



2014 State-Licensed Commercial Fishing Data for Michigan

This report contains harvest and dockside value statistics for the 2014 state-licensed commercial fishery, summarized for each of the Great Lakes.

2014 State-licensed Commerical Harvest, In Round Pounds

SPECIES	Lake Michigan	Lake Huron	Lake Superior	Lake Erie	All Lakes Combined
WHITEFISH	723,369	1,114,135	326,291	0	2,163,795
CARP	0	5,909	0	353,979	359,888
CHANNEL CATFISH	0	105,545	0	117,835	223,380
WHITE BASS	1	3,594	0	172,126	175,721
BUFFALO	0	8,756	0	136,743	145,499
SHEEPHEAD	0	28,755	0	81,734	110,489
QUILLBACK	0	10,604	0	70,180	80,784
WHITE PERCH	0	673	0	42,646	43,319
GOLD FISH	0	0	0	34,054	34,054
GIZZARD SHAD	0	287	0	31,800	32,087
YELLOW PERCH	0	24,463	0	0	24,463
BULLHEAD	0	2,504	0	7,556	10,060
SUCKER	0	4,697	0	1,500	6,197
ROCK BASS	0	2,795	0	0	2,795
CHUB (Dressed Wt.)	935	0	0	0	935
CRAPPIE	0	861	0	0	861
BOWFIN	0	0	0	180	180
BURBOT	1	118	0	0	119
SMELT	0	2	0	0	2
Total Round Pounds	724,306	1,313,698	326,291	1,050,333	3,414,628

2014 State-licensed Commercial Dockside Value

SPECIES	Price/lb (AVG.)	Lake Michigan	Lake Huron	Lake Superior	Lake Erie	All Lakes Combined
WHITEFISH	\$2.42	\$1,750,553	\$2,696,207	\$789,624	\$0	\$5,236,384
WHITE BASS	\$0.59	\$1	\$2,120	\$0	\$101,554	\$103,676
CHANNEL CATFISH	\$0.46	\$0	\$48,551	\$0	\$54,204	\$102,755
CARP	\$0.27	\$0	\$1,595	\$0	\$95,574	\$97,170
BUFFALO	\$0.53	\$0	\$4,641	\$0	\$72,474	\$77,114
YELLOW PERCH	\$2.53	\$0	\$61,891	\$0	\$0	\$61,891
GOLD FISH	\$0.90	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$30,649	\$30,649
SHEEPHEAD	\$0.27	\$0	\$7,764	\$0	\$22,068	\$29,832
QUILLBACK	\$0.33	\$0	\$3,499	\$0	\$23,159	\$26,659
WHITE PERCH	\$0.44	\$0	\$296	\$0	\$18,764	\$19,060
BULLHEAD	\$0.53	\$0	\$1,327	\$0	\$4,005	\$5,332
CHUB (Dressed Wt.)	\$3.87	\$3,618	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$3,618
GIZZARD SHAD	\$0.10	\$0	\$29	\$0	\$3,180	\$3,209
CRAPPIE	\$3.03	\$0	\$2,609	\$0	\$0	\$2,609
ROCK BASS	\$0.90	\$0	\$2,516	\$0	\$0	\$2,516
SUCKER	\$0.27	\$0	\$1,268	\$0	\$405	\$1,673
BOWFIN	\$0.40	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$72	\$72
BURBOT	\$0.35	\$0	\$41	\$0	\$0	\$41
SMELT	\$1.21	\$0	\$2	\$0	\$0	\$2
Total Value		\$1,754,172	\$2,834,357	\$789,624	\$426,109	\$5,804,262