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Aquaculture: Value at Record High \$55.7 Million for 2012

Hawaii aquaculture increased for the second year reaching a record high \$55.7 million in 2012, compared to 40.0 million during the previous year. Algae sales accounted for \$28.4 million and almost half of the value. The 'other' category included the remaining sales. ■



AQUACULTURE: Number of Operations, Production, and Value, State of Hawaii, 2008 - 2012

Year	Operations	Production		Value					
		Shellfish	Finfish	Shellfish	Finfish	Algae	Ornamental	Other ¹	Total
	Number	1,000 Pounds							
2008	70	32	1,311	261	7,022	15,740	3,346	8,281	34,650
2009	70	56	821	420	4,447	16,995	2,671	7,797	32,330
2010	75	76	211	575	1,012	16,725	1,837	9,821	29,970
2011	70	55	315	413	1,493	25,230	2,514	10,320	39,970
2012	70	2	2	2	2	28,420	2	27,320	55,740

¹ Items not sold by weight which includes number count for example seed stock, brood stock, fingerlings, and disclosures for 2008-2011. ² Disclosure. Values for "Shellfish", "Finfish", and "Ornamental" are combined with "Other" for 2012.

