

# Quality of FAD fishing products

## Preliminary results

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- **Goals of this study**
  - Inventory of fish post-harvest and conservation practices on board fishing vessels from catch to landing
  - Characterization of conservation modes and their impact on product quality
  - Characterization of the chemical composition of large pelagic flesh
  - Characterization of chemical contaminants in the flesh of large pelagic
  - Propose recommendations to improve the quality on board fishing vessels

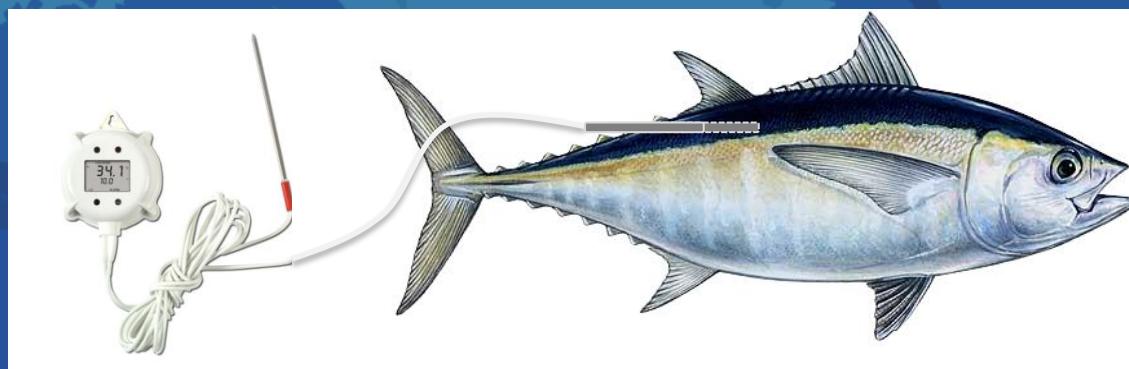
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## Materials & methods

- **Implementation**

### On board fishing vessels

- Fish surface temperature follow-up from catch to handling  
(Subcutaneous)



Blackfin tuna, Yellowfin tuna and Blue Marlin

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### • Implementation

#### On board fishing vessels

- Fish surface temperature follow-up from catch to handling
- Description of each handling made by fisherman

MAGDELESA - Etude Qualité – Suivi des températures			
Date : .... / .... / 20....			
Observateur :			
<b>Identification du navire</b>			
Nom du navire : .....	Type de coque : .....		
Immatriculation : .....	Glacière : O / N      Volume : ..... L		
Nom du patron : .....	Couleur de la caisse : .....		
Nb hommes embarqués : .....	Type de froid embarqué : .....		
Port de départ / arrivée (si différent) : .....	H. départ : ..... H. arrivée : .....		
<b>Descriptif de la sortie</b>			
Numéro du DCP fréquenté : .....			
Position GPS (WGS84, DMS) : N ....° ....' .... / W ....° ....'			
Engins utilisés : Traîne      Bouées dérivantes      Jigging      Autres : .....			
Heure de début de pêche : ..... Heure de fin de pêche : .....			
<b>Relevé des températures</b>			
Numéro de série de l'enregistreur : .....		Température de l'eau de surface : ..... °C	
Heure de début d'enregistrement : .....			
Espèce suivie : ..... Longueur à la fourche : ..... cm      Poids : ..... kg PP / PV / PEV			
Nature du point critique	Heure	Température sonde blanche	Observations
Capture			Poisson gaffé / dorré
Abattage			Type d'abattage
Eviscération			Organes internes / ouies / sang Rincage O / N
Conditionnement à bord			Glacière / Cale Feuilles bananier / sac de jute Autres : .....
Débarquement			
Commercialisation			Vente directe / Vente marchand Glacière / Chambre froide / Congélation
Fin de commercialisation			
Saisie des données sur la base      Date : / /      Signature			

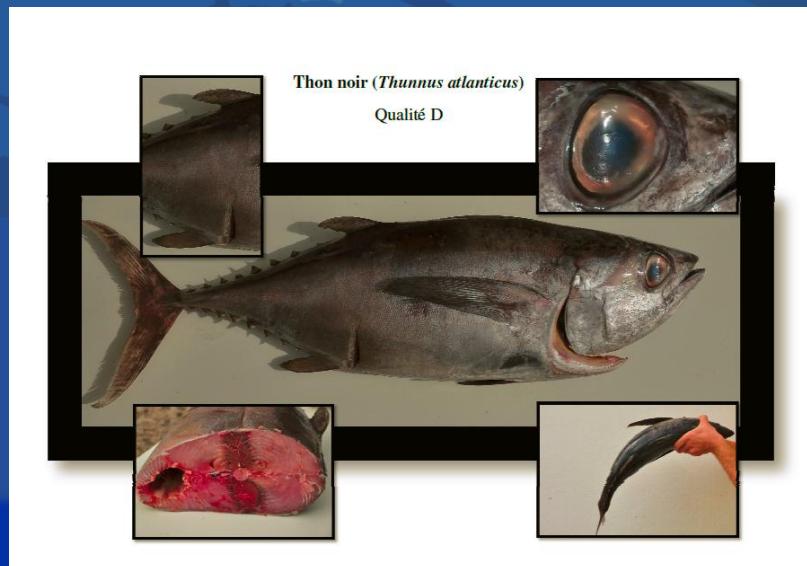
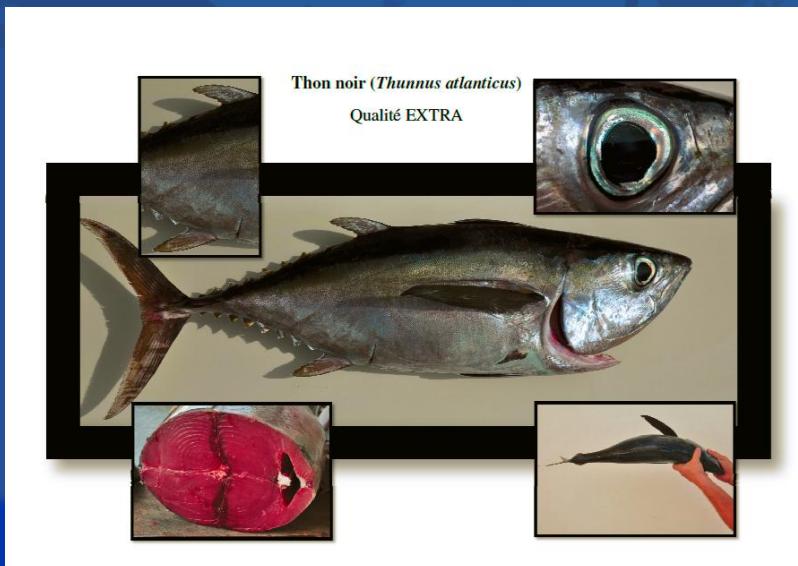
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## Materials & methods

- Implementation

### On board fishing vessels

- Fish surface temperature follow-up from catch to handling
- Description of each handling
- Relation with le freshness standards



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## Materials & methods

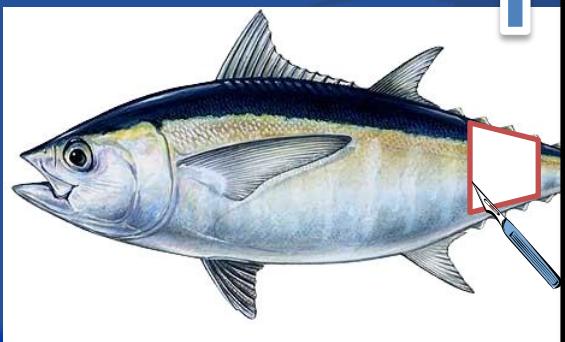
### • Implementation

#### Landing

- Sampling flesh for microbiological, freshness, chemical composition and chemical contaminants (PCB and Heavy metals) analyses

##### Sample preparation

- Cutting with sterile scalpel
- Skin and bones removal
- Packaging in sterile bags
- Freezing (-20°C)



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## Analyses



### **PARM = Pôle Agroalimentaire Régional Martinique Regional agri-food technical center**

Scientific and technical tool (created in 2003) that aims to contribute to the economic development of food-processing industry.

#### **OBJECTIVES**

- To develop new ways of valorization of primary productions (fruits, vegetables, fish & fish farming, meat, aromatic and medicinal plants)

- To strengthen the performance level of agri-food processing companies

#### **MISSIONS**

- Research & development

- Sensory analysis

- Assistance & Technological consulting

#### **RESOURCES**

- A team of 16 employees including 7 engineers & 5 technicians

- 1 technological hall 250 m<sup>2</sup> (pilot equipments)
- 1 physico-chemical & microbiological laboratory 70m<sup>2</sup>
- 1 sensory analysis laboratory

# PARM Intervention

## ANALYSIS OF THE QUALITY AND FRESHNESS

Microbiological analysis

Chemical analysis

Contaminants detection

## BIOCHEMICAL COMPOSITION

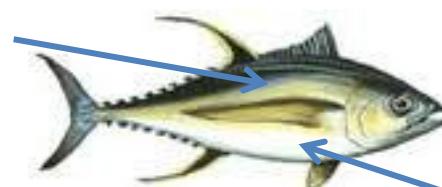
Chemical analysis (energetic value)

## SHELF LIFE ANALYSIS

- Test of fish preservation under 3 different forms
- Microbiological analysis
- Chemical analysis
- Sensory analysis

back

belly



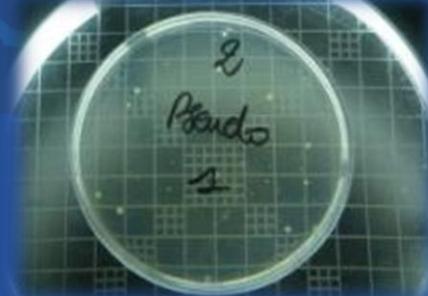
Analysis performed according to standards

## Microbiological analyses

⇒ To evaluate the fish spoilage through microbial flora

Overall microbial load	<i>Mesophilic flora</i>
Hygiene indicator	<i>Thermotolerant coliform 44°C</i> <i>Salmonella</i> Anaerobic sulfite-reducing germs
Germs alteration	<i>Pseudomonas</i>

### Physico-chemical & microbiological laboratory of PARM



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## Chemical analyses

⇒ To evaluate the fish flesh alteration through the chemical compounds breakdown

### ❖ Determination of total volatile basic nitrogen (TVB-N).

→ determination of nitrogenous molecules (ammonia, TMA-N, DMA, amines) resulting from nitrogenised products Breakdown (proteins, TMAO : trimethylamine oxide )

### ❖ Determination of histamine

→ Determination of histamine resulting from histidine bacterial breakdown) [large pelagic fishes contain a high amount of histidine].

### ❖ pH

Physico-chemical & microbiological laboratory of PARM



## Contaminants detection

⇒ To detect a contamination of the fish flesh by **environmental pollutants** due to bioaccumulation phenomenon in large aquatic predators, at the top of the food chain.

### ❖ Determination of:

- ⇒ **Heavy metals:** cadmium, lead, mercury
- ⇒ **Persistents organic pollutants:** Dioxin and PCB-dioxin

Subcontracted analysis : two specialised laboratories (France)

- Laboratoire de Rouen (Heavy metals)
- LABERCA (PCB, Dioxines)

# Biochemical composition

⇒ Nutritionnal characterization of fish flesh

- ❖ Determination of moisture (dry matter)
- ❖ Determination of ashes (mineral content)
- ❖ Determination of protein
- ❖ Determination of lipids
- ❖ Calculation for energetic value (kcal/100g)

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## Analyses

⇒ Shelflife evaluation of fish under three different methods of preservation



Eviscerated fish

cutting

Storage in ice

Vacuum packaging

Modified atmosphere packaging  
40% CO<sub>2</sub> – 60% O<sub>2</sub>

12 days preservation  
+4°C

16 days preservation  
+4°C

21 days preservation  
+4°C

sampling at regular intervals

Chemical Analysis

Microbiological Analysis



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# Sensory analyses

⇒ To evaluate the impact of preservation process and lenght preservation on the fish sensory quality. Descriptive sensory analysis (Standard ISO 13-299) → sensory profiling

### ■ **Analysis laboratory: Conditions of standardized test**

Air-conditionned tasting room equipped with 16 individual cabins in accordance with standard NF V09-105 (ISO 8589) : *Uniform lightning, wall and cabin with neutral color, control of noise, of temperature, of smell and of moisture.*

### ■ **Measuring instrument: panel of 16 specialized judges**, specifically trained to descriptive analysis of fish - Verified and validated performances.

### ■ **Preparation/Presentation of the samples tasted:**

- Baked fish portions encoded with 3 numbers (anonymous)
- Randomized presentation under equal conditions (*temperature, container, quantity of fish*)

### ■ **Sensory evaluation:**

-scoring grid including a scoring range from 1 to 7 for each quality criterion (*visual appearance, olfactory and gustatory critera, texture in the mouth...*)

### ■ **Sensory profiling:**

To provide **descriptive sensory map**

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## Analyses

# Shelflife analysis

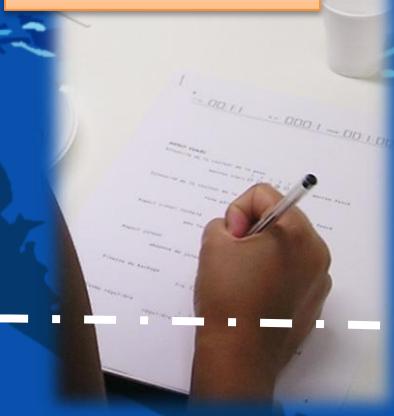
Specialized judges



Baked encoded sample

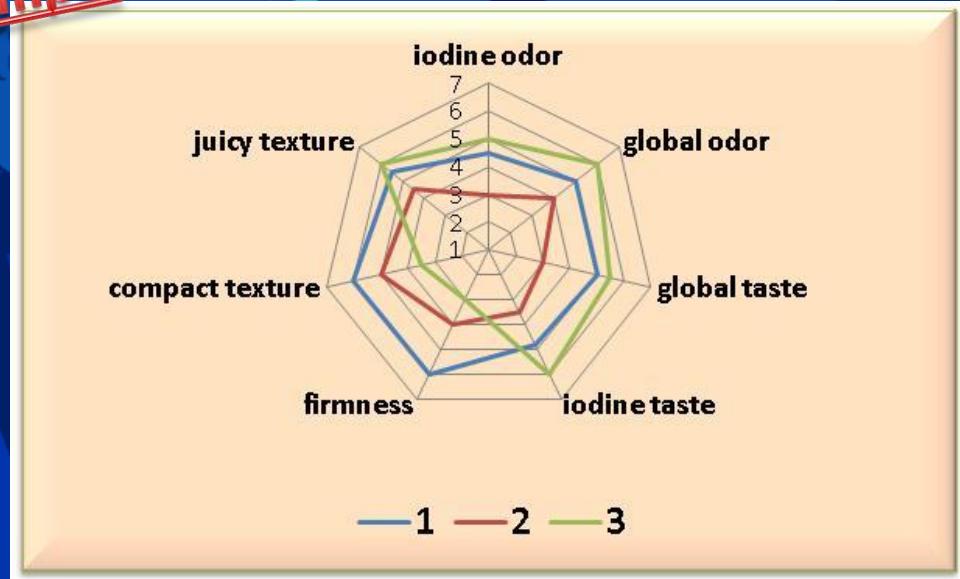
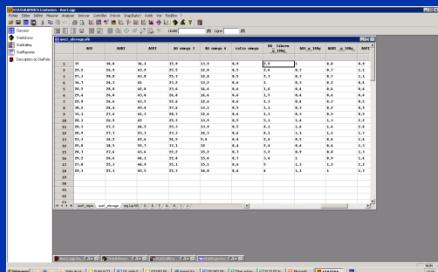


Scoring grid



Example of sensory card

Specific analysis software



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## Analyses

# PARM's works

### PROCESSING

Tuna, marlin, red drum, cobia, red-tilapia



- ⇒ Development of a range of processing products (high added-value):
  - ❖ First state processing : **dried salted fish or salted smoked fish**
  - ❖ Cooked products: **fish balls, steaks, soups, rillettes, terrines.**



### CHARACTERIZATION OF AQUACULTURE PRODUCTS

Red drum, cobia, Red tilapia

- ⇒ Determination and valorization of **nutritionnals benefits and sensory** qualities of aquaculture products (high omega 3 fatty acid content, source of essential minerals,...)

### FAISABILITY STUDY OF SMALL FISH PROCESSING PLANT

- ⇒ Determination of technical economic **conditions for the** implementation of a versatile processing plant . Optimal productive capacity : **150 t/year**

### THESIS : MICROBIAL ECOSYSTEM STUDY OF TROPICAL FISH AFTER SLAUGHTER AND INCIDENCES ON PRODUCTS SALUBRITY .....

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- ⇒ Identification of the bacterial flora responsible for tropical fishes spoilage

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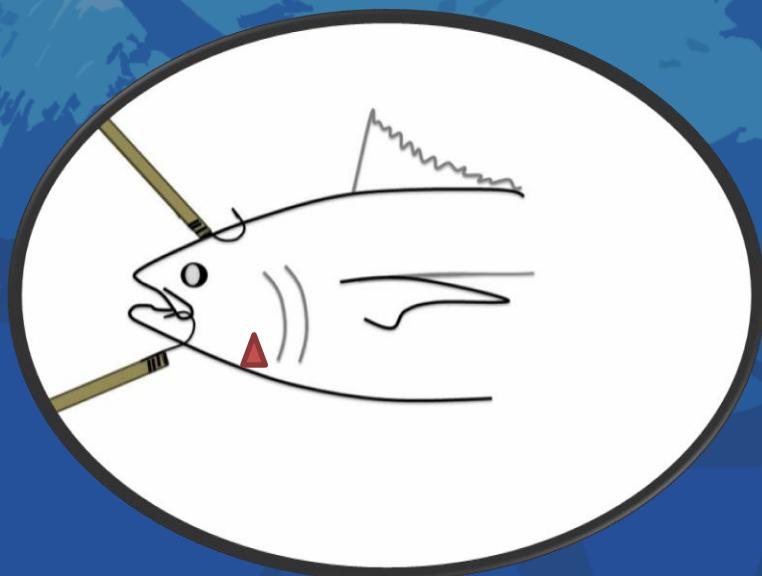
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## Results

- Post capture Handling

- Gaffing



Tuna should be gaffed in head,  
never in body  
Heart and throat should not be  
gaffed

According to Beverly, Chapman and Sokimi. 2003  
Horizontal longline fishing methods and techniques,  
A manual for fishermen, SPC

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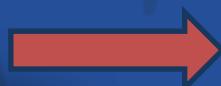
## Results

- Post capture Handling

- Spiking



Tuna should be stunned with a blow just between the eyes  
Nervous system must be destroyed by spiking  
Spinal cord has to be destroyed with taniguchi method



Prevention of muscle movement and Burnt Tuna Syndrome (Yake)

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## Results

- Post capture Handling

Burnt Tuna Syndrome  
(Yake)

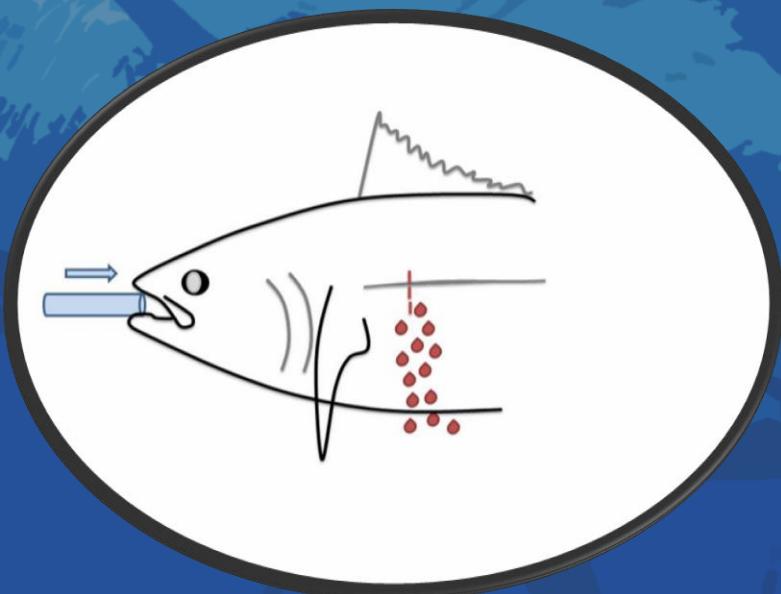


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## Results

- Post capture Handling

- Bleeding



Tuna should be bled by a vertical cut made 6 cm back from pectoral fin on both sides

A seawater hose has to be inserted in the mouth to flush the blood out

Prevention of freshness and histamine formation

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## Results

- Post capture Handling

- Eviscerating

Tuna should be eviscerated by cutting all gill attachment to the head

Then, a cut can be made in the belly to within 1 cm of the anus and the intestines cut free of the anus

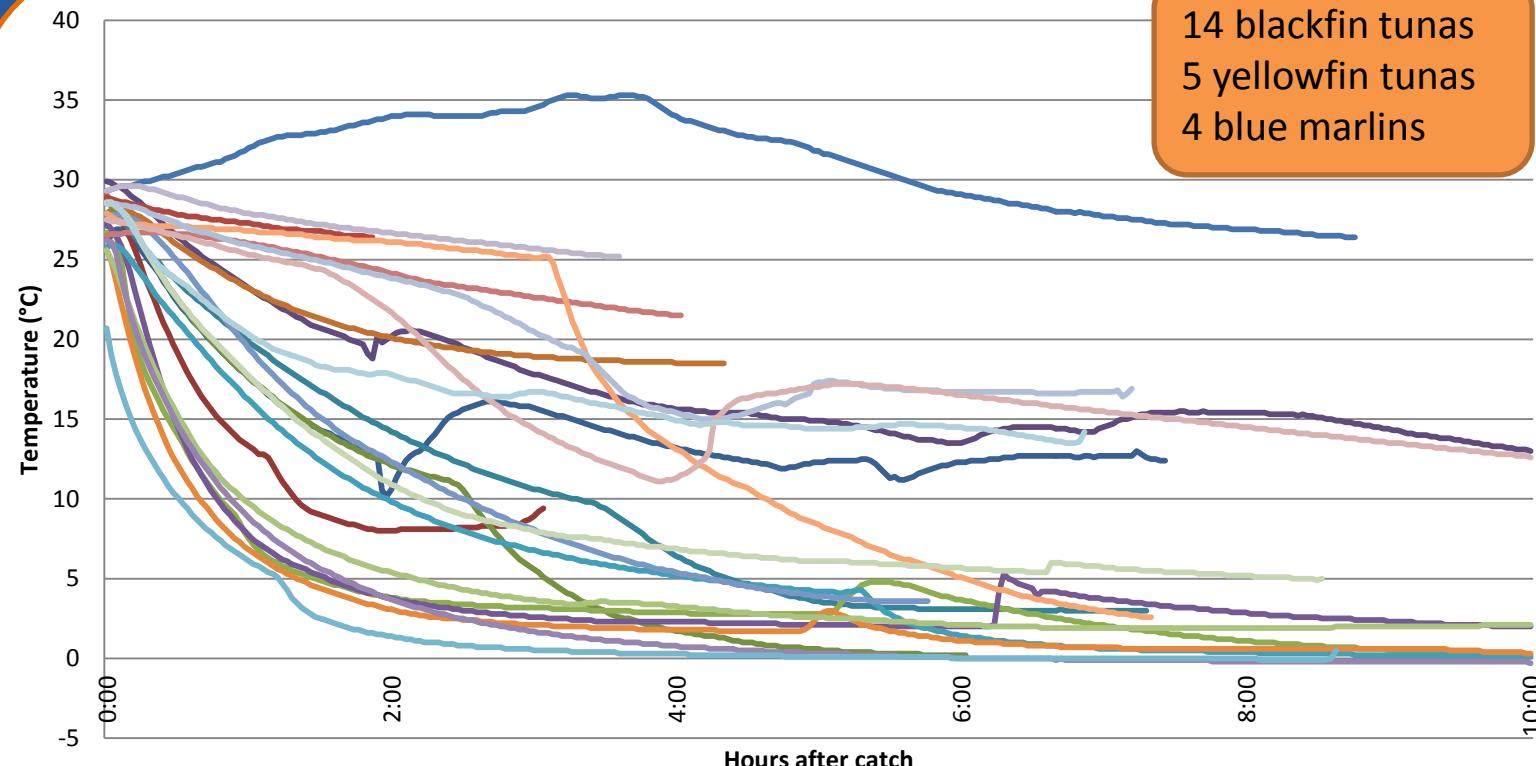
The gills and guts can now be removed through the gill cover in one piece

The inside of the head cavity should then be trimmed of all loose tissue, the blood and kidneys and any gill membranes removed.

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- Subcutaneous temperature follow-up



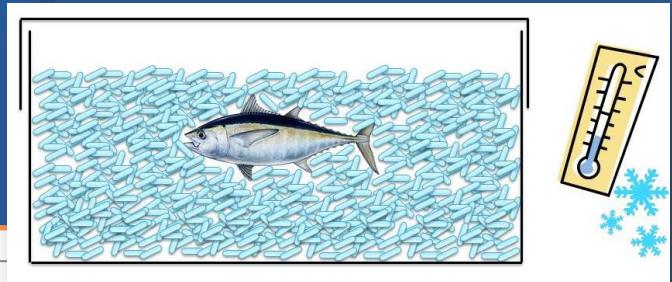
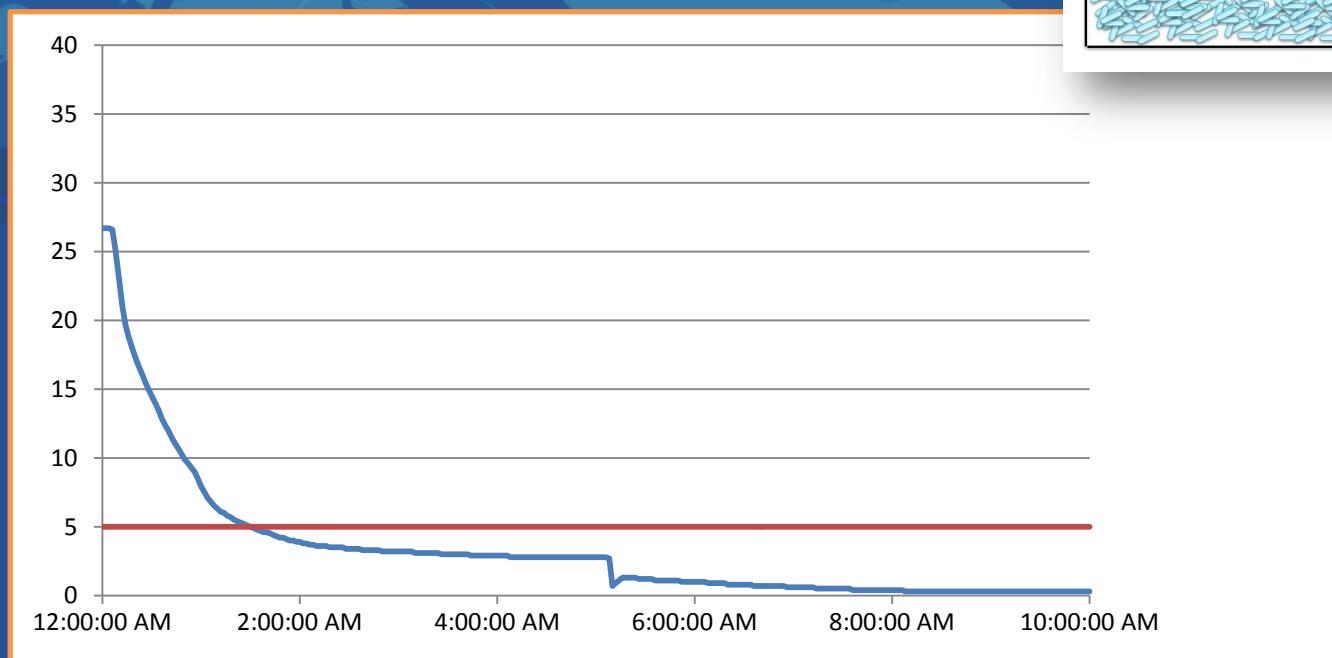
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- Surface temperature profiles

- Profile A :
  - Storage under ice

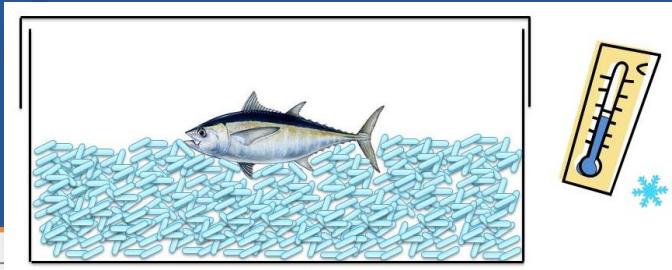
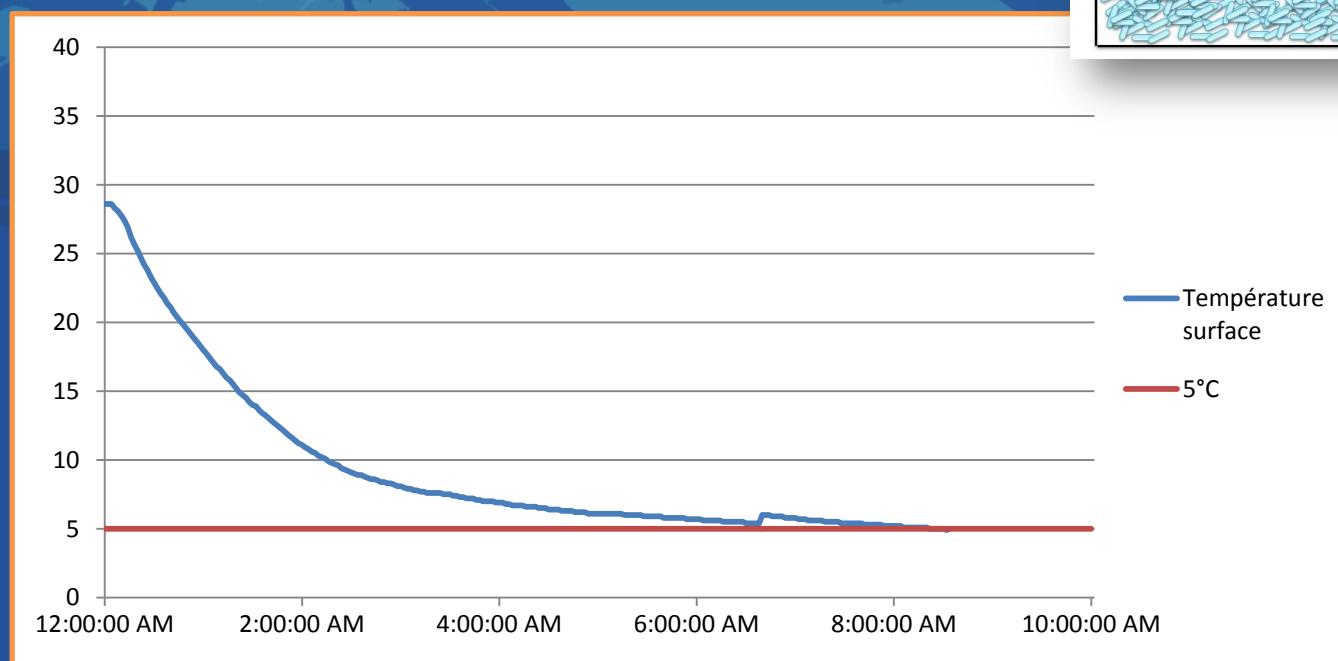


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## Results

- Surface temperature profiles

- Profile B :
  - Storage on ice

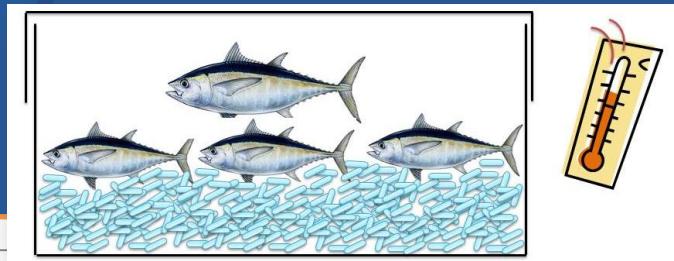
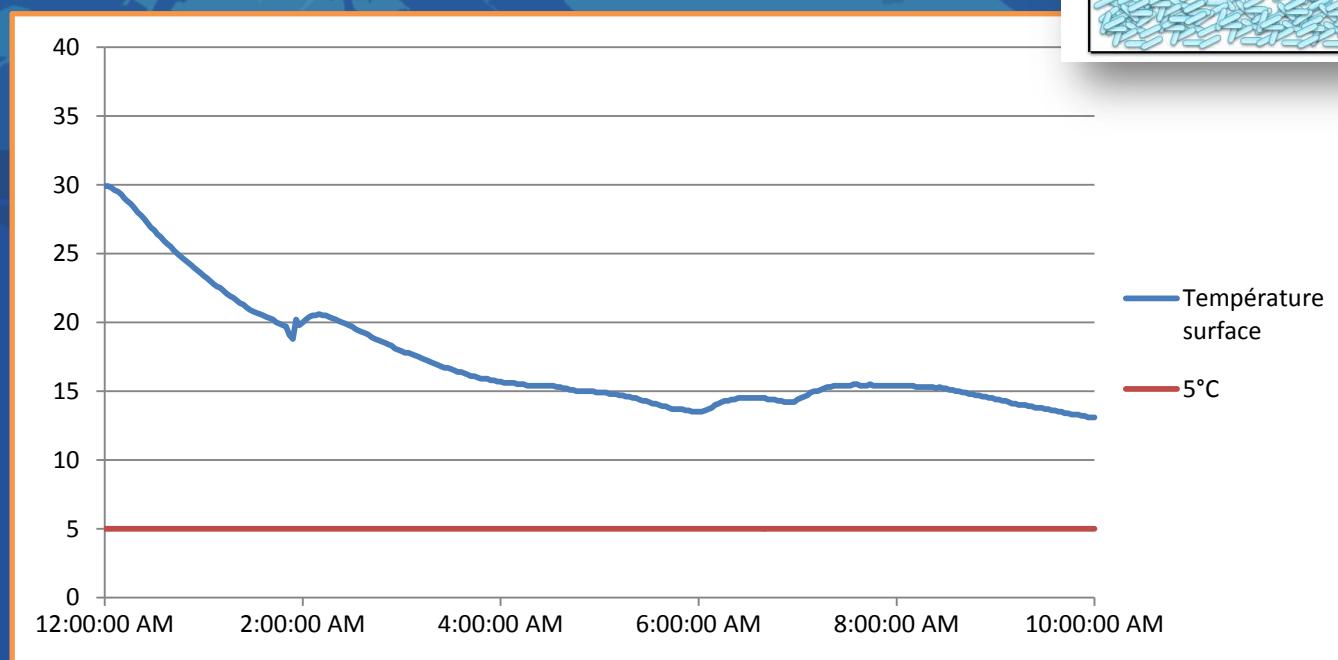


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- Surface temperature profiles

- Profile C :
  - Storage on a layer of fish

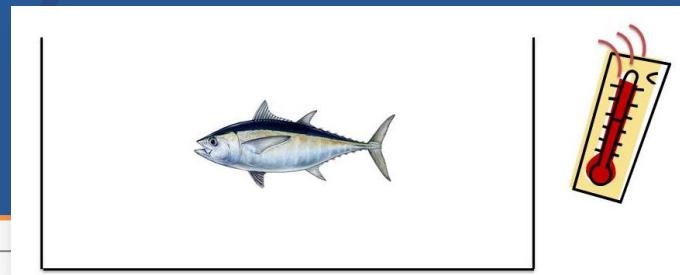
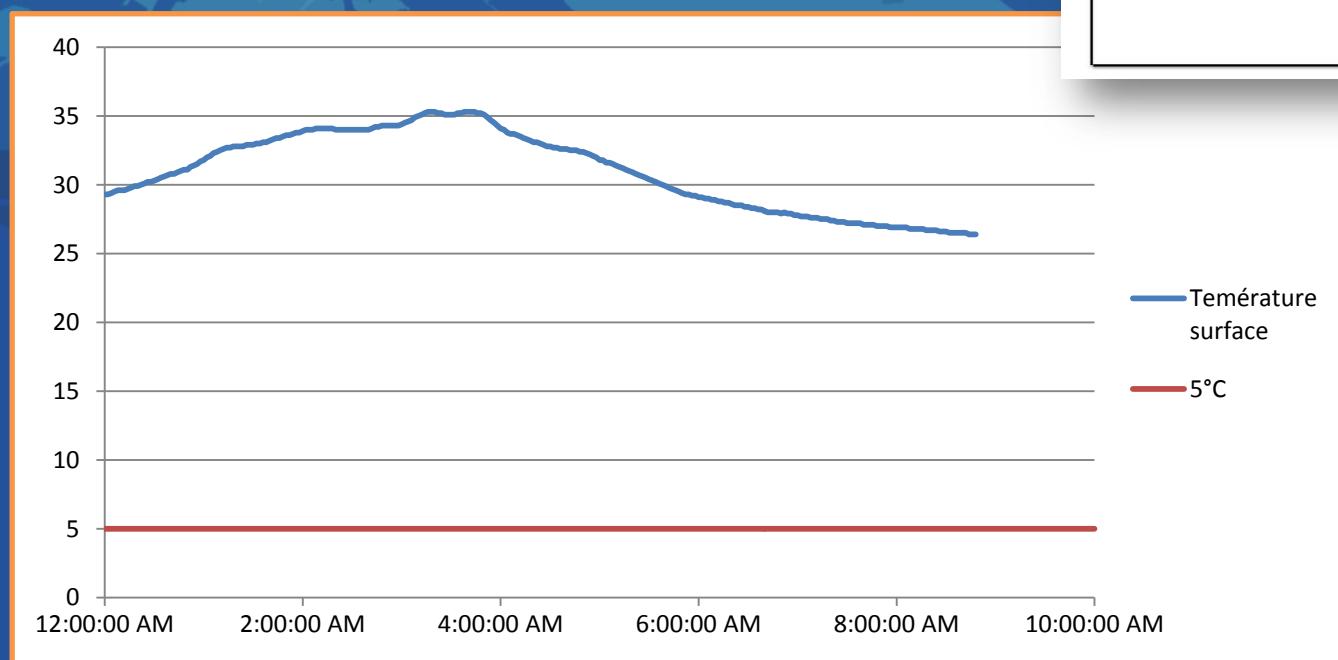


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- Surface temperature profiles

- Profile C :
  - Storage on the vessel deck



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## Results

Species	Sampling reference	Date of catch	Net weight (kg)	Fork length (cm)	Vessel	Handling		Temperature profiles
						Picking	Bleeding	
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	TN1	15/05/2012	3,5	62	Yole	N	N	C
	TN2	09/07/2012	1,2	46	Yole	N	Partial	B
	TN3	09/07/2012	4,0	60	Yole	N	Partial	B
	TN4	03/09/2012	6,8	74	Yole	N	N	C
	TN5	21/10/2012	2,3	51	Yole	N	N	A
	TN6	05/03/2013	6,4	76	Ponté	Y	Complete	A
	TN7	06/03/2013	2,5	56	Ponté	Y	Complete	A
	TN8	06/03/2013	5,0	69	Ponté	Y	Complete	A
	TN9	28/03/2013	2,3	51	Ponté	N	N	A
	TN10	28/03/2013	2,3	53	Ponté	N	Complete	A
	TN11	29/03/2013	2,0	52	Ponté	N	N	A
	TN12	19/6/2013	5,1	69	Yole	N	Partial	C
	TN13	17/07/2013	6,6	69	Yole	Y	Partial	C
	TN14	01/08/2013	3,3	58	Yole	N	Partial	B
	TN15	04/09/2013	5,0	66	Yole	N	Partial	C
<i>Thunnus albacares</i>	TJ1	05/12/2012	15,2	96	Ponté	Y	Complete	C
	TJ2	06/03/2013	9,6	90	Ponté	N	Complete	A
	TJ3	22/03/2013	60,3	156	Yole	N	N	C
	TJ4	17/07/2013	41,2	139	Yole	Y	Partial	C
<i>Makaira nigricans</i>	MB1	24/07/2012	65	190	Yole	N	N	D
	MB2	04/10/2012	60	180	Yole	N	N	D
	MB3	22/03/2013	84	210	Yole	N	N	A
	MB4	01/08/2013	22	71	Yole	N	N	D

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Species	Sample reference	Date of catch	Net weight (kg)	Fork length (cm)	FAMT	Microbiology			
						Coliformes Thermo. 44°C	ASR	Salmonella	Pseudomonas
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	TN1	15/05/2012	3,5	62	1 000	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	<100
	TN2	09/07/2012	1,2	46	1 000	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
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	TN6	05/03/2013	6,4	76	500	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	TN7	06/03/2013	2,5	56	500	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	TN8	06/03/2013	5,0	69	100	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	TN9	28/03/2013	2,3	51	500	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	TN10	28/03/2013	2,3	53	400	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	TN11	29/03/2013	2,0	52	200	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	TN12	19/6/2013	5,1	69	16 000	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	100
	TN13	17/07/2013	6,6	69	3 500	50	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	500
	TN14	01/08/2013	3,3	58	5 300	80	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	600
	TN15	04/09/2013	5,0	66				Abs. ds 25g	
<i>Thunnus albacares</i>	TJ1	05/12/2012	15,2	96	500	10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
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	TJ3	22/03/2013	60,3	156	2 000	10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
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	MB2	04/10/2012	60	180	300	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	MB3	22/03/2013	84	210	5 500	< 10	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	< 100
	MB4	01/08/2013	22	71	3 500	170	< 10	Abs. ds 25g	100

The spoilage flora of tropical fish remains little known



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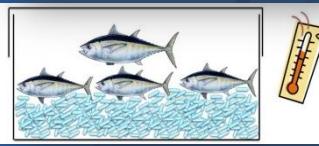
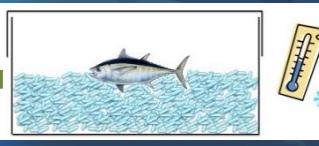
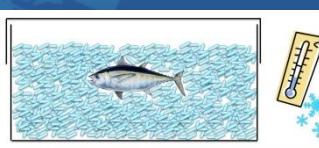
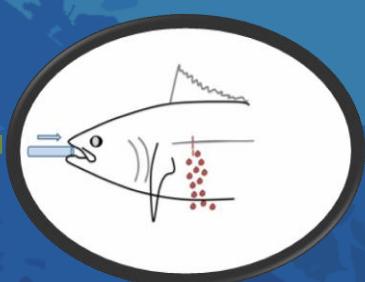
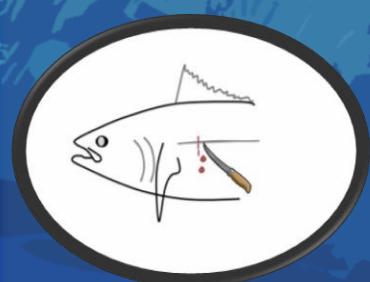
Species	Sample reference	Date of catch	Net weight(kg)	Fork length(cm)	Freshness – Chemical analysis				
					TVB-N (mgN/100g)	TMA (mgN/100g)	Facteur P (%)	Histamine (ppm)	pH
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	TN1	15/05/2012	3,5	62	20	3	14 %	< 2,5	5,82
	TN2	09/07/2012	1,2	46	20	3	17 %	< 2,5	5,88
	TN3	09/07/2012	4,0	60	23	4	18 %	< 2,5	5,76
	TN4	03/09/2012	6,8	74	21	6	28 %	73	5,66
	TN5	21/10/2012	2,3	51	18	1	8 %	88	5,69
	TN6	05/03/2013	6,4	76	2	< 0,1	-	< 2,5	5,90
	TN7	06/03/2013	2,5	56	7	< 0,1	-	< 2,5	5,90
	TN8	06/03/2013	5,0	69	7	< 0,1	-	< 2,5	6,10
	TN9	28/03/2013	2,3	51	14	< 0,1	-	21	5,87
	TN10	28/03/2013	2,3	53	5	< 0,1	-	< 2,5	5,86
	TN11	29/03/2013	2,0	52	12	< 0,1	-	< 2,5	5,83
	TN12	19/6/2013	5,1	69	19	< 0,1	-	86	5,83
	TN13	17/07/2013	6,6	69	20	< 0,1	-	21	5,72
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Freshness indicators do not react on artisanal FAD fisheries products which are relatively good considering the shelf life on board (usually less than 12h)

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- Histamine

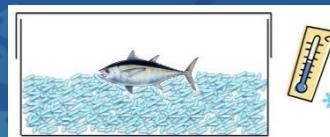
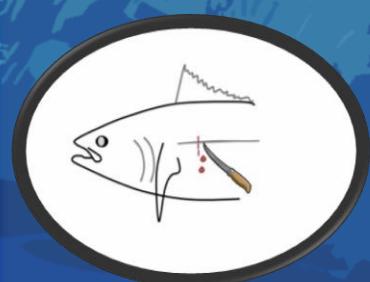


100% of samples

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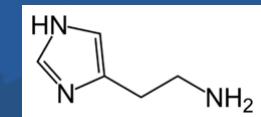
- Histamine



60% of samples



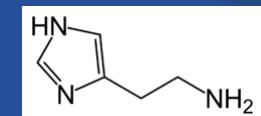
40% of samples



25% of samples



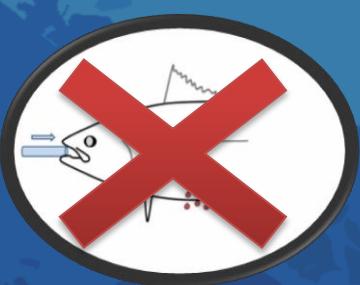
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## Results

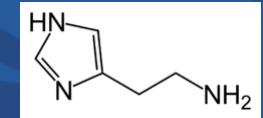
- Histamine



50% of samples



50% of samples



# Quality of FAD fishing products, preliminary results

## Results

- Chemical composition of the flesh
  - Sampling

Species	n	Eviscerated weigh (kg)			Fork lenght (cm)		
		Mean	SD	Min - Max	Mean	SD	Min - Max
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	14	4,1	1,7	2,0 – 6,8	62	8,72	51 - 76
<i>Thunnus albacares</i>	4	31,6	20,39	9,6 – 60,2	120	27,99	90 - 156
<i>Makaira nigricans</i>	6	63,0	25,26	22 – 100	170	55,38	71 - 240

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## Results

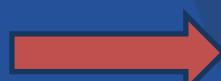
- Chemical composition of the flesh

- Results

Component	<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>			<i>Thunnus albacares</i>			<i>Makaira nigricans</i>		
	Mean	SD	Min - Max	Mean	SD	Min - Max	Mean	SD	Min - Max
Humidity	71,3 %	1,1	68,5-72,5	72,3 %	1,6	70,2-74,3	72,9 %	2,1	69,6-75,6
Proteins	24,6 %	1,9	20,2-27,8	24,9 %	1,5	22,6-26,6	24,0 %	2,3	19,3-26,6
Fat	0,5 %	0,4	0,2-1,5	0,8 %	0,5	0,3-1,7	0,4 %	0,3	0,3-1,0
Ashes	1,4 %	0,1	1,2-1,5	1,3 %	0,1	1,2-1,4	1,2 %	0,1	1,1-1,4
Energy Value average	102,9 Kcal/100g			106,8 Kcal/100g			99,6 Kcal/100g		

No difference between dorsal and ventral flesh

Hight protein content (24%) and low fat content (<2%)

 Lean Fish

# Quality of FAD fishing products, preliminary results

## Results

- Chemical contaminants of the flesh

- Sampling

Species	Reference sample	Eviscerated weight (kg)	Fork lenght (cm)	Date of sampling	PCB/Dioxines matrix	Heavy metals matrix
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	TN1	3,5	62	15/05/2012	PCB-TN1-DOR PCB-TN1-VEN	ML-TN1-DOR ML-TN1-VEN
	TN2	4,0	60	09/07/2012	PCB-TN2-DOR PCB-TN2-VEN	ML-TN2-DOR ML-TN2-VEN
	TN3	6,8	74	03/09/2012	PCB-TN3-DOR PCB-TN3-VEN	ML-TN3-DOR ML-TN3-VEN
<i>Thunnus albacares</i>	TJ1	15,2	96	05/12/2012	PCB-TJ1-DOR PCB-TJ1-VEN	ML-TJ1-DOR ML-TJ1-VEN
	TJ2	9,6	90	06/03/2013	PCB-TJ2-DOR PCB-TJ2-VEN	ML-TJ2-DOR ML-TJ2-VEN
	TJ3	60,0	156	22/03/2013	PCB-TJ3-DOR PCB-TJ3-VEN	ML-TJ3-DOR ML-TJ3-VEN
<i>Makaira nigricans</i>	MB1	65,0	190	24/07/2012	PCB-MB1-DOR PCB-MB1-VEN	ML-MB1-DOR ML-MB1-VEN
	MB2	100,0	240	24/07/2012	PCB-MB2-DOR PCB-MB2-VEN	ML-MB2-DOR ML-MB2-VEN
	MB3	60,0	180	04/10/2012	PCB-MB3-DOR PCB-MB3-VEN	ML-MB3-DOR ML-MB3-VEN

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## Results

- Chemical contaminants of the flesh

Species	Matrix	% Fat	Concentrations in pg/g of fresh matrix				Concentration in ng/g of fresh matrix	
			OMS-TEQ <sub>2005</sub> (PCDD/F) / poids frais	OMS-TEQ <sub>2005</sub> (PCDD/F) – incertitude	OMS-TEQ <sub>2005</sub> (PCDD/F+PCB-DL) / poids frais	OMS-TEQ <sub>2005</sub> (PCDD/F+PCB-DL) – incertitude	Somme 6 PCB-NDL / poids frais	Somme 6 PCB-NDL - incertitude
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	TN1-DOR	0,75	<b>0,020</b>	0,017	<b>0,043</b>	0,034	<b>0,837</b>	0,647
	TN1-VEN	0,87	<b>0,011</b>	0,009	<b>0,035</b>	0,028	<b>0,643</b>	0,497
	TN2-DOR	0,88	<b>0,036</b>	0,029	<b>0,066</b>	0,054	<b>0,394</b>	0,305
	TN2-VEN	0,89	<b>0,019</b>	0,015	<b>0,080</b>	0,065	<b>2,172</b>	1,679
	TN3-DOR	0,56	<b>0,016</b>	0,013	<b>0,070</b>	0,056	<b>1,115</b>	0,862
	TN3-VEN	0,57	<b>0,014</b>	0,012	<b>0,059</b>	0,047	<b>0,741</b>	0,580
<i>Thunnus albacares</i>	TJ1-DOR	0,81	<b>0,013</b>	0,011	<b>0,055</b>	0,044	<b>0,413</b>	0,320
	TJ1-VEN	0,81	<b>0,014</b>	0,012	<b>0,068</b>	0,055	<b>0,819</b>	0,699
	TJ2-DOR	0,33	<b>0,015</b>	0,012	<b>0,050</b>	0,041	<b>0,387</b>	0,299
	TJ2-VEN	1,06	<b>0,013</b>	0,010	<b>0,055</b>	0,044	<b>0,327</b>	0,253
	TJ3-DOR	0,40	<b>0,008</b>	0,007	<b>0,052</b>	0,042	<b>0,665</b>	0,514
	TJ3-VEN	0,47	<b>0,016</b>	0,013	<b>0,095</b>	0,076	<b>1,662</b>	1,285
<i>Makaira nigricans</i>	MB1-DOR	0,27	<b>0,019</b>	0,015	<b>0,038</b>	0,031	<b>0,365</b>	0,282
	MB1-VEN	0,26	<b>0,015</b>	0,013	<b>0,036</b>	0,029	<b>0,262</b>	0,202
	MB2-DOR	0,40	<b>0,018</b>	0,014	<b>0,047</b>	0,038	<b>0,761</b>	0,588
	MB2-VEN	0,40	<b>0,023</b>	0,019	<b>0,054</b>	0,043	<b>1,237</b>	0,956
	MB3-DOR	0,46	<b>0,021</b>	0,017	<b>0,178</b>	0,143	<b>1,437</b>	1,111
	MB3-VEN	0,45	<b>0,011</b>	0,009	<b>0,158</b>	0,126	<b>1,345</b>	1,040
Mean (all species)			<b>0,014</b>		<b>0,055</b>		<b>0,673</b>	
Regulation UE (n°1259/2011)			<b>3,500</b>		<b>6,500</b>		<b>75,000</b>	

# Quality of FAD fishing products, preliminary results

## Results

- Chemical contaminants of the flesh

Species	Matrix	Concentration in mg/kg of fresh weight (ppm)		
		Lead	Cadmium	Mercury
<i>Thunnus atlanticus</i>	TN1-DOR	ND	0,02	0,24
	TN1-VEN	ND	0,04	0,25
	TN2-DOR	ND	ND	0,40
	TN2-VEN	ND	ND	0,42
	TN3-DOR	ND	0,02	<b>1,31</b>
	TN3-VEN	ND	0,02	<b>1,44</b>
<i>Thunnus albacares</i>	TJ1-DOR	ND	ND	0,07
	TJ1-VEN	ND	ND	0,09
	TJ2-DOR	ND	ND	0,14
	TJ2-VEN	ND	ND	0,15
	TJ3-DOR	ND	ND	0,78
	TJ3-VEN	ND	0,01	0,70
<i>Makaira nigricans</i>	MB1-DOR	ND	0,02	0,83
	MB1-VEN	ND	0,02	0,81
	MB2-DOR	ND	ND	0,77
	MB2-VEN	ND	ND	0,83
	MB3-DOR	ND	<b>0,11</b>	<b>3,47</b>
	MB3-VEN	ND	<b>0,11</b>	<b>3,29</b>
Regulation UE (n°1881/2006)		0,30	0,10	1,00

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## Discuss

- Discuss
  - Post-capture handlings
    - Histamine and BTS
  - Chilling
  - Hygiene indicators
  - Tropical fish specific spoilage flora
  - Chemical composition of the flesh
  - Chemical contaminants
    - Mercury

# Quality of FAD fishing products, preliminary results

- **Recommendations**

**Manual for fisherman to  
improve the quality of  
FAD fishing products**





# Thank for your attention



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