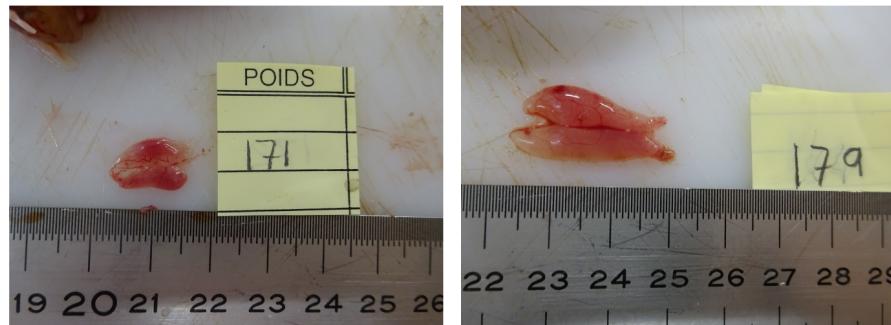


Red mullet / *Mullus surmuletus***A - IMMATURE**

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 PRESENT

FLABBY GONADS AND
THICK INNER LAYER

General aspect
"stunted"



Red mullet / *Mullus surmuletus***E - OMITTED SPAWNING**

UNDETERMINABLE WITH THE NAKED EYE

F - ABNORMALNECROSIS,
SCLEROSIS OR
INTERSEX

Picture	Sex	Species	First maturity size
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*Mullus surmuletus*

14 - 23 cm

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