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South Coast Assessment Bulletin

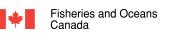
CREEL SURVEY DATA REVIEW PACKAGE





Prepared By: South Coast Salmon Stock Assessment Section

Thursday 19th January, 2023



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| | | C | hina Creek | | Clutesi Marina | Clutesi | Ramp | Eagle N (Fuel I | | Island | West | МсКау | / Bay Gas D | ock | Mi | lls Landing | | Poett | Nook | Tyee Landing (Fuel | Uclu | elet Gov Do | ck |
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| Date | Day Type | AM | MD | PM | AM | AM | MD | MD | PM | AM | MD | AM | MD | PM | AM | MD | PM | AM | MD | Dock) AM | AM | MD | PM |
| 29 Jul 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 8 | | | | | | | 5 | | | | | |
| 30 Jul 2021 | Midweek | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | 4 | |
| 31 Jul 2021 | Weekend | 3 | | | | 5 | | | | | | | | 16 | | | | | | | | 12 | |
| 01 Aug 2021 | Weekend | 3 | | | | | 16 | | | | | | | | | | | | 24 | | | 9 | |
| 02 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | | | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 6 | |
| 03 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | 3 | | |
| 04 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 05 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 06 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | |
| 07 Aug 2021 | Weekend | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | 3 | | | | | 11 | | | | | | 2 | |
| 08 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | | | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | | | | | |
| 09 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | 4 | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | | | |
| 10 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | 1 | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | |
| 11 Aug 2021 | Midweek | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | 8 | |
| 12 Aug 2021 | Midweek | 3 | | | | | | | | | | 10 | | | | | | | | | | | 4 |
| 13 Aug 2021 | Midweek | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | 3 | | |
| 14 Aug 2021 | Weekend | 1 | | | | 1 | | 1 | | | | | 19 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 Aug 2021 | Weekend | 1 | | | | | | | 2 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | |
| 16 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | - | |
| 17 Aug 2021 | Midweek | 1 | | 2 | | 7 | | | | | (| | | | | | | | | | | / | |
| 18 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | 3 | | / | | | | | 0 | | | | 4 | | | | | | | 12 | |
| 19 Aug 2021 20 Aug 2021 | Midweek Midweek | | 1 | | | 6 | | | | | | 11 | | | 4 | | | | | | | 12 | |
| 20 Aug 2021 21 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | 1 | | | 0 | | | 1 | | | 11 | | | | 8 | | | | | | , | _ |
| 21 Aug 2021 22 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 0 | | | | | | 10 | |
| 23 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | 5 | | | | | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | 10 | |
| 24 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | 5 | | | | | 0 | | | 22 | | | | | | | | 12 | |
| 25 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 7 | | | | | | | |
| 26 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | 4 | 1 | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | ' | | | | | | | |
| 27 Aug 2021 | Midweek | 1 | | | 2 | | | | | | • | | 18 | | | | | | | | | 9 | |
| 28 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | | _ | 1 | | | | | 1 | | 17 | | | | | | | | | | 1 |
| 29 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

Weekend

Midweek

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28 Aug 2021 29 Aug 2021 30 Aug 2021 31 Aug 2021 01 Sep 2021

02 Sep 2021

03 Sep 2021

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| Date | Day | Average Fishing Conditions | Interviews & Log Trips | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | Observed Fishing | Flight Time | Expanded Fishing |
|-------------|--------------|----------------------------------|---------------------------|------------|------|---------|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| 29-Jul-2021 | Thursday | choppy | 17 | 14 | 9 | | | | | |
| 30-Jul-2021 | Friday | calm/rippled | 10 | 6 | 3 | | | | | |
| 31-Jul-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 40 | 46 | 17 | | | 147 | 0958 | 187 |
| 01-Aug-2021 | Sunday | frequent | 55 | 42 | 23 | | | 8 | 1337 | 23 |
| | | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 02-Aug-2021 | Monday (B.C. | choppy | 16 | 15 | 5 | | | | | |
| | Day) | | | | | | | | | |
| 03-Aug-2021 | Tuesday | choppy | 12 | 14 | 1 | | | 84 | 1146 | 179 |
| 04-Aug-2021 | Wednesday | choppy | 19 | 19 | 2 | | | | | |
| 05-Aug-2021 | Thursday | calm/rippled | 3 | 5 | 4 | | | | | |
| 06-Aug-2021 | Friday | calm/rippled | 7 | 8 | | | | | | |
| 07-Aug-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 22 | 28 | 25 | | | | | |
| 08-Aug-2021 | Sunday | calm/rippled | 22 | 29 | 13 | | | 183 | 0726 | 246 |
| 09-Aug-2021 | Monday | calm/rippled | 8 | 13 | 8 | | | | | |
| 10-Aug-2021 | Tuesday | calm/rippled | 20 | 16 | 7 | | | | | |
| 11-Aug-2021 | Wednesday | choppy | 14 | 25 | 20 | | | 157 | 0726 | 217 |
| 12-Aug-2021 | Thursday | calm/rippled | 23 | 34 | 4 | | | | | |
| 13-Aug-2021 | Friday | calm/rippled | 8 | 7 | 5 | | | | | |
| 14-Aug-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 23 | 18 | 6 | | | 187 | 0934 | 229 |
| 15-Aug-2021 | Sunday | calm/rippled | 5 | 3 | 2 | | | | | |
| 16-Aug-2021 | Monday | choppy | 6 | 13 | 3 | | | | | |
| 17-Aug-2021 | Tuesday | choppy | 18 | 32 | 5 | | | 208 | 0859 | 280 |
| 18-Aug-2021 | Wednesday | choppy | 23 | 49 | 14 | | | | | |
| 19-Aug-2021 | Thursday | frequent | 22 | 42 | 18 | | | | | |
| | | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 20-Aug-2021 | Friday | choppy | 31 | 88 | 10 | | | | | |
| 21-Aug-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 12 | 28 | 7 | | | | | |
| 22-Aug-2021 | Sunday | choppy | 11 | 14 | 7 | | | 244 | 0728 | 325 |
| 23-Aug-2021 | Monday | choppy | 34 | 80 | 5 | | | | | |
| 24-Aug-2021 | Tuesday | calm/rippled | 22 | 43 | 3 | | | 180 | 0728 | 247 |
| 25-Aug-2021 | Wednesday | choppy | 16 | 54 | 4 | | | | | |
| 26-Aug-2021 | Thursday | choppy | 9 | 13 | 2 | | | | | |
| 27-Aug-2021 | Friday | calm/rippled | 37 | 67 | 7 | | | | | |
| 28-Aug-2021 | Saturday | choppy | 25 | 48 | 6 | | | | | |
| 29-Aug-2021 | Sunday | choppy | 9 | 18 | | | | | | |
| 30-Aug-2021 | Monday | frequent | 18 | 32 | 4 | | | | | |
| 21 4 2021 | T 1 | whitecaps | 20 | 5 0 | 0 | | | 110 | 0.720 | 164 |
| 31-Aug-2021 | Tuesday | frequent | 29 | 58 | 8 | | | 119 | 0729 | 164 |
| 01.0 0001 | XX7 1 1 | whitecaps | 12 | 20 | | | | | | |
| 01-Sep-2021 | Wednesday | choppy | 13 | 30 | 4 | | | 100 | 0520 | 1.00 |
| 02-Sep-2021 | Thursday | calm/rippled | 2 | 3 | 1 | | | 122 | 0730 | 168 |
| 03-Sep-2021 | Friday | choppy | 22 | 12 | 6 | | | 1.5.0* | | 017* |
| | Totals | choppy | 379 | 712 | 134 | | | 150* | | 217* |
| | Totals | choppy | 200 | 243 | 94 | | | 156* | | 206* |

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

* Average number of boats Observed and Expanded

| | | | | | CPUE | | | | | Retained | | | | |
|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-------|---------|---------|---------|------|----------|---------|--|--|--|
| Day Type | Average | Number of | Total | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | | | |
| | Expanded | Days | Estimated | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Boats | | Effort | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Midweek | 217 | 21 | 4557 | 1.879 | 0.354 | | | 8563 | 1613 | | | | | |
| Weekend | 206 | 10 | 2060 | 1.215 | 0.47 | | | 2503 | 968 | | | | | |

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

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

| Year | Month | Total Effort | Chinook Kept | Coho Kept | Sockeye Kept | Halibut Kept |
|----------|--------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| 2016 | August | 5830 | 4975 | 3378 | 224 | 3 |
| 2017 | August | 7350 | 6202 | 1807 | 3 | 277 |
| 2018 | August | 6703 | 6760 | 2877 | 94 | |
| 2019 | August | 7114 | 6830 | 4400 | | 91 |
| 2020 | August | 5499 | 6816 | 1288 | | 18 |
| 2021 | August | 6869 | 11005 | 2782 | 0 | 0 |
| 5-Yr Avg | August | 6499 | 6317 | 2750 | 107 | 97 |

Table 5: Sport Head Recovery Review.

| Species | Creel Marked Catch | | Creel Submission Rate | iRec Marked Catch | iRec Mark Rate | iRec Submission Rate | Sport Head Recoveries |
|---------|--------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|-------------------------|----------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Coho | 996 | 41% | 9% | 2280 | 65% | 4% | 93 |
| Chinook | 1163 | 15% | 16% | 2946 | 27% | 6% | 190 |

Table 6: Guided Proprtions Review.

| Data Source | Interviews / Angler Days | Guided Proportion |
|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Creel Interivews | 578 | 23% |
| iRec Anglers | 15448 | 13% |



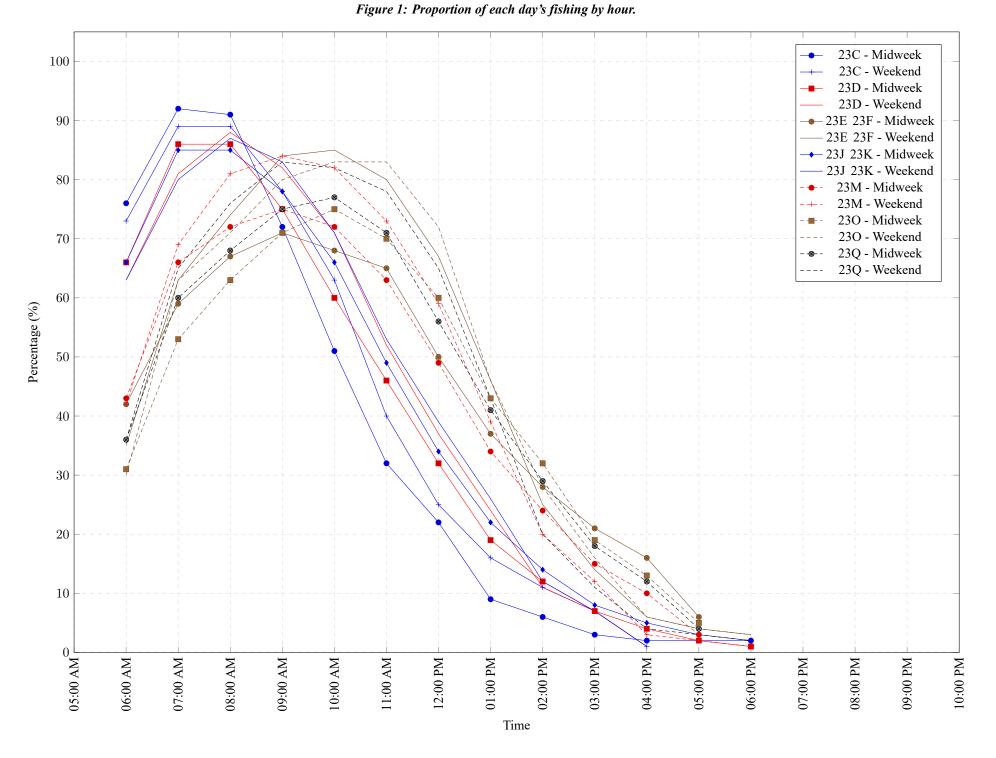


Table 7: Proportion of each day's fishing by hour.

| Areas | Day Type | 6:00 | 7:00 | 8:00 | 9:00 | 10:00 | 11.00 | 12:00 | 01.00 | 02:00 | 03:00 | 04:00 | 05:00 | 06:00 | 07:00 | 08:00 | 09:00 | 10:00 |
|---------|----------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| 7 Hous | Day Type | AM | AM | AM | AM | AM | AM | PM |
| 23C | Midweek | 76% | 92% | 91% | 72% | 51% | 32% | 22% | 9% | 6% | 3% | 2% | 2% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23C | Weekend | 73% | 89% | 89% | 78% | 63% | 40% | 25% | 16% | 11% | 7% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23D | Midweek | 66% | 86% | 86% | 75% | 60% | 46% | 32% | 19% | 12% | 7% | 4% | 2% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23D | Weekend | 63% | 81% | 88% | 82% | 71% | 52% | 37% | 24% | 11% | 7% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23E 23F | Midweek | 42% | 59% | 67% | 71% | 68% | 65% | 50% | 37% | 28% | 21% | 16% | 6% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23E 23F | Weekend | 35% | 63% | 74% | 84% | 85% | 80% | 67% | 46% | 25% | 14% | 6% | 4% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23J 23K | Midweek | 66% | 85% | 85% | 78% | 66% | 49% | 34% | 22% | 14% | 8% | 5% | 3% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23J 23K | Weekend | 63% | 80% | 87% | 83% | 71% | 53% | 39% | 26% | 12% | 7% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23M | Midweek | 43% | 66% | 72% | 75% | 72% | 63% | 49% | 34% | 24% | 15% | 10% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23M | Weekend | 42% | 69% | 81% | 84% | 82% | 73% | 59% | 39% | 20% | 12% | 3% | 2% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 230 | Midweek | 31% | 53% | 63% | 71% | 75% | 70% | 60% | 43% | 32% | 19% | 13% | 5% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 230 | Weekend | 30% | 63% | 71% | 80% | 83% | 83% | 72% | 46% | 28% | 16% | 6% | 4% | 3% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23Q | Midweek | 36% | 60% | 68% | 75% | 77% | 71% | 56% | 41% | 29% | 18% | 12% | 4% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 23Q | Weekend | 36% | 65% | 76% | 83% | 82% | 78% | 65% | 43% | 20% | 11% | 4% | 3% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |

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Table 8: Daily Fishing Conditions.

| Date | Day Type | China Creek | Clutesi | Clutesi | Eagle | Island West | McKay Bay | Mills | Poett Nook | Tyee | Ucluelet |
|---------------|--------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|---------------------------------------|--------------|--------------|--------------|-----------------------|------------------------|-----------------------|
| | | | Marina | Ramp | Marine (Fuel Dock) | | Gas Dock | Landing | | Landing (Fuel Dock) | Gov Dock |
| | | | | | Dock) | | | | | (Fuel Dock) | |
| 29 Jul 2021 | Midweek | | | | | frequent | | | calm/rippled | | |
| 20 X 1 2021 | | | | | | whitecaps | | | | | |
| 30 Jul 2021 | Midweek | 1 / . 1 1 | | calm/rippled | | | 1 | calm/rippled | | | choppy |
| 31 Jul 2021 | Weekend Weekend | calm/rippled | | calm/rippled | | | choppy | | £ | | choppy |
| 01 Aug 2021 | weekend | choppy | | large swells | | | | | frequent whitecaps | | calm/rippled |
| 02 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | calm/rippled | | | | | winteeaps | | choppy |
| 03 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | calm/rippled | | | | choppy | | | choppy |
| 04 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | choppy | | | | |
| 05 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | calm/rippled | | 115 | | | | |
| 06 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | calm/rippled | | | | | calm/rippled |
| 07 Aug 2021 | Weekend | calm/rippled | calm/rippled | | | choppy | | choppy | | | choppy |
| 08 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | calm/rippled | | | | | calm/rippled | | |
| 09 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | ** | calm/rippled | | | calm/rippled | | | |
| 10 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | calm/rippled | | calm/rippled | | | calm/rippled | | |
| 11 Aug 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | | | | | | | | calm/rippled | choppy |
| 12 Aug 2021 | Midweek | choppy | | | | | calm/rippled | | | | choppy |
| 13 Aug 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | | | | | | calm/rippled | | | calm/rippled |
| 14 Aug 2021 | Weekend | frequent | | calm/rippled | calm/rippled | | choppy | | | | |
| | | whitecaps | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 Aug 2021 | Weekend | choppy | | | | calm/rippled | | | | | calm/rippled |
| 16 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | choppy | | | | | | |
| 17 Aug 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | | | | | | | | | choppy |
| 18 Aug 2021 | Midweek | frequent | | calm/rippled | | choppy | | | | | |
| 10 Arr = 2021 | Midweek | whitecaps | | | | | | -1 | | | £ |
| 19 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | | | | | choppy | | | frequent whitecaps |
| 20 Aug 2021 | Midweek | choppy | | calm/rippled | | | choppy | | | | frequent |
| 2071ug 2021 | WIIdweek | enoppy | | camppied | | | enoppy | | | | whitecaps |
| 21 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | | calm/rippled | | | choppy | | | winteeups |
| 22 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | | • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • • | | | onoppy | | | choppy |
| 23 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | calm/rippled | | choppy | | | | | choppy |
| 24 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | 11 | | 115 | calm/rippled | | | | 115 |
| 25 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | | calm/rippled | | | 11 | choppy | | | |
| 26 Aug 2021 | Midweek | | choppy | | choppy | choppy | | | | | |
| 27 Aug 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | calm/rippled | | | | calm/rippled | | | | calm/rippled |
| 28 Aug 2021 | Weekend | | | calm/rippled | | calm/rippled | choppy | | | | calm/rippled |
| 29 Aug 2021 | Weekend | choppy | | | | | | | | | |
| 30 Aug 2021 | Midweek | choppy | | | frequent | | | frequent | | | |
| | | | | | whitecaps | | | whitecaps | | | |
| 31 Aug 2021 | Midweek | choppy | | | | | | frequent | | | choppy |
| | | | | | | | | whitecaps | | | |
| 01 Sep 2021 | Midweek | calm/rippled | | | | | | choppy | | | |
| 02 Sep 2021 | Midweek | | | calm/rippled | | 1 / . 1 1 | 1 | | | | |
| 03 Sep 2021 | Midweek | | | | | calm/rippled | choppy | | | | |