

**WITHIN THIS LICENCE ANY REFERENCE TO AN EU REGULATION IS A REFERENCE TO THAT REGULATION AS IT FORMS PART OF UNITED KINGDOM DOMESTIC LAW BY VIRTUE OF SECTION 3 OF THE EUROPEAN UNION (WITHDRAWAL) ACT 2018 IN ACCORDANCE WITH SCHEDULE 8 (1) OF THAT ACT.**

**UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED REFERENCES TO ICES AREAS ARE REFERENCES TO THOSE PARTS OF THE AREA WHICH FALL WITHIN BRITISH FISHERY LIMITS.**

**PART 1: SPECIES FOR WHICH YOU MAY NOT FISH:**

| Description of Sea Fish  | Areas of Sea   |
|--|--|
| Angel sharks   | All waters   |
| Basking sharks   | All waters   |
| Bass<br>( <i>Dicentrarchus labrax</i> )                                  | ICES divisions 7b, 7c, 7j and 7k, and the waters of ICES divisions 7a and 7g that are more than 12 nautical miles from the baseline under the sovereignty of the United Kingdom. |
| Bluefin Tuna <sup>1</sup>  | All waters   |
| Common skate ( <i>Dipturus batis</i> )                                   | 2a   |
|  | 4, 5, 7, 8   |
| Deep sea sharks <sup>2</sup>   | 5, 6, 7, 8   |
| Guitarfishes   | 5, 6, 7, 8   |
| Great Lanternshark ( <i>Etmopterus princeps</i> )                        | 1, 2a, 4, 14   |
| Herring  | 2a <sup>3</sup>  |
|  | 7g-k   |
|  | The Thames and Blackwater coastal area <sup>4</sup>  |
|  | 6 The Firth of Clyde <sup>5</sup>  |
| Migratory trout  | 2a, 5, 5b, 6, 7, 8   |
| Norway pout  | 2a, 3a, 4  |
| Norwegian skate ( <i>Raja</i> { <i>Dipturus</i> } <i>nidarosiensis</i> ) | 6, 7a-c,e-k  |
| Orange roughy  | All waters   |
| Porbeagle  | All waters   |
| Roundnose Grenadier  | 3  |
| Salmon   | 2a, 4, 5b, 6, 7, 8   |
| Sandeels   | Scottish Inshore Waters <sup>6</sup>   |
| Shortfin mako ( <i>Isurus oxyrinchus</i> )                               | All waters   |
| Starry Ray ( <i>Amblyraja radiata</i> )                                  | 2a, 3a, 4, 7d  |
| Thornback ray ( <i>Raja clavata</i> )                                    | 3a   |
| Tope shark ( <i>Galeorhinus galeus</i> )                                 | When taken with longlines in 2a, 4; and in   |
|  | 1, 5, 6, 7, 8  |
| Undulate Ray ( <i>Raja undulata</i> )                                    | 6 and 10   |
| Whale shark ( <i>Rhincodon typus</i> )                                   | All waters   |
| White sharks   | All waters   |
| White Skate ( <i>Rostroraja alba</i> )                                   | 6, 7, 8  |

<sup>1</sup> Subject to the bycatch provisions in condition 7 in the Schedule to this licence.

<sup>2</sup> Deep sea sharks refers to sharks in the following list of species: gulper sharks, black dogfish, Portugese dogfish, longnose velvet dogfish, kitefin shark, greater lanternshark, frilled shark, birdbeak dogfish, mouse catshark, bluntnose six-gilled shark, velvet belly, sailfin roughshark (sharpback shark), knifetooth dogfish, Greenland shark and Deepwater catshark.

<sup>3</sup> Atlanto-Scandian Herring –ICES 2.

<sup>4</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>5</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>6</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.

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

| SPECIES                             | SEA AREAS  |
|-------------------------------------|--|
| Black Scabbardfish                  | 8  |
| Blonde ray (Raja brachyura)         | 2a   |
| Herring                             | 5b, 6b and 6aN <sup>7</sup>  |
|                                     | 7g-k   |
| Mackerel                            | 4a Flexibility box <sup>8</sup> (Seasonal closure 15th February – 31st July) |
| Sandeels                            | 2a & 4 (including all management areas)                                      |
| Horse Mackerel                      | 1, 12, 14  |
| Pollock                             | 5b, 6, 12, 14  |
| Sole                                | 5b, 6, 12, 14  |
| Small-eyed ray (Raja microocellata) | 2a, 4, 6a, 6b, 7a-c, 7e and 7h-k   |

**Part 2: QUOTA LIMITATIONS OF TAC STOCKS**

*NOTE: An overall quota limitation of 350kg in a calendar year will apply, either singly or collectively, to all quota stocks (excluding bass) as set out in the table below.*

*Where a monthly catch limit is also in place for a quota stock, licence holders must ensure they do not exceed that catch limit for that species whilst remaining within their overall catch limit of 350kg for all quota stocks.*

*Where this is a current catch limit for species these are laid out in table below.*

**LICENCE HOLDERS ARE REMINDED THAT QUOTA LIMITS ARE IN LIVE WEIGHT.**

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

| TAC SPECIES | SEA AREA      | QUOTA LIMIT/MONTH ( UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED) |
|-------------|---------------|--|
| Anglerfish  | 2a, 4         | 1 tonne                                      |
|             | 7             | 8 tonnes                                     |
| Brill       | 7d, e         | 0.6 tonnes                                   |
| Cod         | 2a, 4         | 4 tonnes                                     |
|             | 7a            | 0.1 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)           |
|             | 7b-c, 7e-k, 8 | 0.3 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)           |
|             | 7d            | 1 tonnes                                     |

<sup>7</sup> 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.

<sup>8</sup> Mackerel caught in ICES Division 4a in the periods between 1 August and 15 February shall be recorded against the Western mackerel quota. All other catches of mackerel in ICES Division 4a shall be recorded against the North Sea mackerel quota and shall be subject to any quota limitations set out at **Part 2** of this **Annex**.

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|                    |   |  |
|--------------------|---|--|
| Haddock            | 2a, 4   | 2.5 tonnes   |
|                    | 7a  | 0.5 tonne  |
|                    | 7b-k, 8   | 3.5 tonnes   |
| Hake               | 2a and 4  | 2 tonnes   |
|                    | 5b, 6, 7  | 10 tonnes  |
| Lemon Sole/Witches | 2a, 4   | 1 tonne  |
| Lemon sole         | 7d  | 0.05 tonnes  |
| Ling               | 6, 7, 8   | 2 tonnes   |
|                    | 4   | 0.2 tonnes   |
| Megrin             | 2a, 4   | 0.25 tonnes  |
|                    | 7   | 5 tonnes   |
| Nephrops           | 2a, 4   | 50 tonnes per quarter  |
|                    | 5b, 6   | 7 tonnes per quarter   |
|                    | 7   | 8 tonnes per quarter   |
| Plaice             | 2a, 4   | 8 tonnes   |
|                    | 7a  | 8 tonnes   |
|                    | 7d  | 3 tonnes   |
|                    | 7e  | 1.5 tonnes   |
|                    | 7f,g  | 2 tonnes   |
| Pollack            | 7   | 0.1 tonnes (Strictly by-catch only)  |
| Saithe             | 2a, 3a, 3b-d, 4   | 0.5 tonnes   |
|                    | 7, 8  | 2 tonnes   |
| Skates & Rays      | 2a, 4   | 4 tonnes   |
|                    | 7d (excluding undulate ray – see schedule for additional restrictions for undulate ray)                         | 2.5 tonnes   |
|                    | 6a-b & 7a-c, e-k (excluding undulate ray in area 7e– see schedule for additional restrictions for undulate ray) | 15 tonnes; of which no more than 0.5 tonne Small-eyed ray ( <i>Raja microocellata</i> ) to be fished in 7f-g only                        |
| Sole               | 2, 4  | 5 tonnes   |
|                    | 7a  | 0.4 tonnes (Strictly by-catch only)  |
|                    | 7d  | 2.5 tonnes   |
|                    | 7e  | 2 tonnes of which no more than 0.2 tonnes may be retained on board or landed when fishing using scallop dredges (strictly by-catch only) |
|                    | 7f-g  | 2 tonnes   |

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| Turbot and Brill | 2a, 4  | 1 tonne   |
| Whiting          | 2a, 4  | 4 tonnes  |
|                  | 7a   | 0.1 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)  |
|                  | 7bce, k  | 1 tonne   |
|                  | 7d   | 2 tonnes  |
| Herring          | 4ab  | 50 tonnes   |
|                  | 4c, 7d   | 50 tonnes   |
|                  | 7a   | 0.5 tonnes  |
|                  | 7e-f   | 5 tonnes  |
| Horse mackerel   | 4b, 4c and 7d  | 10 tonnes   |
|                  | 2a, 4a, 5b, 6, 7a-c, 7e-k, 8a,b,d,e  | 0.5 tonnes (Strictly bycatch only)  |
| Mackerel         | 2a, 3a-d and 4   | 2.5 tonnes  |
|                  | 5b, 6, 7, 8abde  | 10 tonnes. <b>Please note that this quota limit excludes fish caught and landed by vessels using handline gear in sea areas <u>7e-h</u> only.</b> |
|                  | 7d handline (additional limit for vessels authorised in accordance with section 5.5 of the schedule to this licence) | 2 tonnes  |
| Sprats           | 2a, 4  | 200 tonnes per vessel per week  |
|                  | 7d-e   | 1 tonne   |
| Picked Dogfish   | 2a, 4  | 8 tonnes  |
| Witch            | 7d   | 0.05 tonnes   |

**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>9</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>10</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>11</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            |                    |

<sup>9</sup> Tails

<sup>10</sup> Headed

<sup>11</sup> Gutted, headed and skinned

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|                             |     |       |      |      |                    |
|-----------------------------|-----|-------|------|------|--------------------|
| 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>12</sup>  |
| Mackerel                    | MAC | 1.09  |      |      |                    |
| Megrims                     | LEZ | 1.06  |      | 2.5  |                    |
| Mullet                      | MUL | 1.125 |      | 2.7  |                    |
| Nephrops                    | NEP |       |      |      | 3.0 <sup>8</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>13</sup> |     | 1.13  |      |      | 2.09 <sup>14</sup> |
| Picked dogfish              | DGS | 1.35  |      | 2.7  | 2.52 <sup>10</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  |                    |

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|-------------------------|-------------|---------------|----------------------------|----------------|-------------------|
| Black Scabbardfish      | BSF         | 1.24          |                            |                | 1.4 <sup>9</sup>  |
| Blue Ling               | BLE         | 1.17          | 1.32                       | 2.8            |                   |
| Greater Forkbeard       | GFB         | 1.11          | 1.4                        |                |                   |
| Greenland Halibut       | GHL         | 1.08          |                            |                |                   |
| Roundnose Grenadier     | RNG         | 1.11          | 1.92                       |                | 3.2 <sup>15</sup> |
| Red Seabream            | SBR         | 1.11          |                            | 2.7            |                   |

<sup>12</sup> Gutted and salted

<sup>13</sup> Species specific codes and ID guides are available from your local fisheries office

<sup>14</sup> Wings

<sup>15</sup> Gutted, headed and tailed