



UNITED STATES DEPARTMENT OF COMMERCE
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Southwest Region



CANNED TUNA INDUSTRY UPDATE

REVISED (*)
UNITED STATES TUNA CANNERY RECEIPTS
JANUARY-DECEMBER 1995 AND COMPARISONS

Quantities are gross unloading weights reported by United States tuna packers for the period(s) shown. United States tuna packers include four companies operating in six 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.

TOTAL CANNERY RECEIPTS, ALL LOCATIONS

	ALBACORE	SKIPJACK*	YELLOWFIN*	TOTAL
1990-94 Average				
Domestic	7,866	136,471	55,861	200,198
Import	90,119	84,067	43,723	217,909
Total	97,985	220,538	99,584	418,107
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
1995				
Domestic	11,129	148,063	44,326	203,518
Import	95,040	94,820	26,641	216,501
Total	106,169	242,883	70,967	420,019

DOMESTIC CANNERY RECEIPTS BY OCEAN AREA OF ORIGIN

AREA	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK*		YELLOWFIN*		TOTAL	
	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995
Short tons.....							
E. ATL	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
W. ATL	-	55	280	-	22	-	302	55
E. PAC	10,181	5,648	9,009	11,254	10,951	11,094	30,141	27,996
W. PAC	1,430	5,426	129,529	136,809	39,464	33,232	170,423	175,467
IND	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL	11,611	11,129	138,818	148,063	50,437	44,326	200,866	203,518

IMPORTED CANNERY RECEIPTS BY OCEAN AREA OF ORIGIN

AREA	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK*		YELLOWFIN*		TOTAL	
	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995
Short tons.....							
E. ATL	25,666	29,781	18,138	4,962	6,653	1,617	50,457	36,360
W. ATL	15,585	13,152	2,018	531	600	107	18,203	13,790
E. PAC	934	554	4,496	21,377	7,188	6,540	12,618	28,471
W. PAC	47,215	40,902	26,616	50,770	12,679	10,448	86,510	102,120
IND	12,578	10,651	13,307	17,180	15,636	7,929	41,521	35,760
TOTAL	101,978	95,040	64,575	94,820	42,756	26,641	209,309	216,501

CLASSIFICATION OF TUNA AS RECEIVED AND CONVERTED TO ROUND WEIGHT

	ALBACORE		SKIPJACK*		YELLOWFIN*		TOTAL	
	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995	1994	1995
Short tons.....							
ROUND	113,470	106,143	187,943	210,472	82,070	63,205	383,483	379,820
G & G	2	5	5	5	1,035	971	1,042	981
DRESSED	-	-	-	-	2	-	2	-
LOIN	117	21	15,445	32,406	10,086	6,791	25,648	39,218
HDLS	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
TOTAL (AS REC'D)	113,589	106,169	203,393	242,883	93,193	70,967	410,175	420,019
TOTAL (RND WGT)	113,735	106,196	222,700	283,392	105,916	79,563	442,351	469,151

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.