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# Certificate of Conformity

## Responsible Fisheries Management

MRAG Americas certifies that

Pacific Whiting (Hake) Mid-Water Trawl  
Pacific Whiting Conservation Cooperative  
5303 Shilshole Avenue NW  
Seattle, WA 98107-4021, United States

meets the Certified Seafood Collaborative's Responsible  
Fisheries Management Certification Program Standard.

**Unit of Certification:**

**Species:** Pacific whiting (hake), *Merluccius productus*

**Geographic region:** US Federal EEZ waters off Washington,  
Oregon and California, FAO area 67

**Gear types:** Midwater trawl

**Stock:** Pacific coast whiting/hake

**Certificate Issued by:**

MRAG Americas Certification Committee

Signature





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# Fisheries Certificate Schedule

## Pacific whiting (hake) mid-water trawl

**Client/Certificate Holder:**

Pacific Whiting Conservation Cooperative

**Management:** US Federal Fisheries Management system

**Client Group:** Pacific Whiting Conservation Cooperative

**Surveillance Schedule:** July (annually)

**Re-Evaluation Due Date:** July 2026

**Open Non-Conformities:** None

**Corrective action plans and timescales:** Not Applicable

Members of the Applicant Group are authorized to provide fish and fish products that are eligible to carry the RFM logo.

**Fishery participants:**

- Non-tribal catcher boats delivering to shore-based processing facilities.
- Non-tribal catcher boats delivering to at-sea mothership processors.
- Non-tribal vessels that both catch and process the catch at sea.
- Non-tribal at-sea mothership processors.
- Non-tribal shore-based processing facilities.
- Tribal harvesters

