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## **Salmon Catch by Species and Region in 2002**

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Japan reported total commercial catches of Pacific salmon by coastal and offshore areas in 2002 by number and weight.

Total catches in coastal and offshore areas of Japan includes 52.0 million chum and 15.4 million pink salmon (Table 1).

Table 1. Japanese commercial salmon catch by species by area in thousands of fish in 2002.

Stat.	Area	Total	Sockeye	Chum	Pink	Coho	Chinook	Masu	Steelhead
(1) Coastal									
I Hokkaido									
	Pacific C.	28,550	0	25,887	2,654	4	5	...	-
	Japan Sea C.	2,371	-	2,345	26	-	-	...	-
	Okhotsk Sea C.	22,455	-	12,650	9,805	-	-	...	-
II Honsyu									
	Pacific C.	10,537	-	10,524	11	0	1	...	-
	Japan Sea C.	470	-	462	8	-	-	...	-
(2) Off-shore									
200-mile zone.									
	Pacific	2,519	-	163	2,355	-	-	-	-
	Japan Sea	565	-	-	551	-	-	14	-
<b>Total</b>		<b>67,467</b>	<b>0</b>	<b>52,031</b>	<b>15,410</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>6</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>-</b>

note; - = no catch in this area, 0 = less than 500 fish

...= no data available

Table 2. Japanese commercial salmon catch by species by area in tons of fish in 2002.

Stat.	Area	Total	Sockeye	Chum	Pink	Coho	Chinook	Masu	Steelhead
(1) Coastal									
I Hokkaido									
	Pacific C.	102,790	1	98,372	3,981	12	33	391	-
	Japan Sea C.	8,651	-	8,370	25	-	-	256	-
	Okhotsk Sea C.	62,771	-	47,059	15,590	1	3	118	-
II Honsyu									
	Pacific C.	38,229	-	37,991	17	1	9	211	-
	Japan Sea C.	1,807	-	1,658	8	-	-	141	-
(2) Off-shore									
200-mile zone.									
	Pacific	3,131	-	338	2,793	-	-	-	-
	Japan Sea	556	-	-	541	-	-	16	-
<b>Total</b>		<b>217,935</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>193,778</b>	<b>22,955</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>1,133</b>	

note; - = no catch in this area