



Webinar:

“Environmental Impact Assessment: the TREASURE experience”

Programme

10:00 – 11:30 CET

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1. Introduction

Improving environmental quality in and around Mediterranean port areas, particularly by mitigating sediment and water pollution, remains a shared priority for ports across the Mediterranean and other European sea basins. **Addressing these challenges requires not only innovative technical solutions, but also effective governance models, clear implementation pathways and structured stakeholder engagement.**

In this context, the TREASURE consortium is committed to capitalising on the solutions tested throughout the project and to sharing the knowledge generated with a broader community of port authorities, public administrations, infrastructure and service providers, enterprises, and research actors.

Building on the project's results and outputs, TREASURE is now focusing on transferability and uptake. Through its Transferability and Engagement Plan, the project aims to:

1. Share practical, evidence-based technical solutions and governance approaches that support ports and coastal administrations in improving water and sediment quality; and
2. Engage stakeholders in a constructive dialogue to gather feedback, assess replication potential, and facilitate the adaptation and scaling-up of TREASURE solutions across different territorial and operational contexts.

This webinar will introduce the risk assessment model implemented within the project, based on the Lines of Evidence approach, as a tool to support informed decision-making in port environmental management.

2. Assessing Environmental Impacts: The TREASURE Approach

This webinar will offer participants from local, regional and national public administrations, infrastructure and service providers, ports and shipping companies, enterprises, SMEs, business support organisations, NGOs, and research and academic institutions across the Euro-MED area the opportunity to:

- **Gain a comprehensive understanding of the environmental quality assessment approach** developed within the TREASURE project, based on the Lines of Evidence (LoE) approach, including its structure, indicators, and practical application as a decision-support tool;
- **Explore methodological insights** provided by ISPRA on the LoE framework and the design of **the assessment matrix**;
- **Learn from the practical experiences of the Port of Livorno and the Port of Piraeus** in applying the environmental matrix, including sampling activities, key findings, and critical challenges encountered;
- **Engage with project partners and port representatives**, fostering knowledge exchange and discussion on the applicability and transferability of the assessment approach in different port and territorial contexts.

3. Programme

Time	Session	Speaker
10:00 – 10:15	Welcome and Introduction to the TREASURE Project	<i>Anna Marconato - CEI-ES</i>
10:15 – 10.45	Introduction to the TREASURE approach to monitoring environmental quality through Lines of Evidence – the Environmental quality assessment matrix	<i>Cristian Mugnai - Italian Institute for Environmental Protection and Research, ISPRA</i>
10:45 – 11:00	Application of the Environmental Assessment Matrix in Port Contexts: Practical Experiences, Sampling Activities, Key Takeaways and Critical Challenges – the port of Piraeus case	<i>Pavlos Filippidis - Piraeus Port Authority</i>
11:00– 11.15	Application of the Environmental Assessment Matrix in Port Contexts: Practical Experiences, Sampling Activities, Key Takeaways and Critical Challenges – the port of Livorno case	<i>Lorenzo Morrone - Italian Institute for Environmental Protection and Research, ISPRA</i>
11.15 – 11.30	Q&A	