

Gulf of Alaska Management Area Sablefish Seasons, 1984 - 2019

	1984			1985			1986			1987		
Area Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	Open 1-Apr	Closed 29-Jun	Status Bycatch	Open 1-Apr	Closed 21-Apr	Status Bycatch	Open 1-Apr 20-Sep	Closed 17-Apr 31-Dec	Status PSC Reg	Open 1-Apr 20-Sep	Closed 9-Apr 23-Sep	Status PSC
Quota	2,570			2,570			3,278			3,990		
Catch	2,692			2,594			3,515			5,626		
Percent of quota	105%			101%			107%			141%		
Trawl gear								1-Jan 17-Sep	Bycatch PSC		9-Nov 10-Nov	Bycatch PSC
Quota							299			210		
Catch							745			210		
Percent of quota							249%			100%		
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	1-Apr	1-Sep	Bycatch	1-Apr	15-May	Bycatch	1-Apr	10-May	PSC	1-Apr 20-Sep	15-Apr 25-Sep	PSC
Quota	1,680			1,680			2,423			3,800		
Catch	1,639			2,214			3,056			3,908		
Percent of quota	98%			132%			126%			103%		
Trawl gear								1-Jan	Bycatch	1-Jan	20-Jun	PSC
Quota										200		
Catch										276		
Percent of quota										138%		
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear	1-Apr	11-Sep	Bycatch	1-Apr	23-May	Bycatch	1-Apr	26-May	PSC	1-Apr	29-May	PSC
Quota	3,060			3,060			3,383			7,040		
Catch	2,838			3,686			5,026			8,661		
Percent of quota	93%			120%			149%			123%		
Trawl							14-Feb	3-Mar	Bycatch	1-Jan 4-May	11-Apr 5-May	Bycatch PSC
Quota							1,230			1,760		
Catch							1,761			1,872		
Percent of quota							143%			106%		
Pot							1,537					
Quota							1,193					
Catch							78%					
Percent of quota												
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear	1-Apr	n/a		1-Apr	25-Jun	Bycatch	1-Apr	3-Jul	PSC	1-Apr	9-Jun	PSC
Quota	1,670			1,670			1,568			1,650		
Catch	349			2,040			1,730			2,415		
Percent of quota	21%			122%			110%			146%		
Trawl							1-Jan	7-Oct		1-Jan	21-Mar	Bycatch
Quota							570			600		
Catch							695			484		
Percent of quota							122%			81%		
Pot							712	1-Jan	9-Jun	PSC	1-Jan	22-Aug
Quota							787			750		
Catch							111%			747		
Percent of quota										100%		
HAL catch	8,980			8,980			10,652			16,480		
Trawl catch	0			0			1,800			2,560		
Pot catch	0			0			2,249			750		
Total catch	8,980			8,980			14,701			19,790		
ABC	na			na			na			na		

Notes:

All amounts in metric tons (1 metric ton = 2,204.6 pounds)

ABC = Acceptable Biological Catch

PSC = Prohibited Species Catch

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	1988			1989			1990			1991		
Area Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	Open 31-Mar	Closed 2-May 1-Jul	Status Bycatch PSC	Open 1-Apr 3-May	Closed 17-Apr 7-Oct	Status PSC PSC	Open 1-Apr	Closed 20-Apr 29-May	Status Bycatch PSC	Open 15-May	Closed 25-May	Status Bycatch
Quota	6,180			5,680			5,680			4,700		
Catch	6,308			5,749			6,394			5,715		
Percent of quota	102%			101%			113%			122%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan	Bycatch	1-Jan	11-Feb 25-Apr	Bycatch PSC	1-Jan	26-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan 12-Apr	Bycatch PSC
Quota	320			300			300			250		
Catch	142			361			132			175		
Percent of quota	44%			120%			44%			70%		
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	31-Mar	2-May 1-Jul	Bycatch PSC	1-Apr 3-May	17-Apr 10-May 9-Jun	PSC Bycatch PSC	1-Apr	16-Apr 29-May	Bycatch PSC	1-Apr 15-May	10-Jun 5-Jul	Bycatch PSC
Quota	4,660			4,320			4,320			3,850		
Catch	4,767			5,160			4,630			3,343		
Percent of quota	102%			119%			107%			87%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan	18-Jun PSC	1-Jan	11-Feb 12-Apr	Bycatch PSC	1-Jan	26-Jan 29-May	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 10-Oct	Bycatch PSC
Quota	240			230			230			200		
Catch	697			355			551			234		
Percent of quota	290%			154%			240%			117%		
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear	31-Mar	12-Jun 1-Jul	Bycatch PSC	1-Apr	27-May 29-Jun	Bycatch PSC	1-Apr	29-May 12-Jul	Bycatch Reg	15-May	17-Jun 5-Jul	Bycatch PSC
Quota	10,030			9,360			9,360			8,460		
Catch	10,568			9,814			9,668			9,137		
Percent of quota	105%			105%			103%			108%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch 15-Sep PSC	1-Jan	11-Feb 6-Jun	Bycatch PSC	1-Jan	26-Jan 30-Jul	Bycatch PSC	1-Jan	15-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	2,510			2,340			2,340			2,115		
Catch	2,746			2,431			2,398			1,858		
Percent of quota	109%			104%			102%			88%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear	31-Mar	8-Jul	PSC	1-Apr	13-Jul	PSC	1-Apr	1-Apr	Bycatch	15-May		
Quota	2,230			3,020			3,020			2,340		
Catch	2,296			3,477			1,594			1,591		
Percent of quota	103%			115%			53%			68%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch	1-Jan	11-Feb 10-Aug	Bycatch PSC	1-Jan	26-Jan	Bycatch	1-Jan	15-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	810			750			750			585		
Catch	641			723			399			225		
Percent of quota	79%			96%			53%			38%		
Pot												
Quota	1,020											
Catch	561											
Percent of quota	55%											
Note:												
Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA.												
							GOA closed to LL gear on 7/1/90 (Halibut)			GOA closed to LL gear on 7/8/91 (Halibut)		
HAL catch	23,100			22,380			22,380			19,350		
Trawl catch	3,560			3,320			3,320			2,900		
Pot catch	1,020			0			0			0		
Total	27,680			25,700			25,700			22,250		
ABC	35,000			30,900			26,200			22,500		

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	1992			1993			1994			1995		
Area Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	Open 15-May 8-Jun	Closed 23-May 9-Jun	Status Bycatch Bycatch	Open 15-May	Closed 24-May 14-Jul	Status Bycatch PSC	Open 18-May	Closed 28-May	Status Bycatch	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch
Quota	4,740			5,158			6,783			5,890		
Catch	4,609			5,267			6,719			5,327		
Percent of quota	97%			102%			99%			90%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	250			272			357			310		
Catch	98			89			74			18		
Percent of quota	39%			33%			21%			6%		
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	15-May 8-Jun 28-Jun	30-May 9-Jun 29-Jun 27-Jul	Bycatch Bycatch Bycatch PSC	15-May	30-May 14-Jul	Bycatch PSC	18-May 12-Sep	28-May 14-Sep	Bycatch Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	3,553			3,638			4,608			3,895		
Catch	3,856			4,319			4,224			3,596		
Percent of quota	109%			119%			92%			92%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan 5-Oct	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 24-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan 1-Oct	Bycatch PSC
Quota	187			192			242			205		
Catch	266			300			273			270		
Percent of quota	142%			156%			113%			132%		
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear	15-May 8-Jun 28-Jun	3-Jun 9-Jun 29-Jun	Bycatch Bycatch Bycatch	15-May	3-Jun 14-Jul	Bycatch PSC	18-May 12-Sep	28-May 14-Sep	Bycatch Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	7,656			7,688			8,976			6,880		
Catch	7,821			9,988			7,518			5,833		
Percent of quota	102%			130%			84%			85%		
Trawl		1-Jan 21-Oct	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 5-Aug	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan 5-Oct	Bycatch PSC
Quota	1,914			1,922			2,244			1,720		
Catch	2,006			1,983			1,977			1,840		
Percent of quota	105%			103%			88%			107%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear	15-May	5-Aug	Bycatch	15-May	4-Jun	Bycatch	18-May 12-Sep	28-May 14-Sep	Bycatch Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	2,000			1,624			1,832			2,080		
Catch	2,098			687			451			1,668		
Percent of quota	105%			42%			25%			80%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	500			406			458			520		
Catch	12			52			104			79		
Percent of quota	2%			13%			23%			15%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Note:												IFQ starts in 1995 GOA closed to fixed gear except IFQ IFQ sablefish on PSC status on 1/1 until 3/15
Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA.												
HAL catch	17,949			18,108			22,199			18,745		
Trawl catch	2,601			2,520			2,944			2,445		
Pot catch	0			0			0			0		
Total catch	20,550			20,628			25,143			21,190		
ABC	20,800			20,900			25,500			21,500		

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Area	1996			1997			1998			1999		
	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch
Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear												
Quota	4,693			3,648			3,487			3,200		
Catch	4,652			3,556			3,466			3,158		
Percent of quota	99%			97%			99%			99%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch						
Quota	247			192			0			0		
Catch	4			169								
Percent of quota	2%			88%								
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	2,888			2,290			2,175			1,825		
Catch	2,551			1,861			1,886			1,518		
Percent of quota	88%			81%			87%			83%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan 13-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	152			120						265		
Catch	348			67						191		
Percent of quota	228.95			55.83						72%		
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	5,520			5,128			5,056			4,472		
Catch	5,122			4,935			4,676			4,557		
Percent of quota	93%			96%			92%			102%		
Trawl		1-Jan 15-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 30-Oct	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 28-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 10-Aug	Bycatch PSC
Quota	1,380			1,282			1,264			1,118		
Catch	1,650			1,302			1,245			1,316		
Percent of quota	120%			102%			98%			118%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	1,760			1,488			1,472			1,456		
Catch	1,628			1,349			1,388			1,312		
Percent of quota	93%			91%			94%			90%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	440			372			368			364		
Catch	20			25			43			175		
Percent of quota	5%			7%			12%			48%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Note:	Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA. Trawl prohibited since 1998 in Southeast Outside District.											
HAL catch	14,861			12,554			12,190			10,545		
Trawl catch	1,972			1,774			1,632			1,682		
Pot catch	0			0			0			0		
Total catch	16,833			14,328			13,822			12,227		
ABC	17,080			14,520			14,120			12,700		

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	2000			2001			2002			2003		
Area												
Southeast outside/East Yakutat												
Hook-and-line gear	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 15-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 18-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 1-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch
Quota	3,553			3,360			3,210			3,560		
Catch	3,952			3,283			2,891			3,342		
Percent of quota	111%			98%			90%			94%		
Trawl gear												
Quota	0			0			0			0		
Catch												
Percent of quota												
West Yakutat												
Hook-and-line gear	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	18-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	1-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	1,919			1,789			1,682			2,026		
Catch	1,995			1,569			1,422			1,681		
Percent of quota	104%			88%			85%			83%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan 20-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	288			271			258			294		
Catch	71			168			128			143		
Percent of quota	25%			62%			49.61			48.64		
Central GOA												
Hook-and-line gear	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	18-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	1-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	4,584			4,328			4,344			5,152		
Catch	4,786			4,434			4,611			5,663		
Percent of quota	104%			102%			106%			110%		
Trawl		1-Jan 24-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 16-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 11-Jul	Bycatch PSC		1-Jan 26-Jul	Bycatch PSC
Quota	1,146			1,082			1,086			1,288		
Catch	1,386			1,084			1,569			1,436		
Percent of quota	121%			100%			144%			111%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Western GOA												
Hook-and-line gear	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	18-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	1-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	1,472			1,608			1,792			2,056		
Catch	1,341			1,450			1,650			1,869		
Percent of quota	91%			90%			92%			91%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	368			402			448			514		
Catch	246			139			213			250		
Percent of quota	67%			35%			48%			49%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Note:	Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA. Trawl prohibited since 1998 in Southeast Outside District.											
HAL catch	12,074			10,736			10,574			12,555		
Trawl catch	1,703			1,391			1,910			1,829		
Pot catch	0			0			0			0		
Total catch	13,777			12,127			12,484			14,384		
ABC	13,330			12,840			12,820			14,890		

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	2004			2005			2006			2007		
Area	Open	Closed	Status	Open	Closed	Status	Open	Closed	Status	Open	Closed	Status
	29-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	27-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	5-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	10-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear												
Quota	3,770			3,570			3,520			3,370		
Catch	3,787			3,560			3,289			3,251		
Percent of quota	100%			100%			93%			96%		
Trawl gear												
Quota	0			0			0			0		
Catch												
Percent of quota												
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear	29-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	27-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	5-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	10-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	2,234			2,273			1,990			1,997		
Catch	2,101			1,763			1,755			1,692		
Percent of quota	94%			78%			88%			85%		
Trawl gear		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	316			307			290			283		
Catch	142			60			119			76		
Percent of quota	44.94			20%			41%			27%		
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear	29-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	27-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	5-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	10-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	5,840			5,800			5,096			4,952		
Catch	6,428			5,672			5,186			4,793		
Percent of quota	110%			98%			102%			97%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	1,460			1,450			1,274			1,238		
Catch	1,004			1,015			844			392		
Percent of quota	69%			70%			66%			32%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear	29-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	27-Feb	15-Nov	Bycatch	5-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch	10-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	2,344			2,032			2,136			1,976		
Catch	1,991			1,831			2,007			1,842		
Percent of quota	85%			90%			94%			93%		
Trawl		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	586			508			534			494		
Catch	177			93			132			219		
Percent of quota	30%			18%			25%			44%		
Pot												
Quota												
Catch												
Percent of quota												
Note:	Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA. Trawl prohibited since 1998 in Southeast Outside District.											
HAL catch	14,307			12,826			12,237			11,578		
Trawl catch	1,323			1,168			1,095			687		
Pot catch	0			0			0			0		
Total catch	15,630			13,994			13,332			12,265		
ABC	16,550			15,940			14,840			14,310		

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Area	2008			2009			2010			2011						
	Open 8-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 21-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 6-Mar	Closed 15-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 12-Mar	Closed 18-Nov	Status Bycatch				
Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear																
Quota	3,220			2,746			2,580			2,940						
Catch	3,296			2,948			2,683			3,009						
Percent of quota	102%			107%			104%			102%						
Trawl gear																
Quota	0			0			0			0						
Catch																
Percent of quota																
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear		8-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		21-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		6-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		12-Mar	18-Nov	Bycatch
Quota		1,853				1,557				1,410				1,744		
Catch		1,960				1,667				1,432				1,777		
Percent of quota		106%				107%				102%				102%		
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota		267				227				210				247		
Catch		90				128				145				109		
Percent of quota		34%				56%				69%				44%		
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear		8-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		21-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		6-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		12-Mar	18-Nov	Bycatch
Quota		4,400				3,992				3,608				3,792		
Catch		4,660				4,303				3,762				3,934		
Percent of quota		106%				108%				104%				104%		
Trawl			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota		1,100				998				902				948		
Catch		633				668				715				918		
Percent of quota		58%				67%				79%				97%		
Pot																
Quota																
Catch																
Percent of quota																
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear		8-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		21-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		6-Mar	15-Nov	Bycatch		12-Mar	18-Nov	Bycatch
Quota		1,512				1,312				1,328				1,296		
Catch		1,520				1,298				1,311				1,338		
Percent of quota		101%				99%				99%				103%		
Trawl			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota		378				328				332				324		
Catch		141				93				40				54		
Percent of quota		37%				28%				12%				17%		
Pot																
Quota																
Catch																
Percent of quota																
Note:	Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA. Trawl prohibited since 1998 in Southeast Outside District.															
HAL catch	11,436			10,216			9,188			10,058						
Trawl catch	864			889			900			1,081						
Pot catch	0			0			0			0						
Total catch	12,300			11,105			10,088			11,139						
ABC	12,730			11,160			10,370			11,290						

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Area	2012			2013			2014			2015						
	Open 23-Mar	Closed 7-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 23-Mar	Closed 7-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 8-Mar	Closed 7-Nov	Status Bycatch	Open 14-Mar	Closed 7-Nov	Status Bycatch				
Southeast outside/East Yakutat Hook-and-line gear																
Quota	3,173			3,190			2,695			2,682						
Catch	3,192			3,246			2,685			2,830						
Percent of quota	101%			102%			100%			106%						
Trawl gear																
Quota	0			0			0			0						
Catch																
Percent of quota																
West Yakutat Hook-and-line gear		23-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		23-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		8-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		14-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	1,976				1,769				1,495				1,489			
Catch	1,964				1,932				1,475				1,622			
Percent of quota	99%				109%				99%				109%			
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	271				261				221				220			
Catch	66				173				152				212			
Percent of quota	24%				66%				69%				96%			
Central GOA Hook-and-line gear		23-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		23-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		8-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		14-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	4,608				4,432				3,745				3,726			
Catch	4,560				4,546				3,732				3,831			
Percent of quota	99%				103%				100%				103%			
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	1,152				1,108				936				932			
Catch	733				660				752				804			
Percent of quota	64%				60%				80%				86%			
Pot gear																
Quota																
Catch																
Percent of quota																
Western GOA Hook-and-line gear		23-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		23-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		8-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		14-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch
Quota	1,424				1,400				1,184				1,179			
Catch	1,335				1,371				1,107				970			
Percent of quota	94%				98%				93%				82%			
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch			1-Jan	Bycatch
Quota	356				350				296				295			
Catch	62				13				61				43			
Percent of quota	17%				4%				21%				15%			
Pot gear																
Quota																
Catch																
Percent of quota																
Note:	Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA. Trawl prohibited since 1998 in Southeast Outside District.															
HAL catch	11,051				11,095				8,999				9,253			
Trawl catch	861				846				965				1,059			
Pot catch	0				0				0				0			
Total catch	11,912				11,941				9,964				10,312			
ABC	12,960				12,510				10,572				9,087			

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	2016			2017			2018			2019						
Area	Open	Closed	Status	Open	Closed	Status	Open	Closed	Status	Open	Closed	Status				
Southeast outside/East Yakutat	19-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch	11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch	24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch	15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch				
Hook-and-line gear																
Quota	2,317			2,606			2,973			2,984						
Catch	2,308			2,661			2,845			2,862						
Percent of quota	100%			102%			96%			96%						
Trawl gear																
Quota	0			0			0			0						
Catch																
Percent of quota																
Pot gear					11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch	
Quota				2,606			2,973			2,984						
Catch				137			164			262						
Percent of quota				5%			6%			9%						
West Yakutat		19-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch
Hook-and-line gear																
Quota	1,285			1,394			1,589			1,587						
Catch	1,274			1,400			1,578			1,513						
Percent of quota	99%			100%			99%			95%						
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch			
						8-Aug	PSC		14-Aug	PSC						
Quota	190			211			240			241						
Catch	177			206			236			126						
Percent of quota	93%			98%			98%			52%						
Pot gear					11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch	
Quota				1,394			1,589			1,587						
Catch				92			45			168						
Percent of quota				7%			3%			11%						
Central GOA		19-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch
Hook-and-line gear																
Quota	3,218			3,610			4,126			4,142						
Catch	3,151			3,188			3,068			2,704						
Percent of quota	98%			88%			74%			65%						
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch			
			14-Oct	PSC		12-Oct	PSC		4-Aug	PSC		28-Aug	PSC			
Quota	805			903			1,032			1,036						
Catch	827			1,194			2,169			1,960						
Percent of quota	103%			132%			210%			189%						
Pot gear					11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch	
Quota				3,611			4,126			4,142						
Catch				443			549			1,619						
Percent of quota				12%			13%			39%						
Western GOA		19-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch
Hook-and-line gear																
Quota	1,018			1,079			1,235			1,265						
Catch	903			889			811			766						
Percent of quota	89%			82%			66%			61%						
Trawl gear			1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch		1-Jan	Bycatch			
												13-Sep	PSC			
Quota	255			270			309			316						
Catch	47			66			224			320						
Percent of quota	18%			24%			72%			101%						
Pot gear					11-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		24-Mar	7-Nov	Bycatch		15-Mar	14-Nov	Bycatch	
Quota				1,079			1,235			1,265						
Catch				226			365			459						
Percent of quota				21%			30%			36%						
<i>Note:</i>	Pots prohibited since 1989 in the Western GOA, then permissible again GOA-wide in 2017.															
	Trawl prohibited since 1998 in Southeast Outside District.															
HAL catch	7,636			8,138			8,302			7,845						
Trawl catch	1,051			1,466			2,629			2,406						
Pot catch	0			898			1,123			2,508						
Total catch	8,687			10,502			12,054			12,759						
ABC	9,087			10,074			11,505			11,571						