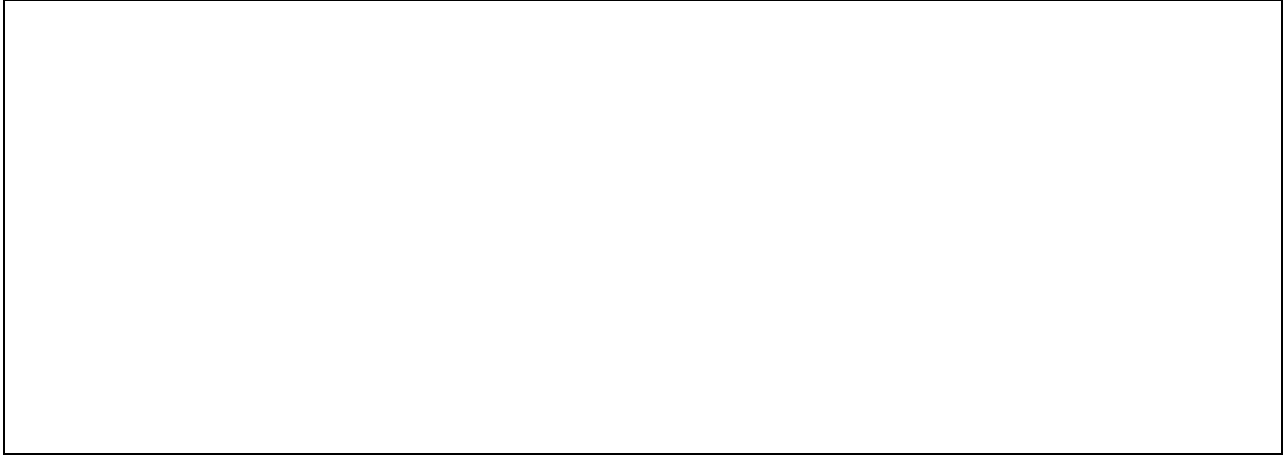
Description of main issue: Provide a concise, detailed description of the main issue affecting SSF in the area, when it occurred, including the basic characteristics of the SSF, such as main species and habitats and key stakeholders.

Description of impacts: Provide a concise, detailed description of the effects/impacts/changes that the issue created, both ecologically and socially on SSF, who were affected/how many (or what percentage of the total population), etc.

'Short-term' responses (2-5 years): What were the short-term responses from fishers, the community, governments and other organizations to the main issue? This can include changes in built-in structures, organizations, individuals or changes in key rules and regulations.

'Long-term' responses: What were the long-term responses from fishers, the community, governments and other organizations to the main issue? This can include changes in built-in structures, organizations, individuals or changes in key rules and regulations.

Effectiveness of responses: Explain whether the responses were effective at addressing the issues. Why/why not? What kind of capacity has been built (locally or regionally)? What are the remaining challenges?

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