

# Gulf of Alaska Catch Report

Through: 31-DEC-06

## National Marine Fisheries Service Alaska Region, Sustainable Fisheries Catch Accounting



### Western, Central Pollock

| Sea-<br>sons | Account               | Total Catch | Quota  | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|--------------|-----------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|---------|------------------|
| X            | Pollock, 610 Shumagin | 24,691      | 28,918 | 4,227              | 85%     | 0                |
| X            | Pollock, 620 Chirikof | 27,156      | 30,492 | 3,336              | 89%     | 0                |
| X            | Pollock, 630 Kodiak   | 17,056      | 18,448 | 1,392              | 92%     | 11               |

### Western Gulf

| Sea-<br>sons | Account                   | Total Catch | Quota  | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|---------|------------------|
|              | Arrowtooth Flounder       | 2,037       | 8,000  | 5,963              | 25%     | 0                |
|              | Deep Water Flatfish       | 8           | 420    | 412                | 2%      | 0                |
|              | Shallow Water Flatfish    | 239         | 4,500  | 4,261              | 5%      | 0                |
|              | Flathead Sole             | 462         | 2,000  | 1,538              | 23%     | 0                |
|              | Rex Sole                  | 350         | 1,159  | 809                | 30%     | 0                |
|              | Pacific Ocean Perch       | 4,050       | 4,155  | 105                | 97%     | 0                |
|              | Rougheye Rockfish         | 58          | 136    | 78                 | 43%     | 0                |
|              | Shortraker Rockfish       | 91          | 153    | 62                 | 59%     | 0                |
|              | Thornyhead Rockfish       | 197         | 513    | 316                | 38%     | 0                |
|              | Pelagic Shelf Rockfish    | 557         | 1,438  | 881                | 39%     | 0                |
|              | Northern Rockfish         | 972         | 1,483  | 511                | 66%     | 0                |
|              | Other Rockfish            | 244         | 577    | 333                | 42%     | 0                |
| X            | Pacific Cod, Inshore      | 13,648      | 18,127 | 4,479              | 75%     | 2                |
| X            | Pacific Cod, Offshore     | 1,095       | 2,014  | 919                | 54%     | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Hook-and-Line) | 2,007       | 2,136  | 129                | 94%     | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Trawl)         | 132         | 534    | 402                | 25%     | 0                |
|              | Big Skate                 | 67          | 695    | 628                | 10%     | 0                |
|              | Longnose Skate            | 44          | 65     | 21                 | 67%     | 0                |

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### Central Gulf

| Sea-<br>sons | Account                   | Total Catch | Quota  | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|--------|--------------------|---------|------------------|
|              | Arrowtooth Flounder       | 25,508      | 25,000 | -508               | 102%    | 0                |
|              | Deep Water Flatfish       | 372         | 4,139  | 3,767              | 9%      | 0                |
|              | Shallow Water Flatfish    | 7,401       | 13,000 | 5,599              | 57%     | 0                |
|              | Flathead Sole             | 2,671       | 5,000  | 2,329              | 53%     | 0                |
|              | Rex Sole                  | 2,944       | 5,506  | 2,562              | 53%     | 0                |
|              | Pacific Ocean Perch       | 8,282       | 7,418  | -864               | 112%    | 0                |
|              | Rougheye Rockfish         | 134         | 608    | 474                | 22%     | 0                |
|              | Shortraker Rockfish       | 302         | 353    | 51                 | 86%     | 0                |
|              | Pelagic Shelf Rockfish    | 1,715       | 3,262  | 1,547              | 53%     | 0                |
|              | Northern Rockfish         | 3,984       | 3,608  | -376               | 110%    | 0                |
|              | Thornyhead Rockfish       | 400         | 989    | 589                | 40%     | 0                |
|              | Other Rockfish            | 541         | 386    | -155               | 140%    | 0                |
| X            | Pacific Cod, Inshore      | 21,627      | 25,565 | 3,938              | 85%     | 233              |
| X            | Pacific Cod, Offshore     | 1,402       | 2,840  | 1,438              | 49%     | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Hook-and-Line) | 5,186       | 5,096  | -90                | 102%    | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Trawl)         | 844         | 1,274  | 430                | 66%     | 0                |
|              | Big Skate                 | 1,200       | 2,250  | 1,050              | 53%     | 14               |
|              | Longnose Skate            | 637         | 1,969  | 1,332              | 32%     | 5                |

### Eastern Gulf

| Sea-<br>sons | Account               | Total Catch | Quota | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|--------------|-----------------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|------------------|
|              | Rougheye Rockfish     | 159         | 239   | 80                 | 66%     | 0                |
|              | Shortraker Rockfish   | 268         | 337   | 69                 | 80%     | 0                |
|              | Thornyhead Rockfish   | 182         | 707   | 525                | 26%     | 0                |
|              | Pacific Cod, Inshore  | 35          | 3,346 | 3,311              | 1%      | 0                |
|              | Pacific Cod, Offshore | 0           | 372   | 372                | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Big Skate             | 286         | 599   | 313                | 48%     | 0                |
|              | Longnose Skate        | 174         | 861   | 687                | 20%     | 0                |

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### West Yakutat

| Sea-<br>sons | Account                   | Total Catch | Quota | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|------------------|
|              | Arrowtooth Flounder       | 29          | 2,500 | 2,471              | 1%      | 0                |
|              | Deep Water Flatfish       | 12          | 2,661 | 2,649              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Shallow Water Flatfish    | 0           | 628   | 628                | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Flathead Sole             | 1           | 2,022 | 2,021              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Rex Sole                  | 0           | 1,049 | 1,049              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Pacific Ocean Perch       | 1,258       | 1,101 | -157               | 114%    | 0                |
|              | Pelagic Shelf Rockfish    | 173         | 301   | 128                | 57%     | 0                |
|              | Other Rockfish            | 113         | 317   | 204                | 36%     | 0                |
|              | Pollock                   | 1,572       | 1,792 | 220                | 88%     | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Hook-and-Line) | 1,755       | 1,990 | 235                | 88%     | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Trawl)         | 119         | 290   | 171                | 41%     | 0                |

### Southeast

| Sea-<br>sons | Account                   | Total Catch | Quota | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|--------------|---------------------------|-------------|-------|--------------------|---------|------------------|
|              | Arrowtooth Flounder       | 71          | 2,500 | 2,429              | 3%      | 0                |
|              | Deep Water Flatfish       | 12          | 1,445 | 1,433              | 1%      | 0                |
|              | Shallow Water Flatfish    | 1           | 1,844 | 1,843              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Flathead Sole             | 0           | 55    | 55                 | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Rex Sole                  | 0           | 1,486 | 1,486              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Pacific Ocean Perch       | 0           | 1,587 | 1,587              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Pelagic Shelf Rockfish    | 1           | 435   | 434                | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Other Rockfish            | 33          | 200   | 167                | 16%     | 0                |
|              | Pollock                   | 0           | 6,157 | 6,157              | 0%      | 0                |
|              | Demersal Shelf Rockfish   | 165         | 410   | 245                | 40%     | 0                |
|              | Sablefish (Hook-and-Line) | 3,289       | 3,520 | 231                | 93%     | 0                |

### Entire Gulf

| Sea-<br>sons  | Account       | Total Catch    | Quota          | Remaining<br>Quota | % Taken    | Last Wk<br>Catch |
|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|--------------------|------------|------------------|
|               | Atka Mackerel | 876            | 1,500          | 624                | 58%        | 0                |
|               | Other Skates  | 1,086          | 1,617          | 531                | 67%        | 0                |
|               | Other Species | 3,531          | 4,500          | 969                | 78%        | 3                |
| <b>Total:</b> |               | <b>195,510</b> | <b>282,594</b> | <b>87,084</b>      | <b>69%</b> | <b>267</b>       |

Deep water flatfish: Dover sole, Greenland turbot, and deepsea sole.

Shallow water flatfish: flatfish not including deep water flatfish, flathead sole, rex sole, or arrowtooth flounder.

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Other rockfish in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas and in the West Yakutat District: slope rockfish and demersal shelf rockfish.

Other rockfish in the Southeast Outside District: slope rockfish.

Slope rockfish: aurora, blackgill, bocaccio, chilipepper, darkblotch, greenstriped, harlequin, pygmy, redbanded, redstripe, sharpchin, shortbelly, silvergrey, splitnose, stripetail, vermilion, and yellowmouth.

In the Eastern GOA only, "slope rockfish" also includes northern rockfish.

Demersal shelf rockfish: canary, china, copper, quillback, rosethorn, tiger, and yelloweye.

"Pelagic shelf rockfish" means *Sebastes ciliatus* (dark), *S. variabilis* (dusky), *S. entomelas* (widow), and *S. flavidus* (yellowtail).

Other species: sculpins, sharks, squid, and octopus.

For changes to the harvest specifications refer to [www.fakr.noaa.gov/2006/hschanges.htm](http://www.fakr.noaa.gov/2006/hschanges.htm)