Fish-X Goals

The goals of Fish-X Project are defined as follows:

- Fight Illegal, Unreported, and Unregulated (IUU) fishing
- Promote a sustainable use of common natural resources
- Support honest fishers and help to generate fair economic returns
- Foster synergies between fisheries, authorities, supply chain actors, and consumers
- Advance the digital transition for small-scale and recreational fisheries
- Contribute to traceable, healthy, and sustainable food

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Fish-X as a project:

- believes in a Common Responsibility to foster Sustainable Fisheries and Marine Biodiversity
- drives digital innovation to enable the sustainable exploitation of common natural resources
- develops accessible technologies to empower small-scale fisheries and grow their credibility towards the customer

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Claim

The Fish-X Project is a technology and open-source driven project. It is a 3-year project and is co-funded by the Horizon Europe Programme. The project aims at developing a Fisheries Dataspace (Fish-X), an Insight Platform, and a Traceability Application to support the objectives of the EU Common Fisheries Policy (CFP), the EU Green Deal, and the EU Farm to Fork Strategy.

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About Fish-X

The Fish-X Project is a project that focuses on technology, aims at digitalising small-scale fisheries, and embraces open-source principles. It has a duration of three years, from June 2023 to May 2025, and is co-funding by the Horizon Europe Programme.
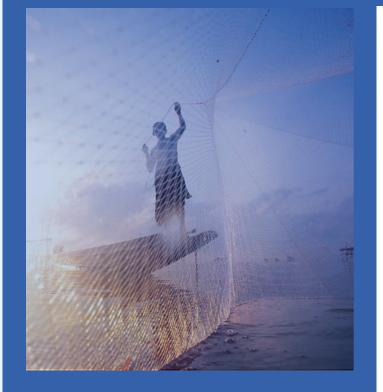
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1) collection and sharing of data, in particular from small-scale and recreational fisheries; and

2) accessing, managing, and utilising data to strengthen the monitoring and control as well as the sustainability of EU fisheries.

Fish-X will take advantage of innovations in open interoperable technology via Gaia-X to put the fishers in the centre of the seafood supply chain. This will serve a triple objective of fish population preservation, protection of the marine environment, and socio-economic development.