

**ADDITIONAL INFORMATION AVAILABLE
(In English and French)**

Caviar trade :

- CITES' (Convention on International Trade in Endangered Species) trade figures showing the largest importers and exporters of beluga caviar since 1998.
- Reduction of CITES caviar quotas for Caspian Sea and Black Sea since 1998.
- CITES' quotas for beluga caviar from the Black and Caspian Sea countries since 1998.
- Illegal caviar trade figures (seizures and from what country).
- Annual production figures and projected growth for the farmed caviar industry in the United States and Europe.
- Timeline of major CITES' decisions surrounding the wild caviar trade.

Scientific information :

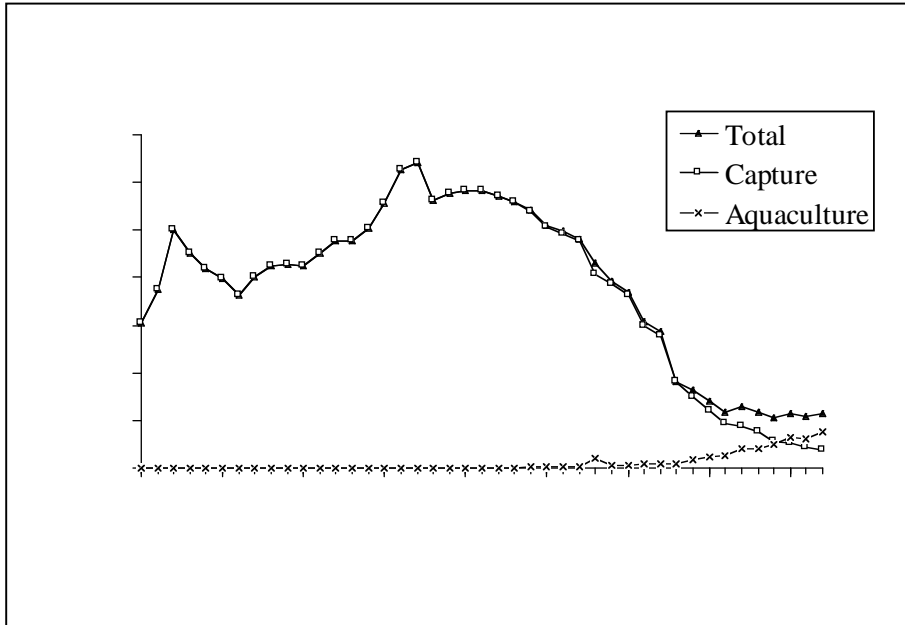
- *Roe to Ruin* report – a comprehensive report on the decline of the Caspian Sea sturgeon and the road to recovery.
- First global review of sturgeon fisheries published in the journal, *Fish and Fisheries*, by SeaWeb's partner scientists.
- Charts showing decline of sturgeons and sturgeon fishery production around the world, courtesy of the Pew Institute for Ocean Science.

Media :

- Press and culinary views on farmed caviar.
- Photo and video gallery of Caspian Sea sturgeon, sturgeon fishing, hatchery and tagging work in the region, and of the sturgeon farms in Europe.

Graph 1: Total catch of sturgeon fisheries from 1960-2002 and the rise of sturgeon aquaculture.

Pikitch, Doukakis et al. 2005, Pew Institute for Ocean Science



Graph 2: Caspian Sea catch data for the beluga sturgeon 1910-2002

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