

**Table 15**

Frequency of occurrence (FO) of eggs collected by bongo and neuston gear in the Gulf of Alaska and Bering Sea and off the U.S. west coast. Bolded taxa listed under the west coast heading are not collected farther north.

Gulf of Alaska and Bering Sea		West Coast (WA, OR, CA)	
Taxon	% FO	Taxon	% FO
<i>Gadus chalcogrammus</i>	46.08	<i>Trachipterus altivelis</i>	34.18
<i>Hippoglossoides elassodon</i>	34.93	<i>Icichthys lockingtoni</i>	24.10
<i>Glyptocephalus zachirus</i>	13.13	Paralichthyidae	17.44
<i>Microstomus pacificus</i>	11.00	Bathylagidae	14.72
<i>Pleuronectes quadrituberculatus</i>	6.98	<i>Chauliodus macouni</i>	14.55
<i>Limanda</i> spp.	3.35	<i>Microstomus pacificus</i>	13.80
<i>Platichthys stellatus</i>	2.34	<i>Lyopsetta exilis</i>	13.15
<i>Hippoglossoides</i> spp.	2.26	<i>Glyptocephalus zachirus</i>	11.35
<i>Leuroglossus schmidti</i>	2.08	<i>Icosteus aenigmaticus</i>	10.87
Macrouridae	1.86	Pleuronectidae	10.65
<i>Embassichthys bathybius</i>	1.69	<i>Bathylagus</i> spp.	9.47
<i>Parophrys vetulus</i>	0.86	<i>Citharichthys</i> spp.	7.49
<i>Boreogadus saida</i>	0.83	<i>Psettichthys melanostictus</i>	4.29
<i>Limanda aspera</i>	0.80	<b><i>Bathylagus ochotensis</i></b>	<b>3.64</b>
<i>Isopsetta isolepis</i>	0.70	<i>Parophrys vetulus</i>	3.29
<i>Atheresthes stomias</i>	0.40	<b><i>Engraulis mordax</i></b>	<b>2.28</b>
<i>Hippoglossus stenolepis</i>	0.37	<i>Tactostoma macropus</i>	2.23
<i>Icosteus aenigmaticus</i>	0.32	<i>Pleuronichthys decurrens</i>	2.02
<i>Sebastolobus</i> spp.	0.27	<i>Isopsetta isolepis</i>	1.80
<i>Anoplopoma fimbria</i>	0.25	<i>Merluccius productus</i>	1.58
<i>Gadus macrocephalus</i>	0.18	<i>Nansenia candida</i>	1.23
<i>Psettichthys melanostictus</i>	0.17	<i>Platichthys stellatus</i>	1.18
<i>Reinhardtius hippoglossoides</i>	0.16	<i>Sebastolobus</i> spp.	1.10
<i>Hippoglossoides robustus</i>	0.12	<i>Embassichthys bathybius</i>	0.92
<i>Lyopsetta exilis</i>	0.12	<i>Cololabis saira</i>	0.92
<i>Bathylagus pacificus</i>	0.10	Argentinidae	0.79
Bathylagidae	0.08	<b><i>Tetragonurus cuvieri</i></b>	<b>0.74</b>
<i>Trachipterus altivelis</i>	0.05	<i>Gadus chalcogrammus</i>	0.48
<i>Chauliodus macouni</i>	0.03	<b><i>Nansenia crassa</i></b>	<b>0.48</b>
<i>Icichthys lockingtoni</i>	0.03	Macrouridae	0.39
<i>Clupea pallasii</i>	0.03	<i>Pleuronichthys coenosus</i>	0.39
<i>Nansenia candida</i>	0.01	<i>Hippoglossus stenolepis</i>	0.35
<i>Tactostoma macropus</i>	0.01	<i>Hippoglossoides elassodon</i>	0.35
<i>Cololabis saira</i>	0.01	<i>Bathylagus pacificus</i>	0.35
<i>Merluccius productus</i>	0.01	Trachipteridae	0.31
Trachipteridae	0.01	<i>Anoplopoma fimbria</i>	0.18
Clupeidae	0.01	<b><i>Microstoma</i> sp.</b>	<b>0.18</b>
Scomberesocidae	0.01	<b><i>Trachurus symmetricus</i></b>	<b>0.13</b>
<i>Bathylagus</i> spp.	0.01	<b><i>Pleuronichthys verticalis</i></b>	<b>0.04</b>
<i>Citharichthys</i> spp.	0.01	<b><i>Argentina sialis</i></b>	<b>0.04</b>
<i>Pleuronichthys decurrens</i>	0.01	<b>Gonostomatidae</b>	<b>0.04</b>
<i>Pleuronichthys coenosus</i>	0.01	<b><i>Bathylagus wesethi</i></b>	<b>0.04</b>