



**GENERAL FISHERIES COMMISSION
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Scientific Advisory Committee (SAC)
Subcommittee on Stock Assessment (SCSA)
Working Group on Demersal Species – Red coral Session
Rome, Italy, 25 November 2014
PROVISIONAL AGENDA

Tuesday 25 November 2014
Morning Session, 9:00-13:00

- 1. Overview of available methods for the assessment of red coral stocks**
- 2. Hands-on exercise with some of the models¹**

Afternoon Session, 14:30-17:30

- 3. Comments to the draft Concept Note for a “*Research programme on stock evaluation and management tools for the Mediterranean red coral*”.**
- 4. Comments to the data requirements for red coral within DCRF (Data Collection Reference Framework)**
- 5. Formulation of conclusions, recommendations and management advice to be transmitted for the consideration by the SCSA and SAC (to be reported back to the Plenary WGSAD on the Thursday 27th)**

¹ Participants are requested to submit information on catches, effort and biological parameters to do a practical session on the assessment of red coral stocks.