2.63. LIST OF COMMON AND SCIENTIFIC NAMES OF FISHES, CRUSTACEANS AND MOLLUSKS

Common name Scientific name

Anchovy

Deep-bodied Anchoa compressa
Northern Engraulis mordax
Slough Anchoa delicatissima
Barracuda Sphyraena argentea
Bass, striped Roccus saxatilis
Bonito, California Sarda lineolata

Cabezone Scorpaenichthys marmoratus
Cabrilla Epinephalus analogus
Carp Cyprinus carpio

Catfish

Forktail Ictalurus catus
Squaretail Ameiurus nebulosus
Cod, Alaska Gadus macrocephalus
Corbina, Mexican Cynoscion orthonopterus

Eel

Blenny-eel Cebidichthys violaceus Blenny-eel Xiphister mucosus Moray Gymnothorax mordax Flounder, starry Platichthys stellatus Flying fish, California Cypselurus californicus Grouper Species of Mycteroperca Hake Merluccius productus Halibut, California Paralichthys californicus Halibut, Pacific Hippoglossus stenolepis

Hardhead

Greaser blackfish Orthodon microlepidotus Hardhead Mylopharodon conocephalus

Herring, Pacific Clupea pallasii

Kingfish

Kingfish Genyonemus lineatus
Queenfish Seriphus politus
Lingcod Ophiodon elongatus
Mackerel, jack Trachurus symmetricus
mackerel, Pacific Pneumatophorus diego
Marlin, striped Makaira mitsukurii
Mullet Mugil cephalus
Perch

Blacksmith Chromis punctipinnis
Halfmoon Medialuna californiensis
Opaleye Girella nigricans

Salt-water perch Members of family Embiotocidae

Pike (Sacramento squaw- Ptychocheilus grandis

fish)

Pompano, California Palometa simillima Pompano, Mexican Trachinotus kennedyi

Rock bass

Kelp bass Paralabrax clathratus Sand bass Paralabrax nebulifer

Rockfish All species of Sebastodes and Sebastolobus

Sablefish Anoplopoma fimbria

Salmon

King Oncorhynchus tshawytscha
Silver Oncorhynchus kisutch
Sand dab Citharichthys sordidus
Citharichthys stigmaeus

Sardine, Pacific Sardinops caerulea
Sculpin Scorpaena guttata
Sea bass, black Stereolepis gigas
Sea bass, white Cynoscion nobilis

Seatrout, greenling Hexagrammos decagrammus

Shad Alosa sapidissima

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Shark

Basking shark Cetorhinus maximus
Dogfish Squalus suckleyi
Gray smoothhound Mustelus californicus
Leopard shark Triakis semifasciata
Soupfin Galeorhinus zyopterus

Varying amounts of other

species

Sheepshead, California Pimelometopon pulchrum Sierra Scomberomorus sierra

Skate

Big Raja binoculata California Raja inornata Longnose Raja rhina

Varying amounts of other

species

Smelt

Grunion Leuresthes tenuis
Jack smelt Atherinopsis californiensis
Surf smelt Hypomesus pretiosus
Top smelt Atherinops affinis

Small amounts of other

Osmerids

Sole

English Parophrys vetulus
Dover Microstomus pacificus
Petrale Eopsetta jordani
Rex Glyptocephalus zachirus

Varying amounts of other

species

 Split-tail
 Pogonichthys macrolepidotus

 Sucker, western
 Catostomus occidentalis

 Swordfish, broadbill
 Xiphias gladius

 Tomcod
 Microgadus proximus

 Totuava
 Cynoscion macdonaldi

Tuna

Albacore Thunnus germo
Bluefin tuna Thunnus thynnus
Oriental tuna Thunnus orientalis
Skipjack Katsuwonus pelamis
Yellowfin tuna Neothunnus macropterus

Turbot

Curlfin Pleuronichthys decurrens
Diamond Hypsopsetta guttulata
Sharpridge Pleuronichthys verticalis

Small amounts of other

species

Whitebait Allosmerus attenuatus Spirinchus starksi

Young of several other species

Whitefish, ocean Caulolatilus princeps Yellowtail Seriola dorsalis Crab, mar- Cancer magister

ket

Crab, rock Cancer antennarius

Cancer anthonyi
Cancer productus
Panulirus interruptus

Lobster, spiny

Shrimp Crago franciscorum

Crago nigricauda

Abalone

Pink Haliotis corrugata
Red Haliotis rufescens
Southern Haliotis fulgens

green Clam

Cockle Paphia staminea

Species of Chione

Gaper Schizothaerus nuttalli
Pismo Tivela stultorum
Softshell Mya arenaria
Washington Saxidomus nuttalli
Mussel Mytilus californianus

Mytilus edulis

Octopus Paroctopus apollyon

Oyster

Eastern Ostrea virginica
Native Ostrea lurida
Pacific Ostrea gigas
Squid Loligo opalescens

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