

HDSA SHORE RECORDS AND SPECIMEN SIZES

For 2017/18

To qualify for an HDSA shore record a fish must be caught during a Club league competition or from the Club beach fishing to competition rules and all fish must be weighed and witnessed.

Where no HDSA record exists (e.g. Open) a specimen fish must be at least 50% of the declared Angling Trust (AT) specimen size for Area E. Where an HDSA record exists for a species then the specimen fish must equal or exceed the recorded weight.

However, if the HDSA record is above the AT specimen weight for Area E then anglers matching the AT specimen size for Area E will be awarded the 6 bonus points for club competitions.

Each year the specimen target weight will be declared as 50% of the AT specimen size or the HDSA record if greater than the AT 50% (up to the max AT specimen size limit).

Species	HDSA Record Since 2000		Captor	Year	Type of Comp.	HDSA Specimen Size for 2017/18		Angling Trust Specimen Size (Area E)	
	lb	oz				lb	oz	lb	oz
Bass	5	12	P Watts	2008/09	Beach Comp.	5	12	6	00
Bream (Black)	open					0	12	1	08
Cod	13	09	G Ide	2009/10	Beach Comp.	10	00	10	00
Dab	0	12	I Rose W Borrowman	2009/10 2013/14	Beach Comp.	0	12	0	12
Flounder	1	08	I Rose	2000	Beach Comp.	1	08	1	12
Garfish	open					0	08	1	00
Grey Mullet (Golden grey)	open					0	12	1	08
Grey Mullet (Thick lip)	open					1	12	3	08
Grey Mullet (Thin lip)	open					1	4	2	08
Gurnard (all)	open					0	08	1	00
LS Dogfish	2	02	I Rose	2007/08	Beach Comp.	2	02	2	08
Plaice	1	08	M Pearce	2000	Beach Comp.	1	08	1	12
Pouting	0	14	*O Pearce	2016/17	Beach Comp.	0	14	1	00
Ray (Thornback)	open					3	08	7	00
Red Mullet	open					0	06	0	12
Rockling (All)	0	08	M Chart	2014/15	Beach Comp.	0	08	0	08
Silver EEL	2	11	R Harris	2013/14	Beach Comp.	1	12	1	12
Smoothnd (All)	open					6	00	12	00
Sole	1	14	*S Wren	2016/17	Beach Comp.	1	12	1	12
Weever (All)	open					0	04	0	08
Whiting	1	12	C Ide	2011/12	Beach Comp.	1	00	1	00

All other species will be referenced using the Angling Trust specimen size chart and subject to the HDSA minimum sizes.

*** New Record**