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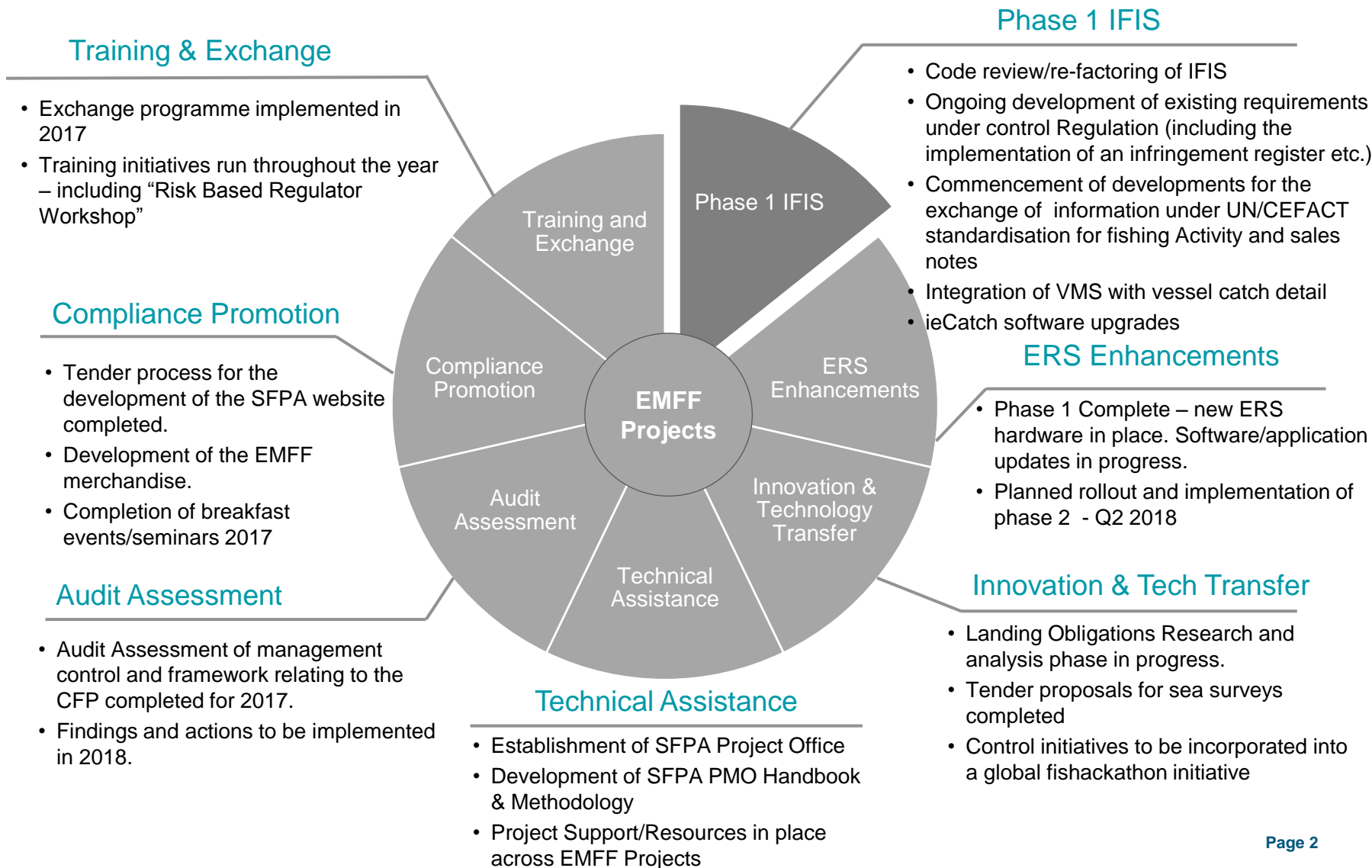


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Control and Enforcement Project Update

January 18th 2018

2017 Deliverables and Achievements



2018 Key Updates



Following EMFF Managing Authority approval in 2017 for 5 EMFF applications, the following development and key milestones have been identified:

- **EMFF Managing Authority** approves 5 EMFF applications— a proposed investment of approx. €3.7m – for SFPA

- Completion of remaining **SFPA** applications for submission to the EMFF Managing Authority

- Development of a **PMO resource model** and timeline to support EMFF projects.

- Website and Intranet
- Landing Obligations Phase 1
- ERS Enhancements Phase 2
- Sales Notes & Flux
- U12m Inshore Vessel Monitoring
- Weighing Control Systems
- Compliance Promotion
- Training & Exchange
- Audit Assessment
- Upgrade of Fishing Vessel VMS Units
- Upgrade of FMC Lirguard Fishery Protection System

EMFF MA Approval
2017

Project Applications
January 2018

Recruitment
December 2017 –
February 2018

Key Projects
January 2018
- December 2018

ERS Enhancements Project



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- **Project Objective:** To provide enhance monitoring, control and enforcement through improved technologies
- Increased focus on data analytics, risk analysis and monitoring behaviour and catch analysis
- New devices will support the ieCatch upgrade ensuring improved ERS information is captured on fishing vessels
- Enables increased data analysis for the Control Authorities and facilities better exchange to other Member States
- Phase 1 to acquire new devices completed in December 2017
- Phase 2 including the rollout, implementation and training of devices and supporting applications (i.e. IECatch upgrade, analysis and monitoring software) to be delivered in 2018.

- **Project Objective:** Provide enhanced capabilities of the SFPA as the primary control agency for fisheries protection and its control partners, delivering requirements under EU Regulation e.g. register of infringements/Points, Fleet, Licence, ERS/Sales Notes over FLUX and landing obligation etc.
- Phase 1 implementation was carried out over the period 2014-2017 which includes projects under four main categories:
 - Code review/re-factoring of IFIS
 - Technical review of the technologies in IFIS
 - On-going development of existing requirements under control Regulation
 - Introduction of a system for assigning and management of points assigned to vessel licence holders
 - EU requirement to implement UN/CEFACT standardisation for the exchange of information
 - Revised ACDR over FLUX
 - Commencement of developments for the exchange of information under UN/CEFACT standardisation for fishing Activity and sales notes
 - New developments/ technologies for SFPA (i.e. integration of VMS with vessel catch details)
 - Innovation through new technologies for the management of data, conducting risk analysis and revamping IFIS, VMS, AIS and ERS



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