

TABLE 13
Monthly Landings of Commercial Fish into the Los Angeles Area during 1976

Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total Pounds
LANDINGS FROM:													
California waters:													
Fish:													
Anchovy, northern.....	32,229,600	2,918,768	22,851,500	33,515,228	3,297,500	102,700	190,202	77,580	10,070,965	14,315,800	45,248,200	35,906,950	200,656,393
Barracuda, California.....	15,291	10,336	9	7,427	29,378	26,498	12,359	5,178	853	70	3,248	27,267	137,712
Bonito, Pacific.....	2,501	65	335	185	74,906	148,373	1,372,046	1,196,543	375,778	313,800	155,447	56,620	3,700,601
Butterfish, Pacific.....	1,514	6,209	11,831	6,865	1,282	2,583	16,246	1,916	564	3,616	5,207	9	61,424
Cabezon.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9
Croaker, white.....	21,743	47,712	34,418	21,090	8,701	42,508	3,541	10,240	19,362	11,261	2,840	8,702	232,178
Dolphinfish.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	129	—	—	129
Flounder.....	—	—	—	—	—	—	4	15	49	21	8	—	98
Flyingfish.....	—	—	—	150	11,470	39,343	31,194	16,015	4	—	—	—	98,176
Hake, Pacific.....	685	775	415	160	630	4,565	—	—	1,935	—	430	435	10,090
Halibut.....	—	—	—	—	—	924	740	337	70	—	1,709	3,288	7,998
Halibut, California.....	8,984	10,963	10,244	7,733	5,082	7,475	11,619	11,579	15,859	6,121	4,218	2,385	102,208
Lingcod.....	—	135	—	—	—	130	81	—	—	—	—	—	346
Mackerel, jack.....	6,224,811	5,612,113	3,747,276	2,043,668	1,896,639	2,201,826	4,820,329	4,997,345	2,265,727	1,638,964	3,029,151	2,898,466	40,755,017
Mackerel, Pacific.....	3,015	—	1,513	1,852	8,788	30,473	70,390	22,424	13,522	12,649	10,920	187,844	343,500
Perch.....	448	1,476	1,047	1,137	613	752	291	1,096	655	532	171	1,214	9,432
Queenfish.....	1,655	580	1,540	60	715	2,005	2,125	535	90	915	940	1,180	12,810
Rockfish.....	120,282	90,659	55,289	50,217	64,468	45,484	50,367	37,785	31,885	45,137	54,423	74,284	723,150
Sablefish.....	588	22	317	550	1,415	1,203	224	27	1,163	1,034	116	—	6,659
Salmon.....	—	—	—	—	553	15	23	—	11	—	—	—	662
Sanddab.....	—	—	25	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	54	59	138
Sardine, Pacific.....	—	—	—	—	—	13,750	2,440	—	—	—	—	—	16,190
Sculpin.....	144	308	106	237	146	162	—	930	539	265	222	220	3,271
Sea bass, giant.....	—	—	—	—	—	209	218	—	516	—	110	160	1,213
Seabass, white.....	—	157	50	132	1,730	1,512	9,390	16,017	4,005	4,500	17,268	6,732	62,343
Shark.....	4,410	4,789	9,474	5,912	11,321	27,013	25,754	22,290	10,174	11,406	16,189	16,558	166,220
Sheepshead, California.....	8	299	149	39	430	550	369	327	189	290	463	1,093	4,053
Skate.....	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18
Smelt, top or jack.....	—	—	—	335	125	—	—	—	—	—	3,795	5,725	9,880
Smelt, true.....	370	45	15	50	1,009	1,660	258	55	55	8,550	4,515	1,965	18,047
Sole, Dover.....	—	290	485	335	335	375	—	—	40	—	—	—	1,990
Sole, English.....	3,515	2,305	895	890	1,150	930	—	—	490	4,790	1,475	1,245	17,545
Sole, petrale.....	—	340	150	618	484	605	—	—	55	15	33	30	2,330
Sole, rex.....	1,690	505	1,320	825	760	885	—	—	275	1,145	450	805	8,640
Sole, miscellaneous.....	32	5	—	—	30	—	74	188	98	62	2	—	461

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Swordfish	—	—	—	—	—	6,637	2,096	1,638	487	14,076	8,345	1,675	34,954
Tuna, albacore	—	—	—	—	—	—	31,572	200,581	377,044	508,395	211,612	18,595	1,327,096
Tuna, bluefin	—	—	—	—	—	6,800	95,285	490,386	803,159	710,125	—	44,023	2,137,793
Tuna, skipjack	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	197,094	443,708	2,842	185	643,829
Tuna, yellowfin	—	11,530	62,954	3,132	5,310	6,147	1,854	—	90,735	105,530	3,623	—	291,247
Yellowtail	—	—	—	—	237	578	527	698	431	89	3,690	1,079	7,319
Miscellaneous	45	—	—	—	—	349	—	6	—	—	315	45	650
Crustacean	41,133	37,277	38,631	34,992	40,336	39,018	62,340	60,445	56,601	51,260	50,644	58,007	570,804
Crab, rock	8,772	8,141	8,282	—	—	—	—	—	—	27,270	21,724	18,386	92,673
Lobster, California spiny	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Echinoderm:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	11,980	31,910	99,610	143,500
Sea urchin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Mollusk:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Abalone, black	5,976	—	4,498	836	2,351	14,084	24,424	—	8,933	5,518	12,888	6,178	85,696
Abalone, green	13,463	—	10,578	4,989	8,903	10,630	8,578	—	6,706	6,546	8,807	9,861	89,659
Abalone, pink	35,014	—	13,460	16,364	26,682	18,066	16,715	—	6,500	4,551	9,112	12,329	161,642
Abalone, red	351	—	15	1,664	93	1,153	1,004	—	716	158	960	3,007	9,121
Abalone, white	9,614	—	4,162	6,059	6,738	5,404	9,906	—	2,194	1,305	7,143	3,512	66,359
Octopus	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	17	13	30
Snail, sea	546	770	900	670	1,345	1,053	1,270	1,000	1,090	1,000	1,355	960	12,591
Squid, market	4,599,634	2,309,704	38,325	172,100	44,750	589,892	848,792	7,625	46,710	10	595,000	2,720,595	11,843,340
Miscellaneous mollusk	75	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	275	—	—	—	390
Total Pounds	43,326,459	10,976,698	26,913,406	35,988,071	5,555,835	3,708,130	7,724,082	6,353,961	14,441,392	18,271,918	49,539,324	42,089,840	264,709,086
Waters north of State:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13,960	37,515	—	—	—	51,475
Tuna, albacore	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Total Pounds	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13,960	37,515	—	—	—	51,475
Waters south of state:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish:	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	18	—	—	—	—	18
Barracuda, California	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Bonito, Pacific	250	14,000	11,455	32,965	—	3,265	598,101	1,638,060	1,378,565	—	8,150	—	3,684,901
Dolphinfish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	310
Grouper	5,840	—	3,790	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	9,600
Halfmoon	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	13,170	—	—	—	13,170
Hallibut, California	—	—	—	—	7	—	39	—	—	—	10	—	47
Perch	—	—	—	80	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	30
Rockfish	—	—	3,340	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	189	—	3,529
Sea Bass, giant	9,744	2,680	3,100	396	1,770	—	—	130	—	—	1,767	4,530	24,645
Seabass, white	45,783	41,971	24,244	1,781	36,459	69,795	157,954	40	—	—	20,304	17,005	415,436
Shark	7,305	5,043	6,556	1,390	4,220	230	134	54	—	—	1,537	13,965	40,444
Sheepshead, California	—	100	40	196	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	328
Swordfish	—	—	—	—	—	234	1,032	—	—	—	—	—	1,296
Tuna, albacore	24,529	12,750	380	—	—	985	186,796	479,170	991,301	238,355	41,174	124,103	2,076,073
Tuna, bigeye	—	585,210	822,365	—	—	—	—	—	63,600	—	41,540	37,280	1,549,595

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Species	January	February	March	April	May	June	July	August	September	October	November	December	Total Pounds
Tuna, bluefin	—	194,039	427,273	312,130	7,304	2,185,908	818,326	2,431,548	3,985,458	734,566	341,717	32,008	11,470,227
Tuna, skipjack	5,112,979	2,860,326	21,186,476	8,127,479	14,965,466	9,781,186	6,142,791	1,304,809	2,862,196	2,080,928	4,062,549	3,025,224	82,135,452
Tuna, skipjack, black	—	4315	179,660	—	40,465	1,825	251,965	—	—	—	47,280	300,020	334,660
Tuna, yellowfin	2,922,576	5,959,747	51,135,304	12,031,915	22,345,736	24,065,152	24,250,095	20,641,552	18,844,990	14,791,885	18,222,141	7,530,053	223,041,196
Walrus	—	—	2,815	—	3,280	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	6,195
Yellowtail	30,412	24,017	5,963	640	1,986	3,325	90,052	1,092	34,685	—	18,362	15,782	249,286
Miscellaneous	120	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	120
Crustaceans	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Crab, pelagic red	—	32,000	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	32,000
Total Pounds	8,179,248	9,736,398	73,802,371	30,508,952	37,435,673	36,111,895	32,487,924	26,496,443	28,174,175	17,815,734	23,406,910	11,436,000	325,591,923
South Pacific Islands	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tuna, skipjack	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	237,575	—	237,575
Tuna, yellowfin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	149,530	—	149,530
Total Pounds	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	387,405	—	387,405
Africa	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tuna, bigeye	—	231,636	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	231,636
Tuna, skipjack	—	801,030	195,282	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	997,312
Tuna, yellowfin	—	1,133,590	246,314	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1,580,394
Total Pounds	—	2,186,656	242,296	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	2,729,252
Shipments*	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Fish	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tuna, albacore	928,286	422,951	2,367,318	2,446,617	1,062,485	2,918,490	6,683,474	6,508,710	2,443,656	1,893,325	3,582,915	8,433,769	39,912,292
Tuna, bigeye	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tuna, bluefin	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tuna, skipjack	3,127,072	4,735,118	2,344,882	1,273,887	8,440,105	3,659,222	2,188,681	4,998,197	4,706,311	8,248,054	5,847,672	9,373,801	59,471,202
Tuna, skipjack, black	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—
Tuna, yellowfin	1,203,046	1,060,132	1,654,843	2,746,144	656,166	1,052,154	2,451,299	1,091,706	1,356,712	794,234	678,290	814,256	13,649,222
Total Pounds	5,358,404	6,218,201	6,987,243	6,509,694	10,158,756	7,630,166	11,323,754	12,526,613	9,069,199	10,925,813	10,214,492	19,353,743	115,876,078
Grand Total	36,864,111	39,117,563	107,845,616	62,968,717	53,150,464	47,436,191	51,335,760	45,290,377	51,722,281	47,013,485	83,548,131	72,879,583	769,545,139

* For origin of shipments refer to Table 6. Beginning in 1968 only tuna shipments are recorded.

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