



Morrisons

Morrisons is a major British supermarket retailer, with more than 100,000 colleagues in 491 stores serving over 11 million customers every week. Morrisons operates its own sites making meat, fruit and veg, fish, bakery and fresh food products – 17 in all – and is unique in preparing and making more than half of the fresh food sold in its stores, supported by over 9,000 trained butchers, bakers, fishmongers, cheesemongers and other skilled in-store specialists. Morrisons currently offers its customers a range of nearly 70 seafood species, with its range of wild caught seafood covering more than 50 species.

Summary

Morrisons aims to source its seafood from fisheries and farms that use methods which are the least detrimental to the marine environment, provide equitable working conditions and stable incomes to those employed within them. All species must meet a set of sustainability criteria before they can be stocked in store. Morrisons partners with the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership (SFP) to inform its seafood source risks assessments, and works with suppliers to address issues where they are identified. In 2015, Morrisons became one of the first companies to disclose its seafood sourcing list through the Ocean Disclosure Project. This disclosure represents wild caught fish and seafood used in Morrisons products and includes minor ingredients. While progress is being made on the capture of information for source fisheries used in aquaculture feed, these are not included.

Morrisons supports the Seafish Responsible Fishing Scheme, a standard for crew welfare and responsible catching practices on board fishing vessels and has committed to source its UK caught and landed wild capture seafood from Responsible Fishing Scheme-certified vessels. Morrisons is a member of the Sustainable Seafood Coalition (SSC), a partnership of UK businesses working together to support sustainable seafood, and has adopted the SSC voluntary codes of conduct for the environmental labelling and sourcing of seafood products.

Morrison's has a tuna-specific policy stating that it will only source tuna from pole and line fisheries or fisheries that do not use fish aggregating devices (FADs). In support of this commitment to sustainable tuna, the retailer also aims to source its tuna from vessels that are independently assessed and listed on the International Seafood Sustainability Foundation (ISSF)'s Proactive Vessel Register, which represents vessels that are engaged in tuna sustainability efforts.

<https://www.morrison's-corporate.com/cr/seafood/>

<https://www.morrison's-corporate.com/cr/policy/>

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 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</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 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>Alaska pollock <i>Theragra chalcogramma</i></p> <p>Sea of Okhotsk</p> <p>Fishery countries: Russia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Midwater 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.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.


 Albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i> North Atlantic Fishery countries: Suriname	<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

- Morrisons are committed to promoting uptake of the ISSF Proactive Vessel Register (PVR), which independently verifies that the fishing practices of the boat meets the regional fishery requirements, and continue to work towards full registration of supply vessels. In 2015, Morrisons began to directly support ISSF in their advocacy to Governments to improve their tuna fishery management controls.


 Albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i> North Pacific Fishery countries: U.S.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Hook and line• Handlines and pole-lines	Certified	Well managed	∨
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species; incidental capture of PET species by troll and handline gear is uncommon.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- Morrisons are committed to promoting uptake of the ISSF Proactive Vessel Register (PVR), which independently verifies that the fishing practices of the boat meets the regional fishery requirements, and continue to work towards full registration of supply vessels. In 2015, Morrisons began to directly support ISSF in their advocacy to Governments to improve their tuna fishery management controls.

 <p>Albacore <i>Thunnus alalunga</i></p> <p>South Pacific</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.S.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Hook and 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; incidental capture of PET species by troll and handline gear is uncommon.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- Morrisons are committed to promoting uptake of the ISSF Proactive Vessel Register (PVR), which independently verifies that the fishing practices of the boat meets the regional fishery requirements, and continue to work towards full registration of supply vessels. In 2015, Morrisons began to directly support ISSF in their advocacy to Governments to improve their tuna fishery management controls.

				
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<p>American lobster <i>Homarus americanus</i></p> <p>Gulf of Maine</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.S.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pots and traps 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to marine mammals with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bycatch of fin-fish, particularly cod, is a risk in this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- While this fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed, an MSC condition is in place to better understand potential habitat impacts.

General Notes

- No additional notes

 <p>American lobster <i>Homarus americanus</i></p> <p>Gulf of St. Lawrence South</p> <p>Fishery countries: Canada</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 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. 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

- Purse
seine

FIP

Managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to have direct impacts on PET species but may impact food availability to PET species. The FIP aims to better understand the impacts of the fishery on PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low. However, anomalous environmental conditions observed since 2013 have been associated with an increased catch of non-target species.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed. The FIP aims to better understand the impacts of the fishery on habitats.

General Notes

- This fishery entered into two FIPs in January 2017, one for the [small scale purse-seine fishery](#) and one for the [industrial purse-seine fishery](#).
- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.



Angler

Lophius piscatorius

Southern
Celtic Sea and
Bay of Biscay

- Bottom
trawl

FIP

Needs
improvement



Fishery countries:
U.K.

Environmental Notes

- There are risks to sharks, skates and rays with this fishery. Occasional interactions with marine mammals occur.
- 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. However, management measures are in place.

General Notes

- Morrisons has worked with fisher organisations, suppliers and Seafish in the development of an ecological risk assessment for this fishery and is supporting [Project UK Fisheries Improvements](#) to transition the fishery to third party certification.



Argentine anchovy

Engraulis anchoita

North of 41°S to Santa Catarina

Fishery countries:
Argentina

- Midwater trawl

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- Occasional interactions with seabirds and marine mammals are known to occur within this fishery, but data is too limited to state whether this hinders their recovery. An MSC condition is in place to provide evidence of effects 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>Atlantic cod <i>Gadus morhua</i></p> <p>Barents Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: Faroe Islands, Greenland, Norway, Russia</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

- 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.

 <p>Atlantic cod <i>Gadus morhua</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Midwater trawl ▪ Bottom trawl ▪ Seine nets 		<p>Well</p>	
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<p>Icelandic</p> <p>Fishery countries: Iceland</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ 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 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.


 <p>Atlantic cod <i>Gadus morhua</i></p> <p>Newfoundland 2J3KL</p> <p>Fishery countries: Canada</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bottom trawl 	<p>FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

- This fishery is in the [Canada Atlantic cod \(2J3KL\) – longline/trawl/gillnet/hook & line FIP](#).

 <p>Atlantic cod <i>Gadus morhua</i></p> <p>North Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</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 have a significant impact on PET species but occasional interactions with elasmobranchs (skates, rays and sharks), grey seals, and allis shad may occur.
- The main bycatch species include haddock, whiting and saithe, among others. MSC conditions are in place regarding bycatch.
- 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

- No additional notes.

 <p>Atlantic cod <i>Gadus morhua</i></p> <p>Norwegian coastal</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. An MSC condition is in place to review gear interactions with PET species and implement mitigation measures where needed.
- Bycatch is a risk in this fishery but there are mitigation measures in place. An MSC condition is in place to assess and manage potential impacts on bycatch species.
- The impact depends on the gear type. An MSC condition is in place to assess the impact of the fisheries on sensitive habitats.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 Atlantic herring <i>Clupea harengus</i> Celtic sea and S of Ireland Fishery countries: Ireland	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Midwater trawl	Certified	Well managed	∨
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 Atlantic herring <i>Clupea harengus</i> English and Bristol	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Purse seine	Not certified or in a FIP	Profile not yet complete	∨
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Channels

Fishery
countries:
U.K.

Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Bycatch for this fishery is likely to be low.
- 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:
Netherlands, U.K.

- 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

North Sea Autumn spawners

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Midwater trawl

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 mackerel

Scomber scombrus

NE Atlantic

Fishery countries:
Denmark,
France,
Germany,
Ireland,
Lithuania,
Netherlands,
Spain, Sweden,
U.K.

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

Some product from certified fisheries

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.

 Blonde ray <i>Raja brachyura</i> Bristol Channel Fishery countries: U.K.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom trawl	Not certified or in a FIP	Needs improvement	∨
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.

General Notes

Other ratings


The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Bristol Channel fishery for blonde ray caught with demersal otter trawl 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 - Ray, blonde, Bristol Channel](#)

 Blue mussel <i>Mytilus edulis</i> East Jutland	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Dredge	Certified	Well managed	∨
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Fishery countries:
Denmark

Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Profile not yet complete.
- Dredges will directly impact on the sea bed. An MSC condition is in place to assess the impact of mussel dredges on the sea floor.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Blue mussel

Mytilus edulis

Limfjord

Fishery countries:
Denmark

- Dredge

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch in this fishery is considered low.
- Dredges will directly impact on the sea bed. An MSC condition is in place to assess the impact of mussel dredges on the sea floor.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Common cuttlefish

Sepia officinalis

- Bottom trawl
Dots and

Not certified or

Needs improvement



<p>English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Pots and traps 	<p>in a FIP</p>	<p>Improvement</p>	
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the English Channel fishery for cuttlefish using demersal otter trawl and trap 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 - Cuttlefish, English Channel, Demersal otter trawl](#)

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - Cuttlefish, English Channel, Trap](#)

 <p>Common dab</p> <p><i>Limanda limanda</i></p> <p>Celtic Sea and English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottom trawl 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Profile not yet complete</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to skates and rays with this fishery.

- This fish is caught as a bycatch species.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Common edible cockle <i>Cerastoderma edule</i></p> <p>Limfjord</p> <p>Fishery countries: Denmark</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dredge 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</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

- No additional notes.

 <p>Common sole <i>Solea solea</i></p> <p>Western English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl • Gillnets and entangling nets 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery.
- The impact depends on the gear type. Bottom trawls will have the greatest impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Common squids nei

Loligo spp.

Indonesian waters

Fishery countries:
Indonesia

- Lift nets
- Handlines and pole-lines

Not certified or in a FIP

Profile not yet complete



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

- This fishery holds a basic level of certification.



Cuckoo ray

Raja naevus

Celtic Sea

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Bottom trawl

Not certified or in a FIP

Needs improvement



Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Celtic Sea and West of Scotland fishery for cuckoo ray caught with demersal otter trawl 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 - Ray, cuckoo, Celtic Sea and West of Scotland](#)



Deep-water Cape hake

*Merluccius
paradoxus*

South Africa

Fishery
countries:
South Africa

- Bottom
trawl

Certified

**Well
managed**



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</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>Profile not yet complete</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

- No additional notes.

 <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>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 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

This fishery was in an FIP from 2012 to 2017. The Orkney edible crab creel fishery then entered into the full MSC assessment process in May 2017, it is anticipated that if the fishery meets the standard it will be certified in 2018.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Orkney fishery for edible crab using creels and pots as "Rating 3 (yellow)". This rating was downgraded from "Rating 2 (pale green)" in 2018.

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](#)

 Edible crab <i>Cancer pagurus</i> Southern North Sea Fishery countries: U.K.	▪ Pots and traps	Not certified or in a FIP	Needs improvement	▼
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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 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](#)

 Edible crab		Some		
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<p><i>Cancer pagurus</i></p> <p>Western English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Pots and traps 	<p>product</p> <p>from FIP fisheries</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.

General Notes

Morrisons have committed support to [Project UK Fisheries Improvement](#) to oversee the transition of the south west crab and lobster fishery to third party certification.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Western Channel fishery for edible crab 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, Western Channel, V11e](#)

 <p>European anchovy</p> <p><i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i></p> <p>Black Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: Turkey</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Midwater trawl ▪ Purse seine 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery may impact food availability to PET species.
- Profile not yet complete.

- 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>European anchovy <i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i></p> <p>Northern Adriatic Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: Italy</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Midwater trawl • Purse seine 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Needs improvement</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Profile not yet complete.

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>European anchovy <i>Engraulis encrasicolus</i></p> <p>NW Africa</p> <p>Fishery countries: Morocco</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purse seine 	<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

- This fishery holds a basic level of certification.
- This fish plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.


 <p>European hake <i>Merluccius merluccius</i></p> <p>NE Atlantic northern stock</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Gillnets and entangling nets	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to marine mammals, sharks, skates and rays with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place, including the use of acoustic pingers.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place. An MSC condition is in place to establish a discard monitoring programme.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>European pilchard</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Purse seine			
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<p><i>Sardina pilchardus</i></p> <p>Bay of Biscay, Southern Celtic Seas and English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: France, U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gillnets and entangling nets 	<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.
- 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>European pilchard</p> <p><i>Sardina pilchardus</i></p> <p>NW Africa central</p> <p>Fishery countries: Morocco</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Midwater trawl ▪ Purse seine 	<p>FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- Available data is still limited, but work is underway in the Moroccan FIP to determine fishery interactions with PET species.
- Bycatch in this fishery is considered low, but available data is still limited. Work is in progress in the Moroccan FIP to identify and quantify discards.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fishery is covered by the [Morocco sardine – pelagic trawl and seine FIP](#).
- 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

Eastern English Channel, Western English Channel,

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- 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.
- The impact depends on the gear type. Bottom trawls will directly impact the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



European plaice

Pleuronectes platessa

Icelandic

Fishery

- Bottom trawl
- Seine nets

Certified

Well managed



countries:

Iceland

Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to cause unacceptable impacts to PET species.
- There is bycatch for this fishery but management measures are in place to reduce impacts.
- 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

- This fishery was MSC certified in 2017.



European plaice

Pleuronectes platessa

Irish Sea

Fishery countries:
U.K.

- Bottom trawl
- Gillnets and entangling nets

Not certified or in a FIP

Managed



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

- No additional notes.



European plaice

Not

Profile not

<p><i>Pleuronectes platessa</i></p> <p>Kattegat, Belts and Sound</p> <p>Fishery countries: Netherlands</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottom trawl 	<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.

General Notes

- Supply of plaice caught by pulse fishing methods is not permitted.


 <p>European plaice</p> <p><i>Pleuronectes platessa</i></p> <p>North Sea and Skagerrak</p> <p>Fishery countries: Netherlands, U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottom trawl Seine nets Gillnets and entangling nets 	<p>Some product from certified fisheries</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to seabirds with this fishery.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery.
- The impact depends on the gear type. Bottom trawls will directly impact the sea bed.

General Notes

- Morrisons have committed support to [Project UK Fisheries Improvement](#) to oversee the transition of the North Sea fishery to third party certification
- Supply of plaice caught by pulse fishing methods is not permitted.

				
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European sprat

Sprattus sprattus

Baltic Sea

Fishery countries:
Latvia

• Midwater trawl

Certified

Well managed



Environmental Notes

- Effects on ETP species are considered highly likely to be within acceptable limits.
- The main bycatch species, Baltic herring, is well managed.
- 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 information from sources other than the FishSource profile.

References

[Bureau Veritas, 2017, MSC Public Certification Report for SLFPO Pelagic Trawl Sprat \(*Sprattus sprattus*\)](#)



European sprat

Sprattus sprattus

English channel

Fishery countries:
U.K.

• Midwater trawl

Not certified or in a FIP

Needs improvement



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>Bristol Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Dredge 	<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.
- Dredges will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- Morrisons support improvements in the understanding of fishing impacts through sponsoring academic research. They also support [Project UK Fisheries improvement](#) to oversee the transition of the English channel fishery to third party certification.

 <p>Great Atlantic scallop <i>Pecten maximus</i></p> <p>Cornwall</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</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

Morrisons support improvements in the understanding of fishing impacts through sponsoring academic research. They also support [Project UK Fisheries improvement](#) to oversee the transition of the English channel fishery to third party certification.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Cornwall dredge fishery for Great Atlantic 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, King, scallops, Cornwall](#)



Great Atlantic scallop

Pecten maximus

Western English Channel

Fishery countries:
U.K.

• Dredge

FIP

Needs improvement



Environmental Notes

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

- Dredges will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

Morrisons support improvements in the understanding of fishing impacts through sponsoring academic research. They also support [Project UK Fisheries improvement](#) to oversee the transition of the English channel fishery to third party certification.

This fishery is covered by the [Channel dredge scallop FIP](#) operating under Project UK.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Western Channel Inshore dredge fishery for Great Atlantic scallop 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 – Scallop, King, scallops, Western Channel Inshore](#)

 <p>Haddock <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i></p> <p>Barents Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: Norway, Russia</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.
- 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.

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"> ▪ Bottom trawl ▪ Seine nets ▪ 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.
- 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>Hardenberg's anchovy <i>Stolephorus insularis</i></p> <p>Thailand</p> <p>Fishery countries: Thailand</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Purse seine 	<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.

General Notes

- No additional notes.


 <p>Horned octopus <i>Eledone cirrhosa</i></p> <p>British waters</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<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.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 Indian squid <i>Loligo duvauceli</i> India Fishery countries: India	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Midwater trawl• Handlines and pole-lines	Not certified or in a FIP	Needs improvement	▼
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to marine mammals with this fishery.
- There is a lack of information on bycatch in this fishery.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- Morrisons supplier is supporting the establishment of a fishery improvement programme for this fishery, which should be formalised within the next year.

 Inshore squids nei <i>Loliginidae</i> NE Atlantic shelf Fishery countries: U.K.	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom trawl	Not certified or in a FIP	Needs improvement	▼
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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

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the North East Atlantic fishery for squid with demersal otter trawls 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 – Squid, Atlantic or European, North East Atlantic, All Areas](#)

 <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">▪ Midwater trawl▪ 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.

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](#)



John dory

Zeus faber

NE Atlantic

Fishery
countries:

U.K.

- Bottom trawl

Not certified or in a FIP

Needs improvement



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the North East Atlantic fishery for John Dory with demersal otter trawl as "Rating 4 (orange)".

Caveat

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

References

[MCS's Good Fish Guide - John Dory, North East Atlantic, Demersal otter trawl](#)



Lemon sole

Microstomus kitt

North Sea,
Skagerrak
and Kattegat,
and Eastern
English
Channel

Fishery

- Bottom trawl
- Seine nets

Some product from FIP fisheries

Needs improvement



countries:
Netherlands, U.K.

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

Morrisons have committed support to [Project UK Fisheries Improvement](#) to oversee the transition of the North Sea fishery to third party certification.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the North Sea, Skagerrak, Kattegat and Eastern English Channel fishery for lemon sole caught with demersal otter 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](#)



Lemon sole

Microstomus kitt

Western
English
Channel

Fishery
countries:
U.K.

• Bottom
trawl

**Not
certified or
in a FIP**

**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.
- Profile not yet complete.

- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Lizardfishes nei (multispecies) <i>Saurida spp.</i></p> <p>Vietnam</p> <p>Fishery countries: Vietnam</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<p>Some product from FIP fisheries</p>	<p>Profile not yet complete</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>Lyrate hard clam <i>Meretrix lyrata</i></p> <p>Ben Tre, Vietnam</p> <p>Fishery countries: Vietnam</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Rake / hand gathered / hand netted 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well managed</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

- No additional notes.


 <p>Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></p> <p>Atlantic Canada: SFAs 1-3, SFAs 5 - 12</p> <p>Fishery countries: Canada</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom trawl	Certified	Well managed	▼
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to seabirds with this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- Profile not yet complete.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- Profile not yet complete for all assessment units.

 <p>Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></p> <p>Barents Sea</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom trawl	Certified	Well managed	▼
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Fishery
countries:
Norway

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*

E Scotian Shelf
SFAs 13–15

Fishery
countries:
Canada

- Bottom
trawl

Some
product
from
certified
fisheries

Managed



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

- The Scotian Shelf fishery was previously MSC-certified but withdrew from the programme in July 2014.



Northern


<p>prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></p> <p>Icelandic offshore</p> <p>Fishery countries: Iceland</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottom trawl 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Profile not yet complete</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.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fishery is currently undergoing MSC full assessment.
- This species plays an important role in the marine food web and so potential impacts on the wider marine ecosystem must be monitored.

 <p>Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></p> <p>Icelandic inshore</p> <p>Fishery countries: Iceland</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottom trawl 	<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.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- This fishery is currently undergoing MSC full assessment.

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

 <p>Northern prawn <i>Pandalus borealis</i></p> <p>Western Greenland</p> <p>Fishery countries: Canada, Greenland</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

- No additional notes.

 <p>Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i></p> <p>Botney Gut-Silver Pit</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

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

General Notes

The Southern North Sea nephrops was previously MSC-certified but withdrew from the programme in January 2013.

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Botney Gut – Silver Pit fishery for Norway lobster caught with demersal otter trawl 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 – Lobster, Norway, Langoustine, Dublin Bay prawn or scampi](#)

 <p>Norway lobster <i>Nephrops norvegicus</i></p> <p>Firth of Clyde, North Minch, South Minch</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

- There are risks to sharks and rays with this fishery, however, there is no specific information on the impact of this fishery to PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery includes cod, haddock and whiting. Mitigation measures are in place to reduce impacts on cod.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed. However, management measures are in place.

General Notes

- No additional notes.



**Norway
lobster**

*Nephrops
norvegicus*

**Fladen
Ground**

**Fishery
countries:**

U.K.

- Bottom
trawl

**Not
certified or
in a FIP**

Managed



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Fladen Ground fishery for Norway lobster caught with demersal otter trawl 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 - Lobster, Norway, Langoustine, Dublin Bay prawn or scampi](#)



**Norway
lobster**

*Nephrops
norvegicus*

Irish Sea East

**Fishery
countries:**

- Bottom
trawl

**Not
certified or
in a FIP**

**Needs
improvement**



U.K.

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](#)



Ocean shrimp

Pandalus jordani

Eastern Pacific

Fishery countries:
Canada, U.S.

- Bottom trawl

Some product from certified fisheries

Profile not yet complete



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

- No additional notes.




<p>Ornate threadfin bream <i>Nemipterus hexodon</i></p> <p>Gulf of Thailand</p> <p>Fishery countries: Thailand</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Bottom trawl 	<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.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <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>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	Certified	Well managed	▼
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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>Pink salmon <i>Oncorhynchus gorbuscha</i></p> <p>Russia - Iturup Island Sakhalin</p> <p>Fishery countries: Russia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Pots and traps	Certified	Well managed	▼
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Environmental Notes

- This fishery is unlikely to impact PET species.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low and non-target species are released alive.
- 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

[SCS Global Services, 2015, MSC Public Certification Report for Iturup Pink & Chum Salmon Fisheries](#)

 <p>Pollack <i>Pollachius pollachius</i></p> <p>Celtic Sea and West of Scotland</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.
- Profile not yet complete.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact the sea bed.

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises pollack caught in the Celtic Seas and the English Channel with demersal otter trawl 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 - Pollack or Lythe](#)

 <p>Pouting <i>Trisopterus luscus</i></p> <p>British waters</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom trawl	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Profile not yet complete</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to skates and rays with this fishery.
- This fish is caught as a bycatch species of other whitefish fisheries.
- Bottom trawls will directly 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">• Bottom trawl• Dredge	<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.
- Bycatch is a risk for this fishery.

- Bottom trawls and dredges will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Saithe <i>Pollachius virens</i></p> <p>Barents Sea</p> <p>Fishery countries: Norway</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.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Saithe <i>Pollachius virens</i></p> <p>North Sea, Skagerrak, west of Scotland and the Rockall</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Bottom trawl 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Well managed</p>	<p>∨</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to marine mammals with this fishery, but there are mitigation measures in place.
- Bycatch for this fishery is considered low.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Shallow-water cape hake <i>Merluccius capensis</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

- Previous concerns over interactions with seabirds have been mitigated using bird scaring lines and a reduction in fishing effort. However, information on seabird bycatch mortality is still limited.
- There is bycatch for this fishery but there is a strategy in place for managing retained species. The discard rate for the fishery is very low and the fishery is unlikely to hinder the recovery of discarded species.
- Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed, however, this fishery is considered highly unlikely to have an irreversible impact on habitat structure and function.


General Notes

Caveat

The environmental notes for this fishery are partly based on information from sources other than the FishSource profile.

References

[Intertek, 2015, MSC Public Certification Report for South Africa Hake Trawl Fishery.](#)

				
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<p>Skipjack tuna <i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i></p> <p>Eastern Atlantic Ocean</p> <p>Fishery countries: Ghana, 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

- Morrisons are committed to promoting uptake of the ISSF Proactive Vessel Register (PVR), which independently verifies that the fishing practices of the boat meets the regional fishery requirements, and continue to work towards full registration of supply vessels. In 2015, Morrisons began to directly support ISSF in their advocacy to Governments to improve their tuna fishery management controls.

 <p>Skipjack tuna <i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i></p> <p>Indian Ocean</p> <p>Fishery countries: Indonesia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Handlines and pole-lines 	<p>FIP</p>	<p>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.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

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 <p>Skipjack tuna <i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i></p> <p>Western and Central Pacific Ocean</p> <p>Fishery countries: Indonesia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Handlines and pole-lines 	<p>FIP</p>	<p>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.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- Morrison's are committed to promoting uptake of the ISSF Proactive Vessel Register (PVR), which independently verifies that the fishing practices of the boat meets the regional fishery requirements, and continue to work towards full registration of supply vessels. In 2015, Morrison's began to directly support ISSF in their advocacy to Governments to improve their tuna fishery management controls.

 <p>Sockeye salmon <i>Oncorhynchus nerka</i></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Purse seine 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>Well</p>	<p>▼</p>
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<p>Alaska Fishery countries: U.S.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Gillnets and entangling nets ▪ Long line 	<p>Certified</p>	<p>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.
- 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.](#)

 <p>Speckled shrimp <i>Metapenaeus monoceros</i></p> <p>Indonesia</p> <p>Fishery countries: Indonesia</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Bottom trawl ▪ Gillnets and entangling nets 	<p>Some product from FIP fisheries</p>	<p>Profile not yet complete</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 fishery is in the [Indonesia South Kalimantan shrimp – trammel net](#) FIP.



Spotted ray

Raja montagui

English and
Bristol
Channels,
Celtic Sea

Fishery
countries:

U.K.

- Bottom
trawl

**Not
certified or
in a FIP**

**Needs
improvement**



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

Other ratings

The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Channel and Southern Celtic Sea fisheries caught with demersal otter trawl as "Rating 3 (yellow)" and "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.



Surmullet

*Mullus
surmuletus*

NE Atlantic
southern
stock

Fishery
countries:

U.K.

- Bottom
trawl

**Not
certified or
in a FIP**

**Profile not
yet
complete**



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Swordfish

Xiphias gladius

Indian Ocean

Fishery
countries:
Sri Lanka

- Long line

Not
certified or
in a FIP

Needs
improvement



Environmental Notes

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

General Notes

- No additional notes.



Swordfish

Xiphias gladius

Southeast
Pacific

Fishery
countries:
Chile, Panama

- Long line

Not
certified or
in a FIP

Managed



Environmental Notes

- There are risks to sea turtles with this fishery.
- Bycatch for this fishery includes tuna, sharks, billfishes and other fish.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Thornback ray <i>Raja clavata</i></p> <p>Irish and Celtic Seas</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.

General Notes

Other ratings


The Marine Conservation Society categorises the Irish and Celtic Seas Pit fishery for thornback ray caught with demersal otter trawl 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 - Ray, thornback ray, Roker, Irish and Celtic Seas](#)

 <p>Whiting</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Bottom trawl			
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<p><i>Merlangius merlangus</i></p> <p>North Sea and Eastern English Channel</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.K.</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Gillnets and entangling nets 	<p>Not certified or in a FIP</p>	<p>Managed</p>	<p>▼</p>
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Environmental Notes

- There are risks to PET species with this fishery. Gillnets present a hazard to marine mammals. Bycatch of lamprey has been observed for bottom trawls. Both gear types present a hazard to shad.
- Bycatch is a risk in this fishery, but there is insufficient data available to assess significance.
- Benthic impacts vary by gear type. Bottom trawls will directly impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

- No additional notes.

 <p>Yellowfin sole</p> <p><i>Limanda aspera</i></p> <p>Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands</p> <p>Fishery countries: U.S.</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.

General Notes

Caveat

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

References

[MRAG Americas, 2015, MSC Public Certification Report for Bering Sea–Aleutian Islands Alaska Flatfish Fishery.](#)


 Yellowfin tuna <i>Thunnus albacares</i> Atlantic Fishery countries: Suriname	<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.
- Profile not yet complete.
- This fishery is unlikely to have a significant impact on the sea bed.

General Notes

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 Yellowfin tuna <i>Thunnus albacares</i> Indian Ocean	<ul style="list-style-type: none">Long lineHandlines and pole-lines	Not certified or in a FIP	Needs improvement	▼
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Fishery countries: Sri Lanka, Maldives				
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Environmental Notes

- Risks to PET species vary by gear type. Longlines present a hazard to sea turtles, 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

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