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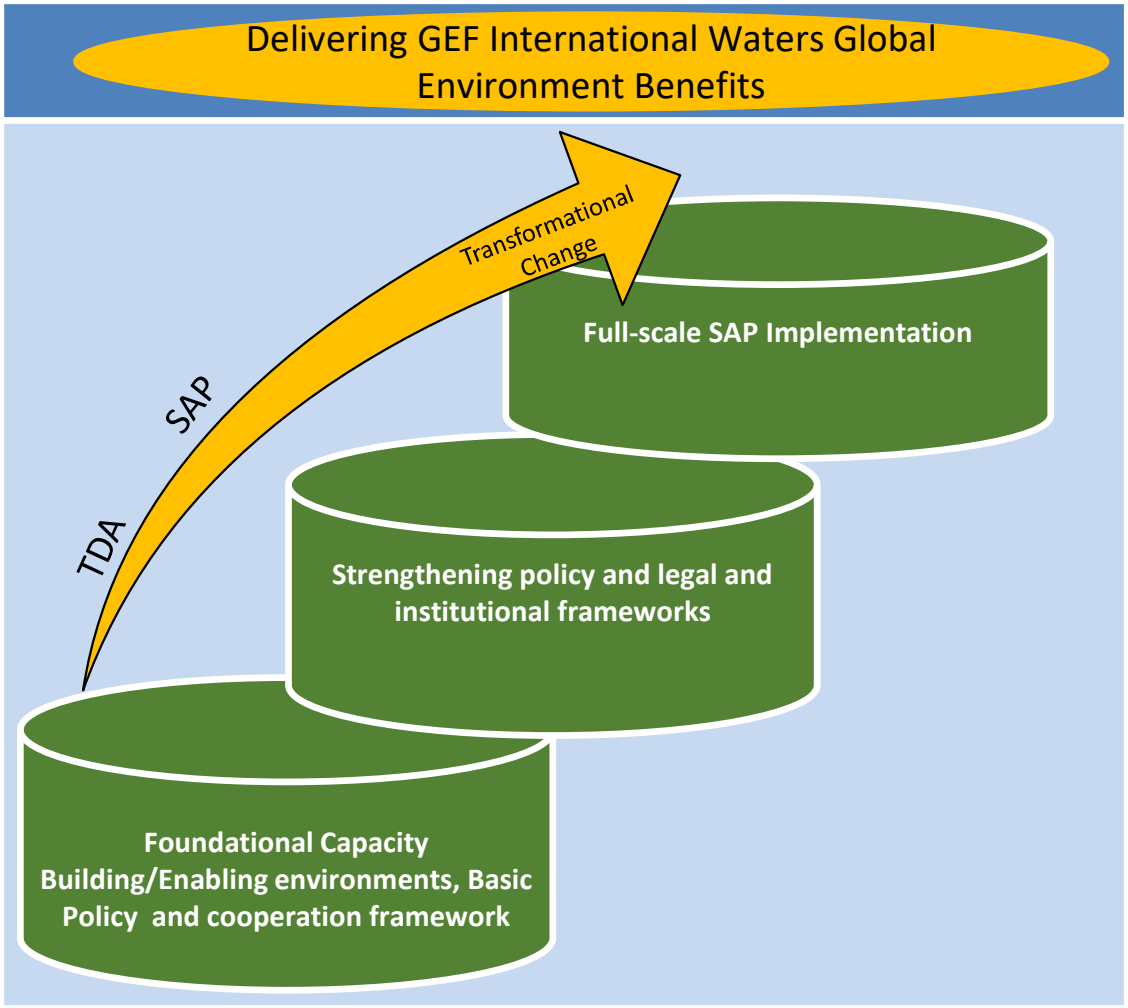
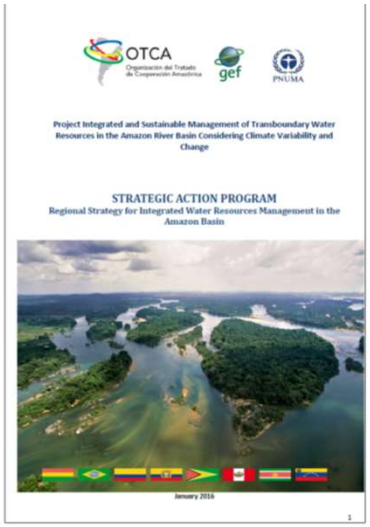
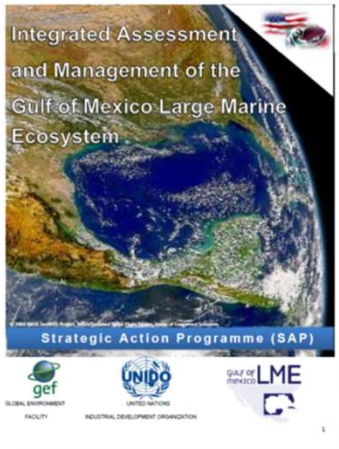
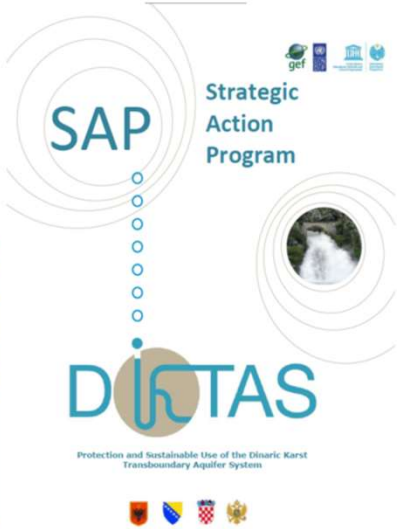
Transboundary Diagnostic Analysis – Strategic Action Programme – a key GEF approach



Over 35 SAPs in 2017







History.....

- GEF financed approx. 35 SAP development projects over 20+ years
- Building on TDA/SAP since the mid-1990s
- First Manual/Training course developed – early 2000s
- Manual revised after 6th GEF IWC (2010)

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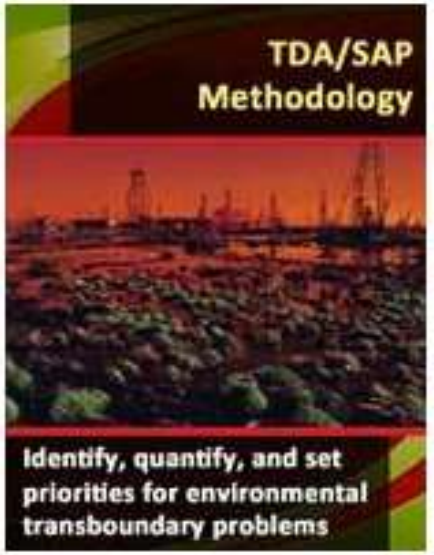
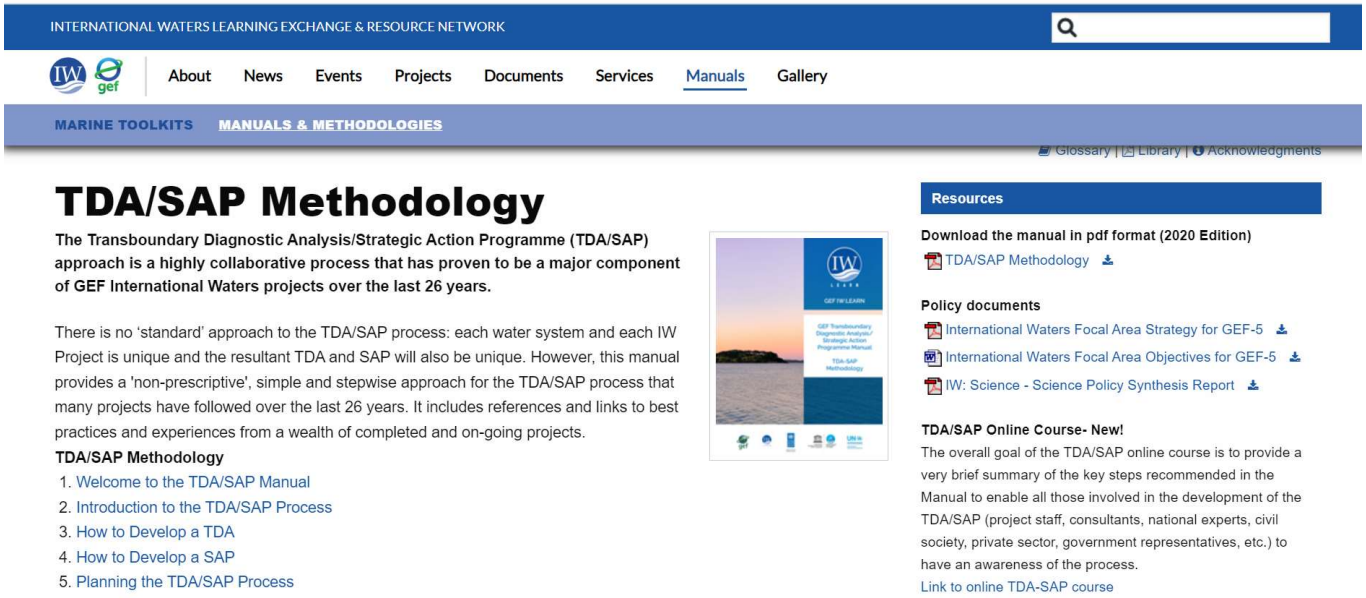
TDA/SAP Manual Update - 2017

- Specific updates on:
  - Ecosystem valuation approaches
  - Gender mainstreaming
  - Indicators
  - Inputs from GEF Global Projects
    - GEF LME:LEARN tools specific to LME activities
    - GEF Transboundary Waters Assessment Programme (TWAP)
    - GEF Floods and Droughts Project
  - Best practices and lessons from completed TDA/SAPs



Online TDA/SAP Guidance Manual



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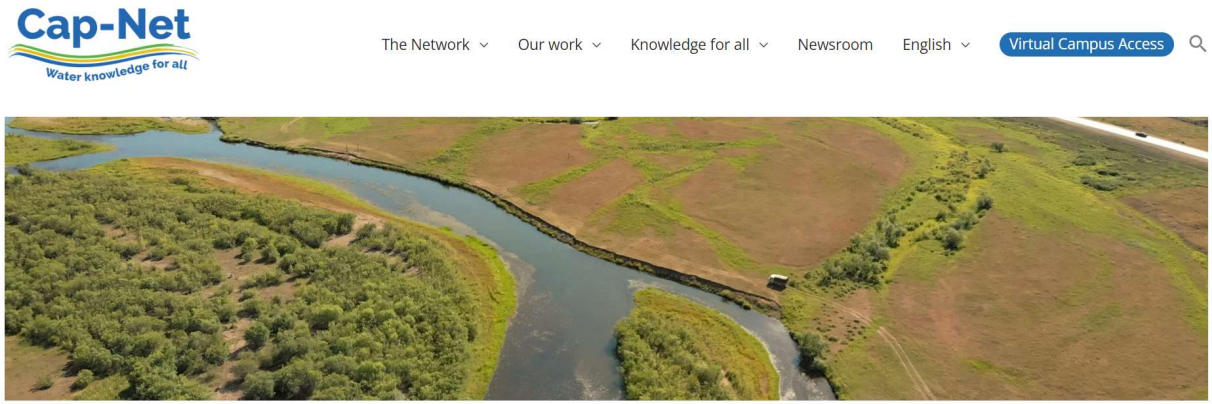
Online TDA/SAP Course



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TDA data/information needs

- What to collect?
  - Depends on the scope of the project and the needs of the LME.
  - National / regional experts are best placed to advise what information available and what is relevant.
  - But include:
    - Pollution data, socio-economic information (how many boats operating…), who does the different tasks (women/men), catch data, sales data, other sectors impacting LME, MPAs, Climate Change, etc.
    - Can be arranged as thematic annexes (e.g. the NOAA 5 modules)
    - Consider coastal zones and river basin (S-2-S),

SAP preliminary observations - 2017

- Too much time taken on TDA
- SAPs need as much detail on actions as possible
- Benefits of links to regional institutions
- More attention on seeking future partners/financing to facilitate overall implementation
- Importance of country ownership
- Wide stakeholder engagement at all stages – highly beneficial

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