## **Quota Table 2012 and Effort Allocation Scheme 2012**

QUOTA TABLE. Total allowable catches (TACs) and quotas (metric tons) for 2012 of particular stocks in Subareas 1-4 of the NAFO Convention Area. The values listed include quantities to be taken both inside and outside the 200-mile fishing zone, where applicable.

| Species                                     | Cod        |                    |                    |                 | Redfish            |                            |                      |       |                                 | American plaice    |                 | Yellowtail             |
|---|------------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------|--------------------|----------------------------|----------------------|-------|---------------------------------|--------------------|-----------------|------------------------|
| Division/Contracting Party                  | 3L         | 3M                 | % of 3M<br>Cod TAC | 3NO             | 3LN                | % of 3LN<br>Redfish<br>TAC | 3M                   | 30    | Sub-Area 2<br>and Div.<br>1F+3K | 3LNO               | 3M              | 3LNO                   |
| Canada                                      |            | 74                 | 0.80               | 0               | 2556               | 42.60                      | 500                  | 6000  | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                | 0                  | 0               | 16575 <sup>5</sup>     |
| Cuba  |            | 343                | 3.70               | -               | 588                | 9.80                       | 1750                 |       | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| Denmark (Faroe<br>Islands and<br>Greenland) |            | 2074               | 22.35              | -               | -                  |                            | 69 <sup>19</sup>     |       | 0 <sup>2,3</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| European Union                              |            | 5292 <sup>25</sup> | 57.03              | 0 <sup>11</sup> | 1094 <sup>26</sup> | 18.23                      | 7813 <sup>12</sup>   | 7000  | $0^{2,3}$ $0^{2,15}$            | 0                  | 0 <sup>11</sup> | -                      |
| France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)             |            | -                  |                    | -               | -                  |                            | 69 <sup>19</sup>     |       | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                | -                  | -               | 340 <sup>5</sup>       |
| Iceland                                     |            | -                  |                    | -               | -                  |                            | -                    |       | 0 <sup>2,3</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| Japan                                       |            | -                  |                    | -               | -                  |                            | 400                  | 150   | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| Korea                                       |            | -                  |                    | -               | -                  |                            | 69 <sup>19</sup>     | 100   | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| Norway                                      |            | 859                | 9.25               | -               | -                  |                            | -                    |       | 0 <sup>2,3</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| Russian Federation                          |            | 601                | 6.47               | 0               | 1726               | 28.77                      | 9137                 | 6500  | 0 <sup>2,3</sup>                | -                  | 0               | -                      |
| Ukraine                                     |            |                    |                    |                 |                    |                            |                      | 150   | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                |                    |                 |                        |
| United States of<br>America                 |            | -                  |                    | -               | -                  |                            | 69 <sup>19</sup>     |       | 0 <sup>2,4</sup>                | -                  | -               | -                      |
| Others                                      |            | 37                 | 0.40               | 0               | 36                 | 0.60                       | 124                  | 100   | -                               | 0                  | 0               | 85 <sup>5</sup>        |
| TOTAL ALLOWABLE CATCH                       | <b>*</b> 9 | 9280 <sup>23</sup> | 100.0              | *20,9           | 6000 <sup>24</sup> | 100.0                      | 6500 <sup>8,16</sup> | 20000 | 0 <sup>10,17</sup>              | <sub>*</sub> 16,21 | <b>*</b> 9,29   | 17000 <sup>21,22</sup> |

| Species                                     | Witch             |     | White hake | Capelin | Skates             | Greenland<br>halibut | Squid (Illex) <sup>1</sup>             | Shrimp              |            |
|---|-------------------|-----|------------|---------|--------------------|----------------------|--|---------------------|------------|
| Division/Contracting<br>Party               | 3L                | 3NO | 3NO        | 3NO     | 3LNO               | 3LMNO                | Sub-areas 3+4                          | 3L                  | 3NO        |
| Canada                                      |                   | 0   | 1470       | 0       | 1417               | 1814                 | N.S. <sup>6</sup>                      | 10000               |            |
| Cuba  |                   | -   |            | 0       |                    | -                    | 510                                    | 133                 |            |
| Denmark (Faroe<br>Islands and<br>Greenland) |                   | -   |            | -       |                    | 210                  | -                                      | 133                 |            |
| European Únion                              |                   | 011 | 2940       | 011     | 5352               | 7093 <sup>18</sup>   | N.S. <sup>6</sup><br>611 <sup>13</sup> | 670 <sup>14</sup>   |            |
| France (St. Pierre et Miquelon)             |                   | -   |            | -       |                    | 198                  | 453                                    | 133                 |            |
| Iceland                                     |                   | -   |            | -       |                    | -                    | -                                      | 133                 |            |
| Japan                                       |                   | -   |            | 0       |                    | 1240                 | 510                                    | 133                 |            |
| Korea                                       |                   | -   |            | -       |                    | -                    | 453                                    | 133                 |            |
| Norway                                      |                   | -   |            | 0       |                    | -                    | -                                      | 133                 |            |
| Russian Federation                          |                   | 0   | 295        | 0       | 1417               | 1543                 | 749                                    | 133                 |            |
| Ukraine                                     |                   |     |            |         |                    | -                    |  | 133                 |            |
| United States of<br>America                 |                   | -   |            | -       |                    | -                    | 453                                    | 133                 |            |
| Others                                      |                   | 0   | 295        | -       | 314                | 07                   | 794                                    | 0                   |            |
| TOTAL<br>ALLOWABLE<br>CATCH                 | <sub>*</sub> 9,20 | *9  | 5000       | *9,20   | 8500 <sup>28</sup> | 12098                | 34000 <sup>20</sup>                    | 12000 <sup>27</sup> | <b>*</b> 9 |

- \* Ban on fishing in force.
- Any quota listed for squid may be increased by a transfer from any "coastal state" as defined in Article 1, paragraph 3 of the NAFO Convention, provided that the TAC for squid is not exceeded. Transfers made to Contracting Parties conducting fisheries for squid in the Regulatory Area shall be reported to the Executive Secretary, and the report shall be made as promptly as possible.
- The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties the dates on which accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of Contracting Parties estimated equal to 50% and then 100% of that allocation.
- <sup>3.</sup> Quota to be shared by vessels from Denmark (Greenland and Faroe Islands), European Union, Iceland, Norway and Russia. Catches in the NAFO Convention Area shall be deducted from the quotas allocated in the NEAFC Convention Area.
- <sup>4.</sup> Quota to be shared by vessels from Canada, Cuba, France (St. Pierre et Miquelon), Japan, Korea, Ukraine and USA.
- 5. Contracting Parties shall inform the Executive Secretary before 01 December 2011of the measures to be taken to ensure that total catches do not exceed the levels indicated.
- The allocation to these Contracting Parties are as yet undetermined, although their sum shall not exceed the difference between the total of allocations to other Contracting Parties and the TAC (= 29.458 tons).

- <sup>7.</sup> In 2005, the previous 935 t "Others" quota was assigned to three Contracting Parties. When the TAC exceeds 30,000 t the next 1,300 t beyond 30,000 will be allocated to an Others quota which can be accessed by those who do not hold Greenland halibut allocation. In deciding the relevant contributions of Contracting Parties to the 1,300 t Others quota, the Fisheries Commission will take into account the fact that some Contracting Parties received a benefit from the 935 t quota which was reassigned in 2005.
- 8. Not more than 3250 tons may be fished before 01 July 2012. The Executive Secretary shall notify without delay all Contracting Parties of the date on which, for this stock, accumulated reported catch taken by vessels of the Contracting Parties is estimated to equal 50% and then 100% of the TAC.
- <sup>9.</sup> The provisions of Article 12, paragraph 1.b) of the Conservation and Enforcement Measures shall apply.
- In the case of the NEAFC decision which modifies the level of TAC in 2012 as compared to 2011, these figures shall be accordingly adjusted by NAFO and formalized through a mail vote.
- Including fishing entitlements of Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania following their accession to the European Union and in accordance with sharing arrangements of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission at its Annual Meeting in 2003 (FC Working Paper 03/7).
- <sup>12.</sup> Including allocations of 1571 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania out of a sharing of 20,000 tonnes, following their accession to the European Union.
- Allocations of 128 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia and Lithuania as well as 227 tonnes for Poland out of a TAC of 34,000 tonnes, following their accession to the European Union.
- Including allocations of 133 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia, Lithuania and Poland out of a TAC of 12,000 tonnes, following their accession to the European Union.
- 15. Allocation of 17.85% to Lithuania and 2.15% to Latvia following their accession to the European Union.
- <sup>16.</sup> Applicable to 2012 and 2013.
- The quota shares in footnotes 4 and 15 can only be fished in the NAFO Regulatory Area. If an increase in the overall TAC as defined in footnote 10 leads to an increase in these shares, the first 500 tonnes of that increase shall be added to the quota share referred to in footnote 4.
- <sup>18.</sup> Including an allocation of 397 tonnes for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania following their accession to the European Union.
- Notwithstanding the provisions of footnote 8 and without prejudice to future agreements on allocations, these quotas may be fished in their entirety by these Contracting Parties.
- Applicable until at least 2013.
- 21. In lieu of Article 12.1 (a) and (b) of the CEM, the following by-catch provisions for American plaice only in the 3LNO yellowtail fishery shall apply:

  Contracting Parties fishing for yellowtail flounder allocated under the NAFO allocation table will be restricted to an overall Am. plaice by-catch harvest limit equal to 15% of their total yellowtail fishery as calculated in accordance with Article 12.1 (c). If a Scientific Council projection indicates that this rate is likely to undermine stock recovery or cause an unreasonable delay in reaching B<sub>lim</sub>, this rate may be subject to a reassessment by the Fisheries Commission.
- Following the NAFO annual meeting and prior to January 1 of the succeeding year, at the request of the USA, Canada will transfer 1000 tonnes of its 3LNO yellowtail quota to the USA.
- The allocation key of this stock is based on the 1998 Quota Table. In 1999, a moratorium on cod in Division 3M was declared.
- The allocation key of this stock is based on the 1997 Quota Table. In 1998, a moratorium on redfish in Division 3LN was declared.
- Including fishing entitlements of 103 tons each for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania in accordance with sharing arrangements of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission at its Annual Meeting in 2003 (FC Working Paper 03/7) and allocation of 352 tons for Poland following their accession to the European Union.
- Including fishing entitlements of 297 tonnes each for Estonia, Latvia, and Lithuania in accordance with sharing arrangements of the former USSR quota adopted by the Fisheries Commission at its Annual Meeting in 2003 (FC Working Paper 03/7) following their accession to the European Union.
- For 2013, the TAC will be reduced to 9,350 tonnes. This TAC will be reviewed based on available Scientific Council advice on this stock.
- This TAC will be reviewed in 2012 in line with the available scientific advice on this stock.
- <sup>29</sup> Applicable to 2012, 2013 and 2014.

## Effort Allocation Scheme for Shrimp Fishery in the NAFO Regulatory Area Div. 3M, 2012

| CONTRACTING PARTY                             | Number of<br>fishing days <sup>1</sup> | Number of<br>vessels <sup>1</sup> |
|---|--|-----------------------------------|
| Canada  | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| Cuba  | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| Denmark Faroe Islands Greenland               | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| European Union                                | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| France (in respect of St. Pierre et Miquelon) | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| Iceland                                       | N/A                                    | N/A                               |
| Japan   | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| Korea   | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| Norway  | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| Russia  | 0                                      | N/A                               |
| Ukraine                                       | 0                                      | 0                                 |
| USA   | 0                                      | 0                                 |

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup>When the scientific advice estimates that the stock shows signs of recovery, the fishery shall be re-opened in accordance with the effort allocation key in place for this fishery at the time of the closure.