

APPENDIX H | BYCATCH MATRIX SUMMARY

The following is summary of the top quartile of the 2010 bycatch sampling priorities. Grouping of fisheries in the upper 25% of the total matrix score that are clustered by the amount of sea days needed to adequately sample * and matrix priority score.

The most up-to-date matrix can be found here (<http://www.accsp.org/funding.htm>)

* Adequacy in sampling would be 20-30% coverage or 2% of trips are covered by samplers/observers

		ADEQUATE SAMPLING TARGETS	
		1-100 Sea Days Needed	>101 Sea Days Needed
Matrix Priority Score	High (≥ 25)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - South Atlantic Coastal Gillnet - Mid-Atlantic Pound-Net - New England Lobster Pots - Mid-Atlantic Inland Gillnets (bays, sounds and estuaries from New York to North Carolina) - Mid-Atlantic Small Mesh Gillnet - New England Large-Mesh Gillnet 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - South Atlantic Shrimp Trawl - Mid-Atlantic Small-Mesh Otter Trawl - South Atlantic Skimmer Trawls - South Atlantic Snapper-Grouper Handline/ Electric Reel
	Low (<25)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New England Purse Seine - Mid-Atlantic General Cat. Closed Area Scallop Dredge - Mid-Atlantic Fish Pots and Traps - Mid-Atlantic General Cat. Scallop Trawl - Mid-Atlantic Hand Line - South Atlantic, Black Sea Bass Pot 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> - New England Large-Mesh Otter Trawl - Mid-Atlantic Bottom Longline - Mid-Atlantic Extra-Large-Mesh Gillnet