Summary sheet row number	Year	Natural Resource Com-mittee	Resource or resource use	Month	Area (Fishing Area Code); Abbreviation: HFA, Hunting and fishing areas	Number of observation days	Number days with observations	Estimated number of individuals	Method for harvest; Abbreviation: LL, long-line	Catch effort	Number killed (or tonnes caught)	Perceived trend compared to the same area and the same time in the previous year	Comments by the community members, incl. possible explanation of the trends observed
1	2010	Ilulissat	Humpback whale	May	M12	80		15				Increase	
2	2010	Ilulissat	Humpback whale	Jun.-Sep.	M12	70		15-20				Increase	Legal protection and less sea-ice in recent years may have contributed to an increased abundance of humpback whale.
3	2010	Ilulissat	Narwhale	May	M12/N11	27		5				Increase	
4	2010	Ilulissat	Narwhale	Jun.	M12/N11	60		5				Unchanged	
5	2010	Ilulissat	Narwhale	Jul.	M12/N11	65		5				Unchanged	
6	2010	Ilulissat	Narwhale	Aug.	M12/N11	65		5				Unchanged	
7	2010	Ilulissat	Narwhale	Sep.	M12/N11	65		5				Unchanged	Last seen 'sassat' was in 1994/1995. Many narwhales were seen after 1994 during years when there were little sea-ice. When there were plenty of food, narwhales stay on in the area. Greenland halibuts moved away when narwhales were present in the area. Narwhales summering in the area were often thin and with many parasites; they were beleived to be old individuals that had 'left their group to die'.
8	2010	Ilulissat	Harp seal, adult	May	N15 to L10	27		110	Cal. 17; 22 magnum		9	Increase	The estimated number of harp seals was reported to be possibly too high. Perhaps some duplicate observations.
9	2010	Ilulissat	Harp seal, young	Jun.	N15 to L10	60		150	Cal. 17; 22 magnum		6	Increase	
10	2010	Ilulissat	Harp seal, young	Jul.	N15 to L10	65		120	Cal. 17; 22 magnum		21	Increase	
11	2010	Ilulissat	Harp seal, young	Aug.	N15 to L10	65		140	Cal. 17; 22 magnum		32	Increase	
12	2010	Ilulissat	Harp seal, young	Sep.	N15 to L10	65		130	Cal. 17; 22 magnum		26	Increase	Most individuals of harp seal were thin and in poor body condition.The increase in abundance might have been linked to a reduced catch in Canada. An increasing frequency of individuals were seen with algae growing in the pelt (50-100% of some of the hunters' monthly catches).
13	2010	Ilulissat	Atlantic cod	May	M12				Trawl	7 d	0.5 t	Decrease	Nets: 7 m, mesh size 62-67 mm.

14	2010	Ilulissat	Atlantic cod	Jun.-Sep.	M12			Trawl	7 d	0 t	Decrease	Humpback whales arrived and fed repeatedly in the cod fishing area. Nets: 7 m, mesh size 62-67 mm.
15	2010	Ilulissat	Greenland halibut	May	M12			LL 1300 hook)	35 d	56 t	Increase	Aside from long-line, for 15 days nets were also used.
16	2010	Ilulissat	Greenland halibut	Jun.	M12			LL 3600 hooks	45 d	50 t	Increase	
17	2010	Ilulissat	Greenland halibut	Jul.	M12			LL 1300 hooks	46 d	16 t	Increase	During June and July, many individuals of halibut were fatty, they had firm meat and small heads; they were believed to have come from the North. Many individuals were with eggs.
18	2010	Ilulissat	Greenland halibut	Aug.	M12			LL 1300 hooks	30 d	12 t	Increase	
19	2010	Ilulissat	Greenland halibut	Sep.	M12			LL 3000 hooks	20 d	12 t	Increase	During c. 1970 to c.1980, coastal trawling for shrimps was undertaken with small vessels without grates. They had a large by-catch of small, almost transparent halibuts. After grates were introduced in c. 1990, the abundance of coastal halibuts was reported to have generally increased.
20	2010	Ilulissat	Large gulls	May-Sep.	See comments						Don't know	Nuisance to fishing in Isfjorden and at fishing harbours. The gulls ate the bait, entangled the long-lines, ate the drying fish, and defecated on the fish catch before it was sold. Area: Breeding sites indicated on map w/Ministry of Fisheries, Hunting and Agriculture
21	2010	Qaarsut	Canada goose	May	Qaarsut wetland	No data	17				Increase	The Canada geese were usually seen from the village of Qaarsut. Average flock size 12 individuals, maximum 17. The maximum flock size was reported to be increasing from year to year.
22	2010	Qaarsut	Canada goose	Jun.	Qaarsut wetland	No data	17				Increase	
23	2010	Qaarsut	Canada goose	Jul.	Qaarsut wetland	No data	2				Unchanged	1-2 breeding pairs of Canada goose. First seen breeding in the area in 2008.
24	2010	Qaarsut	Canada goose	Aug.	Qaarsut wetland	No data	40				Increase	Large flocks were seen migrating southwards. Average flock size was 35 individuals, maximum 40.
25	2010	Qaarsut	Canada goose	Sep.	Qaarsut wetland	No data	40				Increase	
26	2010	Qaarsut	Greenland white-fronted goose	No data	Qaarsut HFA	No data	0				Decline	Huge decline compared to 10-15 years earlier. No observations in recent years.
27	2010	Qaarsut	Greenland halibut	May	Fishing area off Qaarsut			LL 1800 hooks	60 d	21 t	Unchanged	In 2009, there was sea-ice until May so the community members fished from sledges at more shallow water with typically only 200 hooks on each line.

28	2010	Qaarsut	Greenland halibut	Jun.	Fishing area off Qaarsut			LL 2000 hooks	60 d	48 t	Increase	In other years, the community members moved elsewhere to fish halibut as this species disappeared from the area during summer (often at the time of arrival of harp seals in June-July) but in 2010 the halibuts stayed in the area even into September.
29	2010	Qaarsut	Greenland halibut	Jul.	Fishing area off Qaarsut			LL 3700 hooks	28 d	21 t	Increase	
30	2010	Qaarsut	Greenland halibut	Aug.	Fishing area off Qaarsut			LL 1200 hooks	20 d	12 t	Increase	Usually the community members don't fish halibut in August. At this time of the year, their focus is at hunting seals.
31	2010	Qaarsut	Greenland halibut	Sep.	Fishing area off Qaarsut			LL 600 hooks	6 d	3.6 t	Increase	
32	2010	Qaarsut	Brünnich's guillemot	May	Qaarsut Avataa	2	0				Don't know	In the previous year (2009) there was sea-ice late so the community members could not get to the hunting areas. In 2010 there were no birds in this area in May. The sea-ice disappeared earlier in 2010, and the guillemots did not move into the fiord. The birds prefered staying along the ice edge.
33	2010	Qaarsut	Brünnich's guillemot	Jun.	Qaarsut Avataa	5	0				Decline	The community members reported that the breeding numbers in the adjacent areas had declined for the past 'many' years.
34	2010	Qaarsut	Brünnich's guillemot	Jul.	Qaarsut Avataa	0	0				Don't know	
35	2010	Qaarsut	Brünnich's guillemot	Aug.	Qaarsut Avataa	0	0				Don't know	
36	2010	Qaarsut	Brünnich's guillemot	Sep.	Qaarsut Avataa	0	0				Don't know	Only in late September, the guillemots came into the fiord area.
37	2010	Qaarsut	Brünnich's guillemot	May	Illorsuat	1	100	Gun	1	0	Decline	Less birds were seen than usual in this area, perhaps because of less sea-ice this year. In May, the community members only visited this area once.
38	2010	Qaarsut	Common eider	May	Illorsuat	2	7000	Caliber 12	1	1	Increase	No change since 2009 but major increase over the past 5-10 years. The community members were very keen on helping Greenland Institute of Natural Resources census breeding eiders near the tip of Nuussuaq Peninsula. On some of the islets here, there were almost no breeding eiders just 5-10 years ago.
39	2010	Qaarsut	Common eider	Jun.	Illorsuat	1	4000				Increase	
40	2010	Qaarsut	Common eider	Jul.	Illorsuat	0	No data				Don't know	

41	2010	Qaarsut	Common eider	Aug.	Illorsuat	1	3000			Increase	The community members would like the hunting season to begin earlier, e.g. 15 September or 1 October.
42	2010	Qaarsut	Common eider	Sep.	Illorsuat	1	7000			Increase	The community members said that there were perhaps some underreporting of shot eiders. They said it would be useful with improved awareness among the broader community in Qaarsut on the importance of reporting catches.
43	2010	Qaarsut	Caribou	Aug.	Afarsuaq near coast, Nuusuuaq	1	7			Increase	The community members were standing about 150 m.a.s.l. looking towards the main valley of Nuusuuaq. They could not see the 'branches' of this valley where there might have been more animals. The 7 individuals were all 2-3 years old and males.
44	2010	Qaarsut	Caribou	Sep.	Afarsuaq, valley bottom, Nuusuuaq	1	300	Kaliber 222, 22-250	4	Don't know	The community members saw 250-300 individuals. This was a mixed flock with both young and adult males. More individuals and higher proportion of young than last year. Because of bad weather, the community members came to this area later in 2010 than in 2009. The animals move southwards for mating at this time of the year so the community members said that the numbers may already have changed. After counting the animals, they went hunting. They shot 4 males. These were generally in better body condition than those shot in 2009. They would like to help the government census caribou. During winter, sledge and snow scooter are used for hunting; females with unborn young are shot. They would like a ban on hunting females during winter.
45	2010	Qaarsut	Humpback whale	Sep.	Tip of Nuussuaq peninsula	No data	6			Don't know	Observed 6 between Kanisut and Kangeq. Moreover, they saw another 2 at Nugssuta.
46	2010	Qaarsut	Narwhale	Nov.	Salliup kujataatungaa	3	88	Dinghy	4	Decline	Most of the time it was bad weather. When the weather was fine, cargo ships disturbed the narwhales, so the whales fled to the sea. Further inside the fiord, there was a killer whale. The quota for narwhale is considered 'too small for year-round hunting'.
47	2010	Qaarsut	Narwhale	Dec.	Ujarattoorsuit avannaat	2	16	Dinghy	0	Decline	
48	2010	Qaarsut	Humpback whale	Oct.	Qaarsut saani	2	7			Increase	

49	2010	Qaarsut	Humpback whale	Nov.	Qaarsut saani	1		2			Increase	
50	2010	Qaarsut	Humpback whale	Dec.	Qaarsut saani	1		2			Increase	
51	2010	Qaarsut	Common eider	Oct.	Nuussuaq	1		20000			Increase	Very large numbers observed, estimated 15,000 - 20,000 individuals.
52	2010	Qaarsut	Minke whale	Oct.	Serfarsuit	1		1			Unchanged	
53	2010	Qaarsut	Canada goose	Oct.	Qaarsut masarsui	7		111			Increase	Increasing numbers seen year for year.
54	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, adult	May	Akunnaaq HFA	68	26		Cal. 17; 22 magnum	1	Unchanged	First was seen 19 May. Usually the adult harp seals arrive on the same day as the Arctic terns, i.e. 13 May. Large flocks were observed twice in May. They followed the capelin, sometimes they came close to land.
55	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, adult	Jun.	Akunnaaq HFA	76	59		Cal. 17; 22 magnum	3	Unchanged	In mid June they followed the capelin out of the fiords again.
56	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, adult	Jul.	Akunnaaq HFA	77	25		Cal. 17; 22 magnum	1	Decline	Perhaps smaller numbers were seen than usual in July to September. Only few large capelin were around. The seals followed their prey.
57	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, adult	Aug.	Akunnaaq HFA	75	0			0	Decline	
58	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, adult	Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	68	2		Cal. 17; 22 magnum	1	Decline	
59	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, young	May	Akunnaaq HFA	18	4			0	Increase	More harp seals were observed in May-June 2010 than in the same months in 2009. The west-ice disappeared faster in 2010 than in the previous years. They used to haul out on the ice. When there was no ice, the seals came nearshore. Grethe Olsen said that 5 years ago, her husband came home with ringed seals in May-June, but this year with young harp seals. A seismic vessel worked at Attu, Nassuttoq, 67-68 degree N, the hunters said that they saw almost no marine mammals in that area at that time.
60	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, young	Jun.	Akunnaaq HFA	20	1			0	Increase	
61	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, young	Jul.	Akunnaaq HFA	23	5		Cal. 17; 22 magnum	5	Unchanged	
62	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, young	Aug.	Akunnaaq HFA	22	2		Cal. 17; 22 magnum	2	Unchanged	

63	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, young	Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	10	1	Cal. 17; 22 magnum	1	Unchanged	The community members would like that there should still be no quota system for harp seal. They were worried that the increased population of harp seal might eventually lead to high pressure on fish populations and 'collapse' of the marine ecosystem. They would like to reduce the harp seal population by shooting more adults. They would like better opportunities for sale of whole seals.
64	2010	Akunnaaq	Shrimp trawlers	May	Shallow sea off Akunnaaq	No data	5			Unchanged	On average 4-5 trawlers were seen every day and night. Maximum observed 7-8 trawlers. Same numbers as in 2009 but higher numbers than in the previous years. The trawlers moved closer to land and repeatedly trawled the same shallow sea-areas when the weather was poor. The vessels were larger and heavier than before, and there were 120 m between the shovels. On the short term, the trawlers were believed to have minimal impact on the sea-floor, but on the long term when they repeatedly trawled in the same shallow area, the sea bottom is thought to be degraded, and the fish populations might change. The community members reported that in the 1960es with smaller shrimp trawlers, the wolffish population suffered; the population only recently returned to the previous abundance levels.
65	2010	Akunnaaq	Shrimp trawlers	Jun.	Shallow sea off Akunnaaq	No data	1			Decline	1 trawler was seen every day and night.
66	2010	Akunnaaq	Shrimp trawlers	Jul.	Shallow sea off Akunnaaq	No data	1			Decline	1 trawler was seen every day and night.
67	2010	Akunnaaq	Shrimp trawlers	Aug.	Shallow sea off Akunnaaq	No data	3			Increase	2-3 trawlers were seen every day and night.
68	2010	Akunnaaq	Shrimp trawlers	Sep.	Shallow sea off Akunnaaq	No data	3			Increase	2-3 trawlers were seen every day and night.
69	2010	Akunnaaq	Common eider	May	Akunnaaq HFA	68	See comments		0	Increase	Eiders were seen at every trip May-June. The number was up to 3000 and sometimes 6000 in May. In June there were smaller flocks and they were more dispersed.
70	2010	Akunnaaq	Common eider	Jun.	Akunnaaq HFA	76	See comments		0	Increase	No attempt was made to count the total number of nests, but just on one islet 20 nests were seen.
71	2010	Akunnaaq	Common eider	Jul.	Akunnaaq HFA	77	See comments		0	Increase	The increase in numbers was believed to perhaps be related to less sea-ice during winter. The community members did not know if the legal protection during spring had had an impact.

72	2010	Akunnaaq	Common eider	Aug.	Akunnaaq HFA	75				0	Increase		
73	2010	Akunnaaq	Common eider	Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	68				0	Increase		
74	2010	Akunnaaq	Brünnich's guillemot	May	Akunnaaq HFA	68	See comments				Don't know	No knowledge of the numbers.	
75	2010	Akunnaaq	Brünnich's guillemot	Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	68	0				Unchanged	Most had left the area.	
76	2010	Akunnaaq	Canada goose	May	Akunnaaq HFA	68	68			0	Increase	First seen on 9 May. In recent years, a breeding population was established on many islands around Akunnaaq.	
77	2010	Akunnaaq	Canada goose	Jun.-Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data	Seen every day	No data		5	Increase	The community members only hunt Canada goose occasionally. There is almost no hunting pressure on this species.	
78	2010	Akunnaaq	Snow goose	May-Sep.	Kitsissunnguit	e comments					Increase	Observed 2 at Kitsissunnguit May 2009 and 1 in September 2010.	
79	2010	Akunnaaq	Arctic tern	May-Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	e comments					Increase	Observed every day. Still some collection of eggs is undertaken at Kitsissunnguit by hunters from other areas when they pass by the islands.	
80	2010	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Apr.	Akunnaaq HFA			LL	30 trips	12 t	Increase	Long-lines were set every second day (sometimes every day if bait is available). Wolffish were caught as long as they could be sold. Up to 250-800 kg were caught at each fishing trip. 30 fishing trips were made.	
81	2010	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	May	Akunnaaq HFA	e comments					No data on tre	The main fish caught was lumpsucker. Wolffish fishing is only supplementary fishing during the month of May.	
82	2010	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Jun.	Akunnaaq HFA	e comments					No data on tre	There was no fishing of wolffish this month.	
83	2010	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Jul.	Akunnaaq HFA	e comments					No data on tre	From July to October, wolffish don't have teeth and they don't bite on the hooks.	
84	2010	Akunnaaq	Caribou	Aug.	Nassuttooq	27	19			0	Unchanged	Two hunting trips (6 person-days and 21 person-days). Saw 7 and 12 caribous, respectively.	
85	2010	Akunnaaq	Caribou	Sep.	Nassuttooq	21	15			0	Unchanged	Two hunting trips (6 person-days and 15 person-days). Saw 3 and 12 caribous, respectively.	
86	2010	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Apr.-May	Akunnaaq HFA	120				No data	Increase	Increase in catch per unit effort.	
87	2010	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Jun.-Jul.	Akunnaaq HFA	120				No data	Increase		
88	2010	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Aug.-Sep.	Akunnaaq HFA	120				No data	Increase		

89	2010	Akunnaaq	Greenland halibut	Feb.	Akunnaaq HFA	60			No data	Increase	Increase in catch per unit effort. When there were less trawlers, there were more halibuts. When large numbers of seals, narwhales and beluga whales arrive in the area, the halibuts seem to disappear.
90	2010	Akunnaaq	Greenland halibut	Mar.	Akunnaaq HFA	60			No data	Increase	
91	2010	Akunnaaq	Greenland halibut	Apr.-May	Akunnaaq HFA	60			No data	Increase	
92	2010	Akunnaaq	Arctic fox	No data	Akunnaaq HFA	No data			No data	Increase	The population seems to have increased compared to 2009. In some areas large numbers of foxes were observed.
93	2009	Akunnaaq	Narwhale	Nov.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data			No data	Increase	Increase in numbers observed. Perhaps related to increased abundance of Greenland halibut.
94	2010	Akunnaaq	Narwhale	Jan.-May	Akunnaaq HFA	No data			No data	Increase	
95	2010	Akunnaaq	Humpback whale	Nov.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	Humpback whales are considered a nuisance to dinghy traffic and fisheries.
96	2011	Akunnaaq	Humpback whale	Jan.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	
97	2010	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Nov.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data			No data	Increase	There were areas where Atlantic cod was very plentiful.
98	2011	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Jan.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data			No data	Increase	
99	2010	Akunnaaq	Brünnich's guillemot	Nov.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	The number of Brünnich's guillemot during winter appears to be increasing.
100	2011	Akunnaaq	Brünnich's guillemot	Jan.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	The number of Brünnich's guillemot during winter appears to be increasing.
101	2010	Akunnaaq	Common eider	Nov.-Dec	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	
102	2011	Akunnaaq	Common eider	Jan.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	
103	2010	Akunnaaq	Large gulls	Nov.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	every day				Increase	The number of large gulls was increasing.
104	2011	Akunnaaq	Large gulls	Jan.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data				Increase	
105	2010	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Oct.-Nov.	Akunnaaq HFA	60	20	LL		Increase	The fishing of wolffish was stopped because the trading place would not buy more wolffish.
106	2010	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Oct.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data		Net		Increase	The fishing of cod was regularly stopped because the quota was believed to be too small. The cods were however plentiful at this time.
107	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, young	Oct.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	80	80	Cal. 17		Increase	There were more young harp seals than at the same time in 2009.
108	2010	Akunnaaq	Harp seal, adult	Oct.-Dec.	Akunnaaq HFA	No data		Cal. 17		Increase	There were plenty of prey and many adult harp seals compared to the same time in 2009.

109	2011	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Jul.	In front of Akunnaaq	19	Dinghy, hook and line	No data	Increase	There was no place to sell cod, so only few were caught.
110	2011	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Aug.	LB23/LB24	25		No data	Increase	
111	2011	Akunnaaq	Atlantic cod	Sep.	LB23/LB24	36		No data	Increase	
112	2011	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Jul.	LB23/LB24	25	LL from dinghy	No data	Increase	There was an increase in the catch per unit effort. Because of shrimptrawlers, the long-lines had to be set near the land.
113	2011	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Aug.	LB23/LB24	35		No data	Increase	
114	2011	Akunnaaq	Wolffish sp.	Sep.	LB23/LB24	60		No data	Increase	
115	2011	Akunnaaq	Greenland halibut	Jul.	LB23/LB24	4	Dinghy	No data	Increase	There was an increase in the catch per unit effort. The population seemed to have recovered from previous low numbers.
116	2011	Akunnaaq	Greenland halibut	Aug.	LB23/LB24	6		No data	Increase	
117	2011	Akunnaaq	Greenland halibut	Sep.	LB23/LB24	10		No data	Increase	
118	2011	Akunnaaq	Caribou	Aug.-Sep.	Nassuttooq	No data			Unchanged	High frequency of small and slim caribous was seen. Perhaps the poor body condition was caused by extensive drought.
119	2011	Akunnaaq	Musk ox	Aug.-Sep.	Naternaq	No data			Decline	No musk ox was seen near the beach. They were only found far inland. They were not widely dispersed there but clumped together in a few groups.
120	2011	Akunnaaq	Large gulls	Jul.-Sep.	LB23/LB24	No data			Increase	The gulls were considered a nuisance to the long-line fishery. They ate the bait.