

JRC Dataset

GMIS - Favourable feeding habitat of adult Atlantic bluefin tuna (ABFT) Monthly 1998-2014 (frequency of occurrence, %)

Description:

The favourable feeding habitat of the Atlantic bluefin tuna is daily identified linking their ecological traits with environmental variables from satellite remote sensing and physical ocean models. The feeding habitat is mostly related to the occurrence of productive oceanic features (such as eddies) that are detected by satellite sensors of ocean colour (chlorophyll-a fronts). The physical variables used are sea surface temperature and sea surface height anomaly. More information: <https://fishreg.jrc.ec.europa.eu/fish-habitat>, Peer-reviewed publication: <http://www.sciencedirect.com/science/article/pii/S0079661116000070>

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Related resources:

Data access

GMIS - Download access (GMIS_BFT500_FH)

Direct NetCDF download

<http://gmis.jrc.ec.europa.eu/gmis/indices/>

Publications

Habitat suitability of the Atlantic bluefin tuna by size class: an ecological niche approach

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Geographic information:

Lineage: General information: Model performance is assessed against the distance of presence data to closest habitat. For juvenile bluefin tuna, 75% of observations are closer than 0.7 km of favourable feeding habitat (n = 952). For adult bluefin tuna, 75% of observations are closer than 6.5 km of favourable feeding habitat (n = 6270).

Geographic bounding box: 70.0° N, 42.0° E, 10.0° S, -30.0° W

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