

North-East Asia Marine Protected Areas Network (NEAMPAN)



OVERVIEW OF THE PROGRAMME

SOM-18 (2013)

- NEAMPAN was launched (TOR adopted)

1st Steering Committee Meeting (2014)

- SC members tasked to nominate target MPAs
- TOR of the Steering Committee agreed

SOM-19 (2014)

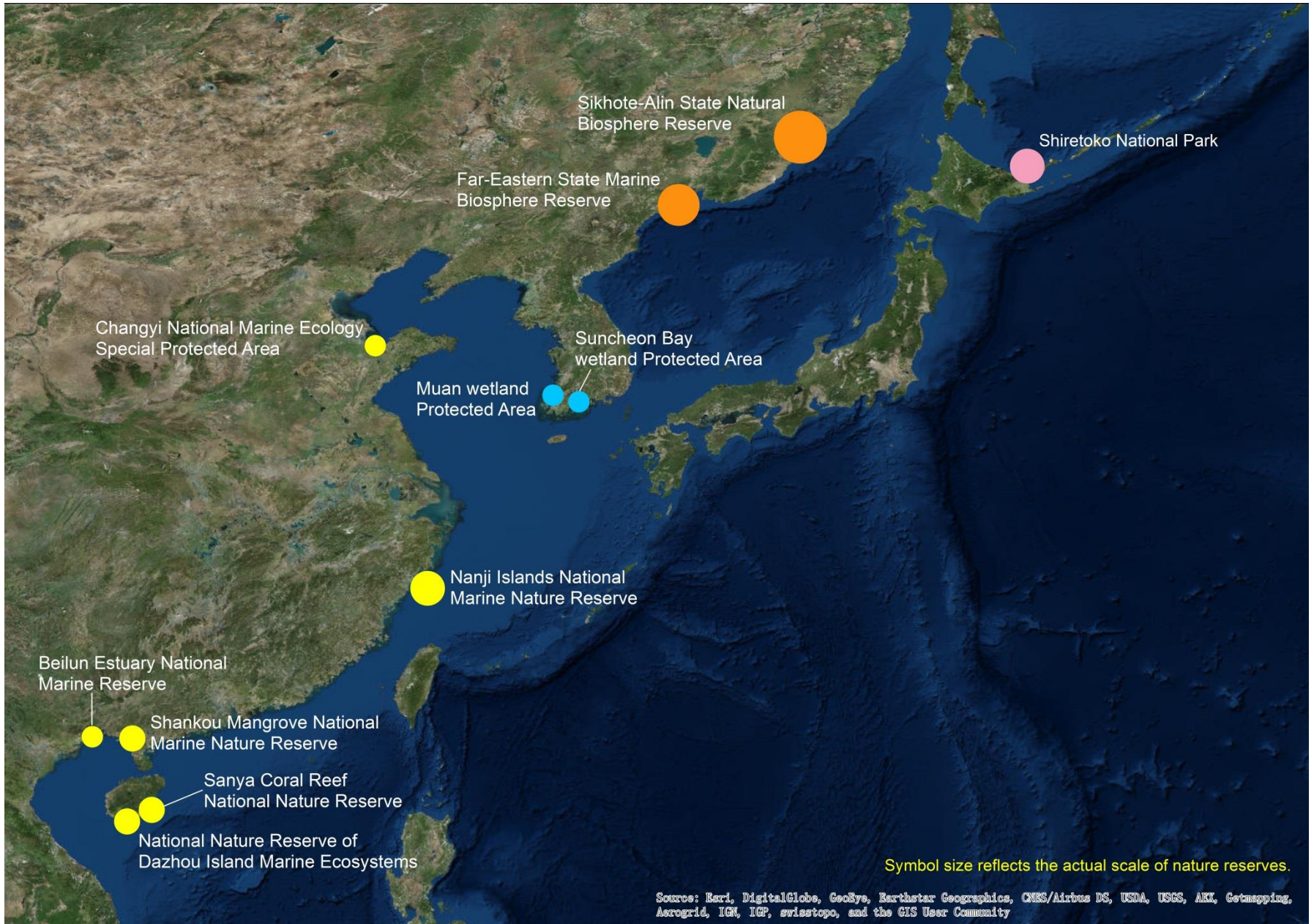
- Endorsed the TOR of the Steering Committee



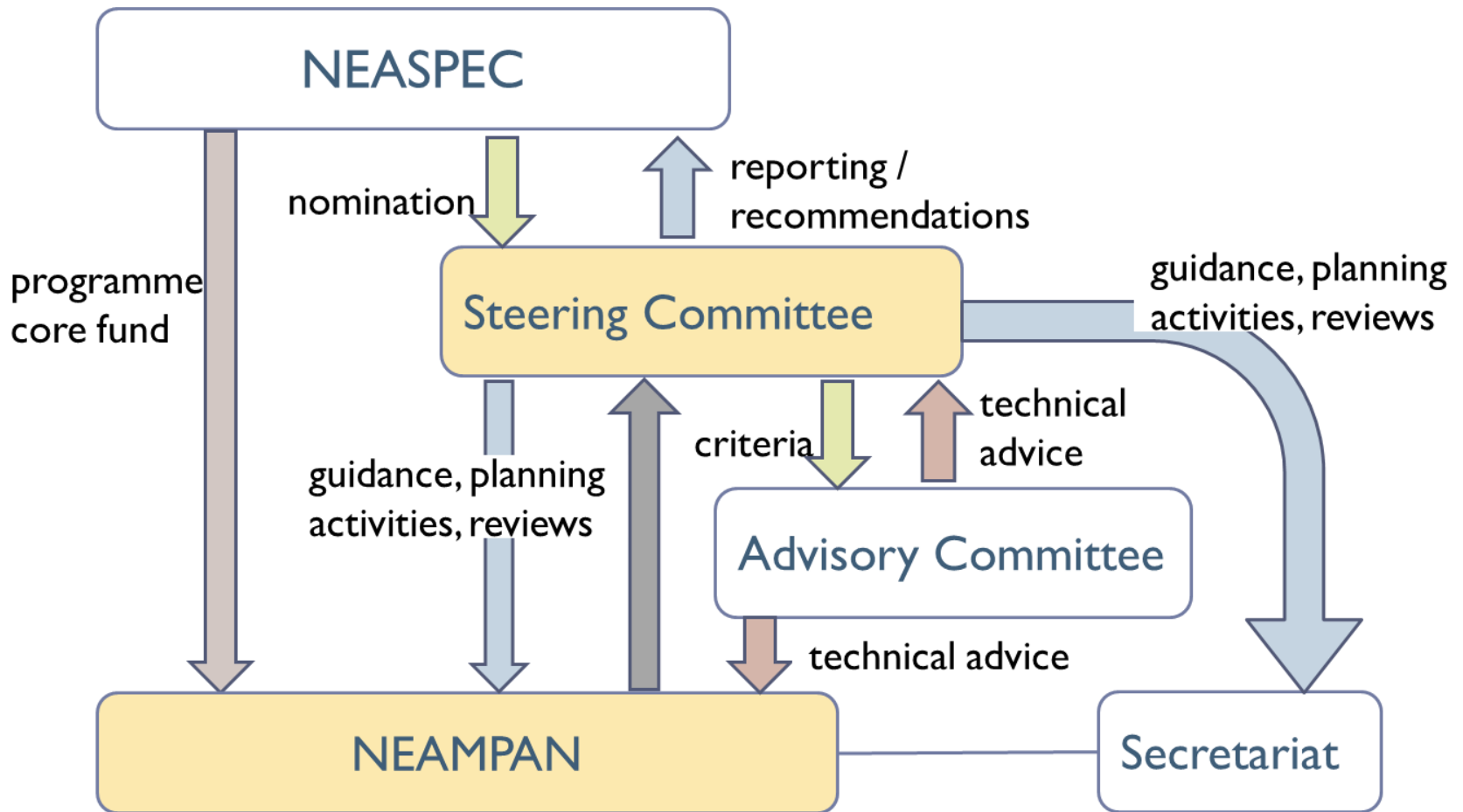
- NEAMPAN site identified

List of target MPAs

MPA's name	Management authority
China	
Nanji Islands National Marine Nature Reserve	National
Shankou Mangrove National Marine Nature Reserve	National
Beilun Estuary National Marine Nature Reserve	National
National Nature Reserve of Dazhou Island Marine Ecosystems	National
Sanya Coral Reef National Nature Reserve	National
Changyi National Marine Ecology Special Protected Area	National
Japan	
Shiretoko National Park	National
Republic of Korea	
Muan Wetland Protected Area	National
Suncheon Bay Wetland Protected Area	National
Russian Federation	
Far-Eastern State Marine Biosphere Reserve (FEMBR)	National
Sikhote-Alin State Natural Biosphere Reserve	National



NEAMPAN STRUCTURE



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Goal

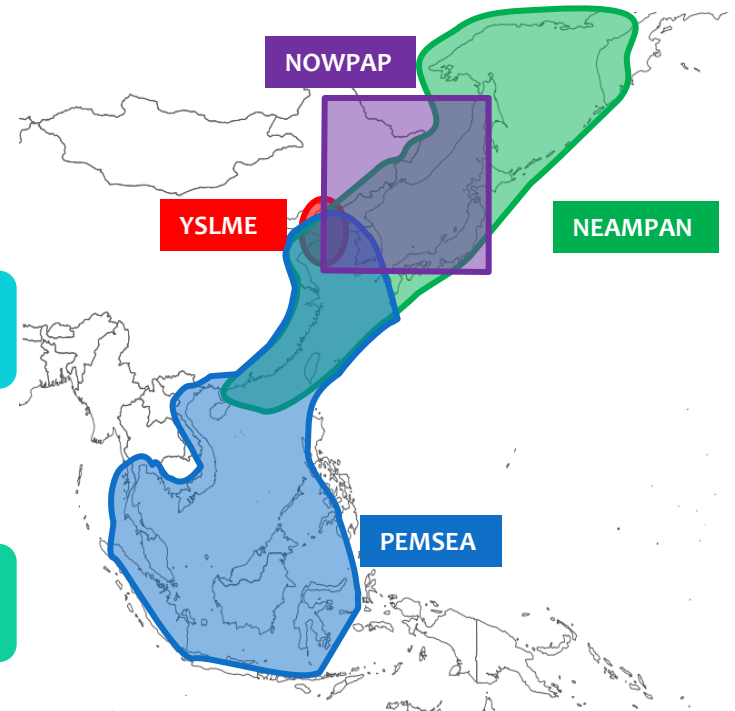
- to establish an effective, functional representative network of MPAs in North-East Asia for conservation of marine and coastal biodiversity and more efficient MPA management

Geographical scope

- all seas of North-East Asia where MPAs of member states are located

Network membership

- central and local management authorities, national academic or policy institutions, NGOs, IOs, relevant programmes/projects, etc.



NEAMPAN

Social/human
networking
among MPAs



Ecologically
coherent MPA
network

Priority themes

- Protection of key marine animals and their habitats
- Sustainable use of marine resources
- **Effective MPA management**
- Collaboration with other relevant programmes, networks and projects

Activity modalities

- Research and monitoring projects
- **Information and experience sharing**
- Capacity building for MPA managers
- **Networking with regional/global mechanisms**

KEY OBJECTIVE OF THE WORKSHOP

- To **share experiences** and challenges on MPA management
- To **build network** among MPA stakeholders of NEAMPAN
- To discuss **future activities** of NEAMPAN

SESSION 1:

Sharing experiences of MPA management

- Brief introduction
- Key ecological features?
- Key management experiences and challenges? e.g.,
 - Assessment of ecosystem services
 - Management of human activities
 - Stakeholder participation
- Approach to sustainable management of marine areas
 - Tool for sharing experience? (EBMS)
 - Balancing conservation and resource use? (co-management)

SESSION 2:

Capacity building activities (training, networking etc) conducted for MPAs

- Review training, networking activities conducted by;
 - National institutions
 - NGOs
 - International organizations
- Question – benefits of sharing experiences across countries?
 - What information?
 - How? (Face to face, On-line, etc)

→ Suggestion for NEAMPAN activities?

GROUND RULES:

- Please focus on key features and challenges as much as possible
- Please keep the allocated time



