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This Menti survey does not seem within the mandate of the dialogue, being a one off event

- Biennial Ocean-Climate Dialogue to report back on progress to Parties
- Increased support for action under the NWP Expert Group on Ocean
- Synergies with actions under the MP and GCA

Inequality (10) is a key cross cutting issue, across the SDGs and to consider in building forward. So is gender, (5) I suggest these focal points for multilateral action for transformative action.

Build from the provisions in paragraph 15 of 1/CP.25, Article 4.1 (d) of the Convention, and Article 5 of the Paris Agreement, to operationalize synergistic action between UNFCCC-CBD

Online interactions across several platforms of the UN

integrate the ocean-climate-biodiversity nexus under UNFCCC with other relevant ocean-related legal and policy frameworks and international environment and development goals and human rights

An Annual Climate and Oceans conference targeting the non-covered and UN agencies not engaged in climate issues, rather than talking to ourselves

Considering the important role of UNFCCC in coordination, information and experience sharing and policy coherence there should be an entrypoint on ocean at webpage and to have dialogue.

Build ocean programme under SBSTA with other UN bodies

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Everyone wants nature based solutions, but there is lacking understanding regarding capacity/realistic expectations. The UNFCCC needs to collaborate more closely with the CBD and other UN-bodies to avoid conflicts between e.g. SDGs.

Set ambitious national targets for Ocean renewable energy and deliver the mitigation that can achieve

Explore opportunities through the UNESCO IOC's Decade for Ocean Science

Regular Joint sessions between IPCC and IPBES is key - joint recommendations to ensure as we chart the way forward for climate we do not introduce perverse incentives

Submitting enhanced economy-wide NDCs ensures the need for holistic and cross-cutting action

Provide funding and methodologies to encourage action in local government. Activate the community to protect marine ecosystems. Increase difusión about the multilateral actions and their results.

It is important that efforts to address the ocean and climate change interface within the UNFCCC support the work carried out by other international bodies in performing their respective mandates, and not duplicate them.

- Contributing to global monitoring networks that are supporting the ocean acidification-specific indicator as established by UN Sustainable Development Goal 14.3.1 "Average marine acidity (pH) measured at agreed suite of representative stations

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At a domestic level, Parties could also seek to align the ocean components of their NDCs with National Biodiversity Strategies and Action Plans (NBSAPs) as much as feasible.

- Scientifically explore the carbon sequestration potential of the ocean beyond blue carbon ecosystems, i.e in the open ocean
- Unlock finance for adaptation to sea-level rise and extremes

Close collaboration with academia.

Use existing processes under the UNFCCC more efficiently to address ocean issues

Implementing actions in local level, involving stakeholders in inclusive ways.

a focus on IMPLEMENTATION - of NDCs, NAPs,.. to do this access to resources especially consistent, reliable finances is important

More joint work between IPCC and IPBES

Increase North- South cooperation and collaboration, for enhanced national actions.

prioritize research and studies that will inform adaptive potential and improve local interventions to climate change impacts including those that concurrently address OA, warming, oxygen decline and habitat loss

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2020 is not only the super year of ocean action but also the anniversary of the Beijing Declaration and Platform for Action. Moreover the the Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Discrimination against Women (CEDAW) is also highly relevant.

Consider the benefits by ecosystem conservation itself when investigate NBS project feasibility

Create local capacity in local goverment in order to achieve national goals. Join the principles of the circular economy with climate change goals. Strengthen civil society organizations geared towards sustainable oceans development (conservations)