

Lobster/Crab Bait Provided for 2025

Part 1

License Holder Information

I sold bait in 2025

I did NOT sell bait in 2025 (do not fill out Part 2 or 3)

Check all that apply:

- I sold bait that I caught myself (Fill out Part 2)
- I sold bait that I purchased from another dealer or harvester (Fill out Part 3)

Preferred contact method:

Email

Phone

Name _____

Email _____

Phone _____

License _____

Number _____

Company _____

Part 2

Bait Information from Primary Bait Dealers

Directions: Check off what bait you have caught and sold in 2025. Utilize the map below to help you identify what region the bait is from.

- The Gulf of Maine is in FAO Zone 21. FAO Zone 21 also contains eastern Canada and eastern US states north of Tennessee
- The zones closest to Maine are FAO Zones 27 (Europe) and 31 (southeastern US). These two are the most common places outside of FAO 21 where dealers have reported catching bait.
- Bait from any FAO zones outside of 21, 27, & 31, should be reported based on the nearest country. Fill out the table at the bottom of *Part 2*.
- If you purchased the bait from another dealer and then sold that bait, fill out *Part 3*.

Key: Fresh = F

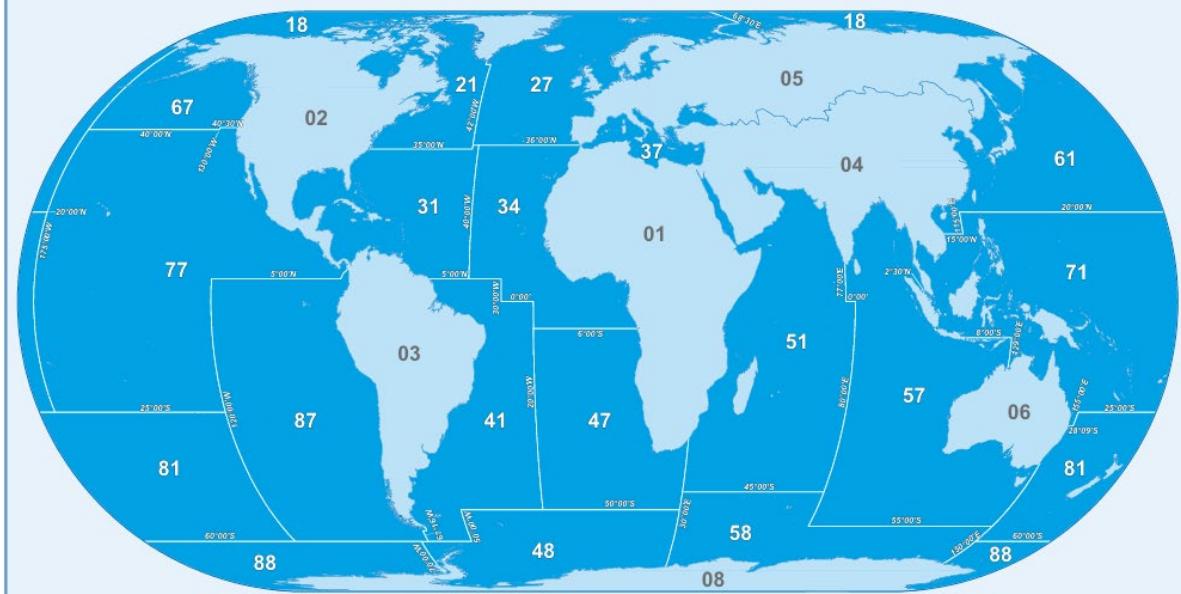
Frozen = I

Salted = S



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FAO Major Fishing Areas for Statistical Purposes



FAO Zone 21: Gulf of Maine

Seasonal/Pelagic Fish

Menhaden	F	I	S	Herring	F	I	S
Alewives	F	I	S	Tuna	F	I	S
Shad	F	I	S				

Groundfish

Redfish	F	I	S	Skate	F	I	S
Monkfish	F	I	S	Rockfish	F	I	S
Haddock	F	I	S	Turbot	F	I	S
Halibut	F	I	S	Cod	F	I	S
Flounder	F	I	S	Pollock	F	I	S

Other

FAO Zone 31: US Atlantic South of TN

Seasonal/Pelagic Fish

Menhaden	F	I	S	Herring	F	I	S
Alewives	F	I	S	Tuna	F	I	S
Shad	F	I	S				

Groundfish

Redfish	F	I	S	Skate	F	I	S
Monkfish	F	I	S	Rockfish	F	I	S
Haddock	F	I	S	Turbot	F	I	S
Halibut	F	I	S	Cod	F	I	S
Flounder	F	I	S	Pollock	F	I	S

Other

FAO Zone 21: Canada & Atlantic Ocean from cape cod to TN

Seasonal/Pelagic Fish

Menhaden	F	I	S	Herring	F	I	S
Alewives	F	I	S	Tuna	F	I	S
Shad	F	I	S				

Groundfish

Redfish	F	I	S	Skate	F	I	S
Monkfish	F	I	S	Rockfish	F	I	S
Haddock	F	I	S	Turbot	F	I	S
Halibut	F	I	S	Cod	F	I	S
Flounder	F	I	S	Pollock	F	I	S

Other

FAO Zone 27: Eastern Atlantic, Europe

Seasonal/Pelagic Fish

Menhaden	F	I	S	Herring	F	I	S
Alewives	F	I	S	Tuna	F	I	S
Shad	F	I	S				

Groundfish

Redfish	F	I	S	Skate	F	I	S
Monkfish	F	I	S	Rockfish	F	I	S
Haddock	F	I	S	Turbot	F	I	S
Halibut	F	I	S	Cod	F	I	S
Flounder	F	I	S	Pollock	F	I	S

Other

Animal Hide

Pig Hide F I S Beef Hide F I S

Other

Freshwater Source

Below are the approved freshwater bait species. If you used a species that was caught in Maine, please list it in the species column next to "Maine other species."

Origin	Species	Fresh	Frozen	Salted
Maine	Carp	F	I	S
Kentucky	Carp	F	I	S
Alabama	Channel Catfish	F	I	S
Mississippi	Channel Catfish	F	I	S
Alabama	Hybrid Catfish	F	I	S
Mississippi	Hybrid Catfish	F	I	S
Canada	Pickerel	F	I	S
Canada	Suckerfish	F	I	S
Maine other species		F	I	S
		F	I	S
		F	I	S
		F	I	S

Bait from all other FAO Zones:

List the country that the bait came from. Include the species and check off all applicable preservation methods. If you do not know where the bait came from because you purchased from another bait company, please skip this table and fill out part 3.

Part 3

Bait Information from Secondary Bait Dealers

Directions: If you purchased bait from another company to sell, fill out the tables below.

Bait purchased from another company:

List the company(s) you purchased bait from. Include the species and how the bait was preserved.

Marine Species

Freshwater Species

Alternative Bait Products

Company	Species	Fresh	Frozen	Salted
		F	I	S
		F	I	S
		F	I	S
		F	I	S
		F	I	S