

(Provisional translation)

Results of monitoring inspection of squid

Japan Squid Fisheries Association

The Japan Squid Fisheries Association has implemented radioactivity inspections of fisheries products in accordance with the instruction by the Fisheries Agency of Japan. The inspection results are as follows.

13 October, 2011

Fish species	Catching date	Catching site	Landing date	Landing port	Release date	Inspection result (unit: Becquerel/kg)			Analysis facility
						Radioactive iodine131	Radioactive Cesium134	Radioactive Cesium137	
Neon Flying Squid, (<i>Ommastrephes bartramii</i>)	8 July, 2011	N42.23 E177.33	21 July,2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port	28 July,2011	Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Muscle	18 August, 2011	N42.03 E142.46	1 September, 2011	Hakodate Fishing Port	6 September, 2011	Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Liver	18 August, 2011	N42.03 E142.46	1 September, 2011	Hakodate Fishing Port	6 September, 2011	Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Muscle	15 September 2011	N40.46 E141.57	20 September, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port	22 September, 2011	Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	Marine Ecology Research Institute

Neon Flying Squid, (<i>Ommastrephes bartramii</i>) Muscle	8 September, 2011	N40.35 E142.05	5 October, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port	12 October, 2011	Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	Marine Ecology Research Institute
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Muscle	8 September, 2011	N40.33 E141.48	8 September, 2011	Hakodate Fishing Port	13 October, 2011	Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	Marine Ecology Research Institute

It is confirmed that both radioactive iodine and radioactive cesium are either not detectable or below the Provisional Regulation Value.

Provisional Regulation Value for fish established by the Ministry of Health, Labour and Welfare

- Radioactive iodine: 2,000 Becquerel/kg
- Radioactive cesium: 500 Becquerel/kg

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Fish species	Catching date	Catching site	Landing date	Landing port	Release date	Inspection result (unit: Becquerel/kg)			Analysis facility (upper) Client of analysis (lower)
						Radioactive iodine131	Radioactive Cesium134	Radioactive Cesium137	
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>)	24 July, 2011	N40.33 E141.57 30Km Offshore Hachinohe	25 July, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port		Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Association

Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Muscle	7 August, 2011	N40.49 E141.45 30Km Offshore Misawa	8 August, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port		Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Association
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Liver	7 August, 2011	N40.49 E141.45 30Km Offshore Misawa	8 August, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port		Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Association
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Muscle	17 August, 2011	N40.49 E141.45 Offshore Misawa	18 August, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port		Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Association
Japanese flying squid (<i>Todarodes pacificus</i>) Liver	17 August, 2011	N40.49 E141.45 Offshore Misawa	18 August, 2011	Hachinohe Fishing Port		Not detectable	Not detectable	Not detectable	National Research Institute of Fisheries Science, Fisheries Research Agency, Japan Federation of North Pacific District Purse Seine Fisheries Co-operative Association