



WORLDWIDE ABALONE PRODUCTION STATISTICS

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**WITH UPDATES FROM MAJOR ABALONE PRODUCING
COUNTRIES**

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FARM PRODUCTION BY COUNTRIES (to be filled in during updates)

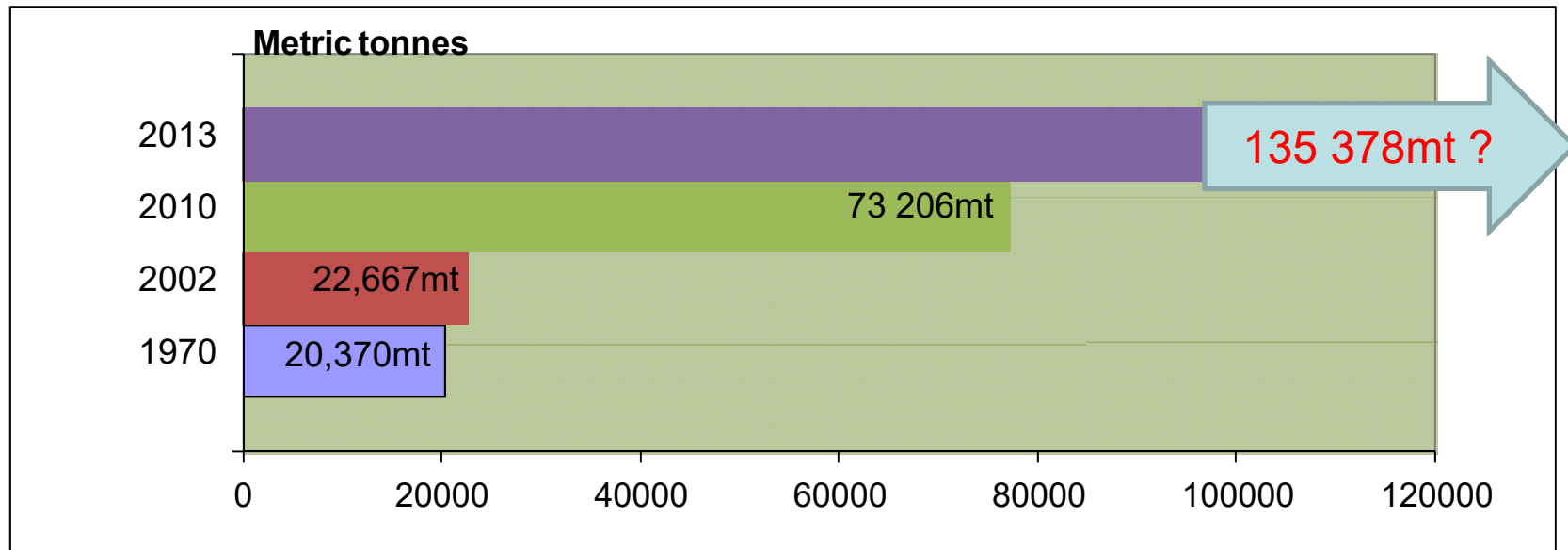
Region	2014-15 production (mt)
China	115 397
Korea	10 000
South Africa	1 400
Chile	700
Australia	900
USA (including Hawaii)	362
Japan (seeds)	200
Taiwan	171
New Zealand	100
Mexico	30
Europe	15
Thailand	8
Philippines	4
Total	129 287

FARM PRODUCTION BY COUNTRIES to be filled in during updates

Region	2014-15 production (mt)	2017 production
China	115 397	139 697
Korea	10 000	16 042
South Africa	1 400	1 685
Chile	700	1468
Australia	900	969
USA (including Hawaii)	362	175
Japan (seeds)	200	200
Taiwan	171	+/-300
New Zealand	100	60
Mexico	30	348
Europe	15	30
Thailand	8	8
Philippines	4	5
Total	129 287	160 987

GLOBAL SUPPLY OF ABALONE FROM ALL SOURCES 1970/2013 + 2015 (estimate)

The figure below shows the worldwide total of abalone from all sources (Fisheries Landings, Illegal Catch, and Cultured Production).

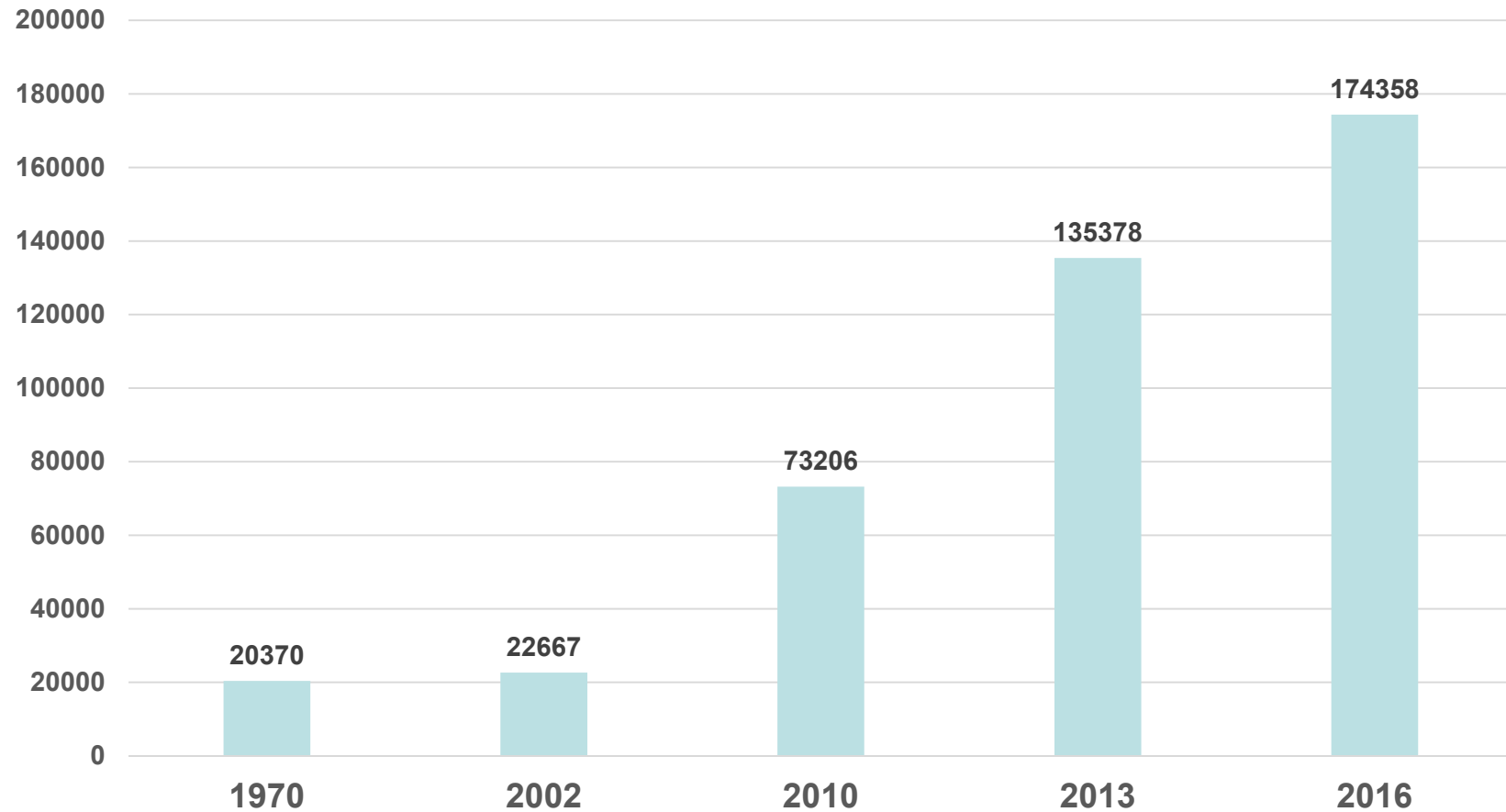


Information: Fishtech, USA

$$2013 = 123\,154 \text{ (farm)} + 7\,424 \text{ (fish)} + 4\,800 \text{ (illegal)} = 135\,378\text{mt}$$

$$2015 \text{ estimate} = 129\,287 \text{ (farm)} + 6\,500 \text{ (fished)} + 4\,800 \text{ (illegal)} = 140\,587\text{mt}$$

Global supply of abalone from all sources



Includes farmed, fished and illegal