

Revised “Allocation of TAC” of minke whale for 2022

Allocation of TAC (Total Allowable Catch) of minke whale for 2022 is revised on and after April 14, 2022 as shown below. This revision is based on the updated catch limit for minke whale, which was recalculated using its new abundance estimate.

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	Catch limit*	TAC** (Total Allowable Catch)	Allocation of TAC		Government reserves***	Number of bycatch
After revision (From 14, April, 2022)	167	133	Factory ship type whaling	0	26	34
			Coastal base type whaling	107		
Before revision	171	137	Factory ship type whaling	0	27	34
			Coastal base type whaling	110		

*Catch limit has been calculated in line with the scientific procedure developed by IWC.

**TAC is set by deducting the number of bycatch in set nets (average in the last five years) from the catch limit.

***Government reserves are for adjustment in operation of factory ship type whaling and coastal base type whaling. The “Allocation of TAC” is set by deducting Government reserves from the TAC.