

Selective Flatfish Trawl EFP: *Monitoring and Minimizing Salmon Bycatch When Targeting Rockfish in the Shorebased IFQ Fishery*

APRIL 2017 PROGRESS REPORT

EFP Permits Issued: February 24, 2017

Number of Vessels: 32 enrolled

As of March 29, 2017, two vessels have landed fish in the Selective Flatfish Trawl EFP, landing just under 90,000 pounds of rockfish in total (mostly widow rockfish). No Chinook salmon, coho salmon, eulachon, or green sturgeon have been caught on any EFP trips to date.

Additional information will be provided at the June 2017 Council meeting.