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# South 7d Regional Fisheries Group

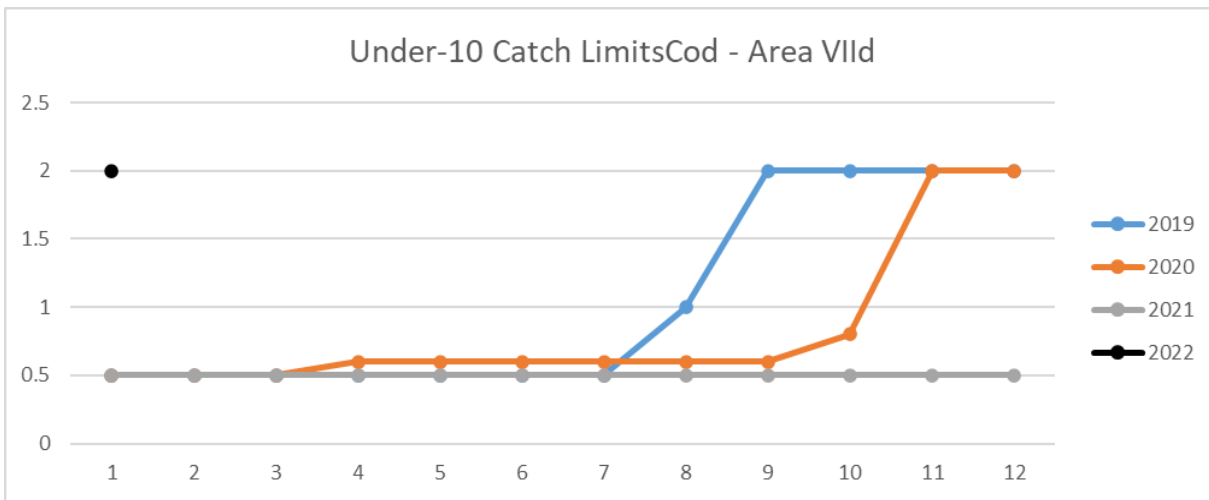
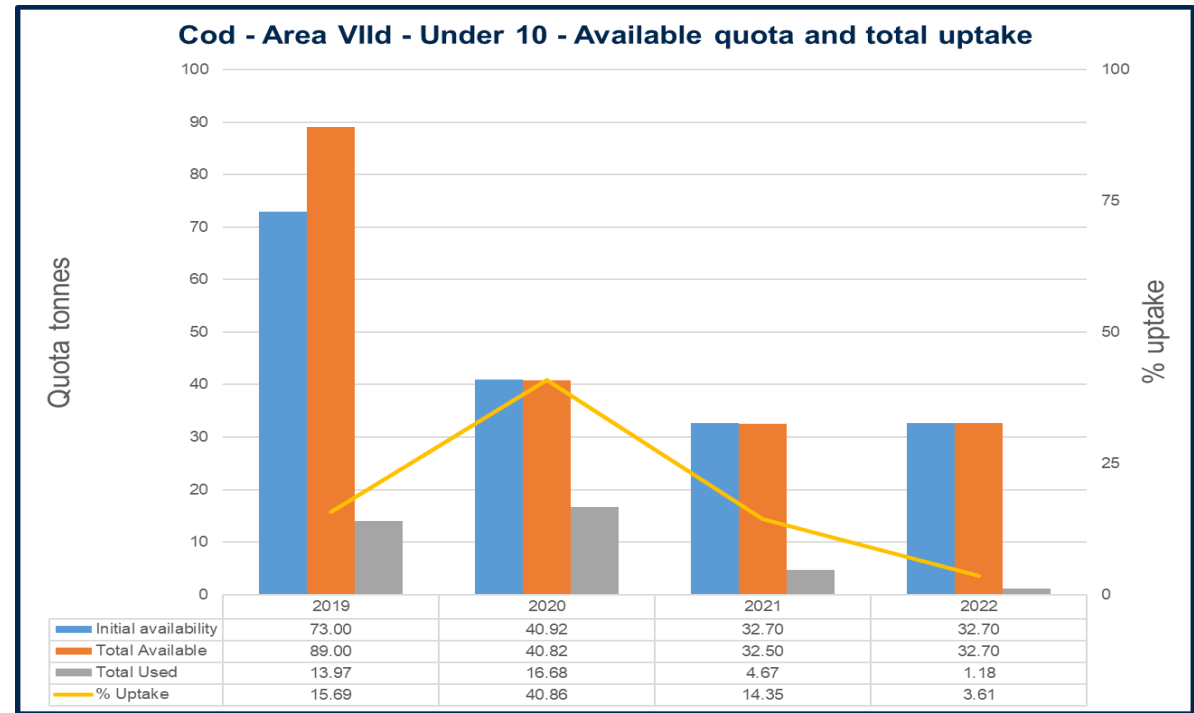
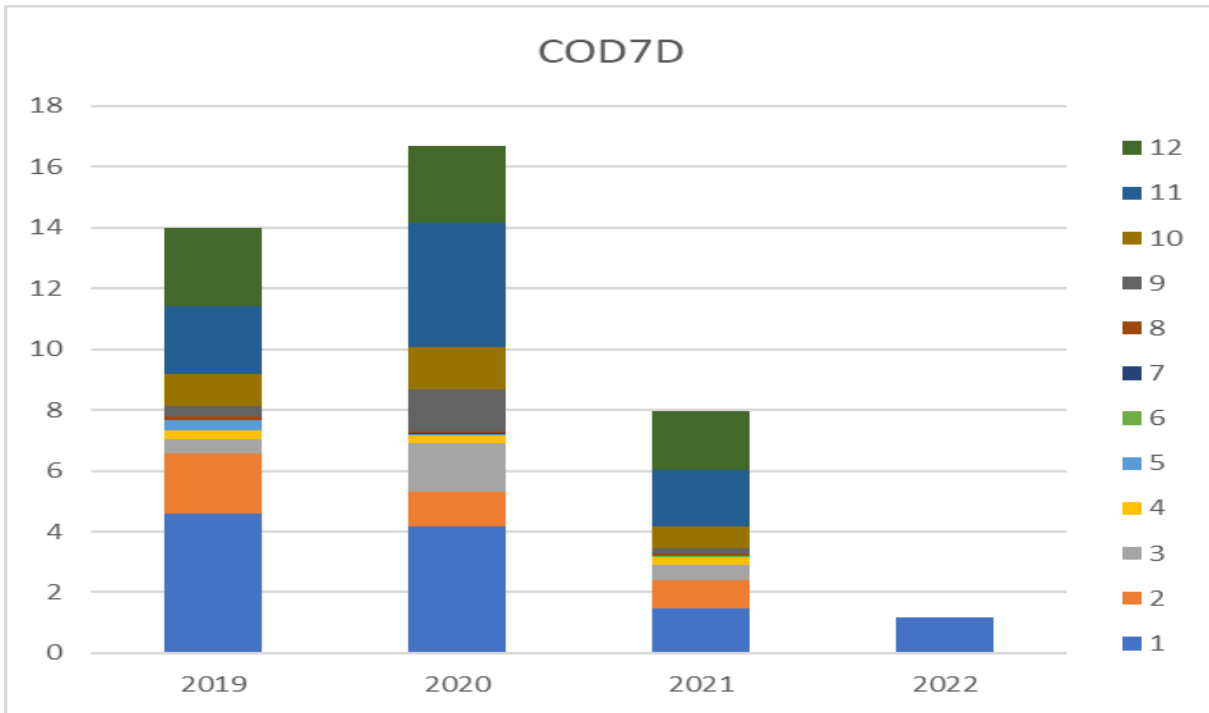
## Quota Review

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# Cod 7d



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Current Catch limit:

U10 = 2t

**O10 = 1t**

Uptake to date

U10's = 1.18t

**O10's = 0.006t**

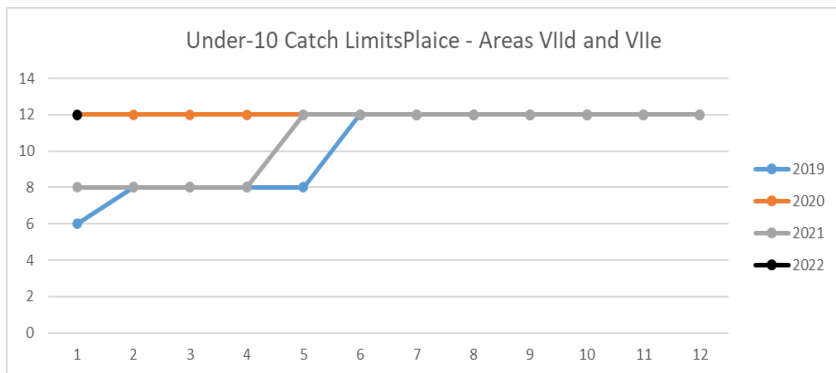
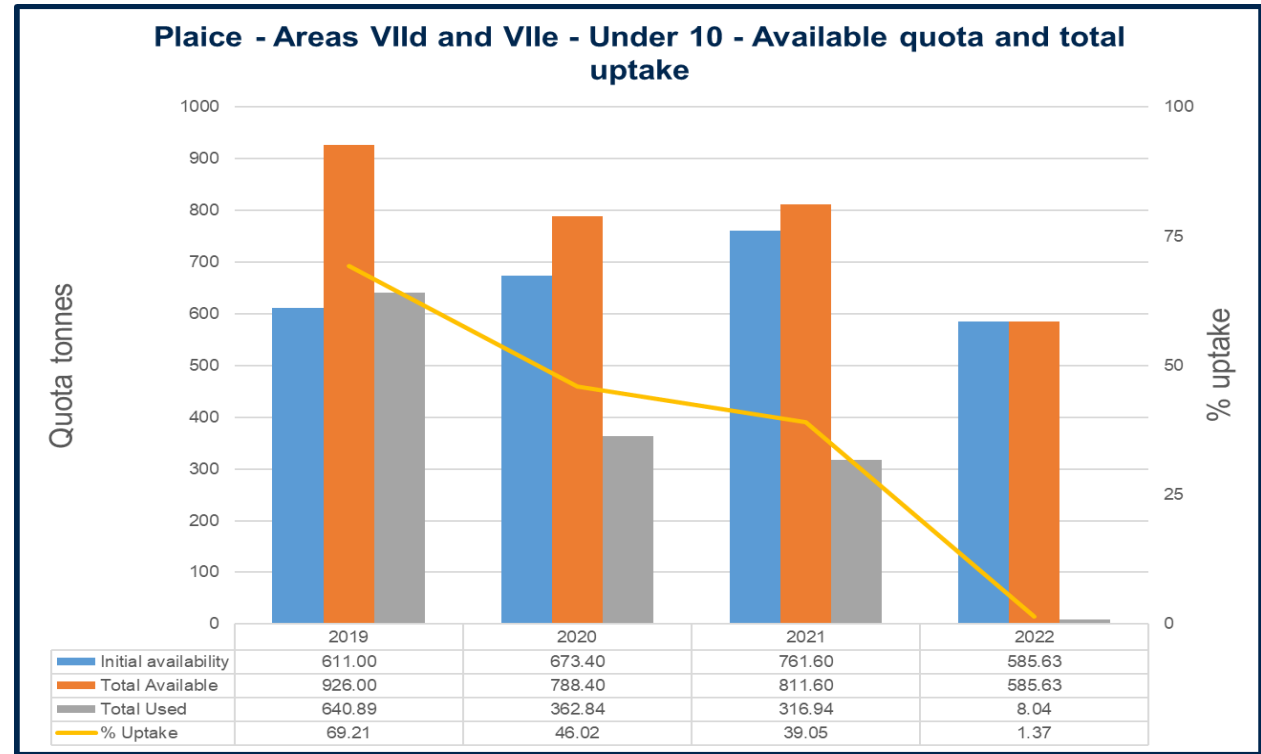
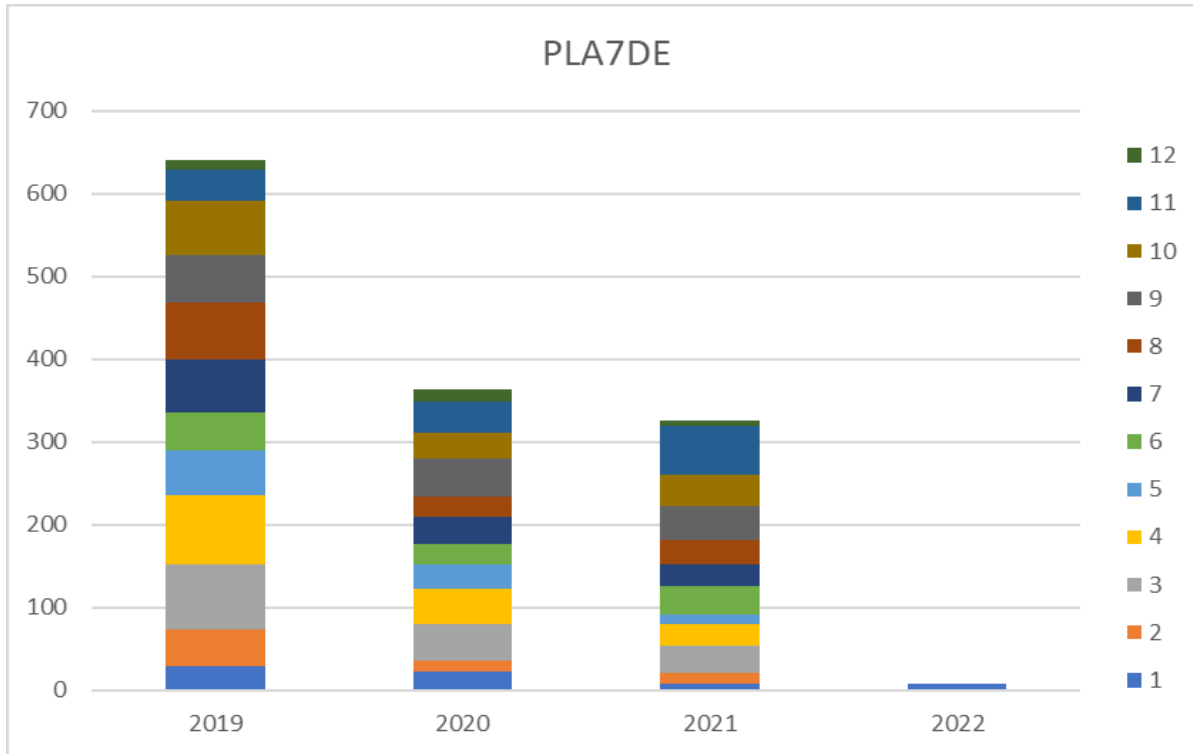
Current availability

U10's = 32.7t

52 U10 Vessels have landed 7D cod in 2022 so far top fisher landed 300kg – **O10s only 1 vessel landed 0.006t**

No change to catch limits suggested

# Plaice 7d & 7e



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Current Catch limit: U10 = 12t

**O10 = 8t**

Uptake to date – U10's 8t

**O10's - 0.52t**

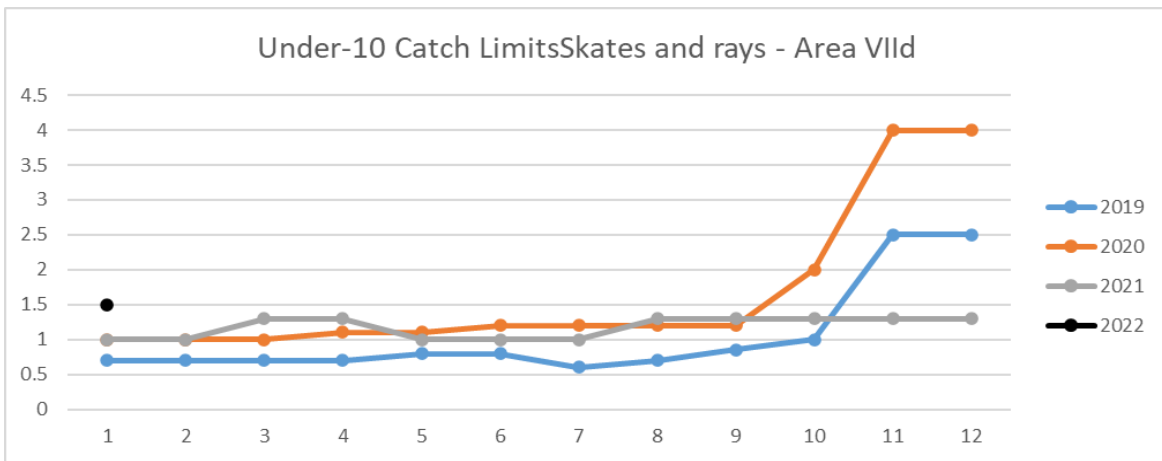
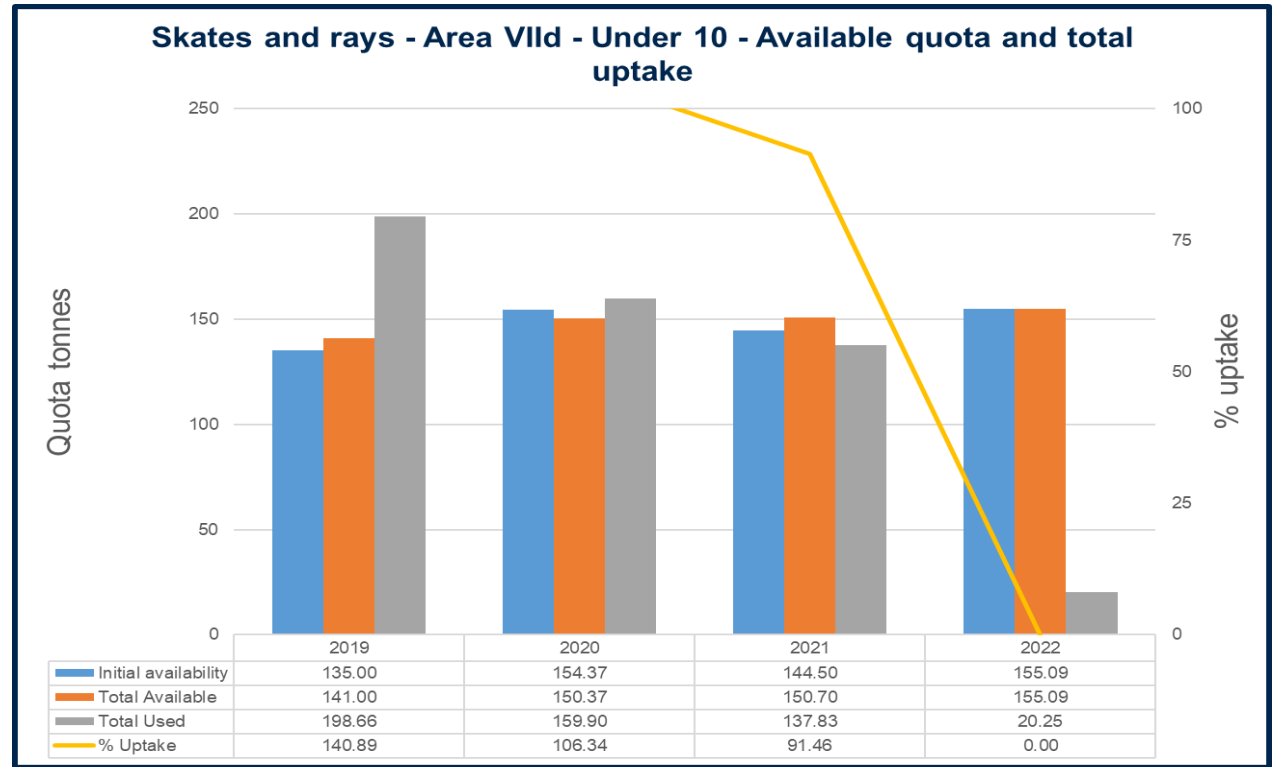
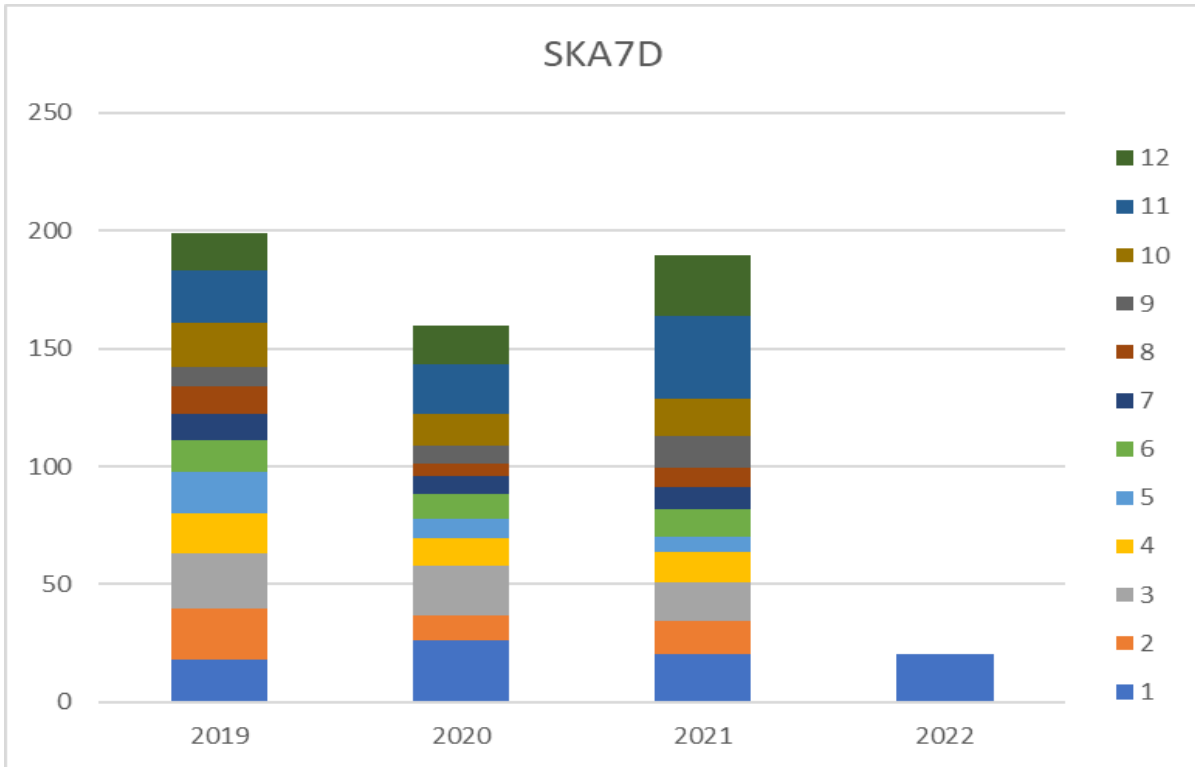
Current Quota allocation – U10 = **585.6t**

127 U10 vessel have landed PLE in 2022= 1t top fisher, 0.5t second highest fisher

**11 O10 Vessels have landed PLE in 2022 = 0.14 and 0.13 top 2 highest fishers**

No suggested changes to catch limits

# Skates & Rays 7d



Current Catch limit: U10 = 1.5t

**O10's = 1t**

Uptake to date – U10's 20.25t

**O10's = 0.24t**

Current Quota allocation – U10's = 155t

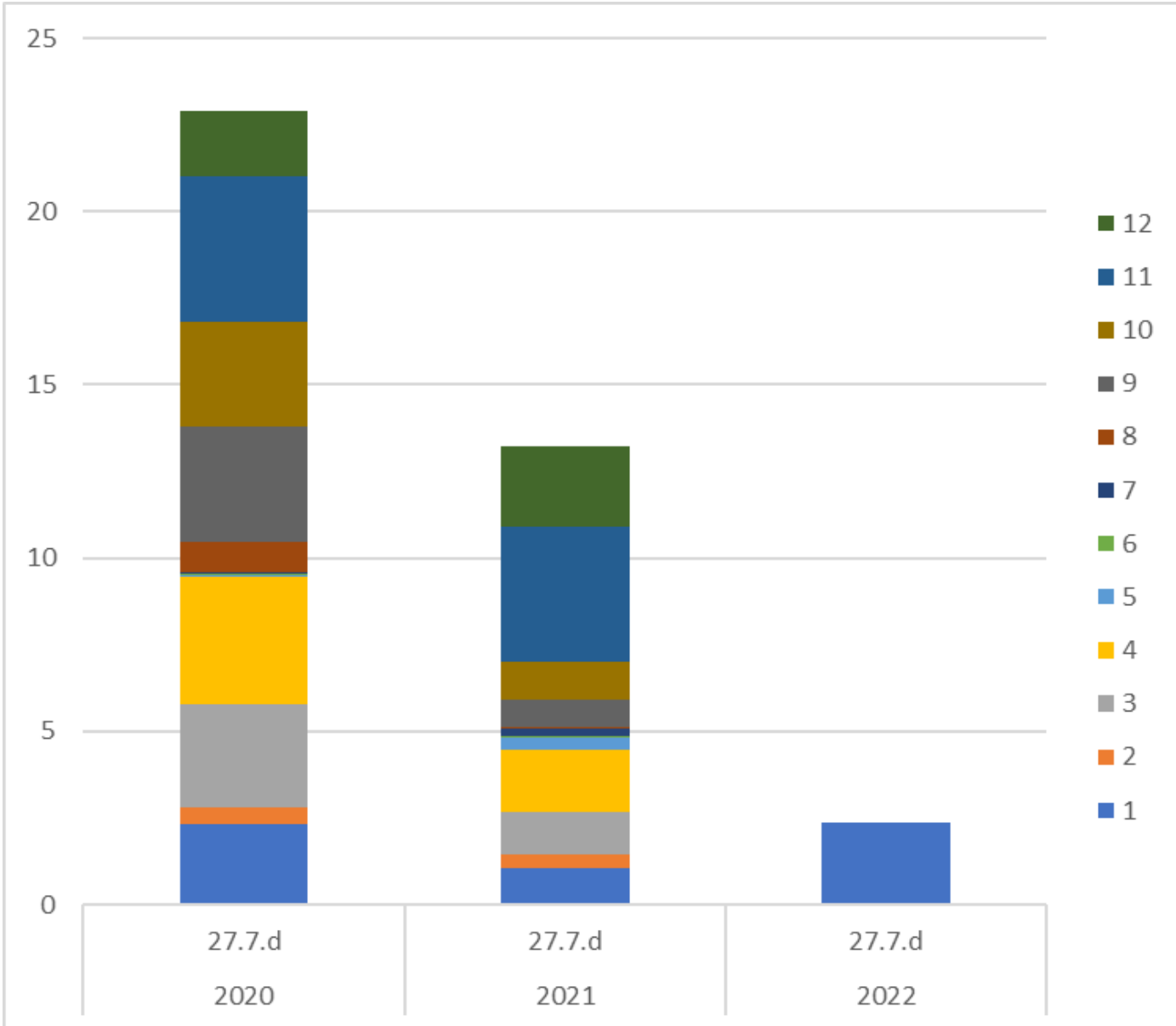
78 U10 vessels have landed S&R in January top 3 fishers are over 1t

**3 O10's vessels have landed S&R in January top fisher = 0.15**

Do we need to reconsider the catch limits for U10's?

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# Undulate Ray 7d&e

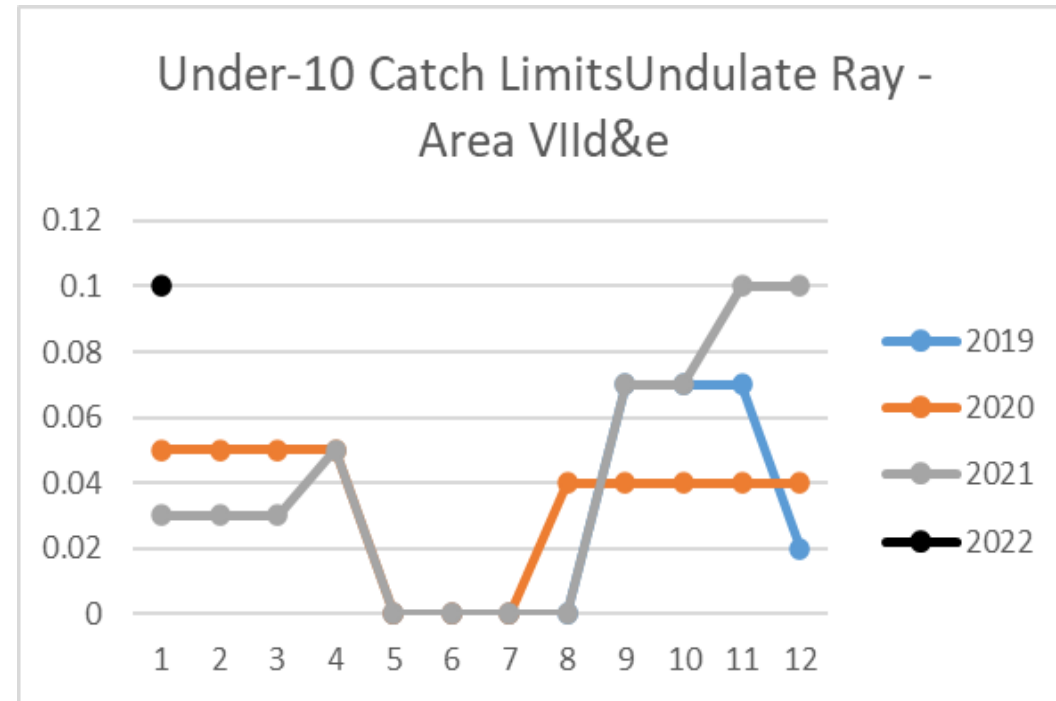


UK allocation – 75t

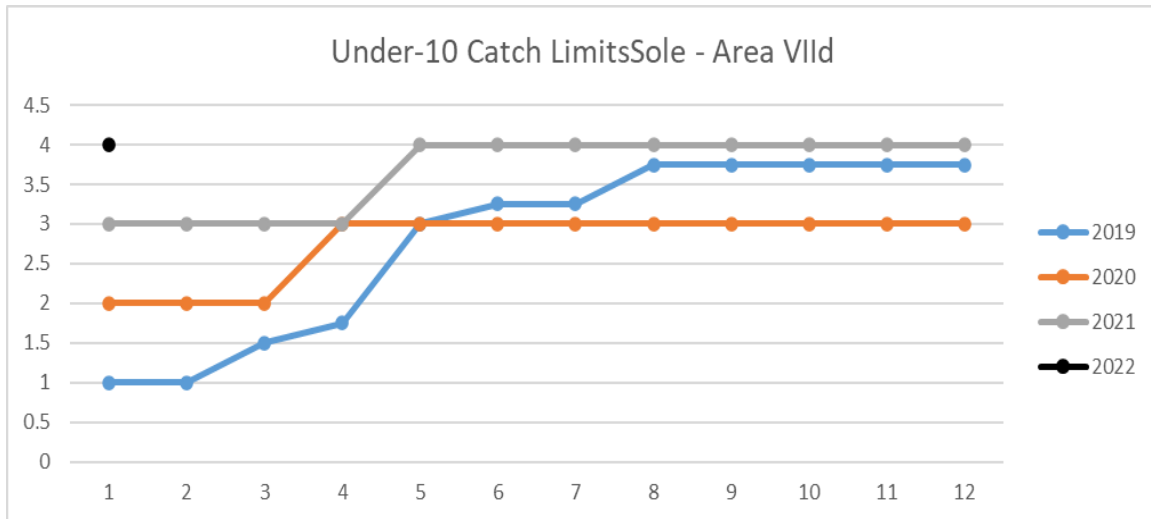
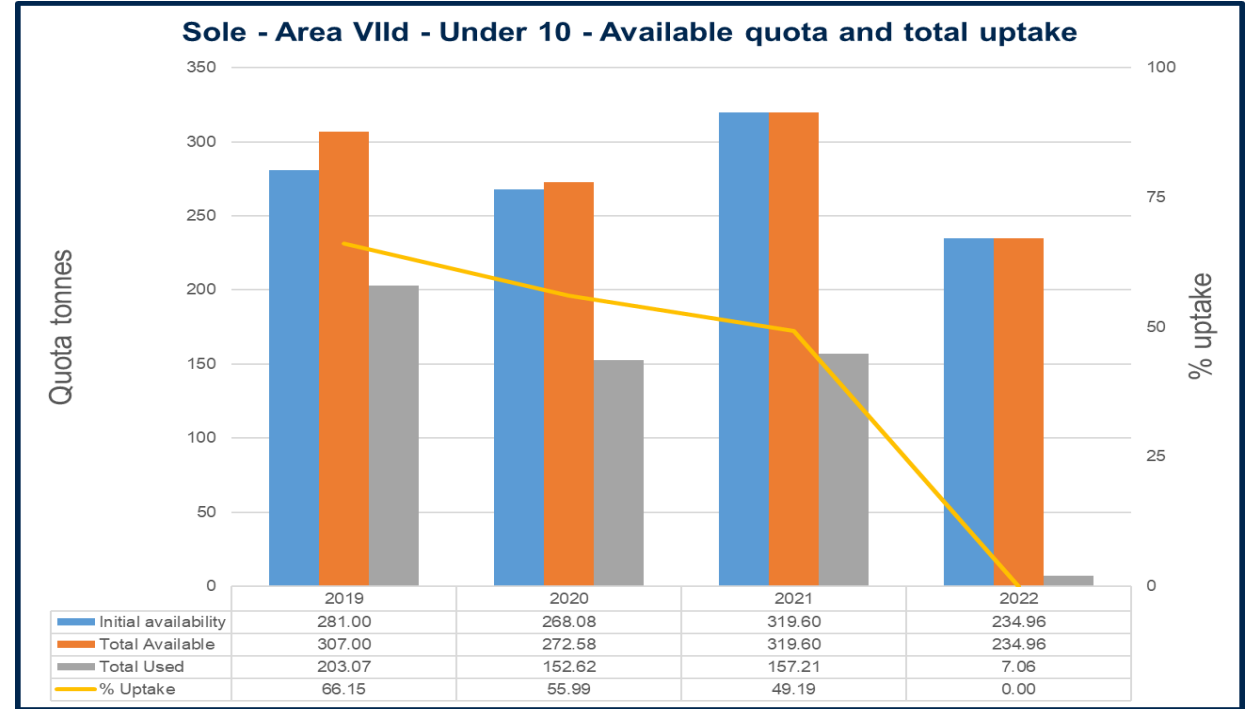
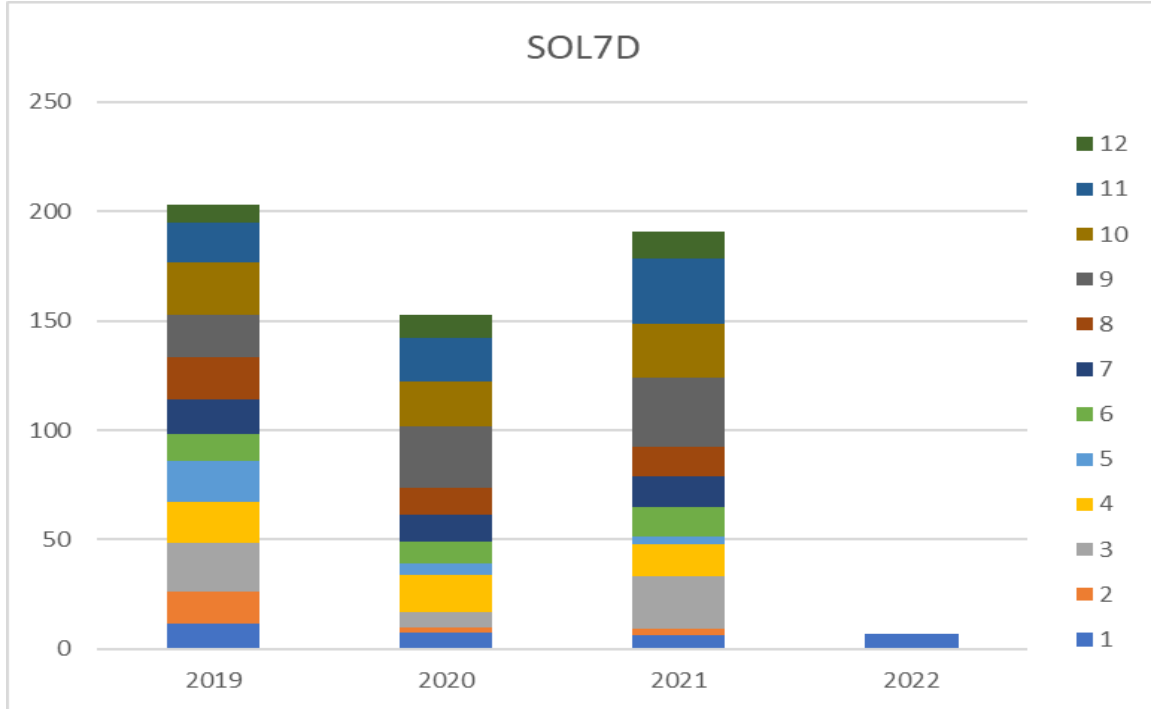
Year so far:

- Per trip by-catch of 100kg

Current uptake – 2.3t



# Sole 7d



Current Catch limit: U10 = 4t

Current Quota - 235t  
Uptake to date – 7.06t

81 boats landed Sole in Jan  
Top landing– 1.1t  
Propose to keep CL at 4t

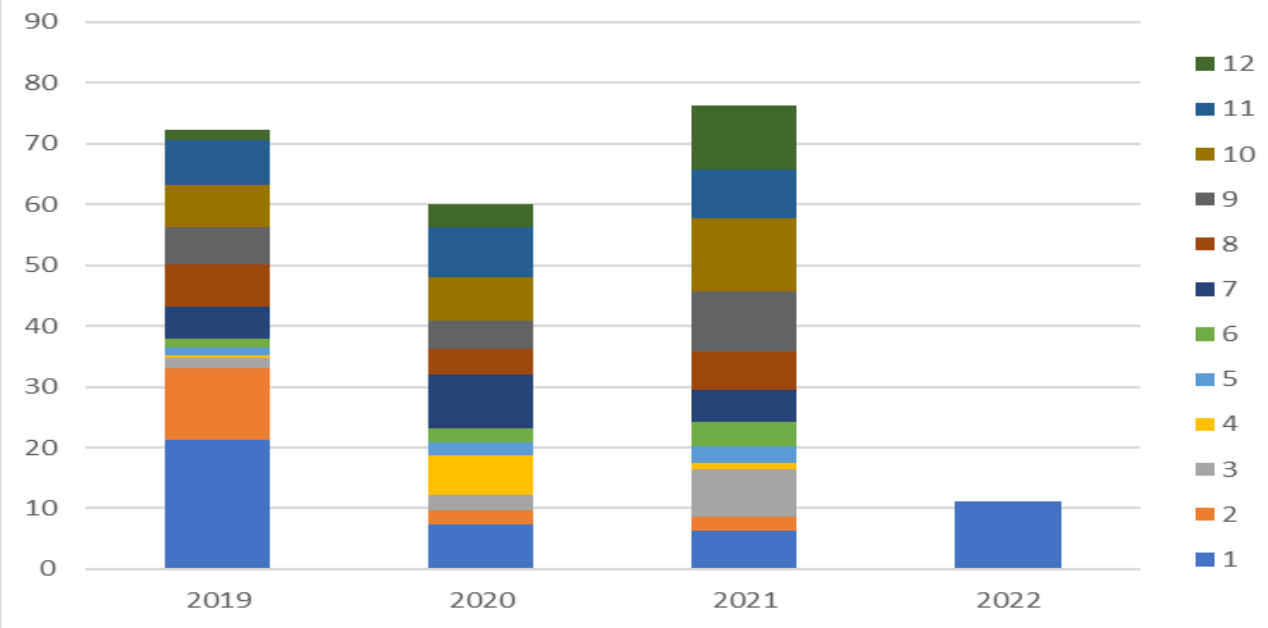
Current Catch limit: O10 = 2t

Uptake to date – 0.05t

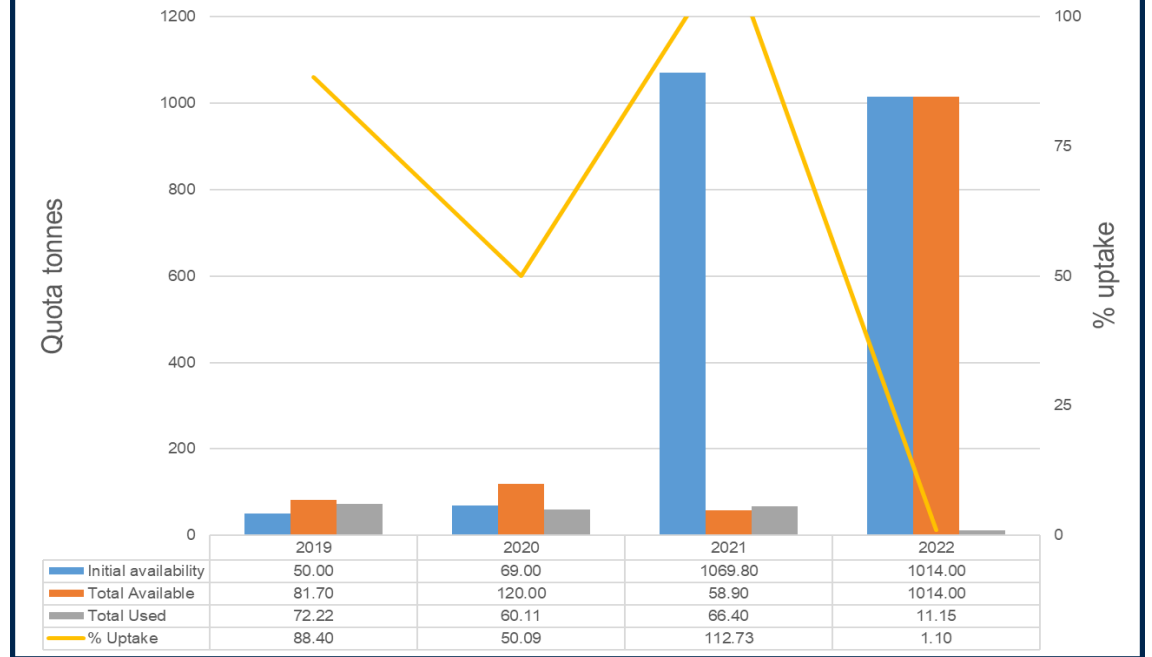
2 boats landed Sole in Jan  
Top landing – 0.05t  
Propose to keep CL at 2t

# Mackerel – Western

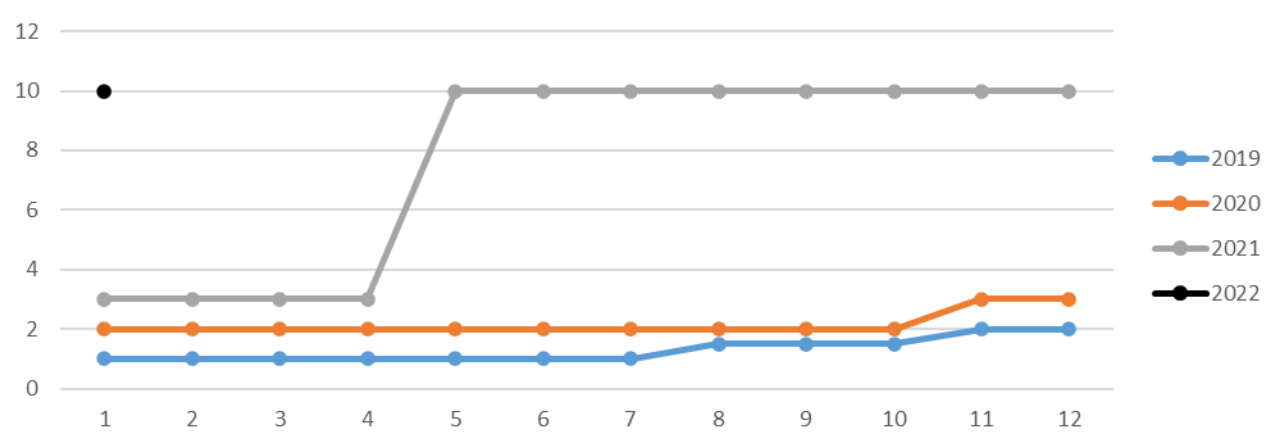
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Mackerel - Western - Under 10 - Available quota and total uptake



Under-10 Catch Limits Mackerel - Western



Current Catch limit: U10 = 10t

**O10 = 10t**

Uptake to date – U10's = 11.15t

**O10's = 0.044t**

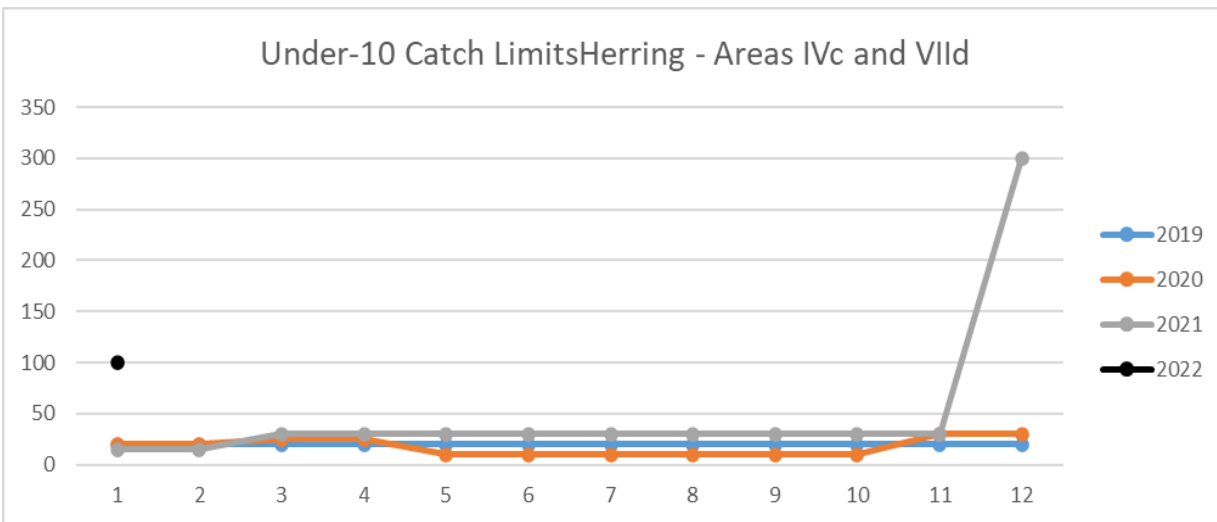
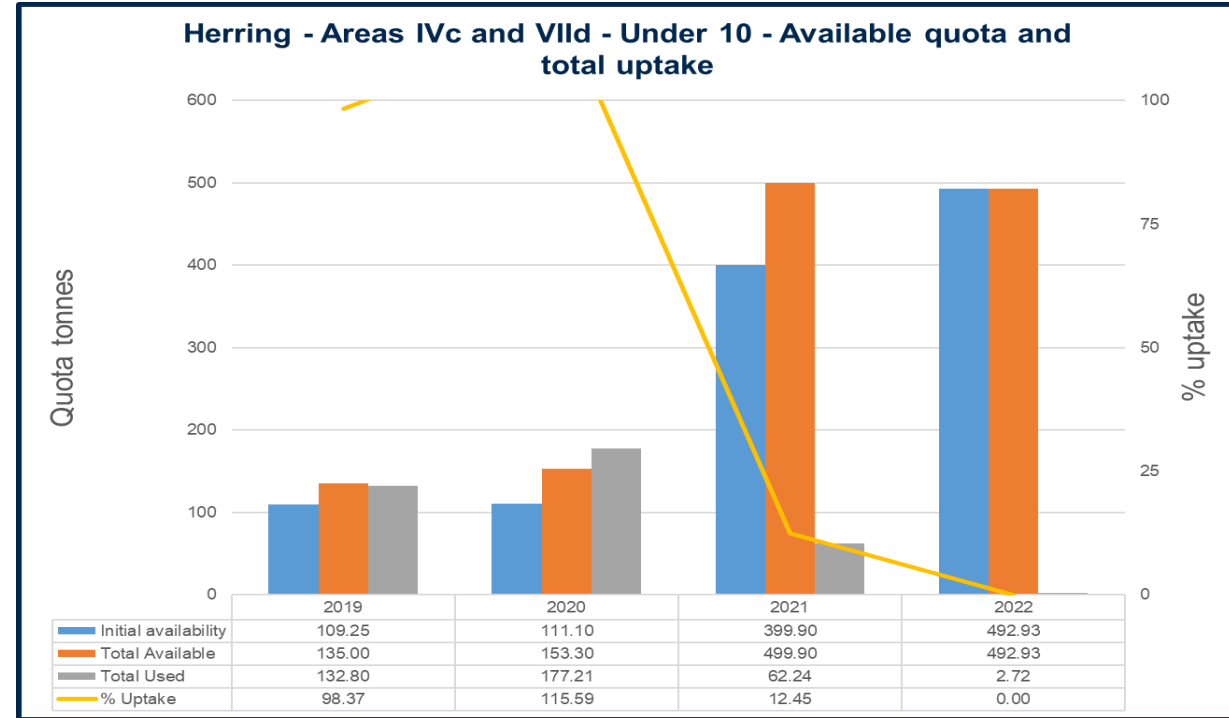
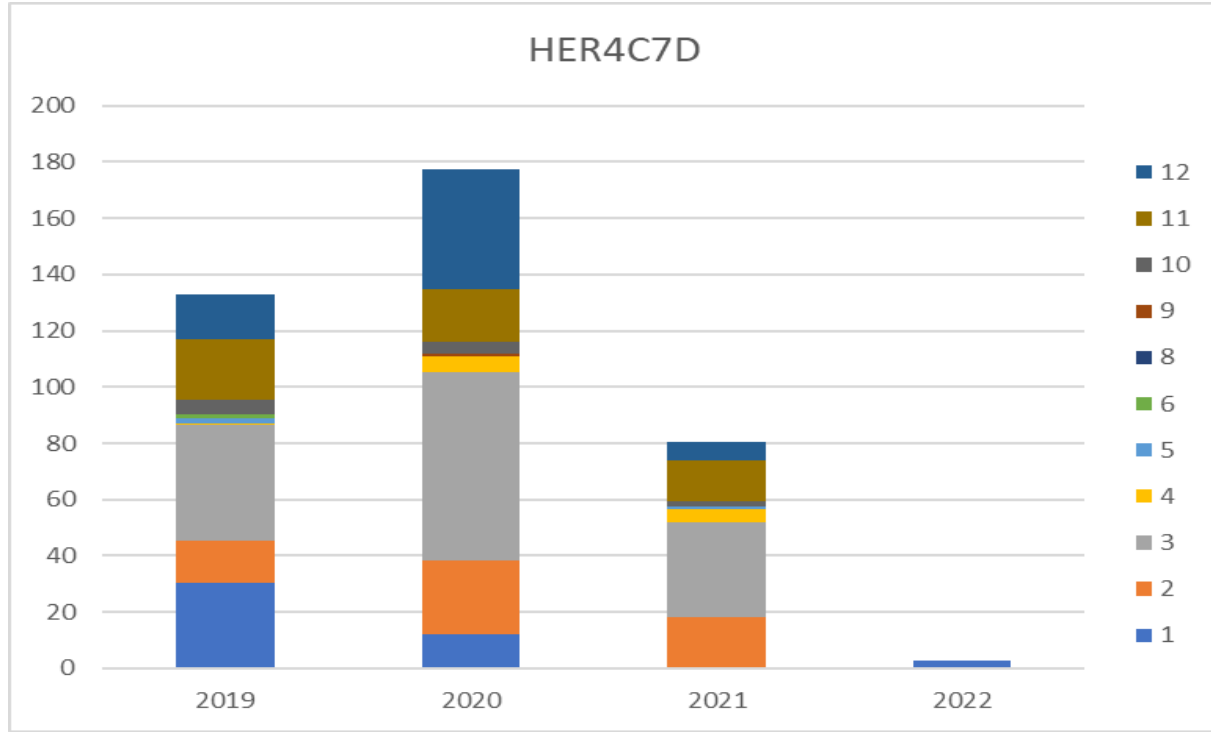
Current Quota allocation – U10's 1014t

58 U10 vessels landed Mackerel in January Top fisher – 2.04t

**2 O10 vessels landed Mackerel in January Top Landing 0.04t**

Propose to keep CL at 10t for both

# Herring 4c/7d



Current Catch limit: U10 = 100t  
**O10's = 75t**  
 Uptake to date – U10's = 2.72t  
**O10's = 0.003t**  
 Current Quota allocation U10's = 492.93t

20 U10 vessels landed Herring 4C & 7D in January  
**1 - O10 boat landed Herring in January**  
 Not the uptake we were expecting – why?  
 Propose to keep CL at U10's 100t & **O10's 75t**





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## Useful Links

Uptake Statistics

<https://www.gov.uk/government/statistical-data-sets/quota-use-statistics>

Catch limits

Under-10m <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/current-catch-limits-10-metres-and-under-pool>

Over-10m <https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/current-catch-limits-over-10-metre-non-sector-pool>

Trading

<https://www.gov.uk/government/publications/fishing-quota-trading-and-swaps>

Catch limit consultation (front page of MMO website during last 7-10 days of each month)

<https://www.gov.uk/government/organisations/marine-management-organisation>

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