



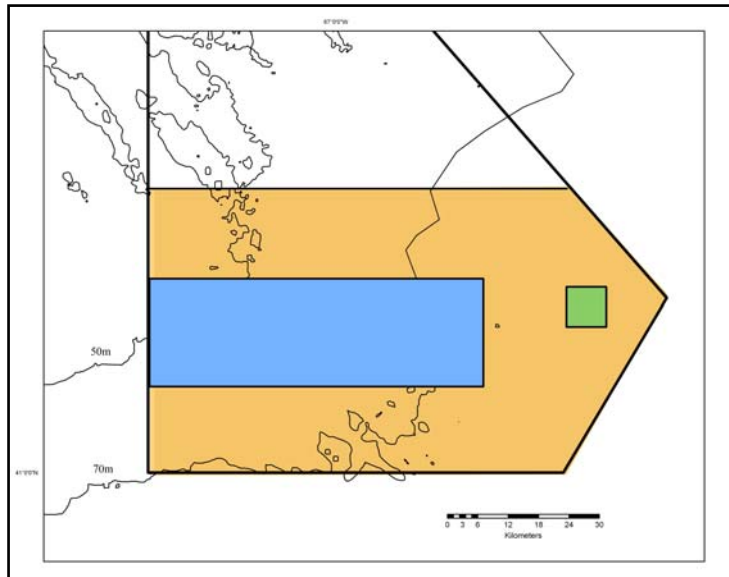
**Marine Fisheries Field Research Group**  
**SMAST Scallop Tagging Program**



**WE NEED YOUR HELP!**

**Please be on the lookout for tags in  
Closed Area II**

SMAST has been conducting tagging projects in Closed Area II (CAII) since 2007. The closed area offers a unique opportunity to examine growth, movement and abundance of various species.



Areas of tagging for **SCALLOPS** (green), **SKATES** (blue),  
**YELLOWTAIL** (orange)

*If you catch a tagged animal, please record the  
DATE and LOCATION of capture, keep the tag  
and scallop shell and contact SMAST*

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## SCALLOPS:

20,000 sea scallops were tagged in 2007 to examine growth rates.

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## SKATES:

25 winter skates were tagged in 2008 to examine movement behavior.

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## YELLOWTAIL:

70,000 yellowtail were tagged in 2008 to estimate abundance and examine movement patterns.

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