

APPENDIX 3: TABLE OF CATCHES FROM FISHERS' STATUTORY MONTHLY PRODUCTION RETURNS OF 1997/98

This table contains the landed and estimated live weight of species recorded in the compulsory catch and fishing effort returns provided by fishermen each month. These data include the catch taken as bycatch as well as the targeted catch. These catch data may differ slightly from some of the catch estimates presented for specific fisheries as the latter may include

additional data from other sources, such as processors. The figures may also differ slightly from previously reported figures as additional data may have been received by the agency. The table represents the latest year for which a complete set of data is available.

Catch category	Landed Weight (kg)	Live Weight (kg)
FISH		
Anchovy	559	559
Barracuda (Northern Pike)	2,463	2,463
Barramundi (Giant Perch)	20,423	34,288
Bigeye (not Tuna)	39,187	39,187
Boarfish	3,646	4,676
Bonefish (Pacific Bonefish)	130	130
Bonito	4,317	4,354
Bream, Black	23,527	23,527
Bream, Buffalo	85	85
Bream, mixed	131	131
Bream, Monocle	7,500	7,500
Bream, Robinson's	63,801	63,902
Bream, Sea	758	760
Bream, Silver (Tarwhine)	4,775	4,775
Bream, Western Yellowfin	20,333	20,341
Catfish, Sea (Golden Cobbler)	26,054	26,309
Chinaman Fish (not Cod)	10,589	11,342
Cobbler	56,399	78,294
Cobbler, Silver	57,473	144,147
Cod	113,730	119,619
Cod, Bar (Grey-Banded, 8-Bar)	1,096	1,100
Cod, Chinaman	5,710	5,854
Cod, Maori	27	27
Cod, Rankin	145,688	152,797
Cod, Spotted	39,563	39,624
Dart	6	6
Emperor, Blue-Lined (Grass, Black)	2,576	2,576
Emperor, Spot-Cheek	74	74
Emperor, Sweetlip	65,717	69,011
Flagfish (Spanish Flag)	185,374	185,518
Flathead, other	7,450	7,693
Flounder	3,271	3,274
Footballer (Footballer Sweep, Banded Sweep)	469	674
Foxfish (Hogfish, Pigfish)	13	13
Garfish, Sea	47,835	47,835
Groper, Baldchin	39,957	42,143
Groper, Blue	26,852	35,393
Gurnard	43	43
Hapuku	20,366	21,738
Herring, Australian	763,586	763,794
Herring, Perth	33,546	33,546
Javelin Fish	26,673	26,673
Jewfish, Westralian (Dhufish)	211,379	231,825
Jobfish	140,532	140,996

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FISH (continued)		
Jobfish (Goldband Snapper)	89,301	89,301
Jobfish, Rosy	97,653	98,376
John Dory	40	40
Kingfish, Black (Cobia)	18,959	19,508
Kingfish, Yellowtail	933	991
Knifejaw	826	864
Leatherjacket	31,924	50,163
Ling, Pink (Rock Ling)	280	305
Long Tom	60	60
Mackerel, Blue	11,604	11,604
Mackerel, other	103,902	149,347
Mackerel, Scaly	383,267	383,267
Mackerel, Spanish	286,924	559,851
Mangrove Jack	15,627	15,709
Maori Seaperch (Maori Emperor)	195	195
Morwong	440	440
Mullet, Diamond Scale	292	292
Mullet, other	7,139	7,234
Mullet, Red	103,516	103,516
Mullet, Sea	392,437	392,691
Mullet, Yellow-Eye	177,846	177,846
Mulloway	38,279	40,279
Parrot Fish	6,265	6,282
Perch, Moses	54,778	54,978
Perch, Pearl	45,522	45,979
Perch, Red (Maroon Sea Perch)	10,246	10,274
Perch, Scarlet Sea (Saddletail)	136,814	136,867
Perch, Yellowtail	1,007	1,007
Perches, other	8,220	8,353
Pike, Sea	7,323	7,326
Pilchard	7,036,595	7,036,595
Queenfish	945	1,819
Red Emperor	351,122	354,656
Redfish	46,291	49,651
Redfish, Bight	8,502	9,422
Salmon, Western Australian	2,608,189	2,608,283
Samson Fish (Sea Kingfish)	126,986	138,467
Scad, Yellowtail	5,138	5,138
Shark, Blacktip	56,008	118,485
Shark, Bronze Whaler	224,658	369,506
Shark, Eastern School	34,211	54,395
Shark, Grey Nurse	4,375	6,927
Shark, Gummy	191,262	305,831
Shark, Hammerhead	55,817	92,903
Shark, other	178,706	290,605
Shark, Pencil	2,876	4,993
Shark, Spurdog	8,024	22,666
Shark, Thickskin	135,263	214,990
Shark, Tiger	15,030	23,892
Shark, Whiskery	135,591	203,799
Shark, White Pointer	250	833
Shark, Wobbegong	34,629	54,864
Skates and Rays, other	29,190	68,347
Snapper, Bullnose (Variegated Emperor)	216	216

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Snapper, Fingermark (Golden)	832	1,482
Snapper, Frypan	84,684	84,684
Snapper, Lenko (Deep Sea)	8	8
Snapper, Long Nose	11,308	11,378
Snapper, North West (Spangled Emperor)	153,314	170,539
Snapper, North West (L)	93,301	94,200
Snapper, North West (S)	503,387	503,387
Snapper, Pink	738,365	767,186
Snapper, Queen	57,698	71,060
Snapper, Red Spot Emperor	50,199	50,199
Snapper, Red (Swallowtail)	304,307	304,309
Snapper, Ruby	591	949
Sole	1,405	1,405
Sprat, Blue	55,930	55,930
Sweep	4,429	4,891
Sweetlip	79,368	80,376
Tailor	53,920	53,920
Threadfin	21,997	25,706
Threadfin Bream (Butterfish)	320,406	320,406
Threadfin, Giant	122,078	149,793
Trevalla, Deepsea	4,127	4,274
Trevally, Golden	17,145	17,592
Trevally, other (Skippy)	192,667	195,075
Trevally, Skipjack	8,893	8,950
Trout, Coral	24,931	25,897
Trout, Spotted (Duskytail Groper)	5,697	5,697
Tuna, Bigeye	78	90
Tuna, Mackerel	303	303
Tuna, Northern Bluefin	129	129
Tuna, other	17,998	18,533
Tuna, Skipjack (Striped)	897	1,195
Tuna, Yellowfin	2,137	2,335
Tuskfish, Bluebone	19,459	20,593
Whitebait	106,059	106,059
Whiting, Golden-Lined	5,399	5,399
Whiting, King George	76,074	76,084
Whiting, other	2,533	2,548
Whiting, Trumpeter	313	313
Whiting, Western Sand	196,293	196,598
Other fish varieties	160,448	169,985
Total Fish	19,044,283	20,418,301
CRABS		
Crab, Coral	1,155	1,155
Crab, King	17,488	17,488
Crab, Mud	2,148	2,148
Crab, Sand (Blue Manna, Blue Swimmer)	738,882	738,882
Crab, Snow	3,641	3,641
Crab, Spanner	330	330
Crab, Spiny	77,368	77,368
Total Crabs	841,012	841,012

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PRAWNS		
Prawn, Banana	254,065	254,065
Prawn, Brown Tiger	854,544	854,544
Prawn, Coral	377,073	377,073
Prawn, Leader (Black Tiger)	82	82
Prawn, Western King	2,026,898	2,026,898
Prawn, Endeavour	211,705	211,705
Total Prawns	3,724,367	3,724,367
ROCK LOBSTERS		
Bugs	16,051	16,051
Rock Lobster, Southern	85,049	85,049
Rock Lobster, Tropical (Painted)	965	965
Rock Lobster, Western	10,462,919	10,462,919
Total Rock Lobsters	10,564,984	10,564,984
MOLLUSCS		
Abalone, Brownlip	9,226	23,065
Abalone, Greenlip	70,997	193,492
Abalone, Roe's	97,097	109,929
Cockles	9,615	9,615
Cuttlefish	81,684	81,684
Limpet	16	16
Mussel	8,917	8,917
Octopus	98,983	181,654
Oyster, Western Rock	2	14
Scallop, Saucer	325,140	1528,256
Squid	69,328	69,328
Total Molluscs	771,005	2,205,970
OTHER CLASSES		
Beche De Mer	135,415	383,635
Sea Urchin	36	42
Total Others Class	135,451	383,677
GRAND TOTAL	35,081,102	38,138,311