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Species	Area <sup>1</sup>	OFL	ABC	TAC
Pollock <sup>2</sup>	Shumagin (610)	n/a	34,932	34,932
	Chirikof (620)	n/a	48,293	48,293
	Kodiak (630)	n/a	26,155	26,155
	WYK (640)	n/a	3,024	3,024
	W/C/WYK (subtotal)	151,030	112,404	112,404
	SEO (650)	12,326	9,245	9,245
	Total	163,356	121,649	121,649
Pacific cod <sup>3</sup>	W	n/a	27,370	20,528
	C	n/a	48,484	36,362
	E	n/a	2,346	1,760
	Total	92,300	78,200	58,650
Sablefish <sup>4</sup>	W	n/a	1,484	1,484
	C	n/a	4,343	4,343
	WYK	n/a	1,818	1,818
	SEO	n/a	2,700	2,700
	E (WYK and SEO) (subtotal)	n/a	4,518	4,518
	Total	12,232	10,345	10,345
Shallow-water flatfish <sup>6</sup>	W	n/a	23,681	4,500
	C	n/a	29,999	13,000
	WYK	n/a	1,228	1,228
	SEO	n/a	1,334	1,334
	Total	67,768	56,242	20,062
Deep-water flatfish <sup>5</sup>	W	n/a	541	541
	C	n/a	3,004	3,004
	WYK	n/a	2,144	2,144
	SEO	n/a	797	797
	Total	8,046	6,486	6,486
Rex sole	W	n/a	1,490	1,490
	C	n/a	6,184	6,184
	WYK	n/a	853	853
	SEO	n/a	889	889
	Total	12,279	9,396	9,396
Arrowtooth flounder	W	n/a	33,975	8,000
	C	n/a	143,119	30,000
	WYK	n/a	22,327	2,500
	SEO	n/a	11,606	2,500
	Total	248,576	211,027	43,000
Flathead sole	W	n/a	17,960	2,000
	C	n/a	28,938	5,000
	WYK	n/a	2,125	2,125
	SEO	n/a	1,568	1,568
	Total	63,202	50,591	10,693
Pacific ocean perch <sup>7</sup>	W	3,068	2,665	2,665
	C	11,379	9,884	9,884
	WYK	n/a	1,845	1,845
	SEO	n/a	1,793	1,793
	E (WYK and SEO) (subtotal)	4,188	3,638	3,638
	Total	18,635	16,187	16,187
Northern rockfish <sup>8,9</sup>	W	n/a	2,446	2,446
	C	n/a	2,168	2,168
	E	n/a	0	0
	Total	5,498	4,614	4,614
Shortraker rockfish <sup>11</sup>	W	n/a	134	134
	C	n/a	325	325
	E	n/a	455	455
	Total	1,219	914	914
Other rockfish <sup>9,12</sup>	W	n/a	212	212
	C	n/a	507	507

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Species	Area <sup>1</sup>	OFL	ABC	TAC
	WYK .....	n/a	275	275
	SEO .....	n/a	2,757	200
	Total .....	4,881	3,751	1,194
Pelagic shelf rockfish <sup>13</sup> .....	W .....	n/a	570	570
	C .....	n/a	2,850	2,850
	WYK .....	n/a	380	380
	SEO .....	n/a	638	638
	Total .....	5,387	4,438	4,438
Rougheye and Blackspotted rockfish <sup>10</sup> .....	W .....	n/a	81	81
	C .....	n/a	868	868
	E .....	n/a	363	363
	Total .....	1,579	1,312	1,312
Demersal shelf rockfish <sup>14</sup> .....	SEO .....	479	300	300
Thornyhead rockfish .....	W .....	n/a	425	425
	C .....	n/a	637	637
	E .....	n/a	708	708
	Total .....	2,360	1,770	1,770
Atka mackerel .....	GW .....	6,200	4,700	2,000
Big skate <sup>15</sup> .....	W .....	n/a	598	598
	C .....	n/a	2,049	2,049
	E .....	n/a	681	681
	Total .....	4,438	3,328	3,328
Longnose skate <sup>16</sup> .....	W .....	n/a	81	81
	C .....	n/a	2,009	2,009
	E .....	n/a	762	762
	Total .....	3,803	2,852	2,852
Other skates <sup>17</sup> .....	GW .....	2,791	2,093	2,093
Squids .....	GW .....	1,530	1,148	1,148
Sharks .....	GW .....	8,263	6,197	6,197
Octopuses .....	GW .....	1,272	954	954
Sculpins .....	GW .....	7,328	5,496	5,496
Total .....		743,421	603,990	335,078

<sup>1</sup> Regulatory areas and districts are defined at §679.2. (W=Western Gulf of Alaska; C=Central Gulf of Alaska; E=Eastern Gulf of Alaska; WYK=West Yakutat District; SEO=Southeast Outside District; GW=Gulf-wide).

<sup>2</sup> Pollock is apportioned in the Western/Central Regulatory Areas among three statistical areas. Table 6 lists the final 2012 seasonal apportionments. In the West Yakutat and Southeast Outside Districts of the Eastern Regulatory Area, pollock is not divided into seasonal allowances.

<sup>3</sup> The annual Pacific cod TAC is apportioned 60% to the A season and 40% to the B season in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas of the GOA. Pacific cod is allocated 90% for processing by the inshore component and 10% for processing by the offshore component. Table 8 lists the final 2012 Pacific cod seasonal apportionments.

<sup>4</sup> Sablefish is allocated to trawl gear only for 2012. Table 3 lists the final 2012 trawl allocation of sablefish TACs.

<sup>5</sup> “Deep-water flatfish” means Dover sole, Greenland turbot, Kamchatka flounder, and deepsea sole.

<sup>6</sup> “Shallow-water flatfish” means flatfish not including “deep-water flatfish,” flathead sole, rex sole, or arrowtooth flounder.

<sup>7</sup> “Pacific ocean perch” means *Sebastes alutus*.

<sup>8</sup> “Northern rockfish” means *Sebastes polyspinous*. For management purposes the 2 mt apportionment of ABC to the WYK District of the Eastern Gulf of Alaska has been included in the slope rockfish species group.

<sup>9</sup> “Slope rockfish” means *Sebastes aurora* (aurora), *S. melanostomus* (blackgill), *S. paucispinis* (bocaccio), *S. goodei* (chilipepper), *S. crameri* (darkblotch), *S. elongatus* (greenstriped), *S. variegatus* (harlequin), *S. wilsoni* (pygmy), *S. babcocki* (redbanded), *S. proriger* (redstripe), *S. zacentrus* (sharpchin), *S. jordani* (shortbelly), *S. brevispinis* (silvergry), *S. diploproa* (splitnose), *S. saxicola* (stripetail), *S. miniatus* (vermilion), and *S. reedi* (yellowmouth). In the Eastern GOA only, slope rockfish also includes northern rockfish, *S. polyspinous*.

<sup>10</sup> “Rougheye rockfish” means *Sebastes aleutianus* (rougheye) and *Sebastes melanostictus* (blackspotted).

<sup>11</sup> “Shortraker rockfish” means *Sebastes borealis*.

<sup>12</sup> “Other rockfish” in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas and in the West Yakutat District means slope rockfish and demersal shelf rockfish. The “other rockfish” species group in the SEO District means slope rockfish.

<sup>13</sup> “Pelagic shelf rockfish” means, *S. variabilis* (dusky), *S. entomelas* (widow), and *S. flavidus* (yellowtail).

<sup>14</sup> “Demersal shelf rockfish” means *Sebastes pinniger* (canary), *S. nebulosus* (china), *S. caurinus* (copper), *S. maliger* (quillback), *S. helvomaculatus* (rosethorn), *S. nigrocinctus* (tiger), and *S. ruberrimus* (yelloweye).

<sup>15</sup> “Big skate” means *Raja binoculata*.

<sup>16</sup> “Longnose skate” means *Raja rhina*.

<sup>17</sup> “Other skates” means *Bathyraja* spp.