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**Subject:** **Call for fleet economic scientific data concerning 2008-2013**

**Message:**

Dear Sir/Madam,

As foreseen in the Council Regulation No 199/2008, the Commission herewith asks Member States to provide aggregated scientific data from within their National Data Collection programs as detailed in Commission Decision 93/2010<sup>1</sup> to support scientific advice in EU fisheries.

The table in the annex gives an overview of the data<sup>2</sup> requested for submission under this call. Table 1 concerns data requested for the years 2008-2013 (collected under the DCF legislation). Please note that the years requested for each parameter type in Table 1 vary depending on expected availability. Fleet segment level data and national totals are requested for all parameters. In addition, the theoretical maximum number of days at sea and/or KW-days at sea per fleet segment is requested at the fleet segment level. This

<sup>1</sup> Commission Decision of 18 December 2009 adopting a multiannual Community programme for the collection, management and use of data in the fisheries sector for the period 2011-2013

<sup>2</sup> The data will be processed and analysed by JRC and STECF experts to produce the draft of the report on the "Economic Performance of EU Fleet: Annual Report 2013" and to provide scientific data support to the FIRMS project managed by FAO.

parameter is required to estimate the technical indicator *Capacity utilisation*, as described in the Commission Services Guidelines for the assessment of the balance between fishing capacity and fishing opportunities,. Please note that the submission of this data is not compulsory under the DCF but is highly recommended on a voluntary basis.

Member States should follow the agreed procedure for transmission of data (by uploading data onto the JRC server).

Full details of all the parameters (including the theoretical maximum days at sea), aggregation levels and uploading instructions for this call can be found on the JRC data collection website: <https://datacollection.jrc.ec.europa.eu/data-calls>

Each Member State requires a password in order to submit data. These passwords remain unchanged from the previous call for economic data. Member States who no longer have a record of their password, should contact the JRC data submission team by emailing [datasubmission@jrc.ec.europa.eu](mailto:datasubmission@jrc.ec.europa.eu).

In addition, the JRC data submission team can be contacted for guidance by emailing [datasubmission@jrc.ec.europa.eu](mailto:datasubmission@jrc.ec.europa.eu)

### **Time schedule**

As per Article 20 of Council Regulation No 199/2008, Member States are kindly requested to supply the data as specified within **1 month** from receipt of this request for data.

According to Articles 8(4) and 8(5) of Council Regulation No 199/2008, reductions of European Union financial assistance may be applied by the Commission in case of lack of data transmission by the Member States within the specified deadline and as specified in the request. Therefore the Member States are encouraged to respect the above mentioned deadline and to provide all requested data.

We look forward to your cooperation.

Yours sincerely,

  
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ANNEX

DCF data requirements (2008-2013)

Variable group	Variable	Years	Aggregation level
<b>Fishing Enterprises</b>	Enterprises consisting of 1 vessel	2008 - 2012	Yearly, by 1) Fleet segment, 2) National totals
	Enterprises consisting of 2-5 vessels	2008 - 2012	
	Enterprises consisting of more than 5 vessels	2008 - 2012	
<b>Employment</b>	Number of engaged crew	2008 - 2011	Yearly, by 1) Fleet segment, Supra Region, 2) National totals
	FTE national	2008 - 2011	
	FTE harmonised	2008 - 2011	
<b>Income</b>	Value of landings	2008 - 2012	
	Income from fishing rights	2008 - 2011	
	Direct subsidies	2008 - 2011	
	Other income	2008 - 2011	
<b>Costs</b>	Crew wages	2008 - 2011	
	Value of unpaid labour	2008 - 2011	
	Energy costs	2008 - 2011	
	Repair costs	2008 - 2011	
	Other variable costs	2008 - 2011	
	Other non variable costs	2008 - 2011	
	Rights costs	2008 - 2011	
<b>Capital and Investments</b>	Depreciation	2008 - 2011	
	Vessel historical value	2008 - 2011	
	Vessel replacement value	2008 - 2011	
	Value of fishing rights	2008 - 2011	
	In-year investments	2008 - 2011	
<b>Capacity</b>	Financial position	2008 - 2011	
	Number of vessels	2008 - 2013	Yearly, by 1) Fleet segment, Supra Region, 2) National totals
	Mean length overall	2008 - 2013	
	Total GT	2008 - 2013	
	Total kW	2008 - 2013	
Mean age	2008 - 2013		
<b>Effort</b>	Days at Sea	2008 - 2012	Yearly, Fleet segment, by 1) FAO Area level 4
	Fishing days	2008 - 2012	

	kW fishing days	2008 - 2012	(Baltic), FAO Area level 3 (All other regions), 2) National Totals
	GT fishing days	2008 - 2012	
	Number of fishing operations	2008 - 2012	Yearly, by 1) Fleet segment, Supra Region, 2) National totals
	Number of pots and traps	2008 - 2012	
	Number of nets	2008 - 2012	
	Length of nets	2008 - 2012	
	Number of hooks	2008 - 2012	
	Soaking time	2008 - 2012	
	Energy Consumption	2008 - 2011	
	Number of trips	2008 - 2012	
	Weight of landings per species	2008 - 2012	
<b>Landings</b>	Value of landings per species	2008 - 2012	
<b>Catches</b>	Total weight of catches per species (Species are region specific, see Appendix 4, 949/2008)	2008 - 2012	Yearly, by 1) Fleet segment, Region level 2 (see Appendix 2, 949/2008), 2) National Totals