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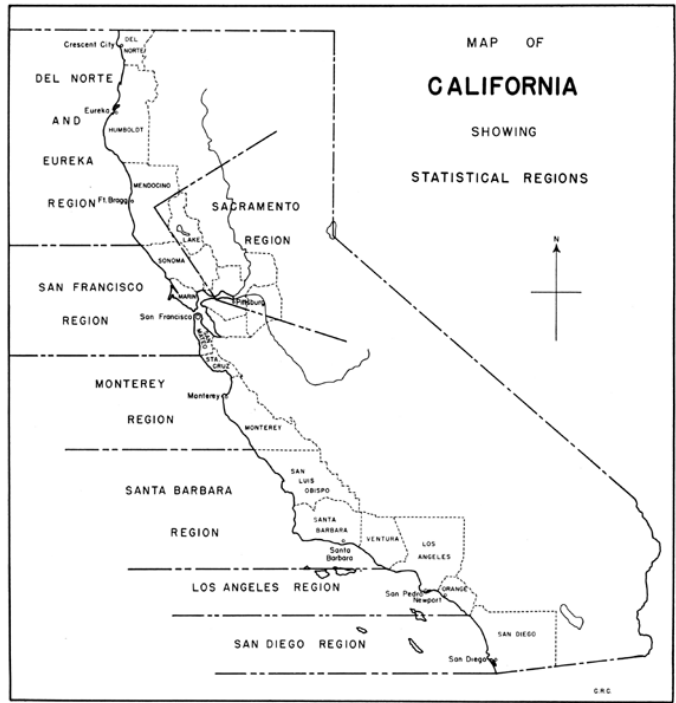


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FOREWORD

This bulletin includes records of the pounds of fish landed in the different areas of the State and their value to the fishermen. It is prepared to meet the numerous requests for such data received throughout the year from members of the fishing industry, harbor commissions, scientists, and persons in other related fields for use in their studies and reports.

This is the seventeenth in the series of fish bulletins dealing with fish catch. The first published in 1929, contained records of the State's commercial fish catch for 1926 and 1927. Data for subsequent years have been published annually or biennially. It is desirable to present the tables in a similar manner from year to year in order to maintain continuity of records. However, due to changing conditions in fisheries problems a certain amount of flexibility in presentation and context of the tables is desirable. This year for the first time the important species of sole (flatfish) are separated in the record. Although this bulletin carries the title "Marine Fish Catch" small poundages of fresh water commercial landings are also included.

Through the continued cooperation of the Wildlife Protection Branch the accuracy and completeness of the records is insured.

January, 1958

1. ROCKFISH REVIEW

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1.1. INTRODUCTION

The largest and most colorful family of fishes known to inhabit the waters of California are found in our coastal sea. Scientists have given this family of fishes the name Scorpaenidae. You and I know them best as rockfish.

There are 52 different kinds of rockfish in the ocean waters of the State. Each year these provide food and gainful employment for a large segment of our population, as well as healthful recreation for thousands of individuals.

California Department of Fish and Game marine biologists are gathering facts which will be used to improve this important fishery. These facts are necessary to maintain it at a high level for future generations of fishermen.

Tremendous strides toward attaining these objectives have already been made. For example, Fish Bulletin No. 104 was recently published. This publication standardizes scientific terminology and creates order out of a confusing abundance of scientific names. It also contains a photograph and a detailed description of each kind of California rockfish and tells how it can be accurately identified.

The next important step is to strive for improvement of rockfish catch records, a large proportion of which are classified as simply "Rockfish." A standard "grouping" system is proposed for recording future market landings throughout the State (Table 5). Considerable field work will be necessary on this project because of the frequent admixture of species in a catch, and because of the diversity of common names in use for many years at different fishing ports.

In general, the important species caught by sport fishermen in inshore waters are different from those caught by commercial fishermen operating in offshore waters. Therefore, adjustments in the proposed catch record system will no doubt be necessary, as sport catch records are improved.

Accurate catch records for each kind of rockfish, will enable biologists to detect and evaluate important fluctuations.

1.2. PAST DEVELOPMENTS IN THE CATCH

1.2.1. *Commercial*

Various kinds of rockfish were commercially important in California as early as 1875. By 1900 the catch totaled between one and two million pounds. An increased demand for food during World War I resulted in a catch of eight million pounds by 1918.

After a postwar slump, landings increased from 4 million pounds in 1922 to about 7 million pounds per year during the period 1926–1931. Following this period, the catch declined steadily to a low of 1½ million pounds in 1942. This decline began after the stock market crash, but was too long (11 years) to be attributed entirely to its effects.

Three reasons for this drop in landings are: the meteoric expansion of the California sardine fishery during 1932–1936, the unprecedented demand for soupfin shark livers during the period 1937–1943, and the military restrictions on vessel cruises that went into effect at the start of World War II.

TABLE 1
Total Annual Rockfish Landings in the Northern, Central, and Southern
California Areas,* 1916-1956, Inclusive

Year	Pounds			
	Northern	Central	Southern	Total
1916	14 279	2,773,638	2,131,035	4,918,952
1917	28,082	4,307,400	3,438,544	7,774,026
1918	65,511	5,041,638	3,135,605	8,242,754
1919	15,075	3,508,089	1,874,945	5,398,109
1920	20,454	3,576,177	2,036,446	5,633,077
1921	30,672	2,952,000	1,778,986	4,761,658
1922	22,872	2,538,683	1,750,459	4,312,014
1923	7,473	2,743,770	2,345,379	5,096,622
1924	20,477	1,578,083	3,144,325	4,742,885
1925	66,414	1,973,220	3,448,987	5,488,621
1926	65,506	3,194,390	4,281,073	7,540,969
1927	124,346	2,713,534	3,552,724	6,390,604
1928	107,264	3,284,602	3,028,043	6,419,909
1929	257,819	2,715,208	3,063,382	6,036,409
1930	250,968	3,853,466	3,120,930	7,225,364
1931	105,950	3,605,088	3,566,658	7,277,696
1932	89,232	3,043,780	2,503,307	5,636,319
1933	31,119	2,756,025	2,000,630	4,787,774
1934	116,182	2,598,479	1,889,370	4,604,031
1935	160,321	3,036,733	1,634,120	4,831,174
1936	187,424	3,481,605	934,875	4,603,904
1937	133,417	3,142,243	1,015,554	4,291,214
1938	547,603	2,407,904	681,630	3,637,137
1939	755,440	1,718,643	859,043	3,333,126
1940	583,605	2,113,302	873,729	3,570,636
1941	456,083	1,913,120	1,036,419	3,405,622
1942	271,959	726,068	425,413	1,423,440
1943	1,375,468	887,535	499,189	2,762,192
1944	5,525,923	800,666	95,641	6,422,230
1945	11,718,824	1,362,287	204,863	13,285,974
1946	9,464,778	1,341,089	355,355	11,161,222
1947	6,356,942	1,732,780	408,862	8,498,584
1948	3,952,240	1,954,521	634,215	6,540,976
1949	3,290,741	1,868,638	908,498	6,067,877
1950	3,744,222	3,428,393	943,294	8,115,909
1951	4,573,598	5,380,488	1,037,966	10,992,052
1952	2,635,194	7,277,538	807,453	10,720,185
1953	3,091,672	8,477,957	658,601	12,228,230
1954	3,193,209	8,161,586	1,285,337	12,640,132
1955	2,967,837	5,722,645	3,991,215	12,681,697
1956	3,118,829	8,558,692	3,265,994	14,943,515

* Northern Area—California State boundary south to Sonoma County line.
Central—Sonoma County south to San Luis Obispo County line.
Southern—San Luis Obispo County south to international boundary.

TABLE 1
Total Annual Rockfish Landings in the Northern, Central, and Southern California Areas, 1916–1956, Inclusive

The sardine catch expanded from 200,000 tons in 1932 to a high of 735,000 tons in 1936. Many setline fishermen deserted the rockfish fishery for the more profitable sardine purse seine fishery. Others began fishing for soupfin sharks during the period 1937–1943, when soupfin livers commanded extremely high prices because of their Vitamin A potency.

A need for fishery products caused military restrictions to be relaxed, however, and the rockfish catch doubled each year to a high of 13 million pounds in 1945. This increase in annual landings indicated that the stocks had not yet been overfished. When World War II ended, military orders were withdrawn and production dropped to 6 million pounds in 1949. The catch has climbed steadily since then to an all-time high of nearly 15 million pounds in 1956 (Figure 2).

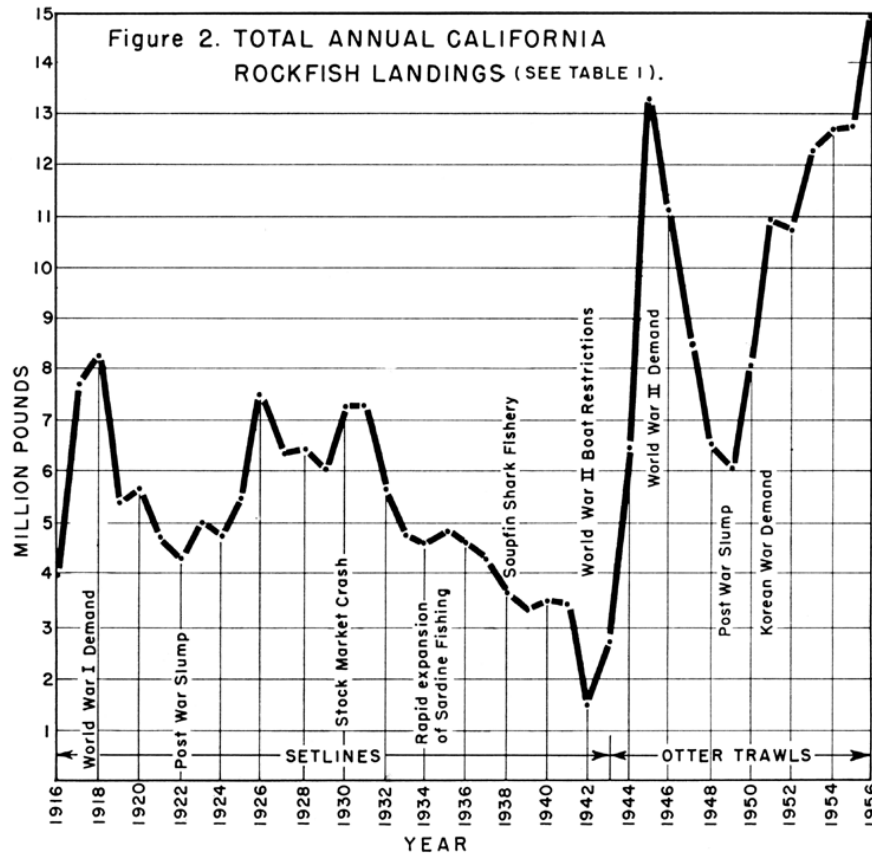


Figure 2. TOTAL ANNUAL CALIFORNIA ROCKFISH LANDINGS (SEE TABLE 1)

Before 1941 the yearly landings of rockfish were larger for California than for Oregon, Washington, and Alaska combined. Before 1940, landings in the Pacific Northwest were less than 1 million pounds, but increased demands during World War II skyrocketed the catch to 43 million pounds in 1945—an all-time high. Landings declined during 1946 and have fluctuated between 12 and 20 million pounds per year since 1947 (Figure 3). The Alaska rockfish resources are relatively unexploited at present.

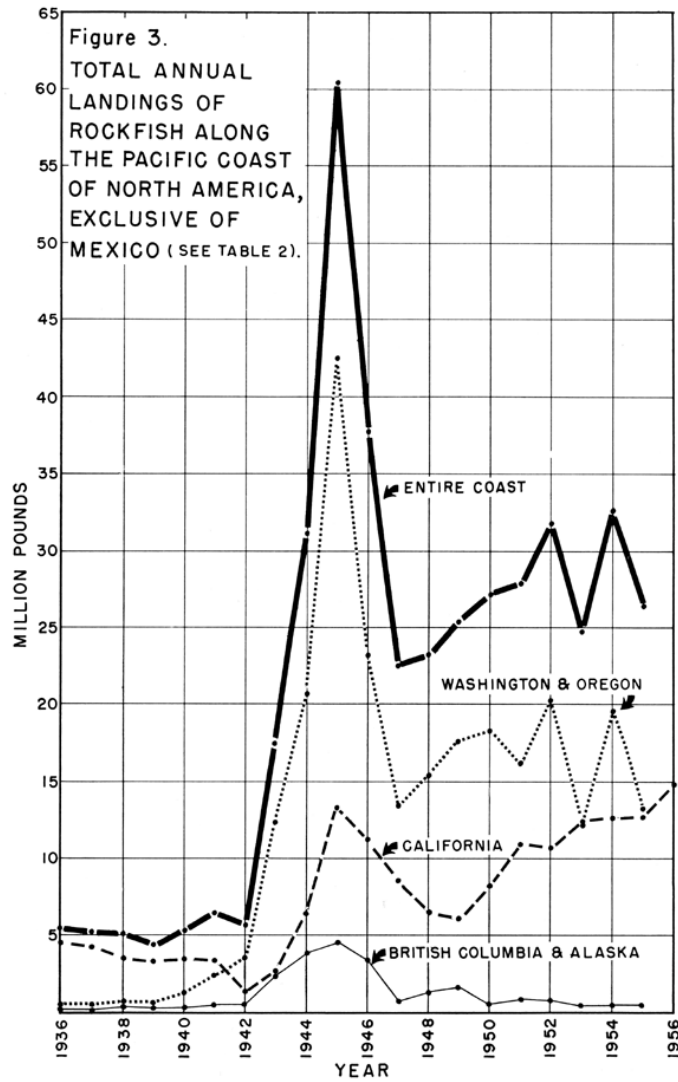


Figure 3.
TOTAL ANNUAL LANDINGS OF ROCKFISH ALONG THE PACIFIC COAST OF NORTH AMERICA, EXCLUSIVE OF MEXICO (SEE TABLE 2)

TABLE 2
Total Annual Landings of Rockfish Along the Pacific Coast of North America Exclusive of Mexico
(Figures in thousands of pounds)

Year	California	Washington and Oregon	British Columbia and Alaska	Total Coast
1936	4,604	644	350	5,598
1937	4,291	625	199	5,115
1938	3,637	733	696	5,066
1939	3,333	722	297	4,352
1940	3,571	1,287	348	5,206
1941	3,406	2,428	575	6,409
1942	1,423	3,559	683	5,665
1943	2,762	12,307	2,462	17,531
1944	6,422	20,792	3,928	31,142
1945	13,286	42,607	4,554	60,447
1946	11,161	23,315	3,494	37,970
1947	8,499	13,318	830	22,647
1948	6,541	15,414	1,245	23,200
1949	6,068	17,704	1,573	25,345
1950	8,116	18,304	678	27,098
1951	10,992	16,013	946	27,951
1952	10,720	20,220	921	31,861
1953	12,228	12,047	457	24,732
1954	12,640	19,513	519	32,672
1955	12,682	13,141	494	26,317
1956	14,944			14,944

TABLE 2
Total Annual Landings of Rockfish Along the Pacific Coast of North America Exclusive of Mexico

Success of the Oregon and Washington fishery has been due to the development of a market for a rockfish called Pacific ocean perch, *Sebastes alutus*. Steady utilization of this species began in 1945 and has, in recent years, comprised about 40 percent (6 to 7 million pounds) of the annual Pacific Northwest rockfish catch. Pacific ocean perch are not found in quantity off California. In 1955 only 60,000 pounds were landed, principally in the Eureka region. This amounted to about one-half of one percent of the total statewide rockfish catch.

This increase in the Northwest followed a sensational rise in the catch of a similar fish, *Sebastes marinus*, that abounds in the north Atlantic ocean. This species was called redfish or rosefish until 1951 when the "trade" was permitted to market it as ocean perch, a more acceptable name. The annual landings of this rockfish were of minor importance until the mid-thirties when a market for frozen fillets was developed. Concomitant with a decline in the haddock catch, ocean perch landings increased rapidly from about 118,000 pounds in 1930, to 17,000,000 in 1935, and then to a peak of 178,000,000 in 1946. This increase was obtained by expanding the fishing area from the Gulf of Maine to the productive Nova Scotia grounds.

1.2.2. Sport

The rockfish sport catch has increased phenomenally during the past few years. This increase is startling when compared to the total sport catch of all other kinds of fish reported by nearly 600 party boat operators. Many are taken from shore, skiffs, piers, and private boats, and by skindivers. These landings are not recorded.

Before World War II the rockfish sport catch was relatively stable. Since the war, however, the catch has soared to an undreamed of 60 percent of the total sport catch of all fish.

TABLE 3
Party Boat Rockfish Catch Compared With Total Party Boat Catch

Year	Number		Percent
	Total catch ¹	Rockfish	
1936	1,313,473	204,627	15.58
1937	1,344,139	243,125	18.09
1938	1,281,608	239,312	18.67
1939	1,724,204	209,453	12.15
1940	1,872,838	301,355	16.09
1941-1946	No available records		
1947	2,070,432	193,377	9.34
1948	2,110,019	410,271	19.44
1949	2,339,794	570,637	24.39
1950	2,190,413	679,164	31.01
1951	2,350,644	721,808	30.71
1952	2,305,875	706,004	30.62
1953	2,280,158	696,480	30.55
1954	3,274,537	1,149,367	35.10
1955	3,113,883	1,737,707	55.81
1956	3,262,995	2,036,708	62.42

¹ Includes rockfish.

TABLE 3
Party Boat Rockfish Catch Compared With Total Party Boat Catch

The question arises, what caused this tremendous increase in sport landings? There are a number of causes. Traditionally important game and food fishes off Southern California have not been plentiful in recent years. The number of anglers has increased. Their desire to take something home for display and food purposes has not changed. Satisfaction of the anglers' desire is obtained by party boat captains who turn to the rockfish holes.

Increased catches occurred throughout the fishery during the last few years (Figure 4). The Southern California sport fishery has increased disproportionately, accounting for the bulk of the landings.

Records reveal that the rockfish portion of the total sport catch increased from 10 to 15 percent before the war to 20 to 30 percent after the war. However, 1955 and 1956 rockfish sport catches spiraled upward to comprise 55 and 62 percent of the total sport take.

Even though rockfish are the most abundant group in the sport landings, each species in this group must be studied separately so that a firm approach can be made to biological and managerial problems.

1.3. GEAR

1.3.1. Commercial Fishing

Setlines and trawl nets have played an important part in the development of the commercial rockfish fishery off California. Setlines, used as early as 1875, were the most important gear before the introduction of the balloon trawl from the Pacific Northwest late in 1943. Rockfish taken by trawlers were incidental to the catch of flatfish before the balloon trawl was introduced.

1.3.2. Setlines

Setlines are fished as longlines or as drop lines, from relatively small boats. The longline consists of a number of units, each with 200 or 300 hooks that are baited and fastened together in a long string. This

string, sometimes over a mile long, is weighted at both ends so that it will lie flat and fish on the bottom.

The drop line is a single unit weighted at the bottom. It has 75 to 200 hooks and is fished from a boat like a deep-water handline. One or more drop lines can be fished at the same time by using a buoy to support the upper ends.

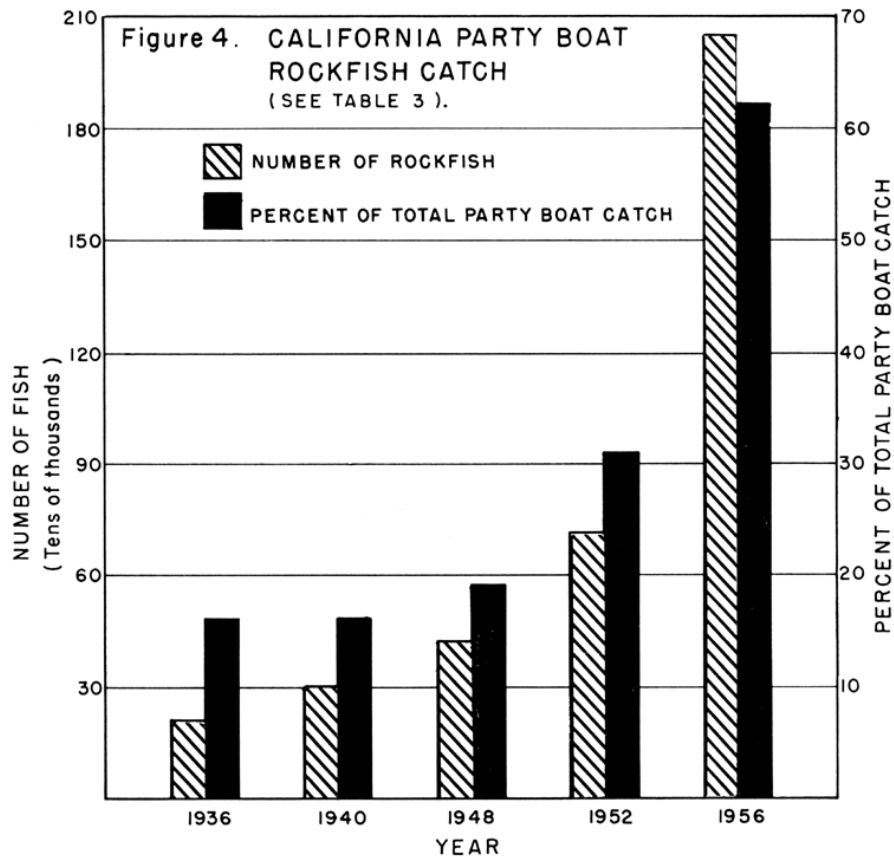


Figure 4. CALIFORNIA PARTY BOAT ROCKFISH CATCH (SEE TABLE 3)

1.3.3. Trawl Nets

An otter trawl net resembles a large, wedge-shaped sack that is widely open at the forward end and narrows toward the closed posterior end. An otter board or door is attached at an angle to each wing of the mouth, so that when the net is towed on the bottom of the sea the boards will veer outward and keep the mouth of the net open. The balloon trawl has a high mouth and is made of lighter material. Also, floats are added to the cork line so that the lead line will just skim or ride six to eight inches above the irregular bottom over which rockfish are found.

1.3.4. Sportfishing

Most sportfishermen use rod and reel or hand lines to catch rockfish. A few use heavy cotton line on a reel that is fastened to the rail of the vessel. With each type of gear several hooks are placed at intervals

on leaders or droppers according to the fisherman's preference. The majority of these hooks are baited with cut bait and fished at or near the bottom.

In certain localities fishermen will fish near the surface with a lure or flashing type of attractor in order to induce the fish to strike. In other localities the same type of gear is fished near the bottom. Some rockfish are taken by skin-divers using a spear or some other type of impaling gear.

1.4. AREAS OF LANDING

1.4.1. Commercial

To evaluate the within-state commercial rockfish landings, California catches are assigned to three major geographical areas: Northern California, Central California, and Southern California (Figure 5). Northern California catches include those made from the Oregon border to Pt. Arena while Central California include those made from Pt. Arena to Piedras Blancas, and Southern California include those made from Piedras Blancas to the Mexican border. The main landing ports in Northern California are Crescent City, Eureka, Fields Landing, and Fort Bragg. In Central California they are Bodega Bay, Pt. Reyes, San Francisco, Santa Cruz, and Monterey, and in Southern California they are Morro Bay, Avila, Santa Barbara, Santa Monica, San Pedro, and San Diego.

During the period 1916 to 1931, the Central California and Southern California areas were nearly equal in importance. The annual catch from each averaged 3 million pounds. After 1931, there was a steady downward trend in Southern California catches to a low of 82,000

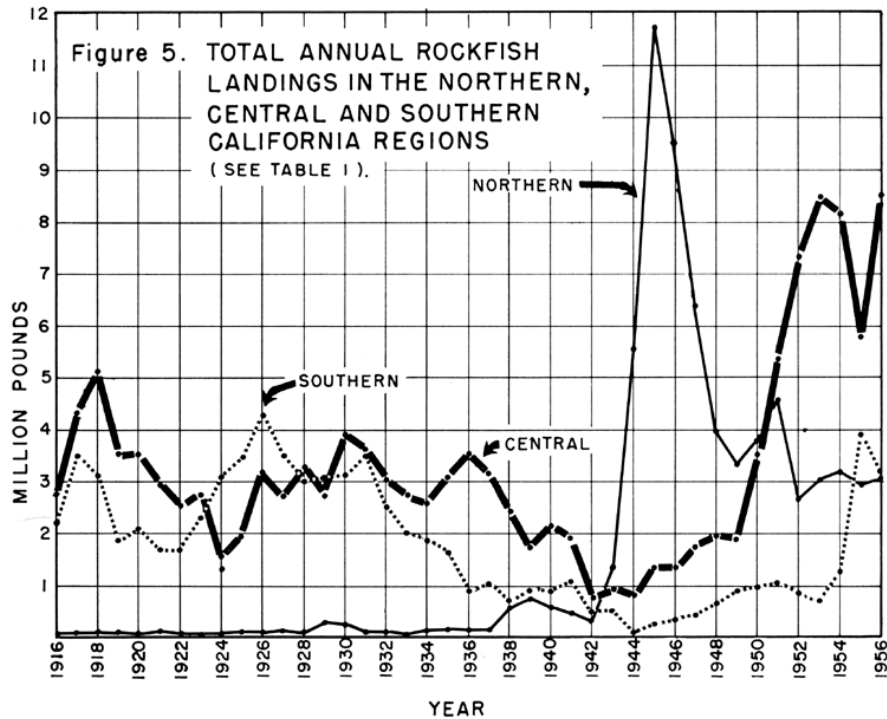


Figure 5. TOTAL ANNUAL ROCKFISH LANDINGS IN THE NORTHERN, CENTRAL AND SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA REGIONS (SEE TABLE 1)

pounds in 1944. A similar decline, though not as pronounced, occurred in Central California. Experienced fishermen feel that the severity of the decline in Southern California was due primarily to overfishing. An increased catch in the Central California region after 1943 was caused by the introduction of the balloon trawl. A similar increase did not occur to the south because trawl nets were prohibited in a large part of that area. Increased catches in Southern California during more recent years are due to the introduction of the otter trawl at Morro Bay.

TABLE 4
Rockfish Landings at California Ports—1956

Port	Total pounds	Port	Total pounds
Monterey.....	5,115,444	Avila.....	154,224
San Francisco.....	2,262,881	Long Beach.....	152,874
Morro Bay.....	2,264,308	Bodega Bay.....	90,187
Fields Landing.....	1,243,937	San Diego.....	71,314
Eureka.....	932,577	Santa Monica.....	49,473
Fort Bragg.....	896,246	Crescent City.....	46,040
Pt. Reyes.....	578,439	Balance of State.....	57,430
Santa Cruz.....	500,512		
San Pedro.....	370,337	Grand total.....	14,943,515
Santa Barbara.....	157,292		

TABLE 4
Rockfish Landings at California Ports—1956

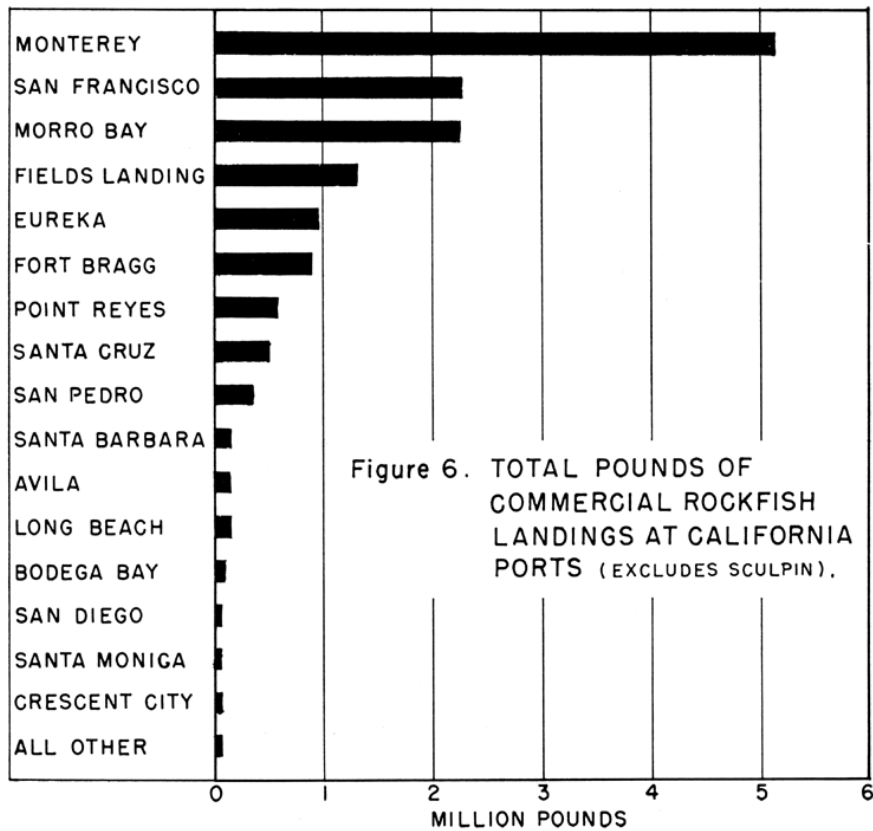


Figure 6. TOTAL POUNDS OF COMMERCIAL ROCKFISH LANDINGS AT CALIFORNIA PORTS (EXCLUDES SCULPIN)

Annual landings in the Northern California region were less than a million pounds until the balloon trawl was introduced. The efficiency of this net was demonstrated during the next two years, and in 1945 peak landings of 11,500,000 pounds were made at northern ports. A moderate increase to about 5 million pounds in 1951 was due to the Korean War demand. Since the war, landings of rockfish at Northern California ports have stabilized at about 3 million pounds per year.

San Francisco, Monterey, and Morro Bay were the three most important ports of landing for rockfish during 1956 (Figure 6). These ports accounted for 64 percent of the total rockfish catch. The next three most important ports are Fields Landing, Eureka, and Fort Bragg. Rockfish landings at all six ports accounted for 85 percent of the total catch.

1.4.2. Sport

The party boat catch is assigned to two major areas, Northern and Southern California. The most valuable rockfish center within the northern area lies between San Simeon and Avila. This area provided 25,273 sportfishermen with 543,304 fish during 1956. The southern "hotspot" in Santa Monica Bay furnished 52,767 anglers with a 705,333 rockfish haul.

Before 1951, Northern California "party boaters" reeled in twice as many rockfish as did the southerners. Nowadays, however, the reverse is true.

1.5. IMPORTANCE OF SPECIES

Fifty-four species of rockfish belonging to the genus *Sebastes* live in the ocean waters along the Pacific Coast of North America. Forty-nine of these are found in California waters.

Six species, for many years, comprised the greatest part of our commercial catch. These are bocaccio and chilipepper, and the canary, vermilion, yellowtail, and black rockfish. At present, bocaccio is the dominant species in the statewide commercial catch. The six next important species are: olive, dark-blotched, widow, splitnose, and turkey-red rockfish, plus the Pacific ocean perch.

Eight species that are undesirable from a commercial standpoint because of their small size are shortbelly, stripe-tail, sharpchin, calico, greenstriped, halfbanded, squarespot, and pygmy rockfish. Some of these undesirable species are present in abundance on the fishing grounds. They are found in the stomachs of larger rockfish and at times appear in quantity in the "trashfish" landings.

The shortspine and longspine channel rockfish are the only species of genus *Sebastes* found along the Pacific Coast. The shortspine is large enough to be of some commercial importance in California. It is sometimes taken in deep water by longline and trawl net fishermen. Although the flesh is tasty, not more than about 50,000 pounds a year are landed in California. The yield of fillets from the shortspine and longspine is poor because of the large, thorny head and slender body. Occasional market landings of these two species are inappropriately called idiots, channel cod, or rock cod. The longspine is small in size and occasionally taken when fishing in depths of 300 fathoms or more.

The sculpin, *Scorpaena guttata*, is the sole representative of the genus *Scorpaena* in the ocean waters of California and is rarely caught north of Pt. Arguello. It is well known by its common name and is thus accurately recorded in statistical records. Commercial landings, however, are not great, amounting to about 100,000 pounds annually in recent years.

1.5.1. Sport

Many rockfishes are difficult to identify. As a result sport catch statistics provide only an estimate of the importance of individual species. These data indicate that blue rockfish are the most important species in northern sport catches, while bocaccio are more important to the south.

1.6. PRODUCTS

A Monterey sardine canner experimentally canned rockfish in 1941 but the venture failed. Small amounts have been salted and a few are marketed fresh dressed, particularly in Southern California.

A large part of the Pacific Coast rockfish catch is marketed as skinned fillets.

Seventy percent of the round weight is lost in the filleting process. This portion is reduced to meal for livestock feeding or ground with "trashfish" and used for mink and trout food. In 1955 California landings of "trashfish" for mink food totaled about one million pounds, most of which was landed in the Eureka and Fort Bragg areas. Samples of this catch indicated that about 10 percent of the total consisted of unmarketable rockfish.

1.6.1. Freezing

An important problem of concern in recent years has been to determine the freezer storage life of fillets from various rockfishes. Preliminary work on this problem has been conducted by the U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service in their Seattle laboratory. Several species were filleted and tested for initial palatability and appearance after having been frozen for varying periods of time (Miyachi, D. T., and M. E. Standsby, 1952). These tests were limited to one lot of samples for each species, but the relative comparisons between species are of considerable interest. Fillet samples were tested from eight Pacific Coast species: Pacific ocean perch, and chilipepper, bocaccio, and splitnose, canary, vermilion, turkey-red, and channel rockfish. Tests were also made on the Atlantic ocean perch for comparison.

All lots of fillets from the various rockfish were tested prior to freezing and storage and found to differ in appearance, texture, and flavor. Flavor was rated as either good or very good for all species. After having been held in cold storage at 0° F. for varying periods of time, there were striking changes in appearance and flavor of some of the fillets. Pacific ocean perch was judged as having the best cold storage quality and the longest cold storage life (32 weeks). Bocaccio was second best (29 weeks). Vermilion rockfish deteriorated so rapidly that they were considered unsuitable for frozen storage. The remaining species tested had an acceptable cold storage life of 20 to 24 weeks. Atlantic ocean perch fillets were quite similar to those of Pacific ocean

perch in appearance, flavor, and texture throughout the storage period. They had an acceptable cold storage life of 29 weeks.

On the basis of these tests the armed forces are specifying, by both common and scientific name, the rockfish they will accept. At the top of the list are Pacific ocean perch and bocaccio. Both of these species have a long freezer life and can thus be shipped overseas. Species with a shorter freezer life are destined for forces stationed in this country. However, an antifish attitude, due to uncertainties in quality of the packaged domestic product, exists among servicemen. This attitude has been reported from Army installations in Japan. Servicemen were relatively satisfied with fish obtained from Japanese waters, but domestic frozen fish shipped overseas for armed forces consumption did not "go over." Consequently, the office of the Quartermaster General has proposed a long-range frozen fish research program (Petersen, 1955). The main purpose of this program is: to determine relative consumer preference for various species of fish caught during different periods of the fishing season; to note their storage life; and to find a usable method for determining freshness in frozen fish.

1.7. REGULATIONS

California has very few laws that affect sport or commercial fishing for rockfish. Commercial setlines and longlines are permitted in all ocean waters of the State except the bays of Humboldt, San Francisco, San Pablo, Morro, and San Diego, and small areas in the northern and southern sections of Monterey Bay. Also the waters surrounding Santa Catalina Island are closed to commercial fishing.

Drag net operations are not permitted within three miles of the mainland anywhere in the State, and the use or possession of these nets is prohibited south of the Santa Barbara-Ventura County line. Minimum legal size mesh permitted in drag nets is four and one-half inches inside stretch measure.

No size, bag or seasonal limits apply to the commercial taking of rockfish in California.

Sportfishermen are restricted to 20 rockfish per day to conserve the easily accessible sport species found near rocky inshore areas.

1.8. RESEARCH

1.8.1. *Age and Growth*

Wales (1952), in a study of the blue rockfish, *Sebastes mystinus*, used scales for determining the ages of specimens caught off Pacific Grove, California. He found that seven age groups were represented, but only the first four annuli on the scales could be easily recognized.

In the Washington State Department of Fisheries Annual Report for 1950, it is briefly noted that the copper rockfish, *Sebastes caurinus*, will attain an age of over 20 years.

Perlmutter and Clarke (1949), studied immature Atlantic ocean perch and found that opercular bones, otoliths, and scales had growth bands, but scales proved the best for interpreting growth. They found that the scales do not form until the spring following the year of birth (hatching takes place from mid-May to September) necessitating the addition of one year to the total age indicated by annuli on the

scales. Growth is slow in this species. Fish with nine annuli on their scales were found to have an average length, snout to fork of tail, of only eight and one-half inches. Superficial examination of scales from larger fish indicated that they must be 20 years of age or older. Veschezerov (1944) reported comparable growth for rosefish, *Sebastes marinus*, in Barents Sea.

1.8.2. Maturity and Fecundity

Wales (1952) found that first maturity in the blue rockfish, *Sebastes mystinus*, occurs in the third and fourth years in males, and in the fourth and fifth years in females. A 16-inch female contained 524,000 eggs.

Perlmutter and Clarke (1949) found that first maturity in the Atlantic ocean perch, does not occur until the ninth or tenth year.

Clemens and Wilby (1946) noted that a specimen of "red snapper," *Sebastes ruberrimus*, weighing 19½ pounds contained approximately 2,700,000 eggs. It was also noted that a large orange rockfish, *S. pinniger*, may contain as many as 600,000 eggs.

1.8.3. Spawning

Fertilization is internal in the species of the genus *Sebastes* found along the Pacific Coast of North America and those found along the coast of Japan and the embryos develop within the body of the female until time of hatching. The same condition exists in *Sebastes marinus* of the Atlantic coast.

Sculpin eggs are fertilized externally. They are laid in floating masses resembling bilobed balloons.

It appears that the eggs are fertilized externally in the channel rockfish, *Sebastolobus alascanus* and *Sebastolobus altivelis*, however, little is known about the spawning habits of these two species.

Surveys conducted by the California Cooperative Sardine Research Program show that the larvae of a number of species of rockfish in the genus *Sebastes* occur in great abundance throughout the year, in some cases as far as 300 miles off the coast of California.

For blue rockfish taken in Monterey Bay, Wales (1952) noted that the larvae hatched November to January. Alverson (1953) noted a mid-winter hatching period, probably during the months of January and February, for Pacific ocean perch in Pacific Northwest waters. Clemens and Wilby (1946) noted embryos about ready to hatch in February and March in specimens of canary rockfish from off Vancouver Island.

Phillips (unpublished) has noted a December to March hatching period in central Californian waters for several species including: bocaccio and chilipepper, and widow, speckled, cow, yellowtail, canary, vermilion, shortbelly, and stripetail rockfish. In some other species it appears that the hatching period may occur later.

Okada (1955) found that the hatching period for several species of Japanese *Sebastes* was January to May. Perlmutter and Clarke (1949) cite a mid-May to September hatching period for Atlantic ocean perch taken in the Gulf of Maine.

1.8.4. Rearing Larvae

Morris (1956) reared the larvae of bocaccio, chilipepper, shortbelly rockfish, and stripetail rockfish for periods of 7 to 12 days. None survived the transition from the yolk sac stage although a few larvae of each species had ingested some small *Artemia* (brine shrimp).

The larvae were stripped from fish that had been caught in 100 fathoms of water off Monterey, California and were reared in salt water aquaria at the Hopkins Marine Station, Pacific Grove, California. The ovarian phase of development was apparently complete because the larvae began to swim within a few seconds after they were placed in water. At this stage the embryos are sufficiently pigmented with black so as to give the ready-to-hatch eggs a dark gray appearance.

If rockfish larvae could be reared successfully beyond this critical stage, and proper natural food made available before starvation occurs, it would be possible to illustrate all stages of development in the different species. With this knowledge, annual spawning success could be determined by means of plankton hauls and thus valuable information would be obtained for use in the management of our rockfish resources.

1.8.5. Tagging

Very little tagging of Pacific Coast rockfish has been undertaken. In 1929–1930, Wales (1952) tagged 1,050 blue rockfish which had been caught close to shore off Pacific Grove, California. Non-corrosive, metal strap tags were attached to the opercle. Although a total of 17 tagged fish was recaptured by hook and line fishing within 10 months, no definite information concerning the movements of this species was gained.

Tagging the species of adult rockfish found in comparatively shallow water, which are of primary interest to sportsmen, will not be difficult. However, tagging the commercially important species caught in deep water is a problem because of the difference in pressure between the surface and the deeper water.

Washington biologists, during the summer of 1956, started tagging "bloated" true cod, *Gadus macrocephalus*, brought up from deep water. These fish were deflated by puncturing the air bladder and applying pressure to the body walls (Pacific Fisherman, 1956b). It is not certain that such a method would work on rockfishes because expansion of gases in the air bladder often pushes the stomach out of place, inverting it into the throat. Also, the eyes frequently are popped. Various schemes for tagging such fish without bringing them to the surface have been considered. One of these proposals is to use detachable, marked hooks.

U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service biologists at Woods Hole, Massachusetts, considered various means by which the Atlantic ocean perch might be tagged. This species normally occurs in depths of 40–200 fathoms and is in a "bloated" condition when brought to the surface. Before any tagging of these deep living fish was attempted it was decided to investigate rumors that ocean perch occur near the surface in the late summer off Eastport, Maine. A check revealed hundreds of ocean perch feeding at or near the surface on small pelagic shrimp, *Meganyctiphanes*.

In three days of hook and line fishing during August, 1956, 317 rockfish were tagged. Biologists hope to eventually tag several thousand in this manner. The tag used was a brilliant yellow disc, pinned through the gill cover on the left side of the fish (Commercial Fisheries Review, 1956a).

It is possible that in some areas along the coast of California where upwelling of cold subsurface water occurs, deep water rockfish may be found near the surface, and thus tagging could be conducted on relatively normal fish. Also, since the immature of deep water species are found in shallower water, exploratory work may reveal areas of concentration of immature fish large enough to be tagged before they move into deeper water.

1.8.6. Racial Studies

No racial studies on the species of Pacific Coast rockfish have been reported. Perlmutter and Clarke (1949) subdivided the stock of Atlantic ocean perch occurring in the Gulf of Maine and off the western Nova Scotian coast into six population units. These units were determined by noting the centers of fishing, and the size composition of the catch in each center, and the degree of infestation of the fish with the copepod, *Sphyrion lumpi*.

1.8.7. Exploratory Fishing

No exploratory fishing has been conducted off the coast of California for new rockfish grounds, except by commercial fishermen. However, in the Pacific Northwest an uncharted seamount, on which there was an abundance of rockfish, was discovered during an exploratory cruise for albacore. The U. S. Fish and Wildlife Service vessel JOHN N. COBB ran over this uncharted seamount on August 3, 1950, about 280 miles west of Willapa Harbor, Washington. Soundings showed the shallowest portion to be 22 fathoms beneath the surface of the sea. There was also a large area 70 fathoms deep, surrounded by waters of 1,400 to 1,600 fathoms. Longline gear set at 70 fathoms yielded a good catch of large turkey-red rockfish, averaging 15 pounds each.

While passing over the seamount again on September 15, 1950, longline gear was fished at 40–160 fathoms. This time, in addition to turkey-reds, two unidentified species of rockfish were taken together with four Pacific halibut. Bottom samples and depth recorder traces indicated a rough, hard bottom with some fairly flat ledges, but unsuitable for trawling (Commercial Fisheries Review, 1950a).

1.9. CATCH STATISTICS

A program designed to improve a fishery must be based on reliable catch statistics. It is sometimes very difficult to obtain reliable rockfish catch information.

The multiplicity of species in the landings and the variation in common names within and between ports make it difficult for party boat skippers and market dealers alike to accurately report the species landed.

Uniform reporting of species in the commercial rockfish landings will be simplified if the "standard grouping" system proposed by the author can be effected. This system (Table 5) is designed to permit correct recording of the more important individual species. Less important species are grouped in what is considered "normal" combinations. In the future, if any species in a combination becomes important, it can be separated by its authorized common name. This procedure may be necessary in order to adapt a uniform rockfish reporting system to the sport catch. An improved reporting system will enable fishery biologists to evaluate trends in the total catch and to establish a sound basis for a better catch.

TABLE 5
Proposed Standardized Group Names for Reporting Commercial Rockfish Landings

Group names	Common names	Scientific names
Bocaccio.....	Bocaccio.....	<i>Sebastes paucispinis</i>
Chilipepper.....	Chilipepper.....	<i>Sebastes goodei</i>
Yellowtail rockfish.....	Yellowtail rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes flavidus</i>
Widow rockfish.....	Olive rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes serranoides</i>
	Widow rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes entomelas</i>
	Speckled rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes ovalis</i>
Blotch rockfish.....	Dark-blotched rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes crameri</i>
Canary rockfish.....	Canary rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes piniger</i>
Genuine red rockfish.....	Vermilion rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes miniatus</i>
	Turkey-red rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes ruberrimus</i>
Large red rockfish.....	Flag rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes rubrivinctus</i>
	Brown rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes auriculatus</i>
	Whitebelly rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes vexillaris</i>
	Copper rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes caurinus</i>
	Greenspotted rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes chlorostictus</i>
	Starry rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes constellatus</i>
Small red rockfish.....	Rosy rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes rosaceus</i>
	Pink rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes eos</i>
	Honeycomb rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes umbrosus</i>
	Swordspine rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes rhodochloris</i>
Rosefish.....	Rosethorn rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes helvomaculatus</i>
	Splitnose rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes diploproa</i>
Pacific ocean perch.....	Pacific ocean perch.....	<i>Sebastes alutus</i>
Black rockfish.....	Black rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes melanops</i>
	Blue rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes mystinus</i>
Gopher rockfish.....	Gopher rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes carnatus</i>
	Black-and-yellow.....	<i>Sebastes chrysomelas</i>
	Kelp rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes atrovirens</i>
	Grass rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes rastrelliger</i>
	China rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes nebulosus</i>
	Treefish.....	<i>Sebastes serriiceps</i>
Rockfish (Uncommon marketable species).....	Cow rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes levis</i>
	Silvergray rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes brevispinis</i>
	Aurora rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes aurora</i>
	Tiger rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes nigrocinctus</i>
	Redstripe rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes proriger</i>
	Rougheye rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes aleutianus</i>
	Quillback rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes maliger</i>
	Coral-red rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes macdonaldi</i>
	Blackgill rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes melanostomus</i>
Bronzespotted rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes gilli</i>	
Rockfish (Small unmarketable species).....	Shortbelly rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes jordani</i>
	Stripetail rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes saxicola</i>
	Calico rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes dalli</i>
	Halfbanded rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes semicinctus</i>
	Sharpehin rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes zacentrus</i>
	Squarespot rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes hopkinsi</i>
	Pygmy rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes wilsoni</i>
Greenstriped rockfish.....	<i>Sebastes elongatus</i>	

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2. LIST OF COMMON AND SCIENTIFIC NAMES OF FISHES, CRUSTACEANS, AND MOLLUSKS

<i>Common name</i>	<i>Scientific name</i>
Anchovy	<i>Engraulis mordax</i>
Barracuda, California	<i>Sphyraena argentea</i>
Bonito	<i>Sarda chiliensis</i>
Cabezon	<i>Scorpaenichthys marmoratus</i>
Cabrilla	<i>Epinephelus analogus</i>
Carp	<i>Cyprinus carpio</i>
Corvina, shortfin	<i>Cynoscion parvipinnis</i>
Croaker, white (kingfish)	<i>Genyonemus lineatus</i>
Small amounts of queenfish	<i>Seriphus politus</i>
Dolphinfish	<i>Coryphaena hippurus</i>
Eel California moray	<i>Gymnothorax mordax</i>
Monkeyface-eel	<i>Cebidichthys violaceus</i>
Rock-eel	<i>Xiphister mucosus</i>
Flounder Starry flounder	<i>Platichthys stellatus</i>
Small amounts of other flatfishes	<i>Cypselurus californicus</i>
Flyingfish	
Grouper	Species of <i>Mycteroperca</i>
Hake	<i>Merluccius productus</i>
Halfmoon	<i>Medialuna californiensis</i>
Halibut, arrowtooth	<i>Atheresthes stomias</i>
Halibut, California	<i>Paralichthys californicus</i>
Halibut, Pacific	<i>Hippoglossus stenolepis</i>
Hardhead Greaser blackfish	<i>Orthodon microlepidotus</i>
Hardhead	<i>Mylopharodon conocephalus</i>
Herring, Pacific	<i>Clupea pallasii</i>
Lingcod	<i>Ophiodon elongatus</i>
Mackerel, jack	<i>Trachurus symmetricus</i>
Mackerel, Pacific	<i>Pneumatophorus diego</i>
Needlefish, California	<i>Strongylura exilis</i>
Opaleye	<i>Girella nigricans</i>
Perch Surfperch	Members of family <i>Embiotocidae</i>
Pompano, California	<i>Palometa simillima</i>
Ratfish	<i>Hydrolagus collicii</i>
Rock bass Kelp bass	<i>Paralabrax clathratus</i>
Sand bass	<i>Paralabrax nebulifer</i>
Rockfish	All species of <i>Sebastes</i> and <i>Sebastolobus</i>
Sablefish	<i>Anoplopoma fimbria</i>
Salmon King	<i>Oncorhynchus tshawytscha</i>
Silver	<i>Oncorhynchus kisutch</i>
Sanddab	<i>Citharichthys sordidus</i>
Small amounts of other species	<i>Sardinops caerulea</i>
Sardine	
Sargo, California	<i>Anisotremus davidsoni</i>
Sculpin	<i>Scorpaena guttata</i>
Sculpin, staghorn	<i>Leptocottus armatus</i>
Sea bass, black	<i>Stereolepis gigas</i>
Seabass, white	<i>Cynoscion nobilis</i>
Seatrout, greenling	<i>Hexagrammos decagrammus</i>
Shad	<i>Alosa sapidissima</i>

Shark	
Basking	<i>Cetorhinus maximus</i>
Bonito	<i>Isurus glaucus</i>
Dogfish	<i>Squalus acanthias</i>
Leopard	<i>Triakis semifasciata</i>
Soupin	<i>Galeorhinus zyopterus</i>
Thresher	<i>Alopias vulpinus</i>
Varying amounts of other species	
Sheep-head	<i>Pimelometopon pulchrum</i>
Sierra	<i>Scomberomorus sierra</i>
Skate	
Big	<i>Raja binoculata</i>
California	<i>Raja inornata</i>
Longnose	<i>Raja rhina</i>
Smelt	
Grunion	<i>Leuresthes tenuis</i>
Jacksmelt	<i>Atherinopsis californiensis</i>
Surf	<i>Hypomesus pretiosus</i>
Topsmelt	<i>Atherinops affinis</i>
Sole	
Dover	<i>Microstomus pacificus</i>
English	<i>Parophrys vetulus</i>
Petrale	<i>Eopsetta jordani</i>
Rex	<i>Glyptocephalus zachirus</i>
Sand	<i>Psettichthys melanostictus</i>
Varying amounts of other species	
Splittail	<i>Pogonichthys macrolepidotus</i>
Squawfish	<i>Ptychocheilus grandis</i>
Sturgeon	Member of family <i>Acipenseridae</i>
Swordfish	<i>Xiphias gladius</i>
Tomcod	<i>Microgadus proximus</i>
Tuna	
Albacore	<i>Thunnus germon</i>
Bigeye	<i>Parathunnus sibi</i>
Bluefin	<i>Thunnus saliens</i>
Skipjack	<i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i>
Yellowfin	<i>Neothunnus macropterus</i>
Turbot	
Curlfin	<i>Pleuronichthys decurrens</i>
Diamond	<i>Hypsopsetta guttulata</i>
Hornyhead	<i>Pleuronichthys verticalis</i>
Small amounts of other species	
Wahoo	<i>Acanthocybium solandri</i>
Whitebait	<i>Allosmerus elongatus</i> <i>Spirinchus starksi</i> Young of several other species
Whitefish, ocean	<i>Caulolatilus princeps</i>
Yellowtail	<i>Seriola dorsalis</i>
Crab	<i>Cancer magister</i>
Crab, rock	Other species of <i>Cancer</i>
Lobster, spiny	<i>Panulirus interruptus</i>
Prawn	<i>Pandalus</i> species
Shrimp, bay	<i>Crago franciscorum</i> <i>Crago nigricauda</i>
Shrimp, ocean	<i>Pandalus jordani</i> <i>Pandalus platyceros</i>

<i>Common name</i>	<i>Scientific name</i>
Abalone	
Pink	<i>Haliotis corrugata</i>
Red	<i>Haliotis rufescens</i>
Southern green	<i>Haliotis fulgens</i>
White	<i>Haliotis sorenseni</i>
Clam	
Gaper	<i>Schizothaerus nuttalli</i>
Jackknife	<i>Tagelus californianus</i>
Pismo	<i>Tivela stultorum</i>
Washington	<i>Saxidomus nuttalli</i>
Octopus	<i>Paroctopus appollyon</i>
Oyster	
Eastern	<i>Crassostrea virginica</i>
Kumamoto	<i>Crassostrea gigas</i> var.
Native	<i>Ostrea lurida</i>
Pacific, giant	<i>Crassostrea gigas</i>
Squid	<i>Loligo opalescens</i>

3. EXPLANATION OF TABLES

Tables published in this bulletin supply the complete available record of all fish, mollusks, and crustaceans landed in California by commercial fishing vessels or shipped into California for processing.

Fishing vessels possessing California Fish and Game plates and delivering fish to foreign ports for transshipment to California cannot always be identified and the bulk of their landings cannot be separated in the record. Shipment figures are complete for fish that are processed. Statistics on shipments of fish destined for sale, either fresh or frozen, or for transshipment are not included because our records are incomplete.

Condition or extent of cleaning is not always indicated on the source documents (fish receipts) and for the various species this cannot be ascertained. We therefore use the weight as given by the dealer.

Mollusks and crustaceans are often purchased by number or container size rather than by weight. It is desirable to show all catch figures in round weight. Hence appropriate average conversion factors have been developed as follows:

Crab, market	2 lbs. each
Abalone, red	50 lbs. per doz.
Abalone, pink	35 lbs. per doz.
Abalone, southern green	35 lbs. per doz.
Clams, Mexican Pismo	8 lbs. round wt. per 1 lb. cleaned wt.
Clams, Washington	7 lbs. per doz.
Oyster, eastern	30 lbs. per hundred
Oyster, giant Pacific	50 lbs. per hundred

The value of the species of fish is based on the value to the fishermen at the time of delivery. When the price per pound is not indicated on the fish receipt, an average price is calculated for each region and

applied to the unpriced fish. The statistical regions and counties contained therein are shown in Figure 1.

Occasionally small poundages of fish are sold in counties away from the coastal regions. In these instances credit is given to the nearest port and region. Halibut delivered to the San Francisco region in previous years was prorated and published as 90 percent Pacific halibut and 10 percent California halibut. Recent investigation indicates that 90 to 99 percent of the landings are California halibut, instead of Pacific halibut. Hence, all halibut landed in the San Francisco region is published as California halibut except when the variety is specifically designated as Pacific or Northern by the fish dealers.

Most notable change in this year's bulletin is the separation of the more important species of sole. Dover, English, petrale, rex and sand sole are recorded individually. Arrowtooth halibut, also separated, was formerly combined with the aforementioned species in the general sole category. This change was made to answer requests for the pounds and value of the separate species of sole. Changes cause problems, in this case anyone wanting to make comparisons with previous years sole landings would have to combine the species mentioned above with the general category, sole unclassified.

The trend in total landings is shown in Table 6 and Figure 7 for the years 1916–1955. The pounds and value for 1955 and 1956 are compared in Tables 7 and 8 and Figures 8 and 9. The number of licensed fishermen and boats registered yearly are given in Tables 9 through 13. The term "yearly" is used as it distinguishes license year April 1 through March 31 from calendar year as used in the remaining tables.

Detail poundages by species and regions for 1955 are included in Tables 14–23, and for 1956 in Tables 32–41. Value figures for 1955 are given in Tables 24–31 and for 1956 in Tables 42–49. The catch of the most important fish taken by party boat sportfishermen is given by numbers in Table 50 for the years 1947–1956. The live bait catch for 1952 through 1956 is included in Table 51.

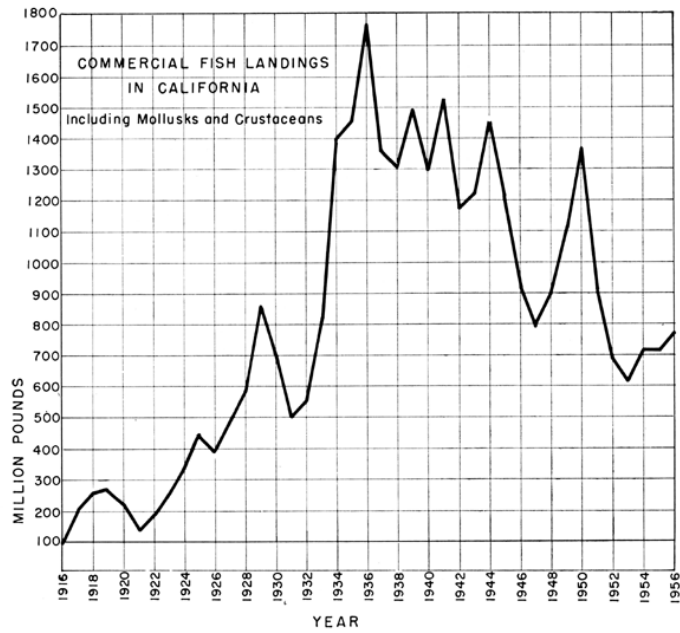


Figure 7. TOTAL ANNUAL LANDINGS AND SHIPMENTS INTO CALIFORNIA. INCLUDES SARDINE DELIVERIES TO REDUCTION SHIPS 1930-1938 (SEE TABLE 6).

Figure 7. TOTAL ANNUAL LANDINGS AND SHIPMENTS INTO CALIFORNIA. INCLUDES SARDINE DELIVERIES TO REDUCTION SHIPS 1930-1938 (SEE TABLE 6)

TABLE 6
 Total Annual Landings and Shipments Into California of Commercial Fish, Mollusks, and Crustaceans
 Includes Sardine Deliveries to Reduction Ships During 1930 Through 1938

Year	Pounds	Year	Pounds
1916.....	95,002,695	1936.....	1,764,900,136
1917.....	209,876,670	1937.....	1,362,983,717
1918.....	261,134,265	1938.....	1,310,595,651
1919.....	266,270,240	1939.....	1,486,534,906
1920.....	222,004,376	1940.....	1,297,517,441
1921.....	135,347,826	1941.....	1,529,147,645
1922.....	182,343,333	1942.....	1,173,414,078
1923.....	253,874,581	1943.....	1,234,049,119
1924.....	340,445,919	1944.....	1,459,445,839
1925.....	437,502,232	1945.....	1,216,467,433
1926.....	394,964,393	1946.....	919,850,476
1927.....	487,166,143	1947.....	795,498,998
1928.....	583,526,751	1948.....	900,540,206
1929.....	856,854,055	1949.....	1,135,325,345
1930.....	702,188,795	1950.....	1,366,596,282
1931.....	502,389,875	1951.....	904,088,178
1932.....	556,139,053	1952.....	694,976,990
1933.....	821,805,007	1953.....	618,898,616
1934.....	1,390,798,650	1954.....	713,406,246
1935.....	1,448,016,584	1955.....	710,713,523
		1956.....	772,548,722

TABLE 6
 Total Annual Landings and Shipments Into California of Commercial Fish, Mollusks, and Crustaceans Includes
 Sardine Deliveries to Reduction Ships During 1930 Through 1938

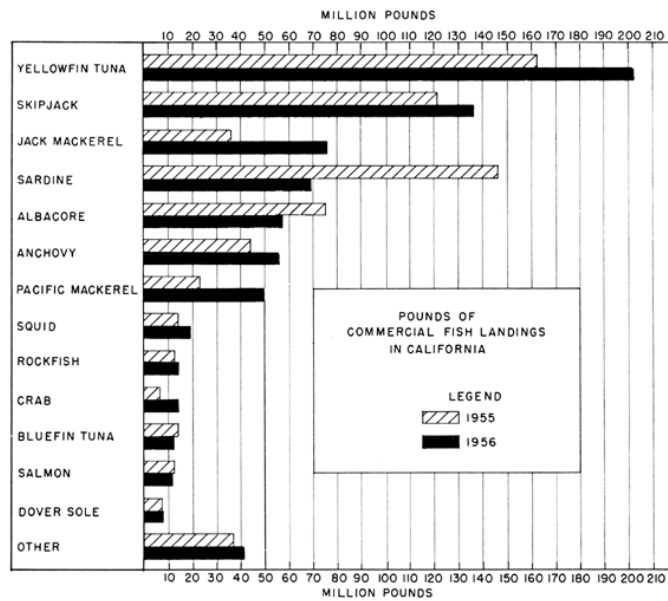


Figure 8 COMPARATIVE LANDINGS IN 1955 AND 1956 OF THE MORE IMPORTANT COMMERCIAL SPECIES. INCLUDES SHIPMENTS AND FISHING BOAT LANDINGS. (SEE TABLE 7).

Figure 8 COMPARATIVE LANDINGS IN 1955 AND 1956 OF THE MORE IMPORTANT COMMERCIAL SPECIES. INCLUDES SHIPMENTS AND FISHING BOAT LANDINGS. (SEE TABLE 7)

TABLE 7
Total Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California

1955		1956	
Species	Pounds	Species	Pounds
Yellowfin tuna.....	162,818,007	Yellowfin tuna.....	203,885,489
Sardine.....	145,607,749	Skipjack.....	135,995,434
Skipjack.....	120,524,979	Jack mackerel.....	75,762,110
Albacore.....	73,846,973	Sardine.....	69,561,145
Anchovy.....	44,691,582	Albacore.....	57,377,986
Jack mackerel.....	35,754,707	Anchovy.....	56,920,585
Pacific mackerel.....	23,311,211	Pacific mackerel.....	50,013,009
Squid.....	14,271,968	Squid.....	19,483,984
Bluefin tuna.....	13,952,323	Rockfish.....	14,943,515
Rockfish.....	12,681,697	Crab.....	14,320,459
Salmon.....	12,416,795	Bluefin tuna.....	12,788,843
Dover sole.....	8,185,501	Salmon.....	11,602,753
Crab.....	6,119,320	Dover sole.....	8,265,424
Abalone.....	4,185,875	Giant Pacific oyster.....	6,101,220
English sole.....	4,134,779	Abalone.....	4,284,063
Petrale sole.....	3,619,503	English sole.....	3,824,952
Sablefish.....	2,518,207	Sablefish.....	3,471,819
Pacific herring.....	1,946,521	Petrale sole.....	2,830,058
Giant Pacific oyster.....	1,635,067	Pacific herring.....	1,735,776
Pismo clam.....	1,578,976	Hake.....	1,376,217
California barracuda.....	1,140,659	Pismo clam.....	1,274,312
Rex sole.....	1,094,437	Ocean shrimp.....	1,168,519
All others.....	14,676,187	Rex sole.....	1,147,373
		White seabass.....	1,090,710
		Shark.....	1,085,314
		Arrowtooth halibut.....	1,070,597
		All others.....	11,164,056
Total pounds.....	710,713,523	Total pounds.....	772,548,722

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Total Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California

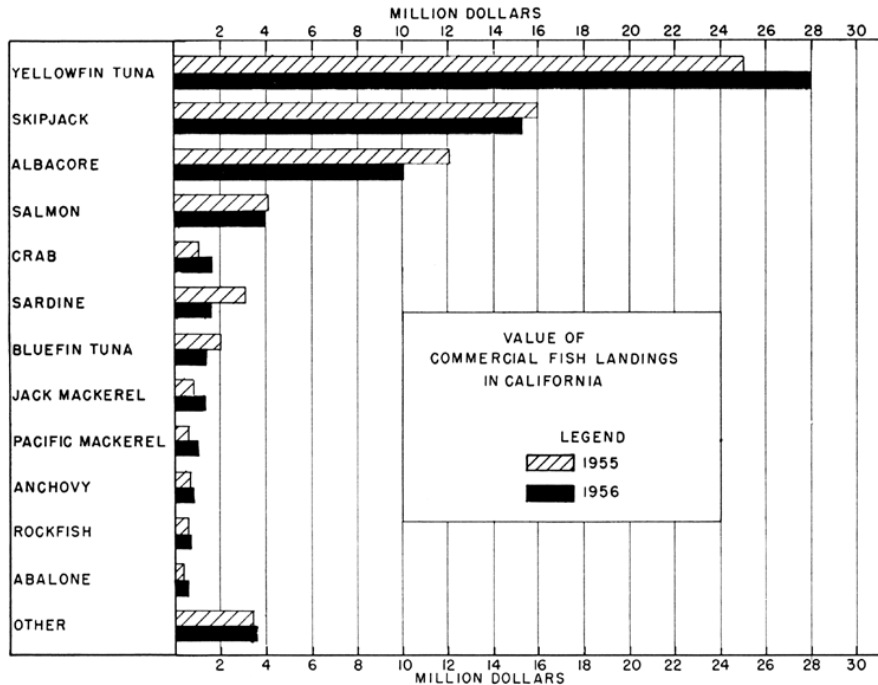


Figure 9. COMPARATIVE VALUES IN 1955 AND 1956 OF THE MORE IMPORTANT COMMERCIAL SPECIES. INCLUDES SHIPMENTS AND FISHING BOAT LANDINGS. (SEE TABLE 8).

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TABLE 8

Value of Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California

1955		1956	
Species	Value	Species	Value
Yellowfin tuna.....	\$24,479,754	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$28,003,747
Skipjack.....	15,984,232	Skipjack.....	15,544,901
Albacore.....	12,175,319	Albacore.....	10,075,357
Salmon.....	4,087,719	Salmon.....	4,030,755
Sardine.....	3,069,453	Crab.....	1,816,116
Bluefin tuna.....	1,985,392	Sardine.....	1,673,705
Crab.....	976,305	Bluefin tuna.....	1,669,979
Jack mackerel.....	711,724	Jack mackerel.....	1,531,587
Anchovy.....	596,584	Pacific mackerel.....	1,065,512
Pacific mackerel.....	531,657	Anchovy.....	721,792
Rockfish.....	513,851	Rockfish.....	630,848
Spiny lobster.....	433,719	Abalone.....	480,584
Abalone.....	423,253	Dover sole.....	391,299
Dover sole.....	395,452	Spiny lobster.....	384,722
All others.....	2,750,030	All others.....	3,084,101
Total value.....	\$69,114,444	Total value.....	\$71,105,005

TABLE 8

Value of Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California

TABLE 9

Yearly Number of Licensed Commercial Fishermen in California

1947-1948	12,894	1952-1953	11,566
1948-1949	14,261	1953-1954	11,372
1949-1950	14,962	1954-1955	11,647
1950-1951	14,600	1955-1956	10,277
1951-1952	13,193	1956-1957	9,811

TABLE 9

Yearly Number of Licensed Commercial Fishermen in California

TABLE 10

Number of Commercial Fishermen Licensed by Region and License Year

Region of residence	Number of fishermen	
	1955-1956	1956-1957
Eureka	843	1,016
Sacramento	472	383
San Francisco	1,309	1,413
Monterey	958	905
Santa Barbara	458	479
Los Angeles	3,162	2,685
San Diego	2,503	2,299
Alaska, Washington and Oregon fishermen licensed in California	528	599
Mexican nationals licensed in California	31	18
Other registry	13	14
Totals	10,277	9,811

TABLE 10

Number of Commercial Fishermen Licensed by Region and License Year

TABLE 11
Yearly Number of Fishing Boats, Grouped According to Length

Season	Under 40 feet	40 to 84 feet	85 feet and over	Total
1947-1948	3,639	1,201	202	5,042
1948-1949	4,088	1,378	256	5,722
1949-1950	4,294	1,595	271	6,160
1950-1951	4,127	1,710	266	6,103
1951-1952	3,927	1,631	279	5,837
1952-1953	3,599	1,583	272	5,454
1953-1954	3,589	1,595	246	5,430
1954-1955	3,167	1,520	215	4,902
1955-1956	2,949	1,297	204	4,450
1956-1957	2,886	1,267	199	4,352

TABLE 11
Yearly Number of Fishing Boats, Grouped According to Length

TABLE 12
Number of Fishing Boats, Grouped by Length and Region of Home Port During the 1955-1956 Season

Region of home port	Number of boats, grouped by length						Total number of boats for each region
	Up to 24 feet	25 to 39 feet	40 to 64 feet	65 to 84 feet	85 to 99 feet	100 feet and over	
Eureka	145	247	84	4	1	2	483
Sacramento	30	164	9	1			204
San Francisco	52	518	167	4		2	743
Monterey	146	237	62	21	2		468
Santa Barbara	35	126	72	1			234
Los Angeles	199	637	367	88	35	17	1,343
San Diego	123	234	163	20	36	106	682
Alaska, Washington and Oregon	2	54	210	24		3	293
Total number of boats	732	2,217	1,134	163	74	130	14,450

¹ The owners of 809 of these vessels were issued fishing party permits.

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Number of Fishing Boats, Grouped by Length and Region of Home Port During the 1955-1956 Season

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Region of home port	Number of boats, grouped by length						Total number of boats for each region
	Up to 24 feet	25 to 39 feet	40 to 64 feet	65 to 84 feet	85 to 99 feet	100 feet and over	
Eureka	191	270	90	4	1	2	558
Sacramento	31	156	5				192
San Francisco	101	499	157	10			767
Monterey	130	242	78	21	2		473
Santa Barbara	33	136	65	3			237
Los Angeles	169	535	340	73	34	19	1,170
San Diego	99	215	166	24	35	102	641
Alaska, Washington and Oregon	3	76	213	18	3	1	314
Total number of boats	757	2,129	1,114	153	75	124	14,352

¹ The owners of 722 of these vessels were issued fishing party permits.

TABLE 13
Number of Fishing Boats, Grouped by Length and Region of Home Port During the 1956-1957 Season

TABLE 14
Origin of Shipments of Fresh Fish Into California During 1955

Shipped from	Shipped to					Total pounds
	San Francisco region	Monterey region	Santa Barbara region	Los Angeles region	San Diego region	
Continental United States:						
Eel.....				508		508
Shad.....	21,568					21,568
Tuna, yellowfin (Gulf of Mexico)				23,007		23,007
Miscellaneous fish.....	6,150			114,180		120,330
Oregon, Washington, Canada and Alaska:						
Halibut, Pacific.....	40,529					40,529
Sablefish.....	221,689			230,781		452,470
Salmon.....	81,656			356,651		438,307
Shad.....	6,285					6,285
Sturgeon.....				21,665		21,665
Miscellaneous fish.....	10,940			95		11,035
South of the international boundary:						
Cabrilla.....				15,362	982	16,344
Grouper.....				9,544	921	10,465
Halibut, California.....					10,460	10,460
Mackerel, Pacific.....					909	909
Sculpin.....					674	674
Seabass, white.....					263	263
Tuna, albacore.....					3,193	3,193
Tuna, skipjack.....				156,791	215,777	372,568
Tuna, yellowfin.....				87,014	64,395	151,409
Wahoo.....				132		132
Mollusk:						
Clam, Pismo.....				1,578,976		1,578,976
South America:						
Bonito.....				2,935		2,935
Tuna, albacore.....				392,641	2,876	395,517
Tuna, bigeye.....	12,186		2,530	5,896		20,612
Tuna, skipjack.....	1,136,739	376,491		10,028,686	6,571,123	18,113,039
Tuna, yellowfin.....	47,183	226,139		3,457,755	3,866,642	7,597,719
Japan:						
Salmon.....				746		746
Swordfish.....				1,081		1,081
Tuna, albacore.....	4,787,991			38,788,908	869,066	44,445,965
Tuna, bigeye.....	100,277			391,645		491,922
Tuna, skipjack.....	7,513,530		2,338,254	148,416		148,416
Tuna, yellowfin.....				22,902,224		32,754,008
Australia:						
Tuna, bluefin.....				343,346		343,346
Total pounds.....	13,986,723	602,630	2,340,784	79,058,985	11,607,281	107,596,403

Recapitulation

	Pounds		Pounds
Bonito.....	2,935	Sturgeon.....	21,665
Cabrilla.....	16,344	Swordfish.....	1,081
Eel.....	508	Tuna, albacore.....	44,844,675
Grouper.....	10,465	Tuna, bigeye.....	512,534
Halibut, California.....	10,460	Tuna, bluefin.....	343,346
Halibut, Pacific.....	40,529	Tuna, skipjack.....	18,634,023
Mackerel, Pacific.....	909	Tuna, yellowfin.....	40,526,143
Sablefish.....	452,470	Wahoo.....	132
Salmon.....	439,053	Miscellaneous fish.....	131,365
Sculpin.....	674	Mollusk:	
Seabass, white.....	263	Clam, Pismo.....	1,578,976
Shad.....	27,853		
		Total pounds.....	107,596,403

TABLE 14
Origin of Shipments of Fresh Fish Into California During 1955

TABLE 15
Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1955
Fishing Boat Landings

Species	Fishing boat landings				Shipments ¹	Total pounds of fishing boat landings and shipments combined
	California	North of the state boundary	South of the international boundary	Total fishing boat landings		
Anechovy.....	44,691,582			44,691,582		44,691,582
Barraeuda, California.....	322,831		818,128	1,140,959		1,140,959
Bonito.....	40,354		96,636	136,990	2,935	139,925
Cabezon.....	6,944			6,944		6,944
Cabrilla.....			100,769	100,769	16,344	117,113
Carp.....	734,518			734,518		734,518
Croaker, white (kingfish).....	818,997		491	819,488		819,488
Eel.....					508	508
Flounder.....	646,948	3,232		650,180		650,180
Flyingfish.....	22,565			22,565		22,565
Grouper.....			245,520	245,520	10,465	255,985
Hake.....	883,007	73,538		956,545		956,545
Halfmoon.....	34,050		360	34,410		34,410
Halibut, arrowtooth.....	684,123	64,126		748,249		748,249
Halibut, California.....	363,834		145,968	509,802	10,460	520,262
Halibut, Pacific.....	51,942			51,942	40,529	92,471
Hardhead.....	64,436			64,436		64,436
Herring, Pacific.....	1,946,521			1,946,521		1,946,521
Langcod.....	934,200	30,726		964,926		964,926
Mackerel, jack.....	35,754,707			35,754,707		35,754,707
Mackerel, Pacific.....	23,310,005		297	23,310,302	909	23,311,211
Opaleye.....	6,117			6,117		6,117
Perch.....	136,554			136,554		136,554
Pompano, California.....	79,294		10	79,304		79,304
Ratfish.....	18,533			18,533		18,533
Rock bass.....			5,862	5,862		5,862
Rockfish.....	12,345,411	269,001	67,285	12,681,697		12,681,697
Sablefish.....	2,010,112	55,625		2,065,737	452,470	2,518,207
Salmon.....	11,939,364	35,378		11,977,742	439,053	12,416,795
Sanddab.....	778,839	2,688		781,527		781,527
Sardine.....	145,607,749			145,607,749		145,607,749
Sargo, California.....	695			695		695
Sculpin.....	105,174		2,851	108,025	674	108,699
Sculpin, staghorn.....	1,201			1,201		1,201
Sea bass, black.....	7,663		357,824	365,487		365,487
Seabass, white.....	544,953		369,912	914,865	263	915,128
Seatrust, greenling.....	752			752		752
Shad.....	478,454			478,454	27,853	506,307
Shark.....	546,968		29,233	576,201		576,201
Sheep-head.....	10,966		2,186	13,152		13,152
Sierra.....			4,240	4,240		4,240
Skate.....	152,622			152,622		152,622
Smelt.....	780,172			780,172		780,172
Sole, Dover.....	7,204,089	981,412		8,185,501		8,185,501
Sole, English.....	4,111,676	23,103		4,134,779		4,134,779
Sole, petrale.....	3,340,980	278,523		3,619,503		3,619,503
Sole, rex.....	1,070,834	23,603		1,094,437		1,094,437
Sole, sand.....	91,590	982		92,572		92,572
Sole, unclassified.....	19,452			19,452		19,452
Spittail.....	1,590			1,590		1,590
Squawfish.....	114			114		114
Sturgeon.....					21,665	21,665
Swordfish.....	112,647		22,012	134,659	1,081	135,740
Tomcod.....	2,869			2,869		2,869
Tuna, albacore.....	9,312,029		19,690,269	29,002,298	44,844,675	73,846,973
Tuna, bigeye.....					512,534	512,534
Tuna, bluefin.....	2,477,735		11,131,442	13,609,177	343,346	13,952,523
Tuna, skipjack.....	1,236		101,889,720	101,890,956	18,634,023	120,524,979
Tuna, yellowfin.....			122,291,864	122,291,864	40,526,143	162,818,007
Turbot.....	99,981	505		100,486		100,486

TABLE 15

Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1955 Fishing Boat Landings

TABLE 15—Continued
Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1955
Fishing Boat Landings

Species	Fishing boat landings				Shipments ¹	Total pounds of fishing boat landings and shipments combined
	California	North of the state boundary	South of the international boundary	Total fishing boat landings		
Wahoo.....			22,862	22,862	132	22,994
Whitebait.....	214,558			214,558		214,558
Whitefish, ocean.....	1,267		1,045	2,312		2,312
Yellowtail.....	5,570		188,752	164,322		164,322
Miscellaneous fish.....	4,486			4,486	131,365	135,851
Crustacean:						
Crab.....	6,113,884	5,436		6,119,320		6,119,320
Crab, rock.....	54,051			54,051		54,051
Lobster, spiny.....	855,416		3,709	859,125		859,125
Prawn.....	1,164			1,164		1,164
Shrimp, bay.....	682,731			682,731		682,731
Shrimp, ocean.....	838,556	100		838,656		838,656
Mollusk:						
Abalone.....	4,185,875			4,185,875		4,185,875
Clam, gaper.....	2,002			2,002		2,002
Clam, jackknife.....	36,837			36,837		36,837
Clam, Pismo.....					1,578,976	1,578,976
Clam, Washington.....	7,491			7,491		7,491
Octopus.....	26,346			26,346		26,346
Oyster, eastern.....	140,918			140,918		140,918
Oyster, native.....	18,560			18,560		18,560
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	1,635,067			1,635,067		1,635,067
Squid.....	14,271,968			14,271,968		14,271,968
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	169			169		169
Total pounds.....	343,806,895	1,850,978	257,459,247	603,117,120	107,596,403	710,713,523

¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 14.

TABLE 15
Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1955 Fishing Boat Landings

TABLE 16
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings:													
Anchovy	5,210,370	4,618,070	7,021,713	5,920,698	7,610,775	2,905,410	2,558,098	3,319,361	873,880	466,477	1,594,016	1,759,885	44,691,562
Barroeta, California	36,508	17,649	154,617	28,766	160,765	112,169	48,516	66,619	83,993	96,197	58,750	129,459	1,140,959
Bonito	77,020	11,620	828	2,273	1,800	299	198	883	4,028	23,066	12,191	138,969	151,981
Cabover	2,566	1,517	805	37	241	530	710	371	125	230	381	9	6,944
Calappa	14,573	8,475	17,269	2,755	8,867	12,066	.....	.....	.....	6,345	10,015	8,067	109,769
Crab	48,885	43,439	46,285	75,461	82,631	38,115	31,967	35,008	79,118	92,335	62,833	116,421	734,518
Craker, white (kingfish)	14,298	14,175	69,063	47,261	215,054	58,788	68,869	48,834	136,226	79,237	38,282	29,231	879,488
Flounder	21,181	94,890	77,413	24,179	92,276	14,611	41,099	197,256	99,092	45,012	21,856	8,834	651,180
Pyghead	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,663	10,869	3,874	588	2,561	.....	.....	.....	22,565
Grouper	77,418	35,822	21,315	7,699	2,779	28,695	599	3,988	.....	17,995	18,141	36,267	245,829
Hake	22,607	3,975	28,429	78,821	37,262	199,765	152,655	205,029	138,227	112,561	51,729	27,378	956,545
Haddock	1,190	3,739	3,891	628	2,412	2,778	1,477	1,279	2,962	6,849	1,831	.....	5,333
Hallbut, Arrowwood	18,800	5,588	32,035	89,233	23,346	94,179	102,190	149,628	75,548	87,354	41,789	15,559	748,219
Hallbut, California	73,079	63,690	51,075	38,822	28,193	27,264	47,811	43,299	21,645	41,684	31,131	27,729	909,892
Hallbut, Pacific	.....	.....	.....	24,344	19,680	.....	9,635	210	6,922	131	.....	.....	51,912
Hardhead	5,514	6,612	13,028	2,939	8,879	64	59	.....	64	3,786	11,248	14,031	64,436
Herring, Pacific	263,059	200,811	197,202	94,169	231,985	169,985	184,829	14,257	37,615	3,084	.....	.....	22,154
Langost	19,633	43,695	60,291	88,641	98,255	169,099	127,289	122,279	94,145	89,377	36,922	24,916	964,926
Mackerel, jack	104,264	1,294,171	1,034,023	1,137,081	473,388	268,816	836,789	499,629	627,399	1,441,079	726,188	8,961,287	13,734,767
Mackerel, Pacific	97,059	1,048,755	2,029,662	169,151	1,158,114	1,541,328	2,872,882	3,684,873	1,700,620	2,377,729	2,736,826	3,942,293	23,310,392
Quarry	228	233	471	.....	1,205	850	118	.....	618	680	827	548	6,117
Perch	7,580	8,739	34,838	28,892	.....	810	19,726	20,818	11,284	2,635	2,479	3,943	126,851
Pompano, California	77	614	4,635	11,123	11,319	5,693	17,179	9,992	5,884	9,988	1,666	1,213	79,394
Ratfish	620	199	2,499	2,235	3,739	259	933	.....	211	490	2,965	3,100	18,583
Rock bass	1,630	2,142	827	.....	96	.....	.....	.....	.....	119	393	.....	5,882
Sardine	1,661,218	1,264,166	1,418,816	623,439	1,011,824	1,168,138	827,298	1,036,547	1,090,636	1,233,814	969,411	776,101	12,681,667
Shadfish	138,663	144,019	272,643	239,831	140,742	222,077	182,188	147,216	189,819	139,659	143,651	121,874	2,065,217
Salmon	3,674	993	661	15,096	1,234,829	277,188	2,597,766	2,269,611	3,092,839	136	2,022	2,974	13,977,742
Sandbar	88,235	56,048	85,462	56,734	69,077	79,043	61,731	88,932	76,196	26,938	36,968	31,126	781,227
Sardine	1,061,611	93,499	122,435	64,342	171,943	291,294	211,183	412,798	658,299	27,618,629	7,143,999	49,877,163	148,967,749
Surge, California	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	68
Scupin	6,399	3,626	9,036	2,189	5,103	24,889	23,916	19,987	.....	1,432	2,277	2,591	106,025
Scupin, Hagdon	69	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,261
Sea bass, black	18,462	22,817	40,814	17,817	14,817	33,668	4,655	16,213	3,716	45,817	37,862	51,069	365,487
Seabass, white	14,916	33,982	39,981	19,225	16,835	94,299	68,426	178,789	292,141	88,212	61,629	21,356	914,865

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	193	61	103	123	59	87	36	752
Sea trout, greenling.....	13,292	113,356	351,020	746	26,709	31,732	34,643	138,001
Shad.....	37,079	56,180	29,305	52,127	35,630	26,709	40,178	478,454
Shark.....	1,805	880	61	199	110	832	1,587	576,201
Sheep-head.....	2,194	3,980	110	199	76	150	1,719	13,420
Sterna.....	10,395	22,684	9,856	4,565	9,388	8,285	9,358	132,622
State.....	29,384	106,247	111,320	98,473	55,457	58,481	46,729	17,348
Smelt.....	32,065	65,047	89,822	1,333,544	1,024,849	1,024,849	22,654	780,172
Sole, Dover.....	388,664	129,280	187,733	388,664	321,252	321,252	250,935	4,134,779
Sole, English.....	101,613	87,783	129,855	97,887	70,578	80,470	98,895	214,888
Sole, petrale.....	10,008	14,350	4,827	3,033	8,209	21,283	10,106	1,094,457
Sole, sand.....	882	2,183	1,117	2,845	1,254	5,054	3,703	4,026
Sole, unclassified.....	881	22	25	1,025	1,117	1,126	915	19,452
Squawfish.....	581	7	82	87	87	1,126	188	1,690
Swordfish.....	1,377	581	97	3,022	34,636	34,636	5,410	131,659
Tomcod.....	241,689	54,517	119,477	16,002	8,403,982	7,203,181	4,033,530	2,869
Tuna, bluefin.....	9,444,875	6,150,204	10,100,634	12,289,126	119,477	1,372,014	2,432,023	1,516,359
Tuna, skipjack.....	4,092,625	2,811,549	3,668,045	8,037,519	8,590,229	9,386,385	425,665	29,002,298
Tuna, yellowfin.....	14,765	19,453	6,136	10,270	5,174	5,009,107	1,113,588	13,606,177
Walrus.....	38,391	36,149	16,704	27,467	45,823	16,307	9,854	1,251,091
Whitebait.....	45,330	6,833	1,117	7,490	2,588	1,144	13,186	16,722,788
Yellowtail.....	82	383	117	490	2,588	286	54	17,686,327
Miscellaneous fish.....	850,044	894,401	155,126	181,168	181,168	277,339	296	122,291,864
Crustacean:	8,270	6,349	4,062	4,564	4,112	3,387	3,112	6,810
Crab.....	146,649	119,479	1,834	1,128	16,307	110	306	4,726
Crab, rock.....	22,398	30,686	38,985	42,935	45,823	16,307	965	214,558
Crab, spiny.....	184,251	89,787	147,146	170,203	11,228	6,841	11,346	22,862
Crab, white.....	75	303	3	23	32	110	306	214,558
Prawn.....	22,398	30,686	38,985	42,935	45,823	16,307	965	214,558
Shrimp, bay.....	184,251	89,787	147,146	170,203	11,228	6,841	11,346	22,862
Shrimp, ocean.....	184,251	89,787	147,146	170,203	11,228	6,841	11,346	22,862
Mollusk:	184,013	184,013	184,013	184,013	184,013	184,013	184,013	184,013
Abalone.....	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302
Clam, gaper.....	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759
Clam, jackknife.....	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302
Clam, Washington.....	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302	1,302
Octopus.....	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759	6,759
Oyster, eastern.....	13,261	12,045	14,855	13,452	11,403	9,950	14,082	14,238
Oyster, native.....	155,310	170,169	141,527	141,527	141,527	141,527	141,527	141,527
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	200	394,149	4,885,723	1,413,040	985,067	1,013,453	1,457,480	14,271,968
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	37	40	3	4	4	33	18	169
Total pounds.....	29,213,290	20,796,290	26,750,293	38,472,038	36,807,586	29,796,290	44,545,047	98,824,004
								603,117,120

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TABLE 16—Continued
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Shipments¹													
Bonito.....					9,842	2,600	6,200						2,955
Calappa.....													15,514
Eel.....					4,270	3,053	3,013				508		10,845
Greater Halibut, California.....	2,130		8,003	3,327									10,460
Halibut, Pacific.....	3,070		3,011			3,413				13,990	14,000		40,529
Mackerel, Pacific.....								959					959
Sablefish.....	18,738		48,689	36,094	83,744	12,065	56,288	52,978	43,580	22,281	26,722	41,343	452,470
Salmon.....	26,000	88,168	72,480	993	83,063	6,907	4,673	26,842	20,380	44,841		6,000	450,081
Sealions.....								674					674
Seahans, white.....				263									263
Shad.....					6,806	10,647	4,115	6,385					27,953
Strippers.....					1,234	1,858	610	10,493	1,334	1,149		4,490	21,965
Swordfish.....	4,888,611	5,364,750	5,887,801	5,715,333	4,156,850	2,104,355	5,099,872	2,232,460	627,263	247,492	1,060,449	2,425,755	44,841,655
Tuna, bigeye.....		12,150			40,600	316,330							512,534
Tuna, bluefin.....	162,284			180,952									343,236
Tuna, skipjack.....	1,982,678	1,671,847	3,091,683	1,600,847	1,600,847	2,236,297	2,238,231	1,771,293	1,722,083	239,751	1,086,777		18,611,021
Tuna, yellowfin.....	2,684,065	1,270,269	3,319,275	3,884,584	4,887,622	6,392,678	4,081,913	5,614,820	1,837,071	666,356	2,750,624	3,378,497	40,538,143
Walrus.....				132									132
Miscellaneous fish.....	17,750	2,195	28,700		30,000				500	18,430	29,900	3,000	131,385
Mollusk:													
Clam, Pismo.....	84,816	332,160					532,000		640,000				1,578,976
Total pounds.....	9,421,240	8,238,418	12,448,014	11,231,840	10,868,723	10,907,458	12,421,431	14,811,892	2,688,640	2,777,411	4,737,267	7,026,943	107,266,403
Grand total fishing boat landings and shipments,....	33,634,830	39,636,678	43,168,407	48,659,136	49,337,773	50,100,640	61,375,166	78,337,906	26,832,360	47,322,438	131,007,500	108,850,649	716,713,823

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¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 14.

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TABLE 17
Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Eureka Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Flounder.....	688	1,217	9,951	897	29,331	19,422	29,019	36,237	21,262	5,494	7,845	654	174,043
Hake.....	22,067	555	17,725	79,329	10,462	43,686	69,267	89,217	44,669	95,746	35,737	22,288	821,148
Hallibut, grayfish.....	17,030	5,068	25,284	83,974	21,121	74,923	89,371	139,797	61,594	95,534	42,699	14,942	622,917
Hallibut, Pacific.....					21,344	10,689	9,655	210	6,922	131			51,942
Herring, Pacific.....	26,137	42,471					419						79,227
Langsd.....	3,466	11,954	37,989	23,559	44,119	91,561	65,342	68,811	38,629	31,922	8,013	496	445,151
Mackerel, jack.....									5	152			157
Pork.....	2,426	2,675	7,149	4,151			1,426	6,868	4,162	1,927			37,500
Rockfish.....	143,869	292,037	214,581	136,287	224,721	279,078	332,716	421,901	297,447	315,303	111,027	24,778	2,699,838
Sablefish.....	52,888	51,651	165,206	155,087	86,065	149,482	113,671	49,999	54,017	73,856	28,816	10,821	987,493
Salmon.....	3,562	5,921	7,162	16,458	535,382	1,195,093	1,511,460	983,913	550,987				4,773,293
Sanddab.....					19,918	23,829	29,654	24,425	22,971	11,498	7,849	2,891	2,138
Shark.....	35	43	306	40						69			854
Slate.....	100		499	3,148	2,891								6,172
Snout.....	176	44	547	430	2,140	7,863	2,829	7,333	7,384	1,147			29,994
Sole, Dover.....	21,699	1,861	167,329	661,024	715,305	1,044,516	1,039,567	896,726	645,018	1,093,771	228,142	174,899	6,645,617
Sole, English.....	41,946	62,182	87,429	66,682	142,794	116,967	126,899	181,271	67,562	121,244	86,832	31,452	1,075,702
Sole, petrale.....	243,568	24,478	42,329	42,839	99,127	131,543	146,417	145,136	161,126	201,238	84,547	62,678	1,225,265
Sole, rock.....	21,456	11,128	36,017	38,421	45,433	55,779	56,493	47,967	49,967	56,132	27,811	11,692	439,387
Sole, sand.....		893	1,090	141									2,339
Sole, unclassified.....		46	3,429					79					3,545
Tuna, albacore.....									10,429	12,232	34,710		57,369
Turbot.....	720	781	866	25	1,175				12				4,152
Whitefish.....	2,691	6,009	9,891	14,601	21,274	23,087	10,895	4,799					95,499
Miscellaneous fish.....						9	80	13					74
Crustacean:													
Crab.....	418,883	410,694	321,055	114,483	87,694	79,894	39,182						1,549,029
Shrimp, ocean.....					35,996	97,732	130,798	124,891	112,121	6,125			506,433
Mollusk:													
Clam, Washington.....	613	777	2,653	2,250						221	416	448	7,278
Octopus.....							233						255
Miscellaneous mollusk.....													5
Total pounds.....	1,034,719	842,179	1,158,341	1,437,845	3,094,301	3,441,580	3,786,656	3,138,673	2,161,820	2,091,694	700,963	437,293	22,318,566

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TABLE 17
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TABLE 17—Continued
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Eureka Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from waters north of the state boundary:													
Flounder.....			884	112	295		2,208		82				3,232
Hake.....	7,030	3,100				7,039	8,565	11,855	31,102	669	2,357		71,528
Halibut, arrowtooth.....	5,956	4,744				15,215	12,914	12,379	13,278				64,126
Lingcod.....	130	441	4,742			9,164	2,713	2,862	9,096	1,500	106		33,726
Rockfish.....	27,494	3,909	20,679			91,894	18,313	33,123	70,842	1,822	884		209,091
Sablefish.....		10,568	13,007	6,631	12,128	2,625	2,712	7,118	968	78			55,625
Solms.....						9,634	13,893	19,900					33,274
Squidfish.....	108						402	1,300	978				2,688
Sole, Dover.....	138,907	194,719	121,246	273,083	79,141	66,689	104,913	10,018	3,229				981,112
Sole, English.....	3,098	770	4,735	2,121	2,043	1,414	4,708	2,870	1,354				23,160
Sole, petrale.....	1,898	1,059	49,147	89,781	18,869	29,730	71,586	13,837	616				278,623
Sole, rex.....	1,145	719	2,996	7,119	1,433	1,365	7,314	4,000					23,081
Sole, sand.....	141	128							700				952
Turbot.....	216	289											505
Crustacean:					1,582	3,884							5,466
Crab.....					100								100
Shrimp, ocean.....													
Total pounds.....			195,098	213,169	212,585	512,289	158,273	176,355	337,979	34,713	10,817		1,850,978
Grand totals, Eureka region.....	1,034,719	842,179	1,333,441	1,631,014	2,306,730	3,936,869	3,944,929	3,314,828	2,499,799	2,116,207	711,480	437,293	24,169,544

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TABLE 18
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters													
Carp.....	48,983	43,639	46,285	75,801	82,887	38,011	31,927	25,008	70,118	92,223	62,833	116,421	724,670
Hardhead.....	5,914	6,647	13,835	2,330	5,579	64	80		84	3,796	11,248	14,631	64,335
Salmon.....	3,974	903		9,145	19,609	4,825		182,896	2,093,514		2,012	2,974	2,320,745
Shad.....			13,292	113,595	351,609	749							478,444
Sydnia.....	831	681	22	56									1,569
Squawfish.....		7		25									114
Miscellaneous fish.....													56
Total pounds, Sacramento region.	59,691	51,872	74,128	201,116	430,177	43,816	32,017	207,904	2,163,688	96,111	76,093	133,482	3,599,466

TABLE 18
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1955

TABLE 19
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds	
Fishing boat landings from California waters:														
Anchovy	367	229			41,835	25,830		23,510	85,715	18,900	11,200		206,600	
California halibut													8,114	
Crab, white (king)	10,113	82,550	52,851	14,703	44,997	7,820	1,870	68,340	30,632	24,632	10,774	2,985	309,987	
Flounder													81,245	
Hake													31,306	
Halibut, greenback	1,770	820	605	475	225	4,041	9,285	7,652	686	820	2,700	2,517	20,660	
Halibut, California	20,660	12,708	712	1,000	861	1,277	1,231	693	729	1,190	405		41,734	
Herring, Pacific	88,906	482,140	83,867		800								1,347,567	
Lingcod	7,404	16,651	35,050	53,745	25,019	65,847	36,731	63,114	23,703	28,928	10,066		335,968	
Mackerel, jack													175	
Perch	1,125	1,670	14,713	12,965		810	1,704	1,253	1,231	1,982	639		37,646	
Penaeus, California						8	140						148	
Rockfish	171,308	104,909	141,941	60,980	22,738	63,230	48,820	53,206	151,960	287,114	217,807	206,354	1,662,607	
Sablefish	16,792	18,570	30,678	11,670	12,653	7,782	12,983	60,800	42,733	27,484	31,170		319,917	
Salmon						382,482	1,269,731	892,443	993,002					3,939,628
Sardines	44,444	44,251	58,105	31,801	23,215	27,439	9,633	56,380	40,514	33,181	42,687	24,232	435,302	
Stardab													1,201	
Scupin, starfish	60												1,289	
Seal, white	30	35											60,173	
Shark	13,335	13,378	3,281	361	75	1,332	849	5,419	8,920	5,239	3,160		4,065	
Skate	13,334	20,420	20,281	8,435	14,710	4,110	1,700	11,490	7,108	8,905	5,735		122,293	
Smelt	9,143	67,492	118,032	66,616	25,804	24,875	13,505	21,758	24,700	5,322	4,900	5,753	447,706	
Sole, Dover	8,656	53,186	174,551	21,656	21,309	38,406	26,500	47,410	54,075	37,568	43,754	16,396	550,533	
Sole, English	24,666	92,400	208,017	178,497	214,437	111,345	71,910	296,703	321,347	174,872	113,948	124,821	2,330,900	
Sole, petrale	113,684	79,049	100,239	109,347	44,013	110,294	88,079	237,286	77,235	77,824	412,017	132,087	1,881,864	
Sole, rock	58,116	51,057	74,566	52,281	21,413	30,068	19,315	27,662	34,296	28,172	68,096		67,179	
Sole, sand	7,168	13,543	3,183	2,771	8,208	1,269	65	21,283	10,100	4,964	2,773	1,533	82,864	
Sole, unclassified	81												900	
Tomcod		831		97									2,569	
Tuna, bluefin								7,721	47,875	1,029,631	61,884		2,471,111	
Turbot	8,943	18,827	5,817	2,744	9,438	873	605	7,560	12,808	8,441	6,781		44,100	
Whitefish	3,146	4,449	30	1,806	2,081	6,632	3,778	1,164	304		963		20,189	

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Crustacean:													
Crab.....	424,163	163,923	88,300	20,077	27,920	90,623	217,533	280	1,083,012	1,720,338	4,095,962
Shrimp, bay.....	22,308	30,086	38,983	42,038	76,374	92,366	91,373	113,704	97,240	40,603	11,177	13,127	682,711
Shrimp, ocean.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	55,165	149,479	85,496	40,631	.....	.....	.....	.....	330,681
Albacore.....	.....	.....	.....	768	776	1,615	3,135	6,330	6,375	3,848	1,075	471	23,664
Mollusk:													
Clam, Washington.....	.....	39	40	5	.....	.....	13	.....	.....	.....	16	.....	113
Octopus.....	2,566	1,831	2,170	735	766	1,140	403	785	182	10	.....	.....	11,604
Oyster, eastern.....	13,261	12,043	14,832	13,432	11,400	9,920	8,063	4,228	11,656	14,082	13,676	14,238	140,918
Oyster, native.....	679	.....	77	163	1,403	4,084	3,586	3,172	1,682	561	784	388	18,560
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	15,310	24,216	18,017	21,605	15,001	11,384	10,048	8,806	12,960	16,371	13,109	12,355	179,462
Spizel.....	.....	.....	20	.....	2,900	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,500
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20
Total pounds.....	1,760,175	1,664,670	1,319,589	732,058	1,090,400	2,167,382	1,691,063	2,306,677	1,850,858	2,772,305	2,822,739	2,428,345	22,678,951
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the International Boundary:													
Tuna, albacore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	611	.....	611
Tuna, bluefin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	192,668	.....	436,939
Tuna, skipjack.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	48,209	20,220	68,589
Tuna, yellowfin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	121,487	11,684	133,171
Total pounds.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	414,987	228,083	639,370
Shipments ¹ :													
Halibut, Pacific.....	3,676	.....	3,011	.....	.....	3,413	.....	3,045	.....	13,960	14,000	.....	40,529
Sablefish.....	18,738	.....	13,050	30,094	43,471	11,705	29,288	.....	21,600	22,001	18,022	10,555	211,036
Salmon.....	.....	37,212	3,184	651	5,393	.....	.....	15,016	.....	14,200	.....	6,000	81,636
Shad.....	.....	.....	.....	6,806	16,847	.....	.....	4,113	6,285	.....	.....	.....	27,833
Tuna, albacore.....	502,112	287,000	.....	642,115	450,939	219,247	400,410	1,023,084	.....	150,133	288,088	174,051	4,787,991
Tuna, bigeye.....	.....	12,148	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	100,377	.....	.....	.....	.....	112,463
Tuna, skipjack.....	.....	337,648	87,841	.....	711,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,105,710
Tuna, yellowfin.....	768,670	278,231	185,753	612,460	661,383	1,165,606	295,130	545,006	629,553	541,822	943,445	941,619	7,660,715
Miscellaneous fish.....	3,000	2,040	.....	3,150	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	3,900	3,000	17,000
Total pounds.....	1,337,397	1,040,319	293,888	1,291,329	1,891,242	1,440,092	929,220	1,643,936	630,883	742,209	1,263,333	1,434,636	13,986,723
Grand totals, San Francisco region.....	3,147,772	2,705,089	1,613,477	2,023,387	2,981,642	3,608,074	2,621,283	3,950,613	3,015,928	3,739,654	4,086,091	3,863,001	37,263,314

¹ See Table 14 for origin of shipments.

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TABLE 20
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Monterey Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy.....	23,610	37,670	782,280	998,728	1,224,050	807,150	872,430	835,400	236,400	20,800	699,320	.....	6,883,535
Celery.....	1,968	1,029	762	16	18	16	14	342	96	7	308	.....	4,578
Craker, white (dogfish).....	3,021	2,632	10,920	19,117	55,310	19,820	40,188	27,788	79,584	67,674	7,828	.....	338,367
Flounder.....	8,108	11,128	13,983	5,061	17,649	7,030	4,021	3,329	16,966	4,464	6,337	.....	108,841
Hake.....	350	3,320	2,763	2,362	25,410	49,149	73,208	74,963	88,949	12,388	.....	.....	318,704
Haddock, California.....	3,711	2,410	2,203	1,305	1,778	5,066	4,047	6,287	908	898	1,124	.....	21,417
Herring, Pacific.....	116	2,300	23,628	94,190	229,288	199,885	184,270	34,277	37,613	3,004	.....	.....	719,727
Langost.....	8,831	12,082	17,871	3,899	4,421	8,149	1,090	3,439	11,200	8,011	16,065	.....	101,575
Mackerel, jack.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	729,100
Mackerel, Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	309
Perch.....	1,606	1,908	3,318	7,799	.....	.....	3,137	9,333	1,854	829	879	1,137	31,811
Pumpkin, California.....	4	27	984	9,019	19,691	3,018	167,49	8,753	3,069	7,397	473	12	28,828
Rainbow.....	650	100	2,400	2,333	8,750	250	933	.....	.....	499	2,668	3,100	18,333
Rockfish.....	968,437	483,355	335,102	278,128	225,728	372,342	342,779	355,667	383,801	391,418	225,116	310,270	4,169,628
Sablefish.....	66,340	60,156	65,316	30,018	26,690	53,729	45,942	33,883	72,704	35,051	47,494	.....	615,980
Salmon.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	244,744	132,474	118,710	72,838	36,003	.....	.....	.....	606,469
Sardine.....	7,339	3,219	11,959	9,349	17,874	13,141	19,267	15,166	20,007	.....	11,213	6,996	3,198
Sardine, white.....	724	.....	218	993	712	37	1,170	587	1,912	114	149	.....	6,041
Shark.....	1,197	416	491	28	112	1,267	7,311	848	270	338	.....	.....	103,377
Shark, white.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	16,730
Sole.....	1,700	150	713	200	790	150	150	1,700	2,200	1,325	2,445	4,835	255,392
Sole, Dover.....	18,535	8,146	3,680	38,484	69,412	19,600	35,334	23,649	8,999	11,694	11,229	9,045	149,729
Sole, English.....	23,050	32,321	59,825	62,651	81,111	37,867	49,811	41,654	80,118	48,230	21,320	30,569	588,439
Sole, petrale.....	2,867	2,418	9,825	14,479	10,313	4,373	11,569	12,599	18,544	10,330	7,234	6,980	127,421
Sole, rex.....	9,999	7,965	8,021	992	1,162	1,513	1,108	3,639	3,514	4,474	3,411	1,074	6,796
Sole, rockland.....	915	310	926	622	179	21	1,284	911	127	43	197	.....	6,082
Tuna, albacore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,079,411
Turbot.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,640
Whitefish.....	32,884	23,691	2,660	294	1,110	16,101	2,944	3,898	3,965	692	89,990
Miscellaneous fish.....	90

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Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy	1,280,090	92,690	154,440	197,460	616,230	177,600	121,900	407,740	71,400	56,440	49,760	36,000	3,281,660
Barramundi, California	86	145	2,420		226	543	201	29	29	223	71		3,991
Cabezon	31	66	133	21	226	543	201	29	29	223	71		1,697
Croaker, white (kingfish)		7,759	8,219	13,026	3,679	1,071	3,378	4,261	8,443	2,611	3,175	429	61,231
Flounder	1,272		549										2,073
Hallibut, California	21,023	17,370	13,284	9,858	19,128	7,392	6,321	7,668	4,980	3,413	7,813	18,083	136,327
Lingcod	3,229	3,008	2,611	4,897	7,454	4,328	1,514	4,023	3,418	2,012	2,378	1,666	47,671
Mackerel, jack						3,068	962	64,373	227,753	1,173,175	3,233,725	3,014,833	9,806,816
Mackerel, Pacific	2,423	3,677	8,756	256		1,923	2,149	1,259	756,179	163,798	45,775	133,899	1,193,845
Perch							4,499	3,343	3,194	1,917	923		28,295
Penaeus, California							12	736	1,039	457	15		2,279
Rockfish	257,374	372,999	403,374	394,639	442,189	301,581	142,868	239,996	161,337	228,961	227,249	200,313	3,378,233
Salishish	2,050	1,639	812	2,209	3,891	4,992	6,917	9,418	898	2,351	6,085	2,311	32,457
Salmon					102,109	143,178	29,514	21,311	5,017	138	49		301,305
Sanddab	1,697	1,168	3,191	224	991	192	6,736	2,681	1,333	149	133	464	18,924
Sardine	59,899	91			98	87,999	149,555	212,499	366,909	29,332,789	9,869,919	2,772,269	39,731,968
Sea bass, black		91			98								199
Sebastes, white	99	142	95	622	994	1,125	16,399	22,365	23,888	19,914	6,838	154	92,446
Seastrout, greenling	193	61					193	121	59	87	39		752
Shark	2,527	10,663	39,393	9,444	29,334	12,322	2,995	8,871	36,193	2,843	2,897	1,879	139,881
Sheepshead	494	879	282			56					48	10	1,749
Skipper	2,121	386	229	243	217								408
Sole			79		77	149	3,556	2,927	2,557	161	545	4	10,035
Sole, bay						406	219	748	799				1,749
Sole, English	7,629	13,559	7,835	3,963	7,939	3,984	11,599	16,299	10,939	22,456	3,495	8,881	116,555
Sole, petrale	28,765	23,335	36,092	21,731	29,496	31,182	23,669	7,421	9,374	18,923	63,795	12,163	305,787
Sole, rex	13,042	11,631	12,196	8,433	1,671	959	839	727	673	3,192	2,047	1,281	58,391
Sole, sand	2,849	392	999										5,241
Sole, unclassified		1,029	1,478	379	93	271	13	191	71	41	38		3,314
Swordfish									1,173	677			1,850
Tuna, albacore	5,792	3,145	129					10,223	43,444	48,989	11,394	52	116,993
Turbot													10,299
Miscellaneous fish	23	331	129	46	28					10			489

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Crustaceans.....	6,608	18,039	18,262	17,209	9,985	8,542					2,220	15,473	97,832
Crab, rock.....	2,419	7,348	550		1,207	1,252					188	612	3,043
Lobster, spiny.....	42,633	37,243	37,338								23,103	21,361	200,914
Shrimp, ocean.....					1,102	100	60						1,412
Mollusk.....	42,760		127,488	76,938	132,233	217,969	178,146	247,225	340,169	209,654	274,166	201,602	2,044,046
Alaskan.....													54
Ocean.....	644	242	535	426	709	70	596	274	705	80			4,035
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	140,000	146,550	123,750	94,220	28,800	32,800	36,800	41,200	81,200	158,800	134,700	386,800	1,455,600
Spill.....						14,000							14,000
Miscellaneous mollusk.....						14	4						18
Total pounds.....	1,023,413	773,737	999,854	853,782	1,479,455	1,061,241	749,916	1,236,729	2,233,498	29,385,385	14,629,537	8,862,210	62,633,687
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the International Boundary:													
Tuna, albacore.....								3,269					3,269
Total pounds.....								3,269					3,269
Shipments ¹ :													
Tuna, bigeye.....	94,736	42,269	249,135	215,918	284,292	311,829	115,639	290,952	178,600	154,432	300,148	149,300	2,337,554
Tuna, yellowfin.....	94,736	42,269	249,135	215,918	284,292	311,829	115,639	293,495	178,600	154,432	300,148	149,300	2,340,794
Total pounds.....													
Grand totals, Santa Barbara region.....	2,018,149	816,026	1,248,979	1,069,700	1,683,727	1,373,070	865,455	1,623,523	2,412,098	28,539,818	14,329,685	9,002,210	64,979,740

¹ See Table 14 for origin of shipments.

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TABLE 22
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy.....	4,035,679	4,187,800	6,084,693	4,727,213	5,758,660	1,794,650	1,953,798	2,032,711	480,393	348,835	1,173,676	1,723,883	34,333,353
Barramundi, California.....			196	1,241	32,450	30,118	45,775	236				266	139,802
Bass.....	32,000	430	550			1,463	399		13	60	213	24	38,697
Carp.....							94						148
Craker, white (kingfish).....	9,443	3,303	48,133	15,129	174,808	38,130	13,262	11,127	27,311	13,425	20,650	22,477	403,669
Flyingfish.....					4,663	10,909	3,874	688					22,565
Hale.....					110	800							910
Haddock.....	1,100	3,399	5,461	430	2,412	2,773	1,477	1,379	2,982	6,549	1,831		31,650
Halibut, California.....	5,833	12,750	19,287	17,233	7,128	6,029	10,654	2,624	2,050	1,085	85	103	81,833
Langost.....			249		18	80				8			43
Mackerel, jack.....	104,491	1,204,171	1,024,073	1,157,081	471,378	347,832	8,177,311	3,948,665	306,550	360,813	3,949,165	4,545,442	25,785,675
Mackerel, Pacific.....	73,238	1,037,331	2,017,424	1,899,999	1,152,339	1,326,131	2,869,132	3,096,642	938,118	2,197,955	2,673,712	3,796,600	22,038,821
Opaleye.....	228	233	171		1,203	459	118		648	950	327	543	6,117
Pompano, California.....	73	477	3,944	3,083	430	1,423	118	561	1,426	2,234	2,508	1,301	18,009
Rockfish.....	46,474	48,813	53,556	21,887	65,651	34,791	34,317	26,855	24,339	33,954	20,942	24,781	495,881
Salchich.....	14		630	3,078	2,000	257	1,046	225					7,066
Salmon.....					203	347	533			224	101	70	1,083
Sandfish.....	958	1,489	4,809	4,842	4,588	2,717	1,820	1,562	1,870	3,853	630	1,863	29,488
Sardine.....	1,000,812	93,400	122,433	64,342	171,943	114,001	81,100	199,292	237,623	448,340	64,284,189	28,069,902	104,858,654
Sargo, California.....						673		20					695
Sculpin.....	5,638	600	2,161	889	3,744	19,279	20,718	15,699	4,669	1,178	2,922	1,868	79,315
Sea bass, black.....		34	34	66	344	551	2,179	119	777	664			42
Sea bass, white.....	1,538	7,844	17,127	7,569	41,888	55,162	20,508	17,122	70,561	14,382	614	2,509	256,900
Shark.....	3,785	2,967	4,318	4,343	6,448	11,749	14,112	10,158	6,960	6,362	2,127	3,678	76,709
Sheep-head.....	483	1,869	664		61	22	233	112	76	87	6	80	3,687
Shute.....	181	1,618	1,049	138	310	35	44	55	80	8		10	3,528
Snail.....	1,530	365	6,796	8,790	4,46	2,945	830	2,427	1,850	1,847	6,383	2,346	37,043
Sole, Unchartered.....	87	727	158	19	663	179	30			20			1,907
Swordfish.....						2,257	322	21,567	25,383	13,261	4,249		66,000
Tuna, albacore.....	1,227						799,278	1,294,562	708,005	163,144	352,781	97,541	3,420,700
Tuna, bluefin.....	192,869				33,696	884,514	275,306	431,881	61,167		22,300	15,003	1,817,129
Tuna, skipjack.....											633		633
Whitfish, ocean.....			46		188	78	32			250		290	854

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	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956	1957	1958	1959	1960	1961	1962
Yellowtail.....				219	569	370	141	372					1,662
Miscellaneous fish.....				21	87	2,431	231	39					3,092
Crustaceans:													
Crab, rock.....	3,318	2,163	1,947	1,834	2,400	3,312	4,112	3,387	2,920	2,882	2,142	3,239	33,928
Langster, spiny.....	88,960	97,948	81,352							110,882	78,791	74,882	462,080
Middie.....													1,640,278
Albacore.....	129,665		219,000	108,048	338,861	239,499	166,186	49,244	68,696	166,668	161,171	76,015	189
Octopus.....				650	45	49				35		20	137,455
Squid.....	20,545	1,780	17,875		8,506	19,949	63,159	2,919					3,000
Total pounds.....	5,757,825	6,792,892	9,709,264	6,308,021	8,288,800	5,014,375	11,673,377	11,664,979	3,088,425	3,740,099	72,709,525	18,901,798	196,439,361
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the international boundary:													
Hermesville, California.....	25,827	169,389	150,103	26,300		2,655	2,281	64,471	82,606	78,687	37,370	66,555	733,065
Bonito.....	38,732	16,809	625			300			570	1,935	22,146	2,195	77,112
Calappa.....	24,973	8,928	17,299	2,739	5,867	12,999		3,199		6,345	10,955	9,057	98,224
Craker, white (kingfish).....			691										491
Greaser.....	77,418	39,476	21,315	7,699	2,363	28,603		3,018		17,090	18,141	26,267	239,678
Hallmen.....		960											869
Hallmen, California.....	6,239	9,235		462		1,900	10,385	22,410		21,355	8,768	6,464	81,569
Mackerel, Pacific.....	33					62							117
Pompano, California.....						10							10
Rock Bass.....	1,920	2,142	832		99		375	110		383			5,962
Rockfish.....	15,310	19,025	7,220	5,888		4,270		290	290	4,010	3,725	615	60,569
Scupin.....					188					50			134
Sea bass, black.....	18,305	20,928	38,563	37,471	14,277	32,890	77	14,724	650	43,281	53,713	66,382	341,481
Seabass, white.....	7,899	8,620	1,899	224		194	24,449	117,082	60,982	24,988	27,281	8,699	275,221
Shark.....	990	2,214	1,027	515		200	100	100	1,195	3,540	8,479	1,235	16,495
Sheep-head.....		110	250	580									949
Sorta.....		3,980		110									4,360
Swordfish.....							180	1,247		159			11,969
Tuna, albacore.....	97,822	54,517	137,617			1,619	1,318,018	769,011	309,791	183,194	338,847	467,584	3,369,014
Tuna, bluefin.....	97,820	54,517	137,617	39,620		74,668	692,127	6,900,618	811,831	49,811	794,184	1,258,998	18,117,684
Tuna, skipjack.....	5,123,310	5,844,623	9,125,660	9,808,732	6,433,691	4,058,603	2,468,484	5,117,248	380,732	39,474	7,873,653	9,137,878	68,442,248
Tuna, yellowfin.....	2,303,543	2,748,810	3,228,823	2,390,468	8,834,367	17,248,695	6,990,967	10,272,879	528,960	77,656	9,187,824	9,015,967	78,292,721
Walrus.....			1,470	11,909									13,379
Yellowtail.....	2,496	5,232	24,882	1,194	524	612	220	650	14,749	5,458	8,367	15,363	80,218
Crustaceans:													
Langster, spiny.....										317	189	3,193	3,600
Total pounds.....	7,984,789	8,929,316	12,738,914	17,182,348	15,343,141	21,788,373	11,427,878	22,998,196	1,903,313	566,615	18,351,321	20,662,632	196,319,869

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 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Shipments ¹													2,935
Breeds					9,542	2,935	2,600	3,220					15,302
Cabrilla													508
Eel					4,370	3,081	2,121						9,572
Groupers													508
Salmon	30,000	47,960	69,296	942	77,070	6,907	4,673	44,326	39,386	30,641			290,781
Shrimp					1,724	1,865	610	10,493	1,334	1,149			4,469
Swordfish					140		202	914					1,091
Tuna, albacore	3,371,678	4,763,014	5,587,361	5,075,218	3,694,035	1,555,143	4,597,349	6,158,476	420,186	87,336	1,407,441		39,181,849
Tuna, bigeye						40,600	216,053	56,160					81,783
Tuna, bluefin	162,281			190,962									343,243
Tuna, skipjack	1,319,323	734,289	2,430,484	623,210	673,980	885,961	680,018	1,640,135			220,711	1,090,271	10,323,982
Tuna, yellowfin	1,548,132	1,037,876	2,304,788	2,162,438	3,718,133	4,588,909	3,141,466	6,667,533	728,018				30,470,000
Walrus						132							132
Miscellaneous fish	12,750	155	28,700		27,750			500		18,420	28,000		114,275
Mollusk:													
Clam, Pismo	54,816	332,160					552,000		910,000				1,878,976
Total pounds	6,405,083	6,933,585	10,736,139	8,040,170	8,247,801	7,198,230	9,233,712	12,631,310	1,858,377	137,780	2,141,080	5,431,680	79,038,985
Grand totals, Los Angeles region	20,147,997	22,627,513	33,221,311	31,828,139	31,876,745	34,027,998	35,336,667	47,390,585	6,847,115	4,465,101	93,300,929	74,330,107	431,800,915

¹ See Table 14 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 22
 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955

TABLE 23
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy				1,239	106,475	200				6,182			6,282
Barramundi, California					50,909		469	829	155				179,718
Booby					2,275			97		1,788	497		4,657
Cooker, white (California)	632	196	278	16	971	610		1,806	4,810	155	227		10,506
Hallbut, California	12,613	7,947	12,651	8,464	2,665	1,343	201	492	4,602	4,387	4,815	9,341	69,663
Lingcod				36	4,680						87	15	138
Mackerel, jack					2,553		150	55,997					58,700
Mackerel, Pacific	21,796	11,921	3,838	252	13,192	990	960	36,993	10,332	15,976	17,009	11,713	167,209
Rockfish	352	3,337	13,277	31,673	30,107	27,860	4,213	3,450	639	2,301	2,871	3,127	106,816
Sablefish			35	353			10			145			439
Salmon							468						468
Sculpin	761	2,976	6,825	1,300	1,253	5,091	868	4,278	1,300	204	55	633	25,829
Sea bass, black	97	363	125		126	323		1,226	484	36	71	39	2,982
Sebastes, white	2,530	15,331	14,976	720	61,213	37,738	2,470	3,113	29,401	11,040	4,819	1,696	187,637
Shark	12,149	2,818	13,840	14,371	25,514	8,709	2,342	8,123	6,112	18,156	22,613	24,314	133,627
Sheepshead	1,215	202	180				121			641	1,833	1,629	5,200
Sole, petrale	39										85		144
Sole, rock			6	112		490							612
Sole, rockhead			6	61	182	2,374	301	143	112	327	29		3,034
Swordfish							232	12,284	23,824	7,074	691		44,195
Tuna, albacore						7,026	356,963	484,262	47,435	128,164	63,331		1,167,691
Tuna, bluefin					46,731	322,182	172,700	18,972					560,685
Tuna, skipjack					691								691
Whitefish, ocean								110	63				173
Yellowtail		42		93	2,356	976	63	344	19	45			3,888
Miscellaneous fish	32				545	148	5						735
Crustaceans:													
Crab, rock	2,536	1,538	552						192	2,292	1,108	2,882	11,080
Lobster, spiny	11,937	19,289	11,922							82,709	43,434	22,035	192,022
Mollusk:													
Abalone	18,218		40,530	30,080	40,580	73,965	45,243	81,410	65,018	30,306	31,293	52,038	507,780
Clam, jackknife	1,392	1,399	2,487	3,417	4,990	4,929	6,408	6,042	3,134	1,966	979	684	36,837
Miscellaneous mollusk								33					33
Total pounds	88,924	62,661	177,882	85,072	311,692	558,290	603,413	688,580	197,621	311,271	158,316	121,827	3,480,878

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TABLE 23
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1955

TABLE 23—Continued
 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1955

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the International Boundary:													
Barracuda, California.....	10,905	4,675	1,468		1,800	40		1,113	1,232	10,510	21,260	32,229	85,082
Bonito.....	7,197	2,545								235	2,290	9,072	15,511
Cabrilla.....							540						2,545
Croutier.....		2,946		214									3,160
Haddock, California.....		699	4,567			4,035	15,060	3,023	11,276		9,531	11,181	57,799
Mackerel, Pacific.....	180												180
Rockfish.....	995	272	4,471			177	132						5,157
Sculpin.....		1,499	1,292				2,091						4,882
Sea bass, black.....	2,115	1,803	4,450				1,799	130	1,563	1,249	2,278		14,235
Sea bass, white.....						18	620	18,491	13,070	17,139	28,558	8,281	64,691
Shark.....	740	320	1,765				20	1,513	1,200	1,315	3,401	2,160	12,737
Sheeps-head.....		410					729						1,149
Swordfish.....							2,274	395	330				3,000
Tuna, albacore.....						5,070	5,949,896	4,801,519	2,655,215	551,190	1,539,872	951,282	16,322,855
Tuna, bluefin.....						120,249	10,089	196,969			64		307,301
Tuna, skipjack.....	4,821,385	314,879	935,274	2,480,284	2,095,628	2,741,773	2,891,623	1,499,123	1,297,681	873,794	6,109,803	7,493,969	55,017,312
Tuna, yellowfin.....	2,099,082	65,729	411,218	747,051	3,448,209	7,599,180	4,539,082	3,687,270	1,717,591	915,508	6,941,952	8,336,520	43,047,927
Walrus.....					4,399		8,174						12,573
Whiting, ocean.....										115			453
Yellowtail.....	42,814	1,820	1,623	15	3,397	9,312		58	693	8,967	4,919	7,545	78,594
Crustaceans:													
Lobster, spiny.....											79	30	109
Total pounds.....	9,983,053	398,566	1,437,556	3,227,469	5,555,239	10,729,974	13,029,375	13,028,910	5,890,046	2,391,590	14,694,290	16,779,355	96,060,434
Shipments:													
Cabrilla.....							982						982
Croutier.....		2,130		3,227			894						6,251
Haddock, California.....			5,003										5,003
Mackerel, Pacific.....								674					674
Sculpin.....					263								263
Sea bass, white.....							2,113						2,113
Tuna, albacore.....	654,821	214,245			2,878				1,080				873,135
Tuna, skipjack.....	691,255		272,560	746,327	215,412	1,268,483	1,343,342	113,340		1,722,983			6,786,000
Tuna, yellowfin.....	242,518		370,599	894,129	254,112	438,902	447,912	34,391		1,061,374			3,951,037
Total pounds.....	1,563,824	214,245	1,149,162	1,684,123	472,400	1,803,384	1,763,343	149,383	1,080	1,722,983	1,061,374		11,997,281
Grand totals, San Diego region.....	8,637,701	675,472	2,714,600	4,996,655	6,369,551	13,093,738	15,116,131	15,861,839	6,999,047	4,428,844	15,840,980	16,811,212	111,148,303

¹ See Table 14 for origin of shipments.

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TABLE 23
 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1955

TABLE 24
**The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1955**

Species	Eureka region		Sacramento region		San Francisco region		Monterey region	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Fishing boat landings:								
Anchovy					206,650	\$7,357	6,883,535	\$90,174
Barracuda, California								
Bonito								
Cabezon					759	19	4,578	150
Cabrilla								
Carp			734,070	\$44,045				
Croaker, white (kingfish)					8,114	797	335,367	20,957
Flounder	178,277	\$7,505			360,987	14,693	108,841	6,454
Flyingfish								
Grouper								
Hake	594,686	9,991			41,245	425	319,704	2,942
Halfmoon								
Halibut, arrowtooth	716,943	14,124			31,306	860		
Halibut, California					41,754	8,559	31,147	6,467
Halibut, Pacific	51,942	10,019						
Hardhead			64,436	27,707				
Herring, Pacific	79,227	2,060			1,147,567	27,886	719,727	19,740
Lingcod	476,879	33,382			335,568	23,423	104,275	10,271
Mackerel, jack	190	20			175	7	129,190	7,623
Mackerel, Pacific							330	33
Opaleye								
Perch	37,500	5,042			37,646	5,535	31,811	3,335
Pompano, California					148	56	58,858	14,337
Ratfish							18,533	222
Rock bass								
Rockfish	2,967,837	91,691			1,562,697	58,755	4,160,038	182,317
Sablefish	1,043,118	95,863			346,047	10,580	615,980	20,882
Salmon	4,811,641	1,681,535	2,320,746	600,841	3,936,028	1,348,893	606,469	216,667
Sanddab	157,184	8,299			435,302	19,414	140,729	8,965
Sardine							937,160	22,398
Sargo, California								
Sculpin								
Sculpin, staghorn					1,201	60		
Sea bass, black								
Seabass, white					1,329	437	6,641	1,686
Seatrout, greenling								
Shad			478,454	29,282				
Shark	484	28			60,173	3,170	116,095	6,594
Sheep-head								
Sierra								
Skate	6,172	74			122,293	1,590	16,720	182
Smelt	29,994	2,310			447,706	24,418	255,392	14,835
Sole, Dover	7,627,049	376,013			550,533	19,214	6,170	139
Sole, English	1,098,805	64,611			2,330,860	124,235	588,459	41,663
Sole, petrale	1,603,919	136,333			1,581,864	142,958	127,421	12,806
Sole, rex	463,190	25,522			523,641	23,302	52,305	2,595
Sole, sand	3,521	269			82,864	7,135		
Sole, unclassified	3,545	191			900	90	6,052	488
Spittail			1,500	490				
Squawfish			114	5				
Swordfish								
Tomeod					2,869	96		
Tuna, albacore	57,368	8,823			2,471,722	351,479	2,152,341	315,318
Tuna, bluefin					436,959	57,504	183,619	22,640
Tuna, skipjack					68,829	8,211	361,301	45,632
Tuna, yellowfin					133,171	19,976	827,985	119,064
Turbot	4,957	299			83,639	3,488	1,640	68
Walrus	95,409	8,492						
Whitelait					29,159	3,246	89,990	5,913
Whitefish, ocean								
Yellowtail								
Miscellaneous fish	74	4	56	6			50	1

TABLE 24
The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1955

TABLE 24—Continued
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1955

Species	Santa Barbara region		Los Angeles region		San Diego region		Total	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Fishing boat landings:								
Anchovy.....	3,261,660	\$59,362	34,333,355	\$439,467	6,382	\$224	44,601,582	\$596,584
Barracuda, California.....	3,591	901	872,548	140,219	284,820	36,420	1,140,959	177,540
Bonito.....			112,809	6,690	24,181	1,318	136,990	8,008
Cabezon.....	1,607	80					6,944	249
Cabrilla.....			98,224	14,615	2,545	305	100,769	14,920
Carp.....			448	27			734,518	44,072
Croaker, white (kingfish).....	61,251	3,503	404,160	16,431	10,596	1,069	819,488	42,757
Flounder.....	2,075	133					650,180	28,785
Flyingfish.....			22,565	1,869			22,565	1,869
Grouper.....			239,678	46,665	5,842	929	245,520	47,594
Hake.....			910	16			956,545	13,374
Halfmoon.....			34,410	8,410			34,410	8,410
Halibut, arrowtooth.....							748,249	14,984
Halibut, California.....	136,337	32,313	169,502	35,375	131,062	26,772	509,802	109,486
Halibut, Pacific.....							51,942	10,019
Hardhead.....							64,436	27,707
Herring, Pacific.....							1,946,521	49,686
Lingcod.....	47,671	4,352	395	49	138	17	964,926	71,494
Mackerel, jack.....	9,809,510	151,066	25,785,875	551,817	29,767	1,191	35,754,707	711,724
Mackerel, Pacific.....	1,103,845	17,331	22,038,638	506,888	167,489	7,336	23,310,302	531,588
Opaleye.....			6,117	920			6,117	920
Perch.....	29,597	3,444					136,554	17,356
Pompano, California.....	2,279	550	18,019	4,959			79,304	19,902
Ratfish.....							18,533	222
Rock bass.....			5,862	928			5,862	928
Rockfish.....	3,378,233	120,611	499,431	51,588	113,551	8,889	12,681,697	513,851
Sablefish.....	52,487	2,288	7,666	449	439	56	2,065,737	130,127
Salmon.....	301,305	105,087	1,085	468	468	214	11,977,742	3,953,075
Sanddab.....	18,824	954	29,488	5,358			781,527	42,990
Sardine.....	39,731,905	675,442	104,938,684	2,371,613			145,607,749	3,069,453
Sargo, California.....			695	139			695	139
Sculpin.....			79,493	18,284	28,532	5,712	108,025	23,996
Sculpin, staghorn.....							1,201	60
Sea bass, black.....	189	28	346,063	51,356	19,235	2,629	365,487	54,013
Seabass, white.....	92,446	20,200	532,121	126,020	282,328	69,919	914,865	218,262
SeatROUT, greenling.....	752	38					752	38
Shad.....							478,454	29,282
Shark.....	139,884	9,159	93,201	11,930	166,364	17,211	576,201	48,092
Sheep-head.....	1,749	174	4,627	281	6,776	504	13,152	959
Sierra.....			4,240	549			4,240	549
Skate.....	3,765	229	3,528	328	144	14	152,622	2,417
Smelt.....	10,035	478	37,045	1,520			780,172	43,561
Sole, Dover.....	1,749	86					8,185,501	395,452
Sole, English.....	116,655	9,088					4,134,779	239,597
Sole, petrale.....	305,787	29,172			512	61	3,619,503	321,310
Sole, rex.....	55,301	2,920					1,094,437	54,339
Sole, sand.....	6,187	560					92,572	7,964
Sole, unclassified.....	3,514	240	1,907	187	3,534	411	19,452	1,607
Splittail.....							1,590	490
Squawfish.....							114	5
Swordfish.....	1,850	775	78,502	34,157	54,307	23,395	134,659	58,327
Tomcod.....							2,869	96
Tuna, albacore.....	119,272	18,046	6,810,739	1,127,857	17,390,856	2,878,189	29,002,298	4,699,712
Tuna, bluefin.....			12,065,063	1,727,716	923,536	132,897	13,609,177	1,940,757
Tuna, skipjack.....			65,442,883	8,821,712	36,017,943	4,819,201	101,890,956	13,694,756
Tuna, yellowfin.....			78,282,731	12,024,228	43,047,977	6,582,036	122,291,864	18,745,304
Turbot.....	10,250	525					100,486	4,380
Wahoo.....			13,379	4,403	9,483	3,319	22,802	7,722
Whitefish.....							214,558	17,051
Whitefish, ocean.....			854	62	1,458	136	2,312	198
Yellowtail.....			81,880	7,295	82,442	6,166	164,322	13,461
Miscellaneous fish.....	469	26	3,102	334	735	140	4,486	511

TABLE 24
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1955

TABLE 24—Continued

**The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
Into California During 1955**

Species	Eureka region		Sacramento region		San Francisco region		Monterey region	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Crustacean:								
Crab, rock	1,545,464	\$274,009			4,466,563	\$681,151	9,461	\$1,872
Lobster, spiny							1,164	466
Prawn					682,731	\$50,913		
Shrimp, bay					330,681	23,276		
Shrimp, ocean	506,533	48,324						
Mollusk:								
Abalone					23,664	3,313		
Clam, gaper							2,002	185
Clam, jackknife					113	34		
Clam, Washington	7,378	853			11,694	427	10,203	1,021
Octopus	255	14						
Oyster, eastern					140,918	36,188		
Oyster, native					18,560	3,007		
Oyster, giant Pacific					179,462	19,920		
Squid					2,500	75	14,118,013	230,123
Miscellaneous mollusk	3				20	2	95	28
Total pounds and value	24,169,544	\$2,905,700	3,599,466	\$702,376	23,278,521	\$3,136,163	34,139,391	\$1,457,253
Shipments: ¹								
Bonito								
Cabrilla								
Eel								
Grouper								
Halibut, California								
Halibut, Pacific					40,520	8,106		
Mackerel, Pacific								
Sablefish					221,689	38,174		
Salmon					81,656	24,930		
Sculpin								
Seabass, white								
Shad					27,853	20,246		
Sturgeon								
Swordfish								
Tuna, albacore					4,787,991	798,158		
Tuna, bigeye					112,463	12,405		
Tuna, bluefin								
Tuna, skipjack					1,136,739	139,705	376,491	46,271
Tuna, yellowfin					7,560,713	1,069,811	226,139	31,999
Wahoo								
Miscellaneous fish					17,090	3,994		
Mollusk:								
Clam, Pismo								
Total pounds and value					13,986,723	\$2,124,559	602,630	\$78,270
Grand totals	24,169,544	\$2,905,700	3,599,466	\$702,376	37,265,244	\$5,260,722	34,742,021	\$1,535,523

¹ See Table 14 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 24

The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1955

TABLE 24—Continued
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1955

Species	Santa Barbara region		Los Angeles region		San Diego region		Total	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Crustacean:								
Crab.....	97,832	\$19,273					6,119,320	\$976,305
Crab, rock.....	9,043	223	33,928	\$3,359	11,080	\$284	54,051	3,866
Lobster, spiny.....	200,914	93,263	466,080	237,281	192,131	103,175	859,125	433,719
Prawn.....							1,164	466
Shrimp, bay.....							682,731	50,913
Shrimp, ocean.....	1,442	144					838,656	71,744
Mollusk:								
Abalone.....	2,044,046	260,168	1,610,376	119,635	507,789	40,137	4,185,875	423,253
Clam, gaper.....							2,092	185
Clam, jackknife.....					36,837	13,217	36,837	13,217
Clam, Washington.....							7,491	887
Octopus.....	4,025	252	169	23			26,346	1,737
Oyster, eastern.....							140,918	36,188
Oyster, native.....							18,560	3,007
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	1,455,605	29,549					1,635,067	49,469
Squid.....	14,000	315	137,455	3,740			14,271,968	234,253
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	18	11			33	5	169	46
Total pounds and value ..	62,638,956	\$1,672,329	355,749,930	\$28,527,217	99,541,312	\$14,783,498	603,117,120	\$53,184,536
Shipments:¹								
Bonito.....			2,935	242			2,935	242
Cabrilla.....			15,362	2,234	982	143	16,344	2,377
Eel.....			508	183			508	183
Grouper.....			9,544	1,997		921	10,465	2,157
Halibut, California.....					10,460	1,638	10,460	1,638
Halibut, Pacific.....							40,529	8,106
Mackerel, Pacific.....					909	69	909	69
Sablefish.....			230,781	39,740			452,479	77,914
Salmon.....			357,397	109,114			439,053	134,044
Sculpin.....					674	101	674	101
Seabass, white.....					263	57	263	57
Shad.....							27,853	29,246
Sturgeon.....			21,665	6,928			21,665	6,928
Swordfish.....			1,081	194			1,081	194
Tuna, albacore.....			39,181,549	6,531,564	875,135	145,885	44,844,675	7,475,607
Tuna, bigeye.....	2,530	279	397,541	43,849			512,534	56,533
Tuna, bluefin.....			343,346	44,635			343,346	44,635
Tuna, skipjack.....			10,333,893	1,269,390	6,786,900	834,110	18,634,023	2,289,476
Tuna, yellowfin.....	2,338,254	330,863	26,470,000	3,745,505	3,931,037	556,242	40,526,143	5,734,450
Wahoo.....			132	40			132	40
Miscellaneous fish.....			114,275	26,706			131,365	30,700
Mollusk:								
Clam, Pismo.....			1,578,976	35,211			1,578,976	35,211
Total pounds and value ..	2,340,784	\$331,142	79,058,985	\$11,857,502	11,607,281	\$1,538,435	107,596,403	\$15,929,908
Grand totals.....	64,979,740	\$2,003,471	434,808,915	\$40,384,719	111,148,593	\$16,321,933	710,713,523	\$69,114,444

¹ See Table 14 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 24
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1955

TABLE 25
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Eureka Region During 1955, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Eureka region totals.....		\$2,905,700	24,169,544
Eureka.....	Salmon.....	\$619,322	1,772,344
	Dover sole.....	177,002	3,590,313
	Crab.....	60,517	341,326
	Petrale sole.....	47,525	569,285
	Rockfish.....	37,504	1,205,929
	English sole.....	37,125	631,371
	Sablefish.....	34,176	371,880
	Rex sole.....	12,734	231,109
	Pacific halibut.....	9,894	51,292
	Lingcod.....	8,669	123,849
	Albacore.....	7,220	46,942
	Sanddab.....	5,636	106,748
	All other.....	18,151	445,839
	Totals.....	\$1,075,575	9,479,237
Fort Bragg.....	Salmon.....	\$661,154	1,884,487
	Dover sole.....	81,151	1,646,062
	Sablefish.....	50,742	552,142
	Petrale sole.....	33,231	390,949
	Rockfish.....	15,286	501,605
	Lingcod.....	13,175	188,209
	English sole.....	12,096	205,712
	Rex sole.....	6,660	120,869
	Crab.....	2,778	15,670
	All other.....	5,847	122,659
	Totals.....	\$882,120	5,628,364
Crescent City.....	Salmon.....	\$342,227	985,831
	Crab.....	150,140	846,816
	Ocean shrimp.....	48,254	505,803
	Dover sole.....	4,671	94,748
	All other.....	11,071	161,958
	Totals.....	\$556,363	2,595,156
Fields Landing.....	Dover sole.....	\$113,189	2,295,926
	Petrale sole.....	54,256	638,311
	Rockfish.....	37,810	1,225,103
	Salmon.....	25,356	73,197
	English sole.....	14,048	238,904
	Crab.....	13,719	77,377
	Arrowtooth halibut.....	11,279	572,518
	Sablefish.....	10,368	112,814
	Lingcod.....	9,102	130,631
	Hake.....	8,341	496,497
	Rex sole.....	5,824	105,702
	All other.....	6,529	124,011
	Totals.....	\$309,821	6,090,391
Trinidad.....	Crab.....	\$46,842	264,199
	Salmon.....	9,906	29,201
	All other.....	7	142
	Totals.....	\$56,755	293,542
Point Arena.....	Salmon.....	\$22,860	64,546
	All other.....	72	919
	Totals.....	\$22,932	65,465
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$2,134	17,389
	Totals.....	\$2,134	17,389

TABLE 25
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Eureka Region During 1955, Shown by Port of Landing With
the Corresponding Values

TABLE 26
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1955, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Sacramento region totals.....		\$702,482	3,599,466
Pittsburg.....	Salmon.....	\$298,686	1,153,673
	Shad.....	22,584	379,709
	All other.....	421	7,012
	Totals.....	\$321,691	1,540,394
Sacramento.....	Salmon.....	\$91,556	353,633
	Hardhead.....	3,199	7,379
	All other.....	622	3,933
	Totals.....	\$95,377	364,945
Benicia.....	Salmon.....	\$92,356	356,726
	All other.....	1,713	26,068
	Totals.....	\$94,069	382,794
Port Costa.....	Salmon.....	\$70,231	271,268
	Totals.....	\$70,231	271,268
Martinez.....	Salmon.....	\$47,871	184,900
	Shad.....	4,950	71,939
	Totals.....	\$52,821	256,839
Clear Lake.....	Carp.....	\$26,945	449,083
	Hardhead.....	16,277	37,854
	Totals.....	\$43,222	486,937
Turlock.....	Carp.....	\$10,668	176,908
	All other.....	719	1,701
	Totals.....	\$11,387	178,609
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$13,684	117,680
	Totals.....	\$13,684	117,680

TABLE 26
*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1955, Shown by Port of Landing
With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 27

**Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Francisco Region During 1955,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values**

		Value	Pounds
San Francisco region totals.....		\$5,260,722	37,265,244
San Francisco.....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$1,089,817	7,693,884
	Albacore.....	952,665	5,874,535
	Crab.....	408,539	2,678,945
	Salmon.....	290,121	855,471
	Skipjack.....	147,916	1,205,568
	Petrale sole.....	97,067	1,074,442
	English sole.....	81,455	1,528,237
	Bluefin tuna.....	57,504	436,959
	Sablefish.....	45,925	474,985
	Rockfish.....	39,508	922,514
	Shad.....	29,246	27,853
	Bay shrimp.....	16,591	222,700
	Smelt.....	14,823	346,008
	Dover sole.....	13,915	398,711
	Sanddab.....	12,831	287,695
	Bigeye tuna.....	12,405	112,463
	Rex sole.....	12,348	277,483
	Lingcod.....	12,066	172,870
	Flounder.....	10,203	250,680
	Pacific herring.....	9,794	403,047
	Pacific halibut.....	8,106	40,529
	Anchovy.....	7,357	206,650
	Sand sole.....	6,494	75,420
	All other.....	22,651	323,289
	Totals.....	\$3,396,347	25,890,938
Point Reyes (Drakes Bay).....	Salmon.....	\$583,915	1,703,865
	Crab.....	53,124	348,352
	Petrale sole.....	24,339	269,232
	English sole.....	16,942	317,862
	Rockfish.....	10,902	342,322
	Rex sole.....	5,908	112,544
	All other.....	18,530	388,133
	Totals.....	\$712,760	3,482,310
Bodega Bay.....	Salmon.....	\$375,390	1,095,391
	Crab.....	78,398	514,087
	English sole.....	25,838	484,761
	Petrale sole.....	21,532	238,190
	Ocean shrimp.....	21,730	308,725
	Rockfish.....	11,307	296,883
	Smelt.....	8,471	89,767
	Lingcod.....	6,387	91,504
	Rex sole.....	5,946	133,614
	All other.....	12,497	333,576
	Totals.....	\$567,496	3,586,498
Sausalito.....	Albacore.....	\$152,736	1,074,091
	Crab.....	82,983	544,152
	Salmon.....	77,931	227,493
	All other.....	7	78
	Totals.....	\$313,657	1,845,724
Oakland.....	Albacore.....	\$44,215	310,926
	Crab.....	28,838	189,100
	Salmon.....	20,422	59,585
	All other.....	1,529	20,519
	Totals.....	\$95,004	580,140
Tomales Bay (Marshall).....	Eastern oyster.....	\$36,188	140,918
	Giant Pacific oyster.....	18,905	170,322
	Pacific herring.....	18,092	744,520
	All other.....	8,160	64,963
	Totals.....	\$81,345	1,120,723

TABLE 27

**Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Francisco Region During 1955, Shown
by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values**

TABLE 27—Continued

**Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Francisco Region During 1955,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values**

		Value	Pounds
Princeton	Crab	\$24,992	163,879
	Salmon	20,846	60,828
	All other	4,171	32,132
	Totals	\$50,009	256,839
Richmond	Bay shrimp	\$31,311	420,280
	All other	653	5,119
	Totals	\$31,964	425,399
Berkeley	Salmon	\$5,180	15,089
	Crab	3,516	23,058
	Totals	\$8,696	38,147
All other ports	All other	\$3,444	38,526
	Totals	\$3,444	38,526

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TABLE 27

*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Francisco Region During 1955, Shown
by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 28
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Monterey Region During 1955,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Monterey region totals.....		\$1,535,523	34,742,021
Monterey.....	Squid.....	\$201,566	12,366,028
	Rockfish.....	175,716	4,061,608
	Yellowfin tuna.....	151,063	1,054,124
	Skipjack.....	91,903	737,792
	Anchovy.....	66,895	5,106,520
	Salmon.....	39,409	110,420
	Albacore.....	35,991	245,669
	English sole.....	28,452	401,867
	Bluefin tuna.....	22,640	183,819
	Sardine.....	12,317	515,376
	Sablefish.....	11,933	352,019
	White croaker (kingfish).....	11,825	189,252
	Lingcod.....	7,654	77,701
	Petrale sole.....	7,175	71,391
	Sanddab.....	6,918	108,604
	Smelt.....	6,894	114,764
	Jack mackerel.....	6,136	103,995
	Pacific herring.....	5,078	186,565
	All other.....	26,919	579,444
	Totals.....	\$916,484	26,666,758
Moss Landing.....	Albacore.....	\$275,795	1,882,560
	Salmon.....	106,961	299,332
	Squid.....	28,476	1,747,000
	Anchovy.....	22,912	1,749,000
	Sardine.....	10,062	421,000
	Pacific herring.....	9,988	363,200
	Shark.....	5,014	95,690
	All other.....	10,273	140,579
	Totals.....	\$469,481	6,698,361
Santa Cruz.....	Salmon.....	\$70,297	196,717
	English sole.....	11,739	168,803
	California pompano.....	9,493	38,971
	Sablefish.....	8,931	263,442
	Smelt.....	7,126	124,583
	Rockfish.....	6,424	94,494
	White croaker (kingfish).....	5,413	86,605
	Petrale sole.....	5,339	53,120
	All other.....	24,796	453,167
	Totals.....	\$149,558	1,476,902

TABLE 28
*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Monterey Region During 1955, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 29
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1955,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Santa Barbara region totals.....		\$2,003,471	64,979,740
Port Hueneme.....	Sardine.....	\$570,967	33,586,295
	Jack mackerel.....	138,334	8,982,720
	Anchovy.....	56,188	3,087,260
	Pacific mackerel.....	15,524	988,777
	California halibut.....	8,445	35,632
	All other.....	3,342	35,236
	Totals.....	\$792,800	46,715,920
Port San Luis (Avila, Grover City).....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$330,863	2,338,254
	Salmon.....	87,164	249,968
	Abalone.....	12,479	93,334
	Rockfish.....	10,284	263,969
	Petrale sole.....	6,977	63,703
	All other.....	23,865	305,559
	Totals.....	\$470,732	3,314,817
Santa Barbara.....	Abalone.....	\$139,015	1,136,365
	Sardine.....	102,808	6,047,535
	Spiny lobster.....	88,926	191,569
	California halibut.....	19,433	81,994
	White seabass.....	18,396	84,191
	Jack mackerel.....	12,656	821,842
	Shark.....	7,213	106,490
	Petrale sole.....	5,561	58,288
	All other.....	13,312	399,199
	Totals.....	\$407,320	8,927,473
Morro Bay.....	Rockfish.....	\$108,913	3,073,382
	Abalone.....	43,090	322,291
	Giant Pacific oyster.....	29,549	1,455,605
	Salmon.....	17,753	80,938
	Petrale sole.....	17,534	183,796
	Crab.....	14,698	74,153
	Albacore.....	13,265	87,673
	All other.....	20,813	280,361
	Totals.....	\$265,525	5,528,199
San Simeon.....	Abalone.....	\$63,628	475,900
	Totals.....	\$63,628	475,900
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$3,466	17,431
	Totals.....	\$3,466	17,431

TABLE 29
*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1955, Shown
by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 30
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Los Angeles region totals.....		\$40,384,719	434,808,915
Terminal Island.....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$15,739,458	104,555,473
	Skipjack.....	10,091,102	75,776,776
	Albacore.....	7,598,661	45,625,372
	Sardine.....	2,174,209	96,203,945
	Bluefin tuna.....	1,681,331	11,772,790
	Jack mackerel.....	468,367	21,886,303
	Pacific mackerel.....	298,101	12,960,892
	Anchovy.....	48,807	3,813,074
	Bigeye tuna.....	43,849	397,541
	Bonito.....	5,671	94,480
	All other.....	6,275	32,928
	Totals.....	\$38,155,831	373,119,574
San Pedro.....	Barracuda.....	\$137,028	852,695
	White seabass.....	114,592	483,888
	Spiny lobster.....	100,045	196,514
	Bluefin tuna.....	89,395	624,270
	Pacific mackerel.....	53,050	2,306,533
	Black sea bass.....	51,034	343,896
	Anchovy.....	49,935	3,901,142
	Grouper.....	44,670	229,431
	Rockfish.....	36,801	363,422
	Abalone.....	36,683	484,504
	Sardine.....	36,660	1,622,129
	Jack mackerel.....	34,836	1,627,865
	California halibut.....	32,270	154,626
	Yellowfin tuna.....	29,990	195,245
	Albacore.....	16,345	98,704
	Sculpin.....	14,929	64,907
	White croaker (kingfish).....	13,831	343,151
	Cabrilla.....	13,455	90,426
	Swordfish.....	10,968	25,207
	Halfmoon.....	8,403	34,382
	Shark.....	7,639	65,584
	Yellowtail.....	5,297	59,451
	All other.....	19,646	264,523
	Totals.....	\$957,512	14,432,495
Newport Beach.....	Pacific mackerel.....	\$129,197	5,617,275
	Abalone.....	81,677	1,108,687
	Albacore.....	41,625	251,358
	Spiny lobster.....	41,195	80,918
	Anchovy.....	38,769	3,028,811
	Swordfish.....	18,912	43,466
	Sardine.....	15,000	663,730
	White seabass.....	9,109	38,451
	Jack mackerel.....	8,773	409,937
	All other.....	16,564	98,319
	Totals.....	\$400,821	11,340,952
Long Beach.....	Anchovy.....	\$155,460	12,145,290
	Sardine.....	91,698	4,057,430
	Spiny lobster.....	59,138	116,161
	Rockfish.....	11,230	94,611
	Pacific mackerel.....	5,491	238,744
	Jack mackerel.....	5,156	240,940
	All other.....	14,936	99,594
	Totals.....	\$343,109	16,992,770
Los Angeles.....	Salmon.....	\$108,886	356,651
	Sablefish.....	39,740	230,781
	Pismo clam.....	35,211	1,578,976
	Sturgeon.....	6,928	21,065
	All other.....	26,889	114,783
	Totals.....	\$217,654	2,302,856

TABLE 30
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 30—Continued
**Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955,
 Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values**

		Value	Pounds
Wilmington	Anchovy	\$123,622	9,681,431
	Jack mackerel.....	27,982	1,307,584
	Pacific mackerel.....	20,760	902,623
	Sardine.....	11,692	517,365
	All other.....	914	21,290
	Totals.....	\$185,270	12,430,293
Santa Monica.....	Sardine.....	\$42,354	1,874,085
	Anchovy.....	22,501	1,757,875
	Spiny lobster.....	18,578	36,492
	Jack mackerel.....	6,703	313,236
	All other.....	8,537	101,102
	Totals.....	\$98,673	4,082,790
Redondo Beach.....	Spiny lobster.....	\$6,167	12,113
	All other.....	2,801	30,561
	Totals.....	\$8,968	42,674
Dana Point.....	Spiny lobster.....	\$8,098	15,906
	All other.....	35	239
	Totals.....	\$8,133	16,145
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$8,748	48,366
	Totals.....	\$8,748	48,366

TABLE 30
*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1955, Shown by
 Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 31
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Diego Region During 1955,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
San Diego region totals.....		\$16,321,933	111,148,593
San Diego.....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$7,138,278	46,979,014
	Skipjack.....	5,653,311	42,804,843
	Albacore.....	3,023,813	18,264,393
	Bluefin tuna.....	132,897	923,536
	Spiny lobster.....	98,599	183,611
	White seabass.....	56,030	226,244
	Abalone.....	39,670	501,824
	Barracuda.....	36,394	264,633
	California halibut.....	28,036	139,695
	Swordfish.....	23,031	53,461
	Shark.....	16,597	160,429
	Rockfish.....	8,785	112,358
	Pacific mackerel.....	7,375	167,716
	Jackknife clam.....	6,998	18,585
	Yellowtail.....	6,156	82,303
	Sculpin.....	5,533	27,907
	All other.....	12,934	133,591
	Totals.....	\$16,294,127	111,044,143
Encinitas.....	White seabass.....	\$5,105	20,626
	All other.....	4,273	11,809
	Totals.....	\$9,378	32,435
Oceanside.....	White seabass.....	\$5,119	20,683
	All other.....	1,815	10,531
	Totals.....	\$6,934	31,214
Mission Beach.....	Jackknife clam.....	\$6,376	17,770
	Totals.....	\$6,376	17,770
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$5,118	23,031
	Totals.....	\$5,118	23,031

TABLE 31
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Diego Region During 1955, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 32
Origin of Shipments of Fresh Fish Into California During 1956

Shipped from	Shipped to					Total pounds
	Eureka region	San Francisco region	Santa Barbara region	Los Angeles region	San Diego region	
Continental United States:						
Carp.....		1,535				1,535
Eel.....				2,950		2,950
Sablefish.....				110,280		110,280
Shad.....		3,317				3,317
Sturgeon.....				3,069		3,069
Tuna, skipjack.....				70		70
Tuna, yellowfin.....		2,362		52,473		54,835
Miscellaneous fish.....		22,540		131,049		153,589
Oregon, Washington, Canada and Alaska:						
Halibut, Pacific.....		45,916		290		46,206
Sablefish.....		293,440		199,692		493,132
Salmon.....	6,438	64,738		117,090		188,266
Shad.....		33,259				33,259
Sturgeon.....				20,532		20,532
Miscellaneous fish.....				36,598		36,598
South of the international boundary:						
Seabass, white.....					9,487	9,487
Crustacean: Shrimp, unclassified.....			5,100			5,100
Mollusk: Clam, Pismo.....			83,840	1,190,472		1,274,312
South America:						
Tuna, albacore.....				389,649		389,649
Tuna, bigeye.....			2,500	10,709		13,209
Tuna, bluefin.....				162,875		162,875
Tuna, skipjack.....				11,964,244	3,290,627	15,254,871
Tuna, yellowfin.....				4,083,810	7,326,047	11,409,857
Japan:						
Sardine.....		6,800				6,800
Swordfish.....		9,762		310		10,072
Tuna, albacore.....		4,077,481	2,000	15,820,775	32,870	19,933,126
Tuna, bigeye.....				654,873		654,873
Tuna, skipjack.....		492,344		64,927		557,271
Tuna, yellowfin.....		9,313,673	3,190,944	30,635,204		43,139,821
Total pounds.....	6,438	14,367,167	3,284,384	65,681,911	10,659,031	93,998,931

Recapitulation

	Pounds		Pounds
Carp.....	1,535	Tuna, albacore.....	20,322,775
Eel.....	2,950	Tuna, bigeye.....	668,082
Halibut, Pacific.....	46,206	Tuna, bluefin.....	162,875
Sablefish.....	603,412	Tuna, skipjack.....	15,842,212
Salmon.....	188,266	Tuna, yellowfin.....	54,604,513
Sardine.....	6,800	Miscellaneous fish.....	190,157
Seabass, white.....	9,487	Crustacean: Shrimp, unclassified.....	5,100
Shad.....	36,576	Mollusk: Clam, Pismo.....	1,274,312
Sturgeon.....	23,601		
Swordfish.....	10,072		
		Total pounds.....	93,998,931

TABLE 32
Origin of Shipments of Fresh Fish Into California During 1956

TABLE 33
Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

Species	Fishing boat landings				Shipments ¹	Total pounds of fishing boat landings and shipments combined
	California	North of the state boundary	South of the inter-national boundary	Total fishing boat landings		
Anchovy.....	56,920,585			56,920,585		56,920,585
Barracuda, California.....	50,153		702,374	752,527		752,527
Bonito.....	22,491		105,123	127,614		127,614
Cabezon.....	12,397			12,397		12,397
Cabrilla.....			63,438	63,438		63,438
Carp.....	855,576			855,576	1,535	857,111
Corvina, shortfin.....			430	430		430
Croaker, white (kingfish).....	889,850			889,850		889,850
Dolphinfish, common.....	149			149		149
Eel.....	430			430	2,950	3,380
Flounder.....	374,114	996		375,110		375,110
Flyingfish.....	50,724			50,724		50,724
Grouper.....			211,594	211,594		211,594
Hake.....	1,317,103	59,114		1,376,217		1,376,217
Halfmoon.....	15,108			15,108		15,108
Halibut, arrowtooth.....	1,011,411	59,186		1,070,597		1,070,597
Halibut, California.....	382,006		73,793	455,799		455,799
Halibut, Pacific.....	39,007	11		39,018	46,206	85,224
Hardhead.....	76,750			76,750		76,750
Herring, Pacific.....	1,735,776			1,735,776		1,735,776
Lingcod.....	909,006	22,255	50	931,311		931,311
Mackerel, jack.....	75,762,110			75,762,110		75,762,110
Mackerel, Pacific.....	50,012,780		229	50,013,009		50,013,009
Needlefish, California.....	525			525		525
Opaleye.....	3,433			3,433		3,433
Perch.....	187,681			187,681		187,681
Pompano, California.....	76,679			76,679		76,679
Ratfish.....	8,245			8,245		8,245
Rock bass.....			3,432	3,432		3,432
Rockfish.....	14,656,584	242,332	44,599	14,943,515		14,943,515
Sablefish.....	2,809,315	59,092		2,868,407	603,412	3,471,819
Salmon.....	11,401,372	13,115		11,414,487	188,266	11,602,753
Sanddab.....	787,972	828		788,800		788,800
Sardine.....	69,554,345			69,554,345	6,800	69,561,145
Sculpin.....	100,232			100,232		100,232
Sculpin, staghorn.....	1,565			1,565		1,565
Sea bass, black.....	39,610		291,708	331,318		331,318
Seabass, white.....	413,956		667,267	1,081,223	9,487	1,090,710
Seatrou, greenling.....	1,187			1,187		1,187
Shad.....	431,125			431,125	36,576	467,701
Shark.....	1,045,634		39,680	1,085,314		1,085,314
Sheep-head.....	4,965		1,610	6,575		6,575
Sierra.....			995	995		995
Skate.....	175,546		205	175,751		175,751
Smelt.....	466,333			466,333		466,333
Sole, Dover.....	7,244,572	1,023,852		8,268,424		8,268,424
Sole, English.....	3,769,360	55,592		3,824,952		3,824,952
Sole, petrale.....	2,536,234	293,824		2,830,058		2,830,058
Sole, rex.....	1,134,867	12,506		1,147,373		1,147,373
Sole, sand.....	77,062	250		77,312		77,312
Sole, unclassified.....	22,856			22,856		22,856
Splittail.....	127			127		127
Sturgeon.....					23,601	23,601
Swordfish.....	273,294		1,880	275,174	10,072	285,246
Tomcod.....	1,153			1,153		1,153
Tuna, albacore.....	15,874,652	115,985	21,064,574	37,055,211	20,322,775	57,377,986
Tuna, bigeye.....					668,082	668,082
Tuna, bluefin.....	2,612,046		10,013,922	12,625,968	162,875	12,788,843
Tuna, skipjack.....	875		120,152,347	120,153,222	15,842,212	135,995,434
Tuna, yellowfin.....	102		149,280,874	149,280,976	54,604,513	203,885,489

TABLE 33
Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

TABLE 33—Continued

Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

Species	Fishing boat landings				Shipments ¹	Total pounds of fishing boat landings and shipments combined
	California	North of the state boundary	South of the international boundary	Total fishing boat landings		
Turbot.....	83,294			83,294		83,294
Wahoo.....			12,258	12,258		12,258
Whitebait.....	148,820			148,820		148,820
Whitefish, ocean.....	990		830	1,820		1,820
Yellowtail.....	18,598		352,289	370,887		370,887
Miscellaneous fish.....	2,000		346	2,346	190,157	192,503
Crustacean:						
Crab.....	14,320,169	290		14,320,459		14,320,459
Crab, rock.....	59,171			59,171		59,171
Lobster, spiny.....	735,994		125	735,994		735,994
Prawn.....	1,233			1,233		1,233
Shrimp, bay.....	718,968			718,968		718,968
Shrimp, ocean.....	1,168,179	340		1,168,519		1,168,519
Shrimp, unclassified.....					5,100	5,100
Mollusk:						
Abalone.....	4,284,063			4,284,063		4,284,063
Clam, gaper.....	688			688		688
Clam, jackknife.....	26,683			26,683		26,683
Clam, Pismo.....					1,274,312	1,274,312
Clam, Washington.....	10,629			10,629		10,629
Octopus.....	16,217			16,217		16,217
Oyster, eastern.....	142,181			142,181		142,181
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	6,101,220			6,101,220		6,101,220
Oyster, Kumamoto.....	23,965			23,965		23,965
Oyster, native.....	6,234			6,234		6,234
Squid.....	19,483,984			19,483,984		19,483,984
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	66			66		66
Total pounds.....	373,504,251	1,959,568	303,085,972	678,549,791	93,998,931	772,548,722

¹ For origin of shipments refer to Table 32.

TABLE 33
Origin of the Commercial Fish Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

TABLE 34
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings:													
Anchovy.....	3,461,340	5,585,200	9,288,452	9,114,883	3,337,915	2,929,954	4,080,652	5,779,630	2,453,225	2,542,085	4,763,206	3,575,000	56,220,585
Barracuda, California.....	57,897	117,274	63,941	7,802	31,996	11,588	49,301	43,961	121,145	170,288	13,829	13,829	1,272,614
Bontio.....	21,473	6,842	1,638	20	1,876	1,691	758	1,380	4,524	4,682	1,371	1,371	12,367
Cabezon.....	11,184	9,869	13,397	744	1,977	2,535	.....	.....	540	856	880	25,125	63,438
Cabrilla.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	768	.....	.....	85,176
Carp.....	115,290	91,277	132,976	117,991	34,998	30,471	34,796	19,671	71,597	75,597	62,220	69,023	889,850
Cervina, shortfin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	149
Cracker, white (Kingfish).....	17,308	30,506	75,103	64,813	277,608	70,338	67,797	92,748	42,908	27,303	27,009	87,411	889,850
Dummbush, common.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	150	90	100	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	480
Eel.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	373,110
Flounder.....	8,170	25,027	46,234	29,556	67,232	13,247	6,717	17,304	22,310	61,596	44,121	33,396	50,724
Lyngfish.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	211,594
Copper.....	31,948	10,766	47,680	34,468	21,071	20,745	1,245	.....	125	4,780	37,182	73,444	114,867
Hake.....	7,950	25,101	46,373	96,954	145,021	180,534	133,637	181,711	159,521	138,404	143,144	114,867	1,376,217
Halibut.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	4,139	20	60	.....	3,390
Haddock.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	15,108
Halter, speckletooth.....	4,089	17,731	11,713	51,537	88,578	117,116	118,111	191,709	141,934	123,393	120,297	81,409	1,070,597
Halter, California.....	24,818	43,315	55,248	60,723	36,109	36,024	44,549	48,210	27,851	16,437	27,191	35,024	455,799
Halter, Pacific.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	36,018
Herring.....	7,380	13,459	12,940	4,720	5,076	26,146	2,338	4,499	889	50	11,073	6,761	17,367
Herring, Pacific.....	77,805	723,374	122,760	93,796	226,419	134,629	165,978	75,080	49,200	463	347	69,523	1,736,776
Lingcod.....	23,414	16,345	45,799	56,814	100,288	100,817	150,947	98,794	84,064	80,244	76,519	98,166	931,311
Mackerel, jack.....	9,537,755	9,965,318	4,496,037	3,175,002	6,501,062	2,384,923	1,543,447	2,690,521	6,354,485	10,538,456	14,451,421	5,125,283	75,732,110
Mackerel, Pacific.....	4,654,569	1,260,471	631,734	368,378	1,705,129	1,157,740	6,098,549	5,771,031	2,816,252	9,870,799	8,283,215	7,392,942	90,013,325
Needlefish, California.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	325
Opateye.....	.....	622	826	339	.....	665	39	.....	395	.....	.....	529	3,433
Perch.....	3,446	9,821	31,286	48,070	6	16,320	16,320	29,230	13,262	10,214	16,969	8,857	187,951
Pompano, California.....	35	1,166	3,579	1,673	2,354	7,461	5,833	12,869	10,211	11,855	12,900	6,963	8,215
Ratfish.....	1,175	200	3,400	2,000	.....	605	.....	.....	1,400	.....	.....	.....	3,432
Rock bass.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Rockfish.....	1,082,433	1,205,034	1,350,043	1,319,695	1,401,851	934,646	1,270,555	1,174,488	1,290,850	1,451,516	1,317,273	1,155,118	14,643,515
Sablefish.....	176,481	146,738	232,692	231,568	275,189	258,543	211,096	217,844	210,339	275,125	445,079	227,732	2,983,407
Salmon.....	112	6,262	15,027	15,027	2,500,014	1,995,013	3,541,335	2,626,079	1,570,769	66,732	55,963	11,448	11,788,800
Sanddab.....	64,035	63,711	186,620	240,261	241,313	291,451	295,804	402,335	59,768	64,808	55,954	51,694	51,694
Scupin.....	4,013,807	165,380	186,620	240,261	241,313	291,451	295,804	402,335	27,442	50,655,141	8,655,080	3,922,732	90,454,345
Sculpin.....	678	1,985	2,330	4,147	5,596	29,993	28,517	21,913	3,886	472	218	57	100,232

TABLE 34
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

TABLE 34—Continued
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Sculpin, staghorn.....	27,177	8,482	11,847	1,072	23,471	42,387	30,447	899	280	295	660	390	1,565
Sea bass, black.....	25,022	22,778	19,644	16,242	82,452	107,492	50,634	140,107	185,441	29,996	81,098	33,224	331,318
Sea bass, white.....	.....	78	45	70	.....	.....	95	.....	.....	332	403	144	1,081,157
Sea trout, greenling.....	.....	.....	.....	74,333	350,206	6,586	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	431,125
Shad.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Shark.....	118,363	77,284	420,431	63,390	50,924	76,672	62,014	30,614	28,321	37,942	61,091	57,898	1,085,314
Sheep-head.....	80	354	475	119	181	200	.....	.....	340	1,397	1,077	1,411	6,755
Skate.....	14,802	20,300	28,361	28,094	11,600	11,027	7,475	4,060	7,759	9,804	12,445	20,115	176,731
Smelt.....	4,814	12,217	27,404	24,929	47,005	88,444	101,875	68,862	47,401	26,437	14,849	2,095	466,333
Sole, Dover.....	211,982	186,546	291,707	559,064	671,410	892,208	818,087	1,298,704	1,012,118	860,054	1,091,340	363,215	8,968,124
Sole, English.....	230,066	288,123	338,909	423,581	385,605	236,562	199,794	282,247	394,760	340,914	344,228	333,124	3,824,952
Sole, petrale.....	185,565	159,307	180,850	173,153	182,521	274,575	258,598	298,331	214,819	184,298	312,672	401,409	2,830,058
Sole, rex.....	134,766	113,333	102,380	79,597	92,189	53,240	56,702	90,871	85,053	91,099	141,383	106,650	1,147,373
Sole, sand.....	3,195	6,497	13,219	13,219	8,416	1,841	2,493	2,303	17,266	9,310	2,890	1,194	77,312
Sole, unclassified.....	690	1,355	1,603	859	877	2,437	1,146	1,540	1,010	4,716	5,642	981	22,856
Spittail.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	.....	.....	.....	127
Swordfish.....	.....	539	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,225	25,915	59,165	160,369	26,924	546	275,174
Tuna, albacore.....	362,722	22,849	45	65	436	210,517	11,186,341	10,115,668	7,788,316	4,681,705	1,662,157	1,051,736	37,685,211
Tuna, bluefin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	333,699	2,478,487	580,704	5,220,348	2,644,351	650,816	708,513	150	12,625,968
Tuna, skipjack.....	10,628,037	10,694,426	9,033,768	8,025,713	9,335,507	9,628,813	8,861,819	10,202,854	13,674,200	7,130,270	11,870,750	10,054,975	120,153,222
Tuna, yellowfin.....	14,793,384	10,610,871	16,075,682	21,720,316	19,131,216	15,165,979	16,662,043	9,433,773	8,513,011	4,226,879	5,734,860	7,233,462	19,290,976
Turbot.....	7,303	8,613	7,790	3,063	1,285	5,638	2,167	1,582	6,652	9,519	10,364	.....	54,484
Walrus.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,438	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	12,288
Whitebait.....	822	5,567	9,088	11,825	32,126	40,384	28,886	14,676	609	146	181	4,510	148,820
Whitefish, ocean.....	.....	.....	1,240	281	.....	18	220	6	.....	.....	.....	75	1,820
Yellowtail.....	19,650	8,735	4,193	387	14,630	108,627	71,979	37,392	39,253	32,705	16,125	1,79	372,668
Miscellaneous fish.....	.....	146	54	72	1,216	738	49	.....	20	18	.....	12	2,346
Crustacean:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Crab.....	2,007,093	2,303,943	2,031,682	1,645,860	1,185,890	317,905	6,898	5,391	7,432	6,566	1,719,331	3,018,844	14,320,459
Crab, rock.....	3,978	3,801	4,597	308	1,232	2,871	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,337	10,337	23,941
Crab, spiny.....	116,221	120,245	243	181	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	205,593	136,437	107,434	735,901
Prawn.....	221	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	32	82	77	293
Shrimp, bay.....	3,610	6,420	15,770	8,439	21,044	33,337	103,474	217,454	176,675	74,632	26,871	31,362	718,968
Shrimp, ocean.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	106,024	254,673	315,596	331,769	100,487	.....	.....	.....	1,168,519

TABLE 34
Monthly Landings and Shipments Into California During 1956

TABLE 35
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Eureka Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Flounder.....	746	4,881	5,205	10,517	14,615	115,835	1,007	6,053	8,151	10,442	17,583	5,151	103,233
Hake.....	5,750	21,351	12,108	43,445	100,327	102,635	75,562	161,829	138,403	114,711	128,215	104,327	1,026,560
Herring, Pacific.....	3,169	17,311	10,259	40,872	74,195	102,635	106,140	181,149	140,494	115,530	109,061	73,284	983,779
Halibut, California.....					5,076	26,146	2,338	4,488	889	50			39,007
Halibut, Pacific.....			20										
Herring, Pacific.....	68,598			17,057	34,830	32,296	60,646	53,807	36,517	22,062	30,881	53,312	68,835
Perch.....	642	2,289	6,314	11,896	25,470	172,414	37,796	25,754	318,438	283,477	237,832	152,298	2,876,467
Rockfish.....	242	210,625	237,961	296,540	398,470	82,390	71,622	71,816	104,550	150,050	267,334	128,789	1,039,779
Sablefish.....	1,331	17,306	21,712	48,372	77,068	82,390							
Salmon.....	323	3,170	11,959	11,689	1,161,068	1,016,116	2,421,607	1,466,779	232,623	2,961	7,352	6,942	6,298,463
Sanddab.....				7,784	7,692		6,402	13,381	17,508	2,961	7,352		37,233
Shark.....			6,659		7,746	3,448				165			37,233
Skate.....		173	115	1,495	4,296	23,332	56,458	27,215	6,663	1,305		70	14,004
Smelt.....													
Sole, Dover.....	5,718	5,131	4,687	250,004	484,186	722,233	756,404	1,128,208	871,135	729,493	810,406	398,035	6,081,783
Sole, English.....	12,857	81,164	122,451	141,591	167,118	70,462	108,586	133,139	123,139	108,586	128,157	120,883	1,295,403
Sole, petrale.....	51,709	62,162	25,784	35,341	43,634	30,964	39,939	62,351	52,968	48,177	62,070	185,621	969,823
Sole, rex.....	3,115	7,202	25,784	35,341	43,634	30,964	39,939	62,351	52,968	48,177	62,070	185,621	969,823
Sole, sand.....	15	200	529	4,684	953			265	2,419	3,080	895	1,075	14,115
Sole, unclassified.....	30	220						155		4,395	4,900	330	10,120
Tuna, albacore.....								43,619	285,266	170,574	694		500,063
Turbot.....	103	301	43	508	121	70		23	580	100	4,517	1,350	7,806
Whiting.....	11	2,577	4,764	6,297	17,318	23,299	23,041	10,841	29				88,177
Miscellaneous fish.....						11							11
Crustacean:	1,295,701	1,796,424	1,904,183	1,538,196	1,115,089	317,005					40	4,146	7,988,684
Crab.....					108,875	199,180	177,310	309,744	100,487				895,596
Shrimp, ocean.....													
Mollusk:													
Clam, Washington.....	235	325	2,716	6,103	95				241	329	189	378	10,629
Octopus.....	64			590	209		362	156	85	796,000	1,402,000	1,228,700	4,381,099
Oyster, Eureka Pacific.....			144,000	255,450	241,800	42,450	23,150		248,500	1,800	7,987		23,965
Oyster, Klamath.....													
Total pounds.....	1,477,396	2,235,533	2,612,492	2,793,438	4,089,986	3,083,796	4,342,646	3,984,394	2,780,929	2,642,127	3,353,695	2,429,491	35,816,766

TABLE 35

Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Eureka Region During 1956

TABLE 36
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Carp.....	115,290	91,277	132,976	117,691	34,998	30,471	34,717	19,671	71,897	75,597	62,890	68,629	855,007
Hardhead.....	7,338	13,438	12,940	14,750	4,663	4,663	449	14,883	14,883	14,883	19,075	6,704	26,756
Sardine.....	112	333	.....	15,011	20,935	679	.....	148,803	873,454	.....	28,632	51,635	1,139,585
Shad.....	.....	.....	.....	74,333	350,206	6,589	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	431,125
Spittail.....	.....	17	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	127
Miscellaneous fish.....	.....	110	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	110
Total pounds, Sacramento region.....	122,782	105,196	145,916	211,755	407,604	37,765	35,166	168,601	949,239	89,834	101,925	127,051	2,502,794

TABLE 36
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1956

TABLE 37
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy.....			300	21,050	22,326	5,750	39,225	161,100	122,450	15,280			387,981
Cabezon.....					100	90							190
Carp.....				300		4,134	2,462	440	471	336	570	470	9,627
Clupea, white (kingfish).....	310	75	38,620	5,966	50,181	9,480	3,900	1,381	6,544	41,623	22,092	16,629	223,041
Flounder.....	4,815	19,410					1,500	5,319	1,140	363	1,883	1,225	7,290
Hake.....	900	1,290	1,454	1,665	2,844	4,051	7,083	1,897	188	2,363	1,883	1,725	15,977
Halibut, acronoth.....	4,660	3,308			329	377	1,897	141	188	2,363	347	66,325	74,977
Herring.....	8,549	724,524	122,735	3,278									848,566
Herring, Pacific.....	12,617	8,555	21,167	13,662	32,002	50,384	71,809	18,793	30,025	32,856	11,575	13,820	317,665
Lingcod.....													
Mackerel, jack.....	1,613	3,771	15,322	17,607			69		1,140	1,660	737	1,703	3,299
Pike.....			312,287	175,557			334	77	436	2,690			447
Rockfish.....	228,904	283,748	312,287	175,557	130,285	45,767	96,779	103,297	330,976	485,678	424,723	326,185	2,942,536
Sablefish.....	89,645	55,873	90,896	95,470	123,361	71,536	27,644	35,913	58,626	81,460	61,852	37,010	830,216
Salmon.....					683,436	736,139	1,052,602	351,834	114,375				2,638,586
Sardines.....	57,832	53,480	49,232	32,480	41,430	22,561	22,865	31,392	24,060	37,792	42,039	40,235	455,067
Sealions, staghorn.....										280	295	690	1,565
Sealions, white.....	3,660	8,568	9,065		80	217	2,094	50	116	31			197
Shark.....	7,785	10,390	13,840	12,400	7,105	3,970	4,539	3,166	4,670	7,258	1,566	2,008	43,282
Skate.....								3,380	7,620	9,615	5,575	10,730	96,940
Smelt.....	690	4,165	24,639	15,297	10,675	22,231	17,548	25,939	17,432	7,134	1,660	62	147,492
Sole, Dover.....	206,264	71,136	193,443	251,068	103,832	46,571	29,574	61,501	62,734	61,038	50,076	8,383	1,145,950
Sole, English.....	181,378	120,398	121,514	217,016	146,069	86,243	72,069	87,062	179,649	171,892	161,013	184,256	1,739,489
Sole, petrale.....	93,756	42,372	77,065	54,711	70,698	91,532	80,767	97,024	60,302	51,286	52,731	92,529	885,773
Sole, rock.....	98,410	82,238	98,948	32,694	39,828	12,729	9,538	18,080	21,889	29,388	34,382	46,780	363,104
Sole, sand.....	3,180	6,397	7,509	8,535	7,463	1,841	2,493		14,947	6,230	1,895	419	62,847
Sole, unclassified.....	405	759	60	60					269	120			1,643
Tomcod.....		539	45	65	436				68				1,133
Turbot, albacore.....		6,223	5,671	2,480	4,633	2,616		973,145	1,790,768	492,374	55,838	1,760	3,943,133
Whitebait.....	6,462	2,800	4,046	5,399	14,596	16,701	1,483	1,909	6,372	9,334	6,691	11,111	63,985
Miscellaneous fish.....	811	2,800		22			3,829	911			181	4,510	53,340
Miscellaneous.....													22
Crustacean:													
Crab.....	742,716	451,426	64,193	32,591	47,217	33,337	103,474	217,434	176,575	74,632	1,884,060	2,921,848	5,974,661
Shrimp, bay.....	3,610	6,429	15,770	8,439	21,044	55,493	137,916	22,025			26,871	31,362	718,968
Shrimp, ocean.....					57,149								272,583

TABLE 37
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Region During 1956

TABLE 37—Continued
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Mollusk:													
Abalone.....	650	418	690	2,090	2,575	1,725	3,050	1,025	1,750	1,500	1,375	1,025	17,965
Octopus.....	12,870	12,115	13,274	10,537	11,087	8,459	7,578	10,190	11,100	15,050	13,354	15,701	142,181
Oyster, eastern.....	12,906	18,250	21,043	22,909	17,093	16,557	10,749	13,715	20,165	30,672	78,478	32,108	325,145
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	461	445	1,313	1,370	1,500	720	294	69	25	37	.....	.....	6,234
Oyster, native.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Total pounds.....	1,785,655	1,968,703	1,317,291	1,013,893	1,656,046	1,352,331	1,834,301	2,251,286	3,020,062	1,680,171	2,765,455	3,871,086	24,573,740
Fishing boat landings from waters north of the state boundary													
Tuna, albacore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	768	.....	.....	768
Total pounds.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	768	.....	.....	768
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the international boundary													
Tuna, skipjack.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,389	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,389
Tuna, yellowfin.....	.....	.....	.....	150,572	65,119	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	215,691
Total pounds.....	.....	.....	.....	150,572	66,488	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	217,060
Shipments ¹													
Carry-over.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Halibut, Pacific.....	10,040	.....	.....	.....	500	1,035	32,264	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,535
Sablefish.....	33,301	1,000	55,025	7,324	36,724	20,087	25,788	.....	23,559	16,179	73,583	.....	45,916
Salmon.....	.....	.....	3,006	582	.....	.....	171	12,608	17,725	6,256	22,420	.....	293,440
Sardine.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	6,800	6,800
Shad.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,148	3,716	17,078	11,296	.....	3,338	.....	.....	36,576
Swordfish.....	504	5,256	.....	.....	4,002	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,762
Tuna, albacore.....	807,517	164,430	295,260	806,243	442,486	3,110	483,910	303,060	38,020	120,722	212,785	283,438	4,072,741
Tuna, skipjack.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuna, yellowfin.....	816,426	1,027,473	1,181,461	583,046	889,073	883,340	929,170	200,032	400,350	805,450	977,391	625,914	9,316,035
Miscellaneous fish.....	3,090	10,500	2,000	2,000	2,000	1,000	1,000	1,040	.....	.....	.....	.....	22,540
Total pounds.....	1,660,748	1,233,663	1,977,032	1,488,165	1,373,335	912,288	1,466,490	618,036	480,154	951,945	1,286,159	916,152	14,367,167
Grand totals, San Francisco region.....	3,446,403	3,239,366	3,294,323	2,682,600	3,096,769	2,264,619	3,293,881	2,869,322	3,501,116	2,632,884	4,046,614	4,787,838	39,158,785

¹ See Table 32 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 37
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Francisco Region During 1956

TABLE 38
Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy.....	1,609	2,515,212	3,935,657	1,217,895	105,090	4,850	704,760	373,425	200,750	599,990	1,364	9,658,359	
California halibut.....	50	273	513	1,794	863	40	29,071	14,566	7,052	1,384	482	8,292	
Croaker, white (kingfish).....	2,433	5,606	7,480	12,835	21,424	41,176	20,071	30,566	14,566	7,052	482	244,424	
Eel.....	2,572	1,036	1,841	4,015	150	90	180	9,009	4,610	531	4,446	46,638	
Flounder.....	2,900	3,750	29,265	56,509	35,704	49,945	51,200	13,550	16,400	14,500	6,030	4,200	283,235
Hake.....	1,728	256	344	386	332	2,289	3,658	1,646	119	330	235	2,131	14,615
Halibut, arrowtooth.....	6,439	1,838	11,296	13,018	20,533	7,957	15,110	4,754	10,257	10,257	21,493	20,296	796,498
Herring, Pacific.....				4,605	4,905	1,472	11,824	1,427,259	822,184	181,235	1,650		144,946
Mackerel, jack.....							35,503	8,345					2,454,324
Mackerel, Pacific.....							3,145	3,540	115	525			43,848
Needlefish, California.....	270	180	1,350	11,250	6	385	3,145	3,540	115	525	7,139	763	98,525
Perch.....		36	120	708	1,329	585	4,392	11,982	6,451	3,667	431		29,941
Pompano, California.....													
Ratfish.....	1,175	200	3,400	2,000	70	70	701,188	567,602	1,400	327,102	273,378	423,079	8,245
Rockfish.....	468,955	384,168	437,841	510,534	627,528	500,788	701,188	567,602	394,093	327,102	273,378	423,079	5,616,156
Salmon.....	81,328	63,452	110,060	70,583	51,577	14,393	106,208	24,433	24,433	36,257	97,350	67,394	732,564
Sanddab.....	3,939	4,670	20,860	12,540	18,630	21,984	36,712	35,680	15,679	22,828	6,088	2,916	202,541
Sardine.....			408	258	80	100	548	207	100	44			828
Seahorse, white.....							105	105					1,007
Shad, greenling.....	108,690	9,500	360,833	29,128	1,113	2,996	19,039	718	5,812	3,681	3,275	27,556	572,411
Shark.....	5,420	6,773	13,590	8,446	234	1,124	2,560	402	116		6,570	9,385	54,020
Skate.....	290	5,713	1,369	4,555	29,649	41,323	25,045	11,755	22,380	13,364	9,092	1,333	103,246
Sole, Dover.....	30,115	40,220	69,973	1,025	2,725	40,783	41,486	73,324	61,494	39,450	42,032	38,707	589,722
Sole, English.....	8,952	16,804	17,769	22,456	13,933	10,609	6,522	25,572	23,757	11,364	20,078	8,425	186,241
Sole, petrale.....	22,031	9,781	9,246	5,284	6,133	7,857	6,625	6,405	4,781	6,969	14,145	6,100	105,357
Sole, rex.....													100
Sole, sand.....													100
Sole, unclassified.....	255	284	1,307	655	363	349	351	1,221	472	47	668	624	6,599
Tuna, albacore.....							915,449	3,284,945	401,695	401,695	54,096	3,886	4,690,071
Tuna, yellowfin.....								32					32
Turbot.....						153					191		495

TABLE 38
Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Region During 1956

TABLE 38—Continued
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Whitebait.....	.....	400	278	29	302	324	2,320	2,924	580	146	.....	.....	7,303
Crustacean:	.....	4,000	4,157	521	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	8,828	12,193	31,205
Crab.....	221	255	243	37	.....	.....	.....	.....	74	32	82	77	1,233
Prawn.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	181	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Mollusk:	.....	220	160	60	20	.....	.....	.....	20	.....	48	20	688
Clam, gaper.....	140	518	1,299	403	206	151	1,017	1,585,305	1,220,190	323	1,048	27	4,688
Octopus.....	713	.....	.....	258,219	3,882,551	4,333,170	2,113,426	1,885,305	1,220,190	314,960	2,607,805	2,337,630	18,594,241
Squid.....	1,964	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	12	5	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	17
Total pounds.....	754,014	564,118	3,620,831	5,105,732	6,747,731	5,516,377	3,421,477	5,704,308	6,418,813	1,635,610	3,796,491	2,882,158	46,168,290
Fishing boat landings from south of the international boundary:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Tuna, bluefin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	10,869	2,123	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	19,869
Tuna, skipjack.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	270,448	90,303	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,169
Tuna, yellowfin.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	290,363	92,626	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	300,931
Total pounds.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	7,038,094	5,609,603	3,421,477	5,704,308	6,418,813	1,635,610	3,796,491	2,882,158	382,989
Grand totals, Monterey region.....	754,014	564,118	3,620,831	5,105,732	7,038,094	5,609,603	3,421,477	5,704,308	6,418,813	1,635,610	3,796,491	2,882,158	46,551,249

TABLE 38
 Monthly Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Region During 1956

TABLE 39
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Anchovy.....	12,160	27,000	19,160	30,680	98,120	25,930	87,280	138,940	108,510	800	200	7	557,450
Crab.....	2,493	1,746	3,415	3,301	151	576	358	1,863	160	79	65	54	14,157
Craker, white (kingfish).....	37	10,689	14,240	17,510	16,698	10,907	16,681	13,857	11,033	5,587	2,315	16,774	143,505
Flounder.....	7,114	350	4,284	4,284	10,004	5,595	2,503	4,557	11,290	12,727	11,786	10,643	4,634
Halibut, California.....	3,716	2,124	6,622	12,829	10,004	5,595	2,503	4,557	11,290	12,727	11,786	10,643	65,315
Herring, Pacific.....	1,511,280	519,500	853,220	881,600	421,400	297,702	40,878	182,656	223,240	4,484,171	2,108,962	2,802,345	14,066,984
Lingcod.....	1,321	2,757	4,728	7,077	57,600	9,000	4,942	8,862	3,283	4,633,705	3,266	2,009,070	11,836,493
Mackerel, jack.....													
Mackerel, Pacific.....													
Perch.....													
Pompano, California.....													
Rockfish.....	330,311	194,141	240,062	282,568	196,806	158,792	61,122	147,811	169,093	295,065	316,119	185,620	2,576,483
Sablefish.....	877	5,063	6,132	12,184	7,229	5,603	1,036	1,785	800	185	2,255	4,252	47,501
Salmon.....	1,586	2,967	782	187	1,149	119,844	36,902	16,069	17,375				264,248
Sanddab.....													6,786
Sardine.....	12,000												274
Sea bass, black.....													
Seabass, white.....	388	694	727		87	7,918	9,196	10,853	5,572	1,052	4,106	304	721
Shad, greenling.....	1,480	43,970	34,649	12,712	18,101	25,336	20,490	6,625	1,963	2,263	1,229	920	160,747
Shark.....													
Sheep-head.....	88	116	648		138	34		210	138		71	90	399
Skate.....	1,147	1,874			138	331	2,512	2,175	120	410			4,982
Sole.....	3,874				462	1,012	8,171	8,751	19,582	15,020	310	705	2,649
Sole, Dover.....													
Sole, English.....	11,716	10,678	24,301	10,464	10,188	12,517	8,171	8,751	19,582	15,020	13,836	8,392	153,646
Sole, petrale.....	29,648	25,115	24,041	27,064	44,279	30,676	14,424	16,805	42,000	18,655	111,743	110,141	465,180
Sole, rockfish.....	9,178	11,326	10,285	6,075	2,146	2,700	4,819	2,700	4,819	6,154	8,558	6,101	48,439
Swordfish.....		92	285	63	384	563	660	660	1,006	1,006	74	27	13,199
Tuna, albacore.....						1,361	1,361	28,633	128,627	138,879	25,284	300	320,084
Tribol.....	648	2,089	2,076	75	1,631	2,797	684		20	85	105	1,108	11,098
Miscellaneous fish.....			64		382	33			20	18		6	635

TABLE 39
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1956

TABLE 39—Continued
 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Crustacean:													
Crab.....	57,680	51,482	31,860	54,552	23,584	60	337	102	217	858	24,803	80,657	325,619
Crustacean, unclassified.....	988	1,152	188	168	168	168	168	168	168	168	168	4,862	10,028
Lobster, spiny.....	47,372	45,164	19,484	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	26,486	28,903	31,021	198,430
Mollusk:													
Acutan.....	186,448	.....	97,969	267,850	363,710	256,077	286,420	295,110	290,462	212,537	326,068	246,142	2,708,733
Acutan, unclassified.....	451	566	117	444	446	323	.....	.....	.....	.....	30	134	2,571
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	219,050	181,450	159,825	97,600	55,150	58,050	7,000	26,200	39,250	103,200	216,075	237,175	1,395,095
Squid.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	515	.....	.....	12,000	12,545
Total pounds.....	2,443,090	1,112,855	1,438,535	1,438,535	1,405,109	1,009,011	800,775	1,391,789	1,338,295	23,084,347	8,910,800	6,545,065	51,044,943
Shipments ¹													
Tuna, albacore.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,000
Tuna, bigeye.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,500
Tuna, yellowfin.....	208,204	447,740	339,950	397,826	242,174	272,000	339,300	248,000	380,700	155,000	.....	160,000	3,100,944
Crustacean:													
Shrimp, unclassified.....	.....	.....	1,350	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	5,100
Mollusk:													
Clam, Pismo.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	88,840
Total pounds.....	208,204	447,740	341,300	397,826	244,674	272,000	339,300	248,000	380,700	186,500	32,640	19,200	3,284,384
Grand totals, Santa Barbara region.....	2,651,294	1,590,645	1,806,361	1,836,361	1,649,783	1,281,011	1,140,075	1,609,789	1,718,995	23,273,847	8,945,539	6,725,515	54,326,327

¹ See Table 32 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 39
 Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1956

TABLE 40
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California													
Anchovy.....	3,449,180	5,555,600	6,753,480	5,118,496	1,999,574	2,796,904	3,958,330	4,774,830	1,848,240	2,325,255	4,163,806	3,275,000	46,316,795
Barracuda, California.....	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	1,188	13,056
Bonito.....	160	160	160	120	1,700	40	2,994	613	729	137	16,500	215	20,727
Cabezon.....	11,972	22,014	63,817	47,897	255,765	33,396	38,190	13,172	9,571	14,896	18,760	86,200	618,620
Croaker, white (kingfish).....													
Flyingfish.....													
Hallibut.....	6,378	2,698	3,667	313	9,408	21,071	20,245	4,354	1,139	30	60	3,500	50,794
Halibut, California.....	688	24,345	29,149	25,988	5,940	8,218	1,161	4,354	1,724	1,560	3,872	4,351	116,140
Lingcod.....													94
Mackerel, jack.....	8,024,455	9,475,446	3,612,817	2,583,348	5,075,957	2,113,749	1,800,645	1,089,399	5,307,526	5,570,559	12,107,385	2,232,938	59,067,037
Mackerel, Pacific.....	4,654,127	1,255,624	628,177	369,339	1,040,843	1,141,778	6,019,694	5,545,920	2,650,439	3,186,104	3,519,630	5,398,812	37,992,163
Paloues.....	35	1,130	3,459	965	1,025	6,856	1,447	1,217	3,620	8,278	12,069	6,953	47,084
Rockfish.....	32,446	51,238	70,130	72,249	58,298	35,990	33,507	50,858	37,208	25,652	46,338	54,196	567,590
Sablefish.....													605
Sanddab.....	759	17	878	1,449	3,180	3,935	8	40	70	131	584	1,017	4,000
Sardine.....	4,004,807	165,250	156,620	240,391	241,233	236,727	109,780	140,835	62,212	37,692,958	8,021,379	3,150,027	54,089,199
Sculpin.....	678	9	205	834	4,578	20,255	18,790	12,747	3,018	238	197	887	62,139
Sea bass, black.....	357	33	105	118	118	612	411	744	348	755	108	31,990	35,699
Sea bass, white.....	26	5,429	2,297	9,915	41,438	45,410	22,062	25,630	17,558	25,802	15,518	3,350	214,433
Shark.....	2,088	5,136	5,903	6,233	12,215	11,193	8,644	13,540	5,510	10,711	4,733	91,537	140,817
Sheep-head.....	49	183	264	41	91	139	68	18	48	68	12	12	4,007
Skate.....	450	1,163	126	113	61	1,699	180	68	23	51	153	153	4,060
Smelt.....		2,166	1,360	3,672	2,475	1,100	315	1,235	677	2,204	4,187	100	19,491
Sole, petrale.....													24,215
Sole, unclassified.....													2,265
Swordfish.....													21,089
Tuna, albacore.....	271					963	356,371	1,210,572	1,426,381	1,145,579	655,764	489,739	5,294,640
Tuna, bluefin.....													432,229
Tuna, skipjack.....													66
Whitefish, ocean.....													225
Yellowtail.....													483
Miscellaneous fish.....													2,673
													555

TABLE 40
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956

TABLE 40—Continued
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Crustacean:													
Crab, rock.....	2,282	2,620	885		1,292	2,811	6,471	5,139	7,185	4,612	8,573	2,382	43,989
Loaster, spiny.....	57,129	59,021	18,209	508						91,769	68,396	49,350	317,181
Mollusk:													
Abalone.....	55,411		80,890	122,414	161,251	187,134	158,054	97,690	51,355	54,199	144,205	75,968	1,192,471
Octopus.....			74	99	99	51	17			27	32	35	502
Miscellaneous mollusk.....	42,405	5,305	78,020	80,098	115	255,131	260,499	60,499		47,660	3,225	44,300	877,158
					20	12	10		7				49
Total pounds.....	20,345,973	16,641,094	11,612,713	8,682,379	9,824,610	6,339,151	12,577,513	14,410,346	12,212,832	52,408,023	26,273,599	15,277,050	209,002,323
Fishing boat landings from waters north of the state boundary:													
Tuna, albacore.....									52,280	58,978			111,258
Total pounds.....									52,280	58,978			111,258
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the international boundary:													
Barracuda, California.....	35,005	92,822	56,391			2,356	43,465	40,911	56,802	93,040	123,134	14,706	561,532
Black drum.....	3,783	1,381	1,335						11,390	1,668	1,668	35	14,749
Cabrilla.....	11,181	9,490	13,367			2,535				768	860	25,125	63,438
Shortfin, corvina.....												430	430
Grouper.....	31,948	10,551	47,989			4,035	1,325			4,780	37,182	73,444	211,379
Hellbutt, California.....	1,848							4,540		2,615	430		9,433
Lingcod.....										60			60
Rock bass.....	1,381	55	1,176			695				2,080	8,475		3,307
Rockfish.....	1,560	16,540	1,335							27,924	79,188		29,900
Sea bass, black.....	26,181	5,570	10,217		23,103	41,288	29,140	155	40,584	156,278	79,188		283,347
Sea bass, white.....	1,802	4,555	12,841	596		12,094	7,685	85,041	53,295	156,278	92,047	18,016	444,310
Shark.....		2,765	1,170	82	51	2,869		121	4,750	4,412	10,178		26,978
Sheep-head.....										500		320	820
Sierra.....	80		575						340				995
Swordfish.....									970				970
Tuna, albacore.....	74,970	8,574				36,266	8,975,305	2,011,176	104,362	430	2,097	5,916	6,219,096
Tuna, bluefin.....					313,706	2,478,487	452,361	3,212,879	1,888,001	497,866	275,039	150	9,118,489
Tuna, skipjack.....	5,906,233	5,828,270	4,900,382	4,407,237	5,689,927	8,114,323	5,376,017	6,510,213	5,381,058	493,708	4,691,988	5,337,143	62,636,517
Tuna, yellowfin.....	6,711,480	7,223,568	9,853,428	12,942,373	12,113,596	12,090,182	11,632,335	5,983,226	4,692,993	453,103	3,392,560	4,863,056	92,091,644
Wahoo.....					6,590								6,590

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Whitefish, ocean.....	10,468	4,478	480	3,700	3,754	105,698	60,447	790	51,615	8,185	12,907	1,045	480
Yellowtail.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	20	14	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	270,287
Miscellaneous fish.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	164
Total pounds.....	12,867,015	13,211,638	14,886,051	17,350,458	18,450,907	22,889,269	21,378,310	17,849,052	12,298,261	1,746,777	8,737,036	10,341,630	171,994,704
Shipments: ¹													
Ed.	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	2,950
Pacific	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	309,972
Salmon	53,777	10,281	12,600	33,000	69,695	4,950	21,465	47,007	37,618	9,570	1,417	16,472	117,090
Sturgeon	2,152	15,000	37,100	2,854	35	35	.....	13,998	36,732	.....	4,164	.....	23,601
Sturgeon	78	2,406	3,507	7,854	15,629	576	.....	.....	1,505	.....	.....	.....	.....
Swordfish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	310
Tuna, blue	3,792,957	2,841,820	1,911,498	2,527,978	1,813,246	1,531,472	388,691	303,643	.....	.....	.....	800,509	16,210,324
Tuna, bigeye	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	663,582
Tuna, blackfin	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	162,875
Tuna, skipjack	1,627,825	1,235,500	102,875	871,317	539,023	466,182	708,451	785,025	625,324	1,387,180	2,909,034	419,991	12,059,241
Tuna, yellowfin	2,786,188	2,034,540	2,140,729	4,079,398	3,927,223	2,701,532	3,522,428	2,782,544	3,124,142	2,717,742	2,566,812	2,148,133	34,717,877
Miscellaneous fish	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	161,017
Mollusk:	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....
Clam, Pismo	.....	.....	455,040	.....	.....	.....	735,432	.....	.....	.....	.....	.....	1,190,472
Total pounds.....	8,165,977	6,140,187	5,579,646	7,659,095	6,373,221	4,854,466	5,635,889	4,196,551	3,822,751	4,133,962	5,729,462	3,391,204	65,981,911
Grand totals, Los Angeles region.....	41,376,065	35,992,889	31,978,410	33,691,932	34,348,738	34,682,886	39,561,212	36,455,949	28,374,124	58,447,740	48,740,067	26,010,184	447,660,196

¹ See Table 82 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 40—Cont'd.

TABLE 41
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1956

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total pounds
Fishing boat landings from California waters:													
Barracuda, California.....		14	48	267	30,778	8,262	2,407	321		64		346	42,507
Croaker, white (kingfish).....		1,065	161	450	186	37	284	56	368	565	191	77	1,764
Dolphinfish, common.....		6,737	9,887	16,204	109	83	104	2,503	2,137	575	562	196	8,015
Halibut, California.....	698				13,710	14,187	1,390	3,674	1,320	370	13,773	9,820	91,770
Lingcod.....		34				12				203	52	13	314
Mackerel, jack.....		592		5,440				205	95	801	173,394		180,536
Mackerel, Pacific.....	442	288	3,627	1,759	686	1,326	1,052	5,516	27,813	30,590	51,717	15,060	140,276
Opaleye.....						287	38					6	331
Rockfish.....	1,453	11,030	8,230	18,595	5,917	3,969	3,558	4,524	5,111	3,637	3,012	8,506	77,322
Salmon.....		12		16		3,463							3,491
Sardine.....		1,976	2,125	3,313	1,018	12,324	9,277	9,166	868	224	5,850		18,174
Sea bass, black.....	164				9,548	9,548				88			9,636
Sea bass, white.....	12,169	1,948	3,263	5,467	40,597	42,070	6,558	13,488	1,177	7,461	14,711	1,234	3,190
Shark.....	1,641	7,145	8,341	13,907	18,964	34,081	10,454	5,494	4,783	12,658	31,389	19,590	198,337
Sheep-head.....	31	35	34	74	90	27	46			799	1,410	989	3,255
Skate.....				488	325	72					169		1,770
Swordfish.....						37	1,740	1,178	120	32,340	7,580		40,006
Tuna, albacore.....		590			1,696		52,652	44,022	174,395	1,190,752	304,654	126,324	1,855,985
Tuna, bluefin.....							21,011	4,886	23,683	47	162		29,190
Tuna, skipjack.....													209
Tuna, yellowfin.....										70			70
Whitefish, ocean.....				261			165	6				75	507
Yellowtail.....		36		387	8,892	879	359	312	1,413	3,299	354		15,925
Miscellaneous fish.....					70	234	13	2				6	367
Crustacean:													
Crab, rock.....	728	289	484							1,120	1,282	1,950	5,154
Lobster, spiny.....	14,732	16,763	9,636							84,298	33,068	26,861	190,255

TABLE 41
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1956

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Mollusk:	40,526	14,577	82,631	50,201	40,801	17,073	23,705	24,004	13,800	29,101	27,222	364,831
Abalone.....	406	1,936	2,200	2,782	3,765	4,352	4,339	3,087	1,335	1,022	303	26,683
Jackknife.....	1,026		138									138
Octopus.....												
Total pounds.....	73,107	68,449	151,063	174,491	178,126	133,989	124,186	276,670	1,346,082	678,727	245,704	3,495,325
Fishing boat landings from waters south of the international boundary:												
Barracuda, California.....	22,862	4,592	7,535			495	139	13,427	28,641	20,570	18,133	140,742
Bonito.....	7,708	116						22,304	3,694	13,428	14,773	6,726
Chum.....	2,656	922			46	20,062	19,758	13,457	3,815	3,467	177	215
Halibut, California.....												64,390
Mackerel, Pacific.....												229
Rock Bass.....	3,166	135	160			260		735	47	802		103
Sea bass, black.....	475	1,625	654			525		294	503	1,206		14,699
Sea bass, white.....	13,523	306	75			5,335	4,808	70,363	65,670	29,206	23,286	8,361
Shark.....	765	420	1,508			373	950	1,303	1,904	2,628	2,551	222,557
Shrimp-head.....								640		150		12,702
Skate.....						205						700
Swordfish.....	287,481				171,022	6,800,352	4,875,153	574,908	1,131,676	563,820	427,181	205
Tuna, albacore.....						358	606,480	13,843	139,589	66		14,845,478
Tuna, bluefin.....						104						873,894
Tuna, skipjack.....	4,621,784	5,035,386	3,618,476	4,044,165	1,412,267	3,485,772	3,669,541	8,263,232	6,636,140	7,178,536	4,717,607	57,512,262
Tuna, yellowfin.....	8,021,904	6,242,254	8,636,671	6,381,863	2,984,094	5,229,708	3,450,547	3,820,016	3,773,706	2,341,910	2,968,407	56,639,483
Wahoo.....		369		5,698								5,698
Whitetail, ocean.....		369										369
Whitetail, stream.....	182	489		307	148	10,108	35,805	6,037	21,063	2,864	708	82,092
Miscellaneous fish.....				182								182
Crustacean:												
Lobster, spiny.....												125
Total pounds.....	12,982,816	11,292,881	12,295,379	10,432,319	4,569,177	15,594,480	12,746,377	12,830,159	11,816,948	10,159,347	7,573,371	130,491,219
Shipments: ¹												
Seabass, white.....							1,941	7,546				9,487
Tuna, skipjack.....	874,616	724,275	280,668	328,939		243,706	268,799		376,279	101,454		32,870
Tuna, yellowfin.....	1,898,325	986,037	384,700	1,284,271		223,386	940,535		1,170,311			3,290,027
Total pounds.....	2,772,961	1,710,312	674,368	1,613,210		467,092	1,211,275	7,546	1,546,590	101,454		7,326,317
Grand totals, San Diego region.....	15,828,091	13,006,642	13,091,410	12,220,020	4,747,303	16,195,561	14,084,838	13,114,375	14,709,620	10,999,828	7,852,005	144,645,675

¹ See Table 32 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 41
Monthly Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into the San Diego Region During 1956

TABLE 42
**The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1956**

Species	Eureka region		Sacramento region		San Francisco region		Monterey region	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Fishing boat landings:								
Anchovy.....					387,981	\$7,760	9,658,359	\$124,592
Barracuda, California.....								
Bonito.....					190	2	9,762	387
Cabezon.....								
Cabrilla.....								
Carp.....			855,097	\$35,914	479	34		
Corvina, shortfin.....								
Croaker, white (kingfish).....					9,637	877	244,421	12,978
Dolphinfish, common.....							430	13
Eel.....								
Flounder.....	104,229	\$4,232			223,041	9,458	46,638	2,453
Flyingfish.....								
Grouper.....								
Hake.....	1,085,674	18,999			7,290	110	283,253	2,804
Halibut.....								
Halibut, arrowtooth.....	1,042,585	20,122			27,777	849	235	7
Halibut, California.....	175	42			15,801	3,379	14,615	3,220
Halibut, Pacific.....	39,018	9,836						
Hardhead.....			76,750	32,619				
Herring, Pacific.....	68,835	1,742			925,121	12,582	736,498	33,510
Lingcod.....	372,927	30,915			317,665	21,030	144,946	13,088
Mackerel, jack.....					3,229	95	2,454,324	58,413
Mackerel, Pacific.....							43,848	2,228
Needlefish, California.....							525	26
Opaleye.....								
Perch.....	72,221	10,610			44,497	6,570	28,916	2,715
Pompano, California.....							29,341	11,118
Ratfish.....							8,245	79
Rock bass.....								
Rockfish.....	3,118,829	102,335			2,942,536	112,863	5,016,156	260,325
Sablefish.....	1,098,871	93,953			830,216	21,917	891,214	24,686
Salmon.....	6,311,608	2,230,873	1,139,585	361,933	2,938,586	983,927	752,969	259,925
Sanddab.....	98,162	5,389			455,097	22,665	202,541	12,153
Sardine.....								828
Sculpin.....								
Sculpin, staghorn.....					1,565	78		
Sea bass, black.....								
Seabass, white.....					197	66	1,667	461
Seatout, greenling.....							165	4
Shad.....			431,125	27,279				
Shark.....	220	11			43,282	1,925	572,411	30,264
Sheep-head.....								
Sierra.....								
Skate.....	14,004	2			96,940	1,338	54,620	551
Smelt.....	120,962	6,835			147,492	13,513	168,246	11,610
Sole, Dover.....	7,105,635	349,597			1,145,950	41,025	13,890	536
Sole, English.....	1,351,095	87,416			1,739,489	102,998	589,722	40,101
Sole, Petrale.....	1,263,647	126,112			883,773	77,771	186,241	18,047
Sole, rex.....	468,782	26,346			505,104	24,700	105,357	5,247
Sole, sand.....	14,365	1,202			62,847	5,492	100	7
Sole, unclassified.....	10,120	395						
Splittail.....			127	13	1,643	104	6,599	553
Swordfish.....								
Tomeod.....					1,153	40		
Tuna, albacore.....	504,022	71,570			3,244,597	517,838	4,660,071	733,961
Tuna, bluefin.....							19,869	2,583
Tuna, skipjack.....					1,369	157	2,169	249
Tuna, yellowfin.....					215,691	29,118	360,983	47,975
Turbot.....	7,806	421			63,985	2,661	405	18
Wahoo.....								

TABLE 42
The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1956

TABLE 42—Continued
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1956

Species	Santa Barbara region		Los Angeles region		San Diego region		Total	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Fishing boat landings:								
Anchovy	557,450	\$10,480	46,316,795	\$578,960			56,920,585	\$721,792
Barracuda, California			569,278	103,210	183,249	\$31,006	752,527	134,216
Bonito			61,974	2,950	65,640	4,070	127,614	7,020
Cabezon	2,345	117	100	4			12,397	510
Cabrilla			63,438	9,395			63,438	9,395
Carp							855,576 ^a	35,948
Corvina, shortfin			430	65			430	65
Croaker, white (kingfish)	14,157	795	613,620	21,949	8,015	691	880,850	37,290
Dolphinfish, common					149	12	149	12
Eel							430	13
Flounder	1,202	70					375,110	16,213
Flyingfish			50,724	5,052			50,724	5,052
Grouper			211,379	39,740	215	39	211,594	39,779
Hake							1,376,217	21,913
Halibut			15,108	3,774			15,108	3,774
Halibut, arrowtooth							1,070,597	20,978
Halibut, California	143,505	32,160	125,573	32,222	156,130	34,505	455,799	105,528
Halibut, Pacific							39,018	9,836
Hardhead							76,750	32,610
Herring, Pacific	4,634	174	688	14			1,735,776	48,022
Lingcod	95,315	8,511	144	15			931,311	73,587
Mackerel, jack	14,050,984	212,260	59,067,037	1,258,129	180,536	2,690	75,762,110	1,531,587
Mackerel, Pacific	11,836,493	200,037	37,992,163	858,624	140,505	4,623	50,013,009	1,065,512
Needlefish, California							525	26
Opaleye			3,101	481			50	3,433
Perch	42,047	9,243					187,681	29,138
Pompano, California	274	66	47,064	11,338			76,979	22,522
Ratfish							8,245	79
Rock bass			3,307	538		125	10	3,432
Rockfish	2,576,483	96,367	597,580	61,229	91,931	7,729	14,943,515	630,848
Sablefish	47,501	1,872	605	54			2,868,407	142,482
Salmon	264,248	95,694	4,000	1,689	3,491	1,418	11,414,487	3,935,459
Sanddab	8,785	459	24,215	3,592			788,800	44,258
Sardine	15,446,144	293,477	54,089,199	1,379,275	18,174	632	69,554,345	1,673,501
Sculpin			62,136	15,193	38,096	7,677	100,232	22,870
Sculpin, staghorn							1,565	78
Sea bass, black	721	96	319,046	48,973	11,551	1,524	331,318	50,593
Seabass, white	41,260	11,599	658,745	157,309	379,354	86,986	1,081,223	256,421
Seatrou, greenling	1,022	56					1,187	60
Shad							431,125	27,279
Shark	169,747	11,406	118,615	12,693	181,039	17,711	1,085,314	74,010
Sheep-head	399	34	1,821	115	4,355	322	6,575	471
Sierra			995	69			995	69
Skate	4,182	342	4,060	272	1,975	132	175,751	2,637
Smelt	9,985	398	19,491	1,254	157	16	466,333	33,626
Sole, Dover	2,949	141					8,268,424	391,299
Sole, English	153,646	9,926					3,824,952	239,541
Sole, petrale	495,189	48,133	1,208	79			2,830,058	270,142
Sole, rex	68,130	3,672					1,147,373	59,965
Sole, sand							77,312	6,701
Sole, unclassified	1,849	176	2,645	197			22,856	1,425
Splittail							127	13
Swordfish	13,199	5,046	212,065	85,208	49,910	20,733	275,174	110,987
Tomcod							1,153	40
Tuna, albacore	320,084	47,469	11,624,994	2,051,472	16,701,443	2,911,061	37,055,211	6,333,371
Tuna, bluefin			11,680,385	1,525,458	925,714	121,546	12,625,968	1,649,587
Tuna, skipjack			62,637,213	7,190,752	57,512,471	6,631,188	120,153,222	13,822,346
Tuna, yellowfin			92,064,749	12,447,154	56,639,553	7,657,668	149,280,976	20,181,915
Turbot	11,098	513					83,294	3,613
Wahoo			6,560	2,296	5,698	1,994	12,258	4,290

TABLE 42

The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1956

TABLE 42—Continued
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1956

Species	Eureka region		Sacramento region		San Francisco region		Monterey region	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Fishing boat landings:—Contd.								
Whitebait.....	88,177	\$6,984			53,340	\$7,772	7,303	\$880
Whitefish, ocean.....								
Yellowtail.....								
Miscellaneous fish.....	11	1	110	\$22	22	6		
Crustacean:								
Crab.....	7,988,974	1,131,239			5,974,661	633,588	31,205	4,400
Crab, rock.....								
Lobster, spiny.....							1,233	463
Prawn.....								
Shrimp, bay.....					718,968	54,354		
Shrimp, ocean.....	895,936	79,828			272,583	20,117		
Mollusk:								
Abalone.....					17,965	2,842		
Clam, gaper.....							688	68
Clam, jackknife.....								
Clam, Washington.....	10,629	1,227						
Octopus.....	1,774	68			5,249	229	5,983	590
Oyster, eastern.....					142,181	37,905		
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	4,381,050	72,725			325,145	37,555		
Oyster, Kumamoto.....	23,965	398						
Oyster, native.....					6,234	1,369		
Squid.....							18,594,241	317,961
Miscellaneous mollusk.....							17	5
Total pounds and value.....	37,664,308	\$4,491,425	2,502,794	\$457,780	24,791,568	\$2,817,779	46,551,249	\$2,031,401
Shipments: ¹								
Carp.....					1,535	\$129		
Eel.....								
Halibut, Pacific.....					45,916	11,938		
Sablefish.....					293,440	51,939		
Salmon.....	6,438	\$1,916			64,738	31,346		
Sardine.....					6,800	204		
Seabass, white.....								
Shad.....					36,576	38,405		
Sturgeon.....								
Swordfish.....					9,762	3,417		
Tuna, albacore.....					4,077,481	733,539		
Tuna, bigeye.....								
Tuna, bluefin.....								
Tuna, skipjack.....					492,344	50,761		
Tuna, yellowfin.....					9,316,035	1,328,467		
Miscellaneous fish.....					22,540	3,167		
Crustacean:								
Shrimp, unclassified.....								
Mollusk:								
Clam, Pismo.....								
Total pounds and value.....	6,438	\$1,916			14,367,167	\$2,253,312		
Grand totals.....	37,670,746	\$4,493,341	2,502,794	\$457,780	39,158,735	\$5,071,091	46,551,249	\$2,031,401

¹ See Table 32 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 42
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1956

TABLE 42—Continued
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish
 Into California During 1956

Species	Santa Barbara region		Los Angeles region		San Diego region		Total	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Fishing boat landings:—Contd.								
Whitebait.....			963	\$77	857	\$64	148,820	\$15,636
Whitefish, ocean.....			272,960	24,867	97,927	7,139	370,887	32,006
Yellowtail.....			719	178	549	110	2,346	503
Miscellaneous fish.....	935	\$186						
Crustacean:								
Crab.....	325,619	46,889					14,320,459	1,816,116
Crab, rock.....	10,028	302	43,989	3,876	5,154	137	59,171	4,315
Lobster, spiny.....	198,430	98,460	347,184	184,599	190,380	101,663	735,994	384,722
Prawn.....							1,233	493
Shrimp, bay.....							718,968	54,354
Shrimp, ocean.....							1,168,519	99,945
Mollusk:								
Abalone.....	2,708,793	350,340	1,192,471	100,386	364,834	27,016	4,284,063	480,584
Clam, gaper.....							688	68
Clam, jackknife.....					26,683	9,689	26,683	9,689
Clam, Washington.....							10,629	1,227
Octopus.....	2,571	141	502	99	138	17	16,217	1,144
Oyster, eastern.....							142,181	37,905
Oyster, giant Pacific.....	1,395,025	28,040					6,101,220	138,320
Oyster, Kumamoto.....							23,965	398
Oyster, native.....							6,234	1,369
Squid.....	12,545	314	877,198	18,949			19,483,984	337,224
Miscellaneous mollusk.....			49	4			66	9
Total pounds and value.....	51,044,943	\$1,625,461	382,008,285	\$28,243,828	133,986,644	\$17,691,806	678,549,791	\$57,359,570
Shipments: ¹								
Carp.....							1,535	\$129
Eel.....			2,950	\$1,180			2,950	1,180
Halibut, Pacific.....			299	107			46,206	12,045
Sablefish.....			309,972	56,884			603,412	108,823
Salmon.....			117,090	62,034			188,266	95,296
Sardine.....							6,800	204
Seabass, white.....					9,487	\$912	9,487	912
Shad.....							36,576	38,405
Sturgeon.....			23,601	14,734			23,601	14,734
Swordfish.....			310	109			10,072	3,526
Tuna, albacore.....	2,000	\$860	16,210,424	3,002,163	32,870	5,424	20,322,775	3,741,686
Tuna, bigeye.....	2,500	406	665,582	85,128			668,082	85,534
Tuna, bluefin.....			162,875	20,392			162,875	20,392
Tuna, skipjack.....			12,050,241	1,278,280	3,290,627	393,514	15,842,212	1,722,555
Tuna, yellowfin.....	3,190,944	543,737	34,771,487	4,958,414	7,326,047	991,214	54,604,513	7,824,832
Miscellaneous fish.....			167,617	43,631			190,157	46,798
Crustacean:								
Shrimp, unclassified.....	5,100	2,856					5,100	2,856
Mollusk:								
Clam, Pismo.....	83,840	2,633	1,190,472	25,595			1,274,312	28,228
Total pounds and value.....	3,284,384	\$550,492	65,681,911	\$9,548,651	10,659,031	\$1,391,064	93,998,931	\$13,745,435
Grand totals.....	54,329,327	\$2,175,953	447,690,196	\$37,792,479	144,645,675	\$19,082,960	772,548,722	\$71,105,005

¹ See Table 32 for origin of shipments.

TABLE 42
 The Value, by Region, of the Annual Landings and Shipments of Commercial Fish Into California During 1956

TABLE 43
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Eureka Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Eureka region totals.....		\$4,493,341	37,670,746
Eureka.....	Salmon.....	\$849,824	2,400,142
	Crab.....	344,362	2,431,933
	Dover sole.....	134,196	2,727,555
	Giant Pacific oyster.....	72,725	4,381,050
	Albacore.....	49,479	348,447
	English sole.....	42,341	654,421
	Petrale sole.....	37,057	371,310
	Rockfish.....	32,208	932,577
	Sablefish.....	18,026	210,832
	Rex sole.....	10,410	185,225
	Pacific halibut.....	9,505	37,702
	Perch.....	8,052	54,810
	Lingcod.....	6,076	80,525
	All other.....	15,413	359,571
	Totals.....	\$1,630,274	15,176,100
Fort Bragg.....	Salmon.....	\$583,444	2,506,058
	Dover sole.....	102,512	2,083,571
	Sablefish.....	67,665	791,406
	Petrale sole.....	32,373	324,378
	Rockfish.....	26,994	896,246
	English sole.....	22,740	351,465
	Lingcod.....	14,916	179,929
	Crab.....	11,160	78,815
	Albacore.....	9,626	67,791
	Rex sole.....	7,591	135,075
	Arrowtooth halibut.....	7,150	370,450
	Hake.....	6,737	384,982
	All other.....	8,401	142,882
	Totals.....	\$1,201,309	8,313,051
Crescent City.....	Crab.....	\$532,314	3,759,281
	Salmon.....	429,418	1,212,460
	Ocean shrimp.....	78,472	880,713
	Albacore.....	12,465	87,784
	All other.....	13,130	194,530
	Totals.....	\$1,065,799	6,134,768
Field's Landing.....	Crab.....	\$143,890	1,016,173
	Dover sole.....	112,247	2,281,451
	Petrale sole.....	55,110	552,207
	Rockfish.....	41,540	1,243,937
	English sole.....	20,618	318,664
	Arrowtooth halibut.....	12,689	657,470
	Hake.....	11,876	678,645
	Sablefish.....	8,223	96,181
	Rex sole.....	7,998	142,312
	Lingcod.....	5,642	68,060
	All other.....	7,397	67,376
	Totals.....	\$427,230	7,122,476
Trinidad.....	Crab.....	\$97,164	686,183
	All other.....	4,587	13,357
	Totals.....	\$101,751	699,540
Point Arena.....	Salmon.....	\$30,977	87,493
	All other.....	2,376	16,935
	Totals.....	\$33,353	104,428
Shelter Cove.....	Salmon.....	\$29,115	82,273
	All other.....	173	1,969
	Totals.....	\$29,288	84,242
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$4,337	36,141
	Totals.....	\$4,337	36,141

TABLE 43
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Eureka Region During 1956, Shown by Port
of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 44
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Sacramento region totals.....		\$457,780	2,502,794
Pittsburg.....	Salmon.....	\$176,274	555,019
	Shad.....	16,618	265,319
	All other.....	57	1,213
	Totals.....	\$192,949	821,551
Sacramento.....	Salmon.....	\$57,581	181,301
	Hardhead.....	17,956	42,250
	Shad.....	5,434	90,261
	Carp.....	5,399	128,545
	All other.....	2	17
	Totals.....	\$86,372	442,374
Martinez.....	Salmon.....	\$50,881	160,203
	All other.....	1,860	28,120
	Totals.....	\$52,741	188,323
Benicia.....	Salmon.....	\$42,061	132,433
	All other.....	3,371	47,530
	Totals.....	\$45,432	179,963
Port Costa.....	Salmon.....	\$35,136	110,629
	Totals.....	\$35,136	110,629
Clear Lake.....	Carp.....	\$22,943	546,260
	Hardhead.....	10,774	25,350
	Totals.....	\$33,717	571,610
Turlock.....	Hardhead.....	\$3,889	9,150
	Carp.....	3,883	92,442
	All other.....	22	110
	Totals.....	\$7,794	101,702
All other ports.....	Carp.....	\$3,639	86,642
	Totals.....	\$3,639	86,642

TABLE 44
*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Sacramento Region During 1956, Shown by Port of Landing
With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 45
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Francisco Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
San Francisco region totals.....		\$5,071,091	39,158,735
San Francisco.....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$1,357,585	9,531,726
	Albacore.....	899,001	5,114,208
	Crab.....	395,524	3,444,675
	Salmon.....	237,868	681,591
	Rockfish.....	87,877	2,262,881
	English sole.....	75,743	1,283,789
	Sablefish.....	70,457	994,873
	Petrale sole.....	56,195	638,584
	Skipjack.....	50,918	493,713
	Shad.....	38,405	36,576
	Dover sole.....	37,525	1,048,100
	Bay shrimp.....	23,690	313,360
	Rex sole.....	19,859	406,122
	Sanddab.....	16,846	338,267
	Lingcod.....	11,998	181,246
	Pacific halibut.....	11,938	45,916
	Anchovy.....	7,760	387,981
	Smelt.....	6,736	73,793
	Flounder.....	5,576	131,506
	Sand sole.....	5,323	60,909
	All other.....	26,968	571,229
	Totals.....	\$3,413,519	28,041,132
Point Reyes (Drakes Bay).....	Salmon.....	\$138,206	1,308,859
	Crab.....	48,283	454,639
	Rockfish.....	20,558	578,439
	Giant Pacific oyster.....	20,017	173,300
	Petrale sole.....	16,316	185,420
	English sole.....	10,582	179,558
	Lingcod.....	7,058	106,905
	All other.....	14,424	362,192
	Totals.....	\$575,444	3,348,810
Bodega Bay.....	Salmon.....	\$256,313	765,570
	Crab.....	139,779	1,316,191
	Ocean Shrimp.....	18,309	248,088
	English sole.....	15,767	267,245
	Smelt.....	5,492	62,735
	Petrale sole.....	5,241	59,554
	All other.....	24,294	440,468
	Totals.....	\$465,195	3,159,851
Sausalito.....	Albacore.....	\$173,696	1,087,756
	Salmon.....	49,986	149,159
	Crab.....	21,140	207,713
	All other.....	393	9,142
	Totals.....	\$245,125	1,453,770
Oakland.....	Albacore.....	\$174,141	1,091,106
	Crab.....	29,685	279,528
	Salmon.....	20,960	62,482
	All other.....	1,901	24,559
	Totals.....	\$226,687	1,457,675
Tomales Bay (Marshall).....	Eastern oyster.....	\$37,905	142,181
	Giant Pacific oyster.....	17,538	151,845
	Pacific herring.....	8,394	617,200
	All other.....	5,255	46,549
	Totals.....	\$69,092	957,775
Princeton.....	Crab.....	\$28,573	269,048
	Salmon.....	11,936	35,652
	All other.....	4,797	33,920
	Totals.....	\$45,306	338,620
Richmond.....	Bay shrimp.....	\$28,074	371,351
	All other.....	889	6,775
	Totals.....	\$28,963	378,126
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$1,760	22,976
	Totals.....	\$1,760	22,976

TABLE 45
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Francisco Region During 1956, Shown
by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 46
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Monterey region totals.....		\$2,031,401	46,551,249
Monterey.....	Squid.....	\$257,932	15,083,766
	Rockfish.....	226,483	5,115,444
	Albacore.....	165,750	1,052,379
	Anchovy.....	109,629	8,498,400
	Salmon.....	98,232	284,567
	Yellowfin tuna.....	47,975	360,983
	Jack mackerel.....	45,886	1,927,978
	English sole.....	30,748	452,176
	Sablefish.....	15,076	544,265
	Petrale sole.....	10,071	103,933
	Lingcod.....	9,083	100,589
	Sanddab.....	6,761	112,675
	All other.....	33,859	767,127
	Totals.....	\$1,057,485	34,404,282
Santa Cruz.....	Salmon.....	\$77,950	225,810
	Albacore.....	28,712	182,300
	Rockfish.....	23,834	500,512
	Pacific herring.....	13,011	285,653
	Sablefish.....	9,610	346,949
	English sole.....	9,121	134,131
	California pompano.....	8,348	22,031
	Petrale sole.....	7,944	81,981
	Smelt.....	5,376	78,042
	All other.....	21,184	437,589
	Totals.....	\$205,090	2,295,298
Moss Landing.....	Albacore.....	\$539,499	3,425,392
	Salmon.....	83,743	242,592
	Squid.....	59,895	3,502,615
	Shark.....	28,089	541,033
	Pacific herring.....	18,499	406,580
	Anchovy.....	13,950	1,081,400
	Jack mackerel.....	11,516	483,860
	All other.....	13,635	168,197
	Totals.....	\$768,826	9,851,669

TABLE 46
*Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats in the Monterey Region During 1956, Shown by Port of Landing
With the Corresponding Values*

TABLE 47
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Santa Barbara region totals		\$2,175,953	54,329,327
Port San Luis (Avila, Grover City).....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$543,737	3,190,944
	Salmon.....	74,210	204,915
	Albacore.....	21,951	148,016
	Petrale sole.....	15,039	154,721
	Crab.....	14,415	100,106
	Abalone.....	9,507	68,942
	Rockfish.....	8,211	154,224
	All other.....	9,604	228,073
	Totals.....	\$696,674	4,249,941
Port Hueneme.....	Sardine.....	\$274,358	14,439,885
	Jack mackerel.....	203,051	13,447,066
	Pacific mackerel.....	190,156	11,251,815
	Abalone.....	15,470	176,040
	All other.....	6,351	242,536
	Totals.....	\$689,386	39,557,342
Santa Barbara.....	Abalone.....	\$116,382	945,577
	Spiny lobster.....	95,411	192,284
	California halibut.....	29,981	133,785
	Sardine.....	16,744	881,240
	White seabass.....	11,349	40,373
	Shark.....	10,595	161,156
	Pacific mackerel.....	9,881	584,678
	Petrale sole.....	9,779	100,605
	Jack mackerel.....	9,179	607,892
	English sole.....	6,737	104,285
	Anchovy.....	6,052	321,900
	Rockfish.....	5,163	157,292
	Swordfish.....	5,046	13,199
	All other.....	8,919	138,257
	Totals.....	\$341,218	4,382,523
Morro Bay.....	Abalone.....	\$95,688	696,680
	Rockfish.....	82,947	2,264,308
	Crab.....	32,474	225,513
	Giant Pacific oyster.....	28,040	1,395,025
	Albacore.....	25,194	169,885
	Petrale sole.....	\$23,315	239,863
	Salmon.....	21,325	58,893
	Perch.....	8,861	40,157
	Lingcod.....	7,093	79,429
	All other.....	7,400	139,692
	Totals.....	\$332,337	5,309,445
San Simeon.....	Abalone.....	\$111,217	806,504
	Totals.....	\$111,217	806,504
All other ports.....	All other.....	\$5,121	23,572
	Totals.....	\$5,121	23,572

TABLE 47
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Santa Barbara Region During 1956, Shown
by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 48
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Los Angeles region totals.....		\$37,792,479	447,690,196
Terminal Island.....	Yellowfin tuna.....	\$17,352,801	126,448,944
	Skipjack.....	8,469,023	74,696,374
	Albacore.....	5,003,051	27,548,831
	Bluefin tuna.....	1,483,716	11,367,498
	Sardine.....	1,226,640	48,103,535
	Jack mackerel.....	994,964	46,711,942
	Pacific mackerel.....	534,754	23,661,671
	Anchovy.....	150,067	12,005,371
	Bigeye tuna.....	85,128	665,582
	Pismo clam.....	15,812	735,432
	Yellowtail.....	13,198	144,876
	Grouper.....	6,248	33,232
	All other.....	3,682	61,513
	Totals.....	\$35,339,084	372,181,801
San Pedro.....	White seabass.....	\$144,137	603,589
	California barracuda.....	102,498	565,353
	Spiny lobster.....	86,978	163,584
	Pacific mackerel.....	64,565	2,856,865
	Bluefin tuna.....	61,867	479,713
	Anchovy.....	55,656	4,452,480
	Yellowfin tuna.....	52,767	390,292
	Sardine.....	51,358	2,014,021
	Black sea bass.....	45,937	296,296
	Jack mackerel.....	42,857	2,012,057
	Rockfish.....	37,232	370,337
	Grouper.....	33,320	177,232
	California halibut.....	30,402	118,479
	Swordfish.....	24,785	61,684
	Albacore.....	24,036	136,179
	White croaker (kingfish).....	15,878	447,311
	Sculpin.....	14,632	59,845
	Squid.....	14,630	677,298
	Yellowtail.....	11,532	126,582
	California pompano.....	10,547	43,782
	Shark.....	10,071	93,569
	Cabrilla.....	9,395	63,438
	All other.....	18,119	160,581
	Totals.....	\$963,199	16,367,537
Newport Beach.....	Pacific mackerel.....	\$166,973	7,388,164
	Abalone.....	98,838	1,173,863
	Jack mackerel.....	75,646	3,551,440
	Swordfish.....	60,070	149,503
	Spiny lobster.....	48,432	91,089
	Albacore.....	22,616	128,135
	Sardine.....	13,511	529,835
	White seabass.....	11,117	46,553
	Anchovy.....	5,935	474,810
	All other.....	7,148	41,118
	Totals.....	\$510,286	13,574,510
Long Beach.....	Anchovy.....	\$244,778	19,582,260
	Sardine.....	76,559	3,002,302
	Jack mackerel.....	43,875	2,059,840
	Spiny lobster.....	27,944	52,556
	Rockfish.....	17,927	152,874
	Pacific mackerel.....	12,596	556,030
	All other.....	6,504	56,544
	Totals.....	\$430,153	25,462,406
Wilmington.....	Jack mackerel.....	\$99,931	4,691,583
	Anchovy.....	86,027	7,122,145
	Pacific mackerel.....	79,501	3,521,725
	White croaker (kingfish).....	5,559	152,300
	All other.....	969	37,992
	Totals.....	\$275,077	15,525,745

TABLE 48
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 48—Continued
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
Los Angeles	Salmon	\$61,804	116,656
	Sablefish	56,884	309,972
	Sturgeon	14,734	23,601
	Pismo clam	9,783	455,040
	All other	44,918	170,857
	Totals	\$188,123	1,076,126
Santa Monica	Anchovy	\$33,375	2,669,995
	Sardine	10,151	398,089
	Spiny lobster	9,880	18,581
	All other	13,636	303,979
	Totals	\$67,042	3,390,644
Redondo Beach	Spiny lobster	\$5,908	11,111
	All other	4,532	62,096
	Totals	\$10,440	73,207
All other ports	Spiny lobster	\$5,457	10,263
	All other	3,618	27,957
	Totals	\$9,075	38,220

TABLE 48
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the Los Angeles Region During 1956, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 49
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Diego Region During 1956,
Shown by Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

		Value	Pounds
San Diego region totals		\$19,082,960	144,645,675
San Diego	Yellowfin tuna	\$8,648,882	63,965,600
	Skipjack	7,024,702	60,803,098
	Albacore	2,916,242	16,732,918
	Bluefin tuna	121,546	925,714
	White seabass	84,110	372,320
	Spiny lobster	56,454	105,719
	California halibut	32,753	148,204
	California barracuda	30,986	183,132
	Abalone	25,942	351,149
	Swordfish	20,733	49,910
	Shark	17,501	178,829
	Jackknife clam	9,689	26,683
	Seulpin	7,305	36,251
	Yellowtail	7,139	97,927
	Rockfish	6,023	71,314
	All other	18,453	446,270
		Totals	\$19,028,460	144,495,038
La Jolla	Spiny lobster	\$18,293	34,257
	Totals	\$18,293	34,257
Oceanside	Spiny lobster	\$8,039	15,054
	All other	5,678	38,318
	Totals	\$13,717	53,372
Cardiff	Spiny lobster	\$11,622	21,764
	White seabass	50	220
	Totals	\$11,672	21,984
All other ports	Spiny lobster	\$7,255	13,586
	All other	3,563	27,438
	Totals	\$10,818	41,024

TABLE 49
Landings of the Commercial Fishing Boats and Shipments Into the San Diego Region During 1956, Shown by
Port of Landing With the Corresponding Values

TABLE 50
The Recorded Statewide Catch, in Numbers of Fish, Made by Anglers Fishing From Licensed Party Boats¹ and the Number of Angler Days

Species	1947	1948	1949	1950	1951	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Albacore.....	11,445	15,414	22,692	118,087	75,624	187,297	23,363	20,068	75,988	65,814
Herring.....	67,436	384,095	396,423	256,397	260,545	336,892	170,550	282,552	154,962	87,603
Halibut.....	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436	1,436
Rock bass ²	682,789	630,233	796,659	619,397	781,669	533,832	711,395	876,667	492,343	470,362
Rockfish.....	193,652	410,665	570,637	679,164	721,808	706,004	696,480	1,149,367	1,737,707	2,036,708
Salmon.....	5,018	11,209	23,057	56,337	71,970	96,472	98,723	110,911	128,978	114,505
Sardine.....	26,018	2,708	5,976	5,976	5,976	5,976	5,976	5,976	5,976	5,976
Shiner.....	4,948	13,028	17,710	6,971	23,721	59,293	27,702	40,872	39,498	29,168
Yellowtail.....	367,971	477,884	372,132	313,437	302,405	318,974	480,471	683,808	413,832	417,389
All other.....	2,070,332	2,110,019	2,339,794	2,190,413	2,350,644	2,305,875	2,280,158	3,274,537	3,113,883	3,262,965
Total number of fish.....	359,436	407,737	469,915	544,294	556,949	592,898	592,146	532,190	496,286	523,063
Number of angler days.....										

¹ Does not include barges.

² Rock bass includes two species, kelp bass (*Paralichthys californicus*) and sand bass (*P. nebulifer*).

TABLE 50
The Recorded Statewide Catch, in Numbers of Fish, Made by Anglers Fishing From Licensed Party Boats and the Number of Angler Days

TABLE 51
**The Recorded Catch of Live Bait in Southern California Made by the Vessels
 Supplying the Party Boat Fleet**
 (Pounds)

Species	1952	1953	1954	1955	1956
Anchovy.....	13,620,879	12,783,016	13,372,042	12,250,890	12,663,614
Croaker, white (kingfish).....	189,171	47,992	56,650	33,155	34,050
Mackerel, jack.....	33,126	1,414	405	.....	.....
Queenfish.....	233,545	94,411	67,258	57,571	6,600
Sar line.....	227,571	19,895	137,553	80,955	15,770
Sardine, "freerackers".....	25,649	11,345	2,880	37,259	270
Smelt.....	28,299	19,704	26,187	21,983	7,650
Other species.....	6,464	.....	8,786	3,767	225
Total pounds.....	14,364,704	12,977,747	13,671,771	12,485,580	12,728,179
Number of boats reporting.....	24	30	23	22	18

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TABLE 51
The Recorded Catch of Live Bait in Southern California Made by the Vessels Supplying the Party Boat Fleet