

# CATFISH PROCESSING REPORT – May 2014

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This survey is being conducted to obtain data on catfish processing. These reports are requested from all processors of farm-raised catfish having a production capacity of at least 2,000 pounds, live weight, per 8-hour shift. Cooperation is very important in order to accurately estimate catfish processed in the United States. Please fax this report by the twelfth of the month. You may fax your completed report to 1-866-570-8830.

## 1. Please answer the following questions for this operation

- a. Reporting period used for this report if other than a calendar month:

Beginning date: 

MM	DD	YY
810		
___ / ___ / ___		

Ending date: 

MM	DD	YY
820		
___ / ___ / ___		

b. Total round weight processed during the month. .... 

<b>Pounds</b>
110

**Dollars & Cents  
per pound**

120	. ____	____
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c. Average price per pound paid to producers for live fish delivered to plant.....  
 [Please report the price paid to producers for fish delivered to the processing plant door. When fish are purchased "pond bank" and services such as seining and/or hauling are provided, add those charges to the "pond bank" price to arrive at an appropriate plant door price.]

**SEE REVERSE FOR SALES TABLE**

**For the Month of May 2014**

**2. Sales of catfish from this operation and end of month inventory.**  
 (Exclude dressed catfish purchased from other plants.) 1/

Fresh Item	Pounds Sold	Average Dollars per pound	Inventory End of Month (lbs.)
a. Round and gutted only	201	211 . ____	221
b. Whole dressed fish <u>2/</u>	202	212 . ____	222
c. Steaks	203	213 . ____	223
d. Fillets <u>3/</u>	204	214 . ____	224
e. Nuggets <u>4/</u>	205	215 . ____	225
f. Other <u>5/</u>	206	216 . ____	226
g. Total Fresh (Sum of a, b, c, d, e & f)	207		227
Frozen Item	Pounds Sold	Average Dollars per pound	Inventory End of Month (lbs.)
h. Whole dressed fish <u>2/</u>	302	312 . ____	322
i. Steaks	303	313 . ____	323
j. Fillets <u>3/</u>	304	314 . ____	324
k. Nuggets <u>4/</u>	305	315 . ____	325
l. Other <u>5/</u>	306	316 . ____	326
m. Total frozen (Sum of h, i, j, k, & l)	307		327
Fresh and Frozen Totals			Inventory End of Month (lbs.)
Total fresh & frozen (Sum of g & m)		400	410

1/ Gross value f.o.b. plant.

2/ Dressed weight (head, viscera, and skin removed).

3/ Include regular, shank and strip fillets; exclude breaded products.

4/ Include weight of breading and added ingredients.

5/ Include all products not already reported (Value added products).

**Comments:** \_\_\_\_\_

**THANK YOU FOR YOUR COOPERATION.**

<b>Survey Results:</b> To receive the complete results of this survey on the release date, go to <a href="http://www.nass.usda.gov/results/">www.nass.usda.gov/results/</a>		
Would you rather have a brief summary sent to you at a later date?	<input type="checkbox"/> <u>1</u> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> <u>3</u> No	99

Name: _____				9911 Phone: ( _____ ) _____				9910 MM DD YYYY Date: _____					
Response		Respondent		Mode		Enum.	Eval.	Chance	Office Use for POID				
1-Comp	9901	1-Op/Mgr	9902	1-Mail	9903	098	100	785	921	789			
2-R		2-Sp		2-Tel						-			
3-Inac		3-Acct/Bkpr		3-Face-to-Face						-			
4-Office Hold		4-Partner		4-CATI						-			
5-R – Est		9-Oth		5-Web						-			
6-Inac – Est				6-e-mail						-			
7-Off Hold – Est				7-Fax						-			
8-Known Zero				8-CAPI						-			
						<b>Optional Use</b>							
						407	408	9906	9916				
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