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LATEST TRENDS

GROUND FISH

Last January, **Norway** exports of cod, saithe, haddock and other **groundfish** were slightly down in value (-3%) compared with the exceptional results of January 2014, according to the Norwegian Seafood Council. Due to the delayed skrei season this year, exports of fresh cod, including fillets, fell by 14% in value. Norway has for the first time introduced its own product code for skrei. The average price in January for **fresh cod** was NOK 22.61/kg compared with NOK 19.96/kg last year. **Frozen cod** exports were halved last January compared with the same period last year. Whole frozen cod saw a large price increase of 56%, from NOK 15.51 to NOK 24.18/kg. The EU is the biggest importer of frozen cod. **Clippfish, salted fish** and **stockfish** exports improved in January compared with last year.

Wet-salted cod fillets prices from frozen raw material (*Gadus macrocephalus*) continue to increase due to a lack of inventory in importer's warehouses, with sales having been good recently. Wet-salted **cod fillet** (*Gadus morhua*) prices from fresh raw material of Faroe Islands and Icelandic origin are increasing because of low catches and an increase in demand from Spain and Italy, as both countries prepare for the high consumption period during Easter. **Stockfish** producers in the Lofoten Islands are reported to have hung very low quantities of cod as a consequence of bad catches. This situation is rather unusual for this time of the year and therefore an increase in prices is expected for the 2015 production.

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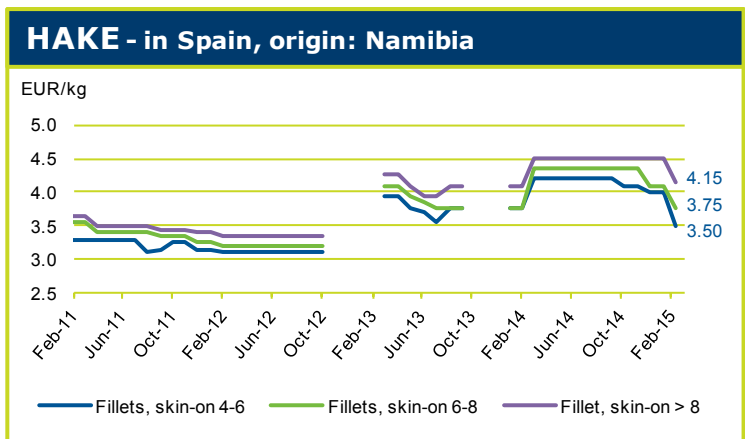
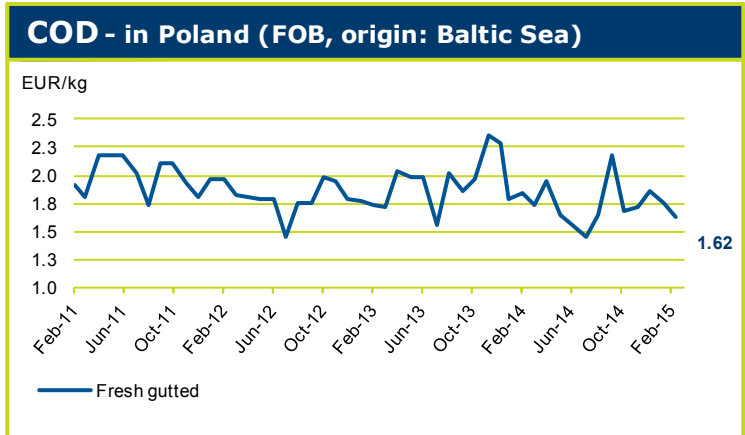
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Hake catches from **Namibia** are reported to be good and prices have consequently come down.

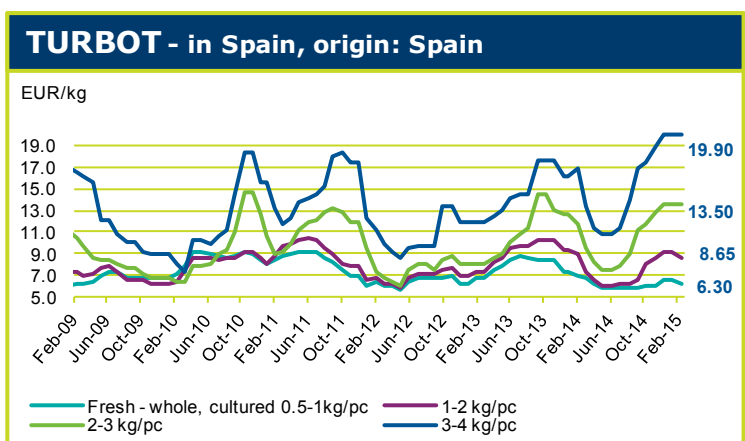
Hake production in Peru, Chile and Ecuador is reported to be good. The Russian crisis has affected demand for H&G products and the three producing countries are looking for new markets in particular in the USA and in Europe.

In the **Russian Federation**, deliveries of **Alaska pollack** to the retail sector are declining (-40% compared with last year). Consumers are being put off by the high prices in Ruble and a drop in consumption on the domestic market is reported. Prices for H&G, >25cm Alaska pollack are ranging from RUB 88/kg to RUB 90/kg (EUR 1.18-1.20/kg) on the Vladivostok wholesale market and from RUB 102/kg to RUB 103/kg (EUR 1.36-1.38/kg) on the Moscow wholesale market.



FLATFISH

Low **turbot** demand in January coupled with good growth levels in farms for small-sized turbot has led to a price decrease in this category. However, large-sized turbot prices remain stable due to low availability. A combination of good growth and low expectation of demand recovery means it is likely that prices will continue to drop further in the coming weeks.



TUNA - BILLFISHES

Fishing in the **Western** and **Central Pacific** remains moderate. Thai Canneries continue to report moderate-to-high raw material inventory. In addition, activity at the factories is reported to have slowed down. As a result, skipjack prices have dropped slightly to around USD 1 100-1 150/tonne CFR range.

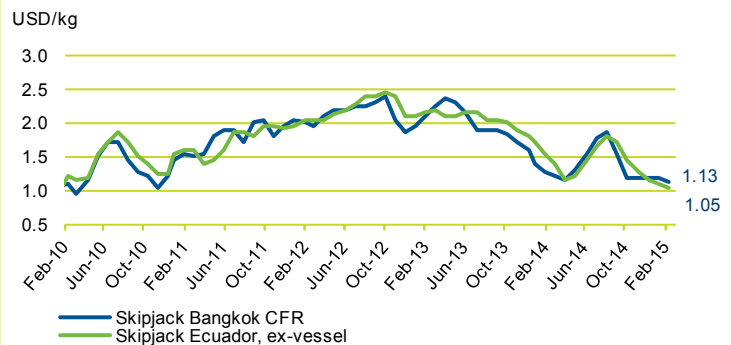
The second IATTC *veda* closure ended on 18 January. However, catches in the **Eastern Pacific** remain slow, mainly because of adverse weather conditions. Despite the poor fishing, canneries continue to report healthy inventories. Both skipjack and yellowfin prices have fallen to USD 1 050/tonne and USD 1 600/tonne ex vessel Manta respectively.

Poor fishing persists in the **Indian Ocean**, with local canneries reported to be short on skipjack inventory. This has caused skipjack prices to increase to the EUR 850/tonne FOB Mahe level. However, yellowfin prices have decreased to EUR 1 700/tonne FOB Mahe.

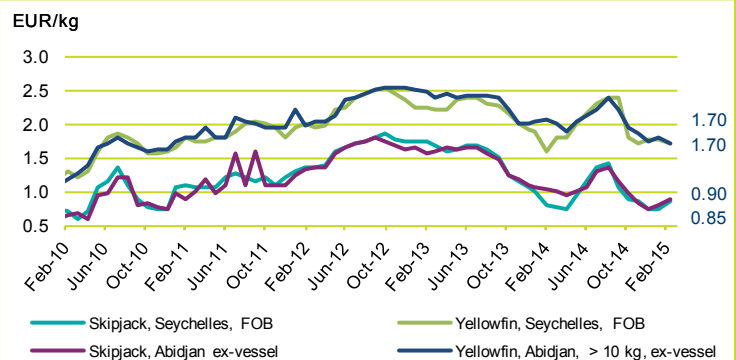
The ICCAT FAD closure in the **Atlantic Ocean** will remain in force until 28 February, resulting in slow fishing. Similarly to the situation in the Indian Ocean, skipjack prices have increased to EUR 900/tonne ex vessel Abidjan. However, yellowfin prices have decreased to EUR 1700/tonne.

As supplies from the Atlantic and Indian Oceans continue to remain tight, prices for skipjack on the **European** market have increased to EUR 1 050/tonne CFR Spain. Yellowfin prices have decreased to EUR 1 800/tonne because of lower demand. Market prices for cooked, double cleaned yellowfin loins have remained at USD 7 700/tonne DDP Italy.

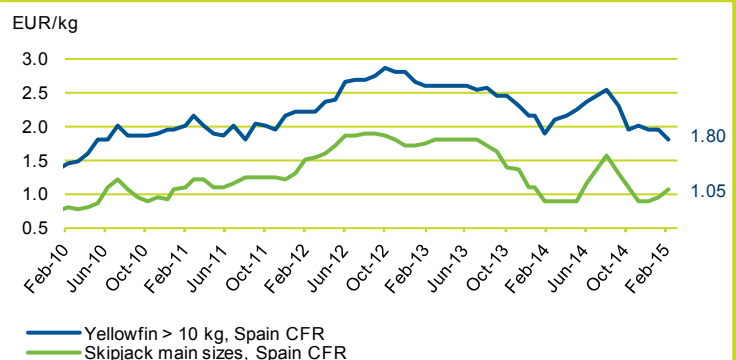
TUNA - Pacific Ocean



TUNA - Indian/Atlantic Oceans



TUNA - Spanish canneries



SMALL PELAGICS

According to the **Norwegian** Seafood Council, **herring** exports in January this year decreased by 45% and **mackerel** exports decreased by 23% compared with January 2014. Poland and Germany were the main markets for Norwegian herring in January.

In **Moscow**, large volumes of **Pacific herring** were directed to the domestic market last month (about 80 000 tonnes) and consequently the market is now reported to be saturated. However, on the Moscow wholesale market, prices for 250-300 g/pc (October 2014 catches) continue to increase, ranging from RUB 62.00 to 64.00/kg (EUR 0.83-0.86/kg). Prices for >300 g/pc sizes are also rising further, reaching around RUB 78.00-100.00/kg (EUR 1.04-1.34/kg). A new price

rise is also being observed on the Vladivostok wholesale market and sales are stagnant. For >300 g/pc Pacific herring, prices are increasing, ranging from RUB 50.00 to RUB 60.00/kg (EUR 0.67-0.80/kg).

In **Iceland**, fishing for **capelin** has been good, bringing the official total to 94 439 tonnes against the Icelandic 390 382 tonne quota. Oil yields were fluctuating at around 10% at the beginning of the month and, as is usual, are now decreasing by 1% a week, until the spawns in late March/early April, according to the Holterman Report.

In **Denmark**, total official **sprat** landings have reached 46 974 tonnes. The Danish fishmeal industry is also buying **blue whiting** from Norwegian vessels (around 11 675 tonnes). The fishmeal market is not very active but producers report regular sales for various export markets. Standard quality 70% fishmeal is currently being offered at around DKK 12.000-12.150 FOB Denmark.

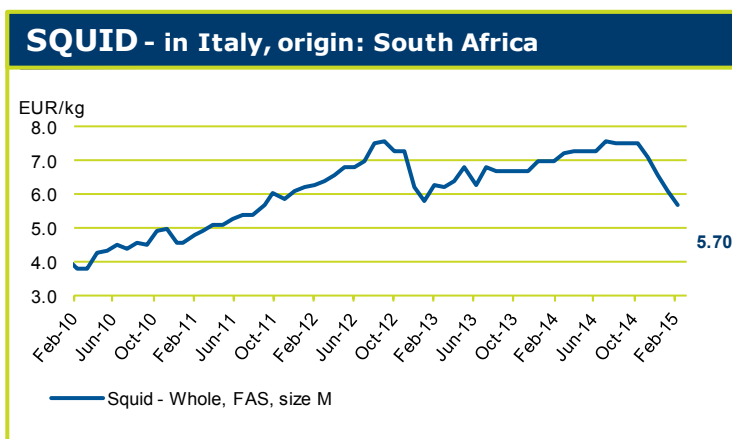
In **Norway**, the **blue whiting** fishing season has started strongly with 42 398 tonnes already reported against the 498 173 tonne quota, delivered to Denmark, Faroe Island, UK and Norway, all for fish oil/fishmeal as usual. The **capelin** quota in the Icelandic zone is now almost full. Capelin fishing has also started in the Barents Sea. Fish feed sales are reported to be 7% higher compared with last year.

CEPHALOPODS

In **South Africa**, **squid** stocks are reported to be good, but it is anticipated that the season may close in March, April and May. There are signs of reasonable recruitment and the industry is more positive about the future.

Our correspondent from **Peru** reports that the Spanish market for **giant squid** tentacles, squid rings and squid fillets has weakened, with demand and prices decreasing by around 20%. The Peruvian and Chilean production of giant squid has been deeply affected by the Russian crisis, slow demand from Korea and substantial Chinese landings covering domestic demand. As a result, prices are falling internationally, with the exception of Thailand where prices for giant squid necks have increased.

In **Indonesia**, the **octopus** fishing season has started, with catches at around 2-4 tonnes a day in several areas. Demand from both the Japanese and the European markets is reported to be very high for size <1 kg/pc. Raw material prices for <1 kg/pc size and 1-2 kg/pc size are virtually the same.



CRUSTACEANS

The Canadian/US lobster is still out of season - the new spring season starts on 1 May. Nothing is expected to happen until then and there is not much stock around anymore.

Prices for European-caught crustaceans (*Cancer pagurus* and *Homarus gammarus*) remained relatively firm in January, following the end-of-year peak season.

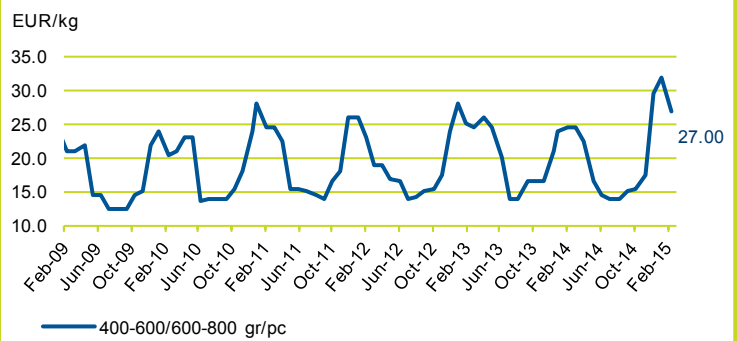
Shrimp

During the second half of January, **vannamei** prices have remained approximately stable without any significant ups and downs. The product on offer is mainly from Ecuador and Indonesia, as other producing countries are out of the harvest period.

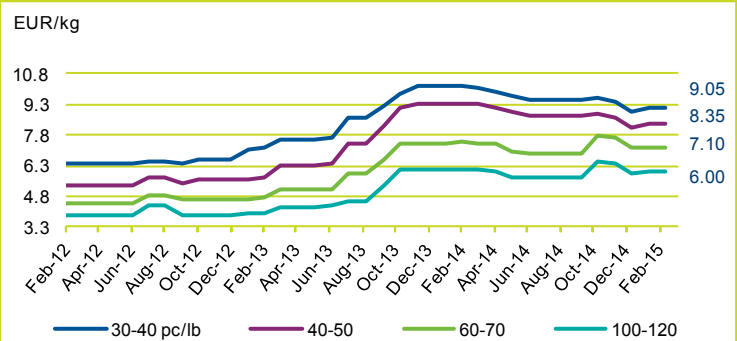
Our correspondent in **Indonesia** reports that supply of vannamei raw material is stable and demand worldwide is increasing significantly, especially from the US market. Raw material prices are increasing for 41/50 and smaller sizes but prices for bigger sizes remain stable (16/20 - 31/40). On the domestic market, prices are rising due to the increased demand associated with the Lunar New Year.

On the Spanish market, large amounts of Argentina red shrimp are still available, particularly ground-frozen products, awaiting for the Easter sales campaign. High availability of *Pleoticus muelleri* is pushing prices downwards, although this has been offset somewhat by the low value of the Euro against the US dollar, and therefore prices are fairly stable on the European market. In Argentina, substantial stocks still remain from the record catches in 2014, which together with the situation in Europe is causing a sharp fall in prices. However, the revival in sales from Asian markets in recent weeks has allowed prices in Argentina to stabilize.

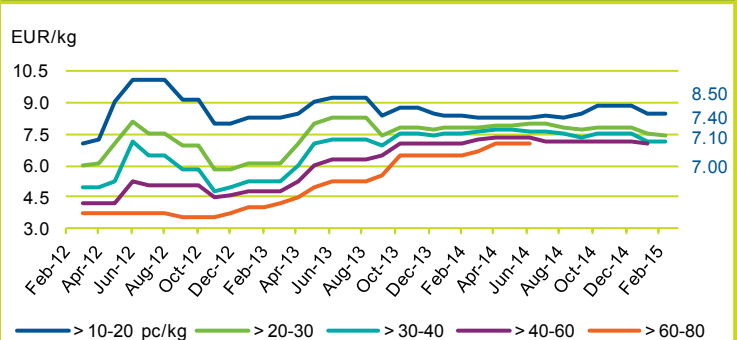
EUROPEAN LOBSTER - in Europe, origin: Ireland



WHITELEG SHRIMP - origin: Central America



ARGENTINA RED SHRIMP - origin: Argentina



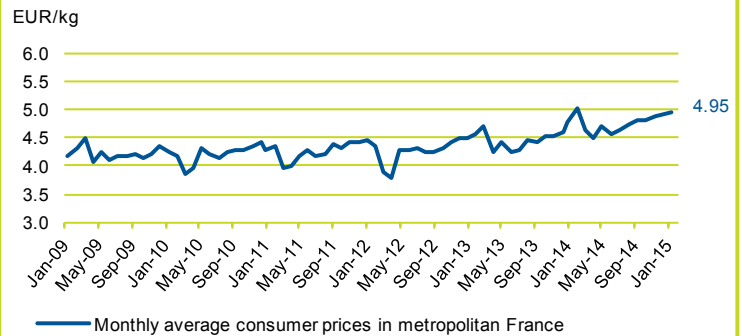
BIVALVES

On the French market, French bouchot **mussels** are still available but mussels of Irish and Dutch origin are prevailing. Spanish *galloprovincialis* mussels continue to be offered as a low price option.

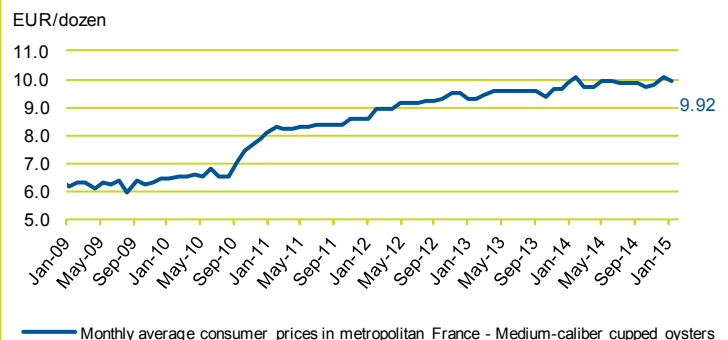
Mussel production in Chile is delayed again this year. Because of the strong US dollar, sales to the European market have fallen in order to obtain more competitive offers elsewhere.

The French National Institute of Statistics and Economic Studies (INSEE) reports that in January, following the **oyster** peak sale season at the end of the year which saw prices reach record highs, the average consumer price for medium-caliber cupped oyster has gone down slightly to EUR 9.92/dozen.

MUSSEL BOUCHOT - in France - Source Insee



OYSTER - in France - Source Insee



SALMON

Although the outlook for the European **salmon** market remains positive in the long term, early 2015 has introduced some uncertainties that have significantly decreased price forecasts in the first half of the year.

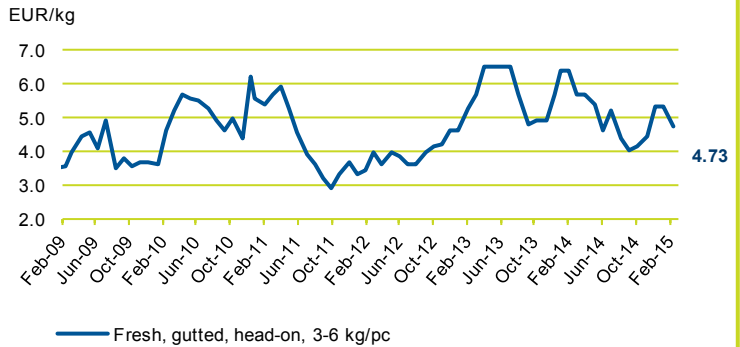
In early February, the expiry of the 6% temporary increase in the Maximum Allowable Biomass (MAB) in **Norway** next month, combined with bad weather conditions which previously delayed harvesting at Norwegian farms, has seen relatively higher volumes of fish hitting the market simultaneously, pushing prices down compared with the same period in 2014. In week 7, prices recovered somewhat and the NASDAQ salmon index puts the mid-February average price for fresh whole Atlantics at around NOK 43.5/kg. Compared with January 2014, lower export prices in January this year saw a 4% decrease in Norwegian export revenue despite stable volumes, as reported by the Norwegian Seafood Council (NSC). However, as the NSC points out, this still makes January 2015 the second best month ever in terms of total revenue, boosted by continued strong performance of Norwegian salmon on the core EU market and rapidly strengthening demand from the US. Strong demand from the USA is also a key factor behind the **UK**

industry's impressive annual export figures for 2014, up by some 11% in volume and 13% in value. France, China and Ireland are also importing significantly more Scottish salmon.

Substantially lower production growth this year is still expected to maintain prices at reasonably high levels, but various developments have dampened optimism somewhat, visibly reflected in large downward revisions of forward prices for Norwegian salmon for 2015.

The Russian ban remains a significant factor, while an uncertain economic outlook for the EU has seen the Krone strengthen against the Euro. The US market may provide an attractive alternative for European producers, but it should be kept in mind that Chile will also increasingly seek US buyers if the Brazilian economic situation deteriorates further.

SALMON - in France, origin: Norway

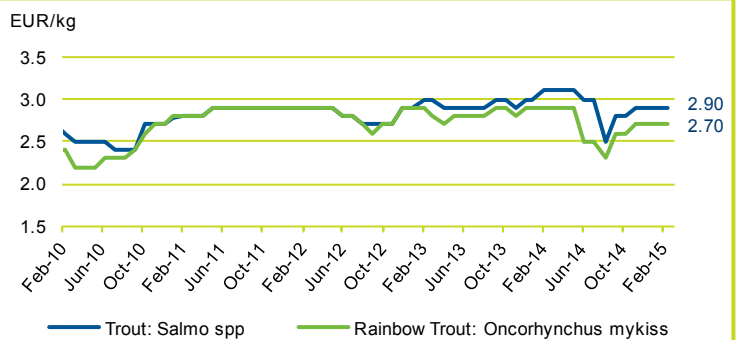


TROUT

The continuing absence of Russia from the market has seen January export volumes of **Norwegian trout** a long way down year-on-year. Prices are also down, by some 27% for fresh whole, meaning the total drop in revenues was almost 50%. The Asian market for frozen trout, led by Thailand, Japan and China, is providing some relief for Norwegian exporters although prices are down for frozen product also. For fresh trout, Poland and Belarus are increasing import volumes, but realistically the market is unlikely to recover fully until the Russian ban is lifted.

Trout prices in **Italy** continue to remain stable, while traded volumes are still below normal levels.

TROUT - Ex-farm prices in Italy



FRESHWATER FISH

Tilapia supply from China is very short this month and production has been affected by the Lunar New Year holiday period. Prices are expected to increase.

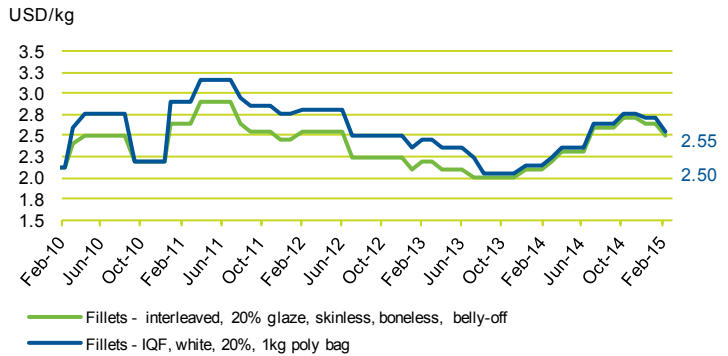
According to the Viet Nam Association of Seafood Exporters and Producers (VASEP), **pangasius** production in Viet Nam increased by 10.5% in January 2015 compared with January last year. Raw pangasius prices increased worldwide which encouraged farmers to expand their farming operations. Last year, pangasius exports began to recover from June and increased gradually up to the end of the year. However, although positive recovery was seen in

markets like ASEAN, Mexico and China, demand from the number one market, EU, remained rather sluggish. A slow upward trend in prices is reported this month.

Demand for fresh **Nile perch** is strong at the moment. As a consequence of low catches, availability of frozen fillets is very limited.

A slight increase in **carp** prices is reported in Hungary.

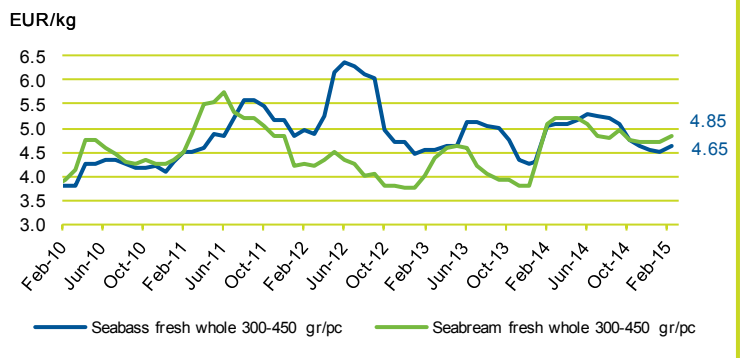
Pangasius - in Spain, origin: Viet Nam



SEABASS - SEABREAM - MEAGRE

January 2015 prices for Greek **bass** and **bream** on the Italian market were higher than January 2014, particularly for bream, while industry reports point to similarly high prices in other markets. This supports previous forecasts for good price levels at least over the next two years, as major producers Turkey, Greece and other European producers ease up on production. In Turkey's case, this comes after years of steady expansion, and Turkish exporters will now be hoping to take advantage of the positive price effects expected to result from tighter supply and continuing demand growth in emerging markets. In 2014, both Greek and Turkish fish were, on average, sold at higher prices than in 2013, although the 2014 export price for Greek seabass was in fact marginally lower. There was a distinct contrast between the two in terms of revenue, however, as a Greek industry still in recovery saw a drop in volumes while Turkey exported some 30% more of both species.

SEABASS/SEABREAM - in Italy origin: Greece



Despite the generally positive outlook for the bass and bream sector, there are some possible clouds on the horizon. The Russian ban has turned a profitable market into a very profitable market for Turkish exporters, but the deterioration of the Russian economy is having inevitable effects on consumer spending and exchange rates. In particular, the rapidly weakening Russian Ruble is making things difficult for importers. The EU has its own economic problems, but the impact on the market will likely be mixed. Reduced output from European producers will translate into higher prices in theory, but again, consumers in the core markets will also be more reluctant to spend money. As a result, the need to focus on new markets, product development and consolidation is greater than ever.



Fish Species Trade Name	Product Form	Grading	Price per kg		Reference & Area	Origin
			As stated	EUR USD		
GROUND FISH						February 2015
Cod/Cabillaud, Morue/ Bacalao <i>Gadus morhua</i>	Fresh gutted		1.42	1.62 -	Poland FOB	Baltic Sea
	IQF portion, single frozen	100-150 g/pc	5.95	6.80 =	Italy CIF	Iceland
	Fresh - fillet	100-200 g/pc 200-400	5.82	6.65 -	CPT	Denmark
			6.66	7.61 +		
	Fresh - Whole	1-2 kg/pc 2-4	5.28	6.03 +	Europe DDP	Norway
			5.64	6.44 +		
	Single frozen Industrial block		5.20	5.94 +		
	Fillet - light salted, skin-on, IQF 100% net weight	500-1000 g/pc	3.72	4.25 *	Spain CFR	China
Fillet - wet salted - 1st quality produced from fresh raw material	700-1000 g/pc	9.00	10.28 +	Italy DDP	Iceland	
Stockfish	700 g/pc	18.50	21.14 +		Norway	
Fillet - wet salted - 1st quality produced from frozen raw material	400-700 g/pc	7.40	8.46 +		Denmark	
Hake/Merlu/Merluza <i>Merluccius capensis</i>	Minced block		1.58	1.81 =	Namibia FOB for Spanish market	Namibia
	Fillet - skin-on Frozen at land 100% net weight	2-4 oz/pc	3.00	3.43 -	Spain DDP	
		4-6	3.50	4.00 -		
		6-8	3.75	4.29 -		
		8-12	4.15	4.74 -		
IQF portion, trapeze	90-110 g/pc	5.65	6.46 =	Italy CIF		
<i>Merluccius gayi</i>	IQF	100-200 g/pc	6.10	6.97	Europe DDP	South Africa
	H&G	100-200 g/pc	1.53	1.75 -	CFR	Peru
1.44			1.65 -	Ecuador		
<i>Merluccius productus</i>	Fillet, PBO		2.89	3.30 +	Spain CIF	USA
	Minced block		1.38	1.58 -		DDU
Hoki - Grenadier/ Grenadier/Merluza <i>Macruronus novaeseelandiae</i>	Fillet block 20% glaze	140-160 g/pc	3.54	4.05 *	Europe CFR	China
		180-200	3.54	4.05 *		New Zealand
	Block single frozen		3.10	3.54		
Alaska pollack/Lieu de l'Alaska/Colin de Alaska <i>Theragra chalcogramma</i>	Industrial block single frozen		2.60	2.97		USA
	Industrial block double frozen		2.48	2.83		China
	Fillet, IQF	2-4 oz				
Surimi (Alaska pollack)	Stick - Paprika	250 g/pc	2.49	2.85 +	France CFR	Spain
Saithe/Lieu noir/ Carbonero (Pollock, Coley) <i>Pollachius virens</i>	Fillet - interleaved	200-400 g/pc	na		Europe CIF	Faroe Islands
	Fillet - skinless, PBI, interleaved	16-35 oz	3.60	4.11 -	Spain DDP	Iceland
Monkfish/Baudroie/ Rape <i>Lophius spp.</i>	Fresh - Tail	0.3-0.5 kg/pc	8.25	9.43 -	Italy CPT	UK
		0.5-1	11.11	12.70 -		
		1-2	12.38	14.15 -		
		> 2	14.58	16.66 +		
	Fresh - whole	0.5-1 kg/pc	5.09	5.82 +	FCA	France
Tails, skinless Frozen at land 100% net weight	100-250 g/pc	5.75	6.57 =	Spain DDP	Namibia	
	250-500	6.75	7.71 =			
	500-1000	8.00	9.14 =			
	> 1000	8.75	10.00 =			
Haddock/Eglefin/Eglofino <i>Melanogrammus aeglefinus</i>	H&G	< 0.8 kg/pc	NOK 21.00	2.42 2.77 *	Sweden FCA	Norway
Ling/Lingue franche/ Maruca <i>Molva molva</i>	Fillet - wet salted Produced from fresh raw material high quality	1-1.5 kg/pc	4.90	5.60 =	Italy DDP	Faeroe Islands



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FLATFISH						February 2015
Turbot/Rodaballo <i>Psetta maxima</i>	Fresh - whole cultured	0.5-1 kg/pc	6.30	7.20 -	Spain CIF	Spain
		1-2	8.65	9.88 -		
		2-3	13.50	15.43 =		
		3-4	19.90	22.74 =		
	Fresh - whole wild	0.5-1 kg/pc	No quotations			Netherlands
		1-2				
		2-3				
		3-4				
	Fresh - whole	0.8-1 kg/pc	1.5-2	na		Italy CPT
1-1.5			na			
2-2.5			12.20	13.94 +		
0.5-1 kg/pc		0.7-1	8.71	9.95 +	Netherlands	
		1-2	8.56	9.78 -		
> 3	11.42	13.05 -	13.85	15.83 +		
Sole/Sole/ Lenguado <i>Solea vulgaris</i>	Fresh - whole wild	< 170 g/pc	No quotations		Spain CIF	
		160-220				
		210-300				
		400-500				
	Fresh - whole	No. 2	No quotations		Italy CIF	
		No. 3				
Fresh - gutted	No. 2	17.46	19.95 +	CPT		
	No. 3	14.10	16.11 +			
	No. 4	12.59	14.39 +			
	No. 5	12.13	13.86 +	FCA		
European plaice/ Plie d'Europe/ Solla europea <i>Pleuronectes platessa</i>	Fresh - whole	300-400 g/pc	No quotations		Spain CIF	
		400-600				
		> 600				
	IQF, white skin-on, 25% glaze	No. 2	4.10	4.68 +	Netherlands FOB for Italian market	
	IQF skin-off, 25% glaze		4.35	4.97 +		
European Flounder/ Flet d'Europe/ Platija europea <i>Platichthys flesus</i>	Fresh - whole		na	Italy CPT	Denmark	
			1.37			1.57
TUNAS/BILLFISHES						February 2015
Tuna/Thon/Atún <i>Thunnus spp.</i>	Skipjack - whole	main size	0.99	1.13 -	Bangkok CFR	Western/Central Pacific Ocean
			1.65	1.05 -		
			2.40	1.60 -		
	Skipjack - whole	main size	0.85	0.97 +	Seychelles	Indian Ocean
			1.70	1.94 -		
			0.90	1.03 +		
	Skipjack - whole	> 10 kg	1.70	1.94 -	Abidjan	Atlantic Ocean
			1.05	1.20 +		
			1.80	2.06 -		
	Skipjack - whole	1.8-3.4 kg/pc	1.05	1.20 +	Spanish	Various origins
			1.80	2.06 -		
			4.99	5.70 =		
	Skipjack - cooked & cleaned loins - vacuum packed	single cleaned	4.99	5.70 =	Italy DDP	Solomon Islands
6.74			7.70 =			
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Yellowfin - cooked & cleaned loins - vacuum packed	double cleaned	6.74	7.70 =	Kenya/Mauri- tius/Solomon Is.		
		6.74	7.70 =			



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TUNAS/BILLFISHES (Cont.)						February 2015	
Tuna/Thon/Atún <i>Thunnus spp.</i>	Yellowfin - whole	3-10 kg	1.40	1.60 -	Spain DAT	Atlantic Ocean	
	Bigeeye - whole	> 10 kg	1.55	1.77 -		DDP	Indian Ocean
	Yellowfin - whole		1.90	2.17 -	Eastern Pacific Ocean		
	Yellowfin - frozen loins		4.25	4.86 -	Europe CFR		Ecuador
	Bigeeye - frozen loins		4.20	4.80 *			
	Skipjack - pre-cooked loins		3.59	4.10 -	FOB		
	Yellowfin - pre-cooked loins	double cleaned	4.46	5.10 +			
		single cleaned	4.38	5.00 -			
Skipjack - whole	1.9-3.4 kg/pc	1.01	1.15 -	Spain FOT	Spain		
	3.5-5.0 kg/pc	1.09	1.25 -				
Swordfish/Espadon/ Pez espada <i>Xiphias gladius</i>	Frozen at sea, DWT 100% net weight	30-50 kg/pc	6.00	8.33 +			
		50-70	5.90	8.19 +			
SMALL PELAGICS						February 2015	
Mackerel/Maquereau/ Caballa <i>Scomber scombrus</i>	Fresh - whole		2.95	3.37 +	Italy CPT	France	
	Whole	200-400 g/pc	0.98	1.12	Netherlands/Poland FOB	UK	
		300-500	1.15	1.31		Greenl./Faroe. I	
	H&G	> 200 g/pc	1.25	1.43	for Eastern Europe	Tunisia	
Whole	1-3 pc/kg	0.92	1.05 -	Tunisia FOB for European market	Tunisia		
Herring/Hareng/Arenque <i>Clupeidae</i>	Fresh - fillet		2.47	2.82 +	Italy CPT	Denmark	
	Fresh - whole	70-100 g/pc	0.38	0.43 -	Poland FOB	Baltic	
0.17			0.19 +				
Sprat/Sprat/Espadín <i>Sprattus sprattus</i>			0.80	0.91 -	Italy CPT	Croatia	
Sardine/Sardine/Sardina <i>Sardina pilchardus</i>	Fresh - whole		1.88	2.15 +	Italy CPT	Italy	
			0.86	0.98 -		Tunisia FOB for European market	Tunisia
	IQF	9-10.5 cm	0.86	0.98 -	Tunisia FOB for European market	Tunisia	
CEPHALOPODS						February 2015	
Squid/Encornet/Calamar <i>Loligo spp.</i> <i>Dosidicus gigas</i>	Frozen - whole	S (< 18 cm)	5.50	6.28 -	Italy CIF	South Africa	
		M (18-25)	5.70	6.51 -			
		L (25-30)	5.80	6.63 -			
		XL (>30)	5.80	6.63 -			
	Fillet - clean, pack in block and bulk bag	A	1.01	1.15 -	Europe CFR	Peru	
			1.01	1.15 -		Chile	
		A	1.09	1.25 -		Peru	
			1.18	1.35 -		Chile	
Raw wings - skin-on, pack in block and bulk bag	A	0.70	0.80 -		Peru		
		0.74	0.85 -		Chile		
Octopus/Poulpe/Pulpo <i>Octopus vulgaris</i>	Whole	T1	9.50	10.86 =	Spain DDP	Morocco	
		T2	9.00	10.28 =			
		T3	8.50	9.71 =			
		T4	8.00	9.14 =			
		T5	7.50	8.57 =			
		T6	7.00	8.00 =			
		T7	6.50	7.43 =			
		T8	6.00	6.86 =			
		T9	5.50	6.28 =			



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CEPHALOPODS (cont.)						February 2015
Octopus/Poulpe/Pulpo <i>Octopus vulgaris</i>	Whole - FAS, no glaze	T1 T2 T3 T4 T5	No quotations		Morocco FOB for Spanish mkt	Morocco
	Sushi slice 100% net weight	7 g/pc 9	12.43	14.20 -		
	Flower type 90% net weight	1-2 g/pc > 2	3.76	4.30 + 4.29 4.90 +		
	Whole	T1-T3 T4-T6	5.00	5.71 = 4.70 5.37 =		
Cuttlefish/Seiche/ Sepia <i>Sepia spp.</i>	Choco	All sizes	3.50	4.00 =	Europe CFR	Indonesia
	Mungo	5-6-7-8	3.25	3.71 =		
	Whole, cleaned, IQF 25% glaze	< 1 1-2	3.59	4.10 * 3.50 4.00 *	Germany CFR	India
CRUSTACEANS						February 2015
Whiteleg shrimp/ Crevette pattes blanches/Camarón patiblanco <i>Penaeus vannamei</i>	PD, chemical treatment 100% net weight treated with non-phosphate	31-40 pc/lb	9.80	11.20 =	Europe CFR	Indonesia
		41-50	9.19	10.50 +		
		51-60	8.36	9.55 +		
		61-70	7.88	9.00 +		
		71-90	7.57	8.65 +		
	PD, STPP treated, 20% glaze	21-25 pc/lb	8.32	9.50 *	South/Central America FOB for European main ports	Viet Nam
		26-30	7.70	8.80 *		
		31-40	6.83	7.80 *		
	Head-on, shell-on	30-40 pc/kg	9.05	10.34 -	Spain EXW	Argentina
		40-50	8.35	9.54 +		
50-60		7.45	8.51 +			
60-70		7.10	8.11 =			
70-80		6.90	7.88 -			
Head-on, shell-on	80-100	6.40	7.31 =	Europe CFR	Bangladesh	
	100-120	6.00	6.86 =			
	30-40 pc/kg	8.53	8.70			
	40-50	7.03	7.70			
50-60	60-70	6.32	6.65			
	70-80	5.65	6.15			
	80-100	5.33	5.80			
				na		
Argentine red shrimp/ Salicoque rouge/ d'Argentine/Camarón langostín argentino <i>Pleoticus muelleri</i>	Head-on, shell-on	> 10-20 pc/kg	8.50	9.71 =		
		> 20-30	7.40	8.46 -		
		> 30-40	7.10	8.11 =		
		> 40-60	7.00	8.00 =		
Black tiger/Crevette tigrée/Camarón tigre <i>Penaeus monodon</i>	Headless 20% glaze, IQF	13-15 pc/kg	14.00	16.00 =		
		16-20	12.47	14.25 =		
		21-25	11.60	13.25 =		
		26-30	10.15	11.60 =		
		31-40	9.72	11.10 =		
		41-50	9.10	10.40 =		
		51-60	8.49	9.70 =		



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CRUSTACEANS (Cont.)						February 2015
Norway lobster/ Langoustine/Cigala	Fresh - Whole 4X1.5 kg		No quotations		Spain DDP	Netherlands
	Whole		No quotations		CIF	Scotland
	Whole		No quotations		DDP	Iceland
European lobster/ Homard européen/ Bogavante <i>Homarus gammarus</i>	Live - bulk	400-600 g/pc 600-800	27.00	30.85 -	France delivered to French vivier companies	Ireland
			27.00	30.85 -		
American lobster/ Homard américain/ Bogavante americano <i>Homarus americanus</i>	Frozen whole cooked popsicle (canners) (markets)	< 450 g/pc > 400 300 g/pc	out of season		Europe CIF	Canada
Edible crab/Tourteau/ Buey de mar <i>Cancer pagurus</i>	Live	T2 13-16 cm	2.99	3.42 *	France DDP Auction	Ireland
BIVALVES						February 2015
Oyster/Huître/Ostra <i>Crassostrea gigas</i>	Live	No. 3	5.00	6.77 =	France prod. price	Ireland/France
Mussel/Moule/Mejillón <i>Mytilus edulis</i>	Live - Bottom mussel		2.10	2.40 =	wholesale	France
			1.80	2.06 =		Netherlands
<i>Mytilus galloprovincialis</i>	Live - Rope	60-80 pc/kg	2.00	2.29 =	France wholesale	Spain
	Fresh	> 20-25 pc/kg	0.85	0.97	Spanish market EXW	Spain
		> 25-30	0.75	0.86		
		> 30-40	0.60	0.69		
		> 40-70	0.50	0.57		
<i>Mytilus chilensis</i>	IQF - shell-off, 7% glaze	200-300 pc/kg	4.60	5.26 +	Italy CIF	Chile
	Cooked mussel meat IQF	100-200 pc/kg	2.93	3.35 *	France CIF	
		200-300	2.84	3.25 *		
		300-500	2.76	3.15 *		
	Cooked mussel whole shell, IQF	80-100 pc/kg	2.10	2.40 *		
Scallop/Coquille Saint- Jacques/Vieira <i>Argopecten purpuratus</i>	meat, roe-on, IQF, 100% net weight, 10 kg bag	30-40 g/pc	No quotations		Peru FOB (for EU market)	Peru
Razor shell/Couteau/ Navajas - <i>Solenidae</i>	IQF	10-12 cm	No quotations		Spain CIF	Netherlands
SALMON						February 2015
Atlantic salmon/ Saumon de l'Atlantique/ Salmón del Atlántico <i>Salmo salar</i>	Fresh - gutted, head-on Superior quality	2-3 kg/pc	4.71	5.38 -	France CIF	Scotland
		3-4	5.88	6.72 -		
		4-5	5.75	6.57 -		
		5-6	5.64	6.44 -		
		> 6	5.04	5.76 -		
	Fresh - gutted, head-on Superior quality	2-3 kg/pc	4.13	4.72 -		Norway
		3-4	4.60	5.26 -		
		4-5	4.80	5.48 -		
		5-6	4.80	5.48 -		
		> 6	4.85	5.54 -		
	Fresh - Whole - Superior	2-3 kg/pc	4.62	5.28 *	Italy FCA	
		3-4	4.96	5.67 -		
4-5		5.00	5.71 +			
5-6		5.09	5.82 +			
6-7		5.16	5.90 +			
100-150 g/pc		10.10	11.54 =	CIF		



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TROUT							February 2015
Trout/Truite/Trucha <i>Salmo</i> spp.	Whole, gutted, fresh on ice	0.25-0.4 kg/pc	HUF 1402	4.58	5.23 =	Hungary ex-farm	Hungary
	Fillet - farmed	250-400 g/pc		7.10	8.11 =	Italy ex-farm	Italy
	Live - farmed	500-700 g/pc		2.90	3.31 =		
Rainbow trout/ Truite arc-en-ciel/ Trucha arco iris <i>Oncorhynchus mykiss</i>	Live - farmed	250-400 g/pc		2.70	3.09 =		
	Gutted			3.70	4.23 =		
FRESHWATER FISH							February 2015
Carp/Carpe/Carpa <i>Cyprinus</i> spp.	Live	1.2-5 kg/pc	HUF 701	2.29	2.62 +	Hungary EX-FARM	Hungary
	Fresh, whole, gutted, head-on	0.8-4.5 kg/pc	HUF 841	2.75	3.14 +		
	Fresh, whole, gutted, head-off	0.7-4.5 kg/pc	HUF 1051	3.43	3.92 +		
	Fresh on ice - slices		HUF 1248	4.08	4.66 +		
	Fresh on ice - fillets		HUF 1374	4.49	5.13 +		
Bighead carp/Carpe à grosse tête/Carpa capezona <i>Aristichthys nobilis</i>	Fresh gutted, head-off	0.7-5.0 kg/pc	HUF 694	2.27	2.59 =		
	Fresh on ice - slices		HUF 806	2.63	3.01 =		
	Fresh on ice - fillets		HUF 919	3.00	3.43 =		
Crucian Carp/ Carassin/Carpin <i>Carassius carassius</i>	Live	0.45-0.9 kg/pc	HUF 490	1.60	1.83 =		
Grass carp/ Carpe herbivore/ Carpa china <i>Ctenopharyngodon idellus</i>	Live	0.8-3 kg/pc	HUF 701	2.29	2.62 +		
	Fresh - whole, gutted, head-on	0.7-2.5 kg/pc	na				
	Fresh on ice - slices		na				
Wels/Silure glane/Siluro <i>Silurus glanis</i>	Whole	0.8-4 kg/pc	HUF 1542	5.04	5.76 =		
	Fresh - whole, gutted, head-on	0.6-2.2 kg/pc	na				
	Fresh head-off	0.4-2.0 kg/pc	na				
North African catfish/ Poisson-chat nord- africain/Pez-gato <i>Clarias gariepinus</i>	Fresh on ice - fillets, skinless		HUF 1612	5.27	6.02 +		
	Fresh on ice - fillets, skin-on		HUF 1542	5.04	5.76 +		
	Fillet - skinless	300-500 g/pc		5.69	6.50 *		
Nile perch/Perche du Nil/Perca del Nilo <i>Lates niloticus</i>	Interleaved, 100% net weight	500-1000		5.69	6.50 *	EU CFR	Uganda
	Fillet - skinless, PBI, IWP	500-1000 g/pc		5.47	6.25 -	Spain CFR	Tanzania
Nile Tialpia/Tilapia du Nil/Tilapia del Nilo <i>Oreochromis niloticus</i>	Fillet - skinless, IQF, PBO non-treated, 10% glaze	5-7 oz		4.51	5.15 -		China
Panga <i>Pangasius</i> spp.	Fillet - thawed			3.34	3.82	Italy CPT	Viet Nam
	Fillet, IQF, white - 20% glaze	120-170-220		1.87	2.14 -	Spain CFR	
	Fillet, 100% net weight, IQF	g/pc		2.23	2.55 -		
	Fillet, 100% net weight, interlvd			2.19	2.50 -		
NON-TRADITIONAL SPECIES							February 2015
Sturgeon/Esturgeon/ Esturione <i>Acipenseridae</i> <i>A.baeri</i>	Frozen - Whole	1.5-2 kg/pc		5.00	5.71	France CIF	France
	Gutted	5-7 kg/pc		6.50	7.43		
	Fillets	200-300 g/pc		10.50	12.00		
	Caviar (Aquitaine) metal boxes			1 300	1 485		



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SEABASS/SEABREAM/MEAGRE						February 2015	
Seabass/Bar, Loup/Lubina <i>Dicentrarchus labrax</i>	Fresh - whole farmed	200-300 g/pc	3.75	4.29 =	Greece FOB	Greece	
		300-450	4.45	5.08 +			
		400-600	4.80	5.48 +			
		600-800	6.45	7.37 =			
		800-1000	7.75	8.86 =			
		> 1000	8.75	10.00 =			
		200-300 g/pc	3.95	4.51 =			Italy CIF
		300-450	4.65	5.31 +			
		450-600	5.00	5.71 +			
		600-800	6.65	7.60 =			
		800-1000	7.95	9.08 =			
		> 1000	8.95	10.23 =			
		200-300 g/pc	4.00	4.57 =	France CIF		
		300-450	4.70	5.37 +			
		450-600	5.05	5.77 +			
		600-800	6.70	7.66 =			
		800-1000	8.00	9.14 =			
		> 1000	9.00	10.28 =			
		200-300 g/pc	3.99	4.56 =	Spain CIF		
		300-450	4.69	5.36 +			
		450-600	5.04	5.76 +			
		600-800	6.69	7.64 =			
		800-1000	7.99	9.13 =			
		> 1000	8.99	10.27 =			
		200-300 g/pc	4.02	4.59 =	Germany CIF		
		300-450	4.72	5.39 +			
		450-600	5.07	5.79 +			
		600-800	6.72	7.68 =			
800-1000	8.02	9.16 =					
> 1000	9.02	10.31 =					
200-300 g/pc	4.00	4.57 =	Portugal CIF				
300-450	4.70	5.37 +					
450-600	5.05	5.77 +					
600-800	6.70	7.66 =					
800-1000	8.00	9.14 =					
> 1000	9.00	10.28 =					
200-300 g/pc	4.18	4.78 =	UK CIF				
300-450	4.88	5.58 +					
450-600	5.23	5.98 +					
600-800	6.88	7.86 =					
800-1000	8.18	9.35 =					
> 1000	9.18	10.49 =					
200-300 g/pc	4.20	4.80 +	Italy CIF				
300-450	4.90	5.60 +					
450-600	5.30	6.06 +					
600-800	7.00	8.00 +					
800-1000	10.00	11.43 +					
1000-1500	11.50	13.14 +					
> 1500	12.50	14.28 +					
> 2000	15.00	17.14 =					



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SEABASS/SEABREAM/MEAGRE (Cont.)						February 2015
Seabass/Bar, Loup/Lubina <i>Dicentrarchus labrax</i>	Fresh - whole farmed	200-300 g/pc	No quotations		Greece EXW for Eastern Europe	Greece
		300-400				
		400-600 600-800 800-1000 > 1000				
	Fresh - whole farmed	< 200 g/pc	3.00	3.43 *	Spain CIF	Canary Island (Spain)
		200-300	3.90	4.46 *		
		300-400	4.30	4.91 *		
		400-600	5.20	5.94 *		
		600-800	6.91	7.90 *		
	Fresh - whole - wild Mediterranean	600-800	10.00	11.43 +	Italy CPT	Egypt
		800-1000	10.00	11.43 =		
		1000-2000	10.85	12.40 -		
		> 2000	10.50	12.00 -		
Gilthead seabream/ Dorade royale/Dorada <i>Sparus aurata</i>	Fresh - whole farmed	200-300 g/pc	4.20	4.80 +	Greece FOB	Greece
		300-450	4.65	5.31 +		
		450-600	4.80	5.48 +		
		600-800	5.80	6.63 =		
		800-1000	6.85	7.83 =		
		> 1000	8.15	9.31 =		
		200-300 g/pc	4.40	5.03 +	Italy CIF	
		300-450	4.85	5.54 +		
		450-600	5.00	5.71 +		
		600-800	6.00	6.86 =		
		800-1000	7.05	8.06 =		
		> 1000	8.35	9.54 =		
		200-300 g/pc	4.45	5.08 +	France CIF	
		300-450	4.90	5.60 +		
		450-600	5.05	5.77 +		
		600-800	6.05	6.91 =		
		800-1000	7.10	8.11 =		
		> 1000	8.40	9.60 =		
		200-300 g/pc	4.44	5.07 +	Spain CIF	
300-450	4.89	5.59 +				
450-600	5.04	5.76 +				
600-800	6.04	6.90 =				
800-1000	7.09	8.10 =				
> 1000	8.39	9.59 =				
200-300 g/pc	4.47	5.11 +	Germany CIF			
300-450	4.92	5.62 +				
450-600	5.07	5.79 +				
600-800	6.07	6.94 =				
800-1000	7.12	8.14 =				
> 1000	8.42	9.62 =				



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Gilthead seabream/ Dorade royale/Dorada <i>Sparus aurata</i>	Fresh - whole farmed	200-300 g/pc	4.45	5.08 +	Portugal CIF	Greece
		300-450	4.90	5.60 +		
		450-600	5.05	5.77 +		
		600-800	6.05	6.91 =		
		800-1000	7.10	8.11 =		
		> 1000	8.40	9.60 =		
		200-300 g/pc	4.63	5.29 +	UK CIF	
		300-450	5.08	5.80 +		
		450-600	5.23	5.98 +		
		600-800	6.23	7.12 =		
Fresh - whole - wild Atlantic	800-1000 g/pc	1000-2000	15.25	17.43 +	Italy FCA	Morocco
		1000-2000	15.63	17.86 +		
		> 2000	13.74	15.70 +		
Fresh - whole farmed	600-800 g/pc	800-1000	11.00	12.57 +	CPT	Egypt
		800-1000	11.00	12.57 +		
		1000-2000	11.50	13.14 +		
Meagre/Maigre commun/Corvina <i>Argyrosomus regius</i>	Fresh - Whole - wild farmed	800-1000 g/pc	7.00	8.00 =		
		1000-2000	7.00	8.00 =		
		2000-4000	7.00	8.00 =		
		3000-5000	7.00	8.00 +		
		800-1000 g/pc	na		FCA	Greece
		1000-2000	5.00	5.71 +		
> 2000 g/pc	7.50	8.57 +	CIF			

PRICE REFERENCE (INCOTERMS 2010)

CFR	Cost and Freight
CIF	Cost, Insurance and Freight
CIP	Carriage and Insurance Paid To
CPT	Carriage Paid To
DAT	Delivered at Terminal
DAP	Delivered at Place
DDP	Delivered Duty Paid
EXW	Ex Works
FCA	Free Carrier
FAS	Free Alongside Ship
FOB	Free on Board

(DAF, DES, DEQ and DDU have been cancelled)

PRODUCT FORM

C&P	Cooked and Peeled
FAS	Frozen at Sea
H&G	Headed and Gutted
HOG	Head on Gutted (salmon)
IQF	Individually Quick Frozen
IWP	Individually Wrapped Pack
PBI	Pinbone In
PBO	Pinbone Off
PD	Peeled and Deveined
PTO	Peeled Tail On
PUD	Peeled, Undeveined

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