

Canada Bay of Fundy Atlantic herring - purse seine

Overview

FIP Description

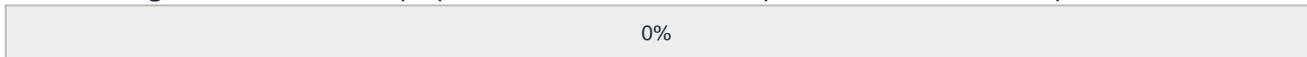
This fishery was certified against the MSC Standard in 2016, and then voluntarily withdrew from the MSC process due to concerns about herring stock status. Industry stakeholders have continued working with Fisheries and Oceans Canada (DFO) and others to address deficiencies identified in the MSC assessment. They aim to do so through a FIP framework until the fishery is deemed ready to re-enter the MSC certification process.

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
0%	100%	0%	0%

Red Indicator Progress This shows the proportion of actions specifically addressing red indicators that are behind schedule, on track, completed, or not yet started. This helps users understand the progress the FIP is making on the biggest challenges in the fishery.

Behind	On Track	Complete	Future
0%	100%	0%	0%

FIP Progress Rating

C - Some Recent Progress

FIP Objective(s)

FIP stakeholders have been implementing management improvements with a goal to re-certify the fishery against the MSC Standard by September 2025.

FIP Type

Comprehensive

FIP Stage

Stage 4: Improvements in Fishing Practices or Fishery Management

Start and Projected End Dates

September, 2020 -

September, 2025

Species

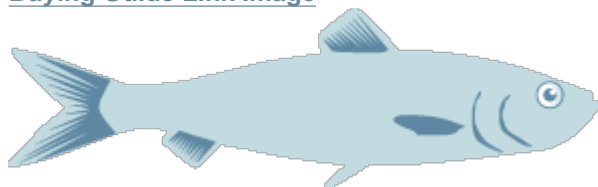
Common Name

Atlantic Herring

Scientific Name

Clupea harengus

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Gear Type

[Purse Seine](#)

Location

— **FAO Major Fishing Area** —

Area 21 (Atlantic, Northwest)

Exclusive Economic Zones

Country

Canada

Geographic Scope

NAFO Division 4VWX Herring in the Bay of Fundy

Estimated Total FIP Landings

18000 metric tons

FIP Leads

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Organization Type

Industry

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