

US/Canada Management Area
2008 Weekly Yellowtail Catch
WARNING: Incomplete Data*

Report run on:
 For data reported through:
 Quota Period Dates:

October 30, 2008
 October 29, 2008
 5/1/08 to 4/30/09

Week End Date	Declared US/Canada Program Eastern Area (1)					Declared B DAS Program Eastern Area (2)*					Declared Eastern Area Haddock SAP (3)				
	Kept	Discard		Catch		Kept	Discard		Catch		Kept	Discard		Catch	
		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.
	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs
5/1-10/2	295,859	12,281	31,024	308,140	326,883	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/9	35,155	4,732	4,507	39,887	39,662	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/16	35,150	535	7,069	35,685	42,219	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/23	19,225	420	3,890	19,645	23,115	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/30	4,900	1,850	1,076	6,750	5,976	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	390,289	19,818	47,566	410,107	437,855	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

Week End Date	Declared US/Canada Program Western Area (4)					Declared B DAS Program Western Area (5)*					Declared US/Canada and Haddock SAP (6)				
	Kept	Discard		Catch		Kept	Discard		Catch		Kept	Discard		Catch	
		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.
	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs
5/1-10/2	906,865	70,003	215,984	976,868	1,122,849	7,800	5,450	162	13,250	7,962	0	0	0	0	0
10/9	8,963	490	3,598	9,453	12,561	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/16	5,449	886	902	6,335	6,351	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/23	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
10/30	10	0	0	10	10	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total	921,287	71,379	220,484	992,666	1,141,771	7,800	5,450	162	13,250	7,962	0	0	0	0	0

Week End Date	Declared Scallop Access Area (7)					Total US/Canada Area (1) + (2) + (3) + (4) + (5) + (6) + (7)									
	Kept	Discard		Catch		Kept	Discard		Catch		Cumulative Catch		Cumulative Catch		
		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.		Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.	Rep.	Est.	
	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	Lbs	% Quota	% Quota	
5/1-10/2	0	0	0	0	0	1,210,524	87,734	247,170	1,298,258	1,457,694	1,298,258	1,457,694	31.5	35.4	
10/9	0	0	0	0	0	44,118	5,222	8,105	49,340	52,223	1,347,598	1,509,917	32.7	36.7	
10/16	0	0	0	0	0	40,599	1,421	7,971	42,020	48,570	1,389,618	1,558,487	33.7	37.8	
10/23	0	0	0	0	0	19,225	420	3,890	19,645	23,115	1,409,263	1,581,602	34.2	38.4	

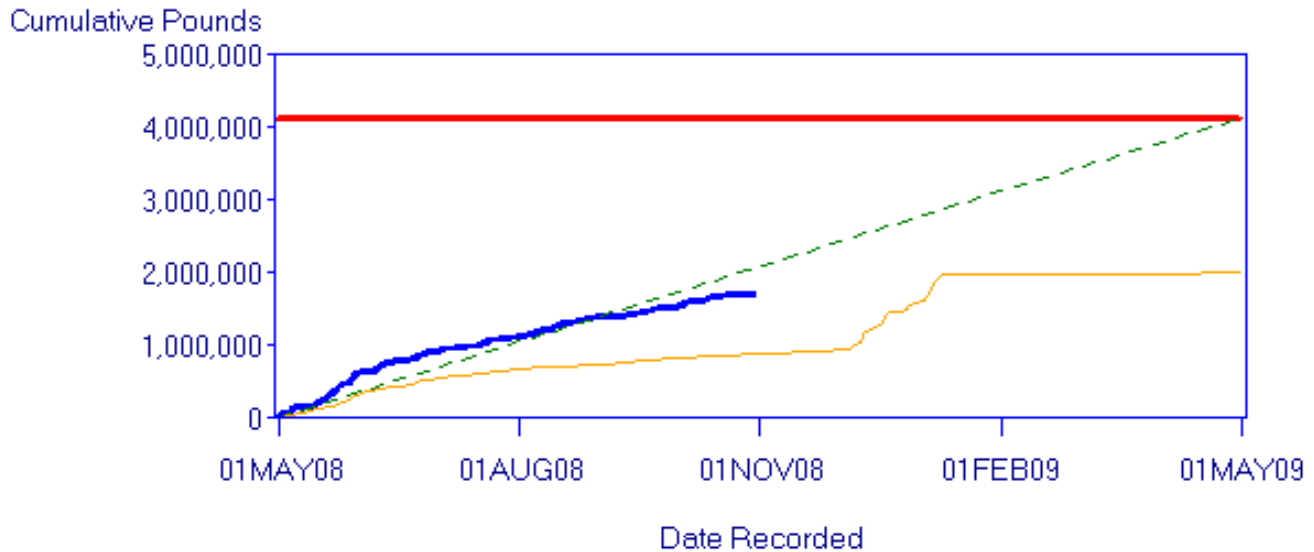
10/30	0	0	0	0	0	4,910	1,850	1,076	6,760	5,986	1,416,023	1,587,588	34.4	38.5
Total	0	0	0	0	0	1,319,376	96,647	268,212	1,416,023	1,587,588	.			

Estimated Landings Equivalent to Dealers' Reports	Total US/Canada Area						
	Cumulative Kept	Cumulative Discard		Cumulative Catch		Cumulative Catch	
		Reported	Estimated	Reported	Estimated	Reported	Estimated
	Lbs (Dealer Wt.)	Lbs (Dealer Wt.)	Lbs (Dealer Wt.)	Lbs (Dealer Wt.)	Lbs (Dealer Wt.)	% of Quota (4,119,779 lbs.)	% of Quota (4,119,779 lbs.)
Dealer Weight = VMS Hail Weight*D/V Ratio	1,411,732	103,412	286,987	1,515,145	1,698,719	36.8	41.2

D/V Ratio - estimated ratios of dealer weight to VMS-reported hail weight based on FY2007 data. Multispecies yellowtail - 1.07, scallop - 1.00

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- Estimated Catch (41.2% (1,698,719 lbs.) of quota, dealer equivalent weight=hail weight*D/V Ratio)
- Yellowtail Quota (4,119,779 lbs.)
- Quota Rationing Trajectory is at 2,054,246 lbs., 49.9% of the quota this year to date.
- Prior Year's Estimated Catch was 880,840 lbs., 44.4% of prior year's quota at this time last year.

Notice

The 2008 Quota Period began on May 1, 2008, therefore this report does not contain any landings reported prior to May 1, 2008.

Management actions for the U.S./Canada Management Area, under the authority of the Regional Administrator (such as closures and possession limits) are based upon Vessel Monitoring System (VMS) reports and other available information.



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These data are the best available to NOAA's National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS) when this report was compiled. Data for this report may be supplied to NOAA Fisheries Service (NMFS) from the following sources: (1) vessels via Vessel Monitoring System; (2) NOAA Fisheries Service Observer Program, through audited observer reports submitted by the Northeast Fisheries Science Center. Data in this report are for landings made through October 29, 2008 and may be preliminary. Differences with data from previous reports are due to corrections made to the database and updates to observer data.

***Warning: NMFS's catch reporting data for the period from September 3, 2008 to September 15, 2008 are incomplete. NMFS expects the data to be restored soon. NMFS continues to diligently monitor fishing effort to ensure that no TACs are exceeded.**