



HOW TO LOGIN TO eFISH

The following document provides step-by-step instructions on how to access the eFISH application where you can; activate your account, view QS balances, renew permits, and change your password or username.

Prior to logging into eFISH for the first time, you will need your Username and your current email address must be on file with NMFS. If you need help with your Username or need to update your account information with NMFS, please contact us at:

(800) 304-4846 (option #2)

Or email us at ram.alaska@noaa.gov

Access eFISH online here: <https://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/webapps/efish/login>

Activating Your Account

- On the eFISH login page click on the *Activate an Account* link

NOAA Fisheries NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE ALASKA REGIONAL OFFICE

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PERMIT HOLDER LOGIN

****WARNING**WARNING**WARNING****

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Acknowledge and Accept

Program Participant Login

If you are logging in for the first time, you will be prompted to change your password to activate your account. You will not be able to activate your account unless your current e-mail address is on file with NMFS.

Username Password Login

[Forgot your user name?](#), [Forgot your password?](#) OR [Activate an Account](#). Updates to contact information may be made under Account after login. Please contact NMFS, Alaska Region, Restricted Access Management Program for your initial eFISH user name.

SYSTEM REQUIREMENTS: This site requires Internet Explorer version 9 or above. You can also use [Chrome](#), [Firefox](#) or another major browser.

- You will be taken to the Password Reset/Account Activation Request screen.

- Enter your email address and Username
- Click on the Submit button

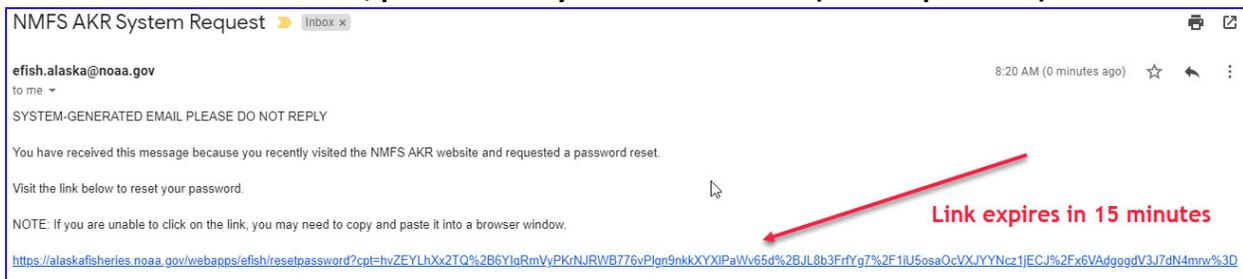


The screenshot shows the NOAA Fisheries website header with the logo and 'NATIONAL MARINE FISHERIES SERVICE ALASKA REGIONAL OFFICE'. Below the header is a photograph of fishing gear. The main content area is titled 'PROGRAM PARTICIPANT PASSWORD (RE)CREATION / ACCOUNT ACTIVATION' and contains a 'Password Reset/Account Activation Request' section. It includes instructions for users to enter their email address and username, followed by a 'Submit' button. A red arrow points to the 'Submit' button. Below the form is a note: 'NOTE: A reset link will only be sent to the primary business contact's email address recorded in the NMFS Alaska Region database.'

You should then see a message confirming that an email was sent to your email account:

Email Sent Successfully

An email message will arrive within a few minutes from efish.alaska@noaa.gov. The message contains a link to activate your eFish account. Please use the link immediately. The link expires 15 minutes from the time it was sent. If you do not see the email message in your inbox within a few minutes, please check your 'SPAM' folder (or its equivalent).



Click on the email link to open it in a browser window, or copy and paste the entire link into a browser window. This will bring you to the Password Creation page.



PROGRAM PARTICIPANT PASSWORD (RE)CREATION / ACCOUNT ACTIVATION

To create your password

1. Enter your Username
2. Enter a new password (twice) and click "Submit Change".

Create Password

Username 

New Password Repeat New Password

Enforced Password Standards

- Passwords will be comprised of at least 12 characters and no more than 64
- Passwords cannot contain account name parts in the password (the NAME associated with the NMFS ID).
- Passwords cannot contain account NMFS ID.
- Passwords may contain characters from the following groups:
 - English Upper Case (A-Z)
 - English Lower Case (a-z)
 - Numbers (0-9)
 - Special Characters from this set (!"#\$%&'???()*+,-./:;<=>?@[]^_`{|}~)

Create Password

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Enter your Username or NMFS ID, then enter and re-enter your new password (conforming to the password standards) in the fields provided, then click 'Submit Change'. Note, your new password should be protected and stored securely.

The Account Activation page shown below confirms that your password has been set. Click on 'Click here to login' to open the Login page.

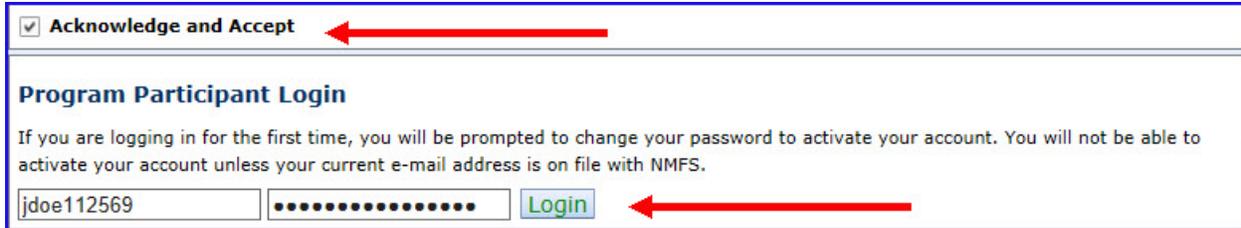
Create Password

Username 

New Password Repeat New Password

Password Changed Successfully. [Click here to login](#) 

Check the 'Acknowledge and Accept' box on the Login page, then enter your NMFS ID and new password and click 'Login':



[Another method to reset your password is to contact RAM by Phone or Email :](#)

(800) 304-4846 (option #2)

Or email us at ram.alaska@noaa.gov

- **A temporary password will be sent to your email address on file**
- **You will want to access your email account and then locate the email sent with your temporary password**
 - **Highlight the password with your mouse cursor, right click and select Copy**
- **Return to the eFISH login page here:**
<https://alaskafisheries.noaa.gov/webapps/efish/login>
 - **Check the Acknowledge and Accept checkbox**
 - **Enter your Username**
 - **Place your mouse cursor in the Password field, right click and select Paste**
 - **You should be taken directly to your user account screen**

Once your account has been activated, your username or password may be changed at any time. A lost or forgotten password may also be reset by following the account activation process described above.

To change a Username or Password, begin by logging in to the eFISH application.

Select 'Account' from the top menu, then 'Change Password' or 'Change Username.' Note, the Username change option is only available to users logging in with a Username. It is not available for NMFS ID logins.



To change a password, select 'Change Password' from the 'Account' menu: Complete the form shown below, then click 'Submit Change.'

To change your password

1. Enter your Username and current password.
2. Enter a new password (twice) and click "Submit Change".

Change Password

Username 

Current Password

New Password Repeat New Password

Change Password

Username 

Current Password

New Password Repeat New Password

Password Changed Successfully. [Click here to login](#)



To change your Username, select 'Change Username' from the 'Account' menu:

To change your username

1. Enter your current Username and current Password.
2. Enter a new username and click "Submit Change".

Change Username



Complete the form shown below, then click 'Submit Change.' Following successful completion of a Username change, you should see a message indicating a successful change and a link to the 'Login' page similar to the one shown above for a password change.

Change Username

Username Changed Successfully. [Click here to login](#)



Logging in with a Username is the preferred option. If you do not know your Username or have not yet setup your account for access with a Username login, please contact the Restricted Access Management Staff by phone at 1-800-304- 4846, option 2, or Email ram.alaska@noaa.gov