



# Dockingstation for cleanerfish



# Good welfare makes financial sense

> Huge numbers of cleanerfish are used in the fish farming industry and there is an increasing focus on their welfare. Cleanerfish represent a major investment in terms of purchasing cost, and good fish welfare is crucial for the survival, well-being and not least the efficiency of the cleanerfish in carrying out their task.

The idea for SeaNest came about when we saw that a habitat for cleanerfish could be created using better and more efficient

We realised that we could develop a system that imitates the natural habitat of lumpfish at the same time as it is easy to handle, requires significantly less cleaning and safeguards the environment by being sturdy, compact and made to last.

#### **Effective lice control**

SeaNest is a cleanerfish hide that provides good conditions for the cleanerfish. Not only is this required by law, but when the cleanerfish have good living conditions, they will also provide more effective lice control in the cage.

SeaNest is constructed with a material that makes it easy for the cleanerfish to attach themselves and gives them the necessary

#### Easy to handle

SeaNest is designed as a compact folding system that extends 7,5 or 10 (option) meters deep when in use in the cage but takes up less than half a meter in a folded state. SeaNest is therefore easy to clean, transport, store and not least deploy and take up again from the cage.

#### **Environmental focus**

SeaNest is built to create a better environment for the cleanerfish and avoid marine pollution. SeaNest has no loose plastic parts and does not discharge any chemicals into the sea.

https://vimeo.com/seanest



# Use and tips

- Less fouling straightforward cleaning
- Easy to handle
- Simple deployment
- No loose parts
- what you deploy is what you take in again
- > **45 cm when stored** 7,5 or 10 (option) meters in use
- Reduces lice infestations





- We have experienced that SeaNest solves various worries we've previously had regarding lumpfish welfare. Particularly regarding its need for rest and a suitable surface to attach to. Our cage side personell are also thrilled about the system, as it is easly to wash, maintain and

to handle regarding deploying, re-

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deploying - and storage.



SeaNest is easy to deploy and pull regular high pressure equipment..





We save a considerable amount of work in terms of storage logistics

The lumpfish swim around and settle well on SeaNest - and there is less fouling than on traditional hides.

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# **Recapture solution** for **SeaNest**

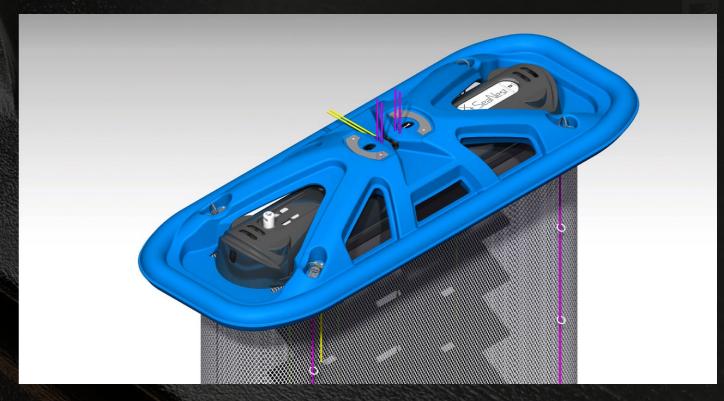
Repacturing lumpfish in a cage can be a challenge. And a stressful one for the fish.

The lumpfish are really fond of the SeaNest and tend to be on it when not chasing sealice. This makes it easy to capture them while they rest on the SeaNest unit. The specially designed net is ready at the bottom, is raised in seconds by means of a rope – and the fish is captured and ready to

The SeaNest recapture solution is a separate unit, easily attached to the SeaNest.







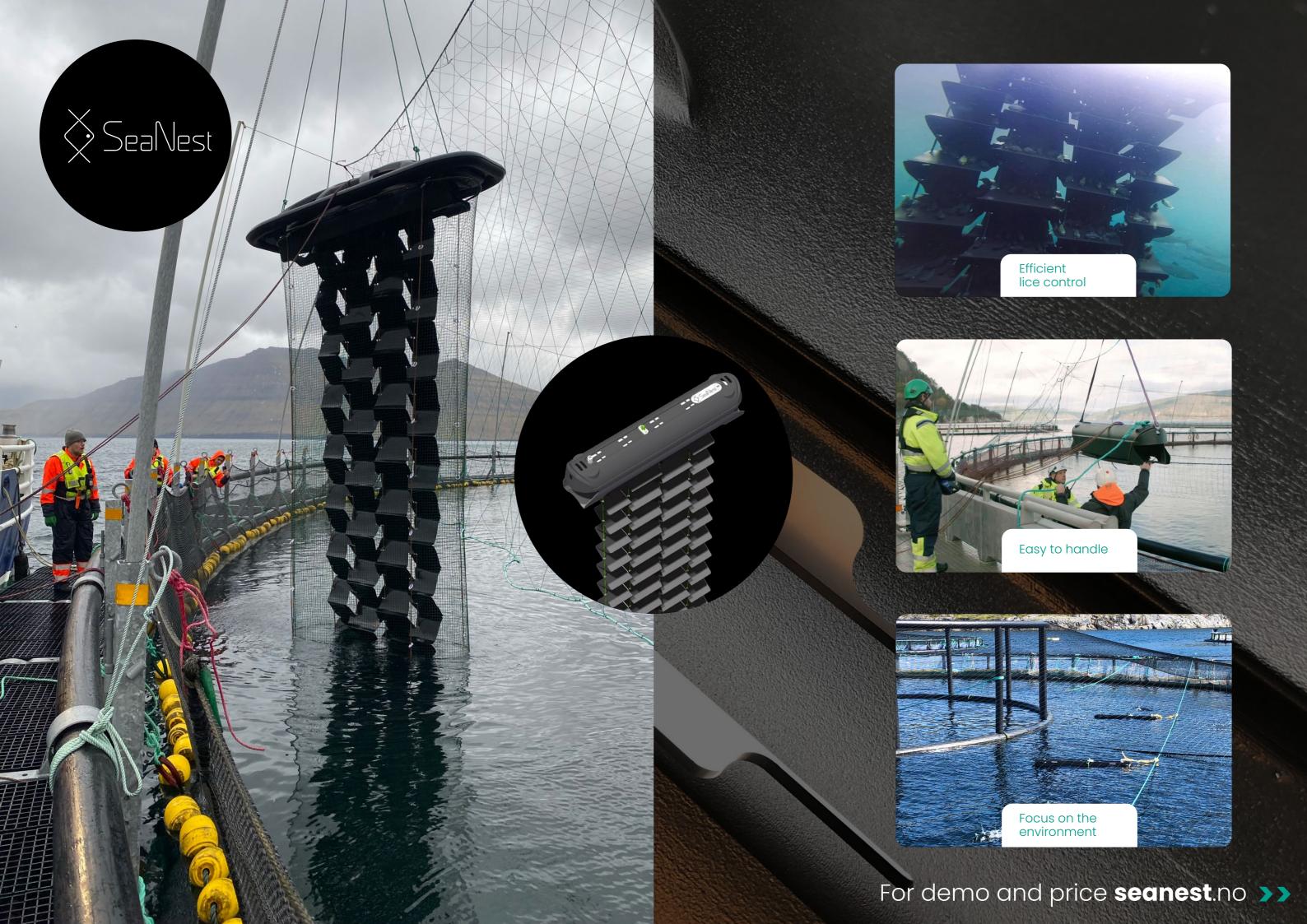


# Easy to set up

The SeaNest functions as normal also with the recapture solution attached. We do, however, recommend attaching the recapture solution prior to commencing

The lumpfish is then captured by pulling a rope from the cageside, hence not needing to move the system at the crucial moment – and thus creating unnecessary movement in the hides. When the rope is pulled in all the way (10-15 seconds), all the lumpfish sitting on the SeaNest will be captured.







# Norwegian-produced cleanerfish hide



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