

2016 Quotas/legislation for pelagic stocks generally used to produce fishmeal
NORTH EAST ATLANTIC

Tonnes	2008	2009	2010	2011	2012	2013	2014	2015	2016	Regulation
N Sea sandeel	ISR	177,500	200,000	364,000*	180,000	322,679	207,219	357,219	87,219	EU 2016/7273 ^{4a} 30/3/2016
Sprat	195,000	176,081	170,000	160,000	117,500	161,500	144,000	ISR up to 350,000	355,500	EU 2016/724 22/1/2016
Capelin										
Barents Sea	NIL	390,000	360,000	380,000	320,000	200,000	65,000	120,000	NIL	Russia/Norway ⁷ 12/10/15
Iceland Starting				NIL	366,000	300,000		225,000	173,000	Iceland ¹
Final	150,000	NIL	NIL	390,000	765,000	570,000	160,000	580,000		
Blue whiting										
EU	350,906	165,628	151,592			180,507	336,871	No agreement reached.	321,570	Ad hoc EU/Norway ³
Faroes	300,572	141,870	129,847			154,614	288,549		243,495	
Norway	296,200	139,806	127,958			104,339	284,352	ICES advised	ICES advised	No NEAFC
Iceland	202,836	95,739	87,625			152,365	194,722			
Other							95,506			
Total	1.26M	543,043	540,000	40,100	391,000	591,825	1.2M	839,886	776,391	
Herring										
NE Atlantic	1.518M	1.643M	1.483M	988,000	833,000	692,000	436,000	283,013	213,923	Ad hoc EU/Nor ² No NEAFC
EU						Sum of national	Sum of national	No arrangement	20,629	
Norway									193,294	
N Sea	201,227	171,000	164,300	200,000	243,000	170,099	470,037	445,329	518,242	EU/Norway ⁵
By-catch N Sea	18,806	15,985	10,390	16,539	17,900	17,190	13,085	15,744	13,382	
By-catch S&K	11,470	8,373	5,442	6,659	6,659	4,661	6,659	6,659	6,659	EU 2016/724 22/1/2016
S&K		37,722	20,924	25,999	38,998	31,500	46,750	43,604	51,084	
Four Baltic	320,294	288,346	288,804	264,073	235,893	252,556	300,999	382,921	359,566	EU 2015/2072 ⁶ 17/11/15
Norway pout										
Iceland	130,000	150,000	40,000	44,000	49,000	67,000	87,000	-	-	Iceland ⁸
North Sea/S&K	115,000	116,000	162,000	NIL	NIL	167,500	171,000	278,000 Analytical TAC	279,000 Analytical TAC	EU 2016/724 22/1/2016

1. Capelin quota for 2015/2016.

<http://www.fiskistofa.is/english/news/nr/1397>

2. Adhoc EU/Norway agreement- Norwegian Spring Spawning (Atlanto-Scandian) herring. 15 December 2016.

<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-15367-2015-INIT/en/pdf>

3. Ad Hoc EU/Norway agreement on blue whiting. 15 December 2016.

<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-15367-2015-INIT/en/pdf>

4. Council Regulation (EU) No 2016/72 (Union waters). 22 January 2016.

<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32016R0072&from=EN>

4a. Council Regulation 7273/16 amending Regulation (EU) 2016/72 covering sandeel. 30 March 2016.

<http://data.consilium.europa.eu/doc/document/ST-7273-2016-INIT/en/pdf>

5. Agreed record of fisheries consultations between EU and Norway. 4 December 2015.

<https://www.regjeringen.no/contentassets/d1ae7bd33edc41faa40bafcc64efa4cf/norge-eu-nordsjoen-4-des-2015.pdf>

6. Council Regulation (EU) No 2015/2072 (Baltic). 17 November 2015.

<http://eur-lex.europa.eu/legal-content/EN/TXT/PDF/?uri=CELEX:32015R2072&from=EN>

7. Agreement in the Joint Norwegian–Russian Fisheries Commission on quota for 2016. 12 October 2015.

<http://barentsobserver.com/en/nature/2015/10/no-capelin-fishing-barents-sea-12-10>

8. State of Marine Stocks in Icelandic waters 2014/2015 – Prospects for the Quota Year 2015/2016.

http://www.hafro.is/Astand/2015/summary_2015.pdf

SOUTH AMERICA

ANCHOVY

Peru: North Central Area

Peruvian fishmeal prices stabilise as producers await new anchovy quota. 6 April 2016.

Peru's fishmeal prices have stabilised at levels seen back in January, while producers await for the first 2016 anchovy quota, expected to be known by May. The El Nino weather phenomenon is still present in Peru, but it has started its declining phase. So far, the first anchovy fishing season for the north-center area is expected to take place from May to July, when it usually runs. Peru's marine institute Imarpe initiated its research cruise late March and the anchovy biomass assessment, which will be used to set the fishing quota, is expected to be released by the end of April.

<https://www.undercurrentnews.com/2016/04/06/peruvian-fishmeal-prices-stabilize-as-producers-await-new-anchovy-quota/>

Peru's North Central area anchovy quotas, 2010-2015, in metric tons:

- First season 2010: 2.5m
- Second season: 2.07m
 - **Total 2010: 4.57m**
- First season 2011: 3.675m
- Second season 2011: 2.5m
 - **Total 2011: 6.175m**
- First season 2012: 2.75m
- Second season 2012: 810,000 (drastic cut – saw Peru's fishmeal producers swing into the red last year, posting combined losses of around \$87 million)
 - **Total 2012: 3.51m**
- First season 2013: 2.05m (34% drop on 2012)
- Second season 2013: 2.3m
 - **Total 2013: 4.35m**
- First season 2014: 2.53m (only 1.71m caught)
- Second season 2014: zero
 - **Total 2014: 2.53m**
- First season 2015: 2.58m
- Second season 2015: 1.11
 - **Total 2015: 3.69m**

Peru: Southern region

Peru authorises first anchovy fishing season in southern area. 21 January 2016.

Peru's 2016 first anchovy fishing season for the southern area will start on 2 February 2016. The country's production ministry (Produce) has set a total allowable catch (TAC) for the first season at 382,000 metric tons. The season will run until 20 June 2016 or when anchovy fishing vessels end the quota.

<https://www.undercurrentnews.com/2016/01/21/peru-authorizes-first-anchovy-fishing-season-in-southern-area/>

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Chile has been granted a total allowable catch (TAC) of 297,000 metric tons, the same quota as 2015. 27 January 2016.

This year's Chile will have an authorised total quota of 297,000 tonnes for jack mackerel quota, agreed unanimously by the South Pacific Regional Fisheries Management Organisation (SPRFMO), means that Chile has managed to keep a dominant quota in the fishery, accounting for 64.6% of the total catches of jack mackerel in the South Pacific.

<http://fis.com/fis/techno/newtechno.asp?l=e&id=81901&ndb=1>

Peru maintains jack mackerel quota. 2 February 2016.

Peru was received as a full member of the South Pacific Regional Fisheries Management Organisation (SPRFMO) and will maintain the same distribution of fishing quotas for jack mackerel as in 2015. The Scientific Committee recommended the same fishing quota of 460,000 tonnes of jack mackerel that was used last year. In 2015 Peru obtained a 75% increase in its quota.

<http://www.fis.com/fis/worldnews/worldnews.asp?monthyear=2-2016&day=2&id=82028&l=e&country=&special=&ndb=1&df=0>

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