

Table 1. SSC recommendations for three crab stocks (8-10) for 2016/17. Dark shaded fill indicates parameters not applicable for that tier. Light shaded sections are to be filled out for the final SAFE in September 2016. Values are in thousand metric tons (kt).

Chapter	Stock	Status Tier (a,b,c)	FOFL	B _{MSY} or B _{MSYproxy}	Years ¹ (biomass or catch)	2016/17 ^{2,3} MMB	2016 MMB / MMB _{MSY}	γ	Mortality (M)	2016/17 OFL	2016/17 ABC	ABC Buffer
1	EBS snow crab											
2	BB red king crab											
3	EBS Tanner crab											
4	Pribilof Islands red king crab											
5	Pribilof Islands blue king crab											
6	St. Matthew Island blue king crab											
7	Norton Sound red king crab											
8	AI golden king crab	5			See intro chapter					5.69	4.27	25%
9	Pribilof Islands golden king crab	5			See intro chapter					0.09	0.07	25%
10	Western AI red king crab	5			1995/96–2007/08					0.06	0.03	40%

¹ For Tiers 3 and 4 where B_{MSY} or B_{MSYproxy} is estimable, the years refer to the time period over which the estimate is made. For Tier 5 stocks it is the years upon which the catch average for OFL is obtained.

² MMB as projected for 2/15/2017 at time of mating.

³ Model mature biomass on 7/1/2016

Table 2. Maximum permissible ABCs for 2016/17 and SSC recommended ABCs for three stocks where the SSC recommendation is below the maximum permissible ABC, as defined by Amendment 38 to the Crab FMP. Values are in thousand metric tons (kt).

Stock	Tier	2016/17 <i>MaxABC</i>	2016/17 ABC
EBS Snow Crab			
Bristol Bay RKC			
Tanner Crab			
Pribilof Islands RKC			
Pribilof Islands BKC			
Saint Matthew BKC			
Norton Sound RKC			
Aleutian Islands GKC	5	5.12	4.27
Pribilof Islands GKC ¹	5	0.08	0.07
Western Aleutian Islands RKC	5	0.05	0.03

¹ For Pribilof Islands golden king crab, this is for the 2017 calendar year instead of the 2016-2017 crab fishing year.