

# Biological data collection Aranda BIAS survey

During the Aranda BIAS survey, biological data collection is done mainly for Baltic herring and sprat as part of the EU-DCF Program. Biological data is collected from the pelagic trawl catch, which is discharged into the fish processing container through the fish silo. The catch is sorted on the sorting belt and biological samples are taken for further processing in the wet and dry laboratories. RUFCO data recorders and Marel marine scales are used for the biological data collection.

- Fish processing container and fish silo
  - Sorting belt
  - M1100 Marel marine scale
- Wet and dry laboratories
  - RUFCO fish measuring equipment, including data recorder, measuring board and scale
  - M2200 Marel marine scales

