FISHERIES AND OCEANS CANADA

SOUTH COAST ASSESSMENT BULLETIN

CREEL SURVEY DATA REVIEW PACKAGE

Area 124 August 2022



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Thursday 19th January, 2023

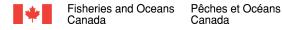




Table 1: Numbers of Interviews conducted contributing to the area by day and access site.

| | | Eagle Marine (Fuel Dock) | Fourth Stro | eet Dock | Island | West | | l Marine (Fi Dock) | uel | Tofino R | esort and M | arina | Uclue | let Gov Doc | :k |
|-------------|----------|-----------------------------------|-------------|----------|--------|----------|--------|-----------------------|-------|---------------|-------------|-------|--------|-------------|-------|
| Date | Day Type | MD | MD | PM | MD | PM | AM | MD | PM | AM | MD | PM | AM | MD | PM |
| 29 Jul 2022 | Midweek | IVID | MD | 1 1/1 | MID | 1 1/1 | 7 1111 | MD | 1 1/1 | 7 11V1 | WID | 29 | 7 LIVI | MD | 1 1/1 |
| 30 Jul 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | 2 | | | | 2) | | | |
| 31 Jul 2022 | Weekend | | | | | 1 | | - | | | | | | | |
| 01 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | <u>.</u> | | | | | 13 | | | 1 | |
| 02 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 12 | | | • | |
| 03 Aug 2022 | Midweek | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 04 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 05 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 06 Aug 2022 | Weekend | 1 | | | | | | 4 | | | | | | | |
| 07 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | 3 | | | | | 17 | | | | 1 |
| 08 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | 10 | | | | | |
| 09 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 10 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 11 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 15 | | | | |
| 12 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | 4 | | | | | | 15 | | | |
| 13 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | 5 | | | | | | |
| 14 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 15 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | | 3 | |
| 16 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 23 | | | | 1 |
| 17 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | |
| 18 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | 3 | | | | | | | | |
| 19 Aug 2022 | Midweek | 1 | | | | | | | | | | 15 | | | |
| 20 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | 20 | | | 1 | |
| 21 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| 22 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | 1 | | | | | | 18 | | | | |
| 23 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 24 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 25 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 19 | | | | |
| 26 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | | |
| 27 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | 6 | | | | |
| 28 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | | | 2 |
| 29 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | |
| 30 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | 2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 31 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | |
| 01 Sep 2022 | Midweek | 1 | | • | 1 | | | | | | 11 | | | | |
| 02 Sep 2022 | Midweek | | | 2 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| 03 Sep 2022 | Weekend | | | | | | | | | | 6 | | | | |

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 |
|----------------------------|---------------------------------------|----------------------------------|------------------------|---------|------|---------|---------|---------------------|----------------|---------------------|
| 29-Jul-2022 | Friday | choppy | 31 | 33 | 40 | | 10 | | | |
| 30-Jul-2022 | Saturday | choppy | 2 | | 2 | | | | | |
| 31-Jul-2022 | Sunday | calm/rippled | 1 | | ~ | | 1 | 13 | 0905 | 17 |
| 01-Aug-2022 | Monday (B.C. | choppy | 14 | 22 | 12 | | 1 | 13 | 0705 | 17 |
| 01 11 u g 2022 | Day) | спорру | 1. | 22 | 12 | | | | | |
| 02-Aug-2022 | Tuesday | frequent | 12 | 6 | 4 | | 5 | | | |
| 02 1108 2022 | 1000000 | whitecaps | | Ü | • | | · · | | | |
| 03-Aug-2022 | Wednesday | choppy | 1 | | | | | | | |
| 04-Aug-2022 | Thursday | | 0 | | | | | 41 | 1137 | 56 |
| 05-Aug-2022 | Friday | choppy | 2 | | | | | | | |
| 06-Aug-2022 | Saturday | calm/rippled | 5 | 7 | 2 | | 1 | 50 | 1022 | 64 |
| 07-Aug-2022 | Sunday | frequent | 21 | 31 | 1 | | 15 | | | |
| 3 | · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · · | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 08-Aug-2022 | Monday | frequent | 10 | 5 | 1 | | | | | |
| C | • | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 09-Aug-2022 | Tuesday | • | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 10-Aug-2022 | Wednesday | frequent | 3 | 1 | | | | | | |
| - | | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 11-Aug-2022 | Thursday | calm/rippled | 15 | 43 | 1 | | 8 | 28 | 1041 | 37 |
| 12-Aug-2022 | Friday | calm/rippled | 19 | 44 | | | 25 | | | |
| 13-Aug-2022 | Saturday | frequent | 5 | 2 | | | | | | |
| | | whitecaps | | | | | | | | |
| 14-Aug-2022 | Sunday | | 0 | | | | | 31 | 1015 | 40 |
| 15-Aug-2022 | Monday | choppy | 16 | 36 | 1 | | 11 | | | |
| 16-Aug-2022 | Tuesday | calm/rippled | 24 | 42 | 3 | | 13 | | | |
| 17-Aug-2022 | Wednesday | choppy | 1 | | | | 3 | 29 | 1014 | 38 |
| 18-Aug-2022 | Thursday | choppy | 3 | 4 | 2 | | | | | |
| 19-Aug-2022 | Friday | choppy | 16 | 37 | 3 | | 5 | | | |
| 20-Aug-2022 | Saturday | choppy | 21 | 52 | 1 | | 2 | | | |
| 21-Aug-2022 | Sunday | choppy | 9 | 20 | _ | | 1 | 25 | 1020 | 32 |
| 22-Aug-2022 | Monday | choppy | 19 | 68 | 2 | | 17 | | | |
| 23-Aug-2022 | Tuesday | | 0 | | | | | | | |
| 24-Aug-2022 | Wednesday | _ | 0 | | | | | 23 | 1236 | 41 |
| 25-Aug-2022 | Thursday | frequent | 19 | 24 | | | 6 | | | |
| 26.4 | T | whitecaps | | | | | - | | | |
| 26-Aug-2022 | Friday | frequent | 14 | 22 | 1 | | 5 | | | |
| 27 4 2022 | Q . 1 | whitecaps | | 1.2 | | | | | 1044 | |
| 27-Aug-2022 | Saturday | large swells | 6 | 13 | | | 0 | 1 | 1044 | 1 |
| 28-Aug-2022 | Sunday | frequent | 17 | 12 | | | 8 | | | |
| 20. 4 2022 | M 1 | whitecaps | 2 | | | | | 1.1 | 1015 | 1.5 |
| 29-Aug-2022 | Monday | choppy | 2 | | | | 6 | 11 | 1015 | 15 |
| 30-Aug-2022 | Tuesday | choppy | 2 | 12 | | | 6 | | | |
| 31-Aug-2022 01-Sep-2022 | Wednesday | choppy | 14 | 13 | | | 3 | | | |
| | Thursday Friday | choppy | 12 | 5 | | | 5 | | | |
| 02-Sep-2022 | | choppy | 3 | 2 | | | 5 | | | |
| 03-Sep-2022 | Saturday | frequent | 6 | 2 | | | 1 | | | |
| | Totals | whitecaps | 192 | 345 | 18 | | 107 | 26* | | 37* |
| | Totals | choppy frequent | 98 | 159 | 16 | | 28 | 27* | | 34* |
| | Totals | whitecaps | 98 | 139 | 10 | | 20 | 21 | | 34 |
| | | wintecaps | | | | | | | | |

 $^{^{\}ast}$ Average number of boats Observed and Expanded

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

| | | | | | C] | PUE | | Retained | | | |
|----------|----------|-----------|-----------|---------|-------|---------|---------|----------|------|---------|---------|
| Day Type | Average | Number of | Total | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut | Chinook | Coho | Sockeye | Halibut |
| | Expanded | Days | Estimated | | | | | | | | |
| | Boats | | Effort | | | | | | | | |
| Midweek | 37 | 22 | 814 | 1.797 | 0.094 | | 0.557 | 1463 | 77 | | 453 |
| Weekend | 34 | 9 | 306 | 1.622 | 0.163 | | 0.286 | 496 | 50 | | 88 |

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

| Year | Month | Total Effort | Chinook Kept | Coho Kept | Sockeye Kept | Halibut Kept |
|----------|--------|--------------|--------------|-----------|--------------|--------------|
| 2017 | August | 658 | 1711 | 251 | 60 | 297 |
| 2018 | August | 1082 | 2036 | 327 | | 76 |
| 2019 | August | 1266 | 1308 | 217 | 5 | 33 |
| 2020 | August | 1058 | 1845 | 31 | | 277 |
| 2021 | August | 912 | 1616 | 452 | | 454 |
| 2022 | August | 1088 | 2111 | 123 | 0 | 627 |
| 5-Yr Avg | August | 995 | 1703 | 256 | 33 | 227 |

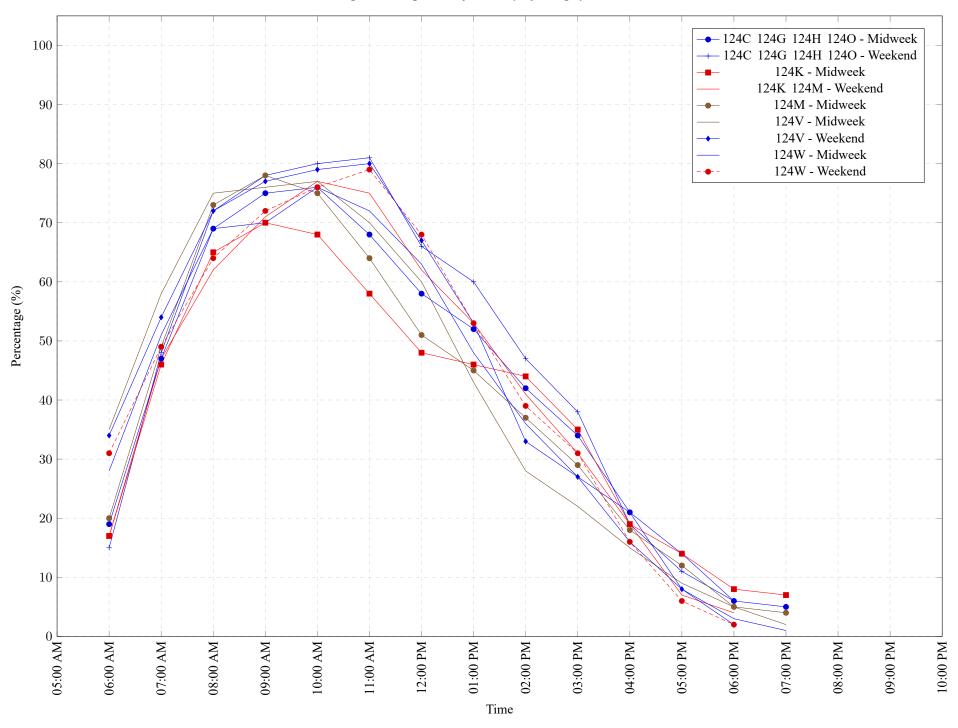
Table 5: Sport Head Recovery Review.

| Species | Creel Marked Catch | | Creel Submission Rate | iRec Marked Catch | Mark | iRec Submission Rate | Sport Head Recoveries |
|---------|--------------------------|-----|-----------------------------|-------------------------|------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Coho | 68 | 55% | 21% | 374 | 39% | 4% | 14 |
| Chinook | 333 | 17% | 10% | 417 | 26% | 8% | 33 |

Table 6: Guided Proprtions Review.

| Data Source | Interviews / Angler Days | Guided Proportion |
|------------------|--------------------------|-------------------|
| Creel Interivews | 290 | 76% |
| iRec Anglers | 1945 | 59% |

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 | 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 |
|---------------------|----------|------|------|------|------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|-------|
| | | AM | AM | AM | AM | AM | AM | PM |
| 124C 124G 124H 124O | Midweek | 19% | 47% | 69% | 75% | 76% | 68% | 58% | 52% | 42% | 34% | 21% | 14% | 6% | 5% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124C 124G 124H 124O | Weekend | 15% | 48% | 72% | 78% | 80% | 81% | 66% | 60% | 47% | 38% | 19% | 11% | 6% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124K | Midweek | 17% | 46% | 65% | 70% | 68% | 58% | 48% | 46% | 44% | 35% | 19% | 14% | 8% | 7% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124K 124M | Weekend | 17% | 47% | 62% | 71% | 77% | 75% | 62% | 53% | 41% | 31% | 19% | 7% | 4% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124M | Midweek | 20% | 49% | 73% | 78% | 75% | 64% | 51% | 45% | 37% | 29% | 18% | 12% | 5% | 4% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124V | Midweek | 35% | 58% | 75% | 76% | 77% | 70% | 60% | 43% | 28% | 22% | 15% | 9% | 5% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124V | Weekend | 34% | 54% | 72% | 77% | 79% | 80% | 67% | 53% | 33% | 27% | 16% | 8% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124W | Midweek | 28% | 51% | 69% | 70% | 76% | 72% | 63% | 48% | 36% | 27% | 21% | 8% | 3% | 1% | 0% | 0% | 0% |
| 124W | Weekend | 31% | 49% | 64% | 72% | 76% | 79% | 68% | 53% | 39% | 31% | 16% | 6% | 2% | 0% | 0% | 0% | 0% |

Table 8: Daily Fishing Conditions.

| Date | Day Type | Eagle Marine (Fuel Dock) | Fourth Street Dock | Island West | Method Marine (Fuel Dock) | Tofino Resort and Marina | Ucluelet Gov Dock |
|-------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-----------------------|--------------------|---------------------------------|--------------------------------|----------------------|
| 29 Jul 2022 | Midweek | | | | | choppy | |
| 30 Jul 2022 | Weekend | | | | choppy | | |
| 31 Jul 2022 | Weekend | | | calm/rippled | 117 | | |
| 01 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | 11 | | choppy | choppy |
| 02 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | frequent whitecaps | 117 |
| 03 Aug 2022 | Midweek | choppy | | | | | |
| 04 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | |
| 05 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | choppy | | | | |
| 06 Aug 2022 | Weekend | calm/rippled | 117 | | calm/rippled | | |
| 07 Aug 2022 | Weekend | 11 | | choppy | 11 | frequent whitecaps | calm/rippled |
| 08 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | frequent | |
| 8 4 | | | | | | whitecaps | |
| 09 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | P | |
| 10 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | frequent | | | | |
| 101146 2022 | 1viia v con | | whitecaps | | | | |
| 11 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | calm/rippled | |
| 12 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | choppy | | calm/rippled | |
| 13 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | спорру | frequent | сингприса | |
| 14 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | whitecaps | | |
| 15 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | ah ammu | calm/rippled |
| 16 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | choppy calm/rippled | |
| | Midweek | | | | | cami/rippied | choppy |
| 17 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | ah ammu | | choppy |
| 18 Aug 2022 | | -1 | | | choppy | -1 | |
| 19 Aug 2022 | Midweek | choppy | | | | choppy | 1 / 1 1 |
| 20 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | choppy | calm/rippled |
| 21 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | choppy | |
| 22 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | frequent whitecaps | | choppy | |
| 23 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | |
| 24 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | |
| 25 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | frequent whitecaps | |
| 26 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | frequent whitecaps | choppy |
| 27 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | large swells | |
| 28 Aug 2022 | Weekend | | | | | frequent | choppy |
| | | | | | | whitecaps | 11. |
| 29 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | | | | choppy |
| 30 Aug 2022 | Midweek | | | choppy | | | |
| | Midweek | | | | | choppy | |
| 31 Aug 2022 | M' 1 1. | calm/rippled | | | | choppy | |
| | Midweek | cann/rippicu | | | | | |
| 01 Sep 2022 | Midweek | camil/Hppicu | choppy | calm/rippled | | 117 | |
| | | cami/rippied | choppy | calm/rippled | | frequent | |