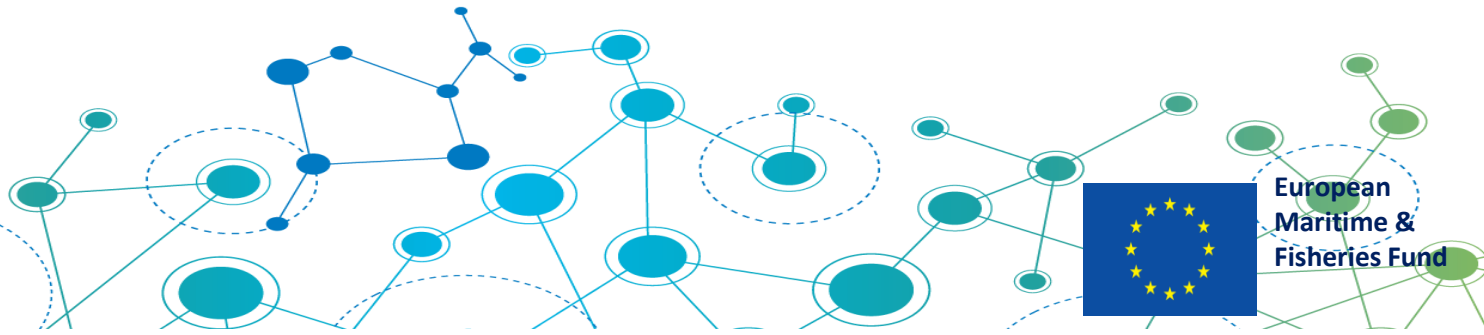


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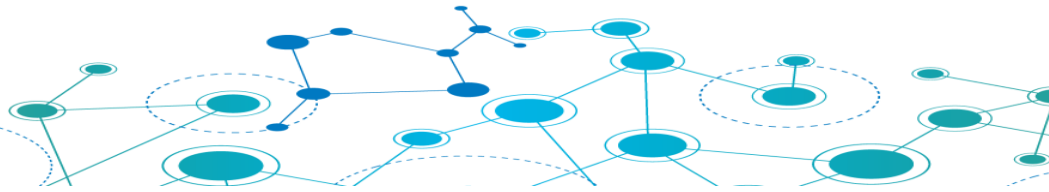


# What is SIFIDS?

SIFIDS is a research project designed to explore new ways of collecting and analysing inshore fishing data – *focusing on creel sector*

SIFIDS will be looking at:

- Different approaches to collecting data to support stock assessments (WP1)
- Automated systems to record catch which could help support fisheries management and reduce administration for skippers (WP2, WP6)
- Automated and potentially more cost effective ways of assessing scallop stocks (WP3)
- Assessing the socio-economic value of Scotland's inshore fishing sector (WP4)
- Using advanced statistical models to explore new methods for determining fishing location, intensity and effort (WP8)
- Developing analytical “tools” that could help inform: fishermen about their business's; fisheries managers and; marine planners (WP5, WP8, WP9)
- Project management and facilitation (WP7, WP10)

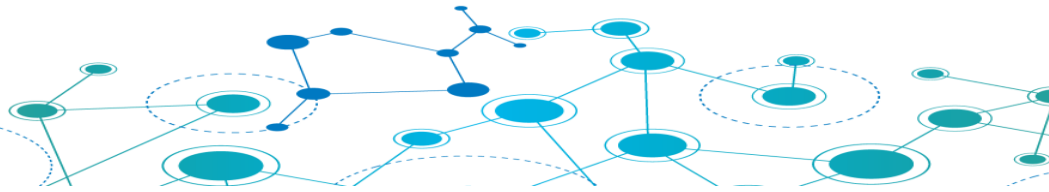


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# Key Principles of the Project!



- Collect useful, relevant data from fishing vessels and fishers
- Maximise the automation of data collection, collation and analyses
- Use Open Source solutions – software and code free of copyright
- Utilise low cost available or adaptable technologies
- As far as possible, future proof systems and processes by making them flexible and adaptable



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# Workshop Programme

- Start 15:00 –Series of 10 minute presentations.
- WP1,2,3,6 – Q&A session
- WP5,8 – Q&A session
- WP4,7 – Q&A session
- End 17:15
  
- IFC Reception – 17:30 – 19:00



## 2017 TIMETABLE

### DAY 1 – Thursday 27th April

14.30-15.00 Tea/coffee available on arrival

15.00-17.00 Introduction to the SIFIDS project

17.30-19.00 Evening Reception

### DAY 2 – Friday 28th April

08.30-09.00 Registration – tea/coffee available on arrival

09.00-09.10 Conference Opening Speech

09.10-10.00 Plenary Speech from Fergus Ewing MSP

10.00-11.00 Workshop/Breakout Session Opportunity 1 (choice of 4)

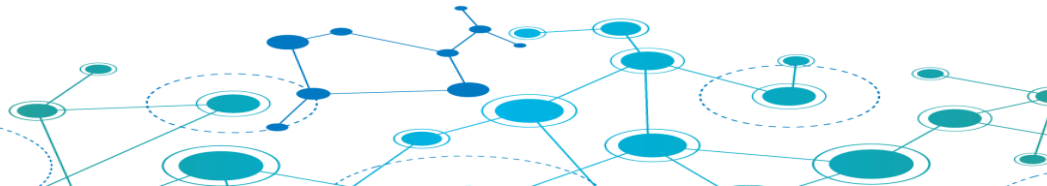
11.00-11.45 Networking and Drop-In with Stallholders: tea/coffee available

11.45-12.45 Workshop/Breakout Session Opportunity 2 (choice of 4)

12.45-13.35 Plenary Talk & Q&A Session

13.35-13.45 Review & Closing

13.45-14.45 Lunch and Networking and Drop-In with Stallholders



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