



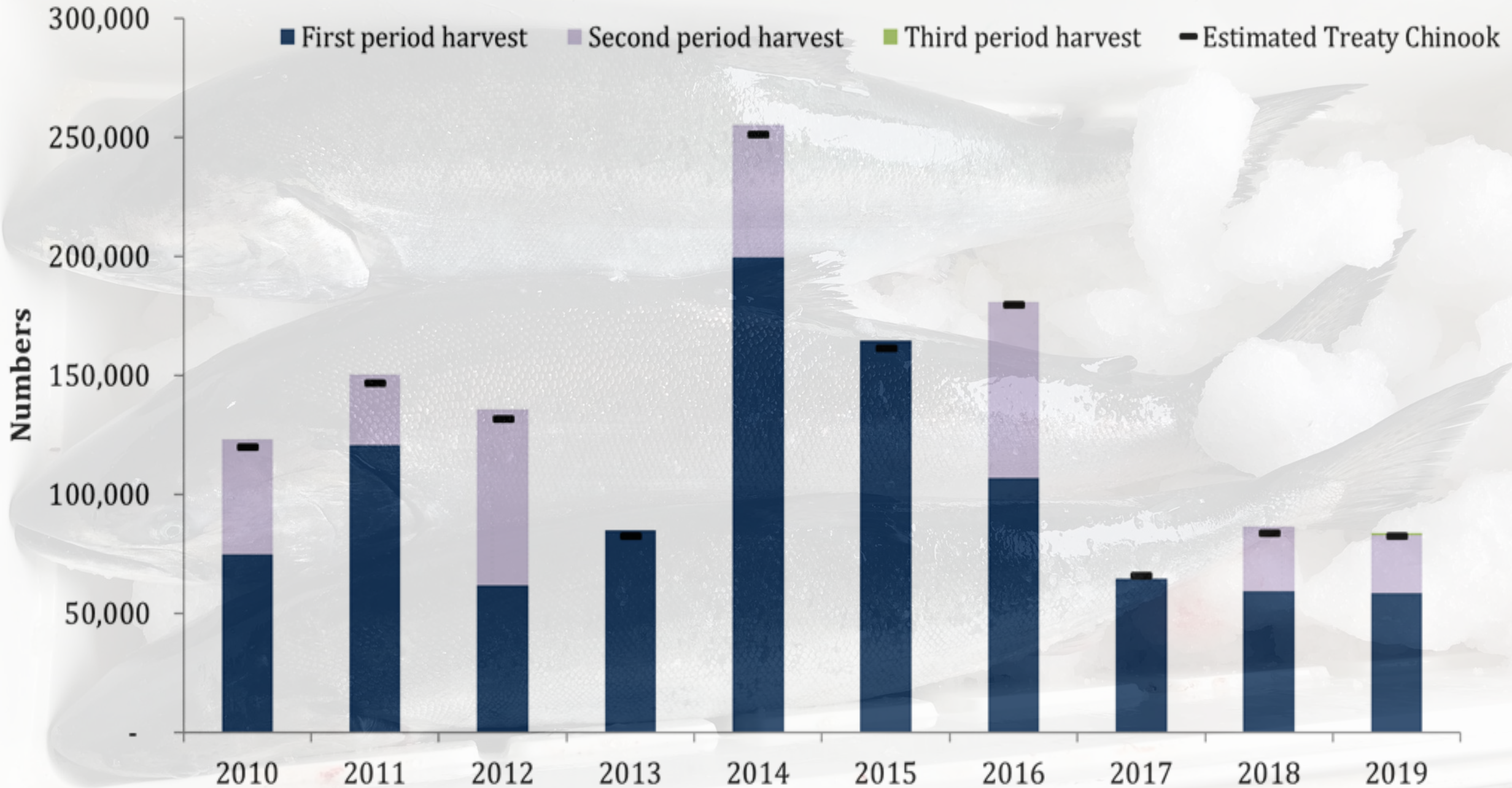
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Report to the NPFMC

Agenda item B-5

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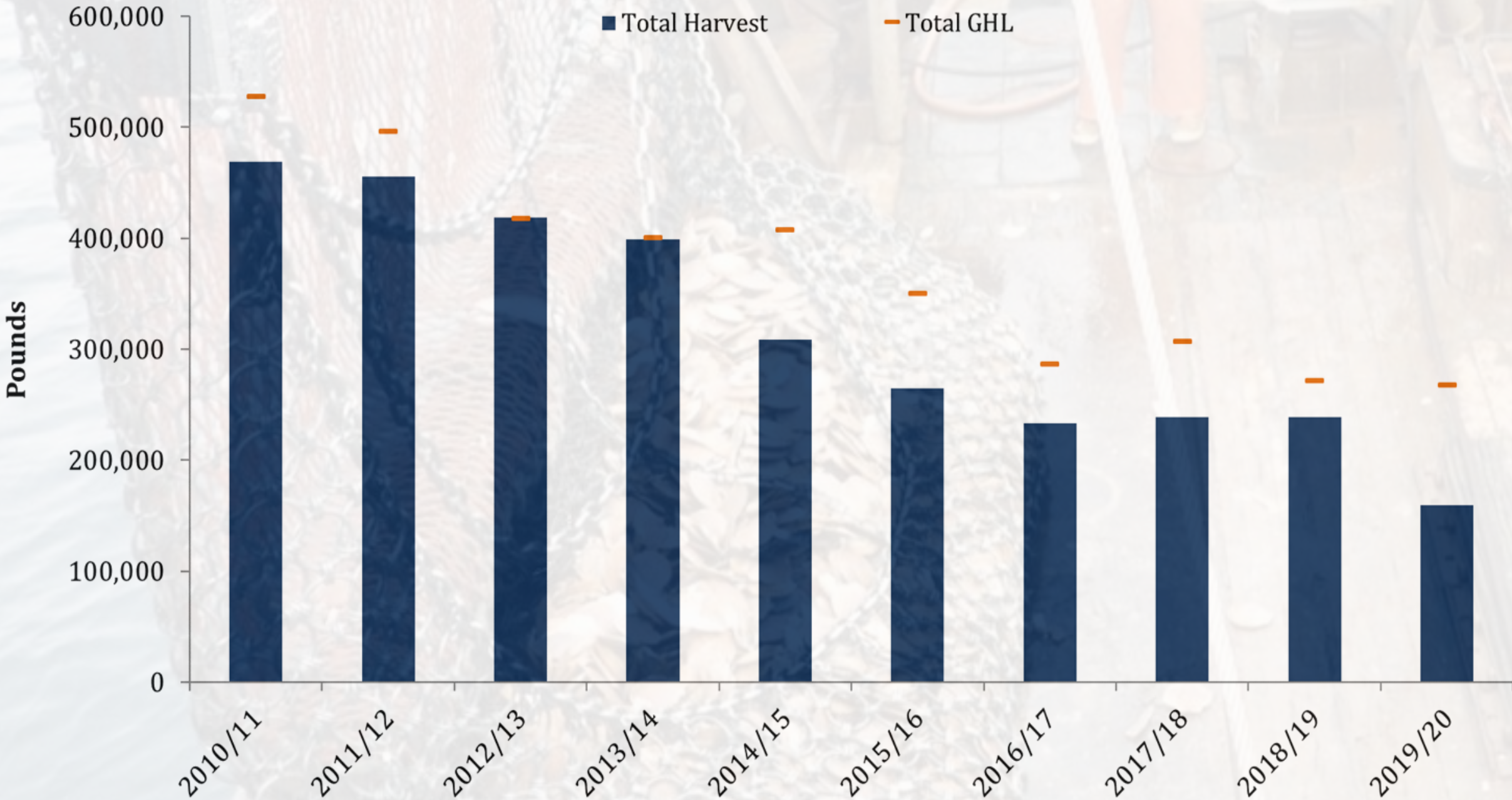
Southeast Alaska Summer Troll Chinook Harvest



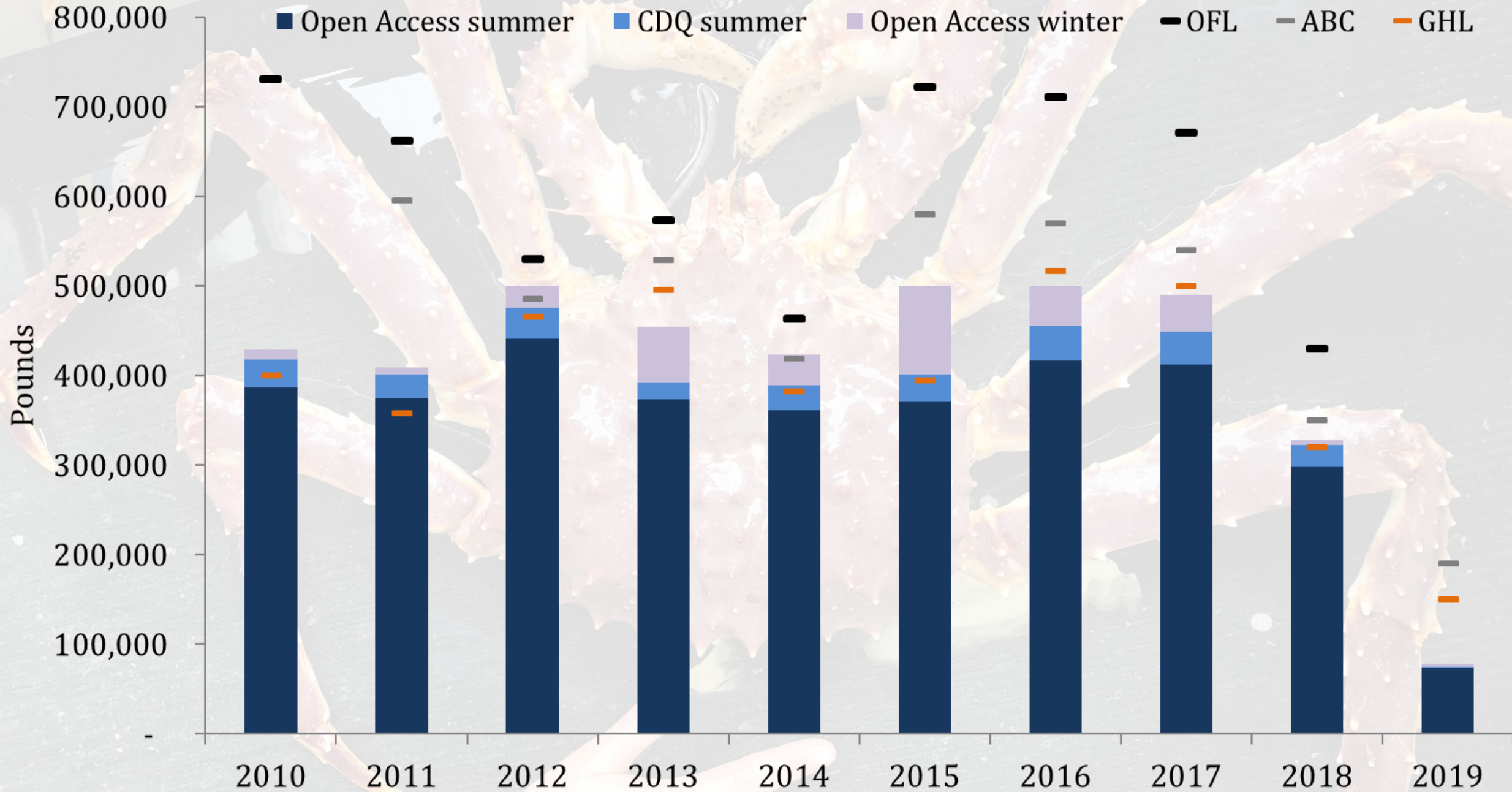
2019/20 Alaska Weathervane Scallop Guideline Harvest and Crab Bycatch Levels

Registration Area	District/Management Unit	GHL (pounds of shucked meat)	Bycatch Limits (number of crab)	
			Tanner Crab	King Crab
Yakutat		155,000	N/A	N/A
Prince William Sound	East Kayak Subsection	<i>Closed for the 2019/20 season</i>	N/A	N/A
	West Kayak Subsection	<i>Closed for the 2019/20 season</i>	N/A	N/A
Cook Inlet	Kamishak Bay District	<i>Closed for the 2019/20 season</i>	N/A	N/A
Kodiak	Northeast District	15,000	9,000	25
	Shelikof District	20,000	10,000	25
	Southwest District	35,000	17,500	25
	Southeast District	15,000	9,000	25
	Semidi Islands District ¹	<i>Exploratory Area (Commissioner's Permit)</i>		
Alaska Peninsula	160° to 161° W. long	7,500	3,750	25
	Unimak Bight ¹	7,500	7,500	25
Dutch Harbor	Bering Sea waters	5,000	5,000	10
	Pacific Ocean waters	<i>Closed for the 2019/20 season</i>	N/A	N/A
Bering Sea		7,500	65,000	500
			<i>C. opilio & hybrids</i>	
			300,000	
¹ Commissioner's Permit required to harvest scallops in these areas.				

Statewide Scallop Harvest

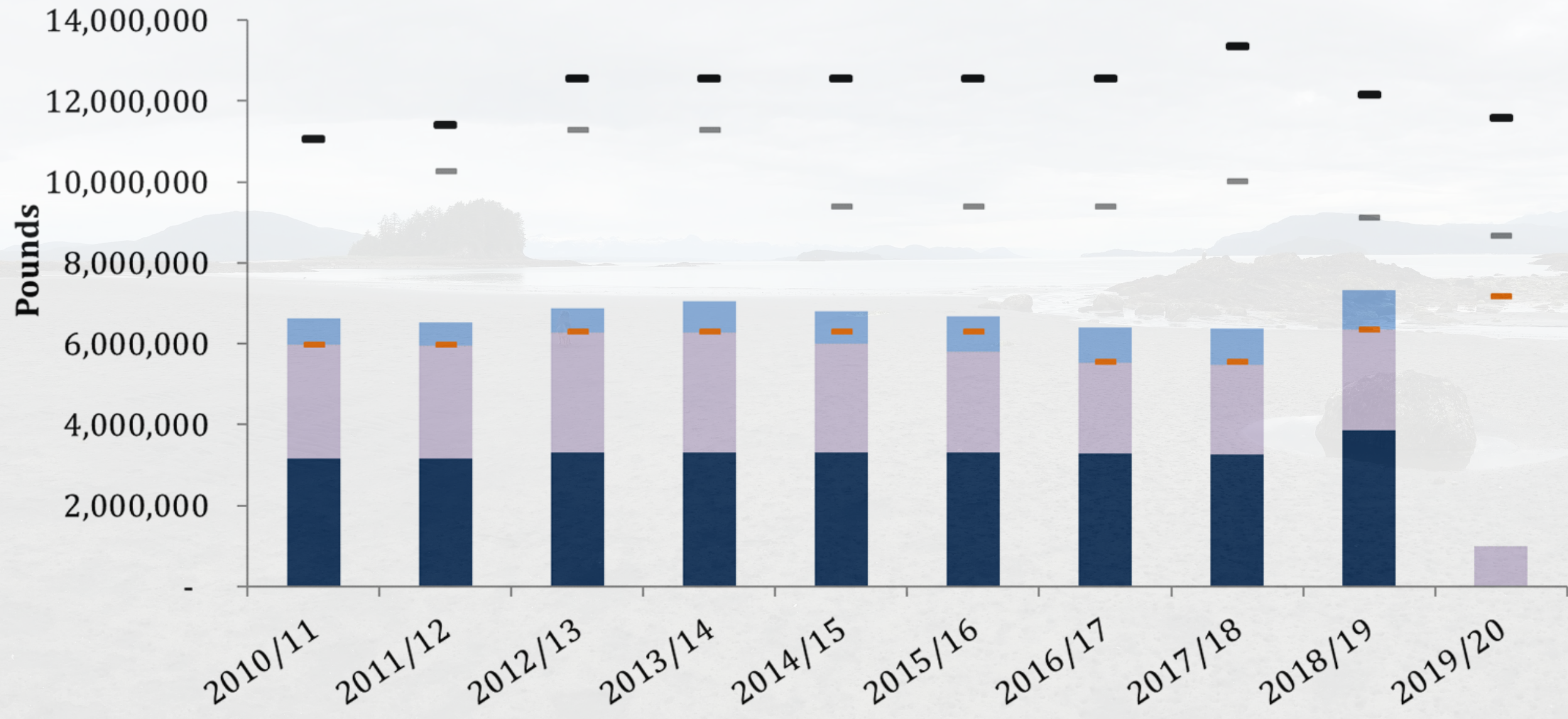


Norton Sound open access, winter and CDQ fishery



Aleutian Islands Golden King Crab

■ East IFQ/CDQ (catch) ■ West IFQ/ACA ■ Other removals ■ TAC ■ ABC ■ OFL



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Work Session: October 23-24, 2019 in Anchorage

ACR 6 Close Aleutian Islands waters west of 174° W long to trawl vessels >100 feet using nonpelagic trawl gear.

ACR 7 Change the Aleutian Islands state-waters fishery registration requirement from nonexclusive to exclusive.

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Lower Cook Inlet Groundfish: December 10-13, 2020 in Seward

PROPOSAL 42 Clarify possession and landing requirements for the parallel Pacific cod fishery in the Cook Inlet Area (ADF&G).

Kodiak Groundfish: January 11-14, 2020 in Kodiak

PROPOSAL 49 Create a state-waters Kodiak Area commercial sablefish fishery.

PROPOSAL 52 Increase the percentage of Central Gulf of Alaska (CGOA) Pacific cod ABC used to establish the Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod GHL from 12.5% to 17.5%.

PROPOSAL 53 Add unharvested Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod jig gear quota to the Kodiak Area state-waters Pacific cod pot gear GHL allocation the following calendar year.

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Statewide King and Tanner: March 7-11, 2020 in Anchorage

PROPOSAL 261 Adopt a new Bering Sea Tanner crab harvest strategy.

PROPOSAL 262 Modify the Bering Sea *C. opilio* harvest strategy definition of “exploited legal males”.

PROPOSAL 263 Allow retention of incidentally harvested Bering Sea District *C. bairdi* during directed a *C. opilio* season.

PROPOSAL 265 Update Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands crab registration regulations.

PROPOSAL 266 Change the season dates for the Registration Area O golden king crab fishery from July 15 – April 30 to March 1 – October 31.

PROPOSAL 268 Allow gear transfers to be authorized by electronic mail.

PROPOSAL 271 Specify marine safety requirements for fishing vessels carrying observers.

PROPOSAL 273 Amend the season dates for king crab in the Northern Norton Sound Section.

Questions?

