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Preliminary Results of the Fishery Production Survey in 2025

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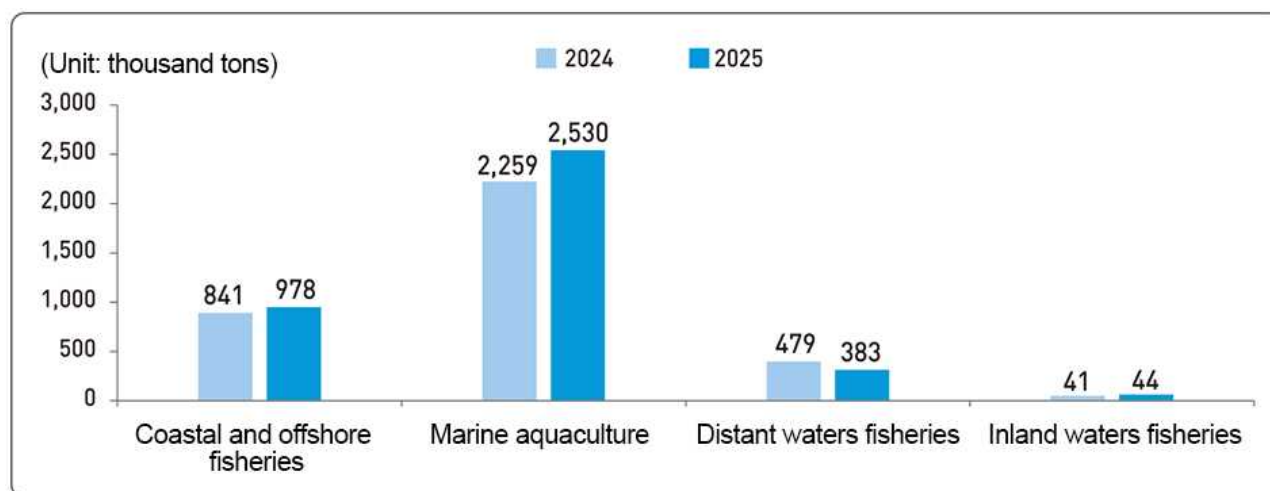
1. Overview

□ The fishery production marked 3.935 million tons in 2025, which increased by 316 thousand tons (8.7%) from 3.619 million tons in 2024.

< Fishery production by fishery type >

(Unit: thousand tons, %)

Classification	2024		2025		Change (B-A)	Percent change (B/A)
	(A)	Share	(B)	Share		
Total	3,619	100.0	3,935	100.0	316	8.7
Coastal and offshore fisheries	841	23.2	978	24.8	137	16.3
Marine aquaculture	2,259	62.4	2,530	64.3	272	12.0
Distant waters fisheries	479	13.2	383	9.7	-97	-20.2
Inland waters fisheries	41	1.1	44	1.1	4	9.3

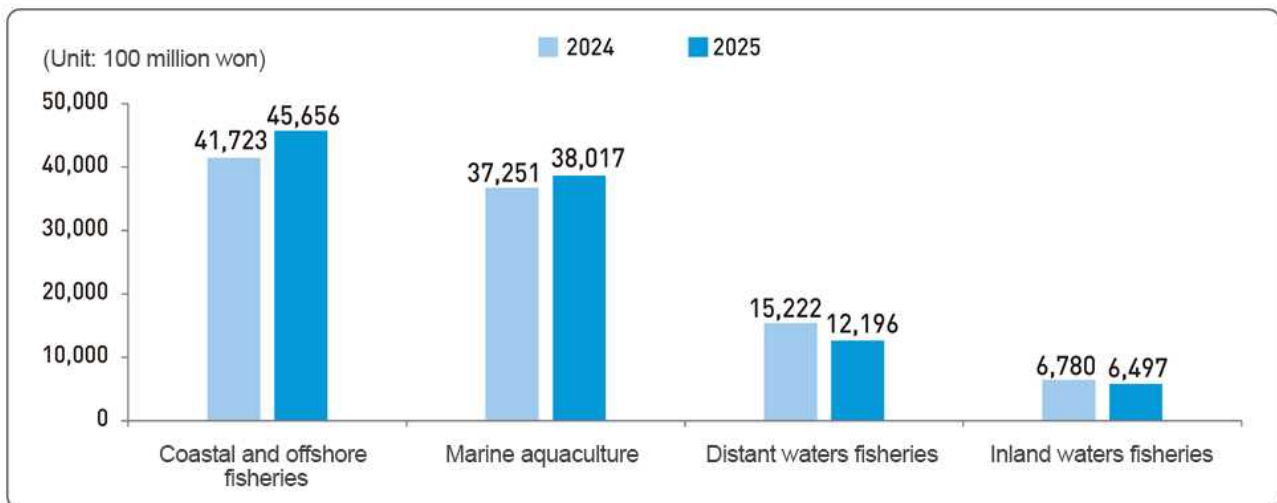


□ The fishery production value recorded 10.2366 trillion won in 2025, which rose by 138.9 billion won (1.4%) from 10.0976 trillion won in 2024.

< Fishery production value by fishery type >

(Unit: 100 million won, %)

Classification	2024		2025		Change (B-A)	Percent change (B/A)
	(A)	Share	(B)	Share		
Total	100,976	100.0	102,366	100.0	1,389	1.4
Coastal and offshore fisheries	41,723	41.3	45,656	44.6	3,933	9.4
Marine aquaculture	37,251	36.9	38,017	37.1	766	2.1
Distant waters fisheries	15,222	15.1	12,196	11.9	-3,026	-19.9
Inland waters fisheries	6,780	6.7	6,497	6.3	-283	-4.2



2. Fishery production by fishery type

☐ The fishery production of 'Coastal and offshore fisheries' recorded 978 thousand tons in 2025, which grew by 137 thousand tons (16.3%) from 841 thousand tons in 2024.

☐ The fishery production of 'Marine aquaculture' recorded 2.53 million tons in 2025, which rose by 272 thousand tons (12.0%) from 2.259 million tons in 2024.

☐ The fishery production of 'Distant waters fisheries' recorded 383 thousand tons in 2025, which fell by 97 thousand tons (-20.2%) from 479 thousand tons in 2024.

☐ The fishery production of 'Inland waters fisheries' recorded 44 thousand tons in 2025, which went up by 4 thousand tons (9.3%) from 41 thousand tons in 2024.

3. Fishery production by province

☐ The domestic fishery production (excluding 'Distant waters fisheries') marked 3.552 million tons in 2025, which increased by 412 thousand tons (13.1%) from 3.14 million tons in 2024.

○ As for the share of domestic fishery production by province, Jeonnam recorded the highest figure of 59.9% (2.128 million tons), which was followed by Gyeongnam (13.4%), Busan (9.0%), Chungnam (5.7%), Gyeongbuk (2.9%), Jeonbuk (2.4%) and Jeju (2.3%).

- As for the year-on-year percent change in fishery production, Chungnam (53.5%), Gangwon (34.4%), Busan (28.5%) and Jeonbuk (25.1%) showed a year-on-year increase. Whereas, Gyeongnam (-6.3%) and Gyeongbuk (-5.8%) showed a year-on-year decrease.

< Fishery production by province >

(Unit: thousand tons, %)

Classification	Increase								Decrease	
	Chung nam	Gang won	Busan	Jeonbuk	Jeon nam	Jeju	Incheon	Gyeong gi	Gyeong nam	Gyeong buk
2024(A)	133	47	250	68	1,868	74	34	34	509	109
2025(B)	204	63	321	85	2,128	81	37	37	476	102
Percent change (B/A)	53.5	34.4	28.5	25.1	14.0	10.1	8.9	6.9	-6.3	-5.8



※ Others: Ulsan, Chungbuk, Sejong, Daegu, Daejeon and Gwangju

(Unit: ton, million won, %)

By year		2020	2021	2022	2023	2024	2025 ^(p)	Percent change (2025/2024)
By fishery type	Production	3,712,873	3,832,171	3,610,461	3,690,591	3,619,275	3,934,971	8.7
	Production value	8,832,971	9,281,652	9,249,381	9,436,955	10,097,623	10,236,552	1.4
Coastal and offshore fisheries	Production	933,880	942,875	888,694	951,722	840,635	977,648	16.3
	Production value	4,371,757	4,150,427	4,043,007	4,365,081	4,172,294	4,565,560	9.4
Marine aquaculture	Production	2,308,407	2,401,120	2,273,631	2,285,319	2,258,623	2,530,277	12.0
	Production value	2,895,227	3,255,896	3,386,618	3,183,798	3,725,064	3,801,688	2.1
Distant waters fisheries	Production	436,617	445,505	399,359	410,673	479,398	382,660	-20.2
	Production value	1,121,155	1,354,730	1,125,694	1,204,028	1,522,230	1,219,581	-19.9
Inland waters fisheries	Production	33,968	42,672	48,777	42,877	40,619	44,386	9.3
	Production value	444,832	520,599	694,062	684,048	678,035	649,723	-4.2