Flourishing seas, lakes and streams for the benefit and enjoyment by everyone
Facts about SwAM

- Established 1 July 2011
- Under the Ministry of Environment and Energy
- Approximately 250 employees
- Headquarters located in Gothenburg
- Fisheries inspection offices at 6 locations (Simrishamn, Västra Frölunda, Kungshamn, Karlskrona, Västervik and Luleå)
Main tasks

• Water framework directive (coordinating)
• Marine strategy framework directive (implementing)
• Common fisheries policy (implementing)
• Reporting on three national environmental objectives
• Marine spatial planning directive (implementing)
Overlapping plans

- Municipality Plan (Comprehensive plans)
- Water Framework Directive
- Marine Spatial Plan
- Marine Strategy Framework Directive and the Common Fisheries Policy

1. Shoreline
2. Baseline
3. 1 nm = 1,852 m
4. 12 nm = 22 km
5. 188 nm = 348 km
6. Internal Water
7. Territorial Sea
8. Exclusive Economic Zone (EEZ)
9. EEZ of neighbouring country or International Water
Differing interests

- Shipping
- Energy
- Nature protection
- Cultural heritage
- Defense
- Fishery
- Etc.
A Swedish maritime strategy – for people, jobs and the environment

https://www.regeringen.se/contentassets/be29b68847cf4d61ae967c52388a1fa8/maritima-strategin-sammanfattning-.pdf

http://www.government.se/contentassets/9e9c9007f0944165855630ab4f59de01/a-swedish-maritime-strategy--for-people-jobs-and-the-environment
Strategy for the development of the maritime industries

-A competitive, innovative and sustainable maritime sector can contribute to increased employment, reduced environmental impact and an attractive living environment.
Signed by four Ministers from two different Ministries

Anna Johansson
Minister for Infrastructure

Mikael Damberg
Minister for Enterprise and Innovation

Sven-Erik Bucht
Minister for Rural Affairs

Asa Romson
Minister for Climate and the Environment
The vision
-and the perspectives

The vision:
-A competitive, innovative and sustainable maritime sector can contribute to increased employment, reduced environmental impact and an attractive living environment.

Three perspectives, equally valued:
-A balanced marine environment
-Competitive maritime industries
-Attractive coastal areas
A balanced marine environment

Competitive maritime industries

Attractive coastal areas

A healthy and safe marine environment
Knowledge and innovation
Maritime spatial planning
Functional rules and efficient permit processes
International cooperation
Conditions for the business sector and industry-specific measures
Correlating strategies:

Export strategy

Strategy for new industrialisation

Food strategy (coming)

http://www.government.se/information-material/2016/04/smart-industry---a-strategy-for-new-industrialisation-for-sweden/

http://www.government.se/government-policy/export-strategy/
Innovation partnership programmes

- The next generation's travel and transport
- Smart cities
- Circular bio-based economy
- Life sciences
- A connected industry and new materials

Test site Sweden -
845 millions for innovation and development