

Table 1 NET FISHING LICENCES - number and value, 2003 season

Environment Agency Region	Salmon and Migratory Trout				Eel			Eel - CATCH (Kg)				
	Fishing Method	Number (a)	Duty (£)	Endorsees	Value (£) (b)	Method	Number (a)	Value (£)	Method	Elver	Eel	
North East Northumbria Area	Coastal (N) drift and T nets	5	920.00	0	4600.00	Fyke nets	51	280.50	Fyke nets	-	547	
	Coastal (N) drift nets	9	845.00	0	7605.00	Pots (Criags in strings of 10)	0	0.00	Pots (Criags in strings of 10)	-	-	
	Coastal (N) T nets	21	590.00	0	12390.00							
	Coastal (S) drift nets	0	845.00	0	0.00							
	Coastal (S) T nets	1	590.00	0	590.00							
Total	36		0	25185.00	Total	51	280.50	Total	0	547		
North East Yorkshire Area	Coastal drift nets	2	661.00	2	1322.40	Fyke nets	37	183.15	Fyke nets	-	959	
	Coastal I or J nets	19	590.00	45	11219.00	Criags (in strings) (Max. 10 pots per string)	110	54.45	Pots (Criags in strings of 10)	-	380	
	Total	21		47	12541.40	Total	147	237.60	Total	0	1339	
Anqlian	Drift nets	33	55.00	77	1830.40	Nets/Traps (Req)	0	0.00	Nets/Traps (Req)	-	-	
	Other nets (various)	12	55.00	24	864.80	Nets/Traps (Dist)	512	5110.00	Nets/Traps (Dist)	-	280	
Total	45		101	2495.20	Total	512	5110.00	Total	0	280		
Thames	Nil					Fyke nets	119	1190.00	Fyke nets	-	4628	
						Traps	0	6.00	Traps (£2 per trap)	-	136	
						Fair trawls	0	0.00	Fair trawls	-	0	
Total					Total	122	1196.00	Total	0	4765		
Southern	Seine nets	0	55.00	0	0.00	Trawls	2	200.00	Trawls	-	*	
						Baskets/baited traps	7	70.00	Baskets/baited traps (20)	-	2465	
						Elver dip nets	3	150.00	Elver dip nets	-	-	
						Racks	9	900.00	Racks	-	2689	
						Estuary fykes	161	844.00	Estuary fykes	-	320	
						Fykes (small)	26	260.00	Fykes (small)	-	*	
						Fykes (medium)	6	90.00	Fykes (medium)	-	60	
						Fykes (Large)	13	325.00	Fykes (Large)	-	163	
	Total	0		0	0.00	Total	227	2639.00	Total	0	5697	
	South West Wessex Area	Seine nets	6	267.00	11	1604.20	Fyke nets	544	2180.30	Fyke nets	-	6739
Dip nets		0	55.00	0	0.00	Fixed traps	12	1190.40	Fixed traps	-	4502	
Putcher ranks (1 units of 50)		0	55.00	0	0.00	Elver nets	185	6105.00	Elver nets	585	-	
						Traps	0	0.00	Traps	-	-	
Total	6		11	1604.20	Total	741	9475.70	Total	585	11240		
South West Devon & Cornwall	Seine nets (single river)	55	240.00	225	13245.00	Fyke nets	6	24.00	Fyke nets	-	59	
	Seine nets (double river)	0	310.00	0	0.00	Elver dip nets	25	825.00	Elver dip nets	95	-	
	Fixed Engine (Weir) Avon (c)	0	310.00	0	0.00	Traps	2	8.00	Traps (£4 per 10 in tidal)	-	4	
	Fixed Engine (Trap) Lvn (d)	0	310.00	0	0.00	Eel fykes (double)	16	128.00	Eel fykes (double)	-	40	
	Drift nets (Camei)	7	220.00	11	1542.20							
Total	62		236	14787.20	Total	49	985.00	Total	95	102		
Midlands	Lave nets (full season)	29	42.00	0	1218.00	Elver dip nets (Full)	416	8320.00	Elver dip nets (Full)	805	-	
	Seine nets	2	200.00	15	603.00	Elver dip nets (Concessionary)	71	355.00	Elver dip nets (Concessionary)	72	-	
	Fixed Engine ranks comprising: 2000 Putchers (40 units of 50)	0	55.00	0	0.00	Gloucester eel nets	2	13.00	Gloucester eel nets	-	15	
	Putt (1 fixed engine)	0	3.00	0	0.00	Putcheons/baskets (Up to 20 putcheons per licence)	3	19.50	Putcheons/baskets (Up to 20 putcheons per licence)	-	47	
	Stop net (boat)	0		0		Putcheons/baskets (Per additional 20 putcheons)	0	0.00	Putcheons/baskets (Per additional 20 putcheons)	-	-	
	Topping net (R.Trent)	0		0		Fyke nets (>4m)	0	0.00	Fyke nets (>4m)	-	-	
	Drift net (R. Trent)	0	200.00	0	0.00	Fyke nets (2-4m)	28	126.00	Fyke nets (2-4m)	-	755	
						Fyke nets (<2m) (up to 5 <2m nets per licence)	18	63.00	Fyke nets (<2m) (up to 5 <2m nets per licence)	-	163	
						Weir trap	2	35.00	Weir trap	-	*	
	Total	39		15	1821.00	Total	540	8931.50	Total	877	980	
	Environment Agency Wales	Compass nets	7	67.00	8	470.60	Elver dip nets	191	2101.00	Elver dip nets	152	-
		Coracle nets	17	Var.	48	55.60	Fixed trap	0	0.00	Fixed trap	-	-
		Wade nets	1	55.00	3		Fyke nets	33	181.50	Fyke nets	-	10
Seine nets		17	Var.	78		Putcheons (max. 20/licence) (20 per licence)	0	0.00	Putcheons (max. 20/licence)	-	-	
Drift nets (incl. sling nets)		12	695.00	36	8347.20							
Trammel nets		4	408.00	15	1635.00							
Lave nets		7	55.00	0	385.00							
Putcher rank (0 units of 50)		0		0								
Fish trap-basket		0	92.00	0	0.00							
Total		65		188	10893.40	Total	224	2282.50	Total	152	10	
North West	Haaf nets (Solway)	100	100.00	8	10001.60	Fyke nets	106	583.00	Fyke nets	-	119	
	Drift nets (Cumbria Coastal)	1	408.00	4	408.80	Dip nets	31	341.00	Dip nets	7	-	
	Drift nets (Ribble)	6	297.00	21	1786.20	Baskets (25)	3	49.80	Baskets (25)	-	-	
	Haaf nets (Lune)	12	200.00	0	2400.00	Fixed nets/traps	0	0.00	Fixed nets/traps	-	-	
	Drift nets (Lune)	7	408.00	17	2859.40							
	Seine net (Lune)	1	368.00	2	368.40							
	Lave nets (Kent)	8	100.00	0	800.00							
	Lave nets (Leven)	4	100.00	0	400.00							
	Coop nets (Eden)	3	257.00	4	771.80							
Total	142		56	19796.20	Total	140	973.80	Total	7	119		
England & Wales	Total	416		0	89123.60	Total	2753	32111.60	Total	1715	25079	

Key: (a) Numbers represent the number of licensees, except for data in parentheses which represent numbers of licensed components on which duty is paid.
 (b) Value includes endorsee fees (£0.20 each). * No Returns received
 (c) Licence for Avon fixed engine bought by the Agency. Not used. N = north
 (d) Licence for Lvn fixed engine trap bought by the Agency. Not used. S = South

Table 2 NATIONAL ROD FISHING LICENCES - NUMBER AND VALUE, valid from 1 April 2003 to 31 March 2004

Environment Agency Region	Non-migratory trout and coarse fish						Salmon and sea trout				
	Full	Concession	Junior	8 Day	1 Day	Total	Full	Concession	8 Day	1 Day	Total
	Duty £22.00	Duty £11.00	Duty £5.00	Duty £7.00	Duty £2.75		Duty £61.00	Duty £30.50	Duty £18.00	Duty £6.00	
						(a)	(a)				
North East	75,520	23,489	16,702	4,631	45,811	166,153	2,287	1,121	248	995	4,651
Anglian	102,301	22,066	21,073	6,367	40,127	191,934	208	137	275	268	888
Thames	108,177	20,469	19,949	7,814	51,718	208,127	803	275	528	877	2,483
Southern	55,155	10,408	12,209	4,306	29,577	111,655	436	210	230	273	1,149
South West	39,786	8,711	8,323	2,725	21,401	80,946	1,631	786	203	870	3,490
Midlands	126,071	35,532	24,766	6,761	59,098	252,228	954	637	325	690	2,606
E.A. Wales	25,872	8,183	6,451	1,450	15,548	57,504	3,642	2,277	197	604	6,720
North West	62,006	18,703	13,036	3,660	22,360	119,765	3,022	1,646	262	986	5,916
Others (b)	16,041	4,099	3,572	3,567	14,613	41,892	775	406	283	569	2,033
Total	610,929	151,660	126,081	41,281	300,253	1,230,204	13,758	7,495	2,551	6,132	29,936
Total Value (£)	£13,440,438	£1,668,260	£630,405	£288,967	£825,696	£16,853,766	£826,588	£227,060	£45,918	£36,792	£1,136,384

(a) Full and concession salmon and sea trout licences include upgrades from non-migratory trout and coarse fish licences.

(b) Includes revenue from telephone licence sales not attributed to regions

All licences	
Total	
Number	(%)
170,804	14%
192,822	15%
210,610	17%
112,804	9%
84,436	7%
254,834	20%
64,225	5%
125,681	10%
43,925	3%
1,260,140	
£17,990,149	(b)

Table 3 NET SEASON AND WEEKLY CLOSURE TIMES - salmon and migratory trout - 2003 season

Environment Agency Region	River/ Fishery	Fishing Method	Season inclusive dates (see below)	Weekly closure times	Voluntary Closures/Buyouts Other
North East Northumbria	Coastal (N)	Drift nets T nets (a)	1.6 - 31.8 26.3 - 31.8	1800 Fri to 0600 Mon 1800 Fri to 0600 Mon	nightly close time 2000 to 0400 nightly close time 2000 to 0400
	Coastal (S)	Drift nets T nets (a)	1.6 - 31.8 26.3 - 31.8	1800 Fri to 0600 Mon 1800 Fri to 0600 Mon	nightly close time 2000 to 0400 nightly close time 2000 to 0400
North East Yorkshire	Coastal	Drift nets T or J nets (a)	1.6 - 31.8 26.3 - 31.8	1800 Fri to 0600 Mon 2000 Fri to 0600 Mon	nightly close time 2000 to 0400
Anglian	Coastal	Drift nets (a) Other nets (a)	1.4 - 30.9 1.4 - 30.9	0600 Sun to 2400 Mon 0600 Sun to 2400 Mon	
Southern	Hants area	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
South West	Avon + Stour	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon & 2100 - 0500 Wed, Thu, Fri	Entire salmon catch was purchased and release Buyout from 1/8 to 31/8 Buyout from 1/7 to 31/8 Buyout from 8/8 to 31/8 Buyout from 8/8 to 31/8 Buyout from 2/3 to 15/6
	Poole Harbour	Seine net	1.6 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Parrett	Dip nets Putchers ranks	1.6 - 31.7 1.6 - 31.7	no closure period	
	Exe	Seine nets (upper reach)	1.6 - 14.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Exe	Seine nets (lower reach)	1.6 - 14.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Teign	Seine nets (a)	15.3 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Dart	Seine nets (a)	15.3 - 14.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Avon	Fixed Engine	1.6 - 15.9	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Camel	Drift nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Tavy	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Fri to 0600 Mon (2.3 - 31.5)	
	Tamar	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	&	
	Lynher	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon (1.6 - 31.8)	
	Fowey	Seine nets (a)	2.3 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
Taw/Torridge	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Fri to 0600 Mon		
Lyn	Fixed Engine	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon		
Midlands	Severn	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	1200 Sat to 0600 Mon	
		Lave nets	1.6 - 31.8	1200 Sat to 0600 Mon	
		Fixed Engines	1.6 - 15.8	no closure period	
Environment Agency Wales	Wye	Lave nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	Licence bought out for five years (2000 to 2004) Bought out in perpetuity
		Drift nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Usk	Putchers rank	1.6 - 31.8	no closure period	
		Seine nets (a)	1.3 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
	Tywi	Coracle nets (a)	1.3 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
		Wade net	1.6 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
	Taf	Coracle net (a)	1.3 - 31.7	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
		Wade nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	S.W.Coastal	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
		Compass nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
	Nevern	Seine net (a)	1.4 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
	Tefi	Seine nets (a)	1.4 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
		Coracle nets (a)	1.4 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 1200 Mon	
	Dyfi	Seine nets (a)	1.4 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Dysynni	Seine net	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Mawddach	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Glaslyn	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Dwyfawr	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Seiont/Gwyrfa	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Ogwen	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Conwy	Basket trap	1.6 - 31.8	no closure period	
		Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
	Clwyd	Sling nets	1.6 - 31.8	2400 Thur to 2400 Sun	
		Trammel nets	1.6 - 31.8	2400 Thur to 2400 Sun	
	Dee	Seine nets	1.6 - 31.8	2400 Thur to 2400 Sun	
	North West	Ribbles	Drift nets	1.6 - 31.8	
Haaf nets			1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
Drift nets			1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
Seine net			1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
Kent		Lave nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
		Lave nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
S&W Cumbria		Drift nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
Eden		Coop nets	1.6 - 31.8	0600 Sat to 0600 Mon	
Border Esk		Haaf nets	1.6 - 9.9	0600 Sat to 2400 Sun	
		Solway	Haaf nets	1.6 - 9.9	0600 Sat to 2400 Sun

(a) Sea trout fisheries exempted from national bye-laws. All salmon caught before 1 June to be released alive.
N = North, S = South

Table 4 ROD FISHING SEASON FOR SALMON AND MIGRATORY TROUT - Including method restrictions and bag limits 2003

Environment Agency Region	River	Salmon Season (inclusive dates)	Migratory Trout Season (inclusive dates)	*Method Restrictions	*Bag limits/Catch and Release etc.	
North East	Aln	1.2 - 31.10	3.4 - 31.10			
	Coquet	1.2 - 31.10	3.4 - 31.10			
	Tyne	1.2 - 31.10	3.4 - 31.10			
	Wear	1.2 - 31.10	3.4 - 31.10			
	Tees	1.2 - 31.10	3.4 - 31.10			
	Esk (Yorks.)	6.4 - 31.10	6.4 - 31.10			
Anlian	Ouse (Yorks.)	6.4 - 31.10	6.4 - 31.10			
	Region	1.3 - 28.9	1.3 - 28.9			
Thames	Thames	1.4 - 30.9	1.4 - 30.9		2 salmon bag limit a day	
Southern	Test	17.1 - 2.10	1.5 - 31.10	Voluntary worm ban throughout season		
	Itchen	17.1 - 2.10	1.5 - 31.10	Voluntary worm ban throughout season		
South West	Avon (Hants.)	1.2 - 31.8	15.4 - 31.10	artificial fly only before 15/5		
	Piddle	1.3 - 31.8	15.4 - 31.10	artificial fly only before 15/5		
	Frome	1.3 - 31.8	15.4 - 31.10	artificial fly only before 15/5		
	Axe	15.3 - 31.10	15.4 - 31.10	no shrimp, prawn, worm or maggot. Fly only after 31/7 below Axbridge, Colyford		
	Exe	14.2 - 30.9	15.3 - 30.9	no worm or maggot		
	Teign	1.2 - 30.9	15.3 - 31.10	no worm or maggot before 1/6		
	Dart	1.2 - 30.9	15.3 - 30.9	no worm or maggot. No shrimp or prawn except below Staverton Bridge.		
	Avon (Devon)	15.4 - 30.11	15.4 - 30.9	no worm or maggot		
	Plym	1.4 - 15.12	3.3 - 30.9	no worm, maggot, shrimp or prawn after 31/8		
	Tavy	1.3 - 14.10	3.3 - 30.9	no worm, maggot, shrimp or prawn after 31/8		
	Tamar	1.3 - 14.10	3.3 - 30.9	no worm, maggot, shrimp or prawn after 31/8		
	Lynher	1.3 - 14.10	3.3 - 30.9	no worm, maggot, shrimp or prawn after 31/8		
	Fowey	1.4 - 15.12	1.4 - 30.9			
	Camel	1.4 - 15.12	1.4 - 30.9			
	Taw	1.3 - 30.9	15.3 - 30.9	no shrimp, prawn, worm or maggot. Fly only 1/4 to 31/5		
	Torridge	1.3 - 30.9	15.3 - 30.9	no shrimp, prawn, worm or maggot. Fly only 1/4 to 31/5	2 (2) salmon a day, 3 (2) a week and 10 (5, 7) in a season. ST 5 (2), 15 (7) and 40 (20) respectively (2 salmon limit before June 1st) & return of all salmon > 70 cm after Aug 1st Numbers for Taw, Torridge in brackets, 7 salmon in a season on the Torridge	
	Midlands	Lyn	1.2 - 31.10	15.3 - 30.9	no worm or maggot before 1/6	
Yealm		1.4 - 15.12	3.3 - 30.9	no worm, maggot, shrimp or prawn after 31/8		
Environment Agency Wales	Severn	1.2 - 7.10	18.3 - 7.10	no float fishing with lure or bait		
	Vive	26.1 - 25.10 (a)	26.1 - 25.10 (a)	fly only 26.1 - 1.5 & 1.9 - 25.10. Fly and Spin 1.5 - 1.6		
North West	Usk	3.3 - 17.10	3.3 - 17.10	Fly only 3.3 - 1.6. Fly and Spin 15.9 - 17.10		
	Taff	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 1.10 - 17.10		
	Ogmore	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 1.10 - 17.10		
	Afan	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 1.10 - 17.10		
	Neath	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 1.10 - 17.10		
	Tawe	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Loughor	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Twyi	1.4 - 7.10	1.4 - 7.10	no restrictions	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Taf	1.4 - 7.10	1.4 - 7.10	no restrictions	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	E+W Cleddau	1.4 - 7.10	1.4 - 7.10	no restrictions	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Nevern	1.4 - 17.10	1.4 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 7.10 - 17.10	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Teifi	1.4 - 17.10	1.4 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 7.10 - 17.10	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Aeron	1.4 - 17.10	1.4 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 7.10 - 17.10	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Ystwyth	1.4 - 17.10	1.4 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 7.10 - 17.10	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Rheidol	1.4 - 17.10	1.4 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 7.10 - 17.10	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Dvri	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10	daily bag of 2 salmon & 4 sea trout, weekly bag of 5 salmon	
	Dvsvnni	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Mawddach	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Artro	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Dwvrvd	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Glaslyn	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Dwvrfawr	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Llyfni	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Gwyrffai	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Seiont	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Oswen	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Conwy	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 15.4 & 7.10 - 17.10		
	Clwyd	20.3 - 17.10	20.3 - 17.10	Fly and Spin 20.3 - 1.6. Fly only 1.10 - 17.10		
	Dee	3.3 - 17.10	3.3 - 17.10	Fly only 3.3 - 1.6. Fly and Spin 1.10 - 17.10		
	North West	Ribble	1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9		Bve-law (NW-14/02/00) no more than four salmon may be killed during the season.
		Wvre	1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9		Bve-law (NW-08/05/03) requiring release of all salmon after capture.
		Lune	1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9		Bve-law (NW-08/05/03) requiring release of all salmon after capture.
Kent		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Leven		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Crake		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Duddon		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Esk (Cumbrian)		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Irt		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Calder		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Ehen		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Derwent		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Ellen		1.2 - 31.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Eden		15.1 - 14.10	1.4 - 30.9			
Esk (Border)		1.2 - 31.10	1.5 - 15.10			
Others	1.2 - 31.10 (b)	1.4 - 30.9 (b)				
Notes	(a) Season is 26.1 - 17.10 downstream of Llanwrthwl Bridge (b) Rivers Annas, Bleng, Mite * National spring salmon byelaws apply (see Appendix 1 for details)					

Table 8 SALMON. AVERAGE MONTHLY WEIGHT (kg) and sample size - 2003 season

Environment Agency Region	River	Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug	Sep	Oct	Nov	Dec	Un-known	Total sample	Total catch	Total est. Wt. (kg)	Ave. Wt. kg										
North East	Aln							2.5	1	2.4	5	2.8	12	2.8	19	3.9	15	2.7	3	55	55	167	3.0					
	Coquet			4.9	4	4.1	13	4.0	83	4.3	52	4.0	83	3.9	79	3.7	83	3.9	155	3.5	4	556	566	2229	3.9			
	Tyne	4.5	1	4.5	21	5.0	45	4.7	41	5.6	95	5.1	100	5.2	119	5.2	75	4.8	323	5.5	1325	2145	2163	11239	5.2			
	Wear			8.6	1	6.3	1	5.4	5	4.2	26	5.4	34	3.5	51	4.2	113	4.3	330	4.4	19	580	586	2525	4.3			
	Tees			4.1	1	3.6	1	5.4	2	6.8	4	5.1	15	5.3	8	4.5	23	5.3	32			86	86	439	5.1			
	Esk (Yorks.)						3.7	1	0.0	0	4.1	4	0.0	0	3.7	14	4.0	24				43	43	169	3.9			
Thames	Thames																				0	0	0					
Southern	Test				4.5	1	4.4	8	5.7	10	4.4	9	4.0	4	3.8	15	5.4	1	4.3	14	62	62	276	4.5				
	Itchen						7.0	2	2.6	3	3.5	17	3.4	14	3.9	24	3.4	1			61	61	226	3.7				
South West	Avon (Hants.)			6.4	3	5.9	16	5.8	43	6.0	20	5.2	12	4.7	13	4.2	2				109	109	614	5.6				
	Piddle									2.2	2	3.0	2	4.3	1						5	5	15	2.9				
	Frome			3.2	4			6.4	4	6.2	9	3.6	21	3.4	9	3.4	1	4.0	9		57	57	240	4.2				
	Axe					3.9	2	2.9	3	2.9	4										11	11	40	3.7				
	Exe	6.6	1			4.5	3	4.5	3	4.9	9	4.0	24	3.2	41	2.8	25	3.1	36	2.6	3	145	146	495	3.4			
	Teign			3.4	2	5.0	2	4.8	3	4.0	3	2.7	4	3.1	4	3.0	29				47	47	153	3.3				
	Dart							4.3	2	4.0	4	4.4	12	2.7	7	3.5	12				37	37	138	3.7				
	Avon (Devon)			6.7	3	5.4	1	6.7	8	7.3	2	4.1	1	2.8	5	2.8	1	2.8	5	3.3	9	35	35	158	4.5			
	Erme														3.7	1					3	3	10	3.4				
	Yealm																				1	1	2	2.0				
	Plym					1.4	1														3.1	2	3.8	4	7	7	23	3.2
	Tavy			2.1	3							3.6	2	3.1	2	3.5	5	2.5	2			14	14	42	3.0			
	Tamar					4.5	1	3.8	11	3.2	11	3.6	18	2.9	21	3.4	24	3.3	18		4.4	6	110	114	389	3.4		
	Lynher			3.6	2			4.2	2	3.0	2	3.6	3	3.3	11	3.2	4	2.8	4			28	28	93	3.3			
Fowey					4.1	6	5.4	3	4.5	1	3.5	7	2.7	6	3.1	7	4.0	14	3.1	36	3.5	28	3.6	1	109	113	389	3.4
Camel							4.6	2	5.9	1	3.2	13	3.3	10	3.2	44	3.5	62	3.5	97	4.1	78	307	307	1110	3.6		
Torridge			4.4	6	4.2	2	4.1	4	5.8	4	2.8	3									19	19	83	4.3				
Taw			5.0	10	4.9	5	4.0	25	4.5	19	2.8	21	3.4	11	3.7	18	1.8	1		3.9	2	112	112	465	4.1			
Lyn			2.8	1	4.7	2	3.2	3	3.9	15	3.4	31	2.4	8	3.1	16	2.8	2		3.7	2	80	97	326	3.4			
Midlands Environment	Severn		7.2	8	5.7	9	5.1	13	5.9	47	5.0	73	4.3	65	5.2	63	4.2	36	4.3	11	4.9	8	333	333	1674	5.0		
	Wye			6.3	6	6.1	18	5.4	85	5.5	94	5.1	33	4.5	14	4.4	18	4.9	48		1	317	331	1731	5.2			
Agency Wales	Usk			5.3	7	4.5	6	5.7	62	5.2	81	5.1	61	4.7	19	3.8	14	3.9	55			305	305	1504	4.9			
	Taff																				0	0	0					
	Ogmore					3.2	2	3.9	1	2.9	6	3.3	5	2.3	6	4.0	6				26	27	84	3.1				
	Afan									3.4	1			1.8	2	2.4	2				5	5	12	2.3				

	Neath																	35	35	138	3.9		
	Tawe																	3.9	2	61	61	253	4.1
	Loughor																			8	8	29	3.6
	Tywi																	4.8	4	432	432	1752	4.1
	Taf																			32	32	115	3.6
	E+W.Cledgau																			36	36	110	3.0
	Nevern																			34	34	114	3.4
	Teifi																			331	333	1409	4.2
	Aeron																			0	0	0	
	Ystwyth																			1	1	3	2.8
	Rheidol																			12	12	50	4.1
	Dyfi																			46	46	167	3.6
	Dysynni																			1	1	4	3.7
	Mawddach																			101	101	392	3.9
	Arto																			0	0	0	
	Dwryyd																			16	16	48	3.0
	Glaslyn																			4	4	14	3.5
	Dwyfawr																			7	7	18	2.5
	Llyfni																			14	14	44	3.1
	Gwyrfa																			0	0	0	
	Seiont																			12	12	44	3.7
	Ogwen																			43	43	123	2.9
	Conwy																			147	147	498	3.4
	Clwyd																			34	35	119	3.4
	Dee																			417	421	1725	4.1
	Ribble																			550	556	2452	4.4
	Wyre																			3	3	9	2.9
	Lune																			813	823	3414	4.1
	Kent																			233	233	783	3.4
	Leven																			12	12	37	3.1
	Duddon																			8	8	28	3.5
	Esk (Cumbrian)																			20	20	70	3.5
	Irt																			42	42	137	3.3
	Calder																			22	22	66	3.0
	Ehen																			108	115	373	3.2
	Derwent																			464	466	1909	4.1
	Ellen																			3	3	5	1.6
	Eden																			808	808	3255	4.0
	Esk (Border)																			426	431	1701	3.9

Notes:

All data taken from rod licence returns

Total Weights calculated to nearest whole kg

Catches from tributaries and from minor rivers with a shared estuary are included under the appropriate main river.

Table 15 REPORTED NET EFFORT DATA FOR SALMON AND MIGRATORY TROUT - 2003

Environment Agency Region	River/ Fishery	Fishing Method	No. Lic.	Days available	Allowable effort (b)	Utilised effort		% utilised	Average day (NE)/tide (other)	Catch Salmon	Salmon catch per lic.day (NE)/ tide (other)	Catch Mig. trout	Mig. trout catch per lic. day (NE)/ tide (other)
				(a)	net days (NE)/tides (other)	net days (NE)	net tides (other)		per licence				
North East	Coastal (N)	Drift	14 (c)	65	910	688		76	49	5,134	7.46	2433	3.54
Northumbria		T nets	26 (c)	114	2964	651		22	25	4480	6.88	10396	15.97
	Coastal (S)	Drift nets	0	65	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-
		T nets	1	114	114	32		28	32	47	1.47	123	3.84
North East	Coastal	Drift nets	2	65	130	85		65	43	377	4.44	278	3.27
Yorkshire		T or J nets	19	114	2166	763		35	40	397	0.52	8541	11.19
Anglian	Coastal	Drift nets	33	138	6376		647	10	20	11	0.02	2041	3.15
		Other nets (var.)	12	138	2318		124	5	10	7	0.06	458	3.69
South West	Avon + Stour	Seine nets	5	58	406		131	32	26	66	0.50	449	3.43
	Poole Harbour	Seine net	1	58	81		48	59	48	18	0.38	17	0.35
	Exe	Seine nets	9	70	882		256	29	28	277	1.08	8	0.03
	Teign	Seine nets	6	146	1226		291	24	49	265	0.91	321	1.10
	Dart	Seine nets	12	131	2201		594	27	50	197	0.33	564	0.95
	Camel	Drift nets	7	79	774		62	8	9	83	1.34	21	0.34
	Tavy	Seine nets	4	79	442		59	13	15	13	0.22	32	0.54
	Tamar	Seine nets	14	79	1548		499	32	36	219	0.44	44	0.09
	Tavy/Tamar	Seine net	1 (d)	-	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Lynher	Seine nets	5	79	553		62	11	12	29	0.47	1	0.02
	Fowey	Seine nets	2	157	440		42	10	21	1	0.02	1	0.02
	Taw/Torridge	Seine nets	3	78	328		104	32	35	276	2.65	340	3.27
Midlands	Severn	Seine nets	3	79	332		17	5	6	38	2.24	0	0.00
		Lave nets	29 (e)	79	3207		665	21	23	295	0.44	0	0.00
		Fixed Engines	7 (f)	76	1064		868	82	124	1207	1.39	0	0.00
Environment Agency Wales	Wye	Lave nets	7	79	774		185	24	26	6	0.03	0	0.00
	Tywi	Seine nets	8	131	1467		564	38	71	32	0.06	504	0.89
		Coracle nets	6	131	1100		301	27	50	41	0.14	766	2.54
	Taf	Wade net	1	52	73		17	23	17	0	0.00	2	0.12
		Coracle net	1	131	183		10	5	10	0	0.00	12	1.20
	E+W.Cleddau	Compass nets	7	79	774		119	15	17	27	0.23	11	0.09
	Teifi	Seine nets	2	132	370		0	0	0	4		15	
		Coracle nets	10	132	1848		345	19	35	88	0.26	500	1.45
	Dyfi	Seine nets	3	132	554		126	23	42	1	0.01	51	0.40
	Dyswynni	Seine net	1	79	111		nr	-	-	15	-	45	-
	Mawddach	Seine nets	1	79	111		61	55	61	0	0.00	0	0.00
	Glaslyn	Seine nets	0	79	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Conwy	Basket trap	0	92	-		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
		Seine nets	2	79	221		104	47	52	37	0.36	8	0.08
	Dee	Trammel nets	4	52	291		161	55	40	365	2.27	15	0.09
		Draft nets	12	52	874		486	56	41	359	0.74	35	0.07
North West (e)	Ribble	Drift nets	6	79	664		163	25	27	155	0.95	0	0.00
	Lune	Haaf nets	12	79	1327		474	36	40	369	0.78	0	0.00
		Drift nets	7	79	774		312	40	45	400	1.28	0	0.00
		Seine net	1	79	111		50	45	50	41	0.82	0	0.00
	Kent	Lave nets	8	79	885		134	15	17	40	0.30	0	0.00
	Leven	Lave nets	4	79	442		111	25	28	3	0.03	0	0.00
	S&W Cumbria	Drift nets	1	79	111		31	28	31	98	3.16	0	0.00
	Eden + Esk	Haaf nets	100	79	11060		4173	38	42	1676	0.40	0	0.00
	Eden	Coop nets	2	87	244		10	4	5	19	1.90	0	0.00

Key: (a) Days available is the total of the open season minus weekly closure periods. Part days included as full days - voluntary closure or buy-outs not taken into account
 (b) Allowable effort is number of licences X available days for NE fisheries. Allowable effort for other fisheries is number of licences X available days X 1.4 tides.
 (c) Separate licences for drift and T nets were issued for the first time in the northern area in 1993.
 (d) Catches included under Tavy and Tamar as appropriate.
 (e) Figures for half- and full-season lave nets combined.
 (f) Assume all effort utilised
 nr = not recorded

Table 16 REPORTED ROD EFFORT DATA FOR SALMON AND MIGRATORY T

Environment Agency Region	River	Number of returns with effort data	Number of days fished	Number of days fished per return	(a) Number of salmon and grilse recorded	Catch per licence day	(a) Number of migratory trout recorded	Catch per licence day	Days to catch a salmonid
North East	Aln	42	476	11.33	55	0.116	169	0.355	2.13
	Coquet	334	4255	12.74	566	0.133	125	0.029	6.16
	Tyne	1708	15379	9.00	2163	0.141	1396	0.000	4.32
	Wear	472	7582	16.06	586	0.077	1171	0.154	4.32
	Tees	213	2141	10.05	86	0.040	44	0.021	16.47
	Esk (Yorks.)	192	1090	5.68	43	0.039	386	0.354	2.54
	Ouse (Yorks.)	7	12	1.71	4	0.333	1	0.083	2.40
Thames	Thames	7	126	18.00	0	0.000	1	0.008	126.00
Southern	Test	143	627	4.38	62	0.099	320	0.510	1.64
	Itchen	147	595	4.05	61	0.103	655	1.101	0.83
	Beaulieu	25	125	5.00	0	0.000	49	0.392	2.55
	Sussex Ouse	48	649	13.52	0	0.000	85	0.131	7.64
	Adur	13	161	12.38	0	0.000	53	0.329	3.04
	Lymington	16	134	8.38	0	0.000	31	0.231	4.32
	Great Stour	13	42	3.23	0	0.000	12	0.286	3.50
South West	Avon (Hants.)	213	1495	7.02	109	0.073	1363	0.912	1.02
	Stour (Hants.)	10	95	9.50	0	0.000	77	0.811	1.23
	Piddle	16	111	6.94	5	0.045	46	0.414	2.18
	Frome	94	767	8.16	57	0.074	206	0.269	2.92
	Axe	95	1012	10.65	11	0.011	243	0.240	3.98
	Otter	39	300	7.69	0	0.000	111	0.370	2.70
	Exe	191	1703	8.92	146	0.086	55	0.032	8.47
	Teign	164	1732	10.56	47	0.027	508	0.293	3.12
	Dart	163	1438	8.82	37	0.026	597	0.415	2.27
	Avon (Devon)	76	702	9.24	35	0.050	460	0.655	1.42
	Erme	13	99	7.62	3	0.030	48	0.485	1.94
	Yealm	16	142	8.88	1	0.007	150	1.056	0.94
	Plym	39	455	11.67	7	0.015	54	0.119	7.46
	Tavy	56	524	9.36	14	0.027	268	0.511	1.86
	Tamar	320	1835	5.73	114	0.062	483	0.263	3.07
	Lynher	74	641	8.66	28	0.044	262	0.409	2.21
	Looe	9	195	21.67	0	0.000	144	0.738	1.35
	Fowey	292	2703	9.26	113	0.042	833	0.308	2.86
	Camel	273	3117	11.42	307	0.098	1023	0.328	2.34
	Taw	352	2492	7.08	112	0.045	550	0.221	3.76
Torridge	196	1115	5.69	19	0.017	312	0.280	3.37	
Lyn	113	408	3.61	97	0.238	55	0.135	2.68	
Midlands	Severn	352	5279	15.00	333	0.063	11	0.002	15.35
Environment Agency Wales	Wye	614	4334	7.06	331	0.076	24	0.006	12.21
	Usk	389	3773	9.70	305	0.081	314	0.083	6.10
	Taff	26	430	16.54	0	0.000	57	0.133	7.54
	Rhymney	5	50	10.00	0	0.000	28	0.560	1.79
	Ogmore	203	2566	12.64	27	0.011	496	0.193	4.91
	Afan	37	480	12.97	5	0.010	148	0.308	3.14
	Neath	132	1713	12.98	35	0.020	308	0.180	4.99
	Tawe	96	1303	13.57	61	0.047	226	0.173	4.54
	Loughor	91	1608	17.67	8	0.005	480	0.299	3.30
	Gwendraeth	10	133	13.30	0	0.000	14	0.105	9.50
	Tywi	1120	14222	12.70	432	0.030	3536	0.249	3.58
	Taf	119	1637	13.76	32	0.020	348	0.213	4.31
	E&W Cleddau	146	2381	16.31	36	0.015	601	0.252	3.74
	Nevern	113	1481	13.11	34	0.023	942	0.636	1.52
	Teifi	927	9978	10.76	333	0.033	3196	0.320	2.83
	Aeron	50	647	12.94	0	0.000	413	0.638	1.57
	Ystwyth	39	244	6.26	1	0.004	83	0.340	2.90
	Rheidol	78	1433	18.37	12	0.008	848	0.592	1.67
	Dvfi	258	2282	8.84	46	0.020	1353	0.593	1.63
	Dvysynni	105	1285	12.24	1	0.001	596	0.464	2.15
	Mawddach	402	3728	9.27	101	0.027	1059	0.284	3.21
	Artro	20	151	7.55	0	0.000	44	0.291	3.43
	Dwvryd	28	308	11.00	0	0.000	140	0.455	2.20
	Glaslyn	79	944	11.95	4	0.004	430	0.456	2.18
	Dwvrfawr	117	1581	13.51	7	0.004	1166	0.738	1.35
	Llvfni	41	539	13.15	14	0.026	375	0.696	1.39
	Gwvrfai	0	0		0		0		
Seiont	65	683	10.51	12	0.018	73	0.107	8.04	
Ogwen	47	575	12.23	43	0.075	144	0.250	3.07	
Conwy	190	2104	11.07	147	0.070	529	0.251	3.11	
Clwyd	263	2877	10.94	35	0.012	805	0.280	3.43	
Dee	757	7050	9.31	421	0.060	185	0.026	11.63	
North West	Ribble	919	7776	8.46	556	0.072	1196	0.154	4.44
	Wyre	26	149	5.73	3	0.020	26	0.174	5.14
	Lune	1045	9439	9.03	823	0.087	1992	0.211	3.35
	Kent	311	2297	7.39	233	0.101	368	0.160	3.82
	Leven	39	297	7.62	12	0.040	64	0.215	3.91
	Duddon	41	246	6.00	8	0.033	54	0.220	3.97
	Esk (Cumbrian)	48	282	5.88	20	0.071	68	0.241	3.20
	Irt	83	706	8.51	42	0.059	87	0.123	5.47
	Calder	23	168	7.30	22	0.131	6	0.036	6.00
	Ehen	148	2060	13.92	115	0.056	1086	0.527	1.72
	Derwent	386	2844	7.37	466	0.164	225	0.079	4.12
	Ellen	10	133	13.30	3	0.023	41	0.308	3.02
	Eden	721	8043	11.16	808	0.100	834	0.104	4.90
	Esk (Border)	405	2907	7.18	431	0.148	1117	0.384	1.88

Notes: Effort data is reported for both salmon and sea trout and can not be separated. (a)The table includes only returns upon which the number of days fished were reported. Some returns contained data for two or more rivers.

Table 17 ESTIMATED PROPORTIONS OF GRILSE AND MULTI-SEA-WINTER (MSW) SALMON IN DECLARED ROD CATCH - 2003

Environment Agency Region	River	No. grilse	%	No. MSW	%
North East	Coquet	336	61	215	39
	Tyne	1196	56	936	44
	Wear	431	77	130	23
	Whole Region	1963	194	1281	106
Southern	Test	22	46	26	54
	Itchen	51	83	10	17
	Whole Region	73	129	36	71
South West	Frome	33	57	24	43
	Exe	104	73	40	27
	Teign	37	79	10	21
	Dart	25	70	11	30
	Tavy	9	65	5	35
	Tamar	75	72	29	28
	Fowey	90	84	17	16
	Camel	284	93	22	7
	Taw	40	36	70	64
	Torridge	4	21	15	79
	Lyn	54	72	21	28
	Whole Region	755	722	264	378
	Midlands	Severn	103	32	222
Environment Agency Wales	Wye	77	25	239	75
	Usk	94	31	210	69
	Ogmore	21	86	4	14
	Tawe	38	64	21	36
	Tywi	288	68	139	32
	Taf	20	65	11	35
	E&W Cleddau	30	85	6	15
	Teifi	209	63	121	37
	Dyfi	41	89	5	11
	Mawddach	73	72	28	28
	Ogwen	41	96	2	2
	Conwy	127	88	17	12
	Dee	291	70	125	30
	Whole Region	1350	902	928	396
	North West	Ribble	404	76	129
Lune		640	79	167	21
Kent		214	93	16	17
Leven		11	91	1	9
Irt		40	95	2	3
Ehen		85	87	12	13
Derwent		378	82	84	18
Eden		595	75	203	25
Esk (Border)		336	82	71	18
Whole Region	2703	760	685	148	
England & Wales		6947	67	3416	33

Notes: The grilse/MSW split is attributed only to fish with a declared capture date and weight
The splitting model uses monthly age-weight data collected from the fish trap on the River Dee, Wales
Whole Region totals includes minor river data not otherwise included in the table

Table 18 Nominal catches of salmon in high-seas interception fisheries (tonnes round fresh weight), 1984-2003

Year	Northern Norwegian Sea long-line fishery (north of Lat 67 deg N) Catch (a)	Faroese Area long-line fishery		West Greenland drift net fishery	
		Catch (b)	Quota	Catch	Quota
1984	29	628	625 (c)	297	870
1985	0	566	550 (c)	864 (e)	852 (i)
1986	0	530	550 (c)	960 (e)	850
1987	0	576	1790 (f)	966	850
1988	0	243		893	2520
1989	0	364		337	
1990	0	315		274	
1991	0	95 (g)	1100 (f)	472	840 (i)
1992	0	23 (h)	550 (c)	237	-
1993	0	23 (h)	550 (c)	-	213 (j)
1994	0	6 (h)	550 (c)	-	159 (j)
1995	0	5 (h)	550 (c)	83	77
1996	0	- (h)	470 (c)	92	174 (i)
1997	0	- (h)	425 (c)	58	57
1998	0	6 (h)	380 (c)	11	20 (k)
1999	0	0 (h)	330 (c)	19	20 (k)
2000	0	8 (h)	300 (c)	21	20 (k)
2001	0	0	0 (d)	43	28-200 (l)
2002	0	0	0 (d)	9	20-55 (l)
2003 *	0	0	0 (d)	9	20 (k)

Key:

- (a) Catches in the N.Norwegian Sea fishery were made predominantly by Danish vessels, however Faroese vessels contributed substantially (259 tonnes) to the catch in 1982, and Finnish and Faroese vessels made smaller contributions in other years.
- (b) Catches in the Faroes fishery are currently made by Faroese vessels, however a relatively small contribution was also made by Danish vessels in the period 1983-84.
- (c) Quotas apply to fishing season (autumn-spring) beginning in the year stated. Catch is for calendar year.
- (d) No quota set.
- (e) An additional 6-19 tonnes were also caught on the E.Greenland coast.
- (f) Quotas apply to calendar years.
- (g) Fishermen compensated not to fish after March 1991.
- (h) Research fishery.
- (i) TAC set by Greenland authorities.
- (j) Fishermen compensated not to fish in 1993 & 1994. An artisanal fishery operated with a small allowance of 12 tonnes/yr.
- (k) Fishery restricted to catches used for internal consumption in Greenland.
- (l) Allowable catch determined on basis of CPUE data obtained during the fishery

* Provisional data

Note: All data converted from gutted weights using appropriate factors.

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Table 19 Nominal catches of salmon and grilse in home-water fisheries (tonnes round fresh weight), 1986-2003

Year	England and		Northern							Sweden (West coast)		USA	Total	
	Canada (a)	Wales	Finland	France	Iceland	Ireland (b,c)	Ireland (b,d)	Norway	Russia	Scotland	Spain			
1986	1559	430	37	28	232	1730	109	1598	608	1271	27	54	1.9	7685
1987	1784	302	49	27	181	1239	56	1385	564	922	18	47	1.2	6575
1988	1310	395	36	32	217	1874	114	1076	420	882	18	40	0.9	6415
1989	1139	296	52	14	141	1079	142	905	364	895	7	29	1.7	5065
1990	911	338	60	15	146	567	94	930	313	624	7	33	2.4	4040
1991	711	200	70	13	130	404	55	876	215	462	11	38	0.8	3186
1992	522	171	77	20	175	630	91	867	167	600	11	49	0.7	3381
1993	373	248	70	16	160	541	83	923	139	547	8	56	0.6	3165
1994	355	324	49	18	141	804	91	996	141	649	10	44	0	3622
1995	260	295	48	9	150	790	83	839	128	588	9	37	0	3236
1996	292	183	44	14	122	685	77	787	131	427	7	33	0	2802
1997	229	142	45	8	106	570	93	630	111	296	3	19	0	2252
1998	157	123	48	9	130	624	78	740	131	283	4	15	0	2342
1999	152	150	62	11	120	515	53	811	103	199	6	16	0	2198
2000	153	219	95	11	83	621	78	1176	124	274	7	33	0	2874
2001	148	184	126	11	88	730	53	1267	114	251	13	33	0	3018
2002	148	161	93	12	97	682	64	1019	118	191	9	28	0	2622
2003 *	137	88	76	14	108	575	48	1071	107	201	6	18	0	2449

Key:
(a) Includes estimates of some local sales.
(b) Catch on River Foyle allocated 50% Ireland and 50% N.Ireland.
(c) From 1994, includes increased reporting of rod catches.
(d) Not including angling catch (mainly grilse).
(e) Weights prior to 1990 are estimated from 1994 mean weight . Weights from 1990 based on mean wt. from R. Asturias.
* Provisional data.

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ERRATUM: SOME CATCH DATA HAVE RECENTLY BEEN AMENDED. DATA INCLUDED IN PREVIOUS REPORTS WERE INCORRECT.

Table 20 Environment Agency fish counter and trap data 1988-2003, Salmon

Region	Thames	Southern		South West		EA Wales				North West		
River	Thames (T)	Test (RC)	Itchen (RC)	Tamar (RC)	Fowey (RC)	Dee (RSE)		Total	*Wye (HC)	Lune (RC)	Kent (RC)	Caldew (T)
	Salmon	Salmon	Salmon	Salmon (a)	Salmon (b)	Grilse	MSW + PS		Salmon	Salmon	Salmon	Salmon
1988	288	1507	1336	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1989	91	1730	791	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1990	63	790	367	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1991	36	538	152	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1992	247	614	357	-	-	3114	1529	4643	-	3916	-	541
1993	259	1155	852	-	-	7836	1921	9757	-	7586	-	796
1994	143	775	378	6359	-	4091	1194	5285	-	5970	2072	1595
1995	162	647	880	5637	890	4287	1416	5703	-	4437	2762	1556
1996	122	623	433	3988	1187	3645	1286	4931	-	4605	3246	1289
1997	25	361	246	2989	1075	4492	1004	5496	7713	3121	1473	889
1998	6	898	453	4176	882	4986	1675	6661	8357	3836	2166	1106
1999	35	867	213	3588	1262	1886	1778	3664	1797	4846	1023	2091
2000	53	583	208	3539	1692	2842	909	3751	8559	8262	2354	1365
2001	9	410	217	4184	1611	3409	1357	4766	2981	6195	2882	NA **
2002	22	1047	239	6053	1804	5866	1350	7216	4012	7612	3149	1302
2003	18	367	169	4729	1777	3204	1357	4915	6607	6895	2819	805
1998-02 mean	25	761	266	4308	1450	3798	1414	5212	5141	6150	2315	NA

(a) Counts corrected for 75% fish pass efficiency

(b) Combined salmon and large sea trout

*Wye hydroacoustic data for 1999 not yet validated (due to Shad migration). Corrected counts will be published at a later date.

** Foot and Mouth access restrictions - trap not fished

Table 21 Environment Agency fish counter and trap data 1988-2003, Migratory trout

Region	Thames	South West		EA Wales			North West		
River	Thames (T)	Tamar (RC)	Fowey (RC)	Dee (RSE)		Total	Lune (RC)	Kent (RC)	Caldew (T)
	Sea trout	Sea trout (a)	Sea trout	0SW	>0SW		Sea trout	Sea trout	Sea trout
1988	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1989	2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1990	0	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
1991	0	-	-	5202	2776	7978	-	-	-
1992	3	-	-	2537	1767	4304	11177	-	8
1993	5	-	-	9693	1708	11401	11970	-	118
1994	10	15336	-	3897	1838	5735	17032	-	127
1995	14	10869	5506	6673	2653	9326	7717	3491	122
1996	5	9936	5511	4645	1450	6095	10249	2602	260
1997	8	8843	3677	5509	1731	7240	17773	2594	109
1998	5	11167	3590	7877	2560	10437	4931	6022	118
1999	15	17527	6590	6763	1424	8187	11858	3543	255
2000	17	8556	6002	7502	2092	9594	11129	4889	114
2001	9	10004	8051	14680	2182	16862	12191	4817	NA**
2002	10	13001	8556	11504	2641	14145	11186	4165	81
2003	17	13217	9051	NA	NA	NA	11851	3836	96
1998-02 mean	11	12051	6558	9665	2180	11845	10259	4687	NA

(a) Counts corrected for 75% fish pass efficiency

Key

T - Trap, RC - Resistivity counter, HC - Hydroacoustic counter, RSE - Returning stock estimate, MSW - Multi-sea-winter, PS - Previous spawner, NA - not available

Table 22 Salmon stocking - numbers of eggs, fry, parr and smolts released - 2003

Environment Agency Region	River	Tributary	Ova	Unfed Fry	Fed Fry	0+ Parr	1+ Parr	1+ Smolts	2+ Smolts
North East	Tyne	Devil's Water	-	-	-	-	5,000	-	-
	South Tyne	Main River (plus var. tribs.)	-	-	50,000	-	24,000	-	-
	North Tyne	Main River (tribs + Kielder Burn)	-	-	92,500	-	50,000	-	-
	Rede	Main River (plus var. tribs.)	-	-	47,500	-	21,000	-	-
	Total				190,000		100,000		
Thames	Thames	Main River	-	-	-	-	-	-	8,263
		Lambourn	-	-	82,108	-	-	-	-
		Kennet	-	-	35,000	-	-	34,000	54,120
	Total				117,108			34,000	62,383
Southern	Test (Egg box)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Itchen (Egg box)		-	30,894	-	-	-	-	-
	Total			30,894					
South West	Lynher (Egg box, Newton Ferrers)		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Axe		-	-	-	-	8,000	-	-
	Camel		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Fowey		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total						8,000		
Midlands	Severn	Teme	-	-	71,000	50,000	-	-	-
		Tanat	-	-	78,000	40,000	-	-	-
		Vyrnwy	-	-	-	20,000	-	-	-
	Trent	Dove	-	-	-	100,000	120,000	-	-
	Total				149,000	210,000	120,000		
Environment Agency Wales	Taff		-	-	12,600	31,500	35,000	22,000	4,400
	Ely		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sirhowy		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Rhymney		-	-	29,400	-	-	-	-
	Ebbw		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Conwy	Lledr	-	-	-	10,000	-	18,200	-
	Mawddach	(Eden and Wnion)	-	-	9,000	9,000	3,800	3,100	-
	Dee	various	363,440	60,000	111,000	-	39,000	-	-
	Clwyd		8,020	-	17,000	-	-	-	-
	Total		371,460	60,000	179,000	50,500	77,800	43,300	4,400
North West	Ribble		-	-	-	-	5,000	-	-
	Eden	Lowther	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Hodder		-	-	-	-	27,700	-	-
	Lune	Main River (plus var. tribs.)	-	-	35,000	65,000	23,000	-	-
	Calder		-	-	-	-	14,000	-	-
	Derwent		-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total				35,000	65,000	69,700		
England and Wales			371,460	90,894	670,108	325,500	375,500	77,300	66,783

Notes: 1+ Parr are those stocked out on or after 1st January in the year after they hatched.
 1+ Smolts are those stocked out on or after 1st January in the 1st year after they hatched.
 2+ Smolts are those stocked out on or after 1st January in the 2nd year after they hatched.

Table 23 NATIONAL MIGRATORY ROD & NET FISHING LICENCES - numbers and ratios 1995 - 2003

(Totals for England & Wales can be found in Table 2)

	North East				Anglian				Thames				Southern			
	Rod			Net	Rod			Net	Rod			Net	Rod			Net
	Annual	1&8 day	Ratio		Annual	1&8 day	Ratio		Annual	1&8 day	Ratio		Annual	1&8 day	Ratio	
1995	3710	1195	3.10:1	122	284	306	0.93:1	65	1036	812	1.28:1	0	665	316	2.10:1	10
1996	3454	1470	2.35:1	109	275	300	0.92:1	59	985	955	1.03:1	0	531	385	1.38:1	4
1997	3233	1478	2.19:1	96	265	304	0.87:1	56	890	889	1.00:1	0	531	332	1.60:1	7
1998	3406	1845	1.85:1	89	268	289	0.93:1	54	852	919	0.93:1	0	544	369	1.47:1	8
1999	3042	1650	1.84:1	85	242	282	0.86:1	50	788	826	0.95:1	0	465	337	1.38:1	1
2000	3103	1794	1.73:1	84	231	235	0.98:1	46	718	781	0.91:1	0	438	317	1.38:1	1
2001	2590	1422	1.82:1	84	199	237	0.84:1	46	621	636	0.97:1	0	425	341	1.24:1	1
2002	3298	1659	1.99:1	86	260	311	0.84:1	46	722	904	0.80:1	0	455	449	1.01:1	1
2003	3408	1243	2.74:1	62	345	543	0.64:1	45	1078	1405	0.77:1	0	646	503	1.28:1	1

	South West				Midlands				E A Wales				North West			
	Rod			Net	Rod			Net	Rod			Net	Rod			Net
	Annual	1&8 day	Ratio		Annual	1&8 day	Ratio		Annual	1&8 day	Ratio		Annual	1&8 day	Ratio	
1995	3205	2333	1.37:1	92	2175	735	2.96:1	63	7419	2036	3.64:1	114	6455	2259	2.86:1	226
1996	3161	2898	1.09:1	78	2071	1038	2.00:1	43	6338	2566	2.47:1	105	5958	2896	2.06:1	218
1997	2787	2804	0.99:1	85	1784	904	1.97:1	42	6276	2624	2.39:1	90	5380	2301	2.34:1	216
1998	2757	2526	1.09:1	88	1782	786	2.27:1	32	6113	2306	2.65:1	85	5439	2324	2.34:1	191
1999	2363	2221	1.06:1	81	1414	695	2.03:1	35	5398	2487	2.17:1	77	4711	2211	2.13:1	169
2000	2455	2206	1.11:1	75	1363	731	1.86:1	31	5879	2387	2.46:1	65	4641	2414	1.92:1	147
2001	1974	1778	1.11:1	80	1079	753	1.43:1	29	4567	2045	2.23:1	62	2888	1984	1.46:1	142
2002	2354	1837	1.28:1	70	1379	853	1.62:1	24	5941	1880	3.16:1	67	4551	2010	2.26:1	138
2003	2417	1073	2.25:1	69	1,591	1015	1.57:1	39	5919	801	7.39:1	65	4668	1248	3.74:1	141