



This is to certify that the:  
**New Zealand albacore tuna troll**

**Has been certified as compliant with the Marine Stewardship Council (MSC) Fisheries Standard**

The client for the fishery is:  
**Tuna Management Association**  
**PO Box 175**  
**Nelson**  
**New Zealand**

This certified fishery, as defined in attached schedule, has the right to claim that it is a “Well Managed and Sustainable Fishery” in accordance with the MSC’s Principles and Criteria for Sustainable Fishing

Authorising signatory:

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Managing Director, Acoura Marine

Fishery name: 82074 New Zealand albacore tuna troll  
Valid certificate number: F - ACO – 0038 [Preceding certificate number MML - F – 102]  
Certificate valid from: 14/FEB/2017  
Certificate expiry: 13/FEB/2022  
Certificate identifier: F1602171054

This certificate is the property of Acoura Marine Ltd and must be returned immediately on request.

To verify the certificate validity telephone 0044 (0) 131 335 6600, visit [www.msc.org](http://www.msc.org), or write to:  
Acoura Marine, 6 Redheughs Rigg, South Gyle, Edinburgh EH12 9DQ, United Kingdom. [fisheries@Acoura.com](mailto:fisheries@Acoura.com)

## Certificate schedule

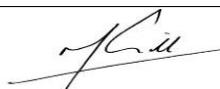
### UNIT OF CERTIFICATION

Definition: Target stock(s) combined with the fishing method/gear and practice (including vessel type/s) pursuing that stock, and any fleets, or groups of vessels, or individual fishing operators that are covered by the MSC fishery certificate. 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).

Species:	Albacore tuna ( <i>Thunnus alalunga</i> )
Geographical area:	New Zealand EEZ (ALB1)
Method of capture:	Troll
Stock:	South Pacific albacore
Management System:	Ministry of Fisheries, New Zealand
Client Group:	Tuna Management Association

Other Eligible Fishers:	The client (Tuna Management Association of NZ) is to make access to the certificate open to all NZ vessels permitted by the Ministry for Primary Industries to fish for albacore in the NZ waters using troll gear.
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## THE POINT(S) AT WHICH FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS MAY ENTER A CHAIN OF CUSTODY

The points of landing for this fishery are only New Zealand ports where appropriate inspection and recording take place.

The scope of this certification ends at the points of landing which are described above. Downstream certification of the product would require appropriate certification of storage and handling facilities at these locations.

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**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**

This MSC certificate will apply to all NZ vessels permitted by the Ministry for Primary Industries to fish for albacore in the NZ waters using troll gear.

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