

**Part I: SPECIES FOR WHICH YOU MAY NOT FISH:**

**LICENCE HOLDERS ARE REMINDED THAT QUOTAS ARE IN LIVE WEIGHT.**

For the conversion factors that apply see the bottom of this Annexe

**Sea Areas in Italics are Permanently Closed**

Description of Sea Fish	Areas of Sea
Anchovy	VIII, IX, X
Angel sharks	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Anglerfish	VIIIc, IX, X 1
Basking sharks	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Bass ( <i>Dicentrarchus labrax</i> )	ICES divisions VIIb, VIIc, VIIj and VIIk, and the waters of ICES divisions VIIa and VIIg that are more than 12 nautical miles from the baseline under the sovereignty of the United Kingdom.
Big-eye tuna	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Black Scabbardfish	EU and International Waters of VIII, IX, X
Blue Whiting	VIIIc, IX, X
Bluefin Tuna	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Common skate ( <i>Dipturus batis</i> )	EU Waters of IIa
	III, IV, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X
Deep sea sharks <sup>10</sup>	V, VI, VII, VIII, IX
	EU and International Waters of X
	International Waters of XII
	EU Waters of CECAF 34.1.1, 34.1.2 and 34.2
Forkbeards	EU and International Waters of VIII, IX
Guitarfishes	EU Waters of I, II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X, XII
Hake	VIIIc, IX, X
Herring	VIIbc
	VIIg-k
	The Thames and Blackwater coastal area <sup>2</sup>
Horse Mackerel	VIIIc, IX
	X
Mackerel	VIIIc, IX, X
Megrim	VIII, IX, X
Migratory trout	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Nephrops	VIII, IX, X
Norwegian skate ( <i>Raja {Dipturus} nidarosiensis</i> )	EU and International Waters of VIa, VIb, VIIa-c, e-k
Orange roughy	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Picked dogfish ( <i>Squalus acanthias</i> )	EU Waters of II, III, IV, V, VI, VII, VIII, IX, X
Plaice	VIIbc
	VIII, IX, X
Pollack	VIII, IX, X
Porbeagle	EU waters of VII, VIII, IX, X, XI
Red Seabream	IX
Salmon	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
Skates and Rays	VIII, IX
Small-eyed ray ( <i>Raja microocellata</i> )	EU and International Waters of VIIa-c, VIIe and VIIh-k
Smooth lanternshark ( <i>Etmopterus pusillus</i> )	EU waters of IIa, IV
	EU and International Waters of I, V, VI, VII, VIII, XII, XIV
Sole	VIIbc
	VIII, IX, X
Starry Ray ( <i>Amblyraja radiata</i> )	EU Waters of IIa, IIIa, IV, VIId
Thornback ray ( <i>Raja clavata</i> )	EU Waters of IIIa
Tope shark ( <i>Galeorhinus galeus</i> )	When taken with longlines in EU Waters of IIa, IV and in
	EU and International Waters of I, V, VI, VII, VIII, XII, XIV
Undulate Ray ( <i>Raja undulata</i> )	EU and International Waters of VI, X

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White sharks	EU and International Waters of VII, VIII, IX, X
White Skate ( <i>Rostroraja alba</i> )	EU Waters of VI, VII, VIII, IX, X
Whiting	VIII, IX, X

**SPECIES FOR WHICH YOU MAY NOT FISH CONTINUED**

<b>SPECIES</b>	<b>SEA AREAS</b>
Anglerfish, Cod, Haddock, Hake, Ling, Megrin, Nephrops, Plaice, Pollack, Saithe, Skates and Rays, Sole, Tusk, Whiting and Blue Ling	VII – Porcupine Bank <sup>8</sup> (SEASONAL CLOSURE from 1 May to 31 May each calendar year)

**Footnotes**

<sup>1</sup> "Scottish inshore waters" means the sea adjacent to the coast of Scotland and to the landward of a limit of 6 nautical miles from the baseline from which the territorial sea is measured, up to the mean high water mark of ordinary spring tides.

<sup>2</sup> The Thames and Blackwater coastal area means the area of sea within a zone delimited by a line running due south from Landguard Point in 51° 56' North and 1° 19' East to 51° 33' North and thence due west to a point on the coast of England.

<sup>3</sup> Firth of Clyde means the area of sea which lies landward of a line drawn from a point on the mainland of Scotland at 55° 17.9' North and 5° 47.8' West (Mull of Kintyre) to a point on the mainland of Scotland at 55° 00.5' North and 5° 09.4' West (Corsewall Point).

<sup>4</sup> All species except cod, haddock, saithe, whiting, plaice, ling, anglerfish, nephrops, tusk, Norway pout, blue whiting, mackerel and herring

<sup>5</sup> Mackerel caught in EU waters of ICES Division IVa annually in the period between 1 September and 15 February shall be recorded against the Western mackerel quota. All other catches of mackerel in ICES Division IVa shall be recorded against the North Sea mackerel quota, and shall be subject to any quota limitations set out at **Part II** of this **Annex**.

<sup>6</sup> Atlanto-Scandian Herring – International and Community Waters of ICES II

<sup>8</sup> 'Porcupine Bank' comprises the area bounded by rhumb lines sequentially joining the following positions:  
52°27'N, 12°19'W; 52°40'N, 12°30'W; 52°47'N, 12°39.6'W; 52°47'N, 12°56'W; 52°13.5'N, 13°53.83'W; 51°22'N, 14°24'W;  
51°22'N, 14°03'W; 52°10'N, 13°25'W; 52°32'N, 13°07.5'W; 52°43'N, 12°55'W; 52°43'N, 12°43'W; 52°38.8'N, 12°37'W;  
52°27'N, 12°23'W; 52°27'N, 12°19'W

<sup>9</sup> 'Porcupine Bank' - Unit 16 – Area bounded by the co-ordinates: 53° 30' N 15° 00' W; 53° 30' N 11° 00' W; 51° 30' N 11° 00' W; 51° 30' N 13° 00' W; 51° 00' N 13° 00' W; 51° 00' N 15° 00' W; 53° 30' N 15° 00' W

<sup>10</sup> Deep-water catsharks, Frilled shark, Gulper shark, Portuguese dogfish, Longnose velvet dogfish, Black dogfish, Birdbeak dogfish, Kitefin shark, Great lanternshark, Velvet belly, Mouse catshark, Bluntnose Sixgill shark, Sailfin roughshark (Sharpback shark), Knifetooth dogfish, Greenland shark.

**Part II: QUOTA LIMITATIONS**

<b><u>TAC SPECIES</u></b>	<b><u>SEA AREA</u></b>	<b><u>QUOTA LIMIT</u></b>
Anglerfish	VII	5 tonnes
Cod	VIIa	0.05 tonne
	VIIb-c, VIIe-k, VIII, IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 <sup>1</sup>	0.05 tonne (Strictly bycatch only)
	VIIId	2 tonnes
Greater Silver Smelt	VII	1 tonne per trip
Haddock	VIIa	0.05 tonne
	VIIb-k, VIII, IX, X and CECAF 34.1.1 (EC Zone)	2.75 tonnes
Ling	VII, VIII, IX, X	0.5 tonne

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Megrim	VII	1.5 tonnes
Nephrops	VII	5 tonnes over the period <b>00:01 1 October to 23:59 31 December 2020 inclusive.</b>
Plaice	VIIa	3 tonnes
	VIIId-e	10 tonnes
	VIIIf-g	1 tonne
Pollack	VII	10 tonnes
Saithe	VII, VIII, IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 <sup>1</sup>	0.3 tonne
Skates & Rays	VIIId	4 tonnes
	VIa-b & VIIa-c, e-k	25 tonnes, of which no more than 2 tonnes Small-eyed ray ( <i>Raja microocellata</i> ) to be fished in VIIIf-g only
Sole	VIIId	2 tonnes
	VIIe	3 tonnes
	VIIIf-g	0.3 tonne
	VIIa	0.05 tonne
Whiting	VIIa	0.05 tonne
	VIIb-k	3 tonnes
Herring	VIIa	0.05 tonne
	VIIId	5 tonnes
	VIIe-f	0.1 tonne
	VIIg-k	0.1 tonne
Horse Mackerel	VIIa-c, VIIe-k, VIIIA,b,d,e	0.25 tonne
	EU waters of IVb, IVc and VIIId	0.5 tonne
Mackerel	IIa (non EC Zone), Vb <sup>1</sup> , VI, VII, VIIIabde,XII <sup>2</sup> and XIV <sup>2</sup>	3 tonnes <b>Please note that this quota limit excludes fish caught and landed by vessels using handline gear in sea areas <u>VIIe-h</u> only.</b>
	VIIId handline (additional limit for vessels authorised in accordance with section 20 of the schedule to this licence)	2 tonnes
Sprat	VIIde	0.5 tonne

<b>DEEP-SEA SPECIES</b>	<b>SEA AREA</b>
Alfonsinos	VII, VIII, IX, X
Forkbeards	VII, X
Red seabream	VII, VIII, X
Roundnose grenadier	VII

A quota limitation of 100kgs per fishing trip will apply, either singly or collectively, to the above deep-sea stocks in the sea areas described.

Footnotes

<sup>1</sup> EC Zone

<sup>2</sup> International waters

<sup>3</sup> IV (Community waters and International waters)

Live weight shall be calculated by multiplying landed weight by the conversion factors set out below.

<u>Species</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Gutted</u>	<u>Gutted &amp; Headed</u>	<u>Fillets</u>	<u>Parts</u>
Anglerfish	ANF	1.22	3.0		3.0 <sup>1</sup>
Bass	BSE	1.125		2.7	
Blue Whiting	WHB	1.15			
Brill	BLL	1.09	2.7		
Cod	COD	1.17	1.7	2.6	1.38 <sup>2</sup>
Conger Eel	COE	1.125		2.7	
Common Dab	DAB	1.11	1.39		
Common Sole	SOL	1.04		2.5	
Flounder	FLE	1.08		2.7	1.39 <sup>3</sup>
Greenland Halibut	GHL	1.08			
Halibut	HAL	1.08		2.7	
Haddock	HAD	1.17	1.46	2.6	
Hake	HKE	1.11	1.4	2.6	
Herring	HER	1.12	1.19		
Horse Mackerel	JAX	1.08			
Lemon Sole	LEM	1.05		2.5	
Ling	LIN	1.14	1.32	2.64	2.8 <sup>4</sup>
Mackerel	MAC	1.09			
Megrims	LEZ	1.06		2.5	
Mullet	MUL	1.125		2.7	
Nephrops	NEP				3.0 <sup>1</sup>
Plaice	PLE	1.05	1.39	2.4	
Pollack	POL	1.17	1.36	2.7	
Redfish	RED	1.19			
Red Mullet	MUR	1.125		2.7	
Saithe	POK	1.19	1.44	2.9	
Skates & Rays <sup>7</sup>		1.13			2.09 <sup>5</sup>
Spurdog	DGS	1.35		2.7	2.52 <sup>3</sup>
Tope	GAG	1.125			
Turbot	TUR	1.09		2.7	
Tusk	USK	1.14			
Whiting	WHG	1.18	1.41	2.7	
Witch	WIT	1.06		2.7	

<u>Deep Sea Species</u>	<u>Code</u>	<u>Gutted</u>	<u>Gutted &amp; Headed</u>	<u>Fillets</u>	<u>Parts</u>
Black Scabbardfish	BSF	1.24			1.4 <sup>2</sup>
Blue Ling	BLE	1.17	1.32	2.8	
Greater Forkbeard	GFB	1.11	1.4		

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Greenland Halibut	GHL	1.08			
Roundnose Grenadier	RNG	1.11	1.92		3.2 <sup>6</sup>
Red Seabream	SBR	1.11		2.7	

**Footnotes**

<sup>1</sup>Tails; <sup>2</sup>Headed; <sup>3</sup>Gutted, headed and skinned; <sup>4</sup>Gutted and salted; <sup>5</sup>Wings; <sup>6</sup>Gutted, headed and tailed; <sup>7</sup>Species specific codes and ID guides are available from your local fisheries office.