

TABLE 1: AVAILABLE DATA

COMMON NAME: ATLANTIC COD **SPECIES:** *Gadus morhua*

AREA: NORTHWEST ATLANTIC **STOCK:** NAFO DIV. 3NO

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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	√	√	√	(√)	√		(√)	(√)	
1979	√	√	√	(√)	√		(√)	(√)	
1978	√	√	√	(√)	√		(√)	(√)	

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1977	√	√	√	(√)	√		(√)		
1976	√	√	√	(√)	√		(√)		
1975	√	√	√	(√)	√		(√)		
1974	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1973	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1972	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1971	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1970	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1969	√	√	√		√		(√)	(√)	
1968	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1967	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1966	√	√	√		√		(√)	(√)	
1965	√	√	√		√	√	(√)		
1964	√	√	√		√	√	(√)		
1963	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1962	√	√	√		√		(√)	(√)	
1961	√	√	√		√		(√)	(√)	
1960	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1959	√	√	√		√		(√)		
1958									
1957									
1956									
1955									
1954									
1953							(√)	(√)	
1952							(√)	(√)	
1951							(√)	(√)	
1950									
1949							(√)	(√)	
1948							(√)	(√)	
1947							(√)	(√)	

TABLE 2: DATA BASIS, FORMAT AND QUALITY

COMMON NAME:	ATLANTIC COD	
AREA:	NORTHWEST ATLANTIC	
STOCK:	NAFO DIV. 3NO	
REPRODUCTIVE STRATEGY:	DETERMINATE BATCH SPAWNER	REF. NO.: 12,13
TIMING OF SPAWNING:	APRIL-JUNE	REF. NO.: 5,6,7
OPTIMAL TIME FOR MATURITY SAMPLING:		REF. NO.:

Data basis, format and quality						
Variables	Year range	Data basis (A/L/W)	Data origin	Sampling frequency	Notes on data, methods and contents	Ref. No.
Stock size	1959-1974	A	CL	Q	VPA starting 1959	1
	1975-1976	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,Y		1
	1977-1988	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,B		1,10
	1989	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		1,10
	1990-1991	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,4/YR	few otoliths sampled from the commercial fishery from 1996-1998	1,10
	1992-1994	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		1
	1995-1998	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR	Spanish survey covers only part of stock area	1,11
	1999-2000	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		2,11
Stock composition	1959-1974	A	CL	Q	VPA starting 1959	1
	1975-1976	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,Y		1
	1977-1988	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,B		1,10
	1989	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		1,10
	1990-1991	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,4/YR	few otoliths sampled from the commercial fishery from 1996-1998	1,10
	1992-1994	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		1
	1995-1998	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR	Spanish survey covers only part of stock area	1,11
	1999-2000	A,L	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		2,11
Age determination	1959-1974	A	CL	Q	VPA starting 1959	1
	1975-1976	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,Y		1
	1977-1989	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,B		1,10
	1990	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		1,10
	1991	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,4/YR	few otoliths sampled from the commercial fishery from 1996-1998	1,10
	1992-1994	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,3/YR		1
	1995-1998	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,B		1
	1999-2000	A	CC,CL,S	Q,Q,B		2

Data basis, format and quality						
Variables	Year range	Data basis (A/L/W)	Data origin	Sampling frequency	Notes on data, methods and contents	Ref. No.
Sex ratio	1975-1988	A,L	S	Y	Spanish survey covers only part of stock area	2
	1989	A,L	S	B		2
	1990-1994	A,L	S	3/YR		2
	1995-1998	A,L	S	3/YR		2,11
	1999-2000	A,L	S	3/YR		2,11
Maturity:						
A. Ogives (E)	1959-1974	A,L	S	Y	By cohort	3,2
	1975-1995	A,L	S	Y	by cohort and annual	1,2,3
	1996-1998	A,L	S	Y	annual	1
	1999-2000	A,L	S	Y	annual	2
B. Skip of spawning						
C. Spawning probability						
D. Other						
Fecundity:						
A. Estimation	1964-1965	A,L,W	Not given	APR-MAY	3N and 3O separately	4
	1988-1990	A,L,W	S	Y	small sample size in recent years	2
	1993-1999	A,L,W	S	Y		2
B. First time vs. repeat spawners						
C. Atresia						
D. Other						
Weight:						
A. Commercial fisheries data	1959-1998	L	CC,CL	Q	Invariant length/weight relationship	1,9
	1999-2000	L	CC,CL	Q		2,9
B. Survey data	1978-1989	A,L	S	A		2
	1990-2000	A,L	S	B		2
	1947-49, 1951-53, 1961- 62,1966, 1969	A,L	S	VARIOUS		2
C. Other						
Condition:						
A. Fulton	1978-1989	A,L	S	A		2
	1990-2000	A,L	S	B		2
	1947-49, 1951-53, 1961- 62,1966, 1969	A,L	S	VARIOUS		2

Data basis, format and quality						
Variables	Year range	Data basis (A/L/W)	Data origin	Sampling frequency	Notes on data, methods and contents	Ref. No.
B. HSI	1978-1989	A,L	S	A		2
	1990-2000	A,L	S	B		2
	1947-49, 1951-53, 1961- 62, 1966, 1969	A,L	S	VARIOUS		2
C. Energy						
D. Other	1978-1989	A,L	S	A	GSI	2
	1990-2000	A,L	S	B		2
	1947-49, 1951-53, 1961- 62, 1966, 1969	A,L	S	VARIOUS		2
Egg viability:						
A. Egg quality						
B. Fertilisation success						
C. Egg mortality						
D. Other						
Larval viability:						
A. Hatching success						
B. Larvae quality						
C. Mortality						
D. Other						
Spawning time	1946-1991	A,L	S	VARIOUS		5,6,7
Contamination						
Environmental key factors						
Other factors or parameters	1994-1999	L	S	Y	Pelagic O group survey	8

TABLE 3: STUDIES OF REPRODUCTIVE POTENTIAL

COMMON NAME:	ATLANTIC COD
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Estimation of reproductive potential			
Subject	Brief description	Year range	Ref. No.
Potential or realised egg production			
Viable egg and larvae production			
Critical life stages			
Environmental influences	Effect of salinity on recruitment	1959-1986	14
Stock recruitment relations	Exploration of relationship of sex ratio, weighted mean age of SSB, and proportion of first time spawners to residuals from Beverton-Holt stock recruit relationship	1959-1995	3
Other studies			

TABLE 4: DATA SOURCES

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