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to the

Proposal for a Council Regulation

**fixing for 2017 and 2018 the fishing opportunities for Union fishing vessels for certain
deep-sea fish stocks**

The references to fishing zones are references to ICES zones, unless otherwise specified.

PART 1
Definition of species and species groups

1. In the list set out in Part 2 of this Annex, fish stocks are referred to following the alphabetical order of the Latin names of the species; the only exception are deep-sea sharks, which are placed at the beginning of that list. For the purposes of this Regulation, the following comparative table of common names and Latin names is provided:

Common name	Alpha-3 code	Scientific name
Black scabbardfish	BSF	<i>Aphanopus carbo</i>
Alfonsinos	ALF	<i>Beryx spp.</i>
Roundnose grenadier	RNG	<i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i>
Roughhead grenadier	RHG	<i>Macrourus berglax</i>
Red seabream	SBR	<i>Pagellus bogaraveo</i>
Greater Forkbeard	GFB	<i>Phycis blennoides</i>

2. For the purposes of this Regulation, 'deep-sea sharks' means the following list of species:

Common name	Alpha-3 code	Scientific name
Deep-water catsharks	API	<i>Apristurus</i> spp.
Frilled shark	HXC	<i>Chlamydoselachus anguineus</i>
Gulper shark	CWO	<i>Centrophorus</i> spp.
Portuguese dogfish	CYO	<i>Centroscymnus coelolepis</i>
Longnose velvet dogfish	CYP	<i>Centroscymnus crepidater</i>
Black dogfish	CFB	<i>Centroscyllium fabricii</i>
Birdbeak dogfish	DCA	<i>Deania calcea</i>
Kitefin shark	SCK	<i>Dalatias licha</i>
Great lanternshark	ETR	<i>Etmopterus princeps</i>
Velvet belly	ETX	<i>Etmopterus spinax</i>
Mouse catshark	GAM	<i>Galeus murinus</i>
Bluntnose six-gill shark	SBL	<i>Hexanchus griseus</i>
Sailfin roughshark (Sharpback shark)	OXN	<i>Oxynotus paradoxus</i>
Knifetooth dogfish	SYR	<i>Scymnodon ringens</i>
Greenland shark	GSK	<i>Somniosus microcephalus</i>

PART 2
Annual fishing opportunities (in tonnes live weight)

Species: Deep-sea sharks	Zone: Union and international waters of V, VI, VII, VIII and IX ; Union waters of CECAF 34.1.1, 34.1.2 and 34.2 (DWS/ 56789-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Estonia	pm	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Ireland	pm	pm	
Spain	pm	pm	
France	pm	pm	
Lithuania	pm	pm	
Poland	pm	pm	
Portugal	pm	pm	
United Kingdom	pm	pm	
Union	pm	pm	
TAC	pm	pm	

Species: Deep-sea sharks	Zone: Union and international waters of X (DWS/10-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Portugal	pm	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Union	pm	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
TAC	pm	pm	

Species: Deep-sea sharks, <i>Deania hystricosa</i> and <i>Deania profundorum</i>	Zone: International waters of XII (DWS/12INT-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Ireland	pm	pm	Article 3 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
Spain	pm	pm	Article 4 of Regulation (EC) No 847/96 shall not apply
France	pm	pm	

United Kingdom	pm	pm
Union	pm	pm
TAC	pm	pm

Species:	Black scabbardfish <i>Aphanopus carbo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of I, II, III and IV (BSF/1234-)
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Year	2017	2018	Precautionary TAC
Germany	3	3	
France	3	3	
United Kingdom	3	3	
Union	9	9	
TAC	9	9	

Species:	Black scabbardfish <i>Aphanopus carbo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of V, VI, VII and XII (BSF/56712-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Germany	31	25	
Estonia	15	12	
Ireland	77	61	
Spain	154	121	
France	2 159	1 703	
Latvia	100	79	
Lithuania	1	1	
Poland	1	1	
United Kingdom	154	121	
Others ⁽¹⁾	8	6	
Union	2 700	2 130	
TAC	2 700	2130	

(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

Species:	Black scabbardfish <i>Aphanopus carbo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of VIII, IX and X (BSF/8910-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Spain	10	9	
France	25	21	
Portugal	3 165	2 703	
Union	3 200	2 733	
TAC	3 200	2 733	

Species:	Black scabbardfish <i>Aphanopus carbo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of CECAF 34.1.2 (BSF/C3412-)
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Year	2017	2018	Precautionary TAC
Portugal	pm	pm	
Union	pm	pm	

Species:	Roundnose grenadier and roughhead grenadier <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> and <i>Macrourus berglax</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of I, II and IV (RNG/124-) for roundnose grenadier; (RHG/124-) for roughhead grenadier
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Year	2017	2018	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm	pm	
Germany	pm	pm	
France	pm	pm	
United Kingdom	pm	pm	
Union	pm	pm	
TAC	pm	pm	

Species:	Roundnose grenadier and roughhead grenadier <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> and <i>Macrourus berglax</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of III (RNG/03-) for roundnose grenadier; ⁽¹⁾ (RHG/03-) for roughhead grenadier
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Year	2017	2018	Precautionary TAC
Denmark	pm	pm	
Germany	pm	pm	
Sweden	pm	pm	
Union	pm	pm	
TAC	pm	pm	

(1) No directed fishery for roundnose grenadier shall be conducted in ICES zone IIIa.

Species:	Roundnose grenadier and roughhead grenadier <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> and <i>Macrourus berglax</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of Vb, VI and VII (RNG/5B67-) for roundnose grenadier; ⁽³⁾ (RHG/5B67-) for roughhead grenadier
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Year	2017 ⁽¹⁾	2018 ⁽¹⁾	Analytical TAC
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Germany	pm	pm
Estonia	pm	pm
Ireland	pm	pm
Spain	pm	pm
France	pm	pm
Lithuania	pm	pm
Poland	pm	pm
United Kingdom	pm	pm
Others ⁽²⁾	pm	pm
Union	pm	pm
TAC	pm	pm

(1) A maximum of 10 % of each quota may be fished in Union and international waters of VIII, IX, X, XII and XIV (RNG/*8X14- for roundnose grenadier; RHG/*8X14- for roughhead grenadier).

(2) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted.

(3) Landings of roundnose grenadier shall not exceed 95 % of each Member State quota.

Species:	Roundnose grenadier and roughhead grenadier <i>Coryphaenoides rupestris</i> and <i>Macrourus berglax</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of VIII, IX, X, XII and XIV (RNG/8X14-) for roundnose grenadier; (2) (RHG/8X14-) for roughhead grenadier
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Year	2017 ⁽¹⁾	2018 ⁽¹⁾	Analytical TAC
Germany	pm	pm	
Ireland	pm	pm	
Spain	pm	pm	
France	pm	pm	
Latvia	pm	pm	
Lithuania	pm	pm	
Poland	pm	pm	
United Kingdom	pm	pm	
Union	pm	pm	
TAC	pm	pm	

(1) A maximum of 10 % of each quota may be fished in Union and international waters of Vb, VI, VII (RNG/*5B67- for roundnose grenadier; RHG/*5B67- for roughhead grenadier).

(2) Landings of roundnose grenadier shall not exceed 80 % of each Member State quota.

Species:	Red seabream <i>Pagellus bogaraveo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of VI, VII and VIII (SBR/678-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Ireland ⁽¹⁾	4	3	
Spain ⁽¹⁾	102	82	
France ⁽¹⁾	5	4	
United Kingdom ⁽¹⁾	13	10	
Others ⁽¹⁾	4	3	
Union ⁽¹⁾	128	102	
TAC ⁽¹⁾	128	102	

(1) Exclusively for by-catches. No directed fisheries are permitted under this quota.

Species:	Red seabream <i>Pagellus bogaraveo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of IX and of CECAF 34.1.11 (SBR/9-3411)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Spain ⁽¹⁾	126	109	
Portugal ⁽¹⁾	34	29	
Union ⁽¹⁾	160	138	
TAC ⁽¹⁾	160	138	

(1) A maximum of 8 % of annual quota may be fished in Union and international waters of VI, VII and VIII (SBR/*678-).

Species:	Red seabream <i>Pagellus bogaraveo</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of X (SBR/10-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Spain	4	4	
Portugal	447	392	
United Kingdom	4	4	
Union	455	400	
TAC	455	400	

Species:	Greater forkbeard <i>Phycis blennoides</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of I, II, III and IV (GFB/1234-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Germany	8	7	
France	8	7	
United Kingdom	14	10	
Union	30	24	
TAC	30	24	

Species:	Greater forkbeard <i>Phycis blennoides</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of V, VI and VII (GFB/567-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Germany ⁽¹⁾	10	8	
Ireland ⁽¹⁾	250	200	
Spain ⁽¹⁾	565	452	
France ⁽¹⁾	342	273	
United Kingdom ⁽¹⁾	780	625	
Union ⁽¹⁾	1 947	1 558	
TAC ⁽¹⁾	1 947	1 558	

(1) A maximum of 8 % of annual quota may be fished in Union and international waters of VIII and IX (GFB/*89-).

Species:	Greater forkbeard <i>Phycis blennoides</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of VIII and IX (GFB/89-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
Spain ⁽¹⁾	232	185	
France ⁽¹⁾	14	12	
Portugal ⁽¹⁾	10	8	
Union ⁽¹⁾	256	205	
TAC ⁽¹⁾	256	205	

(1) A maximum of 8 % of annual quota may be fished in Union and international waters of V, VI, VII (GFB/*567-).

Species:	Greater forkbeard <i>Phycis blennoides</i>	Zone:	Union and international waters of X and XII (GFB/1012-)
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Year	2017	2018	Analytical TAC
France	8	7	
Portugal	36	28	
United Kingdom	8	7	
Union	52	42	
TAC	52	42	