

## AFSC/ABL:Aggregated coded-wire tag (CWT) recovery database from the salmon bycatch of the Bering Sea-Aleutian Islands and Gulf of Alaska groundfish fisheries for NOAA Fisheries, Alaska

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### Identification Information:

**Citation:**

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**Title:**

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**Description:**

**Abstract:**

NOAA Fisheries at Auke Bay Laboratories (ABL) maintains a database of CWT recoveries from the salmon bycatch of the Bering Sea-Aleutian Islands (BSAI) and Gulf of Alaska (GOA) groundfish trawl fisheries.

**Purpose:**

To maintain a comprehensive database for coded-wire tag recovery information from fish caught in the Gulf of Alaska, and Bering Sea-Aleutian Islands.

**Time period of content:**

**Time period information:**

**Range of dates/times:**

**Beginning date:** 1981

**Ending date:** 2009

**Currentness reference:**

publication date

**Status:**

**Progress:** In work

**Maintenance and update frequency:** As needed

**Spatial domain:**

**Description of geographic extent:**

Gulf of Alaska and Bering Sea-Aleutian Islands

**Bounding coordinates:**

**West bounding coordinate:** -178.00000

**East bounding coordinate:** -137.00000

**North bounding coordinate:** 64.0000

**South bounding coordinate:** 51.00000

**Keywords:**

**Theme:**

**Theme keywords:** Biota, 002

**Theme keyword thesaurus:** ISO 19115 Topic Category

**Theme:**

**Theme keywords:** Coded-wire tags, coded wire tag, CWT, salmon, recovery, NMFS, NOAA fisheries, trawl,

groundfish

**Theme keyword thesaurus:** None

**Place:**

**Place keywords:** Alaska, Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands, Gulf of Alaska

**Place keyword thesaurus:** Geographic Names Information System

**Taxonomy:**

**Keywords/taxon:**

**Taxonomic keywords:** multiple species, vertebrates

**Taxonomic keyword thesaurus:**None

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Empire

**Taxon rank value:** Biovitae

**Applicable common names:** Carbon-based lifeforms

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Kingdom

**Taxon rank value:** Animalia

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Phylum

**Taxon rank value:** Chordata

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Subphylum

**Taxon rank value:** Vertebrata

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Superclass

**Taxon rank value:** Osteichthyes

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Class

**Taxon rank value:** Actinopterygii

**Taxonomic classification:**

**Taxon rank name:** Subclass

**Taxon rank value:** Neopterygii

**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Infraclass](#)Taxon rank value: [Teleostei](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Superorder](#)Taxon rank value: [Protacanthopterygii](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Order](#)Taxon rank value: [Salmoniformes](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Family](#)Taxon rank value: [Salmonidae](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Subfamily](#)Taxon rank value: [Salmoninae](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Genus](#)Taxon rank value: [Oncorhynchus](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Species](#)Taxon rank value: [Oncorhynchus keta](#)Applicable common names: [chum salmon](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Species](#)Taxon rank value: [Oncorhynchus kisutch](#)Applicable common names: [coho salmon](#)**Taxonomic classification:**Taxon rank name: [Species](#)Taxon rank value: [Oncorhynchus tshawytscha](#)

**Applicable common names:** king  
salmon

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**Data set credit:**

International North Pacific Fisheries Commission, North Pacific Anadromous Fish Commission

**Native data set environment:**

Microsoft Access database

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## Data Quality Information:

### Logical consistency report:

not applicable

### Completeness report:

All cwts are blind read by 2 people during processing.

### Lineage:

#### Methodology:

##### Methodology type:

Field

##### Methodology description:

Snouts are collected from commercial groundfish fisheries by observers based on visual (indicator fin clip) detection of the magnetized tag.

#### Methodology:

##### Methodology type:

Lab

##### Methodology description:

Coded-Wire Tags (CWT) are dissected out of the snouts of salmon, and pertinent recovery data are entered into a database along with each tag code.

### Process step:

#### Process description:

None

**Process date:** Unknown

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