

# MSC - FISHERY CERTIFICATE

Certificate No.: MSC-F-31198

Initial date: 2026-02-13

Validity dates: 2026-02-13 – 2031-02-12

This is to certify that the Fishery operations of

## Greenland lumpfish

Client: Sustainable Fisheries Greenland

Address: Co/ Greenland Business Association, Jens Kreutzmannip Aqq. 3,  
Nuuk, 3900, Greenland

has been found to comply with the requirements of

### MSC Fisheries Standard v2.01

The certified fishery has the right to claim the fishery is a “Well Managed and Sustainable Fishery”, in accordance with the **MSC Fisheries Standard**. Further claims made about the fishery shall be in accordance with rules established by MSC.

This certificate is valid for the following scope:

**Target Stock:** Lumpfish (*Cyclopterus lumpus*)

**Geographical Area:**

**FAO area:** 21

**Common name of the body of water:** West Greenland coastal waters

**Local fisheries management area:** NAFO Subarea 1 (Divisions 1A, 1B, 1C, 1D, 1E and 1F), Greenland Fishing Zone

**Stock region:** Northwest Atlantic

**Gear/Vessel types:** Gillnet

**Client group:** The client is Sustainable Fisheries Greenland and includes fishing by all fishermen holding a Greenland lumpfish fishing license and landing the catch to processors in Greenland that are members of Sustainable Fisheries Greenland as detailed on SFG website (<https://www.sfg.gl/en/about-sfg/members>).

**IPI species eligible for Chain of Custody:** N/A

**Under Assessment product:** N/A

**Certificate Sharing:** N/A

Products originating from this fishery, including products processed at sea, from client group fishing vessels landed at the specified first points of landing in the PCR are eligible to enter MSC Chains of Custody.

Products covered by this certificate (if relevant):

MSC Chain of Custody certification will commence from the point of landing. All further activities from this point, including transport, storage, auction, and handling facilities, will be subject to Chain of Custody certification.

For further details refer to the Public Certification Report available for download at MSC website: <http://www.msc.org/track-a-fishery/certified>.

Place and date:

Vimercate, 2026-02-09



For the issuing office:

DNV Business Assurance Italy S.r.l



Sabrina Bianchini  
Management Representative



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## MSC - Fishery Statement

Determination on whether fish and fish products from the certified UoC(s) can go onto be sold as certified.
It is determined that fish and fish products from the certified Units of Certification can go onto be sold as certified.
The point of change of ownership of product to any party not covered by the fishery certificate and detail of any trading between client group members prior to this
Change of ownership occurs at landing. No trading takes place before landing.
The point from which subsequent Chain of Custody (CoC) is required
CoC starts at landing.
The entities, or categories of entities, at the point of landing and/or sale required to have separate CoC including any auctions, selling agents, off-loaders or storage facilities and so not covered in the above tables 9 and 10.
All buyers are required to have a separate CoC certificate.
A list of entities, or categories of entities, eligible to access the certificate and sell product as certified including:
<a href="https://www.sfg.gl/en/about-sfg/members">https://www.sfg.gl/en/about-sfg/members</a>
Points of landing, auctions or other transfer which may be used for the sale of fish from the certified fishery into further chains of custody.
See PCR, 2026.
Any specific eligibility criteria for product to be sold as certified, or where to find this information where relevant, including:
Product form: Roe Trip type: Daily Need for Chain of Custody: At landing
How fish or fish products can be identified or can be confirmed as certified at the point it enters certified CoC
There is no risk of substitution. The UoC covers the whole UoA, which includes all Greenlandic vessels targeting Greenland lumpfish in South West Greenland.
How IPI is identified to first buyers at the point it enters certified CoC where relevant
N/A