

Foreign Trade

IMPORTS

U.S. imports of edible fishery products in 1999 were valued at a record \$9.0 billion, \$840.7 million more than in 1998. The quantity of edible imports was 3.9 billion pounds, 240.9 million pounds more than the quantity imported in 1998.

Edible imports consisted of 3.2 billion pounds of fresh and frozen products valued at \$8.0 billion, 546.5 million pounds of canned products valued at \$681.6 million, 66.4 million pounds of cured products valued at \$145.2 million, 5.5 million pounds of caviar and roe products valued at \$44.2 million, and 42.0 million pounds of other products valued at \$100.0 million.

The quantity of shrimp imported in 1999 was 731.3 million pounds, 35.9 million pounds more than the quantity imported in 1998. Valued at \$3.1 billion, shrimp imports accounted for 35 percent of the value of total edible imports. Imports of fresh and frozen tuna were 491.0 million pounds, 80.0 million pounds less than the 571.0 million pounds imported in 1998. Imports of canned tuna were 334.5 million pounds, 94.1 million pounds more than in 1998. Imports of fresh and frozen fillets and steaks amounted to 654.3 million pounds, an increase of 75.7 million pounds from 1998. Regular and minced block imports were 214.4 million pounds, a decrease of 18.5 million pounds from 1998.

Imports of nonedible fishery products were valued at \$8.0 billion — an increase of \$566.2 million compared with 1998. The total value of edible and nonedible

products was \$17.0 billion in 1999, \$1.4 billion more than in 1998 when \$15.6 billion of fishery products were imported.

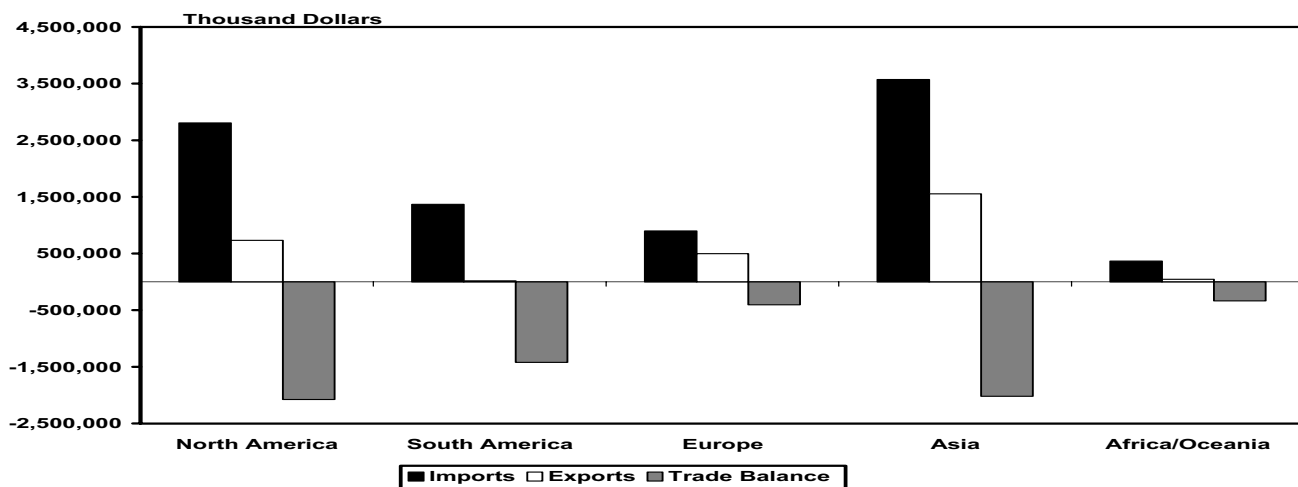
EXPORTS

U.S. exports of edible fishery products were 2.0 billion pounds valued at \$2.8 billion, an increase of 297.2 million pounds and \$588.8 million when compared with 1998. Fresh and frozen items were 1.6 billion pounds valued at \$2.2 billion, an increase of 211.4 million pounds, and \$416.3 million compared with 1998. In terms of individual items, fresh and frozen exports consisted principally of 210.5 million pounds of salmon valued at \$371.5 million, 273.9 million pounds of surimi valued at \$299.3 million and 57.3 million pounds of lobsters valued at \$262.7 million.

Canned items were 167.4 million pounds valued at \$256.1 million. Salmon was the major canned item exported, with 113.7 million pounds valued at \$197.7 million. Cured items were 26.6 million pounds valued at \$27.3 million. Caviar and roe exports were 91.9 million pounds valued at \$370.3 million.

Exports of nonedible products were valued at \$7.2 billion compared with \$6.4 billion in 1998. Exports of fish meal amounted to 192.5 million pounds valued at \$51.5 million. The total value of edible and nonedible exports was \$10.0 billion—an increase of \$1.3 billion compared with 1998.

U.S. Trade in Edible Fishery Products, 1999



FISHERY PRODUCTS IMPORTS, BY PRINCIPAL ITEMS, 1998 AND 1999

Item	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Edible fishery products:						
Fresh and frozen:						
Whole or eviscerated:						
Freshwater	83,131	37,708	70,283	95,933	43,515	86,846
Flatfish	38,364	17,402	70,119	45,300	20,548	95,331
Groundfish	58,922	26,727	53,054	62,776	28,475	62,231
Salmon	152,168	69,023	319,275	155,762	70,653	344,991
Tuna (1)	571,000	259,004	555,766	491,004	222,718	549,524
Other	261,507	118,619	323,940	255,941	116,094	351,498
Fillets and steaks:						
Freshwater	37,037	16,800	96,640	54,246	24,606	127,329
Flatfish	49,506	22,456	103,614	47,159	21,391	93,747
Groundfish	186,937	84,794	356,070	224,944	102,034	456,662
Other	305,081	138,384	636,439	327,952	148,758	760,499
Blocks and slabs	232,843	105,617	270,686	214,351	97,229	250,285
Surimi	7,749	3,515	5,330	21,574	9,786	16,383
Shrimp	692,017	313,897	3,101,790	728,336	330,371	3,130,821
Crabmeat	16,684	7,568	67,262	17,555	7,963	80,357
Lobster:						
American	42,542	19,297	245,578	52,525	23,825	333,743
Spiny	21,248	9,638	230,133	28,541	12,946	294,755
Scallops (meats)	52,445	23,789	218,250	44,079	19,994	192,647
Other fish and shellfish	310,004	140,617	631,687	359,511	163,073	815,241
Total, fresh and frozen	3,119,189	1,414,855	7,355,916	3,227,488	1,463,979	8,042,890
Canned:						
Anchovy	6,989	3,170	21,522	7,260	3,293	20,244
Herring	4,325	1,962	4,846	7,355	3,336	8,322
Mackerel	24,572	11,146	11,895	25,166	11,415	12,659
Salmon	1,323	600	4,990	2,229	1,011	6,287
Sardines	44,328	20,107	53,740	48,722	22,100	57,880
Tuna	240,409	109,049	288,970	334,537	151,745	335,830
Clams	11,186	5,074	10,559	11,942	5,417	10,627
Crabmeat	22,020	9,988	95,958	27,707	12,568	124,291
Lobsters	121	55	1,402	29	13	295
Oysters	13,600	6,169	25,629	12,928	5,864	26,818
Shrimp	3,406	1,545	10,622	2,945	1,336	7,626
Balls, cakes, and puddings	9,489	4,304	14,302	14,189	6,436	21,026
Other fish and shellfish	46,409	21,051	43,124	51,447	23,336	49,683
Total, canned	428,177	194,220	587,559	546,454	247,870	681,588
Cured:						
Dried	19,687	8,930	55,281	18,164	8,239	56,843
Pickled or salted	41,693	18,912	56,899	38,292	17,369	58,698
Smoked or kippered	10,836	4,915	28,381	9,985	4,529	29,675
Total, cured	72,216	32,757	140,561	66,440	30,137	145,216
Caviar and roe	4,358	1,977	33,215	5,474	2,483	44,221
Prepared meals	3,197	1,450	10,330	5,121	2,323	15,213
Other fish and shellfish	19,883	9,019	45,604	36,914	16,744	84,759
Total edible fishery products	3,647,021	1,654,278	8,173,185	3,887,891	1,763,536	9,013,887
Nonedible fishery products:						
Meal and scrap	125,404	56,883	33,574	73,069	33,144	16,634
Fish oils	24,213	10,983	19,604	25,677	11,647	15,174
Other	-	-	7,406,309	-	-	7,993,888
Total nonedible fishery products	-	-	7,459,487	-	-	8,025,696
Grand total	-	-	15,632,672	-	-	17,039,583

(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, 1999, Current Fishery Statistics No. 9902 provides additional information.

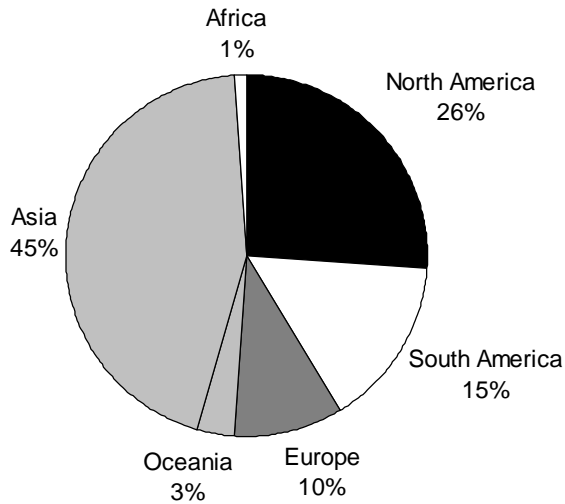
Source:—U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS IMPORTS, 1990-99

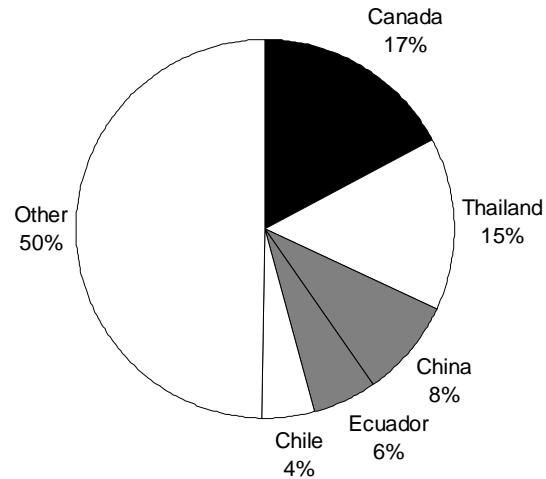
Year	Edible		-----Thousand dollars-----	Nonedible	Total
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons			
1990	2,884,596	1,308,444	5,233,167	3,814,513	9,047,680
1991	3,014,819	1,367,513	5,671,887	3,763,173	9,435,060
1992	2,893,954	1,312,689	5,705,876	4,165,386	9,871,262
1993	2,917,160	1,323,215	5,848,738	4,773,649	10,622,387
1994	3,034,841	1,376,595	6,645,132	5,341,740	11,986,872
1995	3,066,458	1,390,936	6,791,690	5,659,933	12,451,623
1996	3,169,787	1,437,806	6,729,614	6,330,741	13,060,355
1997	3,338,849	1,514,492	7,754,243	6,774,083	14,528,326
1998	3,647,021	1,654,278	8,173,185	7,459,487	15,632,672
1999	3,887,891	1,763,536	9,013,887	8,025,696	17,039,583

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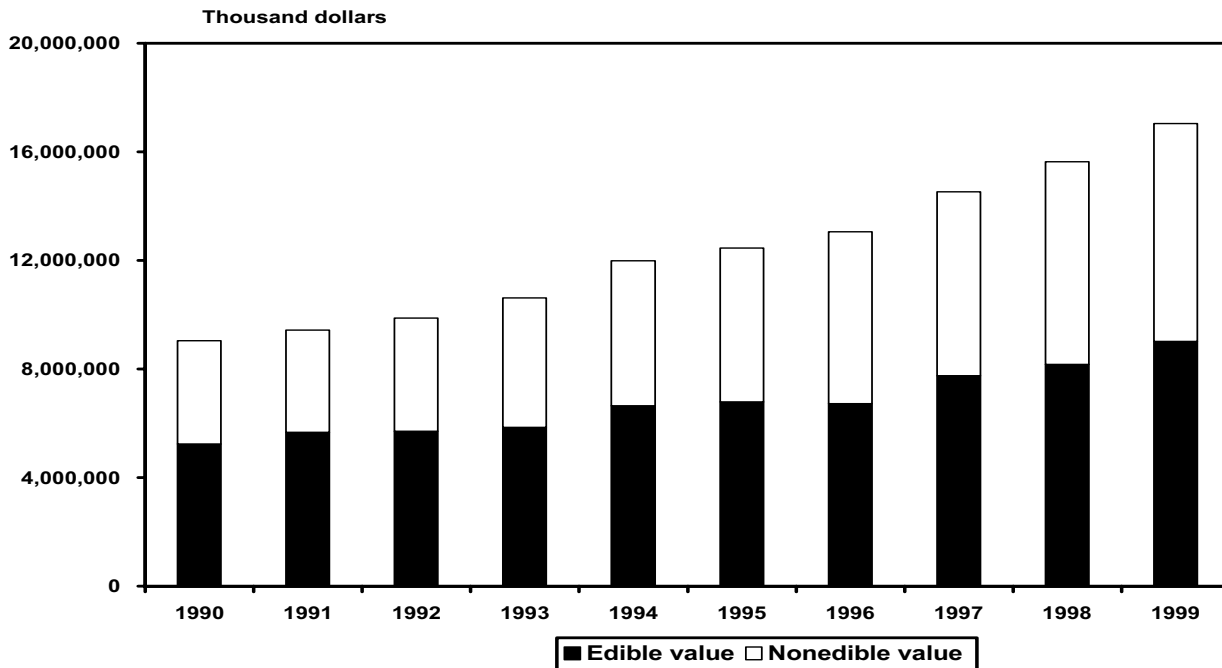
U.S. Imports from Major Areas by Volume



U.S. Imports from Major Exporters by Volume



U.S. Fishery Product Imports



EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS IMPORTS, 1999

Continent and Country	Edible		-----Thousand dollars-----	Nonedible	Total
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons			
North America:					
Canada	671,279	304,490	1,712,409	874,485	2,586,894
Mexico	147,666	66,981	494,487	212,797	707,284
Dominican Republic	397	180	542	156,192	156,734
Honduras	29,471	13,368	114,067	88	114,155
Costa Rica	22,275	10,104	60,547	42,089	102,636
Other	140,210	63,599	424,381	48,455	472,836
Total	1,011,299	458,722	2,806,433	1,334,106	4,140,539
South America:					
Ecuador	221,393	100,423	555,761	7,514	563,275
Chile	168,465	76,415	371,334	20,462	391,796
Venezuela	37,344	16,939	119,832	4,630	124,462
Brazil	29,295	13,288	83,989	32,763	116,752
Argentina	73,334	33,264	90,220	14,492	104,712
Other	72,340	32,813	147,497	107,369	254,866
Total	602,169	273,142	1,368,633	187,230	1,555,863
Europe:					
European Union:					
Italy	1,063	482	3,039	1,516,262	1,519,301
France	3,609	1,637	9,099	665,523	674,622
Germany	2,066	937	3,351	291,488	294,839
United Kingdom	25,538	11,584	58,564	206,429	264,993
Spain	23,706	10,753	28,948	63,240	92,188
Other	22,487	10,200	56,641	176,038	232,679
Total	78,468	35,593	159,642	2,918,980	3,078,622
Other:					
Russian Federation	125,155	56,770	306,486	5,584	312,070
Iceland	91,171	41,355	238,362	7,576	245,938
Turkey	1,120	508	2,314	180,894	183,208
Norway	65,554	29,735	160,471	18,850	179,321
Switzerland	146	66	97	120,239	120,336
Other	12,266	5,564	32,379	39,534	71,913
Total	295,412	133,998	740,109	372,677	1,112,786
Asia:					
Thailand	565,328	256,431	1,558,925	494,598	2,053,523
China	327,211	148,422	440,465	341,717	782,182
India	83,777	38,001	199,033	519,470	718,503
Japan	80,415	36,476	174,662	435,648	610,310
Hong Kong	5,955	2,701	9,724	576,796	586,520
Other	664,006	301,191	1,190,682	689,368	1,880,050
Total	1,726,691	783,222	3,573,491	3,057,597	6,631,088
Oceania:					
New Zealand	79,178	35,915	155,302	7,911	163,213
Australia	12,703	5,762	80,497	61,086	141,583
French Polynesia	474	215	958	31,385	32,343
Fiji	12,491	5,666	11,624	2,322	13,946
Western Samoa	7,884	3,576	9,369	75	9,444
Other	14,270	6,473	13,303	2,001	15,304
Total	127,000	57,607	271,053	104,780	375,833
Africa:					
South Africa	22,895	10,385	44,028	22,817	66,845
Morocco	7,928	3,596	18,598	3,576	22,174
Namibia	7,661	3,475	17,715	247	17,962
Zimbabwe	-	-	-	12,174	12,174
Tanzania	5,734	2,601	7,545	4,530	12,075
Other	2,634	1,195	6,640	6,982	13,622
Total	46,852	21,252	94,526	50,326	144,852
Grand total	3,887,891	1,763,536	9,013,887	8,025,696	17,039,583

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

REGULAR AND MINCED FISH BLOCKS AND SLABS IMPORTS, BY SPECIES AND TYPE, 1998 AND 1999

Species and type	1998			1999		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Regular blocks and slabs:						
Cod	30,538	13,852	63,265	26,696	12,109	49,413
Flatfish	7,328	3,324	12,662	5,646	2,561	9,195
Haddock	9,517	4,317	20,133	5,302	2,405	12,008
Ocean perch	520	236	990	353	160	625
Pollock	124,470	56,459	113,989	126,299	57,289	128,768
Whiting	18,960	8,600	18,328	13,441	6,097	12,058
Other	14,337	6,503	19,513	8,915	4,044	11,209
Total	205,669	93,291	248,880	186,652	84,665	223,276
Minced blocks and slabs	27,174	12,326	21,806	27,699	12,564	27,009
Grand total	232,843	105,617	270,686	214,351	97,229	250,285

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

REGULAR AND MINCED FISH BLOCKS AND SLABS IMPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 1998 AND 1999

Country	1998			1999		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Russian Federation	66,579	30,200	72,956	59,934	27,186	84,661
China	87,106	39,511	70,029	93,283	42,313	76,431
Canada	11,984	5,436	17,970	14,385	6,525	18,497
Iceland	9,259	4,200	18,251	7,745	3,513	13,171
Denmark	7,551	3,425	16,412	5,212	2,364	11,208
New Zealand	3,164	1,435	3,675	5,725	2,597	8,461
Argentina	14,544	6,597	14,247	8,602	3,902	8,246
Norway	8,777	3,981	18,358	3,155	1,431	6,124
St. Pierre & Miquelon	1,706	774	3,677	1,627	738	3,058
Other	22,174	10,058	35,111	14,683	6,660	20,428
Total	232,843	105,617	270,686	214,351	97,229	250,285

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

GROUNDFISH FILLET AND STEAK IMPORTS, BY SPECIES, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Species	1998			1999		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Cod	77,794	35,287	194,193	98,184	44,536	270,606
Haddock (2)	83,303	37,786	108,668	108,718	49,314	152,747
Ocean perch	25,840	11,721	53,209	18,042	8,184	33,309
Total	186,937	84,794	356,070	224,944	102,034	456,662

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

(2) Includes some quantities of cusk, hake, and pollock fillets.

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

CANNED TUNA NOT IN OIL, QUOTA AND IMPORTS, 1990-99

Year	Quota (1)		Over quota (2)		Total	
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand pounds	Metric tons
1990	87,157	39,534	171,472	77,779	258,628	117,313
1991	75,093	34,062	237,237	107,610	312,330	141,672
1992	73,724	33,441	259,739	117,817	333,463	151,258
1993	72,681	32,968	144,287	65,448	216,968	98,416
1994	73,294	33,246	168,224	76,306	241,518	109,552
1995	73,367	33,279	126,176	57,233	199,543	90,512
1996	80,027	36,300	117,205	53,164	197,232	89,464
1997	78,620	35,662	139,714	63,374	218,335	99,036
1998	67,317	30,535	176,648	80,127	243,965	110,662
1999	72,086	32,698	249,016	112,953	321,102	145,651

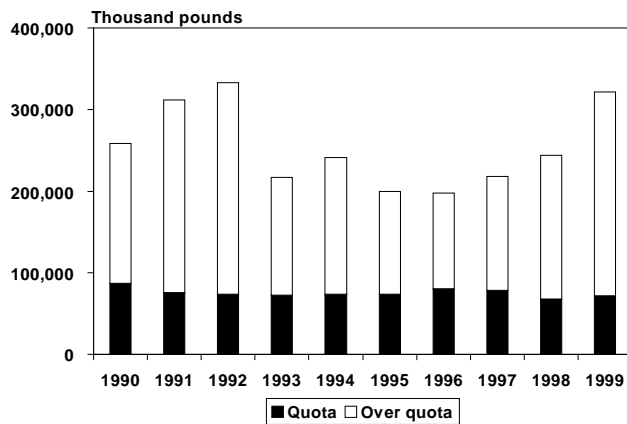
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(2) Dutiable in 1972 to 1999, 12.5 percent.

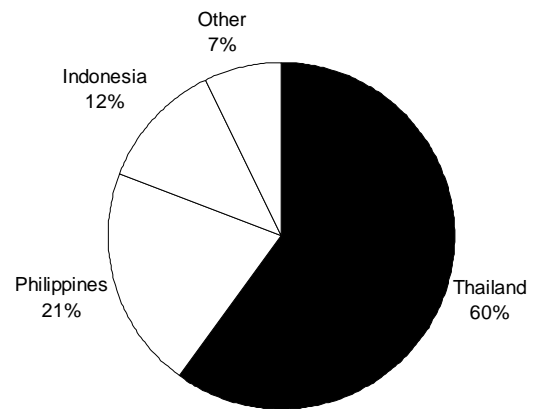
Note:—Data in this table will not agree with tuna import data released by the U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census. Any tuna entered for consumption or withdrawn from a warehouse for consumption during the calendar year, except for receipts for possessions of the U.S., is subject to this quota.

Source:—U.S. Department of the Treasury, U.S. Customs Service.

Canned Tuna Quota and Imports



Imports of Canned Tuna by Major Exporter, 1999



CANNED TUNA, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 1998 AND 1999

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Thailand	114,302	51,847	150,367	190,334	86,335	201,956
Philippines	85,726	38,885	89,899	85,080	38,592	69,476
Indonesia	27,705	12,567	33,221	38,437	17,435	40,341
Ecuador	1,526	692	2,549	4,153	1,884	7,326
Papua New Guinea	3,472	1,575	3,525	7,522	3,412	6,358
Malaysia	2,396	1,087	3,844	2,950	1,338	4,477
Mexico	3,541	1,606	2,947	3,320	1,506	2,465
South Korea	243	110	246	459	208	703
China	73	33	67	785	356	688
Other	1,426	647	2,305	1,497	679	2,040
Total	240,409	109,049	288,970	334,537	151,745	335,830

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

SHRIMP IMPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 1998 AND 1999

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
North America:						
Mexico	78,120	35,435	382,517	77,262	35,046	386,104
Panama	22,465	10,190	91,552	17,101	7,757	68,929
Honduras	18,990	8,614	67,152	16,318	7,402	67,261
Canada	17,366	7,877	45,901	14,469	6,563	44,101
Nicaragua	8,373	3,798	31,298	9,550	4,332	37,184
El Salvador	8,838	4,009	30,906	6,014	2,728	24,984
Belize	3,056	1,386	11,119	4,941	2,241	22,804
Guatemala	5,223	2,369	18,807	4,004	1,816	16,052
Costa Rico	1,832	831	10,832	2,615	1,186	15,179
Greenland	1,082	491	2,773	553	251	1,368
Other	35	16	124	18	8	127
Total	165,380	75,016	692,981	152,845	69,330	684,093
South America:						
Ecuador	142,303	64,548	572,047	111,140	50,413	402,932
Venezuela	12,615	5,722	47,698	26,585	12,059	93,566
Guyana	12,414	5,631	29,717	12,568	5,701	28,102
Colombia	4,694	2,129	20,978	6,027	2,734	27,268
Peru	15,315	6,947	45,499	4,722	2,142	17,888
Brazil	1,812	822	7,382	4,215	1,912	14,889
Suriname	1,938	879	4,253	2,892	1,312	5,538
Chile	979	444	3,457	994	451	3,817
Argentina	66	30	200	101	46	637
Total	192,135	87,152	731,231	169,247	76,770	594,637
Europe:						
European Union:						
United Kingdom	79	36	238	134	61	423
Denmark	88	40	234	79	36	191
Germany	73	33	200	40	18	58
Spain	11	5	32	4	2	29
Netherlands	35	16	68	2	1	9
Other	143	13	151	141	2	8
Total	315	143	923	265	120	718
Other:						
Norway	831	377	2,394	139	63	455
Iceland	789	358	2,136	161	73	395
Estonia	-	-	-	44	20	146
Bulgaria	37	17	272	13	6	86
Other	194	88	395	-	-	-
Total	1,852	840	5,197	355	161	1,082
Asia:						
Thailand	203,407	92,265	1,088,062	252,433	114,503	1,196,972
Indonesia	33,697	15,285	188,739	35,335	16,028	167,327
India	44,425	20,151	150,847	48,109	21,822	160,758
Bangladesh	13,929	6,318	90,847	19,290	8,750	112,228
Viet Nam	11,087	5,029	75,909	17,815	8,081	109,065
China	15,423	6,996	35,936	19,502	8,846	49,272
Philippines	3,915	1,776	20,073	3,613	1,639	17,335
Pakistan	3,186	1,445	6,852	3,036	1,377	9,652
Sri Lanka	1,442	654	8,423	1,828	829	8,983
Malaysia	1,612	731	4,482	1,823	827	6,691
Other	3,424	1,553	11,203	5,545	2,515	18,641
Total	335,547	152,203	1,681,373	408,329	185,217	1,856,924
Oceania	82	37	375	152	69	706
Africa	112	51	332	88	40	287
Grand total	695,423	315,442	3,112,412	731,281	331,707	3,138,447

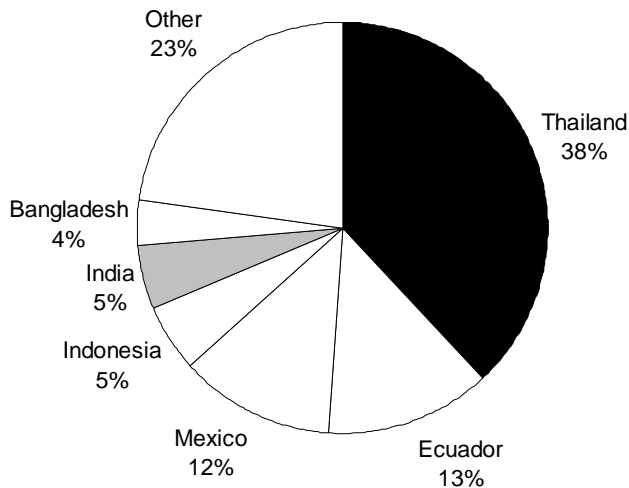
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SHRIMP IMPORTS, BY TYPE OF PRODUCT, 1998 AND 1999

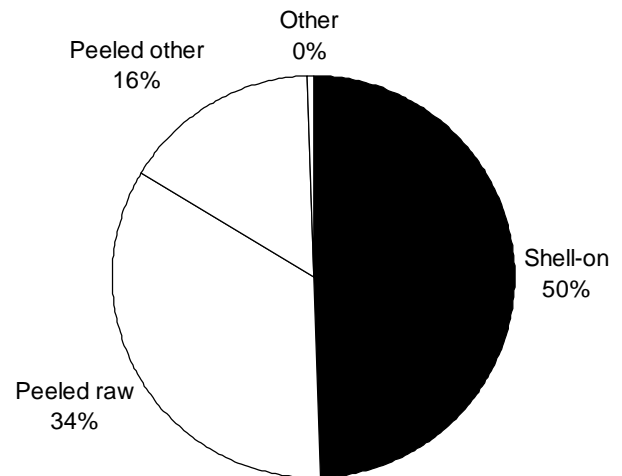
Type of product	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Shell-on (heads off)	341,894	155,082	1,607,185	344,901	156,446	1,554,481
Peeled:						
Canned	3,406	1,545	10,622	2,945	1,336	7,626
Not breaded:						
Raw	264,378	119,921	1,053,583	275,538	124,983	1,073,958
Other	85,128	38,614	438,206	105,609	47,904	495,089
Breaded	617	280	2,816	2,288	1,038	7,293
Total	695,423	315,442	3,112,412	731,281	331,707	3,138,447

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

Shrimp Imports by Major Exporter, 1999



Shrimp Imports by Type, 1999



FISH MEAL AND SCRAP IMPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF ORIGIN, 1998 AND 1999

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Iceland	34,908	15,834	9,594	24,722	11,214	6,527
Canada	16,144	7,323	5,742	15,657	7,102	4,026
Peru	10,430	4,731	2,628	24,619	11,167	3,613
Mexico	17,141	7,775	4,604	2,504	1,136	679
Japan	1,343	609	700	2,326	1,055	667
Denmark	785	356	300	1,387	629	362
China	238	108	200	187	85	219
Chile	13,971	6,337	4,218	886	402	179
South Korea	97	44	59	159	72	100
Other	30,349	13,766	5,529	622	282	262
Total	125,404	56,883	33,574	73,069	33,144	16,634

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

FISHERY PRODUCTS EXPORTS, BY PRINCIPAL ITEMS, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

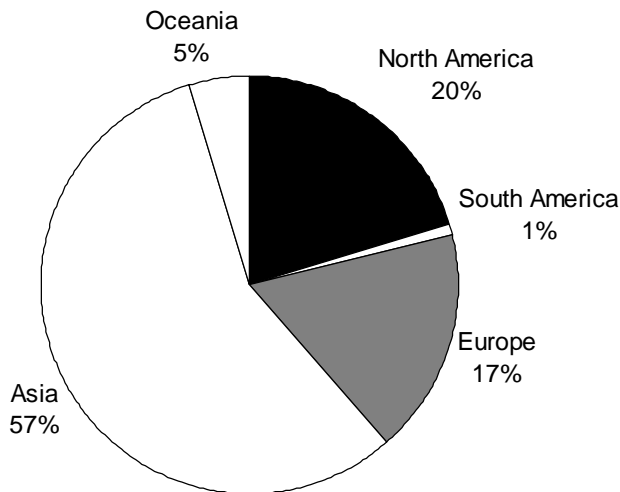
Item	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Edible fishery products:						
Fresh and frozen:						
Whole or eviscerated:						
Freshwater	4,751	2,155	6,081	3,393	1,539	4,348
Flatfish	164,856	74,778	103,219	120,343	54,587	121,212
Groundfish	95,735	43,425	74,817	124,842	56,628	122,914
Herring	49,661	22,526	31,164	47,752	21,660	32,573
Sablefish	22,707	10,300	48,253	29,495	13,379	61,419
Salmon	153,436	69,598	255,102	210,542	95,501	371,478
Tuna	34,026	15,434	37,551	22,017	9,987	27,531
Other	281,732	127,793	211,791	344,590	156,305	219,222
Fillets, and steaks:						
Freshwater	520	236	1,123	545	247	1,132
Groundfish	63,481	28,795	63,478	37,474	16,998	45,614
Other	37,015	16,790	54,316	45,538	20,656	76,975
Blocks and slabs	44,848	20,343	45,820	59,705	27,082	63,236
Surimi	255,317	115,811	248,415	273,913	124,246	299,300
Fish sticks	25,734	11,673	30,354	22,414	10,167	27,285
Clams	1,649	748	2,825	1,911	867	2,655
Crabs	50,739	23,015	108,994	56,784	25,757	143,908
Crabmeat	3,278	1,487	5,568	3,840	1,742	7,817
Lobsters	42,972	19,492	187,762	57,264	25,975	262,721
Scallops (meats)	7,306	3,314	25,055	6,982	3,167	25,231
Sea urchins	4,220	1,914	10,063	4,398	1,995	11,539
Shrimp	32,432	14,711	121,397	32,864	14,907	122,760
Squid	35,591	16,144	28,923	114,368	51,877	61,066
Other fish and shellfish	30,291	11,585	56,688	31,387	12,698	63,131
Total, fresh and frozen	1,437,547	652,067	1,758,759	1,648,968	747,967	2,175,067
Canned:						
Salmon	77,450	35,131	143,288	113,726	51,586	197,680
Sardines	6,314	2,864	4,963	3,803	1,725	3,172
Tuna	9,319	4,227	15,437	7,945	3,604	12,084
Abalone	238	108	4,656	220	100	2,963
Crabmeat	558	253	1,374	1,329	603	3,279
Shrimp	1,660	753	8,732	2,355	1,068	9,025
Squid	132	60	155	4,270	1,937	2,397
Other fish and shellfish	23,475	10,648	24,304	33,755	15,311	25,529
Total, canned	119,145	54,044	202,909	167,404	75,934	256,129
Cured:						
Dried	2,434	1,104	6,215	2,055	932	4,347
Pickled or salted	12,624	5,726	15,323	23,845	10,816	20,627
Smoked or kippered	430	195	1,673	675	306	2,303
Total, cured	15,487	7,025	23,211	26,574	12,054	27,277
Caviar and roe:						
Herring	15,095	6,847	17,788	24,908	11,298	45,869
Pollock	26,746	12,132	84,714	24,780	11,240	109,451
Salmon	15,800	7,167	50,950	16,389	7,434	71,557
Sea urchin	4,656	2,112	73,589	4,938	2,240	79,286
Other	10,086	4,575	30,955	20,919	9,489	64,176
Total, caviar and roe	72,384	32,833	257,996	91,934	41,701	370,339
Prepared meals	3,508	1,591	4,238	4,310	1,955	7,218
Other fish and shellfish	15,818	7,175	12,614	21,931	9,948	12,518
Total edible products	1,663,889	754,735	2,259,727	1,961,122	889,559	2,848,548
Nonedible products:						
Meal and scrap	210,658	95,554	68,447	192,512	87,323	51,540
Fish oils	196,664	89,206	59,890	232,546	105,482	35,833
Other	-	-	6,368,938	-	-	7,106,762
Total nonedible products	-	-	6,437,385	-	-	7,158,302
Grand total	-	-	8,697,112	-	-	10,006,850

EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS EXPORTS, 1990-99 (1)

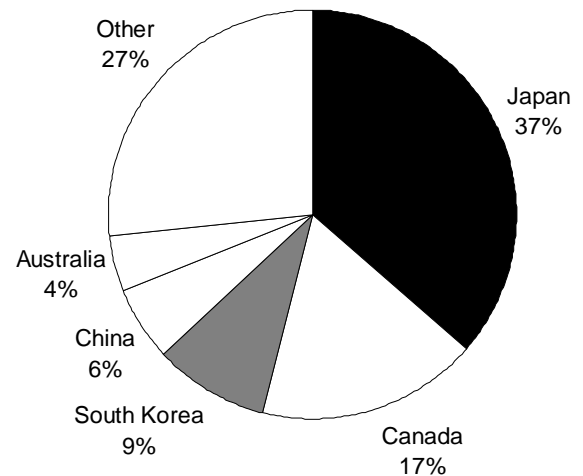
Year	Edible		-----Thousand dollars-----	Total
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons		
1990	1,947,292	883,286	2,881,262	5,965,939
1991	2,058,594	933,772	3,155,771	6,541,808
1992	2,087,606	946,932	3,465,667	7,119,632
1993	1,986,027	900,856	3,076,813	6,924,724
1994	1,978,507	897,445	3,126,120	7,380,861
1995	2,047,181	928,595	3,262,242	8,268,120
1996	2,112,055	958,022	3,032,282	8,653,451
1997	2,018,889	915,762	2,713,082	9,353,635
1998	1,663,889	754,735	2,259,727	8,697,112
1999	1,961,122	889,559	2,848,548	10,006,850

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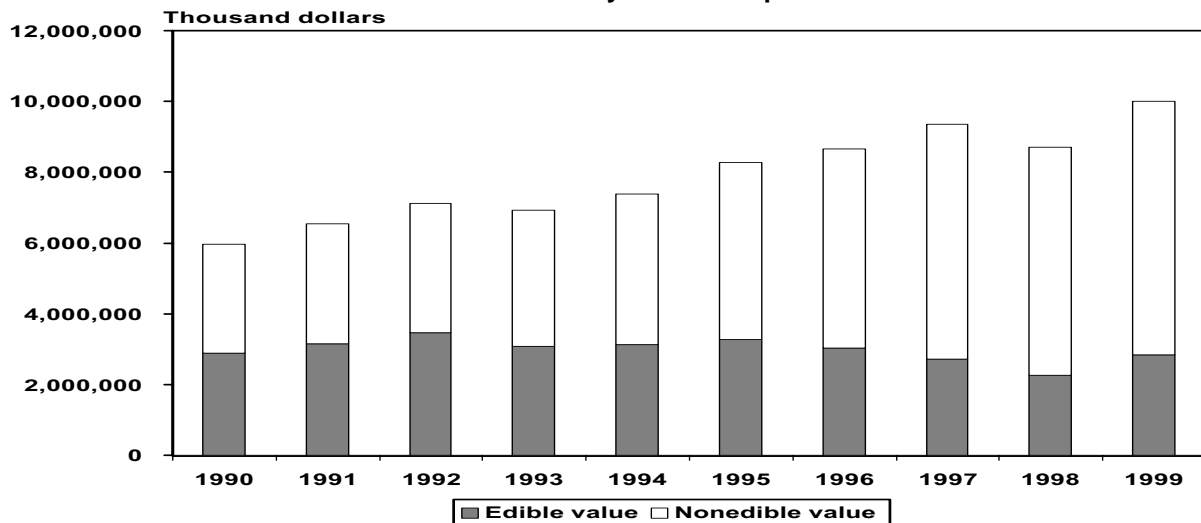
U.S. Exports to Major Areas by Volume



U.S. Exports to Major Importers by Volume, 1999



U.S. Fishery Product Exports



EDIBLE AND NONEDIBLE FISHERY PRODUCTS EXPORTS, 1999 (1)

Continent and Country	Edible		-----Thousand dollars-----	Nonedible	Total
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons			
North America:					
Canada	338,730	153,647	643,308	1,477,188	2,120,496
Mexico	29,784	13,510	47,951	716,717	764,668
Netherlands Antilles	926	420	1,440	121,949	123,389
Dominican Republic	5,170	2,345	5,558	82,781	88,339
Panama	2,881	1,307	5,256	53,325	58,581
Other	18,664	8,466	29,140	274,689	303,829
Total	396,156	179,695	732,653	2,726,649	3,459,302
South America:					
Brazil	3,794	1,721	4,187	169,522	173,709
Venezuela	6,098	2,766	2,745	67,078	69,823
Argentina	1,459	662	1,211	62,432	63,643
Colombia	1,323	600	1,357	47,939	49,296
Chile	549	249	586	43,813	44,399
Other	2,806	1,273	7,387	91,443	98,830
Total	16,030	7,271	17,473	482,227	499,700
Europe:					
European Union:					
United Kingdom	70,763	32,098	122,236	285,298	407,534
Netherlands	20,304	9,210	28,568	193,931	222,499
France	51,510	23,365	91,967	121,386	213,353
Germany	18,040	8,183	24,726	152,393	177,119
Belgium	6,975	3,164	14,595	141,457	156,052
Other	140,975	63,946	178,428	215,657	394,085
Total	308,569	139,966	460,520	1,110,122	1,570,642
Other:					
Switzerland	1,534	696	4,627	577,439	582,066
Norway	15,928	7,225	18,397	22,889	41,286
Russian Federation	7,035	3,191	9,557	5,503	15,060
Turkey	128	58	186	8,008	8,194
Estonia	675	306	510	7,508	8,018
Other	4,786	2,171	4,665	38,078	42,743
Total	30,086	13,647	37,942	659,425	697,367
Asia:					
Japan	716,036	324,792	1,170,341	726,383	1,896,724
Hong Kong	30,463	13,818	33,951	375,284	409,235
South Korea	182,078	82,590	176,878	146,266	323,144
China	111,456	50,556	92,079	72,409	164,488
Taiwan	23,016	10,440	42,014	120,522	162,536
Other	41,550	18,847	39,508	516,740	556,248
Total	1,104,599	501,043	1,554,771	1,957,604	3,512,375
Oceania:					
Australia	88,226	40,019	36,694	131,152	167,846
New Zealand	2,679	1,215	2,549	27,734	30,283
French Polynesia	1,265	574	1,227	1,360	2,587
Fiji	1,171	531	766	224	990
Fed.States of Micronesia	333	151	190	541	731
Other	1,082	491	403	1,135	1,538
Total	94,756	42,981	41,829	162,146	203,975
Africa:					
South Africa	1,175	533	884	35,360	36,244
Egypt	3,818	1,732	876	9,500	10,376
Nigeria	4,524	2,052	925	3,476	4,401
Ghana	1,345	610	599	1,046	1,645
Zimbabwe	-	-	-	1,550	1,550
Other	64	29	76	9,197	9,273
Total	10,926	4,956	3,360	60,129	63,489
Grand total	1,961,122	889,559	2,848,548	7,158,302	10,006,850

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

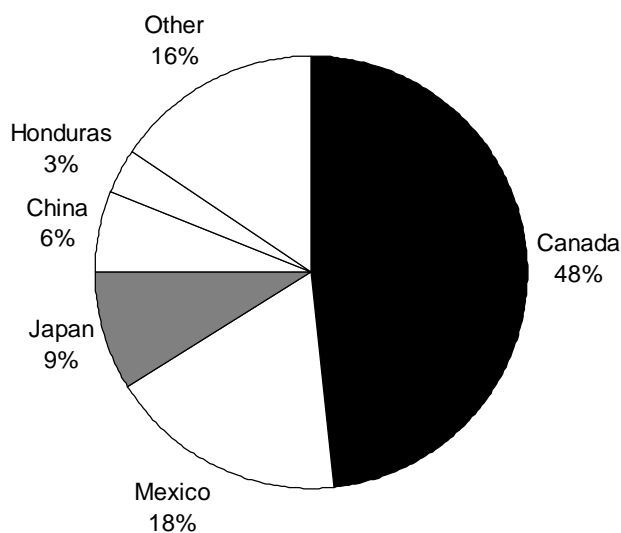
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FRESH AND FROZEN SHRIMP EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

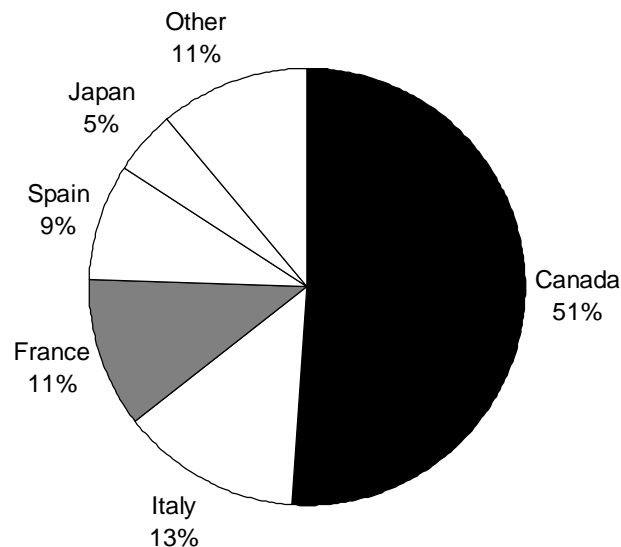
Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Canada	15,858	7,193	64,085	15,176	6,884	59,458
Mexico	8,131	3,688	23,481	6,803	3,086	21,762
Japan	1,711	776	8,813	2,403	1,090	10,990
China	1,724	782	4,697	2,478	1,124	7,269
Honduras	791	359	2,906	1,204	546	4,250
Ecuador	130	59	660	694	315	3,111
Panama	33	15	176	489	222	2,251
Taiwan	106	48	311	494	224	1,547
Bermuda	163	74	1,063	194	88	1,103
Other	3,785	1,717	15,205	2,928	1,328	11,019
Total	32,432	14,711	121,397	32,864	14,907	122,760

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

U.S. Exports of Shrimp, 1999



U.S. Exports of Lobster, 1999



FRESH AND FROZEN LOBSTER EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Canada	21,799	9,888	72,816	34,143	15,487	134,328
Italy	5,337	2,421	28,019	6,349	2,880	35,002
France	4,160	1,887	22,085	5,520	2,504	28,992
Spain	3,399	1,542	16,084	4,484	2,034	22,964
Japan	1,978	897	12,610	1,878	852	12,332
Taiwan	1,367	620	11,001	791	359	6,232
Germany	637	289	3,601	732	332	4,160
Belgium	390	177	2,131	476	216	2,756
United Kingdom	509	231	2,478	304	138	1,823
Other	3,395	1,540	16,937	2,586	1,173	14,132
Total	42,972	19,492	187,762	57,264	25,975	262,721

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

FRESH AND FROZEN SALMON EXPORTS, WHOLE OR EVISCERATED, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Japan	66,918	30,354	148,041	106,021	48,091	232,579
Canada	43,550	19,754	56,196	56,025	25,413	75,880
France	9,303	4,220	10,171	10,007	4,539	13,950
China	5,481	2,486	9,735	5,443	2,469	8,374
Germany	10,300	4,672	9,226	6,598	2,993	6,464
Denmark	2,727	1,237	2,799	4,268	1,936	5,827
Belgium	1,821	826	2,318	2,449	1,111	3,365
Netherlands	1,069	485	1,786	2,114	959	2,985
Sweden	1,629	739	1,510	2,930	1,329	2,684
Other	10,637	4,825	13,320	14,685	6,661	19,370
Total	153,436	69,598	255,102	210,542	95,501	371,478

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

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

CANNED SALMON EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
United Kingdom	31,804	14,426	66,885	54,414	24,682	97,544
Canada	27,401	12,429	43,001	29,817	13,525	54,255
Australia	7,917	3,591	15,380	10,179	4,617	16,824
Netherlands	5,236	2,375	8,689	6,122	2,777	9,632
France	1,691	767	2,899	3,435	1,558	6,388
Russian Federation	26	12	13	4,334	1,966	5,267
Belgium	677	307	1,043	935	424	1,406
South Korea	-	-	-	1,120	508	1,216
New Zealand	871	395	1,997	644	292	1,116
Other	1,828	829	3,381	2,727	1,237	4,032
Total	77,450	35,131	143,288	113,726	51,586	197,680

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

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

FROZEN SURIMI EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Japan	188,379	85,448	176,879	177,541	80,532	199,475
South Korea	42,236	19,158	48,470	72,112	32,710	77,212
France	5,234	2,374	4,644	6,762	3,067	5,356
Taiwan	6,177	2,802	5,141	6,191	2,808	5,001
Portugal	-	-	-	1,437	652	2,436
Canada	1,440	653	1,296	1,294	587	1,385
Norway	1,396	633	2,315	807	366	1,069
Netherlands	1,124	510	1,224	734	333	1,038
Russian Federation	562	255	639	1,323	600	984
Other	8,770	3,978	7,807	5,712	2,591	5,344
Total	255,317	115,811	248,415	273,913	124,246	299,300

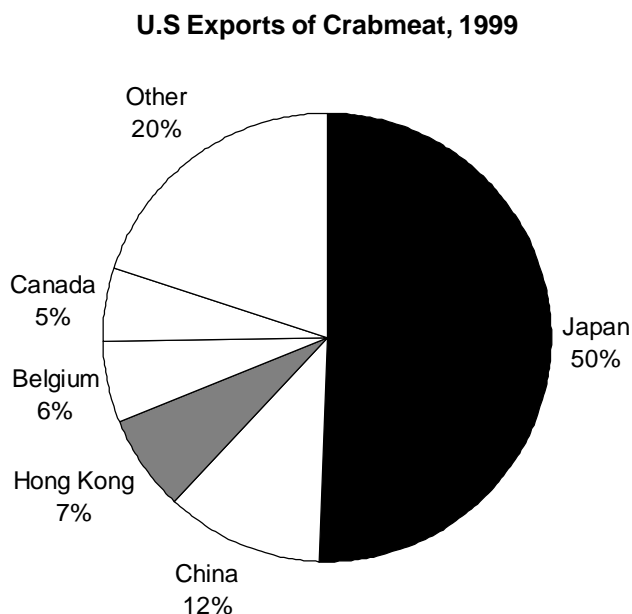
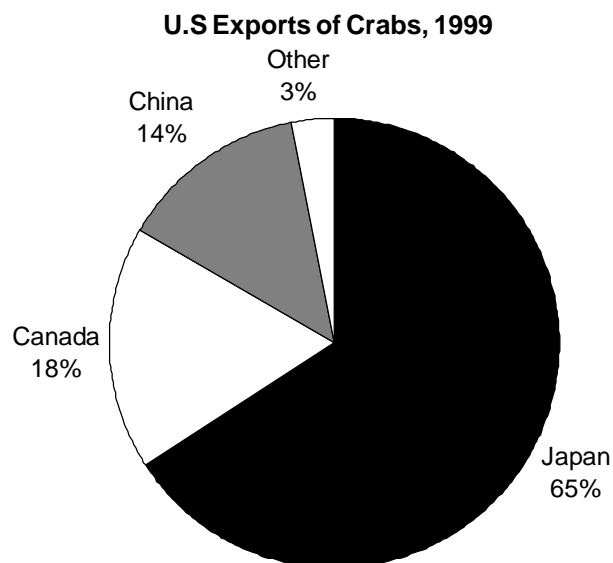
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Source:--U.S. Department of Commerce, Bureau of the Census.

FRESH AND FROZEN CRAB EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Japan	33,552	15,219	76,928	32,946	14,944	94,574
Canada	12,681	5,752	23,522	14,733	6,683	25,192
China	2,557	1,160	4,812	7,604	3,449	19,649
United Kingdom	121	55	459	203	92	713
Viet Nam	9	4	80	157	71	449
Thailand	461	209	377	192	87	420
Taiwan	11	5	38	49	22	356
Belize	31	14	83	128	58	347
France	82	37	344	97	44	326
Other	1,235	560	2,351	677	307	1,882
Total	50,739	23,015	108,994	56,784	25,757	143,908

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



FRESH AND FROZEN CRABMEAT EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Japan	882	400	1,884	2,000	907	3,948
China	370	168	515	437	198	905
Hong Kong	42	19	209	157	71	527
Belgium	2	1	3	68	31	463
Canada	73	33	257	126	57	420
Thailand	399	181	371	384	174	395
Mexico	112	51	307	128	58	212
Indonesia	-	-	-	79	36	111
Singapore	-	-	-	40	18	109
Other	1,398	634	2,022	423	192	727
Total	3,278	1,487	5,568	3,840	1,742	7,817

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

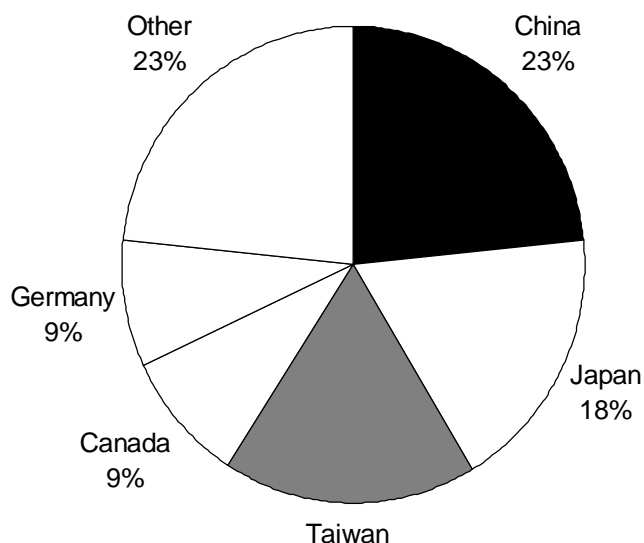
FISH MEAL EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
China	29,156	13,225	7,968	59,339	26,916	11,972
Japan	27,793	12,607	8,851	22,661	10,279	9,371
Taiwan	42,355	19,212	12,234	26,224	11,895	9,094
Canada	35,280	16,003	8,678	20,917	9,488	4,643
Germany	12,542	5,689	3,154	30,867	14,001	4,498
Mexico	7,690	3,488	5,632	10,972	4,977	2,546
Hong Kong	4,081	1,851	1,315	4,273	1,938	1,338
South Korea	3,225	1,463	1,486	2,948	1,337	1,236
Lithuania	-	-	-	1,556	706	1,086
Other	48,536	22,016	19,129	12,756	5,786	5,756
Total	210,658	95,554	68,447	192,512	87,323	51,540

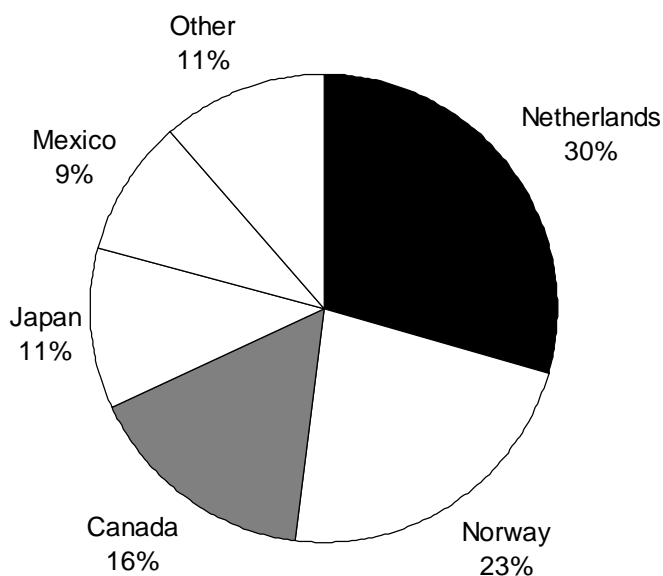
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U.S Exports of Fish Meal, 1999



U.S Exports of Fish Oil, 1999



FISH AND MARINE ANIMAL OIL EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1998 AND 1999 (1)

Country	1998			1999		
	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars	Thousand pounds	Metric tons	Thousand dollars
Netherlands	63,819	28,948	18,463	87,964	39,900	10,536
Norway	28,774	13,052	7,809	71,482	32,424	8,127
Canada	49,720	22,553	15,867	22,729	10,310	5,694
Japan	35,950	16,307	11,104	13,378	6,068	3,995
Mexico	1,858	843	478	30,346	13,765	3,375
China	2,707	1,228	1,743	2,099	952	1,856
South Korea	161	73	93	2,310	1,048	731
Hong Kong	604	274	367	661	300	469
United Kingdom	639	290	583	304	138	301
Other	12,430	5,638	3,383	1,272	577	749
Total	196,664	89,206	59,890	232,546	105,482	35,833

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

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