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ALASKA PENINSULA, ALEUTIAN ISLANDS, AND ATKA-AMLIA SALMON

Summary

The Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Management Areas are collectively referred to as Management Areas M & F and are divided into four subareas: (1) the North Peninsula, consisting of Bering Sea waters extending west from Cape Menshikof to Cape Sarichef on Unimak Island; (2) the South Peninsula, consisting of Pacific Ocean coastal waters extending west of Kupreanof Point to Scotch Cap on Unimak Island; (3) the Aleutian Islands, consisting of the Bering Sea and Pacific Ocean waters of the Aleutian Islands west of Unimak Island and exclusive of the Atka-Amlia Management Area; and (4) the Atka-Amlia Management Area, also known as Area F, consisting of Bering Sea and Pacific Ocean waters extending west of Seguam Pass (172°50' W. long.) and east of Atka Pass (175°23' W. long.); (Figure 1). Five species of Pacific salmon are harvested in the Alaska Peninsula Management Area: chinook salmon *Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*, sockeye salmon *O. nerka*, chum salmon *O. keta*, pink salmon *O. gorbuscha*, and coho salmon *O. kisutch*.

The Alaska Department of Fish and Game (ADF&G) Dutch Harbor office assists with the Aleutian Islands and Atka-Amlia Islands Management Areas salmon responsibilities. There are three ADF&G offices in the Alaska Peninsula Management Area: Sand Point, Cold Bay, and Port Moller. In 1990, Sand Point staff assumed responsibility for managing salmon in the Southeastern District. In 1992, Port Moller staff assumed responsibility for managing salmon in the Herendeen-Moller Bay, Bear River, Three Hills, and Ilnik Sections. The balance of the Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Management Areas salmon fisheries are managed by staff from Cold Bay. Port Moller also serves as the Alaska Peninsula salmon research center.

In, an aid to producing the annual salmon report, the Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Management Areas were divided into four regions of reporting responsibility. This report will serve as the salmon subsistence and personnel use report for the Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Management Areas and a summary of commercial catches and escapements for the following reports: 1) North Alaska Peninsula Commercial Salmon Annual Management Report, 1997 by Robert Murphy, Arnie Shaul, and Joe Dinnocenzo (*in press*), 2) South Alaska Peninsula Commercial Salmon Annual Management Report, 1997 by Rodney Campbell, Arnie Shaul, Mark Witteveen, and Joe Dinnocenzo (*in press*), and 3) Aleutian Islands and Atka-Amlia Islands Management Areas Annual Salmon Management Report, 1997 by Patrick Holmes (*in press*). Appendices of this report contain reference information (Appendix A), harvest information (Appendix B), subsistence information (Appendix C), escapement information (Appendix D), regulations (Appendix E), method for estimating indexed total escapement (Appendix F), personnel list (Appendix G), and a distribution list (Appendix H). A separate report (*in press*) by Patricia Nelson, Chris Hicks, and Robert Murphy provides estimated catch and escapement age, sex, and length data.

For those with statistical maps or an electronic database of the Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Management Areas, a list of statistical numbers that apply to the 1970-97 fisheries are in Appendix A.1.

In addition to CFEC Area M purse seine, drift gillnet, and set gillnet permit holders fishing the waters of the Alaska Peninsula - Aleutian Islands, and CFEC Area F (Atka-Amlia) set gillnet fishers, CFEC Area T (Bristol Bay) drift gillnet and set gillnet fishers may operate during specific times and in specific places within Area M (Appendix E.1).

The Alaska Board of Fisheries (BOF), during the November 1991 meeting, created an experimental open-to-entry set gillnet salmon fishery around Atka and Amlia Islands. In addition to the set gillnet gear, fishers with CFEC Area M purse seine permits may seine for salmon in the Atka-Amlia Islands Area.

The Cinder River and Inner Port Heiden Sections and Ilnik Lagoon (part of the Ilnik Section) comprise an overlap area where both Alaska Peninsula Area (Area M) and Bristol Bay (Area T) permit holders are allowed to fish. Area M permit holders are allowed to fish at anytime during open fishing periods during the open season in the overlap area. Area T permit holders may fish during open fishing periods in the open season from January 1 through June 30 and August 1 through December 31 in the Cinder River and Inner Port Heiden Sections. Area T fishermen may fish in Ilnik Lagoon during open fishing periods during the open season from August 1 through December 31.

Salmon fisheries in the Alaska Peninsula Management Area date back to at least 1888 when canneries were reportedly constructed in the South Peninsula at Orzinski (Orzenoi) Bay and Thin Point Cove. However, the earliest catch records for the Alaska Peninsula Area date back to 1906 (Figures 2-6 Appendix B.1). The first recorded Aleutian Islands Management Area commercial salmon catches were in 1911. Early catches in the Alaska Peninsula were predominantly sockeye salmon with a few chinook and coho salmon. The first year in which either pink and chum salmon catches exceeded 500,000 was 1916.

Fisheries which are managed on the basis of salmon which originated in other areas include the South Unimak (False Pass) June fishery, the Shumagin Islands June fishery, and most of the Southeastern District Mainland (Balboa-Stepovak or Stepovak) fishery. The South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fisheries each have sockeye guideline harvest levels based on the Bristol Bay sockeye salmon forecast. The Southeastern District Mainland is managed on the basis of the Chignik River sockeye salmon run during June through July 25 (Appendix E.1).

The 1987-96 average salmon harvest in the Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Management Areas (including test fish catches) was 14,941,986 salmon, composed of 23,867 chinook, 4,876,580 sockeye, 510,093 coho, 7,916,231 pink and 1,615,215 chum salmon (Appendix B.1). In 1997, the combined Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Islands Management Areas harvest (the entire 1997 harvest came from the Alaska Peninsula Area) was 18,164 chinook, 4,432,576 sockeye, 210,912 coho, 2,372,072 pink, and 725,376 chum salmon for a total of 7,759,100 fish (Appendix B.1). In 1997, the harvest of all species was below the previous 10 year average. The

harvest of all species combined was 52 percent of the previous 10 year average. Chinook and sockeye salmon harvests in 1997 were 76 and 91 percent respectively of the 1987-96 average. The 1997 coho salmon catch was lowest since 1987. The respective harvests of pink and chum were only 30 and 45 percent of the previous 10 year average. In 1997, harvests of chinook, coho, pink, and chum salmon would have been substantially higher had the market been stronger. In 1997, a strike from July 26 until August 13 on the South Peninsula and in the Northwestern District greatly reduced the season harvest. Prices for pink and chum salmon were slightly higher than in 1996 but were still very low (Appendix A.3).

In 1997, ten companies purchased salmon (Appendix A.2) with an estimated salmon harvest value (exvessel) of about \$26,940,000 (Appendix A.3). Area T fishermen operating in the Inner Port Heiden and Cinder River Sections accounted for about \$259,000 of the total earnings. The South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fisheries were worth approximately \$8,335,000 or about 31.2% of the entire Area M earnings in 1997. The North Peninsula's exvessel value was about \$13,513,000 or about 50.2% of the total Alaska Peninsula Area earnings. No fish were caught in the Aleutian Islands and Atka-Amlia Islands Areas.

In numbers of fish in commercial catch, seine gear harvested 94% of the pink salmon and 65% of the chum salmon during 1997. Drift gillnet gear harvested 62% of the sockeye salmon, 40% of the coho salmon, and 52% of the chinook salmon.

In 1997, 82 of the 122 available seine permits were used (Appendix A.4). A total of 158 Area M drift gillnet permits were fished, out of 164 available. Out of 114 available set gillnet Area M CFEC permits, 110 were used. In addition to Area M permit holders, 42 Area T drift gillnet and 10 Area T set gillnet fishers made at least one delivery during the year. Recent trends in the level of effort can be shown; for example, the number of Area T drift gillnetters fishing in Alaska Peninsula Area waters increased from 37 in 1986 to 102 in 1992 and then decreased to 32 in 1996 (Appendix A.5).

There are approximately 582 salmon systems within the Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Islands Management Areas (Murphy 1992). The South Peninsula has about 185 salmon systems with sockeye salmon found in 23, pink salmon in 110, and chum salmon in 72. A total of 57 coho salmon producing streams have been identified in the South Peninsula but there are likely more. In the North Peninsula, there are about 62 salmon producing systems with chinook present in 10, sockeye in 32, and pink salmon in at least 11. Chum salmon are present in about 52 systems of which 38 are regularly monitored. Coho salmon have been identified in 20 systems but there are likely many more. In the Aleutian Islands and Atka-Amlia Islands Management Areas, there are at least 335 salmon systems with sockeye present in about 45, pink salmon in 319, chum salmon in 11, and coho salmon in at least 35 (Murphy 1992).

Most salmon escapement estimates are derived from aerial surveys; only a few sockeye systems are weired. Currently, six salmon weirs are operated by ADF&G personnel in the Alaska Peninsula Management Area; Ilnik Lagoon, Sandy River, Bear Lake, Nelson River, Thin Point Lake, and Orzinski River. ADF&G has operated Orzinski (Orzenoi) and Ilnik weirs since 1990. Orzinski was weired during 1929-41 and 1990-97. Because the Orzinski Lake sockeye salmon run is

important in determining fishing time for the Northwest Stepovak Section, and the difficulties involved with estimating fish from the air, ADF&G reinstated a weir in 1990. Orzinski is an easy system to weir. It was decided to weir Ilnik due to the often poor conditions for estimating salmon from the air, and the importance of this system in determining fishing time for both the Ilnik Lagoon fishery (predominantly set gillnet gear) and a large drift gillnet fleet fishing outside the lagoon in the Ilnik Section. The 500 foot long weir at Ilnik is very difficult to install and maintain. There were too many problems in securing a fish tight weir in 1990 to obtain good escapement data. In 1991, the Ilnik weir was modified, and during 1991-1995 escapement counts and samples were obtained, but with much difficulty. In 1996, floating weir panels attached to a heavy chain replaced the tripod weir. This latter type of weir works well at Ilnik. In 1994, Thin Point Lake and Sandy River were successfully weired for the first time. With considerable difficulty, a weir was successfully operated in Middle Lagoon at Morzhovoi Bay in 1996. A weir was operated at the Morzhovoi Lake outlet terminus (head of Middle Lagoon) during 1926 through 1935, excluding 1933. The earlier weir was easy to install and operate due to the small size of the outlet stream. However, because of the long delay of sockeye salmon reaching this weir, it was not effective for inseason management. The recent weir location is approximately half way up Middle Lagoon and is a better site for effective for inseason management but is accompanied with difficulties. Besides it's huge size, the Middle Lagoon weir is subject to storm tides and large accumulations of debris. The sockeye salmon are often reluctant to pass through the weir due to the low flow of fresh water and the considerable length of time sockeye naturally spend in the upper lagoon before entering Morzhovoi Lake. Because of these difficulties, it was decided to discontinue operating a weir at Middle Lagoon in 1997.

A weir was first operated on the Bear River during the 1929 through 1932 seasons. This weir was placed immediately above the mouth of the Milky (locally called the Mad Sow) River. This weir was logistically difficult to construct and supply and was not operated long enough to estimate the total sockeye escapement based on present knowledge of the runs. From 1933 through 1952 no salmon counting structure was operated at Bear River. From 1953 through 1960 a weir was operated near the present weir location close to the lake outlet. From 1961 through 1985, a counting tower replaced the weir. From 1986 to the present, a weir has again been used to enumerate Bear River sockeye salmon.

A counting tower was used to enumerate salmon on the Nelson (Sapsuk) River during the 1962 through 1988 seasons. In 1989, the tower was replaced with a floating weir which is still being used.

A counting tower was used on the Sandy River, at the present weir site, during the seasons of 1962 through 1964. After 1964, the Sandy River tower project was abandoned due to budget cuts and the fact that the river was often too muddy to count fish from a tower. A tripod weir has been used at Sandy River since 1994.

Escapement estimates using an indexed count are presented in Appendix D. The indexed escapement method is used on non-weired systems where aerial surveys are used to estimate escapements (Appendix F). This method is used inseason and for historical trends. Escapement data is mostly limited to Alaska Peninsula chinook, sockeye, pink, and chum salmon. Most

escapement estimates in the text are indexed totals except Bear River and Nelson River sockeye salmon 1962-97, Nelson River chinook and chum salmon 1962-85, Orzinski sockeye salmon 1990-97, Ilnik sockeye salmon 1991-97, Sandy River sockeye salmon 1994-97, Thin Point Cove sockeye salmon 1994-97, and Middle Lagoon sockeye salmon 1996 which are tower or weir counts. The indexed totals as calculated are likely lower than the actual totals. Consequently there will be differences after 1984 between figures used in area management reports and those in formally published reports (technical data reports, bulletins, etc.) which use different expansion factors (the estimated total escapement method). Coho salmon are not monitored in most streams due to the difficulty and expense of conducting surveys during the fall. Chinook, sockeye, pink, and chum salmon indexed total escapements from 1962 through 1997 are depicted in Figures 7-10.

The 1987-96 average indexed total escapement in the Alaska Peninsula Area was 15,352 chinook, 1,039,352 sockeye, 2,880,390 pink, and 855,369 chum salmon (Appendix D.1). In 1997, the indexed total chinook salmon escapement of 19,250 was well above the previous 10 year average and the upper indexed total escapement goal of 17,400 fish. The 1997 indexed total sockeye salmon escapement of approximately 924,700 fish was lower than the previous ten year average but was above the upper end of the escapement goal range (805,600). The indexed total escapement of pink salmon in 1997 of 5,268,000 was the second (to 1995) highest on record in the Alaska Peninsula Area. The 1997 indexed total chum salmon escapement of approximately 1,197,235 fish was near the higher end of the goal range of 695,700 to 1,381,400 and was well above the previous ten year average. No attempt was made to record area wide coho salmon escapements due to the difficulties and expense of conducting fall surveys. Due to cost, logistics, and low availability of suitable aircraft, complete escapement data is not available in the Aleutian Islands and Atka-Amlia Islands Areas.

Subsistence And Personal Use Fisheries

The Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands communities of Sand Point, King Cove, False Pass, Nelson Lagoon, Port Heiden, Akutan, Atka, Unalaska, Nikolski, and Cold Bay use local resources for subsistence. Salmon subsistence permits are issued to residents in these areas through the ADF&G offices in Sand Point, King Cove, Cold Bay, Port Moller, and Dutch Harbor. Information from returned permits is used to extrapolate catches for all permits issued. There are probably many fish kept from commercial catches for personal use that are not reported on fish tickets nor on subsistence permits. There is no expansion of fish tickets or the returned permits to account for these salmon. Permits are not required to subsistence fish in the Akutan and Umnak Districts; consequently no catch estimates are available for the communities of Akutan, Nikolski, and Atka. From 1988 through 1997 subsistence salmon fishing was not allowed in the Adak District. However, a personal use salmon fishery was allowed on Adak and Kagalaska Islands for Alaska residents. Beginning in 1998, subsistence salmon fishing will again be allowed in the Adak District (permits will be required).

In 1997, a total of 217 subsistence permits were issued in the Alaska Peninsula Area and 221 permits were issued for Unalaska (Aleutian Islands Area); 18 personal use permits were issued to people from Adak Island (Appendices C.1 - C.3). In 1997, 79.3% of the Alaska Peninsula and

73.8% of the Unalaska District subsistence permits were returned. The Adak-Kagalaska Islands personal use permit return rate was 71.0%.

In 1997, the Alaska Peninsula Area subsistence salmon harvest was an estimated 26,096 salmon composed of 420 chinook, 15,224 sockeye, 4,612 coho, 2,955 pink, and 2,885 chum salmon (Appendix C.1). The Unalaska District subsistence salmon harvest during 1997 is estimated to be 5,728 salmon composed of 8 chinook, 4,192 sockeye, 864 coho, 554 pink, and 110 chum salmon (Appendix C.2). The Adak-Kagalaska Islands personal use salmon catch in 1997 is estimated to be 229 sockeye salmon and four chum salmon (Appendix C.3).

The number of subsistence fishermen and the amount of salmon caught for subsistence purposes in the Alaska Peninsula Area increased substantially from 1985-90 to 1991-97 (Appendix C.1). In 1985-90, an annual average of 179 subsistence permit holders harvested an average of 14,411 salmon. During 1993-97 an average of 246 permit holders harvested an annual average of 24,643 salmon. Reasons for the increase in permits are an increase in out of area residents fishing Mortensen's Lagoon near Cold Bay and possibly a larger human population in the Alaska Peninsula Area (Appendix C.6 and C.9).

The number of subsistence salmon permits (221) issued for fishing at Unalaska during 1997 was the highest on record. The estimated harvest of 5,728 salmon was the third highest since 1985 (Appendix C.1).

There is considerable variation in the species and numbers of salmon used for subsistence, among communities (Appendices C.4 and C.5). This variation is probably due to differences in salmon availability.

The Mortensen's Lagoon subsistence fishery (Cold Bay road system) attracts more out of area Alaska residents (primarily from Anchorage and the Matanuska-Susitna Valley) than any other Alaska Peninsula Area subsistence fishery. In 1997, it was estimated that 15 out of the 36 permit holders estimated to harvest Mortensen's Lagoon salmon, were out-of-area residents (Appendix C.6).

Thin Point Lagoon, located approximately 12 air miles west of King Cove, is a very important source of subsistence sockeye and coho salmon for residents of King Cove (Appendices C.7 and C.9), although harvest effort decreased for unknown reasons in 1997.

The Reese Bay, Unalaska Island, subsistence fishery occurs on a small sockeye salmon run that appears to be fully utilized by subsistence fishers. The 1997 Reese Bay harvest was an estimated 3,945 sockeye salmon (Appendices C.8 and C.9). The major Unalaska Island subsistence salmon fishing locations during 1997 are listed in Appendix C.8. Reese Bay received far more fishing effort than all of the other locations on Unalaska Island combined during 1997.

The Adak-Kagalaska Islands personal use salmon harvest primarily consists of sockeye salmon taken at Quail Bay and Galas Point on Kagalaska Island and Hidden Bay on the south side of Adak

Island. A few pink and coho salmon are harvested on the north side of Adak Island. After 1993, the personal use effort decreased greatly from previous years due to reductions in U.S. Navy personnel stationed at Adak. In 1997, the civilian population of Adak increased because of base cleanup work. Eighteen permits were issued in 1997 and an estimated 229 sockeye salmon and four chum salmon were harvested (Appendices C.3 and C.10). The department estimated that 172 of the sockeye were harvested at Quail Bay on Kagalaska Island with the remainder of the sockeye salmon being taken at Galas Point (also on Kagalaska Island).

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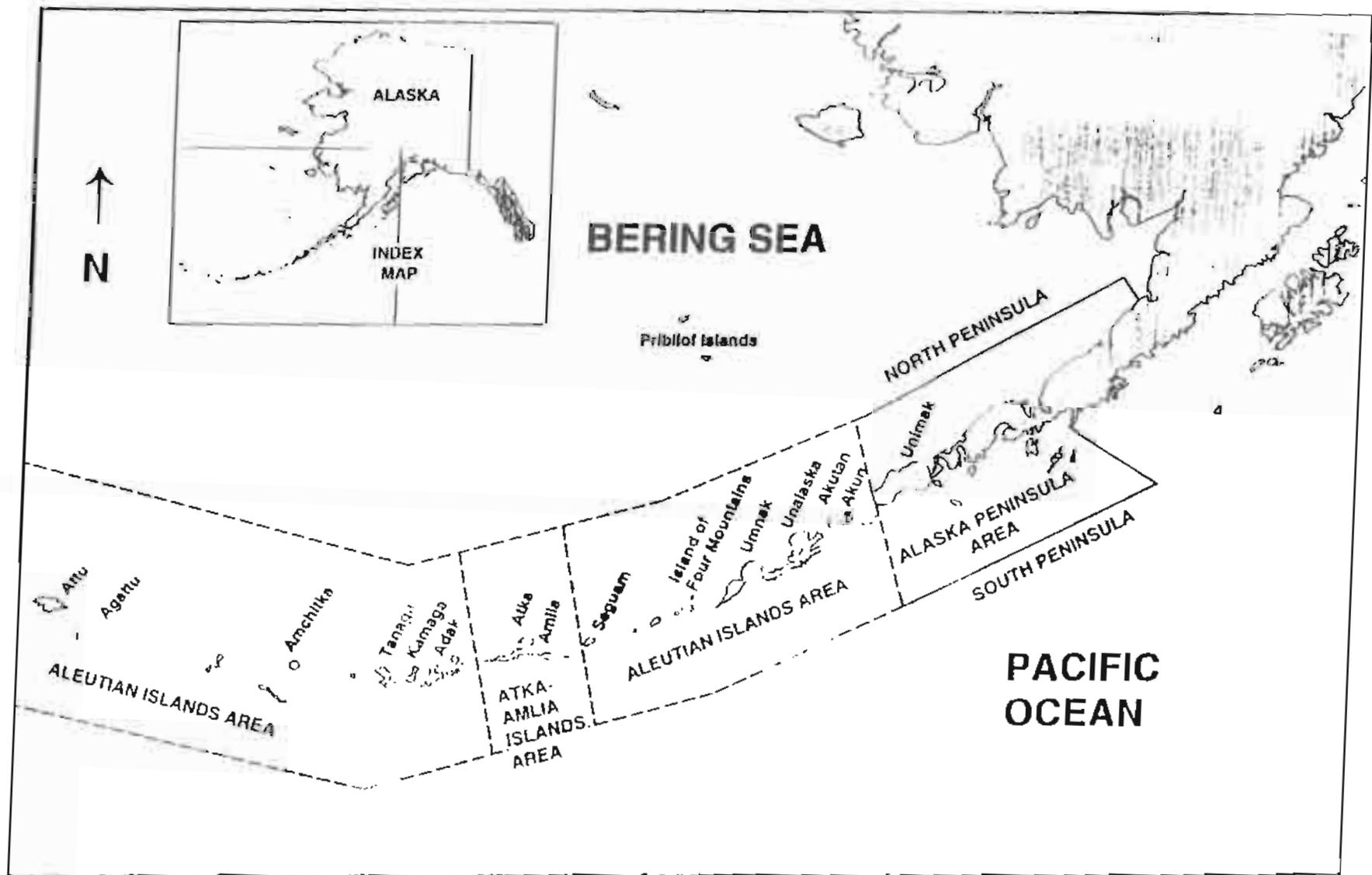


Figure 1. Map of the Aleutian Islands, Atka-Amlia Islands, and Alaska Peninsula Areas

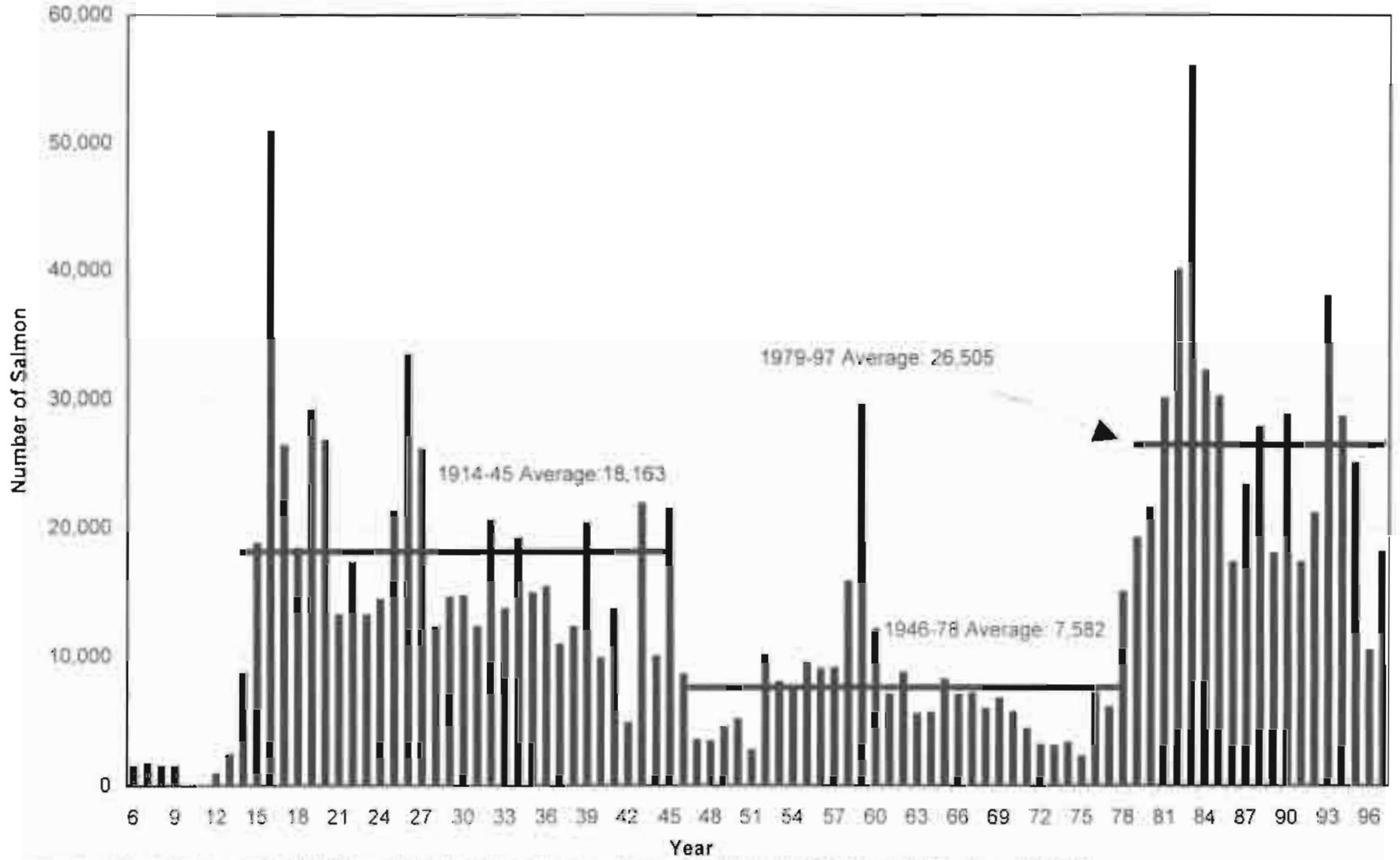


Figure 2. The combined Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amalia Area harvest of chinook salmon by year, 1906-97

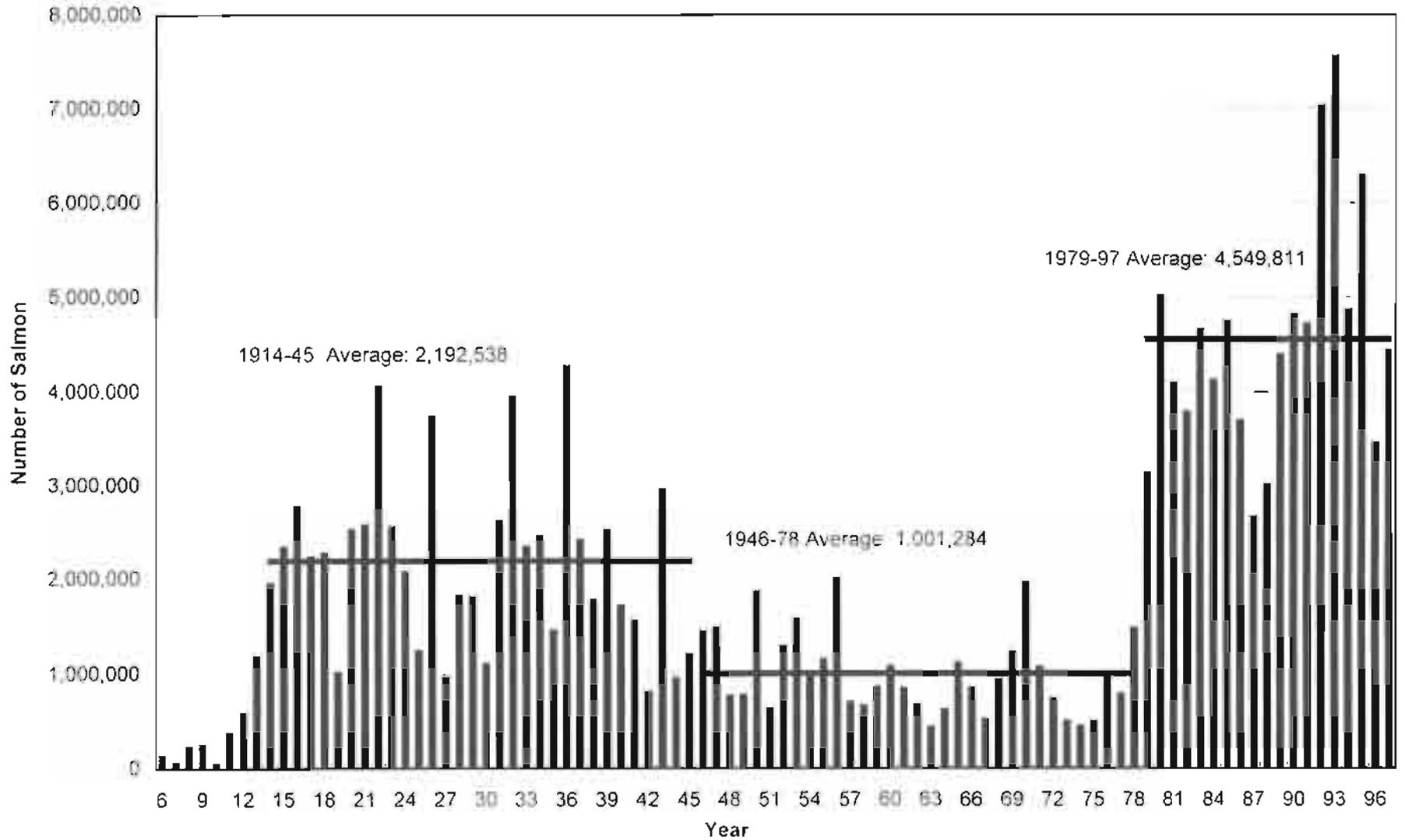


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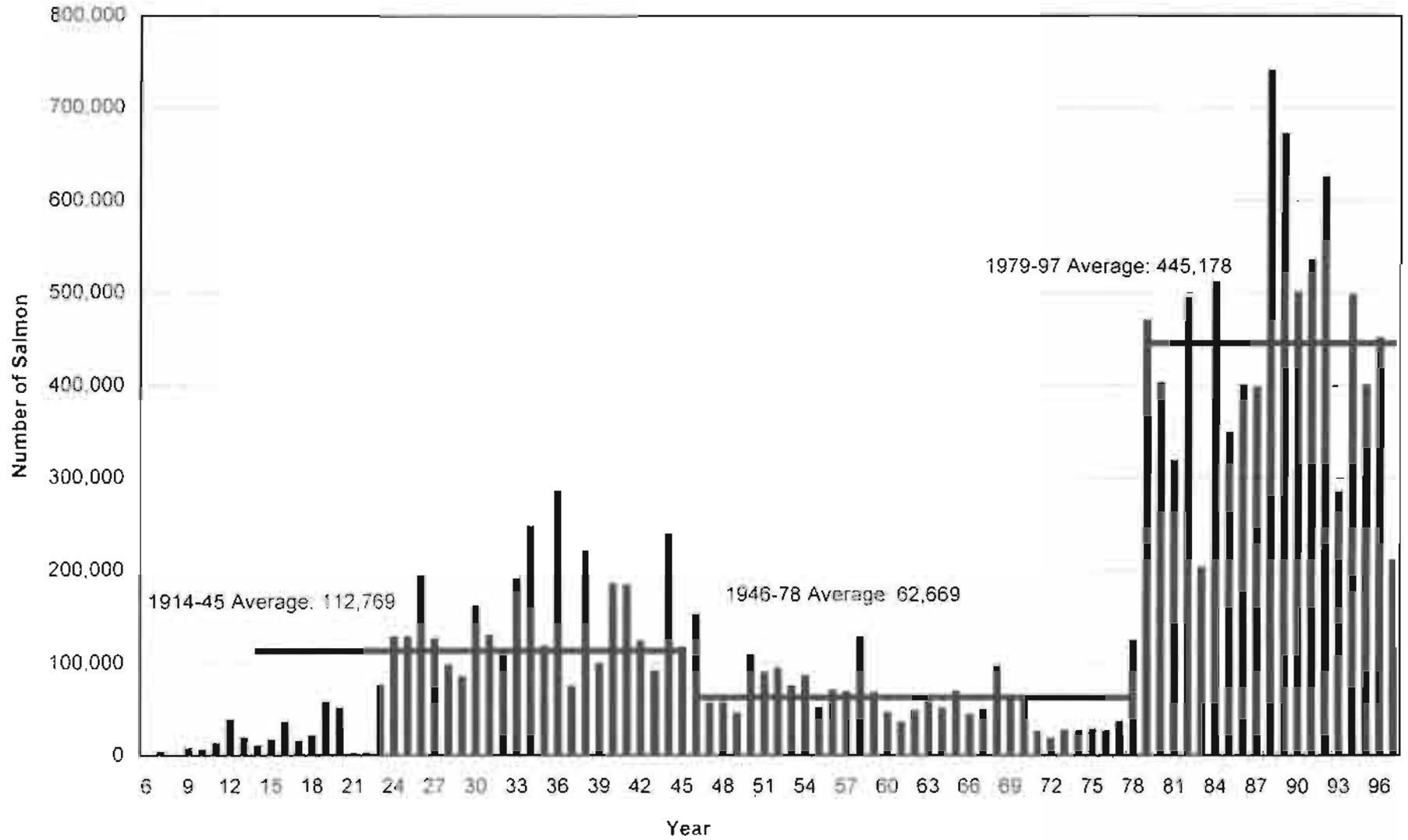


Figure 4. The combined Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amliia Area harvest of coho salmon by year, 1906-97.

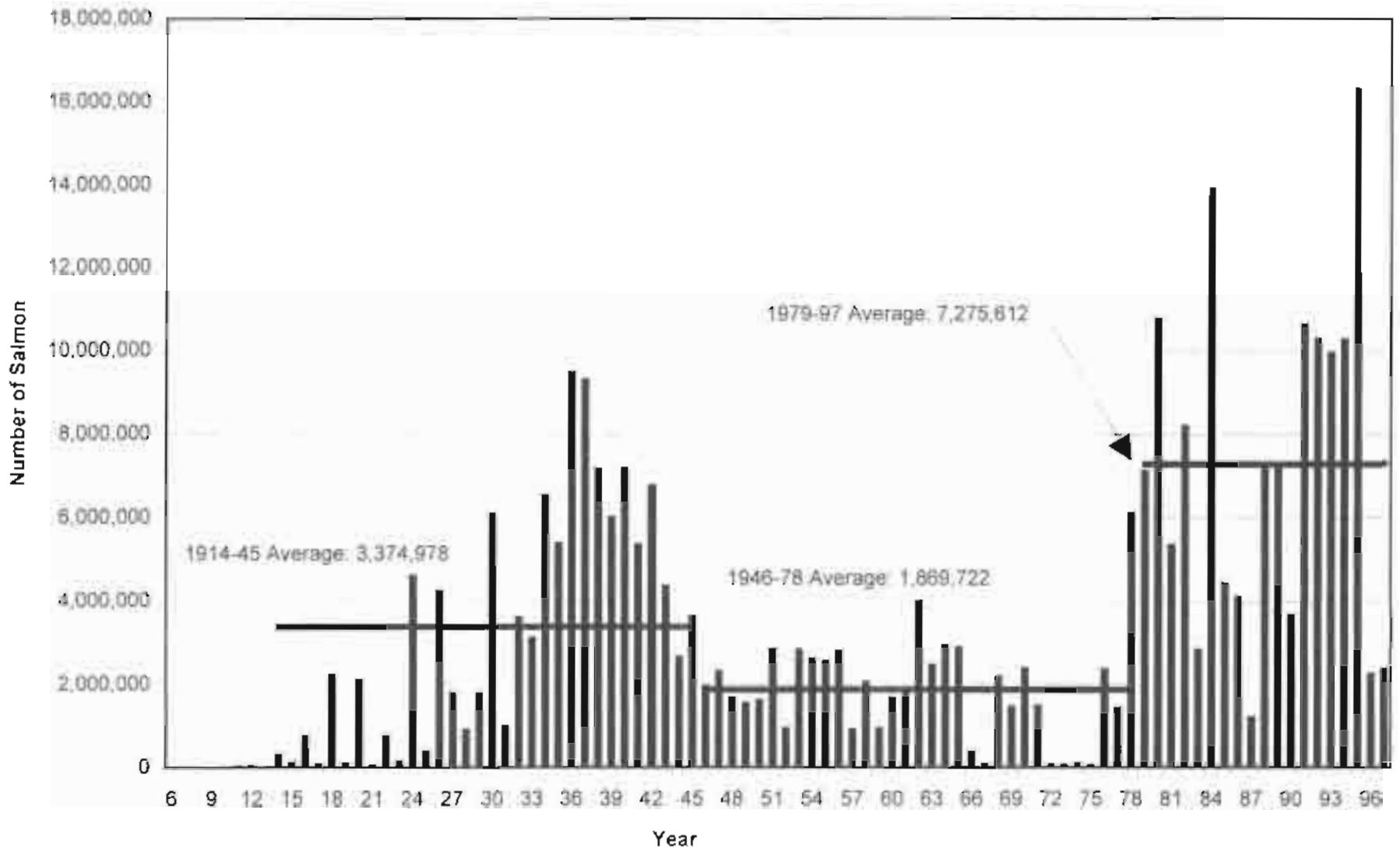


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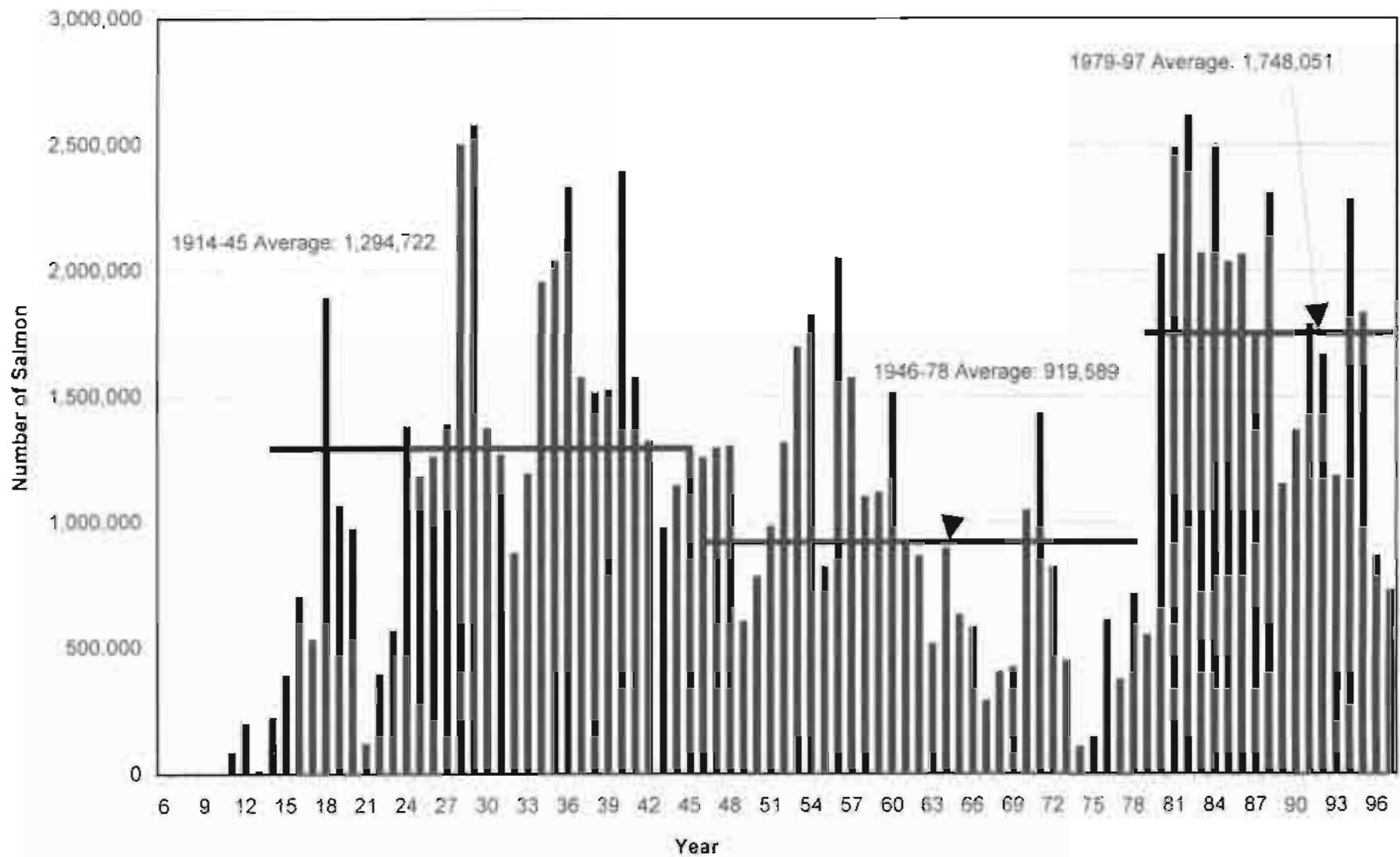


Figure 6. The combined Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amliia Atca harvest of chum salmon by year, 1906-97.

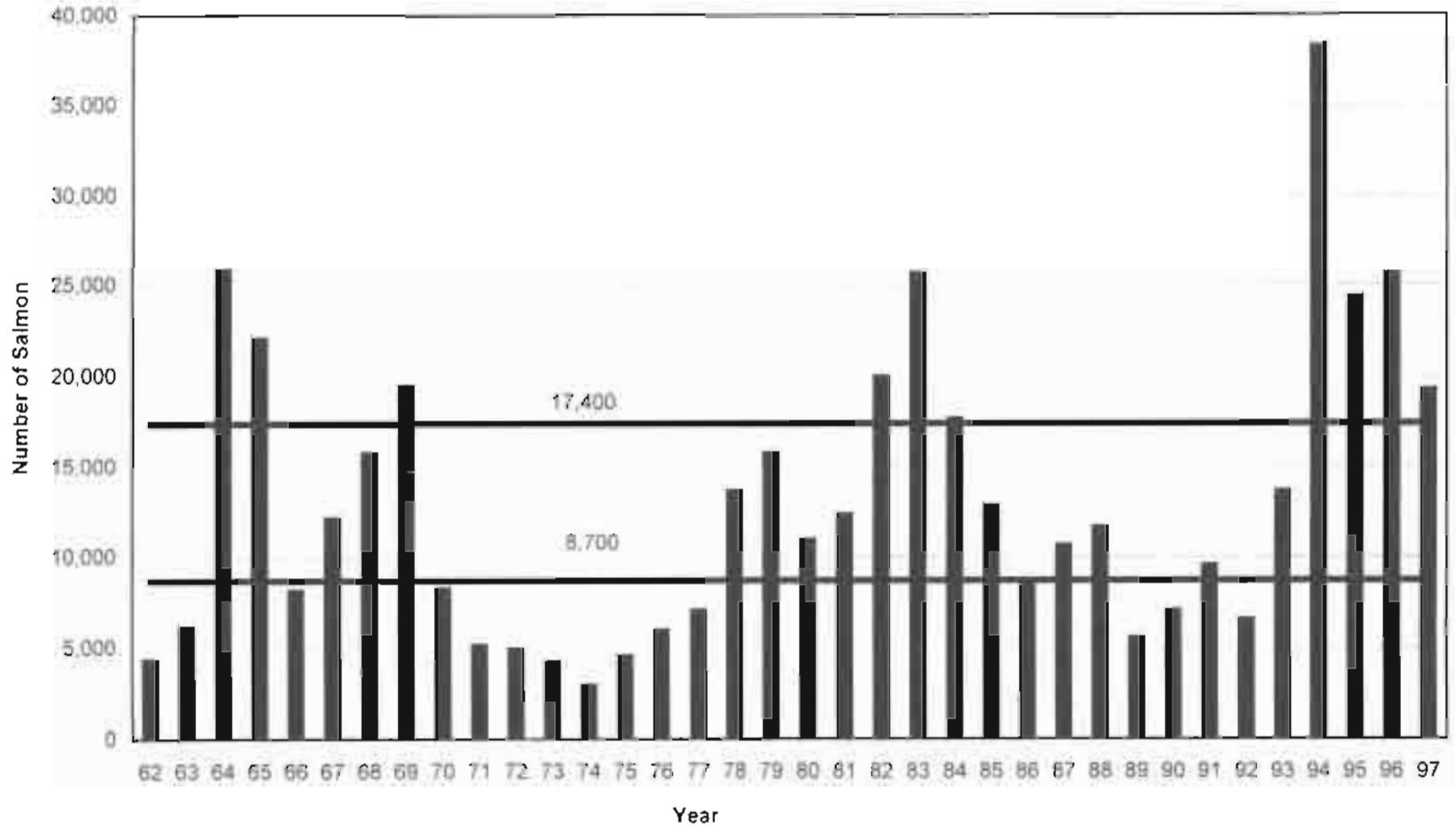


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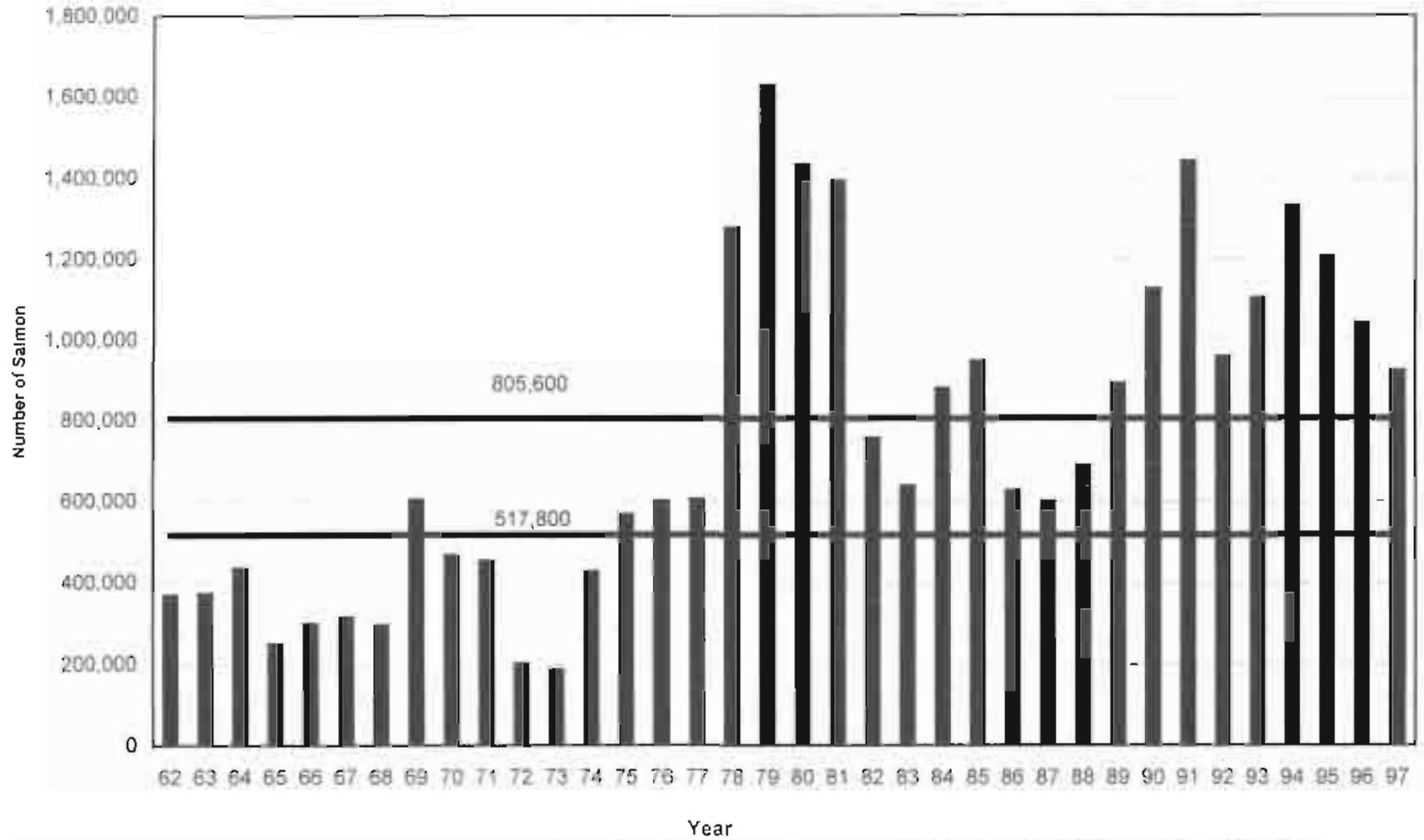


Figure 8. The Alaska Peninsula sockeye salmon total indexed escapement by year, with the low (517,800) and high (805,600) escapement goals defined, 1962-97.

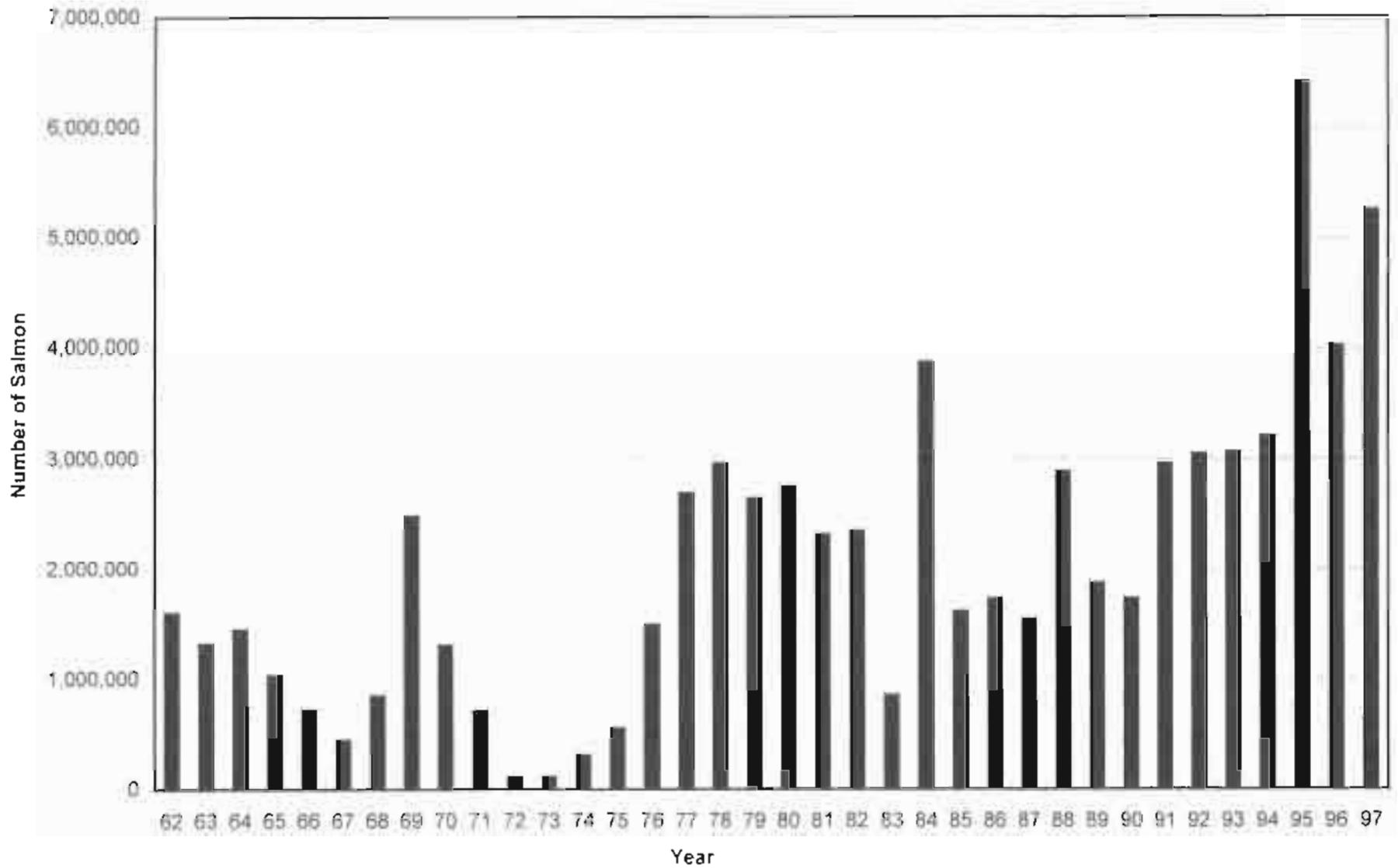


Figure 9. The Alaska Peninsula pink salmon total indexed escapement by year, 1962-97.

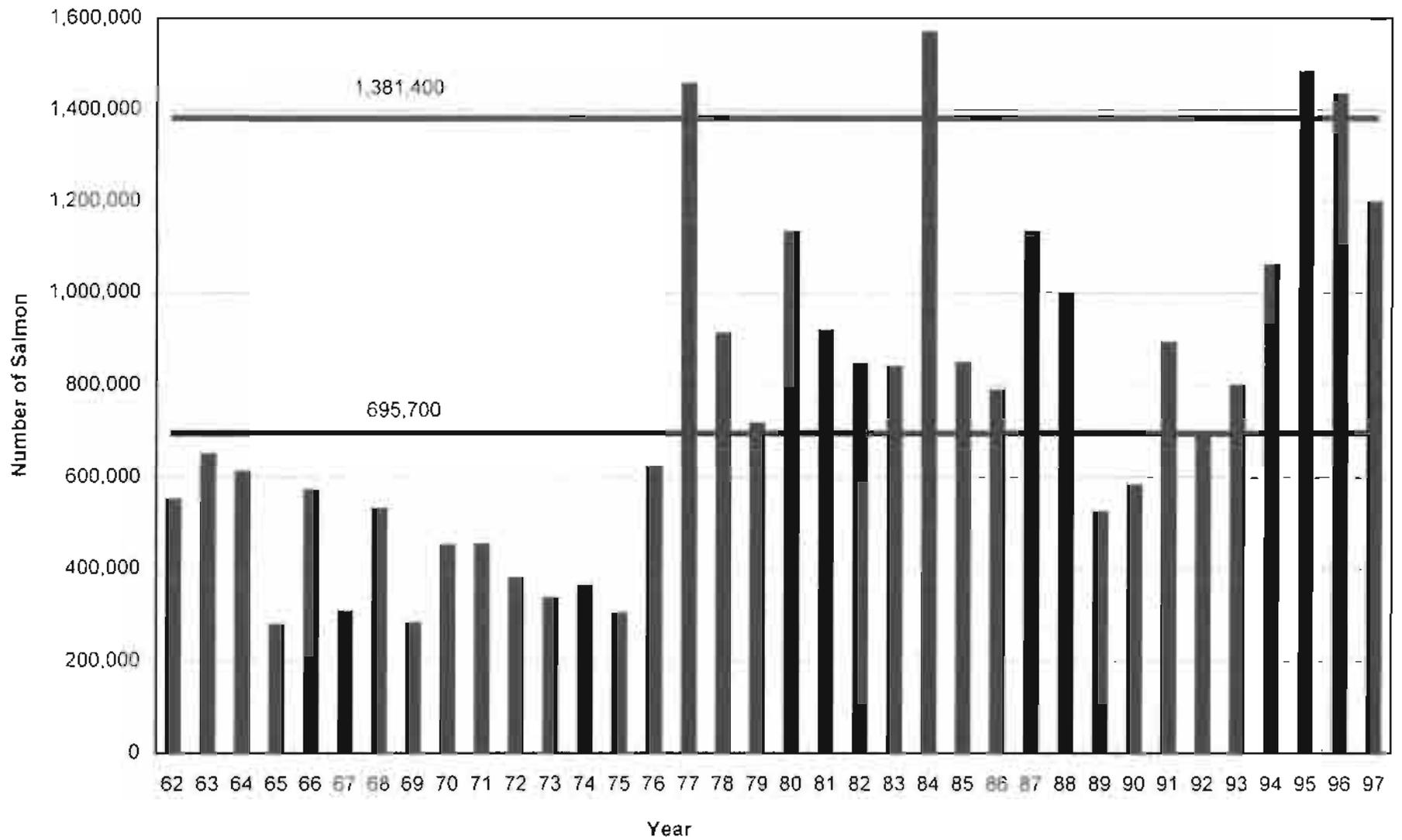


Figure 10. The Alaska Peninsula chum salmon total indexed escapement by year, with the low (695,700) and high (1,381,400) escapement goals defined, 1962-97.

APPENDIX

Appendix A.1. List of statistical salmon fishing areas in the Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Management Areas.

Area	Statistical Areas
Alaska Peninsula	28100 through 28599 plus 31111 through 31899
<u>South Peninsula prior to 1991</u>	28100 through 28499
<u>Southeastern District Mainland*</u>	28100 through 28299 plus 28370, 28375, 28380, and 28390
East Stepovak	28134, 28135, 28136
Stepovak Flats	28133
Northwest Stepovak	28110 through 28132
Orzinski and American Bays	28131
Southwest Stepovak	28390
Balboa Bay	28380
Beaver Bay*	28370, 28375
Shumagin Islands	28200 through 28299
<u>South Central District</u>	28361 through 28369
<u>Southwestern District</u>	28300 through 28352 plus 28460
<u>Unimak District</u>	28400 through 28450 plus 28310
June South Unimak Fishery	28310 through 28330 plus 28420 through 28460
South Peninsula after 1990	28100 through 28599
<u>Southeastern District</u>	28100 through 28299
<u>Southeastern District Mainland</u>	28100 through 28199
East Stepovak	28100 through 28125
Stepovak Flats	28130
Northwest Stepovak	28140 through 28169
Orzinski Bay	28150
American Bay	28155
Southwest Stepovak	28170
Balboa Bay	28180
Beaver Bay	28190
Shumagin Islands	28200 through 28299
<u>South Central District</u>	28300 through 28399
Mino Creek - Little Coal Bay Sect.	28315, 28317
East Pavlof Bay Section	28320, 28321, 28323
Canoe Bay Section	28324
West Pavlof Bay Section	28325, 28326
<u>Southwestern District</u>	28400 through 28499
Volcano Bay Section	28436, 28437, 28438
Belkofski Bay Section	28442
Deer Island Section	28455
Cold Bay Section	28462, 28465, 28467
Thin Point Section	28475
Morzhovoi Bay Section	28480
Ikatan Bay Section	28490
<u>Unimak District</u>	28500 through 28599
Sanak Island Section	28510
Otter Cove Section	28520, 28530
Cape Lutke Section	28540
June South Unimak fishery	28400 through 28599
North Peninsula	31111 through 31820
<u>Northwestern District</u>	31111 through 31299
Dublin Bay Section	31120
Urilia Bay Section	31132 through 31142
Swanson Lagoon Section	31152
Bechevin Bay Section	31158 through 31160
Izembek- Moffet Bay Section	31210 through 31240
<u>Northern District</u>	31300 through 31899
Black Hills Section	31310
Caribou Flats Section	31320
Nelson Lagoon Section	31330
Herendeen -Moller Bay Section	31420, 31430
Port Moller Bight Section	31412
Bear River Section	31500 through 31599
Three Hills Section	31610
Ilnik Section	31620 through 31699

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Area	Statistical Areas
Ilnik Lagoon	31622
Outer Port Heiden Section	31710
Inner Port Heiden Section	31720
Cinder River Section	31820
Harbor Point to Cape Seniavin	31500 through 31599 and 31412
Cape Seniavin to Strogonof Point	31600 through 31699
Harbor Point to Strogonof Point	31500 through 31699 and 31412
Aleutian Island Area	30200 through 30999 and 31110
Atka-Amlia Area	30500 through 30599

^a In 1985, statistical area 28370 became two areas (28370 and 28375). In 1988, Beaver Bay (28375) became part of the Southeastern District while the Mino Creek-Little Coal Bay area (28370) became part of the South Central District. In 1991, statistical areas were changed to reflect Alaska Board of Fish management plans. As an aid in comparing statistics, catches from 1970-90 from statistical areas 28370 and 28375 have been designated as Beaver Bay catches from the Southeastern District. After 1990, these statistical areas were eliminated, Beaver Bay became 28190 (Southeastern District) and the Mino Creek-Little Coal Bay area became 28317 and 28315 (South Central District).

Appendix A.2. Processing companies purchasing salmon in the Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas, 1997.

Alaska Peninsula Fisherman's Cooperative
P.O. Box 1488
Sumner, WA 98310-1488
Phone (253) 833-5776

Icicle Seafoods, Inc.
4019 21st Avenue W.
P.O. Box 79003
Seattle, WA 98119
Phone (206) 282-0988
Fax (206) 282-7222

Norquest Seafoods, Inc.
4225 23rd Avenue W.
Seattle, WA 98199
Phone (206) 281-7022
Fax (206) 285-8159

North Alaska Fisheries, Inc.
P.O. Box 92737
Anchorage, AK 99509-2737
Phone (907) 561-2671

North Coast Seafood Processors
P.O. Box 70668
Seattle, WA 98107
Phone (206) 789-5108
Fax (206) 789-7329

Pacatlantic Fisheries, Inc.
1818 Westlake Ave. N #408
Seattle, WA 98109
Phone (206) 282-4422

Peter Pan Seafoods, Inc.
2200 6th Avenue #1000
Seattle, WA 98121
Phone (206) 728-6000
Fax (206) 441-9090

Trident Seafoods Corporation
5303 Shilshole Avenue NW
Seattle, WA 98107
Phone (206) 783-3818
Fax (206) 782-7195

Woodbine Alaska Fish Company
P.O. Box 218
Egegik, AK 99579-0218
Phone (907) 233-2205 or
(707) 374-5912
Fax (907) 233-2214

Yak, Inc.
123 NW 36th, Suite 230
Seattle, WA 98107
Phone (206) 547-3002

Appendix A.3. Estimated value of Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands commercial salmon fishery, 1997.^{a,b}

	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
SEINE						
South Peninsula						
Poundage	61,801	3,557,654	315,308	6,897,645	2,926,237	13,758,645
Average Weight	13.7	5.6	6.7	3.1	7.0	
Exvessel Value	\$32,700	3,224,000	79,050	1,029,000	307,000	4,671,750
Northwestern District						
Poundage	0	70,346	325	3,007	310,963	384,641
Average Weight	-	5.5	7.7	3.3	7.3	
Exvessel Value	\$0	66,000	100	500	35,000	101,600
Northern District						
Poundage	68	13,141	0	92	1,214	14,515
Average Weight	34.0	5.8	-	3.1	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$30	12,000	0	10	200	12,240
North Peninsula Total						
Poundage	68	83,487	325	3,099	312,177	399,156
Average Weight	34.0	5.6	7.7	3.3	7.3	
Exvessel Value	\$30	78,000	100	510	35,200	113,840
Aleutian Islands Area						
Poundage	0	0	0	0	0	0
Average Weight	-	-	-	-	-	-
Exvessel Value	\$0	0.0	0	0	0	0
Total Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas						
Poundage	61,869	3,641,141	315,633	6,900,744	3,238,414	14,157,801
Average Weight	13.7	5.6	6.7	3.1	7.0	
Exvessel Value	\$32,730	3,302,000	79,150	1,029,510	342,200	4,785,590
South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June Fisheries ^{b,c}						
Poundage	50,129	2,810,287	306	1,578,211	1,088,403	5,527,336
Average Weight	15.0	5.5	6.1	2.7	6.1	
Exvessel Value	\$28,000	2,529,000	50	79,000	87,000	2,723,050
DRIFT GILLNET						
South Peninsula						
Poundage	31,665	5,013,704	125,469	70,433	927,688	6,168,959
Average Weight	14.3	5.4	6.3	3.2	6.6	
Exvessel Value	\$17,100	4,519,000	39,400	10,000	81,000	4,666,500

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	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Northwestern District						
Poundage	152	221,933	1,726	14,621	22,603	261,035
Average Weight	21.7	5.8	6.4	3.5	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$60	204,000	900	2,600	3,400	210,960
Northern District						
Poundage	124,597	10,120,405	499,941	144,553	296,192	11,185,688
Average Weight	17.9	5.7	7.9	3.2	6.7	
Exvessel Value	\$74,000	10,625,000	263,000	17,000	44,000	11,023,000
Total North Peninsula						
Poundage	124,749	10,342,338	501,667	159,174	318,795	11,446,723
Average Weight	17.9	5.7	7.9	3.3	6.7	
Exvessel Value	\$74,060	10,829,000	263,900	19,600	47,400	11,233,960
Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas Total						
Poundage	156,414	15,356,042	627,136	229,607	1,246,483	17,615,682
Average Weight	17.0	5.6	7.5	3.3	6.6	
Exvessel Value	\$91,160	15,348,000	303,300	29,600	128,400	15,900,460
Area T						
Poundage	56,799	23,937	295,382	0	207	376,325
Average Weight	18.0	6.5	8.3	-	5.9	
Exvessel Value	\$37,000	18,000	162,000	0	20	217,020
Area M						
Poundage	99,615	15,332,105	331,754	229,607	1,246,276	17,239,357
Average Weight	16.5	5.6	6.8	3.3	6.6	
Exvessel Value	\$54,160	15,330,000	141,300	29,600	128,380	15,683,440
South Unimak-Shumagin Islands June Fisheries^{b,c}						
Poundage	31,431	4,871,136	2,544	20,362	833,024	5,758,497
Average Weight	14.3	5.4	5.6	2.8	6.5	
Exvessel Value	\$17,000	4,384,000	400	1,000	67,000	4,469,400
SET GILLNET						
South Peninsula						
Poundage	6,031	4,315,418	354,153	213,246	336,009	5,224,857
Average Weight	13.6	6.2	7.9	3.4	7	
Exvessel Value	\$2,900	3,884,000	124,050	35,000	42,000	4,087,950
Northwestern District						
Poundage	48	41,554	0	133	1,688	43,423
Average Weight	24.0	5.4	-	3.8	7.2	
Exvessel Value	\$20	38,000	0	20	250	38,290

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	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Northern District						
Poundage	60,240	1,880,573	245,894	3,190	45,858	2,235,755
Average Weight	17.7	5.9	7.9	3.5	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$29,000	1,975,000	116,000	300	7,000	2,127,300
North Peninsula Total						
Poundage	60,288	1,922,127	245,894	3,323	47,546	2,279,178
Average Weight	17.7	5.9	7.9	3.5	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$29,020	2,013,000	116,000	320	7,250	2,165,590
Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Total						
Poundage	66,319	6,237,545	600,047	216,569	383,555	7,504,035
Average Weight	17.2	6.1	7.9	3.4	6.9	
Exvessel Value	\$31,920	5,897,000	240,050	35,320	49,250	6,253,540
Area T						
Poundage	10,115	8,494	52,903	0	6	71,518
Average Weight	17.8			-	6.0	
Exvessel Value	\$6,600	6,400	29,100	0	1	42,101
Area M						
Poundage	56,204	6,229,051	547,144	216,569	383,549	7,432,517
Average Weight	17.1	6.1	7.9	3.4	6.9	
Exvessel Value	\$25,320	5,890,600	210,950	35,320	49,249	6,211,439
South Unimak-Shumagin Islands June Fisheries^{b,c}						
Poundage	3,824	1,256,782	331	22,217	112,812	1,395,966
Average Weight	14.1	5.8	5.7	3	6.5	
Exvessel Value	\$2,000	1,131,000	50	1,000	9,000	1,143,050
ALL GEAR COMBINED						
South Peninsula						
Poundage	99,497	12,886,776	794,930	7,181,324	4,189,934	25,152,461
Average Weight	13.9	5.7	7.0	3.2	6.9	
Exvessel Value	\$52,700	11,627,000	242,500	1,074,000	430,000	13,426,200
Northwestern District						
Poundage	200	333,833	2,051	17,761	335,254	689,099
Average Weight	22.9	5.6	7.1	3.5	7.1	
Exvessel Value	\$80	308,000	1,000	3,120	38,650	350,850
Northern District						
Poundage	184,905	12,014,119	745,835	147,835	343,264	13,435,958
Average Weight	23.2	5.8	7.9	3.3	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$103,030	12,612,000	379,000	17,310	51,200	13,162,540

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	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
North Peninsula Total						
Poundage	185,105	12,347,952	747,886	165,596	678,518	14,125,057
Average Weight	23.0	5.7	7.5	3.4	6.9	
Exvessel Value	\$103,110	12,920,000	380,000	20,430	89,850	13,513,390
Aleutian Islands Total						
Poundage	0	0	0	0	0	0
Average Weight	-	-	-	-	-	
Exvessel Value	\$0	0	0	0	0	0
Total Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas						
Poundage	284,602	25,234,728	1,542,816	7,346,920	4,868,452	39,277,518
Average Weight	16.0	5.8	7.4	3.3	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$155,810	24,547,000	622,500	1,094,430	519,850	26,939,590
Area T						
Poundage	66,914	32,431	348,285	0	213	447,843
Average Weight	17.9	6.5	8.3	-	6.0	
Exvessel Value	\$43,600	24,400	191,100	0	21	259,121
Area M						
Poundage	217,688	25,202,297	1,194,531	7,346,920	4,868,239	38,829,675
Average Weight	16.8	5.9	7.4	3.4	6.8	
Exvessel Value	\$112,210	24,522,600	431,400	1,094,430	519,829	26,680,469
South Unimak-Shumagin Islands June Fisheries^{b,c}						
Poundage	85,384	8,938,205	3,181	1,620,790	2,034,239	12,681,799
Average Weight	14.5	5.6	5.8	2.8	6.4	
Exvessel Value	\$47,000	8,044,000	500	81,000	163,000	8,335,500

^a All value figures are estimates based on limited information.

^b Does not include test fisheries.

^c These figures are included in the South Peninsula and total Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas.

Appendix A.4. Number of limited entry permits^a and fishing effort^b in the Alaska Peninsula Management Area, 1984-1997.

Year	PURSE SEINE		DRIFT GILLNET			SET GILLNET		
	Area M Permits ^a Available	Area M Permits Fished	Area M Permits Available	Area M Permits ^c Fished	Area T Permits Fished	Area M Permits Available	Area M Permits ^c Fished	Area T Permits Fished
1984	125	121	165	158	44	114	103	15
1985	125	123	165	158	44	114	103	18
1986	125	121	165	163	37	114	100	7
1987	125	116	165	163	48	114	108	9
1988	125	114	165	162	59	114	106	14
1989	125	119	165	158	64	114	111	18
1990	126	121	164	166	63	114	114	15
1991	126	126	164	162	68	114	111	12
1992	125	119	164	161	102	114	111	18
1993	125	123	164	162	50	114	114	11
1994	125	118	164	164	77	114	108	9
1995	125	118	164	164	81	114	110	12
1996	124	102	164	164	32	114	110	6
1997	122	82	164	158	42	114	110	10

^a Includes both permanent permits and interim use permits.

^b Making at least one delivery during the year.

^c During a portion of the season, in specific sections, Area T set and drift gillnet fishermen are allowed to fish in portions of the Alaska Peninsula Area.

Appendix A.5. Units of gear used in the Alaska Peninsula Area, 1984-1997.^a

Year	<u>Seine Gear</u>	<u>Area M Drift Gillnet Gear</u>		
	South Unimak & Shumagin Island June Fishery	South Unimak June Fishery	North Peninsula Only	Total Area M Drift Gillnetters
1984	101	147	11	158
1985	107	150	9	158
1986	99	156	7	163
1987	86	144	19	163
1988	90	148	14	162
1989	99	145	13	158
1990	109	153	14	166
1991	112	157	5	162
1992	112	141	20	161
1993	116	140	22	162
1994	114	145	19	164
1995	112	151	13	164
1996	99	147	17	164
1997	81	142	16	158

Area T Drift Gillnet Gear

Year	Ilnik and Outer Port Heiden ^b	Inner Port Heiden	Cinder River Only	Total Area T
	1984	8	19	25
1985	0	25	23	48
1986	13	23	1	37
1987	17	23	10	50
1988	22	28	18	68
1989	34	22	15	71
1990	0	28	39	67
1991	0	22	50	72
1992	0	20	85	105
1993	0	17	34	51
1994	0	18	59	77
1995	0	19	62	81
1996	0	0	32	32
1997	0	17	25	42

^a During July and August some gillnet (both drift and set) fishermen who have seine permits hand purse seine pink and chum salmon. Several set gillnetters listed are seiners or drift gillnetters during most of the year.

^b After 1989 the Outer Port Heiden Section was closed and Area T fishermen were regulated out of the Ilnik Section except Ilnik Lagoon.

Area M Set Gillnet Gear

Year	Southeastern District	South Unimak June	North Peninsula
1984	52	6	38
1985	53	10	39
1986	47	10	40
1987	58	12	39
1988	57	11	36
1989	62	27	35
1990	66	19	34
1991	67	17	35
1992	63	29	34
1993	67	25	32
1994	62	28	33
1995	60	21	50
1996	68	19	44
1997	63	31	47

At times, some set gillnetters will fish both the Southeastern District and South Unimak during June.

Area T Set Gillnet Gear

Year	Inner Port Heiden	Cinder River	Total Area T
1984	4	11	15
1985	6	11	18
1986	7	0	7
1987	5	4	9
1988	7	7	14
1989	5	13	18
1990	5	11	15
1991	4	8	12
1992	4	14	18
1993	3	8	11
1994	2	7	9
1995	5	7	12
1996	0	6	6
1997	3	7	10

° Some Area M set gillnetters participated in more than one of the below listed fishing locations.

Appendix B.1. Alaska Peninsula-Aleutian Islands commercial salmon harvest in numbers of fish by year, for the South Peninsula, North Peninsula, Aleutian Islands, and Atka-Amlia Areas, 1906-1997.^a

Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1906	South Peninsula	0	0	0	0	0	0
	North Peninsula	1,500	135,000	0	0	0	136,500
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1,500	135,000	0	0	0	136,500
1907	South Peninsula	0	0	0	0	0	0
	North Peninsula	1,700	66,500	3,200	1,500	0	72,900
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1,700	66,500	3,200	1,500	0	72,900
1908	South Peninsula	0	69,400	0	0	0	69,400
	North Peninsula	1,500	166,900	0	0	0	168,400
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1,500	236,300	0	0	0	237,800
1909	South Peninsula	0	108,400	7,200	0	0	115,600
	North Peninsula	1,500	143,000	0	0	1,000	145,500
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	1,500	251,400	7,200	0	1,000	261,100
1910	South Peninsula	0	46,300	5,500	0	0	51,800
	North Peninsula	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	0	46,300	5,500	0	0	51,800
1911	South Peninsula	0	240,800	12,400	25,200	83,000	361,400
	North Peninsula	0	129,600	0	0	0	129,600
	Aleutians	0	9,300	0	0	0	9,300
	Total	0	379,700	12,400	25,200	83,000	500,300
1912	South Peninsula	0	334,400	27,000	40,400	195,000	596,800
	North Peninsula	900	252,700	11,000	0	2,400	267,000
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	900	587,100	38,000	40,400	197,400	863,800
1913	South Peninsula	1,800	299,700	0	0	7,000	308,500
	North Peninsula	600	888,800	18,700	0	2,000	910,100
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	2,400	1,188,500	18,700	0	9,000	1,218,600
1914	South Peninsula	600	628,900	0	311,000	221,100	1,171,500
	North Peninsula	8,100	1,325,100	0	0	0	1,333,200
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	8,700	1,954,000	9,900	311,000	221,100	2,504,700

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1915	South Peninsula	4,800	367,900	16,200	120,100	333,100	842,100
	North Peninsula	14,000	1,974,300	0	0	54,800	2,043,100
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	18,800	2,342,200	16,200	120,100	387,900	2,885,200
1916	South Peninsula	6,800	730,900	34,100	576,100	508,900	1,856,800
	North Peninsula	44,200	1,974,700	0	2,600	191,400	2,212,900
	Aleutians	0	76,500	1,200	180,300	100	258,100
	Total	51,000	2,782,100	35,300	759,000	700,400	4,327,800
1917	South Peninsula	6,400	1,486,100	4,600	72,100	415,500	1,984,700
	North Peninsula	20,000	679,600	6,800	600	90,300	797,300
	Aleutians	0	70,400	3,800	600	23,100	97,900
	Total	26,400	2,236,100	15,200	73,300	528,900	2,879,900
1918	South Peninsula	8,700	1,014,100	16,300	2,150,000	1,501,000	4,690,900
	North Peninsula	9,700	1,208,500	0	1,200	252,300	1,471,700
	Aleutians	0	55,200	4,400	75,600	135,200	270,400
	Total	18,400	2,277,800	20,700	2,227,600	1,888,500	6,433,000
1919	South Peninsula	9,600	619,100	56,100	80,200	921,400	1,686,400
	North Peninsula	19,600	389,200	0	12,000	143,500	564,300
	Aleutians	0	3,900	800	4,000	0	8,700
	Total	29,200	1,012,200	56,900	96,200	1,064,900	2,259,400
1920	South Peninsula	7,800	1,142,300	47,700	2,109,800	934,000	4,241,600
	North Peninsula	19,000	1,371,900	0	0	37,000	1,427,900
	Aleutians	0	10,100	2,800	0	0	12,900
	Total	26,800	2,524,300	50,500	2,109,800	971,000	5,682,400
1921	South Peninsula	700	830,700	1,500	47,300	84,600	964,800
	North Peninsula	12,500	1,746,500	0	0	32,800	1,791,800
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	13,200	2,577,200	1,500	47,300	117,400	2,756,600
1922	South Peninsula	6,900	3,376,800	2,200	756,700	349,300	4,491,900
	North Peninsula	10,400	667,900	0	0	42,900	721,200
	Aleutians	0	14,000	0	0	0	14,000
	Total	17,300	4,058,700	2,200	756,700	392,200	5,227,100
1923	South Peninsula	4,100	1,827,200	75,300	143,600	538,900	2,589,100
	North Peninsula	9,100	731,700	100	0	25,800	766,700
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	13,200	2,558,900	75,400	143,600	564,700	3,355,800

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1924	South Peninsula	3,900	1,352,000	127,300	3,931,300	1,330,700	6,745,200
	North Peninsula	10,500	701,700	0	0	48,400	760,600
	Aleutians	0	24,900	0	673,800	100	698,800
	Total	14,400	2,078,600	127,300	4,605,100	1,379,200	8,204,600
1925	South Peninsula	10,700	820,500	127,100	382,100	1,116,800	2,457,200
	North Peninsula	10,600	400,200	0	0	53,900	464,700
	Aleutians	0	18,600	0	3,800	9,100	31,500
	Total	21,300	1,239,300	127,100	385,900	1,179,800	2,953,400
1926	South Peninsula	9,500	3,071,500	193,800	3,719,700	1,179,800	8,174,300
	North Peninsula	23,900	672,900	0	0	71,500	768,300
	Aleutians	0	1,300	0	521,700	7,800	530,800
	Total	33,400	3,745,700	193,800	4,241,400	1,259,100	9,473,400
1927	South Peninsula	9,600	714,700	125,300	1,455,500	1,299,700	3,604,800
	North Peninsula	16,500	230,600	100	0	87,000	334,200
	Aleutians	0	17,300	0	334,600	0	351,900
	Total	26,100	962,600	125,400	1,790,100	1,386,700	4,290,900
1928	S.Pen & Aleutian	7,700	971,500	96,600	900,900	2,416,300	4,393,000
	North Peninsula	4,600	855,600	0	0	83,500	943,700
	Total	12,300	1,827,100	96,600	900,900	2,499,800	5,336,700
1929	S.Pen & Aleutian	10,500	935,800	84,500	1,793,500	2,429,000	5,253,300
	North Peninsula	4,100	878,000	0	0	145,200	1,027,300
	Total	14,600	1,813,800	84,500	1,793,500	2,574,200	6,280,600
1930	S.Pen & Aleutian	10,900	935,200	161,100	6,094,800	1,278,100	8,480,100
	North Peninsula	3,800	167,700	0	0	93,400	265,200
	Total	14,700	1,102,900	161,100	6,094,800	1,371,800	8,745,300
1931	S.Pen & Aleutian	11,000	1,863,200	128,700	997,900	1,216,000	4,211,800
	North Peninsula	1,300	761,000	0	0	54,900	817,200
	Total	12,300	2,624,200	128,700	997,900	1,265,900	5,029,000
1932	S.Pen & Aleutian	17,400	2,977,300	112,300	3,604,800	817,300	7,529,100
	North Peninsula	3,200	977,100	0	0	56,300	1,036,600
	Total	20,600	3,954,400	112,300	3,604,800	873,600	8,565,700
1933	S.Pen & Aleutian	12,600	1,996,700	190,000	3,109,200	1,173,900	6,482,400
	North Peninsula	1,100	350,100	0	0	16,000	367,200
	Total	13,700	2,346,800	190,000	3,109,200	1,189,900	6,849,600
1934	S.Pen & Aleutian	17,600	1,372,400	247,100	6,538,500	1,940,300	10,115,900
	North Peninsula	1,600	1,091,300	0	400	13,000	1,106,300
	Total	19,200	2,463,700	247,100	6,538,900	1,953,300	11,222,200

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1935	S.Pen & Aleutian	13,900	978,400	117,200	5,386,200	2,003,100	8,498,800
	North Peninsula	1,000	479,200	0	100	33,800	514,100
	Total	14,900	1,457,600	117,200	5,386,300	2,036,900	9,012,900
1936	S.Pen & Aleutian	14,400	3,662,600	284,600	9,471,000	2,310,900	15,743,500
	North Peninsula	1,000	610,700	0	2,800	19,000	633,500
	Total	15,400	4,273,300	284,600	9,473,800	2,329,900	16,377,000
1937	S.Pen & Aleutian	9,300	1,558,000	73,900	9,302,000	1,506,700	12,449,900
	North Peninsula	1,600	860,900	0	100	65,600	928,200
	Total	10,900	2,418,900	73,900	9,302,100	1,572,300	13,378,100
1938	S.Pen & Aleutian	6,400	772,100	220,700	7,169,100	1,476,600	9,644,900
	North Peninsula	5,900	1,009,600	0	0	34,700	1,050,200
	Total	12,300	1,781,700	220,700	7,169,100	1,511,300	10,695,100
1939	S.Pen & Aleutian	16,500	1,881,700	98,900	6,005,300	1,440,600	9,443,000
	North Peninsula	3,900	746,200	0	0	82,200	832,300
	Total	20,400	2,527,900	98,900	6,005,300	1,522,800	10,275,300
1940	S.Pen & Aleutian	9,100	1,040,300	184,200	7,182,800	2,326,300	10,472,700
	North Peninsula	700	678,900	0	0	65,600	745,200
	Total	9,800	1,719,200	184,200	7,182,800	2,391,900	11,487,900
1941	S.Pen & Aleutian	13,000	1,072,000	183,000	5,347,000	1,542,000	8,157,800
	North Peninsula	700	491,700	0	3,200	30,200	525,800
	Total	13,700	1,563,700	183,000	5,350,200	1,572,200	8,682,800
1942	S.Pen & Aleutian	4,800	810,100	123,000	6,762,600	1,321,100	9,021,600
	North Peninsula	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	4,800	810,100	123,000	6,762,600	1,321,100	9,021,600
1943	S.Pen & Aleutian	21,700	2,397,700	90,600	4,360,200	924,500	7,794,700
	North Peninsula	200	567,400	0	1,300	50,400	619,300
	Total	21,900	2,965,100	90,600	4,361,500	974,900	8,414,000
1944	S.Pen & Aleutian	9,900	538,600	238,700	2,653,800	985,600	4,426,600
	North Peninsula	100	414,700	0	2,600	157,900	575,300
	Total	10,000	953,300	238,700	2,656,400	1,143,500	5,001,900
1945	S.Pen & Aleutian	21,400	813,400	116,100	3,639,600	948,900	5,539,400
	North Peninsula	100	394,400	0	2,500	335,100	732,100
	Total	21,500	1,207,800	116,100	3,642,100	1,284,000	6,271,500
1946	S.Pen & Aleutian	6,100	752,300	151,400	1,964,000	1,219,900	4,093,700
	North Peninsula	2,500	697,700	300	0	36,000	736,500
	Total	8,600	1,450,000	151,700	1,964,000	1,255,900	4,830,200

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1947	S.Pen & Aleutian	3,400	1,137,100	55,800	2,319,600	1,219,200	4,735,100
	North Peninsula	100	357,700	100	100	75,000	433,000
	Total	3,500	1,491,800	55,900	2,319,700	1,294,200	5,168,100
1948	S.Pen & Aleutian	1,200	285,900	39,200	1,683,700	1,139,600	3,149,600
	North Peninsula	1,200	477,600	17,200	0	161,700	658,700
	Total	3,400	763,500	56,400	1,683,700	1,301,300	3,808,300
1949	S.Pen & Aleutian	3,800	637,500	19,500	1,544,000	560,900	2,765,700
	North Peninsula	700	137,100	25,700	0	40,700	204,200
	Total	4,500	774,600	45,200	1,544,000	601,600	2,969,900
1950	S.Pen & Aleutian	4,000	1,745,300	70,700	1,613,700	562,500	3,996,200
	North Peninsula	1,100	127,800	37,800	0	217,600	284,300
	Total	5,100	1,873,100	108,500	1,613,700	780,100	4,380,500
1951	South Peninsula	1,500	264,200	55,700	2,844,800	683,100	3,849,300
	North Peninsula	1,200	358,900	32,900	20,400	203,000	616,400
	Aleutians	0	11,700	400	500	94,500	107,100
	Total	2,700	634,800	89,000	2,865,700	980,600	4,572,800
1952	South Peninsula	9,200	894,500	39,200	908,500	1,040,800	2,892,200
	North Peninsula	700	354,800	54,200	1,400	246,900	658,000
	Aleutians	200	42,800	0	31,800	25,700	100,500
	Total	10,100	1,292,100	93,400	941,700	1,313,400	3,650,700
1953	South Peninsula	7,200	1,039,200	47,900	2,743,900	1,464,600	5,302,800
	North Peninsula	800	537,300	26,200	18,300	224,400	807,000
	Aleutians	0	4,200	500	69,200	800	74,700
	Total	8,000	1,580,700	74,600	2,831,400	1,689,800	6,184,500
1954	South Peninsula	4,200	636,300	49,400	2,033,300	1,413,400	4,136,600
	North Peninsula	3,400	354,700	35,000	18,500	405,000	816,600
	Aleutians	0	6,300	800	566,500	200	573,800
	Total	7,600	997,300	85,200	2,618,300	1,818,600	5,527,000
1955	South Peninsula	5,400	550,100	44,800	2,529,200	688,200	3,817,700
	North Peninsula	4,100	586,600	6,200	900	129,600	727,400
	Aleutians	0	12,600	100	31,100	400	44,200
	Total	9,500	1,149,300	51,100	2,561,200	818,200	4,589,300
1956	South Peninsula	4,800	641,400	61,900	2,740,700	1,618,700	5,067,500
	North Peninsula	4,200	1,370,900	8,200	28,500	427,400	1,839,200
	Aleutians	0	400	0	33,900	0	34,300
	Total	9,000	2,012,700	70,100	2,803,100	2,046,100	6,941,000

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1957	South Peninsula	5,800	341,900	49,900	913,100	1,281,400	2,592,100
	North Peninsula	1,000	327,900	18,300	3,300	274,900	625,400
	Aleutians	2,300	27,300	100	500	13,900	44,100
	Total	9,100	697,100	68,300	916,900	1,570,200	3,261,600
1958	South Peninsula	800	186,100	70,600	1,385,200	841,000	2,483,700
	North Peninsula	15,000	473,800	57,100	60,400	254,800	861,100
	Aleutians	0	300	0	613,200	3,700	617,200
	Total	15,800	660,200	127,700	2,058,800	1,099,500	3,962,000
1959	South Peninsula	900	217,500	8,500	915,600	711,700	1,854,200
	North Peninsula	28,700	634,900	59,100	9,600	404,700	1,137,000
	Aleutians	0	6,100	0	12,000	100	18,200
	Total	29,600	858,500	67,600	937,200	1,116,500	3,009,400
1960	South Peninsula	1,700	379,000	1,800	1,197,500	904,400	2,484,400
	North Peninsula	10,400	692,800	44,000	34,700	607,200	1,389,100
	Aleutians	0	7,600	0	444,900	300	452,800
	Total	12,100	1,079,400	45,800	1,677,100	1,511,900	4,326,300
1961	South Peninsula	900	456,800	10,400	1,727,800	748,600	2,944,500
	North Peninsula	6,100	387,700	24,600	3,000	153,300	574,700
	Aleutians	0	2,700	0	94,000	200	96,900
	Total	7,000	847,200	35,000	1,824,800	902,100	3,616,100
1962	South Peninsula	3,300	420,000	12,500	1,965,500	824,800	3,226,100
	North Peninsula	5,400	249,700	35,200	31,200	34,900	356,400
	Aleutians	0	5,500	100	2,001,700	1,200	2,008,500
	Total	8,700	675,200	47,800	3,998,400	860,900	5,591,000
1963	South Peninsula	1,900	204,400	16,500	2,367,700	461,300	3,051,800
	North Peninsula	3,600	225,200	40,500	6,900	49,900	326,100
	Aleutians	0	4,500	0	93,900	300	98,700
	Total	5,500	434,100	57,000	2,468,500	511,500	3,476,600
1964	South Peninsula	2,000	370,800	13,600	2,740,400	751,000	3,877,800
	North Peninsula	3,600	250,800	36,600	6,800	139,000	436,800
	Aleutians	0	200	0	194,100	2,300	196,600
	Total	5,600	621,800	50,200	2,941,300	892,300	4,511,200
1965	South Peninsula	2,100	915,700	34,200	2,884,100	556,400	4,392,500
	North Peninsula	6,100	199,500	34,500	2,100	69,700	311,900
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	8,200	1,115,200	68,700	2,886,200	626,100	4,704,400

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1966	South Peninsula	1,400	606,200	6,300	302,300	494,400	1,410,600
	North Peninsula	5,600	245,300	37,300	16,000	82,800	387,000
	Aleutians	0	1,000	0	63,500	700	65,200
	Total	7,000	852,500	43,600	381,800	577,900	1,862,800
1967	South Peninsula	1,600	294,100	2,900	77,800	245,200	621,600
	North Peninsula	5,500	224,700	46,800	700	41,300	319,000
	Aleutians	0	200	0	7,900	0	8,100
	Total	7,100	519,000	49,700	86,400	286,500	948,700
1968	South Peninsula	1,400	699,800	31,100	1,287,100	325,300	2,344,700
	North Peninsula	4,500	237,100	64,900	200	73,500	380,200
	Aleutians	0	2,000	100	902,800	800	905,700
	Total	5,900	938,900	96,100	2,190,100	399,600	3,630,600
1969	South Peninsula	1,900	912,800	10,900	1,219,400	389,200	2,534,200
	North Peninsula	4,800	321,300	49,100	100	28,100	403,400
	Aleutians	0	1,900	0	242,200	1,500	245,600
	Total	6,700	1,236,000	60,000	1,461,700	418,800	3,183,200
1970	South Peninsula	1,806	1,779,525	32,571	1,737,985	993,349	4,545,236
	North Peninsula	3,832	187,793	26,327	7,904	47,989	273,845
	Aleutians	6	208	135	644,121	3,029	647,499
	Total	5,644	1,967,526	59,033	2,390,010	1,044,367	5,466,580
1971	South Peninsula	2,174	716,087	16,907	1,445,031	1,365,957	3,546,156
	North Peninsula	2,187	353,784	8,222	297	64,154	428,644
	Aleutians	0	333	2	45,114	58	45,507
	Total	4,361	1,070,204	25,131	1,490,442	1,430,169	4,020,307
1972	South Peninsula	1,332	557,422	8,021	78,221	731,814	1,376,810
	North Peninsula	1,790	179,325	9,684	129	84,687	275,615
	Aleutians	0	69	1	2,784	6	2,860
	Total	3,122	736,816	17,706	81,134	816,507	1,655,285
1973	South Peninsula	415	330,091	6,599	58,051	292,943	688,099
	North Peninsula	2,627	165,390	19,776	143	152,773	340,709
	Aleutians	0	0	0	2,042	0	2,042
	Total	3,042	495,481	26,375	60,236	445,716	1,030,850
1974	South Peninsula	581	197,153	9,366	100,601	71,826	379,527
	North Peninsula	2,720	246,209	16,799	10,599	34,417	310,744
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	3,301	443,362	26,165	111,200	106,243	690,271

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1975	South Peninsula	117	243,548	67	60,642	130,750	435,124
	North Peninsula	2,093	233,293	28,355	295	8,770	272,806
	Aleutians	0	19,402	0	659	1,881	21,942
	Total	2,210	496,243	28,422	61,596	141,401	729,872
1976	South Peninsula	2,196	375,027	216	2,366,833	532,503	3,276,775
	North Peninsula	4,953	641,134	26,061	672	73,589	746,409
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	7,149	1,016,161	26,277	2,367,505	606,092	4,023,184
1977	South Peninsula	559	311,722	2,108	1,448,648	243,167	2,006,204
	North Peninsula	5,489	472,006	34,137	888	129,168	641,688
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	6,048	783,728	36,245	1,449,536	372,335	2,647,892
1978	South Peninsula	773	579,411	60,774	5,590,145	546,182	6,777,285
	North Peninsula	14,258	896,616	63,341	485,224	163,804	1,623,243
	Aleutians	0	1,829	0	38,109	6	39,944
	Total	15,031	1,477,856	124,115	6,113,478	709,992	8,440,472
1979	South Peninsula	2,141	1,149,927	356,867	6,564,914	482,930	8,556,779
	North Peninsula	17,107	1,979,167	112,835	4,994	65,711	2,179,814
	Aleutians	0	12,206	0	539,393	242	551,841
	Total	19,248	3,141,300	469,702	7,109,301	548,883	11,288,434
1980	South Peninsula	4,794	3,613,025	274,181	7,861,470	1,353,112	13,106,582
	North Peninsula	16,805	1,397,119	127,878	301,672	700,197	2,543,671
	Aleutians	2	9,226	2	2,597,461	4,874	2,611,565
	Total	21,601	5,019,370	402,061	10,760,603	2,058,183	18,261,818
1981	South Peninsula	11,182	2,241,513	162,223	5,033,028	1,768,475	9,216,421
	North Peninsula	18,875	1,844,335	155,420	11,217	706,818	2,736,665
	Aleutians	16	5,430	188	302,786	6,553	314,973
	Total	30,073	4,091,278	317,831	5,347,031	2,481,846	12,268,059
1982	South Peninsula	9,845	2,345,981	256,046	6,734,905	2,272,495	11,619,272
	North Peninsula	30,113	1,435,280	238,016	12,321	331,133	2,046,863
	Aleutians	0	2,672	28	1,447,818	6,148	1,456,666
	Total	39,958	3,783,933	494,090	8,195,044	2,609,776	15,122,801
1983	South Peninsula	26,571	2,556,557	127,657	2,827,622	1,704,072	7,242,479
	North Peninsula	29,479	2,093,374	75,138	3,404	348,722	2,550,117
	Aleutians	0	4,405	0	2,005	11,361	17,771
	Total	56,050	4,654,336	202,795	2,833,031	2,064,155	9,810,367

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1984 ^b	South Peninsula	9,198	2,318,028	310,950	11,589,258	1,654,622	15,882,056
	North Peninsula	22,966	1,734,856	198,582	27,419	796,728	2,780,551
	Aleutians	26	67,163	1,923	2,309,665	32,025	2,410,802
	Total	32,190	4,120,047	511,455	13,926,342	2,483,375	21,073,409
1985	South Peninsula	6,642	2,144,416	172,514	4,431,016	1,348,726	8,103,314
	North Peninsula	23,528	2,596,081	176,118	3,054	666,631	3,465,412
	Aleutians	40	2,750	0	90	14,175	17,055
	Total	30,210	4,743,247	348,632	4,434,160	2,029,532	11,585,781
1986	South Peninsula	5,589	1,223,089	235,854	4,031,487	1,749,651	7,245,670
	North Peninsula	11,740	2,463,735	164,071	22,630	271,216	2,933,392
	Aleutians	11	7,702	60	42,621	38,819	89,213
	Total	17,340	3,694,526	399,985	4,096,738	2,059,686	10,268,275
1987	South Peninsula	9,174	1,449,753	225,120	1,208,556	1,376,887	4,268,490
	North Peninsula	14,186	1,209,435	171,784	3,486	368,696	1,767,587
	Aleutians	0	75	0	0	0	75
	Total	23,360	2,659,263	396,904	1,212,042	1,744,583	6,036,152
1988	South Peninsula	11,075	1,473,651	505,533	7,044,824	1,908,507	10,943,590
	North Peninsula	16,805	1,528,116	233,966	65,242	393,077	2,237,206
	Aleutians	0	4,315	7	183,109	450	187,881
	Total	27,880	3,006,082	739,506	7,293,175	2,302,034	13,368,677
1989	South Peninsula	7,065	2,660,800	443,843	7,292,658	994,231	11,398,597
	North Peninsula	10,948	1,718,716	227,551	4,103	157,177	2,118,495
	Aleutians	0	8,248	0	6,700	0	14,948
	Total	18,013	4,387,764	671,394	7,303,461	1,151,408	13,532,040
1990	South Peninsula	16,522	2,386,844	307,218	2,865,856	1,237,826	6,814,266
	North Peninsula	12,320	2,416,047	192,978	517,724	126,113	3,265,182
	Aleutians	2	12,435	74	282,823	1,038	296,372
	Total	28,844	4,815,326	500,270	3,666,403	1,364,977	10,375,820
1991	South Peninsula	7,975	2,319,942	317,129	10,616,756	1,588,795	14,850,597
	North Peninsula	9,372	2,391,411	218,274	4,249	191,283	2,814,589
	Aleutians	0	796	0	0	0	796
	Total	17,347	4,712,149	535,403	10,621,005	1,780,078	17,665,982
1992	South Peninsula	8,026	3,445,914	418,232	9,770,386	1,316,709	14,959,267
	North Peninsula	13,144	3,575,511	206,813	194,395	341,616	4,331,479
	Aleutians	0	3,082	0	312,072	1,230	316,384
	Atka-Amliia	0	231	42	7,972	308	8,553
	Total	21,170	7,024,738	625,087	10,284,825	1,659,863	19,615,683

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Year		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1993	South Peninsula	14,413	3,689,074	220,148	9,928,107	1,048,257	14,899,999
	North Peninsula	23,585	3,866,593	64,376	5,328	134,960	4,094,842
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Atka-Amlia	0	24	4	145	563	736
	Total	37,998	7,555,691	284,528	9,933,580	1,183,780	18,995,577
1994	South Peninsula	10,002	2,107,233	255,905	9,179,853	2,192,079	13,745,072
	North Peninsula	18,646	2,752,909	241,249	225,386	83,793	3,321,983
	Aleutians	0	47	6	858,787	617	859,457
	Atka-Amlia	0	16	0	896	0	912
	Total	28,648	4,860,205	497,160	10,264,922	2,276,489	17,927,424
1995	South Peninsula	17,469	3,017,002	264,347	16,311,771	1,728,013	21,338,602
	North Peninsula	7,571	3,272,758	135,639	12,171	99,294	3,527,433
	Aleutians	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Atka-Amlia	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Total	25,040	6,289,760	399,986	16,323,942	1,827,307	24,866,035
1996	South Peninsula	5,526	1,543,691	293,374	2,205,094	793,679	4,841,364
	North Peninsula	4,941	1,911,126	157,313	53,842	67,956	2,195,178
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Atka-Amlia	0	0	0	20	0	20
	Total	10,467	3,454,817	450,687	2,258,956	861,635	7,036,562
1997	South Peninsula	7,780	2,281,566	116,136	2,321,371	627,996	5,354,849
	North Peninsula	10,384	2,151,010	94,776	50,701	97,380	2,404,251
	Aleutians	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Atka-Amlia	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	18,164	4,432,576	210,912	2,372,072	725,376	7,759,100

^aIncludes test fish catch figures.

^b During June 18, 1984 fishers harvested 23 chinook, 63,929 sockeye, 1,900 coho, 18,950 pink, and 8,409 chum salmon in Unimak Pass. Unimak Pass was defined as closed to commercial salmon fishing under the Alaska Peninsula portion of the finfish regulations but open to commercial salmon fishing under the Aleutian Islands portion of the finfish regulation book. After 1984, regulations were passed through the Alaska Board of Fish closing the Unimak Pass area to commercial salmon fishing until at least July 10. Harvest numbers include test fish catches.

Appendix B.2. Alaska Peninsula, Aleutian islands, and Atka-Amlia Islands Areas commercial salmon harvest in numbers of fish by statistical area, section, and district, 1997.^a

Statistical Area	Section	Number of Salmon					Total
		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	
SOUTH PENINSULA							
SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT							
281-15		15	3,217	681	5,890	448	10,251
281-25		27	56,640	12,179	5,035	3,766	77,647
East Stepovak Section Total		42	59,857	12,860	10,925	4,214	87,898
281-40	Grub Gulch/Clark Bay	29	80,471	358	3,069	2,624	86,551
281-50	Orzinski Bay	12	44,136	421	1,969	911	47,449
281-55	American Bay	8	25,230	437	1,587	1,073	28,335
281-60	Blunt Pt. to Dorenoi Bay	100	166,319	1,128	12,416	3,193	183,156
Northwest Stepovak Section Total		149	316,156	2,344	19,041	7,801	345,491
281-70	Southwest Stepovak Section	48	10,761	4,289	8,396	2,454	25,948
281-80	Balboa Bay Section	54	17,454	3,626	40,213	5,430	66,777
281-90	Beaver Bay Section	0	3,319	533	5,187	342	9,381
282-10	Popof Strait/Squaw Harbor	93	19,142	3,622	9,123	4,115	36,095
282-11	Unga Cape/East Popof	2,229	265,869	27,749	246,579	98,054	640,480
282-20	Acheredin Bay	18	25,472	676	7,914	1,158	35,238
282-25	West Unga Island	64	47,891	2,491	54,406	3,370	108,222
282-30	Bay Point	7	820	0	502	82	1,411
282-35	Zachary Bay	4	5,036	52	304	586	5,982
282-40	East Head/West Head	2	3,547	7	150	186	3,892
282-42	Korovin Island	1,169	150,196	6,686	87,079	35,043	280,173
282-45	Cape Wedge/Northeast Nagai	29	5,076	0	291	4,379	9,775
282-70	Southwest Nagai Island	106	24,622	2,556	50,715	2,713	80,712
282-75	Cape Horn/Porpoise Rocks	7	6,734	74	995	291	8,101
282-80	East Nagai Strait	16	2,349	0	368	2,411	5,144
Shumagin Islands Section Total		3,744	556,754	43,913	458,426	152,388	1,215,225
SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT TOTAL		4,037	964,301	67,565	542,188	172,629	1,750,720

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Statistical Area	Section	Number of Salmon					Total
		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	
<i>SOUTH CENTRAL DISTRICT</i>							
283-15	Mino Creek	0	1,091	31	345	16	1,483
283-17	Coal Bay/Cape Tolstoi South	4	10,211	966	239,108	1,897	252,186
Mino Cr. - Little Coal B. Section Total		4	11,302	997	239,453	1,913	253,669
283-21	Northside Cape Tolstoi	3	1,871	54	1,895	565	4,388
283-23	Eastside Pavlof Bay	10	10,571	272	231,762	6,396	249,011
East Pavlof Bay Section Total		13	12,442	326	233,657	6,961	253,399
283-24	Canoe Bay Section	1	134	38	71,022	10,120	81,315
283-25	Northwest Pavlof Bay	1	158	0	1,199	29,045	30,403
283-26	Long Beach/Ukolnoi	26	18,956	3,079	14,548	7,011	43,620
West Pavlof Bay Section Total		27	19,114	3,079	15,747	36,056	74,023
<i>SOUTH CENTRAL DISTRICT TOTAL</i>		45	42,992	4,440	559,879	55,050	662,406
<i>SOUTHWESTERN DISTRICT</i>							
284-36	Volcano Bay	2	2,315	3	61,085	81,497	144,902
284-37	Northside Dolgoi Island	16	28,788	2,642	15,667	8,499	55,612
284-38	South Dolgoi/Moss Cape	15	17,316	2,084	21,868	1,174	42,457
Volcano Bay Section Total		33	48,419	4,729	98,620	91,170	242,971
284-42	Belkofski Bay	9	23,982	9	133,540	31,222	188,762
284-45	King Cove	0	1,354	55	56,364	16,635	74,408
Belkofski Bay Section Total		9	25,336	64	189,904	47,857	263,170
Deer Island Section		0	3	0	218,750	451	219,204
284-62	Outer Cold Bay	0	3,907	3	1,876	88	5,874
284-65	Lenard Harbor	0	1	1	126,900	6,080	132,982
284-67	Inner Cold Bay	0	0	0	105	19,050	19,155

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Statistical Area	Section	Number of Salmon					
		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Cold Bay Section Total		0	3,908	4	128,881	25,218	158,011
284-75	Thin Point Section	2	1,793	13,024	168,042	1,083	183,944
284-80	Morzhovoi Bay Section	15	6,474	3	22,056	1,895	30,443
284-90	Ikatan Bay Section	992	389,146	19,048	309,539	73,240	791,965
SOUTHWESTERN DISTRICT TOTAL		1,052	475,079	36,872	1,135,792	240,914	1,889,709
UNIMAK DISTRICT							
285-20	Bird Island	230	112,154	94	4,590	27,680	144,748
285-30	Cape Lazaref	312	219,836	3,067	46,027	60,157	329,399
Otter Cove Section Total		542	331,990	3,161	50,617	87,837	474,147
285-40	Cape Lutke Section	1,488	443,827	394	15,450	49,824	510,983
UNIMAK DISTRICT TOTAL		2,030	775,817	3,555	66,067	137,661	985,130
SOUTH PENINSULA TOTAL		7,164	2,258,189	112,432	2,303,926	606,254	5,287,965
ALEUTIAN ISLANDS AREA (no fishery)		0	0	0	0	0	0
ATKA-AMLIA ISLANDS AREA (no fishery)		0	0	0	0	0	0
NORTH PENINSULA							
NORTHWESTERN DISTRICT							
311-32	Urilia Bay Section Total	2	19,325	0	388	370	20,085
311-52	Swanson Lagoon Section	7	33,636	270	3,849	6,428	44,190

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Statistical Area	Section	Number of Salmon					Total
		Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	
311-60	Bechevin Bay Section	0	0	42	867	14,227	15,136
312-40	Izembek-Moffet Bay Section Total	0	5,493	0	32	25,186	30,711
<i>NORTHWESTERN DISTRICT TOTAL</i>		9	58,454	312	5,136	46,211	110,122
<i>NORTHERN DISTRICT</i>							
313-10	Black Hills Section	25	20,741	212	4,651	2,374	28,003
313-30	Nelson Lagoon Section	3,164	384,370	32,260	830	3,828	424,452
314-12	Port Moller Bight Section	40	8,693	256	324	4,454	13,767
315-11	Bear River	1,768	561,688	4,438	11,864	29,507	609,265
315-20	Muddy River	112	80,773	1,892	3,230	1,705	87,712
Bear River Section Total		1,880	642,461	6,330	15,094	31,212	696,977
316-10	Three Hills Section	541	263,089	6,048	15,407	2,253	287,338
316-20	Outside Ilnik	649	643,508	4,892	8,788	6,222	664,059
316-22	Ilnik Lagoon	6	14,650	0	0	0	14,656
316-25	Strogonof Point	52	104,480	485	471	749	106,237
Ilnik Section Total		707	762,638	5,377	9,259	6,971	784,952
317-20	Inner Port Heiden Section	3,678	2,222	18,544	0	5	24,449
318-20	Cinder River Section	340	8,342	25,437	0	72	34,191
<i>NORTHERN DISTRICT TOTAL</i>		10,375	2,092,556	94,464	45,565	51,169	2,294,129
NORTH PENINSULA TOTAL		10,384	2,151,010	94,776	50,701	97,380	2,404,251

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	Number of Salmon					
	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
ALASKA PENINSULA AREA TOTAL	17,548	4,409,199	207,208	2,354,627	703,634	7,692,216
ALASKA PENINSULA, ALEUTIAN ISLANDS, AND ATKA-AMLIA ISLANDS AREAS TOTAL	17,548	4,409,199	207,208	2,354,627	703,634	7,692,216

³ Harvest numbers do not include test fish catches.

Appendix B.3. Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas commercial salmon harvest by gear, species, and estimated value, 1997.^a

	Chinook		Sockeye		Coho		Pink		Chum		Total	
	Number	Est. Value \$	Number	Est. Value \$	Number	Est. Value \$	Number	Est. Value \$	Number	Est. Value \$	Number	Est. Value \$
Area M												
Seine	4,508	32,730	652,279	3,302,000	47,346	79,150	2,219,696	1,029,510	459,877	342,200	3,383,706	4,785,590
Drift Gillnet	6,030	54,160	2,727,326	15,330,000	48,432	141,300	70,554	29,600	188,478	128,380	3,040,820	15,683,440
Set Gillnet	3,296	25,320	1,024,655	5,890,600	69,618	210,950	64,377	35,320	55,243	49,249	1,217,187	6,211,439
Total	13,834	112,210	4,404,260	24,522,600	165,396	431,400	2,354,627	1,094,430	703,598	519,829	7,641,713	26,680,469
Area T												
Drift Gillnet	3,156	37,000	3,672	18,000	35,378	162,000	0	0	35	20	42,241	217,020
Set Gillnet	557	6,600	1,267	6,400	6,434	29,100	0	0	1	1	8,259	42,101
Total	3,713	43,600	4,939	24,400	41,812	191,100	0	0	36	21	50,500	259,121
Grand Total												
Seine	4,508	32,730	652,279	3,302,000	47,346	79,150	2,219,696	1,029,510	459,877	342,200	3,383,706	4,785,590
Drift Gillnet	9,186	91,160	2,730,998	15,348,000	83,810	303,300	70,554	29,600	188,513	128,400	3,083,061	15,900,460
Set Gillnet	3,853	31,920	1,025,922	5,897,000	76,052	240,050	64,377	35,320	55,244	49,250	1,225,448	6,253,540
Total	17,547	155,810	4,409,199	24,547,000	207,208	622,500	2,354,627	1,094,430	703,634	519,850	7,692,215	26,939,590

^a Figures do not include test fish catches.

Appendix C.1. Subsistence salmon harvest by community and species, in number of fish, Alaska Peninsula Area and Unalaska Island, 1985-1997.

Year	Permits Issued	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
SAND POINT							
1985	60	30	1,410	1,686	420	1,146	4,692
1986	75	45	2,505	1,208	1,560	1,005	6,323
1987	84	87	2,018	1,508	1,160	1,114	5,887
1988	74	146	2,694	853	1,326	1,175	6,194
1989	86	53	6,347	1,050	731	1,149	9,330
1990	80	160	5,648	620	429	1,051	7,908
1991	84	420	6,636	1,092	1,260	2,772	12,180
1992	76	318	4,733	518	1,228	1,036	7,833
1993	76	446	6,435	952	671	996	9,500
1994	92	454	5,838	1,890	1,369	3,100	12,651
1995	73	271	5,993	983	1,597	1,274	10,118
1996	80	200	5,269	1,813	1,843	1,724	10,849
1997	67	315	7,043	788	1,953	1,663	11,762
1993-97 AVG.	77.6	337.2	6,115.6	1,285.2	1,486.6	1,751.4	10,976.0
KING COVE							
1985	39	0	784	3,292	105	20	4,201
1986	24	2	1,834	919	14	120	2,889
1987	39	3	2,320	1,662	206	334	4,525
1988	28	3	555	2,855	265	43	3,721
1989	39	3	1,982	1,973	294	690	4,942
1990	43	24	1,054	2,832	265	367	4,542
1991	60	0	1,477	3,611	225	386	5,699
1992	61	9	1,452	2,891	327	1,177	5,856
1993	59	33	2,021	3,868	259	625	6,865
1994	48	43	2,249	3,247	370	679	6,588
1995	66	46	3,300	3,080	534	1177	8,137
1996	65	47	4,236	4,354	578	690	9,905
1997	58	29	3,048	3,226	283	691	7,277
1993-97 AVG.	59.2	39.6	2,970.8	3,555.0	404.8	772.4	7,754.4
COLD BAY							
1985	10	0	293	84	34	3	414
1986	18	0	184	264	14	26	488
1987	10	0	293	84	34	3	414
1988	24	0	737	66	2	0	805
1989	18	0	231	55	4	22	312
1990	14	0	322	70	1	22	415
1991	23	0	517	30	6	4	557
1992	15	0	336	38	0	0	374
1993	23	0	473	89	3	15	580
1994	16	0	325	88	4	3	420
1995	17	0	307	84	0	10	401
1996	15	15	280	0	0	6	301
1997	12	12	657	0	4	3	676
1993-97 AVG.	16.6	5.4	408.4	52.2	2.2	7.4	475.6

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Year	Permits Issued	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
FALSE PASS							
1985	10	30	578	1,858	13	395	2,874
1986	12	13	158	215	188	299	873
1987	12	14	103	443	163	389	1,112
1988	10	11	401	834	29	192	1,467
1989	7	0	231	55	4	22	312
1990	9	1	170	193	19	79	462
1991	17	17	724	500	354	165	1,760
1992	12	12	1,082	502	242	248	2,086
1993	14	23	848	397	156	272	1,696
1994	14	36	906	318	347	354	1,961
1995	15	27	888	179	252	426	1,772
1996	15	23	605	1,028	128	248	2,032
1997	7	8	584	315	153	214	1,274
1993-97 AVG.	13.0	23.4	766.2	447.4	207.2	302.8	1,747.6
NELSON LAGOON/PORT MOLLER							
1985	9	5	207	252	2	0	466
1986	9	13	284	302	3	5	607
1987	10	22	245	254	5	14	540
1988	13	26	284	184	0	25	519
1989	9	21	250	227	0	11	509
1990	8	11	291	224	0	0	526
1991	8	20	370	139	1	4	534
1992	9	17	298	191	7	12	525
1993	11	16	561	230	9	26	842
1994	11	71	336	241	6	0	654
1995	10	63	450	429	0	0	942
1996	8	45	465	329	0	11	850
1997	8	16	287	147	5	36	491
1993-97 AVG.	9.6	42.2	419.8	275.2	4	14.6	755.8
PORT HEIDEN							
1985	6	9	176	0	0	0	185
1986	4	28	282	0	0	0	310
1987	10	66	193	229	0	36	524
1988	10	69	268	134	23	105	599
1989	4	7	222	28	1	4	262
1990	3	21	107	20	0	27	175
1991	6	39	775	25	3	120	562
1992	3	21	104	10	0	25	160
1993	3	80	71	0	0	0	151
1994	2	24	196	0	0	50	270
1995	3	50	119	160	0	0	329
1996	4	22	221	51	0	1	295
1997	4	2	24	40	0	0	66
1993-97 AVG.	3.2	35.6	126.2	50.2	0	10.2	222.2

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Year	Permits Issued	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
ALASKA PENINSULA AREA LOCAL COMMUNITY RESIDENTS							
1985	134	74	3,448	7,172	574	1,564	12,832
1986	142	101	5,247	2,908	1,779	1,455	11,490
1987	185	192	5,499	4,251	1,547	1,941	13,430
1988	159	255	4,939	4,926	1,645	1,540	13,305
1989	163	88	9,368	3,433	1,205	1,923	16,017
1990	166	217	7,592	3,959	714	1,546	14,028
1991	198	457	9,998	5,413	1,820	3,372	21,060
1992	176	377	8,005	4,150	1,804	2,498	16,834
1993	186	598	10,409	5,536	1,098	1,934	19,575
1994	183	628	9,850	5,784	2,096	4,186	22,544
1995	184	457	11,057	4,915	2,383	2,887	21,699
1996	187	352	11,076	7,575	2,549	2,680	24,232
1997	156	382	11,643	4,516	2,398	2,607	21,546
1993-97 AVG.	179.2	483.4	10,807.0	5,665.2	2,104.8	2,858.8	21,919.2
ALASKA PENINSULA AREA NON-LOCAL COMMUNITY RESIDENTS							
1985	27	0	589	332	0	2	923
1986	5	0	149	88	0	0	237
1987	6	1	278	8	0	2	289
1988	24	2	562	720	21	152	1,457
1989	25	0	1,036	72	8	181	1,297
1990	35	29	996	70	22	43	1,160
1991	51	1	1,347	138	58	179	1,723
1992	53	8	2,734	117	36	76	2,971
1993	76	17	2,069	217	91	63	2,457
1994	73	46	2,034	302	110	220	2,712
1995	76	35	1,659	106	270	482	2,552
1996	47	10	1,100	168	20	48	1,346
1997	61	38	3,581	96	557	278	4,550
1993-97 AVG.	66.6	29.2	2,088.6	177.8	209.6	218.2	2,723.4
TOTAL ALASKA PENINSULA AREA							
1985	161	74	4,037	7,504	574	1,566	13,755
1986	147	101	5,396	2,996	1,779	1,455	11,727
1987	191	193	5,777	4,259	1,547	1,943	13,719
1988	183	257	5,501	5,646	1,666	1,692	14,762
1989	188	88	10,404	3,505	1,213	2,104	17,314
1990	201	246	8,588	4,029	736	1,589	15,188
1991	249	458	11,345	5,551	1,878	3,551	22,783
1992	229	385	10,739	4,267	1,840	2,574	19,805
1993	262	615	12,478	5,753	1,189	1,997	22,032
1994	256	674	11,884	6,086	2,206	4,406	25,256
1995	260	492	12,716	5,021	2,653	3,369	24,251
1996	234	362	12,176	7,743	2,569	2,728	25,578
1997	217	420	15,224	4,612	2,955	2,885	26,096
1993-97 AVG.	245.8	512.6	12,895.6	5,843.0	2,314.4	3,077.0	24,642.6

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Year	Permits Issued	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
UNALASKA LOCAL COMMUNITY RESIDENTS							
1985	65	0	897	208	1,293	20	2,483
1986	121	0	3,449	847	2,468	375	7,139
1987	81	0	1,097	378	1,780	151	3,406
1988	74	1	962	390	2,626	83	4,062
1989	70	2	1,064	470	1,292	36	2,864
1990	94	4	2,357	681	1,428	100	4,570
1991	89	0	1,294	666	1,075	45	3,080
1992	144	7	2,739	587	1,723	11	5,067
1993	137	17	2,831	697	587	136	4,268
1994	150	1	2,759	774	1,053	48	4,635
1995	159	23	4,446	480	784	23	5,756
1996	189	5	1,107	1,033	492	49	2,686
1997	218	8	4,192	864	440	110	5,614
1993-97 AVG.	170.6	10.8	3,067.0	769.6	671.2	73.2	4,591.8
UNALASKA-ALEUTIAN ISLANDS NON-LOCAL COMMUNITY RESIDENTS							
1985	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1986	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1987	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1988	3	2	4	0	1	0	7
1989	4	0	48	0	0	0	48
1990	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
1991	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1992	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1993	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
1994	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1995	1	0	38	4	7	0	49
1996	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1997	3	0	0	0	114	0	114
1993-97 AVG.	1.2	0	7.6	0.8	24.2	0	32.6
TOTAL UNALASKA							
1985	65	0	897	208	1,293	20	2,418
1986	121	0	3,449	847	2,468	375	7,139
1987	81	0	1,097	378	1,780	151	3,406
1988	77	3	966	390	2,627	83	4,069
1989	74	2	1,112	470	1,292	36	2,912
1990	94	4	2,357	681	1,428	100	4,570
1991	89	0	1,294	666	1,075	45	3,080
1992	144	7	2,739	587	1,723	11	5,067
1993	139	17	2,831	697	587	136	4,268
1994	150	1	2,759	774	1,053	48	4,635
1995	160	23	4,484	484	791	23	5,805
1996	189	5	1,107	1,033	492	49	2,686
1997	221	8	4,192	864	554	110	5,728
1993-97 AVG.	171.8	10.8	3,074.6	770.4	695.4	73.2	4,624.4

Appendix C.2. Subsistence salmon harvest by community and species, in number of fish, 1997.

Community	Permits Issued	Permits Returned	Percent Returned	Estimated Harvest					
				Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Alaska Peninsula									
Sand Point	67	45	67.2	315	7,043	788	1,953	1,663	11,762
King Cove	58	48	82.8	29	3,048	3,226	283	691	7,277
Cold Bay	12	10	83.3	12	657	0	4	3	676
False Pass	7	5	71.4	8	584	315	153	214	1,274
Nelson Lgn./Port Moller	8	8	100.0	16	287	147	5	36	491
Port Heiden	4	3	75.0	2	24	40	0	0	66
Total Alaska Peninsula Area Residents	156	119	76.3	382	11,643	4,516	2,398	2,607	21,546
Non-Local Alaska Residents	61	53	86.9	38	3,581	96	557	278	4,550
Total Alaska Peninsula Area	217	172	79.3	420	15,224	4,612	2,955	2,885	26,096
Unalaska									
Local Residents	218	161	73.9	8	4,192	864	440	110	5,614
Non-Local Residents	3	2	66.7	0	0	0	114	0	114
Total Unalaska	221	163	73.8	8	4,192	864	554	110	5,728

Appendix C.3. Adak-Kagalaska Islands estimated personal use salmon harvests, 1988-1997.

Year	Permits Issued	Permits Returned	Percent Returned	Estimated Catch					
				Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
1988	43	29	67.4	0	503	23	150	0	676
1989	64	47	73.3	0	382	0	117	0	499
1990	61	29	47.5	0	800	47	41	0	888
1991	37	31	86.5	0	281	6	34	0	321
1992	52	41	78.8	0	572	30	4	0	606
1993	36	26	72.2	0	638	12	26	0	676
1994 ^a	0	0	0.0	0	0	0	0	0	0
1995	4	3	75.0	0	156	0	0	0	156
1996	6	6	100.0	0	91	0	0	0	91
1997 ^b	18	12	66.7	0	229	0	0	4	233
1988-93 Average									
	49	34	71.0	0	529	20	62	0	611
1995-96 Average									
	5	5	87.5	0	124	0	0	0	124

^a U.S. Navy presence at Adak was reduced; there were no requests for personal use salmon permits.

^b In 1997, a substantial number of civilians were hired by the Navy to work in a cleanup effort at Adak.

Appendix C.4. Average subsistence salmon harvest in numbers of fish and species, by successful permit holder, 1997.

Community	Estimated Success. Per.	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Sand Point	63	5.0	111.8	12.5	31.0	26.4	186.7
King Cove	48	0.6	63.5	67.2	5.9	14.4	151.6
Cold Bay	11	1.1	59.7	0.0	0.4	0.3	61.5
False Pass	7	1.2	83.4	45.0	21.8	30.6	182.0
Nelson Lagoon	7	2.3	41.0	21.0	0.7	5.1	70.1
Port Heiden	3	0.5	6.0	10.0	0.0	0.0	16.5
Non Local Residents Fishing Ak. Pen. Area	48	0.8	74.6	2.0	11.6	5.8	94.8
Unalaska	157	0.1	26.7	5.5	2.8	0.7	35.8

Appendix C.5. Average subsistence salmon harvest by species, in percent, by successful permit holder, by community, Alaska Peninsula Area and Unalaska, 1997.

Community	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Sand Point	2.7	59.9	6.7	16.6	14.1	100.0
King Cove	0.4	41.9	44.3	3.9	9.5	100.0
Cold Bay	1.8	97.2	0.0	0.6	0.4	100.0
False Pass	0.6	45.9	24.7	12.0	16.8	100.0
Nelson Lagoon	3.3	58.5	29.9	1.0	7.3	100.0
Port Heiden	3.0	36.4	60.6	0.0	0.0	100.0
Unalaska	0.1	74.7	15.4	7.8	2.0	100.0
Non Local Residents	0.8	76.8	2.0	14.4	6.0	100.0

Appendix C.6. Mortensen's Lagoon subsistence and commercial sockeye and coho salmon harvests, in numbers of fish, 1997.

	Permits	Sockeye	Coho
<i>Subsistence Harvest^a</i>			
Cold Bay Residents	11	657	0
King Cove Residents	10	438	188
Out of Area Residents	15	345	12
Total Subsistence Harvest	36	1,440	200
<i>Commercial Harvest^b</i>			
	4	3,907	3
<i>Total Harvest</i>		5,347	203

^a The number of subsistence salmon permit holders estimated to be fishing at Mortensen's Lagoon and the estimated harvest are extrapolated from returned permits.

^b The commercial harvest includes all of statistical area 284-62 (formerly 283-32). Some of the salmon caught in area 284-62 may have been destined for systems other than Mortensen's Lagoon.

The estimated total sockeye salmon escapement was 5,200 fish. Coho escapement data is unavailable.

Appendix C.7. Thin Point Cove subsistence and commercial sockeye and coho salmon harvests, 1997.

Fishery	Estimated Permit Holders	Sockeye	Coho
Subsistence ^a	14	746	1,271
Commercial ^b	11	1,793	13,024
Total Harvest		2,539	14,295

^a The number of subsistence permit holders fishing Thin Point Cove and the number of subsistence salmon harvested are extrapolated from returned permits. All subsistence salmon fishermen fishing at Thin Point Cove during 1997 are believed to be residents of King Cove.

^b Commercial harvest information was from the fish ticket database and includes all of statistical area 284-75. Much of area 284-75 is outside of Thin Point Cove, however nearly all of the sockeye and coho salmon catches come from Thin Point Cove.

The estimated total sockeye salmon escapement was 10,000 salmon. The peak coho salmon estimate was 3,500 salmon.

Appendix C.8. Estimated Unalaska Island subsistence salmon harvest by major location, 1997.

Location	Estimated Permits ^a	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
Reese Bay	121	0	3,945	0	0	0	3,945
Wide Bay	5	7	0	94	0	2	103
Broad Bay	31	0	0	536	53	9	598
Nateekin Bay	28	0	1	148	456	6	611
Front Beach/Agnes Beach vicinity	8	2	36	12	2	0	52

^a The number of permit holders and salmon harvested are extrapolated from returned permits.

Appendix C.9. Estimated Mortensen Lagoon, Thin Point Cove, and Reese Bay subsistence salmon harvest, 1982-1997.

Year	Mortensen's Lagoon			Thin Point Cove			Reese (Wislow) Bay	
	Permits	Sockeye	Coho	Permits	Sockeye	Coho	Permits	Sockeye
1982	30	590	1,145	-	-	-	-	-
1983	41	300	1,600	-	-	-	-	-
1984	27	745	500	-	-	-	-	-
1985	22	590	831	-	-	-	23	669
1986	12	362	178	15	1,586	656	54	2,824
1987	22	604	254	15	1,226	966	20	806
1988	21	737	66	17	488	2,196	21	792
1989	19	420	28	17	1,479	1,239	12	436
1990	27	745	95	29	751	2,578	12	1,421
1991	42	1,144	83	27	913	3,154	35	1,180
1992	34	851	104	23	547	927	59	2,479
1993	54	1,596	148	37	1,511	3,184	37	1,425
1994	41	903	283	23	734	2,443	60	2,298
1995	63	1,940	175	17	1,307	1,348	82	3,985
1996	41	958	508	37	2,609	2,819	45	968
1997	36	1,440	200	14	746	1,271	121	3,945
1993-97 Average	47	1,367	263	26	1,381	2,213	69	2,524

Appendix C.10. Estimated Adak-Kagalaska Islands personal use salmon harvest, 1997.

Permits Issued	18
Number of Returned Permits	12
Number of Returned Permits Reporting Catch	7
Estimated Number of Permit Holders That Caught Salmon	10

Average Catch Per Successful Permit Holder					
Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
0	22.9	0	0	0.4	23.3

Total Harvest					
Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum	Total
0	229	0	0	4	233

It is estimated that approximately 172 sockeye salmon were harvested at Quail Bay on Kagalaska Island. The remainder of the sockeye salmon harvest, approximate 57 fish, were caught at Galas Point on Kagalaska Island.

The U.S. Navy is in the process of abandoning Adak. Very few navy personnel are left at Adak and most of the people presently on the base are civilian employees who are employed by the navy to clean up pollutants and debris. The Aleut Corporation is negotiating with the federal government to take over the base. At this time it is not known how many people will be at Adak in future years. In January 1988, the Alaska Board of Fisheries reinstated subsistence salmon fishing in the Adak District. Subsistence fishing permits will be required with some limits as allowed in the Unalaska District.

Appendix D.1. Alaska Peninsula Area indexed total salmon escapements by species and year, 1962-1997.

Year	Area	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum
1962	South Peninsula	0	18,800	-	1,598,800	399,400
	North Peninsula	4,400	351,200	-	4,000	150,900
	Total	4,400	370,000	-	1,602,800	550,300
1963	South Peninsula	0	23,000	-	1,317,900	446,700
	North Peninsula	6,200	351,000	-	4,400	203,200
	Total	6,200	374,000	-	1,322,300	649,900
1964	South Peninsula	0	15,700	-	1,436,400	454,800
	North Peninsula	25,900	419,900	-	15,100	156,100
	Total	25,900	435,600	-	1,451,500	610,900
1965	South Peninsula	0	12,100	-	1,035,400	228,000
	North Peninsula	22,100	238,400	-	900	49,300
	Total	22,100	250,500	-	1,036,300	277,300
1966	South Peninsula	0	17,000	-	719,400	422,000
	North Peninsula	8,200	283,300	-	2,000	149,000
	Total	8,200	300,300	-	721,400	571,000
1967	South Peninsula	0	16,200	-	445,500	182,900
	North Peninsula	12,200	299,700	-	700	122,600
	Total	12,200	315,900	-	446,200	305,500
1968	South Peninsula	0	12,800	-	823,300	279,100
	North Peninsula	15,800	251,300	-	26,500	250,800
	Total	15,800	264,100	-	849,800	529,900
1969	South Peninsula	0	29,500	-	2,474,900	134,600
	North Peninsula	19,500	575,000	-	4,400	146,800
	Total	19,500	604,500	-	2,479,300	281,400
1970	South Peninsula	0	16,500	-	1,298,900	280,500
	North Peninsula	8,300	451,500	-	11,100	169,800
	Total	8,300	468,000	-	1,310,000	450,300
1971	South Peninsula	0	19,400	-	702,700	343,200
	North Peninsula	5,200	435,100	-	8,600	109,400
	Total	5,200	454,500	-	711,300	452,600
1972	South Peninsula	0	11,900	-	111,400	254,500
	North Peninsula	5,000	190,200	-	1,300	124,000
	Total	5,000	202,100	-	112,700	378,500

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Year	Area	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum
1973	South Peninsula	0	7,300	-	110,800	505,500
	North Peninsula	4,300	180,200	-	200	122,400
	Total	4,300	187,500	-	111,000	627,900
1974	South Peninsula	0	95,600	-	284,400	257,300
	North Peninsula	3,000	332,800	-	23,000	105,100
	Total	3,000	428,400	-	307,400	362,400
1975	South Peninsula	0	51,700	-	552,100	193,300
	North Peninsula	4,600	516,800	-	600	109,200
	Total	4,600	568,500	-	552,700	302,500
1976	South Peninsula	0	69,700	-	1,456,400	327,200
	North Peninsula	6,000	532,600	-	37,300	293,400
	Total	6,000	602,300	-	1,493,700	620,600
1977	South Peninsula	0	64,900	-	2,677,800	774,900
	North Peninsula	7,100	541,100	-	8,500	681,200
	Total	7,100	606,000	-	2,686,300	1,456,100
1978	South Peninsula	0	64,800	-	2,858,700	600,500
	North Peninsula	13,700	1,213,500	-	96,800	310,500
	Total	13,700	1,278,300	-	2,955,500	911,000
1979	South Peninsula	0	53,300	-	2,629,500	411,100
	North Peninsula	15,800	1,574,000	-	9,300	305,300
	Total	15,800	1,627,300	-	2,638,800	716,400
1980	South Peninsula	0	45,900	-	2,641,600	362,400
	North Peninsula	11,000	1,387,600	-	103,600	769,500
	Total	11,000	1,433,500	-	2,745,200	1,131,900
1981	South Peninsula	0	45,700	-	2,307,500	381,300
	North Peninsula	12,400	1,347,900	-	6,100	535,200
	Total	12,400	1,393,600	-	2,313,600	916,500
1982	South Peninsula	0	39,200	-	2,293,000	386,900
	North Peninsula	20,000	718,400	-	51,700	457,600
	Total	20,000	757,600	-	2,344,700	844,500
1983	South Peninsula	0	59,200	-	851,200	446,500
	North Peninsula	25,700	580,300	-	4,000	392,600
	Total	25,700	639,500	-	855,200	839,100
1984	South Peninsula	0	54,800	-	3,811,600	699,700
	North Peninsula	17,700	826,000	-	56,600	870,200
	Total	17,700	880,800	-	3,868,200	1,569,900

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Year	Area	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum
1985	South Peninsula	0	49,900	-	1,614,100	503,400
	North Peninsula	12,900	898,100	-	1,400	344,200
	Total	12,900	948,000	-	1,615,500	847,600
1986	South Peninsula	0	48,000	-	1,716,700	544,600
	North Peninsula	8,700	580,300	-	13,300	243,600
	Total	8,700	628,300	-	1,730,000	788,200
1987	South Peninsula	0	44,600	-	1,540,500	620,700
	North Peninsula	10,700	556,000	-	100	510,900
	Total	10,700	600,600	-	1,540,600	1,131,600
1988	South Peninsula	0	74,100	-	2,839,600	496,400
	North Peninsula	11,700	614,900	250,000	43,500	500,300
	Total	11,700	689,000	250,000	2,883,100	996,700
1989	South Peninsula	0	78,100	-	1,870,900	310,500
	North Peninsula	5,600	814,400	175,000	1,900	212,300
	Total	5,600	892,500	175,000	1,872,800	522,800
1990	South Peninsula	0	95,300	87,500	1,598,400	354,700
	North Peninsula	7,100	1,032,200	157,500	132,200	226,400
	Total	7,100	1,127,500	245,000	1,730,600	581,100
1991	South Peninsula	0	124,900	-	2,946,800	587,600
	North Peninsula	9,600	1,317,300	-	6,300	303,300
	Total	9,600	1,442,200	-	2,953,100	890,900
1992	South Peninsula	0	97,600	-	2,834,400	335,500
	North Peninsula	6,600	861,300	-	207,600	351,700
	Total	6,600	958,900	-	3,042,000	687,200
1993	South Peninsula	0	100,341	-	2,990,140	397,030
	North Peninsula	13,745	1,003,848	-	72,830	402,380
	Total	13,745	1,104,189	-	3,062,970	799,410
1994	South Peninsula	0	120,255	-	3,071,725	579,100
	North Peninsula	38,400	1,211,400	-	133,200	480,200
	Total	38,400	1,331,655	-	3,204,925	1,059,300
1995	South Peninsula	0	129,110	-	6,406,300	726,400
	North Peninsula	24,400	1,077,030	-	8,200	756,000
	Total	24,400	1,206,140	-	6,414,500	1,482,400

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Year	Area	Chinook	Sockeye	Coho	Pink	Chum
1996	South Peninsula	0	72,950	-	3,647,550	610,300
	North Peninsula	25,670	967,890	-	382,600	823,130
	Total	25,670	1,040,840	-	4,030,150	1,433,430
1997	South Peninsula	0	104,440	-	5,243,275	809,050
	North Peninsula	19,250	820,243	-	24,750	388,185
	Total	19,250	924,683	-	5,268,025	1,197,235
Average 1987-1996						
	South Peninsula	0	93,726	-	2,781,547	398,708
	North Peninsula	15,352	945,627	-	98,843	456,661
	Total	15,352	1,039,352	-	2,880,390	855,369

APPENDIX E: LISTING OF SALMON REGULATIONS, 1997.

Appendix E.1. Alaska Peninsula Management Area salmon regulations, 1997.

TITLE 5. FISH AND GAME

CHAPTER 09. ALASKA PENINSULA AREA.

ARTICLE 1. DESCRIPTION OF AREA.

5 AAC 09.001. APPLICATION OF THIS CHAPTER. Requirements set forth in this chapter apply to commercial fishing only, unless otherwise specified. Subsistence fishing regulations affecting commercial fishing vessels or affecting any other commercial fishing activity are set forth in the subsistence fishing regulations in 5 AAC 01 and 5 AAC 02.

5 AAC 09.100. DESCRIPTION OF AREA. The Alaska Peninsula Area includes all waters of Alaska from Cape Menshikof to Cape Sarichef Light and from a line extending from Scotch Cap through the easternmost tip of Ugamak Island to a line extending 135° southeast from Kupreanof Point.

ARTICLE 2. FISHING DISTRICTS AND SECTIONS.

5 AAC 09.200. FISHING DISTRICTS AND SECTIONS. (a) The Northern District includes all waters on the north (Bering Sea) side of the Alaska Peninsula between the westernmost tip of Cape Menshikof and the southernmost tip of Moffet Point:

(1) Cinder River Section: all waters of the Northern District east of 158° 20' W. long.;

(2) Port Heiden Sections:

(A) Outer Port Heiden Section: all waters of the Northern District located between 158° 20' W. long. and the longitude of Strogonof Point (158° 51' W. long.), exclusive of the Inner Port Heiden Section;

(B) Inner Port Heiden Section: all waters of Port Heiden Bay south and east of a line from Strogonof Point at 56° 53' 16" N. lat., 158° 50' 36" W. long. to the mainland shore of the northeast entrance to the bay at 56° 56' 31" N. lat., 158° 40' 44" W. long.;

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(3) Ilnik Section: all waters between the longitude of Strogonof Point (158° 51' W. long.) and the longitude of Three Hills (159° 50' W. long.);

(4) Three Hills Section: all waters between the longitude of Three Hills (159° 50' W. long.) and the longitude of Cape Seniavin Light (160° 09' W. long.);

(5) Bear River Section: all waters between the longitude of Cape Seniavin Light (160° 09' W. long.) and the longitude of Wolf Point (160° 48' 30" W. long.), excluding the waters of the Herendeen-Moller Bay Section;

(10) Port Moller Bight Section: all waters enclosed by a line from Entrance Point to Harbor Point.

(6) Herendeen-Moller Bay Section: all waters enclosed by a line from Harbor Point to Entrance Point to Wolf Point to Point Edward on Cape Rozhnof;

(7) Nelson Lagoon Section: all waters of Nelson Lagoon inside the bars and inside a line extending from Lagoon Point to Wolf Point to Point Edward on Cape Rozhnof;

(8) Caribou Flats Section: all waters between Wolf Point and a point at 55° 53' 40" N. lat., 161° 49' W. long., approximately 22 nautical miles west of Nelson Lagoon Village and exclusive of the waters comprising the Nelson Lagoon Section;

(9) Black Hills Section: all waters between 55° 53' 40" N. lat., 161° 49' W. long., and Moffet Point.

(b) The Northwestern District: all waters on the north (Bering Sea) side of the Alaska Peninsula between Moffet Point and Cape Sarichef Light on Unimak Island, including Bechevin Bay and the waters of Isanotski Strait north of a line from the False Pass cannery dock to Nichols Point;

(1) Izembek-Moffet Bay Section: all waters between Moffet Point and Cape Glazenap;

(2) Bechevin Bay Section: all waters between Cape Glazenap and Chunak Point, including Bechevin Bay and the waters of Isanotski Strait north of a line from the False Pass cannery dock to Nichols Point;

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(3) Swanson Lagoon Section: all waters on the north side of Unimak Island between the easternmost edge of Chunak Point (55° 02' N. lat., 163° 27' W. long.) and east of the longitude of Otter Point (163° 47' W. long.), excluding the waters of the Bechevin Bay Section;

(4) Uria Bay Section: all waters on the north side of Unimak Island west of the longitude of Otter Point (163° 47' W. long.) and east of the northernmost tip of Cape Mordvinof (54° 56' N. lat., 164° 25' 45" W. long.), including Peterson and Christianson Lagoons;

(5) Dublin Bay Section: all waters on the northwest side of Unimak Island west of the northernmost tip of Cape Mordvinof and east of Cape Sarichef Light (54° 35' 50" N. lat., 164° 55' 30" W. long.).

(c) Unimak District: all waters on the south side of Unimak Island between a line extending from Scotch Cap (54° 24' N. lat., 164° 47' 36" W. long.) through the easternmost tip of Ugamak Island (54° 12' 42" N. lat., 164° 45' 48" W. long.), and a line extending 115° from Cape Pankof Light (54° 39' 36" N. lat., 163° 03' 36" W. long.), including the Sanak Islands;

(1) Cape Lutke Section: all waters of the Unimak District east of a line extending from Scotch Cap (54° 24' N. lat., 164° 47' 36" W. long.) through the easternmost tip of Ugamak Island (54° 12' 42" N. lat., 164° 45' 48" W. long.), and west of the longitude of Rock Island (163° 37' 18" W. long.);

(2) Otter Cove Section: all waters of the Unimak District east of the longitude of Rock Island (163° 37' 18" W. long.) and north of 54° 30' N. lat.;

(3) Sanak Island Section: all waters of the Unimak District east of the longitude of Rock Island (163° 37' 18" W. long.) and south of 54° 30' N. lat.

(d) Southwestern District: all waters on the south side of the Alaska Peninsula north and east of a line extending 115° from Pankof Light (54° 39' 36" N. lat., 163° 03' 36" W. long.) and west of a line extending 106° from Arch Point Light (55° 12' 20" N. lat., 161° 54' 15" W. long.) to the western boundary of the Southeastern District (longitude of McGinty Point: 160° 59' W. long.), including Inner Iliasik, Outer Iliasik, Goloi, Dolgoi, Poperechnoi, and Deer Islands, all waters of Ikatan Bay, and all waters of Isanotski Strait south of a line from the False Pass cannery dock (54° 51' 30" N. lat., 163° 24' 30" W. long.) to Nichols Point (54° 51' 30" N. lat., 163° 23' 10" W. long.);

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(1) Ikatán Bay Section: all waters of the Southwestern District located south and west of a line from Kenmore Head (54° 57' N. lat., 163° 01' 40" W. long.) to Hague Rock (54° 33' 10" N. lat., 162° 24' W. long.), and west of a line extending true south from Hague Rock;

(2) Morzhovoi Bay Section: all waters of Morzhovoi Bay north of a line from Kenmore Head to Cape Tachilni (54° 56' N. lat., 162° 52' 30" W. long.);

(3) Thin Point Section: all waters of the Southwestern District east of Kenmore Head (54° 57' N. lat., 163° 01' 40" W. long.) and west of Thin Point (54° 57' 30" N. lat., 162° 33' 30" W. long.), excluding waters of the Ikatán, Morzhovoi, and Cold Bay Sections;

(4) Cold Bay Section: all waters north of a line from Thin Point to Vodapoini Point;

(5) Deer Island Section: all waters within one nautical mile of Deer Island;

(6) Belkofski Bay Section: all waters between Vodapoini Point and Moss Cape, including Inner and Outer Iliasik Islands but excluding the waters of the Deer Island Section;

(7) Volcano Bay Section: all waters between Moss Cape and Arch Point including Goloi, Dolgoi and Poperechnoi Islands;

(8) General Section: all other waters of the Southwestern District.

(e) South Central District: all waters on the south side of the Alaska Peninsula north and east of a line extending 106° from Arch Point Light (55° 12' 20" N. lat., 161° 54' 15" W. long.), and west of a line extending south from McGinty Point (55° 27' 30" N. lat., 160° 59' W. long.), including Ukolnoi and Wosnesenski Islands;

(1) West Pavlof Bay Section: all waters of the South Central District west of 161° 34' W. long.;

(2) East Pavlof Bay Section: all waters of the South Central District east of 161° 34' W. long., excluding the Canoe Bay and Mino Creek-Little Coal Bay Sections.

(3) Canoe Bay Section: all waters of Canoe Bay enclosed by a line from a point at 55° 35' 37" N. lat., 161° 21' 33" W. long. to a point at 55° 35' 41" N. lat., 161° 21' 40" W. long.;

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(4) Mino Creek-Little Coal Bay Section: all waters of the district, excluding those of the East Pavlof Bay and Canoe Bay Sections, between the longitude of McGinty Point ($160^{\circ} 59' \text{ W. long.}$) and the longitude of Cape Tolstoi ($161^{\circ} 30' \text{ W. long.}$);

(4) repealed 6/2/88.

(f) Southeastern District: all waters on the south side of the Alaska Peninsula east of a line extending south from McGinty Point ($55^{\circ} 27' 30'' \text{ N. lat.}$, $160^{\circ} 59' \text{ W. long.}$), and west of a line extending 135° from Kupreanof Point ($55^{\circ} 34' \text{ N. lat.}$, $159^{\circ} 36' \text{ W. long.}$), including all of the Shumagin Islands;

(1) Beaver Bay Section: all waters of the Southeastern District east of the longitude of McGinty Point ($160^{\circ} 59' \text{ W. long.}$), west of $160^{\circ} 49' \text{ W. long.}$, and north of $55^{\circ} 26' \text{ N. lat.}$;

(2) Balboa Bay Section: all waters of the Southeastern District east of $160^{\circ} 39' \text{ W. long.}$, north of $55^{\circ} 26' \text{ N. lat.}$, and west of the longitude of Swedania Point ($160^{\circ} 31' 30'' \text{ W. long.}$);

(3) Shumagin Islands Section: all waters of the Southeastern District east of the longitude of McGinty Point ($160^{\circ} 59' \text{ W. long.}$), west of a line extending 135° from Kupreanof Point ($55^{\circ} 34' \text{ N. lat.}$, $159^{\circ} 36' \text{ W. long.}$), south of a line from $55^{\circ} 26' \text{ N. lat.}$, $160^{\circ} 31' 30'' \text{ W. long.}$, to $55^{\circ} 32' 12'' \text{ N. lat.}$, $160^{\circ} 02' 36'' \text{ W. long.}$ (approximately 1 nautical mile north of Karpa Island), and east to the Alaska Peninsula Area boundary (a line extending 135° from Kupreanof Point), excluding the Beaver Bay, Balboa Bay, and Southwest Stepovak Sections;

(4) Southwest Stepovak Section: all waters of the Southeastern District south of the latitude of $55^{\circ} 37' 20'' \text{ N. lat.}$, west of $159^{\circ} 52' \text{ W. long.}$, north of the Shumagin Islands Section, and east of the Balboa Bay Section;

(5) Northwest Stepovak Section: all waters of the Southeastern District north of $55^{\circ} 37' 20'' \text{ N. lat.}$ and west of the longitude of Dent Point ($159^{\circ} 52' \text{ W. long.}$);

(6) Stepovak Flats Section: all waters of the Southeastern District north of $55^{\circ} 48' 18'' \text{ N. lat.}$ and east of the longitude of Dent Point $159^{\circ} 52' \text{ W. long.}$);

(7) East Stepovak Section: all waters of the Southeastern District south of $55^{\circ} 48' 18'' \text{ N. lat.}$, east of the longitude of Dent Point ($159^{\circ} 52' \text{ W. long.}$), north of $55^{\circ} 32' 12'' \text{ N. lat.}$, and west of a line extending 135° from Kupreanof Point ($55^{\circ} 34' \text{ N. lat.}$, $159^{\circ} 36' \text{ W. long.}$).

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ARTICLE 3. SALMON FISHERY.

5 AAC 09.301. SEAWARD BOUNDARY OF DISTRICTS. For the purpose of managing the historical salmon net fishery in the vicinity of False Pass and Unimak Bight, the outer boundary of the Southwestern and Unimak Districts is a line drawn three miles seaward from a line commencing at 54° 26' 45" N. lat., 162° 53' W. long., near the western end of Sanak Island to Cape Lutke on Unimak Island. The seaward boundary of all other districts is a line three miles seaward of the baseline described in 5 AAC 39.975(13).

5 AAC 09.310. FISHING SEASONS. (a) In the Northern District, salmon may be taken as follows:

(1) Cinder River Section

(A) from May 1 through September 30 within the lagoon into which the Cinder River drains (locally known as False Ugashik or Shagong);

(B) from August 1 through September 30 throughout this section;

(2) Port Heiden Sections:

(A) Inner Port Heiden Section: from May 1 through September 30;

(B) Outer Port Heiden Section: no open season;

(3) Ilnik Section

(A) from May 1 through September 30 within Ilnik Lagoon and all waters inside the Seal Islands;

(B) from July 5 through September 30 in all waters west of Unangashak Bluffs at Loran C line 990-Y-33265 and the longitude of Three Hills (159° 50' W. long.);

(C) from July 15 through September 30 throughout the entire Ilnik Section;

(4) Three Hills Section: from June 25 through September 30;

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(5) Bear River Section: from May 1 through September 30;

(10) Port Moller Bight Section: from May 1 through September 30;

(6) Herendeen-Moller Bay Section: from May 1 through July 20 with the exception that within the bight enclosed by a line from Entrance Point to Harbor Point salmon may be taken from May 1 through September 30;

(7) Nelson Lagoon Section: from May 1 through September 30;

(8) Caribou Flats Section: no open season;

(9) Black Hills Section: from May 1 through September 30.

(b) In the Northwestern District, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through August 10, except that

(1) in the Dublin Bay Section, salmon may be taken only from July 10 through August 10;

(2) in the Bechevin Bay Section, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through September 30;

(3) after September 1, the salmon fishing season will be opened by emergency order.

(c) In the Unimak District, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through September 30.

(d) In the Southwestern District, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through September 30.

(e) In the South Central District, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through September 30.

(f) In the Southeastern District, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through September 30.

5 AAC 09.320. FISHING PERIODS. (a) In the Northern District, salmon may be taken from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Thursday, except as follows:

(1) in the Black Hills Section, before July 1 salmon may be taken from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Wednesday; beginning July 1 salmon may be taken from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Thursday;

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(2) in the Nelson Lagoon Section, salmon may be taken

(A) during the period May 1 through June 15, from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 12:00 midnight Wednesday;

(B) during the period June 16 through August 15, from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 12:00 midnight Thursday;

(C) after August 15, from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 12:00 midnight Wednesday;

(3) in the Cinder River, Inner Port Heiden, and Ilnik Sections, salmon may be taken from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Wednesday;

(4) before July 1, in the Three Hills and Bear River Sections, salmon may be taken from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Wednesday.

(b) Salmon may be taken only during the open season in the Northwestern District in the

(1) Izembek-Moffet Bay Section; from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Thursday;

(2) Bechevin Bay Section: only during fishing periods established by emergency order;

(3) Uruilia Bay Section: from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Thursday;

(4) Dublin Bay Section, from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Thursday;

(5) Swanson Lagoon Section, from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Thursday.

(c) Salmon may be taken during the open season in the Unimak District during fishing periods established by emergency order.

(d) Salmon may be taken only during the open season in the Southwestern District only during fishing periods established by emergency order.

(e) Salmon may be taken only during the open season in the South Central District only during fishing periods established by emergency order.

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(1), (2) repealed 6/2/88;

(3) repealed 4/13/80.

(f) Salmon may be taken only during the open season in the Southeastern District only during fishing periods established by emergency order.

(1) repealed 6/2/88;

(2) repealed 4/13/80;

(3) repealed 6/2/88.

5 AAC 09.330. GEAR. (a) In the Northern District salmon may be taken

(1) in the Cinder River Section: with drift gillnets or set gillnets only;

(2) in the Inner Port Heiden Section: with drift gillnets or set gillnets only;

(3) in the Inik Section: with drift gillnets or set gillnets only;

(4) in the Three Hills Section: with drift gillnets only;

(5) in the Bear River Section: with drift gillnets, purse seines and hand purse seines;

(6) in the Herendeen-Moller Bay Section: with drift gillnets, set gillnets, purse seines and hand purse seines;

(7) in the Nelson Lagoon Section: with drift gillnets or set gillnets;

(8) repealed 5/28/92;

(9) in the Black Hills Section: with drift gillnets or set gillnets only.

(b) In the Northwestern District salmon may be taken with drift gillnets, set gillnets, purse seines and hand purse seines.

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(c) In the Unimak District salmon may be taken with drift gillnets, set gillnets, purse seines and hand purse seines. Salmon may be taken by gillnet gear during periods when the seine fishery is closed by emergency order due to the presence of immature salmon.

(d) In the Southwestern District salmon may be taken with purse seines, hand purse seines and set gillnets except that

(1) salmon may also be taken with drift gillnets west of a line from Kenmore Head to Hague Rocks to the easternmost tip of the Sanak Islands;

(2) repealed 3/19/78;

(3) salmon may be taken by gillnet gear during periods when the seine fishery is closed by emergency order due to the presence of immature salmon.

(e) In the South Central District salmon may be taken with set gillnets, purse seines and hand purse seines, except that

(1) repealed 3/19/78;

(2) within Canoe Bay, salmon may be taken only with purse seines and hand purse seines;

(3) repealed 6/2/88;

(4) salmon may be taken by set gillnet gear during periods when the seine fishery is closed by emergency order due to the presence of immature salmon.

(f) In the Southeastern District salmon may be taken only with set gillnets, purse seines and hand purse seines except that

(1) salmon may be taken only with purse seines and hand purse seines in the area between Popof Head and Dark Cliffs (Popof Island) from June 1 through August 31; however, salmon may be taken by set gillnet during periods when the seine fishery is closed by emergency order due to the presence of immature salmon;

(2) repealed 3/19/78;

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(3) salmon may be taken only with set gillnets from June 1 through July 10 in the Beaver Bay, Balboa Bay, Southwest Stepovak, Northwest Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, and East Stepovak Sections;

(4) salmon may be taken by set gillnet during periods when the seine fishery is closed by emergency order due to presence of immature salmon.

5 AAC 09.331. GILLNET SPECIFICATIONS AND OPERATIONS. (a) The size and operation of drift gillnets is as follows:

(1) the aggregate length of drift gillnets on a salmon fishing boat or in use by such boat shall be no more than 200 fathoms in length;

(2) the mesh size of drift gillnets may not be less than five and one-quarter inches, except that there is no minimum mesh size

(A) in the Bear River, Nelson Lagoon, and Port Moller Bight Sections of the Northern District described in 5 AAC 09.200(a);

(B) in the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fisheries described in 5 AAC 09.365(b) when the commissioner opens the fishing season under 5 AAC 09.365(d);

(3) in the Northwestern, Unimak, and Southwestern Districts, no drift gillnet may exceed 90 meshes in depth;

(4) in the Northern District, a drift gillnet may not exceed 70 meshes in depth, except that in the Nelson Lagoon Section a drift gillnet may not exceed 29 meshes in depth before August 16 and 38 meshes in depth from August 16 through September 30; a drift gillnet may have only one leadline, which may not exceed 60 fathoms per 50 fathoms of corkline, and no portion of the leadline may exceed 1.5 pounds per fathom.

(b) The size and operation of set gillnets is as follows:

(1) a set gillnet may be no more than 100 fathoms in length; the aggregate length of set gillnets operated by a CFEC permit holder may be no more than 200 fathoms; no more than two gillnet sites may be operated by a CFEC permit holder except that in the

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(A) Inner Port Heiden Section a set gillnet may be no more than 50 fathoms in length; the aggregate length of set gillnets operated by a CFEC permit holder may be no more than 100 fathoms; and no more than two gillnet sites may be operated by a CFEC permit holder;

(B) Ilnik Lagoon (portion of the Ilnik Section) a set gillnet may be no more than 50 fathoms in length; the aggregate length of set gillnets operated by a CFEC permit holder may be no more than 150 fathoms; and no more than three gillnet sites may be operated by a CFEC permit holder;

(C) in the Northwestern, Unimak, Southwestern, Southcentral, and Southeastern Districts, a set gillnet may not exceed 90 meshes in depth;

(2) set gillnets shall be operated in substantially a straight line; no more than 30 fathoms of each set gillnet may be used as a single hook;

(3) the mesh size of a set gillnet may not be less than five and one-quarter inches, except that there is no minimum mesh size

(A) in the Nelson lagoon and Port Moller Bight Sections of the Northern District described in 5 AAC 09.200(a)

(B) in the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fisheries described in 5 AAC 09.365(b) when the commissioner opens the fishing season under 5 AAC 09.365(d)

(4) in the Northern District, the maximum depth of a set gillnet may not exceed 70 meshes in depth; except that in the Nelson Lagoon Section, a set gillnet may not exceed 29 meshes in depth;

(5) in the Unimak, Southwestern, South Central, and Southeastern Districts, 10 fathoms of seine webbing may be used on the shoreward end of a set gillnet; the shoreward end of the seine webbing must be attached to the beach above low tide;

(6) during hours of darkness, each set gillnet must be marked with at least one red light on the seaward end of the net, and at least one red light on both ends of the net if that net is more than 300 feet from shore.

(7) in Swanson Lagoon, within the Swanson Lagoon Section of the Northwestern District, a person may not place a set gillnet in the water if that placement would result in more than 50 percent of the channel east of 163° 38' 42" W. long. being blocked to the movement of boat traffic at any stage of the tide;

(8) in the Cinder River and Inik Sections of the Northern District, a person may not place the seaward end of a set gillnet further than one-half mile from the terrestrial vegetation line of the beach, except that in the Seal Islands a person may not place the seaward end of a set gillnet within one-half mile of the mean high water mark.

5 AAC 09.332. SEINE SPECIFICATIONS AND OPERATIONS. (a) Purse seines or hand purse seines may not be less than 100 fathoms nor more than 250 fathoms in length. A purse seine or hand purse seine may not exceed 375 meshes in depth. Seine mesh may not be more than 3 1/2 inches, except that the first 25 meshes above the headline may not be more than 7 inches.

(b) Leads may not be less than 50 fathoms nor more than 150 fathoms in length. Only one lead may be used with a seine. A lead may be attached to only one end of a seine, and the lead may not be attached to the boat end of the seine.

5 AAC 09.334. IDENTIFICATION OF GEAR. (a) Each drift gillnet in operation must have at each end a bright red keg, buoy, or cluster of floats plainly and legibly marked with the permanent vessel license plate (ADF&G) number of the vessel operating the gear, as well as the initials of the operator.

(b) Each set gillnet in operation must be identified as required by 5 AAC 39.280.

5 AAC 09.335. MINIMUM DISTANCE BETWEEN UNITS OF GEAR. No part of a set gillnet may be set or operated within 900 feet of any part of another set gillnet, except that in the

(1) Inner Port Heiden Section no part of a set gillnet may be set or operated within 600 feet of any part of another set gillnet;

(2) Nelson Lagoon Section no part of a set gillnet may be set or operated within 1,800 feet of any part of another operating set gillnet.

5 AAC 09.350. CLOSED WATERS. Salmon may not be taken in the following locations:

(1) Meshik River: all waters upstream of a line crossing the river from a point at 56° 47' 04" N. lat., 158° 41' 06" W. long., to 56° 47' 58" N. lat., 158° 38' 45" W. long.; this is approximately one-half nautical mile upstream from the mean high tide mouth and approximately at the lower line of permanent grass growth;

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(2) Sandy River

(A) May 1 through July 26: within 2,000 yards of the terminus of the river;

(B) July 27 through September 30; within 500 yards of the terminus of the river;

(3) Bear River

(A) May 1 through August 8: within 1,000 yards of the terminus of the river;

(B) August 9 through September 30: within 500 yards of the terminus of the river;

(4) Frank's Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and within 500 yards outside the entrance;

(5) Bechevin Bay

(A) Saint Catherine Cove (Mike's Creek): all waters within 1,000 yards of the stream located at 55° 00' 48" N. lat., 163° 31' 33" W. long.;

(B) Trader's Cove: all waters north and east of a line from Morzhovoi Village (54° 54' 45" N. lat., 163° 18' 15" W. long.) to the base of Trader Mountain (55° 00' 05" N. lat., 163° 18' 22" W. long.);

(C) Warmsprings Bay: all waters southeast of a line from a point on the south shore of the bay at 54° 56' 28" N. lat., 163° 15' 45" W. long., to a point on the north shore of the bay at 54° 57' 16" N. lat., 163° 15' 33" W. long.;

(6) Urilia Bay

(A) Christianson's Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and its exit channel upstream from a point located 500 yards above the exit channel terminus at the ocean shoreline;

(B) Peterson Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon from a point located 500 yards upstream from the lagoon outlet channel terminus at the ocean shoreline;

(7) Ikatan Bay: all waters within 1,000 yards of the stream at 54° 45' 15" N. lat., 163° 15' 15" W. long. on the north shore of the Ikatan Peninsula which exits from Swede's Lake;

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(8) Morzhovoi Bay

(A) Middle Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and within 1,000 yards of its entrance;

(B) Littlejohn Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and within 500 yards of its entrance at the narrows;

(9) Thin Point Cove and Lagoon: all waters north and west of a line from the tip of Thin Point westward to a point on the shore at 54° 57' 30" N. lat., 162° 43' 15" W. long.;

(10) Cold Bay

(A) Old Man Lagoon, Mortensen Lagoon and Nurse Lagoon: all waters of the lagoons and within 500 yards outside their entrances;

(B) Lenard Harbor: all waters east of a line from a point on the south shore at 55° 06' N. lat., 162° 23' W. long., to a point on the north shore at 55° 07' N. lat., 162° 23' W. long., and within 1,000 yards of any salmon stream;

(C) Kinzarof Lagoon area: all waters of Kinzarof Lagoon.;

(D) Trout Creek: all waters within 1,000 yards of the stream terminus;

(11) Deer Island: all waters within 200 yards of any salmon stream on Deer Island;

(12) Belkofski Bay: all waters north and east of a line from 55° 09' 22" N. lat., 162° 08' 12" W. long., to 55° 08' 08" N. lat., 162° 07' 03" W. long., then to 55° 07' 20" N. lat., 126° 07' 39" W. long.;

(13) Volcano and Bear Bay

(A) all waters north of a line from 55° 13' 24" N. lat., 162° 01' 24" W. long., to 55° 13' 51" N. lat., 161° 58' W. long.;

(B) all waters of Bear Bay west of 162 W. long. and locally known as Little Bear Bay;

(14) Long John Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and within 500 yards outside its entrance;

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(15) Pavlof Bay

(A) Chinaman Lagoon and Jackson Lagoon: all waters of the lagoons and within 1,000 yards outside their entrances;

(B) Dry Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and within 500 yards of its entrance;

(C) Canoe Bay: all waters east of $161^{\circ} 14' 12''$ W. long.;
(i), (ii) repealed 6/2/88;

(16) Balboa Bay

(A) all waters north of a line extending west from Reef Point;

(B) all waters of Lefthand Bay west of a line from $55^{\circ} 31' 36''$ N. lat., $160^{\circ} 42' 54''$ W. long., to $55^{\circ} 33' 12''$ N. lat., $160^{\circ} 42' 06''$ W. long.;

(17) Zachary Bay: all waters of the inner bay south and west of a line extending from the inner edge of the grass line of the sand spit to the west of the tip of the prominent point of land approximately one and one-third nautical miles inside Quartz Point;

(18) San Diego Bay: all waters of the lagoon at the head of this bay and within 500 yards outside the lagoon's entrance except that from July 19 through August 31 the closure includes all waters west of a line from the reef at $55^{\circ} 33' 08''$ N. lat., $160^{\circ} 26' 30''$ W. long., to the headland at $55^{\circ} 34' 02''$ N. lat., $160^{\circ} 25' 48''$ W. long.;

(19) Dorenoi Bay

(A) through July 25, all waters north and west of a line from the tip of Renshaw Point to the opposite shore at $55^{\circ} 38' 30''$ N. lat., $160^{\circ} 19'$ W. long.;

(B) after July 25, all waters within 500 yards of the terminus of any salmon stream;

(20) Chichagof Bay: all waters of the lagoon and within 500 yards of the lagoon entrance;

(21) Orzinski Bay (Orzenoi): within 1,000 yards of any salmon stream;

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(22) Grub Gulch: all waters north and east of a line from 55° 48' 18" N. lat., 159° 56' 06" W. long., to 55° 49' 00" N. lat., 159° 58' 12" W. long.;

(23) Stepovak Bay: from June 1 through July 28, all waters within 500 yards of any salmon stream or lagoon unless otherwise specified; from July 29 through September 30, all waters north of a line extending east from Dent Point at 55° 47' 15" N. lat., 159° 52' W. long., to a point on the Kupreanof Peninsula at 55° 47' N. lat., 159° 38' 30" W. long.;

(24) Bay Point: all waters of the lagoon and within 500 yards of the lagoon entrance;

(25) Amak Island and adjacent Sea Lion Rocks: all waters within three nautical miles of these islands and elevations;

(26) repealed 4/16/83;

(27) Applegate Cove-Norma Bay: all waters south of a line from 55° 14' 08" N. lat., 162° 53' W. long., to the southwest extremity of Norma Bay at 55° 10' 50" N. lat., 163° 05' 07" W. long.; this boundary aligns with the Cold Bay VORTAL cone and the headland located approximately two nautical miles south of the radar domes near Grant Point;

(28) Ilnik Lagoon: all waters of Ilnik Lagoon and lake west of 159° 30' 12" W. long.;

(29) Herendeen Bay

(A) from May 1 through July 20, all waters within 500 yards of any salmon stream unless otherwise specified;

(30) Nelson Lagoon: all waters of the lagoon and river (called Caribou, Nelson, and Lagoon River) flowing into the upper (west) end of Nelson Lagoon, upstream of a line from 55° 57' 20" N. lat., 161° 22' 15" W. long. to 55° 57' 45" N. lat., 161° 22' 40" W. long.;

(31) Caribou Flats: all waters of the Caribou Flats Section;

(32) Cape Menshikof: all waters of the Cinder River Section located north of Loran C line 9990-Y-32920;

(33) King Salmon River

(A) from May 1 through July 15, all waters within 1000 yards of the stream terminus;

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(B) after July 15, all waters within 500 yards of the stream terminus.

(34) Cinder River Lagoon: all waters enclosed by a line from 57° 19' 48" N. lat., 158° 08' 24" W. long. to 57° 21' 18" N. lat., 158° 02' 38" W. long.;

(35) Unangashik River: all waters east of 159° 15' 04" W. long.;

(36) Swanson Lagoon

(A) June 1 through August 31: all waters enclosed by a line from 55° 02' 12" N. lat., 163° 38' 42" W. long., to 55° 01' 58" N. lat., 163° 38' 28" W. long.;

(B) September 1 through October 31: all waters enclosed by a line from 55° 02' 12" N. lat., 163° 38' 42" W. long., to 55° 02' 07" N. lat., 163° 39' 44" W. long.;

(37) Outer Port Heiden: all waters of the Outer Port Heiden Section.

(38) from July 6 - August 31, all waters of Alaska in the East Stepovak Section, between a line extending 135° from Kupreanof Point at 55° 33' 59" N. lat., 159° 35' 53" W. (based on the North American Datum of 1983, notwithstanding 5 AAC 39.997(b)), and a line extending 207° from 55° 34' 30" N. lat., 159° 37' 32" W. long. (based on the North American Datum of 1983, notwithstanding 5 AAC 39.997(b)).

5 AAC 09.355. SALMON PROCESSOR AND BUYER REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. The operator of a floating salmon processing vessel or tender, or of a shorebased processing operation, and a company employing aircraft used for transporting salmon, shall report in person, or by radio or telephone, to a local representative of the department located in the management area of intended operation before the start of processing or buying operations. The report must include the location and the date of intended operation, and identify and describe each vessel or other method of transport employed in hauling or processing salmon.

5 AAC 09.360. SOUTHEASTERN DISTRICT SALMON MANAGEMENT PLAN. (a) This plan pertains to the management of the interception of Chignik River sockeye salmon caught in the Southeastern District Mainland fishery: East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Northwest Stepovak, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections. Before July 11, only set gillnet gear may be used in these sections. For the purpose of this plan, local runs include only those salmon in the waters

(1) beginning July 1, in the Northwest Stepovak Section described in 5 AAC 09.200(f); and

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(2) in the Stepovak Flats Section as described in 5 AAC 09.200(f).

(b) In years when a harvestable surplus for the first (Black Lake) and second (Chignik Lake) runs of Chignik River system sockeye salmon is expected to be less than 600,000, no commercial salmon fishery is allowed in the East Stepovak, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section as described in 5 AAC 09.200(f), until a harvest of 300,000 sockeye salmon is achieved in the Chignik Area, as described in 5 AAC 09.15.100. After July 8, if at least 300,000 sockeye salmon have been harvested in the Chignik Area, and if escapement goals are being met, the department shall manage the fishery so that the number of sockeye salmon harvested in the Chignik Area will be at least 600,000 and the number of sockeye salmon harvested in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section, approaches as near as possible six percent of the total Chignik sockeye salmon catch.

(c) In years when a harvestable surplus beyond escapement goals for the first and second runs of Chignik River system sockeye salmon is expected to be more than 600,000 but the first run fails to develop as predicted and it is determined that a total sockeye salmon harvest in the Chignik Area of 600,000 or more might not be achieved, the commercial salmon fishery in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section, shall be curtailed in order to allow a harvest in the Chignik Area of at least 300,000 sockeye salmon by July 9 if that number of fish are determined to be surplus to the escapement goals of the Chignik River system. After July 8, if at least 300,000 sockeye salmon have been harvested in the Chignik Area, and if escapement goals are being met, the department shall manage the fishery so that the number of sockeye salmon harvested in the Chignik Area is at least 600,000 and the number of sockeye salmon harvested in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section, approaches as near as possible seven percent of the total Chignik sockeye salmon catch.

(d) In years when a harvestable surplus beyond the escapement goals for the first and second runs of Chignik River system sockeye salmon is expected to be more than 600,000 and the department determines that the runs are as strong as expected, the department shall manage the fishery so that the number of sockeye salmon taken in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section, approaches as near as possible six percent of the total Chignik sockeye salmon catch.

(e) The estimate of sockeye salmon destined for the Chignik River has been determined to be 80 percent of the sockeye salmon harvested in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest

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Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section. The sockeye salmon taken in the Northwest Stepovak Section, beginning July 1 are considered to be destined for Orzinski Bay.

(f) The total Chignik sockeye salmon catch constitutes those sockeye salmon caught within the Chignik Area, plus 80 percent of the sockeye salmon caught in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section, as described in 5 AAC 09.200(f), plus 80 percent of the sockeye salmon caught in the Cape Igvak Section of the Kodiak Area. The percentage of Chignik sockeye salmon may be permitted to fluctuate above or below six percent at any time before July 25.

(g) The allocation method described in (a) - (f) of this section is in effect through July 25. The department may not open the first fishing period of the commercial salmon fishing season in the East Stepovak, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections, and before July 1 in the Northwest Stepovak Section, before the first fishing period of the commercial salmon fishing season in the Chignik Area. After July 25, the department may open, for local stocks, commercial salmon fishing in the entire Southeastern District Mainland area.

(h) During the period from approximately June 26 to July 9, the strength of the second run of the Chignik River system sockeye salmon cannot be evaluated. In order to prevent overharvest of the second run, the department may disallow or severely restrict commercial salmon fishing in the East Stepovak, Stepovak Flats, Southwest Stepovak, Balboa Bay, and Beaver Bay Sections during this period, and from June 26 - June 30 in the Northwest Stepovak Section.

(i) The department shall announce all commercial salmon fishing periods by emergency order. The department shall give at least 24 hours' notice before the opening of a commercial salmon fishing period, unless it is an extension of a fishing period in progress.

5 AAC 09.365. SOUTH UNIMAK AND SHUMAGIN ISLANDS JUNE SALMON MANAGEMENT PLAN. (a) Mixed stocks of salmon bound for distant systems have historically been intercepted in significant numbers along the Alaska Peninsula. To ensure that none of these runs are overharvested it is necessary to restrain their interception as provided for in the management plan for the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fisheries, set out in this section.

(b) The Alaska Board of Fisheries has established sockeye salmon guideline harvest levels on the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands interception fisheries during June, which are based on percentages of the latest projected Bristol Bay inshore sockeye salmon harvest as published by

the Department of Fish and Game. The South Unimak fishery takes place in the Unimak District and the Iktan Bay and Bechevin Bay Sections, as described in 5 AAC 09.200(b)(2), (c), and (d)(1), plus the following waters of the Southwestern District outside of the Iktan Bay Section and not included under 5 AAC 09.350: (1) all waters north and west of a line from Cape Pankof Light to Thin Point (54° 57' 26" N. lat., 162° 33' 12" W. long.); and (2) all waters enclosed by a line from Thin Point (54° 57' 26" N. lat., 162° 33' 12" W. long.) to the northernmost tip of Stag Point (54° 10' N. lat., 161° 53' 45" W. long.) on Deer Island to the southernmost tip of Dolgoi Cape (55° 03' 45" N. lat., 161° 44' W. long.) on Dolgoi Island and from the northernmost tip of Bluff Point (55° 10' N. lat., 161° 53' 45" W. long.) on Dolgoi Island to Arch Point Light (55° 12' 20" N. lat., 161° 54' 15" W. long.). The Shumagin Islands fishery takes place in the Shumagin Islands Section, as described in 5 AAC 09.200(f)(3). Consistent with the board's Policy For The Management of Mixed Stock Salmon Fisheries (5 AAC 39.220) and traditional harvest patterns, the maximum percentage allowed for the South Unimak fishery is 6.8 percent and for the Shumagin Islands fishery, 1.5 percent. The forecasts for Bristol Bay are sometimes updated as more information becomes available, just before the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands season, and exact numbers of fish cannot be given before the opening of each fishery.

(c) Repealed 6/1/94.

(d) After June 10 the commissioner, by emergency order, may open the fishing season and shall establish fishing periods for the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June fisheries to allow commercial fishing when the ratio of sockeye salmon to chum salmon indicates that chum salmon harvest will be minimized.

(e) The South Unimak and Shumagin Island June salmon fisheries target on the more abundant and valuable sockeye salmon. The board recognizes that the harvest of other salmon species is incidental to the sockeye salmon harvest. The board has determined that this incidental harvest is unavoidable and cannot be regulated with the present level of knowledge regarding these fisheries. The board will not support any significant increase in the interception rate of chum salmon taken in the South Unimak and Shumagin Islands June salmon fisheries. These stocks are probably fully utilized in existing terminal fisheries of long standing. This determination is consistent with the philosophy contained in the board's Policy For The Management of Mixed Stock Salmon Fisheries (5 AAC 39.220). The board recognizes that the conservation and allocation of nontargeted salmon stocks may be a concern during some years, but does not have the data to ensure specific corrective action at this time (January, 1990).

(f) The department shall close the June fisheries before the sockeye guideline harvest levels are taken if the incidental harvest of chum salmon reaches 700,000 fish. The department shall take

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appropriate inseason management action under AS 16.05.060 to reduce the chum salmon harvest, while attempting to allow full harvest of the sockeye salmon guideline harvest level.

(1) - (4) repealed 6/2/88.

(g) In taking management action under (f) of this section to reduce the chum salmon harvest, the department may not set fishing periods for set gillnet gear of less than 16 hours unless a fishing period of 16 hours or more would result in a harvest that exceeds the 700,000 chum salmon maximum incidental annual harvest.

(h) After June 24, in either the South Unimak or Shumagin Islands fishery, if the sockeye salmon guideline harvest level under (b) of this section and the maximum allowable incidental harvest of chum salmon under (f) of this section have not been attained, and if the ratio of sockeye salmon to chum salmon is two to one or less on any day, the next daily fishing period for seine and drift gillnet gear shall be of six hour duration in that fishery. After June 24, the South Unimak or Shumagin Islands fishery shall close for all gear types if the ratio of sockeye salmon to chum salmon is two to one or less for any three aggregate days. It is the board's intent to demonstrate by this subsection that the maximum or less harvest of 700,000 chum salmon supersedes attempts to reach the sockeye salmon guideline harvest levels.

5 AAC 09.366. POST-JUNE SALMON MANAGEMENT PLAN FOR THE SOUTHERN ALASKA PENINSULA. (a) The department may open the following areas to salmon fishing from July 20 through September 30:

(1) the Shumagin Islands Section of the Southeastern District, excluding all waters south of a line extending from the eastern shore of Zachary Bay at 55° 22' 39" N. lat., 160° 35' 03" W. long., to a point on the western shore of Zachary Bay at 55° 22' 39" N. lat., 160° 38' 18" W. long.;

(2) the South Central District, excluding the Canoe Bay Section and all waters of the Pavlof Bay Section north of the latitude of Black Point (55° 24' 34" N. lat.);

(3) the Southwestern District, excluding the Cold Bay, Thin Point, and Morzhovoi Bay Sections, and the Unimak District.

(b) The department may open the following areas to salmon fishing from July 6 through September 30:

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(1) in the Shumagin Islands Section of the Southeastern District, all waters south of a line extending from the eastern shore of Zachary Bay at 55° 22' 39" N. lat., 160° 35' 03" W. long., to a point on the western shore of Zachary Bay at 55° 22' 39" N. lat., 160° 38' 18" W. long.;

(2) in the Pavlof Bay Section of the South Central District, all waters north of the latitude of Black Point (55° 24' 34" N. lat.);

(3) the Canoe Bay Section of the South Central District;

(4) in the Southwestern District, the Cold Bay, Thin Point, and Morzhovoi Bay Section.

ARTICLE 05. SMELT FISHERY

5 AAC 09.510. FISHING SEASON. There is no closed season on smelt.

CHAPTER 12. ALEUTIAN ISLANDS AREA

ARTICLE 01. DESCRIPTION OF AREA

5 AAC 12.001. APPLICATION OF THIS CHAPTER. Requirements set forth in this chapter apply to commercial fishing only, unless otherwise specified. Subsistence fishing regulations affecting commercial fishing vessels or affecting any other commercial fishing activity are set forth in the subsistence fishing regulations in 5 AAC 01 and 5 AAC 02.

5 AAC 12.100. DESCRIPTION OF AREA. (a) Except as provided in (b) of this section, the Aleutian Islands Area includes all waters of Alaska in the Aleutian Islands west of Cape Sarichef Light and west of a line extending from Scotch Cap through the easternmost tip of Ugamak Island.

(b) The Aleutian Islands Area does not include the Atka-Amlia Islands Area, described in 5 AAC 11.100.

(c) Subsection (b) of this section is repealed December 31, 1994.

ARTICLE 02. FISHING DISTRICTS AND SECTIONS

5 AAC 12.200. DESCRIPTION OF DISTRICTS AND SECTIONS. (a) Akutan District: all waters between Scotch Cap and Cape Sarichef Light and extending west to and including Akutan Pass. South of Scotch Cap, the eastern boundary of the district is a line extending from Scotch Cap through the easternmost tip of Ugamak Island.

(b) Unalaska District: all waters west of Akutan Pass to and including Umnak Pass

(1) Beaver Inlet Section: all waters between Cape Sedanka and Cape Kalekta and including Unalga Island;

(2) Unalaska Bay Section: all waters between Cape Kalekta and Cape Kovrizhka;

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(3) Makushin Bay Section: all waters between Cape Kovrizhka and Spray Cape;

(4) Kashega Bay Section: all waters between Spray Cape and Konets Head;

(5) Southern Section: all waters between Konets Head and Cape Sedanka.

(c) Umnak District: all waters west of Umnak Pass to Seguam Pass at 172° 50' W. long.

(d) Adak District: all waters west of Atka Pass at 175° 23' W. long to the terminus of the Aleutian Islands.

ARTICLE 03. SALMON FISHERY

5 AAC 12.310. FISHING SEASONS. Salmon may be taken only from July 10 through September 30, except that in the Kashega Bay Section, salmon may be taken only from June 1 through September 30.

5 AAC 12.320. WEEKLY FISHING PERIODS. Salmon may be taken

(1) June 1 through July 18: from 6:00 a.m. Monday until 6:00 p.m. Friday;

(2) from July 19 through September 30 salmon may be taken during the open season only during fishing periods established by emergency order.

5 AAC 12.330. GEAR. Salmon may be taken by purse seines, hand purse seines and beach seines.

5 AAC 12.332. SEINE SPECIFICATIONS AND OPERATION. (a) Purse seines and hand purse seines may not be less than 100 fathoms nor more than 250 fathoms in length.

(b) Beach seines may not be less than 100 fathoms in length and three fathoms in depth nor more than 250 fathoms in length and 12 fathoms in depth.

(c) No lead may be less than 25 fathoms nor more than 150 fathoms in length.

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5 AAC 12.350. CLOSED WATERS. The waters of Inner Iiulik Harbor and Margrets Bay between the Unalaska-Dutch Harbor bridge and 166° 32' W. long. are closed to the taking of salmon.

5 AAC 12.355. SALMON PROCESSOR AND BUYER REPORTING REQUIREMENTS. The operator of a floating salmon processing vessel or tender, or a shorebased processing operation, and a company employing aircraft used for transporting salmon, shall report in person, or by radio or telephone, to a local representative of the department located in the management area of intended operation before the start of processing or buying operations. The report must include the location and the date of intended operation, and identify and describe each vessel or other method of transport employed in hauling or processing salmon.

CHAPTER 11. ATKA-AMLIA ISLANDS AREA

ARTICLE 01. DESCRIPTION OF AREA

5 AAC 11.001. APPLICATION AND INTENT OF THIS CHAPTER. (a) This chapter applies to commercial fishing only, unless otherwise specified. Subsistence fishing regulations that affect commercial fishing vessels or other commercial fishing activity are set out in the subsistence fishing regulations in 5 AAC 01 and 5 AAC 02.

(c) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.100. DESCRIPTION OF AREA. (a) The Atka-Amlia Islands Area includes all waters of Alaska between Segum Pass (172° 50' W. long.) and Atka Pass (175° 23' W. long.).

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

ARTICLE 03. SALMON FISHERY

5 AAC 11.310. FISHING SEASONS. (a) Salmon may be taken only from August 1 through August 31.

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.320. WEEKLY FISHING PERIODS. (a) Salmon may be taken only from 6:00 a.m. to 6:00 p.m. Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.330. GEAR. (a) Salmon may be taken only by purse seines and set gillnets. A purse seine may be operated only by the holder of an Area M CFEC purse seine limited entry permit.

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(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.331. GILLNET SPECIFICATIONS AND OPERATION. (a) The size and operation of a set gillnet are as follows:

(1) a set gillnet may not exceed 100 fathoms in length; each CFEC permit holder may operate no more than one set gillnet.

(2) a set gillnet must be operated in a substantially straight line, with no more than 25 fathoms of the offshore end set in any configuration;

(3) the mesh size of a set gillnet may not exceed five inches;

(4) the maximum depth of a set gillnet may not exceed 90 meshes;

(5) 25 fathoms of seine webbing may be used as a lead, and must be attached to the shoreward end of a set gillnet; the shoreward end of the lead or gillnet must be attached to the beach above high tide and must remain dry at all times;

(6) during hours of darkness, each set gillnet must be marked with at least one red light on the seaward end of the net.

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.332. SEINE SPECIFICATIONS AND OPERATION. (a) A purse seine must be at least 100 fathoms long, but may not exceed 250 fathoms in length.

(b) A seine lead must be at least 25 fathoms long, but may not exceed 150 fathoms in length.

(c) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.341. VESSEL LENGTH. (a) A vessel used for setnet fishing may not exceed 29 feet in overall length.

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

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5 AAC 11.350. CLOSED WATERS. (a) The waters specified in 5 AAC 39.290 are closed to salmon fishing.

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

5 AAC 11.370. REGISTRATION. (a) Each Atka-Amlia Islands Area seine and setnet permit holder shall register himself or herself, and each vessel that the permit holder will use, by contacting a department area management biologist in Dutch Harbor, Cold Bay, Sand Point, or other place specified by the department, at least 48 hours before the season opens or before beginning commercial fishing.

(b) This section is repealed December 31, 1994.

APPENDIX F: METHOD FOR CALCULATING INDEXED TOTAL ESCAPEMENT

Appendix F.1. Method for calculating indexed total escapement.

Unusual circumstances may cause occasional deviation, but basically the methods of calculating estimated indexed total escapements without the use of a weir or tower are as follows:

Chinook, Sockeye, Coho: These species tend to have a much longer stream life than pink and chum salmon. Therefore, the indexed total escapement is usually the peak escapement count. Carcasses are included. However, it is recognized that there are problems in large systems such as Ilnik and Caribou-David's Rivers. The basic problem on large systems is the length of time, expense, and fuel needed to do a thorough survey yet meet more pressing obligations.

The Caribou and David's River complex (including Coastal and other nearby lakes) is so massive a system for the size of its runs that complete surveys will probably never be done.

At Thin Point Lagoon and Lake, a weir is used to monitor the early portion of the run. In absence of the weir, estimates of sockeye in the lagoon are added together based on estimated time in lagoon, condition, and observations of when sockeye start to move from the lagoon to the lake.

In Morzhovoi (Middle Lagoon), Bluebill, Outer Marker, and Mortensen's Lagoon systems the escapement is estimated by adding aerial estimates of spawning sockeye, about two weeks apart, together. In these cases, the escapement could be considered an estimated total rather than an indexed total.

Pink and Chum Salmon: An approximate 21-day stream life is used to calculate total pink and chum escapements. Fish in saltwater during the final survey are added:

EXAMPLE

Survey Date	Pink	Chum	Fish at Mouth
July 10	5,000	0	5,000 P
July 17	25,000	0	10,000 P
August 1	100,000	0	10,000 P
August 15	150,000	0	12,000 P
			1,000 CH
September 1	150,000	5,000	2,000 CH
Estimated Total	255,000	7,000	

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The estimate of 21 days stream life was used because significant numbers of carcasses seem to appear about three weeks after adult pinks and chums first appear in Alaska Peninsula streams. It is recognized that stream life can vary, however this method is easily duplicated and is comparable from year to year. Variation in stream life is likely a much smaller factor than variation between observers.

With the exception of several small streams, there are no problems of streams being obscured by brush or trees in the Alaska Peninsula and Aleutian Islands Areas. With several exceptions, visibility of spawning grounds is outstanding during periods of normal water flow and clear weather.

APPENDIX G: FIELD PERSONNEL LIST, 1997

Appendix G.1. Field personnel list, 1997.

Employee	Title (PCN)	Duties and Location
Arnie Shaul	FB III (11-1033)	Area Management Biologist for salmon in the Aleutian Islands, western part of Alaska Peninsula Area and Port Heiden-Cinder River, Cold Bay
Rod Campbell	FB III (11-1265)	Southeastern District-Alaska Peninsula Area Salmon Management Biologist and South Peninsula/Aleutian Islands Areas Herring Management Biologist, Sand Point
Bob Murphy	FB III (11-1407)	Alaska Peninsula Area Salmon Research, Herendeen Bay to Strogonof Point Management Biologist, North Peninsula Herring Management Biologist, Port Moller
Bob Berceli	FB II (11-1833)	Alaska Peninsula Area Assistant Salmon Management Biologist, Cold Bay (transferred to Cordova July 16).
Jim Cofske	FB II (11-1275)	Alaska Peninsula Area Assistant Salmon and Herring Management Biologist, Sand Point
Pat Holmes	FB II (11-1273)	Finfish Biologist, Aleutians Salmon Management, Dutch Harbor
Randy Weber	Pilot I (11-1430)	Pilot and Aircraft Mechanic, Kodiak
Scott Moyer	Pilot I (11-1415)	Pilot, Sand Point
Leon Foster	Pilot I (11C696)	Pilot, Port Moller and Chignik
Mark Witteveen	FB I (11-1352)	Ilnik Weir, Management Assistant, Port Moller
Tracy McKinion	FB I (11-1433)	Port Moller, Salmon Research

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Employee	Title (PCN)	Duties and Location
Steve Krueger	FB I (11-1911)	Nelson River Weir
Dan Connolly	FB I (11-1434)	Sandy Lake Weir, South Unimak test fishing, Cold Bay Management Assistant
Matt Ford	FB I (11-1411)	Orzinski Lake Weir, Shumagin Islands test fishing
Bob Sanderlin	FB I (11-1844)	King Cove Salmon Research, Thin Point Weir
Judy Hamik	FT III (11-1849)	Sand Point, Salmon Management
Brian Westgate	FT III (11-1966)	South Unimak test fishing, Nelson River Weir, Middle Lagoon Weir, Thin Point Lake Weir, Cold Bay office
Tim Clark	FT III (11-1826)	Bear Lake Weir
Rick Gustin	FT III (11-1819)	South Unimak test fishing, Thin Point Lake Weir, Cold Bay Management Assistant
Chris Furin	FT III (11-1962)	King Cove Salmon Research, Thin Point Weir
Travis Doubt	FT III (11-1410)	Middle Lagoon Weir
Jesse Glaman	FT III (11-1957)	Nelson River Weir
Jennifer Creelman	FT II (11-5256)	Bear Lake Weir
Ty Swanson	FT II (11-1521)	Ilnik Weir, Thin Point Weir
Meesha Mangiaracina	FT II (11-1953)	Port Moller, Salmon Research
Peter Terzi	FT II (11-1956)	Bear Lake Weir
Dylan Avery	FT II (11-1836)	Orzinski Weir
Jason Walters	FT II (11-1342)	Orzinski Weir, Thin Point Weir

Appendix H.1. Distribution List, 1997.

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