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## What is a RCG?

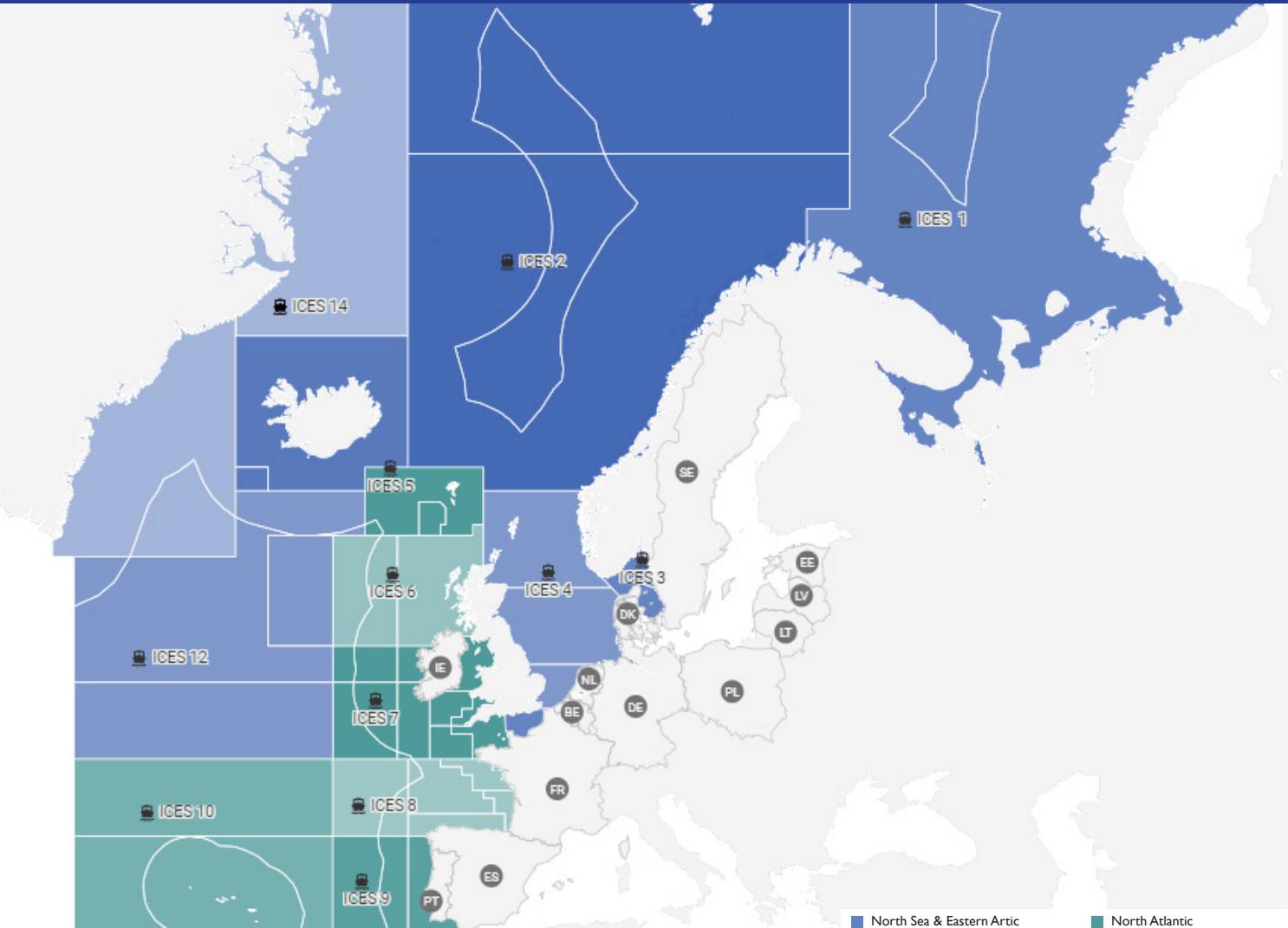
It is the main hub for regional coordination and cooperation within the different sea basins or specific type of fisheries contributing to the EU fisheries Data Collection Framework.

## Terms of Reference (ToRs)

- **ToR 1:** Propose ways to improve the alignment between data collection and end-user needs (by region).
- **ToR 2:** Implement and maintain data quality in data collection.
- **ToR 3:** Review impact on management measures on data collection.
- **ToR 4:** Development and implementation of Regional Workplans.
- **ToR 5:** Propose ways to improve the regional coordination and feedback on regional issues.
- **ToR 6:** Support of ToRs

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## ISSGs

The RCG NANSEA works in thematic Intersessional Subgroups (ISSGs) throughout the year with assigned tasks.

- End-users and RCG
- RCG Overviews
- Metier / Transversal
- Data Quality
- ICES WGRDBESGOV
- RDB Core group
- Landing Obligation (On Hold)
- Diadromous
- Surveys
- Umbrella
- CS Iberian Waters
- PETs
- CS pelagic freezer trawlers
- SSF
- Stomach sampling
- Recreational
- Regional Work Plan (On Hold)
- Revision of EUMAP (On Hold)
- Secretariat (On Hold)
- National Correspondents (NC)



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