



Overview of the conservation status of marine mammal stocks in NAMMCO countries, date 01/2018

		Cetaceans		Seals and walruses	
	<i>References</i>	<i>Hunting allowed</i>	<i>Protected</i>	<i>Hunting allowed</i>	<i>Protected</i>
Faroës	http://www.logir.fo/Logtingslog/56-fra-19-05-2015-um-grind-og-annan-smahval Parliamentary Act No. 56 of 19 May 2015 on Pilot Whales and Other Small Whales, most recently amended by Parliamentary Act No. 44 of 6 May 2016	Long-finned pilot whale <u>Restrictions on local catch:</u> White-sided dolphin White-beaked dolphin Bottlenose dolphin Harbour porpoise	All other cetacean species	Grey seals around fish farms (the only resident species)	None
Greenland	http://lovgivning.gl/lov?rid={E0380274-B10B-4D74-A3C1-CFBFD9C62C00} Regulation No 16 of 2010 on protection and hunting of seals http://lovgivning.gl/lov?rid={37A7FCF4-46A0-4B47-B42C-B8385F315D65} Regulation No 20 of 2006 on walrus http://lovgivning.gl/lov?rid={482B7987-C939-4587-8940-A21E5F886C72} Regulation No 1 of 2016 on beluga and narwhal http://lovgivning.gl/lov?rid={11B42C53-951D-4252-82D0-F70CD281054F} Regulation No 12 2014 on large whales	Bowhead whale (quota) Fin whale (quota) Humpback whale (quota) Minke whale (quota) Narwhal (quota) Beluga (quota) Killer whale Pilot whale Bottlenose whale White-sided dolphin White-beaked dolphin Harbour porpoise	All other cetacean species	Walrus (quota) Hooded seal Harp seal Ringed seal Bearded seal	Grey seal, Harbour seal For all seal species: lactating females and pup pairs, pups with lanugo hair ('white-coats')
Iceland	Regulation of whaling No 163 May 30, 1973 with amendments	Fin whale (quota) Minke whale (quota)	All other cetacean species	Grey seal Harbour seal (the two only resident species)	None



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Norway excl. Svalbard	<p>Whale http://www.fiskeridir.no/Yrkesfiske/Regelverk-og-reguleringer/J-meldinger/Utgaatte-J-meldinger/J-53-2016 with later amendments</p> <p>J—143-2016 Regulation on whaling in 2016 Changes every year due to quota but content wise the same from year to year.</p> <p>Seal Offs shore sealing – pack ice hunt http://www.fiskeridir.no/Yrkesfiske/Regelverk-og-reguleringer/J-meldinger/Gjeldende-J-meldinger/J-49-2016 J-49 2016 – the only regulation existing</p> <p>Coastal seals http://www.fiskeridir.no/Yrkesfiske/Regelverk-og-reguleringer/J-meldinger/Gjeldende-J-meldinger/J-36-2014 J-36 2014 seal general prohibition J-260 2015 quota seal – changes every year</p>	Minke whale (quota)	All other cetacean species	<p>Pack ice hunt Harp seal (quota) Hooded seal (quota - since 2007 quota=0)</p> <p>Coastal stocks Grey seal (quota) Harbour seal (quota)</p> <p><u>Permission can be granted during special time periods:</u> Ringed seal Harp seal</p>	Other seal species
Svalbard	<p>https://lovdata.no/dokument/SF/forskrift/2002-06-24-712#KAPITTEL_2 “Forskrift om høsting på Svalbard”</p>	Minke whale (quota)	All other species	<p><u>Protected during breeding season, permitted:</u> Bearded seal: 01/02-27/04 + 05/06-30/11 Ringed seal 01/02-20/03 + 20/05 – 30/11</p>	<p>Walrus All seals other than those mentioned below.</p> <p><u>During breeding season:</u> Bearded seal Ringed seal</p>