

Case No: 2020-0262 Date of visit: 01/09/2020

Time spent on site: 0 Main Inspector:

Site No: FS1019 Site Name: Strondoir Bay
Business No: FB0169 Business Name: The Scottish Salmon Company

Case Types: 1 PSI 2 3 4 5 6

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

Observations: Region: ST Water type: S CoGP MA: M-42

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

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

**Additional Case Information:**

Information from Mort event spread sheet;period;03/08/2020to 09/08/2020 average weight;3.1kg 1.48%mort/site/wk attributed to; Water quality/Plankton 8317

Period;10/08/2020 -16/08/2020 average wt;3.1 kg 1.03%morts/site/wk attributed to Water Quality/Plankton FHI comments; Spoke with health manager, samples have been taken, awaiting results, gill damage observed as well as observing fish twitching when brought up during mortality retrieval, potentially caused by a paralytic algal toxin. Freshwater treatment is planned.

Lump fish on site from Ocean Matters and Otterferry

Mortality had been very low since input until August. This week looks like mort level are decreasing. Fish still off feed. Every cage effected.

Morts; Dundas, whole in skips

Slice; 4 treatments, one in March 2020 and Dec 2019

Ongoing low level AGD.

Fish vet group results show Toxic algae shock. Higher levels of PGD (marked as 2) observed in fish. No unusual plankton observed on site. Oxygen reported as remaining normal. Fish observed high in cage, off food and remain off food. Dead and moribund fish appeared normal but with pale gills.

Estimate last week at 1.5%morts/wk/site but await confirmation once full week of figures available and will report should the full week figure be over 1%.

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Date of Visit	01/09/2020	<b>No of movements/supp./dest.</b>			<b>Score</b>	
<b>Live fish movements</b>		<b>0</b>	<b>1-5</b>	<b>6-10</b>	<b>&gt;10</b>	
Movements on (from out with GB) of susceptible species	Frequency of movements on from equivalent MS	0	5	10	14	0
	Frequency of movements on from equivalent zone or compartment including third country	0	9	18	26	
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	14	
Movements off	Frequency of movements off	0	3	6	10	10
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	10	3
<b>Exposure via water</b>	<b>Site contacts</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>1-5</b>	<b>6-10</b>		
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		
<b>Management practices</b>		<b>None</b>	<b>Secure</b>	<b>Unsecure</b>		
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				
	Common processes with other farms	3				3
	Collection point for waste from other farms	5				
Use of unpasteurised feeds	No feeding of unpasteurised feed	0				0
	Feeding unpasteurised feed	5				
<b>Biosecurity</b>	<b>Number of sites</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>2 or 3</b>	<b>≥ 4</b>		
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				
<b>CoGP/Regulator</b>						
Practices in accordance with regulator or industry code of practice	Yes	0				0
	No	3				
Platform access to cages	Yes	0				0
	No	2				
<b>Total Rank</b>					<b>21</b>	<b>MEDIUM</b>

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**Registration/Authorisation Details**

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

**Site Details**

Total No facilities	<input type="text" value="10"/>	No facilities stocked	<input type="text" value="9"/>
Species	<input type="text" value="sal"/>	<input type="text" value="lump"/>	
Age group	<input type="text" value="2019 S0"/>	<input type="text" value="adult"/>	
No Fish	<input type="text" value="480,000"/>	<input type="text" value="45,000"/>	
Mean Fish Wt	<input type="text" value="3kg"/>	<input type="text" value="26g"/>	
Next Fallow Date (Site)	<input type="text" value="May 2021"/>	Next Input Date (Site)	<input type="text" value="Sept 2021"/>

Date of last inspection: (ECI or PSI)

**Mortality Information**

- Any recent increased or atypical mortalities? (last 4 weeks.)   
 If yes, detail:
- Any increased mortalities? (since last inspection.)   
 If yes, detail:
- How are mortalities disposed of?   
 If other detail:

**Treatments and Medicines**

- Any treatments? (since last inspection)   
 If yes, detail:
- Other:

**Health status and Results of Surveillance**

- Any disease on site? (since last inspection)   
 If yes, detail:
- Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?
- Any significant results?   
 If yes, detail:

**Sea lice**

- Has the site experienced sea lice problems in the previous 4 years?   
 If yes, detail:
- Have lice levels stayed below the suggested criteria for treatment in the CoGP since the last inspection?   
 If no, detail:
- Have average adult female sea lice (*L. salmonis*) numbers per fish been at a level of 3 or above (prior to w/b 10/6/19) or 2 or above (from w/b 10/6/19) since the last inspection?
- If yes to 3, have these been reported to the Fish Health Inspectorate? If no, see comment.
- Does the site have treatment discharge consents relevant to sea lice?   
 If yes, detail:
- Have therapeutic treatments or the actions taken had a significant impact upon the lice levels recorded?   
 If no, detail:
- Is there a signed documented farm management agreement or statement relevant to the site and CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent)?
- Is the CoGP Farm Management Area (or equivalent) followed synchronously on a single year class basis?

**Escapes/Containment**

1. Any reported escapes? (check prior to phone call)

	N
	N

2. Any escapes? (since last inspection)

If yes, detail:  
(include date)

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**Biosecurity Records**

1. Any significant changes to your biosecurity procedures since previous visit?

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If yes, detail:

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Results Summary	Freq.	Date of Notification						
		Database	Insp	Phone	Insp	Writing	Insp	2 <sup>nd</sup> Insp

Report Summary			
Case Type	Date	Insp	2 <sup>nd</sup> Insp
PSI	07/10/2020		

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## FISH HEALTH INSPECTORATE VISIT REPORT

### SUMMARY FOR INFORMATION OF SITE OPERATOR

<b>BUSINESS No</b>	FB0169	<b>DATE OF CASE</b>	01/09/2020
<b>SITE No</b>	FS1019	<b>SITE NAME</b>	Strondoir Bay
<b>INSPECTOR</b>	[REDACTED]	<b>CASE No</b>	20200262

#### Passive Surveillance Inspection

A notification of mortality levels above the reporting criteria was received by the Fish Health Inspectorate for August 2020.

Due to current government advice regarding the on-going situation with COVID-19 an inspection of the site could not be conducted. A passive surveillance inspection was conducted by telephone to gather information in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009, and to meet the requirements of European Community Council Directive 2006/88/EC. Information was also gathered in accordance with the Aquaculture and Fisheries (Scotland) Act 2007, as amended, with respect to section 3 regarding parasites (sea lice).

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.

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

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

Signed: [REDACTED]

Fish Health Inspector

Date: 07/10/2020

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