

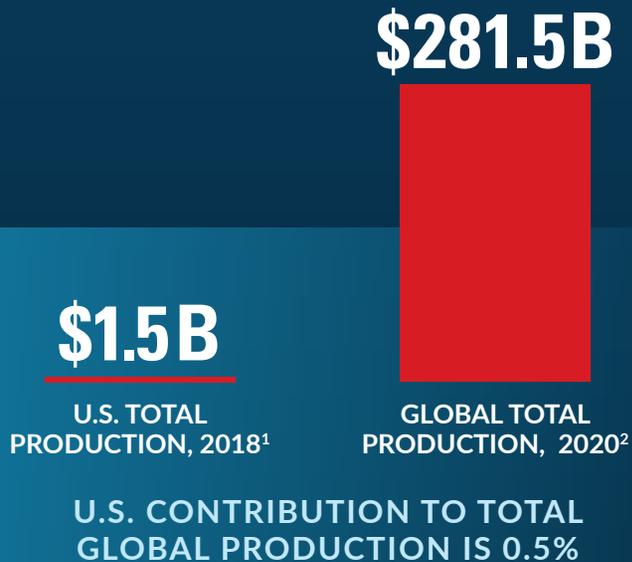
# A VIEW OF AQUACULTURE WORLDWIDE



Aquaculture has demonstrated its crucial role in global food security with half of the world's seafood now produced by aquaculture. Currently, the U.S. ranks just 17<sup>TH</sup> in aquaculture production, missing out on major economic opportunities. With our plentiful ocean resources, working waterfronts and superior technology, the U.S. can lead with the right federal legislation to allow for expanded offshore aquaculture production in U.S. federal waters.



The U.S. imports up to 85% of its seafood.



## World aquaculture production by country (millions of tons) & top species

China	70.48	carp, tilapia
Indonesia	14.85	tilapia, clarias catfish, carp, pangasius catfish
India	8.64	katla, rui, carp, tilapia, koi, shrimp, catfish
Vietnam	4.61	catfish, giant tiger prawn culture
Bangladesh	2.58	shrimp culture
Egypt	1.59	tilapia, mullet carp
Chile	1.5	Atlantic salmon, trout, turbot, mollusks
Norway	1.49	Atlantic salmon
North America	0.62	catfish, trout, tilapia, shellfish, salmon, yellow perch

## World aquaculture production is 87.5M tons, 2020<sup>2</sup>

- Fish farming was dominated by finfish (salmon, tilapia, trout, etc.) at **57.5 million tons (USD 146.1 billion)**
- The fish we eat from aquaculture production is **87.5 million tons** and has progressively outpaced the non-fed subsector globally, supporting the increasing demand for seafood through aquaculture.