

WGMIXFISH- METHODS

Working Group on Mixed Fisheries Methodology

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RESEARCH FOCUS

- The consequences of technical interactions in multi-stock, multi-gear fisheries.
- Drivers of fleet fishing behaviour: fishing patterns, catch efficiency, effort distribution
- Investigating the causes of “choking” dynamics.
- Communication and engagement with stakeholder groups.

OUR OBJECTIVE

WGMIXFISH-METHODS works on the development and improvement of mixed-fisheries analysis to support the provision of advice considerations by WGMIXFISH-ADVICE.

Our work covers the North Sea, Celtic Sea, Irish Sea, Bay of Biscay, Iberian Waters and Baltic Sea ecoregions.

OUR EXPERTISE

- Fishing fleet dynamics and behaviour.
- Technical interactions (the impact of time, area and fishing gear on catch compositions).
- Using multi-fleet fisheries models (FLBEIA, Fcube) for mixed-fisheries forecasting.