

EU and Mauritania Fisheries Partnership Agreement

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[EU-Mauritania sustainable fisheries agreement and protocol – negotiation mandate for a new protocol](#)

What is changing and why?

A new protocol needs to be negotiated for the Sustainable Fisheries Partnership Agreement (SFPA) in place between the EU and Mauritania, so that the EU fleet can continue to fish in the waters of Mauritania after the current protocol expires in November 2026.

The European Commission has launched a public consultation on its intention to renew the protocol. The current protocol will expire in November 2026.

Actions

Interested stakeholders are invited to provide their feedback before **10 July 2025** via the European Commission's [Have Your Say](#) webpage.

The consultation is open to stakeholders in non-EU countries. Individuals can respond by clicking on "Give feedback". Organisations wishing to respond must be registered on the EU Transparency Register. If not yet registered, you will first need to:

- 1 Create an EU login account: this provides an electronic ID that allows you to consult various Commission sites
- 2 Register your organisation on the Transparency Register.

Timeline

The EU expects to initiate negotiations with Mauritania in the last quarter of 2025.

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