



NE Multispecies Information Sheet: Minimum Size Limits

This summary is not a substitute for the regulations; rather it provides an overview of size restrictions and requirements. This information is intended to increase awareness of the fishery, not to serve as a regulatory or enforcement tool. The regulations described here can be found at 50 CFR 648.82, 648.83, 648.85, and 648.86, and 648.88 and will be updated when regulations are revised.

SPECIES	MINIMUM SIZE		ADDITIONAL INFORMATION
	inches	cm	
Atlantic Cod	19	48.3	
Haddock	16	40.1	
<i>Pollock</i>	19	48.3	
Redfish, nk	7	17.8	
<i>White Hake</i>	None	None	
<i>Atlantic Halibut</i>	41	104.1	1 fish per trip
Yellowtail Flounder	12	30.5	
American Plaice Flounder	12	30.5	
Witch Flounder	13	33.0	
<i>Winter Flounder</i>	12	30.5	
<i>Sand Dab Flounder</i>			Zero possession
<i>Ocean Pout</i>			Zero possession
<i>Atlantic Wolffish</i>			Zero possession

New commercial fishery minimum size limits: Effective July 1, 2013