20. Assessment of the Shark stock complex in the Bering Sea and Aleutian Islands

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[NOTE: In accordance with the approved schedule, no assessment was conducted for this stock this year, however, a full stock assessment will be conducted in 2018. Until then, the values generated from the previous stock assessment (below) will be rolled over for 2018 specifications]

Summary of Results

ABC and OFL calculations and Tier 6 recommendations for 2017 – 2018. OFL = maximum shark catch from 2003 – 2015. ABC = OFL*0.75.

	As estimated or *specified last* year for:		As estimated or *recommended this* year for:	
Quantity	2016	2017	2017	2018
Tier	6	6	6	6
OFL (t)	1,363	1,363	**689**	689
maxABC (t)	1,022	1,022	517	517
ABC (t)	1,022	1,022	**517**	517
	As determined *last* year for:		As determined *this* year for:	
Status	2014	2015	2015	2016
Overfishing	No	n/a	No	n/a