

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 I: SPECIES FOR WHICH YOU MAY NOT FISH:

Description of Sea Fish	Areas of Sea
Angel sharks	All waters
Basking sharks	All waters
Bass (Dicentrarchus labrax)	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 ¹	All waters
Common skate (Dipturus batis)	2a
	4, 5, 7, 8
Deep sea sharks ²	5, 6, 7, 8
Guitarfishes	5, 6, 7, 8
Great Lanternshark (Etmopterus princeps)	1, 2a, 4, 14
Herring	2a ³
	7g-k
	The Thames and Blackwater coastal area ⁴
	6 The Firth of Clyde ⁵
Migratory trout	2a, 4, 5b, 6, 7, 8
Norway pout	2a, 3a, 4
Norwegian skate (Raja {Dipturus} nidarosiensis)	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 ⁶
Shortfin mako (Isurus oxyrinchus)	All waters
Starry Ray (Amblyraja radiata)	2a, 3a, 4, 7d
Thornback ray (Raja clavata)	3a
Tope shark (Galeorhinus galeus)	When taken with longlines in 2a, 4; and in
	1, 5, 6, 7, 8
Undulate Ray (Raja undulata)	6, 7a-c, 7f-k and 10
Whale shark (Rhincodon typus)	All waters
White sharks	All waters
White Skate (Rostroraja alba)	6, 7, 8

¹ Subject to the bycatch provisions in condition 12 in the Schedule to this licence.

² Deep sea sharks refers to sharks in the following list of species: gulper sharks, black dogfish, Portuguese 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.

³ Atlanto-Scandian Herring –ICES 2.

⁴ 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.

⁵ 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).

⁶ "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 (<i>Raja brachyura</i>)	2a
Boarfish (<i>Capros aper</i>)	6, 7, 8
Blue Whiting	2a, 4, 5b, 6, 7, 8abde
Greater Silver Smelt	2a
Herring	5b, 6b and 6aN ⁷
	7d; 4c
	7a
	7e-f
	7g-k
Mackerel	4a Flexibility box ⁸ (Seasonal closure 15 February – 31 July)
	3a & 4: 2a, 3b,c,d
Sandeels	2a & 4 (including all management areas)
Horse Mackerel	1, 12, 14
	4b, 4c and 7d
	2a, 4a, 6, 7a-c, 7e-k, 8abde, 5b
Pollock	5b, 6, 12, 14
Sole	5b, 6, 12, 14
Small-eyed ray (<i>Raja microocellata</i>)	2a, 4, 6a, 6b, 7a-c, 7e and 7h-k
	7d
Shagreen Ray	7d
Sandy Ray	6, 7a-c, e-k
Sandy Ray	7d
Sprats	2a and 4
	7d,e
DEEP SEA SPECIE	SEA AREAS
Black Scabbardfish	5b, 6, 7
Forkbeards	5b, 6, 7
Roundnose Grenadier	5b, 6, 7

⁷ 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.

⁸ 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**.

PART 2: QUOTA LIMITATIONS OF TAC STOCKS

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	<u>QUOTA LIMIT/ MONTH (UNLESS OTHERWISE STATED)</u>
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Tusk	2a	0.1 tonnes per trip
Small-eyed-ray (<i>Raja microocellata</i>)	7f-g	1.25 tonnes

Blue Ling	2a & 4	0.1 tonnes per trip
Undulate Ray	7de	2 tonnes
Shagreen Ray	6, 7a-c, e-k	1 tonne

DEEP-SEA SPECIES	SEA AREA
Alfonsinos	4, 5b, 6, 7, 8
Black scabbardfish	2a, 4
Forkbeards	2a, 4
Red seabream	6, 7, 8
Roundnose grenadier	2a, 4, 8

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

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 & Headed</u>	<u>Fillets</u>	<u>Parts</u>
Anglerfish	ANF	1.22	3.0		3.0 ⁹
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 ¹⁰
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 ¹¹
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 ¹²

⁹ Tails

¹⁰ Headed

¹¹ Gutted, headed and skinned

¹² Gutted and salted

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Mackerel	MAC	1.09			
Megrims	LEZ	1.06		2.5	
Mullet	MUL	1.125		2.7	
Nephrops	NEP				3.0 ⁶
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 ¹³		1.13			2.09 ¹⁴
Picked dogfish	DGS	1.35		2.7	2.52 ⁸
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 & Headed</u>	<u>Fillets</u>	<u>Parts</u>
Black Scabbardfish	BSF	1.24			1.4 ⁷
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 ¹⁵
Red Seabream	SBR	1.11		2.7	

¹³ Species specific codes and ID guides are available from your local fisheries office

¹⁴ Wings

¹⁵ Gutted, headed and tailed