

# Commercial Fishing Revenue

## Annual Commercial Fishing Revenue Exposed in the Lease Area and along the Revolution Wind Export Cable by Fishery Management Plan (FMP) Fishery and by Gear

FMP Fishery	Peak Annual Revenue (\$1,000s)	Average Annual Revenue (\$1,000s)	Average Annual Revenue at Risk as a Percentage of Total Revenue in the Mid-Atlantic and New England Regions	Average Annual Revenue at Risk as a Percentage of Total Revenue in the RFA
American Lobster	\$507.7	\$283.8	0.30%	3.64%
Atlantic Herring	\$273.5	\$102.9	0.40%	3.44%
Bluefish	\$17.2	\$8.7	0.68%	1.50%
Highly Migratory Species	\$6.9	\$2.2	0.10%	1.00%
Jonah Crab	\$40.7	\$23.2	0.24%	0.39%
Mackerel, Squid, and Butterfish	\$324.4	\$145.3	0.28%	0.94%
Monkfish	\$210.0	\$109.9	0.53%	1.46%
Northeast Multispecies (large-mesh)	\$117.0	\$52.6	0.07%	2.20%
Northeast Multispecies (small-mesh)	\$193.3	\$74.3	0.66%	2.63%
Sea Scallop	\$409.9	\$157.1	0.03%	0.32%
Skates	\$175.9	\$110.7	1.49%	3.09%
Spiny Dogfish	\$35.7	\$15.7	0.53%	6.45%
Summer Flounder, Scup, Black Sea Bass	\$133.5	\$84.3	0.21%	0.77%
Other FMPs, Non-Disclosed Species, and Non-FMP Fisheries	\$574.6	\$248.0	0.26%	0.73%
All FMP and Non-FMP Fisheries	\$1,707.8	\$1,418.8	0.15%	0.99%

Source: Developed using data from NMFS (2021, 2022).

Notes: Revenue is adjusted for inflation to 2019 dollars. Peak annual revenue is calculated independently for all rows including the total row.

Other FMPs, non-disclosed species, and non-FMP fisheries includes revenue from three FMP fisheries: Surfclam/ Ocean Quahog, Red Crab, and River Herring. In addition, it includes revenue from species in FMP fisheries for which data could not be disclosed due to confidentiality restrictions, and revenue earned by federally permitted vessels operating in fisheries that are not federally managed.

Gear Type	Peak Annual Revenue (\$1,000s)	Average Annual Revenue (\$1,000s)	Average Annual Revenue at Risk as a Percentage of Total Revenue in the Mid-Atlantic and New England Regions	Average Annual Revenue at Risk as a Percentage of Total Revenue in the RFA
<i>Dredge-clam</i>	\$399.9	\$121.1	0.20%	0.58%
Dredge-scallop	\$417.6	\$157.7	0.03%	0.33%
Gillnet-sink	\$291.6	\$197.4	0.66%	2.05%
Handline	\$15.7	\$3.7	0.08%	0.27%
Pot-other	\$531.2	\$345.3	0.30%	2.15%
Trawl-bottom	\$658.9	\$492.1	0.26%	1.14%
<i>Trawl-midwater</i>	\$191.8	\$98.1	0.52%	4.18%
All other gear*	\$288.3	\$70.1	0.15%	2.63%
All gear types	\$1,707.8	\$1,485.6	0.16%	1.03%

Source: Developed using data from NMFS (2021, 2022).

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Gear types shown in *italics* indicate that fewer than 12 years but more than 4 years of data were used to calculate the estimates. Otherwise, estimates are based on 12 years of data.

\* Includes revenue from federally permitted vessels using longline gear, seine gear, other gillnet gear, and unspecified gear, as well as listed gear for years when they were not disclosed.

Based on commercial fishing revenue data averaged over the 2008–2019 period, the largest impacts in terms of exposed revenue as a percentage of total revenue in the New England and Mid-Atlantic regions or as a percentage of total revenue in the Regional Fisheries Area (RFA) would be in the American Lobster, Sea Scallop, and Mackerel, Squid, and Butterfish FMP fisheries. Mid-water trawl, “all other,” and pot gear would be the gear types most affected in terms of exposed revenue as a percentage of total revenue in the RFA.

## Annual Commercial Fishing Revenue Exposed in the Lease Area and along the Revolution Wind Export Cable (RWEC) by Port

Port and State	Peak Annual Revenue (\$1,000s)	Average Annual Revenue (\$1,000s)	Average Annual Revenue at Risk as a Percentage of Total Revenue in the Mid-Atlantic and New England Regions	Average Annual Revenue at Risk as a Percentage of Total Revenue in the RFA
Point Judith, RI	\$746.5	\$574.2	1.25%	2.08%
New Bedford, MA	\$596.2	\$369.4	0.10%	0.76%
Little Compton, RI	\$219.9	\$143.2	7.19%	7.38%
Westport, MA	\$121.0	\$67.1	5.14%	5.74%
Newport, RI	\$194.1	\$109.0	1.22%	3.78%
Chilmark/Menemsha, MA	\$29.1	\$17.1	3.62%	4.06%
<i>Fairhaven, MA</i>	\$29.8	\$15.5	0.14%	1.07%
Montauk, NY	\$42.8	\$18.8	0.10%	0.16%
<i>Fall River, MA</i>	\$18.2	\$9.2	0.81%	2.07%
<i>Tiverton, RI</i>	\$17.7	\$7.2	0.63%	1.11%
<i>Other Ports, MA</i>	\$16.9	\$8.2	0.01%	0.17%
<i>Point Pleasant, NJ</i>	\$16.8	\$4.8	0.02%	0.06%
<i>Newport News, VA</i>	\$16.2	\$4.1	0.01%	0.24%
<i>Beaufort, NC</i>	\$5.4	\$2.6	0.10%	0.31%
<i>Hampton, VA</i>	\$8.2	\$3.9	0.03%	0.25%
Other New England/Mid-Atlantic ports*	\$150.0	\$85.1	0.03%	0.28%
All New England/Mid-Atlantic Ports	\$1,707.8	\$1,439.4	0.15%	1.00%

Source: Developed using data from NMFS (2021, 2022).

Notes: Revenue is adjusted for inflation to 2019 dollars. Peak annual revenue is calculated independently for all rows including the total row.

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\* Includes unlisted ports that had landings and data from non-disclosed years from listed ports harvested by federally permitted vessels fishing along the RWEC or in the Lease Area.

The largest impacts in terms of exposed revenue as a percentage of total commercial fishing revenue in the RFA would be in the ports of Little Compton (7.4%) and Westport (5.7%). The communities in which these ports are located have a low to medium presence of commercial fishing activities.

