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REVIEW OF DOLPHIN MORTALITY LIMITS (DMLs) FOR 2020 AND 2021

This report presents details about the utilization of Dolphin Mortality Limits (DMLs) in 2020 and 2021.

The overall limit for the fleet, each year, has been 5,000, and the portion available for distribution 4,900; the difference constitutes the Reserve DML Allocation (RDA), utilized at the Director's discretion for extraordinary cases.

The situation for 2020 was as follows:

Type of DML (vessel limit)	Allocated	Utilized by 1 April	Renounced	Exempted due to force majeure	Forfeited
Full-year (45)	108	85	3	20^{1}	0
Second-semester	1 ²				
RDA	23				

The current situation for 2021 (as of 24 June) is as follows:

Type of DML (vessel limit)	Allocated	Utilized by Apr-1	Renounced	Exempted due to force majeure	Forfeited
Full-year (45)	109	86	4	17^{4}	2
Second-semester	25				
RDA	16				

¹ 17 were not utilized.

² Utilized.

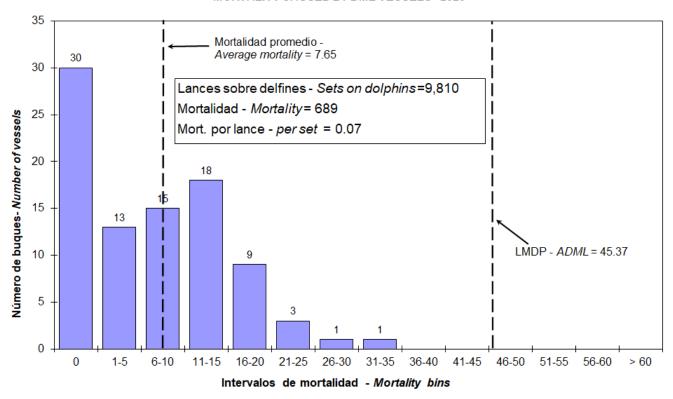
³ DML assigned: 15 dolphins; one utilized and one forfeited.

⁴ 13 have not been utilized as of 24 June.

⁵ DML assigned: 14 dolphins. ⁶ DML assigned: 14 dolphins.

The figures presented below illustrate the utilization of DMLs by category of cumulative mortality per vessel, together with statistics such as number of sets on dolphins, total and average mortality per vessel and per set.

MORTALIDAD CAUSADA POR BUQUES CON LMD - 2020 MORTALITY CAUSED BY DML VESSELS - 2020



MORTALIDAD CAUSADA POR BUQUES CON LMD - 2021 MORTALITY CAUSED BY DML VESSELS - 2021

