

Windowpane Flounder Sub-ACL for the Directed Scallop Fishery Southern New England/Mid-Atlantic Stock Area

Report run on: August 23, 2016
 For data reported: August 10, 2016
Quota period: 2015
Quota period dates: 03/01/15 to 02/29/16

Date	Limited Access Fleet*						Limited Access General Category IFQ Fleet						Monthly total catch (lb)	Cumulative catch (lb)	Percent of sub-ACL (403,446 lb)
	Nantucket Lightship (Access Area)		Southern New England (Open Areas)		Mid-Atlantic (Access Area)		Nantucket Lightship (Access Area)		Southern New England (Open Areas)		Mid-Atlantic (Access Area)				
	Kept (lb)	Discards (lb)	Kept (lb)	Discards (lb)	Kept (lb)	Discards (lb)	Dredge discards (lb)	Trawl discards (lb)	Dredge discards (lb)	Trawl discards (lb)	Dredge discards (lb)	Trawl discards (lb)			
March-15	-	217	-	45,695	-	68	-	-	2,549	964	325	-	49,817	49,817	12.3
April-15	-	-	-	89,476	-	605	-	-	3,640	770	468	60	95,019	144,836	35.9
May-15	-	-	-	19,275	-	6,225	-	-	1,001	674	4,579	60	31,755	176,590	43.8
June-15	-	-	-	61,993	-	5,536	-	-	972	1,365	4,534	64	74,464	251,054	62.2
July-15	-	-	-	53,146	-	4,782	-	-	729	1,041	5,651	30	65,379	316,433	78.4
August-15	-	-	-	40,495	-	3,963	-	-	2,323	1,042	1,110	-	48,934	365,367	90.6
September-15	-	-	-	15,381	-	3,859	-	-	2,494	1,556	345	6	23,641	389,008	96.4
October-15	-	-	-	8,601	-	3,574	-	-	1,469	920	273	6	14,836	403,845	100.1
November-15	-	-	-	5,101	-	2,745	-	-	1,831	2,138	149	3	11,967	415,812	103.1
December-15	-	-	-	3,729	-	1,625	-	-	2,261	1,403	73	3	9,092	424,903	105.3
January-16	-	-	-	11,317	-	439	-	-	1,329	755	68	-	13,908	438,812	108.8
February-16	-	-	-	23,169	-	554	-	-	814	867	100	-	25,504	464,316	115.1
Total	0	217	0	377,378	0	33,975	0	0	21,412	13,495	17,676	164	464,316		

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

In order to comply with data confidentiality requirements, discards for areas and/or gear types that only have 1 - 2 vessels in a month will be aggregated with discards from preceding month(s) until the 3 vessel minimum is met.

NOTE: This report uses the most recent 12 months of audited observer data (March 2015 - February 2016) for both fleets in Southern New England, Mid-Atlantic and Nantucket Lightship.



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, and dealers via Dealer Electronic Reporting. Data may be preliminary. Discrepancies with previous reports are due to corrections made to the database.