



Session 7

EAFm cycle overview

Essential EAFm training
Date | Place



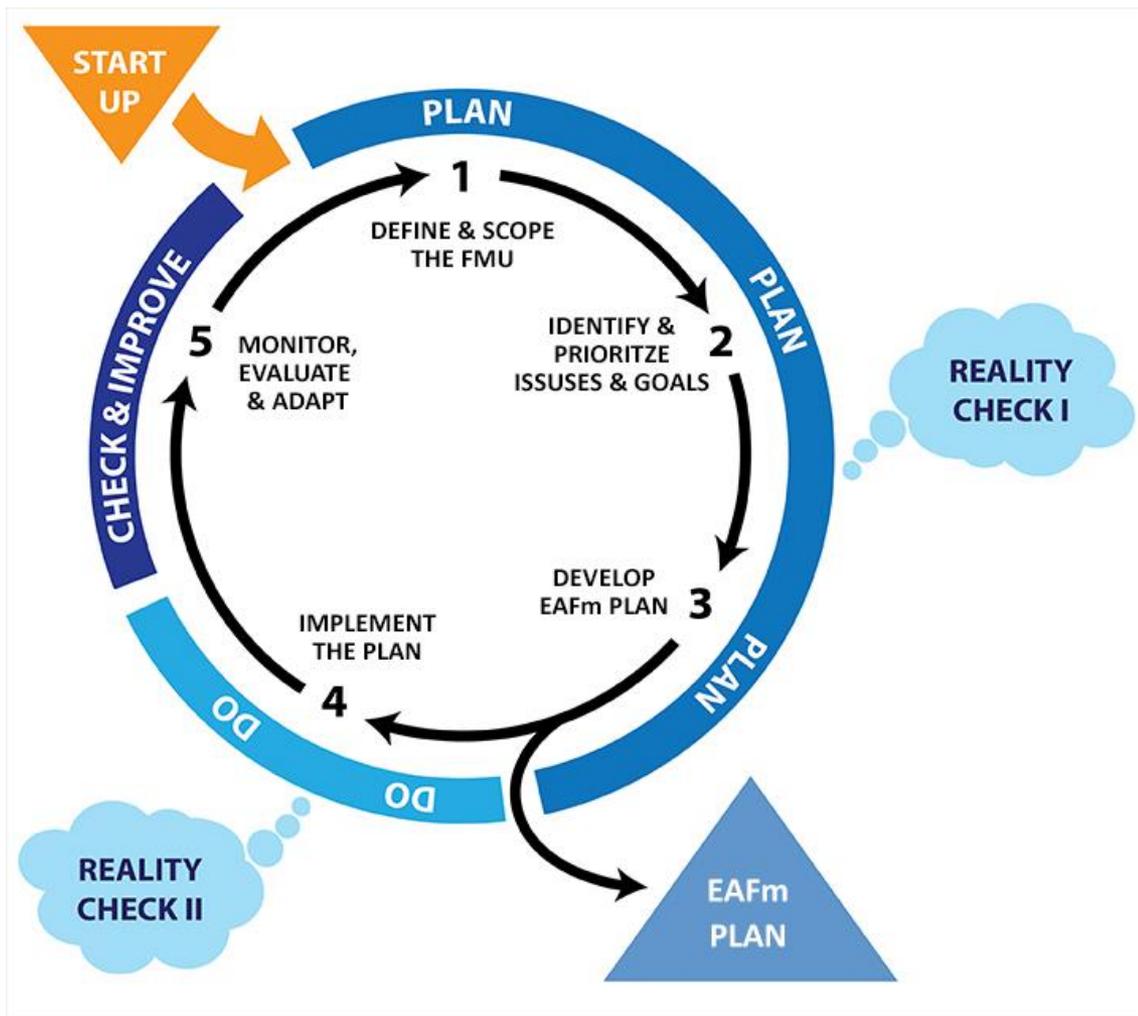
Session objectives

After this session you will be able to:

- Describe the key steps of the EAFm cycle and how to plan, implement and monitor EAFm
- Identify the planning steps in EAFm cycle
- Describe the outline of an EAFm plan



The 5 steps of EAFm

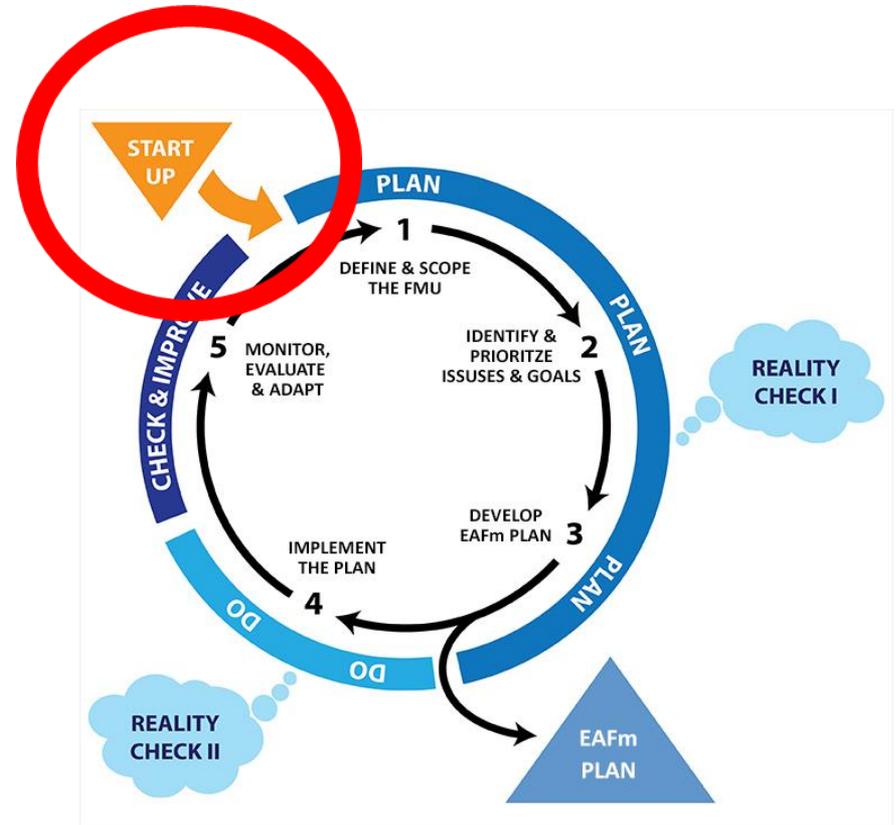




Startup A

A: Prepare for EAFm

- Decide on the general location for planning
- Identify who should be involved
- Plan for the process



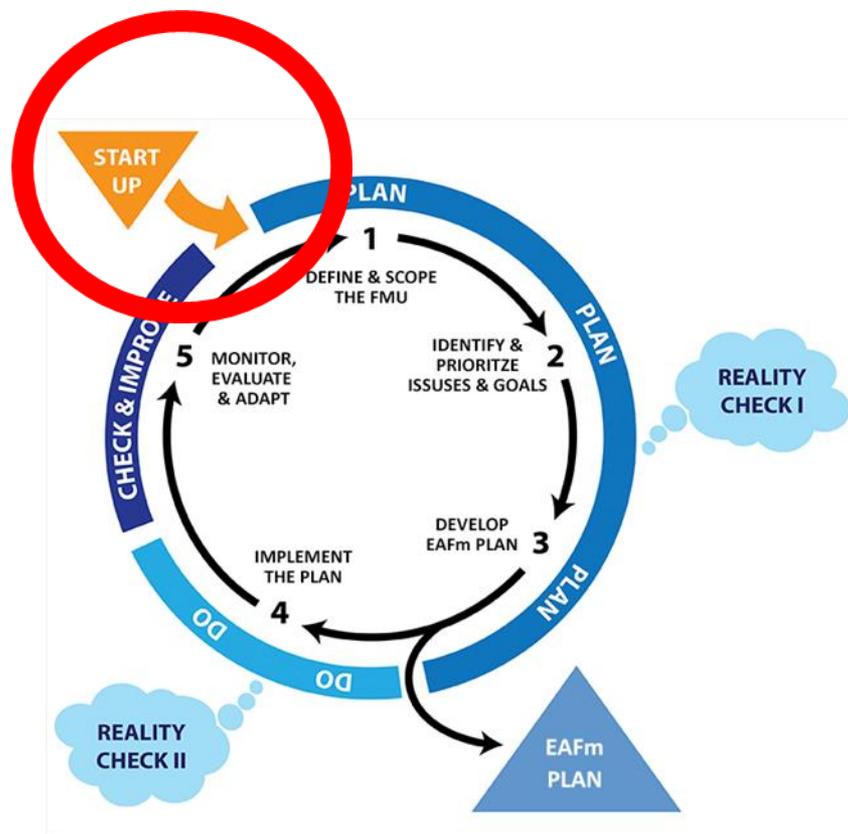


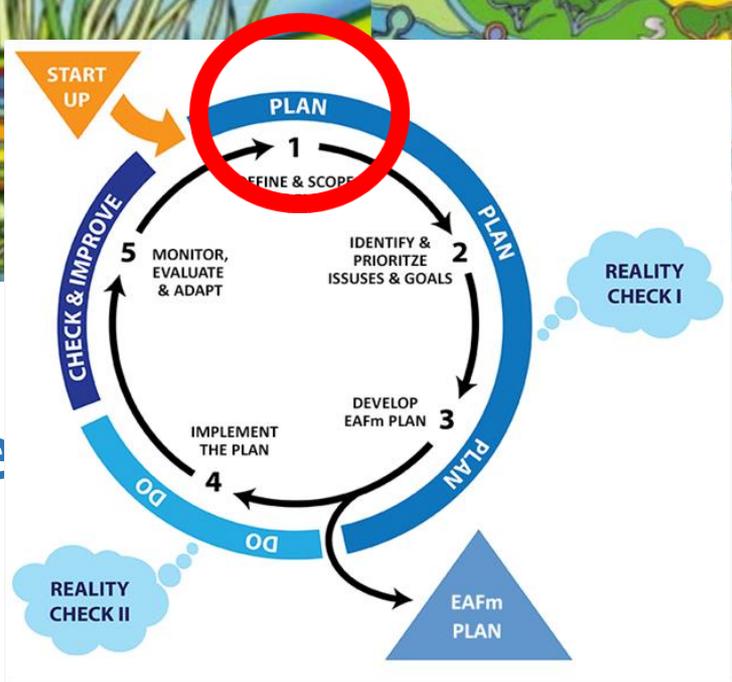
Startup B

B: Stakeholder engagement

Engage stakeholders for:

- Participatory planning
- Co-management

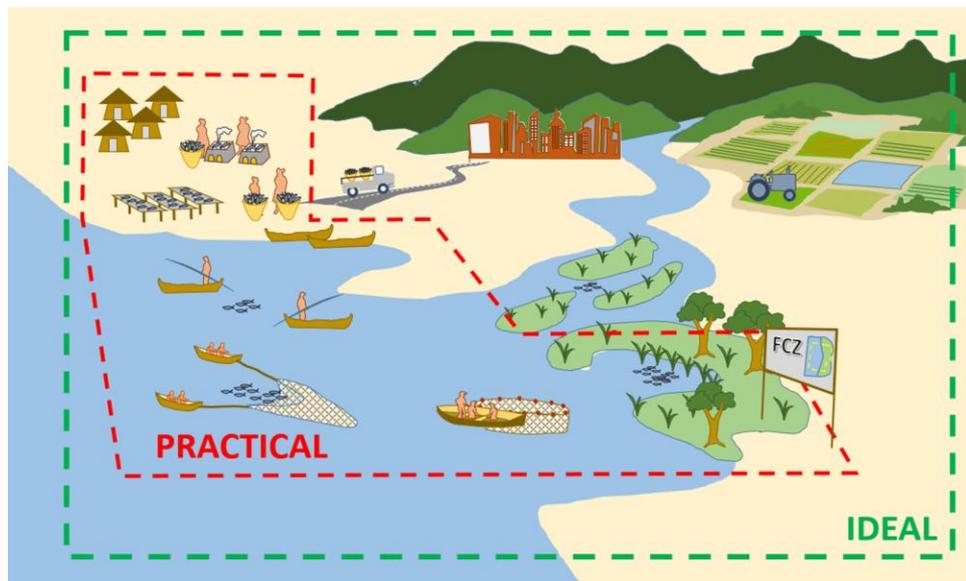




Step 1 Define and scope the Fisheries Management Unit (FMU)

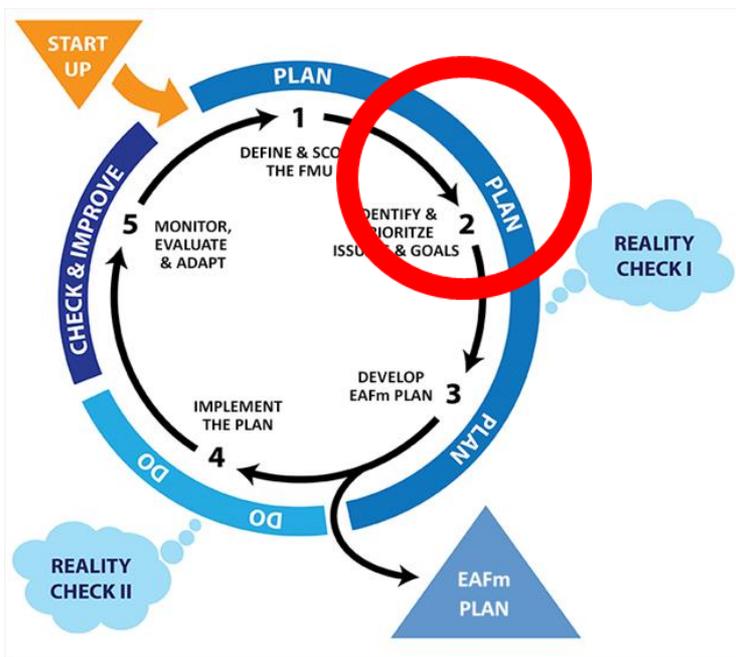
- 1.1 Define the FMU
- 1.2 Agree the FMU vision
- 1.3 Scope the FMU

Provides background information and a vision





Step 2 Identify & prioritize issues & goals



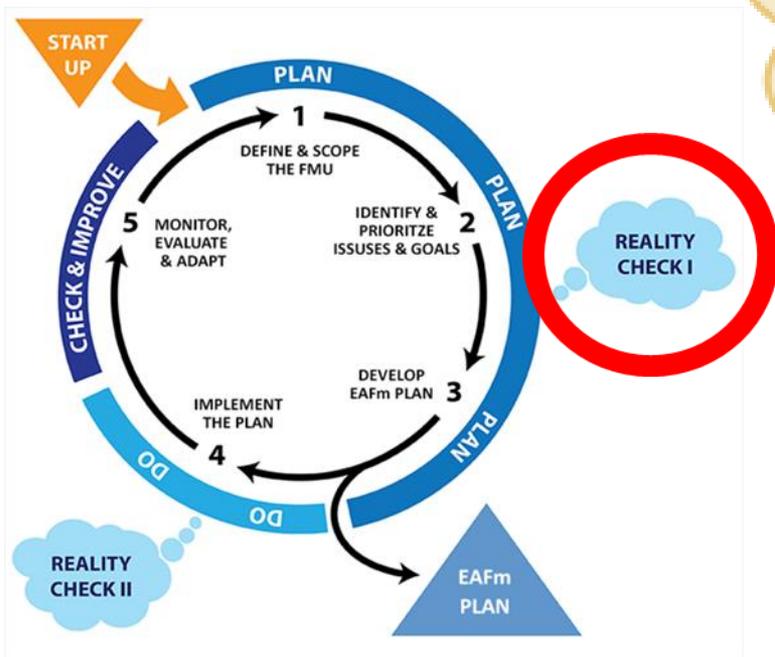
- 2.1 Identify threats & issues
- 2.2 Define goals for EAFm plan
- 2.3 Prioritize issues



Reality check I

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- Constraints & opportunities
- Facilitation / skills
- Conflict management



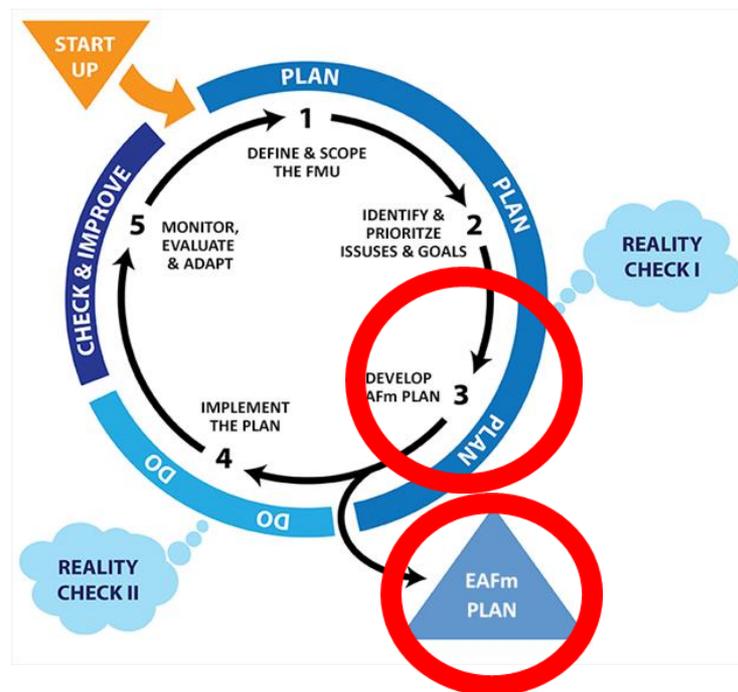
Are the goals achievable?



Step 3 Developing the EAFm plan

- 3.1 Develop management objectives
- 3.2 Develop indicators & benchmarks
- 3.3 Management actions & compliance
- 3.4 Identify sustainable financing
- 3.5 Finalize the EAFm plan

Develops the
management
framework





EAfm plan template

EAfm Management Plan for FMU XX

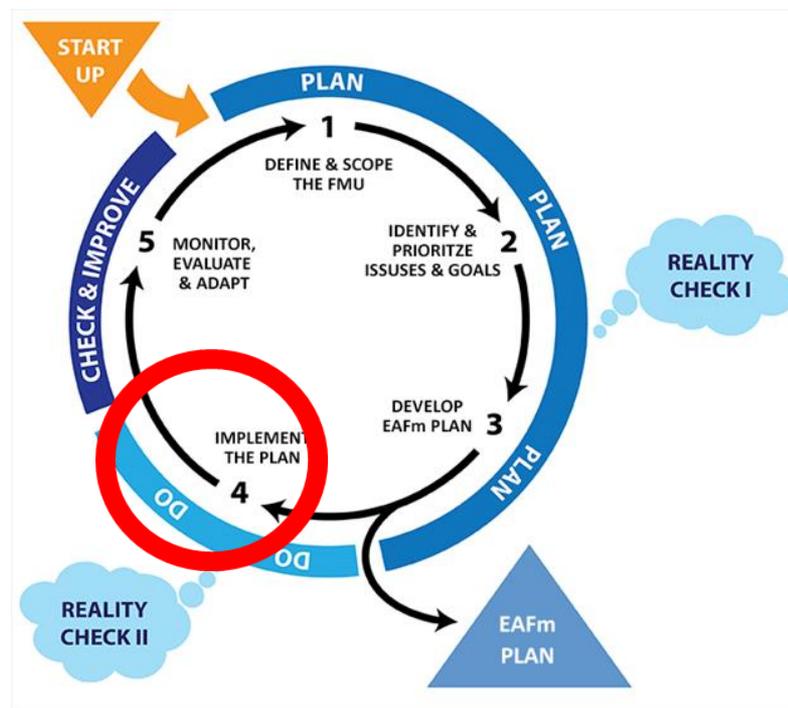
1. Vision (Step 1)
2. Background (Step1)
3. Major threats and issues (Step 2)
4. Goals (Step 2)
5. Objectives, indicators and benchmarks (Step 3)
6. Management actions (Step 3)
7. Compliance (Step 3)
8. Data and info needs – source of data, etc. (Step 3)
9. Financing (Step 3)
10. Review of the plan – timetable for review



Step 4 Implement

4.1 Formalize, communicate and engage

Implements the plan through formalizing and communicating it

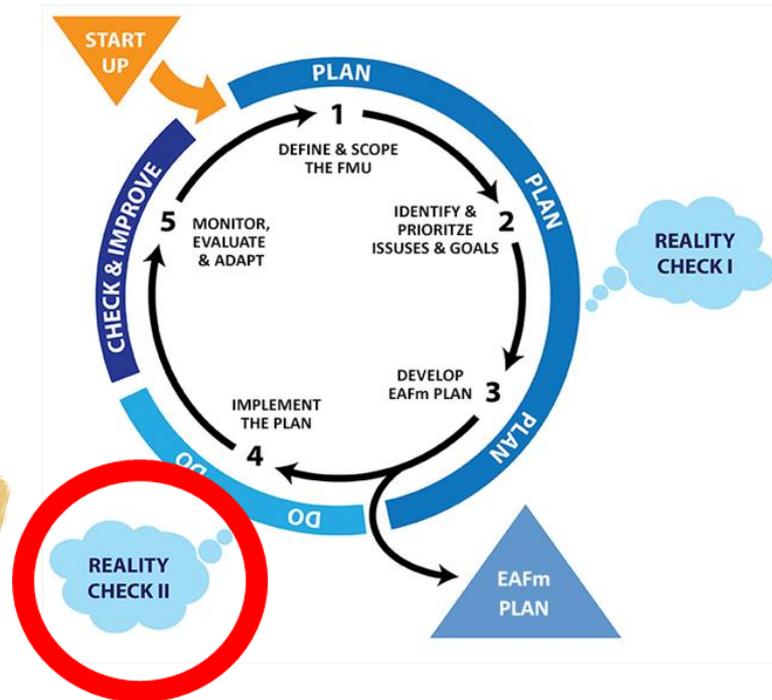




Reality check II

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- Governance
- Co-management
- Supportive environment



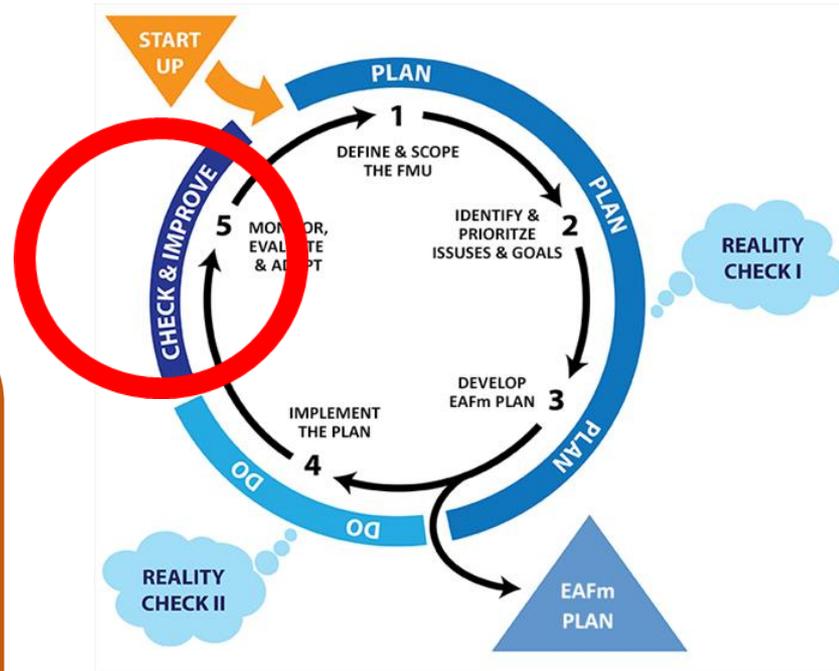
Checks whether the governance and supporting structures are in place



Step 5 Monitor, evaluate, adapt

5.1 Monitor & evaluate
(M&E) performance of
management

5.2 Adapt the plan based on
M&E



**Completes the EAFm
cycle with M&E and
adapts the plan to start a
new cycle**



Summary

Planning – Steps 1-3

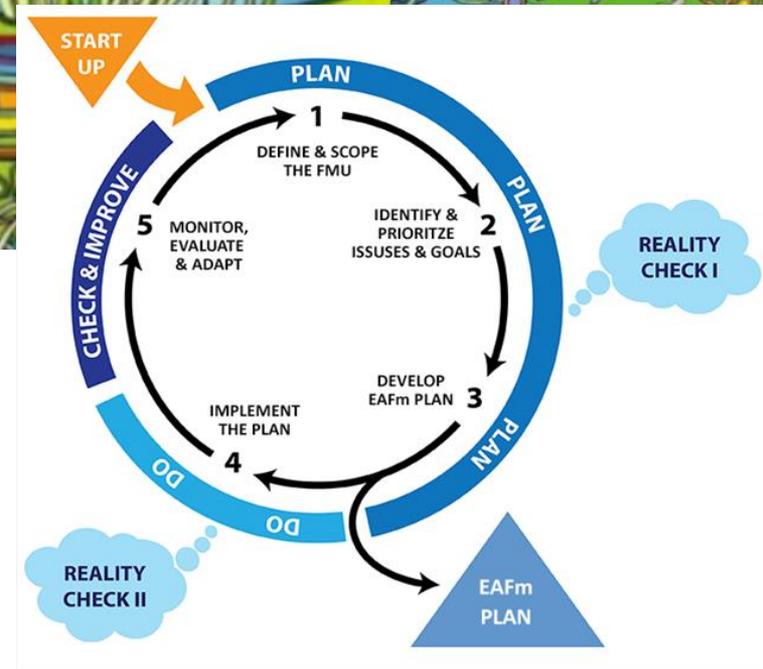
1. Define & scope
2. Issues & goals
3. Objectives, indicators, management actions & compliance, financing

Doing - Step 4

4. Implement

Checking & improving - Step 5

5. Monitor, evaluate and adapt





Key messages

- The EAFm cycle has **5 steps**
- Before the first step in the cycle, get organized in the **Startup A and B**
- The EAFm plan is written from the outputs of **Steps 1-3**
- In **Step 4** the plan is implemented
- In **Step 5** the plan is evaluated and adapted for the next cycle
- We do a **reality check** two times to make sure that we can really achieve the goals



Activity: The EAFm steps

Move to the large circle and follow instructions



Activity: Form working groups

- Form **working groups** (may be based on shared fishery/shared geographical area)
- You will work in these groups for much of the rest of the course, developing parts of the EAFm plan as you go through Steps 1–3
- On Day 5, each group will present their draft EAFm plan and receive feedback