



This is to certify that:

Veramaris (USA) LLC.

650 Industrial Park Drive, Blair, Nebraska, USA., 68008.

Has been evaluated by Global Trust Certification, ASI Accreditation Code ASI-ACC-035, and has been found to meet the requirements of the:

ASC-MSC Algae (Seaweed) Standard

Version 1.01; Issue Date: 30 April 2018



Certification status:

Certified

SCOPE:

Species: *Schizochytrium spp.*

Common Name(s): Not applicable.

Site name: Veramaris (USA) LLC., Blair, Nebraska, USA.

Site) Physical Address: 650 Industrial Park Drive, Blair, Nebraska, USA, 68008.

Entry Point of Chain of Custody: The entities allowed to use this certificate are defined by the client group:

- Veramaris (USA) LLC. (Production arm of Veramaris).
- Veramaris VOF (Sales and Marketing arm of Veramaris) who take ownership of certified product from Veramaris (USA) LLC. and sell it on to other customers.
- DSM (Koninklijke DSM N.V./Royal DSM) and Evonik (Evonik Industries AG) (as parent groups of the Veramaris equal joint venture).

These entities do not require separate COC certification. This is required from the point of transfer of product to any entity outside the Client Group.

Registration No. (unique certificate number): C_{ii}-GTC-001

Certificate Issue No.: 1.0

Certificate Issue Date: 08 January 2021

Certification Date: 08 January 2021

Certificate Expiry Date: 07 January 2024

The validity of this certificate shall be verified on the ASC website: <https://www.asc-aqua.org/what-we-do/our-standards/seaweed-standard/certified-seaweed-operations/>.

Signed on behalf of Global Trust Certification:

**Eoghan Stedman
General Manager**

Disclaimer: This certificate itself does not constitute evidence that a particular product supplied by the certificate holder is ASC-MSC certified. Products offered, shipped or sold by the certificate holder can only be considered covered by the scope of this certificate when the required ASC-MSC claim is clearly stated on invoices and shipping documents.

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Annex 1 to Certificate C_{ii}-GTC-001

Up to date as of: 04 January 2021

Parties (vessels, fleets, farms and/or any other client group members, including named companies) currently eligible to access this certificate:

Veramaris is an equal joint venture of DSM (Koninklijke DSM N.V. / Royal DSM) and Evonik (Evonik Industries AG) (the parent groups). Veramaris in turn consists of two entities:

1. Veramaris (USA) LLC. – Production arm of Veramaris based in Blair, Nebraska, USA.
2. Veramaris VOF – Sales and Marketing arm of Veramaris based in The Netherlands who take ownership of all certified product from Veramaris LLC. and sell it on to other customers.

All of the above entities are included in the client group and as such are currently eligible to access this certificate as members of that client group.

Points of landing or other transfer may be used for the sale of seaweed from the certified production unit into further Chains of Custody:

While legal ownership of the product changes from Veramaris (USA) LLC to Veramaris VOF, both are members of the same overarching organization and both are named members of the Client Group—therefore, the intended point of first sale is when ownership is transferred to an entity outside of the Client Group.

Seaweed from the certified production unit may be sold into further Chains of Custody as certified through Veramaris VOF—therefore, Veramaris VOF represents the point of transfer that may be used for the sale of seaweed from the certified production unit into further Chains of Custody.