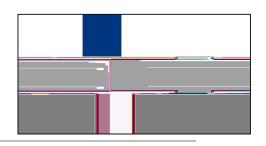


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MPA Program(s) Description or Highlights:

More than 11% MPA coverage of the national

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- Compilation of management plans for MPAs
- Get a better inventory/survey/mapping coverage of our sites in our MPA network
- Long coastline and several large archipelagos with a lot of islands which make it demanding to survey, map and monitor the coast
- Conservation status inhibited by severe pollution in Baltic Sea