



SUMMARY OF THE NUMBER OF PAID FISHING LICENSE HOLDERS,  
LICENSE SALES AND THE COST TO FISHERMEN  
FISCAL YEAR 1961

State	Paid Fishing License Holders <sup>1/</sup>	Resident Fishing Licenses, Tags, Permits & Stamps Issued	Non-Resident Fishing Licenses, Tags, Permits & Stamps Issued	Total Fishing Licenses, Tags, Permits & Stamps Issued <sup>2/</sup>	Gross Cost to Fishermen
Alabama	406,665	477,920	26,289	504,209	\$ 834,375
Alaska	55,371	49,048	16,390	65,438	365,689
Arizona	209,065	265,943	37,690	303,633	824,090
Arkansas	390,646	250,427	140,219	390,646	1,001,723
California	1,475,277	3,140,520	326,469	3,466,989	6,218,457
Colorado	391,163	273,346	121,524	394,870	1,424,782
Connecticut	109,227	105,877	3,350	109,227	419,574
Delaware	12,238	11,730	1,144	12,874	21,984
Florida	551,254	392,644	186,864	579,508	1,177,960
Georgia	496,946	493,055	3,907	496,962	658,257
Hawaii	3,014	3,006	8	3,014	6,706
Idaho	243,750	163,326	81,472	244,798	992,915
Illinois	712,945	693,511	20,331	713,842	1,438,268
Indiana	709,134	678,999	34,853	713,852	958,501
Iowa	408,695	395,405	13,620	409,025	806,837
Kansas	303,562	295,263	9,059	304,322	626,106
Kentucky	328,263	313,756	18,076	331,832	1,073,901
Louisiana	138,957	134,231	19,617	153,848	205,022
Maine	219,843	146,019	76,596	222,615	742,493
Maryland	91,572	78,899	12,836	91,735	280,614
Massachusetts	195,487	191,289	4,873	196,162	762,216
Michigan	952,852	1,074,615	234,100	1,308,715	2,797,418
Minnesota	1,355,512	1,175,691	305,584	1,481,275	2,286,246
Mississippi	276,646	205,607	76,223	281,830	528,343
Missouri	656,546	557,289	99,257	656,546	2,186,265
Montana	234,657	184,808	45,622	230,430	452,928
Nebraska	206,669	191,370	16,184	207,554	438,658
Nevada	66,484	51,394	24,314	75,708	269,187
New Hampshire	120,058	73,766	46,431	120,197	345,093
New Jersey	145,059	219,790	10,623	230,413	721,130
New Mexico	136,580	93,662	45,597	139,259	528,383
New York	735,357	688,539	46,818	735,357	2,396,243
North Carolina	334,036	437,721	46,389	484,110	889,585
North Dakota	73,894	51,685	4,463	56,148	129,219
Ohio	790,235	770,786	19,834	790,620	1,621,482
Oklahoma	462,896	375,524	90,566	466,090	1,040,621
Oregon	426,233	603,690	19,870	623,560	1,532,316
Pennsylvania	597,716	573,628	24,088	597,716	1,998,660
Rhode Island	15,823	22,272	486	22,758	53,323
South Carolina	259,009	270,726	24,441	295,167	570,148
South Dakota	145,780	104,678	44,879	149,557	285,459
Tennessee	656,417	689,737	185,784	875,521	1,129,336
Texas	872,236	872,236 <sup>3/</sup>	0 <sup>3/</sup>	872,236	1,875,308
Utah	203,121	203,157	16,434	219,591	620,613
Vermont	108,701	73,518	36,378	109,896	241,706
Virginia	320,665	467,163	29,940	497,103	853,325
Washington	380,585	363,413	17,241	380,654	1,644,201
West Virginia	152,600	235,812	11,504	247,316	539,591
Wisconsin	1,079,819	708,111	371,708	1,079,819	3,257,233
Wyoming	174,917	92,380	99,602	191,982	778,734
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>19,394,177</b>	<b>19,986,982</b>	<b>3,149,547</b>	<b>23,136,529</b>	<b>\$52,851,274</b>

<sup>1/</sup> A paid license holder is one individual regardless of the number of licenses purchased.  
Data certified by State fish and game departments.

<sup>2/</sup> Period covered not identical to period covered by certification for all States.

<sup>3/</sup> Same license issued to both residents and non-residents.

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