FISHERIES AND OCEANS CANADA

SOUTH COAST ASSESSMENT BULLETIN

CREEL SURVEY DATA REVIEW PACKAGE

Area 14 May 2021



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Saturday 5th February, 2022

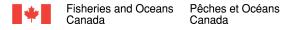




Table 1: Numbers of Interviews conducted contributing to the area by day and access site.

| | | Big Roc Ren | | Comox | Mun | Discov- ery Marina South | French Ck | | Kitty Coleman | McDon- ald Beach | Pacific Play | Schooner | |
|-------------|----------|----------------|----|-------|-----|-----------------------------------|-----------|----|------------------|---------------------|-----------------|----------|----|
| Date | Day Type | AM | PM | AM | PM | PM | AM | PM | PM | AM | PM | AM | PM |
| 28 Apr 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 29 Apr 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 30 Apr 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 01 May 2021 | Weekend | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 02 May 2021 | Weekend | | | 9 | | | | | | | | | |
| 03 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 04 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 05 May 2021 | Midweek | | 1 | | 10 | | 8 | | | | | | |
| 06 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 07 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | |
| 08 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | |
| 09 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | 1 | 3 | | 4 |
| 10 May 2021 | Midweek | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 12 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 13 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 14 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | | | 8 | | | | | | |
| 16 May 2021 | Weekend | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 17 May 2021 | Midweek | | | 2 | | | | | | | | 1 | |
| 18 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 19 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 20 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | |
| 21 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | 21 | 1 | | 1 | | |
| 22 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | 11 | | | | | | | | |
| 23 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | | 1 | | | | | 1 | | |
| 24 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 26 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 27 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 28 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 29 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| 30 May 2021 | Weekend | | | 6 | | | 5 | | | | | | |
| 31 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | 7 | | | | | |
| 01 Jun 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 02 Jun 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| 03 Jun 2021 | Midweek | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |

Table 2: Daily tally of interviews, catch and effort.

| Date | Day | Average Fishing Conditions | Interviews & Log Trips | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | Observed Fishing | Flight Time | Expanded Fishing |
|-------------|----------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|---------|------|---------|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| 28-Apr-2021 | Wednesday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 29-Apr-2021 | Thursday | | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 30-Apr-2021 | Friday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 01-May-2021 | Saturday | calm/rippled | 2 | | | | | 32 | 1300 | 89 |
| 02-May-2021 | Sunday | choppy | 10 | | | | | | | |
| 03-May-2021 | Monday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 04-May-2021 | Tuesday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 05-May-2021 | Wednesday | calm/rippled | 21 | | | | | 22 | 1246 | 45 |
| 06-May-2021 | Thursday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 07-May-2021 | Friday | choppy | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 08-May-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 3 | | | | | | | |
| 09-May-2021 | Sunday | calm/rippled | 9 | | | | | 25 | 1241 | 58 |
| 10-May-2021 | Monday | choppy | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 11-May-2021 | Tuesday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 12-May-2021 | Wednesday | | 4 | | | | | | | |
| 13-May-2021 | Thursday | | 0 | | | | | 9 | 1243 | 18 |
| 14-May-2021 | Friday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 15-May-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 8 | | | | | | | |
| 16-May-2021 | Sunday | calm/rippled | 2 | | | | | 20 | 1258 | 55 |
| 17-May-2021 | Monday | choppy | 3 | | | | | | | |
| 18-May-2021 | Tuesday | | 0 | | | | | 0 | 1248 | 0 |
| 19-May-2021 | Wednesday | | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 20-May-2021 | Thursday | frequent | 1 | | | | | | | |
| | | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 21-May-2021 | Friday | calm/rippled | 23 | | | | | | | |
| 22-May-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 11 | | | | | | | |
| 23-May-2021 | Sunday | choppy | 2 | | | | | 24 | 1252 | 57 |
| 24-May-2021 | Monday | | 2 | | | | | | | |
| | (Victoria Day) | | | | | | | | | |
| 25-May-2021 | Tuesday | | 3 | | | | | | | |
| 26-May-2021 | Wednesday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 27-May-2021 | Thursday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 28-May-2021 | Friday | | 0 | | | | | 7 | 1253 | 14 |
| 29-May-2021 | Saturday | calm/rippled | 4 | | | | 1 | | | |
| 30-May-2021 | Sunday | calm/rippled | 11 | | | | | | | |
| 31-May-2021 | Monday | calm/rippled | 7 | | | | | | | |
| 01-Jun-2021 | Tuesday | | 0 | | | | | 31 | 1253 | 66 |
| 02-Jun-2021 | Wednesday | calm/rippled | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 03-Jun-2021 | Thursday | calm/rippled | 3 | | | | | | | |
| | Totals | choppy | 67 | | | | | 10* | | 19* |
| | Totals | choppy | 64 | | | | 1 | 25 [*] | | 65 [*] |

^{*} Average number of boats Observed and Expanded

Table 3: Simple area based cpue (catch per boat trip) expansion.

| | | | | | CPUE | | | | Retained | | | | | |
|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|------|---------|---------|---------|----------|---------|---------|--|--|--|
| Day Type | Average | Number of | Total | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | | | |
| | Expanded | Days | Estimated | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Boats | | Effort | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Midweek | 19 | 20 | 380 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Weekend | 65 | 11 | 715 | | | | 0.016 | | | | 11 | | | |

Table 4: Recent years estimates of retained catch and effort.

| Year | Month | Total Effort | Chinook Kept | Coho Kept | Sockeye Kept | Halibut Kept |
|----------|-------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| 2016 | May | 3169 | 1328 | 93 | | |
| 2017 | May | 2503 | 1728 | 8 | | |
| 2018 | May | 2263 | 3334 | 23 | | |
| 2019 | May | 747 | 4 | 0 | | 0 |
| 2020 | May | 1033 | | | | |
| 2021 | May | 1501 | 0 | 0 | | 10 |
| 5-Yr Avg | May | 1943 | 1599 | 31 | | 0 |

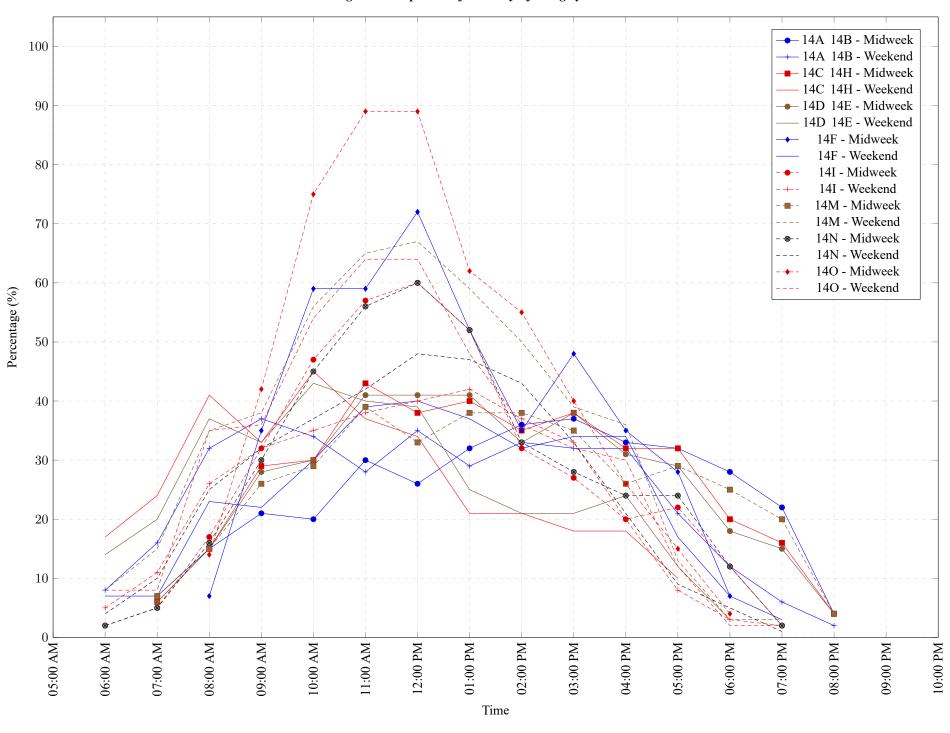
Table 5: Sport Head Recovery Review.

| Species | Creel Creel | Creel | iRec iRec | iRec | Sport Head |
|---------|-------------|------------|-------------|------------|------------|
| | Marked Mark | Submission | Marked Mark | Submission | Recoveries |
| | Catch Rate | Rate | Catch Rate | Rate | |

Table 6: Guided Proprtions Review.

| Data Source | Interviews / Angler Days | Guided Proportion |
|-------------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Creel Interivews iRec Anglers | 131 1043 | 1% 2% |

Figure 1: Proportion of each day's fishing by hour.



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Table 7: Proportion of each day's fishing by hour.

| Areas | Day Type | 6:00 AM | 7:00 AM | 8:00 AM | 9:00 AM | 10:00 AM | 11:00 AM | 12:00 PM | 01:00 PM | 02:00 PM | 03:00 PM | 04:00 PM | 05:00 PM | 06:00 PM | 07:00 PM | 08:00 PM | 09:00 PM | 10:00 PM |
|---------|----------|------------|------------|------------|------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| | | 7 11/1 | 7 1111 | 7 1111 | 7 1111 | 7 11/1 | 7 1111 | 1 171 | 1 171 | 1 141 | 1 171 | 1 171 | 1 171 | 1 1/1 | 1 1/1 | 1 1/1 | 1 1/1 | 1 1/1 |
| 14A 14B | Midweek | 0% | 7% | 15% | 21% | 20% | 30% | 26% | 32% | 36% | 37% | 33% | 32% | 28% | 22% | 4% | 0% | 0% |
| 14A 14B | Weekend | 8% | 16% | 32% | 37% | 34% | 28% | 35% | 29% | 33% | 32% | 32% | 21% | 12% | 6% | 2% | 0% | 0% |
| 14C 14H | Midweek | 0% | 6% | 15% | 29% | 30% | 43% | 38% | 40% | 35% | 38% | 32% | 32% | 20% | 16% | 4% | 0% | 0% |
| 14C 14H | Weekend | 17% | 24% | 41% | 33% | 45% | 37% | 34% | 21% | 21% | 18% | 18% | 10% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14D 14E | Midweek | 0% | 6% | 15% | 28% | 30% | 41% | 41% | 41% | 33% | 38% | 31% | 29% | 18% | 15% | 4% | 0% | 0% |
| 14D 14E | Weekend | 14% | 20% | 37% | 33% | 43% | 40% | 39% | 25% | 21% | 21% | 24% | 12% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14F | Midweek | 0% | 0% | 7% | 35% | 59% | 59% | 72% | 52% | 35% | 48% | 35% | 28% | 7% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14F | Weekend | 7% | 7% | 23% | 22% | 30% | 39% | 40% | 37% | 32% | 34% | 34% | 17% | 7% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14I | Midweek | 2% | 5% | 17% | 32% | 47% | 57% | 60% | 52% | 32% | 27% | 20% | 22% | 12% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14I | Weekend | 5% | 11% | 26% | 32% | 35% | 38% | 40% | 42% | 37% | 33% | 20% | 8% | 3% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14M | Midweek | 0% | 7% | 15% | 26% | 29% | 39% | 33% | 38% | 38% | 35% | 26% | 29% | 25% | 20% | 4% | 0% | 0% |
| 14M | Weekend | 8% | 15% | 35% | 38% | 56% | 65% | 67% | 59% | 50% | 39% | 36% | 13% | 3% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14N | Midweek | 2% | 5% | 16% | 30% | 45% | 56% | 60% | 52% | 33% | 28% | 24% | 24% | 12% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 14N | Weekend | 4% | 10% | 25% | 32% | 37% | 42% | 48% | 47% | 43% | 33% | 21% | 9% | 5% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 140 | Midweek | 0% | 0% | 14% | 42% | 75% | 89% | 89% | 62% | 55% | 40% | 26% | 15% | 4% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 140 | Weekend | 8% | 8% | 35% | 36% | 54% | 64% | 64% | 48% | 36% | 32% | 30% | 12% | 2% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% |

Table 8: Daily Fishing Conditions.

| Date | Day Type | Big Rock Boat Rental | Comox Mun | Discovery Marina South | French Ck | Kitty Coleman | McDonald Beach | Pacific Play | Schooner |
|-------------|----------|-------------------------|--------------|------------------------------|--------------------|------------------|-------------------|--------------|----------|
| 28 Apr 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 29 Apr 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 30 Apr 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 01 May 2021 | Weekend | calm/rippled | | | | | | | |
| 02 May 2021 | Weekend | 11 | choppy | | | | | | |
| 03 May 2021 | Midweek | | 110 | | | | | | |
| 04 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 05 May 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | calm/rippled | | choppy | | | | |
| 06 May 2021 | Midweek | 11 | 11 | | 113 | | | | |
| 07 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | choppy | |
| 08 May 2021 | Weekend | | choppy | | | | | 113 | |
| 09 May 2021 | Weekend | | 113 | | | | choppy | calm/rippled | choppy |
| 10 May 2021 | Midweek | | choppy | | | | 117 | | 117 |
| 11 May 2021 | Midweek | | 117 | | | | | | |
| 12 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 13 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 14 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 15 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | choppy | | | | |
| 16 May 2021 | Weekend | calm/rippled | | | 117 | | | | |
| 17 May 2021 | Midweek | ** | choppy | | | | | | choppy |
| 18 May 2021 | Midweek | | *** | | | | | | *** |
| 19 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 20 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | frequent whitecaps | | | | |
| 21 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | calm/rippled | calm/rippled | | calm/rippled | |
| 22 May 2021 | Weekend | | choppy | | | | | | |
| 23 May 2021 | Weekend | | | calm/rippled | | | | choppy | |
| 24 May 2021 | Weekend | | | FF | | | | FFJ | |
| 25 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 26 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 27 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 28 May 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | |
| 29 May 2021 | Weekend | | | | | calm/rippled | | | |
| 30 May 2021 | Weekend | | calm/rippled | | calm/rippled | 11 | | | |
| 31 May 2021 | Midweek | | 11 | | calm/rippled | | | | |
| 01 Jun 2021 | Midweek | | | | 11 | | | | |
| 02 Jun 2021 | Midweek | | | | | calm/rippled | | | |
| 03 Jun 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | | | | 11 | | | |