

Sourcing from ASC certified suppliers



ASC certified products are seafood that originate from an ASC certified farm and must be purchased from certified suppliers to maintain the certified Chain of Custody (CoC). A certified supplier can be a [farm Unit of Certification \(UoC\)](#) or a [supplier](#) with a CoC certificate. ASC certified products with the ASC logo¹ are registered with ASC and available on our [website](#).

Checklist to confirm valid certified products from farms and suppliers:

✓	<p>Always check if farm or CoC certificate is valid – request their ASC certificate and check against the ASC website for farm or supplier.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Check the company’s name, address, certification dates, species, production units, sites covered and status. - Recent certificate suspensions are also listed here. <p>For details on how to do this, see below</p> <p><i>Note - The ASC logo on a company’s website or in a brochure or promotional materials does not confirm that the farm unit of certification or supplier CoC certificate is valid. Please confirm validity for a farm or supplier.</i></p>
✓	<p>For purchase from farms, check the farm audit report for the starting point of CoC (13.3) and the Eligibility Date (13.2).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Confirm whether the entire farm is certified (1.6). If any parts are not certified (by species, pond/cage/unit etc), verify purchases are from the certified portion only. <p>For details on how to do this, see below</p>
✓	<p>For purchase from suppliers, check if the sites you are buying from have a CoC certificate.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - A CoC certified supplier is the entity that is named on the sales documentation that demonstrates transfer of legal ownership and from seller to buyer. <p>For details on how to do this, see below</p>
✓	<p>When purchasing a packaged, consumer ready product with the ASC logo, check the product information against the ASC website.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Check that the package has a CoC number under the logo. Confirm that the CoC number matches the packaging companies’ information available on ASC’s website. <p>For details on how to do this, see below</p>
✓	<p>If you have any questions, please contact Services@asc-aqua.org</p>

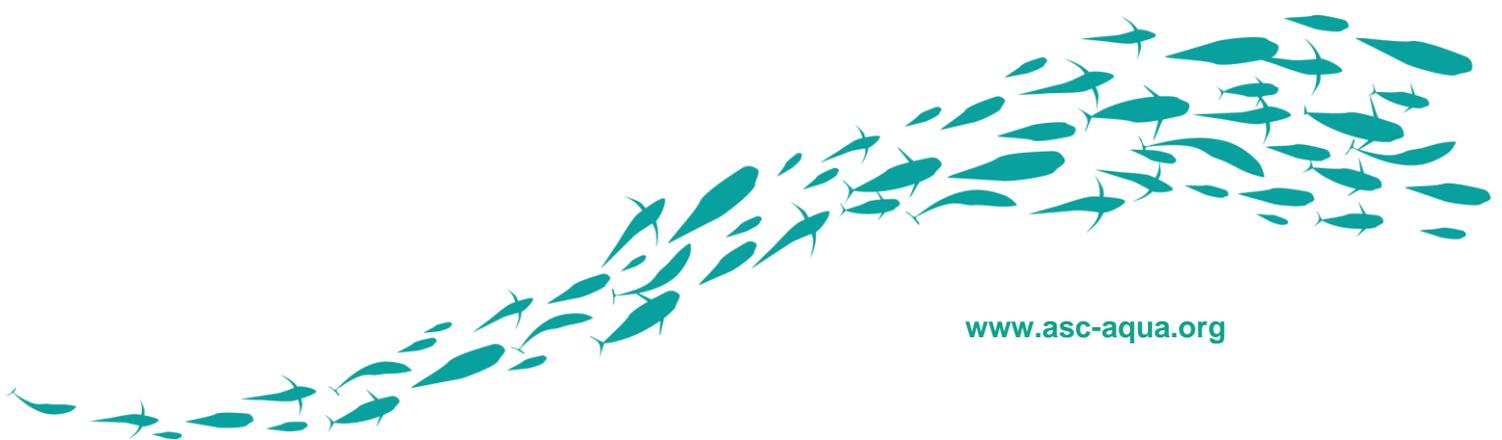
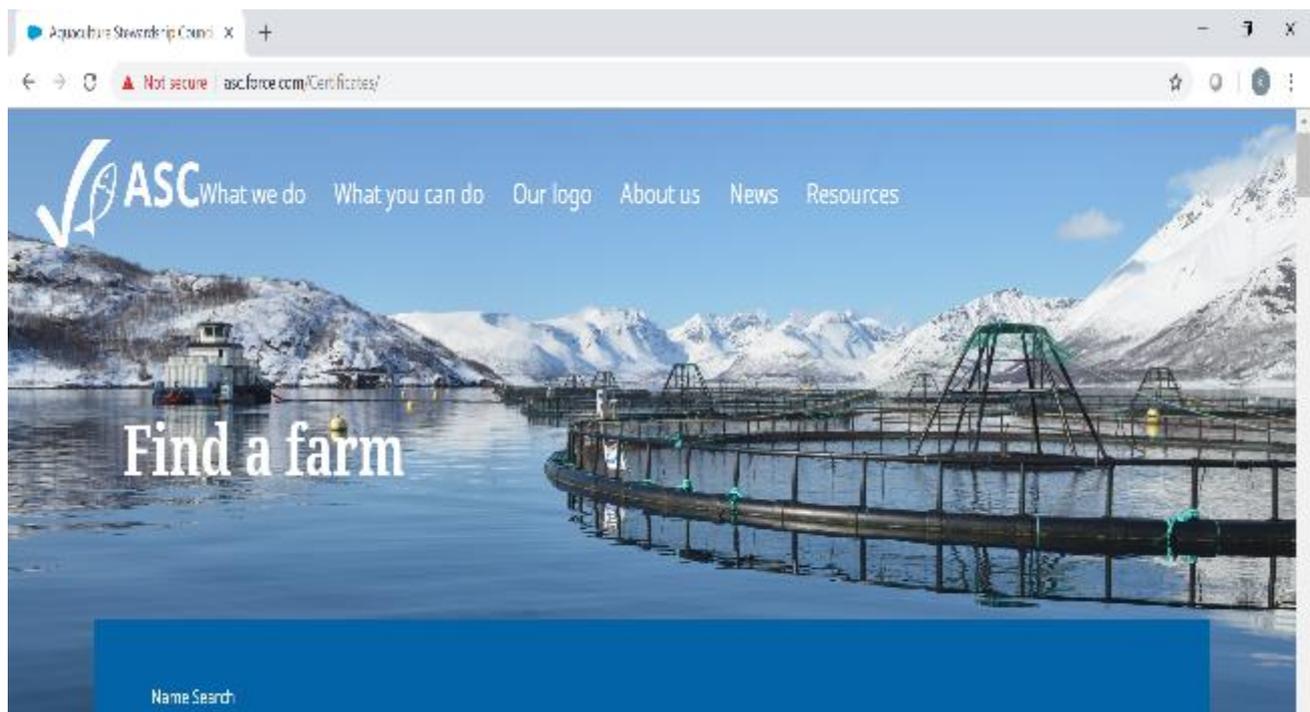
¹ These are called consumer ready tamper-proof products. More details: https://www.asc-aqua.org/wp-content/uploads/2018/05/ASC-Logo-User-Guide_May2018_03052018_reduced.pdf

Buying from a farm:

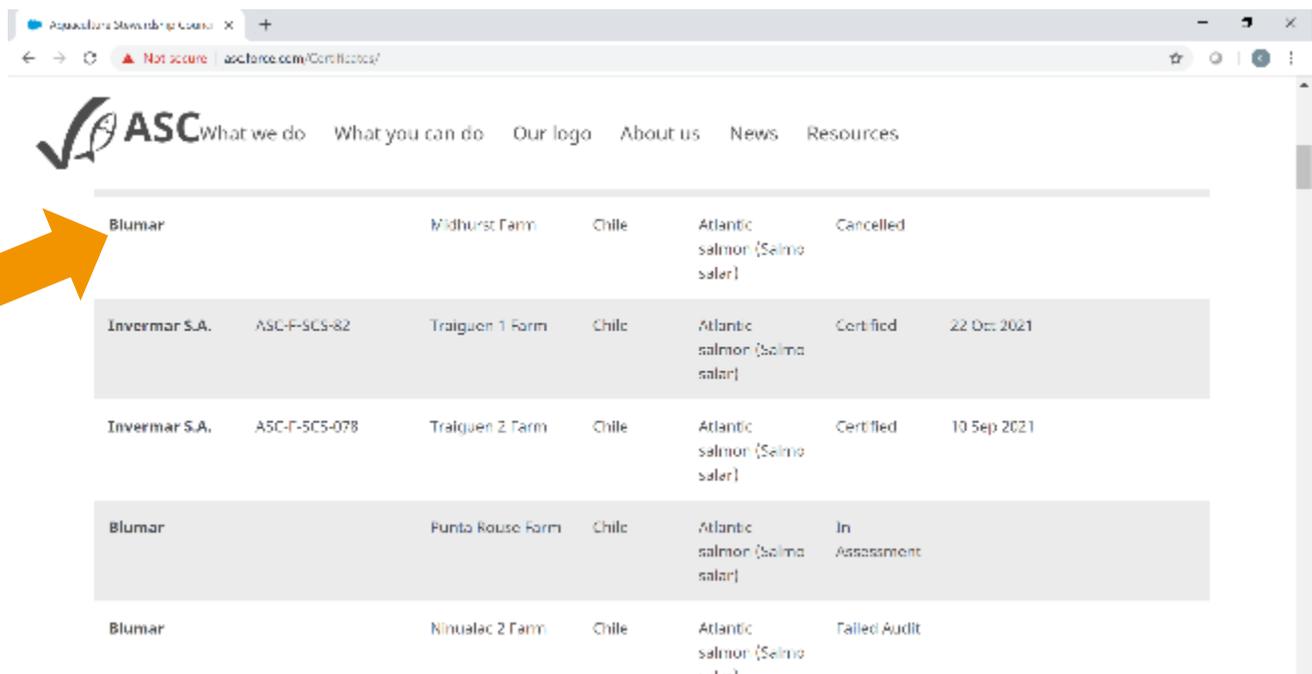
Companies buying certified products from farms should refer to the farm certificate and the most recent [farm audit report](#) to confirm the product originates from within the unit of certification, that the certificate is valid.

Step 1: Request a copy of the farm's ASC certificate from the farm.

Step 2: Visit www.asc.force.com/Certificates/ and enter either the farm name, or search for the farm through the species, country and status options.

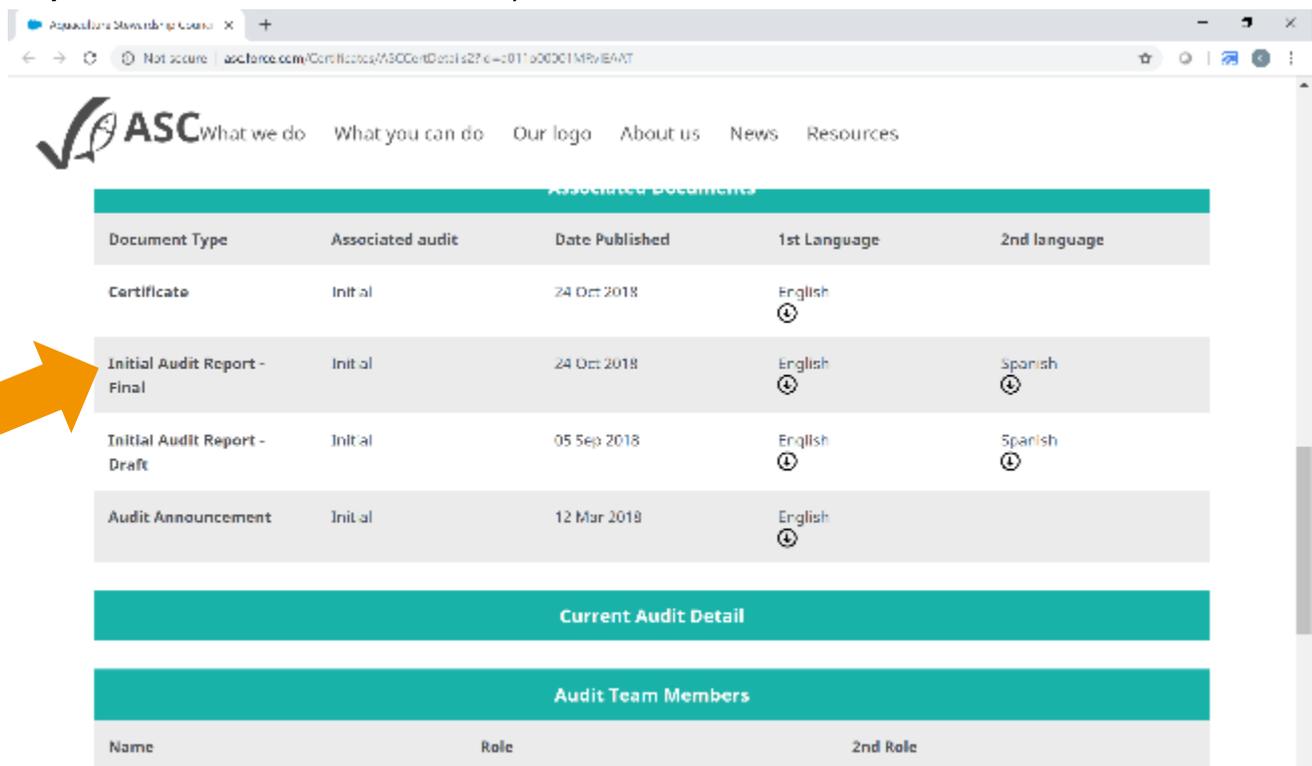


Step 2: Select the farm



Farm Name	Certificate ID	Farm Name	Country	Species	Status	Issue Date
Blumar		Midhurst Farm	Chile	Atlantic salmon (Salmo salar)	Cancelled	
Invermar S.A.	ASC-F-SCS-82	Traiguen 1 Farm	Chile	Atlantic salmon (Salmo salar)	Certified	22 Oct 2021
Invermar S.A.	ASC-F-SCS-078	Traiguen 2 Farm	Chile	Atlantic salmon (Salmo salar)	Certified	10 Sep 2021
Blumar		Punta Rouse Farm	Chile	Atlantic salmon (Salmo salar)	In Assessment	
Blumar		Ninualac 2 Farm	Chile	Atlantic salmon (Salmo salar)	Failed Audit	

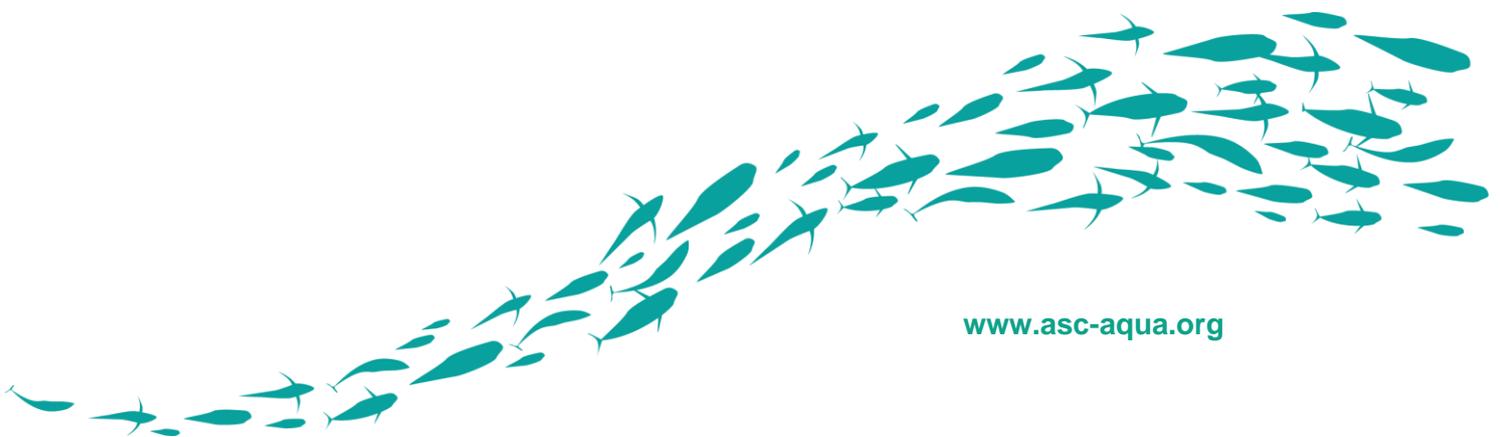
Step 3: Select the most recent audit report



Associated Documents				
Document Type	Associated audit	Date Published	1st Language	2nd language
Certificate	Initial	24 Oct 2018	English	
Initial Audit Report - Final	Initial	24 Oct 2018	English	Spanish
Initial Audit Report - Draft	Initial	05 Sep 2018	English	Spanish
Audit Announcement	Initial	12 Mar 2018	English	

Current Audit Detail		
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Audit Team Members		
Name	Role	2nd Role



Step 4: Confirm that the site you are purchasing from is included in the scope of the certificate (1.6)

PDF 2.6 Sites to be audited / Centros a ser auditados

Site Name / Nombre del centro	GPS Coordinates / Coordenadas GPS	Other Location Information / Otra información de lugar	Planned Site Audit(s) / Auditorías planificadas en sitio	Date of planned audit / Fecha de la auditoría planificada
ROMA1	12°54'56.92"N 87°16'30.21"W/G	Estuary La Barbená (Water receiving body/Escurio La Barbená/Campo de agua receptor)	Municipality of Triunfo, Choluteca, Honduras/Municipalidad de Triunfo, Choluteca, Honduras	07/03/2018 08/08/2018
INSA	12° 2'04.94"N 87°14' 28.48"W/G	Estuary La Barbená (Water receiving body/Escurio La Barbená/Campo de agua receptor)	Municipality of Triunfo, Choluteca, Honduras/Municipalidad de Triunfo, Choluteca, Honduras	07/03/2018 08/08/2018
DEBEEJA	12°59'55.93"N 87°15'19.97"W/G	Estuary La Barbená (Water receiving body/Escurio La Barbená/Campo de agua receptor)	Municipality of Triunfo, Choluteca, Honduras/Municipalidad de Triunfo, Choluteca, Honduras	07/03/2018 08/08/2018



Species and Standards / Especies y Normas

Step 5: Go to section 13. Confirm if the certificate was issued (13.1), the eligibility date (13.2), and if a separate CoC is necessary (13.3). **Note: if a separate CoC is necessary, confirm if the farm is CoC certified and follow the [instructions for sourcing from a CoC certified supplier](#).**

Evaluación de Impacto Social Participativo (EISP), esté(n) disponible(s), deberá(n) ser incluidas completamente en el reporte de auditoría. Si los documentos no están en inglés, entonces se deberá incluir también un breve resumen de dicha(s) evaluación(s) en el reporte.

13. Decision / Decisión

13.1. Has a certificate been issued? (yes/no) / Se ha emitido el certificado? (s/no)

Yes. The final certification decision has been taken after needed activities, as per ASC Form Certification and Accreditation Requirements Version 1 March 2012.

13.2. The Eligibility Date (if applicable) / Fecha de determinación (si aplica)

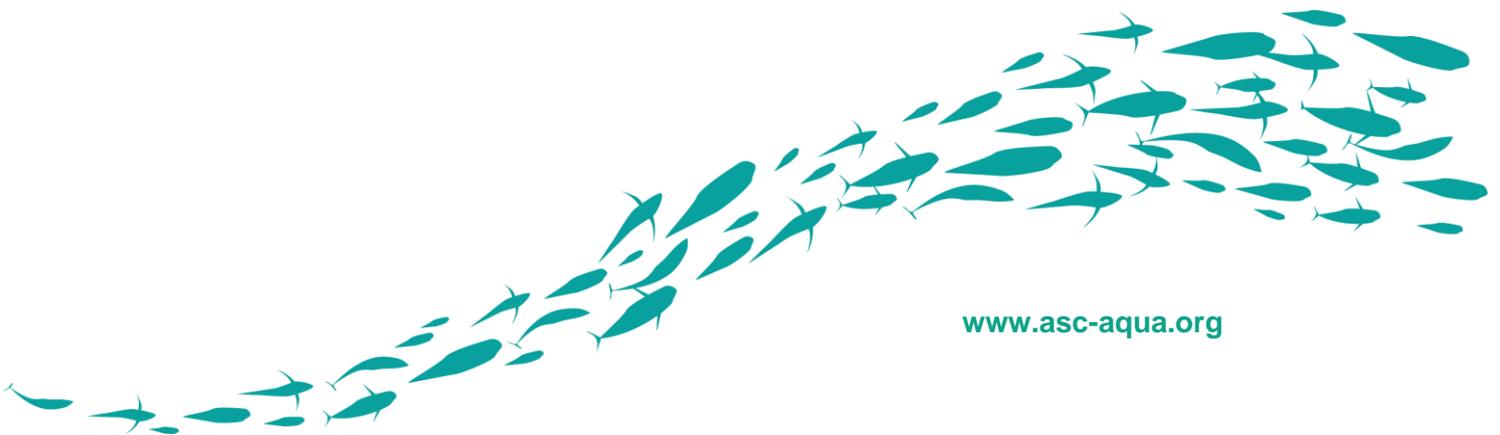
The Eligibility Date since on 06.03.2017. / La fecha de elegibilidad es desde el 06.03.2017.

13.3. Is a separate CoC certificate required for the producer? (yes/no) / Se requiere un certificado de Cadena de Custodia (CoC) por separado para el productor? (s/no)

No for the unit of certification (PUNTA VERDE/AAA).

A separate ASC CoC certification is needed as specified earlier in the report for activities e.g. slaughtering, processing and trading of certified products performed after the ASC Salmon Standard certificate scope stops. / No para la unidad de certificación (PUNTA VERDE/AAA).

Se necesita una certificación CoC ASC separada como se especificó anteriormente en el reporte de actividades, como por ejemplo, sacrificio, procesamiento y comercialización de productos certificados después que la certificación del Estándar ASC-Salmón, finaliza.

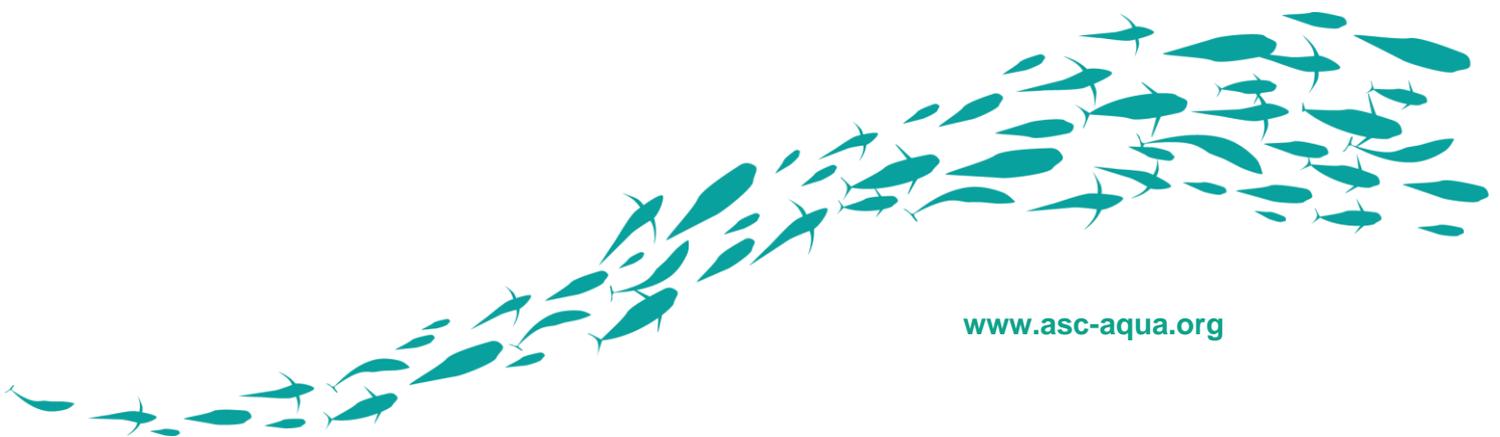


Buying from a CoC certified supplier:

Companies buying ASC certified product from a supplier should confirm that the company holds a valid ASC Chain of Custody (CoC) certification which can be verified through the [ASC website](https://www.asc-aqua.org). **Note that the ASC logo on a company's website or marketing materials does not confirm valid certificate status.**

Step 1: Request a copy of your supplier's ASC CoC certificate.

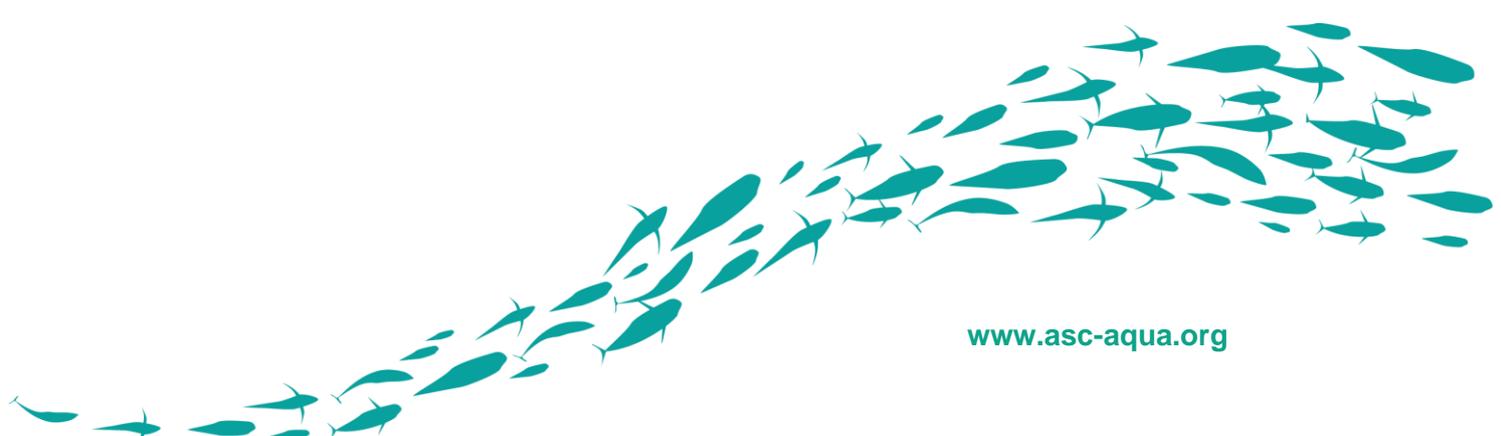
Step 2: Search your supplier through their CoC certificate number (ex. ASC-C-XXXXX), their company name, or country and species.



Step 3: Confirm that the CoC certificate number, the name of the company, the certification status and validity dates matches your information and that the site that you are sourcing from is included in the certificate.

Found 1 matching company

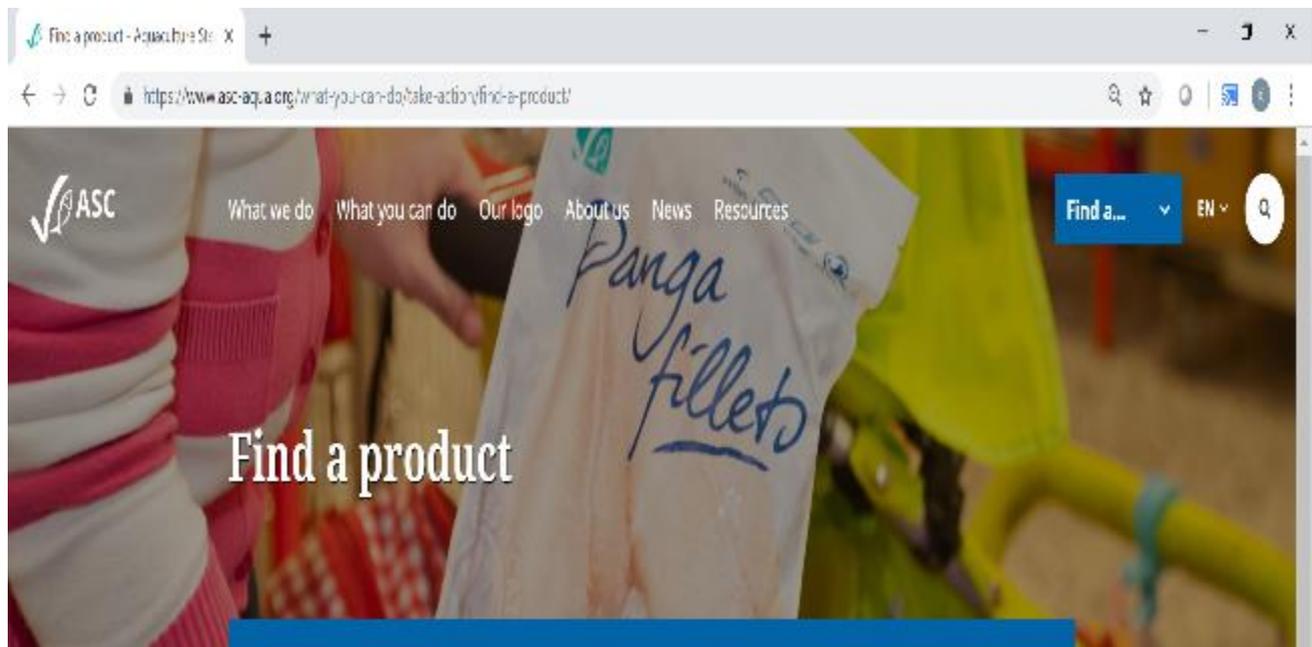
Certification	Species	Contact	Sites	Status
ASC-C-00300 Gordon Food Service, Inc.	Atlantic Salmon Giant freshwater prawn Pangasius (Bass) sp. Hydrophilum Tilapia (Nile) Whiteleg shrimp Cob Litopenaeus setiferus Oreochromis niloticus Pangasius hypophthalmus Penaeus monodon Salmonidae	1100 Green Parkway Forest Park GA US	Gordon Food Service Inc. - Aberdeen Gordon Food Service Inc. - Atlanta Gordon Food Service Inc. - Atlanta Gordon Food Service Inc. - Calgary Gordon Food Service Inc. - Central States Gordon Food Service Inc. - Edmonton Gordon Food Service Inc. - Florida/Miami Gordon Food Service Inc. - Florida/Palm City Gordon Food Service Inc. - Glazer/Coppell Gordon Food Service Inc. - Glazer/Houston Gordon Food Service Inc. - Great Lakes West Gordon Food Service Inc. - Great Lakes/South Gordon Food Service Inc. - Great Lakes/STL Gordon Food Service Inc. - Great Lakes/Trighton Gordon Food Service Inc. - Great Lakes/Day	Valid until 2021-01-01



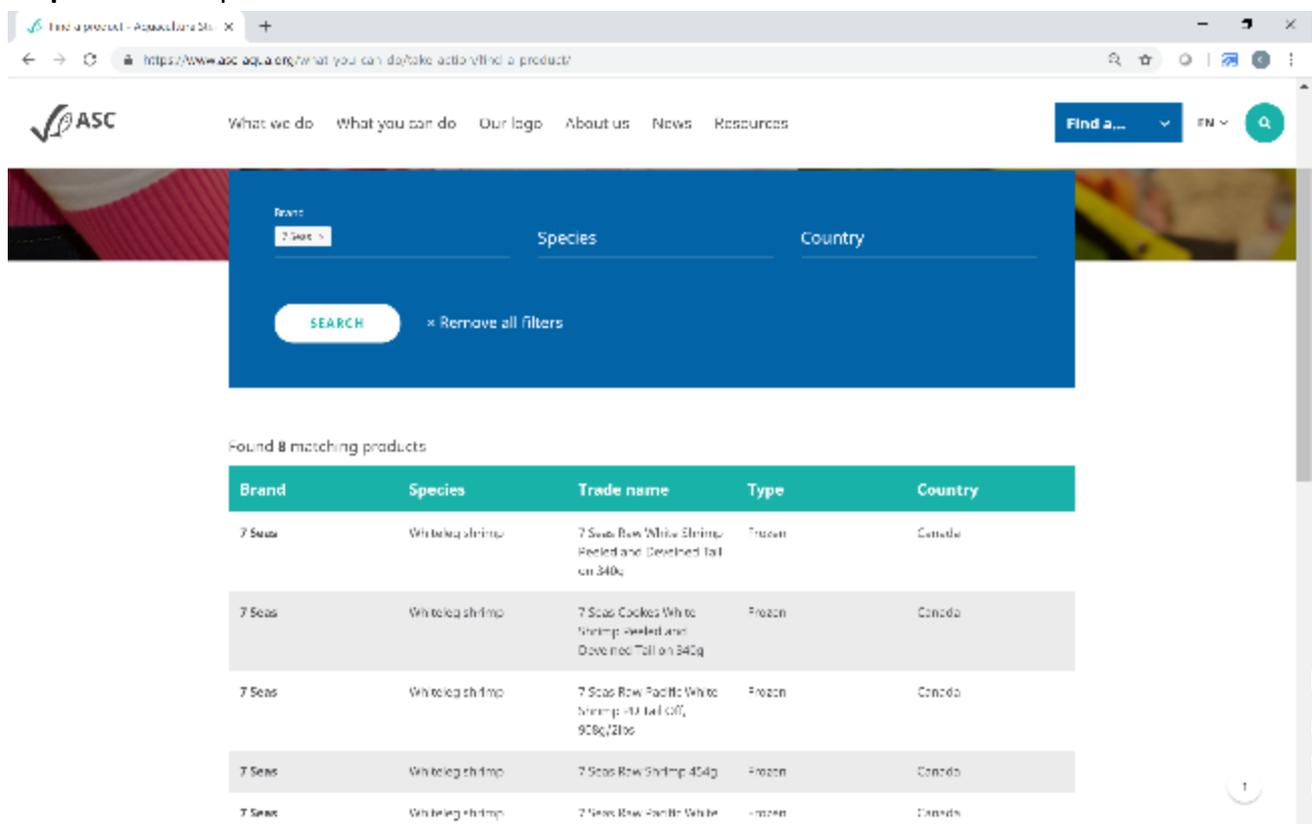
Buying a consumer ready, tamper-proof packaged product:

Consumer ready, tamper proof products with the ASC logo are registered with ASC and their certification status can be confirmed on our [website](https://www.asc-aqua.org).

Step 1: Search product through ASC [website](https://www.asc-aqua.org).



Step 2: Confirm product information.



Step 3: If package is available, confirm that the CoC number is available on package below ASC logo.



Step 4: Check the CoC number available on package against [ASC website](https://www.asc-aqua.org). The CoC information on the package will be from the packer, who may not necessarily be your supplier. Confirm that the CoC number is valid and from the appropriate packer. If it does not match, request clarity from your supplier or contact ASC.

