

CHARTER HALIBUT HARVESTS IN IPHC AREAS 2C AND 3A

**AREA 2C THE CHARTER HALIBUT GHL ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL IN
FEBRUARY, 2000 IS 1.432 MILLION POUNDS, NET WEIGHT.**

Year	No. Fish	Avg. Net Wt.	Biomass	Deviation from GHL
1999	52,696	17.8	0.938	-34%
2000	57,208	19.8	1.132	-21%
2001	66,435	18.1	1.202	-16%
2002	64,614	19.7	1.275	-11%
2003	73,784	19.1	1.412	-1%
2004	84,327	20.7	1.750	22%
2005	102,206	19.1	1.952	36%
2006 ¹	105,651	20.0	2.113 ²	47%
2006 ³	107,238	19.0	2.035	42%

**AREA 3A THE CHARTER HALIBUT GHL ADOPTED BY THE COUNCIL IN
FEBRUARY, 2000 IS 3.650 MILLION POUNDS, NET WEIGHT.**

Year	No. Fish	Avg. Net Wt.	Biomass	Deviation from GHL
1999	131,726	19.2	2.533	-31%
2000	159,609	19.7	3.140	-14%
2001	163,349	19.2	3.133	-14%
2002	149,608	18.2	2.723	-25%
2003	163,629	20.7	3.382	-7%
2004	197,208	18.6	3.668	1%
2005	206,902	17.8	3.689	1%
2006 ¹	216,551	18.2	3.947	9%
2006 ³	225,798	17.6	3.968 ⁴	8%

¹ Projected based on traditional method based on linear trends in SWHS estimates.

² 86,000 pounds were estimated to have been saved due to an emergency order disallowing skipper and crew retention in Area 2C. These savings are not reflected in this projection. Instead, a recommendation has been made to IPHC to deduct these from the total recreational harvest projection.

³ Projected based on extrapolation of reported logbook harvest through Aug. 15.

⁴ An additional 0.469 M lb were harvested by skipper and crew.