

# Prospective Gear Changes to Mitigate Chum & Chinook Interception in the South Peninsula June Fishery

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## 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 275 [375] meshes in depth. Seine mesh may not be more than three and one-half inches, except that the first 25 meshes above the leadline may not be more than seven inches.

(b) A lead [LEADS] may not be [LESS THAN 50 FATHOMS NOR] more than 100 [150] fathoms in length. The aggregate length of seine and lead may not be more than 250 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].

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