**European anchovy** Bay of Biscay

**Fishery:** Spain/France/EU, France, Midwater trawls

### IDENTIFICATION

- **Scientific Name:** *Engraulis encrasicolus*
- **Species Name(s):** European anchovy
- **Stock Identification:**
  - European anchovy (*Engraulis encrasicolus*) inhabiting in the Bay of Biscay is isolated from adjacent populations, and is assessed and managed as a single stock (ICES, 2014).

### ASSESSMENT

- **No related analysis**

### SCORES

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### FIPS

- **No related FIPs**

### MSC

- **No related MSC fisheries**

### RECOMMENDATIONS

**RETAILERS & SUPPLY CHAIN**

- Start a fishery improvement project (FIP) to evaluate and address sustainability issues in this fishery. For advice on starting a FIP, see SFP’s Seafish Industry Guide to FIPs and other resources at [https://www.sustainablefish.org/Programs/Professional-Guidance/FIP-Resources](https://www.sustainablefish.org/Programs/Professional-Guidance/FIP-Resources).

**RELATED LINKS:**

- European Commission (EC), France National Maritime Fisheries and Aquaculture Committee (CNPMEM), Spain Ministry of Agriculture, Food, and the Environment (REAGRAMA)
- International Council for the Exploration of the Sea (ICES)

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