



LDAC
Long Distance Fleet
Advisory Council

21st meeting of WG 1

Highly migratory stocks and relevant regional fisheries management organizations

Bruxelles, October 20th, 2017



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First Executive Committee, Madrid, May 2007

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Compte-rendu de la réunion du groupe de travail I “Stocks de grands migrateurs et organisations régionales de gestion des pêches correspondantes” du 12 décembre 2007, Madrid

Statut : Projet

Langue de rédaction : français
version du 13 décembre 2007

Le groupe de travail I “Stocks de grands migrateurs et organisations régionales de gestion des pêches correspondantes” du Comité Consultatif Régional des Pêches Lointaines (CCRPL) réuni à Madrid (Espagne) le 12 décembre 2007 (voir annexe 1 pour le détail).

Election du Président et des vice-Présidents

Après présentation des participants, le groupe de travail a élu comme président la personne de M. Michel Dion (Orthongel) ainsi que deux vice-présidents, M. (OPAGAC) et Mme Anna Santos (ONAPE), excusée. M. (CNPMEM) a été nommé rapporteur. L'ordre du jour a été discuté et l'ordre du jour a été décidé d'y ajouter un point sur les méthodes de travail du groupe.

Proposition d'avis du CCR Pêches Lointaines relatif à l'interdiction du transbordement en mer par les navires ciblant les espèces gérées par les ORGP thonières

Statut : adoptée par le GT 1
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Le Conseil Consultatif Régional des Pêches Lointaines (CCRPL) soutient la position de la Commission européenne défendue au sein des organisations régionales de gestion des pêches (ORGP) thonières visant à interdire le transbordement en mer des captures par tous les navires participant aux pêcheries de grands migrateurs gérés par ces ORGP.

En effet, le CCRPL considère que ces transbordements en mer permettent l'écoulement de produits de la pêche illégale. A l'inverse, le transbordement des captures dans les ports de pêche permet d'assurer un meilleur contrôle, un meilleur suivi scientifique des captures ainsi que le développement d'une activité économique dans les Etats des ports.

First WG1 – Madrid, December 2017

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WG1 on FAD – Bruxelles, February 2012

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LDRAC – COMHAFAT Workshop – Bruxelles, October 2013

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External dimensión of the CFP conference – Las Palmas, September 2014

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Sin olvidar agradecer a el Gobierno, la secretaria y Antonio por su apoyo



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4.2 ICCAT Meetings Calendar and Priority Actions for the EU for 2018.

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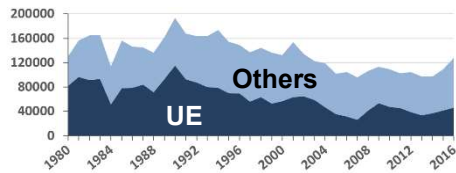



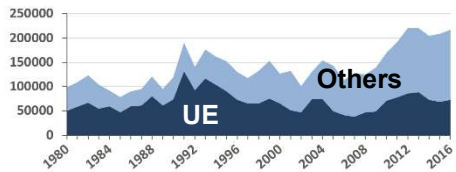



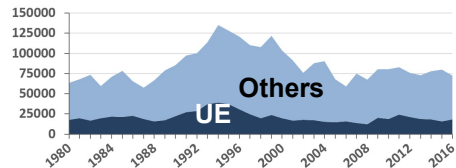
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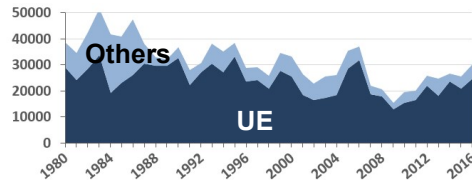
Stock	SSB	F	C ₂₀₁₆	State of stock & scientific advice
2016  YFT	0.95 	0.77 	127 000 >MSY >TAC	Stock overfished but close to MSY The SCRS indicates that catch at MSY level should maintain the stock and recommends effective measures be found to reduce FAD-related and other fishing mortality of small yellowfin tuna Management measures: TAC = 110 000 t [Rec. 11-01] 2 months FAD moratorium 4°S-5°N, 20°W-coast + non-entangling FADs Limitations in number of vessels: 269 LL + 34 PS [Rec. 15-01]
				
2014  SKJ East	>1 	<1 	217 360 >MSY?	No evidence that the eastern stock is overexploited Considering the complexity of the evaluation (variable growth, no PS CPUE indices and possible underreporting), the SCRS recommends that the catch and effort levels do not exceed the levels of 2012-2013 Management measures: none (2 months FAD moratorium 4°S-5°N, 20°W-coast + non-entangling FADs)
				
2015  BET	0.67 	1.28 	72 375 <MSY >TAC	Stock overfished and subject to overfishing The SCRS indicates that catch at MSY level would rebuild the stock by 2028 with 50% probability and recommends effective measures be found to reduce FAD-related and other fishing mortality of small bigeye tuna Management measures: TAC = 65 000 t [Rec. 15-01] 2 months FAD moratorium 4°S-5°N, 20°W-coast + non-entangling FADs Limitations in number of vessels: 269 LL + 34 PS [Rec. 15-01]
				

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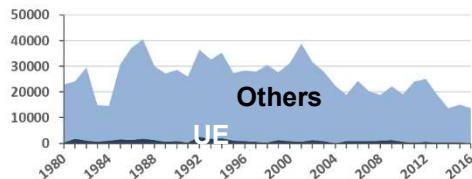


Stock	SSB	F	C ₂₀₁₆	State of stock & scientific advice
 2016 ALB North	1.36 	0.54 	30 140 <MSY >TAC	Stock neither overfished nor subject to overfishing For the SCRS, a HCR could be selected based on the results of the last evaluation (set a TAC for the following 3 years) but should do this on an interim basis, contingent on future advice of the SCRS



Management measures:
 TAC = 28 000 t [Rec. 16-06]
 Limitation of the number of vessels to 1992-93 level [Rec. 98-08]

 2016 ALB South	1.10 	0.54 	13 680 <MSY <TAC	Stock probably neither overfished nor subject to overfishing Because of considerable uncertainties, the SCRS indicates that catch at the 2016 TAC level should improve the stock status but further reductions in TAC would increase the probability of being in the green zone
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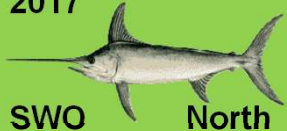


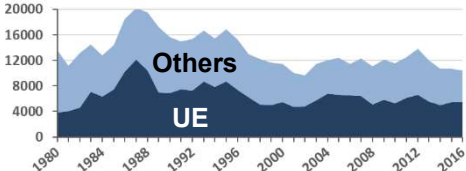


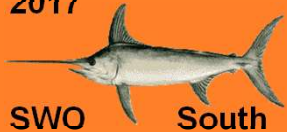


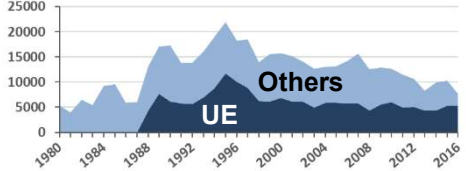
Management measures:
 TAC = 24 000 t [Rec. 16-05]

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2017  SWO North	1.04 	0.78 	10 400 <MSY <<TAC	Stock neither overfished nor subject to overfishing Catches at the current catch should maintain the stock in the green zone by 2028 but the SCRS indicates that a TAC of 13 200 t would be necessary to reach a 50% probability to reach this objective
				Management measures: TAC = 13 700 t [Rec. 16-03] + 125/119 cm LJFL minimum size [Rec. 10-02]

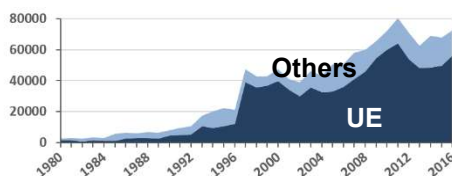
2017  SWO South	0.72 	0.98 	7 720 <MSY <<TAC	Stock overfished but fishing effort is at MSY level The SCRS indicates that a reduction of the TAC to 14 000 t would be necessary to reach a 50% probability of maintaining the stock in the green zone by 2028 (although catches are below 11 000 t since 2012)
				Management measures: TAC = 15 000 t [Rec. 16-04] + 125/119 cm LJFL minimum size [Rec. 10-02]

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2016 BSH North	>1.3	<0.75	42 120 >TAC	Stock neither overfished nor subject to overfishing If the Commission wants to establish a TAC for this stock, the average catch of 2009-2013 could be used as a limit
2016 BSH South	0.8 - 2.0	0.1 - 1.2	24 080	Stock state undetermined Considering the uncertainty in stock status, the SCRS strongly recommends a precautionary approach for this stock.
2016 SMA North	0.6 - 0.9	>1.93	3 380	Stock overfished and subject to overfishing To start rebuild the stock, annual catch should be reduced to 500 t or less. Measures to further improve the stock include time/area closures, gear restrictions, and best practices for the release of live specimens
2016 SMA South	0.6 - 1.7	0.8 - 3.6	2 690	Stock possibly overfished and possibly subject to overfishing Given the uncertainty in stock status, large fluctuations in catch, high intrinsic vulnerability of this species, and the depleted status for this stock, the Committee recommends a TAC of 2 001 t (average 2011-2015)
2016 POR 3 stocks	<0.8	0.1 - 10	600	Stocks overfished but mainly not subject to overfishing The SCRS recommends to limit the catches at current levels, prevent new targeted porbeagle fisheries, release porbeagles retrieved alive and harmonize management measures and data collection among RFMOs



Management measures:

TAC = 39 102 t for North Atlantic BSH [Rec. 16-12]

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N°	Objet	soumise par	Adoption et commentaires
A	Etablissement d'une liste de navires INN (révision de la 11/03)	Royaume-Uni	✓ Rév 2, adoptée
B	Programme pour les transbordements des grands navires de pêche (révision de la 14/06)	Indonésie	✓ Rév 2, adoptée
C	Conservation des raies du genre <u>Mobula</u> et des raies <u>mantas</u>	Maldives et Seychelles	Reportée à 2018
D	Reconstitution du stock d'albacore de l'Océan indien (révision de la 16/01)	Maurice	Regroupée avec la E
E	Reconstitution du stock d'albacore de l'Océan indien (révision de la 16/01)	Seychelles	Rév 4, adoptée
F	Interdiction des rejets de patudo, de listao, d'albacore et des espèces non-cibles capturés par les senneurs (révision de la 15/06)	Seychelles	✓ Rév 1, adoptée
G	Relative aux aspects socio-économiques des pêcheries	Seychelles	Reportée à 2018
H	Relative au GT sur la mise en œuvre des mesures de conservation et de gestion	Seychelles	✓ Rév 1, adoptée
I	Reconstitution du stock d'albacore de l'Océan indien (révision de la 16/01)	Afrique du Sud et Maldives	Regroupée avec la E
J	Conservation et la gestion des poissons porte-épée	UE	→ Reportée à 2018
K	Encadrement des grands filets maillants dérivants (révision de la 12-12)	UE	✓ Regroupée avec la P, rév 1 adoptée
L	Conservation et la gestion de la thonine, du thon mignon et du <u>thazard rayé</u>	UE	X→ Reportée à 2018
M	Conservation des requins	UE	Rév 2 adoptée (sans obligation d'attacher les ailerons pour les palangriers congélateurs)
N	Allocation des opportunités de pêche	Maldives et Afrique du Sud	Reportée à 2018
O	Plan de gestion des DCP	France territoires	Rév 1, adoptée
P	Encadrement des grands filets maillants dérivants (révision de la 12-12)	France territoires	Regroupée avec la K

✓ Adoptée
 ✓_r Adoptée en recommandation
 X Non adoptée
 X→ Reportée à la prochaine session



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