

COUNCIL REGULATION (EC) No 3377/94
of 20 December 1994

allocating, for the period until 31 March 1995, certain catch quotas between Member States for vessels fishing the Norwegian exclusive economic zone and the fishing zone around Jan Mayen

THE COUNCIL OF THE EUROPEAN UNION,

Having regard to the Treaty establishing the European Community,

Having regard to Council Regulation (EEC) No 3760/92 of 20 December 1992 establishing a Community system for fisheries and aquaculture ⁽¹⁾, and in particular Article 8 (4) thereof,

Having regard to the proposal from the Commission,

Whereas the Community and Norway have held consultations on their mutual fishing rights for the period until 31 March 1995, and in particular the allocation of certain catch quotas to Community vessels in the Norwegian fishing zone; whereas the Community and Norway agreed to hold consultations on their mutual fishing rights for the remainder months of 1995 as early as possible in 1995;

Whereas, in accordance with Article 124 of the 1994 Act of Accession fisheries agreements concluded by the Kingdom of Sweden with third countries shall be managed by the Community;

Whereas, in accordance with the procedure provided for in the agreement on fisheries of 9 December 1976 between the Kingdom of Sweden and the Kingdom of Norway, Sweden and Norway have held consultations concerning their fishing rights for the period until 31 March 1995; whereas Sweden and Norway agreed to hold consultations on their fishing rights for the remainder months of 1995 as early as possible in 1995;

Whereas, to ensure efficient management of the catch possibilities available, they should be allocated among the Mem-

ber States as quotas in accordance with Article 8 of Regulation (EEC) No 3760/92;

Whereas the fishing activities covered by this Regulation are subject to the pertinent control measures provided for by Council Regulation (EEC) No 2847/93 of 12 October 1993 establishing a control system applicable to the common fisheries policy ⁽²⁾,

HAS ADOPTED THIS REGULATION:

Article 1

1. Until 31 March 1995 vessels flying the flag of a Member State are hereby authorized to make catches:

— in waters falling within the Norwegian exclusive economic zone north of 62°00' N,

or

within the fishing zone around Jan Mayen, and within the quota limits set out in Annex I,

— in waters falling within the Norwegian exclusive economic zone south of 62°00' N,

and

within the quota limits set out in Annex II.

Article 2

This Regulation shall enter into force on 1 January 1995.

However, for Sweden the Regulation shall enter into force on the date of Accession.

This Regulation shall be binding in its entirety and directly applicable in all Member States.

Done at Brussels, 20 December 1994.

For the Council

The President

J. BORCHERT

⁽¹⁾ OJ No L 389, 31. 12. 1992, p. 1.

⁽²⁾ OJ No L 261, 20. 10. 1993, p. 1.

ANNEX I

Allocation of Community catch quotas in Norwegian waters, as referred to in Article 1

Norwegian waters north 62°00' N

(in metric tonnes, fresh round weight)

Species	ICES division	Community catch quotas	Quotas allocated to Member States
Cod	I, II	22 000	France 2 565
			Germany 2 795
			United Kingdom 10 850
			Spain 2 605
			Portugal 2 605
			Ireland 290
			Greece 290
Haddock	I, II	2 600	France 330
			Germany 560
			United Kingdom 1 710
Saithe	I, II	2 000	France 255
			Germany 1 600
			United Kingdom 145
Redfish	I, II	1 200	France 80
			Germany 645
			United Kingdom 140
			Spain 65
			Portugal 270
Greenland halibut	I, II	35	Germany 18
			United Kingdom 17
Blue whiting	II	300	France 150
			Germany 150 ⁽²⁾
Other species (as by-catches)	I, II	150	France 20
			Germany 50
			United Kingdom 80
Mackerel	II a	5 700 ⁽¹⁾	Denmark 5 700

⁽¹⁾ Of which 5 700 tonnes may be fished in area ICES IV a, and Norway may fish up to 20 000 tonnes in the same area from the TAC fixed for the area north of 62°00' N.

⁽²⁾ *Ad hoc* solution for 1995.

ANNEX II

Allocation for Community catch quotas in Norwegian waters, as referred to in Article 1

*Norwegian waters south of 62°00' N**(in metric tonnes, fresh round weight)*

Species	ICES division	Community catch quotas	Quotas allocated to Member States	
Norway pout ⁽¹⁾	IV	25 000	Denmark	23 750 ⁽²⁾
			United Kingdom	1 250 ⁽³⁾
Sand-eel	IV	50 000	Denmark	47 500 ⁽²⁾
			United Kingdom	2 500 ⁽³⁾
Shrimp	IV	405	Denmark	360
			Sweden	45 ⁽⁶⁾
Other species	IV	3 300	Denmark	1 650
			United Kingdom	1 235
			Germany	185
			Belgium	15
			France	80
			Netherlands	135
			Sweden	p.m. ⁽⁴⁾
Cod, Haddock, Saithe, Pollack, Whiting	IV	640	Sweden	640 ⁽⁵⁾
Herring	IV	265	Sweden	265 ⁽⁶⁾
Mackerel	IV	85	Sweden	85 ⁽⁶⁾
Industrial species	IV	200	Sweden	200 ⁽⁶⁾ ⁽⁷⁾

⁽¹⁾ Including blue whiting and inextricably mixed horse-mackerel.⁽²⁾ Within a total quota for Norway pout and sand-eel up to 12 635 tonnes may be interchanged upon request.⁽³⁾ Within a total quota for Norway pout and sand-eel up to 665 tonnes may be interchanged upon request.⁽⁴⁾ Quota allocated by Norway to Sweden of 'other species' at a traditional level.⁽⁵⁾ Of which no more than 115 tonnes of Cod and 265 tonnes of Saithe.⁽⁶⁾ By-catches of cod, haddock, saithe, pollack and whiting to be counted against the quotas of these species.⁽⁷⁾ Of which no more than 100 tonnes of Horse-mackerel.