

(Provisional translation)

Iwate Prefectural Government

Results of the inspection on radioactive materials in fishery products

(4<sup>th</sup> week of September)

30 September, 2011

1. Iwate Prefectural Government conducted an inspection on radioactivity materials in fisheries products as follows, in order to provide safe fisheries products to consumers.
2. The results of the inspection were as follows. Radioactivity was below the provisional regulation values set by the Government of Japan in all the samples. Safety of these products was confirmed.

- Results of inspection for samples taken by the Iwate Fisheries Technology Center

Item	Sampling site	Sampling agent	Sampling date	Measurement date	Measurement result (unit: Becquerel/kg)	
					Radioactive iodine	Radioactive cesium
Southern mackerel ( <i>Scomber australasicus</i> )	Offshore Kamaishi City	Iwate Prefectural Government	14-Sep	30-Sep	Not detectable	8.44
Slime flounder ( <i>Microstomus achne</i> )	Offshore Kamaishi City	Iwate Prefectural Government	28-Sep	30-Sep	Not detectable	Not detectable
[Reference] Provisional Regulation Value for fish					2,000	500

Measurement facility: Research Institute for Environmental Sciences and Public Health of Iwate Prefecture

- Results of inspection conducted under the Fisheries Agency's "Project for Inspection on Radioactive Materials in Fishery Products"

Item	Sampling site	Sampling agent	Sampling date	Measurement date	Measurement result (unit: Becquerel/kg)	
					Radioactive iodine	Radioactive cesium
Chum salmon ( <i>Oncorhynchus keta</i> )	Offshore Kuji City	Kuji Fish Market	27-Sep	29-Sep	Not detectable	Not detectable
Southern mackerel ( <i>Scomber australasicus</i> )	Offshore Miyako City	Miyako Fish Market	26-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	7.0
	Offshore Ofunato City	Ofunato Fish Market	26-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	11.6

Japanese amberjack ( <i>Seriola quinqueraduata</i> )	Offshore Miyako City	Miyako Fish Market	26-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	105
	Offshore Kamaishi City	Kamaishi Fish Market	27-Sep	29-Sep	Not detectable	13.9
	Offshore Ofunato City	Ofunato Fish Market	26-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	15.6
Spanish mackerel ( <i>Scomberomous nipponius</i> )	Offshore Kamaishi City	Kamaishi Fish Market	27-Sep	29-Sep	Not detectable	3.1
Pacific cod ( <i>Gadus macrocephalus</i> )	Offshore Hirono Town	Miyako Fish Market	26-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	82
Olive flounder ( <i>Paralichthys olivaceus</i> )	Offshore Kuji City	Kuji Fish Market	27-Sep	29-Sep	Not detectable	4.7
Japanese flying squid ( <i>Todarodes pacificus</i> )	Offshore Kuji City	Iwate Trawlers Association	27-Sep	29-Sep	Not detectable	Not detectable
Japanese flying squid ( <i>Todarodes pacificus</i> ) liver	Offshore Kuji City	Iwate Trawlers Association	27-Sep	29-Sep	Not detectable	Not detectable
[Reference] Provisional Regulation Value for fish					2,000	500

Measurement facility: Japan Chemical Analysis Center

(Reference) Result of inspection for fish samples taken in other prefectures and landed at fish markets in Iwate Prefecture

Item	Sampling site	Sampling agent	Sampling date	Measurement date	Measurement result (unit: Becquerel/kg)	
					Radioactive iodine	Radioactive cesium
Pacific saury ( <i>Cololabis saira</i> ) Whole body	Offshore Hokkaido	Miyako Fish Market	24-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	Not detectable
		Ofunato Fish Market	23-Sep	28-Sep	Not detectable	Not detectable
[Reference] Provisional Regulation Value for fish					2,000	500

Agent who requested the fish markets to take samples: National Saury Fishery Association

Measurement facility: Japan Chemical Analysis Center