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Council Regulation (EU) No 44/2012 of 17 January 2012 fixing for 2012 the fishing opportunities available in EU waters and, to EU vessels, in certain non-EU waters for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks which are subject to international negotiations or agreements

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- F1** Substituted by [Council Regulation \(EU\) No 692/2012 of 24 July 2012 amending Regulations \(EU\) No 43/2012 and \(EU\) No 44/2012 as regards the protection of the giant manta ray and certain fishing opportunities.](#)

## ANNEX I

### TACs APPLICABLE TO EU VESSELS IN AREAS WHERE TACs EXIST BY SPECIES AND BY AREA

The tables in Annexes IA, IB, IC, ID, IE, IF, IG, IH and IJ set out the TACs and quotas (in tonnes live weight, except where otherwise specified) by stock, and conditions functionally linked thereto, where appropriate. All fishing opportunities set out in this Annex shall be subject to the rules set out in Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009, and in particular Articles 33 and 34 thereof.

The references to fishing zones are references to ICES zones, unless otherwise specified. Within each area, fish stocks are referred to following the alphabetical order of the Latin names of the species. For the purposes of this Regulation, the following comparative table of Latin names and common names is provided:

Scientific name	Alpha-3 code	Common name
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<i>Amblyraja radiata</i>	RJR	Starry ray
<i>Ammodytes</i> spp.	SAN	Sandeels
<i>Argentina silus</i>	ARU	Greater silver smelt
<i>Beryx</i> spp.	ALF	Alfonsinos
<i>Brosme brosme</i>	USK	Tusk
<i>Caproidae</i>	BOR	Boarfish
<i>Centrophorus squamosus</i>	GUQ	Leafscale gulper shark
<i>Centroscymnus coelolepis</i>	CYO	Portuguese dogfish
<i>Chaceon maritae</i>	CGE	Deep sea red crab
<i>Champscephalus gunnari</i>	ANI	Antarctic icefish
<i>Chionoecetes</i> spp.	PCR	Snow crab
<i>Clupea harengus</i>	HER	Herring
<i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i>	RNG	Roundnose grenadier
<i>Dalatias licha</i>	SCK	Kitefin shark
<i>Deania calcea</i>	DCA	Birdbeak dogfish
<i>Dipturus batis</i>	RJB	Common skate
<i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>	TOP	Patagonian toothfish
<i>Dissostichus mawsoni</i>	TOA	Antarctic toothfish
<i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i>	ANE	Anchovy
<i>Etmopterus princeps</i>	ETR	Great lanternshark
<i>Etmopterus pusillus</i>	ETP	Smooth lanternshark
<i>Euphausia superba</i>	KRI	Krill
<i>Gadus morhua</i>	COD	Cod
<i>Galeorhinus galeus</i>	GAG	Tope shark
<i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>	WIT	Witch flounder
<i>Hippoglossoides platessoides</i>	PLA	American plaice
<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i>	HAL	Atlantic halibut
<i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>	ORY	Orange roughy
<i>Illex illecebrosus</i>	SQI	Shortfin squid
<i>Lamna nasus</i>	POR	Porbeagle
<i>Lepidonotothen squamifrons</i>	NOS	Grey rockcod
<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.	LEZ	Megrims
<i>Leucoraja circularis</i>	RJI	Sandy ray
<i>Leucoraja fullonica</i>	RJF	Shagreen ray

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<i>Leucoraja naevus</i>	RJN	Cuckoo ray
<i>Limanda ferruginea</i>	YEL	Yellowtail flounder
<i>Limanda limanda</i>	DAB	Dab
<i>Lophiidae</i>	ANF	Anglerfish
<i>Macrourus</i> spp.	GRV	Grenadiers
<i>Makaira nigricans</i>	BUM	Blue marlin
<i>Mallotus villosus</i>	CAP	Capelin
[ <sup>F2</sup> <i>Manta birostris</i>	RMB	Giant manta ray]
<i>Martialia hyadesi</i>	SQS	Squid
<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>	HAD	Haddock
<i>Merlangius merlangus</i>	WHG	Whiting
<i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	HKE	Hake
<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>	WHB	Blue whiting
<i>Microstomus kitt</i>	LEM	Lemon sole
<i>Molva dypterygia</i>	BLI	Blue ling
<i>Molva molva</i>	LIN	Ling
<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>	NEP	Norway lobster
<i>Pandalus borealis</i>	PRA	Northern prawn
<i>Paralomis</i> spp.	PAI	Crabs
<i>Penaeus</i> spp.	PEN	'Penaeus' shrimps
<i>Platichthys flesus</i>	FLE	Flounder
<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>	PLE	Plaice
<i>Pleuronectiformes</i>	FLX	Flatfish
<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>	POL	Pollack
<i>Pollachius virens</i>	POK	Saithe
<i>Psetta maxima</i>	TUR	Turbot
<i>Raja brachyura</i>	RJH	Blonde ray
<i>Raja clavata</i>	RJC	Thornback ray
<i>Raja (Dipturus) nidarosiensis</i>	JAD	Norwegian skate
<i>Raja microocellata</i>	RJE	Small-eyed ray
<i>Raja montagui</i>	RJM	Spotted ray
<i>Raja undulata</i>	RJU	Undulate ray
<i>Rajiformes</i>	SRX	Skates and rays
<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>	GHL	Greenland halibut

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<i>Rostroraja alba</i>	RJA	White skate
<i>Scomber scombrus</i>	MAC	Mackerel
<i>Scophthalmus rhombus</i>	BLL	Brill
<i>Sebastes</i> spp.	RED	Redfish
<i>Solea solea</i>	SOL	Common sole
<i>Solea</i> spp.	SOO	Sole
<i>Sprattus sprattus</i>	SPR	Sprat
<i>Squalus acanthias</i>	DGS	Spurdog/dogfish
<i>Tetrapturus albidus</i>	WHM	White marlin
<i>Thunnus maccoyii</i>	SBF	Southern bluefin tuna
<i>Thunnus obesus</i>	BET	Bigeye tuna
<i>Thunnus thynnus</i>	BFT	Bluefin tuna
<i>Trachurus</i> spp.	JAX	Horse mackerel
<i>Trisopterus esmarkii</i>	NOP	Norway pout
<i>Urophycis tenuis</i>	HKW	White hake
<i>Xiphias gladius</i>	SWO	Swordfish

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Alfonsinos	ALF	<i>Beryx</i> spp.
American plaice	PLA	<i>Hippoglossoides platessoides</i>
Anchovy	ANE	<i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i>
Anglerfish	ANF	<i>Lophiidae</i>
Antarctic icefish	ANI	<i>Champscephalus gunnari</i>
Antarctic toothfish	TOA	<i>Dissostichus mawsoni</i>
Atlantic halibut	HAL	<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i>
Bigeye tuna	BET	<i>Thunnus obesus</i>
Birdbeak dogfish	DCA	<i>Deania calcea</i>
Blonde ray	RJH	<i>Raja brachyura</i>
Blue ling	BLI	<i>Molva dypterygia</i>
Blue marlin	BUM	<i>Makaira nigricans</i>
Blue whiting	WHB	<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>
Bluefin tuna	BFT	<i>Thunnus thynnus</i>
Boarfish	BOR	<i>Caproidae</i>

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Brill	BLL	<i>Scophthalmus rhombus</i>
Capelin	CAP	<i>Mallotus villosus</i>
Cod	COD	<i>Gadus morhua</i>
Common skate	RJB	<i>Dipturus batis</i>
Common sole	SOL	<i>Solea solea</i>
Crabs	PAI	<i>Paralomis</i> spp.
Cuckoo ray	RJN	<i>Leucoraja naevus</i>
Dab	DAB	<i>Limanda limanda</i>
Deep sea red crab	CGE	<i>Chaceon maritae</i>
Flatfish	FLX	<i>Pleuronectiformes</i>
Flounder	FLE	<i>Platichthys flesus</i>
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Herring	HER	<i>Clupea harengus</i>
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Krill	KRI	<i>Euphausia superba</i>
Leafscale gulper shark	GUQ	<i>Centrophorus squamosus</i>
Lemon sole	LEM	<i>Microstomus kitt</i>
Ling	LIN	<i>Molva molva</i>
Mackerel	MAC	<i>Scomber scombrus</i>
Megrim	LEZ	<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.
Northern prawn	PRA	<i>Pandalus borealis</i>
Norway lobster	NEP	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>
Norway pout	NOP	<i>Trisopterus esmarkii</i>
Norwegian skate	JAD	<i>Raja (Dipturus) nidarosiensis</i>
Orange roughy	ORY	<i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>
Patagonian toothfish	TOP	<i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>

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Porbeagle	POR	<i>Lamna nasus</i>
Portuguese dogfish	CYO	<i>Centroscymnus coelolepis</i>
Redfish	RED	<i>Sebastes</i> spp.
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Yellowtail flounder	YEL	<i>Limanda ferruginea</i>
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## ANNEX IA

SKAGERRAK, KATTEGAT, ICES SUBAREAS I, II, III, IV, V,  
VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XII AND XIV, EU WATERS OF CECAF

SpeciesSandeel <i>Ammodytes</i> spp.		ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(SAN/04-N.)
Denmark	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant	
[ <sup>F1</sup> SpeciesSandeel and associated by-catches <i>Ammodytes</i> spp.		ZoneEU waters of IIa, IIIa and IV <sup>a</sup> (SAN/2A3A4.)
Denmark	34 072 <sup>b</sup>	Analytical TAC
United Kingdom	745 <sup>b</sup>	
Germany	52 <sup>b</sup>	
Sweden	1 251 <sup>b</sup>	
Union	36 120	
Norway	2 300	
TAC	38 420]	

**a** Excluding waters within six nautical miles of UK baselines at Shetland, Fair Isle and Foula.

**b** At least 98 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of sandeel. By-catches of dab, mackerel and whiting to be counted against the remaining 2 % of the TAC.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following sandeel management areas, as defined in Annex IIB:

ZoneEU waters of sandeel management areas <sup>c</sup>							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	7
	(SAN/ *234_1)	(SAN/ *234_2)	(SAN/ *234_3)	(SAN/ *234_4)	(SAN/ *234_5)	(SAN/ *234_6)	(SAN/ *234_7)
<b>Denmark</b>	19 526	4 717	4 717	4 717	0	395	0
<b>United Kingdom</b>	427	103	103	103	0	9	0
<b>Germany</b>	30	7	7	7	0	1	0
<b>Sweden</b>	717	173	173	173	0	15	0
<b>Union</b>	20 700	5 000	5 000	5 000	0	420	0
<b>Norway</b>	2 300	0	0	0	0	0	0
<b>Total</b>	23 000	5 000	5 000	5 000	0	420	0

**c** May be revised in accordance with Article 5(4) of this Regulation.



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<b>SpeciesTuskBrosme brosme</b>		<b>ZoneEU and international waters of I, II and XIV(USK/1214EI)</b>
Germany	6 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC
France	6 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	6 <sup>a</sup>	
Others	3 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	21 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	21	

**a** Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

<b>SpeciesTuskBrosme brosme</b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of IV(USK/04-C.)</b>
Denmark	53	Analytical TAC
Germany	16	
France	37	
Sweden	5	
United Kingdom	80	
Others	5 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	196	
TAC	196	

**a** Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

<b>SpeciesTuskBrosme brosme</b>		<b>ZoneEU and international waters of V, VI and VII(USK/567EI.)</b>
Germany	4	Analytical TAC Article 12 of this Regulation applies.
Spain	14	
France	172	
Ireland	17	
United Kingdom	83	
Others	4 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	294	

**a** Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

**b** To be fished in EU waters of IIa, IV, Vb, VI and VII (USK/\*24X7C).

**c** Special condition: of which an incidental catch of other species of 25 % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in Vb, VI and VII. However, this percentage may be exceeded in the first 24 hours following the beginning of the fishing on a specific ground. The total incidental catch of other species in Vb, VI and VII shall not exceed 3 000 tonnes (OTH/\*5B67-).

**d** Including ling. The quotas for Norway are: ling 6 490 tonnes (LIN/\*5B67-), and tusk 2 923 tonnes (USK/\*5B67-) and are interchangeable of up to 2 000 tonnes and may only be fished with long-lines in Vb, VI and VII.

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Norway	2 923 <sup>bed</sup>	
TAC	3 217	
<p><b>a</b> Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.</p> <p><b>b</b> To be fished in EU waters of IIa, IV, Vb, VI and VII (USK/*24X7C).</p> <p><b>c</b> Special condition: of which an incidental catch of other species of 25 % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in Vb, VI and VII. However, this percentage may be exceeded in the first 24 hours following the beginning of the fishing on a specific ground. The total incidental catch of other species in Vb, VI and VII shall not exceed 3 000 tonnes (OTH/*5B67-).</p> <p><b>d</b> Including ling. The quotas for Norway are: ling 6 490 tonnes (LIN/*5B67-), and tusk 2 923 tonnes (USK/*5B67-) and are interchangeable of up to 2 000 tonnes and may only be fished with long-lines in Vb, VI and VII.</p>		
<b>SpeciesTusk</b> <i>Brosme brosme</i>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(USK/04-N.)</b>
Belgium	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	165	
Germany	1	
France	0	
The Netherlands	0	
United Kingdom	4	
Union	170	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>SpeciesHerring<sup>a</sup></b> <i>Clupea harengus</i>		<b>ZoneIIIa(HER/03A.)</b>
Denmark	18 912 <sup>b</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	303 <sup>b</sup>	
Sweden	19 783 <sup>b</sup>	
Union	38 998 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	45 000	
<p><b>a</b> Landings of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm.</p> <p><b>b</b> Special condition: up to 50 % of this amount may be fished in EU waters of IV (HER/*04-C).</p>		
<b>SpeciesHerring<sup>a</sup></b> <i>Clupea harengus</i>		<b>ZoneEU and Norwegian waters of IV north of 53° 30' N(HER/4AB.)</b>
Denmark	64 369	Analytical TAC.
<p><b>a</b> Landings of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm. Member States must inform the Commission of their landings of herring distinguishing between IVa (HER/04A.) and IVb (HER/04B.).</p> <p><b>b</b> Up to 50 000 tonnes of which may be taken in EU waters of IVa and IVb (HER/*4AB-C). Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.</p>		
<b>Special condition:</b> Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:		
		<b>Norwegian waters south of 62° N (HER/*04N-)</b>
<b>Union</b>		50 000

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Germany	41 852	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	21 286	
The Netherlands	53 537	
Sweden	4 120	
United Kingdom	57 836	
Union	243 000	
Norway	117 450 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	405 000	

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- b** Up to 50 000 tonnes of which may be taken in EU waters of IVa and IVb (HER/\*4AB-C). Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

	<b>Norwegian waters south of 62° N (HER/*04N-)</b>
<b>Union</b>	50 000

<b>Species Herring<sup>a</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i></b>		<b>Zone Norwegian waters south of 62° N (HER/04-N.)</b>
Sweden	922 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Union	922	
TAC	405 000	

- a** By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.

<b>Species Herring<sup>a</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i></b>		<b>Zone By-catches in IIIa (HER/03A-BC)</b>
Denmark	5 692	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	51	
Sweden	916	
Union	6 659	
TAC	6 659	

- a** Landings of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes smaller than 32 mm.

<b>Species Herring<sup>a</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i></b>		<b>Zone By-catches in IV, VIIId and in EU waters of IIa (HER/2A47DX)</b>
Belgium	89	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	17 134	
Germany	89	

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France	89	
The Netherlands	89	
Sweden	84	
United Kingdom	326	
Union	17 900	
TAC	17 900	
<b>a</b> Landings of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes smaller than 32 mm.		
<b>Species</b> Herring <sup>a</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i>		<b>Zone</b> IVc, VIIId <sup>b</sup> (HER/4CXB7D)
Belgium	8 774 <sup>c</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	882 <sup>c</sup>	
Germany	573 <sup>c</sup>	
France	10 871 <sup>c</sup>	
The Netherlands	19 261 <sup>c</sup>	
United Kingdom	4 189 <sup>c</sup>	
Union	44 550	
TAC	405 000	
<b>a</b> Landings of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm.		
<b>b</b> Except Blackwater stock: reference is to the herring stock in the maritime region of the Thames estuary within a zone delimited by a rhumb line running due south from Landguard Point (51° 56' N, 1° 19,1' E) to latitude 51° 33' N and hence due west to a point on the coast of the United Kingdom.		
<b>c</b> Special condition: up to 50 % of this quota may be taken in IVb. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (HER/*04B.).		
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>Species</b> Herring <sup>a</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU and international waters of Vb, VIb and VIa <sup>a</sup> (HER/5B6ANB)
Germany	2 560	Analytical TAC
France	484	
Ireland	3 459	
The Netherlands	2 560	
United Kingdom	13 837	
Union	22 900	
TAC	22 900	
<b>a</b> Reference is to the herring stock in VIa, north of 56° 00' N and in that part of VIa which is situated east of 07° 00' W and north of 55° 00' N, excluding the Clyde.]		
<b>Species</b> Cod <i>Gadus morhua</i>		<b>Zone</b> Skagerrak(COD/03AN.)
<b>a</b> In addition to this quota, a Member State may grant to vessels flying its flag participating in trials on fully documented fisheries additional allocation within an overall limit of 12 % of the quota allocated to that Member State, under the conditions set out in Article 6 of this Regulation.		

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Belgium	9 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	3 026 <sup>a</sup>	
Germany	76 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	19 <sup>a</sup>	
Sweden	530 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	3 660	
TAC	3 783	

**a** In addition to this quota, a Member State may grant to vessels flying its flag participating in trials on fully documented fisheries additional allocation within an overall limit of 12 % of the quota allocated to that Member State, under the conditions set out in Article 6 of this Regulation.

<b>Species</b> Cod <b>Gadus morhua</b>		<b>Zone</b> IV; EU waters of IIa; that part of IIIa not covered by the Skagerrak and Kattegat(COD/2A3AX4)
Belgium	782 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	4 495 <sup>a</sup>	
Germany	2 850 <sup>a</sup>	
France	966 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	2 540 <sup>a</sup>	
Sweden	30 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	10 311 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	21 974	
Norway	4 501 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	26 475	

**a** In addition to this quota, a Member State may grant to vessels flying its flag participating in trials on fully documented fisheries additional allocation within an overall limit of 12 % of the quota allocated to that Member State, under the conditions set out in Article 6 of this Regulation.

**b** May be taken in EU waters. Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

	<b>Norwegian waters of IV(COD/*04N-)</b>
<b>Union</b>	19 099

<b>Species</b> Cod <b>Gadus morhua</b>		<b>Zone</b> Norwegian waters south of 62° N(COD/04-N.)
Sweden	382 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Union	382	

**a** By-catches of haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.

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TAC	Not relevant	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
a By-catches of haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.		
<b>Species</b> Cod <i>Gadus morhua</i>		<b>Zone</b> VII d (COD/07D.)
Belgium	66 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC
France	1 295 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	39 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	143 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	1 543	
TAC	1 543	
a In addition to this quota, a Member State may grant to vessels flying its flag participating in trials on fully documented fisheries additional allocation within an overall limit of 12 % of the quota allocated to that Member State, under the conditions set out in Article 6 of this Regulation.		
<b>Species</b> Dab and flounder <i>Limanda limanda</i> and <i>Platichthys flesus</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU waters of IIa and IV (D/F/2AC4-C)
Belgium	503	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	1 888	
Germany	2 832	
France	196	
The Netherlands	11 421	
Sweden	6	
United Kingdom	1 588	
Union	18 434	
TAC	18 434	
<b>Species</b> Anglerfish <i>Lophiidae</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU waters of IIa and IV (ANF/2AC4-C)
Belgium	324 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	714 <sup>a</sup>	
Germany	349 <sup>a</sup>	
France	66 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	245 <sup>a</sup>	
Sweden	8 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	7 455 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	9 161 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	9 161	
a Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in: VI; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV (ANF/*56-14).		

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<b>SpeciesAnglerfishLophiidae</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(ANF/04-N.)</b>
Belgium	45	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	1 152	
Germany	18	
The Netherlands	16	
United Kingdom	269	
Union	1 500	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>SpeciesHaddockMelanogrammus aeglefinus</b>		<b>ZoneIIIa, EU waters of Subdivisions 22-32(HAD/3A/BCD)</b>
Belgium	11	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	1 943	
Germany	123	
The Netherlands	2	
Sweden	229	
Union	2 308	
TAC	2 409	
<b>SpeciesHaddockMelanogrammus aeglefinus</b>		<b>ZoneIV; EU waters of IIa(HAD/2AC4.)</b>
Belgium	224	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
Denmark	1 539	
Germany	979	
France	1 707	
The Netherlands	168	
Sweden	155	
United Kingdom	25 386	
Union	30 158	
Norway	9 008	
TAC	39 166	

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

	<b>Norwegian waters of IV(HAD/*04N-)</b>
<b>Union</b>	22 433

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<b>Species Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></b>		<b>Zone Norwegian waters south of 62° N (HAD/04-N.)</b>
Sweden	707 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Union	707	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** By-catches of cod, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.

<b>Species Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></b>		<b>Zone EU and international waters VIb, XII and XIV (HAD/6B1214)</b>
Belgium	7	Analytical TAC
Germany	9	
France	364	
Ireland	260	
United Kingdom	2 660	
Union	3 300	
TAC	3 300	

<b>Species Whiting <i>Merlangius merlangus</i></b>		<b>Zone IIIa (WHG/03A.)</b>
Denmark	929	Precautionary TAC Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
The Netherlands	3	
Sweden	99	
Union	1 031	
TAC	1 050	

<b>Species Whiting <i>Merlangius merlangus</i></b>		<b>Zone IV; EU waters of IIa (WHG/2AC4.)</b>
Belgium	337	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	1 458	
Germany	379	
France	2 191	
The Netherlands	843	
Sweden	3	
United Kingdom	10 539	

**a** May be taken in EU waters. Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

	<b>Norwegian waters of IV (WHG/*04N-)</b>
<b>Union</b>	10 671



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Union	15 750
Norway	1 306 <sup>a</sup>
TAC	17 056

**a** May be taken in EU waters. Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

		Norwegian waters of IV(WHG/*04N-)
Union		10 671
<b>Species</b> Whiting and Pollack <i>Merlangius merlangus</i> and <i>Pollachius pollachius</i>		<b>Zone</b> Norwegian waters south of 62° N(W/P/04-N.)
Sweden	190 <sup>a</sup>	Precautionary TAC. Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Union	190	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** By-catches of cod, haddock and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.

		Zone
<b>Species</b> Blue whiting <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		<b>Norwegian waters of II and IV(WHB/24-N.)</b>
Denmark	0	Analytical TAC
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	391 000	
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>Species</b> Blue whiting <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU and international waters of I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIIc, VIIIe, XII and XIV(WHB/1X14)
Denmark	10 370 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
Germany	4 032 <sup>a</sup>	
Spain	8 791 <sup>ab</sup>	
France	7 217 <sup>a</sup>	
Ireland	8 030 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	12 645 <sup>a</sup>	
Portugal	817 <sup>ab</sup>	
Sweden	2 565 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	13 454 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** Special condition: of which up to 68 % may be fished in Norwegian Economic Zone or in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen (WHB/\*NZJM1).

**b** Transfers of this quota may be effected to VIIIc, IX and X; EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1. However, such transfers must be notified in advance to the Commission.]

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Union	67 921 <sup>a</sup>	
Norway	30 000	
TAC	391 000	
<p><b>a</b> Special condition: of which up to 68 % may be fished in Norwegian Economic Zone or in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen (WHB/*NZJM1).</p>		
<p><b>b</b> Transfers of this quota may be effected to VIIIc, IX and X; EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1. However, such transfers must be notified in advance to the Commission.]</p>		
<b>Species</b> Blue whiting <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		<b>Zone</b> VIIIc, IX and X; <b>EU waters of CECAF 34.1.1(WHB/8C3411)</b>
Spain	8 034	Analytical TAC
Portugal	2 009	
Union	10 043 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	391 000	
<p><b>a</b> Special condition: of which up to 68 % may be fished in Norwegian EEZ or in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen (WHB/*NZJM2).</p>		
<b>Species</b> Blue whiting <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU waters of II, <b>IVa, V, VI north of 56° 30' N and VII west of 12° W(WHB/24A567)</b>
Norway	64 226 <sup>ab</sup>	Analytical TAC
TAC	391 000	
<p><b>a</b> To be counted against Norway's catch limits established under the Coastal States arrangement.</p>		
<p><b>b</b> Special condition: the catch in IV shall be no more than 20 581 tonnes, i.e. 25 % of Norway's access quota.</p>		
<b>Species</b> Lemon sole and witch <i>Microstomus kitt</i> and <i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU waters of IIa and <b>IV(L/W/2AC4-C)</b>
Belgium	346	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	953	
Germany	122	
France	261	
The Netherlands	793	
Sweden	11	
United Kingdom	3 905	
Union	6 391	
TAC	6 391	

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<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesBlue ling<i>Molva dypterygia</i></b>		<b>ZoneEU waters and international waters of Vb, VI, VII(BLI/5B67-)<sup>c</sup></b>
Germany	20	Analytical TAC Article 12 of this Regulation applies.
Estonia	3	
Spain	62	
France	1 423	
Ireland	5	
Lithuania	1	
Poland	1	
United Kingdom	362	
Others	5 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	1 882	
Norway	150 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	2 032	

**a** Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

**b** To be fished in EU waters of IIa, IV, Vb, VI and VII (BLI/\*24X7C).

**c** Special rules apply in accordance with Article 1 of Regulation (EC) No 1288/2009 and point 7 of Annex III to Regulation (EC) No 43/2009.

**d** [OJ L 347, 24.12.2009, p. 6.](#)

**e** [OJ L 22, 26.1.2009, p. 1.\]](#)

<b>SpeciesLing<i>Molva molva</i></b>		<b>ZoneEU and international waters of I and II(LIN/1/2.)</b>
Denmark	8	Analytical TAC
Germany	8	
France	8	
United Kingdom	8	
Others	4 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	36	
TAC	36	

**a** Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

<b>SpeciesLing<i>Molva molva</i></b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of IV(LIN/04-C.)</b>
Belgium	16	Analytical TAC
Denmark	243	
Germany	150	
France	135	

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The Netherlands	5	
Sweden	10	
United Kingdom	1 869	
Union	2 428	
TAC	2 428	
<b>SpeciesLingMolva molva</b>		<b>ZoneEU and international waters of V(LIN/05.)</b>
Belgium	9	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	6	
Germany	6	
France	6	
United Kingdom	6	
Union	33	
TAC	33	
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesLingMolva molva</b>		
Belgium	30	Analytical TAC Article 12 of this Regulation applies.
Denmark	5	
Germany	109	
Spain	2 211	
France	2 357	
Ireland	591	
Portugal	5	
United Kingdom	2 716	
Union	8 024	
Norway	6 140 <sup>ab</sup>	
TAC	14 164	
<p><b>a</b> Special condition: of which an incidental catch of other species of 25 % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in Vb, VI and VII. However, this percentage may be exceeded in the first 24 hours following the beginning of the fishing on a specific ground. The total incidental catch of other species in VI and VII shall not exceed 3 000 tonnes.</p> <p><b>b</b> Including tusk. The quotas for Norway are: ling 6 140 tonnes and tusk 2 923 tonnes and are interchangeable of up to 2 000 tonnes and may only be fished with long-lines in Vb, VI and VII.]</p>		
<b>SpeciesLingMolva molva</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(LIN/04-N.)</b>
Belgium	6	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	747	

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Germany	21	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	8	
The Netherlands	1	
United Kingdom	67	
Union	850	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>Species</b> Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>		<b>Zone</b> IIIa; EU waters of Subdivisions 22-32(NEP/3A/BCD)
Denmark	4 409	Analytical TAC
Germany	13	
Sweden	1 578	
Union	6 000	
TAC	6 000	
<b>Species</b> Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>		
Denmark	1 135	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	1	
United Kingdom	64	
Union	1 200	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>Species</b> Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		
Denmark	2 457	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Sweden	1 323	
Union	3 780	
TAC	7 080	
<b>Species</b> Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		<b>Zone</b> EU waters of IIa and IV(PRA/2AC4-C)
Denmark	2 273	Analytical TAC
The Netherlands	21	
Sweden	91	
United Kingdom	673	
Union	3 058	
TAC	3 058	
<b>Species</b> Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		<b>Zone</b> Norwegian waters south of 62° N(PRA/04-N.)

**a** By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack, whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quotas for these species.

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Denmark	357	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Sweden	123 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	480	
TAC	Not relevant	
a By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack, whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quotas for these species.		
<b>SpeciesPlaicePleuronectes platessa</b>		<b>ZoneSkagerrak(PLE/03AN.)</b>
Belgium	48	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	6 189	
Germany	32	
The Netherlands	1 190	
Sweden	332	
Union	7 791	
TAC	7 950	
<b>SpeciesPlaicePleuronectes platessa</b>		<b>ZoneKattegat(PLE/03AS.)</b>
Denmark	1 769	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	20	
Sweden	199	
Union	1 988	
TAC	1 988	
<b>SpeciesPlaicePleuronectes platessa</b>		<b>ZoneIV; EU waters of IIa; that part of IIIa not covered by the Skagerrak and the Kattegat(PLE/2A3AX4)</b>
Belgium	4 874	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	15 840	
Germany	4 569	
France	914	
The Netherlands	30 462	
United Kingdom	22 542	
Union	79 201	
Norway	5 209	
TAC	84 410	

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

	<b>Norwegian waters of IV(PLE/*04N-)</b>
<b>Union</b>	32 500

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<b>SpeciesSaithePollachius virens</b>		<b>ZoneIIIa and IV; EU waters of IIa, IIIb, IIIc and Subdivisions 22-32(POK/2A34.)</b>
Belgium	27	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	3 263	
Germany	8 241	
France	19 395	
The Netherlands	82	
Sweden	448	
United Kingdom	6 318	
Union	37 774	
Norway	41 546 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	79 320	

**a** May only be taken in EU waters of IV and in IIIa (POK/\*3A4-C). Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.

<b>SpeciesSaithePollachius virens</b>		<b>ZoneVI; EU and international waters of Vb, XII and XIV(POK/56-14)</b>
Germany	391	Analytical TAC
France	3 878	
Ireland	407	
United Kingdom	3 154	
Union	7 830	
Norway	400 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	8 230	

**a** To be fished north of 56° 30' N.

<b>SpeciesSaithePollachius virens</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters south of 62° N(POK/04-N.)</b>
Sweden	880 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC
Union	880	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack and whiting are to be counted against the quota for these species.

<b>SpeciesTurbot and brillPsetta maxima and Scopthalmus rhombus</b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of IIa and IV(T/B/2AC4-C)</b>
Belgium	340	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	727	

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Germany	186	
France	88	
The Netherlands	2 579	
Sweden	5	
United Kingdom	717	
Union	4 642	
TAC	4 642	
<b>SpeciesGreenland HalibutReinhardtius hippoglossoides</b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of IIa and IV; EU and international waters of Vb and VI(GHL/2A-C46)</b>
Denmark	2	Analytical TAC
Germany	3	
Estonia	2	
Spain	2	
France	31	
Ireland	2	
Lithuania	2	
Poland	2	
United Kingdom	123	
Union	169	
TAC	520 <sup>a</sup>	
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesMackerelScomber scombrus</b>		
Belgium	512 <sup>c</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
Denmark	17 580 <sup>c</sup>	
Germany	534 <sup>c</sup>	
France	1 612 <sup>c</sup>	
The Netherlands	1 623 <sup>c</sup>	
Sweden	4 813 <sup>abc</sup>	
United Kingdom	1 503 <sup>c</sup>	
Union	28 177 <sup>ac</sup>	
Norway	167 197 <sup>d</sup>	

<sup>a</sup> Of which 350 tonnes are allocated to Norway and are to be taken in the EU waters of IIa and VI. In VI this quantity may only be fished with long-lines (GHL/\*2A6-C).



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TAC	Not relevant]
a	Special condition: including 242 tonnes to be taken in Norwegian waters south of 62° N (MAC/*04N-).
b	When fishing in Norwegian waters, by-catches of cod (COD/*2134.), haddock (HAD/*2134.), pollack (POL/*2134.) and whiting (WHG/*2134.) and saithe (POK/*2134.) are to be counted against the quotas for these species.
c	May also be taken in Norwegian waters of IVa (MAC/*4AN.).
d	To be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC (access quota). This amount includes the Norwegian share in the North Sea TAC of the amount of 46 685 tonnes. This quota may be fished in IVa only (MAC/*04A.), except for 3 000 tonnes that may be fished in IIIa (MAC/*03A.).

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones.

	IIIa(MAC/*03A.)	IIIa and IVbc(MAC/*3A4BC)	IVb(MAC/*04B.)	IVc(MAC/*04C.)	VI, international waters of IIa, from 1 January 2012 to 31 March 2012 and in December 2012(MAC/*2A6.)
Denmark	0	4 130	0	0	9 482
France	0	490	0	0	0
The Netherlands	0	490	0	0	0
Sweden	0	0	390	10	1 829
United Kingdom	0	490	0	0	0
Norway	3 000	0	0	0	0

[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesMackerel*Scomber scombrus*

**Zone VI, VII, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIIc and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of IIa, XII and XIV(MAC/2CX14-)**

a	May be fished in IIa, VIa north of 56° 30' N, IVa, VIIc, VIIe, VIIf and VIIh (MAC/*AX7H).
b	An additional 33 437 tonnes of access quota may be fished by Norway North of 56° 30' N and counted against its catch limit (MAC/*N6530).

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones and periods specified below.

	EU and Norwegian waters of IVa(MAC/*04A-EN)During the periods from 1 January to 15 February 2012 and from 1 September to 31 December 2012	Norwegian waters of IIa(MAC/*2AN-)
Germany	8 219	837
France	5 479	557
Ireland	27 396	2 790
The Netherlands	11 985	1 220
United Kingdom	75 342	7 672
Union	128 421	13 076

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Germany	20 427	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
Spain	22	
Estonia	170	
France	13 619	
Ireland	68 089	
Latvia	126	
Lithuania	126	
The Netherlands	29 788	
Poland	1 438	
United Kingdom	187 248	
Union	321 053	
Norway	13 898 <sup>ab</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant]	

**a** May be fished in IIa, VIa north of 56° 30' N, IVa, VIIId, VIIe, VIIf and VIIh (MAC/\*AX7H).

**b** An additional 33 437 tonnes of access quota may be fished by Norway North of 56° 30' N and counted against its catch limit (MAC/\*N6530).

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones and periods specified below.

	EU and Norwegian waters of IVa(MAC/*04A-EN)During the periods from 1 January to 15 February 2012 and from 1 September to 31 December 2012	Norwegian waters of IIa(MAC/*2AN-)
Germany	8 219	837
France	5 479	557
Ireland	27 396	2 790
The Netherlands	11 985	1 220
United Kingdom	75 342	7 672
Union	128 421	13 076

[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesMackerel*Scomber scombrus*

ZoneVIIIc, IX and X;  
EU waters of CECAF  
34.1.1(MAC/8C3411)

**a** Special condition: quantities subject to exchanges with other Member States may be taken in VIIIa, VIIIb and VIIIId (MAC/\*8ABD.). However, the quantities provided by Spain, Portugal or France for exchange purposes and to be taken in VIIIa, VIIIb and VIIIId shall not exceed 25 % of the quotas of the donor Member State.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone.

	VIIIb(MAC/*08B.)
Spain	2 543
France	17
Portugal	526

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Spain	30 278 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
France	201 <sup>a</sup>	
Portugal	6 258 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	36 737	
TAC	Not relevant]	

**a** Special condition: quantities subject to exchanges with other Member States may be taken in VIIIa, VIIIb and VIIIc (MAC/\*8ABD.). However, the quantities provided by Spain, Portugal or France for exchange purposes and to be taken in VIIIa, VIIIb and VIIIc shall not exceed 25 % of the quotas of the donor Member State.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone.

	VIIIb(MAC/*08B.)
Spain	2 543
France	17
Portugal	526

<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesMackerel<i>Scomber scombrus</i></b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IIa and IVa(MAC/2A4A-N.)</b>
Denmark	12 608 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
Union	12 608 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** Catches taken in IIa (MAC/\*02A.) and IVa (MAC/\*4A.) to be reported separately.]

<b>SpeciesCommon sole<i>Solea solea</i></b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of II and IV(SOL/24-C.)</b>
Belgium	1 346	Analytical TAC
Denmark	615	
Germany	1 077	
France	269	
The Netherlands	12 151	
United Kingdom	692	
Union	16 150	
Norway	50 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	16 200	

**a** May be fished only in EU waters of IV (SOL/\*04-C.).

<b>SpeciesSprat and associated by-catches<i>Sprattus sprattus</i></b>		<b>ZoneIIIa(SCR/03A.)</b>
Denmark	34 843 <sup>a</sup>	Precautionary TAC

**a** At least 95 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of sprat. By-catches of dab, whiting and haddock to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the TAC.

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Germany	73 <sup>a</sup>
Sweden	13 184 <sup>a</sup>
Union	48 100
TAC	52 000

**a** At least 95 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of sprat. By-catches of dab, whiting and haddock to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the TAC.

[ <sup>F1</sup> SpeciesSprat and associated by-catches <i>Sprattus sprattus</i>		ZoneEU waters of IIa and IV(SPR/2AC4-C)
Belgium	1 737 <sup>d</sup>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	137 489 <sup>d</sup>	
Germany	1 737 <sup>d</sup>	
France	1 737 <sup>d</sup>	
The Netherlands	1 737 <sup>d</sup>	
Sweden	1 330 <sup>ad</sup>	
United Kingdom	5 733 <sup>d</sup>	
Union	151 500	
Norway	10 000 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	161 500 <sup>c</sup>	

**a** Including sandeel.

**b** May only be fished in EU waters of IV (SPR/\*04-C.).

**c** May be revised in accordance with Article 5(4) of this Regulation.

**d** At least 98 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of sprat. By-catches of dab and whiting to be counted against the remaining 2 % of the TAC (OTH/\*2AC4C).]

SpeciesHorse mackerel and associated by-catches <i>Trachurus</i> spp.		ZoneEU waters of IVb, IVc and VIIId(JAX/4BC7D)
Belgium	44 <sup>c</sup>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	19 339 <sup>c</sup>	
Germany	1 708 <sup>ac</sup>	
Spain	359 <sup>c</sup>	
France	1 604 <sup>ac</sup>	
Ireland	1 216 <sup>c</sup>	

**a** Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota fished in division VIIId may be accounted for as fished under the quota concerning the zone: EU waters of IIa, IVa, VI, VIIa-c, VIIe-k, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (JAX/\*2A-14).

**b** May only be fished in EU waters of IV (JAX/\*04-C.).

**c** At least 95 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of horse mackerel. By-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel are to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the TAC (OTH/\*4BC7D).

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The Netherlands	11 642 <sup>ac</sup>
Portugal	41 <sup>c</sup>
Sweden	75 <sup>c</sup>
United Kingdom	4 602 <sup>ac</sup>
Union	40 630
Norway	3 550 <sup>b</sup>
TAC	44 180

**a** Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota fished in division VIIId may be accounted for as fished under the quota concerning the zone: EU waters of IIa, IVa, VI, VIIa-c, VIIe-k, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (JAX/\*2A-14).

**b** May only be fished in EU waters of IV (JAX/\*04-C.).

**c** At least 95 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of horse mackerel. By-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel are to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the TAC (OTH/\*4BC7D).

**[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesHorse mackerel and associated by-catches***Trachurus* spp.

**ZoneEU waters of IIa, IVa, VI, VIIa-c, VIIe-k, VIIIa, VIIIb, VIIIId and VIIIe; EU and international waters of Vb; international waters of XII and XIV(JAX/2A-14)**

Denmark	15 702 <sup>ac</sup>
Germany	12 251 <sup>abc</sup>
Spain	16 711 <sup>c</sup>
France	6 306 <sup>abc</sup>
Ireland	40 803 <sup>ac</sup>
The Netherlands	49 156 <sup>abc</sup>
Portugal	1 610 <sup>c</sup>
Sweden	675 <sup>ac</sup>
United Kingdom	14 775 <sup>abc</sup>
Union	157 989
TAC	157 989

Analytical TAC

**a** Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota fished in EU waters of IIa or IVa before 30 June 2012 may be accounted for as fished under the quota concerning the zone of EU waters of IVb, IVc and VIIId. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (JAX/\*4BC7D).

**b** Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota may be fished in VIIId. However, the use of this special condition must be notified in advance to the Commission (JAX/\*07D.).

**c** At least 95 % of landings counted against the TAC must be of horse mackerel. By-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel are to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the TAC (OTH/\*2A-14).]

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<b>[<sup>F3</sup>SpeciesNorway pout and associated by-catchesTrisopterus esmarki</b>		<b>ZoneIIIa; EU waters of IIa and IV(NOP/2A3A4.)</b>
Denmark	70 684 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	14 <sup>ab</sup>	
The Netherlands	52 <sup>ab</sup>	
Union	75 750 <sup>ac</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> At least 95 % of landings counted against this quota must be of Norway pout. By-catches of haddock and whiting to be counted against the remaining 5 % of the quota.</p> <p><b>b</b> Quota may be fished in EU waters of ICES zones IIa, IIIa and IV only.</p> <p><b>c</b> Of which 5 000 tonnes are allocated to Norway.]</p>		
<b>SpeciesNorway poutTrisopterus esmarki</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(NOP/04-N.)</b>
Denmark	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>SpeciesIndustrial fish</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(I/F/04-N.)</b>
Sweden	800 <sup>ab</sup>	Precautionary TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Union	800	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe to be counted against the quotas for these species.</p> <p><b>b</b> Special condition: of which no more than 400 tonnes of horse mackerel (JAX/*04-N.).</p>		
<b>SpeciesCombined quota</b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of Vb, VI and VII(R/G/5B67-C)</b>
Union	Not relevant	Precautionary TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Norway	140 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> Taken with long-lines only, including grenadiers, rat tails, common mora and greater fork beard.</p>		
<b>SpeciesOther species</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of IV(OTH/04-N.)</b>
Belgium	27	Precautionary TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Denmark	2 500	
Germany	282	
<p><b>a</b> Quota allocated by Norway to Sweden of 'other species' at a traditional level.</p> <p><b>b</b> Including fisheries not specifically mentioned. Exceptions may be introduced after consultations, as appropriate.</p>		

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France	116
The Netherlands	200
Sweden	Not relevant <sup>a</sup>
United Kingdom	1 875
Union	5 000 <sup>b</sup>
TAC	Not relevant

**a** Quota allocated by Norway to Sweden of 'other species' at a traditional level.

**b** Including fisheries not specifically mentioned. Exceptions may be introduced after consultations, as appropriate.

<b>SpeciesOther species</b>		<b>ZoneEU waters of IIa, IV and VIa north of 56° 30' N(OTH/2A46AN)</b>
Union	Not relevant	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Norway	2 720 <sup>ab</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** Limited to IIa and IV (OTH/\*2A4-C).

**b** Including fisheries not specifically mentioned. Exceptions may be introduced after consultations, as appropriate.

## ANNEX IB

### NORTH EAST ATLANTIC AND GREENLAND, ICES SUBAREAS I, II, V, XII AND XIV AND GREENLAND WATERS OF NAFO 0 AND 1

<b>SpeciesSnow crabChionoecetes spp.</b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1(PCR/N01GRN)</b>
Ireland	62	
Spain	437	
Union	500	
TAC	Not relevant	

<b>SpeciesHerringClupea harengus</b>		<b>ZoneEU, Norwegian and international waters of I and II(HER/1/2.)</b>
Belgium	19 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC

**a** When reporting catches to the Commission the quantities fished in each of the following areas shall also be reported: NEAFC Regulatory Area, EU waters, Faroese waters, Norwegian waters, the fishery zone around Jan Mayen, the fishery protection zone around Svalbard.

**b** Catches taken against this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC (access quota). This quota may be fished in EU waters north of 62° N.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned Union share of the TAC, no more than 48 805 tonnes may be taken in the following zone:

Norwegian waters north of 62° N and the fishery zone around Jan Mayen (HER/\*2AJMN)

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Denmark	18 580 <sup>a</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 7 of this Regulation applies.
Germany	3 254 <sup>a</sup>	
Spain	61 <sup>a</sup>	
France	802 <sup>a</sup>	
Ireland	4 810 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	6 649 <sup>a</sup>	
Poland	940 <sup>a</sup>	
Portugal	61 <sup>a</sup>	
Finland	288 <sup>a</sup>	
Sweden	6 885 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	11 879 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	54 228 <sup>a</sup>	
Norway	508 130 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	833 000	

**a** When reporting catches to the Commission the quantities fished in each of the following areas shall also be reported: NEAFC Regulatory Area, EU waters, Faroese waters, Norwegian waters, the fishery zone around Jan Mayen, the fishery protection zone around Svalbard.

**b** Catches taken against this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC (access quota). This quota may be fished in EU waters north of 62° N.

**Special condition:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned Union share of the TAC, no more than 48 805 tonnes may be taken in the following zone:

Norwegian waters north of 62° N and the fishery zone around Jan Mayen (HER/\*2AJMN)

<b>SpeciesCodGadus morhua</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of I and II(COD/1N2AB.)</b>
Germany	1 971	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Greece	244	
Spain	2 198	
Ireland	244	
France	1 809	
Portugal	2 198	
United Kingdom	7 645	
Union	16 309	
TAC	Not relevant	



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<b>Species</b> Cod <b>Gadus morhua</b>		<b>Zone</b> Greenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1; <b>Greenland waters of V and XIV(COD/N01514)</b>
Germany	1 636 <sup>abc</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
United Kingdom	364 <sup>abc</sup>	
Union	2 000 <sup>abc</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** The area in East Greenland called ‘the Kleine Banke’ is closed for all fisheries. That area is delimited by:  
— 64°40′ N 37°30′ W,  
— 64°40′ N 36°30′ W,  
— 64°15′ N 36°30′ W, and  
— 64°15′ N 37°30′ W.

**b** May be fished East or West. In East Greenland the fishery is permitted only from 1 July to 31 December 2012.

**c** The fishery shall be conducted with 100 % observer coverage and with VMS. A maximum of 80 % of the quota must be taken in one of the areas below. In addition, a minimum effort of 20 hauls per vessel shall be conducted in each area:

Area	Boundary
1. East Greenland (COD/N64E44)	North of 64° N East of 44° W
2. East Greenland (COD/S64E44)	South of 64° N East of 44° W
3. West Greenland (COD/GRLW44)	West of 44° W

<b>Species</b> Cod <b>Gadus morhua</b>		<b>Zone</b> I and II <b>(COD/1/2B.)</b>
Germany	5 195 <sup>c</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Spain	11 870 <sup>c</sup>	
France	2 339 <sup>c</sup>	
Poland	2 285 <sup>c</sup>	
Portugal	2 449 <sup>c</sup>	
United Kingdom	3 397 <sup>c</sup>	
Other Member States	250 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	27 785 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	737 000	

**a** Except Germany, Spain, France, Poland, Portugal and the United Kingdom.

**b** The allocation of the share of the cod stock available to the Union in the zone Spitzbergen and Bear Island and the associated by-catches of haddock are entirely without prejudice to the rights and obligations deriving from the 1920 Treaty of Paris.

**c** [<sup>XI</sup>By-catches of haddock may represent up to 19 % per haul. The by-catch quantities of haddock are in addition to the quota for cod.]

<b>[<sup>F1</sup>Species</b> Cod and haddock <b>Gadus morhua and Melanogrammus aeglefinus</b>		<b>Zone</b> Faroese waters of V <b>(C/H/05B-F.)</b>
Germany	0	Analytical TAC

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France	0	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant]	
<b>SpeciesAtlantic halibut<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i></b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of V and XIV(HAL/514GRN)</b>
Portugal	1 000 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	1 075 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> To be fished by no more than six EU demersal long-liners targeting Atlantic halibut. Catches of associated species to be counted against this quota.</p> <p><b>b</b> Of which 75 tonnes to be fished only with long-lines, are allocated to Norway (HAL/*514GN).</p>		
<b>SpeciesAtlantic halibut<i>Hippoglossus hippoglossus</i></b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1(HAL/N01GRN)</b>
Union	200 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> Of which 75 tonnes to be fished with long-lines, are allocated to Norway (HAL/*N01GN).</p>		
<b>SpeciesCapelin<i>Mallotus villosus</i></b>		<b>ZoneIIb(CAP/02B.)</b>
Union	0	
TAC	0	
<b>SpeciesCapelin<i>Mallotus villosus</i></b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of V and XIV(CAP/514GRN)</b>
Union	56 364 <sup>ab</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> Of which 7 965 tonnes are allocated to Norway.</p> <p><b>b</b> To be fished until 30 April 2012.</p>		
<b>SpeciesHaddock<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of I and II(HAD/1N2AB.)</b>
Germany	289	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	174	
United Kingdom	887	
Union	1 350	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesBlue whiting<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i></b>		<b>ZoneFaroese waters(WHB/2A4AXF)</b>
Denmark	0	Analytical TAC
<p><b>a</b> TAC set in accordance with consultations among the Union, Faroe Islands, Norway and Iceland.]</p>		

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Germany	0	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	0	
The Netherlands	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	
<b>a</b> TAC set in accordance with consultations among the Union, Faroe Islands, Norway and Iceland.]		
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesLing and blue ling</b> <i>Molva molva</i> and <i>Molva dypterygia</i>		<b>ZoneFaroeese waters of Vb(B/L/05B-F.)</b>
Germany	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant]	
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesNorthern prawn</b> <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of V and XIV(PRA/514GRN)</b>
Denmark	2 550	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	2 550	
Union	8 000 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>a</b> Of which 2 900 tonnes are allocated to Norway.]		
<b>SpeciesNorthern prawn</b> <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1(PRA/N01GRN)</b>
Denmark	2 000	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	2 000	
Union	4 000	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>SpeciesSaithe</b> <i>Pollachius virens</i>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of I and II(POK/1N2AB.)</b>
Germany	2 040	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	328	
United Kingdom	182	
Union	2 550	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>SpeciesSaithe</b> <i>Pollachius virens</i>		<b>ZoneInternational waters of I and II(POK/1/2INT)</b>
Union	0	

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TAC	Not relevant	
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesSaithePollachius virens</b>		<b>ZoneFaroese waters of Vb(POK/05B-F.)</b>
Belgium	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	0	
France	0	
The Netherlands	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant]	
<b>SpeciesGreenland halibutReinhardtius hippoglossoides</b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of I and II(GHL/1N2AB.)</b>
Germany	25 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
United Kingdom	25 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	50 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>a</b> Only as by-catch.		
<b>SpeciesGreenland halibutReinhardtius hippoglossoides</b>		<b>ZoneInternational waters of I and II(GHL/1/2INT)</b>
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>SpeciesGreenland halibutReinhardtius hippoglossoides</b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1(GHL/N01GRN)</b>
Germany	1 850	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Union	2 650 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>a</b> Of which 800 tonnes are allocated to Norway to be fished in NAFO 1 only.		
<b>SpeciesGreenland halibutReinhardtius hippoglossoides</b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of V and XIV(GHL/514GRN)</b>
Germany	5 221	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
United Kingdom	275	
Union	6 320 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<b>a</b> Of which 824 tonnes are allocated to Norway.		

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<b>Species</b> Redfish (shallow pelagic) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		<b>Zone</b> EU and international waters of V; international waters of XII and XIV(RED/51214S)
Estonia	0 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Spain	0 <sup>a</sup>	
France	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Ireland	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Latvia	0 <sup>a</sup>	
The Netherlands	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Poland	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Portugal	0 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** May not be fished from 1 January to 9 May 2012.

<b>Species</b> Redfish (deep pelagic) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		<b>Zone</b> EU and international waters of V; international waters of XII and XIV(RED/51214D)
Estonia	149 <sup>ab</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	3 005 <sup>ab</sup>	
Spain	533 <sup>ab</sup>	
France	283 <sup>ab</sup>	

**a** May only be taken within the area bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	64° 45'	28° 30'
2	62° 50'	25° 45'
3	61° 55'	26° 45'
4	61° 00'	26° 30'
5	59° 00'	30° 00'
6	59° 00'	34° 00'
7	61° 30'	34° 00'
8	62° 50'	36° 00'
9	64° 45'	28° 30'

**b** May not be fished from 1 January to 9 May 2012.

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Ireland	1 <sup>ab</sup>
Latvia	54 <sup>ab</sup>
The Netherlands	2 <sup>ab</sup>
Poland	273 <sup>ab</sup>
Portugal	637 <sup>ab</sup>
United Kingdom	7 <sup>ab</sup>
Union	4 944 <sup>ab</sup>
TAC	32 000 <sup>ab</sup>

a May only be taken within the area bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	64° 45'	28° 30'
2	62° 50'	25° 45'
3	61° 55'	26° 45'
4	61° 00'	26° 30'
5	59° 00'	30° 00'
6	59° 00'	34° 00'
7	61° 30'	34° 00'
8	62° 50'	36° 00'
9	64° 45'	28° 30'

b May not be fished from 1 January to 9 May 2012.

Species Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		Zone Norwegian waters of I and II (RED/1N2AB.)
Germany	766 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Spain	95 <sup>a</sup>	
France	84 <sup>a</sup>	
Portugal	405 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	150 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	1 500 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	

a Only as by-catch.

Species Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		Zone International waters of I and II (RED/1/2INT)
Union	Not relevant <sup>ab</sup>	Analytical TAC

a The fishery may only take place within the period from 15 August to 30 November 2012. The fishery will be closed when the TAC is fully utilised by NEAFC Contracting Parties. The Commission shall inform Member States of the date on which the Secretariat of NEAFC has notified NEAFC Contracting Parties that the TAC has been fully utilised. From that date Member States shall prohibit directed fishery for redfish by vessels flying their flag.

b Vessels shall limit their by-catches of redfish in other fisheries to a maximum of 1 % of the total catch retained on board.

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TAC	7 500	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
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**a** The fishery may only take place within the period from 15 August to 30 November 2012. The fishery will be closed when the TAC is fully utilised by NEAFC Contracting Parties. The Commission shall inform Member States of the date on which the Secretariat of NEAFC has notified NEAFC Contracting Parties that the TAC has been fully utilised. From that date Member States shall prohibit directed fishery for redfish by vessels flying their flag.

**b** Vessels shall limit their by-catches of redfish in other fisheries to a maximum of 1 % of the total catch retained on board.

<b>Species</b> Redfish (pelagic) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		<b>Zone</b> Greenland waters of V and XIV(RED/514GRN)
Germany	4 446 <sup>ab</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	22 <sup>ab</sup>	
United Kingdom	31 <sup>ab</sup>	
Union	6 000 <sup>abcd</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	

**a** May only be fished by pelagic trawl. May be fished East or West.

**b** Special condition: the quotas may be fished in the NEAFC Regulatory Area on the condition that reporting conditions established by Greenland are fulfilled (RED/\*51214). When fished in the NEAFC Regulatory Area, it may only be taken as of 10 May 2012 as deep pelagic redfish, and only within the area (the 'NEAFC box') bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates (RED/\*5-14):

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	64° 45'	28° 30'
2	62° 50'	25° 45'
3	61° 55'	26° 45'
4	61° 00'	26° 30'
5	59° 00'	30° 00'
6	59° 00'	34° 00'
7	61° 30'	34° 00'
8	62° 50'	36° 00'
9	64° 45'	28° 30'

**c** Special condition: of which 1 800 tonnes shall be fished in association with demersal components outside the NEAFC box defined in footnote 2 (RED/\*5-14X).

**d** Of which 1 500 tonnes are allocated to Norway to be fished in the NEAFC box defined in footnote 2 only (RED/\*5-14N).

<b>[<sup>F1</sup>Species</b> Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		<b>Zone</b> Icelandic waters of Va(RED/05A-IS)
Belgium	0 <sup>ab</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	0 <sup>ab</sup>	
France	0 <sup>ab</sup>	

**a** Including unavoidable by-catches (cod not allowed).

**b** May only be fished between July and December 2012.]

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United Kingdom	0 <sup>ab</sup>	
Union	0 <sup>ab</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> Including unavoidable by-catches (cod not allowed).</p> <p><b>b</b> May only be fished between July and December 2012.]</p>		
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesRedfishSebastes spp.</b>		<b>ZoneFaroese waters Vb(RED/05B-F.)</b>
Belgium	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	0	
France	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant]	
<b>SpeciesBy-catches</b>		<b>ZoneGreenland waters of NAFO 0 and 1(XBC/N01GRN)</b>
Union	2 300 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> By-catches are defined as any catches of species not covered by the vessel's target species indicated on the fishing authorisation. May be fished East or West.</p> <p><b>b</b> Of which 120 tonnes of roundnose grenadier are allocated to Norway to be fished in V, XIV and NAFO 1 only (RNG/*514N1).</p>		
<b>SpeciesOther species<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>ZoneNorwegian waters of I and II(OTH/1N2AB.)</b>
Germany	117 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	47 <sup>a</sup>	
United Kingdom	186 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	350 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> Only as by-catch.</p>		
<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesOther species<sup>a</sup></b>		<b>ZoneFaroese waters of Vb(OTH/05B-F.)</b>
Germany	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant	
<p><b>a</b> Excluding fish species of no commercial value.]</p>		



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<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesFlatfish</b>		<b>ZoneFaroese waters of Vb(FLX/05B-F.)</b>
Germany	0	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
France	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	Not relevant]	

## ANNEX IC

### NORTH NAFO CONVENTION AREA WEST ATLANTIC

All TACs and associated conditions are adopted in the framework of NAFO.

<b>SpeciesCodGadus morhua</b>		<b>ZoneNAFO 2J3KL(COD/N2J3KL)</b>
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

**b** Council Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007 of 22 October 2007 laying down conservation and enforcement measures applicable in the Regulatory Area of the Northwest Atlantic Fisheries Organisation (OJ L 318, 5.12.2007, p. 1).

<b>SpeciesCodGadus morhua</b>		<b>ZoneNAFO 3NO(COD/N3NO.)</b>
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits of a maximum of 1 000 kg or 4 %, whichever is greater.

<b>[<sup>F1</sup>SpeciesCodGadus morhua</b>		<b>ZoneNAFO 3M(COD/N3M.)</b>
Estonia	103	
Germany	432	
Latvia	103	
Lithuania	103	
Poland	352 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** Out of this quota, a quantity of 133 tons is deducted following a transfer of fishing opportunity to a third country.

**b** To this quota, an additional quantity of 131,5 tons is added following transfers of fishing opportunities with third countries.

**c** Out of this quota, a quantity of 1,5 tons is deducted following transfers of fishing opportunities with third countries.]

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Spain	1 328	
France	185	
Portugal	1 821 <sup>b</sup>	
United Kingdom	865	
Union	[ <sup>x2</sup> 5 292] <sup>c</sup>	
TAC	9 280	

**a** Out of this quota, a quantity of 133 tons is deducted following a transfer of fishing opportunity to a third country.

**b** To this quota, an additional quantity of 131,5 tons is added following transfers of fishing opportunities with third countries.

**c** Out of this quota, a quantity of 1,5 tons is deducted following transfers of fishing opportunities with third countries.]

<b>Species</b> Witch flounder <i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>		<b>Zone</b> NAFO 2J3KL(WIT/ N2J3KL)
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

<b>Species</b> Witch flounder <i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>		<b>Zone</b> NAFO 3NO(WIT/ N3NO.)
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

<b>Species</b> American plaice <i>Hippoglossoides platessoides</i>		<b>Zone</b> NAFO 3M(PLA/ N3M.)
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

<b>Species</b> American plaice <i>Hippoglossoides platessoides</i>		<b>Zone</b> NAFO 3LNO(PLA/ N3LNO.)
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

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<b>Species Shortfin squid <i>Illex illecebrosus</i></b>		<b>Zone NAFO sub-zones 3 and 4 (SQI/N34.)</b>
Estonia	128 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Latvia	128 <sup>a</sup>	
Lithuania	128 <sup>a</sup>	
Poland	227 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	Not relevant <sup>ab</sup>	
TAC	34 000	

**a** To be fished between 1 July and 31 December 2012.

**b** No specified Union's share. An amount of 29 458 tonnes is available to Canada and the Member States of the Union except Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland.

<b>Species Yellowtail flounder <i>Limanda ferruginea</i></b>		<b>Zone NAFO 3LNO (YEL/N3LNO.)</b>
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	17 000	

**a** Despite having access to a shared quota of 85 tonnes for the Union, it is decided to set this amount to 0. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

<b>Species Capelin <i>Mallotus villosus</i></b>		<b>Zone NAFO 3NO (CAP/N3NO.)</b>
Union	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

<b>[<sup>F1</sup>Species Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></b>		<b>Zone NAFO 3L<sup>a</sup> (PRA/N3L.)</b>
Estonia	134	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Latvia	134	

**a** Not including the box bounded by the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	47° 20' 0	46° 40' 0
2	47° 20' 0	46° 30' 0
3	46° 00' 0	46° 30' 0
4	46° 00' 0	46° 40' 0

**b** To this quota, an additional quantity of 266 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

**c** To this quota, an additional quantity of 133 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

**d** To this quota, an additional quantity of 399 tons is added following transfers of fishing opportunities from third countries.]

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Lithuania	134	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Poland	134 <sup>b</sup>	
Spain	105,5	
Portugal	28,5 <sup>c</sup>	
Union	670 <sup>d</sup>	
TAC	12 000	

a Not including the box bounded by the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	47° 20' 0	46° 40' 0
2	47° 20' 0	46° 30' 0
3	46° 00' 0	46° 30' 0
4	46° 00' 0	46° 40' 0

b To this quota, an additional quantity of 266 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

c To this quota, an additional quantity of 133 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

d To this quota, an additional quantity of 399 tons is added following transfers of fishing opportunities from third countries.]

<b>Species</b> Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>	<b>Zone</b> NAFO 3M <sup>a</sup> (PRA/ *N3M.)
TAC	Not relevant <sup>bc</sup>

a Vessels may also fish this stock in Division 3L in the box bounded by the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	47° 20' 0	46° 40' 0
2	47° 20' 0	46° 30' 0
3	46° 00' 0	46° 30' 0
4	46° 00' 0	46° 40' 0

Moreover, fishing for shrimp is prohibited from 1 June to 31 December 2012 in the area bounded by the following coordinates:

Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
1	47° 55' 0	45° 00' 0
2	47° 30' 0	44° 15' 0
3	46° 55' 0	44° 15' 0
4	46° 35' 0	44° 30' 0
5	46° 35' 0	45° 40' 0
6	47° 30' 0	45° 40' 0
7	47° 55' 0	45° 00' 0

b Not relevant. Fishery managed by limitations in fishing effort. The Member States concerned shall issue fishing authorisations for their fishing vessels engaging in this fishery and shall notify those authorisations to the Commission prior to the commencement of the vessel's activity, in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009.

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Member State	Maximum number of vessels	Maximum number of fishing days
Denmark	0	0
Estonia	0	0
Spain	0	0
Latvia	0	0
Lithuania	0	0
Poland	0	0
Portugal	0	0

- c No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

[ <sup>F4</sup> SpeciesGreenland halibutReinhardtius hippoglossoides		ZoneNAFO 3LMNO(GHL/N3LMNO)
Estonia	328	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	335	
Latvia	46	
Lithuania	23 <sup>a</sup>	
Spain	4 486	
Portugal	1 875 <sup>b</sup>	
Union	7 093 <sup>c</sup>	
TAC	12 098	

- a To this quota, an additional quantity of 19,6 tonnes is added as a result of a transfer of fishing opportunities from a third country.

- b To this quota, an additional quantity of 10 tonnes is added as a result of a transfer of fishing opportunities from a third country.

- c To this quota, an additional quantity of 29,6 tonnes is added as a result of a transfer of fishing opportunities from third countries.]

SpeciesSkateRajidae		ZoneNAFO 3LNO(SKA/N3LNO.)
Spain	4 132	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Portugal	802	
Estonia	343	
Lithuania	75	
Union	5 352	
TAC	8 500	

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[ <sup>F1</sup> SpeciesRedfishSebastes spp.]		ZoneNAFO 3LN(RED/ N3LN.)
Estonia	297	
Germany	203	
Latvia	297	
Lithuania	297	
Portugal	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	1 094 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	6 000	

**a** To this quota, an additional quantity of 454 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

**b** To this quota, an additional quantity of 454 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.]

[ <sup>F1</sup> SpeciesRedfishSebastes spp.]		ZoneNAFO 3M(RED/ N3M.)
Estonia	1 571 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Germany	513 <sup>a</sup>	
Spain	233 <sup>a</sup>	
Latvia	1 571 <sup>a</sup>	
Lithuania	1 571 <sup>a</sup>	
Portugal	2 354 <sup>ab</sup>	
Union	7 813 <sup>ac</sup>	
TAC	6 500 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** This quota is subject to compliance with the TAC of 6 500 tonnes established for this stock for all NAFO Contracting Parties. Upon exhaustion of the TAC, the directed fishery for this stock must be stopped irrespective of the level of catches.

**b** To this quota, an additional quantity of 675 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

**c** To this quota, an additional quantity of 675 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.]

[ <sup>F1</sup> SpeciesRedfishSebastes spp.]		ZoneNAFO 3O(RED/ N3O.)
Spain	1 771	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Portugal	5 229	
Poland	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	7 000 <sup>b</sup>	
TAC	20 000	

**a** To this quota, an additional quantity of 150 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.

**b** To this quota, an additional quantity of 150 tons is added following a transfer of fishing opportunity from a third country.]

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<b>Species Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.</b>		<b>Zone NAFO Subarea 2, Divisions 1F and 3K (RED/N1F3K.)</b>
Latvia	0 <sup>a</sup>	
Lithuania	0 <sup>a</sup>	
TAC	0 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species may be caught only as by-catch within the limits specified in Article 4(2) of Regulation (EC) No 1386/2007.

<b>[<sup>F1</sup>]<sup>X2</sup> Species White hake <i>Urophycis tenuis</i></b>		<b>Zone NAFO 3NO (HKW/N3NO.)</b>
Spain	1 273	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 does not apply.
Portugal	1 667	
Union	2 940	
TAC	5 000]]	

#### ANNEX ID

#### HIGHLY MIGRATORY FISH — ALL AREAS

TACs in these areas are adopted in the framework of international fisheries organisations on tuna fisheries, such as ICCAT.

<b>Species Bluefin tuna <i>Thunnus thynnus</i></b>		<b>Zone Norwegian waters of IV Atlantic Ocean, east of 45° W, and Mediterranean (BFT/AE045WM)</b>
Cyprus	66,98 <sup>e</sup>	
Greece	124,37	
Spain	2 411,01 <sup>bc</sup>	
France	958,52 <sup>bce</sup>	
Italy	1 787,91 <sup>ef</sup>	
Malta	153,99 <sup>e</sup>	
Portugal	226,84	
Other Member States	26,9 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	5 756,41 <sup>bcef</sup>	
TAC	12 900	

**a** Except Cyprus, Greece, Spain, France, Italy, Malta and Portugal, and only as by-catch.

**b** Special condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocation between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna between 8 kg/75 cm and 30 kg/115 cm by the vessels referred to in point 1 of Annex IV (BFT/\*8301):

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Spain	350,51
France	158,14
Union	508,65

- c Special condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocation between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna weighing no less than 6,4 kg or measuring no less than 70 cm by the vessels referred to in point 1 of Annex IV (BFT/\*641):

France	45
Union	45

- d This quantity may be revised by the Commission upon request from France, up to an amount of 100 tonnes as indicated by ICCAT Recommendation 08-05.

- e Special condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocations between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna between and 8 kg and 30 kg by the vessels referred to in point 2 of Annex IV (BFT/\*8302):

Spain	48,22
France	47,57
Italy	37,55
Cyprus	1,34
Malta	3,08
Union	137,77

- f Special condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocations between Member States shall apply to catches of bluefin tuna between and 8 kg and 30 kg by the vessels referred to in point 3 of Annex IV (BFT/\*643):

Italy	37,55
Union	37,55

<b>Species</b> Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>		<b>Zone</b> Atlantic Ocean, North of 5° N(SWO/ AN05N)
Spain	6 949	
Portugal	1 263	
Other Member States	145,6 <sup>a</sup>	
Union	8 357,6	
TAC	13 700	

- a Except Spain and Portugal, and only as by-catch.

<b>Species</b> Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>		<b>Zone</b> Atlantic Ocean, South of 5° N(SWO/ AS05N)
Spain	5 024,9	
Portugal	354,2	
Union	5 379,1	



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TAC	15 000													
<b>SpeciesNorthern albacore</b> <i>Thunnus alalunga</i>		<b>ZoneAtlantic Ocean, north of 5° N(ALB/AN05N)</b>												
Ireland	3 896,0 <sup>c</sup>													
Spain	14 076,4 <sup>c</sup>													
France	6 119,1 <sup>c</sup>													
United Kingdom	232,9 <sup>c</sup>													
Portugal	2 534,7 <sup>c</sup>													
Union	26 939,1 <sup>a</sup>													
TAC	28 000													
<p><b>a</b> The number of EU vessels fishing for northern albacore as a target species is fixed to 1 253 in accordance with Article 12 of Regulation (EC) No 520/2007.</p> <p><b>b</b> Council Regulation (EC) No 520/2007 of 7 May 2007 laying down technical measures for the conservation of certain stocks of highly migratory species (OJ L 123, 12.5.2007, p. 3).</p> <p><b>c</b> The distribution between the Member States of the maximum number of fishing vessels flying the flag of a Member State authorised to fish for northern albacore as a target species in accordance with Article 12 of Regulation (EC) No 520/2007:</p> <table border="1"> <thead> <tr> <th>Member State</th> <th>Maximum number of vessels</th> </tr> </thead> <tbody> <tr> <td>Ireland</td> <td>50</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Spain</td> <td>730</td> </tr> <tr> <td>France</td> <td>151</td> </tr> <tr> <td>United Kingdom</td> <td>12</td> </tr> <tr> <td>Portugal</td> <td>310</td> </tr> </tbody> </table>			Member State	Maximum number of vessels	Ireland	50	Spain	730	France	151	United Kingdom	12	Portugal	310
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Spain	730													
France	151													
United Kingdom	12													
Portugal	310													
<b>SpeciesSouthern albacore</b> <i>Thunnus alalunga</i>		<b>ZoneAtlantic Ocean, south of 5° N(ALB/AS05N)</b>												
Spain	759,2													
France	249,5													
Portugal	531,3													
Union	1 540													
TAC	24 000													
<b>SpeciesBigeye tuna</b> <i>Thunnus obesus</i>		<b>ZoneAtlantic Ocean(BET/ATLANT)</b>												
Spain	15 758,7													
France	7 951,8													
Portugal	6 156,5													
Union	29 867													
TAC	85 000													

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<b>Species</b> Blue marlin <i>Makaira nigricans</i>		<b>Zone</b> Atlantic Ocean(BUM/ATLANT)
Spain	24	
Portugal	48,6	
Union	72,6	
TAC	Not relevant	

<b>Species</b> White marlin <i>Tetrapturus albidus</i>		<b>Zone</b> Atlantic Ocean(WHM/ATLANT)
Spain	34	
Portugal	21,8	
Union	55,8	
TAC	Not relevant	

## ANNEX IE

**ANTARCTIC CAMLR CONVENTION AREA**

These TACs, adopted by CCAMLR, are not allocated to the members of CCAMLR and hence the Union's share is undetermined. Catches are monitored by the Secretariat of CCAMLR, which will communicate when fishing must cease due to TAC exhaustion.

Unless specified otherwise, these TACs are applicable for the period from 1 December 2011 to 30 November 2012.

<b>Species</b> Antarctic icefish <i>Chamsocephalus gunnari</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 48.3 Antarctic(ANI/F483.)
TAC	3 072	

<b>Species</b> Antarctic icefish <i>Chamsocephalus gunnari</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic <sup>a</sup> (ANI/F5852.)
TAC	0 <sup>b</sup>	

- a** For the purpose of this TAC, the area open to the fishery is specified as that portion of FAO statistical division 58.5.2 that lies within the area enclosed by a line:
- starting at the point where the meridian of longitude 72° 15' E intersects the Australia-France Maritime Delimitation Agreement Boundary then south along the meridian to its intersection with the parallel of latitude 53° 25' S,
  - then east along that parallel to its intersection with the meridian of longitude 74° E,
  - then northeasterly along the geodesic to the intersection of the parallel of latitude 52° 40' S and the meridian of longitude 76° E,
  - then north along the meridian to its intersection with the parallel of latitude 52° S,
  - then northwesterly along the geodesic to the intersection of the parallel of latitude 51° S with the meridian of longitude 74° 30' E, and
  - then southwesterly along the geodesic to the point of commencement.

- b** With the exception of no more than 30 tonnes for research purposes or as by-catch.

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<b>Species</b> Patagonian toothfish <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 48.3 Antarctic (TOP/F483.)
TAC	2 600 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** This TAC is applicable for longline fishery for the period from 1 May to 31 August 2012 and for pot fishery for the period from 1 December 2011 to 30 November 2012.

**Special conditions:**

Within the limits of the abovementioned quota, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the Subareas specified:

Management Area A: 48° W to 43° 30' W – 52° 30' S to 56° S (TOP/*F483A)	0
Management Area B: 43° 30' W to 40° W – 52° 30' S to 56° S (TOP/*F483B)	780
Management Area C: 40° W to 33° 30' W – 52° 30' S to 56° S (TOP/*F483C)	1 820

<b>Species</b> Patagonian toothfish <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 48.4 Antarctic North (TOP/F484N.)
TAC	48 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** This TAC is applicable within the area bounded by latitudes 55° 30' S and 57° 20' S and by longitudes 25° 30' W and 29° 30' W.

<b>Species</b> Toothfish <i>Dissostichus</i> spp.		<b>Zone</b> FAO 48.4 Antarctic South (TOP/F484S.)
TAC	33 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** This TAC is applicable within the area bounded by latitudes 57° 20' S and 60° 00' S and by longitudes 24° 30' W and 29° 00' W.

<b>Species</b> Patagonian toothfish <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic (TOP/F5852.)
TAC	2 730 <sup>a</sup>	

**a** This TAC is applicable for west of 79° 20' E only. Fishing east of this meridian within this zone is prohibited.

<b>Species</b> Krill <i>Euphausia superba</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 48 (KRI/F48.)
TAC	5 610 000	

**Special conditions:**

Within the limit of a total combined catch of 620 000 tonnes, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the subareas specified:

Division 48.1 (KRI/*F481.)	155 000
Division 48.2 (KRI/*F482.)	279 000
Division 48.3 (KRI/*F483.)	279 000
Division 48.4 (KRI/*F484.)	93 000

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<b>Species Krill <i>Euphausia superba</i></b>		<b>Zone FAO 58.4.1 Antarctic (KRI/F5841.)</b>
TAC	440 000	
<b>Special conditions:</b> Within the limits of the abovementioned quota, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the subareas specified:		
Division 58.4.1 west of 115° E (KRI/*F-41W)		277 000
Division 58.4.1 east of 115° E (KRI/*F-41E)		163 000
<b>Species Krill <i>Euphausia superba</i></b>		<b>Zone FAO 58.4.2 Antarctic (KRI/F5842.)</b>
TAC	2 645 000	
<b>Special conditions:</b> Within the limits of the abovementioned quota, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the subareas specified:		
Division 58.4.2 west of 55° E (KRI/*F-42W)		260 000
Division 58.4.2 east of 55° E (KRI/*F-42E)		192 000
<b>Species Grey rockcod <i>Lepidonotothen squamifrons</i></b>		<b>Zone FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic (NOS/F5852.)</b>
TAC	80 <sup>a</sup>	
<b>a</b> Only as by-catch.		
<b>Species Crabs <i>Paralomis</i> spp.</b>		<b>Zone FAO 48.3 Antarctic (PAI/F483.)</b>
TAC	0	
<b>Species Grenadiers <i>Macrourus</i> spp.</b>		<b>Zone FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic (GRV/F5852.)</b>
TAC	360 <sup>a</sup>	
<b>a</b> Only as by-catch.		
<b>Species Other species</b>		<b>Zone FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic (OTH/F5852.)</b>
TAC	50 <sup>a</sup>	
<b>a</b> Only as by-catch.		
<b>Species Skates and rays <i>Rajiformes</i></b>		<b>Zone FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic (SRX/F5852.)</b>
TAC	120 <sup>a</sup>	
<b>a</b> Only as by-catch.		

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<b>Species</b> Unicorn icefish <i>Channichthys rhinoceratus</i>		<b>Zone</b> FAO 58.5.2 Antarctic (LIC/F5852.)
TAC	150 <sup>a</sup>	
<p><b>a</b> Only as by-catch.</p>		

## ANNEX IF

### SOUTH-EAST ATLANTIC OCEAN — SEAFO CONVENTION AREA

These TACs are not allocated to the members of SEAFO and hence the Union's share is undetermined. Catches are monitored by the Secretariat of SEAFO, who will communicate when fishing must cease due to TAC exhaustion.

<b>Species</b> Alfonsinos <i>Beryx spp.</i>		<b>Zone</b> SEAFO (ALF/SEAFO)
TAC	200	Analytical TAC
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<b>Species</b> Deep-sea red crab <i>Chaceon maritae</i>		<b>Zone</b> SEAFO Sub-Division B1 <sup>a</sup> (CGE/F47NAM)
TAC	200	Analytical TAC
<p><b>a</b> For the purpose of this TAC, the area open to the fishery is defined as having:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— its western boundary on the longitude 0° E,</li> <li>— its northern boundary on the latitude 20° S,</li> <li>— its southern boundary on the latitude 28° S, and</li> <li>— the eastern boundary outer limits of the Namibian EEZ.</li> </ul>		
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<b>Species</b> Deep-sea red crab <i>Chaceon maritae</i>		<b>Zone</b> SEAFO, excluding Sub-Division B1 (CGE/F47X)
TAC	200	Analytical TAC
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<b>Species</b> Patagonian toothfish <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>		<b>Zone</b> SEAFO (TOP/SEAFO)
TAC	230	Analytical TAC
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<b>Species</b> Orange roughy <i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>		<b>Zone</b> SEAFO Sub-Division B1 <sup>a</sup> (ORY/F47NAM)
TAC	0	Analytical TAC
<p><b>a</b> For the purpose of this Annex, the area open to the fishery is defined as having:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>— its western boundary on the longitude 0° E,</li> <li>— its northern boundary on the latitude 20° S,</li> <li>— its southern boundary on the latitude 28° S, and</li> <li>— the eastern boundary outer limits of the Namibian EEZ.</li> </ul>		
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<b>Species</b> Orange roughy <i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>		<b>Zone</b> SEAFO, excluding Sub-Division B1 (ORY/F47X)
TAC	50	Analytical TAC

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## ANNEX IG

## SOUTHERN BLUEFIN TUNA — ALL AREAS

<b>Species</b> Southern bluefin tuna <i>Thunnus maccoyii</i>		<b>Zone</b> All areas(SBF/ <b>F41-81)</b>
Union	10 <sup>a</sup>	Analytical TAC
TAC	10 449	
<b>a</b> Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.		

## ANNEX IH

## WCPFC CONVENTION AREA

<b>Species</b> Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>		<b>Zone</b> WCPFC Convention Area south of 20° S(SWO/ <b>F7120S)</b>
Union	3 170,36	Analytical TAC
TAC	Not relevant	

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## SPRFMO CONVENTION AREA

<b>Species</b> Jack mackerel <i>Trachurus murphyi</i>		<b>Zone</b> SPRFMO Convention Area(CJM/ SPRFMO)
Germany	6 790,5	I
The Netherlands	7 360,2	
Lithuania	4 725	
Poland	8 124,3	
Union	27 000	

## ANNEX IIA

**Fishing effort for vessels in the context of the management of certain cod, plaice and sole stocks in the Skagerrak, that part of ICES division IIIa not covered by the Skagerrak and the Kattegat, ICES subarea IV, EU waters of ICES division IIa and ICES division VIIId**

1. **Scope**

- 1.1. This Annex shall apply to EU vessels carrying on board or deploying any of the gears specified in point 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1342/2008 and present in any of the geographical areas specified in point 2 of that Annex.
- 1.2. This Annex shall not apply to vessels of less than 10 metres' length overall. Those vessels shall not be required to carry fishing authorisations issued in accordance with Article 7 of Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009. Member States concerned shall assess the

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fishing effort of those vessels by effort groups to which they belong, using appropriate sampling methods. During 2012, the Commission shall seek scientific advice for evaluating the effort deployment of those vessels, with a view to their future inclusion into the effort regime.

## 2. Regulated gears and geographical areas

For the purposes of this Annex, the gear groupings specified in point 1 of Annex I to Regulation (EC) No 1342/2008 ('regulated gear') and the groupings of geographical areas referred to in point 2(b) of that Annex shall apply.

## 3. Authorisations

If a Member State deems so appropriate in order to reinforce the sustainable implementation of this effort regime, it may introduce a prohibition to fish with a regulated gear in any of the geographical areas to which this Annex applies by any of vessels flying its flag which has no record of such fishing activity, unless it ensures that equivalent capacity, measured in kilowatts, is prevented from fishing in that area.

## 4. Maximum allowable fishing effort

4.1. The maximum allowable effort referred to in Article 12(1) of Regulation (EC) No 1342/2008 and in Article 9(2) of Regulation (EC) No 676/2007 for the 2012 management period, from 1 February 2012 to 31 January 2013, for each of the effort groups of each Member State is set out in Appendix 1 to this Annex.

4.2. The maximum levels of annual fishing effort set in accordance with Regulation (EC) No 1954/2003<sup>(1)</sup> shall not affect the maximum allowable fishing effort set in this Annex.

## 5. Management

5.1. Member States shall manage the maximum allowable effort in accordance with the conditions laid down in Article 9 of Regulation (EC) No 676/2007, Article 4 and Articles 13 to 17 of Regulation (EC) No 1342/2008 and Articles 26 to 35 of Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009.

5.2. A Member State may establish management periods for allocating all or parts of the maximum allowable effort to individual vessels or groups of vessels. In such case, the number of days or hours for which a vessel may be present within the area during a management period shall be fixed at the discretion of the Member State concerned. During any such management periods, the Member State may reallocate effort between individual vessels or groups of vessels.

5.3. If a Member State authorises vessels to be present within an area by hours, it shall continue measuring the consumption of days in accordance with the conditions referred to in point 5.1. Upon request by the Commission, the Member State shall demonstrate its precautionary measures taken to avoid an excessive consumption of effort within the area due to a vessel terminating presences in the area before the end of a 24-hour period.

## 6. Fishing effort report

Article 28 of Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009 shall apply to vessels falling under the scope of this Annex. The geographical area referred to in that Article shall be understood, for the purpose of cod management, as each of the geographical areas referred to in point 2 of this Annex.

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## 7. Communication of relevant data

Member States shall transmit to the Commission the data on fishing effort deployed by their fishing vessels in accordance with Articles 33 and 34 of Regulation (EC) No 1224/2009. Those data shall be transmitted via the Fisheries Data Exchange System or any future data collection system implemented by the Commission.

### Appendix 1 to Annex IIA

#### MAXIMUM ALLOWABLE FISHING EFFORT IN KILOWATT DAYS

**Geographical area: Skagerrak, that part of ICES division IIIa not covered by the Skagerrak and the Kattegat; ICES subarea IV and EU waters of ICES division IIa; ICES division VIII**

Regulated gear	BE	DK	DE	ES	[ <sup>F3</sup> FR]	IE	NL	SE	UK
TR1	895	3 385 928	954 390	1 409	[ <sup>F3</sup> 533 451]	157	257 266	172 064	6 185 460
TR2	193 676	2 841 906	357 193	0	[ <sup>F3</sup> 6 496 811]	10 976	748 027	604 071	5 127 906
TR3	0	2 545 009	257	0	[ <sup>F3</sup> 101 316]	0	36 617	1 024	8 482
BT1	1 427 574	1 157 265	29 271	0	[ <sup>F3</sup> 0]	0	999 808	0	1 739 759
BT2	5 401 395	79 212	1 375 400	0	[ <sup>F3</sup> 1 202 818]	0	28 307 876	0	6 116 437
GN	163 531	2 307 977	224 484	0	[ <sup>F3</sup> 342 579]	0	438 664	74 925	546 303
GT	0	224 124	467	0	[ <sup>F3</sup> 4 338 315]	0	0	48 968	14 004
LL	0	56 312	0	245	[ <sup>F3</sup> 125 141]	0	0	110 468	134 880

### ANNEX IIB

**Fishing opportunities for vessels fishing for sandeel in ICES divisions IIa, IIIa and ICES subarea IV**

1. The conditions laid down in this Annex shall apply to EU vessels fishing in EU waters of ICES divisions IIa, IIIa and ICES subarea IV with demersal trawl, seine or similar towed gears with a mesh size of less than 16 mm.
2. The conditions laid down in this Annex shall apply to third-country vessels authorised to fish for sandeel in EU waters of ICES subarea IV unless otherwise specified, or as a



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consequence of consultations between the Union and Norway as set out in the Agreed Record of conclusions between the Union and Norway.

3. For the purposes of this Annex, sandeel management areas shall be as shown below and in the Appendix to this Annex:

<b>Sandeel management area</b>	<b>ICES statistical rectangles</b>
1	31-34 E9-F2; 35 E9- F3; 36 E9-F4; 37 E9-F5; 38-40 F0-F5; 41 F5-F6
2	31-34 F3-F4; 35 F4-F6; 36 F5-F8; 37-40 F6-F8; 41 F7-F8
3	41 F1-F4; 42-43 F1-F9; 44 F1-G0; 45-46 F1-G1; 47 G0
4	38-40 E7-E9; 41-46 E6-F0
5	47-51 E6 + F0-F5; 52 E6-F5
6	41-43 G0-G3; 44 G1
7	47-51 E7-E9

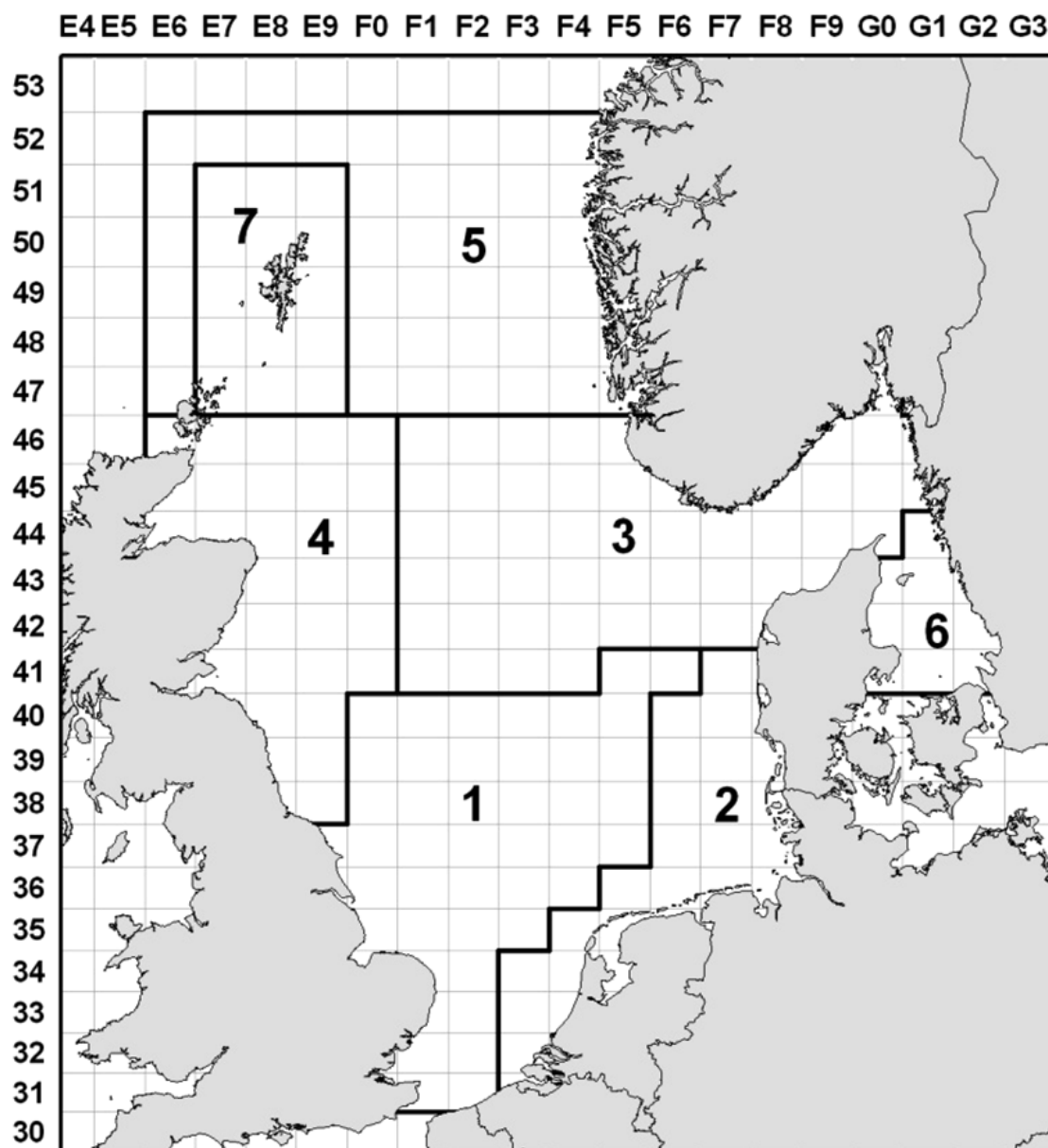
4. Based on advice from ICES and the STECF on the fishing opportunities for sandeel in each of the sandeel management areas specified in point 3, the Commission shall endeavour to revise, by 1 March 2012, the TACs and quotas and the special conditions for sandeel in EU waters of ICES divisions IIa and IIIa and ICES subarea IV, as laid down in Annex I.
5. Commercial fishing with demersal trawl, seine or similar towed gears with a mesh size of less than 16 mm shall be prohibited from 1 January to 31 March 2012 and from 1 August to 31 December 2012.

#### Appendix 1 to Annex IIB

#### SANDEEL MANAGEMENT AREAS

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### ANNEX III

#### MAXIMUM NUMBER OF FISHING AUTHORISATIONS FOR EU VESSELS FISHING IN THIRD-COUNTRY WATERS

Area of fishing	Fishery	Number of fishing authorisations	Allocation of fishing authorisations amongst Member States	Maximum number of vessels present at any time

a Without prejudice to additional licences granted to Sweden by Norway in accordance with established practice.

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Norwegian waters and fishery zone around Jan Mayen	Herring, north of 62° 00' N	77	DK: 25 DE: 5 FR: 1 IE: 8 NL: 9 PL: 1 SV: 10 UK: 18	57
	Demersal species, north of 62° 00' N	80	DE: 16 IE: 1 ES: 20 FR: 18 PT: 9 UK: 14	50
	Mackerel		Not relevant	70 <sup>a</sup>
	Industrial species, south of 62° 00' N	480	DK: 450 UK: 30	150

<sup>a</sup> Without prejudice to additional licences granted to Sweden by Norway in accordance with established practice.

#### ANNEX IV

#### ICCAT CONVENTION AREA<sup>(2)</sup>

- Maximum number of EU bait boats and trolling boats authorised to fish actively for bluefin tuna between 8 kg/75 cm and 30 kg/115 cm in the Eastern Atlantic

Spain	60
France	8
Union	68

- Maximum number of EU coastal artisanal fishing vessels authorised to fish actively for bluefin tuna between 8 kg/75 cm and 30 kg/115 cm in the Mediterranean

Spain	119
France	132
Italy	30
Cyprus	7
Malta	28
Union	316

- Maximum number of EU vessels authorised to fish actively for bluefin tuna between 8 kg/75 cm and 30 kg/115 cm in the Adriatic Sea for farming purposes

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Italy	12
Union	12

4. Maximum number and total capacity in gross tonnage of fishing vessels of each Member State that may be authorised to fish for, retain on board, tranship, transport, or land bluefin tuna in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean

Table A

**Number of fishing vessels**

	Cyprus	Greece	Italy	France	Spain	Malta <sup>a</sup>
Purse Seiners	1	1	12	17	6	1
Longliners	7 <sup>b</sup>	0	30	8	25	28
Baitboat	0	0	0	8	60	0
Handline	0	0	0	29	2	0
Trawler	0	0	0	60	0	0
Other artisanal <sup>c</sup>	0	35	0	87	32	0

a One medium size purse seiner may be replaced by no more than 10 longline vessels.

b Polyvalent vessels, using multi-gear equipment.

c Polyvalent vessels, using multi-gear equipment (longline, handline, trolling line).

Table B

**Total capacity in gross tonnage**

	Cyprus	Greece	Italy	France	Spain	Malta <sup>a</sup>
Purse Seiners	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established
Longliners	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established
Baitboats	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established
Handlines	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established
Trawlers	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established
Other artisanal	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established	To be established

a One medium size purse seiner may be replaced by no more than 10 longline vessels.

5. Maximum number of traps engaged in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean bluefin tuna fishery authorised by each Member State

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	<b>Number of traps</b>
<b>Spain</b>	5
<b>Italy</b>	6
<b>Portugal</b>	1 <sup>a</sup>

**a** This number may be further increased, provided that the international obligations of the Union are complied with.

6. Maximum bluefin tuna farming capacity and fattening capacity for each Member State and maximum input of wild caught bluefin tuna that each Member State may allocate to its farms in the eastern Atlantic and Mediterranean

*Table A*

<b>Maximum tuna farming capacity and fattening capacity</b>		
	<b>Number of farms</b>	<b>Capacity (in tonnes)</b>
Spain	14	11 852
Italy	15	13 000
Greece	2	2 100
Cyprus	3	3 000
Malta	8	12 300

*Table B*

<b>Maximum input of wild caught bluefin tuna (in tonnes)</b>	
Spain	5 855
Italy	3 764
Greece	785
Cyprus	2 195
Malta	8 768

## ANNEX V

### CCAMLR CONVENTION AREA

#### PART A

#### PROHIBITION OF DIRECTED FISHING IN CCAMLR CONVENTION AREA

<b>Target species</b>	<b>Zone</b>	<b>Period of prohibition</b>
Sharks (all species)	Convention Area	From 1 January to 31 December 2012

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**b** Excluding waters subject to national jurisdiction (EEZs).

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<i>Notothernia rossii</i>	FAO 48.1. Antarctic, in the Peninsula Area FAO 48.2. Antarctic, around the South Orkneys FAO 48.3. Antarctic, around South Georgia	From 1 January to 31 December 2012
Finfish	FAO 48.1. Antarctic <sup>a</sup> FAO 48.2. Antarctic <sup>a</sup>	From 1 January to 31 December 2012
<i>Gobionotothen gibberifrons</i> <i>Chaenocephalus aceratus</i> <i>Pseudochaenichthys georgianus</i> <i>Lepidonotothen squamifrons</i> <i>Patagonotothen guntheri</i> <i>Electrona carlsbergi</i> <sup>a</sup>	FAO 48.3.	From 1 January to 31 December 2012
<i>Dissostichus</i> spp.	FAO 48.5. Antarctic	From 1 December 2011 to 30 November 2012
<i>Dissostichus</i> spp.	FAO 88.3. Antarctic <sup>a</sup> FAO 58.5.1. Antarctic <sup>ab</sup> FAO 58.5.2. Antarctic east of 79° 20' E and outside the EEZ to the west of 79° 20' E <sup>a</sup> FAO 58.4.4. Antarctic <sup>ab</sup> FAO 58.6. Antarctic <sup>a</sup> FAO 58.7. Antarctic <sup>a</sup>	From 1 January to 31 December 2012
<i>Lepidonotothen squamifrons</i>	FAO 58.4.4. <sup>ab</sup>	From 1 January to 31 December 2012
All species except <i>Champscephalus gunnari</i> and <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>	FAO 58.5.2. Antarctic	From 1 December 2011 to 30 November 2012
<i>Dissostichus mawsoni</i>	FAO 48.4. Antarctic <sup>a</sup> within the area bounded by latitudes 55° 30' S and 57° 20' S and by longitudes 25° 30' W and 29° 30' W	From 1 January to 31 December 2012

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PART B

**TACs AND BY-CATCH LIMITS FOR EXPLORATORY FISHERIES IN THE CCAMLR CONVENTION AREA IN 2011/12**

Subarea/ Division	Region	Season	SSRU	<i>Dissostichus</i> spp. catch limit (in tonnes)	By-catch catch limit (in tonnes) <sup>a</sup>		
					Skates and rays	<i>Macrourus</i> spp.	Other species
58.4.1.	Whole Division	1 December 2011 to 30 November 2012	SSRU A, B, D, F and H: 0 SSRU C: 100 SSRU E: 50 SSRU G: 60	Total 210	All Division: 50	All Division: 33	All Division: 20
58.4.2.	Whole Division	1 December 2011 to 30 November 2012	SSRU A: 30 SSRU B, C and D: 0 SSRU E: 40	Total 70	All Division: 50	All Division: 20	All Division: 20
58.4.3a.	Whole Division	1 May to 31 August 2012		Total 86	All Division: 50	All Division: 26	All Division: 20
88.1.	Whole Subarea	1 December 2011 to 31 August 2012	SSRU A: 0 SSRUs B, C and G: 428 SSRUs D, E and F: 0 SSRUs H, I and K: 2 423 SSRUs J and L: 351 SSRU M: 0	Total 3 282	164 SSRU A: 0 SSRU B, C and G: 50 SSRU D, E and F: 0 SSRU H, I and K: 121 SSRU J and L: 50 SSRU M: 0	430 SSRU A: 0 SSRU B, C and G: 40 SSRU D, E and F: 0 SSRU H, I and K: 320 SSRU J and L: 70 SSRU M: 0	20 SSRU A: 0 SSRU B, C and G: 60 SSRU D, E and F: 0 SSRU H, I and K: 60 SSRU J and L: 40 SSRU M: 0

**a** Rules for catch limits for by-catch species per SSRU, applicable within total by-catch limits per Subarea:  
— skates and rays: 5 % of the catch limit for *Dissostichus* spp. or 50 tonnes, whichever is greater;  
— *Macrourus* spp.: 16 % of the catch limit for *Dissostichus* spp. or 20 tonnes, whichever is greater, except in Statistical Division 58.4.3a and Statistical Subarea 88.1;  
— other species: 20 tonnes per SSRU.

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88.2.	South of 65° S	1 December 2011 to 31 August 2012	SSRU A: 0 SSRU B: 0 SSRU C, D, E, F and G: 124 SSRU H: 406 SSRU I: 0	Total 530	50 SSRU A and B: 0 SSRU C, D, E, F and G: 50 SSRU i: 0 SSRU I: 0	84 SSRU A and B: 0 SSRU C, D, E, F and G: 20 SSRU H: 40 SSRU I: 0	20 SSRU A and B: 0 SSRU C, D, E, F and G: 100 SSRU H: 20 SSRU I: 0
<b>a</b>	Rules for catch limits for by-catch species per SSRU, applicable within total by-catch limits per Subarea:						
	— skates and rays: 5 % of the catch limit for <i>Dissostichus</i> spp. or 50 tonnes, whichever is greater;						
	— <i>Macrourus</i> spp.: 16 % of the catch limit for <i>Dissostichus</i> spp. or 20 tonnes, whichever is greater, except in Statistical Division 58.4.3a and Statistical Subarea 88.1;						
	— other species: 20 tonnes per SSRU.						

## Appendix to Annex V, Part B

### LIST OF SMALL-SCALE RESEARCH UNITS (SSRUS)

Region	SSRU	Boundary line
48.6	A	From 50° S 20° W, due east to 1° 30' E, due south to 60° S, due west to 20° W, due north to 50° S.
	B	From 60° S 20° W, due east to 10° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 20° W, due north to 60° S.
	C	From 60° S 10° W, due east to 0° longitude, due south to coast, westward along coast to 10° W, due north to 60° S.
	D	From 60° S 0° longitude, due east to 10° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 0° longitude, due north to 60° S.
	E	From 60° S 10° E, due east to 20° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 10° E, due north to 60° S.
	F	From 60° S 20° E, due east to 30° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 20° E, due north to 60° S.
	G	From 50° S 1° 30' E, due east to 30° E, due south to 60°



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		S, due west to 1° 30' E, due north to 50° S.
58.4.1	A	From 55° S 86° E, due east to 150° E, due south to 60° S, due west to 86° E, due north to 55° S.
	B	From 60° S 86° E, due east to 90° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 80° E, due north to 64° S, due east to 86° E, due north to 60° S.
	C	From 60° S 90° E, due east to 100° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 90° E, due north to 60° S.
	D	From 60° S 100° E, due east to 110° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 100° E, due north to 60° S.
	E	From 60° S 110° E, due east to 120° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 110° E, due north to 60° S.
	F	From 60° S 120° E, due east to 130° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 120° E, due north to 60° S.
	G	From 60° S 130° E, due east to 140° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 130° E, due north to 60° S.
	H	From 60° S 140° E, due east to 150° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 140° E, due north to 60° S.
58.4.2	A	From 62° S 30° E, due east to 40° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 30° E, due north to 62° S.
	B	From 62° S 40° E, due east to 50° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 40° E, due north to 62° S.
	C	From 62° S 50° E, due east to 60° E, due south to coast,

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		westward along coast to 50° E, due north to 62° S.
	D	From 62° S 60° E, due east to 70° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 60° E, due north to 62° S.
	E	From 62° S 70° E, due east to 73° 10' E, due south to 64° S, due east to 80° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 70° E, due north to 62° S.
58.4.3a	A	Whole division, from 56° S 60° E, due east to 73° 10' E, due south to 62° S, due west to 60° E, due north to 56° S.
58.4.3b	A	From 56° S 73° 10' E, due east to 79° E, south to 59° S, due west to 73° 10' E, due north to 56° S.
	B	From 60° S 73° 10' E, due east to 86° E, south to 64° S, due west to 73° 10' E, due north to 60° S.
	C	From 59° S 73° 10' E, due east to 79° E, south to 60° S, due west to 73° 10' E, due north to 59° S.
	D	From 59° S 79° E, due east to 86° E, south to 60° S, due west to 79° E, due north to 59° S.
	E	From 56° S 79° E, due east to 80° E, due north to 55° S, due east to 86° E, south to 59° S, due west to 79° E, due north to 56° S.
58.4.4	A	From 51° S 40° E, due east to 42° E, due south to 54° S, due west to 40° E, due north to 51° S.
	B	From 51° S 42° E, due east to 46° E, due south to 54° S, due west to 42° E, due north to 51° S.
	C	From 51° S 46° E, due east to 50° E, due south to 54° S,

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		due west to 46° E, due north to 51° S.
	D	Whole division excluding SSRUs A, B, C, and with outer boundary from 50° S 30° E, due east to 60° E, due south to 62° S, due west to 30° E, due north to 50° S.
58.6	A	From 45° S 40° E, due east to 44° E, due south to 48° S, due west to 40° E, due north to 45° S.
	B	From 45° S 44° E, due east to 48° E, due south to 48° S, due west to 44° E, due north to 45° S.
	C	From 45° S 48° E, due east to 51° E, due south to 48° S, due west to 48° E, due north to 45° S.
	D	From 45° S 51° E, due east to 54° E, due south to 48° S, due west to 51° E, due north to 45° S.
58.7	A	From 45° S 37° E, due east to 40° E, due south to 48° S, due west to 37° E, due north to 45° S.
88.1	A	From 60° S 150° E, due east to 170° E, due south to 65° S, due west to 150° E, due north to 60° S.
	B	From 60° S 170° E, due east to 179° E, due south to 66° 40' S, due west to 170° E, due north to 60° S.
	C	From 60° S 179° E, due east to 170° W, due south to 70° S, due west to 178° W, due north to 66° 40' S, due west to 179° E, due north to 60° S.
	D	From 65° S 150° E, due east to 160° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 150° E, due north to 65° S.
	E	From 65° S 160° E, due east to 170° E, due south to 68°

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		30' S, due west to 160° E, due north to 65° S.
	F	From 68° 30' S 160° E, due east to 170° E, due south to coast, westward along coast to 160° E, due north to 68° 30' S.
	G	From 66° 40' S 170° E, due east to 178° W, due south to 70° S, due west to 178° 50' E, due south to 70° 50' S, due west to 170° E, due north to 66° 40' S.
	H	From 70° 50' S 170° E, due east to 178° 50' E, due south to 73° S, due west to coast, northward along coast to 170° E, due north to 70° 50' S.
	I	From 70° S 178° 50' E, due east to 170° W, due south to 73° S, due west to 178° 50' E, due north to 70° S.
	J	From 73° S at coast near 170° E, due east to 178° 50' E, due south to 80° S, due west to 170° E, northward along coast to 73° S.
	K	From 73° S 178° 50' E, due east to 170° W, due south to 76° S, due west to 178° 50' E, due north to 73° S.
	L	From 76° S 178° 50' E, due east to 170° W, due south to 80° S, due west to 178° 50' E, due north to 76° S.
	M	From 73° S at coast near 169° 30' E, due east to 170° E, due south to 80° S, due west to coast, northward along coast to 73° S.
88.2	A	From 60° S 170° W, due east to 160° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 170° W, due north to 60° S.
	B	From 60° S 160° W, due east to 150° W, due south to coast,

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		westward along coast to 160° W, due north to 60° S.
	C	From 70° 50' S 150° W, due east to 140° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 150° W, due north to 70° 50' S.
	D	From 70° 50' S 140° W, due east to 130° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 140° W, due north to 70° 50' S.
	E	From 70° 50' S 130° W, due east to 120° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 130° W, due north to 70° 50' S.
	F	From 70° 50' S 120° W, due east to 110° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 120° W, due north to 70° 50' S.
	G	From 70° 50' S 110° W, due east to 105° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 110° W, due north to 70° 50' S.
	H	From 65° S 150° W, due east to 105° W, due south to 70° 50' S, due west to 150° W, due north to 65° S.
	I	From 60° S 150° W, due east to 105° W, due south to 65° S, due west to 150° W, due north to 60° S.
88.3	A	From 60° S 105° W, due east to 95° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 105° W, due north to 60° S.
	B	From 60° S 95° W, due east to 85° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 95° W, due north to 60° S.
	C	From 60° S 85° W, due east to 75° W, due south to coast, westward along coast to 85° W, due north to 60° S.



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<b>88.1</b>													
<b>88.2</b>													
<b>88.3</b>													

X Tick boxes where and when you are most likely to operate

Precautionary catch limits not set, therefore considered as exploratory fisheries

Note that the details you provide here are for information only and do not preclude you from operating in areas or times which you did not specify.

## PART D

## NET CONFIGURATION AND USE OF FISHING TECHNIQUES

<b>Net opening (mouth) circumference (m)</b>	<b>Vertical opening (m)</b>	<b>Horizontal opening (m)</b>

Net panel length and mesh size

<b>Panel</b>	<b>Length (m)</b>	<b>Mesh size (mm)</b>
1st panel		
2nd panel		
3rd panel		
...		
Final panel (Codend)		

Provide diagram of each net configuration used

Use of multiple fishing technique<sup>(3)</sup>: Yes No

	<b>Fishing technique</b>	<b>Expected proportion of time to be used (%)</b>
1		
2		
3		
4		
5		
...		Total 100 %

Presence of marine mammal exclusion device<sup>(4)</sup>: Yes No

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Provide explanation of fishing techniques, gear configuration and characteristics and fishing patterns:

## ANNEX VI

### IOTC CONVENTION AREA

1. Maximum number of EU vessels authorised to fish for tropical tunas in the IOTC Convention Area

Member State	Maximum number of vessels	Capacity (gross tonnage)
Spain	22	61 364
France	22	33 604
Portugal	5	1 627
Union	49	96 595

- 1<sup>F1</sup>2<sup>X2</sup>. Maximum number of EU vessels authorised to fish for swordfish and albacore in the IOTC Convention Area

Member State	Maximum number of vessels	Capacity(gross tonnage)
Spain	27	11 590
France	41	5 382
Portugal	15	6 925
United Kingdom	4	1 400
Union	87	25 297]]

3. The vessels referred to in point 1 shall also be authorised to fish for swordfish and albacore in the IOTC Convention Area.
4. The vessels referred to in point 2 shall also be authorised to fish for tropical tunas in the IOTC Convention Area.

## ANNEX VII

### WCPFC CONVENTION AREA

Maximum number of EU vessels authorised to fish for swordfish in areas south of 20° S of the WCPFC Convention Area

Spain	14
Union	14

## ANNEX VIII



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### QUANTITATIVE LIMITATIONS OF FISHING AUTHORISATIONS FOR THIRD-COUNTRY VESSELS FISHING IN EU WATERS

Flag State	Fishery	Number of fishing authorisations	Maximum number of vessels present at any time
Norway	Herring, north of 62° 00' N	20	20
Venezuela <sup>a</sup>	Snappers (French Guiana waters)	45	45

- a** To issue those fishing authorisations, proof must be produced that a valid contract exists between the ship owner applying for the fishing authorisation and a processing undertaking situated in the Department of French Guiana, and that it includes an obligation to land at least 75 % of all snapper catches from the vessel concerned in that department so that they may be processed in that undertaking's plant. Such a contract must be endorsed by the French authorities, which shall ensure that it is consistent both with the actual capacity of the contracting processing undertaking and with the objectives for the development of the Guianese economy. A copy of the duly endorsed contract shall be appended to the fishing authorisation application. Where such an endorsement is refused, the French authorities shall give notification of this refusal and state their reasons for it to the party concerned and to the Commission.
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- (1) Council Regulation (EC) No 1954/2003 of 4 November 2003 on the management of the fishing effort relating to certain Community fishing areas and resources ([OJ L 289, 7.11.2003, p. 1](#)).
- (2) The numbers shown in sections 1, 2 and 3 may decrease in order to comply with international obligations of the Union.
- (3) If yes, frequency of switch between fishing techniques:
- (4) If yes, provide design of the device:

**Changes to legislation:**

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- [Regulation revoked by 2023 c. 28 Sch. 1 Pt. 2](#)