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A. Status of the Fisheries

The portuguese nominal catches of NAFO recorded an overall increase of 30% from 1988 to 89. This is due to the increase observed in the reported cod catches in Div. 3L (270%), and in the redfish catches in Div. 3M (98%). The 1989 nominal catches by gear and division are presented in Table I.

The portuguese fleet operating during 1989 in the NAFO regulatory area was composed of 32 stern and side trawlers operating throughout the year, and 11 gillnetters fishing between April and November. The fishing effort of trawlers was almost entirely spent in Div. 3L and 3M (97%), the same situation occurring to fishing effort of gillnetters, although in a lesser scale (71%).

The fishing effort of the portuguese fleet is presented in Table II. Fishing hours and the sum of the number of nets per fishing day was estimated from the fishing days reported each month by the trawl and the gillnet fleet, using data available through direct observation.

B. Portuguese Annual Sampling Program.

1. Introduction.

Catch and effort data were directly collected on board of two stern trawlers operating in Div. 3L and 3M, one from January to March and the other from May to August, as well as on board of a gillnetter operating in Div. 3N, from April till September.

Length compositions of the main species in the respective catches, mean weights and sex ratios by month and division, and cod age compositions have been made available through the biological sampling carried out simultaneously. The intensity of sampling during 1989 is presented in Table III.

2. Catch and effort data.

For the two stern trawlers surveyed, greenland halibut and redfish where the target species in Div. 3L. In Div. 3M the redfish fishery recorded a by-catch of greenland halibut (turbot) or cod depending on the depth range where the majority of the hauls was made in each month, below or above the 400m line respectively.

For the months where data are available in Div. 3M, for fishing days above and below the 400m line, higher redfish cpue's are always observed at lower depths, together with a mean by-catch of cod around 40% .

In Div. 3N cod was the target species for the gillnetter sampled, with american plaice as the main species in the by-catch. Observed catches of american plaice and yellowtail flounder have been used to split the nominal catches of american plaice from gillnets in Div. 3N, by these two species. The weighted mean rate of yellowtail flounder in the gillnet flatfish catches in Div. 3N is 14.5% .

Directed effort for each target species, cpue's in weight and by-catch rates by division and month are presented in Table IV-A and IV-B. Discrimination of the 3M redfish fishery by depth zone and respective by-catches of cod are presented in Table V-A and V-B. Finnally, monthly cpue's in numbers appeared in Table VI for males and females of greenland halibut (turbot) and redfish from Div.3L, and for the redfish of Div.3M.

3. Biological data.

Length compositions amd mean weigths in the stern trawl and gillnet catches for cod (Div. 3M and 3N), redfish (Div. 3M, 3L and 3N), greenland halibut (Div. 3L), american plaice (Div. 3N and 3M) and yellowtail flounder (Div. 3N) are presented in Table VII to XI. In Fig. 1 to 7 length compositions were plotted only for quarters and total annual.

Age compositions and mean weights at age of the cod catches are presented in Table XII-A (stern trawl, Div. 3M) and XII-B (gillnets, Div. 3N), as well as in Fig. 1 and 2.

The cod by-catches in the 3M redfish fishery are basically supported by the 1984, 85 and 86 year classes, with the 4 age group predominant.

As for the 3N gillnet cod fishery, more than 50% of the individuals came from the 1980 and 79 year classes, with the bulk of the age structure given by age groups 9 and olders.

Flatfish gillnet catches in Div. 3N records average lengths of 36.9 cm and 47.9 cm for males and females of american plaice, together with average lengths of 34.0 cm and 39.0 cm for males and females of yellowtail flounder.

TABLE I : PORTUGUESE MUSICAL CATCHES (st) IN NAFO AREA, 1969

SPECIES	DIVISION						TOTAL		TOTAL	
	OT	IL	GHS	OT	W	OT	GHS	OT	GHS	1969
Cod	21008.9	1238	166.6	2.2	231.9	555.5	0	117.7	24129	12931
Redfish	5955.7	393.5	12976.4	31.5	635.6	0	12.1	0	18870	11072
American plaice (1)	460.3	22.3	1218.4	20.9	60.5	31	0	7.6	1821	1791
Yellowtail (2)	0	0	0	0	0	5.1	0	0	5	
Witch flounder	7.1	0	3.1	0	5.4	0	0	0	16	12
Greenland halibut	3155.8	12.4	336	40.2	19.1	0	0	0	3614	4194
Roundnose grenadier	251.1	0	27.3	10.5	0	0	0	0	290	914
States	176.1	22.6	265.4	0.7	243	9.9	0	3.4	663	1997
TOTAL	30915	1568.8	14995.4	99.3	1815	601.5	12.1	124.7	4906	38011

(1) Including Yellowtail catches (except for div. 3W(gillnet)). The weighted mean rate in the gillnet catches of plaice plus Yellowtail sampled by the INIP in div. 3W (from May till September 1969), is 14.5%.

(2) Total 3W catches from gillnet estimated from the catch composition by species of the gillnetter sampled by the INIP.

TABLE II : PORTUGUESE REPORT IN FISHING DAYS AND FISHING SEOURS (TINYL) OR NUMBER OF NETS (GILLNETS), IN NAFO AREA IN 1969.

MONTH	DIVISION						TOTAL 1969					
	DAYS	HOURS	OT	IL	GHS	OT	DAYS	HOURS	NETS	GT	NGUJAS	NETS
JAN.	105	1995	206	2707								
FEB.	160	2328	188	2735								
MAR.	74	1060	290	4014			11	152	3	42		
APR.							14	100	6	1760		
MAY	113	2252	60	20744	210	2734	52	17982	15	5187	33	43317
JUN.	339	4993	63	24703	154	2235	21	6236	35	13727	501	46144
JUL.	239	3791	38	15211	62	981	55	22017	19	4774	101	44634
AUG.	159	2724	98	60780	19	326	9	3746	69	28718	178	3054
SEP.	171	2965	36	13576	25	409	3	1131	23	376	5	73351
OCT.	250	4002	24	3257	51	704	12	4628	20	3017	219	3578
NOV.	213	2939	19	7320	44	607	5	1157	13	179	361	4937
DEC.	163	2749	6	110	10	138			10	270	276	22
TOTAL	2130	31139	330	131616	1618	22389	155	58897	99	1125	125	49467
							3	42	74	2805	3850	54033
										692	258885	3193
												465

Note: Fishing hours and number of nets estimated from their monthly rates to fishing days observed in the stern trawlers and gillnetter sampled by the INIP.
Monthly effort of gillnetter is given by the sum of the number of nets per fishing day.

TABLE III : INTENSITY OF SAMPLING DURING 1989, BY SPECIES, DIVISION, GEAR AND MONTH.

SPECIES	DIVISION	GEAR	MONTH	NO. OF SAMPLES	NO. FISH MEASURED	NO. FISH AGED
COD	3N	TRAWL	JAN.	5	1259	128
			MAR.	2	446	68
			MAY	12	3661	170
			JUN.	6	1681	114
			JUL.	22	6100	148
			AUG.	14	2107	119
REDFISH	3N	GILLNETS	APR.	3	181	
			MAY	20	1559	112
			JUN.	25	2267	185
			JUL.	23	1991	235
			AUG.	15	1547	126
			SEP.	3	341	39
AMERICAN PLAICE	3L	TRAWL	MAY	1	25	
			FEB.	24	5282	
			MAR.	5	935	
			MAY	1	153	
			JUN.	3	439	
			JAN.	43	10014	
YELLOUTAIL FLounder	3N	TRAWL	FEB.	13	3263	
			MAR.	33	8025	
			MAY	11	2942	
			AUG.	21	4932	
			JUN.	2	470	
			MAR.	1	70	
GREENLAND HALIBUT	3L	TRAWL	AUG.	1	96	
			APR.	3	135	
			MAY	22	2770	
			JUN.	25	2332	
			JUL.	21	1845	
			AUG.	14	965	
GRENADEIER	3N	GILLNETS	SEP.	3	108	
			APR.	2	77	
			MAY	10	292	
			JUN.	25	951	
			JUL.	19	832	
			AUG.	11	385	
GRENADEIER	3L	TRAWL	MAY	20	2611	
			JUN.	54	5861	
			JUL.	31	3316	
			AUG.	11	1408	
			MAY	2	230	

TABLE IV - A : Portuguese stern trawl fisheries (from 2 vessels sampled): directed effort, cpue and by-catch by month and division, for 1989.

DIVISION	MONTH	GEAR	TARGET SPECIES	DIRECTED EFFORT	FISHING DAYS	NUMBER HAULS	C.P.U.E. (ton/hour)	MAIN BY-CATCH SPECIES	MEAN BY-CATCH (%) MAIN SPECIES	TOTAL
3L	JAN.	OT6	TURBOT	15h	1	5	0,193	GRÉNAUDIER	39,4	40,7
3L	FEB.	OT6	TURBOT	90h	6	38	0,248	RED-FISH	42,0	63,3
3L	FEB.	OT6	RED-FISH	210h	14	85	0,414	TURBOT	25,0	45,2
3L	MAR.	OT6	TURBOT	35h	3	16	0,233	RED-FISH	39,7	60,9
3L	MAR.	OT6	RED-FISH	40h	4	18	0,288	TURBOT	32,1	49,5
3L	MAR.	OT6	SKATE	23h	2	11	0,337	TURBOT	12,0	36,1
3L	MAY	OT6	TURBOT	175h	12	62	0,531	GRÉNAUDIER	12,7	16,7
3L	JUN.	OT6	TURBOT	393h	25	130	0,622	RED-FISH	4,2	9,9
3L	JUN.	OT6	RED-FISH	4h	1	3	0,546	--	0,0	0,0
3L	JUL.	OT6	TURBOT	256h	17	80	0,645	GRÉNAUDIER	3,4	3,5
3L	AUG.	OT6	TURBOT	68h	4	21	0,684	GRÉNAUDIER	3,4	3,4
3M	JAN.	OT6	RED-FISH	313h	25	110	0,383	TURBOT	7,5	12,7
3M	FEB.	OT6	RED-FISH	105h	7	37	0,495	TURBOT	4,2	10,1
3M	MAR.	OT6	RED-FISH	255h	17	89	0,684	TURBOT	5,1	7,2
3M	MAY	OT6	RED-FISH	48h	5	22	1,485	COD	7,1	7,3
3M	JUN.	OT6	RED-FISH	41h	3	11	0,528	COD	33,2	35,5
3M	JUL.	OT6	RED-FISH	81h	5	27	0,438	COD	36,6	41,7
3M	AUG.	OT6	RED-FISH	207h	12	58	0,524	COD	38,9	43,9
3N	JUN.	OT6	SKATE	8h	1	4	0,354	RED-FISH	35,7	43,5

TABLE IV - B : Portuguese gillnet fishery (from one vessel sampled): directed effort, cpue and by-catch by month and division, for 1989.

DIVISION	MONTH	GEAR	TARGET SPECIES	DIRECTED EFFORT	FISHING DAYS	NUMBER SETS	C.P.U.E. (Kg/net/day)	MAIN BY-CATCH SPECIES	MEAN BY-CATCH (%) MAIN SPECIES	TOTAL
3N	APR.	GN6	COD	880n	3	3	9,0	PLAICE	1,7	4,8
3N	MAY	GN6	COD	7980n	23	23	7,5	PLAICE	8,6	14,5
3N	JUN.	GN6	COD	11767n	30	28	6,2	PLAICE	5,0	15,9
3N	JUL.	GN6	COD	12410n	31	27	4,9	WHITE HAKE	9,5	21,2
3N	AUG.	GN6	COD	8740n	21	17	5,6	PLAICE	2,7	8,9
3N	SEP.	GN6	COD	2640n	7	5	7,9	SKATE	2,8	5,0
30	MAY	GN6	COD	320n	1	1	0,9	PLAICE	7,8	7,8

Note : (n)=sum number of nets per fishing day.

TABLE V-A : Portuguese red-fish stern trawl fishery (from 2 vessels sampled): directed effort, cpue and by-catch above and below the 400m depth line, by month and division, for 1989.

DIVISION	MONTH	GEAR	DEPTH	TARGET SPECIES	DIRECTED REPORT DAYS	FISHING NUMBER HAULS	C.P.U.H. (ton/hour)	MAIN BY-CATCH SPECIES	MEAN MAIN SPECIES TOTAL
3L	FEB.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	193h	13	78	0.425 TURBOT	25.60 44.10
3L	MAR.	OT6	<400	RED-FISH	4h	1	2	0.617 TURBOT	10.90 17.10
3L	MAR.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	23h	2	10	0.300 TURBOT	38.80 56.85
3L	JUN.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	4h	1	3	0.546 TURBOT	24.70 32.40
3W	JAN.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	30h	24	106	0.393 TURBOT	7.50 12.10
3W	FEB.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	105h	7	37	0.495 TURBOT	4.20 10.10
3W	MAR.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	255h	17	89	0.684 TURBOT	5.10 7.20
3W	MAY	OT6	<400	RED-FISH	22h	2	7	1.377 COD	17.80 18.20
3W	MAY	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	26h	3	15	1.154 HALIBUT	0.05 0.13
3W	JUN.	OT6	<400	RED-FISH	36h	2	8	0.530 COD	49.00 53.30
3W	JUN.	OT6	>400	RED-FISH	5h	1	3	0.432 --	0.00 0.00
3W	JUL.	OT6	<400	RED-FISH	80h	5	26	0.445 COD	36.60 41.70
3W	AUG.	OT6	<400	RED-FISH	161h	9	41	0.502 COD	46.20 51.00

TABLE V-B: Portuguese red-fish stern trawl fishery (from 2 vessels sampled): mean by-catch (%) of cod, above and below the 400m depth line by month in DIV. 3M, for 1989.

DEPTH / MONTH	JAN.	FEB.	MAR.	MAY	JUN.	JUL.	AUG.	MEAN(*)
< 400	---	---	---	---	17.80	49.85	36.70	46.24 40.16
> 400	0.56	0	0	0	0	---	---	0.50

Note (*) weighted by the number of fishing days in each month.

TABLE VI : Portuguese stern trawl fisheries (from 2 vessels sampled),
 C.P.U.E. (ton/h), mean weight (kg) in the catch, sex ratio
 and C.P.U.E. in number for males , females and total,
 by month and division, for 1989.

DIVISION	TARGET	MONTH	C.P.U.E. (ton/hour)	MEAN WEIGHT (kg)	SEX RATIO (a)	C.P.U.E. (number/hour)		
						males	females	total
3L	TURBOT	MAY	0.531	1.216	0.488	213	224	437
3L	TURBOT	JUN.	0.622	1.984	0.340	106	207	313
3L	TURBOT	JUL.	0.615	2.703	0.204	49	190	239
3L	TURBOT	AUG.	0.684	2.331	0.217	61	233	294
3L	RED-FISH	FEB.	0.414	0.616	0.516	347	326	673
3L	RED-FISH	MAR.	0.288	0.693	0.508	242	235	477
3L	RED-FISH	JUN.	0.516	0.678	0.494	398	408	806
3M	RED-FISH	JAN.	0.383	0.463	0.580	480	348	828
3M	RED-FISH	FEB.	0.495	0.452	0.524	574	521	1095
3M	RED-FISH	MAR.	0.684	0.408	0.592	993	684	1677
3M	RED-FISH	MAY	1.485	0.332	0.540	2415	2058	4473
3M	RED-FISH	JUN.	0.528	(0.332*)	(0.540*)	858	731	1588
3M	RED-FISH	JUL.	0.418	(0.393*)	(0.514*)	574	542	1116
3M	RED-FISH	AUG.	0.524	0.393	0.514	686	648	1334

(a) - number of males/total number.

(*) - assumed for the quarter.

TABLE VIII-A: 100, DIVISION 3H, 1929: length composition of the stern trawl catches.

GROUP	JANUARY	MARCH	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	TOTAL 1929			LENGTH GROUP
							1ST QUARTER	2ND QUARTER	3RD QUARTER	
21	7.1	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	21
24	43.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24
27	87.4	9.9	8.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	64.5	5.5	0.0	27
30	216.4	11.2	25.0	0.6	0.3	0.5	154.2	17.2	0.4	30
33	256.6	62.8	62.2	7.7	15.7	3.3	205.9	49.5	12.6	33
36	172.2	136.9	113.5	11.3	70.3	21.3	163.5	34.6	61.3	36
39	112.4	219.7	139.2	126.2	142.3	112.5	140.9	131.4	138.2	39
42	61.2	174.9	167.1	142.1	205.3	188.4	90.9	171.8	201.7	42
45	15.3	139.0	156.3	265.4	215.5	205.5	49.9	158.1	215.8	45
48	9.5	125.6	128.8	173.8	173.4	223.5	39.9	149.8	190.0	48
51	4.0	59.5	104.7	107.5	94.6	102.9	41.1	115.1	102.4	51
54	1.6	42.6	46.7	56.7	45.2	62.6	10.3	53.0	49.7	54
57	0.9	5.7	19.2	35.9	35.7	18.5	1.5	26.0	26.2	57
60	0.3	2.4	4.1	6.0	6.0	2.8	0.2	2.7	3.5	60
63	0.3	6.5	3.2	5.4	4.9	2.1	0.8	3.2	4.2	63
66	1.6	0.0	3.0	3.0	3.0	0.0	0.0	3.0	3.0	66
69	1.6	0.0	1.5	1.4	1.5	0.0	0.2	1.5	1.4	69
72	0.3	2.2	2.2	2.6	2.1	0.0	0.2	2.5	1.5	72
75	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	75
78	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	78
81	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	81
TOTAL	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	100.0	
NO. SAMPLES	5	2	12	6	22	14	7	13	36	61
NO. 2. MEASURED	1259	446	3639	1630	6090	2107	1705	5319	8025	15229
MEAN LENGTH (in)	34.9	43.5	44.0	45.6	45.2	46.8	37.1	45.1	45.6	44.6
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	317	751	812	971	995	945	460	883	908	849
DEPTH RANGE (m)	250-259	241-274	176-284	264-287	151-273	193-234	241-571	173-327	132-634	176-661

TABLE VII-B: COOP DIVISION 3N, 1989: length composition of the gill net catches.

TABLE VIII-A: RED-FISH, DIVISION 3N, 1961: Length composition of the stern trawl catches.

MONTH	FEBRUARY	MARCH	APRIL	1st QUARTER				2nd QUARTER				3rd QUARTER				TOTAL 1961			
				M	P	N	F	M	P	N	F	M	P	N	F	M	P	GROUP	
10	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	10	
11	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	11	
12	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	12	
13	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	13	
14	0.8	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	14	
15	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	15	
16	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	16	
17	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	17	
18	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	18	
19	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	19	
20	0.4	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	20	
21	1.1	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.2	0.6	3.4	3.0	0.6	0.6	0.3	5.3	3.4	1.5	1.7	21	
22	1.0	1.2	0.6	0.6	3.7	1.4	23.8	12.2	7.5	4.7	2.6	1.1	23.8	12.2	7.5	4.7	5.6	22	
23	5.3	4.6	3.4	14.7	5.9	41.8	30.9	22.3	10.7	11.4	5.4	43.8	36.9	22.3	10.7	5.6	5.3	23	
24	25.1	17.5	16.5	14.4	37.5	24.9	92.8	55.7	42.0	25.8	23.4	19.8	92.9	55.7	42.0	25.8	24.4	24	
25	61.4	29.7	37.4	11.3	50.7	39.6	111.5	72.7	79.3	58.2	46.2	33.7	111.5	72.7	79.3	58.2	46.7	25	
26	35.4	30.9	29.7	41.7	36.6	39.5	60.3	52.7	60.5	58.5	35.0	37.6	60.3	52.7	60.5	35.0	46.4	26	
27	19.4	23.0	21.9	36.5	23.8	29.4	60.4	33.0	63.1	55.6	22.3	27.5	60.4	33.0	63.1	22.3	32.5	27	
28	17.3	15.8	17.5	19.6	25.8	18.8	32.3	22.4	32.6	31.8	20.5	17.5	32.2	22.4	32.6	20.5	20.4	28	
29	24.9	15.1	31.9	7.4	42.6	18.2	25.8	22.8	19.1	18.0	32.6	15.1	25.8	19.1	16.0	16.3	29		
30	44.7	26.2	35.8	25.7	68.7	35.6	23.8	22.7	19.5	25.4	29.7	23.8	23.5	25.7	19.5	46.7	30		
31	39.1	28.7	57.1	53.3	53.9	51.7	22.1	20.3	19.7	41.7	31.9	17.7	22.1	30.3	19.7	46.7	31		
32	39.1	33.7	43.8	44.4	54.3	37.6	15.3	17.0	23.9	45.6	36.8	17.0	23.9	31.9	36.8	32.0	32		
33	45.4	36.7	39.5	38.6	34.5	30.5	11.6	15.0	17.8	24.7	40.4	34.7	11.6	17.8	34.7	31.0	33		
34	55.4	36.8	38.0	37.4	38.3	22.4	5.8	15.0	20.5	29.8	46.3	31.3	5.8	15.0	29.8	35.5	34		
35	50.2	28.7	49.3	38.0	38.8	22.7	6.5	11.6	16.4	26.4	49.5	27.6	6.5	11.6	16.4	35.6	35		
36	46.5	24.4	27.0	30.6	28.7	16.2	3.7	10.2	10.7	19.3	36.8	22.3	3.7	10.2	19.3	20.5	36		
37	35.5	18.4	24.5	28.2	19.4	12.0	2.7	8.2	10.5	16.8	27.7	2.7	8.2	10.5	16.8	22.3	37		
38	15.8	11.3	16.9	10.1	7.5	1.7	7.9	6.3	8.5	13.0	12.9	1.7	7.8	6.3	10.7	11.6	38		
39	8.4	11.4	5.2	12.3	5.2	5.0	1.0	5.4	4.1	6.9	6.7	9.1	1.0	5.4	4.1	5.7	6.7	39	
40	3.7	6.9	0.9	4.6	1.9	2.1	1.4	5.4	3.4	5.5	2.6	4.7	1.4	5.4	3.4	5.5	4.6	40	
41	0.8	3.7	0.9	1.2	1.1	0.7	0.3	3.4	2.4	4.7	0.9	2.2	0.3	1.4	1.4	1.1	1.7	41	
42	0.9	1.3	0.9	2.5	0.7	1.1	1.7	1.4	1.8	1.6	0.8	1.1	1.2	1.4	1.6	1.1	1.6	42	
43	0.5	1.5	1.0	1.2	0.1	0.5	0.0	0.7	1.0	1.2	2.6	1.1	0.7	1.0	1.2	0.6	1.1	43	
44	0.2	1.0	0.6	0.6	0.5	0.2	0.0	0.4	0.8	0.4	0.7	0.9	0.4	0.8	0.5	0.6	0.4	44	
45	0.2	0.3	0.3	0.6	0.6	0.7	0.0	0.3	0.2	1.0	6.4	0.5	0.3	0.2	1.3	0.7	0.5	45	
46	0.3	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.1	0.6	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.2	0.5	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.6	0.5	46	
47	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.3	0.2	0.2	0.4	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	0.2	47	
48	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	48	
49	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	49	
50	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	50	
51	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	51	
52	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	52	
53	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	53	
TOTAL	580.5	419.5	524.4	475.6	592.5	407.9	540.1	460.2	514.2	486.2	576.7	423.7	500.1	460.2	514.2	486.2	561.4	439.1	
NO. SAMPLES	43	63	13	13	33	33	11	11	21	21	84	11	11	21	21	21	121	121	
NO. F. MEASUREMENT	5813	4201	1711	1552	3273	1554	2534	2398	12276	12276	1586	1354	234	1359	1359	1359	12773		
MEAN LENGTH (cm)	319	316	308	307	269	303	314	315	269	269	303	306	306	306	306	306	306		
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	457	413	439	466	295	423	296	301	427	427	400	454	286	301	427	427	422		
MEAN WEIGHT (kg)	164	452	408	392	332	393	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413		
DEPTH RANGE (m)	250-700	565-675	392-703	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	176-413	

TABLE VIII-9: MID-TIDE, DIVISION 30, 1989, length composition of the stern trawl catches.

PERIOD	MARCH	MAY			JUNE			1st QUARTER			2nd QUARTER			TOTAL 1989			
		M	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	LENGTH GROUP
24	1.1	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	24
25	0.6	0.2	0.0	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.0	2.3	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.3	1.7	0.0	0.7	0.3	25
26	4.0	1.1	0.0	2.1	0.0	0.0	6.5	2.3	0.0	3.4	1.3	1.7	1.7	3.2	1.3	26	
27	5.5	3.0	6.4	6.4	13.1	19.4	4.6	9.1	5.6	3.5	6.8	11.6	5.7	4.3	2.1	27	
28	11.5	7.4	19.3	9.6	39.2	13.1	4.6	6.8	12.7	7.6	13.5	8.4	12.8	7.6	2.8	28	
29	23.1	14.2	28.3	17.1	65.0	26.1	15.9	6.4	26.0	14.6	23.6	11.3	23.9	14.4	2.9	29	
30	45.1	34.5	56.0	36.4	124.2	65.4	29.5	47.5	34.7	26.1	36.9	48.0	35.1	30	30	30	
31	50.9	43.9	57.4	49.2	85.0	50.1	41.0	52.0	44.7	59.1	56.9	52.6	44.2	31	31	31	
32	58.1	52.1	66.0	67.1	91.5	71.9	34.2	47.4	56.3	51.3	49.0	54.1	55.7	51.5	32	32	
33	53.0	53.0	63.3	63.3	65.4	58.9	41.0	63.3	52.0	51.6	47.3	52.3	51.3	33	33	33	
34	62.3	50.7	52.1	50.6	52.3	47.8	56.9	60.0	49.2	49.0	55.7	59.8	54.4	34	34	34	
35	56.3	66.3	65.2	54.5	32.7	32.7	72.9	41.5	59.3	64.5	62.5	54.1	60.1	63.6	35	35	
36	59.1	62.5	39.6	49.2	13.1	59.2	70.4	56.1	60.5	47.3	55.4	60.1	55.4	60.1	36	36	
37	40.7	40.1	40.6	59.9	19.6	0.0	63.6	52.4	40.7	43.1	52.4	38.9	41.7	42.7	37	37	
38	20.6	27.3	22.5	39.6	0.0	19.6	39.7	52.4	20.9	29.1	28.7	43.9	21.6	30.4	38	38	
39	8.5	13.1	7.5	26.7	0.0	0.0	20.5	18.2	0.4	15.1	15.2	9.0	15.0	39	39	39	
40	3.0	6.4	5.3	6.4	6.5	6.0	6.8	6.3	4.0	6.4	6.8	5.1	4.3	6.3	40	40	
41	2.7	1.3	1.1	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	1.1	0.0	0.0	2.2	1.0	41	41	
42	1.5	1.3	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	1.1	0.0	0.0	1.3	1.0	42	42	
43	1.3	1.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	1.1	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.0	43	43	
44	1.3	1.7	2.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.3	0.0	1.4	1.8	0.0	1.7	1.3	44	44		
45	0.9	1.7	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.0	1.6	0.0	0.9	1.5	45	45		
46	0.4	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.4	46	46	
47	0.6	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.6	47	47	
48	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	48	48	
49	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	49	49	
50	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	50	50	
51	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	51	51	
52	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	52	52	
53	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	53	53	
54	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	54	54	
55	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	55	55	
56	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	56	56	
57	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	57	57	
58	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	58	58	
59	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	59	59	
60	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	60	
TOTAL	513.5	480.5	500.0	492.0	500.2	411.4	494.3	505.7	511.4	485.6	510.6	481.4	514.8	485.2			
NO. SAMPLES	24	24	5	5	1	1	3	3	29	29	4	4	33	33			
NO. T. MEASURED	2733	2559	475	460	90	63	217	222	3138	3039	297	295	3505	3504			
MEAN LENGTH (mm)	340	346	337	346	321	325	348	349	346	340	344	346	340	346			
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	590	644	565	641	500	524	671	685	596	684	622	649	589	644			
MEAN WEIGHT (kg)	615	615	603	610	610	610	610	610	614	634	634	616	616	616			
DEPTH RANGE (m)	308-535	308-535	308-544	308-544	813-1030	311-975	308-864	311-1030	308-864	311-1030	308-864	311-1030	308-1030	308-1030			

TABLE VIII-C: RED-FISH, DIVISION 3H, 1989: length composition
of the stern trawl catches.
(one fishing day sampled in june)

JUNE-TOTAL

LENGTH	M	F	LENGTH
GROUP			GROUP
19	2.1	4.3	19
20	31.3	9.5	20
21	55.3	12.8	21
22	60.9	40.4	22
23	74.5	72.3	23
24	72.3	63.8	24
25	112.8	27.7	25
26	91.5	21.3	26
27	80.9	10.6	27
28	21.3	17.0	28
29	17.0	12.9	29
30	8.5	21.3	30
31	4.3	14.9	31
32	2.1	6.4	32
33	2.1	6.4	33
34	2.1	4.3	34
35	0.0	2.1	35
36	0.0	2.1	36
37	0.0	2.1	37
TOTAL	648.9	351.1	
NO. SAMPLES	2	2	
NO. F. MEASURED	365	165	
MEAN LENGTH (mm)	250	258	
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	248	285	
MEAN WEIGHT (M+F)		261	
DEPTH RANGE (m)	230-780		

TABLE II: GRANDE BAIEU (TUBOT), DIVISION 3L, 1969: Length composition of the stern trawl catches.

LENGTH GROUP	JUN 3			JULY			AUGUST			2nd QUARTER			3rd QUARTER			TOTAL 1969		
	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	M	N	P	
30	1.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	30
32	0.4	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	0.1	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.1	32
34	0.9	0.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	0.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.1	34
35	4.2	2.3	2.2	0.2	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.0	0.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.9	0.5	36
38	8.0	4.6	1.9	1.5	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	2.5	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.4	1.7	38
40	13.1	8.4	6.0	3.2	1.5	0.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	10.6	4.8	1.1	0.4	7.2	3.3	10		
42	20.3	14.5	7.7	2.4	1.2	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.0	22.2	11.6	1.7	1.1	14.9	7.0	12		
44	45.1	39.4	21.0	14.3	7.5	3.6	0.7	0.0	0.0	29.0	22.1	6.4	2.6	20.3	15.2	44		
45	57.1	42.6	29.9	19.0	8.4	5.7	2.3	2.1	2.1	38.2	26.2	6.8	4.7	27.0	16.5	46		
46	59.0	46.7	26.0	24.1	9.3	7.5	2.8	2.1	2.1	37.5	31.0	7.4	6.0	26.0	22.0	48		
50	63.0	50.9	34.3	32.1	16.9	16.3	11.5	11.0	11.0	45.2	37.5	12.9	10.5	33.6	30.2	50		
52	51.4	65.5	32.6	31.9	17.5	17.1	10.6	12.0	12.0	39.3	42.3	18.4	20.6	31.0	37.4	52		
54	47.1	60.1	36.0	40.8	25.6	28.3	16.3	16.3	16.3	39.4	46.7	20.2	33.9	35.4	42.1	54		
56	37.5	44.0	33.6	44.0	22.3	40.1	36.4	36.4	36.4	34.0	44.0	27.1	46.6	32.1	44.9	56		
58	26.3	46.0	35.1	54.6	26.5	51.9	29.1	66.3	30.6	51.9	27.3	56.3	29.4	53.5	58			
60	12.6	28.7	24.0	51.4	31.4	60.3	36.4	78.4	22.3	44.4	30.5	45.4	25.4	52.1	60			
62	4.6	21.1	20.3	58.4	17.8	62.7	21.3	73.9	15.5	46.9	18.0	66.0	16.7	53.7	62			
64	1.3	16.9	7.5	50.0	14.2	64.5	10.7	71.0	5.8	39.0	13.1	67.5	8.4	49.3	64			
65	0.4	5.0	3.2	41.6	4.8	72.1	5.0	68.6	2.4	30.5	4.9	70.3	3.3	45.1	66			
68	0.4	4.1	1.7	37.5	1.6	63.0	0.0	50.0	1.3	27.3	1.3	60.1	1.3	39.1	68			
72	1.1	1.1	1.5	25.7	0.9	59.1	0.0	41.2	1.4	25.0	0.6	53.8	1.1	35.3	70			
74	0.0	1.9	0.2	26.0	0.0	51.3	1.4	54.0	0.1	19.9	0.4	52.1	0.2	31.4	72			
74	0.0	0.8	0.0	20.5	0.3	46.1	0.7	25.1	0.0	14.4	0.1	41.1	0.2	23.9	74			
76	0.4	1.1	0.0	14.3	0.0	31.4	0.0	17.0	0.1	10.1	0.0	27.1	0.1	16.3	76			
78	0.0	0.3	0.0	14.8	0.0	32.9	0.0	19.2	0.0	10.5	0.0	26.4	0.0	17.1	78			
80	0.0	0.0	0.0	11.0	0.0	21.4	0.0	13.5	0.0	8.1	0.0	13.1	0.0	12.0	80			
82	0.0	0.0	0.0	9.2	0.0	17.5	0.0	13.5	0.0	6.4	0.0	16.3	0.0	9.9	82			
84	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	10.3	0.0	4.3	0.0	4.2	0.0	8.5	0.0	5.8	84			
86	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.9	0.0	7.5	0.0	2.6	0.0	2.0	0.0	6.4	0.0	3.5	86			
88	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	4.6	0.0	0.7	0.0	1.1	0.0	3.6	0.0	2.0	88			
90	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	4.2	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.6	0.0	3.4	0.0	1.6	90			
92	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.7	0.0	3.0	0.0	0.6	0.0	0.5	0.0	2.1	0.0	1.1	92			
94	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	1.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	0.1	0.0	1.3	0.0	0.5	94			
96	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	96	
98	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.3	0.0	0.5	0.0	0.7	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	0.0	0.2	98	
TOTAL	498.3	511.7	339.5	660.5	203.6	796.4	216.6	783.4	305.4	614.6	207.5	792.5	321.7	678.3				
No. SAMPLES	20	20	54	54	31	31	11	11	74	74	92	42	116	116				
No. MEASURED	175	1336	1990	3871	675	2641	305	1103	3265	5207	900	3744	4245	8931				
MEAN LENGTH (cm)	501	534	625	569	671	576	646	522	571	664	534	676						
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	1089	1336	1326	2333	1560	2995	1584	2333	1233	2070	1567	2460	1311	2490				
MEAN WEIGHT (kg)				1984	2703	2331			1747	2392								
DEPTH RANGE (m)	813-1030	460-1213	726-1217		857-1142				460-1213	726-1217						460-1217		

TABLE Y-A: AMERICAN PLACID, DIVISION 3N, 1960: length composition of the gillnet catches.

LENGTH GROUP	MAY			JUNE			AUGUST			SEPTEMBER			OCTOBER			NOVEMBER			DECEMBER			TOTAL 1960		
	N	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	F	N	M	F
24	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	
26	1.4	1.3	4.9	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.1	1.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	0.0	6.9	0.3	4.7	0.1	26	-	
28	7.4	0.0	23.1	1.1	16.3	0.0	23.0	0.0	14.5	1.0	0.0	0.0	19.7	0.6	19.9	0.3	19.7	0.5	19.7	0.5	28	-		
30	29.6	0.0	62.2	2.2	36.4	0.0	50.3	3.3	51.6	12.4	27.0	0.0	39.3	1.5	50.4	6.2	43.3	3.2	30	-				
32	66.7	0.0	73.1	4.0	60.5	0.0	60.8	17.3	81.9	21.8	66.3	9.3	79.2	1.0	70.9	9.9	32	-						
34	111.1	16.3	66.4	15.2	77.5	14.2	122.5	30.9	124.4	45.6	55.6	9.3	81.1	14.7	120.6	35.0	96.6	21.9	34	-				
36	148.1	22.2	104.7	26.0	98.2	32.2	119.0	48.2	115.0	42.5	101.9	55.6	102.9	28.6	111.4	46.6	107.9	35.1	36	-				
38	66.9	22.2	59.5	36.8	76.3	29.6	75.3	42.8	70.5	39.4	63.3	55.6	67.2	33.2	74.4	42.2	66.3	36.4	38	-				
40	59.3	7.4	40.8	35.7	59.5	33.9	59.1	42.3	56.0	35.2	57.6	49.6	34.2	56.9	40.4	52.2	36.4	40	-					
42	7.4	46.4	17.7	43.3	31.4	32.6	36.3	38.5	26.9	44.6	64.8	27.4	34.4	40.1	38.6	31.0	39.1	46	-					
44	23.6	7.4	9.3	67.3	42.5	26.6	36.1	25.9	22.4	55.6	19.3	44.1	23.4	31.5	31.5	31.5	44	-						
46	0.0	22.2	3.6	61.3	31.7	44.6	18.4	25.5	24.9	10.7	46.1	0.0	63.3	21.6	23.3	12.9	36.2	46	-					
48	0.0	7.4	0.7	28.9	5.6	31.3	6.5	16.8	9.3	14.5	61.8	18.5	2.5	29.4	9.6	16.1	5.3	24.6	48	-				
50	0.0	29.6	0.7	29.6	0.9	35.4	3.3	16.6	3.1	15.5	0.0	18.5	0.6	32.3	3.1	15.1	1.6	26.1	50	-				
52	0.0	22.2	0.0	24.9	0.9	20.7	0.0	15.7	0.0	16.6	0.0	27.6	0.4	26.5	0.0	16.4	0.2	22.9	52	-				
54	0.0	61.5	0.0	35.7	0.5	30.4	0.5	15.2	0.0	13.3	0.0	21.8	0.0	34.6	0.3	15.1	0.1	37.6	54	-				
56	0.0	7.4	0.0	39.4	0.0	36.3	0.0	10.0	0.0	6.2	0.0	9.3	0.0	31.6	0.0	9.3	0.0	27.5	56	-				
58	0.0	39.3	0.0	39.4	0.0	32.2	0.0	4.9	0.0	14.5	0.0	9.3	0.0	36.7	0.0	8.2	0.0	26.5	58	-				
60	0.0	37.0	0.0	35.0	0.0	26.2	0.0	5.4	0.0	13.5	0.0	16.3	0.0	31.1	0.0	9.6	0.0	23.4	60	-				
62	0.0	23.6	0.0	26.2	0.0	14.6	0.0	2.2	0.0	4.1	0.0	18.5	0.0	17.9	0.0	3.4	0.0	12.8	62	-				
64	0.0	16.3	0.0	16.1	0.0	7.7	0.0	3.4	0.0	3.1	0.0	9.3	0.0	11.3	0.0	3.3	0.0	8.6	64	-				
66	0.0	7.4	0.0	7.5	0.0	1.3	0.0	3.4	0.0	2.1	0.0	5.0	0.0	3.1	0.0	5.0	0.0	4.3	66	-				
68	0.0	9.0	0.0	5.1	0.0	2.6	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.8	0.0	0.0	0.0	5.5	68	-				
70	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.4	0.0	2.2	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.7	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.2	70	-				
72	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.1	0.0	0.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.5	72	-				
74	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.4	74	-				
76	0.0	7.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.1	76	-				
TOTAL	535.6	441.4	462.1	337.9	513.7	488.3	623.8	376.2	609.3	399.7	509.3	496.7	407.5	512.5	614.8	385.2	533.0	467.0						
NO. SAMPLES	1	1	22	22	25	25	21	14	3	3	50	50	38	38	85	85								
MEAN LENGTH (mm)	73	60	122.9	169.9	119.8	113.4	99.4	50.8	377	55	255.3	268.4	124.4	124.4	434.7	434.7								
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	366	527	361	499	376	691	437	371	434	401	475	366	496	371	438	366	479							
MEAN WEIGHT (kg)	467	1617	468	1362	591	1259	454	849	490	600	1170	453	1313	460	864	456	1180							
DEPTH RANGE (m)	97.0	57	51-66	62-71	55-71	602	611	600	55-71	57-71	57-71	57-71	57-71	57-71	615	794	55-73							

TABLE X-B: AMERICAN PLAICE, DIVISION 3M, 1959:
length composition of the stern
trawl catches.

AUGUST-TOTAL

LENGTH GROUP	M	F	LENGTH GROUP
28	10.4	0.0	28
30	20.3	0.0	30
32	41.7	0.0	32
34	72.9	0.0	34
36	53.9	0.0	36
38	72.9	10.4	38
40	52.5	20.8	40
42	187.5	62.5	42
44	62.5	114.6	44
46	30.8	114.6	46
48	0.0	20.8	48
50	0.0	10.4	50
TOTAL	645.8	354.2	TOTAL
NO. SAMPLES	1	1	
NO. F. MEASURED	62	34	
MEAN LENGTH (mm)	396	453	
MEAN WEIGHT (g)	694	1083	
MEAN WEIGHT (M+F)		833	

TABLE VI: TELLONTAIL FLounder, DIVISION 3N, 1963: Length composition of the gillnet catches.

LENGTH GROUP	APRIL			MAY			JUNE			AUGUST			2ND QUARTER			TOTAL 1963		
	W	Y	Z	W	Y	Z	W	Y	Z	W	Y	Z	W	Y	Z	W	Y	Z
24	0.0	0.0	0.0	6.0	6.0	6.0	7.2	7.2	6.0	2.6	2.6	4.5	0.0	5.8	0.3	5.1	0.4	24
26	116.9	131.9	24.2	32.5	6.0	32.5	1.1	22.3	1.2	51.9	51.2	37.9	1.5	22.9	2.5	25.1	2.9	26
28	168.8	13.0	35.5	13.7	95.9	4.2	22.3	3.5	33.1	25.0	100.8	6.3	94.5	10.7	97.3	8.7	23	
30	103.3	39.0	22.5	10.3	197.1	10.5	127.4	15.3	125.1	93.1	103.8	12.1	129.6	31.8	116.3	24.4	30	
32	115.9	51.9	51.4	30.8	94.5	14.7	98.6	36.1	135.1	52.3	86.4	20.5	110.1	44.4	97.8	31.3	22	
34	26.0	51.9	99.3	65.1	63.6	22.6	62.7	30.6	41.6	49.4	90.9	40.9	74.5	36.2	74.5	39.6	34	
36	12.0	77.3	71.3	61.5	88.3	50.5	73.5	27.6	44.2	18.2	80.3	54.5	65.7	24.7	73.3	46.2	36	
38	51.9	26.0	65.1	65.6	63.3	52.6	63.3	52.6	44.2	54.5	48.5	48.5	66.7	51.8	55.9	50.1	40	
40	39.0	64.9	37.7	75.3	52.5	64.1	55.3	56.5	44.2	54.5	48.5	48.5	66.7	51.8	55.9	50.1	40	
42	0.0	0.0	20.5	67.3	20.0	31.5	14.4	61.3	5.2	33.3	18.9	23.3	11.5	52.6	15.4	42.6	12	
44	0.0	13.0	0.0	34.2	7.4	17.3	1.2	50.5	2.5	23.4	5.3	24.2	1.6	41.9	3.5	31.1	4	
46	0.0	13.0	0.0	16.3	2.1	11.6	0.0	9.6	0.0	15.6	1.5	11.4	0.9	11.5	0.3	11.4	46	
48	0.0	0.0	0.0	3.4	0.0	2.5	1.2	13.2	0.0	7.3	0.0	7.6	0.8	11.5	0.4	9.5	48	
50	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.2	0.0	3.6	0.0	2.3	0.0	3.2	0.0	2.8	50	
52	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	0.0	2.1	0.0	2.4	0.0	0.0	0.0	1.5	0.0	2.0	52	
TOTAL	636.4	362.6	558.2	441.0	693.0	307.0	640.6	359.4	581.8	418.2	659.5	346.2	622.0	378.0	641.7	358.2		
NO. SAMPLES	2	2	10	25	19	19	11	11	11	37	37	30	30	67	67			
NO. F. MEASURED	49	29	163	129	559	222	533	224	161	449	449	1623	1623	905	905			
MEAN LENGTH(MM)	317	354	342	383	344	395	340	400	330	342	391	337	383	340	390	390		
MEAN WEIGHT (G)	327	462	344	547	577	513	341	584	297	413	555	323	526	342	555	555		
MEAN WEIGHT (KGF)	277	433	425	450	425	425	348	425	348	442	493	493	423	423	423	423		
DEPTH RANGE (M)	57	57-66	57-71	62-71	55-73	55-73	55-71	55-71	55-71	55-73	55-73	55-73	55-73	55-73	55-73	55-73		

TABLE III-A; COD, DIVISION 3N, 1989: age composition (%) and mean weight (kg) at age in the store trawl catches.

	JANUARY	MARCH	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	1st QUARTER	2nd QUARTER	3rd QUARTER	TOTAL 1989	
AGE	MEAN COMP.	MEAN WEIGHT									
3	0.007	0.270	495.1	0.515	185.5	94.9	0.541	216.0	0.549	156.2	69.7
4	186.5	0.402	471.4	0.745	531.7	666.8	0.741	561.0	0.790	571.1	0.840
5	6.4	11.304	1164.3	1.214	265.5	1.167	384.0	1.180	197.5	1.162	244.5
6	3.7	3.132	31.1	2.374	16.1	1.687	22.7	1.756	20.2	1.386	27.7
7	0.0	4.230	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.5	1.361	0.4
TOTAL	1000.1	999.9		1000	1000		1000	999.9		1000	999.9
NO FISH AGED							136		234		1000
LEWTH/WEIGHT RELATIONSHIP:									267		747

log w = -5.2106+3.04691091 1 (Bodder, 1964)

TABLE III-B; COD, DIVISION 3N, 1989: age composition (%) and mean weight (kg) at age in the gillnet catches.

	APRIL	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUGUST	SEPTEMBER	1st QUARTER	2nd QUARTER	3rd QUARTER	TOTAL 1989	
AGE	MEAN COMP.	MEAN WEIGHT									
5	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	1.6	3.448	1.7	3.446	0.0	0.000	
6	0.3	5.514	2.3	3.491	1.0	4.513	1.0	3.497	1.2	3.605	
7	3.3	6.137	3.2	5.210	7.4	5.156	29.7	5.320	50.2	5.025	
8	8.2	6.866	49.5	6.085	66.6	6.465	90.1	6.395	88.5	6.319	
9	95.8	9.341	266.3	9.123	316.7	7.005	343.1	7.382	267.6	7.475	
10	187.7	10.931	227.9	9.590	224.0	9.109	233.5	8.656	210.4	9.061	
11	200.4	11.209	205.7	10.935	188.1	11.63	116.3	10.766	135.3	10.790	
12	153.4	13.183	96.4	11.767	81.1	11.439	67.9	11.163	91.5	11.684	
13	144.7	13.906	67.5	13.096	52.7	12.912	39.8	12.716	59.5	12.997	
14	123.0	15.822	46.0	14.595	34.9	13.501	48.6	13.045	73.2	13.834	
15	68.2	16.670	23.6	16.698	19.1	16.910	20.9	12.750	29.7	13.362	
16	12.6	16.017	4.7	17.755	3.7	15.326	4.0	14.300	5.5	14.405	
17	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	1.8	17.442	2.6	17.658	
18	5.3	14.010	3.7	14.010	2.2	14.010	0.8	16.390	1.3	16.390	
19	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.0	0.000	0.4	25.181	0.0	0.000	
TOTAL	1000	999.8		999.9		999.9		1000.1		1000	999.8
NO FISH AGED									297		999.8
LEWTH/WEIGHT RELATIONSHIP:											

log w = -5.2106+3.04691091 1 (Bodder, 1964)

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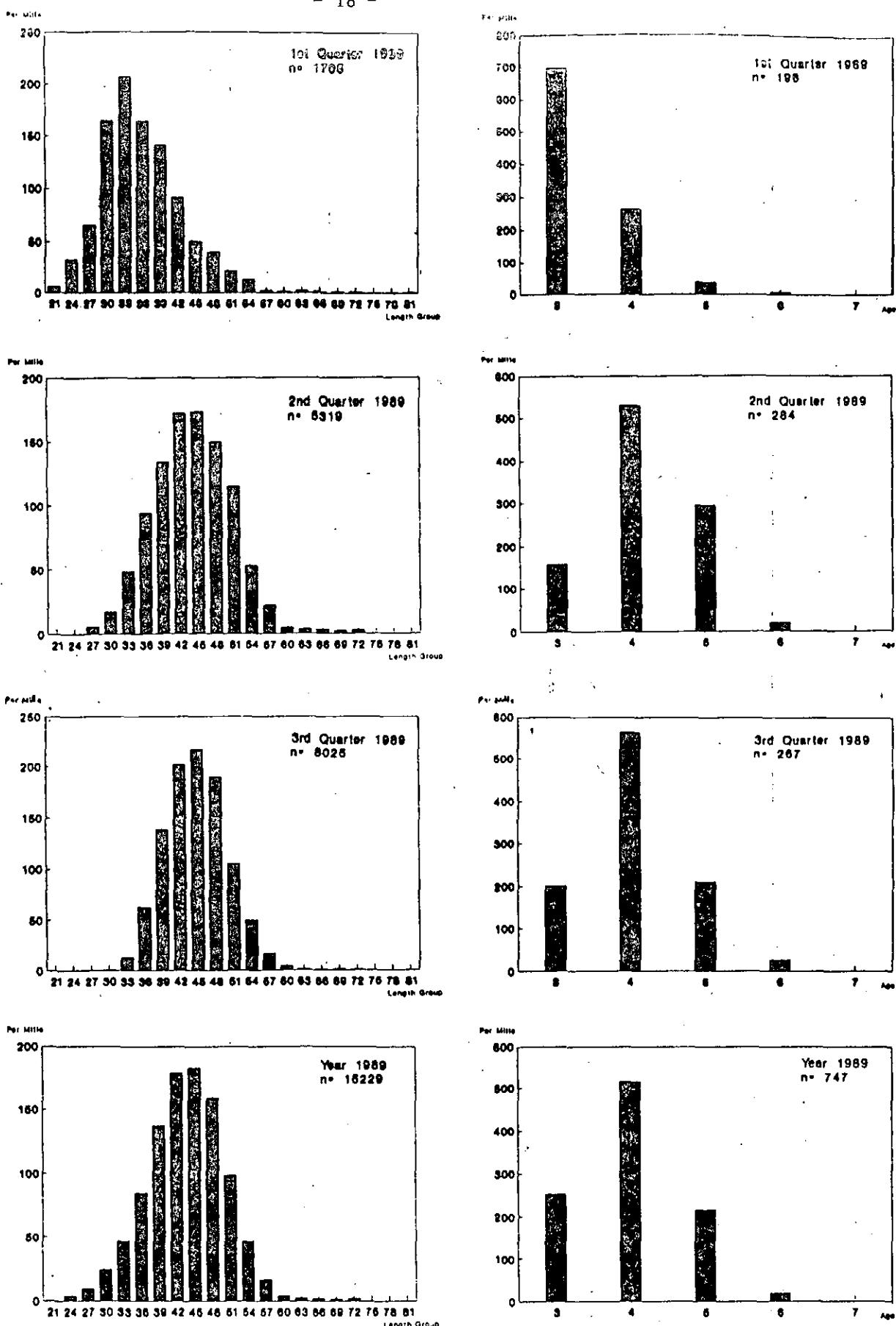


Fig. 1 - Length and age composition of Cod in Division 3M for 1st, 2nd and 3rd quarter and annual , stern trawl fishery, in 1989.

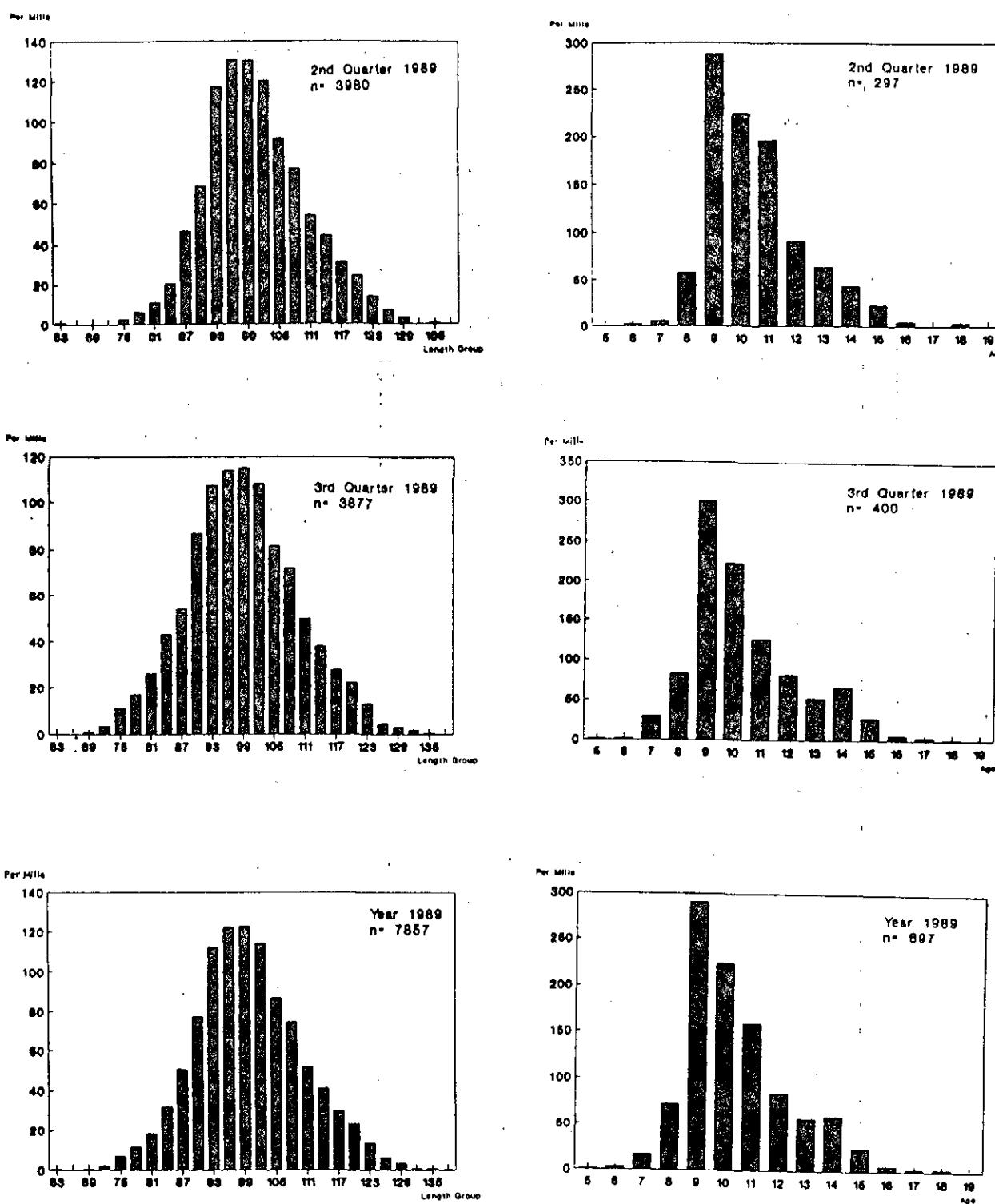
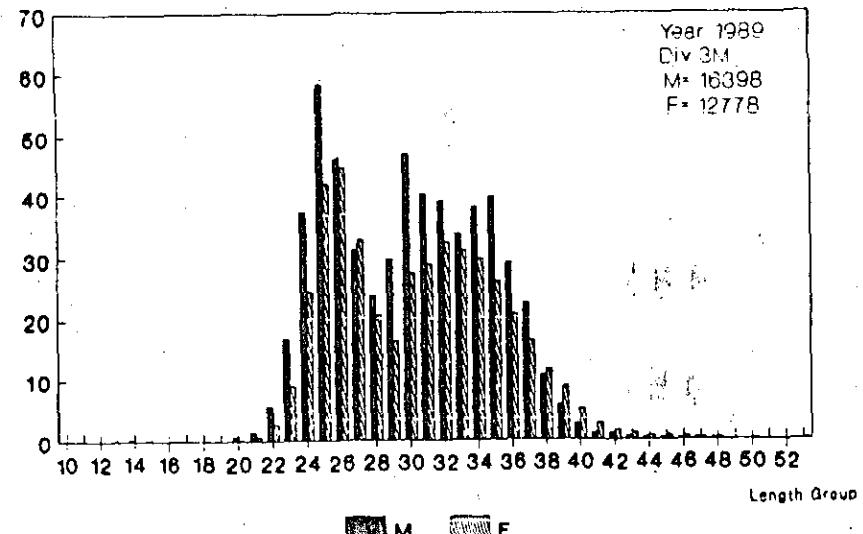
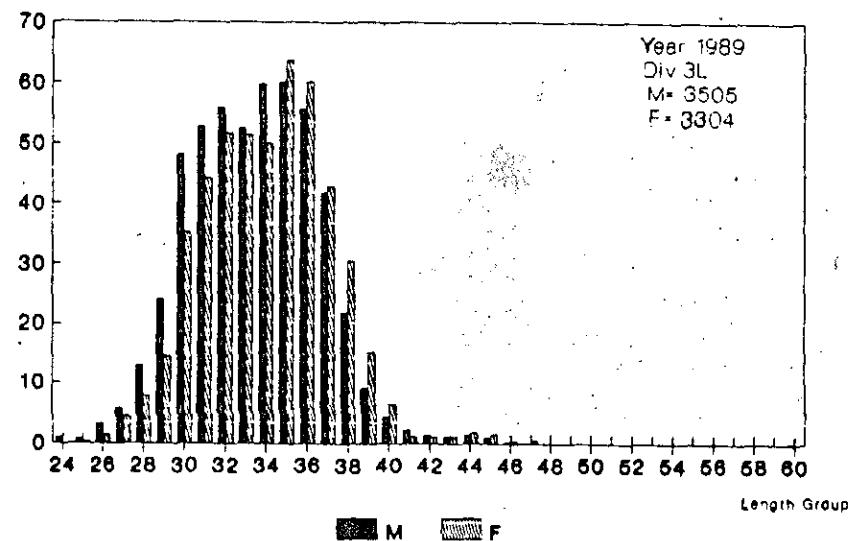


Fig. 2. - Length and age composition of Cod in Division 3N for 2nd and 3rd quarters and annual, gillnets fishery, 1989.

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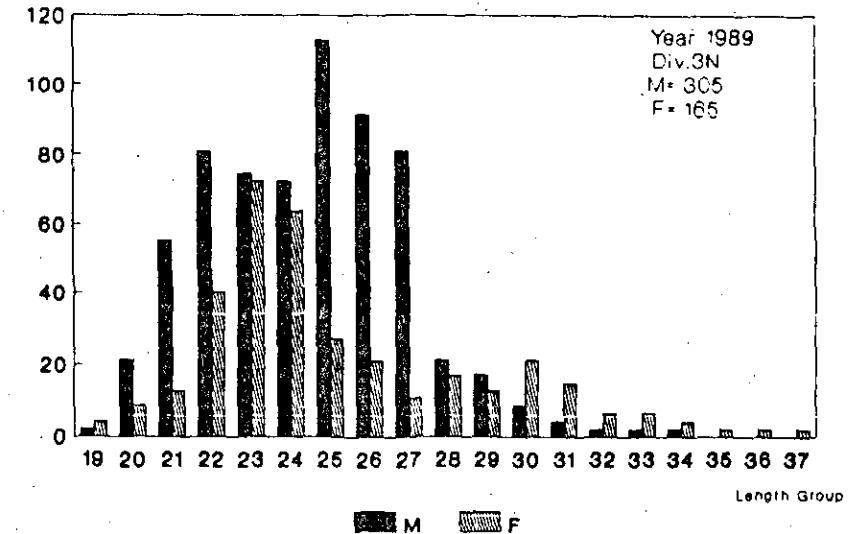


Fig. 3 - Annual length composition of Redfish in Divisions 3M, 3L and 3N, 1989.

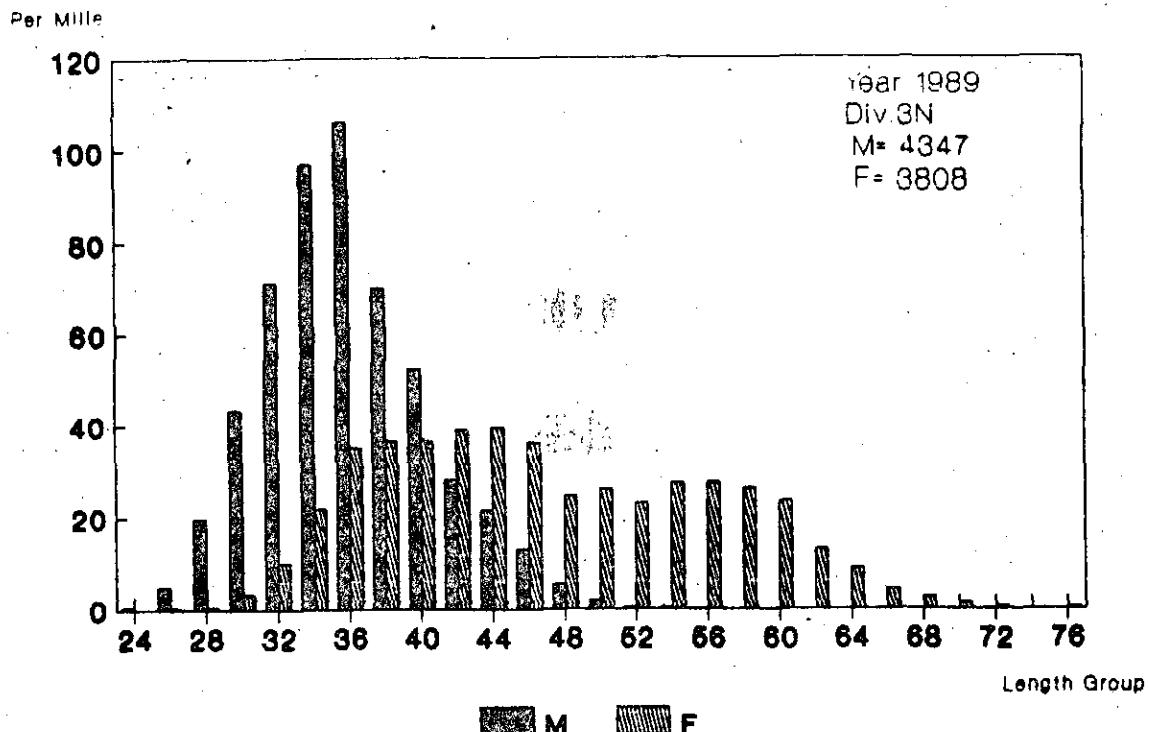


Fig. 4 - Annual length composition of American plaice in Division 3N, 1989.

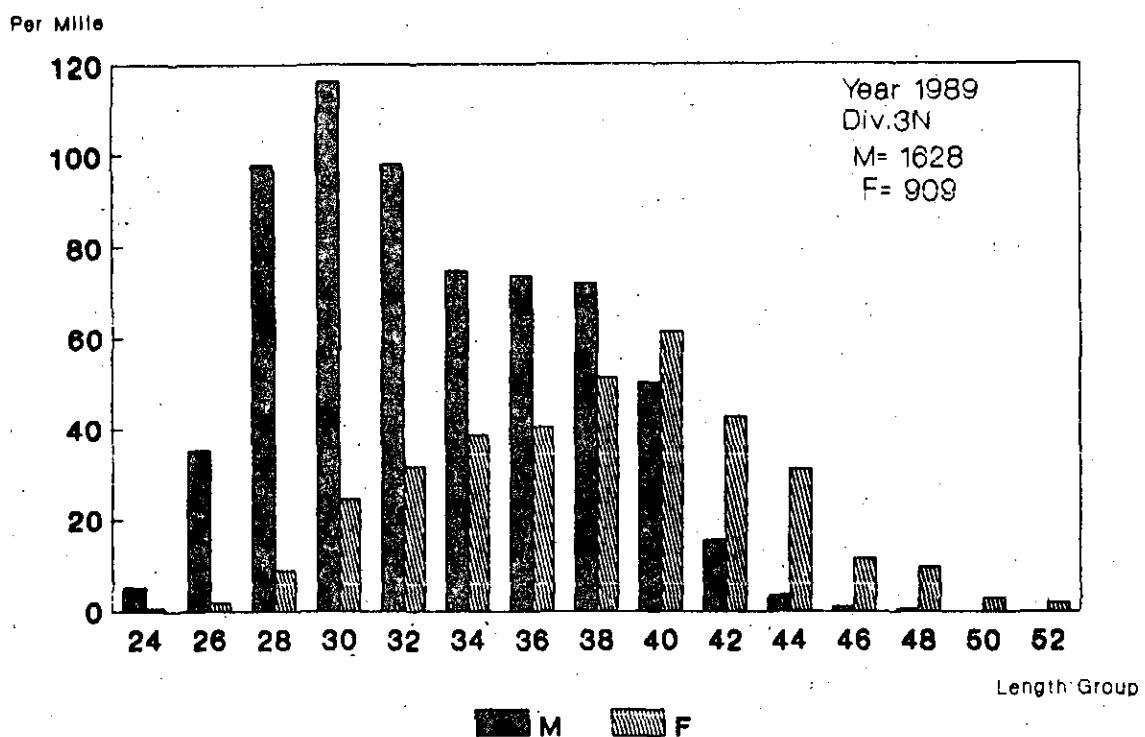


Fig. 5 - Annual length composition of Yellowtail flounder, in Division 3N, 1989

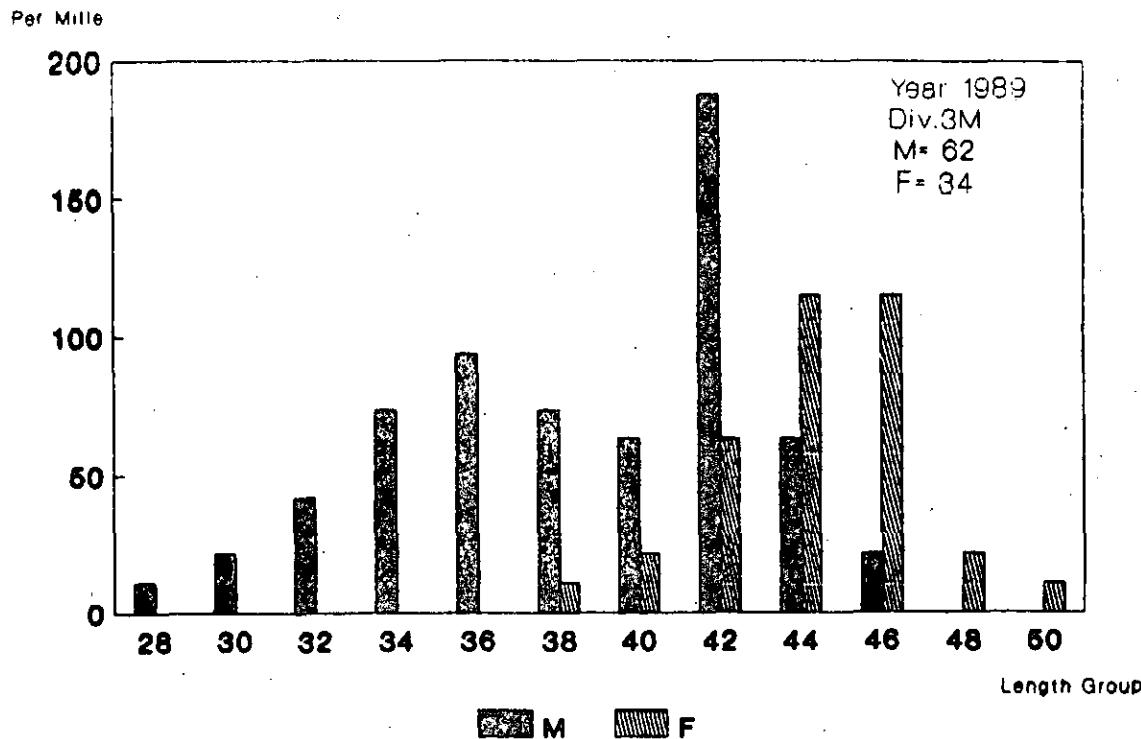


Fig. 6 - Annual length composition of American plaice in Division 3M, 1989.

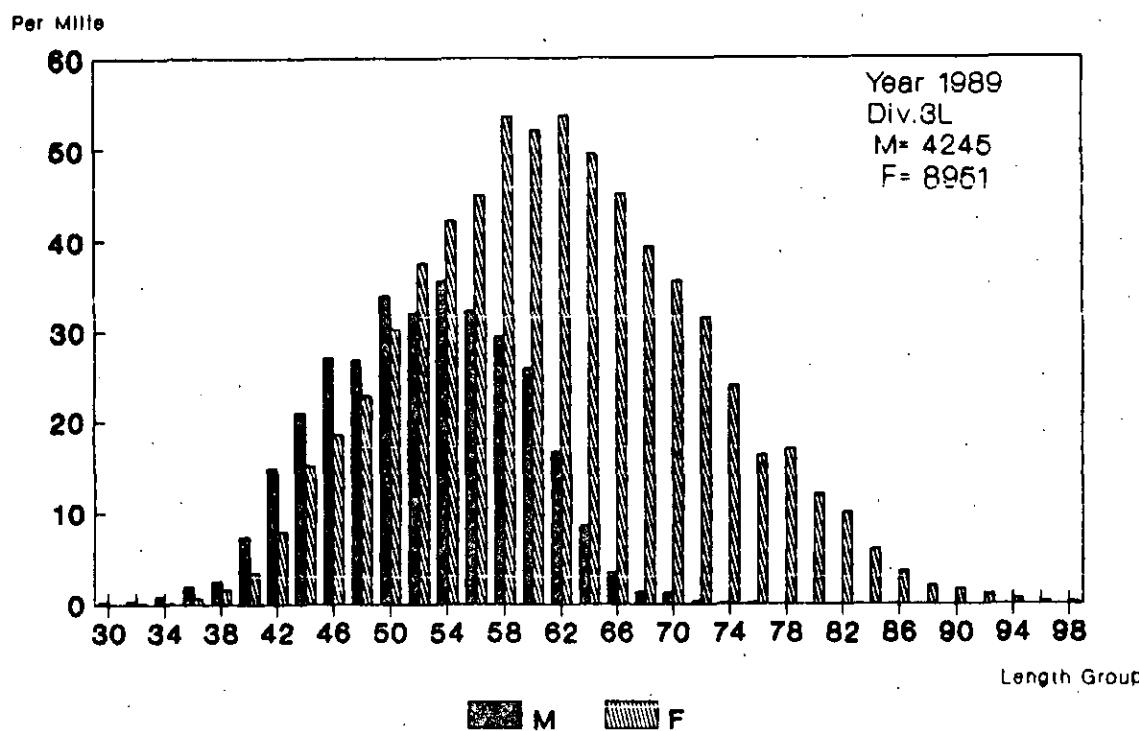


Fig. 7 - Annual length composition of Greenland halibut (Turbot) in Division 3L, 1989.