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QUOTA ALLOCATIONS 2018

1st to 31st MAY, 2018

NB: These figures are extracted from Monthly Fisheries Management Notice Nos.

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(Each of which is a legal document) - See Web Site link below :

<https://www.agriculture.gov.ie/seafood/fisheriesmanagementnotices/fisheriesmanagementnotices2018/>

SPECIES	AREA	COMMENT	Limit - FV	Limit - FV	May, 2018		May-18 Remarks	% Projected Take Up to 30.4.2018 - Per Cent	Remaining Tons to 30.4.2018
			> /= to 55ft in length	< 55ft in length	By - Catch	De- minimis			
			Tons	Tons					
COD	6a	No.1 - See below	1.5% bc	1.5% bc			May, 2018	n/a	
	6b		0.5	0.25			May, 2018	41.25%	9
	7a	No 2 3 Tons Gillnets	6	3			May, 2018	14.03%	395
	7b-c; 7e-k	No 2 1.5.Tons-Gillnets	3	1.5			May, 2018	31.04%	522
HADDOCK	7a	SEINERS = 18 tons	12	6	0.4 / 0.2		May, 2018	24.05%	1054
	7b-k; 8 & 9	SEINERS = 2 tons	1.4	0.7			May, 2018	42.51%	883
	6a		12	6	0.4 / 0.2		May, 2018	29.84%	533
	6b		18	9	0.4 / 0.2		May, 2018	46.49%	223
HAKE	6 & 7		14	7	0.4 / 0.2		May, 2018	42.94%	1964
LING	6,7,8,9,10,12,14		16	8			May, 2018	24.96%	702
MEGRIM	6		16	8			May, 2018	25.24%	526
	7		14	7			May, 2018	39.27%	1207
MONK (Anglerfish)	Area 6	See No. 3 Below	2.5	1.25			May, 2018	33.69%	6098
	Area 7	See No. 3 Below	2.5	1.25			May, 2018	47.32%	1504
PLAICE	6		OPEN				May, 2018	5.75%	246
	7a		OPEN				May, 2018	11.77%	1107
	7 b,c		OPEN				May, 2018	8.57%	58
	7 f,g		1% bc	1% bc			May, 2018	24.56%	60
	7 h,j,k		3% bc	3% bc			May, 2018	15.71%	47
NEPHROPS (Norway Lobster)	6		OPEN				May, 2018	6.52%	153
	Area 7 (INCLUSIVE of P.Bank)	Inclusive of catch limit in FU 16	40	20	0.4 / 0.2	7%	May, 2018	25.69%	7973
	"of which"								
Porcupine Bank is CLOSED to ALL FISHING for MAY	Porcupine Bank - Func. Unit 16 - Sub Area 7	Within the catch limit for Neps in ICES area 7	0	0		7%	May, 2018	72.88%	421

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WHITING	6		1	0.5			May, 2018	18.13%	52
	7a		0.2	0.1			May, 2018	31.96%	31
	7 b-k		40	20	0.4 / 0.2	7%	May, 2018	21.75%	4833
POLLACK (Pollachius Pollachius)	6		8	4			May, 2018	36.43%	369
	7		8	4			May, 2018	32.74%	625
SAITHE	6		10	5			May, 2018	51.59%	207
	7		OPEN				May, 2018	16.18%	1250
SKATES & RAYS	6a-b,7a-c 7e-k	No.4 - See below	5	2.5			May, 2018	28.33%	907
COMMON SOLE	6		OPEN				May, 2018	11.96%	41
	7a		3% bc	1% bc			May, 2018	38.82%	10
	7b-c		OPEN				May, 2018	18.33%	29
	7f-g		1% bc	1% bc			May, 2018	34.44%	18
	7h,j,k		OPEN		0.4 / 0.2		May, 2018	15.44%	145
TUSK	6 & 7		5% bc	5% bc			May, 2018	7.35%	63
REDFISH	5, 12 & 14		CLOSED				May, 2018	0.00%	
GREATER SILVER SMELT	6 & 7		CLOSED				May, 2018	0.00%	344
GREENLAND HALIBUT	6, 2a		CLOSED				May, 2018	0.00%	

Please note the following for the period :

1st to 31st MAY, 2018

- 1 COD 6a : This fishery is now CLOSED - FVs are only entitled to have onboard a 1.5% by-catch, per trip.
- 2 COD : Limit for boats using Gillnets in Area: VIIa = **3 ton** and in Area VIIb-k = **1.5 ton**
- 3 MONK 6 & 7 : For Fishing Vessels in the "**Monkfish Scheme**" please check your Monk Authorisation
- 4 SKATES & RAYS Landings of Common Skate, White Skate and Undulate Ray are prohibited and there are special requirements in relation to the reporting of landings of Cookoo Ray, Thorny Back Ray, Blondie Ray, Spotted Ray, Sandy Ray and Shagreen Ray.
- 5 BOARFISH Vessels with an individual vessel allocation should check their Authorisation. All other vessels have a 5% by-catch
- 6 HERRING **Area VII b, c & VIaS (North West Herring) - FVs under 20m is = 0 TON**
- 7 HERRING **Area VII-ghjk (Celtic Sea Herring) FVs under 20m, using Gillnet without an individual quota allocations = 0 Ton**
Area VII-ghjk (Celtic Sea Herring) FVs under 20m, using Trawls without an individual quota allocations = 0 Ton
- 8 MACKEREL Area VI,VII, VIIIA,b,d,e: FV's Less than 18m (except FVs fishing by hook & lines) without individual allocation = **5 Ton**
< 15m -Vessels fishing by means of hook & lines may retain on board or land up to **500kg** of Mackerel on any occasion but may not carry nets of < 80mm when availing of derogation.

DEEP SEA QUOTA MANAGEMENT NOTICES:

F.N. No. 30 of 2018

For FVs appropriately permitted/authorised to fish DEEP SEA Species :-

RED SEABREAM	6, 7, 8	CLOSED
ALFONSINOS	3-10,12,14	CLOSED
BLACK SCABBARDFISH	5, 6, 7 & 12	CLOSED
BLUE LING	2, 4, 5B, 6, 7	CLOSED
DEEP SEA SHARKS	5, 6, 7, 8, 9	CLOSED
ROUNDNOSE GRENADIER	8, 9, 10,12,14	CLOSED