

# Glossary: Brackishwater culture

Statistics Explained

**Brackishwater Culture** is understood the cultivation of aquatic organisms where the end product is raised in brackishwater, such as estuaries, coves, bays, lagoons and fjords, in which the salinity may lie or generally fluctuate between 0.5 ‰ and full strength seawater. If these conditions do not exist or have no effect on cultural practices, production should be recorded under either "Freshwater culture" or "Mariculture". Earlier stages of the life cycle of these aquatic organisms may be spent in fresh or marine waters.

## Related concepts

- [Fish catch](#)
- [Fishery products](#)
- [Fishing fleet](#)

## Statistical data

- [Fisheries - catches and landings](#)
- [Aquaculture statistics](#)

## Further information

- Regulations [788/96](#) and [762/2008](#) on the submission by Member States of statistics on aquaculture production