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WORKING GROUP 2 (CELTIC SEA & WEST OF SCOTLAND)

Thursday, 03 July 2025

08:30 – 11:15 CET

ARVI, Fishing Port, Ramiro Gordejuela Building. 36202 Vigo (Spain)

8:30 – 8:35	1. Welcome and introductions <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Welcome from the Secretariat• Apologies• Adoption of the agenda• Action points from the last meeting (10 March 2025)
08:35 – 09:25	2. ICES advice for the Celtic Sea – Joanne Morgan, ACOM Vice-Chair
9:25 – 10:20	3. ICES advice for the West of Scotland – Joanne Morgan, ACOM Vice-Chair
10:20 – 10:55	4. Updates on the VMEs socio-economic analysis: <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Outcome of the STECF March plenary – Prof Ralf Döring, STECF• Outcome of the European Court of Justice ruling on EU Deep-Sea Fisheries Regulation and longlining in VMEs – Caroline Alibert-Deprez, DG MARE
10:55 – 11:10	5. 2024 Nephrops survey in the Porcupine bank – Jonathan White, Sara-Jane Moore & Jennifer Doyle, Marine Institute
11:10 – 11:15	6. AOB & Summary of actions agreed and decisions adopted by the Chair