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	(1) at sea	(2) in har- bour						(3) total (3)=(1)+(2)	US \$	£	
Canada	28	692	35	4.9	35	Nil	Nil	-	-	-	-
France	-	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany (FR)	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	28	30	3	4.5	3	-	-	-	-	-	No vessels operated for regulated species
Portugal	-	76	3	4.0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	613	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USSR	121	661	7	0.9	-	7	7	R235	50	25	-
UK	-	Nil RETURN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USA	27	1193	5	0.4	5*	-	-	-	-	-	* For technical violations or cases with insufficient evidence to convict

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	(1) at sea	(2) in har- bour						(3) total (3)=(1)+(2)	US \$	FF F	
Canada	28	692	35	4.9	35	NIL	NIL	-	-	-	-
France	-	111	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Germany (FR)	-	9	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Poland	28	34	3	4.5	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Portugal	-	76	3	4.0	3	-	-	-	-	-	-
Spain	-	613	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USSR	121	661	7	0.9	-	7	7	R235	50	25	-
UK	-	NIL RETURN	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
USA	27	1193	5	0.4	5*	-	-	-	-	-	-

No vessels operated for regulated species

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Table 2. ICMF Trawl Regulations: Summary of Mesh Obstruction Infringements, 1971.

Country	Inspections (Gear)		(4) Apparent Infringe- ments	(5) Percentage of (4) on (3)	(6) Warnings Given	(7) Prosecutions (7)=(4)-(6)	(8) Successful Prosecutions	(9) Penalties Imposed (in currency of reporting country)			Remarks (e.g. re cases pending and in respect of illegal nets)
	(1) at sea	(2) in har- bour						(3) total (3)=(1)+(2)	US \$	UK £	
Canada	28	692	720	1.1	8	NIL	NIL	-	-	-	
France	-	75	75	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Germany (FR)	-	2	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Poland	22	24	46	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Portugal	-	6	6	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	-	98	None	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	No vessels operated for regulated species
USSR	121	661	782	1.0	-	13*	13*	R490	50	20	* For some infringements there was more than one prosecution
UK		NIL RETURN									
USA	27	1193	1220	0.5	6*	-	-	-	-	-	* For technical violations or cases with insufficient evidence to convict

Table 3. IONAF Trawl Regulations: Summary of Excess Landings Infringements, 1971.

Country	Inspections (gear)		(4) Apparent Infringements	(5) Percentage of (4) on (3)	(6) Warnings Given	(7) Prosecutions (7)=(4)-(6)	(8) Successful Prosecutions	(9) Penalties Imposed (in currency of reporting country)			Remarks (e.g. re cases pending and in respect of illegal nets)
	(1) at sea	(2) in harbour						(3) total (3)=(1)+(2)	US\$	FF	
Canada	-	180	8	4.4	6	2*	1	\$100	100	100	* Information laid, case pending
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Germany (FR)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Poland	3	10	13	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
USSR	45	348	393	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
UK	-	NIL RETURN		-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
USA	-	1712	1712	0.05	1	-	-	-	-	-	

Table 4. ICNAF Trawl Regulations: Summary of Closed Areas Infringements, 1971.

Country	Inspections (Gear)		(4) Apparent Infringe- ments	(5) Percentage of (4) on (3)	(6) Warnings Given	(7) Prosecutions (7)=(4)-(6)	(8) Successful Prosecutions	(9) Penalties Imposed (in currency of reporting country)			Remarks (e.g. re cases pending and in respect of illegal nets)
	(1) at sea	(2) in har- bour						(3) total (3)=(1)+(2)	US \$	HI \$	
Canada	1	-	1	100	NIL	1	NIL*	-	-	-	* Error in Regulations circumvented jurisdiction
France	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Germany (FR)	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Japan	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Poland	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Portugal	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Spain	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
USSR	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
UK	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
USA	-	-	25	-	-	25*	11	\$1127	100	1	* 14 cases pending

