

Foreign Trade

IMPORTS

U.S. imports of edible fishery products in 2008 were valued at a record \$14.2 billion, \$0.5 billion more than in 2007. The quantity of edible imports was 5.2 billion pounds, 120.4 million pounds less than the quantity imported in 2007.

Edible imports consisted of 4.4 billion pounds of fresh and frozen products valued at \$12.1 billion, 707.2 million pounds of canned products valued at \$1.6 billion, 92.7 million pounds of cured products valued at \$251.0 million, 7.5 million pounds of caviar and roe products valued at \$38.8 million, and 56.0 million pounds of other products valued at \$118.2 million.

The quantity of shrimp imported in 2008 was 1.2 billion pounds, 16.1 million pounds more than the quantity imported in 2007. Valued at \$4.1 billion, shrimp imports accounted for 29 percent of the value of total edible imports. Imports of fresh and frozen salmon, including fillets, were 504.5 million pounds valued at \$1.6 billion in 2008. Imports of fresh and frozen tuna were 372.1 million pounds, 44.7 million pounds less than the 416.8 million pounds imported in 2007. Imports of canned tuna were 377.8 million pounds, representing a very small increase over 2007. Imports of fresh and frozen fillets and steaks amounted to 1.3 billion pounds, essentially unchanged from 2007. Regular and minced block imports were 142.1 million pounds, a decrease of 27.2 million pounds from 2007.

Imports of nonedible fishery products were valued at \$14.3 billion, a decrease of \$795.1 million compared with 2007. The total value of edible and nonedible fishery imports was \$28.5 billion in 2008, \$320.5 million less than in 2007.

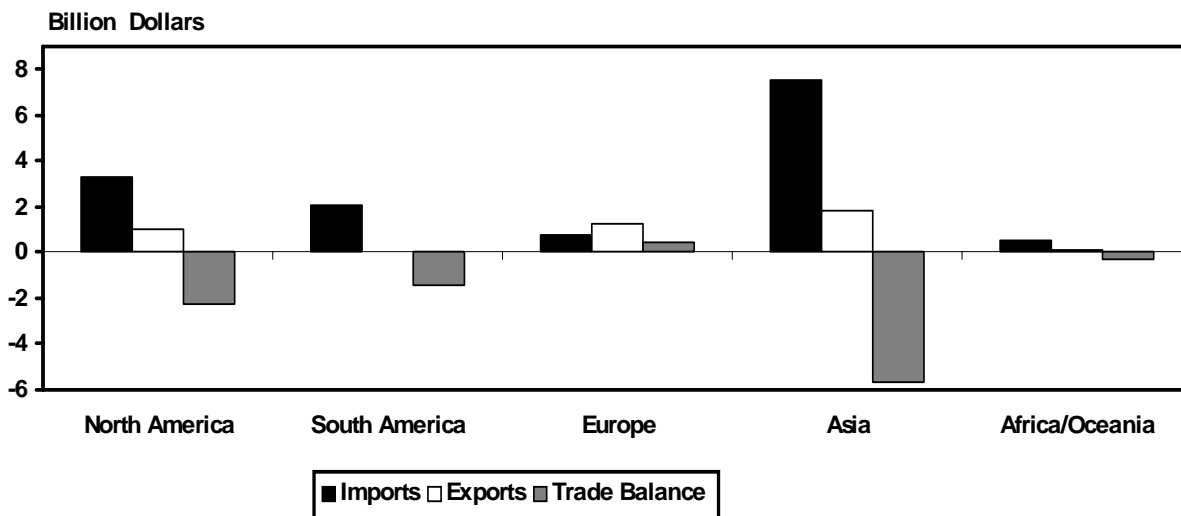
EXPORTS

U.S. exports of edible fishery products were 2.7 billion pounds valued at \$4.3 billion, a decrease of 219.3 million pounds and \$11.8 million when compared with 2007. Fresh and frozen exports were 2.3 billion pounds valued at \$3.4 billion, a decrease of 189.9 million pounds and an increase of \$23.2 million compared with 2007. In terms of individual items, fresh and frozen exports consisted principally of 319.9 million pounds of salmon valued at \$489.2 million, 252.8 million pounds of surimi valued at \$229.7 million and 58.2 million pounds of lobsters valued at \$367.0 million.

Canned items were 186.8 million pounds valued at \$296.2 million. Salmon was the major canned item exported, with 117.9 million pounds valued at \$218.7 million. Cured items were 9.7 million pounds valued at \$21.5 million. Caviar and roe exports were 101.0 million pounds valued at \$443.3 million.

Exports of nonedible products were valued at \$19.1 billion, an increase of \$3.3 billion when compared with 2007. Exports of fish meal amounted to 196.5 million pounds valued at \$76.5 million. The total value of edible and nonedible exports was \$23.4 billion, an increase of \$3.3 billion compared with 2007.

U.S. Trade in Edible Fishery Products, 2008



FISHERY PRODUCTS IMPORTS, BY PRINCIPAL ITEMS, 2007 AND 2008

Item	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Edible fishery products:						
Fresh and frozen:						
Whole or eviscerated:						
Freshwater	133,131	60,388	113,023	140,713	63,827	153,363
Flatfish	29,628	13,439	92,167	24,899	11,294	82,938
Groundfish	57,831	26,232	65,738	59,756	27,105	63,319
Salmon	203,520	92,316	523,169	201,267	91,294	515,571
Tuna (1)	416,753	189,038	583,865	372,051	168,761	601,489
Other	272,330	123,528	522,506	267,727	121,440	522,228
Filletts and steaks:						
Freshwater	407,238	184,722	764,657	422,620	191,699	909,043
Flatfish	61,125	27,726	135,139	58,936	26,733	140,426
Groundfish	215,350	97,682	468,023	198,405	89,996	442,403
Salmon	317,678	144,098	1,045,066	303,236	137,547	1,031,219
Other	254,085	115,252	697,336	242,052	109,794	712,541
Blocks and slabs	169,245	76,769	220,720	142,084	64,449	196,764
Surimi	2,258	1,024	1,831	5,452	2,473	7,517
Crabs	199,355	90,427	847,536	154,132	69,914	721,136
Crabmeat	27,326	12,395	131,699	19,938	9,044	96,762
Lobster:						
American	61,854	28,057	563,968	67,637	30,680	591,898
Spiny	27,465	12,458	371,291	28,100	12,746	321,604
Shrimp	1,224,212	555,299	3,895,615	1,241,002	562,915	4,084,391
Scallops (meats)	55,223	25,049	231,027	55,904	25,358	238,840
Squid	124,844	56,629	154,733	129,780	58,868	170,623
Other fish and shellfish	236,216	107,147	524,926	226,964	102,950	533,660
Total, fresh and frozen	4,496,668	2,039,675	11,954,035	4,362,654	1,978,887	12,137,735
Canned:						
Anchovy	8,759	3,973	27,584	7,158	3,247	25,937
Herring	6,023	2,732	8,670	6,246	2,833	9,439
Mackerel	21,834	9,904	18,663	23,719	10,759	24,843
Salmon	22,289	10,110	58,742	19,749	8,958	52,113
Sardines	51,607	23,409	64,457	55,931	25,370	78,835
Tuna	378,457	171,667	524,478	377,778	171,359	661,360
Clams	13,792	6,256	17,253	14,755	6,693	18,662
Crabmeat	67,306	30,530	441,918	70,064	31,781	546,874
Lobsters	357	162	4,950	196	89	2,374
Oysters	14,202	6,442	30,941	12,421	5,634	28,098
Shrimp	3,609	1,637	8,711	2,921	1,325	8,344
Balls, cakes, and puddings	24,938	11,312	35,838	30,651	13,903	48,774
Other fish and shellfish	89,039	40,388	125,117	85,583	38,820	119,447
Total, canned	702,214	318,522	1,367,322	707,172	320,771	1,625,100
Cured:						
Dried	15,115	6,856	51,014	14,169	6,427	52,074
Pickled or salted	49,149	22,294	84,521	53,940	24,467	95,192
Smoked or kippered	24,647	11,180	97,033	24,553	11,137	103,742
Total, cured	88,912	40,330	232,568	92,662	42,031	251,008
Caviar and roe	7,948	3,605	33,860	7,496	3,400	38,809
Prepared meals	11,374	5,159	29,082	13,391	6,074	33,872
Other fish and shellfish	39,226	17,793	79,337	42,580	19,314	84,321
Total edible products	5,346,340	2,425,084	13,696,204	5,225,954	2,370,477	14,170,845
Nonedible products:						
Meal and scrap	87,364	39,628	33,048	84,042	38,121	33,246
Fish oils	55,144	25,013	67,816	53,779	24,394	106,055
Other	-	-	14,980,051	-	-	14,146,466
Total nonedible products	-	-	15,080,915	-	-	14,285,767
Grand total	-	-	28,777,119	-	-	28,456,612

(1) Includes loins and discs.

Note:--Data include imports into the United States and Puerto Rico and landings of tuna by foreign vessels at American Samoa. Statistics on imports are the weight of individual products as exported, i.e., fillets, steaks, headed, etc. Imports and Exports of Fishery Products, Annual Summary, 2008, Current Fishery Statistics No. 2008-2 provides additional information.

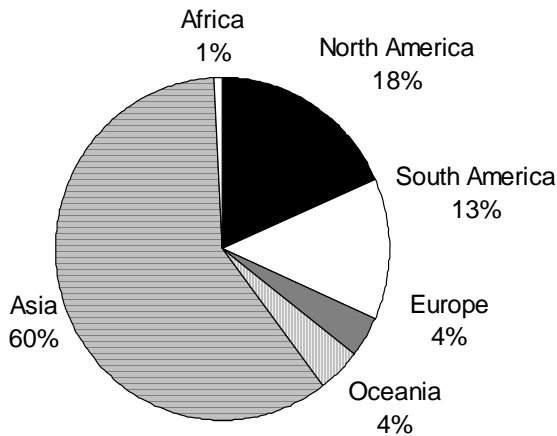
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EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS IMPORTS, 1999-2008

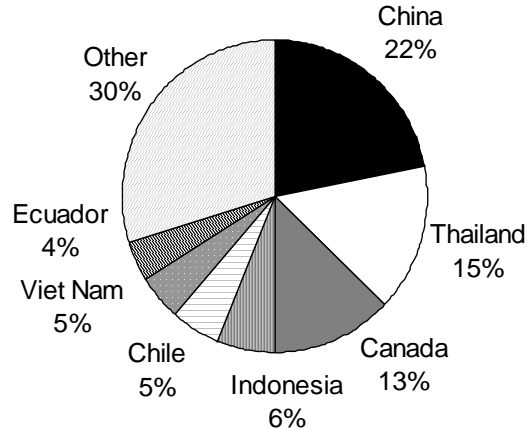
Year	Edible		Nonedible	Total
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons		
1999	3,887,891	1,763,536	9,013,886	17,039,582
2000	3,978,243	1,804,519	10,054,045	19,013,436
2001	4,101,993	1,860,652	9,864,431	18,547,169
2002	4,427,141	2,008,138	10,121,262	19,691,174
2003	4,906,553	2,225,598	11,095,475	21,282,554
2004	4,950,806	2,245,671	11,331,325	22,949,070
2005	5,114,937	2,320,120	12,099,324	25,120,078
2006	5,400,097	2,449,468	13,355,294	27,711,963
2007	5,346,340	2,425,084	13,696,204	28,777,119
2008	5,225,954	2,370,477	14,170,845	28,456,612

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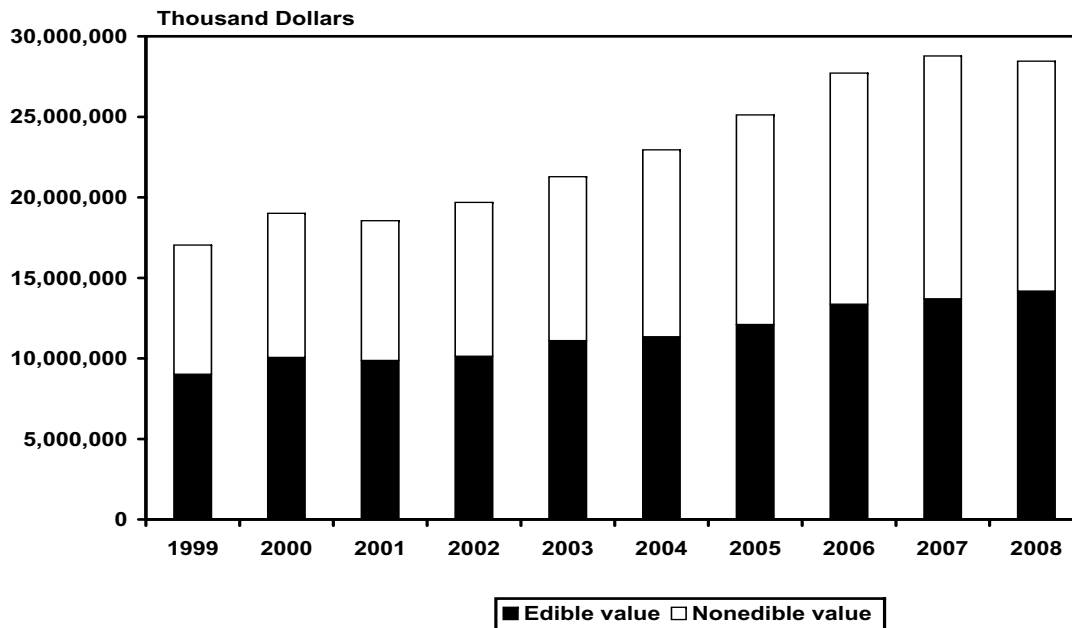
U.S. Imports from Major Areas, 2008 by Volume



U.S. Imports from Major Exporters, 2008 by Volume



U.S. Fishery Product Imports



EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS IMPORTS, 2008

Continent and Country	Edible		Nonedible	Total	
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	-----Thousand dollars-----		
North America:					
Canada	662,690	300,594	2,258,190	1,088,563	3,346,753
Mexico	136,840	62,070	484,555	423,037	907,592
Dominican Republic	328	149	2,077	302,925	305,002
Honduras	36,017	16,337	150,407	244	150,651
Panama	30,132	13,668	98,883	4,442	103,325
Other	98,909	44,865	316,622	48,938	365,560
Total	964,916	437,683	3,310,734	1,868,149	5,178,883
South America:					
Chile	283,388	128,544	980,525	30,151	1,010,676
Argentina	50,249	22,793	77,736	805,302	883,038
Ecuador	221,000	100,245	602,688	7,032	609,720
Brazil	19,264	8,738	97,105	80,765	177,870
Peru	39,266	17,811	88,889	43,672	132,561
Other	77,395	35,106	199,893	100,216	300,109
Total	690,562	313,237	2,046,836	1,067,138	3,113,974
Europe:					
European Union:					
France	2,802	1,271	13,646	1,451,764	1,465,410
Italy	1,916	869	8,527	883,961	892,488
United Kingdom	27,602	12,520	83,101	456,952	540,053
Germany	2,756	1,250	8,534	403,228	411,762
Spain	14,709	6,672	41,469	366,065	407,534
Other	29,791	13,513	104,634	267,074	371,708
Total	79,575	36,095	259,911	3,829,044	4,088,955
Other:					
Russian Federation	50,675	22,986	300,546	899	301,445
Switzerland	60	27	292	274,081	274,373
Turkey	1,519	689	6,336	213,657	219,993
Norway	37,974	17,225	115,502	78,588	194,090
Iceland	28,153	12,770	91,801	7,543	99,344
Other	9,440	4,282	25,324	45,949	71,273
Total	127,821	57,979	539,801	620,717	1,160,518
Asia:					
China	1,153,610	523,274	2,172,493	1,949,949	4,122,442
Thailand	792,294	359,382	1,984,138	890,340	2,874,478
India	74,150	33,634	222,677	1,449,381	1,672,058
Indonesia	318,470	144,457	1,094,871	479,122	1,573,993
Viet Nam	242,991	110,220	762,179	12,857	775,036
Other	530,222	240,507	1,256,001	1,785,597	3,041,598
Total	3,111,736	1,411,474	7,492,359	6,567,246	14,059,605
Oceania:					
Australia	6,105	2,769	77,826	90,701	168,527
New Zealand	92,097	41,775	154,290	8,955	163,245
Fiji	44,476	20,174	85,410	1,872	87,282
French Polynesia	335	152	764	63,679	64,443
Vanuatu	22,088	10,019	27,961	128	28,089
Other	47,630	21,605	63,289	3,230	66,519
Total	212,731	96,494	409,540	168,565	578,105
Africa:					
South Africa	4,323	1,961	27,371	92,142	119,513
Morocco	11,616	5,269	29,961	14,120	44,081
Tunisia	249	113	1,103	34,836	35,939
Mauritius	12,103	5,490	13,402	4,554	17,956
Ghana	2,692	1,221	11,988	598	12,586
Other	7,630	3,461	27,839	18,658	46,497
Total	38,614	17,515	111,664	164,908	276,572
Grand total	5,225,954	2,370,477	14,170,845	14,285,767	28,456,612

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

**REGULAR AND MINCED FISH BLOCKS AND SLABS IMPORTS,
BY SPECIES AND TYPE, 2007 AND 2008**

Species and type	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Regular blocks and slabs:						
Cod	18,971	8,605	39,475	15,981	7,249	34,564
Flatfish	5,829	2,644	10,052	5,190	2,354	9,351
Haddock	6,235	2,828	13,437	6,843	3,104	13,828
Ocean perch	736	334	1,303	364	165	631
Pollock	66,667	30,240	62,355	61,555	27,921	62,377
Whiting	15,796	7,165	16,037	7,851	3,561	10,458
Other	15,234	6,910	33,215	14,275	6,475	32,200
Total	129,467	58,726	175,874	112,058	50,829	163,409
Minced blocks and slabs	39,778	18,043	44,846	30,027	13,620	33,355
Grand total	169,245	76,769	220,720	142,084	64,449	196,764

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau

**REGULAR AND MINCED FISH BLOCKS AND SLABS IMPORTS,
BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 2007 AND 2008**

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
China	120,819	54,803	138,097	100,466	45,571	124,544
Argentina	6,168	2,798	8,824	7,039	3,193	11,535
Canada	14,237	6,458	13,535	10,485	4,756	11,398
Japan	2,410	1,093	5,631	3,902	1,770	6,624
Russian Federation	1,702	772	3,171	2,906	1,318	5,735
Iceland	3,305	1,499	5,606	2,769	1,256	4,896
Poland	4,680	2,123	7,334	1,548	702	4,893
Indonesia	1,905	864	4,742	1,682	763	4,295
Thailand	992	450	2,602	1,497	679	3,309
Other	13,027	5,909	31,178	9,791	4,441	19,535
Total	169,245	76,769	220,720	142,084	64,449	196,764

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau

GROUND FISH FILLET AND STEAK IMPORTS, BY SPECIES, 2007 AND 2008 (1)

Species	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Cod	86,524	39,247	273,764	74,906	33,977	256,768
Haddock	20,304	9,210	74,634	16,380	7,430	60,041
Hake	7,650	3,470	9,733	8,131	3,688	12,305
Ocean perch	10,141	4,600	19,616	9,237	4,190	16,627
Pollock (2)	90,730	41,155	90,276	89,751	40,711	96,662
Total	215,350	97,682	468,023	198,405	89,996	442,403

(1) Does not include data on fish blocks and slabs.

(2) Includes some quantities of cusk fillets.

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau

CANNED TUNA NOT IN OIL, QUOTA AND IMPORTS, 1999-2008

Year	Quota (1)		Over quota (2)		Total	
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand pounds	Metric tons
1999	72,086	32,698	249,016	112,953	321,102	145,651
2000	62,403	28,306	245,211	111,227	307,614	139,533
2001	65,155	29,554	220,528	100,031	285,683	129,585
2002	39,947	18,120	323,042	146,531	362,990	164,651
2003	41,398	18,778	501,655	227,549	543,053	246,327
2004	50,472	22,894	377,161	171,079	427,633	193,973
2005	41,965	19,035	447,133	202,818	489,097	221,853
2006	42,954	19,484	367,258	166,587	410,212	186,071
2007	41,178	18,678	300,412	136,266	341,590	154,944
2008	38,951	17,668	303,915	137,855	342,866	155,523

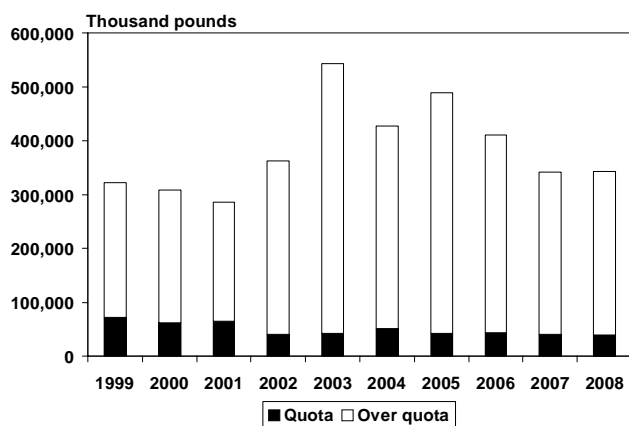
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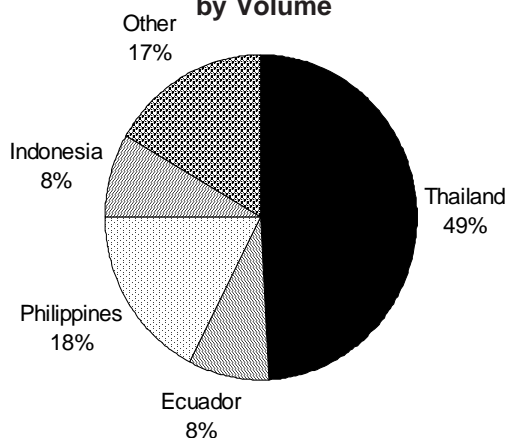
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Source:—U.S. Department of the Treasury, U.S. Customs Service. U.S. Department of Homeland Security, U.S. Customs and Border Protection.

Canned Tuna Quota and Imports



Imports of Canned Tuna by Major Exporter, 2008 by Volume



CANNED TUNA, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 2007 AND 2008

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Thailand	187,104	84,870	252,736	185,385	84,090	325,589
Ecuador	35,606	16,151	89,076	31,323	14,208	101,894
Philippines	64,690	29,343	66,196	66,204	30,030	95,225
Indonesia	33,203	15,061	47,504	31,418	14,251	49,753
Viet Nam	30,571	13,867	33,735	32,355	14,676	44,268
China	13,311	6,038	12,974	11,693	5,304	15,266
Papua New Guinea	1,215	551	1,239	8,027	3,641	9,195
Mexico	6,585	2,987	8,398	6,499	2,948	9,022
Trinidad and Tobago	631	286	1,562	849	385	2,190
Other	5,540	2,513	11,058	4,026	1,826	8,958
Total	378,457	171,667	524,478	377,778	171,359	661,360

Source:—U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

SHRIMP IMPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 2007 AND 2008

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
North America:						
Mexico	89,414	40,558	358,507	76,045	34,494	340,272
Canada	13,223	5,998	44,198	11,102	5,036	42,932
Honduras	16,131	7,317	41,428	12,549	5,692	35,432
Panama	9,819	4,454	36,645	8,031	3,643	30,836
Nicaragua	9,231	4,187	27,071	5,377	2,439	16,931
Guatemala	4,370	1,982	10,390	3,640	1,651	9,674
Belize	1,493	677	3,898	1,398	634	4,692
Costa Rica	478	217	2,373	161	73	818
Greenland	531	241	1,269	157	71	463
Other	271	123	811	75	34	414
Total	144,961	65,754	526,590	118,535	53,767	482,464
South America:						
Ecuador	130,354	59,128	308,872	124,163	56,320	339,815
Peru	15,776	7,156	40,112	16,484	7,477	46,239
Venezuela	23,796	10,794	47,876	15,591	7,072	33,612
Guyana	19,689	8,931	31,188	20,022	9,082	33,484
Colombia	4,899	2,222	12,878	4,279	1,941	12,455
Suriname	6,078	2,757	10,772	5,075	2,302	9,329
Argentina	754	342	2,805	247	112	1,377
Chile	46	21	215	154	70	937
Brazil	-	-	4	-	17	304
Total	201,392	91,351	454,722	186,053	84,393	477,552
Europe:						
European Union:						
Netherlands	128	58	904	86	39	1,042
Denmark	88	40	129	119	54	259
France	-	-	-	22	10	106
Other	35	16	178	44	20	148
Total	251	114	1,211	271	123	1,555
Other:						
Monaco	-	-	-	22	10	217
Other	9	4	23	20	9	63
Total	9	4	23	42	19	280
Asia:						
Thailand	415,170	188,320	1,235,833	402,055	182,371	1,280,781
Indonesia	130,224	59,069	447,237	185,164	83,990	631,954
Viet Nam	86,639	39,299	459,942	105,653	47,924	479,094
China	106,745	48,419	235,522	105,375	47,798	250,410
Malaysia	50,338	22,833	153,045	66,431	30,133	186,333
India	45,803	20,776	194,750	33,464	15,179	142,271
Bangladesh	32,884	14,916	154,402	30,309	13,748	128,120
Philippines	3,832	1,738	9,956	2,866	1,300	7,104
United Arab Emirates	4,579	2,077	9,292	2,859	1,297	5,794
Other	4,169	1,891	16,631	4,248	1,927	15,295
Total	880,381	399,338	2,916,610	938,425	425,667	3,127,156
Oceania	353	160	2,329	476	216	2,844
Africa	474	215	2,841	121	55	884
Grand total	1,227,821	556,936	3,904,326	1,243,924	564,240	4,092,735

Note:--Statistics on imports are the weights of the individual products as received, i.e., raw headless, peeled, etc.

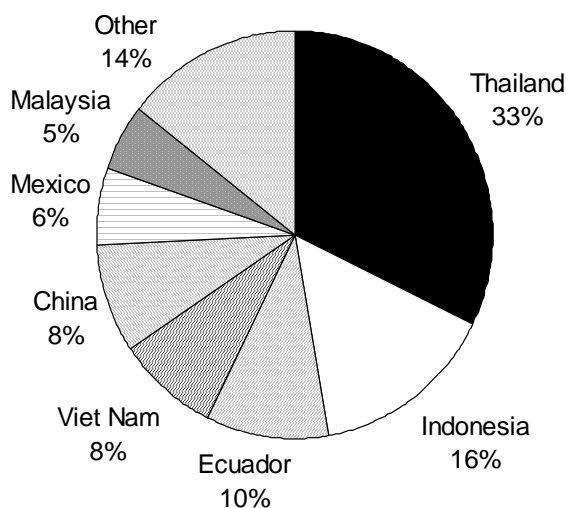
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SHRIMP IMPORTS, BY TYPE OF PRODUCT, 2007 AND 2008

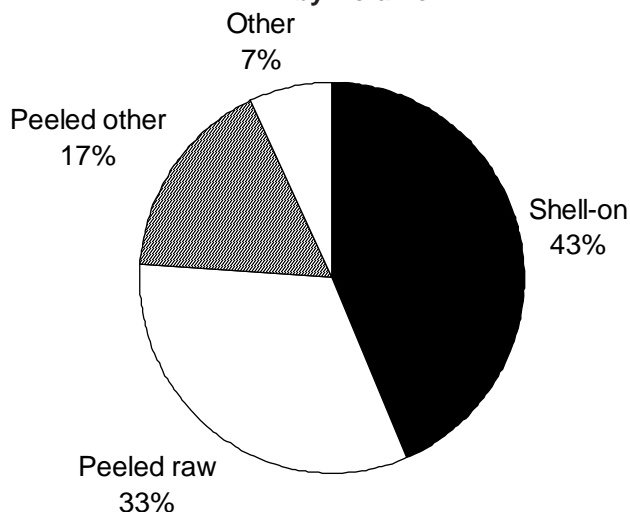
Type of product	2007			2008		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Shell-on (heads off)	521,498	236,550	1,647,250	540,855	245,330	1,785,273
Peeled:						
Canned	3,609	1,637	8,711	2,921	1,325	8,344
Not breaded:						
Raw	396,592	179,893	1,348,026	407,470	184,827	1,383,544
Other	225,674	102,365	716,716	209,194	94,890	723,434
Breaded	80,448	36,491	183,623	83,484	37,868	192,140
Total	1,227,821	556,936	3,904,326	1,243,924	564,240	4,092,735

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

Shrimp Imports by Major Exporter, 2008 by Volume



Shrimp Imports by Type, 2008 by Volume



FISH MEAL AND SCRAP IMPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 2007 AND 2008

Country	2007			2008		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Mexico	44,085	19,997	14,699	50,049	22,702	16,649
Chile	14,844	6,733	6,421	12,024	5,454	4,905
Canada	14,438	6,549	5,869	9,678	4,390	4,516
China	2,066	937	1,810	4,541	2,060	2,630
France	209	95	201	1,274	578	1,279
India	-	-	-	2,341	1,062	972
Japan	4,489	2,036	866	1,250	567	741
Peru	2,465	1,118	929	1,213	550	590
Ecuador	1,548	702	418	646	293	359
Other	3,221	1,461	1,835	1,025	465	605
Total	87,364	39,628	33,048	84,042	38,121	33,246

Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

FISHERY PRODUCTS EXPORTS, BY PRINCIPAL ITEMS, 2007 AND 2008 (1)

Item	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Edible fishery products:						
Fresh and frozen:						
Whole or eviscerated:						
Freshwater	9,079	4,118	9,513	7,452	3,380	8,618
Flatfish	230,246	104,439	216,233	245,976	111,574	229,454
Groundfish	349,345	158,462	373,631	262,145	118,908	311,313
Herring	31,400	14,243	20,579	69,654	31,595	36,665
Sablefish	16,947	7,687	63,625	19,092	8,660	74,475
Salmon	327,361	148,490	467,081	319,868	145,091	489,197
Tuna	38,210	17,332	56,970	38,155	17,307	55,800
Other	463,378	210,187	310,373	353,591	160,388	269,270
Fillets, and steaks:						
Freshwater	3,924	1,780	8,408	4,411	2,001	9,840
Groundfish	261,743	118,726	338,763	222,398	100,879	356,368
Other	58,570	26,567	183,358	81,310	36,882	212,434
Blocks and slabs	52,972	24,028	55,630	64,740	29,366	76,626
Surimi	310,562	140,870	289,873	252,777	114,659	229,652
Fish sticks	41,863	18,989	66,530	51,316	23,277	81,472
Clams	7,685	3,486	33,244	8,803	3,993	44,433
Crabs	28,918	13,117	117,062	40,448	18,347	170,170
Crabmeat	3,276	1,486	14,771	3,029	1,374	13,255
Lobsters	60,701	27,534	390,883	58,171	26,386	366,951
Scallops (meats)	21,482	9,744	124,250	21,413	9,713	130,781
Sea urchins	331	150	1,999	315	143	1,776
Shrimp	26,094	11,836	103,814	25,765	11,687	98,145
Squid	122,990	55,788	78,053	125,320	56,845	82,171
Other fish and shellfish	30,435	9,687	66,127	29,846	10,158	65,080
Total, fresh and frozen	2,488,433	1,128,746	3,390,770	2,298,545	1,042,613	3,413,946
Canned:						
Salmon	114,203	51,802	203,592	117,876	53,468	218,680
Sardines	30,110	13,658	11,963	33,380	15,141	15,461
Tuna	3,128	1,419	4,322	3,743	1,698	7,086
Abalone	340	154	5,595	245	111	3,886
Crabmeat	1,265	574	4,863	2,504	1,136	8,652
Shrimp	3,016	1,368	12,434	3,858	1,750	14,826
Squid	4,105	1,862	2,592	1,640	744	1,252
Other fish and shellfish	20,767	9,420	23,547	23,591	10,701	26,333
Total, canned	176,935	80,257	268,908	186,838	84,749	296,176
Cured:						
Dried	939	426	4,761	1,678	761	4,358
Pickled or salted	6,318	2,866	9,293	5,560	2,522	8,400
Smoked or kippered	1,336	606	7,346	2,491	1,130	8,704
Total, cured	8,594	3,898	21,400	9,729	4,413	21,462
Caviar and roe:						
Herring	22,390	10,156	28,174	10,187	4,621	22,160
Pollock	65,715	29,808	275,474	43,706	19,825	183,860
Salmon	25,992	11,790	122,788	21,122	9,581	130,508
Sea urchin	1,969	893	36,137	1,969	893	36,137
Other	18,100	8,210	53,696	24,046	10,907	70,640
Total, caviar and roe	134,165	60,857	516,269	101,030	45,827	443,305
Prepared meals	6,847	3,106	14,742	9,233	4,188	19,878
Other fish and shellfish	54,416	24,683	56,500	44,723	20,286	62,070
Total edible products	2,869,391	1,301,547	4,268,589	2,650,097	1,202,076	4,256,837
Nonedible products:						
Meal and scrap	231,388	104,957	72,043	196,483	89,124	76,471
Fish oils	123,193	55,880	64,663	127,843	57,989	100,628
Other	-	-	15,713,097	-	-	19,034,004
Total nonedible products	-	-	15,785,140	-	-	19,110,475
Grand total	-	-	20,053,729	-	-	23,367,312

(1) Figures reflect both domestic and foreign (re-exports).

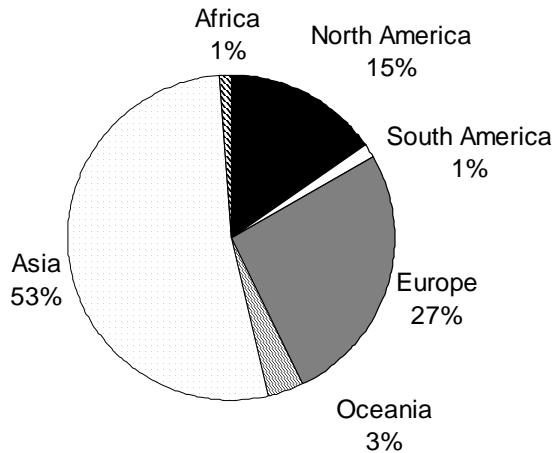
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EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS EXPORTS, 1999-2008 (1)

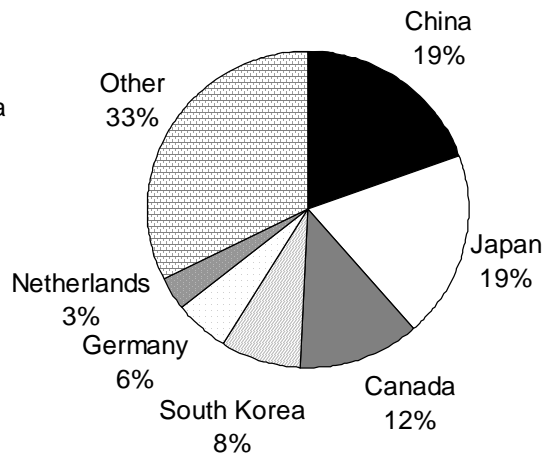
Year	Edible		Nonedible		Total
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	-----Thousand dollars-----		
1999	1,961,122	889,559	2,848,548	7,158,302	10,006,850
2000	2,164,994	982,035	2,951,717	7,829,818	10,781,535
2001	2,564,960	1,163,458	3,194,500	8,639,109	11,833,609
2002	2,398,208	1,087,820	3,119,651	8,593,789	11,713,440
2003	2,395,708	1,086,686	3,268,333	8,730,917	11,999,250
2004	2,888,172	1,310,066	3,708,288	9,883,926	13,592,214
2005	2,929,422	1,328,777	4,073,690	11,356,982	15,430,672
2006	2,967,312	1,345,964	4,237,651	13,522,286	17,759,937
2007	2,869,391	1,301,547	4,268,589	15,785,140	20,053,729
2008	2,650,097	1,202,076	4,256,837	19,110,475	23,367,312

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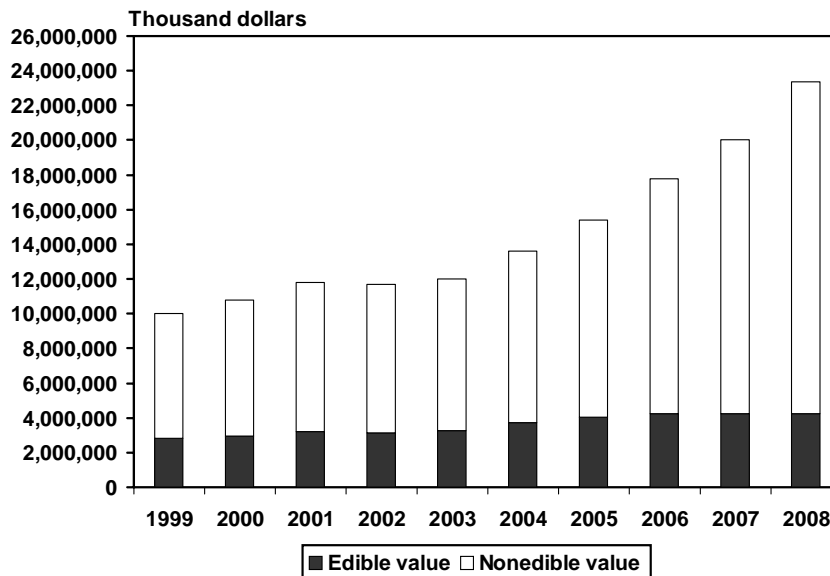
**U.S. Exports to Major Areas, 2008
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**U.S. Exports to Major Importers, 2008
by Volume**



U.S. Fishery Product Exports



EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS EXPORTS, 2008 (1)

Continent and Country	Edible		Nonedible	Total	
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons			-----Thousand dollars-----
North America:					
Canada	325,664	147,720	879,466	2,976,088	3,855,554
Mexico	43,272	19,628	73,707	1,261,561	1,335,268
Netherlands Antilles	1,594	723	4,696	483,359	488,055
Dominican Republic	4,189	1,900	7,383	301,712	309,095
Panama	3,190	1,447	4,649	127,348	131,997
Other	27,264	12,367	52,226	593,650	645,876
Total	405,172	183,785	1,022,127	5,743,718	6,765,845
South America:					
Brazil	10,644	4,828	6,638	251,903	258,541
Venezuela	13,148	5,964	9,689	151,017	160,706
Colombia	4,217	1,913	4,980	101,910	106,890
Chile	952	432	3,341	90,920	94,261
Argentina	443	201	678	55,871	56,549
Other	5,192	2,355	8,971	221,739	230,710
Total	34,597	15,693	34,297	873,360	907,657
Europe:					
European Union:					
Netherlands	92,584	41,996	179,324	1,923,404	2,102,728
United Kingdom	54,515	24,728	114,738	1,155,529	1,270,267
Germany	146,220	66,325	240,711	590,881	831,592
Belgium	7,804	3,540	26,539	665,081	691,620
France	68,556	31,097	176,537	491,849	668,386
Other	193,030	87,558	379,370	926,156	1,305,526
Total	562,711	255,244	1,117,219	5,752,900	6,870,119
Other:					
Switzerland	1,832	831	7,405	640,378	647,783
Russian Federation	25,520	11,576	38,751	96,703	135,454
Ukraine	48,395	21,952	53,947	43,412	97,359
Turkey	15,478	7,021	9,495	65,761	75,256
Norway	18,164	8,239	29,835	16,938	46,773
Other	23,746	10,771	16,006	35,322	51,328
Total	133,136	60,390	155,439	898,514	1,053,953
Asia:					
Japan	506,410	229,706	784,802	1,097,382	1,882,184
China - Hong Kong	14,751	6,691	51,777	1,182,716	1,234,493
China	515,548	233,851	556,347	669,720	1,226,067
South Korea	213,430	96,811	270,991	286,745	557,736
United Arab Emirates	1,129	512	5,618	448,955	454,573
Other	139,172	63,128	165,008	1,592,623	1,757,631
Total	1,390,439	630,699	1,834,543	5,278,141	7,112,684
Oceania:					
Australia	61,365	27,835	49,672	340,970	390,642
New Zealand	5,933	2,691	7,802	58,354	66,156
Nauru	13,239	6,005	6,343	-	6,343
French Polynesia	1,486	674	1,643	923	2,566
Norfolk Island	4,284	1,943	2,052	13	2,065
Other	4,738	2,149	2,848	5,403	8,251
Total	91,043	41,297	70,360	405,663	476,023
Africa:					
South Africa	8,135	3,690	9,301	0	9,301
Egypt	20,494	9,296	10,103	0	10,103
Namibia	115	52	312	0	312
Nigeria	137	62	135	0	135
Angola	273	124	128	0	128
Other	3,845	1,744	2,873	158,179	161,052
Total	32,998	14,968	22,852	158,179	181,031
Grand total	2,650,097	1,202,076	4,256,837	19,110,475	23,367,312

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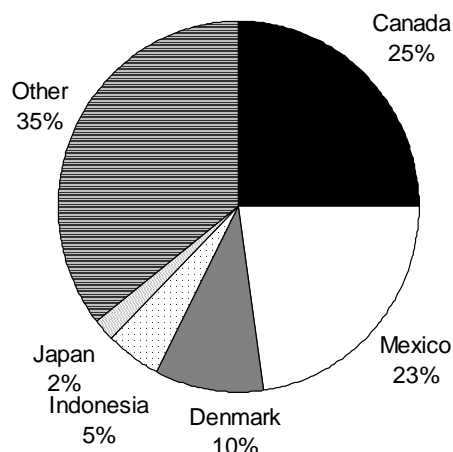
FRESH AND FROZEN SHRIMP EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Canada	8,199	3,719	31,041	6,422	2,913	24,825
Mexico	4,982	2,260	17,127	5,862	2,659	17,973
Denmark	602	273	2,128	2,518	1,142	8,094
Indonesia	580	263	3,533	1,274	578	6,255
Japan	324	147	1,980	553	251	2,825
Germany	51	23	271	926	420	2,727
Thailand	743	337	3,202	611	277	2,362
Viet Nam	108	49	668	547	248	2,252
Guatemala	229	104	980	613	278	2,223
Other	10,276	4,661	42,884	6,440	2,921	28,609
Total	26,094	11,836	103,814	25,765	11,687	98,145

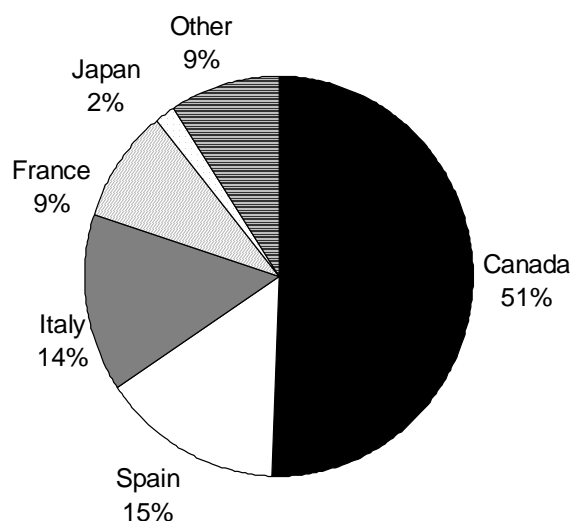
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U.S. Shrimp Exports by Major Importer, 2008 by Volume



U.S. Lobster Exports by Major Importer, 2008 by Volume



FRESH AND FROZEN LOBSTER EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Canada	32,247	14,627	163,303	29,423	13,346	137,044
Spain	8,547	3,877	64,848	8,655	3,926	67,675
Italy	8,139	3,692	61,968	8,433	3,825	64,586
France	5,900	2,676	47,268	5,282	2,396	39,921
Japan	924	419	8,249	966	438	8,062
United Kingdom	844	383	6,644	829	376	6,782
China - Hong Kong	333	151	3,578	505	229	5,133
South Korea	608	276	5,684	401	182	3,500
Belgium	280	127	2,269	395	179	3,461
Other	2,879	1,306	27,072	3,283	1,489	30,787
Total	60,701	27,534	390,883	58,171	26,386	366,951

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Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

**FROZEN SURIMI EXPORTS,
BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)**

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Japan	146,370	66,393	137,674	117,300	53,207	109,879
South Korea	111,163	50,423	107,992	72,342	32,814	49,329
China	2,930	1,329	2,451	7,493	3,399	15,776
Lithuania	12,778	5,796	9,991	14,751	6,691	12,687
Spain	7,846	3,559	6,578	8,964	4,066	10,677
Germany	5,507	2,498	4,154	8,406	3,813	9,035
France	9,581	4,346	7,994	9,583	4,347	7,769
Netherlands	3,256	1,477	2,880	4,511	2,046	6,506
Russian Federation	5,525	2,506	4,634	4,365	1,980	3,397
Other	5,606	2,543	5,525	5,062	2,296	4,597
Total	310,562	140,870	289,873	252,777	114,659	229,652

(1) Figures reflect both domestic and foreign (re-exports).
Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

**CANNED SALMON EXPORTS,
BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)**

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Canada	42,273	19,175	79,166	39,143	17,755	79,040
United Kingdom	40,428	18,338	74,641	37,245	16,894	71,686
Australia	13,620	6,178	22,832	18,322	8,311	30,175
Netherlands	6,290	2,853	9,043	8,472	3,843	14,311
New Zealand	1,691	767	2,517	3,521	1,597	5,475
South Africa	1,270	576	2,003	1,437	652	2,179
Thailand	-	-	-	1,151	522	2,082
Japan	141	64	225	1,014	460	2,067
Ireland	1,164	528	1,697	1,113	505	1,956
Other	7,326	3,323	11,468	6,457	2,929	9,709
Total	114,203	51,802	203,592	117,876	53,468	218,680

(1) Figures reflect both domestic and foreign (re-exports).
Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

**FROZEN SURIMI EXPORTS,
BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)**

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Japan	146,370	66,393	137,674	117,300	53,207	109,879
South Korea	111,163	50,423	107,992	72,342	32,814	49,329
China	2,930	1,329	2,451	7,493	3,399	15,776
Lithuania	12,778	5,796	9,991	14,751	6,691	12,687
Spain	7,846	3,559	6,578	8,964	4,066	10,677
Germany	5,507	2,498	4,154	8,406	3,813	9,035
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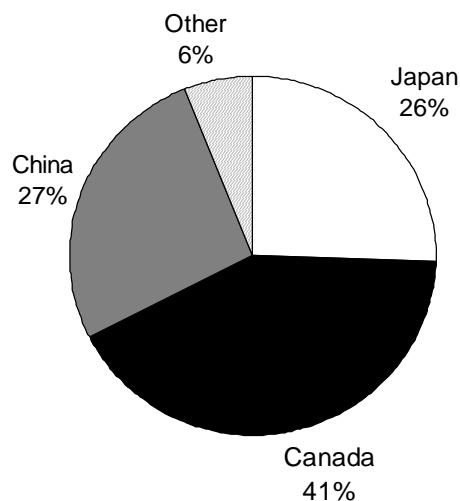
FRESH AND FROZEN CRAB EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)

Country	2007			2008		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Japan	7,213	3,272	43,184	10,331	4,686	63,147
Canada	16,030	7,271	51,386	16,938	7,683	54,117
China	4,054	1,839	13,724	10,739	4,871	40,063
Mexico	163	74	1,293	891	404	3,273
France	126	57	667	306	139	1,558
China - Hong Kong	128	58	817	183	83	1,451
Belgium	196	89	1,036	119	54	1,066
Netherlands	4	2	28	123	56	908
South Korea	185	84	966	95	43	820
Other	818	371	3,961	723	328	3,767
Total	28,918	13,117	117,062	40,448	18,347	170,170

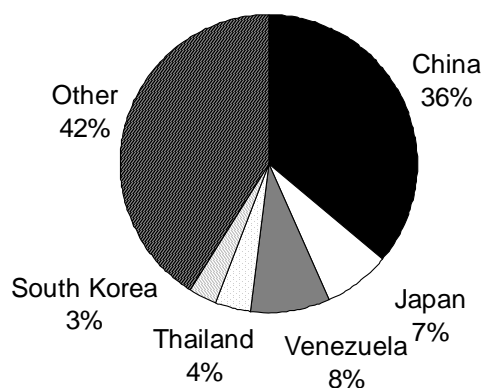
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**U.S. Crab Exports by Major Importer, 2008
by Volume**



**U.S. Crabmeat Exports by Major Importer, 2008
by Volume**



FRESH AND FROZEN CRABMEAT EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)

Country	2007			2008		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
China	320	145	1,510	1,093	496	4,057
Japan	809	367	2,098	223	101	1,245
Venezuela	49	22	194	254	115	968
Thailand	60	27	283	121	55	890
South Korea	33	15	192	93	42	826
Canada	234	106	1,151	137	62	606
Mexico	192	87	906	207	94	557
Chile	2	1	10	37	17	423
United Arab Emirates	11	5	73	62	28	402
Other	1,567	711	8,354	802	364	3,281
Total	3,276	1,486	14,771	3,029	1,374	13,255

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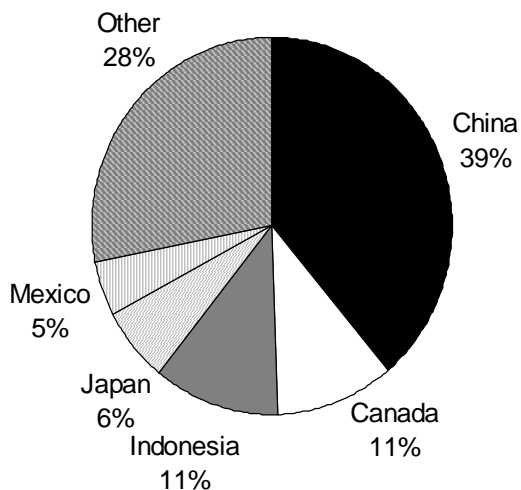
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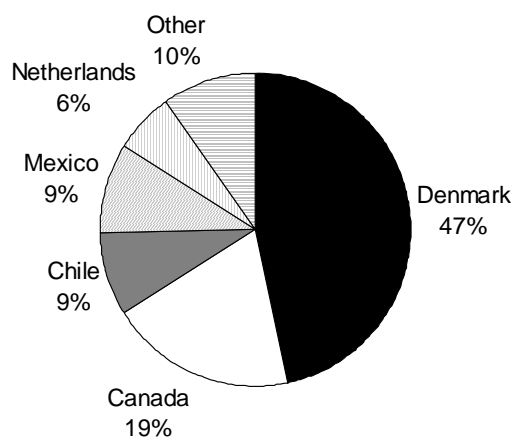
Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
China	115,660	52,463	28,440	76,372	34,642	28,994
Canada	30,481	13,826	14,039	20,805	9,437	10,961
Indonesia	1,623	736	465	22,231	10,084	5,594
Japan	9,231	4,187	3,104	12,447	5,646	4,985
Mexico	10,313	4,678	3,797	9,489	4,304	3,985
Saudi Arabia	9,328	4,231	4,634	9,542	4,328	3,963
Ghana	5,121	2,323	1,647	7,041	3,194	2,674
South Korea	6,005	2,724	2,775	4,239	1,923	2,284
China - Taipei	8,375	3,799	2,813	4,566	2,071	2,097
Other	35,252	15,990	10,329	29,751	13,495	10,934
Total	231,388	104,957	72,043	196,483	89,124	76,471

(1) Figures reflect both domestic and foreign (re-exports).
Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.

**U.S. Fish Meal Exports by Major Importer, 2008
by Volume**



**U.S. Fish Oil Exports by Major Importer, 2008
by Volume**



**FISH AND MARINE ANIMAL OIL EXPORTS,
BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 2007 AND 2008 (1)**

Country	2007			2008		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Denmark	20,474	9,287	6,775	59,582	27,026	40,855
Canada	16,510	7,489	12,630	24,813	11,255	20,139
Chile	22,046	10,000	7,910	11,248	5,102	6,406
Mexico	1,135	515	507	11,490	5,212	5,588
Netherlands	45,860	20,802	16,038	8,161	3,702	5,106
China	664	301	2,652	979	444	4,414
United Kingdom	450	204	5,248	238	108	3,401
Australia	154	70	1,492	276	125	1,922
South Korea	2,714	1,231	2,125	1,228	557	1,696
Other	13,186	5,981	9,286	9,828	4,458	11,101
Total	123,193	55,880	64,663	127,843	57,989	100,628

(1) Figures reflect both domestic and foreign (re-exports).
Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, U.S. Census Bureau.