635-003-0003

Purpose and Scope

(1) The purpose of Division 003 is to provide for management of commercial salmon fisheries off the Oregon Coast over which the state has jurisdiction.

(2) Division 003 incorporates into Oregon Administrative Rules, by reference, the annual ocean troll salmon specifications and management measures as adopted by the Pacific Fishery Management Council in its annual Ocean Salmon Management Measures and Impacts, as finalized in April [2016]2017, and in addition to the extent they are consistent with these rules, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 50, Part 660, Subpart H (61FR34572, July 2, 1996, as amended to incorporate the standards in the Pacific Fishery Management Council referenced document). Therefore, persons must consult the Pacific Fishery Management Council referenced document and Federal Regulations in addition to Division 003 to determine all applicable troll salmon fishing requirements. A copy of the Pacific Fishery Management Council referenced document and the Federal Regulations may be obtained by contacting the Pacific Fishery Management Council at www.pcouncil.org or at 7700 NE Ambassador Place, Suite 101, Portland, OR 97220-1384.

(3) To the extent not preempted by Federal law, these regulations apply within the State of Oregon’s Fisheries Conservation Zone (out to fifty miles from shore).

Stat. Auth.: ORS 496.138, 496.146 and 506.119
Stats. Implemented: ORS 506.129
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635-003-0085

Extended Commercial Seasons

In addition to the open seasons prescribed in OAR 635-003-0003 there are open seasons for Chinook salmon as follows:

(1) Elk River Ocean Terminal Area - from [November 1]October 15-November 30 in the area described in section (1)(a) of this rule.

(a) The open area is all Pacific Ocean waters shoreward of a line drawn from Cape Blanco (42°50'20" N. Lat.) thence SW to Black Rock (42°49'24" N. Lat. 124°35'00" W. Long.), thence SSW to Best Rock (42°47'24" N. Lat. 124°35'42" W. Long.), thence SE to 42°40'30" N. Lat. 124°29'00" W. Long., thence to shore (Humbug Mountain).

(b) During the season described in this section (1), it is unlawful to take Chinook salmon less than 26 inches in total length; it is unlawful to use multipoint or barbed hooks or to fish more than four spreads per line; and it is unlawful to have in possession or to land more than 20 Chinook per day taken in this fishery. Landings are restricted to Port Orford.

(2) Chetco River Ocean Terminal Area - from October 9-13 and 16-31[10 through the earlier of October 31] or quota of 300 Chinook in the area described in section (2)(a) of this rule:
(a) The open area is all Pacific Ocean waters inside an area south of the north shore of Twin Rocks (42°05′36″ N. Lat.) to the Oregon/California border (42°00′00″ N. Lat.) and seaward three nautical miles offshore;

(b) During the season described in this section (2) it is unlawful to take Chinook salmon less than 28 inches in total length; it is unlawful to use multipoint or barbed hooks, or to fish more than four spreads per line; and it is unlawful to have in possession or to land more than 5 Chinook per day thereafter taken in this fishery. Landings are restricted to Brookings.

(c) All vessels landing salmon caught in this season must report to ODFW within one hour of delivery or prior to transport away from the port of landing by either calling (541) 867-0300, ext. 252 or by e-mail to kmzor.trollreport@state.or.us. Notification shall include vessel name and number, number of salmon by species, port of landing, location of delivery, and estimated time of delivery.

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Purpose and Scope

(1) The purpose of Division 013 is to provide for management of sport salmon fisheries off the Oregon Coast over which the State has jurisdiction.

(2) This rule incorporates by reference, the annual ocean sport salmon specifications and management measures as adopted by the Pacific Fishery Management Council in its annual Ocean Salmon Management Measures and Impacts, as finalized in April [2016]2017, and in addition to the extent they are consistent with these rules, Code of Federal Regulations (CFR), Title 50, Part 660, Subparts A and H.

(3) This rule also incorporates by reference the Oregon Sport Fishing Regulations.

(4) A copy of the Pacific Fishery Management Council referenced document and the Federal Regulations may be obtained by contacting the Pacific Fishery Management Council at www.pcouncil.org or at 7700 NE Ambassador Place, Suite 101, Portland, OR 97220-1384.

(5) To the extent not preempted by Federal law, these regulations apply within the State of Oregon's Fisheries Conservation Zone (out to fifty miles from shore).
**Special South Coast Seasons**

In addition to the open seasons prescribed in OAR 635-013-0005 there are open seasons for Chinook salmon as follows:

(1) Elk River Area.

(a) From November 1 through November 30 in all Pacific Ocean waters shoreward of a line drawn from Cape Blanco (42°50'20" N. Lat.) thence SW to Black Rock (42°49'24" N. Lat. 124°35'00" W. Long.), thence SSW to Best Rock (42°47'24" N. Lat. 124°35'42" W. Long.), thence SE to 42°40'30" N. Lat. 124°29'00" W. Long., thence to shore (Humbug Mountain);

(b) During the season described for the Elk River Area in section (1)(a) of this rule it is unlawful to take Chinook salmon less than 24 inches in length. Two Chinook salmon per day of which no more than one wild Chinook salmon per day and 10 wild Chinook salmon in the seasonal aggregate when combined with waters of Floras Creek/New River, Sixes River and Elk River. It is unlawful to use multipoint or barbed hooks.

(2) Chetco River Area.

(a) From October 4-8, October 7-8 and 14-15 in an area south of the north shore of Twin Rocks (42°05'36" N. Lat.) to the Oregon/California border (42°00'00" N. Lat.) and seaward three nautical miles offshore.

(b) During the seasons described in section (2)(a) of this rule it is unlawful to take Chinook salmon less than [24]28 inches in length. [Two] One Chinook salmon per day [of which no more than one wild Chinook salmon per day and no more than 5 wild Chinook salmon may be retained during the October 1-3 and October 8-9 season]. It is unlawful to use multipoint or barbed hooks.

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