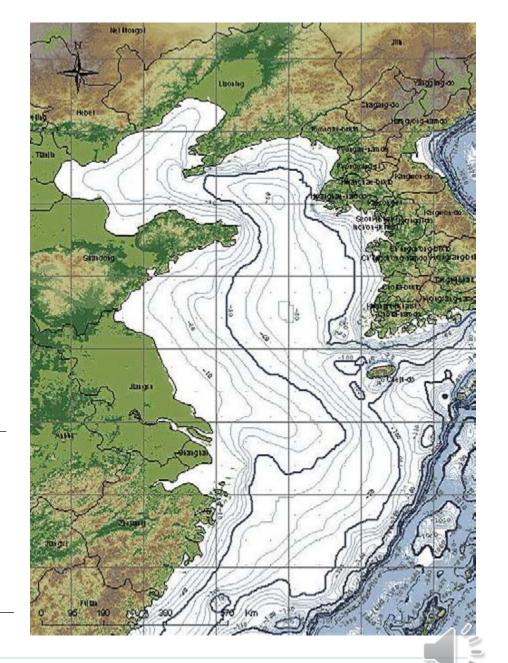
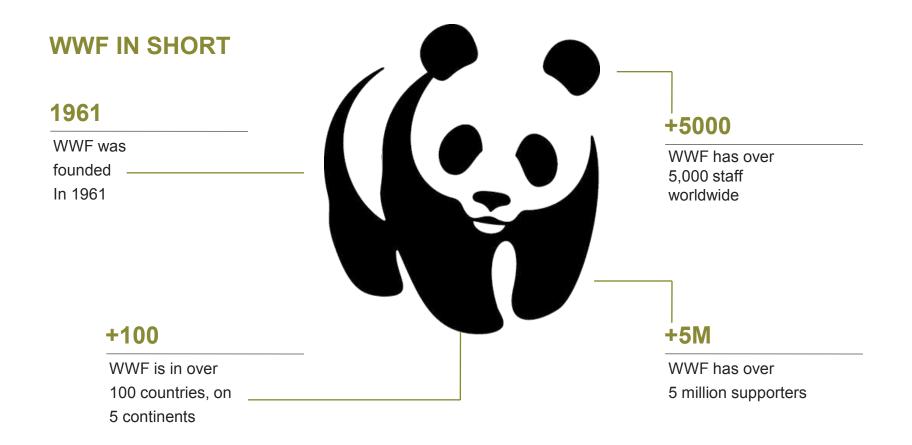


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Meta Goals

1. Conserve Biodiversity

Reduce the threat

2. Reduce Humanity's **Global Footprint**

TIMBER, PULP. AND PAPER PALM OIL WILD CAUGHT SEAFOOD

Consumers

Persuade 7B consumers?

AQUACULTURE

SOY

COTTON

SUGAR

BEEF

DAIRY

BIOFUELS

OTHER TERRESTRIAL

COMMODITIES

Supply Chain

About 300-500 companies control approx 70% of choice

Retailers

Manufacturerdnestors

Tradest

Proessors

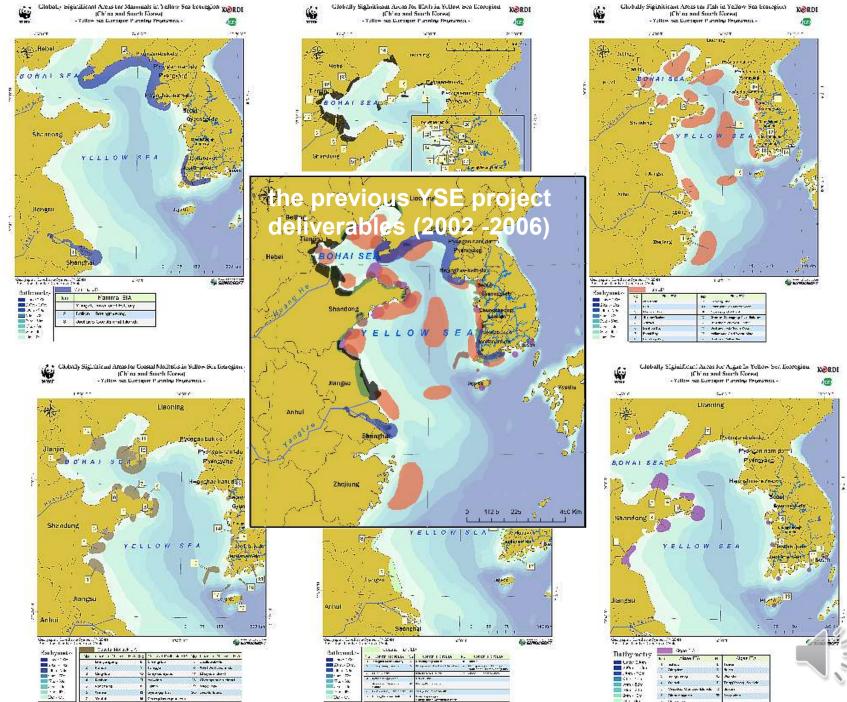
Greatest Point of Leverage

Primary Producers/extractors

Engage with 1.5B producers?







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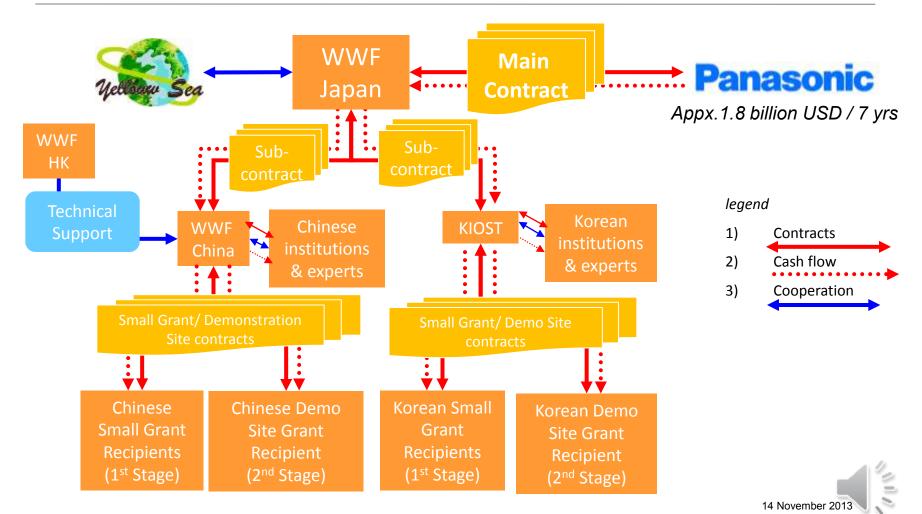
Vision of the Yellow Sea Ecoregion Support Project (YSESP)

- Advancing conservation of Yellow Sea Ecoregion's
 23 Potential Priority Areas
- 2) Advanced biodiversity conservation models recognized internationally





Implementation scheme of the YSESP (2007-2014)





The YSESP Project Framework (2007-2014)

1st Stage

Small Grants Period

Targets: 23 Potential Priority
Areas (PPAs)

2007.7 - 2010.3

Actions

- Small grant scheme to support community /ecosystem-based conservation activities in PPAs
- Targets of Small Grants China: 10 areas for 2 yrs JPY 6 million grant in total Korea: 5 -6 areas for 2yrs JPY 6 million grant in total

2 years

2 2nd Stage

Demo sites Period

Targets: 2 Potential Priority
Areas in the Yellow Sea

2010.1 - 2013.3

Actions

- Supporting Demonstration
 Site for community
 /ecosystem-based
 conservation
- Targets of Demo Sites China:1 site for 3 yrs Korea:1 site for 3 yrs JPY 15 million grant

3 years

3 3rd Stage

Magnification Period

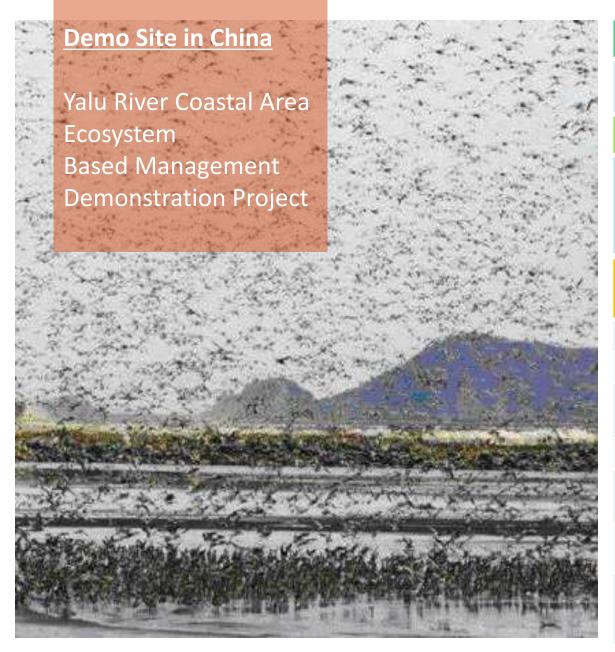
Dissemination from the region to the world

2013.4 **—** 2014.9

Actions

- Magnify community /ecosystem-based conservation model internationally
- Bring international recognition to Demo Sites as models of effective MPAs or sustainable fisheries practices

2 years



Marine Protected Area

Yalu River National Nature Reserve (1997 gazetted), Liaoning Province

Project funding:

15,000,000 JPN yen (provided by Panasonic) and, Equivalent to 15,000,000 JPN yen (LOFB)

Organizations associated with the project:

WWF

Panasonic Corporation

Liaoning Province Ocean and Fishery Bureau (LOFB)

YSLME Project Management Office

Ocean and Fishery Office, Dandong City

Liaoning Ocean and Fisheries Science Research Institute

Management Bureau of Yalu River Wetland National Nature Reserve of Dandong City

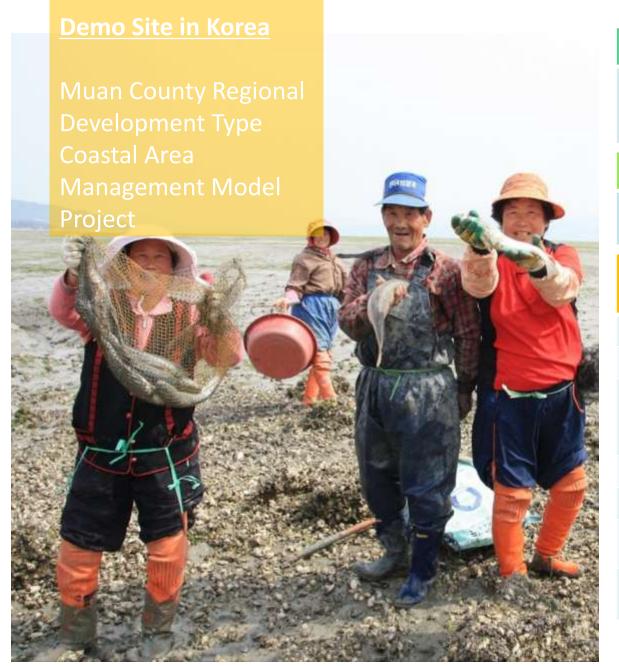


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Ecosystem Based Management (EBM)

The Yalu River Coastal Area EBM Demonstration Project





Marine Protected Area

Muan Tidal Flat Wetland Protected Area(2001 gazetted), Jeon Nam Province

Project funding:

15,000,000 yen (provided by Panasonic Corporation)

Organizations associated with the project:

WWF

Panasonic Corporation

South Jeolla Province, Marine Resources Department, Marine Harbor Section

Muan County Marine Dept.

KIOST(Korean Research Institute)

Eco Horizon Institute (Korean environmental NGO)

Local residents' organization



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Community Based Management (CBM)

Muan County Regional Development Type Coastal Area Management Model Project



Sustainabili



Economy



Biodiversity/Resource Use Co-Management

Driving fource..... "Local Community Involvement"

> <env. education> <civil monitoring> <eco tourism> <capacity building>

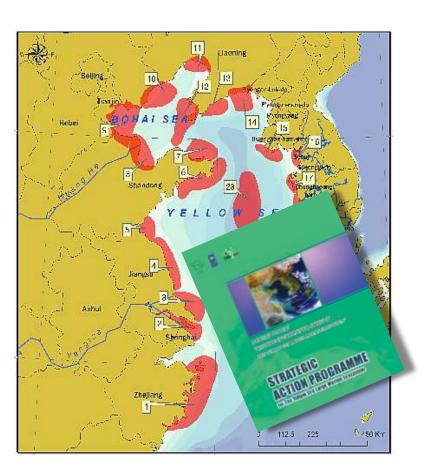
Local Gov.





The YSESP Challenge:

Magnification of CBM/EBM Models for Effective MPA management



Bring wide range of recognition to Demo Sites as models of effective MPA management

CBD-COP10 Aichi Targets 11 (2010)

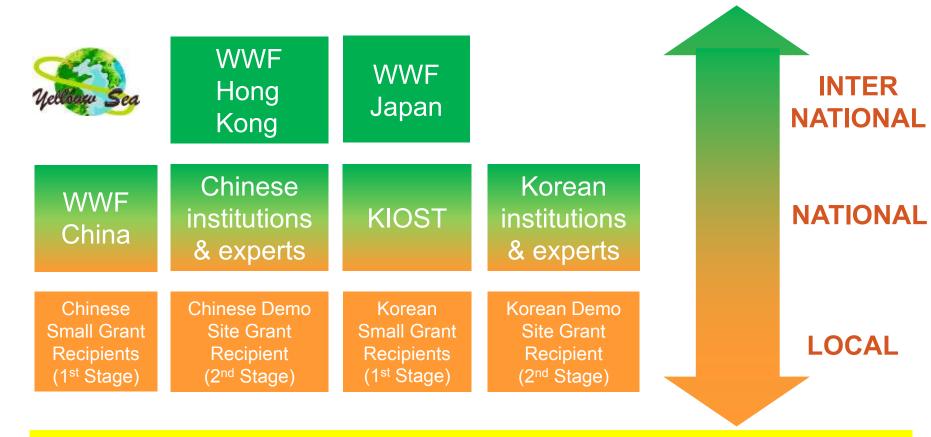
By 2020, at least 10 per cent of coastal and marine areas are conserved through effectively and equitably managed, ecologically representative and well-connected systems of protected areas and other effective area-based conservation measures, and integrated into the wider seascape.

IUCN WCC, Resolution 28 (2012)

Encourages governments along the EAAF to achieve effective management, to develop international and national action plans by 2014 focusing on agreeing on the key sites for endangered birds before 2020, of at least 10% of the intertidal zone as sustainably managed protected areas.



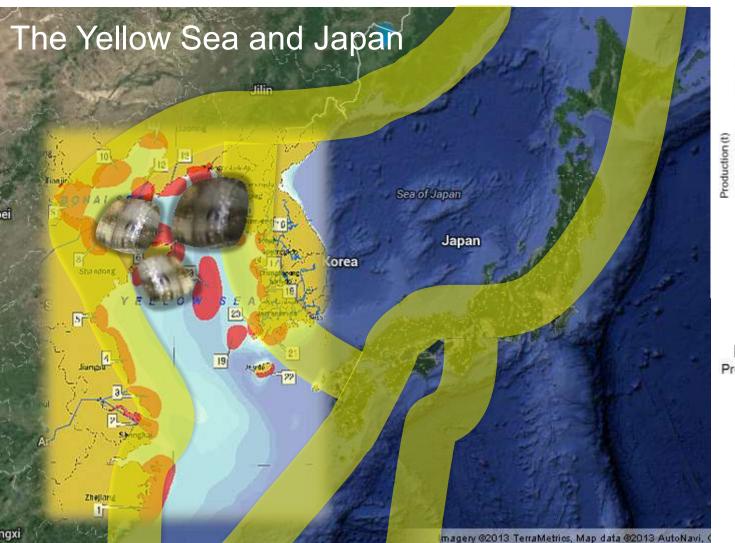
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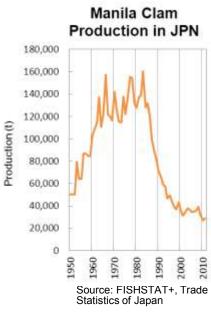


Advanced Biodiversity Conservation Models



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FY2011 Manila Clam
Production and Import in Japan
(X 1,000 ton)
Others
0.0005
Import
From
China
23.2



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