



**The Skagerak Group**

The Skagerak Group is a company group within the seafood processing industry, fishing industry, transport and freezing and retail packing industry. The company was founded in 1930 by Mr. Sigurd Espersen. The company has approximately 500 employees.

Today, Skagerak remains a family-owned business, where quality in every possible sense – in terms of products, processes and management – is given top priority, and where old virtues like trust, cooperation, quality, delivery, reliability, flexibility, service and rational business code, combined with continuous business development and innovation are the central elements in relation to the company's business partners.

The Skagerak Group aims to satisfy the demand for food and culinary experiences, both nationally and internationally, by offering quality seafood products to the global seafood market.



The Skagerak group's primary business areas are:

**Skagerak Fiskeeksport A/S**

Skagerak Fiskeeksport A/S is the seafood production and sales company within the Skagerak Group. The company produces herring products, mackerel products and herring roe products.

The company also produces fresh and frozen salmon products. The company's salmon products are represented by both semi-finished products and seafood retail products.

Skagerak Fiskeeksport A/S is one of the biggest enterprises in Scandinavia involved in the production of both pelagic products and salmon products.

**Skagerak Fishing Company A/S**

The company has a fleet of modern pelagic fishing vessels engaged in the catch of herring, mackerel, blue whiting, capelin and sand eel. This represents a combination of pelagic fish for human consumption and pelagic fish for industrial use.

**Nyfrost A/S**

Nyfrost A/S is a subsidiary in the Skagerak Group. Nyfrost A/S is a cold storage company and a seafood retail packaging company. The company is a specialist in fish and shellfish.

**UniFish A/S**

UniFish A/S is a subsidiary of the Skagerak Group. UniFish A/S is a specialist company working in the production of value-added soured/marinated herring products for human consumption. UniFish A/S is placed in Skagen, Denmark.



**Quality**

Skagerak Fiskeeksport A/S was the first company in the European fishing industry to receive ISO 9002 certification. However, as a result of an increasing number of requirements with regard to aspects such as hygiene and own check system and greater focus on health and food safety, the enterprise decided at the beginning of 2004 to convert the existing ISO system to BRC (British Retail Consortium) Global Standard – Food.

**The BRC Standard covers critical topics such as:**

- HACCP system
- Quality management
- Factory environment standard
- Product and process control
- Personnel

The future of our customers and ourselves must be based on a sustainable fishing industry and sustainable production carried out by a staff of responsible employees to whom all aspects of quality are an affair of the heart.

And finally, Skagerak aims to act as a good citizen in social and environmental respects:

- We create value
- We are innovative
- We build competencies
- We take responsibility
- We believe in dialogue

**Quality is remembered long after the price is forgotten.**

