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2023 Census of Fisheries Inland Water Fisheries Survey Questionnaire for Inland Water Fishery Community As of November 1, 2023

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Prefecture (Development and Promotion Bureau)	Municipality			Water system			Sub water system		Object No.

Municipality name	Water system name	Sub water system name

About This Survey

- ◆ This is a very important survey that you **must respond** to.
- ◆ This survey covers **all persons engaged in fisheries** in Japan.
- ◆ The results of the survey will be used when considering various subsidies and fisheries policies.

Answering Questionnaire

- ◆ Before filling it in, please carefully read the “How to Fill in the Questionnaire for Inland Water Fishery Community.”
- ◆ In this questionnaire, there are some questions to be filled out for the following.
 - **As of November 1, 2023**
 - During the past year (**one year from November 1, 2022 to October 31, 2023**)
- ◆ **You can answer the questionnaire using a PC, smartphone, or tablet.**

About This Questionnaire

- ◆ The questions are divided into I and II. **Please fill in the questions in I. for the cooperative, and the questions in II. for the river/lake (sub water system).**

How to Fill in the Questionnaire

- ◆ **Use a pencil or mechanical pencil with black lead.** If you make a mistake, use an eraser to erase the incorrect answer completely.
- ◆ The numbers must be **aligned to the right**, with only one digit in each box. Be careful not to have the digit go out of the box.
- ◆ If there are not enough boxes, enter the remaining digits together in the leftmost box.
- ◆ For mark-up fields, fill in a thick line as the entry example given below.

Entry example									
1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	0

Entry example			
Good	✓	Bad	○/—

I. Fishery cooperative

Please fill in this question for each fishery cooperative.
If multiple questionnaires are distributed, please summarize and fill in only one of them.

1. Enter **the number of regular/associate members** of the fishery cooperative as of November 1.

		10,000	1,000	100	10	1	
Regular members	101						Persons
Associate members	102						Persons

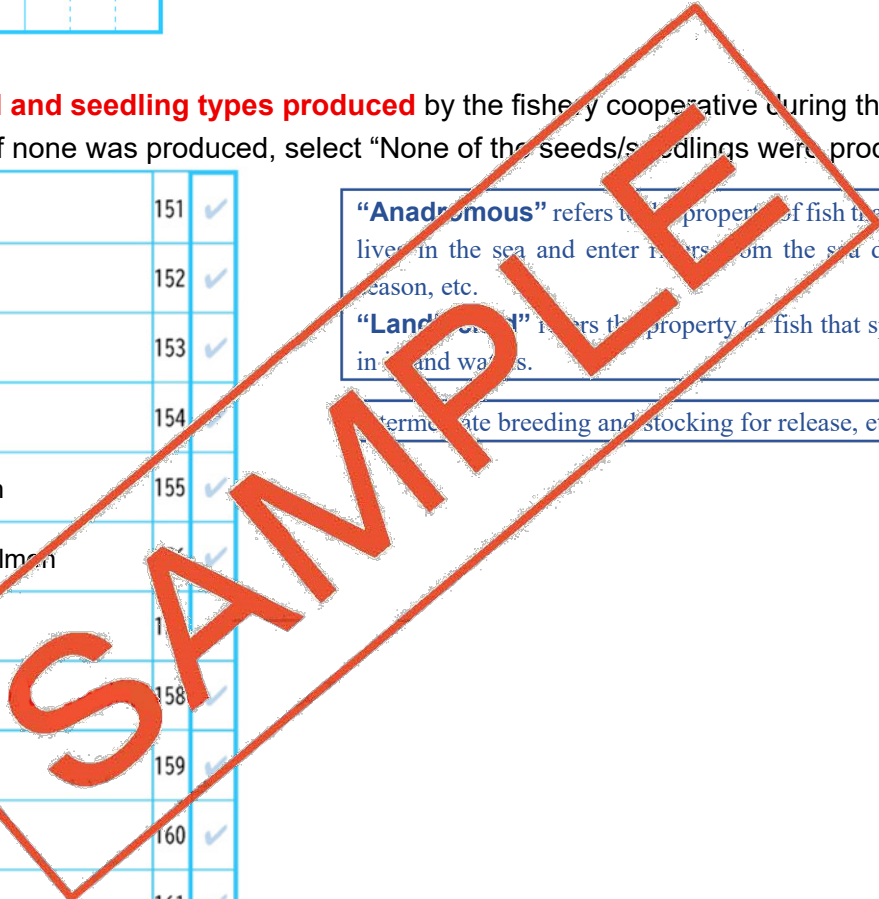
2. Regarding **seed and seedling types produced** by the fishery cooperative during the past year, select **all that apply**. If none was produced, select "None of the seeds/seedlings were produced."

Salmons/trouts	Anadromous	Chum salmon	151	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		Cherry salmon	152	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		Others	153	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Landlocked		Rainbow trout	154	<input type="checkbox"/>
			Amago salmon	155	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			Landlocked salmon	156	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
			Char	157	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Others		Others	158	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
		Sweetfish	159	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		Common carp	160	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
		Crucian carp	161	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	
	Others	162	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>		
None of the seeds/seedlings were produced			163	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	

"Anadromous" refers to the property of fish that spend most of their lives in the sea and enter rivers from the sea during the spawning season, etc.

"Landlocked" refers to the property of fish that spend their entire life in land waters.

Intermediate breeding and stocking for release, etc. are excluded.



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3. Enter **the number of certificates of approval for recreational fishing issued** by the fishery cooperative during the past year **by fish type covered**.

If a certificate of approval for recreational fishing covers multiple fish types, enter the same number for each fish type. For recreational fishing tickets for the period of no handling, you do not need to enter any.

Certificate of approval for recreational fishing		This year					Previous survey (2018)							
		10,000	1,000	100	10	1	10,000	1,000	100	10	1			
Trouts	Full year	171												Certificates
	Fishing season	172												Certificates
	1 day	173												Certificates
Sweetfish	Full year	174												Certificates
	Fishing season	175												Certificates
	1 day	176												Certificates
Common carps/crucian carps	Full year	177												Certificates
	Fishing season	178												Certificates
	1 day	179												Certificates
Pond smelt	Full year	180												Certificates
	Fishing season	181												Certificates
	1 day	182												Certificates
Others	Full year	183												Certificates
	Fishing season	184												Certificates
	1 day	185												Certificates

“Recreational fishing” refers to an act of catching fishes or other aquatic animals/plants in inland waters for recreational purposes.

“Certificate of approval for recreational fishing” refers to a certificate of approval to be issued to recreational fishers by a cooperative as the right holder of common fishery rights with recreational fishing regulation set from the view point of public characteristics of fishery rights in inland waters.

For **“certificate of approval for recreational fishing (Full year)”**, include those that were issued as annual tickets even for the period of less than one year.

“Certificate of approval for recreational fishing (Fishing season)” refers to a certificate of approval for recreational fishing that is valid for only one fishing season when a year is divided into several fishing seasons.

Enter the number including electric recreational fishing tickets.

For example, if “100 certificates of approval for recreational fishing covering sweetfish and landlocked salmon were issued,” enter 100 for both the sweetfish field and the landlocked salmon field.

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4. Regarding **enlightenment/promotion activities for recreational fishers** conducted by the fishery cooperative during the past year (from November 1, 2022 to October 31, 2023), select **all that apply**.

If none was conducted, select “None of the activities were conducted.”

Creation of posters and pamphlets	191	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Holding seminars	192	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
Other enlightenment/promotion activities	193	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
None of the activities were conducted	194	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

“Enlightenment/promotion activities for recreational fishers” refers to activities conducted to enlighten and promote “protection of fishery resources in rivers/lakes,” “fishing manners,” and “extermination and handling of non-native fish species,” etc. to recreational fishers.

“Other enlightenment/promotion activities” include “holding fishing classes” and “call for essays, slogans, and paintings.”

5. Revitalization activities

(1) Regarding **exchange activities with other areas** conducted by the fishery cooperative during the past year, enter **the number of participants in each of the following activities**.

Do not include the number of persons who conducted the activity in the number of participants.

	Number of participants																	
	Fishery experience						Fishery food promotion activity						Other exchange activities					
	201						202						203					
	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1
This year																		
Previous survey (2018)																		

Persons Persons Persons

If fishery experience activities and fishery food promotion activities were conducted in an integrated manner, enter the same number of participants in each field.

(2) Enter **the number of facilities of fisherman's markets** operated by the fishery cooperative, and **the number of users (visitors)** of those facilities during the past year.

	Number of fisherman's market facilities		Yearly number of users					
	211		211					
	10	1	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1
This year								
Previous survey (2018)								

Facilities Persons Persons

“Fisherman's markets” refer to facilities to sell local fresh fishes and seafoods, processed fishery products, etc. directly to consumers on a regular basis. Unmanned facilities, mobile sales by automobiles, etc., and Internet sales are not included.

6. Regarding **the sales amount (including consumption tax) of overseas shipment (export)** made by the fishery cooperative during the past year, **select one that applies**.

In the case of “100 million yen or more,” also enter the actual amount.

Overseas shipment (export) made	Overseas shipment (export) made										
	Less than 100,000 yen	100,000 yen or less than 300,000 yen	300,000 yen or less than 500,000 yen	500,000 yen or less than 1 million yen	1 to less than 3 million yen	3 to less than 5 million yen	5 to less than 10 million yen	10 to less than 20 million yen	20 to less than 50 million yen	50 to less than 100 million yen	100 million yen or more
Sales amount	221	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

100 billion 10 billion 1 billion 100 million

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Enter the amount rounded to the nearest 100 million yen.

“Overseas shipment (export)” covers the following cases.
 [1] Case where fishery products were shipped (exported) directly to overseas wholesalers, restaurants, retailers such as supermarkets, or consumers, etc.
 [2] Case where fishery products were shipped to fishery cooperatives, trading companies, or wholesalers, etc. for the purpose of overseas shipment (export) (including cases where the shipped products were not intended for export but were confirmed to have been exported at the shipping destinations) If processed fishery products were shipped (exported), count the sales amount (including consumption tax).
 However, do not include cases where only intermediary services are provided, such as witnessing the transaction between a fisherman and a trading company and collecting a commission only.

II. Managed river/lake (sub water system)

Please fill in the questions here for the sub water system mentioned on the cover page. If multiple questionnaires are distributed, please fill in each questionnaire for "II. Managed river/lake (sub water system)."

1. Regarding **river/lake-related facilities established within the jurisdictional area** of the fishery cooperative as of November 1, select **all that apply**.

If no facility was established, select "None of the facilities were established."

River/lake-related facilities	Dam	111	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Of them, with fish passage (included)	112	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Fish reef/fish nest block	113	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Spawning ground	114	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
None of the facilities were established		115	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

"Dam" refers to a partition prepared in the middle of the river or at the inlet/outlet of the lake to hold back and/or adjust water flow.

"Fish reef/fish nest block" refers to a fieldstone and block put in or established artificially in the river or lake to provide a habitat for aquatic animals and plants.

"Spawning ground" refers to a section prepared as a place for aquatic animals to lay eggs by setting no-fishing areas, protecting/breeding aquatic plants, developing riverbeds, setting floating spawning reefs and removing sediments, etc.

2. Regarding **fishing ground improvement activities** conducted by the fishery cooperative during the past year, select **all that apply**.

If no facility was established, select "None of the facilities were established."

Fishing ground improvement activities	Production/release of seeds and seedlings	121	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Intermediate breeding	122	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Management of protected water surface	123	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Development/management spawning grounds	124	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Management of fish passages	125	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Development of fish-breeding forests	126	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	Tree planting other than the development of fish-breeding forests	127	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
	River/lake cleaning	128	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
None of the activities were conducted		129	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>

"Production/release of seeds and seedlings" refers to artificially collecting and hatching of eggs and seedlings, or releasing target organisms into areas suitable for the growth of aquatic organisms in order to restore or increase resources.

"Intermediate breeding" refers to intermediately breeding artificially harvested fry of fishes and shellfishes, etc. in preserves or tanks on land, etc. to a size suitable for aquaculture, release, or other purposes.

"Management of protected water surface" refers to managing water surfaces suitable for spawning of aquatic animals, breeding of fry, or generation of eggs/seeds and seedlings of aquatic animals and plants by prohibiting harvesting and exterminating non-native species for the purpose of protection and cultivation.

"Development/management of spawning grounds" refers to creating or managing spawning grounds to help aquatic animals spawn and increase their spawning volume or facilities that are convenient for spawning.

"Fish-breeding forests" refer to maritime forests developed for the purpose of securing habitats and breeding of fish through the effects of making and reflecting forest shadows on water, nutrient supply for fishes, and prevention of water pollution, etc. Protected fish-breeding forests, however, are excluded.

"Tree planting" refers to planting and taking care of trees in the mountain for the purpose of breeding fishery products, etc. through the stable supply of water with rich nutrients from forests, water-retaining function, and supply of good-quality soil, etc.

"River/lake cleaning" refers to activities to clean rivers and lakes conducted collectively mainly by inland water fishery cooperatives from the viewpoint of environmental preservation.

3. Enter **the quantity/volume of those released** by the fishery cooperative during the past year.

For the community in which (1) salmon/trouts and (2) other fishes are managed based on weight, answer by **converting into the number of fishes**.

(1) Salmon/trouts

Fishes released		This year									Previous survey (2018)										
		100 million	10 million	1 million	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1	100 million	10 million	1 million	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1		
Anadromous	Chum salmon 131							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Cherry salmon 132							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Others 133							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
Landlocked	Rainbow trout 134							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Amago salmon 135							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Landlocked salmon 136							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Char 137							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
Others 138							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes	

(2) Other fishes

Fishes released		This year									Previous survey (2018)										
		100 million	10 million	1 million	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1	100 million	10 million	1 million	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1		
	Sweetfish 139							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Common carp 140							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Crucian carp 141							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Eel 142							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes
	Others 143							0	0	0	Fishes										Fishes

(3) Others (eggs/shellfishes)

Eggs/shellfishes released		This year									Previous survey (2018)										
		100 million	10 million	1 million	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1	100 million	10 million	1 million	100,000	10,000	1,000	100	10	1		
	Smelt eggs 144							0	0	0	0	Eggs									Eggs
	Other eggs 145							0	0	0	0	Eggs									Eggs
	Shellfishes 146	kg									kg										

End of survey. Thank you for your cooperation.