

NPAFC
Doc. 542
Rev.

Salmon Catch by Species and Region in 2000

by

**Fisheries Agency of Japan
Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries
1-2-1 Kasumigaseki, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8907, Japan**

**Submitted to the
NORTH PACIFIC ANADROMOUS FISH COMMISSION**

by
JAPAN

October 2001

THIS PAPER MAY BE CITED IN THE FOLLOWING MANNER:

Fisheries Agency of Japan. 2001. Salmon catch by species and region in 2000. (NPAFC Doc. 542). Fisheries Agency of Japan, Ministry of Agriculture, Forestry and Fisheries. 1-2-1 Kasumigaseki, Chiyoda-ku, Tokyo 100-8907, Japan. 3 p.

Salmon Catch by Species and Region in 2000

Japan reported total commercial catches of Pacific salmon by coastal and offshore areas in 2000 by number and weight.

Total catches in coastal and offshore areas of Japan includes 42.6 million chum and 16.5 million pink salmon (Table 1).

Table 1. Japanese commercial salmon catch by species by area in thousands of fish in 2000.

Stat.	Area	Total	Sockeye	Chum	Pink	Coho	Chinook	Masu	Stealhead
(1) Coastal									
I Hokkaido									
	Pacific C.	23,606	1	20,402	3,194	2	7	...	-
	Japan Sea C.	2,179	-	2,178	1	-	-	...	-
	Okhotsk Sea C.	20,333	0	9,631	10,702	0	0	...	-
II Honsyu									
	Pacific C.	9,974	-	9,796	175	0	3	...	-
	Japan Sea C.	389	-	388	1	0	-	...	-
(2) Off-shore									
200-mile zone. Japan									
	Pacific	1,837	-	156	1,681	-	-	-	-
	Japan	787	-	-	777	-	-	11	-

note; - = no catch in this area, ... = no data available

0 = less than 500 fish

Table 2. Japanese commercial salmon catch by species by area in tonnes of fish in 2000.

Stat.	Area	Total	Sockeye	Chum	Pink	Coho	Chinook	Masu	Stealhead
(1) Coastal									
I Hokkaido									
	Pacific C.	72,223	3	67,129	4,782	6	35	268	-
	Japan Sea C.	7,413	-	7,186	2	-	-	225	-
	Okhotsk Sea C.	47,860	0	31,734	16,053	0	0	73	-
II Honsyu									
	Pacific C.	32,753	-	32,277	221	0	13	242	-
	Japan Sea C.	1,417	-	1,282	1	0	-	134	-
(2) Off-shore									
200-mile zone. Japan									
	Pacific	2,333	-	320	2,013	-	-	-	-
	Japan	737	-	-	725	-	-	12	-

note; - = no catch in this area

0 = less than 500 kg