

TABLE 2.
Sardines Landed in Four Areas of California
In Tons.

<i>Area</i>	<i>1933-34</i>	<i>1934-35</i>	<i>1935-36</i>
San Francisco-----	36,358	68,810	76,155
Monterey-----	152,484	230,868	184,475
Los Angeles-----	125,048	178,818	138,400
San Diego-----	1,590	4,864	10,650
Total tons-----	315,480	483,360	409,680

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<i>Season</i>	<i>Cannery and market catch</i>	<i>Reduction ship catch</i>	<i>Total tons</i>
1930-31-----	173,820	10,200	184,020
1931-32-----	133,440	14,100	147,540
1932-33-----	205,530	55,890	261,420
1933-34-----	315,480	77,130	392,610
1934-35-----	483,360	128,190	611,550
1935-36-----	409,680	158,750	568,430
Totals-----	1,721,310	444,260	2,165,570

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TABLE 4.
Percentage of the Sardine Catch of California Taken by Canneries and by
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	<i>Cannery</i>	<i>Ship</i>
1930-31-----	95%	5%
1931-32-----	90	10
1932-33-----	79	21
1933-34-----	80	20
1934-35-----	79	21
1935-36-----	72	28

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Most of our sardine tables are compiled to show the catch landed in the state at canning plants and at fresh fish markets so that unless otherwise stated they do not include the deliveries made off shore to reduction ships. These off-shore deliveries are shown in special tables. Nor do our tables include the bait catches of sardines made in southern California for use by sport and commercial fishermen. The catch delivered to packing plants and to fish markets is usually referred to as the cannery catch, because the amounts of sardines sold to fresh fish markets are so small that they comprise but a fraction of one per cent and may be disregarded for all practical purposes. In some of the following tables, the contrast between cannery catch and off-shore or reduction ship deliveries is shown both by tonnage and as percentage of the total combined catch.—*W. L. Scofield.*

References (see page 164): 26, 104.

3. ANCHOVY

The anchovy is an important article of diet for practically all predacious fish and as such it makes excellent bait. It is as bait that most of the anchovies caught in California waters are used.

In 1935 about 84 per cent of the commercial landings were divided almost equally between the San Francisco and Monterey regions, with