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Species	Area/district <sup>1</sup>	ABC	TAC	OFL
Pollock <sup>2</sup> .....	Shumagin (610) .....	17,602	17,602	n/a
	Chirikof (620) .....	19,181	19,181	n/a
	Kodiak (630) .....	13,640	13,640	n/a
	WYK (640) .....	1,517	1,517	n/a
Subtotal .....	W/C/WYK .....	51,940	51,940	72,110

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Species	Area/district <sup>1</sup>	ABC	TAC	OFL
Total	SEO (650)	8,240	8,240	11,040
		60,180	60,180	83,150
Pacific cod <sup>3</sup>	W	25,932	19,449	n/a
	C	37,901	28,426	n/a
	E	2,660	2,394	n/a
	Total	66,493	50,269	88,660
Flatfish <sup>4</sup> (deep-water)	W	690	690	n/a
	C	6,721	6,721	n/a
	WYK	965	965	n/a
	SEO	527	527	n/a
	Total	8,903	8,903	11,343
Rex sole	W	1,022	1,022	n/a
	C	6,731	6,731	n/a
	WYK	520	520	n/a
	SEO	859	859	n/a
	Total	9,132	9,132	11,933
Flathead sole	W	12,507	2,000	n/a
	C	28,174	5,000	n/a
	WYK	3,420	3,420	n/a
	SEO	634	634	n/a
	Total	44,735	11,054	55,787
Flatfish <sup>5</sup> (shallow-water)	W	26,360	4,500	n/a
	C	29,873	13,000	n/a
	WYK	3,333	3,333	n/a
	SEO	1,423	1,423	n/a
	Total	60,989	22,256	74,364
Arrowtooth flounder	W	30,817	8,000	n/a
	C	167,936	30,000	n/a
	WYK	15,245	2,500	n/a
	SEO	12,472	2,500	n/a
	Total	226,470	43,000	266,914
Sablefish <sup>6</sup>	W	1,890	1,890	n/a
	C	5,500	5,500	n/a
	WYK	1,950	1,950	n/a
	SEO	3,390	3,390	n/a
	Subtotal	E (WYK and SEO)	5,340	5,340
Total		12,730	12,730	15,040
Pacific ocean perch <sup>7</sup>	W	3,686	3,686	4,376
	C	8,185	8,185	9,717
	WYK	1,100	1,100	n/a
	SEO	2,028	2,028	n/a
	Subtotal	E (WYK and SEO)	3,128	3,128
Total		14,999	14,999	17,807
Shortraker rockfish <sup>8</sup>	W	120	120	n/a
	C	315	315	n/a
	E	463	463	n/a
	Total		898	898
Rougheye rockfish <sup>9</sup>	W	125	125	n/a

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Species	Area/district <sup>1</sup>	ABC	TAC	OFL
Total	C .....	834	834	n/a
	E .....	327	327	n/a
	.....	1,286	1,286	1,548
Other rockfish <sup>10 11</sup>	W .....	357	357	n/a
	C .....	569	569	n/a
	WYK .....	604	604	n/a
	SEO .....	2,767	200	n/a
	.....	4,297	1,730	5,624
Northern rockfish <sup>11 12</sup>	W .....	2,141	2,141	n/a
	C .....	2,408	2,408	n/a
	E .....	0	0	n/a
	.....	4,549	4,549	5,430
Pelagic shelf rockfish <sup>13</sup>	W .....	1,003	1,003	n/a
	C .....	3,626	3,626	n/a
	WYK .....	251	251	n/a
	SEO .....	347	347	n/a
	.....	5,227	5,227	6,400
Thornyhead rockfish	W .....	267	267	n/a
	C .....	860	860	n/a
	E .....	783	783	n/a
	.....	1,910	1,910	2,540
Big skates <sup>14</sup>	W .....	632	632	n/a
	C .....	2,065	2,065	n/a
	E .....	633	633	n/a
	.....	3,330	3,330	4,439
Longnose skates <sup>15</sup>	W .....	78	78	n/a
	C .....	2,041	2,041	n/a
	E .....	768	768	n/a
	.....	2,887	2,887	3,849
Other skates <sup>16</sup>	GW .....	2,104	2,104	2,806
	SEO .....	382	382	611
Demersal shelf rockfish <sup>17</sup>	GW .....	4,700	1,500	6,200
Atka mackerel	GW .....	n/a	4,500	n/a
Other species <sup>18</sup>	.....	536,201	262,826	665,642

<sup>1</sup> Regulatory areas and districts are defined at 50 CFR 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. During the A season, the apportionment is based on an adjusted estimate of the relative distribution of pollock biomass of approximately 26 percent, 49 percent, and 24 percent in Statistical Areas 610, 620, and 630, respectively. During the B season, the apportionment is based on the relative distribution of pollock biomass at 26 percent, 60 percent, and 14 percent in Statistical Areas 610, 620, and 630, respectively. During the C and D seasons, the apportionment is based on the relative distribution of pollock biomass at 43 percent, 21 percent, and 35 percent in Statistical Areas 610, 620, and 630, respectively. Tables 5 and 6 list the 2008 and 2009 seasonal apportionments of pollock. In the WYK District and SEO Districts of the Eastern Regulatory Area, pollock is not divided into seasonal allowances.

<sup>3</sup> The annual Pacific cod TAC is apportioned 60 percent to an A season and 40 percent to a B season in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas of the GOA. Pacific cod is allocated 90 percent for processing by the inshore component and 10 percent for processing by the offshore component in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas of the GOA. Table 7 lists the 2008 and 2009 seasonal apportionments and component allocations of the Pacific cod TAC.

<sup>4</sup> "Deep water flatfish" means Dover sole, Greenland turbot, and deepsea sole.

<sup>5</sup> "Shallow water flatfish" means flatfish not including "deep water flatfish," flathead sole, rex sole, or arrowtooth flounder.

<sup>6</sup> Sablefish is allocated to trawl and hook-and-line gears for 2008 and to trawl gear in 2009. Tables 3 and 4 list the 2008 and 2009 allocations of sablefish.

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

<sup>8</sup> "Shortraker rockfish" means *Sebastes borealis*.

<sup>9</sup> "Rougheye rockfish" means *Sebastes aleutianus* (rougheye) and *Sebastes melanostictus* (blackspotted).

<sup>10</sup> "Other rockfish" in the Western and Central Regulatory Areas and in the WYK District means slope rockfish and demersal shelf rockfish. The category "other rockfish" in the SEO District means slope rockfish.

<sup>11</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* (silvergrey), *S. diploproa* (splitnose), *S. saxicola* (stripetail), *S. miniatus* (vermilion), and *S. reedi* (yellowmouth). In the Eastern Regulatory Area only, slope rockfish also includes northern rockfish, *S. polyspinis*.

<sup>12</sup> "Northern rockfish" means *Sebastes polyspinis*. The 2 mt ABC for northern rockfish in the Eastern Regulatory Area has been combined with the ABC for slope rockfish in the WYK District.

<sup>13</sup> "Pelagic shelf rockfish" means *Sebastes ciliatus* (dark), *S. variabilis* (dusky), *S. entomelas* (widow), and *S. flavidus* (yellowtail).

<sup>14</sup> Big skate means *Raja binoculata*.

<sup>15</sup> Longnose skate means *Raja rhina*.

<sup>16</sup> Other skates means *Bathyraja* spp.

<sup>17</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>18</sup> "Other species" means sculpins, sharks, squid, and octopus. There is no OFL or ABC for "other species," the TAC for "other species" is set at less than or equal to 5 percent of the TACs for assessed target species.

<sup>19</sup> The total ABC and OFL is the sum of the ABCs and OFLs for assessed target species.