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Engraulis	Anchovy	IX,X,CECAF 34.1.1.	4800	Average catch 1988–2006 excl. 95, 98, 01, 02	8000	8000	6	-15,0%	
Engraulis	Anchovy	VIII	7260	Closure of the fishery (reconsider after spring survey).	0	0	10	0,0%	With in-year review
Lophius	Anglerfish	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)	not given	no effort increase	11345	11345	6	0,0%	
Lophius	Anglerfish	IV(Norwegian waters)		no effort increase	NR	1610	6		
Lophius	Anglerfish	Vb(EC), VI, XII, XIV	not given	no effort increase	5155	5155	6	0,0%	
Lophius	Anglerfish	VII	25740	Less than average landings	28080	28080	6	-8,3%	
Lophius	Anglerfish	VIIIabde	7260	Less than average landings	7920	7920	6	-8,3%	
Lophius	Anglerfish	VIIIc,IXa,X,CECAF 34.1.1	0	F = 0 or recovery plan	1955	1955	10	-25,0%	
Molva dypterygia	Blue ling	EC and int waters of VI, VII	0	No directed fisheries			6		Moved from deep-sea regln.
Micromesistius	Blue whiting	I to VII, VIIIabde, XII, XIV (EC and International waters)		Maintain stock above Bpa. 384000t for all areas.	1266282	175466	4		
Micromesistius	Blue whiting	II,IVa, VIN,Vlb and VII west of 12 deg W			1266282		4		
Micromesistius	Blue whiting	IV(Norwegian waters)			1266282	8000	4		
Micromesistius	Blue whiting	VIIIc IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC Waters)			1266282	32107	4		
Gadus morhua	Cod	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)	0	Zero catch	22152	18386	4		
Gadus morhua	Cod	Kattegat	0	Zero catch	673	673	4	-25,0%	
Gadus morhua	Cod	Norwegian waters S of 62	0	Zero catch	NR	382	4		
Gadus morhua	Cod	Skagerrak	0	Zero catch	3165	3165	4		
Gadus morhua	Cod	Vla, Vb	0	Removals are much higher than landings. Zero advice	402	402	4	-25,0%	
Gadus morhua	Cod	Vlb (Rockall subunit)		Information is inadequate to provide advice	0	0	11		
Gadus morhua	Cod	VIIa	0	Zero catch	1199	1199	10	-25,0%	
Gadus morhua	Cod	VIIb,c,e-k, VIII,IX,X,CECAF 34.1.1 (EC)	2600	50% F reduction to reach Bpa in 2010	4316	4316	4	25,2%	VIIId removed
Gadus morhua	Cod	VIIId	0	Zero catch	na	na			New TAC to be fixed in line with North Sea
	Combined quota	Vb, VI, VII (EC)			140	140	11		
Solea solea	Common sole	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)	9800	Apply management plan	12800	12710	4	7,0%	
Solea solea	Common sole	IIIa, IIIbcd (EC)	970	Keep F below Fpa	940	940	1	-25,0%	Fmsy not defined. Maintaining F at 0.22 implies a 37% reduction. Limit to 25% reduction
Solea solea	Common sole	Vb(EC), VI, XII, XIV			68	68	11	-14,7%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIa	0	Zero catch and recovery plan	669	669	10	-25,0%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIbc	50	Reduce TAC to recent average (2004–2006)	59	59	6	-15,3%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIId	4380	Fish at Fpa	6593	6593	3	-20,0%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIe	320	70% reduction in F	765	765	4	-15,0%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIIfg	940	No long-term gain in increasing F	964	964	2	-2,5%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIhjk	300	Reduce TAC to recent average (2004–2006)	650	650	6	-14,9%	
Solea solea	Common sole	VIIIab	4430	Fish at Fpa	4170	4170	4	5,3%	
Limanda	Dab and flounder	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)			18810	18810	11/4	-10,0%	Link to plaice and sole

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Argentina silus	Greater silver smelt	I, II EC + int. w.		No expansion of fishery	116	116	6	0,0%	
Argentina silus	Greater silver smelt	III,IV EC + int. w.		No expansion of fishery	1331	1331	6	0,0%	
Argentina silus	Greater silver smelt	V,VI,VII EC + int. w.		No expansion of fishery	5311	5311	6	0,0%	
Reinhardtius	Greenland Halibut	IIa(EC), IV, VI(EC)		Adaptive management plan, reduce to 5 000 t	NR	847	6		
Melanogrammus	Haddock	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)	42110	Mixed fisheries consideration/ Apply management plan	46444	37626	4		Agreed management plan with Norway
Melanogrammus	Haddock	IV(Norwegian waters S of 62°N)			NR	707	4		
Melanogrammus	Haddock	Skagerrak, Kattegat, IIIbcd (EC)	2590		2856	2472	4		
Melanogrammus	Haddock	Vb,Vla	0	Closure and recovery plan; SSB under Bpa in 2010	6120	6120	10	-25,0%	New separate TAC
Melanogrammus	Haddock	Vlb, XII, XIV	4330	Fish at Fsq, F is below Fpa	6916	6916	2	-15,0%	New separate TAC
Melanogrammus	Haddock	VII, VIII, IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC)		No increase in effort; recruitment is low	11579	11579	9	-24,5%	New separate TAC
Melanogrammus	Haddock	VIIa		No increase in effort; recruitment is good	1238	1238	8	15,0%	New separate TAC
Merluccius	Hake	overall northern TAC	38600 to 51500	Catch of 38,600 leads to highest long-term yield. 51,500t compatible with precautionary approach in 2009	54000	54000	4	-10,0%	Consistent with forthcoming proposal on LT management
Merluccius	Hake	VIIIc, IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC)	0	Zero catch	7047	7047	4	-10,0%	
Clupea	Herring	IIa(EC), IV and VIId(by-catch)		All North Sea Herring: Adopt one of the new proposed HCRs	18806	18806	4		Revision to the management plan to be discussed with Norway
Clupea	Herring	IIIa, Directed fishery			51673	51673	4		
Clupea	Herring	IVc, VIId	19404		201227	26661	4		
Clupea	Herring	North Sea IV ab	156996		201227	116210	4		
Clupea	Herring	Norwegian waters S of 62			NR	846	4		
Clupea	Herring	Skagerrak and Kattegat, by-catches			11470	11470	4		
Clupea	Herring	Vb(EC) VIa(N), Vlb	13000	according to management plan Fint of 0,2	27200	26540	3	-52,2%	According to proposed management plan
Clupea	Herring	VIa Clyde			800	800	11	-15,0%	Advice provided only in 2006
Clupea	Herring	VIa(S), VIIbc	0	No fishing without a rebuilding plan	11642	11642	10	-25,0%	
Clupea	Herring	VIIa	4400	Recent catches	4800	4800	6	-8,3%	
Clupea	Herring	VIIef			1000	1000	11	0,0%	FR has 99% uptake
Clupea	Herring	VIIghjk		No targeted fishing without rebuilding plan	7890	7890	10	-25,0%	
Trachurus	Horse Mackerel	CECAF(Canaries)			1280	1280	11	-15,0%	
Trachurus	Horse Mackerel	CECAF(Madeira)			1280	1280	11	-15,0%	
Trachurus	Horse mackerel	IVb,IVc,VIIId	18000	No increase in catch from 1982-1997	39309	37230	6	-54,2%	Revised TAC area
Trachurus	Horse Mackerel	EC waters of IIa, IVa, VI, VIIa-c, VIIe-k, VIII, Vb; int waters of XII, XIV	180000	Follow proposed management plan	170000	167920	6	5,9%	Revised TAC area

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Trachurus	Horse Mackerel	IX	25000	Recent average catch (2000-2004) excluding 2003	57750	57750	6	-56,7%	Revised TAC area
Trachurus	Horse Mackerel	X, CECAF(Azores)			3200	3200	11	-15,0%	
Microstomus kitt and Glyptocephalus cynoglossus	Lemon sole and witch	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)			6793	6793	11/4	-10,0%	Link to plaice and sole
Molva molva	Ling	I, II (EC)	6000		45	45	6	-15,6%	
Molva molva	Ling	IIa, IV, Vb, VI, VII(EC)		10000t limit for zones III, IVa, VI, VII, VIII, IX, XII, XIV	NR	NR	6		
Molva molva	Ling	III(EC)			100	100	6	-15,0%	
Molva molva	Ling	IV(EC)			2856	2856	6	-15,0%	
Molva molva	Ling	IV(Norwegian waters)			NR	850	6		
Molva molva	Ling	V(EC+intl.)	7500	Limit to 7 500 for all Va. No effort increase for Vb	34	34	6	0,0%	
Molva molva	Ling	VI,VII,VIII,IX,X,XII,XIV (EC and int.w.)			10776	10776	6		15% reduction on EC quota + allocation to NO.
Scomber	Mackerel	II(EC), Skagerrak and Kattegat, IIIbcd (EC), North Sea		All mackerel: F between 0.15 and 0.2; max. catches 578 000t including VIIIc, IXa	385366	18149	4		New advice on long-management to be considered
Scomber	Mackerel	IIa(non EC), Vb (EC), VI, VII, VIIIabde, XII,XIV			385366	234082	4		
Scomber	Mackerel	overall TAC			385366		4		
Scomber	Mackerel	VIIIc IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC Waters)			29611	27005	4		
Lepidorhombus	Megrims	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)		Advice for VI includes unallocated landings in IV	1597	1597	11	-15,0%	
Lepidorhombus	Megrims	Vb(EC), VI, XII, XIV	1400	Reduce TAC to average landings 2004-06	2592	2592	6	-15,0%	
Lepidorhombus	Megrims	VII	11647	Reduce TAC to average landings 2004-06	18300	18300	6	-15,0%	
Lepidorhombus	Megrims	VIIIabde	1353	Reduce TAC to average landings 2004-06	2125	2125	6	-15,0%	
Lepidorhombus	Megrims	VIIIc,IX, CECAF34.1.1(EC)	1430	No increase in F	1440	1430	6	-0,7%	
Pandalus	Northern Prawn	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)		0	3984	3984	6		Advice not yet available
Pandalus	Northern Prawn	Norwegian waters S of 62		Part of IIIa+ Norw. Deep stock	NR	664	6		Advice not yet available
Pandalus	Northern Prawn	Skagerrak and Kattegat			11620	6205	6		Advice not yet available
Nephrops	Norway lobster	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)	21458	Average landings 2006-2007, less average landings Norw Deep	26144	26144	6	-9,7%	
Nephrops	Norway lobster	IV(Norwegian waters)			NR	1250	11		
Nephrops	Norway lobster	IX,X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC waters)	400	Zero catch in FUs 26-27	415	415	4	-9,9%	
Nephrops	Norway lobster	Skagerrak, Kattegat (EC), IIIbcd (EC)	no incr f	No increase in effort	5170	5170	6	0,0%	
Nephrops	Norway lobster	Vb(EC), VI	15100	No increase in effort	19885	19885	6	-15,0%	
Nephrops	Norway lobster	VII	18700		25153	25153	6	-15,0%	
Nephrops	Norway lobster	VIIIabde	3400	No increase above average catch 2005 to 2007	4320	4320	6	-15,0%	
Nephrops	Norway lobster	VIIIc	0	Reduce catches to zero	124	124	4	-9,7%	
Trisopterus	Norway pout	IIa(EC) Skagerrak and Kattegat, North Sea (EC waters)		ICES advice not yet available for 2009	NR	36500	5		Advice not yet available
Trisopterus	Norway pout	IV(Norwegian waters)			NR	5000	5		

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	Other species	Ila, IV, VIa N (EC)			NR	7000	11		
Penaeus	Penaeus shrimps	French Guyana			4108	4108	6	0,0%	
Pleuronectes	Plaice	Ila (EC), North Sea (EC)	35000	Limit total landings to 55 500 t	49000	47875	4		
Pleuronectes	Plaice	Kattegat	1880	last year catches 2007 = 9400	2338	2338	6		
Pleuronectes	Plaice	Skagerrak	7520	last year catches 2007 = 9400	9350	9163	6		
Pleuronectes	Plaice	Vb(EC waters), VI, XII, XIV			786	786	11	-15,0%	
Pleuronectes	Plaice	VIIa	1430	No long-term gains in increasing F above F0.1	1849	1849	1	-22,7%	
Pleuronectes	Plaice	VIIbc	40	No increase above average catch 2004 to 2006	110	110	6	-15,0%	
Pleuronectes	Plaice	VIIde	3500 + reduce catch	Substantial reduction in catch	5050	5050	6	-12,5%	
Pleuronectes	Plaice	VIIfg	240	75% F reduction needed	491	491	3	-14,1%	TAC for -30%F
Pleuronectes	Plaice	VIIIhk	177	Reduce TAC to recent average (2004-2006)	303	303	6	-15,0%	
Pleuronectes	Plaice	VIII,IX,X,CECAF 34.1.1			448	448	11	-15,0%	
Pollachius pollachius	Pollack	IX,X,CECAF 34.1.1 (EC)			288	288	11	-14,9%	
Pollachius pollachius	Pollack	Vb(EC), VI, XII, XIV			450	450	11	-14,9%	
Pollachius pollachius	Pollack	VII			15300	15300	11	-15,0%	
Pollachius pollachius	Pollack	VIIIabde			1680	1680	11	0,0%	FR has 76% utilisation
Pollachius pollachius	Pollack	VIIIc			262	262	11	-14,9%	
Lamna nasus	Porbeagle	I to XIV	0	Landings should not be allowed	581	581	10	-100,0%	
Pollachius virens	Saithe	Ila(EC), Skagerrak and Kattegat, IIIbcd, North Sea	136806	F according to man. plan (< Fpa)	135900	65232	4		
Pollachius virens	Saithe	Norwegian waters S of 62		F according to man. plan (< Fpa)	NR	880	4		
Pollachius virens	Saithe	Vb(EC) VI, XII, XIV	14194	F according to man. plan (< Fpa)	14100	14100	4	0,0%	
Pollachius virens	Saithe	VII, VIII, IX, X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC)			3790	3790	11	-15,0%	
Ammodytes	Sandeel	Ila (EC), North Sea (EC)	0	Advice for 2009 not yet available	NE		5		Advice not yet available
Ammodytes	Sandeel	IV (Norwegian waters)		Advice for 2009 not yet available	NR	20000	5		Advice not yet available
Solea spp.	Sole	VIIIcde,IX,X, CECAF 34.1.1 (EC)			1216	1216	11	-15,0%	
Sprattus	Sprat	Ila (EC), North Sea (EC)	170000	Full advice for 2009 not yet available	195000	175777	8	-12,8%	With in-year review
Sprattus	Sprat	Skagerrak, Kattegat	no advice	Limited by restriction on juvenile herring catches	52000	48100	8		
Sprattus	Sprat	VIIde			6144	6144	11	0,0%	UK has 82% utilisation
Squalus	Spurdog	EC waters of Ila, III and IV	No targeted fishery	No targeted fishery	631	581	10	-100,0%	Zone III newly included in this TAC
Squalus	Spurdog	EC and int. Waters of I, V, VI, VII, VIII, XII, XIV	No targeted fishery	No targeted fishery	2004	2004	10	-100,0%	
Psetta	Turbot and Brill	Ila (EC), North Sea (EC)			5263	5263	11/4	-10,0%	Link to plaice and sole
Brosme brosme	Tusk	I,II,XIV		TAC should be around 5000 t (whole area).	23	23	6	-7,6%	
Brosme brosme	Tusk	III		30% reduction in catches	28	28	6	-14,3%	
Brosme brosme	Tusk	IV		30% reduction in catches	231	231	6	-15,2%	

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Brosme brosme	Tusk	IV(Norwegian waters)			NR	170	6		
Brosme brosme	Tusk	V,VI,VII		30% reduction in catches	435	435	6		EC quota -15%; quota to NO tbd
Merlangius	Whiting	IIa (EC), North Sea (EC)	4425	HC landings would be 5900 tonnes	17850	15012	6		
Merlangius	Whiting	IIIa	1050	Average landings 2003-2005	1050	258	6		
Merlangius	Whiting	IX,X,CECAF 34.1.1.(EC)			653	653	11	-15,0%	
Merlangius	Whiting	Vb(EC waters), VI, XII, XIV	0	Lowest possible catch	765	765	10	-25,0%	
Merlangius	Whiting	VIIa	0	Lowest possible catch	278	278	10	-24,8%	
Merlangius	Whiting	VIIb-k	na	Reduction in F	19940	19940	7	-15,0%	
Merlangius	Whiting	VIII			3600	3600	11	-15,0%	
Merlangius	Whiting and Pollock	IV(Norwegian waters S of 62°N)			NR	190	11		
	Footnotes:	NR, not relevant							
		pm, stock subject to negotiation with third countries, or advice not yet available							
		Policy Statement categories refer to the attached table.							