Metadata sheet

No	Descriptor	Information
1	Title of dataset	Baltic flounder spawning habitat
2	General description	Biological and hydrological data from INSPIRE gillnet samping; prediction maps of potential spawning habitats
3	Data type (observational/model)	Observational and model data
4	Parameters	CPUE of flounder, cod and round gobies; salinity, temperature, oxygen from CTDs; habitat characteristic from video recordings (substrate, vegetation and blue mussels' coverage), bottom current velocity, wind exposure; hydrographic parameters (temperature, salinity, oxygen) from Baltic Sea Ice-Ocean Model for predictions
5	Area covered	Southern and central Baltic Sea (ICES SDs 24-29)
6	Spatial resolution	Transects along inshore-offshore gradients
7	Time span	2014-2015
8	Temporal resolution	March-May
9	Entry date	10. November 2017
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