



ODFW INDUSTRY NOTICE TO COMMERCIAL GROUND FISH FISHERS AND PROCESSORS

June 26, 2019

Commercial Nearshore Regulations Effective July 5, 2019

This notice details two-month cumulative trip limits for Periods 4-6 in 2019. Landings of Black Rockfish and Other Nearshore Rockfish are running low. Trip limit increases for remaining 2019 periods are underlined below. These increases will allow additional opportunity to attain larger portions of state harvest guidelines. ODFW will continue to track landings in-season and make additional adjustments as needed.

2-Month Cumulative Trip Limits – No vessel may land more than the following amounts:

For vessels with a Black Rockfish and Blue Rockfish Permit *WITH* or *WITHOUT* a Nearshore Endorsement

- **Black Rockfish**
 - **Period 1, January-February:** 1,500 pounds
 - **Period 2, March-April:** 1,500 pounds
 - **Period 3, May-June:** 1,800 pounds
 - **Period 4, July-August:** **2,400 pounds – this is a 600 pound increase**
 - **Period 5, September-October:** **2,100 pounds – this is a 600 pound increase**
 - **Period 6, November-December:** **2,100 pounds – this is a 600 pound increase**
- **Blue & Deacon Rockfish combined:** 1,500 pounds per period

For vessels with a Black Rockfish and Blue Rockfish Permit *WITHOUT* a Nearshore Endorsement

- **All other Nearshore Fish species combined:** 15 pounds per day, not to exceed 25% of total landing by weight or cumulative trip limits for permits with a Nearshore Endorsement (below).

For vessels with a Black Rockfish and Blue Rockfish Permit *WITH* a Nearshore Endorsement

- **Other Nearshore Rockfish combined:** **600 pounds per period – this is a 150 pound increase**
- **Cabezon:** 1,000 pounds per period
- **Greenling:** 1,000 pounds per period

Complete current Oregon Administrative Rules can be found at <http://www.dfw.state.or.us/OARs>. Click *COMMERCIAL FISHERIES OTHER THAN SALMON OR SHELLFISH* for OAR 635-004-0270 through 635-004-0365.

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