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**DATE:** June 3, 2013

**TO:** All Local Health Departments  
Attn: Chief Food Inspection Officer

**FROM:** A. Scott Gilliam, MBA, CP-FS  
Director, Food Protection Program

**SUBJECT:** **Unclassified Recall; Salmolux of Federal Way, WA**

**AFFECTED PRODUCT(S):** **Cold Smoked Salmon Products, Described Below; Due to a Potential Contamination with Listeria Monocytogenes.**

**SUGGESTED ACTION:** **Information provided in case of consumer inquiry.**

From the information provided by FDA, the products being recalled may have been distributed in the State of Indiana. Consumers with questions may contact the company at 253.874.2026 (Business hours: Mon-Fri 7:30-4:30 PST). Detail information is not available at this time. In addition, if any recalled products are found, please notify this office at 317-233-8475.

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### Recall -- Firm Press Release

FDA posts press releases and other notices of recalls and market withdrawals from the firms involved as a service to consumers, the media, and other interested parties. FDA does not endorse either the product or the company.

### Salmolux Voluntarily Recalls Cold Smoked Salmon Products Because of Possible Health Risk

**Contact:**  
Consumer  
(253) 874-2026

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE** - May 31, 2013 - This is a clarification update to the Salmolux press release announcing its voluntary recall of certain cold smoked salmon products. This update does not add to the total pounds recalled, but merely adds clarifications on description of products and one more UPC code only.

On May 25th, 2013, Salmolux of Federal Way, WA, voluntarily recalled certain of its **cold smoked salmon products, described below**, because of the potential to be contaminated with *Listeria monocytogenes*, an organism which can cause serious and sometimes fatal infections in young children, frail or elderly people, and others with weakened immune systems. Although healthy individuals may suffer only short-term symptoms such as high fever, severe headache, stiffness, nausea, abdominal pain and diarrhea, *Listeria* infection can cause miscarriages and stillbirths among pregnant women.

**No confirmed illnesses have been reported.**

Products affected by this recall are as follows

Size	Product Description	Lot No	Brands	UPC	Form
4 oz	Sockeye Nova Lox	10803	Jensen's Old Fashion Smokehouse	6 33243 24684 5	Frozen
500 g	Smoked Wild Sockeye Salmon (Nova Lox)	10803	No brand – Food Service	No UPC	Frozen
4 oz	Nova Lox	10803	Raley's	0 46567 50029 4	Fresh
1 lb	Alaskan Smoked Salmon (Nova Lox)	10803	Sea Passion	0 16468 44294 8	Frozen
2 lb	Wild Keta Smoked Salmon (Nova Lox) Trim	10803	Sea Passion	No UPC	Frozen
2 lb	Lox Trim	10803	Sea Passion	No UPC	Frozen
2 lb	Sockeye Smoked Salmon Trim	10803	Sea Passion	No UPC	Frozen
3 oz	Wild Alaskan Smoked Salmon	10803	Sea Passion	0 16468 44543 7	Frozen
3 lb	Smoked Salmon Nova Lox (pre-sliced)	10803	Sea Passion	0 16468 42072 4	Frozen
4 oz	Smoked Salmon (Nova Lox)	10803	Sea Passion	0 16468 44305 1	Frozen
8 oz	Norwegian Smoked Salmon (Nova Lox)	10803	Sea Passion	0 16468 44328 0	Frozen
4 oz	Smoked Sockeye Salmon (Nova Lox)	10803	Sea Passion	0 16468 44900 8	Frozen

Products, a total of approximately 4,930 lb, were distributed in **AZ, CA, ID, MI, NV, NY, OH, TX, WA** states through retail stores. The product distributed in Texas was limited to Sea Passion brand, Wild Alaskan Smoked Salmon, 3 oz.

Salmolux has completed its recall protocol.

Product is packed in vacuum bags and lot number information is on the back of the pack.

The recall was the result of a routine sampling program by FDA which revealed that the finished products contained the bacteria. Salmolux has voluntarily initiated the recall and is continuing its investigation. The company is currently contacting its customers who are affected by this recall.

Consumers who have purchased the products are urged to return it to the place of purchase for a full refund. Consumers with questions may contact the company at 253.874.2026 (Business hours: Mon-Fri 7:30-4:30 PST).

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[RSS Feed for FDA Recalls Information<sup>1</sup> \[what's this?\]<sup>2</sup>](#)

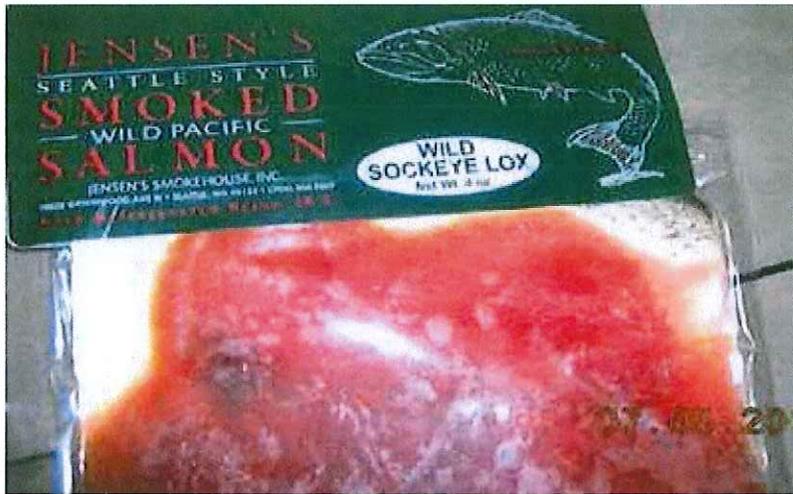
Photo: [Product Labels<sup>3</sup>](#)

[Original Press Release<sup>4</sup>](#)

Recalled Product Photos Are Also Available on FDA's [Flickr Photostream<sup>5</sup>](#).

**UPDATE - Salmolux Voluntarily Recalls Cold Smoked Salmon Products Because of Possible Health Risk Photos**





## LOX TRIM

**INGREDIENTS:** Atlantic Salmon  
 (Farm Raised-Color Added), Salt, Sugar,  
 Sodium Nitrite, Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS:** ATLANTIC SALMON (FISH)



Produced By: SALMOLUX  
 34100 9th Avenue S.  
 Federal Way, WA 98003

READY TO EAT

**NET WT: 2 lbs (908g)**

**N** KEEP FROZEN OR REFRIGERATED BELOW 33 F

## NORWEGIAN SMOKED SALMON (NOVA LOX)

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**INGREDIENTS:** Atlantic Salmon (Farm Raised-Color Added),  
 Salt, Sugar, Sodium Nitrite, Natural Wood Smoke,  
**CONTAINS:** FISH (SALMON)

**Net Wt. 8 oz (227g)**

PRE-SLICED READY TO EAT

Salmolux  
**Sea Passion**

**NOVA LOX  
SMOKED SALMON**

**Nutrition Facts**

Amount Serving	%DV*	Amount Serving	%DV*
Total Fat 7g	11%	Total Carb. 1g	0%
Sat. Fat 2g	10%	Dietary Fiber 0g	0%
Trans Fat 0g		Sugars less than 1g	
Cholesterol 65mg	28%	Protein 23g	
Sodium 700mg	29%		

\*Percent Daily Values are based on a diet of other people's secrets.

Vitamin A 0% • Vitamin C 0% • Calcium 0% • Iron 0%

**INGREDIENTS:** Wild Alaskan Salmon, Salt, Sugar, Sodium Nitrite, FD&C Yellow #5, FD&C RED #40 (color enhancers), Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS: FISH (SALMON)**  
Product of USA  
Salmolux  
Federal Way, WA 98003

**SELL BY**

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Jan	Feb	Mar	Apr	May	Jun	Jul	Aug
9	10	11	12	13	14	15	16
17	18	19	20	21	22	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	31	

**LOT #**  
**10803**

**Raley's**

**NOVA LOX**

READY TO EAT  
REFRIGERATE BELOW 38°F

**INGREDIENTS:** ATLANTIC SALMON (FARM RAISED), COLOR ADDED, SALT, SUGAR, SODIUM NITRITE, NATURAL WOOD SMOKE.  
**CONTAINS: SALMON (FISH)**

Proudly Distributed By: Raley's  
500 West Capital Avenue  
Trenton, Pennsylvania PA 18646

NET WT 4 OZ (113g)

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PRE-SLICED READY TO EAT

Salmolux  
**Sea Passion**

**WILD ALASKAN  
SMOKED SALMON**

NET WT 3 OZ (85g)

**INGREDIENTS:** Wild Alaskan Salmon, Salt, Sugar, Sodium Nitrite, FD&C Yellow #5, FD&C RED #40 (color enhancers), Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS: FISH (SALMON)**  
Product of USA  
Salmolux  
Federal Way, WA 98003

Strongly Recommended: With bagels and cream cheese, sandwiches, pasta, soups, salads, croissants, and more.  
Keep refrigerated below 38°F. Once opened, keep refrigerated below 38°F.

# SMOKED SALMON NOVA LOX

(Pre-Sliced)



**INGREDIENTS:** Atlantic Salmon (Farm Raised-Color Added), Salt, Sugar, Sodium Nitrite, Natural Wood Smoke.

PARVE  
K-1118  
READY TO EAT

Produced By: SALMOLUX  
34100 9th Avenue S.  
Federal Way, WA 98003

NET WT: 3 lbs (1.36kg)



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KEEP FROZEN OR REFRIGERATED BELOW 33 F

## SMOKED SALMON (NOVA LOX)



**INGREDIENTS:** Wild Keta Salmon, Salt, Sugar, Sodium Nitrite, FD&C Yellow #6 & Red #40, Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS:** KETA SALMON (FISH)

Net Wt. 4 oz (113g)

## SMOKED SOCKEYE SALMON (NOVA LOX)



**INGREDIENTS:** Alaskan Sockeye Salmon, Salt, Sugar, Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS:** FISH (SALMON)

Net Wt. 4 oz (113g)

## SMOKED WILD SOCKEYE SALMON (NOVA LOX)



**INGREDIENTS:** Wild Sockeye Salmon, Salt, Sugar, Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS:** SOCKEYE SALMON (FISH)

Produced By: Salmolux  
34100 9th Avenue S  
Federal Way, WA 98003



KEEP FROZEN  
OR REFRIGERATED  
BELOW 38°F  
READY TO EAT

# SOCKEYE SMOKED SALMON TRIM

**INGREDIENTS:** Wild Sockeye Salmon,  
Salt, Sugar, Natural Wood Smoke.

(No Preservatives or Artificial Colors.)

Produced By: SALMOLUX  
34100 9th Ave. S.  
Federal Way, WA 98003

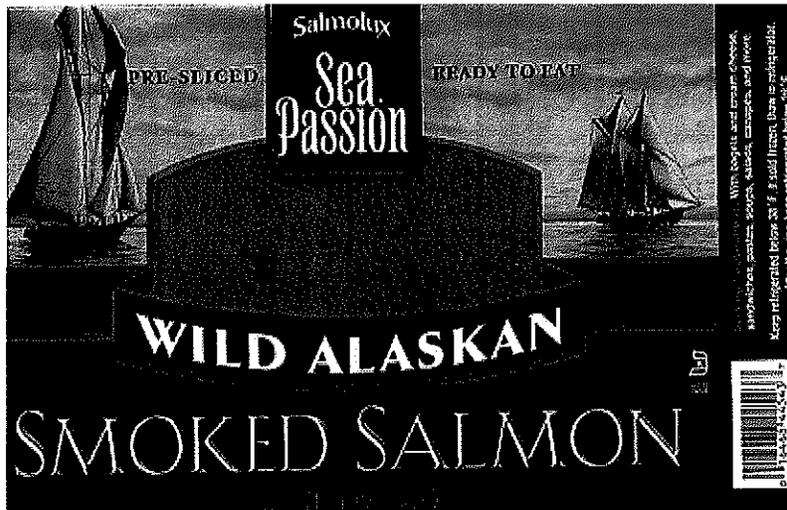


PARVE  
K-1118

READY TO EAT

**NET WT: 2 LB (908g)**

KEEP FROZEN OR REFRIGERATED BELOW 33 F



# WILD KETA SMOKED SALMON (NOVA LOX) TRIM

**INGREDIENTS:** Wild Keta Salmon, Salt,  
Sugar, Sodium Nitrite, FD&C Yellow #6 &  
Red #40, Natural Wood Smoke.  
**CONTAINS: WILD KETA SALMON (FISH)**

Produced By: SALMOLUX  
34100 9th Avenue S.  
Federal Way, WA 98003



PARVE  
K-1118

READY TO EAT

**NET WT: 2 lbs (908g)**

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