

Calendar of Commercial Fishing Open Seasons 2017 (and 2018 where applicable)

Species	Districts	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUN	JUL	AUG	SEP	OCT	NOV	DEC
Surfperch Open 08/01/17 to 04/30/18 Open 08/01/16 to 04/30/17	All. Shiner perch open all year. Barred, redbtail and calico may not be taken south of Pt. Arguello.				30	CLOSED			1				
White Seabass Open 06/16/17 to 03/14/18 Open 06/16/16 to 03/14/17	All districts south of Pt. Conception		14		CLOSED		16						
Spiny Lobster Open 10/4/17 through 03/21/18	18, 19, 20A and part of 20			21		CLOSED					4		
Nearshore Fishery North of 40°10' Open all year	All districts North of 40°10'	Except cabezon, greelings, and CA sheephead											
South of 40°10' Open 05/01/17 to 07/15/18 Open 05/01/16 to 02/28/17	All districts South of 40°10'		28		CLOSED	1							
Dungeness Crab (Opening Dates may be delayed.) Open 12/01/17* to 07/15/18 Open 12/01/16* to 07/15/17	Districts 6, 7, 8 and 9						15		CLOSED				1
Open 12/01/17* to 06/30/18 Open 11/15/16* to 06/30/17	All other districts						30		CLOSED			15	
Spot Prawn (Trapping) *All traps must be in waters of 50 fathoms or greater South of Point Arguello Open 02/01/17 - 10/31/17	18, South of Pt. Arguello, 19, 19A, 20, 20A, 21		1								31		CLOSED
North of Point Arguello Open 08/01/2017 to 04/30/18 Open 08/01/16 to 04/30/17	6, 7, 10, 17, 18, North of Pt. Arguello				30		CLOSED		1				
Coonstripe Shrimp (Trapping) Open 05/01/17 to 10/31/18 Open 05/01/16 - 10/31/17	All			CLOSED		1					31		
California Halibut Trawling - Open 06/16/17 to 03/14/18 Closed 3/15/17 to 6/15/17	California Halibut Trawl Grounds			14		CLOSED		16					
All Year	Federal waters only												
Hook-and-line All Year	All												
Pink Shrimp (Trawling) Open 04/01/17 to 10/31/17	Federal waters only			CLOSED		1					31		
Ridgeback Prawn (Trawling) Open 10/01/17 to 05/31/18 Open 10/01/16 to 05/31/17	Southern California						31		CLOSED		1		
Sea Urchin (Red)	All	See page 115 for Open and Closed Days											
Salmon		SEE FEDERAL REGULATIONS											
Sea Cucumber Diving - All year	All State waters												
Trawling - All year in Federal Waters Only	Federal waters only												
Open 06/16/17 to 03/22/18 Open 06/16/16 to 03/14/17	California Halibut Trawl Grounds		14		CLOSED		16						
Kellett's Whelk Open 07/01/17 to 03/21/18 Open 07/01/16 -03/22/17	All			21		CLOSED		1					

*The director may order the Dungeness crab season delayed to not later than January 15 based on the results of pre-season quality testing (FCG §8276.2)

Open season - Dates listed for open season are inclusive