

**Status, Assessment and Management Information for NEFMC Managed Fisheries
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Fishery Management Plan: **Northeast Multispecies**

Stock	Status	Rebuilding Year	Next Assessment	ABC/ACL Buffer	AMs	Percent of TTAC Caught (2008)
Cod, GB	Overfishing Overfished	Year 7/2026	DEC 2012	95% of ABC	<p>Proactive: <u>Common pool</u>: FYs 2012 & beyond - Trimester hard-TAC added to DAS</p> <p>Reactive: <u>Sectors</u> - Overages deducted from a sector's allocation in next fishing year</p> <p><u>Common pool</u> – A) Differential DAS counting in FYs 2010 & 2011 B) Overages deducted from sub-ACL in FYs 2012 & beyond</p> <p><u>Recreational</u> - NMFS, in consultation with the Council, will implement measures to prevent recreational fishery from exceeding applicable sub-ACL in following years,. AMs may include adjustments to fishing season, minimum fish size, and possession limits.</p>	35%
Cod, GOM	Overfishing Not overfished	Year 7/2014	DEC 2011	95% of ABC comm.; 93% of ABC rec		81%
Haddock, GB	No overfishing Not overfished	Rebuilt in 2006	not scheduled	95% of ABC comm.; 93% of ABC MWT		5%
Haddock, GOM	No overfishing Not overfished	Rebuilt in 2000	not scheduled	95% of ABC comm.; 93% of ABC rec; 93% of ABC MWT		97%
YTF, GB	No overfishing Overfished	Year 5/2014 (may be revised)	just assessed JUL 2010	97% of ABC		84%
YTF, SNE/MA	Overfishing Overfished	Year 7/2014	JUN 2012	93% of ABC		162%
YTF, CC/GOM	Overfishing Overfished	Year 7/2023	not scheduled	95% of ABC		52%
American Plaice	No overfishing Not overfished	Year 7/2014	not scheduled	95% of ABC		26%
Witch Fl	Overfishing Overfished	Year 1/2017	not scheduled	95% of ABC		25%
Winter Fl, GB	Overfishing Overfished	Year 1/2017	JUN 2011	95% of ABC		54%
Winter Fl, GOM	Unknown; likely overfished	Unable to determine stock status	JUN 2011	95% of ABC		N/A
Winter Fl, SNE/MA	Overfishing; Overfished	Year 7/2014	JUN 2011	93% of ABC		40%
Redfish	No overfishing Not overfished	Year 7/2051	not scheduled	95% of ABC		63%
White Hake	Overfishing Overfished	Year 7/2014	not scheduled	95% of ABC		137%
Pollock	No overfishing* Not overfished*	Rebuilt 2010 SARC	not scheduled	95% of ABC		96%

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Windowpane Fl, North	Overfishing Overfished	Year 1/2017	<i>(DEC 2012 – tentative)</i>	95% of ABC	<i>same as above</i>	9%*
Windowpane Fl, South	Overfishing Not overfished	Year 7/2014	<i>(DEC 2012 – tentative)</i>	95% of ABC		55%*
Ocean Pout	No overfishing Overfished	Year 7/2014	not scheduled	95% of ABC		18%
Atlantic Halibut	No overfishing Overfished	Year 7/2056	not scheduled	95% of ABC		N/A
Atlantic Wolffish	Overfishing- unknown Overfished	Unable to calculate rebuilding time/ rate	not scheduled	95% of ABC		N/A

Notes:

Stock status as determined by GARM III, terminal year 2007; except for GB YTF (TRAC 2009, terminal year 2008) and wolffish (DPWG 2009, terminal year 2008).

Calendar year 2008 catches based on preliminary information provided by NEFSC.

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Fishery Management Plan: Skates

Skate Species	Status	Rebuilding Year	Next Assessment	ABC/ACL Buffer	AMs	Percent of TTAC/ACL Caught
Barndoor	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	not scheduled	ABC=ACL ACT = 75% ACL determined for catch of all skate species combined	Proactive: In-season possession limit triggers at 80% of wing and 90% of bait TAL Reactive: Adjustments to TAL triggers and ACL-ACT buffer	Not Applicable ACL management started May 1, 2010 2008 catch 88% of 2010 ACL of 41,080 mt 2009 preliminary catch 98% of 2010 ACL of 41,080 mt (Both catch estimates assume 50% discard mortality)
Clearnose	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	not scheduled			
Little	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	not scheduled			
Smooth	No overfishing Overfished	Year 1 / 2019	not scheduled			
Thorny	No overfishing Overfished	Year 5 / 2014	not scheduled			
Winter	No overfishing Not overfished	Not applicable	not scheduled			
Rosette	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	not scheduled			

Fishery Management Plan: Herring

Species	Status	Rebuilding Year	Next Assessment	ABC/ACL Buffer	AMs	Pct of TTAC Caught (2009)
Herring	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	June 2012	Total of management area ACLs = 86% ABC	Proactive: Closure of directed fishery at 95% of ACL; closure for haddock sub-ACL Reactive: ACL overage payback	Area 1A - 96.9%
						Area 1B - 18.0%
						Area 2 - 93.5%
						Area 3 - 49.0%
						US Total - 71.0%

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Fishery Management Plan: Sea Scallops

Species	Status	Rebuilding Year	Next Assessment	ABC/ACL Buffer	AMs	Pct of TTAC/ACL Caught (2009)
Scallops	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	July 2010	Proposed in Amendment 15 ABC=ACL sub-ACLs for limited access (LA) & general category (GC) fleets	Proactive: Buffer options for mgt. uncertainty: 1) LA - a) 10%; b) 25% chance of exceeding ACL 2) GC – Buffer options 0-5% Reactive: 1) LA - DAS reduced in next year; 2) GC – IFQs reduced in next year	124 % Target – 45.9 million lbs. Actual* – 57.0 million lbs. * Preliminary estimate – could exceed 57 million lbs. after all data complete for FY2009

Fishery Management Plan: Monkfish

Species	Status	Rebuilding Year	Next Assessment	ABC/ACL Buffer (Proposed in Amendment 5)	AMs	Pct of TTAC/ACL Caught (2008)
Monkfish NMA	No overfishing Not overfished (2007 assessment)	NA	July 2010	ACL=ABC	Proactive: .NMA ACT Options 1) 61% of ACL 2) 80% of ACL Reactive: ACL overages to be deducted from ACT in by adjusting the management measures in the 2 nd year after overage or RA may adjust DAS and trip limits by notice action.	71%
Monkfish SMA	No overfishing Not overfished (2007 assessment)	NA	July 2010	ACL=ABC	Proactive: SMA ACT = 86% of ACL Reactive: ACL overages to be deducted from ACT in by adjusting the management measures in the 2 nd year after overage or RA may adjust DAS and trip limits by notice action.	132%

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Fishery Management Plan: **Small Mesh Multispecies**

Skate Species	Status	Rebuilding Year	Next Assessment	ABC/ACL Buffer	AMs	Percent of TTAC/ACL Caught
Silver hake, Northern	No overfishing Not overfished	NA	DPWG Jan 1011	Not applicable ABC not yet determined	Not yet determined	Not yet determined
Silver hake, Southern	No overfishing Not overfished	NA				
Red hake, Northern	Overfishing unknown Not overfished	NA				
Red hake, Southern	Overfishing unknown Not overfished	NA				
Offshore hake	Overfishing undefined Not overfished	NA				