

Isles of Scilly Fish Sightings Sheet

Vessel/Observer..... Location.....

Position¹ Date.....

Bottom Type².....

Notes: ¹ Lat. and Long./or Grid Ref. e.g. SV _____

² e.g. Eel grass, mud, sand, gravel, maerl, rocky reef, boulders, rock, cliff or a description.

English Name	No	Comment	English Name	No	Comment
Crawfish			Sprat		
Pink Crawfish			Argentine		
Slipper Lobster			Pearlsides		
Jumbo Prawn			Hake		
Triton			Shore Rockling		
Common Octopus			Three-bearded Rockling		
Curled or Lesser Octopus			Five-bearded Rockling		
Little Cuttle			Cod		
Common Cuttlefish			Haddock		
Basking Shark P			Blue Whiting		
Thresher Shark			Whiting		
Porbeagle			Pollack		
Bull Huss or Nursehound			Saithe or Coalfish		
Tope			Ling		
Blue Shark			Tadpole Fish		
Spurdog			Pouting or Bib		
Electric Ray			Poor Cod		
Marbled Electric Ray			Anglerfish (or Monk)		
Common Skate NL			Thick-lipped Mullet		
Shagreen Ray			Thin-lipped Mullet		
Cuckoo Ray			Golden Grey Mullet		
Thornback Ray			Sand Smelt		
Small-eyed Ray			Garfish		
Undulate Ray NL			John Dory		
White Skate NL			15-spined Stickleback		
Stingray			Spiny Seahorse P		
Angel Shark or Monkfish P			Short-snouted Seahorse P		
European Eel			Snake Pipefish		
Conger Eel			Worm Pipefish		
Anchovy			Straight-nosed Pipefish		
Allis Shad P			Greater Pipefish		
Twaite Shad P			Lesser Pipefish		
Herring			Deep-snouted Pipefish		
Pilchard					

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Bluemouth			Cuckoo Wrasse		
Red Scorpionfish			Butterfish		
Red Gurnard			Sandeel		
Streaked Gurnard			Greater Weever		
Tub Gurnard			Lesser Weever		
Grey Gurnard			Black-faced Blenny		
Bull Rout			Butterfly Blenny		
Long-spined Sea Scorpion			Montagu's Blenny		
Hooknose or Pogge			Tompot Blenny		
Lumpsucker			Variable Blenny		
Wreckfish or Stone Bass			Red Tompot Blenny		
Sea Bass			Giant Goby P		
Comber			Black Goby		
Pilot Fish			Rock Goby		
Great Amberjack			Two-spot Goby		
Almaco Jack			Leopard-spotted Goby		
Horse Mackerel or Scad			Boarfish or Zulu		
Ray's Bream			Mackerel		
White Sea Bream			Atlantic Chub (Spanish) Mackerel		
Red Sea Bream			Megrim		
Pandora			Brill		
Couch's Bream			Topknot		
Gilthead Bream			Norwegian Topknot		
Black Sea Bream			Eckstrom's Topknot		
Red Mullet			Witch		
Rock Cook			Common Sole		
Baillon's Wrasse			Sand Sole		
Corkwing Wrasse			Plaice		
Goldsinny			Grey Triggerfish		
Ballan Wrasse			Ocean Sunfish		

Other Fish

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Comments.....

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If you find a rare fish or one you cannot recognise, please contact Doug Herdson (see below), with good photos if possible.

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