

Unit 1 – Operations



Joint Deployment Plan	PELAGIC FISHERIES IN WESTERN WATERS 2017					
Joint Campaign	JDP-WW-2017-	JDP-WW-2017-01				
Reporting period	From 2 January	From 2 January until 31 March, 2017				
Participation	Germany (DEU), Denmark (DNK), Estonia (EST), France (FRA), United Kingdom (GBR), Ireland (IRL), Lithuania (LTU), Latvia (LVA), the Netherlands (NLD) and Poland (POL)					
Operational areas	EU waters of ICES sub-areas IVa, V, VI and VII					
	MS in charge	No. of Weeks	CCiC location	From date	To date	
Coordination Centre	GBR	2	MMO Edinburgh	02/01/2017	15/01/2017	
in Charge	GBR	6	EFCA Vigo	16/01/2017	26/02/2017	
(CCiC)	IRL	4	EFCA Vigo	27/02/2017	26/03/2017	
	NLD	1	EFCA Vigo	27/03/2017	31/03/2017	

1. Background

This report is a statistical summary of the joint control operations that were carried out from the 2nd of January until the 31st of March 2017 in the operational area of the northern Western Waters.

2. Objectives

To ensure uniform and effective implementation of conservation and control measures applicable to pelagic fisheries in Western Waters (WW) as specified in Commission Decision 2012/807/EU, by means of a coordinated programme of inspections of fishing vessels, at sea and at the ports of landing, and throughout the whole chain including processing, transport and trade.

3. Summary of activity

a) Inspections ashore

During this joint campaign reporting period 246,811 tonnes of catches of pelagic species were monitored at landing. In total, there were 384 inspections carried out ashore with a total of 2 suspected infringements reported.

Table 1: quantities of fish inspected ashore per species

species	Quantity (t)
Boarfish (BOR)	2,820
Herring (HER)	2,697
Horse-mackerel (JAX)	22,925
Mackerel (MAC)	86,890
Blue whiting (WHB)	131,479

b) Inspections at sea

During this joint campaign reporting period 46,828 tonnes of catches of pelagic species were monitored at sea. In total, there were 53 inspections carried out at sea with no suspected infringements detected.

Table 2: quantities of fish inspected at sea per species

species	Quantity (t)
Boarfish (BOR)	133
Herring (HER)	10
Horse-mackerel (JAX)	15,951
Mackerel (MAC)	14,327
Blue whiting (WHB)	16,407

ANNEX

JDP-NS-2017-01 ACTIVITY RECORDS FOR THE PERIOD JANUARY - SEPTEMBER 2017

A. DEPLOYED CONTROL MEANS

	FPV		Aircraft	Exchanges of Inspectors			
	Days at sea			Joint Teams at sea		Mixed Teams ashore	
	Core	Associated (days with events ¹)	No of Flights	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted
TOTALS	142	3	38	10	10	15	15

B. JOINT CONTROL ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT

		TOTALS
	Sightings reported by aircraft	267
SURVEILLANCE	Sightings reported by FPV	34
Number of inspections by FPV		53
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of targeted inspections by FPV	9
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections in MS	384
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of targeted inspections in MS	39
TRANSPORT	Number of inspections in MS	0
MARKET	Number of inspections in MS	0

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¹ 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

C. RESULTS OF CONTROL ACTIVITIES

		Totals
	Number of F/V inspected by FS	53
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	0
SEA	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	0
SEA	Total number of infringements detected	0
	Total number of targeted inspections	0
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	0
	Number of F/V inspected by FS	384
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	2
LAND	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	0.5%
LAND	Total number of infringements detected	2
	Total number of targeted inspections	9
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	0
	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	2
011	Failure to respect Effort Control Regime	-
012	Failure to comply with rules regarding trans-shipment 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	1
014	Tampering with VMS or non-functioning VMS	-
015	Operate without VMS, ERS or AIS system	-
016	Failure to comply with notification provisions (Exit, Entry, landings, trans-shipments, catches, prenotification, etc.)	1
02	Use of prohibited or non-compliant gear according to EU legislation	•
021	Use of prohibited or non-compliant fishing gear	-
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	-
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07	Fishing without a valid licence, authorisation or permit issued by the flag State or the relevant coastal State	-
071	Fishing without a valid licence, fishing permit or authorisation or with falsified documentation	-
08	Fishing in a closed area or during a closed season, without or after attainment of a quota or beyond a closed depth	-
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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	•
091	Directed fishing for or retaining species subject to moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	-
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	-
101	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing an official whilst conducting an inspection	-
102	Absence or inappropriate pilot ladder	-
103	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing the work of observers	-
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	-
111	Transshipping to or participating in joint fishing operations with, support or re-supply of fishing vessels	

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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	-
141	The manipulation of an engine with the aim of increasing its power beyond the maximum continuous engine power according to the engine certificate	-
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.	-
151	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	-
16	Others	-
161	Others	-
TOT	ALS	2