

Case No:

2025-0227

Date of visit:

25/11/2025

Additional inspector(s):

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Main Inspector:

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Site No:

FS0398

Business No:

FB0444

Site Name:

Clachan Hatchery

Business Name:

Hebridean Smolts Ltd

Case Types:

1 VMD

2

3

4

5

6

Water Temp (°C):

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Thermometer No:

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FHI 045 completed

N/A

Observations:

Region:

WI

Water type:

F

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.

Post mortem signs 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:

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**Additional Case Information:**

Mortality: very little mortality overall, slightly higher after vaccinations but nothing near threshold levels.

During physical inspection of the fish, fish were shoaling well within tanks. No moribund fish observed. Fish for VMD taken from tank 3. Fish looked healthy internally and externally.



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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	12	Facilities stocked	10	No facilities inspected	12
Species	Atlantic salmon				
Age group	S1 2026				
No Fish	312,063				
Mean Fish Wt	67g				
Next Fallow Date (Site)	March 2026	Next Input Date (Site)	July 2026		
Recent (last 4 wks) disease problems?		N	Any escapes (since last visit)?		N
If yes, detail:	[REDACTED]				

**Movement Records**

1. Movement records for **all species** held available for inspection?  Y

2. Date of last inspection:  26/11/2024

3. Are records complete and correctly entered?  Y

4. Are movement records available for dead fish and waste?  Y

5. Are records complete and correctly entered?  Y

6. Have all introductions and imports (since last inspection) from outwith the GB health zone been recorded the movement records?  N/A

**Transport Records**

1. Are any movements carried out not using a STB (by (or on behalf of) the business)?

If yes, is there a system in place for maintenance of transportation records?

**Mortality Records**

1. Mortality records for **all species** held available for inspection?  Y

2. How are mortalities disposed of?  Other (detail)

If other detail:  Whiteshore Cockles

3. Mortality records complete and correctly entered?  Y

4. Recent mortality (last 4 wks):  Wk 44: 0.07% (180), Wk 45: 0.04% (101), Wk 46: 0.04% (113) and Wk 47: 0.02% (44)

5. Evidence of recent increased/atypical mortalities?  Y

If yes, facility nos/no mortality per facility/no stock per facility/reason:

Slightly elevated mortality in pens 1 and 3 after vaccination.

6. Any other peaks in mortality during period checked?  N

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)?						Y
If yes, detail:	T.M.S.					
If other, detail:	Fish recently vaccinated (17/11/2025) with AlphaJet Micro 6 and AlphaJet Micro Jet 1PD					
2. Medicines records available for inspection?						Y
3. Are records complete and correctly entered?						Y
4. Are fish in a withdrawal period?						Y
5. If yes, what treatment(s)?	T.M.S.					
If other, detail:						
6. Are medicines stored appropriately?						Y

**Biosecurity Records**

1. Biosecurity records available for inspection?						
2. Has the manner and frequency of mortality removal, recording and safe disposal been considered?						
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?						
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 and when</i> that will be notified to Scottish Ministers?						
5. Has the health status of aquaculture animals being stocked on the farm site been covered (equal or higher health status, certification if required)?						
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.)?						
7. Is documentation available regarding the measures in place to maintain the physical containment of aquaculture animals held on site?						
8. Have the biosecurity procedures been adequately implemented on site?						
If no, detail:						

**Results of Surveillance**

1. Has any animal health surveillance been carried out by, or on behalf of, the business?						
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:

26/11/2024 - 25/11/2025

Case no:	2025-0227	Site No:	FS0398	Date of visit/ Sampling:	25/11/2025	25/
Priority samples:	VI	BA	PA	MG	HI	
Time sampling starts/ends:			Main Insp:		VMD No.	3
Environmental conditions:	1	Indoors	2	3	4	5
Summary samples	HIST	BA	MG	VI	PA	Total Samples

Add Fish/Pools - click button

Pool/Fish No									
Fish nos	1-9								
Pool Group									
Species	SAL								
Average weight	0.0730								
Sex	N/A								
Water Type	FW								
Stock Details		Mingarry Hatchery (FS0145)							
	Stock Origin								
Facility No	3								

11/2025 Additional Sample Information:

## Percussive dispatch

0

### Total Tests assigned

0

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# Fish Health Inspectorate visit report

## Summary for information of site operator

Business no:	FB0444	Date of visit:	25/11/2025
Site no:	FS0398	Site name:	Clachan Hatchery
Case no:	20250227	Inspector:	[REDACTED]

### Inspection under the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015

The above site was visited in accordance with the Animals and Animal Products (Examination for Residues and Maximum Residue Limits) (England and Scotland) Regulations 2015.

Samples were taken to be analysed for veterinary residues.

The Inspector did not observe any clinical signs associated with the listed diseases as described in the Aquatic Animal Health (Scotland) Regulations 2009.

### Records

The information required for the public record of aquaculture production businesses regarding this site was verified and where necessary updated.

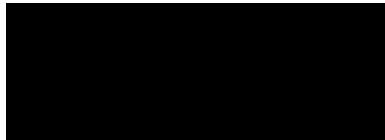
Medicine records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

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

Mortality records were inspected and found to be adequately maintained.

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

Signed:



Date: 08/12/2025

Fish Health Inspector

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The Fish Health Inspectorate Service Charter detailing standards of service is available on the Scottish Government website at [Fish Health Inspectorate Service Charter - gov.scot \(www.gov.scot\)](https://www.gov.scot/Fish-Health-Inspectorate-Service-Charter)

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