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DIVISION OF COMMERCIAL FISHERIES

FISHERY UPDATE



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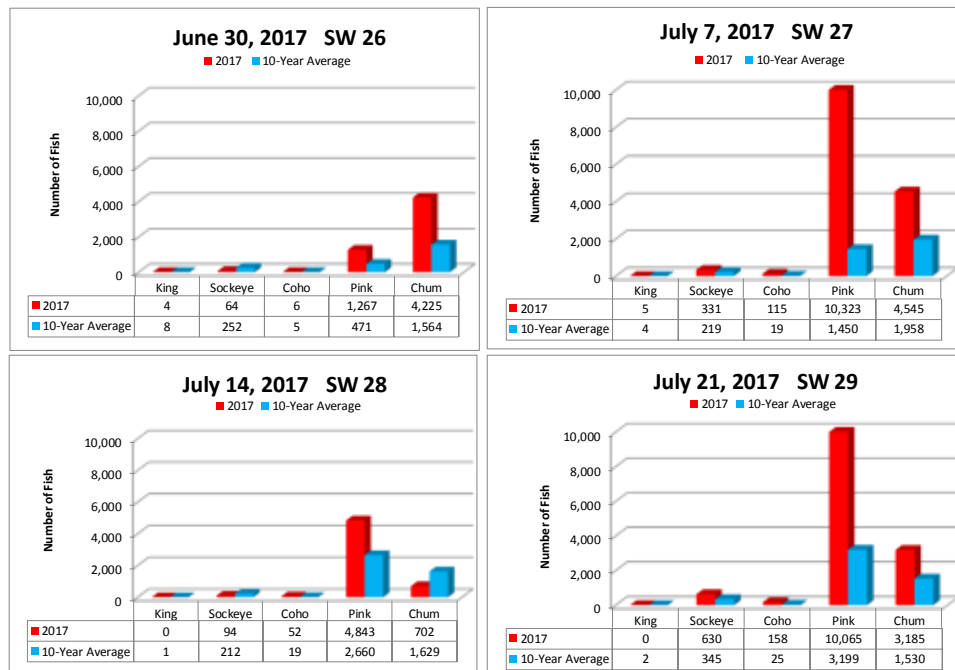
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2017 HAWK INLET TEST FISHERY UPDATE # 4

The department conducted the fourth and final 2017 Hawk Inlet shoreline test fishery yesterday. Comparing the total harvests for the day to the ten-year average total harvests, all species were above average except for king salmon. For the approximate date, the pink salmon harvest was 315% of the ten-year average and 268% of the recent odd year average. The sockeye salmon harvest was 183% of the 10-year average and the chum salmon harvest was 208% of the 10-yr average.



The pink salmon sex ratio was 59% male, above the average of 56% male for previous year's test fisheries conducted on or about this date.

Hawk Inlet test fishery updates will be posted on the ADF&G web site listed below.

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