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## OUTCOME OF PROCEEDINGS

From:	General Secretariat of the Council
To:	Delegations
Subject:	Proposal for a Council Regulation fixing for 2020 the fishing opportunities for certain fish stocks and groups of fish stocks, applicable in Union waters and, for Union fishing vessels, in certain non-Union waters

Annex I

## ANNEX IA

SKAGERRAK, KATTEGAT, ICES SUBAREAS 1, 2, 3, 4, 5,  
6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 AND 14, UNION WATERS OF CECAF,  
FRENCH GUIANA WATERS

Species	Sandeel and associated by-catches		Zone:	Union waters of 2a, 3a and 4(1)
	<i>Ammodytes</i> spp.			
Denmark	0 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>106 387</b>	Analytical TAC	
United Kingdom	0 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>2 325</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Germany	0 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>162</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Sweden	0 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>3 906</b>		
Union	0	<b>112 780</b>		

TAC	0	<b>112 780</b>
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- (1) Excluding waters within six nautical miles of the UK baselines at Shetland, Fair Isle and Foula.
- (2) Up to 2 % of the quota may consist of by-catches of whiting and mackerel (OT1/\*2A3A4). By-catches of whiting and mackerel counted against the quota pursuant to this provision and by-catches of species counted against the quota pursuant to Article 15(8) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall, together, not exceed 9% of the quota.

**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:

**Zone: Union waters of sandeel management areas**

	1r		2r(1)		3r		4(1)		5r		6		7r	
	(SAN/234_1R)		(SAN/234_2R)		(SAN/234_3R)		(SAN/234_4)		(SAN/234_5 R)		(SAN/234_6)		(SN/234_7R)	
Denmark	0	86 704	0	4 717	0	10 084	0	4 717	0	0	0	165	0	0
United Kingdom	0	1 895	0	103	0	220	0	103	0	0	0	4	0	0
Germany	0	133	0	7	0	15	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sweden	0	3 184	0	173	0	370	0	173	0	0	0	6	0	0
Union	0	91 916	0	5 000	0	10 689	0	5 000	0	0	0	175	0	0
Total	0	91 916	0	5 000	0	10 689	0	5 000	0	0	0	175	0	0

- (1) In management areas 2r and 4 the TAC may only be fished as a monitoring TAC with an associated sampling protocol for the fishery.

Species:	Greater silver smelt	Zone:	Union and international waters of 1 and 2
	<i>Argentina silus</i>		(ARU/1/2.)

Germany	24	<b>24</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	8	<b>8</b>	
The Netherlands	19	<b>19</b>	
United Kingdom	39	<b>39</b>	
Union	90	<b>90</b>	
TAC	90	<b>90</b>	

Species:	Greater silver smelt	Zone:	Union waters of 3a and 4
	<i>Argentina silus</i>		(ARU/3A4-C)

Denmark	1 093	<b>1 093</b>	Precautionary TAC
Germany	11	<b>11</b>	
France	8	<b>8</b>	
Ireland	8	<b>8</b>	
The Netherlands	51	<b>51</b>	
Sweden	43	<b>43</b>	
United Kingdom	20	<b>20</b>	
Union	1 234	<b>1 234</b>	
TAC	1 234	<b>1 234</b>	

Species:	Greater silver smelt	Zone:	Union and international waters of 5, 6 and 7
	<i>Argentina silus</i>		(ARU/567.)
Germany	284	355	Precautionary TAC
France	6	7	<b>COM:</b> combination of 2 pieces of advice. ICES recommends a decrease of -34%, COM proposes -20%
Ireland	263	329	
The Netherlands	2 968	3 710	<b>ES:</b> no quota for this stock but important for other stocks (unavoidable bycatches), so request smaller reduction
United Kingdom	208	260	
Union	3 729	4 661	
TAC	3 729	4 661	

Species:	Tusk	Zone:	Union and international waters of 1, 2 and 14
	<i>Brosme brosme</i>		(USK/1214EI)
Germany	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	6	Precautionary TAC
France	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	6	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
United Kingdom	6 <sup>(1)</sup>	6	<b>COM:</b> roll-over proposed, TAC not fully used
Others	3 <sup>(1)</sup>	3	
Union	21 <sup>(1)</sup>	21	
TAC	21	21	
(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.			

Species:	Tusk	Zone:	3a
	<i>Brosme brosme</i>		(USK/03A.)
Denmark	15	<b>15</b>	Precautionary TAC
Sweden	8	<b>8</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	8	<b>8</b>	<b><u>COM:</u> ICES advice is for a decrease of -4%; COM proposes a roll-over</b>
Union	31	<b>31</b>	
TAC	31	<b>31</b>	

Species:	Tusk	Zone:	Union waters of 4
	<i>Brosme brosme</i>		(USK/04-C.)
Denmark	68	<b>68</b>	Precautionary TAC
Germany	20	<b>20</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
France	47	<b>47</b>	
Sweden	7	<b>7</b>	
United Kingdom	102	<b>102</b>	
Others	7 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>7</b>	
Union	251	<b>251</b>	
TAC	251	<b>251</b>	

(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

Species: Tusk			Zone: Union and international waters of 5, 6 and 7					
Brosme brosme			(USK/567EI.)					
Germany	pm	17	Precautionary TAC					
Spain	pm	60						
France	pm	705	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies					
Ireland	pm	68	COM: quotas are subject to swaps with NO					
United Kingdom	pm	340	ES: could support RO, pending arrangements with NO					
Others	pm (1)	17						
Union	pm	1 207						
Norway	pm (2)(3)(4)(5)	2 923						
TAC		4 130	4 130					
(1)	Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.							
(2)	To be fished in Union waters of 2a, 4, 5b, 6 and 7 (USK/*24X7C).							
(3)	Special condition: of which an incidental catch of other species of 25 % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in 5b, 6 and 7. 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 5b, 6 and 7 shall not exceed the amount below in tonnes (OTH/*5B67-). By-catch of cod under this provision in area 6a may not be more than 5%.							
	pm							
(4)	Including ling. The following quotas for Norway shall only be fished with long-lines in 5b, 6 and 7:							
	<table><tr><td>Ling (LIN/*5B67-)</td><td>pm</td></tr><tr><td>Tusk (USK/*5B67-)</td><td>pm</td></tr></table>				Ling (LIN/*5B67-)	pm	Tusk (USK/*5B67-)	pm
Ling (LIN/*5B67-)	pm							
Tusk (USK/*5B67-)	pm							
(5)	The tusk and ling quotas for Norway are interchangeable up to the following amount, in tonnes:							
	pm							

Species: Tusk <i>Brosme brosme</i>			Zone: Norwegian waters of 4  (USK/04-N.)
Belgium	pm	0	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm	165	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Germany	pm	1	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	pm	0	
The Netherlands	pm	0	
United Kingdom	pm	4	
Union	pm	170	
TAC	Not relevant	<i>Not relevant</i>	
Species: Boarfish <i>Caproidae</i>			Zone: Union and international waters of 6, 7 and 8  (BOR/678-)
Denmark	4 700	5 357	Precautionary TAC
Ireland	13 235	15 086	<b>COM: -12%</b>
United Kingdom	1 217	1 387	<b><i>ES, FR: no quota for this stock but important for other stocks (unavoidable bycatches), so request smaller reduction. Also ask for the inter-species flexibility (with Northern Hake) and the creation of the FIDES code, and request a specific TAC for pelagic gears.</i></b>
Union	19 152	21 830	
TAC	19 152	21 830	
			<b><i>IE: accepts COM proposal. Concerns regarding FR and ES inter-species flexibility request.</i></b>

Species:	Herring <sup>(1)</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Zone:	3a  (HER/03A.)
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Denmark	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>12 325</b>	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>197</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Sweden	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>12 893</b>	
Union	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>25 415</b>	
Norway	pm	<b>3 911</b>	
Faroe Islands	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>0</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>29 326</b>	

(1) Catches of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm.

(2) Special condition: up to 50 % of this amount may be fished in Union waters of 4 (HER/\*04-C.).

(3) May only be fished in the Skagerrak (HER/\*03AN.).

Species:	Herring (1) <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Zone:	Union and Norwegian waters of 4 north of 53°30' N  (HER/4AB.)
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Denmark	pm	<b>59 468</b>	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	<b>39 404</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
France	pm	<b>20 670</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>51 717</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>3 913</b>	
United Kingdom	pm	<b>55 583</b>	
Union	pm	<b>230 755</b>	
Faroe Islands	pm	<b>250</b>	
Norway	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>111 652</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>385 008</b>	

(1) Catches of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm.

(2) Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC. Within the limit of this quota, no more than the quantity given below may be taken in Union waters of 4a and 4b (HER/\*4AB-C).

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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 south of 62°N (HER/\*04N-)(1)

Union	pm	<b>50 000</b>	
(1) Catches of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm.			
Species:	Herring <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Zone:	Norwegian waters south of 62°N (HER/04-N.)
Sweden	pm (1)	<b>886</b>	Analytical TAC
Union	pm	<b>886</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	pm	<b>385 008</b>	
(1) By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.			

Species:	Herring (1) <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Zone:	3a (HER/03A-BC)
Denmark	pm	<b>5 692</b>	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	<b>51</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Sweden	pm	<b>916</b>	
Union	pm	<b>6 659</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>6 659</b>	
(1) Exclusively for catches of herring taken as by-catch in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes smaller than 32 mm.			

Species:	Herring <sup>(1)</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Zone:	4, 7d and Union waters of 2a (HER/2A47DX)
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Belgium	pm	<b>65</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>12 628</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	<b>65</b>	
France	pm	<b>65</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>65</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>65</b>	
United Kingdom	pm	<b>240</b>	
Union	pm	<b>13 190</b>	
Faroe Islands	pm		
TAC	pm	<b>13 190</b>	

(1) Exclusively for catches of herring taken as by-catch in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes smaller than 32 mm.

Species:	Herring <sup>(1)</sup> <i>Clupea harengus</i>	Zone:	4c, 7d <sup>(2)</sup> (HER/4CXB7D)
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Belgium	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>8 632</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>800</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>530</b>	
France	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>10 277</b>	
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>18 162</b>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>3 950</b>	
Union	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>42 351</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>385 008</b>	

(1) Exclusively for catches of herring taken in fisheries using nets with mesh sizes equal to or larger than 32 mm.

(2) 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.

(3)

Special condition: up to 50 % of this quota may be taken in 4b (HER/\*04B.).

Species:	Herring	Zone:	Union and international waters of 5b, 6b and 6aN <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Clupea harengus</i>		(HER/5B6ANB)

Germany	389	<sup>(2)</sup>	<b>466</b>	Analytical TAC
France	74	<sup>(2)</sup>	<b>88</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Ireland	526	<sup>(2)</sup>	<b>630</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
The Netherlands	389	<sup>(2)</sup>	<b>466</b>	<b><u>IE</u>: accepts COM proposal</b>
United Kingdom	2 102	<sup>(2)</sup>	<b>2 520</b>	
Union	3 480	<sup>(2)</sup>	<b>4 170</b>	

TAC 3 480 **4 170**

(1) Reference is to the herring stock in the part of ICES zone 6a which lies east of the meridian of longitude 7°W and north of the parallel of latitude 55°N, or west of the meridian of longitude 7°W and north of the parallel of latitude 56°N, excluding the Clyde.

(2) It shall be prohibited to target any herring in the part of the ICES zones subject to this TAC that lies between 56°N and 57°30' N, with the exception of a six nautical mile belt measured from the baseline of the United Kingdom's territorial sea.

Species:	Herring	Zone:	6aS <sup>(1)</sup> , 7b, 7c
	<i>Clupea harengus</i>		(HER/6AS7BC)

Ireland	1 236	<b>1 482</b>	Analytical TAC
The Netherlands	124	<b>148</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	1 360	<b>1 630</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
			<b><u>IE</u>: accepts COM proposal</b>

TAC 1 360 **1 630**

(1) Reference is to the herring stock in 6a south of 56°00' N and west of 07°00' W.

Species:	Herring	Zone:	6 Clyde <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Clupea harengus</i>		(HER/06ACL.)

United Kingdom	To be established	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Precautionary TAC
Union	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Article 6 of this Regulation applies.

TAC	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>
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(1) Clyde stock: reference is to the herring stock in the maritime area situated to the north-east of a line drawn between:

- the Mull of Kintyre (55°17.9'N, 05°47.8'W);

- a point at position 55°04'N, 05°23'W, and;

- Corsewall Point (55°00.5'N, 05°09.4'W).

(2) Fixed at the same quantity as the quota of the United Kingdom.

Species:	Herring	Zone:	7a <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Clupea harengus</i>		(HER/07A/MM)

Ireland	2 099	<b><i>1 795</i></b>	Analytical TAC
United Kingdom	5 965	<b><i>5 101</i></b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Union	8 064	<b><i>6 896</i></b>	

TAC	8 064	<b><i>6 896</i></b>
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(1) This zone is reduced by the area bounded:

- to the north by latitude 52°30' N,

- to the south by latitude 52°00' N,

- to the west by the coast of Ireland,

- to the east by the coast of the United Kingdom.

Species:	Herring	Zone:	7e and 7f
	<i>Clupea harengus</i>		(HER/7EF.)
France	465	<b>465</b>	Precautionary TAC
United Kingdom	465	<b>465</b>	
Union	930	<b>930</b>	
TAC	930	<b>930</b>	
Species:	Herring	Zone:	7g <sup>(1)</sup> , 7h <sup>(1)</sup> , 7j <sup>(1)</sup> and 7k <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Clupea harengus</i>		(HER/7G-K.)
Germany	10 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>53</b>	Analytical TAC
France	54 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>293</b>	<b><i>COM: intends to set TAC in line with scientific advice for sentinel fisheries</i></b>
Ireland	750 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>4 097</b>	
The Netherlands	54 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>293</b>	<b><i>IE: in light of poor condition of this stock, accepts COM proposal</i></b>
United Kingdom	1 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>6</b>	
Union	869 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>4 742</b>	
TAC	869 <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>4 742</b>	
(1)	This zone is increased by the area bounded:		
	- to the north by latitude 52°30' N,		
	- to the south by latitude 52°00' N,		
	- to the west by the coast of Ireland,		
	- to the east by the coast of the United Kingdom.		
(2)	This quota may only be allocated to vessels participating in the sentinel fishery to allow fisheries-based data collection for this stock as assessed by ICES. The Member States concerned shall communicate the name(s) of the vessel(s) to the Commission before allowing any catches.		

Species:	Anchovy	Zone:	8
	<i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i>		(ANE/08.)
Spain	pm	29 700	Precautionary TAC
France	pm	3 300	
Union	pm	33 000	
TAC	pm	33 000	
Species:	Anchovy	Zone:	9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i>		(ANE/9/3411)
Spain	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	4 897	Precautionary TAC
Portugal	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	5 343	<b>COM:</b> pending scientific advice, will be changed with in-year amendments
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	10 240	<b>ES, PT:</b> would have preferred to have "pm" instead of the zero TAC, as it could be misleading, but supports footnote (1) as proposed by COM.
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	10 240	<b>PT:</b> concerned about the timing of the presentation of the proposals.
(1) The quota may only be fished from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021. The TAC and the quotas will be amended after the scientific advice is issued for this stock. The TAC and the quota for the period from 1 July 2019 to 30 June 2020 have been established in the Council Regulation (EU) 2019/1601.			
Species:	Cod	Zone:	Skagerrak
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/03AN.)
Belgium	pm	11	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	3 364	
Germany	pm	84	
The Netherlands	pm	21	
Sweden	pm	589	
Union	pm	4 069	
TAC	pm	4 205	

Species:	Cod	Zone:	Kattegat
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/03AS.)

Denmark	80 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>350</b>	Precautionary TAC
Germany	2 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>7</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Sweden	48 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>210</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	130 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>567</b>	Article 15(9) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall not apply

TAC	130 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>567</b>	<b><i><u>DK and SE:</u> concerned about stock status, willingness to find proper levels of protection.</i></b>
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***SE: additional measures such as selective gears needed.***

***DK: on Art 15(9), questions the retroactivity of the provision and its legality.***

(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. Union vessels allocated fishing opportunities from this TAC shall either be subject to at least 20 % observer coverage at sea or shall have operating CCTV monitoring systems in line with the provisions specified in Article 23(5) of Regulation 2019/1241.

Species:	Cod	Zone:	4; Union waters of 2a; that part of 3a not covered by the Skagerrak and Kattegat
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/2A3AX4)

Belgium	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>870</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>4 998</b>	<b><i><u>UK:</u> asks for a recovery plan adopted and applied alongside setting fishing opportunities for 2020.</i></b>
Germany	pm	<b>3 169</b>	
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 075</b>	
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2 824</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>33</b>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>11 464</b>	
Union	pm	<b>24 433</b>	
Norway	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>5 004</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>29 437</b>	

(1) Special condition; of which up to 5 % may be fished in: 7d (COD/\*07D).

(2) May be taken in Union 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 4 (COD/\*04N-)

Union	pm	<b>21 236</b>	
Species:	Cod	Zone:	Norwegian waters south of 62°N
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/04-N.)
Sweden	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>382</b>	Analytical TAC
Union	pm	<b>382</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
			Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	Not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>	
(1) By-catches of haddock, pollack and whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quota for these species.			

Species:	Cod	Zone:	6b; Union and international waters of 5b west of 12°00' W and of 12 and 14
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/5W6-14)
Belgium	0	<b>0</b>	Precautionary TAC
Germany	1	<b>1</b>	<b><u>UK:</u></b> the TAC needs to be realistic to avoid choke species problem. <b><u>UK:</u></b> notes that there is no TAC for Rockall cod.
France	12	<b>12</b>	<b><u>calls on COM</u></b> to consider the choke effect of this small by-catch fishery (a statement stock) on the important Rockall haddock fishery.
Ireland	16	<b>16</b>	
United Kingdom	45	<b>45</b>	<b><u>IE:</u></b> situation on the ground must be taken into account to avoid choke situation.
Union	74	<b>74</b>	
TAC	74	<b>74</b>	



Species:	Cod	Zone:	6a; Union and international waters of 5b east of 12°00' W
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/5BE6A)

Belgium	3	(1)	<b>3</b>	
Germany	30	(1)	<b>26</b>	Analytical TAC
France	325	(1)	<b>275</b>	Article 8 of this Regulation applies
Ireland	127	(1)	<b>385</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	538		<b>1 046</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	1 023	(1)	<b>1 735</b>	Article 15(9) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall not apply
TAC	1 023	(1)	<b>1 735</b>	<b><u>IE:</u> need to take a pragmatic approach to avoid choke species problem</b>

(1) Exclusively for by-catches of cod in fisheries for other species. No directed fisheries for cod are permitted under this quota. Union vessels allocated fishing opportunities from this TAC shall either be subject to at least 20 % observer coverage at sea or shall have operating CCTV monitoring systems in line with the provisions specified in Article 23(5) of Regulation 2019/1241.

**FR: set TAC at Fmsy upper (839 tonnes) to avoid choke species. Delete the reference to Art 15(9) and have a MS statement with a commitment not to use such a flexibility. Against the provisions in footnote (1) on CCTV and observers coverage.**

**UK: need to set an appropriate TAC that reflects the level of unavoidable bycatch. Asks for roll-over TAC. Could accept a similar approach to the pool approach agreed last year, providing that the TAC level remains the same.**

Species: Cod

*Gadus morhua*

Belgium			Zone:	7a
France				(COD/07A.)
Ireland	7	(1)	<b>11</b>	Precautionary TAC
The Netherlands	2	19	(1)	<b>30</b> <b><u>UK:</u> supports COM proposal, as the TAC is set at a level consistent with unavoidable bycatch from other fisheries.</b>
United Kingdom	110	119	(1)	<b>530</b> <b><u>IE, BE:</u> by-catch stock, very low TAC will lead to choke situation</b>
Union		(1)	<b>3</b>	
		(1)	<b>233</b>	
TAC	257	(1)	<b>807</b>	
(1)				
	257	(1)	<b>807</b>	

Species:	Cod	Zone:	7b, 7c, 7e-k, 8, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 (COD/7XAD34)
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		
Belgium	8 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>50</b>	Analytical TAC
France	139 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>822</b>	Article 8 of this Regulation applies
Ireland	27 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>650</b>	Article 15(9) of Regulation (EU) 1380/2013 shall not apply
The Netherlands	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>0</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	15 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>88</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	189 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 610</b>	<b><u>COM:</u> ICES advice rule, in line with Articles 4, 6 and 7 of Western Waters MAP</b>
TAC	189 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 610</b>	<b><u>ES:</u> use all other possible TAC scenarios possible under ICES advice. Recent ICES publication: 1140 tonnes of cod caught when haddock is at lower range of Fmsy.</b> <b><u>FR:</u> no legal obligation according to the Western Waters MAP to use ICES advice rule.</b> <b><u>BE, IE:</u> concerned about choke situation, current TAC is too low</b> <b><u>UK:</u> TAC not workable, it will choke fisheries early in the year. Accepts a bycatch TAC, but it needs to reflect unavoidable catch. Remedial measures are required but COM proposal will disproportionately affect some segments of the fleet. Calls on COM to adopt the UK proposals sent to COM.</b>

(1) Exclusively for by-catches of cod in fisheries for other species. No directed fisheries for cod are permitted under this quota.

Species:	Cod	Zone:	7d
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/07D.)
Belgium	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>74</b>	Analytical TAC
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 439</b>	<b><u>FR:</u> request for inter-area flexibility to be increased to 35% from 7d to 4.</b>
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>43</b>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>159</b>	<b><u>BE:</u> can support FR request.</b>
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 715</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>1 715</b>	

(1) Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in: 4; Union waters of 2a; that part of 3a not covered by the Skagerrak and Kattegat (COD/\*2A3X4).

Species:	Megrims	Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.		(LEZ/2AC4-C)
Belgium	9	<b>9</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	8	<b>7</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	8	<b>7</b>	
France	48	<b>47</b>	
The Netherlands	38	<b>37</b>	
United Kingdom	2811	<b>2 780</b>	
Union	2922	<b>2 887</b>	
TAC	2922	<b>2 887</b>	

Species:	Megrims	Zone:	Union and international waters of 5b; 6;
	<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.		international waters of 12 and 14
			(LEZ/56-14)
Spain	671	<b>657</b>	Analytical TAC
France	2 615 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2 563</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Ireland	764	<b>749</b>	
United Kingdom	1 851 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 813</b>	
Union	5 901	<b>5 782</b>	
TAC	5 901	<b>5 782</b>	

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Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in: Union waters of 2a and 4 (LEZ/\*2AC4C).

Species:	Megrim		Zone:	7
	<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.			(LEZ/07.)
Belgium	506 <sup>(1)</sup>	490	Analytical TAC	
Spain	5620 <sup>(2)</sup>	5 440	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
France	6820 <sup>(2)</sup>	6 602		
Ireland	3101 <sup>(1)</sup>	3 001	<i><b>ES: asks for review of the figures in line with scientific advice</b></i>	
United Kingdom	2685 <sup>(1)</sup>	2 599		
Union	18732	18 132	<i><b>FR: important to limit inter-annual variations</b></i>	
			<i><b>IE: accepts COM proposal</b></i>	
TAC	18732	18 132		
(1)	10 % of this quota may be used in 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (LEZ/*8ABDE) for by-catches in directed fisheries for sole.			
(2)	35 % of this quota may be fished in 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (LEZ/*8ABDE).			

Species:	Megrim		Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e
	<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.			(LEZ/8ABDE.)
Spain	993	<b>943</b>	Analytical TAC	
France	801	<b>761</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Union	1794	<b>1 704</b>	<b><i>ES: asks for review of the figures in line with scientific advice</i></b>	
			<b><i>FR: important to limit inter-annual variations</i></b>	
TAC	1794	<b>1 704</b>		

Species:	Megrim			Zone:	8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Lepidorhombus</i> spp.				(LEZ/8C3411)
Spain		1929	<b>1 728</b>	Analytical TAC	
France		96	<b>86</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Portugal		64	<b>58</b>	<b><i>ES: asks to review the figures. Current figures seem incorrect, as the starting TAC before de minimis should be 2479t (ICES Fmsy point value for both species L whiffiagonis and L boscii).</i></b>	
Union		2089	<b>1 872</b>		
TAC		2089	<b>1 872</b>	<b><i>PT: TAC should be set at 2419 tonnes (ICES advice for MSY). Very small quota, risk of choke situations as often caught as bycatch. Important to address this issue.</i></b>	
Species:	Anglerfish			Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Lophiidae</i>				(ANF/2AC4-C)
Belgium		498 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>715</b>	Precautionary TAC	
Denmark		1098 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 577</b>	<b><i>DK: scrutiny reservation</i></b>	
Germany		536 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>770</b>		
France		102 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>147</b>		
The Netherlands		377 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>541</b>		
Sweden		13 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>18</b>		
United Kingdom		11461 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>16 469</b>		
Union		14085 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>20 237</b>		
TAC		14085	<b>20 237</b>		
(1) Special condition: of which up to 10 % may be fished in: 6; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14 (ANF/*56-14).					

Species:	Anglerfish	Zone:	Norwegian waters of 4
	<i>Lophiidae</i>		(ANF/04-N.)
Belgium	pm	51	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm	1 305	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Germany	pm	21	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
The Netherlands	pm	18	
United Kingdom	pm	305	
Union	pm	1 700	
TAC	Not relevant	Not relevant	
Species:	Anglerfish	Zone:	6; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14
	<i>Lophiidae</i>		(ANF/56-14)
Belgium	286 <sup>(1)</sup>	411	Precautionary TAC
Germany	327 <sup>(1)</sup>	470	<i>ES: asks for smaller reduction, as this stock is in the NS MAP and thus the decrease should be limited to -20% instead of -30%</i>
Spain	307	440	
France	3525 <sup>(1)</sup>	5 067	<i>FR: can support COM proposal. Request for increase of inter-area flexibility to 10%</i>
Ireland	797	1 145	
The Netherlands	276 <sup>(1)</sup>	396	
United Kingdom	2453 <sup>(1)</sup>	3 524	
Union	7971	11 453	
TAC	7971	11 453	
(1) Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in: Union waters of 2a and 4 (ANF/*2AC4C).			

Species:	Anglerfish			Zone:	7
	<i>Lophiidae</i>				(ANF/07.)
Belgium	3262	(1)	<b>3 049</b>	Analytical TAC	
Germany	364	(1)	<b>340</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Spain	1296	(1)	<b>1 212</b>		
France	20932	(1)	<b>19 568</b>	<b><u>ES, FR, IE:</u> can accept COM proposal.</b>	
Ireland	2675	(1)	<b>2 501</b>	<b><u>FR:</u> supports inter-area flexibility</b>	
The Netherlands	422	(1)	<b>395</b>		
United Kingdom	6348	(1)	<b>5 934</b>		
Union	35299	(1)	<b>32 999</b>		
TAC	35299		<b>32 999</b>		

(1) Special condition: of which up to 10 % may be fished in 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (ANF/\*8ABDE).

Species:	Anglerfish			Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e
	<i>Lophiidae</i>				(ANF/8ABDE.)
Spain	1 372		<b>1 275</b>	Analytical TAC	
France	7 636		<b>7 096</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Union	9 008		<b>8 371</b>	<b><u>ES:</u> can accept COM proposal</b>	
				<b><u>FR:</u> can support COM proposal and inter-area flexibility</b>	
TAC	9 008		<b>8 371</b>		
Species:	Anglerfish			Zone:	8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Lophiidae</i>				(ANF/8C3411)
Spain	3 353		<b>3 472</b>	Analytical TAC	
France	3		<b>3</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Portugal	667		<b>691</b>	<b><u>ES:</u> can accept COM proposal</b>	
Union	4 023		<b>4 166</b>	<b><u>PT:</u> would support a RO - in line with MAP ranges</b>	
TAC	4 023		<b>4 166</b>		

Species:	Haddock	Zone:	3a
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		(HAD/03A.)

Belgium	pm	<b>8</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>1 435</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	<b>91</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>2</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>170</b>	
Union	pm	<b>1 706</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>1 780</b>	

Species:	Haddock	Zone:	4; Union waters of 2a
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		(HAD/2AC4.)

Belgium	pm	<b>168</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>1 153</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	<b>734</b>	
France	pm	<b>1 279</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>126</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>116</b>	
United Kingdom	pm	<b>19 015</b>	
Union	pm	<b>22 591</b>	
Norway	pm	<b>6 359</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>28 950</b>	

Special condition: within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones:

Norwegian waters of 4 (HAD/\*04N-)

Union	pm	<b>16 804</b>	
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Species:	Haddock				
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>			Zone:	Norwegian waters south of 62°N
Sweden					(HAD/04-N.)
Union		pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>707</b>	Analytical TAC	
		pm	<b>707</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC				Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
(1)		Not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>		
Species:	Haddock			Zone:	Union and international waters of 6b, 12 and 14
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>				(HAD/6B1214)
Belgium		23	<b>23</b>	Analytical TAC	
Germany		28	<b>28</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
France		1 155	<b>1 155</b>		
Ireland		824	<b>824</b>		
United Kingdom		8 442	<b>8 439</b>		
Union		10 472	<b>10 469</b>		
TAC		10 472	<b>10 469</b>		

Species:	Haddock	Zone:	Union and international waters of 5b and 6a
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		(HAD/5BC6A.)

Belgium	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>4</b>	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>4</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>178</b>	
Ireland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>528</b>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2 512</b>	
Union	pm	<b>3 226</b>	

TAC pm **3 226**

(1) Not more than 10 % of this quota may be fished in 4; Union waters of 2a (HAD/\*2AC4.).

Species:	Haddock	Zone:	7b-k, 8, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		(HAD/7X7A34)

Belgium	121	<b>93</b>	Analytical TAC
France	7239	<b>5 552</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Ireland	2413	<b>1 851</b>	
United Kingdom	1086	<b>833</b>	<b><i>IE, FR: important species, important to have sufficient fishing possibilities. Will be discussed as a package with other Celtic Sea stocks.</i></b>
Union	10859	<b>8 329</b>	
			<b><i>BE, IE: TAC needs to be set at a level that reflects the abundance of the stock.</i></b>
TAC	10859	<b>8 329</b>	<b><i>UK: notes that COM proposal is lower than the ICES advice (+30%). Important to take into account mixed fishery considerations for this TAC.</i></b>

Species:	Haddock	Zone:	7a
	<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		(HAD/07A.)
Belgium	50	<b>59</b>	Analytical TAC
France	228	<b>271</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Ireland	1366	<b>1 619</b>	<b><u>IE</u>: accepts COM proposal</b>
United Kingdom	1512	<b>1 790</b>	
Union	3156	<b>3 739</b>	
TAC	3156	<b>3 739</b>	
Species:	Whiting	Zone:	3a
	<i>Merlangius merlangus</i>		(WHG/03A.)
Denmark	pm	<b>1 109</b>	Precautionary TAC
The Netherlands	pm	<b>4</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>119</b>	
Union	pm	<b>1 232</b>	
TAC	400	<b>1 660</b>	

Species:	Whiting <i>Merlangius merlangus</i>	Zone:	4; Union waters of 2a (WHG/2AC4.)
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Belgium	pm	<b>320</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>1 385</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	<b>360</b>	
France	pm	<b>2 082</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>801</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>3</b>	
United Kingdom	pm	<b>10 012</b>	
Union	pm	<b>14 963</b>	
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 219</b>	

TAC	23413	<b>17 191</b>
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(1) May be taken in Union 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 zones:

Norwegian waters of 4 (WHG/\*04N-)

Union	pm	<b>10 881</b>
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Species:	Whiting			Zone: 6; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14
	<i>Merlangius merlangus</i>			(WHG/56-14)
Germany	(1)	6	3	Analytical TAC
France	(1)	114	86	Article 8 of this Regulation applies
Ireland	(1)	280	324	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	(1)	537	717	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	(1)	937	1112	Article 15(9) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall not apply
TAC	(1)	937	1112	<p><b><u>UK:</u></b> set TAC that reflects the level of unavoidable bycatch. Asks for roll-over. Could accept a similar approach to the pool approach agreed last year, providing that the TAC level remains the same.</p> <p><b><u>IE:</u></b> by-catch stock, very low TAC will to choke situation</p> <p><b><u>FR:</u></b> against the provisions in footnote (1) on CCTV and observers coverage. Need to have sufficient bycatch TAC (also for the open pool mechanism to operate).</p>

(1) Exclusively for by-catches of whiting in fisheries for other species. No directed fisheries for whiting are permitted under this quota. Union vessels allocated fishing opportunities from this TAC shall either CCTV monitoring systems in line with the provisions specified in be subject to at least 20 % Article 23(5) of Regulation observer coverage at sea or shall have operating 2019/1241.

Species:	Whiting <i>Merlangius merlangus</i>			Zone:	7a  (WHG/07A.)
Belgium	4	(1)	3	Analytical TAC	
France	50	(1)	43	Article 8 of this Regulation applies	
Ireland	286	(1)	717	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
The Netherlands	1	(1)	1	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
United Kingdom	380	(1)	482	Article 15(9) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall not apply	
Union	721	(1)	1246		
TAC	721	(1)	1247	<p><b><u>BE, UK:</u> requests a by catch TAC to be set in line with expected catch.</b></p> <p><b><u>IE:</u> situation on the ground must be taken into account, as low TAC could lead to choke situation.</b></p> <p><b><u>FR:</u> against the provisions in footnote (1) on CCTV and observers coverage. Need to have sufficient bycatch TAC (also for the open pool mechanism to operate).</b></p>	

(1) Exclusively for by-catches of whiting in fisheries for other species. No directed fisheries for whiting are permitted under this quota. Union vessels allocated fishing opportunities from this TAC shall either be subject to at least 20 % observer coverage at sea or shall have operating CCTV monitoring systems in line with the provisions specified in Article 23(5) of Regulation 2019/1241.

Species:	Whiting <i>Merlangius merlangus</i>			Zone:	7b, 7c, 7d, 7e, 7f, 7g, 7h, 7j and 7k  (WHG/7X7A-C)
Belgium	pm		187	Analytical TAC	
France	pm		11 510	<b><u>FR:</u> need a TAC sufficient for targeted fishing and bycatches</b>	
Ireland	pm		5 334		
The Netherlands	pm		94		
United Kingdom	pm		2 059		
Union	pm		19 184		
TAC	pm		19 184		

Species:	Whiting <i>Merlangius merlangus</i>	Zone:	8 (WHG/08.)
Spain	881	<b>1 016</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	1322	<b>1 524</b>	<b><i>ES: can accept COM proposal</i></b>
Union	2203	<b>2 540</b>	<b><i>FR: asks for RO, as the -20% precautionary buffer is not justified</i></b>
TAC	2203	<b>2 540</b>	

Species:	Whiting and pollack <i>Merlangius merlangus and Pollachius pollachius</i>	Zone:	Norwegian waters south of 62°N (W/P/04-N.)
Sweden	190 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>190</b>	Precautionary TAC
Union	190	<b>190</b>	
TAC	Not relevant	<b><i>Not relevant</i></b>	

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

Species:	Hake <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	Zone:	3a (HKE/03A.)
Denmark	3136 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>3 950</b>	Analytical TAC
Sweden	267 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>336</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Union	3403	<b>4 286</b>	
TAC	3403	<b>4 286</b>	

(1) Transfers of this quota may be effected to Union waters of 2a and 4. However, such transfers shall be notified in advance to the Commission.

Species:	Hake	Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4 (HKE/2AC4-C)
	<i>Merluccius merluccius</i>		
Belgium	56 <sup>(1)</sup>	71	Analytical TAC
Denmark	2278 <sup>(1)</sup>	2 888	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	261 <sup>(1)</sup>	331	<b><i>UK: notes greater expansion in recent years of hake in the NS and thus suggests a proportionately lower cut in the TAC.</i></b>
France	504 <sup>(1)</sup>	639	
The Netherlands	131 <sup>(1)</sup>	166	
United Kingdom	710 <sup>(1)</sup>	899	
Union	3940 <sup>(1)</sup>	4 994	
TAC	3940	4 994	
(1) Not more than 10 % of this quota may be used for by-catch in 3a (HKE/*03A.).			

Species:	Hake	Zone:	6 and 7; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14 (HKE/571214)
	<i>Merluccius merluccius</i>		
Belgium	582 <sup>(1)</sup>	733	Analytical TAC
Spain	18667	23 512	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
France	28827 <sup>(1)</sup>	36 310	<b><i>ES: can support COM proposal.</i></b>
Ireland	3493	4 400	
The Netherlands	376 <sup>(1)</sup>	473	
United Kingdom	11380 <sup>(1)</sup>	14 334	
Union	63325	79 762	<b><i>FR: up to 3% of the quota can be made of bycatches of boarfish, horse mackerel, blue whiting and mackerel. To limit high variations, request for application of Art. 4.5.c of the MAP.</i></b>
TAC	63325	79 762	<b><i>IE: accepts COM proposal. Concerns about the recording of such bycatches. Currently, the FIDES "other" code covers all possible bycatches and does not give specific stock details.</i></b>

(1) Transfers of this quota may be effected to Union waters of 2a and 4. However, such transfers shall be notified in advance to the Commission.



Special condition: within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones:

8a, 8b, 8d and 8e

(HKE/\*8ABDE)

Belgium	75	<b>95</b>
Spain	3012	<b>3 793</b>
France	3012	<b>3 793</b>
Ireland	376	<b>474</b>
The Netherlands	38	<b>47</b>
United Kingdom	1694	<b>2 134</b>
Union	8206	<b>10 336</b>

Species:	Hake <i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (HKE/8ABDE.)
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Belgium	19 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>23</b>	Analytical TAC
Spain	12995	<b>16 036</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
France	29183	<b>36 013</b>	<b><u>ES:</u> can support COM proposal</b>
The Netherlands	38 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>46</b>	<b><u>FR:</u> to limit high variations, request for application of article 4.5.c of the MAP</b>
Union	42235	<b>52 118</b>	
TAC	42235	<b>52 118</b>	

(1) Transfers of this quota may be effected to 4 and Union waters of 2a. However, such transfers shall be notified in advance to the Commission.

Special condition: within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones:

6 and 7;

Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14 (HKE/\*57-14)

Belgium	4	5
Spain	3764	4 645
France	6776	8 361
The Netherlands	11	14
Union	10555	13 025

Species:	Hake	Zone:	8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Merluccius merluccius</i>		(HKE/8C3411)

Spain	4739	5 924	Analytical TAC
France	455	569	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Portugal	2212	2 765	<b><i>ES: supports using the highest point of the upper-range (-3% instead of -20%)</i></b>
Union	7406	9 258	<b><i>PT: doesn't support COM proposal; would support a RO</i></b>
TAC	7406	9 258	

Species:	Blue whiting	Zone:	Norwegian waters of 2 and 4
	<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		(WHB/24-N.)

Denmark	pm	0	Analytical TAC
United Kingdom	pm	0	
Union	pm	0	
TAC	Not relevant	Not relevant	

Species:	Blue whiting	Zone:	Union and international waters of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8a, 8b, 8d, 8e, 12 and 14
<i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>		(WHB/1X14)	
Denmark	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	48 813	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	18 979	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Spain	pm <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	41 383	<b><i>ES: cannot support proposal until the results of Coastal States consultations are available</i></b>
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	33 970	
Ireland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	37 800	<b><i>UK: figure not yet agreed so should be taken out of the current proposal.</i></b>
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	59 522	
Portugal	pm <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	3 844	
Sweden	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	12 075	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	63 341	
Union	pm <sup>(1)(3)</sup>	319 727	
Norway	pm	99 900	
Faroe Islands	pm	10 000	
TAC	Not relevant	<b><i>Not relevant</i></b>	
(1)	Special condition: within a total access quantity of 22 500 tonnes for the Union, Member States may fish up to the following percentage of their quotas in Faroese waters (WHB/*05-F.): pm%		
(2)	Transfers of this quota may be effected to 8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1. However, such transfers shall be notified in advance to the Commission.		
(3)	Special condition: from the EU quotas in Union and international waters of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8a, 8b, 8d, 8e, 12 and 14 (WHB/*NZJM1) and in 8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 (WHB/*NZJM2), the following quantity may be fished in the Norwegian Economic Zone or in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen:		
Pm			

Species:	Blue whiting  <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>	Zone:	8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1  (WHB/8C3411)
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Spain	pm	<b>35 251</b>	Analytical TAC
Portugal	pm	<b>8 813</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>44 064</b>	<b><i>ES: cannot support proposal until the results of Coastal States consultations are available</i></b>

TAC Not relevant ***Not relevant***

(1) Special condition: from the EU quotas in Union and international waters of 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8a, 8b, 8d, 8e, 12 and 14 (WHB/\*NZJM1) and in 8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 (WHB/\*NZJM2), the following quantity may be fished in the Norwegian Economic Zone or in the fishery zone around Jan Mayen:

pm

Species:	Blue whiting  <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>	Zone:	Union waters of 2, 4a, 5, 6 north of 56° 30' N and 7 west of 12° W  (WHB/24A567)
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Norway	pm <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	<b>227 975</b>	Analytical TAC
Faroe Islands	pm <sup>(3) (4)</sup>	<b>22 500</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies

TAC Not relevant ***Not relevant***

(1) To be counted against Norway's catch limits established under the Coastal States arrangement.

(2) Special condition: the catch in 4a shall be no more than the following amount (WHB/\*04A-C):

pm

This catch limit in 4a amounts to the following percentage of Norway's access quota:

pm%

(3) To be counted against the catch limits of the Faroe Islands.

(4) Special conditions: may also be fished in 6b (WHB/\*06B-C). The catch in 4a shall be no more than the following amount (WHB/\*04A-C):

Species:	Lemon sole and witch flounder		Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4 (L/W/2AC4-C)
	<i>Microstomus kitt</i> and <i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>			
Belgium	302	427	Precautionary TAC	
Denmark	832	1 175	<b><u>UK:</u> COM suggested -29% whilst ICES advice was for a smaller cut of 25%.</b> <b><u>BE:</u> requests a roll-over for lemon sole and to follow the precautionary approach for witch.</b>	
Germany	107	151		
France	228	322		
The Netherlands	693	978		
Sweden	9	13		
United Kingdom	3 409	4 808		
Union	5 580	7 874		
TAC	5 580	7 874		

Species:	Blue ling		Zone:	Union and international waters of 5b, 6 and 7 (BLI/5B67-)
	<i>Molva dypterygia</i>			
Germany	pm	120	Analytical TAC	
Estonia	pm	18	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Spain	pm	377		
France	pm	8 599		
Ireland	pm	33		
Lithuania	pm	7		
Poland	pm	4		
United Kingdom	pm	2 187		
Others	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	33		

Union	pm	<b>11 387</b>
Norway	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>250</b>
Faroe Islands	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>150</b>

TAC

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- (1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.
- (2) To be fished in Union waters of 2a, 4, 5b, 6 and 7 (BLI/\*24X7C).
- (3) By-catches of roundnose grenadier and black scabbardfish to be counted against this quota. To be fished in Union waters of 6a north of 56° 30'N and 6b. This provision shall not apply for catches subject to the landing obligation.

Species:	Blue ling	Zone:	International waters of 12
	<i>Molva dypterygia</i>		(BLI/12INT-)
Estonia	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1</b>	Precautionary TAC
Spain	132 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>218</b>	
France	3 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>5</b>	<b><i>ES: supports COM proposal as minimum for bycatches is included</i></b>
Lithuania	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2</b>	
United Kingdom	1 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2</b>	
Others	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1</b>	
Union	137 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>229</b>	
TAC	137 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>229</b>	
(1)	Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.		

Species:	Blue ling	Zone:	Union and international waters of 2 and 4
	<i>Molva dypterygia</i>		(BLI/24-)
Denmark	2	4	Precautionary TAC
Germany	2	4	
Ireland	2	4	
France	15	23	
United Kingdom	9	14	
Others	2 <sup>(1)</sup>	4	
Union	32	53	
TAC	32	53	
(1)	Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.		

Species:	Blue ling		Zone:	Union and international waters of 3a
	<i>Molva dypterygia</i>			(BLI/03A-)
Denmark	2	<b>3</b>	Precautionary TAC	
Germany	1	<b>2</b>		
Sweden	2	<b>3</b>		
Union	5	<b>8</b>		
TAC	5	<b>8</b>		

Species:	Ling	Zone:	Union and international waters of 1 and 2
	<i>Molva molva</i>		(LIN/1/2.)

Denmark	8	<b>8</b>	Precautionary TAC
Germany	8	<b>8</b>	<b><i>FR: increase EU quota (117t) to ensure implementation of landing obligation (scientific advice allows for +19%)</i></b>
France	8	<b>8</b>	
United Kingdom	8	<b>8</b>	
Others	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>4</b>	
Union	36	<b>36</b>	
TAC	36	<b>36</b>	

(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

Species:	Ling	Zone:	Union waters of 3a
	<i>Molva molva</i>		(LIN/03A-C.)

Belgium	13	<b>13</b>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	93	<b>93</b>	<b><i>DK: scrutiny reservation</i></b>
Germany	13	<b>13</b>	
Sweden	38	<b>38</b>	
United Kingdom	13	<b>13</b>	
Union	170	<b>170</b>	
TAC	170	<b>170</b>	



Species:	Ling		Zone:	Union waters of 4
	<i>Molva molva</i>			(LIN/04-C.)
Belgium	26 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>26</b>	Precautionary TAC	
Denmark	404 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>404</b>		
Germany	250 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>250</b>		
France	225	<b>225</b>		
The Netherlands	9	<b>9</b>		
Sweden	17 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>17</b>		
United Kingdom	3 104 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>3 104</b>		
Union	4 035	<b>4 035</b>		
TAC	4 035	<b>4 035</b>		
(1)	Special condition: of which up to 25 % but no more than 75t may be fished in: Union waters of 3a (LIN/*03A-C).			

Species:	Ling		Zone:	Union and international waters of 5
	<i>Molva molva</i>			(LIN/05EI.)
Belgium	9	<b>9</b>	Precautionary TAC	
Denmark	6	<b>6</b>		
Germany	6	<b>6</b>		
France	6	<b>6</b>		
United Kingdom	6	<b>6</b>		
Union	33	<b>33</b>		
TAC	33	<b>33</b>		

Species:	Ling	Zone:	Union and international waters of 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 12 and 14
	<i>Molva molva</i>		(LIN/6X14.)

Belgium	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	46	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	8	<b><i>ES: could support the RO, pending arrangement with NO and FA-I.</i></b>
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	166	
Ireland	pm	898	<b><i>FR: request for last year's inter-area flexibility (35% can be caught in 4)</i></b>
Spain	pm	3 361	
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	3 583	<b><i>UK: asks why rollover of the TAC despite ICES advice for an increase of 5%. Also asks why Footnote 1 states flexibility as "pm" when a flexibility of 35% was agreed in principle in 2018. Other flexibility provisions have been rolled over, e.g. West of Scotland haddock to North Sea.</i></b>
Portugal	pm	8	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	4 126	
Union	pm	12 196	
Norway	pm <sup>(2)(3)(4)</sup>	8 000	
Faroe Islands	pm <sup>(5)(6)</sup>	200	

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(1) Special condition: of which up to pm % may be fished in: Union waters of 4 (LIN/\*04-C.).

(2) Special condition: of which an incidental catch of other species of pm % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in 5b, 6 and 7. 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 5b, 6 and 7 shall not exceed the amount below in tonnes (OTH/\*6X14.). By-catch of cod under this provision in area 6a may not be more than pm%.

pm

(3) Including tusk. The quotas for Norway shall only be fished with long-lines in 5b, 6 and 7, and they amount to:

Ling (LIN/*5B67-)	pm
Tusk (USK/*5B67-)	pm

(4) The ling and tusk quotas for Norway are interchangeable up to the following amount, in tonnes:

pm

(5) Including tusk. To be fished in 6b and 6a north of 56°30' N (LIN/\*6BAN.).

(6) Special condition: of which an incidental catch of other species of 20 % per ship, at any moment, is authorised in 6a and 6b. 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 6a and 6b shall not exceed the following amount in tonnes (OTH/\*6AB.):

Species:	Ling	Zone:	Norwegian waters of 4
	<i>Molva molva</i>		(LIN/04-N.)
Belgium	pm	9	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm	1 187	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Germany	pm	33	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	pm	13	
The Netherlands	pm	2	
United Kingdom	pm	106	
Union	pm	1 350	
TAC	Not relevant	<i>Not relevant</i>	
Species:	Norway lobster	Zone:	3a
	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>		(NEP/03A.)
Denmark	10 093	(1)	Analytical TAC
Germany	29	(1)	<i><b>SE: primarily caught in mixed fishery where cod is a bycatch. Take into account state of cod stocks in Skagerrak and Kattegat and restrict gear usage in order to decouple catches of Nephrops from cod.</b></i>
Sweden	3 611	(1)	
Union	13 733	(1)	
TAC	13 733		
(1) Union vessels allocated fishing opportunities for Norway lobster and using towed gears shall use either Seltra panel, as defined in Article 2(1) of Regulation (EU) 2018/2035 or a sorting grid with a maximum bar spacing of 35mm, as defined in Annex VI, Part B of Regulation (EU) 2019/1241. They shall use the gear ensuring that by-catches of cod do not exceed 1,5%.			

Species:	Norway lobster			Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>				(NEP/2AC4-C)
Belgium	1203	<b>1 156</b>		Analytical TAC	
Denmark	1203	<b>1 156</b>		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Germany	18	<b>17</b>		<b><u>UK: COM proposes a 4% TAC increase while ICES advice for a 11.5% increase.</u></b>	
France	35	<b>34</b>			
The Netherlands	619	<b>595</b>			
United Kingdom	19924	<b>19 145</b>			
Union	23002	<b>22 103</b>			
TAC	23 002	<b>22 103</b>			

Species:	Norway lobster			Zone:	Norwegian waters of 4
	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>				(NEP/04-N.)
Denmark	568	<b>568</b>		Analytical TAC	
Germany	0	<b>0</b>		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
United Kingdom	32	<b>32</b>		Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	600	<b>600</b>			
TAC	Not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>			

Species:	Norway lobster	Zone:	6; Union and international waters of 5b (NEP/5BC6.)
	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>		
Spain	32	<b>31</b>	Analytical TAC
France	129	<b>122</b>	
Ireland	215	<b>204</b>	
United Kingdom	15 523	<b>14 735</b>	
Union	15 899	<b>15 092</b>	
TAC	15 899	<b>15 092</b>	

Species:	Norway lobster	Zone:	7 (NEP/07.)
	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>		
Spain	1 009 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 187</b>	Analytical TAC
France	4 089 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>4 811</b>	
Ireland	6 201 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>7 296</b>	
United Kingdom	5 516 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>6 490</b>	
Union	16 815 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>19 784</b>	
TAC	16 815 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>19 784</b>	

<sup>(1)</sup> Special condition: within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zone:

Functional Unit 16 of ICES Subarea 7 (NEP/\*07U16):

Spain	pm	795	<b>798</b>
France	pm	498	<b>500</b>
Ireland	pm	957	<b>959</b>
United Kingdom	pm	387	<b>388</b>
Union	pm	2 637	<b>2 645</b>

Species:	Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>	Zone:	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (NEP/8ABDE.)
Spain	233	<b>233</b>	Analytical TAC
France	3653	<b>3 645</b>	<b><u>ES, FR:</u> can accept COM proposal</b>
Union	3886	<b>3 878</b>	
TAC	3 886	<b>3 878</b>	

Species:	Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>	Zone:	8c (NEP/08C.)
Spain	2,7 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2,7</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	0,0 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>0,0</b>	<b><u>ES:</u> asks for review of ICES advice on the basis of the last sentinel fishery, for a future reopening.</b>
Union	2,7 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2,7</b>	
TAC	2,7 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>2,7</b>	

(1) Exclusively for catches taken as part of a sentinel fishery to collect catch per unit effort (CPUE) data with vessels carrying observers on board:

2 tonnes in functional unit 25 during five trips per month in August and September;

0,7 tonnes in functional unit 31 during 7 days in July.

Species:	Norway lobster			Zo 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Nephrops norvegicus</i>			ne:  (NEP/9/3411)
Spain	97	(1)	<b>100</b>	Precautionary TAC
Portugal	289	(1)	<b>301</b>	<b><u>ES:</u> under review</b>
Union	386	(1)(2)	<b>401</b>	<b><u>PT:</u> would support a RO with a special restriction for FU30 of 77 t</b>
TAC	386	(1)(2)	<b>401</b>	
(1)	Of which no more than 6% may be taken in Functional Units 26 and 27 of ICES division 9a (NEP/*9U267).			
(2)	Within the limits of the abovementioned TAC, no more than the following amount may be taken in Functional Unit 30 of ICES division 9a (NEP/*9U30):			
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Species:	Northern prawn			Zo 3a
	<i>Pandalus borealis</i>			ne:  (PRA/03A.)
Denmark	pm		<b>1 497</b>	Analytical TAC
Sweden	pm		<b>807</b>	
Union	pm		<b>2 304</b>	
TAC	pm		<b>4 314</b>	

Species:	Northern prawn			Zo	Union waters of 2a and 4	
	<i>Pandalus borealis</i>			ne:	(PRA/2AC4-C)	
Denmark	pm	<i>1 163</i>	Precautionary TAC			
The Netherlands	pm	<i>11</i>				
Sweden	pm	<i>47</i>				
United Kingdom	pm	<i>345</i>				
Union	pm	<i>1 566</i>				
TAC	pm	<i>1 566</i>				

Species:	Northern prawn			Zo	Norwegian waters south of 62°N	
	<i>Pandalus borealis</i>			ne:	(PRA/04-N.)	
Denmark	200	<i>200</i>	Analytical TAC			
Sweden	123 <sup>(1)</sup>	<i>123</i>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply			
Union	323	<i>323</i>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply			
			<i><b>SE: the SE nabo-quota will be decided in the EU-NO negotiations, no value yet.</b></i>			
TAC	Not relevant	<i>Not relevant</i>				
(1)	By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack, whiting and saithe are to be counted against the quotas for these species.					

Species:	'Penaeus' shrimps			Zo	French Guiana waters	
	<i>Penaeus spp.</i>			ne:	(PEN/FGU.)	
France	to be established	<sup>(1)</sup>	<i>to be established</i>	Precautionary TAC		
Union	to be established	<sup>(1)(2)</sup>	<i>to be established</i>	Article 6 of this Regulation applies		
TAC	to be established	<sup>(1)(2)</sup>	<i>to be established</i>			



(1) Fishing for shrimps *Penaeus subtilis* and *Penaeus brasiliensis* is prohibited in waters less than 30 metres deep.

(2) Fixed at the same quantity as the quota of France.

Species: Plaice			Zo Skagerrak
<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>			ne: (PLE/03AN.)
Belgium	pm	<b>101</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>13 065</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	<b>67</b>	<b><u>SE</u>: scrutiny reserve top-down</b>
The Netherlands	pm	<b>2 513</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>700</b>	
Union	pm	<b>16 446</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>16 782</b>	

Species: Plaice			Zo Kattegat
<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>			ne: (PLE/03AS.)
Denmark	1 016	<b>1 517</b>	Analytical TAC
Germany	11	<b>17</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Sweden	114	<b>171</b>	<b><u>DK</u>: scrutiny reservation</b>
Union	1 141	<b>1 705</b>	<b><u>SE</u>: scrutiny reserve top-down</b>
TAC	1 141	<b>1 705</b>	

Species:	Plaice			Zo ne:	4; Union waters of 2a; that part of 3a not covered by the Skagerrak and the Kattegat  (PLE/2A3AX4)
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>				
Belgium		pm	<b>5 694</b>		Analytical TAC
Denmark		pm	<b>18 506</b>		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany		pm	<b>5 338</b>		
France		pm	<b>1 068</b>		
The Netherlands		pm	<b>35 589</b>		
United Kingdom		pm	<b>26 336</b>		
Union		pm	<b>92 531</b>		
Norway		pm	<b>8 780</b>		
TAC		pm	<b>125 435</b>		

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 4 (PLE/\*04N-)

Union	pm	<b>47 868</b>
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Species:	Plaice		Zo 6; Union and international waters of 5b; ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>		international waters of 12 and 14 (PLE/56-14)
France	18	<b>9</b>	Precautionary TAC
Ireland	240	<b>261</b>	
United Kingdom	400	<b>388</b>	
Union	658	<b>658</b>	
TAC	658	<b>658</b>	
Species:	Plaice		Zo 7a ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>		(PLE/07A.)
Belgium	143	<b>134</b>	Analytical TAC
France	62	<b>58</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Ireland	1 116	<b>1 499</b>	<b><i>COM: -9.3% includes calculations of high survivability .</i></b>
The Netherlands	43	<b>41</b>	
United Kingdom	1 426	<b>1 343</b>	
Union	2 790	<b>3 075</b>	
TAC	2 790	<b>3 075</b>	

Species:	Plaice		Zo 7b and 7c ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>		(PLE/7BC.)
France	15	<b>11</b>	Precautionary TAC
Ireland	59	<b>63</b>	
Union	74	<b>74</b>	
TAC	74	<b>74</b>	
Species:	Plaice		Zo 7d and 7e ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>		(PLE/7DE.)
Belgium	1 498	<b>1 694</b>	Analytical TAC
France	4 993	<b>5 648</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
United Kingdom	2 663	<b>3 012</b>	<b>COM:</b> - 11.6% with high survivability exemption
Union	9 154	<b>10 354</b>	<b>BE, FR:</b> uncertain about high survivability calculations. Calculations should be based on mortality rate of up to 50%.
TAC	9 154	<b>10 354</b>	<b>BE:</b> points out that the advice sheets for plaice 7d and plaice 7e contain the catch advice for the stock (based on genetic identity) and the area (the amount of plaice that is caught in that area, as there is migration of plaice between 7e and 7d). However, COM used the following numbers: 9073 = catch advice for plaice 7d stock; 2456 = catch advice for plaice in area 7e. --> combined catch advice for the two areas: 10687+2456=13143

Species:	Plaice			Zo 7f and 7g ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>			(PLE/7FG.)
Belgium	497	<b>378</b>		Precautionary TAC
France	898	<b>684</b>		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Ireland	138	<b>243</b>		<b><i>FR: can accept COM proposal but uncertain about high survivability calculations.</i></b>
United Kingdom	470	<b>357</b>		<b><i>BE, FR: Calculations should be based on moratlity rate of up to 50%.</i></b>
Union	2 003	<b>1 662</b>		
TAC	2 003	<b>1 662</b>		

Species:	Plaice			Zo 7h, 7j and 7k ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>			(PLE/7HJK.)
Belgium	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>7</b>		Precautionary TAC
France	8 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>14</b>		Article 8 of this Regulation applies
Ireland	30 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>47</b>		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
The Netherlands	17 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>27</b>		Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	8 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>14</b>		Article 15(9) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall not apply
Union	67 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>109</b>		<b><i>ES, FR: sensible approach is needed so that the open pool mecanism can work.</i></b>
TAC	67 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>109</b>		<b><i>FR: cannot support the argument of COM that the proposal reflects the current 2019 TAC uptake. Also, asks for 5% inter-area flexibility (from 7fg in 7h and from 7e in 7h).</i></b> <b><i>UK: set TAC that reflects the level of unavoidable bycatch. Reserves its position on the 2019 quota pool arrangements at this stage. Also supports a data enhancement programme to improve knowledge about the condition and distribution of the plaice stock in Area 7h.</i></b> <b><i>BE, IE: by-catch stock, very low TAC will lead to choke situation</i></b>

<sup>(1)</sup> Exclusively for by-catches of plaice in fisheries for other species. No directed fisheries for plaice are permitted under this quota. Union vessels allocated fishing opportunities from this TAC shall either be subject to at least 20 % observer coverage at sea or shall have operating CCTV monitoring systems in line with the provisions specified in Article 23(5) of Regulation 2019/1241.

Species:	Plaice			Zo 8, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 ne:
	<i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>			(PLE/8/3411)
Spain	53	<b>66</b>		Precautionary TAC
France	210	<b>263</b>		<b><u>ES</u>: can accept COM proposal</b>
Portugal	53	<b>66</b>		<b><u>PT</u>: no reason to reduce the TAC. COM should consider not fixing a TAC for this stock.</b>
Union	316	<b>395</b>		
TAC	316	<b>395</b>		
Species:	Pollack			Zo 6; Union and international waters of 5b; ne: international waters of 12 and 14
	<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>			(POL/56-14)
Spain	3	<b>6</b>		Precautionary TAC
France	114	<b>190</b>		<b><u>UK</u>: asks for rollover (instead of -40%), cannot support the “use it or lose it” approach as not consistent with trends observed in the stock.</b>
Ireland	34	<b>56</b>		
United Kingdom	87	<b>145</b>		<b><u>ES</u>: smaller TAC reduction is possible</b>
Union	238	<b>397</b>		
TAC	238	<b>397</b>		

Species:	Pollack	Zo	7
	<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>	ne:	(POL/07.)
Belgium	227 (1)	378	Precautionary TAC
Spain	14 (1)	23	<b><u>UK:</u></b> asks for rollover (instead of -40%), cannot support the “use it or lose it” approach as not consistent with trends observed in the stock.
France	5 227 (1)	8 712	
Ireland	557 (1)	929	
United Kingdom	1 273 (1)	2 121	<b><u>FR:</u></b> RO possible, asks for increase of inter-area flexibility up to 10%
Union	7 298 (1)	12 163	
			<b><u>IE:</u></b> would support a RO as justified based on ICES advice.
TAC	7 298	12 163	

(1) Special condition: of which up to 2 % may be fished in: 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e (POL/\*8ABDE).

Species:	Pollack	Zo	8a, 8b, 8d and 8e
	<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>	ne:	(POL/8ABDE.)
Spain	227	252	Precautionary TAC
France	1 107	1 230	<b><u>ES:</u></b> can accept COM proposal
Union	1 334	1 482	
TAC	1 334	1 482	

Species:	Pollack			Zo 8c ne:
	<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>			(POL/08C.)
Spain	187		<b>208</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	21		<b>23</b>	<b><i>ES: can accept COM proposal</i></b>
Union	208		<b>231</b>	
TAC	208		<b>231</b>	
Species:	Pollack			Zo 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 ne:
	<i>Pollachius pollachius</i>			(POL/9/3411)
Spain	246	(1)	<b>273</b>	Precautionary TAC
Portugal	8	(1)(2)	<b>9</b>	<b><i>ES: can accept COM proposal</i></b>
Union	254	(1)	<b>282</b>	
TAC	254	(2)	<b>282</b>	
(1)	Special condition: of which up to 5% may be fished in Union waters of 8c (POL/*08C.).			
(2)	In addition to this TAC, Portugal may fish quantities of pollack not exceeding 98 tonnes (POL/93411P).			



Species:	Saithe		Zo 3a and 4; Union waters of 2a
	<i>Pollachius virens</i>		ne: (POK/2C3A4)
Belgium	pm	33	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	3 865	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	9 759	<b><u>UK:</u> asks for flexibility at a level of 15% between area 6 and 4 and vice versa</b>
France	pm	22 967	
The Netherlands	pm	98	
Sweden	pm	531	
United Kingdom	pm	7 482	
Union	pm	44 735	
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	48 879	
TAC	pm	93 614	

(1) May only be taken in Union waters of 4 and in 3a (POK/\*3A4-C). Catches taken within this quota are to be deducted from Norway's share of the TAC.

Species:	Saithe		Zo 6; Union and international waters of 5b, 12 and
	<i>Pollachius virens</i>		ne: 14 (POK/56-14)
Germany	pm	468	Analytical TAC
France	pm	4 650	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Ireland	pm	418	<b><u>UK:</u> asks for flexibility at a level of 15% between area 6 and 4 and vice versa</b>
United Kingdom	pm	3 237	
Union	pm	8 773	<b><u>IE:</u> concerned about inter-area flexibility for vulnerable species.</b>
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	940	
TAC	pm	9 713	

(1) To be fished north of 56°30' N (POK/\*5614N).

Species:	Saithe	Zo	Norwegian waters south of 62°N
	<i>Pollachius virens</i>	ne:	(POK/04-N.)

Sweden	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>880</b>	Analytical TAC
Union	pm	<b>880</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
			Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	Not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>	

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

Species:	Saithe	Zo	7, 8, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Pollachius virens</i>	ne:	(POK/7/3411)

Belgium	8	<b>6</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	1 787	<b>1 245</b>	<b><u>FR</u>: can support COM proposal</b>
Ireland	894	<b>1 491</b>	
United Kingdom	487	<b>434</b>	
Union	3 176	<b>3 176</b>	
TAC	3 176	<b>3 176</b>	

Species:	Turbot and brill	Zo	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Psetta maxima</i> and	ne:	
	<i>Scophthalmus rhombus</i>		(T/B/2AC4-C)

Belgium	431	<b>596</b>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	921	<b>1 272</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	235	<b>325</b>	<b><i>BE, NL: should use precautionary approach given that this is the established approach for bycatch species.</i></b>
France	111	<b>153</b>	
The Netherlands	3 263	<b>4 513</b>	
Sweden	7	<b>9</b>	
United Kingdom	908	<b>1 254</b>	
Union	5 876	<b>8 122</b>	
TAC	5 876	<b>8 122</b>	

Species:	Skates and rays	Zo	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Rajiformes</i>	ne:	
			(SRX/2AC4-C)

Belgium	267	(1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>278</b>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	10	(1) (2) (3)	<b>11</b>	<b><i>BE, FR: +10% increase is possible.</i></b>  <b><i>UK: suggests that the current TAC can be maintained at its current level</i></b>
Germany	13	(1) (2) (3)	<b>14</b>	
France	42	(1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>44</b>	
The Netherlands	228	(1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>237</b>	
United Kingdom	1028	(1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>1 070</b>	
Union	1588	(1) (3)	<b>1 654</b>	
TAC	1588	(3)	<b>1 654</b>	

(1) Catches of blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) in Union waters of 4 (RJH/04-C.), cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/2AC4-C), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/2AC4-C) and spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/2AC4-C) shall be reported separately.

(2) By-catch quota. These species shall not comprise more than 25 % by live weight of the catch retained on board per fishing trip. This condition applies only to vessels over 15 metres' length overall. This provision shall not apply for catches subject to the landing obligation as set out in Article 15(1) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013.

- (3) Shall not apply to blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) in Union waters of 2a and small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*) in Union waters of 2a and 4. When accidentally caught, these species shall not be harmed. Specimens shall be promptly released. Fishermen shall be encouraged to develop and use techniques and equipment to facilitate the rapid and safe release of the species.
- (4) Special condition: of which up to 10 % may be fished in Union waters of 7d (SRX/\*07D2.), without prejudice to the prohibitions set out in Articles 14 and 49 of this Regulation for the areas specified therein. Catches of blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/\*07D2.), cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/\*07D2.), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/\*07D2.) and spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/\*07D2.) shall be reported separately. This special condition shall not apply to small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*) and undulate ray (*Raja undulata*).

Species: Skates and rays			Zo ne: Union waters of 3a
<i>Rajiformes</i>			(SRX/03A-C.)
Denmark	37 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>37</b>	Precautionary TAC
Sweden	10 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>10</b>	
Union	47 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>47</b>	
TAC	47	<b>47</b>	

(1) Catches of cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/03A-C.), blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/03A-C.) and spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/03A-C.) shall be reported separately.

Species: Skates and rays			Zo ne: Union waters of 6a, 6b, 7a-c and 7e-k
<i>Rajiformes</i>			(SRX/67AKXD)
Belgium	920 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>920</b>	Precautionary TAC
Estonia	5 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>5</b>	<b><u>ES,FR and IE:</u> can accept COM proposal for RO</b>
France	4127 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>4 127</b>	
Germany	12 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>12</b>	
Ireland	1329 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>1 329</b>	
Lithuania	21 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>21</b>	
The Netherlands	4 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>4</b>	
Portugal	23 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>23</b>	
Spain	1111 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>1 111</b>	
United Kingdom	2632 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>2 632</b>	
Union	10184 (1) (2) (3)(4)	<b>10 184</b>	

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- (1) Catches of cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/67AKXD), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/67AKXD), blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/67AKXD), spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/67AKXD), sandy ray (*Raja circularis*) (RJI/67AKXD) and shagreen ray (*Raja fullonica*) (RJF/67AKXD) shall be reported separately.
- (2) Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in Union waters of 7d (SRX/\*07D.), without prejudice to the prohibitions set out in Articles 14 and 49 of this Regulation for the areas specified therein. Catches of cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/\*07D.), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/\*07D.), blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/\*07D.), spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/\*07D.), sandy ray (*Raja circularis*) (RJI/\*07D.) and shagreen ray (*Raja fullonica*) (RJF/\*07D.) shall be reported separately. This special condition shall not apply to small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*) and undulate ray (*Raja undulata*).
- (3) Shall not apply to small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*), except in Union waters of 7f and 7g. When accidentally caught, this species shall not be harmed. Specimens shall be promptly released. Fishermen shall be encouraged to develop and use techniques and equipment to facilitate the rapid and safe release of the species. Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities of small-eyed ray in Union waters of 7f and 7g (RJE/7FG.) provided below may be taken:

Species:	Small-eyed ray		Zone:	Union waters of 7f and 7g (RJE/7FG.)
	<i>Raja microocellata</i>			
Belgium	17	<b>17</b>	Precautionary TAC	
Estonia	0	<b>0</b>		
France	79	<b>79</b>		
Germany	0	<b>0</b>		
Ireland	25	<b>25</b>		
Lithuania	0	<b>0</b>		
The Netherlands	0	<b>0</b>		
Portugal	0	<b>0</b>		
Spain	21	<b>21</b>		
United Kingdom	50	<b>50</b>		
Union	192	<b>192</b>		
TAC	192	<b>192</b>		

Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in Union waters of 7d and reported under the following code: (RJE/\*07D.). This special condition is without prejudice to the prohibitions set out in Articles 14 and 49 of this Regulation for the areas specified therein.

(4) Shall not apply to undulate ray (*Raja undulata*).

Species:	Skates and rays	Zo	Union waters of 7d
	<i>Rajiformes</i>	ne:	(SRX/07D.)

Belgium	113	(1) (2) (3) (4)	126	Precautionary TAC
France	943	(1) (2) (3) (4)	1 060	<b><i>BE, FR: -20% precautionary decrease is not justified. Request +10%.</i></b>
The Netherlands	6	(1) (2) (3) (4)	7	
United Kingdom	188	(1) (2) (3) (4)	211	<b><i>UK: suggests that the current TAC can be maintained at its current level</i></b>
Union	1250	(1) (2) (3) (4)	1 404	

TAC 1250 (4) 1 404

(1) Catches of cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/07D.), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/07D.), blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/07D.), spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/07D.) and small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*) (RJE/07D.) shall be reported separately.

(2) Special condition: of which up to 5 % may be fished in Union waters of 6a, 6b, 7a-c and 7e-k (SRX/\*67AKD). Catches of cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/\*67AKD), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/\*67AKD), blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/\*67AKD) and spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/\*67AKD) shall be reported separately. This special condition shall not apply to small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*) and to undulate ray (*Raja undulata*).

(3) Special condition: of which up to 10 % may be fished in Union waters of 2a and 4 (SRX/\*2AC4C). Catches of blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) in Union waters of 4 (RJH/\*04-C.), cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/\*2AC4C), thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/\*2AC4C) and spotted ray (*Raja montagui*) (RJM/\*2AC4C) shall be reported separately. This special condition shall not apply to small-eyed ray (*Raja microocellata*).

(4) Shall not apply to undulate ray (*Raja undulata*).

Species:	Undulate ray			Zo ne:	Union waters of 7d and 7e (RJU/7DE.)
	<i>Raja undulata</i>				
	Belgium	21	(1)	<b>21</b>	Precautionary TAC
	Estonia	0	(1)	<b>0</b>	<b><i>FR: suggests using discard rate of 80%, which would mean landings of 425t</i></b>
	France	103	(1)	<b>103</b>	
	Germany	0	(1)	<b>0</b>	
	Ireland	27	(1)	<b>27</b>	
	Lithuania	0	(1)	<b>0</b>	
	The Netherlands	0	(1)	<b>0</b>	
	Portugal	0	(1)	<b>0</b>	
	Spain	23	(1)	<b>23</b>	
	United Kingdom	58	(1)	<b>58</b>	
	Union	234	(1)	<b>234</b>	
	TAC	234	(1)	<b>234</b>	

(1) This species shall not be targeted in the areas covered by this TAC. This species may only be landed whole or gutted. The former provisions are without prejudice to the prohibitions set out in Articles 14 and 49 of this Regulation for the areas specified therein.

Species:	Skates and rays			Zo ne:	Union waters of 8 and 9 (SRX/89-C.)
	<i>Rajiformes</i>				
	Belgium	10	(1)(2)	<b>10</b>	Precautionary TAC
	France	1805	(1)(2)	<b>1 805</b>	<b><i>ES, FR, PT: support COM proposal (RO)</i></b>
	Portugal	1463	(1)(2)	<b>1 463</b>	
	Spain	1471	(1)(2)	<b>1 471</b>	
	United Kingdom	10	(1)(2)	<b>10</b>	
	Union	4759	(1)(2)	<b>4 759</b>	
	TAC	4759	(2)	<b>4 759</b>	

(1) Catches of cuckoo ray (*Leucoraja naevus*) (RJN/89-C.), blonde ray (*Raja brachyura*) (RJH/89-C.) and thornback ray (*Raja clavata*) (RJC/89-C.) shall be reported separately.

(2)

Shall not apply to undulate ray (*Raja undulata*). This species shall not be targeted in the areas covered by this TAC. In cases where it is not subject to the landing obligation, by-catch of undulate ray in subareas 8 and 9 may only be landed whole or gutted. The catches shall remain under the quotas shown in the table below. The above provisions are without prejudice to the prohibitions set out in Articles 14 and 49 of this Regulation for the areas specified therein. By-catches of undulate ray shall be reported separately under the codes indicated in the tables below. Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities of undulate ray given below may be taken:

Species:	Undulate ray	Zo	Union waters of 8
	<i>Raja undulata</i>	ne:	(RJU/8-C.)
Belgium	0	<b>0</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	13	<b>13</b>	<p><b><i>PT: request for an increase in the quota to carry out scientific data collection.</i></b></p> <p><b><i>ER: Suggests using discard rate of 80%, which would mean landings of 40t in zone 8. Also, supports autonomous quota for area 8ab.</i></b></p>
Portugal	10	<b>10</b>	
Spain	10	<b>10</b>	
United Kingdom	0	<b>0</b>	
Union	33	<b>33</b>	
TAC	33	<b>33</b>	
Species:	Undulate ray	Zo	Union waters of 9
	<i>Raja undulata</i>	ne:	(RJU/9-C.)
Belgium	0	<b>0</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	20	<b>20</b>	
Portugal	15	<b>15</b>	
Spain	15	<b>15</b>	
United Kingdom	0	<b>0</b>	
Union	50	<b>50</b>	
TAC	50	<b>50</b>	



Species:	Greenland halibut		Zo Union waters of 2a and 4; Union and ne: international waters of 5b and 6
	<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>		(GHL/2A-C46)
Denmark	pm	<i>14</i>	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	<i>25</i>	
Estonia	pm	<i>14</i>	
Spain	pm	<i>14</i>	
France	pm	<i>231</i>	
Ireland	pm	<i>14</i>	
Lithuania	pm	<i>14</i>	
Poland	pm	<i>14</i>	
United Kingdom	pm	<i>910</i>	
Union	pm	<i>1 250</i>	
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<i>1 250</i>	
TAC	pm	<i>2 500</i>	
(1)	To be taken in Union waters of 2a and 6. In 6 this quantity may only be fished with long-lines (GHL/*2A6-C).		

Species:	Mackerel		Zo	3a and 4; Union waters of 2a, 3b, 3c and	
	<i>Scomber scombrus</i>		ne:	Subdivisions 22-32	
				(MAC/2A34.)	
Belgium	pm	(1)(2)	<b>423</b>	Analytical TAC	
Denmark	pm	(1)(2)	<b>14 480</b>		
Germany	pm	(1)(2)	<b>441</b>		
France	pm	(1)(2)	<b>1 333</b>		
The Netherlands	pm	(1)(2)	<b>1 342</b>		
Sweden	pm	(1) (2)(3)	<b>4 034</b>		
United Kingdom	pm	(1)(2)	<b>1243</b>		
Union	pm	(1)(2)	<b>23 296</b>		
Norway	pm	(4)	<b>135 398</b>		
TAC	pm		<b>653 438</b>		

(1) Within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may also be taken in the two following zones:

Norwegian waters of 2a (MAC/*02AN-)			Faroese waters (MAC/*FRO1)		
Belgium	pm	<b>57</b>	pm	<b>58</b>	
Denmark	pm	<b>1 954</b>	pm	<b>1 988</b>	
Germany	pm	<b>60</b>	pm	<b>61</b>	
France	pm	<b>180</b>	pm	<b>183</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>181</b>	pm	<b>184</b>	
Sweden	pm	<b>545</b>	pm	<b>554</b>	
United Kingdom	pm	<b>168</b>	pm	<b>171</b>	
Union	pm	<b>3 145</b>	pm	<b>3 199</b>	

(2) May also be taken in Norwegian waters of 4a (MAC/\*4AN.).



Species: Mackerel			Zone: 6, 7, 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 2a, 12 and 14
<i>Scomber scombrus</i>			(MAC/2CX14-)
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>16 594</b>	Analytical TAC  <b><i>ES, FR: pending figures from Coastal States, welcome TAC increase</i></b>
Spain	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>18</b>	
Estonia	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>138</b>	
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>11 064</b>	
Ireland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>55 313</b>	
Latvia	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>102</b>	
Lithuania	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>102</b>	
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>24 199</b>	
Poland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 168</b>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>152 115</b>	
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>260 813</b>	
Norway	pm <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	<b>11 687</b>	
Faroe Islands	pm <sup>(4)</sup>	<b>24 690</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>653 438</b>	
(1)	Special condition: of which up to 25 % can be made available for exchanges to be fished by Spain, France and Portugal in 8c, 9 and 10 and Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1 (MAC/*8C910).		
(2)	May be fished in 2a, 6a north of 56° 30' N, 4a, 7d, 7e, 7f and 7h (MAC/*AX7H).		
(3)	The following additional amount of access quota, in tonnes, may be fished by Norway North of 56°30' N and counted against its catch limit (MAC/*N5630):		
	pm		
(4)	This amount shall be deducted from the Faroe Islands' catch limit (access quota). It may be fished only in 6a north of 56° 30' N (MAC/*6AN56). However, from 1 January to 15 February and from 1 October to 31 December this quota may also be fished in 2a, 4a north of 59°(EU zone) (MAC/*24N59).		

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:

Union waters of 2a; Union and Norwegian waters of 4a. During the periods from 1 January to 15 February and from 1 September to 31 December				Norwegian waters of 2a			Faroese waters	
(MAC/*4A-EN)				(MAC/*2AN-)			(MAC/*FRO2)	
Germany	pm	<b>10 015</b>		pm	<b>1 352</b>		pm	<b>1 375</b>
France	pm	<b>6 677</b>		pm	<b>900</b>		pm	<b>917</b>
Ireland	pm	<b>33 383</b>		pm	<b>4 507</b>		pm	<b>4 585</b>
The Netherlands	pm	<b>14 605</b>		pm	<b>1 971</b>		pm	<b>2 006</b>
United Kingdom	pm	<b>91 808</b>		pm	<b>12 395</b>		pm	<b>12 608</b>
Union	pm	<b>156 488</b>		pm	<b>21 125</b>		pm	<b>21 491</b>

Species:	Mackerel	Zone:	8c, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Scomber scombrus</i>		(MAC/8C3411)

Spain	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>24 597</b>	Analytical TAC
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>163</b>	<b><i>ES: pending figures from Coastal States, welcome TAC increase</i></b>
Portugal	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>5 084</b>	
Union	pm	<b>29 844</b>	
TAC	pm	<b>653 438</b>	

(1) Special condition: quantities subject to exchanges with other Member States may be taken in 8a, 8b and 8d (MAC/\*8ABD.). However, the quantities provided by Spain, Portugal or France for exchange purposes and to be taken in 8a, 8b and 8d 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:

8b (MAC/\*08B.)

Spain	pm	<b>2 066</b>
France	pm	<b>14</b>
Portugal	pm	<b>427</b>

Species:	Mackerel	Zone:	Norwegian waters of 2a and 4a
	<i>Scomber scombrus</i>		(MAC/2A4A-N)
Denmark	pm	10 242	Analytical TAC
Union	pm	10 242	
TAC	Not relevant		
Species:	Common sole	Zone:	3a; Union waters of Subdivisions 22-24
	<i>Solea solea</i>		(SOL/3ABC24)
Denmark	447	421	Analytical TAC
Germany	26 <sup>(1)</sup>	24	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
The Netherlands	43 <sup>(1)</sup>	41	<b><u>SE</u>: scrutiny reservation top-down</b>
Sweden	17	16	
Union	533	502	
TAC	533	502	
(1)	Quota may be fished in Union waters of 3a, Subdivisions 22-24 only.		

Species:	Common sole	Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Solea solea</i>		(SOL/24-C.)

Belgium	pm	<b>1 045</b>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm	<b>478</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
Germany	pm	<b>836</b>	
France	pm	<b>209</b>	
The Netherlands	pm	<b>9 439</b>	
United Kingdom	pm	<b>538</b>	
Union	pm	<b>12 545</b>	
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>10<sup>(1)</sup></b>	

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(1) May be fished only in Union waters of 4 (SOL/\*04-C.).

Species:	Common sole	Zone:	6; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14
	<i>Solea solea</i>		(SOL/56-14)

Ireland	46	<b>46</b>	Precautionary TAC
United Kingdom	11	<b>11</b>	
Union	57	<b>57</b>	
TAC	57	<b>57</b>	

Species:	Common sole		Zone:	7a
	<i>Solea solea</i>			(SOL/07A.)
Belgium	226	<b>192</b>	Analytical TAC	
France	3	<b>2</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Ireland	56	<b>74</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
The Netherlands	71	<b>60</b>	<b><i>UK: notes a proposed increase in TAC of only 10% following ICES advice equivalent to a 36% increase.</i></b>	
United Kingdom	101	<b>86</b>		
Union	457	<b>414</b>	<b><i>BE, UK: Ask sight of the COM calculations on de minimis deductions.</i></b>	
TAC	457	<b>414</b>		
Species:	Common sole		Zone:	7b and 7c
	<i>Solea solea</i>			(SOL/7BC.)
France	7	<b>6</b>	Precautionary TAC	
Ireland	35	<b>36</b>		
Union	42	<b>42</b>		
TAC	42	<b>42</b>		



Species:	Common sole	Zone:	7d
	<i>Solea solea</i>		(SOL/07D.)
Belgium	753	<b>677</b>	Precautionary TAC
France	1506	<b>1 354</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
United Kingdom	538	<b>484</b>	
Union	2 846	<b>2 515</b>	
			<b><i>FR: supports COM proposal but notes the socio-economic difficulties</i></b>
TAC	2 797	<b>2 515</b>	
Species:	Common sole	Zone:	7e
	<i>Solea solea</i>		(SOL/07E.)
Belgium	52	<b>44</b>	Analytical TAC
France	556	<b>468</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
United Kingdom	870	<b>730</b>	
Union	1 478	<b>1 242</b>	
			<b><i>FR: supports COM proposal but notes the socio-economic difficulties</i></b>
TAC	1 478	<b>1 242</b>	

Species:	Common sole		Zone:	7f and 7g
	<i>Solea solea</i>			(SOL/7FG.)
Belgium	1032	<b>525</b>	Analytical TAC	
France	103	<b>53</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Ireland	52	<b>26</b>	<b><u>FR and IE:</u> can support COM proposal</b>	
United Kingdom	465	<b>237</b>		
Union	1 652	<b>841</b>		
TAC	1 652	<b>841</b>		
Species:	Common sole		Zone:	7h, 7j and 7k
	<i>Solea solea</i>			(SOL/7HJK.)
Belgium	18	<b>32</b>	Precautionary TAC	
France	36	<b>64</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Ireland	95	<b>171</b>	<b><u>BE, FR:</u> cannot support -44% decrease.</b>	
The Netherlands	28	<b>51</b>	<b><u>BE:</u> such a decrease would seriously increase a choke risk.</b>	
United Kingdom	36	<b>64</b>		
Union	213	<b>382</b>	<b><u>UK:</u> if a -44% cut in the TAC is applied, further improvements to selectivity are needed to avoid unwanted catches of sole given the choke risk for fisheries for anglerfish and megrim. Supports a data enhancement programme to improve knowledge about the condition and distribution of the stock.</b>	
TAC	213	<b>382</b>		

Species:	Common sole			Zone:	8a and 8b
	<i>Solea solea</i>				(SOL/8AB.)
Belgium		45	<b>48</b>		Analytical TAC
Spain		8	<b>9</b>		Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies
France		3 361	<b>3 549</b>		<b><u>ES</u>: can support COM proposal, although possible to use the upper-range without negative effect on biomass</b>
The Netherlands		252	<b>266</b>		
Union		3 666	<b>3 872</b>		<b><u>FR</u>: take note of COM proposal</b>
TAC		3 666	<b>3 872</b>		
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Species:	Sole			Zone:	8c, 8d, 8e, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1
	<i>Solea spp.</i>				(SOO/8CDE34)
Spain		242	<b>403</b>		Precautionary TAC
Portugal		401	<b>669</b>		<b><u>ES</u>: cannot accept -40%, request for smaller reduction</b>
Union		643	<b>1 072</b>		<b><u>PT</u>: request for the stock unit to be limited to common sole (<i>Solea solea</i>) following ICES advice. No sense to have a TAC for more than ones species without evaluation. Moreover, shouldn't be more than -20% reduction.</b>
TAC		643	<b>1 072</b>		

Species:	Sprat and associated by-catches	Zone:	3a
	<i>Sprattus sprattus</i>		(SPR/03A.)

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Species:	Sprat and associated by-catches	Zone:	Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Sprattus sprattus</i>		(SPR/2AC4-C)

(1) The quota may only be fished from 1 July 2020 to 30 June 2021.

- (2) Up to 2 % of the quota may consist of by-catches of whiting (OTH/ \*2AC4C). By-catches of whiting counted against the quota pursuant to this provision and by-catches of species counted against the quota pursuant to Article 15(8) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall, together, not exceed 9% of the quota.
- (3) Including sandeel.
- (4) May contain up to 4% of by-catch of herring.

Species:	Sprat	Zone:	7d and 7e
	<i>Sprattus sprattus</i>		(SPR/7DE.)
Belgium	8	<b>13</b>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	489	<b>857</b>	<b><i>DK: data poor stock, so why has COM proposed more than - 20% ?</i></b>
Germany	8	<b>13</b>	<b><i>UK: cannot support the “use it or lose it” approach as not consistent with trends observed in the stock.</i></b>
France	105	<b>185</b>	
The Netherlands	105	<b>185</b>	
United Kingdom	791	<b>1 384</b>	
Union	1 506	<b>2 637</b>	
TAC	1 506	<b>2 637</b>	

Species:	Picked dogfish	Zone:	Union and international waters of 1, 5, 6, 7, 8, 12 and 14
	<i>Squalus acanthias</i>		(DGS/15X14)
Belgium	20 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>20</b>	Precautionary TAC
Germany	4 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>4</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Spain	10 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>10</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	83 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>83</b>	.
Ireland	53 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>53</b>	
The Netherlands	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>0</b>	
Portugal	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>0</b>	
United Kingdom	100 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>100</b>	
Union	270 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>270</b>	

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Picked dogfish shall not be targeted in the areas covered by this TAC. When accidentally caught in fisheries where picked dogfish is not subject to the landing obligation, specimens shall not be harmed and shall be released immediately, as required by Articles 14 and 49 of this Regulation. By derogation from Article 14, a vessel engaged in the by-catch avoidance programme that has been positively assessed by the STECF may land not more than 2 tonnes per month of picked dogfish that is dead at the moment when the fishing gear is hauled on board. Member States participating in the by-catch avoidance programme shall ensure that the total annual landings of picked dogfish on the basis of this derogation do not exceed the above amounts. They shall communicate the list of participating vessels to the Commission before allowing any landings. Member States shall exchange information about avoidance areas.

Species:	Horse mackerel and associated by-catches	Zone:	Union waters of 4b, 4c and 7d
	<i>Trachurus spp.</i>		(JAX/4BC7D)
Belgium	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>14</b>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>5 985</b>	
Germany	pm <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	<b>529</b>	
Spain	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>111</b>	
France	pm <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	<b>497</b>	
Ireland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>376</b>	
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	<b>3 604</b>	
Portugal	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>13</b>	
Sweden	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>75</b>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	<b>1 425</b>	
Union	pm	<b>12 629</b>	
Norway	pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>2 550</b>	

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(1)

Up to 5 % of the quota may consist of by-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel (OTH/\*4BC7D). By-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel counted against the quota pursuant to this provision and by-catches of species counted against the quota pursuant to Article 15(8) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall, together, not exceed 9% of the quota.

(2)

Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota fished in division 7d may be accounted for as fished under the quota concerning the following zone: Union waters of 2a, 4a, 6, 7a-c, 7e-k, 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14 (JAX/\*2A-14).

(3)

May be fished in Union waters of 4a but may not be fished in Union waters of 7d (JAX/\*04-C.).

Species: Horse mackerel and associated by-catches			Zone: Union waters of 2a, 4a; 6, 7a-c, 7e-k, 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14
<i>Trachurus spp.</i>			(JAX/2A-14)
Denmark	pm (1) (3)	11 662	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm (1) (2) (3)	9 100	<b><i>ES: cannot support the proposal (-40%). Asks for smaller reduction in line with the other scenarios proposed by ICES</i></b>
Spain	pm (3) (5)	12 412	
France	pm (1) (2) (3) (5)	4 684	
Ireland	pm (1) (3)	30 306	<b><i>FR: could support -20% instead</i></b>
The Netherlands	pm (1) (2) (3)	36 509	
Portugal	pm (3) (5)	1 196	
Sweden	pm (1) (3)	675	
United Kingdom	pm (1) (2) (3)	10 974	
Union	pm (3)	117 518	
Faroe Islands	pm (4)	1 600	
TAC	70 617	119 118	
(1)	Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota fished in Union waters of 2a or 4a before 30 June may be accounted for as fished under the quota concerning the zone of Union waters of 4b, 4c and 7d (JAX/*4BC7D).		
(2)	Special condition: up to 5 % of this quota may be fished in 7d (JAX/*07D.). Under this special condition, and in accordance with footnote (3), by-catches of boarfish and whiting shall be reported separately under the following code: (OTH/*07D.).		
(3)	Up to 5 % of the quota may consist of by-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel (OTH/*2A-14). By-catches of boarfish, haddock, whiting and mackerel counted against the quota pursuant to this provision and by-catches of species counted against the quota pursuant to Article 15(8) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall, together, not exceed 9% of the quota.		
(4)	Limited to 4a, 6a (north of 56° 30' N only), 7e, 7f, 7h.		
(5)	Special condition: up to 50% of this quota may be fished in 8c (JAX/*08C2). Under this special condition, and in accordance with footnote (3), by-catches of boarfish and whiting shall be reported separately under the following code: (OTH/*08C2).		

Species:	Horse mackerel		Zone:	8c
	<i>Trachurus spp.</i>			(JAX/08C.)
Spain	10 015 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>16 895</b>	Analytical TAC	
France	174	<b>293</b>	<b><i>ES: cannot support the proposal (-40%). Asks for smaller reduction in line with the other scenarios proposed by ICES</i></b>	
Portugal	990 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>1 670</b>		
Union	11 179	<b>18 858</b>	<b><i>PT: serious reservations about the reductions</i></b>	
TAC	11 179	<b>18 858</b>		
(1)	Special condition: up to 10 % of this quota may be fished in 9 (JAX/*09.).			

Species:	Horse mackerel		Zone:	9
	<i>Trachurus spp.</i>			(JAX/09.)
Spain	12 072 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>24 324</b>	Analytical TAC	
Portugal	34 587 <sup>(1)</sup>	<b>69 693</b>	Article 7(2) of this Regulation applies	
Union	46 659	<b>94 017</b>	<b><i>ES, PT: cannot support COM proposal which is a factual error and wrongly uses LTMS developed by PELAC. Should follow scientific advice, which allows for +24%.</i></b>	
TAC	46 659	<b>94 017</b>		
(1)	Special condition: up to 10 % of this quota may be fished in 8c (JAX/*08C.).			

Species:	Horse mackerel		Zone:	10; Union waters of CECAF <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Trachurus spp.</i>			(JAX/X34PRT)
Portugal	To be established	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Precautionary TAC	
Union	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Article 6 of this Regulation applies	
TAC	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>		
(1)	Waters adjacent to the Azores.			
(2)	Fixed at the same quantity as the quota of Portugal.			



Species:	Horse mackerel	Zone:	Union waters of CECAF <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Trachurus spp.</i>		(JAX/341PRT)
Portugal	To be established	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Precautionary TAC
Union	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Article 6 of this Regulation applies
TAC	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	
(1)	Waters adjacent to Madeira.		
(2)	Fixed at the same quantity as the quota of Portugal.		
Species:	Horse mackerel	Zone:	Union waters of CECAF <sup>(1)</sup>
	<i>Trachurus spp.</i>		(JAX/341SPN)
Spain	To be established	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Precautionary TAC
Union	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	Article 6 of this Regulation applies
TAC	To be established <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>To be established</i></b>	
(1)	Waters adjacent to the Canary Islands.		
(2)	Fixed at the same quantity as the quota of Spain.		

Species:	Norway pout and associated by-catches				Zone:	3a; Union waters of 2a and 4
	<i>Trisopterus esmarkii</i>					(NOP/2A3A4.)
Year	2019			2020		
Denmark	pm	<sup>(1)(3)</sup>	<b>85 186</b>	pm	<sup>(1)(6)</sup>	<b>54 949</b> Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	<sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>	<b>16</b>	pm	<sup>(1)(2)(6)</sup>	<b>11</b> Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
The Netherlands	pm	<sup>(1)(2)(3)</sup>	<b>63</b>	pm	<sup>(1)(2)(6)</sup>	<b>40</b> Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	<sup>(1)(3)</sup>	<b>85 265</b>	pm	<sup>(1)(6)</sup>	<b>55 000</b>
Norway	pm	<sup>(4)</sup>	<b>15 000</b>	pm	<sup>(4)</sup>	<b>14 500</b>
Faroe Islands	pm	<sup>(5)</sup>	<b>6 000</b>	pm	<sup>(5)</sup>	<b>5 000</b>
TAC	Not relevant		<b>Not relevant</b>	Not relevant		<b>Not relevant</b>
(1)	Up to 5 % of the quota may consist of by-catches of haddock and whiting (OT2/*2A3A4). By-catches of haddock and whiting counted against the quota pursuant to this provision and by-catches of species counted against the quota pursuant to Article 15(8) of Regulation (EU) No 1380/2013 shall, together, not exceed 9% of the quota.					
(2)	Quota may be fished in Union waters of ICES zones 2a, 3a and 4 only.					
(3)	Union quota may only be fished from 1 November 2018 to 31 October 2019.					
(4)	A sorting grid shall be used.					
(5)	A sorting grid shall be used. Includes a maximum of 15 % of unavoidable by-catches (NOP/*2A3A4), to be counted against this quota.					
(6)	Union quota may only be fished from 1 November 2019 to 31 October 2020.					

Species:	Industrial fish	Zone:	Norwegian waters of 4 (I/F/04-N.)
Sweden	pm <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	800	Precautionary TAC
Union	pm	800	
TAC	Not relevant		
(1)	By-catches of cod, haddock, pollack, whiting and saithe to be counted against the quotas for these species.		
(2)	Special condition: of which no more than the following amount of horse mackerel (JAX/*04-N.):		
	pm		
Species:	Other species	Zone:	Union waters of 5b, 6 and 7 (OTH/5B67-C)
Union	Not relevant	Not relevant	Precautionary TAC
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	280	
TAC	Not relevant	Not relevant	
(1)	Taken with long-lines only.		

Species:	Other species		Zone:	Norwegian waters of 4 (OTH/04-N.)
Belgium		pm	<b>60</b>	Precautionary TAC
Denmark		pm	<b>5 500</b>	
Germany		pm	<b>620</b>	
France		pm	<b>255</b>	
The Netherlands		pm	<b>440</b>	
Sweden	Not relevant <sup>(1)</sup>		<b>Not relevant</b>	
United Kingdom		pm	<b>4 125</b>	
Union		pm <sup>(2)</sup>	<b>11 000</b>	
TAC		Not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>	
(1)	Quota allocated by Norway to Sweden of "other species" at a traditional level.			
(2)	Including fisheries not specifically mentioned. Exceptions may be introduced after consultations, as appropriate.			

Species:	Other species		Zone:	Union waters of 2a, 4 and 6a north of 56° 30' N (OTH/2A46AN)
Union		not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>	Precautionary TAC
Norway		pm <sup>(1) (2)</sup>	<b>6 750</b>	
Faroe Islands		pm <sup>(3)</sup>	<b>150</b>	
TAC		Not relevant	<b>Not relevant</b>	
(1)	Limited to 2a and 4 (OTH/*2A4-C).			
(2)	Including fisheries not specifically mentioned. Exceptions may be introduced after consultations, as appropriate.			
(3)	To be fished in 4 and 6a north of 56°30' N (OTH/*46AN).			

## Appendix

The TACs referred to in Article 8(4) are the following:

For Belgium: common sole in 7a; common sole in 7f and 7g; common sole in 7e; common sole in 8a and 8b; megrims in 7, haddock in 7b-k, 8, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1; Norway lobster in 7; cod in 7a; plaice in 7f and 7g; plaice in 7h, 7j and 7k; Skates and Rays in 6a, 6b, 7a-c and 7e-k.

For France: mackerel in 3a and 4; Union waters of 2a, 3b, 3c and Subdivisions 22-32; herring in 4, 7d and Union waters of 2a; horse mackerel in Union waters of 4b, 4c and 7d; whiting in 7b-k; haddock in 7b-k, 8, 9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1; common sole in 7f and 7g; whiting in 8; red seabream in Union and international waters of 6, 7 and 8; boarfish in Union and international waters of 6, 7 and 8; mackerel in 6, 7, 8a, 8b, 8d and 8e; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 2a, 12 and 14; skates and rays in Union waters of 6a, 6b, 7a-c and 7e-k, skates and rays in Union waters of 7d, skates and rays in Union waters of 8 and 9; undulate ray in Union waters of 7d and 7e.

For Ireland: anglerfish in 6; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14; anglerfish in 7; Norway lobster in Functional Unit 16 of ICES Subarea 7.

For the United Kingdom: in exchange for the West of Scotland cod and whiting: cod in 6b; Union and international waters of 5b west of 12° 00' W and of 12 and 14; whiting in 6; Union and international waters of 5b; international waters of 12 and 14; and in exchange for the Celtic Sea cod, Irish Sea whiting and plaice in 7h, 7j and 7k: cod in 7b, 7c, 7e-k, 8, 9 and 10; Union waters; haddock in 7b-k, 8,9 and 10; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1; sole in 7h, 7j and 7k; sole in 7e; plaice in 7h, 7j and 7k.'

## ANNEX IB

### NORTH EAST ATLANTIC AND GREENLAND, ICES SUBAREAS 1 1, 2, 5, 12 AND 14 AND GREENLAND WATERS OF NAFO 1

Species: Herring <i>Clupea harengus</i>		Zone: Union, Faroese, Norwegian and international waters of 1 and 2 (HER/1/2-)
Belgium	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC
Denmark	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Spain	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Ireland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
The Netherlands	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Poland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Portugal	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Finland	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Sweden	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
Faroe Islands	pm <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	
Norway	pm <sup>(2)(4)</sup>	
TAC	pm	

<sup>(1)</sup> When reporting catches to the Commission the quantities fished in each of the following areas shall also be reported:  
NEAFC Regulatory Area and Union waters.

<sup>(2)</sup> May be fished in Union waters north of 62° N.

<sup>(3)</sup> To be counted against the catch limits of the Faroe Islands.

<sup>(4)</sup> To be counted against the catch limits of Norway.

Special condition: within the limits of the abovementioned quotas, no more than the quantities given below may be taken in the following zones:

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

pm

2, 5b north of 62° N (Faroese waters) (HER/\*25B-F)

Belgium pm

Denmark pm

Germany pm

Spain pm

France pm

Ireland pm

The Netherlands pm

Poland pm

Portugal pm

Finland pm

Sweden pm

United Kingdom pm

Species: Cod	Zone: Norwegian waters of 1 and 2
<i>Gadus morhua</i>	(COD/1N2AB.)
Germany pm	Analytical TAC
Greece pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Spain pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Ireland pm	
France pm	<b><i>ES: add a footnote: "Up to 7 % of the quota may consist of by-catches of HAD/1N2AB.), (POK/1N2AB.), (GHL/1N2AB.) (OTH/1N2AB.)."</i></b>
Portugal pm	
United Kingdom pm	
Union pm	
TAC	Not relevant

Species: Cod <i>Gadus morhua</i>		Zone: Greenland waters of NAFO 1F and Greenland waters of 5, 12 and 14 (COD/N1GL14)
Germany	1 595 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC
United Kingdom	355 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	1 950 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC		Not relevant
<sup>(1)</sup> Except for by-catches, the following conditions shall apply to these quotas:		
1. They may not be fished between 1 April and 31 May.		
2. Union vessels may choose to fish in either or both of the following areas:		
Reporting code	Geographical limits	
COD/GRL1	The part of the Greenlandic fishing zone that lies within NAFO sub-area 1F West of 44°00'W and South of 60°45'N, that portion of NAFO subarea 1 lying south of the parallel of 60°45' north latitude (Cape Desolation) and the part of the Greenlandic fishing zone within ICES division 14b that lies East of 44°00'W and South of 62°30'N.	
COD/GRL2	The part of the Greenlandic fishing area that lies within ICES division 14b North of 62°30'N.	



Species:	Cod	Zone:	1 and 2b
	<i>Gadus morhua</i>		(COD/1/2B.)
Germany	5 038	(3)	Analytical TAC
Spain	11 688	(3)	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	2 255	(3)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Poland	2 244	(3)	
Portugal	2 418	(3)	<b><i>EE: the "Other MS" quota remains important for MS fishing non-regulated species (e.g. American plaice) in order to cover for their unavoidable bycatches.</i></b>
United Kingdom	3 286	(3)	
Other Member States	366	(1) (3)	
Union	27 295	(2) (3)	
TAC	Not relevant		
(1)	Except Germany, Spain, France, Poland, Portugal and the United Kingdom.		
(2)	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.		
(3)	By-catches of haddock may represent up to 14 % per haul. The by-catch quantities of haddock are in addition to the quota for cod		

Species:	Cod and haddock	Zone:	Faroese waters of 5b
	<i>Gadus morhua</i> and <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		(C/H/05B-F.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC	
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
United Kingdom	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	pm		
TAC	Not relevant		

Species:	Grenadiers <i>Macrourus</i> spp.	Zone:	Greenland waters of 5 and 14 (GRV/514GRN)
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	Not relevant <sup>(2)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup>	Special condition: roundnose grenadier ( <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> ) (RNG/514GRN) and roughhead grenadier ( <i>Macrourus berglax</i> ) (RHG/514GRN) shall not be targeted. They shall only be taken as by-catch and shall be reported separately.		
<sup>(2)</sup>	The amount below, in tonnes, is allocated to Norway and can be fished in either this TAC zone or Greenland waters of NAFO 1 (GRV/514N1G). Special condition for that amount: roundnose grenadier ( <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> ) (RNG/514N1G) and roughhead grenadier ( <i>Macrourus berglax</i> ) (RHG/514N1G) shall not be targeted. They shall only be taken as by-catch and shall be reported separately.		
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Species:	Grenadiers <i>Macrourus</i> spp.	Zone:	Greenland waters of NAFO 1 (GRV/N1GRN.)
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	Not relevant <sup>(2)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup>	Special condition: roundnose grenadier ( <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> ) (RNG/N1GRN.) and roughhead grenadier ( <i>Macrourus berglax</i> ) (RHG/N1GRN.) shall not be targeted. They shall only be taken as by-catch and shall be reported separately.		
<sup>(2)</sup>	The amount below, in tonnes, is allocated to Norway and can be fished in either this TAC zone or Greenland waters of 5 and 14 (GRV/514N1G). Special condition for that amount: roundnose grenadier ( <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> ) (RNG/514N1G) and roughhead grenadier ( <i>Macrourus berglax</i> ) (RHG/514N1G) shall not be targeted. They shall only be taken as by-catch and shall be reported separately.		
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Species:	Capelin <i>Mallotus villosus</i>	Zone:	2b (CAP/02B.)
Union	0	Analytical TAC	
TAC	0		

Species: Capelin <i>Mallotus villosus</i>		Zone: Greenland waters of 5 and 14 (CAP/514GRN)
Denmark	0	Analytical TAC
Germany	0	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Sweden	0	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	0	
All Member States	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	
Union	0 <sup>(2)</sup>	
Norway	0 <sup>(2)</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<sup>(1)</sup> Denmark, Germany, Sweden and the United Kingdom may access the "All Member States" quota only once they have exhausted their own quota. However, Member States with more than 10% of the Union quota shall not access the "All Member States" quota at all.		
<sup>(2)</sup> For a fishing period from 20 June 2019 to 30 April 2020.		
Species: Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>		Zone: Norwegian waters of 1 and 2 (HAD/1N2AB.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	
TAC	Not relevant	

Species:	Blue whiting <i>Micromesistius poutassou</i>	Zone:	Faroese waters (WHB/2A4AXF)
Denmark	pm	Analytical TAC	
Germany	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
France	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
The Netherlands	pm		
United Kingdom	pm		
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>		
TAC	Not relevant		
<sup>(1)</sup>	Catches of blue whiting may include unavoidable by-catches of greater silver smelt.		

Species:	Ling and blue ling <i>Molva molva</i> and <i>Molva dypterygia</i>	Zone:	Faroese waters of 5b (B/L/05B-F.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC	
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
United Kingdom	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>		
TAC	Not relevant		
<sup>(1)</sup>	By-catches of roundnose grenadier and black scabbardfish may be counted against this quota, up to the following limit (OTH/*05B-F): 665.		

Species:	Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>	Zone:	Greenland waters of 5 and 14 (PRA/514GRN)
Denmark	pm	Analytical TAC	
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Norway	pm		
Faroe Islands	pm		
TAC	Not relevant		

Species: Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		Zone: Greenland waters of NAFO 1 (PRA/N1GRN.)
Denmark	1 400	Analytical TAC
France	1 400	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	2 800	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	Not relevant	
Species: Saithe <i>Pollachius virens</i>		Zone: Norwegian waters of 1 and 2 (POK/1N2AB.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	
TAC	Not relevant	
Species: Saithe <i>Pollachius virens</i>		Zone: International waters of 1 and 2 (POK/1/2INT)
Union	0	Analytical TAC
TAC	Not relevant	

Species:	Saithe <i>Pollachius virens</i>	Zone:	Faroese waters of 5b (POK/05B-F.)
Belgium	pm	Analytical TAC	
Germany	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
France	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
The Netherlands	pm		
United Kingdom	pm		
Union	pm		
TAC	Not relevant		

Species:	Greenland halibut <i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>	Zone:	Norwegian waters of 1 and 2 (GHL/1N2AB.)
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	Not relevant		
<sup>(1)</sup>	Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.		

Species:	Greenland halibut <i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>	Zone:	International waters of 1 and 2 (GHL/1/2INT)
Union	1 300 <sup>(1)</sup>	Precautionary TAC	
TAC	Not relevant		<b><i>EE, LT, LV, PL: asks for at least 2000t.</i></b> <b><i>EE: the quota was set at 2000t in 2016 and was then decreased to 900t as not fully used. However, as the number of EU vessels targeting shrimp and American plaice is increasing, the use of the bycatch quota of GHL has increased accordingly.</i></b>
<sup>(1)</sup>	Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota..		

Species: Greenland halibut <i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>		Zone: Greenland waters of NAFO 1 (GHL/N1GRN.)
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Norway	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	Not relevant	
<sup>(1)</sup>	To be fished south of 68°N.	

Species: Greenland halibut <i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>		Zone: Greenland waters of 5,12 and 14 (GHL/5-14GL)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC
United Kingdom	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Norway	pm	
Faroe Islands	pm	
TAC	Not relevant	
<sup>(1)</sup>	To be fished by no more than six vessels at the same time.	

Species: Redfish (shallow pelagic) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.		Zone: Union and international waters of 5; international waters of 12 and 14 (RED/51214S)
Estonia	0	Analytical TAC
Germany	0	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Spain	0	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	0	
Ireland	0	
Latvia	0	
The Netherlands	0	
Poland	0	
Portugal	0	
United Kingdom	0	
Union	0	
TAC	0	



Species: Redfish (deep pelagic) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.			Zone: Union and international waters of 5; international waters of 12 and 14 (RED/51214D)
Estonia	26	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	Analytical TAC
Germany	519	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Spain	91	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	48	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>PL, LV: as the TAC was not agreed at NEAFC, cannot support a moratorium only binding on the EU fleet and asks for an EU quota of 850t.</i></b>
Ireland	0	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	<b><i>EE, ES, LT: asks for RO.</i></b>
Latvia	9	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
The Netherlands	0	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
Poland	47	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
Portugal	109	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
United Kingdom	1	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
Union	850	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
TAC	5 500	<sup>(1)</sup> <sup>(2)</sup>	
<sup>(1)</sup> May only be taken within the area bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates:			
Point	Latitude	Longitude	
1	64°45'N	28°30'W	
2	62°50'N	25°45'W	
3	61°55'N	26°45'W	
4	61°00'N	26°30'W	
5	59°00'N	30°00'W	
6	59°00'N	34°00'W	
7	61°30'N	34°00'W	
8	62°50'N	36°00'W	
9	64°45'N	28°30'W	
<sup>(2)</sup> May only be taken from 10 May to 31 December.			

Species: Redfish <i>Sebastes mantella</i>			Zone: Norwegian waters of 1 and 2 (REB/1N2AB.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC	
Spain	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
France	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Portugal	pm		
United Kingdom	pm		
Union	pm		
TAC	Not relevant		

Species: Redfish <i>Sebastes spp.</i>			Zone: International waters of 1 and 2 (RED/1/2INT)
Union	to be established	(1) (2)	Analytical TAC
			Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	13 686	(3)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
			<b><i><u>PL</u>: asks for 13368t and proposes implementing the ban on fishing for this stock in December in order to have a common fishing season in Russia and Norway EEZ and NEAFC international waters.</i></b>
			<b><i><u>EE</u>: asks for a TAC in line with the scientific advice (13686t).</i></b>
			<b><i><u>LT</u>: asks for an increase of the EU TAC under ICES advice.</i></b>

(1)

The fishery will be closed when the TAC is fully utilised by NEAFC Contracting Parties. From the closure date, Member States shall prohibit directed fishery for redfish by vessels flying their flag.

(2)

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

(3)

Provisional catch limit to cover catches of all NEAFC contracting parties,

Species: Redfish (pelagic) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.			Zone: Greenland waters of NAFO 1F and Greenland waters of 5,12 and 14 (RED/N1G14P)
Germany	pm	(1) (2) (3)	Analytical TAC
France	pm	(1) (2) (3)	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm	(1) (2) (3)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	(1) (2) (3)	
Norway	pm	(1) (2)	
Faroe Islands	pm	(1) (2) (4)	
TAC	Not relevant		
(1)	May only be fished from 10 May to 31 December.		
(2)	May only be fished in Greenland waters within the Redfish Conservation Area bounded by the lines joining the following coordinates:		
	Point	Latitude	Longitude
	1	64°45'N	28°30'W
	2	62°50'N	25°45'W
	3	61°55'N	26°45'W
	4	61°00'N	26°30'W
	5	59°00'N	30°00'W
	6	59°00'N	34°00'W
	7	61°30'N	34°00'W
	8	62°50'N	36°00'W
	9	64°45'N	28°30'W
(3)	Special condition: this quota may also be fished in international waters of the Redfish Conservation Area mentioned above (RED/*5-14P).		
(4)	May only be fished in Greenland Waters of 5 and 14 (RED/*514GN).		

Species: Redfish (demersal) <i>Sebastes</i> spp.	Zone: Greenland waters of NAFO 1F and Greenland waters of 5 and 14 (RED/N1G14D)
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Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	

TAC Not relevant

<sup>(1)</sup> May only be fished by trawl, and only North and West of the line defined by the following coordinates:

Point	Latitude	Longitude
1	59°15'N	54°26'W
2	59°15'N	44°00'W
3	59°30'N	42°45'W
4	60°00'N	42°00'W
5	62°00'N	40°30'W
6	62°00'N	40°00'W
7	62°40'N	40°15'W
8	63°09'N	39°40'W
9	63°30'N	37°15'W
10	64°20'N	35°00'W
11	65°15'N	32°30'W
12	65°15'N	29°50'W

Species: Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.	Zone: Faroese waters of 5b (RED/05B-F.)
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Belgium	pm	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm	
Union	pm	

TAC Not relevant

Species: Other species		Zone: Norwegian waters of 1 and 2 (OTH/1N2AB.)
Germany	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC
France	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm <sup>(1)</sup>	
TAC	Not relevant	
<sup>(1)</sup>	Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.	
Species: Other species <sup>(1)</sup>		Zone: Faroese waters of 5b (OTH/05B-F.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	
TAC	Not relevant	
<sup>(1)</sup>	Excluding fish species of no commercial value.	

Species: Flatfish		Zone: Faroese waters of 5b (FLX/05B-F.)
Germany	pm	Analytical TAC
France	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
United Kingdom	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	
TAC	Not relevant	
Species: By-catches <sup>(1)</sup>		Zone: Greenland waters (B-C/GRL)
Union	800	Precautionary TAC
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	Not relevant	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
<sup>(1)</sup> By-catches of grenadiers (Macrourus spp.) shall be reported in line with the following fishing opportunities tables: grenadiers in Greenland waters of 5 and 14 (GRV/514GRN) and grenadiers in Greenland waters of NAFO 1 (GRV/N1GRN.)		

## ANNEX IC

### NORTH WEST ATLANTIC

#### NAFO CONVENTION AREA<sup>1</sup>

Species:	Cod <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Zone:	NAFO 2J3KL (COD/N2J3KL)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup> No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.			

Species:	Cod <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3NO (COD/N3NO.)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup> No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the limits of a maximum of 1 000 kg or 4 %, whichever is greater.			

<sup>1</sup> PT: scrutiny reservation

Species:	Cod <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3M (COD/N3M.)
Estonia	95	Analytical TAC	
Germany	397	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Latvia	95	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	95	<b><i>PL: asks to double check the quota allocation as for PL it should be approx. 328t.</i></b>	
Poland	324		
Spain	1 221		
France	170		
Portugal	1 673		
United Kingdom	795		
Union	4 865		
TAC	8 531		

Species:	Witch flounder <i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3L (WIT/N3L.)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup>	No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.		

Species:	Witch flounder <i>Glyptocephalus cynoglossus</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3NO (WIT/N3NO.)
Estonia	52	Analytical TAC	
Latvia	52	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	52	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	156		
TAC	1 175		



Species:	American plaice <i>Hippoglossoides platessoides</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3M (PLA/N3M.)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
(1)	No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.		
Species:	American plaice <i>Hippoglossoides platessoides</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3LNO (PLA/N3LNO.)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
(1)	No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.		
Species:	Shortfin squid <i>Illex illecebrosus</i>	Zone:	NAFO Subareas 3 and 4 (SQI/N34.)
Estonia	128 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
Latvia	128 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	128 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Poland	227 <sup>(1)</sup>		
Union	Not relevant	(1)(2)	
TAC	34 000		
(1)	To be fished between 1 July and 31 December 2020.		
(2)	No specified Union's share. The amount specified below, in tonnes, is available to Canada and the Member States of the Union except Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland:		
29 467			

Species:	Yellowtail flounder <i>Limanda ferruginea</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3LNO (YEL/N3LNO.)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	17 000	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup>	No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 2 500 kg or 10 %, whichever is greater. However, when the yellowtail flounder quota assigned by NAFO to Contracting Parties without a specific share of the stock is exhausted, by-catch limits shall be: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.		
Species:	Capelin <i>Mallotus villosus</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3NO (CAP/N3NO.)
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
<sup>(1)</sup>	No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.		

Species:	Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3LNO <sup>(1)(2)</sup> (PRA/N3LNO.)
Estonia	0 <sup>(3)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
Latvia	0 <sup>(3)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	0 <sup>(3)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Poland	0 <sup>(3)</sup>		
Spain	0 <sup>(3)</sup>		
Portugal	0 <sup>(3)</sup>		
Union	0 <sup>(3)</sup>		
TAC	0 <sup>(3)</sup>		
(1)	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
(2)	Fishing is prohibited at a depth less than 200 metres in the area West of a line bound by the following coordinates:		
	Point No	Latitude N	Longitude W
	1	46° 00' 0	47° 49' 0
	2	46° 25' 0	47° 27' 0
	3	46 °42' 0	47° 25' 0
	4	46° 48' 0	47° 25' 50
	5	47° 16' 50	47° 43' 50
(3)	No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.		

Species:	Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i>		Zone:	NAFO 3M <sup>(1)</sup> (PRA/*N3M.)	
TAC	Not relevant	(2)	Analytical TAC		
(1)	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 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		
(2)	Not relevant. Fishery managed by limitations in fishing effort ( <b>EFF/*N3M.</b> ). 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.				
	Member State	Maximum number of fishing days			
	Denmark	33			
	Estonia	391			
	Spain	64			
	Latvia	123			
	Lithuania	145			
	Poland	25			
	Portugal	17			
* NAFO Commission agreed at its 2019 Annual Meeting that the European Union (Estonia) will transfer 25 fishing days of its fishing days allocation for 2020 to France, in respect of St Pierre et Miquelon. These 25 fishing days are deducted under this interim regime for 2020 that will not create any catch history.					

Species:	Greenland halibut <i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3LMNO (GHL/N3LMNO)
Estonia	340	Analytical TAC	
Germany	347	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Latvia	48	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	24		
Spain	4 650		
Portugal	1 944		
Union	7 353		
TAC	12 542		
Species:	Skate <i>Rajidae</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3LNO (SKA/N3LNO.)
Estonia	283	Analytical TAC	
Lithuania	62	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Spain	3 403	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Portugal	660		
Union	4 408		
TAC	7 000		
Species:	Redfish <i>Sebastes spp.</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3LN (RED/N3LN.)
Estonia	895	Analytical TAC	
Germany	615	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Latvia	895	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	895		
Union	3 300		
TAC	18 100		

Species:	Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.	Zone:	NAFO 3M (RED/N3M.)
Estonia	1 571 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
Germany	513 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Latvia	1 571 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Lithuania	1 571 <sup>(1)</sup>		
Spain	233 <sup>(1)</sup>		
Portugal	2 354 <sup>(1)</sup>		
Union	7 813 <sup>(1)</sup>		
TAC	8 590 <sup>(1)</sup>		
<sup>(1)</sup> This quota is subject to compliance with the TAC as shown, which is established for this stock for all NAFO Contracting Parties. Within that TAC, no more than the following mid-term limit may be fished before 1 July 2020: 4295			

Species:	Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.	Zone:	NAFO 3O (RED/N3O.)
Spain	1 771	Analytical TAC	
Portugal	5 229	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	7 000	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	20 000		

Species:	Redfish <i>Sebastes</i> spp.	Zone:	NAFO Subarea 2, Divisions 1F and 3K (RED/N1F3K.)
Latvia	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC	
Lithuania	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	0 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	0 <sup>(1)</sup>		
<sup>(1)</sup> No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota. This species shall only be taken as by-catch within the following limits: a maximum of 1 250 kg or 5 %, whichever is greater.			

Species:	White hake <i>Urophycis tenuis</i>	Zone:	NAFO 3NO (HKW/N3NO.)
Spain	255	Analytical TAC	
Portugal	333	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	588	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
	( <sup>1</sup> )		
TAC	1 000		
<sup>(1)</sup> Where, in accordance with Annex IA of the NAFO Conservation and Enforcement Measures, a positive vote by the Contracting Parties confirms the TAC to be 2 000 tonnes, the corresponding Union and Member State quotas shall be deemed to be as below:			
	Spain	509	
	Portugal	667	
	Union	1 176	

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**ICCAT CONVENTION AREA**

Species: Bluefin tuna <i>Thunnus thynnus</i>			Zone: Atlantic Ocean, east of 45° W, and Mediterranean (BFT/AE45WM)
Cyprus	169,35	(4)	Analytical TAC
Greece	314,77	(7)	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Spain	6 107,60	(2)(4)(7)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	6 026,60	(2)(3)(4)	<b><i>EL:</i></b> on footnote (7), need to agree on a provision for equal distribution given the fact that it is a small quota + the similar characteristics of these areas.
Croatia	952,53	(6)	<b><i>IT:</i></b> on footnote (7), asks COM to evaluate the possibility for a different sharing criteria which, involving other MS, according to the historical key allocation, allows the full consumption of that additional quota
Italy	4 756,49	(4)(5)	
Malta	390,24	(4)	
Portugal	574,31		<b><i>FR:</i></b> intends to modify the number of vessels within the ceilings. On footnote (7), asks to be involved in future discussions ahead of the ICCAT 2020 annual meeting.
Other Member States	68,11	(1)	<b><i>ES:</i></b> cannot support COM proposal on footnote (7) and recalls the need to respect relative stability.
Union	19360	(2)(3)(4)(5)	
Special additional allocation	100	(7)	
TAC	36 000		



- (1) Except Cyprus, Greece, Spain, France, Croatia, Italy, Malta and Portugal, and exclusively as by-catch.
- (2) 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  | 925,33   |
| France | 429,87   |
| Union  | 1 355,20 |
- (3) 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 | 100 |
| Union  | 100 |
- (4) Special condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocations 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 2 of Annex IV (BFT/\*8302):
- |        |        |
|--------|--------|
| Spain  | 122,15 |
| France | 120,53 |
| Italy  | 95,13  |
| Cyprus | 3,39   |
| Malta  | 7,80   |
| Union  | 349,01 |
- (5) Special condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocations 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 3 of Annex IV (BFT/\*643):
- |       |       |
|-------|-------|
| Italy | 95,13 |
| Union | 95,13 |

- (6) Special Condition: within this TAC, the following catch limits and allocations 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 3 of Annex IV for farming purposes (BFT/\*8303F):

Croatia	857,28
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Union	857,28
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- (7) As agreed during the 2018 ICCAT Annual Meeting, in 2020 the European Union will receive, in addition to the allocated quota of 19360 tonnes, an extra allocation of 100 tonnes, exclusively for artisanal vessels from specific archipelagos in Greece (Ionian Islands), Spain (Canary Islands) and Portugal (Azores and Madeira). The specific allocation of this additional quantity to the concerned Member States shall be as follows (BFT/AVARCH):

Greece	33,33
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Spain	33,33
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Portugal	33,33
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Union	100
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Species: Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Zone: Atlantic Ocean, North of 5° N (SWO/AN05N)
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Spain	6 504,31 <sup>(2)</sup>	Analytical TAC
Portugal	1 052,57 <sup>(2)(3)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Other Member States	128,81 <sup>(1)(2)</sup>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	7 685,70 <sup>(4)</sup>	
TAC	13 200	

<sup>(1)</sup> Except Spain and Portugal, and exclusively as by-catch.

<sup>(2)</sup> Special condition: up to 2,39 % of this amount may be fished in the Atlantic Ocean, South of 5°N (SWO/\*AS05N).

<sup>(3)</sup> 36,34 t have been allocated to Portugal to compensate a double deduction in 2018

<sup>(4)</sup> After transfer of 40 tonnes to Saint-Pierre et Miquelon (ICCAT Rec. [17-02])

Species: Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Zone: Atlantic Ocean, South of 5° N (SWO/AS05N)
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Spain	4 712,18 <sup>(1)</sup>	Analytical TAC
Portugal	299,03 <sup>(1)</sup>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	5 011,21	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	14 000	

<sup>(1)</sup> Special condition: up to 3,51 % of this amount may be fished in the Atlantic Ocean, North of 5°N (SWO/\*AN05N).

Species	Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Zone:	Mediterranean Sea (SWO/MED)
Croatia	14,64 (1)	Analytical TAC	
Cyprus	53,99 (1)	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply.	
Spain	1 667,58 (1)	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply.	
France	123,77 (1)		
Greece	1103,91 (1)		
Italy	3418,68 (1)		
Malta	405,58 (1)		
Union	6 780,60 (1)		
TAC	9 583,07		
(1)	This quota may only be fished from 1 April to 31 December.		

Species:	Northern albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean, north of 5° N (ALB/AN05N)
Ireland	2 891,01	Analytical TAC	
Spain	16 279,56	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
France	5 236,44	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
United Kingdom	188,45	<b><u>FR: scrutiny reservation</u></b>	
Portugal	2 273,97		
Union	26 869,43 <sup>(1)</sup>		
TAC	33600		
<sup>(1)</sup>	The number of Union fishing vessels fishing for northern albacore as a target species, in accordance with Article 12 of Council Regulation (EC) No 520/2007 <sup>[1]</sup> , shall be as follows: 1 253.		
	<sup>[1]</sup> Council Regulation (EC) No 520/2007 of 7 May 2007 laying down technical measures for the conservation of certain stocks of highly migratory species and repealing Regulation (EC) No 973/2001 (OJ L 123, 12.5.2007, p. 3).		

Species:	Southern albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean, south of 5° N (ALB/AS05N)
Spain	905,86	Analytical TAC	
France	297,70	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Portugal	633,94	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	1 837,50	<b><u>FR:</u> scrutiny reservation</b>	
TAC	24 000		
Species:	Bigeye tuna <i>Thunnus obesus</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean (BET/ATLANT)
Spain	7 438,1	Analytical TAC	
France	3 759,3	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Portugal	2 823,8	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	13 701,3	<b><u>FR:</u> notes inconsistency in the addition of the different quotas and the total Union TAC.</b>	
TAC	62 500		
Species:	Blue marlin <i>Makaira nigricans</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean (BUM/ATLANT)
Spain	0,00	Analytical TAC	
France	405,36	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Portugal	46,44	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	451,80	<b><u>FR:</u> scrutiny reservation</b>	
TAC	1 670		

Species:	White marlin <i>Tetrapturus albidus</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean (WHM/ATLANT)
Spain	0,00	Analytical TAC	
Portugal	0,00	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	0,00	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
TAC	355		
Species:	Yellowfin tuna <i>Thunnus albacares</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean (YFT/ATLANT)
TAC	110 000	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
		Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Species:	Sailfish <i>Istiophorus albicans</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean, east of 45°W (SAI/AE45W)
TAC	1 271	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
		Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Species:	Sailfish <i>Istiophorus albicans</i>	Zone:	Atlantic Ocean, west of 45°W (SAI/AW45W)
TAC	1 030	Analytical TAC	
		Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
		Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	

Species: Blue shark <i>Prionace glauca</i>		Zone: Atlantic Ocean, north of 5° N (BSH/AN05N)
Ireland	1	Analytical TAC
Spain	27 062	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	152	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Portugal	5 363	
	(1)(2)	
Union	32 578	
TAC	39 102	

(1) The time period and the calculation method used by ICCAT to set the catch limit for North Atlantic blue shark shall not prejudice the time period and the calculation method used to define any future allocation key at Union level.

Allocation based on the average catches in the last 10 years

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Species: Blue shark <i>Prionace glauca</i>	Zone: Atlantic Ocean, south of 5° N (BSH/AS05N)
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TAC 28 923 <sup>(1)</sup> Analytical TAC

Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply

Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply

<sup>(1)</sup> The time period and the calculation method used by ICCAT to set the catch limit for North Atlantic blue shark shall not prejudice the time period and the calculation method used to define any future allocation key at Union level.

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## ANNEX IF

### SOUTH-EAST ATLANTIC OCEAN SEAFO CONVENTION AREA

Those 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, which will communicate when fishing shall cease due to a TAC exhaustion.

Species: Alfonsinos <i>Beryx</i> spp.	Zone: SEAFO (ALF/SEAFO)
TAC pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Precautionary TAC
<sup>(1)</sup> No more than 132 tonnes may be taken in Division B1 (ALF/*F47NA).	
Species: Deep-sea red crab <i>Chaceon</i> spp.	Zone: SEAFO Sub-Division B1 <sup>(1)</sup> (GER/F47NAM)
TAC pm <sup>(1)</sup>	Precautionary TAC
<sup>(1)</sup> For the purpose of this TAC, the area open to the fishery is defined as having: – its western boundary on the longitude 0° E; – its northern boundary on the latitude 20° S; – its southern boundary on the latitude 28° S, and – the eastern boundary outer limits of the Namibian EEZ.	
Species: Deep-sea red crab <i>Chaceon</i> spp.	Zone: SEAFO, excluding Sub-Division B1 (GER/F47X)
TAC pm	Precautionary TAC
Species: Patagonian toothfish <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>	Zone: SEAFO Sub-Area D (TOP/F47D)
TAC pm	Precautionary TAC

Species:	Patagonian toothfish <i>Dissostichus eleginoides</i>	Zone:	SEAFO, excluding Sub-Area D (TOP/F47-D)
TAC	pm	Precautionary TAC	
Species:	Orange roughy <i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>	Zone:	SEAFO Sub-Division B1 <sup>(1)</sup> (ORY/F47NAM)
TAC	pm <sup>(2)</sup>	Precautionary TAC	
<sup>(1)</sup>	For the purpose of this Annex, the area open to the fishery is defined as having: – its western boundary on the longitude 0° E; – its northern boundary on the latitude 20° S; – its southern boundary on the latitude 28° S, and – the eastern boundary outer limits of the Namibian EEZ.		
<sup>(2)</sup>	Except for a by-catch allowance of 4 tonnes (ORY/*F47NA).		
Species:	Orange roughy <i>Hoplostethus atlanticus</i>	Zone:	SEAFO, excluding Sub-Division B1 (ORY/F47X)
TAC	pm	Precautionary TAC	
Species:	Pelagic armourhead <i>Pseudopentaceros</i> spp.	Zone:	SEAFO (EDW/SEAFO)
TAC	pm	Precautionary TAC	

## **ANNEX IG**

### **SOUTHERN BLUEFIN TUNA – AREAS OF DISTRIBUTION**

Species:	Southern bluefin tuna Thunnus maccoyii	Zone:	All areas of distribution (SBF/F41-81)
Union	11	(1)	Analytical TAC Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply. Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply.
TAC	17 647		

<sup>(1)</sup> Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

## ANNEX IH

### WCPFC CONVENTION AREA

Species:	Bigeye tuna <i>Thunnus obesus</i>	Zone:	WCPFC Convention Area south of 20° S (BET/F7120S)
Union	pm	(1)	Precautionary TAC
TAC	Not relevant	(1)	
(1) this quota may only be fished by vessels using longlines			

Species:	Swordfish <i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Zone:	WCPFC Convention Area south of 20° S (SWO/F7120S)
Union	pm		Precautionary TAC
TAC	Not relevant		

## ANNEX IJ

### SPRFMO CONVENTION AREA

Species: Jack mackerel <i>Trachurus murphyi</i>	Zone: SPRFMO Convention Area (CJM/SPRFMO)
Germany to be established	Analytical TAC
The Netherlands to be established	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Lithuania to be established	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Poland to be established	
Union to be established	
TAC Not relevant	

Species: Toothfish <i>Dissostichus spp</i>	Zone: SPRFMO Convention Area (TOT/SPR-AE)
TAC to be established <sup>(1)</sup>	Precautionary TAC
<sup>(1)</sup> This TAC is for exploratory fisheries only. Fishing shall only take place within the following research blocks (A-E): <ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>– Research block A: area bounded by latitudes 47 15' S and 48 15' S and by longitudes 146 30' E and 147 30' E</li><li>– Research block B: area bounded by latitudes 47 15' S and 48 15' S and by longitudes 147 30' E and 148 30' E</li><li>– Research block C: area bounded by latitudes 47 15' S and 48 15' S and by longitudes 148 30' E and 150 00' E</li><li>– Research block D: area bounded by latitudes 48 15' S and 49 15' S and by longitudes 149 00' E and 150 00' E</li><li>– Research block E: area bounded by latitudes 48 15' S and 49 30' S and by longitudes 150 00' E and 151 00' E.</li></ul>	

## ANNEX IK

### IOTC AREA OF COMPETENCE

Catches of yellowfin tuna by Union vessels fishing with purse seiners shall not exceed the catch limits set out in this Annex.

Species:	Yellowfin tuna <i>Thunnus albacares</i>		Zone:	IOTC Area of Competence (YFT/IOTC)
France	29501	<b>29 501</b>	Analytical TAC	
Italy	2515	<b>2 515</b>	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Spain	45682	<b>45 682</b>	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply	
Union	77698	<b>77 698</b>		
TAC	Not relevant	Not relevant		

## ANNEX II

### SIOFA AGREEMENT AREA

Species:	Toothfish <i>Dissostichus spp.</i>	Zone:	Del Cano Area <sup>(1)</sup> (TOT/F517DC)
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Union 18,33 <sup>(2)</sup> Precautionary TAC

TAC 55 <sup>(2)</sup>

(1) International waters in FAO Subarea 51.7 bounded between -44°S and -45°S latitude, and the adjacent exclusive economic zones to the east and west.

(2) May only be fished by vessels with observers on board and using longlines during the fishing season from 1 December 2019 to 30 November 2020. Longlines shall not exceed 3000 hooks per line and shall be set at minimum 3 nautical miles from each other.

Catches of vessels not targeting this species may not exceed 0,5 tonnes per fishing season. When a vessel reaches this limit, it may no longer fish in Del Cano Area.

Species:	Toothfish <i>Dissostichus spp.</i>	Zone:	Williams Ridge <sup>(1)</sup> (TOT/F574WR)
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Union to be established <sup>(2)</sup> Precautionary TAC

TAC 140 <sup>(2)</sup>

(1) Area of FAO Subarea 57.4 bounded by the following coordinates:

Point	Latitude	Longitude
1	52° 30' 00" S	80° 00' 00" E
2	55° 00' 00" S	80° 00' 00" E
3	55° 00' 00" S	85° 00' 00" E
4	52° 30' 00" S	85° 00' 00" E

(2) May only be fished by vessels with observers on board during the fishing season from 1 December 2019 to 30 November 2020. No more than two longlines not exceeding 6250 hooks are set per grid cell established by SIOFA and an interval of at least 30 days is applied between fishing trips according to the access conditions established by SIOFA.

Catches of vessels not targeting this species may not exceed 0,5 tonnes per fishing season. When a vessel reaches this limit, it may no longer fish in Williams Ridge.

Species:	Bigeye tuna <i>Thunnus obesus</i>	Zone:	IATTC Convention Area (BET/IATTC))
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Union 500 <sup>(1)</sup> Precautionary TAC

TAC Not relevant

(1) This quota may only be fished by vessels using longlines