

FOREIGN TRADE

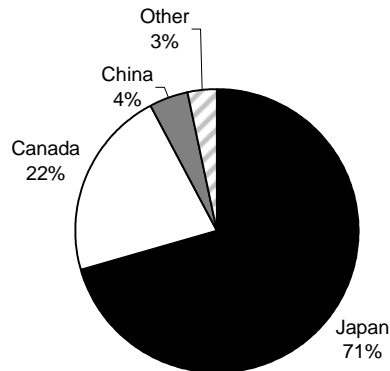
EXPORTS

FRESH AND FROZEN CRAB EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1997 AND 1998 (1)

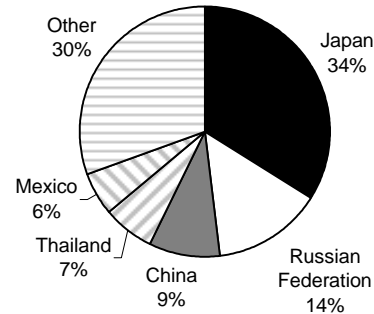
Country	1997			1998		
	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>	<u>Thousand pounds</u>	<u>Metric tons</u>	<u>Thousand dollars</u>
Japan	28,955	13,134	82,230	33,552	15,219	76,928
Canada	10,571	4,795	17,712	12,681	5,752	23,522
China	1,349	612	2,228	2,557	1,160	4,812
Hong Kong	163	74	418	441	200	551
United Kingdom	55	25	332	121	55	459
Thailand	897	407	2,658	461	209	377
South Korea	75	34	301	55	25	357
France	9	4	50	82	37	344
Belgium	49	22	313	130	59	201
Other	1,010	458	2,419	659	299	1,443
Total	43,133	19,565	108,661	50,739	23,015	108,994

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

U.S. Exports of Crab, 1998



U.S. Exports of Crabmeat, 1998



FRESH AND FROZEN CRABMEAT EXPORTS, BY COUNTRY OF DESTINATION, 1997 AND 1998 (1)

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	<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	1,497	679	3,813	882	400	1,884
Russian Federation	875	397	1,206	699	317	793
China	183	83	598	370	168	515
Thailand	-	-	-	399	181	371
Mexico	86	39	149	112	51	307
Canada	150	68	443	73	33	257
Hong Kong	159	72	459	42	19	209
Portugal	-	-	-	93	42	130
Germany	2	1	9	128	58	124
Other	448	203	1,141	481	218	978
Total	3,399	1,542	7,818	3,278	1,487	5,568

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