



California Klamath Management Zone

(Oregon/California Border to Humboldt South Jetty)

August 2013

Commercial Ocean Salmon Fishery Information

ATTENTION: Commercial Ocean Salmon Trollers and Dealers

The commercial ocean salmon fishery is scheduled to re-open in the California Klamath Management Zone (KMZ) between the Oregon/California Border and Humboldt South Jetty beginning Thursday, August 1.

- **August 1-29 or 1,692** Chinook salmon quota (includes rollover from July quota)
- Landing and possession limit of 20 Chinook per vessel per day
- All salmon caught must be landed within the area and within 24 hours of the fishery closure

Fishery Requirements:

- Minimum size limit: 27 inches total length.
- All salmon, except coho.
- Single-point, single-shank barbless hooks are required.
- No more than 6 lines are allowed per vessel.
- Klamath Control Zone closed (12nm square centered on Klamath River mouth).
- Area outside the mouth of Humboldt Bay closed (3nm due west, 3nm north and 3nm south of the center of the bay mouth) - FG Code §8214.
- All salmon must be made available to Department staff for sampling - FG Code §7702.
- All salmon landed must be documented with a Department landing receipt and submitted to the Department in timely manner - FG Code §8043-8047.
- Vessels fishing south of Horse Mountain may not land fish in the KMZ area unless the quota fishery has been closed at least 96 hours.

CDFW Ocean Salmon Webpage: www.dfg.ca.gov/marine/oceansalmon.asp

NMFS Ocean Salmon Hotline: (800) 662-9825