

International Consultations on the Establishment of the South Pacific Regional Fisheries Management Organisation

Summary of 2008 Catch Data Received by the Interim Secretariat (May 2009)

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The following table summarises the 2008 catch data received by the Interim Secretariat for the 2008 calendar year.

Participant	Catch Data		
	Species/Fishery	Type of data provided	Were the data received by 1 May 2009?
Belize	CJM, chub mackerel	5x5 degree square catch by month	Yes
	CJM, chub mackerel	Aggregated annual catch (summed from monthly 5x5 data)	Yes
Chile	CJM, MAS, GIS	Aggregated annual catch (preliminary)	No
China	CJM	1x1 degree square catch	Yes
	CJM	5x5 degree square data could be summed from 1x1 degree square data	
	CJM	Aggregated annual (summed from 1x1 degree square data)	Yes
European Community	CJM, MAS	Tow by tow data	Yes
	CJM, MAS	5x5 degree square data could be summed from tow by tow data	
	CJM, MAS	Aggregated annual catch	Yes
	Bottom Longline Species Mix	Tow by tow data	Yes
	Bottom Longline Species Mix	5x5 degree square data could be summed from tow by tow data	
Faroe Islands	CJM, MAS	Aggregated annual catch	Yes
Korea	CJM, MAS	Tow by tow data	Yes
	CJM, MAS	5x5 degree square + annual aggregated catch could be summed from tow by tow data	
New Zealand	ALL	Tow by tow data can be provided as soon as the SPRFMO database is available to accept these data	
	ALL	5x5 degree square catch	No
	ALL	Aggregated annual catch (summed from 5x5 data)	No
Vanuatu	CJM, MAS	Aggregated annual catch by vessel	No

KEY

- ALL - All High Seas catch (no mackerel species included)
- CJM - Chilean jack mackerel (*Trachurus murphyi*)
- GIS - Jumbo flying squid (*Dosidicus gigas*)
- JAX - Jack and horse mackerels (*Trachurus* species)
- MAC - Atlantic mackerel (*Scomber scombrus*)
- MAS - Chub mackerel (*Scomber japonicus*)