

MSC - FISHERY CERTIFICATE

Certificate No.:
F-DNV-251453

Initial date:
31.01.2018

Valid until:
31.01.2023

This is to certify that the Fishery operations of

Norway sandeel, pout and North Sea sprat

Client: Norges Fiskarlag / The Norwegian Fishermen's Association, Pirsenteret, 7462 Trondheim, Norway, has been found to comply with the requirements of

MARINE STEWARDSHIP COUNCIL's (MSC) Principles and Criteria for Sustainable Fishing, v 2.0

This certificate is valid for the following fishery as defined in the Public Certification Reports:

Norway sandeel, using Bottom trawl (including midwater trawl) in sandeel management areas 3r and 4 within ICES IIIa, IVa IVb and IVc. Norway pout, using bottom trawl and midwater trawl (including purse seine) in ICES IIIa and IV. North Sea sprat using midwater trawl and purse seine in ICES IV. The certificate can be used by Norwegian vessels (bottom trawlers, midwater trawlers and purse seiners), with valid licenses to fish Norway sandeel, pout or North Sea sprat in the waters specified above.

The certified fishery has the right to claim the fishery is "Well Managed and Sustainable Fisheries", in accordance with the MSC's Principles and Criteria for Sustainable Fishing. Further claims made about the fishery shall be in accordance with rules established by MSC.

Products (fresh, chilled or frozen whole round Norway sandeel, pout or North Sea sprat), from the fishery landed by Norwegian vessels, recorded by Directorate of Fisheries and Norges Sildesalgslag, and sold through or by approval from Norges Sildesalgslag, are eligible to enter further Chain of Custody. Chain of custody will commence from the point of landing and sale.

For detailed information on scope and chain of custody start, see the Public Certification Report available for download at MSC website: <http://www.msc.org/track-a-fishery/certified>

All changes made to this certificate will be made available for the download at: <http://www.msc.org/track-a-fishery/certified>

Place and date:
Høvik, 3th June 2019



For the Accredited Unit:
DNV GL Business Assurance Norway AS

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