

TABLE 1—FINAL 2012 AND 2013 OVERFISHING LEVEL (OFL), ACCEPTABLE BIOLOGICAL CATCH (ABC), TOTAL ALLOWABLE CATCH (TAC), INITIAL TAC (ITAC), AND CDQ RESERVE ALLOCATION OF GROUND FISH IN THE BSAI ¹

[Amounts are in metric tons]

Species	Area	2012					2013				
		OFL	ABC	TAC	ITAC ²	CDQ ³	OFL	ABC	TAC	ITAC ²	CDQ ³
Pollock ⁴	BS	2,474,000	1,220,000	1,200,000	1,080,000	120,000	2,840,000	1,360,000	1,201,900	1,081,710	120,190
	AI	39,600	32,500	19,000	17,100	1,900	42,900	35,200	19,000	17,100	1,900
	Bogoslof	22,000	16,500	500	500	0	22,000	16,500	500	500	0
Pacific cod ⁵ ..	BSAI	369,000	314,000	261,000	233,073	27,927	374,000	319,000	262,900	234,770	28,130
Sablefish	BS	2,640	2,230	2,230	1,840	307	2,610	2,200	2,200	935	83
	AI	2,430	2,050	2,050	1,666	346	2,400	2,020	2,020	429	38
Atka mackerel	BSAI	96,500	81,400	50,763	45,331	5,432	78,300	67,100	42,083	37,580	4,503
	EAI/BS	n/a	38,500	38,500	34,381	4,120	n/a	31,700	31,700	28,308	3,392
	CAI	n/a	22,900	10,763	9,611	1,152	n/a	18,900	8,883	7,933	950
	WAI	n/a	20,000	1,500	1,340	161	n/a	16,500	1,500	1,340	161
Yellowfin sole	BSAI	222,000	203,000	202,000	180,386	21,614	226,000	207,000	203,900	182,083	21,817
Rock sole	BSAI	231,000	208,000	87,000	77,691	9,309	217,000	196,000	87,000	77,691	9,309
Greenland turbot.	BSAI	11,700	9,660	8,660	7,361	n/a	9,700	8,030	8,030	6,826	n/a
	BS	n/a	7,230	6,230	5,296	667	n/a	6,010	6,010	5,109	643
	AI	n/a	2,430	2,430	2,066	0	n/a	2,020	2,020	1,717	0
Arrowtooth flounder.	BSAI	181,000	150,000	25,000	21,250	2,675	186,000	152,000	25,000	21,250	2,675
Kamchatka flounder.	BSAI	24,800	18,600	17,700	15,045	0	24,800	18,600	17,700	15,045	0
Flathead sole	BSAI	84,500	70,400	34,134	30,482	3,652	83,100	69,200	34,134	30,482	3,652
Other flatfish ⁶	BSAI	17,100	12,700	3,200	2,720	0	17,100	12,700	3,200	2,720	0
Alaska plaice	BSAI	64,600	53,400	24,000	20,400	0	65,000	54,000	24,000	20,400	0
Pacific ocean perch.	BSAI	35,000	24,700	24,700	21,812	n/a	33,700	28,300	28,300	24,991	n/a

	BS	n/a	5,710	5,710	4,854	0	n/a	6,540	6,540	5,559	0
	EAI	n/a	5,620	5,620	5,019	601	n/a	6,440	6,440	5,751	689
	CAI	n/a	4,990	4,990	4,456	534	n/a	5,710	5,710	5,099	611
	WAI	n/a	8,380	8,380	7,483	897	n/a	9,610	9,610	8,582	1,028
Northern rockfish.	BSAI	10,500	8,610	4,700	3,995	0	10,400	8,490	4,700	3,995	0
Shortraker rockfish.	BSAI	524	393	393	334	0	524	393	393	334	0
Rougheye rockfish.	BSAI	576	475	475	404	0	605	499	499	424	0
	EBS/EAI	n/a	231	231	196	0	n/a	241	241	205	0
	CAI/WAI	n/a	244	244	207	0	n/a	258	258	219	0
Other rockfish ⁷ .	BSAI	1,700	1,280	1,070	910	0	1,700	1,280	1,070	910	0
	BS	n/a	710	500	425	0	n/a	710	500	425	0
	AI	n/a	570	570	485	0	n/a	570	570	485	0
Squids	BSAI	2,620	1,970	425	361	0	2,620	1,970	425	361	0
Skates	BSAI	39,100	32,600	24,700	20,995	0	38,300	32,000	24,746	21,034	0
Sharks	BSAI	1,360	1,020	200	170	0	1,360	1,020	200	170	0
Octopuses	BSAI	3,450	2,590	900	765	0	3,450	2,590	900	765	0
Sculpins	BSAI	58,300	43,700	5,200	4,420	0	58,300	43,700	5,200	4,420	0
Total	3,996,000	2,511,778	2,000,000	1,789,010	195,860	4,341,869	2,639,792	2,000,000	1,786,924	195,269

¹ These amounts apply to the entire BSAI management area unless otherwise specified. With the exception of pollock, and for the purpose of these harvest specifications, the Bering Sea (BS) subarea includes the Bogoslof District.

² Except for pollock, the portion of the sablefish TAC allocated to hook-and-line and pot gear, and Amendment 80 species, 15 percent of each TAC is put into a reserve. The ITAC for these species is the remainder of the TAC after the subtraction of these reserves. For pollock and Amendment 80 species, ITAC is the non-CDQ allocation of TAC (see footnotes 3 and 5).

³ For the Amendment 80 species (Atka mackerel, flathead sole, rock sole, yellowfin sole, Pacific cod, and Aleutian Islands Pacific ocean perch), 10.7 percent of the TAC is reserved for use by CDQ participants (see §§ 679.20(b)(1)(ii)(C) and 679.31). Twenty percent of the sablefish TAC allocated to hook-and-line gear or pot gear, 7.5 percent of the sablefish TAC allocated to trawl gear, and 10.7 percent of the TACs for Bering Sea Greenland turbot and arrowtooth flounder are reserved for use by CDQ participants (see § 679.20(b)(1)(ii)(B) and (D)). Aleutian Islands Greenland turbot, "other flatfish," Alaska plaice, Bering Sea Pacific ocean perch, northern rockfish, shortraker rockfish, rougheye rockfish, "other rockfish," squid, sculpins, sharks, skates, and octopuses are not allocated to the CDQ program.

⁴ Under § 679.20(a)(5)(i)(A)(i), the annual BS subarea pollock TAC after subtracting first for the CDQ directed fishing allowance (10 percent) and second for the incidental catch allowance (4.0 percent), is further allocated by sector for a directed pollock fishery as follows: inshore—50 percent; catcher/processor—40 percent; and motherships—10 percent. Under § 679.20(a)(5)(iii)(B)(2)(i) and (ii), the annual Aleutian Islands subarea pollock TAC, after subtracting first for the CDQ directed fishing allowance (10 percent) and second for the incidental catch allowance (1,600 mt) is allocated to the Aleut Corporation for a directed pollock fishery.

⁵ The Pacific cod TAC is reduced by 3 percent from the ABC to account for the State of Alaska's (State) guideline harvest level in State waters of the Aleutian Islands subarea.

⁶ "Other flatfish" includes all flatfish species, except for halibut (a prohibited species), flathead sole, Greenland turbot, rock sole, yellowfin sole, arrowtooth flounder, Kamchatka flounder, and Alaska plaice.

⁷ "Other rockfish" includes all Sebastes and Sebastolobus species except for Pacific ocean perch, northern, dark, shortraker, and rougheye rockfish.

Note: Regulatory areas and districts are defined at § 679.2 (BS = Bering Sea subarea, AI = Aleutian Islands subarea, EAI = Eastern Aleutian Islands district, CAI = Central Aleutian Islands district, WAI = Western Aleutian Islands district).