

## Annex

# Making Waves

Norway's support for a sustainable ocean

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Title	Partner	Geography	Program	Sum	Timeline	Objective
<b>GLOBAL</b>						
<b>Support to Blue Action Fund</b>	Blue Action Fund	Global	Oceans for Development	80 million NOK	2021-2023	To enhance the management and sustainable use of coastal and marine ecosystems to conserve marine biodiversity for future generations while improving the livelihoods of coastal communities today.
<b>Green Voyage 2050</b>	IMO	Global		64.5 million NOK	2019-2022	To support the international climate action and sustainable ocean agenda by supporting developing countries, especially SIDS and LDCs, in meeting their commitments towards relevant climate change and energy efficiency goals, for international shipping, through supporting the IMO Initial GHG Strategy.
<b>Blue Justice Initiative</b>	Norwegian Ministry of Trade, Industry and Fisheries	Global	Fish for Development	28.7 million NOK	2020-2022	The Blue Justice Initiative addresses the need to cooperate and build capacity to address transnational organised crime in the global fishing industry.
<b>GloLitter Partnership project</b>	IMO	Global	Marine Litter and Microplastics	40 million NOK	2020-2024	To build partnerships to assist developing countries to address the issue of marine plastic litter from sea-based sources, including effective implementation and enforcement of international regulatory frameworks.
<b>Programmes of assistance to meet the strategic capacity needs of developing states in the field of ocean governance and Law of the Sea</b>	The UN Division for Ocean Affairs and the Law of the Sea (UN DOALOS)	Global	Oceans for Development	20 million NOK	2021-2024	To support the development and delivery of a variety of customised and needs-based capacity building programmes for partner countries, primarily the delivery of regional or national training workshops on the implementation of the UNCLOS framework, Agenda 2030, ocean-based economies, as well as to conduct gap analyses of legal

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						frameworks for ocean governance at the national level.
<b>UNDP Ocean Innovation Challenge</b>	UNDP	Global	Fish for Development, Marine Litter and Microplastics	35 million NOK	2020-2024	The Ocean Innovation Challenge is a new mechanism designed to accelerate progress on SDG 14 by identifying, financing and mentoring innovative, entrepreneurial and creative approaches to solving ocean issues.
<b>UNODC FishNET</b>	UNODC	Global	Fish for Development	39.7 million NOK	2016-2022	To assist developing countries to more efficiently prevent, identify, investigate, prosecute and adjudicate crimes in the fisheries sector, through strengthening the legal and policy frameworks, enhance the criminal justice and law enforcement response, enhance the capacity of law enforcement to detect and inspect fisheries crime in containers, and raise awareness at all levels to highlight the serious nature of organised crime in the fisheries sector.
<b>Marine Pollution Enforcement Project Phase II</b>	INTERPOL	Global	Marine Litter and Microplastics	11.1 million NOK	2019-2022	To strengthen global, regional and national law enforcement responses to prevent and reduce marine pollution crime from sea- and land-based sources, by building capacity in developing countries and enhancing coordination and cooperation between countries.
<b>Enhancing the contribution of small-scale fisheries to food security</b>	FAO	Global, focus on Africa	Food from the Ocean Initiative	35 million NOK + additional support to the FAO FMM.	2015-2023	To support the implementation of policies for small-scale fisheries, with a focus on the post-harvest sectors. The project supports activities that empower women in the small-scale fishery sector in five African countries. Initial phase ended in 2020, and an inception phase of the second phase was completed in 2021. The second phase continues until 2023.

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<b>EAF-Nansen Programme</b>	FAO and IMR Norway	Global – focus on Africa	Fish for Development, Marine Litter and Microplastics	847.55 million NOK	2017-2023	To support the application of the ecosystem approach to fisheries management considering climate and pollution impacts, including surveys with the research vessel Dr. Fridtjof Nansen.
<b>No Plastic in Nature</b>	WWF Norway	Global	Marine litter and Microplastics	110 million NOK	2018-2022	To achieve no plastics in nature by 2030. At a global policy level, WWF is pushing for the adoption of a legally binding agreement to eliminate marine plastic pollution. At a corporate level, WWF works with consumer goods companies at global and national levels to engage businesses to solve the plastic waste issue. At cities level, WWF aims to eliminate plastic leakage in 25 cities and initiate a global movement for Plastic Pollution Free Cities.
<b>Further actions to address plastic waste under the Basel Convention</b>	Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm (BRS) Conventions	Global	Marine Litter and Microplastics	70.7 million NOK	2020-2022	To prevent and significantly reduce marine plastic litter from sources in partner countries, by increased knowledge among decision-makers on the control of transboundary movements and environmentally sound management of plastic waste in line the Basel Convention, in particular the Plastic Waste Amendment adopted at the Basel Convention COP-14.
<b>GRID-Arendal Programme support</b>	GRID-Arendal	Global		94 million NOK	2021-2024	To support environmentally sustainable development by communicating environmental knowledge that strengthens management capacity and motivates decision-makers to act. Focused on the responsible use of resources and improved health of natural systems and society through five thematic areas: i) Polar & Climate; ii)

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						Environmental Crime; iii) Transboundary Governance; iv) Ecosystems & Communities and; v) Waste & Marine Litter. The Norwegian Development Programme against Marine Litter and Microplastics has contributed with 30 million NOK from 2019-2021.
<b>UNEP Programme Cooperation</b>	United Nations Environment Programme (UNEP)	Global		370 million NOK	2019-2021	Support to UNEP under the Framework Agreement between Norway and UNEP, including focus on ocean issues. The Norwegian Development Programme against Marine Litter and Microplastics has contributed with 90 million NOK from 2019-2021, for UNEP's efforts on marine litter and microplastics.
<b>The Global Environmental Facility - GEF 7</b>	GEF	Global		520 million NOK	2018-2022	GEF is an international partnership that addresses global environmental issues within the fields of climate change, biodiversity, land degradation, international waters, and chemicals and waste. The Norwegian Development Programme against Marine Litter and Microplastics has contributed with 40 million NOK from 2019-2022, towards projects that will avoid marine plastic from entering the ocean.
<b>Support to civil society delivering on SDGs for Nature, Climate and People</b>	WWF Norway	Global		223.2 million NOK	2021-2025	To address the severe loss of biodiversity and climate change by influencing and addressing the problems of weak governance, lack of corporate standards and unsustainable investments. Broad support, including a focus on fisheries and sustainable blue economy.
<b>From trash to cash: turning plastic pollution into</b>	Tearfund	Global and Nigeria	Marine Litter and Microplastics	24 million NOK	2020-2023	At a global level, to strengthen partnerships between private sector and the informal waste sector. In Nigeria, to increase plastic

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<b>economic opportunity</b>						collection and recycling in Yola city and to engage local, vulnerable youth in establishing a social enterprise.
<b>Capacity and Community building work programme on combatting marine plastic pollution</b>	New York University	Global, focused on Small-Island Developing States (SIDS)	Marine Litter and Microplastics	1.6 million NOK	2021-2022	To improve capacity of SIDS diplomats on the issue of marine plastic pollution in various multilateral fora.
<b>Poverty reduction through business development and formal cooperation</b>	Norges Vel	Global	Fish for Development	70 million NOK	2020-2023	Part of this project is for aquaculture. The goal is to reduce poverty and fuel local economic growth through local business development, mainly based on sustainable and climate-smart use of local natural resources.
<b>Support to PROBLUE</b>	World Bank	Global	Fish for Development, Oceans for Development, Marine Litter and Microplastics	321 million NOK	2018-2026	Support to the World Bank multi-donor trust fund that supports the sustainable and integrated development of marine and coastal resources in a healthy ocean. Support to all four pillars: 1) fisheries and aquaculture, 2) marine pollution, 3) blueing oceanic sectors, and 4) seascape management.
<b>IMO TEST Biofouling</b>	IMO	Global	Oceans for Development	33.3 million NOK	2021-2024	To accelerate the transfer of environmentally sound technologies through demonstration pilots to reduce biofouling and related emissions from the shipping sector.
<b>World Maritime University Fellowship Programme</b>	World Maritime University	Global	Oceans for Development	10.4 million NOK	2020-2023	Support to students from developing countries. Candidates who complete and graduate from the MSc programme return to their nominated employer with expertise to strengthen and assist their country's maritime and ocean sectors.
<b>Responsible use of fisheries and</b>	FAO	Global	Oceans for Development,	209 million NOK	2020-2023	Agreement with FAO focusing on i) implementation of the Agreement on Port

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<b>aquaculture for sustainable development</b>			Fish for Development			State Measures to Prevent, Deter and Eliminate Illegal, Unreported and Unregulated Fishing, ii) climate change adaptation, iii) enhancing capacities to improve health of aquatic animals and plants and reduce disease burden, and iv) social protection programmes, including shock-responsive and gender sensitive social protection for fishers, fish-workers and fish-farmers.
<b>Support to the Intergovernmental Oceanographic Commission-UNESCO</b>	IOC-UNESCO	Global	Oceans for Development	20 million NOK	2020-2021	Support to IOC to reinforce their capacity development activities and to coordinate the UN Decade of Ocean Science for Sustainable Development.
<b>AFRICA</b>						
<b>Fisheries intelligence and MCS support in West Africa phase II: building cooperation, communication and collaboration to end illegal fishing.</b>	Trygg Mat Tracking and West Africa Task Force under the Fisheries Committee for the West Central Gulf of Guinea	Regional - West Africa	Fish for Development	33.7 million NOK	2018-2022	To bring together national enforcement authorities, regional organisations and international technical and legal experts to combat large-scale illegal fishing through information-sharing and regional cooperation between the Member States—Liberia, Cote d'Ivoire, Ghana, Togo, Benin and Nigeria.
<b>E4D – Employment and skills for Africa</b>	GIZ	Regional		125 million NOK	2021-2023	Programme to promote skills development and enterprise development in Kenya, Mozambique, Tanzania, Uganda and Ghana. E4D implements two projects on aquaculture with Norad funds in Ghana: i) Integrated Aquaculture Value Chain Project in the Western Region of Ghana, and ii) Supporting farmers and existing enterprises in the aquaculture value chain, Ministry of Fisheries and Aquaculture Development and Fisheries Commission.

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<b>Increased sustainability in the aquaculture sector in sub-Saharan Africa, through improved aquatic animal health management.</b>	WorldFish, Norwegian Veterinary Institute	Regional	Fish for Development	27 million NOK	2020-2024	To increase sustainability and resilience in the aquaculture sector in sub-Saharan Africa, through improved aquatic animal health management and biosecurity governance.
<b>Fish for Development institutional cooperation Ghana</b>	Fisheries Commission of Ghana, IMR Norway	Ghana	Fish for Development	50 million NOK	2019-2024	To enhance the socio-economic development of Ghana through sustainable management of the fisheries and aquaculture sectors.
<b>University of Ghana Ocean Governance Centre</b>	University of Ghana	Ghana	Oceans for Development	10 million NOK	2021-2025	To build and strengthen knowledge on ocean governance and law of the sea in Ghana.
<b>Building Capacity to Crosslink Coastal Pollution with Climate Change</b>	Norwegian University of Science and Technology, University of Ghana, University of Dar es Salaam	Ghana, Tanzania	NORHED II	19.8 million NOK	2021-2026	To build knowledge on sustainable management of marine coastal ecosystems and resources, strengthening & improving existing regional coastal research.
<b>Capacity Building in Aquatic and Environmental Health in West Africa</b>	Norwegian University of Life Sciences, University of Ghana, University of Development Studies, Kwame Nkrumah University of Science and Technology, University of Lagos	Ghana, Nigeria	NORHED II	20 million NOK	2021-2026	To strengthen the quality and relevance of education in fish health and environmental health, and establish research programmes at partner institutions as well as joint research groups across institutions.
<b>Enhanced Capacity for Aquatic Resources in East and South Africa</b>	Norwegian University of Life Sciences, University of Nairobi, Mbeya University of Science and Technology, Egerton University, Lilongwe University of Agriculture	Kenya, Malawi, Mozambique, Tanzania, Uganda, Zambia	NORHED II	20.5 million NOK	2021-2026	To strengthen the education and research systems of partner institutions, including investment in small-scale infrastructure, to secure an equitable gender-balanced, more competent and qualified workforce to meet the challenges of the aquaculture industry.



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	and Natural Resources, University of Eduardo Mondlane, University of Dar Es Salaam, Makerere University, University of Zambia					
<b>CEPAQ – a platform for aquaculture development in Mozambique</b>	The National Fisheries Research Institute (IIP)	Mozambique	Fish for Development	65 million NOK	2020-2024	Through CEPAQ create a platform for private investors that see an opportunity to produce tilapia for sales in the local market and thereby create jobs and increase food security.
<b>Scaling up profitable aquaculture in Mozambique</b>	Norges Vel, Papá Pesca Lda.	Mozambique	Fish for Development	40.15 million NOK	2019-2023	To increase food security in Mozambique by establishing a sustainable incubator in tilapia farming that may attract investments and demonstrate a basis for further industry development.
<b>Strengthening Environmental Education and Awareness</b>	CEAR (Cooperativa de Educacao Ambiental Repensar)	Mozambique	Marine Litter and Microplastics	7.7 million NOK	2020-2023	To raise environmental awareness of waste pollution in general and plastic pollution specifically, as well as the importance of protecting the environment, conserving biodiversity and building resilience to climate change in society as a whole.
<b>Climate change, Energy, Sustainability: Transformations and Governance</b>	Oslo Metropolitan University, Eduardo Mondlane University, Lurio University, University of Dar es Salaam, State University of Zanzibar	Mozambique, Tanzania	NORHED II	20 million NOK	2021-2026	The project addresses the needs for increased education and research capacity to deal with some major coastal area development challenges in Tanzania and Mozambique related to the sustainability of extraction of their energy resources, particularly oil and gas, and the implications for climate change mitigation.
<b>Plastic Pollution and Marine Litter</b>	Association Zero Zbel	Morocco	Marine Litter and	1.1 million NOK	2019-2021	To support evidence-based advocacy through waste audits along river basins, and to raise-

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<b>Prevention: Advocacy through Empowerment, Narrative Change and Data Building</b>			Microplastics			awareness on marine litter, as well as creating a network of committed actors in the waste management field.
<b>FishFORCE Programme</b>	Nelson Mandela University	South Africa and regional	Fish for Development	24 million NOK	2016-2022	Support to training programs for fisheries law enforcement officers and the establishment of regional fisheries enforcement academy.
<b>SANOCEAN Programme</b>	South African National Research Foundation, Norwegian Research Council	South Africa		30 million NOK	2018-2023	Research projects where 10 South African and 10 Norwegian researchers work together on ocean/blue economy related projects with the objective of enhancing related policies for both countries.
<b>Towards Zero plastics to the Seas of Africa</b>	Sustainable Seas Trust	South Africa	Marine Litter and Microplastics	39.7 million NOK	2019-2023	To move all African countries towards achieving zero plastics to the seas. The project has an initial focus on Nelson Mandela Bay Municipality in South Africa where methods and techniques are being developed to provide proof of concept. Following proof of concept, the methods will be rolled out to various African countries, beginning with countries bordering the Western Indian Ocean.
<b>Building institutional capacities for an ecosystem approach to management of the marine fishery in the Red Sea State (Phase II)</b>	IMR Norway, University of Bergen, Marine Fisheries Administration Red Sea State, Red Sea University – Faculty of Marine Sciences and Fisheries, Red Sea Fisheries Research Centre, Port Sudan.	Sudan	Fish for Development	52 million NOK	2018-2022	To i) build institutional capacities among the partner institutions to collect, store and analyse data from the artisanal/small scale fishery based on capture of coral reef fish along the coast of Sudan’s Red Sea state, ii) analyse fisheries independent data on the status of harvested fish stocks and provide training in survey work, and iii) lay the foundations for an ecosystem approach to fisheries management of the marine fishery

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						in the Red Sea State and develop a management plan based on the best available science and -practice.
<b>Samaki: Fisheries, nutrition, livelihoods, gender and rights in Tanzania</b>	University of Tromsø, University of Dar Es Salaam, The State University of Zanzibar, Institute of Fisheries Research - Zanzibar, IMR Norway	Tanzania	NORHED II	19.9 million NOK	2021-2026	To provide resource users, managers and government with evidence-based options to advise and inform their decision-making towards maintaining ecosystem integrity, coastal economy, food security and sustainable livelihoods for communities through improved fisheries governance.
<b>Strategic Partnership in Aquaculture</b>	WorldFish	Tanzania and Zambia		20 million NOK	2018-2021	To work with vocational training centres to build capacity and design practical and innovative tools that promote the use of appropriate technologies to support the development of medium- to small-scale entrepreneurs in the aquaculture sector, fish farm workers and students in Zambia and Tanzania.
<b>ASIA</b>						
<b>ASEAN-Norwegian Capacity Building Project for Reducing Plastic Pollution (ASEANO)</b>	Norwegian Institute for Water Research, (with Center for Southeast Asian Studies).	Regional – ASEAN countries	Marine Litter and Microplastics	26.5 million NOK	2019-2022	To build knowledge and capacity for the ASEAN to tackle plastic pollution from key industries and business sectors by developing and testing sound reduction technologies. ASEANO will make the stakeholders better suited to set viable targets, consolidate efforts in the region and monitor progress.
<b>Countering Illegal Hazardous Waste Trafficking through the UNODC-WCO Container Control Programme</b>	United Nations Office on Drugs and Crime (UNODC)	Regional - Cambodia, Malaysia, the Philippines, Viet Nam and Thailand.	Marine Litter and Microplastics	16.9 million NOK	2020-2023	To improve the capacity of partner countries to detect and suppress illicit trade in hazardous waste, such as plastic and scrap waste, e-waste and chemicals. The project includes training to enhance the technical skills of customs and law enforcement officers in ports, as well as inter-agency

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						cooperation.
<b>Ending Plastic Pollution Innovation Challenge (EPPIC)</b>	UNDP Viet Nam	Regional and Viet Nam	Marine Litter and Microplastics	14.2 million NOK	2020-2022	To reduce the plastic waste entering the ocean in ASEAN by supporting local circular economy innovations, and increasing knowledge-building and cooperation in the region. The project has organised innovation challenges in Vietnam, Thailand, Philippines, and Indonesia.
<b>Norway-Pacific Ocean-Climate Scholarship Project</b>	University of Bergen, the University of the South Pacific, Fiji	Regional - Pacific Islands (12 countries)	NORHED II	27.9 million NOK	2021-2026	To i) build a strong interdisciplinary Pacific cohort of PhD researchers to address urgent challenges for ocean and climate; ii) build new multidisciplinary Pacific research on the ocean-climate nexus for regional and global policy impact; and iii) build enduring partnerships between researchers and universities in Norway and the Pacific Islands.
<b>Marinforsk Norglobal</b>	The Research Council of Norway	Regional	Marine litter and Microplastics	20 million	2019-2024 (projects are 3-5 years)	To strengthen research knowledge on marine litter and pollution in Asia. Two research projects on marine litter and pollution have been selected: The project “Asian Scientific Alliance for Plastic Pollution and Value Network Management” with partner Niva. The project “Pollution in the coastal wetlands of East Asia: Cascading effects from littoral macroinvertebrates to migrating shorebirds” with partner NTNU.
<b>Phase II Bay of Bengal Large Marine Ecosystem</b>	FAO	Regional, Bay of Bengal	Oceans for Development	40 million NOK	2021-2025	To support the sustainable management of fisheries, marine living resources and their habitats in the Bay of Bengal region for the benefit of coastal states and communities. Co-financed with GEF.

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<b>Marine environment protection in Southeast Asian Seas (MEPSEAS)</b>	IMO	Regional – East Asia	Oceans for Development	16 million NOK	2018-2021	To reduce the risks and impacts of marine environmental issues related to maritime transport in ASEAN region. The project supports Indonesia, Malaysia, Vietnam, Cambodia, Philippines, Myanmar and Thailand to complete their legal, policy and institutional reform processes.
<b>Integrated Approach towards Sustainable Plastics Use and (Marine) Litter Prevention in Bangladesh</b>	United Nations Industrial Development Organization (UNIDO)	Bangladesh	Marine Litter and Microplastics	38 million NOK	2020-2023	To start the development and deployment of an integrated approach to sustainable plastic use and marine litter prevention. The project will strengthen policy framework, improve capacity and enhance responsibility and action of key stakeholders.
<b>Safe and environmentally sound ship recycling in Bangladesh, SENREC III</b>	International Maritime Organisation (IMO)	Bangladesh		14 million NOK	2020-2022	To enhance the national capacities on safe and environmentally sound recycling of ships.
<b>SINOPLAST Capacity Building for Reducing Plastic and Microplastic Pollution</b>	Ministry of Ecology and Environment, China, the The Basel Convention Regional Center for Asia and Pacific, and the Norwegian Institute for Water Research (Niva)	China	Marine Litter and Microplastics	26 million NOK	2019-2022	To build knowledge and capacity in China to improve the country's ability to tackle plastic pollution from significant sources within key industries, government, and civil society. The project will develop a set of sound and feasible measures to reduce plastic pollution, and contribute to strengthening monitoring capacity and supporting the government's enforcement and control.
<b>Environment and Aquaculture Governance – EAG phase III</b>	IMR Norway, Yellow Sea Fisheries Research Institute under Chinese Academy of Fisheries Sciences	China	Fish for Development	18 million NOK	2019-2022	To make aquaculture a sustainable and larger provider for future food security.
<b>Ocean Plastic Turned into an Opportunity in</b>	Sintef	China, Vietnam, and	Marine Litter and	45.8 million NOK	2018-2023	To pilot the use of non-recyclable materials for energy-recovery in energy-intensive

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<b>Circular economy</b>		India	Microplastics			industries, such as the cement industry.
<b>India-Norway Marine Spatial Planning Project</b>	Norwegian Environment Agency, IMR Norway	India		11 million NOK	2020-2024	To contribute towards improved ecological status of marine and coastal ecosystems in India, through improved management following the development and operationalisation of a framework for an inter-departmental coordination mechanism for integrated ocean management, including marine spatial planning and monitoring.
<b>Coordinating and Providing a Common Platform for India-Norway Marine Pollution Initiative:</b>	UNEP New Delhi	India	Marine Litter and Microplastics	8.7 million NOK	2019-2022	To improve the management of marine pollution in India and support India to actively engage globally on this issue. UNEP New Delhi plays the role of a knowledge coordinator and advisor in the India-Norway Marine Pollution Initiative.
<b>India-Norway Cooperation Project on Capacity Building for Reducing Plastic and Chemical Pollution in India</b>	Norwegian Institute for Water Research	India	Marine Litter and Microplastics	30 million NOK	2020-2022	To address highly interlinked and key challenges regarding marine litter, microplastics and Persistent Organic Pollutants.
<b>CSE Mainstreaming Circular Economy</b>	Centre for Science and Environment (CSE)	India	Marine Litter and Microplastics	28 million NOK	2020-2023	To implement a decentralised and segregation model of waste management in 2 model cities for state level advocacy on sustainable waste management, and to support a forum of cities to become pioneers in waste management. The project will also generate new knowledge, change policy/regulations and build capacities of different stakeholders on circular economy.
<b>Marine litter and mindset change in</b>	Afroz Shah Foundation	India	Marine Litter and	10.6 million NOK	2019-2021	To organise clean-ups of plastics and waste in beaches, rivers and parks in Mumbai, and to

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<b>Mumbai</b>			Microplastics			raise awareness on circular economy. It seeks to address knowledge gaps in the population about marine litter and its effects on health and the economy.
<b>Oceans, Marine Debris and Coastal Resources Multi-Donor Trust Fund for Indonesia</b>	World Bank	Indonesia	Marine Litter and Microplastics	21.5 million NOK	2018-2027	To provide technical assistance, analytical support, pilot activities and financing to assist the Government of Indonesia in developing and implementing its National Oceans Agenda.
<b>Sustainable Marine Aquaculture Development in Indonesia</b>	University of Tromsø and Indonesia's Ministry of Marine Affairs and Fisheries	Indonesia	Fish for Development	4 million NOK	2019-2022	To build capacity of Indonesian stakeholders on marine aquaculture, including in fish disease, selective breeding, standards and guidelines, and spatial planning.
<b>STOP Marine Plastics</b>	SYSTEMIQ	Indonesia	Marine Litter and Microplastics	30 million NOK	2018-2021	To build effective, circular waste management systems that eliminate leakage of plastics into the ocean and increase resource efficiency. The project also aims to provide socio-economic benefits for local communities.
<b>Bali Partnership: From Commitment to Action</b>	SYSTEMIQ	Indonesia	Marine Litter and Microplastics	7 million NOK	2018-2021	To build a scientific backbone on where and why plastic is entering waterways in Bali, and to solve significant structural and regulatory constraints in waste collection systems.
<b>Support Marine Debris National Secretariat</b>	UNDP	Indonesia	Marine Litter and Microplastics	10.5 million NOK	2019-2024	The Secretariat, established in 2019, is to contribute to the Presidential Decree on Implementing National Action Plan on Marine Debris. The Secretariat is to coordinate and facilitate five task forces to have integrated and synergizes action plans of marine debris reduction.
<b>Clean Oceans through Clean Communities</b>	Avfall Norge (Waste Norway)	Indonesia	Marine Litter and Microplastics	39.7 million NOK	2018-2023	To reduce emissions of plastics to the ocean through improved waste management, by focusing on training programmes on system

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						understanding and waste management plans.
<b>Coastal Ecosystem Resilience CER</b>	International Union for the Conservation of Nature	Lebanon		9 million NOK	2019-2022	To enhance ecological climate change resilience of marine and coastal systems to reduce vulnerability of coastal towns.
<b>Rehabilitation and waste management of El-Bared Irrigation System to reduce source-to-sea pollution and improve the livelihoods in the Akkar Region of Lebanon</b>	FAO	Lebanon	Marine Litter and Microplastics	8.5 million NOK	2020-2022	To minimize the discharge of waste from El Bared system in Lebanon to the Mediterranean Sea through improved solid waste disposal, rehabilitation of irrigation canal systems, improved agricultural output and job creation.
<b>Capacity Building on Waste Management in the Bago Region</b>	Norwegian Institute for Water Research	Myanmar	Marine Litter and Microplastics	12.2 million NOK	2020-2022	To build capacity to tackle waste pollution from domestic and small-scale industrial sources, where the project impact is to reduce the negative effects from waste pollution on the environment.
<b>Cooperation MARINA in the Philippines</b>	MARINA, Norwegian Maritime Authority	Philippines	Oceans for Development	4 million NOK	2021-2022	Institutional capacity building support from the Norwegian Maritime Authority to MARINA.
<b>Technical assistance to improve management of the fish resources of Sri Lanka, Phase II</b>	IMR Norway, National Aquatic Research and Development Agency, Sri Lanka	Sri Lanka	Fish for Development	8.7 million NOK	2020-2023	To contribute to sustainable management of the fisheries resources in Sri Lanka, while providing capacity building and technical assistance for local institutions.
<b>Scaling Up a Socialised model of Domestic Waste and Plastic Management in Five Cities</b>	UNDP Viet Nam	Vietnam	Marine Litter and Microplastics	8.8 million NOK	2019-2022	To contribute to environmental protection in five cities, and to enhance the recognition of the informal sector and the linkages between the informal and formal sector in Vietnam, as well as enhancing capacity and actions by the government authorities.



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<b>Building Resilience in the Eastern Caribbean through Reduction of Marine Litter and Pollution (ReMLiT)</b>	Organisation of Eastern Caribbean States Commission	Regional - Eastern Caribbean States	Marine Litter and Microplastics	27 million NOK	2019-2021	To strengthen global commitments and national and regional instruments to prevent marine litter, increase awareness of issues related to marine litter, harmonise policies and legislation for effective management and reduction of waste, as well as on-the-ground interventions in the participating countries
<b>Plastic Waste Free islands</b>	IUCN	Regional: St Lucia, Grenada and Antigua and Barbuda in Caribbean, and Fiji, Vanuatu and Samoa in the Pacific	Marine Litter and Microplastics	61 million NOK	2018-2022	To reduce the amount of plastic litter generated and improve waste management, specifically from the industries fisheries, tourism and waste management.
<b>Building knowledge to Combat Marine Litter</b>	Brazilian Biodiversity Fund (Funbio) and the University in São Paulo.	Brazil	Marine Litter and Microplastics	1.2 million NOK	2019-2021	To develop a long-term strategy for monitoring and assessing the marine litter in the State of São Paulo, Brazil, and to improve a multisector stakeholder engagement.
<b>Improved productivity and sustainability in the tilapia value chain</b>	Caritas Norway	Colombia	Fish for Development	15 million NOK	2018-2022	The project aims to increase productivity, profitability and sustainability in the tilapia value chain in Colombia, including the introduction of better health management and vaccines.
<b>Improved livelihoods in aquaculture for rural youth in Caquetá, Colombia</b>	Caritas Norway	Colombia	Fish for Development	19.9 million NOK	2018-2022	To improve the livelihoods of rural youth and their households in Caquetá department, by i) developing the relevant skills for youth and their families as demanded by the local aquaculture labour market, ii) improve their

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						household income through the creation of formal businesses and/or jobs in the aquaculture market, iii) encourage the formalisation of the new youth-driven businesses to give them a better chance at increasing the quality of their product, and iv) promote research and knowledge transfer between Norwegian and Colombian academic institutions.
<b>Sustainable Fishing Practices: Reducing Poverty in Colombia</b>	Conservation International	Colombia	Fish for Development	14.9 million NOK	2018-2022	To reduce poverty of Colombian coastal small-scale fisherfolks through improved fisheries management and production schemes, and strengthen capacity to sustainably manage the coastal areas where the project will focus.
<b>Fish for Development pre-project Colombia</b>	IMR Norway, Norwegian Veterinary Institute, AUNAP, ICAA, FEDEAQUA	Colombia	Fish for Development	3.4 million NOK	2018-2021	To develop a programme document and sign a cooperation agreement between Columbia and Norway, with subsequent start-up of a Fish for Development programme.
<b>MULTI-REGIONAL</b>						
<b>Sound management, prevention and minimisation of plastic waste</b>	Secretariat of the Basel, Rotterdam and Stockholm (BRS) Conventions	Ghana, Bangladesh and Sri Lanka	Marine Litter and Microplastics	15 million NOK	2018-2022	To prevent and significantly reduce marine litter and microplastics from sources in partner countries, by focusing on plastic waste crossing national borders, environmentally sound management of plastic waste, and management of sources of plastic waste.
<b>Ecosystem-based management of coastal marine resources</b>	University of Tromsø, University of Cape Coast, Bogor Agricultural University, NHA Trang University	Ghana, Indonesia, Vietnam	NORHED II	19.4 million NOK	2021-2026	To develop high level Marine Resource Economics competence to analyse economic development, sustainable ecosystem-based management, and recommend policies to address local and regional issues.

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