

## Sustainability Performance of the Seafood Sector

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### Project Outline:

In early 2022 BIM will launch an internal sustainability workgroup which, using the relevant policy documents, will define what sustainability means for all each of the Irish seafood sectors.

Following the outcome of this workgroup, the project will take these definitions and will create a set of metrics, develop a baseline and will define key performance indicators that will allow BIM to continually measure the Irish seafood sectors sustainability performance and its progress to achieving the various policy objectives/targets.

A suitably qualified consultant will be procured to assist in the collation of existing sustainability data, the development of the key performance indicators and assessment of data gaps and commence the initial performance assessment of each of the seafood sectors.

### Project Objectives:

- To develop a set of metrics, a baseline and key performance indicators that will allow the continual measurement of the Irish seafood sectors sustainability performance and its progress to achieving the various policy objectives/targets.
- To produce an annual sustainability performance review of the Irish seafood sector which will sit as a companion to the existing Business of Seafood report.

### Expected Benefits:

- Ability to measure the Irish seafood industries progress on sustainability.
- Strong governance and ability to measure the impact of sustainability measures.
- Ability to continually measure sustainability impact of EMFAF grant schemes.

**Projected Cost:** €150,000