

Interim Action Overview

Commercial Fishery Measures

Effort Controls

Default A13 Category A/B DAS split (45/55): 18% Category A DAS reduction

Expanded differential DAS counting area

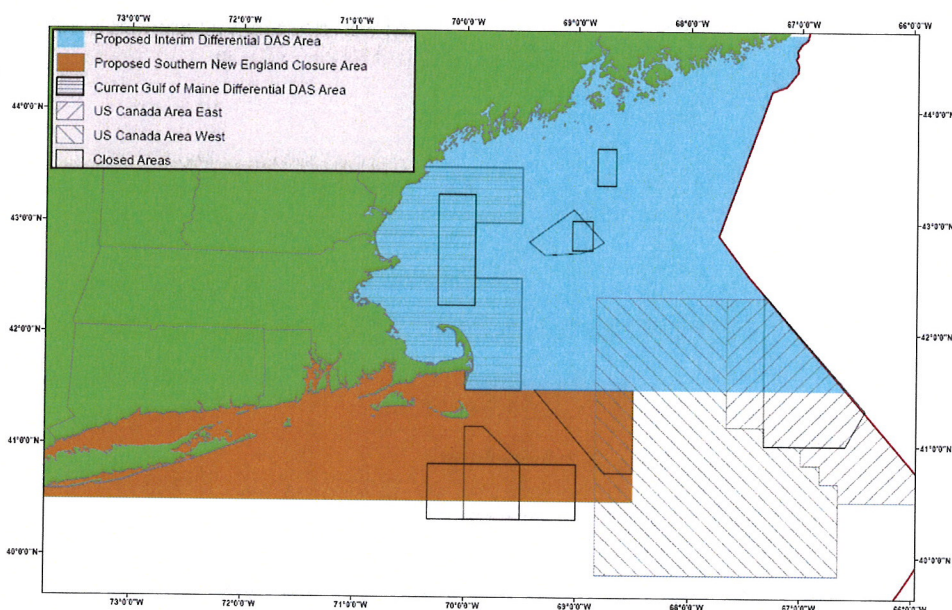
SNE Closure Area

Trip limit changes:

White hake increased to 2,000 lbs/DAS

GB Winter Flounder limit removed

No retention of SNE/MA winter flounder, Northern Windowpane, Ocean Pout



CAI Haddock TAC increase

Elimination of SNE/MA winter flounder SAP and SNE/MA winter flounder state waters exemption

Specifications

TTACs, incidental catch TACs, US/CA TACs specified

Mitigation Measures

Haddock minimum size of 18 inches

Eastern US/CA Haddock SAP extended

Category B (regular) DAS program modified

DAS leasing program modifications (remove limit, allow sector/non-sector leases)

DAS transfer program tax removed

Recreational Measures

GOM cod seasonal closure extended (November through April 15)

GB cod trip limit of 10 cod per person per day extended to party/charter vessels

SNE/MA winter flounder retention prohibited

Haddock minimum size reduced to 18 inches