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SEAFOOD SEVEN WAYS

San Diego has plenty of places to indulge in freshly caught seafood, from casual walk-ups to white tablecloth dining

1 UPGRADE

Enjoy decadent seafood dishes while waves lap at the windows at **The Marine Room**. **Water Grill's** Gaslamp spot is known for its raw bar and chilled shellfish. An ambience that includes a wall adorned in piranha heads is what sets **Ironside Fish & Oyster** apart. Any of **Brigantine's** eight locations are sure to delight seafood lovers.

2 CASUAL

Locals line up for fresh seafood grilled to order at **Blue Water Seafood Market & Grill**. Don't pass up the shrimp at the airy **Point Loma Fish Shop**. For fresh seafood with a view, head to **Mitch's**. Enjoy seasonal seafood at **The Fishery**, a restaurant/seafood market in Pacific Beach. In North County? Stop by **Fish 101** for a bowl of creamy clam chowder and root beer float.

3 SUSHI

Enjoy a temake hand roll at **Single Fin Kitchen** in the Little Italy Food Hall or have the chef at **Sushi Ota** whip you up something special *omakase* style. Head to **Full Moon** in the Gaslamp Quarter for signature rolls named for the phases of the moon. If you're up for a challenge, **Sushi 2** downtown offers an "all you can eat and drink" special on weekends.

4 CALI-BAJA

Fish tacos, a local favorite, celebrate the city's beachy lifestyle and our Baja neighbors. Try one grilled at **Puesto** or fried at **Galaxy Taco**. **Ortega's** in Hillcrest serves grilled lobster in the authentic Puerto Nuevo style. **King & Queen Cantina** in Little Italy puts its own spin on Mexican seafood dishes. At **Coasterra**, fresh seafood and traditional favorites are served in a beautiful bayside setting.

5 CEVICHE

If you've never had this Latin American fish and citrus dish, you're in for a treat. **Karina's Mexican Seafood** has chilled shrimp, oysters, octopus and tuna sashimi. **Pisco Rotisserie & Cevicheria** makes theirs in the traditional Peruvian style.

6 TAPAS

Small bites are all right with us at **Cafe Sevilla**. Come for the Spanish-style seafood shareables, stay for the flamenco dinner show Saturday nights. A local's favorite in Normal Heights, **Cueva Bar** serves up divine Argentine empanadas and cheese-stuffed peppers. Check out the seafood-heavy menu at **La Catrina Tapas & Cantina** and don't miss the house specialty at **Bar Bodega** in Little Italy: *gambas al ajillo* (shrimp scampi).

7 POKE

This Hawaiian raw fish dish is a popular find. Build your own bowl at **San Diego Poke Company**. Choose from several tasty fishes at **It's Raw** in Ocean Beach, or try the namesake wrap at **Pokirrito**. **Good Time Poke** has a secret tiki-themed speakeasy. Hawaiian tuna poke is always on the menu at San Diego's Polynesian palace, **Bali Hai**.

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