

# By-Product assessment report BP104

TripleNine Vedde AS



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1. Application details				
Applicant	TripleNine Vedde AS			
Applicant country	Norway			
2. Certification Body details				
Name of Certification Body (CB)	Global Trust Certification Ltd/NSF International			
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Assessor name	Matthew Jew			
CB internal peer reviewer name	Léa Lebechnech			
Internal peer review evaluation Agree with evaluation				
Comments on the assessment	N/A			
3. Approval validity	Valid from March 2025 Valid until March 2026			



4. By-product assessment outcomes							
By-product species name	Flag country(ies)	MarinTrust approval status					
Gadiculus thori - Silvery cod/Pout	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Micromesistius poutassou - Blue whiting	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Scomber scombrus - Mackerel	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Clupea harengus - Herring	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Gadus morhua - Cod	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Mallotus villosus - Capelin	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Pollachius virens - Saithe	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Sebastes mentella - Deepwater/beaked redfish	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
<i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus -</i> Haddock	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Molva molva - Ling	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Anarhichas lupus - Atlantic wolffish	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Merluccius merluccius - European hake	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Pollachius pollachius - Pollack	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Hippoglossus hippoglossus - Atlantic halibut	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					
Brosme brosme - Tusk	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Approved source with caution					



#### **Guidance for on-site auditor**

For the audit, the auditor will check how the facility manages by-products deemed medium risk. Any by-products downrated from high to medium risk will require additional due diligence checks.

It is important that facilities check all raw materials from and verify their suppliers especially if there is a perceived risk of sourcing from known or suspected IUU fishing activity. This requires checking supplier records or procedures in place to understand how the supplier can ensure there is no IUU in the raw material they provide. For raw materials risk rated medium, additional or more frequent checks may be required until the facility is certain that the raw materials are not from IUU fishing activity.

The audit requirements are covered in clause 2.11.3 of the MarinTrust Global Standard for Responsible Supply of Marine Ingredients (the MarinTrust Standard) and associated interpretation guidance.

### Approved by-products

• No further checks are required beyond those included in the MarinTrust Standard.

## Additional checks of Approved Source with Caution by-products

• Review supplier records or procedures in place.

### Additional checks of by-products Approved Source with Caution via Step 3 assessment

• In addition to checks for medium risk Approved Source with Caution by-products, by-products that have had risk downgraded from high to medium at Step 3 (use **Appendix 1** to identify these by-product species), confirm that the relevant traceability information continues to be collected for this by-product. During the audit, a traceability check on any by-products downgraded from high to medium risk shall be included as part of the required traceability checks (Section 4).

#### Guidance for the applicant/certificate holder

The applicant/certificate holder is responsible for ensuring the relevant actions are taken to comply with the MarinTrust Standard.

The certificate holder is responsible for communicating any changes to the by-products sourced by submitting a scope extension request through the MarinTrust online Application Portal.



## Appendix 1 – assessment outcomes

By-product species name	Flag country(ies)	IUCN Red List	CITES Appendices	Step 2 risk status	Step 3 required	Step 3 risk Outcome
Gadiculus thori - Silvery cod/Pout	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Not Evaluated	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Micromesistius poutassou - Blue whiting	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Scomber scombrus - Mackerel	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Clupea harengus - Herring	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Gadus morhua - Cod	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Vulnerable	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable



Mallotus villosus - Capelin	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern*	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Pollachius virens - Saithe	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern*	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Sebastes mentella - Deepwater/beaked redfish	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Melanogrammus aeglefinus - Haddock	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Vulnerable	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Molva molva - Ling	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern*	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Anarhichas lupus - Atlantic wolffish	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Data deficient*	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Merluccius merluccius - European hake	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable

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Pollachius pollachius - Pollack	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Hippoglossus hippoglossus - Atlantic halibut	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Near threatened	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable
Brosme brosme - Tusk	Norway, Iceland, Faroe Islands, Shetland, UK, Denmark, Sweden	Least concern*	Not listed	Medium risk	No	Not applicable

<sup>\*</sup>No global IUCN assessment is available so the European classification was used instead



# Appendix 2 – detailed assessment outcomes

## (step 2 and step 3 if applicable)

## Step 2 outcomes

Flag state	Risk rating	Flag score	Port score	General score	Flag State is contracting party or cooperating non- contracting party to all relevant RFMOs	'Carded' under EU Carding system	Flag state party to PSMA	Flag state mandatory vessel tracking for commercial seagoing fleet	WGI Governance rank
Norway	Medium	2.42	2.39	2.1	1	1	1	1	92.00%
Iceland	Low	1.58	1.78	1.83	1	1	1	1	88.21%
Faroe Islands (Denmark)	Medium	2	2.56	1.87	1	1	1	1	98.58%
Shetland (United Kingdom)	Medium	2.04	2.61	1.97	1	1	1	1	93.40%
United Kingdom	Medium	2.04	2.61	1.97	1	1	1	1	93.40%
Denmark	Medium	2	2.56	1.87	1	1	1	1	98.58%
Sweden	Medium	1.33	2.22	1.77	1	1	1	1	96.23%

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## Step 3 outcomes

## **Category C assessment**

Speci	ies nan	ne	N/A				
Fishi	ng area	and	N/A				
<b>C1</b>	Categ	ory C Stoc	k Status - Minimum Requirements				
CI	C1.1	Fishery re	emovals of the species in the fishery under assessment are included				
		in the sto	ock assessment process, OR				
		are consi	dered by scientific authorities to be negligible.				
	C1.2	The spec	ies is considered, in its most recent stock assessment, to have a				
		biomass	above the limit reference point (or proxy), OR				
		removals	by the fishery under assessment are considered by scientific				
		authorities to be negligible.					
			Clause outcome:				
	-		of the species in the fishery under assessment are included in the DR are considered by scientific authorities to be negligible.	e stock			
Add i	rationa	le here					
limit	C1.2 The species is considered, in its most recent stock assessment, to have a biomass above the limit reference point (or proxy), OR removals by the fishery under assessment are considered by scientific authorities to be negligible.						
Add i	Add rationale here						
Refer	rences						



## **Traceability information**

Information provided for Step 3 Path 1 or Path 2

Species name		N/A					
Path 1	Yes □ No □						
Confirm all KDEs are p	rovided	Yes □	Yes □ No □				
Path 2	Yes □ No □ If yes for Path 2, complete the next section						
Path 2 outcome	Flag countr	ry Coas	tal score	Port score	Risk outcome		
Countries may be					Choose an item.		
different for Coastal					Choose an item.		
State and Port State.							