

WGEF

Working Group on Elasmobranch Fishes

Fisheries Resources
Steering Group (FRSG)

RESEARCH FOCUS

- Implement assessment methodologies to evaluate the status of 56 elasmobranch stocks
- Collect, review, and define data requirements for stock identification, life history, and estimates of stock size

OUR OBJECTIVE

Conduct assessments and provide advice on the state of sharks, skates, and rays throughout ICES area

OUR CHAIRS



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OUR MEMBERS



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OUR EXPERTISE

- Biology, life history, and population dynamics of elasmobranch fishes.
- WGEF members are experts in the fields of fisheries management, modelling, elasmobranch biology, tagging studies, deepwater fisheries, conservation, stock assessment and taxonomy.
- Collaboration and information exchange with many ICES expert groups as well as with other Regional Fisheries Management Organizations.

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