

Commercial Troll Fisheries

Retention of coho salmon is prohibited in all areas south of Cape Falcon. All seasons listed below are restricted to all salmon species except coho salmon.

Chinook quotas are being implemented in the area between Florence South Jetty and House Rock, OR, to further ensure that the ocean impacts on Klamath River fall chinook do not exceed those that have been modeled. Specifically, commercial troll fisheries will be limited to: Quotas of 1,000 chinook during May in the area between Sisters Rocks and House Rock; 1,200 chinook during July and August in the area between Sisters Rocks and Mack Arch; 13,500 chinook during May and June in the area between Cape Arago and Humbug Mountain; 10,000 chinook during September and October in the area between Cape Arago and Humbug Mountain; and 14,000 chinook during August in the area between Florence South Jetty and Cape Arago. Troll fisheries in other areas south of Cape Falcon are not limited by chinook quotas because of the minor contribution of Klamath stocks to the fisheries.

From Point San Pedro, CA, to the United States-Mexico border, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will open May 1 through June 15, then reopen July 19 through September 30. Gear is restricted to no more than six lines per boat.

From Point Reyes to Point San Pedro, CA, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will open May 24 through July 4, then reopen July 19 through September 30. Gear is restricted to no more than six lines per boat.

From Point Arena to Point Reyes, CA, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will open July 5 through September 30. Gear is restricted to no more than six lines per boat.

From Horse Mountain to Point Arena, CA, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will open September 1 through September 30. Gear is restricted to no more than six lines per boat.

From Sisters Rocks to House Rock, OR, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will be open on the following days through May 31 or attainment of the chinook quota, whichever comes earlier: May 1-2, 5-6, 10-11, 14-15, 18-19, 23-24, 27-28, and 31. The days open may be adjusted inseason, if necessary, to manage the fishery. Gear is restricted to no more than four spreads per line, with the open area restricted to only 0-6 nautical

miles (11.1 km) of the baseline from which the territorial sea is measured.

From Sisters Rocks to Mack Arch, OR, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will open the following days through August 31 or attainment of the chinook quota, whichever comes earlier: July 24-25, 28-29, August 1-2, 5-6, 9-10, 13-14, 17-18, 21-22, 25-26, and 30-31. The days open may be adjusted inseason if necessary to manage the fishery. Gear is restricted to no more than four spreads per line, with the open area restricted to only 0-4 nautical miles (7.4 km) of the baseline from which the territorial sea is measured.

From Cape Falcon to Humbug Mountain, OR, the commercial fishery for all salmon except coho will open May 1 and continue through June 30, except that the area between Cape Arago and Humbug Mountain will close on the attainment of the chinook quota for that area. A control zone in state waters at the mouth of Tillamook Bay will be closed to commercial troll fishing in June. Gear is restricted to no more than four spreads per line.

Later in the season, the area from Cape Arago to Humbug Mountain will reopen for all salmon, except coho, on September 1 and continue through the earlier of October 31 or attainment of the chinook quota. Gear is restricted to no more than four spreads per line.

From Florence South Jetty to Cape Arago, OR, the commercial fishery for all salmon, except coho, will reopen August 1 until attainment of the 14,000 chinook quota, then open again September 1 through October 31. Gear is restricted to no more than four spreads per line.

From Cape Falcon to Florence South Jetty, OR, the commercial fishery for all salmon except coho will reopen August 1 through October 31, except that in September the open area north of Cape Lookout is restricted to 0-3 miles (4.8 km) of the baseline from which the territorial sea is measured. A control zone in state waters at the mouth of Tillamook Bay will be closed to commercial troll fishing in August and September.

Recreational Fisheries

Retention of coho salmon is prohibited in all areas from May 1. From Point Arena, CA, to the United States-Mexico border, the recreational fishery, which opened on March 4 (the nearest Saturday to March 1) for all salmon, continues for all salmon, except coho, from May 1 through October 29 (the nearest Sunday to November 1) with a two-fish daily bag limit.

From Horse Mountain to Point Arena, the recreational fishery, which opened on February 18 (the nearest Saturday to February 15) for all salmon, continues for all salmon, except coho, from May 1 through June 30, with a two-fish daily bag limit. This area will reopen on August 1 for all salmon except coho and continue through November 12 (the nearest Sunday to November 15) with a two-fish daily bag limit.

From Humbug Mountain to Horse Mountain, the recreational fishery will open May 17 for all salmon, except coho, and continue through the earlier of July 8 or attainment of the 10,600-chinook quota. If the quota is exceeded by more than 10 percent, the amount over 10 percent will be deducted from the August quota. This area will reopen on August 16 for all salmon, except coho, and continue through the earlier of August 31 or attainment of the 900-chinook quota, except that the control zone at the mouth of the Klamath River will be closed. Both seasons will be open Wednesday through Saturday only, with a one-fish daily bag limit. This area will reopen for all salmon except coho from September 1 through September 9, open 7 days per week, with a one-fish daily bag limit, and no person may retain more than 6 fish in 7 consecutive days.

From Cape Falcon to Humbug Mountain, the recreational fishery will open May 1 through June 30 for all salmon except coho, with a two-fish daily bag limit, no more than six fish in 7 consecutive days, and a control zone at the mouth of Tillamook Bay will be closed in June. Legal gear is limited to artificial plugs or whole bait, either of which must be no less than 6 inches (15.2 cm) long; only nonpainted weights may be used; and no more than two single-point, single-shank barbless hooks are allowed on whole bait or artificial plugs. All attractors, including divers, are prohibited.

B. North of Cape Falcon

From the United States-Canada border to Cape Falcon, ocean fisheries are managed to protect depressed upper Columbia River spring and summer chinook salmon, lower Columbia River hatchery fall chinook salmon, and Washington coastal and Puget Sound natural coho salmon stocks. Ocean treaty and non-treaty harvests and management measures were based in part on negotiations between Washington State fishery managers, user groups, and the Washington coastal, Puget Sound, and Columbia River Treaty Indian tribes as authorized by the U.S. District Court in *U.S. v.*