2014 Coverage Rates Industry Funded Scallop

The reports track Industry Funded Scallop Observer coverage assignment, achieved coverage, and the desired target coverage rates for both Limited Access and Limited Access General Category permitted vessels, fishing in open and access areas. Please note the scallop year runs March - February.

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DATE: April 2015

NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from February 1, 2015 to March 1, 2015

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Nantucket Lightship Acces	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	11	2	18.18%	8	1	12.50%	20%
General Category LA	0	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic ar	Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
		Observer	Achieved	Target							
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage				
Limited Access	73	19	26.03%	49	5	10.20%	13%				
General Catergory LA **	124	53	42.74%	496	7	1.41%	8%				

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Are	Closed Area II Access Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	7	2	28.57%	2	0	0.00%	13%

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from January 1, 2015 to January 31, 2015

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Nantucket Lightship Acces	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	11	2	18.18%	11	1	9.09%	20%
General Category LA	0	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic a	Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
		Observer Assigned Trips Ach									
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage				
Limited Access	49	9	18.37%	49	3	6.12%	13%				
General Catergory LA **	121	44	36.36%	197	10	5.08%	8%				

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Are	Closed Area II Access Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	5	3	60.00%	6	3	50.00%	13%

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from

December 1, 2014 to December 31, 2014

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Nantucket Lightship Acces	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	18	4	22.22%	14	2	14.29%	20%
General Category LA	0	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic a	Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target				
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage				
Limited Access	31	6	19.35%	34	6	17.65%	13%				
General Catergory LA **	130	52	40.00%	331	17	5.14%	8%				

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Are	Closed Area II Access Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	25	4	16.00%	29	5	17.24%	13%

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from November 1, 2014 to November 30, 2014

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Nantucket Lightship Acce	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	12	4	33.33%	10	1	10.00%	20%
General Category LA	0	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	NA

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic a	Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)									
		Observer	Achieved	Target						
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage			
Limited Access	32	6	18.75%	53	5	9.43%	13%			
General Catergory LA **	140	56	40.00%	221	11	4.98%	8%			

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Are	Closed Area II Access Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	40	6	15.00%	18	3	16.67%	13%

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from October 1, 2014 to October 31, 2014

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Nantucket Lightship Acces	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	20	4	20.00%	16	1	6.25%	20%
General Category LA	0	NA	NA	0	NA	NA	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
Observer Assigned Trips Achieved										
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage			
Limited Access	71	15	21.13%	78	8	10.26%	13%			
General Catergory LA **	127	50	39.37%	298	18	6.04%	8%			

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from September 1, 2014 to September 30, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

DELMARVA Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	37	6	16.22%	49	7	14.29%	9%
General Category LA	16	3	18.75%	52	2	3.85%	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Nantucket Lightship Acce	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	12	4	33.33%	11	4	36.36%	20%
General Category LA	6	6	100.00%	1	1	100.00%	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target			
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage			
Limited Access	105	14	13.33%	145	15	10.34%	13%			
General Catergory LA **	161	71	44.10%	345	15	4.35%	8%			

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from August 1, 2014 to August 31, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

DELMARVA Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	64	12	18.75%	66	11	16.67%	9%
General Category LA	46	22	47.83%	143	3	2.10%	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Are	а						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	40	7	17.50%	61	8	13.11%	13%

Nantucket Lightship Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	39	7	17.95%	40	6	15.00%	20%
General Category LA	3	3	100.00%	0	0	NA	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
	Observer Assigned Trips Achieved									
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage			
Limited Access	116	16	13.79%	117	8	6.84%	13%			
General Catergory LA **	195	76	38.97%	444	25	5.63%	8%			

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NORTHEAST FISHERIES OBSERVER PROGRAM - INDUSTRY FUNDED SCALLOP National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS), Northeast Fisheries Science Center, Woods Hole, MA NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from July 1, 2014 to July 31, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

DELMARVA Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	125	23	18.40%	114	10	8.77%	9%
General Category LA	40	28	70.00%	142	2	1.41%	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	91	13	14.29%	71	8	11.27%	13%

Nantucket Lightship Acce	ess Area	Nantucket Lightship Access Area					
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	38	8	21.05%	25	3	12.00%	20%
General Category LA	4	1	0.00%	1	0	0.00%	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic a	Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)										
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target				
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage				
Limited Access	136	17	12.50%	130	13	10.00%	13%				
General Catergory LA **	168	77	45.83%	376	28	7.45%	8%				

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from June 1, 2014 to June 30, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

DELMARVA Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	78	9	11.54%	52	1	1.92%	9%
General Category LA	21	14	66.67%	49	1	2.04%	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Are	a						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	68	10	14.71%	29	2	6.90%	13%

Nantucket Lightship Acce	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	25	3	12.00%	18	2	11.11%	20%
General Category LA	2	0	0.00%	1	0	0.00%	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)									
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target		
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage		
Limited Access	205	38	18.54%	203	24	11.82%	13%		
General Catergory LA **	263	115	43.73%	641	32	4.99%	8%		

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from May 1, 2014 to May 31, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

Closed Area I Access Are	а						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	9%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Area	а						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	0	0	NA	2	0	0.00%	13%

Nantucket Lightship Acce	ss Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	1	0	0.00%	1	0	0.00%	20%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Hudson Canyon Access	s Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	0	0	NA	1	0	0.00%	12%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	5%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)									
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target		
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage		
Limited Access	280	46	16.43%	280	33	11.79%	13%		
General Catergory LA **	230	104	45.22%	634	33	5.21%	8%		

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from April 1, 2014 to April 30, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

Closed Area I Access Area	ı						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	2	0	0.00%	1	0	NA	9%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Area	а						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	5	1	20.00%	3	1	33.33%	13%

Nantucket Lightship Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	5	1	20.00%	5	1	20.00%	20%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Hudson Canyon Access	s Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	9	2	22.22%	8	1	12.50%	12%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	5%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)									
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target		
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage		
Limited Access	287	41	14.29%	241	23	9.54%	13%		
General Catergory LA **	162	79	48.77%	419	15	3.58%	8%		

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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NMFS-Received Calls, Observer Assignments and Achieved Coverage Levels for Trips Landing from March 1, 2014 to March 31, 2014

Additional Information about the scallop observer program is available at http://www.nefsc.noaa.gov/fsb/scallop/

Closed Area I Access Area	ı						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	1	0	0.00%	0	0	NA	9%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	9%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Closed Area II Access Area							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	13%

Nantucket Lightship Acces							
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	2	1	50.00%	1	1	100.00%	20%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	20%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Hudson Canyon Access	s Area						
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage
Limited Access	18	3	16.67%	10	3	30.00%	12%
General Category LA	0	0	NA	0	0	NA	5%

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

Open Area (Mid-Atlantic and Georges Bank)									
		Observer	Assigned		Trips	Achieved	Target		
	Calls*	Assigned*	Coverage*	VMS Trips	Observed	Coverage	Coverage		
Limited Access	143	19	13.29%	114	13	11.40%	13%		
General Catergory LA **	108	50	46.30%	181	8	4.42%	8%		

General Category, assigned coverage is on weekly level

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