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2025 EASTERN GULF OF ALASKA LINGCOD ALLOCATION

The lingcod guideline harvest ranges (GHR) for Southeast Alaska fisheries are defined in 5 AAC 28.160 (e). Regulation 5 AAC 28.165 allocates the annual guideline harvest level (GHL) of each management area among the commercial directed lingcod fishery, commercial salmon troll, longline and groundfish jig bycatch fisheries, and sport fishery.

Lingcod management areas include: Icy Bay Subdistrict (IBS), East Yakutat (EYKT) Section, Northern Southeast Outside (NSEO) Section, Central Southeast Outside (CSEO) Section, Southern Southeast Outer Coast (SSEOC) Sector, Northern Southeast Inside (NSEI) Subdistrict, and Southern Southeast Internal Waters (SSEIW) Sector (Figure 1).

2025 Lingcod Allocations (round pound) by Fishery and Management Area

| Area | IBS | EYKT | NSEO | CSEO | SSEOC | NSEI | SSEIW |
|------------------------------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|---------------|---------------|
| GHL | 100,000 | 225,000 | 40,000 | 240,000 | 167,000 | 32,000 | 52,000 |
| Commercial directed fishery | 46,000 | 111,000 | 17,200 | 86,400 | 50,100 | 0 | 0 |
| Commercial longline bycatch | 12,670 | 94,000 | 10,800 | 55,200 | 28,390 | 9,600 | 2,080 |
| Commercial salmon troll bycatch | 8,000 | 16,000 | 3,200 | 16,800 | 11,690 | 6,400 | 2,080 |
| Commercial groundfish jig bycatch* | 0 | 0 | 0 | 9,600 | 3,340 | 0 | 0 |
| Sport fishery | 33,330 | 4,000 | 8,800 | 72,000 | 73,480 | 16,000 | 47,840 |

*Groundfish jig bycatch fishery limited to mechanical jigging machines and hand troll gear.

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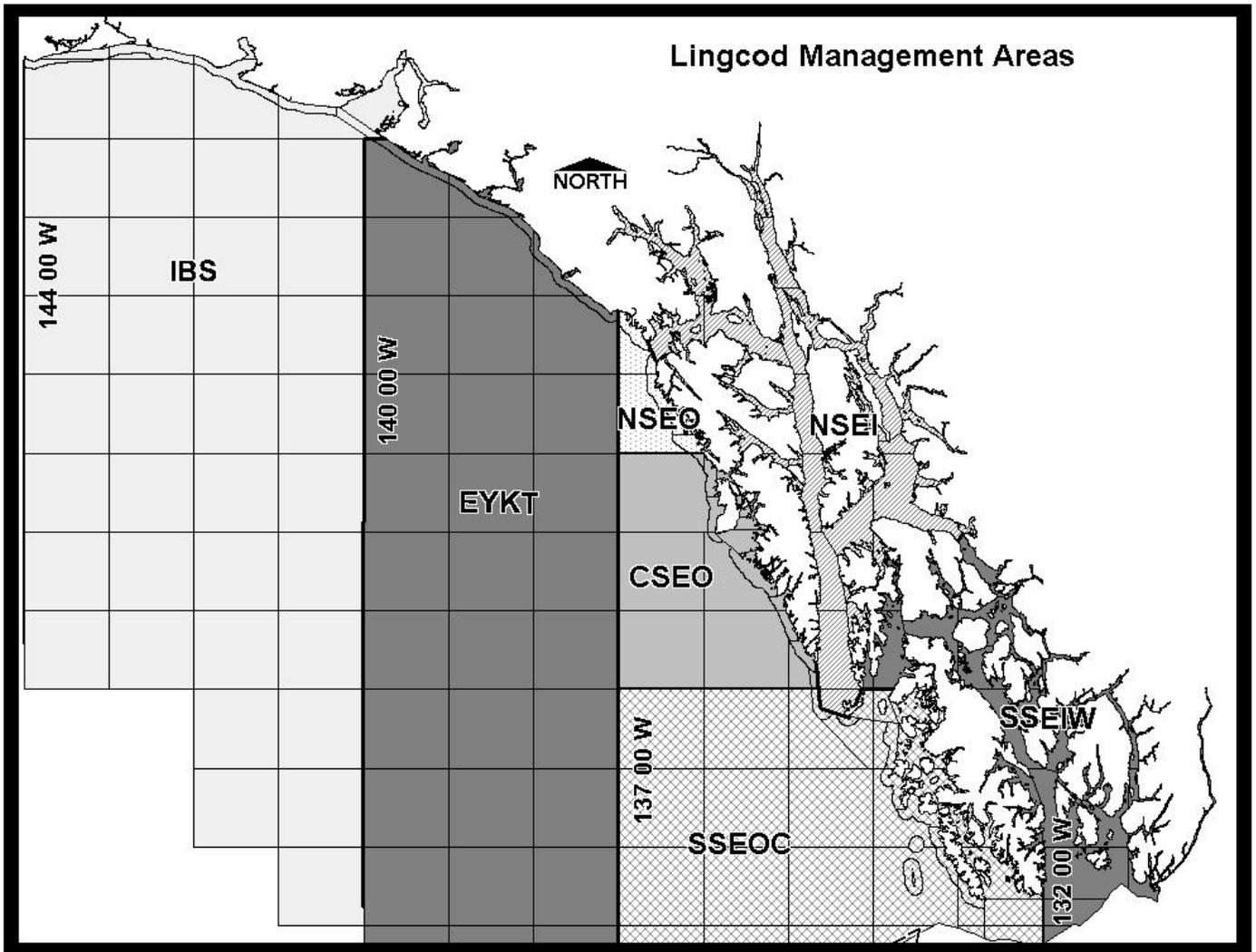


Figure 1.—Southeast Alaska Lingcod Management Areas. This map is for general reference only. For detailed descriptions of Lingcod Management Area boundaries, refer to 5 AAC 28.105.