

TROUT

The value of trout sold in Connecticut totaled \$461,000 in 2007, up 36 percent from a year earlier due to an increase in the number of fish sold and improved prices. Massachusetts trout sales and prices received in 2007 also exceeded the previous year, placing value of at \$491,000, compared with \$424,000 in 2006. There were 16 producers selling trout and 15 hatcheries distributing trout for restoration or conservation purposes in Connecticut, Massachusetts and New

Hampshire in 2007. Trout production and sales in Maine were dropped from the National program in 2007, replaced by New Hampshire.

The *Trout Production* report is available on the internet and includes more information about eggs, size of fish, and losses, as well as separate tables for percent sold by point of first sale for major producing states.

Trout: Number of Operations and Value of Fish Sold, 1998 – 2007

State and Year	Total Trout Operations	Operations Selling Trout		Operations Distributing Trout ¹
		Number of Operations	Total Value of Fish Sold	
	Number	Number	1,000 Dollars	Number
Connecticut				
1998	9	6	190	4
1999	9	6	233	4
2000	6	3	250	3
2001	6	4	222	3
2002	6	3	275	3
2003	6	3	337	3
2004	6	3	360	3
2005	6	3	411	3
2006	6	3	340	3
2007	6	3	461	3
Maine ²				
1998	17	9	542	10
1999	17	9	271	10
2000	16	10	283	9
2001	15	8	182	8
2002	14	7	165	8
2003	14	6	220	8
2004	15	7	212	8
2005	16	9	284	8
2006	16	10	235	9
2007	–	–	–	–
Massachusetts				
1998	13	8	361	6
1999	13	8	459	6
2000	14	10	457	4
2001	15	10	375	5
2002	11	7	369	5
2003	11	7	389	5
2004	13	9	363	5
2005	15	9	424	7
2006	16	11	424	6
2007	15	11	491	5
New Hampshire ³				
1998	–	–	–	–
1999	–	–	–	–
2000	–	–	–	–
2001	–	–	–	–
2002	–	–	–	–
2003	–	–	–	–
2004	–	–	–	–
2005	–	–	–	–
2006	–	–	–	–
2007	8	2	D	7

¹ Trout distributed for restoration or conservation purposes. Value of distributed fish not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

² Maine trout estimates discontinued in 2007.

³ New Hampshire trout estimates unavailable prior to 2007.

^D Not published to avoid disclosure of individual operations.

**TROUT: Number of Fish Sold by Size Category 1998 – 2007
New England¹**

Year	Food Size: 12 Inches or Longer					Stockers: 6 Inches to 12 Inches					Fingerlings: 1 Inch to 6 Inches				
	Number of Fish	Live Weight		Value per Pound	Total Value	Number of Fish	Live Weight		Value per Pound	Total Value	Number of fish	Live Weight		Value per Pound	Total Value
		Avg. per Fish	Total				Avg. per Fish	Total				Avg. per Fish	Total		
	1,000	Pounds	1,000 lbs	Dollars	\$1,000	1,000	Pounds	1,000 lbs	Dollars	\$1,000	1,000	Pounds	1,000 lbs	Dollars	\$1,000
1998	207	N/A	D	N/A	681	253	0.3	76	4.57	347	103	77.7	8	631	65
1999	144	1.1	152	3.82	580	158	0.4	67	4.12	276	D	N/A	D	N/A	107
2000	222	0.9	196	3.48	682	173	0.3	55	4.73	260	84	47.6	4	571	48
2001	144	1.0	145	3.37	489	114	0.4	40	5.23	209	118	42.4	5	686	81
2002	71	0.9	66	5.14	339	200	0.4	83	4.75	394	182	22.0	4	418	76
2003	66	0.9	58	5.71	331	252	0.4	109	4.76	519	100	50.0	5	960	96
2004	72	0.9	65	5.52	359	257	0.4	108	4.89	528	72	69.4	5	667	48
2005	127	1.2	152	4.09	621	258	0.3	81	5.99	485	33	30.3	1	394	13
2006	101	1.0	99	4.94	489	251	0.3	77	6.51	501	17	N/A	*	529	9
2007	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

¹ New England includes Connecticut, Maine and Massachusetts.

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* Less than 500 pounds.

** Comparable data for New England is no longer available.

TROUT: Number of Fish Distributed by Size Category, 2000 – 2007¹

State and Year	Food Size: 12 Inches or Longer			Stockers: 6 Inches - 12 Inches			Fingerlings: 1 Inch - 6 Inches		
	Number of Fish	Live Weight		Number of Fish	Live Weight		Number of Fish	Live Weight	
		Average per Fish	Total		Average per Fish	Total		Average per 1,000 Fish	Total
	1,000	Pounds	1,000 lbs	1,000	Pounds	1,000 lbs	1,000	Pounds	1,000 lbs
Maine									
2000	26	1.2	31	540	0.3	164	540	38.9	21
2001	66	0.9	62	640	0.3	173	450	40.0	18
2002	89	0.9	76	727	0.2	172	43	46.5	2
2003	60	1.1	64	710	0.3	195	520	15.4	8
2004	90	1.0	86	750	0.3	205	230	13.0	3
2005	87	1.0	85	773	0.3	207	168	11.9	2
2006	136	0.9	119	864	0.2	193	82	12.2	1
2007	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**
Massachusetts									
2000	450	1.0	434	200	0.3	63	340	11.8	4
2001	490	0.9	420	200	0.3	60	470	6.4	3
2002	470	0.9	400	160	0.3	40	450	4.4	2
2003	450	0.8	373	115	0.3	37	600	5.0	3
2004	385	1.0	374	166	0.3	54	280	7.1	2
2005	393	1.0	377	246	0.2	57	420	4.8	2
2006	404	0.8	342	248	0.3	68	0	0	0
2007	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**	**

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