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Catches of Baltic Salmon in 1976

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Nominal catches in metric tons of salmon in the Baltic Sea. Sea trout to a certain extent included.

	Baltic Main					Gulf of Bothnia		Gulf of Finland	1
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Annual mean 1961-1965	1460	278	₅₆ +)	44	312	236 ⁺⁾	185	100 ⁺⁾	2671
1966-1970	1585	172	146	12	337	167	118	120	2657
1971-1975	1129	89	195	14	344	213	185	141	2310
1976	1410	58	253	7	332	342	251	92	2745

+) annual mean of 1963, 1964 and 1965.

Besides the catches in the Baltic Sea, Baltic Salmon is exploited in the rivers and river mouths of USSR, in 1976 amounting to 219 tons and in Swedish rivers at an order of magnitude of 50 - loo tons.

Catch per unit effort in the Danish offshore fishery of Baltic salmon.

Seasons	Number of S per loo nets	almon caught per looo hooks
1961/62 - 1965/66	7.3	17.8
1966/67 - 1970/71	7.4	16.9
1971/72 - 1975/76	8.7	24.1
1975/76	7.8	22.1