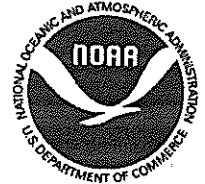


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CANNED TUNA INDUSTRY UPDATE

UNITED STATES TUNA CANNERY RECEIPTS
JANUARY - DECEMBER 1994 AND COMPARISONS

Quantities are gross unloading weights reported by United States tuna packers for the period(s) shown. United States tuna packers include five companies operating in seven plants located in California, American Samoa and Puerto Rico. The Yellowfin tuna category includes small amounts of Bluefin and Bigeye tuna. Totals may not add due to rounding.

CALIFORNIA/AMERICAN SAMOA

	Albacore	Skipjack	Yellowfin	Total
	Short tons			
1989-93 Average				
Domestic	5,984	99,343	42,042	147,369
Import	27,337	33,705	14,027	75,069
Total	33,321	133,048	56,069	222,438
1993				
Domestic	6,925	121,130	33,704	161,759
Import	27,903	26,174	12,464	66,541
Total	34,828	147,304	46,168	228,300
1994				
Domestic	5,937	102,447	31,850	140,234
Import	37,902	25,034	11,341	74,277
Total	43,839	127,481	43,191	214,511

PUERTO RICO

1989-93 Average				
Domestic	535	29,973	27,344	57,852
Import	61,682	62,724	38,387	162,793
Total	62,217	92,697	65,731	220,645
1993				
Domestic	552	35,099	15,608	51,259
Import	63,220	49,711	28,766	141,697
Total	63,772	84,810	44,374	192,956
1994				
Domestic	5,674	36,371	18,587	60,632
Import	64,076	39,541	31,415	135,032
Total	69,750	75,912	50,002	195,664

TOTAL CANNERY RECEIPTS, ALL LOCATIONS

1989-93 Average				
Domestic	6,519	129,316	69,386	205,221
Import	89,019	96,429	52,414	237,862
Total	95,538	225,745	121,800	443,083
1993				
Domestic	7,477	156,229	49,312	213,018
Import	91,123	75,885	41,230	208,238
Total	98,600	232,114	90,542	421,256
1994				
Domestic	11,611	138,818	50,437	200,866
Import	101,978	64,575	42,756	209,309
Total	113,589	203,393	93,193	410,175

DOMESTIC CANNERY RECEIPTS BY OCEAN AREA OF ORIGIN

AREA	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK		YELLOWFIN		TOTAL	
	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994
Short tons.....							
E. ATL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. ATL	32	-	-	280	-	22	32	302
E. PAC	5,967	10,181	15,631	9,009	12,347	10,951	33,945	30,141
W. PAC	1,478	1,430	140,598	129,529	36,965	39,464	179,041	170,423
IND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	7,477	11,611	156,229	138,818	49,312	50,437	213,018	200,866

IMPORTED CANNERY RECEIPTS BY OCEAN AREA OF ORIGIN

AREA	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK		YELLOWFIN		TOTAL	
	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994
Short tons.....							
E. ATL	24,306	25,666	26,746	18,138	13,406	6,653	64,458	50,457
W. ATL	15,726	15,585	1,177	2,018	288	600	17,191	18,203
E. PAC	224	934	5,341	4,496	2,410	7,188	7,975	12,618
W. PAC	41,161	47,215	27,765	26,616	13,473	12,679	82,399	86,510
IND	9,706	12,578	14,856	13,307	11,653	15,636	36,215	41,521
TOTAL	91,123	101,978	75,885	64,575	41,230	42,756	208,238	209,309

*****THE FOLLOWING TABLE HAS BEEN REVISED*****

CLASSIFICATION OF TUNA AS RECEIVED AND CONVERTED TO ROUND WEIGHT

	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK		YELLOWFIN		TOTAL	
	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994	1993	1994
Short tons.....							
ROUND	97,880	113,470	212,691	187,943	79,959	82,070	390,530	383,483
G & G	17	2	4	5	3,132	1,035	3,135	1,042
DRESSED	-	-	-	-	4	2	4	2
LOIN	703	117	19,419	15,445	7,447	10,086	27,569	25,648
HDLS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL (AS REC'D)	98,600	113,589	232,114	203,393	90,542	93,193	421,238	410,175
TOTAL (RND WGT)	99,481	113,735	256,389	222,700	100,197	105,916	456,067	442,351

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