



CALIFORNIA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND WILDLIFE

Sport Fishing

Fees Reported by License Year

Licenses	2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025	2026	2027	2028	2029
Resident Fishing *	\$ 47.25	\$ 48.75	\$ 50.00	\$ 54.25	\$ 57.25	-	-	-	-	-
Resident Fishing Voucher *	\$ 47.25	\$ 48.75	\$ 50.00	\$ 54.25	\$ 57.25	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Fishing *	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Fishing *	\$ 127.50	\$ 131.50	\$ 135.00	\$ 146.50	\$ 154.50	-	-	-	-	-
Non-Resident Fishing (10 Day)	\$ 47.25	\$ 48.75	\$ 50.00	\$ 54.25	\$ 57.25	-	-	-	-	-
1-Day Sportfishing (Res/Nonres)	\$ 15.25	\$ 15.75	\$ 16.25	\$ 17.75	\$ 18.75	-	-	-	-	-
2-Day Sportfishing (Res/Nonres)	\$ 23.75	\$ 24.50	\$ 25.00	\$ 27.25	\$ 28.75	-	-	-	-	-
Disabled Veteran Fishing *	\$ 7.50	\$ 7.75	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 9.25	-	-	-	-	-
Recovering Service Member *	\$ 7.50	\$ 7.75	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 9.25	-	-	-	-	-
Reduced Fee Low Income Senior *	\$ 7.50	\$ 7.75	\$ 8.00	\$ 8.75	\$ 9.25	-	-	-	-	-
Free Sport Fishing *	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
Second Rod Sport Fish Validation *	\$ 14.75	\$ 15.25	\$ 15.75	\$ 17.00	\$ 18.00	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Second Rod Sport Fish Validation *	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
Spiny Lobster report Card (Full Season)	\$ 9.50	\$ 9.75	\$ 10.00	\$ 10.75	\$ 11.25	-	-	-	-	-
Abalone Report Card	\$ 22.50	\$ 23.25	\$ 24.00	\$ 26.00	\$ 27.50	-	-	-	-	-
North Coast Salmon Report Card	\$ 6.50	\$ 6.75	\$ 7.00	\$ 7.50	\$ 8.00	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime North Coast Salmon Report Card	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
Steelhead Report Card	\$ 7.25	\$ 7.50	\$ 7.75	\$ 8.50	\$ 9.00	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Steelhead Report Card	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
Sturgeon Fishing Report Card	\$ 8.25	\$ 8.50	\$ 8.75	\$ 9.50	\$ 10.00	-	-	-	-	-
Recreational Crab Trap Validation *	N/A	\$ 2.25	\$ 2.25	\$ 2.50	\$ 2.75	-	-	-	-	-
Ocean Enhancement Validation *	\$ 5.25	\$ 5.50	\$ 5.75	\$ 6.25	\$ 6.50	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Ocean Enhancement Validation *	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	\$ -	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Fishing Package - Age 0 to 9	\$ 554.75	\$ 571.75	\$ 587.25	\$ 637.00	\$ 672.25	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Fishing Package - Age 10 to 39	\$ 911.50	\$ 939.25	\$ 965.00	\$ 1,046.75	\$ 1,104.50	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Fishing Package - Age 40 to 61	\$ 820.50	\$ 845.50	\$ 868.50	\$ 942.25	\$ 994.25	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Fishing Package - Age 62 and Over	\$ 554.75	\$ 571.75	\$ 587.25	\$ 637.00	\$ 672.25	-	-	-	-	-
Lifetime Fishing Privilege Package	\$ 372.75	\$ 384.00	\$ 394.50	\$ 428.00	\$ 451.75	-	-	-	-	-

* Effective January 1, 2023, the CDFW implemented 365-day sport fishing licenses and validations and discontinued annual sport fishing licenses and validations (AB-817).