



This is to certify that:

Echebastar Indian Ocean purse seine skipjack tuna

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

The client for the fishery is:

Pesqueras Echebastar S.A Muelle Erroxape s/n **48370 Bermeo Spain**

Head of Fisheries and Aquaculture

Authorising signatory:

Fishery name: Echebastar Indian Ocean purse seine skipjack tuna

Valid certificate number: F-LRF-0130 09/NOV/2018 Certification Granted Certificate valid from: 09/NOV/2018 08/NOV/2023 Certificate expiry: Certificate identifier: F091120181203

To verify the certificate validity telephone 0044 (0) 131 335 6600, visit www.msc.org, or write to:

Acoura Marine, 6 Redheughs Rigg, South Gyle, Edinburgh EH12 9DQ. United Kingdom. fisheries@Acoura.com





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).

Unit of certification

Species	Skipjack Tuna (Katsuwonus pelamis)	
Stock	Indian Ocean Stock	
Geographical area	FAO 51 & 57	
Harvest method/gear	Purse Seine including all set types, specifically Fish Aggregating Device (FAD or associated) and free school (FSC or non-associated)	
Client group	The five purse seiners owned and operated by the Echebastar Group - Pesqueras Echebastar S.A. (Echebastar Fleet SLU and Hartswater Limited)	
Other eligible fishers	There are no other eligible fishers	





THE POINT(S) AT WHICH FISH AND FISH PRODUCTS MAY ENTER A CHAIN OF CUSTODY

The limit of identification of landings from this fishery is to the first point of sale, whereupon fish and fish products may enter chains of custody. Downstream certification of the product would require appropriate certification of storage and handling facilities at these locations.

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

Only vessels owned and operated by the echebastar group are eligible to use this certificate.

A total of five vessels are eligible; Euskadi Alai, Jai Alai, Izaro, Alakrana and Elai Alai. Vessel specifc eligibility dates apply. See below.

Vessel Name	Eligible From
Elai Alai	26/10/2018
Euskadi Alai	05/11/2018
Jai Alai	09/11/2018
Izaro	09/11/2018
Alakrana	09/11/2018