

**Weekly Yellowtail Flounder Bycatch from Sea Scallop Access Areas, FY2007**

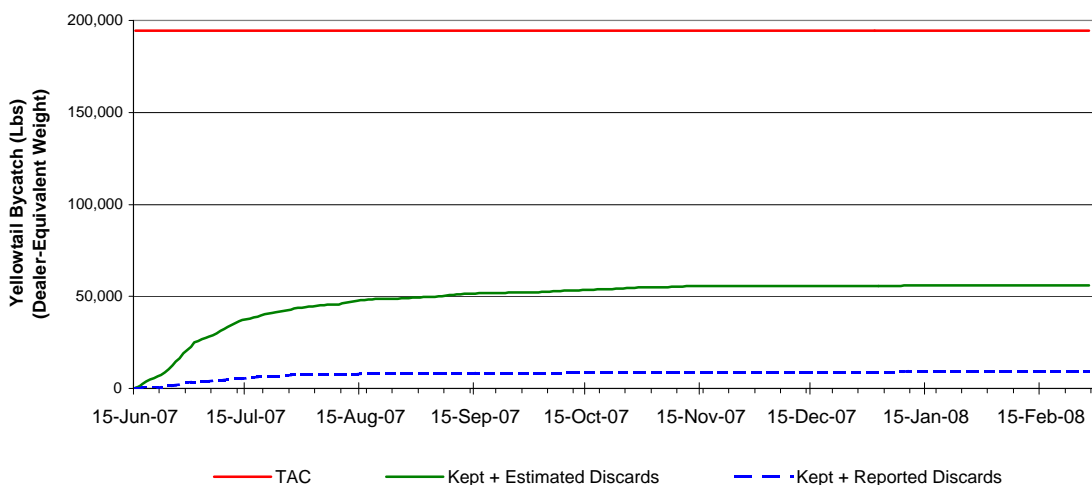
**Closed Area I**

Recorded on Week Ended	Declared to Closed Area I					Total			
	Kept (lbs)	Discarded (lbs)		Caught (lbs)		Cumulative Caught To Date			
		Estimated <sup>1</sup>	Reported	Estimated	Reported	With Estimated Discards	With Reported Discards	With Estimated Discards	With Reported Discards
	(1)	(2)	(3)	(4)=(1)+(2)	(5)=(1)+(3)	(lbs)	(lbs)	% of Quota (194,442 lbs)	% of Quota (194,442 lbs)
10/3/07	0	291	38	291	38	50,332	7,746	26%	4%
10/10/07	0	762	80	762	80	51,094	7,826	26%	4%
10/16/07	0	360	60	360	60	51,454	7,886	26%	4%
10/24/07	2	625	28	627	30	52,081	7,916	27%	4%
10/31/07	0	790	13	790	13	52,871	7,929	27%	4%
11/7/07	0	208	44	208	44	53,079	7,973	27%	4%
11/14/07	0	273	24	273	24	53,352	7,997	27%	4%
11/21/07	0	91	0	91	0	53,443	7,997	27%	4%
11/28/07	0	35	10	35	10	53,478	8,007	28%	4%
12/5/07	0	0	12	0	12	53,478	8,019	28%	4%
12/12/07	0	0	20	0	20	53,478	8,039	28%	4%
12/27/07	0	0	11	0	11	53,478	8,050	28%	4%
1/3/08	0	2	0	2	0	53,480	8,050	28%	4%
1/10/08	64	148	279	212	343	53,692	8,393	28%	4%
1/17/08	0	196	294	196	294	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
1/24/08	0	0	0	0	0	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
1/31/08	0	0	0	0	0	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
2/7/08	0	0	0	0	0	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
2/14/08	0	0	0	0	0	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
2/21/08	0	0	0	0	0	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
2/28/08	0	0	0	0	0	53,888	8,687	28%	4%
<b>Total*</b>	<b>501</b>	<b>53,387</b>	<b>8,186</b>	<b>53,888</b>	<b>8,687</b>				

Dealer-Equivalent Weight	Kept (lbs)	Discarded (lbs)	Caught (lbs)			With Estimated Discards	With Reported Discards
		Estimated <sup>1</sup>	Reported	Estimated	Reported	% of Quota (194,442 lbs)	% of Quota (194,442 lbs)
	536	53,909	8,268	54,445	8,804	28%	5%

Dealer-Equivalent Weight - estimated ratios of dealer weight to VMS-reported haul weight based on FY2006 data.  
 Reported yellowtail: 1.07; reported limited access scallop: 1.01; reported general category scallop: 1.0  
 \* Totals for time period 6/14/2007 through 2/28/2008

**NOTE:** As of 2/28/2008, 259 limited access vessels reported a scallop catch of 5,634,427 lbs. from 351 trips, and 37 general category vessels reported 74,447lbs. from their trips into Closed Area I.



\*Note these data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled, and are preliminary.

<sup>1</sup>Discard estimated based on Observer Contract (OBSCON) reporting. Discard values may change due to OBSCON updates