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Yellowtail flounder, redfish (*Sebastes spp*) and witch flounder indices from the Spanish Survey conducted in
Divisions 3NO of the NAFO Regulatory Area

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Abstract

Since 1995, Spain carries out a spring stratified random bottom trawl survey in Div. 3NO of the NAFO Regulatory Area. Mean catches, biomass and length distribution for yellowtail flounder (*Limanda ferruginea*) are presented for the period 1995-2011, for redfish (*Sebastes spp*) for the period 1997-2011 and for witch flounder (*Glyptocephalus cynoglossus*) for the period 2002-2011. Yellowtail flounder does not show a clear trend since 1998; its indices are almost constant throughout this period, with a slight increase in the last three years. Redfish indices oscillate greatly over time, probably because the gear does not sample adequately aggregating pelagic species. There was a sharp increase in 2009, followed by a slight decrease in 2010 and a further increase in 2011. Good year classes have not been registered recently. Witch flounder is very scarce and also lacks a clear trend in the data series, being the values always poor. Recruitment was quite good at the beginning of the series but very poor in recent years.

Material and methods

The Spanish Spring (May/June) survey in Div. 3NO of NAFO Regulatory Area was initiated by Spain in 1995. Until 2001, the survey was carried out on board the Spanish vessel C/V *Playa de Menduiña* (338 GT and 800 HP) using a *Pedreira* type bottom trawl. The R/V *Vizconde de Eza* replaced the C/V *Playa de Menduiña* in 2001, and the *Campelen* 1800 was implemented as survey gear. The main specifications and geometry of these gears, their rigging profile and the net plan, and the survey technical information are described in Walsh *et. al.*, 2001. The survey area was stratified following the standard stratification schemes (Bishop, 1994). Set number was allocated to strata proportionally to their size, with a minimum of two planned hauls per stratum and trawl positions were chosen at random (Doubleday, 1981). Biomass indices were calculated by the swept area method (Cochran, 1997), assuming catchability factor of 1. Table 1 presents the number of valid tows, the depth strata covered and the dates of the survey series. Table 2 shows the swept area and number of hauls by stratum.

The redfish series starts in 1997 because sampling depth in 1995 and 1996 was shallower than 1000 meters so the data are not representative for this species. As the strata where the yellowtail flounder is presented were well surveyed, the series for this species are presented since 1995. The witch flounder dataset used in this paper starts in 2002 because data collected with the first vessel in the earlier years have not been calibrated yet.

The catch from each haul was sorted by species and weighted. Random samples of the catch of each species were length measured (total length) to the nearest lower cm. The obtained length distribution was aggregated into 2 cm intervals (beginning with the pair number) and raised to the catch of each species.

Mean catch and variance per haul, and mean catches stratified by stratum and year, with annual variance, are presented for each species. The data are calibrated for the period 1995-2000 and no-transformed from 2002 onwards. Regarding 2001, there are both calibrated (from the first vessel) and non-transformed data (from the new vessel) for yellowtail flounder and redfish. Biomass per stratum and year stratified mean catches per haul with the variance and length distributions are also presented. More information on the calibration method can be found in González Troncoso *et al.*, 2004 and Paz *et al.*, 2004.

Results

Yellowtail flounder

After a moratorium between 1994 and 1997, the yellowtail flounder fishery is under TAC. According to the Report of NAFO Scientific Council Meeting, stock size reached a minimum in the mid 1990's, but since 1994 has steadily increased and now it is estimated to be at a level well above that of the mid-1980s (NAFO, 2011).

Mean Catches and Biomass

Table 3 shows mean catch and SD per haul and stratum for yellowtail flounder. The stratified mean catches and SD per haul, stratum and year for this species are presented in Table 4.

Yellowtail flounder biomass estimates by the swept area method and their SD for the period 1995-2011 are presented in Table 5. The parameters a and b for the calculation of the length-weight relationship are presented in Table 6.

Yellowtail flounder indices show no clear trend throughout the study period. There was an increase between 1995 and 1999 but since 2001 the indices stabilised at a higher level, with a slight increase in the last three years. (Figures 1 and 2).

Length Distribution

The stratified mean catches per haul length distribution by sex and year (aggregated into 2 cm intervals) besides the sampled size and catch for the period 1995-2011 are presented in Table 7 and Figure 3. There has not been good recruitment in recent years. In Figure 4, we can follow a length modal value since the beginning of the series, but the presence of juveniles is very low and has decreased over the last two years. Length distribution also shows small changes over several years among adults, with a 32-33 cm mode for males in the last three years, only 2 cm larger than in the period 2005-2009, and a 36 cm mode for females in 2009-2010, just 1 cm larger than in 2007-2008. In 2011 the mode of the females was at 32 cm. However, there is a small proportion of individuals <20 cm (just about 1.2% in 2011), possibly due to a high exploitation rate that compensates the growth.

Redfish

There are two species of redfish that have been commercially fished in Div. 3NO; the deep-sea redfish (*Sebastes mentella*) and the Acadian redfish (*Sebastes fasciatus*). They are very difficult to distinguish, and consequently they are collectively reported as "redfish" in the commercial fishery statistics. This stock in Div. 3O has been under TAC regulation since 1974. In September 2004, the Fisheries Commission adopted an annual TAC of 20 000 t for the period 2005-2008 in the entire area of Div. 3O. In 3N there was a moratorium from 1998-2009, but the fishery reopened in 2010 with a TAC of 3500 t (NAFO, 2011).

Mean Catches and Biomass

Redfish mean catches and SD by stratum are presented in Table 8. Stratified mean catch and SD per haul are presented in Table 9 and Figure 5. Annual biomass and SD estimates for the period 1997-2011 are presented in Table 10 and Figure 6. The length-weight relationship parameters a and b are presented in Table 12.

The redfish indices show a quick increase from 1997 to 2000, followed by a sudden drop until 2002, after which they have increased to the levels of the early years of the time series. The index increased nearly fivefold in 2009 in

comparison with 2005, the second higher value of the series (Fig. 5 and 6). This was not just due to very large catches in few hauls, as redfish catch was over 1 ton in 11 of the 43 hauls in which redfish was caught. Furthermore, redfish catch was over 15 tons in three hauls. In 2010 there was a slight decrease compared to 2009, but catches increased somewhat again in 2011. The index for these years is the highest of the series and nearly three times higher than in 2005.

Biomass and mean catch per haul and Division, the number of strata covered in each case, and the percentage of biomass in 3N respect to the total are presented in table 11. Biomass is always larger in 3N than in 3O, although the percentage is very spread over the time. Since 2005, more than 80% of redfish catches have occurred in Division 3N. However, the mean catch per town is always higher in Division 3O. Mean catch per tow in 3O in 2010 was almost four times higher than in 2009, whereas mean catch per tow in 3N was lower in 2010 than in 2009. Mean catch per tow remained high in 3O in 2011, despite a slight decrease, and increased in 3N in comparison to 2010.

Length Distribution

Table 13 presents redfish number per tow and sex, sample size and catch for the period 1997-2011. Figures 7 and 8 show the trend of the mean abundance per tow. The y-axis upper limit of Figure 7 was changed for years 1997-2008 to see the length distribution despite the large catches registered in the period 2009-2011. Figure 9 shows the same data as Figure 8 excluding the years 2009-2011. The last good yearclass was recorded in 2004 and this cohort can be tracked until 2011. In recent years there is only a discrete presence of juveniles. The clear 18 cm mode (20 cm in 2011) in 2009 seems to be a consequence of the 2004 recruitment.

Witch flounder

This stock occurs mainly in Div. 3O, along the southwestern slopes of the Grand Bank, but it seems to migrate seasonally onto the shallow banks. It has been fished mainly in winter and springtime, targeting the spawning concentrations. Survey mean weights per tow in the Canadian spring series indicate no clear trend since 1990 and the stock remains at a low level compared with the 1980s. Recruitment (fish less than 20 cm) has been poor since 2002. This stock remains at low level, and no directed fishing on this species was recommended by the Scientific Council (NAFO, 2011).

Mean Catches and Biomass

Witch flounder mean catches and SD by stratum are presented in Table 14. Stratified mean catch and SD per tow are presented in Table 15 and Figure 10. Biomass and SD estimates for the period 2002-2011 are presented in Table 16 and Figure 11. The length-weight relationship parameters a and b are presented in Table 17.

Witch flounder indices show no clear trend throughout the period 2002-2011 (Figs. 10 and 11). Always through poor values, the index peaked in 2004, and reached very similar values in 2010 and 2003. However, biomass declined again in 2011 to 2007 levels.

Length Distribution

Table 18 presents witch flounder number per tow and sex, sample size and catch for the period 2002-2011. Figures 12 and 13 show the trend of mean number per tow throughout the years. The best recruitment events occurred in the period 2002-2005 and have been very poor since 2008. Some modes can be tracked in Figure 13, probably due to the recruitments at the beginning of the series.

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TABLE 1.- Spanish spring bottom trawl surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011

Year	Vessel	Valid tows	Depth strata covered (m)	Dates
1995	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	77	42-684	May 18-May 29
1996	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	112	41-1135	May 07-May 24
1997	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	128	42-1263	April 26-May 18
1998	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	124	42-1390	May 06-May 26
1999	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	114	41-1381	May 07-May 26
2000	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	118	42-1401	May 07-May 28
2001 ^(*)	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	83	36-1156	May 03-May 24
	C/V <i>Playa de Menduíña</i>	121	40-1500	May 05-May 23
2002	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	125	38-1540	April 29-May 19
2003	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	118	38-1666	May 11-June 02
2004	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	120	43-1539	June 06-June 24
2005	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	119	47-1485	June 10-June 29
2005	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	119	47-1485	June 10-June 29
2006	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	120	45-1480	June 7-June 27
2007	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	110	45-1374	May 29-June 19
2008	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	122	45-1374	May 27-June 16
2009	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	109	45-1374	May 31-June 18
2010	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	95	45-1374	May 30-June 18
2011	R/V <i>Vizconde de Eza</i>	122	44-1450	June 5-June 24

(*)For the calculation of the series, 83 hauls were taken from the R/V *Vizconde de Eza* and 40 hauls from the C/V *Playa de Menduíña* (123 hauls in total)

TABLE 2.- Swept area and number of hauls by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1995-2000 data are from C/V *Playa de Mendoña*, and 2002-2011 data are from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1995		1996		1997		1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003	
	Swept area	Tow number																
353	0.0353	3	0.0371	3	0.0480	4	0.0465	4	0.0360	3	0.0356	3	0.0341	3	0.0476	4	0.0334	3
354	0.0353	3	0.0319	3	0.0233	2	0.0356	3	0.0218	2	0.0356	3	0.0338	3	0.0356	3	0.0338	3
355	n.s.	n.s.	0.0221	2	0.0233	2	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0240	2	0.0236	2	0.0229	2
356	n.s.	n.s.	0.0203	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0240	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2
357	0.0109	1	0.0218	2	0.0443	4	0.0240	2	0.0236	2	0.0124	1	0.0244	2	0.0240	2	0.0229	2
358	0.0319	3	0.0319	3	0.0563	5	0.0236	3	0.0349	3	0.0341	3	0.0345	3	0.0345	3	0.0338	3
359	0.0345	3	0.0548	5	0.0690	6	0.0698	6	0.0364	3	0.0469	4	0.0803	7	0.0686	6	0.0791	7
360	0.3563	31	0.3761	31	0.3754	32	0.2561	25	0.2325	19	0.2396	20	0.2423	20	0.2865	25	0.2254	20
374	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0353	3	0.0353	3	0.0244	2	0.0240	2	0.0240	2	0.0345	3	0.0225	2
375	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0116	1	0.0345	3	0.0236	2	0.0244	2	0.0338	3	0.0353	3	0.0330	3
376	0.1729	15	0.1650	14	0.1583	14	0.0930	10	0.1219	10	0.1200	10	0.1155	10	0.1140	10	0.1125	10
377	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0116	1	0.0229	2	0.0240	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2
378	0.0435	4	0.0330	3	0.0210	2	0.0120	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0236	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2
379	0.0221	2	0.0113	1	0.0206	2	0.0356	3	0.0236	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2
380	n.s.	n.s.	0.0221	2	0.0210	2	0.0113	2	0.0236	2	0.0236	2	0.0206	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2
381	n.s.	n.s.	0.0229	2	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0236	2	0.0236	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2
382	n.s.	n.s.	0.0338	3	0.0461	4	0.0229	3	0.0484	4	0.0499	4	0.0469	4	0.0341	3	0.0454	4
721	n.s.	n.s.	0.0214	2	0.0221	2	0.0203	2	0.0244	2	0.0236	2	0.0248	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2
722	n.s.	n.s.	0.0206	2	0.0214	2	0.0101	2	0.0229	2	0.0218	2	0.0233	2	0.0236	2	0.0221	2
723	n.s.	n.s.	0.0109	1	0.0210	2	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0248	2	0.0240	2	0.0233	2	0.0229	2
724	0.0105	1	0.0203	2	0.0225	2	0.0206	2	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0353	3	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
725	0.0334	3	0.0225	2	0.0206	2	0.0086	1	0.0229	2	0.0210	2	0.0116	1	0.0225	2	0.0229	2
726	0.0214	2	0.0218	2	n.s.	n.s.	0.0094	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2	0.0116	1	0.0214	2	0.0225	2
727	n.s.	n.s.	0.0210	2	0.0094	1	0.0233	2	0.0236	2	0.0210	2	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0218	2
728	n.s.	n.s.	0.0218	2	0.0214	2	0.0206	2	0.0233	2	0.0210	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2
752	n.s.	n.s.	0.0109	1	0.0218	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0206	2	0.0210	2	0.0116	1	0.0229	2
753	n.s.	n.s.	0.0199	2	0.0214	2	0.0218	2	0.0229	2	0.0218	2	0.0214	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2
754	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0330	3	0.0210	2	0.0206	2	0.0195	2	0.0195	2	0.0341	3	0.0218	2
755	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0206	2	0.0311	3	0.0431	4	0.0416	4	0.0338	3	0.0221	2
756	n.s.	n.s.	0.0210	2	0.0109	1	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0203	2	0.0113	1	0.0229	2	0.0221	2
757	n.s.	n.s.	0.0188	2	0.0304	3	0.0206	2	0.0233	2	0.0214	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2
758	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0214	2	0.0105	2	0.0214	2	0.0210	2	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2
759	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0214	2	0.0218	2	0.0210	2	0.0221	2	0.0225	2	0.0113	1
760	n.s.	n.s.	0.0210	2	0.0105	1	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0210	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0218	2
761	n.s.	n.s.	0.0199	2	0.0315	3	0.0206	2	0.0210	2	0.0221	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
762	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0308	3	0.0094	2	0.0210	2	0.0203	2	0.0116	1	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
763	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0218	2	0.0311	3	0.0416	4	0.0330	3	0.0225	2	0.0311	3
764	n.s.	n.s.	0.0210	2	0.0206	2	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0218	2	0.0240	2	0.0236	2	0.0221	2
765	n.s.	n.s.	0.0199	2	0.0206	2	0.0098	2	0.0221	2	0.0203	2	0.0113	1	0.0236	2	0.0113	1
766	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0308	3	0.0191	2	0.0218	2	0.0214	2	0.0203	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2
767	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0109	2	0.0214	2	0.0210	2	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2

TABLE 2 (cont.).- Swept area and number of hauls by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1997-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1997-2000 data are from C/V *Playa de Menduña*, and 2002-2011 data are from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

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354	0.0345	3	0.0353	3	0.0364	3	0.0364	3	0.0345	3	0.0338	3	0.0225	2	0.0345	3
355	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0248	2	0.0240	2	0.0221	2	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2
356	0.0221	2	0.0233	2	0.0240	2	0.0240	2	0.0236	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2
357	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0244	2	0.0360	3	0.0233	2	0.0116	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
358	0.0330	3	0.0349	3	0.0349	3	0.0368	3	0.0345	3	0.0341	3	0.0225	2	0.0345	3
359	0.0791	7	0.0814	7	0.0975	8	0.0855	7	0.0799	7	0.0795	7	0.0705	6	0.0806	7
360	0.2310	20	0.2325	20	0.2340	19	0.2378	20	0.2340	20	0.2273	20	0.1628	14	0.2374	20
374	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0236	2	0.0240	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
375	0.0338	3	0.0349	3	0.0364	3	0.0364	3	0.0334	3	0.0341	3	0.0364	3	0.0360	3
376	0.1166	10	0.1174	10	0.1219	10	0.1185	10	0.1129	10	0.1133	10	0.0788	7	0.1178	10
377	0.0218	2	0.0233	2	0.0236	2	0.0240	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0233	2
378	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0240	2	0.0233	2	0.0240	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0240	2
379	0.0124	1	0.0236	2	0.0236	2	0.0240	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0221	2
380	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0240	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0236	2	0.0229	2
381	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0240	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0244	2	0.0233	2
382	0.0461	4	0.0458	4	0.0469	4	0.0484	4	0.0458	4	0.0450	4	0.0233	2	0.0450	4
721	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0236	2	0.0116	1	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2
722	0.0218	2	0.0233	2	0.0240	2	0.0225	2	0.0206	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
723	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0236	2	0.0240	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0218	2
724	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0233	2	0.0221	2	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2
725	0.0225	2	0.0236	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0240	2
726	0.0225	2	0.0113	1	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2
727	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0240	2	0.0221	2	0.0113	1	0.0240	2	0.0225	2
728	0.0180	2	0.0109	1	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0240	2	0.0229	2
752	0.0214	2	0.0236	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0218	2	0.0229	2	0.0240	2	0.0236	2
753	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2	0.0116	1	n.s.	n.s.	0.0225	2
754	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0218	2	0.0113	1	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
755	0.0319	3	0.0450	4	0.0338	3	0.0338	3	0.0431	4	0.0116	1	0.0120	1	0.0454	4
756	0.0218	2	0.0233	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0206	2
757	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0221	2	0.0236	2
758	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
759	0.0214	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	n.s.	n.s.	0.0221	2	0.0113	1	0.0225	2	0.0218	2
760	0.0221	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2	0.0214	2
761	0.0221	2	0.0221	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0236	2
762	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0233	2	n.s.	n.s.	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0225	2
763	0.0326	3	0.0334	3	0.0225	2	n.s.	n.s.	0.0311	3	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0349	3
764	0.0229	2	0.0233	2	0.0233	2	0.0225	2	0.0221	2	0.0116	1	n.s.	n.s.	0.0225	2
765	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0236	2	0.0225	2	0.0214	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
766	0.0225	2	0.0229	2	0.0229	2	n.s.	n.s.	0.0218	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2	0.0225	2
767	0.0218	2	0.0113	1	0.0233	2	n.s.	n.s.	0.0214	2	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.0233	2

TABLE 3.- Yellowtail flounder mean catch (kg) and SD by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1995-2000 data are transformed from the C/V *Playa de Mendoña* series, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1995		1996		1997		1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003	
	Y. flounder																	
	Mean catch	SD																
353	5.82	4.105	74.88	94.62	12.55	14.26	12.22	20.16	150.18	182.44	67.87	91.37	61.42	102.797	75.13	88.259	11.15	19.307
354	1.78	3.089	1.11	0.84	1.41	1.56	1.22	0.24	0.08	0.12	1.79	1.93	0.34	0.322	0.17	0.289	0.00	0.000
355	n.s.	n.s.	0.25	0.35	2.20	0.31	0.13	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
356	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.32	0.46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.007	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
357	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	
358	0.00	0.000	0.13	0.23	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
359	1.35	2.336	0.92	0.83	0.08	0.14	0.17	0.22	0.34	0.47	2.36	2.93	1.42	2.836	0.11	0.261	0.00	0.000
360	20.44	40.707	142.09	128.86	80.92	155.59	373.90	629.84	545.18	424.37	391.18	331.64	536.80	488.657	340.23	356.687	360.55	298.992
374	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.02	74.16	103.18	20.47	23.55	238.75	111.369	32.04	52.542	16.13	8.238
375	1.48	1.875	41.40	58.54	0.20	-	12.37	21.37	347.15	168.25	153.36	2.06	100.33	68.319	48.61	68.927	28.45	35.557
376	35.06	58.691	71.40	86.94	162.35	179.83	279.27	181.29	551.60	165.61	435.27	236.60	443.12	196.619	533.62	416.745	391.60	257.289
377	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.06	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.70	0.990
378	0.00	0.000	0.06	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
379	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
380	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
381	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
382	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.030	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
721	n.s.	n.s.	0.03	0.05	0.75	1.06	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
722	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
723	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
724	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.52	0.735
725	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
726	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
727	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
728	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
752	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.06	0.083	0.00	-	0.00	0.000
753	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
754	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
755	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
756	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
757	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
758	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
759	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-
760	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	-	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
761	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
762	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
763	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
764	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
765	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-
766	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
767	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000

TABLE 3 (cont.).- Yellowtail flounder mean catch (kg) and SD by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1995-2000 data are transformed from the C/V *Playa de Mendoña* series, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	2004		2005		2006		2007		2008		2009		2010		2011	
	Y. flounder Mean catch	Y. flounder SD														
353	8.79	14.005	58.83	99.610	71.98	122.954	0.64	0.172	18.63	30.202	0.15	0.259	0.71	1.004	102.27	174.277
354	0.62	1.065	0.21	0.188	0.21	0.371	0.16	0.283	1.03	0.775	0.00	0.000	0.69	0.205	0.73	1.264
355	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
356	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
357	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
358	0.26	0.442	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.40	0.515
359	25.01	38.371	99.52	142.727	169.33	359.779	102.63	116.690	26.40	38.865	11.16	31.077	12.37	23.155	185.14	189.098
360	403.19	333.463	342.14	223.566	361.02	266.205	349.70	307.902	339.09	220.066	358.38	377.704	334.16	217.326	387.48	461.995
374	193.46	225.058	300.46	128.092	610.03	73.518	1057.60	455.094	696.25	157.331	1392.90	938.048	482.80	229.385	1395.85	984.363
375	543.04	155.015	288.64	138.290	287.65	109.715	145.73	86.977	574.00	461.113	335.84	149.894	330.53	153.295	525.01	446.254
376	481.06	140.810	500.53	238.908	489.81	231.495	460.24	203.990	421.05	280.644	514.96	250.661	691.28	309.955	492.44	283.950
377	0.00	0.000	42.84	60.518	6.09	8.605	165.35	233.840	173.40	8.202	0.12	0.163	122.58	75.066	325.75	399.735
378	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
379	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.05	0.067	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
380	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
381	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
382	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	325.95	460.963	223.67	447.338
721	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
722	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
723	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.18	0.247	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
724	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
725	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
726	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
727	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
728	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
752	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
753	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000
754	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
755	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	-	0.00	0.000
756	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
757	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
758	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
759	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.000
760	0.00	0.000	0.35	0.488	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
761	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
762	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.0000	0.00	0.000
763	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000
764	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000
765	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
766	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
767	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000

TABLE 4.- Stratified mean catches (Kg) by stratum and year and SD by year of yellowtail flounder (1995-2011). n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1995-2000 data are transformed from the C/V *Playa de Menduíña* series. 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
353	1565	20142	3377	3288	40399	18256	16521	20209	2998	2365	15825	19364	173	5011	40	191	27510
354	439	0	346	299	21	440	84	41	0	151	52	53	40	253	0	169	180
355	n.s.	0	163	9	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
356	n.s.	0	15	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
357	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
358	0	30	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	57	0	0	0	0	0	0	91
359	568	386	34	73	143	995	598	45	0	10528	41896	71290	43209	11113	4700	5207	77946
360	56885	395449	225203	1040562	1517233	1088648	1493909	946848	1003413	1122078	952164	1004708	973222	943689	997385	929976	1078347
374	0	0	0	10	15871	4380	51093	6857	3451	41400	64297	130545	226326	148998	298081	103320	298712
375	402	11218	54	3353	94077	41561	27190	13173	7710	147165	78221	77953	39494	155554	91013	89575	142279
376	46775	95247	216576	372549	735836	580654	591126	711849	522389	641737	667712	653413	613960	561677	686958	922171	656919
377	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	70	0	4284	609	16535	17340	12	12258	32575
378	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
379	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0
380	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
381	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
382	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	111801	76718
721	n.s.	2	49	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
722	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
723	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	27	0	0	0	0
724	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	64	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
725	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
726	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
727	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
728	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
752	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
753	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0
754	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
755	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
756	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
757	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
758	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
759	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0
760	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	53	0	0	0	0	0	0
761	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
762	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0
763	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	n.s.	0
764	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0
765	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
766	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0
767	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	n.s.	0
TOTAL	106633	522481	445822	1420143	2403580	1734937	2180533	1699022	1540096	1965481	1824505	1957961	1912960	1843639	2078188	2174666	2391275
Ȳ	16.22	59.54	47.74	137.32	232.41	167.76	210.84	164.28	148.92	190.05	176.42	189.32	202.64	178.27	209.43	224.54	231.22
S.D.	4.37	8.41	10.69	34.70	27.41	22.21	30.58	24.92	20.84	21.27	17.06	19.83	23.61	19.00	29.75	26.30	35.18

TABLE 5.- Survey estimates (by the swept area method) of yellowtail flounder biomass (t) and SD by stratum and year in NAFO Div. 3NO. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1995-2000 data are transformed from the C/V *Playa de Mendumá* series. 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
353	133	1628	281	282	3367	1537	1452	1697	270	210	1347	1565	14	440	4	17	2366
354	37	26	30	25	2	37	7	3	0	13	4	4	3	22	0	15	16
355	n.s.	2	14	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
356	n.s.	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
357	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
358	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	8
359	49	35	3	6	12	85	52	4	0	931	3604	5849	3538	974	473	443	6767
360	4950	32593	19198	89742	123989	90863	123341	82622	89057	97150	81907	81579	81869	80657	87779	79998	90856
374	0	0	0	0	1302	365	4258	596	307	3561	5622	11051	18861	12817	26496	9184	26552
375	36	981	5	291	7964	3410	2417	1121	701	13081	6729	6429	3257	13982	8001	7388	11857
376	4059	8082	19160	32255	60376	48388	51175	62443	46435	55026	56887	53613	51811	49761	60659	81971	55789
377	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0	368	52	1378	1492	1	1054	2802
378	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
379	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
380	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
381	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
382	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	9617	6819
721	n.s.	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
722	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
723	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0
724	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
725	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
726	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
727	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
728	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
752	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
753	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0
754	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
755	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
756	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
757	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
758	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
759	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0
760	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
761	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
762	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0
763	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	n.s.
764	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0
765	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
766	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0
767	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	n.s.
TOTAL	9264	43349	38697	122601	197012	144685	182704	148487	136775	169978	156472	160145	160731	160146	183412	189687	203833
S.D.	2484	6032	8527	31359	22938	19097	25847	23368	19287	18869	15271	16458	18852	17297	25736	22611	30743

TABLE 6.- Length weight relationships in the calculation of yellowtail flounder biomass. The equation is $Weight = a(l + 0.5)^b$
 Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011. To calculate the parameters for the indeterminate individuals,
 total number of individuals (males + females + indeterminate individuals) was used. *E* means Error.

		1995	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Males	a	0.0079 E = 0.2653	0.0080 E = 0.0907	0.0081 E = 0.0936	0.0075 E = 0.1034	0.0084 E = 0.2119	0.0036 E = 0.0994	0.0081 E = 0.1248	0.0075 E = 0.0729	0.0121 E = 0.1109	0.0053 E = 0.1352	0.0027 E = 0.0882	0.0096 E = 0.0825	0.0074 E = 0.0655	0.0085 E = 0.1149	0.0051 E = 0.1710	0.0084 E = 0.1175	0.0121 E = 0.2513
	b	3.0416 E = 0.0799	3.0342 E = 0.0269	3.0197 E = 0.0281	3.0376 E = 0.0313	3.0098 E = 0.0610	3.2403 E = 0.0300	3.0176 E = 0.0374	3.0271 E = 0.0226	2.8978 E = 0.0348	3.1236 E = 0.0419	3.3274 E = 0.0274	2.9463 E = 0.0263	3.0190 E = 0.0201	2.9716 E = 0.0353	3.1109 E = 0.0519	2.9841 E = 0.0367	2.8712 E = 0.0758
		R ² = 0.984 N=137	R ² = 0.998 N=430	R ² = 0.997 N=556	R ² = 0.997 N=523	R ² = 0.994 N=56	R ² = 0.997 N=270	R ² = 0.995 N=271	R ² = 0.998 N=274	R ² = 0.995 N=316	R ² = 0.995 N=411	R ² = 0.997 N=311	R ² = 0.999 N=371	R ² = 0.999 N=578	R ² = 0.998 N=479	R ² = 0.993 N=270	R ² = 0.995 N=313	R2 = 0.981 N=435
Females	a	0.0063 E = 0.1251	0.0056 E = 0.0632	0.0056 E = 0.0517	0.0067 E = 0.1290	0.0073 E = 0.2607	0.0026 E = 0.0914	0.006 E = 0.0841	0.0051 E = 0.0901	0.0061 E = 0.0995	0.0047 E = 0.0630	0.0027 E = 0.0634	0.0069 E = 0.1137	0.0043 E = 0.1973	0.0060 E = 0.0801	0.0066 E = 0.1594	0.0058 E = 0.0809	0.0063 E = 0.1587
	b	3.1083 E = 0.0367	3.1496 E = 0.0179	3.1382 E = 0.0152	3.0788 E = 0.0384	3.0577 E = 0.0739	3.3504 E = 0.0267	3.1122 E = 0.0249	3.1448 E = 0.0274	3.1079 E = 0.0307	3.1768 E = 0.0191	3.329 E = 0.0177	3.0584 E = 0.0347	3.1915 E = 0.0582	3.0850 E = 0.0237	3.0549 E = 0.0464	3.0980 E = 0.0241	3.0725 E = 0.0462
		R ² = 0.995 N=246	R ² = 0.999 N=735	R ² = 0.999 N=910	R ² = 0.994 N=682	R ² = 0.989 N=62	R ² = 0.998 N=344	R ² = 0.997 N=378	R ² = 0.997 N=343	R ² = 0.996 N=513	R ² = 0.999 N=547	R ² = 0.998 N=569	R ² = 0.997 N=507	R ² = 0.987 N=731	R ² = 0.999 N=594	R ² = 0.991 N=378	R ² = 0.998 N=444	R2 = 0.992 N=575
Indet.	a	0.0088 E = 0.1109	0.006 E = 0.0656	0.006 E = 0.0580	0.0071 E = 0.0652	0.0078 E = 0.1656	0.0026 E = 0.0835	0.0092 E = 0.1075	0.006 E = 0.0402	0.0069 E = 0.1095	0.004 E = 0.0608	0.0025 E = 0.0523	0.0102 E = 0.1453	0.0068 E = 0.1078	0.0065 E = 0.0785	0.0067 E = 0.1293	0.0052 E = 0.0966	0.0080 E = 0.1225
	b	3.0144 E = 0.0330	3.1285 E = 0.0188	3.1166 E = 0.0171	3.0614 E = 0.0195	3.0406 E = 0.0477	3.3423 E = 0.0245	2.9883 E = 0.0329	3.0977 E = 0.0123	3.0737 E = 0.0337	3.2137 E = 0.0186	3.3552 E = 0.0148	2.9471 E = 0.0448	3.0606 E = 0.0327	3.0642 E = 0.0233	3.0502 E = 0.0379	3.1285 E = 0.0290	3.0081 E = 0.0366
		R ² = 0.996 N=391	R ² = 0.999 N=1181	R ² = 0.999 N=1466	R ² = 0.994 N=1211	R ² = 0.995 N=118	R ² = 0.999 N=614	R ² = 0.994 N=703	R ² = 0.999 N=620	R ² = 0.995 N=833	R ² = 0.999 N=969	R ² = 0.999 N=884	R ² = 0.995 N=887	R ² = 0.995 N=1312	R ² = 0.999 N=1074	R ² = 0.994 N=648	R ² = 0.996 N=759	R2 = 0.994 N=1015

TABLE 7.- Yellowtail flounder length distribution. Estimated numbers per haul mean catch. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011. Indet. means indeterminate. 1995-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduña* series. 2002-2011 data are original R/V *Vizconde de Eza* data. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. (*) indicates untransformed data.

Length (cm.)	1995				1996				1997				1998				1999				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	
4	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
6	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
8	0.000	0.000	0.185	0.185	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.516	1.516	
10	0.000	0.000	0.456	0.456	0.000	0.000	0.498	0.498	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.071	0.071	5.154	3.352	2.960	11.465	
12	0.103	0.870	2.350	3.323	0.000	0.000	0.877	0.877	1.356	0.560	0.000	1.916	0.000	0.000	1.538	1.538	12.807	8.911	0.000	21.718	
14	1.557	1.441	2.842	5.840	0.000	0.048	2.711	2.759	0.155	0.819	0.000	0.974	0.121	0.157	0.000	0.278	19.227	16.710	0.000	35.938	
16	2.045	3.581	0.277	5.903	0.288	3.152	5.167	8.607	2.947	1.811	0.000	4.758	1.500	1.535	0.000	3.034	13.999	15.356	0.000	29.355	
18	2.649	3.358	0.031	6.038	2.334	15.279	3.167	20.780	5.076	4.415	0.000	9.491	8.365	5.129	0.000	13.495	8.893	10.757	0.000	19.650	
20	2.984	3.212	0.000	6.196	5.319	26.981	0.750	33.050	13.857	15.055	0.000	28.912	8.974	10.166	0.000	19.140	14.809	10.199	0.000	25.008	
22	4.807	6.015	0.000	10.823	8.522	32.231	0.065	40.818	28.296	23.048	0.000	51.345	25.957	20.452	0.000	46.409	33.285	22.789	0.000	56.073	
24	4.810	6.082	0.000	10.892	10.962	32.203	0.000	43.165	31.348	27.786	0.000	59.134	44.950	37.421	0.000	82.371	61.756	39.009	0.000	100.765	
26	2.340	2.446	0.000	4.786	9.552	16.875	0.000	26.427	24.015	26.970	0.000	50.985	72.376	60.520	0.000	132.896	98.561	59.521	0.000	158.083	
28	2.704	2.544	0.000	5.248	9.151	11.591	0.000	20.742	13.921	21.248	0.000	35.169	57.459	62.401	0.000	119.861	107.816	84.193	0.000	192.009	
30	2.588	4.738	0.000	7.325	7.206	9.915	0.000	17.122	6.159	10.349	0.000	16.508	32.472	56.275	0.000	88.747	72.947	92.236	0.000	165.183	
32	1.664	4.451	0.000	6.115	6.379	6.166	0.000	12.545	3.761	5.090	0.000	8.851	15.566	32.294	0.000	47.859	28.850	75.169	0.000	104.018	
34	1.290	3.070	0.000	4.361	5.565	6.928	0.000	12.493	1.894	2.803	0.000	4.698	5.840	22.613	0.000	28.453	15.810	43.595	0.000	59.405	
36	0.661	1.797	0.000	2.459	4.143	9.508	0.000	13.651	1.195	2.683	0.000	3.878	2.638	12.385	0.000	15.023	9.185	24.775	0.000	33.960	
38	0.475	1.395	0.000	1.870	2.083	6.687	0.000	8.771	0.485	2.407	0.000	2.892	2.475	8.439	0.000	10.914	3.658	14.964	0.000	18.623	
40	0.373	0.937	0.000	1.310	0.724	5.018	0.000	5.742	0.245	1.723	0.000	1.968	1.060	7.705	0.000	8.765	1.466	8.582	0.000	10.049	
42	0.059	0.588	0.000	0.647	0.694	3.305	0.000	4.000	0.099	0.801	0.000	0.899	0.065	3.260	0.000	3.324	0.262	5.318	0.000	5.580	
44	0.004	0.471	0.000	0.475	0.087	1.550	0.000	1.637	0.031	0.281	0.000	0.311	0.008	1.729	0.000	1.737	0.111	2.620	0.000	2.731	
46	0.004	0.081	0.000	0.085	0.081	0.969	0.000	1.050	0.006	0.044	0.000	0.049	0.000	0.600	0.000	0.600	0.028	0.988	0.000	1.016	
48	0.000	0.191	0.000	0.191	0.018	0.286	0.000	0.304	0.000	0.052	0.000	0.052	0.004	0.273	0.000	0.277	0.096	0.486	0.000	0.582	
50	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.045	0.000	0.045	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.140	0.000	0.140	
52	0.000	0.052	0.000	0.052	0.000	0.053	0.000	0.053	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.032	0.000	0.032	
54	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.039	0.000	0.039	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
56	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Total	31.117	47.358	6.141	84.616	73.109	188.829	13.235	275.173	134.845	147.982	0.000	282.827	279.828	343.354	1.609	624.791	508.721	539.702	4.475	1052.898	
Nº samples (*):					43				33				54				48				39
Nº Ind. (*):	1876	3003	81	4960	1837	4584	249	6670	3635	4469	0	8104	2848	3693	3	6544	4616	5076	6	9698	
Sampled catch:					375				532				585				536				796
Range (*):					9-56				10-55				12-53				11-49				8-52
Total catch:					2731				5721				4956				12231				17169
Total hauls (*):					77				112				128				124				114

TABLE 7 (cont.).- Yellowtail flounder length distribution. Estimated numbers per haul mean catch. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011. Indet. means indeterminate. 1995-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduña* series. 2002-2011 data are original R/V *Vizconde de Eza* data. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. (*) indicates untransformed data.

Length (cm.)	2000				2001				2002				2003			
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total												
4	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.009	0.009
6	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.325	0.325	0.000	0.141	0.475	0.616	0.000	0.107	0.297	0.404
8	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	1.937	1.937	0.349	0.639	0.332	1.321	0.036	0.121	0.274	0.431
10	0.000	0.793	0.000	0.793	0.104	0.356	1.850	2.310	1.315	0.712	0.000	2.027	0.847	0.572	0.140	1.559
12	3.716	1.266	0.000	4.982	0.320	1.239	1.187	2.746	0.620	0.675	0.000	1.295	0.969	1.205	0.000	2.174
14	7.773	11.915	0.000	19.687	0.952	1.477	1.114	3.543	1.544	1.064	0.000	2.608	0.977	0.869	0.000	1.846
16	10.311	10.506	0.000	20.817	3.575	4.509	0.412	8.497	1.889	2.134	0.000	4.023	0.946	0.289	0.000	1.234
18	14.266	16.475	0.000	30.741	10.107	10.530	0.149	20.786	3.180	2.479	0.000	5.660	1.665	1.689	0.000	3.355
20	16.177	19.576	0.000	35.753	17.815	24.898	0.000	42.713	7.908	6.122	0.000	14.030	1.695	2.233	0.000	3.928
22	17.231	18.660	0.000	35.891	21.299	29.178	0.000	50.477	16.552	12.664	0.000	29.217	4.214	4.602	0.000	8.817
24	21.395	20.983	0.000	42.378	24.254	23.840	0.000	48.094	21.724	22.245	0.000	43.968	11.364	8.741	0.000	20.105
26	48.000	33.100	0.000	81.100	28.911	24.809	0.000	53.720	27.246	24.307	0.000	51.553	27.765	19.581	0.000	47.347
28	67.229	39.182	0.000	106.412	58.237	33.305	0.000	91.542	40.151	22.443	0.000	62.594	37.413	29.153	0.000	66.566
30	64.336	44.684	0.000	109.020	72.412	45.107	0.000	117.519	57.549	34.445	0.000	91.994	52.296	29.328	0.000	81.624
32	36.450	53.416	0.000	89.865	49.179	59.052	0.000	108.232	46.938	50.680	0.000	97.618	45.761	40.076	0.000	85.836
34	12.695	39.970	0.000	52.665	22.267	64.772	0.000	87.039	18.047	57.599	0.000	75.646	19.769	52.100	0.000	71.869
36	6.653	25.712	0.000	32.365	8.702	46.598	0.000	55.300	7.014	45.699	0.000	52.713	6.757	39.555	0.000	46.312
38	3.526	15.747	0.000	19.274	6.293	30.315	0.000	36.608	2.651	25.514	0.000	28.165	2.130	23.649	0.000	25.779
40	1.996	10.642	0.000	12.638	2.145	12.925	0.000	15.070	1.183	12.427	0.000	13.610	0.832	9.444	0.000	10.276
42	0.286	6.803	0.000	7.089	0.857	7.788	0.000	8.645	0.616	6.257	0.000	6.873	0.256	3.895	0.000	4.151
44	0.013	4.005	0.000	4.018	0.614	4.596	0.000	5.210	0.042	2.690	0.000	2.732	0.268	2.432	0.000	2.700
46	0.000	1.806	0.000	1.806	0.221	1.968	0.000	2.190	0.024	1.150	0.000	1.174	0.000	1.113	0.000	1.113
48	0.003	0.845	0.000	0.848	0.000	0.775	0.000	0.775	0.000	0.818	0.000	0.818	0.000	0.525	0.000	0.525
50	0.000	0.246	0.000	0.246	0.000	0.242	0.000	0.242	0.020	0.149	0.000	0.169	0.000	0.202	0.000	0.202
52	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.051	0.000	0.051	0.000	0.038	0.000	0.038	0.000	0.009	0.000	0.009
54	0.000	0.033	0.000	0.033	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
56	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total	332.057	376.364	0.000	708.421	328.265	428.326	6.975	763.567	256.565	333.090	0.807	590.462	215.959	271.489	0.721	488.169
Nº samples (*):					42				43				43			37
Nº Ind. (*):	3323	4100	0	7423	3358	4684	80	8122	3419	4576	7	8002	2424	3254	12	5690
Sampled catch:					717				2298				2269			1864
Range (*):					11-54				6-53				6-52			5-52
Total catch:					12742				16141				14385			11280
Total hauls (*):					118				123				125			118

TABLE 7 (cont.).- Yellowtail flounder length distribution. Estimated numbers per haul mean catch. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011. Indet. means indeterminate. 1995-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Mendoña* series. 2002-2011 data are original R/V *Vizconde de Eza* data. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. (*) indicates untransformed data.

Length (cm.)	2004				2005				2006				2007				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total													
4	0.000	0.000	0.116	0.116	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.060	0.000	0.000	0.060	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
6	0.000	0.000	0.337	0.337	0.000	0.013	0.192	0.205	0.000	0.000	0.079	0.079	0.000	0.000	0.103	0.103	
8	0.109	0.049	0.741	0.899	0.269	0.018	0.054	0.341	0.187	0.162	0.245	0.594	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
10	0.528	0.637	0.000	1.165	1.725	0.467	0.051	2.243	0.686	0.384	0.276	1.346	0.041	0.059	0.000	0.101	
12	2.005	1.577	0.000	3.582	2.353	1.877	0.000	4.229	2.026	1.734	0.000	3.760	0.536	0.449	0.000	0.985	
14	3.503	2.632	0.000	6.135	4.728	3.053	0.000	7.780	3.645	3.862	0.000	7.507	1.148	0.578	0.000	1.725	
16	4.580	3.608	0.000	8.188	4.674	3.630	0.000	8.304	5.776	6.009	0.000	11.785	2.222	2.551	0.000	4.773	
18	4.649	3.543	0.000	8.192	3.334	3.348	0.000	6.682	5.989	5.547	0.000	11.536	5.728	4.614	0.000	10.342	
20	5.414	6.205	0.000	11.619	4.905	4.847	0.000	9.752	9.721	8.196	0.000	17.917	9.024	7.293	0.000	16.317	
22	5.563	5.757	0.000	11.321	8.934	6.836	0.000	15.770	10.735	10.545	0.000	21.280	13.286	14.190	0.000	27.476	
24	8.232	7.732	0.000	15.964	8.930	7.162	0.000	16.092	11.073	12.977	0.000	24.050	17.380	19.046	0.000	36.426	
26	25.572	16.572	0.000	42.145	15.997	8.451	0.000	24.447	13.117	13.439	0.000	26.556	20.689	18.113	0.000	38.802	
28	57.974	27.637	0.000	85.611	34.840	17.504	0.000	52.344	26.251	15.412	0.000	41.663	35.157	19.170	0.000	54.327	
30	87.376	52.285	0.000	139.661	75.001	34.103	0.000	109.105	64.180	25.059	0.000	89.238	75.144	25.235	0.000	100.379	
32	74.712	58.683	0.000	133.396	70.556	58.866	0.000	129.423	74.126	52.415	0.000	126.541	76.329	50.253	0.000	126.582	
34	30.847	58.596	0.000	89.443	28.072	62.961	0.000	91.032	38.379	67.737	0.000	106.116	42.232	68.548	0.000	110.780	
36	7.531	46.290	0.000	53.820	8.105	48.672	0.000	56.777	11.021	63.706	0.000	74.727	12.733	61.691	0.000	74.424	
38	2.056	26.594	0.000	28.650	1.965	26.547	0.000	28.512	3.046	39.877	0.000	42.923	3.973	41.839	0.000	45.812	
40	1.716	10.932	0.000	12.648	0.908	11.697	0.000	12.606	0.981	17.493	0.000	18.474	1.430	20.920	0.000	22.350	
42	0.514	3.725	0.000	4.240	0.172	4.746	0.000	4.918	0.081	5.709	0.000	5.789	0.213	6.891	0.000	7.104	
44	0.028	2.033	0.000	2.061	0.050	2.020	0.000	2.070	0.072	2.190	0.000	2.262	0.000	2.454	0.000	2.454	
46	0.000	0.575	0.000	0.575	0.000	1.128	0.000	1.128	0.000	1.341	0.000	1.341	0.071	1.043	0.000	1.114	
48	0.000	0.303	0.000	0.303	0.000	0.200	0.000	0.200	0.000	0.560	0.000	0.560	0.000	0.367	0.000	0.367	
50	0.000	0.009	0.000	0.009	0.000	0.030	0.000	0.030	0.000	0.231	0.000	0.231	0.000	0.107	0.000	0.107	
52	0.000	0.055	0.000	0.055	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.120	0.000	0.120	
54	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.079	0.000	0.079	0.000	0.091	0.000	0.091	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
56	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Total	322.910	336.032	1.193	660.136	275.518	308.254	0.297	584.069	281.150	354.688	0.601	636.440	317.336	365.532	0.103	682.971	
Nº samples (*):					45											47	
Nº Ind. (*):	3703	4234	16	7953	4790	6556	6	11352	4404	6012	10	10426	5083	5533	1	10617	
Sampled catch:					2587				3784				3407				2761
Range (*):					5-53				6-55				5-54				7-52
Total catch:					15117				14275				15424				15200
Total hauls (*):					120				119				120				110

TABLE 7 (cont.).- Yellowtail flounder length distribution. Estimated numbers per haul mean catch. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011. Indet. means indeterminate. 1995-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Mendoña* series. 2002-2011 data are original R/V *Vizconde de Eza* data. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. (*) indicates untransformed data.

Length (cm.)	2008				2009				2010				2011				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total													
4	0.000	0.000	0.054	0.054	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
6	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.050	0.050	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
8	0.013	0.000	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.000	0.057	0.057	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
10	0.039	0.000	0.037	0.076	0.000	0.155	0.000	0.155	0.302	0.302	0.000	0.605	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
12	0.184	0.183	0.000	0.367	0.000	0.063	0.370	0.433	1.243	0.364	0.000	1.607	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
14	0.238	0.331	0.054	0.624	0.000	0.096	0.000	0.096	0.387	0.400	0.000	0.787	0.077	0.013	0.000	0.090	
16	0.741	0.964	0.000	1.705	0.920	0.498	0.000	1.418	0.489	0.107	0.000	0.596	0.698	0.627	0.000	1.324	
18	2.364	2.973	0.000	5.337	2.260	1.452	0.000	3.712	1.276	0.982	0.000	2.259	2.421	2.221	0.000	4.642	
20	7.593	6.160	0.000	13.753	4.032	3.251	0.000	7.283	3.363	2.601	0.000	5.964	2.628	3.051	0.000	5.678	
22	11.867	13.532	0.000	25.399	11.271	7.825	0.000	19.096	6.263	8.252	0.000	14.515	2.412	2.282	0.000	4.694	
24	18.209	18.285	0.000	36.495	15.826	15.693	0.000	31.518	19.027	15.268	0.000	34.295	8.451	5.504	0.000	13.954	
26	23.627	25.866	0.000	49.493	28.577	26.217	0.000	54.793	44.312	25.334	0.000	69.646	25.580	14.079	0.000	39.659	
28	37.293	23.056	0.000	60.349	38.271	24.052	0.000	62.323	60.163	45.618	0.000	105.781	52.525	34.993	0.000	87.517	
30	67.815	22.281	0.000	90.096	59.751	26.094	0.000	85.844	86.814	52.865	0.000	139.679	70.813	52.249	0.000	123.062	
32	73.491	42.910	0.000	116.401	73.655	42.701	0.000	116.356	92.461	52.351	0.000	144.811	80.108	53.396	0.000	133.504	
34	38.260	59.348	0.000	97.609	44.085	74.201	0.000	118.285	40.660	66.701	0.000	107.361	44.691	75.990	0.000	120.681	
36	9.789	54.190	0.000	63.979	13.976	81.708	0.000	95.684	9.675	70.786	0.000	80.461	12.199	76.297	0.000	88.496	
38	2.389	37.201	0.000	39.590	4.267	54.934	0.000	59.200	1.757	41.724	0.000	43.481	2.488	53.131	0.000	55.619	
40	0.914	16.185	0.000	17.099	0.983	22.221	0.000	23.203	0.631	18.241	0.000	18.872	0.618	32.793	0.000	33.411	
42	0.288	6.719	0.000	7.007	0.103	11.373	0.000	11.476	0.000	8.403	0.000	8.403	0.124	15.014	0.000	15.138	
44	0.000	3.120	0.000	3.120	0.039	4.532	0.000	4.571	0.000	1.785	0.000	1.785	0.083	2.984	0.000	3.067	
46	0.000	1.097	0.000	1.097	0.000	1.183	0.000	1.183	0.000	1.496	0.000	1.496	0.000	1.351	0.000	1.351	
48	0.000	0.616	0.000	0.616	0.000	0.173	0.000	0.173	0.000	0.341	0.000	0.341	0.000	0.404	0.000	0.404	
50	0.000	0.077	0.000	0.077	0.000	0.460	0.000	0.460	0.000	0.034	0.000	0.034	0.000	0.045	0.000	0.045	
52	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.139	0.000	0.139	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
54	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
56	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Total	295.113	335.096	0.145	630.355	298.014	398.879	0.477	697.369	368.825	414.092	0.000	782.917	305.915	426.422	0.000	732.337	
Nº samples (*):					50				38				36				50
Nº Ind. (*):	4795	5147	3	9945	3969	4682	5	8656	3085	3615	0	6700	5500	6259	0	11759	
Sampled catch:					2759				2604				1805				3535
Range (*):					5-51				7-50				10-52				15-50
Total catch:					14697				16201				12449				20193
Total hauls (*):					122				109				95				122

TABLE 8.- Redfish mean catch (kg) and SD by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1997-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1997-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduña* series, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1997		a 1998		1999		2000		2001		2002		2003		2004	
	Redfish Mean	Redfish SD	Redfish Mean catch	Redfish SD	Redfish Mean	Redfish SD	Redfish Mean	Redfish SD	Redfish Mean catch	Redfish SD						
353	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.03	0.052	0.00	0.000
354	0.14	0.202	438.34	759.219	5.34	6.425	0.02	0.033	60.03	101.794	0.46	0.768	0.00	0.000	48.27	83.338
355	1.80	1.334	480.45	351.492	1082.06	1440.398	886.53	626.406	161.20	145.381	246.50	46.103	425.05	8.980	336.45	14.779
356	7.60	1.212	1139.44	1071.610	2684.53	2762.311	1274.17	484.645	1069.10	766.645	397.15	375.969	252.98	85.532	759.93	64.523
357	25.36	23.238	23.72	24.085	76.52	69.991	802.95	-	60.30	2.263	49.65	26.941	125.85	80.964	511.45	555.291
358	1.73	2.382	17.10	28.548	59.42	88.506	1358.82	2353.545	3.96	2.070	3.60	2.088	181.05	226.985	143.27	91.983
359	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.04	0.076	0.10	0.194	30.02	78.721	0.57	1.013	0.07	0.154	1.17	2.841
360	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.017	0.00	0.000	0.25	1.118	0.06	0.213	0.00	0.013	0.36	1.588
374	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
375	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
376	0.01	0.037	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
377	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.56	0.788	0.20	0.283	0.00	0.000	1.60	2.263	0.61	0.863	0.00	0.000
378	1.71	2.425	0.43	0.606	1.53	0.715	2.29	0.808	0.86	1.061	2.05	1.202	3.41	3.946	150.50	202.091
379	20.31	10.054	11.14	4.068	31.66	26.024	70.72	100.016	30.15	36.699	18.35	12.233	20.88	14.177	135.50	-
380	0.09	0.024	1.37	0.323	5.77	6.466	0.00	0.000	2.29	1.859	1.17	1.174	1.61	0.841	149.70	160.372
381	0.09	0.121	0.00	0.000	0.03	0.044	0.00	0.000	0.11	0.000	0.15	0.212	0.10	0.096	0.85	0.919
382	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.10	0.200	0.06	0.089	0.46	0.626	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
721	169.96	217.567	143.53	125.798	2152.90	1622.771	3120.12	1232.202	466.20	229.103	43.75	20.860	105.00	38.042	274.85	201.738
722	17.28	4.793	18.77	12.568	63.92	70.759	271.74	384.305	55.00	2.121	5.80	6.134	28.11	38.311	26.71	30.533
723	37.49	22.226	107.33	120.343	418.90	326.761	1655.39	2341.070	202.75	207.112	131.50	61.518	161.65	151.109	610.30	381.131
724	22.49	17.740	64.64	72.173	140.87	183.788	628.93	889.439	4295.90	6925.13	238.00	239.992	94.50	85.418	88.58	98.818
725	46.54	14.362	17.77	-	2579.77	3537.230	12.57	17.781	37.34	14.09	51.80	9.758	51.20	62.515	163.50	27.294
726	n.s.	n.s.	2298.69	3221.013	194.45	27.600	0.00	0.000	107.85	57.07	39.80	14.566	0.05	0.064	117.51	153.265
727	3.83	-	11.77	6.870	30.23	10.749	5.56	5.072	5.80	1.50	3.61	5.077	31.33	13.824	63.65	7.990
728	35.84	2.982	61.35	19.438	108.18	35.723	0.00	0.000	61.09	47.52	19.50	27.577	82.75	13.506	10.03	1.075
752	7.63	8.688	168.19	171.260	236.17	164.431	0.00	0.000	26.40	35.16	9.15	12.940	43.95	47.023	2.55	0.308
753	0.17	0.242	0.94	0.113	7.26	10.264	0.00	0.000	1.66	2.02	0.22	0.304	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
754	0.19	0.330	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	1.33	1.226	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
755	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
756	4.29	-	8.57	1.863	439.22	575.003	0.00	0.000	39.40	51.76	20.23	26.828	3.32	3.910	1.50	2.114
757	0.00	0.000	1.39	1.964	85.64	77.710	0.00	0.000	0.69	0.97	66.45	92.843	8.30	11.738	0.00	0.000
758	0.00	0.000	0.03	0.040	0.35	0.065	1.75	1.026	0.00	0.00	9.05	10.819	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
759	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	2.83	4.001	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.071	0.00	-	0.00	0.000
760	162.94	-	43.80	34.147	214.45	303.282	11.09	15.679	99.10	132.23	3.85	5.445	12.92	14.828	3.38	1.945
761	0.29	0.286	4.43	3.673	0.00	0.000	0.43	0.614	4.75	6.72	11.60	14.001	0.00	0.000	0.55	0.778
762	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	17.09	24.166	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.00	4.91	6.350	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
763	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	115.73	231.455	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.13	0.233
764	1.34	1.899	0.00	0.000	0.05	0.069	0.00	0.000	14.86	20.28	1.05	1.485	5.51	1.047	0.00	0.000
765	0.00	0.000	13.83	19.559	0.00	0.000	5.14	7.274	1.62	1.24	9.25	13.081	0.00	-	0.00	0.000
766	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.80	1.131	0.00	0.000	0.48	0.678	0.00	0.000
767	n.s.	n.s.	0.11	0.152	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.03	0.046	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000

TABLE 8 (cont.).- Redfish mean catch (kg) and SD by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1997-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1997-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Mendoña* series, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	2005		2006		2007		2008		2009		2010		2011	
	Redfish Mean catch	Redfish SD												
353	0.04	0.069		1.25	2.034		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.196		0.00	0.000
354	21.34	36.380		79.99	134.667		9.95	2.685		0.73	1.270		2.67	3.866
355	658.00	495.406		1427.34	1241.630		1023.66	498.312		604.35	633.073		851.40	56.003
356	1048.51	471.506		1124.70	216.509		951.50	924.189		421.60	498.652		1109.75	350.371
357	3120.47	2946.698		1533.90	1417.891		845.49	1296.007		277.50	136.472		12944.66	6837.525
358	520.71	755.878		821.37	1252.774		1269.76	921.602		1073.07	575.908		4709.51	3691.878
359	1.00	2.044		2.24	5.002		0.54	1.417		0.34	0.500		0.42	1.083
360	0.08	0.202		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.20	0.678		0.20	0.883
374	0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
375	0.00	0.000		0.73	1.270		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
376	0.59	1.780		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.20	0.639		0.00	0.000
377	0.00	0.000		0.49	0.693		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
378	3660.93	4755.328		1392.20	1375.040		31.44	40.814		456.60	152.594		1001.95	1399.435
379	2547.70	158.250		2008.20	692.682		4428.25	851.003		2794.83	3845.706		12745.33	5943.473
380	390.27	417.709		411.35	334.815		362.40	204.920		392.21	190.623		21.74	24.374
381	2.02	0.339		6.91	1.916		0.46	0.628		1.61	1.894		0.08	0.093
382	0.41	0.825		0.11	0.224		0.58	1.168		0.76	1.525		0.00	0.000
721	242.29	145.261		108.10	86.833		168.60	-		52.45	26.375		3197.60	4102.634
722	52.17	68.893		1.98	2.008		2.61	2.594		8.88	8.881		2.58	0.177
723	1141.00	1389.323		595.46	249.694		206.75	171.615		215.73	57.947		9914.19	12350.058
724	83.20	11.738		17.41	23.922		174.75	179.959		164.85	27.082		173.01	122.605
725	414.15	306.955		500.75	663.195		504.10	269.973		285.92	98.458		398.45	69.367
726	72.20	-		72.73	63.958		119.15	69.933		100.00	98.995		301.95	427.022
727	18.00	2.263		11.70	8.910		9.47	10.621		14.42	1.011		279.10	-
728	73.50	-		6.53	1.803		8.90	5.370		7.44	0.233		30.65	7.990
752	0.17	0.233		0.63	0.884		0.51	0.725		2.06	1.771		6.16	8.704
753	0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		-	n.s.
754	0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
755	0.00	0.000		0.08	0.144		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	-
756	1.20	1.697		0.28	0.396		9.65	13.647		18.49	24.770		4.05	5.728
757	0.72	1.011		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.09	0.115		0.20	0.283
758	0.00	0.000		1.13	1.591		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
759	0.18	0.247		0.37	0.516		n.s.	n.s.		0.00	0.000		0.00	-
760	22.26	1.633		24.90	21.927		5.53	5.996		0.61	0.028		7.96	0.007
761	0.37	0.516		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
762	0.00	0.000		0.25	0.346		n.s.	n.s.		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000
763	0.43	0.751		0.00	0.000		n.s.	n.s.		0.68	0.302		n.s.	n.s.
764	1.70	0.612		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.61	-
765	0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		0.00	0.000		n.s.	n.s.
766	1.10	0.962		0.00	0.000		n.s.	n.s.		0.11	0.151		0.00	0.000
767	0.00	-		0.00	0.000		n.s.	n.s.		0.00	0.000		n.s.	n.s.

TABLE 9.- Stratified mean catches (Kg) by stratum and year and SD by year of redfish (1997-2011). n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1997-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduiña* series. 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
353	0	0	0	0	0	0	8	0	11	337	0	0	30	0	0
354	35	107830	1314	5	14767	114	0	11874	5250	19678	2448	180	656	7208	144533
355	133	35554	80073	65603	11929	18241	31454	24897	48692	105623	75751	44722	63004	390912	144800
356	357	53554	126173	59886	50248	18666	11890	35716	49280	52861	44721	19815	52158	405775	456046
357	4158	3890	12550	131683	9889	8143	20639	83878	511757	251560	138660	45510	2122924	403055	183778
358	389	3848	13369	305734	891	810	40736	32235	117161	184808	285696	241440	1059641	1805472	3018774
359	0	0	18	41	12639	239	31	493	419	941	226	144	178	363160	127882
360	0	0	11	0	696	168	9	988	225	0	0	551	550	133	0
374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
375	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	199	0	0	0	0	0
376	19	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	782	0	0	269	0	0	14
377	0	0	56	20	0	160	61	0	0	49	0	0	0	0	0
378	238	60	213	318	120	285	474	20920	508869	193516	4370	63467	139271	180624	751782
379	2153	1181	3356	7497	3196	1945	2213	14363	270056	212869	469395	296251	1351005	791052	65182
380	8	132	554	0	384	112	154	14371	37465	39490	34790	37652	2087	254937	425125
381	12	0	5	0	29	22	15	122	291	994	66	232	12	32	4759
382	0	0	0	34	38	157	0	0	141	38	200	262	0	0	0
721	11047	9329	139939	202808	30303	2844	6825	17865	15749	7027	10959	3409	207844	9552	50148
722	1451	1577	5369	22827	4620	487	2361	2244	4382	166	220	746	216	266	482
723	5811	16636	64930	256585	31426	20383	25056	94597	176855	92296	32046	33437	1536699	115835	212761
724	2789	8015	17468	77987	532692	29512	11718	10983	10317	2159	21669	20441	21453	15553	9133
725	4886	1866	270876	1320	4998	5439	5375	17168	43486	52579	52931	30022	41837	133536	12371
726	n.s.	165506	14000	0	9587	2866	3	8460	5198	5236	8579	7200	21740	18799	3290
727	368	1130	2902	534	974	347	3007	6110	1728	1123	909	1384	26794	6077	4133
728	2795	4785	8438	0	8338	1521	6455	782	5733	509	694	580	2391	2090	325
752	999	22033	30938	0	6052	1199	5757	334	22	82	67	270	806	253	111
753	24	129	1002	0	400	30	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0
754	34	0	0	0	0	240	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
755	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	32	0	0	0	0	0
756	433	866	44361	0	4085	2043	335	151	121	28	975	1867	409	90	10
757	0	142	8735	0	122	6778	847	0	73	0	0	9	20	0	0
758	0	3	35	174	0	896	0	0	0	111	0	0	0	0	0
759	n.s.	0	359	0	0	6	0	0	22	46	n.s.	0	0	0	0
760	25093	6746	33026	1707	15261	593	1989	520	3427	3834	852	94	1225	343	1585
761	49	758	0	74	812	1984	0	94	62	0	0	0	0	0	0
762	0	0	3623	0	0	1041	0	0	0	52	n.s.	0	0	0	0
763	n.s.	0	0	30205	0	0	0	35	113	0	n.s.	178	n.s.	n.s.	184
764	134	0	5	0	1486	105	551	0	170	0	0	0	61	n.s.	291
765	0	1715	0	638	236	1147	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
766	0	0	0	0	202	0	69	0	158	0	n.s.	15	0	0	0
767	0	17	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	n.s.	n.s.	0
TOTAL	63418	447300	883699	1165680	756419	128525	178032	399201	1818016	1228243	1186222	850149	6653012	4904753	5617498
\bar{Y}	6.79	43.25	85.45	112.71	73.14	12.43	17.21	38.60	175.79	118.76	125.66	82.20	670.46	506.43	543.17
S.D.	1.15	19.50	29.56	40.03	48.13	2.60	3.55	8.05	58.86	27.83	20.19	29.14	172.93	81.06	124.68

TABLE 10.- Survey estimates (by the swept area method) of redfish biomass (t) and SD by stratum and year in NAFO Div. 3NO. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. 1997-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduña* series. 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

Stratum	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
353	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	27	0	0	3	0	0
354	3	9080	121	0	1313	10	0	1033	447	1623	202	16	58	641	12568
355	11	3214	7001	5643	994	1544	2750	2177	4328	8535	6313	4043	5420	34178	12456
356	32	4841	11032	5323	4187	1606	1057	3229	4239	4405	3727	1677	4560	36069	39873
357	376	324	1062	10641	812	679	1805	7334	44022	20641	11555	3915	365234	35827	16336
358	35	331	1150	26878	77	70	3621	2930	10078	15897	23322	20995	93155	160486	262502
359	0	0	2	3	1102	21	3	44	36	77	18	13	18	30907	11103
360	0	0	1	0	57	15	1	86	19	0	0	47	48	11	0
374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
375	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	16	0	0	0	0	0
376	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	67	0	0	24	0	0	1
377	0	0	5	2	0	14	5	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0
378	23	5	19	27	10	25	42	1860	45233	16126	376	5289	12177	16055	62648
379	209	99	284	666	279	170	193	1161	22862	18021	39116	25902	118121	69163	5892
380	1	12	47	0	21	10	13	1299	3276	3453	2899	3347	182	21582	37169
381	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	11	25	87	5	20	1	3	409
382	0	0	0	3	2	14	0	0	12	3	17	23	0	0	0
721	999	921	11482	17169	2450	245	607	1615	1377	595	943	303	18172	849	4384
722	136	148	469	2099	397	41	213	206	377	14	20	72	19	24	43
723	553	1431	5677	20734	2619	1753	2191	8271	15213	7813	2671	2972	136596	10296	19564
724	248	777	1553	6709	45323	2623	1042	1028	917	186	1864	1848	1845	1360	786
725	474	216	23683	126	337	483	470	1526	3681	4523	4705	2625	3658	11487	1031
726	n.s.	16049	1244	0	637	268	0	752	462	465	750	640	1901	1617	292
727	39	97	246	51	49	30	277	526	151	100	76	125	2382	506	367
728	262	464	726	0	417	133	574	87	527	45	62	52	209	174	28
752	92	1926	2661	0	329	105	503	31	2	7	6	25	70	21	9
753	2	12	88	0	21	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0
754	3	0	0	0	0	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
755	n.s.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0
756	40	77	3943	0	348	179	30	14	10	2	87	172	36	8	1
757	0	14	751	0	6	602	77	0	6	0	0	1	2	0	0
758	0	0	3	17	0	80	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0
759	n.s.	0	33	0	0	1	0	0	2	4	n.s.	0	0	0	0
760	2390	631	2936	163	1334	52	183	47	300	341	73	8	107	30	148
761	5	73	0	7	72	176	0	9	6	0	0	0	0	0	0
762	0	0	345	0	0	93	0	0	0	4	n.s.	0	0	0	0
763	n.s.	0	0	2903	0	0	0	3	10	0	n.s.	17	n.s.	n.s.	16
764	13	0	0	0	124	9	50	0	15	0	0	0	5	n.s.	26
765	0	163	0	63	18	97	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
766	0	0	0	0	11	0	6	0	14	0	n.s.	1	0	0	0
767	n.s.	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	n.s.	n.s.	0
TOTAL	5947	40909	76564	99226	63350	11172	15714	35275	157716	103029	98805	74172	763980	431296	487655
S.D.	988	20512	27740	33453	41460	2374	3224	7332	52646	23332	15893	26168	145765	69575	107982

TABLE 11.- Mean catch per tow (kg) and biomass by the swept area method (t) of redfish and SD by Division and year in NAFO Div. 3NO. 1997-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Mendumá* series. 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. The final row shows the percentage of biomass in 3N respect to the total biomass.

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
3N	Biomass	4753	22540	46459	68928	53855	7620	11031	27016	146918	87830	87602	68059	735743	359536	418305
	SD	353	17632	25022	33109	41371	2106	3199	7174	52267	22675	15364	25890	143334	58306	99454
	MCPT	6.14	26.32	58.78	90.12	71.16	9.624	13.83	33.95	187.61	115.4	124.8	86.51	721.67	473.94	533.85
	SD	0.465	18.33	30.08	45.16	55	2.614	4.045	9.056	67.31	30.96	22.09	33.12	194.48	76.53	132.71
	Nº Strata	27	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	31	28	31	30	29	31
3O	Biomass	1194	18369	30105	30298	9494	3552	4684	8259	10797	15199	11203	6113	28238	71760	69350
	SD	922	10490	12129	6073	2702	1117	369.4	1326	2728	5279	3362	3258	16762	37821	41858
	MCPT	11.41	159.9	269.2	268.3	86.8	31.74	40.55	70.63	94.349	141.6	132.9	52.55	280.98	772.76	607.40
	SD	8.677	87.87	107	54.27	24.47	9.778	3.103	11.68	24.188	52.04	39.93	28.27	163.87	402.81	362.85
	Nº Strata	9	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	10	8	10	9	8	10
3N/Total (%)	Biomass	80	55	61	69	85	68	70	77	93	85	89	92	96	83	86

TABLE 12.- Length weight relationships used for the calculation of redfish biomass. The equation is $Weight = a(l + 0.5)^b$. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1997-2011. To calculate the parameters for the indeterminate individuals, total number of individuals (males + females + indeterminate individuals) was used. E means Error.

		1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Males	a	0.0111 $E = 0.3722$	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	0.0066 $E = 0.3003$	n.d. n.d.	0.0204 $E = 0.2048$	0.0119 $E = 0.1119$	0.0079 $E = 0.1549$	0.0107 $E = 0.1094$	0.0296 $E = 0.1458$	0.0131 $E = 0.1337$	0.0152 $E = 0.1044$	0.0093 $E = 0.1059$	0.0129 $E = 0.0784$	0.0115 $E = 0.1013$
	b	3.0152 $E = 0.1116$	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	3.2102 $E = 0.0950$	n.d. n.d.	2.8433 $E = 0.0647$	3.0127 $E = 0.0350$	3.1334 $E = 0.0489$	3.0481 $E = 0.0338$	2.7477 $E = 0.0456$	2.9972 $E = 0.0428$	2.9429 $E = 0.0315$	3.0825 $E = 0.0341$	3.0017 $E = 0.0248$	3.0459 $E = 0.0311$
		$R^2 = 0.991$ N=19	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	$R^2 = 0.992$ N=26	n.d. n.d.	$R^2 = 0.987$ N=181	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=417	$R^2 = 0.993$ N=203	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=281	$R^2 = 0.992$ N=336	$R^2 = 0.993$ N=562	$R^2 = 0.997$ N=348	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=272	$R^2 = 0.998$ N=282	$R^2 = 0.997$ N=524
Females	a	0.0061 $E = 1.0881$	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	0.0083 $E = 0.2467$	n.d. n.d.	0.0085 $E = 0.1346$	0.0096 $E = 0.1162$	0.0141 $E = 0.1282$	0.0071 $E = 0.1279$	0.0199 $E = 0.2300$	0.0175 $E = 0.1358$	0.0125 $E = 0.1539$	0.0121 $E = 0.1250$	0.0140 $E = 0.0892$	0.0131 $E = 0.1267$
	b	3.2127 $E = 0.3318$	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	3.1406 $E = 0.0773$	n.d. n.d.	3.1207 $E = 0.0415$	3.0731 $E = 0.0363$	2.9742 $E = 0.0389$	3.1823 $E = 0.0397$	2.8736 $E = 0.0707$	2.9166 $E = 0.0430$	3.0167 $E = 0.0456$	3.0134 $E = 0.0389$	2.9864 $E = 0.0275$	3.0103 $E = 0.0386$
		$R^2 = 0.949$ N=21	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	$R^2 = 0.993$ N=24	n.d. n.d.	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=190	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=401	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=258	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=316	$R^2 = 0.981$ N=361	$R^2 = 0.993$ N=563	$R^2 = 0.993$ N=410	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=258	$R^2 = 0.998$ N=298	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=588
Indet.	a	0.0110 $E = 0.4972$	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	0.0070 $E = 0.1240$	n.d. n.d.	0.0079 $E = 0.1031$	0.0087 $E = 0.1063$	0.0065 $E = 0.1368$	0.0063 $E = 0.1138$	0.0155 $E = 0.1350$	0.0116 $E = 0.1405$	0.0054 $E = 0.1191$	0.0083 $E = 0.1427$	0.0105 $E = 0.0668$	0.0047 $E = 0.1154$
	b	3.0254 $E = 0.1487$	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	3.1921 $E = 0.0386$	n.d. n.d.	3.1371 $E = 0.0326$	3.1045 $E = 0.0347$	3.1996 $E = 0.0437$	3.2109 $E = 0.0361$	2.9410 $E = 0.0433$	3.0378 $E = 0.0451$	3.2553 $E = 0.0369$	3.1239 $E = 0.0460$	3.0657 $E = 0.0217$	3.3079 $E = 0.0368$
		$R^2 = 0.979$ N=40	n.d. n.d.	n.d. n.d.	$R^2 = 0.998$ N=50	n.d. n.d.	$R^2 = 0.997$ N=374	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=844	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=466	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=616	$R^2 = 0.992$ N=781	$R^2 = 0.992$ N=1126	$R^2 = 0.996$ N=770	$R^2 = 0.992$ N=532	$R^2 = 0.998$ N=585	$R^2 = 0.995$ N=1235

TABLE 13.- Redfish length distribution per haul mean catches by sex and year. Number per stratified mean catches. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 1997-2011. Indet. means indeterminate. 1997-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Mendutia* series. 2002-2011 data are original R/V *Vizconde de Eza* data. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. (*) indicates untransformed data.

Length (cm.)	1997				1998				1999				2000				2001					
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total		
4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
6	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.09	0.00	0.64	0.73			
8	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.37	0.37	0.24	0.00	0.00	0.24	0.07	0.14	0.25	0.46		
10	0.00	0.19	0.00	0.19	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.19	0.00	0.02	0.21	0.55	0.00	0.00	0.55	0.13	0.11	0.09	0.33		
12	0.02	0.04	0.00	0.06	0.04	0.01	0.01	0.06	1.95	0.73	0.00	2.68	11.08	0.37	0.00	11.45	1.11	0.25	0.13	1.50		
14	0.49	0.33	0.00	0.82	0.81	0.55	0.01	1.37	3.07	1.42	0.00	4.49	26.02	2.71	0.00	28.72	3.07	0.71	0.00	3.78		
16	0.95	0.62	0.00	1.57	3.58	2.25	0.00	5.84	14.14	9.65	0.00	23.79	45.21	15.70	0.00	60.90	7.26	3.30	0.00	10.56		
18	3.05	1.34	0.00	4.39	3.96	2.59	0.00	6.55	25.60	16.12	0.00	41.72	95.96	65.99	0.00	161.96	30.28	11.13	0.00	41.40		
20	6.77	3.98	0.00	10.75	28.66	15.41	0.00	44.07	103.94	26.87	0.00	130.81	124.02	69.84	0.00	193.86	80.85	52.39	0.00	133.24		
22	3.85	2.55	0.00	6.40	38.56	40.19	0.00	78.75	92.11	54.35	0.00	146.46	164.14	62.06	0.00	226.21	93.06	29.59	0.00	122.65		
24	1.60	1.55	0.00	3.15	17.12	27.57	0.00	44.69	22.12	48.20	0.00	70.32	44.64	74.52	0.00	119.16	54.15	26.85	0.00	81.00		
26	1.52	1.00	0.00	2.52	7.70	14.57	0.00	22.26	11.79	22.41	0.00	34.20	5.08	26.07	0.00	31.15	5.52	25.61	0.00	31.14		
28	0.86	0.64	0.00	1.50	4.15	6.01	0.00	10.16	6.48	10.95	0.00	17.42	0.96	5.88	0.00	6.84	1.11	4.95	0.00	6.06		
30	1.24	1.24	0.00	2.48	1.29	2.31	0.00	3.60	4.54	5.02	0.00	9.57	0.12	2.66	0.00	2.77	1.23	1.73	0.00	2.97		
32	1.52	1.03	0.00	2.54	1.26	1.94	0.00	3.20	2.67	3.13	0.00	5.80	0.26	0.58	0.00	0.84	0.91	1.08	0.00	1.99		
34	0.22	0.19	0.00	0.42	0.54	0.59	0.00	1.13	0.45	1.46	0.00	1.91	0.04	0.40	0.00	0.44	0.34	0.62	0.00	0.96		
36	0.10	0.05	0.00	0.15	0.19	0.06	0.00	0.25	0.15	0.26	0.00	0.41	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.21	0.35	0.00	0.56		
38	0.17	0.12	0.00	0.29	0.29	0.01	0.00	0.30	0.27	0.25	0.00	0.52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.02	0.00	0.05		
40	0.02	0.07	0.00	0.10	0.14	0.03	0.00	0.17	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.01	0.00	0.05		
42	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.00	0.00	0.10	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
44	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		
Total	22.38	14.94	0.00	37.32	108.36	114.09	0.02	222.47	289.50	200.84	0.39	490.73	518.31	326.79	0.00	845.10	279.45	158.85	1.10	439.41		
Nº samples (*):					19				23				48				21				36	
Nº Ind. (*):	1165	696	0	1861	1591	1451	2	3044	3291	2607	17	5915	2169	1499	0	3668	2651	1831	104	4586		
Sampled catch:					370				544				1403				578				798	
Range (*):					11-45				12-42				8-45				9-37				6-42	
Total catch:					1791				18553				37339				37160				17897	
Total hauls (*):					128				124				114				118				123	

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Length (cm.)	2002				2003				2004				2005				2006				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	
4	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6	0.01	0.00	0.82	0.83	0.00	0.00	0.50	0.49	0.00	0.00	1.84	1.84	0.00	0.00	1.30	1.30	0.00	0.00	1.93	1.93	
8	0.01	0.00	0.15	0.16	0.04	0.01	0.14	0.19	0.10	0.01	15.44	15.54	0.03	0.02	13.80	13.84	0.10	0.00	7.76	7.86	
10	0.02	0.01	0.03	0.07	0.07	0.01	0.09	0.17	0.59	0.49	2.26	3.34	2.31	0.79	65.50	68.60	0.05	0.01	18.81	18.86	
12	0.12	0.01	0.01	0.14	0.08	0.02	0.05	0.14	2.99	1.79	0.04	4.81	2.60	1.09	9.89	13.58	3.83	0.26	144.30	148.38	
14	0.55	0.27	0.00	0.82	0.67	0.30	0.00	0.97	3.19	1.19	0.00	4.38	8.18	3.75	4.72	16.65	33.41	11.93	74.62	119.95	
16	2.83	2.45	0.01	5.28	3.10	1.21	0.00	4.32	7.99	3.33	0.00	11.32	31.54	18.91	0.00	50.45	38.48	22.44	0.30	61.21	
18	8.40	6.60	0.00	15.01	13.57	6.79	0.00	20.37	14.85	8.33	0.00	23.18	127.57	95.83	0.00	223.39	43.87	17.53	0.00	61.340	
20	13.84	9.66	0.00	23.50	20.58	13.56	0.00	34.14	25.35	15.02	0.00	40.38	99.19	82.52	0.00	181.71	101.41	67.58	0.00	168.99	
22	11.57	9.49	0.01	21.07	17.59	11.59	0.00	29.18	29.02	17.42	0.00	46.44	139.42	78.59	0.00	218.00	101.79	64.62	0.00	166.41	
24	4.95	4.36	0.00	9.31	9.45	6.25	0.00	15.70	20.86	11.75	0.00	32.62	118.14	75.20	0.00	193.34	46.04	39.02	0.00	85.05	
26	1.37	1.50	0.00	2.88	3.03	3.06	0.00	6.09	8.07	12.95	0.00	21.03	27.24	64.01	0.00	91.25	20.21	30.96	0.00	51.16	
28	1.35	0.93	0.00	2.27	1.09	1.40	0.00	2.49	4.09	10.93	0.00	15.02	7.48	48.99	0.00	56.47	5.83	19.13	0.00	24.96	
30	0.56	0.97	0.00	1.54	0.60	0.63	0.00	1.23	3.31	5.63	0.00	8.94	4.49	18.60	0.00	23.09	1.81	10.60	0.00	12.42	
32	0.61	0.73	0.00	1.35	0.60	0.64	0.00	1.24	1.01	3.37	0.00	4.38	1.97	8.35	0.00	10.31	0.95	5.80	0.00	6.75	
34	0.19	0.35	0.00	0.54	0.29	0.45	0.00	0.74	0.81	2.09	0.00	2.91	0.96	3.54	0.00	4.49	0.39	2.82	0.00	3.20	
36	0.08	0.16	0.00	0.24	0.12	0.15	0.00	0.27	0.26	0.49	0.00	0.75	2.02	1.15	0.00	3.17	0.22	0.96	0.00	1.17	
38	0.03	0.01	0.00	0.04	0.06	0.08	0.00	0.13	0.06	0.09	0.00	0.15	0.43	0.35	0.00	0.78	0.26	0.18	0.00	0.43	
40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.04	0.05	0.00	0.09	0.04	0.09	0.00	0.14	0.12	0.30	0.00	0.42	0.27	0.07	0.00	0.34	
42	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.04	0.01	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.16	0.00	0.29	0.00	0.08	0.00	0.08	
44	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Total	46.49	37.53	1.05	85.06	71.00	46.21	0.82	118.03	122.61	94.97	19.57	237.15	573.80	502.15	95.21	1171.16	398.90	293.94	247.71	940.55	
Nº samples (*):					58				45				45				55				55
Nº Ind. (*):	2186	1744	157	4087	2854	1968	131	4953	3287	2771	688	6746	3892	3835	1387	9114	3677	3437	1408	8522	
Sampled catch:					685				908				1326				1875				1785
Range (*):					5-43				5-44				6-44				6-45				6-43
Total catch:					2794				3463				7270				28602				21223
Total hauls (*):					125				118				120				119				120

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Length (cm.)	2007				2008				2009				2010				2011				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	
4	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.05	0.05	0.00	0.00	0.03	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.13	0.13	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
6	1.54	0.99	1.93	4.46	0.00	0.00	0.61	0.61	0.01	0.01	0.16	0.18	0.01	0.00	0.10	0.11	0.00	0.00	0.17	0.17	
8	1.96	1.04	0.77	3.77	0.00	0.00	0.24	0.24	0.56	0.21	0.38	1.16	0.02	0.02	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.00	0.16	0.16	
10	0.27	0.35	0.04	0.66	0.18	0.00	0.31	0.49	17.05	1.57	0.28	18.89	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.00	0.07	0.18	0.21	
12	6.39	5.71	0.00	12.10	0.91	0.71	0.08	1.70	22.49	11.62	0.19	34.30	0.02	0.01	0.00	0.02	0.99	0.46	1.29	2.74	
14	39.16	21.85	0.25	61.26	13.34	6.95	0.02	20.30	69.84	31.62	0.17	101.63	0.18	0.00	0.00	0.18	11.86	8.73	7.29	27.88	
16	53.02	34.92	0.02	87.97	97.93	72.09	0.52	170.54	651.96	387.07	0.00	1039.03	108.60	26.76	0.00	135.36	61.61	64.25	0.01	125.86	
18	32.55	26.05	0.00	58.61	58.83	43.38	0.17	102.38	2024.11	1346.78	2.42	3373.31	823.92	542.61	0.00	1366.53	766.59	365.67	0.00	1132.26	
20	38.13	24.72	0.00	62.85	27.02	19.00	0.00	46.02	435.93	536.72	0.00	972.65	610.08	704.42	0.00	1314.50	1215.75	991.60	0.00	2207.35	
22	70.53	41.68	0.00	112.21	54.63	21.27	0.00	75.90	268.64	161.72	0.00	430.36	219.54	214.98	0.00	434.52	219.50	310.02	0.00	529.52	
24	70.39	42.60	0.00	112.99	52.04	37.07	0.00	89.11	188.59	165.00	0.00	353.59	178.21	127.54	0.00	305.74	85.21	73.06	0.00	158.27	
26	28.76	35.64	0.00	64.41	16.62	33.13	0.00	49.75	47.41	126.40	0.00	173.81	51.76	94.47	0.00	146.23	17.26	39.55	0.00	56.81	
28	5.76	26.39	0.00	32.14	2.86	15.00	0.00	17.86	16.11	49.71	0.00	65.82	9.46	49.09	0.00	58.55	4.23	28.84	0.00	33.10	
30	3.99	21.52	0.00	25.51	0.99	5.35	0.00	6.35	4.67	20.09	0.00	24.77	2.31	26.48	0.00	28.78	0.38	17.28	0.00	17.67	
32	6.76	14.42	0.00	21.18	2.18	2.80	0.00	4.98	1.87	4.13	0.00	6.00	1.39	12.16	0.00	13.55	0.46	4.28	0.00	4.74	
34	5.08	7.27	0.00	12.35	1.54	1.83	0.00	3.36	1.65	2.31	0.00	3.96	2.26	5.43	0.00	7.68	0.59	1.46	0.00	2.05	
36	2.25	7.22	0.00	9.47	0.41	0.75	0.00	1.17	3.25	1.32	0.00	4.57	1.10	1.76	0.00	2.87	0.48	0.64	0.00	1.12	
38	1.75	0.99	0.00	2.74	0.23	0.27	0.00	0.49	0.17	0.18	0.00	0.35	0.67	0.78	0.00	1.45	0.20	0.24	0.00	0.43	
40	0.33	0.06	0.00	0.39	0.06	0.14	0.00	0.20	0.08	0.01	0.00	0.09	0.38	0.59	0.00	0.96	0.11	0.03	0.00	0.14	
42	0.07	0.04	0.00	0.11	0.02	0.05	0.00	0.07	0.09	0.02	0.00	0.11	0.00	0.24	0.00	0.24	0.00	0.04	0.00	0.04	
44	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.02	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.03	0.01	0.00	0.03	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.20	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	
46	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
48	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
50	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
52	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	
Total	368.68	313.47	3.01	685.16	329.78	259.80	2.00	591.59	3754.48	2846.50	3.64	6604.62	2009.91	1807.52	0.23	3817.65	2385.24	1906.21	9.10	4300.55	
Nº samples (*):					42				52				39				42				44
Nº Ind. (*):	3413	3162	341	6916	3445	3398	128	6971	3418	2763	68	6249	2796	2841	32	5669	3845	3633	241	7719	
Sampled catch:					1378				1453				1034				1265				1524
Range (*):					6-44				5-52				5-44				5-45				6-45
Total catch:					22229				14874				99847				82169				95569
Total hauls (*):					110				122				109				95				122

TABLE 14.- Witch flounder mean catch (kg) and SD by stratum. Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 2002-2011. Swept area in square miles. n.s. means stratum not surveyed.
Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

Stratum	2002		2003		2004		2005		2006		2007		2008		2009		2010		2011	
	W. floun Mean catch	W. floun SD																		
353	3.92	2.388	0.67	0.594	14.77	10.078	7.18	5.484	18.12	6.882	3.01	2.943	8.17	4.454	0.36	0.308	39.92	28.256	2.41	1.948
354	6.84	3.430	30.64	45.156	23.66	7.764	39.60	33.678	10.31	3.889	6.28	3.484	7.52	2.293	12.07	9.067	4.96	2.360	5.13	4.970
355	68.20	70.145	36.30	19.516	7.39	3.203	5.47	0.523	2.80	0.990	1.75	1.583	2.07	1.436	5.58	1.308	2.20	1.672	3.29	0.305
356	25.75	21.991	78.36	70.916	8.12	8.522	6.95	6.258	3.49	0.283	1.23	0.011	0.73	1.030	4.12	5.208	0.74	0.081	0.51	0.346
357	0.00	0.000	17.37	20.273	9.67	9.493	1.69	0.269	2.29	2.529	0.91	0.925	3.23	0.908	2.89	3.660	1.33	1.882	1.99	1.534
358	2.67	4.193	5.48	7.206	6.03	5.033	9.34	9.033	3.25	2.119	7.56	7.204	11.24	6.353	4.16	2.878	9.24	4.757	3.06	1.637
359	0.72	0.937	1.72	2.181	10.75	21.045	1.22	1.432	6.05	8.945	1.57	1.710	11.77	30.662	1.69	2.561	2.18	3.385	4.28	3.667
360	0.16	0.480	0.31	0.673	2.48	4.330	1.91	3.772	4.49	11.280	1.03	2.314	1.08	2.843	0.00	0.000	3.11	8.671	1.19	3.597
374	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
375	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
376	0.03	0.106	0.00	0.000	0.27	0.608	0.27	0.551	0.37	0.934	0.06	0.180	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
377	0.11	0.161	0.00	0.000	0.59	0.834	0.00	0.003	0.47	0.113	0.00	0.000	0.21	0.297	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
378	0.00	0.001	0.00	0.000	0.65	0.924	0.00	0.000	0.22	0.308	0.45	0.636	0.77	0.127	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
379	1.27	1.796	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.34	0.474	0.12	0.170	0.17	0.235	0.45	0.636	0.65	0.919	0.73	0.636	0.18	0.260
380	0.21	0.293	0.00	0.000	0.35	0.496	0.14	0.170	0.16	0.217	0.20	0.272	0.00	0.000	0.05	0.056	0.92	1.294	0.22	0.302
381	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.38	0.530	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	1.81	0.566
382	0.00	0.005	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.15	0.305	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
721	7.10	1.273	15.05	7.778	2.97	1.472	1.90	1.277	1.30	1.842	1.28	-	0.38	0.534	11.32	11.990	3.19	2.857	2.01	1.840
722	3.75	4.173	11.29	10.076	2.82	1.643	6.24	5.035	0.46	0.320	2.62	0.297	2.40	0.135	3.26	3.118	1.98	1.183	0.72	0.612
723	1.88	2.432	7.80	11.031	4.06	0.344	1.80	2.547	6.34	2.583	2.83	0.593	3.34	4.405	5.75	2.616	11.45	1.937	5.93	2.877
724	5.10	1.697	12.05	4.031	19.21	18.661	6.05	7.000	3.71	0.021	24.15	11.526	19.99	1.110	15.65	18.272	10.10	6.086	8.23	7.436
725	0.60	0.587	0.20	0.277	18.54	25.286	7.50	6.576	3.69	3.007	6.40	4.729	1.75	2.468	4.94	2.920	3.18	3.239	2.09	1.021
726	2.75	3.889	0.00	0.000	10.03	9.285	4.30	-	3.41	2.534	7.36	3.922	5.59	3.386	64.76	75.604	5.78	1.003	7.45	5.556
727	0.00	0.000	0.01	0.010	4.93	0.247	3.51	0.069	0.67	0.578	1.54	1.223	6.11	3.175	3.42	-	11.71	9.080	3.55	3.910
728	1.14	1.612	5.37	3.288	2.13	3.012	1.12	-	1.18	1.029	9.65	13.011	1.55	0.310	11.28	8.111	21.82	16.518	8.07	3.577
752	0.40	0.559	5.16	3.479	0.34	0.474	0.01	0.007	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.74	1.039	0.22	0.317	1.29	1.829	0.22	1.829
753	0.73	1.025	0.30	0.424	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	-	n.s.	n.s.	1.06	1.499	
754	0.18	0.255	0.16	0.219	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	
755	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	-	0.00	0.000
756	1.09	1.534	4.40	4.462	3.50	4.950	2.85	4.036	3.49	2.770	4.52	6.385	8.26	1.921	17.15	21.072	25.45	10.901	7.74	4.111
757	5.50	1.131	1.70	1.146	0.00	0.003	0.00	0.003	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	2.52	3.564	3.91	5.532	1.73	2.447
758	0.20	0.283	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.69	0.975	0.00	0.000
759	0.75	1.061	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000
760	9.93	9.157	18.85	9.970	9.13	1.598	16.56	2.128	7.62	0.403	12.81	11.584	16.61	7.396	13.95	4.596	3.50	0.367	8.66	7.101
761	18.70	17.961	5.98	8.089	1.48	2.086	5.25	7.425	6.75	9.117	0.09	0.120	0.00	0.000	1.09	1.536	9.75	13.782	5.58	7.069
762	0.00	0.000	4.65	6.576	7.75	10.960	4.37	6.180	0.75	1.054	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	1.06	1.496	0.00	0.000
763	0.00	0.000	0.00	0.000	0.56	0.973	0.01	0.009	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.07	0.128	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000
764	1.90	0.849	9.55	8.139	5.96	3.359	1.86	2.627	2.03	0.778	2.47	0.904	1.47	0.332	0.6440	-	n.s.	n.s.	1.35	0.383
765	17.50	24.042	26.22	-	3.92	3.083	4.82	2.425	3.35	0.076	6.22	0.396	3.52	3.615	3.38	1.824	1.81	0.479	0.68	0.598
766	0.30	0.424	0.22	0.311	3.87	1.881	5.41	7.651	5.41	5.435	n.s.	n.s.	0.68	0.955	0.71	1.010	0.83	1.174	0.35	0.495
767	0.05	0.071	0.26	0.362	0.00	0.000	0.00	-	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	n.s.	0.00	0.000

TABLE 15.- Stratified mean catches (Kg) by stratum and year and SD by year of witch flounder (2002-2011) n.s. means stratum not surveyed.
Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

Stratum	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
353	1053.14	180.23	3972.50	1930.52	4873.38	809.69	2198.27	95.58	10738.48	647.03
354	1681.82	7538.10	5819.70	9741.60	2536.92	1544.06	1850.99	2970.04	1220.41	1263.05
355	5046.80	2686.20	546.49	404.78	207.20	129.43	153.22	412.55	162.95	243.79
356	1210.25	3682.69	381.83	326.42	164.03	57.72	34.22	193.52	34.57	23.74
357	0.00	2847.86	1586.29	277.16	375.48	149.73	530.38	474.29	218.20	325.54
358	600.00	1232.25	1356.00	2102.25	730.50	1700.25	2528.78	935.40	2078.10	688.95
359	302.00	724.30	4524.79	514.94	2545.47	659.35	4954.63	710.44	917.22	1803.20
360	437.49	850.21	6905.46	5306.49	12483.95	2871.78	2999.24	0.00	8657.12	3318.59
374	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
375	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
376	44.82	0.00	354.84	362.85	489.18	76.04	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
377	11.40	0.00	59.00	0.20	47.00	0.00	21.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
378	0.07	0.00	90.84	0.00	30.30	62.55	107.03	0.00	0.00	0.00
379	134.62	0.00	0.00	35.51	12.72	17.65	47.70	68.90	77.38	19.50
380	19.87	0.00	33.70	13.39	15.02	18.86	0.00	4.46	87.84	20.88
381	0.00	0.00	0.00	54.00	0.00	0.00	0.07	0.00	0.00	260.64
382	0.91	0.00	0.00	52.31	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
721	461.50	978.25	193.31	123.37	84.66	83.20	24.54	735.93	207.32	130.85
722	314.96	947.94	236.75	524.16	38.98	220.08	201.56	273.42	166.36	60.27
723	291.40	1209.00	629.77	279.16	983.24	438.81	516.93	891.25	1774.75	918.45
724	632.40	1494.20	2381.42	750.20	459.42	2994.60	2478.14	1940.60	1251.97	1020.27
725	62.48	20.58	1946.70	787.50	386.93	672.42	183.23	518.18	333.74	219.35
726	198.00	0.00	722.48	309.60	245.41	530.14	402.19	4662.72	416.23	536.47
727	0.00	0.67	472.80	337.06	64.51	147.36	586.08	328.32	1124.11	340.32
728	88.92	418.47	166.14	87.36	92.24	752.70	120.94	879.45	1701.96	629.54
752	51.75	675.96	43.89	0.66	0.00	0.00	0.00	96.29	29.34	169.58
753	100.05	41.40	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	n.s.	146.28
754	32.40	27.90	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
755	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
756	109.59	443.90	353.50	288.25	352.59	456.02	834.41	1732.15	2570.30	782.04
757	561.00	173.40	0.20	0.20	0.00	0.00	0.00	257.04	399.02	176.46
758	19.80	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	68.26	0.00
759	95.25	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	n.s.	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00
760	1528.45	2902.90	1406.02	2549.47	1172.71	1972.59	2557.94	2148.30	538.92	1333.79
761	3197.70	1022.58	252.23	897.75	1154.85	14.54	0.00	185.71	1666.40	953.92
762	0.00	985.80	1643.00	926.44	157.94	n.s.	0.00	0.00	224.30	0.00
763	0.00	0.00	146.68	1.31	0.00	n.s.	19.23	n.s.	n.s.	0.00
764	190.00	954.50	595.50	186.25	203.00	246.90	147.45	64.40	n.s.	135.10
765	2170.00	3251.28	486.08	597.06	415.46	771.28	436.98	419.12	224.32	84.44
766	43.20	31.68	557.28	779.04	778.61	n.s.	97.20	102.82	119.52	50.40
767	7.90	40.45	0.00	0.00	0.00	n.s.	0.00	n.s.	n.s.	0.00
TOTAL	20700	35363	37865	30547	31102	17398	24032	21101	37009	16302
\bar{Y}	2.00	3.42	3.66	2.95	3.01	1.84	2.32	2.13	3.82	1.58
S.D.	0.49	0.75	0.56	0.56	0.73	0.28	0.52	0.48	0.91	0.28

TABLE 16.- Survey estimates (by the swept area method) of which flounder biomass (t) and SD by stratum and year in NAFO Div. 3NO. n.s. means stratum not surveyed. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza* 2002-2011.

Stratum	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
353	88	16	353	164	394	67	193	8	955	56
354	142	670	506	829	209	127	161	264	108	110
355	427	235	48	36	17	11	14	35	14	21
356	104	327	35	28	14	5	3	17	3	2
357	0	249	139	24	31	12	46	82	19	29
358	52	110	123	181	63	139	220	82	185	60
359	26	64	400	44	209	54	434	42	78	157
360	38	75	598	456	1014	242	256	0	745	280
374	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
375	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
376	4	0	30	31	40	6	0	0	0	0
377	1	0	5	0	4	0	2	0	0	0
378	0	0	8	0	3	5	9	0	0	0
379	12	0	0	3	1	1	4	6	7	2
380	2	0	3	1	1	2	0	0	7	2
381	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	22
382	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
721	40	87	17	11	7	7	2	64	18	11
722	27	86	22	45	3	20	20	24	15	5
723	25	106	55	24	83	37	46	79	158	84
724	56	133	223	67	40	258	224	167	109	88
725	6	2	173	67	33	60	16	45	29	18
726	19	0	64	28	22	46	36	408	36	48
727	0	0	41	29	6	12	53	29	94	30
728	8	37	18	8	8	67	11	77	142	55
752	5	59	4	0	0	0	0	8	2	14
753	9	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	n.s.	13
754	3	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
755	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
756	10	40	33	25	31	41	77	154	228	76
757	50	16	0	0	0	0	0	22	36	15
758	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	6	0
759	8	0	0	0	0	n.s.	0	0	0	0
760	134	267	127	223	104	170	227	188	48	125
761	284	91	23	81	99	1	0	17	146	81
762	0	88	141	82	14	n.s.	0	0	20	0
763	0	0	13	0	0	n.s.	2	n.s.	n.s.	0
764	16	86	52	16	17	22	13	6	n.s.	12
765	184	289	43	52	35	69	41	37	20	8
766	4	3	50	68	68	n.s.	9	9	11	4
767	1	4	0	0	0	n.s.	0	n.s.	n.s.	0
TOTAL	1784	3145	3348	2633	2570	1480	2118	1872	3239	1428
S.D.	426	690	523	488	629	229	481	423	777	248

$$Weight = a(l + 0.5)^b$$

TABLE 17.- Length weight relationships used for the calculation of witch flounder biomass. The equation is Spanish Spring Surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 2002-2011

		2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2011
Males	a	0.0010 E = 0.1560	0.0016 E = 0.1086	0.0023 E = 0.2776	0.0022 E = 0.1856	0.0066 E = 0.4366	0.0013 E = 0.1351	0.0010 E = 0.1775	0.0015 E = 0.2014	0.0025 E = 0.1923	0.0015 E= 0.2368
	b	3.4929 E = 0.0440	3.3691 E = 0.0318	3.2798 E = 0.0809	3.2876 E = 0.0574	2.9782 E = 0.1313	3.4493 E = 0.0400	3.5092 E = 0.0515	3.3979 E = 0.0595	3.2594 E = 0.0562	3.4047 E = 0.0681
		R ² = 0.996 N=196	R ² = 0.997 N=284	R ² = 0.982 N=254	R ² = 0.991 N=198	R ² = 0.941 N=255	R ² = 0.997 N= 206	R ² = 0.994 N= 186	R ² = 0.991 N= 163	R ² = 0.992 N= 193	R ² = 0.991 N= 180
Females	a	0.0008 E = 0.1576	0.0017 E = 0.1149	0.0018 E = 0.2106	0.0014 E = 0.1542	0.0015 E = 0.1898	0.0006 E = 0.2700	0.0016 E = 0.1032	0.0011 E = 0.1242	0.0016 E = 0.2761	0.0015 E = 0.1470
	b	3.5660 E = 0.0446	3.3552 E = 0.0332	3.3483 E = 0.0589	3.4245 E = 0.0456	3.3950 E = 0.0552	3.6648 E = 0.0769	3.3855 E = 0.0291	3.4793 E = 0.0356	3.3859 E = 0.0779	3.4128 E = 0.0418
		R ² = 0.994 N=258	R ² = 0.996 N=376	R ² = 0.988 N=344	R ² = 0.992 N=289	R ² = 0.989 N=370	R ² = 0.984 N= 343	R ² = 0.997 N= 355	R ² = 0.997 N= 232	R ² = 0.983 N= 327	R ² = 0.995 N= 344
Indet.	a	0.0008 E = 0.1673	0.0017 E = 0.0787	0.0019 E = 0.1527	0.0015 E = 0.1330	0.0025 E = 0.1837	0.0013 E = 0.1605	0.0012 E = 0.0928	0.0049 E = 0.4298	0.0022 E = 0.2230	0.0016 E = 0.1040
	b	3.5570 E = 0.0493	3.3650 E = 0.0228	3.3502 E = 0.0441	3.4104 E = 0.0400	3.2651 E = 0.0543	3.4524 E = 0.0461	3.4525 E = 0.0269	3.0599 E = 0.1269	3.3019 E = 0.0641	3.3887 E = 0.0333
		R ² = 0.992 N=522	R ² = 0.998 N=666	R ² = 0.992 N=607	R ² = 0.994 N=546	R ² = 0.988 N=632	R ² = 0.993 N= 555	R ² = 0.997 N= 546	R ² = 0.940 N= 397	R ² = 0.986 N= 520	R ² = 0.997 N= 529

TABLE 18.- Witch flounder length distribution per haul mean catches by sex and year. Number per stratified mean catches. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 2002-2011 Indet. means indeterminate. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

Length (cm.)	2002				2003				2004				2005				2006				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	Males	Females	Indet.	Total	
4	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.002	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
6	0.000	0.000	0.125	0.125	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.016	0.016	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
8	0.000	0.006	0.329	0.335	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.166	0.166	0.117	0.097	0.287	0.501	0.005	0.000	0.016	0.021	
10	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.003	0.010	0.019	0.000	0.028	0.000	0.000	0.039	0.039	0.055	0.089	0.200	0.344	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
12	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.006	0.056	0.125	0.057	0.238	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.044	0.036	0.063	0.143	0.028	0.029	0.006	0.062	
14	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.007	0.015	0.061	0.000	0.077	0.011	0.002	0.000	0.013	0.217	0.118	0.024	0.360	0.115	0.101	0.014	0.231	
16	0.000	0.011	0.000	0.011	0.008	0.012	0.000	0.019	0.020	0.045	0.000	0.065	0.029	0.042	0.000	0.072	0.072	0.091	0.004	0.166	
18	0.000	0.014	0.000	0.014	0.011	0.015	0.000	0.026	0.061	0.056	0.000	0.116	0.024	0.031	0.015	0.070	0.072	0.078	0.000	0.150	
20	0.014	0.011	0.000	0.025	0.006	0.012	0.000	0.018	0.073	0.082	0.000	0.155	0.045	0.045	0.000	0.090	0.021	0.022	0.000	0.043	
22	0.062	0.011	0.000	0.074	0.020	0.025	0.000	0.045	0.034	0.031	0.000	0.065	0.067	0.090	0.000	0.158	0.035	0.029	0.000	0.065	
24	0.040	0.078	0.000	0.118	0.095	0.059	0.000	0.155	0.033	0.015	0.000	0.048	0.066	0.081	0.000	0.147	0.061	0.052	0.000	0.112	
26	0.074	0.176	0.000	0.251	0.225	0.240	0.000	0.465	0.121	0.087	0.000	0.208	0.172	0.144	0.000	0.316	0.068	0.041	0.000	0.109	
28	0.219	0.217	0.000	0.436	0.374	0.496	0.000	0.870	0.224	0.278	0.000	0.502	0.361	0.226	0.000	0.587	0.175	0.236	0.000	0.410	
30	0.240	0.256	0.000	0.496	0.580	0.772	0.000	1.352	0.373	0.543	0.000	0.916	0.474	0.507	0.000	0.981	0.304	0.324	0.000	0.627	
32	0.302	0.370	0.000	0.672	0.572	0.493	0.000	1.065	0.629	0.624	0.000	1.253	0.570	0.525	0.000	1.095	0.414	0.338	0.000	0.752	
34	0.399	0.382	0.000	0.780	0.495	0.480	0.000	0.975	0.635	0.800	0.000	1.435	0.626	0.510	0.000	1.136	0.331	0.305	0.000	0.636	
36	0.388	0.387	0.000	0.775	0.455	0.482	0.000	0.936	0.599	0.643	0.000	1.243	0.491	0.658	0.000	1.149	0.484	0.391	0.000	0.875	
38	0.344	0.361	0.000	0.706	0.571	0.629	0.000	1.200	0.726	0.695	0.000	1.420	0.401	0.559	0.000	0.960	0.518	0.395	0.000	0.913	
40	0.213	0.292	0.000	0.505	0.446	0.452	0.000	0.898	0.322	0.577	0.000	0.899	0.236	0.483	0.000	0.718	0.438	0.625	0.000	1.063	
42	0.198	0.331	0.000	0.528	0.283	0.486	0.000	0.769	0.172	0.511	0.000	0.683	0.113	0.560	0.000	0.673	0.179	0.719	0.000	0.898	
44	0.083	0.224	0.000	0.307	0.181	0.407	0.000	0.589	0.086	0.448	0.000	0.534	0.050	0.374	0.000	0.424	0.046	0.556	0.000	0.602	
46	0.017	0.130	0.000	0.147	0.040	0.227	0.000	0.267	0.037	0.290	0.000	0.327	0.000	0.162	0.000	0.162	0.014	0.432	0.000	0.446	
48	0.002	0.117	0.000	0.119	0.044	0.158	0.000	0.201	0.028	0.194	0.000	0.222	0.000	0.104	0.000	0.104	0.000	0.088	0.000	0.088	
50	0.000	0.035	0.000	0.035	0.013	0.084	0.000	0.097	0.000	0.081	0.000	0.081	0.000	0.065	0.000	0.065	0.000	0.037	0.000	0.037	
52	0.000	0.029	0.000	0.029	0.000	0.082	0.000	0.082	0.000	0.020	0.000	0.020	0.000	0.030	0.000	0.030	0.005	0.009	0.000	0.014	
54	0.006	0.007	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.027	0.000	0.035	0.000	0.035	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.004	
56	0.000	0.022	0.000	0.022	0.000	0.021	0.000	0.021	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.006	0.000	0.006	0.000	0.008	0.000	0.008	
58	0.000	0.010	0.000	0.010	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.025	0.000	0.025	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.014	0.000	0.014	
60	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.013	0.000	0.013	
62	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
64	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Total	2.602	3.488	0.459	6.548	4.499	5.864	0.057	10.420	4.182	6.088	0.211	10.480	4.160	5.570	0.605	10.336	3.384	4.937	0.040	8.360	
Nº samples:					55				52				65				68				69
Nº Ind.:	469	604	69	1142	721	891	7	1619	631	925	45	1601	550	751	106	1407	420	634	9	1063	
Sampled catch:					344				560				517				362				351
Range:					6-58				10-57				7-59				5-61				8-60
Total catch:					403				626				517				394				352
Total hauls:					125				118				120				119				120

TABLE 18 (cont.).- Witch flounder length distribution per haul mean catches by sex and year. Number per stratified mean catches. Spanish Spring Survey on NAFO 3NO: 2002-2011 Indet. means indeterminate. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

Length (cm.)	2007				2008				2009				2010				2011				
	Males	Females	Indet.	Total																	
4	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
6	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.006	0.000	0.000	0.013	0.013	0.000	0.000	0.005	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.000	0.019	0.022	
8	0.014	0.008	0.050	0.072	0.000	0.000	0.010	0.010	0.000	0.000	0.020	0.020	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.003	0.013	0.016
10	0.000	0.000	0.006	0.006	0.000	0.003	0.004	0.007	0.005	0.000	0.002	0.008	0.005	0.004	0.000	0.008	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
12	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.018	0.000	0.000	0.002	0.002	0.018	0.028	0.000	0.046	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
14	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.008	0.000	0.011	0.039	0.021	0.005	0.065	0.015	0.027	0.000	0.042	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.005	
16	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.004	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.020	0.056	0.008	0.084	0.015	0.000	0.000	0.015	0.010	0.025	0.000	0.035	
18	0.006	0.029	0.000	0.035	0.003	0.000	0.000	0.003	0.009	0.037	0.000	0.046	0.004	0.012	0.000	0.016	0.023	0.023	0.000	0.046	
20	0.013	0.020	0.000	0.034	0.018	0.021	0.000	0.039	0.029	0.019	0.000	0.048	0.016	0.011	0.000	0.027	0.003	0.025	0.000	0.028	
22	0.032	0.041	0.000	0.073	0.031	0.032	0.000	0.063	0.034	0.050	0.000	0.084	0.035	0.023	0.000	0.058	0.015	0.006	0.000	0.022	
24	0.069	0.042	0.000	0.111	0.066	0.037	0.000	0.104	0.068	0.138	0.000	0.206	0.016	0.059	0.000	0.074	0.010	0.013	0.000	0.023	
26	0.121	0.050	0.000	0.171	0.063	0.045	0.000	0.108	0.068	0.124	0.000	0.192	0.080	0.061	0.000	0.141	0.020	0.016	0.000	0.036	
28	0.153	0.148	0.000	0.301	0.076	0.124	0.000	0.199	0.206	0.217	0.000	0.422	0.134	0.096	0.000	0.231	0.032	0.047	0.000	0.079	
30	0.187	0.092	0.000	0.278	0.150	0.133	0.000	0.283	0.241	0.263	0.000	0.504	0.171	0.141	0.000	0.312	0.115	0.084	0.000	0.199	
32	0.180	0.220	0.000	0.399	0.155	0.141	0.000	0.295	0.344	0.373	0.000	0.718	0.181	0.234	0.000	0.415	0.186	0.146	0.000	0.332	
34	0.240	0.380	0.000	0.620	0.243	0.283	0.000	0.526	0.324	0.462	0.000	0.785	0.294	0.379	0.000	0.673	0.222	0.205	0.000	0.426	
36	0.336	0.396	0.000	0.732	0.365	0.220	0.000	0.586	0.355	0.432	0.000	0.786	0.775	0.513	0.000	1.288	0.214	0.276	0.000	0.490	
38	0.188	0.420	0.000	0.608	0.367	0.408	0.000	0.775	0.261	0.466	0.000	0.727	0.764	0.778	0.000	1.542	0.235	0.293	0.000	0.528	
40	0.295	0.331	0.000	0.626	0.332	0.368	0.000	0.700	0.174	0.371	0.000	0.545	0.534	0.718	0.000	1.252	0.179	0.308	0.000	0.487	
42	0.090	0.317	0.000	0.407	0.143	0.507	0.000	0.649	0.105	0.361	0.000	0.466	0.349	1.023	0.000	1.371	0.051	0.365	0.000	0.416	
44	0.029	0.257	0.000	0.286	0.035	0.424	0.000	0.459	0.058	0.422	0.000	0.480	0.106	0.505	0.000	0.611	0.009	0.388	0.000	0.397	
46	0.000	0.185	0.000	0.185	0.007	0.282	0.000	0.289	0.009	0.124	0.000	0.134	0.028	0.406	0.000	0.434	0.000	0.171	0.000	0.171	
48	0.000	0.040	0.000	0.040	0.000	0.140	0.000	0.140	0.004	0.105	0.000	0.109	0.000	0.226	0.000	0.226	0.000	0.065	0.000	0.065	
50	0.000	0.039	0.000	0.039	0.004	0.053	0.000	0.056	0.000	0.052	0.000	0.052	0.000	0.125	0.000	0.125	0.000	0.058	0.000	0.058	
52	0.000	0.021	0.000	0.021	0.000	0.082	0.000	0.082	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.033	0.000	0.033	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.007	
54	0.000	0.010	0.000	0.010	0.000	0.024	0.000	0.024	0.000	0.014	0.000	0.014	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.005	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
56	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.012	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.007	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
58	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
60	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.019	0.000	0.019	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
62	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
64	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	0.000	
Total	1.952	3.050	0.061	5.063	2.061	3.384	0.027	5.472	2.352	4.107	0.043	6.502	3.538	5.411	0.000	8.949	1.326	2.529	0.033	3.887	
Nº samples:					56				52				44				48				64
Nº Ind.:	275	450	11	736	315	496	5	816	418	625	12	1055	350	609	0	959	193	377	5	575	
Sampled catch:					256				337				350				399				220
Range:					7-55				7-61				6-55				11-56				7-52
Total catch:					256				343				401				410				235
Total hauls:					110				122				109				95				122

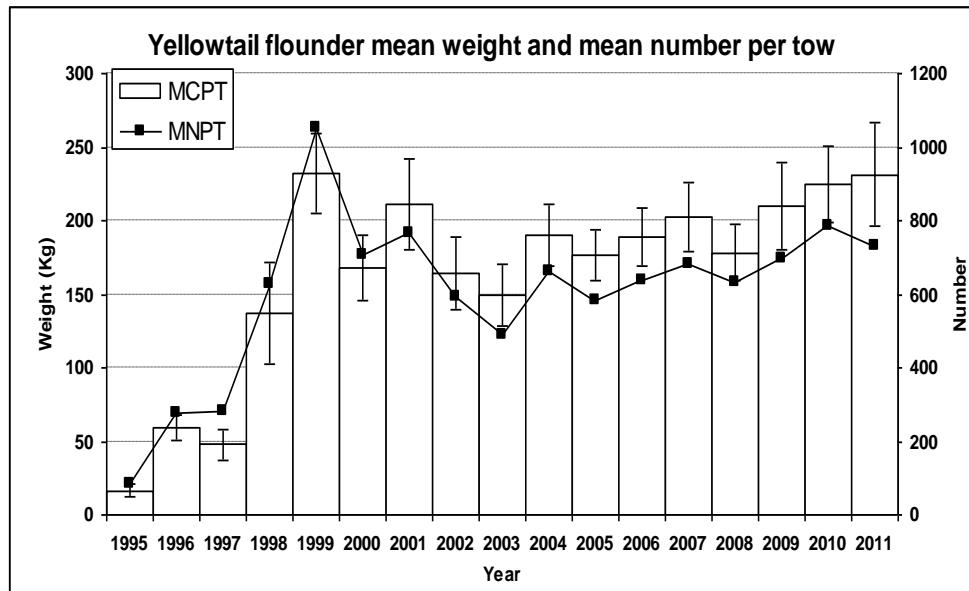


FIGURE 1.- Yellowtail flounder stratified mean catches in Kg and \pm SD by year and mean number by year. Spanish Spring surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011 (1995-2000 transformed data from C/V *Playa de Menduiña*; 2002-2011 original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels).

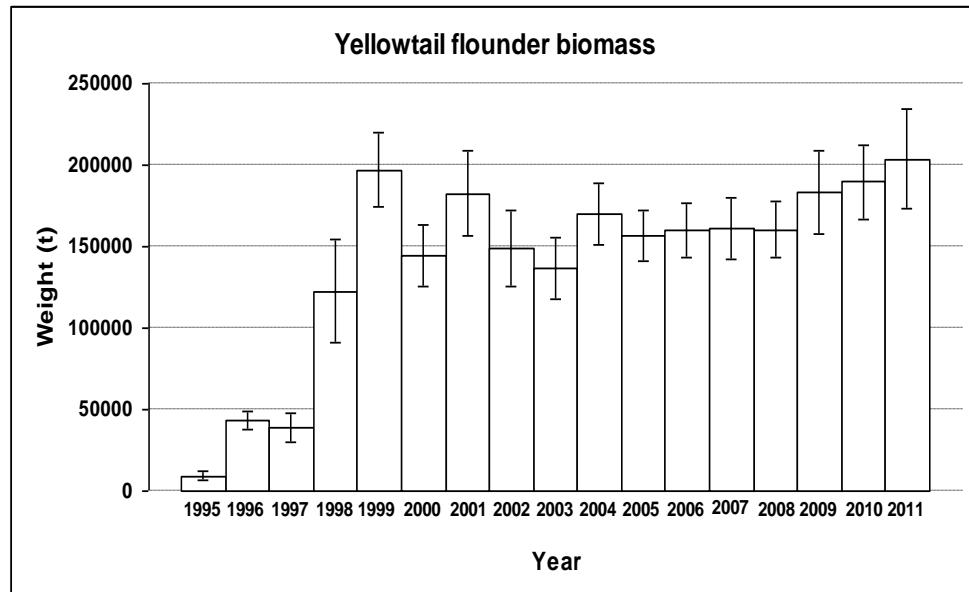


FIGURE 2.- Yellowtail flounder biomass calculated by the swept area method in tons and \pm SD by year. Spanish Spring surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1995-2011 (1995-2000 transformed data from C/V *Playa de Menduiña*; 2002-2011 original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels).

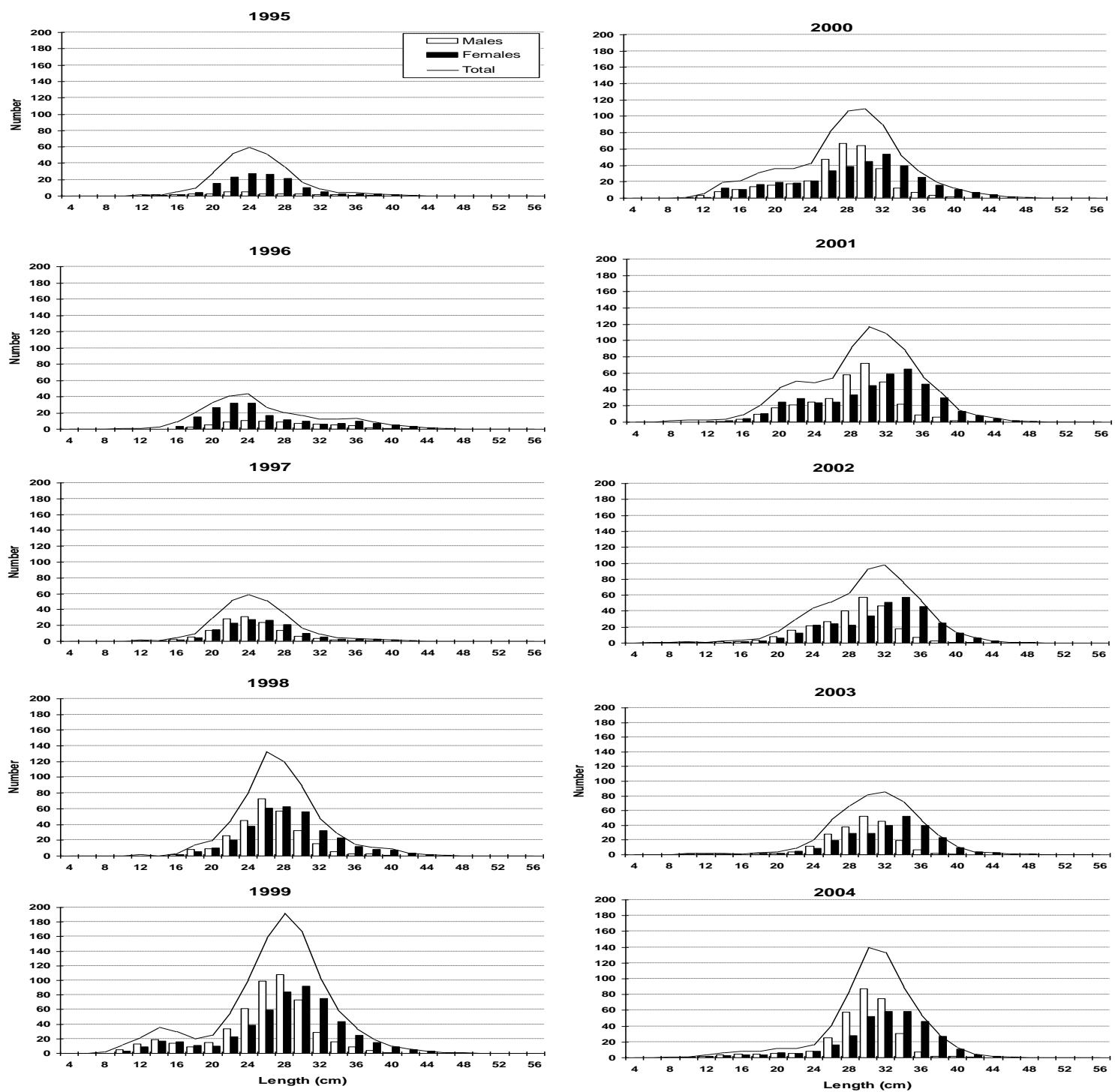


FIGURE 3.- Yellowtail flounder length distribution (cm) on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011. Mean catches per tow number. 1995-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduña* series, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

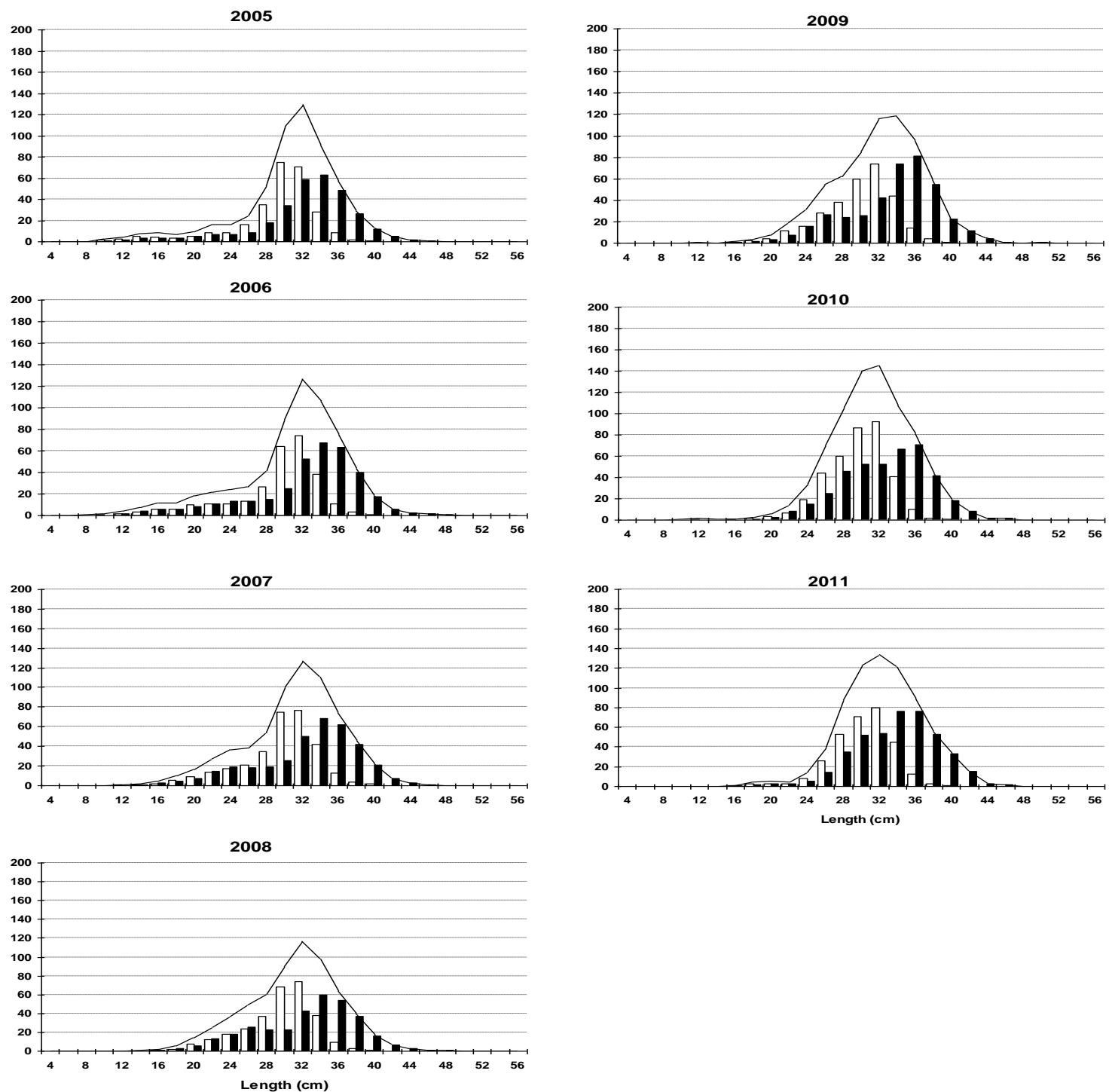


FIGURE 3 (Cont.).- Yellowtail flounder length distribution (cm) on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011. Mean catches per tow number. 1995-2000 data are transformed from C/V *Playa de Menduña* series, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels.

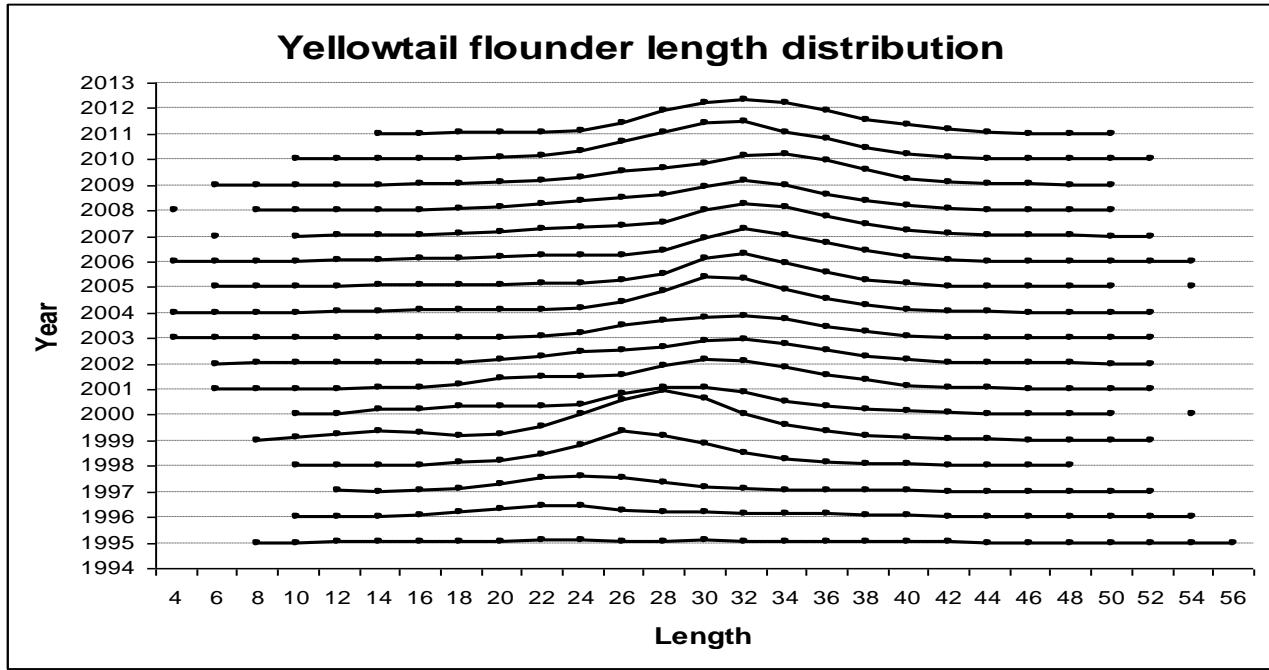


FIGURE 4.- Yellowtail flounder mean catches per tow length distribution (cm) on NAFO 3NO: 1995-2011.

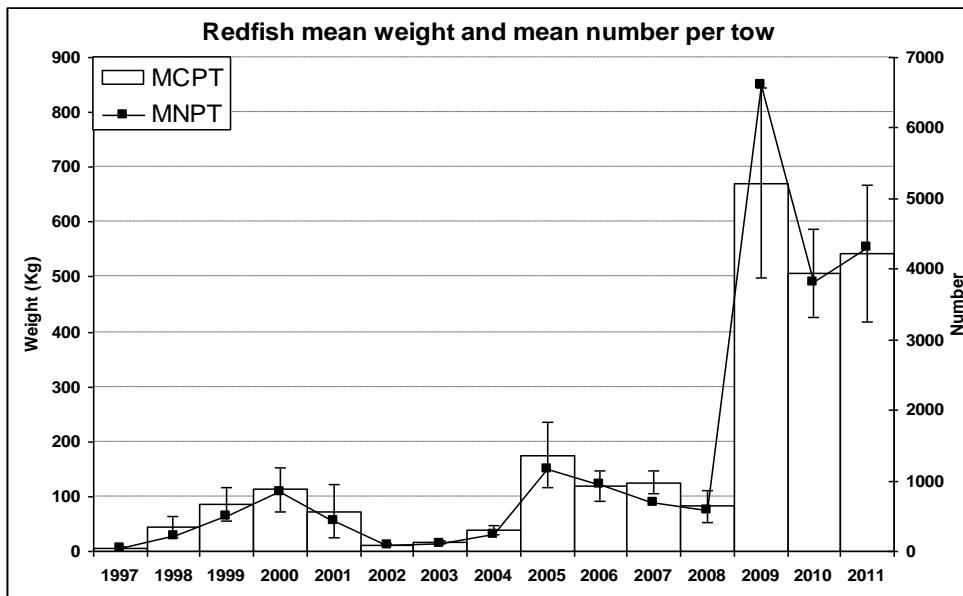


FIGURE 5.- Redfish stratified mean catches in Kg and \pm SD by year and mean number by year. Spanish Spring surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1997-2011 (1997-2000 transformed data from C/V *Playa de Menduña*; 2002-2011 original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels).

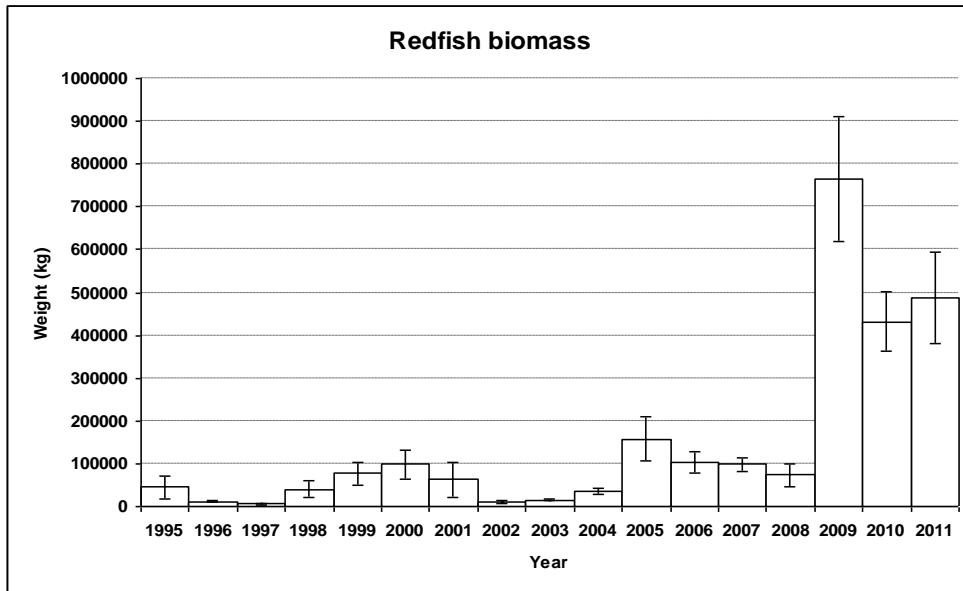


FIGURE 6.- Redfish biomass calculated by the swept area method in tons and \pm SD by year. Spanish Spring surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 1997-2011 (1997-2000 transformed data from C/V *Playa de Menduña*; 2002-2011 original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels).

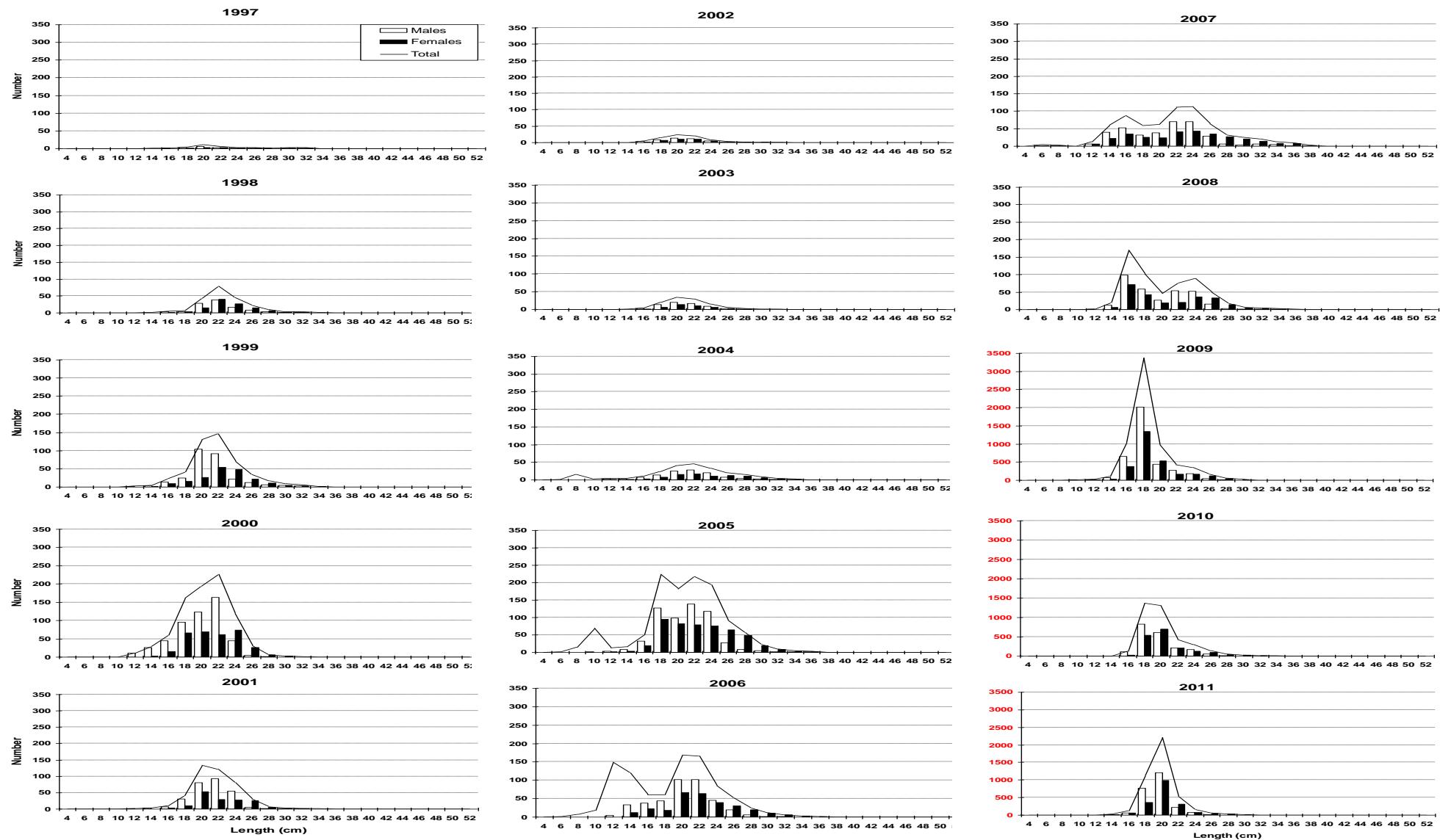


FIGURE 7.- Redfish length distribution (cm) on NAFO 3NO: 1997-2011. Mean catches per tow numbers. 1997-2000 data are transformed data from C/V *Playa de Mendumá*, and 2002-2011 data are original from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*. For 2001 there are data from the two vessels. The 2009-2011 graphs have a different y-axis upper limit.

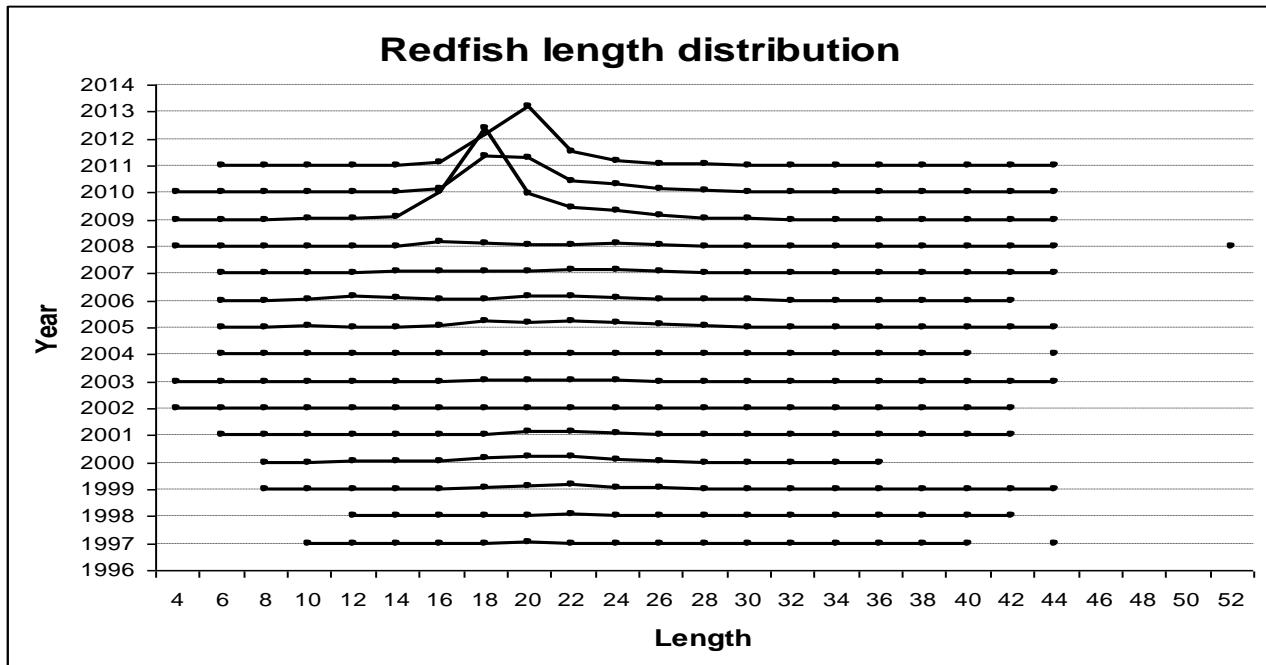


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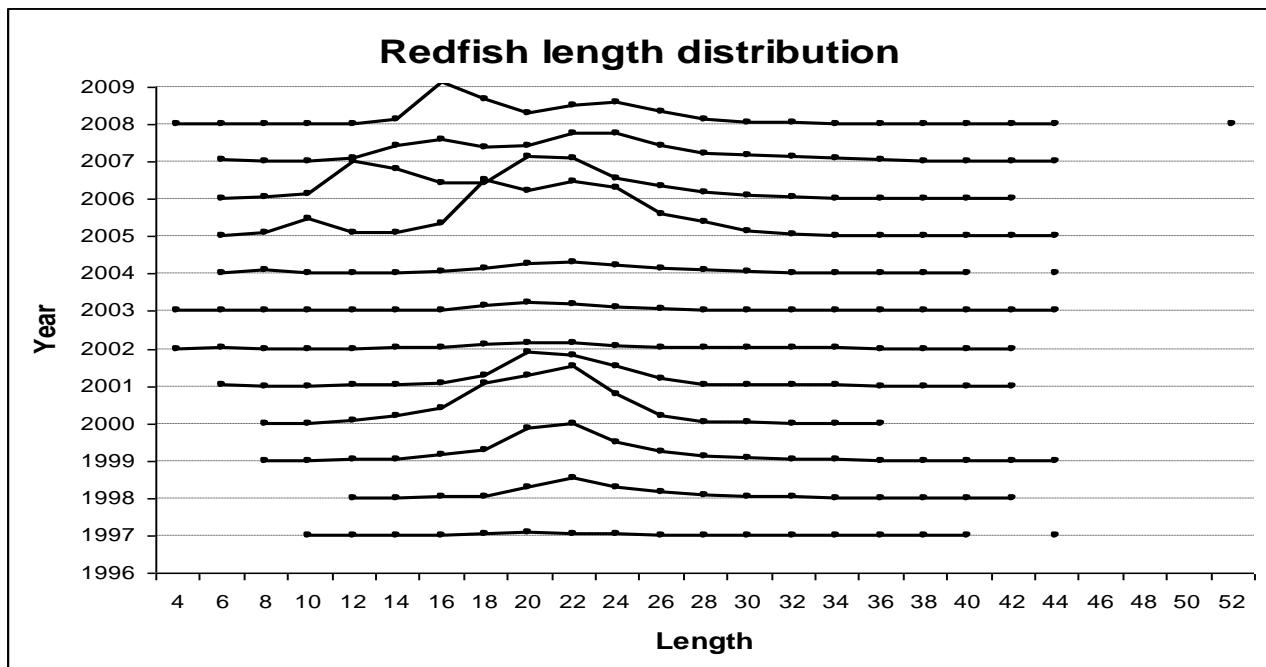


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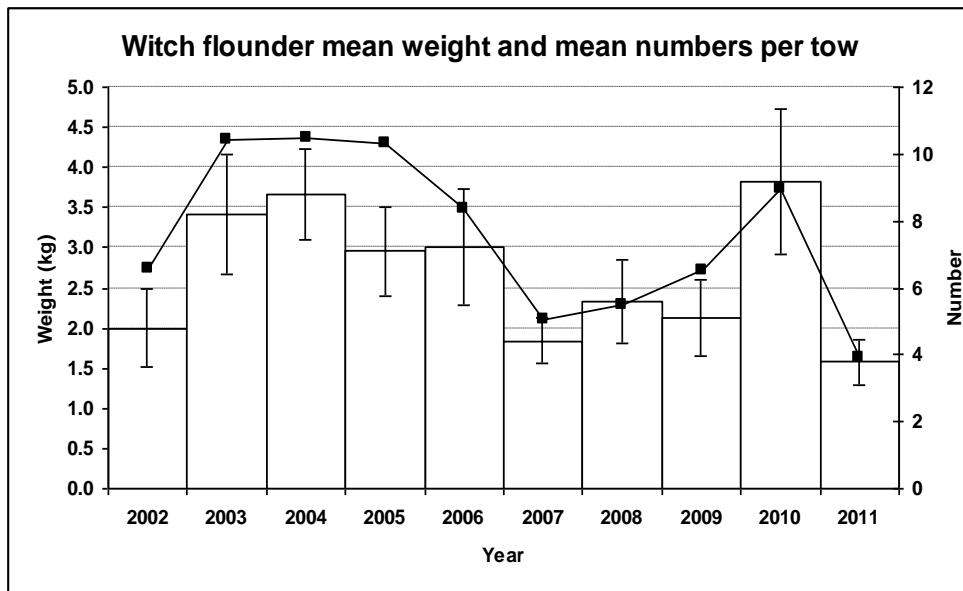


FIGURE 10.- Witch flounder stratified mean catches in Kg and \pm SD by year and mean number by year. Spanish Spring surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 2002-2011. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

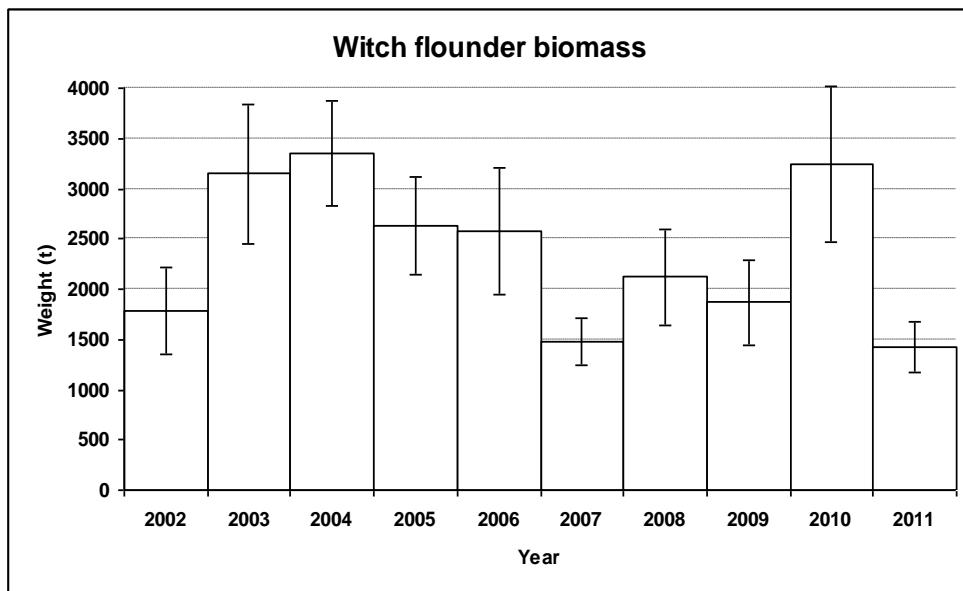


FIGURE 11.- Witch flounder biomass calculated by the swept area method in tons and \pm SD by year. Spanish Spring surveys in NAFO Div. 3NO: 2002-2011. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

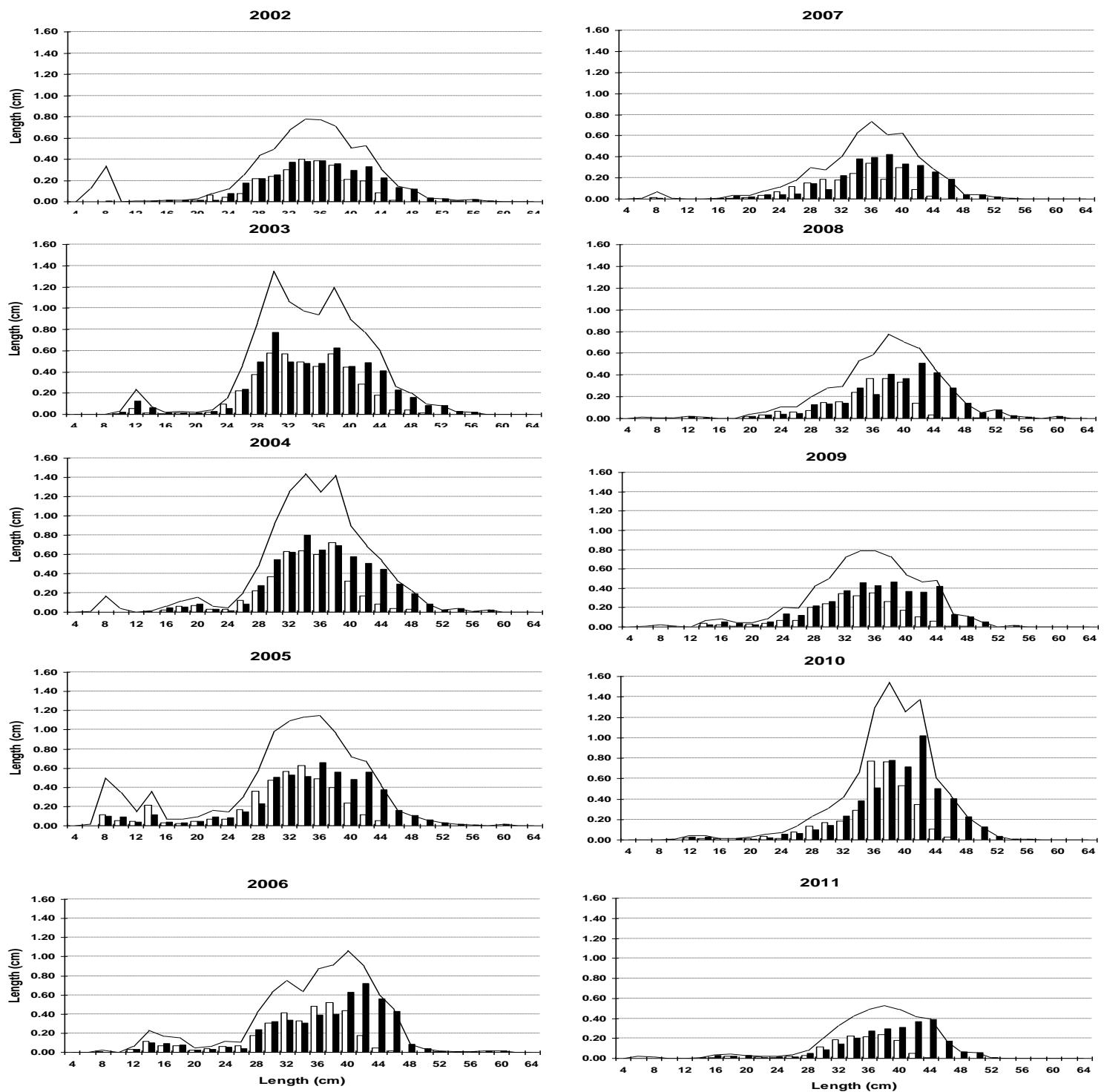


FIGURE 12.- Witch flounder length distribution (cm) on NAFO 3NO: 2002-2011. Mean catches per tow numbers. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.

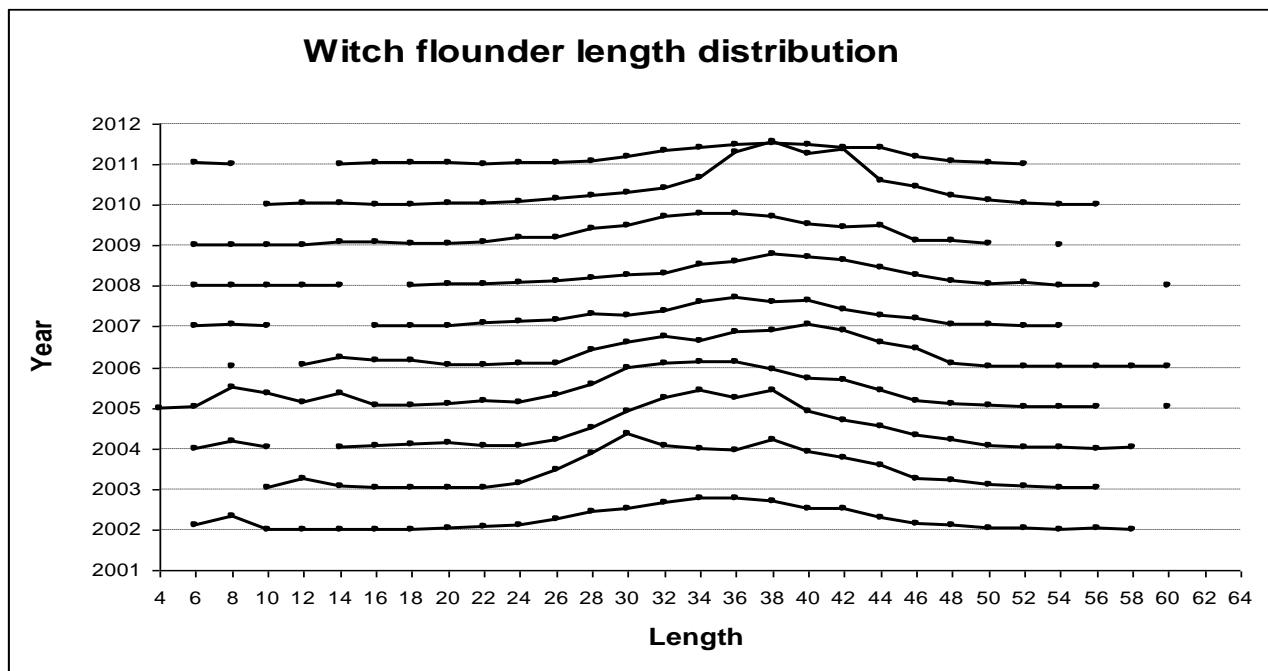


FIGURE 13.- Witch flounder mean catches per tow length distribution (cm) on NAFO 3NO: 2002-2011. Original data from R/V *Vizconde de Eza*.