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## Orkla 2024 salmon season

### Closure / reopening of the salmon fishery on Orkla by the authorities.

Due to the weak salmon runs in many Norwegian salmon rivers, the responsible department (Miljødirektoratet) has temporarily banned fishing for Atlantic salmon and sea trout in 33 rivers from 23/06/2024.

This fishing ban is provisionally valid until 05.07.2024.

During this period, these rivers will be monitored and observed. If the salmon return in greater numbers during this period, these rivers can be reopened for fishing.

Here is the link to the government's announcement of the fishing ban dated 23/06/2024:

<https://www.miljodirektoratet.no/aktuelt/nyheter/2024/juni-2024/laksefisket-stanses-i-deler-av-landet-fra-23.-juni>

Here is the latest information from 02.07.2024.

(All in Norwegian language. Use a 'Translator' for a translation)

<https://www.miljodirektoratet.no/aktuelt/nyheter/2024/juli-2024/oppmodar-til-lokale-tiltak-for-a-avgrense-laksefiske/>

The current situation will continue to be monitored until 5 July.

On 08/09 July, a decision will be made based on the results of the monitoring as to whether and which rivers can be reopened.

### Definitive fishing ban until the end of the season on the Orkla by the authorities

On 9 July 2024, the final decision on fishing was announced by the competent authority. Fishing on Orkla and 15 other rivers is prohibited until the end of the season.

Here is the link to the announcement with the list of rivers that are allowed to **reopen**.

<https://www.miljodirektoratet.no/aktuelt/nyheter/2024/juli-2024/laksefiske/>