

MONTHLY MARKET SQUID REPORT December 2011



Monterey/Moss Landing

There were no landings of market squid reported this month.

Ventura/Port Hueneme/Santa Barbara

There were 56 landings of market squid in December. Fishing took place off Port Hueneme, Point Mugu, Point Dume, Santa Cruz Island, and Anacapa Island. The average ex-vessel price was \$693/short ton (\$764/metric ton).

San Pedro/Terminal Island

There were 406 landings of market squid in December. Fishing took place off Point Dume, Manhattan Beach, Point Fermin, Long Beach, Huntington Flats, Huntington Beach, Newport Beach, Laguna Beach, Begg Rock, Santa Catalina Channel, Santa Catalina Island, and San Clemente Island. Squid was reportedly plentiful along the coast and at many of the Channel Islands. Brailed loads of 2 tons or less continued to be landed consistently. The average ex-vessel price was \$680/short ton (\$750/metric ton). There was no incidental catch observed.

Landings and samples from Monterey Bay, Santa Barbara, and San Pedro Port Areas for December**

Port Complex	Short Tons Landed in December		Season Totals Short Tons*****	Samples Collected
	2010/11***	2011/12****	2011/12	2011/12
Monterey/Moss Landing	0	0	14,970	0
Ventura/Port Hueneme/Santa Barbara	18,766	110	53,944	0
San Pedro/Terminal Island	16,650	777	53,817	1
	35,416	887	122,731	1

*Standard Deviation. **December 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. *****Combination of landings data from preliminary totals from dockside tally of available landing receipts and CFIS.

Statewide Monthly Market Squid Landings by Fishing Seasons

