

**INSTRUCTIONS ON HOW TO ACCOMPLISH  
THE QUARTERLY MUNICIPAL FISHERIES SURVEY FORM 1  
(TRADITIONAL LANDING CENTERS)**

The Quarterly Municipal Fisheries Survey Form 1 (QMFS Form 1) is used in gathering information on the quarterly volume and value of fish unloaded at traditional fish landing centers by species.

**Quarter Survey** - Write the quarter period when the monitoring is conducted.

**Region, Province, Landing Center** - Write the name of the region, province and landing center on the spaces provided.

**Respondent Name** - Write the name of the respondent following the Family Name, First Name format.

**Type of Respondent** - Write the type of respondent. The different types of respondent may either be Fisherman, Boat Owner/Operator, Trader/Broker, Landing Center Caretaker. **Specify** the type of respondent if other than those mentioned.

**Stratum** - Encircle code as to the classification of the landing center.

Code 1 – Stratum 1 for top producing landing center.

Code 2 – Stratum 2 for major producing landing center.

Code 3 – Stratum 3 for minor producing landing center.

Column	SPECIES
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Enumerated in column 1 are the English names of species with the corresponding local names. Identify the species unloaded in the particular fish landing center. Indicate on the space provided other species not mentioned in the list.

Columns 2 – 5	ACTUAL VOLUME OF FISH UNLOADINGS AT THE FISH LANDING CENTER (MT)
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Columns 2 – 4 – Months within the reference quarter

Indicate the months within the reference quarter. Ask the volume of fish unloaded by species and by month. Enter answer in metric ton.

Column 5 – Total

Sum up the volume of fish unloaded by species and by month and write in the

space provided. Answer must be in metric ton.

Columns 6 – 9	<b>PRICE PER KILOGRAM (Peso)</b>
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Columns 6 – 8 – Months within the reference quarter

Write down the months within the reference quarter. Ask for the price per kilogram of the fish unloaded by species and by month. Enter answer in peso.

Column 9 – Average

Determine the average price per kilogram by species.

**Reasons for Change/Remarks**

Write down relevant observations noted in the landing center. Give reasons for the increase or decrease in volume of unloading.

**Prepared by :** – Printed name and signature of the POC staff.

Date prepared

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Date reviewed

# **MANUAL OF INSTRUCTIONS**

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