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1. Management of plastic in this reporting period

- (i) The comparison of records for the current and previous reporting period indicates that aggregated procurements of **multi-use plastics** deployed on leased sea-sites has decreased (delete as appropriate).

This decrease (please delete as appropriate) was due primarily to the following reasons (refer to Guidance for completing the Environmental Management of Plastics: Aquaculture Leaseholders Report).

No requirement to purchase any items in 2024 vs 2023 due to good availability of items in store. Also repair and re-use has contributed.

- (ii) The comparison of records for the current and previous reporting period indicates that our aggregated procurements of **short term/ single-use plastics** used on leased sea-sites has decreased (delete as appropriate).

This decrease (please delete as appropriate) was due primarily to the following reasons: (refer to Guidance for completing the Environmental Management of Plastics: Aquaculture Leaseholders Report).

No change in usage.

- (iii) The comparison of records for the current and previous reporting periods indicates that **changes to the proportion of waste plastic from leased sea-sites disposed of by recycling, re-use or to landfill are as set out in Table 1 below.**

Table 1: Aggregated changes to disposal methods across waste and redundant plastic used on lease sites in this reporting period.

(Tick as appropriate or enter 'n/a' if the disposal method is not used by your company for waste plastics disposal)

Disposal method	Change from last reporting period	Single use (v)	Multi use (v)
Recycling	Increase	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Stay the same	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Re-use/re-purpose	Increase	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Stay the same	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Licensed Landfill	Increase	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Stay the same	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Licensed Incineration-licensed (on-site is illegal)	Increase	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Stay the same	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
Other means of disposal.	Increase	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Decrease	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
	Stay the same	<input type="checkbox"/>	n/a
<i>Please insert details</i>			

The **increases and/or decreases** in different disposal means listed in Table 1 are due primarily to the following reasons: (refer to [Guidance for completing the Management of Plastics: Aquaculture Leaseholders Report](#)).

There is no increase or decrease in disposal methods for single use plastics. There was no requirement to dispose of any multi-use plastics in reporting periods

(Tenants may wish to comment on relative proportions of the different waste plastic disposal methods from their sea-sites, particularly where high levels of recycling are consistently achieved).

2. Improvements in management of plastics on leased sea-sites

Please provide any information you wish to share on measures undertaken over the reporting period regarding improvements in the management of plastics.

The very few items that have to go to landfill (3 bin bags/year) have no alternative disposal method apart from incineration which is probably environmentally worse and not available locally.

Compostable PPE gloves are so far not available.

3. Opportunities and challenges

Please comment on any opportunities, challenges and mitigating circumstances relevant to management of plastic used on leased sea-sites during the reporting period which you would like to share.

In the event that I needed to dispose of plastic oyster bags , I currently do not know where I could find a company who could re-cycle them for re-use.

It would be helpful if the Crown Estate could advise on this and with regards to plastic in general.

4. Any other relevant information

Please comment on any other factors you wish CES to be aware of regarding plastic use or waste management on your leased sites.

5. Report Completed by:

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