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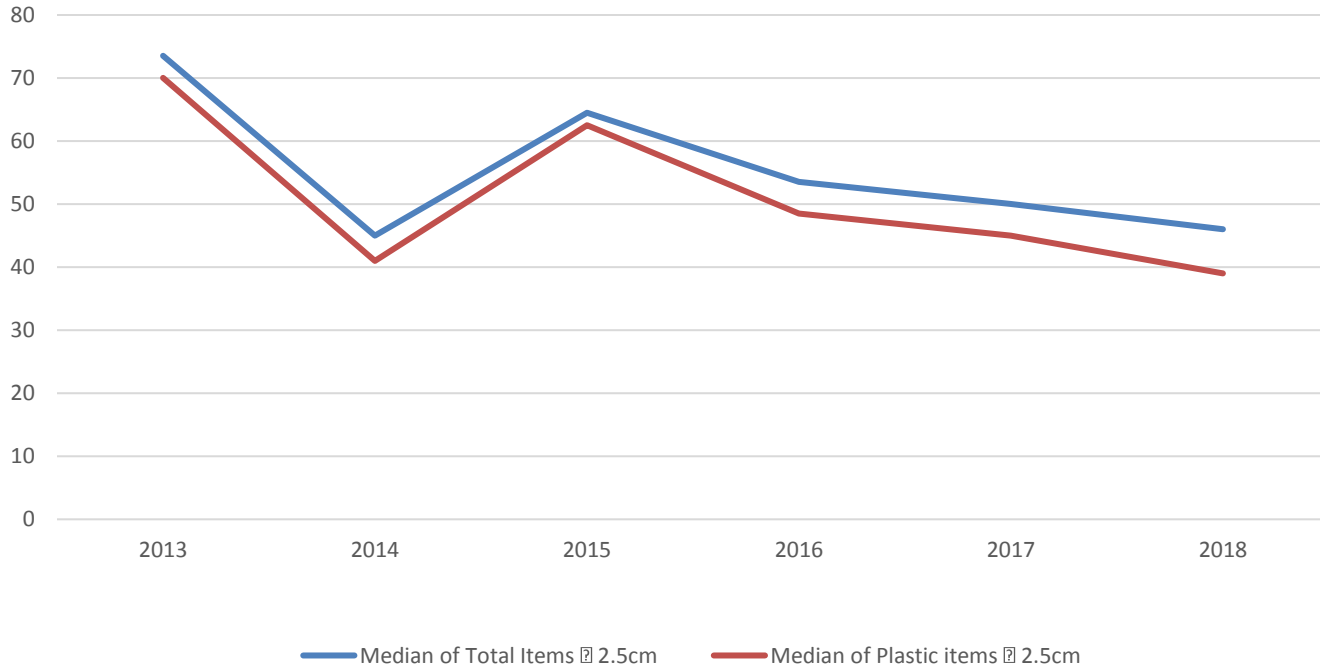
Clean Oceans Initiative

- Current programme of work
 - Fishing for litter <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=QlogkKDOpXM>
 - Seafest
 - Waste categorization
 - Pilot waste compounds
 - Net reuse/recycling

Regulatory landscape

- Single use plastics directive
 - Extended producer responsibility scheme
- Port reception facilities directive
- Marine Strategy Framework Directive
 - Descriptor 10 Marine Litter

Median Beach Litter items in found in Irish Ospar Beach Litter Surveys 2013-2018



Groups

Fishermen/farmers

- Functionality
- Recording of nets during use and at end of life

Waste Contractors

- Mixed plastics are hard to recycle
- Very low profitability on plastic recycling

Harbour masters

- Legislative requirements
- Facilities

