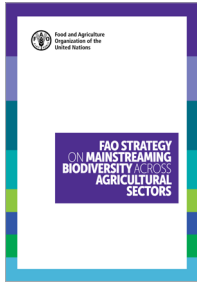




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FAO strategy on mainstreaming biodiversity across agricultural sectors

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July 2019 – Issue No. 17
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January 2020 – Issue No. 57
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Assistance in chronic conflict areas: Evidence from South Sudan

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Implementation of the ecosystem approach to fisheries for the purse seine fisheries in Lebanon Baseline report

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Report of the FAO Expert Working Group Meeting "Scoping exercise to increase the understanding of risks of antimicrobial resistance (AMR) in aquaculture" Palermo, Italy, 26–29 November 2018

Experts conducted risk analysis on two bacterial pathogen groups, *Streptococcus* spp. and *Vibrio parahaemolyticus*, which affect tilapia – a major contributor to global food and nutrition security. In both cases, the risk from the pathogens was found likely to be low.

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Report of the Expert Meeting to develop technical guidelines to reduce bycatch of marine mammals in Capture Fisheries Rome, Italy, 17–19 September 2019

The goal was to prepare technical guidelines for all those involved in developing and implementing policy and technical interventions. The measures discussed included time-area closures, acoustic deterrents, modifications to fishing gear and operations.

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