

Unit C – Operational Coordination



1. Joint Campaign Details

Joint Deployment Plan	PELAGIC FISHERIES IN WESTERN WATERS 2014			
Joint Campaigns	2014-02			
Reporting period	From 6 January until 30 June, 2014			
Participation	Spain (ESP), France (FRA) and Portugal (PRT)			
Operational area	EU waters of ICES sub-areas VIII & IX and of CECAF 34.1.11			
	Joint Campaign	MS in charge	Week	CCiC location
		FRA (non-core)	2-7	EFCA
Coordination Centre in Charge	2014-02	FRA	8-10	FRA
(CCiC)		ESP	11-18	ESP
		PRT	19-24	EFCA
		PRT (non-core)	25-26	EFCA

2. General objective

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.

After scrutinizing the results of long-term risk analysis with regard to western waters pelagic fisheries, mainly mackerel, herring, horse-mackerel, anchovy and blue whiting, a Joint Deployment Plan (JDP) was adopted carry out joint control activities in the area with the participation of Spain (ESP), France (FRA) and Portugal (PRT).

3. Summary of activity

This report is a statistical snapshot of JDP activity including 1st and 2nd quarter.

Around 6,495 tonnes of catches of JDP pelagic species were monitored at landing. The breakdown by species as follows:

JDP species (alpha3-code)	Tonnes	
Anchovy (ANE)	208	
Herring (HER)	n/a	
Horse-mackerel (JAX)	825	
Mackerel (MAC)	4855	
Blue whiting (WHB)	607	

In total, there were 145 infringements reported out of 1194 inspections carried out at landing.

Around 1,586 tonnes of catches of JDP pelagic species were inspected at sea. The breakdown by species is as follows:

JDP species (alpha3-code	e) Tonnes
Anchovy (ANE)	110
Herring (HER)	n/a
 Horse-mackerel (JAX) 	11
Mackerel (MAC)	1430
Blue whiting (WHB)	35

In total, there were 11 infringements reported out of 162 inspections carried out at sea.

ANNEX I

WW JDP ASSETS ACTIVITY RECORD WITHIN THE PERIOD JANUARY-JUNE, 2014

A. DEPLOYED CONTROL MEANS

	FPV		Aircraft	Exchanges of Inspectors			
	Days	Days at sea		Joint Teams at sea		Mixed Teams ashore	
	Core	Associated	No of Flights	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted	Man-days Deployed	Man-days Hosted
TOTALS	42	48	17	11	11	0	10

^(*)Exchanges hosted from Campaign North 2014-01

B. JOINT CONTROL ACTIVITIES CARRIED OUT by MS

		TOTALS
	Sightings reported by aircraft	174
SURVEILLANCE	Sightings reported by FPV	0
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of inspections by FPV	162
SEA ACTIVITIES	Number of targeted inspections by FPV	0
	Number of inspections in MS	1100
LAND ACTIVITIES	Number of targeted inspections in MS	0
TRANSPORT	Number of inspections in MS	94

C. RESULTS OF CONTROL ACTIVITIES by Flag State of inspected FV/Truck/Operator

		Totals
SEA	Number of F/V inspected by FS	162
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	11
	% of inspected F/V with detected infringement	7%
	Total number of infringements detected	11
	Total number of targeted inspections	0
LAND	Number of F/V inspected by FS	1194
	Number of F/V with detected infringement	115
	% of inspected F/V with detected infringements	10%
	Total number of infringements detected	145
	Total number of targeted inspections	0

D. TYPE OF INFRINGEMENTS DETECTED DURING THE JOINT CONTROL OPERATIONS by Flag State of FV/Truck/Operator¹

		TOTALS
0	Not fulfilling of obligations to record and report catch or catch related data, including data to be transmitted by satellite vessel monitoring system	96
0	2 Use of prohibited or non-compliant gear according to EU legislation	9
0	3 Falsification or concealing of markings, identity or registration	
0	4 Concealing, tampering or disposal of evidence relating to an investigation	
0	Taking on board, transhipping or landing of undersized fish in contravention of the legislation in force	4
0	Fishing without a valid licence, authorisation or permit issued by the flag State or the relevant coastal State	
0	Fishing in a closed area or during a closed season, without or after attainment of a quota or beyond a closed depth	
0	9 Directed fishing for a stock which is subject to a moratorium or for which fishing is prohibited	
1	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	10
1	Transhipping to or participating in joint fishing operations with, support or resupply of fishing vessels identified as having engaged in IUU fishing underRegulation (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	
1	Use of a fishing vessel with not nationality and that is therefore a stateless vessel in accordance with international law	
1	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	
1	The manipulation of an engine with the aim of increasing its power beyond the maximum continuous engine power according to the engine certificate	
	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	6 Others	37
	TOTALS	156

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¹ Infringements typified under group 06 are not included as they refer to specific RFMO ones.