



UPDATE

Newsletter - May 2019



Editorial

As part of the Marine Ingredients Industry's commitment to contributing to the United Nations' Sustainable Development Goals, I am proud to announce that IFFO and the Global Aquaculture Alliance have just released [the findings of a project on the South East Asian fishmeal industry](#).

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IFFO news



The first overarching study on the South East Asian fishmeal industry

The report makes a number of recommendations to ensure a pathway for responsible supply. Access the summary report, the FAQ and the infographic.

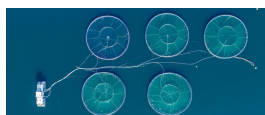
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Are plant ingredients as fishmeal substitutes sustainable?

A research found that the substitution of fishmeal with plant ingredients merely moved pressures from marine resources to land-based food production systems.

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IFFO responds to the Changing Markets Foundation report

The majority of wild-caught fish is responsibly sourced and is an essential resource in support of global protein production.

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What do we need to do to get fish recognized as a world force in the feed industry?

Neil Auchterlonie's column in International Aquafeed.

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How are IFFO RS Fishery Assessors trained?

A few weeks ago, a training session was held around the IFFO RS Improver Programme.

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New IFFO applicant members (awaiting Board approval in May)

Nouvelle Ougala, Producer, Morocco

Bigra Trading, Premium Non Producer, Trader, Hong Kong

Information from members

The Federation of Oils, Seeds and Fats Associations (FOSFA) International will run a cycle of UK based trade education courses as of June 2019. [Read more...](#)

Industry news

GAA - IFFO backed study finds promise in South East Asian fishmeal transformation

Source: [IntraFish](#)

First study of Southeast Asian fishmeal industry shows path to sustainability

Source: [SeafoodSource](#)

IFFO, GAA urge Asian trawl fisheries to improve stocks, product quality

Source: [The Advocate](#)

A fresh perspective on fishmeal sources

Source: [The Fish site](#)

IFFO, GAA back improvements to Southeast Asia's fishmeal fisheries

Source: [Undercurrent news](#)

IFFO counters "inaccurate" reduction fishery report

Source: [The Fish site](#)

Low consumer awareness of microplastics in fish, finds survey

Source: [SeafoodSource](#)

Alternatives and Innovation

Study questions sustainability of plant-based aquafeed

Source: [SeafoodSource](#)

Is tea the key to better fish health?

Source: [The Fish site](#)

WWF, IKEA back new sustainable feed innovation challenge

Source: [Undercurrent News](#)

Business and Research

Business

UK grocery chains join anti-slavery initiative

Source: [SeafoodSource](#)

Research

Researchers develop new treatment for AGD

Source: [The Fish site](#)

EFSA asked to carry out risk assessment under medicated feed rules

Source: [FeedNavigator](#)

Calendar

2019

[3-4 May - IFFO Members' Meeting Madrid, Spain](#)

[7-9 May - Seafood Global Expo Brussels, Belgium](#)

[21 - 23 June - 3rd China International Modern Fishery and Fishery Science and Technology Expo and 1st China International Intelligent Fishery Expo - Hefei, China](#)

26-27 September - 15th JCI Autumn Conference Southwest China's Nanning City

3-4 October - Pelagic Fish Forum Barcelona, Spain

4-6 November - 59th IFFO Annual Conference Shanghai, China

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4-6 February - GOED Exchange Barcelona, Spain

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