

The image features a dense, monochromatic blue-toned photograph of a large quantity of fish. In the foreground, a large, dark fish, possibly a salmon or trout, is partially visible, its body curving across the lower half of the frame. The background is filled with a vast number of smaller, lighter-colored fish, likely salmon or trout, piled together. The text "Data Sources" is printed in a bold, white, sans-serif font in the upper right quadrant of the image.

# Data Sources

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