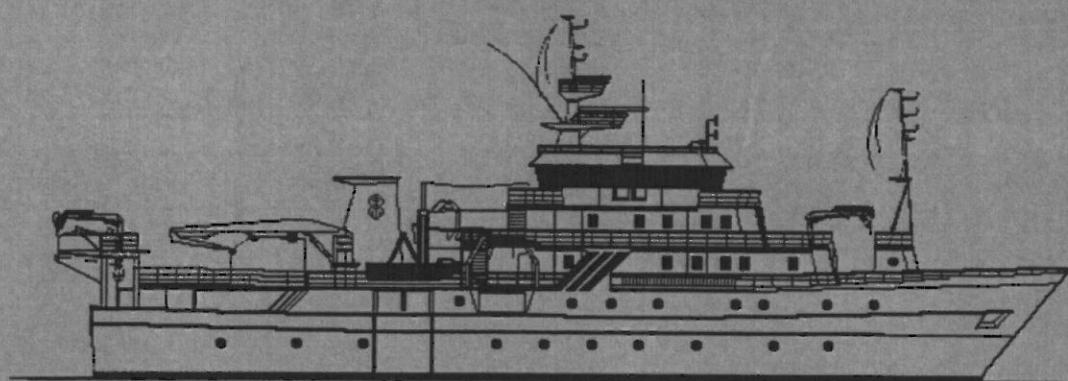


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CHAPTER 1 INTRODUCTION

1.1 Objectives

The objectives of the cruise had been previously discussed and agreed upon by the responsible of the Demersal Programme of the Instituto de Investigação Marinha (IIM), of Angola, and the responsible from the Institute of Marine Research, Bergen (IMR) for the Angolan Demersal Programme, and were the following:

- To survey, map, and describe the distribution, composition and abundance of the main demersal species, with special emphasis on seabreams (Sparidae), croakers (Sciaenidae), grunts (Haemulidae), groupers (Serranidae), hake (Merluccidae) and shrimp (*Parapenaeus longirostris* and *Aristeus varidens*) on the Angolan shelf and slope (down to 800 m), from Benguela (12° 35' S) to Congo River (06° 00' S), using bottom trawl and the swept-area method.
- Collect biological data (length, weight, sex and maturity) of *Dentex macrophthalmus*, *D. angolensis*, *Pagellus bellottii*, *Pseudotolithus typus*, *Merluccius polli*, *A. varidens* and *P. longirostris*.
- Collect samples of deep-sea crab *Chaceon maritae* to be analysed separately at IIM.
- To monitor the general hydrographic conditions using a CTD-sonde on each trawl stations all over the survey area, and map the temperature, salinity and oxygen along standard IIM hydrographic profiles, as well as collecting water samples for nutrient- and phytoplankton analysis at the hydrographic profiles.
- To verify the taxonomic identity of the trawl species and develop a collection of the fish species to be made available for future reference. A brief report on the taxonomy is included in this report as Annex VIII.

1.2 Participation

The scientific staff consisted of:

From IIM, Angola: From 01/3 to 17/3: Maria de Lourdes SARDINHA (Local Cruise Leader), Francisco de ALMEIDA, Geraldina de ASSUNÇÃO, Bomba BAZICA, Paulo BRINCA, Guillerme CAMARADA, Lia NETO, Pedro PANZO, Marcelo TCHICULUPITI. From 18/3 to 26/3: Maria de Lourdes SARDINHA (Local Cruise Leader), Nilsa ALVES, Paulo BRINCA, Guillerme CAMARADA, Enoque CANGAJO, Vanequissa JONICO, Lia NETO, Pedro PANZO

From IMR, Norway: Åge HØINES (Cruise Leader 1/3-17/3), Sigbjørn MEHL (Cruise Leader 17/3-26/3), Magne OLSEN, Haraldur EINARSSON, Tore NILSEN and Jan Frode WILHELMSEN.

From South Africa: Dennis TWEDDLE (GALB Smith Institute of Ichthyology, Graham Town).

1.3 Narrative

The vessel left Walvis Bay, Namibia, in the afternoon 1st of March and steamed northwards. The survey started with the hydrographic transects at Namibe and Baia dos Tigres. Benguela ($12^{\circ} 35' S$) was reached in the late evening of 4 March and during the next 11 days the central region of the Angolan coast from Benguela to Luanda ($9^{\circ} 00' S$) was covered. Also a few course tracks north of Luanda were done. In the central region the hydrographic transects at Lobito, Pta. do Morro and Pta. das Palmerinhas were performed. The vessel called into port at Luanda at noon 16 March to exchange crew and cruise leader and departed after noon 18 March to resume the survey of the northern region.

Late after noon 18 March the coverage of the northern region from Luanda to Congo River ($9^{\circ} 00'$ to $6^{\circ} 00' S$) continued. The coverage of the northern part of the northern region was partly impeded by the many restrictions in this area due to oil exploitation, but also from large areas of rough bottom conditions, and the inshore areas from N'zeto to the Congo River were not satisfactorily covered. Due to special circumstances the survey ended on 25 March just south of $6^{\circ} 30' S$, and the two northernmost course tracks were not taken. In this region only the hydrographic transect at Ambriz was done. The cruise finished 26 March when 'Dr. Fridtjof Nansen' called at Luanda.

Course tracks were set approximately 15 nautical miles (NM) apart, covering the shelf and the slope to 800 m depth. Semi-random swept-area hauls, allocated according to the area of each 100 m depth stratum, were carried out on the shelf during daytime, and on the slope deeper than 400 m during dark hours. Acoustic registrations of the resources were done throughout the survey.

CHAPTER 2 METHODS

2.1 Survey effort

Table 2.1 presents the survey area by depth strata, allocation of trawl stations, total number of successful swept-area hauls, number of hauls failed, number of CTD stations, and the distance surveyed. Table 2.1 also shows the allocation of effort relative to the stratum size as percentage hauls viz. percentage area, by depth, sector, and by the total area. The overall average coverage was 1 trawl station per 96 NM². Figures 2.1 - 2.3 show the cruise tracks in the southern, central and northern regions, respectively, and the locations of bottom trawl stations and hydrographic transects.

Table 2.1. Survey design and effort. Size of the survey area by depth stratum, allocation of trawl stations, proportion of stations relative to stratum size, total number of successful swept-area hauls, number of hauls failed, number of CTD stations, and the distance surveyed, divided into the central region (Benguela to Luanda), and the northern region: (Luanda to Congo River).

Region	Depth strata (m)									failures	CTD	Distance
	20-50	50-100	100-200	200-300	300-400	400-500	500-600	600-700	700-800			
Benguela-Luanda												
area (NM ²)	1068	1586	1439	407	372	343	346	268	357	6186		93
# hauls (BT)	12	18	16	4	4	6	3	3	4	70	1	
% area	17.3	25.6	23.3	6.6	6.0	5.5	5.6	4.3	5.8	42.4		
% hauls	17.1	25.7	22.9	5.7	5.7	8.6	4.3	4.3	5.7	46.4		
Luanda-Congo River												
area (NM ²)	1379	1969	1940	601	550	437	409	408	702	8395		71
# hauls (BT)	11	14	18	7	10	5	8	5	3	81	1	
% area	16.4	23.5	23.1	7.2	6.6	5.2	4.9	4.9	8.4	57.6		
% hauls	13.6	17.3	22.2	8.6	12.3	6.2	9.9	6.2	3.7	53.6		
Grand total												
area (NM ²)	2447	3555	3379	1008	922	780	755	676	1059	14581		164
# hauls (BT)	23	32	34	11	14	11	11	8	7	151	2	
% area	16.8	24.4	23.2	6.9	6.3	5.3	5.2	4.6	7.3			
% hauls	15.2	21.2	22.5	7.3	9.3	7.3	7.3	5.3	4.6		153	total hauls

A stratified semi-random survey design was used in the cruise (Table 2.1, Figures 2.2 - 2.3), with depth and area as stratifying variables. Trawl hauls were taken along transects perpendicular to the coast and with a distance of 15-16 NM apart. Allocation of trawl stations began with a sampling effort proportional to the stratum size (100 m depth intervals by region, Table 2.1). The planned design was sometimes slightly changed due to adverse conditions such as unsuitable bottom conditions, or in non-accessible areas due to oil exploitation in the northern sector.

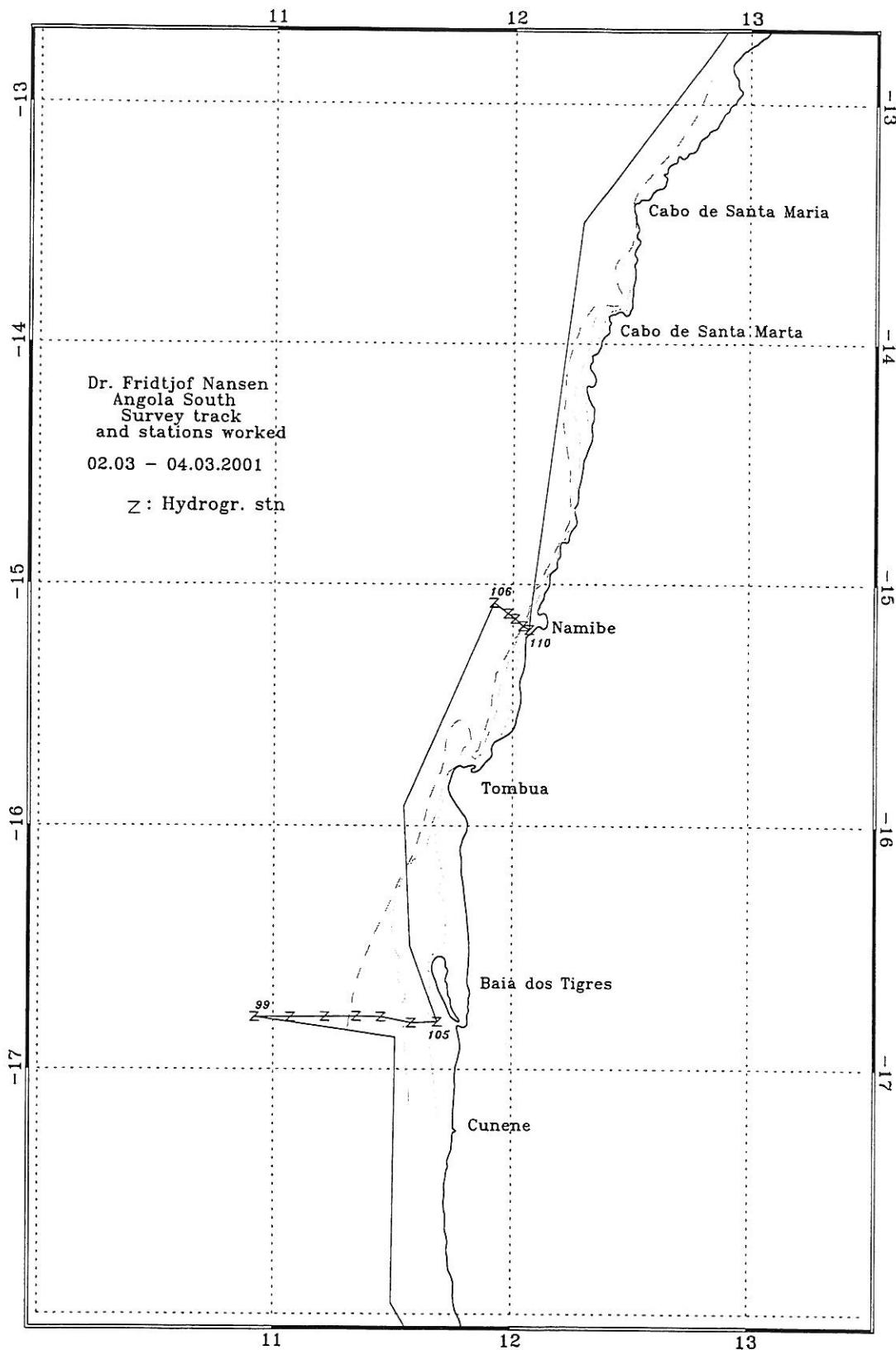


Figure 2.1 Southern Angola: Cunene to Tombua. Course track with hydrographic transects. Depth contours at 20, 50 and 100 m are shown.

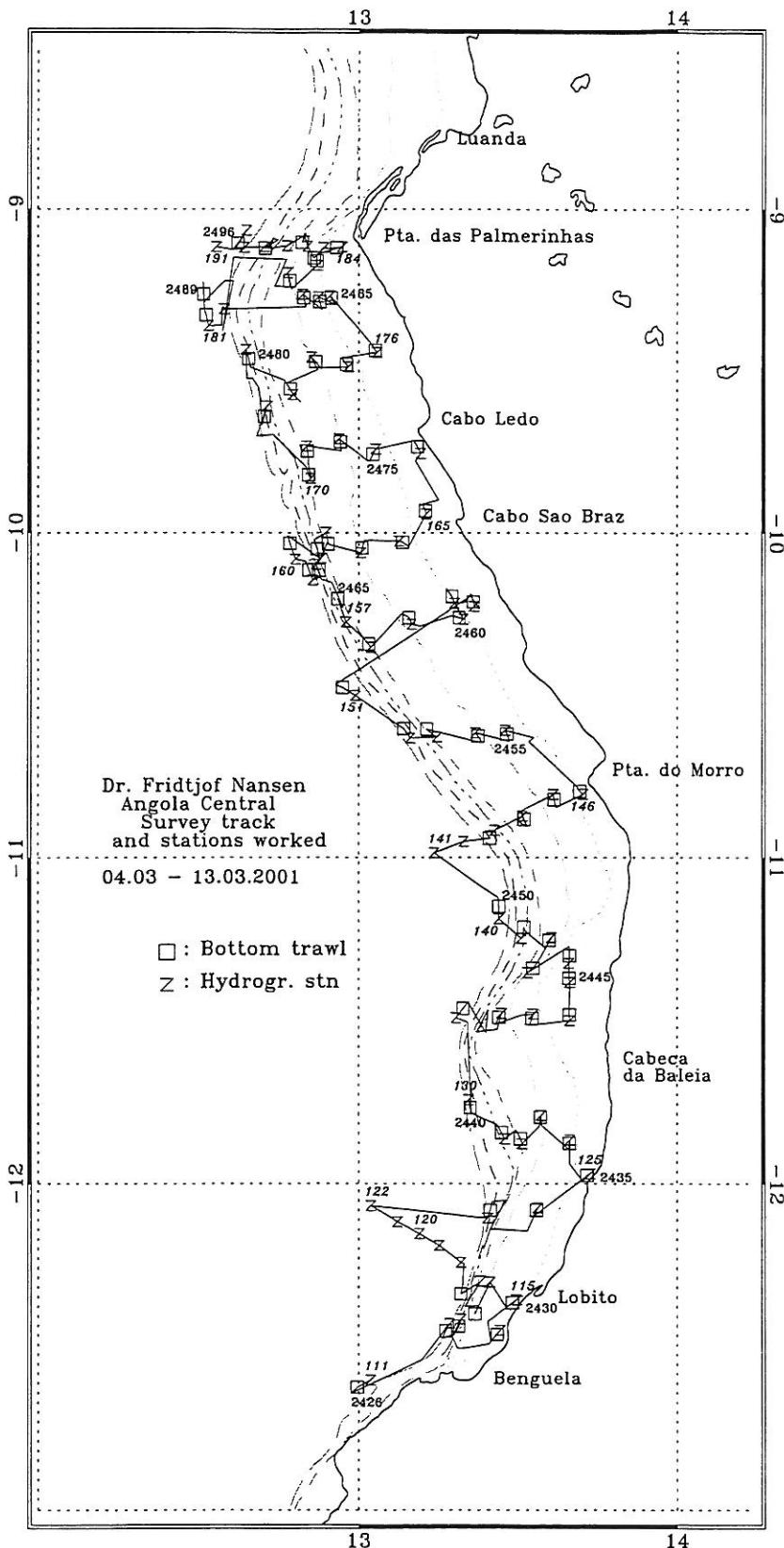


Figure 2.2 Central Angola: Benguela to Luanda. Course track with fishing stations and hydrographic transects. Depth contours at 20, 50, 100, 200, 300, 400, 500 and 600 m are included.

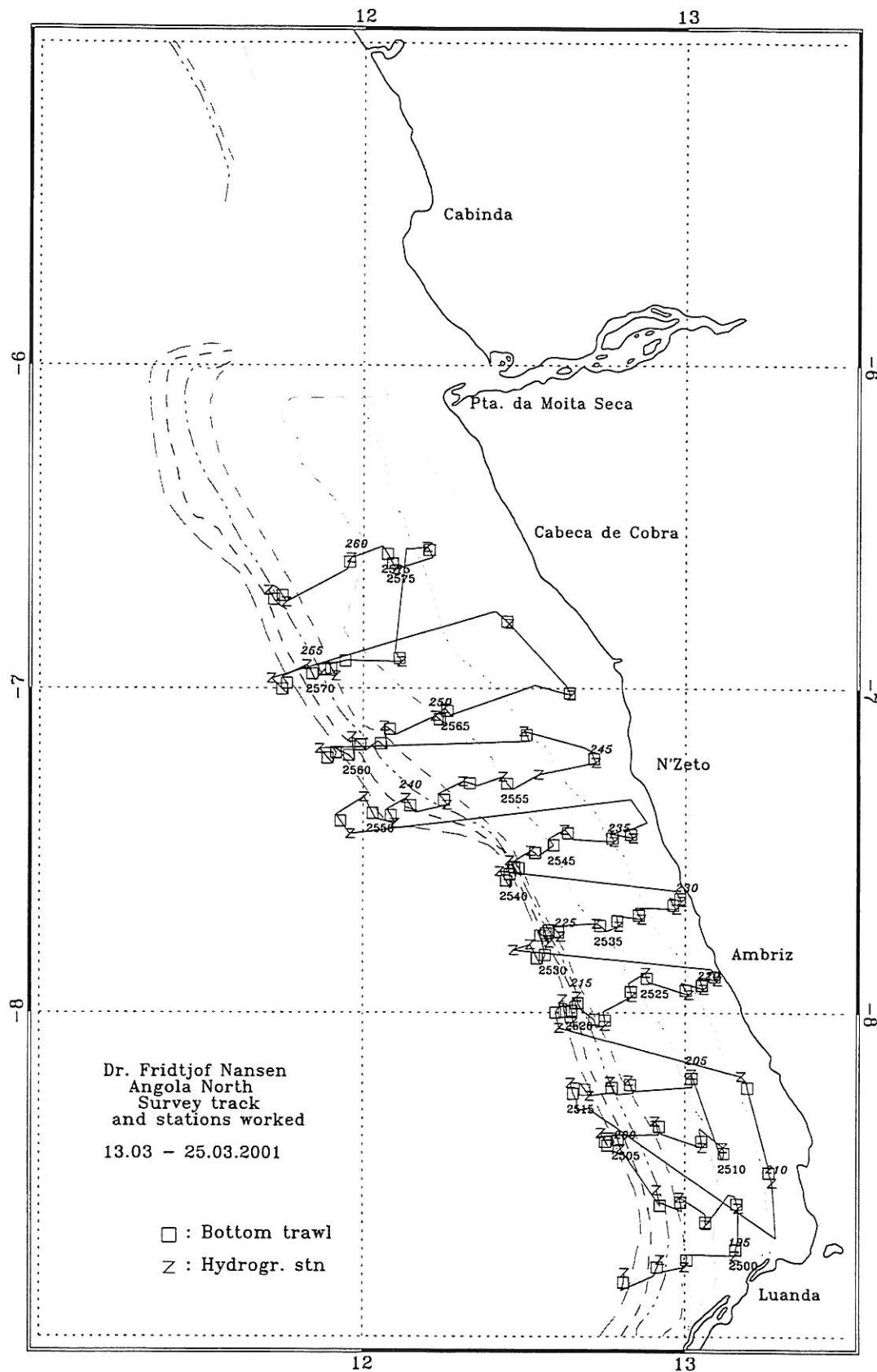


Figure 2.3. Northern Angola: Luanda to Congo River. Course track with fishing stations and hydrographic transects. Depth contours as in Fig. 2.2.

2.2 Meteorological and hydrographic sampling

Meteorological observations including wind direction and speed, air temperature, global radiation and sea surface temperature (SST) were automatically logged every nautical mile using an Aanderaa meteorological station. CTD-stations and current profiles with ADCP were recorded at most of the trawl stations, and at standard hydrographic transects.

ADCP current measurement

A ship-born Acoustic Doppler Current Profiler (ADCP) from RD Instruments was activated on every CTD station. The ADCP was set to ping every 4 seconds, the depth cell was chosen to 8 m and the number of cells to 40. As a routine the data were averaged over 300 seconds. Averaged data were stored on files. The data have not been analysed in this report, but this can be done by e.g. the PC software UMS (Underway Mapping System), supported by the Sea Fisheries Research Institute, Cape Town, South Africa.

Conductivity, salinity and oxygen measurements and water sampling

A Seabird 911 + CTD probe was used to obtain vertical profiles of temperature, salinity and oxygen. Real time plotting and logging was done using the customised Seabird Seasave software installed on a PC. The profiles were in general taken down to a few meters above the bottom. In deep stations however, data logging was interrupted at 700 m. At each station two Niskin bottles were triggered for water samples, one near the surface and one near the bottom, in order to calibrate the oxygen sensor. The water samples were analysed for dissolved oxygen using the Winkler method (Carrit and Carpenter, 1966). A total of 160 samples were taken for oxygen calibration. A linear regression of the Winkler determinations on the CTD values, separated into the southern and central region, gave the results shown in Figures 2.4 and 2.5. Based on the good correlation between the analysed water samples and the CTD values, it was decided to keep the CTD values unadjusted. On some stations in the southern and central region also one Niskin bottle was triggered at the thermocline to get water samples for nutrient- and phytoplankton analysis.

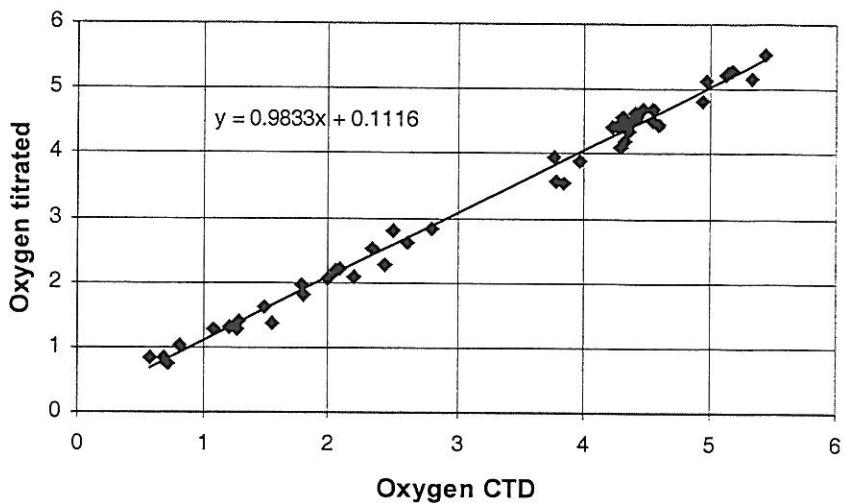


Figure 2.4. A regression of the Winkler-determined oxygen concentrations from the Niskin bottles against linear the CTD values obtained from hydrographic stations 99 – 151, southern Angola.

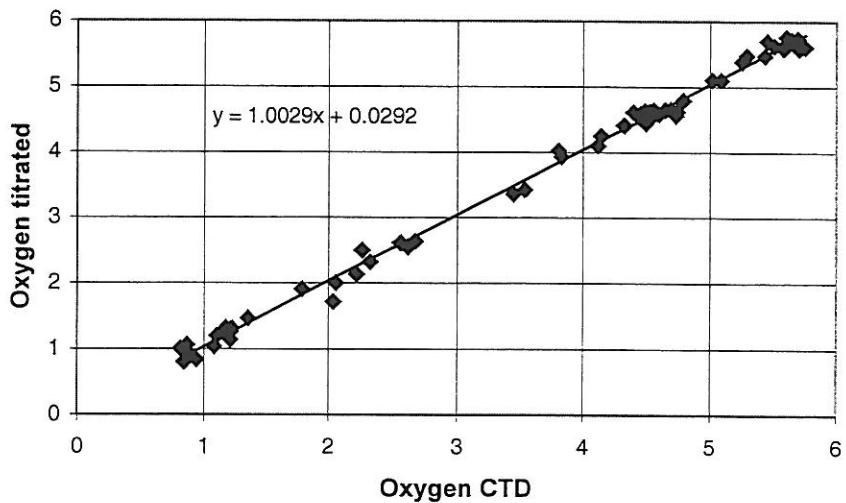


Figure 2.5. A linear regression of the Winkler-determined oxygen concentrations from the Niskin bottles against the CTD values obtained from hydrographic stations 166 – 199, central Angola.

2.3 Biological sampling

Sampling gear

A Gisund super bottom trawl was used during this survey with a headline height of 5-6 m and a distance between wings during towing of about 21 m. In samples taken deeper than 300 m, a tickler chain was attached to the footrope to improve the catchability of deep-water shrimp. During trawling deeper than 70-80 m, a 9.5 m long strapping-rope was fastened between the wires 130 m in front of the trawl doors, giving a constant distance between the doors of 49-50 m, irrespective of depth trawled. All trawl hauls were monitored by SCANMAR trawl sensors on the doors and on top of the trawl to accurately determine the door spread, the headline height, and the actual time the trawl was fishing on the bottom. A more detailed description of the fishing gear is given in Annex VII. Acoustic recordings were done with a SIMRAD EK500 Echo sounder, and the echo recordings were stored by 5 NM intervals on both paper and on files in the Bergen Echo Integrator (BEI) system for future analysis if necessary.

Sampling the catches

Catches were sampled (or sub-sampled for large catches) for species composition by weight and numbers. Length measurements were taken as follows: for fish total body length (cm) was measured to the nearest 1 cm below the longest lobe of caudal fin, and for shrimp carapace length to 1 mm below was recorded. The records of fishing stations are presented in Annex I. A total of 378 length samples were measured during the cruise. Pooled length frequency distributions, where individual samples are raised to total catch, of commercially important species by area are shown in Annex II.

The additional biological data collected consisted of body weight (1g); sex and reproductive stages by macroscopic examination, scoring each individually sampled fish and shrimp.

2.4 Areas and depth strata

Table 2.1 shows the areas (NM^2) in the northern region (Luanda-Congo River) and the central region (Benguela-Luanda). These are the strata used in this report for the swept-area biomass estimates. All biomass estimates have been integrated over all depths where the species, or group, was found.

2.5 Calculations

All equations and some theoretical background for the calculations are given in Annex IV. For conversion of catch rates (kg/hour) to fish densities (t/NM^2), a distance between the wings of 18.5 m was assumed to be the effective fishing area and the length of a haul, recorded as distance over the bottom, was measured by the SCANMAR and GPS. The area swept (a_k) for each haul_k was thus 18.5 times the distance trawled, raised to NM^2/hour . The catchability coefficient (q), i.e. the fraction of the fish encountered by the trawl that was actually caught, was conservatively (and for comparison with previous surveys) assumed equal to 1. Mean fish densities by species and strata, were calculated by the swept-area module in NAN-SIS (Strømme, 1992). Total biomass estimates by species, and their confidence intervals, were obtained from a stratified mean density estimator (using equations

1, 2, and 4 in Annex IV on a spread-sheet, Annex V) and raised to total area. Since NAN-SIS does not produce variance estimates of the mean densities (Annex III), the 95% confidence limits for the biomass estimates were calculated with the underlying assumption that the coefficient of variation ($CV = SD/\text{mean}$) is constant when catch rates in kg/hour are converted to densities (t/NM^2), in other words that the area swept (normalised per hour) was approximately constant for each haul. Coefficients of variation of the catch rates, by depth strata for each species or group, were obtained using the NAN-SIS GRAFER module, which is linked to the output of grouped species tables from NAN-SIS (i.e. single or aggregated catch rates by stations). Variance of the densities were estimated from the mean and the CV, and equations 2, 3, 6 and 7 in Annex IV were used to calculate standard error (SE) on the arithmetic mean and confidence intervals (see the spreadsheet BIOMASS.xls, and example in Annex V). GRAFER was also used to produce the tables with grouped catch-rates presented in this report.

CHAPTER 3 OCEANOGRAPHIC CONDITIONS

3.1 Surface distribution

The horizontal distributions of surface temperature and surface salinity (5 m depth) are shown in Figures 3.1(a and b) and 3.2(a and b) for the central and northern regions, respectively.

The temperatures in the central region, Benguela – Luanda, ranged from 28 °C near the shore to 30°C in the slope area. On average the surface temperature was 1 °C higher than during the 2000 survey. In the northern region, the temperature ranged from 27°C near the shore to 29°C in the slope. These values are slightly lower than those found in the same area in the previous survey, where the temperature ranged from 27 to 30°C.

The surface salinity distribution in the central region was characterised by very low salinity water due to strong rainwater run off. The salinity ranged from 32.5 psu in the slope area to 34.0 psu on the inner shelf between Lobito and Cabeça da Baleia. In March 2000 the salinity ranged from 33.0 psu to 35.8 psu. In the Northern region the salinity distribution showed slightly higher values: 34.6 psu near the shore to 33.0 psu offshore. In the last survey the values of salinity were ranged from 34.5–35.0 psu near the shore to 34.0 psu off shore.

The low temperature values (27°C) and the high salinity value detected off Ambriz and northern Luanda may suggest a mixing of local upwelled waters. The common feature for this region is the formation of pockets with relative coldwater masses.

3.2 Vertical sections

Fig. 3.3(a-b) shows the two sections worked in the southern region, off Baía dos Tigres and Namibe. Both transects had a relative flat structure. In the Baía dos Tigres area the surface temperature, 24–27 °C, was considerably higher than the surface temperature found last year with a difference of 3°C. A thermocline was found at about 45 m depth with a temperature of about 23°C and like last year the temperature decreased gradually to about 8°C at 400 m depth. Surface (5 m depth) salinity (35.6–35.8 psu) was lower than in March 2000 (36.0 psu), with the highest values on the shelf. The Namibe profile shows weak signs of an upwelling process but not convincing (Fig.3.3b) and anomalous hydrographical conditions are also present in this area due the high temperature and low salinity content. The flat isolines below 250 m depth suggest that a weak mixing process takes place between deep-water masses. There were no signs of low bottom oxygen content at the shelf, but low oxygen content was found deeper than 200 m.

In Fig. 3.3(c-e), the vertical distributions of temperature, salinity and oxygen are shown for the three sections worked in the central region during the survey, i.e. off Lobito, Ponta do Morro and Ponta das Palmerinhas. In this region all sections confirm the presence of a stable surface layer of warm brackish water and pronounced stratification of the whole water column due to the strong rainwater run off along the Angolan coast. In this region transects also had a relative flat structure. The surface temperature (29°C) was higher than in the south, and the temperature in the thermocline at about 30 m was 23–26°C. Salinity ranged from 34.3

psu at the surface to 35.7 psu at 100 m depth and then decreasing to below 35.0 psu at 400 m depth. Also in this region low oxygen content was found deeper than 200 m.

Figure 3.f shows the section worked in the northern region, off Ambriz. The surface temperature was 28°C, and the thermocline was at about 20 m. Salinity ranged from 34.4 psu at the surface to 35.8 psu at 60 m depth and then decreasing to below 35.0 psu at 400 m depth. This section confirms the presence of a mixing process and the isolines toward the surface suggest that a weak process of coastal upwelling was taking place. On this profile the conditions are more dynamic and the surface layer is broken towards the coast probably due to upwelling processes.

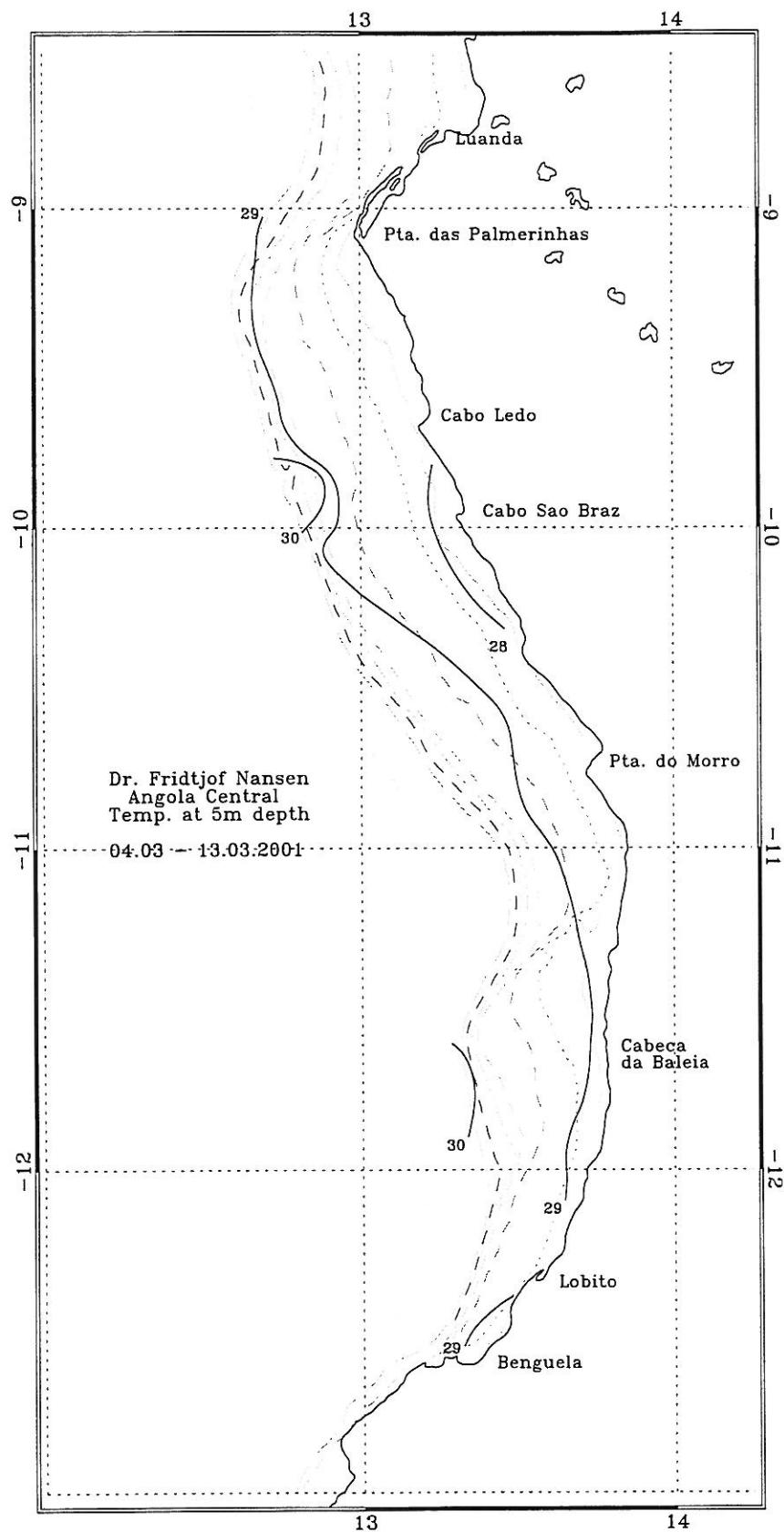


Figure 3.1a Central Angola. Horizontal distribution of surface temperature (5m depth). Depth contours ad shown in Fig. 2.2.

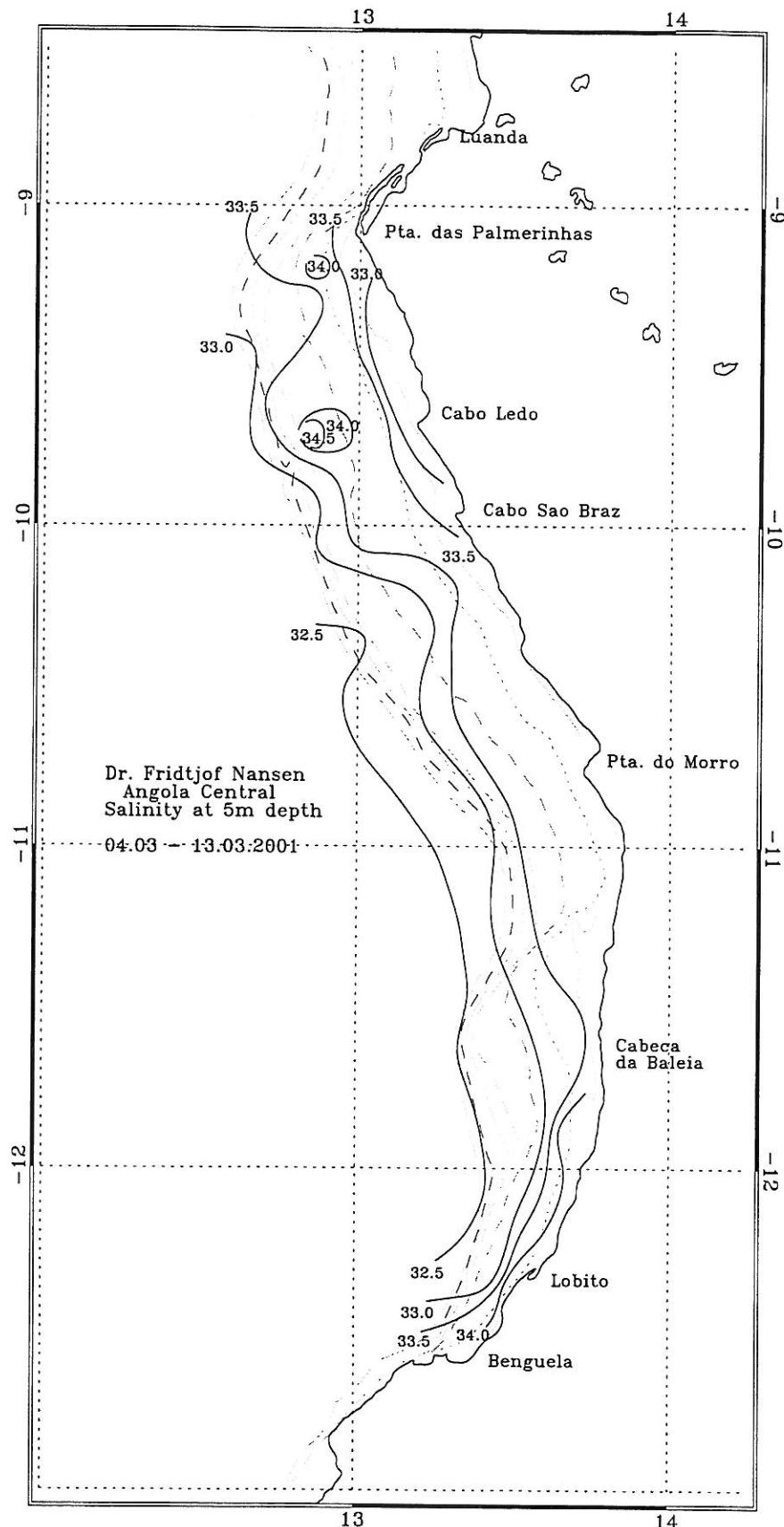


Figure 3.1b. Central Angola. Horizontal distribution of surface salinity (5m depth). Depth contours as shown in Fig. 2.2.

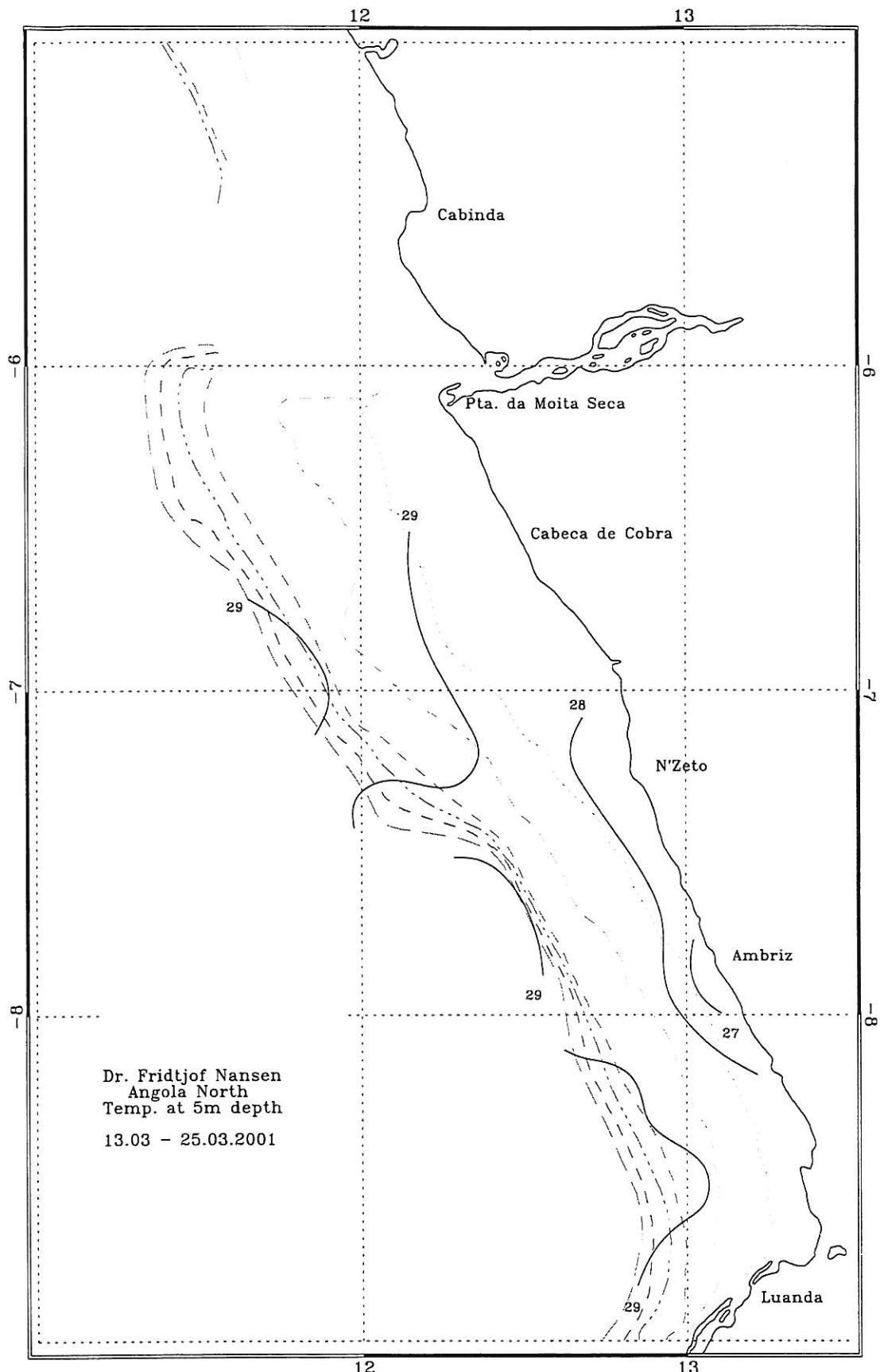


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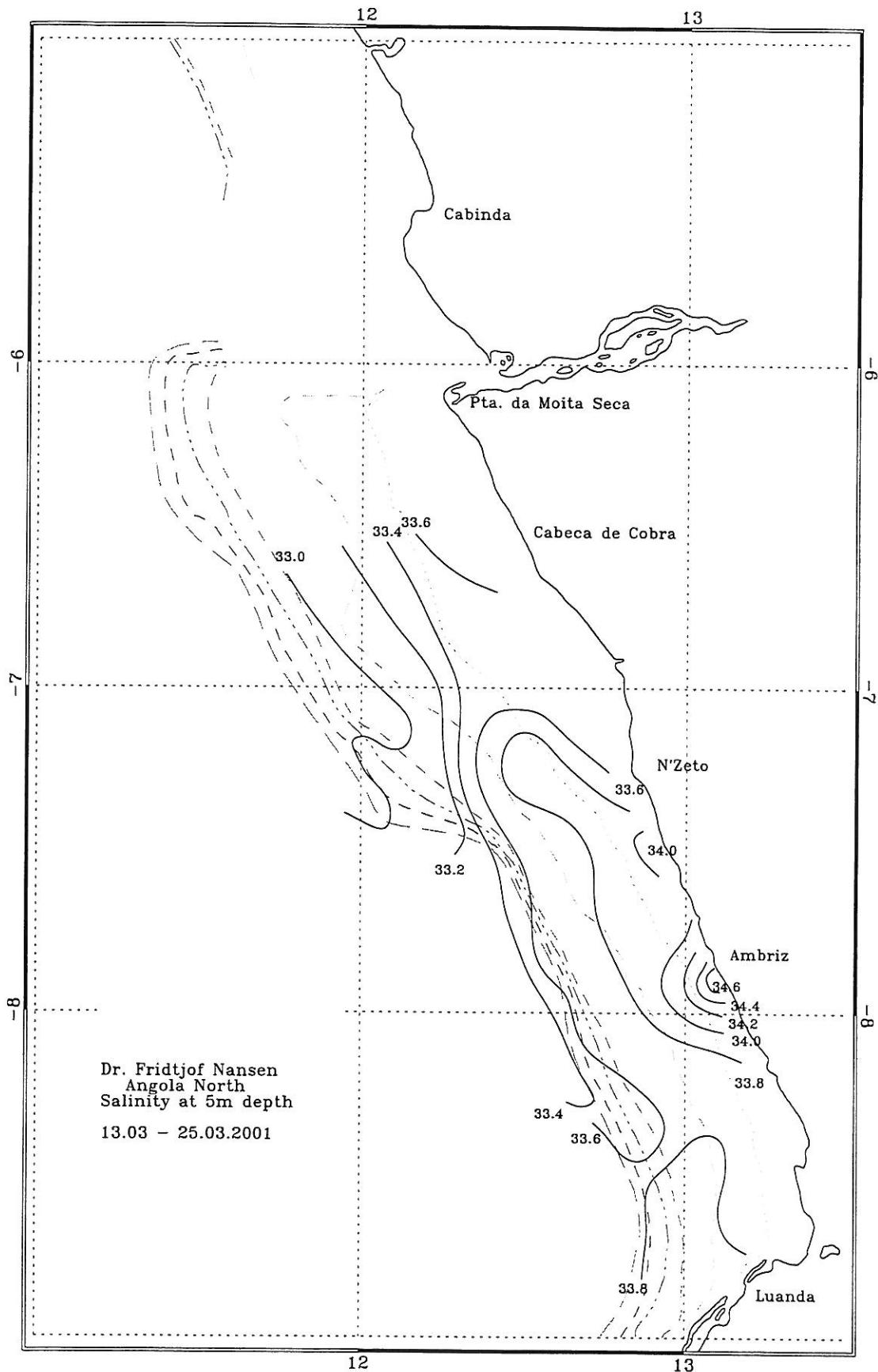


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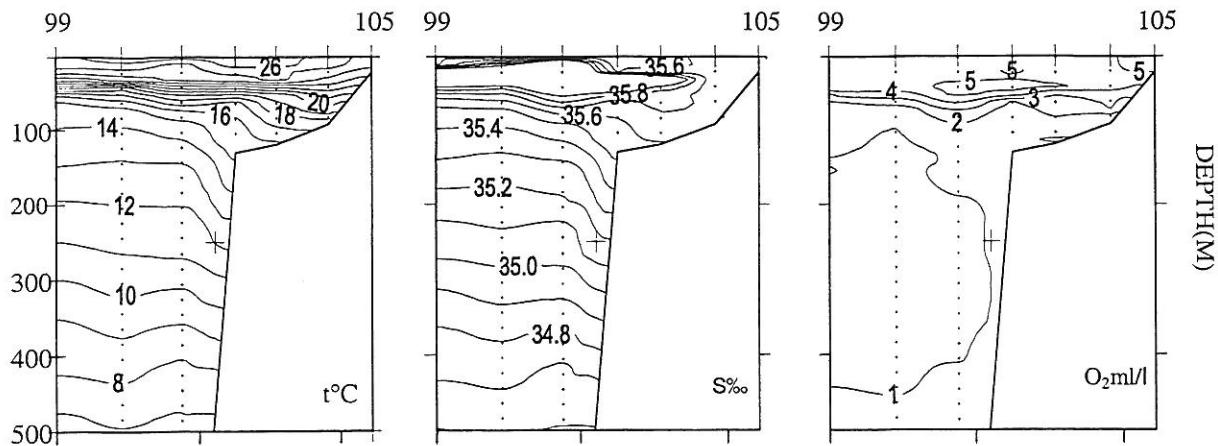


Figure 3.3a. Baía dos Tigres 03.03.2001.

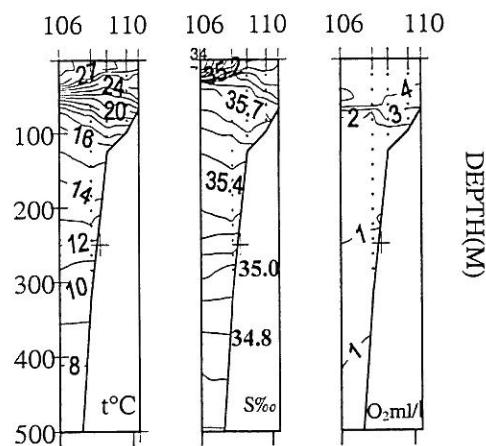


Figure 3.3b. Namibe 04.03.2001.

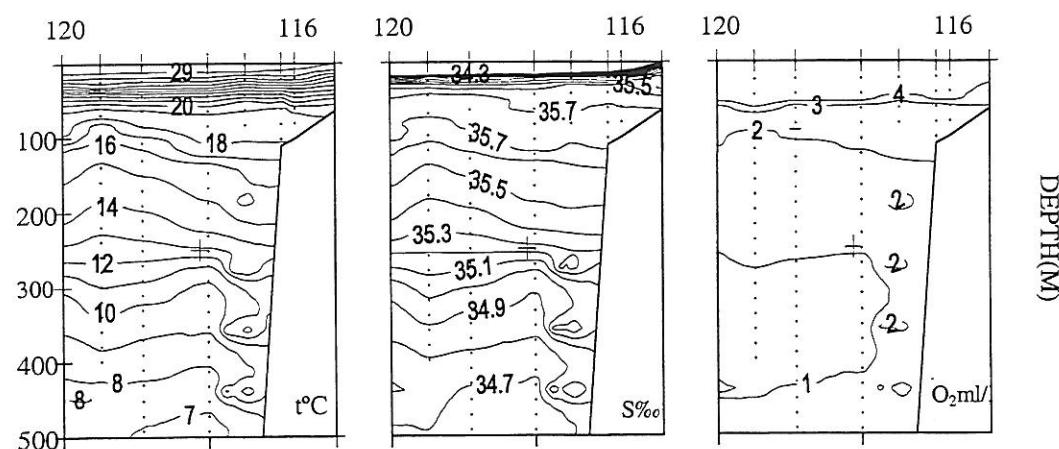


Figure 3.3c. Lobito 05.03.2001.

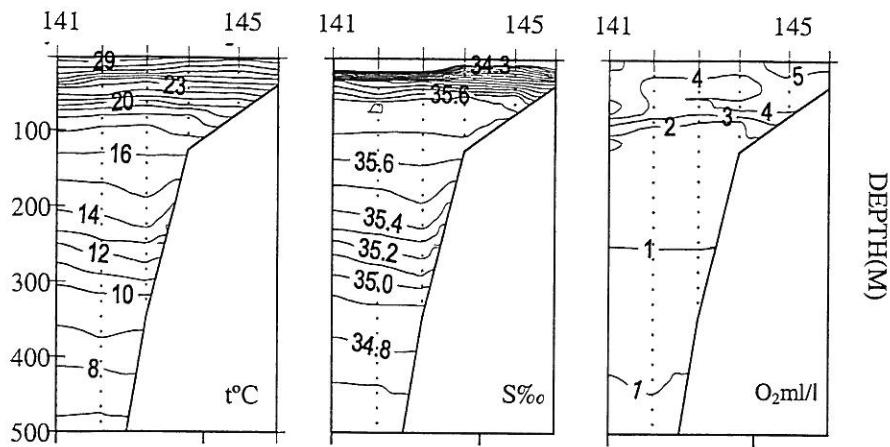


Figure 3.3d. Pta. do Morro.

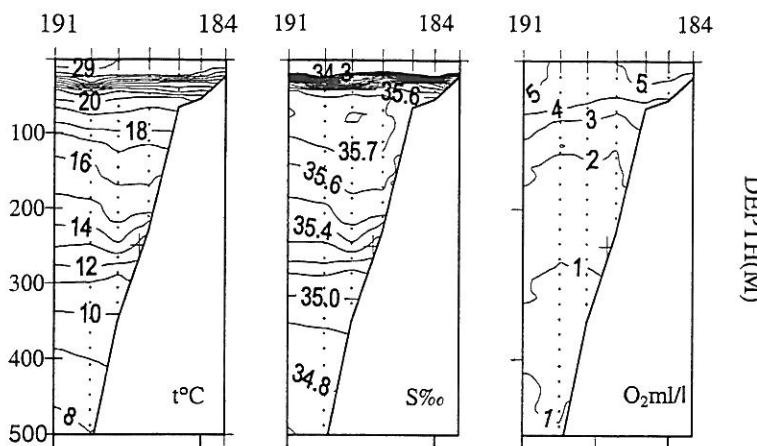


Figure 3.3e. Pta. das Palmerinhas.

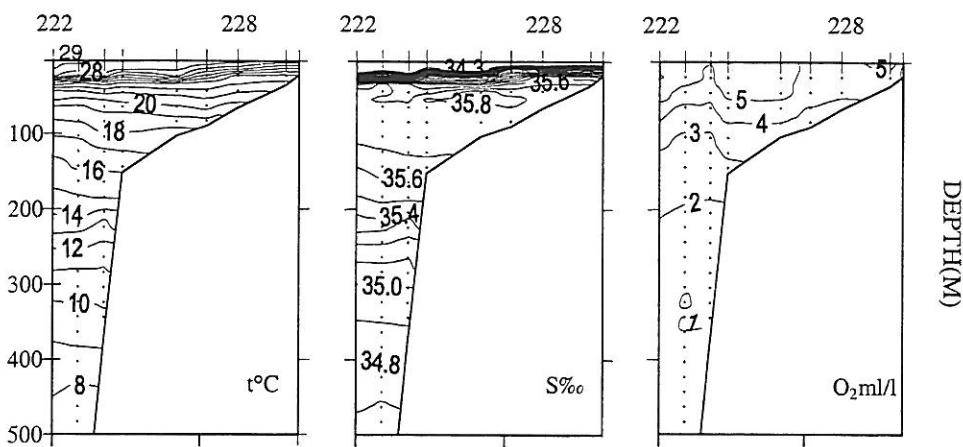


Figure 3.3f. Ambriz.

CHAPTER 4 CATCH RATES, DISTRIBUTION, COMPOSITION AND BIOMASS ESTIMATES OF DEMERSAL RESOURCES (SHELF)

Two different depth strata, i.e. the inner shelf (20-70 m depth) and the outer shelf (71-200 m depth), are used to present the total catches and species compositions on the Angolan shelf. However, it should be noted that several of the 'shelf'-species, particularly the Sparidae and the Sciaenidae, have a distribution beyond the 200 m isobath.

The locations of the trawl stations are shown in Figs. 2.2 - 2.3. Records of fishing stations and catches are presented in Annex I, and pooled length distributions (weighted by the catch) of main species by sector are shown in Annex II. Mean densities (t/NM^2) of the main species sorted by abundance and depth strata, the frequency of occurrence, and the catch distributions are output from NAN-SIS and shown in Annex III.

4.1 Luanda - Benguela shelf

A total of 46 successful swept-area trawl stations were accomplished on the shelf area (Table 2.1). Table 4.1(a and b) presents the catch rates by main species groups on the inner and outer shelf.

Table 4.1. Central region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) by main groups in swept area bottom trawl hauls on the shelf. a: Inner shelf (20-70 m), b: Outer shelf (71-200 m).

a) Inner shelf 20-70 m

STAT	Depth	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopods	Sharks	Other	Total
2429	42	261.6	37.3	2.4	0.8		51.8	354.0
2435	27	327.7	77.1	1.2	5.8		79.1	490.9
2436	66	368.2	182.8				29.2	580.2
2444	35	107.1	122.3		0.6		30.9	260.8
2445	33	25.4	100.9		0.7		8.4	135.4
2446	34		28.9		4.3		11.8	45.0
2447	54	0.2	1.4		4.6		6.1	12.2
2454	46	464.7	62.8		1.9		52.3	581.8
2460	33	7.0	119.1			2.9	17.6	146.6
2461	52	62.0	55.1		0.5		43.5	161.1
2462	63	4 349.6	248.6				73.4	4 671.6
2473	30	748.5	360.6				7	1 179.1
2474	24	22.7	33.7			4.3	3.3	64.0
2483	62	164.4	30.9		5.8		9.9	210.9
2484	26	25.8	35.0				58.0	118.8
2485	44	195.5	25.3	1.1	1.5	16.7	102.5	342.5
2486	65	55.1	43.5		0.4		0.6	99.6
2491	66	232.9	76.3		3.2		0.7	313.1
2492	39	168.2	7.1		0.2		18.1	193.6
2493	70	7.0	3.8		2.0		5.4	18.1
MEAN	45.55	379.7	82.6	0.2	1.6	1.2	33.6	499.0
SE		213.3	20.2	0.1	0.5	0.9	6.9	227.9
% CATCH		76.1	16.6	0.1	0.3	0.2	6.7	

As usual the 'Demersal' group dominated on the inner shelf with a relative contribution of 76%. The average catch rate was only about 40% of what was obtained in 1999 and 2000. The 'Pelagic' group contributed 17% and also had an average catch rate less than half of those found in the two previous surveys. Shrimps, cephalopods and sharks contributed less than 1% each and were much less frequent.

On the outer shelf the group of non-commercial species had the highest average catch rate, closely followed by the 'Demersal' group, and then came the 'Pelagic' group. The catch rates were higher than on the inner shelf, while in 1999 and 2000 the opposite was found. Like in the 2000 survey the most abundant species were *Brachydeuterus auritus* and *Synagrops microlepis*. Juveniles of *Trachurus trecae* also occurred quite frequently. Cephalopods, shrimps and sharks were more abundant than on the inner shelf, and their average catch rates were higher than in the 1999 survey and more similar to what was obtained in 2000.

Table 4.1. continued...

b) Outer shelf 71-200 m

STAT	Depth	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopods	Sharks	Other	Total
2430	73	931.9	427.2		27.0		184.7	1 570.8
2431	106	1 458.6	1 327.9		3.3		188.6	2 978.3
2434	87	36.2	363.0		3.3		25.6	428.1
2437	105	436.0	2.9		3.6		5.5	447.9
2438	191	37.6	17.9		8.9		144.8	209.2
2442	109	358.9	335.0		1.6		17.0	712.5
2443	77	460.5	154.4		0.7		21.8	637.4
2448	160	92.6	449.4	57.2	310.4		217.9	1 127.5
2452	125	98.4	281.1	2.6	2.6	11.5	251.0	647.2
2453	80	4 021.3	937.0	3.3			50.9	5 012.4
2455	84	669.4	121.5				13.6	804.6
2456	107	132.6	936.0		6.8		517.7	1 593.1
2457	168	45.5	0.4	1.9	38.6		197.4	283.8
2463	99	15.7	206.0		3.2	8.4	42.8	276.1
2464	178	229.5	28.9			53.2	9 688.7	10 000.4
2470	156	163.1	2.8		0.3		86.5	252.8
2471	96	10.1	352.0		0.4	7.3	7.3	377.1
2472	72	221.0	548.3				461.8	1 231.0
2475	83	381.2	456.0				24.2	861.4
2476	107	318.5	191.0		1.2	14.7	7.0	532.3
2477	179	93.9	3.8	0.3	3.0	2.3	164.5	267.9
2481	170	26.0	45.7	3.9	1.7		115.5	192.7
2482	101	389.0	61.7		6.4		39.3	496.4
2487	95	6.0	83.5		2.9		2.1	94.4
2490	108	51.7	98.7		8.7		15.3	174.5
2494	119	121.8	32.8		13.6		71.8	24
MEAN	116.7	415.7	287.1	2.7	17.2	3.8	483.2	1 209.6
SE		158.1	66.3	2.2	11.9	2.1	369.2	407.6
% CATCH		34.4	23.7	0.2	1.4	0.3	40.0	

4.2 Pelagic group

Catch rates of the most important pelagic fish families, caught with bottom trawl during this survey, are presented in Table 4.2 (a and b). Carangids dominated on both the inner and outer shelf with much lower average catch rates on the inner shelf and somewhat higher on the outer shelf compared to 1999 and 2000. Like in previous years the most abundant species were Cunene horse mackerel (*T. trecae*), Atlantic bumper (*Chloroscombrus chrysurus*) and African lookdown (*Selene dorsalis*). “Clupeids” were caught only on a few stations, mainly on the inner shelf, and consisted of *Sardinella aurita*, *S. maderensis* and *Ilisha africana*. In 1999 anchovies (*Engraulis encrasicolus*) were the most abundant clupeid, while this species was not encountered in the 2000 and 2001 surveys. Also barracudas were mainly caught on the inner shelf, while hairtail was found both on the inner and outer shelf, with highest average catch rate on the latter. Both groups had lower catch rates than last year’s estimate. Like in the previous survey scombrids were scarce.

Table 4.2. Central region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) of main pelagic families on the shelf obtained with bottom trawl hauls. a: Inner shelf (20-70 m), b: Outer shelf (71-200 m).

a) Inner shelf 20-70 m

STAT	Depth	Clupeids	Carangids	Scombrids	Hairtails	Barracudas	Other	Total
2429	42		2.9	2.6	5.0	26.8	316.7	354.0
2435	27	13.0	33.4		30.7		413.8	490.9
2436	66	0.3	111.3		71.2		397.4	580.2
2444	35	7.6	79.2		11.1	24.4	138.6	260.8
2445	33	0.5	97.6		1.0	1.8	34.5	135.4
2446	34		28.9				16.0	45.0
2447	54		1.4				10.9	12.2
2454	46		1		45.1	7.7	518.9	581.8
2460	33		109.1		1.0	9.0	27.5	146.6
2461	52	0.3	19.3			35.4	106.0	161.1
2462	63		187.4		16.5	44.7	4 423.0	4 671.6
2473	30		340.4		18.6	1.5	818.5	1 179.1
2474	24		33.7				30.3	64.0
2483	62		17.3			13.6	180.1	210.9
2484	26		32.7	0.9		1.4	83.8	118.8
2485	44		1.0			24.3	317.2	342.5
2486	65	0.6	24.5		4.1	14.3	56.0	99.6
2491	66	0.6	48.5		4.3	22.9	236.8	313.1
2492	39		7.1				186.6	193.6
2493	70		0.3			3.4	14.4	18.1
MEAN	45.6	1.2	59.3	0.2	10.4	11.6	416.3	499.0
SE		0.7	18.4	0.1	4.2	3.1	216.0	227.9
% CATCH		0.2	11.9	0.0	2.1	2.3	83.4	

Table 4.2 continued...

b) Outer shelf 71-200 m

STAT	Depth	Clupeids	Carangids	Scombrids	Hairtail	Barracudas	Other	Total
2430	73		28.8		398.4		1 143.6	1 570.8
2431	106		1 327.9				1 650.4	2 978.3
2434	87		247.5		111.9	3.6	65.1	428.1
2437	105		2.9				445.0	447.9
2438	191			1.9	16.0		191.3	209.2
2442	109		334.2	0.4	0.4		377.5	712.5
2443	77	5.4	124.3		16.0	8.6	483.0	637.4
2448	160			7.3	442.1		678.1	1 127.5
2452	125		278.1	0.9	2.1		366.1	647.2
2453	80		725.2		211.7		4 075.5	5 012.4
2455	84		119.1			2.4	683.1	804.6
2456	107		928.0		8.0		657.1	1 593.1
2457	168			0.4			283.4	283.8
2463	99		206.0				70.1	276.1
2464	178				28.9		9 971.4	10 000.4
2470	156			0.1	2.7		25	252.8
2471	96		307.4	11.8	32.8		25.1	377.1
2472	72		441.1		88.6	18.6	682.8	1 231.0
2475	83		392.3		15.3	48.4	405.4	861.4
2476	107		159.4		31.6		341.3	532.3
2477	179		0.8	0.3	2.6		264.1	267.9
2481	170		0.3		45.4		147.1	192.7
2482	101		19.5		42.2		434.7	496.4
2487	95		1.0		82.4		10.9	94.4
2490	108		61.0	7.3	30.4		75.8	174.5
2494	119		32.8				207.2	24
MEAN	116.7	0.2	220.7	1.2	61.9	3.1	922.5	1 209.6
SE		0.2	64.2	0.6	22.7	2.0	394.7	407.6
% CATCH		0.0	18.2	0.1	5.1	0.3	76.3	

4.3 Demersal groups

Table 4.3 (a and b) presents the catch rates of the most valuable demersal species on the shelf down to 200 m grouped into ‘families’: seabreams (Sparidae except *Boops boops*), snappers (Lutjanidae), groupers (Serranidae), grunts (Haemulidae except *B. auritus*), and croakers (Sciaenidae).

Like in previous surveys seabreams was the main demersal group on both the inner and outer shelf, but the average catch rates were considerably lower than those obtained in 1999 and 2000, especially on the inner shelf. *Dentex macrophthalmus* was the dominating species followed by *Pagellus bellottii*, *D. angolensis* and *D. barnardi* (Annex III). The second most important demersal family on the inner shelf was Haemulidae, grunts, and consisted mainly of *Pomadasys incisus*, *P. rogeri*, and *P. jubelini*. Croakers, mainly *Umbrina canariensis*, *Atractoscion aequidens* and *Pseudotolithus typus* were also common, and the second most important group on the outer shelf. Grunts, croakers and groupers were less common than in the 1999 and 2000 surveys. Snappers were as usual very scarce, found only on one station on the inner shelf.

Table 4.3. Central region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) of valuable demersal species grouped by families.
 a: Inner shelf (20-70 m), b: Outer shelf (71-200 m).

a) Inner shelf 20-70 m

STAT	Depth	Seabreams	Snappers	Groupers	Grunts	Croakers	Other	Total
2429	42	18.8		0.4			334.8	354.0
2435	27			1.1	125.2	59.2	305.4	490.9
2436	66	69.4			8.6	6.0	496.2	580.2
2444	35	16.6			25.4	2.0	216.8	260.8
2445	33	4.8			20.2		110.3	135.4
2446	34						45.0	45.0
2447	54	0.2					12.0	12.2
2454	46	33.1			22.3	19.7	506.7	581.8
2460	33	2.3			3.8		140.6	146.6
2461	52	12.3			45.1	3.2	100.6	161.1
2462	63	14.9			41.5		4 615.2	4 671.6
2473	30	163.0			8.7	9.0	998.3	1 179.1
2474	24	5.7			1.1		57.1	64.0
2483	62	127.3		3.1	12.6	16.2	51.7	210.9
2484	26	0.1	1.1		8.2	1.4	108.0	118.8
2485	44	21.5		3.3		57.4	260.3	342.5
2486	65	4.2					95.4	99.6
2491	66	7.3					305.8	313.1
2492	39	168.2					25.4	193.6
2493	70	7.0					11.2	18.1
MEAN	45.6	33.8	0.1	0.4	16.1	8.7	439.8	499.0
SE		12.1	0.1	0.2	6.5	4.0	226.0	227.9
% CATCH		6.8	0.0	0.1	3.2	1.7	88.2	

Table 4.3. continued...

b) Outer shelf 71-200 m

STAT	Depth	Seabreams	Snappers	Groupers	Grunts	Croakers	Other	Total
2430	73	34.9		12.6	68.4	24.4	1 430.6	1 570.8
2431	106	1 440.3					1 538.1	2 978.3
2434	87	11.5					416.6	428.1
2437	105	419.1				5.8	23.0	447.9
2438	191	29.2					18	209.2
2442	109	282.0				62.1	368.4	712.5
2443	77	127.3				3.6	506.5	637.4
2448	160	44.4				0.8	1 082.3	1 127.5
2452	125	78.9				9.2	559.1	647.2
2453	80	14.1					4 998.3	5 012.4
2455	84	125.2				8.2	671.2	804.6
2456	107	108.0					1 485.1	1 593.1
2457	168	44.6					239.2	283.8
2463	99	3.0					273.1	276.1
2464	178	229.5					9 770.9	10 000.4
2470	156	161.4					91.3	252.8
2471	96	4.3					372.8	377.1
2472	72	50.5		36.8		17.0	1 126.8	1 231.0
2475	83	60.3					801.2	861.4
2476	107	27.2			239.6		265.5	532.3
2477	179	93.9					174.0	267.9
2481	170	20.1			2.2		170.4	192.7
2482	101	4.2					492.2	496.4
2487	95						94.4	94.4
2490	108	19.4			29.5		125.6	174.5
2494	119	118.6					121.4	24
MEAN	116.7	136.6	0.0	0.5	4.1	15.5	1 053.0	1 209.6
SE		55.6	0.0	0.5	2.9	9.4	398.8	407.6
% CATCH		11.3	0.0	0.0	0.3	1.3	87.1	

Table 4.4a presents swept-area biomass estimates with 95% confidence limits for 1999 – 2001 and Table 4.4b gives the time series of swept-area biomass estimates back to 1986. This year's seabream estimate of 13 600 tonnes is one of the lowest in the time series, and only about 60% of the two previous estimates (1999 and 2000). Also the biomass estimate of croakers (1 700 tonnes) is one of the lowest in the time series and much lower than in 1999 and 2000. The estimated 3900 tonnes of grunts is slightly higher than the 1999 estimate, but only about half of what was estimated last year. The small biomass estimate of groupers (78 tonnes) is the lowest in the time series and outside last year's confidence limits. The sum of biomass estimates of valuable demersal species is 19 300 tonnes. This is the lowest since 1989 and the third lowest in the time series; in most years since 1991 this sum has been between 31 000 and 39 000 tonnes. The estimate is not within the confidence limits of last year's estimate.

Concerning the biomass estimates of the other groups and species presented in Table 4.4a, most of the results from the present survey are within the confidence limits of the 1999 and 2000 estimates and comparable to what has been obtained in most previous years.

Figure 4.1 shows the distribution of the seabreams in the region between Benguela and Luanda. The general distribution is similar to what was found in the two previous surveys, but with fewer and smaller areas of high concentration.

Table 4.4a. Biomass estimates (tonnes) with 95% confidence limits of valuable demersal and pelagic fish by main groups on the shelf in 1999-2001, Benguela-Luanda.

	Biomass in tonnes with 95% confidence limits ①								
	1999	1999	2000	2000	2001	2001			
		95% confidence limits			95% confidence limits		95% confidence limits		
Seabreams	19 960	8 224	31 694	22 452	14 731	30 173	13 594	5 029	22 160
Grunts	3 246	0	7 288	6 815	2 587	11 043	3 894	1 209	6 579
Croakers	9 907	0	23 857	5 435	2 787	8 084	1 745	255	3 236
Groupers	624	18	1 231	1 039	226	1 851	78	0	182
Sum demersal	33 737	9 449	60 047	35 741	24 839	46 644	19 311	10 437	28 186
Bigeye grunt	93 415	13 100	173 730	55 819	0	111 911	38 526	5 252	71 800
Horse mackerel	12 880	2 941	22 819	19 094	8 061	30 128	16 487	6 676	26 300
Other carangids	7 484	1 556	13 412	5 912	3 058	8 765	3 996	1 332	6 661
Barracudas	1 573	647	2 499	3 304	1 652	4 956	944	472	1 416
Hairtail	7 882	0	18 081	11 810	6 113	17 507	5 727	2 026	9 429

① Stratified biomass estimates are made from equations (1) and (4), Annex IV, covering the whole depth range of the distribution, Annex IV. Since NAN-SIS does not produce variance estimates of the mean densities (Annex III), the 95% confidence limits for this survey were calculated from the assumption that the coefficient of variation (SD/mean) is constant between catch rates in kg/hour and t/NM², in other words that the area swept (normalised per hour) is approximately constant during the survey. Coefficients of variation by depth strata for the various groups were obtained from the GRAFER module which is linked to NAN-SIS and equations (2), (3), (6) and (7) in Annex IV were used to calculate SE and confidence limits.

Table 4.4b. Biomass estimates (tonnes) of valuable demersal and pelagic fish by main groups on the shelf, by year of investigation. Benguela-Luanda.

	Biomass tonnes ♦										
	1986/I ○	1989/I ○	1991/I ♦	1992 ♦	1994 ○	1995 ○	1996 ♦	1997 ♦	1998 ○	1999 ○	2000 ○
Seabreams	9 300	11 100	24 580	28 000	29 200	21 800	19 000	21 650	*56 110	19 960	22 452
Grunts	2 700	5 600	5 500	2 000	120	3 400	5 230	2 320	*12 700	3 246	6 815
Croakers	5 500	1 450	19 000	2 000	4 010	13 290	6 140	8 490		9 907	5 435
Groupers	470	550	1 000	1 000	350	470	830	300		624	1 039
Sum demersal	17 970	18 700	50 080	33 000	33 680	38 960	31 200	32 760	*78 830	33 737	35 741
Bigeye grunt	44 600	18 500	18 500	52 000	2 990	29 500	31 120	44 110	34 765	93 415	55 819
Horse mackerel	21 000	7 200	48 500	75 000	65 100	4 200	37 090	42 480	5 500	12 880	19 094
Other carangids	3 100	8 500	290	1 640	2 790	8 400	5 360	16 120	2 360	7 484	5 912
Barracudas	1 900	3 000			740	2 700	1 540	4 810	755	1 573	3 304
Hairtail	17 300	12 500	4 100	1 300	26 200	5 300	5 080	23 120	47 351	7 882	11 810
											5 727

♦ Note that different surveys have used different areas, depth strata, and depth limits in the biomass estimations (see text)

○ summer season (February-March)

♦ winter season (May-September)

* Note these figures are overestimated

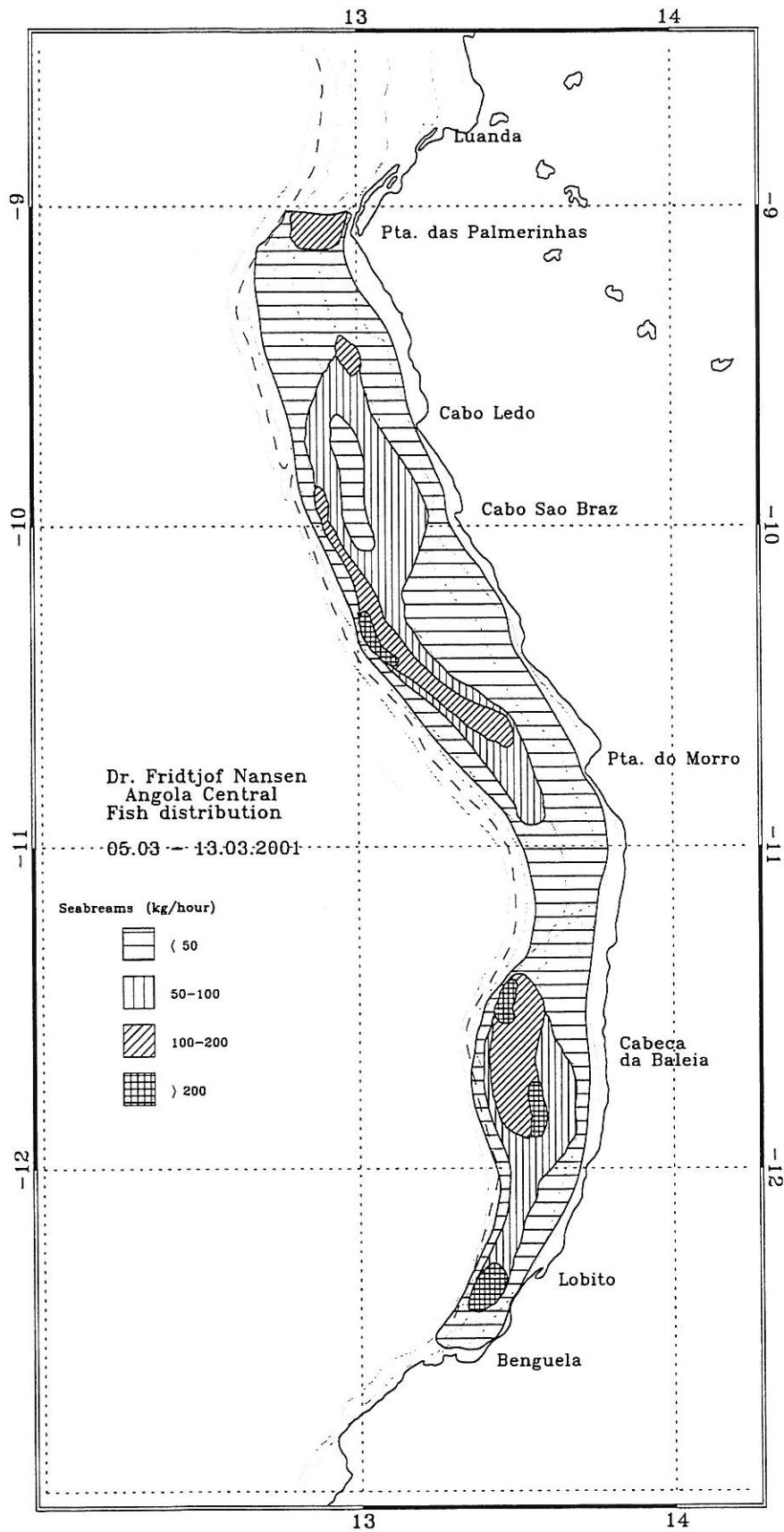


Figure 4.1. Estimated distribution of seabreams (family Sparidae). Benguela-Luanda.
Depth contours as in Fig. 2.2.

4.4 Luanda-Congo River shelf

The present survey covered the northern region of Angola from Luanda to around Cabeça da Cobra ($6^{\circ} 44' S$) (Fig. 2.3). The Cabinda region is now practically inaccessible to fisheries surveys due to the increased restrictions from the oil exploitation. However, most of the previous surveys have also covered the Cabinda region north to the Congo River. This difference in the survey designs should be remembered when comparing the biomass tables presented.

A total of 43 successful swept-area trawl stations were accomplished on the shelf area (20-200 m) in the northern region (Table 2.1). Table 4.5 shows the catch rates by main species groups for the inner (20-70 m) and the outer shelf (71-200 m). The group definitions are the same as for the central region and are given in Annex VI.

Table 4.5. Northern region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) by main groups in swept area bottom trawl hauls on the shelf. a: Inner shelf (20-70 m), b: Outer shelf (71-200 m).

a) Inner shelf 20-70 m

STAT	Depth	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopods	Sharks	Other	Total
2516	45	823.9	101.6	0.6			159.8	1 085.8
2517	44	309.8	84.3	8.7		25.9	42.9	471.5
2526	62	88.2	71.2		3.2		52.0	214.7
2527	42	85.4	47.4	0.1			4.8	137.7
2528	20	104.3	760.6			24.4	16.4	905.6
2537	67	17.9	19.8		1.5		2.0	41.2
2538	36	227.8	127.4	17.3		4.0	156.6	533.1
2539	25	285.5	23.6	1.1		9.2	54.3	373.8
2547	51	75.5	3.0		7.8	5.2	4.4	96.0
2548	36	21.3	2.2		0.9		6.1	30.5
2556	32	39.8					3.6	43.4
2557	53	18.6					0.9	19.5
2566	24	60.3	5.3				69.4	134.9
2567	24	33.0	15.6				1.6	50.3
2574	48	60.8			3.2		1.3	65.2
MEAN	40.6	150.1	84.1	1.9	1.1	4.6	38.4	280.2
SE		54.0	49.5	1.2	0.6	2.3	13.9	86.5
% CATCH		53.6	30.0	0.7	0.4	1.6	13.7	

On the inner shelf, the “Demersal” group dominated with a contribution of 54% from the total catches. However the mean catch rate was less than half the values obtained in the central region, and somewhat lower than the one found in March 2000 when the demersal group did not dominate the overall catches. The mean catch rate of the “Pelagic” group was less than half of what was obtained in the previous survey. Shrimps, cephalopods and sharks were like in previous years much less frequent and contributed little.

On the outer shelf the “Pelagic” group was the most important with a relative contribution of 45%, while the “Demersal” group contributed about 35%. Also here the mean catch rate of the “Demersal” group was less than half of that in the central region, and also considerably lower than in March 2000. The “Pelagic” group had catch rates similar to what was found in

the central region and somewhat higher than those obtained during last year's survey. Cephalopods were more abundant than on the inner shelf, while sharks and shrimps was less frequent.

Table 4.5 continued...

b) Outer shelf 71-200 m

STAT	Depth	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopods	Sharks	Other	Total
2499	184	10.7	0.2	6.8			34.4	52.0
2500	83	506.6	202.4				144.0	853.0
2501	82	228.1	1 744.8		97.2		321.6	2 391.7
2502	113	53.6	57.6		3.6		3.4	118.3
2503	187	36.2	31.2	10.8	1.4		307.7	387.4
2508	167	8.5	2.5	5.3	0.2		23.8	40.3
2509	109		16.9				0.0	16.9
2510	89	466.5	117.2		8.2	9.7	25.6	627.1
2511	97	821.0	93.9		2.1		11.7	928.8
2512	174	5.0	1 846.7	2.3	8.1		110.1	1 972.3
2523	131	23.7	2.8		0.3	12.5	5.5	44.8
2524	106	21.4	9.7		0.8		6.1	37.9
2525	87	142.0	6.3		1.7		4.8	154.7
2534	159	34.3	180.1		3.5		38.9	256.8
2535	101	7.1	17.7		5.8		14.1	44.7
2536	88	39.9	6.4		5.6		3.9	55.8
2544	114	245.7	45.1		0.4		96.3	387.5
2545	101	693.3	40.8		1.3		4.4	739.8
2546	82	36.2	0.6		0.3		10.2	47.3
2554	146	27.6	193.2		0.3		13.0	234.0
2555	102	71.9	3.1		8.6		13.8	97.3
2563	135	59	844.7		2.0		649.5	2 086.2
2564	108	77.0	32.6		20.3		4.1	134.0
2565	94	74.3	34.7		1.1		6.3	116.3
2572	174	34.7	7.1		1.9		514.9	558.7
2573	90	112.6	2.2		0.6		4.8	120.2
2575	79	75.4	223.6				6.0	305.0
2576	110	67.0	90.9				3.4	161.3
MEAN	117.6	161.1	209.1	0.9	6.3	0.8	85.1	463.2
SE		43.6	90.2	0.5	3.5	0.6	31.1	123.1
% CATCH		34.8	45.1	0.2	1.4	0.2	18.4	

4.5 Pelagic groups

Catch rates of the most important pelagic fish families, caught with bottom trawls during this survey, are presented in Table 4.6, a and b. Like in previous surveys and like in the central region Carangids dominated in the inner shelf with a similar mean catch rate as in the central region but much lower than in March 2000. Cunene horse mackerel (*T. trecae*) was the most frequent species. On the outer shelf hairtails, mainly *Trichiurus lepturus*, had the highest mean catch rate, about three times higher than the carangids. In the previous survey and in the central region carangids dominated also in the outer shelf. Barracudas were mainly caught on the inner shelf, while scombrids were a little more frequent on the outer shelf. Clupeids, with *I. africana*, *S. aurita* and *S. maderensis*, occurred on a few stations mainly on the inner shelf.

Table 4.6. Northern region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) of main pelagic families on the shelf obtained with bottom trawl hauls. a: Inner shelf (20-70 m), b: Outer shelf (71-200 m).

a) Inner shelf 20-70 m

STAT	Depth	Clupeids	Carangids	Scombrids	Hairtails	Barracudas	Other	Total
2516	45	10.4	88.1	3.0			984.2	1 085.8
2517	44	27.8	9.0		2.5	45.1	387.2	471.5
2526	62	0.6	2		45.6	5.2	143.5	214.7
2527	42	0.1	34.3		2.2	10.7	90.3	137.7
2528	20	22.9	646.2	1.3	7.7	82.4	145.1	905.6
2537	67				19.8		21.4	41.2
2538	36	39.6	3		6.5	51.4	405.7	533.1
2539	25	7.3	0.4		16.0		350.2	373.8
2547	51			3.0			92.9	96.0
2548	36		2.2				28.3	30.5
2556	32						43.4	43.4
2557	53						19.5	19.5
2566	24		5.3				129.6	134.9
2567	24		15.6				34.6	50.3
2574	48						65.2	65.2
MEAN	40.6	7.2	56.7	0.5	6.7	13.0	196.1	280.2
SE		3.3	42.5	0.3	3.2	6.6	66.0	86.5
% CATCH		2.6	20.3	0.2	2.4	4.6	70.0	

b) Outer shelf 71-200 m

STAT	Depth	Clupeids	Carangids	Scombrids	Hairtail	Barracudas	Other	Total
2499	184				0.2		51.8	52.0
2500	83	3.3	119.2	1.4	74.2	4.3	650.6	853.0
2501	82		120.8		1 624.0		646.9	2 391.7
2502	113		51.0		6.6		60.6	118.3
2503	187				31.2		356.2	387.4
2508	167				2.5		37.8	40.3
2509	109		4.5		12.4			16.9
2510	89		108.0		1.6	7.5	51	627.1
2511	97		80.9		10.3	2.8	834.8	928.8
2512	174	11.6			1 835.1		125.6	1 972.3
2523	131				2.8		42.0	44.8
2524	106	3.0	2.6		4.1		28.2	37.9
2525	87	0.6	3.9		1.9		148.4	154.7
2534	159				180.1		76.7	256.8
2535	101		17.7				27.0	44.7
2536	88		1.8		3.9	0.7	49.4	55.8
2544	114		41.6		3.5		342.4	387.5
2545	101	1.4	38.0			1.4	699.0	739.8
2546	82		0.6				46.7	47.3
2554	146		8.0		185.2		40.9	234.0
2555	102				3.1		94.3	97.3
2563	135		837.2		7.5		1 241.5	2 086.2
2564	108	1.6	29.0		2.0		101.4	134.0
2565	94	3.2	31.5				81.6	116.3
2572	174		0.3		6.9		551.5	558.7
2573	90		2.2				118.0	120.2
2575	79		14.0		209.6		81.4	305.0
2576	110		87.7		3.2		70.4	161.3
MEAN	117.6	0.9	57.2	0.1	150.4	0.6	254.1	463.2
SE		0.4	29.8	0.1	85.2	0.3	59.6	123.1
% CATCH		0.2	12.3	0.0	32.5	0.1	54.9	

4.6 Demersal groups

Table 4.7 (a and b) presents the catch rates of the most valuable demersal species on the shelf down to 200 m grouped into ‘families’: seabreams (Sparidae except *B. boops*), snappers (Lutjanidae), groupers (Serranidae), grunts (Haemulidae except *B. auritus*), and croakers (Sciaenidae).

Among the seabreams, as during previous surveys, *P. bellottii* was the dominating species in the north (Annex III), followed by *D. angolensis*, *D. barnardi* and *D. congoensis*. The mean density of *D. macrophthalmus* was lower in the northern region compared with the central area and *Pagrus caeruleostictus* was present only in small quantities. The non-commercial bigeye grunt (*B. auritus*) was the overall most important species among the grunts, with a mean density about half of what was obtained in 1999 and 2000 cruises. However this value is only about 25% of what was found in the central region. Among the commercially important grunts, *P. jubelini* was most abundant in the northern area followed by *P. incisus*. Snappers were very scarce in the northern region and were represented by only one species

(*Lutjanus agennes*). In this survey groupers (*Epinephelus sp.*) were more abundant in the northern region. During the 2000 survey groupers were less common in the northern region compared with the central region, but with higher catch rates than in the present survey. Mean catch rates of croakers, mainly *P. typus*, were slightly higher compared with the central region. In the previous surveys croakers were common in the north but with lower catches in the central region.

In general, grunts were the main demersal group on the inner shelf whereas the seabreams dominated in the outer shelf like in the previous surveys. However, the average catch rates of the seabreams were lower than those obtained in 1999 and 2000. The distribution of this group seems to be consistent with the previous surveys (Figure 4.2). The high-density area off Ponta da Moita is not evident in this survey since the area was not surveyed.

Biomass estimates of the commercially important groups are presented in Table 4.8 (a-b). It should be noted that the time series of the biomass estimates (previous values taken from earlier reports) and those of catch rates some times do not correspond. For example the seabreams had a biomass estimate in 1994 and 1996 around 3 times higher than those of 1995, 1997 and 2000, while the catch rates were only 16% and 30% higher in 1994 and 1996, respectively. Similarly, the mean catch rates of seabreams in 1995 and 1997 were identical (48 kg/hr), while the biomass estimates differ in 2 000 tonnes. Also for grunts there seems to be inconsistencies between the biomass figures and the catch rates. This calls for reassessment of the biomass figures. The biomass estimates for the seabreams in this survey is one of lowest in the time series. In general this year's biomass estimates of demersal species were low compared with the previous years but within the confidence limits.

Table 4.7. Northern region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) of valuable demersal species grouped by families. a: Inner shelf (20-70 m), b: Outer shelf (71-200 m).

a) Inner shelf 20-70 m

STAT	Depth	Seabream	Snappers	Groupers	Grunts	Croakers	Other	Total
2516	45	169.4	194.5		327.9	103.5	290.5	1 085.8
2517	44	39.5			65.5	16.8	349.7	471.5
2526	62	9.4			78.4		126.9	214.7
2527	42	0.9					136.8	137.7
2528	20				1.1	0.8	903.7	905.6
2537	67	17.7					23.5	41.2
2538	36	22.9		5.0	49.3	28.8	427.1	533.1
2539	25	3.4	3.9	28.9	52.0	122.7	162.8	373.8
2547	51	69.4		6.1			20.5	96.0
2548	36	21.3					9.2	30.5
2556	32	37.8		2.0			3.6	43.4
2557	53	18.6					0.9	19.5
2566	24	43.0		17.3			74.6	134.9
2567	24	33.0					17.2	50.3
2574	48	50.8		1			4.5	65.2
MEAN	40.6	35.8	13.2	4.6	38.3	18.2	170.1	280.2
SE		10.8	13.0	2.2	21.9	10.2	63.3	86.5
% CATCH		12.8	4.7	1.7	13.7	6.5	60.7	

Table 4.7 continued...

b) Outer shelf 71-200 m

STAT	Depth	Seabreams	Snappers	Groupers	Grunts	Croakers	Other	Total
2499	184	0.8					51.2	52.0
2500	83	12.3				5.0	835.7	853.0
2501	82	24.6				1.5	2 365.6	2 391.7
2502	113	53.1					65.2	118.3
2503	187	7.0				9.6	370.8	387.4
2508	167	1.3					39.0	40.3
2509	109						16.9	16.9
2510	89	107.0			1.6	6.9	511.7	627.1
2511	97	3.4				13.6	911.7	928.8
2512	174	5.0					1 967.3	1 972.3
2523	131	23.7					21.1	44.8
2524	106	18.1				3.0	16.8	37.9
2525	87	79.5			11.5	51.0	12.8	154.7
2534	159	34.1					222.7	256.8
2535	101	5.6					39.1	44.7
2536	88	39.7					16.1	55.8
2544	114	29.5					358.0	387.5
2545	101	106.6					633.2	739.8
2546	82	34.5					12.8	47.3
2554	146	24.5					209.6	234.0
2555	102	70.6					26.7	97.3
2563	135	571.2					1 514.9	2 086.2
2564	108	75.0					59.0	134.0
2565	94	66.5		7.8			42.0	116.3
2572	174	33.1				1.6	524.0	558.7
2573	90	112.6					7.7	120.2
2575	79	66.8		8.6			229.6	305.0
2576	110	64.9					96.4	161.3
MEAN	117.6	59.7		0.6	0.5	3.3	399.2	463.2
SE		2		0.4	0.4	1.9	116.2	123.1
% CATCH		12.9		0.1	0.1	0.7	86.2	

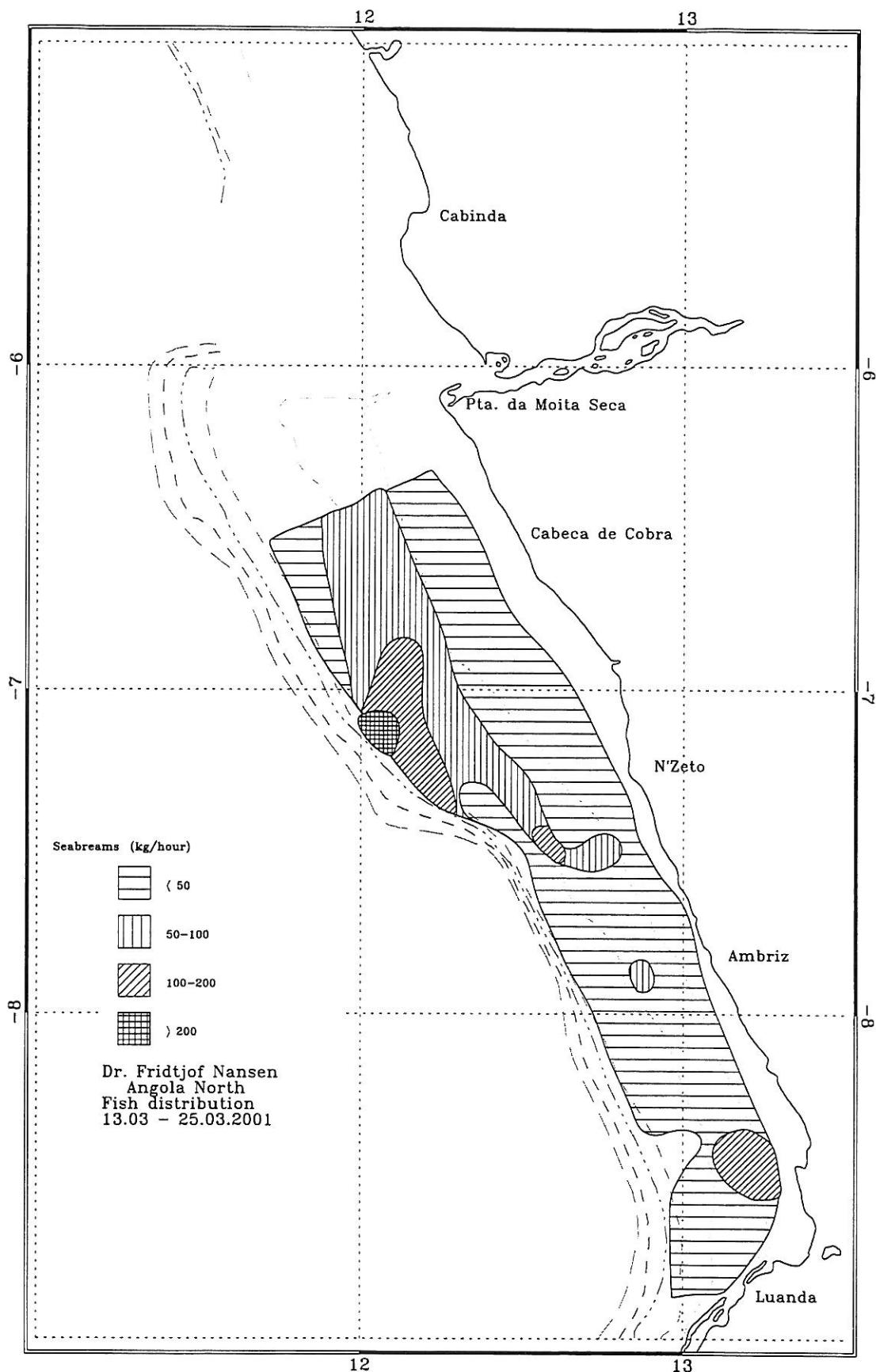


Figure 4.2. Estimated distribution of seabreams (family Sparidae). Luanda-Congo River. Depth contours as in Fig. 2.2

Table 4.8a. Biomass estimates (tonnes) with 95% confidence limits of valuable demersal and pelagic fish by main groups on the shelf in 1999-2001, Luanda-Congo River (2001 to north of Cabeça de Cobra).

	Biomass in tonnes with 95% confidence limits ①							
	1999	1999	2000	2000	2001	2001		
		95% confidence limits		95% confidence limits		95% confidence limits		
Seabreams	13 670	9 557	17 783	15 211	8 983	21 439	9 550	0 149 005
Grunts	5 630	1 187	10 074	380	0	838	3 475	0 7 616
Croakers	8 641	0	17 779	2 476	557	4 396	1 500	243 2 757
Groupers	1 020	274	1 765	639	288	991	793	0 1 724
Sum demersal	28 961	17 133	40 790	18 707	12 427	24 987	15 318	8 228 22 408
Bigeye grunt	37 669	19 172	56 167	22 774	3 705	41 844	12 631	2 505 22 757
Horse mackerel	4 170	1 659	6 556	5 373	1 634	9 113	5 490	0 11 314
Other carangids	12 409	3 051	21 766	17 850	0	37 491	3 823	0 9 327
Barracudas	2 371	736	4 405	1 164	0	2 761	863	105 1 620
Hairtail	16 931	9 460	24 401	5 690	1 384	9 995	17 789	0 37 131

① Stratified biomass estimates are made from equations (1) and (4), Annex IV, covering the whole depth range of the distribution, Annex IV. Since NAN-SIS does not produce variance estimates of the mean densities (Annex III), the 95% confidence limits for this survey were calculated from the assumption that the coefficient of variation (SD/mean) is constant between catch rates in kg/hour and t/NM², in other words that the area swept (normalised per hour) is approximately constant during the survey. Coefficients of variation by depth strata for the various groups were obtained from the GRAFER module which is linked to NAN-SIS and equations (2), (3), (6) and (7) in Annex IV were used to calculate SE and confidence limits.

Table 4.8b. Biomass estimates (tonnes) of valuable demersal and pelagic fish by main groups on the shelf, by year of investigation. The surveys between 1986-1997 covered the area from Luanda to Cabinda. The 1999 and 2000 surveys covered the area Luanda to Congo River, and in 2001 Luanda to north of Cabeca de Cobra.

	Biomass tonnes♦											
	1986/I ○	1989/I ○	1991/II ◆	1992 ◆	1994 ◆	1995 ○	1996 ◆	1997 ◆	1998 ◆	1999 ○	2000 ○	2001 ○
Seabreams	14 700	9 500	16 500	16 000	*31 200	10 100	*30 200	12 130	13 670	15 211	9 550	
Grunts	1 400	840	2 900	1 000	900	4 200	11 200	10 460	No	5 630	380	
Croakers	5 200	4 600	15 600	14 000	6 100	4 100	11 600	10 050	Survey	8 641	2 476	
Groupers	740	950	940	3 000	3 200	900	3 700	670		1 020	639	
Sum demersal	22 040	15 900	35 940	34 000	41 400	19 300	56 700	33 310	28 961	18 707	15 318	
Bigeye grunt	42 800	6 900	19 700	21 000	17 100	21 200	57 800	76 610	37 669	22 774	12 631	
Horse mackerel	11 900	9 300	12 000	20 000	18 500	600	44 700	50 950	4 170	5 373	5 490	
Other carangids	8 900	1 650	860	4 000	13 300	11 800	3 200	*143 790	12 409	17 850	3 823	
Barracudas	1 800	900	-	1 000	820	4 100	200	120	2 371	1 164	863	
Hairtail	9 600	2 200	8 300	7 000	8 900	11 200	6 700	9 190	16 931	5 690	17 789	

♦ Note that different surveys have used different areas, depth strata, and depth limits in the biomass estimations (see text)

○ summer season (February-March)

◆ winter season (May-September)

* Note these figures are probably overestimated

4.7 Review of results

Tables 4.4 and 4.8 show the time series of biomass estimates of the most important 'inshore' species for the central and northern region, respectively. For the 'demersal' species, seabreams, grunts, croakers, and groupers, the estimates of this survey are lower than the estimates in 1999 and/or 2000 and this is reflected also in the overall demersal estimates which is the lowest in the time series. The general impression is that few, if any, of the examined stocks have changed significantly over the past 5 years. The majority of previous biomass estimations lie within the estimated 95% confidence limits obtained during this survey.

For the 'pelagic' species there are less evident trends but somewhat more variation, particularly for horse mackerel, barracudas, and hairtail, although few of the changes are statistically significant different compared to the two previous years. Still, the pelagic species appear to be more influenced by the oceanographic conditions, with carangids fluctuating negatively with the warm, low salinity events in 1995 and this year.

As emphasized in previous reports, there is an urgent need to reassess the biomass figures in a standardised way, using the same areas, depth stratification, distribution ranges, and with proper confidence intervals. The work that was initiated as a separate activity within the co-operation between IIM and IMR should be carried on, including analysis of the statistical properties of the survey indices. The possible association between catches and the seasonal and/or annual oceanographic conditions should be further examined.

CHAPTER 5 CATCH RATES, DISTRIBUTION, COMPOSITION AND BIOMASS ESTIMATES OF DEEP-WATER SHRIMP AND HAKE (SLOPE)

The slope (from 201 to 800 m) of the central region (Benguela-Luanda) was covered with 24 swept-area hauls, and the slope of the northern region (Luanda-Congo River) was covered with 38 hauls. The distribution of the hauls by sector, position and depth intervals are shown in Table 2.1 and Figures 2.2 - 2.3. The results from the swept-area analysis by region and depth intervals are presented in Annex III.

Tables 5.1 and 5.2 show the composition of the catches on the slope by sector and main groups, using the same group definitions as in Table 4.1 (see Annex VI).

Table 5.1. Central region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) by main groups in swept-area bottom trawl hauls on the slope (201-800 m).

STAT	Depth	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopods	Sharks	Other	Total
2426	750	49.1	2.7	48.6	8.3	6.5	373.7	488.9
2427	523	295.7	30.1	31.7	17.0	6.4	166.7	547.6
2428	321	85.4	3.5	11.3	7.1		305.1	412.4
2432	594	52.2	2.5	15.1	12.9	2.0	242.3	327.0
2433	445	1.4	0.2	24.8		1.1	31.6	59.1
2439	272	207.7		4.9	59.5		137.4	409.6
2440	435	31.3	0.5	57.6	1.2	2.4	12.1	105.1
2441	639	56.6	1.1	22.2	6.5	2.3	435.3	524.0
2449	327	365.7	20.3	43.4		5.6	95.7	530.8
2450	620	37.0	8.1	13.6	7.1	3.4	90.0	159.2
2451	446	16.5	3.3	273.3	9.6	5.1	123.6	431.4
2458	415	117.4	2.3	153.4	1.6	1.2	89.8	365.6
2459	718	155.0		4.3	16.6		1 015.9	1 191.8
2465	234	273.6		3.5	15.1		437.3	729.5
2466	376	68.9	1.1	171.2	1.1		39.0	281.4
2467	532	5.9		48.6	0.9	0.3	57.5	113.2
2468	754			4.6	24.0	0.8	87.8	117.2
2469	297	61.2	12.8	2.1	4.7	206.3	281.2	568.3
2478	216	71.6	4.2	2.2	5.6		116.6	200.2
2479	459	117.9	0.3	4.9		6.9	49.6	179.6
2480	445	97.4	0.3	11.8	0.2	7.6	24.2	141.6
2489	774	2.5		2.9			159.0	164.3
2495	323	7.0	4.6	10.6	2.4		1 411.4	1 436.1
2496	674	20.7	0.7	36.1	4.9	20.6	134.5	217.5
MEAN	482.9	91.6	4.1	41.8	8.6	11.6	246.6	404.2
SE		20.5	1.5	13.5	2.6	8.5	67.0	68.5
% CATCH		22.7	1.0	10.3	2.1	2.9	61.0	

Table 5.2. Northern region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) by main groups in swept area bottom trawl hauls on the slope (201-800m).

STAT	Depth	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopods	Sharks	Other	Total
2497	540	51.9	13.9	42.4	3.8	18.2	136.5	266.7
2498	357	233.6	11.5	10.6	2.7		166.7	425.1
2504	369	249.0	3.3	24.6	5.4		384.6	667.0
2505	448	386.8	2.6	37.4	0.5	16.4	4.8	448.5
2507	629	17.7	1.2	137.7	6.1	53.0	93.8	309.5
2513	323	18.5	28.6	7.9	2.0		182.0	239.0
2514	569	0.2					17.8	18.1
2515	782	3.8	0.1	19.9	3.6		141.0	168.4
2518	688	36.2		114.2	15.0	0.4	733.4	899.2
2519	549	8.0		216.9	414.9	4.8	464.0	1 108.7
2520	453	54.2	4.8	568.8	7.8	0.9	235.5	872.0
2521	356	138.8	30.5	198.9	6.1		232.7	607.0
2522	241	62.6	80.8	4.3	4.0		395.8	547.6
2529	738	26.6		4.6		38.1	246.3	315.6
2530	550	8.7	6.0	196.3	0.8	13.9	150.2	375.9
2531	445	19.2	3.2	627.7		12.3	178.2	840.6
2532	338	7	73.1	23.4	5.0		389.5	561.1
2533	251	163.1	2.1	13.6	2.6		82.4	263.8
2540	647	31.7		268.7	24.4	9.8	475.2	809.7
2541	516	61.1	9.1	530.1	9.0	9.3	240.8	859.3
2542	343	131.0	35.2	68.8	1.7	1.4	250.1	488.3
2543	246	151.4	3.4	12.5	3.2	2.1	243.8	416.4
2549	745	2.4	14.5	9.4	8.2	5.7	342.6	382.8
2550	554	19.4	13.7	108.6	4.3	10.3	171.3	327.4
2551	441	47.7	119.4	40.6		8.1	229.6	445.3
2552	360	47.5	19.6	43.7	6.5	30.8	432.1	580.2
2553	228	185.5	12.3	3.1	2.1		327.0	530.1
2558	632	52.1	3.5	10.9	27.2	10.1	299.9	403.9
2559	522	40.7	13.6	18.0	1.0	5.0	157.7	236.1
2560	448	19.4	37.5	17.9	3.8	48.4	176.6	303.6
2561	344	40.1	51.2	16.1	8.9	3.2	284.6	404.1
2562	256	26.7	11.2	28.5	11.6	0.1	88.2	166.3
2568	629	122.2	12.6	20.2	14.2	5.0	368.1	542.3
2569	549	26.7	20.4	16.3	2.8	5.0	138.0	209.2
2570	341	24.8	13.5	21.6	3.0	0.4	238.4	301.7
2571	241	17.7		10.7	13.8		105.0	147.3
2577	284	20.9	11.4	3.5	6.6		841.4	883.8
2578	336	63.6	11.9	29.6	30.3	538.1	903.7	1 577.1
MEAN	455.0	70.6	17.8	92.8	17.4	22.4	277.6	498.7
SE		13.4	4.1	25.7	10.8	14.1	32.7	50.1
% CATCH		14.2	3.6	18.6	3.5	4.5	55.7	

As seen from Tables 5.1 and 5.2, the group of non-commercial species ("Other") was the dominating one. The "Demersal" group was the second most important and "Shrimp" contributed more here than on the shelf, while the "Pelagic" group contributed little. The overall catch rates of the "Demersal" group in the northern region were slightly lower than those found in the central region, while the "Shrimp" had generally higher catch rates in the north. Also the "Pelagic" group had relatively higher catch rates in the northern region than in the central, while on the shelf they were almost the same. This general picture seems

consistent with previous surveys. In terms of “by-catch” of the commercial shrimp fisheries, the central region ‘shrimps’ contributed only 10% of the total catches on the slope, while in the northern region this proportion is increased to about 19%.

5.1 Deep water shrimp

Tables 5.3 and 5.4 show the catch rates of the commercially most important demersal fish (seabream and hake), the most important shrimp species (*Parapenaeus longirostris*, *Aristeus varidens*, and *Nematocarcinus africanus*), and ‘other’ (i.e. by-catch) species on the slopes of the central and northern regions. As elaborated in Chapter 4, seabream is also a major component on the slope down to 350 m. In the central region the overall average catch rate of *P. longirostris* was less than half of last year’s estimate, while the average catch rate of *A. varidens* was slightly higher than what was found in March 2000. *N. africanus* was less abundant than in the two previous surveys.

Table 5.3. Central region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) by main commercial groups in swept-area bottom trawl hauls on the slope (201-800m).

STAT	Depth	Seabreams	Hake	<i>P.longirostris</i>	<i>A.varidens</i>	<i>N.africanus</i>	Other	Total
2426	750		31.8		34.0		423.1	488.9
2427	523		283.9		31.4		232.3	547.6
2428	321	36.9	48.5	11.2			315.8	412.4
2432	594		39.6		13.7		273.6	327.0
2433	445		1.4		4.3	11.9	41.5	59.1
2439	272	166.7	41.0	4.9			196.9	409.6
2440	435	0.5	30.8	1.5	9.5		62.9	105.1
2441	639		14.6	1.4	3.8		504.3	524.0
2449	327		365.7	18.9	0.3		145.8	530.8
2450	620		2.6		9.0		147.6	159.2
2451	446				4.8	263.4	163.2	431.4
2458	415		117.4	2.4	5.7		240.1	365.6
2459	718		1.6				1 190.2	1 191.8
2465	234		273.6	3.4			452.5	729.5
2466	376		68.9	4.9	5.9		201.7	281.4
2467	532		3.5		6.4		103.4	113.2
2468	754				2.0		115.2	117.2
2469	297	0.9	60.3	2.0			505.1	568.3
2478	216	46.4	13.6	2.2			137.9	200.2
2479	459		117.9		4.6		57.0	179.6
2480	445		97.4	0.1	3.6		40.5	141.6
2489	774				0.8		163.5	164.3
2495	323	0.8	5.5	1			1 419.8	1 436.1
2496	674		3.0		23.2		191.3	217.5
MEAN	482.9	10.5	67.6	2.6	6.8	11.5	305.2	404.2
SE		7.2	20.6	1.0	2.0	11.0	69.2	68.5
% CATCH		2.6	16.7	0.7	1.7	2.8	75.5	

Table 5.4. Northern region, March 2001. Catch rates (kg/hour) by main commercial groups in swept-area bottom trawl hauls on the slope (201-800 m).

STAT	Depth	Seabreams	Hake	<i>P.longirostris</i>	<i>A.varidens</i>	<i>N.africanus</i>	Other	Total
2497	540		31.8		8.1	31.9	194.9	266.7
2498	357		233.6	9.2			182.3	425.1
2504	369		249.0	3.8	0.3		413.8	667.0
2505	448		386.8	0.1	0.5		61.1	448.5
2507	629		5.4		1.2	134.8	168.1	309.5
2513	323		18.5	7.2			213.3	239.0
2514	569						18.1	18.1
2515	782				1.5		166.9	168.4
2518	688		5.8		1.5	112.6	779.2	899.2
2519	549		1.9		4.0	213.0	889.9	1 108.7
2520	453		49.4		6.0	562.8	253.8	872.0
2521	356		138.8	17.6			450.6	607.0
2522	241		62.6	4.3			480.6	547.6
2529	738		8.7		1.3		305.6	315.6
2530	550				1.1	195.2	179.6	375.9
2531	445		19.2	0.4	0.4	623.9	196.8	840.6
2532	338		7	23.0			468.0	561.1
2533	251		163.1	13.5			87.2	263.8
2540	647				1.6	264.4	543.8	809.7
2541	516		16.1		13.5	514.8	314.9	859.3
2542	343		131.0	68.6			288.6	488.3
2543	246		151.4	12.5			252.5	416.4
2549	745				5.9		376.9	382.8
2550	554		9.3		10.7	97.8	209.7	327.4
2551	441		47.7		8.6	32.0	357.0	445.3
2552	360		47.5	6.7			526.0	580.2
2553	228	175.9	0.6	3.1			350.5	530.1
2558	632		17.7		2.2	7.5	376.4	403.9
2559	522		16.5		8.7	8.9	202.0	236.1
2560	448		15.6	6.1	5.8	5.2	270.9	303.6
2561	344		40.1	14.6			349.4	404.1
2562	256		26.7	28.5			111.1	166.3
2568	629				1.3	17.9	523.1	542.3
2569	549		1.4		6.2	8.2	193.5	209.2
2570	341		24.8	17.2			259.7	301.7
2571	241		17.7	10.7			118.9	147.3
2577	284		20.9	3.5			859.4	883.8
2578	336		37.9	15.1			1 524.0	1 577.1
MEAN	455.0	4.6	54.4	7.0	2.4	74.5	355.7	498.7
SE		4.6	13.7	2.1	0.6	26.1	45.6	50.1
% CATCH		0.9	10.9	1.4	0.5	14.9	71.3	

In the northern sector the average catch rate of *P. longirostris* was slightly higher than last year's estimate, while the average catch rate of *A. varidens* was almost the same as found in 2000. The average catch rate of *N. africanus* was almost two times higher what was obtained in the previous survey.

Biomass estimates of the main commercial shrimp species are presented in Table 5.7(a-b). In the central region the estimated biomass of *P. longirostris* is one of the lowest in the time series and only about the half of the 2000 estimate but within the 95% confidence limits. The present estimate is, however, almost two times higher than the 1999 estimate and outside the confidence limits of that estimate. The biomass estimate of *A. varidens* is also one of the lowest in the time series, though it is quite similar to the two previous estimates and within their confidence limits.

Table 5.7a. Biomass (t) and 95% confidence limits of commercial deep-water shrimps by region in 1999-2001.

Region/Species	Year of investigation					
	1999	95% CL	2000	95% CL	2001	95% CL
Luanda-Congo River						
Rose shrimp	540	305-775	503	326-680	655	384-926
Striped red shrimp	148	75-222	180	103-256	246	147-347
Scarlet shrimp	42	5-78	8	0-17	+	
Benguela-Luanda						
Rose shrimp	227	82-372	758	232-1283	399	44-754
Striped red shrimp	503	102-903	382	270-494	424	207-641
Scarlet shrimp	14	0-30	3	0-10	+	+
Total	1474		1834		1745	

In the northern region, the estimated biomass of *P. longirostris* is similar to the previous estimates and within the 95% confidence limit. The biomass estimate of *A. varidens* is slightly higher than in previous surveys.

Table 5.7b. Biomass (tonnes) of commercial deep water shrimps by sector and year of investigation.

Region/Species	Year of investigation												
	1985/I	1986/I	1989	1992	1994	1995/I	1995/2	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Luanda-Cabinda *													
Rose shrimp	380	150	550	615	1110	1580	No	210	830	No	540	503	655
Striped red shrimp	-	1200	400	515	610	500	Survey	440	590	Survey	148	180	246
Scarlet shrimp	-	+	+	130	+	+		50	10		42	8	+
Benguela-Luanda													
Rose shrimp	-	3400	700	680	710	460	750	130	1780	847	227	758	399
Striped red shrimp	-	1000	370	570	890	940	730	850	370	1493	503	382	424
Scarlet shrimp	-	100	+	+	+	+	+	90	10	187	14	3	+
Total	5850	2020	2570	3410	3480			1770	3580		1474	1834	1724

* From 1997 the surveys did not cover the Cabinda region, north of the Congo River.

Conclusions

Table 5.7b gives the time series of biomass estimates for the main shrimp species. Although most of the values are within the estimated 95% confidence limits, the rose shrimp (*Parapenaeus longirostris*) shows cyclical fluctuations along the years of investigation without any general trend. As a short-lived species its abundance have a very strong dependence on the recruitment. Thus, fluctuations can be associated with the success of recruitment that may be largely influenced by environmental conditions. *A. varidens* seems to be more stable compared to the rose shrimp, but showed a decreasing trend in later years, particularly in the central region.

Judging from the observed general trend, it appears that most of the stocks showing fluctuations have peaked around 1997, which may indicate that common external factors are causing these variations. Anomalous oceanographic conditions, with warm low salinity water masses on the surface were found along the whole coast in 2000, resembling the conditions found in 1995. In this year's cruise the temperature was 1 degree higher in the central area and therefore could be one explanatory factor of the shrimp resources tendency to move to deeper waters. Thus, possible association between catches and the seasonal and/or annual oceanographic conditions should be analysed.

5.2 Benguela hake

Table 5.8 presents the mean catch rates in both regions by depth zones. The overall trend in the two regions seems to be identical with a general slow increase until 1997, followed by a fast decrease. The distribution appears to have been largely covered within the 600 m isobath and the decrease in overall catch rates and biomass is mainly due to stock changes on the upper part of the slope from 200 to 400 m. In the central region the mean catch rate obtained in the present survey was about the same as found last year and somewhat higher than in 1999. In the northern region the mean catch-rate was slightly higher than in 1999 and 2000.

Table 5.8. Benguela hake (*Merluccius pollii*). Mean catch rates (kg/hour) by region, depth range and year of investigation.

Region/depth	Year of investigation												
	1986/I	1989	1991/I	1992	1994	1995/I	1995/2	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Luanda-Cabinda*													
100-200 m	+	3	1	13	+	2	No	-	+	No	+	+	1
200-300 m	59	44	11	104	28	9	Survey	43	63	Survey	4	78	63
300-400 m	289	145	382	264	134	194		136	302		121	89	99
400-500 m	258	223	564	224	43	86		96	17		74	76	104
500-600 m	83	25	28	21	12	6		7	3		6	5	10
600-800 m	-	56	-	12	1	10		8	2		-	4	5
Mean	114	72	203	90	40	47		48	65		30	27	37
Benguela- Luanda													
100-200 m	6	8	+	31	49	3	39	15	98	8	+	5	3
200-300 m	161	167	30	112	122	23	51	31	301	149	25	192	97
300-400 m	822	82	384	220	55	196	197	330	44	423	87	153	122
400-500 m	433	291	394	174	64	80	121	116	93	247	88	50	61
500-600 m	45	44	180	39	52	27	8	44	2	9	1	13	109
600-800 m	-	-	-	10	5	30	3	10	-	5	-	2	8
Mean	378	93	138	91	63	61	74	95	185	140	32	47	42

* From 1997 the surveys did not cover the Cabinda area north of the Congo River.

Biomass estimates of hake are presented in Table 5.9(a-b). In the central region the estimated biomass was slightly lower than last year's result but within its confidence limits. The estimate is, however, only about one third of the biomass estimate from 1997 and one of the lowest in the time series.

In the northern region, the biomass estimates are similar to those of most previous surveys and within the confident limits of the two previous ones.

Table 5.9a. Biomass estimates (tonnes) with 95% confidence limits of hake by region, 1999 - 2001.

Region	Year of investigation					
	1999	95% CL	2000	95% CL	2001	95% CL
Luanda-Congo River	3 431	1 947-4 915	4 430	1 579-7 227	4 999	2 387-7 611
Benguela-Luanda	2 987	1 158-4 816	5 600	2 752-8 449	4 709	1 457-7 960
Benguela-Congo River	6 418		10 030		9 708	
Cunene-Tombua ¹	No survey		6 057	2 374-9 740	No survey	

¹⁾ Includes *M. polli* and *M. capensis*

Table 5.9b. Biomass estimates (tonnes) of hake by region and year of investigation.

Region	Year of investigation												
	1986/I	1989	1991/I	1992	1994	1995/I	1995/2	1996	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001
Luanda-Cabinda ¹	17 000	15 300	18 000	14 000	4 700	7 100	No survey	6 170	8 500	No survey	3 431	4 430	4 999
Benguela-Luanda	31 400	5 300	11 000	8 100	6 670	4 950	6 830	7 510	15 230	11 370	2 987	5 600	4 709
Benguela-Cabinda	48 400	20 600	29 000	22 100	11 370	12 050		13 680	23 730		6 418	10 030	9 708
Cunene-Tombua ²	1 100	1 200	4 000	5 600	No survey	6 057	No survey						

¹⁾ From 1997 the surveys did not cover the Cabinda area north of the Congo River.

²⁾ Includes *M. polli* and *M. capensis*

Figures 5.1 and 5.2 show the distribution of hake in the central and northern regions, respectively. The geographical distribution and areas of concentrations are similar to previous surveys. In the central region the areas with high concentrations are smaller than what was found in March 2000 and somewhat larger than in March 1999. In the northern region the highest concentration was found between Luanda and Ambriz.

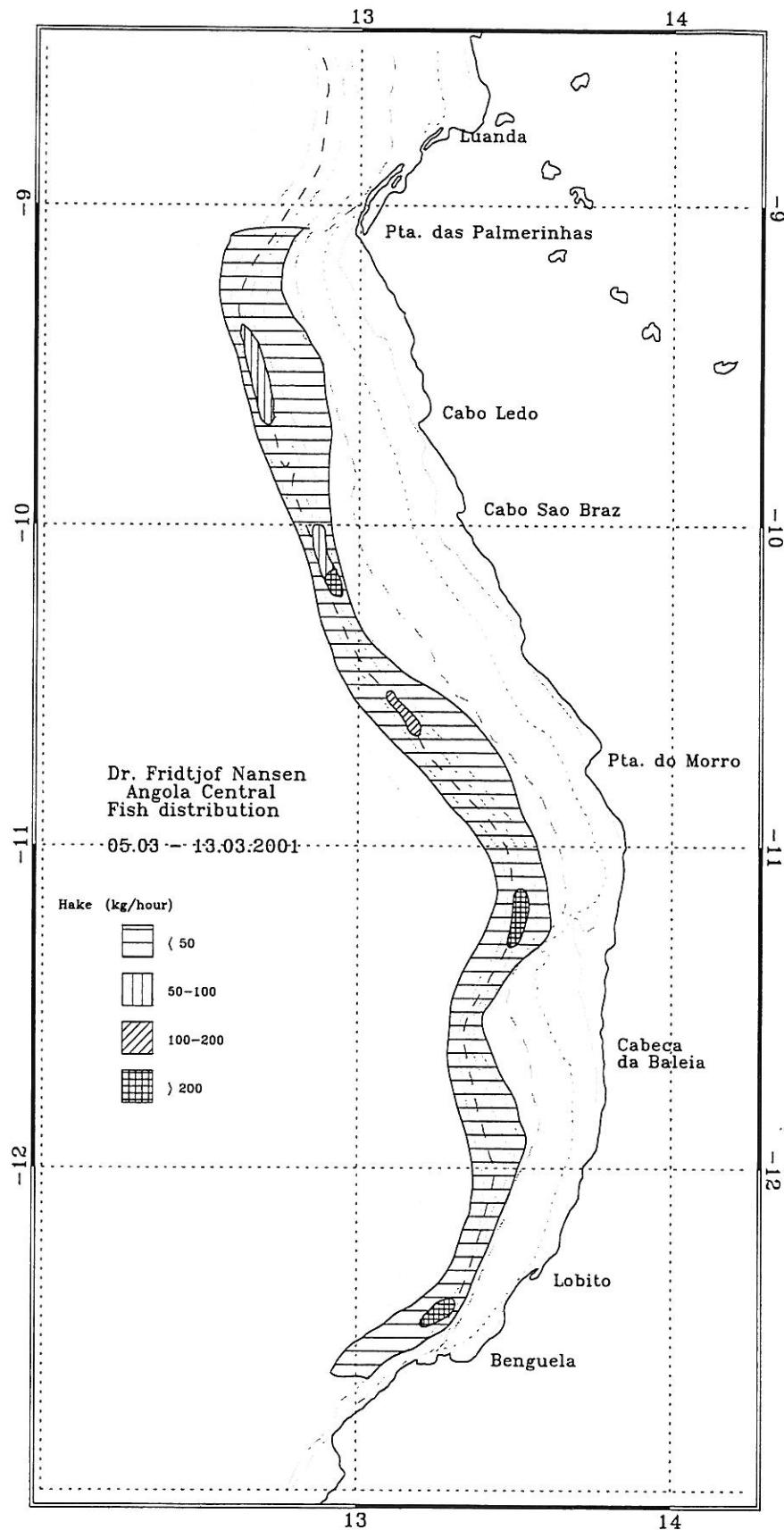


Figure 5.1. Estimated distribution of Benguela hake (*Merluccius polli*). Benguela-Luanda. Depth contours as in Fig. 2.2.

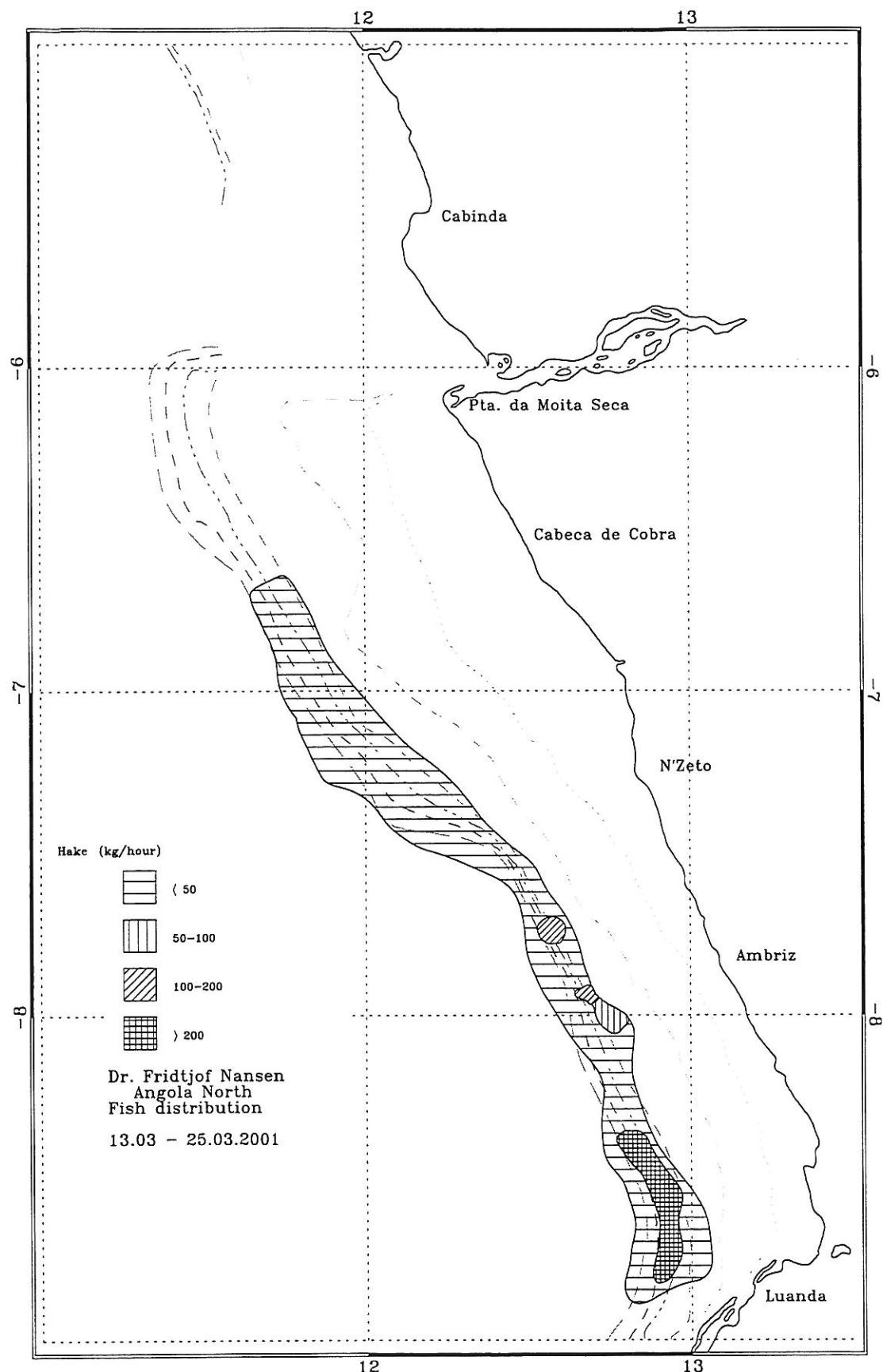


Figure 5.2. Estimated distribution of *Merluccius polli*. Luanda-Congo River. Depth contours as in Fig. 2.2.

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Annex I Records of fishing stations

PROJECT STATION:2426
 DATE: 4/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No: 4 POSITION:Lat S 1237
 start stop duration Long E 1258
 TIME :22:40:00 23:00:00 20 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7742.00 7743.70 1.70 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 750 750 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 750 750 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 90o Wire out:1750 m Speed: 30 kn*10
 Sorted: 48 Kg Total catch: 162.96 CATCH/HOUR: 488.88
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Hoplostethus cadenati 126.63 4578 25.90
 Zarrella blackfordi 108.54 2754 22.20
 STROMATEIDAE 61.02 1122 12.48
 Nezumia leonis 53.46 1311 10.94
 Merluccius polli 28.50 33 5.83
 Aristeus varidens, male 18.90 4320 3.87 5352
 Lampisimus exutus 17.28 54 3.53
 Aristeus varidens, female 15.12 1215 3.09 5353
 Glypus marsupialis 14.58 594 2.98
 OCTOPODIDAE 8.34 6 1.71
 Talismania bifurcata 7.56 135 1.55
 SYNPOBANCHIDAE 6.21 123 1.27
 Etmopterus lucifer 4.86 42 0.99
 Bathyuroconger vicinus 3.51 27 0.72
 Merluccius paradoxus 3.30 3 0.68
 Benthoesmus tenuis 2.70 54 0.55
 POLYCHAEELIDAE 2.43 81 0.50
 Halosaurus ovenii 2.16 54 0.44
 Deania calceata 1.62 15 0.33
 Chaecon maritae 1.20 6 0.25
 Ebinaea costaeccanarie 0.81 3 0.17
 Phrynicthys wedli 0.15 15 0.03
 Total 488.88 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2429
 DATE: 5/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1228
 start stop duration Long E 1326
 TIME :08:26:01 08:56:07 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7805.67 7807.36 1.69 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 39 45 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 39 45 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 220o Wire out: 140 m Speed: 30 kn*10
 Sorted: 61 Kg Total catch: 176.99 CATCH/HOUR: 353.98

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Brachydeuterus auritus 241.08 39522 68.11
 Galeoides decadactylus 24.90 750 7.03
 Sphyraena guachancho 17.82 270 5.03
 Sphyraena sphyraena 9.00 30 2.54
 Pagellus bellottii 8.76 54 2.47 5361
 Grammoplites gruveli 6.24 138 1.76
 Lithognathus mormyrus 5.40 12 1.53
 Citharus linguatula 5.16 120 1.46
 Trichiurus sp. 5.04 354 1.42
 Dentex barnardi 4.68 144 1.32 5363
 Cynoglossus canariensis 3.12 12 0.88
 Rhinobatos alcmaculatus 2.64 2 0.75
 Scomberomorus tritor 2.56 2 0.72
 Chaetodon hoefleri 2.52 12 0.71
 Penaeus notialis 2.40 246 0.68
 Raja miraletus 2.00 2 0.57
 Torpedo torpedo 1.96 2 0.55
 Trachurus trecae, juvenile 1.80 162 0.51 5362
 Psettos belcheri 1.32 66 0.37
 Brotula barbata 1.32 2 0.37
 Selene dorsalis 1.08 30 0.31
 Thorogobius angolensis 0.84 264 0.24
 Sepia ornata 0.48 60 0.14
 ARGENTINIDAE 0.48 6 0.14
 Dicologlossa cuneata 0.36 6 0.10
 Sepia orbigniana 0.36 6 0.10
 Epinephelus guaza ? 0.36 6 0.10
 Monolepis microstoma 0.24 12 0.07
 Raja sp. 0.06 12 0.02

PROJECT STATION:2427
 DATE: 5/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No: POSITION:Lat S 1227
 start stop duration Long E 1317
 TIME :03:29:37 03:59:24 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7778.03 7779.59 1.56 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 530 515 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 530 515 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 210o Wire out:1380 m Speed: 30 kn*10
 Sorted: 162 Kg Total catch: 273.78 CATCH/HOUR: 547.56

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Merluccius polli 283.88 448 51.84 5354
 Laemonema laureysi 62.08 432 11.34
 Hoplostethus cadenati 49.92 2032 9.12
 Benthoesmus tenuis 30.08 1104 5.49
 Aristeus varidens, female 16.96 1312 3.10 5356
 Aristeus varidens, male 14.40 1952 2.63 5355
 Triplophis hemingi 14.40 1632 2.63
 SEPIOLIDAE 14.08 32 2.57
 Lampisimus exutus 11.84 48 2.16
 Xenodermichthys copei 10.08 1248 1.84
 Halosaurus ovenii 7.36 160 1.34
 Trachipterus jacksonensis 4.16 16 0.76
 Photoneutes braueri 4.16 112 0.76
 Centroscymnus crepidater 4.16 32 0.76
 Malacocephalus laevis 3.52 144 0.64
 Chaecon maritae 3.20 16 0.58
 HISTIOTUTHIDAE 2.88 16 0.53
 POLYCHAEELIDAE 2.88 384 0.53
 Etmopterus sp. 2.24 22 0.41
 Chloropthalmus atlanticus 1.92 48 0.35
 Ebinaea costaeccanarie 1.60 16 0.29
 Diabranthus atlanticus 1.28 48 0.23
 Glypus marsupialis 0.32 96 0.06
 Raja sp. 0.16 16 0.03
 Total 547.56 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2428
 DATE: 5/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 1226
 start stop duration Long E 1319
 TIME :05:55:39 06:26:37 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7789.81 7791.53 1.72 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 315 326 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 315 326 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 210o Wire out: 900 m Speed: 30 kn*10
 Sorted: 57 Kg Total catch: 212.92 CATCH/HOUR: 412.10

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Symphodus microlepis 93.75 6110 22.75
 Pterorhissus bellucci 63.14 393 15.32
 Laemonema laureysi 55.28 1301 13.41
 Merluccius polli, juveniles 48.50 799 11.77 5357
 Dentex macrophthalmus 36.93 112 8.96 5358
 Celerinchus coelorhincus 36.58 1924 8.88
 Chloropthalmus atlanticus 14.90 1626 3.62
 Zeus faber 13.20 17 3.20
 Epigonus telescopus 10.57 95 2.56
 Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 8.05 559 1.95 5359
 Todaropsis eblanae 7.05 145 1.71
 Mysticrius rostellatus 6.23 41 1.51
 Heliocolenus dactylopterus 5.59 27 1.38
 Chaecon maritae 4.45 15 1.08
 Trichiurus lepturus 3.45 4 0.84
 Parapenaeus longirostris, male 3.10 372 0.75 5360
 MYCTOPHIDAE 0.54 339 0.13
 Gadella maraldi 0.54 27 0.13
 CONGRIDAE 0.27 14 0.07
 Solenocera africana 0.14 41 0.03
 Total 412.36 100.05

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Brachydeuterus auritus 241.08 39522 68.11
 Galeoides decadactylus 24.90 750 7.03
 Sphyraena guachancho 17.82 270 5.03
 Sphyraena sphyraena 9.00 30 2.54
 Pagellus bellottii 8.76 54 2.47 5361
 Grammoplites gruveli 6.24 138 1.76
 Lithognathus mormyrus 5.40 12 1.53
 Citharus linguatula 5.16 120 1.46
 Trichiurus sp. 5.04 354 1.42
 Dentex barnardi 4.68 144 1.32 5363
 Cynoglossus canariensis 3.12 12 0.88
 Rhinobatos alcmaculatus 2.64 2 0.75
 Scomberomorus tritor 2.56 2 0.72
 Chaetodon hoefleri 2.52 12 0.71
 Penaeus notialis 2.40 246 0.68
 Raja miraletus 2.00 2 0.57
 Torpedo torpedo 1.96 2 0.55
 Trachurus trecae, juvenile 1.80 162 0.51 5362
 Psettos belcheri 1.32 66 0.37
 Brotula barbata 1.32 2 0.37
 Selene dorsalis 1.08 30 0.31
 Thorogobius angolensis 0.84 264 0.24
 Sepia ornata 0.48 60 0.14
 ARGENTINIDAE 0.48 6 0.14
 Dicologlossa cuneata 0.36 6 0.10
 Sepia orbigniana 0.36 6 0.10
 Epinephelus guaza ? 0.36 6 0.10
 Monolepis microstoma 0.24 12 0.07
 Raja sp. 0.06 12 0.02

PROJECT STATION:2430
 DATE: 5/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1222
 start stop duration Long E 1329
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 LOG :7819.74 7821.17 1.42 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 70 75 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 70 75 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 240o Wire out: 220 m Speed: 30 kn*10
 Sorted: 71 Kg Total catch: 811.48 CATCH/HOUR: 1570.61

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Brachydeuterus auritus 784.80 81482 49.97
 Trichiurus lepturus 398.40 25161 25.37
 C R A B S 45.60 358 2.90
 Citharus linguatula 38.40 1260 2.44
 Pomadasys jubelini 34.49 633 2.20
 Pomadasys incisus 33.89 240 2.16
 Trachurus trecae, juvenile 28.80 186 1.83
 Grammoplites gruveli 27.60 300 1.76
 Chaetodon hoefleri 27.00 60 1.72
 Sepia officinalis hierredda 27.00 180 1.72
 Penteroscion mbizi 24.00 300 1.53
 Pagellus bellottii 20.40 600 1.30
 Torpedo torpedo 20.40 180 1.30
 Epinephelus marginatus 12.60 60 0.80
 Dicologlossa cuneata 12.60 15 0.80
 Stromateus fiatola 8.40 10 0.53
 Brotula barbata 6.91 180 0.44
 Lithognathus mormyrus 5.79 1051 0.37
 Dentex canariensis 3.89 120 0.25
 Galeoides decadactylus 3.29 300 0.21
 Dentex macrophthalmus 2.69 60 0.17
 Dentex angolensis 2.09 60 0.13
 Zeus faber 1.12 2 0.07
 Atractoscopus aequidens 0.39 2 0.02
 Fistularia petimba 0.27 2 0.02

Total 1570.82 100.01

DATE: 5/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1224
 start stop duration Long E 1322
 TIME :13:17:53 12:48:24 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7839.34 7841.04 1.69 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 107 105 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 107 105 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 23o Wire out: 345 m Speed: 30 kn*10
 Sorted: 123 Kg Total catch: 1538.70 CATCH/HOUR: 2978.13

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 Trachurus trecae, juvenile 1273.35 53249 42.76 5366
 Dentex macrophthalmus 837.00 7508 28.10 5365
 Pagellus bellottii 596.19 6881 20.02 5367
 Citharus linguatula 146.32 348 4.91
 Selene dorsalis 54.58 99 1.83 5364
 Trigla lyra 21.77 523 0.73
 Boops boops 15.68 523 0.53
 Chaetodon hoefleri 8.71 45 0.29
 Dentex angolensis 6.54 87 0.22
 Lagocephalus laevigatus 4.88 8 0.16
 Sepia officinalis hierredda 3.25 4 0.11
 Fistularia petimba 2.94 6 0.10
 Brotula barbata 2.67 2 0.09
 Raja miraletus 1.63 2 0.05
 Uranoscopus polli 0.77 4 0.03
 Zeus faber 0.74 2 0.02
 Torpedo torpedo 0.70 2 0.02
 Spondylisoma cantharus 0.52 2 0.02
 Microchirus frechkipi 0.10 2 0.02

Total 2978.34 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2432
 DATE: 5/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1220
 start stop duration Long E 1320
 TIME :16:23:44 16:53:51 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7862.88 7864.44 1.55 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 574 614 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 574 614 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 200 Wire out: 1480 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 31 Kg Total catch: 165.10 CATCH/HOUR: 330.20

PROJECT STATION:2435
 DATE: 6/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1159
 start stop duration Long E 1343
 TIME :07:43:45 08:14:17 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7960.89 7962.21 1.67 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 25 29 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 25 29 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 2300 Wire out: 90 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 72 Kg Total catch: 253.60 CATCH/HOUR: 490.84

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Hoplostethus cadenati	104.16	4480	31.54
Laemonema lauroyesi	56.84	420	17.21
Triphorus hemingi	47.88	6090	14.50
Merluccius polli	39.60	56	11.99
Yarrella blackfordi	12.60	378	3.82
Lamprigrammus exutus	12.60	126	3.82
Aristeus varidens, female	9.66	554	2.93
Todaropsis elegans	8.96	56	2.71
Chacodon macrolepis	7.68	24	2.33
Xenodermichthys copei	5.60	560	1.70
Aristeus varidens, male	4.06	680	1.23
Octopus sp.	3.92	14	1.19
Nezumia leonis	3.36	98	1.02
TRICHLURIDAE	2.52	112	0.76
Etmopterus lucifer	1.96	14	0.59
STOMIIDAE	1.40	42	0.42
Glypus marsupialis	1.40	154	0.42
POLYCHAEIIDAE	0.96	154	0.29
Raja sp.	0.56	14	0.17
Halosaurus oovenii	0.40	28	0.12
Nezumia micronychodon	0.28	14	0.08
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.28	14	0.08
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	0.28	14	0.08
Total	326.96	99.00	

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus	123.10	22378	25.08
Pomadasys jubelini	111.02	290	22.62
Pseudotolithus typus	30.85	43	6.29
Trichiurus lepturus	30.66	348	6.25
Galeoides decadactylus	27.41	128	5.58
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	26.94	3554	5.49
Pteroscion peli	24.62	1312	5.02
Arius parkii	19.16	35	3.90
Dicologoglossa cuneata	13.94	232	2.84
Ilisha africana	13.01	499	2.65
Pomadasys incisus	9.52	35	1.94
Stromateus fiatola	8.59	12	1.75
Selenis dorsalis	6.50	325	1.32
Sepiella ornata	5.57	418	1.13
Cynoponticus ferox	5.15	8	1.05
Pomadasys rogeri	4.65	12	0.95
Pentanemus quinquarius	4.18	81	0.85
Cymoglossus canariensis	3.75	2	0.76
Atractostoma aequidens	3.72	46	0.76
Grammonotus grisevelli	3.72	35	0.76
Torpedo marmorata	3.14	4	0.64
Leptocephalus laevigatus	2.79	12	0.57
Dasyatis marginata	1.78	4	0.36
OPHICHTHIDAE	1.63	4	0.33
Raja miraletus	1.55	2	0.32
Parapenaeopsis atlantica	1.16	209	0.24
Epinephelus aeneus	1.05	2	0.21
Portunus validus	0.89	2	0.18
Scorpaena sp.	0.58	12	0.12
Octopus vulgaris	0.23	12	0.05
Total	490.86	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2433
 DATE: 6/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1205
 start stop duration Long E 1325
 TIME :01:16:49 01:46:33 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7919.63 7921.24 1.61 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 444 445 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 444 445 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 150 Wire out: 1220 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 86 Kg Total catch: 29.55 CATCH/HOUR: 59.10

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Hoplostethus cadenati	18.12	714	30.66
Nematochenus africanus	11.92	6268	20.17
PANDALIDAE	8.58	3862	14.52
Yarrella blackfordi	6.04	192	10.22
Laemonema lauroyesi	5.24	240	8.87
Aristeus varidens, female	2.92	128	4.94
Aristeus varidens, male	1.40	192	2.37
Merluccius polli	1.36	2	2.30
STOMIIDAE	1.12	22	1.90
Ariommabondi	0.68	22	1.15
Etmopterus lucifer	0.68	22	1.15
Galeus polli	0.40	12	0.68
Benthodesmus tenuis	0.20	16	0.34
Chanaax pictus	0.20	2	0.34
Xenodermichthys copei	0.12	56	0.20
Halosaurus oovenii	0.08	4	0.14
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus, polli	0.04	2	0.07
Total	59.10	100.02	

PROJECT STATION:2436
 DATE: 6/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1153
 start stop duration Long E 1340
 TIME :09:29:22 09:59:50 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7972.51 7973.71 1.20 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 66 65 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 66 65 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 180° Wire out: 220 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 44 Kg Total catch: 286.72 CATCH/HOUR: 573.44

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus	284.18	13108	49.56
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	108.42	12736	18.91
Trichiurus lepturus	71.24	196	12.42
Pagellus bellottii	62.14	794	10.84
Torpedo torpedo	10.40	14	1.81
Raja miraletus	10.38	14	1.81
Pomadasys incisus	8.58	68	1.50
Torpedo marmorata	7.28	14	1.27
Dentex barnardi	7.28	182	1.27
Umbrina canariensis	5.98	78	1.04
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	2.86	14	0.50
Pseudupeneus prayensis	0.78	40	0.14
Saurida brasiliensis	0.40	66	0.07
Engraulis sp.	0.26	66	0.05
Total	580.18	101.19	

PROJECT STATION:2434
 DATE: 6/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1205
 start stop duration Long E 1334
 TIME :05:27:06 05:57:36 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7944.46 7945.84 1.38 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 86 87 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 86 87 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 200° Wire out: 270 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 131 Kg Total catch: 221.17 CATCH/HOUR: 428.07

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	247.52	7868	57.82
Trichiurus lepturus	111.87	172	26.13
Brachydeuterus auritus	24.48	155	5.72
Stromateus fiatola	11.46	10	2.68
Lagocephalus laevigatus	10.30	15	2.41
Pagellus bellottii	6.77	93	1.58
Dentex angelensis	3.87	68	0.90
Sphyraena sphyraena	3.58	35	0.84
Octopus vulgaris	1.74	2	0.41
Torpedo torpedo	1.74	4	0.41
Septis bertheleti	1.06	6	0.25
Fistularia petimba	0.97	4	0.23
Dentex barnardi	0.87	6	0.20
Lepidotrigla cadmazi	0.58	6	0.14
Citharus linguatula	0.58	15	0.14
Septis orbignyanus	0.48	6	0.11
Boops boops	0.19	6	0.04
Total	428.06	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2437
 DATE: 6/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1148
 start stop duration Long E 1334
 TIME :11:19:20 11:49:13 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7984.06 7985.65 1.59 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 103 107 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 103 107 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 180° Wire out: 320 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 104 Kg Total catch: 224.03 CATCH/HOUR: 448.06

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Dentex macrophthalmus	166.64	4284	81.83
Dentex angelensis	26.74	204	5.97
Pagellus bellottii	14.84	126	3.31
Sparus pagrus africanus *	9.72	8	2.17
Umbrina canariensis	5.80	14	1.29
Dentex canariensis	5.64	22	1.26
Dentex gibbosus	5.20	4	1.16
Loligo vulgaris	3.56	964	0.79
Trigla lyra	3.04	26	0.68
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	2.86	4	0.64
Zeus faber	1.82	14	0.41
Brachydeuterus auritus	1.38	8	0.31
Fistularia petimba	0.64	2	0.14
Total	447.88	99.96	

PROJECT STATION:2438
 DATE: 6/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1152
 start stop duration Long E 1331
 TIME :13:13:26 13:43:12 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :7995.27 7997.06 1.79 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 189 193 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 189 193 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 340° Wire out: 610 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 40 Kg Total catch: 104.63 CATCH/HOUR: 209.26

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Synagrops microlepis	116.50	936	55.67
Zenopsis conchifer	24.40	30	11.66
Trichiurus lepturus	16.00	18	7.65
Dentex macrophthalmus	16.00	88	7.65
Dentex angelensis	13.20	42	6.31
Illex coindetii	8.90	200	4.25
Merluccius polli	8.40	100	4.01
Pterorhynchus belloci	1.90	10	0.91
Scomber japonicus	1.90	20	0.91
Zeus faber	1.60	6	0.76
Parapercis sp.	0.40	30	0.19
Total	209.20	99.97	

PROJECT STATION:2439
DATE: 6/3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1151
start stop duration Long E 1327
TIME :15:22:30 15:52:13 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8005.14 8006.85 1.69 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 268 276 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 268 276 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 335° Wire out: 810 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 68 Kg Total catch: 206.70 CATCH/HOUR: 413.40
SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Dentex macrophthalmus 166.68 1008 40.32 5393
Synagrops microlepis 73.80 4602 17.85
Illex coindetii 58.80 576 14.22
Zenopsis conchifer 53.28 246 12.89
Merluccius polli 41.04 588 9.93 5392
Pterorhynchus belloci 4.56 30 1.10
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus 3.84 156 0.93
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 3.00 450 0.73 5391
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 1.92 258 0.46 5390
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 1.92 150 0.46
Sepia officinalis hierredda 0.72 18 0.17
Total 409.56 99.06

PROJECT STATION:2442
DATE: 7/3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1129
start stop duration Long E 1327
TIME :05:40:59 06:02:21 21 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8071.95 8072.84 0.87 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 109 109 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 109 109 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 190° Wire out: 300 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 739 Kg Total catch: 249.39 CATCH/HOUR: 712.54
SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 334.20 22514 46.90 5398
Dentex macrophthalminus 241.60 1580 33.91 5401
Umbrina canariensis 53.40 180 7.49 5400
Pagellus bellottii 27.00 211 3.79 5399
Zeus faber 10.80 51 1.52
Atractoscion aequidens 8.74 6 1.23
Dentex angolensis 5.00 31 0.70
Boops boops 4.60 51 0.65
Parapristipoma octolineatum 4.60 11 0.65
Dentex barnardi 4.40 11 0.62
Dentex congoleensis 4.00 31 0.56
Sparus pagrus africanus * 3.60 11 0.51
Lepidotrigla cadmanni 3.20 40 0.45
Brotula barbata 2.00 3 0.28
Sepia orbigniana 1.60 11 0.22
Anthias anthias 1.40 11 0.20
Ariomma bondi 1.20 20 0.17
Scomber japonicus 0.40 11 0.06
Trichiurus lepturus 0.40 11 0.06
Citharus linguatula 0.40 11 0.06
Total 712.54 100.03

PROJECT STATION:2440
DATE: 6/3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1146
start stop duration Long E 1321
TIME :17:28:44 17:59:32 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8016.68 8017.96 1.28 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 432 437 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 432 437 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 170° Wire out: 1080 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 54 Kg Total catch: 54.32 CATCH/HOUR: 105.14
SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
NEMATOCARCINIDAE 46.65 23905 44.37
Merluccius polli 30.77 70 29.27 5394
Aristeus varidens, female 8.05 633 7.66 5395
Laemonema laureysi 5.96 275 5.67
Zeus faber 2.81 10 2.67
Etmopterus lucifer 2.32 66 2.21
Aristeus varidens, male 1.47 95 1.40 5396
Parapenaeus longirostris 1.45 145 1.38
Todaropsis eblanae 1.24 12 1.18
Triplephos hemingi 1.08 149 1.03
Yarella blackfordi 0.70 19 0.67
Dentex macrophthalminus 0.54 2 0.51
Trichiurus lepturus 0.46 17 0.44
Haloseurus ovenii 0.43 17 0.41
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus 0.31 8 0.29
Stomias sp. 0.23 6 0.22
Nezumia microrychodon 0.23 15 0.22
Malacocephalus occidentalis 0.19 2 0.18
Xenoderichthys copei 0.12 27 0.11
Neoharringtonia pinnata 0.06 2 0.06
Bassanaga alboescens 0.04 2 0.04
Monopleurus microstoma 0.02 4 0.02
Total 105.13 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2443
DATE: 7/3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1130
start stop duration Long E 1333
TIME :07:28:04 07:58:10 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8081.74 8083.09 1.35 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 73 81 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 73 81 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 190° Wire out: 220 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 68 Kg Total catch: 318.68 CATCH/HOUR: 637.36
SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 329.40 4348 51.68 5406
Pagellus bellottii 105.48 514 16.55 5402
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 85.60 5620 13.43 5403
Selene dorsalis 28.62 172 4.49 5407
Trichiurus lepturus 16.02 46 2.51
Stromateus fiatola 15.08 18 2.37
Dentex angolensis 11.34 172 1.78 5404
Dentex barnardi 10.44 64 1.64 5405
Sphyraena sphyraena 8.64 46 1.36
Decapterus rhonchus 5.94 36 0.93
Fistularia petimba 5.64 10 0.88
Sardinella maderensis 5.40 18 0.85
Trachurus trecae 4.14 28 0.65
Atractoscion aequidens 3.64 4 0.57
Branchiostegus semifasciatus 1.08 2 0.17
Allotethicus africana 0.54 280 0.08
Omnastropes bartramii 0.18 10 0.03
Boops boops 0.18 10 0.03
Total 637.36 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2441
DATE: 6/3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1128
start stop duration Long E 1320
TIME :20:00:52 21:40:26 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8042.33 8043.83 1.49 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 654 624 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 654 624 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 40° Wire out: 1400 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 38 Kg Total catch: 269.66 CATCH/HOUR: 521.92
SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Yarella blackfordi 201.60 596 38.63
Triplophys hemingi 89.42 962 17.13
Hoplostethus cadenati 78.97 2414 15.13
Lampruguinus exutus 40.65 298 7.79
STOMIIDAE 39.83 4281 7.63
Merluccius polli 14.59 17 2.80 5397
PENAEIDAE 13.55 474 2.60
THYSANOTEUTHIDAE 6.50 27 1.25
Xenoderichthys copei 5.96 420 1.14
POLYCHAEILDAE 5.42 149 1.04
Bathygadus melanobranchus 4.88 41 0.94
Aristeus varidens, female 3.79 176 0.73
Etmopterus lucifer 2.32 27 0.44
Glyptothorax marsupialis 2.17 163 0.42
Bathyuroconger vicinus 2.17 54 0.42
Talismania bifurcata 2.17 108 0.42
Nezumia leonis 1.90 95 0.36
Chaceon maritae 1.39 4 0.27
OPLOPHORIDAE 1.35 244 0.26
Parapenaeus longirostris 1.35 461 0.26
Arius heudeloti 1.35 14 0.26
TRACHIPTERIDAE 1.32 2 0.25
Scomber japonicus 1.08 14 0.21
SYNAPOPHRANCHIDAE 0.27 14 0.05
Total 524.00 100.43

PROJECT STATION:2444
DATE: 7/3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1129
start stop duration Long E 1340
TIME :09:14:43 09:47:29 33 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8092.48 8094.38 1.90 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 35 35 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 35 35 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 360° Wire out: 140 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 113 Kg Total catch: 143.45 CATCH/HOUR: 260.82
SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 57.82 449 22.17 5413
Selene dorsalis 32.36 184 12.41 5415
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 31.64 195 12.13 5409
Pomadasys rogeri 22.44 49 8.60 5412
Sphyraena guachancho 18.98 55 7.28
Galeoides decadactylus 17.45 73 6.69
Trichiurus lepturus 11.09 53 4.25
Lithognathus mormyrus 10.18 35 3.90 5411
Alectis alexandrinus 7.53 9 2.89
Pagellus bellottii 6.44 25 2.47 5410
Stromateus fiatola 5.89 7 2.26
Ephippion guttifer 5.64 2 2.16
Sphyraena sphyraena 5.45 22 2.09
Ilsha africana 3.75 60 1.44
Arius parkii 3.56 4 1.36
Caranx cryos 3.24 5 1.24
Pomadasys incisus 2.98 51 1.14 5408
Decapterus rhonchus 2.80 55 1.07
Sardinella maderensis 2.76 13 1.06
Pseudotolithus typus 1.96 2 0.75
Brachydeuterus auritus, Juv. 1.71 387 0.66 5416
Selene dorsalis, juveniles 1.45 84 0.56 5414
Lagocephalus laevigatus 0.76 2 0.29
Sardinella maderensis - Juv. 0.58 31 0.22
Eucinostomus melanopterus 0.55 4 0.21
Octopus vulgaris 0.55 2 0.21
Pseudupeneus prayensis 0.47 2 0.18
Sardinella aurita 0.47 15 0.18
Syacium micrum 0.15 2 0.06
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 0.15 9 0.06
Pteroscion peli 0.04 4 0.02
Total 260.84 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2445
 DATE: 7/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1122
 start stop duration Long E 1340
 TIME :10:34:55 11:04:53 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8099.34 8101.02 1.68 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 33 33 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 33 33 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 360° Wire out: 140 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 68 Kg Total catch: 67.70 CATCH/HOUR: 135.40

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Cheloscombrus chrysurus	51.92	214	38.35 5418
Selene dorsalis	33.20	60	24.52 5417
Pomadasys rogeri	20.24	12	14.95
Alectis alexandrinus	12.36	12	9.13
Balistes capriscus	6.08	12	4.49
Lithognathus mormyrus	3.72	12	2.75
Sphyraena sphyraena	1.76	4	1.30
Galeoides decadactylus	1.24	2	0.92
Pagellus bellottii	1.12	2	0.83
Aluterus sp.	1.08	2	0.80
Trichiurus lepturus	1.04	2	0.77
Alloteuthis africana	0.72	232	0.53
Sardinella aurita	0.52	2	0.38
Brachydeuterus auritus	0.28	2	0.21
Trachurus trecae	0.12	4	0.09
Total	135.40	100.02	

PROJECT STATION:2449
 DATE: 7/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1113
 start stop duration Long E 1331
 TIME :17:05:18 17:38:36 33 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8136.77 8138.49 1.71 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 321 332 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 321 332 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 180° Wire out: 950 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 54 Kg Total catch: 291.90 CATCH/HOUR: 530.73

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Merluccius polli	365.73	1536	68.91 5423
MYCTOPHIDAE	52.36	4664	9.87
NEMATOCARCINIDAE	22.91	17411	4.32
Laemonema laureysii	21.27	229	4.01
Trichiurus lepturus	20.29	965	3.82
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	16.04	2333	3.02 5424
Peristedion cataphractum	6.55	131	1.23
Pontinus kuhlii	5.89	115	1.11
Etmopterus sp.	5.56	376	1.05
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	2.85	451	0.54 5425
Dibranchus atlanticus	2.29	65	0.43
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	2.13	33	0.40
CONGRIDAE	1.96	65	0.37
Coelorinchus fasciatus	1.80	33	0.34
Solenocera africana	1.31	278	0.25
Chlorophthalmus sp.	0.82	16	0.15
Zenopsis conchifer	0.33	16	0.06
Aristeus varidens	0.33	115	0.06
Nezumia aequalis	0.33	16	0.06
Total	530.75	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2446
 DATE: 7/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1118
 start stop duration Long E 1340
 TIME :11:41:04 12:11:09 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8103.49 8105.25 1.76 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 31 36 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 31 36 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 360° Wire out: 140 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 22 Kg Total catch: 22.48 CATCH/HOUR: 44.96

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Alectis alexandrinus	18.40	16	40.93
Balistes capriscus	10.20	24	22.69
Selene dorsalis	5.80	10	12.90
Octopus vulgaris	3.56	2	7.92
Trachinotus goreensis	2.76	6	6.14
Alectis ciliaris	1.96	2	4.36
Aluterus sp.	0.88	2	1.96
Alloteuthis africana	0.72	328	1.60
Lagocephalus laevigatus	0.40	2	0.89
Chilomycterus spinosus mauret.	0.28	2	0.62
Total	44.96	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2450
 DATE: 7/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1109
 start stop duration Long E 1327
 TIME :19:58:28 20:29:29 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8147.08 8148.66 1.59 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 618 622 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 618 622 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 360° Wire out: 1500 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 32 Kg Total catch: 82.22 CATCH/HOUR: 159.14

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Hoplostethus cadenati	21.68	836	13.62
Lampruguinus exutus	21.37	77	13.43
Stomias sp.	17.65	248	11.09
Yarrella blackfordi	17.34	403	10.90
Triophorus hemingi	13.94	1486	8.76
OPHIDIIDAE	13.01	93	8.18
Aristeus varidens	8.98	81	5.64
Trichiurus lepturus	8.05	46	5.06
Chacodon maritae	6.97	29	4.38
POLYCHAELIDAE	6.81	898	4.28
NEMATOCARCINIDAE	4.34	790	2.73
C E P H A L O P O D A	4.34	15	2.73
Etmopterus sp.	3.41	62	2.14
Bathyuroconger vicinus	3.10	93	1.95
Small squids unident.	2.79	15	1.75
Merluccius polli	2.59	4	1.63
Ebinania costeacanariae	1.24	15	0.78
Nezumia aequalis	1.24	217	0.78
Glypus marsupialis	0.31	31	0.19
Total	159.16	100.02	

PROJECT STATION:2447
 DATE: 7/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1123
 start stop duration Long E 1333
 TIME :13:53:46 14:14:10 20 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8117.30 8118.40 1.09 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 53 55 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 53 55 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 50° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 46 Kg Total catch: 4.08 CATCH/HOUR: 12.24

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Balistes capriscus	6.06	12	49.51
Sepia officinalis hierredda	4.38	3	35.78
Trachinotus goreensis	1.38	3	11.27
Pagellus bellottii	0.24	3	1.96
Alloteuthis africana	0.18	60	1.47
Total	12.24	99.99	

PROJECT STATION:2451
 DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1057
 start stop duration Long E 1325
 TIME :00:01:02 00:01:27 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8178.69 8180.21 1.52 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 451 441 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 451 441 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 325° Wire out: 1210 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 287 Kg Total catch: 216.00 CATCH/HOUR: 432.00

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Nematocarcinus africanus	263.40	49386	60.97
Triophorus hemingi	58.50	5850	13.54
Hoplostethus cadenati	49.20	1938	11.39
Lampruguinus exutus	16.50	404	3.82
Illex coindetii	8.06	46	1.87
Etmopterus pusillus	5.10	16	1.18
STOMIIDAE	4.80	106	1.11
Yarrella blackfordi	4.80	136	1.11
OPLOPHORIDAE	3.90	1124	0.90
Aristeus varidens, female	3.00	180	0.69
Gadella imberbis	2.70	90	0.63
Trichiurus lepturus	2.40	106	0.56
Aristeus varidens, male	1.80	226	0.42
Kenodermichthys copei	1.80	270	0.42
Cynchoteuthis sp.	1.50	30	0.35
PASIPHAEIDAE	1.20	166	0.28
Bassanago albescens	0.90	16	0.21
Scomber japonicus	0.90	16	0.21
Peristedion cataphractum	0.60	106	0.14
Laemonema laureysii	0.30	16	0.07
Total	431.36	99.87	

PROJECT STATION:2448
 DATE: 7/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1115
 start stop duration Long E 1336
 TIME :15:31:30 16:01:14 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8126.67 8128.27 1.60 Area code: 2
 FDEPTH: 152 168 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 152 168 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 200° Wire out: 480 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 126 Kg Total catch: 564.14 CATCH/HOUR: 1128.28

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Trichiurus lepturus	442.08	1846	39.18
Alloteuthis africana	310.44	152880	27.51
Synagrops microlepis	205.92	19110	18.25
Dentex macrophthalmus	42.88	214	3.80
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	31.20	7202	2.77
Merluccius polli	29.64	832	2.63
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	26.00	8502	2.30
Brotula barbata	17.80	24	1.58
Pterothriusus belloci	7.80	78	0.69
Scomber japonicus	7.28	104	0.65
Pontinus accraensis	2.60	26	0.23
Dentex angelensis	1.48	8	0.13
Dicologlossa cuneata	1.04	26	0.09
Umbrina canariensis	0.80	2	0.07
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	0.26	104	0.02
Zenopsis conchifer	0.26	26	0.02
Total	1127.48	99.92	

PROJECT STATION:2452
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1053
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :05:36:35 06:07:28 31 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8196.90 8198.54 1.62 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 126 124 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 126 124 Towing dir: 340e Wire out:8205 m Speed:100 kn*10
Sorted: 95 Kg Total catch: 334.38 CATCH/HOUR: 647.19

PROJECT STATION:2456
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1038
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :14:50:54 15:20:54 30 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8254.90 8256.39 1.48 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 106 108 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 106 108 Towing dir: 150e Wire out: 330 m Speed:30 kn*10
Sorted: 58 Kg Total catch: 796.60 CATCH/HOUR: 1593.20

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 278.13 11090 42.98 5428
Synagrops microlepis 241.26 33635 37.28
Dentex macrophthalmus 47.38 223 7.32 5434
Dentex angelensis 24.08 89 3.72 5433
Squatinaa ovalata 11.54 4 1.78
Brotila barbata 9.45 10 1.46
Umbrina canariensis 8.52 23 1.32 5432
Dentex barnardi 7.06 12 1.09 5429
Torpedo torpedo 2.90 15 0.45
Cymatostrephus bartramii 2.61 58 0.40
Trichiurus lepturus 2.05 2 0.32
Saurida brasiliensis 2.03 277 0.31
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 1.74 348 0.27 5430
Lepidotrigla cadmani 1.74 15 0.27
Pterothrius bellucci 1.45 15 0.22
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 0.87 58 0.13 5431
Boops boops 0.87 29 0.13
Scomber japonicus 0.87 15 0.13
Fistularia petimba 0.85 2 0.13
Miracorvina angelensis 0.70 2 0.11
Pagellus bellottii 0.35 2 0.05
Thorogobius angelensis 0.29 87 0.04
Citharus linguatula 0.29 15 0.04
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 0.15 29 0.02

Total 647.18 99.97

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 928.00 58788 58.25 5454
Synagrops sp. 486.80 48672 30.55
Dentex macrophthalmus 54.00 324 3.39
Dentex angelensis 47.60 468 2.99 5453
Stromateus fiatola 22.60 30 1.42
Brachydeuterus auritus 10.80 72 0.68
Boops boops 9.40 360 0.59
Trichiurus lepturus 8.00 36 0.50
Pagellus bellottii 6.40 108 0.40
Illex coindetii 5.80 72 0.36
Merluccius polli 4.40 108 0.28
Fistularia petimba 2.56 8 0.16
Pterothrius bellucci 2.20 36 0.14
Zeus faber 1.80 6 0.11
Lagocephalus laevigatus 1.72 4 0.11
Octopus vulgaris 1.00 2 0.06

Total 1593.08 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2453
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1049
start stop duration Purpose code: 3 Long E 1337
TIME :07:28:27 07:59:16 31 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8206.79 8208.27 1.46 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 79 81 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 79 81 Towing dir: 170e Wire out: 250 m Speed: 30 kn*10
Sorted: 107 Kg Total catch: 2589.76 CATCH/HOUR: 5012.44

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 3426.77 28078 68.37 5440
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv. 532.45 80566 10.62 5441
Selene dorsalis 288.77 706 5.76 5437
Trachurus trecae 227.61 1647 4.54 5439
Trichiurus lepturus 211.74 1411 4.22
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 208.84 7713 4.17 5438
Synagrops microlepis 48.97 13215 0.98
Brotila barbata 48.00 46 0.96
Pagellus bellottii 14.11 95 0.28
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 2.83 612 0.06 5436
Pterothrius bellucci 1.88 46 0.04
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 0.46 46 0.01 5435

Total 5012.43 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2457
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1036
start stop duration Purpose code: 3 Long E 1313
TIME :16:52:49 17:23:25 31 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8270.49 8272.21 1.70 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 173 163 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 173 163 Towing dir: 136e Wire out: 560 m Speed: 30 kn*10
Sorted: 29 Kg Total catch: 146.64 CATCH/HOUR: 283.82

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
Synagrops microlepis 125.42 10560 44.19
Zenopsis conchifer 65.81 403 23.19
Illex coindetii 38.63 372 13.61
Dentex angelensis 26.21 95 9.23 5455
Dentex macrophthalmus 18.39 106 6.48 5456
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 1.70 345 0.60 5457
Saurida sp. 1.55 124 0.55
Lepidotrigla cadmani 1.39 15 0.49
Merluccius polli 0.93 15 0.33
Bombrays heterurus 0.93 8 0.33
Citharus linguatula 0.93 15 0.33
Pterothrius bellucci 0.70 8 0.25
Monolete microstoma 0.39 15 0.14
Scomber japonicus 0.39 8 0.14
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 0.23 62 0.08 5458
Uranoscopus cadenati 0.23 8 0.08

Total 283.83 100.02

PROJECT STATION:2454
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1048
start stop duration Purpose code: 3 Long E 1342
TIME :08:20:16 10:00:49 31 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8216.48 8217.62 1.10 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 44 47 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 44 47 Towing dir: 325e Wire out: 150 m Speed: 30 kn*10
Sorted: 79 Kg Total catch: 300.56 CATCH/HOUR: 581.73

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 203.23 3089 34.94 5445
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv. 186.39 38876 32.04 5443
Trichiurus lepturus 45.10 3292 7.75
Galeoides decadactylus 39.29 225 6.75
Pomadasys incisus 22.26 532 3.83 5444
Pseudotolithus typus 17.42 12 2.99
Pagellus bellottii 16.65 124 2.86 5447
Dentex barnardi 16.45 439 2.83 5442
Rhinobatos alboaculeatus 10.45 4 1.80
Sphyrnae guachancho 7.74 15 1.33
Selene dorsalis 4.18 108 0.72 5446
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 3.10 31 0.53
Pteroscion peli 2.32 54 0.40
Sepiella ornata 1.94 31 0.33
Trachurus, Juveniles 1.94 108 0.33
Dicologoglossa cuneata 1.55 23 0.27
Citharus linguatula 0.97 23 0.17
Decapterus rhonchus 0.77 46 0.13

Total 581.75 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2458
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1036
start stop duration Purpose code: 3 Long E 1309
TIME :18:20:02 18:21:17 31 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8281.21 8282.69 1.46 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 400 429 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 400 429 Towing dir: 300e Wire out:1050 m Speed: 30 kn*10
Sorted: 23 Kg Total catch: 188.85 CATCH/HOUR: 365.52

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
NEMATOCARCINIDAE 145.16 45223 39.71
Merluccius polli 117.41 352 32.12 5459
Laemonema laureysi 37.45 358 10.25
Torpedo nobiliana 27.68 2 7.57
Dibranchus atlanticus 6.77 513 1.85
Aristeus varidens, female 4.94 319 1.35 5462
Hymenocephalus italicus 4.84 397 1.32
Pterothrius bellucci 3.87 19 1.06
Zeus faber 3.68 6 1.01
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 2.42 252 0.66 5460
TRICHIURIDAE 2.32 68 0.63
Illex coindetii 1.55 10 0.42
Gadella imberbis 1.55 29 0.42
Cynoponticus ferox 1.16 10 0.32
Etmopterus lucifer 1.16 48 0.32
Bathynectes piperitus 0.97 10 0.27
Aristeus varidens, male 0.77 122 0.21 5461
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 0.58 10 0.16
Lophius vaillanti 0.39 10 0.11
Peristedion cataphractum 0.39 39 0.11
Nezumia micromychodon 0.19 10 0.05
Malacocephalus occidentalis 0.19 10 0.03
Solenocera africana 0.10 10 0.03
MYCTOPHIDAE 0.10 10 0.03

Total 365.64 100.03

PROJECT STATION:2455
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1037
start stop duration Purpose code: 3 Long E 1328
TIME :13:02:49 13:32:37 30 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8244.63 8246.10 1.45 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 82 85 Validity code: 1
BDEPTH: 82 85 Towing dir: 170e Wire out: 270 m Speed: 30 kn*10
Sorted: 110 Kg Total catch: 403.24 CATCH/HOUR: 806.48

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C Samp
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 536.00 3472 66.46 5448
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 100.48 4928 12.46 5451
Pagellus bellottii 98.80 816 12.25 5449
Dentex angelensis 13.60 86 1.69 5452
Dentex barnardi 12.80 32 1.59
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 12.22 16 1.52
Pentheroscion mbizi 8.24 46 1.02 5450
Raja miraletus 7.80 12 0.97
Trachurus trecae 6.40 48 0.79
Trigla lyra 4.48 32 0.56
Sphyrnae guachancho 2.44 6 0.30
Stromateus fiatola 1.36 2 0.17

Total 804.62 99.78

PROJECT STATION:2459
DATE: 8/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1029
start stop duration Long E 1257
TIME :21:41:06 21:41:15 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8295.42 8296.87 1.42 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 703 733 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 703 733 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 300° Wire out:1600 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 31 Kg Total catch: 595.90 CATCH/HOUR: 1191.80

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Hoplostethus cadenati 466.56 16276 39.15
Triplophis hemingi 340.56 33346 28.58
Lampruguinus exutus 153.36 756 12.87
Nezumia leonis 102.24 1800 8.58
Yarrella blackfordi 34.56 756 2.90
Bathyroconger vicinus 17.28 180 1.45
OCTOPODIDAE 16.56 108 1.39
POLYCHAELOIDAE 11.52 864 0.97
SYNAPHORANCHIDAE 8.64 144 0.72
Xenodermichthys copei 8.64 432 0.72
Ebinania costaeacanarie 7.20 36 0.60
STOMIIDAE 7.20 180 0.60
Bathygadus melanobranchus 5.04 288 0.42
Talismene bifurcata 2.88 72 0.24
Glyptus marsupialis 2.16 144 0.18
Dibranchus atlanticus 2.16 72 0.18
Merluccius polli 1.64 2 0.14
NETTASTOMATIDAE 0.72 36 0.06
DICERATIIDAE 0.72 56 0.06

Total 1191.80 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2460
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1013
start stop duration Long E 1322
TIME :05:32:25 06:02:11 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8335.14 8336.65 1.50 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 34 31 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 34 31 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 340° Wire out: 140 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 73 Kg Total catch: 73.30 CATCH/HOUR: 146.60

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Alectis alexandrinus 81.92 98 55.88
Caranx cryos 21.76 112 14.84
Galeoides decadactylus 15.60 36 10.64
Sphyraena guachancho 9.04 16 6.17
Sphyraena lewini 2.88 2 1.96
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 2.72 48 1.86 5464
Pomadasys jubelini 2.56 8 1.75
Pagellus bellottii 2.28 10 1.56 5463
Selene dorsalis 2.16 6 1.47
Stromateus fiatola 1.92 2 1.31
Brachydeuterus auritus 1.00 10 0.68
Trichiurus lepturus 0.96 2 0.65
Pomadasys rogeri 0.76 2 0.52
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 0.48 24 0.33
Pomadasys incisus 0.44 2 0.30
Selene dorsalis, juveniles 0.08 2 0.05
Torpedo torpedo 0.04 2 0.03

Total 146.60 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2461
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1011
start stop duration Long E 1318
TIME :07:16:25 07:46:11 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8343.10 8344.50 1.40 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 51 52 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 51 52 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 320° Wire out: 140 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 81 Kg Total catch: 80.94 CATCH/HOUR: 161.88

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Pomadasys peroteti 41.08 68 25.38 5466
Sphyraena sphyraena 35.44 52 21.89
Galeoides decadactylus 33.36 100 20.61
Pagellus bellottii 12.28 64 7.59 5469
Decapterus rhonchus 8.80 432 5.44
Stromateus fiatola 6.92 8 4.27
Pomadasys rogeri 4.00 8 2.47
Lagocephalus laevigatus 3.20 6 1.98
Pseudotolithus typus 3.16 6 1.95
Alectis alexandrinus 3.04 4 1.88
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 2.76 32 1.70 5468
Caranx cryos 2.68 14 1.66
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 1.96 238 1.21 5465
Brachydeuterus auritus 1.48 16 0.91 5470
Sepia officinalis hierredda 0.24 2 0.15
Alloteuthis africana 0.24 74 0.15
Sardinella maderensis 0.20 2 0.12
Sardinella aurita 0.12 2 0.07
Selene dorsalis 0.08 2 0.05
Peristedion cataphractum 0.02 2 0.01
Pterothrisus bellucci 0.02 2 0.01

Total 161.08 99.50

PROJECT STATION:2462
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1016
start stop duration Long E 1319
TIME :08:59:47 09:29:39 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8352.60 8354.01 1.38 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 60 65 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 60 65 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 290° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 87 Kg Total catch: 2335.75 CATCH/HOUR: 4671.50

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 4293.20 44794 91.90 5471
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 75.40 6862 1.61 5472
Galeoides decadactylus 73.40 320 1.57
Trachurus trecae 50.42 426 1.08 5473
Pomadasys incisus 41.48 212 0.89
Sphyraena guachancho 41.48 54 0.89
Selene dorsalis 31.18 160 0.67
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 19.14 2128 0.41
Trichiurus lepturus 16.50 54 0.35
Pagellus bellottii 14.90 106 0.32
Alectis alexandrinus 8.12 4 0.17
Sphyraena sphyraena 3.18 54 0.07
Decapterus punctatus 3.18 106 0.07

Total 4671.50 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2463
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1016
start stop duration Long E 1310
TIME :11:04:00 11:34:00 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8354.31 8365.87 1.53 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 98 100 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 98 100 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 305° Wire out: 330 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 43 Kg Total catch: 138.04 CATCH/HOUR: 276.08

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 206.00 14126 74.62 5474
Fistularia petimba 21.60 6 7.82
Stromateus fiatola 19.36 22 7.01
Squatina oculata 8.40 6 3.04
Brachydeuterus auritus 8.12 56 2.94
Boops boops 4.62 182 1.67
Illlex coindetii 3.22 70 1.17
Lagocephalus laevigatus 1.48 4 0.54
Pagellus bellottii 1.48 18 0.54
Dentex barnardi 1.32 8 0.48
Trigla lyra 0.32 2 0.12
Dentex angolensis 0.16 2 0.06
Total 276.08 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2464
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1021
start stop duration Long E 1302
TIME :13:28:44 13:58:28 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8379.73 8381.47 1.71 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 177 179 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 177 179 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 320° Wire out: 570 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 123 Kg Total catch: 5000.00 CATCH/HOUR: 10000.00

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Synagrops microlepis 9343.48 1280672 93.43
Spicara alta 186.08 1034 1.86
Dentex macrophthalmus 121.98 620 1.22
Dentex angolensis 107.52 414 1.08
Stromateus fiatola 78.56 104 0.79
Squatina oculata 53.20 4 0.53
Zeus faber 45.48 104 0.45
Zenopsis conchifer 35.14 104 0.35
Trichiurus lepturus 28.94 104 0.29
Total 10000.38 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2465
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No: POSITION:Lat S 1012
start stop duration Long E 1256
TIME :16:13:41 16:43:26 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8395.73 8397.28 1.54 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 236 232 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 236 232 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 160° Wire out: 740 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 61 Kg Total catch: 364.74 CATCH/HOUR: 729.48

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Merluccius polli, juveniles 273.60 5700 37.51 5475
Synagrops microlepis 236.88 18600 32.47
Zenopsis conchifer 177.36 1956 24.31
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 23.04 1848 3.16
Todaropsis obiane 9.60 108 1.32
Illex coindetii 4.80 36 0.66
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 2.16 528 0.30 5477
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 1.20 228 0.16 5476
Sepia elegans 0.72 36 0.10
Parapandalus larval 0.12 24 0.02
Total 729.48 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2466
DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No: POSITION:Lat S 1007
start stop duration Long E 1253
TIME :18:37:32 19:07:56 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8409.94 8411.24 1.29 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 374 378 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 374 378 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 160° Wire out: 1000 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 52 Kg Total catch: 140.69 CATCH/HOUR: 281.38

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
NEMATOCARCINIDAE 160.20 83660 56.93
Merluccius polli 68.88 280 24.48 5478
Leomenea laureysi 18.60 230 5.61
Pterothrisus bellucci 7.00 36 2.49
Aristeus varidens, female 5.20 460 1.85 5480
Malacocephalus occidentalis 4.90 36 1.74
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 4.70 550 1.67 5482
Hymenocephalus italicus 3.20 330 1.14
Chamax pictus 2.20 106 0.78
Trichiurus lepturus 1.10 60 0.39
Yarrella blackfordi 0.90 30 0.32
Aristeus varidens, male 0.70 96 0.25 5479
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE 0.70 6 0.25
Gadella imberbis 0.60 26 0.21
Todaropsis obiane 0.40 6 0.14
Dibranchus atlanticus 0.40 40 0.14
Peristedion cataphractum 0.30 36 0.11
Halosaurus ocellatus 0.30 10 0.11
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 0.20 20 0.07 5481
Hoplostethus cadenati 0.20 6 0.07
Solenocera africana 0.20 30 0.07
Lophius vaillanti 0.20 6 0.07
Ceolirinchus coelorhincus 0.20 10 0.07
Etropelurus spinax 0.04 6 0.01
MYCTOPHIDAE 0.04 20 0.01
Total 281.36 99.98

Total

PROJECT STATION:2467
 DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No: 2 POSITION:Lat S 1007
 start stop duration Long E 1251
 TIME :20:23:48 20:54:41 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8415.41 8417.01 1.61 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 535 529 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 535 529 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 340° Wire out:1400 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 301 Kg Total catch: 58.50 CATCH/HOUR: 113.23
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 NEMATOCARCINIDAE 41.96 12035 37.06
Stomias sp. 31.12 600 27.48
Yarrella blackfordi 8.52 236 7.52
Tripholophus hemingi 7.35 1215 6.49
Hoplostethus cadenati 5.50 298 4.86
Aristeus varidens, male 4.10 294 3.62 5483
Merluccius pollie 3.48 8 3.07
Xenodermichthys copei 2.55 306 2.25
Lampruguinus exutus 2.32 39 2.05
Aristeus varidens, female 2.25 201 1.99 5484
Gadella imberbis 1.55 58 1.37
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE 0.85 4 0.75
Dibranchus atlanticus 0.46 46 0.41
Lophius vaillanti 0.39 8 0.34
Glyptus marsupialis 0.31 27 0.27
Etmopterus lucifer 0.31 8 0.27
Pentheroscion mibizi 0.08 12 0.07
 POLYCHAELIDAE 0.08 23 0.07
 Total 113.18 99.94

PROJECT STATION:2471
 DATE:10/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1003
 start stop duration Long E 1301
 TIME :08:49:59 09:19:58 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8458.91 8460.40 1.49 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 97 94 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 97 94 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 30° Wire out: 300 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 36 Kg Total catch: 188.56 CATCH/HOUR: 377.12
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 307.40 19300 81.51 5493
Trichiurus lepturus 32.80 40 8.70
Sarda sarda 11.80 10 3.13
Squatina oculata 7.28 2 1.93
Boops boops 5.80 230 1.54
Fistularia petimba 3.20 8 0.85
Dentex congensis 1.80 40 0.48
Dentex angelensis 1.40 20 0.37
Raja miraletus 1.28 2 0.34
Echeneis naucrates 1.20 4 0.32
Pagellus bellottii 1.12 16 0.30 5492
Priacanthus arenatus 1.00 2 0.27
Lagocephalus laevigatus 0.64 2 0.17
Illex coindetii 0.40 10 0.11
 Total 377.12 100.02

PROJECT STATION:2468
 DATE: 9/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 1002
 start stop duration Long E 1247
 TIME :21:40:12 21:40:15 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8422.34 8423.83 1.50 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 727 780 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 727 780 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 340° Wire out:1600 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 29 Kg Total catch: 58.50 CATCH/HOUR: 117.00
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
 OCTOPODIDAE 24.00 44 20.51
 STOMIIDAE 22.80 238 19.49
Hoplostethus cadenati 16.80 84 14.36
Yarrella blackfordi 16.00 168 13.58
 POLYCHAELIDAE 6.80 296 5.81
Talismania bifurcata 6.00 84 5.13
Tripholophus hemingi 5.80 576 4.96
Nezumia leonis 4.80 84 4.10
SYNAPOBRANCHIDAE 4.00 120 3.42
Dibranchus atlanticus 2.60 104 2.22
 PASIPHAEIDAE 1.60 4 1.37
Aristeus varidens, male 1.20 16 1.03 5486
 PARALEPIDIDAE 0.80 8 0.68
Aristeus varidens, female 0.80 38 0.68 5485
Nealiotus triipes 0.80 4 0.68
Glyptus marsupialis 0.80 40 0.68
Etmopterus lucifer 0.80 8 0.68
MVCTOPHIDAE 0.40 12 0.34
 OSEPHORIDAE 0.20 4 0.17
Bathygadus melanobranchus 0.20 4 0.17
 Total 117.20 100.16

PROJECT STATION:2472
 DATE:10/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1002
 start stop duration Long E 1308
 TIME :10:29:42 10:59:09 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8468.74 8470.15 1.38 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 74 69 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 74 69 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 100° Wire out: 220 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 59 Kg Total catch: 594.80 CATCH/HOUR: 1230.62
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
Stromateus fiatola 429.93 579 34.94
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 312.41 22130 25.39 5496
Trachurus trecae 121.24 933 9.85 5494
Brachydeuterus auritus 116.69 1303 9.48 5495
Trichiurus lepturus 88.55 207 7.20
Pagellus bellottii 36.83 290 2.99 5497
Pomadasys rogeri 25.24 21 2.05
Sphyraena guachancho 18.62 41 1.51
Argyroscopus hololepidotus 12.83 21 1.04
Dentex angelensis 12.41 21 1.01
Pomadasys incisus 11.59 207 0.94
Raja miraletus 11.17 21 0.91
Lagocephalus laevigatus 7.86 21 0.64
Selene dorsalis 7.45 21 0.61
Fistularia petimba 6.21 21 0.50
Dicologlossa cuneata 4.14 21 0.34
Umbrina canariensis 4.14 52 0.34
Pseudupeneus prayensis 2.48 21 0.20
Dentex barnardi 1.24 41 0.10
 Total 1231.03 100.04

PROJECT STATION:2469
 DATE:10/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1003
 start stop duration Long E 1252
 TIME :05:23:37 05:55:12 32 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8442.63 8444.40 1.77 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 298 296 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 298 296 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 340° Wire out: 800 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 175 Kg Total catch: 303.08 CATCH/HOUR: 568.28
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
Allopias superciliosus 206.25 2 36.29
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 165.71 3144 29.16
Synagrops microlepis 96.30 6722 16.95
Merluccius pollie, juveniles 60.30 906 10.61 5487
Trichiurus lepturus 12.83 11 2.26
Zenopsis conchifer 12.83 39 2.26
MVCTOPHIDAE 3.38 1828 0.59
Illex coindetii 2.36 28 0.42
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 1.46 203 0.26 5488
Pterothrius belluci 1.46 11 0.26
Sepia elegans 1.35 68 0.24
Illex coindetii 1.01 349 0.18
Leiomedes laureysi 0.90 11 0.16
Dentex macrophthalmus 0.90 4 0.16
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 0.56 113 0.10 5489
Pontinus acraensis 0.56 6 0.10
Solenocera africana 0.06 6 0.01
Ceolirinchus coelorhincus 0.06 6 0.01
 Total 568.28 100.02

PROJECT STATION:2473
 DATE:10/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 956
 start stop duration Long E 1313
 TIME :12:18:38 12:48:20 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8479.21 8480.56 1.34 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 29 30 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 29 30 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 340° Wire out: 130 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 59 Kg Total catch: 589.54 CATCH/HOUR: 1179.08
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 554.80 1520 47.05 5498
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 301.72 5058 25.59 5499
Spondyliscosa cantharus 159.60 304 13.54
Galeoides decadactylus 64.04 932 5.43
Decapterus punctatus 23.56 1350 2.00
Trichiurus lepturus 18.62 38 1.58
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv. 12.92 7322 1.10 5500
Pseudotolithus typus 9.00 12 0.76 5501
Pomadasys rogeri 8.74 20 0.74
Selene dorsalis 8.74 172 0.74
Stromateus fiatola 4.56 20 0.39
Pagellus bellottii 3.42 20 0.29
Alectis alexandrinus 3.36 6 0.28
Trachurus trecae 3.04 38 0.26
Sphyraena juveniles 1.52 134 0.13
Raja miraletus 1.44 2 0.12
 Total 1179.08 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2470
 DATE:10/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 1002
 start stop duration Long E 1254
 TIME :07:08:39 07:38:16 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8450.00 8451.20 1.20 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 156 156 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 156 156 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 94° Wire out: 450 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 126 Kg Total catch: 126.38 CATCH/HOUR: 252.76
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
Dentex macrophthalmus 107.04 994 42.35 5491
Spicara alta 59.60 580 23.58
Dentex angelensis 54.40 266 21.52 5490
Zenopsis conchifer 15.84 30 6.27
Zeus faber 4.48 12 1.77
Erythrocies monodi 2.96 52 1.17
Trichiurus lepturus 2.72 2 1.08
Lagocephalus laevigatus 1.92 4 0.76
Boops boops 1.68 12 0.66
Raja miraletus 1.08 2 0.43
Lepidotrigla cadmani 0.48 4 0.19
Sepia officinalis hierredda 0.32 2 0.13
Citharus linguatula 0.16 2 0.06
Scomber japonicus 0.08 2 0.03
 Total 252.76 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2474
 DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 944
 start stop duration Long E 1311
 TIME :08:25:09 08:56:00 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8498.80 8500.11 1.30 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 23 24 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 23 24 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 330° Wire out: 100 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 33 Kg Total catch: 33.05 CATCH/HOUR: 63.97
 SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
 weight numbers
Alectis alexandrinus 31.70 33 49.55
Brachydeuterus auritus 15.91 125 24.87 5502
Galeorhinus galeus 4.30 2 6.72
Spondyliscosa cantharus 3.72 8 5.82
Pagrus caeruleostictus 2.01 10 3.14
Caranx hippos 1.16 2 1.81
Lagocephalus laevigatus 1.12 6 1.75
Pomadasys rogeri 1.08 2 1.69
Balistes capricornus 0.83 2 1.30
Chloroscombrus chrysurus 0.81 12 1.27
Drapane africana 0.75 2 1.17
Pseudupeneus prayensis 0.31 2 0.48
Syacium micrum 0.25 2 0.39
 Total 63.95 99.96

PROJECT STATION:2475
DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 945
start stop duration Long E 1303
TIME :10:06:45 10:38:03 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8508.97 8510.57 1.59 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 81 85 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 81 85 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 220o Wire out: 240 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 92 Kg Total catch: 445.06 CATCH/HOUR: 861.41

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Brachydeuterus auritus 319.35 29063 37.07
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 230.32 15470 26.74 5503
Trachurus trecae 139.35 925 16.18 5504
Pagellus bellottii 51.48 403 5.98
Sphyraena guachancho 48.39 81 5.62
Raja miraletus 24.19 41 2.81
Selene dorsalis 22.65 321 2.63
Trichiurus lepturus 15.29 41 1.77
Dentex angolensis 7.16 81 0.83
Dentex congolensis 1.61 41 0.19
Boops boops 1.61 41 0.19

Total 861.40 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2476
DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 943
start stop duration Long E 1257
TIME :12:03:16 12:33:11 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8520.80 8522.47 1.66 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 106 107 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 106 107 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 170o Wire out: 330 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 85 Kg Total catch: 266.20 CATCH/HOUR: 532.40

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Umbrina canariensis 239.60 560 45.00 5505
Selene dorsalis 119.20 1006 22.39 5506
Brachydeuterus auritus 47.60 328 8.94
Trichiurus lepturus 31.60 40 5.94
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 31.00 1504 5.82 5507
Squatina oculata 14.66 6 2.75
Trachurus trecae 9.20 48 1.73
Dentex barnardi 8.28 36 1.56 5508
Dentex angolensis 7.56 54 1.42 5510
Dentex macrophthalmus 6.36 22 1.19 5511
Pagellus bellottii 4.96 28 0.93 5509
Boops boops 3.40 152 0.64
Zeus faber 2.76 8 0.52
Pistularia petimba 2.68 4 0.50
Raja miraletus 1.52 2 0.29
Illex coindetii 1.20 8 0.23
Sparus pagrus africanus 0.72 2 0.14

Total 532.30 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2477
DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 945
start stop duration Long E 1250
TIME :13:20:52 13:21:09 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8533.89 8535.39 1.50 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 179 178 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 179 178 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 175o Wire out: 550 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 65 Kg Total catch: 133.97 CATCH/HOUR: 267.94

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Synagrops sp. 66.00 6510 24.63
Dentex macrophthalmus 65.94 584 24.61 5513
Zenopsis conchifer 55.80 122 20.83
Spicara alta 34.00 156 12.69
Dentex angolensis 27.98 134 10.44 5512
Zeus faber 5.30 16 1.98
Illex coindetii 3.02 58 1.13
Trichiurus lepturus 2.64 4 0.99
Squatina aculeata 2.32 4 0.87
Pterothrius bellocci 1.76 12 0.66
Uranoscopus polli 0.84 8 0.31
Selene dorsalis, juveniles 0.68 4 0.25
Aulopus filamentosus 0.50 2 0.19
Scomber japonicus 0.34 4 0.13
Parapenaeus longirostris 0.34 12 0.13
Monolete microstoma 0.32 12 0.12
Trachurus trecae 0.16 12 0.06

Total 267.94 100.02

PROJECT STATION:2478
DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 949
start stop duration Long E 1251
TIME :16:22:25 16:52:12 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8544.84 8546.38 1.52 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 214 218 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 214 218 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 340o Wire out: 650 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 100 Kg Total catch: 100.16 CATCH/HOUR: 200.32

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Zenopsis conchifer 66.68 316 33.29
Synagrops microlepis 36.64 4012 18.29
Dentex angolensis 30.40 114 15.18 5516
Dentex macrophthalmus 15.96 80 7.97 5515
Merluccius polli 13.64 56 6.81 5514
Brotula barbata 11.56 8 5.77
Pterothrius bellocci 7.92 60 3.95
Trichiurus lepturus 4.20 6 2.10
Todaropsis eblanae 2.80 38 1.40
Uranoscopus polli 2.36 12 1.18
Illex coindetii 2.32 32 1.16
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 1.36 258 0.68 5517
Bembrops greyi 1.28 12 0.64
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 0.88 214 0.44 5518
Raja sp. 0.44 2 0.22
Bembrops heterurus 0.44 4 0.22
Sepia elegans 0.44 24 0.22
Monolete microstoma 0.36 20 0.18
Pontinus kuhlii 0.24 2 0.12
Zeus faber 0.20 2 0.10
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 0.02 14 0.01
NETTASTOMATIDAE 0.02 2 0.01

Total 200.16 99.94

PROJECT STATION:2479
DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 938
start stop duration Long E 1242
TIME :19:47:10 20:17:13 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8556.69 8568.41 1.71 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 432 486 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 432 486 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 200o Wire out: 1100 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 34 Kg Total catch: 90.58 CATCH/HOUR: 181.16

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Merluccius polli 117.88 332 65.07 5521
Zenopsis conchifer 12.24 20 6.76
Pterothrius bellocci 8.56 48 4.73
Laemonema laureysi 6.96 196 3.84
Lophius vaillanti 6.48 4 3.58
Centrophorus granulosus 5.68 2 3.14
MISCELLANEOUS 3.68 1272 2.03
Aristeus varidens, female 3.36 472 1.85 5520
CONGRIDAE 2.56 44 1.41
Chimaera pictus 1.84 28 1.02
Dibranchus atlanticus 1.60 100 0.88
POLYCHAEILIDAE 1.44 148 0.79
Hymenoccephalus italicus 1.36 148 0.75
Aristeus varidens, male 1.28 160 0.71 5519
Etomopterus spinax 1.20 36 0.66
MYCTOPHIDAE 0.76 698 0.42
Yarrella blackfordi 0.56 16 0.31
Stomias sp. 0.48 16 0.26
Trichiurus lepturus 0.32 16 0.18
Coelorinchus coelorhincus 0.32 8 0.18
Solenocera africana 0.24 32 0.13
Hoplostethus cadenati 0.24 4 0.13
Gadella imberbis 0.24 4 0.13
NETTASTOMATIDAE 0.08 8 0.04
Halosaurus ooveni 0.08 16 0.04
Parapenaeus longirostris 0.04 16 0.02
Nezumia leonis 0.04 4 0.02
Peristedion cataphractum 0.04 4 0.02

Total 179.56 99.10

PROJECT STATION:2480
DATE:11/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 928
start stop duration Long E 1239
TIME :23:05:45 23:35:27 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8587.97 8589.58 1.61 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 444 446 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 444 446 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 180o Wire out: 1250 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 71 Kg Total catch: 70.82 CATCH/HOUR: 141.64

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Merluccius polli 97.44 246 68.79 5525
Laemonema laureysi 14.92 182 10.53
Centrophorus granulosus 7.20 2 5.08
Shrimps, small, non comm. 6.76 3774 4.77
Dibranchus atlanticus 3.72 230 2.63
Yarrella blackfordi 2.56 82 1.81
Aristeus varidens, female 1.76 96 1.24 5523
Aristeus varidens 1.52 634 1.07 5524
PANDALIIDAE 1.04 488 0.73
Hymenoccephalus italicus 0.68 96 0.48
POLYCHAEILIDAE 0.60 72 0.42
STOMIIDAE 0.48 12 0.34
Malacocephalus laevis 0.44 4 0.31
Etomopterus lucifer 0.44 12 0.31
TRACHINIDAE 0.40 2 0.28
Aristeus varidens, male 0.36 50 0.25 5522
Trichiurus lepturus 0.32 16 0.23
Illex coindetii 0.24 2 0.17
Plesiopenaeus edwardsianus 0.16 6 0.11
Bathygadus melanobranchus 0.12 12 0.08
Parapenaeus longirostris 0.08 8 0.06
NEMICHTHYIDAE 0.08 18 0.06
Solenocera africana 0.08 6 0.06
MYCTOPHIDAE 0.04 46 0.03
Gadella imberbis 0.04 4 0.03
Chimaera pictus 0.04 6 0.03
DICERATIIDAE 0.04 2 0.03
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 0.04 6 0.03
Xenodermichthys copei 0.04 18 0.03

Total 141.64 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2481
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 933
start stop duration Long E 1247
TIME :05:18:39 05:49:01 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8605.80 8607.11 1.31 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 168 171 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 168 171 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 320o Wire out: 500 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 96 Kg Total catch: 96.37 CATCH/HOUR: 192.74

SPECIES CATCH/HOUR % OF TOT. C SAMP
weight numbers
Synagrops microlepis 81.76 10246 42.42
Trichiurus lepturus 45.40 90 23.56
Pterothrius bellocci 20.64 130 10.71
Dentex angolensis 18.72 86 9.71 5526
Brotula barbata 3.56 4 1.85
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem. 2.92 592 1.51 5528
Zeus faber 2.48 4 1.29
Umbriopha canariensis 2.24 4 1.16
Monolete microstoma 1.80 42 0.93
Illex coindetii 1.68 16 0.87
Dibranchus atlanticus 1.56 94 0.81
Zenopsis conchifer 1.56 4 0.81
Torpedo torpedo 1.48 2 0.77
Dentex macrophthalmus 1.40 20 0.73 5527
Sembrops heterurus 1.12 2 0.58
Sembrops greyi 1.08 2 0.56
Parapenaeus longirostris, male 1.00 296 0.52 5529
Pontinus kuhlii 0.96 2 0.50
Uranoscopus albesca 0.68 2 0.35
Lepidotrigla cadamani 0.32 2 0.17
Trachurus trecae, juvenile 0.28 14 0.15
Sepia elegans 0.04 2 0.02
Merluccius polli, juveniles 0.04 2 0.02
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus 0.02 2 0.01

Total 192.74 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2482
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 928
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :07:24:30 07:54:41 30 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8617.91 8619.35 1.44 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 101 101
BDEPTH: 101 101 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 150° Wire out: 320 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 41 Kg Total catch: 248.15 CATCH/HOUR: 496.30

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Brachydeuterus auritus	384.00	3000	77.37	5530
Trichiurus lepturus	42.24	158	8.51	
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	15.40	916	3.10	5531
Stromateus fiatola	15.00	16	3.02	
Rhinobatos albonotatus	8.72	4	1.76	
Raja miraletus	4.00	6	0.81	
Pterothrius bellucci	3.80	30	0.77	
Illex coindetii	3.60	70	0.73	
Priacanthus arenatus	2.84	4	0.57	
Decapterus rhonchus	2.44	4	0.49	
Pagellus bellottii	1.96	10	0.39	
Fistularia petimba	1.80	6	0.36	
Sepia orbigniana	1.60	10	0.32	
Dentex angelensis	1.40	10	0.28	
Raja straeleni	1.32	2	0.27	
Zeus faber	1.28	2	0.26	
Alloteuthis africana	1.20	440	0.24	
Trachurus trecae	1.04	2	0.21	
Dentex barnardi	0.84	4	0.17	
Merluccius polli, juveniles	0.80	110	0.16	5532
Selene dorsalis	0.60	10	0.12	
Thorogobius angolensis	0.20	110	0.04	
Monolepis microstoma	0.20	20	0.04	
Saurida brasiliensis	0.10	20	0.02	
Total	496.38	100.01		

PROJECT STATION:2485
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 916
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :12:39:06 13:12:19 33 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8649.60 8651.12 1.51 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 43 44
BDEPTH: 43 44 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 150° Wire out: 170 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 93 Kg Total catch: 188.90 CATCH/HOUR: 343.45

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Brachydeuterus auritus	85.09	1445	24.78	
Ijimaia loppei	60.80	915	17.70	
Pseudolithodes typus	44.15	91	12.85	5537
Galeoides decadactylus	35.80	329	10.42	
Sphyraena guachancho	24.29	65	7.07	
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv.	20.40	291	5.94	
Rhizoprionodon acutus	16.65	4	4.85	
Pagellus bellottii	14.29	60	4.16	
Pentheroscion mbizi	11.60	175	3.38	
Arius parkii	7.78	4	2.27	
Lithognathus mormyrus	7.20	15	2.10	
Epinephelus aeneus	3.27	5	0.95	
Rhinobatos albonotatus	1.75	2	0.51	
Argyrosomus hololepidotus	1.67	4	0.49	
Acanthurus monroviae	1.24	2	0.36	
Torpida torpedo	1.20	5	0.35	
Penaeus notialis	1.13	45	0.33	
Aluterus scriptus	1.09	2	0.32	
Selene dorsalis	1.00	5	0.29	
Sepia officinalis hierredda	1.00	5	0.29	
Citharichthys stampfii	0.58	5	0.17	
Sepia orbigniana	0.51	5	0.15	
Total	342.49	99.73		

Total 496.38 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2483
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 929
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :08:58:33 09:27:53 29 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8625.69 8627.18 1.49 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 61 63
BDEPTH: 61 63 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 330° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 102 Kg Total catch: 101.90 CATCH/HOUR: 210.83

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Dentex barnardi	110.28	703	52.31	5536
Umbrina canariensis	16.18	39	7.67	5535
Decapterus rhonchus	15.43	116	7.32	
Pagellus bellottii	15.39	87	7.30	5533
Sphyraena guachancho	13.57	23	6.44	
Pomadasys incisus	9.35	50	4.43	5534
Sepia officinalis hierredda	4.84	2	2.30	
Parapristipoma sp.	3.85	8	1.83	
Plectrohrinchus mediterraneus	3.27	8	1.55	
Raja miraletus	3.19	4	1.51	
Epinephelus aeneus	3.14	2	1.49	
Pseudupeneus prayensis	2.73	12	1.29	
Fistularia petimba	2.11	8	1.00	
CARANGIDAE	1.86	2	0.88	
Chaetodon hoefleri	1.70	12	0.81	
Pagrus pagrus	1.61	2	0.76	
Boops boops	1.37	12	0.65	
Alloteuthis africana	0.95	861	0.45	
Chaetodon marcellae	0.12	2	0.06	
Total	210.94	100.05		

PROJECT STATION:2486
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 917
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :14:09:23 14:39:14 30 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8657.94 8659.45 1.50 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 65 65
BDEPTH: 65 65 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 180° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 50 Kg Total catch: 49.78 CATCH/HOUR: 99.56

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Brachydeuterus auritus	50.88	460	51.10	
Trachurus trecae	20.24	324	20.33	5538
Sphyraena guachancho	14.28	36	14.34	
Trichiurus lepturus	4.12	50	4.14	
Decapterus rhonchus	2.72	14	2.73	
Dentex angolensis	2.28	14	2.29	
Pagellus bellottii	1.92	12	1.93	
Selene dorsalis	1.52	20	1.53	
Galeoides decadactylus	0.56	4	0.56	
Loligo vulgaris	0.40	98	0.40	
Engraulis encrasiculus	0.36	94	0.36	
Ilisha africana	0.28	6	0.28	
Total	99.56	99.99		

Total 210.94 100.05

PROJECT STATION:2487
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 916
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :15:42:01 16:12:18 30 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8666.39 8668.09 1.70 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 94 95
BDEPTH: 94 95 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 170° Wire out: 290 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 47 Kg Total catch: 47.21 CATCH/HOUR: 94.42

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Trichiurus lepturus	82.44	344	87.31	
Brachydeuterus auritus	5.96	40	6.31	
Octopus vulgaris	2.56	2	2.71	
Fistularia petimba	1.00	2	1.06	
Trachurus trecae	0.64	10	0.68	
Synagrops microlepis	0.52	252	0.55	
Decapterus rhonchus	0.40	2	0.42	
Pterothrius bellucci	0.36	2	0.38	
Sepia orbigniana	0.32	2	0.34	
Citharus linguatula	0.16	2	0.17	
Monolepis microstoma	0.06	2	0.06	
Total	94.42	99.99		

Total 210.94 100.05

PROJECT STATION:2484
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 926
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :10:41:08 11:11:09 30 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8635.51 8637.01 1.50 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 25 27
BDEPTH: 25 27 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 335° Wire out: 120 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 59 Kg Total catch: 59.42 CATCH/HOUR: 118.84

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Alectis alexandrinus	28.52	32	24.00	
Acanthurus monroviae	17.95	28	15.11	
Bodianus speciosus	16.35	14	13.77	
Boops boops	12.24	5646	10.30	
Aluterus scriptus	12.12	18	10.20	
Fistularia tabacaria	9.16	14	7.71	
Plectrohrinchus mediterraneus	7.24	16	6.09	
Sparus aurata	2.72	10	2.29	
Parupeneus regius	1.76	2	1.48	
Selene dorsalis	1.72	4	1.45	
Umbrina canariensis	1.44	4	1.21	
Caranx senegalensis	1.36	2	1.14	
Sphyraena guachancho	1.08	4	0.91	
Lutjanus fulgens	0.96	6	0.81	
Pomadasys incisus	0.96	2	0.81	
Caranx cryos	0.96	2	0.81	
Scomberomorus tritor	0.92	2	0.77	
Fistularia petimba	0.68	6	0.57	
Decapterus rhonchus	0.16	2	0.13	
Dentex congensiensis	0.12	2	0.10	
Total	118.84	99.99		

PROJECT STATION:2488
DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 920
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :19:53:14 20:09:24 16 (min) Area code : 2
LOG :8693.76 8694.71 0.95 GearCond.code: 7
FDEPTH: 751 769
BDEPTH: 751 769 Validity code: 4
Towing dir: 360° Wire out: 1700 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 5 Kg Total catch: 4.76 CATCH/HOUR: 17.85

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
MELANOSTOMIATIDAE	5.10	98	28.57	
Yarrella blackfordi	3.98	83	22.30	
Phrymichthys wedli	1.69	34	9.47	
Gonostoma denudatum	1.31	53	7.34	
Tripleodus hemingii	1.28	143	7.17	
Talismaria bifurcata	1.05	11	5.88	
POLYCHAELIDAE	0.86	75	4.82	
Laemonema laureysi	0.64	15	3.59	
STOMIIDAE	0.38	45	2.13	
Xenoderichthys copei	0.38	19	2.13	
Hoplostethus cadenati	0.30	11	1.68	
Nemichthys scolopaceus	0.23	11	1.29	
Sternopygia sp.	0.19	15	1.06	
Glyptus marsupialis	0.15	8	0.84	
Nezumia aequalis	0.15	4	0.84	
Isistius brasiliensis	0.08	4	0.45	
MYCTOPHIDAE	0.08	34	0.45	
ALEPOCEPHALIDAE	0.04	4	0.22	
Total	17.89	100.23		

PROJECT STATION:2489
 DATE:12/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 916
 start stop duration Long E 1231
 TIME :21:41:47 22:06:13 24 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8703.39 8703.74 1.35 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 776 771 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 776 771 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 180° Wire out: 1800 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 32 Kg Total catch: 65.13 CATCH/HOUR: 162.83

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Carrollia blackfordi	41.90	1205	25.73
Nemania leonis	33.20	565	20.39
Talismmania bifurcata	26.60	253	16.34
Stomias affinis	16.40	590	10.07
POLYCHAELIDAE	11.90	818	7.31
Unidentified fish	4.60	690	2.83
Triplephus hemingi	3.30	330	2.03
Hoplostethus cadenati	2.70	50	1.66
Lamprigrammus exutus	2.30	5	1.41
Ebinania costaeccanarie	1.90	40	1.17
Bathyuroconger vicinus	1.90	15	1.17
Bathygadus melanobranchus	1.80	95	1.11
Dibranchus atlanticus	1.30	45	0.80
Glyptus marsupialis	0.95	48	0.58
Heterocarpus grimaldii	0.80	58	0.49
SYNODONTIADAE	0.80	20	0.49
Xenodermichthys copei	0.80	20	0.49
Aristeus varidens, female	0.60	23	0.37
Heterocarpus ensifer	0.20	80	0.12
Aristeus varidens, male	0.20	25	0.12
OPHIDIIDAE	0.20	5	0.12
MELANONIIDAE	0.20	15	0.12
Lithodes forox	0.10	5	0.06
Nephropsis atlantica	0.10	5	0.06
CARISTIIDAE	0.10	5	0.06
MYCTOPHIDAE	0.10	5	0.06
NEMICHTHYIDAE	0.10	5	0.06
Gadella imberbis	0.10	5	0.06
BATHYPTEROIDAE	0.10	15	0.06
Plesiopenaeus edwardsianus	0.08	8	0.05
Solenocera africana	0.05	15	0.03
Halosaurus ovenii	0.05	5	0.03
Total	164.63	101.11	

PROJECT STATION:2492
 DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 907
 start stop duration Long E 1256
 TIME :08:36:18 09:04:52 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8778.85 8780.47 1.61 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 30 48 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 30 48 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 260° Wire out: 120 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: Kg Total catch: 93.60 CATCH/HOUR: 193.66

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Spondyliscoma cantharus	164.65	8	85.02
Balistes capricrus	17.54	43	9.06
Alectris alexandrinus	4.39	2	2.27
Pagrus caeruleostictus	3.56	8	1.84
Caranx crysos	1.82	2	0.94
Lagocephalus laevigatus	0.50	2	0.26
Decapterus rhonchus	0.46	2	0.24
Trachurus trecae	0.41	2	0.21
Alloteuthis africana	0.23	64	0.12
Fistularia petimba	0.08	2	0.04
Total	193.64	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2493
 DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 909
 start stop duration Long E 1252
 TIME :09:42:53 10:13:52 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8782.70 8784.51 1.81 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 69 70 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 69 70 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 200° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: Kg Total catch: 8.77 CATCH/HOUR: 18.14

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Pagellus bellottii	6.95	91	38.31
Sphyraena sphyraena	3.43	17	18.91
Balistes capricrus	2.65	6	14.61
Lagocephalus laevigatus	1.82	6	10.03
Sepia officinalis hierredda	1.45	4	7.99
Pseudupeneus prayensis	0.66	8	3.64
Alloteuthis africana	0.54	211	2.98
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	0.33	21	1.82
Fistularia petimba	0.31	12	1.71
Total	18.14	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2490
 DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 913
 start stop duration Long E 1247
 TIME :05:21:06 05:51:10 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8761.63 8763.21 1.58 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 107 108 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 107 108 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 170° Wire out: 340 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 59 Kg Total catch: 87.60 CATCH/HOUR: 175.20

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	61.04	3332	34.84
Trichiurus lepturus	30.40	60	17.35
Umbrina canariensis	29.52	110	16.85
Dentex angelensis	9.88	74	5.64
Scomber japonicus	7.26	112	4.14
Sepia officinalis hierredda	7.08	4	4.04
Pagellus bellottii	6.16	44	3.52
Dentex congolensis	3.36	26	1.92
Zeus faber	2.80	8	1.60
Zenopsis conchifer	2.44	2	1.39
Uranoscopus cadenati	2.36	10	1.35
Brotula barbata	2.20	2	1.26
Pterothrius bellucci	1.76	10	1.00
Priacanthus arenatus	1.64	4	0.94
Octopus vulgaris	1.64	2	0.94
Sphoeroides spengleri	1.20	2	0.68
Fistularia petimba	1.12	2	0.64
Boopis boopis	0.60	22	0.34
Saurida brasiliensis	0.54	120	0.31
Citharus linguatula	0.48	16	0.27
Lepidotrigla cadiami	0.28	2	0.16
Chaetodon hoefleri	0.24	2	0.14
Chelidonichthys capensis	0.24	2	0.14
Monolene microstoma	0.24	6	0.14
Total	174.48	99.60	

PROJECT STATION:2494
 DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 906
 start stop duration Long E 1249
 TIME :11:52:03 12:18:49 27 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8795.91 8797.22 1.26 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 112 125 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 112 125 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 200° Wire out: m Speed: kn*10

Sorted: 69 Kg Total catch: 107.99 CATCH/HOUR: 239.98

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Dentex angelensis	116.76	709	48.65
Trigla lyra	52.58	360	21.91
Seriola carpenteri	32.76	16	13.65
Sphoeroides pachaster	10.73	11	4.47
Sepia officinalis hierredda	7.00	4	2.92
Sepia orbignyana	6.62	9	2.76
Zeus faber	4.13	16	1.72
Brotula barbata	3.24	2	1.35
Raja miraletus	2.09	2	0.87
Scorpaena stephanica	1.64	4	0.68
Dentex congolensis	1.09	20	0.45
Dentex barnardi	0.71	4	0.30
Citharus linguatula	0.62	11	0.26
Total	239.97	99.99	

PROJECT STATION:2491
 DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 910
 start stop duration Long E 1252
 TIME :07:07:18 07:37:27 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8771.46 8772.69 1.23 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 69 62 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 69 62 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 10° Wire out: 240 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 52 Kg Total catch: 156.56 CATCH/HOUR: 313.12

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus	225.60	2128	72.05
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	32.80	2528	10.48
Sphyraena guachancho	13.88	32	4.43
Sphyraena sphyraena	9.04	30	2.89
Trachurus trecae	8.64	16	2.76
Solene dorsalis	7.04	72	2.25
Pagellus bellottii	5.48	52	1.75
Trichiurus lepturus	4.32	8	1.38
Sepia officinalis hierredda	1.56	6	0.50
Alloteuthis africana	1.44	512	0.46
Dentex angelensis	0.88	12	0.28
Fistularia petimba	0.68	2	0.22
Lithognathus mormyrus	0.60	4	0.19
Sardinella maderensis	0.56	2	0.18
Dentex barnardi	0.32	2	0.10
Sepia elegans	0.24	2	0.08
Sardinella aurita	0.04	2	0.01
Total	313.12	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2495
 DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 907
 start stop duration Long E 1242
 TIME :13:20:27 15:01:31 24 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8814.88 8816.25 1.34 Area code : 2
 FDEPTH: 341 305 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 341 305 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 40° Wire out: 980 m Speed: 300 kn*10

Sorted: Kg Total catch: 574.40 CATCH/HOUR: 1436.00

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
MYCTOPHIDAE	1187.50	538	82.69
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	130.25	2288	9.07
Synagrops micropis	68.88	2820	4.80
Malacocephalus laevis	7.50	38	0.52
Parapeneus longirostris, fem.	7.13	913	0.50
Merluccius pollio	6.75	108	0.47
Parapeneus longirostris, male	5.50	38	0.38
Trichiurus lepturus	2.88	413	0.20
Hymenocephalus italicus	2.75	170	0.19
Gephyroberyx darwini	2.75	405	0.19
Ilex coindetii	2.38	20	0.17
Sphyraena sphyraena	1.88	8	0.13
Gadella imberbis	1.88	63	0.13
Mystriophis rostellatus	1.20	5	0.08
Raja straeleni	1.00	8	0.07
Epinephelus costae	0.75	8	0.05
Pagellus bellottii	0.75	8	0.05
Bathyneutes piperitus	0.63	13	0.04
Xenolepidichthys dagleishi	0.53	25	0.04
Solenocera africana	0.38	158	0.03
Plesionika martia	0.25	95	0.02
Colorinichthys coelorrhincus	0.13	100	0.01
Total	1436.05	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2496
DATE:13/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 906
start stop duration Long E 1237
TIME :18:31:25 18:31:59 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8831.40 8832.95 1.55 Area code : 2
FDEPTH: 650 697 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 650 697 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 215e Wire out:1500 m Speed: 30 Kn*10

Sorted: 44 Kg Total catch: 112.20 CATCH/HOUR: 217.16

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Yarrella blackfordi	42.04	1504	19.36	
MELANOSTOMATIDAE	25.20	528	11.60	
Aristeus varidens, female	18.70	883	8.61	5554
Xenodermichthys copei	17.77	1063	8.18	
Lamprichthys exutus	17.65	197	8.13	
Neohierichto pinnata	16.18	2	7.45	
NEMATOCARCINIDAE	12.43	4703	5.72	
Gadella imberbis	11.03	852	5.08	
Hoplostethus cadenati	10.45	418	4.81	
Nezumia aequalis	7.90	139	3.64	
Aristeus varidens, male	4.53	569	2.09	5555
Etmopterus lucifer	4.41	17	2.03	
POLYCHAEILIDAE	3.14	232	1.45	
Merluccius polli	3.02	6	1.39	
NETTASTOMATIDAE	2.90	6	1.34	
OCTOPOTENTHIDAE	2.90	12	1.34	
Triplophis hemingi	2.67	395	1.23	
Chaecon maritae	2.52	6	1.16	
Todaropsis oblongae	2.03	12	0.93	
CONRIDAE	1.39	35	0.64	
Bathygadus melanobranchus	1.28	6	0.59	
Laemonema laureysi	1.28	12	0.59	
Syphophranchus kaupii	1.16	41	0.53	
Stromateus fiatola	1.05	35	0.48	
Phrynichthys wedli	1.05	17	0.48	
Gonostoma denudata	0.58	23	0.27	
Talismanna bifurcata	0.58	29	0.27	
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.52	6	0.24	
Glypus marsupialis	0.46	29	0.21	
Trichiurus lepturus	0.35	6	0.16	

Total 217.52 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2499
DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 846
start stop duration Long E 1300
TIME :07:13:29 07:33:27 20 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8888.23 8888.87 0.62 Area code : 3
FDEPTH: 185 183 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 185 183 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 20e Wire out: 580 m Speed: 25 Kn*10

Sorted: 17 Kg Total catch: 17.31 CATCH/HOUR: 51.93

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Synagrops microlepis	12.54	1818	24.15	
MURAENIDAE	10.02	12	19.30	
Brotula barbata	8.88	15	17.10	
Bembrops heterurus	4.98	54	9.59	
Parapeneus longirostris, male	4.29	1245	8.26	5563
Zenopsis conchifer	3.12	3	6.01	
Parapeneus longirostris, fem.	2.37	543	4.56	5564
Pterothrius bellucci	1.68	12	3.24	
Merluccius pollie	1.02	48	1.96	5562
Dentex angelensis	0.78	3	1.50	
GOBIIDAE	0.51	99	0.98	
CALAPPIDAE	0.45	9	0.87	
Monolete microstoma	0.42	3	0.81	
Laemonema laureysi	0.24	9	0.46	
Trichiurus lepturus	0.18	15	0.35	
Solenocera africana	0.12	15	0.23	
Squilla cadenati	0.12	3	0.23	
XANTHIDAE	0.12	3	0.23	
Calappa calappa	0.06	3	0.12	
Peristedion cataphractum	0.03	3	0.06	
Dibranchus sp.	0.03	9	0.06	
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	0.03	21	0.06	
C R A B S	0.03	24	0.06	

Total 52.02 100.19

PROJECT STATION:2500
DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 844
start stop duration Long E 1309
TIME :08:01:37 08:01:33 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8889.76 8901.59 1.83 Area code : 3
FDEPTH: 83 82 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 83 82 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 20e Wire out: 240 m Speed: 30 Kn*10

Sorted: 77 Kg Total catch: 469.14 CATCH/HOUR: 852.98

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Brachydeuterus auritus	477.27	7178	55.95	5565
Stromateus fiatola	78.47	142	9.20	
Selene dorsalis	76.18	1453	8.93	5566
Trichiurus lepturus	74.22	415	8.70	
Galeoides decadactylus	27.16	95	3.18	
Trachurus trecae	25.29	236	2.96	5567
Raja miraletus	17.49	24	2.05	
Brotula barbata	12.05	13	1.41	
Fistularia petimba	10.00	18	1.17	
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	9.22	753	1.08	5568
Zeus faber	8.51	24	1.00	
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	8.51	71	1.00	
Pagellus bellottii	7.33	36	0.86	
Atractoscion sp.	4.96	24	0.58	
Dentex barnardi	4.49	24	0.53	
Sphyraena guachancho	4.25	13	0.50	
Sardinella aurita	3.31	36	0.39	
Pterothrius bellucci	2.36	36	0.28	
Scomber japonicus	1.42	13	0.17	
Dentex angelensis	0.47	13	0.06	

Total 852.96 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2501
DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 835
start stop duration Long E 1309
TIME :08:20:12 08:21:27 33 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8899.76 8901.59 1.83 Area code : 3
FDEPTH: 83 82 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 83 82 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 20e Wire out: 240 m Speed: 30 Kn*10

Sorted: 66 Kg Total catch: 1195.84 CATCH/HOUR: 2391.68

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Trichiurus lepturus	1624.00	340	67.90	
Stromateus fiatola	224.00	204	9.37	
Brachydeuterus auritus	200.00	236	8.36	
Sepia orbigniana	97.20	54	4.06	
Galeoides decadactylus	94.40	216	3.95	
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	73.40	7610	3.07	5571
Selene dorsalis	47.40	594	1.98	
Pagellus bellottii	19.84	124	0.83	5569
Dentex angelensis	4.72	24	0.20	5570
Fistularia petimba	3.20	4	0.13	
Brotula barbata	2.04	2	0.09	
Atractoscion aequidens	1.48	2	0.06	

Total 2391.68 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2498
DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 847
start stop duration Long E 1255
TIME :05:11:59 05:42:10 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8878.71 8880.03 1.32 Area code : 3
FDEPTH: 355 359 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 355 359 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 210e Wire out: 950 m Speed: 30 Kn*10

Sorted: 61 Kg Total catch: 212.53 CATCH/HOUR: 425.06

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	51.04	2552	43.15	5574
Dentex angelensis	30.20	164	25.53	5572
Dentex congensis	21.04	234	17.79	5573
Trichiurus lepturus	6.60	22	5.58	
Sepia orbigniana	3.64	2	3.08	
Dentex congensis	1.88	2	1.59	
Stromateus fiatola	1.60	2	1.35	
Zeus faber	1.60	10	1.35	
Brachydeuterus auritus	0.44	4	0.37	
Chaetodon marcellae	0.24	2	0.20	

Total 118.28 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2502
DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 839
start stop duration Long E 1304
TIME :12:47:05 13:17:06 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8908.48 8909.94 1.46 Area code : 3
FDEPTH: 81 83 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 81 83 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 360e Wire out: 340 m Speed: 30 Kn*10

Sorted: 591 Kg Total catch: 59.14 CATCH/HOUR: 118.28

Total 118.28 99.99

PROJECT STATION:2499
DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 846
start stop duration Long E 1300
TIME :07:13:29 07:33:27 20 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :8888.23 8888.87 0.62 Area code : 3
FDEPTH: 185 183 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 185 183 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 20e Wire out: 580 m Speed: 25 Kn*10

Sorted: 17 Kg Total catch: 17.31 CATCH/HOUR: 51.93

Total 52.02 100.19

PROJECT STATION:2503
 DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 835
 start stop duration Long E 1259
 TIME :14:42:38 15:12:27 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8930.98 8932.60 1.61 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 184 189 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 184 189 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 178° Wire out: 570 m Speed: 31 kn*10

Sorted: 35 Kg Total catch: 193.70 CATCH/HOUR: 387.40

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Synagrops sp.	244.00	14352	62.98	
Zenopsis conchifer	37.44	48	9.66	
Trichiurus lepturus	31.20	24	8.05	
Merluccius capensis, juveniles	19.68	540	5.08	
Pterothrius belliocci	14.64	132	3.78	
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	6.24	1068	1.61	5575
Umbrina canariensis	5.28	12	1.36	
MYCTOPHIDAE	5.04	1116	1.30	
Dentex angolensis	5.04	20	1.30	
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	4.56	1236	1.18	5576
Miracorvina angolensis	4.32	12	1.12	
Zeus faber	2.64	12	0.68	
Dentex congolensis	1.92	24	0.50	
Torpedo torpedo	1.80	4	0.46	
BREGMACEROTIDAE	1.68	2520	0.43	
Illex coindetii	1.44	24	0.37	
Monodelphus microstoma	0.48	12	0.12	
Total	387.40		99.98	

PROJECT STATION:2507
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 825
 start stop duration Long E 1246
 TIME :00:23:27 00:55:27 32 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8974.43 8976.11 1.68 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 624 633 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 624 633 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 330° Wire out:1650 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 393 Kg Total catch: 165.04 CATCH/HOUR: 309.45

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Nematocarcinus africanus	134.83	29295	43.57	
Centrophorus granulosus	52.99	9	17.12	
STOMIIDAE	43.54	904	14.07	
Lamprichthys exutus	12.32	94	3.98	
Yarrella blackfordi	10.97	321	3.54	
Raja sp.	9.62	9	3.11	
POLYCHAEILDIAE	7.43	803	2.40	
Hoplostethus cadenati	6.58	270	2.13	
OCTOPODIDAE	6.08	34	1.96	
Merluccius polli	5.40	9	1.75	
Triplophis hemingi	5.06	878	1.64	
Gadella imberbis	3.38	118	1.09	
Setarches guentheri	1.69	17	0.55	
Xenodermichthys copei	1.52	116	0.49	
Benthodesmus tenuis	1.18	43	0.38	
PENAEIDAE	1.01	43	0.33	
DICERATIIDAE	1.01	84	0.33	
Chateoau maritae	0.98	6	0.32	
Aristeus varidens, female	0.84	43	0.27	5581
Bathygadus melanobranchus	0.68	17	0.22	
ASTRONESTHIDAE	0.51	17	0.16	
OPLOPHORIDAE	0.51	51	0.16	
PARALEPIDIDIADAE	0.51	17	0.16	
Aristeus varidens, male	0.34	51	0.11	5580
Bathyuroconger vicinus	0.17	9	0.05	
SERGESTIDAE	0.17	34	0.05	
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.17	9	0.05	
Total	309.49		99.99	

PROJECT STATION:2504
 DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 836
 start stop duration Long E 1255
 TIME :16:59:40 17:29:31 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8942.40 8943.80 1.40 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 369 368 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 369 368 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 326° Wire out: 950 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 47 Kg Total catch: 333.50 CATCH/HOUR: 667.00

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Aequarea aequarea	320.00	4672	47.98	
Morluccius polli	249.00	1024	37.33	5577
Laemoneira laureysi	23.04	192	3.45	
S H R I M P S	20.16	1456	3.02	
B I V A L V E S	11.84	384	1.78	
Illex coindetii	5.44	16	0.82	
Gadella imberbis	4.16	112	0.62	
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	3.84	448	0.58	5578
Synagrops microlepis	3.84	256	0.58	
Lophius vaillantii	3.52	2	0.53	
Trichiurus lepturus	3.28	18	0.49	
Bathynectes piperitus	3.20	48	0.48	
Chaunax pictus	2.88	48	0.43	
Helicolenus dactylopterus	2.84	6	0.43	
Bathygadus melanobranchus	2.56	2	0.38	
Zenopsis conchifer	2.28	4	0.34	
Hymenococephalus italicicus	1.28	128	0.19	
Epigonus telescopus	1.28	32	0.19	
NETTASTOMATIDAE	0.64	32	0.10	
Aristeus varidens	0.64	16	0.10	
Solenocera africana	0.32	32	0.05	
Nezumia aequalis	0.32	2	0.05	
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	0.32	16	0.05	
Total	667.00		100.02	

PROJECT STATION:2508
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 821
 start stop duration Long E 1255
 TIME :05:00:27 05:01:12 26 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8992.95 8994.28 1.33 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 164 169 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 164 169 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 170° Wire out: 470 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 17 Kg Total catch: 17.34 CATCH/HOUR: 40.02

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Synagrops microlepis	17.12	325	42.78	
Brotula barbata	7.20	5	17.99	
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	4.34	877	10.84	5584
Trichiurus lepturus	2.49	2	6.22	
Saurida brasiliensis	1.38	30	3.45	
Bembrops heterurus	1.34	30	3.35	
Dentex angolensis	1.29	5	3.22	
Monodelphus microstoma	1.08	141	2.70	
Therogobius angolensis	0.78	526	1.95	
Microichthys frechkipi	0.60	39	1.50	
Pterothrius belliocci	0.46	2	1.15	
Lophius vaillantii	0.28	2	0.70	
Pontinus acraensis	0.28	30	0.70	
MURAENESOCIDAE	0.28	18	0.70	
CONGRIDAE	0.23	5	0.57	
Sepia elegans	0.18	12	0.45	
Gadella imberbis	0.00	2		
Solenocera africana	0.00	9		
C R A B S	0.00	134		
Peristedion cataphractum	0.00	7		
Squilla cadenati	0.00	2		
Total	40.25		100.57	

PROJECT STATION:2505
 DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 824
 start stop duration Long E 1248
 TIME :20:02:25 20:32:27 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8960.21 8961.61 1.39 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 449 446 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 449 446 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 340° Wire out:1100 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 46 Kg Total catch: 224.24 CATCH/HOUR: 448.48

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Merluccius polli	366.80	994	86.25	5579
NEMATOCARCINIDAE	36.80	8658	8.21	
Centrophorus granulosus	16.28	4	3.63	
Laemoneira laureysi	3.20	36	0.71	
TRICHIURIDAE	2.64	98	0.59	
MELANOSTOMATIDAE	0.68	12	0.15	
HISTIOTETHIDAE	0.52	6	0.12	
Gadella imberbis	0.52	18	0.12	
Aristeus varidens, female	0.36	30	0.08	
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.20	8	0.04	
Aristeus varidens, male	0.12	12	0.03	
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	0.12	12	0.03	
Hymenococephalus italicicus	0.08	8	0.02	
Etmopterus spinax	0.08	2	0.02	
Halosaurus oovenii	0.04	2	0.01	
Hoplostethus cadenati	0.04	2	0.01	
Total	448.48		100.02	

PROJECT STATION:2509
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 824
 start stop duration Long E 1303
 TIME :07:15:31 07:47:09 32 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9003.76 9005.57 1.80 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 110 108 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 110 108 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 350° Wire out: 290 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 9 Kg Total catch: 9.00 CATCH/HOUR: 16.88

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Trichiurus lepturus	12.41	66	73.52	
Selene dorsalis	4.46	24	26.42	5585
Total	16.87		99.94	

PROJECT STATION:2506
 DATE:14/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 824
 start stop duration Long E 1245
 TIME :22:07:14 22:21:00 14 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :8966.74 8967.40 0.66 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 637 637 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 637 637 Validity code: 4
 Towing dir: 150° Wire out:1650 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 9 Kg Total catch: 8.92 CATCH/HOUR: 38.23

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Yarrella blackfordi	9.69	206	25.35	
Todaropsis oblongae	5.40	34	14.13	
OCTOPODIDAE	5.31	26	13.89	
Chateoau maritae	3.60	13	9.42	
Hoplostethus cadenati	3.34	116	8.74	
Lamprichthys exutus	2.57	17	6.72	
OPHIDIIDAE	2.31	9	6.04	
Centroscymnus crepidater	1.71	4	4.47	
Bathyuroconger vicinus	1.03	26	2.69	
Stomias sp.	0.86	17	2.25	
Raja sp.	0.86	9	2.25	
Bathygadus melanobranchus	0.69	9	1.80	
POLYCHAEILDIAE	0.51	39	1.33	
Etmopterus lucifer	0.34	4	0.89	
Total	38.22		99.97	

PROJECT STATION:2510
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 826
 start stop duration Long E 1307
 TIME :08:58:31 09:28:00 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9013.20 9014.20 1.00 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 89 89 GearCond.code: 9
 BDEPTH: 89 89 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 170° Wire out: 270 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 87 Kg Total catch: 312.50 CATCH/HOUR: 625.00

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight numbers			
Brachydeuterus auritus	351.04	10528	56.17	5586
Spondyliosoma cantharus	77.92	224	12.47	
Trachurus trecae	46.72	472	7.48	5589
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	46.72	4216	7.48	5588
Dentex angolensis	22.88	120	3.66	5590
Selene dorsalis	14.56	280	2.33	5587
Parageutes pectoralis	9.72	2	1.56	
Galeoides decadactylus	8.00	32	1.28	
Sepia officinalis hierredda	7.68	16	1.23	
Sphyraena sphyraena	7.52	48	1.20	
Zeus faber	6.72	48	1.08	
Pagellus bellottii	4.40	36	0.70	5591
Atractoscion sp.	4.32	24	0.69	
Fistularia petimba	4.32	10	0.69	
Torpedo torpedo	3.84	8	0.61	
Pentheroscion mbilizi	2.56	16	0.41	
Dentex barnardi	1.76	8	0.28	
Trichiurus lepturus	1.64	48	0.26	
Pomadasys jubelini	1.60	2	0.26	
Lagocephalus laevigatus	1.44	8	0.23	
Pterothrius belliocci	1.28	32	0.20	
Illex coindetii	0.48	8	0.08	
Total	627.12		100.35	

PROJECT STATION:2511
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 812
 start stop duration Long E 1301
 TIME :11:47:58 12:17:52 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9033.72 9035.32 1.59 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 95 98 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 95 98 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 170° Wire out: 320 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 53 Kg Total catch: 464.38 CATCH/HOUR: 928.76

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus	804.00	11442	86.57
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	44.24	3696	4.76
Trachurus trecae	25.20	196	2.71
Pteroscion peli	12.88	56	1.39
Selene dorsalis	11.16	50	1.20
Trichiurus lepturus	10.28	26	1.11
Fistularia petimba	9.12	16	0.98
Dentex angolensis	3.16	20	0.34
Sphyraena guachancho	2.76	4	0.30
Zeus faber	2.56	4	0.28
Sepia officinalis hierredda	2.12	2	0.23
Atractoscion aequidens	0.76	2	0.08
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	0.28	2	0.03
Pagellus bellottii	0.24	4	0.03
Total	928.76	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2515
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 815
 start stop duration Long E 1239
 TIME :21:00:08 21:30:48 31 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9074.79 9076.25 1.45 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 780 783 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 780 783 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 150° Wire out: 1750 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 29 Kg Total catch: 86.94 CATCH/HOUR: 168.27

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Hoplostethus cadenati	58.41	1881	34.71
Nezumia aequalis	23.46	403	13.94
Glypus marsupialis	18.35	58	10.91
Yarrella blackfordi	18.00	422	10.70
Talismania bifurcata	17.54	261	10.42
POLYCHAELIDAE	9.29	821	5.52
MORIDAE	5.69	273	3.38
OCTOPOTETUTHIDAE	3.60	17	2.14
Dicrolene intronigra	3.14	35	1.87
MELANOSTOMIATIDAE	1.86	52	1.11
Nezumia sp.	1.74	12	1.03
Aristeus varidens, female	1.51	64	0.90
Bathyuroconger vicinus	1.51	17	0.90
STROMATEIDAE	1.22	46	0.73
OPHIDIIDAE	0.70	6	0.42
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.58	17	0.34
SYNAPOBRANCHIDAE	0.46	12	0.27
Triphlophus hemingi	0.46	52	0.27
BATHYPTEROIDAE	0.35	58	0.21
Halosaurus oovenii	0.35	17	0.21
Trichiurus lepturus	0.12	6	0.07
Laemonema laureysi	0.06	6	0.04
Total	168.40	100.09	

PROJECT STATION:2512
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 813
 start stop duration Long E 1250
 TIME :14:16:31 14:46:11 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9050.51 9052.16 1.65 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 168 179 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 168 179 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 160° Wire out: 520 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 369 Kg Total catch: 985.62 CATCH/HOUR: 1971.24

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Trichiurus lepturus	1835.12	2204	93.09
Synagrops microlepis	56.84	3712	2.88
Raja miraletus	48.72	58	2.47
Engraulis encrasicolus	11.60	1740	0.59
Illex coindetii	8.12	116	0.41
Dentex angolensis	5.04	18	0.26
Zenopsis conchifera	3.48	58	0.18
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Parapenaeus longirostris	2.32	290	0.12
Spicara alta	1.08	6	0.05
Total	1975.80	100.23	

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Pomadasys jubelini	215.10	267	19.84
Lutjanus agassizii	194.52	24	17.94
Galeoides decadactylus	158.79	726	14.64
Spondylisoma cantharus	123.00	492	11.34
Pomadasys incisus	108.30	978	9.99
Pseudotolithus typus	92.40	81	8.52
Selene dorsalis, juveniles	44.04	1728	4.06
Decapterus rhonchus	36.78	2754	3.39
Dentex barnardi	30.36	84	2.80
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv.	16.80	3201	1.55
Arius parkii	11.76	6	1.08
Argyrosomus inodorus	11.10	3	1.02
Dentex gibbosus	10.02	45	0.92
Ilisha africana	7.53	159	0.69
Alectis alexandrinus	7.32	3	0.68
Plectrinus mediterraneus	4.50	6	0.41
Pagellus bellottii	3.54	24	0.33
Scomberomorus tritor	3.00	3	0.28
Lithognathus mormyrus	2.49	3	0.23
Sardinella aurita - Juveniles	1.44	102	0.13
Sardinella maderensis	1.44	15	0.13
Penaeus notialis	0.57	15	0.05
Chaetodon hoefleri	0.54	3	0.05
Pseudupeneus prayensis	0.27	15	0.02
Torpedo torpedo	0.18	3	0.02
Total	1085.79	100.11	

PROJECT STATION:2513
 DATE:15/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 814
 start stop duration Long E 1246
 TIME :16:14:31 16:41:11 27 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9060.51 9061.70 1.19 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 322 324 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 322 324 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 160° Wire out: 520 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 49 Kg Total catch: 107.57 CATCH/HOUR: 239.04

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	65.44	1078	27.38
Synagrops microlepis	42.67	1711	17.85
Pterothrisus bellucci	31.11	200	13.01
Trichiurus lepturus	28.62	44	11.97
Merluccius polli	18.53	249	7.75
Laemonema laureysi	15.56	200	6.51
Gadella imberbis	6.89	278	2.88
Bathygadus melanobranchus	6.67	44	2.79
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	6.44	1018	2.69
Neomerinthe folgori	5.51	2	2.31
Pontinus acraeensis	3.60	31	1.51
Epigonus telescopus	3.33	33	1.39
Illex coindetii	2.00	33	0.84
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	0.78	156	0.33
Solenocera africana	0.67	78	0.28
MYCTOPHIDAE	0.67	4878	0.28
Hymenocephalus italicus	0.44	33	0.18
Peristedion cataphractum	0.11	22	0.05
MULLIDAE	0.00	11	
Total	239.04	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2517
 DATE:18/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 814
 start stop duration Long E 1311
 TIME :17:22:09 17:43:45 22 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9168.54 9169.69 1.15 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 44 43 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 44 43 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: e Wire out: 200 m Speed: 32 kn*10

Sorted: 78 Kg Total catch: 172.90 CATCH/HOUR: 471.55

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv.	187.96	30960	39.86
Pomadasys incisus	65.54	300	13.90
Sphyraena guachancho	45.05	185	9.55
Galeoides decadactylus	39.57	262	8.39
Pagellus bellottii	36.27	221	7.69
Ilisha africana	26.10	483	5.53
Rhizoprionodon acutus	25.85	8	5.48
Pteroscion peli	14.51	415	3.08
Penaeus notialis	8.65	401	1.83
Selene dorsalis, juveniles	6.35	254	1.35
Pagrus caeruleostictus	3.25	11	0.69
Trichiurus lepturus	2.54	82	0.54
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	2.10	172	0.45
Saurida brasiliensis	1.77	567	0.38
Sardinella maderensis	1.66	19	0.35
Dicologlossa cuneata	0.87	27	0.18
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	0.52	14	0.11
Citharus linguatula	0.52	25	0.11
Syacium micrurum	0.16	3	0.03
Total	471.53	99.99	

PROJECT STATION:2544
DATE:21/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 731
start stop duration Long E 1232
TIME :08:43:29 09:00:00 17 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9482.45 9483.29 0.82 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 114 114 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 114 114 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 140° Wire out: 360 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 65 Kg Total catch: 109.79 CATCH/HOUR: 387.49

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus	210.25	1669	54.26
Spicara alta	90.53	1447	23.36
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	24.07	1122	6.21
Trachurus trecae	17.54	162	4.53
Dentex barnardi	14.19	35	3.66
Dentex angolensis	8.75	49	2.26
Boops boops	5.93	162	1.53
Dentex gibbosus	4.66	7	1.20
Zenopsis conchifer	3.88	11	1.00
Trichiurus lepturus	3.53	4	0.91
Zeus faber	1.48	7	0.38
Dentex congensis	1.20	14	0.31
Pagellus bellottii	0.71	4	0.18
Lepidotrigla cadmanii	0.42	4	0.11
Illex coindetii	0.35	7	0.09

Total 388.97 100.37

PROJECT STATION:2545
DATE:21/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 729
start stop duration Long E 1235
TIME :09:47:57 10:16:52 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9488.50 9490.04 1.53 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 100 101 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 100 101 Validity code:
Towing dir: 330° Wire out: 330 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 69 Kg Total catch: 357.55 CATCH/HOUR: 739.76

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Brachydeuterus auritus	586.72	991	79.31
Pagellus bellottii	81.93	455	11.08
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	38.01	2686	5.14
Dentex canariensis	10.47	205	1.42
Dentex barnardi	9.79	23	1.32
Fistularia petimba	3.77	8	0.51
Pagrus caeruleostictus	3.27	2	0.44
Sphyraena guachancho	1.37	12	0.19
Sardinella aurita	1.37	81	0.19
Dentex angolensis	1.12	6	0.15
Illex sp.	0.68	12	0.09
Sepia officinalis hierredda	0.66	2	0.09
Zeus faber	0.62	4	0.08

Total 739.78 100.01

PROJECT STATION:2546
DATE:21/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 727
start stop duration Long E 1238
TIME :11:08:27 11:38:02 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9495.16 9496.66 1.49 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 81 83 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 81 83 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 144° Wire out: 280 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 24 Kg Total catch: 23.66 CATCH/HOUR: 47.32

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Pagellus bellottii	30.92	444	65.34
Fistularia petimba	4.84	14	10.23
Dentex macrourhalmus Juv.	3.56	54	7.52
Zeus faber	3.00	4	6.34
Lagocephalus laevigatus	1.92	6	4.06
Brachydeuterus auritus	1.72	20	3.63
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	0.48	50	1.01
Trigla lyra	0.40	4	0.85
Todaropsis eblanae - juvenile	0.28	150	0.59
Decapterus rhonchus	0.16	4	0.34
Illex coindetii	0.02	8	0.04

Total 47.30 99.95

PROJECT STATION:2547
DATE:21/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 728
start stop duration Long E 1246
TIME :12:56:24 13:17:03 21 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9506.83 9507.81 0.96 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 51 50 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 51 50 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 335° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 34 Kg Total catch: 33.58 CATCH/HOUR: 95.94

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Dentex barnardi	26.69	94	27.82
Pagrus caeruleostictus	25.43	74	26.51
Pagellus bellottii	17.31	94	18.04
Sepia officinalis hierredda	6.46	3	6.73
Mustelus mustelus	5.20	3	5.42
Epinephelus aeneus	4.57	6	4.76
Scomberomorus tritor	3.03	3	3.16
Raja miraletus	2.06	3	2.15
Fistularia petimba	1.66	9	1.73
Epinephelus alexandrinus -	1.49	3	1.55
Illex coindetii	1.20	1174	1.25
Chaetodon hoefleri	0.34	3	0.35
Trigla lyra	0.34	3	0.35
Todaropsis eblanae - juvenile	0.17	86	0.18

Total 95.95 100.00

PROJECT STATION:2548
DATE:21/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 727
start stop duration Long E 1250
TIME :14:19:58 14:37:14 17 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9515.07 9515.96 0.88 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 35 36 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 35 36 Validity code:
Towing dir: 335° Wire out: 180 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 9 Kg Total catch: 8.64 CATCH/HOUR: 30.49

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Dentex barnardi	14.40	42	47.23
Pagrus auriga	5.01	4	16.43
Bodianus speciosus	4.80	4	15.74
Caranx cryos	2.19	4	7.18
Fistularia petimba	1.27	7	4.17
Pagrus caeruleostictus	0.99	7	3.25
Pagellus bellottii	0.92	4	3.02
Alloteuthis africana	0.92	328	3.02

Total 30.50 100.04

PROJECT STATION:2549
DATE:21/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 725
start stop duration Long E 1156
TIME :21:16:10 21:45:30 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9581.41 9582.88 1.47 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 744 746 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 744 746 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 330° Wire out: 2000 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 29 Kg Total catch: 186.10 CATCH/HOUR: 385.03

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Nerumia leonis	143.75	2880	37.33
Xenodermichthys copei	66.79	1068	17.35
Talismania bifurcata	22.84	248	5.93
POLYCHAELIDAE	22.34	2570	5.80
Hoplostethus cadenati	20.61	211	5.35
Benthodesmus tenuis	13.12	41	3.41
Bathyuroconger vicinus	13.12	41	3.41
GALATHIIDAE *	12.41	708	3.22
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE	8.19	50	2.13
Halocephalus ovenii	7.94	161	2.06
Bathyraja smithii	6.66	8	1.73
SYNAPHOBRANCHIDAE	5.71	87	1.48
Etmosterus lucifer	5.71	25	1.48
STOMIIDAE	5.46	199	1.42
Triophorus hemingi	4.63	2185	1.20
Aristeus varidens	4.22	844	1.10
Glyphus marsupialis	2.98	149	0.77
Chaceon maritae	2.86	10	0.74
NEMICHTHYIDAE	1.99	50	0.52
Raja sp.	1.99	4	0.52
Dicrolene intronigra	1.74	124	0.45
Aristeus varidens, female	1.66	64	0.43
Trichiurus lepturus	1.37	12	0.36
Dibranchus atlanticus	1.24	124	0.32
Bathynectes piperitus	0.99	12	0.26
NOTOSUDIDAE	0.74	25	0.19
Luciobranchula bartelsi	0.70	2	0.18
PASTIHAEDIDAE	0.50	37	0.13
SOLEIDAE	0.25	25	0.06
MYCTOPHIDAE	0.25	223	0.06
Aristeus varidens, male	0.04	8	0.01

Total 382.80 99.40

PROJECT STATION:2550
DATE:22/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:4 POSITION:Lat S 723
start stop duration Long E 1202
TIME :23:55:45 00:18:07 22 (min) Purpose code: 3
LOG :9594.38 9595.46 1.08 Area code: 3
FDEPTH: 551 557 GearCond.code:
BDEPTH: 551 557 Validity code: 1
Towing dir: 160° Wire out: 1550 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 29 Kg Total catch: 120.06 CATCH/HOUR: 327.44

SPECIES

	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Nematothrix africanus	97.75	44967	29.85
POLYCHAELIDAE	30.98	3327	9.46
Triophorus hemingi	28.80	4145	8.80
STOMIIDAE	26.40	502	8.06
Laemonema laureysi	24.22	229	7.40
Benthodesmus tenuis	13.31	447	4.06
GALATHIIDAE *	10.91	1222	3.33
Yarrella blackfordi	10.69	251	3.26
Merluccius pollus	9.33	25	2.85
Aristeus varidens, female	8.07	349	2.46
Chaceon maritae	7.58	19	2.31
Xenodermichthys copei	6.55	327	2.00
Dicrolene intronigra	5.67	349	1.73
Centroscyllium crepidater	5.24	33	1.60
Etmosterus lucifer	5.02	87	1.53
Hoplostethus cadenati	5.02	120	1.53
Nerumia leonis	4.80	109	1.47
Todaropsis eblanae	4.15	22	1.27
OPHIDIIDAE	3.05	556	0.93
Aristeus varidens, male	2.62	295	0.80
Bathyuroconger vicinus	2.40	213	0.73
Lophius vaillanti	2.24	3	0.68
Chimaera pictus	1.96	22	0.60
Gadella imberbis	1.96	87	0.60
Gymnophorus serpens	1.36	3	0.42
Lampruguinus exutus	1.31	98	0.40
NYCTOPHIDAE	1.09	1560	0.33
Bathynectes piperitus	0.98	33	0.30
Malacocephalus laevis	0.87	11	0.27
Caristius greenlandicus	0.87	11	0.27
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.87	44	0.27
Trichiurus lepturus	0.38	3	0.12
Etmopterus costaeconomicus	0.22	11	0.07
Glyphus marsupialis	0.11	55	0.03
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE	0.11	22	0.03
NEMICHTHYIDAE	0.11	11	0.03
NETTASTOMATIDAE	0.11	11	0.03
SYNAPHOBRANCHIDAE	0.11	22	0.03
SOLEIDAE	0.11	22	0.03
Halocephalus ovenii	0.11	11	0.03

Total 327.44 99.97

PROJECT STATION:2564
 DATE:23/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 706
 start stop duration Long E 1214
 TIME :10:39:11 10:54:47 16 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9778.04 9778.84 0.79 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 108 107 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 108 107 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 150° Wire out: 330 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 15 Kg Total catch: 35.72 CATCH/HOUR: 133.95

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Dentex congensis	49.73	401	37.13	
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	28.95	1564	21.61	5704
Dentex angolensis	20.40	120	15.23	5703
Sepia officinalis hierredda	9.53	8	7.11	
Todaropsis eblanae - juvenile	7.13	851	5.32	
Dentex barnardi	2.78	4	2.08	
Pagellus bellottii	2.10	4	1.57	
Brachydeuterus auritus	2.03	4	1.52	
Zeus faber	2.03	4	1.52	
Trigla lyra	2.03	4	1.52	
Trichiurus lepturus	2.03	4	1.52	
Todaropsis eblanae	1.88	8	1.40	
Illex coindetii	1.80	11	1.34	
Sardinella aurita	1.58	4	1.18	
Total	134.00	100.05		

PROJECT STATION:2568
 DATE:23/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 700
 start stop duration Long E 1145
 TIME :22:55:42 23:25:06 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9883.02 9884.53 1.50 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 640 618 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 640 618 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 140° Wire out: 1775 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 32 Kg Total catch: 261.86 CATCH/HOUR: 541.78

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Hoplostethus cadenati	155.59	3046	28.72	
Lampruguinus exutus	106.26	248	19.61	
Varrella blackfordi	74.15	1903	13.69	
Xenodermichthys copei	27.81	1043	5.13	
Nezumia leonis	24.50	480	4.52	
POLYCHAETIDAE	21.19	1258	3.91	
Nematoctenius africanus	17.88	5363	3.30	
Triplefish hemingii	16.88	1887	3.12	
Dicrolene intronigrata	15.23	1233	2.81	
STOMIIDAE	14.90	364	2.75	
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE	14.23	66	2.63	
Benthodesmus tenuis	12.58	298	2.32	
Coloconger cadenati	9.27	17	1.71	
Chacean maritae	7.70	19	1.42	
Dibranchus atlanticus	3.31	248	0.61	
Raja sp.	2.32	17	0.43	
SYNAPHOBRANCHIDAE	2.32	50	0.43	
Bathygadus melanobranchus	2.32	33	0.43	
Deania quadrispinosum	1.99	17	0.37	
Bathyuroconger vicinus	1.99	17	0.37	
Etmopterus lucifer	1.66	17	0.31	
CHIMAERIDAE	1.37	2	0.25	
Lophius sp.	1.32	149	0.24	
Talismaria bifurcata	1.32	50	0.24	
Glypus marsupialis	0.99	83	0.18	
Halosaurus oovenii	0.99	17	0.18	
Aristeus varidens, female	0.99	50	0.18	
OPHIDIIDAE	0.74	17	0.14	
Aristeus varidens, male	0.33	83	0.06	
NETTASTOMATIDAE	0.17	17	0.03	
Total		542.30		100.09

PROJECT STATION:2565
 DATE:23/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 704
 start stop duration Long E 1216
 TIME :11:48:13 12:07:39 19 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9784.37 9785.31 0.93 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 93 95 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 93 95 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 150° Wire out: 300 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 37 Kg Total catch: 36.83 CATCH/HOUR: 116.31

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Dentex angolensis	39.54	291	34.00	5705
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	31.45	2214	27.04	5706
Pagellus bellottii	17.37	104	14.93	5707
Epinephelus aeneus	7.83	3	6.73	
Dentex congensis	4.80	76	4.13	
Dentex barnardi	4.74	13	4.08	
Sardinella aurita	3.22	139	2.77	
Fistularia petimba	2.46	9	2.12	
Chaerodon hoefleri	1.96	13	1.69	
Trigla lyra	1.26	9	1.08	
Todaropsis eblanae - juvenile	1.07	411	0.92	
Zeus faber	0.57	3	0.49	
Spicara alta	0.03	13	0.03	
Total	116.30	100.01		

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Hoplostethus cadenati	155.59	3046	28.72	
Lampruguinus exutus	106.26	248	19.61	
Varrella blackfordi	74.15	1903	13.69	
Xenodermichthys copei	27.81	1043	5.13	
Nezumia leonis	24.50	480	4.52	
POLYCHAETIDAE	21.19	1258	3.91	
Nematoctenius africanus	17.88	5363	3.30	
Triplefish hemingii	16.88	1887	3.12	
Dicrolene intronigrata	15.23	1233	2.81	
STOMIIDAE	14.90	364	2.75	
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE	14.23	66	2.63	
Benthodesmus tenuis	12.58	298	2.32	
Coloconger cadenati	9.27	17	1.71	
Chacean maritae	7.70	19	1.42	
Dibranchus atlanticus	3.31	248	0.61	
Raja sp.	2.32	17	0.43	
SYNAPHOBRANCHIDAE	2.32	50	0.43	
Bathygadus melanobranchus	2.32	33	0.43	
Deania quadrispinosum	1.99	17	0.37	
Bathyuroconger vicinus	1.99	17	0.37	
Etmopterus lucifer	1.66	17	0.31	
CHIMAERIDAE	1.37	2	0.25	
Lophius sp.	1.32	149	0.24	
Talismaria bifurcata	1.32	50	0.24	
Glypus marsupialis	0.99	83	0.18	
Halosaurus oovenii	0.99	17	0.18	
Aristeus varidens, female	0.99	50	0.18	
OPHIDIIDAE	0.74	17	0.14	
Aristeus varidens, male	0.33	83	0.06	
NETTASTOMATIDAE	0.17	17	0.03	
Total		542.30		100.09

PROJECT STATION:2566
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 start stop duration Long E 1238
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 LOG :9811.07 9812.63 1.55 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 24 24 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 24 24 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 330° Wire out: 160 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 65 Kg Total catch: 65.18 CATCH/HOUR: 134.86

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Balistes capriscus	42.00	85	31.14	
Dentex gibbosus	36.17	52	26.82	
Epinephelus aeneus	17.26	17	12.80	
Gymnammodytes capensis	9.52	4086	7.06	
Pagrus africanus	6.33	6	4.69	
Balistes punctatus	6.33	6	4.69	
Aluterus scriptus	5.09	6	3.77	
Seriola carpenteri	3.81	4	2.83	
Bodianus speciosus	2.65	2	1.97	
Acanthurus monroviae	1.99	4	1.48	
Decapterus rhonchus	1.45	2	1.08	
Zanobatus shooleinii	1.08	2	0.80	
Fistularia petimba	0.70	6	0.52	
Pagellus bellottii	0.50	2	0.37	
Total	134.88	100.02		

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Varrella blackfordi	43.54	1110	20.67	
Lampruguinus exutus	25.34	140	12.03	
Triplefish hemingii	24.50	3022	11.63	
Benthodesmus tenuis	20.44	704	9.70	
STOMIIDAE	15.54	318	7.38	
POLYCHAETIDAE	15.12	6280	7.18	
Xenodermichthys copei	9.72	584	4.61	
Hoplostethus cadenati	9.58	392	4.55	
Nematoctenius africanus	8.18	5356	3.88	
Chacean maritae	5.68	14	2.70	
Etmopterus lucifer	5.04	70	2.39	
Aristeus varidens, female	4.62	182	2.19	5709
Lophius sp.	3.08	8	1.46	
Laemonema lauryesi	1.96	42	0.93	
Gadella imberbis	1.96	78	0.93	
OCTOPOTEUTHIDAE	1.54	14	0.73	
Aristeus varidens, male	1.54	190	0.73	5710
NCMIIIDAE	1.40	8	0.66	
Raja sp.	1.40	14	0.66	
Merluccius polli	1.36	4	0.65	
Todaropsis eblanae	1.26	8	0.60	
Plesiopeneus edwardsianus	0.98	14	0.47	
Nezumia leonis	0.98	22	0.47	
SERGESTIIDAE	0.70	56	0.33	
NEMICHTHYIDAE	0.70	8	0.33	
Bathyuroconger vicinus	0.70	8	0.33	
NETTASTOMATIDAE	0.56	28	0.27	
Caristius groenlandicus	0.42	22	0.20	
Dibranchus atlanticus	0.42	36	0.20	
Halosaurus oovenii	0.42	14	0.20	
Glypus marsupialis	0.28	28	0.13	
SYNAPHOBRANCHIDAE	0.28	14	0.13	
Total		209.24		99.32

PROJECT STATION:2567
 DATE:23/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 648
 start stop duration Long E 1227
 TIME :16:55:37 17:16:20 21 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9830.32 9831.33 0.99 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 24 23 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 24 23 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 140° Wire out: 180 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 18 Kg Total catch: 17.59 CATCH/HOUR: 50.26

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Pagellus bellottii	32.17	171	64.01	5708
Caranx cryos	7.46	9	14.84	
Decapterus rhonchus	6.74	9	13.41	
Balistes capriscus	1.60	6	3.18	
Selar crumenophthalmus	1.43	9	2.85	
Pagrus caeruleostictus	0.86	6	1.71	
Total	50.26	100.00		

PROJECT STATION:2570
 DATE:24/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 657
 start stop duration Long E 1150
 TIME :05:26:22 05:49:55 24 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9908.01 9909.35 1.34 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 355 327 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 355 327 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 150° Wire out:1000 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 31 Kg Total catch: 120.68 CATCH/HOUR: 301.70

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Synagrops microlepis	62.20	198	20.62
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	48.80	830	16.18
Leomonema laureysi	32.60	430	10.81
Merluccius polli	23.40	120	7.76
Parma cuvieri	18.80	10	6.23
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	14.40	1760	4.77 5711
Pterothrius bellucci	11.80	70	3.91
TRICHIURIDAE	11.00	453	3.65
Gadella imberbis	9.80	370	3.25
Chaunax pictus	9.80	360	3.25
Hymenococephalus italicus	8.40	923	2.78
Setarches guentheri	7.20	260	2.39
APOCONIDAE	7.00	150	2.32
Munida sp. *	4.60	420	1.52
Malacocephalus occidentalis	4.40	20	1.46
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	3.00	40	0.99
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	2.80	360	0.93 5712
S H R I M P S	2.80	570	0.93
Trichiurus lepturus	2.50	3	0.83
Chascanopsetta lugubris	2.00	60	0.66
Omnastrephes pteropus	1.80	10	0.60
Dibranchus atlanticus	1.80	250	0.60
Solenocera africana	1.60	280	0.53
Merluccius polli, juveniles	1.40	70	0.46
POLYCHAELIDAE	1.00	70	0.33
PARALEPIDIDAE	1.00	50	0.33
Illex coindetii	1.00	10	0.33
Trigla sp.	1.00	10	0.33
MURAENESOCIDAE	0.80	10	0.27
MYCTOPHIDAE	0.60	420	0.20
Raja alba	0.40	10	0.13
Nezumia aequalis	0.40	20	0.13
Etmopterus spinax	0.40	10	0.13
Epigonus sp.	0.40	20	0.13
Ariommabondi	0.20	10	0.07
Sepia elegans	0.20	20	0.07
Zenion hololepis	0.20	50	0.07
C R A B S	0.10	10	0.03
Peristedion cataaphractum	0.10	10	0.03
Total	301.70	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2573
 DATE:24/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 654
 start stop duration Long E 1207
 TIME :11:55:40 12:25:07 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9945.51 9946.92 1.41 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 90 89 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 90 89 Validity code:
 Towing dir: 310° Wire out: 300 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 60 Kg Total catch: 60.11 CATCH/HOUR: 120.22

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Pageodus bellottii	108.24	1334	90.03 5718
Dentex congensis	4.12	84	3.43
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	2.04	186	1.70 5719
Fistularia petimba	1.40	4	1.16
Pseudupeneus prayensis	1.16	8	0.96
Priacanthus arenatus	0.68	2	0.57
Chelidonichthys capensis	0.66	4	0.55
Sepia officinalis hierredda	0.60	2	0.50
Trigla lyra	0.60	6	0.50
Zeus faber	0.32	2	0.27
Trachurus sp.	0.20	2	0.17
Dentex angolensis	0.20	2	0.17
Total	120.22	100.01	

PROJECT STATION:2574
 DATE:25/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 634
 start stop duration Long E 1212
 TIME :07:43:45 08:13:01 29 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9972.61 9974.13 1.51 Area code : 3
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 Towing dir: 160° Wire out: 200 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 32 Kg Total catch: 31.52 CATCH/HOUR: 65.21

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Pagrus caeruleostictus	24.66	46	37.82
Pagellus bellottii	10.72	56	16.44 5720
Pagrus africanus	10.10	14	15.49
Epinephelus aeneus	9.97	4	15.29
Dentex gibbosus	5.30	8	8.13
Sepia officinalis hierredda	3.19	2	4.89
Chaetodon hoefleri	0.74	4	1.13
Fistularia tabacaria	0.54	4	0.83
Total	65.22	100.02	

PROJECT STATION:2571
 DATE:24/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 657
 start stop duration Long E 1153
 TIME :07:09:02 07:31:32 23 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9917.54 9918.70 1.16 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 246 236 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 246 236 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 150° Wire out: 750 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 38 Kg Total catch: 56.46 CATCH/HOUR: 147.29

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	41.74	5361	28.34
Synagrops microlepis	33.65	16137	22.85
Merluccius polli, juveniles	17.74	509	12.04 5713
Zenopsis conchifer	12.42	57	8.43
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	6.78	730	4.60 5714
Omnastrephes pteropus	6.00	39	4.07
Parasudis sp.	5.74	743	3.90
Sepia elegans	5.74	143	3.90
Ariommabondi	5.22	78	3.54
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	3.91	600	2.65 5715
Pterothrius bellucci	3.65	26	2.48
Illex coindetii	2.09	26	1.42
Munida sp. *	1.83	157	1.24
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	0.52	13	0.35
Zenion hololepis	0.26	91	0.18
Total	147.29	99.99	

PROJECT STATION:2575
 DATE:25/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 633
 start stop duration Long E 1203
 TIME :09:48:45 10:18:43 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9984.60 9986.34 1.76 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 76 81 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 76 81 Validity code:
 Towing dir: 250° Wire out: 230 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 153 Kg Total catch: 152.50 CATCH/HOUR: 305.00

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Trichiurus lepturus	209.56	532	68.71
Dentex congensis	39.00	582	12.79 5723
Pagellus bellottii	21.84	222	7.16 5722
Seriola carpenteri	14.04	16	4.60
Epinephelus aeneus	8.60	4	2.82
Dentex angolensis	6.00	28	1.97
Zeus faber	2.16	6	0.71
Fistularia petimba	1.40	4	0.46
Pseudupeneus prayensis	1.20	10	0.39
Lagocephalus laevigatus	1.20	2	0.39
Total	305.00	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2572
 DATE:24/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:2 POSITION:Lat S 656
 start stop duration Long E 1154
 TIME :08:35:16 08:52:35 17 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9922.89 9923.66 0.76 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 171 177 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 171 177 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 330° Wire out: 550 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 158 Kg Total catch: 158.27 CATCH/HOUR: 558.60

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Spicara alta	383.58	2619	68.67
Epigonus sp.	109.41	4	19.59
Dentex angolensis	25.41	95	4.55 5716
Erythrocles monodi	13.66	113	2.45
Zenopsis conchifer	8.26	11	1.48
Dentex macrophthalmus	7.69	39	1.38 5717
Trichiurus lepturus	6.85	7	1.23
Illex coindetii	1.91	25	0.34
Umbrina canariensis	1.20	4	0.21
Pteroscion peli	0.42	4	0.08
Trachurus trecae	0.28	4	0.05
Total	558.67	100.03	

PROJECT STATION:2576
 DATE:25/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 637
 start stop duration Long E 1157
 TIME :11:19:01 11:49:14 30 (min) Purpose code: 3
 LOG :9993.92 9995.38 1.45 Area code : 3
 FDEPTH: 110 110 GearCond.code:
 BDEPTH: 110 110 Validity code: 1
 Towing dir: 194° Wire out: 330 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 81 Kg Total catch: 80.65 CATCH/HOUR: 161.30

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT. C	SAMP
Trachurus trecae	44.84	510	27.80 5726
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	42.84	2838	26.56 5725
Dentex congensis	31.36	388	19.44 5727
Dentex angolensis	31.28	212	19.39 5724
Trichiurus lepturus	3.24	6	2.01
Pagellus bellottii	2.30	8	1.43
Brachydeuterus auritus	2.04	14	1.26
Ariommabondi	1.68	26	1.04
Fistularia petimba	0.96	2	0.60
Trigla lyra	0.40	6	0.25
Zeus faber	0.32	2	0.20
Citharus linguatula	0.04	2	0.02
Total	161.30	100.00	

PROJECT STATION:2577
DATE:25/ 3/01 GEAR TYPE: BT No:7 POSITION:Lat S 643
start stop duration Purpose code: 3
TIME :13:46:25 14:17:31 31 (min) Area code : 3
LOG : 13.04 14.68 1.62 GearCond.code:
FDEPTH: 285 283 BDEPTH:
BDEPTH: 285 283 Towing dir: 3400 Wire out: 850 m Speed: 30 kn*10
Towing dir: 1470 Wire out:1000 m Speed: 30 kn*10

Sorted: 22 Kg Total catch: 455.64 CATCH/HOUR: 881.88

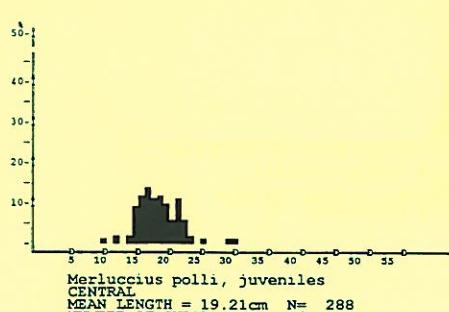
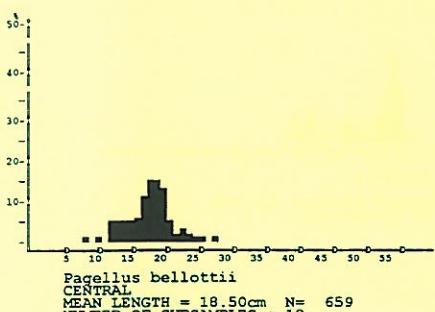
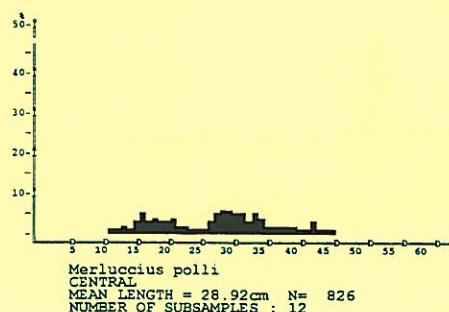
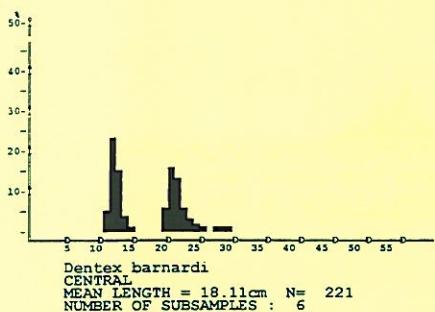
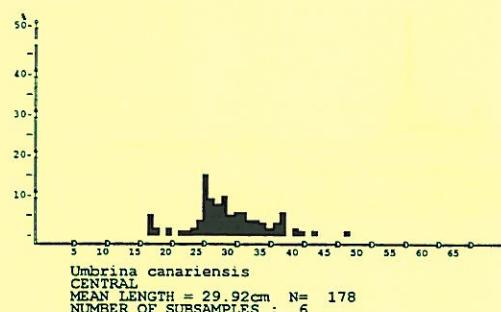
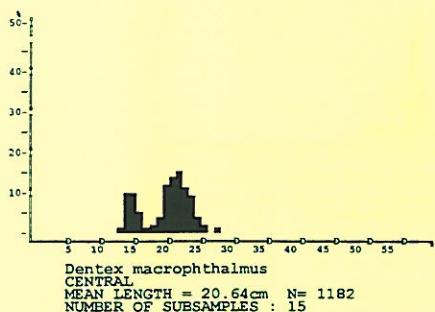
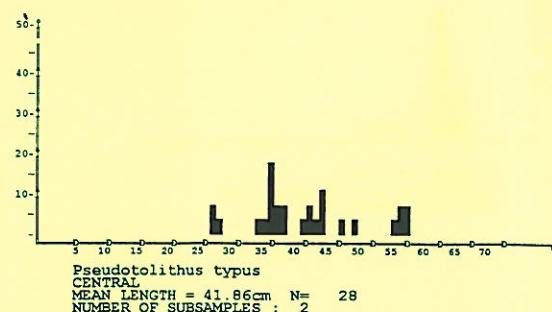
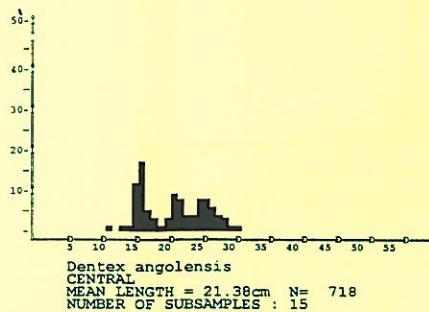
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LOG : 19.59 21.05 1.44 GearCond.code:
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Towing dir: 1470 Wire out:1000 m Speed: 30 kn*10

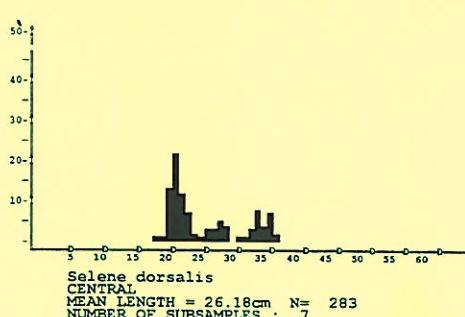
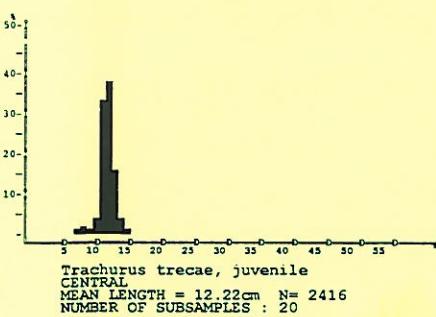
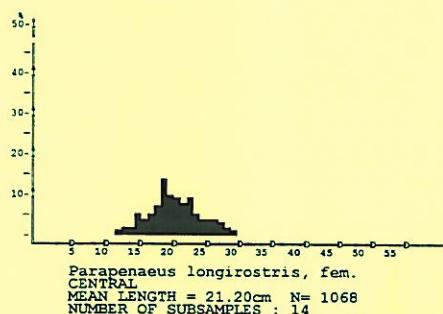
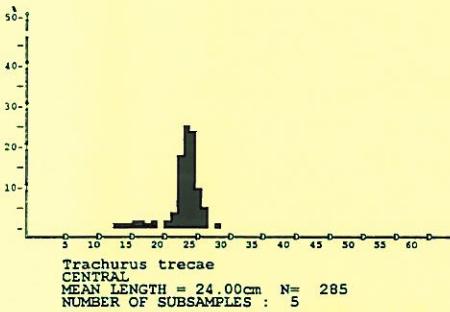
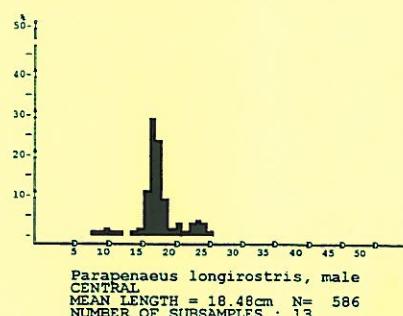
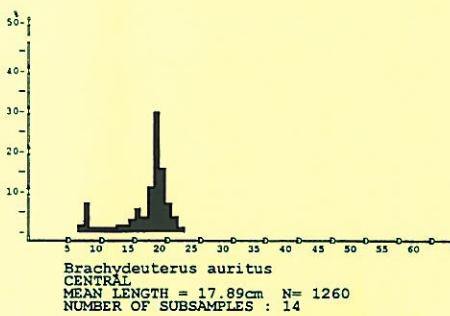
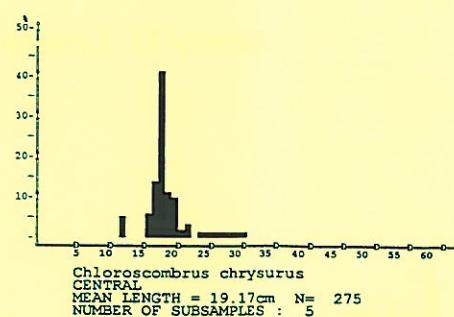
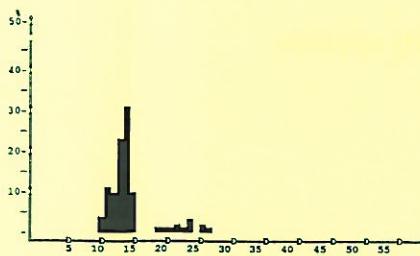
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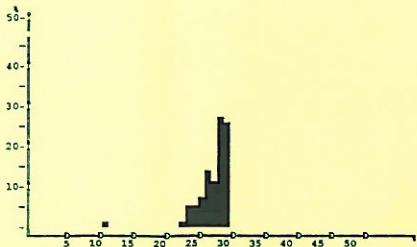
SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Synagrops sp.	683.61	32644	77.52	
Parasudis sp.	58.06	1471	6.58	
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	55.74	1341	6.32	
Ariommabondi	24.77	581	2.81	
Merluccius polli, juveniles	20.90	581	2.37	
Zenopsis conchifer	14.21	31	1.61	
Trichiurus lepturus	11.42	29	1.29	
Pterothrisus bellucci	3.87	39	0.44	
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	3.10	348	0.35	
Illex coindetii	3.10	39	0.35	
Todaropsis eblanae	2.71	194	0.31	
Sepia elegans	0.77	39	0.09	
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	0.39	116	0.04	
Zenopsis hololepis	0.39	39	0.04	
GALATHEIDAE *	0.39	116	0.04	
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	0.39	39	0.04	
Total	883.82	100.20		

SPECIES	CATCH/HOUR	% OF TOT.	C	SAMP
	weight	numbers		
Squatina oculata	538.06	23	34.11	
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	396.81	7963	25.16	
Synagrops microlepis	352.72	13556	22.36	
Merluccius polli	37.94	358	2.41	5728
Munida sp. *	26.98	2369	1.71	
Arius parkii	25.66	461	1.63	
Laemonema laureysi	24.35	329	1.54	
Ommastrephes pteropus	21.06	99	1.34	
Parasudis sp.	17.11	296	1.08	
Hymenocephalus italicus	14.48	1908	0.92	
Solenocere africana	13.16	1941	0.83	
APOGONIDAE	12.50	592	0.79	
Trichiurus lepturus	11.85	39	0.75	
Gadella imberbis	10.53	329	0.67	
Pterothrisus bellucci	9.87	66	0.63	
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	9.52	1105	0.60	5729
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	6.58	672	0.42	
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	5.61	672	0.36	5730
Illex coindetii	5.26	33	0.33	
Zenopsis conchifer	5.23	10	0.33	
Bembrops greyi	4.61	66	0.29	
Sepia elegans	3.95	263	0.25	
Malacocephalus occidentalis	3.95	33	0.25	
Beryx splendens	3.29	33	0.21	
Callinectes marginatus	3.29	33	0.21	
Xenolepidichthys dagleishi	3.29	165	0.21	
Dibranchus atlanticus	2.63	296	0.17	
Chascanopsetta lugubris	1.97	33	0.12	
Mystriophis rostellatus	1.82	6	0.12	
S H R I M P S	1.32	132	0.08	
Chaceon maritae	1.05	4	0.07	
Peristedion cataaphractum	0.66	99	0.04	
Total	1577.11		99.99	

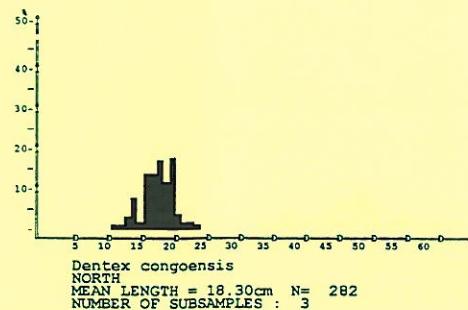
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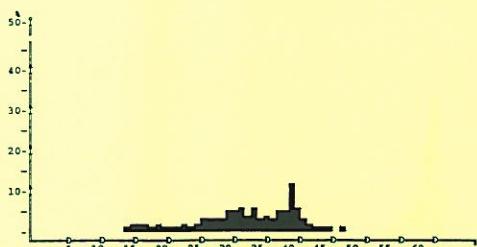




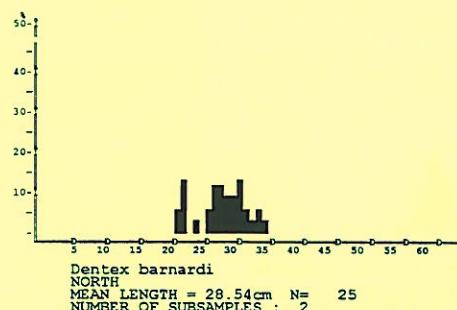
Aristaeus varidens, male
CENTRAL
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NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 14



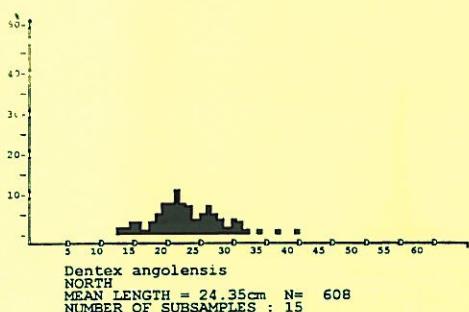
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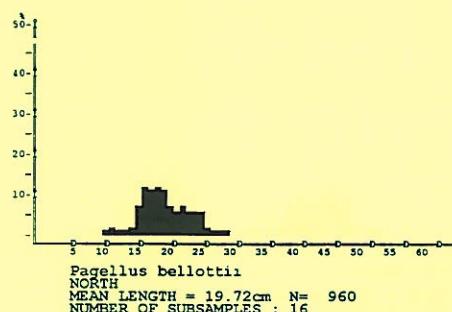
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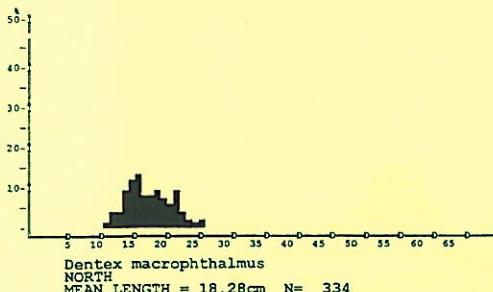
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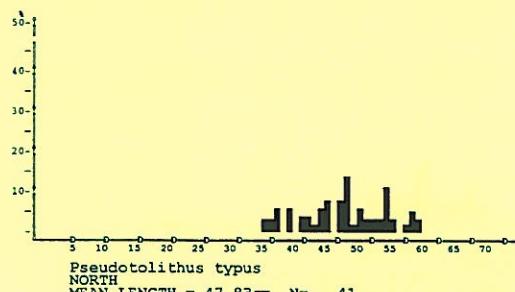
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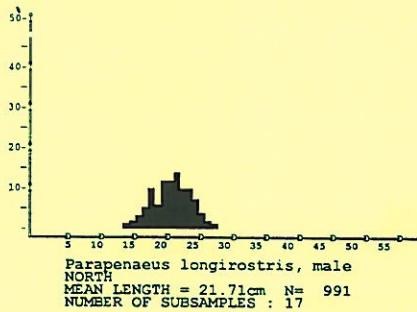
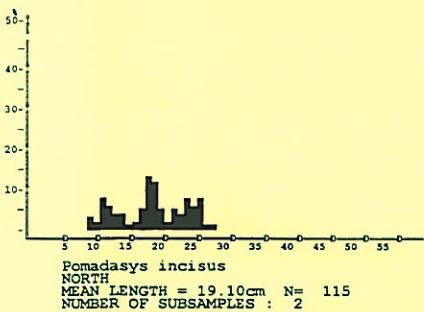
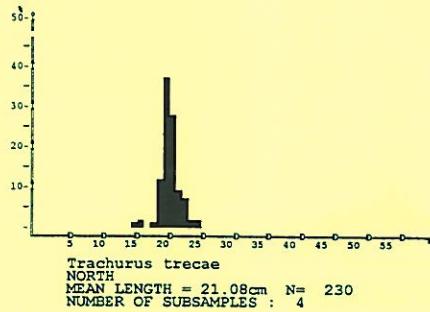
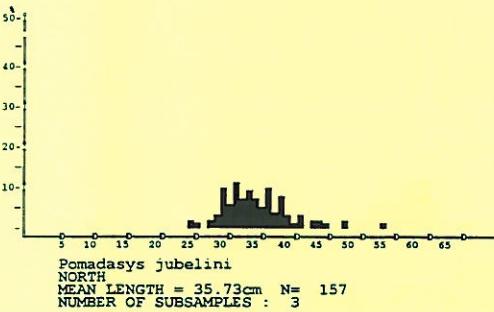
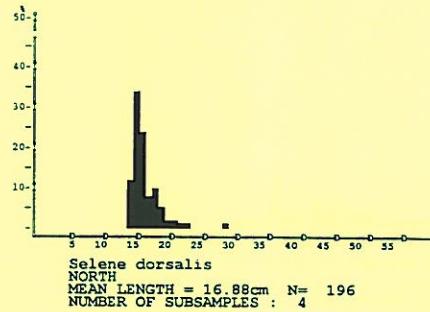
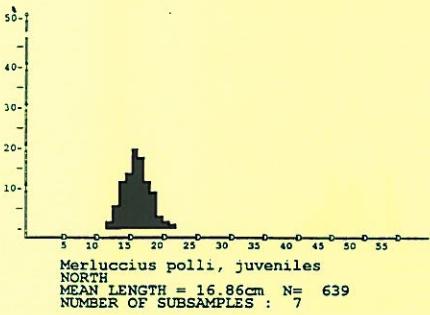
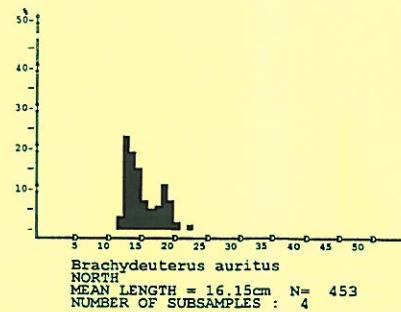
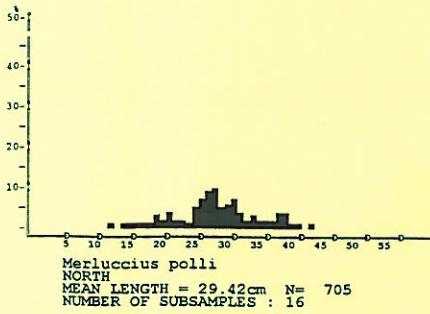
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NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 16

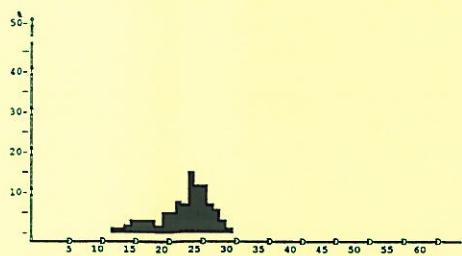


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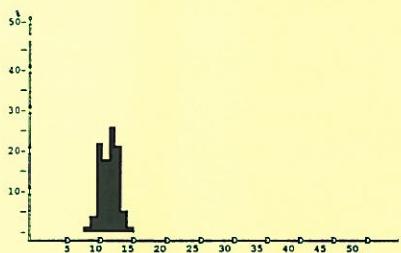


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NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 2

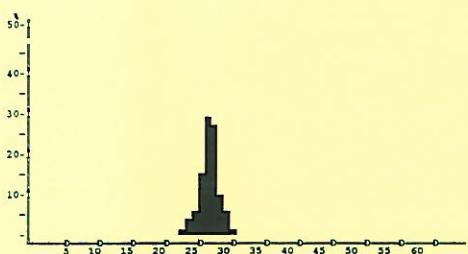




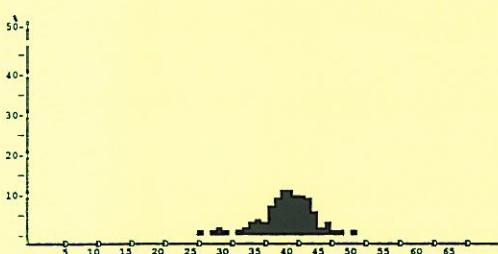
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.
NORTH
MEAN LENGTH = 23.64cm N= 2009
NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 18



Trachurus trecae, juvenile
NORTH
MEAN LENGTH = 12.09cm N= 1898
NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 19



Aristeus varidens, male
NORTH
MEAN LENGTH = 27.72cm N= 239
NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 9



Aristeus varidens, female
NORTH
MEAN LENGTH = 39.94cm N= 314
NUMBER OF SUBSAMPLES : 9

Annex III Swept area estimates

SWEPT AREA ANALYSIS FROM STATION 2426 TO STATION 2496

Central shelf

SPECIES NAME	SAMPLE DISTRIB. BY CATCH CLASSES						% inci-dence	Mean dens. t/nm ²	Mean densities by bottom depth strata t/nm ²			
	Lower limits, Kg/nm								20- 50m	50-100m	100-200m	200-200m
>0	10	30	100	300	1000							
Brachydeuterus auritus	9	3	6	7	2		59	9.49	3.89	20.81	0.95	
Synagrops microlepis	1	2	5	1	1		22	6.91		0.10	19.76	
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	10	4	8	3	2		59	3.58	0.01	3.80	6.00	
Trichiurus lepturus	21	6	3	2			70	1.37	0.36	2.10	1.31	
Dentex macrourus	5	4	3	2			30	1.37		0.01	3.94	
Pagellus bellottii	25	4	2	1			70	0.84	0.17	0.91	1.28	
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv.	3		1	1			11	0.63	0.84	1.05		
Selene dorsalis	16	3	1	1			46	0.48	0.25	0.76	0.33	
Stromateus fiatola	12	1		1			30	0.47	0.06	0.96	0.22	
Trachurus trecae	11	1	3				33	0.45	0.01	1.12	0.02	
Dentex angolensis	22	2	2				57	0.40		0.11	1.04	
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	9	1		1			24	0.35	1.24	0.08		
Galeoides decadactylus	7	5					26	0.27	0.68	0.22		
Umbrina canariensis	9	1	1				24	0.26		0.05	0.69	
Spondyliosoma cantharus	2		2				9	0.24	0.92			
Alloteuthis africana	10		1				24	0.22		0.01	0.61	
Spicara alta		2	1				7	0.20			0.57	
Sphyraena guachancho	11	2					28	0.17	0.22	0.29		
Alectis alexandrinus	8	2					22	0.15	0.53	0.02		
Zenopsis conchifer	5	3					17	0.14			0.40	
Dentex barnardi	14		1				33	0.14	0.08	0.27	0.04	
Citharus linguatula	10	1	1				26	0.14	0.02	0.08	0.29	
Pomadasys incisus	7	3					22	0.12	0.12	0.21		
Pomadasys jubelini	1	1	1				7	0.10	0.29	0.07		
Pseudotolithus typus	5	1					13	0.09	0.31	0.01		
Brotula barbata	9	1					22	0.07		0.11	0.08	
Zeus faber	13	1					30	0.06			0.17	
Trigla lyra	4	1					11	0.06		0.01	0.17	
Sphyraena sphyraena	9	1					22	0.06	0.04	0.13		
Squatina oculata	4	1					11	0.06		0.03	0.15	
Raja miraletus	14						28	0.06	0.01	0.11	0.02	
Pomadasys rogeri	8						17	0.06	0.15	0.06		
Illex coindetii	8	1					20	0.05		0.01	0.12	
Boops boops	14						28	0.05	0.03	0.03	0.08	
Ijimaia loppei	1						2	0.05	0.19			
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	5						11	0.03		0.01	0.08	
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	5						11	0.02			0.06	
Penaeus notialis	2						4		0.01			
Parapenaeus longirostris	1						2					
Parapenaeopsis atlantica	1						2					
Other fish							0.85	1.20	0.95	0.69		
Sum all species							30.06	11.63	34.49	39.07		
Sum Snappers							0.02	0.01	0.04			
Sum Groupers							10.44	5.31	22.30	0.96		
Sum Grunts							0.42	0.44	0.16	0.71		
Sum Croakers							3.09	1.30	1.36	6.45		
Sum Seabreams							0.07	0.07	0.03	0.16		
Sum Sharks							0.12	0.09	0.20	0.05		
Sum Rays							0.34	0.03	0.11	0.82		
Sum Squids												
Sum							0.01					

Number of stations included in analysis, total and by depth strata

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SWEEP AREA ANALYSIS FROM STATION 2426 TO STATION 2496

Central slope

SPECIES NAME	SAMPLE DISTRIB. BY CATCH CLASSES					% inci- dence	Mean dens. t/nm ²	Mean densities by bottom depth strata t/nm ²			
	Lower limits, Kg/nm							200-300m	300-400m	400-500m	500-500m
	>0	10	30	100	300	1000					
MYCTOPHIDAE	6	1		1			57	2.66	0.03	9.29	0.01
Merluccius polli	3	3	3	1			71	2.01	0.42	3.65	1.99
Synagrops microlepis		5	1				43	1.35	3.50	1.22	
NEMATOCARCINIDAE	1	1	2				29	1.00		1.74	1.17
Merluccius polli, juveniles		2	1				21	0.87	2.68	0.36	
Zenopsis conchifer	3	2	1				43	0.74	2.48		0.06
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	8		2				64	0.73	1.45	1.11	
Nematocarcinus africanus	1		1				14	0.65			1.51
Dentex macrophthalmus	3	1	1				36	0.47	1.37	0.28	
Alopis superciliosus			1				7	0.44	1.55		
Laemonema laureysi	9	2					79	0.41	0.01	0.82	0.40
Pterothrius bellucci	6	1					50	0.21	0.11	0.54	0.07
Illex coindetii	8	1					57	0.18	0.52	0.02	0.05
Hoplostethus cadenati	3	1					29	0.16			0.37
Triplophorus hemingi			1				7	0.14			0.32
Trichiurus lepturus	10						71	0.11	0.13	0.22	0.02
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	9						64	0.10	0.05	0.29	0.01
Coelocrinus coelorrhincus	7	1					57	0.09	0.03	0.29	
Aristeus varidens, female	7						50	0.08		0.05	0.14
Dentex angolensis	1						7	0.07	0.25		
Torpedo nobiliana	1						7	0.07			
Zeus faber	4						29	0.05			
Todaropsis eblanae	5						36	0.05	0.10	0.06	0.01
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	8						57	0.04	0.05	0.07	
PANDALIDAE	2						14	0.02			0.05
Aristeus varidens, male	7						50	0.02		0.01	0.04
Shrimps, small, non comm.	1						7	0.02			0.04
Solenocera africana	8						57	0.01		0.02	
OLOPHORIDAE	1							0.01			0.02
PASIPHAEIDAE	1						7				0.01
Parapenaeus longirostris	3						21				0.01
Plesionika martia	1						7				
Parapandalus narval	1										
Plesicopeneus edwardsianus	1										
Aristeus varidens	2						14				0.01
Other fish							0.51	0.16	0.70	0.68	
Sum all species							13.27	14.89	20.84	7.19	
Sum Snappers											
Sum Groupers											
Sum Grunts											
Sum Croakers											
Sum Seabreams											
Sum Sharks											
Sum Rays											
Sum Squids											
Sum											
2.18											

Number of stations included in analysis, total and by depth strata

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SWEEP AREA ANALYSIS FROM STATION 2497 TO STATION 2578

North shelf

SPECIES NAME	SAMPLE DISTRIB. BY CATCH CLASSES						% incidence	Mean dens. t/nm ²	Mean densities by bottom depth strata t/nm ²			
	Lower limits, Kg/nm								20- 50m	50-100m	100-200m	200-200m
>0	10	30	100	300	1000							
Trichiurus lepturus	23	2	3	2			70	3.20	0.10	4.75	3.88	
Brachydeuterus auritus	10	1	3	4			42	2.25	0.58	4.58	1.45	
Spicara alta	6		1	2			21	0.90			2.15	
Trachurus trecae, juvenile	13	7	1				49	0.77	0.01	0.56	1.39	
Dentex congensis	8	4	1				30	0.56		0.22	1.17	
Chloroscombrus chrysurus	5		1				14	0.44	1.69	0.02		
Galeoides decadactylus	5	2	3				23	0.40	1.00	0.43		
Pagellus bellottii	24	4	1				67	0.38	0.33	0.68	0.19	
Trachurus trecae	5	2	1				19	0.34		0.28	0.58	
Pomadasys jubelini	1	3	1				12	0.26	0.80	0.18		
Synagrops microlepis	2	1	1				9	0.25			0.59	
Stromateus fiatola	3	1	1				12	0.24	0.03	0.72		
Dentex angolensis	22	4					60	0.24		0.22	0.41	
Brachydeuterus auritus Juv.	1		2				7	0.22	0.87			
Spondyliosoma cantharus			2				5	0.17	0.32	0.28		
Selene dorsalis	5	2					16	0.14	0.08	0.36	0.01	
Lutjanus agennes			1				2	0.13	0.51			
Dentex barnardi	19						44	0.12	0.15	0.14	0.09	
Pseudotolithus typus	2	2					9	0.12	0.46			
Pomadasys incisus	1	1	1				7	0.12	0.48			
Epinephelus sp.	1		1				2	0.11	0.07		0.23	
Sepia orbigniana	2		1				7	0.08		0.24	0.01	
Sphyraena guachancho	5	2					16	0.08	0.28	0.03		
Dentex macrophthalmus	5	2					16	0.08		0.09	0.12	
Sphyraena sphyraena	2	1					7	0.07	0.26	0.03		
Pagrus caeruleostictus	8						19	0.06	0.15	0.07	0.01	
Ilisha africana	4	1					12	0.06	0.23			
Selene dorsalis, juveniles	2	2					9	0.06	0.23			
Arius parkii	2	1					7	0.06	0.24			
Zenopsis conchifer	7	1					19	0.05			0.12	
Raja miraletus	5	1					14	0.05		0.05	0.09	
Fistularia petimba	21						49	0.05	0.01	0.10	0.03	
Decapterus rhonchus	4	1					12	0.05	0.12	0.04		
Penaeus notialis	5						12	0.02	0.08			
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	3						7	0.01			0.03	
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	3						7	0.01			0.02	
Solenocera africana	2						5					
Parapenaeus longirostris	1						2					
Parapenaeopsis atlantica	1						2					
Other fish								0.81	1.64	0.67	0.57	
Sum all species								12.96	10.72	14.74	13.14	
Sum Snappers								0.13	0.52			
Sum Groupers								0.15	0.18	0.05	0.23	
Sum Grunts								2.87	2.80	4.79	1.45	
Sum Croakers								0.26	0.76	0.20	0.03	
Sum Seabreams								1.71	1.20	1.72	2.07	
Sum Sharks								0.07	0.18	0.05	0.02	
Sum Rays								0.09	0.11	0.06	0.10	
Sum Squids								0.16	0.01	0.33	0.12	
Sum												

Number of stations included in analysis, total and by depth strata

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SWEPT AREA ANALYSIS FROM STATION 2497 TO STATION 2578

North slope

SPECIES NAME	SAMPLE DISTRIB. BY CATCH CLASSES						t inci- dence	Mean dens. t/nm ²	Mean densities by bottom depth strata t/nm ²			
	Lower limits, Kg/nm								200-300m	300-400m	400-500m	500-500m
>0	10	30	100	300	1000							
Synagrops microlepis	4	8	2	3			77	3.47	7.40	2.45		
Merluccius polli	5	5	4	1			68	2.31		3.27	3.64	
Nematocarcinus africanus	1	1		2			18	1.75			7.72	
Chlorophthalmus atlanticus	8	4	2	1			68	1.43	0.55	2.76		
Laemonema laureysi	6	6	2				64	0.94		1.18	1.77	
Squatina oculata			1				5	0.88		1.93		
Merluccius polli, juveniles	7	1	2				45	0.73	2.08	0.14		
Aequorea aequorea			1	1			9	0.68		1.50		
Trichiurus lepturus	12	5					77	0.53	0.59	0.75	0.01	
Hymenocephalus italicus	12	1	1				64	0.36		0.23	1.15	
Zenopsis conchifer	9	1	1				50	0.32	0.95	0.04	0.01	
Pterothrius bellucci	7	3					45	0.32	0.10	0.64		
Parapenaeus longirostris, fem.	18	1					86	0.29	0.23	0.45	0.04	
NEMATOCARCINIDAE		1	1				9	0.29		0.51	0.27	
Benthodesmus tenuis	2	1	1				18	0.27			1.17	
Dentex angolensis			1					0.26	0.80			
MYCTOPHIDAE	8		1				41	0.25	0.11	0.47	0.02	
Chaunax pictus	11	1					55	0.24		0.38	0.30	
Dibranchus atlanticus	14						64	0.22	0.03	0.18	0.58	
Parasudis sp.	8	1					41	0.16	0.30	0.14		
Munida sp. *	7	1					36	0.14	0.01	0.30		
Gadella imberbis	13						59	0.13	0.01	0.27	0.04	
Parapenaeus longirostris, male	16						73	0.11	0.12	0.15		
TRICHIURIDAE	5						23	0.09		0.18	0.02	
S H R I M P S	3	1					18	0.09		0.19		
POLYCHAELIDAE	5	1					27	0.09				
Illex coindetii	15						68	0.08	0.09	0.01	0.40	
Coelorinchus coelorrhincus	17						77	0.08	0.01	0.12	0.03	
Tripterus hemingi	1	1					9	0.08			0.36	
Lagocephalus laevigatus	1						5	0.07		0.15		
Setarches guentheri	5						23	0.07		0.16		
Yarrella blackfordi	3						14	0.07			0.30	
Ommastrephes pteropus	7						32	0.06	0.04	0.11	0.24	
Centrophorus granulosus	3						14	0.06				
Ariomma bondi	4						18	0.05	0.14			
Solenocera africana	12						55	0.04		0.09	0.02	
Aristeus varidens	4						18	0.02			0.07	
Aristeus varidens, female	3						14	0.01			0.05	
Aristeus varidens, male	3						14	0.01			0.03	
SERGESTIDAE	1						5				0.01	
Parapenaeus longirostris	1						5					
Plesiopenaeus edwardsianus	1							0.83	0.30	1.01	0.01	
Other fish											0.98	
Sum all species								17.88	13.86	19.91	19.24	
Sum Snappers												
Sum Groupers												
Sum Grunts												
Sum Croakers												
Sum Seabreams								0.27	0.82			
Sum Sharks								1.07	0.01	2.05	0.59	
Sum Rays								0.02	0.02		0.02	
Sum Squids								0.20	0.21	0.25	0.07	
Sum												
1.39												

Number of stations included in analysis, total and by depth strata

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Annex IV Calculations

Stratified mean density and confidence intervals

The stratified estimator of mean density in the entire area is calculated as (Cochran, 1977)

$$\bar{y}_{st} = \sum_{i=1}^L W_i \bar{y}_i, \quad (1)$$

where

L is the number of strata,

$W_i = \frac{\text{area}_i}{\text{total area}}$ is the proportion of the survey area in the i^{th} stratum,

$\bar{y}_i = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{n_i} y_{i,k}}{n_i}$ is the average catch in the i^{th} stratum

n_i is the number of tows in the i^{th} stratum, and

$y_{i,k}$ is the catch by the k^{th} tow in stratum i (normalized to either kg/hour

or $\text{t/NMi}^2 = \frac{y_{ik}}{\text{area swept}_{ik}}$ for biomass estimates).

The estimated variance of the stratified mean, \bar{y}_{st} , is

$$\text{var}(\bar{y}_{st}) = \sum_{i=1}^L W_i^2 \frac{s_i^2}{n_i}, \quad (2)$$

where

$$s_i^2 = \frac{\sum_{k=1}^{n_i} (y_{i,k} - \bar{y}_i)^2}{n_i - 1}. \quad (3)$$

When \bar{y}_{st} is estimated in t/NMi^2 then an estimate of the total biomass in the area is calculated by

$$B = \bar{y}_{st} \cdot \text{total area} \quad (4)$$

Annex V

Excel sheet used for calculations of biomass and confidence intervals

This example is the biomass of seabreams in Sector 2 1998

This sheet is used to calculate stratified mean density, total biomass, and 95% confidence limits on the total biomass.

Inputs are only required in the yellow fields and optionally the t-value can be set. NOTE that the Station field MUST be 1 even if there is no catch

Density (t/Nm^2) is from NAN-SIS and Coefficient of variation (CV) is from GRAFER using the same depth intervals

The underlying assumption is that the CV from the catch (kg/hour) is equal for the density (t/Nm^2), i.e. that the swept area is constant per hour
 Equation numbers (1) and (2) refers to Annex in report

Input from NANSIS

GRAFER

Depth (m)	Area	No Stations	Density (t/Nm^2)	CV (kg/hour)	Equation(1)=	SD	Est. Variance	Equation (2)=
20-50	1068	9	2.38	0.9	0.46	2.142	4.588	0.019
50-100	1586	17	4.74	0.93	1.35	4.408	19.432	0.093
100-200	1439	12	5.37	1.14	1.39	6.122	37.476	0.209
200-300	407	8	4.03	1.31	0.29	5.279	27.871	0.019
300-400	372	1	0	0	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000
400-500	343	1	0	0	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000
500-600	346	1	0	0	0.00	0.000	0.000	0.000
Total	5561					Var (strat-mean)=	0.34	

t- value = 2

Stratified mean = 3.49

SE(strat-mean)= 0.58

95% Confidence limits:		
Total biomass=	19427	12946

25908

Annex VI

NAN-SIS species codes used in defining the ‘grouped species’ table

MAIN GROUP	Demersal	Pelagic	Shrimp	Cephalopod	Sharks
	SPA0000	ENG0000	SHR0000	SQU0000	SHA0000
	POD0000	CLU0000			
	SCI0000	CAR0000			
	ARD0000	SCM0000			
	SER0000	SPH0000			
	LUT0000	TRI0000			
	OPDA00	STRAA00			
	MERME00				
PELAGIC	Clupeids	Carangids	Scombrids	Hairtails	Barracudas
	ENG0000	CAR0000	SCM0000	TRI0000	SPH0000
	CLU0000				
DEMERSAL	Seabream	Snappers	Groupers	Grunts	Croakers
	SPADE00	LUT0000	SER0000	PODP00	SCI0000
	SPADI00				
	SPALI00				
	SPAPA00				
	SPAPR00				
	SPASP00				
DEEP 1	Seabream	Hake	<i>P.longirostris</i>	<i>A.varidens</i>	<i>N.africanus</i>
	SPADE00	MERME03	SHRPE31	SHRAR22	SHRNE21
	SPADI00	MERME12	SHRPEP1	SHRARA1	
	SPALI00	MERME13	SHRPEP2	SHRARA2	
	SPAPA00	MERME92			
	SPAPR00				
	SPASP00				
DEEP 2	Hake	Ommastrephidae	Sepiidae	<i>A.varidens</i>	<i>P.longirostris</i>
	MERME03	SQUOM21	SQUSE10	SHRAR22	SHRPE31
	MERME12	SQUOM31	SQUSE11	SHRARA1	SHRPEP1
	MERME13	SQUOM51	SQUSE12	SHRARA2	SHRPEP2
	MERME92		SQUSE13		
			SQUSE15		

NAN-SIS sectors in Angola

Latitude	Sector	Region
6° - 5° S	4	Cabinda
9° - 6° S	3	Pta.das Palmerinhas – Congo River
13° - 9° S	2	Benguela – Pta.das Palmerinhas
17°14' - 13° S	1	Cunene River – Benguela
17°14' >> S	5	South of Cunene River (Namibia)

Annex VII Instruments and fishing gear used

The Simrad EK-500/38kHz scientific sounder was run during the survey only for observation of fish and bottom conditions.

The details of the settings of the 38kHz echo sounder were as follows:

Transceiver-1 menu (38 kHz lowering keel)

Transducer depth	5.50 m
Absorption coeff.	10 dB/km
Pulse length	medium (1ms)
Bandwidth	wide
Max power	2000 Watt
2-way beam angle	-21.0 dB
SV transducer gain	27.39 dB
TS transducer gain	27.52 dB
Angle sensitivity	21.9
3 dB beamwidth	6.8 dg along / athwardship: 6.7 dg
Alongship offset	-0.03 "
Athwardship offset	0.06 "

Display menu

Echogram	1 (38 kHz)
Sv colour min	-67 dB

Printer- menu

Echogram	1 (38 kHz)
Range	50, 100, 250, 500, 750 and 1000 m
Range start	0
Bottom range	15 m
Bottom range start	10 m
Sv colour min	-67 dB
TVG	20 log R

Bottom detection menu Minimum level -40 dB

Fishing gear

The vessel has two different sized "Åkrahamn" pelagic trawls and one "Gisund super bottom trawl". During the present survey only the bottom trawl was used.

The bottom trawl has a headline of 31 m, footrope 47 m and 20 mm meshsize in the codend with an inner net of 10 mm meshsize. The estimated opening is 6 m (observed 5.7) and the distance between wings during towing about 18 m. The sweeps are 40 m long. The trawl is equipped with a 12" rubber bobbins gear. The doors are of 'Thyborøn' kombi type, 7.81 m^2 , 1670 kg their distance while trawling about 45 - 55 m in average, depending on the depth (least distance at low depths). During the present survey this distance was kept nearly constant (about 50 m) at all depths by the use of a 9.5 m strap between the wires at 130 m distance from the doors (normally applied at depths greater than 80 m). At depths greater than 300 m the trawl was equipped with a tickler chain, which is supposed to improve the catchability of bottom living and borrowing species, particularly shrimps.

The SCANMAR system was used on all trawl hauls. This equipment consists of sensors, a hydrophone, a receiver, a display unit and a battery charger. Communication between sensors and ship is based on acoustic transmission. The doors are fitted with sensors to provide information on their distance and a height sensor is fitted to the bottom trawl to measure the trawl opening and provide information on clearance and bottom contact.