



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration
National Marine Fisheries Service
West Coast Region



CANNED TUNA INDUSTRY UPDATE

**UNITED STATES TUNA CANNERY RECEIPTS - Revised
January - December 2012 and Comparison**

Quantities are gross unloading weights reported by United States tuna packers for the period shown. United States tuna packers include twenty one companies operating canneries located in American Samoa, California, Georgia, Oregon, Washington, and Puerto Rico. The Other * tuna category may include receipts of Yellowfin, Bigeye, Bluefin, and Longtail tuna. Quantities are reported in short tons and may not agree due to rounding.

TOTAL CANNERY RECEIPTS, ALL LOCATIONS

YEAR	TYPE	ALBACORE	SKIPJACK	OTHER *	TOTAL
2007 - 2011					
AVERAGE	DOMESTIC	4,681	46,434	7,963	59,078
	IMPORT	73,144	54,490	8,217	135,851
*****	*****				
sum		77,825	100,924	16,180	194,929
2011	DOMESTIC	2,511	40,344	4,761	47,616
	IMPORT	61,629	46,975	5,802	114,406
*****	*****				
sum		64,140	87,319	10,563	162,022
2012	DOMESTIC	3,244	54,519	10,577	68,340
	IMPORT	71,136	41,595	5,080	117,811
*****	*****				
sum		74,380	96,114	15,657	186,151

DOMESTIC CANNERY RECEIPTS BY OCEAN AREA OF ORIGIN

AREA	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK		OTHER *		TOTAL	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
E ATL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W ATL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
E PAC	-	-	-	1,250	-	185	-	1,435
W PAC	2,511	3,244	40,344	53,270	4,761	10,391	47,616	66,905
IND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
sum	2,511	3,244	40,344	54,520	4,761	10,576	47,616	68,340

IMPORTED CANNERY RECEIPTS BY OCEAN AREA OF ORIGIN

AREA	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK		OTHER *		TOTAL	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
E ATL	3,323	4,344	-	139	26	-	3,349	4,483
W ATL	4,833	4,684	-	189	91	-	4,924	4,873
E PAC	82	103	1,664	1,821	74	426	1,820	2,350
W PAC	38,927	50,657	44,943	39,313	5,348	4,654	89,218	94,624
IND	14,464	11,349	368	133	263	-	15,095	11,482
sum	61,629	71,137	46,975	41,595	5,802	5,080	114,406	117,812

CLASSIFICATION OF TUNA AS RECEIVED AND CONVERTED TO ROUND WEIGHT

TYPE	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK		OTHER *		TOTAL	
	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012	2011	2012
ROUND	23,105	25,712	65,904	72,992	8,671	14,054	97,680	112,758
G+G	8,311	8,147	1	-	4	-	8,316	8,147
DRESSED	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
LOIN	32,724	40,521	21,415	23,122	1,889	1,603	56,028	65,246
HDLS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
sum	64,140	74,380	87,320	96,114	10,564	15,657	162,024	186,151
RND WGT								
sum	105,959	125,927	114,088	125,016	12,925	17,660	232,972	268,603

Conversion to round weight uses factors of 1.11 for gilled and gutted; 1.25 for dressed; 1.3 for headless; and 2.25 for loins.