

This summary table shows the total groundfish harvest, groundfish discards and prohibited species discards for years 1997-2005 in the Bering Sea, Aleutian Islands and Gulf of Alaska. Note: table does not include catch and discards from CDQ groundfish fisheries. Halibut, herring, salmon and crab discards are in addition to groundfish discards.

SUMMARY	1997	1998	1999	2000	2001	2002	2003	2004	2005
Total Groundfish Catch (mt)	1,940,764	1,774,489	1,527,219	1,672,261	1,831,197	1,924,256	1,970,496	1,958,449	2,157,651
Total Groundfish Discards (mt)	292,413	149,606	148,946	150,576	118,647	135,952	137,976	144,867	112,903
Groundfish Discards (thou. pds)	644,654	329,822	328,368	331,961	261,568	299,720	304,182	319,374	248,905
Percent Groundfish Discarded	15.1%	8.4%	9.8%	9.0%	6.5%	7.1%	7.0%	7.4%	5.2%
Halibut Mortality (thou. pds.)	14,620	14,087	14,414	13,558	13,673	13,688	13,051	12,784	13,731
Herring (thou. pds.)	2,515	1,797	1,989	1,137	608	308	2,444	2,414	1,481
Chinook Salmon (numbers)	63,231	70,000	43,492	33,825	53,055	50,433	67,866	76,941	99,485
Other Salmon (numbers)	66,578	81,580	53,792	68,532	63,380	81,772	199,292	452,763	75,037
Red King Crab (numbers)	74,634	49,191	94,022	115,682	80,909	133,832	105,509	94,107	134,158
Other King Crab (numbers)	29,093	43,220	61,879	36,914	36,284	62,477	151,438	73,399	9,547
Bairdi Tanner Crab (numbers)	2,262,152	1,643,587	996,764	1,254,100	1,258,219	1,404,762	1,223,118	910,262	1,895,889
Other Tanner Crab (numbers)	5,654,941	4,633,578	1,604,354	3,314,970	2,043,627	1,501,745	787,833	1,900,631	3,390,153