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2013 Report on the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 1185/2003 on the removal of fins of sharks on board vessels - Denmark

Dear Mr Bianchi,

Referring to information given during the meeting of the Committee for Fisheries and Aquaculture on 26th September 2014 and the Commission's letter of 28th November 2014 on Member States' reports on the implementation of Regulation (EC) No 1185/2003 on the removal of fins of sharks on board vessels, please find annexed the 2013 report for Denmark.

Yours sincerely,

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Annual Report on the implementation of Regulation (EU) No 1185/2003 on the removal of fins of sharks on board vessels

Member State: Denmark

Reference year: 2013

Number of landings of sharks:

478

Number, date and place of the inspections that have been carried out:

Number of inspections		
Port of landing	Date of inspection	Total
Hanstholm	09-01-2013	1
	26-03-2013	1
	23-05-2013	1
	24-05-2013	1
	03-07-2013	1
	15-12-2013	1
Hanstholm Total		6
Hundested	15-03-2013	1
Hundested Total		
Hvide sande	15-07-2013	1
	16-08-2013	1
	01-11-2013	1
Hvide sande Total		3
Thorsminde	27-02-2013	
	15-03-2013	1
	26-06-2013	1
Thorsminde Total		3
Thorup strand	06-01-2013	1
	06-11-2013	1 2 1
Thorup strand Total		
Thyborøn	14-05-2013	
	22-05-2013	1
	23-05-2013	1
	28-05-2013	1
	29-05-2013	1 2 2
	30-05-2013	2
	04-06-2013	1
	05-06-2013	1
	09-06-2013	1
	12-06-2013	1
	27-06-2013	1
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Thyborøn Total		
Grand Total		

Number and nature of cases of non-compliance detected, including a full identification of the vessel(s) involved and the penalty applied for each case of non-compliance:

In 2013, no cases of non-compliance of this Regulation were detected.

Total landings by species (weight/number) and by port:

In Danish ports

Species, port of landing and flag of fishing vessel	Sum of no of landings	Sum of live weight in kg in total
Tope shark	100	1.006
Hanstholm	22	281
DEU	1	11
DNK	20	258
NOR	1	12
Hirtshals	16	84
DNK	16	84
Hundested	1	3
DNK	1	3
Hvide sande	5	93
DNK	5	93
Langø	1	9
DNK	1	9
Lild strand	2	10
DNK	2	10
Løkken	4	25
DNK	4	25
Skagen	1	1
DNK	1	1
Spodsbjerg	1	7
DNK	1	7
Strandby (North Jutland)	5	13
DNK	5	13
Thorsminde	2	14
DNK	2	14
Thorup strand	24	274
DNK	24	274
Thyborøn	16	194
DNK	16	194
Picked dogfish	366	23.301
Hanstholm	115	6.509
DEU	7	79
DNK	86	3.111
NOR	20	3.270
SWE	2	49
Hirtshals	45	258
DNK	27	127
NOR	18	131
Hvide sande	77	2.324
DEU	1	20
DNK	76	2.304
Løkken	1	4
DNK	1	4

Species, port of landing and flag of fishing vessel	Sum of no of landings	Sum of live weight in kg in total
Rønne	1	642
DNK	1	642
Skagen	4	33
DNK	4	33
Skudehavnen/Copenhagen	1	4
DNK	1	4
Sletten	1	1
DNK	1	1
Strandby (North Jutland)	3	140
DNK	3	140
Thorsminde	20	2.146
DNK	20	2.146
Thyborøn	96	11.237
DNK	96	11.237
Vedbæk	2	3
DNK	2	3
Lesser spotted dogfish	4	5
Gilleleje	4	5
DNK	4	5
Grand total	470	24.312

In other EU ports by Danish vessels

Species and port of landing	Sum of no of landings	Sum of live weight in kg in total
Picked dogfish	4	35
Den Helder	1	22
Harlingen	2	9
Ijmuiden	1	4
Grand total	4	35

In third country ports by Danish vessels

Species and port of landing	Sum of no of landings	Sum of live weight in kg in total
Picked dogfish	4	373
Egersund	1	135
Skudesneshavn	3	238
Grand total	4	373