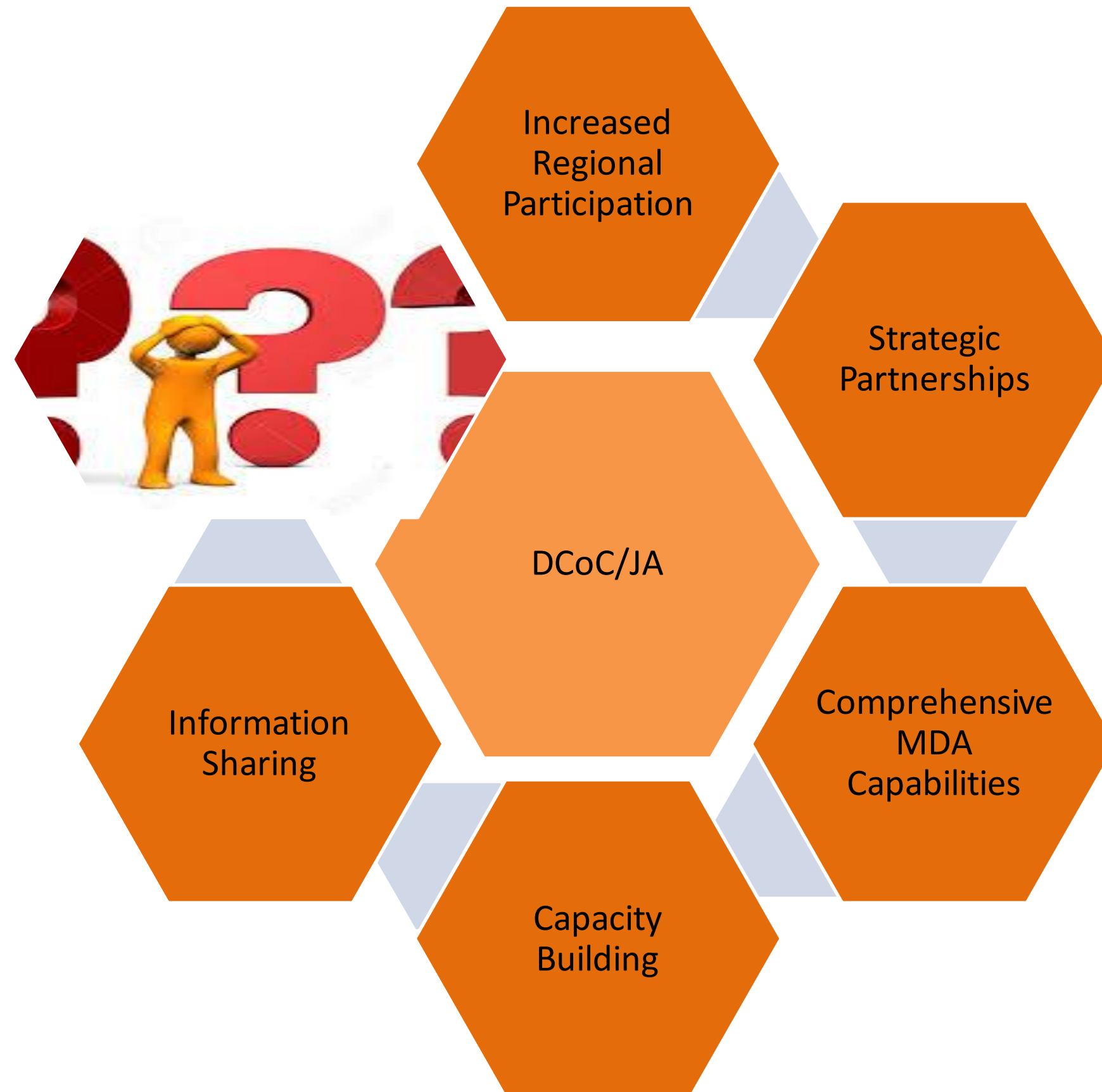


THEMATIC AREAS - PROPOSAL

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# ASSESSMENT





# Scope of the Jeddah Amendment

- Piracy and armed robbery against ships
- Maritime terrorism
- IUU fishing
- Trafficking in arms
- Trafficking in narcotics and psychotropic substances
- Illegal trade in wildlife and other items
- Human trafficking
- Human smuggling; and

# Scope of the Jeddah Amendment Cont....

- Illegal oil bunkering
- Crude oil theft
- Illegal dumping of toxic waste
- new and emerging threats, such as cybersecurity and threats from drones against ships



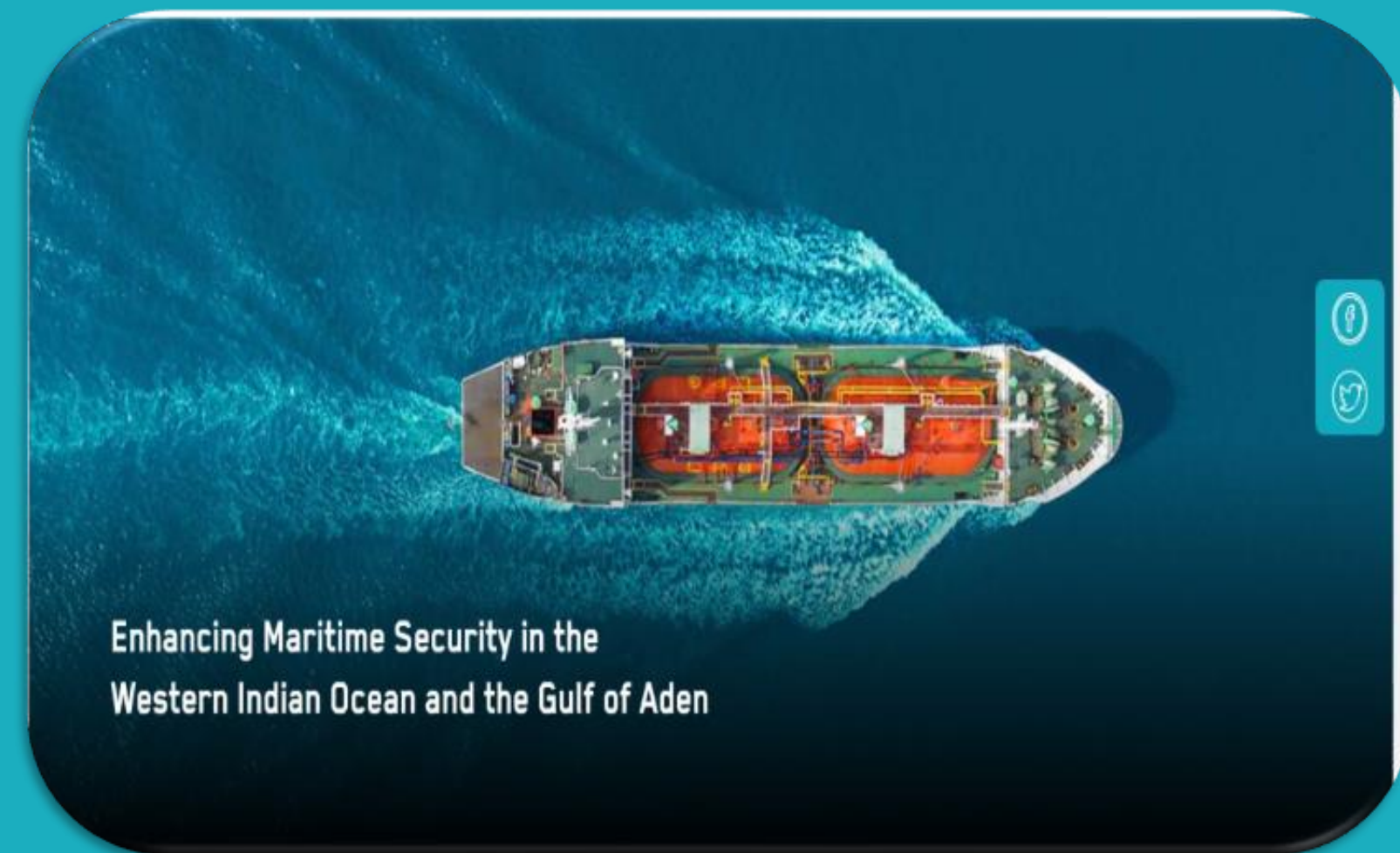
opportunity to provide critical leadership and direction

create necessary sub WGs for coordinating different thematic areas covered under the code of conduct

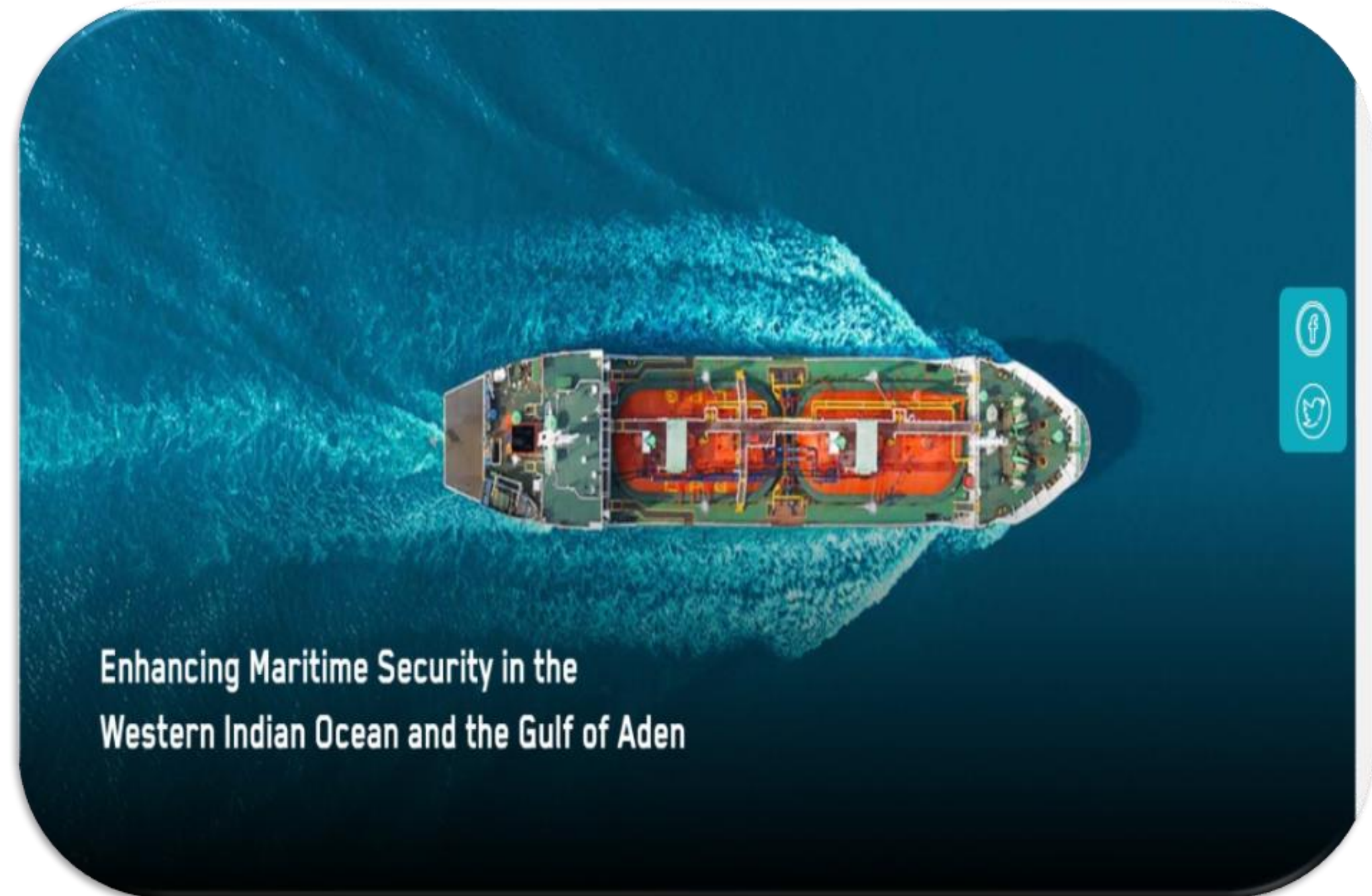
to embrace existing mechanisms, thereby avoiding any duplication of effort

The sub-working groups will play a pivotal role in facilitating effective communication, collaboration, and alignment of regional efforts under the DCoC/JA

The DCoC Capacity Building Coordination Matrix will be used to show the link to regional needs and displaying the ongoing work, implementing partners, accomplished programmes, and progress made

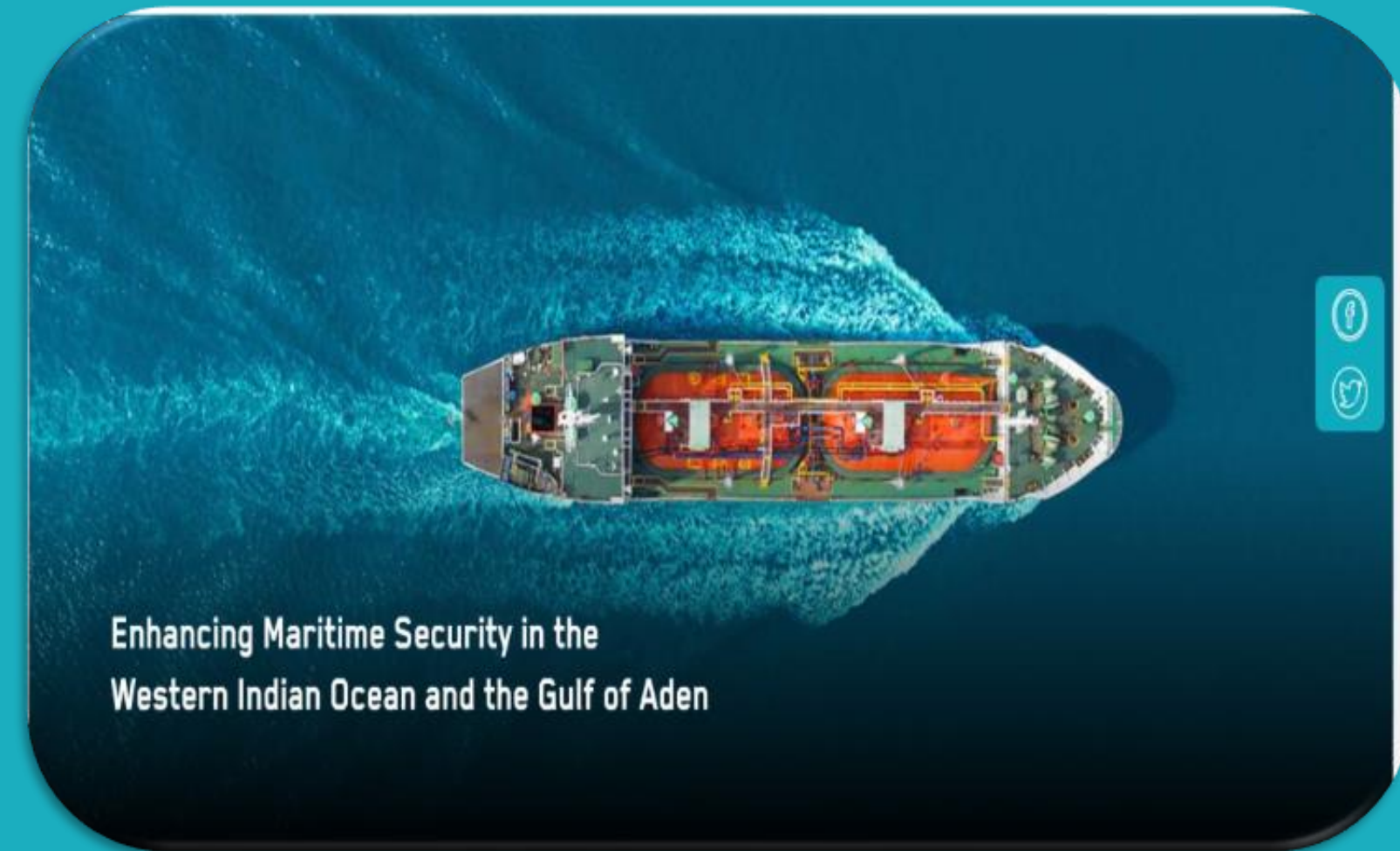


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# Purpose and Advantages of having sub working groups for WG2



**1.  
speciali  
zation**

**2.  
Efficiency**

**3.  
Inclusivity**

**4.  
flexibility**

# The main challenges that require attention on coordinating sub working groups are related to

**Communication**

**Diverse Perspectives  
and Opinions**

**Time Management**

**Collaboration and  
teamwork**

**Accountability**

**Goal Alignment**

**Duplication**



# The proposed thematic areas are

IUU fishing

Port and Ship  
Security and  
protection of vital  
coastal installations

New and emerging  
threats to maritime  
security - maritime  
terrorism, drones  
and cybersecurity

Trafficking in arms,  
narcotics and  
psychotropic  
substances

Illegal trade in  
wildlife and other  
items

Threat to the  
maritime  
environment

Human trafficking  
and smuggling



# Conclusion

**Ultimately, the aim is to establish**

- **A well-coordinated,**
- **Region-wide response to maritime security threats**
- **Ensuring the safety of security of navigation and**

**which puts the DCoC/JA at the forefront of these efforts**

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