

Table 3-3. Number of vessels landing white seabass, by principle landing gear, 1981-2000.

Year	Hook/ line	Trawl	Drift gill net	Set gil net	Gill nets	Purse seine	Other/ unkwn	Total vessels
1981	14	2			130	0	3	129
1982	27	5			113	0	19	142
1983	12	1			112	0	34	156
1984	13	2			141	2	26	173
1985	12	3			171	1	18	199
1986	21	6			166	0	16	197
1987	19	11			146	0	14	181
1988	18	11			114	0	7	145
1989	23	7			115	0	10	148
1990	29	8			102	0	12	145
1991	33	11			97	0	7	136
1992	26	14			87	0	7	121
1993	56	12			68	0	7	136
1994	41	11	24	40	53	0	4	103
1995	42	15	24	45	57	0	4	114
1996	33	10	20	42	50	0	1	91
1997	32	19	20	47	57	0	1	106
1998	40	29	15	53	57	0	2	118
1999	64	32	20	65	66	0	4	150
2000	84	29	24	65	69	0	3	167

¹ Reflects total number of vessels landing white seabass, recognizing that many boats use multiple gears within a year.