

# **Unit C** – Operational Coordination



#### 1. Joint Campaign Details

Joint Deployment Plan	BALTIC SEA 2016	3		
Joint Campaign	JDP-BS-2016-01			
Reporting period	From 4th January 2016 until 18th December 2016			
Participation	Denmark (DNK), Estonia (EST), Finland (FIN), Germany (DEU), Latvia (LVA), Lithuania (LTU), Poland (POL), Sweden (SWE)			
Operational area	EU waters of ICES su	b-divisions 22-32		
	MS	WEEK	LOCATION	
	POL	1-2	Gdynia	
	LTU	3-5	Klaipeda/Vigo	
	DEU	6-9	Hamburg	
	DNK	10-12	Copenhagen	
	SWE	13-15	Gothenburg	
	LVA	16	Riga	
	EST	17-19	Tallinn	
Coordination Contro in Charge	POL	20-23	Gdynia/Vigo	
Coordination Centre in Charge	FIN	24-25	Turku	
	SWE	26-27	Gothenburg	
	FIN	28-29	Turku	
	EST	30-31	Tallinn	
	LVA	32	Riga	
	POL	33-35	Gdynia/Vigo	
	LTU	36-38	Klaipeda/Vigo	
	SWE	39	Vigo	
	SWE	40	Gothenburg	
	LVA	41	Riga	
	LVA	42-43	Vigo	
	DEU	44	Vigo	
	DEU	45-47	Hamburg	
	DNK	48-50	Copenhagen	

# 2. Background

This report is a statistical summary of the joint control operations that were carried out in the framework of the Baltic Sea joint campaign, in the period as from the 4<sup>th</sup> of January 2016 until the 18<sup>th</sup> of December 2016.

#### 3. Objectives

To ensure compliance with the requirements of Commission Implementing Decision 2013/305/EU, in particular the monitoring of compliance with:

- a) fishing opportunities management and specific associated conditions,
- b) reporting obligation applicable to fishing activities,

c) high-grading ban and obligation to land all catches subject to quota.

# 4. Summary of activity

#### a) Inspections ashore

During this joint campaign period 4.943 individuals of SAL and 32.573 tonnes of COD, HER and SPR were inspected at landing. In total, there were 4.216 inspections carried out ashore with 102 suspected infringements reported.

Table: quantities of fish inspected ashore per species

Species	Quantity
salmon (SAL)	4.943 specimen
cod (COD)	5.024 t
herring (HER)	15.373 t
sprat (SPR)	12.176 t
others	2.581 t

#### b) Inspections at sea

During this joint campaign period 342 individuals of SAL and 4.998 tonnes of COD, HER and SPR species were monitored at sea. In total, there were 1602 inspections carried out at sea with 56 suspected infringements reported.

Table: quantities of fish inspected at sea per species

species	quantity
salmon (SAL)	342 specimen
cod (COD)	700 t
herring (HER)	1.888 t
sprat (SPR)	2.410 t
others	650 t

# JDP-BS-2016-01 ACTIVITY RECORDS FOR THE PERIOD January – December 2016<sup>1</sup>

#### A. DEPLOYED CONTROL MEANS

	FF	γ	Aircraft	Exchanges of Inspectors			
	Days at sea			Joint Tea	ms at sea	Mixed Tea	ms ashore
	Core	Associated (days with events <sup>2</sup> )	No of Flights	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted
TOTAL	456	490	203	190	190	200	200

# B. JOINT CONTROL ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT BY PARTICIPATING MS

		TOTAL
	Sightings reported by aircraft	973
SURVEILLANCE	Sightings reported by FPV	2639
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections by FPV	1602
	Number of targeted inspections by FPV	31
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections in MS	4182
	Number of targeted inspections in MS	93
TRANSPORT	Number of inspections in MS	34

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> As reported in daily SITREP and ACTREP to CCiC

 $<sup>^2</sup>$  for associated FPV the day at sea information is provided on a basis of the count of the total of days at sea with at least one event (sighting, inspection) that was carried out by associated patrol vessels during the reporting period

# C. RESULTS OF CONTROL ACTIVITIES BY FISHING VESSEL FLAG

		Total
	Number of F/V inspected	1602
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	55
SEA	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	3.4%
SE	Total number of infringements detected	56
	Total number of targeted Inspections	31
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	1
	Number of F/V inspected	4182
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	99
LAND	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	2.4%
LA	Total number of infringements detected	102
	Total number of targeted Inspections	93
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	5
ıRT	Number of transport means inspected	34
IRANSPORT	Number of trucks with detected infringement	-
AN	% of inspected transport means with detected infringement	-
TR	Total number of infringements detected	-

# D. TYPE OF INFRINGEMENTS DETECTED DURING THE JOINT CONTROL OPERATIONS BY FISHING VESSEL FLAG

		TOTALS
01	Not fulfilling of obligations to record and report catch or catch related data, including data to be transmitted by satellite vessel monitoring system	94
011	Failure to respect Effort Control Regime	-
012	Failure to comply with rules regarding transshipment or operations involving 2 or more vessels	-
013	Falsifying logbook, landing declarations, sales notes, transfer declaration, transport docs or failure to keep or submit these documents, as required	79
014	Tampering with VMS or non-functioning VMS	-
015	Operate without VMS, ERS or AIS system	3
016	Failure to comply with notification provisions (Exit, Entry, landings, transshipments, catches, prenotification, etc.)	12
02	Use of prohibited or non-compliant gear according to EU legislation	15
021	Use of prohibited or non-compliant fishing gear	15
022	Use of prohibited fishing method	-
03	Falsification or concealing of markings, identity or registration	-
031	Falsifying, deleting or concealing the markings, identity or registration of a fishing vessel	-
032	Fishing gear with incorrect or no marks	-
04	Concealing, tampering or disposal of evidence relating to an investigation	•
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05	Taking on board, transhipping or landing of undersized fish in contravention of the legislation in force	3
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07	Fishing without a valid licence, authorisation or permit issued by the flag State or the relevant coastal State	2
071	Fishing without a valid licence, fishing permit or authorisation or with falsified documentation	2
08	Fishing in a closed area or during a closed season, without or after attainment of a quota or beyond a closed depth	2
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082	Fishing without of after attainment of a quota	-
09	Directed fishing for a stock which is subject to a moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	2
091	Directed fishing for or retaining species subject to moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	2
10	Obstruction of work of officials in the exercise of their duties in inspecting for compliance with the applicable conservation and management measures or the work of observers in the exercise of their duties of observing compliance with the applicable Union rules	1
101	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing an official whilst conducting an inspection	1
102	Absence or inappropriate pilot ladder	0
103	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing the work of observers	0
11	Transshipping to or participating in joint fishing operations with, support or resupply of fishing vessels identified as having engaged in IUU fishing under Regulation (EC) No 1005/2008, in particular those included in the Union IUU vessel list or in the IUU vessel list of a regional fisheries management organisation	
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12	Use of a fishing vessel with not nationality and that is therefore a stateless vessel in accordance with international law	-
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13	The non-transmission of a landing declaration or a sales note when the landing of the catch has taken place in the port of a third country	-
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14	The manipulation of an engine with the aim of increasing its power beyond the maximum continuous engine power according to the engine certificate	-
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15	The failure to land any species subject to a quota caught during a fishing operation, unless such landing would be contrary to obligations provided for in the rules of the common fisheries policy in fisheries or fishing zones where such rules apply.	-
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16	Others	39
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