



# Virginia Landings Bulletin

*Quarterly Commercial Fisheries Statistics  
2008 4th Quarter (October - December)  
Preliminary Report*



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Finfish	October		November		December	
	Species	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds
ALEWIFE	8,842	\$973	0	\$0	330	\$36
ANGLER	10,145	\$9,152	3,447	\$2,628	33,135	\$36,797
BARRELFISH	0	\$0	0	\$0	17	\$30
BASS, BLACK SEA	10,092	\$43,679	11,459	\$38,770	27,235	\$93,030
BASS, STRIPED	43,195	\$134,350	250,206	\$430,520	444,238	\$664,347
BLUEFISH	140,304	\$29,185	53,673	\$17,657	70,081	\$27,724
BONITO	65	\$19	0	\$0	0	\$0
BUTTERFISH	12,962	\$4,055	5,366	\$2,156	555	\$321
CARP	4,231	\$1,602	4,531	\$1,692	7,982	\$2,854
CATFISH, BLUE	13,448	\$3,362	13,221	\$3,305	6,273	\$1,568
CATFISH, NK	179,405	\$89,703	186,831	\$93,416	154,224	\$77,112
COBIA	269	\$316	147	\$275	12	\$12
COD	0	\$0	6	\$2	0	\$0
CREVALLE	3	\$3	0	\$0	0	\$0
CROAKER, ATLANTIC	687,484	\$390,316	934,664	\$379,505	240,338	\$63,567
CUNNER	6	\$8	0	\$0	0	\$0
DOGFISH, SMOOTH	713	\$379	45,419	\$9,563	69,239	\$14,124
DOGFISH, SPINY	172	\$76	777,147	\$148,504	1,020,105	\$194,779
DRUM, BLACK	100	\$54	241	\$68	0	\$0
DRUM, RED	794	\$1,552	234	\$465	34	\$68
EEL, AMERICAN	35,025	\$56,391	15,375	\$24,754	26	\$42
EEL, CONGER	847	\$731	810	\$493	3,978	\$3,183
EEL, NK	167	\$84	30	\$15	0	\$0
FISH, OTHER FOOD	207	\$113	12	\$9	25	\$22
FISH, OTHER INDUSTRY	143,835	\$1,151	86,887	\$695	64,165	\$513
FLOUNDER, SUMMER	67,176	\$86,756	21,607	\$32,679	429,093	\$709,641
FLOUNDER, WINTER	101	\$152	22	\$33	0	\$0
GARFISH	0	\$0	19	\$5	7,043	\$1,251
GROUPERS	23	\$70	0	\$0	0	\$0
HAGFISH	0	\$0	145,948	\$116,758	0	\$0
HAKE, SILVER	584	\$467	2,123	\$1,221	0	\$0
HAKE, WHITE	100	\$80	0	\$0	0	\$0
HARVESTFISH	68	\$85	0	\$0	0	\$0
MACKEREL, KING	50	\$108	0	\$0	0	\$0
MACKEREL, SPANISH	87	\$82	0	\$0	0	\$0
MENHADEN	476,242	\$23,812	301,456	\$15,073	95,000	\$4,750



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MULLET	4,663	\$2,322	9,096	\$4,142	3,259	\$1,066
PERCH, WHITE	7,282	\$4,369	15,778	\$9,467	30,481	\$18,289
PERCH, YELLOW	78	\$78	157	\$157	601	\$601
PIGFISH	3	\$2	0	\$0	0	\$0
POMPANO, COMMON	43	\$97	0	\$0	0	\$0
PORGY, RED & PINFISH	75	\$75	0	\$0	0	\$0
PUFFER, NORTHERN	4,405	\$5,709	1,066	\$1,066	0	\$0
RIBBONFISH, DEALFISH	5	\$3	0	\$0	1,833	\$183
SCUP	0	\$0	0	\$0	13	\$13
SEA ROBINS	0	\$0	163	\$47	0	\$0
SEATROUT, GREY	37,186	\$47,590	47,441	\$68,373	5,328	\$5,394
SEATROUT, NK	123	\$182	0	\$0	6	\$10
SEATROUT, SPOTTED	27,698	\$30,283	2,726	\$4,329	292	\$315
SHAD, GIZZARD	8,789	\$2,109	6,015	\$1,444	2,859	\$686
SHAD, HICKORY	22	\$6	15	\$4	37	\$9
SHARK, BLACKTIP	407	\$205	0	\$0	0	\$0
SHARK, SANDBAR	344	\$213	0	\$0	0	\$0
SHARK, THRESHER	109	\$52	103	\$62	37	\$28
SHEEPSHEAD	1,084	\$604	251	\$112	28	\$11
SPADEFISH	42	\$53	71	\$39	0	\$0
SPOT	676,162	\$336,193	5,975	\$3,146	133	\$21
STARGAZERS	0	\$0	5	\$1	0	\$0
STRIPED MULLET	278	\$100	100	\$41	0	\$0
TAUTOG	196	\$433	1,305	\$2,899	2,044	\$4,560
TILEFISH, BLUELINE	821	\$1,957	0	\$0	713	\$895
TOADFISH, OYSTER	1,543	\$8,066	186	\$668	0	\$0
TRIGGERFISHES	487	\$590	523	\$721	303	\$429
TUNA, ALBACORE	21	\$5	5	\$6	0	\$0
TUNA, FALSE ALBACORE	15	\$53	0	\$0	0	\$0
WHITING, KING	13,266	\$25,235	13,988	\$23,958	362	\$156
<b>Total Finfish:</b>	<b>2,621,888</b>	<b>\$1,345,443</b>	<b>2,965,851</b>	<b>\$1,440,936</b>	<b>2,721,457</b>	<b>\$1,928,437</b>

Shellfish	October		November		December	
	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value	Pounds	Value
Species						



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BLOOD ARK, CLAM	2	\$39	0	\$0	28	\$596
CONCHS	10,229	\$28,940	121,835	\$331,555	86,763	\$250,934
CRAB, BLUE	2,806,298	\$1,450,063	269,225	\$300,013	30	\$15
CRAB, HORSESHOE	3,804	\$1,324	15,734	\$3,306	865	\$243
CRAB, RED	201,900	\$194,489	128,767	\$122,343	0	\$0
LOBSTER	1,656	\$8,288	1,976	\$7,835	794	\$3,415
OCTOPUS	0	\$0	52	\$103	0	\$0
OYSTERS, PRIVATE	8,453	\$35,335	10,718	\$44,692	15,818	\$64,525
OYSTERS, PUBLIC	38,933	\$200,114	33,400	\$156,644	128,742	\$528,546
OYSTERS, PUBLIC SEED	0	\$7,320	0	\$1,530	0	\$0
QUAHOG, PRIVATE	104,019	\$136,598	74,404	\$79,404	181,825	\$222,367
QUAHOG, PUBLIC	3,756	\$24,344	7,037	\$27,073	11,327	\$78,860
SCALLOP, SEA	154,713	\$1,085,840	400,762	\$2,858,522	396,003	\$2,827,276
SHRIMP (PENAEID)	0	\$0	1,800	\$4,500	0	\$0
SQUID (LOLIGO)	7,145	\$6,835	3,795	\$2,388	2,647	\$1,861
STARFISH	0	\$0	18	\$5	0	\$0
WHELK, CHANNEL	6	\$17	13,673	\$50,743	26,906	\$65,387
WHELK, KNOBBED	56	\$55	119	\$150	352	\$331
<b>Total Shellfish:</b>	<b>3,340,971</b>	<b>\$3,179,601</b>	<b>1,083,313</b>	<b>\$3,990,805</b>	<b>852,100</b>	<b>\$4,044,356</b>
<b>Total Shellfish and Finfish:</b>	<b>5,962,859</b>	<b>\$4,525,043</b>	<b>4,049,163</b>	<b>\$5,431,741</b>	<b>3,573,557</b>	<b>\$5,972,794</b>

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