

Ocean Salmon Management Program



Preliminary 2009 Oregon Ocean Recreational Salmon Seasons:

Selective Coho Salmon Fishery Estimates for the Area from Cape Falcon to the Oregon/California Border

Season: Open seven days per week from June 20 through earlier of August 31 or coho quota of 110,000 adipose fin-clipped coho.

Regulations: Open for all salmon except **closed to retention of chinook** (note: chinook greater than 24" in length are allowed to be retained between Humbug Mt. and the Oregon California Border from August 29-31) and all retained coho must have a healed adipose fin clip. Between Cape Falcon and Humbug Mt. the bag limit is three salmon per day, and from Humbug Mt. to the Oregon/California Border the bag limit is two salmon. Minimum size lengths of 16" for coho and 20" for steelhead. No more than two single-point, single-shank, barbless hooks may be used, and no more than one lure/bait per line.

Landings for the Period of July 13-19, 2009

Port	No. Angler Trips	No. Fish Harvested		No. Fish Released		Retained Catch Per Angler
		Coho	Chinook	Coho*	Chinook	
Garibaldi	1,912	2,879	Closed	3,110	31	1.51
Pacific City	615	1,113	Closed	949	21	1.81
Depoe Bay	1,116	584	Closed	557	33	0.52
Newport	1,896	1,694	Closed	2,125	31	0.89
Florence	251	225	Closed	424	28	0.90
Winchester Bay	1,089	746	Closed	2,010	82	0.69
Charleston	299	147	Closed	411	35	0.49
Bandon	24	2	Closed	0	4	0.08
Gold Beach	18	0	Closed	3	3	0.00
Brookings	210	54	Closed	75	4	0.26
Total	7,430	7,444	Closed	9,664	272	1.00

* Number of coho released includes fish released for any number of reasons including: no adipose fin clip, sub-legal or small fish, and anglers targeting other species.

Data will normally be updated twice per week. The first update is based on preliminary summaries, and will usually be posted by noon on Tuesday following the end of the week. A "final" update will usually occur by Friday noon, once the incoming sample data has been error checked and corrections made. Additional corrections to the estimates will occur as needed.

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