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Aleutians East Borough, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Aleutians East Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: **208**¹ Total permits owned: **525**¹

Permitholders who fished: 184¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 287^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 471^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 14.5%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 267³; Home Ported: 343³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Aleutians East Borough community.

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Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Aleutians East Borough–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$27,010,390¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Aleutians East Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Aleutians East Borough: **3,640⁵** Total processing wages: **\$66,765,983⁵** pro Alaska resident rocessing wages from Aleutians East Borough: **\$9.5 Million⁵** First wholesale value (2011): **\$507 million⁶**

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Aleutians East Borough and its communities collectively received \$3,990,586⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Aleutians East Borough fisheries landings and businesses. The State of Alaska received a like amount. In addition, borough and local municipal fisheries taxes added \$6,425,865 in revenue to the Aleutians East Borough and its communities.

Aleutians East Borough includes the communities of Akutan, Cold Bay, False Pass, King Cove, Nelson Lagoon, and Sand Point.

Footnotes - Sources:

Processor 1st wholesale value by Census Area 2011 is provided by Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute.
 NOAA, NMFS Office of Science and Technology, see reports "Total Commercial Fishery Landings at Major U.S. Ports" ranked by value, by poundage

http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/commercial-fisheries/commercial-landings/index.

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^{2.} Crew numbers are from Alaska Department of Fish and Game 2012 Crew license list, and is the number of individuals who list their address in a given city.

^{3.} Vessel home port numbers are from "AK CFEC Yearly 2012 Vessel CSV file available online at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/plook/ and is a count of commercial fishing licensed vessels that list home port in a given community.

^{4. 2012} Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm .

^{5.} Processor Employment and Wages 2012 Data is from Alaska Department of Labor at http://labor.alaska.gov/research/seafood/statewide/AKSFPBorca.pdf .

^{8.} Revenue figures from 2012 AK Dept of Revenue Shared Taxes report, online at: http://www.tax.alaska.gov/programs/sourcebook/index.aspx .

Aleutians West Census Area, Alaska

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JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Aleutians West Census Area:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 70¹

Total permits owned: 111¹

Permitholders who fished: 62¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 188²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 250^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 4.3%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 56^3 ; Home Ported: 72^3

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Aleutians West Census Area.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Aleutians West Census Area–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$22,499,043**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Aleutians West Census Area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Aleutians West Census Area: **3,649⁵** Alaska resident Processing jobs in Aleutians West: **1,113⁵** Total processing wages: **\$62,553,154⁵** Alaska resident processing wages in Aleutians West: **\$27.5 million⁵** First wholesale value (2011): **\$563 million⁶**

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

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REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Aleutians West Census Area communities collectively received \$9,669,838⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Aleutians West Census Area fisheries landings and businesses. The State of Alaska received a like amount. In addition, municipal fisheries taxes added \$7,347,079 in revenue to the Aleutians West Census Area communities.

Aleutians West Census Area includes the communities of Adak, Atka, Saint George, Saint Paul, Dutch Harbor and Unalaska.

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6. Processor 1st wholesale value by Census Area 2011 is provided by Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute.

7. NOAA, NMFS Office of Science and Technology, see reports "Total Commercial Fishery Landings at Major U.S. Ports" ranked by value, by poundage http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/commercial-fisheries/commercial-landings/index .

Anchorage, Alaska

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Anchorage is the #62 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #82 by Value of 2012 landings

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Municipality of Anchorage: CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 786¹ Total permits owned: 985¹ Permitholders who fished: 499¹ Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 1213² Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 1712^{1,2} Rank among Alaska communities for total fishing participation - #1^{1,2} Commercial Vessels Owned: 459³; Home Ported: 119³ Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Anchorage community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Anchorage–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$46,811,126**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Anchorage benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Anchorage: **870**⁵ Alaska Resident seafood processing jobs in Anchorage: **471**⁵ Total processing wages: **\$9,302,756**⁵ Alaska Resident processign wages in Anchorage: **\$6.8 million**⁵. First wholesale value (2011): **\$41 million**⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, 9.3 million⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Anchorage for an estimated value of **\$10.2 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Anchorage and the State of Alaska each received $\$170,617^8$ in fisheries business tax through the municipal tax-sharing program from Anchorage fisheries businesses.

Anchorage Municipality includes the communities of Anchorage, Chugiak, Eagle River and Girdwood.

Footnotes - Sources:

- 1. Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .
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Bethel Census Area, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Bethel Census Area:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 1032¹

Total permits owned: **1222**¹

Permitholders who fished: 644¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 715²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 1359^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 7.7%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 392 ; Home Ported: 350³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Bethel Census Area community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Bethel Census Area–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$4,662,611¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Bethel Census Area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Bethel Census Area: **371**⁵; Alaska resident processing jobs: **309**⁵ Total processing wages: **\$1,669,134**⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: **\$1,473,093**⁵

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **BethelCensus Area** communities collectively, and the State of Alaska each received **\$51,567**⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Bethel Census Area fisheries landings and businesses.

Bethel Census Area includes communities of Akiachiak, Akiak, Aniak, Atmautluak, Bethel, Chefornak, Eek, Goodnews Bay, Kasigluk, Kipnuk, Kongiganak, Kwethluk, Kwigillingok, Mekoryuk, Napakiak, Napaskiak Newtok, Nightmute, Nunapitchuk, Oscarville, Platinum, Qunihagak, Sleetmute, Tooksook Bay, Tuluksaq, Tuntutuliak, Tununak, and Upper Kalskag

Footnotes - Sources:

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Bristol Bay Borough, Alaska

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Naknek is the #14 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #9 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Bristol Bay Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 156¹

Total permits owned: 171¹

Permitholders who fished: 127¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 157²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 284^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 28.8%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 79 ; Home Ported: 348³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Bristol Bay Borough community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Bristol Bay Borough-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$5,290,895¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Bristol Bay Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Bristol Bay Borough (2012): **2816**⁵ Total processing wages (2012): **\$17,176,164**⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$200 million**⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Bristol Bay Borough** and the State of Alaska each received \$2,130.832⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Bristol Bay Borough fisheries landings and businesses. In addition, borough fisheries taxes added \$1,775,993 in revenue.

Bristol Bay Borough includes the communities of King Salmon, Naknek, and South Naknek.

Footnotes - Sources:

- 1. Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .
- 2. Crew numbers are from Alaska Department of Fish and Game 2012 Crew license list, and is the number of individuals who list their address in a given city.
- 3. Vessel home port numbers are from "AK CFEC Yearly 2012 Vessel CSV file available online at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/plook/ and is a count of commercial fishing licensed vessels that list home port in a given community.
- 4. 2012 Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm .
- 5. Processor Employment and Wages 2012 Data is from Alaska Department of Labor at http://labor.alaska.gov/research/seafood/statewide/AKSFPBorca.pdf .

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Cordova, Alaska

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Cordova is the #15 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #27 by Value of 2012 landings

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Cordova:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: **327**¹ Total permits owned: **559**¹

Permitholders who fished: **296**¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 323²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 619^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: **26.7**^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 441 ; Home Ported: 682³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Cordova community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Cordova-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$44,136,019¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Cordova benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Valdez-Cordova Census Area: 1,730⁵ AK Resident seafood processing jobs in Cordova-Valdez: 242⁵ Total processing wages: \$18,404,124⁵ AK Resident seafood processing wages: \$4.6 million⁵ First wholesale value (2011): \$191 million⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, **83.8 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Cordova for an estimated ex-vessel value of **\$40 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Cordova** and the State of Alaska each received **\$1,371,290**⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Cordova fisheries landings and businesses.

Footnotes - Sources:

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Dillingham Census Area, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Dillingham Census Area:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 613¹ Total permits owned: 780¹ Permitholders who fished: 411¹ Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 697² Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 1,108^{1,2} Percentage of local population who fished: 22.2%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 373 ; Home Ported: 445³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Dillingham **Census Area communities.**

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Dillingham Census Area-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$11,660,986¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Dillingham Census Area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Dillingham Census Area (2012): 892⁵; Alaska Resident processing jobs: 178⁵ Total processing wages (2012): \$5,666,570⁵; Alaska Resident processing wages: \$1,138,981⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$64 million**⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, 49.4 million (Dillingham-Togiak)⁷ pounds of seafood were landed for an estimated value of \$75.5 million and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Dillingham Census Area communities collectively received \$494,212⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Dillingham fisheries landings and businesses, and the State of Alaska received a like amount. In addition, municipal fisheries taxes added \$830,548 in revenue to the City of Dillingham.

Dillingham C.A. includes communities of Aleknagik, Clark's Point, Dillingham, Ekwok, Koliganek, Manokotak, New Stuvahok, Togiak, and Twin Hills.

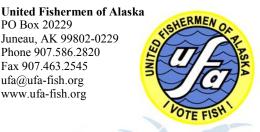
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Haines Borough, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

Excursion Inlet is the #65 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #79 by Value of 2012 landings. Haines is the #104 U.S. Portby volume and value

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Haines Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 113¹

Total permits owned: 178¹

Permitholders who fished: 89¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 90^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 179^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: $6.8\%^{1,2}$

Commercial Vessels Owned: 94 ; Home Ported: 84^3

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Haines Borough community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Haines Borough-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$8,539,444¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Haines Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Haines Borough: 257⁵ Total processing wages (2012): \$2,459,589⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: \$258,257⁵. First wholesale value (2011): \$39 million⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, 8.7 million⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Haines Borough for an estimated value of \$11.5 million⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard.

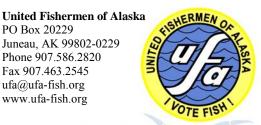
REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Haines Borough and the State of Alaska each received \$326,813⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Haines Borough fisheries landings and businesses.

Haines Borough includes community of Haines and Excursion Inlet

Footnotes - Sources:

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Homer is the #56 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #33 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Homer:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 587¹

Total permits owned: **1077**¹

Permitholders who fished: 453¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 645^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 1081^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 21.3%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 554 ; Home Ported: 559³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Homer community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Homer-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$76,347,989¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Homer benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Kenai Peninsula Borough (2012): 2043⁵ Alaska Resident Processing jobs in Borough: 893 Total processing wages: \$15,259,016⁵ Alaska Resident Processing wages in Borough: \$7,293,810⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$196 million⁶**

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries • Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

TRANSPORTATION JOBS AND BENEFITS

In 2012, 12.3 million⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Homer for an estimated value of \$30.1 million⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more jobs.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes - Homer received \$64,617⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes; the Kenai Peninsula Borough and its communities collectively received \$1,846,029⁸ through the municipal tax-sharing program; and the State received a like amount.

Footnote-Sources:

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Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

Juneau is the #44 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume and by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Juneau City and Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 392¹

Total permits owned: 651¹

Permitholders who fished: 272¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 431²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: **703**^{1,2}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 328; Home Ported: 705³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Juneau community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Juneau City and Borough–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$22,961,976¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Juneau City and Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Juneau City and Borough (2012): **549**⁵ Alaska resident processing jobs: **195**⁵ Total processing wages (2012): **\$2,459,589**⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: **\$971,538**⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$50 million**⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. **Government related jobs include** Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries • Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

TRANSPORTATION JOBS AND BENEFITS

In 2012, **18.2 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Juneau City and Borough for an estimated value of **\$26.1 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more jobs.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Juneau City and Borough and the State of Alaska each received \$427,621⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Juneau City and Borough fisheries landings and businesses.

Juneau City and Borough includes the communities of Juneau, Douglas and Auke Bay.

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Kenai Peninsula Borough, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Kenai Peninsula Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 1,434¹ Total permits owned: 2,296¹

Permitholders who fished: 1,079¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 1613²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 2,692^{1,2}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 1097; Home Ported: 1089³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Kenai Peninsula **Borough community.**

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Kenai Peninsula Borough-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$120.250,729¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Kenai Peninsula Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Kenai Peninsula Borough (2012): 2043⁵ Alaska Resident Processing jobs in Borough: 893 Total processing wages: \$15,259,016⁵ Alaska Resident Processing wages in Borough: \$7,293,810⁵ First wholesale value (2011): \$196 million⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Kenai Peninsula Borough and its communities collectively received 1,846,029⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Kenai Peninsula Borough fisheries landings and businesses, and the State of Alaska received a like amount.

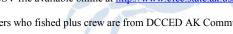
Kenai Peninsula Borough includes communities of Anchor Point, Clam Gulch, Cooper Landing, Fritz Creek, Halibut Cove, Homer, Hope, Kasilof, Kenai, Moose Pass, Nanwalek, Nikiski, Nikolaevsk, Ninilchik, Port Graham, Seldovia, Seward, Soldotna, Sterling, Tyonek, Cohoe, and Kachemak.

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Kenai is the #31 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #35 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Kenai:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 210¹

Total permits owned: 278¹

Permitholders who fished: 162¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 240²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 402^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 5.6% ^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 118 ; Home Ported: 184³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Kenai community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Kenai–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$6,478,132¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Kenai benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Kenai Peninsula Borough (2012): **2043**⁵ Alaska Resident processing jobs in Borough: **893** Total processing wages: **\$15,259,016**⁵ Alaska Resident Processing wages in Borough: **\$7,293,810**⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$196 million**⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, 28.4 million⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Kenai for an estimated value of **\$29.9 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Kenai received $$291,597^8$ in fisheries business tax from Kenai fisheries businesses; the Kenai Peninsula **Borough** and its communities collectively received $$1,846,029^8$ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program and the State received a like amount.

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Ketchikan, Alaska

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Ketchikan is the #18 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume and Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Ketchikan Gateway Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 353¹

Total permits owned: **602**¹

Permitholders who fished: **236**¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 372²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 608^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 4.4^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 335; Home Ported: 392³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Ketchikan community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Ketchikan–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$26,626,117¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Ketchikan benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Ketchikan Gateway Borough (2012): **1,041⁵** Total processing wages: **\$12,741,870⁵** Alaska resident processing wagews: **\$5,313,360⁵** First wholesale value (2011): **\$120 million⁶**

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. **Government related jobs include** Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

TRANSPORTATION JOBS AND BENEFITS

In 2012, **74.1 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Ketchikan for an estimated value of **\$54.4 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more jobs.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Ketchikan received \$472,507⁸; the Ketchikan Gateway Borough received \$666,360, and the State of Alaska received \$1,138,867⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Ketchikan fisheries.

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Kodiak, Alaska

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Kodiak is the #4 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #3 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Kodiak:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders - Kodiak: 567¹; Kodiak Island Borough: 647¹

Total permits owned - Kodiak: 1224¹; Kodiak Island Borough: 1377¹

Permitholders who fished - Kodiak: 452¹; Kodiak Island Borough: 506¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders - Kodiak: 760²; Kodiak Island Borough: 872²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012- Kodiak: 1212^{1,2}; Kodiak Island Borough: 1378^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished - Kodiak: **18.8%**^{1,2,4}; Kodiak Island Borough: **9.8%**^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels – Kodiak owned: 479³; Home Ported: 601³; Kodiak Island Borough owned: 569³; Home ported: 690³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Kodiak community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Kodiak–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$141,982,212¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Kodiak benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Kodiak Island Borough (2012): **3,154⁵** Alaska resident processing jobs: 1694⁵ Total processing wages: **\$42,681,786⁵** Alaska resident processing wages: **\$33,249,414** First wholesale value (2011): **\$349 million⁶**

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine supply and repair businesses using a small or large boatlift capable of hauling veseels 180 long x 42 wide x 600 tons, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, **393 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Kodiak for an estimated value of **\$170 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include the largest United Sates Coast Guard base in the US with 3100 personnel and dependants Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory Program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Kodiak received $$1,268,006^8$ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Kodiak fisheries landings and businesses. Kodiak Island Borough received $$1,647,025^8$ in fisheries business and landing taxes and the State received a like amount. In addition, Borough fisheries taxes added \$1,654,149 in revenue.

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JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Lake and Peninsula Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 141¹

Total permits owned: **181¹**

Permitholders who fished: 113¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 202²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 315^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: **18.8%**^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 174 ; Home Ported: 266³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Lake and Peninsula Borough community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Lake and Peninsula Borough–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$12,112,934¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Lake and Peninsula Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Lake and Peninsula Borough (2012): **324⁵** Total processing wages (2012): **\$3,165,269⁵** First wholesale value (2011): **\$39 million**⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Lake and Peninsula Borough communities and the Borough received \$674,847, and the State of Alaska each received \$1,349,694⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Lake and Peninsula Borough fisheries. In addition, Borough and local municipal fisheries taxes added \$5,198,248 in revenue.

Lake and Peninsula Borough communities include Chignik, Chignik Lagoon, Chignik Lake, Egegik, Iglugig, Iliamna, Kokhanok, Levelock, Newhalen, Nondalton, Pedro Bay, Perryville, Pilot Point, Port Alsworth, Port Heiden, and Ugashik.

Footnotes - Sources:

- 1. Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .
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4. 2012 Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm .

5. Processor Employment and Wages 2012 Data is from Alaska Department of Labor at http://labor.alaska.gov/research/seafood/statewide/AKSFPBorca.pdf .

6. Processor 1st wholesale value by Census Area 2011 is provided by Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute.

7. NOAA, NMFS Office of Science and Technology, see reports "Total Commercial Fishery Landings at Major U.S. Ports" ranked by value, by poundage http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/commercial-fisheries/commercial-landings/index .

Matanuska-Susitna Borough, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Matanuska-Susitna Borough:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: **307**¹ Total permits owned: **393**¹ Permitholders who fished: **221**¹ Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: **446**² Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: **667**^{1,2}

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Matanuska-Susitna Borough community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Matanuska-Susitna Borough–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$16,097,596**¹. Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Matanuska-Susitna Borough benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State through Fishery Taxes-

The State general fund received over **\$30 million**⁸ in its share of fisheries business and landings taxes in FY 2012, and seafood industry contributions totaled over **\$87 million**⁸. The seafood industry is second only to oil & gas in revenue generated to the State (2012).

Footnotes - Sources:

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- 8. Revenue figures from 2012 AK Dept of Revenue Shared Taxes report, online at: <u>http://www.tax.alaska.gov/programs/sourcebook/index.aspx</u>.

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Petersburg, Alaska

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Petersburg is the #24 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #20 by Value of 2012 landings

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Petersburg:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 451¹

Total permits owned: **1054**¹

Permitholders who fished: **361**¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 404²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: **765**^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 23.4%^{1,2.4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 535; Home Ported: 597³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Petersburg community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Petersburg–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$55,044,151**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes,

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Petersburg benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Petersburg: **683**⁵ Alaska resident processing jobs: **251**⁵ Total processing wages: **\$7,765,251**⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: **\$3,735,086**⁵ First wholesale value (2011- Petersburg-Wrangell Census Area): **\$168 million**⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. **Government related jobs include** Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries • Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

TRANSPORTATION JOBS AND BENEFITS

In 2012, **52 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Petersburg for an estimated value of **\$50 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more jobs.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Petersburg** and the State of Alaska each received **\$1,047,800**⁸ in fishery business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Petersburg fisheries landings and businesses.

Footnotes - Sources:

Processor 1st wholesale value by Census Area 2011 is provided by Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute.
 NOAA, NMFS Office of Science and Technology, see reports "Total Commercial Fishery Landings at Major U.S. Ports" ranked by value, by poundage

http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/commercial-fisheries/commercial-landings/index .

^{1.} Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .

^{2.} Crew numbers are from Alaska Department of Fish and Game 2012 Crew license list, and is the number of individuals who list their address in a given city.

^{3.} Vessel home port numbers are from "AK CFEC Yearly 2012 Vessel CSV file available online at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/plook/ and is a count of commercial fishing licensed vessels that list home port in a given community.

^{4. 2012} Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm .

^{5.} Processor Employment and Wages 2012 Data is from Alaska Department of Labor at http://labor.alaska.gov/research/seafood/statewide/AKSFPBorca.pdf .

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Prince of Wales - Outer Ketchikan Census Area, Alaska Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

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Craig is the #100 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume and #96 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Prince of Wales (POW)-Outer Ketchikan Census Area: CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: **326**¹

Total permits owned: 564¹

Permitholders who fished: 231¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 278²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 509^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 8.8%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: **339**; Home Ported: **338**³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the POW-Outer Ketchikan Census Area communitie.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by POW-Outer Ketchikan Census Area–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$15,758,369¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in POW-Outer Ketchikan Census Area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in POW-Outer Ketchikan Census Area (2012): **471⁵** Total processing wages (2012): **\$4,045,343⁵** Alaska resident processing wagews: **\$1,953,901⁵** First wholesale value (2011): **\$42 million⁶**

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **POW-Outer Ketchikan Census Area** communities and the State of Alaska each received \$281,362⁸ in fisheries business taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from POW-Outer Ketchikan Census Area fisheries businesses.

Prince of Wales Outer Ketchikan Census Area includes communities Coffman Cove, Craig, Edna Bay, Hollis, Hydaburg, Hyder, Kasaan, Klawock, Metlakatla, Meyers Chuck, Naukati Bay, Point Baker, Port Protection ,Thorne Bay, and Whale Pass

Footnotes - Sources:

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Seward is the #23 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #15 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Seward:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 60¹

Total permits owned: **131**¹

Permitholders who fished: 43¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 125^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 168^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 6.1^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 68 ; Home Ported: 94³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Seward community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Seward–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$10,701,759¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Seward benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Kenai Peninsula Borough (2012): **2043**⁵ Alaska Resident Processing jobs in Borough: **893** Total processing wages: **\$15,259,016**⁵ Alaska Resident Processing wages in Borough: **\$7,293,810**⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$196 million**⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, 54 million⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Seward for an estimated value of **\$62.1 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Seward received \$527,841⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes; the Kenai Peninsula Borough and its communities collectively received \$1,846,029⁸ through the municipal tax-sharing program and the State received a like amount.

Footnotes - Sources:

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4. 2012 Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm .

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Sitka, Alaska

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Sitka is the #20 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #12 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Sitka:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 570¹

Total permits owned: **1115**¹

Permitholders who fished: **481**¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: **536**²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 1017^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 11.2%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 631 ; Home Ported: 661³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Sitka community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Sitka–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$41,025,258¹** Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Sitka benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Sitka (2012): **769⁵** Total processing wages: **\$11,747,091⁵** Alaska resident processing wages: **\$6,425,659⁵** First wholesale value (2011): **\$167 million⁶**

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. **Government related jobs include** Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

TRANSPORTATION JOBS AND BENEFITS

In 2012, **67.1 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Sitka for an estimated value of **\$66.2 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more jobs.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Sitka and the State of Alaska each received 1,256,103⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Sitka fisheries landings and businesses. In addition, local fisheries taxes added **&324.6; 20**

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^{8.} Revenue figures from 2012 AK Dept of Revenue Shared Taxes report, online at: http://www.tax.alaska.gov/programs/sourcebook/index.aspx .

Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area, Alaska

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JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: **207**¹ Total permits owned: **309**¹

Permitholders who fished: 130¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 121^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: $251^{1,2}$

Percentage of local population who fished: **7.9%**^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 190 ; Home Ported: 200³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$6,223,525**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area (2012): **55**⁵ Total processing wages: **\$523,253** First wholesale value (2011): **\$10 million**⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area** and the State of Alaska each received **\$122,761⁸** in fishery business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area fisheries landings and businesses.

Skagway-Hoonah-Angoon Census Area includes the communities of Angoon, Elfin Cove, Gustavus, Hoonah, Pelcan, Skagway, and Tenakee Springs.

Footnotes - Sources:

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5. Processor Employment and Wages 2012 Data is from Alaska Department of Labor at http://labor.alaska.gov/research/seafood/statewide/AKSFPBorca.pdf .

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Unalaska - Dutch Harbor, Alaska

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Unalaska-Dutch Harbor is the #1 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #2 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Unalaska - Dutch Harbor:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 18¹

Total permits owned: 35¹

Permitholders who fished: **15**¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 79

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 94^{1,2}

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Unalaska - Dutch Harbor community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Unalaska - Dutch Harbor–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$24,472,366**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Unalaska - Dutch Harbor benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs (Aleutians West Census Area): **3,649**⁵ Alaska resident processing jobs: **1113**⁵ Total processing wages (2012): **\$62,553,154**⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: **27,523,388**⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$563 million**⁶

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. In 2012, **751 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Unalaska - Dutch Harbor for an estimated value of **\$214 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many transportation sector jobs.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Unalaska - Dutch Harbor** and the State of Alaska each received **\$8,526,685**⁸ in fishery business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Unalaska - Dutch Harbor fisheries landings and businesses. In addition, local fisheries taxes added \$4,792,199 to the City of Unalaska.

Footnotes - Sources:

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Valdez, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Valdez:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 42¹

Total permits owned: **70**¹

Permitholders who fished: 32¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 67²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: **99**^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 2.4%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 70 ; Home Ported: 84³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Valdez community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Valdez–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$3,463,491**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Valdez benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Valdez-Cordova Census Area: 1,730⁵ AK Resident seafood processing jobs in Cordova-Valdez: 242⁵ Total processing wages: \$18,404,124⁵ AK Resident seafood processing wages: \$4.6 million⁵ First wholesale value (2011): \$191 million⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Valdez Fisheries Development Association • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Valdez** and the State of Alaska each received \$ **274,176**⁸ in fisheries business tax through the municipal tax-sharing program from Valdez fisheries businesses.

Footnotes - Sources:

1. Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .

2. Crew numbers are from Alaska Department of Fish and Game 2012 Crew license list, and is the number of individuals who list their address in a given city. 3. Vessel home port numbers are from "AK CFEC Yearly 2012 Vessel CSV file available online at <u>http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/plook/</u> and is a count of commercial fishing licensed vessels that list home port in a given community.

4. 2012 Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm .

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Wrangell, Alaska

Commercial Fishing and Seafood Processing Facts

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Wrangell:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 211¹

Total permits owned: **406**¹

Permitholders who fished: 165¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 205^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 370^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 15.1%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 204 ; Home Ported: 218³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Wrangell community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Wrangell-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$12,337,501¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. Virtually every business in Wrangell benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Wrangell (2012): 280⁵ Alaska resident processing jobs: 86⁵ Total processing wages: \$2,616,692⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: \$1,085,927⁵ First wholesale value (2011 Petersburg-Wrangell Census Area): \$168 million 6

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries. Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Wrangell and the State of Alaska each received \$381,273⁸ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Wrangell fisheries landings and businesses.

Footnotes - Sources:

1. Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .

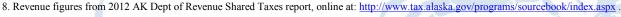
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fishing licensed vessels that list home port in a given community.

4. 2012 Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm

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- 6. Processor 1st wholesale value by Census Area 2011 is provided by Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute. 7. NOAA, NMFS Office of Science and Technology, see reports "Total Commercial Fishery Landings at Major U.S. Ports" ranked by value, by poundage

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Yakutat, Alaska

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Yakutat is the #91 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #65 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Yakutat:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 152¹

Total permits owned: 238¹

Permitholders who fished: **125**¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 58^2

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 183^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: 29.4%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 104; Home Ported: 112³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Yakutat community.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Yakutat-based fishermen in statewide fisheries: \$3,883,535¹

Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Yakutat benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Yakutat: **88**⁵ Alaska resident processing jobs: **46**⁵ Total processing wages: **\$1,231,611**⁵ Alaska resident processing wages: **858,433**⁵ First wholesale value (2011): **\$16 million**⁶

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists. **Government related jobs include** Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

TRANSPORTATION JOBS AND BENEFITS

In 2012, **5 million**⁷ pounds of seafood were landed in Yakutat for an estimated value of **\$14.6 million**⁷, and most of this was shipped or flown out, providing many more jobs.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – **Yakutat** and the State of Alaska each received **\$266,298**⁸ in fishery business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Yakutat fisheries.

Footnotes - Sources:

^{1.} Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm .

^{2.} Crew numbers are from Alaska Department of Fish and Game 2012 Crew license list, and is the number of individuals who list their address in a given city.

^{3.} Vessel home port numbers are from "AK CFEC Yearly 2012 Vessel CSV file available online at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/plook/ and is a count of commercial fishing licensed vessels that list home port in a given community.

^{4. 2012} Population figures used to calculate percentage of resident skippers who fished plus crew are from DCCED AK Community Information Database online at http://www.dced.state.ak.us/dca/commdb/CF_COMDB.htm.

^{5.} Processor Employment and Wages 2012 Data is from Alaska Department of Labor at http://labor.alaska.gov/research/seafood/statewide/AKSFPBorca.pdf .

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^{8.} Revenue figures from 2012 AK Dept of Revenue Shared Taxes report, online at: http://www.tax.alaska.gov/programs/sourcebook/index.aspx .

Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area, Alaska

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Kaltag is the #61 fishing port in the U.S. by Volume & #67 by Value of 2012 landings.

JOBS - FISHING

Permit holders, Crew and Vessels (2012) in Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area:

CFEC commercial fishing permit holders: 107¹

Total permits owned: **114**¹

Permitholders who fished: 24¹

Commercial Crew (full year) license holders: 28²

Total Skippers who fished plus Crew in 2012: 52^{1,2}

Percentage of local population who fished: .9%^{1,2,4}

Commercial Vessels Owned: 26 ; Home Ported: 27³

Each of these individual small and family businesses represents investment, employment, and income in the Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area communities.

Income:

Estimated 2012 ex-vessel income by Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area–based fishermen in statewide fisheries: **\$303,955**¹ Earnings generated from commercial fishing circulated in the local economy through property and sales taxes; purchases of homes, rentals, hotels, electricity, entertainment, fuel, vehicles, food, repair and maintenance parts, transportation, travel, medical, and other services. **Virtually every business in Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.**

JOBS - PROCESSING

Seafood processing jobs in Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area: **104**⁵ ; Alaska resident processing jobs: **96**⁵ Total processing wages: **\$180,142**⁵ ; Alaska resident processing wages: **\$145,915**⁵

...AND MORE JOBS

In addition to direct harvester and processor workers, fisheries related jobs include fuel, accountants, consultants, air and water travel, hardware and marine repair and supply businesses, advocacy and marketing organizations, air cargo crew, freight agents, and scientists.

Government related jobs include Alaska Department of Fish and Game • Fish and Wildlife Protection/Alaska Department of Public Safety • Docks and Harbors • Alaska State Troopers • United States Coast Guard • University of Alaska School of Fisheries• Alaska Sea Grant Marine Advisory program, and more.

REVENUE to the State and Community through Fishery Taxes ...

FY 2012 Shared taxes – Kaltag, and the State of Alaska each received $$450^8$ in fisheries business and landing taxes through the municipal tax-sharing program from Yukon - Koyukuk Census Area fisheries landings and businesses.

Yukon-Koyukuk Census Area includes communities of Anvik, Central, Fort Yukon, Galena, Grayling, Holy Cross, Hughes, Kaltag, McGrath, Nenana, Nulato, Rampart, Ruby, Shageluk, Stevens Village, Tanana, and Wiseman

Footnotes - Sources:

6. Processor 1st wholesale value by Census Area 2011 is provided by Alaska Seafood Marketing Institute.

^{1.} Commercial fishing permit activity, estimated harvest and earnings by permit holder are from AK Commercial Fishery Entry Commission (CFEC) at http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/mnu.htm.

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^{7.} NOAA, NMFS Office of Science and Technology, see reports "Total Commercial Fishery Landings at Major U.S. Ports" ranked by value, by poundage http://www.st.nmfs.noaa.gov/commercial-fisheries/commercial-landings/index .

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As Alaska's largest private-sector employer, commercial fishing is a major contributor to employment and wages. The fishing industry employs tens of thousands of individuals producing billions of pounds of seafood for the US and the world. Commercial fishing permitholders represent small and family-owned business, supporting dozens of other services businesses such as hardware and marine suppliers, fuel, accountants, air and water travel, shipping, boatbuilders, restaurants, scientists, educators, and administrators.

Virtually every business in Alaska benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

Key Statistics:

Percent of all active permit holders that are Alaska residents: 74%¹

Alaska resident commercial fishing permit holders who fished in 2012 – 7,160¹

Alaska commercial fishing full-year crew member licenses 2012 – 10,590²

Alaska licensed commercial fishing vessels registered to AK owners in 2012 – 7,384³

Alaska licensed commercial fishing vessels homeport listed in AK in 2012 – 8,385³

CFEC estimated earnings by AK-based permit holders 2012 - \$681 million¹

CFEC estimated harvest by AK-based permit holders, 2012 - 1.0 billion lbs.¹

NOAA total annual landings for Alaska in 2012 – 5.344 BILLION pounds⁴

NOAA total Alaska fisheries ex-vessel income in 2012 - \$ 1.69 BILLION⁴

Dept. of Labor Alaska resident processing employment 2012 – 7,667⁵

Dept. of Labor processing employment - total workers 2012 - 24,976⁵

Dept. of Labor Alaska resident processing wages – AK resident 2012 - \$137.6 million⁵

Dept. of Labor processing wages – Total 2012 - \$365 million⁵

Tax revenue to state of Alaska in FY 2012 - \$87.48 million⁶

Tax Revenue share to Alaska communities in FY 2012 - \$29.4 million⁶

Alaska total seafood export value in 2011 - \$3.147 billion⁷

Sources

1 - Alaska Commercial Fishery Entry Commission: http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/gpbycen/2012/00 AK.htm

ADF&G Crew Permit list – available by purchase from Alaska Department of Fish and Game.
 CFEC 2012 Commercial Fishing Vessel license list (CSV) available for download at

http://www.cfec.state.ak.us/plook/

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- http://www.tax.alaska.gov/programs/sourcebook/index.aspx
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- http://ebooks.alaskaseafood.org/ASMI annual report 2013 draft4/#/1/

State of Washington Alaska Commercial Fishing Facts

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Commercial fishing in Alaska is a major contributor to the greater Seattle area employment and wages. The fishing industry employs thousands of individuals earning millions of dollars, and producing billions of pounds of seafood for the US and the world.

Commercial fishing permitholders represent small and family-owned business, supporting dozens of other services businesses such as hardware and marine suppliers, fuel, accountants, air and water travel and shipping, boatbuilders, restaurants, scientists, and administrators.

Virtually every business in the greater Seattle area benefits from commercial fishing dollars.

Statistics are not readily available for AK seafood processing jobs and wages paid to Washington residents - the following numbers are for the harvesting (fishing) sector only:

Alaska commercial fishing permitholders who fished in 2012 – WA residents - 1,586¹

Alaska commercial fishing full-year crewmember licenses 2011 – WA residents: 5,111²

Total permitholders who fished plus crew 2012 – WA residents: 6,697^{1&2}

Alaska-licensed commercial fishing vessels owned in WA 2012 – 1,819³

CFEC estimated Alaska state fisheries earnings by WA-based permitholders, 2012: \$706 million¹

CFEC estimated harvest by WA-based permitholders in 2012: 2.97 billion pounds¹

Sources

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