

Pérou, hausse spectaculaire des débarquements de poissons en 2013

In December 2013, 1.145.000 tonnes of fish was landed in Peruvian ports, which represented a 219.8 per cent increase over the same month in 2012, when landings had totaled 358.000 tonnes.

According to the latest *Statistical Bulletin* issued by the Ministry of Production (Produce), in the last month of 2013 fish landings amounted to 1,051,000 tonnes for the fish oil and fishmeal industries, representing 271.6 per cent more than in December of 2012 (282.800 tonnes).

When evaluating the 12 months of 2013, it was observed that total landings rose by 21.7 per cent over those in the previous year, changing from 4.8 million tonnes in 2012 to 5.9 million tonnes.

In 2013, 4.6 million tonnes of fish were used for indirect consumption, compared to 3.6 million tonnes in 2012, that is to say, 27.1 per cent more.

In December, 94.000 tonnes of fish was landed, compared to 75.200 tonnes in the same month of 2012, for direct human consumption.

During 2013, a total of 1.215.800 tonnes of resources was used for direct consumption, 4.4 per cent more than the previous year (1.164.900 tonnes).

Last December 42.400 tonnes were landed for the preparation of frozen products while in the same month of 2012 a total of 37.000 tonnes had been landed.

Between January and December 2013, the accumulated landings for this industry totalled 630.300 tonnes, representing 6.3 per cent less than in the same period in 2012, when 672.900 tonnes had been unloaded.

On the other hand, the fishery resources used by the canning industry in December 2013 amounted to 9.600 tonnes, compared with 9.800 tonnes in the same month last year.

Between January and December 2013, a rise was noted amounting to 6.5 per cent in the case of the resources used by the canning industry: 133.500 tonnes compared to 125.400 tonnes in the same period in 2012.

Finally, last year 401.600 tonnes of resources were landed to be consumed as fresh fish, 21.8 per cent more than in 2012 (329.600 tonnes).

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