

MONTHLY MARKET SQUID REPORT

January 2009



Monterey

There were no landings of squid reported this month.

Ventura/Port Hueneme/Santa Barbara

There were 110 landings in January. Fishing took place off Port Hueneme, Santa Rosa Island and Santa Cruz Island. The average weight of sampled squid was 33 g (+/-10 g SD*) and the average mantle length was 120 mm (+/-11 mm SD). The average ex-vessel price was \$674/short ton (\$743/metric ton). Observed incidental catch included Pacific sardine and Pacific mackerel.

San Pedro/Terminal Island

There were 63 landings in January. Fishing took place off Santa Monica Bay, Redondo Beach, Point Vicente, Newport Beach, Santa Rosa Island, Santa Cruz Island, and Santa Catalina Island. The average weight of sampled squid was 39 g (+/-11 g SD) and the average mantle length was 127 mm (+/-11 mm SD). The average ex-vessel price was \$618/short ton (\$681/metric ton). There was no observed incidental catch.

Landings and Sampling Effort at San Francisco Bay, Monterey, Ventura/Port Hueneme, and San Pedro Port Areas for January**.

Port Complex	Short Tons Landed		Samples Collected	
	2007/08 ***	2008/09 ****	2007/08	2008/09
San Francisco Bay Area	0	N/A		
Monterey	0	0	0	0
Ventura/Port Hueneme	6,733	1,624	4	7
San Pedro	3,156	465	7	5
	9,889	2,089	11	12

*Standard Deviation

**Month covers January 1-31; fishing season is from April 1 through March 31 the following year.

***Landings data from Dept. of Fish and Game Commercial Fisheries Information System (CFIS) database.

****Landings data from preliminary totals based on dockside tally of available landing receipts.