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Tables of the latest catch/effort estimates relevant to CMM 2008-01

Table 1. Purse seine days fished in waters under national jurisdiction and in International waters in the WCPFC-CA between 20°N and 20°S.

					Av. 2001-	CMM 2008-						
EEZ	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004	01	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
COOK ISLANDS	46	231	8	6	73	73	2	8	3	30	45	24
FIJI	12	5	10	28	14	28	36	6	6	23	12	26
FRANCE (FRENCH POLYNESIA)	0	2	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
FRANCE (WALLIS AND FUTUNA)	5	3	4	0	3	3	4	0	0	6	6	1
INDONESIA	4,276	4,327	5,001	6,514	5,030	6,514	6,543	6,706	6,453	6,885	6,546	6,856
NIUE	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
PHILIPPINES	3,623	3,870	5 , 389	5 , 596	4,620	5,596	5 , 226	5 , 215	5,749	6,934	5,038	3 , 337
SAMOA	7	12	3	4	7	7	3	1	3	7	9	2
TOKELAU	99	400	27	68	149	149	128	34	49	138	218	146
TONGA	2	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
USA	350	486	238	299	343	343	140	202	110	65	139	66
VANUATU	2	2	0	23	7	23	1	0	0	14	1	0
PNA EEZs - excl. AWs	24,902	27,170	29,297	30,644	28,003	30,644	32,112	31,677	30,691	32,396	32,055	43,580
PNA EEZs - AW only	2,416	2,217	3 , 563	3,127	2,831		4,612	3,909	5,494	5,707	6,427	6,091
PNA EEZs - TOTAL	27,318	29,387	32,860	33,771	30,834		36,724	35,586	36,185	38,103	38,499	49,679
TOTAL EEZs - excl. AWs	33,324	36,508	39 , 978	43,183	38,248	43,183	44,196	43,849	43,064	46,498	44,069	54,041
TOTAL EEZs - excl. AWs and ID/PH	25 , 425	28,311	29,588	31 , 073	28,599	31,073	32,427	31,928	30,862	32,679	32,485	43,848
TOTAL EEZs (incl. Aws)	35,740	38,725	43,541	46,310	41,079	46,310	48,808	47,758	48,558	52,205	50,513	60,140
TOTAL INT. WATERS	7,276	8,083	8,112	10,104			8,700	6,666	7,740	9,013	10,788	2,059
TOTAL (EEZs + IW)	43,016	46,808	51,653	56,414			57,508	54,424	56,298	61,218	61,301	62,199
TOTAL minus ID/PH	34,617	38,111	40,763	43,804		-	45,239	42,003	43,596	46,899	49,217	51,506

TABLE 1 -- Notes:

- 1. Source: Raised logsheet data.
- 2. The column labeled "CMM-2008-01" does not take into account paragraphs 6 and 7, and footnote 2 of CMM 2008-01
- 3. Catches and effort of vessels operating under charters and similar arrangements have been attributed to host island states or territories in accordance with paragraph 2 of CMM 2008-01 using the best information available to SPC-OFP. However, in several cases, catches have not yet been attributed to the CCM responsible for the "charter or similar arrangements" since the flag state CCM has yet to advise that it has excluded these catches from their data (and thereby avoid double-counting).
- 4. Purse-seine days for Indonesia and the Philippines have been estimated according to Appendix A in the SC4 Statistics SWG Working paper WP-4 (Data relating to purse-seine effort on the high seas and in the zones of non-PNA member CCMs).
- 5. The definition of days effort in this table may differ from the definition of days used in the PNA Vessel Day Scheme (VDS)
- 6. The Total International waters effort does not includes estimates of effort for the Philippines domestic fleet at this stage (refer to note on the Philippines in Table 2(b)).

Table 2(a). Purse seine days fished in international waters in the WCPFC-CA between 20°N and 20°S, by flag, based on available operational data.

PURSE SEINE DAYS FISHED INTERNATIONAL WATERS 20°N-20°S

					Av.							
					2001-	CMM						
Flag	2001	2002	2003	2004	2004	2008-01	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
CHINA	95	126	151	428	200	428	506	231	335	259	1,094	21
CHINESE TAIPEI	1,969	1,865	1,487	1,913	1,809	1,913	1,262	1,244	1,504	1,340	1,364	96
ECUADOR	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	50	151	39	0
EL SALVADOR	20	39	3	0	16	16	0	0	103	120	85	64
EUROPEAN UNION	38	63	86	103	73	103	30	315	172	274	204	165
FSM	240	240	176	383	260	383	222	86	167	124	334	6
INDONESIA	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500	500
JAPAN	1,374	1,274	1,756	1,859	1,566	1,859	1,844	1,552	1,260	1,785	2,160	130
KIRIBATI	40	51	40	35	42	42	46	53	22	19	191	169
MARSHALL ISLANDS	173	208	434	398	303	398	400	154	154	284	168	81
NEW ZEALAND	23	332	346	210	228	346	98	289	207	196	211	46
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	382	576	582	1,123	666	1,123	1,241	404	670	592	798	73
PHILIPPINES	13	55	436	452	239	452	311	150	26	73	20	2
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	1,311	1,285	1,159	1,245	1,250	1,250	1,076	742	1,398	1,515	1,722	209
SOLOMON ISLANDS	31	37	0	0	17	17	17	15	5	0	0	0
TUVALU	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	29	4
USA	970	1,332	861	987	1,038	1,038	769	532	795	1,566	1,769	455
VANUATU	66	164	184	572	247	572	377	399	372	215	101	37
TOTAL	7,245	8,147	8,201	10,208	8,450	10,439	8,699	6,666	7,740	9,013	10,789	2,058

TABLE 2(a) -- Notes:

- 1. Source: Raised logsheet data. 2010 data are provisional.
- 2. The column labeled "CMM-2008-01" does not take into account paragraphs 6 and 7, and footnote 2 of CMM 2008-01
- 3. Catches and effort of vessels operating under charters and similar arrangements have been attributed to host island states or territories in accordance with paragraph 2 of CMM 2008-01 using the best information available to SPC-OFP. However, in several cases, catches have not yet been attributed to the CCM responsible for the "charter or similar arrangements" since the flag state CCM has yet to advise that it has excluded these catches from their data (and thereby avoid double-counting).
- 4. Purse-seine days for Indonesia have been arbitrarily assigned 500 days for high seas according to Appendix A in the SC4 Statistics SWG Working paper WP-4 (Data relating to purse-seine effort on the high seas and in the zones of non-PNA member CCMs)
- 5. VMS-based estimates for the European Union (EU) were provided by email subsequent to SC4, and 1 degree square aggregate fishing data were provided in December 2008. The aggregate catch and effort data were used as the basis for EU estimates in this table to provide consistency with the other flag estimates also based on operational or 1 degree square aggregate fishing data.
- 6. The New Zealand purse seine fleet are covered by the reference in footnote 2 in paragraph 10 of CMM2008-01, and the days in Table 2 of CMM 2008-01. Using this footnote, New Zealand can use the days from 2003.
- 7. The International waters effort for the Philippines domestic fleet is not included since effort for years oter than 2004 are not available (refer to note on the Philippines in Table 2(b)).

Table 2(b). Limit estimates for the high seas and the zones of non-PNA CCMs (and non-WCPFC members) established by CMM-2008-01 between 20°N and 20°S average vessel days 2001-2004 or 2004)

	Vessel days								
•	National	Waters	High Seas (Pockets 1 &2)	High Seas	(remainder)			
Entity	2004	2001-2004	2004	2001-2004	2004	2001-2004	SEE NOTE		
AMERICAN SAMOA	-	-	-	-	-	-			
AUSTRALIA	-	-	-	-	-	-			
CANADA	-	-	-	-	-	-			
CHINA	-	-	393	190	34	10			
CHINESE TAIPEI	-	-	1,836	1,459	77	349			
CNMI		-	-	-	-	-			
COOK ISLANDS	6	73	-	-	-	-	-		
ECUADOR	-	-	-	-	12	4	(1)		
EL SALVADOR	-	-	-	-	-	16	_		
EC-SPAIN	-	-	-	-	103	73	(2)		
FIJI	29	14	-	-	-	-			
FRENCH POLYNESIA	-	2	-	-	-	-			
FSM	-	-	343	213	40	47			
GUAM	-	-	-	-	-	-			
INDONESIA	6,363	-	500	-	-	- 1	(3)		
JAPAN	-	-	1,715	1,396	144	171	(4)		
KIRIBATI	-	- [32	40	3	2			
KOREA	-	-	1,531	1,343	10	228	(5)		
MARSHALL ISLANDS	-	-	140	125	258	178	. ,		
NAURU	-	-	-	_	-	-			
NEW CALEDONIA	_	_	-	_	-	-			
NEW ZEALAND	_	_	137	247	73	96	(6)		
NIUE	_	_			-	-			
PALAU	_	_	_	_	_	_			
PHILIPPINES	5,477	_	4,659	237	_	2	(7)		
PNG	3,477	_	1,029	576	93	87	(8)		
SAMOA	4	6	1,023	-	33	-	(-,		
SOLOMON ISLANDS	4	0	- 1	10	_	7			
TOKELAU	67	149	-	10	-	,			
			-	-	-	-			
TONGA	1	1	-	-	-	-			
TUVALU	-	-	-			-	(0)		
USA	342	396	507	448	480	618	(9)		
VANUATU	23	7	316	129	256	116			
WALLIS AND FUTUNA	-	3	-	-	-	-	-		
z Non-WCPFC CCM	-	-	-	-	33	33	(10)		
IMIT ESTIMATE [CMM 2008-01]	1.7	2,523	1	3,266		2,326			

Table 2(b) - NOTES

Where not stated, the estimates of high seas effort have been determined using raised operational logsheet data held by the SPC, subject to interpretation of paragraph 6 and 7 of CMM 2008-01. Catches and effort of vessels operating under charters and similar arrangements have been attributed to host island states or territories in accordance with paragraph 2 of CMM 2008-01 using the best information available to SPC-OFP.

ECUADOR

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Values presented here are from Operational data provided to SPC under the IATTC-SPC data exchange agreement.

2. EU-SPAIN

[15 Oct 2008] Annual high seas effort by the EU fleet for period 2001-2007 provided (Sourced from VMS data). Source of EEZ coordinates used to determined high seas days unknown. Definition of "DAY" thought to be days at sea since the data are sourced from VMS.

[13 Aug 2009] The estimates of purse seine effort based on VMS data for 2004 and the average of 2001-2004 were 90 and 58 days, respectively. The estimates of purse seine effort based on aggregate catch/effort data for 2004 and the average of 2001-2004 were 103 and 73 days respectively. The estimates based on the aggregate catch/effort data appear in Table 2 of CMM 2008-01 and provide consistency with the other flag estimates - these estimates will be used until operational data are made available to provide a better estimate.

3. INDONESIA

WCPFC (SPC-OFP) does not have any operational catch/effort data for the Indonesia domestic purse seine fleet to determine the extent of activities by area, so the following methods have been used in the absence of the data.

1. National waters

For 2004, the average CPUE (SKJ+YFT+BET)/days = 24 MT/day in the tropical waters of the WCPFC Convention Area. Applying this to the total purse seine catch estimates for domestic Indonesia purse seine fishery in 2004 (164,721 mt) gives 6,363 days (after subtracting an arbitrary estimate of 500 days for activities on the high seas – see below).

For 2003-2006, the average CPUE (SKJ+YFT+BET)/days = 26.5 MT/day in the tropical waters of the WCPFC Convention Area. Applying this to the annual average purse seine catch estimate for domestic Indonesia purse seine fishery for 2003-2006 (170,243 mt) gives 5,924 days (after subtracting an arbitrary estimate of 500 days for activities on the high seas – see below).

2. High seas

WCPFC (SPC-OFP) doesn't have any effort data for the Indonesia domestic purse seine fleet but presumably they fish in the high seas enclave between FSM, PNG, Palau and Indonesia. If this effort is assumed to be similar to the effort of the Philippines fleet based in PNG, a value of 500 days could possibly be attributed to fishing in the high seas by the Indonesian fleet.

JAPAN Complete operational logsheet data provided to the Commission on 16th April 2009 in relation to CMM 2008-01. These data represent 100% coverage and therefore a better source of data to estimate high seas effort, so the estimates have been revised compared to information presented to WCPFC5. 5. **KOREA** [12 Sep 2008] Advice from Korea Indicates that average fishing days from 2001 to 2004 are 1,571 days and fishing days in 2004 are 1,531 days. Yet to be reconciled since the source of EEZ coordinates used to estimate high seas days is unknown. Also we are not sure of their definition of "DAY". SPC estimates 1,234 days for 2004 and 1,230 as the average for 2001-2004. 6. **NEW ZEALAND** The New Zealand purse seine fleet are covered by the reference in footnote 2 in paragraph 10 of CMM2008-01, and the days in Table 2 of CMM 2008-01. Using this footnote, New Zealand can use the days from 2003, which is 343 days – 247 days in high seas pockets 1&2 and 96 days in the remaining high seas areas. 7. **PHILIPPINES** According to logsheet data provided to the WCPFC by the Philippines, the total high seas effort by the Philippines domestic and PNG-based fleets (as at August 2010) amounts to 5,647 days. The effort in national waters for 2004 according to the logsheet data are 1,075 days. However, the logsheet data have not been verified and do not represent 100% coverage and information to raise these data is currently not available. The estimate of high seas effort by the domestic Philippines purse seine fleet for 2004 provided by the Philippines is 4,659 days. The estimate for effort in national waters provided by the Philippines is 5,477 days. These estimates have been retained in Table 2(b) until such time when the recently-processed logsheet data can be completely verified and information on the logsheet coverage and how to raise the logsheet data is provided. 8. PNG [20 Aug 2009] PNG provided revised purse-seine catch estimates for 2004–2007 in their 2008 provision of data to the WCPFC, which resulted in a change in the estimated purse seine effort. 9. USA [13 Sep 2008] USA has provided a value of 1,066 days as the average for 2001-2004, but only 1,038 days have been determined using the data available to the WCPFC (SPC-OFP). The WCPFC (SPC-OFP) are currently working with US-NMFS to review the respective EEZ coordinates used in the process of determining high seas days. Effort limits cannot be applied to vessels operating under the US Multilateral purse-seine Treaty when in the national waters of Pacific Island countries, which is referenced in paragraphs 6 and 7 of CMM 2008-01.

10. Other Non-WCPFC CCM

This entity relates to fleets based in the Eastern Pacific Ocean or IATTC-member country fleets providing data to IATTC, but excluding fleets for which the WCPFC already hold operational data (e.g. Vanuatu, El Salvador, Ecuador, Spain and the USA).

Other fleets that may support purse seine effort on WCPO tuna stocks may include Malaysia and Vietnam but data are not available to include consideration of this possible effort here.

1. Days in national waters within the WCPFC Convention Area.

For 2001-2004, none of these fleets were licensed to fish in national waters according to information currently available, so no fishing activity by non-WCPFC CCM fleets has been attributed to national waters. (0 days)

For 2003-2006, none of these fleets were licensed to fish in national waters according to information currently available, so no fishing activity by non-WCPFC CCM fleets has been attributed to national waters. (0 days)

2. High Seas

From IATTC data, after removing El Salvador, Ecuador, Spain and Vanuatu fleet effort (which are already counted), the effort in 2004 for these fleets fishing in the WCPFC Convention Area was the same as the average effort for 2001-2004. For 2001-2004, the number of days effort in the WCPFC Convention Area was 33 days, according to aggregate data provided by IATTC data. (33 days).

For 2003-2006, the number of days effort in the WCPFC Convention Area was 21 days, according to best available operational and aggregate data provided by IATTC data.

Table 3. Reported longline catches (metric tonnes) of bigeye tuna in the WCPFC-CA, by flag. Numbers in red indicate estimates carried forward from the previous year.

ссм	2001	2002	2003	2004	Av. 2001- 2004	CMM 2008- 01 Attach. F	CMM 2008-01 (Curr.)	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2010 (excl. SIDs)	CMM 2008- 01 2010 limits	See Notes
AMERICAN SAMOA	75	196	242	227	185	185		134	181	218	132	249	491			(4)
AUSTRALIA	1,307	1,002	1,024	892	1,056	1,056	2,000	791	499	1,008	1,027	726	458	458	2,000	(10)
BELIZE	1,322	812	782	297	803	803	803	425	254	158	89	43	89	89	803	(12)
CHINA	2,227	2,312	8,965	9,314	5,705	9,314	9,314	6,399	9,790	7,821	8,761	11,565	10,654	10,654	9,314	(6),(9),(15),(16
CHINESE TAIPEI	12,435	16,645	14,429	20,992	16,125	15,854	16,125	15,498	14,295	14,760	15,229	13,319	11,552	11,552	12,900	(16)
COOK ISLANDS	1	56	204	394	164	164		220	166	238	292	217	192		· ·	(4)
EUROPEAN UNION	0	0	0	42	11	11	2,000	17	62	62	77	46	8	8	2,000	(10)
FSM	651	759	656	542	652	652		182	172	1,395	970	1,395	899			(4)
FIJI	662	853	889	1,254	915	915		423	771	556	671	689	532			(4)
FRANCE (FRENCH POLYNESIA)	745	649	439	502	584	584		606	498	478	490	587	436		F	(4)
FRANCE (NEW CALEDONIA)	128	189	142	90	137			76	35	53	63	51	44		F	(4)
INDONESIA	942	1,470	2,168	2,192	1,693	8,413	2,192	2,202	3,011	1,993	6,704	4,000	1,221	1,221	2,000	(6),(11)
JAPAN	27,466	29,574	26,110	29,248	28,100	28,100	28,100	23,021	25,685	26,076	19,534	16,650	14,565	14,565	22,480	(-// (/
KIRIBATI	0	0	1	0	0	0	.,	0	0	0	44	0	3	,		(4)
MARSHALL ISLANDS	0	0	0	1	0	0		0	0	3	375	381	257			(4)
NAURU	6	3	10	0	5	5		0	0	0	0	0	0			
NEW ZEALAND	481	201	204	177	266	266	2,000	175	177	213	133	253	131	131	2,000	(10)
NIUE	0	0	0	0	0	0	,	10	22	18	1	10	4			
PALAU	21	1	1	7	8	8		0	0	0	0	0	0			
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	240	318	390	399	337	335		237	216	111	201	128	39			(4)
PHILIPPINES	59	59	59	59	59	343	2,000	59	59	59	59	59	59	59	2,000	(8),(10)
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	22,172	28,533	17,151	17,941	21,449	21,499	21,449	15,622	12,489	10,054	17,001	15,231	13,862	13,862	17,159	(16)
SAMOA	185	137	110	104	134	134		64	128	101	106	117	108			(4)
SENEGAL	0	0	0	0	0	0		0	3	2	0	0	0	0		(13)
SOLOMON ISLANDS	187	401	385	294	317	476		3	0	0	0	0	412			(4),(16)
TONGA	191	215	94	40	135	135		125	117	129	81	38	24			(4)
USA	2,418	4,396	3,618	4,181	3,653	4,181	4,181	4,462	4,381	5,381	4,649	3,741	3,576	3,576	3,763	(6), (17)
VANUATU	17	396	841	1,862	779	779		1,558	1,651	2,122	860	1,300	2,060			(4)
VIETNAM													2,441			(14)
Total	73,938	89,177	78,914	91,051	83,270	94,349	90,164	72,309	74,662	73,009	77,549	70,795	64,117	56,175	76,419	

TABLE 3 -- Notes:

- 1. Source: WCFPC Annual catch estimates as at 1st August 2011 (2010 data are provisional).
- 2. Catch estimates in red have been carried over from previous years.
- 3. Indonesia and Philippines have recently revised their estimates in recent years. (see the respective Annual Catch Estimate Workshop reports at (http://www.wcpfc.int/west-pacific-east-asia-oceanic-fisheries-management-project)
- 4. The limits in the column labeled "CMM 2008-01 2010 limits" do not apply to small island developing State members and participating Territories according to paragraph 34 of CMM 2008-01.
- 5. Catches and effort of vessels operating under charters and similar arrangements have been attributed to host island states or territories in accordance with paragraph 2 of CMM 2008-01 using the best information available to SPC-OFP. However, in several cases, catches have not yet been attributed to the CCM responsible for the "charter or similar arrangements" since the flag state CCM has yet to advise that it has excluded these catches from their data (and thereby avoid double-counting).
- 6. The year 2004 shall apply to China, the United States and Indonesia. (CMM 2008-01 Footnote 3).
- 7. Attachment F in the CMM 2008-01 (BASELINE LONGLINE BIGEYE TUNA CATCHES, BY FLAG) represents the bigeye catch estimates available at the time of establishing CMM 2008-01.
- 8. Estimates include archipelagic water catches which for some countries cannot be separated at this stage (e.g. Philippines).
- 9. The catch limit for China for 2009 and 2010 will remain at 2004 levels (CMM 2008-01 Para. 36).
- 10. The catch limits established at 2,000t prior to 2010, remain at the level of 2,000t. (according to CMM 2008-01 Para. 32)
- 11. The catch limits reduced by 20% for 2010 that fall below 2,000t. are to be set at 2,000t. (Para. 38)
- 12. The catch limit set for Belize prior to 2009 is retained for 2009, according to WCFPC6 Report (Para. 27)
- 13. Senegal committed to limiting its fishing activities in the WCPF Convention Area to one longline vessel WCFPC5 Report (Para. 44)
- 14. Catches for the Vietnamese fleet prior to 2010 are yet to be provided. The Vietnam longline fleet are understood to fish outside the WCFPC Convention Area (South China Sea).
- 15. Catches by the Chinese longline fleet in the WCPFC-IATTC overlap area may not be included in the estimates for years 2004-2008 and 2010. Catches by the Chinese longline fleet in the Kiribati EEZ may not be included in the estimates for years 2009-2010.
- 16. Catches by chartered Chinese, Korean and Chinese-Taipei longline vessels licensed to fish in Solomon Islands waters have been attributed to the Solomon Islands for 2010.
- 17. Para 35 applies to the US so the limit for 2010 will be a 10% reduction of the 2004 baseline catch in Attachment F.
- 18. For China, Para 36 overrides the reduction in catches listed in Para 33 in regards to 2009 and 2010 limits.

Table 4. Estimates of total annual catches (metric tonnes) of bigeye tuna in the WCPFC Statistical Area for fisheries other than longline and tropical purse seine.

							ві	GEYE					
GEAR	FLAG	2001	2002	2003	2004	Av. 2001	CMM 2008-01	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Gillnet	Japan	3	12	11	5	8	2,000	6	11	3	13	7	7
	Indonesia	49	76	113	114	88	2,000	133	132	109	106	83	125
	Philippines (large-fish)	349	336	472	263	355	355	670	555	521	637	330	284
Handline	Philippines (small-fish)	3,659	3,876	3,894	3,870	3,825	3,870	2,100	2,100	2,100	2,100	2,929	1,400
	USA	0	0	176	232	102	2,000	210	247	324	148	136	337
	Total	4,057	4,288	4,655	4,479	4,370	8,225	3,113	3,034	3,054	2,991	3,478	2,146
	Fiji	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
	French Polynesia	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	0	0	0	0
Pole-and-	Indonesia	2,897	2,485	2,012	2,197	2,398	2,398	2,684	2,859	2,180	3,038	1,812	1,812
line	Japan	1,377	1,757	857	3,393	1,846	3,393	1,334	3,820	1,977	1,604	1,570	2,242
TIME	Solomon Islands	0	0	0	0	0		0	0	37	0	0	0
	USA	0	0	0	0	0	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
	Total	4,274	4,242	2,869	5,590	4,244	7,791	4,018	6,679	4,194	4,642	3,382	4,054
Ring-net	Philippines	285	37	385	311	255	2,000	336	823	713	322	291	218
Purse seine	Japan	805	967	1,348	1,114	1,059	2,000	542	1,141	1,971	400	339	354
	Japan	182	126	105	83	124	2,000	135	101	124	138	115	115
	Nauru	0	0	0	0	0	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
Troll	Tuvalu	0	0	0	0	0	2,000	0	0	0	0	0	0
	USA	226	586	37	149	250	2,000	85	56	63	74	59	129
	Total	408	712	142	232	374	8,000	220	157	187	212	174	244
	Australia	0	0	12	23	9	2,000	3	8	21	0	0	0
	French Polynesia	1	2	2	2	2		0	0	0	0	0	0
	Indonesia	2,622	2,828	2,484	1,334	2,317	2,317	1,249	1,281	1,270	122	152	152
Unclassified	Japan	26	23	26	21	24	2,000	100	39	65	80	98	98
	New Zealand	0	1	1	8	3	2,000	1	1	0	1	0	0
	Philippines	117	140	190	174	155	2,000	167	184	213	15	15	365
	Total	2,766	2,994	2,715	1,562	2,509	10,317	1,520	1,513	1,569	218	265	615
Total "other	fisheries"	12,598	13,252	12,125	13,293	12,817	40,333	9,755	13,358	11,691	8,798	7 , 936	7,638
Percentage of	total WCPFC-CA	11	10	10	10			8	10	10	6	6	7
	WCPFC Bigeye Catch	116,683	130,348	118,184	135,620			121,774	129,193	121,159	136,584	125,030	111,958

TABLE 4 -- Notes:

- 1. Source: WCFPC Annual catch estimates as at 1st August 2011 (2010 data are provisional).
- 2. Catch estimates in **red** have been carried over from previous years.
- 3. French Polynesia 'pole-and-line' catches include the bonitier and poti marara fleets; both use various gear types (pole-and-line, troll, handline, harpoon, gill net).
- 4. Japan purse seine is north of 20°N.
- 5. Reference to the level of "less than 2,000 tonnes" mentioned in CMM-2008-01 paragraph 39 has been assumed to mean that fisheries taking less than 2,000 t. of bigeye should not exceed 2,000 t. of bigeye.
- 6. Indonesia and Philippines have recently revised their estimates (see the respective Annual Catch Estimate Workshop reports held during 2010 at (http://www.wcpfc.int/west-pacific-east-asia-oceanic-fisheries-management-project)
- 7. A certain component of the Philippines and Indonesian catches listed in this table occur in Archipelagic Waters, but can not be separated from total Conventional Area Annual Catch Estimates at this stage.
- 8. The limits in the column labeled "CMM 2008-01" do not apply to small island developing State members and participating Territories according to paragraph 34 of CMM 2008-01.
- 9. The provision of estimates of fishing effort for 2009 and 2010, according of Para. 39 of CMM 2008-01, is only available for Japan purse-seine fishery at this stage.

Table 5. Estimates of total annual catches (metric tonnes) of yellowfin tuna in the WCPFC Statistical Area for fisheries other than longline and tropical purse seine.

							YEI	LOWFIN					
GEAR	FLAG	2001	2002	2003	2004	Av. 2001	CMM 2008-01	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010
Gillnet	Japan	20	32	21	10	21	2,000	13	13	16	23	12	12
Handline	Indonesia	2,434	3,799	5,603	5,666	4,376	5,666	6,613	6,571	5,445	5,273	8,206	7,839
	Philippines (large-fish)	8,914	9,943	12,540	13,099	11,124	13,099	12,990	14,498	16,853	15,712	7,768	11,314
	Philippines (small-fish)	38,904	41,173	41,375	41,137	40,647	41,137	35,000	35,000	35,000	35,000	43,172	43,400
	USA	0	0	362	379	185	2,000	321	209	254	227	317	237
	Total	50,252	54,915	59,880	60,281	56,332	61,902	54,924	56,278	57,552	56,212	59,463	62,790
Pole-and-	Fiji	44	44	44	44	44		4 4	44	44	44	0	0
	French Polynesia	84	99	77	142	101		104	126	152	83	88	53
	Indonesia	10,923	9,372	7,587	8,287	9,042	9,042	11,000	8,828	9,298	7,516	6,042	6,042
	Japan	3,136	3,375	2,868	3,040	3,105	3,105	3,647	4,340	3,501	3,566	5,054	4,167
	Solomon Islands	153	405	669	257	371		538	734	321	189	0	0
	USA	2	2	33	17	14	2,000	68	3	23	23	17	0
	Total	14,342	13,297	11,278	11,787	12,676	14,147	15,401	14,075	13,339	11,421	11,201	10,262
Ring-net	Philippines	2,727	1,995	3,866	4,560	3,287	4,560	5,979	6,175	6,652	8,421	7,347	5,363
Purse seine	Japan	2,564	2,300	3,619	2,706	2,797	2,797	3,128	3,235	1,766	4,696	2,577	1,473
	Japan	2,840	2,524	2,683	2,294	2,585	2,585	2,094	2,262	2,297	2,436	2,534	2,534
	Nauru	0	0	0	0			0	0	0	2	4	4
Troll	Tuvalu	0	0	0	0			11	3	9	10	12	12
	USA	832	600	373	367	543	2,000	358	295	501	444	470	413
	Total	3,672	3,124	3,056	2,661	3,128	4,585	2,463	2,560	2,807	2,892	3,020	2,963
Unclassified	Australia	2	1	5	11	5	2,000	1	3	2	0	0	0
1	French Polynesia	264	307	211	412	299		288	419	370	409	418	445
1	Indonesia	23,598	25,453	22,357	12,007	20,854	20,854	11,239	11,527	11,428	1,793	5,470	5,470
1	Japan	277	285	360	290	303	2,000	325	281	348	519	421	421
1	New Zealand	8	1	1	22	8	2,000	3	0	0	2	0	0
	Philippines	1,236	1,420	1,798	1,849	1,576	2,000	1,775	1,956	2,257	1,327	1,327	1,500
	Total	25,385	27,467	24,732	14,591	23,044	28,854	13,631	14,186	14,405	4,050	7,636	7,836
Total "other	fisheries"	98,942	103,098	106,431	96,586	101,264	116,845	95,526	96,509	96,521	87,692	91,244	90,687
Percentage o	f total WCPFC-CA	24	27	25	25			20	23	21	16	22	19
	WCPFC Yellowfin Catch	410,903	387,557	420,076	385,916			467,674	422,846	450,107	540,049	417,265	475,308

TABLE 5 -- Notes:

- 1. Source: WCFPC Annual catch estimates as at 1st August 2011 (2010 data are provisional).
- 2. Catch estimates in red have been carried over from previous years.
- 3. Indonesia and Philippines have recently revised their estimates (see the respective Annual Catch Estimate Workshop reports at (http://www.wcpfc.int/west-pacific-east-asia-oceanic-fisheries-management-project)
- 4. The limits in the column labeled "CMM 2008-01" do not apply to small island developing State members and participating Territories according to paragraph 34 of CMM 2008-01.
- 5. Catches and effort of vessels operating under charters and similar arrangements have been attributed to host island states or territories in accordance with paragraph 5 of CMM 2008-01 using the best information available to SPC-OFP. However, in several cases, catches have not yet been attributed to the CCM responsible for the "charter or similar arrangements" since the flag state CCM has yet to advise that it has excluded these catches from their data (and thereby avoid double-counting).
- 6. Reference to the level of "less than 2,000 tonnes" mentioned in CMM-2008-01 paragraph 32 has been assumed to mean that fisheries taking less than 2,000 t. of yellowfin should not exceed 2,000 t. of yellowfin.
- 7. Unclassified Indonesian catches of yellowfin in 2004 are considerably reduced because these catches were attributed to other gear types, mainly purse seine. This may suggest that unclassified catches prior to 2004 also contain large components by purse seine.
- 8. French Polynesia 'pole-and-line' catches include the bonitier and poti marara fleets; both use various gear types (pole-and-line, troll, handline, harpoon, gill net).
- 9. Japan purse seine is north of 20°N.
- 10. A certain component of the Philippines and Indonesian catches listed in this table occur in Archipelagic Waters, but can not be separated from total Conventional Area Annual Catch Estimates at this stage.
- 11. The provision of estimates of fishing effort for 2009 and 2010, according of Para. 39 of CMM 2008-01, is only available for Japan purse-seine fishery at this stage.

Table 6. Reported longline catches (metric tonnes) of yellowfin tuna in the WCPFC-CA, by flag. Numbers in red indicate estimates carried forward from the previous year.

ССМ	2001	2002	2003	2004	Av. 2001- 2004	2005	2006	2007	2008	2009	2010	2010 (excl. SIDs)	CMM 2008- 01 2010 limits	See Notes
AMERICAN SAMOA	188	485	497	888	515	526	513	640	333	398	469			(4)
AUSTRALIA	2,819	3,531	3,681	2,356	3,097	1,499	1,830	1,390	1,650	1,387	1,359	1,359	3,097	
BELIZE	957	720	943	208	707	298	106	273	129	121	28	28	707	(7)
CHINA	1,919	1,844	3,358	4,048	2,792	2,367	3,997	1,580	4,562	6,800	1,713	1,713	2,792	(10),(11)
CHINESE TAIPEI	22,326	21,993	22,149	22,975	22,361	19,571	18,654	16,668	16,411	17,893	19,974	19,974	22,361	(11)
COOK ISLANDS	1	42	178	506	182	413	262	290	247	197	319		ı	(4)
EUROPEAN UNION	0	0	0	23	6	1	127	127	10	7	2	2	6	
FSM	338	164	276	185	241	99	270	548	328	583	406		Ī	(4)
FIJI	2,082	2,027	2,482	4,164	2,689	1,989	2,231	1,721	2,763	2,564	2,144		I	(4)
FRANCE (FRENCH POLYNESIA)	967	507	621	1,066	790	793	690	527	447	716	418			(4)
FRANCE (NEW CALEDONIA)	570	572	754	631	632	448	414	393	424	487	505		1	(4)
INDONESIA	4,001	6,243	9,209	9,313	7,192	10,762	9,482	10,371	9,564	18,221	14,041	14,041	7,192	
JAPAN	18,096	15,810	16,803	15,209	16,480	14,792	13,462	13,725	11,776	13,604	16,386	16,386	16,480	
KIRIBATI	2	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	7	0	4			(4)
MARSHALL ISLANDS	0	0	0	3	1	0	0	2	91	120	117		Ī	(4)
NAURU	5	2	6	1	4	0	0	0	0	0	0		Ī	(4)
NEW ZEALAND	131	27	39	36	58	36	3	25	11	3	6	6	58	
NIUE	0	0	0	0	0	34	42	30	8	20	8		I	(4)
PALAU	41	3	19	28	23	0	0	0	0	0	0		l l	(4)
PAPUA NEW GUINEA	1,812	1,738	1,747	2,318	1,904	1,222	2,139	1,539	2,259	2,714	2,147		l l	(4)
PHILIPPINES	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	484	(6)
REPUBLIC OF KOREA	13,768	15,497	12,134	10,058	12,864	13,329	9,529	8,817	7,846	10,032	7,562	7,562	12,864	(11)
SAMOA	470	369	293	444	394	199	264	305	317	412	386		I	(4)
SENEGAL	0	0	0	0	0	6	3	4	0	0	0	0	0	(8)
SOLOMON ISLANDS	159	401	258	440	315	6	0	0	0	0	3,197			(4), (11)
TONGA	259	263	263	163	237	219	227	341	291	109	47			(4)
USA	1,016	572	809	694	773	698	937	833	836	429	462	462	773	
VANUATU	49	778	1,315	1,322	866	936	799	967	539	514	788		I	(4)
VIETNAM											9,513			(9)
Total	72,460	74,072	78,320	77,563	75,604	70,727	66,465	61,600	61,333	77,815	82,485	62,017	66,813	

TABLE 6 -- Notes:

- 1. Source: WCFPC Annual catch estimates as at 1st August 2011 (2010 data are provisional).
- 2. Catch estimates in red have been carried over from previous years.
- 3. Indonesia and Philippines have recently revised their estimates (see the respective Annual Catch Estimate Workshop reports at (http://www.wcpfc.int/west-pacific-east-asia-oceanic-fisheries-management-project)
- 4. The limits in the column labeled "CMM 2008-01 2010 limits" do not apply to small island developing State members and participating Territories according to paragraph 6 of CMM 2008-01.
- 5. Catches and effort of vessels operating under charters and similar arrangements have been attributed to host island states or territories in accordance with paragraph 2 of CMM 2008-01 using the best information available to SPC-OFP. However, in several cases, catches have not yet been attributed to the CCM responsible for the "charter or similar arrangements" since the flag state CCM has yet to advise that it has excluded these catches from their data (and thereby avoid double-counting).
- 6. Estimates include archipelagic water catches which for some countries cannot be separated at this stage (e.g. Philippines).
- 7. The catch limit set for Belize prior to 2009 is retained for 2009, according to WCFPC6 Report (Para. 27)
- 8. Senegal committed to limiting its fishing activities in the WCPF Convention Area to one longline vessel WCFPC5 Report (Para. 44)
- 9. Catches for the Vietnamese fleet prior to 2010 are yet to be provided. The Vietnam longline fleet are understood to fish outside the WCFPC Convention Area (South China Sea).
- 10. Catches by the Chinese longline fleet in the WCPFC-IATTC overlap area may not be included in the estimates for years 2004-2008 and 2010. Catches by the Chinese longline fleet in the Kiribati EEZ may not be included in the estimates for years 2009-2010.
- 11. Catches by chartered Chinese, Korean and Chinese-Taipei longline vessels licensed to fish in Solomon Islands waters have been attributed to the Solomon Islands for 2010.