

## Yellowtail Flounder Sub-ACL for the Directed Scallop Fishery

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 For data reported through: July 4, 2012  
**Quota period:** 2011  
**Quota period dates:** 03/1/11 to 02/29/12

Yellowtail flounder stock area	Limited access fleet*			LAGC IFQ fleet**		Total catch (lb)	Sub-ACL (lb)	Percent of sub-ACL
	Kept (lb)	Discards (lb)	Catch (lb)	Dredge discards (lb)	Trawl discards (lb)			
Georges Bank	22,399	162,489	184,888	80	19	184,987	442,688	41.8
Southern New England/Mid-Atlantic	2,105	198,705	200,810	2,707	40,958	244,475	180,779	135.2

\*The limited access fleet is not split into dredge and trawl components because there is insufficient observer coverage for such a stratification.

\*\*There is no kept column for the limited access general category IFQ fleet because vessels are not allowed to retain yellowtail flounder.

For more information on the methodology used to estimate yellowtail flounder catch click [here](#)

**NOTE: This report applies fishing year 2011 observer data to fishing year 2011 landings. This is the final estimate of fishing year 2011 yellowtail flounder catch in the scallop fishery.**



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These data are the best available to NOAA's National Marine Fishery Service (NMFS) when this report was compiled. Data for this report are supplied to NMFS from vessels via Vessel Trip Reporting and the Vessel Monitoring System, dealers via Dealer Electronic Reporting, and the Northeast Fisheries Observer Program. Data may be preliminary. Discrepancies with previous reports are due to corrections made to the database.