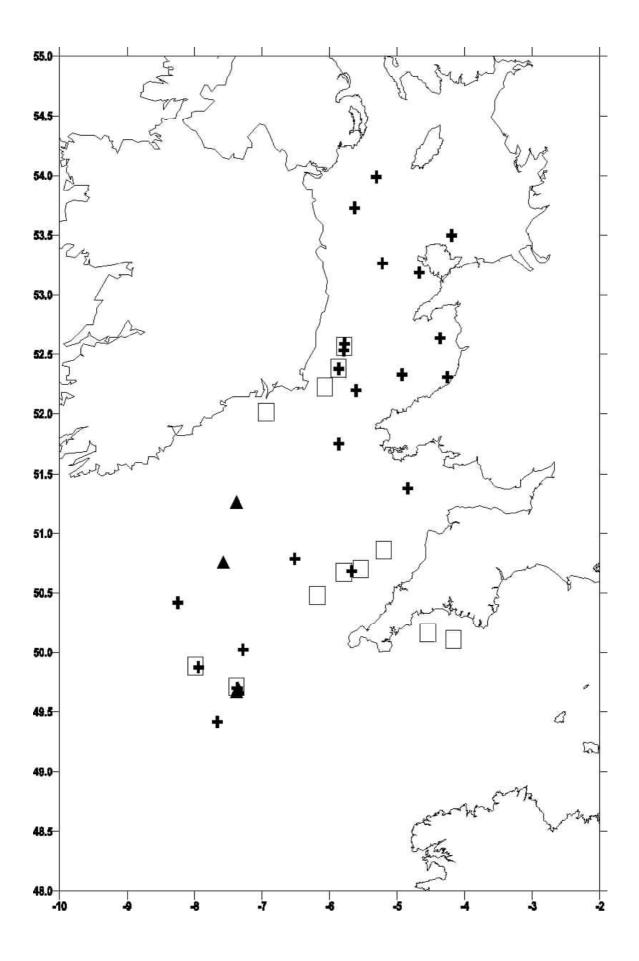
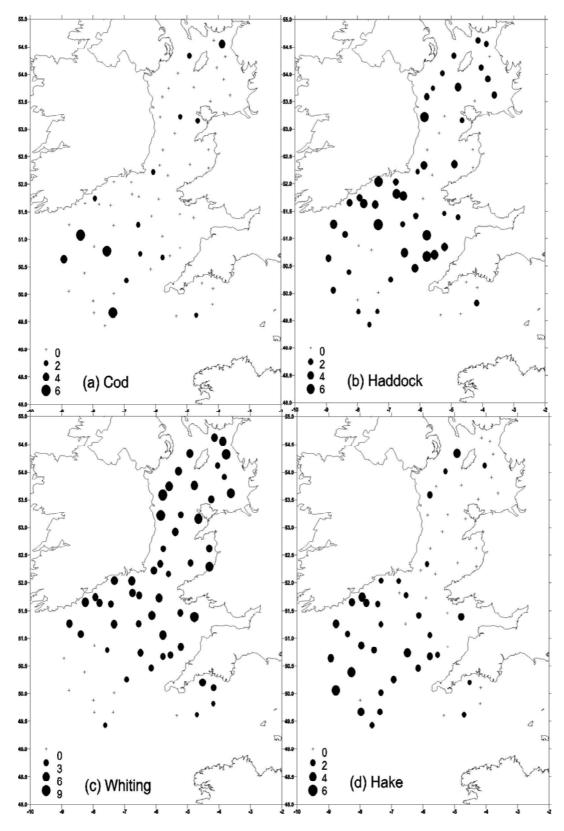


FIGURE 1: Map showing stations completed with the modified GOV trawl

**FIGURE 2:** Study area indicating sites sampled with additional tows ( $\Box$ ) and 2mbeam trawl ( $\blacktriangle$ ), and the release locations of tagged fish ( $\clubsuit$ )



**FIGURE 3:** Distribution and relative abundance of (a) cod *Gadus morhua*, (b) haddock *Melanogrammus aeglefinus*, (c) whiting *Merlangius merlangus* and (d) hake *Merluccius merluccius*. Data for cod are number per hour, data for haddock, whiting and hake are based on Ln (1+ number per hour).



**FIGURE 4:** Distribution and relative abundance (number per hour) of (a) anglerfish *Lophius piscatorius*, (b) lemon sole *Microstomus kitt*, and (c) megrim *Lepidorhombus whiffiagonis*.

