



# Ocean Salmon Management Program

## Preliminary 2025 Oregon Ocean Recreational Salmon Estimates: Leadbetter Pt., WA and Cape Falcon, OR (Columbia River Catch Area)

Season: Open June 25 through **August 18, and August 30** ~~earlier of September 30 or quota~~. Bag limit of two salmon per day, but no more than one Chinook, and all Coho must have a healed adipose fin clip. Min. lengths: Coho 16", Chinook 22", and steelhead 20". Coho quota: 49,860; Chinook guideline: 16,600. Columbia River Control Zone closed to salmon angling from a boat.

### Preliminary Total Landings through 9/7/2025

	Chinook Landed	Coho Landed	
Oregon	2,714	19,500	
Washington	4,677	28,309	
<b>Total Landings</b>	<b>7,391</b>	<b>47,809</b>	
	Percent of Chinook Guideline (16,600)	44.5%	Percent of Mark Selective Coho Quota (49,860) 95.9%

### Preliminary Oregon Effort and Catch (Leadbetter Point, WA to Cape Falcon, OR) through 9/7/2025

Week or Period	No. Angler Trips	No. Fish Harvested		No. Fish Released		Retained Catch per Angler
		Coho	Chinook	Coho	Chinook	
June 9-15						NA
June 16-22					2	NA
June 23-29	377	471	61	194	70	1.41
Jun. 30-Jul. 6	955	1,494	137	673	174	1.71
July 7-13	346	414	33	195	28	1.29
July 14-20	861	1,293	93	469	29	1.62
July 21-27	2,623	4,422	376	2,792	219	1.83
Jul. 28-Aug. 3	4,039	5,534	939	3,178	422	1.60
August 4-10	3,441	4,535	796	3,464	656	1.55
August 11-17	424	388	163	308	124	1.30
August 18-24	354	475	56	293	81	1.50
August 25-31	615	397	63	472	63	0.75
Sept. 1-7						NA
Sept. 8-14						NA
Sept. 15-21						NA
Sept. 22-28						NA
Sept. 29-Oct. 5						NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>14,035</b>	<b>19,423</b>	<b>2,717</b>	<b>12,038</b>	<b>1,867</b>	<b>1.58</b>

Note: Red shading indicates when season closed.

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Week or Period	No. Angler Trips	No. Fish Harvested		Retained Catch per Angler
		Coho	Chinook	
June 9-15				NA
June 16-22				NA
June 23-29	1,494	1,388	288	1.12
Jun. 30-Jul. 6	2,879	4,178	517	1.63
July 7-13	1,307	1,671	188	1.42
July 14-20	2,882	4,395	351	1.65
July 21-27	6,124	9,554	1,002	1.72
Jul. 28-Aug. 3	8,446	11,319	2,095	1.59
August 4-10	9,323	10,552	2,085	1.36
August 11-17	2,621	2,197	484	1.02
August 18-24	1,035	1,176	218	1.35
August 25-31	2,346	1,379	163	0.66
Sept. 1-7				NA
Sept. 8-14				NA
Sept. 15-21				NA
Sept. 22-28				NA
Sept. 29-Oct. 5				NA
<b>Total</b>	<b>38,457</b>	<b>47,809</b>	<b>7,391</b>	<b>1.44</b>

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## US/Canada Border to Cape Falcon, OR Effort and Catch by Area

Supplemental Information Provided by Washington Dept. of Fish and Wildlife

	Angler Trips	Selective Coho Quotas	Chinook Area Guidelines and Overall Quota	Selective Fishery Landed Coho	% of Selective Coho Quota	Landed Chinook	% of Chinook Guideline	Updated Through
Neah Bay Ocean Catch Area	21,749	10,370	12,600	1,035	10.0%	9,504	75.4%	7-Sep
La Push Ocean Catch Area	2,942	2,590	2,280	2,648	102.2%	1,249	54.8%	7-Sep
Westport Ocean Catch Area	29,601	36,900	22,270	31,701	85.9%	13,819	62.1%	7-Sep
Columbia River Ocean Catch Area	38,457	49,860	16,600	47,809	95.9%	7,391	44.5%	31-Aug
<b>Total</b>	<b>92,749</b>	<b>99,720</b>	<b>53,750</b>	<b>83,193</b>		<b>31,963</b>		

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**In-season Management Actions Related to the 2025 Sport Ocean Salmon  
Seasons between Leadbetter Pt., WA and Cape Falcon, OR:**



8/14/2025 •Effective 12:01 AM Tuesday, August 19, 2025, the recreational fishery in the area between Cape Falcon and Leadbetter Point (Columbia River Subarea) is closed to fishing for salmon. Possession of salmon on board a vessel is prohibited in the Columbia River Subarea.

8/26/2025 •Effective 12:01 AM Saturday, August 30, 2025, the recreational fishery in the area between Cape Falcon and Leadbetter Point (Columbia River Subarea) is open to fishing for salmon. Two salmon per day, no more than one of which may be a Chinook. All coho must be marked with a healed adipose fin clip. Columbia River Control Zone is closed.

•Effective 12:01 AM Sunday, August 31, 2025, the recreational fishery in the area between Cape Falcon and Leadbetter Point (Columbia River Subarea) is closed to fishing for salmon. Possession of salmon on board a vessel is prohibited in the Columbia River Subarea.