

## 1. Joint Campaign Details

<b>Joint Deployment Plan</b>	<b>NORTH SEA 2020</b>		
<b>Joint Campaign</b>	<b>JDP-NS-2020-01</b>		
<b>Reporting period</b>	<b>From 1<sup>st</sup> of January till 31<sup>st</sup> of December 2020</b>		
<b>Participation</b>	<b>Belgium (BE), Denmark (DK), France (FR), Germany (DE), Ireland (IE), The Netherlands (NL), Sweden (SE), United Kingdom (UK)</b>		
<b>Operational area</b>	<b>EU waters of ICES divisions 2.a, 3.a, 4.a, 4.b, 4.c</b>		
<b>Coordination Centre</b>	<b>LOCATION</b>	<b>WEEK</b>	<b>MS EXPERTS</b>
	<b>EFCA</b>	<b>-</b>	<b>*</b>

*\*MS cancelled due to Covid pandemic.*

## 2. General objective

To ensure compliance with the requirements of Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2018/1986, Regulation (EU) 2018/973 of the European Parliament and Council, Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 1395/2014 and Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) 2018/2035, by means of a coordinated programme of inspections of fishing vessels at sea and in ports of landing.

## 3. Summary

This report is covering the joint campaign activities in the North Sea JDP operational area for fisheries under the scope of the SCIP. The report provides overall summary information concerning the joint control activities that were carried out by air, sea and shore based assets and teams of the participating Member States from 1<sup>st</sup> of January till 31<sup>st</sup> of December 2020. Due to the Coronavirus disease (COVID-19) pandemic outbreak, MS have adopted national measures to ensure the limitation of physical contact between their nationals to try to control the spread of COVID-19. This resulted in greatly decreased number of physical inspections at sea and in ports of landing.

### a) Inspections ashore

During this reporting period there were 6598 inspections carried out ashore. The inspection teams reported in total 94 suspected infringements detected.

Table 1: quantities of fish inspected ashore per species.

Species	Quantity (kg)
Atlantic Cod (COD)	4 981 024
Atlantic Herring (HER)	32 508 798
Atlantic Horse Mackerel (HOM)	1 567 777
Atlantic Mackerel (MAC)	62 150 640
Blue Whiting (WHB)	3 797 511
European eel (ELE)	6
European Flounder (FLE)	236

European Seabass (BSS)	922
European Sprat (SPR)	21 894 878
Haddock (HAD)	12 648 532
Hake (HKE)	2 236 265
Monkfish (ANF)	54 685
Nephrops (NEP)	3 815 461
Northern Prawn (PRA)	274 394
Norway pout (NOP)	10 165 905
Plaice (PLE)	1 699 112
Pollock (=Saithe) (POK)	5 916 964
Sandeel (SAN)	12 419 595
Sole (SOL)	68 775
Whiting (WHG)	7 065 854

b) Inspections at sea

During this reporting period there were 316 inspections carried out at sea with 30 apparent infringements reported on 24 fishing vessels.

Table 2: quantities of fish inspected at sea per species

Species	Quantity (kg)
Atlantic Cod (COD)	30 508
Atlantic Horse Mackerel (HOM)	520
Atlantic Mackerel (MAC)	5 250
European Flounder (FLE)	936
Haddock (HAD)	59 533
Hake (HKE)	28 703
Monkfish (ANF)	2 533
Nephrops (NEP)	31 565
Northern Prawn (PRA)	21 920
Plaice (PLE)	252 217
Pollock (=Saithe) (POK)	91 847
Sole (SOL)	141 802
Whiting (WHG)	25 249

## ANNEX

### JDP-NS-2020-01 ACTIVITY RECORDS FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD<sup>1</sup>

#### A. DEPLOYED CONTROL MEANS

MS	FPV		Aircraft	Exchanges of Inspectors			
	Days at sea		No. of Flights	Joint Teams at sea		Mixed Teams ashore	
	Core	(days with events <sup>2</sup> )		Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted
MS	803	301	219	7	-	-	-
EFCA	7	-	-	-	7	-	-
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>810</b>	<b>301</b>	<b>219</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>0</b>

#### B. JOINT CONTROL ACTIVITIES

		TOTAL
SURVEILLANCE	Sightings reported by aircraft	1733
	Sightings reported by FPV	2507
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections by FPV	316
	Number of targeted inspections by FPV	54
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections in MS	6598
	Number of targeted inspections in MS	138

<sup>1</sup> As reported in daily SITREP 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

		TOTAL
SEA	Number of F/V inspected by FS	316
	Number of F/V with detected apparent infringement	24
	<i>% of inspected F/V with apparent detected infringement</i>	7.59
	<b>Total number of apparent infringements detected</b>	30
	Total number of targeted inspections	54
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	3
LAND	Number of F/V inspected by FS	6598
	Number of F/V with detected apparent infringement	87
	<i>% of inspected F/V with apparent detected infringement</i>	1.32
	<b>Total number of apparent infringements detected</b>	94
	Total number of targeted inspections	138
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	12
AIR	<b>Total number of apparent infringements detected</b>	4

D. TYPE OF INFRINGEMENTS DETECTED DURING THE JOINT CONTROL OPERATIONS

		TOTALS
<b>01</b>	<b>Not fulfilling of obligations to record and report catch or catch related data, including data to be transmitted by satellite vessel monitoring system</b>	<b>87</b>
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 decs, sales notes, transfer declaration, transport docs or failure to keep or submit these documents, as required	66
014	Tampering with VMS or non-functioning VMS	2
015	Operate without VMS, ERS or AIS system	5
016	Failure to comply with notification provisions (Exit, Entry, landings, transshipments, catches, pre-notification, etc.)	14
<b>02</b>	<b>Use of prohibited or non-compliant gear according to EU legislation</b>	<b>16</b>
021	Use of prohibited or non-compliant fishing gear	16
022	Use of prohibited fishing method	-
<b>03</b>	<b>Falsification or concealing of markings, identity or registration</b>	<b>1</b>
031	Falsifying, deleting or concealing the markings, identity or registration of a fishing vessel	-
032	Fishing gear with incorrect or no marks	1
<b>04</b>		<b>-</b>
041	Concealing, tampering or disposal of evidence relating to an investigation	-
<b>05</b>		<b>2</b>
051	Taking on board, transshipping or landing of undersized fish in contravention of the legislation in force	2
<b>07</b>		<b>2</b>
071	Fishing without a valid licence, fishing permit or authorisation or with falsified documentation	2
<b>08</b>		<b>4</b>
081	Fishing in a closed area, closed season or beyond a close depth.	4
082	Fishing without or after attainment of a quota	-
<b>09</b>		<b>2</b>
091	Directed fishing for or retaining species subject to moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	2
<b>10</b>		<b>2</b>
101	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing an official whilst conducting an inspection	1
102	Absence or inappropriate pilot ladder	1
103	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing the work of observers	-
<b>11</b>		<b>-</b>
111	Transshipping to or participating in joint fishing operations with, support or re-supply 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	-
<b>12</b>		<b>-</b>
121	Use of a fishing vessel with not nationality and that is therefore a stateless vessel in accordance with international law	-
<b>13</b>		<b>-</b>
131	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;	-
<b>14</b>		<b>-</b>
141	The manipulation of an engine with the aim of increasing its power beyond the maximum continuous engine power according to the engine certificate	-

<b>15</b>	<b>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.</b>	<b>-</b>
<b>151</b>	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	-
<b>16</b>		<b>12</b>
<b>161</b>	Others	<b>12</b>
<b>TOTALS</b>		<b>128</b>