



Asda

Asda is a leading British supermarket retailer and is a subsidiary of multinational corporation, Walmart. With more than 350 stores and the UK's third largest grocery market share in 2017, Asda is a major seafood retailer, selling fresh, frozen and chilled seafood.

Summary

Asda is committed to providing safe, affordable and sustainable seafood to its customers and has a public seafood policy outlining its approach. Asda has been working in partnership with the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership (SFP) since 2011 to better understand the risks within its seafood supply chain, and has pledged to make sure that all fisheries identified as needing improvements take appropriate action. Asda is actively supportive of Fishery Improvement Projects (FIPs). As part of the Walmart Group, Asda is also contributing to the development of industry approaches to address modern slavery in seafood and other high-risk sectors.

Asda was the first supermarket to publicly disclose its wild fish sourcing data in collaboration with SFP through the Ocean Disclosure Project.

<https://sustainability.asda.com/>

<https://sustainability.asda.com/sustainable-fish>

<https://sustainability.asda.com/sites/default/files/Seafood%20policy.pdf>

Associated Fisheries




Fishery Name and Location	Fishing Methods	Certification or FIP	Stock Status and Management	Notes
 <p>Alaska pollock <i>Theragra chalcogramma</i></p> <p>Aleutian Islands, E Bering Sea, Gulf of Alaska</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.S.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Midwater trawl 	Certified	Well managed	∨

Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low and there are mitigation measures in place.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.


 <p>Albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i></p> <p>North Pacific</p> <p>Fishery countries: South Korea</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long line 	Not certified or in a FIP	Managed	∨
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to seabirds, sea turtles, marine mammals and sharks with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bycatch of other tuna, billfishes and sharks is a risk for this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i></p> <p>Indian Ocean</p> <p>Fishery countries: South Korea</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Long line 	Not certified or in a FIP	Needs improvement	∨
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to seabirds, sea turtles, marine mammals and sharks with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bycatch of other tuna, billfishes and sharks is a risk for this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



American lobster
Homarus americanus

SW Nova Scotia

Fishery countries:
Canada

• Pots and traps

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species. The risk to marine mammals of entanglement in lobster gear is considered low.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Caveat

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

Reference

[SAI Global, MSC Assessment for Bay of Fundy, Scotian Shelf and Southern Gulf of St Lawrence lobster \(Homarus americanus\) Trap Fisheries – Public Certification Report, 2015](#)



American lobster
Homarus americanus

Gulf of St. Lawrence
South

Fishery countries:
Canada

• Pots and traps

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species. The risk to marine mammals of entanglement in lobster gear is considered low.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes



Anchoveta
Engraulis ringens

Peruvian Northern-
Central

Fishery countries:
Peru

• Seine nets

**Not certified or in a
FIP**

Managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.



Atlantic cod
Gadus morhua

Icelandic

Fishery countries:
Iceland

- Midwater trawl
- Bottom trawl
- Seine nets
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Long line
- Handlines and pole-lines

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species.
- There is bycatch for this fishery but non-target species are retained. Management measures are in place to reduce impacts on retained species.
- The impact depends on the gear type. Bottom trawls will have the greatest impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Atlantic cod
Gadus morhua

Barents Sea

Fishery countries:
Norway, Russia

- Bottom trawl
- Seine nets
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Hook and line
- Long line

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- There are risks to seabirds and marine mammals with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- There is bycatch for this fishery but non-target species are retained. Management measures are in place to reduce impacts on retained species.
- The impact depends on the gear type. Bottom trawls will have the greatest impact on the sea bed. MSC conditions and recommendations are in place to strengthen understanding of fishery interactions with sensitive habitat.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Atlantic cod
Gadus morhua

Norwegian coastal

Fishery countries:
Norway

- Long line

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- There is bycatch for this fishery but non-target species are retained. Management measures are in place to reduce impacts on retained species.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Atlantic herring
Clupea harengus

NE Atlantic Spring spawners

Fishery countries:
Denmark, France, Germany,
Lithuania, Netherlands, U.K.,
Faroe Islands, Iceland,
Norway

- Midwater trawl
- Purse seine

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes



Atlantic herring
Clupea harengus

W of Scotland

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Midwater trawl

Not certified or in a FIP

Needs improvement



Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

The SPSP West of Scotland herring Pelagic Trawl fishery was MSC-certified but its certification was suspended in February 2016.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the West of Scotland fishery for Atlantic herring with pelagic trawls as "Rating 5 (red)" as the stock is depleted.

Caveat

The stock status and management rating and environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Herring or slid, West of Scotland, West of Ireland](#)



Atlantic mackerel
Scomber scombrus

NE Atlantic

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Midwater trawl

Certified

Well managed




Environmental Notes

- There are risks to PET species with this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- Bycatch in this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Chum salmon <i>Oncorhynchus keta</i></p> <p>Alaska</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.S.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seine nets • Purse seine • Gillnets and entangling nets • Long line • Pots and traps 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Management measures are in place to minimise bycatch of non-target salmon stocks.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.


General Notes

Caveat

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[Intertek Moody Marine, 2013, Alaska Salmon Fishery MSC Public Certification Report](#)

 <p>Chum salmon <i>Oncorhynchus keta</i></p> <p>British Columbia – West Coast Vancouver Island</p> <p>Fishery countries: Canada</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Seine nets • Purse seine • Gillnets and entangling nets • Long line • Pots and traps 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Management measures are in place to minimise bycatch of non-target salmon stocks.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Caveat

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[Acoura Marine, 2017, British Columbia Salmon Fishery MSC Public Certification Report](#)


 <p>Common squids nei <i>Loligo spp.</i></p> <p>Indonesian waters</p> <p>Fishery countries: Indonesia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Lift nets 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Profile not yet complete</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Deep-water Cape hake <i>Merluccius paradoxus</i></p> <p>South Africa</p> <p>Fishery countries: South Africa</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to seabirds with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place. An MSC condition is in place to gather information on fishery impacts on bird species.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed. An MSC condition is in place to investigate options for protecting benthic habitats.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Edible crab <i>Cancer pagurus</i></p> <p>East Coast Scotland, Southern North Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pots and traps 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to sea turtles and marine mammals with this fishery.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low. Non-target species are usually released alive.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Other ratings


The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Southern North Sea fishery for edible crab using creels and pots as "Rating 3 (yellow)".

Caveat

The stock status and management rating for this fishery is based on a provisional assessment and is not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide – Crab, brown or edible, Southern North Sea](#)

 <p>Edible crab <i>Cancer pagurus</i></p> <p>Orkney</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Pots and traps 	<p>FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to sea turtles and marine mammals of entanglement in pot ropes with this fishery.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low. Non-target species are usually released alive.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

The Orkney edible crab creel fishery entered into the MSC assessment process in May 2017.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Orkney fishery for edible crab using creels and pots as "Rating 2 (pale green)".

Caveat

The stock status and management rating for this fishery is based on a provisional assessment and is not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Crab, brown or edible, Orkney](#)



European hake

Merluccius merluccius

NE Atlantic northern stock

Fishery countries:
Denmark, Spain, U.K.

- Bottom trawl
- Seine nets
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Long line

Some product from certified fisheries

Needs improvement



Environmental Notes

- There are risks to marine mammals, sharks, skates and rays with this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- The impact depends on the gear type. Bottom trawls will directly impact the sea bed. However, management measures are in place.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



European pilchard

Sardina pilchardus

Bay of Biscay, Southern Celtic Seas and English Channel

Fishery countries:
France, Ireland, Spain, U.K.

- Midwater trawl
- Purse seine
- Gillnets and entangling nets

Some product from certified fisheries

Managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



European pilchard

Sardina pilchardus

- Midwater trawl
- Purse seine

FIP

Managed



NW Africa central

Fishery countries:
Morocco

Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

**European pilchard**

Sardina pilchardus

NW Africa southern

Fishery countries:
Morocco

- Midwater trawl
- Purse seine

FIP**Managed****Environmental Notes**

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

**European plaice**

Pleuronectes platessa

Icelandic

Fishery countries:
Iceland

- Bottom trawl
- Seine nets

Not certified or in a FIP**Managed****Environmental Notes**

- There are risks to PET species with this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

**European plaice**

Pleuronectes platessa

North Sea and Skagerrak

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Bottom trawl

Certified**Well managed****Environmental Notes**

- Profile not yet complete.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>European sprat <i>Sprattus sprattus</i></p> <p>English channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Midwater trawl 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

 <p>Great Atlantic scallop <i>Pecten maximus</i></p> <p>Eastern English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: France</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dredge 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.
- Dredges will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Other ratings


The Marine Conservation Society categorises the English Channel dredge fishery for Great Atlantic scallop as "Rating 3 (yellow)".

Caveat

The stock status and management rating and environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Scallop, King, scallops, English Channel](#)

 <p>Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></p> <p>Barents Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: Norway</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl • Seine nets • Gillnets and entangling nets • Hook and line • Long line 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species, but available data is still limited.
- Bycatch varies for this fishery depending on gear type. Long lines and gillnets present the greatest risk.

- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed. An MSC condition is in place to strengthen understanding of fishery interactions with sensitive habitat.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></p> <p>Icelandic</p> <p>Fishery countries: Iceland</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Midwater trawl • Bottom trawl • Seine nets • Gillnets and entangling nets • Long line • Handlines and pole-lines 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed. Measures to protect vulnerable habitats such as cold water coral reefs are in place.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></p> <p>Northern shelf</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl • Seine nets 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- There is bycatch for this fishery but management measures are in place to reduce impacts on retained species.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed. But, the fishery is considered highly unlikely to irreparably reduce habitat structure and function

General Notes

- As a mixed fishery, the effects of management measures on other species need to be considered within an ecosystem context.

 <p>Japanese Flying Squid <i>Todarodes pacificus</i></p> <p>East China Sea and Japan Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: China</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Gillnets and entangling nets • Hook and line 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.

- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the East China Sea fishery for Japanese flying squid as "Rating 2 (pale green)".

Caveat

The stock status and management rating and environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Squid, Japanese flying, East China Sea, Yellow Sea, Bo Hai Sea, Korea Bay](#)

 <p>Lemon sole <i>Microstomus kitt</i></p> <p>Icelandic</p> <p>Fishery countries: Iceland</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl • Seine nets 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Lemon sole <i>Microstomus kitt</i></p> <p>North Sea, Skagerrak and Kattegat, and Eastern English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl • Seine nets 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- This fish is caught as a bycatch species.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Other ratings


The Marine Conservation Society categorises the North Sea, Skagerrak, Kattegat and Eastern English Channel fishery for lemon sole caught with bottom trawl and seine net as "Rating 3 (yellow)".

Caveat

The stock status and management rating for this fishery is based on a provisional assessment and is not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Sole, Lemon, North Sea, Skagerrak, Kattegat and Eastern English Channel](#)

 <p>Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></p> <p>Atlantic Canada: SFAs 2-4</p> <p>Fishery countries:</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

**Northern prawn***Pandalus borealis***Barents Sea****Fishery countries:**

Norway

• Bottom trawl

Certified**Well managed****Environmental Notes**

- Profile not yet complete.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

**Northern prawn***Pandalus borealis***Icelandic offshore****Fishery countries:**

Iceland

• Bottom trawl

**Not certified or in a
FIP****Profile not yet
complete****Environmental Notes**

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

**Northern prawn***Pandalus borealis***Western Greenland****Fishery countries:**

Greenland

• Bottom trawl

Certified**Well managed****Environmental Notes**

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.

- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

 <p>Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i></p> <p>Irish Sea East</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Caveat

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Lobster, Norway, Langoustine, Dublin Bay prawn or scampi, Irish Sea East](#)

 <p>Patagonian scallop <i>Zygochlamys patagonica</i></p> <p>Argentina</p> <p>Fishery countries: Argentina</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed. However, management measures are in place.

General Notes

Caveat

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[Organizacion Internacional Agropecuaria \(OIA\), June 2017, Public Comment Draft Report for Patagonian Scallop Bottom Otter Trawl Fishery in Argentine Sea](#)

 <p>Peruvian calico scallop <i>Argopecten purpuratus</i></p> <p>SE Pacific</p> <p>Fishery countries: Peru</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rake / hand gathered / hand netted 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.

- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.


 <p>Pink salmon <i>Oncorhynchus gorbuscha</i></p> <p>Alaska</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.S.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purse seine • Gillnets and entangling nets • Long line 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species. However, available information is outdated.
- There is no risk of bycatch for this fishery. Catches of other salmon species are accounted for in the pink salmon management.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Queen scallop <i>Aequipecten opercularis</i></p> <p>Irish Sea and W of Scotland</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dredge 	<p>FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery.
- Dredges will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Irish Sea dredge fishery for Queen scallop as "Rating 4 (orange)".

Caveat

The stock status and management rating for this fishery is based on a provisional assessment and is not derived from the FishSource profile.

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide – Scallop, Queen, scallops, Irish Sea](#)

 <p>Skipjack tuna <i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i></p> <p>Eastern Atlantic Ocean</p> <p>Fishery countries: Senegal</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Handlines and pole-lines 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Skipjack tuna

Katsuwonus pelamis

Indian Ocean

Fishery countries:
Indonesia

- Handlines and pole-lines

FIP

Managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Skipjack tuna

Katsuwonus pelamis

Western and Central
Pacific Ocean

Fishery countries:
Indonesia

- Purse seine
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Hook and line
- Long line
- Handlines and pole-lines

FIP

Managed



Environmental Notes

- Risks to PET species vary by gear type. Longlines and purse seine gear present a hazard to seabirds, sea turtles, marine mammals and sharks.
- Bycatch varies for this fishery depending on gear type. Longlines and purse seine gear present the greatest risk, while bycatch for pole and line gear is considered very low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Skipjack tuna

Katsuwonus pelamis

Western and Central
Pacific Ocean

Fishery countries:
New Zealand

- Purse seine

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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to sea turtles and marine mammals with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

**Sockeye salmon***Oncorhynchus nerka***Alaska**Fishery countries:
U.S.

- Purse seine
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Long line

Certified**Well managed****Environmental Notes**

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the benthic habitat.

General Notes**Caveat**

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References[Intertek Moody Marine, 2013, MSC Public Certification Report for the Alaska Salmon Fishery](#)**Sockeye salmon***Oncorhynchus nerka***British Columbia**Fishery countries:
Canada

- Seine nets
- Purse seine
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Pots and traps

Certified**Well managed****Environmental Notes**

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the benthic habitat.

General Notes**Caveat**

The environmental notes for this fishery are based on a provisional assessment and are not derived from the FishSource profile.

References[Accoura Marine, 2017, MSC Public Certification Report for the British Columbia Salmon Fishery](#)**Whiting***Merlangius merlangus***North Sea and Eastern English Channel**Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Gillnets and entangling nets

Not certified or in a FIP**Managed****Environmental Notes**

- There are risks to marine mammals with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bycatch is a risk in this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Yellowfin tuna

Thunnus albacares

Eastern Pacific Ocean

Fishery countries:

Costa Rica, Ecuador, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, Spain, U.S.

- Purse seine
- Long line
- Handlines and pole-lines

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Environmental Notes

- Risks to PET species vary by gear type. Longlines present a hazard to sea turtles. Dolphin-set purse seine gear interacts with marine mammals. There is also a risk to seabirds with this fishery.
- Bycatch varies for this fishery depending on gear type. Longlines and purse seine gear present the greatest risk, while bycatch for pole and line gear is considered very low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Yellowfin tuna

Thunnus albacares

Indian Ocean

Fishery countries:

Indonesia, South Korea, Maldives

- Seine nets
- Long line
- Handlines and pole-lines

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Environmental Notes

- Risks to PET species vary by gear type. Longlines present a hazard to seabirds, sea turtles, marine mammals and sharks, but these risks can be reduced through proper management of fishing gear.
- Bycatch varies for this fishery depending on gear type. Longlines present the greatest risk, while bycatch for pole and line gear is considered very low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Yellowfin tuna

Thunnus albacares

Western and Central Pacific Ocean

Fishery countries:

Indonesia, South Korea, Philippines

- Purse seine
- Gillnets and entangling nets
- Long line
- Handlines and pole-lines

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Environmental Notes

- Risks to PET species vary by gear type. Longlines and purse seine gear present a hazard to seabirds, sea turtles, marine mammals and sharks.
- Bycatch varies for this fishery depending on gear type. Longlines and purse seine gear present the greatest risk, while bycatch for pole and line gear is considered very low.

- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



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