

MANAGING FOR OUTCOMES - FISHERIES AND THE AQUATIC ENVIRONMENT

Government goals

- Strengthen national identity and uphold the principles of the Treaty of Waitangi
- Grow an inclusive, innovative economy for the benefit of all
- Maintain trust in Government and provide strong social services
- Improve New Zealanders' skills
- Protect and enhance the environment

Ministers' focus

- Enhance the value and enjoyment of New Zealand's fisheries for all New Zealanders
- Minimise the risks to New Zealand's marine environment from biosecurity threats

Ministry's vision

New Zealanders' attitudes towards the fishery are characterised by confidence and respect. They have confidence in, and support, the way their fisheries and the aquatic environment are managed. They respect the rights of others who have a stake in the fishery and in the aquatic environment.

Fishery outcome

*Maximise the **value** New Zealanders obtain through the sustainable use of fisheries resources and protection of the aquatic environment*

Value means:

- the value of preserving the aquatic environment
- the value to Maori of sustainable aquatic resources
- the value gained from pleasure of recreational fishing
- the value of a thriving seafood industry
- the value of flourishing communities with a fisheries sector at their heart

Shared sector outcomes

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MFish mission

What is the role of MFish in contributing to shared sector outcomes

To be the guardian of the multitudes of Tangaroa

MFish contributing outcomes

How do we contribute to shared sector outcomes

Maintain the integrity of the existing fisheries management and marine biosecurity frameworks

Develop new fisheries management and marine biosecurity frameworks

MFish lower level outcomes

What MFish delivers towards contributing outcomes

Obtaining and managing information

Administering fisheries management and marine biosecurity frameworks

Enforcing fisheries and marine biosecurity policies

Policy development

Class 2 – all outputs

Class 1 – output 13
Class 3 – all outputs
Class 4 – all outputs
Class 7 – all outputs

Classes 5 and 6 all outputs
Class 7 all outputs

Class 1 except output 13

Output plan

What outputs do we deliver to achieve lower level outcomes and contributing outcomes

The Ministry's proposed output plan for 2003-2004 is contained in section 2 of this document