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TO ALL MEMBERS OF THE COMMISSION AND THE SCIENTIFIC COMMITTEE

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In accordance with Conservation Measure 24-01, Members are advised that Korea has submitted a notification for research fishing in Subarea 88.3 in order to investigate the stock status and biological characteristics of *Dissostichus* spp. (attached). The research fishing is expected to take up to 95 tonnes of *Dissostichus* spp. in Subarea 88.3 in March–May 2011.

The notification falls under paragraph 3 of Conservation Measure 24-01 and the research plan will be submitted to WG-FSA for consideration at its meeting in 2010.

Andrew Wright Executive Secretary

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Research plan for toothfish in Statistical Subarea 88.3 by Jung Woo No. 2 in 2010/2011

Format 2

FORMAT FOR REPORTING PLANS FOR FINFISH SURVEYS IN ACCORDANCE WITH PARAGRAPH 3 OF CONSERVATION MEASURE 24-01

CCAMLR MEMBER _ Republic of Korea

SURVEY DETAILS

A statement of the planned research objectives

Korean Flagged Vessel 'Jung Woo No. 2' plans 95 hauls and expects to take 95 tonnes.

In order to clarify the stock status and biological characteristics of *Dissostichus spp*. in Statistical Subarea 88.3, Korea submits this research plan for toothfish by Korean flagged vessel "*Jung Woo No.* 2" to be conducted in 14th Mar.-14th May 2011.

Korea has annually participated in exploratory longline fisheries as a CCAMLR member, whereas this survey is the first time of the scientific research planned by Korea. Through participation to the research activities, Korea would like to consider the future scientific information, including collaborative work with other Member States.

The purpose of the planned research objectives in Statistical Subarea 88.3, which has been prohibited since 1 December 2003, is to clarify the current stock status of *Dissostichus spp*. and to obtain various biological information for three consecutive years such as;

- length distribution of toothfish,
- toothfish diet
- statistical analysis of standardised catch per unit effort from the fishery
- all by-catch species
- Vulnerable Marine Ecosystems(VMEs) data

The research plan will be conducted using a commercial fishing vessel, *Jung Woo No. 2* from 14th Mar. to 14th May 2011. A bottom longline system will be employed for all hauls. To apply the mark-and-recapture studies, sufficient tagging rate of 5 fish/ton will be conducted throughout the survey.

In order to take into account the need for completion of the research and impact on the fish stock, Korean flagged vessel "*Jung Woo No.* 2" proposes to take 45 tonnes of total allowable sample size in SSRU A (see Fig. 1 attached), 30 tonnes in SSRU B (see Fig. 2 attached), and 20 tonnes in SSRU C (see Fig. 3 attached) for the 2010/2011 research plan. This notification will be presented to the WG-FSA and the Scientific Committee.

Survey Area/Subarea/Division: Subarea 88.3 SSRU A, B, and C (Fig. 1 – 3)

Geographical Boundaries:

SSRU A (Lat: 60°S - Coast, Long: 95°W - 105°W) SSRU B (Lat: 60°S - Coast, Long: 85°W - 95°W) SSRU C (Lat: 60°S - Coast, Long: 75°W - 85°W) SSRU D (Lat: 60°S - Coast, Long: 70°W - 75°W)

Is a map of area surveyed (preferably including bathymetry and positions of sampling stations/hauls) appended to the format?

Yes, the maps, including bathymetry and position of hauls are appended in Fig. 1-3.

Proposed dates of survey: 14 March – 14 May 2011

Name(s) and address of the chief scientist(s) responsible for planning and coordinating the research: Kyujin Seok, Ph. D.

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Number of scientific observers 2 and crew 37 to be aboard the vessel

Is there opportunity for inviting scientists from other Members? No due to space limitation

If so, indicate a number of such scientists $\underline{0}$

DESCRIPTION OF VESSEL

Name of vessel: Jung Woo No. 2

Name and address of vessel owner Name: Sunwoo Corporation

Address: Sunwoo Corporation, Dayul-Ri 624-5, Gyoha-Eup, Paju City, Gyeonggi-Do, South Korea

Vessel type (dedicated research or chartered commercial vessel):

Voluntary commercial fishing vessel

Port of registration: <u>Busan</u> Registration number: <u>0510001 – 6261109</u>

Radio call sign: <u>DTBQ4</u> Overall length: <u>51.01 (m)</u>

Tonnage: 498 ton

Equipment used for determining position:

Two independent GPS Systems;

GPS J.R.C J - NAV 500 & GPS TAIYO TGN - 200

Fishing capacity (limited to scientific sampling activities only or commercial capacity): <u>10</u> (ton/day)

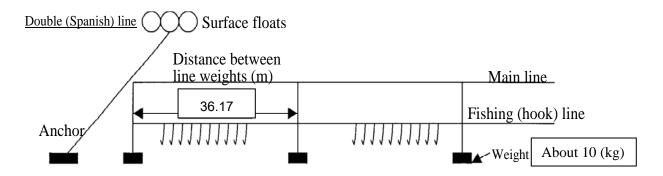
Fish processing capacity (if vessel type is commercial): <u>10 (ton/day)</u>

Fish storage capacity (if vessel type is commercial): 671.14 m³

DESCRIPTION OF FISHING GEAR TO BE USED

Bottom Longline System;

Jung Woo No. 2 (Referred to Scientific Observer Cruise Report in 2009/10 season.);



Additional details of gear;

Hook Type: Circle type hook and Sword Fish Hook (Knife Edged Point) 10/0

Numbers per line of hooks within a line: About 12,000EA

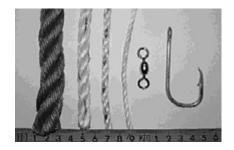
Spacing of hooks within a line: About 156Cm

Weight material and mass: traditional weight (stone), 8.5 ~ 14.7kg

Spacing of Traditional Weight (stone): 37m

Anchor Type: JIS stocked anchor

Sample 1. Samples of longline system from "Jung Woo No. 2": (from left to right) Main line (\$\phi 20\$ mm), Railing (\$\phi 10\$ mm), Fishing line (\$\phi 6\$ mm), Branch line (\$\phi 3.5\$ mm), Steel swivel, Steel hook.



In 2009/10 season, the circle-type hooks were used (30-32 mm x 65 mm x 3 mm, WxHxD, material – steel, made in South Korea). They were linked to the fishing line by steel swivels and branch lines made from polyestil of 3.5 mm diameter and 0.5 m length. Spacing between branches lines on fishing line was 1.7 m.

DESCRIPTION OF ACOUSTIC GEAR TO BE USED

Type: FURUNO FCV – 1200LM Frequency: 28 kHz/50kHz

SURVEY DESIGN AND METHODS OF DATA ANALYSES

Survey design (random, semi-random): <u>Random. Total 95 longline sets are expected to be surveyed for the 2010/2011 research plan in Subarea 88.3 at the following positions;</u>

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(See Fig. 1-3)

Target species: Dissostichus spp. (Dissostichus eleginoides and D. mawsoni)

Stratification (if any) according to: Depth zones (list) N/A: Fish density (list) N/A Other (specify) N/A

<u>Duration of standard sampling stations/hauls (preferably 30 min): Soak time of not less than</u> six hours

Proposed number of hauls: 95 hauls
Proposed sample size (total): undecided
Proposed methods of survey data analyses (i.e. swept area method, acoustic survey)
Swept area method and mark-and-recapture analysis

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Haul-by-haul catch and effort data in accordance with CCAMLR Form C4 for reporting results of fishing for research purposes: <u>Dissostichus spp.</u>

Fine-scale biological data in accordance with CCAMLR Forms B1, B2 and B3: B2 and Longline observer data: Dissostichus spp.

Other data (as applicable)

Tagging of Dissostichus spp.: 5 fish/ton

Migration and population structure of toothfish, if recapture catches occurred

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Vessel type (dedicated research or chartered commercial vessel):

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Port of registration: Busan Registration number: 0811001 – 6261101

Radio call sign: <u>DTBV7</u> Overall length: <u>48 (m)</u>

Tonnage: 494 ton

Equipment used for determining position:

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Fishing capacity (limited to scientific sampling activities only or commercial capacity): <u>10</u> (ton/day)

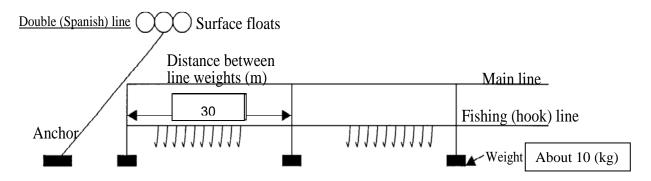
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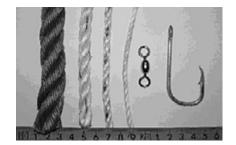
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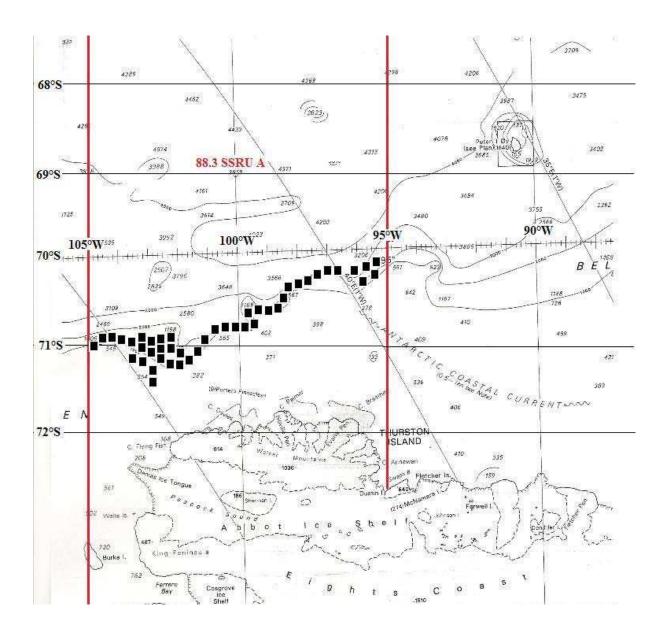


Fig. 1 Allocated locations (45 positions) for bottom longline research in Subarea 88.3 SSRU A.

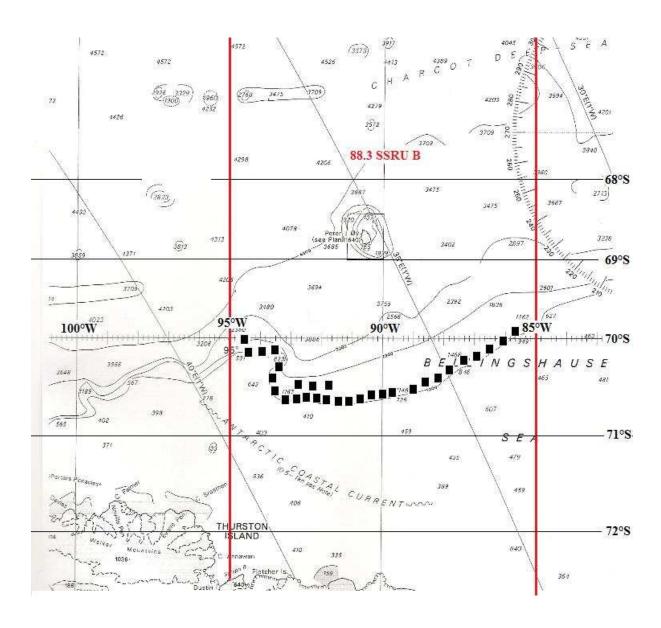


Fig. 2 Allocated locations (30 points) for bottom longline research in Subarea 88.3 SSRU B.

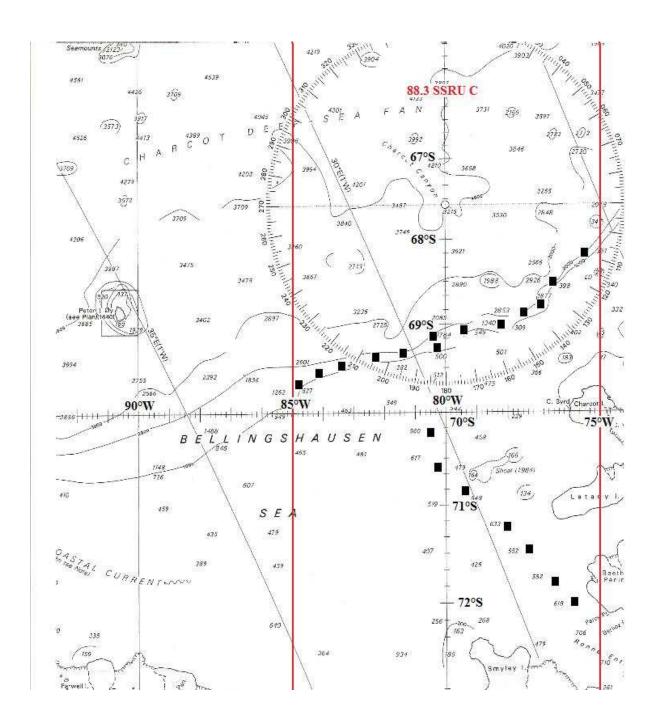


Fig. 3 Allocated locations (20 positions) for bottom longline research in Subarea 88.3 SSRU C.