

MONTHLY MARKET SQUID REPORT

November 2007



Monterey

There were no landings of squid reported this month.

Ventura/Port Hueneme/Santa Barbara

There were 246 landings in November. Fishing took place off Pt. Dume, Pt. Mugu, Santa Rosa Island, Santa Cruz Island, and Anacapa Island. The average weight of sampled market squid was 51 g (+/-13 g SD*) and the average mantle length was 139 mm (+/-12 mm SD). The average ex-vessel price was \$573/short ton (\$632/metric ton). Observed incidental catch included Pacific mackerel, Pacific sardine, bat ray, unidentified fish, and kelp.

San Pedro/Terminal Island

There were 138 landings in November. Fishing took place off Pt. Dume, Santa Monica Bay, Manhattan Beach, Pt. Vicente, Pt. Fermin, Long Beach, Huntington Flats, Huntington Beach, Santa Rosa Island, Santa Cruz Island, Anacapa Island, and Santa Catalina Island. The average weight of sampled squid was 53 g (+/-16 g SD) and the average mantle length was 140 mm (+/-15 mm SD). The average ex-vessel price was \$575/short ton (\$634/metric ton). Observed incidental catch included Pacific mackerel, Pacific sardine, northern anchovy, CA scorpionfish, specklefin midshipman, hornyhead turbot, unidentified rock and swimming crabs, ochre star, bat star, and kelp.

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

Port Complex	Short Tons Landed		Samples Collected	
	2006/07 ^{***}	2007/08 ^{****}	2006/07	2007/08
San Francisco Bay Area	0	N/A		
Monterey	0	0	0	0
Ventura/Port Hueneme	437	5,922	0	8
San Pedro	161	2,155	2	13
	598	8,077	2	21

*Standard Deviation

**Month covers November 1-30; 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.