

2021 Country profile

# Ukraine

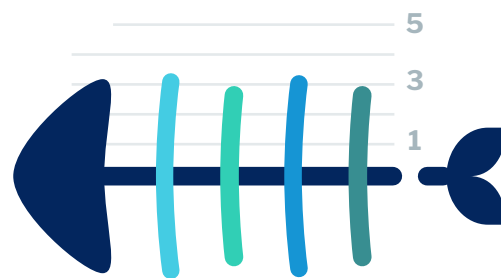
**World ranking**  
7 of 152 countries ▲ 24

**Europe ranking**  
2 of 31 countries ▲ 1

**Mediterranean & Black Sea ranking**  
1 of 26 countries ▲ 4

2021 IUU Score

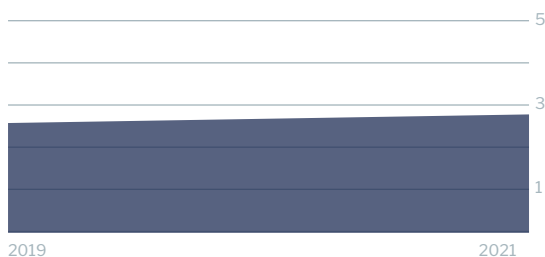
**2.75**



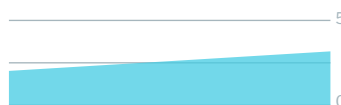
**3.19** Coastal  
**2.58** Flag  
**3.14** Port  
**2.57** General

**IUU score trends**

2019 - 2021 change ▲ 0.22



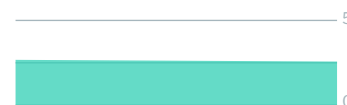
**Coastal score trends ▲ 1.12**



**Port score trends ▼ 0.12**



**Flag score trends ▼ 0.11**



**General score trends ▲ 0.34**



Note: Higher scores, and ranks closer to 1, indicate worse/poor performance. Green or red arrows show change in 2021 compared to 2019.

## Coastal score **3.19** ▲ 1.12

### Coastal score by vulnerability **3.50** ▲ 0.75

Related Indicators	2021	2019	2019-2021 change
Size of EEZ	<b>2.0</b>	2.0	— 0
Agreement over all maritime boundaries	<b>5.0</b>	5.0	— 0
Dependency on fish for protein	<b>2.0</b>	2.0	— 0
Authorise foreign vessels to operate in EEZ	<b>5.0</b>	not available	

### Coastal score by prevalence **2.60** — 0

Has MSC-certified fisheries	<b>5.0</b>	5.0	— 0
Views of MCS practitioners on coastal compliance incidents	<b>1.0</b>	1.0	— 0

### Coastal score by response **3.40** ▲ 2.40

Coastal State is contracting party or cooperating non-contracting party to all relevant RFMOs	<b>1.0</b>	1.0	— 0
Operate a national VMS/FMC centre	<b>5.0</b>	1.0	▲ 4.0

**Flag score** 2.58 ▼ 0.11


**Flag score by vulnerability** 2.00 ▼ 0.50


Related Indicators	2021	2019	2019-2021 change
Distant water vessels on RFMO RAVs	2.0	2.0	— 0
Distant water vessels under several RFMOs	2.0	3.0	▼ 1.0

**Flag score by prevalence** 1.67 ▼ 0.33

Vessels on IUU lists	3.0	1.0	▲ 2.0
View of fisheries observers on flag state compliance incidents	1.0	3.0	▼ 2.0
Views of MCS practitioners on flag state compliance incidents	1.0	2.0	▼ 1.0

**Flag score by response** 3.89 ▲ 0.26

Accepted FAO Compliance Agreement	5.0	5.0	— 0
Registered vessels with foreign or unknown ownership 	3.0	not available	
Provision of vessel data for inclusion in Global Record	5.0	5.0	— 0
Compliance with RFMO flag state obligations	5.0	4.0	▲ 1.0
Flag State is contracting party or cooperating non-contracting party to all relevant RFMOs	1.0	1.0	— 0

 Indicator 'Authorised vessel data provided to FAO HSVAR' used in 2019 has now changed to 'Registered vessels with foreign or unknown ownership'.

**Port score** 3.14 ▼ 0.12

**Port score by vulnerability** 2.50 ▼ 2.00

Related Indicators	2021	2019	2019-2021 change
Number of fishing ports	4.0	4.0	— 0
Port visits by foreign fishing or carrier vessels	1.0	5.0	▼ 4.0

**Port score by prevalence** -

Views of MCS practitioners on port compliance incidents	-	1.0	▼ 1.0
View of fisheries observers on port compliance incidents	-	2.0	▼ 2.0

## Port score by response 4.00 ▼ 0.40

Related Indicators	2021	2019	2019-2021 change
Party to the PSMA	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;"> </span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	▼ 5.0
Designated ports specified for entry by foreign vessels	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">not applicable</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">not applicable</span>	
Compliance with RFMO port state obligations	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	— 0

## General score 2.57 ▲ 0.34

### General score by vulnerability 3.11 — 0

Related Indicators	2021	2019	2019-2021 change
Trade balance for fisheries products	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	— 0
Share of global imports	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0
Perception of levels of corruption	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	— 0
Gross national income per capita	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	— 0
Volume of catches	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0

### General score by prevalence 1.00 — 0

Carded' under the EU IUU Regulation	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0
Identified' by NOAA for IUU fishing	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0
Mentions of IUU fishing in media reports	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0

### General score by response 3.00 ▲ 0.73

Mandatory vessel tracking for commercial seagoing fleet	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0
Demand for MSC products	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">4.0</span>	▲ 1.0
Ratification/accesion of UNCLOS Convention	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0
Ratification/accesion of UNFSA	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0
Mentions in media reports to combatting IUU fishing	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	— 0
Have a NPOA-IUU	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">5.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">not available</span>	
Market State is contracting party or cooperating non-contracting party to relevant RFMOs	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	<span style="border: 1px solid green; border-radius: 10px; padding: 2px 10px;">1.0</span>	— 0