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INTRODUCTION

This report provides a summary of the fishery for tunas in the eastern Pacific Ocean (EPO), summary assessments of the major stocks of tunas and billfishes that are exploited in the fishery, and an evaluation of the pelagic ecosystem in the EPO, in 2015.

The report is based on data available to the IATTC staff in March 2016. As a result, some of the data tables for 2015 are incomplete, and all data for 2014 and 2015 should be considered preliminary.

All weights of catches and discards are in metric tons (t). In the tables, 0 means no effort, or a catch of less than 0.5 t; - means no data collected; * means data missing or not available. The following acronyms are used:

Species:	
ALB	Albacore tuna (*Thunnus alalunga*)
BET	Bigeye tuna (*Thunnus obesus*)
BIL	Unidentified istiophorid billfishes
BKJ	Black skipjack (*Euthynnus lineatus*)
BLM	Black marlin (*Makaira indica*)
BUM	Blue marlin (*Makaira nigricans*)
BZX	Bonito (*Sarda* spp.)
CAR	Chondrichthyes, cartilaginous fishes nei[1]
CGX	Carangids (Carangidae)
DOX	Dorado (*Coryphaena* spp.)
MLS	Striped marlin (*Kajikia audax*)
MZZ	Osteichthyes, marine fishes nei
PBF	Pacific bluefin tuna (*Thunnus orientalis*)
SFA	Indo-Pacific sailfish (*Istiophorus platypterus)*
SKJ	Skipjack tuna (*Katsuwonus pelamis*)
SKX	Unidentified elasmobranchs
SSP	Shortbill spearfish (*Tetrapturus angustirostris*)
SWO	Swordfish (*Xiphias gladius*)
TUN	Unidentified tunas
YFT	Yellowfin tuna (*Thunnus albacares*)

Fishing gears:	
FPN	Trap
GN	Gillnet
HAR	Harpoon
LL	Longline
LP	Pole and line
LTL	Troll
LX	Hook and line
OTR	Other[2]
NK	Unknown
PS	Purse seine
RG	Recreational
TX	Trawl

Ocean areas:	
EPO	Eastern Pacific Ocean
WCPO	Western and Central Pacific Ocean

Set types:

[1] not elsewhere included

[2] Used to group known gear types

DEL	Dolphin
NOA	Unassociated school
OBJ	Floating object
	LOG: Flotsam
	FAD: Fish-aggregating device

Flags:	
IATTC Members & cooperating non-Members	
BLZ	Belize
BOL	Bolivia
CAN	Canada
CHN	China
COL	Colombia
CRI	Costa Rica
ECU	Ecuador
EU	European Union
EU (CYP)	Cyprus
EU (ESP)	Spain
EU (PRT)	Portugal
FRA	France
GTM	Guatemala
HND	Honduras
IDN	Indonesia
JPN	Japan
KIR	Kiribati
KOR	Republic of Korea
LBR	Liberia
MEX	Mexico
NIC	Nicaragua
PAN	Panama
PER	Peru
SLV	El Salvador
TWN	Chinese Taipei
USA	United States of America
VEN	Venezuela
VUT	Vanuatu
Other flags	
CHL	Chile
COK	Cook Islands
CYM	Cayman Islands
NZL	New Zealand
RUS	Russia
VCT	St. Vincent and the Grenadines
UNK	Unknown

Stock assessment:	
B	Biomass
C	Catch
CPUE	Catch per unit of effort
F	Rate of fishing mortality
MSY	Maximum sustainable yield
S	Index of spawning biomass
SBR	Spawning biomass ratio
SSB	Spawning stock biomass

This document summarizes the fisheries for species covered by the IATTC Convention (tunas and other fishes caught by tuna-fishing vessels) in the eastern Pacific Ocean (EPO). The most important of these are the scombrids (Family Scombridae), which include tunas, bonitos, seerfishes, and mackerels. The principal species of tunas caught are yellowfin, skipjack, bigeye, and albacore, with lesser catches of Pacific bluefin, black skipjack, and frigate and bullet tunas; other scombrids, such as bonitos and wahoo, are also caught.

This document also covers other species caught by tuna-fishing vessels in the EPO: billfishes (swordfish, marlins, shortbill spearfish, and sailfish) carangids (yellowtail, rainbow runner, and jack mackerel), dorado, elasmobranchs (sharks, rays, and skates), and other fishes.

Most of the catches are made by the purse-seine and longline fleets; the pole-and-line fleet and various artisanal and recreational fisheries account for a small percentage of the total catches.

Detailed data are available for the purse-seine and pole-and-line fisheries; the data for the longline, artisanal, and recreational fisheries are incomplete.

The IATTC Regional Vessel Register contains details of vessels authorized to fish for tunas in the EPO. The IATTC has detailed records of most of the purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels that fish for yellowfin, skipjack, bigeye, and/or Pacific bluefin tuna in the EPO. The Register is incomplete for small vessels. It contains records for most large (overall length >24 m) longline vessels that fish in the EPO and in other areas.

The data in this report are derived from various sources, including vessel logbooks, observer data, unloading records provided by canners and other processors, export and import records, reports from governments and other entities, and estimates derived from the species and size composition sampling program.

1. CATCHES AND LANDINGS OF TUNAS, BILLFISHES, AND ASSOCIATED SPECIES

Estimating the total catch of a species of fish is difficult, for various reasons. Some fish are discarded at sea, and the data for some gear types are incomplete. Data for fish discarded at sea by purse-seine vessels with carrying capacities greater than 363 metric tons (t) have been collected by observers since 1993, which allows for better estimation of the total amounts of fish caught by the purse-seine fleet. Estimates of the total amount of the catch that is landed (hereafter referred to as the retained catch) are based principally on data from unloadings. Beginning with Fishery Status Report 3, which reports on the fishery in 2004, the unloading data for purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels have been adjusted, based on the species composition estimates for yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas. The current species composition sampling program, described in Section 1.3.1, began in 2000, so the catch data for 2000-2015 are adjusted, based on estimates by flag for each year. The catch data for the previous years

were adjusted by applying the average ratio by species from the 2000-2004 estimates, by flag, and summing over all flags. This has tended to increase the estimated catches of bigeye and decrease those of yellowfin and/or skipjack. These adjustments are all preliminary, and may be improved in the future. All of the purse-seine and pole-and-line data for 2014 and 2015 are preliminary.

Data on the retained catches of most of the larger longline vessels are obtained from the governments of the nations that fish for tunas in the EPO. Longline vessels, particularly the larger ones, direct their effort primarily at bigeye, yellowfin, albacore, or swordfish. Data from smaller longliners, artisanal vessels, and other vessels that fish for tunas, billfishes, dorado, and sharks in the EPO were gathered either directly from the governments, from logbooks, or from reports published by the governments. Data for the western and central Pacific Ocean (WCPO) were provided by the Ocean Fisheries Programme of the Secretariat of the Pacific Community (SPC). All data for catches in the EPO by longlines and other gears for 2014 and 2015 are preliminary.

The data from all of the above sources are compiled in a database by the IATTC staff and summarized in this report. In recent years, the IATTC staff has increased its effort toward compiling data on the catches of tunas, billfishes, and other species caught by other gear types, such as trollers, harpooners, gillnetters, and recreational vessels. The estimated total catches from all sources mentioned above of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye in the entire Pacific Ocean are shown in Table A-1, and are discussed further in the sections below.

Estimates of the annual retained and discarded catches of tunas and other species taken by tuna-fishing vessels in the EPO during 1986-2015 are shown in Tables A-2a-c. The catches of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas by flag, during 1986-2015, are shown in Tables A-3a-e, and the purse-seine and pole-and-line catches of tunas and bonitos during 2014-2015 are summarized by flag in Table A-4. There were no restrictions on fishing for tunas in the EPO during 1988-1997, but the catches of most species have been affected by restrictions on fishing during some or all of the last six months of 1998-2015. Furthermore, regulations placed on purse-seine vessels directing their effort at tunas associated with dolphins have affected the way these vessels operate, especially since the late 1980s, as discussed in Section 3.

The catches have also been affected by climate perturbations, such as the major El Niño events that occurred during 1982-1983 and 1997-1998. These events made the fish less vulnerable to capture by purse seiners due to the greater depth of the thermocline, but had no apparent effect on the longline catches. Yellowfin recruitment tends to be greater after an El Niño event.

1.1. Catches by species

1.1.1. Yellowfin tuna

The annual catches of yellowfin during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-1. The EPO totals for 1993-2015 include discards from purse-seine vessels with carrying capacities greater than 363 t. The El Niño event of 1982-1983 led to a reduction in the catches in those years, whereas the catches in the WCPO were apparently not affected. Although the El Niño episode of 1997-1998 was greater in scope, it did not have the same effect on the yellowfin catches in the EPO. In the EPO, catches increased steadily to a high of 443 thousand t in 2002; they decreased substantially in 2004, reaching their lowest level during 2006-2008, at only 44% of the highest catches of the 2001-2003 period. The 2015 catch of 246 thousand t is greater than the average for the previous 5-year period (234 thousand t). In the WCPO, the catches of yellowfin reached a new high of 611 thousand t in 2014, surpassing the previous record of 600 thousand t in 2008.

The annual retained catches of yellowfin in the EPO by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-2a. The average annual retained catch during 2000-2014 was 257 thousand t (range: 167 to 413 thousand t). The preliminary estimate of the retained catch in 2015, 245

thousand t, was 5% larger than that of 2014, but 5% less than the average for 2000-2014. The average amount of yellowfin discarded at sea during 2000-2014 was about 1% of the total purse-seine catch (retained catch plus discards) of yellowfin (range: 0.1 to 2.4%) (Table A-2a).

The annual retained catches of yellowfin in the EPO by longliners during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-2a. During 1990-2003 catches averaged about 23 thousand t (range: 12 to 35 thousand t), or about 8% of the total retained catches of yellowfin. Longline catches declined sharply beginning in 2005, averaging 10 thousand t per year (range: 8 to 13 thousand t), or about 4% of the total retained catches, through 2014. Yellowfin are also caught by recreational vessels, as incidental catch in gillnets, and by artisanal fisheries. Estimates of these catches are shown in Table A-2a, under "Other gears" (OTR); during 2000-2014 they averaged about 1 thousand t.

1.1.2. Skipjack tuna

The annual catches of skipjack during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-1. Most of the skipjack catch in the Pacific Ocean is taken in the WCPO. Prior to 1999, WCPO skipjack catches averaged about 900 thousand t. Beginning in 1999, catches increased steadily from 1.1 million t to an all-time high of 2 million t in 2014. In the EPO, the greatest yearly catches occurred between 2003 and 2015, ranging from 153 to 333 thousand t, the record catch in 2015.

The annual retained catches of skipjack in the EPO by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-2a. During 2000-2014 the annual retained catch averaged 234 thousand t (range 144 to 297 thousand t). The preliminary estimate of the retained catch in 2015, 329 thousand t, is 41% greater than the average for 2000-2014, and 11% higher than the record-high retained catch of 2008. Discards of skipjack at sea decreased each year during the period, from 11% in 2000 to a low of less than 1% in 2014. During the period about 4% of the total catch of the species was discarded at sea (Table A-2a).

Small amounts of EPO skipjack are caught with longlines and other gears (Table A-2a).

1.1.3. Bigeye tuna

The annual catches of bigeye during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-1. Overall, the catches in both the EPO and WCPO have increased, but with considerable fluctuations. In the EPO, the average catch for the period was 104 thousand t, with a low of 73 thousand t in 1989 and a high of 149 thousand t in 2000. In the WCPO the catches of bigeye increased to more than 77 thousand t during the late 1970s, decreased during the early 1980s, and then increased steadily to 111 thousand t in 1996. In 1997 the total jumped to 153 thousand t, and reached a high of 178 thousand t in 2004. Since 2004 the catch has fluctuated between 130 and 155 thousand t.

The annual retained catches of bigeye in the EPO by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels during 1986-2015 are shown in Table A-2a. During 1993-1994 the use of fish-aggregating devices (FADs), placed in the water by fishermen to aggregate tunas, nearly doubled, and continued to increase in the following years. This resulted in greater catches of bigeye by purse-seine vessels. Before this increase, the annual retained catch of bigeye taken by purse-seine vessels in the EPO was about 5 thousand t (Table A-2a). As a result of the development of the FAD fishery, bigeye catches increased from 10 thousand t in 1993 to 35 thousand t in 1994, and further increased to between 44 and 95 thousand t during 1995-2014. The preliminary estimate of the retained catch in the EPO in 2015 is 63 thousand t.

During 2000-2014 the purse-seine catch of the species discarded at sea has steadily decreased, from 5% in 2000 to less than 1% in 2014, for an average discard rate of about 2.1%. No bigeye catch has been reported by pole-and-line vessels in recent years.

From 1986 to 1993, before the increase in the use of FADs, longliners caught an average of 95% of the

bigeye in the EPO (average 88 thousand t; range; 71 to 104 thousand t). During 2000-2014 this average dropped to 38%, with a low of 25% in 2008 (average: 42 thousand t; range: 26 to 74 thousand t) (Table A-2a). The preliminary estimate of the longline catch in the EPO in 2015 is 38 thousand t (Table A-2a).

Small amounts of bigeye are caught in the EPO by other gears, as shown in Table A-2a.

1.1.4. Bluefin tuna

The catches of Pacific bluefin in the EPO during 1986-2015, by gear, are shown in Table A-2a. Purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels accounted for over 94% of the total EPO retained catch during 2000-2014. During this period the annual retained catch of bluefin in the EPO by purse-seine vessels averaged 4.7 thousand t (range 1.2 to 9.9 thousand t). The preliminary estimate of the retained purse-seine catch of bluefin in 2015, 3.2 thousand t, is less than the average for 2000-2014 (Table A-2a).

The catches of Pacific bluefin in the entire Pacific Ocean, by flag and gear, are shown in Table A-5a. The data, which were obtained from the International Scientific Committee for Tuna and Tuna-like Species in the North Pacific Ocean (ISC), are reported by fishing nation or entity, regardless of the area of the Pacific Ocean in which the fish were caught.

Catches of Pacific bluefin by recreational gear in the EPO are reported in numbers of individual tuna caught, whereas all other gears report catch in weight (metric tons). These numbers are then converted to metric tons for inclusion in the EPO catch totals for all gears. The original catch data for 1986-2014, in numbers of fish, are presented in Table A-5b.

1.1.5. Albacore tuna

The catches of albacore in the EPO, by gear and area (north and south of the equator) are shown in Tables A-6. The catches of albacore in the EPO, by gear, are shown in Table A-2a. A significant portion of the albacore catch is taken by troll gear, included under “Other gears” (OTR) in Table A-2a.

1.1.6. Other tunas and tuna-like species

While yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas comprise the most significant portion of the retained catches of the purse-seine and pole-and-line fleets in the EPO, other tunas and tuna-like species, such as black skipjack, bonito, wahoo, and frigate and bullet tunas, contribute to the overall harvest in this area. The estimated annual retained and discarded catches of these species during 1986-2015 are presented in Table A-2a. The catches reported in the “unidentified tunas” category (TUN) in Table A-2a contain some catches reported by species (frigate or bullet tunas) along with the unidentified tunas. The total retained catch of these other species by these fisheries was 4.7 thousand t in 2015, which is less than the 2000-2014 average retained catch of 6.8 thousand t (range: 500 to 19 thousand t).

Black skipjack are also caught by other gears in the EPO, mostly by coastal artisanal fisheries. Bonitos are also caught by artisanal fisheries, and have been reported as catch by longline vessels in some years.

1.1.7. Billfishes

Catch data for billfishes (swordfish, blue marlin, black marlin, striped marlin, shortbill spearfish, and sailfish) are shown in Table A-2b.

In general, dolphins, sea turtles, whale sharks, and small fish are the only animals captured in the purse-seine fishery that are released alive. In previous versions of this report, all billfishes caught in that fishery were classified as discarded dead. When most of the individuals of species caught incidentally are discarded, the difference between catches and discards is not significant for those species, but as the rate of retention of species formerly discarded increases, part of the bycatch becomes catch, and the distinction becomes important. As a result of a review in 2010, this has been clarified in Table A-2b

with the addition of a column for retained catch next to the column for discards.

Swordfish are caught in the EPO with large-scale and artisanal longline gear, gillnets, harpoons, and occasionally with recreational gear. During 1999-2008 the longline catch of swordfish averaged 12 thousand t, but during 2012-2014 the average almost doubled to over 22 thousand t. It is not clear whether this is due to increased abundance of swordfish or increased effort directed toward that species.

Other billfishes are caught with large-scale and artisanal longline gear and recreational gear. The average annual longline catches of blue marlin and striped marlin during 2000-2014 were about 3.2 thousand and 1.9 thousand t, respectively. Smaller amounts of other billfishes are taken by longline.

Unfortunately, little information is available on the recreational catches of billfishes, but they are believed to be substantially less than the commercial catches for all species.

Small amounts of billfishes are caught by purse seiners, some are retained, and others are considered to be discarded although some may be landed but not reported. These data are also included in Table A-2b. During 2000-2014 purse seiners accounted about 1% of the total catch of billfishes in the EPO.

1.1.8. Other species

Data on the catches and discards of carangids (yellowtail, rainbow runner, and jack mackerel), dorado, elasmobranchs (sharks, rays, and skates), and other fishes caught in the EPO are shown in Table A-2c.

Bycatches in the purse-seine fishery are reported in Table A-2c as either retained or discarded. A revision was made to the allocation of catches into those categories as a result of a review in 2010.

Dorado are unloaded mainly in ports in Central and South America. Although the reported catches have been as high as 71 thousand t in recent years, the fishing gears used are often not reported.

1.2. Distributions of the catches of tunas

1.2.1. Purse-seine catches

The average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye, by set type, in the EPO during 2010-2014, are shown in Figures A-1a, A-2a, and A-3a, and preliminary estimates for 2015 are shown in Figures A-1b, A-2b, and A-3b.

The majority of the yellowfin catches in 2015 were taken north of the 5°N latitude in sets associated with dolphins, and in the area between Galapagos and the coast of the Americas in all three types of sets. Though yellowfin in unassociated schools is typically found closer to shore, moderate catches were found far offshore around the 135°W longitude south of the equator. As in previous years, most of the yellowfin south of the 5°N latitude was caught in sets on floating objects.

Most of the skipjack catches in 2015 occurred south of the 5°N latitude, in sets on floating objects and inshore unassociated school sets. The area off the coast of Peru produced the greatest 2015 skipjack catches, which were higher than that of previous years. A larger than normal offshore catch of skipjack was found around the 135°W longitude south of the equator in unassociated tuna sets.

Bigeye are not often caught north of about 7°N, and the catches of bigeye have decreased in the inshore areas off South America for several years. With the development of the fishery for tunas associated with FADs, the relative importance of the inshore areas has decreased, while that of the offshore areas has increased. Most of the bigeye catches are taken in sets on FADs between 5°N and 5°S.

1.2.2. Longline catches

Data on the spatial and temporal distributions of the catches in the EPO by the distant-water longline fleets of China, French Polynesia, Japan, the Republic of Korea, Spain, Chinese Taipei, the United States, and Vanuatu are maintained in databases of the IATTC. Bigeye and yellowfin tunas make up the majority of the catches by most of these vessels. The distributions of the catches of bigeye and yellowfin tunas in the Pacific Ocean by Chinese, Japanese, Korean, and Chinese Taipei longline vessels during 2010-2014 are shown in Figure A-4. Data for the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO during 1956-2007 are available in IATTC Bulletins describing that fishery.

1.3. Size compositions of the catches of tunas

1.3.1. Purse-seine, pole-and-line, and recreational fisheries

Length-frequency samples are the basic source of data used for estimating the size and age compositions of the various species of fish in the landings. This information is necessary to obtain age-structured estimates of the populations for various purposes, including the integrated modeling that the staff has employed during the last several years. The results of such studies have been described in several IATTC Bulletins, in its Annual Reports for 1954-2002, and in its Stock Assessment Reports.

Length-frequency samples of yellowfin, skipjack, bigeye, Pacific bluefin, and, occasionally, black skipjack from the catches of purse-seine, pole-and-line, and recreational vessels in the EPO are collected by IATTC personnel at ports of landing in Ecuador, Mexico, Panama, the USA, and Venezuela. The catches of yellowfin and skipjack were first sampled in 1954, bluefin in 1973, and bigeye in 1975. Sampling has continued to the present.

The methods for sampling the catches of tunas are described in the IATTC Annual Report for 2000 and in IATTC Stock Assessment Reports 2 and 4. Briefly, the fish in a well of a purse-seine or pole-and-line vessel are selected for sampling only if all the fish in the well were caught during the same calendar month, in the same type of set (floating-object, unassociated school, or dolphin), and in the same sampling area. These data are then categorized by fishery (Figure A-5), based on the staff's most recent stock assessments.

Data for fish caught during the 2010-2015 period are presented in this report. Two sets of length-frequency histograms are presented for each species, except bluefin and black skipjack; the first shows the data by stratum (gear type, set type, and area) for 2015, and the second shows the combined data for each year of the 2010-2015 period. For bluefin, the histograms show the 2007-2012 catches by commercial and recreational gear combined. For black skipjack, the histograms show the 2010-2015 catches by commercial gear. Only a small amount of catch was taken by pole-and-line vessels in 2013, 2014 and 2015, and no samples were obtained from these vessels.

For stock assessments of yellowfin, nine purse-seine fisheries (four associated with floating objects, three associated with dolphins, and two unassociated) and one pole-and-line fishery are defined (Figure A-5). The last fishery includes all 13 sampling areas. Of the 958 wells sampled during 2015, 686 contained yellowfin. The estimated size compositions of the fish caught are shown in Figure A-6a. The majority of the yellowfin catch was taken in sets associated with dolphins in the Northern and Inshore dolphin fisheries, primarily in the second quarter. Most of the larger yellowfin (>110 cm) were caught in the Northern and Inshore dolphin fisheries in the second and third quarters, and in the Southern unassociated fishery in the fourth quarter. Smaller yellowfin (<50 cm) were caught primarily in the Equatorial floating object fishery during the fourth quarter.

The estimated size compositions of the yellowfin caught by all fisheries combined during 2010-2015 are shown in Figure A-6b. The average weight of the yellowfin caught in 2015 (9.0 kg) was among the lowest

for the 6 year period, much less than the high of 13.3 kg in 2012.

For stock assessments of skipjack, seven purse-seine fisheries (four associated with floating objects, two unassociated, one associated with dolphins) and one pole-and-line fishery are defined (Figure A-5). The last two fisheries include all 13 sampling areas. Of the 958 wells sampled, 628 contained skipjack. The estimated size compositions of the fish caught during 2015 are shown in Figure A-7a. Large amounts of skipjack in the 35- to 50-cm size range were caught in the Southern floating-object fishery in all four quarters, and to a lesser extent in the Northern, Equatorial and Inshore floating-object fisheries in the first, second and third quarters, as well as in the Southern unassociated fishery during the first and second quarters. Larger skipjack in the 65- to 80-cm size range were taken in the Southern floating-object fishery during the third and fourth quarters.

The estimated size compositions of the skipjack caught by all fisheries combined during 2010-2015 are shown in Figure A-7b. The average weight of skipjack in 2015 (1.9 kg) was the lowest for the 6-year period, and much less than the high of 2.5 kg in 2013.

For stock assessments of bigeye, six purse-seine fisheries (four associated with floating objects, one unassociated, one associated with dolphins) and one pole-and-line fishery are defined (Figure A-5). The last three fisheries include all 13 sampling areas. Of the 958 wells sampled, 209 contained bigeye. The estimated size compositions of the fish caught during 2015 are shown in Figure A-8a. Smaller bigeye in the 40- to 80-cm size range was taken primarily in the Northern floating-object fishery during the second quarter, and in the Southern floating-object fishery in the fourth quarter. Larger bigeye (>100 cm) were caught primarily in the Southern floating-object fishery in the fourth quarter.

The estimated size compositions of bigeye caught by all fisheries combined during 2010-2015 are shown in Figure A-8b. The average weight of bigeye in 2015 (4.7 kg) was the lowest for the 6 year period, much less than the high of 8.0 kg in 2011.

Pacific bluefin are caught by purse-seine and recreational gear off California and Baja California from about 23°N to 35°N, with most of the catch being taken during May through October. During 2012 bluefin were caught between 28°N and 32°N from June through August. The majority of the catches of bluefin by both commercial and recreational vessels were taken during July and August. Prior to 2004, the sizes of the fish in the commercial and recreational catches have been reported separately. During 2004-2012, however, small sample sizes made it infeasible to estimate the size compositions separately. Therefore, the sizes of the fish in the commercial and recreational catches of bluefin were combined for each year of the 2004-2012 period. The average weight of the fish caught during 2012 (14.2 kg) was less than that of 2011 (15.4 kg), but very close to the average weights in 2009 and 2010. The estimated size compositions are shown in Figure A-9. Prior to 2013, IATTC staff collected length-frequency samples from recreational vessels with landings in San Diego and from purse seiners. Beginning in 2013, sampling of recreational vessels was taken over by the U.S. National Marine Fisheries Service (NMFS). Very few samples were collected from commercial purse-seiners in 2013, 2014 and 2015. The size composition estimates for bluefin will be updated after development of a methodology that will incorporate the changes in sampling.

Black skipjack are caught incidentally by fishermen who direct their effort toward yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tuna. The demand for this species is low, so most of the catches are discarded at sea, but small amounts, mixed with the more desirable species, are sometimes retained. The estimated size compositions for each year of the 2010-2015 period are shown in Figure A-10.

1.3.2. Longline fishery

The estimated size compositions of the catches of yellowfin and bigeye by the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO during 2010-2014 are shown in Figures A-11 and A-12. The average weight of yellowfin in 2014 (62.7 kg) was greater than the previous 4 years (44.7 to 62.1 kg). The average weight of bigeye in 2014 was consistent with the previous four years at 56.3 kg. Information on the size compositions of fish caught by the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO during 1958-2008 is available in IATTC Bulletins describing that fishery.

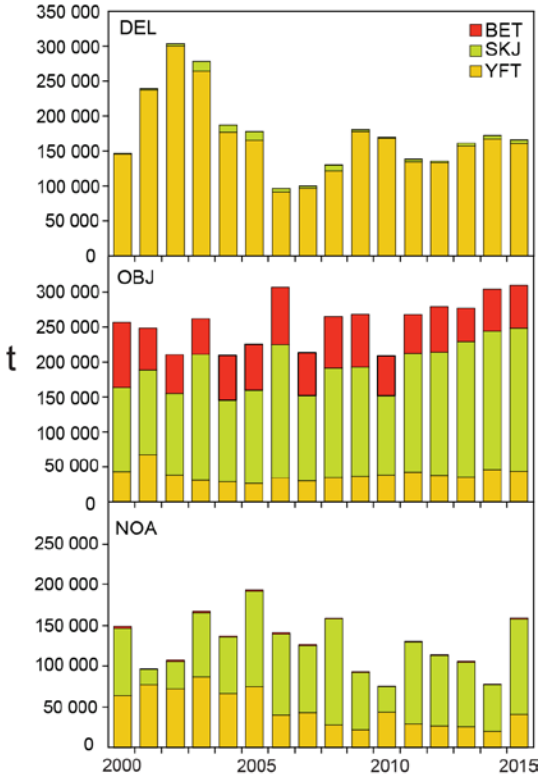

Figure 1. Purse-seine catches of tunas, by species and set type, 2000-2015

1.4. Catches of tunas and bonitos, by flag and gear

The annual retained catches of tunas and bonitos in the EPO during 1986-2015 by flag and gear, are shown in Tables A-3a-e. These tables include all of the known catches of tunas and bonitos compiled from various sources, including vessel logbooks, observer data, unloading records provided by canners and other processors, export and import records, estimates derived from the species and size composition sampling program, reports from governments and other entities, and estimates derived from the species- and size-composition sampling program. Similar information on tunas and bonitos prior to 2001, and historical data for tunas, billfishes, sharks, carangids, dorado, and miscellaneous fishes are available on the IATTC website. The purse-seine catches of tunas and bonitos in 2014 and 2015, by flag, are summarized in Table A-4. Of the 646 thousand t of tunas and bonitos caught in 2015, 47% were caught by Ecuadorian vessels, and 21% by Mexican vessels. Other countries with significant catches of tunas and bonitos in the EPO included Panama (10 %), Venezuela (6%), Colombia (6%) and United States (4%).

2. FISHING EFFORT

2.1. Purse seine

Estimates of the numbers of purse-seine sets of each type (associated with dolphins, associated with floating objects, and unassociated) in the EPO during the 2000-2015 period, and the retained catches of these sets, are shown in Table A-7 and in Figure 1. The estimates for vessels ≤363 t carrying capacity were calculated from logbook data in the IATTC statistical data base, and those for vessels >363 t carrying capacity were calculated from the observer data bases of the IATTC, Colombia, Ecuador, the European Union, Mexico, Nicaragua, Panama, the United States, and Venezuela. The greatest numbers of sets associated with floating objects and unassociated sets were made from the mid-1970s to the early 1980s. Despite opposition to fishing for tunas associated with dolphins and the refusal of U.S. canners to accept tunas caught during trips during which sets were made on dolphin-associated fish, the numbers of sets associated with dolphins decreased only moderately during the mid-1990s, and in 2003 were the greatest recorded.

There are two types of floating objects, flotsam and fish-aggregating devices (FADs). The occurrence of the former is unplanned from the point of view of the fishermen, whereas the latter are constructed by

fishermen specifically for the purpose of attracting fish. The use of FADs increased sharply in 1994, with the percentage of FADs almost doubling from the previous year, to almost 69% of all floating-object sets. Their relative importance has continued to increase since then, reaching 97% of all floating-object sets by vessels with >363 t carrying capacity in recent years, as shown in Table A-8.

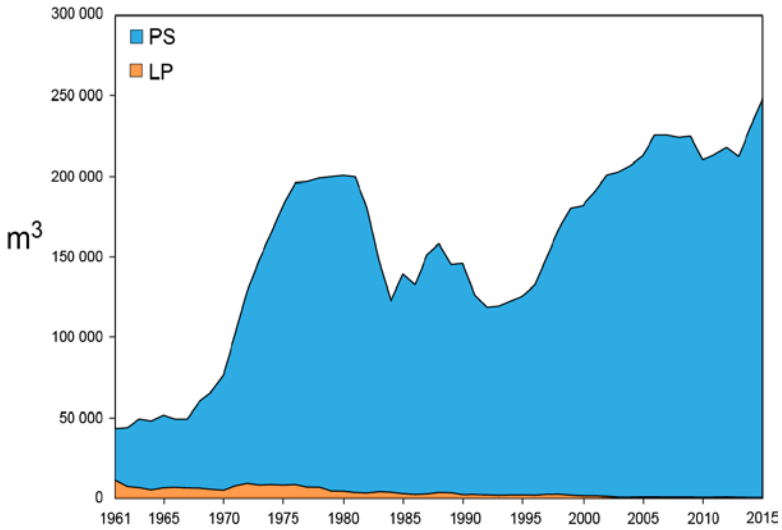

Figure 2. Carrying capacity, in cubic meters of well volume, of the purse-seine and pole-and-line fleets in the EPO, 1961-2015

2.2. Longline

The reported nominal fishing effort (in thousands of hooks) by longline vessels in the EPO, and their catches of the predominant tuna species, are shown in Table A-9.

3. THE FLEETS

3.1. The purse-seine and pole-and-line fleets

The IATTC staff maintains detailed records of gear, flag, and fish-carrying capacity for most of the vessels that fish with purse-seine or pole-and-line gear for yellowfin, skipjack, bigeye, and/or Pacific bluefin tuna in the EPO. The fleet described here includes purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels that have fished all or part of the year in the EPO for any of these four species.

Historically, the owner's or builder's estimates of carrying capacities of individual vessels, in tons of fish, were used until landing records indicated that revision of these estimates was required.

Since 2000, the IATTC has used well volume, in cubic meters (m^3), instead of weight, in metric tons (t), to measure the carrying capacities of the vessels. Since a well can be loaded with different densities of fish, measuring carrying capacity in weight is subjective, as a load of fish packed into a well at a higher density weighs more than a load of fish packed at a lower density. Using volume as a measure of capacity eliminates this problem.

The IATTC staff began collecting capacity data by volume in 1999, but has not yet obtained this information for all vessels. For vessels for which reliable information on well volume is not available, the estimated capacity in metric tons was converted to cubic meters.

Until about 1960, fishing for tunas in the EPO was dominated by pole-and-line vessels operating in coastal regions and in the vicinity of offshore islands and banks. During the late 1950s and early 1960s most of the larger pole-and-line vessels were converted to purse seiners, and by 1961 the EPO fishery was dominated by these vessels. From 1961 to 2015 the number of pole-and-line vessels decreased from 93 to 1, and their total well volume from about 11 thousand to about 125 m^3. During the same period the number of purse-seine vessels increased from 125 to 243, and their total well volume from about 32 thousand to about 248 thousand m^3, an average of about 1,021 m^3 per vessel. An earlier peak in numbers and total well volume of purse seiners occurred from the mid-1970s to the early 1980s, when the number of vessels reached 282 and the total well volume about 195 thousand m^3, an average of about 700 m^3 per vessel (Table A-10; Figure 2).

The catch rates in the EPO were low during 1978-1981, due to concentration of fishing effort on small fish, and the situation was exacerbated by a major El Niño event, which began in mid-1982 and persisted until late 1983 and made the fish less vulnerable to capture. The total well volume of purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels then declined as vessels were deactivated or left the EPO to fish in other areas, primarily the western Pacific Ocean, and in 1984 it reached its lowest level since 1971, about 119 thousand m^3. In early 1990 the U.S. tuna-canning industry adopted a policy of not purchasing tunas caught during trips during which sets on tunas associated with dolphins were made. This caused many U.S.-flag vessels to leave the EPO, with a consequent reduction in the fleet to about 117 thousand m^3 in 1992. With increases in participation of vessels of other nations in the fishery, the total well volume has increased steadily since 1992, and in 2015 was 248 thousand m^3.

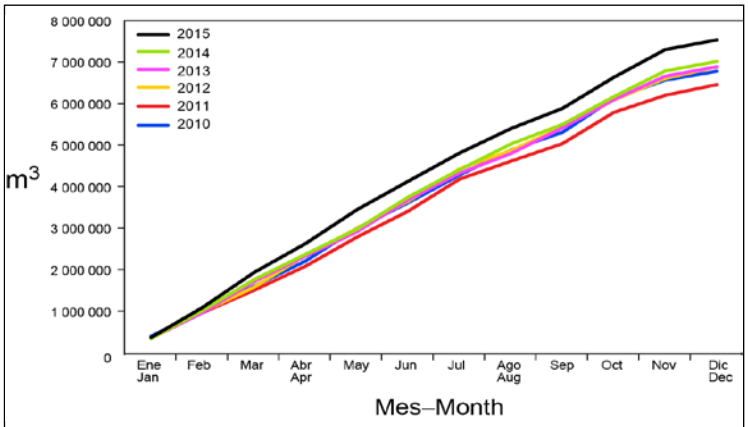

Figure 3. Cumulative capacity of the purse-seine and pole-and-line fleet at sea, by month, 2010-2015

The 2014 and preliminary 2015 data for numbers and total well volumes of purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels that fished for tunas in the EPO are shown in Tables A-11a and A-11b. During 2015, the fleet was dominated by vessels operating under the Ecuadorian and Mexican flags, with about 37% and 23%, respectively, of the total well volume; they were followed by Venezuela (8%), Panama (8%), United States (7%), Colombia (6%), European Union (Spain) (4%), Nicaragua (3%), El Salvador (2%), and Guatemala and Peru (1% each). The sum of the percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding.

The cumulative capacity at sea during 2015 is compared to those of the previous five years in Figure 3.

The monthly average, minimum, and maximum total well volumes at sea (VAS), in thousands of cubic meters, of purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels that fished for tunas in the EPO during 2005-2014, and the 2015 values, are shown in Table A-12. The monthly values are averages of the VAS estimated at weekly intervals by the IATTC staff. The fishery was regulated during some or all of the last four months of 2000-2015, so the VAS values for September-December 2015 are not comparable to the average VAS values for those months of 2000-2015. The average VAS values for 2005-2014 and 2015 were 136 thousand m^3 (62% of total capacity) and 145 thousand m^3 (58% of total capacity), respectively.

3.2. Other fleets of the EPO

Information on other types of vessels that fish for tunas in the EPO is available in the IATTC's Regional Vessel Register, on the IATTC website. The Register is incomplete for small vessels. In some cases, particularly for large longline vessels, the Register contains information for vessels authorized to fish not only in the EPO, but also in other oceans, and which may not have fished in the EPO during 2015, or ever.

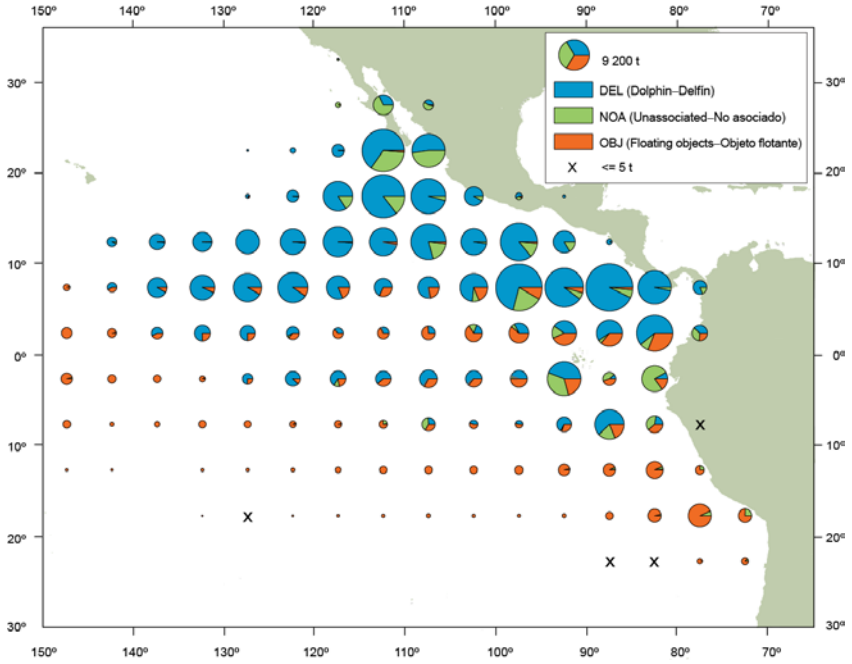

FIGURE A-1a. Average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of yellowfin, by set type, 2010-2014. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of yellowfin caught in those 5° by 5° areas.
FIGURA A-1a. Distribución media anual de las capturas cerqueras de aleta amarilla, por tipo de lance, 2010-2014. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de aleta amarilla capturado en la cuadrícula de 5° x 5° correspondiente.

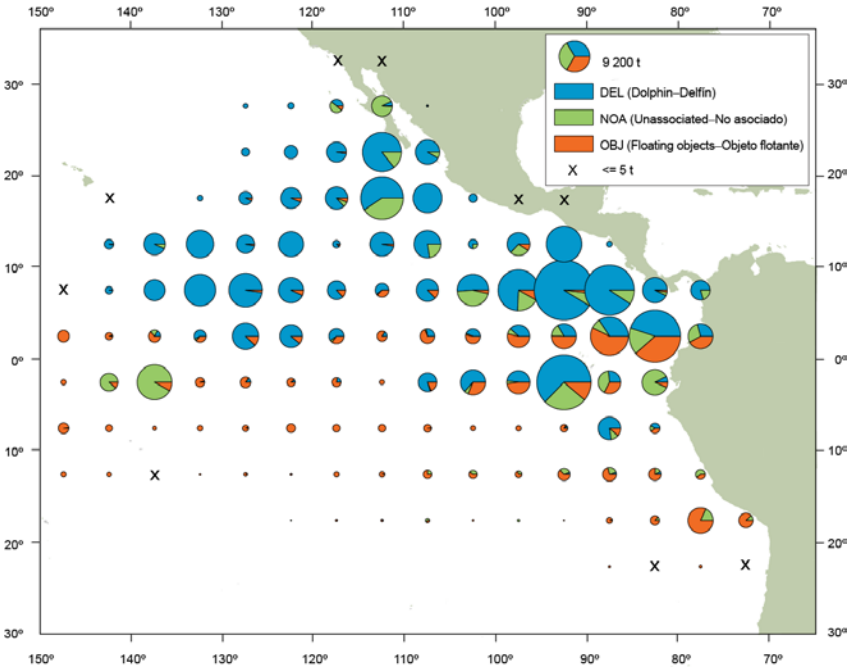

FIGURE A-1b. Annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of yellowfin, by set type, 2015. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of yellowfin caught in those 5° by 5° areas.
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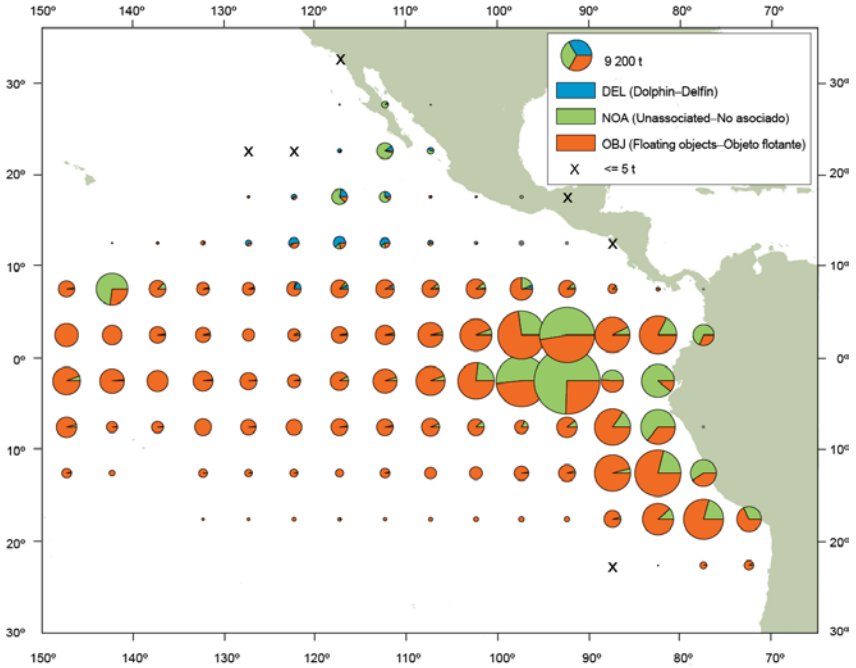

FIGURE A-2a. Average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of skipjack, by set type, 2010-2014. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of skipjack caught in those 5° by 5° areas.
FIGURA A-2a. Distribución media anual de las capturas cerqueras de barrilete, por tipo de lance, 2010-2014. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de barrilete capturado en la cuadrícula de 5° x 5° correspondiente.

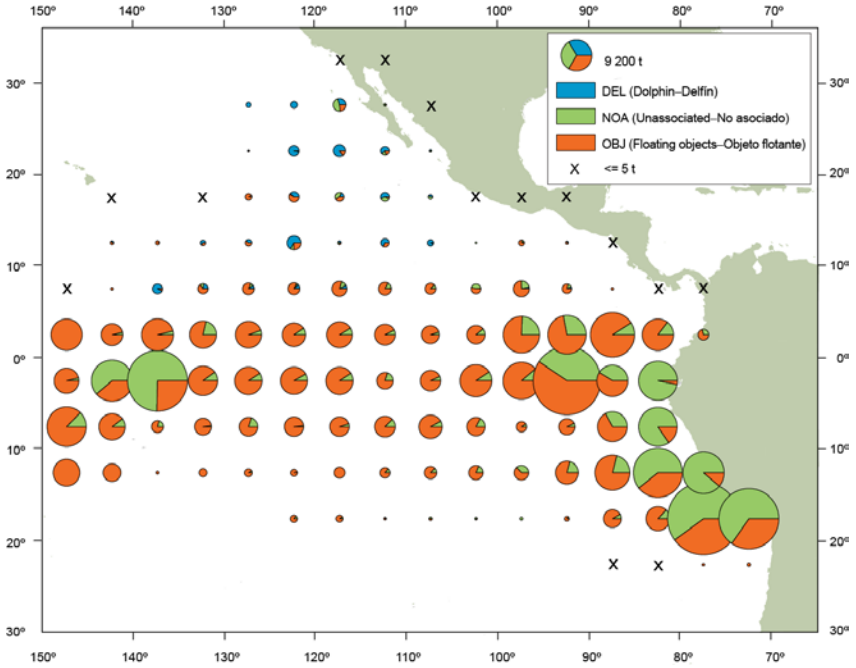

FIGURE A-2b. Annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of skipjack, by set type, 2015. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of skipjack caught in those 5° by 5° areas.
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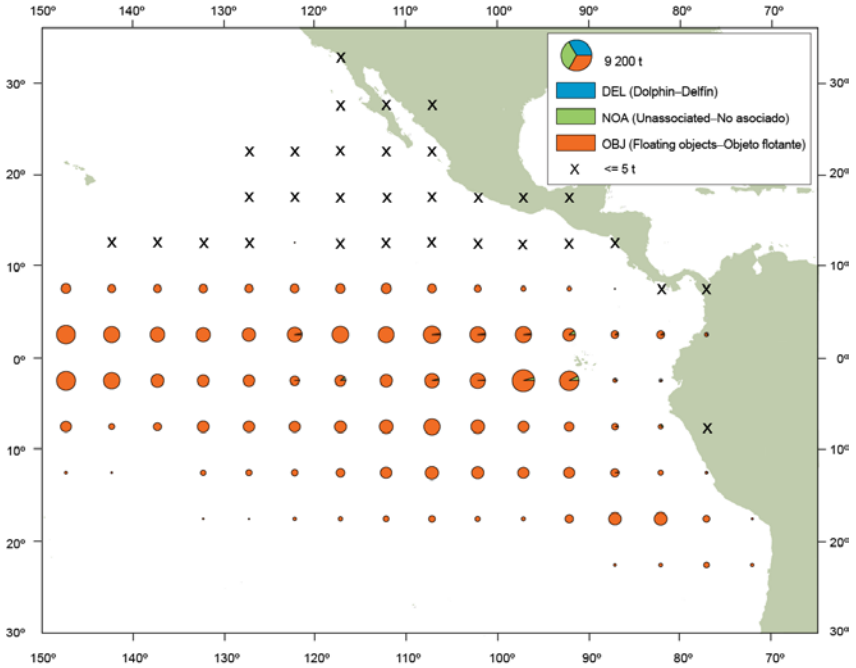

FIGURE A-3a. Average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of bigeye, by set type, 2010-2014. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of bigeye caught in those 5° by 5° areas.
FIGURA A-3a. Distribución media anual de las capturas cerqueras de patudo, por tipo de lance, 2010-2014. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de patudo capturado en la cuadrícula de 5° x 5° correspondiente.

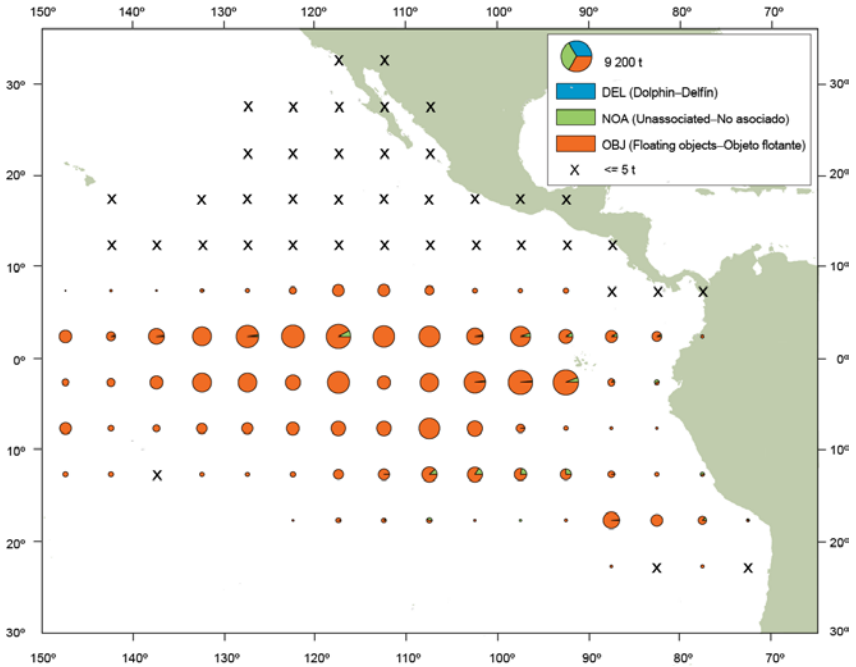

FIGURE A-3b. Annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of bigeye, by set type, 2015. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of bigeye caught in those 5° by 5° areas.
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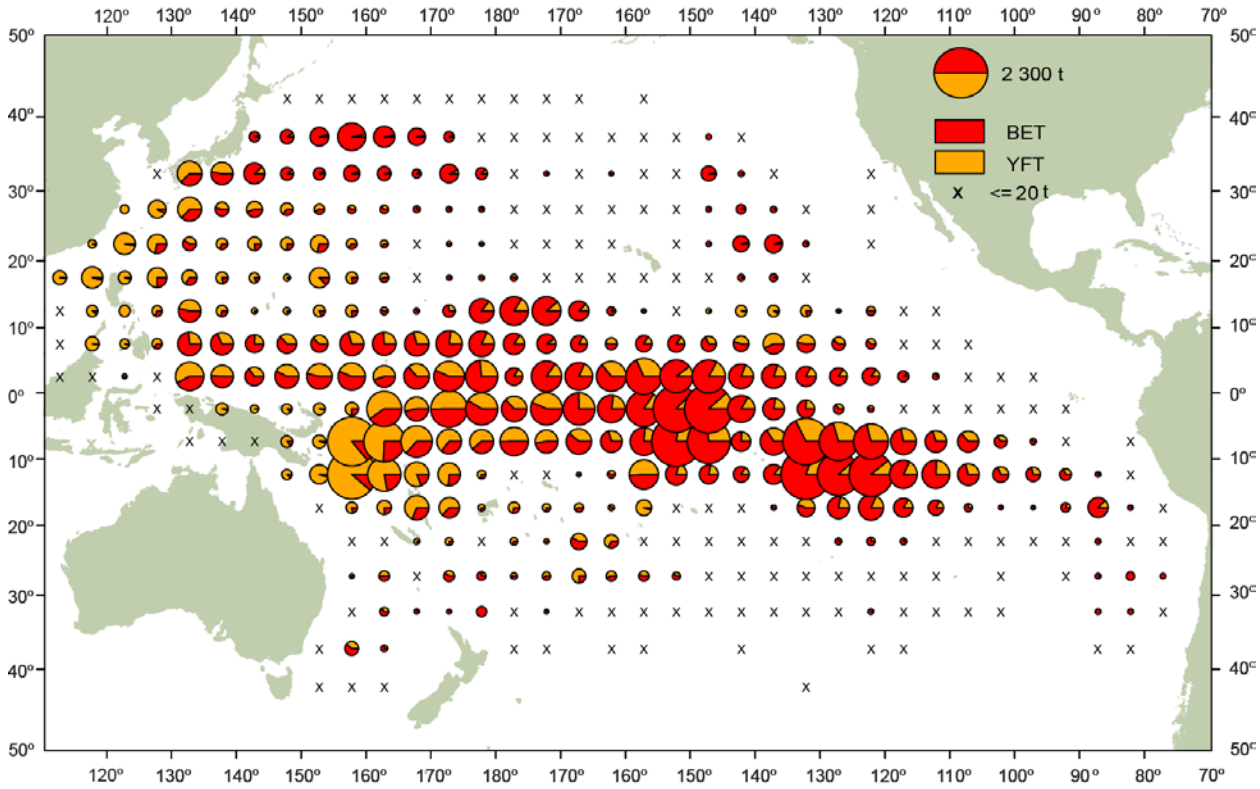

FIGURE A-4. Distributions of the average annual catches of bigeye and yellowfin tunas in the Pacific Ocean, in metric tons, by Chinese, Japanese, Korean, and Chinese Taipei longline vessels, 2010-2014. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of bigeye and yellowfin caught in those 5° by 5° areas.

FIGURA A-4. Distribución de las capturas anuales medias de atunes patudo y aleta amarilla en el Océano Pacifico, en toneladas métricas, por buques palangreros de China, Corea, Japón, y Taipei Chino, 2010-2014. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de patudo y aleta amarilla capturado en la cuadrícula de 5° x 5° correspondiente.

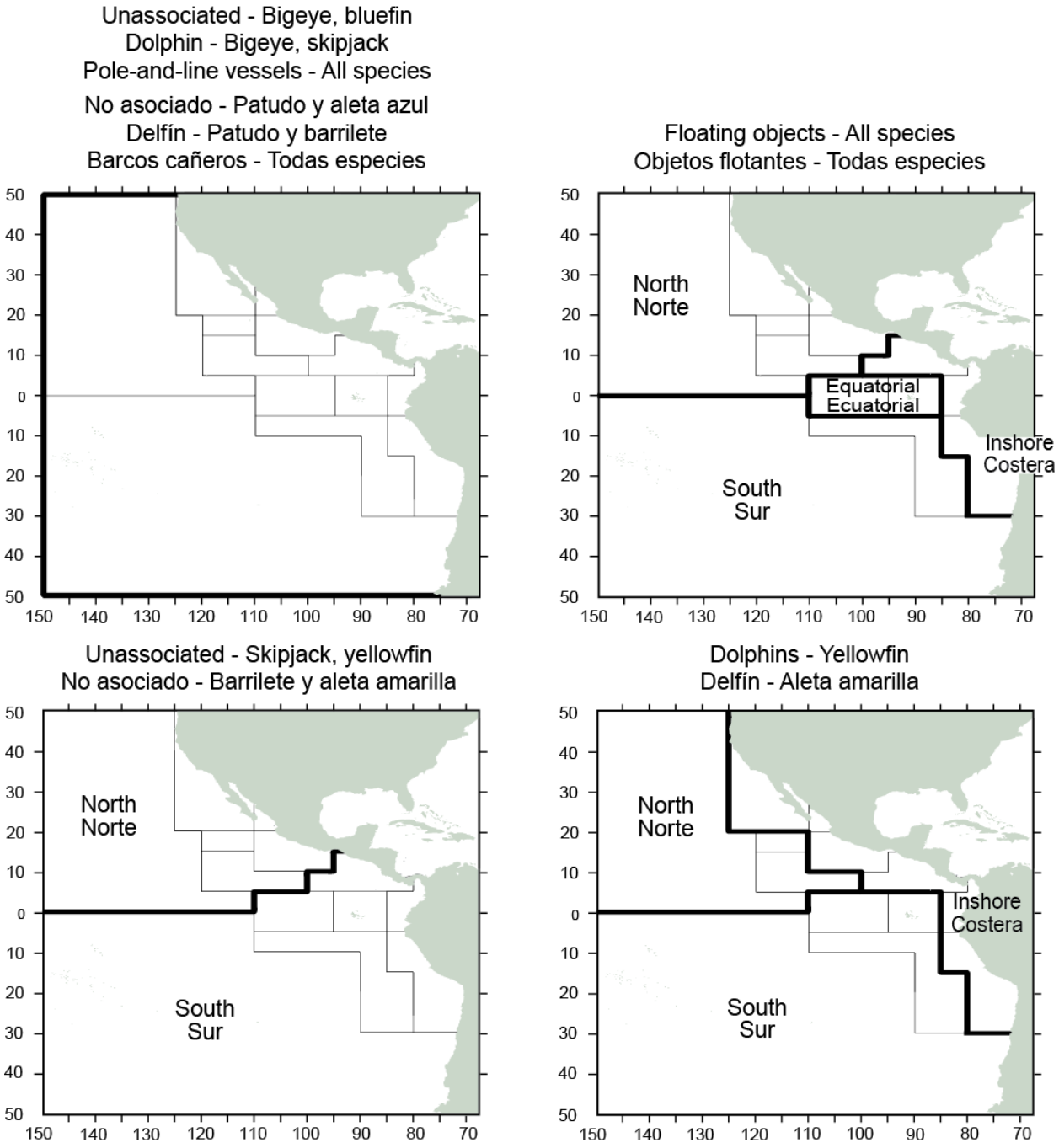

FIGURE A-5. The fisheries defined by the IATTC staff for stock assessment of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye in the EPO. The thin lines indicate the boundaries of the 13 length-frequency sampling areas, and the bold lines the boundaries of the fisheries.

FIGURA A-5. Las pesquerías definidas por el personal de la CIAT para la evaluación de las poblaciones de atún aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo en el OPO. Las líneas delgadas indican los límites de las 13 zonas de muestreo de frecuencia de tallas, y las líneas gruesas los límites de las pesquerías.

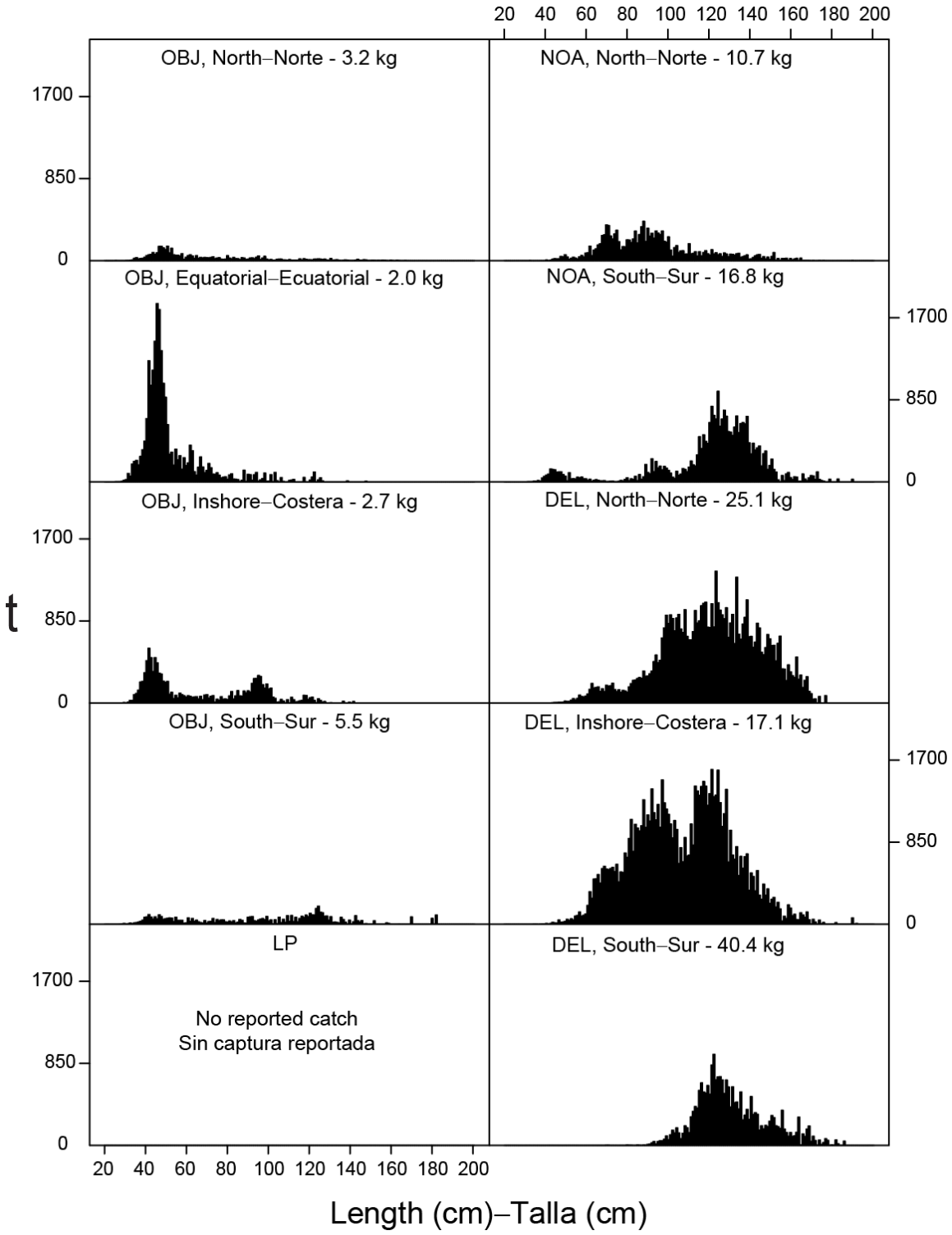

FIGURE A-6a. Estimated size compositions of the yellowfin caught in the EPO during 2015 for each fishery designated in Figure A-5. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

FIGURA A-6a. Composición por tallas estimada del aleta amarilla capturado en el OPO durante 2015 en cada pesquería ilustrada en la Figura A-5. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.

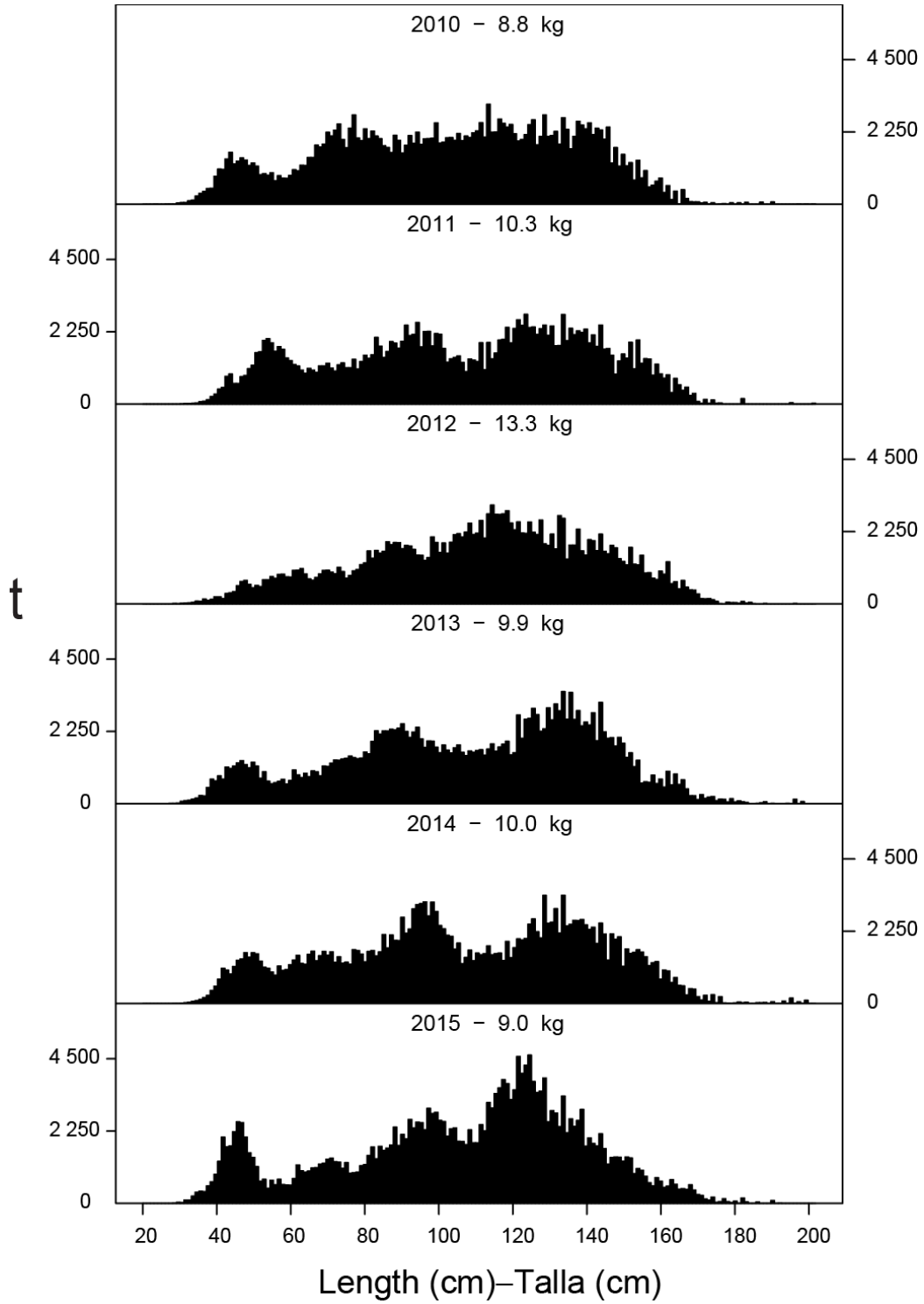

FIGURE A-6b. Estimated size compositions of the yellowfin caught by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels in the EPO during 2010-2015. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

FIGURA A-6b. Composición por tallas estimada del aleta amarilla capturado por buques cerqueros y cañeros en el OPO durante 2010-2015. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.

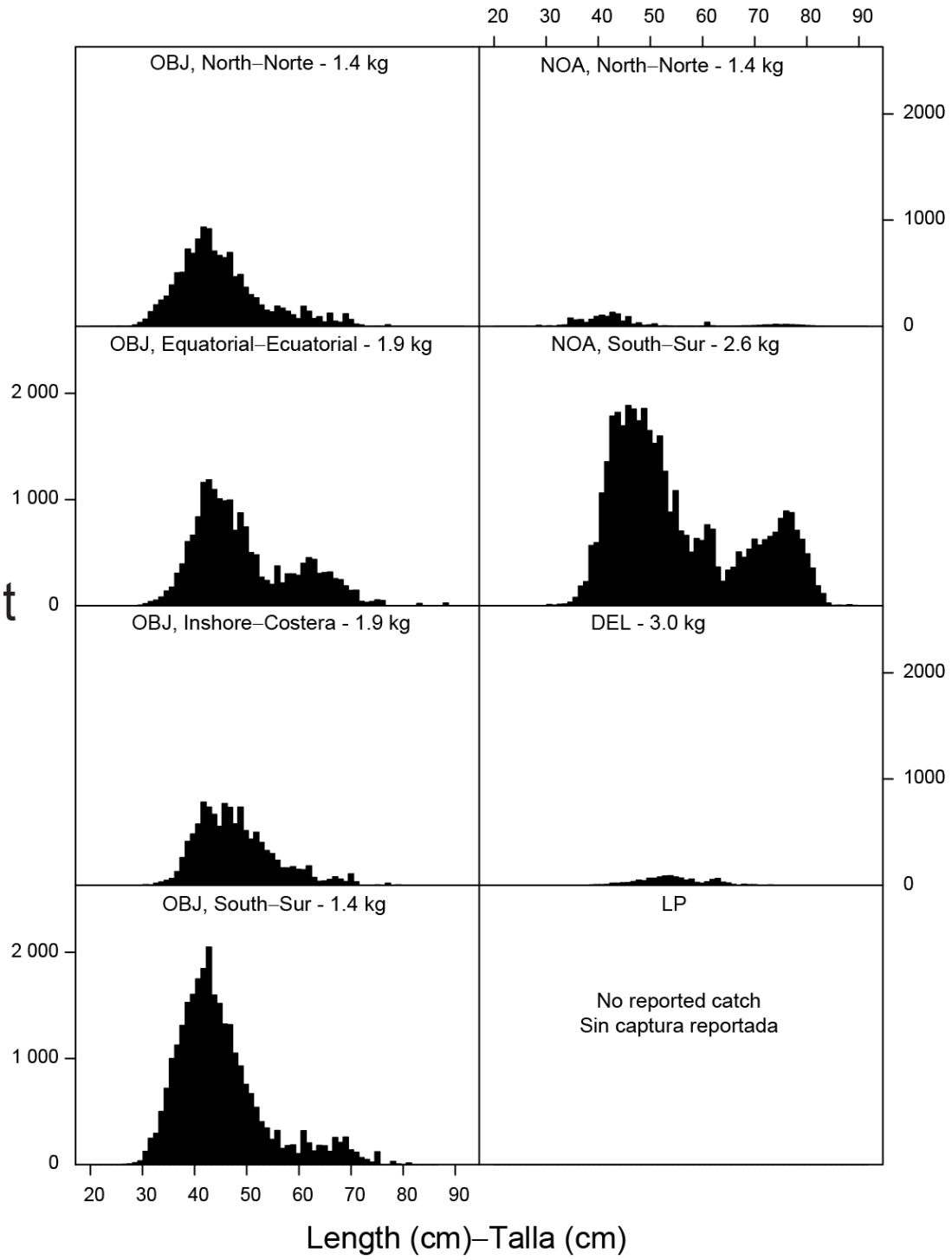

FIGURE A-7a. Estimated size compositions of the skipjack caught in the EPO during 2015 for each fishery designated in Figure A-5. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

FIGURA A-7a. Composición por tallas estimada del barrilete capturado en el OPO durante 2015 en cada pesquería ilustrada en la Figura A-5. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.

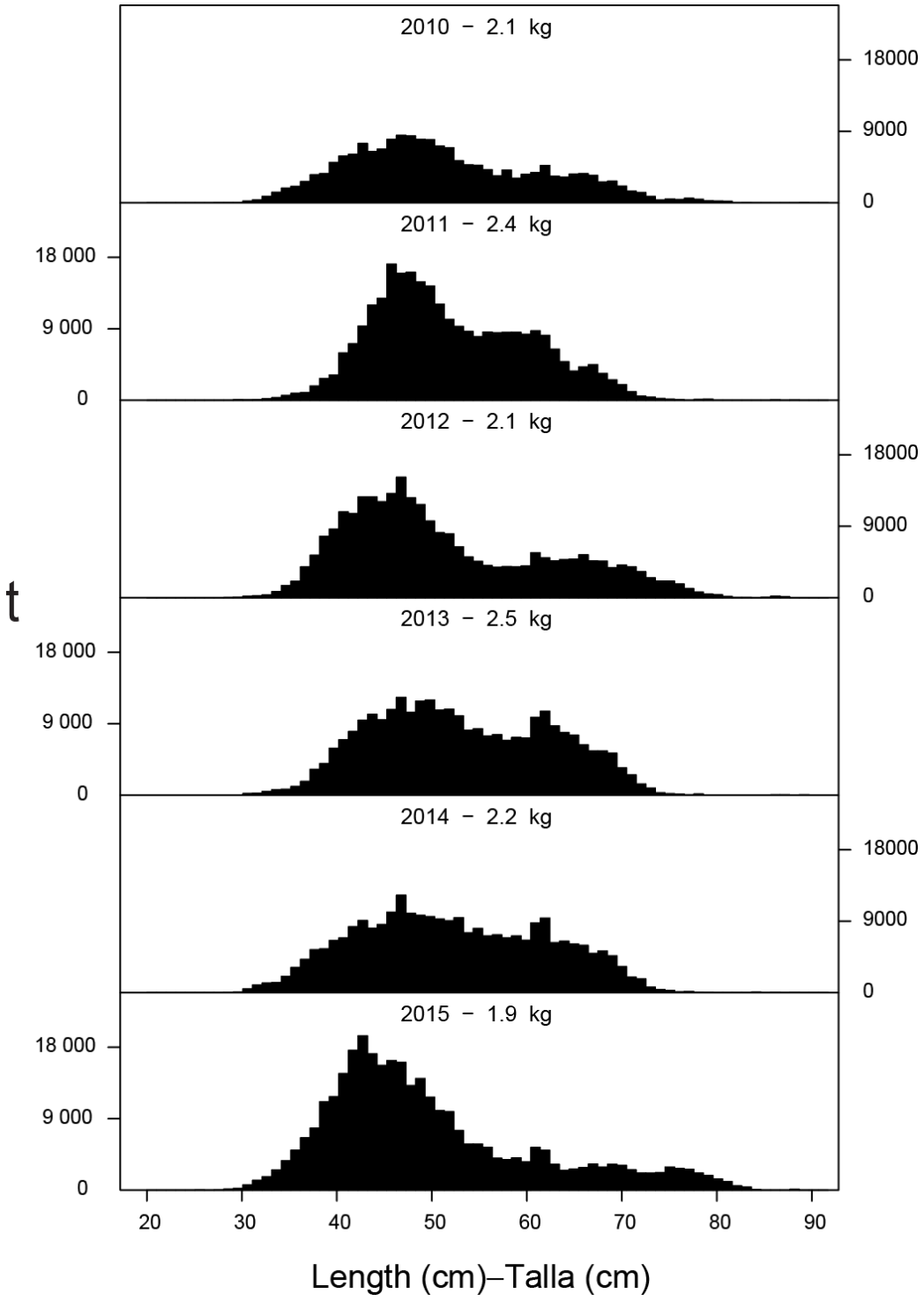

FIGURE A-7b. Estimated size compositions of the skipjack caught by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels in the EPO during 2010-2015. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

FIGURA A-7b. Composición por tallas estimada del barrilete capturado por buques cerqueros y cañeros en el OPO durante 2010-2015. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.

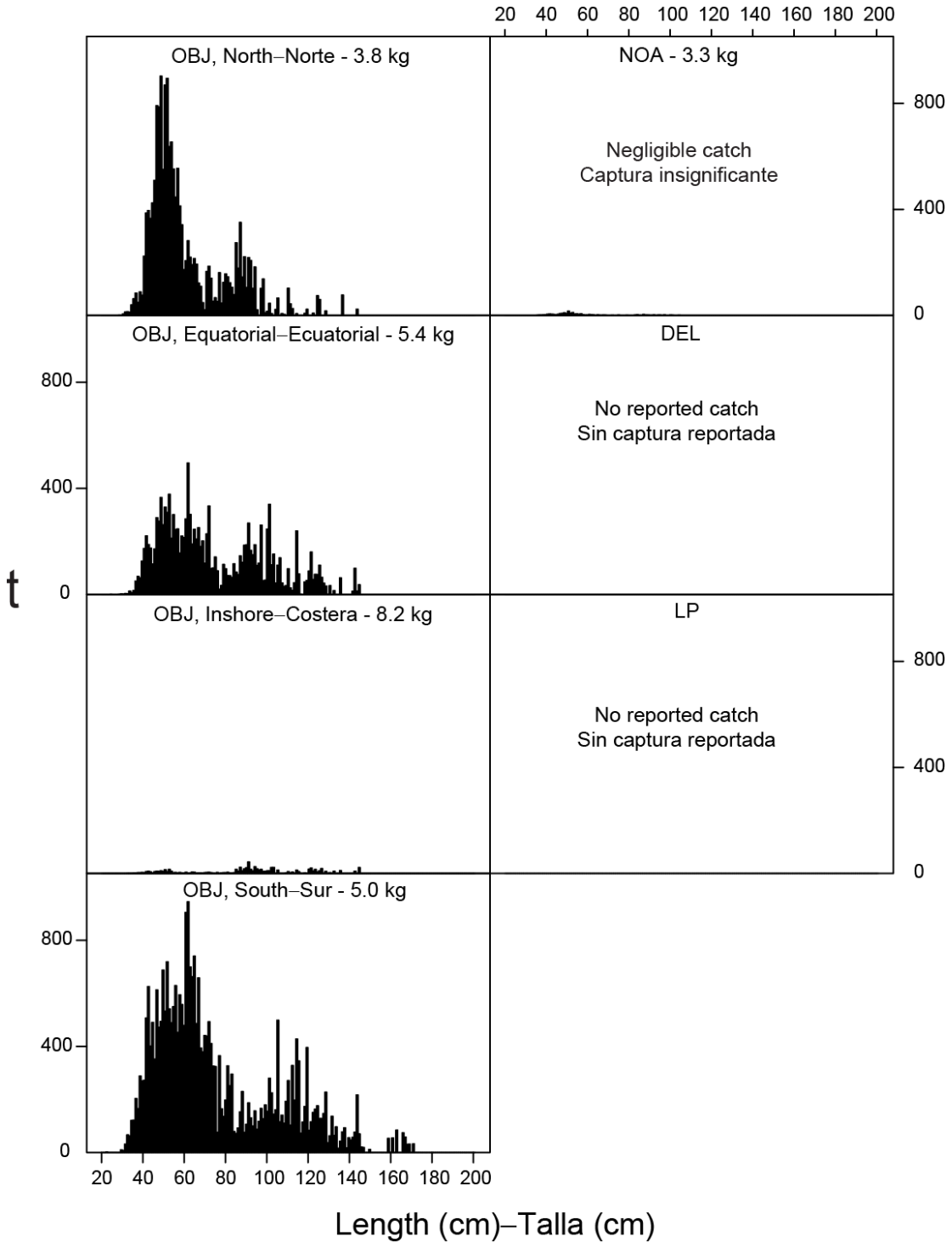

FIGURE A-8a. Estimated size compositions of the bigeye caught in the EPO during 2015 for each fishery designated in Figure A-5. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

FIGURA A-8a. Composición por tallas estimada del patudo capturado e en el OPO durante 2015 en cada pesquería ilustrada en la Figura A-5. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.

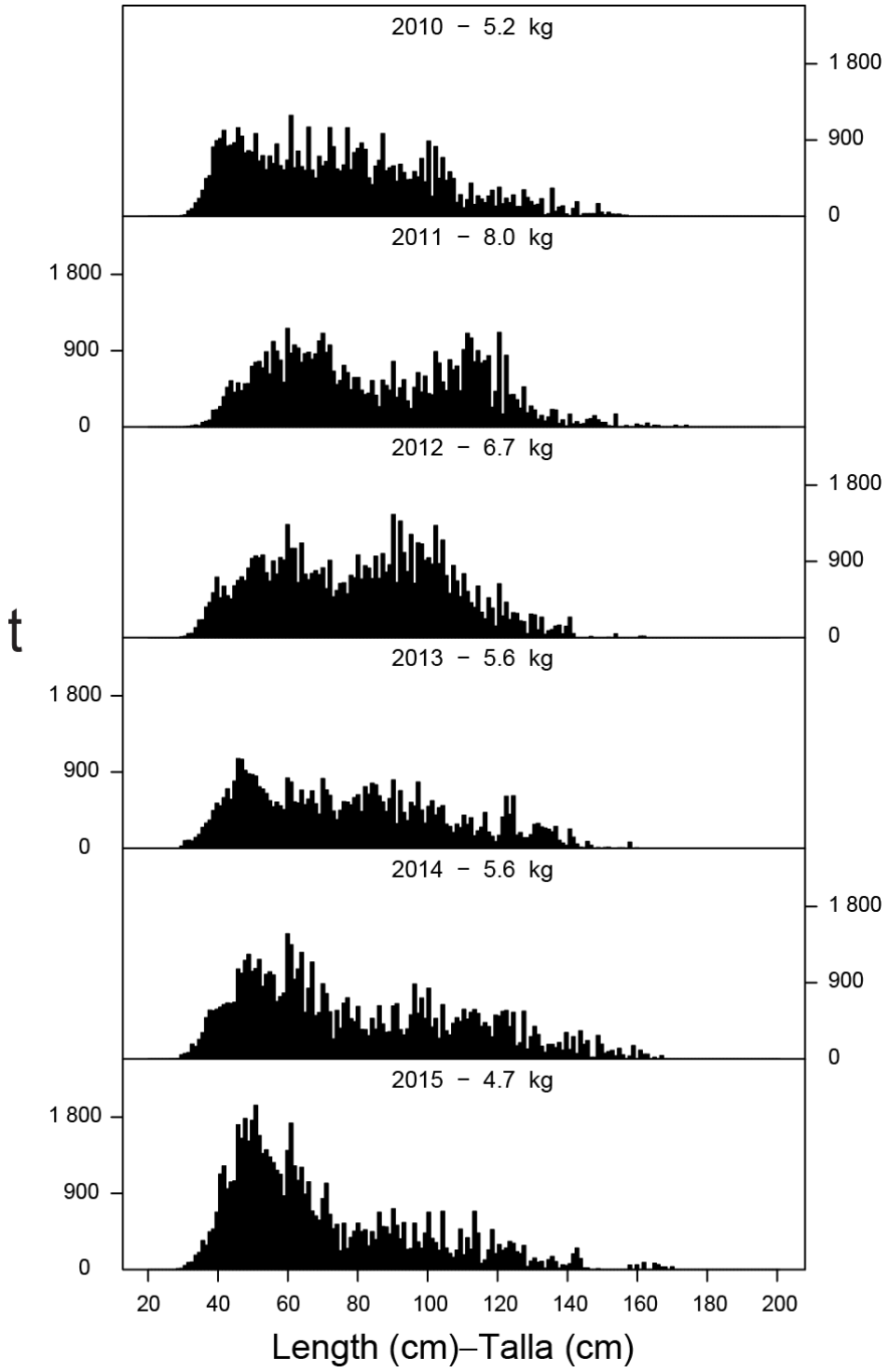

FIGURE A-8b. Estimated size compositions of the bigeye caught by purse-seine vessels in the EPO during 2010-2015. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.
FIGURA A-8b. Composición por tallas estimada del patudo capturado por buques cerqueros en el OPO durante 2010-2015. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.

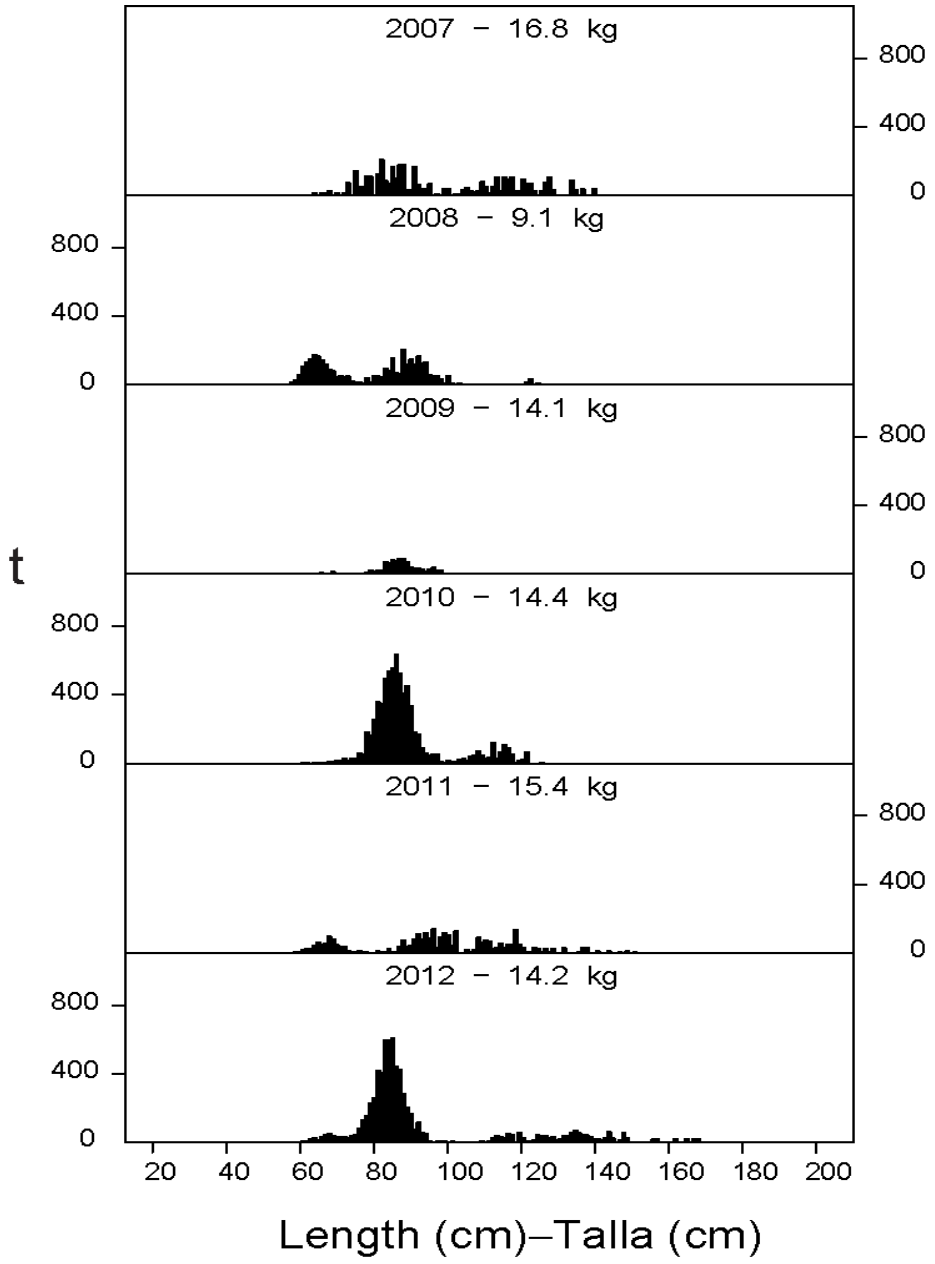

FIGURE A-9. Estimated catches of Pacific bluefin by purse-seine and recreational gear in the EPO during 2007-2012. The values at the tops of the panels are the average weights.

FIGURA A-9. Captura estimada de aleta azul del Pacífico con arte de cerco y deportiva en el OPO durante 2007-2012. El valor en cada recuadro representa el peso promedio.

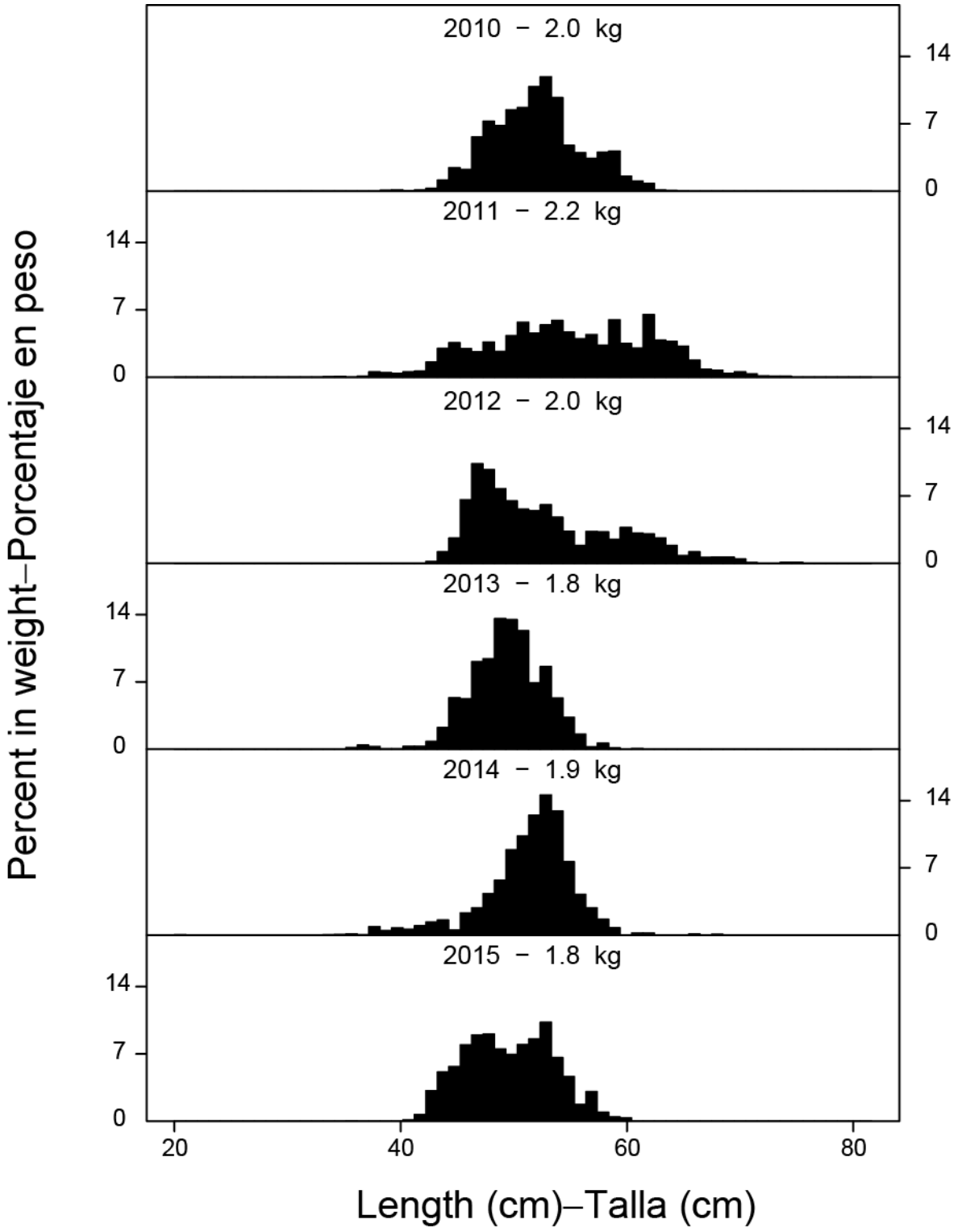

FIGURE A-10. Preliminary size compositions of the catches of black skipjack by purse-seine vessels in the EPO during 2010-2015. The values at the tops of the panels are the average weights.
FIGURA A-10. Composición por tallas preliminar del barrilete negro capturado por buques cerqueros en el OPO durante 2010-2015. El valor en cada recuadro representa el peso promedio.

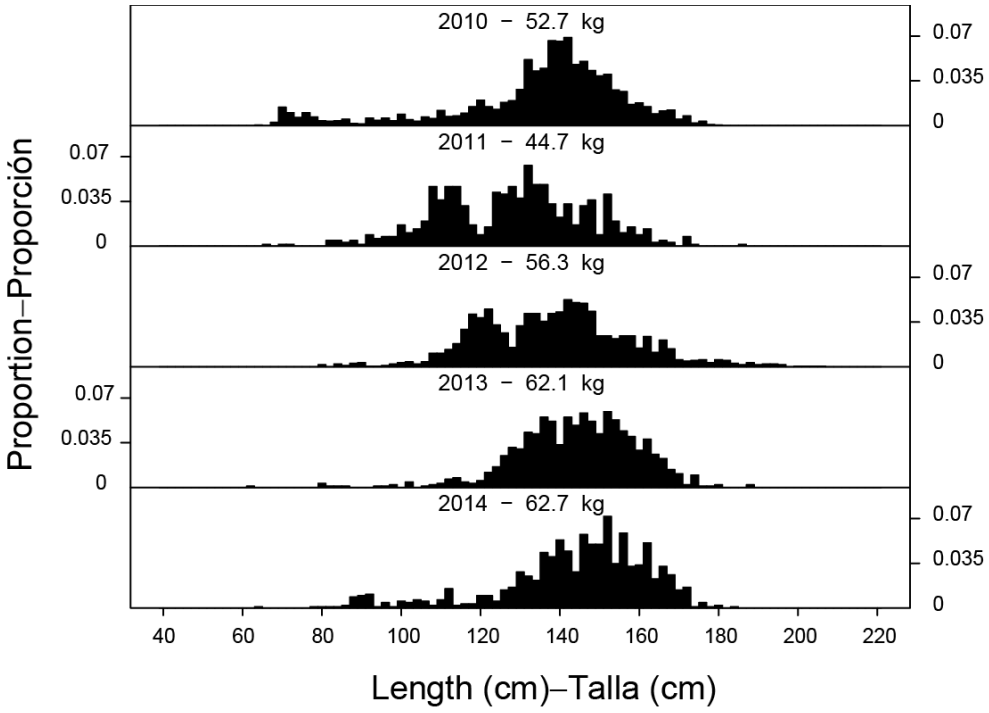

FIGURE A-11. Estimated size compositions of the catches of yellowfin tuna by the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO, 2010-2014.

FIGURA A-11. Composición por tallas estimada de las capturas de atún aleta amarilla por la pesquería palangrera japonesa en el OPO, 2010-2014.

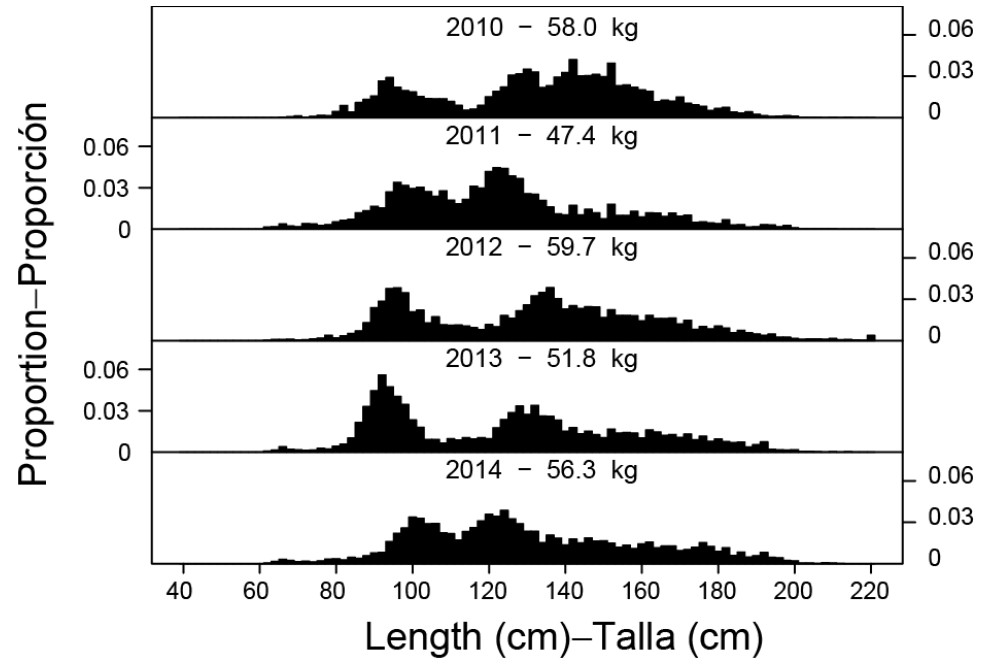

FIGURE A-12. Estimated size compositions of the catches of bigeye tuna by the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO, 2010-2014.

FIGURA A-12. Composición por tallas estimada de las capturas de atún patudo por la pesquería palangrera japonesa en el OPO, 2010-2014.

TABLE A-1. Annual catches of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas, by all types of gear combined, in the Pacific Ocean. The EPO totals for 1993-2015 include discards from purse-seine vessels with carrying capacities greater than 363 t. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-1. Capturas anuales de atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo, por todas las artes combinadas, en el Océano Pacífico. Los totales del OPO de 1993-2015 incluyen los descartes de buques cerqueros de más de 363 t de capacidad de acarreo. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	YFT			SKJ			BET			Total		
	EPO	WCPO	Total	EPO	WCPO	Total	EPO	WCPO	Total	EPO	WCPO	Total
1986	286,071	261,924	547,995	67,745	724,313	792,058	105,185	84,521	189,706	459,001	1,070,758	1,529,759
1987	286,164	309,133	595,297	66,466	668,025	734,491	101,347	100,805	202,152	453,977	1,077,963	1,531,940
1988	296,428	305,338	601,766	92,127	805,563	897,690	74,313	92,590	166,903	462,868	1,203,491	1,666,359
1989	299,436	353,660	653,096	98,921	781,360	880,281	72,994	99,281	172,275	471,351	1,234,301	1,705,652
1990	301,522	393,720	695,242	77,107	854,147	931,254	104,851	115,998	220,849	483,480	1,363,865	1,847,345
1991	265,970	420,683	686,653	65,890	1,073,169	1,139,059	109,121	99,510	208,631	440,981	1,593,362	2,034,343
1992	252,514	428,646	681,160	87,294	968,767	1,056,061	92,000	118,445	210,445	431,808	1,515,858	1,947,666
1993	256,199	369,497	625,696	100,434	923,772	1,024,206	82,843	102,713	185,556	439,476	1,395,982	1,835,458
1994	248,071	409,241	657,312	84,661	987,223	1,071,884	109,331	116,890	226,221	442,063	1,513,354	1,955,417
1995	244,639	405,168	649,807	150,661	1,019,647	1,170,308	108,210	105,853	214,063	503,510	1,530,668	2,034,178
1996	266,928	408,246	675,174	132,335	1,017,270	1,149,605	114,706	110,547	225,253	513,969	1,536,063	2,050,032
1997	277,575	495,043	772,618	188,285	909,915	1,098,200	122,274	152,836	275,110	588,134	1,557,794	2,145,928
1998	280,606	596,550	877,156	165,489	1,174,372	1,339,861	93,954	165,622	259,576	540,049	1,936,544	2,476,593
1999	304,638	509,888	814,526	291,249	1,053,848	1,345,097	93,078	147,512	240,590	688,965	1,711,248	2,400,213
2000	286,865	557,523	844,388	230,480	1,164,767	1,395,247	148,557	132,005	280,562	665,902	1,854,295	2,520,197
2001	425,008	522,700	947,708	157,676	1,089,463	1,247,139	130,546	133,607	264,153	713,230	1,745,770	2,459,000
2002	443,458	478,462	921,920	167,048	1,265,455	1,432,503	132,806	155,888	288,694	743,312	1,899,805	2,643,117
2003	415,933	534,295	950,228	300,470	1,260,323	1,560,793	115,175	127,306	242,481	831,578	1,921,924	2,753,502
2004	296,847	571,444	868,291	217,249	1,357,963	1,575,212	110,722	177,973	288,695	624,818	2,107,380	2,732,198
2005	286,492	542,796	829,288	283,453	1,404,304	1,687,757	110,514	140,907	251,421	680,459	2,088,007	2,768,466
2006	180,519	473,940	654,459	309,090	1,502,445	1,811,535	117,328	151,544	268,872	606,937	2,127,929	2,734,866
2007	182,141	506,961	689,102	216,324	1,654,655	1,870,979	94,260	137,070	231,330	492,725	2,298,686	2,791,411
2008	197,328	599,881	797,209	307,699	1,627,984	1,935,683	103,350	145,279	248,629	608,377	2,373,144	2,981,521
2009	250,413	534,257	784,670	239,408	1,792,632	2,032,040	109,255	144,552	253,807	599,076	2,471,441	3,070,517
2010	261,871	552,896	814,767	153,092	1,694,169	1,847,261	95,408	130,110	225,518	510,371	2,377,175	2,887,546
2011	216,720	515,378	732,098	283,509	1,539,530	1,823,039	89,460	153,329	242,789	589,689	2,208,237	2,797,926
2012	213,310	585,831	799,141	273,519	1,771,848	2,045,367	102,687	154,391	257,078	589,516	2,512,070	3,101,586
2013	231,803	547,990	779,793	284,043	1,830,821	2,114,864	86,063	142,492	228,555	601,909	2,521,303	3,123,212
2014	246,512	611,307	857,819	265,644	1,972,512	2,238,156	95,809	155,370	251,179	607,965	2,739,189	3,347,154
2015	246,380	*	246,380	333,456	*	333,456	101,652	*	101,652	681,488	*	681,488

TABLE A-2a. Estimated retained catches (Ret.), by gear type, and estimated discards (Dis.), by purse-seine vessels with carrying capacities greater than 363 t only, of tunas and bonitos, in metric tons, in the EPO. The purse-seine and pole-and-line data for yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas have been adjusted to the species composition estimate and are preliminary. The data for 2014-2015 are preliminary. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-2a. Estimaciones de las capturas retenidas (Ret.), por arte de pesca, y de los descartes (Dis.), por buques cerqueros de más de 363 t de capacidad de acarreo únicamente, de atunes y bonitos, en toneladas métricas, en el OPO. Los datos de los atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo de las pesquerías cerquera y cañera fueron ajustados a la estimación de composición por especie, y son preliminares. Los datos de 2014-2015 son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	Yellowfin—Aleta amarilla						Skipjack—Barrilete						Bigeye—Patudo					
	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total
	Ret.	Dis.					Ret.	Dis.					Ret.	Dis.				
1986	260,512	-	2,537	22,808	214	286,071	65,634	-	1,921	58	132	67,745	2,686	-	-	102,425	74	105,185
1987	262,008	-	5,107	18,911	138	286,164	64,019	-	2,233	37	177	66,466	1,177	-	-	100,121	49	101,347
1988	277,293	-	3,723	14,660	752	296,428	87,113	-	4,325	26	663	92,127	1,535	-	5	72,758	15	74,313
1989	277,996	-	4,145	17,032	263	299,436	94,934	-	2,940	28	1,019	98,921	2,030	-	-	70,963	1	72,994
1990	263,253	-	2,676	34,633	960	301,522	74,369	-	823	41	1,874	77,107	5,921	-	-	98,871	59	104,851
1991	231,257	-	2,856	30,899	958	265,970	62,228	-	1,717	36	1,909	65,890	4,870	-	31	104,195	25	109,121
1992	228,121	-	3,789	18,646	1,958	252,514	84,283	-	1,957	24	1,030	87,294	7,179	-	-	84,808	13	92,000
1993	219,492	4,713	4,951	24,009	3,034	256,199	83,830	10,515	3,772	61	2,256	100,434	9,657	653	-	72,498	35	82,843
1994	208,408	4,525	3,625	30,026	1,487	248,071	70,126	10,491	3,240	73	731	84,661	34,899	2,266	-	71,360	806	109,331
1995	215,434	5,275	1,268	20,596	2,066	244,639	127,047	16,373	5,253	77	1,911	150,661	45,321	3,251	-	58,269	1,369	108,210
1996	238,607	6,312	3,762	16,608	1,639	266,928	103,973	24,494	2,555	52	1,261	132,335	61,311	5,689	-	46,958	748	114,706
1997	244,878	5,516	4,418	22,163	600	277,575	153,456	31,338	3,260	135	96	188,285	64,272	5,402	-	52,580	20	122,274
1998	253,959	4,697	5,085	15,336	1,529	280,606	140,631	22,643	1,684	294	237	165,489	44,129	2,822	-	46,375	628	93,954
1999	281,920	6,547	1,783	11,682	2,706	304,638	261,565	26,046	2,044	201	1,393	291,249	51,158	4,932	-	36,450	538	93,078
2000	253,263	6,207	2,431	23,855	1,109	286,865	205,647	24,468	231	68	66	230,480	95,282	5,417	-	47,605	253	148,557
2001	383,936	7,028	3,916	29,608	520	425,008	143,165	12,815	448	1,214	34	157,676	60,518	1,254	-	68,755	19	130,546
2002	412,286	4,140	950	25,531	551	443,458	153,546	12,506	616	261	119	167,048	57,421	949	-	74,424	12	132,806
2003	383,279	5,865	470	25,174	1,145	415,933	273,968	22,453	638	634	2,777	300,470	53,052	2,326	-	59,776	21	115,175
2004	272,557	3,000	1,884	18,779	627	296,847	197,824	17,078	528	713	1,106	217,249	65,471	1,574	-	43,483	194	110,722
2005	268,101	2,771	1,822	11,946	1,852	286,492	263,229	16,915	1,299	231	1,779	283,453	67,895	1,900	-	40,694	25	110,514
2006	166,631	1,534	686	10,210	1,458	180,519	296,268	11,177	435	224	986	309,090	83,838	1,680	-	31,770	40	117,328
2007	170,016	1,725	894	8,067	1,439	182,141	208,295	6,450	276	238	1,065	216,324	63,450	890	-	29,876	44	94,260
2008	185,057	696	814	9,820	941	197,328	296,603	8,249	499	1,185	1,163	307,699	75,028	2,086	-	26,208	28	103,350
2009	236,757	1,262	709	10,444	1,241	250,413	230,523	6,064	151	1,584	1,086	239,408	76,799	1,019	-	31,422	15	109,255
2010	251,009	1,031	460	8,339	1,032	261,871	147,192	2,769	47	1,815	1,269	153,092	57,752	564	-	37,090	2	95,408
2011	206,851	415	276	8,048	1,130	216,720	276,035	5,215	24	1,384	851	283,509	56,512	631	-	32,317	-	89,460
2012	198,017	451	400	12,954	1,488	213,310	266,215	3,511	303	2,381	1,109	273,519	66,020	473	-	36,167	27	102,687
2013	218,187	207	759	11,416	1,234	231,803	278,560	2,254	164	2,024	1,041	284,043	49,487	273	-	36,204	99	86,063
2014	233,973	517	C	8,522	3,500	246,512	261,578	2,596	C	239	1,231	265,644	60,453	83	-	35,096	177	95,809
2015	245,183	334	C	*	863	246,380	329,280	3,699	C	*	477	333,456	63,229	177	-	38,245	1	101,652

TABLE A-2a. (continued)
TABLA A-2a. (continuación)

	Pacific bluefin—Aleta azul del Pacífico						Albacore—Albacora						Black skipjack—Barrilete negro					
	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total
	Ret.	Dis.					Ret.	Dis.					Ret.	Dis.				
1986	5,040	-	-	1	64	5,105	47	-	86	6,450	4,701	11,284	569	-	-	-	18	587
1987	980	-	-	3	88	1,071	1	-	320	9,994	2,662	12,977	571	-	-	-	2	573
1988	1,379	-	-	2	52	1,433	17	-	271	9,934	5,549	15,771	956	-	-	-	311	1,267
1989	1,103	-	5	4	91	1,203	1	-	21	6,784	2,695	9,501	803	-	-	-	-	803
1990	1,430	-	61	12	103	1,606	39	-	170	6,536	4,105	10,850	787	-	-	-	4	791
1991	419	-	-	5	55	479	-	-	834	7,893	2,754	11,481	421	-	-	-	25	446
1992	1,928	-	-	21	147	2,096	-	-	255	17,080	5,740	23,075	105	-	-	3	-	108
1993	580	-	-	11	316	907	-	-	1	11,194	4,410	15,605	104	3,925	-	31	-	4,060
1994	969	-	-	12	116	1,097	-	-	85	10,390	10,154	20,629	188	857	-	40	-	1,085
1995	659	-	-	25	264	948	-	-	465	6,185	7,427	14,077	202	1,448	-	-	-	1,650
1996	8,333	-	-	19	83	8,435	11	-	72	7,631	8,398	16,112	704	2,304	-	12	-	3,020
1997	2,608	3	2	14	235	2,862	1	-	59	9,678	7,540	17,278	100	2,512	-	11	-	2,623
1998	1,772	-	-	95	516	2,383	42	-	81	12,635	13,158	25,916	489	1,876	39	-	-	2,404
1999	2,553	54	5	151	514	3,277	47	-	227	11,633	14,510	26,417	171	3,404	-	-	-	3,575
2000	3,712	-	61	46	349	4,168	71	-	86	9,663	13,453	23,273	294	1,995	-	-	-	2,289
2001	1,155	3	1	148	378	1,685	3	-	157	19,410	13,727	33,297	2,258	1,019	-	-	-	3,277
2002	1,758	1	3	71	620	2,453	31	-	381	15,289	14,433	30,134	1,459	2,283	8	-	-	3,750
2003	3,233	-	3	87	369	3,692	34	-	59	24,901	20,397	45,391	433	1,535	6	13	117	2,104
2004	8,880	19	-	15	59	8,973	105	-	126	18,444	22,011	40,686	884	387	-	27	862	2,160
2005	4,743	15	-	-	80	4,838	2	-	66	9,350	15,679	25,097	1,472	2,124	-	-	22	3,618
2006	9,928	-	-	-	93	10,021	109	-	1	13,831	18,980	32,921	1,999	1,972	-	-	-	3,971
2007	4,189	-	-	-	14	4,203	187	-	21	11,107	19,261	30,576	2,307	1,625	-	2	54	3,988
2008	4,392	14	15	-	63	4,484	49	-	1,050	9,218	16,553	26,870	3,624	2,251	-	-	8	5,883
2009	3,428	24	-	-	161	3,613	50	2	C	12,072	19,090	31,214	4,256	1,020	-	2	-	5,278
2010	7,746	-	-	3	89	7,838	25	-	C	14,256	19,333	33,614	3,425	1,079	-	8	184	4,696
2011	2,829	4	-	1	244	3,078	10	-	C	16,191	16,105	32,306	2,317	719	-	6	-	3,042
2012	6,705	-	-	1	405	7,111	-	-	C	24,198	18,100	42,298	4,504	440	-	5	7	4,956
2013	3,154	-	-	1	819	3,974	-	-	C	25,368	18,514	43,882	3,580	805	-	10	24	4,419
2014	5,263	66	-	-	403	5,732	-	-	C	28,874	19,556	48,430	4,153	486	-	11	81	4,731
2015	3,168	-	-	-	14	3,182	-	-	*	*	*	*	3,793	356	-	-	36	4,185

TABLE A-2a. (continued)
TABLA A-2a. (continuación)

	Bonitos						Unidentified tunas—Atunes no identificados						Total					
	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total	PS		LP	LL	OTR + NK	Total
	Ret.	Dis.					Ret.	Dis.					Ret.	Dis.				
1986	232	-	258	-	1,889	2,379	177	-	4	-	986	1,167	334,897	-	4,806	131,742	8,078	479,523
1987	3,195	-	121	-	1,782	5,098	481	-	-	-	2,043	2,524	332,432	-	7,781	129,066	6,941	476,220
1988	8,811	-	739	-	947	10,497	79	-	-	-	2,939	3,018	377,183	-	9,063	97,380	11,228	494,854
1989	11,278	-	818	-	465	12,561	36	-	-	-	626	662	388,181	-	7,929	94,811	5,160	496,081
1990	13,641	-	215	-	371	14,227	200	-	-	3	692	895	359,640	-	3,945	140,096	8,168	511,849
1991	1,207	-	82	-	242	1,531	4	-	-	29	192	225	300,406	-	5,520	143,057	6,160	455,143
1992	977	-	-	-	318	1,295	24	-	-	27	1,071	1,122	322,617	-	6,001	120,609	10,277	459,504
1993	599	12	1	-	436	1,048	9	1,975	-	10	4,082	6,076	314,271	21,793	8,725	107,814	14,569	467,172
1994	8,331	147	362	-	185	9,025	9	498	-	1	464	972	322,930	18,784	7,312	111,902	13,943	474,871
1995	7,929	55	81	-	54	8,119	11	626	-	-	1,004	1,641	396,603	27,028	7,067	85,152	14,095	529,945
1996	647	1	7	-	16	671	37	1,028	-	-	1,038	2,103	413,623	39,828	6,396	71,280	13,183	544,310
1997	1,097	4	8	-	34	1,143	71	3,383	-	7	1,437	4,898	466,483	48,158	7,747	84,588	9,962	616,938
1998	1,330	4	7	-	588	1,929	13	1,233	-	24	18,158	19,428	442,365	33,275	6,896	74,759	34,814	592,109
1999	1,719	-	-	24	369	2,112	27	3,092	-	2,113	4,279	9,511	599,160	44,075	4,059	62,254	24,309	733,857
2000	636	-	-	75	56	767	190	1,410	-	1,992	1,468	5,060	559,095	39,497	2,809	83,304	16,754	701,459
2001	17	-	-	34	19	70	191	679	-	2,448	55	3,373	591,243	22,798	4,522	121,617	14,752	754,932
2002	-	-	-	-	1	1	576	1,863	-	482	1,422	4,343	627,077	21,742	1,958	116,058	17,158	783,993
2003	-	-	1	-	25	26	80	1,238	-	215	750	2,283	714,079	33,417	1,177	110,800	25,601	885,074
2004	15	35	1	8	3	62	256	973	-	349	258	1,836	545,992	23,066	2,539	81,818	25,120	678,535
2005	313	18	-	-	11	342	190	1,922	-	363	427	2,902	605,945	25,665	3,187	62,584	19,875	717,256
2006	3,507	80	12	-	3	3,602	50	1,910	-	29	193	2,182	562,330	18,353	1,134	56,064	21,753	659,634
2007	15,906	628	107	2	-	16,643	598	1,221	-	2,197	301	4,317	464,948	12,539	1,298	51,489	22,178	552,452
2008	7,874	37	9	6	26	7,952	136	1,380	1	727	883	3,127	572,763	14,713	2,388	47,164	19,665	656,693
2009	9,720	15	-	8	77	9,820	162	469	-	1,933	74	2,638	561,695	9,875	860	57,465	21,744	651,639
2010	2,820	19	4	2	70	2,915	136	709	-	1,770	36	2,651	470,105	6,171	511	63,283	22,015	562,085
2011	7,969	45	18	10	11	8,053	108	784	-	3,178	-	4,070	552,631	7,813	318	61,135	18,341	640,238
2012	8,191	156	-	1	64	8,412	41	354	-	196	221	812	549,693	5,385	703	75,903	21,421	653,105
2013	2,067	9	-	13	27	2,116	53	461	-	-	529	1,043	555,088	4,009	923	75,036	22,287	657,343
2014	2,821	38	-	-	154	3,013	113	328	-	269	392	1,102	568,354	4,114	-	73,011	25,494	670,973
2015	789	28	-	*	-	817	81	242	-	*	1,073	1,396	645,523	4,836	-	38,245	2,464	691,068

TABLE A-2b. Estimated retained catches, by gear type, and estimated discards, by purse-seine vessels with carrying capacities greater than 363 t only, of billfishes, in metric tons, in the EPO. Data for 2014-2015 are preliminary. PS dis. = discards by purse-seine vessels. . *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-2b. Estimaciones de las capturas retenidas, por arte de pesca, y de los descartes, por buques cerqueros de más de 363 t de capacidad de acarreo únicamente, de peces picudos, en toneladas métricas, en el OPO. Los datos de 2014-2015 son preliminares. PS dis. = descartes por buques cerqueros. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	Swordfish—Pez espada					Blue marlin—Marlín azul					Black marlin—Marlín negro					Striped marlin—Marlín rayado				
	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total
	Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.			
1986	-	-	3,286	3,294	6,580	-	-	5,278	-	5,278	-	-	297	-	297	-	-	3,540	-	3,540
1987	-	-	4,676	3,740	8,416	-	-	7,282	-	7,282	-	-	358	-	358	-	-	7,647	-	7,647
1988	-	-	4,916	5,642	10,558	-	-	5,663	-	5,663	-	-	288	-	288	-	-	5,283	-	5,283
1989	-	-	5,202	6,072	11,274	-	-	5,392	-	5,392	-	-	193	-	193	-	-	3,473	-	3,473
1990	-	-	5,807	5,066	10,873	-	-	5,540	-	5,540	-	-	223	-	223	-	-	3,260	333	3,593
1991	-	17	10,671	4,307	14,995	-	69	6,719	-	6,788	-	58	246	-	304	-	76	2,993	409	3,478
1992	-	4	9,820	4,267	14,091	-	52	6,626	-	6,678	-	95	228	-	323	-	69	3,054	239	3,362
1993	3	1	6,187	4,414	10,605	84	20	6,571	-	6,675	57	31	218	-	306	47	20	3,575	259	3,901
1994	1	-	4,990	3,822	8,813	69	15	9,027	-	9,111	39	23	256	-	318	20	9	3,396	257	3,682
1995	3	-	4,495	2,974	7,472	70	16	7,288	-	7,374	43	23	158	-	224	18	8	3,249	296	3,571
1996	1	-	7,071	2,486	9,558	62	15	3,596	-	3,673	46	24	100	-	170	20	9	3,218	430	3,677
1997	2	1	10,580	1,781	12,364	126	15	5,915	-	6,056	71	22	154	-	247	28	3	4,473	329	4,833
1998	3	-	9,800	3,246	13,049	130	20	4,856	-	5,006	72	28	168	-	268	20	3	3,558	509	4,090
1999	2	-	7,569	1,965	9,536	181	38	3,691	-	3,910	83	42	94	-	219	26	11	2,621	376	3,034
2000	3	-	8,930	2,383	11,316	120	23	3,634	-	3,777	67	21	105	-	193	17	3	1,889	404	2,313
2001	3	1	16,007	1,964	17,975	119	40	4,196	-	4,355	67	48	123	-	238	13	8	1,961	342	2,324
2002	1	-	17,598	2,119	19,718	188	33	3,480	-	3,701	86	30	78	-	194	69	5	2,158	412	2,644
2003	3	1	18,161	354	18,519	185	21	4,015	-	4,221	121	26	73	-	220	31	4	1,904	417	2,356
2004	2	-	15,372	309	15,683	140	21	3,783	-	3,944	62	5	41	-	108	23	1	1,547	390	1,961
2005	2	-	8,935	4,304	13,241	209	14	3,350	-	3,573	95	9	39	-	143	37	4	1,531	553	2,125
2006	7	-	9,890	3,800	13,697	164	21	2,934	105	3,224	124	21	77	-	222	54	3	1,735	490	2,282
2007	4	-	9,639	4,390	14,033	124	13	2,393	106	2,636	74	8	47	-	129	32	4	1,656	1,024	2,716
2008	6	-	12,248	3,071	15,325	125	8	1,705	114	1,952	76	9	100	-	185	33	2	1,291	1,045	2,371
2009	4	-	15,539	3,905	19,448	159	15	2,102	131	2,407	76	8	94	-	178	23	2	1,333	7	1,365
2010	4	-	18,396	4,480	22,880	176	12	2,920	126	3,234	62	9	160	-	231	21	2	2,129	9	2,161
2011	3	-	20,400	5,101	25,504	150	6	2,025	144	2,325	59	7	187	-	253	28	1	2,640	16	2,685
2012	5	-	23,587	7,148	30,740	178	15	3,723	177	4,093	71	4	444	-	519	28	-	2,703	20	2,751
2013	2	-	22,989	5,560	28,551	172	15	4,202	168	4,557	99	4	138	-	241	21	1	2,439	19	2,480
2014	4	-	20,519	6,368	26,891	209	12	4,061	186	4,468	71	4	153	-	228	23	1	1,926	2	1,952
2015	5	-	*	191	196	307	11	*	*	318	117	14	*	-	131	26	9	*	*	35

TABLE A-2b. (continued)
TABLA A-2b. (continuación)

	Shortbill spearfish—Marlín trompa corta					Sailfish—Pez vela					Unidentified istiophorid billfishes—Picudos istiofóridos no identificados					Total billfishes—Total de peces picudos				
	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total
	Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.			
1986	-	-	5	-	5	-	-	583	-	583	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	12,990	3,294	16,284
1987	-	-	15	-	15	-	-	649	-	649	-	-	398	-	398	-	-	21,025	3,740	24,765
1988	-	-	13	-	13	-	-	649	-	649	-	-	368	-	368	-	-	17,180	5,642	22,822
1989	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	192	-	192	-	-	51	-	51	-	-	14,503	6,072	20,575
1990	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	-	6	-	-	125	-	125	-	-	14,961	5,399	20,360
1991	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	717	-	717	-	-	112	-	112	-	220	21,459	4,716	26,395
1992	-	1	1	-	2	-	-	1,351	-	1,351	-	-	1,123	-	1,123	-	221	22,203	4,506	26,930
1993	-	-	1	-	1	26	32	2,266	-	2,324	29	68	1,650	-	1,747	246	172	20,468	4,673	25,559
1994	-	-	144	-	144	19	21	1,682	-	1,722	7	16	1,028	-	1,051	155	84	20,523	4,079	24,841
1995	1	-	155	-	156	12	15	1,351	-	1,378	4	9	232	-	245	151	71	16,928	3,270	20,420
1996	1	-	126	-	127	10	12	738	-	760	6	13	308	-	327	146	73	15,157	2,916	18,292
1997	1	-	141	-	142	12	11	1,891	-	1,914	3	5	1,324	-	1,332	243	57	24,478	2,110	26,888
1998	-	-	200	-	200	28	31	1,382	-	1,441	5	7	575	55	642	258	89	20,539	3,810	24,696
1999	1	-	278	-	279	33	8	1,216	-	1,257	6	12	1,136	-	1,154	332	111	16,605	2,341	19,389
2000	1	-	285	-	286	33	17	1,380	-	1,430	3	6	880	136	1,025	244	70	17,103	2,923	20,340
2001	-	-	304	-	304	18	45	1,539	325	1,927	2	5	1,741	204	1,952	222	147	25,871	2,835	29,075
2002	1	-	273	-	274	19	15	1,792	17	1,843	4	5	1,862	14	1,885	368	88	27,241	2,562	30,259
2003	1	4	290	-	295	38	49	1,174	-	1,261	6	5	1,389	-	1,400	385	110	27,006	771	28,272
2004	1	-	207	-	208	19	13	1,400	17	1,449	4	4	1,385	-	1,393	251	44	23,735	716	24,746
2005	1	-	229	-	230	32	11	805	15	863	5	3	901	-	909	381	41	15,790	4,872	21,084
2006	1	-	231	-	232	30	13	1,007	35	1,085	23	4	490	1	518	403	62	16,364	4,431	21,260
2007	1	-	239	-	240	41	8	1,032	64	1,145	13	4	1,171	15	1,203	289	37	16,177	5,599	22,102
2008	1	-	266	-	267	28	7	524	72	631	16	5	1,587	4	1,612	285	31	17,721	4,306	22,343
2009	1	-	446	-	447	17	6	327	8	358	11	1	1,799	12	1,823	291	32	21,640	4,063	26,026
2010	1	-	519	-	520	27	20	655	3	705	8	2	2,604	-	2,614	299	45	27,383	4,618	32,345
2011	-	-	462	-	462	18	5	658	28	709	15	1	2,377	3	2,396	273	20	28,749	5,292	34,334
2012	1	-	551	-	552	14	2	685	15	716	10	1	2,178	-	2,189	307	22	33,871	7,360	41,560
2013	1	-	913	-	914	16	2	613	9	640	15	3	2,702	1	2,721	326	25	33,996	5,757	40,104
2014	-	-	723	-	723	16	1	471	8	496	8	2	128	3	141	331	20	27,981	6,567	34,899
2015	1	-	*	-	1	18	8	*	*	26	19	1	*	*	20	493	43	*	191	727

TABLE A-2c. Estimated retained catches (Ret.), by gear type, and estimated discards (Dis.), by purse-seine vessels of more than 363 t carrying capacity only, of other species, in metric tons, in the EPO. The data for 2014-2015 are preliminary. . *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-2c. Estimaciones de las capturas retenidas (Ret.), por arte de pesca, y de los descartes (Dis.), por buques cerqueros de más de 363 t de capacidad de acarreo únicamente, de otras especies, en toneladas métricas, en el OPO. Los datos de 2014-2015 son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	Carangids—Carángidos					Dorado (*Coryphaena* spp.)					Elasmobranchs—Elasmobranquios					Other fishes—Otros peces				
	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total
	Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.			
1986	188	-	-	19	207	633	-	-	1,828	2,461	29	-	1	1,979	2,009	93	-	-	-	93
1987	566	-	-	5	571	271	-	-	4,272	4,543	95	-	87	1,020	1,202	210	-	535	-	745
1988	825	-	-	1	826	69	-	-	1,560	1,629	1	-	23	1,041	1,065	321	-	361	-	682
1989	60	-	-	2	62	211	-	-	1,680	1,891	29	-	66	1,025	1,120	670	-	152	-	822
1990	234	-	-	1	235	63	-	-	1,491	1,554	-	-	280	1,095	1,375	433	-	260	14	707
1991	116	-	-	-	116	57	-	7	613	677	1	-	1,112	1,352	2,465	463	-	458	1	922
1992	116	-	-	-	116	69	-	37	708	814	-	-	2,294	1,190	3,484	555	-	183	-	738
1993	31	43	-	2	76	266	476	17	724	1,483	253	1,154	1,028	916	3,351	142	554	185	2	883
1994	19	28	-	16	63	687	826	46	3,459	5,018	372	1,029	1,234	1,314	3,949	243	567	250	-	1,060
1995	27	32	-	9	68	465	729	39	2,127	3,360	278	1,093	922	1,075	3,368	174	760	211	-	1,145
1996	137	135	-	57	329	548	885	43	183	1,659	239	1,001	1,120	2,151	4,511	152	467	457	-	1,076
1997	38	111	-	39	188	569	703	6,866	3,109	11,247	413	1,232	956	2,328	4,929	261	654	848	-	1,763
1998	83	149	-	4	236	424	426	2,528	9,167	12,545	279	1,404	2,099	4,393	8,175	300	1,133	1,340	-	2,773
1999	108	136	-	1	245	568	751	6,284	1,160	8,763	260	843	5,997	2,088	9,188	242	748	976	-	1,966
2000	97	66	4	4	171	813	785	3,537	1,041	6,176	263	772	8,418	405	9,858	146	408	1,490	-	2,044
2001	15	145	18	26	204	1,028	1,275	15,942	2,825	21,070	183	641	12,540	107	13,471	391	1,130	1,727	-	3,248
2002	20	111	15	20	166	932	938	9,464	4,137	15,471	137	758	12,398	99	13,392	355	722	1,913	-	2,990
2003	12	141	54	-	207	583	346	5,301	288	6,518	118	833	14,498	372	15,821	279	406	4,682	-	5,367
2004	41	103	1	-	145	811	317	3,986	4,645	9,759	157	622	11,273	173	12,225	339	1,031	670	-	2,040
2005	82	79	-	-	161	863	295	3,854	8,667	13,679	199	496	12,117	220	13,032	439	276	636	-	1,351
2006	247	146	-	-	393	1,002	385	3,408	13,127	17,922	235	674	5,869	14,943	21,721	496	381	590	100	1,567
2007	174	183	6	17	380	1,266	350	6,907	7,827	16,350	343	395	8,348	16,892	25,978	828	675	2,321	120	3,944
2008	85	55	5	17	162	933	327	15,845	5,458	22,563	540	357	14,984	15,360	31,241	522	429	1,526	85	2,562
2009	65	42	10	16	133	1,923	476	17,136	51,328	70,863	279	339	14,423	16,721	31,762	1,034	374	2,435	378	4,221
2010	82	15	8	23	128	1,243	253	9,484	47,881	58,861	335	463	26,342	14,433	41,573	881	192	2,341	384	3,798
2011	71	24	8	-	103	1,291	386	12,438	20,935	35,050	280	316	28,978	16,566	46,140	507	219	1,972	507	3,205
2012	53	23	1	-	77	1,805	401	17,254	26,627	46,087	230	278	16,446	15,871	32,825	873	230	2,695	381	4,179
2013	17	17	1	3	38	1,448	489	11,261	22,673	35,871	216	321	17,724	116	18,377	1,389	370	2,931	267	4,957
2014	20	11	-	35	66	1,762	369	3,282	20,916	26,329	247	474	12,790	16,417	29,928	1,450	438	2,644	486	5,018
2015	28	15	-	-	43	1,045	169	*	15,948	17,162	398	620	*	*	1,018	696	208	*	*	904

TABLE A-3a. Catches of yellowfin tuna by purse-seine vessels in the EPO, by vessel flag. The data have been adjusted to the species composition estimate, and are preliminary. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-3a. Capturas de atún aleta amarilla por buques de cerco en el OPO, por bandera del buque. Los datos están ajustados a la estimación de composición por especie, y son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	COL	CRI	ECU	EU(ESP)	MEX	NIC	PAN	PER	SLV	USA	VEN	VUT	C + OTR[1]	Total
1986	-	C	16,561	C	103,644	-	9,073	C	C	88,617	28,462	C	14,155	260,512
1987	-	-	15,046	C	96,182	-	C	C	C	95,506	34,237	C	21,037	262,008
1988	-	-	23,947	C	104,565	-	7,364	1,430	C	82,231	38,257	C	19,499	277,293
1989	-	C	17,588	C	116,928	-	10,557	1,724	C	73,688	42,944	C	14,567	277,996
1990	C	C	16,279	C	115,898	-	6,391	C	-	50,790	47,490	22,208	4,197	263,253
1991	C	-	15,011	C	115,107	-	1,731	C	-	18,751	45,345	29,687	5,625	231,257
1992	C	-	12,119	C	118,455	-	3,380	45	-	16,961	44,336	27,406	5,419	228,121
1993	3,863	-	18,094	C	101,792	-	5,671	-	-	14,055	43,522	24,936	7,559	219,492
1994	7,533	-	18,365	C	99,618	-	3,259	-	-	8,080	41,500	25,729	4,324	208,408
1995	8,829	C	17,044	C	108,749	-	1,714	-	-	5,069	47,804	22,220	4,005	215,434
1996	9,855	C	17,125	C	119,878	-	3,084	-	-	6,948	62,846	10,549	8,322	238,607
1997	9,402	-	18,697	C	120,761	-	4,807	-	-	5,826	57,881	20,701	6,803	244,878
1998	15,592	-	36,201	5,449	106,840	-	3,330	-	C	2,776	61,425	17,342	5,004	253,959
1999	13,267	-	53,683	8,322	114,545	C	5,782	-	C	3,400	55,443	16,476	11,002	281,920
2000	6,138	-	35,492	10,318	101,662	C	5,796	-	-	4,374	67,672	8,247	13,563	253,262
2001	12,950	-	55,347	18,448	130,087	C	9,552	-	C	5,670	108,974	10,729	32,180	383,937
2002	17,574	-	32,512	16,990	152,864	C	15,719	C	7,412	7,382	123,264	7,502	31,068	412,287
2003	9,770	-	34,271	12,281	172,807	-	16,591	C	C	3,601	96,914	9,334	27,710	383,279
2004	C	-	40,886	13,622	91,442	C	33,563	-	C	C	39,094	7,371	46,577	272,555
2005	C	-	40,596	11,947	110,898	4,838	33,393	-	6,470	C	28,684	C	31,276	268,102
2006	C	-	26,049	8,409	69,449	4,236	22,521	-	C	C	13,286	C	22,679	166,629
2007	C	-	19,749	2,631	65,091	3,917	26,024	-	C	C	20,097	C	32,507	170,016
2008	C	-	18,463	3,023	84,462	4,374	26,993	C	C	C	17,692	C	30,050	185,057
2009	C	-	18,167	7,864	99,785	6,686	35,228	C	C	C	25,298	C	43,729	236,757
2010	20,493	-	34,764	2,820	104,969	9,422	34,538	C	C	-	21,244	C	22,758	251,008
2011	18,643	-	32,946	1,072	99,812	7,781	18,607	-	C	C	18,712	C	9,278	206,851
2012	20,924	-	29,485	1,065	93,323	7,541	15,932	-	C	C	23,408	C	6,339	198,017
2013	16,476	-	27,655	511	114,706	8,261	18,301	C	C	-	24,896	C	7,381	218,187
2014	17,203	-	37,640	763	120,986	8,119	19,375	C	C	1,106	23,040	-	5,741	233,973
2015	17,422	-	49,039	525	106,522	6,788	26,491	764	C	3,151	30,266	-	4,215	245,183

[1] Includes—Incluye: BLZ, BOL, CHN, GTM, HND, UNK

TABLE A-3b. Annual catches of yellowfin tuna by longline vessels, and totals for all gears, in the EPO, by vessel flag. The data for 2013-2014 are preliminary. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-3b. Capturas anuales de atún aleta amarilla por buques de palangre en el OPO, y totales de todas las artes, por bandera del buque. Los datos de 2013-2014 son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	CHN	CRI	FRA (PYF)	JPN	KOR	MEX	PAN	TWN	USA	VUT	C + OTR[1]	Total LL	Total PS+LL	OTR[2]
1986	-	-	-	17,770	4,850	68	-	120	-	-	*	22,808	283,320	2,751
1987	-	-	-	13,484	5,048	272	-	107	-	-	*	18,911	280,919	5,245
1988	-	-	-	12,481	1,893	232	-	54	-	-	*	14,660	291,953	4,475
1989	-	-	-	15,335	1,162	9	-	526	-	-	*	17,032	295,028	4,408
1990	-	-	-	29,255	4,844	-	-	534	-	-	*	34,633	297,886	3,636
1991	-	169	-	23,721	5,688	-	-	1,319	2	-	*	30,899	262,156	3,814
1992	-	119	57	15,296	2,865	-	-	306	3	-	*	18,646	246,767	5,747
1993	-	200	39	20,339	3,257	C	-	155	17	-	2	24,009	243,501	7,985
1994	-	481	214	25,983	3,069	41	-	236	2	-	*	30,026	238,434	5,112
1995	-	542	198	17,042	2,748	7	-	28	31	-	*	20,596	236,030	3,334
1996	-	183	253	12,631	3,491	0	-	37	13	-	*	16,608	255,215	5,401
1997	-	715	307	16,218	4,753	-	-	131	11	-	28	22,163	267,041	5,018
1998	-	1,124	388	10,048	3,624	16	-	113	15	-	8	15,336	269,295	6,614
1999	-	1,031	206	7,186	3,030	10	-	186	7	-	26	11,682	293,602	4,489
2000	-	1,084	1,052	15,265	5,134	153	359	742	10	5	51	23,855	277,118	3,540
2001	942	1,133	846	14,808	5,230	29	732	3,928	29	13	1,918	29,608	413,544	4,436
2002	1,457	1,563	278	8,513	3,626	4	907	7,360	5	290	1,528	25,531	437,817	1,501
2003	2,739	1,418	462	9,125	4,911	365	C	3,477	5	699	1,973	25,174	408,453	1,615
2004	798	1,701	767	7,338	2,997	32	2,802	1,824	6	171	343	18,779	291,336	2,511
2005	682	1,791	530	3,966	532	0	1,782	2,422	7	51	183	11,946	280,047	3,674
2006	246	1,402	537	2,968	928	0	2,164	1,671	21	164	109	10,210	176,841	2,144
2007	224	1,204	408	4,582	353	8	-	745	11	154	378	8,067	178,083	2,333
2008	469	1,248	335	5,383	83	5	-	247	33	175	1,842	9,820	194,877	1,755
2009	629	1,003	590	4,268	780	10	-	636	84	244	2,200	10,444	247,201	1,950
2010	459	3	301	3,639	737	6	-	872	54	269	1,999	8,339	259,348	1,492
2011	1,807	-	349	2,373	754	6	-	647	55	150	1,907	8,048	214,899	1,406
2012	2,591	1,482	538	3,600	631	7	519	749	39	155	2,643	12,954	210,971	1,888
2013	1,874	1,424	410	3,117	928	2	959	572	43	101	1,986	11,416	229,603	1,993
2014	2,120	1,072	567	2,652	704	1	108	896	60	323	19	8,522	242,495	3,500

[1] Includes—Incluye: BLZ, CHL, ECU, EU(ESP), GTM, HND, NIC, SLV

[2] Includes gillnets, pole-and-line, recreational, troll and unknown gears—Incluye red de transmalle, caña, artes deportivas, y desconocidas

TABLE A-3c. Catches of skipjack tuna by purse-seine and longline vessels in the EPO, by vessel flag. The data have been adjusted to the species composition estimate, and are preliminary. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-3c. Capturas de atún barrilete por buques de cerco y de palangre en el OPO, por bandera del buque. Los datos están ajustados a la estimación de composición por especie, y son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	PS														LL+ OTR[2]
	COL	CRI	ECU	EU(ESP)	MEX	NIC	PAN	PER	SLV	USA	VEN	VUT	C+OTR[1]	Total	
1986	-	C	23,836	C	6,061	-	1,134	C	C	12,978	11,797	C	9,828	65,634	2,111
1987	-	-	20,473	C	4,786	-	C	C	C	13,578	11,761	C	13,421	64,019	2,447
1988	-	-	11,743	C	15,195	-	1,863	714	C	36,792	12,312	C	8,494	87,113	5,014
1989	-	C	22,922	C	14,960	-	4,361	276	-	21,115	16,847	C	14,453	94,934	3,987
1990	C	C	24,071	C	6,696	-	3,425	C	-	13,188	11,362	11,920	3,707	74,369	2,738
1991	C	-	18,438	C	10,916	-	1,720	C	-	13,162	5,217	9,051	3,724	62,228	3,662
1992	C	-	25,408	C	9,188	-	3,724	352	-	14,108	10,226	13,315	7,962	84,283	3,011
1993	3,292	-	21,227	C	13,037	-	1,062	-	-	17,853	7,270	10,908	9,181	83,830	6,089
1994	7,348	-	15,083	C	11,783	-	2,197	-	-	8,947	6,356	9,541	8,871	70,126	4,044
1995	13,081	C	31,934	C	29,406	-	4,084	-	-	14,032	5,508	13,910	15,092	127,047	7,241
1996	13,230	C	32,433	C	14,501	-	3,619	-	-	12,012	4,104	10,873	13,201	103,973	3,868
1997	12,332	-	51,826	C	23,416	-	4,277	-	-	13,687	8,617	14,246	25,055	153,456	3,491
1998	4,698	-	67,074	20,012	15,969	-	1,136	-	C	6,898	6,795	11,284	6,765	140,631	2,215
1999	11,210	-	124,393	34,923	16,767	C	5,286	-	C	13,491	16,344	21,287	17,864	261,565	3,638
2000	10,138	-	104,849	17,041	14,080	C	9,573	-	-	7,224	6,720	13,620	22,399	205,644	365
2001	9,445	-	66,144	13,454	8,169	C	6,967	-	C	4,135	3,215	7,824	23,813	143,166	1,696
2002	10,908	-	80,378	10,546	6,612	C	9,757	C	4,601	4,582	2,222	4,657	19,283	153,546	996
2003	14,771	-	139,804	18,567	8,147	-	25,084	C	C	5,445	6,143	14,112	41,895	273,968	4,049
2004	C	-	89,621	8,138	24,429	C	20,051	-	C	C	23,356	4,404	27,825	197,824	2,349
2005	C	-	140,927	9,224	32,271	3,735	25,782	-	4,995	C	22,146	C	24,149	263,229	3,309
2006	C	-	138,490	16,668	16,790	8,396	44,639	-	C	C	26,334	C	44,952	296,269	1,645
2007	C	-	93,553	2,879	21,542	4,286	28,475	-	C	C	21,990	C	35,571	208,296	1,579
2008	C	-	143,431	4,841	21,638	7,005	43,230	C	C	C	28,333	C	48,125	296,603	2,847
2009	C	-	132,712	6,021	6,847	5,119	26,973	C	C	C	19,370	C	33,481	230,523	2,821
2010	11,400	-	82,280	1,569	3,010	5,242	19,213	C	C	-	11,818	C	12,660	147,192	3,132
2011	23,269	-	149,637	5,238	11,899	3,889	29,837	-	C	C	27,026	C	25,240	276,035	2,259
2012	15,760	-	151,280	15,773	18,058	3,931	25,786	-	C	C	20,829	C	14,798	266,215	3,793
2013	22,168	-	172,002	2,900	17,350	4,345	31,022	C	C	-	17,522	C	11,251	278,560	3,229
2014	22,740	-	172,510	5,599	8,777	6,309	21,816	C	C	C	13,766	-	10,061	261,578	1,470
2015	16,370	-	210,215	11,545	23,170	1,439	31,005	5,165	C	16,867	4,777	-	8,727	329,280	477

[1] Includes—Incluye: BLZ, BOL, CHN, CYM, EU(CYP), GTM, HND, KOR, LBR, NZL, RUS, VCT, UNK

[2] Includes gillnets, pole-and-line, recreational, and unknown gears—Incluye red de transmalle, caña, artes deportivas y desconocidas

TABLE A-3d. Catches of bigeye tuna by purse-seine vessels in the EPO, by vessel flag. The data have been adjusted to the species composition estimate, and are preliminary. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-3d. Capturas de atún patudo por buques de cerco en el OPO, por bandera del buque. Los datos están ajustados a la estimación de composición por especie, y son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	COL	CRI	ECU	EU(ESP)	MEX	NIC	PAN	PER	SLV	USA	VEN	VUT	C + OTR[1]	Total
1986	-	-	653	C	1	-	-	-	-	266	1,466	C	300	2,686
1987	-	-	319	C	2	-	*	-	C	224	453	C	179	1,177
1988	-	-	385	C	-	-	431	*	C	256	202	C	261	1,535
1989	-	-	854	C	-	-	-	*	-	172	294	C	710	2,030
1990	-	-	1,619	C	29	-	196	-	-	209	1,405	2,082	381	5,921
1991	-	-	2,224	C	5	-	-	-	-	50	591	1,839	161	4,870
1992	-	-	1,647	C	61	-	38	*	-	3,002	184	1,397	850	7,179
1993	686	-	2,166	C	120	-	10	*	-	3,324	253	1,848	1,250	9,657
1994	5,636	-	5,112	C	171	-	-	*	-	7,042	637	8,829	7,472	34,899
1995	5,815	C	8,304	C	91	-	839	*	-	11,042	706	12,072	6,452	45,321
1996	7,692	C	20,279	C	82	-	1,445	*	-	8,380	619	12,374	10,440	61,311
1997	3,506	-	30,092	C	38	-	1,811	*	-	8,312	348	6,818	13,347	64,272
1998	596	-	25,113	5,747	12	-	12	*	C	5,309	348	4,746	2,246	44,129
1999	1,511	-	24,355	11,703	33	C	1,220	*	C	2,997	10	5,318	4,011	51,158
2000	7,443	-	36,094	12,511	0	C	7,028	*	-	5,304	457	10,000	16,446	95,283
2001	5,230	-	24,424	7,450	0	C	3,858	*	C	2,290	0	4,333	12,933	60,518
2002	5,283	-	26,262	5,108	0	C	4,726	C	2,228	2,219	0	2,256	9,340	57,422
2003	3,664	-	22,896	4,605	0	-	6,222	C	C	1,350	424	3,500	10,390	53,051
2004	C	-	30,817	3,366	0	C	8,294	*	C	C	9,661	1,822	11,511	65,471
2005	C	-	30,507	3,831	0	1,551	10,707	*	2,074	C	9,197	C	10,028	67,895
2006	C	-	39,302	5,264	6	2,652	14,099	*	C	C	8,317	C	14,197	83,837
2007	C	-	40,445	711	0	1,058	7,029	*	C	C	5,428	C	8,780	63,451
2008	C	-	41,177	1,234	327	1,785	11,018	C	C	C	7,221	C	12,266	75,028
2009	C	-	35,646	2,636	1,334	2,241	11,807	C	C	C	8,479	C	14,657	76,800
2010	4,206	-	34,902	579	11	1,934	7,089	C	C	-	4,360	C	4,672	57,753
2011	3,210	-	31,282	4,111	133	2,256	7,953	*	C	C	301	C	7,266	56,512
2012	1,873	-	45,633	3,866	225	1,250	7,238	*	C	C	848	C	5,087	66,020
2013	1,405	-	32,444	1,672	124	2,749	6,118	-	C	-	963	C	4,012	49,487
2014	2,453	-	38,749	2,790	40	3,039	8,107	-	C	C	1,170	-	4,105	60,453
2015	2,379	-	43,709	754	149	962	10,596	-	C	2,308	126	-	2,246	63,229

[1] Includes—Incluye: BLZ, BOL, CHN, CYM, EU(CYP), GTM, HND, LBR, NZL, VCT, UNK

TABLE A-3e. Annual catches of bigeye tuna by longline vessels, and totals for all gears, in the EPO, by vessel flag. The data for 2014-2015 are preliminary. *: data missing or not available; -: no data collected; C: data combined with those of other flags; this category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

TABLA A-3e. Capturas anuales de atún patudo por buques de palangre en el OPO, y totales de todas las artes, por bandera del buque. Los datos de 2014-2015 son preliminares. *: datos faltantes o no disponibles; -: datos no tomados; C: datos combinados con aquéllos de otras banderas; se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

	CHN	CRI	FRA(PYF)	JPN	KOR	MEX	PAN	TWN	USA	VUT	C + OTR[1]	Total LL	Total PS + LL	OTR[2]
1986	-	-	-	91,981	10,187	0	-	257	-	-	*	102,425	105,111	74
1987	-	-	-	87,913	11,681	1	-	526	-	-	*	100,121	101,298	49
1988	-	-	-	66,015	6,151	1	-	591	-	-	*	72,758	74,293	20
1989	-	-	-	67,514	3,138	-	-	311	-	-	*	70,963	72,993	1
1990	-	-	-	86,148	12,127	-	-	596	-	-	*	98,871	104,792	59
1991	-	1	-	85,011	17,883	-	-	1,291	9	-	*	104,195	109,065	56
1992	-	9	7	74,466	9,202	-	-	1,032	92	-	*	84,808	91,987	13
1993	-	25	7	63,190	8,924	*	-	297	55	-	*	72,498	82,155	35
1994	-	1	102	61,471	9,522	-	-	255	9	-	*	71,360	106,259	806
1995	-	13	97	49,016	8,992	-	-	77	74	-	*	58,269	103,590	1,369
1996	-	1	113	36,685	9,983	-	-	95	81	-	*	46,958	108,269	748
1997	-	9	250	40,571	11,376	-	-	256	118	-	*	52,580	116,852	20
1998	-	28	359	35,752	9,731	-	-	314	191	-	*	46,375	90,504	628
1999	-	25	3,652	22,224	9,431	-	-	890	228	-	*	36,450	87,608	538
2000	-	27	653	28,746	13,280	42	14	1,916	162	2,754	11	47,605	142,887	253
2001	2,639	28	684	38,048	12,576	1	80	9,285	147	3,277	1,990	68,755	129,273	19
2002	7,614	19	388	34,193	10,358	-	6	17,253	132	2,995	1,466	74,424	131,845	12
2003	10,066	18	346	24,888	10,272	-	C	12,016	232	1,258	680	59,776	112,828	21
2004	2,645	21	405	21,236	10,729	-	48	7,384	149	407	459	43,483	108,954	194
2005	2,104	23	398	19,113	11,580	-	30	6,441	536	318	151	40,694	108,589	25
2006	709	18	388	16,235	6,732	-	37	6,412	85	960	195	31,771	115,608	40
2007	2,324	15	361	13,977	5,611	-	-	6,057	417	1,013	101	29,876	93,326	44
2008	2,379	16	367	14,908	4,150	-	-	1,852	1,277	790	468	26,207	101,236	28
2009	2,481	13	484	15,490	6,758	-	-	3,396	730	1,032	1,038	31,422	108,221	15
2010	2,490	4	314	15,847	9,244	-	-	5,276	1,356	1,496	1,063	37,090	94,842	2
2011	5,450	-	445	13,399	6,617	-	-	3,957	1,050	694	706	32,318	88,829	0
2012	4,386	3	464	16,323	7,450	-	-	4,999	875	1,063	604	36,167	102,187	27
2013	5,199	-	527	14,258	8,822	-	-	4,162	2,056	604	577	36,205	85,691	99
2014	5,253	9	526	13,468	8,203	-	C	4,511	2,100	897	129	35,096	95,549	177
2015	8,486	*	*	13,415	10,107	*	*	5,538	666	*	33	38,245	101,474	1

[1] Includes—Incluye: BLZ, CHL, ECU, EU(ESP), HND, SLV

[2] Includes gillnets, pole-and-line, recreational, and unknown gears—Incluye red de transmalle, caña, artes deportivas, y desconocidas

TABLE A-4. Preliminary estimates of the retained catches in metric tons, of tunas and bonitos caught by purse-seine vessels in the EPO in 2014 and 2015, by species and vessel flag. The data for yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas have been adjusted to the species composition estimates, and are preliminary.

TABLA A-4. Estimaciones preliminares de las capturas retenidas, en toneladas métricas, de atunes y bonitos por buques cerqueros en el OPO en 2014 y 2015, por especie y bandera del buque. Los datos de los atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo fueron ajustados a las estimaciones de composición por especie, y son preliminares.

	YFT	SKJ	BET	PBF	ALB	BKJ	BZX	TUN	Total	%
2014	**Retained catches–Capturas retenidas**									
COL	17,203	22,740	2,453	-	-	10	-	-	42,406	7.4
ECU	37,640	172,510	38,749	-	-	707	1,855	65	251,526	44.2
EU(ESP)	763	5,599	2,790	-	-	-	-	-	9,152	1.6
MEX	120,986	8,777	40	4,862	-	3,428	964	48	139,105	24.5
NIC	8,119	6,309	3,039	-	-	1	-	-	17,468	3.1
PAN	19,375	21,816	8,107	-	-	5	2	-	49,305	8.7
USA	1,106	521	128	401	-	-	-	-	2,156	0.4
VEN	23,040	13,766	1,170	-	-	2	-	-	37,978	6.7
OTR[1]	5,741	9,540	3,977	-	-	-	-	-	19,258	3.4
Total	233,973	261,578	60,453	5,263	-	4,153	2,821	113	568,354	
2015	**Retained catches–Capturas retenidas**									
COL	17,422	16,370	2,379	-	-	20	-	-	36,191	5.6
ECU	49,039	210,215	43,709	-	-	1,032	37	47	304,079	47.1
EU(ESP)	525	11,545	754	-	-	-	-	-	12,824	2.0
MEX	106,522	23,170	149	3,082	-	2,719	626	23	136,291	21.1
NIC	6,788	1,439	962	-	-	1	-	-	9,190	1.4
PAN	26,491	31,005	10,596	-	-	-	-	3	68,095	10.5
PER	764	5,165	-	-	-	-	9	5	5,943	0.9
USA	3,151	16,867	2,308	86	-	-	117	-	22,529	3.5
VEN	30,266	4,777	126	-	-	15	-	3	35,187	5.5
OTR[2]	4,215	8,727	2,246	-	-	6	-	-	15,194	2.4
Total	245,183	329,280	63,229	3,168	-	3,793	789	81	645,523	

[1] Includes El Salvador, Guatemala and Peru This category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

[1] Incluye El Salvador, Guatemala y Perú Se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

[2] Includes El Salvador and Guatemala This category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

[2] Incluye El Salvador y Guatemala Se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

TABLE A-5a. Annual retained catches of Pacific bluefin tuna, by gear type and flag, in metric tons. The data for 2014 and 2015 are preliminary.

TABLA A-5a. Capturas retenidas anuales de atún aleta azul del Pacífico, por arte de pesca y bandera, en toneladas métricas. Los datos de 2014 y 2015 son preliminares.

PBF	Western Pacific flags—Banderas del Pacífico occidental[1]										Eastern Pacific flags—Banderas del Pacífico oriental						Total
	JPN				KOR[1]		TWN			Sub-total	MEX		USA		Sub-total	OTR	
	PS	LP	LL	OTR	PS	OTR	PS	LL	OTR		PS	OTR	PS	OTR			
1986	7,412	1,086	102	5,100	344	-	16	70	13	14,143	189	-	4,851	64	5,104	-	19,247
1987	8,653	1,565	211	3,523	89	13	21	365	14	14,454	119	-	861	87	1,067	-	15,521
1988	3,605	907	157	2,465	32	-	197	108	62	7,533	447	1	923	51	1,422	9	8,964
1989	6,190	754	209	1,934	71	-	259	205	54	9,676	57	-	1,046	96	1,199	-	10,875
1990	2,989	536	309	2,421	132	-	149	189	315	7,040	50	-	1,380	164	1,594	-	8,634
1991	9,808	286	218	4,204	265	-	-	342	119	15,242	9	-	410	55	474	-	15,716
1992	7,162	166	513	3,204	288	-	73	464	8	11,878	-	-	1,928	148	2,076	-	13,954
1993	6,600	129	812	1,759	40	-	1	471	3	9,815	-	-	580	316	896	-	10,711
1994	8,131	162	1,206	5,667	50	-	-	559	-	15,775	63	2	906	115	1,086	-	16,861
1995	18,909	270	678	7,223	821	-	-	335	2	28,238	11	-	649	275	935	-	29,173
1996	7,644	94	901	5,359	102	-	-	956	-	15,056	3,700	-	4,633	90	8,423	-	23,479
1997	13,152	34	1,300	4,354	1,054	-	-	1,814	-	21,708	367	-	2,240	245	2,852	-	24,560
1998	5,391	85	1,255	4,450	188	-	-	1,910	-	13,279	1	-	1,771	597	2,369	-	15,648
1999	16,173	35	1,157	5,246	256	-	-	3,089	-	25,956	2,369	35	184	617	3,205	-	29,161
2000	16,486	102	953	7,031	2,401	-	-	2,780	2	29,755	3,019	99	693	353	4,164	-	33,919
2001	7,620	180	791	5,614	1,176	10	-	1,839	4	17,234	863	-	292	384	1,539	131	18,904
2002	8,903	99	841	4,338	932	1	-	1,523	4	16,641	1,708	2	50	622	2,382	67	19,090
2003	5,768	44	1,237	3,345	2,601	-	-	1,863	21	14,879	3,211	43	22	372	3,648	42	18,569
2004	8,257	132	1,847	3,855	773	-	-	1,714	3	16,581	8,880	14	-	59	8,953	-	25,534
2005	12,817	549	1,925	6,363	1,318	9	-	1,368	2	24,351	4,542	-	201	80	4,823	-	29,174
2006	8,880	108	1,121	4,058	1,012	3	-	1,149	1	16,332	9,927	-	-	93	10,020	-	26,352
2007	6,840	236	1,762	4,983	1,281	4	-	1,401	10	16,517	4,147	-	42	14	4,203	-	20,720
2008	10,221	64	1,390	5,505	1,866	10	-	979	2	20,037	4,392	15	-	63	4,470	-	24,507
2009	8,077	50	1,080	4,814	936	4	-	877	11	15,849	3,019	-	410	161	3,590	-	19,439
2010	3,742	83	890	3,681	1,196	16	-	373	36	10,017	7,746	-	-	89	7,835	-	17,852
2011	8,340	63	837	3,754	670	14	-	292	24	13,994	2,730	1	99	244	3,074	-	17,068
2012	2,462	113	673	2,845	1,421	2	-	210	4	7,730	6,667	1	38	405	7,111	-	14,841
2013	2,771	8	784	2,848	604	1	-	332	3	7,351	3,154	-	-	819	3,973	-	11,324
2014	5,456	5	715	3,429	1,305	6	-	480	3	11,399	4,862	-	401	403	5,666	-	17,065
2015	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	3,082	-	86	14	3,182	-	3,182

[1] Source: International Scientific Committee, 15th Plenary Meeting, PBFWG workshop report on Pacific Bluefin Tuna, July 2015—Fuente: Comité Científico Internacional, 15ª Reunión Plenaria, Taller PBFWG sobre Atún Aleta Azul del Pacífico, julio de 2015

TABLE A-5b. Reported catches of Pacific bluefin tuna in the EPO by recreational gear, in number of fish, 1986-2014.

TABLA A-5b. Capturas reportadas de atún aleta azul del Pacifico en el OPO por artes deportivas, en número de peces, 1986-2014.

PBF			
1986	693	2001	21,913
1987	1,951	2002	33,399
1988	330	2003	22,291
1989	6,519	2004	3,391
1990	3,755	2005	5,757
1991	5,330	2006	7,473
1992	8,586	2007	1,028
1993	10,535	2008	10,187
1994	2,243	2009	12,138
1995	16,025	2010	8,453
1996	2,739	2011	31,494
1997	8,338	2012	40,012
1998	20,466	2013	63,158
1999	36,797	2014	26,105
2000	20,669		

TABLE A-6. Annual retained catches of albacore in the EPO, by gear and area (north and south of the equator), in metric tons. The data for 2013 and 2014 are preliminary.
TABLA A-6. Capturas retenidas anuales de atún albacora en el OPO, por arte y zona (al norte y al sur de la línea ecuatorial), en toneladas. Los datos de 2013 y 2014 son preliminares.

ALB	North—Norte				South—Sur				Total
	LL	LTL[1]	OTR	Subtotal	LL	LTL	OTR	Subtotal	
1986	698	4,368	243	5,309	5,752	74	149	5,975	11,284
1987	1,114	2,620	172	3,906	8,880	188	3	9,071	12,977
1988	899	4,473	81	5,453	9,035	1,282	1	10,318	15,771
1989	952	1,873	161	2,986	5,832	593	90	6,515	9,501
1990	1,143	2,610	63	3,816	5,393	1,336	305	7,034	10,850
1991	1,514	2,617	6	4,137	6,379	795	170	7,344	11,481
1992	1,635	4,770	2	6,407	15,445	1,205	18	16,668	23,075
1993	1,772	4,332	25	6,129	9,422	35	19	9,476	15,605
1994	2,356	9,666	106	12,128	8,034	446	21	8,501	20,629
1995	1,380	7,773	102	9,255	4,805	2	15	4,822	14,077
1996	1,675	8,267	99	10,041	5,956	94	21	6,071	16,112
1997	1,365	6,115	1,019	8,499	8,313	466	0	8,779	17,278
1998	1,730	12,019	1,250	14,999	10,905	12	0	10,917	25,916
1999	2,701	11,028	3,668	17,397	8,932	81	7	9,020	26,417
2000	1,880	10,960	1,869	14,709	7,783	778	3	8,564	23,273
2001	1,822	11,727	1,638	15,187	17,588	516	6	18,110	33,297
2002	1,227	12,286	2,388	15,901	14,062	131	40	14,233	30,134
2003	1,129	17,808	2,260	21,197	23,772	419	3	24,194	45,391
2004	854	20,288	1,623	22,765	17,590	331	0	17,921	40,686
2005	405	13,818	1,741	15,964	8,945	181	7	9,133	25,097
2006	3,671	18,515	408	22,594	10,161	48	118	10,327	32,921
2007	2,708	17,948	1,415	22,071	8,399	19	87	8,505	30,576
2008	1,160	17,185	308	18,653	8,058	0	159	8,217	26,870
2009	91	17,933	996	19,020	11,981	0	213	12,194	31,214
2010	1,134	18,216	892	20,242	13,122	3	247	13,372	33,614
2011	1,833	15,468	426	17,727	14,357	0	222	14,579	32,306
2012	4,580	16,633	1,224	22,437	19,616	35	210	19,861	42,298
2013	6,771	17,399	844	25,014	18,597	0	271	18,868	43,882
2014	3,342	18,194	1,052	22,588	25,533	72	237	25,842	48,430

[1] Includes pole-and-line—Incluye caña

TABLE A-7. Estimated numbers of sets, by set type and vessel capacity category, and estimated retained catches, in metric tons, of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tuna by purse-seine vessels in the EPO. The data for 2015 are preliminary. The data for yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye tunas have been adjusted to the species composition estimate and are preliminary.

TABLA A-7. Números estimados de lances, por tipo de lance y categoría de capacidad de buque, y capturas retenidas estimadas, en toneladas métricas, de atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo por buques cerqueros en el OPO. Los datos de 2015 son preliminares. Los datos de los atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo fueron ajustados a la estimación de composición por especie, y son preliminares.

	Number of sets—Número de lances			Retained catch—Captura retenida		
	Vessel capacity—Capacidad del buque		Total	YFT	SKJ	BET
	≤363 t	>363 t				
DEL	**Sets on fish associated with dolphins Lances sobre peces asociados a delfines**					
2000	0	9,235	9,235	146,533	540	15
2001	0	9,876	9,876	238,629	1,802	6
2002	0	12,290	12,290	301,099	3,180	2
2003	0	13,760	13,760	265,512	13,332	1
2004	0	11,783	11,783	177,460	10,730	3
2005	0	12,173	12,173	166,211	12,127	2
2006	0	8,923	8,923	91,978	4,787	0
2007	0	8,871	8,871	97,032	3,277	7
2008	0	9,246	9,246	122,105	8,382	5
2009	0	10,910	10,910	178,436	2,719	1
2010	0	11,645	11,645	168,984	1,627	4
2011	0	9,604	9,604	134,839	4,372	2
2012	0	9,220	9,220	133,716	2,120	0
2013	0	10,736	10,736	157,432	4,272	0
2014	0	11,382	11,382	168,209	4,436	3
2015	0	11,020	11,020	160,901	5,651	2
OBJ	**Sets on fish associated with floating objects Lances sobre peces asociados a objetos flotantes**					
2000	508	3,713	4,221	42,522	121,723	92,966
2001	827	5,674	6,501	67,200	122,363	59,748
2002	867	5,771	6,638	38,057	116,793	55,901
2003	706	5,457	6,163	30,307	181,214	51,296
2004	615	4,986	5,601	28,340	117,212	64,005
2005	639	4,992	5,631	26,126	133,509	66,257
2006	1,158	6,862	8,020	34,313	191,093	82,136
2007	1,384	5,857	7,241	29,619	122,286	62,189
2008	1,819	6,655	8,474	34,819	157,274	73,855
2009	1,821	7,077	8,898	36,136	157,067	75,888
2010	1,788	6,399	8,187	38,113	113,716	57,167
2011	2,538	6,921	9,459	42,189	170,986	55,589
2012	3,067	7,610	10,677	37,527	177,239	65,040
2013	3,081	8,038	11,119	35,089	194,372	48,337
2014	3,858	8,777	12,635	45,476	199,488	59,803
2015	3,403	9,385	12,788	43,152	205,976	61,277

TABLE A-7. (continued)
TABLA A-7 (continuación)

	Number of sets—Número de lances			Retained catch—Captura retenida		
	Vessel capacity—Capacidad del buque		Total	YFT	SKJ	BET
	≤363 t	>363 t				
NOA	**Sets on unassociated schools Lances sobre cardúmenes no asociados**					
2000	5,497	5,472	10,969	64,208	83,384	2,301
2001	4,022	3,024	7,046	78,107	19,000	764
2002	4,938	3,442	8,380	73,130	33,573	1,518
2003	7,274	5,131	12,405	87,460	79,422	1,755
2004	4,969	5,696	10,665	66,757	69,882	1,463
2005	6,109	7,816	13,925	75,764	117,593	1,636
2006	6,189	8,443	14,632	40,340	100,388	1,702
2007	4,845	7,211	12,056	43,365	82,732	1,254
2008	4,771	6,210	10,981	28,133	130,947	1,168
2009	3,308	4,109	7,417	22,200	70,737	910
2010	2,252	3,886	6,138	43,912	31,849	581
2011	2,840	5,182	8,022	29,823	100,677	921
2012	2,996	5,369	8,365	26,774	86,856	980
2013	3,064	4,156	7,220	25,666	79,916	1,150
2014	2,427	3,369	5,796	20,288	57,654	647
2015	3,075	6,201	9,276	41,130	117,653	1,950
ALL	**Sets on all types of schools Lances sobre todos tipos de cardumen**					
2000	6,005	18,420	24,425	253,263	205,647	95,282
2001	4,849	18,574	23,423	383,936	143,165	60,518
2002	5,805	21,503	27,308	412,286	153,546	57,421
2003	7,980	24,348	32,328	383,279	273,968	53,052
2004	5,584	22,465	28,049	272,557	197,824	65,471
2005	6,748	24,981	31,729	268,101	263,229	67,895
2006	7,347	24,228	31,575	166,631	296,268	83,838
2007	6,229	21,939	28,168	170,016	208,295	63,450
2008	6,590	22,111	28,701	185,057	296,603	75,028
2009	5,129	22,096	27,225	236,772	230,523	76,799
2010	4,040	21,930	25,970	251,009	147,192	57,752
2011	5,378	21,707	27,085	206,851	276,035	56,512
2012	6,063	22,199	28,262	198,017	266,215	66,020
2013	6,145	22,930	29,075	218,187	278,560	49,487
2014	6,285	23,528	29,813	233,973	261,578	60,453
2015	6,478	26,606	33,084	245,183	329,280	63,229

TABLE A-8. Types of floating objects involved in sets by vessels of >363 t carrying capacity. The 2015 data are preliminary.

TABLA A-8. Tipos de objetos flotantes sobre los que realizaron lances buques de >363 t de capacidad de acarreo. Los datos de 2015 son preliminares.

OBJ	Flotsam Naturales		FADs Plantados		Unknown Desconocido		Total
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
2000	488	13.1	3,187	85.8	38	1.0	3,713
2001	592	10.4	5,058	89.1	24	0.4	5,674
2002	778	13.5	4,966	86.1	27	0.5	5,771
2003	715	13.1	4,722	86.5	20	0.4	5,457
2004	586	11.8	4,370	87.6	30	0.6	4,986
2005	603	12.1	4,281	85.8	108	2.2	4,992
2006	697	10.2	6,123	89.2	42	0.6	6,862
2007	597	10.2	5,188	88.6	72	1.2	5,857
2008	560	8.4	6,070	91.2	25	0.4	6,655
2009	322	4.5	6,728	95.1	27	0.4	7,077
2010	337	5.3	6,038	94.3	24	0.4	6,399
2011	563	8.1	6,342	91.6	16	0.2	6,921
2012	286	3.8	7,321	96.2	3	< 0.1	7,610
2013	274	3.4	7,759	96.5	5	0.1	8,038
2014	283	3.2	8,490	96.7	4	< 0.1	8,777
2015	273	2.9	9,093	96.9	19	0.2	9,385

TABLE A-9. Reported nominal longline fishing effort (E; 1000 hooks), and catch (C; metric tons) of yellowfin, skipjack, bigeye, Pacific bluefin, and albacore tunas only, by flag, in the EPO.
TABLA A-9. Esfuerzo de pesca palangrero nominal reportado (E; 1000 anzuelos), y captura (C; toneladas métricas) de atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, patudo, aleta azul del Pacífico, y albacora solamente, por bandera, en el OPO.

LL	CHN		JPN		KOR		FRA(PYF)		TWN		USA		OTR[1]
	E	C	E	C	E	C	E	C	E	C	E	C	C
1986	-	-	160,572	111,672	30,778	17,432	-	-	4,874	2,569	-	-	68
1987	-	-	188,386	104,053	36,436	19,405	-	-	12,267	5,335	-	-	273
1988	-	-	182,709	82,383	43,056	10,172	-	-	9,567	4,590	-	-	234
1989	-	-	170,370	84,961	43,365	4,879	-	-	16,360	4,962	-	-	9
1990	-	-	178,414	117,923	47,167	17,415	-	-	12,543	4,755	-	-	-
1991	-	-	200,374	112,337	65,024	24,644	-	-	17,969	5,862	42	12	173
1992	-	-	191,300	93,011	45,634	13,104	199	89	33,025	14,142	325	106	128
1993	-	-	159,956	87,977	46,375	12,843	153	79	18,064	6,566	415	81	227
1994	-	-	163,999	92,606	44,788	13,250	1,373	574	12,588	4,883	303	25	523
1995	-	-	129,599	69,435	54,979	12,778	1,776	559	2,910	1,639	828	180	562
1996	-	-	103,649	52,298	40,290	14,121	2,087	931	5,830	3,553	510	182	185
1997	-	-	96,385	59,325	30,493	16,663	3,464	1,941	8,720	5,673	464	215	752
1998	-	-	106,568	50,167	51,817	15,089	4,724	2,858	10,586	5,039	1,008	406	1,176
1999	-	-	80,950	32,886	54,269	13,294	5,512	4,446	23,247	7,865	1,756	469	1,157
2000	-	-	79,311	45,216	33,585	18,759	8,090	4,382	18,152	7,809	737	204	4,868
2001	13,056	5,162	102,219	54,775	72,261	18,201	7,445	5,086	41,920	20,060	1,438	238	15,612
2002	34,889	10,398	103,919	45,401	96,273	14,370	943	3,238	78,018	31,773	613	138	10,258
2003	43,289	14,548	101,227	36,187	71,006	15,551	11,098	4,101	74,460	28,328	1,314	262	11,595
2004	15,889	4,033	76,824	30,936	55,861	14,540	13,757	3,030	49,979	19,535	1,049	166	9,193
2005	16,896	3,681	65,081	25,712	15,798	12,284	13,356	2,515	38,536	12,229	2,397	557	5,244
2006	588	969	56,525	21,432	27,472	7,892	11,786	3,220	38,134	12,375	234	121	10,027
2007	12,226	2,624	45,972	20,514	10,548	6,037	9,672	3,753	22,244	9,498	2,689	436	6,424
2008	11,518	2,984	44,547	21,375	3,442	4,256	10,255	3,017	12,544	4,198	6,322	1,369	9,231
2009	10,536	3,435	41,517	21,492	18,364	7,615	10,686	4,032	13,904	6,366	5,141	852	11,731
2010	11,905	3,590	47,807	21,017	25,816	10,477	8,976	3,139	24,976	10,396	8,879	1,480	11,400
2011	37,384	9,983	52,194	18,682	25,323	7,814	9,514	3,192	21,065	9,422	7,359	1,233	7,616
2012	55,508	14,462	55,587	22,214	20,338	8,286	8,806	3,589	20,519	11,924	5,822	986	14,237
2013	70,411	18,128	48,825	19,096	31,702	10,248	11,189	3,303	18,353	11,722	10,765	2,133	10,388
2014	78,851	24,282	40,410	17,074	22,695	9,132	10,572	3,291	16,830	10,435	11,276	2,194	6,325

[1] Includes the catches of—Incluye las capturas de: BLZ, CHL, COK, CRI, ECU, EU(ESP), GTM, HND, MEX, NIC, PAN, EU(PRT), SLV, VUT

TABLE A-10. Numbers and well volumes, in cubic meters, of purse-seine and pole-and line vessels of the EPO tuna fleet. The data for 2015 are preliminary.

TABLA A-10. Número y volumen de bodega, en metros cúbicos, de buques cerqueros y cañeros de la flota atunera del OPO. Los datos de 2015 son preliminares.

	PS		LP		Total	
	No.	Vol. (m^3)	No.	Vol. (m^3)	No.	Vol. (m^3)
1986	165	130,530	17	2,066	182	132,596
1987	173	148,713	29	2,383	202	151,096
1988	185	154,845	39	3,352	224	158,197
1989	176	141,956	32	3,181	208	145,137
1990	172	143,877	23	1,975	195	145,852
1991	152	124,062	22	1,997	174	126,059
1992	158	116,619	20	1,807	178	118,426
1993	151	117,593	15	1,550	166	119,143
1994	166	120,726	20	1,726	186	122,452
1995	175	123,798	20	1,784	195	125,582
1996	180	130,774	17	1,646	197	132,420
1997	194	147,926	23	2,127	217	150,053
1998	202	164,956	22	2,216	224	167,172
1999	208	178,724	14	1,642	222	180,366
2000	205	180,679	12	1,220	217	181,899
2001	204	189,088	10	1,259	214	190,347
2002	218	199,870	6	921	224	200,791
2003	214	202,381	3	338	217	202,719
2004	218	206,473	3	338	221	206,811
2005	220	212,419	4	498	224	212,917
2006	225	225,166	4	498	229	225,664
2007	227	225,359	4	380	231	225,739
2008	219	223,804	4	380	223	224,184
2009	221	224,632	4	380	225	225,012
2010	202	210,025	3	255	205	210,280
2011	208	213,237	3	339	211	213,576
2012	209	217,687	4	464	213	218,151
2013	203	212,087	3	268	206	212,355
2014	226	230,379	2	226	228	230,605
2015	243	247,978	1	125	244	248,103

TABLE A-11a. Estimates of the numbers and well volume (cubic meters) of purse-seine (PS) and pole-and-line (LP) vessels that fished in the EPO in 2014, by flag and gear. Each vessel is included in the total for each flag under which it fished during the year, but is included only once in the "Grand total"; therefore the grand total may not equal the sums of the individual flags.

TABLA A-11a. Estimaciones del número y volumen de bodega (metros cúbicos) de buques cerqueros (PS) y cañeros (LP) que pescaron en el OPO en 2014, por bandera y arte de pesca. Se incluye cada buque en los totales de cada bandera bajo la cual pescó durante el año, pero solamente una vez en el "Total general"; por consiguiente, los totales generales no equivalen necesariamente a las sumas de las banderas individuales.

Flag Bandera	Gear Arte	Well volume —Volumen de bodega (m^3)					Total	
		<401	401-800	801-1300	1301-1800	>1800	No.	Vol. (m^3)
		Number—Número						
COL	PS	2	2	7	3	-	14	14,860
ECU	PS	36	33	22	8	12	111	88,957
EU(ESP)	PS	-	-	-	-	4	4	10,116
GTM	PS	-	-	-	1	-	1	1,475
MEX	PS	3	4	18	20	-	45	54,206
	LP	2	-	-	-	-	2	226
NIC	PS	-	-	3	3	-	6	8,478
PAN	PS	-	2	4	4	4	14	19,865
PER	PS	1	2	-	-	-	3	1,437
SLV	PS	-	-	-	1	3	4	7,892
USA	PS	8	-	1	-	-	9	2,203
VEN	PS	-	-	7	7	1	15	20,890
Grand total— Total general	PS	50	43	62	47	24	226	
	LP	2	-	-	-	-	2	
	PS + LP	52	43	62	47	24	228	
Well volume—Volumen de bodega (m^3)								
Grand total— Total general	PS	12,757	25,997	69,465	70,687	51,473		230,379
	LP	226	-	-	-	-		226
	PS + LP	12,983	25,997	69,465	70,687	51,473		230,605

- : none—ninguno

TABLE A-11b. Estimates of the numbers and well volumes (cubic meters) of purse-seine (PS) and pole-and-line (LP) vessels that fished in the EPO in 2015 by flag and gear. Each vessel is included in the total for each flag under which it fished during the year, but is included only once in the "Grand total"; therefore the grand total may not equal the sums of the individual flags.

TABLA A-11b. Estimaciones del número y volumen de bodega (metros cúbicos) de buques cerqueros (PS) y cañeros (LP) que pescaron en el OPO en 2015, por bandera y arte de pesca. Se incluye cada buque en los totales de cada bandera bajo la cual pescó durante el año, pero solamente una vez en el "Total general"; por consiguiente, los totales generales no equivalen necesariamente a las sumas de las banderas individuales.

Flag Bandera	Gear Arte	Well volume —Volumen de bodega (m^3)					Total	
		<401	401-800	801-1300	1301-1800	>1800	No.	Vol. (m^3)
		Number—Número						
COL	PS	2	2	7	3	-	14	14,860
ECU	PS	35	33	23	8	13	112	91,651
EU(ESP)	PS	-	-	-	-	4	4	10,116
GTM	PS	-	-	-	1	-	1	1,475
MEX	PS	3	4	18	22	-	47	57,502
	LP	1	-	-	-	-	1	125
NIC	PS	-	-	3	3	-	6	8,478
PAN	PS	-	2	4	4	4	14	19,794
PER	PS	3	3	-	-	-	6	2,818
SLV	PS	-	-	-	-	2	2	4,473
USA	PS	11	-	1	7	4	23	17,219
VEN	PS	-	-	6	7	1	14	19,592
Grand total— Total general	PS	54	44	62	55	28	243	
	LP	1	-	-	-	-	1	
	PS + LP	55	44	62	55	28	244	
Well volume—Volumen de bodega (m^3)								
Grand total— Total general	PS	13,543	26,675	69,150	82,095	56,515		247,978
	LP	125	-	-	-	-		125
	PS + LP	13,668	26,675	69,150	82,095	56,515		248,103

- : none—ninguno

TABLE A-12. Minimum, maximum, and average capacity, in thousands of cubic meters, of purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels at sea in the EPO during 2005-2014 and in 2015, by month.
TABLA A-12. Capacidad mínima, máxima, y media, en miles de metros cúbicos, de los buques cerqueros y cañeros en el mar en el OPO durante 2005-2014 y en 2015 por mes.

Month Mes	2005-2014			2015
	Min	Max	Ave.-Prom.	
1	86.9	157.7	115.3	92.4
2	150.7	175.3	158.3	181.1
3	135.4	159.9	147.2	168.6
4	142.8	165.0	153.7	173.6
5	139.8	164.4	153.1	163.1
6	154.9	175.0	160.4	173.1
7	154.1	170.4	162.8	169.9
8	62.2	123.6	105.2	117.6
9	105.5	137.7	117.3	121.9
10	150.7	172.2	164.3	186.7
11	102.9	150.8	128.6	134.3
12	45.9	105.8	63.9	57.8
Ave.-Prom.	119.3	154.8	135.8	145.0