

Russia's Monster Fish Resurface on Instagram

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The New Year brings a new collection of deep-sea creatures that might as well have come from outer space.

Last December, we [published](#) a gallery of the most unusual catches of Roman Fedortsov, who works on a fishing trawler based in Murmansk, a port city north of the Arctic Circle.

This time around, we've selected 12 bizarre species to mark the passing of 2017.

"I hope you're not eating right now!"

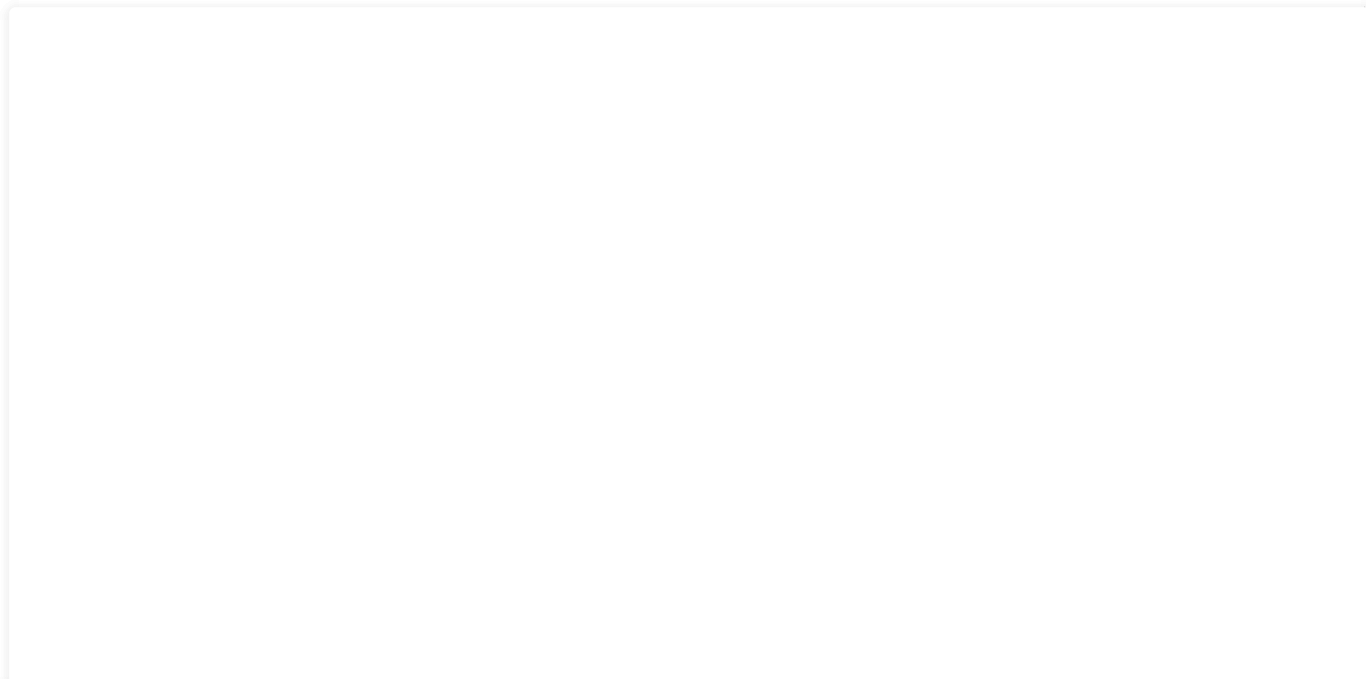
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"ScaryBeauty in my hands☒"

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"To me, they look very much like the dwarves in "The Lord of the Rings." What do you think?"

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"Biologists caught a frilled shark off the coast of Portugal. But their pictures were blurry, so they decided to use mine. For those interested, here's the shark. Caught off the coast of Mauritania."

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"*Linophryne Brevibarbata*, commonly called 'Bearded Sea Devils.' This is a female. Males are much smaller than females."

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"The promachoteuthis sulcus is a rare squid which appears to have human-looking teeth - although they are actually just flaps of skin. Taken by Richard E Young."

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"Big [#Sunfish](#). Fishing in Atlantic Ocean, near Morocco."

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"The Beauty from the Sea Bottom."

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"👁️Wolffish Zombie."👁️

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Публикация от Роман Федорцов (@rfedortsov_official_account) Июл 31, 2017 at 12:08 PDT

"☒Gang of the underwater world. Гоп стоп, мы подошли из-за угла☒."

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Публикация от Роман Федорцов (@rfedortsov_official_account) Апрель 20, 2017 at 10:24 PDT

"Hello! I'm smiling fish... and I'm hungry."

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