

Pacific Whiting Fishery Summary, All Sectors, 2007

	Tribal		Mothership	Catcher/ Processors	Shore-Based		TOTAL WOC
	Mothership	Shoreside			EFP ¹	Non-EFP	
<i>Whiting allocation</i>	32,500		49,942	70,751 ²	87,398		240,591 ³
ROUNDFISH (mt)							
Pacific whiting	5,167	25,010	47,809	73,263	72,751	529	224,529
Pacific cod	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.02		0.02
Lingcod	1.01	1.29	4.26	0.95	5.01		12.52
Sablefish	0.00	0.00	0.09	3.05	9.04		12.18
FLATFISH (mt)							
Dover sole	0.00	0.00	0.02	0.04	0.16		0.22
English sole	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.06		0.06
Petrale sole	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.00	0.03		0.04
Arrowtooth	0.48	2.85	0.67	1.85	2.85		8.70
Starry flounder	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Other flatfish	0.01	0.01	0.10	0.16	0.97		1.25
ROCKFISH (mt)							
POP	0.38	0.17	0.73	2.92	23.14		27.34
Shortbelly	0.00		0.01	0.00	0.00		0.01
Widow	0.06	1.96	72.99	72.77	88.97		236.75
Canary	0.03	0.92	1.62	0.35	2.01		4.93
Chilipepper	0.00		0.32	0.00	5.59		5.91
Splitnose	0.00		1.75	0.43	⁴		2.18
Yellowtail	10.30	72.47	40.31	29.02	184.35	1.8	338.25
Shortspine thornyhead	0.00	0.00	0.07	2.66	0.21		2.94
Longspine thornyhead	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00		0.00
Darkblotched	0.00	0.00	6.73	5.28	0.95		12.96
Yelloweye	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.01	0.04		0.05
Black	0.00		0.00	0.00	0.94		0.94
All other rockfish	0.90	0.81	4.17	27.69 ⁵	19.81		53.38
REMAINING GROUND FISH							
Spiny Dogfish	68.53	21.58	22.94	63.24	51.38	0.01	227.68
All other groundfish	0.24	0.00	1.09	0.69	0.13		2.15
PROHIBITED SPECIES (numbers)							
Chinook salmon	710	1,690	591	733	2,462		6,186
Coho salmon	9	98	139	88	141		475
Chum salmon	0	8	97	73	113		291
Pink salmon	0	513	16	19	47		595
Sockeye salmon	0	0	0	0	0		0
Steelhead	0	0	0	0	0		0
Pacific Halibut	5	153	51	50	44		303
Dungeness crab	0		45	1	289		335
NON-GROUND FISH SPECIES (mt)							
American shad	8.94	6.63	3.58	1.95	14.42		35.52
Pacific herring	0.01		0.03	0.01	0.03		0.08
Squid (unidentified)	0.01	0.16	7.64	58.36	166.72		232.89
Jack Mackerel	0.05	0.63	0.04	0.28	7.07		8.07
Pacific Mackerel	0.00		0.14	0.00	4.18		4.32
Pacific Sardine	0.00	0.00	0.33	0.08	1.93		2.34
All other non-groundfish	0.19		3.44	47.17 ⁶	3.40		54.20

¹ Weights include estimates of catch that was dumped at-sea

² 6,000 mt of shore-based whiting allocation was reapportioned to the catcher/processor sector on November 28, 2007 (72 FR 72630, December 21, 2007), resulting in revised allocations of the shore-based and catcher/processor allocations.

³ 2,000 mt was deducted from the OY for research and bycatch in non-groundfish fisheries.

⁴ Species specific weights were not available for splitnose rockfish from all states, therefore it has been included within all other rockfish.

⁵ 27.17 mt of all other rockfish taken by catcher/processors was rougheye rockfish

⁶ The dominant species by weight were ragfish, brown cat shark, Pacific sleeper shark, salmon shark, and king-of-the-salmon

Chinook Salmon Catch in the Commercial and Tribal Pacific Whiting Fisheries, 1998-2007

	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005	2006	2007
MOTHERSHIP										
Chinook (number)	966	1,687	4,421	1,721	709	2,078	417	2,206	1,080	591
Whiting (mt)	50,087	47,580	46,840	35,823	26,593	26,021	24,102	48,571	55,355	47,809
Rate: (# Chinook/mt whiting)	0.0193	0.0355	0.0944	0.048	0.2269	0.0798	0.0173	0.045	0.0195	0.0124
CATCHER/PROCESSOR										
Chinook (number)	511	2,704	1,839	847	970	570	388	1,754	112	733
Whiting (mt)	70,365	67,679	67,815	58,628	36,341	41,214	73,175	78,890	78,864	73,263
Rate: (# Chinook/mt whiting)	0.0073	0.04	0.0271	0.0144	0.0265	0.0138	0.0053	0.0222	0.0014	0.0100
TRIBAL-AT-SEA										
Chinook (number)	2,085	4,497	1,947	959	1,018	3,430	3,690	3,862	652	710
Whiting (mt)	24,509	25,844	6,251	6,080	21,793	19,375	23,313	23,419	5,545	5,167
Rate: (# Chinook/mt whiting)	0.0851	0.174	0.3115	0.1577	0.0467	0.177	0.1583	0.1649	0.1176	0.1374
TRIBAL- SHORESIDE										
Chinook (number)	na	na	na	na	na	9	50	76	1,271	1,690
Whiting (mt)	na	na	na	na	na	4,079	5,335	10,938	29,896	25,010
Rate: (# Chinook/mt whiting)	na	na	na	na	na	0.0021	0.0094	0.0069	0.0425	0.0676
SHORE-BASED¹										
Chinook (number)	1,699	1,696	3,306	2,627	1,062	425	4,206	4,018	839	2,462
Whiting (mt)	87,627	83,388	85,563	73,326	45,276	51,061	89,670	97,378	96,619	72,751
Rate: (# Chinook/mt whiting)	0.0194	0.0203	0.0386	0.0358	0.0235	0.0083	0.0469	0.0413	0.0087	0.0339
ALL FISHERIES TOTAL										
Chinook (number)	5,261	10,584	11,513	6,154	3,759	6,512	8,751	11,916	3,954	6,186
Whiting (mt)	232,588	224,453	206,471	173,857	130,003	141,885	215,176	259,196	266,279	224,000
Rate: (# Chinook/mt whiting)	0.0226	0.0472	0.0558	0.0354	0.0289	0.0459	0.0409	0.0460	0.0148	0.0276

¹ 2002 shore-based landings do not include 432 mt of whiting or salmon taken by non-EFP vessels
2003 shore-based landings do not include 195 mt of whiting or salmon taken by non-EFP vessels
2004 shore-based landings do not include 1,644 mt of whiting or salmon taken by non-EFP vessels
2005 shore-based landings do not include 310 mt of whiting or salmon taken by non-EFP vessels
2006 shore-based landings do not include 678 mt of whiting or salmon taken by non-EFP vessels
2007 shore-based landings do not include 529 mt of whiting or salmon taken by non-EFP vessels