



A case on policy support and stimulation

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What is the European Marine Board (EMB)?



A unique European partnership of major marine and oceanographic institutes, research funding agencies and national consortia of universities. We represent 33 members from 19 countries.

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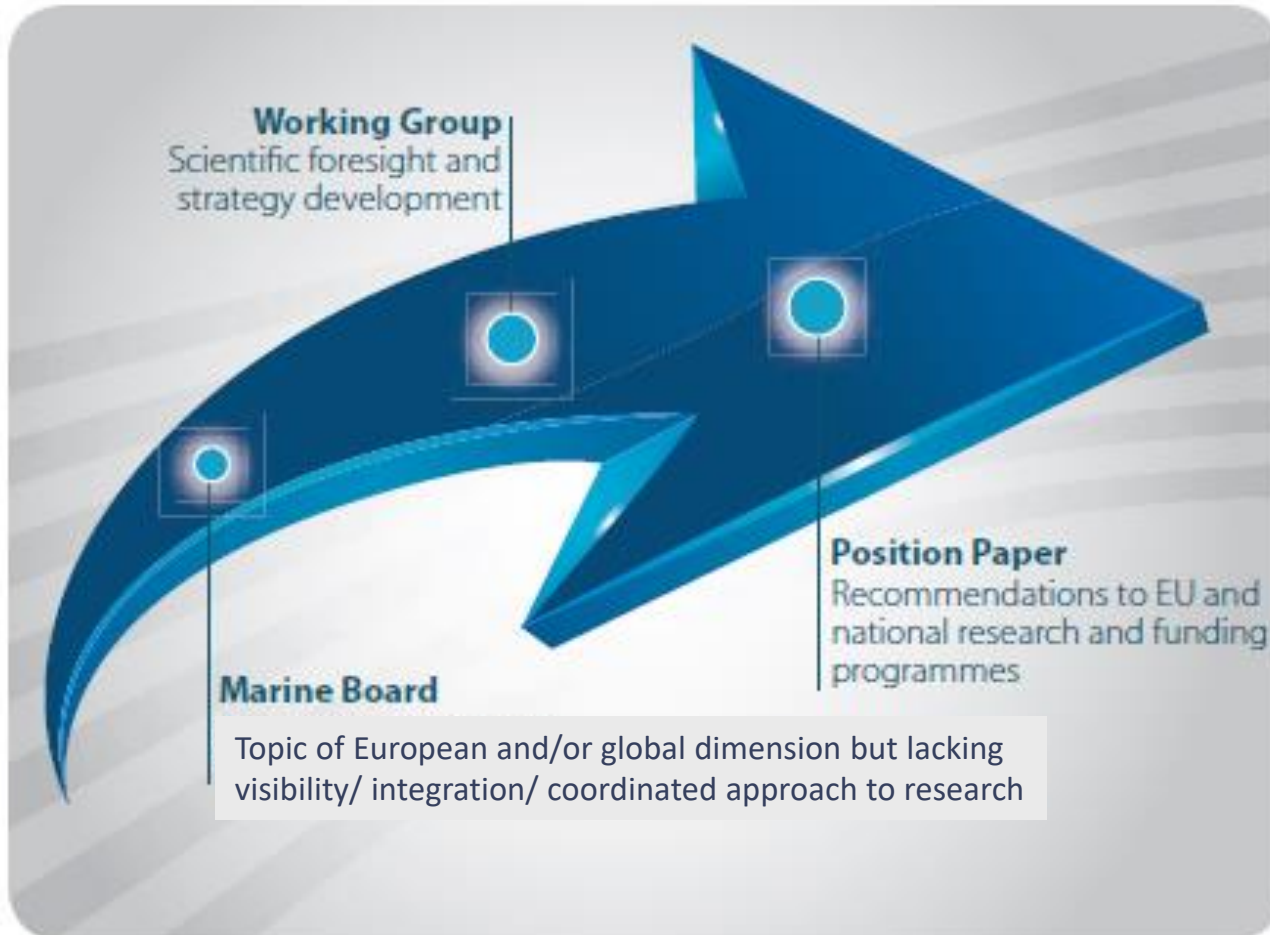


EMB plenary meeting, Galway, October 2017

The European Marine Board (EMB) is the leading European think tank in marine science policy. It was established in 1995 to facilitate cooperation between European marine science organizations towards the development of common strategic research priorities for marine science in Europe.

The process towards publications

- The Marine Board delivers its strategic vision and science foresight through high-level publications and statements, targeted both at the research community and policymakers. -



Transferring knowledge to the core of marine research policy



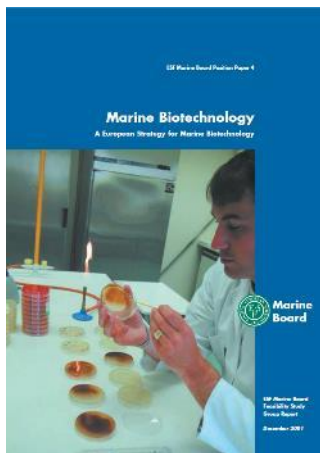
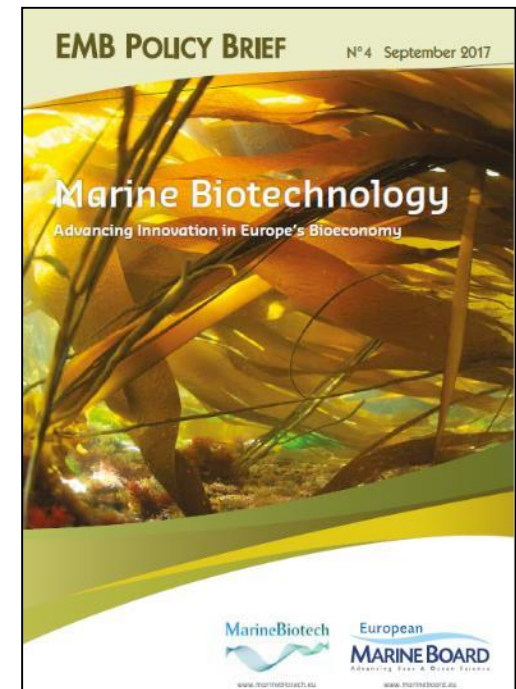
- EMB draws upon its extensive scientific network
- Collaboration with other actors (approached)



EurOCEAN²⁰¹⁴
Rome Declaration
Setting a vision for seas and ocean science

3RD EUROPEAN MARINE BOARD FORUM
New Technologies for a Blue Future
18 April 2012, Brussels, Belgium

European Marine Biotechnology snapshot: 2010 - 2017



2001 EMB
Position Paper
Marine
Biotechnology

2010 EMB Position Paper



ERA-MBT
2016 Roadmap



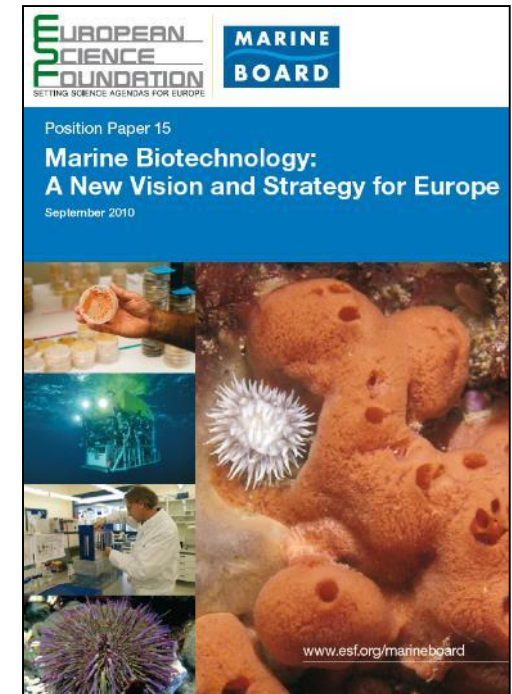
2017 EMB Policy Brief

European Strategy for
Marine Biotechnology

- ERA-MBT Roadmap
- Current case studies
- Key action areas

Impact of 2010 EMB Position Paper

- Difficult to measure (2 years)
- FP7 calls
 - Contributed to KBBE.2011.3.2-01 for a marine biotechnology ERA-NET preparatory action (CSA MarineBiotech) → ERA-MBT
- Referenced & used
 - e.g. Norway's National Strategy for Biotechnology (2011 – 2020) and Marine Biotechnology Platform in Belgium



Activities to note

Navigating the Future V Foresight Workshop, 8-9 November, 2017, Brussels

- Horizon scan to 2030 and beyond
- Blueprint to guide both the research and the science policy agendas at European and national level
(Chapter 10 NFIV)



6th EMB Forum, 6 December, 2017, Brussels

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Implementing the UN 2030 Agenda

What role for marine science? 6 December 2017, Brussels

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