



LandSeaLot & WWF – 4Sea



WWF



WWF = World Wide Fund for Nature
1961  1966 

#TogetherPossible

WWF works to stop the degradation of the planet's natural environment and to build a future in which humans live in harmony with nature


1. By working on the conservation of biodiversity
2. By ensuring the sustainable use of natural resources
3. By encouraging people to reduce

4Sea – NGO coalition



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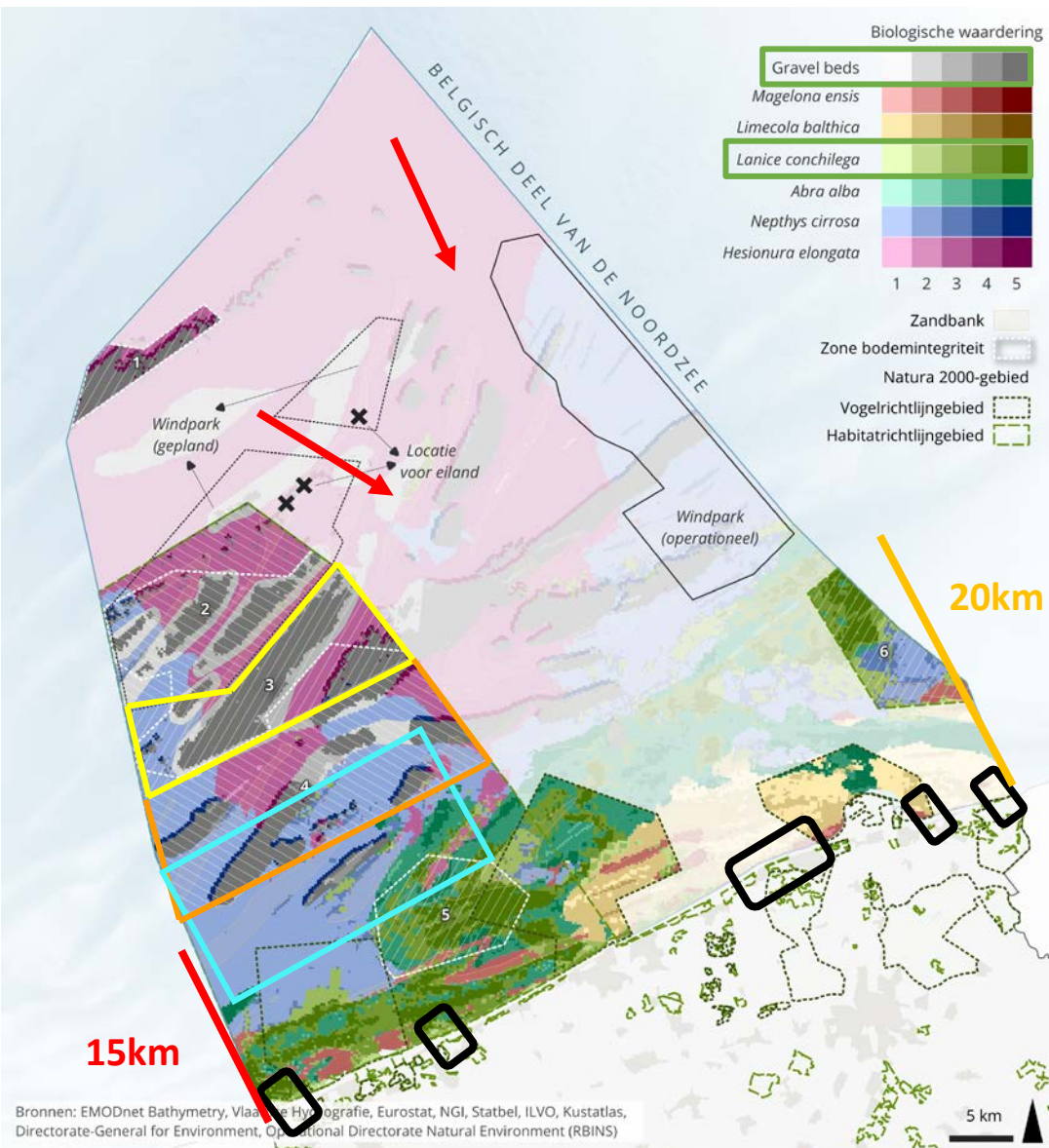


- = '4Sea' 
- 1 NGO voice on biodiversity and energy & climate files in the Belgian part of the North Sea ²⁰¹⁹

How do we want to achieve climate and biodiversity targets?

How do we build in real conditions for biodiversity and climate?

Integrated nature & energy plan for BPNS



Nature

- **Marine reserve** = zone 3 (+ zone 4)
- Safeguard **bird migration routes** in coastal zone (15-20 km) and to central part of the Belgian part of the North Sea (BPNS; red arrows)
- **Marine protected area for birds** (blue zone) to compensate for loss of suitable habitat due to offshore energy
- **Zones with coastal connectivity** (black zones) at Westhoek, at Lombardsijde, between Wenduine and Zeebrugge, at Baai van Heist and at Zwin
- More protection of cultural heritage, also for natural value
- More species protection: spawning/breeding/resting/foraging areas and migration routes

Energy

- As soon as possible: realise **delineated offshore energy zones in the second marine spatial plan (2020-2023: Eastern zone and Princess Elisabeth zone)** in a nature-inclusive and circular way + ensure connection on land and interconnections
- Further cooperation on offshore energy at European level or bilaterally with other countries is crucial, given Belgium's scarce space on land and at sea

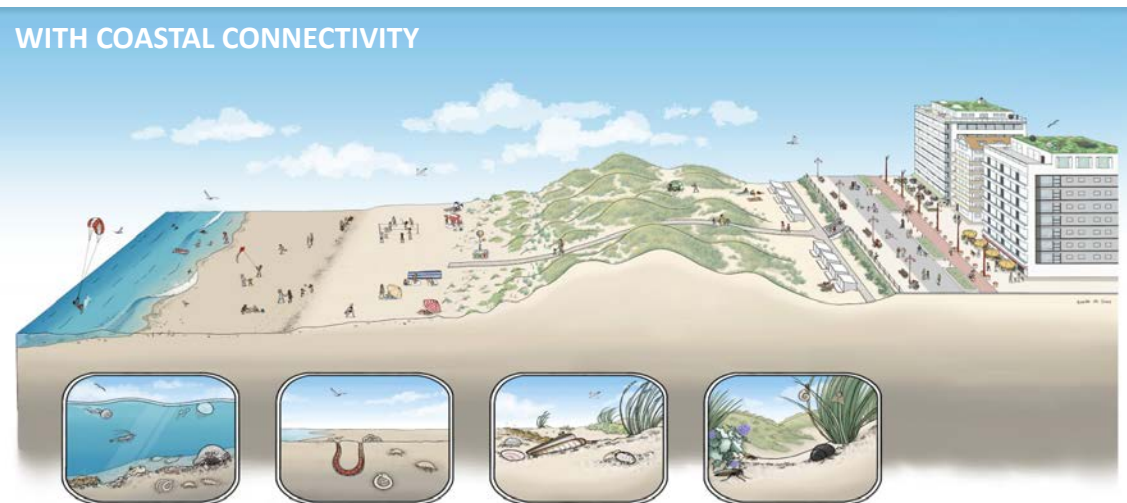
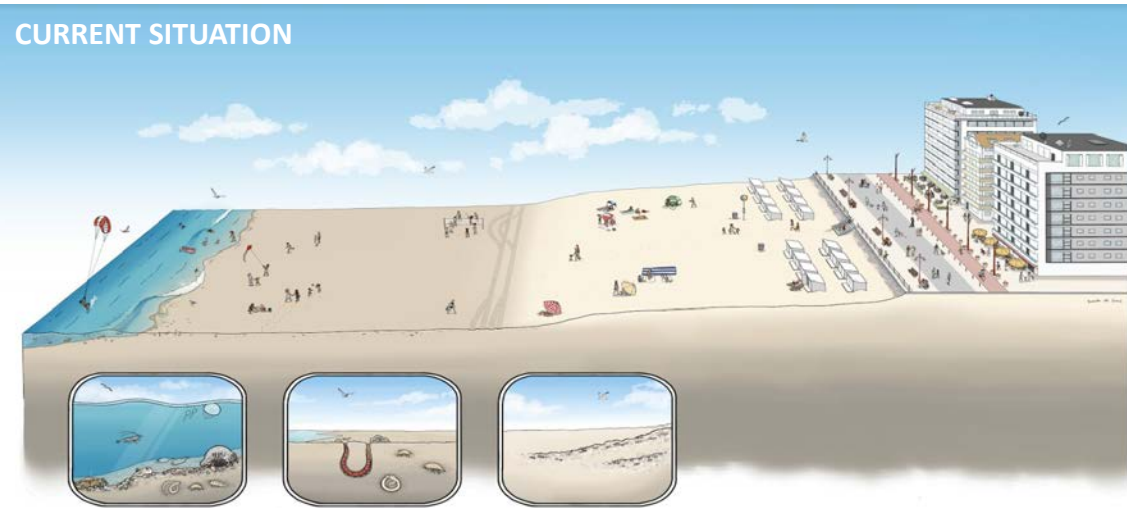
Activities at sea

- Spatial planning of activities minimises impact on biodiversity:
 - Safeguard marine reserve
 - Safeguarding bird migration routes in coastal zone and to central part of BPNS
 - Safeguard zones for seabed integrity and activate seabed protection measures
 - Zones for offshore wind in Natura 2000, only with focus on natural values between turbines, where no other multifunctional use of space is allowed

Nature @ coast

Co-creation trajectory
Coastal Vision

Coast in front of average Belgian coastal community



Coastal section with infrastructure

