

NEW JERSEY SEAFOOD TOP TEN, BY WEIGHT CAUGHT, 1995 - 1999

Seafood	1995	1996	1997	1998	1999
	pounds				
Clams, surf	46,329,437	48,612,803	45,603,401	44,758,943	49,317,308
Menhaden	36,579,507	32,988,726	38,118,579	33,287,641	31,036,717
Squid	30,140,672	25,474,328	25,022,236	40,607,630	13,316,352
Mackerel	4,753,975	18,007,725	9,566,166	18,420,181	20,036,047
Clams, ocean quahog	21,765,300	17,816,507	18,285,640	15,746,800	16,814,590
Crabs, blue	7,697,013	3,264,454	4,562,591	5,829,331	5,251,058
Scup (Porgies)	2,390,814	2,514,915	1,314,989	1,428,565	796,423
Fluke (flounder)	581,473	2,369,134	1,320,588	2,159,533	1,917,973
Scallops, sea	2,560,266	2,352,115	1,964,982	1,589,792	2,787,027
Whiting (hake)	2,731,184	1,798,272	2,174,407	1,792,740	739,993

SOURCE: National Marine Fisheries Service

NEW JERSEY SEAFOOD TOP TEN, BY EX VESSEL VALUE, 1995 - 1999

Seafood	1994	1995	1996	1997	1998
	dollars				
Clams, surf	27,443,281	28,927,560	27,168,453	23,065,678	25,382,162
Scallops, sea	12,743,574	12,929,700	12,643,080	9,826,262	14,745,333
Squid	10,334,730	8,096,055	9,305,365	12,536,311	6,597,703
Clams, ocean quahog	8,625,867	7,323,867	7,613,216	6,694,408	7,163,664
Clams, hard	4,948,627	7,310,168	6,701,036	2,301,524	7,363,453
Fluke (flounder)	3,348,655	3,055,553	2,052,887	3,105,013	3,040,276
Crabs, blue	6,251,843	2,342,270	3,366,589	5,278,814	4,211,931
Lobster	2,115,918	2,342,270	3,298,044	2,539,821	3,647,546
Swordfish	1,089,544	801,574	1,299,879	865,309	1,021,754
Whiting (hake)	1,281,768	617,491	906,821	711,622	305,208

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