

## Pacific Ocean tuna - longline (Fue Shin)

### Overview

#### FIP Description

The fishery being assessed is the *Pacific LongLine Tuna Fishery (Fue Shin Fishery)*. The fishery targets albacore (*Thunnus alalunga*) and catches bigeye (*T. obesus*), yellowfin (*T. albacares*) and skipjack (*Katsuwonus pelamis*). The pelagic longline vessels are flagged to Taiwan and fish on the high seas in the Pacific. The fishery is managed regionally by the Western and Central Pacific Fisheries Commission (WCPFC) in the Western and Central Pacific Ocean (WCPO) and by the Inter American Tropical Tuna Commission (IATTC) in the Eastern Pacific Ocean (EPO).

### How is this FIP Doing?

#### Current Status:



**Actions Progress** This shows the proportion of actions in the workplan that the FIP has completed.



**Actions Overview** This shows the proportion of actions that are behind schedule, on track, completed, or not yet started.

Behind	On Track	Complete	Future
13%	38%	50%	0%

#### FIP Progress Rating



### FIP Objective(s)

- *Sustainable Fish Stocks* – To ensure tuna and other primary species catches across the Pacific Ocean do not exceed sustainable levels by 2025.
- *Minimising Environmental Impacts* – To promote the ecosystem-based approach to fisheries management by 2025.
- *Effective Management* – To strengthen governance systems in Flag States, RFMO and the fishery by 2025.

Overall we aim to meet an unconditional pass of the MSC Standard by April 2025.

### FIP Type

Comprehensive

### FIP Stage

Stage 4: Improvements in Fishing Practices or Fishery Management

### Start and Projected End Dates

April, 2020 -

July, 2025

### Species

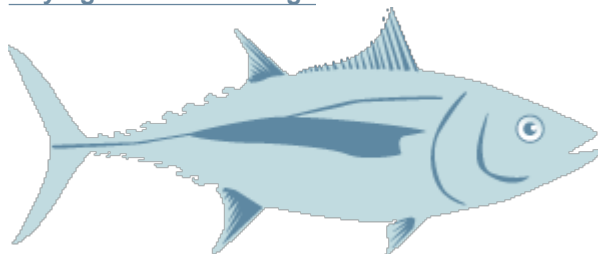
#### Common Name

Albacore Tuna

#### Scientific Name

Thunnus alalunga

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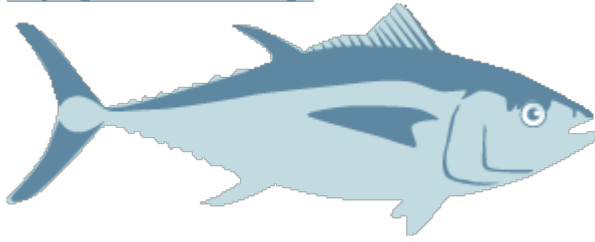
#### Common Name

Bigeye Tuna

#### Scientific Name

Thunnus obesus

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Bigeye Tuna  
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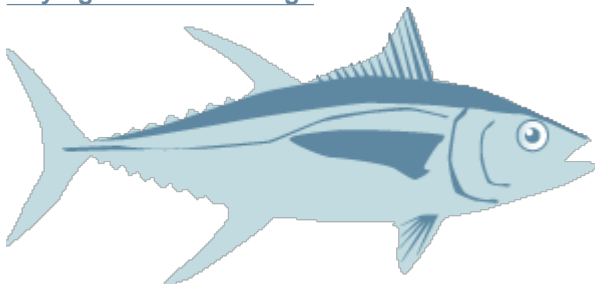
**Common Name**

Yellowfin Tuna

**Scientific Name**

Thunnus albacares

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Yellowfin Tuna  
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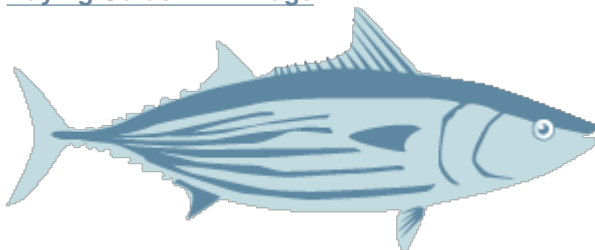
**Common Name**

Skipjack Tuna

**Scientific Name**

Katsuwonus pelamis

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**Gear Type**

Longline

## Location

### FAO Major Fishing Area

[Area 61 \(Pacific, Northwest\)](#)

[Area 67 \(Pacific, Northeast\)](#)

[Area 71 \(Pacific, Western Central\)](#)

[Area 77 \(Pacific, Eastern Central\)](#)

[Area 81 \(Pacific, Southwest\)](#)

[Area 87 \(Pacific, Southeast\)](#)

### Exclusive Economic Zones

#### Country Flag of Vessel

Taiwan

### Regional Fisheries Management Organization (RFMO)

WCPFC

IATTC

#### High Seas Name

Pacific Ocean

## Estimated Total FIP Landings

2550 metric tons

## FIP Leads

### Organization Name

Ocean Outcomes

### Organization Type

NGO

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**Organization Name**

Fue Shin Fishery Ltd.

**Organization Type**

Industry

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