

**Permanent CVO/CPO QS Use Caps, and 2008/09 Crab Year IFQ Use Caps  
for Persons Other Than CDQ Groups and Non-Individual PQS Holders**

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<u>Permanent QS Use Caps</u>			<u>2008/09 Annual IFQ Use Caps</u>
<b>Crab QS Fishery</b>	<b>% of Initial QS Pool for CVO/CPO (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVO/CPO Use Caps (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVO/CPO IFQ Caps (Raw Crab Pounds)</b>
<b>BBR</b>	1% of 388,000,000	3,880,000	Undetermined
<b>BSS</b>	1% of 970,000,000	9,700,000	Undetermined
<b>EBT</b>	1% of 194,000,000	1,940,000	Undetermined
<b>WBT</b>	1% of 194,000,000	1,940,000	Undetermined
<b>PIK</b>	2% of 29,100,000	582,000	Undetermined
<b>SMB</b>	2% of 29,100,000	582,000	Undetermined
<b>EAG</b>	10% of 9,700,000	970,000	<b>274,991</b>
<b>WAG</b>	10% of 38,800,000	3,880,000	<b>247,495</b>
<b>WAI</b>	10% of 58,200,000	5,820,000	Undetermined

**Notes:**

BBR = Bristol Bay red king crab

SMB = St. Matthew blue king crab

BSS = Bering Sea snow crab

EAG = Eastern Aleutian Islands golden king crab

EBT = Eastern Bering Sea Tanner crab

WAG = Western Aleutian Islands golden king crab

WBT = Western Bering Sea Tanner crab

WAI = Western Aleutian Islands red king crab

PIK = Pribilof Island red/blue king crab

- A crab year is July 1 through June 30 of the following calendar year.
- Annual IFQ = (QS held/QS pool for fishery) x annual TAC for IFQ.
- Amounts greater than caps may be initially issued to, or used by, a person under “grandfather” rules.
- IFQ Use Caps are computed using current year ratios of QS:IFQ.
- “Undetermined” means the TAC amounts have not been announced for the year; therefore, the IFQ cap cannot be computed at this time.
- For these caps, a person’s QS holdings and IFQ use are computed on an “individual and collective” basis.
- Starting with the 2006/07 crab fishing year, Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab are managed as two stocks and fisheries: Eastern and Western Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab (EBT and WBT, respectively).
- Use caps and related regulations are found at 50 CFR Part 680, at §680.42

**Permanent CVC/CPC QS Use Caps, and 2008/09 Crab Year IFQ Use Caps  
for Individuals**

<u>Permanent QS Use Caps</u>			<u>2008/09 Annual IFQ Use Caps</u>
<b>Crab QS Fishery</b>	<b>% of Initial QS Pool for CVC/CPC (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVC/CPC Use Caps (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVC/CPC IFQ Caps (Raw Crab Pounds)</b>
<b>BBR</b>	2% of 12,000,000	240,000	Undetermined
<b>BSS</b>	2% of 30,000,000	600,000	Undetermined
<b>EBT</b>	2% of 6,000,000	120,000	Undetermined
<b>WBT</b>	2% of 6,000,000	120,000	Undetermined
<b>PIK</b>	4% of 900,000	36,000	Undetermined
<b>SMB</b>	4% of 900,000	36,000	Undetermined
<b>EAG</b>	20% of 300,000	60,000	<b>17,010</b>
<b>WAG</b>	20% of 1,200,000	240,000	<b>15,309</b>
<b>WAI</b>	20% of 1,800,000	360,000	Undetermined

**Notes:**

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BSS = Bering Sea snow crab

EAG = Eastern Aleutian Islands golden king crab

EBT = Eastern Bering Sea Tanner crab

WAG = Western Aleutian Islands golden king crab

WBT = Western Bering Sea Tanner crab

WAI = Western Aleutian Islands red king crab

PIK = Pribilof Island red/blue king crab

- A crab year is July 1 through June 30 of the following calendar year.
- Annual IFQ = (QS held/QS pool for fishery) x annual TAC for IFQ.
- Amounts greater than caps may be initially issued to, or used by, a person under “grandfather” rules.
- IFQ Use Caps are computed using current year ratios of QS:IFQ.
- “Undetermined” means the TAC amounts have not been announced for the year; therefore, the IFQ cap cannot be computed at this time.
- For these caps, a person’s QS holdings and IFQ use are computed on an “individual and collective” basis.
- Starting with the 2006/07 crab fishing year, Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab are managed as two stocks and fisheries: Eastern and Western Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab (EBT and WBT, respectively).
- Use caps and related regulations are found at 50 CFR Part 680, at §680.42

**Permanent CVO/CPO QS Use Caps, and 2008/09 Crab Year IFQ Use Caps  
for CDQ Groups**

<u>Permanent QS Use Caps</u>			<u>2008/09 Annual IFQ Use Caps</u>
<b>Crab QS Fishery</b>	<b>% of Initial QS Pool for CVO/CPO (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVO/CPO Use Caps (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVO/CPO IFQ Caps (Raw Crab Pounds)</b>
<b>BBR</b>	5% of 388,000,000	19,400,000	Undetermined
<b>BSS</b>	5% of 970,000,000	48,500,000	Undetermined
<b>EBT</b>	5% of 194,000,000	9,700,000	Undetermined
<b>WBT</b>	5% of 194,000,000	9,700,000	Undetermined
<b>PIK</b>	10% of 29,100,000	2,910,000	Undetermined
<b>SMB</b>	10% of 29,100,000	2,910,000	Undetermined
<b>EAG</b>	20% of 9,700,000	1,940,000	<b>549,982</b>
<b>WAG</b>	20% of 38,800,000	7,760,000	<b>494,990</b>
<b>WAI</b>	20% of 58,200,000	11,640,000	Undetermined

**Notes:**

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BSS = Bering Sea snow crab

EAG = Eastern Aleutian Islands golden king crab

EBT = Eastern Bering Sea Tanner crab

WAG = Western Aleutian Islands golden king crab

WBT = Western Bering Sea Tanner crab

WAI = Western Aleutian Islands red king crab

PIK = Pribilof Island red/blue king crab

- A crab year is July 1 through June 30 of the following calendar year.
- Annual IFQ = (QS held/QS pool for fishery) x annual TAC for IFQ.
- Amounts greater than caps may be initially issued to, or used by, a person under “grandfather” rules.
- IFQ Use Caps are computed using current year ratios of QS:IFQ.
- “Undetermined” means the TAC amounts have not been announced for the year; therefore, the IFQ cap cannot be computed at this time.
- For these caps, a person’s QS holdings and IFQ use are computed on an “individual and collective” basis.
- Starting with the 2006/07 crab fishing year, Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab are managed as two stocks and fisheries: Eastern and Western Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab (EBT and WBT, respectively).
- Use caps and related regulations are found at 50 CFR Part 680, at §680.42

**Permanent CVO/CPO QS Use Caps, and 2008/09 Crab Year IFQ Use Caps  
for Non-Individual PQS Holders**

<u>Permanent QS Use Caps</u>			<u>2008/09 Annual IFQ Use Caps</u>
<b>Crab QS Fishery</b>	<b>% of Initial QS Pool for CVO/CPO (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVO/CPO Use Caps (QS Units)</b>	<b>CVO/CPO IFQ Caps (Raw Crab Pounds)</b>
<b>BBR</b>	5% of 388,000,000	19,400,000	Undetermined
<b>BSS</b>	5% of 970,000,000	48,500,000	Undetermined
<b>EBT</b>	5% of 194,000,000	9,700,000	Undetermined
<b>WBT</b>	5% of 194,000,000	9,700,000	Undetermined
<b>PIK</b>	5% of 29,100,000	1,455,000	Undetermined
<b>SMB</b>	5% of 29,100,000	1,455,000	Undetermined
<b>EAG</b>	5% of 9,700,000	485,000	<b>137,496</b>
<b>WAG</b>	5% of 38,800,000	1,940,000	<b>123,748</b>
<b>WAI</b>	5% of 58,200,000	2,910,000	Undetermined

**Notes:**

BBR = Bristol Bay red king crab                      SMB = St. Matthew blue king crab  
 BSS = Bering Sea snow crab                            EAG = Eastern Aleutian Islands golden king crab  
 EBT = Eastern Bering Sea Tanner crab            WAG = Western Aleutian Islands golden king crab  
 WBT = Western Bering Sea Tanner crab          WAI = Western Aleutian Islands red king crab  
 PIK = Pribilof Island red/blue king crab

- A crab year is July 1 through June 30 of the following calendar year.
- Annual IFQ = (QS held/QS pool for fishery) x annual TAC for IFQ.
- Amounts greater than caps may be initially issued to, or used by, a person under “grandfather” rules.
- IFQ Use Caps are computed using current year ratios of QS:IFQ.
- “Undetermined” means the TAC amounts have not been announced for the year; therefore, the IFQ cap cannot be computed at this time.
- A non-individual who holds PQS is limited to QS and IFQ use caps calculated on the sum of all QS or IFQ held by the PQS holder and all QS and IFQ held by any entity in which the PQS holder has a 10% or greater direct or indirect ownership interest.
- Starting with the 2006/07 crab fishing year, Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab are managed as two stocks and fisheries: Eastern and Western Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab (EBT and WBT, respectively).
- Use caps and related regulations are found at 50 CFR Part 680, at §680.42

## Permanent PQS Use Caps, and 2008/09 Crab Year IPQ Use Caps

<u>Permanent PQS Use Caps</u>			<u>2008/09 Annual IPQ Use Caps</u>
Crab QS Fishery	% of Initial QS Pool for PQS (PQS Units)	PQS Use Caps (PQS Units)	IPQ Caps (Raw Crab Pounds)
<b>BBR</b>	30% of 400,000,000	120,000,000	Undetermined
<b>BSS</b>	30% of 1,000,000,000	300,000,000	Undetermined
<b>EBT</b>	30% of 200,000,000	60,000,000	Undetermined
<b>WBT</b>	30% of 200,000,000	60,000,000	Undetermined
<b>PIK</b>	30% of 30,000,000	9,000,000	Undetermined
<b>SMB</b>	30% of 30,000,000	9,000,000	Undetermined
<b>EAG</b>	30% of 10,000,000	3,000,000	<b>697,994</b>
<b>WAG</b>	30% of 40,000,000	12,000,000	<b>359,504</b>
<b>WAI</b>	30% of 60,000,000	18,000,000	Undetermined

**Notes:**

BBR = Bristol Bay red king crab                      SMB = St. Matthew blue king crab  
 BSS = Bering Sea snow crab                          EAG = Eastern Aleutian Islands golden king crab  
 EBT = Eastern Bering Sea Tanner crab            WAG = Western Aleutian Islands golden king crab  
 WBT = Western Bering Sea Tanner crab        WAI = Western Aleutian Islands red king crab  
 PIK = Pribilof Island red/blue king crab

- A crab year is July 1 through June 30 of the following calendar year.
- Annual IPQ = (PQS held/PQS pool for fishery) x annual TAC for IPQ.
- Amounts greater than caps may be initially issued to, or used by, a person under “grandfather” rules.
- IPQ Use Caps are computed using current year ratios of PQS:IPQ.
- “Undetermined” means the TAC amounts have not been announced for the year; therefore, the IPQ cap cannot be computed at this time.
- In addition to these use caps: a person may not use more than 60 percent of the IPQ issued in the BSS crab fishery with a North region designation during a crab fishing year.
- Starting with the 2006/07 crab fishing year, Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab are managed as two stocks and fisheries: Eastern and Western Bering Sea (*C. bairdi*) Tanner crab (EBT and WBT, respectively).
- Use caps and related regulations are found at 50 CFR Part 680, at §680.42
- For each regionalized fishery, computing accurate, matching amounts of Class A CVO IFQ and IPQ within each region required using separately computed regional ratios of PQS:IPQ. The resulting IPQ fishery cap is the greater number of IPQ pounds from the computations PQS/ IPQ using each of the two regional ratios. Note that although EAG is subject to regionalization, all QS and PQS was initially issued for the South region.