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Vessel Strikes of Large Whales

No data is available for this section.

Fishery Bycatch of Large Whales

No data is available for this section.

Direct Catches of Small Cetaceans

No data is available for this section.

Vessel Strikes of Small Cetaceans

No data is available for this section.

Fishery Bycatch of Small Cetaceans

Large Area	Local Area	Species	Year	Individuals*	Targeted Species	Gear Type
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	harbour porpoise (<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>)	2016	0		[GEN] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Gillnets and entangling gillnets (not specified),
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	harbour porpoise (<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>)	2017	11		[GN] GILLNETS AND ENTANGLING GEAR - Gillnets (not specified),

* This column has been aggregated

Strandings

Large Area	Local Area	Species	Year	Total Number of Individuals Stranded	Source of Information
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Large Area	Local Area	Species	Year	Total Number of Individuals Stranded	Source of Information
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	harbour porpoise (<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>)	2016	659	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	sperm whale (<i>Physeter macrocephalus</i>)	2016	7	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	common dolphin (<i>Delphinus delphis</i>)	2016	3	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	Sowerby's beaked whale (<i>Mesoplodon bidens</i>)	2016	2	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	striped dolphin (<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>)	2016	2	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	Unidentified small whale ()	2016	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North		Unidentified dolphin ()	2016	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	North Sea	Unidentified beaked whale (Unid. Ziphiid)	2016	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	harbour porpoise (<i>Phocoena phocoena</i>)	2017	683	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	Common minke whale (<i>Balaenoptera acutorostrata</i>)	2017	4	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	striped dolphin (<i>Stenella coeruleoalba</i>)	2017	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	common dolphin (<i>Delphinus delphis</i>)	2017	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North		Sowerby's beaked whale (<i>Mesoplodon bidens</i>)	2017	2	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	fin whale (<i>Balaenoptera physalus</i>)	2017	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	killer whale (<i>Orcinus orca</i>)	2017	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	sperm whale (<i>Physeter macrocephalus</i>)	2017	1	National Collator
Atlantic Ocean - North	Dutch North Sea	white-beaked dolphin (<i>Lagenorhynchus albirostris</i>)	2017	1	National Collator

Systematic Surveys

Name	Description	Source of Information
Dutch Aerial Surveys North Sea	Aerial surveys were conducted on the Dutch Continental Shelf, which was divided into four areas (figure 1): A (9615 km ²), B (16,892 km ²), C (12,023 km ²) and D (20,797 km ²). Surveys were conducted by a team of three people, using a high-winged twin-engine airplane, the Partenavia 68, equipped with so-called bubble windows (allowing observations directly under the plane). The plane flew at an altitude of 183 m (600 feet) with a speed of ca. 186 km.h-1 (ca. 100 knots). The abundance estimate in July 2017 numbered 46,902 (CI: 21,194-79,256) harbour porpoise.	National Collator

No data is available for this section.