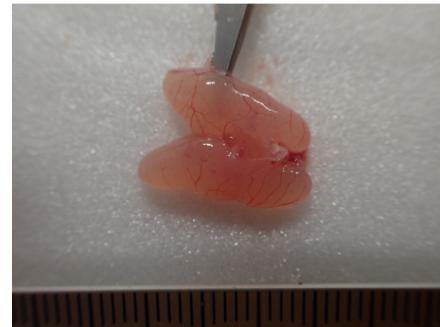
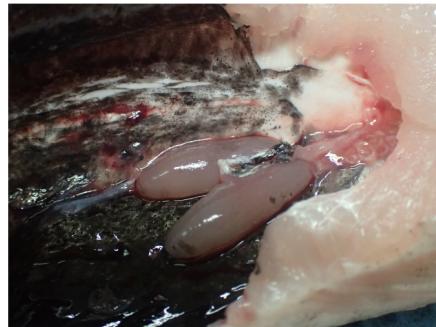


Hake / *Merluccius merluccius***A - IMMATURE**TRANSPARENT TO
TRANSLUCID GONADS

WITHOUT EGGS

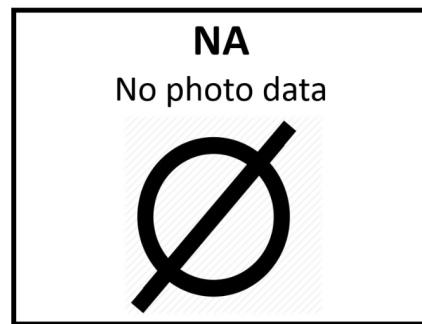
**B - DEVELOPING**non-hydrated eggs
SOMETIMES visible

OPAQUE GONADS

**C - SPAWNING**AT LEAST 1 VISIBLE
HYDRATED EGG**D - REGRESSION/REGENERATION**FEW HYDRATED
EGGS STILL PRESENTFLABBY GONADS AND
THICK INNER LAYERGeneral aspect
"stunted"

Hake / *Merluccius merluccius***E - OMITTED SPAWNING**

UNDETERMINABLE WITH THE NAKED EYE

F - ABNORMALNECROSIS,
SCLEROSIS OR
INTERSEX

Picture	Sex	Species	First maturity size
		<i>Merluccius merluccius</i>	29 - 49 cm

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