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**THE FISHERY FOR TUNAS AND BILLFISHES IN THE  
EASTERN PACIFIC OCEAN IN 2011**

**INTRODUCTION**

This report provides a summary of the fishery for tunas in the eastern Pacific Ocean (EPO) in 2011. It is based on data available to the IATTC staff in March 2012.

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

<b>Species:</b>		<b>Fishing gears:</b>	
ALB	Albacore tuna ( <i>Thunnus alalunga</i> )	FPN	Trap
BET	Bigeye tuna ( <i>Thunnus obesus</i> )	GN	Gillnet
BIL	Unidentified istiophorid billfishes	HAR	Harpoon
BKJ	Black skipjack ( <i>Euthynnus lineatus</i> )	LL	Longline
BLM	Black marlin ( <i>Makaira indica</i> )	LP	Pole and line
BUM	Blue marlin ( <i>Makaira nigricans</i> )	LTL	Troll
BZX	Bonito ( <i>Sarda</i> spp.)	LX	Hook and line
CAR	Chondrichthyes, cartilaginous fishes nei <sup>1</sup>	OTR	Other <sup>2</sup>
CGX	Carangids (Carangidae)	NK	Unknown
DOX	Dorado ( <i>Coryphaena</i> spp.)	PS	Purse seine
MLS	Striped marlin ( <i>Kajikia audax</i> )	RG	Recreational
MZZ	Osteichthyes, marine fishes nei	TX	Trawl
PBF	Pacific bluefin tuna ( <i>Thunnus orientalis</i> )	<b>Ocean areas:</b>	
SFA	Indo-Pacific sailfish ( <i>Istiophorus platypterus</i> )	EPO	Eastern Pacific Ocean
SKJ	Skipjack tuna ( <i>Katsuwonus pelamis</i> )	WCPO	Western and Central Pacific Ocean
SKX	Unidentified elasmobranchs	<b>Set types:</b>	
SSP	Shortbill spearfish ( <i>Tetrapturus angustirostris</i> )	DEL	Dolphin
SWO	Swordfish ( <i>Xiphias gladius</i> )	NOA	Unassociated school
TUN	Unidentified tunas	OBJ	Floating object
YFT	Yellowfin tuna ( <i>Thunnus albacares</i> )	FLT	Flotsam
		FAD: Fish-aggregating device	

<sup>1</sup> not elsewhere included

<sup>2</sup> Used to group known gear types

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NZL	New Zealand
PRT	Portugal
RUS	Russia
VCT	St. Vincent and the Grenadines
UNK	Unknown

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This section 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 section 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 2000-2011 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 2011 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 2010 and 2011 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 1982-2011 are shown in Tables A-2a-c. The catches of yellowfin, bigeye, and skipjack tunas, by gear and flag, during 1982-2011 are shown in Tables A-3a-e, and the purse-seine and pole-and-line catches of tunas and bonitos during 2010-2011 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 1998-2011. 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 4.

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 1982-2011 are shown in Table A-1. Overall, the catches in both the EPO and WCPO have increased during this period. In the EPO, 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. The catch of yellowfin in the EPO, in 2002, 443 thousand t, was the greatest on record, but during 2004-2009 it decreased substantially, and the catch during 2011, 203 thousand t, was greater than the catches during 2006-2008, but less than the catches during 1996-2005. In the WCPO, the catches of yellowfin reached 341 thousand t in 1990, peaked at 425 thousand t in 1998, and remained high through 2001 (405 thousand t); increased to 417 thousand t in 2003, and fell to 384 thousand t in 2004, increased to 539 thousand t in 2008, and fell again in 2009, to 416 thousand t.

The annual retained catches of yellowfin in the EPO by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels during 1982-2011 are shown in Table A-2a. The average annual retained catch during 1996-2010 was 269 thousand t (range: 167 to 413 thousand t). The preliminary estimate of the retained catch in 2011, 203 thousand t, was 19% less than that of 2010, and 25% less than the average for 1996-2010. The average amount of yellowfin discarded at sea during 1996-2010 was about 1% of the total purse-seine catch (retained catch plus discards) of yellowfin (range: 1 to 3%) (Table A-2a).

The annual retained catches of yellowfin in the EPO by longliners during 1982-2011 are shown in Table

A-2a. During 1996-2010 they remained relatively stable, averaging about 16 thousand t (range: 7 to 30 thousand t), or about 5% of the total retained catches of yellowfin. 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 1996-2010 they averaged about 1 thousand t.

### **1.1.2. Skipjack tuna**

The annual catches of skipjack during 1982-2011 are shown in Table A-1. Most of the skipjack catch in the Pacific Ocean is taken in the WCPO. The greatest reported catch in the WCPO, about 1.8 million t, occurred in 2009, and the greatest total catch in the EPO, 310 thousand t, occurred in 2006.

The annual retained catches of skipjack in the EPO by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels during 1982-2011 are shown in Table A-2a. During 1996-2010 the annual retained catch averaged 206 thousand t (range 107 to 297 thousand t). The preliminary estimate of the retained catch in 2011, 270 thousand t, is 31% greater than the average for 1996-2010, and 9% less than the previous record-high retained catch of 2006. The average amount of skipjack discarded at sea during 1996-2010 was about 8% of the total catch of skipjack (range: 2 to 19%) (Table A-2a).

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

### **1.1.3. Bigeye tuna**

The annual catches of bigeye during 1982-2011 are shown in Table A-1. Overall, the catches in both the EPO and WCPO have increased, but with considerable fluctuations. The catches in the EPO reached 105 thousand t in 1986, and have fluctuated between about 73 and 149 thousand t since then, with the greatest catch in 2000. In the WCPO the catches of bigeye increased to more than 77 thousand t during the late 1970s, decreased during the 1980s, and then increased, with lesser fluctuations, until 1999, when the catches reached more than 112 thousand t. They increased significantly in 2006, to 125 thousand t, and in 2007, 2008 and 2009 they were 118, 132, and 121 thousand t, respectively.

Prior to 1994, the average annual retained catch of bigeye taken by purse-seine vessels in the EPO was about 8 thousand t (Table A-2a). Following the development of fish-aggregating devices (FADs), placed in the water by fishermen to aggregate tunas, the annual retained catches of bigeye increased from 35 thousand t in 1994 to between 44 and 95 thousand t during 1996-2010. A preliminary estimate of the retained catch in the EPO in 2011 is 58 thousand t. The average amount of bigeye discarded at sea during 1996-2010 was about 4% of the purse-seine catch of the species (range: 1 to 9%). Small amounts of bigeye have been caught in some years by pole-and-line vessels, as shown in Table A-2a.

During 1982-1995, prior to the increased use of FADs and the resulting greater catches of bigeye by purse-seine vessels, the longline catches of bigeye in the EPO ranged from 46 to 104 thousand t (average: 76 thousand t) about 88%, on average, of the retained catches of this species from the EPO. During 1996-2010 the annual retained catches of bigeye by the longline fisheries ranged from about 26 to 74 thousand t (average: 45 thousand t), an average of 40% of the total catch of bigeye in the EPO (Table A-2a). The preliminary estimate of the longline catch in the EPO in 2011 is 25 thousand t (Table A-2a).

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

### **1.1.4. Bluefin tuna**

The catches of Pacific bluefin in the entire Pacific Ocean, by flag and gear, are shown in Table A-5. 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.

The catches of Pacific bluefin in the EPO during 1982-2011, by gear, are shown in Table A-2a. During 1996-2010 the annual retained catch of bluefin from the EPO by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels averaged 4.6 thousand t (range 1.2 to 9.9 thousand t). The preliminary estimate of the retained catch of

bluefin in 2011, 2.7 thousand t, is 1.9 thousand t less than the average for 1996-2010. Small amounts of bluefin are discarded at sea by purse-seine vessels (Table A-2a).

#### **1.1.5. Albacore tuna**

The catches of albacore in the entire Pacific Ocean, by gear and area (north and south of the equator) are shown in Table A-6a-b. 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. The catch data were obtained from IATTC data for the EPO and from data compiled by the SPC for the WCPO.

#### **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 1982-2011 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 about 10 thousand t in 2011, which is greater than the 1996-2010 annual average retained catch of about 5 thousand t (range: 500 t 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. The average annual longline catch of swordfish during 1996-2010 was 12 thousand t, but during 2001-2004 was about 17 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 1996-2010 were about 3 thousand and 2 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.

#### **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 of other species 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 South and Central America. Although the catches are greater than 10 thousand t in some years, the gear types 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 2006-2010, are shown in Figures A-1a, A-2a, and A-3a, and preliminary estimates for 2011 are shown in Figures A-1b, A-2b, and A-3b. The majority of the yellowfin catches in 2011 were taken from the areas north of 5°N and east of 140°W. Catches of yellowfin on dolphins were greater in the inshore areas off Southern Mexico. Yellowfin catches on floating objects and unassociated schools in 2011 were similar to the average annual distributions for 2006-2010, while sets on dolphins in the area from 0° to 5°S decreased slightly. Skipjack catches in 2011 were lower in the inshore areas off Ecuador, but greater in the offshore equatorial areas around the Galapagos Islands. Skipjack catches between 10°S and 20°S were also somewhat higher in 2011 as compared to the average annual distributions for 2006-2010. Catch distributions of bigeye in 2011 were very similar to the average distribution of catches for 2006-2010.

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, Chinese Taipei, French Polynesia, Japan, the Republic of Korea, Spain, 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 Japanese, Korean, and Chinese Taipei longline vessels during 2006-2010 are shown in Figure A-4. Data for the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO during 1956-2003 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 2006-2011 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 2011, and the second shows the combined data for each year of the 2006-2011 period. For bluefin, the histograms show the 2006-2011 catches by commercial and recreational gear combined. For black skipjack, the histograms show the 2006-2011 catches by commercial gear. Only a small amount of catch was taken by pole-and-line vessels in 2011, 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 859 wells sampled, 582 contained yellowfin. The estimated size compositions of the fish caught during 2011 are shown in Figure A-6a. The majority of the yellowfin catch was taken in sets associated with dolphins and in unassociated sets. Most of the larger yellowfin ( $>100$  cm) were caught throughout the year in the Northern and Inshore dolphin fishery, with smaller amounts taken throughout the year in the Southern dolphin fishery. Smaller amounts of large yellowfin were also taken in the Northern unassociated fishery, primarily in the first and second quarters, and in the Southern unassociated fishery during the first and fourth quarters. Smaller yellowfin ( $<100$  cm) were caught primarily in the Northern and Inshore dolphin areas throughout the year, and in the Northern unassociated area during the first and second quarters. Lesser amounts of small yellowfin were caught in the floating-object fisheries, primarily in the first and second quarters.

The estimated size compositions of the yellowfin caught by all fisheries combined during 2006-2011 are shown in Figure A-6b. The average weights of the yellowfin caught in 2011 (10.8 kg) were greater than those of 2010, but less than those of 2009.

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 859 wells sampled, 510 contained skipjack. The estimated size compositions of the fish caught during 2011 are shown in Figure A-7a. Large amounts of skipjack in the 40- to 50-cm size range were caught in the Southern unassociated fishery during the first and second quarters, and in the floating object areas primarily in the first, second, and third quarters. Larger skipjack in the 60- to 70-cm size range were taken in the Southern unassociated fishery during the third and fourth quarters, and in the Northern and Equatorial floating object fishery during the second, third and fourth quarters.

The estimated size compositions of the skipjack caught by all fisheries combined during 2006-2011 are shown in Figure A-7b. The average weight of skipjack in 2011, (2.4 kg), were greater than those of the previous five years.

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 858 wells sampled, 138 contained bigeye. The estimated size compositions of the fish caught during 2011 are shown in Figure A-8a. In 2000 the majority of the catch was taken in floating-object sets in the Equatorial area, whereas from 2001 to 2003 the majority of the bigeye catch was taken in sets on floating objects in the Southern area. In 2011, large amounts of bigeye were taken in the Northern, Equatorial, and Southern floating-object fisheries. Smaller amounts of bigeye were taken in the unassociated fishery, primarily in the fourth quarter. Larger bigeye ( $>100$  cm) were caught in all of the floating-object fisheries, primarily in the first and second quarters. Smaller bigeye in the 40- to 80-cm size range were caught in the Northern, Equatorial, and Southern floating-object fisheries during the second, third, and fourth quarters.

The estimated size compositions of the bigeye caught by all fisheries combined during 2006-2011 are shown in Figure A-8b. The average weight of bigeye in 2011 (7.9 kg) was greater than those of the

previous five years.

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 2011 bluefin were caught between 26°N and 32°N from June through September. 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 2004-2011, 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 2004-2011 period. The average weight of the fish caught during 2011 was slightly less than that of 2010. The estimated size compositions are shown in Figure A-9.

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. Eighteen samples of black skipjack were taken in 2011. The estimated size compositions for each year of the 2006-2011 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 2005-2009 are shown in Figures A-11 and A-12. The average weight of yellowfin in 2009 (43.5 kg) was considerably greater than those of 2008 (38.2 kg), but that of bigeye fell from 47.1 kg in 2008 to 43.1 kg in 2009. Information on the size compositions of fish caught by the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO during 1958-2003 is available in IATTC Bulletins describing that fishery.

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

The annual retained catches of tunas and bonitos in the EPO during 1982-2011, 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 and pole-and-line catches of tunas and bonitos in 2010 and 2011, by flag, are summarized in Table A-4. Of the 552 thousand t of tunas and bonitos caught in 2011, 38% were caught by Ecuadorian vessels, and 23% by Mexican vessels. Other countries with significant catches of tunas and bonitos in the EPO included Panama (10%), Venezuela (8%), and Colombia (8%).

## **2. FISHING EFFORT**

### **1.5. 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 1996-2011 period, and the retained catches of these sets, are shown in Table A-7 and in Figure 1. The estimates for vessels  $\leq 363$  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 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. FADs have been widely used for about 15 years, and their relative importance has increased during this period, while that of flotsam has decreased, as shown by the data in Table A-8.

### 1.6. 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.

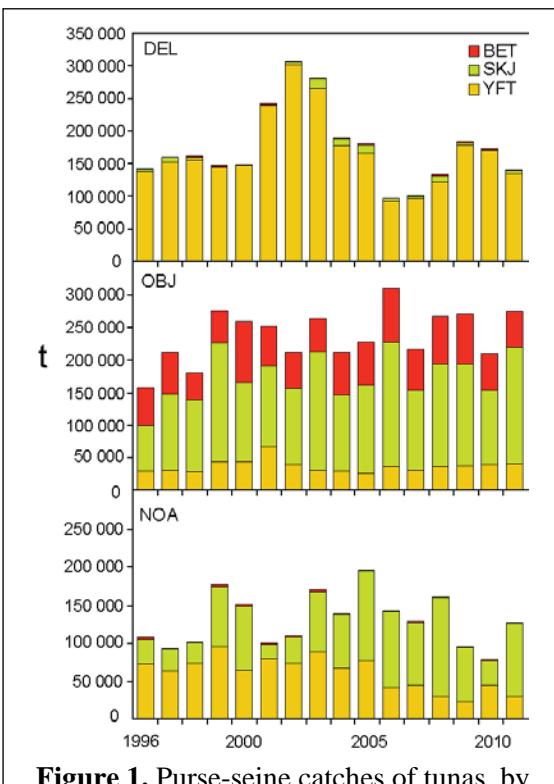
## 3. THE FLEETS

### 1.7. The purse-seine and pole-and-line fleets

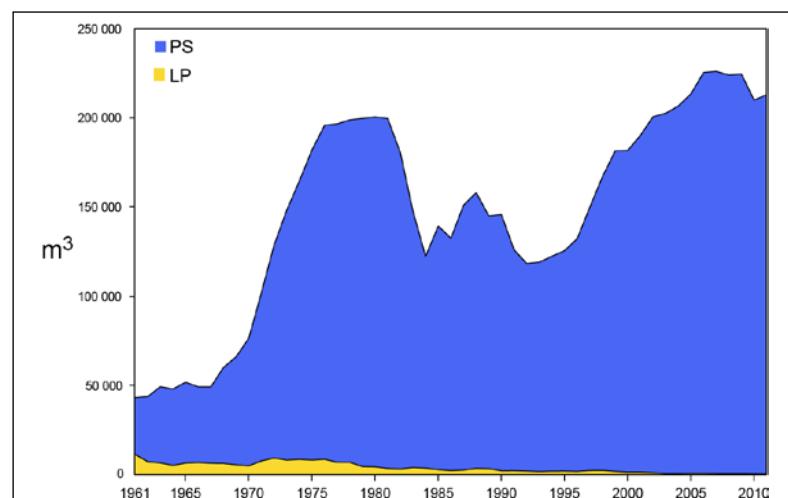
The IATTC staff maintains detailed records of gear, flag, and fish-carrying capacity for most of the vessels that fish with purse-seine or pole-and-line gear for yellowfin, skipjack, bigeye, and/or Pacific bluefin tuna in the EPO. The fleet described here includes purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels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



**Figure 1.** Purse-seine catches of tunas, by species and set type, 1996-2011



**Figure 2.** Carrying capacity, in cubic meters of well volume, of the purse-seine and pole-and-line fleets in the EPO, 1961-2011

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 2011 the number of pole-and-line vessels decreased from 93 to 2, and their total well volume from about 11 thousand to about 143 m<sup>3</sup>. During the same period the number of purse-seine vessels increased from 125 to 206, and their total well volume from about 32 thousand to about 213 thousand m<sup>3</sup>, an average of about 1,034 m<sup>3</sup> 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<sup>3</sup>, an average of about 700 m<sup>3</sup> 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<sup>3</sup>. 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<sup>3</sup> 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 2011 was 213 thousand m<sup>3</sup>.

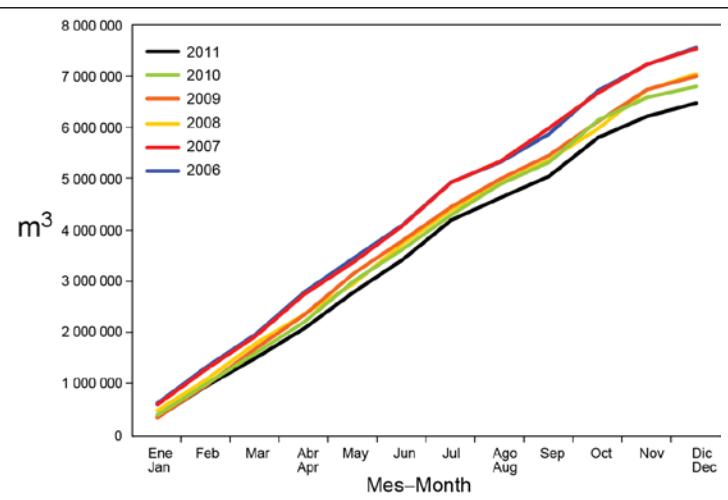
The 2010 and preliminary 2011 data for numbers and total well volumes of purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels that fished for tunas in the EPO are shown in Tables A-11a and A-11b. During 2011, the fleet was dominated by vessels operating under the Ecuadorian and Mexican flags, with about 33% and 22%, respectively, of the total well volume; they were followed by Panama (12%), Venezuela (11%), Colombia (7%), Spain and Nicaragua (5% each), El Salvador (4%), and Guatemala and Vanuatu (2% each).

The cumulative capacity at sea during 2011 is compared to those of the previous five years in Figure 3.

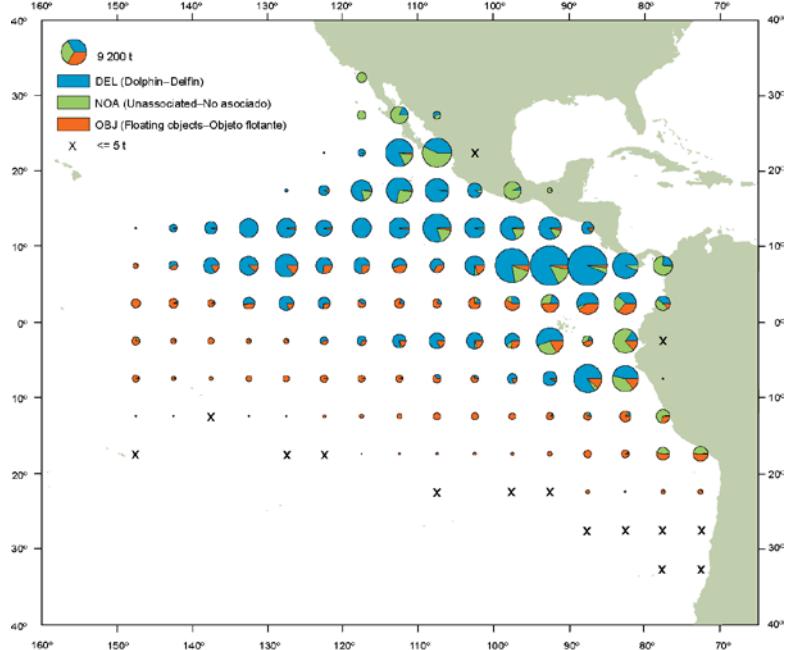
The monthly average, minimum, and maximum total well volumes at sea (VAS), in thousands of cubic meters, of purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels that fished for tunas in the EPO during 2001-2010, and the 2011 values, are shown in Table A-12. The monthly values are averages of the VAS estimated at weekly intervals by the IATTC staff. The fishery was regulated during some or all of the last four months of 1998-2011, so the VAS values for September-December 2011 are not comparable to the average VAS values for those months of 1998-2011. The average VAS values for 2001-2010 and 2011 were 132 thousand m<sup>3</sup> (62% of total capacity) and 125 thousand m<sup>3</sup> (59% of total capacity), respectively.

## 1.8. Other fleets of the EPO

Information on other types of vessels that fish for tunas in the EPO is available on 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 2011, or ever.

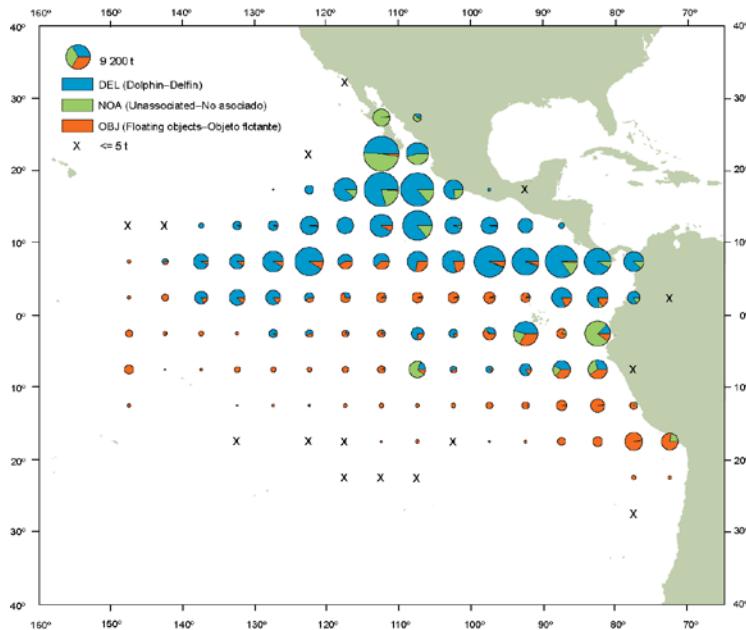


**Figure 3.** Cumulative capacity of the purse-seine and pole-and-line fleet at sea, by month, 2006-2011



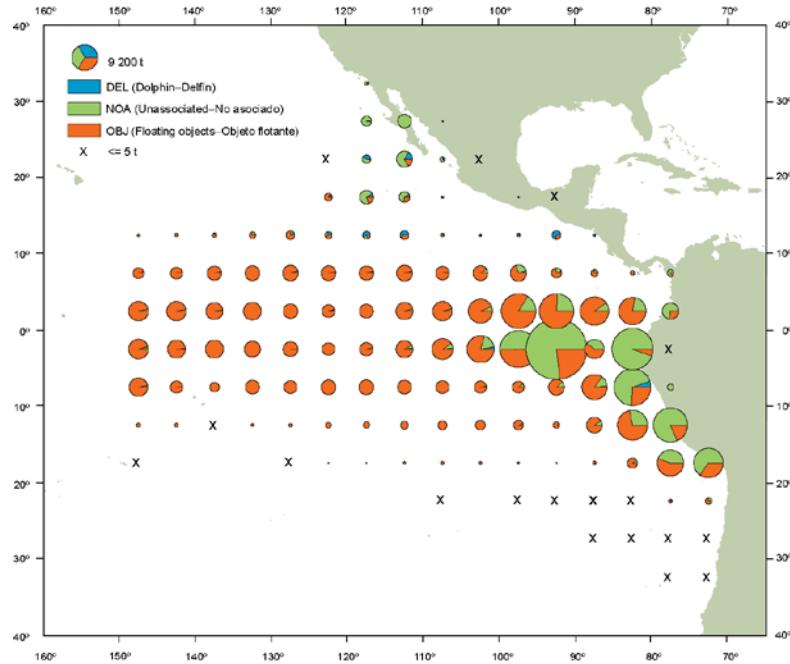
**FIGURE A-1a.** Average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of yellowfin, by set type, 2006-2010. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of yellowfin caught in those  $5^{\circ}$  by  $5^{\circ}$  areas.

**FIGURA A-1a.** Distribución media anual de las capturas cerqueras de aleta amarilla, por tipo de lance, 2006-2010. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de aleta amarilla capturado en la cuadrícula de  $5^{\circ} \times 5^{\circ}$  correspondiente.



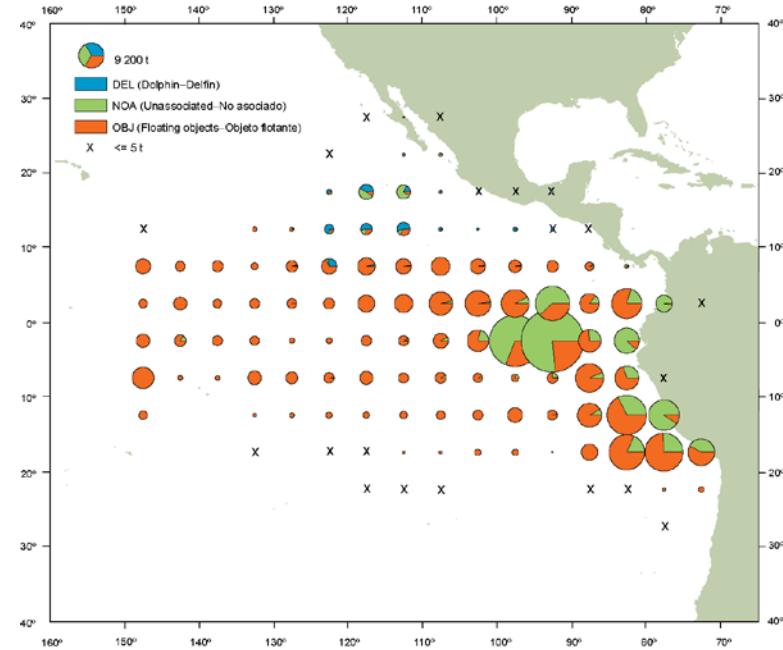
**FIGURE A-1b.** Annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of yellowfin, by set type, 2011. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of yellowfin caught in those  $5^{\circ}$  by  $5^{\circ}$  areas.

**FIGURA A-1b.** Distribución anual de las capturas cerqueras de aleta amarilla, por tipo de lance, 2011. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de aleta amarilla capturado en la cuadrícula de  $5^{\circ} \times 5^{\circ}$  correspondiente.



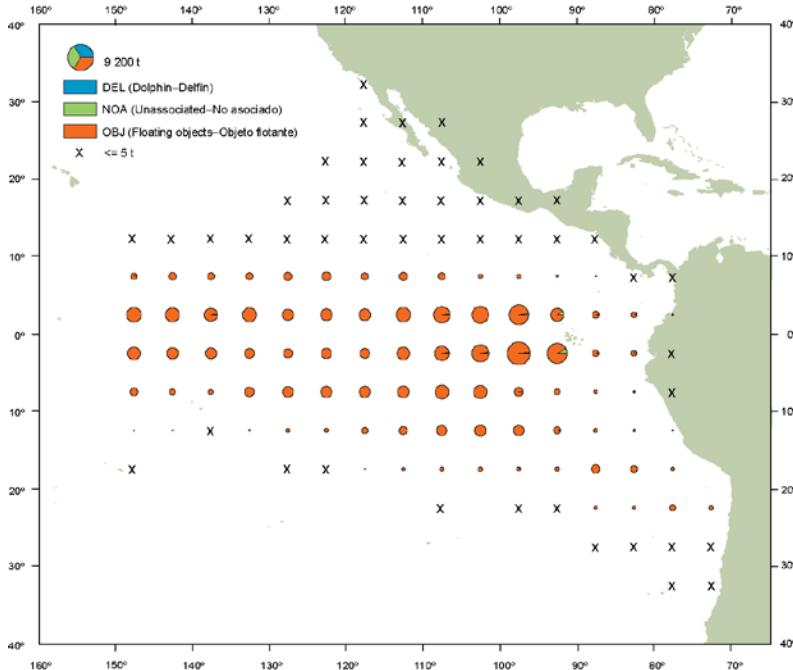
**FIGURE A-2a.** Average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of skipjack, by set type, 2006-2010. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of skipjack caught in those  $5^{\circ}$  by  $5^{\circ}$  areas.

**FIGURA A-2a.** Distribución media anual de las capturas cerqueras de barrilete, por tipo de lance, 2006-2010. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de barrilete capturado en la cuadrícula de  $5^{\circ} \times 5^{\circ}$  correspondiente.



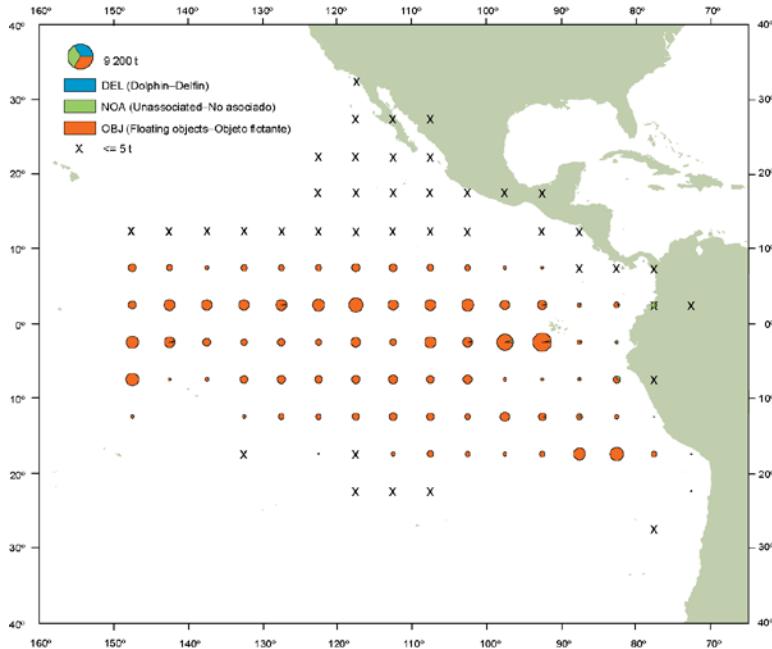
**FIGURE A-2b.** Annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of skipjack, by set type, 2011. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of skipjack caught in those  $5^{\circ}$  by  $5^{\circ}$  areas.

**FIGURA A-2b.** Distribución anual de las capturas cerqueras de barrilete, por tipo de lance, 2011. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de barrilete capturado en la cuadrícula de  $5^{\circ} \times 5^{\circ}$  correspondiente.



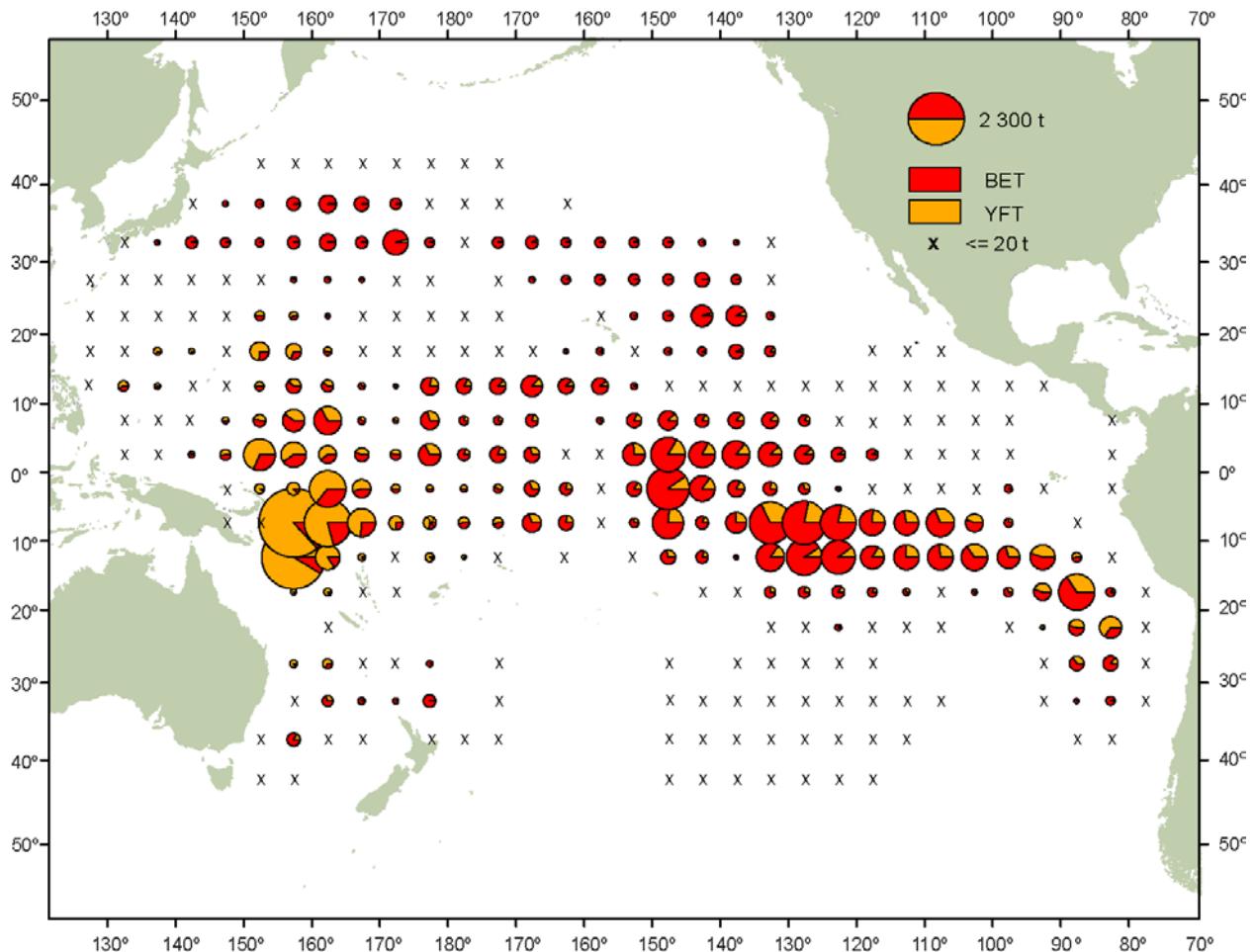
**FIGURE A-3a.** Average annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of bigeye, by set type, 2006-2010. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of bigeye caught in those  $5^{\circ}$  by  $5^{\circ}$  areas.

**FIGURA A-3a.** Distribución media anual de las capturas cerqueras de patudo, por tipo de lance, 2006-2010. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de patudo capturado en la cuadrícula de  $5^{\circ} \times 5^{\circ}$  correspondiente.



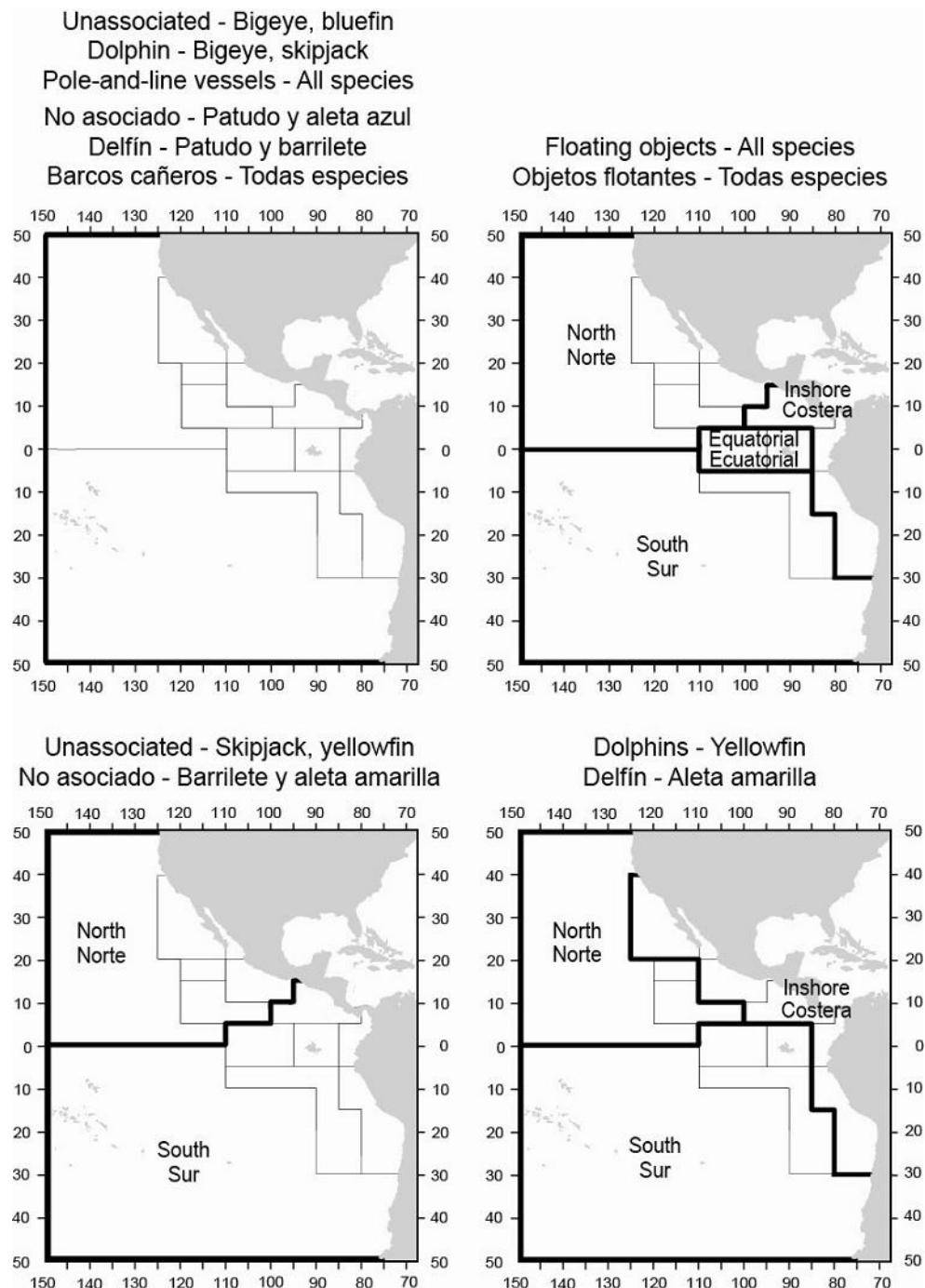
**FIGURE A-3b.** Annual distributions of the purse-seine catches of bigeye, by set type, 2011. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of bigeye caught in those  $5^{\circ}$  by  $5^{\circ}$  areas.

**FIGURA A-3b.** Distribución anual de las capturas cerqueras de patudo, por tipo de lance, 2011. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de patudo capturado en la cuadrícula de  $5^{\circ} \times 5^{\circ}$  correspondiente.



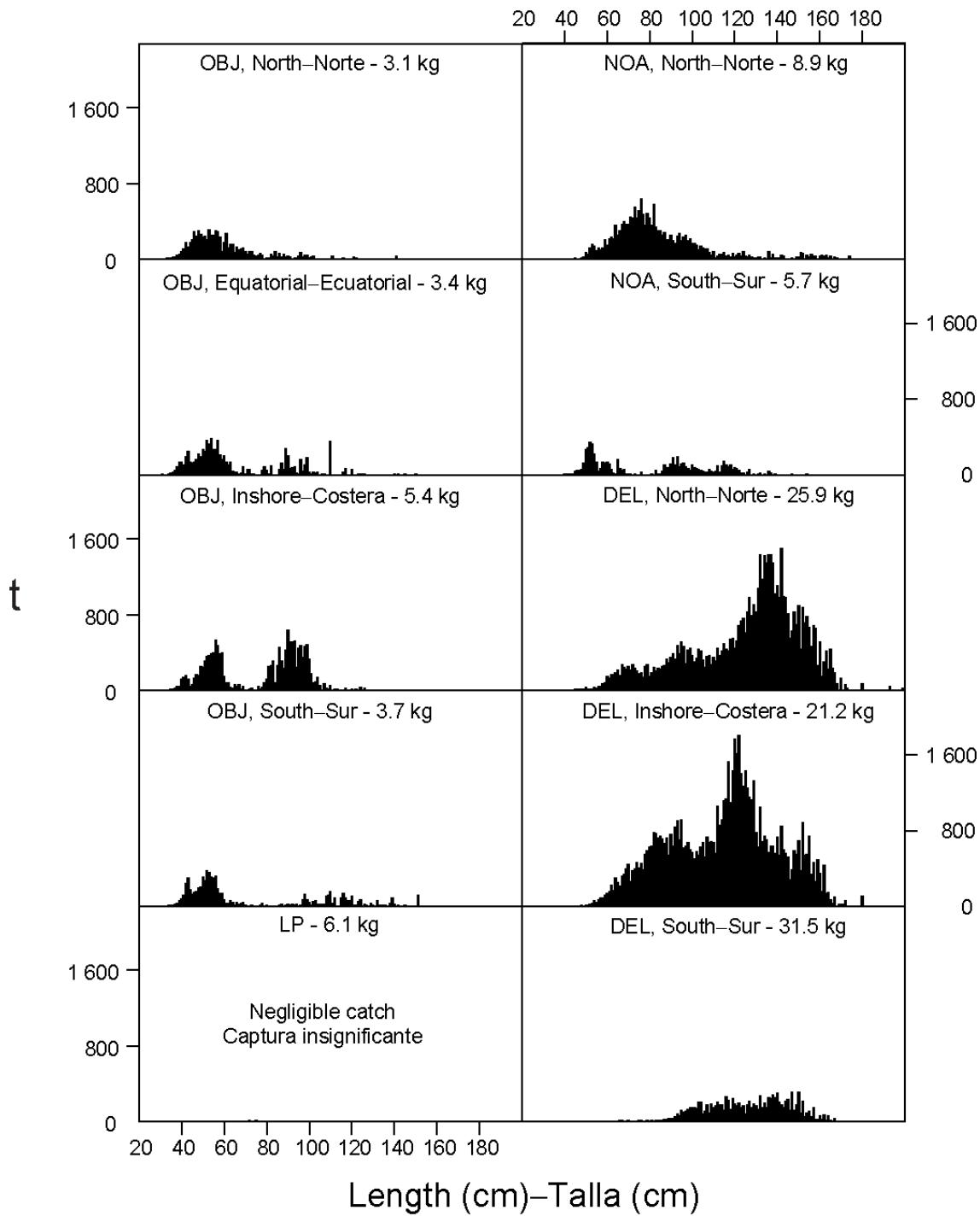
**FIGURE A-4.** Distributions of the average annual catches of bigeye and yellowfin tunas in the Pacific Ocean, in metric tons, by Chinese Taipei, Japanese and Korean longline vessels, 2006-2010. The sizes of the circles are proportional to the amounts of bigeye and yellowfin caught in those 5° by 5° areas.

**FIGURA A-4.** Distribución de las capturas anuales medias de atunes patudo y aleta amarilla en el Océano Pacífico, en toneladas métricas, por buques palangreros de Corea, Japón y Taipeí Chino 2006-2010. El tamaño de cada círculo es proporcional a la cantidad de patudo y aleta amarilla capturado en la cuadrícula de 5° x 5° correspondiente.



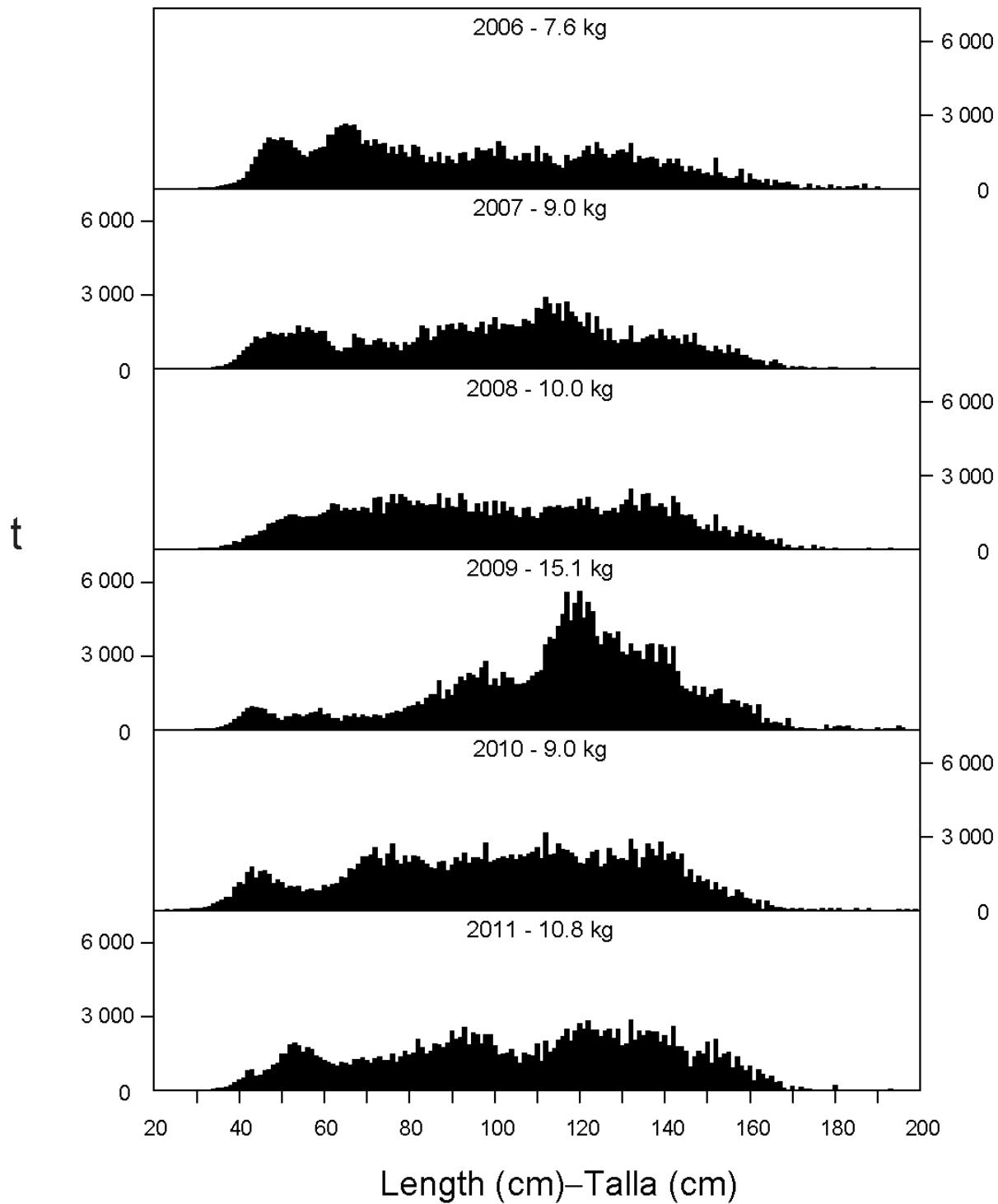
**FIGURE A-5.** The fisheries defined by the IATTC staff for stock assessment of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye in the EPO. The thin lines indicate the boundaries of the 13 length-frequency sampling areas, and the bold lines the boundaries of the fisheries.

**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.



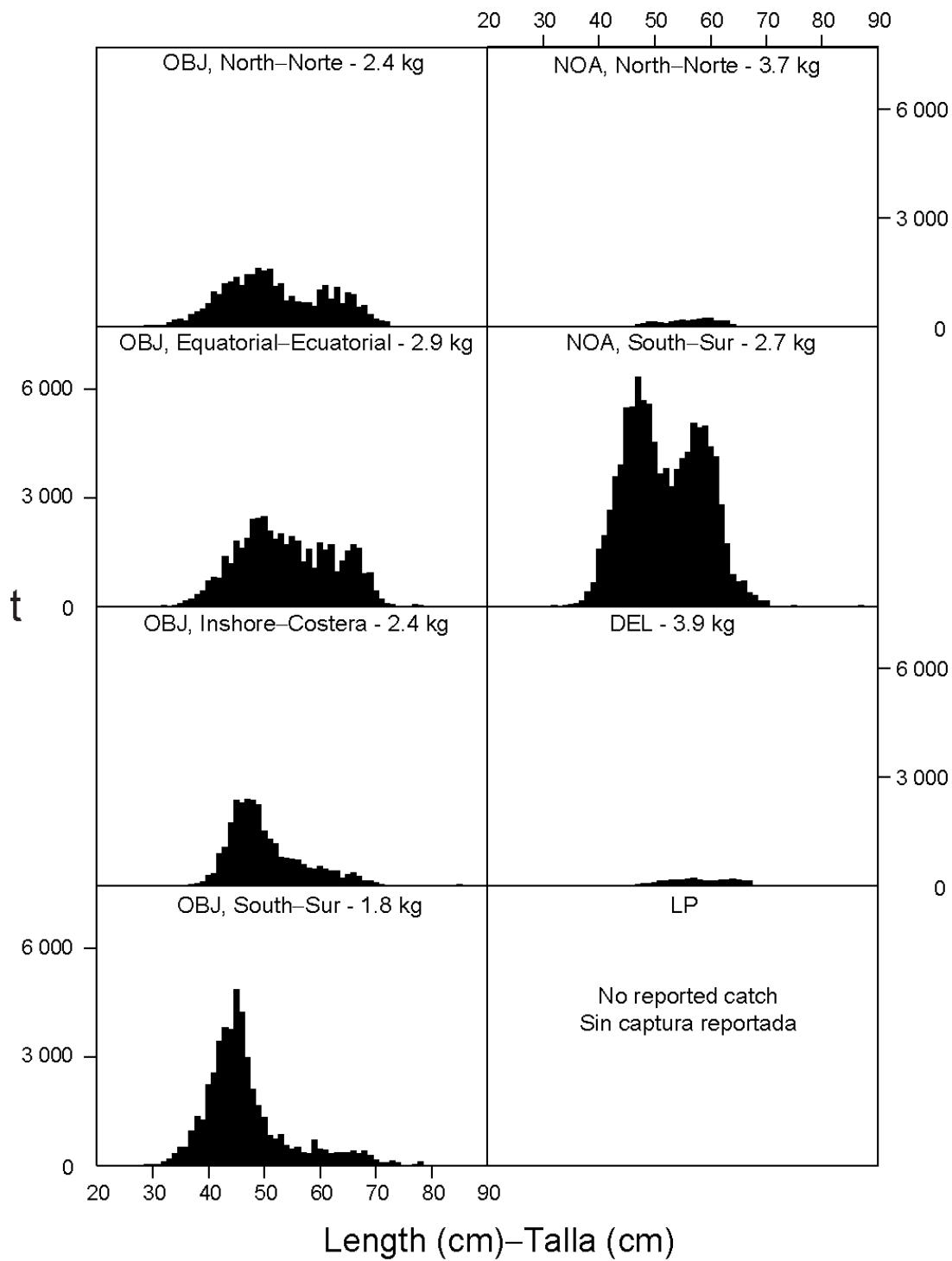
**FIGURE A-6a.** Estimated size compositions of the yellowfin caught in the EPO during 2011 for each fishery designated in Figure A-5. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

**FIGURA A-6a.** Composición por tallas estimada del aleta amarilla capturado en el OPO durante 2011 en cada pesquería ilustrada en la Figura A-5. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.



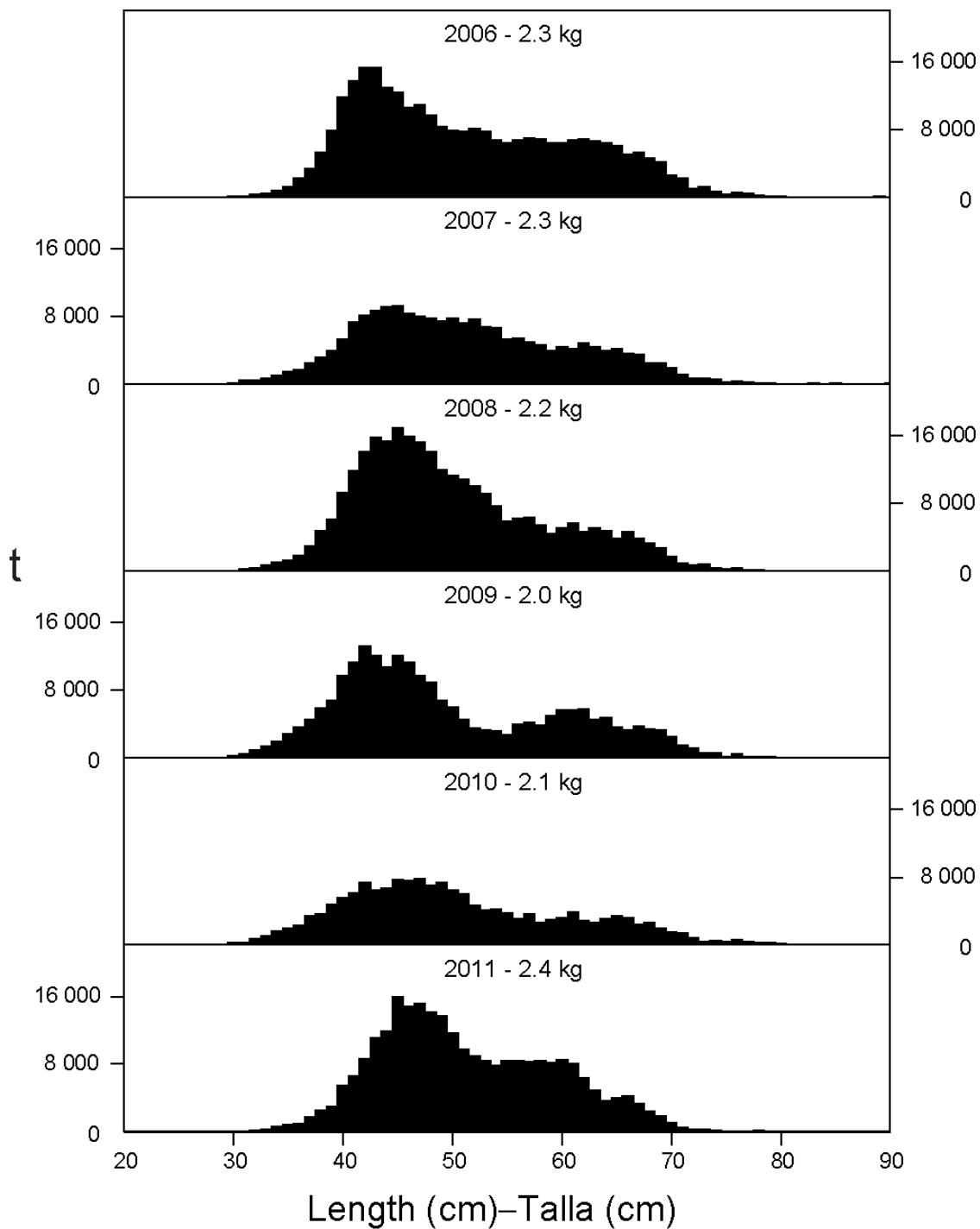
**FIGURE A-6b.** Estimated size compositions of the yellowfin caught by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels in the EPO during 2006-2011. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

**FIGURA A-6b.** Composición por tallas estimada del aleta amarilla capturado por buques cerqueros y cañeros en el OPO durante 2006-2011. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.



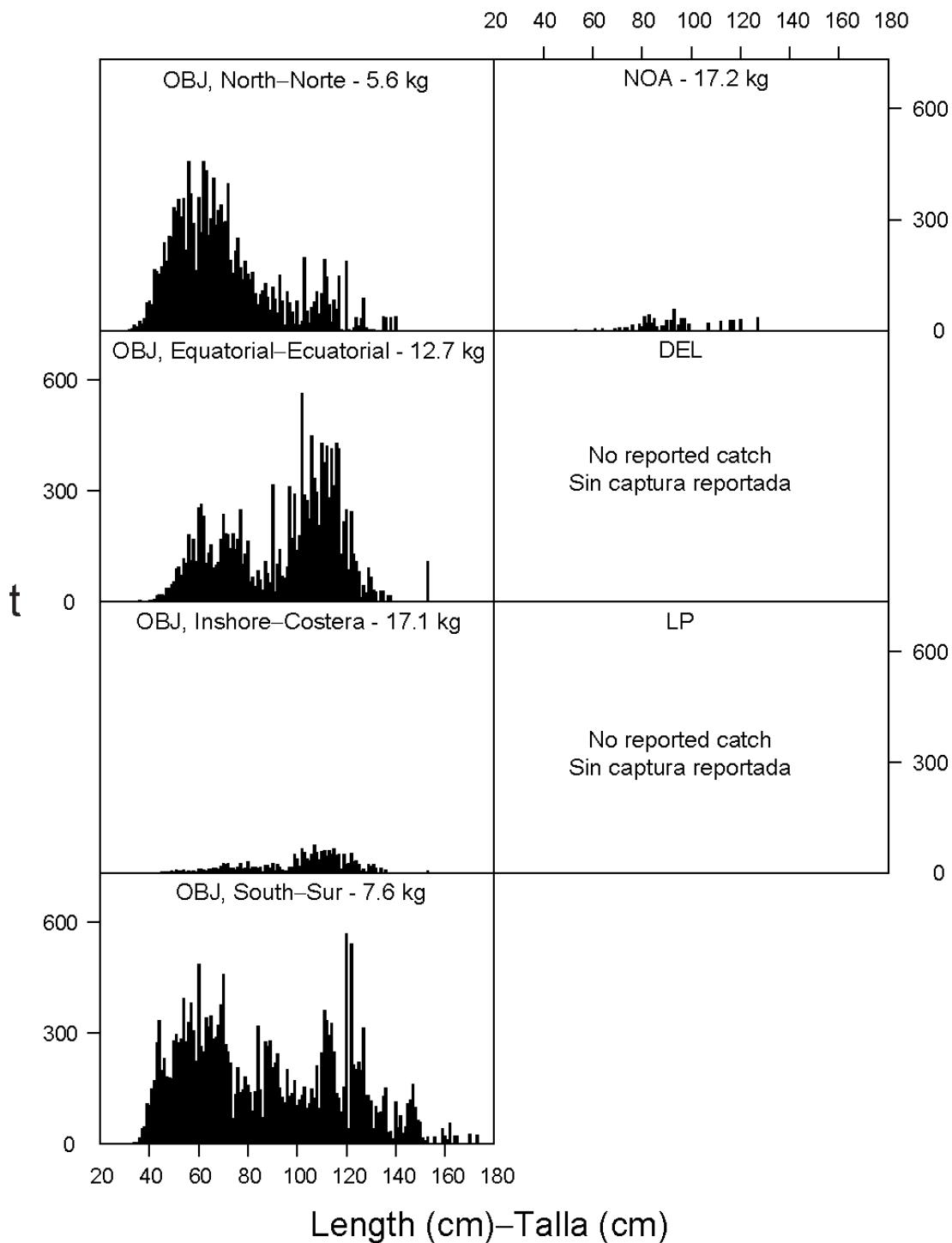
**FIGURE A-7a.** Estimated size compositions of the skipjack caught in the EPO during 2011 for each fishery designated in Figure A-5. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

**FIGURA A-7a.** Composición por tallas estimada del barrilete capturado en el OPO durante 2011 en cada pesquería ilustrada en la Figura A-5. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.



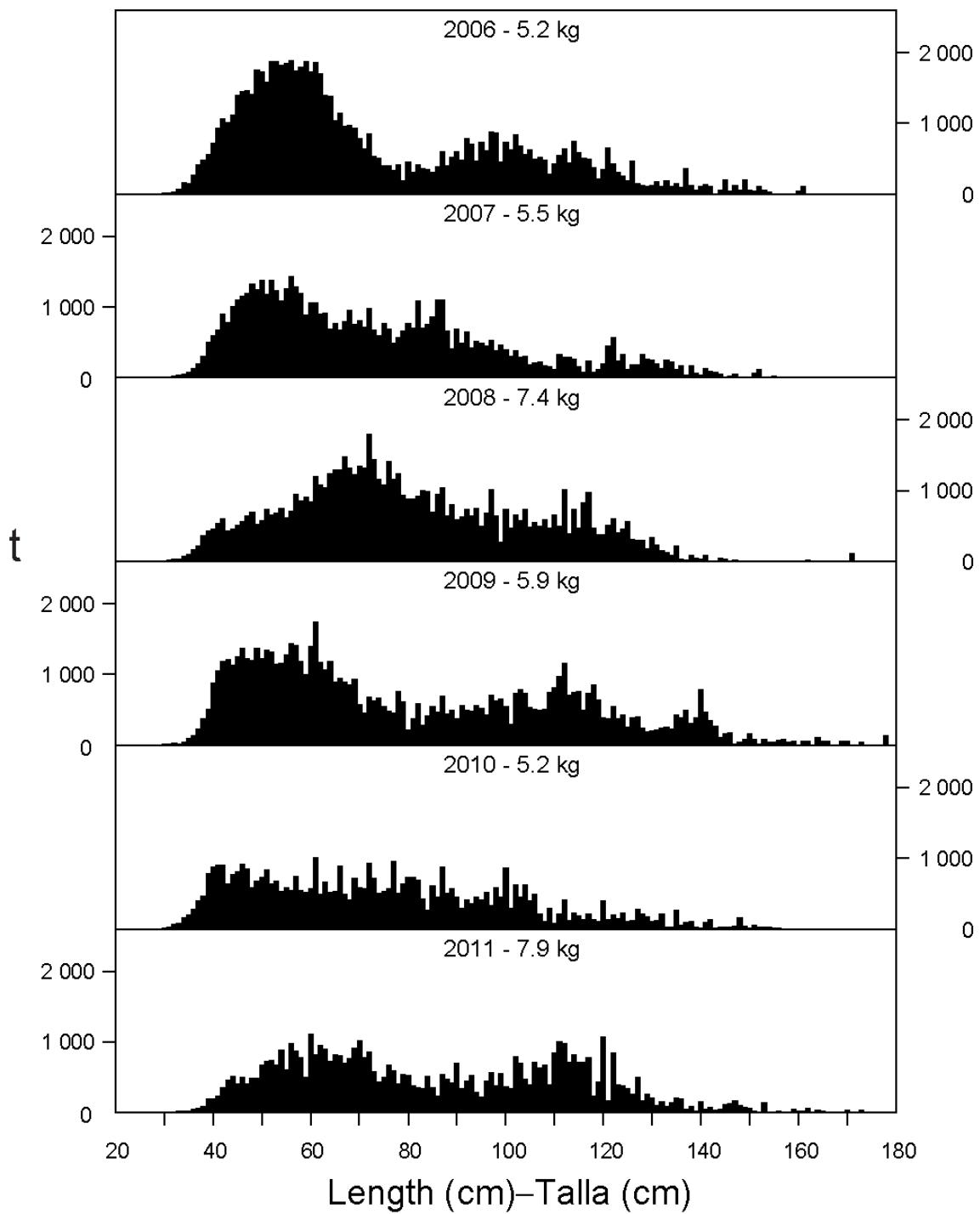
**FIGURE A-7b.** Estimated size compositions of the skipjack caught by purse-seine and pole-and-line vessels in the EPO during 2006-2011. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

**FIGURA A-7b.** Composición por tallas estimada del barrilete capturado por buques cerqueros y cañeros en el OPO durante 2006-2011. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.



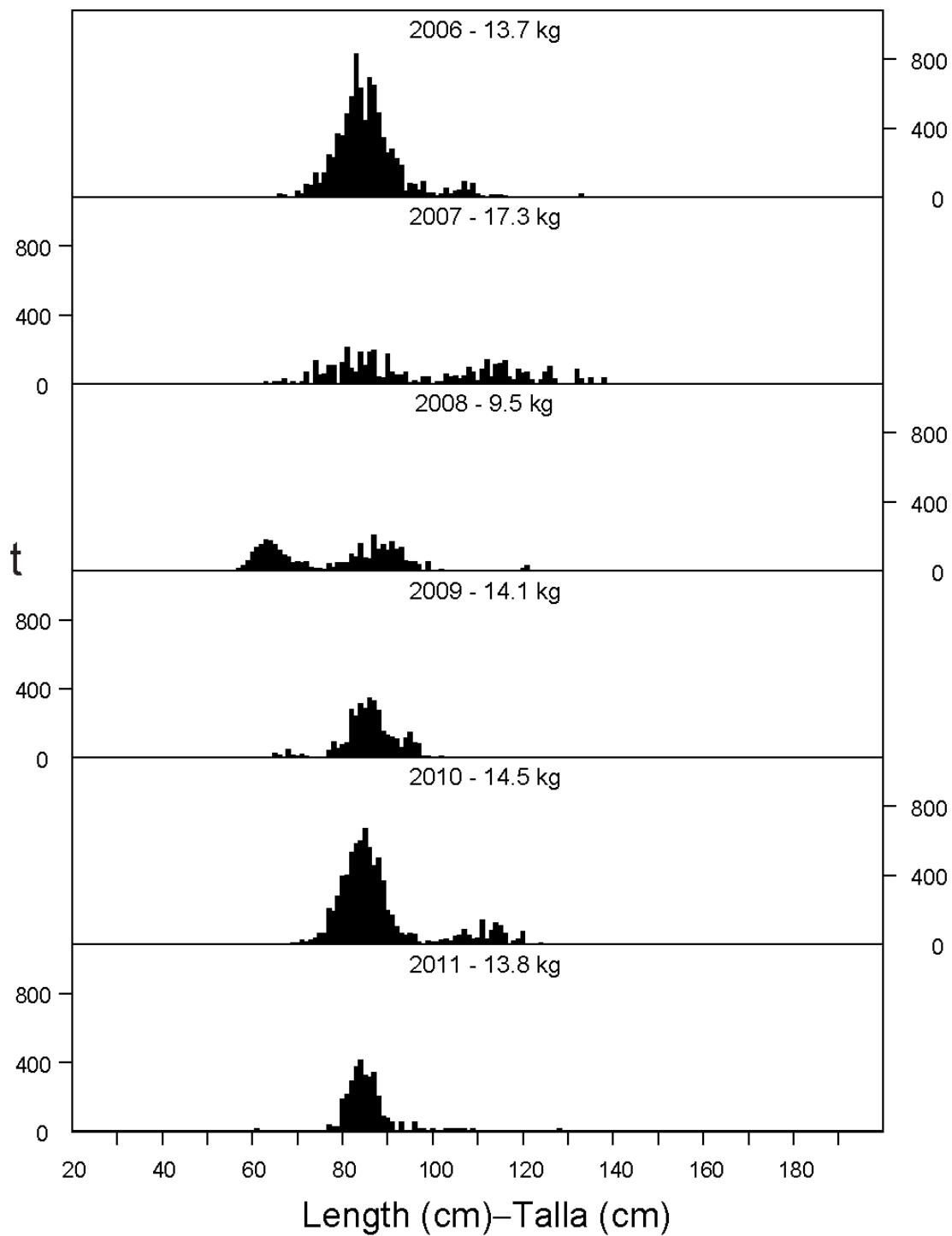
**FIGURE A-8a.** Estimated size compositions of the bigeye caught in the EPO during 2011 for each fishery designated in Figure A-5. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

**FIGURA A-8a.** Composición por tallas estimada del patudo capturado en el OPO durante 2011 en cada pesquería ilustrada en la Figura A-5. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.



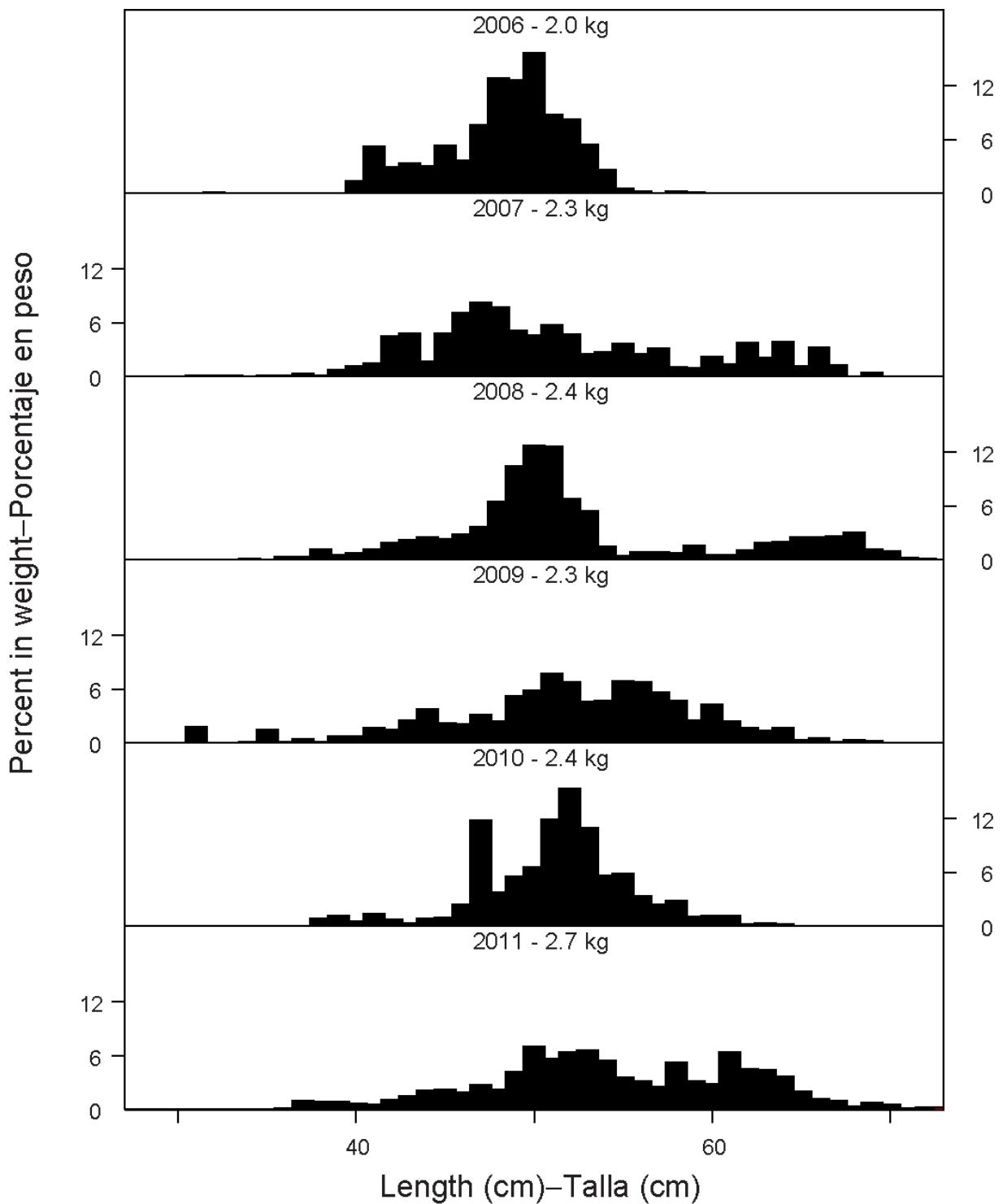
**FIGURE A-8b.** Estimated size compositions of the bigeye caught by purse-seine vessels in the EPO during 2006-2011. The average weights of the fish in the samples are given at the tops of the panels.

**FIGURA A-8b.** Composición por tallas estimada del patudo capturado por buques cerqueros en el OPO durante 2006-2011. En cada recuadro se detalla el peso promedio de los peces en las muestras.



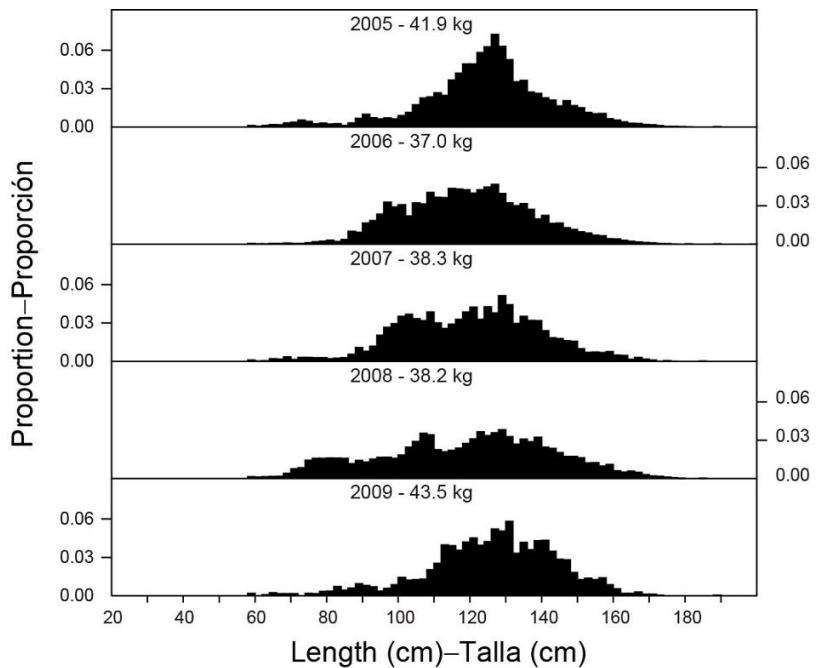
**FIGURE A-9.** Estimated catches of Pacific bluefin by purse-seine and recreational gear in the EPO during 2006-2011. The values at the tops of the panels are the average weights.

**FIGURA A-9.** Captura estimada de aleta azul del Pacífico con arte de cerco y deportiva en el OPO durante 2006-2011. El valor en cada recuadro representa el peso promedio.



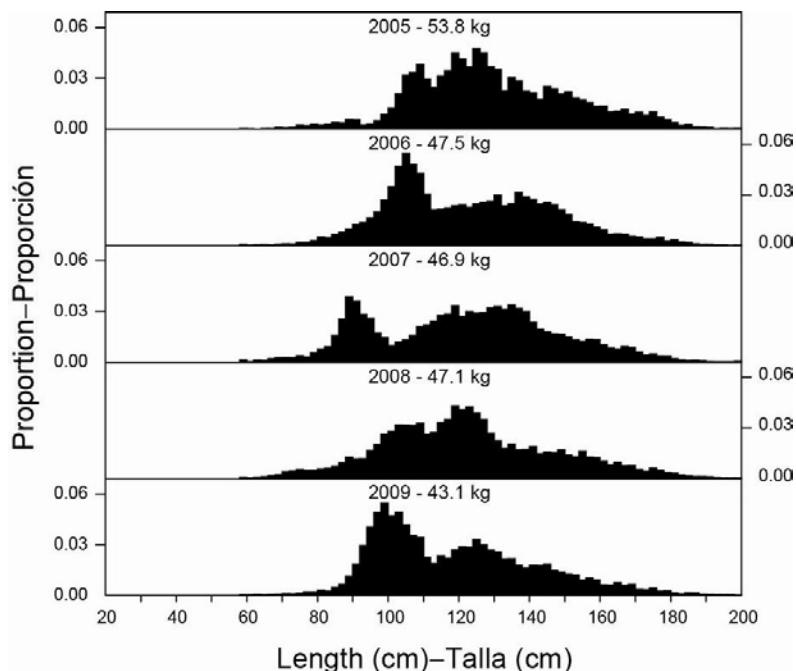
**FIGURE A-10.** Estimated size compositions of the catches of black skipjack by purse-seine vessels in the EPO during 2006-2011. The values at the tops of the panels are the average weights.

**FIGURA A-10.** Composición por tallas estimada del barrilete negro capturado por buques cerqueros en el OPO durante 2006-2011. 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, 2005-2009.

**FIGURA A-11.** Composición por tallas estimada de las capturas de atún aleta amarilla por la pesquería palangrera japonesa en el OPO, 2005-2009.



**FIGURE A-12.** Estimated size compositions of the catches of bigeye tuna by the Japanese longline fishery in the EPO, 2005-20.

**FIGURA A-12.** Composición por tallas estimada de las capturas de atún patudo por la pesquería palangrera japonesa en el OPO, 2005-2009.

**TABLE A-1.** Annual catches of yellowfin, skipjack, and bigeye, by all types of gear combined, in the Pacific Ocean. The EPO totals for 1993-2011 include discards from purse-seine vessels with carrying capacities greater than 363 t.

**TABLA A-1.** Capturas anuales de aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo, por todas las artes combinadas, en el Océano Pacífico. Los totales del OPO de 1993-2011 incluyen los descartes de buques cerqueros de más de 363 t de capacidad de acarreo.

	YFT			SKJ			BET			Total		
	EPO	WCPO	Total	EPO	WCPO	Total	EPO	WCPO	Total	EPO	WCPO	Total
<b>1982</b>	127,534	221,064	348,598	104,669	490,242	594,911	60,349	59,301	119,650	292,552	770,607	1,063,159
<b>1983</b>	99,680	257,160	356,840	61,975	683,684	745,659	64,694	59,896	124,590	226,349	1,000,740	1,227,089
<b>1984</b>	149,465	256,314	405,779	63,611	762,090	825,701	55,268	64,680	119,948	268,344	1,083,084	1,351,428
<b>1985</b>	225,939	259,544	485,483	52,002	603,624	655,626	72,398	68,706	141,104	350,339	931,874	1,282,213
<b>1986</b>	286,071	250,723	536,794	67,745	755,402	823,147	105,185	63,777	168,962	459,001	1,069,902	1,528,903
<b>1987</b>	286,164	303,613	589,777	66,466	687,880	754,346	101,347	79,269	180,616	453,977	1,070,762	1,524,739
<b>1988</b>	296,428	263,108	559,536	92,127	849,154	941,281	74,313	68,447	142,760	462,868	1,180,709	1,643,577
<b>1989</b>	299,436	313,866	613,302	98,921	823,468	922,389	72,994	77,237	150,231	471,351	1,214,571	1,685,922
<b>1990</b>	301,522	340,987	642,509	77,107	901,482	978,589	104,851	89,060	193,911	483,480	1,331,529	1,815,009
<b>1991</b>	265,970	372,123	638,093	65,890	1,140,243	1,206,133	109,121	71,297	180,418	440,981	1,583,663	2,024,644
<b>1992</b>	252,514	376,684	629,198	87,294	1,040,180	1,127,474	92,000	88,384	180,384	431,808	1,505,248	1,937,056
<b>1993</b>	256,244	367,076	623,320	100,517	937,322	1,037,839	82,843	77,506	160,349	439,604	1,381,904	1,821,508
<b>1994</b>	248,073	371,038	619,111	84,671	1,043,691	1,128,362	109,331	86,943	196,274	442,075	1,501,672	1,943,747
<b>1995</b>	244,639	355,809	600,448	150,661	1,077,503	1,228,164	108,210	79,933	188,143	503,510	1,513,245	2,016,755
<b>1996</b>	266,928	287,116	554,044	132,344	1,054,137	1,186,481	114,706	80,314	195,020	513,978	1,421,567	1,935,545
<b>1997</b>	277,575	411,630	689,205	188,285	990,910	1,179,195	122,274	110,399	232,673	588,134	1,512,939	2,101,073
<b>1998</b>	280,607	424,927	705,534	165,490	1,341,276	1,506,766	93,954	109,974	203,928	540,051	1,876,177	2,416,228
<b>1999</b>	304,638	366,002	670,640	291,249	1,208,363	1,499,612	93,078	112,072	205,150	688,965	1,686,437	2,375,402
<b>2000</b>	286,865	405,614	692,479	230,520	1,243,796	1,474,316	148,557	113,532	262,089	665,942	1,762,942	2,428,884
<b>2001</b>	425,008	405,160	830,168	157,676	1,139,063	1,296,739	130,546	104,824	235,370	713,230	1,649,047	2,362,277
<b>2002</b>	443,458	383,011	826,469	167,048	1,315,513	1,482,561	132,806	120,436	253,242	743,312	1,818,960	2,562,272
<b>2003</b>	416,018	416,504	832,522	300,470	1,304,160	1,604,630	115,175	110,756	225,931	831,663	1,831,420	2,663,083
<b>2004</b>	296,856	383,620	680,476	217,355	1,400,828	1,618,183	110,897	124,762	235,659	625,108	1,909,210	2,534,318
<b>2005</b>	286,599	463,797	750,396	283,766	1,489,284	1,773,050	111,304	115,678	226,982	681,669	2,068,759	2,750,428
<b>2006</b>	179,557	418,270	597,827	310,316	1,558,296	1,868,612	119,971	124,708	244,679	609,844	2,101,274	2,711,118
<b>2007</b>	181,921	446,705	628,626	216,902	1,670,954	1,887,856	94,461	117,693	212,154	493,284	2,235,352	2,728,636
<b>2008</b>	196,079	538,784	734,863	307,489	1,634,169	1,941,658	103,495	132,298	235,793	607,063	2,305,251	2,912,314
<b>2009</b>	248,045	415,809	663,854	238,873	1,816,092	2,054,965	110,128	120,649	230,777	597,046	2,352,550	2,949,596
<b>2010</b>	260,156	469,808	729,964	152,069	1,696,220	1,848,289	94,273	106,650	200,923	506,498	2,272,678	2,779,176
<b>2011</b>	203,326	*	*	284,675	*	284,675	82,473	*	82,473	570,474	*	367,148

**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 2010-2011 are preliminary.

**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 2010-2011 son preliminares.

	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.				
1982	114,755	-	1,538	10,961	280	127,534	100,499	-	3,760	28	382	104,669	6,939	-	42	53,365	3	60,349
1983	83,929	-	4,007	10,895	849	99,680	56,851	-	4,387	28	709	61,975	4,575	-	39	60,043	37	64,694
1984	135,785	-	2,991	10,345	344	149,465	59,859	-	2,884	32	836	63,611	8,861	-	2	46,394	11	55,268
1985	211,459	-	1,070	13,198	212	225,939	50,829	-	946	44	183	52,002	6,056	-	2	66,325	15	72,398
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	4,758	4,951	24,009	3,034	256,244	83,830	10,598	3,772	61	2,256	100,517	9,657	653	-	72,498	35	82,843
1994	208,408	4,527	3,625	30,026	1,487	248,073	70,126	10,501	3,240	73	731	84,671	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	24,503	2,555	52	1,261	132,344	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	4,698	5,085	15,336	1,529	280,607	140,631	22,644	1,684	294	237	165,490	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	24,508	231	68	66	230,520	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	5,950	470	25,174	1,145	416,018	273,968	22,453	638	634	2,777	300,470	53,052	2,326	-	59,776	21	115,175
2004	272,557	3,009	1,884	18,779	627	296,856	197,824	17,182	530	713	1,106	217,355	65,471	1,749	-	43,483	194	110,897
2005	268,101	2,929	1,822	11,895	1,852	286,599	263,229	17,228	1,299	231	1,779	283,766	67,895	1,952	-	41,432	25	111,304
2006	166,631	1,665	686	9,117	1,458	179,557	296,268	12,403	435	224	986	310,316	83,838	2,385	-	33,708	40	119,971
2007	170,016	1,947	894	7,625	1,439	181,921	208,295	7,159	276	107	1,065	216,902	63,450	1,039	-	29,928	44	94,461
2008	185,057	1,019	812	8,250	941	196,079	296,603	9,166	501	56	1,163	307,489	75,028	2,287	-	26,152	28	103,495
2009	236,756	1,482	709	8,104	994	248,045	230,523	6,903	151	185	1,111	238,873	76,799	1,104	-	32,210	15	110,128
2010	251,009	1,145	460	6,583	959	260,156	147,192	3,419	47	142	1,269	152,069	57,752	653	-	35,866	2	94,273
2011	202,336	563	274	153	-	203,326	279,000	5,667	4	4	-	284,675	56,526	731	-	25,216	-	82,473

**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.					
<b>1982</b>	3,145	0	-	7	6	3,158	355	-	198	8,407	3,562	12,522	1,338	-	-	-	-	1,338
<b>1983</b>	836	0	-	2	38	876	7	-	449	7,433	7,840	15,729	1,222	-	-	-	13	1,235
<b>1984</b>	839	0	-	3	51	893	3,910	-	1,441	6,712	9,794	21,857	662	-	-	-	3	665
<b>1985</b>	3,996	0	-	1	77	4,074	42	-	877	7,268	6,654	14,841	288	-	-	-	7	295
<b>1986</b>	5,040	0	-	1	64	5,105	47	-	86	6,450	4,701	11,284	569	-	-	-	18	587
<b>1987</b>	980	0	-	3	88	1,071	1	-	320	9,994	2,662	12,977	571	-	-	-	2	573
<b>1988</b>	1,379	0	-	2	52	1,433	17	-	271	9,934	5,549	15,771	956	-	-	-	311	1,267
<b>1989</b>	1,103	0	5	4	91	1,203	1	-	21	6,784	2,695	9,501	801	-	-	-	-	801
<b>1990</b>	1,430	0	61	12	103	1,606	39	-	170	6,536	4,105	10,850	787	-	-	-	4	791
<b>1991</b>	419	0	-	5	55	479	0	-	834	7,893	2,754	11,481	421	-	-	-	25	446
<b>1992</b>	1,928	0	-	21	147	2,096	0	-	255	17,080	5,740	23,075	105	-	-	-	3	108
<b>1993</b>	580	0	-	11	325	916	0	-	1	11,194	4,410	15,605	104	4,144	-	31	-	4,279
<b>1994</b>	969	0	-	12	111	1,092	0	-	85	10,390	10,154	20,629	188	854	-	40	-	1,082
<b>1995</b>	656	0	-	25	300	981	0	-	465	6,185	7,427	14,077	203	1,448	-	-	-	1,651
<b>1996</b>	8,329	0	-	19	84	8,432	11	-	72	7,631	8,398	16,112	704	2,304	-	12	-	3,020
<b>1997</b>	2,605	3	2	14	245	2,869	1	-	59	9,678	7,540	17,278	100	2,512	-	11	-	2,623
<b>1998</b>	1,772	0	-	94	525	2,391	42	-	81	12,635	13,158	25,916	489	1,876	39	-	-	2,404
<b>1999</b>	2,553	54	5	152	564	3,328	47	-	227	11,633	14,510	26,417	171	3,413	-	-	-	3,584
<b>2000</b>	3,712	0	61	46	378	4,197	71	-	86	9,663	13,453	23,273	293	1,995	-	-	-	2,288
<b>2001</b>	1,155	3	1	148	401	1,708	3	-	157	19,410	13,727	33,297	2,258	1,019	-	-	-	3,277
<b>2002</b>	1,758	1	3	71	653	2,486	31	-	381	15,289	14,433	30,134	1,459	2,283	8	-	-	3,750
<b>2003</b>	3,233	0	3	87	404	3,727	34	-	59	24,901	20,397	45,391	433	1,535	6	13	117	2,104
<b>2004</b>	8,880	19	-	16	62	8,977	105	-	126	18,444	22,011	40,686	884	387	-	27	862	2,160
<b>2005</b>	4,743	15	-	-	85	4,843	2	-	66	8,861	15,649	24,578	1,472	2,124	-	-	22	3,618
<b>2006</b>	9,928	0	-	-	101	10,029	109	-	1	10,612	18,966	29,688	1,999	1,972	-	-	-	3,971
<b>2007</b>	4,189	0	-	-	15	4,204	187	-	21	8,934	19,296	28,438	2,306	1,625	-	-	54	3,985
<b>2008</b>	4,392	14	15	-	103	4,524	49	-	1,050	5,994	16,567	23,660	3,622	2,251	-	-	8	5,881
<b>2009</b>	3,428	24	20	0	180	3,652	59	2	2,218	7,028	17,108	26,415	4,359	1,020	-	-	-	5,379
<b>2010</b>	7,746	0	0	1	121	7,868	25	-	1,874	9,423	17,563	28,885	3,426	1,079	-	-	184	4,689
<b>2011</b>	2,730	4	*	1	456	3,191	10	-	*	89	24	123	2,197	737	*	*	*	2,934

**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.				
<b>1982</b>	2,122	-	0	-	6,776	8,898	47	-	-	-	382	429	229,200	-	5,538	72,768	11,391	318,897
<b>1983</b>	3,827	-	2	-	7,291	11,120	60	-	-	-	4,711	4,771	151,307	-	8,884	78,401	21,488	260,080
<b>1984</b>	3,514	-	0	-	7,291	10,805	6	-	-	-	2,524	2,530	213,436	-	7,318	63,486	20,854	305,094
<b>1985</b>	3,599	-	5	-	7,869	11,473	19	-	-	-	678	697	276,288	-	2,900	86,836	15,695	381,719
<b>1986</b>	232	-	258	-	1,889	2,379	177	-	4	-	986	1,167	334,897	-	4,806	131,742	8,078	479,523
<b>1987</b>	3,195	-	121	-	1,782	5,098	481	-	-	-	2,043	2,524	332,432	-	7,781	129,066	6,941	476,220
<b>1988</b>	8,811	-	739	-	947	10,497	79	-	-	-	2,939	3,018	377,183	-	9,063	97,380	11,228	494,854
<b>1989</b>	11,278	-	818	-	465	12,561	36	-	-	-	626	662	388,179	-	7,929	94,811	5,160	496,079
<b>1990</b>	13,634	-	215	-	371	14,220	200	-	-	3	692	895	359,633	-	3,945	140,096	8,168	511,842
<b>1991</b>	1,207	-	82	-	242	1,531	4	-	-	29	192	225	300,406	-	5,520	143,057	6,160	455,143
<b>1992</b>	977	-	-	-	318	1,295	24	-	-	27	1,071	1,122	322,617	-	6,001	120,609	10,277	459,504
<b>1993</b>	599	12	1	-	436	1,048	9	2,013	-	10	4,082	6,114	314,271	22,178	8,725	107,814	14,578	467,566
<b>1994</b>	8,331	147	362	-	185	9,025	9	497	-	1	464	971	322,930	18,792	7,312	111,902	13,938	474,874
<b>1995</b>	7,929	55	81	-	54	8,119	11	626	-	-	1,004	1,641	396,601	27,028	7,067	85,152	14,131	529,979
<b>1996</b>	647	1	7	-	16	671	37	1,028	-	-	1,038	2,103	413,619	39,837	6,396	71,280	13,184	544,316
<b>1997</b>	1,097	4	8	-	34	1,143	71	3,383	-	7	1,437	4,898	466,480	48,158	7,747	84,588	9,972	616,945
<b>1998</b>	1,330	4	7	-	588	1,929	13	1,233	-	24	18,158	19,428	442,365	33,277	6,896	74,758	34,823	592,119
<b>1999</b>	1,719	-	-	24	369	2,112	27	3,092	-	2,113	4,279	9,511	599,160	44,084	4,059	62,255	24,359	733,917
<b>2000</b>	636	-	-	75	56	767	190	1,410	-	1,992	1,468	5,060	559,094	39,537	2,809	83,304	16,783	701,527
<b>2001</b>	17	-	0	34	19	70	191	679	-	2,448	55	3,373	591,243	22,798	4,522	121,617	14,775	754,955
<b>2002</b>	-	-	-	-	1	1	576	1,863	-	482	1,422	4,343	627,077	21,742	1,958	116,058	17,191	784,026
<b>2003</b>	-	0	1	-	25	26	80	1,238	-	215	750	2,283	714,079	33,502	1,177	110,800	25,636	885,194
<b>2004</b>	15	35	1	8	3	62	256	973	-	349	258	1,836	545,992	23,354	2,541	81,819	25,123	678,829
<b>2005</b>	313	18	0	-	11	342	190	1,922	-	363	427	2,902	605,945	26,188	3,187	62,782	19,850	717,952
<b>2006</b>	3,507	80	12	-	3	3,602	50	1,910	-	3	193	2,174	562,330	20,415	1,134	53,682	21,747	659,308
<b>2007</b>	15,906	628	107	-	-	16,641	598	1,222	-	2,194	301	4,315	464,947	13,620	1,298	48,788	22,214	550,867
<b>2008</b>	7,871	37	9	-	26	7,943	136	1,380	1	727	883	3,127	572,758	16,154	2,388	41,179	19,719	652,198
<b>2009</b>	10,053	15	0	0	165	10,233	162	469	-	1,933	74	2,638	562,139	11,019	3,098	49,460	19,647	645,363
<b>2010</b>	2,818	19	4	-	97	2,938	136	708	-	1,090	36	1,970	470,104	7,023	2,385	53,105	20,231	552,848
<b>2011</b>	7,940	29	18	*	0	7,987	94	877	*	1,731	*	2,702	550,833	8,608	296	27,194	480	587,411

**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 2010-2011 are preliminary. PS dis. = discards by purse-seine vessels.

**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 2010-2011 son preliminares. PS dis. = descartes por buques cerqueros.

	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	
	Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.
	-	-	2,604	1,551	4,155	-	-	4,745	-	4,745	-	-	213	-	213	-	4,711
1982	-	-	2,604	1,551	4,155	-	-	4,745	-	4,745	-	-	213	-	213	-	4,711
1983	-	-	3,341	2,338	5,679	-	-	4,459	-	4,459	-	-	240	-	240	-	4,472
1984	-	-	2,752	3,336	6,088	-	-	5,197	-	5,197	-	-	248	-	248	-	2,662
1985	-	-	1,885	3,768	5,653	-	-	3,588	-	3,588	-	-	180	-	180	-	1,599
1986	-	-	3,286	3,294	6,580	-	-	5,278	-	5,278	-	-	297	-	297	-	3,540
1987	-	-	4,676	3,740	8,416	-	-	7,282	-	7,282	-	-	358	-	358	-	7,647
1988	-	-	4,916	5,642	10,558	-	-	5,662	-	5,662	-	-	288	-	288	-	5,283
1989	-	-	5,202	6,072	11,274	-	-	5,392	-	5,392	-	-	193	-	193	-	3,473
1990	-	-	5,807	5,066	10,873	-	-	5,540	-	5,540	-	-	223	-	223	-	3,260
1991	-	17	10,671	4,307	14,995	-	69	6,719	-	6,788	-	58	246	-	304	-	76
1992	-	4	9,820	4,267	14,091	-	52	6,627	-	6,679	-	95	228	-	323	-	69
1993	3	1	6,187	4,414	10,605	84	20	6,571	-	6,675	57	31	217	-	305	47	20
1994	1	0	4,990	3,822	8,813	69	15	9,027	-	9,111	39	23	256	-	318	20	9
1995	3	0	4,495	2,974	7,472	70	16	7,288	-	7,374	43	23	158	-	224	18	8
1996	1	0	7,071	2,486	9,558	62	15	3,596	-	3,673	46	24	99	-	169	20	9
1997	2	1	10,580	1,781	12,364	126	15	5,915	-	6,056	71	22	153	-	246	28	3
1998	3	0	9,800	3,246	13,049	130	20	4,855	-	5,005	72	28	168	-	268	20	3
1999	2	0	7,569	1,965	9,536	181	38	3,690	-	3,909	83	42	94	-	219	26	11
2000	3	0	8,930	2,383	11,316	120	23	3,634	-	3,777	67	21	105	-	193	17	3
2001	3	1	16,007	1,964	17,975	119	37	4,197	-	4,353	67	48	123	-	238	13	8
2002	1	-	17,598	2,119	19,718	188	33	3,481	-	3,702	86	30	78	-	194	69	5
2003	3	1	18,161	353	18,518	185	21	4,016	-	4,222	121	26	72	-	219	31	4
2004	2	0	15,372	309	15,683	140	21	3,782	-	3,943	62	5	41	-	108	23	1
2005	2	0	8,910	4,304	13,216	209	15	3,328	-	3,552	95	10	37	-	142	37	4
2006	7	0	9,047	3,800	12,854	164	21	2,357	105	2,647	124	21	32	-	177	54	3
2007	4	0	9,476	4,390	13,870	123	13	2,349	106	2,591	76	7	35	-	118	31	3
2008	6	0	11,534	3,070	14,610	125	6	1,674	114	1,919	76	9	101	-	186	32	2
2009	3	0	13,878	3,809	17,690	157	15	2,108	131	2,411	75	6	74	-	155	21	1
2010	3	0	16,801	4,440	21,244	176	11	2,418	126	2,731	61	8	120	0	189	19	1
2011	5	-	497	2	504	164	4	48	-	216	52	7	-	-	59	27	1
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**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.			
1982	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1,084	-	1,084	-	-	3	-	3	-	-	13,360	1,551	14,911
1983	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	890	-	890	-	-	2	-	2	-	-	13,404	2,338	15,742
1984	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	345	-	345	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11,204	3,336	14,540
1985	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	395	-	395	-	-	1	-	1	-	-	7,648	3,768	11,416
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	-	-	17,179	5,642	22,821
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	22,204	4,506	26,931
1993	0	0	1	-	1	26	32	2,266	-	2,324	28	68	1,650	-	1,746	245	172	20,467	4,673	25,557
1994	0	0	144	-	144	18	21	1,682	-	1,721	7	16	1,028	-	1,051	154	84	20,523	4,079	24,840
1995	1	0	155	-	156	12	15	1,351	-	1,378	2	9	232	-	243	149	71	16,928	3,270	20,418
1996	1	0	126	-	127	10	12	738	-	760	4	15	308	-	327	144	75	15,156	2,916	18,291
1997	1	0	141	-	142	12	11	1,891	-	1,914	3	5	1,324	-	1,332	243	57	24,477	2,110	26,887
1998	0	0	200	-	200	28	31	1,382	-	1,441	4	7	575	54	640	257	89	20,538	3,809	24,693
1999	1	0	278	-	279	33	8	1,216	-	1,257	5	11	1,136	-	1,152	331	110	16,604	2,341	19,386
2000	1	0	285	-	286	33	17	1,380	-	1,430	2	5	879	136	1,022	243	69	17,102	2,923	20,337
2001	0	0	304	-	304	18	45	1,539	325	1,927	2	5	1,742	204	1,953	222	144	25,873	2,835	29,074
2002	1	0	273	-	274	19	15	1,792	17	1,843	3	4	1,862	14	1,883	367	87	27,243	2,562	30,259
2003	1	4	290	-	295	38	49	1,174	-	1,261	6	4	1,389	-	1,399	385	109	27,008	770	28,272
2004	1	0	207	-	208	19	13	1,400	17	1,449	3	4	1,384	-	1,391	250	44	23,734	716	24,744
2005	1	0	229	-	230	32	11	805	15	863	5	2	900	-	907	381	42	15,730	4,872	21,025
2006	1	0	231	-	232	30	13	1,007	35	1,085	22	3	491	1	517	402	61	14,735	4,431	19,629
2007	1	0	239	-	240	41	7	930	64	1,042	14	4	107	15	140	290	34	14,485	5,599	20,408
2008	1	0	266	-	267	28	6	383	72	489	15	6	76	8	105	283	29	14,973	4,309	19,594
2009	1	0	451	-	452	18	7	194	8	227	12	-	27	12	51	287	29	17,582	3,967	21,865
2010	1	0	519	-	520	27	20	95	3	145	6	1	111	-	118	293	41	21,384	4,578	26,296
2011	-	-	-	-	-	20	6			26	7	1	14	-	22	275	19	568	2	864

**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 2010-2011 are preliminary.

**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 2010-2011 son preliminares.

	Carangids—Carángidos				Dorado ( <i>Coryphaena spp.</i> )				Elasmobranchs— Elasmobranquios				Other fishes—Otros peces							
	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS		LL	OTR	Total	PS				
	Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.				Ret.	Dis.			
1982	122	-	-	0	122	274	-	-	980	1,254	22	-	215	894	1,131	287	-	59	-	346
1983	1240	-	-	0	1,240	88	-	-	3,374	3,462	34	-	85	695	814	288	-	-	1	289
1984	414	-	-	0	414	103	-	-	202	305	48	-	6	1,039	1,093	415	-	-	3	418
1985	317	-	-	4	321	93	-	-	108	201	27	-	13	481	521	76	-	7	-	83
1986	188	-	-	19	207	635	-	-	1,828	2,463	29	-	1	1,979	2,009	93	-	-	-	93
1987	566	-	-	5	571	275	-	-	4,272	4,547	95	-	87	1,020	1,202	210	-	535	-	745
1988	825	-	-	1	826	65	-	-	1,560	1,625	1	-	23	1,041	1,065	321	-	360	-	681
1989	60	-	-	2	62	210	-	-	1,680	1,890	29	-	66	1,025	1,120	670	-	152	-	822
1990	234	-	-	1	235	64	-	-	1,491	1,555	0	-	280	1,095	1,375	433	-	260	14	707
1991	116	-	-	0	116	61	-	7	613	681	1	-	1,112	1,352	2,466	463	-	457	1	921
1992	116	-	-	0	116	71	-	37	708	816	-	-	2,293	1,190	3,483	555	-	182	-	737
1993	31	43	-	2	76	270	477	17	724	1,488	273	1,152	1,026	916	3,367	272	554	184	2	1,012
1994	19	28	-	16	63	687	826	46	3,459	5,018	370	1,027	1,234	1,314	3,945	243	567	251	-	1,061
1995	27	32	-	9	68	466	729	39	2,127	3,361	277	1,093	922	1,075	3,367	177	760	210	-	1,147
1996	137	135	-	57	329	548	885	43	183	1,659	233	1,001	1,121	2,151	4,506	155	467	456	-	1,078
1997	38	111	-	39	188	569	703	6,866	3,109	11,247	406	1,232	956	2,328	4,922	261	654	848	-	1,763
1998	83	149	-	4	236	424	426	2,528	9,167	12,545	272	1,404	2,099	4,393	8,168	302	1,133	1,340	-	2,775
1999	108	136	-	1	245	567	751	6,284	1,160	8,762	255	843	5,995	2,088	9,181	245	748	975	-	1,968
2000	95	66	4	4	169	812	785	3,537	1,041	6,175	259	772	8,418	405	9,854	147	408	1,490	-	2,045
2001	15	145	18	26	204	1,028	1,275	15,941	2,825	21,069	179	641	12,540	107	13,467	391	1,130	1,726	-	3,247
2002	19	111	15	20	165	931	938	9,464	4,137	15,470	129	758	12,400	99	13,386	355	722	1,914	-	2,991
2003	9	141	54	0	204	583	346	5,301	288	6,518	116	833	14,723	372	16,044	279	406	4,681	-	5,366
2004	39	103	1	0	143	811	317	3,986	4,645	9,759	155	622	11,272	173	12,222	338	1,031	671	-	2,040
2005	80	79	-	0	159	863	295	3,854	8,667	13,679	196	498	12,107	224	13,025	439	276	558	-	1,273
2006	247	146	-	0	393	1,002	385	3,404	13,126	17,917	231	674	6,515	297	7,717	501	381	262	100	1,244
2007	174	183	6	17	380	1,264	350	2,980	7,827	12,421	340	394	8,751	424	9,909	880	675	2,001	120	3,676
2008	85	55	5	17	162	932	327	4,423	5,458	11,140	537	357	9,015	529	10,438	523	429	616	86	1,654
2009	63	42	10	16	131	1,899	476	4,238	51,328	57,941	277	339	7,360	371	8,347	1,031	374	1,412	220	3,037
2010	80	15	8	23	126	1,239	253	1,245	47,880	50,617	334	463	11,312	221	12,330	882	192	1,587	205	2,866
2011	72	25	7		104	1,315	391	403	0	2,109	279	553	2,700	119	3,651	615	194	74	-	883

**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.

<b>COL</b>	<b>CRI</b>	<b>ECU</b>	<b>ESP</b>	<b>MEX</b>	<b>NIC</b>	<b>PAN</b>	<b>PER</b>	<b>SLV</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>VEN</b>	<b>VUT</b>	<b>C + OTR<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Total</b>	
<b>1982</b>	-	122	5,511	934	18,785	-	8,487	C	C	72,082	4,057	-	4,777	114,755
<b>1983</b>	-	C	7,579	-	18,576	-	2,444	943	-	43,780	7,840	-	2,767	83,929
<b>1984</b>	-	2,702	10,526	C	53,697	-	C	C	-	57,162	9,268	-	2,430	135,785
<b>1985</b>	-	2,785	8,794	C	80,422	-	10,887	C	-	84,364	20,696	C	3,511	211,459
<b>1986</b>	-	C	16,561	C	103,644	-	9,073	C	C	88,617	28,462	C	14,155	260,512
<b>1987</b>	-	-	15,046	C	96,182	-	C	C	C	95,506	34,237	C	21,037	262,008
<b>1988</b>	-	-	23,947	C	104,565	-	7,364	1,430	C	82,231	38,257	C	19,499	277,293
<b>1989</b>	-	C	17,588	C	116,928	-	10,557	1,724	C	73,688	42,944	C	14,567	277,996
<b>1990</b>	C	C	16,279	C	115,898	-	6,391	C	-	50,790	47,490	22,208	4,197	263,253
<b>1991</b>	C	-	15,011	C	115,107	-	1,731	C	-	18,751	45,345	29,687	5,625	231,257
<b>1992</b>	C	-	12,119	C	118,455	-	3,380	45	-	16,961	44,336	27,406	5,419	228,121
<b>1993</b>	3,863	-	18,094	C	101,792	-	5,671	-	-	14,055	43,522	24,936	7,559	219,492
<b>1994</b>	7,533	-	18,365	C	99,618	-	3,259	-	-	8,080	41,500	25,729	4,324	208,408
<b>1995</b>	8,829	C	17,044	C	108,749	-	1,714	-	-	5,069	47,804	22,220	4,005	215,434
<b>1996</b>	9,855	C	17,125	C	119,878	-	3,084	-	-	6,948	62,846	10,549	8,322	238,607
<b>1997</b>	9,402	-	18,697	C	120,761	-	4,807	-	-	5,826	57,881	20,701	6,803	244,878
<b>1998</b>	15,592	-	36,201	5,449	106,840	-	3,330	-	C	2,776	61,425	17,342	5,004	253,959
<b>1999</b>	13,267	-	53,683	8,322	114,545	C	5,782	-	C	3,400	55,443	16,476	11,002	281,920
<b>2000</b>	6,138	-	35,492	10,318	101,662	C	5,796	-	-	4,374	67,672	8,247	13,563	253,263
<b>2001</b>	12,950	-	55,347	18,448	130,087	C	9,552	-	C	5,670	108,974	10,729	32,180	383,936
<b>2002</b>	17,574	-	32,512	16,990	152,864	C	15,719	C	7,412	7,382	123,264	7,502	31,068	412,286
<b>2003</b>	9,770	-	34,271	12,281	172,807	-	16,591	C	C	3,601	96,914	9,334	27,710	383,279
<b>2004</b>	C	-	40,886	13,622	91,442	C	33,563	-	C	5,645	39,094	7,371	40,934	272,557
<b>2005</b>	C	-	40,596	11,947	110,898	4,838	33,393	-	6,470	C	28,684	C	31,275	268,101
<b>2006</b>	C	-	26,049	8,409	69,449	4,236	22,521	-	C	C	13,286	C	22,681	166,631
<b>2007</b>	C	-	19,749	2,631	65,091	3,917	26,024	-	C	C	20,097	C	32,507	170,016
<b>2008</b>	C	-	18,463	3,023	84,462	4,374	26,993	C	C	C	17,692	C	30,050	185,057
<b>2009</b>	C	-	18,167	7,864	99,785	6,686	35,228	C	C	C	25,298	C	43,728	236,756
<b>2010</b>	20,493	-	34,764	2,820	104,969	9,422	34,538	C	C	-	21,245	C	22,759	251,009
<b>2011</b>	18,261	-	27,158	1,089	102,464	7,696	18,530	-	C	C	18,133	C	9,005	202,336

<sup>1</sup> Includes—Incluye: BLZ, BMU, BOL, CAN, CHN, CYM, CYP, GTM, HND, KOR, LBR, NZL, RUS, VCT, 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 2010-2011 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 2010-2011 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 <sup>1</sup>	Total LL	Total PS+LL	OTR <sup>2</sup>
1982	-	-	-	9,826	1,054	-	-	81	-	-	*	10,961	125,716	1,818
1983	-	-	-	9,404	1,382	49	-	60	-	-	*	10,895	94,824	4,856
1984	-	-	-	9,134	1,155	-	-	56	-	-	*	10,345	146,130	3,335
1985	-	-	-	10,633	2,505	2	-	58	-	-	*	13,198	224,657	1,282
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	1	1,782	2,422	7	-	182	11,895	279,996	3,674
2006	246	1,402	537	2,968	-	0	2,164	1,671	21	-	108	9,117	175,748	2,144
2007	224	1,204	408	4,582	353	8	-	745	11	-	90	7,625	177,641	2,333
2008	469	1,248	335	5,383	129	5	-	247	33	-	401	8,250	193,307	1,753
2009	-	1,003	590	4,345	1,216	10	-	636	84	-	220	8,104	244,860	1,703
2010	459	-	301	3,630	892	6	-	872	54	-	369	6,583	257,592	1,419
2011	-	-	-	-	89	6	-	-	-	-	58	153	202,489	274

<sup>1</sup> Includes—Incluye: BLZ, CHL, ECU, ESP, GTM, HND, NIC, SLV

<sup>2</sup> 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													<b>LL+ OTR<sup>2</sup></b>	
	<b>COL</b>	<b>CRI</b>	<b>ECU</b>	<b>ESP</b>	<b>MEX</b>	<b>NIC</b>	<b>PAN</b>	<b>PER</b>	<b>SLV</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>VEN</b>	<b>VUT</b>	<b>C+OTR<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Total</b>	
<b>1982</b>	-	226	13,590	1,609	14,598	-	5,814	C	C	58,647	2,382	-	3,633	100,499	4,170
<b>1983</b>	-	C	12,590	-	6,277	-	764	170	-	32,009	3,352	-	1,689	56,851	5,124
<b>1984</b>	-	31	18,085	-	8,550	-	C	-	-	23,966	7,797	-	1,430	59,859	3,752
<b>1985</b>	-	87	22,806	C	5,334	-	1,197	-	-	9,907	8,184	C	3,314	50,829	1,173
<b>1986</b>	-	C	23,836	C	6,061	-	1,134	C	C	12,978	11,797	C	9,828	65,634	2,111
<b>1987</b>	-	-	20,473	C	4,786	-	C	C	C	13,578	11,761	C	13,421	64,019	2,447
<b>1988</b>	-	-	11,743	C	15,195	-	1,863	714	C	36,792	12,312	C	8,494	87,113	5,014
<b>1989</b>	-	C	22,922	C	14,960	-	4,361	276	-	21,115	16,847	C	14,453	94,934	3,987
<b>1990</b>	C	C	24,071	C	6,696	-	3,425	C	-	13,188	11,362	11,920	3,707	74,369	2,738
<b>1991</b>	C	-	18,438	C	10,916	-	1,720	C	-	13,162	5,217	9,051	3,724	62,228	3,662
<b>1992</b>	C	-	25,408	C	9,188	-	3,724	352	-	14,108	10,226	13,315	7,962	84,283	3,011
<b>1993</b>	3,292	-	21,227	C	13,037	-	1,062	-	-	17,853	7,270	10,908	9,181	83,830	6,089
<b>1994</b>	7,348	-	15,083	C	11,783	-	2,197	-	-	8,947	6,356	9,541	8,871	70,126	4,044
<b>1995</b>	13,081	C	31,934	C	29,406	-	4,084	-	-	14,032	5,508	13,910	15,092	127,047	7,241
<b>1996</b>	13,230	C	32,433	C	14,501	-	3,619	-	-	12,012	4,104	10,873	13,201	103,973	3,868
<b>1997</b>	12,332	-	51,826	C	23,416	-	4,277	-	-	13,687	8,617	14,246	25,055	153,456	3,491
<b>1998</b>	4,698	-	67,074	20,012	15,969	-	1,136	-	C	6,898	6,795	11,284	6,765	140,631	2,215
<b>1999</b>	11,210	-	124,393	34,923	16,767	C	5,286	-	C	13,491	16,344	21,287	17,864	261,565	3,638
<b>2000</b>	10,138	-	104,849	17,041	14,080	C	9,573	-	-	7,224	6,720	13,620	22,399	205,647	365
<b>2001</b>	9,445	-	66,144	13,454	8,169	C	6,967	-	C	4,135	3,215	7,824	23,813	143,165	1,696
<b>2002</b>	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
<b>2003</b>	14,771	-	139,804	18,567	8,147	-	25,084	C	C	5,445	6,143	14,112	41,895	273,968	4,049
<b>2004</b>	C	-	89,621	8,138	24,429	C	20,051	-	C	3,372	23,356	4,404	24,453	197,824	2,349
<b>2005</b>	C	-	140,927	9,224	32,271	3,735	25,782	-	4,995	C	22,146	C	24,149	263,229	3,309
<b>2006</b>	C	-	138,490	16,668	16,790	8,396	44,639	-	C	C	26,334	C	44,951	296,268	1,645
<b>2007</b>	C	-	93,553	2,879	21,542	4,286	28,475	-	C	C	21,990	C	35,570	208,295	1,448
<b>2008</b>	C	-	143,431	4,841	21,638	7,005	43,230	C	C	C	28,333	C	48,125	296,603	1,720
<b>2009</b>	C	-	132,712	6,021	6,847	5,119	26,973	C	C	C	19,370	C	33,481	230,523	1,447
<b>2010</b>	11,400	-	82,280	1,569	3,010	5,242	19,213	C	C	-	11,818	C	12,660	147,192	1,458
<b>2011</b>	24,167	-	151,461	5,614	8,835	4,124	31,003	-	C	C	27,533	C	26,263	279,000	8

<sup>1</sup> Includes—Incluye: BLZ, BMU, BOL, CAN, CHN, CYM, CYP, ECU, ESP, GTM, HND, KOR, LBR, NZL, RUS, VCT, UNK

<sup>2</sup> 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.

<b>COL</b>	<b>CRI</b>	<b>ECU</b>	<b>ESP</b>	<b>MEX</b>	<b>NIC</b>	<b>PAN</b>	<b>PER</b>	<b>SLV</b>	<b>USA</b>	<b>VEN</b>	<b>VUT</b>	<b>C + OTR<sup>1</sup></b>	<b>Total</b>	
<b>1982</b>	-	-	105	41	16	-	1,039	*	*	4,548	1,190	-	*	6,939
<b>1983</b>	-	*	457	-	16	-	663	*	-	1,801	1,319	-	319	4,575
<b>1984</b>	-	3	1,164	*	40	-	*	*	-	5,335	2,181	-	138	8,861
<b>1985</b>	-	17	2,970	C	19	-	-	-	-	1,806	939	C	305	6,056
<b>1986</b>	-	-	653	C	1	-	-	-	-	266	1,466	C	300	2,686
<b>1987</b>	-	-	319	C	2	-	*	-	C	224	453	C	179	1,177
<b>1988</b>	-	-	385	C	-	-	431	*	C	256	202	C	261	1,535
<b>1989</b>	-	-	854	C	-	-	-	*	-	172	294	C	710	2,030
<b>1990</b>	-	-	1,619	C	29	-	196	-	-	209	1,405	2,082	381	5,921
<b>1991</b>	-	-	2,224	C	5	-	-	-	-	50	591	1,839	161	4,870
<b>1992</b>	-	-	1,647	C	61	-	38	*	-	3,002	184	1,397	850	7,179
<b>1993</b>	686	-	2,166	C	120	-	10	*	-	3,324	253	1,848	1,250	9,657
<b>1994</b>	5,636	-	5,112	C	171	-	-	*	-	7,042	637	8,829	7,472	34,899
<b>1995</b>	5,815	C	8,304	C	91	-	839	*	-	11,042	706	12,072	6,452	45,321
<b>1996</b>	7,692	C	20,279	C	82	-	1,445	*	-	8,380	619	12,374	10,440	61,311
<b>1997</b>	3,506	-	30,092	C	38	-	1,811	*	-	8,312	348	6,818	13,347	64,272
<b>1998</b>	596	-	25,113	5,747	12	-	12	*	C	5,309	348	4,746	2,246	44,129
<b>1999</b>	1,511	-	24,355	11,703	33	C	1,220	*	C	2,997	10	5,318	4,011	51,158
<b>2000</b>	7,443	-	36,094	12,511	0	C	7,028	*	-	5,304	457	10,000	16,446	95,282
<b>2001</b>	5,230	-	24,424	7,450	0	C	3,858	*	C	2,290	0	4,333	12,933	60,518
<b>2002</b>	5,283	-	26,262	5,108	0	C	4,726	C	2,228	2,219	0	2,256	9,340	57,421
<b>2003</b>	3,664	-	22,896	4,605	0	-	6,222	C	C	1,350	424	3,500	10,390	53,052
<b>2004</b>	C	-	30,817	3,366	0	C	8,294	*	C	1,395	9,661	1,822	10,116	65,471
<b>2005</b>	C	-	30,507	3,831	0	1,551	10,707	*	2,074	C	9,197	C	10,028	67,895
<b>2006</b>	C	-	39,302	5,264	6	2,652	14,099	*	C	C	8,317	C	14,196	83,838
<b>2007</b>	C	-	40,445	711	0	1,058	7,029	*	C	C	5,428	C	8,779	63,450
<b>2008</b>	C	-	41,177	1,234	327	1,785	11,018	C	C	7,221	C	12,266	75,028	
<b>2009</b>	C	-	35,646	2,636	1,334	2,241	11,807	C	C	8,479	C	14,656	76,799	
<b>2010</b>	4,206	-	34,902	579	11	1,934	7,089	C	C	-	4,361	C	4,671	57,752
<b>2011</b>	2,804	-	33,351	3,718	648	2,042	7,018	*	C	C	409	C	6,536	56,526

<sup>1</sup> Includes—Incluye: BLZ, BOL, CHN, CYM, 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 2010-2011 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 2010-2011 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 <sup>1</sup>	Total LL	Total PS + LL	OTR <sup>2</sup>
<b>1982</b>	-	-	-	50,199	2,969	-	-	197	-	-	*	53,365	60,304	45
<b>1983</b>	-	-	-	57,185	2,614	-	-	244	-	-	*	60,043	64,618	76
<b>1984</b>	-	-	-	44,587	1,613	-	-	194	-	-	*	46,394	55,255	13
<b>1985</b>	-	-	-	61,627	4,510	0	-	188	-	-	*	66,325	72,381	17
<b>1986</b>	-	-	-	91,981	10,187	0	-	257	-	-	*	102,425	105,111	74
<b>1987</b>	-	-	-	87,913	11,681	1	-	526	-	-	*	100,121	101,298	49
<b>1988</b>	-	-	-	66,015	6,151	1	-	591	-	-	*	72,758	74,293	20
<b>1989</b>	-	-	-	67,514	3,138	-	-	311	-	-	*	70,963	72,993	1
<b>1990</b>	-	-	-	86,148	12,127	-	-	596	-	-	*	98,871	104,792	59
<b>1991</b>	-	1	-	85,011	17,883	-	-	1,291	9	-	*	104,195	109,065	56
<b>1992</b>	-	9	7	74,466	9,202	-	-	1,032	92	-	*	84,808	91,987	13
<b>1993</b>	-	25	7	63,190	8,924	*	-	297	55	-	*	72,498	82,155	35
<b>1994</b>	-	1	102	61,471	9,522	-	-	255	9	-	*	71,360	106,259	806
<b>1995</b>	-	13	97	49,016	8,992	-	-	77	74	-	*	58,269	103,590	1,369
<b>1996</b>	-	1	113	36,685	9,983	-	-	95	81	-	*	46,958	108,269	748
<b>1997</b>	-	9	250	40,571	11,376	-	-	256	118	-	*	52,580	116,852	20
<b>1998</b>	-	28	359	35,752	9,731	-	-	314	191	-	*	46,375	90,504	628
<b>1999</b>	-	25	3,652	22,224	9,431	-	-	890	228	-	*	36,450	87,608	538
<b>2000</b>	-	27	653	28,746	13,280	42	14	1,916	162	2,754	11	47,605	142,887	253
<b>2001</b>	2,639	28	684	38,048	12,576	1	80	9,285	147	3,277	1,990	68,755	129,273	19
<b>2002</b>	7,614	19	388	34,193	10,358	-	6	17,253	132	2,995	1,466	74,424	131,845	12
<b>2003</b>	10,066	18	346	24,888	10,272	-	C	12,016	232	1,258	680	59,776	112,828	21
<b>2004</b>	2,645	21	405	21,236	10,729	-	48	7,384	149	407	459	43,483	108,954	194
<b>2005</b>	2,104	23	398	19,113	11,580	-	30	6,441	536	1,056	151	41,432	109,327	25
<b>2006</b>	709	18	388	16,235	8,694	-	37	6,412	85	935	195	33,708	117,546	40
<b>2007</b>	2,324	15	361	13,977	5,611	-	-	6,057	417	1,073	93	29,928	93,378	44
<b>2008</b>	2,379	16	367	14,908	4,150	-	-	1,852	1,277	747	456	26,152	101,180	28
<b>2009</b>	2,481	13	484	15,581	7,612	-	-	3,396	730	1,113	800	32,210	109,009	15
<b>2010</b>	2,490	-	314	15,628	8,964	-	-	5,276	1,351	1,230	613	35,866	93,618	2
<b>2011</b>	1,193	-	-	12,500	7,049	-	-	4,064	293	-	117	25,216	81,742	-

<sup>1</sup> Includes—Incluye: BLZ, CHL, ECU, ESP, HND, PRT, SLV

<sup>2</sup> 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, pole-and-line, and recreational vessels in the EPO in 2010 and 2011, 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, cañeros, y recreacionales en el OPO en 2010 y 2011, 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	%
<b>2010</b>	<b>Retained catches—Capturas retenidas</b>									
COL	20,493	11,400	4,206	-	-	11	-	1	36,111	7.6
ECU	34,764	82,280	34,902	-	-	555	9	117	152,627	32.2
ESP	2,820	1,569	579	-	-	-	-	-	4,968	1.0
MEX	105,429	3,057	11	7,746	25	2,661	2,815	6	121,750	25.7
NIC	9,422	5,242	1,934	-	-	70	-	1	16,669	3.5
PAN	34,538	19,213	7,089	-	-	3	-	-	60,843	12.8
VEN	21,245	11,818	4,361	-	-	9	-	-	37,433	7.9
OTR <sup>1</sup>	22,962	12,660	4,671	123	2,559	116	97	12	43,200	9.3
<b>Total</b>	<b>251,673</b>	<b>147,239</b>	<b>57,753</b>	<b>7,869</b>	<b>2,584</b>	<b>3,425</b>	<b>2,921</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>473,601</b>	
<b>2011</b>	<b>Retained catches—Capturas retenidas</b>									
COL	18,261	24,167	2,804	-	10	-	-	-	45,242	8.2
ECU	27,158	151,461	33,351	-	-	97	3	26	212,096	38.4
ESP	1,089	5,614	3,718	-	-	-	-	-	10,421	1.9
MEX	102,739	8,840	648	2,730	-	1,990	7,957	43	124,947	22.7
NIC	7,696	4,124	2,042	-	-	-	-	-	13,862	2.5
PAN	18,530	31,003	7,018	-	-	-	-	-	56,551	10.2
VEN	18,133	27,533	409	-	-	39	-	10	46,124	8.4
OTR <sup>2</sup>	9,004	26,262	6,536	456	-	69	-	17	42,344	7.7
<b>Total</b>	<b>202,610</b>	<b>279,004</b>	<b>56,526</b>	<b>3,186</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>2,195</b>	<b>7,960</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>551,587</b>	

<sup>1</sup> Includes Bolivia, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, Peru, United States and Vanuatu This category is used to avoid revealing the operations of individual vessels or companies.

<sup>1</sup> Incluye Bolivia, El Salvador, Estados Unidos, Guatemala, Honduras, Perú y Vanuatu Se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

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<sup>2</sup> Incluye Bolivia, El Salvador, Estados Unidos, Guatemala, Honduras y Vanuatu Se usa esta categoría para no revelar información sobre las actividades de buques o empresas individuales.

**TABLE A-5.** Annual retained catches of Pacific bluefin tuna, by gear type and flag, in metric tons. The data for 2009 and 2010 are preliminary.

**TABLA A-5.** Capturas retenidas anuales de atún aleta azul del Pacífico, por arte de pesca y bandera, en toneladas métricas. Los datos de 2009 y 2010 son preliminares.

PBF	Western Pacific flags—Banderas del Pacífico occidental <sup>1</sup>										Eastern Pacific flags—Banderas del Pacífico oriental						Total	
	JPN				KOR <sup>1</sup>			TWN			Sub-total	MEX		USA		Sub-total	OTR	
	PS	LP	LL	OTR	PS	OTR	PS	LL	OTR	PS	OTR	PS	OTR					
1982	19,234	1,777	737	4,239	31	-	-	207	2	26,228	506	-	2,639	13	3,159	-	29,387	
1983	14,774	356	224	4,116	13	-	9	175	2	19,670	214	-	629	44	887	-	20,557	
1984	4,433	587	164	4,977	4	-	5	477	8	10,655	166	-	673	78	917	-	11,573	
1985	4,154	1,817	115	5,587	1	-	80	210	11	11,975	676	-	3,320	117	4,113	-	16,089	
1986	7,412	1,086	116	5,100	344	-	16	70	13	14,157	189	-	4,851	69	5,109	-	19,266	
1987	8,653	1,565	244	3,524	89	-	21	365	14	14,474	119	-	861	54	1,033	-	15,507	
1988	3,605	907	187	2,464	32	-	197	108	62	7,562	447	1	923	56	1,427	-	8,989	
1989	6,190	754	241	1,933	71	-	259	205	54	9,707	57	-	1,046	134	1,236	-	10,943	
1990	2,989	536	336	2,421	132	-	149	189	315	7,067	50	-	1,380	157	1,587	-	8,653	
1991	9,808	286	238	4,204	265	-	-	342	119	15,262	9	-	410	98	517	2	15,781	
1992	7,162	166	529	3,205	288	-	73	464	8	11,896	-	-	1,928	171	2,099	-	13,995	
1993	6,600	129	822	1,759	40	-	1	471	3	9,825	-	-	580	401	981	6	10,811	
1994	8,131	162	1,226	5,667	50	-	-	559	-	15,795	63	2	906	148	1,118	2	16,916	
1995	18,909	270	688	7,224	821	-	-	335	2	28,248	11	-	657	308	975	2	29,225	
1996	7,644	94	909	5,360	102	-	-	956	-	15,066	3,700	-	4,639	110	8,449	4	23,519	
1997	13,152	34	1,312	4,354	1,054	-	-	1,814	-	21,720	367	-	2,240	290	2,897	14	24,632	
1998	5,390	85	1,266	4,439	188	-	-	1,910	-	13,277	1	-	1,771	694	2,466	20	15,763	
1999	16,173	35	1,174	5,192	256	-	-	3,089	-	25,919	2,369	35	184	625	3,213	21	29,153	
2000	16,486	102	959	6,935	1,976	-	-	2,780	2	29,240	3,019	99	693	403	4,214	21	33,475	
2001	7,620	180	797	5,477	968	10	-	1,839	4	16,895	863	-	292	404	1,559	50	18,504	
2002	8,903	99	846	4,159	767	1	-	1,523	4	16,302	1,708	2	50	667	2,427	65	18,794	
2003	5,768	44	1,249	3,124	2,141	-	-	1,863	21	14,211	3,211	43	22	412	3,689	60	17,959	
2004	8,257	132	1,855	3,592	636	-	-	1,714	3	16,189	8,880	14	-	60	8,954	77	25,220	
2005	12,817	549	1,939	6,137	1,318	-	-	1,368	2	24,129	4,542	-	201	86	4,830	27	28,986	
2006	8,880	108	1,131	3,742	1,012	-	-	1,149	1	16,024	9,806	-	-	98	9,904	24	25,952	
2007	6,840	236	2,096	5,096	1,281	-	-	1,401	10	16,960	4,147	-	42	16	4,205	24	21,189	
2008	10,221	64	1,503	5,624	1,866	-	-	979	2	20,259	4,392	15	-	94	4,501	24	24,784	
2009	8,077	50	1,319	5,024	936	-	-	877	11	16,294	3,019	-	410	181	3,610	24	19,928	
2010	3,742	83	806	3,267	1,196	-	-	373	-	9,465	7,745	-	-	117	7,862	24	17,352	

<sup>1</sup> Source: International Scientific Committee, 11th Plenary Meeting, PBFWG workshop report on Pacific Bluefin Tuna, January 2011—Fuente: Comité Científico Internacional, 11<sup>a</sup> Reunión Plenaria, Taller PBFWG sobre Atún Aleta Azul del Pacífico, enero de 2011

**TABLE A-6a.** Annual retained catches of North Pacific albacore by region and gear, in metric tons, compiled from IATTC data (EPO) and SPC data (WCPO). The data for 2009 and 2010 are preliminary.

**TABLA A-6a.** Capturas retenidas anuales de atún albacora del Pacífico Norte por región, en toneladas métricas, compiladas de datos de la CIAT (OPO) y la SPC (WCPO). Los datos de 2009 y 2010 son preliminares.

ALB (N)	Eastern Pacific Ocean Océano Pacífico oriental					Western and central Pacific Ocean Océano Pacífico occidental y central					Total
	LL	LP	LTL	OTR	Subtotal	LL	LP	LTL	OTR	Subtotal	
1982	1,971	198	3,303	612	6,084	16,304	29,841	3,410	13,351	62,906	68,990
1983	1,572	449	7,751	94	9,866	15,014	21,256	1,833	7,582	45,685	55,551
1984	2,592	1,441	8,343	5,337	17,713	13,541	25,602	1,011	13,333	53,487	71,200
1985	1,313	877	5,308	1,218	8,716	13,468	21,335	1,163	13,729	49,695	58,411
1986	698	86	4,282	243	5,309	12,442	16,442	456	10,695	40,035	45,344
1987	1,114	320	2,300	172	3,906	14,297	18,920	570	11,337	45,124	49,030
1988	899	271	4,202	81	5,453	14,702	6,543	165	18,887	40,297	45,750
1989	952	21	1,852	161	2,986	13,584	8,662	148	19,825	42,219	45,205
1990	1,143	170	2,440	63	3,816	15,465	8,477	465	26,096	50,503	54,319
1991	1,514	834	1,783	6	4,137	16,535	6,269	201	10,792	33,797	37,934
1992	1,635	255	4,515	2	6,407	18,356	13,633	419	16,578	48,986	55,393
1993	1,772	1	4,331	25	6,129	29,371	12,796	2,417	4,087	48,671	54,800
1994	2,356	85	9,581	106	12,128	28,469	26,304	3,553	3,380	61,706	73,834
1995	1,380	465	7,308	102	9,255	31,568	20,596	3,450	1,623	57,237	66,492
1996	1,675	72	8,195	99	10,041	37,708	20,224	13,654	971	72,557	82,598
1997	1,365	59	6,056	1,019	8,499	47,000	32,252	12,618	1,717	93,587	102,086
1998	1,730	81	11,938	1,250	14,999	46,320	22,924	8,136	1,987	79,367	94,366
1999	2,701	227	10,801	3,668	17,397	44,066	50,202	3,052	7,487	104,807	122,204
2000	1,880	86	10,874	1,869	14,709	40,086	21,533	4,371	3,116	69,106	83,815
2001	1,822	157	11,570	1,638	15,187	35,303	29,412	5,168	1,364	71,247	86,434
2002	1,227	381	11,905	2,388	15,901	32,132	48,451	4,418	3,831	88,832	104,733
2003	1,126	59	17,749	2,260	21,194	31,350	36,114	4,137	924	72,525	93,719
2004	854	126	20,162	1,623	22,765	28,430	32,254	2,093	7,354	70,131	92,896
2005	582	66	13,722	1,741	16,111	31,859	16,133	345	1,442	49,779	65,890
2006	3,797	1	18,500	408	22,706	29,354	15,422	431	729	45,936	68,642
2007	2,979	21	17,962	1,416	22,378	29,035	37,768	708	5,022	72,533	94,911
2008	916	1,050	16,149	308	18,423	27,542	18,016	695	2,618	48,871	67,294
2009	518	2,218	16,218	738	19,692	28,217	31,263	618	2,029	62,127	81,819
2010	1,756	1,874	16,627	715	20,972	30,000	19,889	545	284	50,718	71,690

**TABLE A-6b.** Annual retained catches of South Pacific albacore by region, in metric tons, compiled from IATTC data (EPO) and SPC data (WCPO). The data for 2009 and 2010 are preliminary.

**TABLA A-6b.** Capturas retenidas anuales de atún albacora del Pacífico Sur por región, en toneladas métricas, compiladas de datos de la CIAT (OPO) y la SPC (WCPO). Los datos de 2009 y 2010 son preliminares.

ALB (S)	Eastern Pacific Ocean Océano Pacífico oriental				Western and central Pacific Ocean Océano Pacífico occidental y central					Total
	LL	LTL	OTR	Subtotal	LL	LP	LTL	OTR	Subtotal	
1982	6,436	-	2	6,438	21,911	1	2,434	4	24,350	30,788
1983	5,861	-	2	5,863	18,448	-	744	37	19,229	25,092
1984	4,120	-	24	4,144	16,220	2	2,773	1,565	20,560	24,704
1985	5,955	-	170	6,125	21,183	-	3,253	1,767	26,203	32,328
1986	5,752	74	149	5,975	26,889	-	1,929	1,797	30,615	36,590
1987	8,880	188	3	9,071	13,099	9	1,946	927	15,981	25,052
1988	9,035	1,282	-	10,317	19,253	-	3,014	5,283	27,550	37,867
1989	5,832	593	90	6,515	12,906	-	7,777	21,878	42,561	49,076
1990	5,393	1,336	306	7,035	13,975	245	5,639	7,232	27,091	34,126
1991	6,379	795	170	7,344	17,006	14	7,010	1,319	25,349	32,693
1992	15,445	1,205	18	16,668	15,147	11	5,373	47	20,578	37,246
1993	9,422	35	19	9,476	20,807	74	4,261	51	25,193	34,669
1994	8,034	446	22	8,502	26,084	67	6,718	67	32,936	41,438
1995	4,805	2	15	4,822	24,527	139	7,714	89	32,469	37,291
1996	5,956	94	21	6,071	17,860	30	7,285	135	25,310	31,381
1997	8,313	466	-	8,779	18,790	21	4,213	133	23,157	31,936
1998	10,905	12	-	10,917	26,886	36	6,268	85	33,275	44,192
1999	8,932	81	7	9,020	22,977	138	3,338	67	26,520	35,540
2000	7,783	778	3	8,564	26,185	102	5,491	136	31,914	40,478
2001	17,588	516	5	18,109	31,050	37	4,626	194	35,907	54,016
2002	14,062	131	40	14,233	46,528	18	4,443	110	51,099	65,332
2003	23,775	419	3	24,197	32,994	12	5,193	127	38,326	62,523
2004	17,590	331	-	17,921	40,197	110	4,200	188	44,695	62,616
2005	8,279	181	7	8,467	49,318	29	3,270	208	52,825	61,292
2006	6,815	48	119	6,982	54,607	29	2,835	207	57,678	64,660
2007	5,955	19	87	6,061	50,635	17	2,063	1	52,716	58,776
2008	5,082	-	159	5,241	51,265	12	3,502	1	54,780	60,021
2009	6,510	-	210	6,720	67,422	21	2,031	1	69,475	76,195
2010	7,667	-	246	7,913	71,205	14	2,141	*	73,360	81,217

**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 in the EPO, by purse-seine vessels. The data for 2011 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 en el OPO. Los datos de 2011 son preliminares. Los datos de los atunes aleta amarilla, barrilete, y patudo fueron ajustados a la estimación de composición por especie, y son preliminares.

Vessel capacity—Capacidad del buque	Number of sets—Número de lances		Retained catch—Captura retenida					
			Total	YFT	SKJ			
	≤363 t	>363 t						
<b>DEL</b>								
Sets on fish associated with dolphins Lances sobre peces asociados con delfines								
<b>1996</b>	14	7,472	7,486	138,295	1,760			
<b>1997</b>	43	8,977	9,020	152,052	8,149			
<b>1998</b>	0	10,645	10,645	154,200	4,992			
<b>1999</b>	0	8,648	8,648	143,128	1,705			
<b>2000</b>	0	9,235	9,235	146,533	540			
<b>2001</b>	0	9,876	9,876	238,629	1,802			
<b>2002</b>	0	12,290	12,290	301,099	3,180			
<b>2003</b>	0	13,760	13,760	265,512	13,332			
<b>2004</b>	0	11,783	11,783	177,460	10,730			
<b>2005</b>	0	12,173	12,173	166,211	12,127			
<b>2006</b>	0	8,923	8,923	91,978	4,787			
<b>2007</b>	0	8,871	8,871	97,032	3,277			
<b>2008</b>	0	9,246	9,246	122,105	8,382			
<b>2009</b>	0	10,910	10,910	178,436	2,719			
<b>2010</b>	0	11,645	11,645	168,984	1,627			
<b>2011</b>	0	9,604	9,604	134,220	5,148			
<b>OBJ</b>								
Sets on fish associated with floating objects Lances sobre peces asociados con objetos flotantes								
<b>1996</b>	1,230	3,965	5,195	28,102	69,637			
<b>1997</b>	1,699	5,610	7,309	30,255	116,802			
<b>1998</b>	1,198	5,465	6,663	26,769	110,335			
<b>1999</b>	630	4,483	5,113	43,341	181,636			
<b>2000</b>	508	3,713	4,221	42,522	121,723			
<b>2001</b>	827	5,674	6,501	67,200	122,363			
<b>2002</b>	867	5,771	6,638	38,057	116,793			
<b>2003</b>	706	5,457	6,163	30,307	181,214			
<b>2004</b>	615	4,986	5,601	28,340	117,212			
<b>2005</b>	639	4,992	5,631	26,126	133,509			
<b>2006</b>	1,158	6,862	8,020	34,313	191,093			
<b>2007</b>	1,384	5,857	7,241	29,619	122,286			
<b>2008</b>	1,819	6,655	8,474	34,819	157,274			
<b>2009</b>	1,821	7,077	8,898	36,136	157,067			
<b>2010</b>	1,788	6,399	8,187	38,113	113,716			
<b>2011</b>	2,269	6,920	9,189	39,094	178,262			

**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
	≤363 t	>363 t			
<b>NOA</b>				<b>Sets on unassociated schools</b> <b>Lances sobre cardúmenes no asociados</b>	
<b>1996</b>	5,807	5,118	10,925	72,210	32,576
<b>1997</b>	5,334	4,680	10,014	62,571	28,505
<b>1998</b>	5,700	4,607	10,307	72,990	25,304
<b>1999</b>	5,632	6,139	11,771	95,451	78,224
<b>2000</b>	5,497	5,472	10,969	64,208	83,384
<b>2001</b>	4,022	3,024	7,046	78,107	19,000
<b>2002</b>	4,938	3,442	8,380	73,130	33,573
<b>2003</b>	7,274	5,131	12,405	87,460	79,422
<b>2004</b>	4,969	5,696	10,665	66,757	69,882
<b>2005</b>	6,109	7,816	13,925	75,764	117,593
<b>2006</b>	6,189	8,443	14,632	40,340	100,388
<b>2007</b>	4,845	7,211	12,056	43,365	82,732
<b>2008</b>	4,771	6,210	10,981	28,133	130,947
<b>2009</b>	3,308	4,109	7,417	22,184	70,737
<b>2010</b>	2,252	3,886	6,138	43,912	31,849
<b>2011</b>	2,489	5,183	7,672	29,022	95,590
<b>ALL</b>				<b>Sets on all types of schools</b> <b>Lances sobre todos tipos de cardumen</b>	
<b>1996</b>	7,051	16,555	23,606	238,607	103,973
<b>1997</b>	7,076	19,267	26,343	244,878	153,456
<b>1998</b>	6,898	20,717	27,615	253,959	140,631
<b>1999</b>	6,262	19,270	25,532	281,920	261,565
<b>2000</b>	6,005	18,420	24,425	253,263	205,647
<b>2001</b>	4,849	18,574	23,423	383,936	143,165
<b>2002</b>	5,805	21,503	27,308	412,286	153,546
<b>2003</b>	7,980	24,348	32,328	383,279	273,968
<b>2004</b>	5,584	22,465	28,049	272,557	197,824
<b>2005</b>	6,748	24,981	31,729	268,101	263,229
<b>2006</b>	7,347	24,228	31,575	166,631	296,268
<b>2007</b>	6,229	21,939	28,168	170,016	208,295
<b>2008</b>	6,590	22,111	28,701	185,057	296,603
<b>2009</b>	5,129	22,096	27,225	236,756	230,523
<b>2010</b>	4,040	21,930	25,970	251,009	147,192
<b>2011</b>	4,758	21,707	26,465	202,336	279,000

**TABLE A-8.** Types of floating objects on which sets were made. The 2011 data are preliminary.

**TABLA A-8.** Tipos de objetos flotantes sobre los que se hicieron lances. Los datos de 2011 son preliminares.

OBJ	Flotsam Naturales		FADs Plantados		Unknown Desconocido		Total
	No.	%	No.	%	No.	%	
<b>1996</b>	538	13.6	3,405	85.9	22	0.6	3,965
<b>1997</b>	829	14.8	4,728	84.3	53	0.9	5,610
<b>1998</b>	751	13.7	4,612	84.4	102	1.9	5,465
<b>1999</b>	831	18.5	3,632	81.0	20	0.4	4,483
<b>2000</b>	488	13.1	3,187	85.8	38	1.0	3,713
<b>2001</b>	592	10.4	5,058	89.1	24	0.4	5,674
<b>2002</b>	778	13.5	4,966	86.1	27	0.5	5,771
<b>2003</b>	715	13.1	4,722	86.5	20	0.4	5,457
<b>2004</b>	586	11.8	4,370	87.6	30	0.6	4,986
<b>2005</b>	603	12.1	4,281	85.8	108	2.2	4,992
<b>2006</b>	697	10.2	6,123	89.2	42	0.6	6,862
<b>2007</b>	597	10.2	5,188	88.6	72	1.2	5,857
<b>2008</b>	560	8.4	6,070	91.2	25	0.4	6,655
<b>2009</b>	322	4.5	6,728	95.1	27	0.4	7,077
<b>2010</b>	337	5.3	6,038	94.3	24	0.4	6,399
<b>2011</b>	562	8.1	6,342	91.6	16	0.2	6,920

**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		PYF		TWN		USA		OTR <sup>1</sup>
	E	C	E	C	E	C	E	C	E	C	E	C	C
1982	-	-	116,210	61,369	18,608	7,489	-	-	8,117	3,910	-	-	-
1983	-	-	127,177	69,563	14,680	6,478	-	-	4,850	2,311	-	-	49
1984	-	-	119,628	57,262	11,770	4,490	-	-	3,730	1,734	-	-	-
1985	-	-	106,761	74,347	19,799	10,508	-	-	3,126	1,979	-	-	2
1986	-	-	160,572	111,673	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	82,384	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	88	33,025	14,142	325	106	128
1993	-	-	159,956	87,976	46,375	12,843	153	80	18,064	6,566	415	81	227
1994	-	-	163,999	92,606	44,788	13,249	1,373	574	12,588	4,883	303	26	523
1995	-	-	129,599	69,435	54,979	12,778	1,776	559	2,910	1,639	828	179	562
1996	-	-	103,649	52,298	40,290	14,120	2,087	931	5,830	3,554	510	181	184
1997	-	-	96,385	59,325	30,493	16,663	3,464	1,941	8,720	5,673	464	216	752
1998	-	-	106,568	50,167	51,817	15,089	4,724	2,858	10,586	5,039	1,008	405	1,176
1999	-	-	80,950	32,886	54,269	13,295	5,512	4,446	23,247	7,865	1,756	470	1,156
2000	-	-	79,327	45,216	33,585	18,758	8,090	4,382	18,152	7,809	736	204	4,868
2001	13,054	5,162	102,220	54,775	72,261	18,200	7,445	5,086	41,926	20,060	1,438	238	15,614
2002	34,894	10,398	103,912	45,401	96,273	14,370	943	3,238	78,024	31,773	611	138	10,258
2003	43,290	14,548	101,236	36,187	71,006	15,551	11,098	4,101	74,456	28,328	1,313	262	11,595
2004	15,886	4,033	76,828	30,937	55,861	14,540	13,757	3,030	49,981	19,535	1,047	166	9,194
2005	16,895	3,681	65,085	25,712	15,798	12,284	13,356	2,514	38,542	12,229	2,397	557	5,442
2006	*	969	56,525	21,432	*	8,752	11,786	3,220	38,139	12,375	234	121	6,792
2007	12,229	2,624	45,970	20,515	10,548	6,037	9,672	3,753	22,243	9,498	2,686	436	3,731
2008	11,519	2,984	44,555	21,375	4,394	4,302	10,255	3,017	12,547	4,198	6,322	1,369	3,207
2009	*	2,481	41,798	21,698	22,316	8,920	10,686	4,032	13,033	6,366	5,145	852	3,178
2010	11,900	3,590	47,094	20,788	29,356	10,377	8,976	3,139	19,579	10,396	8,823	1,478	2,247

<sup>1</sup> Includes the catches of—Incluye las capturas de: Belize, Chile, Costa Rica, Ecuador, El Salvador, Guatemala, Honduras, México, Nicaragua, Panamá, Vanuatu

**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 2011 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 2011 son preliminares.

	PS		LP		Total	
	No.	Vol. (m <sup>3</sup> )	No.	Vol. (m <sup>3</sup> )	No.	Vol. (m <sup>3</sup> )
<b>1982</b>	222	177,643	40	3,016	262	180,659
<b>1983</b>	211	143,859	59	3,829	270	147,688
<b>1984</b>	164	118,964	49	3,499	213	122,463
<b>1985</b>	176	136,845	26	2,595	202	139,440
<b>1986</b>	165	130,530	17	2,066	182	132,596
<b>1987</b>	173	148,713	29	2,383	202	151,096
<b>1988</b>	185	154,845	39	3,352	224	158,197
<b>1989</b>	176	141,956	32	3,181	208	145,137
<b>1990</b>	172	143,877	23	1,975	195	145,852
<b>1991</b>	152	124,062	22	1,997	174	126,059
<b>1992</b>	158	116,619	20	1,807	178	118,426
<b>1993</b>	151	117,593	15	1,550	166	119,143
<b>1994</b>	166	120,726	20	1,726	186	122,452
<b>1995</b>	175	123,798	20	1,784	195	125,582
<b>1996</b>	180	130,774	17	1,646	197	132,420
<b>1997</b>	194	147,926	23	2,127	217	150,053
<b>1998</b>	202	164,956	22	2,216	224	167,172
<b>1999</b>	209	179,999	14	1,642	223	181,641
<b>2000</b>	205	180,679	12	1,220	217	181,899
<b>2001</b>	204	189,088	10	1,259	214	190,347
<b>2002</b>	218	199,870	6	921	224	200,791
<b>2003</b>	214	202,381	3	338	217	202,719
<b>2004</b>	218	206,473	3	338	221	206,811
<b>2005</b>	221	213,144	4	498	225	213,642
<b>2006</b>	225	225,166	4	498	229	225,664
<b>2007</b>	228	225,901	4	380	232	226,281
<b>2008</b>	219	223,804	4	380	223	224,184
<b>2009</b>	217	224,296	4	380	221	224,676
<b>2010</b>	201	209,870	3	255	204	210,125
<b>2011</b>	206	213,008	2	143	208	213,151

**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 2010, 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 2010, 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 <sup>3</sup> )					Total	
		<401	401-800	801-1300	1301-1800	>1800	No.	Vol. (m <sup>3</sup> )
		Number—Número						
BOL	PS	1	-	-	-	-	1	222
COL	PS	2	2	7	3	-	14	14,860
ECU	PS	34	25	13	4	9	85	60,685
ESP	PS	-	-	-	-	4	4	10,116
GTM	PS	-	-	1	1	1	3	4,819
HND	PS	-	1	1	-	-	2	1,559
MEX	PS	3	3	18	15	-	39	45,224
	LP	3	-	-	-	-	3	255
NIC	PS	-	-	4	1	-	5	6,353
PAN	PS	-	3	8	10	3	24	32,599
PER	PS	-	1	-	-	-	1	458
SLV	PS	-	-	1	-	3	4	7,415
VEN	PS	-	-	9	8	-	17	22,747
VUT	PS	-	-	1	2	-	3	3,609
Grand total—	PS	40	34	63	44	20	201	
Total general	LP	3	-	-	-	-	3	
	PS + LP	43	34	63	44	20	204	
Well volume—Volumen de bodega (m <sup>3</sup> )								
Grand total—	PS	10,761	19,638	70,679	65,556	43,236		209,870
Total general	LP	255	-	-	-	-		255
	PS + LP	11,016	19,638	70,679	65,556	43,236		210,125

- : 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 2011 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 2011, 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 <sup>3</sup> )					Total	
		<401	401-800	801-1300	1301-1800	>1800	No.	Vol. (m <sup>3</sup> )
		Number—Número						
BOL	PS	1	-	-	-	-	1	222
COL	PS	2	2	7	3	-	14	14,860
ECU	PS	36	28	17	6	9	96	70,014
ESP	PS	-	-	-	-	4	4	10,116
GTM	PS	-	-	1	1	1	3	4,819
MEX	PS	3	3	20	15	-	41	47,274
	LP	2	-	-	-	-	2	143
NIC	PS	-	-	4	3	-	7	9,685
PAN	PS	-	3	7	6	3	19	25,443
SLV	PS	-	-	-	1	3	4	7,892
USA	PS	-	-	2	1	-	3	4,046
VEN	PS	-	-	10	8	-	18	24,007
VUT	PS	-	-	1	2	-	3	3,609
Grand total—	PS	42	36	65	43	20	206	
Total general	LP	2	-	-	-	-	2	
	PS + LP	44	36	65	43	20	208	
Well volume—Volumen de bodega (m <sup>3</sup> )								
Grand total—	PS	11,031	21,562	73,042	64,137	43,236		213,008
Total general	LP	143	-	-	-	-		143
	PS + LP	11,174	21,562	73,042	64,137	43,236		213,151

- : 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 2001-2010 and in 2011, 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 2001-2010 y en 2011 por mes.

Month Mes	2001-2010			2011
	Min	Max	Ave.-Prom.	
1	100.7	157.7	126.6	88.6
2	106.4	175.3	146.2	152.5
3	101.2	159.9	138.1	135.4
4	110.8	165.0	144.5	145.9
5	115.8	164.4	143.8	139.8
6	110.7	175.0	145.4	157.4
7	116.4	170.4	151.3	154.1
8	62.2	140.2	108.6	108.0
9	107.0	137.7	121.0	105.5
10	121.6	172.2	153.1	150.7
11	109.8	150.8	131.6	102.9
12	39.1	116.4	73.2	54.3
<b>Ave.-Prom.</b>	<b>100.1</b>	<b>157.1</b>	<b>132.0</b>	<b>124.6</b>