

TABLE 1: AVAILABLE DATA

COMMON NAME:	COD	SPECIES:	<i>Gadus morhua</i>
AREA:	NORTH SEA	STOCK:	ICES AREA IV
CREATED BY:	PETER WRIGHT 2001-31-05	UPDATED BY:	

Data status									
Year	Stock size	Stock composition	Age	Sex ratio	Maturity	Fecundity	Weight	Condition	Additional data
2001									
2000	✓	✓	✓	✓					
1999	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓
1998	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1997	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1996	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1995	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1994	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1993	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1992	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1991	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1990	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
1989	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
1988	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓		✓		
1987	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1986	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1985	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1984	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1983	✓	✓	✓		✓				
1982	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1981	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				
1980	✓	✓	✓	✓	✓				

Data status									
Year	Stock size	Stock composition	Age	Sex ratio	Maturity	Fecundity	Weight	Condition	Additional data
1979	✓	✓	✓						
1978	✓	✓	✓						
1977	✓	✓	✓						
1976	✓	✓	✓						
1975	✓	✓	✓						
1974	✓	✓	✓						
1973	✓	✓	✓						
1972	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓			
1971	✓	✓	✓			✓			
1970	✓	✓	✓			✓	✓		
1969	✓	✓	✓		✓	✓	✓		
1968	✓	✓	✓		✓				
1967	✓	✓	✓						
1966	✓	✓	✓						
1965	✓	✓	✓						
1964	✓	✓	✓						
1963	✓	✓	✓						
1962									
1961									
1960									
1934					✓				
1893					✓				
1891						✓			
1920-63	✓	✓							

TABLE 2: DATA BASIS, FORMAT AND QUALITY

COMMON NAME:	COD	
AREA:	NORTH SEA	
STOCK:	ICES AREA IV	
REPRODUCTIVE STRATEGY:	DETERMINATE BATCH SPAWNER	REF. NO.: 16
TIMING OF SPAWNING:	JANUARY -APRIL	REF. NO.: 6,16
OPTIMAL TIME FOR MATURITY SAMPLING:	DECEMBER-JANUARY	REF. NO.: 6

Data basis, format and quality						
Parameters	Year range	Data basis (A/L/W)	Data origin	Sampling frequency	Notes on data, methods and contents	Ref. No.
Stock size	1920-63 1963 –2000	A A	CL CL, CC in some areas after 1990	M M	VPA but high uncertainty in estimates Catch at age analysis (VPA)	20 1
Stock composition	1963 –2000 1970s, 1988-90, 1999	L, A L,A, W	CL CL,CC	M	Catch at age analysis (VPA) No routine weight measurements	1 11, 12, 13
Age determination	1963 –2000	otoliths	C,L	M	age based assessments	1
Sex ratio	1963-2000	L, A	S	A	Surveys	13
Maturity:						
A. Ogives	1883, 1924, 1968-72 1980-1995 1995-2001	A,L, W	S	A	dedicated study dedicated study dedicated study analysis from ICES IBTS analysis of survey data in progress P. Wright, FRS	2 3 4 5 13
B. Skip of spawning						
C. Spawning probability	1953-90		S	A	from egg surveys review	6 7
D. Other						

Data basis, format and quality						
Parameters	Year range	Data basis (A/L/W)	Data origin	Sampling frequency	Notes on data, methods and contents	Ref. No.
Fecundity:						
A. Estimation	<1891 1969 1970 -72 1999	A,L A,L A,L,W A,L,W	S	A	n=92 n=26	8 9 4 10
B. First time vs. repeat spawners						
C. Atresia						
D. Other						
Weight:						
A. Commercial fisheries data	1970s 1988-90		CC		no regular sampling	11 11 12
B. Survey data			S			
C. Other						
Condition:						
A. Fulton						
B. HSI	1969-70 1999		CC, S	M	few data 1 st quarter	11 10
C. Energy						
D. Other						
Egg viability:						
A. Egg quality	1970-72	A,L,W	S	A	n=30 weights	4
B. Fertilisation success						
C. Egg mortality					size selective mortality	14
D. Other						
Larval viability:						
A. Hatching success						
B. Larvae quality						
C. Mortality						
D. Other					study of temperature related larval development	15
Spawning time	1953-90		S	A	plankton surveys	5, 16
Contamination						
Environmental key factors			S		regional trophic studies temperature effects on recruitment	17, 18 19

Data basis, format and quality						
Parameters	Year range	Data basis (A/L/W)	Data origin	Sampling frequency	Notes on data, methods and contents	Ref. No.
Other factors or parameters						

TABLE 3: STUDIES OF REPRODUCTIVE POTENTIAL

COMMON NAME: COD

AREA: ICES AREA IV

STOCK: NORTH SEA

Estimation of reproductive potential			
Subject	Short description	Year range	Ref. No.
Potential or realised egg production			
Viable egg and larvae production			
Critical life stages	REVIEW OF GADOID STOCK CHANGES	1962-1993	21
Environmental influences			
Stock recruitment relations	REVIEW OF GADOID STOCK CHANGES	1962-1993	21
Other studies			

TABLE 4: DATA SOURCES

COMMON NAME:	COD
AREA:	NORTH SEA
STOCK:	ICES IV

Data sources (literature reference or contact person)	
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