



**This is to certify that:**  
**FISF Faroe Islands demersal**

*Has been evaluated by Global Trust Certification, ASI Accreditation Code ASI-ACC-035, and has been found to meet the requirements of the:*

**Marine Stewardship Council (MSC)**  
**Fisheries Standard Version 2.01**

The client can therefore claim the fishery to be a “Well Managed and Sustainable Fishery”, in accordance with MSC’s Principles and Criteria for Sustainable Fishing.

**The client for the fishery is:**  
**Faroe Islands Sustainable Fisheries**  
**Kósarbrúgvín 3, P.O. Box 56, FO-710 Klaksvík, The Faroe Islands**

**SCOPE:**

Species:	1. <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i> ; 2. <i>Brosme brosme</i> ; 3. <i>Molva molva</i> ; 4. <i>Pollachius virens</i>
Common Name:	1. Haddock; 2. Tusk; 3. Ling; 4. Saithe
Geographical Range of Fishing Operation:	FAO Area 27 Atlantic Northeast, ICES Division 5.b Faroes grounds
Stock:	1. Haddock in ICESs Division 5.b; 2. Tusk in ICES Subareas 4 and 7-9, and in Divisions 3.a, 5.b, 6.a and 12.b; 3. Ling in ICES Division 5.b.; 4. Saithe in ICES Division 5.b.
Method(s) of Capture:	1. Demersal trawl; 2. Longlines; 3. Jigs;
Management System:	The Faroe Islands Ministry of Fisheries
Client Group:	Faroe Islands Sustainable Fisheries (FISF)
Group Members:	An up to date list of Client Group members is available in Appendix 1 to this Certificate.
Entry Point of Chain of Custody:	This Certificate extends to the first point of landing and sale. For more detailed information on the scope of this Certificate refer to the Public Certification Report.
Inseparable or Practicably Inseparable Catches:	None
Registration No:	MSC-F-31402
Certification Date:	24 <sup>th</sup> October 2018
Certificate Issue Date:	08 <sup>th</sup> March 2023
Re-Assessment Due Date:	To be announced by 16 <sup>th</sup> March 2023 (4 <sup>th</sup> anniversary of cert + 3 months)
Certificate Expiry Date:	17 <sup>th</sup> June 2024



**Signed on behalf of Global Trust Certification:**

**Dale Newitt**

**Director, Supply Chain Food Safety - Seafood**

**Annex 1 to Certificate MSC-F-31402:****Fishery Certificate Statement****For:****FISF Faroe Islands demersal****Up to date as of:** 14<sup>th</sup> December 2023.**Parties currently eligible to access this certificate**

The parties (i.e. vessels, fleets and/or any other client group members, including named companies) that are currently eligible to access this fishery certificate are all registered Faroese vessels that carry valid permits for fishing within the Faroese Exclusive Economic Zone issued by the Faroese Directorate of Fisheries, and that fish, supply and/or sell fish to members of Faroe Islands Sustainable Fisheries (FISF) and/or its authenticated certificate sharers.

**Other eligible fishers (or other entities that may share the certificate as new client group members)**

Authenticated certificate sharers can be viewed at <https://www.fisf.fo:fo:partur-av-godkenning/> or <https://www.fisf.fo/en/participants/>.

**Points of landing or other transfer and other limits to product eligibility**

Haddock, tusk, ling and saithe landed directly to FISF certificate sharers landing facilities are eligible to enter Chain of Custody and carry MSC logo if the fish is supplied and/or sold to members of FISF and/or its certificate sharers. MSC Chain of custody will commence from the point of landing and sale. All further activities from this point will be subject to Chain of Custody certification in accordance to the MSC Certification Requirement.