

**Catch data for the Galway Bay
Salmon Drift Net Fishery**

Galway Salmon Drift Net Fishery Catch Data (per. Denis McLaughlin, Marine Institute)

Year	Quantity	Tonnage
1970	1,662	4.642
1971	3,231	9.904
1972	3,624	12.685
1973	6,434	23.689
1974	6,870	23.708
1975	28,074	100.691
1976	16,373	51.281
1977	11,375	35.263
1978	9,659	30.501
1979	15,918	51.986
1980	11,755	36.311
1981	7,465	25.395
1982	2,462	8.040
1983	14,484	55.844
1984	3,772	19.248
1985	4,134	13.126
1986	2,485	7.838
1987	3,530	11.210
1988	1,826	5.797
1989	2,550	7.650
1990	1,855	5.936
1991	651	1.953
1992	1,145	3.435
1993	537	1.343
1994	2,914	7.285
1995	2,926	8.635
1996	945	2.835
1997	3,037	9.111
1998	4,511	11.277
1999	8,080	24.240
2000	2,961	8.883
2001	5,685	16.089
2002	5,254	14.186
2003	4,494	12.134