

*Crab* means the following species: red king crab (*Paralithodes camshatica*); blue king crab (*Paralithodes platypus*); brown king crab (*Lithodes aequispina*); *Lithodes couesi*; all species of tanner or snow crab (*Chionoecetes* spp.); and Dungeness crab (*Cancer magister*).

*Dip net* means a bag-shaped net supported on all sides by a rigid frame; the maximum straight-line distance between any two points on the net frame, as measured through the net opening, may not exceed five feet; the depth of the bag must be at least one-half of the greatest straight-line distance, as measured through the net opening; no portion of the bag may be constructed of webbing that exceeds a stretched measurement of 4.5 inches; the frame must be attached to a single rigid handle and be operated by hand.

*Diving Gear* means any type of hard hat or skin diving equipment, including SCUBA equipment.

*Drainage* means all of the waters comprising a watershed including tributary rivers, streams, sloughs, ponds and lakes which contribute to the supply of the watershed.

*Drift gill net* means a drifting gill net that has not been intentionally staked, anchored or otherwise fixed.

*Federal lands* means lands and waters and interests therein the title to which is in the United States.

*Fishwheel* means a fixed, rotating device for catching fish which is driven by river current or other means of power.

*Freshwater of streams and rivers* means the line at which freshwater is separated from saltwater at the mouth of streams and rivers by a line drawn between the seaward extremities of the exposed tideland banks at the present stage of the tide.

*Fyke net* means a fixed, funneling (fyke) device used to entrap fish.

*Gear* means any type of fishing apparatus.

*Gill net* means a net primarily designed to catch fish by entanglement in a mesh that consists of a single sheet of webbing which hangs between cork line and lead line, and which is fished from the surface of the water.

*Grappling hook* means a hooked device with flukes or claws, which is attached to a line and operated by hand.

*Groundfish—bottomfish* means any marine finfish except halibut, osmerids, herring and salmonids.

*Hand purse seine* means a floating net which is designed to surround fish and which can be closed at the bottom by pursing the lead line; pursing may only be done by hand power, and a free-running line through one or more rings attached to the lead line is not allowed.

*Herring pound* means an enclosure used primarily to contain live herring over extended periods of time.

*Hung measure* means the maximum length of the cork line when measured wet or dry with traction applied at one end only.

*Jigging gear* means a line or lines with lures or baited hooks, drawn through the water by hand, and which are operated during periods of ice cover from holes cut in the ice.

*Lead* means either a length of net employed for guiding fish into a seine, set gill net, or other length of net, or a length of fencing employed for guiding fish into a fishwheel, fyke net or dip net.

*Long line* means either a stationary, buoyed, or anchored line, or a floating, free-drifting line with lures or baited hooks attached.

*Possession limit* means the maximum number of fish a person or designated group may have in possession if the fish have not been canned, salted, frozen, smoked, dried, or otherwise preserved so as to be fit for human consumption after a 15 day period.

*Pot* means a portable structure designed and constructed to capture and retain live fish and shellfish in the water.

*Public lands* or *public land* means lands situated in the State of Alaska which are Federal lands, except—

(i) Land selections of the State of Alaska which have been tentatively approved or validly selected under the Alaska Statehood Act and lands which have been confirmed to, validly selected by, or granted to the Territory of Alaska or the State under any other provision of Federal law;

(ii) Land selections of a Native Corporation made under the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act which have not been conveyed to a Native Corporation, unless any such selection is determined to be invalid or is relinquished; and

(iii) Lands referred to in Section 19(b) of the Alaska Native Claims Settlement Act.

*Purse seine* means a floating net which is designed to surround fish and which can be closed at the bottom by means of a free-running line through one or more rings attached to the lead line.

*Ring net* means a bag-shaped net suspended between no more than two frames; the bottom frame may not be larger in perimeter than the top frame; the gear must be nonrigid and collapsible so that free movement of fish or shellfish across the top of the net is not prohibited when the net is employed.

*Rockfish* means all species of the genus *Sebastes*.

*Rod and reel* means either a device upon which a line is stored on a fixed or revolving spool and is deployed through guides mounted on a flexible pole, or a line that is attached to a pole.

*Salmon* means the following species: pink salmon (*Oncorhynchus gorbusha*); sockeye salmon (*Oncorhynchus nerka*); chinook salmon (*Oncorhynchus tshawytscha*); coho salmon (*Oncorhynchus kisutch*); and chum salmon (*Oncorhynchus keta*).

*Salmon stream* means any stream used by salmon for spawning or for travelling to a spawning area.

*Salmon stream terminus* means a line drawn between the seaward extremities of the exposed tideland banks of any salmon stream at mean lower low water.

*Set gill net* means a gill net that has been intentionally set, staked, anchored, or otherwise fixed.

*Shovel* means a hand-operated implement for digging clams or cockles.

*Spear* means a shaft with a sharp point or fork-like implement attached to one end which is used to thrust through the water to impale or retrieve fish and which is operated by hand.

*Take* or *Taking* means to pursue, hunt, shoot, trap, net capture, collect, kill, harm, or attempt to engage in any such conduct.

*To operate fishing gear* means any of the following: the deployment of gear in the waters of Alaska; the removal of gear from the waters of Alaska; the removal of fish or shellfish from the gear during an open season or period; or the possession of a gill net containing fish during an open fishing period, except that a gill net which is completely clear of the water is not considered to be operating for the purposes of minimum distance requirement.

*Trawl* means a bag-shaped net towed through the water to capture fish or shellfish.

*Trout* means the following species: cutthroat trout (*Oncorhynchus clarki*) and rainbow trout or steelhead trout (*Oncorhynchus mykiss*).

(c) *Methods, means, and general restrictions.* (1) No person may buy or sell fish, their parts, or their eggs which have been taken for subsistence uses, unless, prior to the sale, the prospective buyer or seller obtains a determination from the Federal Subsistence Board that the sale constitutes customary trade.

(2) No person may take fish for subsistence uses within 300 feet of any dam, fish ladder, weir, culvert or other artificial obstruction.

(3) No person may use explosives or chemicals to take fish for subsistence uses.