**Data extraction ICES WGZE**

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**Note:** As always, this dataset has been carefully built and checked accordingly. However, it is the user’s responsibility to perform his own verifications.

**Quick description of the dataset**

**1 – The dataset contains 3 files:**

1. “CPR\_Data\_ICESWGZE\_06082025.docx”: This document
2. “CPR\_ICESWGZE\_ControlMap\_06082025.png”:

Map representing the selected samples from January 1958 to December 2021 (252890 samples)

1. “CPR\_ICESWGZE\_Data\_PCI\_06082025.csv”: Abundance data for Phytoplankton Colour Index (PCI) in all selected samples in the selected area (30°N to 80°N, -80°E to 20°E).

Rows: All samples for the selected area (252890 samples).

Column 1: Unique sample id. For instance: “240B--27” corresponds to the 27th sample for the 240th transect on the B route.

Columns from 2 to 8: Spatio-temporal coordinates for each sample.

Columns from 9: Abundance data for the selected taxa.