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# Mediterranean Action Plan

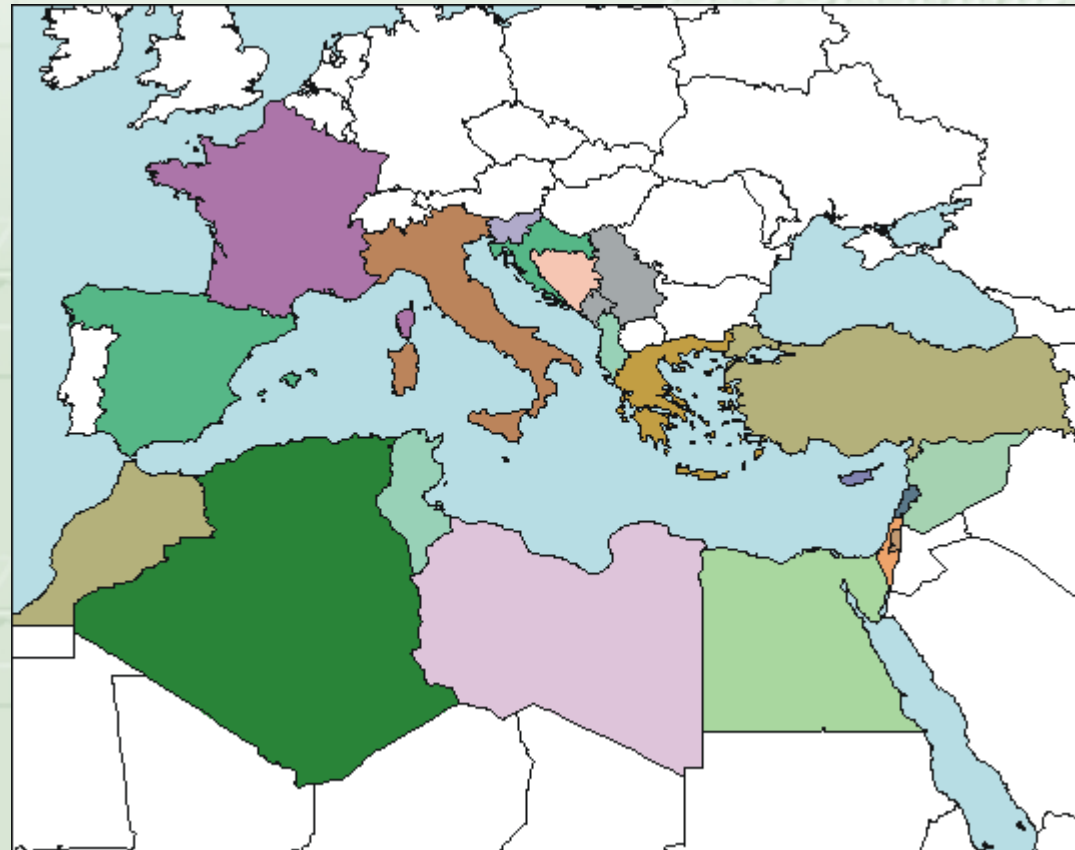
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## Mediterranean Action Plan (MAP)

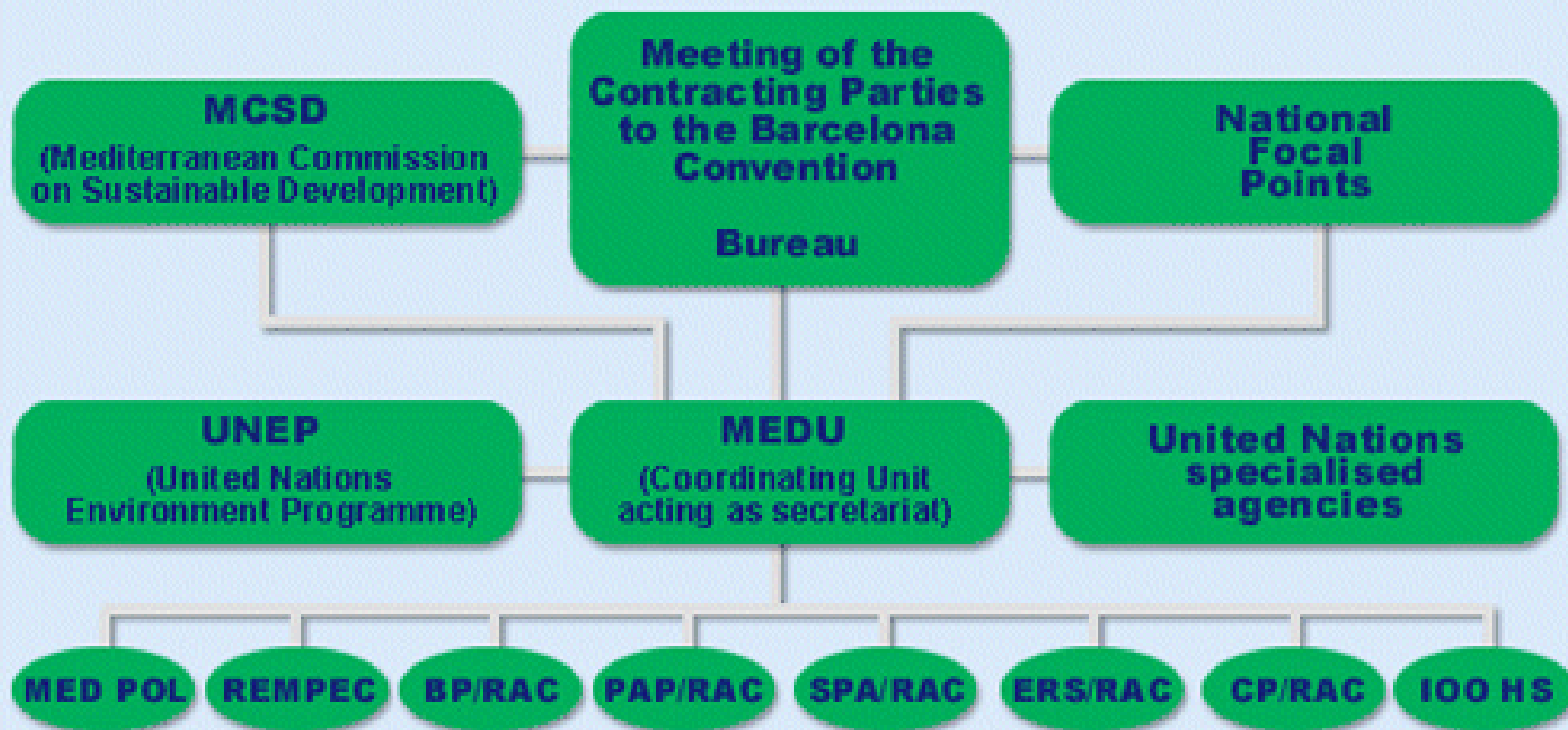
Established in 1975  
Barcelona Convention 1976

- 6 Protocols
- ICZM



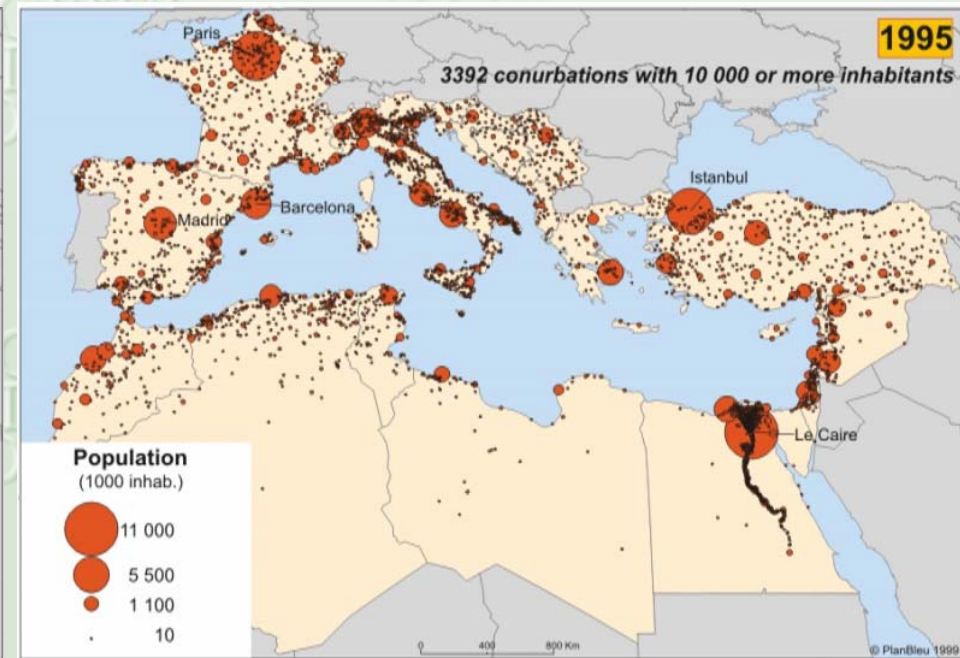
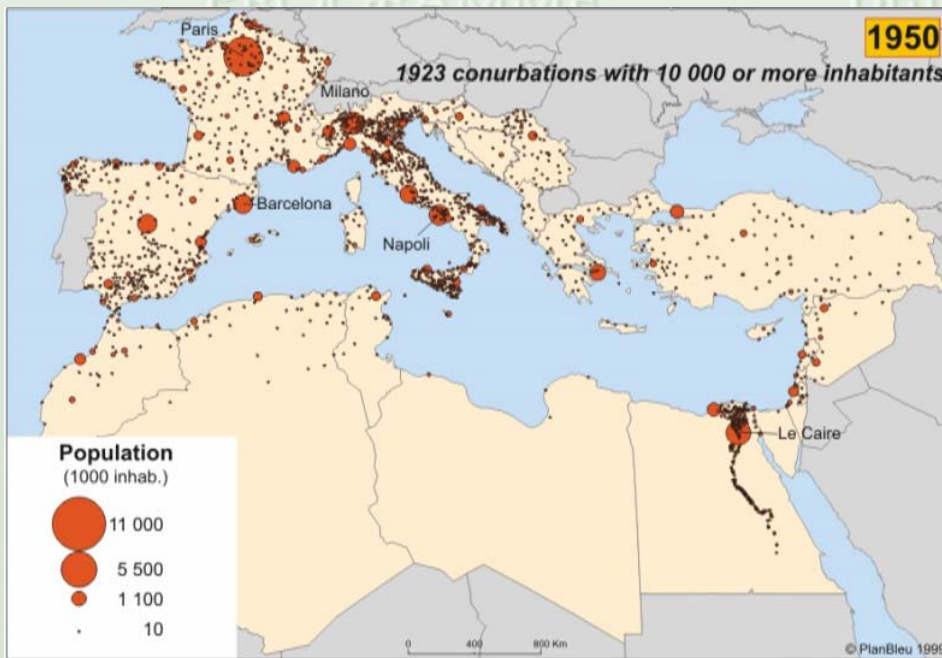


## MAP INSTITUTIONAL STRUCTURE



# Pressures and Future Coastal urbanisation!!

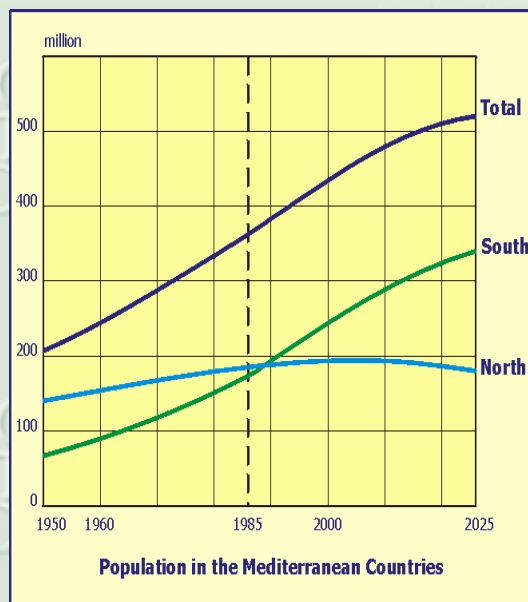
- rapid expansion, "litoralisation"





## Pressures and Future Demographic trends:

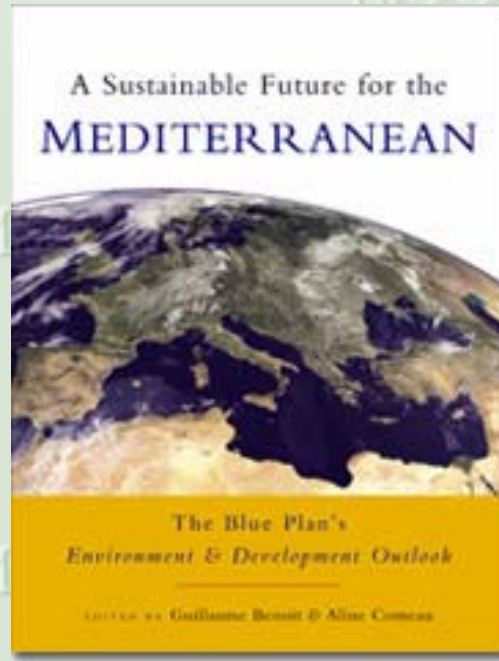
- in 2000 274 mio;
- S&E 100 mio 2000-2025, 31 mio in coastal areas;
- 75% (380 mio) in urban areas by 2025



## Pressures and Future

### Tourism!!

- 637 mio tourists in 2025, 273 mio more than in 2000





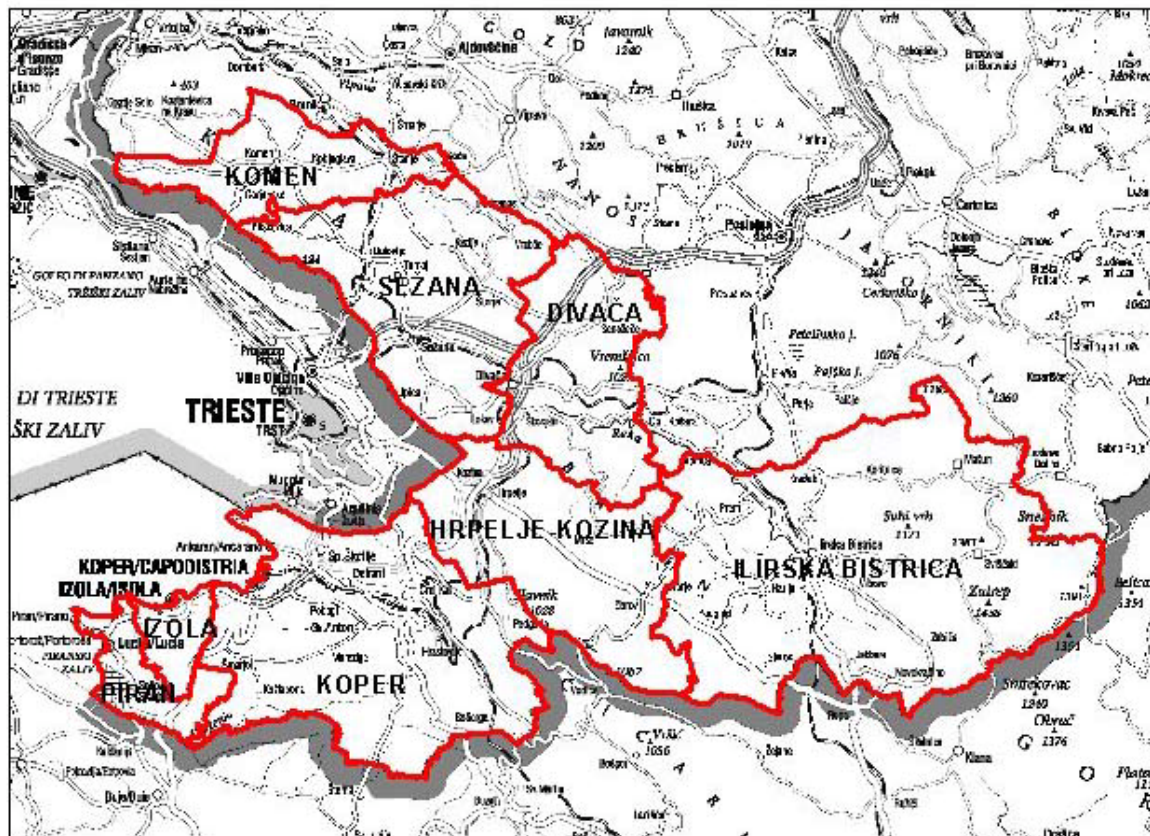
## Priority aims and needs

- Mediterranean Strategy for Sustainable Development
  - adopted 2005 in Portoroz
  - 7 priority fields of action
  - a number of specific actions (urban development, transport, water resources, sea and coastal zones, rural areas, tourism development)
- ICZM Protocol
  - likely to be adopted in January 2008
  - actions for implementation of Protocol
- HORIZON 2020
  - Initiative to de-pollute the Mediterranean by 2020

- Coastal Area Management Programme (CAMP)
  - local initiative for priority issues in coastal areas
  - cross-border CAMPs
  - follow-up of completed CAMPs (e.g. Slovenia)







**CAMP**  
SLOVENIA



- Marine spatial planning
  - new initiative (PlanCoast INTERREG IIIB CadSES)
  - need for a common Adriatic marine strategy
- Landscape management
  - promotion of LM methodologies (spatial planning, vulnerability studies, valuation and modelling etc.)
  - outstanding landscapes (Med identity, definition)
- Training, capacity building and awareness raising



## INITIATIVES

- Euro-Mediterranean Partnership (Barcelona process)
  - Adriatic Action Plan (AAP)
  - Adriatic Ionian Initiative (AII)
  - Adriatic Sea Partnership (ASP)
  - Trilateral commission (HR:I:SLO)
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- co-operation on common issues
  - need to develop concrete projects
  - financial schemes needed





# The Coastal Management Centre



## PRIORITY ACTIONS PROGRAMME

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