

## **Unit 1** – Operations



Joint Deployment Plan	NORTH SEA 2017		
Joint Campaign	JDP-NS-2017-01		
Reporting period	From 02 January until 31 March 2017		
Participation	Belgium (BEL), Denmark (DNK), France (FRA), Germany (DEU), The Netherland (NLD), Sweden (SWE), United Kingdom (GBR)		
Operational area	EU waters of ICES sub-areas IIa, IIIa, IVa, IVb, IVc		
Coordination Centre in Charge	MS	WEEK	LOCATION
	DNK	1	VIGO/EFCA
	DNK	2-4	COPENHAGEN
	SWE	5-10	GOTHENBURG
	GBR/SCO	11-13	EDINBURGH

## 1. Background

This report is a statistical summary of the joint control operations that were carried out from the 2<sup>nd</sup> of January until the 31<sup>st</sup> of March 2017 in the operational area of the North Sea joint campaign.

### 2. Objectives

The general objective is to ensure compliance with the requirements of Commission Implementing Decision 2013/328/EU, Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2015/2438 and Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2015/2440, by means of a coordinated programme of inspections of fishing vessels at sea and in ports of landing.

#### 3. Summary of activity

#### a) Inspections ashore

During this joint campaign reporting period 5682 tonnes of cod, plaice and sole were inspected at landing. In total, there were 2066 inspections carried out ashore, including 1379 market inspections, with a total of 37 suspected infringements reported.

Table 1: quantities of fish inspected ashore per species

species	quantity
cod (COD)	4639 t
plaice (PLE)	858 t
sole (SOL)	186 t

## b) Inspections at sea

During this joint campaign reporting period 696 tonnes of cod, plaice and sole were monitored at sea. In total, there were 294 inspections carried out at sea with 38 suspected infringements reported on 35 fishing vessels.

Table 2: quantities of fish inspected at sea per species

species	quantity
cod (COD)	53 t
plaice (PLE)	496 t
sole (SOL)	147 t

#### **ANNEX**

#### JDP-NS-2017-01 ACTIVITY RECORDS FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD

#### A. DEPLOYED CONTROL MEANS

**FPV** Aircraft **Exchanges of Inspectors** Mixed Teams ashore Days at sea Joint Teams at sea **Associated** No of Flights Man-days Man-days Man-days Man-days Core (days with events<sup>1</sup>) Deployed Hosted Deployed Hosted **TOTALS** 194 68 9 **232** 

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> for associated FPV the day at sea information is provided on a basis of the total of days at sea for which at least one event (sighting, inspection) was reported by an associated patrol vessels

## B. JOINT CONTROL ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT

		TOTALS
	Sightings reported by aircraft	633
SURVEILLANCE	Sightings reported by FPV	718
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections by FPV	294
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of targeted inspections by FPV	18
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections in MS	2066
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of targeted inspections in MS	167
TRANSPORT	Number of inspections in MS	0

# C. RESULTS OF CONTROL ACTIVITIES

		Totals
SEA	Number of F/V inspected by FS	294
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	35
	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	<b>12</b> %
	Total number of infringements detected	38
	Total number of targeted inspections	18
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	6
	Number of F/V inspected by FS	2066
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	36
	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	1.7%
LAND	Total number of infringements detected	37
	Total number of targeted inspections	137
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	3
	Number of Transport Inspections	0
TRANSPORT	Number of trucks with detected infringement	0
TRANSPORT	% of inspected trucks with detected infringement	0
	Total number of infringements detected	0

# D. TYPE OF INFRINGEMENTS DETECTED DURING THE JOINT CONTROL OPERATIONS

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01	Not fulfilling of obligations to record and report catch or catch related data, including data to be transmitted by satellite vessel monitoring system	45
011	Failure to respect Effort Control Regime	0
012	Failure to comply with rules regarding trans-shipment or operations involving 2 or more vessels	0
013	Falsifying logbook, landing declarations, sales notes, transfer declaration, transport docs or failure to keep or submit these documents, as required	35
014	Tampering with VMS or non-functioning VMS	3
015	Operate without VMS, ERS or AIS system	3
016	Failure to comply with notification provisions (Exit, Entry, landings, trans-shipments, catches, prenotification, etc.)	4
02	Use of prohibited or non-compliant gear according to EU legislation	16
021	Use of prohibited or non-compliant fishing gear	16
022	Use of prohibited fishing method	0
03	Falsification or concealing of markings, identity or registration	0
031	Falsifying, deleting or concealing the markings, identity or registration of a fishing vessel	0
032	Fishing gear with incorrect or no marks	0
04	Concealing, tampering or disposal of evidence relating to an investigation	0
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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	0
071	Fishing without a valid licence, fishing permit or authorisation or with falsified documentation	0
08	Fishing in a closed area or during a closed season, without or after attainment of a quota or beyond a closed depth	1
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082	Fishing without of after attainment of a quota	0
09	Directed fishing for a stock which is subject to a moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	0
091	Directed fishing for or retaining species subject to moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	0
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	0
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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	0
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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	0
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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	0
141	The manipulation of an engine with the aim of increasing its power beyond the maximum continuous engine power according to the engine certificate	0
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.	1
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16	Others	8
161	Others	8
TOT	ALS	<b>75</b>