

Case No: 2022-0215 Date of visit: 14/06/2022

Time spent on site: 40 minutes Main Inspector:

Site No: SS0932 Site Name: North Bay West
Business No: SB0557 Business Name: Orkney Oysters (Hoy) Ltd

Case Types: 1 ECI 2 3 4 5 6

Water Temp (°C): 13.4 Thermometer No: T310 FHI 045 completed

Observations: Region: OR Water type: S CoGP MA

Dead/weak/abnormally behaving fish present? N If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Clinical signs of disease observed? N If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Gross pathology observed? N If yes, see additional information/clinical score sheet.
Diagnostic samples taken? N

UNI/REG only - if unable to carry out intended visit detail reason below:

Additional Case Information:

Reduced number of trestles in the water as many had broken and have been taken out of the water. The future plan will be to increase trestle numbers again.

Currently have two trestles containing the first native oysters on site. Native oysters suffered higher mortalities to begin with as they were positioned closer to the shore for easier access for the council however this resulted in the Native oysters being out of the water for too long leading to increased mortalities compared to the Pacific oysters. Native oysters have now been moved further out and are currently doing well.

Site was in good condition with no fouling and no empty shells noted.

Spat for Native oysters came from Guernsey.

Site paperwork and inspection carried out by [REDACTED], supervised by [REDACTED]

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Registration/Authorisation Details

- 1. Business/site details summary checked by site representative? Y
- 2. Changes made to details? N

Site Details (include cleaner fish for all sections)

Total No facilities	55	Facilities stocked	41	No facilities inspected	55
Species	OED	CGI	CGI		
Age group	2021	2021	2020		
No Fish	20,000	75,000	20,000		
Mean Fish Wt	5-10g	5-10g	70g		
Next Fallow Date (Site)	Never fallow		Next Input Date (Site)	July 2022 for more CGI	
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?			Any escapes (since last visit)?	N	
If yes, detail:					

Movement Records

- 1. Movement records available for inspection? Y
- 2. Date of last inspection: 06/10/2021
- 3. Are records complete and correctly entered? Y
- 4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste? N/A
- 5. Are records complete and correctly entered? N/A
- 6. Are health certificates for introductions (outwith GB) available? N

Transport Records

- 1. Are any movements carried out by (or on behalf) of the business (not using a STB)?
- If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?

Mortality Records

- 1. Mortality records available for inspection? N
- 2. How are mortalities disposed of? Other (detail)
- If other detail: On land - terrestrial farms
- 3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered? N/A
- 4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):
- 5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities? N/A
- If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:
- 6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked? N/A
- If yes, detail:
- 7. Have increased (unexplained) mortalities been reported to vet or FHI? N/A
- If yes, detail action:
- 8. Have 'mortality events' been reported to FHI? If no, enter details on mortality events sheet. N/A

Treatments and Medicines Records

1. Recent treatments (see comment)?	
If yes, detail:	
If other, detail:	
2. Medicines records available for inspection?	
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?	
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?	
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	
If other, detail:	
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?	

Biosecurity Records

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?	N
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?	N/A
3. Has the manner and period in which the APB will notify Scottish Ministers or veterinary professional of any <i>increased (unexplained)</i> mortality at the site been included?	N/A
4. Has the action that will be taken in the event that the presence or suspicion of the presence of a listed disease is detected been included and <i>how</i> and <i>when</i> that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?	N/A
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?	N/A
6. Have the husbandry and biosecurity measures implemented between each epidemiological unit to minimise transmission of disease been covered (movement of staff, visitors, equipment, live or dead fish etc.)?	N/A
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?	N/A
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?	N/A
If no, detail:	

Results of Surveillance

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?	N
2. If yes, are results available for inspection?	
3. Any significant results?	
If yes, detail (if not detailed under recent disease problems).	

Records checked between: 06/10/2021 - 14/06/2022

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Number of Susceptible species on site					
If no susceptible species present = LOW risk					
If susceptible species present, score for each pathogen					
		No	Yes		
	Susceptible to Bonamia ostrea (OED)	0	25		25
	Susceptible to Marteilia refringens (OED, MED)	0	3		3
	Susceptible to OshV (CGI)	0	3		3
Sites within a tidal excursion					
		1	2-5	>6	
Site contacts	Number of sites holding susceptible species within a tidal excursion	0	2	10	0
Live shellfish movements					
		0	1-2	>3	
Movements on	Frequency of movements on from equivalent MS	0	5	10	5
	Frequency of movements on from equivalent zone or compartment including third country	0	10	20	0
	Number of suppliers	0	5	10	5
Movements off	Frequency of movements off <u>within</u> MSS Management Areas	0	1	2	0
	Frequency of movements off <u>outwith</u> MSS Management Areas	0	3	6	0
	Number of destinations	0	3	6	0
Management practices					
		None	Secure (effluent treatment)	Unsecure (no effluent treatment)	
Water contacts with depuration facilities	Depuration of stock from own sites within MSS management area	0	1	2	0
	Depuration of stock from other businesses sites within MSS management area	0	2	6	0
	Depuration of stock from sites outwith MSS management area	0	4	8	0
Biosecurity					
	Number of sites	1	2 or 3	≥ 4	
Contacts with other sites	Sites operating from single shorebase	0	1	2	0
	Sites sharing staff and equipment	0	1	5	0
			Yes	No	
	Disinfection of equipment between sites, use of footbaths etc		0	2	0
				Total Risk	41 HIGH

FISH HEALTH INSPECTORATE VISIT REPORT

SUMMARY FOR INFORMATION OF SITE OPERATOR

BUSINESS No	SB0557	DATE OF VISIT	14/06/2022
SITE No	SS0932	SITE NAME	North Bay West
CASE No	20220215	INSPECTOR	[REDACTED]

Inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009

The above site was inspected, in accordance with the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

Records

The surveillance frequency category of the site was assessed as high. An inspection under the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009 will be conducted annually. The category of the site will be reassessed on a routine basis and updated as required.

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated. The following records were also inspected to ensure that the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met:

Aquaculture animal and aquaculture animal product movement records were inspected and appeared to be adequately maintained.

No animal health surveillance had been carried out on behalf of the business and/or Marine Scotland since the last Marine Scotland Inspection.

The following points were raised with the site representative during the inspection:

- Mortality records were not available at time of inspection.
- Biosecurity Measures Plan was not available at time of inspection.
- Health certificates were not available at time of inspection.

These must be addressed to ensure the conditions of authorisation for your Aquaculture Production Business (APB) are being met. Records or documentation demonstrating that these points have been addressed should be sent to the Fish Health Inspectorate (contact details below) within 30 days of the date this report was issued.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any assistance or clarification in implementing any requirement or recommendation detailed in this report.

Signed:



Fish Health Inspector

Date: 06/07/2022

The Fish Health Inspectorate Service Charter detailing standards of service is available on the Marine Scotland website at <https://www.gov.scot/publications/fish-health-inspectorate-service-charter/>

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Case completion report

Issues were raised in relation to the above case, with a requirement for records unavailable for inspection to be submitted by 05/08/2022. The required records have now been provided to Marine Scotland.

This case will now be closed. This site may be subject to further audit and recommendations in the future.

Please contact myself or the duty inspector should you require any further information or have any queries regarding this report.

Signed: [REDACTED]

Fish Health Inspector

Date: 06/09/2022

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