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**ALASKA DEPARTMENT OF FISH AND GAME  
DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES  
FISHERY UPDATE**



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**KETCHIKAN HERRING FISHERY UPDATE #15**

**Revilla Channel**

No Survey

**Craig/Klawock**

No additional surveys are planned for the Craig area.

**West Behm Canal**

An aerial survey was conducted today. No spawn was observed. Weather was overcast with high winds. Predators and herring have increased throughout the area.

**The next aerial survey is planned for Saturday, April 12.**

## 2014 Ketchikan Herring Summary

### Revilla Channel

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March 20, 2014	No herring activity observed. Very little predator activity.
March 25, 2014	No spawn. Predator activity has increased.
March 30, 2014	No spawn. Predator activity on the shore of Annette Island.
April 2, 2014	No spawn. Gillnet fishing observed in Annette Island waters.
April 3, 2014	No spawn. Gillnet fishing observed in Annette Island waters.
April 4, 2014	No spawn. Gillnet fishing observed in Annette Island waters.
April 6, 2014	No spawn.
April 8, 2014	No spawn.
April 10, 2014	No spawn.

### Craig

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March 20, 2014	No herring activity. Numerous predators.
March 26, 2014	No Spawn. Numerous predators. Fishing activity.
March 27, 2014	No Spawn. Large numbers of predators. Fishing activity.
March 28&29	No Spawn. Large numbers of predators.
March 30, 2014	No Spawn. Large numbers of predators. Fishing activity.
March 31, 2014	No Spawn. Large numbers of predators. Fishing activity.
April 1, 2014	<b>2 nmi. Spawn.</b> Numerous of predators. Most pounds filled.
April 2, 2014	<b>3.6 nmi. Spawn.</b> Large numbers of predators and herring.
April 3, 2014	<b>8 nmi. Spawn.</b> Large numbers of predators and herring.
April 4, 2014	<b>11.4 nmi. Spawn.</b> Many predators and herring.
April 5, 2014	<b>Spot Spawn</b> on Abbess Island. Spawning appears to be over.
April 6, 2014	No spawn. Final survey.

### West Behm Canal

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April 3, 2014	No herring or predator activity observed.
April 8, 2014	No herring and very little predator activity observed.
April 10, 2014	<b>1/8 nmi. Spawn.</b> Predator numbers have increased.
April 11, 2014	No Spawn. Predators and fish have increased.

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