

Certificate of Conformity

Acoura Marine Ltd. trading as Lloyd's Register certifies that:

FIUN Barents & Norwegian Seas cod and haddock

is a sustainable and well managed fishery which meets the requirements set out in the:

Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) Fisheries Standard

The client for the fishery is:

The Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN)

Smidta str. 43

Murmansk

Russia

The scope of this certification is applicable to:

Species:

Gadus morhua

Melanogrammus aeglefinus

Gear type(s):

Hooks and Lines - Longlines, Trawls - Bottom trawls

Geographical Area:

Barents and Norwegian Seas



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Visit the MSC Track-a-Fishery pages <https://fisheries.msc.org/en/fisheries/> to validate certificate authenticity.



Units of Certification (UoC)

UoC 1

Species:	Atlantic Cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i>)
Geographical area:	Barents and Norwegian seas – ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb: Coastal waters, within Norwegian and Russian EEZ and International Waters.
Method of capture:	Demersal trawl
Stock:	North East Arctic cod
Management System:	Stocks: Joint Norwegian-Russian Fishery Commission Russian EEZ: Federal Agency for Fisheries. Norwegian EEZ: Norwegian Fisheries Directorate and the Norwegian Coastguard. Advice: ICES, Institute of Marine Research (Norway) and PINRO (Russia).
Client Group:	Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN) vessels targeting North East Arctic cod in ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb using demersal trawl.

Note that other eligible fishers may also be included in some Units of Assessment but not initially certified (until covered by a certificate sharing arrangement).

Other Eligible Fishers:	None
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UoC 2

Species:	Atlantic Cod (<i>Gadus morhua</i>)
Geographical area:	Barents and Norwegian seas – ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb: Coastal waters, within Norwegian and Russian EEZ and International Waters.
Method of capture:	Longline
Stock:	North East Arctic cod
Management System:	Stocks: Joint Norwegian-Russian Fishery Commission Russian EEZ: Federal Agency for Fisheries. Norwegian EEZ: Norwegian Fisheries Directorate and the Norwegian Coastguard. Advice: ICES, Institute of Marine Research (Norway) and PINRO (Russia).
Client Group:	Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN) vessels targeting North East Arctic cod in ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb using longline.

Note that other eligible fishers may also be included in some Units of Assessment but not initially certified (until covered by a certificate sharing arrangement).

Other Eligible Fishers:	none
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UoC 3

Species:	Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)
Geographical area:	Barents and Norwegian seas – ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb: Coastal waters, within Norwegian and Russian EEZ and International Waters.
Method of capture:	Demersal trawl
Stock:	North East Arctic haddock
Management System:	Stocks: Joint Norwegian-Russian Fishery Commission Russian EEZ: Federal Agency for Fisheries. Norwegian EEZ: Norwegian Fisheries Directorate and the Norwegian Coastguard. Advice: ICES, Institute of Marine Research (Norway) and PINRO (Russia).
Client Group:	Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN) vessels targeting North East Arctic haddock in ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb using demersal trawl.

Note that other eligible fishers may also be included in some Units of Assessment but not initially certified (until covered by a certificate sharing arrangement).

Other Eligible Fishers:	None
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UoC 4

Species:	Haddock (<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>)
Geographical area:	Barents and Norwegian seas – ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb: Coastal waters, within Norwegian and Russian EEZ and International Waters.
Method of capture:	Longline
Stock:	North East Arctic haddock
Management System:	Stocks: Joint Norwegian-Russian Fishery Commission Russian EEZ: Federal Agency for Fisheries. Norwegian EEZ: Norwegian Fisheries Directorate and the Norwegian Coastguard. Advice: ICES, Institute of Marine Research (Norway) and PINRO (Russia).
Client Group:	Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN) vessels targeting North East Arctic haddock in ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb using longline.

Note that other eligible fishers may also be included in some Units of Assessment but not initially certified (until covered by a certificate sharing arrangement).

Other Eligible Fishers:	none
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The point(s) at which fish and fish products may enter a chain of custody:

Only cod and haddock caught in the manner defined in the Unit of Certification under restrictions detailed throughout the body of the final Public Certification Report for this fishery shall be eligible to enter the Chain of Custody. Chain of Custody should commence following the first point of landing, at which point the product shall be eligible to carry the MSC logo (under restrictions imposed by the MSC Chain of Custody standard). There are no restrictions on the fully certified product entering further chains of custody. The Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN) does not require its own chain of custody certificate.

Eligible points of landing are

Russia: Murmansk, Arkhangelsk

Norway: Kirkenes, Tromsø, Ålesund

Denmark: Hirtshals

Iceland: Hafnarfjordur

Netherlands: Velsen

The parties, or categories of parties, that are entitled to use this certificate to enter fish from the certified fishery into certified chains of custody:

Fishing Industry Union of the North (FIUN) vessels targeting North East Arctic cod and East Arctic haddock in ICES Areas Ia, Ib, IIa and IIb using demersal trawl and longline.

The current vessel list can be found on the fishery page of the MSC website, or by contacting Lloyd's Register.

