TO: Codex Contact Points  
Contact Points of international organizations having observer status with Codex

FROM: Secretariat, Codex Alimentarius Commission,  
Joint FAO/WHO Food Standards Programme

SUBJECT: Request for Comments (at Step 3) on the proposed draft amendment/revision to the 
Standard for Fish Oils (CXS 329-2017) – Inclusion of Calanus oil

DEADLINE: 19 January 2024

BACKGROUND

1. For background information refer to document CX/FO 24/28/9 which is uploaded on the CCFO28 webpage.

REQUEST FOR COMMENTS

2. Codex Members and Observers are invited to submit comments, at Step 3, on the proposed draft 
amendment/revision to the Standard for Fish Oils (CXS 329-2017) – Inclusion of Calanus oil, which is 

3. When providing comments, members and observers should review the summary of discussion, 
analysis and conclusions presented in document CX/FO 24/28/9 which is uploaded on the Codex 
Online Commenting System (OCS): https://ocs.codexalimentarius.org/, as per the guidance below.

GUIDANCE ON THE PROVISION OF COMMENTS

4. Comments should be submitted through the Codex Contact Points of Codex Members and Observers 
using the OCS.

5. Contact Points of Codex members and observers may login to the OCS and access the document 
open for comments by selecting “Enter” in the “My reviews” page, available after login to the system.

6. Contact Points of Codex Members and Observers organizations are requested to provide comments 
of substantive nature. Additional guidance on the OCS comment categories and types can be found 
in the OCS Frequently Asked Questions (FAQs).

7. Other OCS resources, including the user manual and short guide, can be found at the following link: 

8. For questions on the OCS, please contact Codex-OCS@fao.org.