

Chile

Port services, inspections and the Southeast Pacific fleet.

What a port permits—and what inspectors actually verify.

An authorized visit has a paper trail

DIRECTEMAR reported that HAI LI 18 was authorized to enter Valparaíso for a crew change in May 2025. Its account describes interagency inspection of documents and fish holds; it does not announce an illegal-fishing finding. [S74](#)

Compare rules with movements

Peru's 2024 monitoring changes and reported shifts toward Chile raise a regional question. Establish the individual authorization and reason for entry before calling a port change evasion. [S13](#), [S04](#)

High-seas scale is not an incursion count

SPRFMO's fleet statistics describe activity in its Convention Area. They cannot be read as a count of Chinese ships caught inside Chile's EEZ. [S01](#)

What to investigate next

1. Obtain port-entry applications, fish-hold inspection reports and any resulting sanctions.
2. Distinguish crew changes, medical calls, fuel, repairs and cargo transfers in port-use datasets.
3. Require dated coordinates, boundary data and an enforcement record before publishing an illegal-incursion claim.

Chile is a regulatory and logistics hub in this collection. The site does not label authorized port services or humanitarian assistance as misconduct.

Connected files

- [When the rules change, where do the ships go?](#)
- [A large fleet. A rulebook. A compliance question.](#)
- [The ships that keep a fleet at sea](#)

Original sources

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Valparaíso crew-change authorization and inspection
2. **S13 • Peru, Ministerio de la Producción**
[Perú intensificó la fiscalización de embarcaciones extranjeras que ingresan a su mar](#)
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3. **S04 • Environmental Justice Foundation**
[Unseen and unaccountable: The growing threat of China's squid fleet in the South Pacific](#)
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4. **S01 • SPRFMO Secretariat**
[SC13-SQ01: Update of squid datasets held by the Secretariat](#)
2024 active-vessel table and catch/effort discussion

Public-source synthesis; not live vessel monitoring.

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