

Additional results part XVI

Measures for commercial and recreational eel fisheries in place in coastal marine waters at the national and local (eel management unit, administrative region) levels, by partner country

Table 1. Eel management plan measures for commercial and recreational eel fisheries in place in coastal marine waters, by partner country

Eel management plan measures for commercial eel fisheries					
Country	Year of implementation	Eel size restriction (minimum eel size allowed)	Eel stage restriction	Gear size restriction	Gear restriction
Italy	2011	ND	Mixed silver and yellow eel; glass eel fishery permitted for the sole purpose of restocking	ND	ND
			All		
Spain	2010	10 cm	Yes	Yes	Yes
		All			
		ND	Yes	ND	ND
		> 10 cm (glass eel); < 35 cm (silver eel)	Yes	Yes	Yes
		35 cm		ND	ND
Tunisia	2010	30 cm	Glass eel	10 mm for square meshes	ND
		30 cm	Glass eel	15 mm for triangular	ND
Eel management plan measures for recreational eel fisheries					
Spain	2010	35 cm	ND	ND	ND
		All	All	All	All
		NP		NP	NP
Italy	2011	ND	All	ND	ND
		12 cm	Silver and yellow eel; glass eel fishery permitted for the sole purpose of restocking	No	Only lines with a maximum of 12 hooks in total

Notes: ND = no data available; NP = not pertinent.

Table 2. National measures for commercial and recreational eel fisheries in place in coastal marine waters, by partner country

National measures for commercial eel fisheries					
Country	Regulation	Eel size restriction (minimum eel size allowed)	Eel stage restriction	Gear size restriction	Gear restriction
Algeria	Executive decree No. 05-184, 9 Rabie Ethani 1426 dated 18 May 2005; Executive decree No. 06-372, 26 Ramadhan 1427 dated 19 October 2006; Executive decree No.03-481, 19 Chaoual 1424 dated 13 December 2003; Executive decree No. 04-187, 19 Joumada El Oula 1425 dated 7 July 2004; Executive decree No. 04-188, 19 Joumada El Oula 1425 dated 7 July 2004; Executive decree No. 04-189, 19 Joumada El Oula 1425 dated 7 July 2004; Executive decree No. 07-208, 15 Joumada Ethania 1428 dated 30 June 2007 ; Decree, 24 Rabie El Aouel 1432 dated 27 February 2011	30 cm	Glass eel	18 mm for capéchade trap nets and 4 mm for fyke nets	Capéchade trap nets, trabaque nets, fyke nets and longlines
Spain		ND	ND	ND	ND
		35 cm	All	ND	ND
Italy	Other national laws: Ministerial decree 12/01/2011 (fishery and trade of glass eel), Ministerial decree No. 403 25/07/2019 (ban of eel marine fishery) Other regional laws: DPGR No. 91/2012, Article 19, comma 4, Regional regulation No. 6/2018 (ban of glass eel and elvers fishery) MD No. 403 25/07/2019	ND	All	ND	All
		No			ND
		NP		NP	All
Tunisia	Law No. 94–13 dated 31 January 1994 on fishing activity Decree of the Minister of Agriculture dated 1995 concerning minimum landing size, minimum mesh size, eel fishery management in Ghar El Melh lagoon; Decree of the Minister of Agriculture dated 1994 concerning fisheries management in dams	30 cm	Glass eel	10 mm for square meshes	10 mm for square meshes
				15 mm for triangular meshes	15 mm for triangular meshes
National measures for recreational eel fisheries					
Italy	Ministerial decree No. 403 25/07/2019	No	All	ND	ND
		ND			All
		All			All

Notes: ND = no data available; NP = not pertinent

Table 3. Regional measures for commercial and recreational eel fisheries in place in coastal marine waters, by partner country

Regional measures for commercial eel fisheries					
Country	Regulation	Eel size restriction (minimum landing size)	Eel stage restriction	Gear size restriction	Gear restriction
Algeria	Executive decree No. 05-184, 9 Rabie Ethani 1426 dated 18 May 2005; Executive decree No. 06-372, 26 Ramadhan 1427 dated 19 October 2006; Decree, 24 Rabie El Aouel 1432 dated 27 February 2011	30 cm	Glass eel	18 mm for <i>capéchade</i> trap nets and 4 mm for fyke nets	<i>Capéchade</i> trap nets, <i>trabaque</i> nets, pots, fyke nets and longlines
		No	No	No	No
Spain		ND	ND	ND	ND
		35 cm			
Italy	DPGR No. 91/2012 Article 29, Regional regulation No. 6/2018	No	All		All
		ND			
Tunisia	Recommendation GFCM/42/2018/1 on a multiannual management plan for European eelin the Mediterranean Sea	30 cm	Glass eel	10 mm for square meshes, 15 mm for triangular meshes	
Regional measures for recreational eel fisheries					
Italy	DPGR No. 91/2012 Article 29, Regional regulation No. 6/2018	No	All	ND	ND
		ND			All
		All			

Notes: ND = no data available; NP = not pertinent