

# Recreational Ocean Chinook Catch Estimates

## 2026 - Preliminary Inseason Catch Estimates Spring/Summer\*

| Management Area**             | Estimated Catch | Harvest Guideline |
|-------------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| Klamath Management Zone (KMZ) | 4,068           | 3,900             |
| Fort Bragg (FB)               | 6,558           | 5,100             |
| San Francisco (SF)            | 30,701          | 34,900            |
| Monterey and South (MO)       | 7,208***        | 21,800            |

\*April-August open dates

\*\*Seasons vary by management area; see [2026 season flyer](#) for open dates and areas

\*\*\*Estimated through 8/15/2026

## 2025 - Final Inseason Catch Estimates

| Season*       | Management Area         | Estimated Catch | Harvest Guideline |
|---------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-------------------|
| June 7-8      | All CA Areas            | 9,407           | 7,000             |
| September 4-7 | San Francisco, Monterey | 12,436          | 7,500             |

\*See [2025 season flyer](#) for open dates and areas