

CHILEAN COMPLIANCE WITH 2011 INTERIM MEASURE

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This report provides information about Chile's compliance with Interim Measures adopted at the end of the Second Preparatory Conference on 28 January 2011.

Fishing effort limitation

8. Participants are to limit the gross tonnage (GT) of vessels flying their flag to those that have been actively fishing in 2007 or 2008 or 2009 in the Convention Area, and may substitute their vessels as long as the total level of GT that was submitted by Participants to the Interim Secretariat in accordance with the 2009 Interim Measures for Trachurus fisheries, as provided for in Table 1, is not exceeded.

9. Participants will verify the effective presence of their vessels referred to in paragraph 8 through VMS records and catch reports.

10. From 1 February 2011, participants are not to exceed the levels of total GT1 listed in Table 1.

According to the GT allocated for Chile in Table 1 of the 2011 Interim Measure (96,867.24 GT + 3,755.81 GRT), the GT actively fishing in 2011 did not exceed that level. The total GT for Chile in 2011 was 40,781.4 for 32 fishing vessels.

The VMS report has been submitted quarterly to Interim Secretariat for every Chilean fishery vessel actively fishing in the SPRFMO area.

Catch management

12. For 2011, each Participant is to limit its annual catch of Trachurus species by vessels flying its flag to 60% of its final recorded annual catch of that species in 2010 as reported to the Interim Secretariat. The Third Session of the Preparatory Conference will review the stock assessment for Trachurus species to be carried out by the SWG in 2011 in accordance with paragraph 3, and, unless decided otherwise, in 2012 Participants will, in principle, limit their annual catches of

Trachurus species by vessels flying their flag to the order of 40% of their final recorded catch of that species in 2010, and taking into account paragraph 1.3

13. It is recognized that Participants may elect to reduce their catches of Trachurus species in 2011 by more than 40% of their final recorded annual catch of that species in 2010, as reported to the Interim Secretariat, as specified in paragraph 12.

Total preliminary 2011 catches	Total 2010 catches	% of 2010 catches
243,385 t	464,808 t	52%

Chile reduces its catches for 2011 to 52% of the catch recorded in 2010.

Data collection and reporting

14. Monthly catch data should be sent by all Participants engaged in the fishery to the Interim Secretariat in the format prescribed by the Data Standards adopted at the Second Preparatory Conference in 2011 and using the templates on the SPRFMO website. These data and records should be provided within 30 days of the end of the month. The Interim Secretariat will circulate monthly catches, aggregated by flag State, to all Participants on a quarterly basis.

Month	Preliminary catches	Month	Preliminary catches
Jan 2011	Chilean EEZ: 16,466.889 t SPRFMO area: 0 t	Jul 2011	Chilean EEZ: 10,999.255 t SPRFMO area: 7,201.499 t
Feb 2011	Chilean EEZ: 36,932.611 t SPRFMO area: 0 t	Aug 2011	Chilean EEZ: 12,267.167 t SPRFMO area: 233.896 t
Mar 2011	Chilean EEZ: 38,714.437 t SPRFMO area: 3,347.865 t	Sep 2011	Chilean EEZ: 7,315.435 t SPRFMO area: 0 t
Apr 2011	Chilean EEZ: 24,444.649 t SPRFMO area: 7,016.776 t	Oct 2011	Chilean EEZ: 2,525.422 t SPRFMO area: 0 t
May 2011	Chilean EEZ: 17,108.278 t SPRFMO area: 16,463.630 t	Nov 2011	Chilean EEZ: 4,811.753 t SPRFMO area: 0 t
Jun 2011	Chilean EEZ: 7,089.501 t SPRFMO area: 19,308.055 t	Dec 2011	Chilean EEZ: 9,653.446 t SPRFMO area: 0 t

All preliminary monthly catches have been submitted timely to the Interim Secretariat. The sum of monthly catches slightly differs from the preliminary total observed in 2011 of 243,385 tons, due to adjustments in the catch reports collected on a monthly basis.

15. Except as described in paragraph 14 above, all Participants engaged in the fishery are to collect, verify, and provide all required data to the Interim Secretariat, in accordance with the 2011 Data Standards and the templates available on the SPRFMO website.

2011 Data standard requirement	Chile
Vessels authorized to fish in the SPRFMO area during 2012	Submitted
2010 <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Purse seine	Submitted
2010 <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Trawl	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Bottom longline	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Drop/Dah lining	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Fixed gillnet	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Potting	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Purse seine	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Squid jigging	No catch
2010 Non- <i>Trachurus</i> Fishing activity - Trawl	No catch
2010 Landing data, by trip	Submitted
2010 Transshipment data	No transshipment
2010 Observer - Fixed gillnet	No catch
2010 Observer - Bottom longline	No catch
2010 Observer - Purse seine	Submitted
2010 Observer - Trawl	No catch
2010 Total annual live weight of catch	Submitted

16. Using the information provided by Participants, in accordance with the 2011 SPRFMO Data Standards, the Interim Secretariat will maintain a register of authorised vessels, by flag. Participants are to notify the Interim Secretariat of VMS records in the format prescribed by the 2011 Data Standards and using the templates on the SPRFMO website, and vessels which are actively fishing or engaged in transshipment in the Convention Area within 10 days of the end of the quarter. The Interim Secretariat will post the list of actively fishing vessels on the SPRFMO website. Using data provided under the 2011 Standard for Transshipment Data the Interim

Secretariat will report a list of fishing and reefer vessels that engaged in transshipment the previous year.

Quarter	Type of data	Data submitted
Jan - Mar 2011	List of vessels actively fishing	12 vessels were actively fishing in the SPRFMO area
	List of vessels engaged in transshipment	No Chilean vessels were engaged in transshipment
	VMS data	Submitted
Apr - Jun 2011	List of vessels actively fishing	30 vessels were actively fishing in SPRFMO area
	List of vessels engaged in transshipment	No Chilean vessels were engaged in transshipment
	VMS data	Submitted
Jul - Sep 2011	List of vessels actively fishing	26 vessels were actively fishing in SPRFMO area
	List of vessels engaged in transshipment	No Chilean vessels were engaged in transshipment
	VMS data	Submitted
Oct - Dec 2011	List of vessels actively fishing	No vessels were actively fishing in the SPRFMO area
	List of vessels engaged in transshipment	No Chilean vessels were engaged in transshipment
	VMS data	No vessels were actively fishing in the SPRFMO area

During 2011, 32 Chilean fishing vessels were actively fishing in the SPRFMO area. No Chilean vessels were engaged in transshipment activities. All vessel and VMS information were timely submitted to the Interim Secretariat.

17. In order to facilitate the work of the SWG, Participants will provide their annual national reports, in accordance with the existing guidelines for such reports, in advance of the 2011 SWG

meeting. Participants will also provide observer data for the 2011 fishing season to the SWG to the maximum extent possible.

Document SWG-10-0, submitted in advance to the 10th Science Working Group, contains Chile's Annual National Report to the SWG.

18. All Participants engaged in the Trachurus species fishery are to provide to the Interim Secretariat by 15 January of each year a report describing their implementation of these Interim Measures. Such implementation reports will be made available to all Participants and be posted on the SPRFMO website.

This report provides information regarding Chile's full compliance with commitments included in the Interim Measures.

Monitoring and control measures

21. All Participants engaged in the Trachurus species fishery are to ensure a minimum of ten percent scientific observer coverage of trips for vessels flying their flag and ensure that such observers collect and report data as described in the 2011 SPRFMO Data Standards.

Onboard observer coverage of trips in the SPRFMO area reached 18.2%. Additionally, 30.6% of the trips was observed at port.

22. All Participants engaged in the Trachurus species fishery are to implement a vessel monitoring system (VMS) in accordance with the 2011 SPRFMO Data Standards.

Supreme Decree No. 198 of 1998, and its modifications, regulates vessel monitoring system for Chilean fishing vessels, including all the requirements of the 2011 SPRFMO Data Standards.

23. Coastal States adjacent to the Convention Area are to cooperate with other Participants in ensuring compatibility in the conservation and management of Trachurus species fisheries when these resources straddle areas under national jurisdiction and the Convention Area. Such Coastal States are to inform the Interim Secretariat of the conservation and management measures in

effect for Trachurus species fisheries in waters under their national jurisdictions when these resources straddle areas under national jurisdiction and the Convention Area.

Measure	Implementation period	Regulation Reference
Minimum Size	Since 1980	Decree (Minecon) No. 458 of 1981 Decree (Minecon) No. 34 of 1983
Suspended access to the fishery	Annually, since 1991	General Law on Fisheries and Aquaculture No. 18.892 Decree (Minecon) No. 693 of 2011 Resolution (Subpesca) No. 2041 of 2011
Total Allowable Quota	Annually, since 1999	Decree (Minecon) No. 604 of 1998 Decree (Minecon) No. 428 of 2000 Decree (Minecon) No. 924 of 2001 Decree (Minecon) No. 1096 of 2003 Decree (Minecon) No. 822 of 2003 Decree (Minecon) No. 1013 of 2004 Decree (Minecon) No. 1554 of 2005 Decree (Minecon) No. 1519 of 2006 Decree (Minecon) No. 1788 of 2007 Decree (Minecon) No. 1675 of 2008 Decree (Minecon) No. 1925 of 2009 Decree (Minecon) No. 1453 of 2010 Decree (Minecon) No. 1251 of 2011
Maximum Catch Limit per Ship Owner	Since 2001	Law of Maximum Catch Limit per Ship Owner No. 19.713