Report of The

Akutan Catcher Vessel Association 2004

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I. Akutan Catcher Vessel Association

A. Cooperative Membership

Thirty three member vessels made up the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association (ACVA) for the year 2004. Coop membership remained unchanged from 2003. The table below shows the ACVA member vessels and their associated Coop percentages. As in the past, Coop percentages listed represent the vessels share of the Coop pollock based on the relevant catch history of each member vessel. In addition to using these percentages for pollock distribution, the Coop percentages were also used for the purpose of allocating Coop costs down to the vessel level. The Trident Seafoods plant in Akutan, Alaska served as the primary purchasing and processing facility for the ACVA in 2004.

Vessel	Coop percent 2004
ALDEBARAN	5.14%
ARCTIC EXPLORER	5.77%
NORDIC EXPL.	3.85%
INTREPID EXPL.	4.17%
ARCTURUS	5.42%
BLUE FOX	1.22%
COLUMBIA	5.06%
CAPE KIWANDA	0.82%
DOMINATOR	6.24%
SOVEREIGNTY	8.38%
NORTHERN PATRIOT	8.60%
EXODUS	1.07%
GLADIATOR	5.85%
GOLDEN DAWN	6.44%
GOLDEN PISCES	0.96%
HAZEL LORRAINE	1.39%
LESLIE LEE	1.93%
LISA MELINDA	0.76%
MAJESTY	3.55%
MARCY J	0.64%
MARGARET LYN	0.12%
NW EXPLORER	0.84%
PACIFIC RAM	0.73%
PACIFIC VIKING	3.91%
PEGASUS	2.48%
PEGGY JO	1.18%
PERSEVERANCE	1.05%
PREDATOR	0.78%
RAVEN	2.49%
ROYAL AMERICAN	3.46%
SEEKER	1.32%
TRAVELER	0.15%
VIKING EXPLORER	4.24%

B. Cooperative Management

The Akutan Catcher Vessel Association is governed by a Board of Directors as well as through active participation by the owners and operators of the member vessels. The Akutan Catcher Vessel Assoc. remains very active in the Inter Coop process and is bound contractually to the Inter Coop through the Inter Coop Agreement. Inter Coop issues and fishery management decisions are brought to the Coop level in the form of preferred alternatives. The preferred alternatives are a result of discussions and negotiations with the other Coops resulting in unanimous decisions by all Coop representatives. All preferred alternatives are discussed and voted on at the Coop level prior to being supported at the Inter Coop level by the Coop representatives.

C. In-Season Management

The day to day management of the Coop is the responsibility of the Coop Manager. The Coop Manager is responsible for all communications with the fleet regarding Coop and Inter Coop issues as well as providing all Coop information back to the vessel owners and managers. The Coop Manager also schedules all meetings, budgets and manages Coop costs and attends all Inter Coop meetings.

In addition to the above duties, the Coop Manager is also responsible for all pollock and sideboard distribution as well as the in-season management of all pollock, sideboard fisheries and PSC. Prior to individual season openings, it is requested that the Coop members "pre-register" for fisheries they will participate in. This is not always a formal process but it provides the Coop Manager adequate information as to which vessels will participate in which fisheries prior to the fisheries commencing. During this process, member vessels are informed of allocations or sideboard restrictions and any other pertinent information that needs to be conveyed. As the fisheries proceed, landing data is obtained by the Coop Manager from the plant that received the catch and landing totals are tabulated and compared against allocation or sideboards in the pertinent area. Vessels keep updated on their allocation progress via direct communication with the Coop Manager. An update is also sent to the processor and the vessel owners on a regular basis. This process ensures that no allocation or sideboard limits are exceeded.

It is also the responsibility of the Coop Manager to complete all Coop reporting requirements as outlined by the Government. This includes the submission and reconciliation of all weekly reports and the compilation and completion of the annual report to the Council.

Transfers of allocation are used within and between Coops to allow for efficient use of our allocations. The Coop Manager is responsible for tracking all transfers and preparing any necessary paper work to facilitate the transfers. All completed transfers are then reported to the Coop via changes to the allocation spreadsheets that are distributed regularly. In many cases the Manager aids in the transfer process by identifying remaining allocations or fishing situations in which a transfer might be beneficial or requested by Coop members.

All landings data, including prohibited species catches, are also gathered by Sea State, Inc. Since the inception of AFA Coops, Sea State has been hired to act as a third party to aid in our fishery management. This data is obtained by Sea State via the NMFS Electronic Logbook, submitted by the plants, or via observer data which is acquired through the observer program office in Seattle. This data allows Sea State to aid the Coop Manager with in-season management as needed. This service is used primarily to monitor the harvest of prohibited species and the facilitation of

the various bycatch programs put in place by the inter-coop group. All data gathered by Sea State is available to the Coop Manager via a password protected website. Data on the website is available in the aggregate or by individual vessel deliveries.

II. Akutan Catcher Vessel Association AFA Pollock

A. Cooperative Pollock Allocation

Based on the NMFS verified catch histories of its member vessels, the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association was allocated 28.085% of the pollock available for directed fishing by the Bering Sea onshore sector. This resulted in a 2004 Bering Sea pollock allocation of 182,433 MT. This total allocation was distributed to member vessels based on their corresponding Coop percentage. Pollock was distributed to all vessels 40%/60%, meaning that 40% of their annual allocation was given to them in the "A" season and the balance in the "B" season.

B. Vessel Allocations and Harvest

Table 1 shows initial pollock allocations to the ACVA member vessels as well as the total harvest of pollock by member vessels. Table 2 shows the pollock harvest along with non-groundfish and PSC catch.

TABLE 1:

As indicated on this table in the bottom right hand corner, 3,916 MT of pollock was left unharvested in this Coop for 2004. The large majority of this was fish remaining from vessels that were GOA exempt vessels and, therefore, couldn't lease trade or sell their BS allocations. Most of these vessels chose not to come to the Bering Sea for the "B" season fishery due to the slow fishing, large salmon savings area closures and the high costs of harvesting this fish due to the long run and the fuel cost.

As evident by looking the each vessel's harvest compared to their allocations, many intra-coop transfers were made. Some of this is a result of vessels stacking their allocations to further rationalize the fishery. Most of these transfers, however, were a direct result of the difficult fishing conditions present during the "B" season fishery. The large Chum and Chinook Salmon Savings Areas that were closed for much of the "B" season had a dramatic effect on the fleet's ability to find pollock and at the same time avoid the salmon. Available fishing areas outside of the closed areas were very few and late in the season were rather void of pollock. Vessels that had finished their allocations were forced to stay much longer than planned to aid other Coop vessels in harvesting their fish. In addition to the slow fishing, the fleet was also working extremely hard to avoid salmon bycatch. This compounded the problem as often times when pollock were found, they were accompanied by high salmon numbers. It is the belief of this Coop that more economical fishing could have been found with fewer salmon, had the fleet had access to the areas closed by the Chum and Chinook Salmon Savings Areas.

The above harvesting difficulties resulted in the Coop having to seek the aid of other Coops to help in the harvest of ACVA fish. As you can see at the bottom of Table 1 two boats from outside the Coop were contracted to deliver fish on behalf of the ACVA. All of this fish was delivered to the Trident Plant in Akutan.

No member vessels in this Coop exceeded their annual allocation of BS pollock without approval of the Coop manager. Small overages did occur but were easily offset by the vessels that left small amounts on the table. No pollock allocations belonging to GOA exempt vessels were leased, traded or sold.

<u>TABLE 2:</u> Member Vessel's individual harvest of pollock, non-pollock groundfish and PSC species.

TABLE 1
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 POLLOCK ALLOCATIONS AND HARVEST BY VESSEL

2004 Total Pollock Allocation:

182,433

	Coop			
Vessel	percent	2004 Initial	Vessel	(Over/Under
	2004	Allocation (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Allocation (MT)
ALDEBARAN	5.14%	9,381	9,041	340
ARCTIC EXPLORER	5.77%	10,535	13,328	(2,793)
NORDIC EXPL.	3.85%	7,031	0	7,031
INTREPID EXPL.	4.17%	7,606	0	7,606
ARCTURUS	5.42%	9,886	9,314	573
BLUE FOX	1.22%	2,222	317	1,905
COLUMBIA	5.06%	9,224	9,697	(473)
CAPE KIWANDA	0.82%	1,493	1,234	258
DOMINATOR	6.24%	11,382	12,964	(1,582)
SOVEREIGNTY	8.38%	15,291	16,018	(726)
NORTHERN PATRIOT	8.60%	15,684	16,825	(1,141)
EXODUS	1.07%	1,944	1,953	(8)
GLADIATOR	5.85%	10,669	9,580	1,090
GOLDEN DAWN	6.44%	11,742	12,587	(845)
GOLDEN PISCES	0.96%	1,760	2,400	(640)
HAZEL LORRAINE	1.39%	2,528	1,912	616
LESLIE LEE	1.93%	3,522	3,510	12
LISA MELINDA	0.76%	1,395	642	753
MAJESTY	3.55%	6,474	3,857	2,617
MARCY J	0.64%	1,170	773	397
MARGARET LYN	0.12%	222	0	222
NW EXPLORER	0.84%	1,541	10,692	(9,151)
PACIFIC RAM	0.73%	1,323	530	794
PACIFIC VIKING	3.91%	7,127	6,757	370
PEGASUS	2.48%	4,520	4,124	396
PEGGY JO	1.18%	2,160	2,568	(408)
PERSEVERANCE	1.05%	1,920	3,258	(1,338)
PREDATOR	0.78%	1,416	0	1,416
RAVEN	2.49%	4,551	3,255	1,296
ROYAL AMERICAN	3.46%	6,307	6,515	(207)
SEEKER	1.32%	2,403	1,505	897
TRAVELER	0.15%	269	268	1
VIKING EXPLORER	4.24%	7,734	8,897	(1,163)
BRISTOL EXPLORER	Am69		2,191	(2,191)
SEADAWN	Am69		2,007	(2,007)
TOTALS	100.00%	182,433	178,517	3,916

TABLE 2
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 ACTUAL CATCH AND BYCATCH IN DIRECTED POLLOCK
FISHERY

Vessel	Pollock Harvest	Non-Target	Halibut Mort.	Red King	Bairdi	Other	Chinook	Other
	(MT)	Groundfish (MT)	(MT)	Crab (N)	(N)	Tanner (N)	(N)	Salmon (N)
ALDEBARAN	9,041	58	1	0	63	14	348	8,268
ARCTIC EXPLORER	13.328	87	2	0	80	15	503	2,283
NORDIC EXPL.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INTREPID EXPL.	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARCTURUS	9,314	76	2	0	75	12	447	5,106
BLUE FOX	317	7	0	0	9	1	30	0
COLUMBIA	9,697	119	1	0	69	13	326	4,037
CAPE KIWANDA	1,234	29	0	0	4	0	20	47
DOMINATOR	12,964	119	2	0	127	16	420	1,532
SOVEREIGNTY	16,018	154	2	0	99	20	433	1,671
NORTHERN PATRIOT	16,825	90	2	0	95	19	321	1,788
EXODUS	1,953	19	0	0	18	2	4	72
GLADIATOR	9,580	54	1	0	73	15	391	4,117
GOLDEN DAWN	12,587	191	2	0	72	10	345	1,411
GOLDEN PISCES	2,400	70	0	0	4	2	8	204
HAZEL LORRAINE	1,912	52	0	0	8	1	34	125
LESLIE LEE	3,510	25	0	0	17	3	59	352
LISA MELINDA	642	5	0	0	4	0	31	0
MAJESTY	3,857	48	0	0	7	3	5	247
MARCY J	773	6	0	0	5	0	14	58
MARGARET LYN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NW EXPLORER	10,692	61	1	0	108	12	457	3,482
PACIFIC RAM	530	29	0	0	6	1	63	0
PACIFIC VIKING	6,757	70	1	0	84	9	340	5,789
PEGASUS	4,124	52	1	0	34	6	128	375
PEGGY JO	2,568	14	0	0	7	1	737	2,268
PERSEVERANCE	3,258	48	0	0	24	4	71	252
PREDATOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
RAVEN	3,255	45	1	0	31	5	89	394
ROYAL AMERICAN	6,515	164	1	0	45	7	92	152
SEEKER	1,505	8	0	0	3	3	51	2,054
TRAVELER	268	5	0	0	3	0	3	1
VIKING EXPLORER	8,897	69	1	0	197	14	531	6,403
BRISTOL EXPLORER	2,191	16	0	0	20	2	208	2,117
SEADAWN	2,007	10	0	0	9	2	26	2,337
TOTALS	178,517	1,800	21	0	1400	212	6,535	56,942
TOTAL ALLOCATION	182,433							
UNHARVESTED								
ALLOC.	3,916							

III. BSAI Sideboards

A. BSAI Cod Sideboard Allocations

Bering Sea sideboards were established for each AFA Coop for Pacific cod, Yellowfin sole and Rock sole. No vessels from the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association participated in either Bering Sea flatfish fishery in 2004. Coop sideboard allocations for Bering Sea flatfish have not been distributed to individual vessels in the Coop.

Based on the Sea State verified catch history of its member vessels, the ACVA was allocated 25.28% of the Bering Sea cod sideboards available to the AFA non-exempt fleet. This resulted in a total 2004 Pacific cod sideboard total of 9,241 MT to the Akutan non-exempt fleet. Six member vessels in the ACVA possess the exempt cod status.

B. Cod Sideboard Transfers

The middle column of Table three shows the cod transfers that were made for 2004 for the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association. The net of these transfers was 559.89 MT being transferred out of the ACVA to other Coops.

C. Vessel Cod and PSC Harvest

Table 3 shows the cod Coop percentage for each of the non-exempt member vessels and their associated sideboard totals and harvest amounts for 2004. The bottom of the table also shows the Bering Sea cod exempt vessels and their associated cod landings for 2004. Table 4 shows the total cod sideboard harvest as well as the non-target groundfish and PSC harvest for both the exempt and non-exempt member vessels.

TABLE 3:

A total of 3,665 MT of non-exempt cod was left unharvested during 2004. A net amount of 559.89 MT of cod was transferred out of the ACVA during the months of March and April, 2004. The total non-exempt sideboard allocation for 2004 after the transfers was 8,681 MT, of which, 58% was harvested. All of the cod harvest took place in the winter and spring during the January through April time frame. No member vessels participated in the cod fishery during the second half of the year as this time of the year usually results in poor fishery performance and higher bycatch of non-target species and PSC.

As you can see by looking at each vessel's sideboard totals and harvest amounts, many intra-coop transfers were made. These transfers were the result of vessels stacking sideboards in order to allow vessels to finish pollock and others to harvest cod in the spring. All vessels that harvested amounts in excess of their own sideboard total did so under the direction of the Coop Manager.

A summary of the ACVA exempt vessel cod sideboard harvest can be seen at the bottom of Table 3.

TABLE 4:

PSC caps were established for halibut, Zone 1 red King crab as well as zone 1 Bairdi and Opilio. As the harvest data shows, PSC bycatch was once again low in 2004. A total of 20 MT, or 11%, of the Coop's halibut mortality was used to harvest the non-exempt vessel's cod. This was largely due to the particular fishing grounds where a large amount of the cod was harvested.

The PSC catch for the exempt cod fleet is also seen in Table 4.

TABLE 3
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 BS PACIFIC COD SIDEBOARD ALLOCATIONS AND HARVEST

Non-Exempt	Соор	2004 Cod Sideboard	Inter Coop	Total Sideboard	Vessel	(Over)/Under
Vessels	Percent	Allocation (MT)	Tansfers (MT)	with Transfers	Harvest (MT)	Allocation (MT)
ALDEBARAN	6.30%	581		581	0.00	581
ARCTIC EXPLORER	5.60%	517		517	162.12	355
NORDIC EXPLORER	2.87%	265		265	0.00	265
INTREPID EXPLORER	4.75%	439		439	1,041.48	(603)
ARCTURUS	5.49%	507	(139.12)	368	30.04	338
CAPE KIWANDA	4.15%	384		384	140.11	243
COLUMBIA	6.60%	610	(248.58)	361	32.79	329
DOMINATOR	5.74%	530	(140.34)	390	40.78	349
SOVEREIGNTY	1.88%	174		174	0.00	174
NORTHERN PATRIOT	0.91%	84		84	0.00	84
EXODUS	1.94%	179		179	0.00	179
GLADIATOR	5.09%	470	(31.85)	439	0.00	439
GOLDEN DAWN	5.41%	500		500	20.08	480
HAZEL LORAINE	1.35%	125		125	46.05	79
LESLIE LEE	0.84%	78		78	0.00	78
LISA MELINDA	0.53%	49		49	33.18	16
MAJESTY	7.00%	647		647	1,698.63	(1,052)
MARCY J	0.57%	53		53	39.32	13
NW EXPLORER	0.00%	0		0	0.00	0
PACIFIC RAM	1.75%	162		162	124.38	37
PACIFIC VIKING	7.07%	653		653	962.65	(309)
PEGASUS	6.26%	578		578	172.20	406
RAVEN	4.80%	444		444	183.40	260
ROYAL AMERICAN	7.21%	666		666	289.32	377
VIKING EXPLORER	5.89%	545		545	0.00	545
TOTALS	100.00%	9,241	(559.89)	8,681	5,016.53	3,665

Exempt Vessels	Coop Percent	2004 Cod Harvest
BLUE FOX	EXEMPT	1,169
GOLDEN PISCES	EXEMPT	1,560
PERSEVERANCE	EXEMPT	288
PREDATOR	EXEMPT	685
PEGGY JO	EXEMPT	0
SEEKER	EXEMPT	2,098

TABLE 4
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 BERING SEA PACIFIC COD "A" SIDEBOARD HARVEST AND PSC
BYCATCH

Non-Exempt	Pacific Cod	Non-Target Groundfish	Halibut Mort.	Red King	Bairdi	Other	Chinook	Other
Vessels	Harvest (MT)	(MT)	(MT)	Crab (N)	(N)	Tanner (N)	(N)	Salmon (N)
ALDEBARAN	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
ARCTIC EXPLORER	162	36	1	0	14	13	0	0
NORDIC EXPLORER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
INTREPID EXPLORER	1,041	52	1	0	61	23	17	0
ARCTURUS	30	8	0	0	5	4	0	0
CAPE KIWANDA	140	25	3	0	219	16	0	0
COLUMBIA	33	10	0	0	0	5	0	0
DOMINATOR	41	12	0	0	2	4	8	0
SOVEREIGNTY	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NORTHERN PATRIOT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
EXODUS	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GLADIATOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
GOLDEN DAWN	20	9	0	0	17	2	3	0
HAZEL LORAINE	46	7	0	0	34	3	0	0
LESLIE LEE	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
LISA MELINDA	33	6	1	0	47	2	0	0
MAJESTY	1,699	61	3	0	123	32	0	0
MARCY J	39	7	1	0	49	3	0	0
NW EXPLORER	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PACIFIC RAM	124	32	3	0	207	16	0	0
PACIFIC VIKING	963	20	0	0	7	11	11	0
PEGASUS	172	41	2	0	138	15	0	0
RAVEN	183	42	2	0	129	18	0	2
ROYAL AMERICAN	289	58	3	0	83	10	13	0
VIKING EXPLORER	0							
TOTALS	5,017	426	20	0	1135	177	52	2
TOTAL ALLOCATION	8,681		189	3,507	24,174	16,467		
UNHARVESTED ALLOC.	3,664		169	3,507	23,039	16,290		

Exempt Vessels	Pacific Cod Harvest (MT)	Non-Target Groundfish (MT)	Halibut Mort. (MT)	Red King Crab (N)	Bairdi (N)	Other Tanner (N)	Chinook (N)	Other Salmon (MT)
BLUE FOX	1,169.24	197	14	0	1059	128	31	0
GOLDEN PISCES	1,559.59	417	27	0	1591	206	26	0
PERSEVERANCE	287.65	45	3	0	219	21	8	0
PREDATOR	685.34	174	13	0	898	137	5	0
PEGGY JO	0.00	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
SEEKER	2,098.35	395	23	0	1667	215	8	0

IV. Bering Sea Salmon Bycatch Management

Chinook and Chum salmon bycatch programs were created for 2004 through the work of the inter-coop group. The results of these programs were the Chinook and Chum Salmon Bycatch Agreements which were adopted by all of the Coops. All Coops were bound contractually to these agreements. The overall goal of both programs is to provide to the fleet real-time bycatch data that is used to alter fishing grounds as needed to harvest pollock with as little salmon bycatch as possible. Incorporated in to these programs were weekly closed areas affecting Coops that had shown high salmon bycatch over the previous couple of weeks.

Under these programs, vessels were asked to transmit tow-by-tow salmon bycatch data to Sea State. Sea State was hired to monitor the fishery and salmon bycatch performance by the Coops. Sea State was responsible for gathering the data, notifying the Coop Managers of bycatch rates by area as well as announcing the weekly closures. Vessels in the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association used two methods for transmitting bycatch data. Many vessels used software that worked in conjunction with the vessel's VMS system to send the tow data from the grounds. In cases where the VMS transmission was failing or the software was not used, vessels send data directly to Sea State via Sat C email.

It is the general feeling of this Coop that the programs were a success. We feel we were very successful in getting vessel operators to put salmon bycatch as one of their top priorities. We did an adequate job sending our tow-by-tow salmon bycatch estimates to Sea State and we were compliant to all weekly closures that were placed upon us as a result of higher than allowed bycatch rates. Vessels changed harvest areas frequently and as needed to attempt to find cleaner fishing. We had excellent communication between the fleet, the processor and the Coop Manager regarding salmon bycatch issues. Despite all of these efforts, we still had a very difficult time finding clean fishing both in the winter roe fishery as well as throughout the late summer and fall fishery. This appears to be a direct result of the high number of salmon that roamed the Bering Sea this year and the large closure areas that were present for much of the "B" season.

We feel fishing restrictions as a result of the regulatory closures of the Chinook and Chum Salmon Savings Areas significantly impacted the performance of the Chum and Chinook salmon bycatch programs this year. During the times of these closures, fishing grounds were so limited that there were very few places to look for clean fishing. In addition, there were times that vessels had a hard time finding pollock to work on resulting in longer tows and likely more salmon bycatch. We feel that better fishing, with fewer salmon, may have existed within the boundaries of the Chum and Chinook Savings Areas during times vessels were forced to fish outside that area. It is likely that not having access to the Savings Areas may have actually increases to overall bycatch of salmon for 2004.

V. Gulf of Alaska Sideboards

A. GOA Sideboard Allocations

Sideboards were established for the major target fisheries in the Gulf of Alaska. For 2004, NMFS published informational tables with GOA sideboard percentages for each Coop's non-exempt vessels. Sideboard totals for each Coop were calculated by taking the Coop's percentage of the overall AFA sideboard for that area and species. Coop percentages are a based on the relevant verified catch histories of member vessels.

Tables 5 and 6 show the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association 2004 non-exempt sideboard limits for pollock, cod and POP as well as any inter-coop transfers that took place during the year.

TABLE 5 and 6:

As stated above, these tables lists the total sideboard amounts in MT by area and season based on a total of the member's catch histories. Inter-Coop transfers are noted in the middle column and total sideboards including transfers are at the right.

B. GOA Sideboard Harvest

Six vessels from the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association participated in GOA sideboard fisheries in 2004.

<u>TABLE 7:</u>

This table summarizes the GOA sideboard target species harvest for 2004. The majority of the effort was in the pollock fishery, however, vessels also participated in the cod and POP fisheries. There was no participation in any other GOA sideboard fisheries during 2004. No sideboard limits were exceeded by this Coop for 2004. Any additional harvest of GOA species by ACVA member vessels was done on GOA exempt vessels.

TABLE 5
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 GOA POLLOCK SIDEBOARD ALLOCATIONS BY
AREA

Area/Species	Coop Sideboard Shares "A" Season (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	"A" Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
610 Pollock	835.16	0.00	835.16
620 Pollock	779.50	0.00	779.5
630 Pollock	397.13	0.00	397.13

Area/Species	Coop Sideboard Shares "B" Season (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	"B" Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
610 Pollock	835.53	0.00	835.53
620 Pollock	924.14	0.00	924.14
630 Pollock	186.45	0.00	186.45

Area/Species	Coop Sideboard Shares "C" Season (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	"C" Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
610 Pollock	1720.29	(513.27)	1207.02
620 Pollock	291.71	0.00	291.71
630 Pollock	612.03	0.00	612.03

Area/Species	Coop Sideboard Shares "D" Season (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	"D" Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
610 Pollock	1720.29	(411.00)	1309.29
620 Pollock	291.71	0.00	291.71
630 Pollock	612.03	0.00	612.03

Area/Species	Coop Sideboard Shares 2004 Total (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	2003 Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
640 Pollock	0.49	172.57	173.06
650 Pollock	0	0.00	0

TABLE 6
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 GOA COD AND POP SIDEBOARD ALLOCATIONS BY AREA

Area/Species	"A" Coop Sideboard	Inter Coop	Sideboard Shares
	Shares (MT)	Transfers (MT)	After Transfers (MT)
Pacific Cod Western	428.82	0	428.82
Pacific Cod Central	530.93	0	530.93

Area/Species	"B" Coop Sideboard Shares (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
Pacific Cod Western	285.99	0	285.99
Pacific Cod Central	354.12	0	354.12

Area/Species	2004 Coop Sideboard	Inter Coop	Sideboard Shares	
	Shares (MT)	Transfers (MT)	After Transfers (MT)	
Pacific Cod Eastern	25.17	0	25.17	

Area/Species	2004 Coop Sideboard Shares (MT)	Inter Coop Transfers (MT)	Sideboard Shares After Transfers (MT)
POP Central	225.73	0	225.73
POP Eastern	0	0	0

TABLE 7
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 GOA POLLOCK SIDEBOARD HARVEST BY AREA AND SPECIES

Vessel	610 Pollock A Harvest (MT)	610 Pollock B Harvest (MT)	610 Pollock C Harvest (MT)	610 Pollock D Harvest (MT)	2004 Totals (MT)
Majesty	403.24				403.24
Intrepid Explorer	350.81		660.00		1010.81
Seasonal Allocation:	835.16	835.53	1207.02	1309.29	4187.00
Unharvested Allocation:	81.11	835.53	547.02	1309.29	2772.95

Vessel	620 Pollock A	620 Pollock B	620 Pollock C	620 Pollock D	2004
	Harvest (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Totals (MT)
Viking Explorer		624.26	401.95		1026.21
Columbia		259.47			259.47
Majesty				48.64	48.64
					0.00
Seasonal Allocation:	779.50	924.14	291.71	291.71	2287.06
Unharvested Allocation:	779.50	40.41	(110.24)	243.07	952.74

Vessel	630 Pollock A	630 Pollock B	630 Pollock C	630 Pollock D	2004
	Harvest (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Harvest (MT)	Totals (MT)
Raven			106.37		106.37
					0.00
Seasonal Allocation:	397.13	186.45	612.03	612.03	1807.64
Unharvested Allocation:	397.13	186.45	505.66	612.03	1701.27

TABLE 7 - CONTINUED
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 GOA OTHER SIDEBOARD HARVEST BY AREA AND
SPECIES

Vessel	Pacific Cod "A" Western (MT)	Pacific Cod "A" Central (MT)	Pacific Cod "B" Western (MT)	Pacific Cod "B" Central (MT)
Raven				39.39
Seasonal Allocation:	428.82	530.93	285.99	354.12
Unharvested Allocation:	428.82	530.93	285.99	314.73

Vessel	POP Central (MT)	Northern RF Central (MT)
Traveler	197.19	29.19
Seasonal Allocation:	225.73	83.54
Unharvested Allocation:	28.54	54.35

AFA Red King Crab Sideboards

Nine vessels from the Akutan Catcher Vessel Association are eligible under the AFA to participate in the Bering Sea Red King crab fishery. For the year 2004, eight of the eligible vessels took part in the fishery. The vessels operated under a management structure that was agreed upon by all Coops to assure that the participating AFA vessels as a whole did not exceed the AFA Red King crab sideboard cap. The large majority of AFA vessels chose to take a trip limit during this year's fishery. The trip limit was based on a number of crabs and was 7390 crab for this year's fishery. These crab numbers were arrived at after consultation with ADF&G regarding a usable average weight for Red King crab. The Golden Dawn and Gladiator, however, chose to take part in the 80% AFA derby fishery in which they were able to race for a pool of crab and once 80% was taken the participants were given a final number of crabs that could be harvested.

Table 8 below shows the round landings of the eligible ACVA vessels for 2004. A total of 379,089 lbs. were landed by ACVA vessel and none of the vessels in this Coop that chose the trip limit exceeded their predetermined trip limit. The Inter Coop manager served as in-season manger for the AFA portion of this year's crab fishery. ACVA vessels were successful in transmitting all required catch data to the manager during this short fishery.

TABLE 8
AKUTAN CATCHER VESSEL ASSOCIATION
2004 RED KING CRAB SIDEBOARD HARVEST

Vessel	Red King Crab Landings (lbs)
Arcturus	51,101
Aldebaran	49,207
Dominator	50,775
Majesty	48,090
Viking Explorer	47,730
Gladiator	58,789
Golden Dawn	43,709
Royal American	0
Marcy J	29,688
Total Coop Harvest	379,089