Commercial Fisheries Advisories 2020*

Prohibited and restricted species

*Not all Advisories are shown here. Visit www.sharktrust.org/fisheries-advisories for all 30 species cards and for more information.

**Spurdog**

- Designated a PROHIBITED SPECIES for all EU and third country vessels in EU waters.
- It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

- Both species are designated PROHIBITED SPECIES for all EU and third country vessels in EU waters.
- It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

**Flapper Skate**

- Both species are designated PROHIBITED SPECIES for all EU and third country vessels in EU waters of ICES areas 2a, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.
- It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

**Blue Skate**

- Both species are designated PROHIBITED SPECIES for all EU and third country vessels in EU waters of ICES areas 2a, 3, 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, and 10.
- It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

**Starry Skate**

- Designated a PROHIBITED SPECIES for all EU and third country vessels in EU waters of ICES areas 6 and 10, and for third country vessels in ICES areas 6, 9 and 10.
- It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

**Undulate Ray**

- Designated a PROHIBITED SPECIES for all EU and third country vessels in ICES areas 2a, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 12.
- It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

**Small-eyed Ray**

- Small-eyed Ray accidentally caught in ICES areas 2a, 3, 4, 6, 8, and 12. It is PROHIBITED to:
  - Target
  - Retain
  - Tranship
  - Land

- A Precautionary TAC is in place in ICES areas 1a, 7a, 9, and 10 (shown in green).
- Contact the MMO for conditions.

**Specimens shall be promptly released unharmed, with estimated discards recorded in the vessel logbook.**

** Applies to all UK registered vessels during Transition Period ending 31st December 2020.**

For more information, contact your local fisheries management office.

Download the new ID Guide: Sharks, Skates & Rays of the British Isles and Northeast Atlantic at sharktrust.org/id

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