

Supplementary Information

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References

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<https://www.cascobayestuary.org/publication/the-economic-contribution-of-casco-bay/>

Further Reading

Maine Department of Marine Resources. Undated. Historical Maine Fisheries Landings Data.
<https://www.maine.gov/dmr/commercial-fishing/landings/historical-data.html>

Source for recent and historic statistics on Maine fisheries landings, by weight and value.

Center for the Blue Economy. Undated.

<https://www.middlebury.edu/institute/academics/centers-initiatives/center-blue-economy>

Website of a national research center studying the coastal economy.

National Ocean Economics Program. Undated. <https://oceanomics.org/>

Website that provides detailed information on coastal and ocean economy, including information on natural resources, the coastal market economy, and non-market economic values.

dba. 2019. Survey of Cruise Visitors to Maine Behavior, Attitudes, and Spending of Passengers and Crew, August 2019. Report prepared by dba. Available at: <https://motpartners.com/wp-content/uploads/2019/08/Survey-of-Cruise-Visitors-to-Maine-Behavior-Attitudes-and-Spending-of-Passengers-and-Crew-August-2019.pdf>

Methods and Data Sources

Bay-Related Jobs and Gross Regional Product Data was obtained from The Economic Contribution of Casco Bay Report (Cited above).

Long-term and Limited Purpose Aquaculture Lease (LPA) Data was obtained from the Maine Department of Marine Resources Open Data portal, 2020:
<https://dmr-maine.opendata.arcgis.com/search?tags=aquaculture>.

Cruise Ship ridership data was derived from data downloaded from the City of Portland website at <https://www.portlandmaine.gov/2012/Waterfront>. Data was published in PDF format and copied to Excel spreadsheets for analysis. (Data is apparently no longer made available from this web site.)

Casco Bay Ferry ridership data was obtained from Casco Bay Lines via personal email from Gary Cressey (Operations Agent). January 15, 2020.

Recreational Fishing Licenses by Town (2018) courtesy of Bill Swan, Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, Feb 24, 2020.