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FOREWORD

Catch Bulletins provide records of California's commercial fisheries and their value to fishermen. They also summarize the marine party boat anglers' sport catch.

This report for 1961 is the 21st in the series. Prior records have been published regularly beginning with those for 1926 and 1927. In recent years, a need for faster publication of catch statistics has made it desirable to publish annually instead of biennially.

There has been a change in the title of the bulletin series from *The Marine Fish Catch of California to The California Marine Fish Catch*.

Each wholesale fish dealer or processor completes a record in quadruplicate of all fish received. The triplicate copy of these receipts is sent to the Department of Fish and Game. Party-boat operators record each trip's catch and these records are also sent to the Department. These data are edited and subsequently processed by electric accounting machines.

Published figures are of national and international concern, but they are used primarily by fisheries scientists and legislators to manage and regulate California's important fisheries. Chambers of commerce, members of the fishing industry, educators, and others also find the catch statistics of value in meeting their respective needs.

1. EXPLANATION OF TABLES

The tables of this bulletin summarize the final 1961 records of fish mollusks, and crustaceans landed by the commercial fishing fleet in California. Records of fish caught by party-boat anglers or used for live bait are also summarized.

The tables also record imports from other states or foreign countries that are destined for processing; however, fish shipped into California to be sold in a fresh state are not recorded.

Annual landings and shipments into California are shown in Table 2 and Figure 2. Weights given are totals of all species landed or imported including deliveries to sardine reduction ships from 1930 to 1938.

The 20 leading species landed and shipped into California are ranked according to pounds and value for 1960 and 1961 in Table 3. Poundages of landings and shipments of each species for 1961 are recorded in Tables 6 to 14.

The value for each variety has been computed from prices paid to the fishermen. These are minimal values, less than wholesale, and do not reflect costs of trucking, unloading, ice, or other items. When the price paid for an individual landing is unspecified, we use the average price for that variety in that area. Tables 15 to 21 show values of each variety landed in the state by each port area.

Species caught and landed in California during 1961 are listed in Table 1, both common and scientific names are given. Some varieties are reported collectively when, for economic or other reasons, dealers are unable to provide a specific separation. For example silver and king salmon are combined as salmon because the price is based on size; for this reason, the dealers do not distinguish species.

Animal food is reported as a separate category for the first time. This grouping consists of trawl-caught fish. In prior years, dealers attempted to separate animal food landings by species. Sampling conducted by the Department's Bottomfish Investigation during 1961 showed the species composition of animal food was:

Species	Percent
Sablefish	28
Arrowtooth flounder	27
Rockfish	13
Pacific hake	12
Dover sole	7
Rex sole	5
English sole	2
30 other species	6
	100

In California, almost all fish and shellfish are landed in a round condition, an exception is salmon which is nearly always eviscerated before landing. However, the condition of fish landed by fishermen cannot always be determined, thus, landing figures are tabulated as reported to the Department's Biostatistical Unit, irrespective of condition.

When landings are reported by units of measure other than pounds, appropriate conversion factors are used to equate them to pounds. Conversion factors are determined periodically by sampling the landings at delivery points. Current conversion factors applied to eight important mollusks and crustaceans when not reported by pounds are:

Abalone, red 50 lbs. per doz.

Abalone, pink 25 lbs. per doz.

Abalone, green 35 lbs. per doz.

Clams, Mexican Pismo 8 lbs. round wt. per 1 lb. cleaned wt.

Clams, Washington 7 lbs. per doz.
Crab, market 2 lbs. each

Oyster, eastern 30 lbs. per 100 oysters Oyster, giant Pacific 50 lbs. per 100 oysters

Table 22 summarizes the party-boat angler catch from 1936 to 1961, excluding World War II years. The annual catch of the more important sport species together with the total effort expended by party-boat sport fishermen are presented. Total effort for 1960 and 1961 is reported as number of anglers; prior to 1960, angler days were used to measure total effort.

The estimated catch of live bait for ocean sport fishing is given in Table 23. These data are based on the reported catches of 14 boats.

The numbers of fishermen licensed for commercial fishing in California are given by area of residence in Table 4. The sizes of the registered fishing boats of the commercial fleet are listed in Table 5.

TABLE 1
Common and Scientific Names of Fishes, Crustaceans, and Mollusks in the 1961 Catch

Common name	Scientific name	Common name	Scientific name
	FIS	HES	
anchovy Barracuda, California.	Engraulis mordax	Shark	
Barracuda, California.	Sphyraena argentea	Basking	Cetorhinus maximus
Sass, rock		Ronito	Iourus olaucus
Kelp bass	Paralabraz clathratus	Dogfish	Squalus acanthias
Sand bass	Paralabrax nebulifer	Leopard	Squalus acanthias Triakis semi fasciata
onito, Pacific	Sarda chiliensis	Souphn	Galeorhinus zuonlerus
abezon	Scorpaenichthys marmoratus	Thresher Varying amounts of	Alopias vulpinus
abrilla, spotted	Epinephelus analogus	Varying amounts of	
arp	Cyprinus carpio	others	
roaker, white	Genyonemus lineatus	Sheephead, California.	Pimelometopon pulchrum
roaker, white Small amounts of queenfish	a	Sierra	Scomberomorus sierra
queentish	Seriphus politus	Skate	D : 1: 1/
lounder	70. 4: 141 4 71 4	Big	Kaja binoculata
Starry nounder	Platichthys stellatus	California	Raja inornala
Starry flounder Small amounts of other flatfishes		Longnose	Kaja rhina
other nathsnes	44	Smelt .	T
lounder, arrowtooth	Atherestnes stomias	Grunion	Leurestnes tenuis
roonling koln	Cypselurus sp. Hezagrammos decagrammus Mycteroperca sp.	Surf	Atherinopsis californiensis
rouner	Musteroperon en	Topsmelt	Atherinane affinis
		Smelt, whitebait	Allosmerus elonaatus
alfmoon	Medialuna californiensis	omen, winterant	Spirinchus starksi
alibut, California	Medialuna californiensis Paralichthys californicus Hippoglossus stenolepis		Young of several others
alibut, Pacific	Hinnoolossus stenolenis	Sole	Todag of several others
ardhead		Dover	Microstomus pacificus
Sacramento black-		Dover English	Parophrys vetulus
fish	Orthodon microlepidotus Mylopharodon conocephalus	Petrale	Eopsetta jordani
Hardhead	Mylopharodon conocephalus	Rex	Glyptocephalus zachirus
		Sand	Psettichthys melanostictus
ingcod	Ctupea pattasu Ophiodon elongatus Trachurus symmetricus Scomber diego	Varying amounts of	
lackerel, jack	Trachurus symmetricus	others	
fackerel, Pacific	Scomber diego	SplittailSteelhead	Pogonichthys macrolepidotus
paleve	Girella nigricans	Steelhead	Salmo gairdneri
erch ompano, Pacific	Members of family Embiotocidae	Sturgeon	Acipenser sp. Xiphias gladius
ompano, Pacific	All species of Sebastodes and	Swordfish	Xiphias gladius
ocknsn	Sebastolobus	Tuna	Thunnus alalunga
blefish	Anonlonoma funkcia	Albacore	
almon	Анорюрота утога	Bigeye	Thunnus obesus
	Oncorhynchus tshawytscha	BluefinOriental	Thunnus thynnus Thunnus orientalis
Silver	Oncorhynchus kisutch	Skipjack	Katsuwonus pelamis
anddab	Citharichthys sordidus	Yellowfin	Thunnus albacares
ardine	Sardinops caerulea	Turbot	2.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11.11
culpin a bass, giant	Scorpaena guttata	Charles	Pleuronichthys decurrens
a bass, giant	Stereolepis gigas	Diamond	Hypsopsetta guttulata Pleuronichthys verticalis
ahass, white	Cunascian nabilis	Hornyhead	Pleuronichthys verticalis
had	Alosa sapidissima	Small amounts of	
		Wahoo	Acanthocybium solandri
		Whitefish, ocean	Acanthocybium solandri Caulolatilus princeps Seriola dorsalis
		Yellowtail, California	Seriola dorsalis
	CRUST	ACEANS	
rab, market	Cancer magister	Shrimp, bay	Crago franciscorum
rab, rock	Cancer productus		Crago nigricauda
	Cancer antennarius	Shrimp, ocean Small amounts of	Pandalus jordani
destant and	Cancer anthonyi	Small amounts of	
obster, spiny	Panutirus interruptus	others	
	MOLI	USKS	
balone	MOLL	Clam—continued	
Pink	Haliotis corrugata	Piemo	Tivela stultarum
Red	Haliotis rufescens	Washington	Saridomus nuttalli
Red Green	Haliotis fulgens	Washington Octopus Mussel	Paroctopus appolluon
White	Haliotis sorenseni	Mussel	Mytilus sp.
am		Ovster	
Gaper Jackknife	Tresus nuttalli	Eastern	Crassostrea virginica
Jackknife	Tagelus californianus	Giant Pacific Squid	Crassostrea gigas

TABLE 1 Common and Scientific Names of Fishes, Crustaceans, and Mollusks in the 1961 Catch

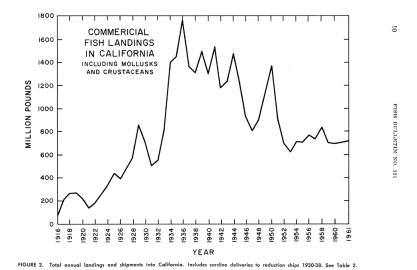


FIGURE 2. Total annual landings and shipments into California. Includes sardine deliveries to reduction ships 1930-38. See Table 2

TABLE 2

Total Annual Landings and Shipments Into California of Commercial Fish, Mollusks, and Crustaceans, Includes Sardine Deliveries to Reduction Ships During 1930 Through 1938

Year	Thousands of pounds	Year	Thousands of pounds
1916. 1917. 1918. 1919.	95,003 209,877 261,134 266,270 222,004	1941	1,529,148 1,173,414 1,234,049 1,459,446 1,216,467
1921 1922 1923 1924	135,348 182,343 253,875 340,446 437,502	1946	919,850 795,499 900,540 1,135,325 1,366,596
1926. 1927. 1928. 1929.	394,964 487,166 583,527 856,854 702,189	1951	904,088 694,977 618,899 713,406 710,714
1931	502,390 556,139 821,805 1,390,799 1,448,017	1956	772,549 738,550 832,919 713,491 694,663
1936	1,764,900 1,362,984 1,310,596 1,486,535 1,297,517	1961	725,253

TABLE 2

Total Annual Landings and Shipments Into California of Commercial Fish, Mollusks, and Crustaceans, Includes Sardine Deliveries to Reduction Ships During 1930 Through 1938

TABLE 3
Landings and Shipments of Leading Species Ranked by Pounds and Value

	1960				196L						
Species	Thousands of pounds Rank Thousands of dollars		Rank	Species	Thousands of pounds	Rank	Thousands of dollars	Rank			
Yellowin tuna Jack mackerel Skipjack Albacore Sardine	272,648 74,945 74,799 71,452 57,533	1 2 3 4 5	\$35,143 1,582 7,896 11,355 1,186	1,582 7 Jack mackerel		59,414	1 2 3 4 5	\$35,036 2,029 9,536 10,310 954	1 6 3 2 9		
Pacific mackerel	36,809 14,876 13,714 13,180 10,687	6 7 8 9	757 2,517 672 1,633 288	9 5 10 6 13	Sardine Bluefin tuna Market erab Rockfish Squid	43,169 6 22,004 7 11,711 8 10,831 9 10,286 10		1,146 2,855 1,981 587 231	8 5 7 11 16		
Dover sole	9,185 6,506 5,059 4,266 2,910	11 12 13 14 15	521 3,510 74 496 227	3,510 74 496 227 5 72 286 164 203	3,510 74 496 227 72 286 164 203 44	11 4 18 12 15	Giant Pacific oyster	10,047 8,992 8,513 7,827 7,712	11 12 13 14 15	291 4,927 218 457 110	14 4 17 12 19
Squid. Petrale sole. English sole Ocean shrimp. Pacific herring All others.	2,561 2,476 2,375 2,027 1,801 14,854	18 19 20	17 18 19 20			286 164 203 44	17 286 18 164 19 203 20 44	19 14 17 16 20	Abalone Miscellaneous (animal food) Engish sole. Petrale sole Sablefish All others.	4,554 3,777 3,646 3,391 2,030 16,575	16 17 18 19 20
Totals	694,663		\$70,338		Totals	725,253		\$74,214			

TABLE 3
Landings and Shipments of Leading Species Ranked by Pounds and Value

TABLE 4 Licensed Commercial Fishermen

	Number of fishermen by season ¹			
Area of residence	1960-1961	1961-1962		
Cureka	1,126	1,321		
acramento	91	128		
an Francisco	1,185	1,229		
fonterey	677	696		
anta Barbara	566	627		
os Angeles	2,190	2,287		
an Diego	1,506	1,589		
laska, Washington and Oregon fishermen licensed in California	565	500		
Mexican nationals licensed in California	22	43		
Other registry	23	14		
Totals	7,951	8,434		

 $^{^{\}mbox{\tiny 1}}$ The season is from April 1 to March 31.

TABLE 4 Licensed Commercial Fishermen

TABLE 5

Number of Fishing Boats by Length

Season ¹	Up to 24 feet	25 to 39 feet	40 to 64 feet	65 to 84 feet	85 to 99 feet	100 feet and over	Total
1960-1961	694	1,620	1,052	135	48	100	3,6492
1961-1962	830	1,725	1,048	123	44	102	3,8723

Number of Fishing Boats by Length

 $^{^1}$ The season is from April 1 to March 31. 2 The owners of 530 boats were issued fishing party licenses in 1960-61. 3 The owners of 544 boats were issued fishing party licenses in 1961-62.

TABLE 6
Origin of Shipments of Fresh Fish Into California During 1961

		Pounds shinne	d to each area		
Shipped from:		- ounus sinppo	u to cacii area		
Species	Eureka	San Francisco	Los Angeles	San Diego	Total pounds
Continental United States:					
Salmon		7,780	24,145		24,145
ShadSturgeon			2,700 18,260		10,480 18,260
Sucker			166,440		166,440
Oregon, Washington, Canada and Alaska:					
Halibut, Pacific			6,840		6,840
Sablefish			246,054		246,054
Salmon	1,111	F.000	328,422		329,533
ShadSmelt		5,989	129,299 4,080		135,288 4,080
Steelhead			1,563		1,563
Sturgeon			16,229		16,229
Miscellaneous			48,590		48,590
Mexico and Central America:					
White, seabass			2,776		2,776
Shark			42,679		42,679
Tuna, albacore		378,220	3,216,092	75.050	3,594,312
Tuna, bluefin			428,592	75,650 3,074,404	504,242
Tuna, skipjack Tuna, vellowfin		142,310	850,442 4,899,395	3,874,238	3,924,846 8,915,943
		112,010	1,000,000	0,01,,200	0,010,010
Mollusk:					
Clam, jackknife			940,400	242	242
Clam, Pismo			940,400	2,442	940,400 2,442
				2,112	2,112
South America:		23,330			00.000
Tuna, albacore Tuna, skipjack		20,000	6,395,517	10,185,523	23,330 16,581,040
Tuna, yellowfin			890,002	7,114,113	8,004,115
				.,,	0,000,000
Japan:			168,000		160 000
Sablefish Tuna, albacore		2,437,510	22,427,515	1,626,945	168,000 26,491,970
Tuna, bigeye		182,480	278,916	1,020,940	461,396
Tuna, oriental		90,190	60,725		150,915
Tuna, skipjack		174,370	664,516		838,886
Tuna, yellowfin		16,758,125	32,581,371	2,244,749	51,584,245
Australia:					
Tuna, bluefin		514,970	102,413		617,383
China (Formosa):				,	
Tuna, albacore		62,730			62,730
Tuna, yellowfin		499,344	489,546		988,890
Africa:					
Tuna, albacore		118,665			118,665
Tuna, yellowfin		963,013			963,013
Total pounds	1,111	22,359,026	75,431,519	28,198,306	125,989,962

TABLE 6
Origin of Shipments of Fresh Fish Into California During 1961

TABLE 7
Origin of Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1961

		Landin				
Species	California waters	Waters north of State	Waters south of State	Total pounds	Shipments1	Grand total
Fish:						
Anchovy. Barracuda, California. Bonito, Pacific Cabezon. Cabrilla, spotted	7,711,573 478,362 8,439,400 4,952		231,017 73,572 11,071	7,711,573 709,379 8,512,972 4,952 11,071		7,711,573 709,379 8,512,972 4,952 11,071
Carp	338,550 889,164 295,598 60,659 32,802	19,739		338,550 889,164 315,337 60,659 32,802		338,550 889,164 315,337 60,659 32,802
Greenling, kelp Grouper Hake, Pacific Halfmoon Halibut, California	3,275 5,907 545,472		202,271 109,082	881 202,271 3,275 5,907 654,554		881 202,271 3,275 5,907 654,554
Halibut, Pacific Hardhead Herring, Pacific Lingcod Mackerel, jack	3,947 99,266 1,401,248 1,361,726 97,606,304	78,217		3,961 99,266 1,401,248 1,439,943 97,606,304	6,840	10,801 99,266 1,401,248 1,439,943 97,606,304
Mackerel, Pacific	44,110,194 2,337 118,245 11,265		160 2,584	44,110,194 2,337 118,245 11,425 2,584		44,110,194 2,337 118,245 11,425 2,584
Rockfish Sablefish Salmon Sanddab Sardine	10,324,292 1,562,897 8,637,907 558,057 43,169,064	166,728 53,531 4,907	339,742 100 	10,830,762 1,616,528 8,637,907 562,964 43,169,064	414,054 353,678	10,830,762 2,030,582 8,991,585 562,964 43,169,064
Sculpin Sea bass, giant Seabass, white Shad Shark	26,718 12,509 458,491 610,122		327,854 235,733 13,850	26,718 340,363 694,224 623,972	2,776 145,768 42,679	26,718 340,363 697,000 145,768 666,651
Sheephead, California Sierra Skate Smelt Smelt, whitebait	9,651 299,317 491,265 335,852		2,951 782 	12,602 782 299,317 491,265 335,852	4,080	12,602 782 299,317 495,345 335,852
Sole, Dover Sole, English Sole, petrale Sole, rex Sole, sand	6,716,070 3,415,573 3,158,923 1,161,485 76,028	1,110,547 230,345 231,816 47,344 1,102		7,826,617 3,645,918 3,390,739 1,208,829 77,130		7,826,617 3,645,918 3,390,739 1,208,829 77,130
Sole, miscellaneous Splittail. Steelhead Sturgeon Swordfish	34,484 738 360,643		8,212	34,484 738 368,855	1,563 34,489	34,484 738 1,563 34,489 368,855
Tuna, albacore	20,594,360 13,762,432 578	143,709	8,385,175 7,120,218 65,402,282	29,123,244 20,882,650 65,402,860	30,291,007 461,396 1,121,625 150,915 21,344,772	59,414,251 461,396 22,004,275 150,915 86,747,632
Tuna, yellowfin. Turbot. Wahoo. Whitefish, ocean. Yellowfail, California. Miscellaneous. Miscellaneous (animal food)	71,367 8,447 80,689 1,496 3,455,392	321,741	191,854,056 9,294 16,744 300,080 418	191,854,056 71,367 9,294 25,191 380,769 1,914 3,777,133	70,456,206 215,030	262,310,262 71,367 9,294 25,191 380,769 216,944 3,777,133

TABLE 7
Origin of Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1961

TABLE 7—Continued
Origin of Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1961

		Landin				
Species	California waters	Waters north of State	Waters south of State	Total pounds	Shipments ¹	Grand total
Crustacean: Crab, market	151,782 412,453	102	6,269	11,711,327 151,782 418,722 2,050 2,002,709		11,711,327 151,782 418,722 2,050 2,002,709
Mollusk: Abalone	5,823			4,553,766 220 5,823 1,976	242 940,400	4,553,766 220 6,065 940,400 1,976
Mussel Octopus Oyster, eastern Oyster, giant Pacific Squid	3,065 105,726	40	===	3,105 105,726 10,047,550 10,285,791	2,442 	2,442 3,105 105,726 10,047,550 10,285,791
Total pounds	322,200,110	2,409,882	274,653,517	599,263,509	125,989,962	725,253,471

¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 6.

TABLE 7
Origin of Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1961

TABLE 8

Monthly Landings and Shinments Into California During 196

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Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
LANDINGS: Fish:													
Anchovy. Barracuda, California. Bonito, Pacifie Cabezon. Cabrilla, spotted.	436,420 64,094 689,699 797 5,398	804,980 88,372 1,305,874 499 1,730	690,135 36,202 160,794 561 2,595	56,350 83,269 305,038 115 48	497,890 99,801 18,668 897	300,769 33,119 97,158 547 1,300	560,030 63,777 278,462 17	1,561,102 54,710 824,974 155	1,163,911 15,459 646,637 104	624,726 91,134 711,892 250	720,000 33,598 849,349 249	295,260 45,844 2,624,427 761	7,711,573 709,379 8,512,972 4,952 11,071
Carp Croaker, white Flounder Flounder, arrowtooth Flyingfish	69,880 38,336 22,617 2,130	32,945 124,789 26,302 2,574	39,035 111,844 12,523 1,860	26,898 60,520 10,629 10,403	24,093 131,830 2,368 5,317 55	21,182 140,584 15,805 3,032 13,131	23,246 95,956 7,331 10,830 12,331	16,050 56,935 47,490 6,806 7,115	18,139 42,652 61,025 13,577 170	27,695 57,289 62,539 3,525	27,360 19,128 19,186 404	12,027 9,301 27,522 201	338,550 889,164 315,337 60,659 32,802
Greenling, kelp	32,926 2,405 1,454 58,014	33,237 20 53,872	36,783 170 53,956	86 58,539	17,736 27,555	9,635 39,452	200 645 35 66,694	16 74,530	497 20 60,030	110 171 44,326	74 11,219 40,535	60,004 700 4,191 77,051	881 202,271 3,275 5,907 654,554
Halibut, Pacific Hardhead Herring, Pacific Lingcod Mackerel, jack	20,400 741,229 34,069 2,189,366	2,870 74,090 36,217 3,732,948	19,785 965 58,608 1,920,623	9,500 139,735 71,958 3,154,612	9,750 111,314 189,827 5,810,469	445 2,475 73,162 172,122 8,996,824	1,218 175 24,559 219,998 3,962,327	1,549 300 317,757 3,705,384	98 1,781 2,479 133,174 9,682,147	7,417 100 89,799 20,837,609	14 16,103 1,685 59,257 20,234,025	9,010 231,630 57,157 13,379,970	3,961 99,266 1,401,248 1,439,943 97,606,304
Mackerel, Pacific Opaleye Perch Pompano, Pacific Rock bass	777,289 814 6,342 3,914	937,708 8,692 1,089 435	807,017 17,785 274 853	8,833,387 36,756 975 1,026	5,569,506 -72 203	1,042,098 1,389	3,414,198 9,243 765 185	2,581,163 65 15,072 431	2,868,607 4,879 378	6,380,870 6,363 1,295 85	7,134,672 12 6,147 483	3,763,679 1,446 6,894 229	44,110,194 2,337 118,245 11,425 2,584
Rockfish Sablefish Salmon Sanddab Sardine	1,112,573 174,283 36,015 184,965	839,790 129,972 22,260 358,612	971,102 196,913 39,799 478,670	1,009,121 96,516 534,863 22,671 569,070	1,075,812 77,412 1,792,163 53,670 503,920	1,079,967 72,515 1,887,440 47,320 521,323	954,984 93,930 2,108,346 69,974 492,472	881,332 156,080 1,920,831 57,043 1,356,480	683,680 136,108 394,264 61,281 16,658,742	806,583 186,359 54,804 8,399,059	735,719 189,848 54,322 8,084,851	680,099 106,592 43,805 5,560,900	10,830,762 1,616,528 8,637,907 562,964 43,169,064
Seulpin Sea bass, giant Seabass, white Shark Sheephead, California	1,438 15,854 52,392 42,223 1,003	1,584 26,236 38,922 29,303 993	1,495 26,067 50,823 30,992 529	2,578 19,901 22,260 35,853 100	631 16,945 30,781 52,726 523	1,738 11,319 96,446 78,024 618	1,446 18,066 51,383 64,346 987	4,289 22,826 98,569 45,094 1,617	3,504 24,483 54,670 51,933 1,288	2,046 46,600 86,239 55,030 2,215	2,682 36,148 63,893 58,559 1,255	3,287 75,918 47,846 79,889 1,474	26,718 340,363 694,224 623,972 12,602

TABLE 8
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1961

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Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
LANDINGS—Continued: Fish—Continued:														
Sierra. Skate. Smelt. Smelt, whitebait. Sole, Dover.	14,090 7,243 17,624 189,145	782 13,087 79,978 47,241 242,333	22,819 28,070 62,203 481,920	35,986 29,470 98,082 792,137	52,230 27,000 26,574 1,126,050	38,061 52,938 34,779 871,022	38,917 85,113 36,368 878,562	11,896 69,936 5,631 1,064,258	13,757 60,927 1,033 693,175	25,150 41,321 679,838	14,900 6,371 435 668,613	18,424 2,898 5,882 139,564	782 299,317 491,265 335,852 7,826,617	
Sole, English Sole, petrale Sole, rex Sole, sand. Sole, miscellaneous	210,716 405,600 140,111 6,421 4,736	188,966 102,784 87,427 7,098 3,552	350,340 188,791 87,450 832 4,684	302,102 244,062 119,417 1,024 3,277	283,023 288,293 102,569 635 3,183	306,006 266,265 82,331 5,531 2,741	207,531 344,856 77,803 2,378 3,529	300,006 464,457 122,870 2,870 2,976	421,782 225,643 116,306 3,195 1,462	435,148 245,587 115,830 9,489 1,524	249,455 299,137 101,660 9,971 1,015	390,843 315,264 55,055 27,686 1,805	3,645,918 3,390,739 1,208,829 77,130 34,484	E TOTAL TOO
Splittail. Swordfish. Tuna, albacore. Tuna, bluefin. Tuna, skipjack.	329 2,061 718,606	134 216 667,136	166 332,042	998,190	74,173 7,665,104	42,562 35,603 589,596 3,473,265	101,083 8,298,969 3,768,708 11,039,793	168,468 10,033,657 7,128,403 6,691,798	53,343 7,269,237 8,448,753 7,679,890	3,399 3,302,651 715,667 9,961,557	183,127 26,430 10,674,914	109 128,643 5,500,565		DO LINE THE REAL PROPERTY.
Tuna, yellowfin. Turbot. Wahoo. Whitefish, ocean. Yellowfail, California. Miscellaneous. Miscellaneous (animal food).	20,429,491 8,650 3,004 4,936 7 113,457	20,178,537 4,037 1,822 11,522 30 54,077	36,229,025 1,835 6,688 9,602 163 86,790	18,691,293 3,688 2,402 1,465 23,067 208 337,073	26,909,006 2,019 1,233 3,600 473 532,907	14,898,900 4,650 6,892 1,408 50,311 435 491,749	7,675,274 5,646 168,299 51 460,851	8,865,342 6,001 400 10,927 18 579,544	7,819,950 5,332 29,877 297,376	8,376,975 9,180 2,035 32,293 105 358,669	9,802,412 7,195 3,385 26,105 123 344,348	11,977,851 13,134 3,751 10,230 301 120,292	191,854,056 71,367 9,294 25,191 380,769 1,914 3,777,133	AC. ISI
Crustacean: Crab, market. Crab, rock Lobster, spiny Sbrimp, bay. Shrimp, ocean	7,488 52,244	2,801,668 4,435 39,991 105	758,337 4,821 21,295	1,026,290 11,042	714,273 11,892	160,907 14,965 295,162	9,320 20,912 389,225	19,127 762,657	17,136 830 315,985	11,931 162,607 470 239,680	254,994 14,697 85,333 275	2,070,231 13,336 57,252 370	11,711,327 151,782 418,722 2,050 2,002,709	
Mollusk: Abalone. Clam, gaper Clam, jackknife. Clam, Washington Octopus.	263,343 40 77 344 154	20 269 501 119	99,997 343 541 167	547,128 536 402	381,449 641	530,200 40 772 232	540,551 80 930	458,362 20 969	478,110 669 140 145	449,048 386 48 271	332,428 20 107 415	473,150 124 472	4,553,766 220 5,823 1,976 3,105	

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Oyster, giant Pacific Squid	1,239,656 491,760	1,068,470 1,114,030	1,055,141 195,115	498,755 309,375	429,808 43,187	283,969 365,980	304,708 1,122,584	411,267 313,440	7,973 633,389 1,016,865	19,913 1,384,881 525,950	7,500 1,484,320 1,360,365	10,800 1,253,186 3,427,140	10,047,550
Total pounds	35,074,079	35,446,057	45,803,785	39,256,723	54,810,063	37,675,361	48,197,563	51,317,849	68,397,997	65,697,733	64,360,827	53,225,472	599,263,509
SHIPMENTS: ¹ Fish:													
Halibut, Pacific Sablefish Salmon Scabass, white Shad	40,000	24,160 2,700	41,000 35,174	19,000 17,137	1,601	1,440 52,468 1,169 53,433	36,919 5,097 20,254	611 2,776	5,400 76,625 20,692	20,042 148,196 40,000	61,442	168,000 7,780	6,840 414,054 353,678 2,776 145,768
Shark Smelt Steelhead Sturgeon Tuna, albacore	5,964,581	12,208 10,313 3,378,867	5,588 1,223 3,563,915	2,837,502	10,569 10,727 1,493,401	4,080 1,563 5,058 604,647	3,668 483,522	2,880 535,203	10,600 2,327,708	3,500 3,346,657	2,861,595	2,893,409	42,679 4,080 1,563 34,489 30,291,007
Tuna, bigeye. Tuna, bluefin Tuna, oriental Tuna, skipjack Tuna, yellowfin Miscellaneous	80,190 313,884 7,235,923 10,335	103,870 3,630,521 630	1,370,149 6,208,227 26,300	61,850 4,776 5,666,744 32,455	643,431 5,719,913 11,000	3,884,238 5,475,421 60,810	100,383 304,443 2,764,600 5,376,413 34,800	160,147 557,970 5,524,435 8,042,851	20,630 237,771 561,197 4,600,904	21,441 1,421,188 5,813,546	9,584 19,890 1,230,552 6,195,728	50,835 3,522,452 6,490,015 38,700	
Mollusk: Clam, jackknife. Clam, Pismo. Mussel	32,640	25,200			56 315	262,888	186 144,392 400	311,440 765	650	100	163,840 212		242 940,400 2,442
Total pounda	13,677,553	7,188,469	11,251,576	8,639,464	7,891,013	10,407,215	9,275,911	15,139,078	7,862,177	10,814,670	10,562,843	13,279,993	125,989,962
Grand total	48,751,632	42,634,526	57,055,361	47,896,187	62,701,076	48,082,576	57,473,474	66,456,927	76,260,174	76,512,403	74,923,670	66,505,465	725,253,471

¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 6.

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TABLE 9

Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Eureka Area During 1961

				.,										
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
LANDINGS FROM: California waters: Fish:				- 4										
Cabezon Flounder Flounder, arrowtooth Halibut, California Halibut, Pacific	18,328	8,233 529	1,927 1,200	5,734 10,123	15 503 4,817 607	7,409 2,047 445	1,615 8,520 1,218	18,052 5,271 216 1,549	46,063 13,577 98	53,784 3,525	15,594 404	5,639 201	15 182,881 50,214 216 3,917	FISH B
Herring, Pacific Lingcod Perch Rockfish Sablefish	9,315 3,911 132,645 34,137	5,549 2,610 100,346 11,185	18,767 5,496 124,278 21,777	35,202 20,496 228,273 23,346	84,979 204,844 43,581	73,790 177,018 33,817	70 97,929 7,146 190,227 34,470	225,945 10,792 322,811 60,312	59,519 2,329 131,388 53,877	39,281 3,025 109,315 88,717	24,816 2,306 161,979 84,003	9,251 2,840 67,558 37,146	70 684,343 60,951 1,950,682 526,368	BULLETIN
Salmon. Sanddab. Shark Skate Smelt.	6,350 1,100	9,455 614	6,522 1,085	292,797 7,041 18,400 4,184	526,546 4,574 35,930 22,630	655,546 15,958 23,920 47,991	1,308,622 10,359 185 21,110 78,211	1,216,489 17,777 40 1,612 57,106	134,901 5,289 54,819	5,824 146 220 25,630	78	1,900	4,134,901 98,607 1,136 101,270 296,882	N NO. 121
Smelt, whitebait Sole, Dover. Sole, English Sole, petrale. Sole, rex	106,212 260,362	46,053 28,238 88,932 37,988 19,629	61,806 79,982 56,275 38,546 16,565	95,804 341,242 143,262 77,326 67,115	22,824 817,984 97,433 93,093 58,625	32,075 648,580 132,065 96,906 53,014	33,244 693,301 72,765 121,856 53,848	5,595 830,408 99,532 230,148 72,832	740 521,401 137,613 81,456 54,408	557,264 202,794 101,530 56,173	500,670 99,295 63,605 45,913	102,382 32,125 171,785 26,247	307,247 5,168,706 1,268,303 1,374,601 556,920	_
Sole, sand	335	1,643 100 65 20,252	128 52,412	665 345 173,601	423,155	2,271 340,967	11,311 56 334,251	592,045 606 418,871	567,670 2,452 162,505	268,976 2,074 201,050	535 622 224,620	191 119 47,891	7,642 435 1,440,002 7,594 2,439,150	
Crustacean: Crab, market Crab, rock Shrimp, ocean		2,614,009	701,493	984,997	673,285 20	159,909 75 295,162	9,320 389,225	15 762,657	315,985	239,680		1,781,429	10,573,639 110 2,002,709	

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Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Eureka Area During 1961

Grand total	5,468,830	3,927,631	2,123,090	3,353,765	3,723,213	3,319,510	3,947,537	5,668,437	3,111,881	3,325,317	2,658,395	3,288,439	43,916,045
Total pounds						500		611					1,111
PMENTS: Fish: Salmon						500		611					1,111
Total pounds			55,440	390,810	261,268	328,819	239,778	389,456	230,151	162,368	208,329		2,266,419
Mollusk: Octopus										40			40
Crustacean: Crab, market				74		28							102
Sole, sand Tuna, albacore Miscellaneous (animal food)			3,656	61,110	37,702	513 44,847	18 54,550	230 246 34,098	22,641	341 25,119	38,018		1,102 246 321,741
Sanddab Sole, Dover Sole, English Sole, petrale Sole, rex			170 17,179 2,583 4,239 2,982	172 270,361 10,468 10,851 7,784	560 160,111 8,333 18,558 3,307	1,566 166,877 38,264 31,340 7,347	839 111,517 6,228 25,510 3,020	466 115,124 67,496 92,341 9,688	477 59,099 73,576 29,442 5,908	560 81,912 19,774 11,038 3,624	97 128,367 3,623 8,497 3,684		4,907 1,110,547 230,345 231,816 47,344
Vaters north of State: Fish: Flounder Halibut, Pacifie Lingcod Rockfish Sablefish			774 21,103 2,754	3,684 13,132 13,132	7,048 20,466 5,173	1,762 10,776 19,995 5,504	15,783 18,547 3,766	11,342 18,776 35,886 3,763	4,558 16,872 14,443 3,135	1,915 4,226 8,618 5,201	110 14 278 14,538 11,103		19,739 14 78,217 166,728 53,531
Total pounds	5,468,830	3,927,631	2,067,650	2,962,955	3,461,945	2,990,191	3,707,759	5,278,370	2,881,730	3,162,949	2,450,066	3,288,439	41,648,515
Clam, Washington Octopus Oyster, giant Pacific	344 37 1,115,100	501 931,700	541 878,850	432,600	346,500	126 191,100	228,900	89 327,600	140 535,500	48 100 1,203,300	26 1,213,800	1,001,700	1,976 378 8,406,650

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TABLE 10 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Area Duirng 1961

	Monthly	Lanuings	anu Sinpin	61113 01 00	miniciciai	11311 11110	the oun in	unorsoo A	rou Duning					
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
LANDINGS FROM: California waters: Fish:														FISH
Anchovy Cabezon Carp Croaker, white Flounder	69,880 84	32,945 15 6,265	39,035 29 6,935	26,898 10 4,500	60 24,093 315 1,775	21,182 110 6,623	3,450 23,246 395 3,770	16,050 140 18,018	18,139 760	48,500 27,695 325 5,880	27,085 380 2,722	100 11,152 1,495 20,235	229,570 160 337,400 4,058 88,538	BULLETIN
Flounder, arrowtooth Hake, Pacific Halibut, California Halibut, Pacific Hardhead	9,911	3,194	565 140 363 19,785	280 295 9,500	500 259 30 9,750	985 1,293 2,475	2,310 2,683	1,535 3,111	984	784 7,417	4,590 16,103	700 22,583 9,010	10,350 3,245 50,050 30 99,266	TIN NO.
Herring, Pacific Lingcod Mackerel, jack Perch. Rockfish	13,455	14,548	115 16,540 10,192 226,724	22,184 4,961 240,686	76,459 25 264,004	63,630 216,543	84,107 555 32 152,598	160	45,916 816 100 165,014	25,346 460 178,475	624	223,130 16,955 400 654 98,104	1,039,894 445,212 20,809 23,422 2,221,752	121
Sablefish Salmon Sanddab Seabass, white Shark	75,316 21,715 2,003	10,895	147,806 30,790 1,250	55,255 167,335 12,715 31	10,615 907,098 41,215	23,445 1,029,816 21,370 19 1,462	12,451 722,802 45,755 2,210	50	67,820 223,975 33,845 6,461 20,202	75,725 29,260 12,368 27,980		36,636 40,110 9,159 43,563	672,640 3,701,733 346,566 30,866 130,246	
Skate	1,190	2,935 1,014	10,675 18,550 183 374,434 42,205	10,600 17,821 2,278 161,436 46,069	12,540 2,581 3,750 135,594 102,085	10,130 2,734 2,704 42,847 82,783	8,250 2,708 3,124 53,164 90,625	36 82,889	102,730	14,630 2,464 32,072 145,010	773 435 36,265		130,195 58,168 15,994 1,404,981 1,303,973	

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Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Area During 1961

Grand total	4,467,075	2,541,775	3,209,214	2,767,626	3,760,672	2,797,328	2,556,391	4,218,609	4,012,079	3,825,016	3,599,063	3,685,377	41,440,225
Total pounds	2,476,679	1,624,430	2,092,640	1,819,350	1,951,819	1,119,862	1,120,010	1,775,870	1,007,180	2,425,061	2,622,725	2,323,400	22,359,026
Tuna, yellowfin	1,758,879	724,820	1,743,700	1,608,070	1,493,348	996,809	917,980	1,405,550	63,950 916,570	60,270 2,053,211	50,150 2,528,235	2,215,620	174,370 18,362,792
Tuna, oriental Tuna, skipjack	80,190						202,030	312,940			10,000		514,970 90,190
Tuna, bigeye Tuna, bluefin				61,850			000.000		20,630	311,380	31,310	100,000	182,480
Fish: Shad Tuna, albacore	637,610	899,610	348.940	149.430	1,601 456,870	4,388 118,665		57,380	6.030	311,580	34,340	7,780	13,769 3,020,455
HIPMENTS:2									.,,	-,,	,	-,,	
Total pounds	1,990,396	917,345	1,116,574	948,276	1,808,853	1,677,466	1,436,381	2,442,739	3,004,899	1,399,955	976,338	1,361,977	19,081,199
Abalone Octopus Oyster, eastern Oyster, giant Pacific	1,575 25 9,100 28,456	8,775 27,220	1,200 150 5,850 28,191	2,100 7,475 28,080	1,075 110 8,060 33,958	3,125 62 7,150 48,969	950 866 6,500 40,233	975 65 6,630 48,142	1,833 145 7,973 53,489	4,650 100 19,913 60,731	4,350 340 7,500 57,570	2,275 472 10,800 76,536	24,108 2,447 105,726 531,575
Mollusk:													
Crustacean: Crab, market Shrimp, bay	253,636	172,510 105	51,011	29,702	21,907	350			830	470	250,912 275	285,491 370	1,065,519 2,050
Miscellaneous (animal food)	24,375	5,300	900	33,515	21,420	11,905	19,150	15,520	33,645	30 14,895	30 4,440	2,120	90 187,185
Tuna, albacore	7,295	2,855	1,835	1,780	1,930	4,650	361 5,590	1,101,501 5,395	1,737,208 2,880	538,657 7,106	54,562 6,573	13,015	3,432,289 60,904
Sole, sand. Sole, miscellaneous. Splittail.	4,565 329	3,320 134	690 225 166	345	535 1,135	2,747 70	2,360 36	2,400 525	3,195 182	8,655 643	9,436	27,495 179 109	65,733 2,995 738
Sole, petraleSole, rex	93,472 80,810	32,411 43,313	38,490 41,560	37,761 24,664	91,705 34,100	48,942 19,345	127,665 18,260	64,278 25,472	69,137 48,835	74,579 35,135	101,007 32,547	36,722 10,512	816,169 414,553

1 Includes Sacramento area landings.

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TABLE 11
onthly Landings of Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Area During 19(

		lullilly Lai	iuings of c	ommercia	i risning	Boats in ti	ie montere	ey Area Di	uring 1961				
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
LANDINGS FROM: California waters: Fish: Anchovy	187,170	442,725	39,600	6,550	16,050	10,870	315,520	1,362,320	770,841	246,676	352,890	36,300	3,787,512
Bonito, Pacific Cabezon Croaker, white Flounder		358 48,697 8,702	300 59,120 1,922	20,111	752 20,295	547 48,470	17 10,653 1,946	5,266 78	104 8,475 99	236 11,235 960	212 5,483 753	564 144 1,619	3,768 238,138 18,760
Flounder, arrowtooth Greenling, kelp. Halibut, California. Herring, Pacific. Lingcod.		580 355 7,044	95 47 850 10,868	139,735 5,815	111,314 18,085	73,162 18,350	4,690 24,489 13,912	352 300 7,936	711 2,479 8,811	110 670 100 13,796	43 387 14,351	1,384 23,697	352,784
Mackerel, jack		2,380 380 99 759 221,554	263,983 639 49 387,193	2,150 100 10,257 142 315,849	15,875 40 350,076	10,518 130 	10,597 	7,410 6,500 58 155 217,581	105,685 3,285 	3,210,447 1,310 228,218	20,360 431 1 226,609	53 69 261,369	1,256
Sablefish Salmon Sanddab Sardine Seabass, white	7,950 28,900	55,489 1,870	22,761 2,317 40	3,428 73,548 2,565	16,188 357,442 7,128	9,436 128,520 8,266 190	43,148 54,773 12,863 22,592 70	21,025 33,773 11,406 264,765 62	11,035 6,521 21,635 508,375 4,463	16,371 19,100 254,460 6,388	57,744 15,107 30,360 1,162	31,567 1,777 282	654,577 111,984 1,109,642

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Shark Skate Smelt. Smelt, whitebait Sole, Dover	5,179 1,865 1,535 8,335	2,869 4,469 602 174 110	10,492 1,570 214 4,070	6,595 3,550 4,792	3,750 211 7,630	2,229 3,915 1,803 11,185	7,568 9,557 3,844 13,085	1,148 3,712 10,078 9,535	5,431 2,812 1,986 293 7,480	4,824 10,178 6,854 1,175	4,376 5,047 542 520	4,583 2,513 890 3,595 60	38,977 64,905 33,465 12,611 59,642	
Sole, English	4,250 1,265 11,223 1,349	9,636 2,587 8,455 3,406	22,119 7,482 9,042 2,311	14,900 12,783 5,238 634	18,685 11,157 2,015	16,200 8,105 1,978 266	12,630 7,780 2,325	20,673 9,262 4,098 240 177	26,700 18,865 5,210	33,002 18,625 5,133 412	15,658 10,238 8,552 603	12,262 3,290 7,186	206,715 111,439 70,455 240 11,012	
Swordfish Tuna, albacore Miscellaneous (animal food)		===	747				50,574	522,270 525	451 1,099,070 8,155	198,120	1,716	290	1,871,750 9,717	
Crustacean: Crab, market	4,079	3,542	1,400	185							3,835	2,998	16,039	
Mollusk: Abalone Clam, gaper Octopus Squid.	40	20 	 40	246,700	41,335	40 44 338,330	250 80 1,117,264	20 313,440	1,002,250	31 247,560	20 292,635	433 86,730	683 220 75 3,686,284	
Grand total	572,967	827,189	849,941	875,743	998,128	976,507	2,005,304	2,834,165	3,867,250	4,535,991	1,069,635	485,130	19,897,950	-

TABLE 11—Cont'd.

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					TABLE	12								
	Mon	thly Landir	ngs of Con	nmercial F	ishing Boa	ts In the	Santa Barl	bara Area	During 19	61				
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Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
LANDINGS FROM: California waters:														
Fish:														
AnchovyBarracuda, California	23,126	3,395 41.320	3,630	48,615	1,800	3,000 512	4,100	10,650	1,950 12,683	21.879	1.475	29,235 1,131	54,130 154,371	
Bonito, Pacific	1,265	1,639	47	177	300			271	391	2,575	2,639	12,285	21,589	
Cabezon	118	141	261	106	70	85	100	155 156	10	14	37 36	97 647	1,039	15
							100	100	10		30		-,	Ď
Flounder Greenling, kelp		3,102	1,739	353	80	11	200		497		7 31	29	5,419 728	b
Hake Pacific			30										30	ē
Halibut, CaliforniaLingcod	17,077 5,394	23,265 9,024	19,954 11,659	21,059 5.073	15,401 3,256	19,226 5,538	15,296 8,267	17,485 6,300	5,628 2,056	3,845 7,108	8,154 12,540	25,284 7,254	191,674 83,469	ATTOG
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Mackerel, jack	9,000	141,900	362,900	306,402 38,100	457,000 12,000	126,100	862,814 29,500	41,300	1,130,549 60,600	2,821,590 31,600	4,090,370 1,668,740	3,749,985 586,840	14,794,841 2,477,680	- 1
Perch	300	908	1,404	944			2,026	3,932	2,175	1,094	2,255	2,122	17,160	2
Rockfish.	342,468	278,802	102,677	107,960	165,728	25 277,225	303,784	151,065	92,641	213,082	122,547	162,969	2.320,948	á
Sablefish		2,360	1,665	1,355	,						,		-,,-	
Salmon		2,000	1,000	1,183	1,855 1,077	100 60,477	95 22,140	965 19.822	225 28,838	325		905	12,643 133,537	- 6
Sanddab	20,750	25,300	82,400	178	115	100	135	******					568	
Sardine	20,730	23,300	82,400	143				562,070	3,065,460	1,309,800	2,660,355	856,155	8,582,290 143	
		137		506	380	330								
Sea bass, giant	18,682	10,424	14,254	5,311	4,859	11,380	415 8,771	79 9,905	9,389	27 1,573	138 3,724	3,207	2,173 101,479	
Shark. Sheephead, California		1,851 168	2,431	13,269	11,953	16,584	15,261	9,688	7,094	3,385	5,418	7,508	98,615	
Skate	125	338	73 1.548	391	10	38 96	206		75				1,076 2,624	
Smelt	1		,,,,,,	-	10	170		299						
		5,025	6,255	14,306	18 4,731	1,533	7,495	26,302	153 2,465	26 7,415		1.080	962 82,741	
Sole, English	18.585	31,775 29,798	227,158 100,034	87,403 105,341	56,487 73,780	36,694	25,283	37,937	25,633	34,568	16,329	38,730	636,582	
Sole, rex	15,527	29,798 16.030	17,301	105,341	73,780 4.522	80,972 647	62,045	68,428	26,743 1 945	39,815 15,765	115,790	103,467	856,714 119,557	

TABLE 12
Monthly Landings of Commercial Fishing Boats In the Santa Barbara Area During 1961

Sole, sand	140	2,135	241	14	100		1						2,413	
Sole, miscellaneous Swordfish	3,052	19	2,123	1,519	152	404 1,687	260 6,155	31 39,916	13,276	156 2,318	31	151	7,898 63,352	
Tuna, albacore					15		106,047	166,860	279,976	122,655	204		675,742 15	
Turbot	100	1,117		1,563	89								2,869	
Whitefish, ocean				1,000				45		2722			45	
Yellowtail, California	35 7	1,374			64 55	21 234	133		3,104	2,439	619		7,789 296	
Miscellaneous (animal food)	49,507	28,525	29,075	68,847	50,630	94,030	52,900	110,530	70,430	117,605	77,270	69,991	819,340	
Crustacean: Crab. market	8,395	11,607	4,433	11,332	19,081	620					247	313	56,028	2
Crab, rockLobster, spiny	13.754	222 8.791	276 3.565	5,120	6,484	6,511	8,161	10,109	9,852	8,035 26,070	10,987 14,270	11,633 12,114	77,438 78,564	MARINE
Mollusk:	10,101	9,101	0,000							=0,010	23,210	2-,111	10,001	Ę
Abalone	169,988		57,568 17	423,341	287,234	381,904	371,298	290,883	338,026	291,075	197,962	336,215	3,145,494 17	
Oyster, giant Pacific	96,100	109,550	148,100	38,075	49,350	43,900	35,575	35,525	44,400	120,850	212,950	174,950	1,109,325	FISH
Squid	125,100	675,800								10,000	347,325	1,412,840	2,571,065	Ħ
Total pounds	1,745,273	1,465,882	1,202,601	1,322,602	1,228,681	1,170,154	1,948,812	1,631,499	5,236,280	5,216,689	9,586,588	7,618,435	39,373,496	Ç
Waters north of state:														ATCH
Tuna, albacore								6,193					6,193	
Total pounds								6,193					6,193	HOH
Waters south of state:														ž
Tuna, albacore							1,878						1,878	196
Total pounds							1,878						1,878	-
Grand total	1,745,273	1,465,882	1,202,601	1,322,602	1,228,681	1,170,154	1,950,690	1,637,692	5,236,280	5,216,689	9,586,588	7,618,435	39,381,567	

TABLE 12—Cont'd.

					TABLE	13							
	Monthl	y Landings	and Ship	nents of C	ommercia	l Fish Into	the Los A	Angeles Ar	ea During	1961			
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
ANDINGS FROM: California waters: Fish:													
Anchovy	249,250 10,300 685,490	358,860 27,535 1,301,824	650,535 10,170 160,507	49,800 30,119 304,802	480,040 80,984 16,244	286,899 30,532 91,201	236,960 62,636 243,353	184,132 29,374 778,429	217,500 1,928 638,357	329,550 18,197 705,006	367,110 9,809 844,800 275	229,725 2,606,251 875	3,640,361 311,584 8,376,264 1,150
Croaker, white	38,043	75,958	52,592	40,360	111,215	91,919	84,762	50,442	32,974	45,185	12,996		643,461
Flyingfish Halfmoon Halibut, California Herring, Pacific Lingcod	1,454	7,192 52	19,780	29,411	4,506	13,131 3,561	12,331 35 1,819	7,115 16 9,504	170 20 10,283	171 9,040	7,224	4,191 12,696 8,500	32,802 5,907 127,695 8,500
Mackerel, jack Mackerel, Pacific Opaleye Perch Pompano, Pacific	1,442,611 768,289 814 258	3,588,668 933,549 653 330	1,293,740 801,598 40 225	2,846,060 8,781,641 25 833	5,337,594 5,554,616 47 163	8,860,206 1,037,367	3,088,361 3,384,035	3,678,925 2,532,704 65 130 276		14,805,572 6,309,544 474 1,295	16,123,295 5,462,614 12 531	9,629,585 3,176,444 1,446 1,225	79,139,714 41,544,624 2,337 3,658 9,984
Rockfish. Sablefish. Salmon. Sanddab. Sardine.	54,007	40,525 333,312	29,128 50 396,270	52,446 569,070	24,496 78 503,920	32,439 213 13,081 60 517,133	18,044 9 23 469,880	17,700 40 20 529,645	39,441 16 29 35	24,115 20 40 6,834,799		29,651 338	385,681 837 13,159 312
Seulpin	12,289	221 556 10,367 13,934 167	632 799 15,939 24,447 184	820 227 8,566 14,092 71	631 1,024 24,757 27,007 186	575 1,319 62,298 47,619 65	1,121 612 37,368 29,248 29	2,388 141 60,073 23,555 906	283 2,693 15,486 14,656 799	72 331 8,059 13,433 829	55 167 4,410 26,397 233	28 313 1,067 15,119 290	7,837 8,284 266,702 261,796 3,852
Skate Smelt Sole, miscellaneous Swordfish Tuns, albacore	3,418	75,790 27	104 6,865 21	3,908 31	1,580	240 214 38,541	350 88,231 4,067,165	22 10 619 106,798 3,611,988	20 392 25,362 1,917,895	122 6,347 78 408 1,288,030	1,376 331 68,303	30 1,880	323 101,744 1,713 259,340 10,953,381
Tuna, bluefin Tuna, skipjack Whitefish, ocean Yellowtail, California	979	1,537 2,565	2,462 5,333	475 3,237	947 48 2,433	51,174 888 7,037	1,851,390 2,649	3,489,385 	7,734,327 578 8,965	590,324 5,068	12,520 1,170 2,472	743 3,791	13,730,067 578 8,375 48,013

TABLE 13
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Area During 1961

Crustacean: Crab, rock Lobster, spiny	7,252 25,628	4,213 19,064	4,545 9,688	5,922	5,388	8,379	12,751	9,003	7,284	3,632 78,895	3,046 42,250	1,703 21,718	73,118 197,243	
Mollusk: Abalone. Octopus. Squid.	44,450 92 366,660	438,230	11,725 195,075	50,549 62,675	65,611	99,836 27,650	135,823 5,320	132,474	99,198 14,615	131,449 268,390	116,091 49 720,405	115,025 1,927,570	1,002,531 148 4,026,590	
Total pounds	3,840,789	7,235,181	3,692,617	12,855,348	12,243,850	11,325,151	13,835,121	15,258,762	35,116,174	31,478,500	29,246,574	22,502,283	198,630,350	
Waters south of State: Fish: Barracuda, California Bonito, Pacific Cabrilla, spotted Grouper Halibut, California	30,620 5,398 26,967	14,605 604 1,730 31,733	19,775 2,595 36,783		9,705 17,736	5,515 1,300 9,635	34,218 645	23,995 31,799		49,715	18,770 11,219 80	40,460 55,265 45	207,645 72,136 11,023 189,983 125	MARIN
Pompano, Pacific	20,769	435 24,862 19,667	853 24,403 100 23,160	12,920	10,647	45,884 8,455	60 16,842	20,515	230 21,149	85 17,573 42,767	15,882 32,630	160 25,369 69,158	160 1,373 198,599 100 300,551	E FISH
Seabass, white Shark Sierra Tuna, albacore Tuna, bluefin	2,061	15,347 2,355 643 216	-		73,211	835 9,493 538,303	509,860 1,905,568	9,005 456,509 3,452,017	14,261 1,855 30,944 472,998	30,030 2,852 33,376 116,288	6,897	4,991 733 128,643	80,531 8,630 643 1,040,182 6,689,305	CATCH I
Tuna, skipjack. Tuna, yellowfin Wahoo. Whitefish, ocean Yellowtail, California Miscellaneous.	466,631 19,841,795 1,790 2,395	186,408 16,598,712 285 6,474	249,026 33,205,332 2,778 1,150	485,590 15,883,952 2,402 990 19,748	4,301,899 24,082,964 495 418	2,632,874 12,198,013 6,892 250 25,800	9,117,465 5,257,639 163,439	5,184,911 7,113,931 3,910	6,448,374 6,702,684 3,575	7,263,943 5,591,389 395 8,250	8,423,337 7,885,341 320 12,402	4,403,382 9,672,787 1,553 5,530	49,163,840 164,034,539 9,294 8,856 252,673 418	FOR 1961
Crustacean: Lobster, spiny		3,887	2,382										6,269	
Total pounds	20,413,479	16,907,963	33,568,337	16,423,912	28,509,920	15,483,249	17,005,736	16,296,592	13,696,070	13,156,663	16,406,878	14,408,076	222,276,875	

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Monthly Landings and Shinments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Area During 199

Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Area During 1961														
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
SHIPMENTS: California waters: Fish: Halibut, Pacific Sablefish Salmon Seabass, white Shad	40,000	24,160 2,700	41,000 35,174	19,000 17,137		1,440 52,468 669 49,045	36,919 5,097 20,254	2,776	5,400 76,625 20,692	20,042 148,196 40,000	61,442	168,000	6,840 414,054 352,567 2,776 131,999	FISH BU
Shark	5,326,971	12,208 10,313 2,255,233	5,588 1,223 2,170,889	2,433,529	10,569 10,727 1,036,531	4,080 1,563 5,058 485,982	834 3,668 483,522	2,880 477,823	10,600 2,321,678	3,500 3,035,077	2,722,963	2,893,409	42,679 4,080 1,563 34,489 25,643,607	BULLETIN
Tuna, bigeye Tuna, bluefin Tuna, oriental Tuna, skipjack Tuna, yellowfin Miscellaneous		103,870 2,905,701 630	1,253,821 2,396,982 26,300	3,332,575 32,455	643,431 3,602,793 11,000	519,628 3,211,659 60,810	100,383 102,413 1,376,313 3,710,342 34,800	3,272,391	237,771 422,628 3,426,936	21,441 272,508 2,830,128	9,584 9,890 3,166,313	8,802 50,835 1,050,337 3,376,043 38,700	278,916 531,005 60,725 7,910,475 38,860,314 215,030	NO. 121
Mollusk: Clam, Pismo	32,640	25,200				262,888	144,392	311,440			163,840		940,400	
Total poundsGrand total	9,038,397	5,340,015 29,483,159	5,930,977 43,191,931	5,834,696 35,113,956	5,315,051 46,068,821	4,655,290 31,463,690	6,018,937 36,859,794	6,664,776 38,220,130	6,522,330 55,334,574	6,370,892 51,006,055	6,154,032 51,807,484	7,586,126	75,431,519 496,338,744	

¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 6.

TABLE 13
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Area During 1961

TABLE 14
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Area During 1961

monthly candings and simplicants of commercial rish into the San Diego Area During 1901														
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
ANDINGS FROM: California waters: Fish:														
Barracuda, California Bonito, Pacific Cabezon	48 2,944 10	3,249 1,807	1,056 240	1,268 59	2,916 2,124	2,075 442	1,141 885	516 14,475	7,093	3 4,226	1,730	135 5,516	12,407 41,541 10	
Croaker, white Halibut, California	17,287	119 19,641	103 11,599	7,774	7,363	15,256	46 3,539	931 19,600	433 23,731	544 16,233	233 9,600	14,257	2,468 165,880	
Lingcod Mackerel, Pacific Perch	45	3,779	5,419 14	13,546 73	2,890	4,601	663	659	2,499	17 39,726	3,318	395	77,495 87	
Roekfish Sanddab	31,550	38,059	34,088	29,736	13,309	21,961	5,552	6,810	4,696	11,605 20	6,861	12,978	217,205 20	
Sardine Sculpin Sea bass, giant Seabass, white Shark	43,620 427 489 7,777 11,837	1,363 174 2,361 4,842	863 1,564 1,229	1,615 10 1,117 8,492	523 945 13,496	4,000 1,163 210 22,749 9,295	325 16 3,113 9,087	1,901 449 3,475 3,313	3,221 37 1,234 2,526	1,974 29 1,005 1,978	2,627 43 509 6,514	3,259 72 189 6,743	47,620 18,738 2,052 46,038 79,352	
Sheephead, California	373	658 37	122	29 7 1,093	1,896	515 1,787 2,334 35	3,043 3,895 140,776	1,624 16,344 264,844	47 699 14,254 1,069,416	699 235 673 687,783	371 50 58,342	1,130	4,723 44 10,431 37,500 2,221,196	
Tuna, bluefin	16	599	32	82	397	119 17,453	417 2,078	14,002 27 692	17,812 1,334	975 75	1,229		32,350 27 24,887 80	
Crustacean: Crab, rock Lobster, spiny	188 12,862	8,249	5,660			::::				264 57,642	664 28,813	23,420	1,116 136,646	
Mollusk: Abalone Clam, jackknife Squid	47,330 77	269	29,504 343	71,138 536	27,229 641 1,852	45,335 772	32,230 930	34,030 969	39,053 669	21,874 386	14,025 107	19,202 124	380,950 5,823 1,852	
Total pounds	176,900	85,206	91,840	136,614	75,758	150,102	208,338	384,661	1,188,754	847,966	135,041	87,420	3,568,600	
Waters north of state: Fish:														
Tuna, albacore										137,270			137,270	
Total pounds										137,270			137,270	

TABLE 14
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Area During 1961

TABLE 14—Continued

Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Area During 1961

Monthly Landings and Simplicents of Commercial Fish into the San Diego Area During 1901													20	
Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
LANDINGS FROM—Continued: Waters south of state: Fish:														
Barracuda, California Bonito, Pacific Cabrilla, spotted		1,663	1,571	3,267 	6,196			825	848 796	1,340 85	3,544 180	4,118 375 4,739	23,372 1,436 48 12,288	
GrouperHalibut, California	5,959 40	1,504	2,213		26		38,667	24,262	18,693	13,754	10,500	802	108,957	
Rock Bass. Rockfish. Sea bass, giant. Seabass, white. Shark.	13,543 65 5,113	9,589 5,702	21,508 2,108 19,026 965	1,026 8,119 848 7,128	22,242 2,173 220	5,094 1,005	185 1,330 181 2,061 787	277 1,642 15,999	588 3,376 169	15,582 3,446 26,816 432	21,758 3,170 46,512 1,227	22,101 6,375 28,951 1,640	1,211 141,143 27,303 155,202 5,220	
Sheephead, California		139	150		160	26,075	2,802 3,410,997 11,333	711 5,410 3,311,201 172,999	567,058 223,616	687 27,784 9,055	651 13,910		2,951 139 8,212 7,343,115 430,913	
Tuna, skipjack Tuna, yellowfin Whitefish, ocean Yellowtail, California	251,975 587,696 235 819	480,728 3,579,825 510	83,016 3,023,693 1,448 3,087	512,600 2,807,341 	3,363,205 2,826,042 690 706	840,391 2,700,887 270	1,922,328 2,417,635	1,506,887 1,751,411 255 3,533	1,230,938 1,117,266 12,899	2,697,614 2,785,586 1,640 15,561	2,251,577 1,917,071 1,895 9,383	1,097,183 2,305,064 1,455 909	16,238,442 27,819,517 7,888 47,407	
Total pounds	865,445	4,079,660	3,158,785	3,340,463	6,221,660	3,573,722	7,808,456	6,795,412	3,176,689	5,599,382	4,281,378	3,473,712	52,374,764	
SHIPMENTS:¹ Fish: Tuna, albacore Tuna, bluefin Tuna, skipjack Tuna, yellowfin	313,884 1,848,593	224,024	1,044,086 116,328 2,067,545	254,543 4,776 726,099	623,772	3,364,610 1,266,953	1,388,287 748,091	75,650 3,256,496 3,364,910	74,619 257,398	1,088,410 930,207	104,292 1,180,402 501,180	2,472,115 898,352	1,626,945 75,650 13,259,927 13,233,100	
Mollusk: Clam, jackknife Mussel				::::	56 315	::::	186 400	765	650	100	212		242 2,442	
Total pounds	2,162,477	224,024	3,227,959	985,418	624,143	4,631,563	2,136,964	6,697,821	332,667	2,018,717	1,786,086	3,370,467	28,198,306	
Grand total	3,204,822	4,388,890	6,478,584	4,462,495	6,921,561	8,355,387	10,153,758	13,877,894	4,698,110	8,603,335	6,202,505	6,931,599	84,278,940	

¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 6.

TABLE 14
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Area During 1961

TABLE 15

Value of Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California by Area, 1961

Barraeuda, California. \$3,741 \$54,162 \$1,943 \$50,237 \$50,237 \$78,300 \$4, Bonito, Paeific	7,711, \$110, 709, 661, \$106, 977, \$,512, 278, \$218, 10, 4, \$1, \$1, 4, \$1, 4, \$1, 4,
Fish: Anchovy	779 709, 661 \$106, 977 8,512, 278 \$218, 10 4,
Fish: Anchovy	779 709, 661 \$106, 977 8,512, 278 \$218, 10 4,
Barraeuda, California. \$3,741 \$54,162 \$1,943 \$50,237 \$50,237 \$78,300 \$4 \$1,943 \$50,237 \$1,944,400 \$4,250 \$1,944,400 \$4,2	779 709, 661 \$106, 977 8,512, 278 \$218, 10 4,
Barracuda, California.	779 709, 661 \$106, 977 8,512, 278 \$218, 10 4,
Cabeson. 15 160 3,768 999 Cabrilla, spotted	977 8,512, 278 \$218, 10 4, \$1 8
Cabeson. 15 160 3,768 999 Cabrilla, spotted	278 \$218, 10 4, \$1 \$
Cabrilla, spotted	\$1 8
Cabrilla, spotted	48 11
Carp	
Croaker, white \$15,283 \$55 4,059 238,138 1,039 843,461 2, \$219 \$12,311 \$77 \$25,719 \$ Flounder \$202,820 88,538 18,760 \$5,419 \$ \$9,946 \$4,595 \$1,885 \$452 \$ Flounder, arrowtooth \$0,214 10,350 95	\$9 \$1, 338,
Flounder 202,620 88,538 18,760 5,419 \$12,311 \$77 \$25,719 \$ \$0,946 \$4,595 \$1,885 \$452 Flounder, arrowtooth . 50,214 10,350 95	\$15,
Flounder, arrowtooth 50,214 10,350 95	468 889 248 \$38
Flounder, arrowtooth 50,214 10,350 95	315,
	\$16, 60,
	\$2,
	32, \$3,
Greenling, kelp 153 728	
Grouper \$6 \$44 189,983 12,	288 202.
\$41,055 \$1,	884 \$42,
	3,
Halfmoon 5.907	5,
Halibut, California 216 50,050 9,957 191,674 127,820 274,	837 854,
\$43 \$10.000 \$2.452 \$42.973 \$33.118 \$62.	114 \$150,
	3,
Hardhead 99,266	99,
	\$19, 1,401,
\$7 \$8.629 \$22.085 \$425	\$31.
Lingcod 762,560 445,212 148,497 83,469 143 \$52,766 \$28,849 \$14,048 \$7,871 \$16	62 1,439, \$5 \$103,
Mackerel, jack	97,606,
Mackerel, Pacific \$1,092 \$85,107 \$281,102 \$1,661,935 10,395 2,477,680 41,544,624 77,	\$2,029, 495 44,110,
\$269 \$49.802 \$901.518 \$2.	906 \$954,
Opaleye	2, \$
Perch 60,951 23,422 12,967 17,160 3,658	87 118.
	\$10 \$18, 11,
\$774 \$6 \$2,159	\$2.
	211 2, 252 \$
Rockfish	348 10,830,
	486 \$586, 1,616,
\$45,578 \$20,649 \$18,501 \$779 \$115	\$85.
	8,637, \$4,697
Sanddab	\$4,697, 20 562,
Sardine \$8,187 \$22,145 \$7,368 \$34 \$64 \$64 \$7,109,642 \$8,582,290 \$33,429,512 \$47,	\$4 \$37,
\$33,845 \$242,878 \$865,824 \$3,	443 \$1,145,
Sculpin	738 26, 766 \$7,
Sea bass, giant 2.173 308.835 29.3	355 340.
Seabass, white 30,866 13,406 101,479 347,233 201,	744 \$56, 240 694,
\$9.146 \$3.687 \$31.204 \$115.559 \$56.9	992 \$216.
\$62 \$4.942 \$2.210 \$8.325 \$34.731 \$9.3	
Sheephead, California 1,076 3,852 7,	674 12,
Sierra	310 S
\$19	\$17 :
\$59 \$1 522 \$909 \$130 \$33	299, \$2, 44 491,
Smelt	44 491.

TABLE 15 Value of Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California by Area, 1961

TABLE 15—Continued

Value of Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California by Area, 1961

Species	Eureka	San Francisco ¹	Monterey	Santa Barbara	Los Angeles	San Diego	Total
LANDINGS—Continued: Fish—Continued:				,			
Smelt, whitebait	307,247	15,994	12,611				335,852
Sole, Dover	\$21,352 6,279,253	\$1,927 1,404,981	\$1,946 59,642	82,741			\$25,225 7,826,617
Sole, English	\$375,498 1,498,648	\$73,200 1,303,973	\$2,946 206,715	\$4,965 636,582			\$456,609 3,645,918
-	\$111,047 1,606,417	\$94,668	\$15,153	\$39,786			\$260,654
Sole, petrale	\$183,291	816,169 \$96,880	111,439 \$13,306	856,714 \$95,609			3,390,739 \$389,086
Sole, rex	604,264 \$42,056	414,553 \$26,946	70,455 \$3,601	119,557 \$7,246			1,208,829 \$79,849
Sole, sand	8,744	65,733	240 \$29	2,413 \$265			77,130
Sole, miscellaneous	\$919 435	\$6,672 2,995	11,012	7,898	1,713	10,431	\$7,885 34,484
Splittail	\$21	\$185 73 8	\$1,036	\$481	\$135	\$2,487	\$4,345 738
Swordfish		\$258	451	63,352	259,340	45,712	\$258 368,855
		3.432,233	\$180	\$26,702 683,813	\$115,666 11,993,563	\$19,670 9,701,581	\$162,218 29,123,244
Tuna, albacore	\$234,328	\$615,751	1,871,750 \$302,662	\$108,863	\$2,172,034	\$1,755,016	\$5,188,654
Tuna, bluefin				15 \$2	20,419,372 \$2,646,350	463,263 \$58,695	20,882,650 \$2,705,047
Tuna, skipjack					49,164,418 \$5,432,668	16,238,442 \$1,787,852	65,402,860 \$7,220,520
Tuna, yellowfin					164,034,539	27,819,517	191,854,056
Turbot	7,594	62.934		2.869	\$20,815,983	\$3,613,755	\$24,429,738 71,367
Wahoo	\$750	\$3,514		\$147	9,294		\$4,411 9,294
					\$3,249		\$3,249
Whitefish, ocean				45 \$3	17,231 \$861	7,915 \$613	25,191 \$1,477
Yellowtail, California				7,789 \$547	300,686 \$21,197	72,294 \$6,007	\$1,477 380,769 \$27,751
Miscellaneous		90		296	1,448	80	1,914
Miscellaneous (animal food)	2,760,891 \$55,216	\$11 187,185 \$3,239	9,717 \$153	\$27 819,340 \$16,387	\$335	\$4	\$377 3,777,133 \$74,995
	\$33,210	\$0,200	\$100	\$10,007			\$11,000
Crustacean: Crab, market	10,573,741	1,065,519 \$262,971	16,039 \$4,629	56,028 \$14,130			11,711,327 \$1,980,928
Crab, rock	\$1,699,198 110	\$202,971	44,029	77,438	73,118	1,116	151,782
Lobster, spiny				\$4,173 78,564	\$7,926 203,512	\$32 136,646	\$12,131 418,722
Shrimp, bay		2,050		\$51,318	\$142,925	\$89,476	\$283,719 2,050
		\$267					\$267
Shrimp, ocean	2,002,709 \$190,055						2,002,709 \$190,055
Mollusk:							
Abalone		24,198 \$4,390	683 \$128	3,145,494 \$462,373	1,002,531 \$104,060	380,950 \$35,992	4,553,766 \$606,943
Clam, gaper			220			400,002	220
Clam, jackknife			\$22			5,823	\$22 5,823
Clam, Washington						\$2,480	\$2,480 1,976
	\$279			17	148		\$279
Octopus	418 \$8	2,447 \$93	75 \$8	17 \$4	\$32		3,105 \$145
Oyster, eastern		105,726 \$5,107					105,726 \$5,107
Oyster, giant Pacific	8,406,650	531,575		1,109,325			10,047,550
Squid	\$210,166	\$58,154	3,686,284	\$22,187 2,571,065	4,026,590	1,852	\$290,507 10,285,791
			\$129,020	\$34,195	\$68,049	\$74	\$231,338
Total pounds Total value	43,914,934 \$5,496,415	19,081,199 \$3,634,125	19,897,950 \$1,270,361	39,381,567 \$1,770,628	420,907,225 \$35,703,328	56,080,634 \$7,565,871	599,263,509 \$ 55,440,728

TABLE 15 Value of Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California by Area, 1961

TABLE 15—Continued Value of Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California by Area, 1961

Species	Eureka	San Francisco ¹	Monterey	Santa Barbara	Los Angeles	San Diego	Total
SHIPMENTS:2							
Fish:			1		1		1
Halibut, Pacific					6,840		6,840
Sablefish					\$3,038 414,054		\$3,038 414,054
Datienan					\$90,719		\$90,719
Salmon	1,111				352,567		353,678
~	\$403				\$228,547		\$228,950
Seabass, white					2,776		2,776
Shad		13,769			\$694 131,999		\$694
onau		\$27,538			\$15,919		145,768 \$43,457
Shark		427,000			42,679		42,679
					\$6,486		\$6,486
Smelt					4,080		4,080
0. 11. 1					\$734		\$734
Steelhead					1,563		1,563
Sturgeon					\$391 34,489		\$391
Sturgeon					\$22,332		34,489 \$22,332
Tuna, albacore		3,020,455			25,643,607	1,626,945	30,291,007
z ana, aroacore		\$495,657			\$4,346,591	\$279,184	\$5,121,432
Tuna, bigeye		182,480			278,916	4210,101	461,396
		\$39,014			\$35,841		\$74,855
Tuna, bluefin		514,970			531,005	75,650	1,121,625
Tuna, oriental		\$74,671			\$65,792	\$9,456	\$149,919
Tuna, oriental		90,190 \$14,494			60,725 \$9,910		150,915
Tuna, skipjack		174,370			7,910,475	13,259,927	\$24,404 21,344,772
runa, sarpjaca		\$23,470			\$830,600	\$1,461,244	\$2,315,314
Tuna, yellowfin		18,362,792			38,860,314	13,233,100	70,456,206
		\$3,239,197			\$5,615,315	\$1,752,062	\$10,606,574
Miscellaneous					215,030		215,030
					\$62,535		\$62,535
Mollusk:							l
Clam, jackknife						242	242
Ciam, jackkine						\$96	\$96
Clam, Pismo					940,400		940,400
,					\$21,629		\$21,629
Mussel						2,442	2,442
						\$180	\$180
Total pounds Total value	1,111 \$403	22,359,026 \$3,914,041			75,431,519 \$11,357,073	28,198,306 \$3,502,222	125,989,962 \$18,773,739
GRAND TOTAL POUNDS. GRAND TOTAL VALUE.	43,916,045 \$ 5,496,818	41,440,225 \$7,548,166	19,897,950 \$1,270,361	39,381,567 \$1,770,628	496,338,744 \$47,060,401	84,278,940 \$11,068,093	725,253,471 \$74,214,467

TABLE 15

Value of Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California by Area, 1961

Includes Sacramento area landings.
 For origin of shipments refer to Table 6.

TABLE 16
Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Eureka Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
EUREKA AREA TOTALS	\$5,496,818	43,916,045
Eureka		
Salmon	\$712,041	1,382,438
Market crab Giant Pacific oyster	453,602 210,166	2,822,666 8,406,650
Albacore	150,943	927,739
Dover sole	147,409	927,739 2,465,036
Petrale sole	56,226	492,779
Ocean shrimp	50,042	527,318
English sole	32,628	440,337
RockfishRex sole	19,186 17,851	458,614 256,480
	.	
Miscellaneous (animal food) Sablefish	10,856 8,510	542,843 108,278
Flounder	6,365	129,646
Lingeod	6,257	90,420
Smelt	6,171	119,606
Whitebait	5,339	76,825
All other	8,561	176,647
Totals	\$1,902,153	19,424,322
Crescent City		
Market crabSalmon	\$1,049,358 709,560	6,529,921 1,382,776
Ocean shrimp	51,260	540,153
Albacore	17,524	107,708
Lingcod	5,455	78,841
WhitebaitAll other	5,188 6,957	74,660 88,198
Totals	\$1,845,302	8,802,257
Fort Bragg		
Salmon	\$684,047	1,304,377
Ocean shrimp	75,893 69,953	799,722 1,169,783
Albacore	65,206	400,775
Albacore Petrale sole	45,057	394,891
Market crab	41,060	255,513
Rockfish	28,309	643,968
Sablefish	23,043	293,176
LingcodEnglish sole	19,240 17,758	278,050 239,654
Miscellaneous (animal food)	14,176	708,841
Rex soleSmelt	8,986	129,115 109,404
All other	5,475 6,332	105,385
Totals	\$1,104,535	6,832,654
Fields Landing		
Dover sole	\$157,142	2,627,802
Market crab. Petrale sole	83,518 80,882	519,714 708,874
English sole	59,178	798,636
Rockfish	41,970	995,757
Miscellaneous (animal food)	30,184	1,509,207
Lingcod	21,800	315,039
Rex sole	15,020	215,806
Sablefish Ocean shrimp	13,979 12,860	177,850 135,516
Whitebait	7,898	113,646
Salmon.	7,398	14,338
All other	15,828	14,338 225,703

TABLE 16 Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Eureka Area, 1961

TABLE 16—Continued

Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Eureka Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
Trinidad Market crab. Salmon. All other. Totals.	\$71,660 25,246 77 \$96,983	445,927 51,584 914 498,425
All other ports All other	\$188	499
Totals	\$188	499

TABLE 16 Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Eureka Area, 1961

TABLE 17
Value of Landings and Shipments by Port,¹ San Francisco Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
SAN FRANCISCO AREA TOTALS	\$7,548,166	41,440,225
San Francisco		
Yellowfin tuna	\$3,239,197	18,362,792
Albacore	927,221	5,426,052
Salmon	404,093	708,066 656,219
Rockfish	161,955 87,647	1,818,510
NOCKBSB	87,047	1,818,510
Bluefin tuna	74,671	514,970
English sole	69,268	954,103
Petrale sole	65,741	553,839
Dover sole Bigeye tuna	48,478 39,014	930,480 182,480
Digeye tuna	39,014	102,400
Shad.	27,538	13,769
Skipjack	23,470	174,370
Rex sole	23,470 18,738	288,280
Sanddab	18,416 17,248	288,206
Sablefish	17,248	561,845
Lingcod.	16,934	261,325
Oriental tuna	14,494	90,190
White seabass	8,808	29,725
California halibut	7,470	37,388
All other	5,898 21,095	58,108 813,626
Totals	\$5,297,394	32,724,343
	40,291,091	32,724,343
Bodega Bay	2707 E10	1 207 400
Salmon	\$797,512 55,370	1,397,428 224,352
English sole	13,193	181,727
Petrale sole	8,793	74,076
Dover sole	8,216	157,693
All other	23,206	336,082
Totals	\$906,290	2,371,358
Sausalito		
Salmon	\$399,957	700,818
Albacore	55,043	306,818
Market crab	8,543	34,614
All other	591	13,656
Totals	\$464,134	1,055,906
Point Reyes		
Salmon	\$257,433 49,714 22,100	451,083
Giant Pacific oyster	49,714	454,421 186,185
Petrale sole	22,100	186,185
Market crab Rockfish	18,688	75,722
ROCKIISI	13,753	294,456
English sole	12,112	166,835
Lingeod	9,770 8,345	150,775
Dover sole	8,345	160,173
All other	14,876	278,559
Totals	\$406,791	2,218,209
Dakland		
Salmon	\$171,345	300,237
Albacore	124,572	694,383
Dover soleAll other	8,161 6,317	156,635 49,291
Totals	\$310,395	1,200,546
	\$010,000	1,200,010
Princeton Salmon	\$72,898	127,735
Market crab	13,165	53,343
All other	5,305	30,551
	0,000	90,991
Totals		211,629

TABLE 17 Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, San Francisco Area, 1961

TABLE 17—Continued

Value of Landings and Shipments by Port,¹ San Francisco Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
Tomales Bay		
Giant Pacific oyster	\$8,440	77,154
Pacific herring Eastern oyster	8,107 5,107	976,810
All other	4,505	105,726 38,112
Totals	\$26,159	1,197,802
Clear Lake		
Hardhead	\$17,669	89,695
Carp	7,975	176,050
Totals	\$25,644	265,745
Berkeley		
Salmon	\$9,355	16,366
All other	337	1,495
Totals	\$9,692	17,861
Turlock		
Carp.	\$5,369	118,522
All other	1,886	9,601
Totals	\$7,255	128,123
All other ports		
All other	\$3,044	48,703
Totals	\$3,044	48,703

¹ Includes Sacramento area landings.

TABLE 17 Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, San Francisco Area, 1961

TABLE 18
Value of Landings by Port, Monterey Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
MONTEREY AREA TOTALS	\$1,270,361	19,897,950
Monterey		
Rockfish	\$160,347	3,122,903
Squid	129,002	3,685,784
Albacore	110,808	685,270
Salmon	69,869	125,505
Jack mackerel.	54,708	2,346,241
Anchovy	40,191	2,810,552
English sole	14,612	199,342
Sardine	13,004	426,337
Petrale sole	12,045	100,876
Lingcod	8,422	89,027
Sablefish	7.918	149,966
Sanddab	6,519	99,080
White croaker	6,338	122,601
All other	15,241	270,774
Totals	\$649,024	14,234,258
Moss Landing		
Salmon	\$202,507	363,763
Albacore	190,691	1,179,289
Jack mackerel	30,366	1,303,273
Sardine	20,841	683,305
Pacific herring	20,330	324,754
Anchovy	13,910	972,710
Sablefish	5,979	113,242
Rockfish.	5.174	69,362
All other	15,196	184,745
Totals	\$504,994	5,194,443
Santa Cruz		
Salmon	\$92,029	165,309
All other	24,314	303,940
Totals	\$116,343	469,249

TABLE 18 Value of Landings by Port, Monterey Area, 1961

TABLE 19
Value of Landings by Port, Santa Barbara Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
SANTA BARBARA AREA TOTALS	\$1,770,628	39,381,567
Morro Bay		
Abalone	\$243,343	1,597,786
Albacore	91,887	577,181
Rockfish	60,189	1,214,882
Sardine	56,400 50,101	1,992,950 448,937
Petrale sole	50,101	440,907
Salmon	31,619	54,773
Giant Pacific oyster.	22,187	1,109,32
Jack mackerel	19,050	1,002,65
Market crab	11,160	44,25
Miscellaneous (animal food)	8,981	449,07
Lingcod	7,393	78,40
White seabass	6,137	19,95
Rex sole.	5,508	90,88
All other	18,369	245,06
m 1-	4000 004	
Totals	\$632,324	8,926,125
Port Hueneme	*000.050	10 700 101
Jack mackerel	\$262,052	13,792,185
Sardine	186,152	6,577,810
Squid.	49,379 33,095	2,456,666 2,488,356
Abalone	23,032	174,55
Swordfish.	9,342	22,16
All other	10,756	103,30
Totals	\$573,808	25,615,030
Santa Barbara		
Abalone	\$159,457	1.133.22
Rockfish	45,179	1,042,02
Petrale sole	42,829	383,77
Spiny lobster	39,179	59,98
California halibut	36,980	164,94
English sole.	34,889	558,23
California barracuda	20,109	130,57
White seabass	19,189	62,40
Swordfish.	15,797	37,47
Miscellaneous (animal food)	7,337	366,83
All other	15,711	304,22
Totals	\$436,656	4,243,685
Avila		
Salmon	\$44,277	78,15
Albacore	16,209	101,81
Abalone	6.147	40,36
All other	6,147 12,715	118,89
Totals	\$79,348	339,22
San Simeon		
Abalone	\$27,135	178,16
Totals	\$27,135	178,16
	V,	210,20
Ventura	*10.00	10.44
Spiny lobsterAll other	\$12,027 3,379	18,41 20,48
Totals	\$15,406	38,89
	900,016	38,89
All other	\$5,951	40,43
Ant Outstanding	\$5,951	
Totals		40,43

TABLE 19 Value of Landings by Port, Santa Barbara Area, 1961

TABLE 20

Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Los Angeles Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
LOS ANGELES AREA TOTALS	\$47,060,401	496,338,744
Terminal Island Yellowfin tuna Albacore. Skipjack Bluefin tuna. Jack mackerel	\$26,400,937 6,469,824 6,263,221 2,611,710 1,395,398	202,655,603 37,367,697 57,074,467 20,175,436 66,447,522
Sardine Pacifie mackerel Pacifie bonito Squid Bigeye tuna	765,224 731,682 159,096 41,754 35,841	29,545,346 33,718,042 6,239,066 2,470,625 278,916
Pismo elam. California yellowtali. Oriental tuna. Shark. All other.	17,042 11,396 9,910 6,516 3,005	740,960 161,649 60,725 42,804 163,539
Totals	\$44,922,556	457,142,397
San Pedro Bluefin tuna. White seabass Sardine. California barracuda. Spiny lobster.	\$100,409 95,977 87,796 76,211 67,316	774,760 288,391 3,389,809 505,378 95,851
Swordish. Pacific mackerel Jack mackerel Rockfish. Giant sea bass.	60,303 58,711 57,290 57,284 50,978	135,209 2,705,598 2,728,093 447,581 307,469
Grouper Anchovy Yellowfin tuna Albacore Squid.	40,824 39,138 30,298 27,790 23,616	188,912 2,836,119 238,756 153,450 1,397,415
White croaker. California halibut. Pacific bonito Shark. California yellowtail. Salmon. All other.	21,472 18,761 13,643 10,997 9,219 6,547 15,028	545,852 72,408 535,031 90,367 130,772 13,119 129,208
Totals	\$969,608	17,709,548
Los Angeles Salmon. Sablefish. Sturgeon. Shad. All other.	\$228,547 90,719 22,332 15,919 71,432	352,567 414,054 34,489 131,999 428,481
Totals	\$428,949	1,361,590
Wilmington Jack mackerel. Pacific mackerel Pacific bonito Sardine. Anchovy. All other.	\$156,711 79,553 42,446 12,252 6,075 5,345	7,462,407 3,666,028 1,664,555 473,057 440,197 163,606
Totals	\$302,382	13,869,850

TABLE 20 Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Los Angeles Area, 1961

TABLE 20—Continued

Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Los Angeles Area, 1961

	Value	Pounds
Newport Beach Abalone Jack mackerel. Swordfish. Pacific mackerel	\$102,310 52,534 51,009 31,501	985,912 2,501,600 114,369 1,451,652
Shark Spiny lobster. California halibut. All other.	22,168 15,597 9,939 12,640	166,542 22,209 38,358 120,899
Totals	\$297,698	5,401,541
Santa Monica White seabass. Spiny lobster. All other.	\$14,295 13,016 16,310	42,954 18,533 292,529
Totals	\$43,621	354,016
ong Beach Albacore Rockfish Spiny lobster All other	\$17,875 10,589 9,579 5,002	98,703 78,182 13,640 133,714
Totals	\$43,045	324,239
San Clemente Spiny lobster	\$31,839	45,336
Totals	\$31,839	45,336
Redondo Beach Rock crab All other	\$7,623 6,984	70,322 31,445
Totals	\$14,607	101,767
All other ports	\$6,096	28,460
Totals	\$6,096	28,460

TABLE 20

Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, Los Angeles Area, 1961

TABLE 21
Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, San Diego Area, 1961

1	Value	Pounds
SAN DIEGO AREA TOTALS	\$11,068,093	84,278,940
San Diego		
Yellowfin tuna	\$5,365,817	41,052,617
Skipjack	3,249,096	29,498,369
Albacore	2,033,774	11,326,171
Bluefin tuna	68,151	538,913
California halibut	60,840	269,202
Spiny lobster	59.337	90.619
White seabass	55,603	196,337
Abalone	35,992	380,950
Rockfish.	32,875	298,697
Swordfish	19,670	45,712
Shark	8,988	81,883
California yellowtail	5.891	70,896
All other	30,106	280,302
Totals	\$11,026,140	84,130,668
La Jolla		
Spiny lobster	\$21,823	33,327
All other	2,525	23,136
Totals	\$24,348	56,463
Oceanside	- 1	
Spiny lobster	\$4.548	6,946
All other	4,277	29,792
Totals	\$8,825	36,738
All other ports		
All other	\$8,780	55,071
Totals	\$8,780	55,071

TABLE 21 Value of Landings and Shipments by Port, San Diego Area, 1961

TABLE 22 Statewide Commercial Party Boat Catch by Species (Not including anchored barges) 1936-1940,* 1947-1961

	1330-1340,* 1347-1301										
	Number of fish										
Species	1936	1937	1938	1939	1940	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	MAR
Barracuda, California Bass, kelp and sand Bonito, Pacific Cabezon Halibut, California	492,536 315,582 17,916 2,287 34,961	598,454 226,397 40,654 2,143 22,359	314,256 435,917 14,373 4,578 17,494	663,498 426,772 17,326 2,323 39,736	704,520 411,490 9,983 3,248 55,838	677,449 683,064 36,496 9,886 104,436	384,056 630,617 14,519 14,590 143,462	366,423 796,959 5,372 14,125 104,639	256,367 619,397 2,359 15,971 85,935	269,545 781,609 14,475 18,029 59,295	ARINE FISH
Lingcod Mackerel, jack Mackerel, Pacific Rockfish Salmon	2,532 1,308 70,586 204,627 197	3,885 1,928 59,281 243,125 1,005	4,893 3,462 87,959 239,312 1,960	6,436 1,222 160,962 209,453 3,501	6,785 10,109 119,320 301,355 7,080	22,011 4,505 148,041 193,377 5,018	24,406 2,351 203,012 410,271 11,209	26,131 2,932 95,158 570,637 23,057	23,868 557 66,969 679,164 56,337	24,052 202 47,188 721,808 71,970	CATCH
Sculpin. Scabass, white. Sheephead, California Tuna, albacore. Tuna, bluefin	14,658 11,046 8,676 453 2,920	13,164 11,244 9,279 1,346 4,020	21,063 14,093 13,188 3,833 11,927	17,866 30,218 11,517 8,816 9,909	15,098 15,979 11,231 142 6,878	26,062 20,724 13,004 11,445 2,194	52,554 24,078 17,261 15,414 104	37,030 65,545 15,440 22,692 1,941	53,419 54,718 14,281 118,087 27	35,721 44,367 20,416 75,924 7,142	FOR 1961
Whitefish, ocean	3,069 90,899 39,220	3,547 61,054 41,254	4,597 42,556 46,147	7,672 25,955 81,022	4,223 95,204 94,355	5,160 6,948 100,612	14,124 13,028 134,963	14,576 17,710 159,427	14,925 6,971 121,061	8,828 23,721 126,352	
Total number of fish	1,313,473	1,344,139	1,281,608	1,724,204	1,872,838	2,070,432	2,110,019	2,339,794	2,190,413	2,350,644	
Number of angler days Number of anglers ²	166,784	201,241	201,685	231,328	250,459	359,436	407,757	469,915	544,264	556,949	

Figures for World War II years, 1941-1946, not available.
 Number of anglers are not recorded for years prior to 1960. Figures published in Fish Bulletin No. 117 were estimates.

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TABLE 22 Statewide Commercial Party Boat Catch by Species (Not including anchored barges) 1936–1940, 1947–1961

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TABLE 22—Continued Statewide Commercial Party Boat Catch by Species (Not including anchored barges) 1936-1940,† 1947-1961

1330-1340," 1347-1301										
	Number of fish									
Species	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961
Barracuda, California lass, kelp and sand sonito, Pacific Labezon. Halibut, California	536,075 7,649 10,847	170,550 711,400 6,321 9,650 34,290	282,552 876,667 70,078 13,132 59,674	154,962 497,343 22,409 12,366 35,802	87,603 470,362 61,404 18,195 21,661	577,184 609,071 258,555 14,479 10,795	782,723 653,671 422,568 9,909 16,192	1,195,585 428,426 778,386 5,329 25,365	755,408 478,656 1,199,919 2,516 48,310	391,884 613,604 849,426 2,639 108,011
ingeod Iackerel, jack Iackerel, Pacific Iackerel, Pacific Iockfish Ilmon		13,011 196,230 61,467 696,475 98,723	22,940 19,407 315,037 1,149,367 119,911	29,113 39,473 151,018 1,737,707 128,978	37,649 23,493 121,136 2,036,708 114,505	38,012 6,878 151,960 1,395,151 44,701	39,801 27,867 136,607 1,561,132 52,676	31,206 11,820 88,952 1,177,979 55,945	29,232 8,537 79,370 1,015,673 37,941	23,466 28,891 113,988 898,641 42,965
ulpinabass, white	41,043 16,481 187,267	28,952 27,603 17,349 23,363 4,276	33,462 41,588 21,499 20,098 966	28,613 30,103 14,102 78,688 8,179	36,558 19,755 14,789 65,814 34,187	13,473 19,030 15,105 41,540 6,428	13,743 34,039 18,120 6,482 884	11,477 10,593 17,146 39 1,330	15,111 15,697 11,541 76,075 97	26,672 14,082 15,210 184,891 2,268
Thitefish, ocean	10,003 59,263 136,687	4,963 27,702 147,783	9,952 40,872 177,335	9,508 36,468 99,051	7,951 29,198 62,027	4,389 242,686 50,148	6,143 123,384 44,939	5,608 457,350 28,039	5,850 254,969 56,132	6,647 42,367 87,981
Total number of fish	2,306,133	2,280,158	3,274,537	3,113,883	3,262,995	3,499,585	3,959,880	4,328,575	4,090,034	3,453,633
umber of angler daysumber of anglers ²	588,087	502,146	532,190	496,286	523,063	536,175	515,152	557,154	516,255 637,498	495,805 593,916

Figures for World War II years, 1941-1946, not available.
 Number of anglers are not recorded for years prior to 1960. Figures published in Fish Bulletin No. 117 were estimates.

TABLE 22 Statewide Commercial Party Boat Catch by Species (Not including anchored barges) 1936–1940, 1947–1961

TABLE 23
Recorded Catch of Live Bait for Saltwater Sportfishing, 1961

Species	Thousands of pounds ¹
Anchovy	11,825 136 3 15
Total pounds	11,979

¹ Using a conversion factor of 12.5 pounds per live bait scoop, weights are estimated from voluntary records submitted by 14 boats. The weight of a scoop of live bait varies between 10 and 15 pounds. The records represent almost all the live bait landings, however, they should be regarded as minimal.
² Consists primarily of queenfish and white croaker.

TABLE 23
Recorded Catch of Live Bait for Saltwater Sportfishing, 1961

3. CATCH LOCALITIES FOR DOVER SOLE, MICROSTOMUS PACI-FICUS (LOCKINGTON), LANDED IN CALIFORNIA, 1950 THROUGH 1959

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3.1. INTRODUCTION

World War II technological advances in freezing fillets transposed Dover sole from a discarded scrap fish to California's most important flatfish. This rapid transposition took place between 1943 and 1948. Credit for developing Dover sole as an acceptable fish for the fillet trade rests with Oregon processors. The Oregon fishery began in 1941 and reached a magnitude of 6.4 million pounds by 1943 (Cleaver, 1951).

With the momentum provided by the Oregon industry, the fishery moved south, and in 1943 Dover sole were recorded for the first time in California landings. Landings increased slowly through 1947 and in 1948 jumped to 7.2 million pounds. Hagerman (1952) reported on the early phase of this fishery. Stimulated by increased purchasing by the armed forces during the Korean conflict, Dover sole catches peaked at 11.7 million pounds in 1952. This represented 52 percent of the total flatfish landings in California. From 1950 to 1959 the annual harvest averaged 8.9 million pounds. The 7.3 million pounds caught in 1959 was the lowest for this period; yet it was 39 percent of all flatfish taken (Figure 1).

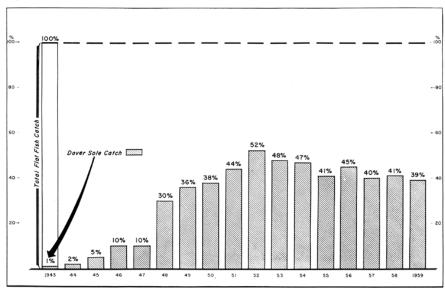


FIGURE 1. Proportion of Dover sole landings to total flatfish landings, 1943 through 1959. FIGURE 1. Proportion of Dover sole landings to total flatfish landings, 1943 through 1959

3.2. FISHERY

Dover sole inhabit relatively deep areas of the continental slope. Otter trawls are the only practical way to harvest them. Fishing takes place in depths ranging from a little less than 100 fathoms during summer to over 400 fathoms in late winter and early spring.

Vessels average about 60 feet in overall length but vary from about 45 to 90 feet and normally require a three- or four-man crew. Nearly all are typical Pacific coast combination-type construction with deck house forward and the after deck clear for working gear. Several annually switch to albacore or sardine fishing, or become salmon pick-up vessels at the appropriate season and return to the trawl fishery for the remainder of the year. In recent years numerous unemployed sardine purse-seine vessels have become year-round trawlers (Figure 2). An excellent description of gear and electronic aids was given by Alverson (1957).

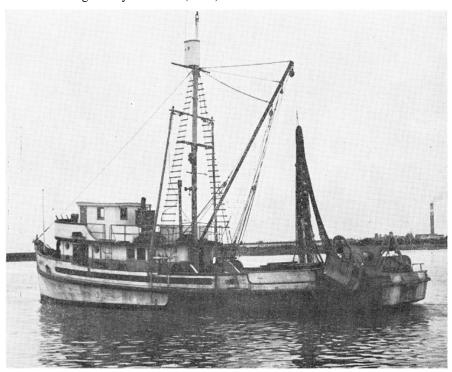


FIGURE 2. Former sardine purse-seine vessel rigged for otter trawling.

Photo by Paul H. Reed, July 1962.

FIGURE 2. Former sardine purse-seine vessel rigged for otter trawling. Photo by Paul H. Reed, July 1962
Occasionally Dover sole are landed on a daily basis; however, in northern California, trips usually last 4 or 5 days while in central California the standard is 2 or 3 days. Fish are stowed below decks in pens with adequate ice to prevent spoilage. The vessels do not have shelves in the pens to prevent crushing fish. Day fish (those to be sold the day caught) are boxed aboard the vessel and landed without ice. Few trawlers are equipped with refrigeration. That used is merely for chilling the fish-hold to minimize ice melting and is not adequate to freeze catches at sea.

3.3. REPORTING THE CATCH

California otter trawlers are required by law to keep logbooks of their fishing activities. For reporting fishing localities, they are supplied charts with the offshore area divided into numbered blocks measuring 10 minutes of longitude by 10 minutes of latitude (Figures 3, 4). Trawler logs combined with landing receipts are used to determine fishing location and species caught. For a complete description of this technique, see Clark (1935) and California Department of Fish and Game (1952).

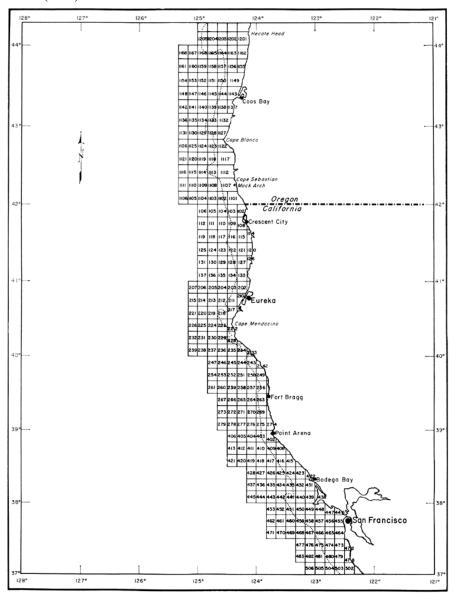


FIGURE 3. California Department of Fish and Game fishing chart for northern California and southern Oregon.

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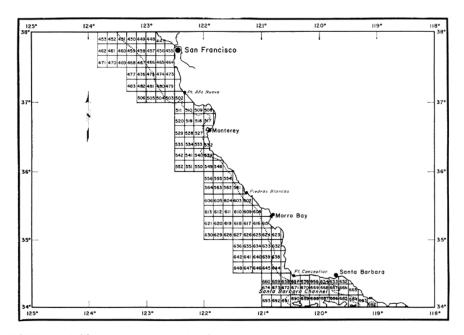


FIGURE 4. California Department of Fish and Game fishing chart for central California. FIGURE 4. California Department of Fish and Game fishing chart for central California

These data, summarized monthly and yearly, provide information about the fishery and are particularly useful in delineating new fishing areas and determining areas not actively fished.

The Dover sole fleet is far ranging. Its sphere of operations, as indicated by 1950 to 1959 catch locality summaries, may be anywhere from central Oregon to central California (Table 1). When averaged for

TABLE 1

Dover Sole Catch Localities by General Areas, 1950 Through 1959.

(Landings in thousands of pounds)

General area	Block numbers	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959
Coos Bay, Oregon Mack Arch, Oregon Eureka Port Bragg Bodega Bay San Francisco Monterey Morro Bay Santa Barbara	1127-1205 1101-1126 102- 226 228- 279 402- 445 446- 483 502- 564 602- 648 652- 693	535 786 7,417 687 118 5 0 0	29 586 7,116 756 109 19 6 0	126 1,049 9,066 1,125 223 103 56 0	39 1,049 6,231 1,159 239 152 35 0	335 1,574 4,895 1,704 408 978 36 0	283 699 4,993 1,494 260 448 6 2	234 790 3,960 2,082 58 1,127 14 3 *0	192 790 4,293 1,953 87 606 10 1	302 836 3,951 1,416 1,191 355 1	259 931 3,670 1,233 846 372 2 14 0
Total		9,548	8,621	11,748	8,904	9,930	8,185	8,268	7,932	8,053	7,327

^{*} Landings totaled 200 pounds. An important trawl fishery has developed at Santa Barbara since 1959.

TABLE 1

Dover Sole Catch Localities by General Areas, 1950 Through 1959. (Landings in thousands of pounds) 1950–1954 and 1955–1959, these catch locality data show northern California's continued domination of the fishery but also indicate gradually increasing importance of Dover sole to central California ports (Figures 5, 6, 7, 8).

Monthly summaries of trawl landings reveal very clearly the seasonal character of the Dover sole fishery. Less than 1 percent of the total annual Dover sole landings are made in both January and February. With the coming of spring and improved weather, landings increase until they peak in midsummer. About one-half of the annual catch is landed during June, July, and August. A decline sets in as winter approaches and stormy weather prevails in the offshore fishing areas.

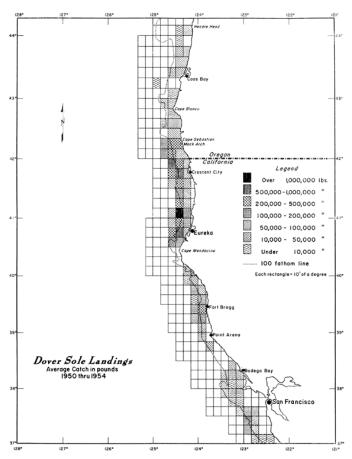


FIGURE 5. Origin of average annual Dover sole catches from northern California and southern Oregon landed by California otter trawlers for 1950 through 1954.

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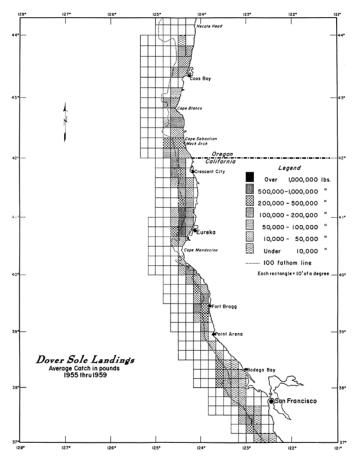


FIGURE 6. Origin of average annual Dover sole catches from northern California and southern Oregon landed by California atter trawlers for 1955 through 1959.

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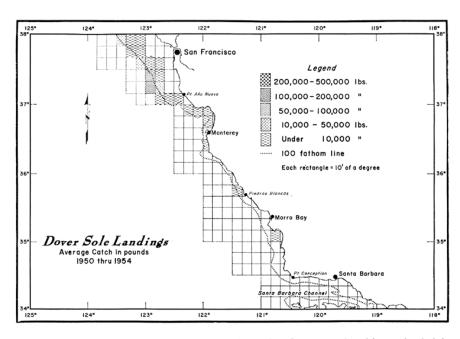


FIGURE 7. Origin of average annual Dover sole catches from central California landed by California otter trawlers for 1950 through 1954.

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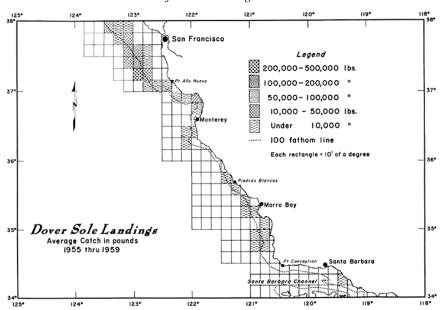


FIGURE 8. Origin of average annual Dover sole catches from central California landed by California otter trawlers for 1955 through 1959.

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3.4. SUMMARY

- 1. Technological advances made during the early 1940's changed Dover sole from a trash fish to California's most important flatfish.
- 2. Dover sole landings in California averaged nearly 9 million pounds annually from 1950 to 1959.
- 3. The fishery is primarily in northern California with central California ports landing increased quantities in recent years.
- 4. Dover sole trawling is primarily a summer fishery with little activity during winter.

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