

Capelin

Mallotus villosus



Capelin are distributed mainly on the Grand Banks and managed as one stock in Divisions 3NO. There is minimal bycatch of capelin by other fisheries in the divisions.

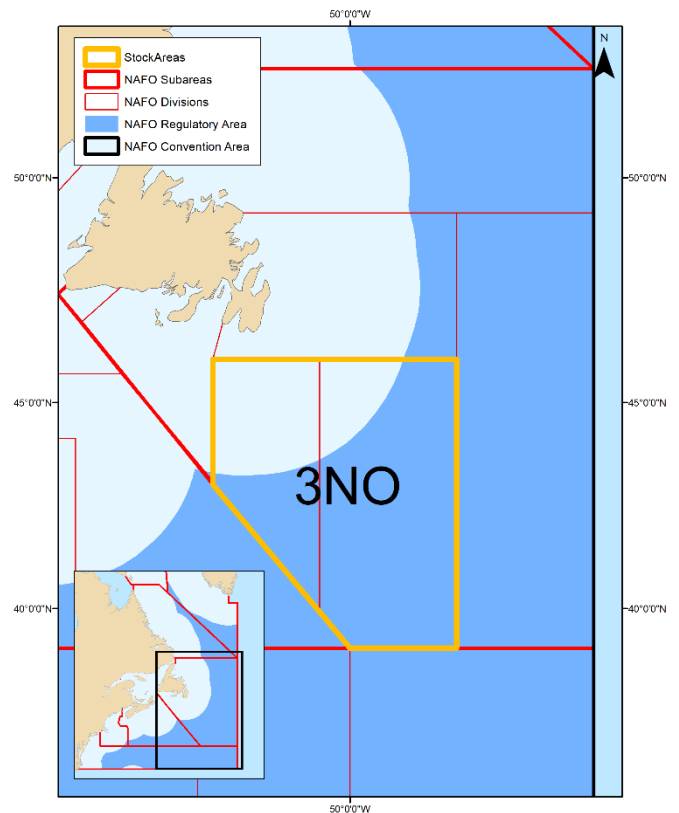
3NO Division

Fishery status

A moratorium (no directed fishery) has remained in place since it was declared in 1995.

Recent assessments

No directed fishing was advised through 2019- 2021. Unless an acoustic survey is available, the Scientific Council will be unable to produce more specific advice.



The orange frames indicate Divs. 3NO capelin (CAP) management areas.

Detailed stock advice can be found at:
www.nafo.int/Science/Stocks-Advice

Next full assessment:

3NO
2021

Total allowable catch (TAC):

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