

1. Joint Campaign Details

Joint Deployment Plan	WESTERN WATERS 2020		
	JDP-WW-2020-01		
Reporting period	From 1st January to 31st December, 2020		
Participation	Belgium (BE), Germany (DE), Denmark (DK), Spain (ES), Estonia (EE), France (FR), Ireland (IE), Lithuania (LT), Latvia (LV), The Netherlands (NL), Poland (PL), Portugal (PT) and United Kingdom (UK)		
Operational area	EU waters of ICES sub-areas 5 (excluding division 5.a), 6, 7, 8, 9 and 10, and of CECAF areas 34.1.1, 34.1.2 and 34.2.0.		
Coordination Centre (CC) located in EFCA	MS	Number of experts	Man-days
	UK	2	10
	IE	3	15

2. General objective

To ensure compliance with the requirements of Commission Implementing Decision (EU) 2018/1986, Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1393/2014, Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 1394/2014, Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 2019/2237 and Commission Delegated Regulation (EU) No 2019/2239, by means of a coordinated programme of inspections of fishing vessels at sea and in ports of landing.

3. Summary

This report covers the joint campaign activities in the Western Waters JDP operational area for demersal and pelagic species. The report provides statistical information registered in EFCA data base concerning the joint control activities that were carried out by air, sea and shore based assets and teams of the participating Member States (MS) from 1st January to 31th December 2020.

a) Inspections ashore

During this reporting period there were 3423 inspections carried out ashore, including 61 transport inspections and 21 inspection to businesses. The inspection teams reported in total: 310 suspected infringements detected to fishing vessels, 8 infringements detected during truck inspections and 4 detected during businesses inspections.

Quantities of fish inspected ashore per species.

JDP species	Weight (Kg)
Albacore (ALB)	1 996 030
Atlantic Bluefin Tuna (BFT)	21 540
Atlantic Cod (COD)	275 558
Atlantic Herring (HER)	1 235 289
Atlantic Horse Mackerel (HOM)	2 962 183
Atlantic Mackerel (MAC)	58 133 607
Atlantic Redfishes (RED)	520
Blue Whiting (WHB)	27 521 777
Boarfish (BOR)	433 5211
Brill (BLL)	1 803
Chub Mackerel (MAS)	7 320
European Anchovy (ANE)	925 675
European Pilchard (=Sardine) (PIL)	495 456
European Sprat (SPR)	1 107 620
Haddock (HAD)	1 082 284
Hake (HKE)	6 441 342
Horse Mackerel (JAX)	11 377 998
Ling (LIN)	117 863
Loligo spp (SQC)	81 917
Megrims nei (LEZ)	963 597
Monkfish (ANF)	3 766 249
Nephrops (NEP)	653 376
Plaice (PLE)	85 575
Pollack (POL)	40 345
Pollock (=Saithe) (POK)	357 632
Sole (SOL)	232 548
Swordfish (SWO)	6 012
Turbot (TUR)	10 934
Whiting (WHG)	290 049

b) Inspections at sea

During this reporting period there were 276 inspections carried out at sea with 26 suspected infringements reported.

Quantities of fish inspected at sea per species.

JDP species	Weight (Kg)
Albacore (ALB)	173 024
Atlantic Herring (HER)	8 088
Atlantic Horse Mackerel (HOM)	694 356
Atlantic Mackerel (MAC)	2 099 112
Blue Whiting (WHB)	17 909
Boarfish (BOR)	23 575
European Anchovy (ANE)	21 247
European Sprat (SPR)	262 248
Haddock (HAD)	34 299
Hake (HKE)	307 590
Horse Mackerel (JAX)	1 164 100
Ling (LIN)	2 287
Megrimms nei (LEZ)	39 684
Monkfish (ANF)	139 855
Nephrops (NEP)	18 968
Plaice (PLE)	804
Pollack (POL)	9 137
Pollock (=Saithe) (POK)	24 431
Sole (SOL)	1 162
Turbot (TUR)	5
Whiting (WHG)	10 189

c) Air surveillance

In total, MS reported 814 air sightings with 6 suspected infringements detected during surveillance flights carried out in this period.

ANNEX

JDP-WW-2020-01 ACTIVITY RECORDS FOR THE REPORTING PERIOD¹

A. DEPLOYED CONTROL MEANS

	FPV		Aircraft	Exchanges of Inspectors			
	Days at sea		No. of Flights	Joint Teams at sea		Mixed Teams ashore	
	Committed	Days with events ²		Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted
MS	502	151	138	55	-	10	10
EFCA	29	-	-	-	55	-	-
TOTAL	531	160	138	55	55	10	10

B. JOINT CONTROL ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT

		Total
SURVEILLANCE	Sightings reported by aircraft	814
	Sightings reported by FPV	785
BUSINESS	Number of inspections in MS	21
	Number of targeted inspections in MS	-
TRANSPORT	Number of inspections in MS	61
	Number of targeted inspections in MS	-
LAND	Number of inspections in MS	3341
	Number of targeted inspections in MS	575
SEA	Number of inspections by FPV	276
	Number of targeted inspections by FPV	37

¹ As per WW JDP global planning

² For FPV not committed to the JDP, 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 patrol vessels during the reporting period.

C. RESULTS OF CONTROL ACTIVITIES

		Total
BUSINESS	Number of business inspections	21
	Number of business with detected apparent infringement	4
	<i>% of inspected businesses with apparent detected infringement</i>	19.1
	Total number of infringements detected	4
	Total number of targeted inspections	0
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	0
TRANSPORT	Number of transport inspections	61
	Number of trucks with detected apparent infringement	7
	<i>% of inspected trucks with apparent detected infringement</i>	11.5
	Total number of infringements detected	8
	Total number of targeted inspections	0
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	0
LAND	Number of F/V inspected by FS	3341
	Number of F/V with detected apparent infringement	256
	<i>% of inspected F/V with apparent detected infringement</i>	7.7
	Total number of apparent infringements detected	310
	Total number of targeted inspections	575
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	21
SEA	Number of F/V inspected by FS	276
	Number of F/V with detected apparent infringement	23
	<i>% of inspected F/V with apparent detected infringement</i>	8.3
	Total number of apparent infringements detected	26
	Total number of targeted inspections	37
	Total number of targeted inspections with infringements	4
AIR	Total number of apparent infringements detected	6

D. TYPE OF INFRINGEMENTS DETECTED DURING THE JOINT CONTROL OPERATIONS

		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	248
011	Failure to respect Effort Control Regime	-
012	Failure to comply with rules regarding transshipment or operations involving 2 or more vessels	4
013	Falsifying logbook, landing declarations, sales notes, transfer declaration, transport docs or failure to keep or submit these documents, as required	211
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, transshipments, catches, pre-notification, etc.)	33
02	Use of prohibited or non-compliant gear according to EU legislation	10
021	Use of prohibited or non-compliant fishing gear	10
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	2
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05	Taking on board, transshipping or landing of undersized fish in contravention of the legislation in force	9
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07	Fishing without a valid licence, authorisation or permit issued by the flag State or the relevant coastal State	3
071	Fishing without a valid licence, fishing permit or authorisation or with falsified documentation	3
08	Fishing in a closed area or during a closed season, without or after attainment of a quota or beyond a closed depth	48
081	Fishing in a closed area, closed season or beyond a close depth.	6
082	Fishing without of after attainment of a quota	42
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	11
101	Obstructing, intimidating, interfering with or otherwise preventing an official whilst conducting an inspection	9
102	Absence or inappropriate pilot ladder	2
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	-
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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.	1
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16	Others	22
161	Others	22
TOTALS		354

