



GHOSTMED

Field sheet – Assessment of the impact of derelict fishing gear



Don't forget to take pictures and videos



Fields in bold are mandatory to implement the protocol

General informations

Name of the operator: _____

Date of observation: _____

Type of gear: _____

Details on location : _____

Coordinates GPS: Latitude: _____

Longitude: _____

Site usages

	YES	NO
Swimming:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scuba diving/snorkeling/ spearfishing:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Sailing /Mooring:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fishing:	<input type="checkbox"/>	<input type="checkbox"/>

Notes, drawing of the area:



Dimensions and characteristics



Depth:

Dimensions of the gear (width x Length:

Breadth of the impact:	0m ² to 5m ²	<input type="checkbox"/>	5m ² to 20m ²	<input type="checkbox"/>	> 20m ²	<input type="checkbox"/>
Fishing capacity:	Nil	<input type="checkbox"/>	Weak	<input type="checkbox"/>	Strong	<input type="checkbox"/>
Scouring of the substrate:	Nil	<input type="checkbox"/>	Low	<input type="checkbox"/>	Important	<input type="checkbox"/>
Obstructed crevices :	None	<input type="checkbox"/>	1 à 10	<input type="checkbox"/>	> 10	<input type="checkbox"/>
Habitat creation:	YES	<input type="checkbox"/>	NO	<input type="checkbox"/>		
Engagement:	Weak (0-10%)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Medium (10-50%)	<input type="checkbox"/>	Important (>50%)	<input type="checkbox"/>

Colonization :

Stage 0 :  Stage 1 : 

Stage 2 :  Stage 3 : 

Species attached to the gear	Size/number

Number of mobile individuals trapped:


None ☐


1 to 2 ☐


3 to 5 ☐


> 5 ☐


Trapped mobile species	Size/number	Stage (1 to 5)

1  Alive

2  Recent death

3  Partially decomposed

4  Skeleton visible

5  Flesh completely decomposed

Number of fixed individuals torn off :

None ☐

1 to 10 ☐

> 10 ☐

Species fixed torn off	Size/number	Remarks

Number of fixed individuals damaged :

None ☐

1 to 10 ☐

> 10 ☐

Damaged fixed species	Size/number	% necrosis	Biofouling

Presence of remarkable species :

colonizing the gear

Yes ☐ No ☐

near the gear

Yes ☐ No ☐

Seascape

Change in seascape :

No ☐

Yes ☐

Adjective qualifying the gear:

Negative ☐

Neutral ☐

Positive ☐

Topography:

Decrease ☐

No changes ☐

Increase ☐

Remarks

Posidonia meadow ☐

Coralligenous ☐

Sublittoral reef ☐

Wreck ☐

Artificial reef ☐

Pebble ☐

Detritic ☐

Sand ☐

Mud ☐