Case No: 2025-0391 Date of visit: 21/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS0542 Site Name: Snarravoe
Business No: FB0235 Business Name: Cooke Aquaculture (Freshwater) Ltd

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 CNI 3 VMD 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 10.4 Thermometer No: T148 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: SH Water type: F CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Fish in good condition and mortality levels have been low. Organic production. Fish will be transferred to Quoys Hatchery once the S0s have been transferred to sea from Quoys. Fish on site will be 2026 S1 smolts.

No treatments carried out on site, vaccination will take place after fish are transferred to Quoys Hatchery. Number of pens on site reduced to 3, but size increased.

Fish sampled for VMD appeared healthy.

Case No: 2025-0391 Site No: FS0542

Date of Visit: 21/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	Y

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	3	Facilities stocked	1	No facilities inspected	3		
Species	Atlantic salmon						
Age group	Parr						
No Fish	75,920						
Mean Fish Wt	33g						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Nov 2025	Next Input Date (Site)	May/June 2026				
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?	N	Any escapes (since last visit)?	N				
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	01/11/2021
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	Y
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	Y

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Other (detail)
If other detail:	Whole fish to Pelagia (mortalities stored at Quoys)
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	30/8 to 26/9 = 51, w/b 27/9 = 4, w/b 4/10 = 4, w/b 11/10 = 2 (only had previous three weeks of mortality records available by week, rest of records by month)
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	N
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	N
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	Y

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between:	01/11/2021 - 21/10/2025

Case no:	2025-0391	Site No:	FS0542	Date of visit/ Sampling:	21/10/2025	21/1							
Priority samples:	VI		BA		PA		MG		HI				
Time sampling starts/ends:	12:45:00	12:50:00	Main Insp:		VMD No.	1							
Environmental conditions:	1	Dry	2	Cloudy	3	Windy	4		5				
Summary samples	HIST		BA		MG		VI		PA		Total Samples		

Add Fish/Pools - click button

	Pool/Fish No												
	Fish nos	1-4											
	Pool Group												
Stock Details	Species	SAL											
	Average weight	0.0330											
	Sex	N/A											
	Water Type	FW											
	Stock Origin	Quoys Hatchery (FS0476)											
	Facility No	2											

10/2025 Additional Sample Information:

0 Total Tests assigned 0

Case Number:	2025-0391		Site No:	FS0542	Main Insp:	
Date of Visit	21/10/2025					

		No of movements/supp./dest.				Score
Live fish movements		**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**	**>10**	
Movements on (from out with GB) of susceptible species	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	14	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	9	18	26	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	14	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off	0	3	6	10	3
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	10	3
Exposure via water	**Site contacts**	**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**		
Water contacts with other farms (holding species susceptible to same diseases)	Farm is protected (secure water supply through disinfection or borehole)	0				0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category I farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	2	4		1
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category III farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	3	6		0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category V farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	4	8		0
Management practices		None	Secure	Unsecure		
Water contacts with processors	Any processing plant discharging into adjacent waters	0	1	2		0
On farm processing within the rules of the directive	No on farm processing	0				0
	Processing own fish (re-cycling risk)	1				0
	Processing fish from MS of equivalent status	2				0
	Processing fish from zone or compartment of equivalent status	4				0
	Processing fish from Category III farm	8				0
	Processing fish from Category V farm	10				0
Disposal of fish and fish by-products	Site's own waste only processed.	0				0
	Common processes with other farms	3				3
	Collection point for waste from other farms	5				0
Use of unpasteurised feeds	No feeding of unpasteurised feed	0				0
	Feeding unpasteurised feed	5				0
Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**		
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2		1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	2		1
Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc	Yes	0				0
	No	1				0
CoGP/Regulator						
Practices in accordance with regulator or industry code of practice	Yes	0				0
	No	3				0
Platform access to cages	Yes	0				0
	No	2				0

Total	**12**
Rank	**LOW**

Case No: 2025-0391 Site No: FS0542

Sea Lice Inspection (Seawater Sites Only)

1. Has the site experienced sea lice problems in the previous 4 years?
2. Is the CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent) fallowed synchronously on a single year class basis?
3. Does the site have access to a range of licenced in-feed and bath sea lice medications (including deltamethrin, azamethiphos and emamectin benzoate) as well as access to suitable biological and/or mechanical control measures, and can these be deployed in a reasonable period of time?
4. Is there a signed documented farm management agreement or statement relevant to the site and CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent)?
5. Are sea lice count records available for inspection? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)
6. Do records adequately reflect the required standard specified in the SSI and the CoGP? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)
7. Are sea lice (L. salmonis) record levels below the suggested criteria for treatment in the CoGP during the period that records are inspected? (CoGP Annex 6)
8. Have weekly average adult female sea lice counts at or above the intervention level been reported accurately?

If no, please detail in additional information.

9. Is *C. elongatus* infestation at a level which is considered to cause significant welfare problems? (CoGP 4.3.81, 5.3.50)
10. Have therapeutic treatments been administered or other actions taken when *L. salmonis levels* have exceeded the suggested criteria for treatment or where *C. elongatus* is considered to have welfare implications? (CoGP 4.3.82, 5.3.51)
11. Has any other action been taken (where applicable)?
12. Have therapeutic treatments or the actions taken had a significant impact upon the lice levels recorded?
13. Are treatments, where conducted, carried out in cooperation between participating farms?
14. Is there a harvesting strategy for the site, where fewer populations or part populations are held without treatment for sea lice?
15. Is there a site specific written lice management procedure with waypoints describing set actions to deal with recognised scenarios during the escalation of a sea lice infestation?
16. Do the sea lice levels observed on stocks reflect sea lice count data? If no please detail reasons.

Containment Inspection

1. Has the site experienced equipment damage due to predators in the current or previous production cycles? N
2. Are measures in place to mitigate against the predation experienced on site? (Detail below) Y

Top Nets	Tensioned Nets				

If other, detail below:

3. Have escape incidents or events been experienced on or in the vicinity of the site since the last FHI inspection? N

If Yes proceed with questions 4 – 9. If No skip to question 10

4. Have these been reported to Scottish Ministers?
5. Have these been reported to local DSFB forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)
6. Have these been reported to the SSPO and local fisheries trusts forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)
7. Were methods (if any) used to recover escapees? If yes give detail
8. If gill nets were deployed was this action agreed with local wild fish interests and was permission given by Scottish Ministers? (Legal, CoGP – 4.4.38, 5.4.18)
9. What action was taken to prevent and minimise the risk of further escapes? (Not covered in code but could be considered under satisfactory measures of the Act)
10. Is the site inspected as satisfactory with regards to containment? If no, please detail reason(s) Y

Case No: 2025-0391 Date of visit: 21/10/2025

Site No: FS0542 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI, CNI, VMD	27/10/2025	[redacted]	

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0235	Date of visit:	21/10/2025
Site no:	FS0542	Site name:	Snarravoe
Case no:	20250391	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as low. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every third year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Records in relation to aquaculture animals transported by the business were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

No mortality levels exceeding the reporting criteria have been recorded since the last inspection.

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No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate since the last Marine Directorate inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Samples were taken to be analysed for veterinary residues.

Inspection under the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007

The site was also inspected in accordance with the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007 with respect to section 5 regarding containment and escapes.

On this occasion the site was found to be satisfactory.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: Date: 27/10/2025

Fish Health Inspector

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Case No: 2025-0392 Date of visit: 21/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS1095 Site Name: Cliff Site
Business No: FB0095 Business Name: Cooke Aquaculture Scotland Ltd

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 CNI 3 VMD 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 10.1 Thermometer No: T148 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: SH Water type: F CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Fish in good condition and mortality levels have been low. Organic production. Fish will be transferred to Quoys Hatchery in two batches once the S0s have been transferred to sea from Quoys. Fish on site will be 2026 S1 smolts.

No treatments carried out on site, vaccination will take place after fish are transferred to Quoys Hatchery. Number of pens on site reduced to 5, but size increased.

Fish sampled for VMD appeared healthy.

Case No: 2025-0392 Site No: FS1095

Date of Visit: 21/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	Y

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	5	Facilities stocked		4	No facilities inspected		5
Species	Atlantic salmon						
Age group	Parr						
No Fish	371,997						
Mean Fish Wt	20g						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Jan/Feb 2026		Next Input Date (Site)		May/Jun 2026		
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?		N	Any escapes (since last visit)?				N
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	25/10/2022
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	Y
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	Y

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Other (detail)
If other detail:	Whole fish - Pelagia (mortalities stored at Quoys)
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	30/8 to 26/9 = 141, w/b 27/9 = 17, w/b 4/10 = 14, w/b 11/10 = 22 (only had previous three weeks of mortality records available by week, rest of records by month)
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
N/A	N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	N
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	N
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	N/A

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between:	25/10/2022 - 22/10/2025

Case no:	2025-0392	Site No:	FS1095	Date of visit/ Sampling:	21/10/2025	21/1							
Priority samples:	VI		BA		PA		MG		HI				
Time sampling starts/ends:	12:00:00	12:10:00	Main Insp:		VMD No.	1							
Environmental conditions:	1	Indoors	2		3		4		5				
Summary samples	HIST		BA		MG		VI		PA		Total Samples		

Add Fish/Pools - click button

	Pool/Fish No												
	Fish nos	1-7											
	Pool Group												
Stock Details	Species	SAL											
	Average weight	0.0300											
	Sex	N/A											
	Water Type	FW											
	Stock Origin	Quoys Hatchery (FS0476)											
	Facility No	3											

10/2025 Additional Sample Information:

0 Total Tests assigned 0

Case Number:	2025-0392	Site No:	FS1095	Main Insp:	
Date of Visit	21/10/2025				

		No of movements/supp./dest.				Score
Live fish movements		**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**	**>10**	
Movements on (from out with GB) of susceptible species	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	14	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	9	18	26	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	14	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off	0	3	6	10	3
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	10	3
Exposure via water	**Site contacts**	**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**		
Water contacts with other farms (holding species susceptible to same diseases)	Farm is protected (secure water supply through disinfection or borehole)	0				0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category I farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	2	4		1
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category III farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	3	6		0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category V farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	4	8		0
Management practices		None	Secure	Unsecure		
Water contacts with processors	Any processing plant discharging into adjacent waters	0	1	2		0
On farm processing within the rules of the directive	No on farm processing	0				0
	Processing own fish (re-cycling risk)	1				0
	Processing fish from MS of equivalent status	2				0
	Processing fish from zone or compartment of equivalent status	4				0
	Processing fish from Category III farm	8				0
	Processing fish from Category V farm	10				0
Disposal of fish and fish by-products	Site's own waste only processed.	0				0
	Common processes with other farms	3				3
	Collection point for waste from other farms	5				0
Use of unpasteurised feeds	No feeding of unpasteurised feed	0				0
	Feeding unpasteurised feed	5				0
Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**		
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2		1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	2		1
Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc	Yes	0				0
	No	1				0
CoGP/Regulator						
Practices in accordance with regulator or industry code of practice	Yes	0				0
	No	3				0
Platform access to cages	Yes	0				0
	No	2				0

Total	**12**
Rank	**LOW**

Case No: 2025-0392 Site No: FS1095

Sea Lice Inspection (Seawater Sites Only)

1. Has the site experienced sea lice problems in the previous 4 years?	
2. Is the CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent) fallowed synchronously on a single year class basis?	
3. Does the site have access to a range of licenced in-feed and bath sea lice medications (including deltamethrin, azamethiphos and emamectin benzoate) as well as access to suitable biological and/or mechanical control measures, and can these be deployed in a reasonable period of time?	
4. Is there a signed documented farm management agreement or statement relevant to the site and CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent)?	
5. Are sea lice count records available for inspection? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	
6. Do records adequately reflect the required standard specified in the SSI and the CoGP? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	
7. Are sea lice (L. salmonis) record levels below the suggested criteria for treatment in the CoGP during the period that records are inspected? (CoGP Annex 6)	
8. Have weekly average adult female sea lice counts at or above the intervention level been reported accurately?	
If no, please detail in additional information.	
9. Is *C. elongatus* infestation at a level which is considered to cause significant welfare problems? (CoGP 4.3.81, 5.3.50)	
10. Have therapeutic treatments been administered or other actions taken when *L. salmonis levels* have exceeded the suggested criteria for treatment or where *C. elongatus* is considered to have welfare implications? (CoGP 4.3.82, 5.3.51)	
11. Has any other action been taken (where applicable)?	
12. Have therapeutic treatments or the actions taken had a significant impact upon the lice levels recorded?	
13. Are treatments, where conducted, carried out in cooperation between participating farms?	
14. Is there a harvesting strategy for the site, where fewer populations or part populations are held without treatment for sea lice?	
15. Is there a site specific written lice management procedure with waypoints describing set actions to deal with recognised scenarios during the escalation of a sea lice infestation?	
16. Do the sea lice levels observed on stocks reflect sea lice count data? If no please detail reasons.	

Containment Inspection

1. Has the site experienced equipment damage due to predators in the current or previous production cycles?	N
2. Are measures in place to mitigate against the predation experienced on site? (Detail below)	Y

Top Nets	Tensioned Nets				

If other, detail below:

3. Have escape incidents or events been experienced on or in the vicinity of the site since the last FHI inspection?	N
If Yes proceed with questions 4 – 9. If No skip to question 10	
4. Have these been reported to Scottish Ministers?	
5. Have these been reported to local DSFB forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
6. Have these been reported to the SSPO and local fisheries trusts forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
7. Were methods (if any) used to recover escapees? If yes give detail	
8. If gill nets were deployed was this action agreed with local wild fish interests and was permission given by Scottish Ministers? (Legal, CoGP – 4.4.38, 5.4.18)	
9. What action was taken to prevent and minimise the risk of further escapes? (Not covered in code but could be considered under satisfactory measures of the Act)	
10. Is the site inspected as satisfactory with regards to containment? If no, please detail reason(s)	Y

Case No: 2025-0392 Date of visit: 21/10/2025

Site No: FS1095 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp
			[redacted]		[redacted]		[redacted]	[redacted]

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI, CNI, VMD	27/10/2025	[redacted]	[redacted]

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0095	Date of visit:	21/10/2025
Site no:	FS1095	Site name:	Cliff Site
Case no:	20250392	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as low. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every third year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Records in relation to aquaculture animals transported by the business were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

No mortality levels exceeding the reporting criteria have been recorded since the last inspection.

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No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate since the last Marine Directorate inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Samples were taken to be analysed for veterinary residues.

Inspection under the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007

The site was also inspected in accordance with the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007 with respect to section 5 regarding containment and escapes.

On this occasion the site was found to be satisfactory.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [redacted] Date: 27/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0393 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS0477 Site Name: Bow of Hascosay
Business No: FB0095 Business Name: Cooke Aquaculture Scotland Ltd

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 CNI 3 SLI 4 VMD 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 10.3 Thermometer No: T148 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: SH Water type: S CoGP MA: S-3

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Recent increased mortality levels mainly due to gill health (AGD) along with CMS and post treatment losses. ROV is deployed at sites in the area for mortality removal .

Site currently harvesting (dead haul to Cooke processing plant at Mid Yell). Once fallowed the site will be restocked with fish from Ness of Copister (smolts part grown at Ness of Copister and then split to other seawater sites in the area).

Sea lice treatments using FLS delicing system, hydrolicer and freshwater over last 2 months. Treatment a couple of weeks ago has reduced average adult female Lep from 3.44 to 0.33.

Four to five fish observed in pens 11 and 13 with abrasions along flanks. No moribund fish observed. One fish sampled for VMD appeared healthy.

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Date of Visit: 22/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	Y

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	14	Facilities stocked	6	No facilities inspected	14		
Species	Atlantic salmon						
Age group	2024 S1						
No Fish	92,435						
Mean Fish Wt	6.3Kg						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Nov 2025	Next Input Date (Site)	Dec 2025/Jan 2026				
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?	Y	Any escapes (since last visit)?	N				
If yes, detail:	Gill health and CMS						

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	13/09/2022
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	N
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Whole fish - TWMA (Shetland)
If other detail:	
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	Wk 39 - 2,363 (0.97%), Wk 40 - 3,009 (1.26%), Wk 41 - 4,909 (2.09%), Wk 42 - 3,834 (2.2%)
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	Y

If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:

Increased mortalities across site due to gill health, CMS and post treatment losses

6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	Y
If yes, detail:	Mortalities during previous cycles reported to FHI - see mortality events spreadsheet
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	Y

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	Y
If yes, detail:	T.M.S.
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	Y
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	T.M.S.
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	Y

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	Y
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	Y
3. Any significant results?	Y
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	Gill health issue attributed to AGD, mild to moderate heart pathology associated with CMS.
Records checked between:	13/09/2022 - 22/10/2025

Case no:	2025-0393	Site No:	FS0477	Date of visit/ Sampling:	22/10/2025	22/1							
Priority samples:	VI	BA	PA	MG	HI								
Time sampling starts/ends:	11:00:00	11:15:00	Main Insp:		VMD No.	11							
Environmental conditions:	1 Indoors	2	3	4	5								
Summary samples	HIST	BA	MG	VI	PA	Total Samples							

Add Fish/Pools - click button

	Pool/Fish No												
	Fish nos	1											
	Pool Group												
Stock Details	Species	SAL											
	Average weight	6.3000											
	Sex	N/A											
	Water Type	SW											
	Stock Origin	Ness of Copister (FS1043)											
	Facility No	13											

10/2025 Additional Sample Information:

0 Total Tests assigned 0

Case Number:	2025-0393		Site No:	FS0477	Main Insp:	
Date of Visit	22/10/2025					

		No of movements/supp./dest.				Score
Live fish movements		**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**	**>10**	
Movements on (from out with GB) of susceptible species	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	14	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	9	18	26	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	14	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off	0	3	6	10	0
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	10	0
Exposure via water	**Site contacts**	**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**		
Water contacts with other farms (holding species susceptible to same diseases)	Farm is protected (secure water supply through disinfection or borehole)	0				0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category I farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	2	4		2
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category III farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	3	6		0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category V farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	4	8		0
Management practices		None	Secure	Unsecure		
Water contacts with processors	Any processing plant discharging into adjacent waters	0	1	2		1
On farm processing within the rules of the directive	No on farm processing	0				0
	Processing own fish (re-cycling risk)	1				1
	Processing fish from MS of equivalent status	2				0
	Processing fish from zone or compartment of equivalent status	4				0
	Processing fish from Category III farm	8				0
	Processing fish from Category V farm	10				0
Disposal of fish and fish by-products	Site's own waste only processed.	0				0
	Common processes with other farms	3				3
	Collection point for waste from other farms	5				0
Use of unpasteurised feeds	No feeding of unpasteurised feed	0				0
	Feeding unpasteurised feed	5				0
Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**		
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2		2
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	2		2
Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc	Yes	0				0
	No	1				0
CoGP/Regulator						
Practices in accordance with regulator or industry code of practice	Yes	0				0
	No	3				0
Platform access to cages	Yes	0				0
	No	2				0

Total	**11**
Rank	**LOW**

Case No: 2025-0393 Site No: FS0477

Sea Lice Inspection (Seawater Sites Only)

1. Has the site experienced sea lice problems in the previous 4 years?	N
2. Is the CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent) fallowed synchronously on a single year class basis?	N
3. Does the site have access to a range of licenced in-feed and bath sea lice medications (including deltamethrin, azamethiphos and emamectin benzoate) as well as access to suitable biological and/or mechanical control measures, and can these be deployed in a reasonable period of time?	Y
4. Is there a signed documented farm management agreement or statement relevant to the site and CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent)?	Y
5. Are sea lice count records available for inspection? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	Y
6. Do records adequately reflect the required standard specified in the SSI and the CoGP? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	Y
7. Are sea lice (L. salmonis) record levels below the suggested criteria for treatment in the CoGP during the period that records are inspected? (CoGP Annex 6)	N
8. Have weekly average adult female sea lice counts at or above the intervention level been reported accurately?	Y
If no, please detail in additional information.	
9. Is *C. elongatus* infestation at a level which is considered to cause significant welfare problems? (CoGP 4.3.81, 5.3.50)	N
10. Have therapeutic treatments been administered or other actions taken when *L. salmonis levels* have exceeded the suggested criteria for treatment or where *C. elongatus* is considered to have welfare implications? (CoGP 4.3.82, 5.3.51)	Y
11. Has any other action been taken (where applicable)?	Y
12. Have therapeutic treatments or the actions taken had a significant impact upon the lice levels recorded?	Y
13. Are treatments, where conducted, carried out in cooperation between participating farms?	Y
14. Is there a harvesting strategy for the site, where fewer populations or part populations are held without treatment for sea lice?	Y
15. Is there a site specific written lice management procedure with waypoints describing set actions to deal with recognised scenarios during the escalation of a sea lice infestation?	Y
16. Do the sea lice levels observed on stocks reflect sea lice count data? If no please detail reasons.	Y

Containment Inspection

1. Has the site experienced equipment damage due to predators in the current or previous production cycles?	N
2. Are measures in place to mitigate against the predation experienced on site? (Detail below)	Y

Top Nets	Tensioned Nets				

If other, detail below:

3. Have escape incidents or events been experienced on or in the vicinity of the site since the last FHI inspection?	N
If Yes proceed with questions 4 – 9. If No skip to question 10	
4. Have these been reported to Scottish Ministers?	
5. Have these been reported to local DSFB forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
6. Have these been reported to the SSPO and local fisheries trusts forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
7. Were methods (if any) used to recover escapees? If yes give detail	
8. If gill nets were deployed was this action agreed with local wild fish interests and was permission given by Scottish Ministers? (Legal, CoGP – 4.4.38, 5.4.18)	
9. What action was taken to prevent and minimise the risk of further escapes? (Not covered in code but could be considered under satisfactory measures of the Act)	
10. Is the site inspected as satisfactory with regards to containment? If no, please detail reason(s)	Y

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Date of Visit: 22/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Point of Compliance

1. Is the farm under inspection located within a farm management area?	Y

If N, no further questions require completion.

Points of Compliance for Both Farm Management Agreements and Statements

2. Has a current farm management agreement or statement (FMAg/S) been prepared?	Y
3. Is the current FMAg/S available for inspection?	Y
4. Does the FMAg/S identify the relevant farm management area?	Y
5. Does the FMAg/S identify the fish farm site(s) to which it applies?	Y
6. Does the FMAg/S identify the date of commencement of the agreement or statement?	Y
7. Does the FMAg/S identify the date of review?	Y

Arrangements for Fish Health Management

8. Does the FMAg/S identify the minimum health standards for the stocks to be introduced to the area or farm?	Y
9. Does the FMAg/S identify the vaccination requirements for stocks held in the area or farm?	Y
10. Does the FMAg/S identify the species of fish which may be stocked into the area or farm?	Y
11. Does the FMAg/S identify the maximum stocking density of any pen on any farm in the area or the individual farm?	Y
12. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for the storage and disposal of any dead fish from any fish farm in the area or the individual farm?	Y

Arrangements for The Management of Sea Lice

13. Does the FMAg/S identify arrangements for the sharing of data on sea lice numbers and treatments?	Y
14. Does the FMAg/S identify the availability and the use of medicines on farms covered by the agreement of statement?	Y
15. Does the FMAg/S identify any requirements for the sensitivity testing of available treatments for sea lice on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y
16. Does the FMAg/S identify the circumstances under which biological controls and cleaner fish are to be used on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y
17. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for synchronous treatments on farms within the area?	Y

Live Fish Movements

18. Does the FMAg/S identify the circumstances when live fish may be introduced or removed from the area or farm?	Y
19. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for the movement of live fish on and off sites in the area or individual farms?	Y

Harvesting

20. Does the FMAg/S identify acceptable harvest practices on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y

Fallowing

21. Does the FMAg/S identify the dates by which the area or individual farm will be fallow and the earliest date when a farm or area may be restocked?	Y
22. Does the FMAg/S identify whether one or more year classes may be stocked onto sites covered by the agreement or statement?	Y
23. Does the FMAg/S identify whether broodstock or potential broodstock are to be kept on any site covered by the agreement or statement?	Y

Point of Compliance for Farm Management Agreements Only

24. Does the farm management agreement include arrangements for persons to become, or cease to be, parties to the agreement?	Y

Management and operation

25. Is the fish farm being managed and operated in accordance with the agreement or statement?	Y
26. What is the version no/date of issue of the FMAg/S?	12/04/2024

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Site No: FS0477 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp
			[redacted]		[redacted]		[redacted]	[redacted]

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI, CNI, SLI, VMD	27/10/2025	[redacted]	[redacted]

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0095	Date of visit:	22/10/2025
Site no:	FS0477	Site name:	Bow of Hascosay
Case no:	20250393	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as low. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every third year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Mortality levels had exceeded the reporting criteria since the last inspection and had been reported to the Fish Health Inspectorate as required.

Reports detailing the results of animal health surveillance carried out by or on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate were available for inspection.

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The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Samples were taken to be analysed for veterinary residues.

Inspection under the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007

The site was also inspected in accordance with the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007, as amended, with respect to section 3 regarding parasites (sea lice), section 4A regarding fish farm management agreements and statements and section 5 regarding containment and escapes.

On this occasion the site was found to be satisfactory with regards to parasites, fish farm management agreements and statements and containment and escapes.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [redacted] Date: 27/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0394 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS1278 Site Name: East of Papa Little
Business No: FB0125 Business Name: Scottish Sea Farms Ltd

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 CNI 3 SLI 4 VMD 5 DIA 6

Water Temp (°C): 11.9 Thermometer No: T148 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: SH Water type: S CoGP MA: S-8b

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	Y	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	Y	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	Y	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	Y	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Mortality levels started to increase significantly at end of last week. Fish health reports indicate the presence of AGD (low CT values and gill damage observed). Two dive teams on site during inspection to remove mortalities.

A freshwater treatment is planned to start as soon as possible on Sunday once the weather improves. The treatment boat has two wells and will be able to treat fish from two pens simultaneously. Treatment time is 8 hours so should be able to treat 4 pens per day.

The site was recently stocked with wild wrasse caught in Shetland. Creels have been placed in the pens to remove as many wrasse as possible before the planned treatment. There is an unstocked pen on the site and the wrasse will be held there temporarily. Mortality levels in wrasse since input have been low.

Sea lice treatments carried out in August (freshwater) and end September/early October (thermolicer). Thermolicer treatment reduced average female Lep count from 4.12 (week 39) to 0.87 (week 40). Average female Lep count had increased to 1.85 in week 42. During inspection approximately 40-50 fish per pen were observed with lice damage to the head area, some severe.

Five fish were removed for diagnostic sampling. All had high lice loads and evidence of sea lice damage to the head (fish 4 was severe). Fish also had evidence of poor gill health such as white patches and pale gills. Internally all had pale livers, three had yellow faecal casts and two had slightly grey kidneys.

Case No:	2025-0394	Site No:	FS1278
Date of Visit:	23/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	Y

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	10	Facilities stocked	9	No facilities inspected	10		
Species	Atlantic salmon	Wrasse					
Age group	2025 S1	2025					
No Fish	300,243	12,508					
Mean Fish Wt	1.95Kg	Adult					
Next Fallow Date (Site)	June 2026	Next Input Date (Site)	October 2026				
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?	Y	Any escapes (since last visit)?	N				
If yes, detail:	AGD and environmental gill insult						

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	21/07/2025
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	Y
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	Y

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Other (detail)
If other detail:	Whole fish sent to Pelagia
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	w/b 22/9 - 589 (0.19%), w/b 29/9 - 1,015 (0.32%), w/b 6/10 - 691 (0.22%), w/b 13/10 - 7,008 (2.22%), w/b 20/10 (3 days) - 11,124 (3.6%)
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	Y

If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:

Elevated mortalities across all cages

6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	Y

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	Y
If yes, detail:	T.M.S.
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	Y
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	T.M.S.
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	Y

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	Y
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	Y
3. Any significant results?	Y
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	PRV also identified in fish sampled.
Records checked between:	21/07/2025 - 23/10/2025

Case no:	2025-0394	Site No:	FS1278	Date of visit/ Sampling:	23/10/2025	23/1							
Priority samples:	VI	BA	PA	MG	HI								
Time sampling starts/ends:	11:45:00	12:30:00	Main Insp:		VMD No.	0							
Environmental conditions:	1 Indoors	2	3	4	5								
Summary samples	HIST Y	BA Y	MG Y	VI	PA	Total Samples							

Add Fish/Pools - click button

	Pool/Fish No	F1	F2	F3	F4	F5							
	Fish nos	1	2	3	4	5							
	Pool Group												
Stock Details	Species	SAL	SAL	SAL	SAL	SAL							
	Average weight	1.0000	1.5000	1.5000	1.5000	1.5000							
	Sex	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A							
	Water Type	SW	SW	SW	SW	SW							
	Stock Origin	Barcaldine Smolt Unit (FS1328)	Barcaldine Smolt Unit (FS1328)	Barcaldine Smolt Unit (FS1328)	Barcaldine Smolt Unit (FS1328)	Barcaldine Smolt Unit (FS1328)							
	Facility No	6	6	6	6	6							

10/2025 Additional Sample Information:

5 Total Tests assigned 2

Case no: 2025-0394 Site No: FS1278 Method of killing: Percussive

Date of visit: 23/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted] Sheet Relevant: Y

S for strong presence: **M** for medium presence: **W** for weak presence

Fish Number		1	2	3	4	5					
Time sampled after death (if > 45 minutes)		60	70	80	90	100					
External Signs											
Behaviour	Moribund										
	Lethargic	M	M	M	M	M					
	Hanging vertical										
	Spiralling										
	Flashing										
	Loss of equilibrium										
Body	Dark										
	Distended abdomen										
	Anorexic										
	Scale Oedema										
Opercula	Shortened										
	Flared										
Haemorrhaging	Throat										
	Ventrum										
	Base of fins										
	Elsewhere										
Eyes	Exophthalmic										
	Enophthalmic (sunken)										
	Cataract										
	Haemorrhagic										
Gills	Pale		M	M							
	Zoned										
	Necrotic										
Lesions	Flank										
	Elsewhere										
Vent	Inflamed										
	Trailing faeces										
Lice Load	Estimate numbers										
Internal Signs											
Ascites	Clear					W					
	Bloody										
Oedema	In tissues										
Heart	Pale/anaemic			W							
	Granulomas										
	Deformed										
Liver	Petechial haem										
	Gross haem										
	Tissue breakdown										
	Enlarged										
	Colour number(s)	3	2	2	3	2					
	Granulomas										
	Lesions										
Pyloric caeca	Petechial haem										
	Tubules mauve										
	Lack of fat										
Spleen	Enlarged										
	Granulomas										
Gut	No food present										
	Yellow pseudo-faeces		M	M		M					
	External haem										
	Internal haem										
Body wall	Haemorrhaging										
Swim bladder	Haemorrhaging										
	Fluid filled										
Kidney	Swollen										
	Grey			W	W						
	Granular										
	Liquefied										
General	Parasites present										
	Anaemia										

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Date of visit: 23/10/2025

S for strong presence: **M** for medium presence: **W** for w

Fish Number											
Time sampled after death (if > 45 minutes)											
External Signs											
Behaviour	**Moribund**										
	Lethargic										
	Hanging vertical										
	Spiralling										
	Flashing										
	Loss of equilibrium										
Body	**Dark**										
	Distended abdomen										
	Anorexic										
	Scale Oedema										
Opercula	**Shortened**										
	Flared										
Haemorrhaging	**Throat**										
	Ventrum										
	Base of fins										
	Elsewhere										
Eyes	**Exophthalmic**										
	Enophthalmic (sunken)										
	Cataract										
	Haemorrhagic										
Gills	**Pale**										
	Zoned										
	Necrotic										
Lesions	**Flank**										
	Elsewhere										
Vent	**Inflamed**										
	Trailing faeces										
Lice Load	**Estimate numbers**										
Internal Signs											
Ascites	**Clear**										
	Bloody										
Oedema	**In tissues**										
Heart	**Pale/anaemic**										
	Granulomas										
	Deformed										
Liver	**Petechial haem**										
	Gross haem										
	Tissue breakdown										
	Enlarged										
	Colour number(s)										
	Granulomas										
	Lesions										
Pyloric caeca	**Petechial haem**										
	Tubules mauve										
	Lack of fat										
Spleen	**Enlarged**										
	Granulomas										
Gut	**No food present**										
	Yellow pseudo-faeces										
	External haem										
	Internal haem										
Body wall	**Haemorrhaging**										
Swim bladder	**Haemorrhaging**										
	Fluid filled										
Kidney	**Swollen**										
	Grey										
	Granular										
	Liquefied										
General	**Parasites present**										
	Anaemia										

Additional comments:

All fish had lice damage on head and high lice loads.
Fish 1, 3 & 5 had white patches on gills
Fish 2 & 3 had pale gills

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		No of movements/supp./dest.				Score
Live fish movements		**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**	**>10**	
Movements on (from out with GB) of susceptible species	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	14	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	9	18	26	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	14	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off	0	3	6	10	10
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	10	3
Exposure via water	**Site contacts**	**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**		
Water contacts with other farms (holding species susceptible to same diseases)	Farm is protected (secure water supply through disinfection or borehole)	0				0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category I farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	2	4		2
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category III farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	3	6		0
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category V farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	4	8		0
Management practices		None	Secure	Unsecure		
Water contacts with processors	Any processing plant discharging into adjacent waters	0	1	2		0
On farm processing within the rules of the directive	No on farm processing	0				0
	Processing own fish (re-cycling risk)	1				0
	Processing fish from MS of equivalent status	2				0
	Processing fish from zone or compartment of equivalent status	4				0
	Processing fish from Category III farm	8				0
	Processing fish from Category V farm	10				0
Disposal of fish and fish by-products	Site's own waste only processed.	0				0
	Common processes with other farms	3				3
	Collection point for waste from other farms	5				0
Use of unpasteurised feeds	No feeding of unpasteurised feed	0				0
	Feeding unpasteurised feed	5				0
Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**		
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2		1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	2		1
Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc	Yes	0				0
	No	1				0
CoGP/Regulator						
Practices in accordance with regulator or industry code of practice	Yes	0				0
	No	3				0
Platform access to cages	Yes	0				0
	No	2				0

Total	**20**
Rank	**MEDIUM**

Case No: 2025-0394 Site No: FS1278

Sea Lice Inspection (Seawater Sites Only)

1. Has the site experienced sea lice problems in the previous 4 years?	N
2. Is the CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent) fallowed synchronously on a single year class basis?	Y
3. Does the site have access to a range of licenced in-feed and bath sea lice medications (including deltamethrin, azamethiphos and emamectin benzoate) as well as access to suitable biological and/or mechanical control measures, and can these be deployed in a reasonable period of time?	Y
4. Is there a signed documented farm management agreement or statement relevant to the site and CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent)?	Y
5. Are sea lice count records available for inspection? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	Y
6. Do records adequately reflect the required standard specified in the SSI and the CoGP? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	Y
7. Are sea lice (L. salmonis) record levels below the suggested criteria for treatment in the CoGP during the period that records are inspected? (CoGP Annex 6)	N
8. Have weekly average adult female sea lice counts at or above the intervention level been reported accurately?	Y
If no, please detail in additional information.	
9. Is *C. elongatus* infestation at a level which is considered to cause significant welfare problems? (CoGP 4.3.81, 5.3.50)	N
10. Have therapeutic treatments been administered or other actions taken when *L. salmonis levels* have exceeded the suggested criteria for treatment or where *C. elongatus* is considered to have welfare implications? (CoGP 4.3.82, 5.3.51)	Y
11. Has any other action been taken (where applicable)?	Y
12. Have therapeutic treatments or the actions taken had a significant impact upon the lice levels recorded?	Y
13. Are treatments, where conducted, carried out in cooperation between participating farms?	N
14. Is there a harvesting strategy for the site, where fewer populations or part populations are held without treatment for sea lice?	Y
15. Is there a site specific written lice management procedure with waypoints describing set actions to deal with recognised scenarios during the escalation of a sea lice infestation?	Y
16. Do the sea lice levels observed on stocks reflect sea lice count data? If no please detail reasons.	Y

Containment Inspection

1. Has the site experienced equipment damage due to predators in the current or previous production cycles?	N
2. Are measures in place to mitigate against the predation experienced on site? (Detail below)	Y

Top Nets	Tensioned Nets				

If other, detail below:

3. Have escape incidents or events been experienced on or in the vicinity of the site since the last FHI inspection?	N
If Yes proceed with questions 4 – 9. If No skip to question 10	
4. Have these been reported to Scottish Ministers?	
5. Have these been reported to local DSFB forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
6. Have these been reported to the SSPO and local fisheries trusts forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
7. Were methods (if any) used to recover escapees? If yes give detail	
8. If gill nets were deployed was this action agreed with local wild fish interests and was permission given by Scottish Ministers? (Legal, CoGP – 4.4.38, 5.4.18)	
9. What action was taken to prevent and minimise the risk of further escapes? (Not covered in code but could be considered under satisfactory measures of the Act)	
10. Is the site inspected as satisfactory with regards to containment? If no, please detail reason(s)	Y

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Point of Compliance

1. Is the farm under inspection located within a farm management area?	Y

If N, no further questions require completion.

Points of Compliance for Both Farm Management Agreements and Statements

2. Has a current farm management agreement or statement (FMAg/S) been prepared?	Y
3. Is the current FMAg/S available for inspection?	Y
4. Does the FMAg/S identify the relevant farm management area?	Y
5. Does the FMAg/S identify the fish farm site(s) to which it applies?	Y
6. Does the FMAg/S identify the date of commencement of the agreement or statement?	Y
7. Does the FMAg/S identify the date of review?	Y

Arrangements for Fish Health Management

8. Does the FMAg/S identify the minimum health standards for the stocks to be introduced to the area or farm?	Y
9. Does the FMAg/S identify the vaccination requirements for stocks held in the area or farm?	Y
10. Does the FMAg/S identify the species of fish which may be stocked into the area or farm?	Y
11. Does the FMAg/S identify the maximum stocking density of any pen on any farm in the area or the individual farm?	Y
12. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for the storage and disposal of any dead fish from any fish farm in the area or the individual farm?	Y

Arrangements for The Management of Sea Lice

13. Does the FMAg/S identify arrangements for the sharing of data on sea lice numbers and treatments?	Y
14. Does the FMAg/S identify the availability and the use of medicines on farms covered by the agreement of statement?	Y
15. Does the FMAg/S identify any requirements for the sensitivity testing of available treatments for sea lice on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y
16. Does the FMAg/S identify the circumstances under which biological controls and cleaner fish are to be used on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y
17. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for synchronous treatments on farms within the area?	Y

Live Fish Movements

18. Does the FMAg/S identify the circumstances when live fish may be introduced or removed from the area or farm?	Y
19. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for the movement of live fish on and off sites in the area or individual farms?	Y

Harvesting

20. Does the FMAg/S identify acceptable harvest practices on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y

Fallowing

21. Does the FMAg/S identify the dates by which the area or individual farm will be fallow and the earliest date when a farm or area may be restocked?	Y
22. Does the FMAg/S identify whether one or more year classes may be stocked onto sites covered by the agreement or statement?	Y
23. Does the FMAg/S identify whether broodstock or potential broodstock are to be kept on any site covered by the agreement or statement?	Y

Point of Compliance for Farm Management Agreements Only

24. Does the farm management agreement include arrangements for persons to become, or cease to be, parties to the agreement?	Y

Management and operation

25. Is the fish farm being managed and operated in accordance with the agreement or statement?	Y
26. What is the version no/date of issue of the FMAg/S?	15/10/2024

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Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp
AGD PCR	5/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
SGPV PCR	4/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
PNST PCR	5/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
IHN PCR	0/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
VHS PCR	0/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
ISA PCR	0/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
IPN PCR	0/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
SAV PCR	0/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
CMS PCR	0/5	28/10/2025		28/10/2025		13/11/2025		
Bacteriology - no significant growth	5/5	04/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
AMGD	1/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
CGDH	5/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
GPAT	5/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
SPAT	2/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
KPAT	1/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
LPAT	2/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
MPAT	1/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		
ADHE	3/5	07/11/2025		10/11/2025		13/11/2025		

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI, CNI, SLI	04/11/2025		
DIA	13/11/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0125	Date of visit:	23/10/2025
Site no:	FS1278	Site name:	East of Papa Little
Case no:	20250394	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. Samples were taken for diagnostic purposes. A separate report will be issued detailing the results of these tests.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as medium. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every second year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Records in relation to aquaculture animals transported by the business were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Mortality levels had exceeded the reporting criteria since the last inspection and had been reported to the Fish Health Inspectorate as required.

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Reports detailing the results of animal health surveillance carried out by or on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate were available for inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

Inspection under the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007

The site was also inspected in accordance with the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007, as amended, with respect to section 3 regarding parasites (sea lice), section 4A regarding fish farm management agreements and statements and section 5 regarding containment and escapes.

On this occasion the site was found to be satisfactory with regards to parasites, fish farm management agreements and statements and containment and escapes.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: Date: 04/11/2025

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Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0125	Date of visit:	23/10/2025
Site no:	FS1278	Site name:	East of Papa Little
Case no:	20250394	Inspector:	[redacted]

Section one: summary

During a routine inspection, a number of lethargic fish were observed across all pens. Five fish were removed for further examination and subsequent diagnostic sampling.

Histopathological examination revealed mild gill pathology characterized by hyperplasia. Some lesions exhibited features consistent with amoebic gill disease (AGD) and gill samples tested by qPCR were positive for *Neoparamoeba perurans*, the causative agent of AGD. Hepatic necrosis, splenic degeneration and renal necrosis were also observed. Additionally, one fish displayed mild myositis resembling viral infections. F4 displayed a focal area with degeneration of the compact layer musculature.

Gill samples tested by qPCR were positive for the gill related pathogens *Paranucleospora theridion* and salmon gill poxvirus (SGPV).

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information, have any queries regarding this report or if any problems develop.

Section two: case detail

Observations

Mortality levels at the site had been very low until week 42 when they had risen to 2.22% (7,008). A routine inspection was conducted in week 43 and the mortality level for the three days prior to the inspection was 3.6% (11,124). The cause of the mortalities was attributed to AGD and an environmental gill insult. A freshwater treatment was planned to start within the next few days.

On inspection of the stock approximately 40-50 fish were observed in each pen with sea lice damage to the head, some of which was severe. Some of these fish were lethargic and five were removed for diagnostic sampling.

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Externally, all of the fish had high sea lice loads and evidence of sea lice damage to the head. F1, F3 and F5 had white patches on their gills, F2 and F3 had pale gills.

Internally, all fish had pale livers, F2, F3 and F5 had yellow pseudo faeces in the gut, F3 and F4 had slightly grey kidneys, F3 had a pale heart and F5 had clear ascites in the abdomen.

Samples

Samples were collected from five fish according to the table below:

Fish number	Facility number	Species	Stage	Origin
F1-F5	Pen 6	Atlantic salmon	2025 S1 at 1kg to 1.5kg	Barcaldine Smolt Unit (FS1328)

Results

Bacteriology:

Kidney and gill material from F1-F5 were inoculated onto appropriate media for the isolation of bacteria.

No significant bacteria were isolated.

Virology:

Tissue samples were tested for segments of nucleic acid indicative of the presence of the pathogens specified below using real-time PCR (qPCR).

Salmon gill poxvirus (SGPV)

Fish Number	Endogenous control Cp value	Cp Values			Reported Result (PCR)
F1	21.80	27.26	27.18	27.39	**POSITIVE**
F2	21.86	37.81	37.14	37.19	**POSITIVE**
F3	21.57	33.70	33.38	32.90	**POSITIVE**
F4	-	-	-	-	Negative
F5	21.71	36.59	35.62	35.30	**POSITIVE**

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The samples tested negative for infectious haematopoietic necrosis virus (IHNV), infectious pancreatic necrosis virus (IPNV), infectious salmon anaemia virus (ISAV), piscine myocarditis virus (PMCV), salmonid alphavirus (SAV) and viral haemorrhagic septicemia virus (VHSV).

Parasitology:

Tissue samples were tested for segments of nucleic acid indicative of the presence of the parasites specified below using real-time PCR (qPCR).

Neoparamoeba perurans (AGD)

Fish Number	Endogenous control Cp value	Cp Values			Reported Result (PCR)
F1	21.80	24.69	24.69	24.63	**POSITIVE**
F2	21.86	29.84	29.89	29.82	**POSITIVE**
F3	21.57	32.51	32.56	32.35	**POSITIVE**
F4	21.95	30.75	30.75	30.64	**POSITIVE**
F5	21.71	32.91	33.13	32.97	**POSITIVE**

Paranucleospora theridion

Fish Number	Endogenous control Cp value	Cp Values			Reported Result (PCR)
F1	21.80	26.16	26.06	26.17	**POSITIVE**
F2	21.86	32.83	32.75	32.77	**POSITIVE**
F3	21.57	30.18	30.08	29.96	**POSITIVE**
F4	21.95	34.40	34.26	34.27	**POSITIVE**
F5	21.71	33.88	33.80	33.88	**POSITIVE**

Histology:

Tissue samples of gill, skin and skeletal muscle, heart, pyloric caeca, pancreas, hind gut, liver, spleen and kidney were taken from F1-F5. The tissue samples were fixed in 10% neutral buffered formalin.

Histopathological examination revealed the following:

Gill: Filament branchitis (F3), lamellar hyperplasia, multifocal, mild (F1, F3) and F3 displayed filament bluntness. Presence of few amoeboid cells resembling *Neoparamoeba perurans* observed in F3. Aneurysmal dilations and telangiectasias

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observed (F2, F3, F4, F5) and lamellar congestion (F2). Some post-mortem artefacts (F5).

Skin & Muscle: Cellular inflammation and musculature degeneration, mild, multifocal (F2).

Heart: Myocarditis, minor, multifocal (F1, F2) and F4 displayed minor cellular inflammation at the compact-spongy layer junction, few thrombi (F2, F3, F5). Epicarditis, mild (F1-F5).

Gut and pyloric caeca: Peritonitis, mild (F1, F2, F3). Some cell sloughing (potentially associated with post-mortem artefact) (F1, F3, F5).

Pancreas: No abnormalities detected.

Liver: Hepatocellular necrosis, mild, multifocal (F2, F5), coalescence (F2). Minor vasculitis observed in F2, F5.

Kidney: Interstitial cell (haemopoietic) necrosis, mild, multifocal (F4).

Spleen: Parenchymal necrosis, mild, multifocal (F1). F3 displayed two small areas of fatty degeneration and some surrounding oedema. F4 slightly congested.

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Signed: Date: 13/11/2025

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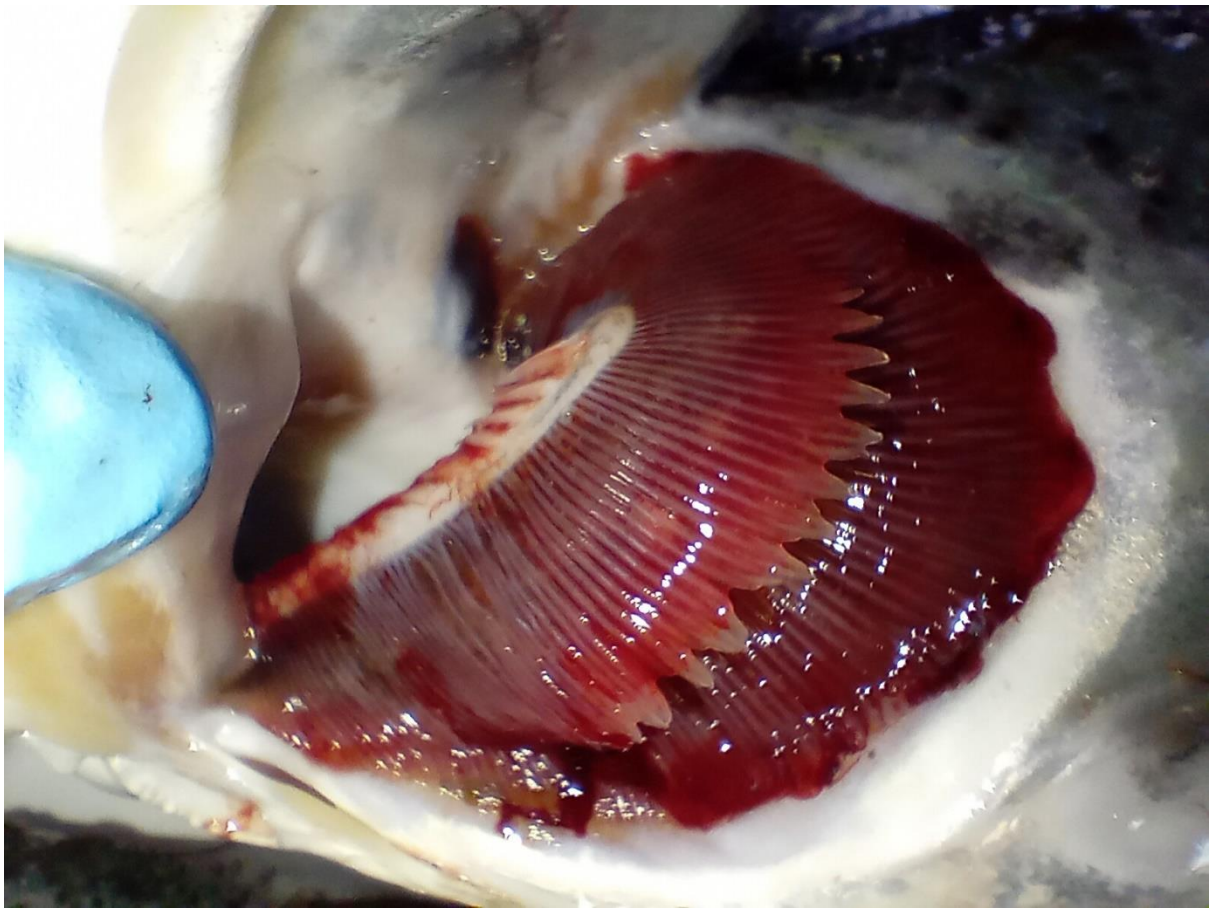
Fish 1-3

Fish 4-5

Fish 1

Fish 2



Fish 3

Fish 4

Fish 5

Fish 1

Fish 2

Fish 3

Fish 4

Fish 5

Case No: 2025-0395 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS1116 Site Name: Lee of Burrafirth
Business No: FB0095 Business Name: Cooke Aquaculture Scotland Ltd

Case Types: 1 REG 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): Thermometer No: FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: SH Water type: S CoGP MA: S-8b

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?		

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Site last inspected 09/03/2022 and has been fallow since 03/03/2024. No plans to restock until 2027. No pens currently in situ, only moorings. Site inspected from shore.

Case No: 2025-0395 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Site No: FS1116 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
REG	12/11/22025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0095	Date of visit:	22/10/2025
Site no:	FS1116	Site name:	Lee of Burrafirth
Case no:	20250395	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

On this occasion, the site was found to be fallow.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [redacted] Date: 12/11/2025

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Case No: 2025-0396 Date of visit: 20/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS0742 Site Name: Glenfinnan
Business No: FB0119 Business Name: Mowi Scotland Ltd

Case Types: 1 VMD 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 11.94 Thermometer No: T308 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: F CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	Y	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

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Additional Case Information:

The site has observed fungus across site at low levels, site mortalities have been low. Health report 22/09/2025 stated that the site detected low levels of saprolegnia, but overall fish are in good condition with good growth. Site recently conducted Cress and Aquacen treatments on the 14/10/2025 to help prevent fungus.

At time of inspection, site was conducting lorry transfers to put smolts out to sea. 13 lorries had transferred smolts to destination site Etive 6.

During the inspection 10 mortalities and 4 moribund fish were observed. The moribund were observed to have fungus around their gills and caudal fin, however they quickly responded to stimuli. Overall the general population were shoaling deep in the water column and swimming well. They had a good feed response and responded well to stimuli.

27 fish were collected for VMD sampling. The fish were dispatched using Tricaine. The fish sampled were in good body condition both internally and externally. Some fish did have strong adhesions located around the spleen, this is likely attributed to IP vaccinations from when they were at Inchmore.

Case No: 2025-0396 Site No: FS0742

Date of Visit: 20/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	Y

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	32	Facilities stocked	27	No facilities inspected	32		
Species	Atlantic salmon						
Age group	2025 Q4						
No Fish	2,407,342						
Mean Fish Wt	98.04g						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	February/ March 2026	Next Input Date (Site)	November 2026				
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?	N	Any escapes (since last visit)?	N				
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	10/10/2024
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	N
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Incinerated - on site
If other detail:	
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	wk39 - 732 (0.039%) wk40 - 1076 (0.042%) wk41 - 1370 (0.053%) wk42 - 1998 (0.078%)
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	Y

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	Y

If yes, detail: T.M.S. | Cress | Formalin

If other, detail: 14/10/2025 - Aquacen and Cress

2. Medicines records available for inspection?	Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	Y

5. If yes, what treatment(s)? T.M.S. | Cress | Formalin

If other, detail: 14/10/2025 - Aquacen and Cress

6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	Y

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	

If no, detail:

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	Y
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	Y
3. Any significant results?	N

If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).

Records checked between: 10/10/2024 - 20/10/2025

Case no:	2025-0396	Site No:	FS0742	Date of visit/ Sampling:	20/10/2025	20/20/2(							
Priority samples:	VI	BA	PA	MG	HI								
Time sampling starts/ends:	14:45:00	16:00:00	Main Insp:		VMD No.	20							
Environmental conditions:	1 Indoors	2	3	4	5								
Summary samples	HIST	BA	MG	VI	PA	Total Samples							

Add Fish/Pools - click button

	Pool/Fish No												
	Fish nos	1-6	7-12	13-19	20-27								
	Pool Group												
Stock Details	Species	SAL	SAL	SAL	SAL								
	Average weight	150g	150g	150g	150g								
	Sex	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A								
	Water Type	FW	FW	FW	FW								
	Stock Origin	Inchmore FS0226	Inchmore FS0226	Inchmore FS0226	Inchmore FS0226								
	Facility No	31	32	30	29								

025	Additional Sample Information:
	Samples were collected for VMD - fish were dispatched via TMS

0 Total Tests assigned 0

Site No: FS0742

Case No: 2025-0396

Nature of non-compliance:

Action taken (FHI):

Non-compliance relevant to (delete): VirologyMolGen/Bacteriology/Histology/Parasitology

Case No: 2025-0396 Date of visit: 20/10/2025

Site No: FS0742 Main Insp:

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
VMD	28/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0119	Date of visit:	20/10/2025
Site no:	FS0742	Site name:	Glenfinnan
Case no:	20250396	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

The above site was visited in accordance with the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015.

Samples were taken to be analysed for veterinary residues.

The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated.

Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Reports detailing the results of animal health surveillance carried out by or on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate were available for inspection.

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Signed:

Date: 28/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0397 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0830 Site Name: Cromarty Bay West
Business No: SB0520 Business Name: MacKenzie Oysters

Case Types: 1 REG 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): Thermometer No: FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: S CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?		

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Site is fallow. No plans to restock.

Additional Case Information:

A 50m test line for spat collection was put onto the site in June 2021, this was to see if the site had potential to collect natural mussel spat fall. During the test line the site had an established Biosecurity Measures Plan. Test line failed due to high fouling of sea squirts in 2022 and no spat fall was observed. During 2023/ 2024 test line was gradually brought in. By 2024 all mussel culture rope line was taken out of the water, and the steal frame holding the line has also been completely been removed from the water. Site representative stated that it was decided that the site was not viable to collect natural mussel spat fall. Currently there are two marker buoys that have been left in the water to mark out the site.

Site representative stated that there has been no movements on or off the site since the last inspection.

Currently no plans to stock the site. Site representative stated that the site would not be used for mussel spat cultivation but there is potential pacific oyster cultivation. Business contact would like to keep site active for the foreseeable future.

The site was inspected on 22/10/2025 and was observed to be fallow and no equipment was in the water. The two marker buoys were observed outlining the site position.

Case No: 2025-0397 Site No: SS0830

Date of Visit: 22/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	N

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	500 Trestles & 3 longlines	Facilities stocked	0	No facilities inspected	0		
Species							
Age group							
No Fish							
Mean Fish Wt							
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Site fallow	Next Input Date (Site)	No plans				
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?	N/A	Any escapes (since last visit)?	N/A				
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	N/A
2. Date of last inspection:	17/04/2018
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	N/A
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	N/A
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	N/A
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	N/A
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Domestic waste - <25kg
If other detail:	
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	N/A
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	Site is fallow. No mortalities have been recorded.
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N/A
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N/A
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?
If yes, detail:
If other, detail:
2. Medicines records available for inspection?
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?
If other, detail:
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?
If no, detail:

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?
3. Any significant results?
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).

Records checked between: 17/04/2018 - 22/10/2025

Case Number:	2025-0397	Site No:	SS0830
Date of Visit	22/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	0
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	3

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off within MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	0
	Frequency of movements off outwith MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	0
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	0

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	1
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**10**
Risk	**LOW**

Case No: 2025-0397 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Site No: SS0830 Main Insp:

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
REG	30/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0520	Date of visit:	22/10/2025
Site no:	SS0830	Site name:	Cromarty Bay West
Case no:	20250397	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

On this occasion, the site was found to be fallow.

The site was inspected via boat it was confirmed that no farming equipment was in place and there are no plans the site will be stocked.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as low. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every fourth year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

No movements had occurred on site since the last inspection by Marine Directorate.

No mortality had been observed on site since the last inspection by Marine Directorate.

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Signed: [redacted] Date: 30/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0398 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0147 Site Name: Udale Bay (Cromarty Bay)
Business No: SB0096 Business Name: Cromarty Mussels

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 11.82 Thermometer No: T308 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: S CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	Y	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

The site currently has 3 baskets of native oysters.

Native oysters - 4.5 years old and came from a farm on Seil. They are being used as an experiment to see if they can survive and thrive in this location. A total of 1035 oysters have been on site since 19/09/2024 and are checked regularly. Currently on site there is 360 oysters. The site doesn't not plan to stock anymore oysters in the foreseeable future.

The site did have 7 baskets of native oysters however due to the recent storms 4 baskets of oysters were lost. The site representative tried searching for the baskets in the Cromarty firth, however was unable to locate them.

The site was no longer stocked with mussel spat. Due to poor spat fall and high E.coli (at best grade B stock) it was decided to no longer hold mussels. The cultivation ropes have been removed by Shetland mussels Ltd as of September 2025.

Since the last inspection 2 native oyster mortalities have been observed. This was verbally communicated by the site representative.

No movements have occurred on or off site since last inspection. The site plans to be completely fallow as of May 2026.

Site paperwork was conducted in person on 22/10/2025. Attempt to conduct the site inspection 22/10/2025 - due to adverse weather was unable to inspected stock. Site was inspected on 23/10/2025.

During site inspection on 23/10/2025 it was observed that all cultivation ropes had been removed from the water and only the floats and toplines remained. At the time of inspection the baskets were emptied to be cleaned whilst the stock was inspected and categorised. 28 empty shells and 1 gaping native oyster was observed, this was likely attributed to the recent storms/ adverse weather. Overall the oysters were inspected to be in good condition, with little to no fouling.

Case No: 2025-0398 Site No: SS0147

Date of Visit: 22/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	N

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	32 lines & 24 baskets	Facilities stocked	3 baskets	No facilities inspected	3 baskets		
Species	Flat or native oyster						
Age group	2021						
No Fish	360						
Mean Fish Wt	~5 to 8cm						

Next Fallow Date (Site)	May 2026	Next Input Date (Site)	No planned input.
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?	N	Any escapes (since last visit)?	N/A
If yes, detail:			

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	12/11/2024
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	N/A
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	N/A
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	N
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Domestic waste - <25kg
If other detail:	
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	N/A
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	No recent mortalities.
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N/A
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N/A
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between: 12/11/2024 - 22/10/2025

Case Number:	2025-0398	Site No:	SS0147
Date of Visit	22/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	25
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	0

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off within MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	0
	Frequency of movements off outwith MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	3
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	0

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	1
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**35**
Risk	**HIGH**

Case No: 2025-0398 Date of visit: 22/10/2025

Site No: SS0147 Main Insp:

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI	29/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0096	Date of visit:	23/10/2025
Site no:	SS0147	Site name:	Udale Bay (Cromarty Bay)
Case no:	20250398	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as high. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted annually. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were not available for inspection.

No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate since the last Marine Directorate inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

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The following points were raised with the site representative during the inspection:

> Mortality figures were communicated verbally. As per authorisation a record of mortality must be kept. The business submitted a copy of a record of mortality. The business was reminded that a record of mortality figures should be kept moving forward. No further action required.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any assistance or clarification in implementing any requirement or recommendation detailed in this report.

Signed: [redacted] Date: 29/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0399 Date of visit: 21/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: FS0599 Site Name: MacLean's Nose
Business No: FB0119 Business Name: Mowi Scotland Ltd

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 CNI 3 SLI 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 13.74 Thermometer No: T308 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: S CoGP MA: M-34

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	Y	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Site had recently experienced some damage from recent storm. The damage was mainly broken feed pipes and some damage to the bird nets. The pens and nets had been inspected immediately after storm, and no issues were found. Site have since been repairing the feed pipes and bird nets.

The stocked wrasse were wild caught from Ireland and Mull. The stocked Lumpsuckers came from Ocean Matters Ltd.

Site plan to start harvesting week of 27/10/2025.

Site had conducted Freshwater treatments 12/09/2025 to 21/09/2025. This was conducted to help reduce mortalities as the site had been experiencing AGD/ CGD. Following the treatments the mortalities reduced, this was reflected in the mortality records that were inspected.

Salmon - During the inspection 5 moribund fish with lesions were observed across the site. The lesions were healing well, the lesions were likely attributed to the recent treatments. 2 fish with spinal deformities and 2 lethargic fish that gasping at the surface were also observed across the site. Overall the general population were shoaling deep in the water column and appeared to be in good body condition. The fish were observed to be swimming well with good feed and stimulus response. Fish were observed on site and on the feed cameras.

Wrasse - During the inspection 1 wrasse moribund and 2 wrasse mortalities were observed across site. Some fish were observed to have lesions but were healing well. The lesions were likely due to rubbing against the nets during the recent storm. Overall the wrasse were swimming and feeding well. And they appeared to be in good body condition.

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Date of Visit: 21/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	N

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	16	Facilities stocked	16	No facilities inspected	16			
Species	Atlantic salmon	Wrasse	Lumpsucker					
Age group	2024 Q4	mixed	mixed					
No Fish	838,298	89,399	51,938					
Mean Fish Wt	3.3kg	60-120g	~68g					
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Feburary/ March 2026		Next Input Date (Site)	September 2026				
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?			N	Any escapes (since last visit)?				N
If yes, detail:								

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	03/07/2025
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded in the movement records?	Y

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	Y
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	Y

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Ensiled - on site
If other detail:	
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	**SAL** wk39- 6111 (0.64%) wk40- 3669 (0.39%) wk41- 8153 (0.86%) wk42- 3842 (0.44%). **WRA** wk39- 1085 (1.18%) wk40- 391 (0.43%) wk41- 1030 (1.14%) wk42- 1063(1.16%). **LUM** wk39- 931 (1.12%) wk40- 428 (0.52%) wk41- 965 (1.18%) wk42- 1025 (1.26%).
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	Y

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	Y
If yes, detail: T.M.S.	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	Y
5. If yes, what treatment(s)? T.M.S.	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	Y

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	Y
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	Y
3. Any significant results?	N
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between: 03/07/2025 - 21/10/2025

Case Number:	2025-0399		Site No:	FS0599	Main Insp:	
Date of Visit	21/10/2025					

		No of movements/supp./dest.				Score
Live fish movements		**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**	**>10**	
Movements on (from out with GB) of susceptible species	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	14	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	9	18	26	9
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	14	5
Movements off	Frequency of movements off	0	3	6	10	10
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	10	3
Exposure via water	**Site contacts**	**0**	**1-5**	**6-10**		
Water contacts with other farms (holding species susceptible to same diseases)	Farm is protected (secure water supply through disinfection or borehole)	0				
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category I farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	2	4		2
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category III farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	3	6		
	Farm is on-line or in a coastal zone with category V farms upstream or within 1 tidal excursion	1	4	8		
Management practices		None	Secure	Unsecure		
Water contacts with processors	Any processing plant discharging into adjacent waters	0	1	2		1
On farm processing within the rules of the directive	No on farm processing	0				0
	Processing own fish (re-cycling risk)	1				
	Processing fish from MS of equivalent status	2				
	Processing fish from zone or compartment of equivalent status	4				
	Processing fish from Category III farm	8				
	Processing fish from Category V farm	10				
Disposal of fish and fish by-products	Site's own waste only processed.	0				0
	Common processes with other farms	3				
	Collection point for waste from other farms	5				
Use of unpasteurised feeds	No feeding of unpasteurised feed	0				0
	Feeding unpasteurised feed	5				
Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**		
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2		0
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	2		0
Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc	Yes	0				0
	No	1				
CoGP/Regulator						
Practices in accordance with regulator or industry code of practice	Yes	0				0
	No	3				
Platform access to cages	Yes	0				0
	No	2				
				Total		**30**
				Rank		**HIGH**

Case No: 2025-0399 Site No: FS0599

Sea Lice Inspection (Seawater Sites Only)

1. Has the site experienced sea lice problems in the previous 4 years?	N
2. Is the CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent) fallowed synchronously on a single year class basis?	Y
3. Does the site have access to a range of licenced in-feed and bath sea lice medications (including deltamethrin, azamethiphos and emamectin benzoate) as well as access to suitable biological and/or mechanical control measures, and can these be deployed in a reasonable period of time?	Y
4. Is there a signed documented farm management agreement or statement relevant to the site and CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent)?	Y
5. Are sea lice count records available for inspection? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	Y
6. Do records adequately reflect the required standard specified in the SSI and the CoGP? (Legal SSI, CoGP Annex 6)	Y
7. Are sea lice (L. salmonis) record levels below the suggested criteria for treatment in the CoGP during the period that records are inspected? (CoGP Annex 6)	Y
8. Have weekly average adult female sea lice counts at or above the intervention level been reported accurately?	N/A
If no, please detail in additional information.	
9. Is *C. elongatus* infestation at a level which is considered to cause significant welfare problems? (CoGP 4.3.81, 5.3.50)	N
10. Have therapeutic treatments been administered or other actions taken when *L. salmonis levels* have exceeded the suggested criteria for treatment or where *C. elongatus* is considered to have welfare implications? (CoGP 4.3.82, 5.3.51)	N/A
11. Has any other action been taken (where applicable)?	N/A
12. Have therapeutic treatments or the actions taken had a significant impact upon the lice levels recorded?	Y
13. Are treatments, where conducted, carried out in cooperation between participating farms?	Y
14. Is there a harvesting strategy for the site, where fewer populations or part populations are held without treatment for sea lice?	Y
15. Is there a site specific written lice management procedure with waypoints describing set actions to deal with recognised scenarios during the escalation of a sea lice infestation?	Y
16. Do the sea lice levels observed on stocks reflect sea lice count data? If no please detail reasons.	Y

Containment Inspection

1. Has the site experienced equipment damage due to predators in the current or previous production cycles?	N
2. Are measures in place to mitigate against the predation experienced on site? (Detail below)	Y

Top Nets	Predator Nets (above	Predator Nets (below			

If other, detail below:

Seal-pro nets, bird nets

3. Have escape incidents or events been experienced on or in the vicinity of the site since the last FHI inspection?	N
If Yes proceed with questions 4 – 9. If No skip to question 10	
4. Have these been reported to Scottish Ministers?	
5. Have these been reported to local DSFB forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
6. Have these been reported to the SSPO and local fisheries trusts forthwith (where they exist)? (CoGP – 4.4.37, 5.4.17)	
7. Were methods (if any) used to recover escapees? If yes give detail	
8. If gill nets were deployed was this action agreed with local wild fish interests and was permission given by Scottish Ministers? (Legal, CoGP – 4.4.38, 5.4.18)	
9. What action was taken to prevent and minimise the risk of further escapes? (Not covered in code but could be considered under satisfactory measures of the Act)	
10. Is the site inspected as satisfactory with regards to containment? If no, please detail reason(s)	Y

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Point of Compliance

1. Is the farm under inspection located within a farm management area?	Y

If N, no further questions require completion.

Points of Compliance for Both Farm Management Agreements and Statements

2. Has a current farm management agreement or statement (FMAg/S) been prepared?	Y
3. Is the current FMAg/S available for inspection?	Y
4. Does the FMAg/S identify the relevant farm management area?	Y
5. Does the FMAg/S identify the fish farm site(s) to which it applies?	Y
6. Does the FMAg/S identify the date of commencement of the agreement or statement?	Y
7. Does the FMAg/S identify the date of review?	Y

Arrangements for Fish Health Management

8. Does the FMAg/S identify the minimum health standards for the stocks to be introduced to the area or farm?	Y
9. Does the FMAg/S identify the vaccination requirements for stocks held in the area or farm?	Y
10. Does the FMAg/S identify the species of fish which may be stocked into the area or farm?	Y
11. Does the FMAg/S identify the maximum stocking density of any pen on any farm in the area or the individual farm?	Y
12. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for the storage and disposal of any dead fish from any fish farm in the area or the individual farm?	Y

Arrangements for The Management of Sea Lice

13. Does the FMAg/S identify arrangements for the sharing of data on sea lice numbers and treatments?	Y
14. Does the FMAg/S identify the availability and the use of medicines on farms covered by the agreement of statement?	Y
15. Does the FMAg/S identify any requirements for the sensitivity testing of available treatments for sea lice on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y
16. Does the FMAg/S identify the circumstances under which biological controls and cleaner fish are to be used on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y
17. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for synchronous treatments on farms within the area?	Y

Live Fish Movements

18. Does the FMAg/S identify the circumstances when live fish may be introduced or removed from the area or farm?	Y
19. Does the FMAg/S identify the arrangements for the movement of live fish on and off sites in the area or individual farms?	Y

Harvesting

20. Does the FMAg/S identify acceptable harvest practices on farms in the area or individual farms?	Y

Fallowing

21. Does the FMAg/S identify the dates by which the area or individual farm will be fallow and the earliest date when a farm or area may be restocked?	Y
22. Does the FMAg/S identify whether one or more year classes may be stocked onto sites covered by the agreement or statement?	Y
23. Does the FMAg/S identify whether broodstock or potential broodstock are to be kept on any site covered by the agreement or statement?	Y

Point of Compliance for Farm Management Agreements Only

24. Does the farm management agreement include arrangements for persons to become, or cease to be, parties to the agreement?	N/A

Management and operation

25. Is the fish farm being managed and operated in accordance with the agreement or statement?	Y
26. What is the version no/date of issue of the FMAg/S?	19/09/2024

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Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI, SLI, CNI	28/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0119	Date of visit:	21/10/2025
Site no:	FS0599	Site name:	MacLean's Nose
Case no:	20250399	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as high. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted annually. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Records in relation to aquaculture animals transported by the business were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

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Mortality levels had exceeded the reporting criteria since the last inspection and had been reported to the Fish Health Inspectorate as required.

Reports detailing the results of animal health surveillance carried out by or on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate were available for inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

Inspection under the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007

The site was also inspected in accordance with the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007, as amended, with respect to section 3 regarding parasites (sea lice), section 4A regarding fish farm management agreements and statements and section 5 regarding containment and escapes.

On this occasion the site was found to be satisfactory with regards to parasites, fish farm management agreements and statements and containment and escapes.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [redacted] Date: 28/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0403 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0956 Site Name: Loggie Bay
Business No: SB0570 Business Name: Seawilding

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 12.5 Thermometer No: T307 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: S CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Stock origin: Morecambe Oysters and The Oyster Restoration Company (The Boom, SS0909).

Site consists of one long line with baskets suspended from it. Oysters inspected displayed good signs of growth. Some issues with mussel spat fouling reported, but minimal fouling observed during inspection.

Once grown, oysters are moved to the head of Loch Broom as part of a restoration project.

Case No: 2025-0403 Site No: SS0956

Date of Visit: 23/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	N

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	32	Facilities stocked		12	No facilities inspected		32
Species	Flat or native oyster						
Age group	Mix						
No Fish	13,932						
Mean Fish Wt	30g						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Never fallow		Next Input Date (Site)		Spring 2026		
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?		N	Any escapes (since last visit)?				N
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	19/08/2024
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Other (detail)
If other detail:	Empty shells used as clutch substrate for the oyster restoration beds.
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	15
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	N
If yes, detail:	
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between:	19/08/2024 - 23/10/2025

Case Number:	2025-0403	Site No:	SS0956
Date of Visit	23/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	25
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	0

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off within MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	2
	Frequency of movements off outwith MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	0
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	6

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	1
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**40**
Risk	**HIGH**

Case No: 2025-0403 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Site No: SS0956 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI	27/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0570	Date of visit:	23/10/2025
Site no:	SS0956	Site name:	Loggie Bay
Case no:	20250403	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as high. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted annually. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate since the last Marine Directorate inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

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Signed: [redacted] Date: 27/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0404 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0966 Site Name: Rubha Buidhe
Business No: SB0570 Business Name: Seawilding

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 12.5 Thermometer No: T307 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: S CoGP MA: None

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Stock origin: Morecambe Oysters and Loggie Bay (SS0956)

Site consists of one long line with baskets suspended from it. Oysters inspected displayed good signs of growth. Minimal fouling observed during inspection, very low stocking density inside the baskets.

Once grown, oysters are moved to the head of Loch Broom as part of a restoration project.

Case No: 2025-0404 Site No: SS0966

Date of Visit: 23/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?
2. Changes made to details?

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	48	Facilities stocked		15	No facilities inspected		48
Species	Flat or native oyster						
Age group	Mix						
No Fish	11,939						
Mean Fish Wt	15g						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Never fallow		Next Input Date (Site)		Spring 2026		
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?		N	Any escapes (since last visit)?				N
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection? Y
2. Date of last inspection: First inspection
3. Are records complete and correctly entered? Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste? Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered? Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded the movement records? N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection? Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of? Other (detail)
If other detail: Empty shells used as clutch substrate for the oyster restoration beds.
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered? Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks): 7
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities? N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:

6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked? N
If yes, detail:
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI? N/A
If yes, detail action:
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet. N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between:	20/06/2025 - 23/10/2025

Case Number:	2025-0404	Site No:	SS0966
Date of Visit	23/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	25
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	0

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off within MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	1
	Frequency of movements off outwith MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	0
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	3

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	1
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**36**
Risk	**HIGH**

Case No: 2025-0404 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Site No: SS0966 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI	27/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0570	Date of visit:	23/10/2025
Site no:	SS0966	Site name:	Rubha Buidhe
Case no:	20250404	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as high. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted annually. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate since the last Marine Directorate inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

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Signed: [redacted] Date: 27/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0405 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): [redacted] Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0981 Site Name: Ullapool Harbour
Business No: SB0570 Business Name: Seawilding

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 12.7 Thermometer No: T307 FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: HI Water type: S CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?	N	If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?	N	

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Stock origin: Loggie Bay (SS0956)

Site consists of 10 hoisters suspended from the harbour pontoons. Each hoister holds oysters within their own individual comparments which sit within a larger cage. Minimal fouling observed. Good signs of growth on the oysters.

7 hoisters currently stocked. 3 on the inner pontoons and 4 on the outer wavebreak. 90 oysters were placed in the inner pontoon hoisters and 2 oysters have died since input (January 2025). 192 oysters were placed in the outer wavebreak hoisters and 93 oysters have died since input (April 2025). These will be removed as soon as possible and the hoisters will not be restocked. Going forward only the inner pontoon hoisters will be used as the water turbulence/quality due to boat activity near the harbour wavebreak has been assessed as unsuitable to continue farming in this area. No dead or gaping shells observed during inspection.

Once grown, oysters are moved to the head of Loch Broom as part of a restoration project.

Case No: 2025-0405 Site No: SS0981

Date of Visit: 23/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Registration/Authorisation Details

1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative?	Y
2. Changes made to details?	N

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	10	Facilities stocked		7	No facilities inspected		10
Species	Flat or native oyster						
Age group	Mix						
No Fish	187						
Mean Fish Wt	100g						
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Never Fallow		Next Input Date (Site)		TBC		
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?		N	Any escapes (since last visit)?				N
If yes, detail:							

Movement Records

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. Date of last inspection:	First inspection
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?	Y
5. Are records complete and correctly entered?	Y
6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded the movement records?	N/A

Transport Records

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?	
If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?	

Mortality Records

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?	Y
2. How are mortalities disposed of?	Other (detail)
If other detail:	Empty shells used as clutch substrate for the oyster restoration beds.
3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?	Y
4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):	11
5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?	N
If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:	
6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?	Y
If yes, detail:	See additional info,
7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI?	N/A
If yes, detail action:	
8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet.	N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	Y
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	Y
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any *increased* (*unexplained)* mortality at the site been included?	Y
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and *how* and *when* that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	Y
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	Y
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	Y
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	Y
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	Y
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between:	22/01/2025 - 23/10/2025

Case Number:	2025-0405	Site No:	SS0981
Date of Visit	23/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	25
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	0

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	0
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off within MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	1
	Frequency of movements off outwith MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	0
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	3

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	1
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	1
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**36**
Risk	**HIGH**

Case No: 2025-0405 Date of visit: 23/10/2025

Site No: SS0981 Main Insp: [redacted]

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
ECI	27/10/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0570	Date of visit:	23/10/2025
Site no:	SS0981	Site name:	Ullapool Harbour
Case no:	20250405	Inspector:	[redacted]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

All epidemiological units were inspected. On this occasion no samples were taken for disease analysis. The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as high. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted annually. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Directorate since the last Marine Directorate inspection.

The biosecurity measures plan for the site was inspected and found to be adequately maintained and implemented.

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Signed: [redacted] Date: 27/10/2025

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Case No: 2025-0452 Date of visit: 24/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0891 Site Name: Gunnister Voe
Business No: SB0430 Business Name: Blueshell Mussels Ltd

Case Types: 1 PSI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): Thermometer No: FHI 045 completed

Observations: Region: SH Water type: S CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?		

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Some sea squirts on site thought to be adversely affecting mussels

Case Number:	2025-0452	Site No:	SS0891
Date of Visit	24/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off <u>within</u> MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	
	Frequency of movements off <u>outwith</u> MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	0

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	0
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	0
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**5**
Risk	**LOW**

Case No: 2025-0452 Site No: SS0891

Date of case: 24/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Business/site contacts correct? (if no, update site summary sheet) Y

Site Details

Total No facilities: 1 No facilities stocked: 1

Species	MED						
Age group	2024						
No shellfish	1 longline						
Mean fish Wt	2 tonnes (total)						

Next fallow date (site) No plans Next input date (site) No plans

Date of last inspection: (ECI or PSI): 30/08/2023

1. Any recent increased or atypical mortalities? (last 4 weeks): N
If yes, detail: e.g. site average, max per facility

2. Any increased mortalities? (since last inspection) N
If yes, detail:

3. How are mortalities disposed of? Other (detail)
If other detail: No mortality observed

4. Are there any diseases on your site? N
If yes, detail:

5. Have you experienced predation on site? N
If yes, detail:

6. Has the site experienced increased or abnormal fouling? N
If yes, detail:

7. Have you observed any invasive species on your site? N
If yes, detail:

8. Do you have an up to date BMP? Y
If there are issues, detail:

9. What quantity of spat fall have you had in the last 12 months? (mussel sites only):
Very poor

Case No: 2025-0452 Date of visit: 24/10/2025

Site No: SS0891 Main Insp:

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
PSI	19/11/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0430	Date of visit:	24/10/2025
Site no:	SS0891	Site name:	Gunnister Voe
Case no:	20250452	Inspector:	[redacted]

Routine surveillance frequency assessment under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was contacted in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated.

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as low. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every fourth year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [redacted] Date: 19/11/2025

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Case No: 2025-0454 Date of visit: 24/10/2025

Additional inspector(s): Main Inspector: [redacted]

Site No: SS0976 Site Name: Basta North
Business No: SB0430 Business Name: Blueshell Mussels Ltd

Case Types: 1 PSI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): Thermometer No: FHI 045 completed N/A

Observations: Region: SH Water type: S CoGP MA:

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Post mortem signs observed?		If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken?		

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Case Number:	2025-0454	Site No:	SS0976
Date of Visit	24/10/2025	Main Insp:	[redacted]

Number of Susceptible species on site

If no susceptible species present = **LOW** risk

If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen

	No	Yes	
Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25	
Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3	3
Susceptible to OsHV (CGI)	0	3	

Sites within a tidal excursion		**1**	**2-5**	**>6**	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	2

Live shellfish movements		**0**	**1-2**	**>3**	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from British Islands (non-GB).	0	5	10	
	Frequency of movements on from a third country	0	10	20	
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	0
Movements off	Frequency of movements off within MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	2
	Frequency of movements off outwith MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	3

Management practices		**None**	**Secure (effluent treatment)**	**Unsecure (no effluent treatment)**	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0

Biosecurity	**Number of sites**	**1**	**2 or 3**	**≥ 4**	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	2
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	5
			Yes	**No**	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0

Total	**17**
Risk	**MEDIUM**

Case No: 2025-0454 Site No: SS0976

Date of case: 24/10/2025 Main Insp: [redacted]

Business/site contacts correct? (if no, update site summary sheet) Y

Site Details

Total No facilities: 8 No facilities stocked: 8

Species	MED	MED	MED				
Age group	2025	2024	2023				
No shellfish	4 longlines	2 longlines	2 longline				
Mean fish Wt	<1g	2g	5g				

Next fallow date (site) No plans Next input date (site) No plans

Date of last inspection: (ECI or PSI): 01/11/2023

1. Any recent increased or atypical mortalities? (last 4 weeks): N
If yes, detail: e.g. site average, max per facility

2. Any increased mortalities? (since last inspection) N
If yes, detail:

3. How are mortalities disposed of? Other (detail)
If other detail: No mortalities observed

4. Are there any diseases on your site? N
If yes, detail:

5. Have you experienced predation on site? Y
If yes, detail: Eider ducks

6. Has the site experienced increased or abnormal fouling? N
If yes, detail:

7. Have you observed any invasive species on your site? N
If yes, detail:

8. Do you have an up to date BMP? Y
If there are issues, detail:

9. What quantity of spat fall have you had in the last 12 months? (mussel sites only):
No spat collection undertaken on site

Case No: 2025-0454 Date of visit: 24/10/2025

Site No: SS0976 Main Insp:

Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2nd Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2nd Insp
PSI	19/11/2025		

Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	SB0430	Date of visit:	24/10/2025
Site no:	SS0976	Site name:	Basta North
Case no:	20250454	Inspector:	[redacted]

Routine surveillance frequency assessment under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was contacted in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated.

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as medium. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted every second year. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

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Signed: [redacted] Date: 19/11/2025

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