







Tools for Assessment and Planning of Aquaculture Sustainability

- TAPAS is a four-year EU Horizon 2020 collaborative research project of 15 partner organizations including research institutions, SMEs and regulators. Project duration 2016-2020
- The TAPAS project focuses on the aquaculture sector both marine and freshwater environments with the aim to:
- decrease the licensing time for new and existing developments
- enhance the public image of aquaculture
- improving the sustainability of aquaculture in the EU



































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The **TAPAS** project is implemented through a series of parallel case studies throughout Europe covering a range of different production system including Integrated **M**ulti-

Tropic Aquaculture (IMTA)



Malta Case Study: assessment of nutrient dispersion and uptake by an IMTA system using as extractive species the sea cucumber *Holothuria poli*

Use of hydrographic data collected using a **current profiler** to model the dispersion pattern of suspended solid waste from the fish farm.

CAPOT Model: Current speed, direction

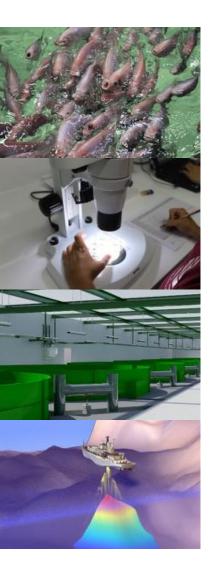
Other Case Studies: Chemical & physical parameters of the water column



Deployment of current profiler

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