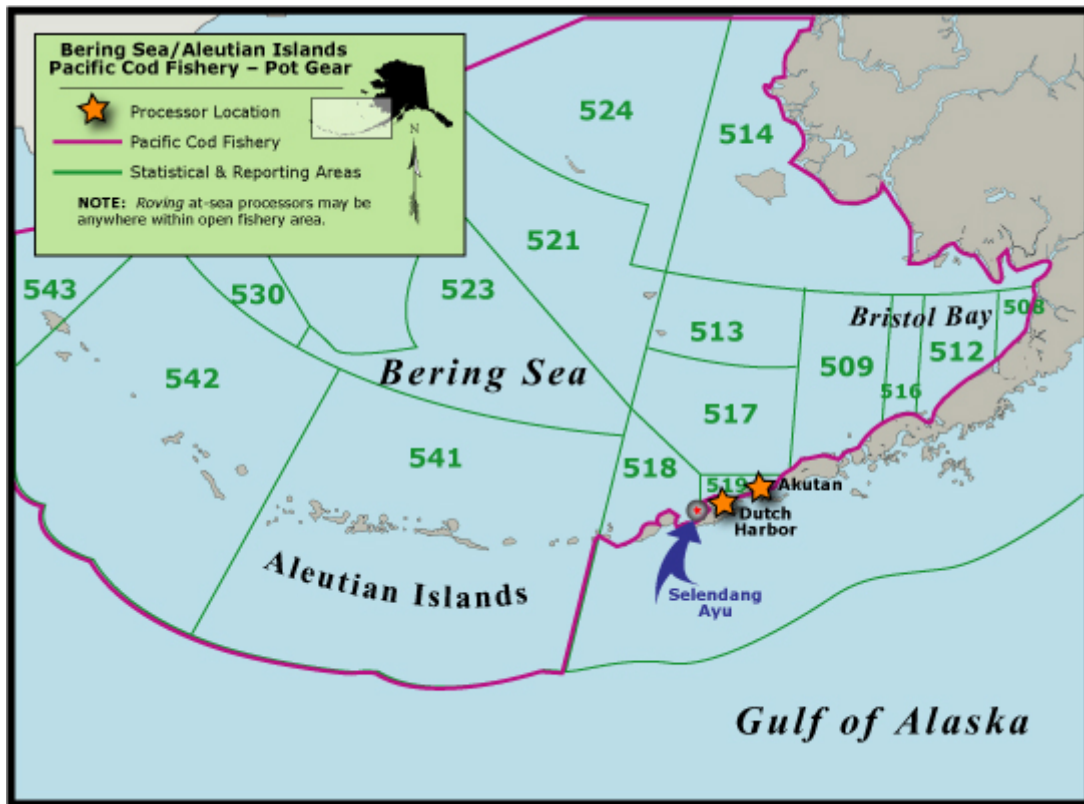


Bering Sea/Aleutians Pacific Cod Fishery – Pot Gear



Fish Species	<i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>	Location of Fishery	Bering Sea/Aleutian Islands, including Bogoslof exemption area
Harvest Level	2005 TAC is 206,000 mt (quota is shared with trawl fleet)	Number of Vessels	35-50
Registration	Federal permit required http://www.fakr.noaa.gov/rm/ffpfpp.htm	Sea water Circulation	RSW. Some boats use ice in hold instead of seawater.
Open Date	1/1/05 but fishing doesn't usually start in earnest until close of snow crab	Management Agency	NMFS
Close date	Closed in phases from 2/12/05 – 3/10/05 based on gear/vessel specifications	Gear Type	Pot, hook & line, trawl
Processors	Dutch Harbor, Akutan and at-sea	Transit Route	Dutch Harbor east to fishing grounds.
2005 Fishery Status	Closures to inshore waters - Skan & Makushin Bays by ADFG 12/27/04		

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