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Abstract

This paper presents the draft overview of SIOFA fisheries that summarize recent years fishing activities, main species catch and several other aspects of scientific interest. An update on the SIOFA fisheries was presented at SERAWG4 and it has been updated and is contained in this paper.

The information has been compiled from the National Reports (as of 07 March 2022) and with data extracted from the Secretariat databases. The SIOFA databases contains data submitted by the Contracting parties, Non-Contracting participating party, and Participating fishing entities (CCPs). Fisheries data of 2021 (catch, effort and observers) is not available before end of May 2022.

Recommendations

Participants to point out lacks or discrepancies and to report them to SIOFA Secretariat.

SC7 to consider the draft overview of SIOFA fisheries to be annexed in the report of 7th Scientific Committee.
