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on IUU fisheries

Season/months: usually during July To October

Areas : Coastal & territorial area and EEZ of neighboring countries

Main fishing gear : Trawlers, long liner

Average size of fishing boats: < 20 m

Main target species : Shrimp

By catch records : the marketable sizes recorded as other species (as our fishery is mixed fisheries), and there is no record for discarded

Ghost fishing : not monitored

Estimated revenues of the IUU products: there is no estimate but it considered as medium to High revenues

IUU measures to reduce IUU fishing in the last 5 years

1- Suspend the license for a period of six months (the first time))

2 - cancel the license (the second time))

- Number of 27 license suspended for six months**
- Number of 22 cancellation of the license**
- Number of 4 under investigation**

controlling system for fishing

- **There are observers in the fishing ports**
- **on-board observers only in BFT Fisheries**

Solve the problem of IUU fishing in the Mediterranean

- needs for socio economic studied for the IUU fishing impacts**
- The legal framework and to tighten sanctions**
- Increase awareness among fishermen societies of the seriousness of the problem**
- Surveillance at sea**
- Use monitoring devices available (VMS)**

the structure of your national fishing fleet operating in the Mediterranean Sea

Total number of vessels (3082 vessels)

Number of vessels by

**length classes (>6, 6-12, 12-18, 12-24, >24m) are
(363---259---1127---1159---174) respectively**

**main categories of vessel type (---trawling—long
liner—trammel net--- purse sine)**

**main categories of fishing gear -(---1091 trawling—
1247 long liner—))**

**Vessels equipped with VMS system or
other technologies to track down their fishing activities
2 Vessels) (Total number**

Current plans for the management of the fishing fleet

1-Prevent the authorization of any new boats only the renewal of the boats is allowed with the same specifications of the boat or less

2-Studying the possibility of using VSM system

other suggestions regarding IUU fishing

IUU fishing is divided to

1 - fishing without a license

Can control provisions fishing ports

2 - fishing near coastal waters or the territorial waters of neighboring countries

The use of surveillance devices and tracking of fishing boats

3 - IUU fishing using fishing craft to another compound

Customize the color for each fishing craft so easy to know Moderators fishing ports on the type of fishing vessel Once for the example,

-Trawling vessel color Green

-Fishing nets long liner vessel color Blue



A large pile of various fish and seafood, including crabs and shrimp, with text overlaid. The fish are of different species and sizes, some with distinctive patterns like spots or stripes. The background is a mix of brown and grey tones, suggesting a wet, outdoor or market setting.

4-Fishing nets IUU

Organize training courses for officials in the fishing ports of the definition of fish caught Economic sizes for each type of fish



Thank You!