

beginning of the next seasonal allowance.

TABLE 5.—2003 GEAR SHARES AND SEASONAL APPORTIONMENTS OF THE BSAI PACIFIC COD TAC
[Amounts are in mt]

Gear sector	Percent	Share of gear sector total (mt)	Subtotal percentages for gear sectors	Share of gear sector total (mt)	Seasonal apportionment ¹	
					Date	Amount (mt)
<i>Total hook-and-line and pot gear allocation of Pacific cod TAC.</i>	51	97,888	.....	.....	.....	.....
Incidental Catch Allowance	500	.....	.....
Catcher/Processor and Catcher Vessel sub-total	97,388	.....	.....	.....	.....
Hook-and-line	80	77,911	Jan 1–Jun 10	46,747
Catcher/Processors	Jun 10–Dec 31 ..	31,164
Hook-and-line	0.3	292	Jan 1–Jun 10	175
Catcher Vessels	Jun 10–Dec 31 ..	117
Pot Gear Vessels	18.3	17,822	Jan 1–Jun 10	10,693
.....	Sept 1–Dec 31 ..	7,129
Catcher Vessels < 60 feet LOA using hook-and-line or pot gear.	1.4	1,363	.....	.....
<i>Trawl gear total</i>	47	90,211	.....	.....	.....	.....
Trawl Catcher Vessel	50	45,105	Jan 20–Apr 1	31,574
.....	Apr 1–Jun 10	4,510
.....	Jun 10–Nov 1	9,021
Trawl Catcher/Processor	50	45,105	Jan 20–Apr 1	22,553
.....	Apr 1–Jun 10	13,531
.....	Jun 10–Nov 1	9,021
<i>Jig</i>	2	3,839	.....	.....	Jan 1–Jun 10	2,303
.....	Jun 10–Dec 31 ..	1,536
<i>Total</i>	100	191,938	.....	.....	.....	.....

¹ For non-trawl gear the first season is allocated 60 percent of the TAC and the second season is allocated 40 percent of the TAC. No seasonal harvest constraints are imposed for the Pacific cod fishery by catcher vessels less than 60 feet (18.3 m) LOA using hook-and-line or pot gear. For trawl gear, the first season is allocated 60 percent of the TAC and the second and third seasons are each allocated 20 percent of the TAC. The trawl catcher vessels' allocation is further allocated as 70 percent in the first season, 10 percent in the second season and 20 percent in the third season. The trawl catcher/processors' allocation is allocated 50 percent in the first season, 30 percent in the second season and 20 percent in the third season. Any unused portion of a seasonal Pacific cod allowance will be reapportioned to the next seasonal allowance.

Allocation of the Shortraker and Roughey Rockfish TAC

Under § 679.20(a)(9), the ITAC of shortraker rockfish and roughey rockfish specified for the Aleutian Islands subarea is allocated 30 percent to vessels using non-trawl gear and 70 percent to vessels using trawl gear. Based on the 2003 ITAC and the reserve apportionment which together total 768 mt, the trawl allocation is 538 mt and the non-trawl allocation is 230 mt.

Sablefish Gear Allocation

Regulations at § 679.20(a)(4)(iii) and (iv) require that sablefish TACs for subareas of the BSAI be allocated between trawl and hook-and-line or pot gear. Gear allocations of TACs for the Bering Sea subarea are 50 percent for trawl gear and 50 percent for hook-and-line/pot gear and for the Aleutian Islands subarea are 25 percent for trawl gear and 75 percent for hook-and-line/pot gear. Regulations at

§ 679.20(b)(1)(iii)(B) require that 20 percent of the hook-and-line and pot gear allocation of sablefish be apportioned to the CDQ reserve. Additionally, regulations at § 679.20(b)(1)(iii)(A) require that 7.5 percent of the trawl gear allocation of sablefish (one half of the reserve) be apportioned to the CDQ reserve. Gear allocations of the sablefish TAC and CDQ reserve amounts are specified in Table 6.

TABLE 6.—2003 GEAR SHARES AND CDQ RESERVE OF BSAI SABLEFISH TACS
[Amounts are in mt]

Subarea and gear	Percent of TAC	Share of TAC (mt)	ITAC (mt) ¹	CDQ reserve
Bering Sea subarea:				
Trawl ²	50	1,450	1,233	109
Hook-and-line/pot gear ³	50	1,450	N/A	290
Total	100	2,900	1,233	399
Aleutian Islands subarea:				
Trawl ²	25	775	659	58
Hook-and-line/pot gear ³	75	2,325	N/A	465