

WORLD FISHERIES

WORLD COMMERCIAL CATCH OF FISH, CRUSTACEANS, AND MOLLUSKS, BY SPECIES GROUPS, 1990-94, (DOES NOT INCLUDE MARINE MAMMALS AND AQUATIC PLANTS)

Species group	1990(1)	1991(1)	1992(1)	1993(1)	1994
	-----Thousand metric tons----- Metric tons				
Carps, barbels, cyprinids.....	6,355	6,532	7,211	8,301	9,649
Cods, hakes, haddocks.....	11,603	10,298	10,464	9,892	9,709
Flatfish.....	1,225	1,105	1,175	1,117	984
Herrings, sardines, anchovies...	22,307	21,740	20,509	21,362	25,227
Jacks, mullets, sauries.....	9,761	10,387	10,518	10,103	10,095
Mackerel, snoeks, cutlassfishes.	3,530	3,461	3,426	3,989	4,416
Redfish, basses, congers.....	5,774	5,992	6,016	5,773	6,407
River eels.....	187	202	208	202	201
Salmons, trouts, smelts.....	1,493	1,695	1,482	1,701	1,805
Shads.....	663	679	705	689	672
Sharks, rays, chimaeras.....	684	704	712	727	731
Sturgeons, paddlefish.....	18	15	14	9	8
Tilapias.....	855	996	1,054	1,036	1,060
Tunas, bonitos, billfishes.....	4,412	4,513	4,506	4,577	4,576
Other fishes.....	15,848	15,524	16,185	16,921	17,395
Crabs.....	1,284	1,527	1,603	1,757	1,991
Krill.....	375	356	305	89	82
Lobsters.....	217	226	212	212	222
Shrimp.....	2,630	2,836	2,943	2,906	3,080
Other crustaceans.....	330	362	382	494	552
Abalones, winkles, conchs.....	67	71	68	84	85
Clams, cockles, arkshells.....	1,522	1,547	1,791	1,940	1,993
Mussels.....	1,331	1,307	1,332	1,310	1,206
Oysters.....	1,004	987	1,079	1,170	1,239
Scallops.....	877	847	1,051	1,462	1,634
Squids, cuttlefishes, octopus...	2,362	2,635	2,828	2,822	2,927
Other mollusks.....	843	838	952	1,112	1,181
Sea urchins, other echinoderms..	95	100	102	105	115
Miscellaneous.....	202	282	516	322	343
Total.....	97,854	97,764	99,349	102,184	109,585

(1) Revised.

Source:--Food and Agriculture Organization of the United Nations (FAO) - Yearbook of Fishery Statistics, 1994, Vol. 78, Rome.

DISPOSITION OF WORLD COMMERCIAL CATCH, 1990-94 (DOES NOT INCLUDE MARINE MAMMALS AND AQUATIC PLANTS)

Item	1990(1)	1991(1)	1992(1)	1993(1)	1994
	-----Percent of total-----				
Marketed fresh.....	23.5	23.0	27.0	29.5	28.3
Frozen.....	24.8	24.4	24.1	23.4	22.4
Canned.....	12.8	13.0	12.0	11.5	11.0
Cured.....	10.6	10.6	8.8	8.1	7.8
Reduced to meal and oil (2).....	26.7	27.3	26.3	25.7	28.8
Miscellaneous purposes.....	2	2	2	2	2
Total.....	100	100	100	100	100

(1) Revised.

(2) Only whole fish destined for the manufacture of oils and meals are included. Raw material for reduction derived from fish primarily destined for marketing fresh, frozen, canned, cured, and miscellaneous purposes is excluded; such waste quantities are included under the other disposition channels.

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