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| **Name** | **Coordinates** | **Years since harvest** | **Total searches** | **Time of sampling** | *H. araneus* | | | *C. maenas* | | | *C. irroratus* | | |
| % (total) | low | mid | % (total) | low | mid | % (total) | low | mid |
| 1. Sæbraut, Seltjarnarnes (Saeb) | 64º 08.81’N, 21º 59.18’W | NMH | 8 | D | 2% | 0.05±0.03 | 0.0±0.0 | 98% | 1.03±0.19 | 1.4±0.21 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 2. Bolaklettar, Hvalfjörður (Bola) | 64º 20.19’N, 21º 41.82’W | NMH | 8 | D | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 | 99% | 1.65±0.18 | 1.7±0.19 | 1% | 0.03±0.03 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 3. Maðkavík, Stykkishólmur (Madk) | 65º 04.46’N, 22º 43.24’W | NMH | 8 | N | 21% | 0.58±0.36 | 0.0±0.0 | 79% | 0.50±0.2 | 1.7±0.7 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 4. Hnúksnes, Skarðströnd (Hnux) | 65º 12.21’N, 22º 30.76’W | 4 | 6\* | D | 88% | 1.84±0.63 | 1.12±0.34 | 4% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.12±0.02 | 8% | 0.26±0.07 | 0.03±0.03 |
| 5. Skarðstöð, Skarðströnd (Skar) | 65º 17.44’N, 22º 21.47’W | 15 | 6 | N | 84% | 2.43±0.79 | 0.23±0.12 | 14% | 0.23±0.07 | 0.2±0.0 | 2% | 0.03±0.03 | 0.03±0.03 |
| 6. Fagridalur, Skarðströnd (Fagr) | 65º 21.39’N, 22º 05.16’W | 4 | 8 | D | 94% | 1.13±0.6 | 0.45±0.1 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 | 6% | 0.1±0.1 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 7. Karlsey, Reykjanes (Karl) | 65º 25.56’N, 22º 12.33’W | 1 (yearly) | 8 | N | 100% | 1.88±0.72 | 0.75±0.75 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 8. Klauf, Reykjanes (Klau) | 65º 29.08’N, 22º 23.64’W | 6 | 8 | N | 100% | 1.05±0.05 | 0.38±0.28 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 9. Kleifastaðir, Kollafjörður (Kleif) | 65º 31.82’N, 22º 29.26’W | 12 | 14 | D | 99% | 0.63±0.21 | 0.4±0.17 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 | 1% | 0.01±0.01 | 0.0±0.0 |
| 10. Fjörður, Skálmarnes (Fjor) | 65º 33.87’N, 22º 50.10’W | 2 | 16 | D/N | 91% | 0.58±0.17 | 0.31±0.18 | 0% | 0.0±0.0 | 0.0±0.0 | 9% | 0.06±0.04 | 0.03±0.02 |

*Table 1. Names (with abbreviations), location of crab sampling sites, time since last harvest of* Ascophyllum *at the time of the study, total number of searches performed and time of the day when sampled (N= non-dark just after midnight; D= early afternoon). For each species, total percentage for each site and abundances +/- SE are included. NMH=Never Mechanically Harvested.*

*\*Two 3-minute searches done*