Salmon and Steelhead Coded-Wire Tag Releases By PSC Basin
Greater Pacific Northwest - 1968 Through 2007

This map illustrates total numbers of coded-wire tagged anadromous salmonids released throughout the greater Pacific Northwest region during the 40 year period from 1968 through 2007. Quantities released are shown gradated using color shading by PSC Basin. Proportional numbers of each species for each PSC Basin are also shown.

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CWT Releases by Species

- Chinook
- Chum
- Coho
- Steelhead
- Sockeye
- PSC Basin Boundary
- PSC Region Boundary
- Major River
- Country/State Border

Total CWT Releases by PSC Basin

- No CWT Data
- 40,000 - 5,000,000
- 5,000,001- 11,000,000
- 11,000,001 - 18,000,000
- 18,000,001 - 30,000,000
- 30,000,001 - 52,000,000
- Salmon Hatchery
- Large City
- Medium City
- State/Provincial Capital

Pacific Salmon Commission Basins
(Pacific Northwest only)

British Columbia Domain
FRTH Region (Fraser R - Thompson R)
- LWFR - Lower Fraser River (below Hope + tribs)
- TOMF - Thompson River (North & South forks)
- TOMM - Thompson River (main)
- UPFR - Upper Fraser R (above Hope, excl Thompson R)

GST Region (Georgia Strait)
- GSMN - Georgia Strait - Mainland North
- GSMS - Georgia Strait - Mainland South
- GSVI - Georgia Strait - Vancouver Island

JNST Region (Johnstone Strait)
- JNSTG - Johnstone Strait

WCVI Region (Western Vancouver Island)
- SWVI - Southwest Vancouver Island

Columbia River Domain
CECR Region (Central Columbia River)
- DESC - Columba R/OR; Deschutes River
- HOO - Colmbia R/OR; Eagle Cr, Hood R
- JOHN - ColumbiaR/OR; John Day R, Willow Cr
- KLIC - Columba R/WA; Klickitat River
- ROCK - Columba R/WA; Rock Cr, Glade Cr
- UMAT - Columbia R/OR; Umatilla River
- WIND - Columba R/WA; Wind R, White Salmon R

LOCR Region (Lower Columbia River)
- COWL - Columba R/WA; Cowlitz River
- GREL - Columbia R/WA; Grays R, Elochomin R
- LEWI - Columbia R/WA; Lewis R, Kalama R
- SAND - Columbia R/OR; Sandy R, Tanner Cr
- SAWA - Columba R/WA; Salmon Cr, Washougal R
- WILL - Columbia R/ OR; Willamette River
- YOCL - Columba R/OR; Youngs Bay, Clatskanine R

SNAK Region (Snake River)
- CLEA - Snake R/ID; Clearwater River (only)
- GRIA - Snake R/OR,WA; Asotin Cr, Grande Ronde R
- LOSN - Lower Snake R/WA, ID
- SALM - Snake R/ID; Salmon River (only)
- UPSN - Snake R/ID, OR; headwaters

UPCR Region (Upper Columbia River)
- HEAD - Columbia R/WA, BC, ID; headwaters
- MEOK - Columbia R/WA, BC; Methow R, Okanogan R
- MNPR - Columbia R/OR, WA; McNary to Priest Rapids
- PRGC - Columbia R/WA; Priest Rapids to Grand Coulee
- WECH - Colmbia R/WA; Wenatchee R, Lk Chelan
- YAKI - Columbia R/WA; Yakima River

Oregon Domain
NOOR Region (Northern Oregon Coast)
- ALSE - Beaver Cr, Alsea R, Yachats R
- NEHA - Necanicum R, Nehalem R
- SIUS - Siuslaw R, Siltcoos R, Tahkenitch Cr
- SIYA - Salmon R, Siletz R, Yaquina R
- TILN - Greater Tillamook Bay, Nestucca R

SOOR Region (Southern Oregon Coast)
- CHET - Pistol R, Chetco R, Winchuck R
- COOS - Greater Coos Bay, Coos R
- COQU - Coquille River
- ROGU - Rogue River
- SIXE - Floras Cr, Sixes R
- UMPQ - Umpqua River

Washington Domain
GRAY Region (Grays Harbor)
- GHLC - Grays Harbor, Lower Chehalis R
- UPCH - Upper Chehalis River

HOOD Region (Hood Canal)
- LUDA - Port Ludlow, Dabob Bay
- SKDO - Skokomish R, Dosewallips R, Great Bend
- WKIT - Western Kitsap Peninsula

JUAN Region (Strait of Juan de Fuca)
- ELDU - Elwha R; Dungeness R, Discovery Bay
- LYHO - Neah Bay, Hoko R, Lyre R, Coville Cr

MPS Region (Mid Puget Sound)
- DUWA - Duwamish R, Green R
- EKPN - Eastern Kitsap Pn, north of Narrows
- LAKW - Lk Washington - greater area
- PUYA - Puyallup River

NOWA Region (Northern Washington)
- BEWA - Bellingham Bay, Lummi Is, Lk Whatcom
- NOOK - Nooksack R, Drayton Harbor, Birch Bay
- SJUA - San Juan Islands

NPS Region (Northern Puget Sound)
- SNOH - Snohomish R, Tulalip Bay
- STIL - Stillaguamish River
- WICI - Whidbey Is, Camano Pn

NWC Region (Northern Washington Coast)
- QEQU - Queets R, Quinault R
- QUHO - Sooes R, Ozette R, Quillayute R, Hoh R

SKAG Region (Skagit River)
- PASA - Padilla Bay, Samish R
- SKAR - Skagit River

SPS Region (Southern Puget Sound)
- CHAM - Chambers Cr; Ketron Is
- DES - Deschutes R, Woodland Cr
- EKPS - Eastern Kitsap Pn, south of Narrows
- KENN - Goldsborough Cr, Kennedy Cr
- NISQ - Nisqually River

WILP Region (Willapa Bay)
- NASE - Naselle R, Palix R, Bear R
- NOSM - North R, Smith Cr
- WILR - Willapa River

Miles: 0, 35, 70, 140