

INACTIVE Northwestern Atlantic Ocean Grand Banks yellowtail flounder - trawl

Overview

FIP Description

The USA trawl fishery for Yellowtail Flounder (NAFO 3LNO) off the Grand Banks in the Atlantic Ocean is hosted by the Pier Fish Company of New Bedford and Tremont Fisheries LLC of Lakeville, Massachusetts. Tremont Fisheries LLC owns and operates the sole vessel in the fishery, the Tremont.

The fishery occurs on the same grounds as other Contracting Parties to the Northwest Atlantic Fishery Organization (NAFO). It is managed by NAFO with additional fishing rules by the USA as the Flag and Port State, and with some joint provisions with Canada. Only ecosystem impacts scores below 80 at this time.

How is this FIP Doing?

Current Status:

4%

96%

% of Indicators Tracked Basic FIPs may focus their workplans on a subset of the indicators. This shows the proportion of total indicators the FIP is working on.

96%

Actions Progress This shows the proportion of actions in the workplan that the FIP has completed.

0%

Actions Overview This shows the proportion of actions that are behind schedule, on track, completed, or not yet started.

Behind

On Track

Complete

Future

100%

0%

0%

0%

FIP Objective(s)

By December 2023 the FIP intends to have achieved the following objective:

Design ongoing monitoring requirements to ensure changes in ecosystem balance over time are captured and to ensure that any mitigation measures implemented are achieving their objectives.

FIP Type

Basic

FIP Stage

Stage 4: Improvements in Fishing Practices or Fishery Management

Start and Projected End Dates

November, 2021 -

December, 2023

Species**Common Name**

Yellowtail Flounder

Scientific Name

Limanda ferruginea

Gear Type

[Trawl](#)

Location**FAO Major Fishing Area**

[Area 21 \(Atlantic, Northwest\)](#)

Exclusive Economic Zones**Country**

United States of America (the)

Geographic Scope

The Grand Banks

Country

Canada

Geographic Scope

The Grand Banks

Country Flag of Vessel

United States of America (the)

Regional Fisheries Management Organization (RFMO)

NAFO

Estimated Total FIP Landings

415 metric tons

FIP Leads

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Organization Type

Industry

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