

# Assessment of IIIa, VIId and North Sea whiting (*Merlangius merlangus*)

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Biometrics provided. Note that the assumed timeseries to which the reference point pertains is indicated in parentheses.

primary LME			secondary LME		tertiary LME
22 - North Sea			24 - Celtic-Biscay Shelf		na
Parameter	Value	Units	Reference points		
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A50-yr	1	yr	SSBlim-MT (SSB)	225000	MT
SSB-AGE-yr	1+	yr	SSBpa-MT (SSB)	315000	MT
REC-AGE-yr	1	yr	Fpa-1/T (F)	0.65	1/T
TB-AGE-yr	1+	yr	F0.1-1/T	0.1	1/T
M-1/T	Age specific	1/T	Fmax-1/T	0.19	1/T
F-AGE-yr-yr	2-6	yr-yr	Flim-1/T (F)	0.9	1/T
SSB-SEX-sex			$SSB_{2006}/SSB_{lim}$	0.431	
M			$F_{2006}/F_{lim}$	0.578	
L50-cm					

Time series minima and maxima					
	SSB	R	F	TB	Catch
Minimum year	1980	1979	1980	1980	1980
Maximum year	2006	2005	2006	2006	2006
Time series minimum	96967	383532	0.26	138290	26795
Time series maximum	521533	4423048	1.12	837376	223517
Units	MT	E03	1/T	MT	MT

