



## Advisory Announcement

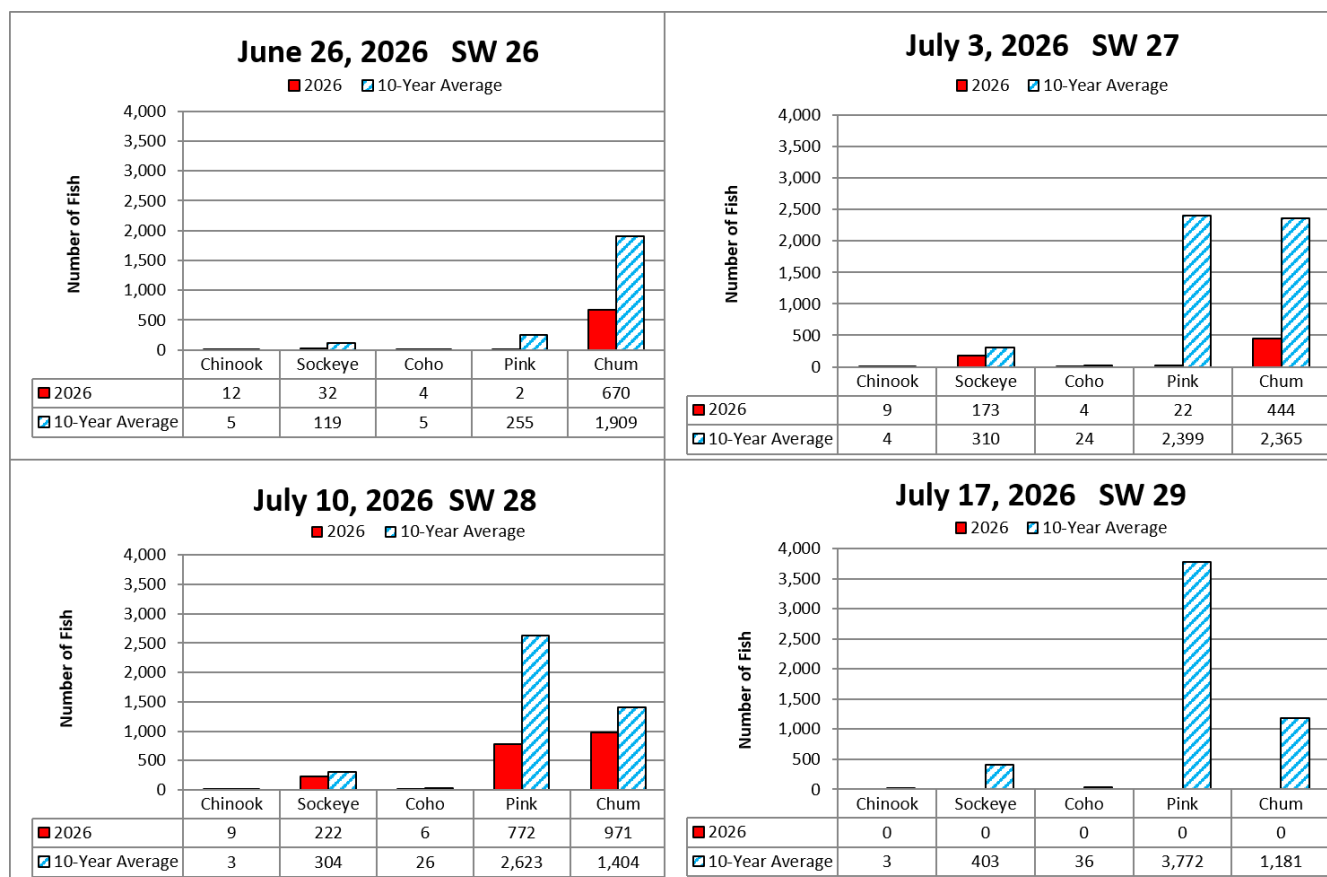
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### 2026 HAWK INLET SALMON PURSE SEINE TEST FISHERY UPDATE # 3

The F/V *Osprey* conducted the third of the 2026 Hawk Inlet shoreline test fisheries on Friday, July 10. Comparing the daily harvests to the recent 10-year average harvests on or around this date, sockeye, coho, pink, and chum salmon harvests were below average. Sockeye salmon harvest was 73% of average, pink salmon harvest was 29% of average, and chum salmon harvest was 69% of average. The pink salmon sex ratio was 71% male, above the average of 59% for previous year's test fisheries conducted on or around this date.

The next test fishery is scheduled to take place on July 17.



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